



CENSUS OF THE COMMONWEALTH OF AUSTRALIA.

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NOTE.—The figures contained herein are subject to revision on the completion of the detailed tabulation.

1. URBAN AND RURAL POPULATION OF THE COMMONWEALTH AT THE CENSUS OF 4th APRIL, 1921.

(Exclusive of full-blood Aborigines.)

Particulars.	Census of 1921.				Census of 1911.	Increase during Ten Years.	
	Males.	Females.	Persons.	Percentage on Total for Commonwealth.	Persons.	Number.	Per cent.
Urban—							
Metropolitan	1,114,701	1,223,674	2,338,375	43·01	1,694,329	644,046	38·01
Provincial	507,302	524,639	1,031,941	18·98	866,437	165,504	19·10
Rural	1,115,469	921,620	2,037,089	37·47	1,867,003	170,086	9·11
Migratory	25,286	4,103	29,389	0·54	27,236	2,153	7·90
Total	2,762,758	2,674,036	5,436,794	100·00	4,455,005	981,789	22·04

2. DWELLINGS IN URBAN AND RURAL PARTS OF THE COMMONWEALTH AT THE CENSUS OF 4th APRIL, 1921.

Particulars.	Dwellings, 4th April, 1921.				
	Occupied.	Unoccupied.	Being Built.	Total.	Inmates per occupied Dwelling.
Urban—					
Metropolitan	490,711	14,109	4,162	508,982	4·77
Provincial	216,307	10,186	931	227,424	4·77
Rural	447,405	26,868	1,245	475,518	4·55
Total	1,154,423	51,163	6,338	1,211,924	4·68

3. DWELLINGS IN EACH STATE AND TERRITORY OF THE COMMONWEALTH AT THE CENSUS OF 4th APRIL, 1921.

States and Territories.	Dwellings, 4th April, 1921.				
	Occupied.	Unoccupied.	Being Built.	Total.	Inmates per occupied Dwelling.
New South Wales	433,429	18,619	2,724	454,772	4·82
Victoria	331,056	14,994	2,009	348,059	4·61
Queensland	160,956	6,747	347	168,050	4·69
South Australia	108,000	4,431	674	113,105	4·56
Western Australia	73,491	3,274	289	77,054	4·45
Tasmania	45,816	2,934	295	49,045	4·65
Northern Territory	1,148	135	..	1,283	3·31
Federal Capital Territory	527	29	..	556	4·86
Total	1,154,423	51,163	6,338	1,211,924	4·68

4. URBAN AND RURAL POPULATION OF EACH STATE AND TERRITORY OF THE COMMONWEALTH AT THE CENSUS OF 4th APRIL, 1921.

(Exclusive of full-blood Aborigines.)

Particulars.	Population, 4th April, 1921.				Population, 3rd April, 1911.	Increase of Population during Ten Years.	
	Males.	Females.	Persons.	Percentage on Total for State or Territory.	Persons.	Number.	Per cent.
NEW SOUTH WALES.							
Urban—							
Metropolitan	433,559	465,540	899,099	42·82	629,503	269,596	42·83
Provincial	263,560	261,138	524,698	24·99	421,714	102,984	24·42
Rural	363,898	300,555	664,453	31·64	587,466	76,987	13·10
Migratory	10,041	1,472	11,513	0·55	8,051	3,462	43·00
Total	1,071,058	1,028,705	2,099,763	100·00	1,646,734	453,029	27·51
VICTORIA.							
Urban—							
Metropolitan	359,481	407,025	766,506	50·05	588,971	177,535	30·14
Provincial	87,456	100,068	187,524	12·24	179,821	7,703	4·28
Rural	303,025	268,722	571,747	37·33	541,954	29,793	5·50
Migratory	4,667	1,085	5,752	0·38	4,805	947	19·71
Total	754,629	776,900	1,531,529	100·00	1,315,551	215,978	16·42
QUEENSLAND.							
Urban—							
Metropolitan	101,083	108,949	210,032	27·72	139,480	70,552	50·58
Provincial	90,091	93,725	183,816	24·26	126,098	57,718	45·77
Rural	205,509	154,991	360,500	47·58	336,367	24,133	7·17
Migratory	2,927	359	3,286	0·44	3,868	-582	-15·05
Total	399,610	358,024	757,634	100·00	605,813	151,821	25·06
SOUTH AUSTRALIA.							
Urban—							
Metropolitan	120,770	134,711	255,481	51·58	189,646	65,835	34·71
Provincial	20,780	22,021	42,801	8·64	36,480	6,321	17·33
Rural	103,986	89,977	193,963	39·16	179,693	14,270	7·94
Migratory	2,757	334	3,091	0·62	2,739	352	12·85
Total	248,293	247,043	495,336	100·00	408,558	86,778	21·24
WESTERN AUSTRALIA.							
Urban—							
Metropolitan	75,097	79,769	154,866	46·62	106,792	48,074	45·02
Provincial	21,287	21,275	42,562	12·81	51,670	-9,108	-17·63
Rural	76,443	53,321	129,764	39·06	116,636	13,128	11·25
Migratory	4,186	835	5,021	1·51	7,016	-1,995	-28·44
Total	177,013	155,200	332,213	100·00	282,114	50,099	17·76
TASMANIA.							
Urban—							
Metropolitan	24,711	27,680	52,391	24·50	39,937	12,454	31·18
Provincial	23,211	25,931	49,142	22·98	49,700	-568	-1·14
Rural	59,210	52,482	111,692	52·22	100,988	10,704	10·60
Migratory	635	17	652	0·30	576	76	13·19
Total	107,767	106,110	213,877	100·00	191,211	22,666	11·85
NORTHERN TERRITORY.							
Urban—							
Metropolitan .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Provincial	917	481	1,398	36·12	944	454	48·09
Rural	1,840	587	2,407	62·20	2,185	222	10·16
Migratory	64	1	65	1·63	181	-116	-64·09
Total	2,821	1,049	3,870	100·00	3,310	560	16·92
FEDERAL CAPITAL TERRITORY.							
Urban—							
Metropolitan .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Provincial .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Rural	1,558	1,005	2,563	99·65	1,714	849	49·53
Migratory	9	..	9	0·35	..	9	..
Total	1,567	1,005	2,572	100·00	1,714	858	34·13

5. DWELLINGS IN URBAN AND RURAL PARTS OF EACH STATE AND TERRITORY OF THE COMMONWEALTH AT THE CENSUS, OF 4th APRIL, 1921.

Particulars.	Dwellings, 4th April, 1921.					
	Occupied.	Unoccupied.	Being Built.	Total.	Percentage on Total for State or Territory.	Inmates per occupied Dwelling.
NEW SOUTH WALES.						
Urban—						
Metropolitan	183,556	5,188	1,804	190,548	41·90	4·90
Provincial	108,005	4,866	595	113,466	24·95	4·86
Rural	141,868	8,565	325	150,758	33·15	4·68
Total	433,429	18,619	2,724	454,772	100·00	4·82
VICTORIA.						
Urban—						
Metropolitan	165,065	4,056	1,294	170,415	48·96	4·64
Provincial	41,182	2,285	146	43,613	12·53	4·55
Rural	124,809	8,653	569	134,031	38·51	4·58
Total	331,056	14,994	2,009	348,059	100·00	4·61
QUEENSLAND.						
Urban—						
Metropolitan	43,881	1,716	153	45,750	27·22	4·79
Provincial	37,723	1,274	74	39,071	23·25	4·87
Rural	79,352	3,757	120	83,229	49·53	4·54
Total	160,956	6,747	347	168,050	100·00	4·69
SOUTH AUSTRALIA.						
Urban—						
Metropolitan	55,611	1,761	541	57,913	51·20	4·59
Provincial	9,571	683	35	10,289	9·10	4·47
Rural	42,818	1,987	98	44,903	39·70	4·53
Total	108,000	4,431	674	113,105	100·00	4·56
WESTERN AUSTRALIA.						
Urban—						
Metropolitan	31,436	970	199	32,605	42·32	4·93
Provincial	9,206	520	32	9,758	12·66	4·62
Rural	32,849	1,784	58	34,691	45·02	3·95
Total	73,491	3,274	289	77,054	100·00	4·45
TASMANIA.						
Urban—						
Metropolitan	11,162	418	171	11,751	23·96	4·69
Provincial	10,185	514	49	10,748	21·91	4·82
Rural	24,469	2,002	75	26,546	54·13	4·56
Total	45,816	2,934	295	49,045	100·00	4·65
NORTHERN TERRITORY.						
Urban—						
Metropolitan .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Provincial	435	44	..	479	37·33	3·21
Rural	713	91	..	804	62·67	3·38
Total	1,148	135	..	1,283	100·00	3·31
FEDERAL CAPITAL TERRITORY.						
Urban—						
Metropolitan
Provincial
Rural	527	29	..	556	100·00	4·86
Total	527	29	..	556	100·00	4·86

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