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1. INTRODUCTION

Food Cauning Industry in Iraq is a relatively new industry. In 1963 a canning plant started operating in the city of Kerbala situated 100 kilometers south of Baghdad. This plant passed through many stages of developments and became the major producer of canned food in Iraq. It is now operated by the state canning company (one of the State Organization of Food Industry companies). It has a paid up capital of I.Dr. 1,257,344 and employs 1260 persons. The sales volume of the company exceeded five million Iraqi Dinars in Fiscal year 1973-1974. The company produces Tomato paste, Date syrup, Jams and canned vegetables.

This report will entirely be devoted to the activities of the public sector of the canning industry in Iraq since all other private companies are small in size and activities.

2. Raw Materials

Canning Industry in Iraq depends for most of its requirements of raw materials on the surplus of vegetables and fruits which are then processed or preserved to be made available for consumption during the off-season periods.

Packing materials used by the State Canning Company during the fiscal year 1972-1973. The table also shows that raw materials forms 67 percent of the total comodity requirements, 58 percent of which is imported mainly as concentrated tomato pasts.

Local Supply of raw materials

Local production of raw materials during the years

1960-1969 including vegetables, fruits, dates and tomato will
be discussed.

a) Vegetables (winter crop)

Vegetables that are grown during winter season include in the order of importance: Green broad beans, Green Onion, Lettuce, Turnip, Radish, Swiss Charo Carrot, Spinach, Cauliflower and Green French or kidney beans. Table 2 shows local production and consumption of these vegetables during the years 1960-1969. This table reveals that about 10% of the local demand is imported. During 1968 and 1969 small surplus became available for export.

Table 3 shows the relative importance of different vegetables as far as quantity produced is concerned. It sppears that green broad beans and green onion form 50% of total production of vegetables grown during winter 1970-1971.

b) Vegetables (summer crop)

These include Okra, Eggplant, Cucumber, Gherkins, water melon, green melon, green peper, pumpkin and green beans.

Table 4 shows local production and consumption of these vegetables during the years 1960 to 1969. This table shows that acreage has been doubled during 10 years period. Imports were continuously decreasing whereby surpluses became available for export.

Table No. 5 gives an idea on total production of winter and summer crop vegetables with their relative importance. It shows that 15-20% of total vegetable production is produced as winter crop of which summer crop vegetables form 80-85 percent of total production of vegetables.

c) Tomato

Table 6 shows local consumption of fresh tomato during the period 1964-1973. It is clearly seen that imports of fresh tomato are diminshing and greater quantities are made available for tomato paste production.

Local production of tomato is characterized by relatively low yeild per unit of area, being in the range of 8 tons per hectare as compared to 100-150 tons per hectare in other well developed countries.

Local production of tomato paste do not meet the demand, hence the balance is imported. Table 6 shows quantities of tomato paste imported and its equivalent of fresh tomato obtain the total local demand of fresh tomato calculation.

is made on the basis of every ton of paste is produced from 6 tons of fresh tomatoes). The table shows that the country imports about 33% of its requirement of tomato (as fresh tomato). Tomato paste forms 20% of the total fresh tomato consumed.

d) Dates

Table 8 shows local production of dates in Iraq and the quantities exported. Less than 5% of this total available quantity of dates was used for date syrup production.

e) Pfuits

Table 9 gives an idea about the type and quantities of fruits grown in Iraq, while table 10 shows the quantities of fruits exported and imported.

3. Production Capacities

A. Existing Plants:

The canning plants now operating in Iraq are as follows:

a. Kerbala Canning Plant

This plant has four production lines to produce tomato paste, date syrup, jame and canned vegetables.

b. Mumaniya Tomato paste plant

c. Baquba Tomato paste plant

The above two plants situated in the cities of Mumaniya (150 km south east of Baghdad) and Baguba (100 km. north east of Baghdad) produces tomato paste only at a capacity of 25 tons of paste per day for each plant.

Additional lines are being added to these two plants as will be explained later in this report.

The above three plants are operated by the State Canning Company which has its headquarters in Kerbala. Table 11 shows the rate of progress which the company achieved during the last 6 years in terms of Sales quantity and value which was multiplied 20 times during this period. Table (11 a) shows the progress in terms of fixed capital investment which shows an increase of 866% over the last 6 years (chart No. 1 shows this progress schematically).

Table No. 12 gives the quantities of products sold during 1972-1973 and 1973-1974 while table 13 gives the planned production of the company.

B. Plants Under Construction

a. Dohok Canning Plant

Planned to commence production dering 1975
to produce the following:
1000 Ton/year Grape Juice
200 Ton/year Apple Juice
1000 Ton/year Fruit compute
300 Tons/year Jams
1000 Tons/year Dried Fruits
75 Tons/day Tomato paste

b. Harir Canning Plant

Planned to Start production during 1976 to produce the following:
1500 Ton/year Grape Juice
850000 liter/year Wine
1500 Tone/year Fruit compote
1000 Tone/year Jame

c. Expansion of Baquoba Canning Plant

The existing tomato paste line at Baquoba has a capacity of about 25 tons of paste per day. The following additional lines are being installed at the same location.

- Second Tomato paste line simillar to the existing line.
- Canned Peeled Tomato line with a capacity of 1.6-2 tors/hr.
- Onion Dehydration Plant with a capacity of 6-7 tone of dry onion per day.

All the above new lines are expected to start operation during 1975.

4. Numaniya Canning Factory

A second tomato paste line is now being constructed in Numaniya with a capacity of 25 tons of paste per day.

Tomato juice line with capacity of 1.5 - 3 tons of Freeh tomato per hr. and Vinegerplant from date with a capacity of 5000 tons per year are also expected to be completed during 1975.

e. Balad Canning Plant

Tomato paste plant with a capacity of 50 tons per day will become operational during 1976.

Canning Plants Suggested for Execution:

The following plants are being suggested for execution as soon as approval of their feasibility studies are obtained.

- Baby food at Baled with capacity of 2500 tons/ year
- Tomato paste lines with total capacity 100 tons of paste per day.
- Onion Dehydration plant, 6-7 tons of dry onion per day.
- Grape Juice plant, with a capacity of 1500 tons per year.
- Canned vegetables in Kerbala with a capacity of 1-1.5 tons per day.
- Frozen vegetables at Edled with 2 tens per hr. capacity.

4. Consumption Pattern and Forecasts:

Table No. 14 shows the consumption pattern of the four main canned products during the years 1960-1969 for which data ars available. These products are jams, date syrup, canned vegetables and fruits and tomato paste.

Except for tomato paste where consumption figures shows steady and almost regular increase, consumption of other canned products showed sharp fluctuations due to irregular supply of raw materials or irregular demand on these products. Therefore ne sound basis could be obtained for forcasting satisfactorily future consumption of canned products except for tomato paste for which consumption forecasting until 1985 is shown on Table No. 15. Calculation of these forecast figures was obtained by extrapolating a straight line through data of 3 year averages to eliminate the effect of fluctuation on consumption patterns. Based on these forecasts Iraq is expected to consume about 20,000 tone of tomato paste during 1975 and about 25,000 tone during 1985. Table No. 16 shows the per capital consumption of tomato paste in Iraq during the years 1960-1969.

5. Problems Facing the Canning Industry in Iraq:

A. Availability of raw material:

Data of local production of fruits and vegetables in Iraq showed that the surplus available for canning industry is rather limited. Short supply of agricultural raw materials was the major obstacls hindering the growth of canning industry.

Development of agricultural production of raw materials for the canning industry is believed to be one of the most important fields where United Nations technical assistance could be utilised.

Tin plate plays an important part in the canning industry as packing material.

This compaint is entirely imported from foreign course. Raising prices of the tin plate and ats coarcity in the market is another problem facing the comming industry in Irac.

Use of substitutes like glass and plastics which could be made available locally are being encouraged.

b) Policies of agricultural raw materials:

The canning industry in Iraq is characterized by the domination of the public sector who operates about 90-95% of its activities. The agricultural production, on the other part, is operated mainly by the private sector and cooperatives in which the government have limited influence. Due to this situation, no regular supply of agricultural raw material could be secured for the canning industry.

Stimulation of agricultural private sector to supply part of the requirement of the canning industry was made through contracts made between the two parties in which the industry supplies seeds, loans, advice.. etc. to the farmer. This policy was rather successful in stumulating the production of two agricultural products needed by the canning industry, namely Tomato for paste production and water-melon for jam production.

c) Training of Prerson el:

Training of personnal for the cambing industry was very limited and on-the-job-training schemes was the only method used to bring up trained staff for this industry. The importance of training was then realized and plans was put

to build two training centres. The first one will be located in Faquir and devoted to the training of staff for the food industry in general while the second training centre planned to be built in Kerbala.will be oriented entirely to the education, research and training of personnel for the canning industry.

These two centres will bring up trained personnel for the canning plant already under construction or planned for execution in the future.

d) Exportability of Products;

Due to remain contributed to the high price of major raw and packing materials of canned products, it was difficult for these products to compete in foreign markets. Very limited quantities of canned food was exported to the Arabian Gulf countries where freight cost in an advantage to Iraqi exported compdities.

The table below indicates the value of exported cannot products during fiscal years 1972-1973 and 1973-1974 and the countries to whome these products were exported.

Product	Value of can 'exported (Ir 1972-1973	açi Dinars)	Countries products orted. 1972-1973	were exp-
Date Syrup	5952	66284	Syria	Syria, Lebanon.
Jams	5027	2206	Bahrain	Jorden, Kuwait, Quatar, Pakistan Abu`Dubi, Tanzanit, Cyprus, afganistan

Cannod Vegetables	15947	8223	Kuwait,	Bahrain	Cyprus, Afganistan
Total	26926	76763			

c) Technical Problems:

It is well known that Iraq is the major producer of dates in the world. The technology and know-how for processing of date into date care and other products is very limited in the world. Hence, it is very important that Iraq should develop his own technology for these products.

Among the difficulties encountered in the processing of date syrup was the following:

- The development of an economical method for the removal of pectin from the syrup. It is known that pectin could be removed or destroyed by enzyme or heat application.

The first method is rather expensive while the latter could produce deterioration of the colour of the syrup by caramilization.

- The development of an efficient method of sterilizing date syrup in cans and improving its, keepability without subjecting it to undue severe conditions.
- The extraction of juice from dates and the filteration and clarification of the juice display certain unique characteristics which require further study and development.

6. Conclusions

Data of local production of fruits and vegetables in Iraq showed that eurplus available for canning industry is limited. Short supply of raw material was the major obstacle hindering the growth of canning industry.

It is expected that completion of the new canning projects will stimulate the growth of agricultural production and hence more raw material will be made available to the canning industry.

Development of agricultural raw materials production for canning industry is believed to be one of the most important fields where United Nations technical assistance could be utilised.

Table No. (1) Compdition Used by State Canning Co. in Kerbala in Fiscal 72-73

					W. Just	£		
•			diantity.		2078			M
Material	Unit	Local	Imported	Total	Local	Imported	Total	
A) her Materials								
	(704	(75	סטינ	٠	31000	
1. Fruits	101	36			15000	ı	15000	
7. Fresh Tomato	9	6216	1	8218	205000	•	205000	
5. Conc. Tomato Paste	T T OF TO TO TO	24.83 _	3860	24.83 3.860	25000	359000	25000 355000	
Total					256000	359000	61,5000	678
a) Deciting Naterials					•			
1. Tina & Cans	Thousand	d 5231	ı	5231	155000	ı	155000	
2. Tin Plate	Ton	•	375	375	•	4,7000	47000	
Total					155000	4,7000	202000	22%
C) Other Com.					106000		106000	311
Ratio of Local					≥6 🛪	**		100%
Com. to Imported								

Tabla No. 2 Local Production and Consumption of Vegetables (winter crop)

	1										
	Unit	1960	1961	1962	1963	1964	1965	3961	1991	196A	3969
Area Planted	Donum	108321	101814	83309	102650	102650 109121 121945 141051	121945	141052	इप्रभूति व्यक्तित्रा	73,634 <u>[</u>	157771
Production	Ton	117758	14,8113	173981	301261	151990	251772	262659	28753C 29012.	29012.,	261921
Layorts	Ton	91751	34575	20064	20064 18437	20619	21,375	26371	±0173	22007	25203
Erports	Ton		1	ı	1			•	l	155:	308
Local Consumption	Ton	133174	152688	194045	152688 194045 215537 172609 276147 288995	172609	276147	288930	312499	320578	306816

Table No. 3

Production of Important Winter error vegetables during 1970 - 1971

Type of Vegetable	Area Planted Donum	Yeild Kgm/Donum	Production Ton	×
Green broad beans	63884	1582	101104	30%
Green Onion	28026	2794	6718 8	20%
Lettuce	14312	2817	40314	12%
Turnip	12318	2408	29667	9%
Radish	10532	2701	28,449	8%
Cabbage	4449	3484	15501	5%
Gwiss chard	8728	1728	15076	4.5%
Boot	4234	3306	13996	4%
Carret	3445	3084	10615	3%
Spinach	5729	5729	9rt 9rt	2.59
Cauliflower	2463	2706	6661	2%
			337055	100%

Source: "Study of Production cost and yield of winter & summer crop vegetables in Iraq for season 1970 - 1971"

Prepared by studies and Research Div.

Ministry of Agriculture and Agrarian Reform, Oct. 1973

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Local Production and Consumption of Vegetables (Summer crop) except Tomato

	Unit 1960	1960	1961 1962	1962	1963	1961 1961	1965	1966	1967 1968	1968	1969
Area Flanted	Donus	Donum 288924	263819	284.951	310021	381856	410532	134687	263819 284.951 310021 381856 410532 434687 493743 468475 489277	1,684.75	489277
Production	Ton	472415	505215	637622	675525	884411	946843	989875	505215 637622 675525 884411 946843 989875 1367781 1074022 1160811	1074022	1160911
Import	Ton	665	1264	1256	1308	1831	1731	1731 1972	604	457	
Export	Ton	1	•	1	554	921	1941	3861	₹95	5860	21912
Consumption	Ton	473081	62179	738878	676279	885321	947112	987935	506779 738878 676279 885321 947112 987335 1262751, 1068619, 1138899	1068619	1136899

Summer crop vege-	Winter crop_vegeta-	Total Production	Ratio of Produ	rotal ction
tables 1000 Tons	bles 1000 Tons	1000 Tons	Summer crop	Winter crop
1419	109	558	80.4%	19.6%
1133	251	1384	81.9%	18.1%
1229	267	14.96	82.2%	17.8%
1509	297	1806	83.6%	16.4%
1303	304	1607	81.1%	18.8%
1381	3 02	1633	82.2%	17.8%
1447	281	1728	83.7%	16.3%
1974	340	2314	58 .3%	14.7%
	1000 Tons 1449 1133 1229 1509 1303 1381 1447	tables bles 1000 Tons 1000 Tons 449 109 1133 251 1229 267 1509 297 1303 304 1381 302 1447 281	tables bles 1000 Tons 1000 Tons 1449 109 558 1133 251 1229 267 1496 1509 297 1806 1303 304 1607 1381 302 1447 281 1728	tables bles 1000 Tons 1000 Tons 1000 Tons Summer crop 1449 109 558 80.4% 1133 251 1384 81.9% 1229 267 1496 82.2% 1509 297 1806 83.6% 1303 304 1607 81.1% 1381 302 1633 82.2% 1447 281 1728 83.7%

Source: Same as for table 3

Note: Pigures in this table differ slightly from those of table 2 & 4 due to different sources.

Table No. 6 Local Production and Consumption of Fresh Tomato

	Unit	1961	1965	1966	1961	1968	1969	1970	1761	1972	1973
Area Planted	Donum	110635	710452	114639	128653	126173	116730	146665	14,9082	173482	172472
Production	Ton	ે 40681	195818	216402	175142	232157	220163	310680	382659	368160	355205
Import	Ton	424.73	30026	62523	40763	26964	39822	\$1780£	7279	2101	200
Export	Ton	ı	l	ı	1	66	310	753	14.5	833	47.7
Local Consumption	Tcn	231521	225844	278925	₩ 1282	231755	259675	340773	389993	365428	354928
Quantity used for fomato	Ton	•	ı		9	28	209	1518	2812	21203	16000

Table No. 7 Comsumption of tomato paste and Fresh Tomato

	£96૨	1961	1965	1966	1961	1966	1969
L. Imported Tonato Paste in Tons	5506	7.477	10952	12566	12547	10874	10932
2. Its equivalent of Fresh Tonato (x 6)	51036	7,64,82	65712	75395	75282	65244	65592
3. Total Consumption at Prese compto	229910	278000	291556]54321	357416	347000	325267
4. Tatto of Local Production to total consumption	52.2%	68%	68%	8.E3	95°29	67%	76.6%
5. Ratio of Tomato paste of freed tomato as total consumption	22.3%	17%	22.5%	SIX	21%	%	%

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Table No. 8 Production & Consumption of Date

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	Unit	1960	1961	1962	1963	1961	1965	1966	1961	1968
Production	Ton	270000	300000 320000	320000	000027	310000	310000	280000 380000	380000	330000
Exports	Ton	176001	217220	238927	202076	228757	235227	216713	268469	222623
Corpumption	Ton	93999	82.7 8 U	81073	167923	£19 15	72.773	73287	111531	107577
Cambiity used in making date syrup	Ton	1643	2016	2129	25 772	3536	¥22	2220	2916	5379
Ratio of Qt. used in date syrup to total communition	×	1.3%	2.4%	2.5%	1.45	3.0%	3.0%	3.5%	2.6%	K

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Type of Fruit	No. of production	Production in Num	of every tree
Type of Franc	Trees	Min	Mex
Orange	2,276,928	15	129
Sweet Lemon	149,178	4	53
Lenon	139,165	5	4.3
Pomegranate	2,243,322	6	4.5
Apple	1,013,020	6	33
Pear	78,273	1	28
Peach	99,021	1	23
Plum	130,620	2	37
Apricot	468,110	4	25
Grapes	10,952,816	3	25
Fig	314,200	14	30
Olives	47,776	2	28

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Table No. 10 Exports & Imports of Fruits

Ame of Pruit		ImI	Imports				Exports	iń.
	1970		1971	1973 1971	1761	1972 1972	1972	1973
Citrus Pruits	1000	683	701	115	H°,	8	8	r4
Benana	3360	5229	4645	1034	•	ł	ł	1
Apple	12106	16345	23429	70,40	38	70°	95	203
Grapes	ı	1	ı	ı	ಜ	221	, ;	222
Pomegranate	1	ı	1	1	107	ಚ	72	53
Other Fruits	21.41	1622	1	183	742	128	69	8

during the period 1967-1968 to 1975-1974 in Thousand Iraqi Dinars Sales value of canned products produced by State Cambing Co. Table No. 11

	1967-1968	1968-1969	696	1969	1969-1970	1970-1971	1971	1971-1972	1972	1972	1972-1973	1973-1974	774
Product	base year	I.D.	×	1.D.	×	I.D.	×	I.D.	W.	a.i	×	I.D.	Meresso
20.0	&	138	39%	183	S/T/B	164	8	172	7.5%	179	80%	253	165%
Canned Vegetables	21	8	43%	29	219%	87	314%	8	352%	16	333%	242	57 6X
Tomate Paste	•	ri	•	26	•	1498	ı	1393	base	2642	898	4789	243%
Date Syrup	4.1	19	498	ĸ	73%	777	%	3	29 %	91	121\$	186	353%
Total	161	230	42%	7.27	115%	791	391%	1724	9704	970% 3002	1763%	5380	32418
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[#] This ratio epresent the percentage increase in sales value coupared to base year.

[#] Comparison as based on fixed prices

Table 11 continued

Quantities of Canned Products Produced BY State Canning Co.
during 1967 - 1968 to 1973 - 1974 in Tons

	1967-1968	1968 - 1969	1969	1969	1969 - 1970	1761- 0761		1971-1972	226	1972-1973	576	1973-1974	.974
	base year	Actual	×	Actual	×	Actual \$	×	Actual		% Actual % Actual	ĸ	Ac tual	×
2. Jam	भूग.9	919	ı	503	% (91)	77.4	16,6	839	36%	17.4	(57)	9280	इ तद
2. Cannod Vog.	R	16	X (6L)	7	368%	337	355K	442	¥267	536	624%	828	863%
3. Tomato Paste	H	4	ı	162	ı	1795	Bese	1881	1718	11677	550%	11514	541X
4. Dete Syrup	ĸ	1025	Base Year	176	% (9)	673	(35)% 976	926	(55)	1515	K. 7	3407	2328
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Table (11 a) Fixed Capital Development of State Canning Co. in 1000 Iraqi Dinare

Base Year	1961 - 1961	1969	1969 -	0261	1970 -	1761 - 0761	1972 - 1791	1972	1972 - 1973	1973	1973 - 1974	1974
1967 - 1968 ID.	ė	Increase	ė	Incresse	ė	Incress	ė	Incresse	e.	Increas	Ħ	incresso
322	339	×	383	19%	555	725	658	% †01	2294	612%	3112	%998

Table No. 12
Quantities of Products Sold
By State Canning Co. during
1972-1973 and 1973 1974

	Quantity 80	ld in Tons	*
Product	1972-1973	1973-1974	- increase
Jame	681	985	45%
Canned Vegetables	487	752	54%
Date Syrup	1362	2969	118%
Tomato Paste	10926	17781	63%

Table 13

Planned Production of the State Canning Company for 1974-1975 in Tons

Pro	duct	Quantity
1.	Jame	1000
2.	Canned vegetables	1000
3.	Tomato Paste	10 000
4.	Date syrup	4200

Table No. 14

Production and Local Consumption of Canned Products

	Unit	1960	1961	1962	1963	1961	1965	1966	1961	1956	1969
Date Syrup Production Export Consumption	Ton Ton Ton	1019 2146 -	1251 963 288	1320 729 591	1607 1599 18	2190 11.834	14,11 1,111 501	1819 1548 271	1661 1831 -	1141 2080 1099	м. А. 2091 -
Tomato Paste Froduction Imports Consumption	Ton Ton	144.78 14.78	122 4099 4221	60 7375 7435	229 8506 8735	189 77ሴ7 7936	8 10952 10960	64 12566 12630	2 12547 12549	4 10874 10878	44 10932 11076
Canned Veg. & Fruits Production Maports Reports esnsumption	Ton Ton	_ 1368 _ 1368	34 1131 - 1165	45 1230 - 1275	55 798 - 853	156 856 - 1012	256 659 - 924	21 792 -	75 469 - 537	153 616 82 687	24.7 26.4. 26.4.
Production Importe Exporte Consumption	fon fon fon	M.A.	M. A.	¥	88 850 - 938	15 - 10 - 10 - 10 - 10 - 10 - 10 - 10 -	228 438 - 666	216 108 - 324	676	687 - - 699	509 - 596

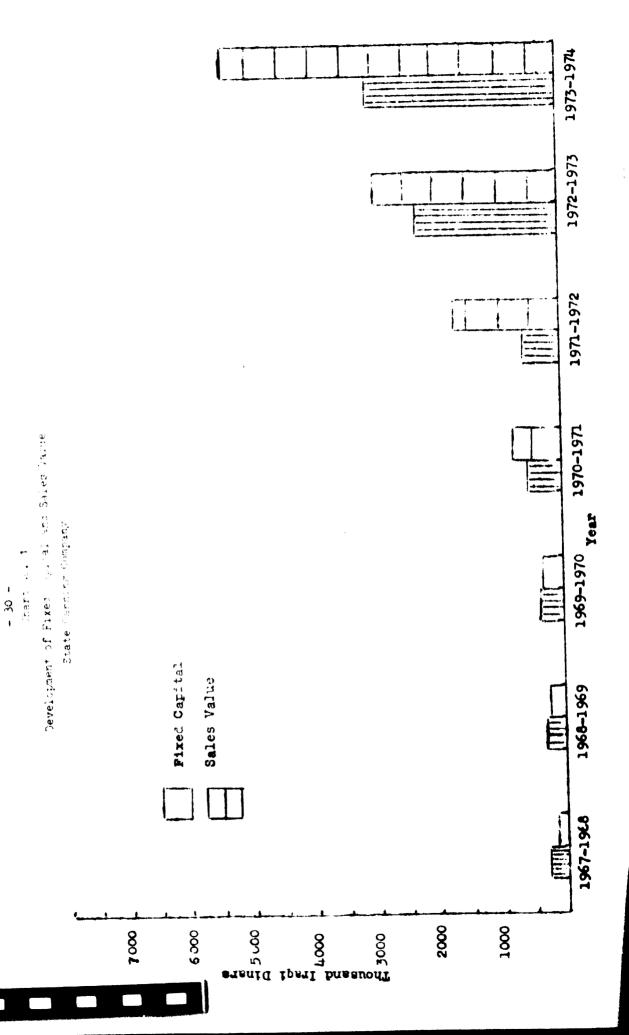
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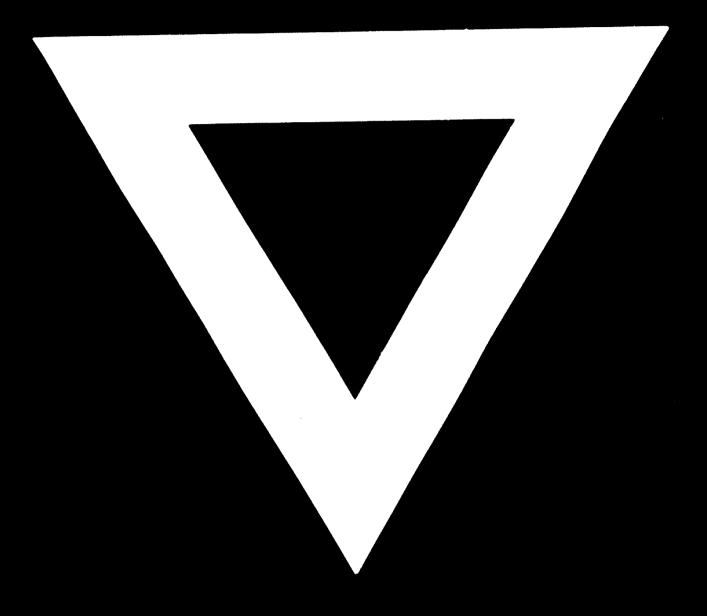
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Consumption Forecast for Tomato Pasta
In Iraq

Year	Expected Consumption in tons
1975	19 700
1976	20 700
1977	21 700
1978	22 700
1979	23 600
1980	2 4 600
1981	2 5 600
1982	25 600
1983	27 600
1984	23 500
1985	2° 500

Table 16
Consumption Pattern & per consumption
of tomato paste

Year	Concumption Tons	Relative increase	Per Capita consumption kgm.	Relative increase
1960	14478	100.0	o•ene	100,0
1961	4221	94.3	0.590	91.3
1962	7435	166.0	1.009	156.2
1963	8735	195.1	1.149	177.9
1964	1936	177.2	1.011	156.5
1965	10960	214.8	1.353	209.4
1966	12630	282.0	1.510	233.7
1967	12549	280.2	1.457	224.9
1968	10878	242.9	1.220	188.9
1969	11087	247.3	1.203	186.2





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