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		Cat. no.	Frequency	Price	Feature Article Page No.
MULTI-SUBJECT PRODUCTS					
	Measuring Australia's Progress, 2002	1370.0	Annual	45.00	2
CLASSIFICATIONS AND WORK MANUALS					
E	Australian Standard Geographical Classification (ASGC) Digital Boundaries (Intercensal), Australia on CD-ROM, 2001	1259.0.30.001	Annual	95.00	2
E	Australian Standard Geographical Classification (ASGC) Digital Boundaries, Australia on CD-ROM, 2001	1259.0.30.002	Five Yearly	95.00	n.a.
E	Australian Standard Geographical Classification (ASGC) Urban Centres and Localities (UC/L) Digital Boundaries, Australia on CD-ROM, 2001	1259.0.30.003	Five Yearly	95.00	n.a.

1370.0

Measuring Australia's Progress

Measuring a nation's progress -- providing information about whether life is getting better -- is one of the most important tasks that a national statistical agency can undertake. And for almost 100 years, the ABS has been measuring Australia's progress through the multitude of statistics we publish relating to the economy, society and the environment. But, for the most part, our statistical publications have tended to focus on each of these three broad areas in isolation from the others.

Recent years have seen growing public interest in the inter-relationships between economic, social and environmental aspects of life. There have, for example, been debates about the sustainability of economic growth and a recognition that the environment is neither an inexhaustible source of raw materials nor capable of absorbing an unlimited amount of waste. Similarly, progress on social concerns -- such as health, education and crime -- has inter-relationships with the growth and composition of economic activity.

Measuring Australia's Progress (MAP) is a new publication that we hope will enhance discussion. MAP considers some of the key aspects of progress side by side and discusses how they are linked with one another. It does not purport to measure every aspect of progress that is important. Nor does it consider all of the many different ways that parts of Australia and groups of Australians are progressing. It does, however, provide a national summary of many of the more significant areas of progress, presenting them in a way which can be quickly understood by all Australians. MAP will, we hope, inform and stimulate public debate and encourage all Australians to assess the bigger picture when contemplating progress in all its forms.

1259.0.30.001

Australian Standard Geographical Classification (ASGC), Digital Boundaries

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Feature article, page 22

MAIN ECONOMIC INDICATORS	Cat. no.	Frequency	Price
Australian National Accounts: National Income, Expenditure and Product, Dec 2001 to Sep 2002	5206.0	Quarterly	100.00
Australian Business Expectations, 2002 to 2003	5250.0	Quarterly	88.00
Balance of Payments and International Investment Position, Australia, Dec 2001 to Sep 2002	5302.0	Quarterly	100.00
International Trade in Goods and Services, Australia, Nov 2001 to Oct 2002	5368.0	Monthly	228.00
Housing Finance for Owner Occupation, Australia, Nov 2001 to Oct 2002	5609.0	Monthly	228.00
Private New Capital Expenditure and Expected Expenditure, Australia, Dec 2001 to Sep 2002	5625.0	Quarterly	78.00
Labour Force, Australia, Preliminary, Dec 2001 to Nov 2002	6202.0	Monthly	252.00
Average Weekly Earnings, States and Australia, Nov 2001 to Aug 2002	6302.0	Quarterly	84.00
Wage Cost Index, Australia, Dec 2001 to Sep 2002	6345.0	Quarterly	78.00
Job Vacancies, Australia, Nov 2001 to Aug 2002	6354.0	Quarterly	74.00
Consumer Price Index, Australia, Dec 2001 to Sep 2002	6401.0	Quarterly	84.00
Manufacturing Production, Australia, Dec 2001 to Sep 2002	8301.0	Quarterly	72.00
Retail Trade, Australia, Nov 2001 to Oct 2002	8501.0	Monthly	234.00
Building Approvals, Australia, Nov 2001 to Oct 2002	8731.0	Monthly	252.00
Building Activity, Australia: Dwelling Unit Commencements, Preliminary, Dec 2001 to Sep 2002	8750.0	Quarterly	72.00

5625.0

Private and New Capital Expenditure, Australia

Contains estimates of actual and expected new capital expenditure by type of asset (new buildings and other structures/equipment, plant and machinery) and by selected Australian and New Zealand Standard Industrial Classification subdivisions. These statistics are expressed in current prices and chain volume measures, in original, seasonally adjusted and trend terms.

6202.0

Labour Force, Australia: Preliminary

Preliminary results of the monthly Labour Force Survey containing estimates of employed and unemployed persons classified by sex, full-time/part-time status, States and Territories and some age groups; and persons not in the labour force.

5609.0

Housing Finance for Owner Occupation, Australia

Presents the number and value of secured finance commitments made by banks, permanent building societies, wholesale lenders n.e.c. and other lenders, provided to individuals/households for the purchase of owner occupied housing. The publication reports lending for the construction of dwellings, the purchase of new and established dwellings, for the refinancing of existing dwellings and for alterations and additions to dwellings.

CATALOGUES AND GUIDES		Cat. no.	Frequency	Price
	Catalogue of Publications and Products, 2002	1101.0	Annual	6.80
	Publications and Products Released in Month, Dec 2001 to Nov 2002	* 1102.0	Monthly	15.00
	Release Advice, 2002	* 1105.0	Twice Weekly	101.00
E	Publications Released in (Year) on CD-ROM, 2001	1124.0	Annual	2750.00
YEAR BOOKS				
	Year Book Australia, 2002	1301.0	Annual	84.00
E	Year Book Australia on CD-ROM, 2002	1301.0.30.001	Annual	84.00
	New South Wales Year Book, 2002	1300.1	Annual	49.00
	Victorian Year Book, 2002	1301.2	Annual	49.00
	Australian Capital Territory in Focus, 2002	1307.8	Annual	49.00
POCKET YEAR BOOKS				
	Tasmanian Pocket Year Book, 2002	1302.6	Annual	12.50
MONTHLY SUMMARY				
	Tasmanian Statistical Indicators, Jan to Dec 2002	1303.6	Monthly	252.00
	Monthly Summary of Statistics, Qld, Feb 2002-Jan 2003	1304.3	Monthly	252.00
ECONOMIC SUMMARY PUBLICATIONS				
	Australian Economic Indicators, Jan 2002 to Jan 2003	1350.0	Monthly	455.00
	South Australian Economic Indicators, Feb 2002 to Jan 2003	1307.4	Monthly	240.00
	Australian Capital Territory Business Indicators, Jan to Dec 2002	1303.8	Monthly	222.00

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1307.8 Australian Capital Territory in Focus

Presents the latest data on the social, demographic and economic description of the Australian Capital Territory by drawing on a wide range of statistics compiled by the ABS and other organisations. Topics included in the publication range from education, environment, demography, tourism and culture, to government, the economy, foreign trade, law and order, housing and construction, transportation, health and community services, ABS business register counts and the labour market.

1350.0 Australian Economic Indicators

Australian Economic Indicators (AEI) is the flagship monthly economic compendium of all the main economic indicators produced by the ABS. It also includes key economic indicators from the Reserve Bank of Australia; Commonwealth Treasury; Australian Bureau of Agricultural and Resource Economics (ABARE); the Australian Stock Exchange and the Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development (OECD). AEI contains: comprehensive tables and charts on National accounts; International accounts; Consumption and investment; Production; Prices; Labour force and demography; Incomes and labour costs; Financial markets; State comparisons and International Comparisons; feature articles and technical notes relevant to economic analysts; quarterly updates of the Experimental Composite Leading Indicator of the Australian Business Cycle and a quarterly review of the economy. The March through to January issues of AEI generally present the statistics as time series for the last nine years of annual data, and for the last nine quarters or 15 months of sub-annual data. The February issue contains longer time series (20 years of annual, 10 years of quarterly and 4 years of monthly data where available).

OTHER MULTI-SUBJECT PUBLICATIONS		Cat. no.	Frequency	Price
	Regional Statistics, New South Wales, 2002	1362.1	Annual	30.00
	Regional Statistics, Victoria, 2003	1362.2	Annual	36.00
	Regional Statistics, Queensland, 2001	1362.3	Annual	31.00
	Regional Statistics, South Australia, 2002	1362.4	Annual	39.00
	Regional Statistics, Northern Territory, 2002	1362.7	Annual	39.00
	Regional Statistics, Australian Capital Territory, 2002	1362.8	Annual	24.00
	State and Regional Indicators, Victoria, Dec 2001 to Sep 2002	1367.2	Quarterly	96.00
	Western Australian Statistical Indicators, Dec 2001 to Sep 2002	1367.5	Quarterly	96.00
	Book Publishers, Australia, 2000–01	1363.0	Annual	18.50
NR	Measuring Australia's Progress, 2002	1370.0	Annual	45.00
	Australian Wine and Grape Industry, 2001	1329.0	Annual	26.00
CLASSIFICATIONS AND WORK MANUALS				
	Australian Standard Geographical Classification (ASGC), Jul 2002	1216.0	Annual	65.00
E	Australian Standard Geographical Classification (ASGC.) – Structures on Floppy Disk, Jul 2002	1216.0.15.001	Annual	85.00
E	Australian Standard Geographical Classification (ASGC.), Digital Boundaries (Intercensal), Australia on CD-ROM, 2001	1259.0.30.001	Annual	95.00
E	Australian Standard Geographical Classification (ASGC.) Digital Boundaries, Australia, on CD-ROM, 2001	1259.0.30.002	Five Yearly	95.00
E	Australian Standard Geographical Classification (ASGC.), Urban Centres and Localities (UC/L), Digital Boundaries, Australia, on CD-ROM, 2001	1259.0.30.003	Five Yearly	95.00
E	Treasury Model of the Australian Economy – TSP Version, Sep 2001 to June 2002	1364.0.15.001	Quarterly	2110.00
E	Modellers' Database, Sep 2001 to Jun 2002	1364.0.15.003	Quarterly	688.00
	Statistical Geography: Volume 2 – Census Geographic Areas, Australia, 2001	2905.0	Five Yearly	29.00
	Statistical Geography: Volume 3 – Australian Standard Geographical Classification (ASGD.) Urban Centres/Localities, 2001	2909.0	Five Yearly	23.00

1362.1 Regional Statistics, NSW

Contains recent principal statistics available for Statistical Divisions and for each Local Government Area, including: area; population; births; deaths; building activity; tourist accommodation; businesses on the register; local government finances; and Socio Economic indicators. Also contains social indicators and labour force statistics for regions of the State.

1216.0 Statistical Geography: Volume 1 – Australian Standard Geographical Classification

A classification system, designed and maintained by the ABS, which divides Australia into geographical areas for the purpose of collecting and disseminating statistics. It provides details of the geographical areas effective at 1 July 2001 and also maps of these areas.

Product Changes: State and Regional Indicators, Victoria (1367.2) replaces Monthly Summary of Statistics, Victoria (1303.2)

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DEMOGRAPHY - GENERAL	Cat. no.	Frequency	Price
Australian Demographic Statistics, Sep 2001 to Jun 2002	3101.0	Quarterly	92.00
Demography, New South Wales, 2001	3311.1	Annual	29.00
Demography, Victoria, 2001	3311.2	Annual	27.00
Demography, Queensland, 2001	3311.3	Annual	30.00
Demography, South Australia, 2001	3311.4	Annual	27.00
Demography, Western Australia, 2001	3311.5	Annual	30.00
Demography, Tasmania, 2001	3311.6	Annual	30.00
Demography, Northern Territory, 2001	3311.7	Annual	26.00
Demography, Australian Capital Territory, 2001	3311.8	Annual	26.00
POPULATION TRENDS AND ESTIMATES			
Population by Age and Sex, Australian States and Territories, Jun 2002	3201.0	Annual	20.00
Regional Population Growth, Australia and New Zealand, 2001-02	3218.0	Annual	32.00
Regional Population Growth, Australia and New Zealand, 1991-2001 (Census Edition)	3218.0	Annual	32.00
VITAL STATISTICS			
Births, Australia, 2001	3301.0	Annual	28.00
Deaths, Australia, 2001	3302.0	Annual	27.00
Causes of Death, Australia, 2001	3303.0	Annual	29.00
Marriages and Divorces, Australia, 2001	3310.0	Annual	32.00
MIGRATION			
Overseas Arrivals and Departures, Australia, Dec 2001 to Nov 2002	3401.0	Monthly	234.00
Migration, Australia, 2000-2001	3412.0	Annual	30.00
INDIGENOUS STATISTICS			
Population Distribution, Indigenous Australians, 2001	4705.0	Five Yearly	29.00

3101.0 Australian Demographic Statistics

Presents time series data of population estimates, estimates of resident households, births, deaths, infant deaths, marriages, divorces, and interstate and overseas movements. The December 2001 issue will provide preliminary state and territory estimated resident population (ERP) by five-year age groups and sex based on the 2001 Census while the June 2002 issue will provide final data based on the 2001 Census.

3401.0 Overseas Arrivals and Departures, Australia

Comprises a summary of monthly data by category of movement. For visitors arriving and residents departing short term, the intended length of stay, main purpose of journey, principal destination (departures) or country of usual residence (arrivals) and State and Territory in which most time was spent.

Product Change: Population by Age and Sex for Australian States and Territories (3235.1 – 3235.8) are now available only in electronic format. For more information call the National Information and Referral Service on 1300 135 070.

SOCIAL STATISTICS - GENERAL	Cat. no.	Frequency	Price
Australian Social Trends, 2002	4102.0	Annual	47.00
Cultural Funding, Australia, 2000–01	4183.0	Annual	18.00
HEALTH AND WELFARE			
Private Hospitals, Australia 2000–01	4390.0	Annual	22.00
CRIME AND JUSTICE			
Recorded Crime, Australia, 2001	4510.0	Annual	22.00
Corrective Services, Australia, Dec 2001 to Sep 2002	4512.0	Quarterly	88.00
Higher Criminal Courts, Australia, 2000–01	4513.0	Annual	21.00
Prisoners in Australia, 2001	4517.0	Annual	23.00
ENVIRONMENT			
Environmental Issues, People's Views and Practices, Mar 2002	4602.0	Annual	25.00
Environment Expenditure, Local Government, Australia, 2000–01	4611.0	Annual	23.00
EDUCATION			
Schools, Australia, 2001	4221.0	Annual	24.00

4102.0

Australian Social Trends

Presents statistical analysis and commentary on a wide range of current social issues. Articles are organised into seven chapters, representing the following broad areas of interest: population; families; health; education and training; work; income and housing. Each chapter is supported by a set of summary tables including key social indicators which provide an overview of social change over the past decade, as well as how social conditions differ across Australian States and Territories. A set of international tables also compares Australia with 18 other nations.

The style of the report is clear, focussed and easy to read. Effective use is made of summary tables and graphics to highlight key information. The annual series, as it builds up over time, will provide an invaluable historical perspective of social change in Australia.

4390.0

Private Hospitals, Australia

Provides details about the operation of private acute and psychiatric hospitals, and free-standing day hospital facilities in Australia. Information is included about facilities (beds available, special units, etc.), activities (patient throughput, days of hospitalisation provided, bed occupancy rates), patients (types of admitted patients, outpatients and operations performed), staffing and finances.

4611.0

Environment Expenditure, Local Government, Australia

This publication focuses on local governments and their role in providing environmental management for their jurisdiction. The publication developed from Environment Protection Expenditure Account, Australia (4603.0) and highlights financial transactions made by local government on environmental issues.

LABOUR FORCE	Cat. no.	Frequency	Price
Labour Force, Australia, Preliminary, Dec 2001 to Nov 2002	6202.0	Monthly	252.00
Labour Force, Australia, Nov 2001 to Nov 2002	6203.0	Monthly	351.00
Labour Force, Australia -- Preliminary Data on Floppy Disk, Dec 2001 to Nov 2002	6271.0	Monthly	540.00
Labour Force, Teenage Employment and Unemployment, Australia, Preliminary – Data Report, Dec 2001 to Nov 2002	6202.0.40.001	Monthly	540.00
Labour Force, Selected Summary Tables, Australia, Dec 2001 to Nov 2002	6291.0.40.001	Monthly	540.00
Persons Not in the Labour Force, Australia, Sep 2001	6220.0	Annual	23.00
Job Search Experience of Unemployed Persons, Australia, Jul 2001	6222.0	Annual	22.00
Transition from Education to Work, Australia, May 2002	6227.0	Annual	23.00
Underemployed Workers, Australia, Sep 2001	6265.0	Annual	22.00
Labour Mobility, Australia, Feb 2002	6209.0	Biennial	23.00
Education and Training Experience, Australia, 2001	6278.0	Irregular	26.00
LABOUR EARNINGS AND HOURS			
Average Weekly Earnings, States and Australia, Nov 2001 to Aug 2002	6302.0	Quarterly	84.00
Wage Cost Index, Australia, Dec 2001 to Sep 2002	6345.0	Quarterly	78.00
Wage and Salary Earners, Australia, Sep 2001 to Dec 2001	6248.0	Quarterly	42.00
LABOUR DISPUTES, CONDITIONS AND COSTS			
Employee Earnings, Benefits and Trade Union Membership, Australia, Aug 2001	6310.0	Annual	26.00
Job Vacancies, Australia, Nov 2001 to Aug 2002	6354.0	Quarterly	74.00
Industrial Disputes, Australia, Oct 2001 to Sep 2002	6321.0	Monthly	222.00

6220.0

Persons Not in the Labour Force, Australia

Persons who were not in the labour force are classified by whether they wanted to work and whether they looked for work in the last 12 months. Data on reasons for not actively looking for work, main activity, time since last job and details of that job are included. Characteristics of persons with marginal attachment to the labour force and discouraged jobseekers are also provided. Estimates can be cross-classified by labour force demographics such as State, sex, marital status and birthplace.

6310.0

Employee Earnings, Benefits and Trade Union Membership, Australia

Contains information from three survey topics: weekly earnings of employees, core employment benefits and trade union members. Weekly earnings data shows the distribution of weekly earnings of all wage and salary earners classified by full-time/part-time status, permanent or casual employee, sector, hours worked and hours paid. Core employment benefits data includes information relating to sick leave, annual leave, long-service leave and superannuation coverage. Information about the level of trade union membership is also provided.

Product Change: Wage and Salary Earners, Australia (6248.0). The future of this publication is under review with 2 issues currently being advertised for 2002. Subscribers to this product will be contacted once the review is finalised.

CENSUS OF POPULATION AND HOUSING	Cat. no.	Frequency	Price
Census of Population and Housing: Selected Social and Housing Characteristics, Australia, 2001	2015.0	Five Yearly	35.00
Census of Population and Housing: Selected Social and Housing Characteristics for Statistical Local Areas, New South Wales and Jervis Bay, 2001	2015.1	Five Yearly	33.00
Census of Population and Housing: Selected Social and Housing Characteristics for Statistical Local Areas, Victoria, 2001	2015.2	Five Yearly	33.00
Census of Population and Housing: Selected Social and Housing Characteristics for Statistical Local Areas, Queensland, 2001	2015.3	Five Yearly	37.00
Census of Population and Housing: Selected Social and Housing Characteristics for Statistical Local Areas, South Australia, 2001	2015.4	Five Yearly	30.00
Census of Population and Housing: Selected Social and Housing Characteristics for Statistical Local Areas, Western Australia, Cocos (Keeling) and Christmas Islands, 2001	2015.5	Five Yearly	31.00
Census of Population and Housing: Selected Social and Housing Characteristics for Statistical Local Areas, Tasmania, 2001	2015.6	Five Yearly	28.00
Census of Population and Housing: Selected Social and Housing Characteristics for Statistical Local Areas, Northern Territory, 2001	2015.7	Five Yearly	28.00
Census of Population and Housing: Selected Social and Housing Characteristics for Statistical Local Areas, Australian Capital Territory, 2001	2015.8	Five Yearly	28.00
CLASSIFICATIONS AND WORK MANUALS			
Statistical Geography: Volume 2 – Census Geographic Areas, Australia, 2001	2905.0	Five Yearly	29.00
Statistical Geography: Volume 3 – Australian Standard Geographical Classification (ASGD.) Urban Centres/Localities, 2001	2909.0	Five Yearly	23.00

2015.0

Census of Population and Housing: Selected Social and Housing Characteristics, Australia

Contains 1996 and 2001 Census population counts and selected person, family and dwelling characteristics for all Statistical Divisions (SD) and Statistical Sub-divisions (SSD) within each State and Territory.

Commentary is provided, including a State or Territory summary, regional comparisons for selected topics and time series comparisons. The first release Basic Community Profile (BCP) at Australia level will also be included, along with reference maps. New inclusions for this issue are a set of comparison tables with 1901, 1996 and 2001 data for States, Territories and Capital City SDs; ranked tables for selected characteristics; and person counts on a Usual Residence basis.

2905.0

Statistical Geography: Volume 2 – Census Geographic Areas, Australia

Lists the names, codes and explanatory notes for the geographic areas that are specific to the 2001 Census of Population and Housing, including State and Commonwealth Electoral Divisions, Postal Areas, State Suburbs and Indigenous Geography. Names and codes for the Australian Standard Geographical Classification areas are not listed.

2001 CENSUS

The 2001 Census of Population and Housing was held on 7 August 2001. Since 1961 a census has been taken in Australia every five years. The objective of the census is to count the number of people in Australia on census night, identifying their key characteristics and those of the dwellings in which they live.

Information contained in most census products is based on 'place of enumeration' - that is, where people were counted on census night. Census counts are also available on a 'usual residence basis' - that is, where people normally reside.

Two stage release

A two stage release strategy is in place for 2001 census data. The first release of data is planned for July 2002 and the second release is planned to commence in late 2002. This strategy places priority on the early dissemination of data which is easily processed. Census products based on first release data available in 2002 include:

- Social and Housing Characteristics publications;
- Social Atlases;
- Basic Community and Indigenous Profiles;
- Census Snapshots

Also to be released in 2002 are the CD-ROM products:

- CData2001 (Release 1);
- CLib2001 (Release 1);
- The Census Guide.

Census Data on the ABS Website

A number of census products will be available free of charge via the internet. These products include:

- *Basic Community Profiles* for geographic areas down to Statistical Local Area;
- Main findings from *Selected Social and Housing Characteristics* (Cat. no. 2015.0 - .8) publications;
- Census snapshots.

Selected Social and Housing Characteristics, Australia (Cat. no. 2015.0) is the first release of census data. It contains 2001 census population counts and selected person and dwelling characteristics for all Statistical Divisions and Statistical Sub-divisions within each State & Territory. It also includes 1996 counts at Statistical Division level for comparison.

This 2001 Census publication has several innovations including:

- a summary table comparing data from 1901, 1996 and 2001 for Australia, States & Territories;
- a summary table comparing data from 1996 and 2001 for Capital City Statistical Divisions;
- data on households which used a personal computer or the internet;
- ranked tables for selected characteristics;
- person counts on a Usual Residence basis;
- a table showing basic family information.

Another feature included in this publication is the first release Basic Community Profile for Australia, a series of 21 informative tables.

The State and Territory level publications, *Selected Social and Housing Characteristics for SLA's* (Cat. no. 2015.1 - 8) are based on the Australia publication in format and content but have data at Statistical Local Area (SLA) level.

Social Atlases present thematic maps of the key social, demographic and economic characteristics of each capital city in Australia. A brief commentary explaining the main features and characteristics accompanies each map. A common core set of maps are included in each *Social Atlas* for population, ethnicity, education, families, income, labour force and dwellings. Each *Social Atlas* includes maps that highlight unique attributes pertaining to that particular capital city. *Social Atlases* will be released progressively from November 2002 to April 2003.

Publications

Selected Social and Housing Characteristics

These publications provide users with easy access to a range of basic 2001 census information. There are separate publications for Australia and for each State and Territory.

Community Profile Series

Community Profiles are a set of standard tables which contain key social, demographic and economic characteristics of people, families and dwellings. They are an economical way of obtaining a statistical picture of a community and making comparisons between different areas or different population groups.

The 2001 Census Community Profile Series will be available in hardcopy or electronically, with all tables accessible via the internet, many free of charge. Electronic versions of the Community Profiles will be provided with free windows-based manipulation software which allows users to view and manipulate data. The community profiles will be available in formats suitable for use with a range of spreadsheets, applications and databases.

Two Community Profiles will become available in 2002:

The *Basic Community Profile* (BCP – Cat. no 2001.0) contains 33 tables of detailed data for all Australian Standard Geographical areas of CD-derived postal areas, suburbs and Commonwealth and State Electoral Divisions. The BCP will be issued in 2 releases: tables 1-21 containing the first release variables; and tables 22-33 containing second release variables.

The *Indigenous Profile* (Cat. no. 2002.0) contains 29 tables for all ASGC areas from SLA level to whole of Australia, as well as Indigenous areas and Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Commission (ATSIC) regions. Tables 1 – 11 are included in the first release, with tables 12 – 29 included in the second release.

Census Snapshots

Census Snapshots are designed to provide a brief summary of 2001 census data for selected areas and are available free of charge from the ABS website.

Snapshots contain subsets of community profile data including person counts, age and birthplace presented in a narrative form for easy access by a wide audience. For comparison some 1901 data will also be available for Australia and States and Territories.

CD-ROM Products

CDATA2001 Release 1

CDATA 2001 products contain a large volume of tabulated census data, digital boundaries and base map data with software to produce tables, maps and graphs of the data. The product is available at national and State/Territory levels. CDATA2001 Release 1 will contain first release data only. There are 2 CDATA products::

CDATA2001 – *Full GIS*: Will use MapInfo Professional Geographic Information System (GIS) as the mapping engine which allows users to conduct detailed analysis using Structured Query Language (SQL), allowing the export of statistical data for use in other applications, and the import of other data in a variety of formats.

CDATA2001 – *Quickbuild*: New for the 2001 census, this version contains reduced GIS software functionality when compared to that available in CDATA2001 – *Full GIS*, but with complete access to all statistical and boundary data. The more complex GIS facilities such as Structured Query Language, importing of external data, geocoding and point creation are not available. CDATA2001 – *Quickbuild* users will have the facility to upgrade to CDATA2001 – *Full GIS* if desired.

CLib2001 (Release 1)

CLib 2001 is provided free of charge to libraries participating in the ABS Library Extension Program as a community service. CLib2001 contains a large volume of tabulated data and software that allows access, display and printing. The 2001 Census edition of CLib will be available both as a CD-ROM and a (limited access) internet based product. CLib2001 will contain a simplified and intuitive interface including the provision of flexible topic and area search facilities, supporting conceptual information and a streamlined printing facility. Area selections for this product will also be made easier via an intuitive, drill down map interface incorporating key geographical identifiers. The data content will be similar to that of CLib96, comprising the complete 2001 Census Community Profile Series and Classification Counts. Release 1 of CLib2001 will include first release data only.

The Census Guide

The Census Guide is the complete source of reference information about the census, and is free of charge. It provides a range of information about the census including the census dictionary as well as product and service information.

NATIONAL ACCOUNTS		Cat. no.	Frequency	Price
	Australian System of National Accounts, 2001–02	5204.0	Annual	33.00
E	Chain Volume Measures and Implicit Price Deflators of Recorded Trade on a Balance of Payments basis, on Floppy Disk, Dec 2001 to Sep 2002	5204.0.15.001	Quarterly	600.00
E	Chain Volume Measures and Implicit Price Deflators of Recorded Trade at the 2-Digit SITC (Rev 3) Level, on Floppy Disk, Dec 2001 to Sep 2002	5204.0.15.002	Quarterly	600.00
	Australian National Accounts: National Income, Expenditure and Product, Dec 2001 to Sep 2002	5206.0	Quarterly	100.00
	Australian National Accounts: State Accounts, 2001–02	5220.0	Annual	25.00
	Australian National Accounts: Financial Accounts, Dec 2001 to Sep 2002	5232.0	Quarterly	108.00
	Assets and Liabilities of Australian Securitised, Dec 2001 to Sep 2002	5232.0.40.001	Quarterly	180.00
	Australian Business Expectations, Jun 2002 and Mar 2003 to Mar and Dec 2003	5250.0	Quarterly	88.00
	Average Monthly Exchange Rates, DataReport, Dec 2001 to Nov 2002	5654.0.40.001	Monthly	540.00
	Annual Statistics on Financial Institutions on Hardcopy, 2000–01	5661.0.40.001	Annual	45.00
	Business Indicators, Australia, Dec 2001 to Sep 2002	5676.0	Quarterly	84.00

5204.0

Australian System of National Accounts

This publication contains detailed presentation of annual national accounts data. It includes: main aggregates and productivity measures; sectoral accounts for households, financial and non-financial corporations, general government and the rest of the world; estimates of product, operating surplus, compensation of employees and other aggregates dissected by industry; tables of capital formation and capital stock; national balance sheets; flow of funds tables. Includes both current price and chain volume measures.

5250.0

Australian Business Expectations

Contains estimates of percentage change in key business performance indicators obtained from a sample survey of business in all industries except general government and agriculture, forestry and fishing. Expected aggregate percentage change and percentage weighted net balance (percentage of businesses expecting an increase minus the percentage of businesses expecting a decrease) is provided with respect to the next quarter (compared with the current quarter), and the current quarter of the following year (compared with the current quarter). The following indicators are provided: operating income; selling prices; profits; capital expenditure; inventories; employment; wage costs; non-wage labour costs; other operating expenses; and total operating expenses. The data are presented by Australian and New Zealand Standard Industrial Classification (ANZSIC) divisions and by size of business.

BALANCE OF PAYMENTS	Cat. no.	Frequency	Price
Balance of Payments and International Investment Position, Australia, Dec 2001 to Sep 2002	5302.0	Quarterly	100.00
Balance of Payments and International Investment Position, Australia, 2000–01	5363.0	Annual	30.00
INTERNATIONAL TRADE—GENERAL			
International Merchandise Trade, Australia, Dec 2001 to Sep 2002	5422.0	Quarterly	108.00
International Trade in Goods and Services, Australia, Nov 2001 to Oct 2002	5368.0	Monthly	228.00
International Merchandise Imports, Australia, Dec 2001 to Nov 2002	5439.0	Monthly	216.00

5302.0

Balance of Payments and International Investment Position, Australia

Provides detailed quarterly balance of payments tables on current, capital and financial transactions for the latest six quarters, including seasonally adjusted, trend and chain volume measures of the current account. It also provides a complete international investment position statement with details of the level of investment, investment flows and associated income. Detailed information is also provided on Australia's foreign debt. It includes longer term historical series, exchange rates, analytical ratios, analytical comment, graphs of principal aggregates as well as articles of interest and a list of such articles published in recent related publications.

5363.0

Balance of Payments and International Investment Position, Australia

Provides detailed tables on balance of payments accounts and international investment position (including foreign debt) for the latest six years. It also contains comprehensive information on Australia's international trade in services transactions. Selected estimates are classified by instrument, sector, country, country group, industry. It also includes longer term historical series, economic ratios, international comparisons, analytical comments and graphs of principal aggregates.

International Trade Consultancy Service

Statistics on Australia's exports and imports are available through consultancy services. ABS consultants develop tailored information solutions in response to individual client needs. These solutions may take the form of statistical reports provided on a 'one-off' basis, or delivered regularly on a subscription basis. All such reports are accompanied by supporting information to assist in interpreting the data. For further information contact the National Information Referral Service, email client.service@abs.gov.au or telephone **1300 135 070**.

Available information

Statistical reports may include information on the quantity, value and gross weight of Australian exports, imports and import clearances. This information may be classified by: commodity; country and/or Australian state of origin or destination. Trade through overseas ports may also be reported if required, as may information on various modes of transport. Rate of duty and duty paid are also available for import clearances only.

Frequency and Timeliness

International trade statistics are compiled each month and may be received on monthly, quarterly, six monthly or annual basis. Import and export clearance statistics are available 12 working days, and exports 21 working days after the end of the month to which they refer.

PUBLIC SECTOR ACCOUNTS	Cat. no.	Frequency	Price
Government Financial Estimates, Australia, 2002–03	5501.0	Annual	25.00
Taxation Revenue, Australia, 2000–01	5506.0	Annual	19.00
Government Finance Statistics, Australia, 2000–01	5512.0	Annual	24.00
FINANCE			
Finance, Australia, 2001-02	5611.0	Annual	30.00
PRIVATE FINANCE			
Housing Finance for Owner Occupation, Australia, Nov 2001 to Oct 2002	5609.0	Monthly	228.00
Private New Capital Expenditure and Expected Expenditure, Australia, Dec 2001 to Sep 2002	5625.0	Quarterly	78.00
Cash Management Trusts, Australia: Data Report, Dec 2001 to Nov 2002	5635.0.40.001	Monthly	540.00
Public Unit Trusts, Australia, Dec 2001 to Sep 2002	5645.0.40.001	Quarterly	180.00
Managed Funds, Australia, Dec 2001 to Sep 2002	5655.0	Quarterly	78.00
Common Funds, Australia, Dec 2001 to Sep 2002	5657.0.40.001	Quarterly	180.00
Assets and Liabilities of Friendly Societies, Australia, Dec 2001 to Sep 2002	5660.0.40.001	Quarterly	180.00
Lending Finance, Australia, Nov 2001 to Oct 2002	5671.0	Monthly	222.00

5512.0 Government Finance Statistics, Australia

Government Finance Statistics (GFS) are compiled for the general government and the consolidated non-financial public sector for each jurisdiction in accordance with international statistical standards. The publication contains operating statements featuring the GFS Net Operating Balance and GFS Net Lending/Borrowing measures, balance sheets showing the GFS Net Worth and cash flow statements with supplementary data on the Surplus/Deficit measure. Tables showing Operating Expenses by Purpose are also included for the three main levels of government, i.e. Commonwealth, State and Local.

5506.0 Taxation Revenue, Australia

Provides details of taxation revenue of Commonwealth and State and local authorities in Australia, classified by type of tax and compiled in accordance with international statistical standards.

5671.0 Lending Finance, Australia

Contains time series data on the value of monthly commitments for secured housing finance, other personal finance, commercial and lease finance. Includes summary tables of personal and commercial finance commitments under fixed and revolving credit facilities, the value of goods under finance lease commitments, and the value of personal, commercial and lease finance commitments by purpose. Also included are thematic tables on the financing of housing, motor vehicles and plant and equipment.

5655.0 Managed Funds, Australia

Provides quarterly information about money pooled for investment purposes on a consolidated basis for a range of institutions, classified according to type of fund and type of asset. The statistics also present unconsolidated information on the assets of these institutions and the source of funds being invested with professional fund managers.

CONSUMER PRICES AND PRICE INDEXES	Cat. no.	Frequency	Price
Consumer Price Index, Australia, Dec 2001 to Sep 2002	6401.0	Quarterly	84.00
Average Retail Prices of Selected Items, Eight Capital Cities, Dec 2001 to Sep 2002	6403.0	Quarterly	72.00
House Price Indexes Eight Capital Cities, Dec 2001 to Sep 2002	6416.0	Quarterly	72.00
Producer Price Indexes, Australia, Dec 2001 to Sep 2002	6427.0	Quarterly	92.00
INTERNATIONAL TRADE PRICE INDEXES			
International Trade Price Indexes, Australia, Dec 2001 to Sep 2002	6457.0	Quarterly	76.00
INCOME CONSUMPTION AND NET WORTH			
Income Distribution, Australia, 2000–01	6523.0	Annual	25.00

What are the Producer Price Indexes?

The Producer Price Indexes (PPIs) are measures of changes in producers' prices, similar to the better known Consumer Price Index (CPI). While the CPI measures change in retail prices paid by households for goods and services, the PPIs measure changes in the prices of goods and services sold to businesses. Producer Price Indexes are compiled for the following sectors of the economy:

- building and construction – price indexes are produced which measure changes in the prices of materials in constructing: (a) houses; and (b) other buildings (e.g. office blocks; shopping centres, schools, hospitals etc.);
- manufacturing industry – price indexes are compiled measuring changes in: (a) prices paid by manufacturer for materials used in producing manufactured goods; and (b) prices received by manufacturers for articles they produce;
- service industries – price indexes are produced which measure changes in the prices received by the suppliers of selected services and
- international trade – price indexes are compiled measuring changes in the prices of merchandise exports and imports.

Price indexes are also produced for the supply of commodities to the Australian economy in a 'stage of production' framework.

6401.0 Consumer Price Index, Australia

Presents movements in retail prices of goods and services commonly purchased by metropolitan households. The goods and services are divided into the following groups: food; alcohol and tobacco; clothing and footwear; housing; household furnishings, supplies and services; health; transportation; communication; recreation; education; and miscellaneous. Indexes for each of these groups and for 'All Groups' are published for each of the State capitals along with Canberra and Darwin, and for the weighted average of the eight capital cities. Details are also shown for about 54 sub-groups and special and analytical series, for the weighted average of the eight capital cities.

6457.0 International Trade Price Indexes, Australia

Contains indexes measuring changes in the prices of imports of merchandise that are landed in Australia each quarter (the Import Price Index), and exports of merchandise that are shipped from Australia each quarter (the Export Price Index).

MANUFACTURING—GENERAL	Cat. no.	Frequency	Price
Manufacturing Industry, Australia, Preliminary, 2000–01	8201.0	Annual	18.00
Manufacturing Industry, Australia, 2000–01	8221.0	Annual	23.00
Manufacturing, Australia, 2002	8225.0	Annual	36.00
MANUFACTURING COMMODITY PRODUCTION			
Manufacturing Production, Australia, Dec 2001 to Sep 2002	8301.0	Quarterly	72.00
ELECTRICITY AND GAS			
Electricity, Gas, Water and Sewerage Operations, Australia, 2000–01	8226.0	Annual	23.00

Industry Wide Statistics

INDUSTRY AND ECONOMY WIDE INDICATORS	Cat. no.	Frequency	Price
Business Use of Information Technology, 2001–02	8129.0	Annual	20.00
Business Operations and Industry Performance, Australia, 2000–01	8140.0	Annual	23.00
Business Operations and Industry Performance, Australia, Preliminary, 2000–01	8142.0	Annual	19.00
Household Use of Information Technology, Australia, 2001	8146.0	Annual	20.00
Internet Activity, Australia, Dec 2001 to Sep 2002	8153.0	Quarterly	84.00
Australian Industry, 2000–01	8155.0	Annual	24.00
RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT			
Research and Experimental Development, Businesses, Australia, 2000–01	8104.0	Annual	19.50

8221.0

Manufacturing Industry, Australia

This publication presents final results from the Manufacturing Survey. It shows details of employment, wages and salaries, turnover, and industry value added (IVA) classified by industry class. Also included is industry subdivision data classified by employment size, State and Territory, and data relating to export activity, components of IVA, acquisition and disposal of assets and selected labour costs.

8140.0

Business Operations and Industry Performance, Australia

Presents economic statistics, including aggregates and ratios, based on profit and loss and balance sheet accounts of public trading and private employing businesses in most industries of the Australian economy. Aggregates include details of income and expenditure, profit, assets and liabilities. Measures of profitability, performance and indebtedness will be included among the ratios presented. The data are classified by broad industry (most ANZSIC Divisions). Estimates using a combination of data from the Economic Activity Survey and business income tax data provided to the Australian Taxation Office are also included.

Product Change: The frequency of Electricity, Gas, Water and Sewerage Operations, Australia (8226.0) has changed from Biennial to Annual and now incorporates data from Electricity, Gas, Water and Sewerage Industries, Australia (8208.0) which has been discontinued.

MINING – GENERAL	Cat. no.	Frequency	Price
Mining Operations, Australia, 2000–01	8415.0	Annual	29.00
MINERAL EXPLORATION			
Mineral and Petroleum Exploration, Australia, Dec 2001 to Sep 2002	8412.0	Quarterly	74.00

Transport

MOTOR VEHICLE REGISTRATIONS	Cat. no.	Frequency	Price
Motor Vehicle Census, Australia, 31 Mar 2002	9309.0	Annual	21.00
TRANSPORT			
Survey of Motor Vehicle Use, Australia, Nov 2000 to Oct 2001	9208.0	Annual	22.00

8412.0

Mineral and Petroleum Exploration, Australia

This publication presents actual and expected expenditure by private organisations exploring for minerals and petroleum. Mineral exploration expenditure is classified by State and commodity, and data are provided on metres drilled. Petroleum exploration expenditure is classified by onshore/offshore, and from the September quarter 1994, by region.

9208.0

Survey of Motor Vehicle Use, Australia

Comprises final statistics, by State or Territory of registration or area of operation, for private and commercial vehicles registered for road use with a motor vehicle registration authority. Includes number of vehicles, total and average kilometres travelled, driver characteristics, vehicle usage, fuel consumption and load carried; as well as statistics on buses (kilometres travelled by type of bus and main type of service).

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Feature article, page 22

9309.0

Motor Vehicle Census, Australia

Presents for each State and Territory, the number of vehicles on register by type of vehicle (passenger vehicles, light commercial vehicles, rigid trucks, articulated trucks, non-freight carrying trucks, buses and motor cycles), year of manufacture, make, gross vehicle mass, fuel type and average age of vehicle.

Product Change: The frequency of Mining Operations, Australia (8415.0) has changed from Biennial to Annual and now incorporates data from Australian Mining Industry (8414.0) which has been discontinued.

AGRICULTURE—GENERAL	Cat. no.	Frequency	Price
Australian Wine and Grape Industry 2001	1329.0	Annual	26.00
Agricultural Commodities, Australia, 2000-01	7121.0	Annual	20.00
Livestock and Meat, Australia, Nov 2001 to Oct 2002	7218.0	Monthly	216.00
AGRICULTURAL COMMODITY PRODUCTION			
Principal Agricultural Commodities, Australia, Preliminary, 2001-2002	7111.0	Annual	18.50
Agricultural Commodities, Australia, 2000-01	7121.0	Annual	20.00
Livestock Products, Australia, Dec 2001 to Sep 2002	7215.0	Quarterly	88.00
VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTION			
Value of Principal Agricultural Commodities Produced, Australia, Preliminary, 2001-02	7501.0	Annual	18.00

1329.0

Australian Wine and Grape Industry

A statistical compendium of Australia's wine and grape industry containing information on: area of vines and production of grapes by region; wine production and grapes crushed by region; structure of the wine manufacturing industry; inventories of wine owned by winemakers at 30 June; brandy and grape spirit production; domestic wine sales; exports and imports of wine; price indexes of grapes and wine; consumption of wine; and world wide comparisons.

7215.0

Livestock Products, Australia

Provides quarterly statistics on livestock slaughterings (including chickens), meat production, milk intake by factories, market milk sales by factories, receivals of wool by brokers and dealers, exports of live sheep and cattle, exports of meat and stocks of frozen meat. Includes seasonally adjusted and trend totals for numbers slaughtered, meat produced, whole milk intake and wool receivals.

7121.0

Agricultural Commodities, Australia

Presents final estimates for the main commodities collected in the Agricultural Census. These include broadacre crops, fruit and nuts, vegetables and livestock. Also includes details of industry structure including counts of farms by the Australian and New Zealand Standard Industrial Classification and size (physical and economic).

RETAIL	Cat. no.	Frequency	Price
Average Retail Prices of Selected Items, Eight Capital Cities, Dec 2001 to Sep 2002	6403.0	Quarterly	72.00
Retail Trade, Australia, Nov 2001 to Oct 2002	8501.0	Monthly	234.00
Sales of Australian Wine and Brandy by Winemakers, Nov 2001 to Oct 2002	8504.0	Monthly	216.00
TOURIST ACCOMMODATION			
Tourism Indicators, Australia, Sep 2001 to Jun 2002	8634.0	Quarterly	112.00
Tourist Accommodation, Australia, Dec 2001 to Sep 2002	8635.0	Quarterly	88.00
Tourist Accommodation, Small Area Data, Data Report, New South Wales, Dec 2001 to Sep 2002	8635.1.40.001	Quarterly	212.00
Tourist Accommodation, Small Area Data, Data Report, Victoria, Dec 2001 to Sep 2002	8635.2.40.001	Quarterly	216.00
Tourist Accommodation, Small Area Data, Data Report, Queensland, Dec 2001 to Sep 2002	8635.3.40.001	Quarterly	196.00
Tourist Accommodation, Small Area Data, Data Report, South Australia, Dec 2001 to Sep 2002	8635.4.40.001	Quarterly	180.00
Tourist Accommodation, Small Area Data, Data Report, Western Australia, Dec 2001 to Sep 2002	8635.5.40.001	Quarterly	180.00
Tourist Accommodation, Small Area Data, Data Report, Tasmania, Dec 2001 to Sep 2002	8635.6.40.001	Quarterly	180.00
Tourist Accommodation, Small Area Data, Data Report, Northern Territory, Dec 2001 to Sep 2002	8635.7.40.001	Quarterly	180.00
OTHER SERVICE INDUSTRIES			
Casinos, Australia, 2001–02	8683.0	Annual	18.50

8504.0

Sales of Australian Wine and Brandy by Winemakers

Presents information on the quantity of Australian produced wine (classified by type — fortified, table, sparkling, etc.) and brandy sales. Sales of table wine are classified by container type for both white and red/rosé table wine. Sales of fortified wine are further classified by container type, with glass containers less than 2 litres split into sherry, port and other. Includes seasonally adjusted and trend series for total domestic wine sales; total white and red/ros table wine; bottled white and red/ros table wine; and soft pack white and red/ros table wine. Also includes wine and brandy exports and imports cleared for home consumption.

8634.0

Tourism Indicators, Australia

Contains previously unpublished and derived data from the Survey of Tourist Accommodation (STA) and Overseas Arrivals and Departures (OAD) collections. For the STA collection, seasonal and trend data and takings data at constant prices as well as previously unpublished operating ratios are presented. From the OAD collection, previously unpublished market-segmentation data are included. Analytical articles relating to both collections are also included. Will include regular articles relating to other ABS tourism-related collections and a section of brief articles relating to statistics and developments in the tourism field.

BUILDING PRICE INDEXES	Cat. no.	Frequency	Price
House Price Indexes: Eight Capital Cities, Dec 2001 to Sep 2002	6416.0	Quarterly	72.00
BUILDING APPROVALS			
Building Approvals, Australia, Nov 2001 to Oct 2002	8731.0	Monthly	252.00
Building Approvals, New South Wales and Australian Capital Territory, Dec 2001 to Sep 2002	8731.1	Quarterly	84.00
Building Approvals, Victoria, Dec 2001 to Sep 2002	8731.2	Quarterly	84.00
Building Approvals, Queensland, Dec 2001 to Sep 2002	8731.3	Quarterly	80.00
Building Approvals, South Australia, Dec 2001 to Sep 2002	8731.4	Quarterly	80.00
Building Approvals, Western Australia, Dec 2001 to Sep 2002	8731.5	Quarterly	80.00
Building Approvals, Tasmania, Dec 2001 to Sep 2002	8731.6	Quarterly	76.00
Building Approvals, Northern Territory, Dec 2001 to Sep 2002	8731.7	Quarterly	76.00
BUILDING ACTIVITY			
House Price Indexes: Eight Capital Cities, Dec 2001 to Sep 2002	6416.0	Quarterly	72.00
Building Activity, Australia: Dwelling Unit Commencements, Preliminary, Dec 2001 to Sep 2002	8750.0	Quarterly	72.00
Building Activity, Australia, Sep 2001 to Jun 2002	8752.0	Quarterly	88.00
Building Activity, New South Wales, Sep 2001 to Jun 2002	8752.1	Quarterly	78.00
Building Activity, Victoria, Sep 2001 to Jun 2002	8752.2	Quarterly	78.00
Building Activity, Queensland, Sep 2001 to Jun 2002	8752.3	Quarterly	78.00
Building Activity, South Australia, Sep 2001 to Jun 2002	8752.4	Quarterly	78.00
Building Activity, Western Australia, Sep 2001 to Jun 2002	8752.5	Quarterly	78.00
Building Activity, Tasmania, Sep 2001 to Jun 2002	8752.6	Quarterly	78.00
Building Activity, Northern Territory, Sep 2001 to Jun 2002	8752.7	Quarterly	76.00
Building Activity, Australian Capital Territory, Sep 2001 to Jun 2002	8752.8	Quarterly	76.00
Construction Work Done, Australia, Preliminary, Dec 2001 to Sep 2002	8755.0	Quarterly	72.00
Engineering Construction Activity, Australia, Sep 2001 to Jun 2002	8762.0	Quarterly	92.00

8752.0

Building Activity, Australia

Presents building activity statistics, for each State and Territory, and for private and public sectors for Australia. Includes number of dwelling units commenced and completed and value of building work commenced, completed and yet to be done. Information is provided for new residential buildings (houses and other residential), alterations and additions to residential buildings and non-residential buildings by class of building (e.g. hotels, offices, etc.). Includes seasonally adjusted and trend estimates of the number of dwelling units commenced and completed by State and the value of building work commenced, completed and done.

8731.0

Building Approvals, Australia

Provides the number and value of dwelling units approved by sector (public/private) and by State, number and value of new other residential dwelling units approved by type of building, and the number and value of non-residential building jobs approved by class of building (eg hotels, offices etc) and value ranges. State data includes the number of private sector houses approved, and for Capital City Statistical Divisions, the total number of dwelling units approved by sector. Seasonally adjusted and trend estimates by state are included for the number of dwelling units and value of building approved, while the quarterly value of building approval is shown in chain volume measure.

Titles unavailable for subscription

The publications listed below may be released in 2002 but are not available for subscription. As there is some uncertainty about their release, the ABS does not want to inconvenience subscribers by accepting payment in advance. However, information regarding release dates is regularly updated on the ABS website and online purchasing will be available commencing in 2002. If you are interested in purchasing any of these publications please visit the ABS website homepage at www.abs.gov.au where you can access information about expected releases up to one month in advance as well as information on products already released and about to be released.

Cat. no	Title	Frequency
1321.0	Small Business in Australia, 2001	Biennial
1364.0.00.001	Treasury Model of the Australian Economy – Documentation, 2002	Irregular
4224.0	Education and Training in Australia, 2002	Irregular
4387.3	Safety in the Home, Queensland, Oct 2001	Irregular
4603.0	Environment Protection, Mining and Manufacturing Industries, Australia 2000–01	Biennial
4613.0	Australia's Environment: Issues and Trends, 2002	Annual
4806.0	National Health Survey: Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Results, Australia, 2001	Irregular
8109.0	Research and Experimental Development, Government and Private Non-Profit Organisations, Australia 2000-01	Biennial
8111.0	Research and Experimental Development, Higher Education Organisations, Australia, 2000	Biennial
8112.0	Research and Experimental Development, All Sector Summary, Australia, 2000-01	Biennial
8126.0	Information Technology, Australia, 2000–01	Biennial
8566.0	Business Events Venues Industry, Australia, 2000–01	Irregular
8684.0	Gambling Industries, Australia, 2000–01	Irregular
8686.0	Sports Industries, Australia, 2000–01	Irregular
8687.0	Clubs, Pubs, Taverns and Bars, Australia, 2000–01	Irregular
8688.0	Selected Amusement and Leisure Industries, Australia, 1994–95	Irregular
8695.0	Accommodation Industry, Australia, 2000–01	Irregular

The following publications will be discontinued in 2002. As there is only one, final issue to be released in 2002, these are not available for subscription. As explained above, details about release dates will be notified on the ABS website and the publications may be purchased online.

Cat. no	Title	Frequency
1303.2	Monthly Summary of Statistics, Victoria, Dec 2001	Monthly
5646.0	Private New Capital Expenditure, State Estimates, Dec 2001	Quarterly
6202.2	Labour Force, Victoria, Nov 2001	Quarterly
9301.0	New Motor Vehicle Registrations, Australia: Preliminary, Dec 2001	Monthly

The ABS produces a range of electronic products offering key statistical information in a convenient and easy-to-use format. The products featured in this section are NOT available for subscription through this catalogue. For further information on these products, or to arrange to purchase or subscribe to them, contact the ABS National Information and Referral Service on **1300 135 070**.

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AusStats

AusStats is a web based information service making the ABS' standard product range available on-line via the World Wide Web. AusStats is an integral part of the ABS Website and is a subscription service.

AusStats is updated daily, after 11.30am, and gives you access to:

- all ABS publications from 1998 onwards in Adobe Acrobat format (pdf);
- over 2000 spreadsheets
- multidimensional datasets in SuperTABLE format
- Census Basic Community Profiles to the Statistical Local Area level in Microsoft Excel format; and
- free summary information including Main Features, Release Advices and Australia Now, and extensive linking between related information.

Topics covered include: Agriculture statistics; Balance of Payments and International Investment; Building and Construction; Consumer Income and Expenditure; Crime and Justice; Demography; Education; Finance; Environment; Health; Indigenous Statistics; International Trade; Labour Market; Manufacturing Statistics; Mining; National Accounts; Population and Migration; Prices; Producer and Foreign Trade Indexes; Public Sector; Retail and Service Industries; Social Statistics; Stocks and Manufacturers' Sales; Tourism; Transport; Welfare and Social Services; Reserve Bank of Australia and OECD data.

AusStats is only available on subscription. You can choose from a range of subscription options starting at a base level entry point of \$1,080.

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Motor Vehicles on GSP

A CD-ROM product providing a complete picture of the motor vehicle fleet from the Motor Vehicle Census based on the latest GSP (Geographic Statistics Platform) software developed for the Integrated Regional Database.

This 'stand alone' package contains data for 1997, 1998 and 1999 and includes details such as type of vehicle, make, model and year of manufacture.

Data is available by postcode, Statistical Division (SD), Statistical Sub-Division (SSD) and Statistical Local Area (SLA). Mapping is available and clients can develop their own set of regions using groupings of geographical areas.

GSP software allows the user to combine data from a variety of collections and produce their own data items. For example, population data can be combined with motor vehicle census data to produce counts of the number of Ford or Holden passenger vehicles per head of population across all SLAs or for specific sets.

Note that the associated standard IRDB GSP package includes some summary data from the Motor Vehicle Census along with the full integrated regional data from both ABS and non-ABS sources. Clients who purchase IRDB on GSP can also purchase the Motor Vehicle data as an add-on to the IRDB data.

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Integrated Regional Database (IRDB) Australia

The *IRDB* provides a wide range of social, economic, and environmental data on both a regional and time series basis. The Database contains information from social and economic collections of the ABS and other Commonwealth Agencies, with data generally available from 1986 (and earlier for some items). Statistics are available on the environment, health and disability, employment and unemployment, rural economies and electoral matters. All data are available from Statistical Local Area (SLA) to Australia level, with interactive tables, graphs, maps and reports generated from screen based selections of areas, data items and time periods.

In addition to powerful exporting and importing capability and extensive metadata, *IRDB* has unique functions to handle geographic boundary changes, allowing a wide range of data items to be compared on a consistent regional basis over time. The optional mapping module allows users to further examine the data through a powerful, integrated Geographical Information System.

BALANCE OF PAYMENTS ELECTRONIC PRODUCTS

Longer time series of published data and more detailed data is available on request and can be provided electronically for the following products. All series, or selected components can be supplied either on an ad hoc or subscription basis and prices are available on application. For further details, contact Karen MacLennan on (02) 6252 6689 or email at <karen.maclennan@abs.gov.au>

5302.0.15.001**Balance of Payments and International Investment Position, Australia – Time series**

Provides quarterly long term detailed balance of payments tables on current, capital and financial transactions, including seasonally adjusted, trend and chain volume measures of the current account. It also provides a complete international investment position statement with details of the level of investment, investment flows and associated income. Information is also provided on Australia's foreign debt, exchange rates and analytical ratios.

5361.0.40.001**Balance of Payments, Australia: Quarterly Forward Seasonal Factors**

Provides forward seasonal factors for balance of payments series, for each quarter of the current year, for the components of: goods credits and debits; services credits debits; and income credits and debits; and for the aggregates of current transfers credits and debits. Factors are resupplied during the year if reanalysis is required.

5338.0**Balance of Payments, Australia – Regional Series**

Provides country and regional estimates of Australia's current and capital accounts. The current account includes credit and debit estimates for goods, services, income and current transfers. Services are further broken down into: transportation; travel; communication; construction; insurance; financial; computer and information services; royalties and license fees; other business services; personal, cultural and recreational services; government services; and other. Income is further broken down into compensation of employees and investment income.

5369.0.40.001**International Trade in Goods and Services, Australia: Monthly Forward Seasonal Factors**

Provides seasonal factors for international trade in goods and services series for each month of the current year, for rural and non-rural goods credits, goods debits by broad economic category, and services credits and debits. Factors are resupplied during the year if reanalysis is required. Available as computer readable files for this year's forward factors and previous year's actual factors.

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