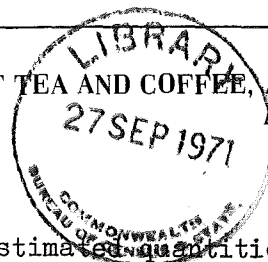


STATISTICAL BULLETIN : APPARENT CONSUMPTION OF TEA AND COFFEE, AUSTRALIA
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This bulletin contains particulars of the estimated quantities of tea and coffee available for consumption (i.e. the apparent consumption), together with details of imports of tea and coffee, for the years 1966-1967 to 1970-71.

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.

TEA

TABLE 1. - SUPPLIES AND UTILISATION OF TEA : AUSTRALIA

Particulars	1966-67	1967-68	1968-69	1969-70	1970-71 (a)
Net change in stocks (b) '000 lb	(-) 559	(-) 1,640	(+) 3,349	(-) 2,658	(-) 962
Imports cleared for home consumption (c) " "	63,116	60,925	67,254	59,648	60,721
<u>Total supplies</u> " "	63,675	62,565	63,905	62,306	61,683
Exports (c)(d) " "	1,918	1,845	1,669	1,653	1,699
Apparent consumption -					
Total " "	61,757	60,721	62,236	60,653	59,984
Per head lb	5.3	5.1	5.1	4.9	4.7

(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	1966-67	1967-68	1968-69	1969-70	1970-71 (b)
Ceylon	36,874	35,555	38,477	30,669	31,051
China (Mainland)	794	655	902	309	839
India	13,798	14,076	12,256	8,822	7,442
Indonesia	9,068	8,782	12,105	17,038	17,715
Kenya	449	454	1,487	477	825
Malaysia	458	674	767	659	344
Other	1,675	729	1,168	1,461	2,046
<u>Total (c)</u>	63,116	60,926	67,162	59,435	60,262

(a) Includes maté and extracts, essences, etc., of tea and maté. (b) Subject to revision. (c) 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	1966-67	1967-68	1968-69	1969-70	1970-71 (b)
Net change in stocks (c) '000 lb	(-) 473	(-) 1,849	(+) 2,650	(+) 692	(-) 221
Imports cleared for home consumption " "	31,174	30,272	35,217	39,296	40,813
<u>Total supplies</u> " "	31,647	32,121	32,567	38,604	41,034
Exports " "	2,052	924	992	4,093	4,773
Apparent consumption - Total " "	29,595	31,197	31,576	34,511	36,261
Per head lb	2.5	2.6	2.6	2.8	2.9

(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.

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

('000 lb)

Country of origin	1966-67	1967-68	1968-69	1969-70	1970-71 (a)
RAW AND KILN DRIED COFFEE					
Brazil	6,824	8,927	10,863	12,211	14,247
India	28	935	787	157	1,708
Indonesia	602	1,219	1,533	2,276	1,315
Papua - New Guinea	12,876	12,265	15,725	14,658	17,010
Tanzania	757	702	990	3,723	2,113
Uganda	13,766	10,556	11,698	11,619	9,513
Other	2,719	1,942	1,173	2,846	3,928
<u>Total</u>	37,572	36,546	42,768	47,490	49,834
POWDERED COFFEE EXTRACTS (INSTANT COFFEE)					
United States of America	302	181	191	170	130
Netherlands	29	53	67	88	72
Other	62	13	17	126	9
<u>Total</u>	393	248	275	384	211
TOTAL COFFEE AND COFFEE PRODUCTS (b) (In terms of processed whole or ground pure coffee)					
Brazil	5,459	7,142	8,690	9,769	11,403
India	22	748	630	126	1,366
Indonesia	481	976	1,226	1,821	1,052
Papua - New Guinea	10,300	9,812	12,580	11,727	13,608
Tanzania	606	561	792	2,979	1,690
Uganda	11,013	8,445	9,358	9,295	7,611
United States of America	1,013	665	668	569	526
Other	2,465	1,768	1,208	2,942	3,400
<u>Total (c)</u>	31,359	30,117	35,152	39,226	40,656

(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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