# CENSUS OF POPULATION AND HOUSING, 30 JUNE 1981 SUMMARY CHARACTERISTICS OF PERSONS AND DWELLINGS 

## AUSTRALIA

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## EXPLANATORY NOTES

## Introduction

This publication is one of the Bulletin 2 series presenting data from the 1981 Census of Population and Housing on characteristics of persons and dwellings in the States, Territories and Australia. Persons were counted where they spent the night of 30 June 1981. More detailed cross-classified tables will be available in the Bulletin 3 series.

## Content

2. There are 39 tables in each State and Territory publication. The publication for Australia contains 3 additional tables to give an Australia-wide picture of place of usual residence and internal migration.
3. The first table is a summary of important statistics from the 1981 Census and the next five tables provide more detailed comparisons with several earlier censuses. The remaining tables provide a comparison with the 1976 Census results where possible.
4. Some tables are footnoted for clarity, but further details on individual topics and classifications can be obtained from the relevant information papers. (See 'Related publications'.)

## Scope and coverage

5. The 1981 Census of Population and Housing aimed at counting every person who spent census night, 30 June 1981, in Australia, including persons on vessels in or between Australian ports, on board long-distance trains, buses or aircraft. All dwellings were counted, whether occupied or unoccupied. People were counted where they were on census night, which may not be where they usually lived. Visitors to Australia were enumerated regardless of how long ago they had arrived or how long they planned to stay. Australian residents out of the country on census night were excluded from the count.
6. Diplomatic personnel and their families are, by definition, out of the scope of the census, as are diplomatic residences.
7. While every effort is made to minimise undercounting in the census, some inevitably remains for various reasons (e.g. inadvertent omission of very young children, treatment of some dwellings as unoccupied when, in fact, they were occupied, and failure to find all dwellings). Refusal by householders to complete the census schedule is not a significant cause of undercounting.

## Definitions

8. Dwellings-for census purposes, dwellings are classified into two groups: occupied and unoccupied. Occupied dwellings can be either private or non-private while unoccupied are private only.
(a) An occupied private dwelling is defined as the premises occupied by a household on census night (for a definition of Household see below). A private dwelling is normally a house, flat, part of a house or even a room but can also be a tent, houseboat, or caravan if standing on its own block of land and not occupied by members of the same household resident in an adjacent
dwelling. It is important to remember that the census definition of a private dwelling means that the total number of dwellings may be more than the total number of known structures in any given area (see Household below). Non-private dwellings are hotels, motels, boarding houses, gaols, religious and charitable institutions, defence establishments, other communal dwellings and caravan parks; such dwellings unoccupied on census night are not counted. Usually occupants of such dwellings use communal facilities (such as hotel dining rooms or mess halls) attached to the particular establishment. A caravan in a caravan park (whether permanently or temporarily located) is treated as part of a non-private dwelling as are selfcontained units provided by commercial enterprises such as hotels, motels and guest-houses.
(b) An unoccupied dwelling is a structure built specifically for living purposes and capable of being lived in but unoccupied at the time of the census. Vacant houses, holiday houses, huts, cabins (other than seasonal workers' quarters) and houseboats are counted as unoccupied dwellings but vacant tents, garages and caravans (if not normally occupied) are not. Also included are newly completed dwellings not yet occupied; dwellings which are vacant because they are due for demolition or repair; dwellings to let; and dwellings where all members of the household were absent on census night.
9. Household-For census purposes, a household is either a person living alone or a group of people living together as a single domestic unit with common eating arrangements. It is possible for more than one household to live in one house or structure. For example, a lodger who lives with a family and provides all his own food is not a member of the family's household but constitutes a separate household and therefore completes a separate householder's schedule. Because an occupied private dwelling is defined as the premises occupied by a household on census night (see above), the number of households and the number of occupied private dwellings is identical and the number of occupied dwellings, as defined for census purposes, may be greater than the known number of structures.
10. Section of State-This identifies aggregations of collection districts on a basis which ignores legal boundaries. Sections of State are defined for statistical purposes only.

Five sections of State are used:
(a) Major urban-urban centres with a population of 100,000 and over.
(b) Other urban-urban centres with a population of 1,000 to 99,999 ;
(c) Bounded rural locality-population clusters of 200 to 999 persons;
(d) Rural-the remainder;
(e) Migratory-persons enumerated on board vessels in and between Australian ports, or on board long-distance trains, buses or aircraft.

## Further information

11. If you would like further information about the statistics available from the 1981 Census, please contact your local ABS office (see Appendix B). An information paper: Census 81-Data Release Plans (2142.0) and its Addendum, which are available from any office of the ABS, describe the plans for data and supporting information planned for release from the 1981 Census. The Catalogue of 1981 Census Tables (2139.0) is also available.
12. Other information from the census is available at various levels of geographic detail. Information at other levels may be made available on request.

## Related publications

13. Estimated Resident Population, Australia, States and Territories, 30 June 1981, 1976 and 1971 (3217.0)

## 1981 Census of Population and Housing:

Preliminary Counts-Australia, States and Territories (2209.0)

Counts of Aboriginals and Torres Strait Islanders, Australia, States and Territories, 30 June 1971, 1976, 1981 (2164.0)
Bulletin 1, Persons and Dwellings in Local Government Areas and Urban Centres (2401.0-2408.0)
Bulletin 3, Cross-classified Characteristics of Persons and Dwellings (2444.0-2452.0)
14. Further details of the statistics contained in catalogue numbers 2209.0, 2401.0-2408.0 and 2444.02452.0 above appear in information paper; Census 81 Statistical Publications (2144.0).
15. Other related publications about the 1981 Census are:

Catalogue of 1981 Census Tables (2139.0)(a)
Making Sense of Census 81 (2140.0)(a)
Geographic Code List (2141.0)(a)
Census 81—Data Release Plans (2142.0)(a)
Census 81 -Data Release Plans, Addendum (2142.0)(a)
Census 81—Magnetic Tape Summary Files (2143.0)(a)
Census 81—Statistical Publications (2144.0)(a)
Census 81—Microfiche (2145.0)(a)
Census 81—Maps (2146.0)(a)
Census 81-Industry (2147.0)(a)
Census 81-Occupation (2148.0)(a)
Census 81-Education Qualifications (2149.0)(a)
Census 81-Dwelling, Household, Family (2150.0)(a)
Census 81—Income (2151.0)(a)
Census 81-Language (2152.0)(a)
Census 81-Aboriginals and Torres Strait Islanders (2153.0)(a)

Census 81—Journey to Work (2154.0)(a)
Census 81-Usual Residence and Internal Migration
(2155.0)(a)

Census 81-Sample Files on Magnetic Tape (2165.0)(a)
Census 81 -Detailed Tables on Magnetic Tape
(2166.0) (a)
(a) already a vailable.

## Symbols and other usages

n.a. not available (in some cases it has not been possible to estimate comparable 1976 Census data)

- nil or rounded to zero
. . not applicable
$r$ revised
n.e.i. not elsewhere included
n.e.c. not elsewhere classified
etc. et cetera; for the full description, see the relevant information paper.


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TABLE 1. ABSTRACT

|  | Males | Females | Persons | See table on page: |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Persons: | 7,267,076 | 7,309,254 | 14,576,330 |  |
| Age- |  |  |  | 6-7 |
| Under 18 years | 2,252,687 | 2,146,246 | 4,398,933 | $6-7$ |
| 18-64 years | 4,413,268 | 4,334,730 | 8,747,998 |  |
| 65 years and over | 601,121 | 828,278 | 1,429,399 |  |
| Aboriginals and Torres Strait Islanders | 79,722 | 80,175 | 159,897 | 10 |
| Overseas born | 1,554,509 | 1,449,325 | 3,003,834 | 8-9 |
| Language of overseas born aged 5 years and over- |  |  |  | 13 |
| Speak English only | 894,157 | 823,687 | 1,717,844 |  |
| Speak English but not well | 116,711 | 129,264 | 245,975 |  |
| Do not speak English | 14,771 | 31,461 | 46,232 |  |
| Individual income (annual)- |  |  |  | 16 |
| \$10,000 or less | 2,396,960 | 4,266,610 | 6,663,570 |  |
| \$10,001-\$26,000 | 2,541,367 | 854,211 | 3,395,578 |  |
| Over $\$ 26,000$ | 218,885 | 26,144 | 245,029 |  |
| Religion- |  |  |  | 12 |
| Christian | 5,398,586 | 5,734,712 | 11,133,298 |  |
| Non-Christian | 103,144 | 94,424 | 197,568 | . |
| No religion | 891,592 | 685,126 | 1,576,718 |  |
| Labour force- |  |  |  | 17 |
| Employed | 3,944,296 | 2,348,335 | 6,292,631 |  |
| Unemployed | 227,702 | 170,197 | 397,899 |  |
| Married women |  | 1,451,477 | 1,451,477 |  |
| Not in the labour force | 3,095,078 | 4,790,722 | 7,885,800 |  |
| Persons employed by- Governments |  |  |  | 21 |
| Governments | 974,133 | 559,848 | 1,533,981 |  |
| Non-government | 2,777,684 | 1,588,310 | 4,365,994 |  |
| Journey to work by- |  |  |  | 18 |
| Car <br> Public transport (including taxi) | $2,657,041$ | 1,255,642 | 3,912,683 | 18 |
| Public transport (including taxi) | $461,453$ | 413.808 | 875,261 |  |
| Dwellings: |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | Number |  |  |
| Occupied private dwellings |  | 4,668,909 |  | 21 |
| Unoccupied private dwellings |  | 469,742 |  | 23 |
| Non-private dwellings | . | 22,516 |  | 4 |
| Occupied private dwellings- |  |  |  |  |
| Owned or being purchased |  | 3,178,865 |  | 21. |
| Rented |  | 1,164,481 |  | 21 |
| Weekly rents- |  |  |  | 22 |
| \$59 or less |  | 823,986 |  |  |
| \$60-\$119 |  | 284,814 |  |  |
| \$120 or more |  | 28,417 |  |  |
| Monthly mortgage payments- |  |  |  | 22 |
| \$99 or less |  | 352,687 |  |  |
| \$100-\$299 |  | 762,685 | . |  |
| \$300 or more |  | 372,285 |  |  |

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TABLE 2. SECTION OF STATE-CENSUSES 1966-1981

| Section of State | Census |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | 1966(a) |  | 1971 |  | 1976 |  | 1981 |  |
|  | Males | Females | Males | Females | Males | Females | Males | Females |
| Major urban | 13,521,430 | r3,606,433 | 4,075,825 | 4,150,950 | 4,318,776 | 4,429,725 | 4,527,149 | 4,675,423 |
| Other urban | r1,252,976 | r1,248,255 | 1,349,563 | 1,339,097 | 1,449,807 | 1,452,166 | 1,638,719 | 1,651,679 |
| Rural | r1,060,150 | r910,502 | 972,699 | 850,281 | 993,353 | 889,008 | 1,090,710 | 979,676 |
| Migratory | 17,121 | 2,572 | 14,624 | 2,599 | 13,011 | 2,601 | 10,498 | 2,476 |
| Total | r5,851,677 | r5,767,762 | 6,412,711 | 6,342,927 | 6,774,948 | 6,773,501 | 7,267,076 | 7,309,254 |

(a) The 1966 data in this Table excludes persons described as full blood Aboriginals in New South Wales and Victoria as such persons were not coded to Section of State in 1966. Other tables include full blood Aboriginals for all States and Territories. Previous publications showing 1966 Census figures excluded all full blood Aboriginals.

TABLE 3. BIRTHPLACE-CENSUSES 1947-1981(a)

| Birthplace | Census |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | $\begin{array}{r} 1947 \\ \text { Persons } \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 1954 \\ \text { Persons } \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 1961 \\ \text { Persons } \end{array}$ | 1966(b) <br> Persons | $\begin{array}{r} 1971 \\ \text { Persons } \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 1976 \\ \text { Persons } \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 1981 \\ \text { Persons } \end{array}$ |
| Australia | 6,835,171 | 7,700,064 | 8,729,406 | 19,499,749 | 10,176,320 | 10,829,616 | 11,393,861 |
| New Zealand | 43,610 | 43,350 | 47,011 | 52,485 | 80,466 | 89,791 | 176,713 |
| U.K. and lreland | 541,267 | 664,205 | 755,402 | 908,664 | 1,088,210 | 1,117,599 | 1,132,601 |
| Other Europe | 110,339 | 490,859 | 840,810 | 984,847 | 1,108,268 | 1,093,218 | 1,100,117 |
| Asia | 24,096 | 51,581 | 79,056 | 101,386 | 167,226 | 240,622 | 371,588 |
| America | 11,630 | 14,496 | 19,018 | 29,651 | 55,752 | 80,732 | 96,247 |
| Other | 13,245 | 21,975 | 37.483 | 53,887 | 79,396 | 96,870 | 126,568 |
| Total overseas born | 744,187 | 1,286,466 | 1,778,780 | 2,130,920 | 2,579,318 | 2,718,832 | 3,003,834 |
| Not statcd(c) | - | - | - | - | - | - | 178,635 |
| Total | 7,579,358 | 8,986,530 | 10,508,186 | r11,630,669 | 12,755,638 | 13,548,448 | 14,576,330 |

(a) Aboriginals are not included in the figures prior to the 1966 Census. (b) The 1966 Australian totals include Aboriginals for Tasmania and the Australian Capital Territory, which the separate bulletins did not show. (c) Imputed for censuses prior to the 1981 Census.

TABLE 4. PERSONS AND DWELLINGS BY CLASS OF DWELLING—CENSUSES 1947-1981(a)

|  | Class of dwelling |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Occupied private | Nonprivate | Total occupied | Un- occupied | Total dwellings | Campers out | Migratory | Total |
| 1947 Census |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Dwellings | 1,873,623 | 34,272 | 1,907,895 | 47,041 | 1,954,936 |  |  | 1,954,936 |
| Persons | 7,026,760 | 520,204 | 7,546,964 |  | 7,546,964 | 13,971 | 18,603 | 7,579,358 |
| Persons-percentage | 92.7 | 6.9 | 99.6 |  | 99.6 | 0.2 | 0.2 | 100.0 |
| 1954 Census |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Dwellings | 2,343,42I | 36,932 | 2,380,353 | 112,594 | 2,492,947 |  |  | 2,492,947 |
| Persons | 8,314,362 | 618,743 | 8,933,105 |  | 8,933,105 | 30,056 | 23,369 | 8,986,530 |
| Persons-percentage | 92.5 | 6.9 | 99.4 |  | 99.4 | 0.3 | 0.3 | 100.0 |
| 1961 Census |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Dwellings | 2,781,945 | 35,325 | 2,817,270 | 194,114 | 3,011,384 |  |  | 3,011,384 |
| Persons | 9,870,494 | 596,412 | 10,466,906 |  | 10,466,906 | 15,994 | 25,286 | 10,508,186 |
| Persons-percentage | 93.9 | 5.7 | 99.6 |  | 99.6 | 0.2 | 0.2 | 100.0 |
| 1966 Census(b) |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Dwellings | 3,155,340 | 33,917 | 3,189,257 | 263,873 | 3,453,130 |  |  | 3,453,130 |
| Persons | 10,955,250 | 594,081 | 11,549,331 |  | 11,549,331 | 30,478 | 19,688 | 11,599,497 |
| Persons-percentage | 94.4 | 5.1 | 99.6 |  | 99.6 | 0.3 | 0.2 | 100.0 |
| 1971 Census |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Dwellings | 3,670,553 | 24,006 | 3,649,559 | 339,057 | 4,033,616 |  |  | 4,033,616 |
| Persons | 12,155,386 | 576,029 | 12,731,415 |  | 12,731,415 | 7,000 | 17,223 | 12,755,638 |
| Persons-percentage | 95.3 | 4.5 | 99.8 |  | 99.8 | 0.1 | 0.1 | 100.0 |
| 1976 Census |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Dwellings | 4,140,521 | 21,543 | 4,162,064 | 431,200 | 4,593,264 |  |  | 4,593,264 |
| Persons | 12,936,874 | 592,424 | 13,529,298 |  | 13,529,298 | 3,538 | 15,612 | 12,548,448 |
| Persons-percentage | 95.5 | 4.4 | 99.9 |  | 99.9 | 0.0 | 0.1 | 100.0 |
| 1981 Census |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Dwellings | 4,668,909 | 22,516 | 4,691,425 | 469,742 | 5,161,167 |  |  | 5,161,167 |
| Persons | 13,918,445 | 638,309 | 14,556,754 |  | 14,556,754 | 6,602 | 12,974 | 14,576,330 |
| Persons-percentage | 95.5 | 4.4 | 99.9 |  | 99.9 | 0.0 | 0.1 | 100.0 |

(a) See footnote(a) for table 3 above. (b) Excludes persons described in the 1966 Census as full blood Aboriginals.

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TABLE 5. PERSONS BY AGE IN 5 YEAR GROUPS-CENSUSES 1947-1981(a)

| Age | Census |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | 1947 | 1954 | 1961 | 1966(b) | 1971 | 1976 | 1981 |
| 0-4 | 760,387 | 966,417 | 1,109,493 | 1,156,981 | 1,223,442 | 1,196,592 | 1,111,945 |
| 5-9 | 603,983 | 902,737 | 1,047,521 | 1,175,036 | 1,220,255 | 1,250,586 | 1,249,941 |
| 10-14 | 534,683 | 694,180 | 1,019,984 | 1,096,574 | 1,226,355 | 1,243,156 | 1,295,018 |
| 15-19 | 581,609 | 591,771 | 808,933 | 1,055,724 | 1,110,196 | 1,216,568 | 1,259,029 |
| 20-24 | 612,633 | 600,166 | 697,438 | 859,949 | 1,096,945 | 1,111,590 | 1,247,783 |
| 25-29 | 593,230 | 704,817 | 656,071 | 751,357 | 933,527 | 1,134,734 | 1,184,149 |
| 30-34 | 592,947 | 707,843 | 737,968 | 692,287 | 801,133 | 942,227 | 1,192,232 |
| 35-39 | 556,121 | 643,123 | 767,916 | 768,850 | 739,836 | 816,364 | 977,233 |
| 40-44 | 492,035 | 628,428 | 678,527 | 777,381 | 787,515 | 726,152 | 822,701 |
| 45-49 | 461,737 | 546,929 | 657,831 | 680,684 | 781,524 | 768,126 | 723,139 |
| 50-54 | 421,344 | 479,201 | 568.027 | 644,020 | 662,936 | 743,776 | 757,544 |
| 55-59 | 394,034 | 397,270 | 463,381 | 544,909 | 605,435 | 623,857 | 726,485 |
| 60-64 | 320,925 | 377,642 | 400,853 | 437,040 | 501,544 | 565,743 | 599,732 |
| 65-69 | 241,295 | 303,312 | 333,784 | 358,052 | 386,763 | 449,137 | 524,885 |
| 70-74 | 165,973 | 210,390 | 264,987 | 277,006 | 292,650 | 325,503 | 394,302 |
| 75 and over | 197,629 | 232,304 | 295,472 | 354,819 | 385,582 | 434,338 | 510,212 |
| Total | 7,579,358 | 8,986,530 | 10,508,186 | 11,630,669 | 12,755,638 | 13,548,448 | 14,576,330 |

(a) Aboriginals are not included in the figures prior to the 1966 Census. (b) See footnote (b) for table 3.

TABLE 6. MARITAL STATUS—CENSUSES 1947-1981(a)

| Marital status | Census |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | 1947(b) | 1954 | 1961 | 1966(c) | 1971 | 1976 | 1981 |
| Never married- |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Under 15 years of age- |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Males | 967,759 | 1,309,660 | 1,626,195 | 1,755,645 | 1,880,557 | 1,890,480 | 1,872,147 |
| Females | 931,294 | 1,253,674 | 1,550,803 | 1,672,249 | 1,789,495 | 1,799,853 | 1,784,757 |
| Persons | 1,899,053 | 2,563,334 | 3,176,998 | 3,427,894 | 3,670,052 | 3,690,333 | 3,656,904 |
| Other never married- |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Males | 932,938 | 965,495 | 1,098,450 | 1,256,346 | 1,327,684 | 1,422,067 | 1,667,127 |
| Females | 751,360 | 685,247 | 770,048 | 905,452 | 943,824 | 1,048.458 | 1,263,193 |
| Persons | 1,684,298 | 1,650,742 | 1,868,498 | 2,161,798 | 2,271,508 | 2,470,525 | 2,930,320 |
| Total never married- |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Males | 1,900.697 | 2,275,155 | 2,724,645 | 3,011.991 | 3,208.241 | 3,312,547 | 3,539,274 |
| Females | 1,682,654 | 1,938,921 | 2,320,851 | 2,577,701 | 2,733.319 | 2,848,311 | 3,047,950 |
| Persons | 3,583,351 | 4,214,076 | 5,045,496 | 5,589,692 | 5.941.560 | 6.160,858 | 6,587,224 |
| Married- |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Males | 1,759,258 | 2,067,590 | 2,364,710 | 2,603,509 | 2,926,865 | 3,127,480 | 3,286,144 |
| Females | 1,760,650 | 2,046,790 | 2,344,754 | 2,591,207 | 2,924,004 | 3,111,790 | 3,273,127 |
| Persons | 3,519,908 | 4,114,380 | 4,709,464 | 5,194,716 | 5,850,869 | 6,239,270 | 6,559,271 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Males | n.a. | 57,533 | 68,172 | 75,738 | 86,337 | 111,021 | 127,567 |
| Females | n.a. | 66,336 | 78,367 | 87,988 | 97,052 | 136,751 | 149,993 |
| Persons | n.a. | 123,869 | 146,539 | 163,726 | 183,389 | 247,771 | 277,560 |
| Divorced- |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Males | 25,052 | 32,488 | 38,640 | 42,930 | 61,749 | 96,429 | 177,734 |
| Females | 27,516 | 36,707 | 43,339 | 51,206 | 71,421 | 124,117 | 225,803 |
| Persons | 52,568 | 69,195 | 81,979 | 94,136 | 133,170 | 220,546 | 403,537 |
| Widowed- |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Males | 112,363 | 113,352 | 116,085 | 123,175 | 129,519 | 127,471 | 136,357 |
| Females | 311,168 | 351,658 | 408,623 | 465,224 | 517,131 | 552,532 | 612,381 |
| Persons | 423,531 | 465,010 | 524,708 | 588,399 | 646,650 | 680,004 | 748,738 |
| Total ever married- |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Males | 1,896,673 | 2,270,963 | 2,587,607 | 2,845,352 | 3,204,470 | 3,462.401 | 3,727,802 |
| Females | 2,099,334 | 2,501,491 | 2,875,083 | $3,195,625$ $6,040,977$ | $3,609,608$ $6,814,078$ | $3,925,190$ 7387591 | 4,261,304 |
| Persons | 3.996,007 | 4.772.454 | 5,462,690 | 6,040,977 | 6,814,078 | 7,387.591 | 7,989,106 |
| Total- |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Males | 3,797,370 | 4,546,118 | 5,312,252 | 5,857,343 | 6,412,711 | 6,774,948 | 7,267,076 |
| Females | 3,781,988 | 4,440,412 | 5,195,934 | 5,773,326 | 6,342,927 | 6,773,501 | 7,309,254 |
| Persons | 7,579,358 | 8,986,530 | 10,508,186 | 11,630,669 | 12,755,638 | 13,548,448 | 14,576,330 |

(a) See footnote(a)tor table 3. (b) In the 1947 Census, the category Married included (i) all persons reporting as married (ii) a proportion of persons who did not answer the marital status question, and (iii) all persons who reported themselves as permanently separated. (c) See footnote (b) for table 3.

CENSUS OF POPULATION AND HOUSING- 30 JUNE 1981, AUSTRALIA
TABLE 7. AGE IN SINGLE YEARS

| Age | 1981 Census |  |  |  | 1976 Census |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Males | Females | Persons | Percentage | Males | Females | Persons | Percentage |
| 0 | 113,886 | 108,594 | 222,480 | 1.5 | 111,885 | 107,229 | 219,114 | 1.6 |
| 1 | 111,755 | 105,798 | 217,553 | 1.5 | 115,757 | 110,577 | 226,333 | 1.7 |
| 2 | 113,344 | 108,041 | 221,385 | 1.5 | 122,764 | 115,506 | 238,270 | 1.8 |
| 3 | 114,551 | 109,804 | 224,355 | 1.5 | 126,889 | 122,312 | 249,202 | 1.8 |
| 4 | 115,981 | 110,191 | 226,172 | 1.6 | 134,484 | 129,189 | 263,673 | 1.9 |
| 0-4 | 569.517 | 542.428 | 1,111,945 | 7.6 | 611,779 | 584.813 | 1,196,592 | 8.8 |
| 5 | 118,388 | 112,562 | 230,950 | 1.6 | 136,357 | 131,235 | 267,592 | 2.0 |
| 6 | 122,467 | 116,355 | 238,822 | 1.6 | 129,294 | 123,899 | 253,193 | 1.9 |
| 7 | 127,875 | 120,756 | 248,631 | 1.7 | 128,657 | 122,523 | 251,179 | 1.9 |
| 8 | 131,693 | 126,139 | 257,832 | 1.8 | 123,754 | 117,068 | 240,822 | 1.8 |
| 9 | 139,718 | 133,988 | 273,706 | 1.9 | 122,067 | 115,731 | 237,799 | 1.8 |
| 5-9 | 640.141 | 609,800 | 1,249.941 | 8.6 | 640.129 | 610.456 | 1,250,586 | 9.2 |
| 10 | 142,294 | 136,679 | 278,973 | 1.9 | 121,574 | 115,495 | 237,069 | 1.7 |
| 11 | 133,484 | 127,320 | 260,804 | 1.8 | 122,664 | 116,631 | 239,295 | 1.8 |
| 12 | 133,410 | 127,674 | 261,084 | 1.8 | 130,195 | 123,028 | 253,224 | 1.9 |
| 13 | 127,136 | 121,288 | 248,424 | 1.7 | 131,284 | 123,688 | 254,972 | 1.9 |
| 14 | 126,165 | 119,568 | 245,733 | 1.7 | 132,855 | 125,742 | 258,596 | 1.9 |
| 10-14 | 662,489 | 632,529 | 1,295,018 | 8.9 | 638,572 | 604,584 | 1,243,156 | 9.2 |
| 15 | 124,485 | 118,163 | 242,648 | 1.7 | 132,312 | 124,479 | 256,791 | 1.9 |
| 16 | 126,240 | 119,786 | 246,026 | 1.7 | 126,871 | 120,917 | 247,788 | 1.8 |
| 17 | 129,815 | 123,540 | 253,355 | 1.7 | 124,834 | 119,795 | 244,630 | 1.8 |
| 18 | 131,769 | 126,073 | 257,842 | 1.8 | 119,954 | 116,913 | 236,867 | 1.7 |
| 19 | 131,451 | 127,707 | 259,158 | 1.8 | 116,964 | 113,528 | 230,491 | 1.7 |
| 15-19 | 643,760 | 615,269 | 1,259,029 | 8.6 | 620,935 | 595,633 | 1,216,568 | 9.0 |
| 20 | 131,186 | 127,741 | 258,927 | 1.8 | 115,402 | 111,084 | 226,486 | 1.7 |
| 21 | 128,096 | 125,602 | 253.698 | 1.7 | 112,398 | 111,078 | 223,475 | 1.6 |
| 22 | 125,205 | 123,542 | 248,747 | 1.7 | 108,919 | 109,771 | 218,690 | 1.6 |
| 23 | 123,953 | 121,747 | 245,700 | 1.7 | 111,625 | 111,410 | 223,036 | 1.6 |
| 24 | 120,921 | 119,790 | 240,711 | 1.7 | 110,733 | 109,170 | 219,903 | 1.6 |
| 20-24 | 629,361 | 618,422 | 1,247,783 | 8.6 | 559,077 | 552,513 | 1,111,590 | 8.2 |
| 25 | 121,195 | 119,691 | 240,886 | 1.7 | 111,548 | 111,043 | 222,591 | 1.6 |
| 26 | 117,881 | 118,639 | 236,520 | 1.6 | 111.440 | 111,065 | 222,504 | 1.6 |
| 27 | 117,079 | 117,679 | 234,758 | 1.6 | 110,789 | 108,907 | 219,697 | 1.6 |
| 28 | 118,189 | 119,405 | 237,594 | 1.6 | 114,047 | 112,756 | 226,803 | 1.7 |
| 29 | 117,294 | 117,097 | 234,391 | 1.6 | 124,181 | 118,958 | 243,139 | 1.8 |
| 25-29 | 591,638 | 592,511 | 1,184,149 | 8.1 | 572.006 | 562,728 | 1,134.734 | 8.4 |
| 30 | 120,578 | 120,373 | 240,951 | 1.7 | 104,974 | 99,121 | 204,095 | 1.5 |
| 31 | 117,525 | 115,322 | 232,847 | 1.6 | 99,332 | 94,677 | 194,010 | 1.4 |
| 32 | 116,254 | 116,035 | 232,289 | 1.6 | 97,268 | 95,674 | 192,943 | 1.4 |
| 33 | 119,398 | 116,407 | 235,805 | 1.6 | 90,390 | 86,609 | 176.999 | 1.3 |
| 34 | 126,914 | 123,426 | 250,340 | 1.7 | 88,661 | 85,520 | 174,181 | 1.3 |
| 30-34 | 600,669 | 591.563 | 1,192,232 | 8.2 | 480,625 | 461.602 | 942,227 | 7.0 |
| 35 | 107,240 | 103,333 | 210,573 | 1.4 | 88,132 | 83,208 | 171,340 | 1.3 |
| 36 | 105, 153 | 102,351 | 207,504 | 1.4 | 84,982 | 81,319 | 166,301 | 1.2 |
| 37 | 100,513 | 96,998 | 197,511 | 1.4 | 81,441 | 77,753 | 159,194 | 1.2 |
| 38 | 91,988 | 88,435 | 180,423 | 1.2 | 81,842 | 80,078 | 161,919 | 1.2 |
| 39 | 92,782 | 88,440 | 181,222 | 1.2 | 80,910 | 76,701 | 157,610 | 1.2 |
| 35-39 | 497,676 | 479,557 | 977,233 | 6.7 | 417,306 | 399,058 | 816,364 | 6.0 |
| 40 | 91,776 | 87,703 | 179,479 | 1.2 | 79,947 | 76,995 | 156,942 | 1.2 |
| 41 | 85,072 | 79,652 | 164,724 | 1.1 | 71,586 | 68,249 | 139,835 | 1.0 |
| 42 | 85,337 | 81,868 | 167,205 | 1.1 | 73,768 | 70,181 | 143,949 | 1.1 |
| 43 | 81,044 | 77,471 | 158,515 | 1.1 | 74,481 | 69,372 | 143,854 | 1.1 |
| 44 | 78,370 | 74,408 | 152,778 | 1.0 | 73,350 | 68,222 | 141,572 | 1.0 |
| 40-44 | 421,599 | 401,102 | 822,701 | 5.6 | 373,132 | 353,019 | 726,152 | 5.4 |
| 45 | 78,115 | 74,714 | 152,829 | 1.0 | 79,984 | 75,371 | 155,355 | 1.1 |
| 46 | 73,546 | 70,541 | 144,087 | 1.0 | 78,924 | 73,864 | 152,788 | 1.1 |
| 47 | 72,603 | 68,311 | 140,914 | 1.0 | 77,918 | 72,456 | 150,373 | 1.1 |
| 48 | 72,876 | 69,242 | 142,118 | 1.0 | 80,328 | 75,632 | 155,960 | 1.2 |
| 49 | 73,866 | 69,325 | 143,191 | 1.0 | 79,454 | 74,195 | 153,649 | 1.1 |
| 45-49 | 371,006 | 352,133 | 723.139 | 5.0 | 396,608 | 371,517 | 768.126 | 5.7 |

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TABLE 7. AGE IN SINGLE YEARS-continued

| Age | 1981 Census |  |  |  | 1976 Census |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Males | Females | Persons | Percentage | Males | Females | Persons | Percentage |
| 50 | 79,569 | 77,363 | 156,932 | 1.1 | 81,751 | 77,991 | 159,742 | 1.2 |
| 51 | 75,594 | 71,410 | 147,004 | 1.0 | 73,173 | 71,017 | 144,190 | 1.1 |
| 52 | 78,142 | 74,198 | 152,340 | 1.0 | 75,218 | 73,571 | 148,790 | 1.1 |
| 53 | 78,316 | 74,288 | 152,604 | 1.0 | 73,916 | 72,420 | 146,336 | 1.1 |
| 54 | 75,548 | 73,116 | 148,664 | 1.0 | 72,441 | 72,277 | 144,717 | 1.1 |
| 50.54 | 387,169 | 370.375 | 757,544 | 5.2 | 376,500 | 367.276 | 743,776 | 5.5 |
| 55 | 76,150 | 74,425 | 150,575 | 1.0 | 71,413 | 70,514 | 141,927 | 1.0 |
| 56 | 74,607 | 74,285 | 148,892 | 1.0 | 65,654 | 66,649 | 132,302 | 1.0 |
| 57 | 72,164 | 71,339 | 143,503 | 1.0 | 56,694 | 58,659 | 115,352 | 0.9 |
| 58 | 70,852 | 71,748 | 142,600 | 1.0 | 57,355 | 59,646 | 117,001 | 0.9 |
| 59 | 69,569 | 71,346 | 140,915 | 1.0 | 57,883 | 59,392 | 117,275 | 0.9 |
| 55-59 | 363,342 | 363,143 | 726.485 | 5.0 | 308,999 | 314,858 | 623.857 | 4.6 |
| 60 | 68,328 | 73,560 | 141,888 | 1.0 | 56,642 | 61,568 | 118,210 | 0.9 |
| 61 | 60,596 | 63,505 | 124,101 | 0.9 | 55,739 | 58,512 | 114,251 | 0.8 |
| 62 | 53,549 | 58,530 | 112,079 | 0.8 | 56,504 | 60,911 | 117,415 | 0.9 |
| 63 | 52,080 | 57,830 | 109.910 | 0.8 | 52,484 | 57,335 | 109,820 | 0.8 |
| 64 | 53,035 | 58,719 | 111,754 | 0.8 | 50,886 | 55,161 | 106,047 | 0.8 |
| 60-64 | 287,588 | 312,144 | 599.732 | 4.1 | 272.255 | 293.488 | 565,743 | 4.2 |
| 65 | 52,319 | 59,044 | 111,363 | 0.8 | 48,067 | 54,392 | 102,459 | 0.8 |
| 66 | 51,658 | 58,782 | 110,440 | 0.8 | 44,047 | 49,611 | 93,658 | 0.7 |
| 67 | 50,095 | 57,283 | 107,378 | 0.7 | 41,488 | 46,028 | 87,516 | 0.6 |
| 68 | 45,948 | 54,060 | 100,008 | 0.7 | 40,005 | 46,162 | 86,167 | 0.6 |
| 69 | 43,859 | 51,837 | 95,696 | 0.7 | 37,148 | 42,189 | 79,337 | 0.6 |
| 65-69 | 243,879 | 281.006 | 524,885 | 3.6 | 210.754 | 238,382 | 449.137 | 3.3 |
| 70 | 41,310 | 51,499 | 92,809 | 0.6 | 34,481 | 42,683 | 77,164 | 0.6 |
| 71 | 37,276 | 45,320 | 82,596 | 0.6 | 30,679 | 37,652 | 68,331 | 0.5 |
| 72 | 34,840 | 43,772 | 78,612 | 0.5 | 29,083 | 36,646 | 65,729 | 0.5 |
| 73 | 31,680 | 41,377 | 73,057 | 0.5 | 26,057 | 33,429 | 59,486 | 0.4 |
| 74 | 28,937 | 38,291 | 67,228 | 0.5 | 23,312 | 31,481 | 54,793 | 0.4 |
| 70-74 | 174.043 | 220.259 | 394,302 | 2.7 | 143,612 | 181,891 | 325.503 | 2.4 |
| 75 | 26,609 | 36,484 | 63,093 | 0.4 | 22,659 | 33,664 | 56,323 | 0.4 |
| 76 | 23,639 | 33,712 | 57,351 | 0.4 | 21,014 | 32,200 | 53,214 | 0.4 |
| 77 | 20,360 | 29,631 | 49,991 | 0.3 | 15,597 | 24,996 | 40,593 | 0.3 |
| 78 | 17,996 | 27,212 | 45,208 | 0.3 | 14,301 | 23,978 | 38,279 | 0.3 |
| 79 | 15,883 | 25,422 | 41,305 | 0.3 | 12,287 | 22.011 | 34,298 | 0.3 |
| 75-79 | 104,487 | 152.461 | 256,948 | 1.8 | 85.858 | 136.850 | 222,708 | 1.6 |
| 80 | 14,585 | 26,424 | 41,009 | 0.3 | 10,992 | 22,113. | 33,104 | 0.2 |
| 81 | 12,568 | 23,453 | 36,021 | 0.2 | 9,240 | 18,049 | 27,289 | 0.2 |
| 82 | 9,478 | 18,525 | 28,003 | 0.2 | 8,430 | 17,253 | 25,683 | 0.2 |
| 83 | 7,896 | 17,012 | 24,908 | 0.2 | 7,439 | 15,641 | 23,079 | 0.2 |
| 84 | 6,794 | 15,356 | 22,150 | 0.2 | 6,501 | 13,731 | 20,232 | 0.1 |
| 80.84 | 51,321 | 100.770 | 152,091 | 1.0 | 42,600 | 86,787 | 129,387 | 1.0 |
| 85 | 5,648 | 13,956 | 19,604 | 0.1 | 5,548 | 12,108 | 17,656 | 0.1 |
| 86 | 4,830 | 12,079 | 16,909 | 0.1 | 4,700 | 10,457 | 15,157 | 0.1 |
| 87 | 3,881 | 9,901 | 13,782 | 0.1 | 3,562 | 8,216 | 11,778 | 0.1 |
| 88 | 3,182 | 8,470 | 11,652 | 0.1 | 2,879 | 6,645 | 9,524 | 0.1 |
| 89 | 2,651 | 7,129 | 9,780 | 0.1 | 2,055 | 5,151 | 7,206 | 0.1 |
| 85-89 | 20,192 | 51,535 | 71,727 | 0.5 | 18,745 | 42,576 | 61,321 | 0.5 |
| 90 | 2,058 | 5.894 | 7.952 | 0.1 | 1,636 | 4,202 | 5,838 | 0.0 |
| 91 | 1,469 | 4,424 | 5,893 | 0.0 | 1,138 | 3,117 | 4,255 | 0.0 |
| 92 | 1,170 | 3,454 | 4,624 | 0.0 | 830 | 2,343 | 3,172 | 0.0 |
| 93 | 827 | 2,546 | 3,373 | 0.0 | 588 | 1,766 | 2,354 | 0.0 |
| 94 | 539 | 1,828 | 2,367 | 0.0 | 423 | 1,350 | 1,773 17392 | 0.0 |
| 90-94 | 6,063 | 18.146 | 24,209 | 0.2 | 4.614 | 12,778 | 17.392 | 0.1 |
| 95 | 418 | 1,345 | 1,763 | 0.0 | 293 | 988 | 1,281 | 0.0 |
| 96 | 277 | 1,016 | 1,293 | 0.0 | 201 | 640 | 841 538 | 0.0 |
| 97 | 173 | 609 | 782 | 0.0 | 133 | 405 | 538 | 0.0 |
| 98 | 123 | 443 | 566 393 | 0.0 | 74 60 | 251 | 325 260 | 0.0 |
| 99 95.99 | 75 1.066 | 318 3.731 | 393 4.797 | 0.0 0.0 | 60 761 | 2,484 | 260 3,245 | 0.0 0.0 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 100 and over | 70 | 370 | 440 | 0.0 | 78 | 207 | 285 | 0.0 |
| Total | 7,267,076 | 7,309,254 | 14,576,330 | 100.0 | 6,774,947 | 6,713,500 | 13,548,448 | 100.0 |

TABLE 8. BIRTHPLACE

| Birthplace | 1981 Census |  |  |  | 1976 Census |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Males | Females | Persons | Percentage | Males | Females | Persons | Percentage |
| Australia $\dagger$ | 5,615,436 | 5,778,425 | 11,393,861 | 78.2 | 5,353,810 | 5,475,806 | 10,829,616 | 79.9 |
| Europe- |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| England including U.K. undefined | 450,986 | 438,138 | 889,124 | 6.1 | 446,236 | 427,819 | 874.055 | 6.5 |
| Scotland | 76,113 | 75,516 | 151,629 | 1.0 | 76,422 | 75,459 | 151,881 | 1.1 |
| Wales | 12,599 | 11,511 | 24,110 | 0.2 | 12,727 | 11,572 | 24,300 | 0.2 |
| Ireland(a) | 35,677 | 32,061 | 67,738 | 0.5 | 35,650 | 31,713 | 67,364 | 0.5 |
| Albania | 956 | 408 | 1,364 | 0.0 | 1,074 | 417 | 1,491 | 0.0 |
| Austria | 12,360 | 10,445 | 22,805 | 0.2 | 12,564 | 10,695 | 23,259 | 0.2 |
| Belgium | 2,161 | 2,153 | 4,314 | 0.0 | 1,989 | 2,012 | 4,001 | 0.0 |
| Bulgaria | 1,131 | 547 | 1,678 | 0.0 | 1,175 | 568 | 1,743 | 0.0 |
| Czechoslovakia | 9,606 | 6,546 | 16,152 | 0.1 | 9,315 | 6,184 | 15,499 | 0.1 |
| Denmark | 4,611 | 3,300 | 7,911 | 0.1 | 4,215 | 2,883 | 7,098 | 0.1 |
| Estonia | 2,371 | 2,669 | 5.040 | 0.0 | 2,267 | 2,455 | 4,722 | 0.0 |
| Finland | 4,895 | 4,612 | 9,507 | 0.1 | 4,843 | 4,342 | 9,185 | 0.1 |
| France | 6,755 | 6,580 | 13,335 | 0.1 | 6,063 | 6,004 | 12,066 | 0.1 |
| Germany(b) | 55,126 | 55,632 | 110,758 | 0.8 | 53,820 | 53,739 | 107,559 | 0.8 |
| Greece | 75,215 | 71,410 | 146,625 | 1.0 | 78,667 | 74,242 | 152,908 | 1.1 |
| Hungary | 15,799 | 12,188 | 27,987 | 0.2 | 15,595 | 11,649 | 27,244 | 0.2 |
| Italy | 149,684 | 126,199 | 275,883 | 1.9 | 152,886 | 127,268 | 280,154 | 2.1 |
| Latvia | 6,354 | 5,707 | 12,061 | 0.1 | 7,180 | 6,207 | 13,387 | 0.1 |
| Lithuania | 3,381 | 2,463 | 5.844 | 0.0 | 3,615 | 2,468 | 6,083 | 0.0 |
| Malta | 30,628 | 26,373 | 57,001 | 0.4 | 30,437 | 25,452 | 55,889 | 0.4 |
| Netherlands | 51,863 | 44,181 | 96,044 | 0.7 | 50,205 | 41,905 | 92,110 | 0.7 |
| Norway | 1,865 | 1,070 | 2,935 | 0.0 | 1,929 | 968 | 2,897 | 0.0 |
| Poland | 33,031 | 26,410 | 59,441 | 0.4 | 31,802 | 24,249 | 56,051 | 0.4 |
| Portugal | 6,206 | 5,562 | 11,768 | 0.1 | 5,488 | 4,721 | 10,209 | 0.1 |
| Romania | 3,332 | 2,529 | 5,86! | 0.0 | 2,613 | 1,999 | 4,612 | 0.0 |
| Spain | 8,319 | 6,834 | 15,153 | 0.1 | 8,405 | 6,952 | 15,357 | 0.1 |
| Sweden | 2,532 | 1,872 | 4,404 | 0.0 | 2,519 | 1,685 | 4,204 | 0.0 |
| Switzerland | 4,387 | 3,339 | 7,726 | 0.1 | 3,667 | 2,872 | 6,539 | 0.0 |
| Ukraine | 6,015 | 4,926 | 10,941 | 0.1 | 6,429 | 5,005 | 11,434 | 0.1 |
| USSR n.e.i. | 7,499 | 9,455 | 16,954 | 0.1 | 6,465 | 8,067 | 14,532 | 0.1 |
| Yugoslavia | 81,527 | 67,808 | 149,335 | 1.0 | 79,185 | 64,406 | 143,591 | 1.1 |
| Northern Europe n.e.i. | 253 | 243 | 496 | 0.0 |  |  |  | 0.1 |
| Southern Europe n.e.i. | 420 | 374 | 794 | 0.0 | \} 5,044 | 4,347 | 9,392 | 0.1 |
| Total Europe | 1,163,657 | 1,069,061 | 2,232,718 | 15.3 | 1.160.493 | 1,050.325 | 2,210,817 | 16.3 |

Asia-
Bahrain, Jordan, Kuwait, Muscat

| Yemen | 1,166 | 1,010 | 2,176 | 0.0 | 954 | 832 | 1,787 | 0.0 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Bangladesh | 553 | 438 | 991 | 0.0 | 273 | 182 | 455 | 0.0 |
| Burma | 3,534 | 3,760 | 7,294 | 0.1 | 3,063 | 3,268 | 6,331 | 0.0 |
| China | 12,963 | 12,920 | 25,883 | 0.2 | 10,177 | 9,366 | 19,542 | 0.1 |
| Christmas Island | 502 | 443 | 945 | 0.0 | 229 | 187 | 416 | 0.0 |
| Cocos (Keeling) Island | 255 | 239 | 494 | 0.0 | 149 | 105 | 254 | 0.0 |
| Cyprus | 11,979 | 11,353 | 23,332 | 0.2 | 11,267 | 10,362 | 21,629 | 0.2 |
| Hong Kong | 8,127 | 7,590 | 15,717 | 0.1 | 4,705 | 4,113 | 8,818 | 0.1 |
| India | 20,840 | 20,817 | 41,657 | 0.3 | 19,052 | 18,534 | 37,586 | 0.3 |
| Indonesia | 6,607 | 5,856 | 12,463 | 0.1 | 5,168 | 4,188 | 9,356 | 0.1 |
| Iran | 1,886 | 1,783 | 3,669 | 0.0 | 1,138 | 1,106 | 2,243 | 0.0 |
| Iraq | 1,796 | 1,464 | 3,260 | 0.0 | 1,204 | 1.069 | 2,273 | 0.0 |
| Israel | 3,258 | 2,889 | 6,147 | 0.0 | 2,867 | 2.444 | 5,311 | 0.0 |
| Japan | 3,862 | 4,198 | 8,060 | 0.1 | 2,995 | 3,260 | 6,255 | 0.0 |
| Kampuchea(c) | 1,870 | 1,719 | 3,589 | 0.0 | 278 | 219 | 496 | 0.0 |
| Korea(d) | 2,417 | 2,097 | 4,514 | 0.0 | 990 | 470 | 1,460 | 0.0 |
| Laos | 2,724 | 2,628 | 5,352 | 0.0 | 252 | 202 | 454 | 0.0 |
| Lebanon | 26,622 | 23,001 | 49,623 | 0.3 | 18,321 | 15,103 | 33,424 | 0.2 |
| Malaysia | 15,934 | 15,664 | 31,598 | 0.2 | 10,524 | 9,356 | 19,880 | 0.1 |
| Pakistan | 1,339 | 1,188 | 2,527 | 0.0 | 1,033 | 764 | 1,797 | 0.0 |
| Philippines | 5,392 | 10,039 | 15,431 | 0.1 | 2,556 | 3,405 | 5,961 | 0.0 |
| Singapore | 5,755 | 6,235 | 11,990 | 0.1 | 4,602 | 4,387 | 8,989 | 0.1 |
| Sri Lanka | 8,431 | 8,535 | 16,966 | 0.1 | 7,409 | 7.458 | 14,866 | 0.1 |
| Syria | 1,674 | 1,520 | 3,194 | 0.0 | 1,297 | 1,172 | 2,468 | 0.0 |
| Taiwan | 394 | 483 | 877 | 0.0 | 240 | 191 | 431 | 0.0 |
| Thailand | 1,237 | 2,109 | 3,346 | 0.0 | 697 | 968 | 1,665 | 0.0 |
| Timor | 1,862 | 1,841 | 3,703 | 0.0 | 860 | 973 | 1,834 | 0.0 |
| Turkey | 12.793 | 11,521 | 24,314 | 0.2 | 10,098 | 9,257 | 19,355 | 0.1 |
| Vietnam | 22,263 | 18,834 | 41,097 | 0.3 | 1,193 | 1,234 | 2,427 | 0.0 |
| Asia n.e.i. | 733 | 646 | 1,379 | 0.0 | 1,511 | 1,347 | 2,858 | 0.0 |
| Total Asia | 188,768 | 182,820 | 371,588 | 2.5 | 125.102 | 115,520 | 240,622 | 1.8 |

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TABLE 8. BIRTHPLACE-continued

| Birthplace | 1981 Census |  |  |  | 1976 Census |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Males | Females | Persons | Percentage | Males | Females | Persons | Percentage |
| America- |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Argentina | 4,024 | 4,094 | 8,118 | 0.1 | 2,714 | 2,580 | 5,294 | 0.0 |
| Bolivia | 200 | 178 | 378 | 0.0 | (c) | (e) | (c) | (e) |
| Brazil | 807 | 861 | 1,668 | 0.0 | 618 | 547 | 1,165 | 0.0 |
| Canada | 8,801 | 8,889 | 17,690 | 0.1 | 7,344 | 7,143 | 14,487 | 0.1 |
| Chile | 6,890 | 7,087 | 13,977 | 0.1 | 4,944 | 4,975 | 9,919 | 0.1 |
| Colombia | 647 | 642 | 1,289 | 0.0 | 554 | 506 | 1,060 | 0.0 |
| Commonwealth countries of the |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| West Indies and Caribbean | 1,371 | 1.386 | 2,757 | 0.0 | 933 | 1,025 | 1,957 | 0.0 |
| Ecuador | 469 | 437 | 906 | 0.0 | 467 | 411 | 878 | 0.0 |
| Mexico | 200 | 254 | 454 | 0.0 | 203 | 198 | 401 | 0.0 |
| Paraguay | 124 | 134 | 258 | 0.0 | (e) | (e) | (e) | (c) |
| Peru | 686 | 1,127 | 1,813 | 0.0 | 458 | 856 | 1,314 | 0.0 |
| United States of America | 17,614 | 15,006 | 32,620 | 0.2 | 17,136 | 14,378 | 31,514 | 0.2 |
| Uruguay | 4,568 | 4,719 | 9,287 | 0.1 | 3,890 | 3,879 | 7,769 | 0.1 |
| Venezuela | 208 | 210 | 418 | 0.0 | 157 | 177 | 334 | 0.0 |
| America n.e.i. | 2,365 | 2,249 | 4,614 | 0.0 | 2,350 | 2,289 | 4,637 | 0.0 |
| Total America | 48,974 | 47,273 | 96.247 | 0.7 | 41,767 | 38,965 | 80,732 | 0.6 |
| Africa- |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Arab Republic of Egypt | 15,701 | 14,944 | 30,645 | 0.2 | 15,451 | 14,671 | 30,123 | 0.2 |
| Kenya | 1,815 | 1,553 | 3,368 | 0.0 | (f) | (1) | (1) | (f) |
| Malawi, Tanzania, Uganda, Zambia | 1,779 | 1,478 | 3,257 | 0.0 | (g) 3,793 | (g) 3,349 | (g)7,141 | (g)0.1 |
| Mauritius | 5,143 | 5,333 | 10,476 | 0.1 | 4,878 | 4,993 | 9,870 | 0.1 |
| Republic of South Africa | 13,051 | 13,914 | 26,965 | 0.2 | 7,467 | 8,098 | 15,565 | 0.1 |
| Zimbabwe. | 2,121 | 1,989 | 4,110 | 0.0 | (f) | (1) | ${ }_{7}(\mathrm{f})$ | (1) |
| Africa n.e.i. | 5,999 | 5,417 | 11,416 | 0.1 | 4,132 | 3,680 | 7,811 | 0.1 |
| Total Africa | 45.609 | 44,628 | 90.237 | 0.6 | 35.720 | 34.791 | 70.510 | 0.5 |
| Oceania- |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Cook Islands | 284 | 354 | 638 | 0.0 | 49 | 77 | 126 | 0.0 |
| Fiji | 4,625 | 4,735 | 9,360 | 0.1 | 2,991 | 2,986 | 5,976 | 0.0 |
| Kiribati and Tuvalu(h) | 58 | 98 215 | +156 | 0.0 | 65 | 6.97 | 131 378 | 0.0 |
| Nauru | 221 | 215 | 436 | 0.0 | 191 | 187 | 378 | 0.0 |
| New Caledonia | 367 | 530 | 897 | 0.0 | 309 | 473 | 782 | 0.0 |
| New Zealand | 89,782 | 86,931 | 176,713 | 1.2 | 45,056 | 44,735 | 89,791 | 0.7 |
| Norfolk Island | 129 | 151 | 280 | 0.0 | 215 | 218 | 433 | 0.0 |
| Papua New Guinea | 9,177 | 9,518 | 18.695 | 0.1 | 7,738 | 7.823 | 15,562 | 0.1 |
| Solomon Islands | +337 | +390 | 727 | 0.0 | 208 | 219 | 427 | 0.0 |
| Tonga | 1,319 | 1,297 | 2,616 | 0.0 | 447 | 446 | 893 | 0.0 |
| Vanuatu(i) | 327 | 348 | 675 | 0.0 | 230 | 250 | 480 | 0.0 |
| Western Samoa | 373 | 408 | 781 | 0.0 | 119 | 140 | 259 | 0.0 |
| Oceania n.e.i. | 404 | 467 | 871 | 0.0 | 257 | 330 | 589 | 0.0 |
| Total Oceania | 107,403 | 105,442 | 212,845 | 1.5 | 57.875 | 57,954 | 115,829 | 0.9 |
| At sea | 98 | 101 | 199 | 0.0 | 181 | 141 | 322 | 0.0 |
| Not stated $\dagger$ | 97,131 | 81,504 | 178,635 | 1.2 |  |  |  | . |
| Total | 7,267,076 | 7,309,254 | 14,576,330 | 100.0 | 6,774,948 | 6,773,501 | 13,548,448 | 100.0 |

(a) Includes Northern Ireland and the Republic of Ireland. (b) Includes the German Democratic Republic and the German Federal Republic because many respondents stated their birthplace as 'Germany'. (c) Includes the response 'Cambodia'. (d) Includes both the Democratic Peoples' Republic of Korea and the Republic of Korea. (e) Included with America n.e.i. (I) Included with Malawi, Tanzania, Uganda and Zambia. (g) Includes Kenya and Zimbabwe. (h) Was named Gilbert and Ellice Islands in 1976. (i) Was named New Hebrides in 1976.
† In 1976 not stated birthplace was coded to Australia.

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TABLE 9. ABORIGINALS AND TORRES STRAIT ISLANDERS

|  | 1981 Census |  |  |  | 1976 Census |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Males | Females | Persons | Percentage | Males | Females | Persons | Percentage |
| Aboriginals | 72,181 | 72,484 | 144,665 | 1.0 | 72,824 | 71.557 | 144,381 | 1.1 |
| Torres Strait Islanders | 7,541 | 7,691 | 15,232 | 0.1 | 8,330 | 8,201 | 16,531 | 0.1 |
| Not Aboriginal or Torres Strait Islander | 6,914,312 | 6,949,838 | 13,864,150 | 95.1 | 6,131,122 | 6,115,514 | 12,246,637 | 90.4 |
| Not stated | 273,042 | 279,241 | 552,283 | 3.8 | 562,672 | 578,228 | 1,140,900 | 8.4 |
| Total | 7,267,076 | 7,309,254 | 14,576,330 | 100.0 | 6,774,948 | 6,773,501 | 13,548,448 | 100.0 |

TABLE 10. PERIOD OF RESIDENCE IN AUSTRALIA OF OVERSEAS BORN RESIDENTS

| Year | 1981 Census |  |  |  | 1976 Census |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Males | Females | Persons | Percentage | Males | Females | Persons | Percentage |
| 0 | 34,557 | 32,631 | 67,188 | 2.3 | 26,320 | 28,152 | 54,472 | 2.0 |
| 1 | 52,553 | 52,007 | 104,560 | 3.6 | 33,901 | 35,063 | 68,964 | 2.6 |
| 2 | 40,429 | 42,062 | 82,491 | 2.8 | 37,758 | 36,475 | 74,233 | 2.8 |
| 3 | 34,013 | 34,621 | 68,634 | 2.3 | 32,461 | 31,701 | 64,162 | 2.4 |
| 4 | 35,100 | 35,484 | 70,584 | 2.4 | 37,560 | 35,815 | 73,375 | 2.7 |
| 0-4 | 196,652 | 196,805 | 393.457 | 13.4 | 168.000 | 167,206 | 335,206 | 12.6 |
| 5 | 29,465 | 30,547 | 60,012 | 2.0 | 44,086 | 41,076 | 85,162 | 3.2 |
| 6 | 25,837 | 28,810 | 54,647 | 1.9 | 50,171 | 45,171 | 95,342 | 3.6 |
| 7 | 47,579 | 47,020 | 94,599 | 3.2 | 45,204 | 40,163 | 85,367 | 3.2 |
| 8 | 39,295 | 39,399 | 78,694 | 2.7 | 33,706 | 30,240 | 63,946 | 2.4 |
| 9 | 41,340 | 40,769 | 82,109 | 2.8 | 32,630 | 29,287 | 61,917 | 2.3 |
| 5-9 | 183,516 | 186,545 | 370,061 | 12.6 | 205.797 | 185,937 | 391,734 | 14.7 |
| 10 | 54,382 | 51,988 | 106,370 | 3.6 | 33,556 | 30,064 | 63,620 | 2.4 |
| 11 | 67,145 | 61,476 | 128,621 | 4.4 | 31,178 | 28,308 | 59,486 | 2.2 |
| 12 | 66,930 | 60,125 | 127,055 | 4.3 | 27,958 | 25,256 | 53,214 | 2.0 |
| 13 | 54,532 | 49,806 | 104.338 | 3.6 | 22,358 | 20,767 | 43,125 | 1.6 |
| 14 | 44,556 | 40,833 | 85,389 | 2.9 | 17,484 | 18,507 | 35,991 | 1.3 |
| 10-14 | 287,545 | 264.228 | 551,773 | 18.8 | 132.534 | 122,902 | 255.436 | 9.6 |
| 15 | 46,584 | 42,708 | 89,292 | 3.0 | 23,172 | 19,900 | 43,072 | 1.6 |
| 16 | 47,296 | 44,306 | 91,602 | 3.1 | 24,559 | 20,669 | 45,228 | 1.7 |
| 17 | 45,560 | 41,840 | 87,400 | 3.0 | 18,251 | 19,026 | 37,277 | 1.4 |
| 18 | 36,199 | 33.890 | 70,089 | 2.4 | 17,272 | 19,612 | 36,884 | 1.4 |
| 19 | 28,363 | 30,158 | 58,521 | 2.0 | 20,806 | 19.723 | 40,529 | 1.5 |
| 15-19 | 204,002 | 192.902 | 396,904 | 13.5 | 104,060 | 98,930 | 202,990 | 7.6 |
| 20 | 30,679 | 30,417 | 61,096 | 2.1 | 25,500 | 20,862 | 46,362 | 1.7 |
| 21 | 39,874 | 32,859 | 72,733 | 2.5 | 22,444 | 18,489 | 40,933 | 1.5 |
| 22 | 31,706 | 30,313 | 62,019 | 2.1 | 16,047 | 15,113 | 31,160 | 1.2 |
| 23 | 26,381 | 30,791 | 57,172 | 1.9 | 17,491 | 14,449 | 31,940 | 1.2 |
| 24 | 29,853 | 32,242 | 62,095 | 2.1 | 26,355 | 17,831 | 44,186 | 1.7 |
| 20-24 | 158.493 | 156.622 | 315,115 | 10.7 | 107,837 | 86.744 | 194,581 | 7.3 |
| 25 | 41,482 | 34,930 | 76,412 | 2.6 | 30,022 | 22,685 | 52,707 | 2.0 |
| 26 | 36,899 | 30,685 | 67,584 | 2.3 | 38,093 | 28,376 | 66,469 | 2.5 |
| 27 | 32,948 | 30,419 | 63,367 | 2.2 | 22,642 | 16,703 | 39,345 | 1.5 |
| 28 | 20,787 | 20,529 | 41,316 | 1.4 | 8,437 | 6,381 | 14,818 | 0.6 |
| 29 | 42,962 | 29,876 | 72,838 | 2.5 |  |  |  |  |
| 25-29 | 175,078 | 146,439 | 321,517 | 10.9 |  |  |  |  |
| 30 | 42,345 | 32,063 | 74,408 | 2.5 |  |  |  |  |
| 31 | 58,435 | 46,070 | 104,505 | 3.6 |  |  |  |  |
| 32 | 53,098 | 42,079 | 95,177 | 3.2 | 72,541 | 69,943 | 142,484 | 5.3 |
| 33 | 19,719 | 14,660 | 34,379 | 1.2 |  |  |  |  |
| 34 | 7.889 | 6,184 | 14,073 | 0.5 |  |  |  |  |
| 30-34 | 181,486 | 141.056 | 322.542 | 11.0 |  |  |  |  |
| 35 and over | 106,891 | 109,511 | 216,402 | 7.4 |  |  |  |  |
| Not stated | 25,523 | 24,064 | 49,587 | 1.7 | 504,095 | 470,942 | 975,037 | 36.5 |
| Total | 1,519,186 | 1,418,172 | 2,937,358 | 100.0 | 1,394,057 | 1,276,747 | 2,670,804 | 100.0 |

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TABLE 11. BIRTHPLACE OF PARENTS OF AUSTRALIAN BORN PERSONS

|  | 1981 Census |  |  |  | 1976 Census |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Males | Females | Persons | Percentage | Males | Females | Persons | Percentage |
| Father and Mother born in- |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Australia | 4,137,804 | 4,266,991 | 8,404,795 | 88.4 | 3,980,453 | 4,080,474 | 8,060,927 | 87.2 |
| U.K. and Ireland(a) | 168,404 | 181,622 | 350,026 | 3.7 | 166,885 | 181,077 | 347,962 | 3.8 |
| Germany(b) | 12,334 | 12,445 | 24,779 | 0.3 | 12,037 | 12,410 | 24,447 | 0.3 |
| Greece | 51,911 | 49,282 | 101,193 | 1.1 | 44,960 | 42,794 | 87,754 | 0.9 |
| Italy | 97,155 | 93,009 | 190,164 | 2.0 | 85,129 | 81,222 | 166,351 | 1.8 |
| Malta | 18,065 | 16,823 | 34,888 | 0.4 | 14,912 | 13,828 | 28,740 | 0.3 |
| Netherlands | 19,376 | 18,526 | 37,902 | 0.4 | 17,742 | 16,926 | 34,668 | 0.4 |
| Yugoslavia | 29,205 | 27,777 | 56,982 | 0.6 | 21,427 | 20,261 | 41,658 | 0.5 |
| Europe n.e.i. | 30,551 | 30,089 | 60,640 | 0.6 | 35,057 | 34,085 | 69,142 | 0.7 |
| Asia | 36,974 | 35,813 | 72,787 | 0.8 | 22,175 | 21,485 | 43,660 | 0.5 |
| U.S.A. and Canada | 844 | 837 | 1,681 | 0.0 | 672 | 616 | 1,288 | 0.0 |
| America n.e.i. | 2,547 | 2,538 | 5,085 | 0.1 | 1,272 | 1,212 | 2,484 | 0.0 |
| All other countries | 12,021 | 11,708 | 23,729 | 0.2 | 8,139 | 7,764 | 15,903 | 0.2 |
| Not stated | 70,143 | 75,810 | 145,953 | 1.5 | 166,710 | 152,422 | 319,132 | 3.5 |
| Total | 4,687,334 | 4,823,270 | 9,510,604 | 100.0 | 4,577,571 | 4,666,575 | 9,244,146 | 100.0 |
| Father born in- |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Mother born elsewhere or not stated |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Australia | 345,182 | 341,998 | 687,180 | 36.5 | 258,664 | 250,498 | 509,162 | 32.1 |
| U.K. and Ireland(a) | 299,163 | 322,929 | 622,092 | 33.0 | 283,000 | 309,224 | 592,224 | 37.4 |
| Germany(b) | 29,464 | 30,064 | 59,528 | 3.2 | 24,926 | 25,393 | 50,319 | 3.2 |
| Greece | 10,219 | 10,257 | 20,476 | 1.1 | 8,437 | 8,181 | 16,618 | 1.0 |
| Italy | 38,437 | 37,715 | 76,152 | 4.0 | 31,046 | 30,064 | 61,110 | 3.9 |
| Malta | 9,511 | 9,175 | 18,686 | 1.0 | 7,374 | 7,272 | 14,646 | 0.9 |
| Netherlands | 25,100 | 24,571 | 49,671 | 2.6 | 19,698 | 19,041 | 38,739 | 2.4 |
| Yugoslavia | 14,413 | 13,861 | 28,274 | 1.5 | 11,939 | 11,417 | 23,356 | 1.5 |
| Europe n.e.i. | 53,835 | 55,311 | 109,146 | 5.8 | 44,415 | 45,460 | 89,875 | 5.7 |
| Asia | 29,340 | 29,082 | 58.422 | 3.1 | 21,930 | 21,918 | 43,848 | 2.8 |
| U.S.A. and Canada | 8,516 | 8,501 | 17,017 | 0.9 | 7,115 | 7,403 | 14,518 | 0.9 |
| America n.e.i. | 3,799 | 4,036 | 7,835 | 0.4 | 2,934 | 3,254 | 6,188 | 0.4 |
| All other countries | 41,464 | 42,448 | 83,912 | 4.5 | 34,127 | 35,057 | 69,184 | 4.4 |
| Not stated | 19,659 | 25,207 | 44,866 | 2.4 | 20,634 | 35,051 | 55,685 | 3.5 |
| Total | 928,102 | 955,155 | 1,883,257 | 100.0 | 776,238 | 809,231 | 1,585,469 | 100.0 |
| Mother born in- |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Father born elsewhere or not stated |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Australia | 475,320 | 507,534 | 982,854 | 52.2 | 435,015 | 476.414 | 911.429 | 57.5 |
| U.K. and Ireland(a) | 203,883 | 210,576 | 414,459 | 22.0 | 186,258 | 192,383 | 378,641 | 23.9 |
| Germany(b) | 24,669 | 24,286 | 48,955 | 2.6 | 21,338 | 20,817 | 42,155 | 2.7 |
| Greece | 5,259 | 5,031 | 10,290 | 0.5 | 4,464 | 4,231 | 8,695 | 0.5 |
| Italy | 9,507 | 9,160 | 18,667 | 1.0 | 7,289 | 7.313 | 14,602 | 0.9 |
| Malta | 5,935 | 5,425 | 11,360 | 0.6 | 4.428 | 4.088 | 8,516 | 0.5 |
| Netherlands | 16,932 | 16,146 | 33,078 | 1.8 | 12,969 | 12,405 | 25.374 | 1.6 |
| Yugoslavia | 4,368 | 3,996 | 8,364 | 0.4 | 3,535 | 3,445 | 6,980 | 0.4 |
| Europe n.e.i. | 25,655 | 25,557 | 51,212 | 2.7 | 16,666 | 16,674 | 33,340 | 2.1 |
| Asia | 23,324 | 22,678 | 46,002 | 2.4 | 15,615 | 15,365 | 30,980 | 2.0 |
| U.S.A. and Canada | 6,019 | 5,922 | 11,941 | 0.6 | 4,512 | 4,576 | 9,088 | 0.6 |
| America n.e.i. | 2,996 | 2,944 | 5,940 | 0.3 | 1,971 | 1,946 | 3,917 | 0.2 |
| All other countries | 36,400 | 37,449 | 73,849 | 3.9 | 29.730 | 30.933 | 60,663 | 3.8 |
| Not stated | 87,835 | 78,451 | 166,286 | 8.8 | 32,449 | 18,643 | 51,092 | 3.2 |
| Total | 928,102 | 955,155 | 1,883,257 | 100.0 | 776,239 | 809,230 | 1,585,469 | 100.0 |

(a)Includes Northern Ireland and the Republic of Ireland. (b) Includes the German Democratic Republic and the German Federal Republic because many respondents stated their birthplace as "Germany".

TABLE 12. COUNTRY OF CITIZENSHIP

| Country | 1981 Census |  |  |  | 1976 Census |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Males | Females | Persons | Percentage | Males | Females | Persons | Percentage |
| Commonwealth countries-Australia- |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Australian born | 5,615,436 | 5,778,425 | 11,393,861 | 78.2 | 5,353,810 | 5,475,806 | 10.829.616 | 79.9 |
| Overseas born | 804,604 | 732,608 | 1,537,212 | 10.5 | 660,843 | 587,026 | 1,247,869 | 9.2 |
| Canada | 6,771 | 6,845 | 13,616 | 0.1 | 6,149 | 5,859 | 12,009 | 0.1 |
| Cyprus | 2,724 | 2,962 | 5.686 | 0.0 | 3,909 | 4,131 | 8,040 | 0.1 |
| India | 2,677 | 2,597 | 5,274 | 0.0 | 2,879 | 2,816 | 5,695 | 0.0 |
| Malta | 14,375 | 12,189 | 26,564 | 0.2 | 17,536 | 14,579 | 32,115 | 0.2 |
| New Zealand | 76,455 | 72,029 | 148,484 | 1.0 | 32,522 | 30,467 | 62,989 | 0.5 |
| U.K. including Northern Ireland | 366,191 | 355,824 | 722,015 | 5.0 | 406,799 | 385,543 | 792,342 | 5.8 |
| Other Commonwealth countries | 20,229 | 19,287 | 39,516 | 0.3 | 14,540 | 12,496 | 27,036 | 0.2 |
| Total | 6,909.462 | 6,982,766 | 13,892,228 | 95.3 | 6,498.987 | 6.518.723 | 13.017.711 | 96.1 |
| Non-Commonwealth countries- |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Germany | 14,654 | 12,255 | 26,909 | 0.2 | 15,425 | 12,451 | 27,877 | 0.2 |
| Greece | 11,182 | 12,496 | 23,678 | 0.2 | 24,087 | 26,679 | 50,766 | 0.4 |
| Ireland | 10,080 | 8,296 | 18,376 | 0.1 | 12.156 | 9,280 | 21,436 | 0.2 |
| Italy | 42,229 | 39,501 | 81,730 | 0.6 | 56,661 | 52,363 | 109,024 | 0.8 |
| Netherlands | 13,256 | 12,231 | 25,487 | 0.2 | 13,774 | 12,263 | 26,037 | 0.2 |
| Poland | 4,043 | 3,167 | 7,210 | 0.0 | 2,244 | 1,920 | 4,164 | 0.0 |
| Turkey | 9,724 | 8,931 | 18,655 | 0.1 | 8,058 | 7,359 | 15,416 | 0.1 |
| United States of America | 14,216 | 12,817 | 27,033 | 0.2 | 14,707 | 13,094 | 27,801 | 0.2 |
| Yugoslavia | 21,383 | 19,706 | 41,089 | 0.3 | 37,310 | 32,962 | 70,273 | 0.5 |
| Other countries n.e.i. | 94,339 | 87,993 | 182,332 | 1.3 | r64,289 | r57,735 | r122,024 | 0.9 |
| Total | 235,106 | 217,393 | 452,499 | 3.1 | r248,711 | r226.106 | r474,818 | 3.5 |
| Stateless and not stated | 122,508 | 109,095 | 231,603 | 1.6 | r27,248 | r28,670 | r55,920 | 0.4 |
| Total | 7,267,076 | 7,309,254 | 14,576,330 | 100.0 | 6,774,948 | 6,773,501 | 13,548,448 | 100.0 |

TABLE 13. RELIGION

| Religious denomination | 1981 Census |  |  |  | 1976 Census |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Males | Females | Persons | Percentage | Males | Females | Persons | Percentage |
| Christian- |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Baptist | 89,328 | 100,931 | 190,259 | 1.3 | 81,936 | 92,214 | 174,151 | 1.3 |
| Brethren | 10,199 | 11,290 | 21,489 | 0.1 | \% 9,838 | 10,880 | 20,719 | 0.2 |
| Catholic(a) | 1,862,144 | 1,924,361 | 3,786,505 | 26.0 | 1,725,482 | 1,757,366 | 3,482,847 | 25.7 |
| Church of Christ | 40.707 | 48,717 | 8,89,424 | 0.6 | 1,39,604 | 47,245 | 86,850 | 0.6 |
| Church of England | 1,844,817 | 1,965,652 | 3,810,469 | 26.1 | 1,828,808 | 1,923,413 | 3,752,222 | 27.7 |
| Congregational | 10,753 | 12,264 | 23,017 | 0.2 | 24,392 | 29,051 | 53,444 | 0.4 |
| Jehovah's Witness | 23,274 | 28,541 | 51,815 | 0.4 | 18,649 | 22,710 | 41,359 | 0.3 |
| Latter Day Saints/Mormons | 15,182 | 17.262 | 32.444 | 0.2 | (b) | (b) | (b) | (b) |
| Lutheran | 97,461 | 102,299 | 199,760 | 1.4 | 94,705 | 96,843 | 191,548 | 1.4 |
| Methodist-including Wesleyan | 238,090 | 252,677 | 490,767 | 3.4 | 469.191 | 514,049 | 983,240 | 7.3 |
| Orthodox | 215,877 | 205,404 | 421,281 | 2.9 | 191,871 | 180,363 | 372,234 | 2.7 |
| Pentecostal | 33,777 | 38,371 | 72,148 | 0.5 | 18,259 | 20,134 | 38,393 | 0.3 |
| Presbyterian | 305,010 | 332,808 | 637,818 | 4.4 | 431,480 | 468,470 | 899,950 | 6.6 |
| Salvation Army | 32,992 | 38,578 | 71,570 | 0.5 | 29,522 | 33,814 | 63,336 | 0.5 |
| Seventh Day Adventist | 21,500 | 25,974 | 47,474 | 0.3 | 18,695 | 22,776 | 41,471 | 0.3 |
| Uniting Church | 327,257 | 385,352 | 712,609 | 4.9 | (b) | (b) | (b) | (b) |
| Protestant undefined | 105,096 | 115,583 | 220,679 | 1.5 | 97.704 | 108,455 | 206,160 | 1.5 |
| Christian n.e.i. | 125,122 | 128,648 5 | 253,770 | 1.7 | 116,175 | 120.753 | 236,928 | 1.7 |
| Total | 5.398.586 | 5,734,712 | 11.133,298 | 76.4 | 5,196,314 | 5,448.537 | 10,644,851 | 78.6 |
| Buddhist | 18,295 | 16,778 | 35,073 | 0.2 | (c) | (c) | (c) | (c) |
| Hebrew | 30,347 | 31,779 | 62,126 | 0.4 | 26,115 | 27,327 | 53,441 | 0.4 |
| Muslim | 41,329 | 35,463 | 76,792 | 0.5 | 24,974 | 20.232 | 45,205 | 0.3 |
| Non-Christian n.e.i. | 13,173 | 10,404 | 23,577 | 0.2 | 16,705 | 13,716 | 30,422 | 0.2 |
| Total | 103,144 | 94.424 | 197.568 | 1.4 | 67.794 | 61.275 | 129,069 | 1.0 |
| Inadequately described | 39,854 |  |  |  |  |  |  | 0.4 |
| No religion (so described) | 891,592 | 685,126 | 1,576,718 | 10.8 | 651,020 | 479,280 | 1,130,300 | 8.3 |
| Not stated | 833,900 | 761,295 | 1,595,195 | 10.9 | 831,232 | 761,726 | 1,592,959 | 11.8 |
| Total | 7,267,076 | 7,309,254 | 14,576,330 | 100.0 | 6,774,948 | 6,773,501 | 13,548,448 | 100.0 |

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TABLE 14. PROFICIENCY IN ENGLISH LANGUAGE OF OVERSEAS BORN PERSONS 5 YEARS OF AGE AND OVER

|  | 1981 Census |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Persons bom in English speaking countries |  |  | Persons born in non-English speaking countries |  |  | Total |  |  |
|  | Males | Females | Persons | Males | Females | Persons | Males | Females | Persons |
| Uses English only | 681,137 | 659,822 | 1,340,959 | 213,020 | 163,865 | 376,885 | 894,157 | 823,687 | 1,717,844 |
| Uses other languagesSpeaks English- |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| very well | 9,546 | 8,839 | 18,385 | 243,612 | 212,750 | 456,362 | 253,158 | 221,589 | 474,747 |
| well | 1,250 | 1,013 | 2,263 | 222,028 | 179,098 | 401,126 | 223,278 | 180,111 | 403,389 |
| not well | 591 | 434 | 1,025 | 116,120 | 128,830 | 244,950 | 116,711 | 129,264 | 245,975 |
| not at all | 73 | 69 | 142 | 14,698 | 31,392 | 46,090 | 14,771 | 31,461 | 46,232 |
| not stated | 374 | 393 | 767 | 4,659 | 4,464 | 9,123 | 5,033 | 4,857 | 9,890 |
| Not stated | 2,954 | 3,215 | 6,169 | 28,246 | 39,498 | 67,744 | 31,200 | 42,713 | 73,913 |
| Total | 695,925 | 673,785 | 1,369,710 | 842,383 | 759,897 | 1,602,280 | 1,538,308 | 1,433,682 | 2,971,990 |

TABLE 15. AGE LEFT SCHOOL, PERSONS 15 YEARS OF AGE AND OVER

| Age left school | 1981 Census |  |  |  | 1976 Census |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Males | Females | Persons | Percentage | Males | Females | Persons | Percentage |
| 12 or less | 149,411 | 155,307 | 304,718 | 2.8 | 142,080 | 144,387 | 286,467 | 2.7 |
| 13 | 173,116 | 160,007 | 333,123 | 3.1 | 166,904 | 153,051 | 319,955 | 3.2 |
| 14 | 978,611 | 1,057,667 | 2,036,278 | 18.6 | 973,946 | 1,039,026 | 2,012,973 | 20.4 |
| 15 | 1,260,211 | 1,430,542 | 2,690,753 | 24.6 | 1,097,829 | 1,260,911 | 2,358,739 | 23.9 |
| 16 | 1,032,740 | 1,084,885 | 2,117,625 | 19.4 | 806,314 | 859.934 | 1,666,248 | 16.9 |
| 17 | 697,251 | 702,921 | 1,400,172 | 12.8 | 497,398 | 490,970 | 988,368 | 10.0 |
| 18 | 429,549 | 325,882 | 755,431 | 6.9 | 308,572 | 216,187 | 524,759 | 5.3 |
| 19 and over | 163,248 | 84,077 | 247,325 | 2.3 | 141,715 | 64,904 | 206,619 | 2.1 |
| Did not go to school | 38,618 | 49,649 | 88,267 | 0.8 | 46,583 | 52,201 | 98,784 | 1.0 |
| Still at school | 232,737 | 229,752 | 462,489 | 4.2 | 241,065 | 218,933 | 459,998 | 4.7 |
| Not stated | 239,437 | 243,808 | 483,245 | 4.4 | 462,063 | 473,142 | 935,205 | 9.5 |
| Total | 5,394,929 | 5,524,497 | 10,919,426 | 100.0 | 4,884,468 | 4,973,647 | 9,858,115 | 100.0 |

TABLE 16. PERSONS 15 YEARS OF AGE AND OVER ATTENDING AN EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTION

|  | 1981 Census |  |  |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | Males | Females | Persons | Percentage |
| Not attending | $4,459,881$ | $4,657,352$ | $9,117,233$ | 83.5 |
| Attending full-time | 331,938 | 334,641 | 666,579 | 6.1 |
| Attending part-time | 260,196 | 156,390 | 416,586 | 3.8 |
| Not stated | 342,914 | 376,114 | 719,028 | 6.6 |
| Total | $5,394,929$ | $5,524,497$ | $10,919,426$ | 100.0 |

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TABLE 17. FAMILIES BY FAMILY TYPE

| Family unit | 1981 Census |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Male head | Female head | Total families | Percentage | Number of persons |
| Head only- |  |  |  |  |  |
| Aged less than 30 years | 165,776 | 111.865 | 277,641 | 5.8 | 277,641 |
| Aged 30-44 years | 122,880 | 56,304 | 179,184 | 3.7 | 179,184 |
| Aged 45 years and over | 217,636 | 438,675 | 656,311 | 13.6 | 656,311 |
| Total | 506.292 | 606.844 | 1,113.136 | 23.1 | 1,113,136 |
| Head, no spouse, and- |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1 dependant | 19.056 | 101,229 | 120,285 | 2.5 | 240,570 |
| 2 dependants | 10,796 | 74,617 | 85,413 | 1.8 | 256,239 |
| 3 dependants | 3,662 | 29,380 | 33,042 | 0.7 | 132,168 |
| 4 dependants | 1,018 | 8,677 | 9,695 | 0.2 | 48,475 |
| 5 or more dependants | 355 | 3,267 | 3,622 | 0.1 | 23,273 |
| Total | 34,887 | 217.170 | 252,057 | 5.2 | 700,725 |
| Head and spouse only- |  |  |  |  |  |
| Head aged less than 30 years | 181,879 | 25,016 | 206,895 | 4.3 | 413,790 |
| Head aged 30-44 years | 106,136 | 9,095 | 115,231 | 2.4 | 230,462 |
| Head aged 45 years and over | 699,981 | 41,204 | 741,185 | 15.4 | 1,482,370 |
| Total | 987,996 | 75.315 | 1,063,311 | 22.1 | 2,126,622 |
| Head, spouse and- 352 -861 |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1 dependant | 352,861 | 19,642 | 372,503 | 7.7 | 1,117,509 |
| 2 dependants | 579,706 | 22,481 | 602,187 | 12.5 | 2,408,748 |
| 3 dependants | 281,748 | 9,355 | 291,103 | 6.0 | 1,455,515 |
| 4 dependants | 82,827 | 2,738 | 85,565 | 1.8 | 513,390 |
| 5 or more dependants | 26,137 | 1,006 | 27,143 | 0.6 | 201,663 |
| Total | 1,323,279 | 55.222 | 1.378.501 | 28.6 | 5,696,825 |
| Head, no spouse, other adult(s) and- |  |  |  |  |  |
| No dependants | 70,549 | 152,820 | 223,369 | 4.6 | 500,240 |
| 1 dependant | 7,624 | 29,763 | 37,387 | 0.8 | 126,284 |
| 2 dependants | 3,317 | 14,403 | 17,720 | 0.4 | 76,643 |
| 3 dependants | 1,120 | 5,419 | 6,539 | 0.1 | 34,915 |
| 4 dependants | 377 | 1,853 | 2,230 | 0.0 | 14,172 |
| 5 or more dependants | 148 | 1,107 | 1.255 | 0.0 | 10,097 |
| Total | 83,135 | 205,365 | 288,500 | 6.0 | 762,351 |
| Head, spouse, other adults(s) and- |  |  |  |  |  |
| No dependants | 355,376 | 14,518 | 369,894 | 7.7 | 1,257,591 |
| 1 dependant | 172,118 | 5,736 | 177,854 | 3.7 | 787,037 |
| 2 dependants | 102,202 | 3,156 | 105,358 | 2.2 | 561,122 |
| 3 dependants | 41,612 | 1,276 | 42,888 | 0.9 | 270,081 |
| 4 dependants | 13,519 | 480 | 13,999 | 0.3 | 102,654 |
| 5 or more dependants | 6,665 | 272 | 6,937 | 0.1 | 62,485 |
| Total | 691,492 | 25,438 | 716.930 | 14.9 | 3,040.970 |
| Non-family members | $\ldots$ | . |  | . | 1,135,701 |
| Total | 3,627,081 | 1,185,354 | 4,812,435 | 100.0 | 14,576,330 |

TABLE 18. NUMBER OF FAMILIES AND NUMBER OF PERSONS IN HOUSEHOLDS

|  | 1981 Census |  |  | 1976 Census |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Number of households | Percentage | Number of persons | Number of households | Percentage | Number of persons |
| Households of- |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1 family | 4,529,948 | 97.0 | 13,174,021 | 4,036,832 | 97.5 | 12,394,063 |
| 2 families | 134,719 | 2.9 | 706,893 | 99,947 | 2.4 | 522,047 |
| 3 families | 3,919 | 0.1 | 32,713 | 2,489 | 0.1 | 20,464 |
| 4 families | 323 | , 0.0 | 4,818 | 142 | 0.0 | 2,059 |
| Total | 4,668,909 | 100.0 | 13,918,445 | (a)4,140,521 | 100.0 | (a)12,942,708 |

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TABLE 19. QUALIFICATION-HIGHEST LEVEL OBTAINED, PERSONS 15 YEARS OF AGE AND OVER

| Level of qualification | 1981 Census |  |  |  | 1976 Census |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Males | Females | Persons | Percentage | Males | Females | Persons | Percentage |
| Higher degree | 42.547 | 12.012 | 54,559 | 0.5 | 27.617 | 6.704 | 34.321 | 0.3 |
| Graduate diploma | 37,503 | 39,306 | 76,809 | 0.7 | 20,725 | 20,304 | 41,029 | 0.4 |
| Bachelor degree | 208,384 | 105,329 | 313,713 | 2.9 | 138.094 | 56.545 | 194.639 | 2.0 |
| Diploma | 173,952 | 222.474 | 396,426 | 3.6 | 155,442 | 169,373 | 324,815 | 3.3 |
| Trade certificate(a) | 933,458 | 96,604 | 1,030,062 | 9.4 | 1,019.562 | 368.979 |  | 14.1 |
| Other certificate(a) | 286.819 | 448.844 | 735,663 | 6.7 | 1,019.562 | 368,979 | 1,388,54 | 14.1 |
| Not classifiable | 10.222 | 19.650 | 29,872 | 0.3 | 30,988 | 115,470 | 146,458 | 1.5 |
| Inadequately described | 305 | 247 | 552 | 0.0 | 2.540 | 1.074 | 3.614 | 0.0 |
| Total with qualification | 1.693.190 | 944,466 | 2.637.656 | 24.2 | r1,394,968 | r738.449 | r2,133,417 | 21.6 |
| No qualification | 3,092,094 | 3.906.253 | 6,998.347 | 64.1 | 2.656,423 | 3,396.737 | 6,053,161 | 61.4 |
| Still at school | 193.332 | 193,065 | 386,397 | 3.5 | 241.065 | 218.933 | 459.998 | 4.7 |
| Not stated | 416.313 | 480.713 | 897.026 | 8.2 | 592.011 | 619.529 | 1,211.540 | 12.3 |
| Total | 5,394,929 | 5,524,497 | 10,919,426 | 100.0 | 4,884,468 | 4,973,647 | 9,858,115 | 100.0 |

(a) 1976 classification was 'Technicians certificate' and 'Trade certificate' respectively. Direct comparison between censuses is not possible.

TABLE 20. QUALIFICATION-FIELD OF STUDY, PERSONS 15 YEARS OF AGE AND OVER

| Field of study | 1981 Census |  |  |  | 1976 Census |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Males | Females | Persons | Percentage | Males | Females | Persons | Percentage |
| Management, administration, and related fields(a) | 143.670 | 202.020 | 345.690 | 3.2 | 102.492 | 71.011 | 173.503 | 1.8 |
| Natural and mathematical sciences(b) | 61.557 | 24,177 | 85,734 | 0.8 | 40.109 | 13,605 | 53.714 | 0.5 |
| Engineering and technology | 136.619 | 3,292 | 139,911 | 1.3 | 96.797 | 1.628 | 98.426 | 1.0 |
| Architecture and building | 277,739 | 5,235 | 282,974 | 2.6 | 239.264 | 3,067 | 242.331 | 2.5 |
| Social sciences(c) | 60.301 | 46,647 | 106,948 | 1.0 | 37.915 | 21,634 | 59,550 | 0.6 |
| Humanities | 19.439 | 27,410 | 46,849 | 0.4 | 16.154 | 20.334 | 36.488 | 0.4 |
| Religion and theology | 9.731 | 1,893 | 11,624 | 0.1 | 8.325 | 1,221 | 9.547 | 0.1 |
| Education | 85,194 | 211,803 | 296,997 | 2.7 | 61.978 | 159.150 | 221,128 | 2.2 |
| Medicine and health | 71.438 | 280.127 | 351.565 | 3.2 | 52.514 | 219.195 | 271,708 | 2.8 |
| Veterinary science | 3,054 | 778 | 3.832 | 0.0 | 2,270 | 309 | 2.579 | 0.0 |
| Artistic, literary and performing arts(d) | 16,919 | 28.089 | 45,008 | 0.4 | 8.506 | 16.852 | 25.358 | 0.3 |
| Agriculture and forestry | 42.821 | 5,924 | 48,745 | 0.4 | 31.949 | 2,483 | 34,432 | 0.3 |
| Manufacturing and construction (excluding architecture and building) | 622.581 | 34.649 | 657,230 | 6.0 | 547.314 | 35,953 | 583.267 | 5.9 |
| Services(e) | 98,280 | 61,193 | 159,473 | 1.5 | 100,729 | 49,767 | 150.496 | 1.5 |
| Military and defence | 4.121 | 104 | 4,225 | 0.0 | 5.120 | 214 | 5.334 | 0.1 |
| Field n.e.i. | 1,503 | 897 | 2,400 | 0.0 | 32.015 | 115.778 | 147.793 | 1.5 |
| Field not specified | 37,918 | 9.981 | 47.899 | 0.4 | 8.976 | 5.173 | 14,150 | 0.1 |
| Inadequately described | 305 | 247 | 552 | 0.0 | 2.540 | 1.074 | 3.614 | 0.0 |
| Total | 1.693.190 | 944.466 | 2.637.656 | 24.2 | r1.394.968 | r738.449 | r2,133.417 | 21.6 |
| No qualification | 3.092.094 | 3.906.253 | 6,998,347 | 64.1 | 2,656,423 | 3,396.737 | 6.053 .161 | 61.4 |
| Still at school | 193.332 | 193.065 | 386,397 | 3.5 | 241,065 | 218.93 .3 | 459.998 | 4.7 |
| Not stated | 416.313 | 480,713 | 897,026 | 8.2 | 592,011 | 619.529 | 1.211.540 | 12.3 |
| Total | 5,394,929 | 5,524,497 | 10,919,426 | 100.0 | 4,884,468 | 4,973,647 | 9,858,115 | 100.0 |

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TABLE 21. INDIVIDUAL INCOME

| Income-annual (\$) | 1981 Census |  |  |  | Income-weekly (\$) |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Males | Females | Persons | Percentage |  |
| None | 305,226 | 1,118,794 | 1,424,020 | 13.0 | None |
| Less than 1,000 | 49,078 | 331,768 | 380,846 | 3.5 | Less than 19 |
| 1,000-2,000 | 72,049 | 191,378 | 263,427 | 2.4 | 19-38 |
| 2,001-3,000 | 367,636 | 519,859 | 887,495 | 8.1 | 39-58 |
| 3,001-4,000 | 334,025 | 690,034 | 1,024,059 | 9.4 | 59. 77 |
| 4,001-6,000 | 370,349 | 590,524 | 960,873 | 8.8 | 78-115 |
| 6,001-8,000 | 385,392 | 445,966 | 831,358 | 7.6 | 116-154 |
| 8,001-10,000 | 513,205 | 378,287 | 891,492 | 8.2 | 155-192 |
| 10,001-12,000 | 737,680 | 374,517 | 1,112,197 | 10.2 | 193-231 |
| 12,001-15,000 | 781,519 | 271,359 | 1,052,878 | 9.6 | 232-288 |
| 15,001-18,000 | 509,558 | 125,942 | 635,500 | 5.8 | 289-346 |
| 18,001-22,000 | 344,176 | 62,752 | 406,928 | 3.7 | 347-423 |
| 22,001-26,000 | 168,434 | 19,641 | 188,075 | 1.7 | 424-500 |
| Over 26,000 | 218,885 | 26,144 | 245,029 | 2.2 | Over 500 |
| Not stated | 237,717 | 377,532 | 615,249 | 5.6 | Not stated |
| Total | 5,394,929 | 5,524,497 | 10,919,426 | 100.0 | Total |

TABLE 22. FAMILY INCOME(a)

| Income-annual (\$) | 1981 Census |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Number of families | Percentage | Income-weekly (\$) |
| None | 65,887 | 1.4 | None |
| Less than 1,000 | 22,832 | 0.5 | Less than 19 |
| 1,000-2,000 | 27,313 | 0.6 | 19-38 |
| 2,001-3,000 | 116,449 | 2.4 | 39- 58 |
| 3,001-4,000 | 377,612 | 7.8 | 59. 77 |
| 4,001-6,000 | 471,080 | 9.8 | 78-115 |
| 6,001-8,000 | 368,492 | 7.7 | 116-154 |
| 8,001-10,000 | 292,116 | 6.1 | 155-192 |
| 10,001-12,000 | 478,535 | 9.9 | 193-231 |
| 12,001-15,000 | 563,765 | 11.7 | 232-288 |
| 15,001-18,000 | 387.335 | 8.0 | 289-346 |
| 18,001-22,000 | 470,297 | 9.8 | 347-423 |
| 22,001-26,000 | 345,188 | 7.2 | 424-500 |
| Over 26,000 | 525,246 | 10.9 | Over 500 |
| Not stated | 300,288 | 6.2 | Not stated |
| Total | 4,812,435 | 100.0 | Total |

(a) Family income is the combined income of head and spouse if present.

TABLE 23. HOUSEHOLD INCOME(a)

| Income-annual (\$) | 1981 Census |  | Income-weekly (\$) |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Number of households | Percentage |  |
| None | 37,662 | 0.8 | None |
| Less than 1,000 | 14,263 | 0.3 | Less than 19 |
| 1,000-2,000 | 18,869 | 0.4 | 19-38 |
| 2,001-3,000 | 72,444 | 1.6 | 39-58 |
| 3,001-4,000 | 261,245 | 5.6 | 59-77 |
| 4,001-6,000 | 326,293 | 7.0 | 78-115 |
| 6,001-8,000 | 307,089 | 6.6 | 116-154 |
| 8,001-10,000 | 227,943 | 4.9 | 155-192 |
| 10,001-12,000 | 368,269 | 7.9 | 193-231 |
| 12,001-15,000 | 499,033 | 10.7 | 232-288 |
| 15,001-18,000 | 378,854 | 8.1 | 289-346 |
| 18,001-22,000 | 500,177 | 10.7 | 347-423 |
| 22,001-26,000 | 408,159 | 8.7 | 424-500 |
| Over 26,000 | 865,639 | 18.5 | Over 500 |
| Not stated | 382,970 | 8.2 | Not stated |
| Total | 4,668,909 | 100.0 | Total |

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TABLE 24. LABOUR FORCE STATUS

|  | 1981 Census |  |  |  | 1976 Census |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Males | Females | Persons | Percentage | Males | Females | Persons | Percentage |
| In the labour force- |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Employed- |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Wage or salary earner | 3,299,793 | 2,024,575 | 5,324,368 | 36.5 | 3,139,218 | 1,762,190 | 4,901,408 | 36.2 |
| Self-employed | 396,515 | 174,702 | 571,217 | 3.9 | 354,251 | 151,144 | 505,395 | 3.7 |
| Employer | 235,957 | 101,480 | 337,437 | 2.3 | 207,025 | 89,534 | 296,559 | 2.2 |
| Helper | 12,031 | 47,578 | 59,609 | 0.4 | 17.109 | 67.674 | 84,783 | 0.6 |
| Total | 3.944,296 | 2.348.335 | 6,292,631 | 43.1 | 3,717.603 | 2,070.543 | 5,788,145 | 42.7 |
| Unemployed | 227,702 | 170.197 | 397.899 | 2.7 | 157,715 | 109,124 | 266,839 | 2.0 |
| Total labour force | 4,171.998 | 2,518.532 | 6.690,530 | 45.8 | 3,875,318 | 2.179.667 | 6,054,985 | 44.7 |
| Not in the labour force- |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 15 years and over | 1,222.931 | 3,005,965 | 4,228,896 | 29.0 | 1,009,140 | 2,793,973 | 3,803,113 | 28.1 |
| Under 15 years | 1,872,147 | 1,784,757 | 3,656,904 | 25.1 | 1,890,480 | 1,799,853 | 3,690,334 | 27.2 |
| Total | 3,095,078 | 4.790.722 | 7,885,800 | 54.1 | 2,899.620 | 4.593,826 | 7.493,447 | 55.3 |
| Total | 7,267,076 | 7,309,254 | 14,576,330 | 100.0 | 6,774,948 | 6,773,501 | 13,548,448 | 100.0 |

TABLE 25. AGE OF THE LABOUR FORCE

| Age | 1981 Census |  |  |  | 1976 Census |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Males | Females | Persons | Percentage | Males | Females | Persons | Percentage |
| 15 | 25,809 | 24,282 | 50,091 | 0.7 | n.a. | n.a. | n.a. | n.a. |
| 16 | 59,814 | 51,424 | 111,238 | 1.7 | n.a. | n.a. | n.a. | n.a. |
| 17 | 87,991 | 75,877 | 163,868 | 2.4 | n.a. | n.a. | n.a. | n.a. |
| 18 | 107,282 | 93,367 | 200.649 | 3.0 | n.a. | n.a. | n.a. | n.a. |
| 19 | 111,916 | 96,329 | 208,245 | 3.1 | n.a. | n.a. | n.a. | n.a. |
| 15-19 | 392,812 | 341,279 | 734,091 | 11.0 | 347.536 | 299.499 | 647,035 | 10.7 |
| 20-24 | 567,090 | 437,530 | 1,004,620 | 15.0 | 499,898 | 358,899 | 858.797 | 14.2 |
| 25-29 | 558,978 | 328,460 | 887,438 | 13.3 | 545,715 | 281,174 | 826,888 | 13.7 |
| 30-34 | 572,650 | 311.051 | 883,701 | 13.2 | 463.122 | 230,220 | 693.342 | 11.5 |
| 35-39 | 473,011 | 278,273 | 751,284 | 11.2 | 401,497 | 228,120 | 629,618 | 10.4 |
| 40-44 | 396.531 | 243,373 | 639,904 | 9.6 | 356,617 | 206,991 | 563,608 | 9.3 |
| 45-49 | 343,094 | 199.128 | 542,222 | 8.1 | 374,859 | 205,211 | 580,070 | 9.6 |
| 50-54 | 345,988 | 171.435 | 517,423 | 7.7 | 345.929 | 169,580 | 515,509 | 8.5 |
| 55-59 | 295,252 | 119,289 | 414,541 | 6.2 | 268.621 | 110,709 | 379,329 | 6.3 |
| 60-64 | 152,755 | 48,362 | 201,117 | 3.0 | 186.210 | 53,313 | 239.523 | 4.0 |
| 65 and over | 73,837 | 40,352 | 114,189 | 1.7 | 85,315 | 35,949 | 121,264 | 2.0 |
| Total | 4,171,998 | 2,518,532 | 6,690,530 | 100.0 | 3,875,318 | 2,179,667 | 6,054,984 | 100.0 |

TABLE 26. MARITAL STATUS OF THE LABOUR FORCE

| Marital status | 1981 Census |  |  |  | 1976 Census |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Males | Females | Persons | Percentage | Males | Females | Persons | Percentage |
| Never married | 1,244,445 | 812.953 | 2,057,398 | 30.8 | 1,003.478 | 613,448 | 1,616,924 | 26.7 |
| Married | 2,652,856 | 1,451,477 | 4,104,333 | 61.3 | 2,663.306 | 1,363,234 | 4,026,539 | 66.5 |
| Separated not divorced | 99.680 | 69,324 | 169,004 | 2.5 | 89.289 | 65,732 | 155,021 | 2.6 |
| Divorced | 139.499 | 116,633 | 256,132 | 3.8 | 77.732 | 66,186 | 143,919 | 2.4 |
| Widowed | 35,518 | 68,145 | 103,663 | 1.5 | 41.515 | 71,074 | 112,588 | 1.9 |
| Total | 4,171,998 | 2,518,532 | 6,690,530 | 100.0 | 3,875,318 | 2,179,667 | 6,054,984 | 100.0 |

TABLE 27. NUMBER OF HOURS WORKED BY EMPLOYED PERSONS

| Weekly hours | 1981 Census |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Males | Females |  | Persons | Percentage |
|  |  | Now married | Other |  |  |
| None | 86,641 | 41,078 | 21,383 | 149,102 | 2.4 |
| 1-14 | 119,021 | 184,035 | 82,216 | 385,272 | 6.1 |
| 15-24 | 74,692 | 188,307 | 47,901 | 310.900 | 4.9 |
| 25-34 | 148,528 | 144,874 | 71,629 | 365,031 | 5.8 |
| 35 or more | 3,328,196 | 724,848 | 663,042 | 4,716,086 | 74.9 |
| Not stated | 187,218 | 116,843 | 62,179 | 366,240 | 5.8 |
| Total | 3,944,296 | 1,399,985 | 948,350 | 6,292,631 | 100.0 |

TABLE 28. MODE OF TRAVEL TO WORK OF EMPLOYED PERSONS

| Number of modes used | 1981 Census |  |  |  | 1976 Census |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Males | Females | Persons | Percentage | Males | Females | Persons | Percentage |
| 1 mode | 3,260,475 | 1,660,505 | 4,920,980 | 78.2 | 3,207,276 | 1,564,321 | 4,771,596 | 82.4 |
| 2 modes | 92,158 | 73,825 | 165,983 | 2.6 | 90,928 | 68,892 | 159,819 | 2.8 |
| 3 modes | 8,724 | 7,342 | 16,066 | 0.3 | 8,855 | 6,993 | 15,848 | 0.3 |
| Worked at home | 219,436 | 219,834 | 439,270 | 7.0 | 205,693 | 215,987 | 421,680 | 7.3 |
| Did not go to work | 189.615 | 202,379 | 391,994 | 6.2 | n.a. | n.a. | n.a. | n.a. |
| Not stated | 173,888 | 184,450 | 358,338 | 5.7 | 204,851 | 214,350 | 419,202 | 7.2 |
| Total | 3,944,296 | 2,348.335 | 6,292,631 | 100.0 | 3,717,603 | 2,070,543 | 5.788,145 | 100.0 |
| Mode(s) used(a) |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Train | 226,911 | 163,688 | 390,599 | 6.2 | 230,400 | 157,596 | 387,996 | 7.5 |
| Bus | 178,453 | 195,146 | 373,599 | 5.9 | 205,806 | 234,991 | 440,797 | 8.6 |
| Ferry or tram | 35,771 | 38,753 | 74,524 | 1.2 | 44,897 | 46,557 | 91,454 | 1.8 |
| Taxi | 20,318 | 16,221 | 36,539 | 0.6 | 18,793 | 17,927 | 36,720 | 0.7 |
| Car as driver | 2,364,990 | 933,011 | 3,298,001 | 52.4 | 2,266,400 | 722,340 | 2,988,740 | 58.2 |
| Car as passenger | 292,051 | 322,631 | 614,682 | 9.8 | 287,276 | 341,842 | 629,117 | 12.2 |
| Motor bike/ scooter | 90,059 | 5,129 | 95,188 | 1.5 | 75,869 | 5,131 | 81,000 | 1.6 |
| Bicycle | 65,421 | 15,830 | 81,251 | 1.3 | 46,682 | 9,647 | 56,329 | 1.1 |
| Walked only | 196,989 | 139,772 | 336,761 | 5.4 | 239,574 | 187,050 | 426,625 | 8.3 |

(a) A person can have used more than one mode. The percentages shown are of modes used and not of population.

TABLE 29. OCCUPATION OF EMPLOYED PERSONS

| Occupation | 1981 Census |  |  |  | 1976 Census |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Males | Females | Persons | Percentage | Males | Females | Persons | Percentage |
| 0. Professional, technical, related workers- |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Architects, engineers and surveyors | 59,190 | 1,105 | 60,295 | 1.0 | 43,812 | 535 | 44,347 | 0.8 |
| Chemists, physicists, geologists, etc. | 13,140 | 1,686 | 14.826 | 0.2 | 10,122 | 822 | 10.943 | 0.2 |
| Biologists, veterinarians, agronomists | 10,401 | 2,973 | 13,374 | 0.2 | 8,777 | 2,009 | 10,786 | 0.2 |
| Medical practitioners and dentists | 26,953 | 5,760 | 32,713 | 0.5 | 21,396 | 3,715 | 25,111 | 0.4 |
| Nurses | 9,608 | 129,826 | 139,434 | 2.2 | 7,061 | 110,500 | 117,561 | 2.0 |
| Professional medical workers n.e.c. | 11,837 | 14,567 | 26,404 | 0.4 | 9.976 | 10,174 | 20,150 | 0.3 |
| Teachers | 107,750 | 158,127 | 265,877 | 4.2 | 90,277 | 126,117 | 216,394 | 3.7 |
| Clergy and religious orders | 12,015 | 4,142 | 16,157 | 0.3 | 10,998 | 3,146 | 14,144 | 0.2 |
| Law professionals | 15,523 | 1,993 | 17,516 | 0.3 | 11,939 | 970 | 12,909 | 0.2 |
| Artists, entertainers, writers, etc. | 27,682 | 18,833 | 46,515 | 0.7 | 21,248 | 12,757 | 34,005 | 0.6 |
| Draftsmen and technicians n.e.c. | 85,402 | 23,700 | 109,102 | 1.7 | 80,537 | 18,327 | 98,864 | 1.7 |
| Other professional, technical, etc. | 80,184 | 35,500 | 115,684 | 1.8 | 56,795 | 21,602 | 78,396 | 1.4 |
| Total major group 0 | 459,685 | 398.212 | 857.897 | 13.6 | 372.937 | 310,674 | 683,611 | 11.8 |
| 1. Administrative, executive and managerial workersAdministrative and executive (Government) |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| n.e.c.(a) | 20,213 | 1,167 | 21,380 | 0.3 | 15,001 | 318 | 15,320 | 0.3 |
| Employers, self employed, managers n.e.c. | 269,837 | 43,457 | 313,294 | 5.0 | 310,189 | 55,820 | 366,008 | 6.3 |
| Total major group 1 | 290,050 | 44,624 | 334.674 | 5.3 | 325,190 | 56.138 | 381,328 | 6.6 |
| 2. Clerical workers- |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Book-keepers and cashiers | 26,181 | 74,847 | 101,028 | 1.6 | 28,084 | 59,524 | 87,609 | 1.5 |
| Stenographers and typists | 821 | 97,984 | 98,805 | 1.6 | 1,201 | 172,015 | 173,215 | 3.0 |
| Other clerical workers(a) | 301,938 | 576,853 | 878,791 | 14.0 | 282,585 | 411,468 | 694,053 | 12.0 |
| Toral major group 2 | 328.940 | 749,684 | 1,078,624 | 17.1 | 311,870 | 643.007 | 954.877 | 16.5 |
| 3. Sales workers- |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Insurance, real estate, auctioneers etc. | 36,215 | 5,475 | 41,690 | 0.7 | 32,477 | 3,439 | 35,916 | 0.6 |
| Commercial travellers and agents | 43,068 | 7,414 | 50,482 | 0.8 | 42,429 | 3,986 | 46,414 | 0.8 |
| Proprietors, shopkeepers, etc. | 189,209 | 256,579 | 445,788 | 7.1 | 145,616 | 220,860 | 366,476 | 6.3 |
| Total major group 3 | 268,492 | 269,468 | 537.960 | 8.5 | 220,522 | 228.285 | 448,807 | 7.8 |
| 4. Farmers, fishermen, hunters, timber getters, etc.- |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Farmers and farm managers | 184,617 | 78,749 | 263,366 | 4.2 | 189,438 | 86,711 | 276,149 | 4.8 |
| Farm workers and farm foremen | 97,181 | 22,768 | 119,949 | 1.9 | 97,170 | 39,400 | 136,570 | 2.4 |
| Fishermen and related workers | 7,771 | 638 | 8,409 | 0.1 | 6,790 | 536 | 7,326 | 0.1 |
| Timber getters and other forestry workers | 9,103 | 179 | 9,282 | 0.1 | 9,235 | 143 | 9,378 | 0.2 |
| Hunters, trappers and other(b) | 1,358 | 60 | 1,418 | 0.0 | 1,371 | 41 | 1,414 | 0.0 |
| Total major group 4 | 300.030 | 102,394 | 402.424 | 6.4 | 304,004 | 126.832 | 430,836 | 7.4 |

[^4]TABLE 29. OCCUPATION OF EMPLOYED PERSONS-continued

| Occupation | 1981 Census |  |  |  | 1976 Census |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Males | Females | Persons | Percentage | Males | Females | Persons | Percentage |
| 5. Miners, quarrymen and related workers- |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Miners, mineral prospectors and quarrymen | 30,841 | 482 | 31,323 | 0.5 | 26,673 | 204 | 26,877 | 0.5 |
| Well drillers, oil, water, etc. | 1,841 | 21 | 1,862 | 0.0 | 858 | 12 | 870 | 0.0 |
| Mineral treaters | 3,039 | 45 | 3,084 | 0.0 | 3,885 | 42 | 3,927 | 0.1 |
| Total major group 5 | 35,721 | 548 | 36.269 | 0.6 | 31.415 | 258 | 31.673 | 0.5 |
| 6. Transport and communication- 11719 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Drivers and firemen, rail transport | 11,719 | 28 | 11,747 | 0.2 | 11,790 | 12 | 11.802 | 0.2 |
| Drivers, road transport | 176,149 | 9,785 | 185,934 | 3.0 | 173,367 | 8,415 | 181,782 | 3.1 |
| Inspectors, supervisors etc., transport | 21,367 | 883 | 22,250 | 0.4 | 20,849 | 681 | 21,530 | 0.4 |
| Telephone, telegraph, etc., operators | 3,391 | 20,678 | 24,069 | 0.4 | 3.432 | 23,468 | 26,900 | 0.5 |
| Postmasters, postmen and messengers | 22,494 | 7,837 | 30,331 | 0.5 | 22,149 | 6,181 | 28,330 | 0.5 |
| Other transport and communication n.e.c.(c) | 25,621 | 1,735 | 27.356 | 0.3 | 26,500 | 1.470 | 27,970 | 0.5 |
| Total major group 6 | 260,741 | 40.946 | 301,687 | 4.8 | 258,088 | 40,227 | 298.315 | 5.2 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Spinners, weavers, knitters, dyers, etc. | 6,576 | 7,087 | 13,663 | 0.2 | 10,522 | 14,517 | 25,038 | 0.4 |
| Tailors, cutters, furriers, etc. | 16,846 | 25,537 | 42,383 | 0.7 | 17,409 | 51,374 | 68,783 | 1.2 |
| Leather cutters, lasters, sewers, etc. | 5,214 | 4,293 | 9,507 | 0.2 | 6,207 | 6,601 | 12,808 | 0.2 |
| Watchmakers, jewellers, etc. | 18,996 | 2,003 | 20,999 | 0.3 | 17,167 | 1,629 | 18,796 | 0.3 |
| Toolmakers, mechanics, plumbers, etc. | 383,309 | 3,480 | 386,789 | 6.1 | 377,639 | 7,384 | 385,023 | 6.7 |
| Electricians, electronic workers, etc. | 143,202 | 1,667 | 144,869 | 2.3 | 135,484 | 1,361 | 136,845 | 2.4 |
| Metal workers etc. n.e.c. | 52,199 | 25,617 | 77,816 | 1.2 | 57,960 | 30,655 | 88,615 | 1.5 |
| Carpenters, cabinet makers, etc. | 118,768 | 2,579 | 121,347 | 1.9 | 122,658 | 2,595 | 125,254 | 2.2 |
| Painters and decorators | 47,907 | 1,233 | 49,140 | 0.8 | 48,544 | 947 | 49,490 | 0.9 |
| Bricklayers, plasterers, construction workers n.e.c. | 116,462 | 922 | 117,384 | 1.9 | 109,222 | 506 | 109,728 | 1.9 |
| Compositors, engravers, book binders, etc. | 31,412 | 8,823 | 40,235 | 0.6 | 31,514 | 7,776 | 39,291 | 0.7 |
| Potters, kilnmen, glass formers, etc. | 6.426 | 1,592 | 8,018 | 0.1 | 8,256 | 1,676 | 9,932 | 0.2 |
| Millers, bakers, butchers, brewers, etc. | 65,050 | 17,345 | 82,395 | 1.3 | 76,710 | 19,156 | 95,866 | 1.7 |
| Paper, rubber and plastic workers, etc. n.e.c. | 22,920 | 12,978 | 35,898 | 0.6 | 28,485 | 16,579 | 45,064 | 0.8 |
| Packers, wrappers, labellers | 6,233 | 17,510 | 23,743 | 0.4 | 7.537 | 21,616 | 29.153 | 0.5 |
| Equipment operators, etc. | 70,455 | 499 | 70,954 | 1.1 | 74,182 | 338 | 74,520 | 1.3 |
| Storemen and freight handlers | 101,862 | 7,226 | 109,088 | 1.7 | 101,285 | 5,581 | 106,867 | 1.8 |
| Labourers n.e.c. | 217,957 | 16,168 | 234,125 | 3.7 | 216,159 | 15,487 | 231,647 | 4.0 |
|  | 95,835 | 51,685 | 147,520 | 2.3 | 24,594 | 9,432 | 34,026 | 0.6 |
| Trade and production workers n.e.c.(d) | 28,476 | 4,611 | 33,087 | 0.5 | 35,648 | 6,252 | 41,899 | 0.7 |
| Total major group 7/8 | 1.556.105 | 212,855 | 1,768.960 | 28.1 | 1,507.182 | 221.463 | 1.728,645 | 29.9 |
| 9. Service, sport and recreation workers- |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Fire brigade, police, etc. | 58,154 | 3.655 | 61.809 | 1.0 | 49,442 | 1,915 | 51,356 | 0.9 |
| Housekeepers, cooks, maids, etc. | 36,177 | 129,261 | 165,438 | 2.6 | 23,932 | 116,717 | 140,649 | 2.4 |
| Waiters and bartenders | 21,316 | 44,123 | 65,439 | 1.0 | 18,068 | 37.553 | 55,621 | 1.0 |
| Caretakers and cleaners, buildings | 41,383 | 58,960 | 100,343 | 1.6 | 38,560 | 53,128 | 91,688 | 1.6 |
| Barbers, hairdressers and beauticians | 6,886 | 25,202 | 32,088 | 0.5 | 6,085 | 19,744 | 25,829 | 0.4 |
| Launderers, dry cleaners and pressers | 4,850 | 10.453 | 15,303 | 0.2 | 4,627 | 11,310 | 15,937 | 0.3 |
| Athletes, sportsmen, etc. | 5,568 | 2,506 | 8,074 | 0.1 | 4,272 | 1,272 | 5,546 | 0.1 |
| Photographers and camera operators | 4,658 | 1,186 | 5,844 | 0.1 | 3,626 | 788 | 4,415 | 0.1 |
| Service, sport and recreation workers n.e.c.(e) | 27,723 | 45,301 | 73,024 | 1.2 | 22,818 | 38,894 | 61,712 | 1.1 |
| Total major group 9 | 206,715 | 320.647 | 527,362 | 8.4 | 171,432 | 281.320 | 452,753 | 7.8 |
| 10. Members of armed services | 59,014 | 4.372 | 63.386 | 1.0 | 57.912 | 3,302 | 61.214 | 1.1 |
| 11. Inadequately described or not stated | 178.803 | 204.585 | 383.388 | 6.1 | 157,050 | 159.037 | 316,087 | 5.5 |
| Total | 3,944,296 | 2,348,335 | 6,292,631 | 100.0 | 3,717,603 | 2,070,543 | 5,788,145 | 100.0 |

(a) In processing for 1981 a number of employed persons have been allocated to occupation code 100 (which forms part of the minor occupation group, Administrative and executive officials, government, n.e.c.) who in 1976 would have been allocated to code 154 (which forms part of the minor occupation group, Other clerical workers). Caution should therefore be used in interpreting the figures at minor and major occupation group level shown in this publication. (b) This is a combination of the 1976 Census classifications: Wool classers; Hunters and trappers. (c) Includes the 1976 Census classifications of: Deck and engineer officers, ship; Deck and engine hands, ship; Aircraft pilots, navigators, flight engineers; Guards and conductors, rail. (d) This is a combination of the 1976 Census classifications: Furnacemen, rollers, drawers, moulders and related metal making and treating workers; Chemical, sugar and paper workers etc.: Tobacco preparers and tobacco product workers. (e) Ineludes the 1976 Census classification, Undertakers and crematorium workers.

TABLE 30. INDUSTRY OF EMPLOYED PERSONS

| Industry | 1981 Census |  |  |  | 1976 Census |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Males | Females | Persons | Percentage | Males | Females | Persons | Percentage |
| A. Agriculture, forestry, fishing and hunting- |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Agriculture, etc. undefined | 32 | 16 | 48 | 0.0 | 53 | 20 | 73 | 0.0 |
| Agriculture | 242,652 | 103,478 | 346,130 | 5.5 | 249,304 | 126,934 | 376,238 | 6.5 |
| Services to agriculture | 8,720 | 1,374 | 10,094 | 0.2 | 8,161 | 1,118 | 9,279 | 0.2 |
| Forestry and logging | 11,406 | 1,277 | 12,683 | 0.2 | 9,702 | 739 | 10,441 | 0.2 |
| Fishing and hunting | 8,908 | 1,525 | 10,433 | 0.2 | 7,448 | 1,097 | 8,545 | 0.1 |
| Total division A | 271,718 | 107,670 | 379,388 | 6.0 | 274,668 | 129.909 | 404,577 | 7.0 |
| B. Mining- |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Mining undefined | 4,480 | 763 | 5,243 | 0.1 | 1,308 | 158 | 1,466 | 0.0 |
| Metallic minerals | 29,777 | 3,100 | 32,877 | 0.5 | 29,525 | 2,710 | 32,235 | 0.6 |
| Coal | 29,837 | 913 | 30,750 | 0.5 | 22,325 | 469 | 22,793 | 0.4 |
| Oil and gas | 1,446 | 159 | 1,605 | 0.0 | 800 | 49 | 850 | 0.0 |
| Construction materials | 5,151 | 514 | S,665 | 0.1 | 6,050 | 513 | 6,563 | 0.1 |
| Other non-metallic minerals | 2,651 | 325 | 2,976 | 0.0 | 3,147 | 343 | 3,489 | 0.1 |
| Services to mining n.e.c. | 7,689 | 2,188 | 9,877 | 0.2 | 4,218 | 1,072 | 5,291 | 0.1 |
| Total division B | 81.031 | 7.962 | 88,993 | 1.4 | 67.373 | 5,314 | 72,687 | 1.3 |
| C. Manufacturing- |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Manufacturing undefined | 18.191 | 6,708 | 24,899 | 0.4 | 9,937 | 5,170 | 15,107 | 0.3 |
| Food, beverages and tobacco | 122,342 | 46,650 | 168,992 | 2.7 | 136,771 | 47,273 | 184,044 | 3.2 |
| Textiles | 19,637 | 14,541 | 34,178 | 0.5 | 22,962 | 18,092 | 41,054 | 0.7 |
| Clothing and footwear | 19,018 | 56,523 | 75,541 | 1.2 | 19,709 | 58,874 | 78,583 | 1.4 |
| Wood, wood products and furniture | 67,547 | 12,441 | 79,988 | 1.3 | 67,160 | 11,349 | 78,509 | 1.4 |
| Paper, paper products, printing and publishing | 70,754 | 29,658 | 100,412 | 1.6 | 68,181 | 25,363 | 93,544 | 1.6 |
| Chemical, petroleum and coal products | 43,178 | 14,632 | 57,810 | 0.9 | 44,071 | 15,704 | 59,774 | 1.0 |
| Non-metallic mineral products | 42,627 | 6,138 | 48,765 | 0.8 | 45,750 | 5,862 | 51,612 | 0.9 |
| Basic metal products | 83,760 | 7,450 | 91,210 | 1.4 | 79,573 | 6,936 | 86,509 | 1.5 |
| Fabricated metal products | 87,081 | 18,605 | 105,686 | 1.7 | 80,341 | 19,011 | 99,352 | 1.7 |
| Transport equipment | 96,289 | 14,053 | 110,342 | 1.8 | 108,907 | 15,650 | 124,557 | 2.2 |
| Other machinery and equipment | 116,071 | 37,479 | 153,550 | 2.4 | 121,173 | 40,568 | 161,741 | 2.8 |
| Miscellaneous manufacturing | 43,623 | 19,672 | 63,295 | 1.0 | 43,227 | 20.915 | 64,142 | 1.1 |
| Toral division $C$ | 830,118 | 284.550 | 1.114.668 | 17.7 | 847,762 | 290.766 | 1.138.528 | 19.7 |
| D. Electricity, gas and water- |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Electricity, gas and water undefined | 8 | 2 | 10 | 0.0 | 21 | 2 | 23 | 0.0 |
| Electricity and gas | 76,490 | 7,932 | 84,422 | 1.3 | 64,936 | 5,885 | 70,821 | 1.2 |
| Water, sewerage and drainage | 37,761 | 3,427 | 41,188 | 0.7 | 30,143 | 2,020 | 32,163 | 0.6 |
| Total division $D$ | 114.259 | 11,361 | 125.620 | 2.0 | 95,101 | 7,907 | 103,007 | 1.8 |
| E. Construction- |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Construction undefined | 41,390 | 3,654 | 45,044 | 0.7 | 25,795 | 2,168 | 27,962 | 0.5 |
| General construction | 145,143 | 18,481 | 163,624 | 2.6 | 230,555 | 20,275 | 250.830 | 4.3 |
| Special trade construction | 167,953 | 21,541 | 189,494 | 3.0 | 134,893 | 15,994 | 150,887 | 2.6 |
| Total division E | 354,486 | 43,676 | 398.162 | 6.3 | 391.243 | 38.437 | 429.680 | 7.4 |
| F. Wholesale retail trade- |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Wholesale and retail trade undefined | 1,941 | 1,092 | 3,033 | 0.0 | 1,025 | 603 | 1,628 | 0.0 |
| Wholesale trade | 249,265 | 98,944 | 348,209 | 5.5 | 244,973 | 95,106 | 340,079 | 5.9 |
| Retail trade | 382,531 | 360,173 | 742,704 | 11.8 | 376,565 | 326,197 | 702,762 | 12.1 |
| Total division $F$ | 633,737 | 460,209 | 1.093,946 | 17.4 | 622.563 | 421,906 | 1,044.469 | 18.0 |
| G. Transport and storage- |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Transport and storage undefined | 2,164 | 525 | 2,689 | 0.0 | -3,812 | ${ }^{713}$ | 4,525 | 0.1 |
| Road transport | 118,150 | 22,545 | 140,695 | 2.2 | 105,736 | 18,863 | 124,599 | 2.2 |
| Railway transport | 82,140 | 5,554 | 87,694 | 1.4 | 69,271 | 4,969 | 74,240 | 1.3 |
| Water transport | 27,992 | 2,381 | 30,373 | 0.5 | 28,155 | 2,079 | 30.234 | 0.5 |
| Air transport | 30,707 | 8.530 | 39,237 | 0.6 | 24,918 | 6.375 | 31,293 | 0.5 |
| Other transport and storage | 17,943 | 11,065 | 29,008 | 0.5 | 16,289 | 7,873 | 24,163 | 0.4 |
| Total division $G$ | 279.096 | 50.600 | 329.696 | 5.2 | 248,182 | 40.872 | 289,054 | 5.0 |
| H. Communication | 93,627 | 31,901 | 125,528 | 2.0 | 83,167 | 27,526 | 110,692 | 1.9 |
| Total division $H$ | 93,627 | 31,901 | 125,528 | 2.0 | 83,167 | 27,526 | 110,692 | 1.9 |

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TABLE 30. INDUSTRY OF EMPLOYED PERSONS-continued

| Industry | 1981 Census |  |  |  | 1976 Census |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Males | Females | Persons | Percentage | Males | Females | Persons | Percentage |
| 1. Finance, property and business services- |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Finance, property etc. undefined | 97 | 86 | 183 | 0.0 | 631 | 603 | 1,234 | 0.0 |
| Finance and investment | 87,910 | 84,272 | 172,182 | 2.7 | 74,965 | 64,306 | 139,270 | 2.4 |
| Insurance and services to insurance | 35,323 | 32,744 | 68,067 | 1.1 | 35,305 | 29,113 | 64,418 | 1.1 |
| Property and business services | 162,928 | 128,053 | 290,981 | 4.6 | 120,036 | 92,903 | 212,939 | 3.7 |
| Total division 1 | 286,258 | 245,155 | 531.413 | 8.4 | 230,936 | 186,925 | 417.861 | 7.2 |
| J. Public administration and defence- |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Public administration and defence undefined | 220 | 131 | 351 | 0.0 | 283 | 136 | 418 | 0.0 |
| Public administration | 175,584 | 87,381 | 262,965 | 4.2 | 157,599 | 79,202 | 236.801 | 4.1 |
| Defence | 79,057 | 11,168 | 90,225 | 1.4 | 77,644 | 9.474 | 87,118 | 1.5 |
| Total division J | 254,861 | 98,680 | 353.541 | 5.6 | 235,526 | 88,811 | 324.337 | 5.6 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Community services undefined Health | 188 96,050 | 720 288,454 | 908 384,504 | 0.0 6.1 | 335 78.087 | 933 244,228 | 1 1,268 | 0.0 5.6 |
| Education, museum, library services | 149,478 | 237,459 | 386,937 | 6.1 | 128,191 | 197,363 | 325,554 | 5.6 |
| Welfare and religious institutions | 25,119 | 36,888 | 62,007 | 1.0 | 17.596 | 23,001 | 40,597 | 0.7 |
| Other community services | 77,714 | 27,251 | 104,965 | 1.7 | 68,623 | 21,262 | 89,885 | 1.6 |
| Total division K | 348,549 | 590.772 | 939,321 | 14.9 | 292,833 | 486.788 | 779.621 | 13.5 |
| L. Recreation, personal and other services- |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Entertainment, recreation services undefined | 605 | 281 | 886 | 0.0 | 211 | 27.125 | 61335 | 0.0 |
| Entertainment and recreational services | 44,693 | 33,154 | 77,847 | 1.2 | 33,957 | 27,084 | 61,041 | 1.1 |
| Restaurants, hoteis and clubs | 81,180 | 103.982 | 185,162 | 2.9 | 69,779 | 91,237 | 161.016 | 2.8 |
| Personal services | 21,805 | 41,283 | 63,088 | 1.0 | 18,877 | 38,464 | 57,341 | 1.0 |
| Private households employing staff | 243 | 1,883 | 2,126 | 0.0 | 514 | 1,875 | 2,389 | 0.0 |
| Total division $L$ | 148,526 | 180,583 | 329,109 | 5.2 | 123,338 | 158,784 | 282,122 | 4.9 |
| M. Not classifiable | 61,624 | 23,505 | 85,129 | 1.4 | 204,912 | 186,599 | 391,511 | 6.8 |
| N. Not stated | 186,406 | 211,711 | 398,117 | 6.3 |  |  |  |  |
| Total | 3,944,296 | 2,348,335 | 6,292,631 | 100.0 | 3,717,603 | 2,070,543 | 5,788,145 | 100.0 |

TABLE 31. INDUSTRY SECTOR OF EMPLOYED PERSONS

| Industry sector | 1981 Census |  |  |  | 1976 Census |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Males | Females | Persons | Percentage | Males | Females | Persons | Percentage |
| Australian government | 325,019 | 135,542 | 460,561 | 7.3 | 317,556 | 119.500 | 437,055 | 7.6 |
| State government | 564,597 | 401,099 | 965,696 | 15.3 | 536,802 | 348,161 | $884,963$ | 15.3 |
| Local government | 84,517 | 23,207 | 107,724 | 1.7 | 83,541 | 17,670 | 101,211 | 1.7 |
| Private sector | 2,777.684 | 1,588,310 | 4,365,994 | 69.4 | 2,779,704 | 1,585,212 | 4,364,916 | 75.4 |
| Not stated(a) | 192,479 | 200,177 | 392,656 | 6.2 | n.a. | n.a. | n.a. | n.a |
| Total | 3,944,296 | 2,348,335 | 6,292,631 | 100.0 | 3,717,603 | 2,070,543 | 5,788,145 | 100.0 |

(a) 1976 Not stated figures are included in Private sector and are not separately available.

TABLE 32. NUMBER OF HOUSEHOLDS AND HOUSEHOLD MEMBERS BY NATURE OF DWELLING OCCUPANCY

| Nature of occupancy of dwellings | 1981 Census |  |  |  | 1976 Census |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Number of households | Percentage | Number of members(a) | Percentage | Number of households | Percentage |
| Owner | 1,548,873 | 33.2 | 4,195,367 | 30.1 | 1,306,293 | 31.5 |
| Purchaser | 1,542,882 | 33.0 | 5,446,639 | 39.1 | 1,437,770 | 34.7 |
| Owner/purchaser undefined | 87,110 | 1.9 | 247,445 | 1.8 | 17,434 | 0.4 |
| Tenant-housing authority | 228,938 | 4.9 | 733,244 | 5.3 | 204,627 | 4.9 |
| Tenant-other | 935,543 | 20.0 | 2,444,770 | 17.6 | 839,873 | 20.3 |
| N.e.i. | 190,647 | 4.1 | 535,620 | 3.8 | 232,477 | 5.6 |
| Not stated | 134,916 | 2.9 | 315,360 | 2.3 | 102,047 | 2.5 |
| Total | 4,668,909 | 100.0 | 13,918,445 | 100.0 | 4,140,521 | 100.0 |

(a) Comparable information from the 1976 Census is not available.

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|  | 1981 Census |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Monthly mortgage payments(\$) | Number of households | Percentage |
| 1-24 | 47,414 | 3.1 |
| 25-49 | 124,289 | 8.1 |
| 50-74 | 105,630 | 6.8 |
| 75-99 | 75,354 | 4.9 |
| 100-124 | 104,593 | 6.8 |
| 125-149 | 82,117 | 5.3 |
| 150-174 | 100,522 | 6.5 |
| 175-199 | 75,967 | 4.9 |
| 200-224 | 148,643 | 9.6 |
| 225-249 | 82,467 | 5.3 |
| 250-274 | 106,449 | 6.9 |
| 275-299 | 61,927 | 4.0 |
| 300-324 | 98,453 | 6.4 |
| 325-349 | 41,816 | 2.7 |
| 350-374 | 42,980 | 2.8 |
| 375-398 | 21,733 | 1.4 |
| 399 and over | 167,303 | 10.8 |
| Not stated | 55,225 | 3.6 |
| Total | 1,542,882 | 100.0 |

TABLE 34. RENTED DWELLINGS—WEEKLY RENTS

|  | l981 Census |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: |
| Weekly rents(\$) | Number of <br> households | Percentage |
| $0-9$ | 27,809 | 2.4 |
| $10-19$ | 113,829 | 9.8 |
| $20-29$ | 130,290 | 11.2 |
| $30-39$ | 173,389 | 14.9 |
| $40-49$ | 212,441 | 18.2 |
| $50-59$ | 166,228 | 14.3 |
| $60-69$ | 120,170 | 10.3 |
| $70-79$ | 74,535 | 6.4 |
| $80-89$ | 46,316 | 4.0 |
| $90-99$ | 21,631 | 1.9 |
| $100-109$ | 14,275 | 1.2 |
| $110-119$ | 7,887 | 0.7 |
| $120-129$ | 7,900 | 0.7 |
| 130.148 | 73,315 | 0.6 |
| 149 and over | 13,202 | 1.1 |
| Not stated | 27,264 | 2.3 |
| Total | $1,164,481$ | 100.0 |

TABLE 35. NUMBER OF HOUSEHOLDS AND HOUSEHOLD MEMBERS BY HOUSEHOLD SIZE

| Household size (members) | 1981 Census |  |  |  | 1976 Census |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Number of households | Percentage | Number of members(a) | Percentage | Number of households | Percentage |
| 1 | 839,301 | 18.0 | 839,301 | 6.0 | 649,646 | 15.7 |
| 2 | 1,361,530 | 29.2 | 2,723,060 | 19.6 | 1,164,967 | 28.1 |
| 3 | 788,914 | 16.9 | 2,366,742 | 17.0 | 716,625 | 17.3 |
| 4 | 890,768 | 19.1 | 3,563,072 | 25.6 | 801,736 | 19.4 |
| 5 | 488,146 | 10.5 | 2,440,730 | 17.5 | 465,349 | 11.2 |
| 6 | 191,450 | 4.1 | 1,148,700 | 8.3 | 208,567 | 5.0 |
| 7 | 65,764 | 1.4 | 460,348 | 3.3 | 78,927 | 1.9 |
| 8 or more | 43,036 | 0.9 | 376,492 | 2.7 | 54,704 | 1.3 |
| Total | 4,668,909 | 100.0 | 13,918,445 | 100.0 | 4,140,521 | 100.0 |

(a) Comparable information from the 1976 Census is not available.

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TABLE 36. NUMBER OF HOUSEHOLDS AND HOUSEHOLD MEMBERS BY NUMBER OF ROOMS

| Number of rooms | 1981 Census |  |  |  | 1976 Census |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Total households | Percentage | Total household members | Percentage | Total households | Percentage |
| 1 | 25,958 | 0.6 | 45,312 | 0.3 | 18,810 | 0.5 |
| 2 | 67,623 | 1.4 | 93,286 | 0.7 | 72,136 | 1.7 |
| 3 | 212,930 | 4.6 | 337,974 | 2.4 | 195,121 | 4.7 |
| 4 | 715,354 | 15.3 | 1,512,848 | 10.8 | 598,872 | 14.5 |
| 5 | 1,311,711 | 28.1 | 3,816,246 | 27.4 | 1,228,857 | 29.7 |
| 6 | 1,173,670 | 25.1 | 3,795,159 | 27.3 | 1,053,587 | 25.4 |
| 7 | 617,127 | 13.2 | 2,225,129 | 16.0 | 511,369 | 12.4 |
| 8 or more | 471,698 | 10.1 | 1,917,544 | 13.8 | 365,867 | 8.8 |
| Not stated | 72,838 | 1.6 | 174,947 | 1.3 | 95,902 | 2.3 |
| Total | 4,668,909 | 100.0 | 13,918,445 | 100.0 | 4,140,521 | 100.0 |

TABLE 37. NUMBER OF HOUSEHOLDS AND HOUSEHOLD MEMBERS BY NUMBER OF BEDROOMS

| Number of bedrooms | 1981 Census |  |  |  | 1976 Census |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Total households | Percentage | Total household members | Percentage | Total households | Percentage |
| 0 | 1,307 | 0.0 | 2,129 | 0.0 | 21,508 | 0.5 |
| 1 | 328,147 | 7.0 | 491,801 | 3.5 | 273,195 | 6.6 |
| 2 | 1,253,181 | 26.8 | 2,730,597 | 19.6 | 991,867 | 24.0 |
| 3 | 2,368,958 | 50.7 | 7,774,455 | 55.9 | 2,089,927 | 50.5 |
| 4 | 549,804 | 11.8 | 2,290,990 | 16.5 | 548,150 | 13.2 |
| 5 | 75,092 | 1.6 | 358,341 | 2.6 | 92,665 | 2.2 |
| 6 or more | 19,897 | 0.4 | 96.120 | 0.7 | 27,307 | 0.7 |
| Not stated | 72,523 | 1.6 | 174,012 | 1.3 | 95,902 | 2.3 |
| Total | 4,668,909 | 100.0 | 13,918,445 | 100.0 | 4,140,521 | 100.0 |

TABLE 38. NUMBER OF HOUSEHOLDS BY NUMBER OF MOTOR VEHICLES(a)

|  | 1981 Census |  | 1976 Census |  |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | Total |  |  | Total |  |
| Number of motor vehicles | households | Percentage | households | Percentage |  |
| 0 | 654,474 | 14.0 | 652,105 | 15.7 |  |
| 1 | $2,040,732$ | 43.7 | $1,932,250$ | 46.7 |  |
| 2 | $1,358,737$ | 29.1 | $1,076,699$ | 26.0 |  |
| 3 | 335,987 | 7.2 | 238,027 | 5.7 |  |
| 4 or more | 133,415 | 2.9 | 90,943 | 2.2 |  |
| Not stated | 145,564 | 3.1 | 150,497 | 3.6 |  |
| Total | $4,668,909$ | 100.0 | $4,140,521$ | 100.0 |  |

TABLE 39. UNOCCUPIED PRIVATE DWELLINGS-REASON UNOCCUPIED

| Reason unoccupied | 1981 Census |  | 1976 Census |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Total unoccupied dwellings | Percentage | Total unoccupied dwellings | Percentage |
| For sale | 27,281 | 5.8 | 29.050 | 6.7 |
| To let (not holiday home) | 49,820 | 10.6 | 44,699 | 10.4 |
| New (awaiting occupancy) | 20,461 | 4.4 | 24,610 | 5.7 |
| Vacant for repair etc. | 21,831 | 4.7 | 18,154 | 4.2 |
| Holiday home | 113,911 | 24.3 | 101.164 | 23.5 |
| Condemned for demolition | 8,378 | 1.8 | 11,490 | 2.7 |
| Resident temporarily absent or not stated | 184,865 | 39.4 | 156,624 | 36.3 |
| N.e.i. | 43,195 | 9.2 | 45,409 | 10.5 |
| Total | 469,742 | 100.0 | 431,200 | 100.0 |

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TABLE 40. USUAL RESIDENCE 30 JUNE 1981

| Usual residence | Males | Females | Persons | Percentage |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| Enumerated at usual residence | $6,820,956$ | $6,900,145$ | $13,721,101$ | 94.1 |
|  |  |  |  |  |
| Enumerated at another residence in- |  |  |  |  |
| N.S.W. | 88,097 | 84,107 | 172,204 | 1.2 |
| Vic. | 62,616 | 62,680 | 125,296 | 0.9 |
| Qld. | 91,780 | 93,714 | 185,494 | 1.3 |
| S.A. | 22,610 | 21,123 | 43,733 | 0.3 |
| W.A. | 28,596 | 22,669 | 51,265 | 0.4 |
| Tas. | 8,644 | 8,127 | 16,771 | 0.1 |
| N.T. | 3,725 | 2,629 | 6,354 | 0.0 |
| A.C.T. | 4,798 | 4,283 | 9,081 | 0.1 |
| Overseas | 30,911 | 28,523 | 59,434 | 0.4 |
| Not stated | 104,343 | 81,254 | 185,597 | 1.3 |
|  |  |  |  | 100.0 |
| Total | $\mathbf{7 , 2 6 7 , 0 7 6}$ | $\mathbf{7 , 3 0 9 , 2 5 4}$ | $\mathbf{1 4 , 5 7 6 , 3 3 0}$ | $\mathbf{1 0 0 . 0}$ |

TABLE 41. USUAL RESIDENCE ONE YEAR AGO (1980)(a)

| Usual residence | Males | Females | Persons | Percentage |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| Same residence as 1981 | $5,511,085$ | $5,603,374$ | $11,114,459$ | 81.0 |
|  |  |  |  |  |
| Other residence in- |  |  |  |  |
| N.S.W. | 376,154 | 372,566 | 748,720 | 5.5 |
| Vic. | 253,152 | 256,329 | 509,481 | 3.7 |
| Qld. | 185,954 | 180,836 | 366,790 | 2.7 |
| S.A. | 85,326 | 86,977 | 172,303 | 1.3 |
| W.A. | 108,813 | 107,281 | 216,094 | 1.6 |
| Tas. | 28,563 | 29,297 | 57,860 | 0.4 |
| N.T. | 13,255 | 11,862 | 25,117 | 0.2 |
| A.C.T. | 18,473 | 17,956 | 36,429 | 0.3 |
| Overseas | 93,115 | 91,997 | 185,112 | 1.3 |
| Not stated | 39,419 | 39,165 | 78,584 | 0.6 |
| Not applicable (age under 1 year) | 107,647 | 102,505 | 210,152 | 1.5 |
| Total | $\mathbf{6 , 8 2 0 , 9 5 6}$ | $6,900,145$ | $13,721,101$ | 100.0 |

TABLE 42. USUAL RESIDENCE FIVE YEARS AGO (1976)(a)

| Usual residence | Males | Females | Persons | Percentage |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| Same residence as 1981 | $3,533,918$ | $3,604,118$ | $7,138,036$ | 52.0 |
|  |  |  |  |  |
| Other residence as $1981-$ |  |  |  |  |
| N.S.W. | 858,023 | 872,473 | $1,730,496$ | 12.6 |
| Vic. | 619,230 | 634,697 | $1,253,927$ | 9.1 |
| Qld. | 365,899 | 365,650 | 731,549 | 5.3 |
| S.A. | 207,555 | 215,579 | 423,134 | 3.1 |
| W.A. | 229,063 | 230,570 | 459,633 | 3.3 |
| Tas. | 68,856 | 72,015 | 140,871 | 1.0 |
| N.T. | 23,172 | 20,676 | 43,848 | 0.3 |
| A.C.T. | 40,336 | 39,418 | 79,754 | 0.6 |
| Overseas | 253,423 | 254,897 | 508,320 | 3.7 |
| Not stated | 76,426 | 71,909 | 148,335 | 1.1 |
| Not applicable (age under 5 years) | 545,055 | 518,143 | $1,063,198$ | 7.7 |
| Total | $6,820,956$ | $\mathbf{6 , 9 0 0 , 1 4 5}$ | $13,721,101$ | 100.0 |

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| Rec. <br> No. |  |

## AUSTRALIAN BUREAU OF STATISTICS

Census of

## Population and Housing

## Dear Householder.

Tuesday. 30 June 1981, is Census Day.
The census is an important statistical collection, whith not only counts the number of people throughout Australia, blt also measures such things as internal migration, occupation and indastry of those in the labour force, and housing conditions. The enclo ed pamphlet gives you a more detailed description of the value of the data collected in the census and the uses to which they will hern

The census is the only way of getting a complete picture of all persons in Australia at the one time.

The Australian Bureau of Statistics is requited by law to take a complete census of Australia every five years. The Act under which the census is taken is calied the Census and Statistics Act 1905. This Act makes it compulsory for you to provide the information requested.
For your protection the same Act guatantees that your answers will be treated in confidence. All stalf engaged on the census are required by law to protect the confidentiality of information collected. It would be an offence for any information relating 10 an identifiable person or household to be released ic any other Government Deparment or agency, of indeed to anyone outside the Statistics Bureau.

If you have difficulties filling out this torm. please ask the Collector for help or telephone.
Your co-operation in carefully completing the form will contribute greatly to the success of the census.

AUSTRALIAN STATISTICIAN

## Signature of Person.....

## Address:

No. and street.
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What ita Household?
Aersons living and eating topether as a domestic unit are a household. A person living atone is also a household. It there is more than one household in this dweling obtain extra Scrieduies from the Collector AND FILL IN A SEPARAT! SCHEDULE FOR EACH HOUSEHOLD.

## Who so Include

List in the top row all perso $4=$ (inciuding visitors) who spent the night of Tuesday. 30 tuse 1981, in this household or returned on Wednesday. 1 July 1981 , whout having been counted elsewhere. USE ONE COLUMN FOR IACH PERSON. If there are more than 8 persons in this houser:old o btain exira Forms from the Eollector.
On pages $1-5$ give details olall persons who spent the night of Tuesdey. 30 June 1981, in tiis household.
Complete particulars of this dweliing on page 5 .

## When Answering Questions

Please use ink or ball poinl pen.
Read the questions and instustions carefully: give your answer and then go to the next quextion.
Most answers can be given simply by placing a ick in an appropriate box.
If you do nol know the exid answer, give the best estimate you can.

## Privacy

If any person in your house-trold prefers. for privacy reasons, not to be recorded on this Schedule. please ask the Collector tor a Personal Form and envelope. The cormpleted form should be sealed in the envelope and delivered unompened to the Collecior
Please ask for an envelope it which to seal your completed Schedule and or Personal form(s), it wish the Collector not to see them.

## Finally

Ather filling in the Schedult, Dlease sign it and enter the required address on the iront page $r$ the space provided.
The Collector will revurn as som as possibie after Tuesday. 30 June 1981 , for the Sentedi le.

COLLECTOR'S USE ONEY

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For a household with more than 8 persons please contact the Collector

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|  | 4ge left school years <br> Sill an pirmary ol  <br> secondary school $\quad \mathrm{D}$ <br> Did not go to school $\mathrm{D}_{2}$ |  |  |  |
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|  | No． <br> Still at primary or <br> secondary school $\qquad$ <br> Yes $\qquad$ <br> Please prini details of highest <br> qualification obtained． <br> Qualification name $\qquad$ |  |  |  |
| Name of institution $\qquad$ <br> Field of study． $\qquad$ <br> Year obtained． $\qquad$ | Name of institution $\qquad$ $\qquad$ <br> Field of study $\qquad$ <br> Year obtained $\qquad$ | Name of institution $\qquad$ $\qquad$ <br> Field of study $\qquad$ <br> Year obtained $\qquad$ | Name of institution． $\qquad$ $\qquad$ <br> Field of study． $\qquad$ <br> Year obtained $\qquad$ | Name of institution． $\qquad$ $\qquad$ <br> rieid of study $\qquad$ <br> Year obtained． $\qquad$ |
|  | No income <br> Less than \＄19 p．wk <br> Less than $\$ 1000$ p．yt <br> $\$ 19$ to $\$ 38$ p．wk． <br> $\$ 1000$ to $\$ 2000$ p．yt $\qquad$ $\square$ <br> $\$ 39$ to $\$ 58 \mathrm{p} . \mathrm{wk}$ ． <br> $\$ 2001$ to $\$ 3000$ p．yr． $\qquad$ ■． <br> $\$ 59$ to $\$ 77$ D．wk． <br> $\$ 3001$ to $\$ 4000$ p．yr $\qquad$ 므 5 <br> $\$ 78$ to $\$ 115$ p．wk． <br> \＄4001 to 56000 p．yr． $\qquad$ $\square$ 。 <br> $\$ 116$ to $\$ 154$ D．wk <br> $\$ 6001$ to $\$ 8000$ p．yr． $\qquad$ <br> $\$ 155$ 10 $\$ 192$ p．wk． <br> s800i in $\$ 10000$ p．y $\qquad$ <br> $\$ 19310$ \＄231 p．wt． <br> \＄10001 ic s12000 p．yt．．．．．．．．．．．． <br> s232 to $\$ 288$ p．wk． <br> $\$ 12001$ to $\$ 15000$ p．yr．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．コ <br> \＄289 10 \＄346 D．w． <br> \＄15001 to $\$ 18000$ p．yi．．．．．．．．．．．．コッ <br> \＄347 105423 p．w． <br> si800；to $\$ 22000$ p．yt．．．．．．．．．．．．．．． 12 <br> \＄424 10 S500 D．w． <br> \＄22001 to \＄26000 p．yt．．．．．．．．．．．．．】： <br> Over 5500 D．wk． <br> Over \＄26000 p．yr．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．． | Ne income <br> Less than $\$ 19$ p．wk less than $\$ 1000$ p．yr <br> \＄1S to \＄38 p．wk $\$ 1000$ to $\$ 2000 \mathrm{p.y}$ $\qquad$ \＄39 to \＄58 D．wk． \＄2001 to $\$ 3000$ p．yr $\qquad$ ［1． 4 $\$ 59$ to $\$ 77$ p．wk． $\$ 3001$ to $\$ 4000 \mathrm{p} . \mathrm{y}$ $\qquad$ D 5 \＄78 to $\$ 115$ p．wt． s4001 to $\$ 6000$ p．yt $\$ 116$ to $\$ 154$ p．wk \＄$\$ 55$ to $\$ 192$ e．wh． $\$ 8001$ to $\$ 10000 \mathrm{p}$ \＄193 to $\$ 231$ p．wk． $\$ 10001$ ic 512000 $\qquad$ 232 to s288 p．wk $\$ 12001$ to $\$ 15000$ p．yr．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．$\square_{10}$ $\$ 28910$ \＄346 D．wk \＄15001 to $\$ 18000$ D．Yi．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．． $\$ 347$ to $\$ 423$ p．wk $\$ 1800$ i to $\$ 22000$ p．yt．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．］：2 5424 to $\$ 500$ D．wk $\$ 22001$ io $\$ 26000$ p．yr．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．${ }^{\text {a }}$ Ove：$\$ 500$ D．wk． Over $\$ 26000$ p．yr． | No income $\qquad$ $\square$. <br> Less than $\$ 19$ p．wk． <br> Less than 51000 p．vs $\qquad$ $\square$ ： <br> $\$ 19$ to $\$ 38$ p．w／k $\$ 1000$ to $\$ 2000$ p．yr． $\qquad$ $\square 3$ \＄39 to 558 d．wk． \＄2001 to \＄3000 p．yr $\qquad$口． $\$ 5910 \$ 77$ p．wk． $\$ 3001$ to $\$ 4000 \mathrm{p} . \mathrm{yr}$ $\qquad$ コ： <br> 578 to $\$ 115$ o．wk． \＄4001 to $\$ 6000$ p．yr． \＄116 to $\$ 154$ p．wk． 56001 to 58000 p．yr $\qquad$ ■， $\$ 155$ to $\$ 192$ p．wk． $\$ 8001$ to $\$ 10000$ p．y $\qquad$ <br>  s193 to $\$ 231$ o．wk \＄10001 to $\$ 12000$ p．y 5232 to $\$ 288$ D．wk． s 12001 to si5000 p．yi．．．．．．．．．．．．．． \＄289 to $\$ 346$ p．w． $\$ 15001$ to 518000 p．yr．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．51， $\$ 347$ to 5423 p．wk 518001 to 522000 p $\qquad$ S424 to $\$ 500$ D．Wk s2200i to 526000 p．yr．．．．．．．．．．．．．$=13$ Over $\$ 500$ D．wk． Over $\$ 26000$ d．yt $\qquad$ コロ， | No income <br> Less than $\$ 19$ p．wk <br> Less than \＄1000 py <br> \＄1920 \＄38 p．wk <br> $\$ 1000$ to $\$ 2000$ p．yr $\qquad$ $\square=$ <br> \＄39 to $\$ 58$ D．wk． <br> $\$ 2001$ to $\$ 3000$ p．yr $\qquad$ $\square$ \＆ <br> $55310 \$ 77$ p．wh． <br> \＄300i to $\$ 4000$ p．y． $\qquad$ － 5 <br> \＄78 $10 \$ 115$ p．wk． <br> $\$ 4001$ to $\$ 6000$ p．yr． $\qquad$ $\square 0$ <br> sile to $515 \wedge$ p．w． S6001 to $\$$ ลू000 p．yr． <br> © 555 to 5192 p．wk． <br> $\$ 8001$ to $\$ 10000$ p．yr． $\qquad$口． <br> s192 to \＄231 p．wt． $\qquad$ <br> $\$ 232$ to $\$ 288$ D．wk． <br> si 2001 to 515000 p．yr．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．． 10 <br> $\$ 289$ to $\$ 346$ p．wk． <br> $\$ 15001$ to $\$ 18000$ p．yr．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．． <br> \＄347 10 5423 p．wk． <br> \＄18001 io $\$ 22000$ p．yt．．．．．．．．．．．．ロ：： <br> s＜24 ic 5500 p．w．k． <br> \＄22001 10 $\$ 26000$ p．yr．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．그： 3 <br> Ove：$\$ 500$ p．vik． <br> Over s26000 p．yr |
| Now living ．．． <br> Not now living <br> Total | Now living $\qquad$ <br> No：now living <br> Toial | Now living <br> Nol now living <br> Total | Now living <br> Nol nove living Total | Now living $\qquad$ <br> No：now living． $\qquad$ <br> Toial． |



Please complete one column for each person.

For a household with more than 8 persons, please contact the Collector.


PLEASE ANSWER QUESTIONS
ON THIS DWELLING.

This dwelling is the place (house, flat, etc.) in which your household spent census night.

| Person 4 | PERSON 5 | PERSON 0 | person 7 | person ${ }^{\text {a }}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Chustian or given namb <br> Surname | Chistian or given name <br> Surname | Christien of <br> given name <br> Surname. | Christian or <br> given name. <br> Surneme $\qquad$ | Christian o <br> given name <br> Surname. |
| Malt [ or femate |  | Mate or Female $\square$ | Male O or Female $\square$ | Maie $\square$ or Femaie $\square$ |
| years ........months | [... years monns | years ..-] months | -.Years .- months | years mon |
|  |  |  |  |  |
| Train <br> Bus <br> Ferry or Tram <br> Taxi <br> Car-as driver <br> Car-as passenger <br> Motor bike or motor scooter <br> Bicycle... $\qquad$ <br> Cid 9010 wor $\qquad$ <br> Other. $\qquad$ <br> Flease siate $\qquad$ |  |  |  |  |

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## : Exclude motor bikes. motor scooters. ractors.

$\sqrt{\text { Is there a morgage (or contract of sala) on thiz diwaliing? }}$

- None
- 1 motor vehicle
- 2 motor vehicies
- a motor vehicles $^{2}$
- 4 or more

H1. How many rooms ere there in this dwelling?

- Wite the number of each type of room (e.s. 2 Bedroom(s).
- Count bach room once only
- A room shared with another household should be counted only by
the principal householder.
- Do not count toilets, pantries. laundries, siorerooms, halls or corridors.


3. Do you or any usual member of this housohold pey rent for tinls
dwolling?
$\square$
To whom is the rent paid?
E Srate Housing Commission
THANK YOU FOR YOUR CO-OPERATION
: © State Housng Commission
, O Other Government Agencies
, $\square$ Oine
What is the waokly rent?
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is this dwolling rented furnishod or
$\therefore$ Funished $\longrightarrow$ Go 10 quastion $\mathrm{H}_{4}$.


## APPENDIX B

## INQUIRIES

| NEW SOUTH WALES | Information Services <br> St Andrew's House <br> Sydney. NSW. 2000 <br> (Box 796 GPO Sydney 2001) <br> Phone (02) 268 4395-6-7 <br> Telex AA20819 | WESTERN AUSTRALIA | Information Services <br> 1-3 St George's Terrace <br> Perth. WA. 6000 <br> Phone (09) 3235140 <br> Telex AA92041 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| VICTORIA | Information Services <br> Commonwealth Banks Building <br> Cnr Elizabeth \& Flinders Streets <br> Melbourne. VIC. 3000 <br> (Box 2796Y GPO Melbourne 3001) <br> Phone (03) 6526192 <br> Telex AA30086 | TASMANIA | Information Services <br> Australian Government Centre <br> 10th Floor <br> 188 Collins Street <br> Hobart. TAS. 7000 <br> (Box 66A GPO Hobart 7001) <br> Phone (002) 204437 or 204495 <br> Telex AA58098 |
| QUEENSLAND | Information Services <br> 345 Ann Street <br> Brisbane. QLD. 4000 <br> Phone (07) 336022 <br> Telex AA40271 | NORTHERN TERRITORY | The Statistician-Northern Territory <br> 7th Floor MLC Building <br> 81 Smith Street <br> Darwin. NT. 5790 <br> (Box 3796 PO Darwin 5794) <br> Phone (089) 802717 <br> Telex AA85075 |
| SOUTH <br> AUSTRALIA | Information Services City Mutual Centre 10-20 Pulteney Street Adelaide. SA. 5000 (Box 2272 GPO Adelaide 5001) Phone (08) 2289439 Telex AA82106 | AUSTRALIAN CAPITAL TERRITORY | Information Services <br> Australian Bureau of Statistics <br> Box 10 PO <br> Belconnen. ACT. 2616 <br> Phone (062) 526627 <br> Telex AA62020 |


[^0]:    (a) Includes both 'Roman Catholic' and 'Catholic'. (b) Included with Christian n.e.i. (c) Included with Non-christian n.e.i.

[^1]:    (a) Includes communes.

[^2]:    (a) 1976 Census classification was Commercial and business. (b) This is a combination of the 1976 Census classifications: Natural and applied sciences: Mathematics and computer sciences. (c) This is a combination of the 1976 Census classifications: Social and behavioural: Law and jurisprudence: Home economics. (d) This is a combination of the 1976 Census classifications: Fine and applied arts; Journalism and media studies. (e) This is a combination of the 1976 Census classifications: Transport and communication: Service trade; Police and related law enforcement; Other public safety.

[^3]:    (a) Household income combines the income of all persons in the household 15 years of age and over.

[^4]:    For footnotes see end of table

[^5]:    (a) This table applies only to those people who were enumerated at their usual residence on 30 June 1981.

