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STATISTICAL BULLETIN : APPARENT CONSUMPTION OF TEA AND COFFEE, AUSTRALIANO. 7 : 1967-68

This bulletin contains particulars of the estimated quantities of tea and coffee available for consumption (i.e. the apparent consumption), together with details of imports of tea and coffee, for the years 1963-64 to 1967-68.

Consumption data have, in general, been obtained by deducting quantities of these commodities exported from imports cleared for home consumption. An adjustment has been made for changes in stocks held by firms which imported tea and coffee products in each of the years ended 30 June. Stocks held by retailers and other distributing agencies have been excluded from these estimates.

NOTE. Any discrepancies between totals and sums of components in tables are due to rounding.

TEATABLE 1. - SUPPLIES AND UTILISATION OF TEA : AUSTRALIA

Particulars	1963-64	1964-65	1965-66	1966-67	1967-68 (a)
Net change in stocks(b) '000 lb	(-) 3,020	(+) 3,967	(+) 1,544	(-) 547	(-) 2,127
Imports cleared for home consumption (c) " "	61,562	70,411	67,055	62,682	60,340
<u>Total supplies</u> " "	64,582	66,444	65,511	63,229	62,467
Exports (c) (d) " "	1,749	1,888	1,990	1,918	1,845
Apparent consumption -					
Total " "	62,833	64,556	63,521	61,311	60,622
Per head lb	5.7	5.7	5.5	5.2	5.1

(a) Subject to revision. (b) As reported by principal importers : no account has been taken of changes in stocks held by retailers and other distributing agencies.

(c) Includes maté and extracts, essences, etc. of tea and maté. (d) Includes ships' stores.

**TABLE 2. - IMPORTS OF TEA (a) : AUSTRALIA**

('000 lb)

Country of Origin	1963-64	1964-65	1965-66	1966-67	1967-68(b)
Ceylon	38,927	38,471	38,612	36,874	35,555
India	8,542	11,853	10,529	13,798	14,076
Indonesia	8,927	13,170	12,886	9,068	8,782
Malaysia (c)	(d)	354	690	458	674
China (mainland)	965	959	1,473	794	655
Kenya	840	796	359	449	454
Other	3,548	4,818	2,783	1,675	729
<u>Total (e)</u>	61,749	70,421	67,332	63,116	60,926

(a) Includes maté and extracts, essences, etc., of tea and maté. (b) Subject to revision. (c) Includes Singapore from 1 July 1964 to 30 September 1965. (d) Not available separately; included with Other. (e) Changes in the level of bonded stocks account for the differences between these figures and those shown in Table 1 for imports cleared for home consumption.

COFFEE

The basic information on stocks, imports cleared and exports of coffee covers a variety of coffee products such as raw beans, processed whole or ground pure coffee, instant coffee, etc. For the purpose of obtaining apparent consumption of coffee, these commodities have been converted to the processed whole or ground pure coffee equivalent, and it is on this basis that details are shown in Table 3 and the third part of Table 4.

**TABLE 3. - SUPPLIES AND UTILISATION OF COFFEE (a) : AUSTRALIA**

Particulars	1963-64	1964-65	1965-66	1966-67	1967-68(b)
Net change in stocks (c) '000 lb	(+) 2,706	(+) 1,019	(-) 640	(-) 602	(-) 1,755
Imports cleared for home consumption " "	27,820	28,566	25,951	31,214	30,354
<u>Total supplies</u> " "	25,114	27,547	26,591	31,816	32,109
Exports " "	876	511	1,200	2,052	926
Apparent consumption -					
Total " "	24,238	27,036	25,391	29,764	31,183
Per head lb	2.2	2.4	2.2	2.5	2.6

(a) In terms of processed whole or ground pure coffee. (b) Subject to revision.  
(c) As reported by principal importers : no account has been taken of changes in stocks held by retailers and other distributing agencies.

TABLE 4. - IMPORTS OF COFFEE AND COFFEE PRODUCTS : AUSTRALIA

('000 lb)

Country of origin	1963-64	1964-65	1965-66	1966-67	1967-68(a)
RAW AND KILN DRIED COFFEE					
Papua - New Guinea	7,838	11,448	10,444	12,876	12,265
Uganda	8,353	11,233	9,555	13,766	10,556
Brazil	9,351	6,530	7,526	6,824	8,927
Indonesia	1,337	566	1,281	602	1,219
India	37	269	20	28	935
Kenya	318	781	194	571	739
Other	3,014	1,316	1,721	2,905	1,905
<u>Total</u>	30,249	32,143	30,740	37,572	36,546
POWDERED COFFEE EXTRACTS (INSTANT COFFEE)					
United States of America	722	457	208	302	181
Netherlands	34	24	31	29	53
Other	408	338	68	62	13
<u>Total</u>	1,164	819	307	393	248
TOTAL COFFEE AND COFFEE PRODUCTS (b) (In terms of processed whole or ground pure coffee)					
Papua - New Guinea	6,271	9,158	8,355	10,300	9,812
Uganda	6,683	8,987	7,644	11,013	8,445
Brazil	7,481	5,224	6,021	5,459	7,142
Indonesia	1,069	453	1,025	481	976
India	30	215	16	22	748
United States of America	2,268	1,437	710	1,013	665
Kenya	254	625	155	457	591
Other	3,926	2,154	1,693	2,613	1,738
<u>Total (c)</u>	27,982	28,253	25,618	31,359	30,117

(a) Subject to revision. (b) Includes roasted coffee in addition to raw and kiln dried coffee and powdered coffee extracts. (c) Changes in the level of bonded stocks account for the differences between these figures and those shown in Table 3 for imports cleared for home consumption.

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