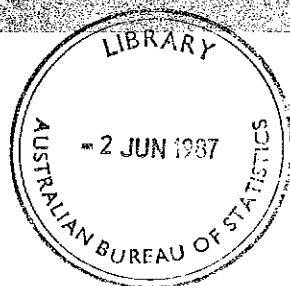


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EXPLANATORY NOTES

Introduction

The statistics contained in this publication are compiled annually for all States and Australia. They include gross and local values of production for all agricultural commodities; unit gross values of selected commodities; gross value of production of selected commodities classified by industry of the producing establishment; and quantum indexes of agricultural commodities. (For further information on the industry dissection of the gross value of production of selected commodities see Explanatory notes, page 21 and on quantum indexes see Explanatory notes, page 24).

Scope and coverage

2. The statistics are, in general, derived from the annual Agricultural Census conducted throughout Australia at 31 March, which collects data from establishments with agricultural activity.

3. The ABS excludes from the Census those establishments which make only a small contribution to overall agricultural production. Thus, establishments with agricultural activity have been included in the 1985-86 Census if they had, or were expected to have, an estimated value of agricultural operations of \$2,500 or more.

4. While these changes have resulted in some changes in the counts of numbers of establishments appearing in publications the effect on the statistics of production of major commodities is small. Statistics of minor commodities normally associated with small scale operations may be affected to a greater extent.

Information sources

5. *Quantity data.* Production of crops relates, in the main, to crops sown during the year ended 31 March. Statistics of perennial crops relate to the position as at 31 March and production during the year ended on that date. For example, particulars of production of wheat in Australia refer to wheat sown during the period from April to September and harvested between October and the following February, i.e. the 1985-86 season relates to the harvesting period October 1985 to February 1986. Statistics of other crops which in some States are harvested after 31 March 1986 (e.g. maize and potatoes) are collected by supplementary census returns. Information covering such commodities as livestock slaughterings, dairy produce and beekeeping is obtained from separate collections and from organisations such as the Department of Primary Industry, Australian Dairy Corporation, etc.

6. *Price data.* The method of collection of relevant prices for, and the costs of marketing of, agricultural commodities varies considerably between States and between commodities. Where a statutory authority handles marketing of the whole or portion of a product (e.g. Australian Wheat Board) data are usually obtained from this source. Information is also obtained from marketing reports, wholesalers, brokers and auctioneers. For all

commodities, values are in respect of production during the year (or season) irrespective of whether or when payments are made. For that portion of production not marketed (e.g. hay grown on farm for own use, milk used in farm household, etc.) estimates are made from the best available information and, in general, are valued on a local value basis.

Definitions of terms used

7. The following are brief definitions of the terms used.

- (a) *Gross value of commodities produced* is the value placed on recorded production at the wholesale prices realised in the market place.
- (b) *Market place* in general is the metropolitan market in each State. In cases where commodities are consumed locally, or where they become raw material for a secondary industry, these points are presumed to be the market places.
- (c) *Marketing costs* include freight, cost of containers, commission and other charges incurred in marketing. Marketing costs are not on a completely comparable basis between States and, in addition, accurate information is difficult to obtain for many items. In consequence, differences between States in the relationship of local to gross value should be treated with some reserve.
- (d) *Local value of commodities produced* is the value placed on commodities at the place of production and is ascertained by deducting marketing costs from the gross value of commodities produced.

Gross and local values of agricultural commodities produced involve some duplication, as they include certain agricultural commodities which are consumed as raw materials to produce other agricultural commodities (e.g. hay consumed by livestock).

- (e) *Average unit gross values* are calculated by dividing the gross value of each commodity produced by the total production of each corresponding commodity.
- (f) *Values* include any relevant subsidy and bounty payments if based on production.
- (g) *Livestock slaughterings and other disposals.* Values for 'Livestock slaughterings and other disposals' are published as one figure but include two distinct components:
 - (i) Value of livestock slaughtered
 - (ii) Value of net exports, i.e. the total value of livestock intended for slaughter in adjacent State(s) and livestock exported overseas whether for slaughter or breeding minus the value of imports of livestock.

Data on value of livestock slaughterings by State of slaughter are available on request.

Related publications

8. Users may also wish to refer to the following major publications which are available on request:

Agricultural Industries, Financial Statistics, Australia, 1980-81 (7507.0)

Agricultural Industries, Structure of Operating Units, Australia, 1984-85 (7102.0) (\$1.10, \$1.90 incl. postage)

Fruit, Australia, 1985-86 (7322.0)

Crops and Pastures, Australia, 1985-86 (7321.0)

Livestock and Livestock Products, Australia, 1985-86 (7221.0) (\$1.10, \$1.90 incl. postage)

Value of Principal Agricultural Commodities Produced, Australia, 1985-86, Preliminary (7501.0)

Value of Selected Agricultural Commodities Produced, Australia, 1985-86, Preliminary (7502.0)

9. In addition to the information contained in these publications, agricultural statistics for small areas and for previous years are available on request. Small area statistics are also available on magnetic tape and microfiche. In certain cases these additional services are subject to a charge.

10. Current publications produced by the ABS are listed in the *Catalogue of Publications, Australia* (1101.0).

The ABS also issues, on Tuesdays and Fridays, a *Publications Advice* (1105.0) which lists publications to be released in the next few days. The Catalogue and Publications Advice are available from any ABS office.

Symbols and other usages

- nil or rounded to zero
- n.e.i. not elsewhere included
- n.a. not available
- n.p. not available for publication but included in totals where applicable, unless otherwise indicated.
- p preliminary — figure or series subject to revision

11. Where figures have been rounded, discrepancies may occur between sums of the component items and totals.

12. The figures shown in this publication have been revised where necessary and as a consequence may not agree with similar data shown in previous publications.

13. Where figures for individual States or Territories have been suppressed for reasons of non-availability or confidentiality, the resultant totals have been appropriately footnoted in tables displaying State details. Where only Australian totals are published, as is the case with tables containing inter-year comparisons, only significant breaks in the series at the national level have been footnoted.

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A. VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL COMMODITIES PRODUCED

I. SUMMARY

1. SUMMARY OF FINDINGS

Final estimates of the value of agricultural commodities produced for 1985-86 indicate that the total value of agricultural production declined by \$38.1 m (or 0.2%) from the record production of 1984-85 to \$15,398.0m. In more detailed terms:

- (a) The value of crops produced in 1985-86 continued to decline, by \$489.7m (or 6.2%) from the revised estimate for 1984-85. The 1985-86 value of crops of \$7,377.7m reflected the falling demand and prices for wheat, most other cereals and oilseeds, which were not offset by the increased value of legumes and vegetables.
- (b) The value of poultry slaughterings, \$559.1m, represented a \$46.5m (or 9.1%) increase on the previous all time high of \$512.6m recorded in 1984-85, for the first time overtaking the value of sheep and lamb slaughterings which declined by 10.1% to \$518m. A 5.1% increase in the value of cattle slaughterings (\$2,367.3m) produced the small increase of 2.6% in the overall value of livestock slaughterings.
- (c) The record value of wool production (\$2,707m, an increase of 11.2%) marks an increase in the importance of wool relative to overall agricultural production, its contribution to the whole in 1985-86 being 17.6%, compared with 13.1% in 1983-84 and 15.8% in 1984-85.

All livestock products increased in value, resulting in an overall increase of 9.1%.

TABLE 1. GROSS AND LOCAL VALUES OF AGRICULTURAL COMMODITIES, 1985-86
(\$m)

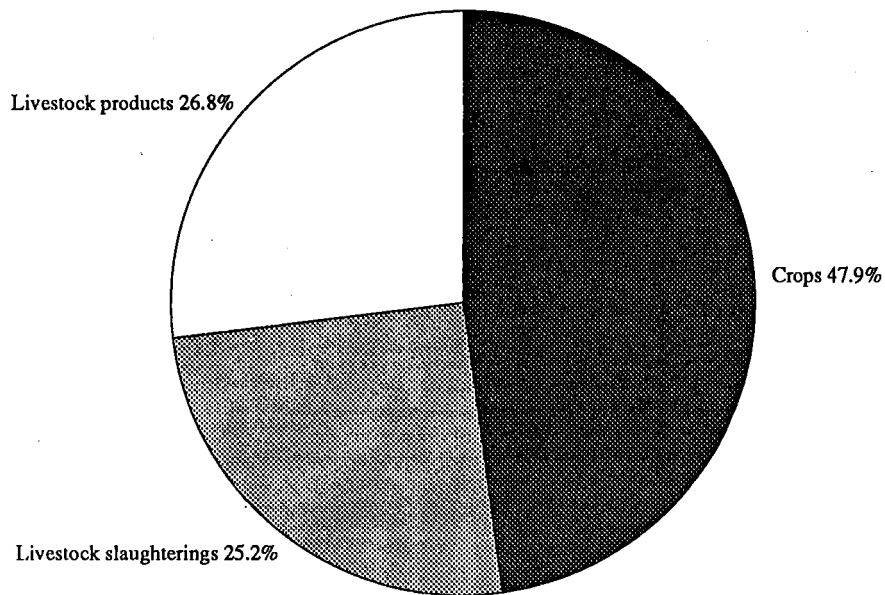
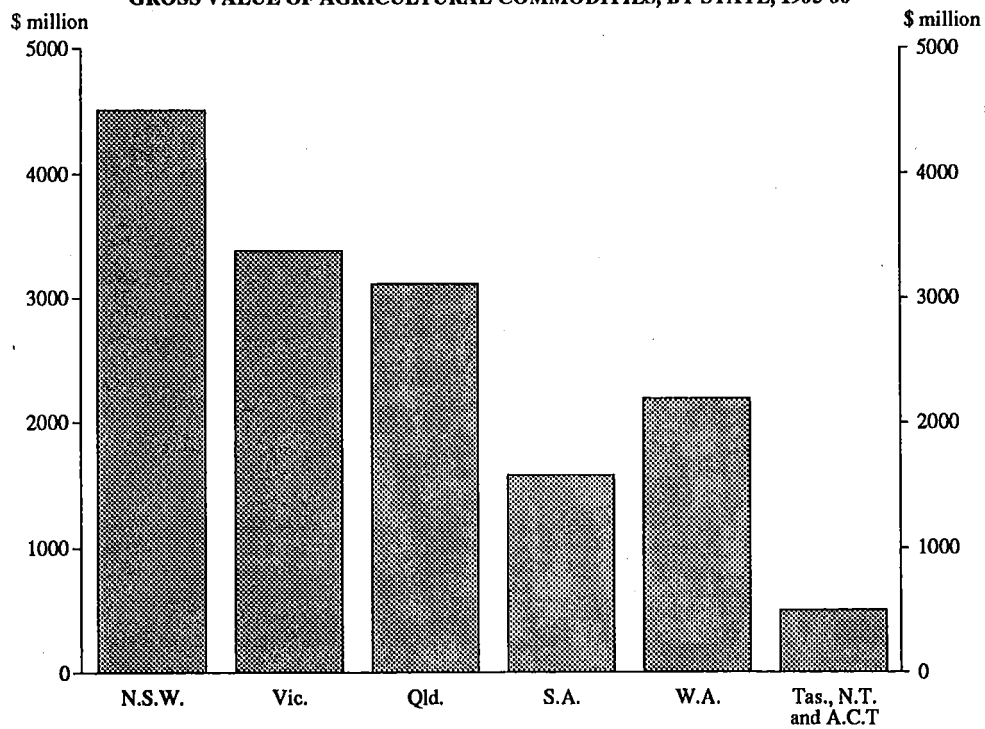
	N.S.W.	Vic.	Qld	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	N.T.	A.C.T.	Aust.
CROPS									
Gross value of production	2,165.8	1,281.0	1,671.0	916.5	1,185.6	147.8	7.4	2.2	7,377.7
Marketing costs	379.8	210.0	227.6	127.2	175.9	18.2	1.4	0.3	1,140.4
Local value of production	1,786.0	1,071.0	1,443.4	789.3	1,009.7	129.6	6.0	1.9	6,237.3
LIVESTOCK SLAUGHTERINGS AND OTHER DISPOSALS									
Gross value of production	1,071.6	927.9	1,056.7	251.6	367.3	95.1	(a)111.1	1.5	(b)3,882.8
Marketing costs	84.9	74.8	84.4	16.9	20.9	6.5	(a)11.1	0.1	(b)299.6
Local value of production	986.7	853.1	972.3	234.7	346.4	88.6	(a)100.0	1.4	(b)3,583.2
LIVESTOCK PRODUCTS									
Gross value of production	1,289.2	1,198.3	407.7	429.9	656.6	147.3	n.p.	(c)1.9	(b)4,130.9
Marketing costs	70.3	55.1	16.9	26.8	30.2	6.8	n.p.	(c)0.1	(b)206.3
Local value of production	1,218.9	1,143.2	390.8	403.1	626.4	140.5	n.p.	(c)1.8	(b)3,924.6
TOTAL AGRICULTURE									
Gross value of production	4,526.5	3,407.2	3,135.4	1,598.0	2,209.4	390.2	(d)125.2	(c)5.6	(c)15,398.0
Marketing costs	534.9	339.9	328.8	171.0	226.9	31.5	(d)12.5	(c)0.5	(c)1,646.6
Local value of production	3,991.6	3,067.3	2,806.6	1,427.0	1,982.5	358.7	(d)112.7	(c)5.1	(c)13,751.7

(a) Excludes pigs and poultry in Northern Territory. (b) Incomplete: see individual States. (c) Excludes milk and eggs in Australian Capital Territory. (d) Includes pigs, poultry, milk and eggs in Northern Territory.

TABLE 2. GROSS AND LOCAL VALUES OF AGRICULTURAL COMMODITIES, AUSTRALIA
(\$m)

	1983-84	1984-85	1985-86
GROSS VALUE			
Crops	8,426.5	(a)7,867.4	7,377.7
Livestock slaughterings and other disposals	3,508.6	3,783.3	3,882.8
Livestock products	3,489.8	3,785.3	4,130.9
Total agriculture	15,424.9	(a)15,436.1	15,398.0
LOCAL VALUE			
Crops	7,069.8	(a)6,659.8	6,237.3
Livestock slaughterings and other disposals	3,255.8	3,503.8	3,583.2
Livestock products	3,323.9	3,588.4	3,924.6
Total agriculture	13,649.6	(a)13,752.0	13,751.7

(a) The value of wheat for 1984-85 was revised downwards by 6.3%, resulting in revisions to total crops and total agriculture for 1984-85.

GROSS VALUES OF AGRICULTURAL COMMODITIES, AUSTRALIA, 1985-86**GROSS VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL COMMODITIES, BY STATE, 1985-86**

II. CROPS

TABLE 3. ALL CROPS, GROSS VALUE, 1985-86
(\$m)

	N.S.W.	Vic.	Qld	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	N.T.	A.C.T.	Aust.
Crops (excl. pastures and grasses)—									
Cereals for grain—									
Barley	92.3	63.3	95.4	207.3	124.4	4.0	—	—	586.8
Grain sorghum	33.3	0.5	146.4	—	0.1	—	0.5	—	180.8
Maize	12.2	0.8	26.4	0.1	0.7	—	0.2	—	40.4
Oats	49.1	34.5	3.0	11.6	38.3	1.8	—	—	138.3
Rice	77.5	—	2.9	—	—	—	0.1	—	80.5
Triticale	19.7	2.3	2.2	0.9	2.7	0.4	—	—	28.3
Wheat p	990.8	376.9	286.7	327.9	736.3	0.6	—	0.1	2,719.4
Other	2.1	1.9	9.6	2.5	0.3	—	—	—	16.3
<i>Total cereals for grain p</i>	<i>1,277.1</i>	<i>480.3</i>	<i>572.7</i>	<i>550.3</i>	<i>902.8</i>	<i>6.8</i>	<i>0.8</i>	<i>0.1</i>	<i>3,790.8</i>
Crops for hay—									
Oats	5.6	13.1	1.0	8.0	18.8	0.7	—	—	47.2
Wheat	3.3	1.7	0.3	2.1	5.3	—	—	—	12.7
Other	0.4	0.5	0.6	1.6	1.5	—	—	—	4.6
<i>Total crops for hay</i>	<i>9.2</i>	<i>15.3</i>	<i>2.0</i>	<i>11.7</i>	<i>25.6</i>	<i>0.7</i>	<i>—</i>	<i>—</i>	<i>64.5</i>
Other crops—									
Cotton	268.7	—	56.2	—	—	—	—	—	324.9
Fruit	183.3	154.0	152.7	106.3	45.2	36.0	1.0	0.1	678.6
Grapes	55.8	125.7	4.4	76.8	7.0	0.3	(a)	—	(b)270.0
Hops	—	3.5	—	—	—	5.9	—	—	9.4
Legumes mainly for grain—									
Lupins	8.2	4.9	—	4.5	63.9	0.1	—	—	81.6
Other	5.2	31.3	21.3	22.2	0.5	1.0	0.1	—	81.5
Nursery production	88.6	91.2	44.5	19.9	32.4	9.8	2.0	1.9	290.2
Oilseeds—									
Soybeans	13.5	—	14.2	—	0.1	—	0.2	—	28.0
Sunflower	23.4	4.1	24.8	0.7	0.1	—	—	—	53.1
Other	15.7	9.9	2.3	5.1	0.9	—	—	—	33.9
Peanuts	1.6	—	36.1	—	0.4	—	—	—	38.1
Sugar cane—									
Cut for crushing	23.2	—	471.0	—	—	—	—	—	494.2
Cut for plants	—	—	6.6	—	—	—	—	—	6.6
Tobacco (dried leaf)	2.4	19.1	34.3	—	—	—	—	—	55.8
Vegetables	119.8	185.6	195.6	80.1	72.9	56.9	2.8	(a)	(b)713.6
All other crops	1.7	18.6	4.2	3.6	0.1	5.5	—	—	(c)34.3
<i>Total crops (excl. pastures and grasses) p</i>	<i>2,097.3</i>	<i>1,143.7</i>	<i>1,642.9</i>	<i>881.1</i>	<i>1,151.9</i>	<i>123.1</i>	<i>6.8</i>	<i>2.0</i>	<i>7,049.3</i>
Pastures and grasses—									
Cut for hay—									
Lucerne	38.2	20.6	21.7	9.1	2.0	1.6	0.1	—	93.4
Other	26.0	107.8	3.3	13.9	27.1	22.0	0.3	0.1	200.5
<i>Total cut for hay</i>	<i>64.2</i>	<i>128.4</i>	<i>25.0</i>	<i>23.0</i>	<i>29.1</i>	<i>23.6</i>	<i>0.4</i>	<i>0.1</i>	<i>293.9</i>
Harvested for seed—									
Lucerne	1.0	0.1	—	5.4	0.1	—	—	—	6.5
Clovers	0.9	1.9	—	4.0	2.7	0.2	—	—	9.6
Other	2.5	7.0	3.0	2.9	1.8	1.0	0.2	—	18.3
<i>Total harvested for seed</i>	<i>4.3</i>	<i>8.9</i>	<i>3.0</i>	<i>12.3</i>	<i>4.5</i>	<i>1.2</i>	<i>0.2</i>	<i>—</i>	<i>34.4</i>
<i>Total pastures and grasses</i>	<i>68.5</i>	<i>137.3</i>	<i>28.1</i>	<i>35.4</i>	<i>33.7</i>	<i>24.7</i>	<i>0.6</i>	<i>0.1</i>	<i>328.3</i>
Total crops p	2,165.8	1,281.0	1,671.0	916.5	1,185.6	147.8	7.4	2.2	7,377.7

(a) Not available for publication; included in "All other crops, Australia". (b) Incomplete; see individual States. (c) Includes N.T. "Grapes" and A.C.T. "Vegetables".

TABLE 4. ALL CROPS, GROSS VALUE, AUSTRALIA
(\$m)

	1983-84	1984-85	1985-86
Crops (excl. pastures and grasses)—			
Cereals for grain—			
Barley	732.6	759.3	586.8
Grain sorghum	246.3	196.9	180.8
Maize	35.6	46.1	40.4
Oats	203.8	129.6	138.3
Rice	88.9	123.1	80.5
Triticale	21.4	23.9	28.3
Wheat	3,605.6	(a)3,202.9	2,719.4
Other	16.5	10.9	16.3
<i>Total cereals for grain</i>	<i>4,950.6</i>	<i>(a)4,492.6</i>	<i>3,790.8</i>
Crops for hay—			
Oats	79.8	44.9	47.2
Wheat	15.3	11.8	12.7
Other	4.4	3.6	4.6
<i>Total crops for hay</i>	<i>99.5</i>	<i>60.3</i>	<i>64.5</i>
Other crops—			
Cotton	268.7	330.2	324.9
Fruit	552.5	670.9	678.6
Grapes	217.0	259.4	270.0
Hops	13.5	10.1	9.4
Legumes mainly for grain—			
Lupins	64.1	74.0	81.6
Other	32.2	39.5	81.5
Nursery production	183.9	247.0	290.2
Oilseeds—			
Soybeans	28.2	35.8	28.0
Sunflower	58.9	88.3	53.1
Other	14.1	20.0	33.9
Peanuts	40.2	36.6	38.1
Sugar cane—			
Cut for crushing	516.6	512.2	494.2
Cut for plants	7.7	7.3	6.6
Tobacco (dried leaf)	70.9	64.5	55.8
Vegetables	738.6	628.8	713.6
All other crops	35.1	48.5	34.3
<i>Total crops (excl. pastures and grasses)</i>	<i>7,892.5</i>	<i>(a)7,625.9</i>	<i>7,049.3</i>
Pastures and grasses—			
Cut for hay—			
Lucerne	93.6	73.2	93.4
Other	406.1	137.2	200.5
<i>Total cut for hay</i>	<i>499.8</i>	<i>210.4</i>	<i>293.9</i>
Harvested for seed—			
Lucerne	3.8	6.2	6.5
Clovers	12.9	10.1	9.6
Other	17.6	14.8	18.3
<i>Total harvested for seed</i>	<i>34.3</i>	<i>31.1</i>	<i>34.4</i>
<i>Total pastures and grasses</i>	<i>534.1</i>	<i>241.5</i>	<i>328.3</i>
Total crops	8,426.5	(a)7,867.4	7,377.7

(a) Revised value for 1984-85 wheat.

TABLE 5. ALL CROPS, LOCAL VALUE, 1985-86
(\$m)

	<i>N.S.W.</i>	<i>Vic.</i>	<i>Qld</i>	<i>S.A.</i>	<i>W.A.</i>	<i>Tas.</i>	<i>N.T.</i>	<i>A.C.T.</i>	<i>Aust.</i>
Crops (excl. pastures and grasses)—									
Cereals for grain—									
Barley	64.6	44.8	69.5	166.5	100.8	3.4	—	—	449.8
Grain sorghum	27.5	0.4	120.4	—	0.1	—	0.4	—	148.8
Maize	9.4	0.6	22.1	0.1	0.6	—	0.2	—	32.9
Oats	42.2	32.7	2.7	9.9	34.8	1.5	—	—	123.9
Rice	77.5	—	2.7	—	—	—	0.1	—	80.4
Triticale	16.2	1.8	1.9	0.8	2.5	0.3	—	—	23.6
Wheat p	750.2	299.8	224.8	289.2	615.8	0.6	—	—	2,180.5
Other	1.5	1.5	9.2	2.2	0.2	—	—	—	14.7
<i>Total cereals for grain p</i>	<i>989.3</i>	<i>381.7</i>	<i>453.4</i>	<i>468.7</i>	<i>754.9</i>	<i>5.9</i>	<i>0.7</i>	<i>0.1</i>	<i>3,054.7</i>
Crops for hay—									
Oats	5.6	13.1	1.0	8.0	18.8	0.6	—	—	47.1
Wheat	3.3	1.7	0.3	2.1	5.3	—	—	—	12.7
Other	0.4	0.6	0.6	1.6	1.5	—	—	—	4.6
<i>Total crops for hay</i>	<i>9.2</i>	<i>15.3</i>	<i>2.0</i>	<i>11.7</i>	<i>25.6</i>	<i>0.7</i>	—	—	<i>64.5</i>
Other crops—									
Cotton	265.6	—	55.1	—	—	—	—	—	320.7
Fruit	144.6	124.5	120.3	78.1	38.7	23.5	0.7	0.1	530.6
Grapes	51.6	106.5	3.3	74.2	6.1	0.3	(a)	—	(b)241.9
Hops	—	3.3	—	—	—	5.5	—	—	8.8
Legumes mainly for grain—									
Lupins	7.4	4.0	—	4.0	54.2	0.1	—	—	69.7
Other	3.8	26.9	19.4	20.4	0.5	1.0	—	—	72.0
Nursery production	77.9	70.7	39.7	17.9	32.4	8.9	1.8	1.7	251.0
Oilseeds—									
Soybeans	12.6	—	14.0	—	0.1	—	0.2	—	26.9
Sunflower	21.3	3.7	23.2	0.6	0.1	—	—	—	49.0
Other	14.2	9.0	2.2	4.7	0.8	—	—	—	30.9
Peanuts	1.5	—	24.6	—	0.4	—	—	—	26.6
Sugar cane—									
Cut for crushing	23.2	—	467.2	—	—	—	—	—	490.4
Cut for plants	—	—	6.6	—	—	—	—	—	6.6
Tobacco (dried leaf)	2.3	18.3	32.9	—	—	—	—	—	53.5
Vegetables	91.6	156.6	147.6	70.7	62.8	54.2	1.9	(a)	(b)585.4
All other crops	1.4	15.9	4.1	3.4	—	5.5	—	—	(c)30.6
<i>Total crops (excl. pastures and grasses) p</i>	<i>1,717.6</i>	<i>936.5</i>	<i>1,415.5</i>	<i>754.4</i>	<i>976.6</i>	<i>105.5</i>	<i>5.4</i>	<i>1.8</i>	<i>5,913.7</i>
Pastures and grasses—									
Cut for hay—									
Lucerne	38.2	20.6	21.6	9.1	2.0	1.5	0.1	—	93.2
Other	26.0	107.8	3.3	13.9	27.1	21.5	0.3	0.1	200.0
<i>Total cut for hay</i>	<i>64.2</i>	<i>128.4</i>	<i>24.9</i>	<i>23.0</i>	<i>29.1</i>	<i>23.0</i>	<i>0.4</i>	<i>0.1</i>	<i>293.2</i>
Harvested for seed—									
Lucerne	0.9	0.1	—	5.2	0.1	—	—	—	6.3
Clovers	0.9	1.5	—	3.9	2.2	—	—	—	8.6
Other	2.3	4.6	3.0	2.8	1.6	0.9	0.2	—	15.6
<i>Total harvested for seed</i>	<i>4.1</i>	<i>6.2</i>	<i>3.0</i>	<i>11.9</i>	<i>3.9</i>	<i>1.1</i>	<i>0.2</i>	—	<i>30.5</i>
<i>Total pastures and grasses</i>	<i>68.3</i>	<i>134.6</i>	<i>27.9</i>	<i>34.9</i>	<i>33.1</i>	<i>24.1</i>	<i>0.6</i>	<i>0.1</i>	<i>323.7</i>
Total crops p	1,786.0	1,071.0	1,443.4	789.3	1,009.7	129.6	6.0	1.9	6,237.3

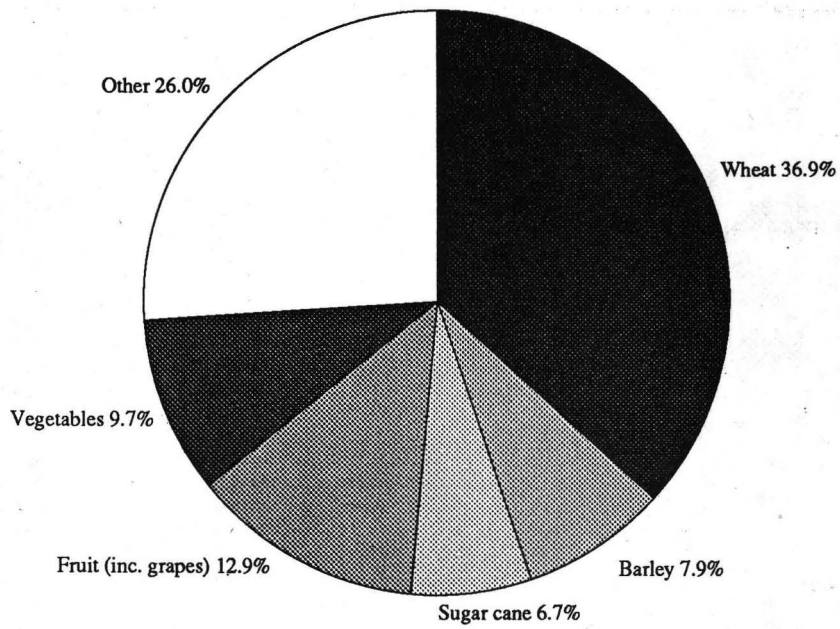
(a) Not available for publication; included in "all other crops — Australia". (b) Incomplete; see individual States. (c) Includes N.T. "Grapes" and A.C.T. "Vegetables".

TABLE 6. ALL CROPS, LOCAL VALUE, AUSTRALIA
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	1983-84	1984-85	1985-86
Crops (excl. pastures and grasses)—			
Cereals for grain—			
Barley	588.5	574.5	449.8
Grain sorghum	203.7	168.5	148.8
Maize	30.4	38.2	32.9
Oats	175.7	116.5	123.9
Rice	80.1	117.9	80.4
Triticale	20.5	20.1	23.6
Wheat	2,910.0	(a)2,607.1	2,180.5
Other	14.6	9.9	14.7
<i>Total cereals for grain</i>	<i>4,023.5</i>	<i>(a)3,652.8</i>	<i>3,054.7</i>
Crops for hay—			
Oats	70.7	44.9	47.1
Wheat	14.6	11.8	12.7
Other	4.1	3.6	4.6
<i>Total crops for hay</i>	<i>89.4</i>	<i>60.2</i>	<i>64.5</i>
Other crops—			
Cotton	266.1	326.4	320.7
Fruit	428.1	531.8	530.6
Grapes	191.8	237.3	241.9
Hops	12.6	9.4	8.8
Legumes mainly for grain—			
Lupins	57.5	63.1	69.7
Other	27.7	34.7	72.0
Nursery production	159.1	214.0	251.0
Oilseeds—			
Soybeans	26.2	34.0	26.9
Sunflower	54.5	82.1	49.0
Other	12.4	18.4	30.9
Peanuts	29.4	25.3	26.6
Sugar cane—			
Cut for crushing	513.2	508.0	490.4
Cut for plants	7.7	7.3	6.6
Tobacco (dried leaf)	67.5	62.0	53.5
Vegetables	622.7	512.1	585.4
All other crops	31.6	43.5	30.6
<i>Total crops (excl. pastures and grasses)</i>	<i>6,621.0</i>	<i>(a)6,422.4</i>	<i>5,913.7</i>
Pastures and grasses—			
Cut for hay—			
Lucerne	89.7	73.1	93.2
Other	328.6	137.0	200.0
<i>Total cut for hay</i>	<i>418.3</i>	<i>210.1</i>	<i>293.2</i>
Harvested for seed—			
Lucerne	3.6	6.0	6.3
Clovers	12.2	9.0	8.6
Other	14.7	12.3	15.6
<i>Total harvested for seed</i>	<i>30.5</i>	<i>27.3</i>	<i>30.5</i>
<i>Total pastures and grasses</i>	<i>448.8</i>	<i>237.3</i>	<i>323.7</i>
Total crops	7,069.8	(a)6,659.8	6,237.3

(a) Revised value for 1984-85 wheat.

GROSS VALUE OF CROPS PRODUCED, AUSTRALIA, 1985-86



GROSS VALUE OF CROPS PRODUCED, BY STATE, 1985-86

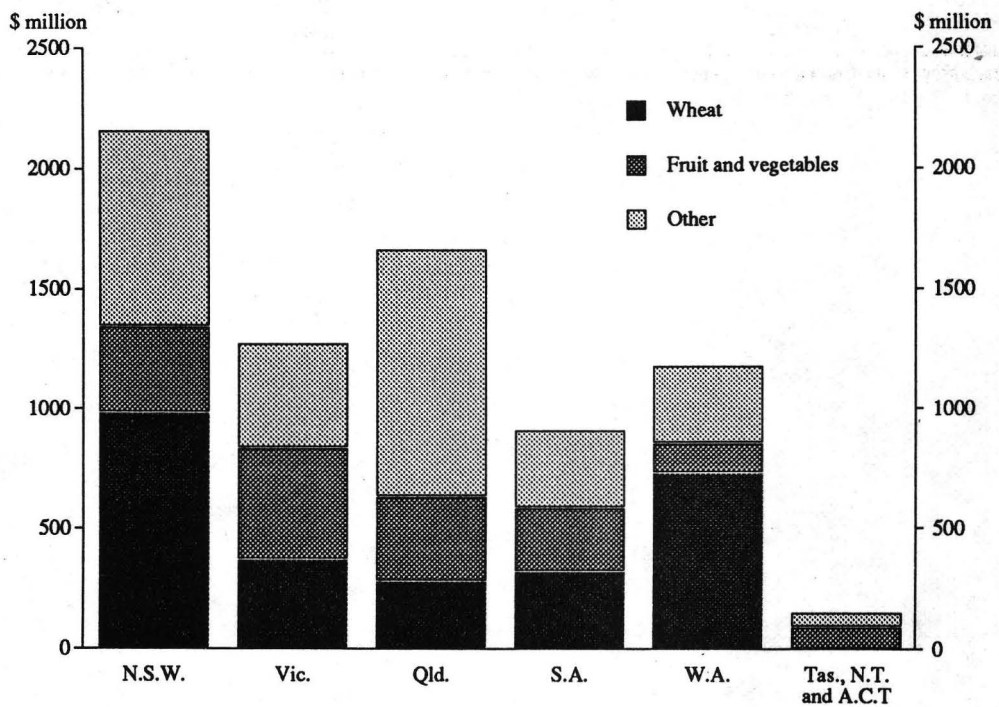


TABLE 7. AVERAGE UNIT GROSS VALUE OF PRINCIPAL CROPS(a), AUSTRALIA
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		1983-84	1984-85	1985-86
Cereals for grain—				
Barley	tonne	149.84	136.71	120.62
Grain sorghum	"	130.83	143.82	127.68
Maize	"	150.14	158.13	145.43
Oats	"	88.76	94.76	102.38
Rice	"	140.63	142.15	112.50
Triticale	"	113.75	125.26	127.34
Wheat	"	163.77	171.59	168.20
Crops for hay (excl. pastures and grasses)	"	78.19	71.08	68.24
Cotton	kg	0.67	0.49	0.55
Fruit—				
Apples	tonne	502.22	506.49	476.06
Apricots	"	744.98	806.13	827.38
Bananas	"	594.77	643.44	756.63
Cherries	"	2,516.01	2,832.72	2,405.85
Lemons and limes	"	265.63	224.83	265.31
Oranges	"	268.81	296.50	267.03
Peaches	"	526.01	474.01	476.68
Pears	"	376.12	366.39	445.38
Pineapples	"	227.79	268.95	247.51
Plums and prunes	"	877.56	961.72	1,081.76
Strawberries	"	3,103.59	3,237.23	3,468.13
Grapes—				
Dried vine fruit (dried weight)	"	988.49	1,221.00	1,435.28
Table	"	782.04	961.53	987.66
Wine	"	232.26	238.80	218.98
Hops	kg	5.20	5.34	5.17
Lupins	tonne	169.36	127.37	155.68
Oilseeds—				
Soybeans	"	318.65	325.58	266.09
Sunflower	"	345.81	301.54	247.02
Peanuts	"	851.23	864.04	875.94
Sugar cane cut for crushing	"	21.35	20.13	20.25
Tobacco (dried leaf)	kg	4.91	5.17	5.22
Vegetables—				
Beans, french and runner	tonne	473.28	575.49	461.62
Cabbages and brussels sprouts	"	205.12	158.61	293.54
Carrots	"	341.52	251.26	301.38
Cauliflower	"	327.29	268.33	313.22
Lettuce	"	449.91	442.60	472.56
Mushrooms	"	2,663.28	2,951.79	3,365.27
Onions, white and brown	"	445.48	307.81	265.90
Potatoes	"	284.02	163.78	213.27
Tomatoes	"	392.99	393.45	411.25

(a) Obtained, for each product, by dividing the total gross value of commodities by the total quantity produced. Includes subsidy and bounty payments if based on production.

TABLE 8. FRUIT, GROSS VALUE, SEASON 1985-86
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	<i>N.S.W.</i>	<i>Vic.</i>	<i>Qld</i>	<i>S.A.</i>	<i>W.A.</i>	<i>Tas.</i>	<i>Aust.(a)</i>
Orchard fruit (incl. nuts)—							
Citrus—							
Oranges	58.9	17.4	9.5	44.9	1.8	—	132.5
Lemons and limes	3.5	3.1	2.3	2.7	0.7	—	12.3
Mandarins	2.0	2.3	17.6	2.1	0.7	—	24.7
Other	4.1	2.1	0.8	1.8	0.2	—	9.1
<i>Total citrus</i>	<i>68.5</i>	<i>25.0</i>	<i>30.1</i>	<i>51.5</i>	<i>3.5</i>	<i>—</i>	<i>178.6</i>
Pome—							
Apples	21.6	39.6	10.7	15.5	17.6	34.0	139.0
Pears	2.5	51.2	1.3	4.5	3.5	0.7	63.7
Stone—							
Apricots	1.4	4.5	0.5	17.4	0.5	0.2	24.5
Cherries	5.0	2.6	(b)	1.7	0.1	0.1	(c)9.5
Nectarines	3.0	1.8	1.3	0.7	0.8	—	7.7
Peaches	9.0	12.8	1.8	4.0	1.5	—	29.3
Plums and prunes	13.9	2.2	2.1	1.5	3.8	—	23.5
Other orchard, n.e.i.—							
Avocados	4.4	0.3	7.0	0.2	0.1	—	11.9
Mangoes	—	—	5.2	—	0.1	—	5.6
Other	0.6	0.6	1.3	0.6	0.1	—	3.1
Nuts—							
Almonds	—	5.2	—	5.9	—	—	11.1
Macadamia	2.6	—	3.3	—	—	—	5.9
Other	3.2	0.5	0.4	0.1	0.1	—	4.3
<i>Total orchard fruit (incl. nuts)</i>	<i>135.7</i>	<i>146.3</i>	<i>65.1</i>	<i>103.6</i>	<i>31.6</i>	<i>35.0</i>	<i>517.8</i>
Berry and small fruit—							
Strawberries	1.1	4.9	4.6	2.5	2.4	0.2	15.8
Other	0.3	2.3	0.1	0.1	—	0.8	3.6
<i>Total berry and small fruit</i>	<i>1.4</i>	<i>7.3</i>	<i>4.7</i>	<i>2.6</i>	<i>2.4</i>	<i>1.0</i>	<i>19.4</i>
Other fruit—							
Bananas	44.5	—	45.6	—	11.1	—	101.7
Pineapples	—	—	32.5	—	—	—	32.6
Other	1.7	0.4	4.7	0.1	0.2	—	7.1
<i>Total other fruit</i>	<i>46.2</i>	<i>0.4</i>	<i>82.8</i>	<i>0.1</i>	<i>11.2</i>	<i>—</i>	<i>141.4</i>
<i>Total fruit (excl. grapes)</i>	<i>183.3</i>	<i>154.0</i>	<i>152.7</i>	<i>106.3</i>	<i>45.2</i>	<i>36.0</i>	<i>678.6</i>
Grapes—							
Fresh—							
Table	8.2	19.0	4.3	2.9	3.0	—	37.4
Wine	31.2	14.6	0.1	62.6	2.8	0.3	111.6
Dried—							
Currants	0.6	5.4	—	2.8	1.2	—	10.0
Raisins and lexias	1.2	6.7	—	1.1	—	—	9.1
Sultanas	14.6	80.1	—	7.4	—	—	102.0
<i>Total grapes</i>	<i>55.8</i>	<i>125.7</i>	<i>4.4</i>	<i>76.8</i>	<i>7.0</i>	<i>0.3</i>	<i>270.0</i>
Total fruit	239.1	279.7	157.1	183.1	52.2	36.3	948.6

(a) Includes the Northern Territory and the Australian Capital Territory. (b) Not available for publication; included in "Other orchard, n.e.i.—Other". (c) Incomplete; see individual States.

TABLE 9. FRUIT, GROSS VALUE, AUSTRALIA
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	1983-84	1984-85	1985-86
Orchard fruit (incl. nuts)—			
Citrus—			
Oranges	105.3	131.9	132.5
Lemons and limes	8.4	10.5	12.3
Mandarins	16.7	21.1	24.7
Other	7.5	8.3	9.1
<i>Total citrus</i>	<i>137.9</i>	<i>171.9</i>	<i>178.6</i>
Pome—			
Apples	134.1	178.3	139.0
Pears	45.9	50.7	63.7
Stone—			
Apricots	17.6	19.7	24.5
Cherries	8.7	10.8	9.5
Nectarines	5.5	5.8	7.7
Peaches	25.4	28.3	29.3
Plums and prunes	17.5	19.8	23.5
Other orchard, n.e.i.—			
Avocadoes	9.8	10.9	11.9
Mangoes	3.2	3.9	5.6
Other	2.4	3.3	3.1
Nuts—			
Almonds	4.9	6.8	11.1
Macadamia	2.5	4.3	5.9
Other	2.4	7.5	4.3
<i>Total orchard fruit (incl. nuts)</i>	<i>417.8</i>	<i>522.1</i>	<i>517.8</i>
Berry and small fruit—			
Strawberries	12.1	13.3	15.8
Other	2.3	3.1	3.6
<i>Total berry and small fruit</i>	<i>14.3</i>	<i>16.5</i>	<i>19.4</i>
Other fruit—			
Bananas	86.8	93.2	101.7
Pineapples	26.2	33.5	32.6
Other	7.3	5.6	7.1
<i>Total other fruit</i>	<i>120.3</i>	<i>132.2</i>	<i>141.4</i>
<i>Total fruit (excl. grapes)</i>	<i>552.5</i>	<i>670.9</i>	<i>678.6</i>
Grapes—			
Fresh—			
Table	20.1	32.5	37.4
Wine	115.0	133.5	111.6
Dried—			
Currants	6.6	7.7	10.0
Raisins and lexias	1.7	3.7	9.1
Sultanas	73.7	82.0	102.0
<i>Total grapes</i>	<i>217.0</i>	<i>259.4</i>	<i>270.0</i>
Total fruit	769.5	930.2	948.6

TABLE 10. FRUIT, LOCAL VALUE, SEASON 1985-86
(**\$m**)

	<i>N.S.W.</i>	<i>Vic.</i>	<i>Qld</i>	<i>S.A.</i>	<i>W.A.</i>	<i>Tas.</i>	<i>Aust.(a)</i>
Orchard fruit (incl. nuts)—							
Citrus—							
Oranges	43.2	12.7	6.9	25.4	1.5	—	89.8
Lemons and limes	2.9	2.4	1.8	1.3	0.7	—	9.0
Mandarins	1.4	2.1	13.4	1.1	0.6	—	18.4
Other	2.7	1.5	0.6	1.0	0.2	—	6.0
<i>Total citrus</i>	<i>50.1</i>	<i>18.7</i>	<i>22.6</i>	<i>28.9</i>	<i>2.9</i>		<i>123.2</i>
Pome—							
Apples	17.0	32.4	7.8	14.2	15.5	21.7	108.7
Pears	2.0	40.5	0.9	3.8	3.2	0.5	50.9
Stone—							
Apricots	1.3	4.0	0.4	15.3	0.4	0.2	21.5
Cherries	4.4	2.5	(b)	1.6	0.1	0.1	(c)8.6
Nectarines	2.5	1.6	1.1	0.6	0.6	—	6.4
Peaches	7.8	9.9	1.4	3.7	1.2	—	24.1
Plums and prunes	8.5	2.0	1.7	1.0	3.5	—	16.7
Other orchard, n.e.i.—							
Avocados	3.3	0.3	5.5	0.1	0.1	—	9.4
Mangoes	—	—	3.9	—	0.1	0	4.2
Other	0.5	0.5	1.1	0.5	—	—	2.6
Nuts—							
Almonds	—	4.6	—	5.9	—	—	10.5
Macadamia	2.6	—	3.3	—	—	—	5.9
Other	3.2	0.4	0.4	0.1	—	—	4.2
<i>Total orchard fruit (incl. nuts)</i>	<i>103.0</i>	<i>117.4</i>	<i>50.2</i>	<i>75.7</i>	<i>27.8</i>	<i>22.5</i>	<i>396.9</i>
Berry and small fruit—							
Strawberries	0.9	4.6	3.8	2.3	1.9	0.2	13.7
Other	0.3	2.2	0.1	0.1	—	0.7	3.4
<i>Total berry and small fruit</i>	<i>1.2</i>	<i>6.8</i>	<i>3.9</i>	<i>2.4</i>	<i>2.0</i>	<i>1.0</i>	<i>17.1</i>
Other fruit—							
Bananas	39.1	—	33.3	—	8.8	—	81.7
Pineapples	—	—	29.6	—	—	—	29.6
Other	1.3	0.4	3.4	—	0.1	—	5.3
<i>Total other fruit</i>	<i>40.4</i>	<i>0.4</i>	<i>66.3</i>	<i>—</i>	<i>8.9</i>	<i>—</i>	<i>116.6</i>
<i>Total fruit (excl. grapes)</i>	<i>144.6</i>	<i>124.5</i>	<i>120.3</i>	<i>78.1</i>	<i>38.7</i>	<i>23.5</i>	<i>530.6</i>
Grapes—							
Fresh—							
Table	6.6	15.2	3.2	2.6	2.5	—	30.0
Wine	31.2	14.6	0.1	62.6	2.8	0.3	111.6
Dried—							
Currants	0.5	4.4	—	2.3	0.8	—	8.0
Raisins and lexias	1.1	5.8	—	0.9	—	—	7.8
Sultanas	12.3	66.4	—	5.9	—	—	84.6
<i>Total grapes</i>	<i>51.6</i>	<i>106.5</i>	<i>3.3</i>	<i>74.2</i>	<i>6.1</i>	<i>0.3</i>	<i>241.9</i>
Total fruit	196.2	231.0	123.6	152.3	44.8	23.8	772.5

(a) Includes the Northern Territory and the Australian Capital Territory. (b) Not available for publication; included in "Other orchard, n.e.i.—Other". (c) Incomplete; see individual States.

TABLE 11. FRUIT, LOCAL VALUE, AUSTRALIA
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	1983-84	1984-85	1985-86
Orchard fruit (incl. nuts)—			
Citrus—			
Oranges	71.0	94.2	89.8
Lemons and limes	6.0	7.9	9.0
Mandarins	11.1	15.7	18.4
Other	5.3	5.5	6.0
<i>Total citrus</i>	<i>93.5</i>	<i>123.4</i>	<i>123.2</i>
Pome—			
Apples	108.5	143.9	108.7
Pears	38.5	39.9	50.9
Stone—			
Apricots	15.2	17.4	21.5
Cherries	8.0	9.9	8.6
Nectarines	4.8	4.9	6.4
Peaches	22.0	24.4	24.1
Plums and prunes	11.8	14.4	16.7
Other orchard, n.e.i.—			
Avocadoes	7.8	8.7	9.4
Mangoes	2.6	3.0	4.2
Other	2.0	2.9	2.6
Nuts—			
Almonds	4.8	6.4	10.5
Macadamia	2.5	4.3	5.9
Other	2.4	7.4	4.2
<i>Total orchard fruit (incl. nuts)</i>	<i>324.4</i>	<i>410.8</i>	<i>396.9</i>
Berry and small fruit—			
Strawberries	10.5	11.6	13.7
Other	2.1	3.0	3.4
<i>Total berry and small fruit</i>	<i>12.7</i>	<i>14.5</i>	<i>17.1</i>
Other fruit—			
Bananas	62.5	73.5	81.7
Pineapples	23.0	28.9	29.6
Other	5.5	4.2	5.3
<i>Total other fruit</i>	<i>91.1</i>	<i>106.5</i>	<i>116.6</i>
<i>Total fruit (excl. grapes)</i>	<i>428.1</i>	<i>531.8</i>	<i>530.6</i>
Grapes—			
Fresh—			
Table	16.7	27.3	30.0
Wine	115.0	133.5	111.6
Dried—			
Currants	5.4	6.5	8.0
Raisins and lexias	1.2	3.2	7.8
Sultanas	53.5	66.7	84.6
<i>Total grapes</i>	<i>191.8</i>	<i>237.3</i>	<i>241.9</i>
Total fruit	619.9	769.1	772.5

TABLE 12. VEGETABLES FOR HUMAN CONSUMPTION, GROSS VALUE, 1985-86
(\$m)

	<i>N.S.W.</i>	<i>Vic.</i>	<i>Qld</i>	<i>S.A.</i>	<i>W.A.</i>	<i>Tas.</i>	<i>Aust.(a)</i>
Beans, french and runner	3.2	1.2	6.7	0.2	0.8	2.3	14.5
Cabbages and brussels sprouts	2.9	8.6	3.2	5.7	1.5	1.3	23.2
Carrots	7.4	9.1	6.3	5.5	8.0	2.1	38.5
Cauliflower	4.1	11.4	3.2	3.7	8.8	1.3	32.5
Lettuce	6.2	9.4	10.3	5.4	4.3	0.6	36.3
Mushrooms	14.9	19.6	3.3	4.0	2.1	(b)	(c)43.8
Onions, white and brown	6.8	2.6	7.0	12.3	2.9	10.7	42.5
Peas	1.2	0.9	1.9	0.2	0.3	5.9	10.2
Potatoes	31.1	73.9	30.0	20.7	22.1	27.7	205.8
Pumpkins	3.0	1.6	8.5	2.3	1.6	0.1	17.2
Tomatoes	10.0	14.9	62.5	7.3	7.9	1.1	103.9
Other vegetables	29.0	32.4	52.7	12.8	12.6	3.8	145.2
Total vegetables for human consumption	119.8	185.6	195.6	80.1	72.9	56.9	713.6

(a) Includes the Northern Territory. ACT vegetables are confidential, and are included in 'All other crops, Aust'. (b) Not available for publication; included in 'Other vegetables'. (c) Incomplete; see individual States.

TABLE 13. VEGETABLES FOR HUMAN CONSUMPTION, GROSS VALUE, AUSTRALIA
(\$m)

	<i>1983-84</i>	<i>1984-85</i>	<i>1985-86</i>
Beans, french and runner	15.3	17.9	14.5
Cabbages and brussels sprouts	16.5	12.4	23.2
Carrots	42.5	32.8	38.5
Cauliflower	27.6	27.1	32.5
Lettuce	28.5	30.6	36.3
Mushrooms	29.4	36.7	43.8
Onions, white and brown	51.6	46.7	42.5
Peas	12.1	13.0	10.2
Potatoes	289.5	162.5	205.8
Pumpkins	16.9	15.4	17.2
Tomatoes	101.5	106.4	103.9
Other vegetables	107.2	127.3	145.2
Total vegetables for human consumption	738.6	628.8	713.6

TABLE 14. VEGETABLES FOR HUMAN CONSUMPTION, LOCAL VALUE, 1985-86
(\$m)

	<i>N.S.W.</i>	<i>Vic.</i>	<i>Qld</i>	<i>S.A.</i>	<i>W.A.</i>	<i>Tas.</i>	<i>Aust.(a)</i>
Beans, french and runner	2.7	1.0	6.2	0.2	0.7	2.3	13.2
Cabbages and brussels sprouts	1.5	7.0	2.3	4.9	1.1	1.3	18.1
Carrots	5.3	7.3	5.3	5.0	7.4	2.0	32.3
Cauliflower	1.7	9.1	2.2	3.4	7.9	1.3	25.4
Lettuce	4.2	6.0	7.2	5.1	3.6	0.6	26.8
Mushrooms	12.3	19.1	2.8	3.8	1.8	(b)	(c)39.8
Onions, white and brown	4.3	1.9	5.4	10.5	2.3	9.6	34.1
Peas	1.1	0.7	1.8	0.1	0.3	5.9	9.9
Potatoes	24.0	66.9	23.7	17.8	20.0	26.5	178.9
Pumpkins	2.1	1.0	6.5	2.1	1.3	0.1	13.2
Tomatoes	8.5	8.7	45.4	6.6	6.5	1.1	77.1
Other vegetables	23.9	27.9	38.8	11.2	9.9	3.5	116.6
Total vegetables for human consumption	91.6	156.6	147.6	70.7	62.8	54.2	585.4

(a) Includes the Northern Territory. ACT vegetables are confidential, and are included in "All other crops, Aust." (b) Not available for publication; included in 'Other vegetables'. (c) Incomplete; see individual States.

TABLE 15. VEGETABLES FOR HUMAN CONSUMPTION, LOCAL VALUE, AUSTRALIA
(\$m)

	<i>1983-84</i>	<i>1984-85</i>	<i>1985-86</i>
Beans, french and runner	14.2	16.1	13.2
Cabbages and brussels sprouts	12.5	8.7	18.1
Carrots	36.3	26.9	32.3
Cauliflower	22.3	20.8	25.4
Lettuce	21.7	22.5	26.8
Mushrooms	27.5	34.1	39.8
Onions, white and brown	45.3	38.8	34.1
Peas	11.8	12.6	9.9
Potatoes	252.9	136.1	178.9
Pumpkins	13.0	11.6	13.2
Tomatoes	77.0	80.2	77.1
Other vegetables	88.2	103.7	116.6
Total vegetables for human consumption	622.7	512.1	585.4

III. LIVESTOCK SLAUGHTERINGS AND OTHER DISPOSALS

TABLE 16. LIVESTOCK SLAUGHTERINGS AND OTHER DISPOSALS(a), GROSS VALUE, 1985-86
(\\$m)

	<i>N.S.W.(b)</i>	<i>Vic.(b)</i>	<i>Qld</i>	<i>S.A.</i>	<i>W.A.</i>	<i>Tas.</i>	<i>N.T.</i>	<i>A.C.T.</i>	<i>Aust.</i>
Cattle and calves	570.4	520.3	887.6	76.4	141.6	58.9	111.1	1.0	2,367.3
Sheep and lambs(c)	116.1	165.0	10.4	73.9	133.9	18.1	—	0.5	518.0
Pigs	127.1	112.0	90.9	53.2	46.7	8.5	n.p.	—	(d)438.3
Poultry	(e)257.9	130.6	67.9	48.2	45.1	9.5	n.p.	(f)	(d)559.1
Total	1,071.6	927.9	1,056.7	251.6	367.3	95.1	(d)111.1	1.5	(d)3,882.8

(a) Includes adjustment for net exports (overseas and interstate) of live animals. (b) Data on border crossings of livestock between New South Wales and Victoria was not available for 1985-86. Consequently no adjustment for net exports or imports of livestock between these States has been made. (c) Excludes value of wool on skins. (d) Excludes pigs and poultry in Northern Territory. (e) Includes the Australian Capital Territory. (f) Included in New South Wales.

TABLE 17. LIVESTOCK SLAUGHTERINGS AND OTHER DISPOSALS(a), GROSS VALUE, AUSTRALIA
(\\$m)

	<i>1983-84</i>	<i>1984-85</i>	<i>1985-86</i>
Cattle and calves	2,118.0	2,253.2	2,367.3
Goats	n.a.	3.4	n.a.
Sheep and lambs	585.0	576.1	518.0
Pigs	375.5	438.1	438.3
Poultry	430.2	512.6	559.1
Total	3,508.6	3,783.3	3,882.8

(a) Includes adjustment for net exports overseas of live animals.

TABLE 18. LIVESTOCK SLAUGHTERINGS AND OTHER DISPOSALS(a), LOCAL VALUE, 1985-86
(\\$m)

	<i>N.S.W.(b)</i>	<i>Vic.(b)</i>	<i>Qld</i>	<i>S.A.</i>	<i>W.A.</i>	<i>Tas.</i>	<i>N.T.</i>	<i>A.C.T.</i>	<i>Aust.</i>
Cattle and calves	521.1	476.4	812.6	71.7	130.8	55.1	100.0	1.0	2,168.7
Sheep and lambs(c)	91.5	141.7	8.1	66.9	125.7	16.1	—	0.4	450.4
Pigs	116.3	104.4	83.8	50.1	44.8	7.9	n.p.	—	(d)407.2
Poultry	(e)257.8	130.6	67.9	46.0	45.1	9.5	n.p.	(f)	(d)556.9
Total	986.7	853.1	972.3	234.7	346.4	88.6	(d)100.0	1.4	(d)3,583.2

(a) Includes adjustment for net exports (overseas and interstate) of live animals. (b) Data on border crossings of livestock between New South Wales and Victoria was not available for 1985-86. Consequently no adjustment for net exports or imports of livestock between these States has been made. (c) Excludes value of wool on skins. (d) Excludes pigs and poultry in Northern Territory. (e) Includes the Australian Capital Territory. (f) Included in New South Wales.

TABLE 19. LIVESTOCK SLAUGHTERINGS AND OTHER DISPOSALS(a), LOCAL VALUE, AUSTRALIA
(\\$m)

	<i>1983-84</i>	<i>1984-85</i>	<i>1985-86</i>
Cattle and calves	1,945.0	2,075.0	2,168.7
Goats	n.a.	2.9	n.a.
Sheep and lambs	534.7	509.5	450.4
Pigs	348.0	406.1	407.2
Poultry	428.1	510.3	556.9
Total	3,255.8	3,503.8	3,583.2

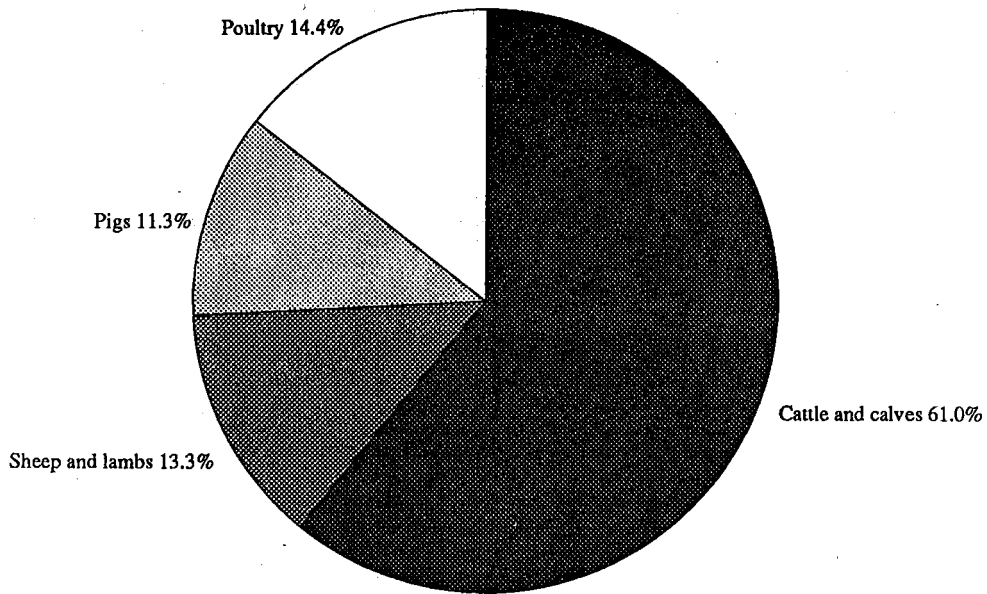
(a) Includes adjustment for net exports overseas of live animals.

TABLE 20. AVERAGE UNIT GROSS VALUE OF LIVESTOCK SLAUGHTERINGS(a), AUSTRALIA
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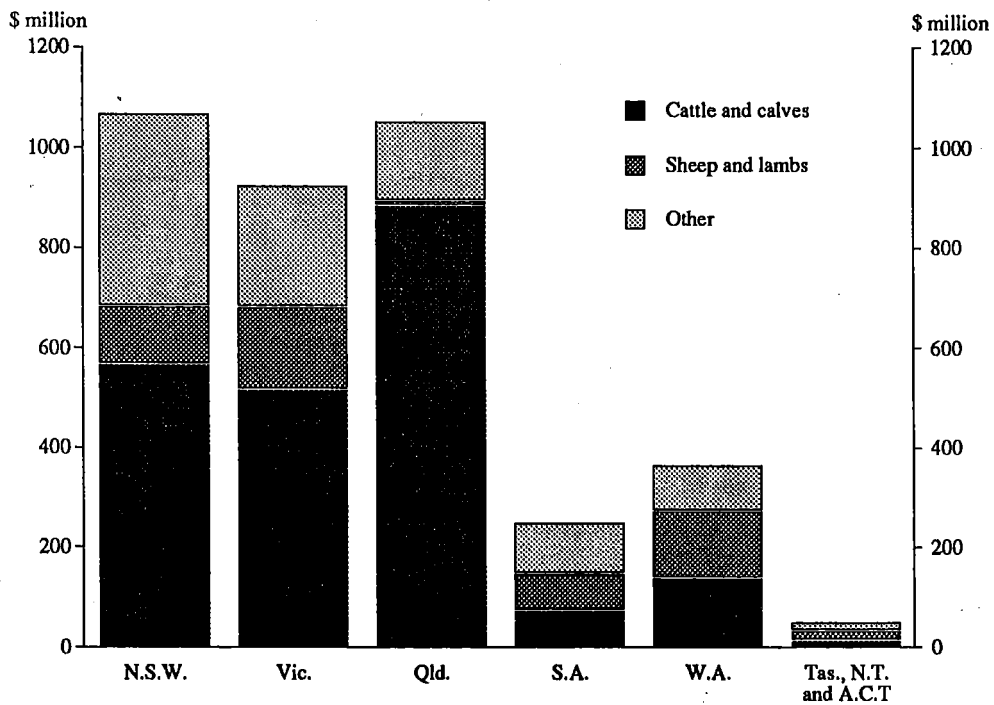
	<i>1983-84</i>	<i>1984-85</i>	<i>1985-86</i>
Cattle and calves	<i>per animal</i> 289.71	317.80	314.16
Sheep and lambs(b)	15.00	14.06	10.99
Pigs	85.22	97.59	96.85
Poultry	1.82	1.98	2.05

(a) Obtained by dividing the total gross value of slaughterings by the total number of animals slaughtered. (b) Excludes value of wool on skins.

GROSS VALUE OF LIVESTOCK SLAUGHTERINGS AND OTHER DISPOSALS, AUSTRALIA, 1985-86



GROSS VALUE OF LIVESTOCK SLAUGHTERINGS AND OTHER DISPOSALS, BY STATE, 1985-86



IV. LIVESTOCK PRODUCTS

TABLE 21. LIVESTOCK PRODUCTS, GROSS VALUE, 1985-86
(\$m)

	N.S.W.	Vic.	Qld	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	N.T.	A.C.T.	Aust.
Wool—									
Shorn	888.3	481.8	215.4	312.2	569.6	80.5	—	1.9	2,549.5
Other(a)	50.0	73.9	4.6	18.0	7.7	3.2	—	—	157.5
Total wool	938.3	555.7	220.1	330.1	577.3	83.7	—	1.9	2,707.0
Liquid whole milk used for—									
Manufacturing	40.6	416.8	34.4	32.4	13.8	42.0	—	—	579.9
Human consumption	179.4	141.1	109.6	42.2	39.6	14.9	n.p.	n.p.	(b)526.8
Total whole milk production	220.0	557.9	143.9	74.5	53.4	56.9	n.p.	n.p.	(b)1,106.7
Eggs	121.0	79.5	38.5	21.3	23.5	5.9	n.p.	n.p.	(b)289.7
Honey	9.2	4.7	4.8	3.7	2.3	0.7	—	—	25.4
Beeswax	0.7	0.4	0.4	0.3	(c)0.2	0.1	—	—	2.0
Total livestock products	1,289.2	1,198.3	407.7	429.9	656.6	147.3	n.p.	(d)1.9	(e)4,130.9

(a) Includes dead and fellmongered wool and wool on skins. (b) Incomplete: see individual States. (c) Includes pollen. (d) Excludes milk and eggs in Australian Capital Territory. (e) Excludes milk and eggs in Northern Territory and Australian Capital Territory.

TABLE 22. LIVESTOCK PRODUCTS, GROSS VALUE, AUSTRALIA
(\$m)

	1983-84	1984-85	1985-86
Wool—			
Shorn	1,940.5	2,324.5	2,549.5
Other(a)	75.6	110.0	157.5
Total wool	2,016.1	2,434.4	2,707.0
Cashmere	n.a.	1.5	n.a.
Mohair	n.a.	4.0	n.a.
Liquid whole milk used for—			
Manufacturing	655.8	509.6	579.9
Human consumption	497.4	525.8	526.8
Total whole milk production	1,153.2	1,035.4	1,106.7
Liquid goat milk	n.a.	2.9	n.a.
Eggs	295.2	283.7	289.7
Honey	19.2	21.3	25.4
Beeswax	1.6	2.1	2.0
Total livestock products	3,489.8	3,785.3	4,130.9

(a) Includes dead and fellmongered wool and wool on skins.

TABLE 23. LIVESTOCK PRODUCTS, LOCAL VALUE, 1985-86
(\\$m)

	N.S.W.	Vic.	Qld	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	N.T.	A.C.T.	Aust.
Wool—									
Shorn	837.7	440.0	203.7	291.7	545.3	74.7	—	1.8	2,395.0
Other(a)	49.9	73.9	4.6	15.8	7.7	3.2	—	—	155.3
<i>Total wool</i>	<i>887.8</i>	<i>514.0</i>	<i>208.3</i>	<i>307.6</i>	<i>553.0</i>	<i>77.9</i>	<i>—</i>	<i>1.8</i>	<i>2,550.4</i>
Liquid whole milk used for—									
Manufacturing	40.6	416.8	34.4	32.4	13.8	42.0	—	—	579.9
Human consumption	179.4	141.1	109.6	42.2	39.6	14.9	n.p.	n.p.	(b)526.8
<i>Total whole milk production</i>	<i>220.0</i>	<i>557.9</i>	<i>143.9</i>	<i>74.5</i>	<i>53.4</i>	<i>56.9</i>	<i>n.p.</i>	<i>n.p.</i>	<i>(b)1,106.7</i>
Eggs	101.2	66.2	33.4	17.2	17.5	5.0	n.p.	n.p.	(b)240.5
Honey	9.2	4.7	4.8	3.5	2.3	0.6	—	—	25.1
Beeswax	0.7	0.4	0.4	0.3	(c)0.2	0.1	—	—	2.0
Total livestock products	1,218.9	1,143.2	390.8	403.1	626.4	140.5	n.p.	(d)1.8	(e)3,924.6

(a) Includes dead and fellmongered wool and wool on skins. (b) Incomplete: see individual States. (c) Includes pollen. (d) Excludes milk and eggs in Australian Capital Territory. (e) Excludes milk and eggs in Northern Territory and Australian Capital Territory.

TABLE 24. LIVESTOCK PRODUCTS, LOCAL VALUE, AUSTRALIA
(\\$m)

	1983-84	1984-85	1985-86
Wool—			
Shorn	1,821.7	2,179.4	2,395.0
Other(a)	74.7	109.1	155.3
<i>Total wool</i>	<i>1,896.4</i>	<i>2,288.5</i>	<i>2,550.4</i>
Cashmere	n.a.	1.3	n.a.
Mohair	n.a.	3.7	n.a.
Liquid whole milk used for—			
Manufacturing	655.8	509.6	579.9
Human consumption	497.4	525.8	526.8
<i>Total whole milk production</i>	<i>1,153.2</i>	<i>1,035.4</i>	<i>1,106.7</i>
Liquid goat milk	n.a.	2.9	n.a.
Eggs	249.9	233.6	240.5
Honey	18.9	21.0	25.1
Beeswax	1.6	2.1	2.0
Total livestock products	3,323.9	3,588.4	3,924.6

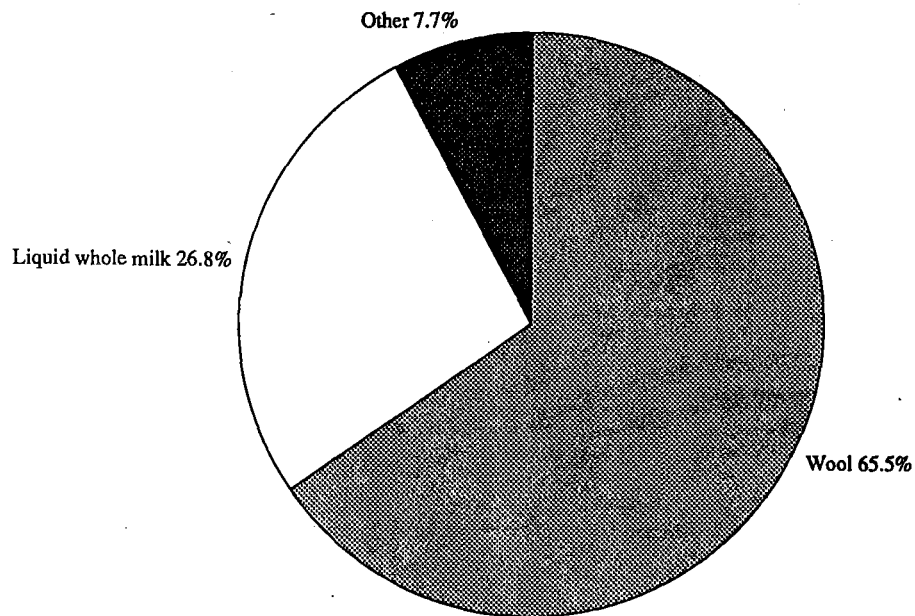
(a) Includes dead and fellmongered wool and wool on skins.

TABLE 25. AVERAGE UNIT GROSS VALUE OF LIVESTOCK PRODUCTS(a), AUSTRALIA
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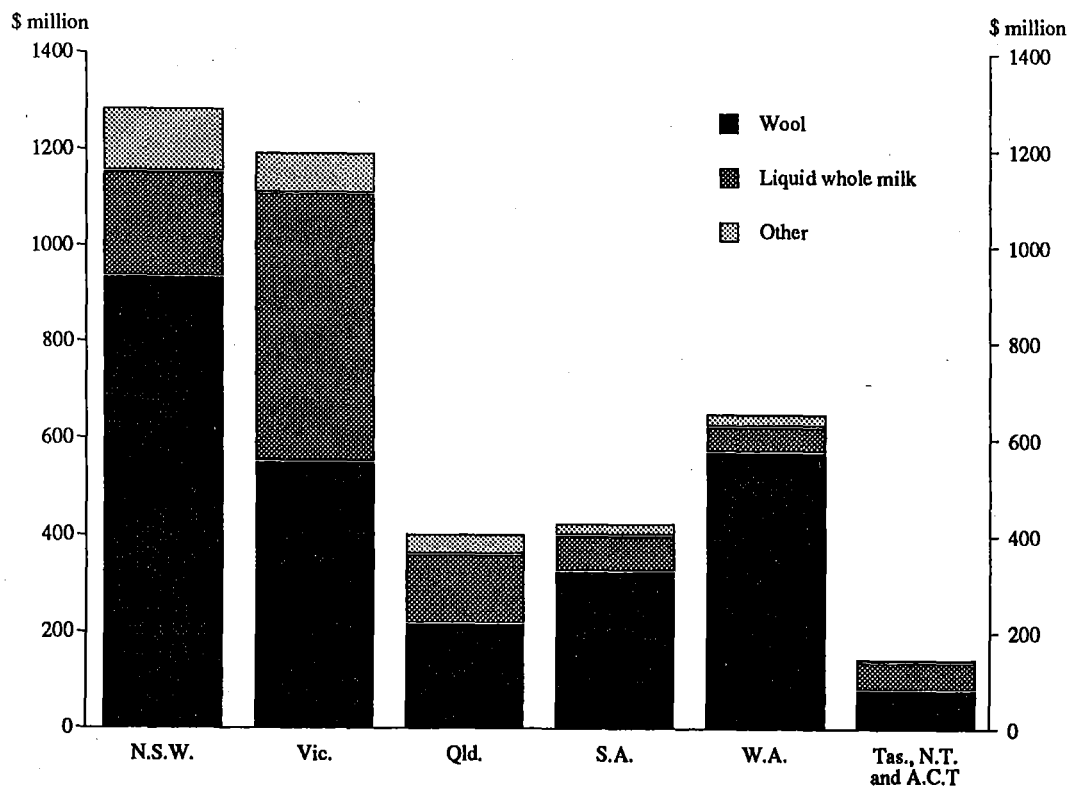
		1983-84	1984-85	1985-86
Wool	kg	2.77	3.07	3.24
Liquid whole milk used for—				
Manufacturing	litre	0.15	0.12	0.13
Human consumption	..	0.31	0.32	0.32
<i>Total whole milk production</i>	..	<i>0.19</i>	<i>0.17</i>	<i>0.17</i>
Eggs	doz	1.36	1.40	1.43
Honey	kg	0.77	0.76	0.95

(a) Obtained, for each product, by dividing the total gross value of commodities by the total quantity produced.

GROSS VALUE OF LIVESTOCK PRODUCTS, AUSTRALIA, 1985-86



GROSS VALUE OF LIVESTOCK PRODUCTS, BY STATE, 1985-86



V. OTHER

EXPLANATORY NOTES

Introduction

Table 26 contains gross values of production for selected agricultural commodities produced classified by industry of the producing establishments.

Australian Standard Industrial Classification (ASIC)

2. The *Australian Standard Industrial Classification* (ASIC) defines the industries of the economy for statistical purposes, thus permitting the scope of the various economic statistics collections to be specified without gaps or overlapping between them. It also sets out standard rules for identifying the economic units operating in the economy and for classifying them to the industries of the Classification. The 1983 edition of ASIC has been used in compiling Table 26.

Methodology

3. The gross values of the selected agricultural commodities included in Table 26 are derived by allocating the total Australian gross value of production for those commodities to ASIC classes or groups of classes according to the proportion of the total production of

those commodities reported in the Agricultural Census by establishments classified to those classes or groups of classes. 'Non agriculture' values are values for those establishments classified to an ASIC class other than one in ASIC Subdivision 01, Agriculture, but which produce the selected agricultural commodities.

4. The Agricultural Census data items used in allocating the proportion of each commodity's production to the various ASIC classes are the most relevant available items. For crops, grapevines, vegetables and wool the Agricultural Census data used were production data in metric quantity units of tonnes or kilograms, as applicable. For fruit, area of fruit trees, in hectares, was used; for livestock slaughterings, number disposed of or sold was used; and for milk and eggs, numbers of milk cattle and numbers of egg strain poultry respectively were used in lieu of production data.

Limitations

5. As the data in Table 26 are derived according to various assumptions (see paragraph 4 above) they should be treated only as indicators.

TABLE 26. GROSS VALUE OF SELECTED AGRICULTURAL COMMODITIES PRODUCED CLASSIFIED BY INDUSTRY OF PRODUCING ESTABLISHMENT, AUSTRALIA, 1985-86 (\$m)

	0124-5 Poultry	0134-6 Fruit	0143-4 Vegetables	0181 Cereal grains inc. oilseeds n.e.c.	0182 Sheep- cereal grains	0183 Meat cattle- cereal grains	0184 Sheep- meat cattle	0185 Sheep	0186 Meat cattle	0187 Milk cattle	0188 Pigs	0191-6 Other agriculture	Non agriculture	Total
Crops—														
Barley for grain	1.2	0.5	2.7	231.9	285.2	23.4	2.8	14.7	2.5	6.5	9.3	5.2	1.0	586.8
Oats for grain	0.1	0.1	0.5	15.3	80.8	3.9	6.8	25.8	1.8	1.3	0.6	0.9	0.4	138.3
Wheat for grain	3.0	1.6	4.7	1,228.9	1,268.7	132.7	6.1	19.2	4.7	5.8	11.1	29.6	3.3	2,719.4
Cotton	—	—	—	12.0	0.1	0.4	—	0.3	0.1	0.3	0.1	311.5	0.2	324.9
Sugar cane cut for crushing	0.1	1.9	4.8	0.4	—	—	—	—	1.9	0.9	0.1	482.4	1.7	494.2
Fruits—														
Citrus	1.7	166.0	3.9	1.5	0.2	0.1	—	0.8	0.8	0.4	0.3	1.4	1.5	178.6
Pome	—	194.6	1.6	0.1	0.1	—	0.2	2.2	0.8	0.3	0.3	1.2	1.3	202.8
Stone and other	0.5	101.0	3.2	0.4	0.2	—	0.4	1.5	1.0	0.4	0.3	5.5	0.8	115.1
Nuts	—	19.5	0.6	0.1	0.1	—	—	0.2	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.2	21.3
Grapes	0.2	257.1	1.8	1.7	0.1	—	—	1.0	0.1	0.5	0.3	0.9	6.4	270.0
Vegetables—														
Carrots	—	0.6	37.6	0.1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	0.1	38.5
Onions	—	0.6	40.2	0.5	—	—	—	0.1	0.2	0.5	—	0.2	0.3	42.5
Potatoes	0.1	1.5	188.4	0.4	—	—	0.3	4.0	2.0	6.6	0.3	1.5	0.6	205.8
Tomatoes	—	2.4	95.1	3.2	—	—	—	0.6	0.5	0.9	—	1.0	0.1	103.9
Livestock slaughtering and other disposals—														
Cattle and calves	2.4	10.4	22.5	61.5	78.0	168.2	304.4	91.5	1,196.2	366.9	15.2	34.1	15.9	2,367.3
Sheep and lambs	0.3	0.9	3.9	26.2	188.3	2.0	73.8	208.3	3.5	3.5	2.4	3.1	1.9	518.0
Pigs	3.6	0.9	0.6	39.3	18.6	1.8	0.6	8.7	5.7	12.2	342.1	1.0	3.3	438.3
Poultry	540.4	1.6	1.1	1.9	0.3	—	—	—	0.1	2.0	0.5	0.6	10.7	559.1
Livestock products—														
Wool	1.1	3.5	8.4	137.0	979.1	9.2	359.2	1,156.5	13.5	10.0	10.0	11.6	7.9	2,707.0
Milk	1.4	1.6	7.7	3.4	0.6	—	0.7	4.5	4.9	1,070.3	5.4	1.8	3.9	1,106.7
Eggs	280.2	0.1	0.2	4.1	1.4	—	—	0.6	0.1	0.3	0.8	—	1.9	289.7

TABLE 27. GROSS VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL COMMODITIES PRODUCED AND OUTPUT, AUSTRALIA

	1974-75	1975-76	1976-77	1977-78	1978-79	1979-80	1980-81	1981-82	1982-83	1983-84	1984-85	1985-86
Crops—												
Barley for grain	256.9	313.9	294.8	205.0	339.1	449.8	380.9	463.5	287.6	732.6	759.3	586.8
Oats for grain	59.6	77.8	74.4	69.1	100.5	98.8	139.5	155.7	116.1	203.8	129.6	138.3
Wheat for grain	1,256.4	1,249.2	1,051.5	934.9	2,295.8	2,478.0	1,684.1	2,599.4	1,566.2	3,605.6	3,202.9	2,719.4
Other cereal grains	128.3	157.3	163.3	145.5	222.3	218.9	327.6	294.1	260.5	408.7	400.8	346.3
Sugar cane cut for crushing	490.7	435.6	472.2	420.5	396.5	548.2	799.7	590.2	508.9	516.6	512.2	494.2
Fruit	266.5	269.4	290.3	324.0	387.7	406.6	459.8	464.4	508.6	552.5	670.9	678.6
Grapes	101.4	102.3	128.5	141.6	150.1	231.1	178.2	222.8	212.5	217.0	259.4	270.0
Vegetables	256.2	274.3	295.1	324.4	403.4	402.3	509.0	554.3	556.9	738.6	628.8	713.6
All other crops(a)	387.7	368.6	419.7	482.0	617.2	707.3	827.2	967.6	999.5	1,451.1	1,303.5	1,430.9
Total crops	3,203.8	3,248.2	3,189.7	3,047.0	4,912.5	5,540.8	5,305.9	6,312.1	5,016.8	8,426.5	7,867.4	7,377.7
Livestock slaughtering and other disposals(b)—												
Cattle and calves(c)	523.4	706.3	1,010.8	1,176.9	2,154.6	2,386.0	2,056.5	1,890.1	2,076.2	2,118.0	2,253.2	2,367.3
Sheep and lambs	178.3	203.9	299.0	344.8	445.1	654.3	718.9	646.7	548.0	585.0	576.1	518.0
Pigs	177.7	183.3	197.4	212.7	253.8	311.3	337.5	396.1	414.9	375.5	438.1	(d)438.3
Poultry	139.8	152.9	178.4	220.0	244.2	307.2	361.4	362.7	412.7	430.2	512.6	(d)559.1
Total livestock slaughtering and other disposals	1,019.2	1,246.4	1,685.7	1,954.4	3,097.7	3,658.8	3,474.3	3,295.6	3,451.8	3,508.6	(e)3,783.3	(d)3,882.8
Livestock products—												
Wool	952.7	999.6	1,172.5	1,206.3	1,374.5	1,651.4	1,669.5	1,788.7	1,760.9	2,016.1	2,434.4	2,707.0
Milk	520.9	492.0	520.9	553.3	627.7	676.0	885.1	1,033.9	1,186.5	1,153.2	1,035.4	1,106.7
Eggs	169.7	175.3	178.6	196.3	196.9	216.1	227.4	253.4	275.3	295.2	283.7	289.7
Total livestock products(f)	1,653.1	1,678.1	1,881.2	1,970.4	2,214.5	2,564.3	(g)2,803.8	(g)3,100.6	(g)3,245.8	(g)3,489.8	(h)3,785.3	(i)4,130.9
Total value of agricultural commodities produced	5,876.0	6,172.7	6,756.6	6,971.8	10,224.7	11,763.9	11,584.1	12,708.3	11,714.5	15,424.9	15,436.0	(j)15,398.0
Deduct value of seed and fodder consumed or retained on farms(a)	473.9	462.3	457.2	422.1	513.2	638.6	829.2	829.5	1,069.0	1,139.1	720.1	796.4
Total value of agricultural commodities output	5,402.2	5,710.4	6,299.4	6,549.7	9,711.5	11,125.3	10,754.9	11,878.8	10,645.5	14,285.8	14,715.9	14,601.6

(a) Includes pastures and grasses. Excludes crops for green feed or silage. (b) Includes net exports of livestock. (c) Includes dairy cattle slaughtered. (d) Excludes Northern Territory pigs and poultry. (e) Includes goat slaughtering and exports. (f) Includes honey and beeswax. (g) Includes Australian Capital Territory milk and eggs. Excludes Northern Territory milk. (h) Includes cashmere, mohair, liquid goat milk, honey and beeswax. Excludes Northern Territory and Australian Capital Territory milk and eggs. (i) Includes Northern Territory pigs, poultry, milk and eggs. (j) Excludes Northern Territory and Australian Capital Territory milk and eggs.

B. INDEXES OF VALUES AT CONSTANT PRICES OF AGRICULTURAL COMMODITIES PRODUCED

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The following table shows indexes of values at constant prices for agricultural commodities produced. These indexes have the same scope as the data on gross value of agricultural commodities produced and agricultural output shown in Table 27.

2. The indexes of values at constant prices are weighted by the average unit values for the year 1979-80 and are published with the reference period 1979-80 = 1000.

3. The quantum indexes of crops, livestock slaughterings and other disposals and livestock products are indexes of the gross value of agricultural commodities *produced* at constant prices. The quantum index of agricultural output is an index of value of agricultural *output* at constant prices. The latter index relates to that part of agricultural commodities produced and sold outside the agricultural sector and excludes the production of seed, feed and fodder consumed or retained on farms. The relationship between agricultural commodities produced and agricultural output is presented in Table 27 in current price value terms.

4. Indexes of the value of agricultural commodities produced and output at constant prices are measures of change in value after the direct effects of price changes have been eliminated. Measures of this type are, of necessity, subject to approximations and assumptions and they should not be interpreted in any precise quantitative sense.

5. In the main, the method used in compiling the quantum indexes has been to apply to current year quantities for individual farm commodities the corresponding average unit gross values for 1979-80. Aggregates at constant prices (e.g. for livestock slaughterings) are then obtained by summation and converted to index numbers by dividing by the corresponding values in the reference base period. Indexes so derived may be described as fixed weights indexes, the weights of individual products in the aggregate measures being determined by their relative prices in the weighting base period. As prices do not all move in the same proportion or even in the same direction the choice of a particular weighting base period may affect the trend of the indexes. The weights used for the series are average unit gross values of the year 1979-80.

TABLE 28. INDEXES OF VALUES AT CONSTANT PRICES OF AGRICULTURAL COMMODITIES PRODUCED AND OUTPUT(a)
(1979-80 = 1000)

	1974-75	1975-76	1976-77	1977-78	1978-79	1979-80	1980-81	1981-82	1982-83	1983-84	1984-85	1985-86
Crops—												
Barley for grain	679	858	769	644	1,082	1000	724	932	524	1321	1500	1315
Oats for grain	619	809	760	702	1,250	1000	799	1,146	603	1,627	999	957
Wheat for grain	698	741	732	579	1,127	1000	663	1,017	545	1,374	1,166	1,008
Other cereal grains	819	964	970	821	1,207	1000	1,233	1,417	975	1,563	1,485	1,420
Sugar cane(b)	974	983	1,132	1,142	983	1000	1,120	1,162	1,192	1,070	1,167	1,152
Fruit and nuts	1,028	923	903	851	1,022	1000	1,069	988	1,017	968	1,118	1,127
Grapes	815	812	800	801	783	1000	820	984	963	994	1,030	1,067
Vegetables	835	792	877	913	998	1000	1,011	1,056	1,044	1,123	1,289	1,273
All other crops(c)	814	704	724	753	991	1000	964	1,106	931	1,400	1,671	1,622
Total	781	800	810	728	1,066	1,000	838	1,053	763	1,290	1,266	1,170
Livestock slaughtering and other disposals—												
Cattle and calves(d)	989	1,176	1,271	1,396	1,290	1000	938	1,005	986	860	837	885
Sheep and lambs	774	843	860	863	830	1000	1,032	946	1,018	936	997	1,072
Pigs	797	791	843	906	904	1000	1,061	1,038	1,087	1,154	1,185	1,223
Poultry	605	652	697	785	866	1000	968	893	1,000	952	1,103	1,171
Total(e)	902	1,039	1,111	1,206	1,138	1,000	968	988	1,002	907	919	973
Livestock products—												
Wool	1,120	1,065	992	956	994	1000	990	1,012	995	1,026	1,170	1,176
Milk	1,199	1,151	1,045	948	1,031	1000	947	956	1,011	1,089	1,109	1,105
Eggs	1,103	1,090	990	1,046	1,017	1000	959	927	961	935	866	874
Total(f)	1,137	1,088	1,003	959	1,004	1,000	974	990	995	1,035	1,128	1,131
Total agricultural commodities produced	896	937	946	928	1,075	1,000	909	1,019	889	1,115	1,128	1,100
less Seed and fodder consumed or retained on farms	987	906	861	728	972	1000	1,034	1,005	711	1,249	916	926
Agricultural output	891	939	951	939	1,081	1,000	901	1,020	899	1,107	1,140	1,110

(a) Indexes of values at constant prices (weighted by average unit values of the year 1979-80). (b) Sugar cane cut for crushing and planting. (c) Includes pastures and grasses. Excludes crops for green feed or silage. (d) Includes dairy cattle slaughtered. (e) Component series based on carcass weight. (f) Includes honey and beeswax.

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