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AgStats , AUSTRALIA, 1992-93

EXPLANATORY NOTES

Introduction

AgStats presents in electronic format the data obtained from the Agricultural Census conducted at 31 March each year. Over 1,300 Statistical Local Areas, covering all of Australia, can be cross referenced with any or all of over 800 commodity data items. The information includes details of area and production of crops; numbers of fruit trees; some varietal information; livestock numbers; other information about livestock, including shearing and wool production; artificial fertiliser usage; and number of establishments reporting each item.

Scope

From 1991-92 the scope of the Agricultural Census is establishments undertaking agricultural activity having an Estimated Value of Agricultural Operations (EVAO) of \$22,500 or more per annum. The scope of the Agricultural Census from 1986-87 to 1990-91 was establishments undertaking agricultural activity having EVAO of \$20,000 or more per annum. The scope of the Censuses prior to 1986-87 was establishments undertaking agricultural activity having an EVAO of \$2,500 or more.

Output formats

AgStats is available on floppy disk and microfiche.

Floppy disk - a personal computer package for IBM compatible PC's with a simple to use retrieval program. Data is available on an individual year basis from 1982-83 to 1992-93.

Microfiche - data on microfiche is available on an individual year basis from 1976-77 to 1992-93, in either commodity by area or area by commodity format.

Geographical areas covered by Agstats

AgStats provides data at the Statistical Local Area, with aggregation to Statistical Subdivisions, Statistical Division and State totals.

Users Manual

Users of the service require a manual which includes an index to all data items contained on AgStats and the areas throughout Australia for which data are available.

How to obtain your AgStats package

An order form and conditions of sale for the purchase of AgStats are attached. Please indicate your requirements and mail the form and your cheque, money order or credit card authority for the amount indicated for the package you require.

Inquiries should be directed to Henry Stefanik on 008-801520.

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		Commodity x Area	Area x Commodity
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The floppy disk package is available on different size disks. Please tick appropriate box(es).

3 1/2 in 5 1/4 in 360Kb 720Kb 1.22Mb 2.44Mb

Requirements for use of AgStats are:

on floppy disk

- an IBM compatible PC with a hard disk capacity of 20Mb
- 640 K of RAM

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