

# Current market and APL activities.

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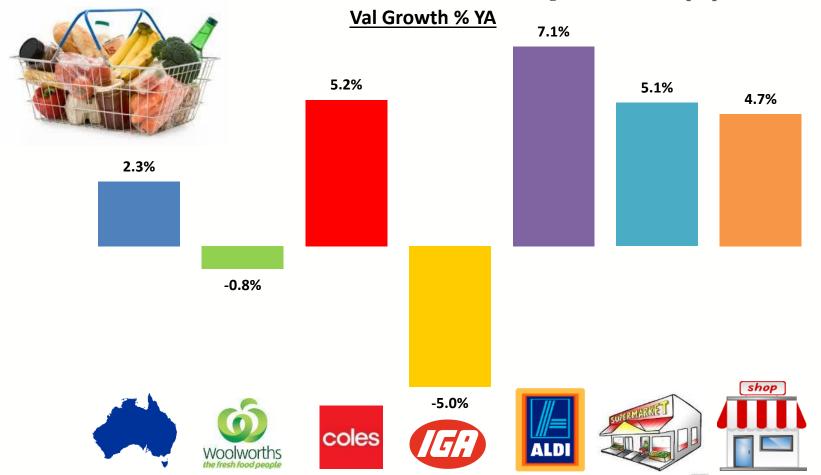


### **Current Market**



# The grocery market has slowed with some big differences in performance

### **Total Retail Grocery Sales (\$)**





## Pressure from ALDI is driving competition - key to winning is not necessarily price.

A new report from financial services company,

UBS Australia, has described Aldi as a

"unstoppable force" in

the Australian supermarket industry.



The key to lifting (market share) will be

### fresh perception,

which remains the number one category for improvement."



Pretty clearly someone in the top floor of the majestic head office out

in the hills, can read a spreadsheet, but probably does

## not know what goes on inside customers heads when they

are contemplating a purchase, and making a choice about the manner in which that purchase will be made.



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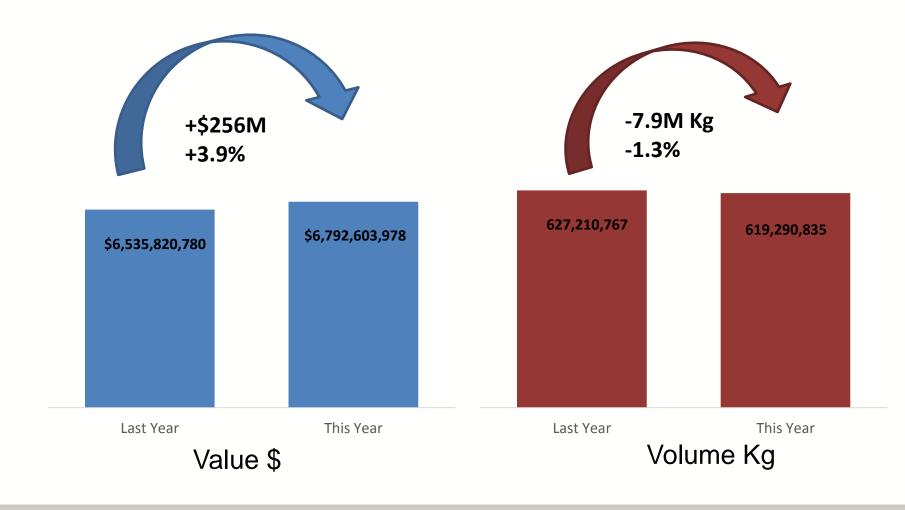


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## Fresh Meat is worth \$6.8 Billion per year in Australia and is growing. However volume is now in decline.





Whilst Value Sales continue to increase for Fresh Meat, volume is flat, with fewer % of households purchasing and purchasing less volume each trip.

Measure		MAT TO 11/06/2016	% Chg	
Penetration %	98.7	98.4	-0.4%	
Average Occasions	38.6	36.6	0.0%	
Volume Per Occasion	1.84	1.79	-2.7%	•
Value Per Occasion	19.22	19.69	2.4%	1



### Where is Meat Volume going?

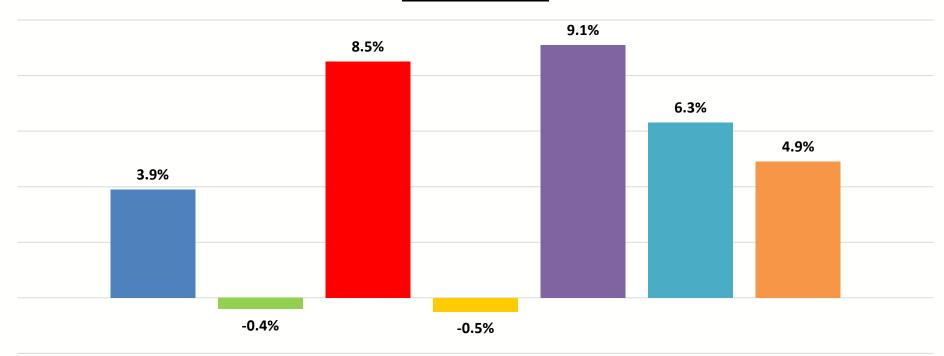
- 1. Smaller Portion sizes
- 2. Less waste/menu planning
- 3. Vegetarian meals
- 4. Eating out





# Butchers growing ahead of WW & IGA. ALDI leveraging Fresh Meat to drive sales.

#### Val Growth % YA













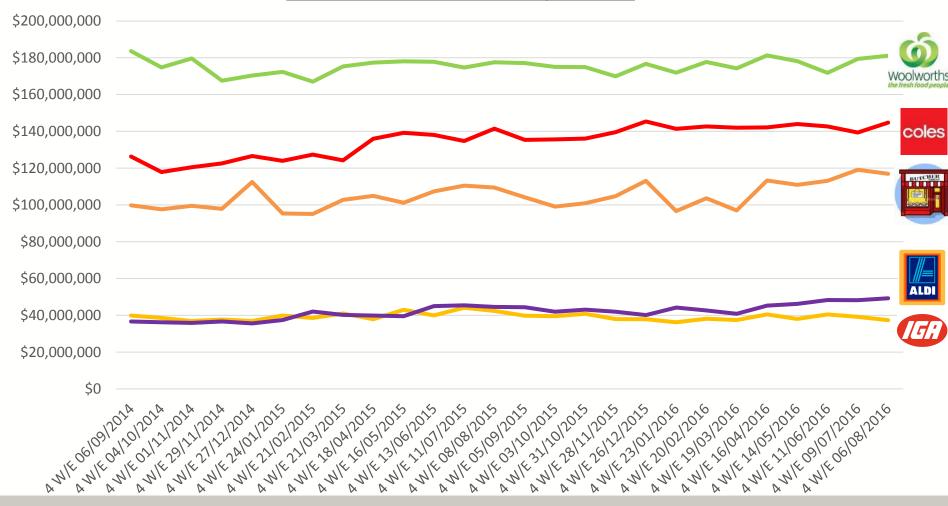






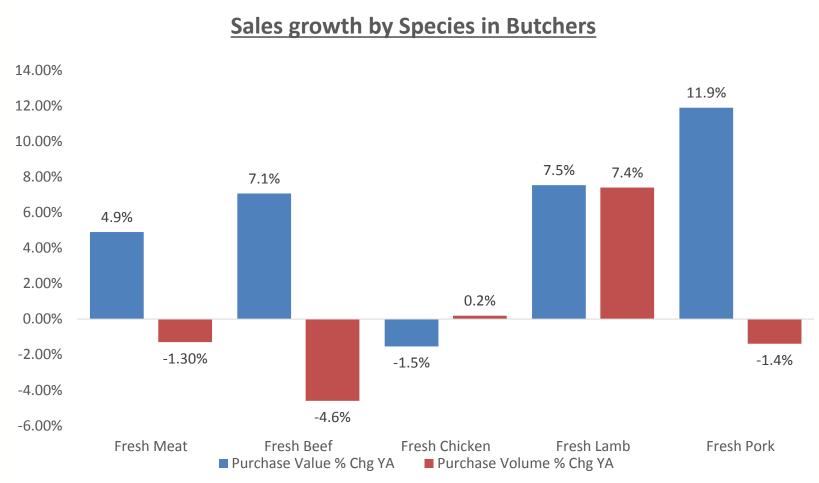
## Coles chasing Woolworths. Butcher recovery in recent weeks

#### Fresh Meat Value Sales by retailer



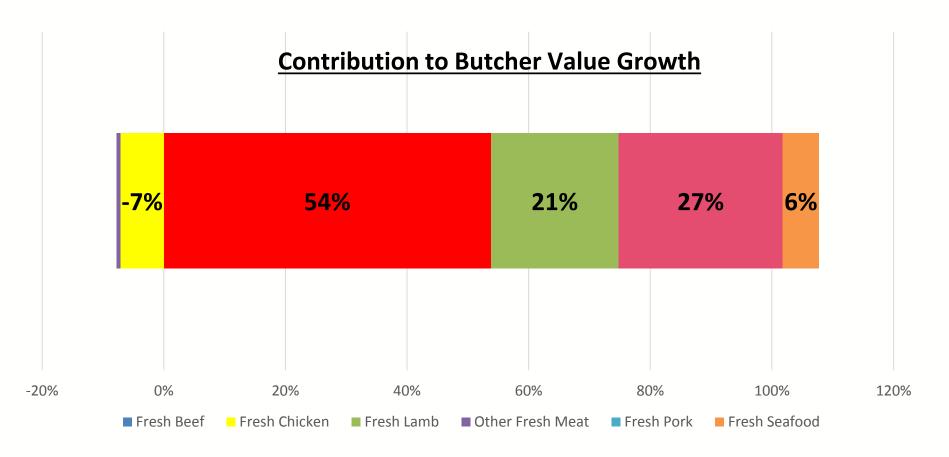


## Beef and Pork are driving value sales but also holding back volume





## **Biggest contributors to value growth are Beef and Pork**





### What does this mean?

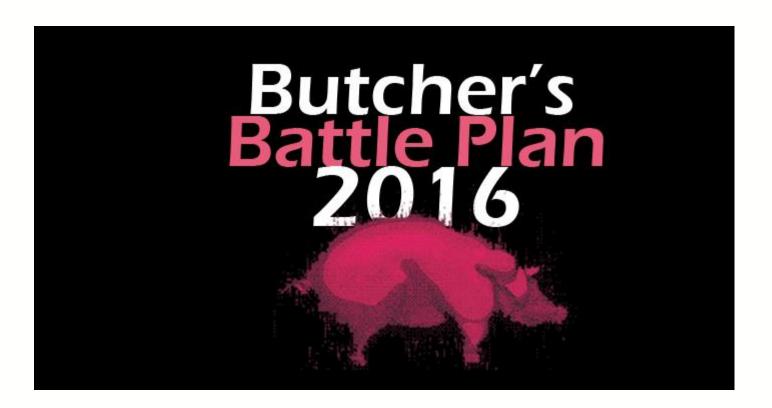
- The pressure keeps comping but butchers are keeping up.
- Fresh, premium and customer service are the gaps that the butcher can fill.
- Branding & Marketing becoming more important to demonstrate premium.
- Profitability and product mix is key.
- Value-adding continues to evolve.
- Proactive butchers who can provide solutions to smaller portion sizes, vegetarian options, eating out and menu planning will succeed.



## **Butchers' Battleplan**



# The Butcher's Battle Plan - helping Butchers to become better retailers



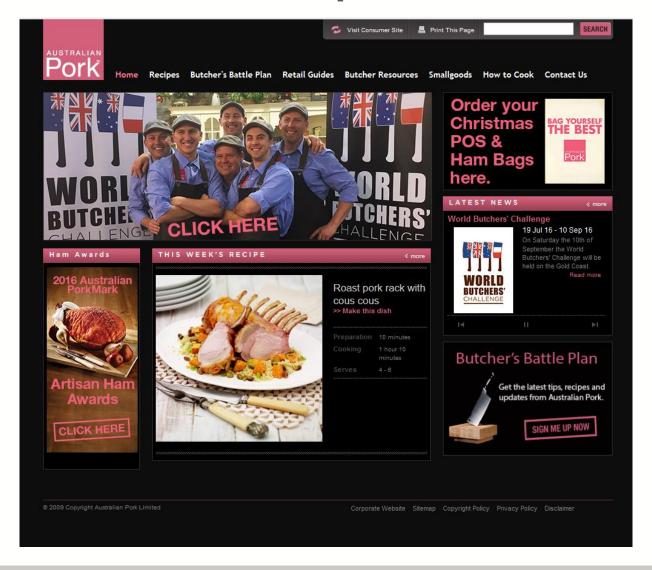


### Fortnightly EDMs and Value-add Recipes

- > Insights
- > Industry News
- Pork Specific insights

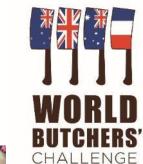


# Porkbutcher website is a central resource for Butchers – www.porkbutchers.com.au





# Key Partners with the Australian Steelers and The World Butchers' Challenge







## **Sharing information and learning from each other**





# Marketing Activities 6-2-2



### The 6-2-2 Methodology

Initial research identified a consistent set of cooking instructions for a pork steak.

The 6-2-2 method - Reliable and improved eating quality experience and achievable in the home.



Research was conducted with Sensory Solutions in 2013

The success of the 6-2-2 methodology is based on retailers providing steaks that are consistently cut to agreed specifications (2 cm thick)



Source: Sales Data



### Impact of the campaign

Impact of the full campaign resulted in an increase of 55% above "expected" unit sales of pork steak.



<sup>\*</sup> Sales data analysis based on 16 weeks of data and only controls for price of pork steak & pork chops/cutlets.

<sup>\*\*</sup> Sales data analysis included some areas that were outside of the TV/Radio campaign coverage area so actual effect may be larger



### National Roll-out April 2016

#### **Key Information**

- Ran from 3rd April for 13 weeks
- Focused specifically on Pork Steaks
- Prime time TV and Radio
- Advantage for butchers speaking directly to customers



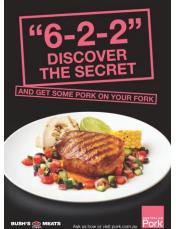


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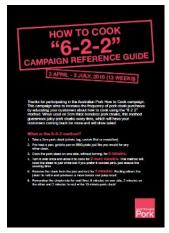




### **POS Kit - Contents**



Posters A2



1x Trade Presenter



1 x Counter Card



2 x Cabinet Tray ticket & Clips

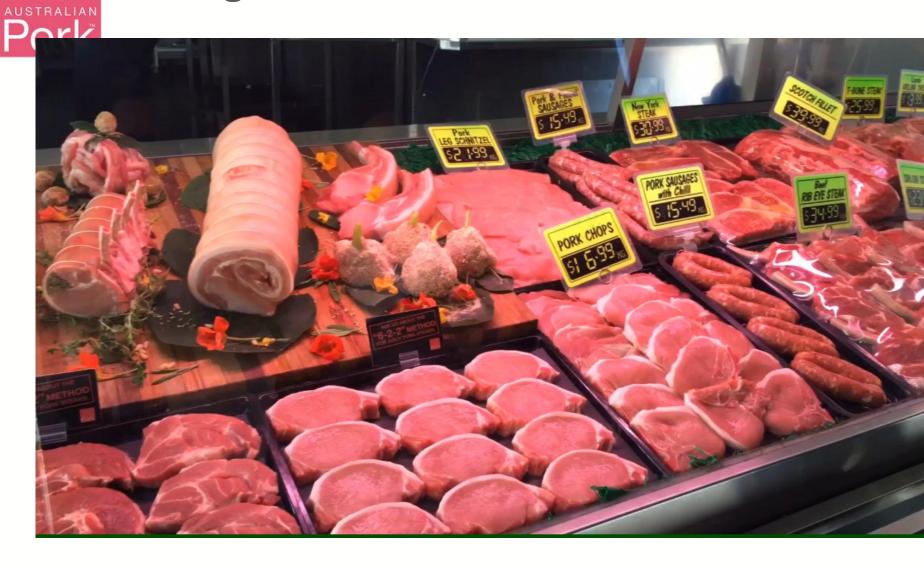


500 x Recipe Leaflets



1 x Quick Reference Card

### **Training Video**



www.australianpork.com.au



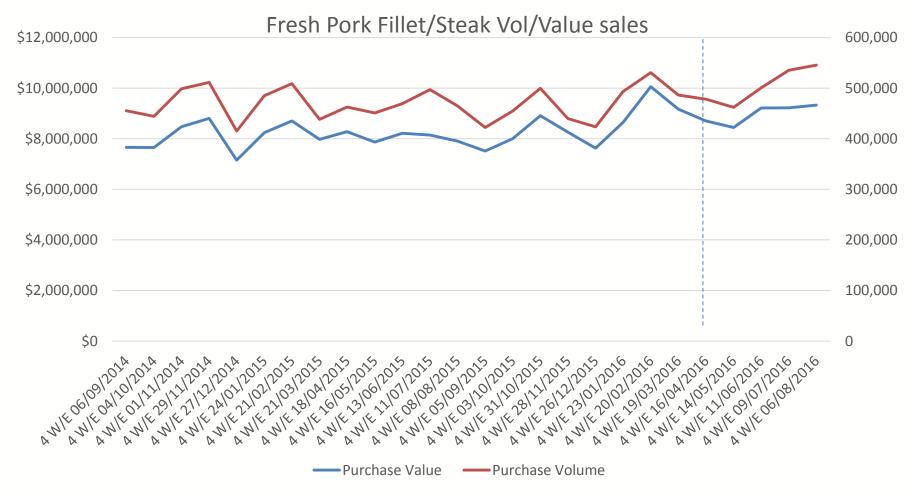
### **Communication with Butchers**

- Face to Face with as many butchers as possible
- Butcher Manager Meetings
- Butcher publications
- In house EDM
- Facebook
- Supply Chain
- Industry Bodies
- Can we involve MINTRAC in the future?





## 6-2-2 appears to be having a positive impact on volume and value





## Any Questions?