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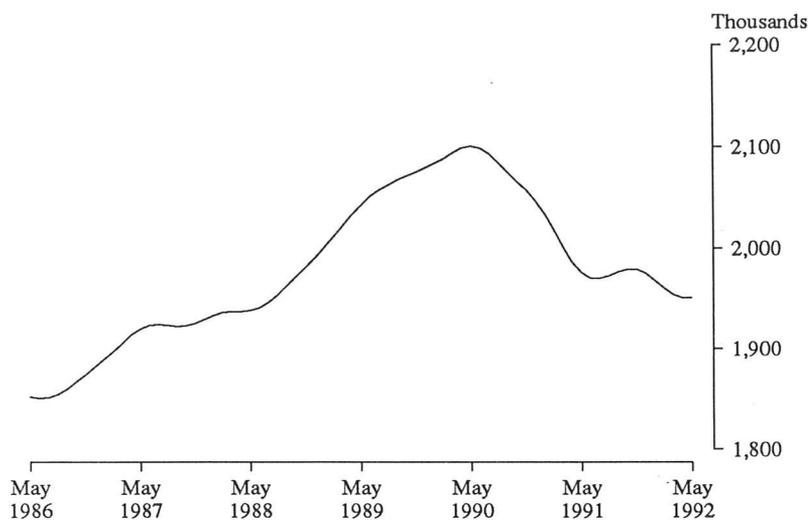
THE LABOUR FORCE, VICTORIA: ORIGINAL SERIES

<i>Labour force status</i>	<i>Unit</i>	<i>May 1991</i>	<i>March 1992</i>	<i>April 1992</i>	<i>May 1992</i>	<i>Annual percentage change</i>
Employed	('000)	1,979.8	1,953.0	1,943.8	1,942.1	-2.0
Unemployed	('000)	221.5	268.4	257.4	261.0	17.8
Labour force	('000)	2,201.3	2,221.4	2,201.2	2,203.1	0.1
Unemployment rate	(per cent)	10.1	12.1	11.7	11.8	16.8
Participation rate	(per cent)	63.4	63.4	62.8	62.8	-0.9

Employment

Since January 1992, when the last rise in employment was recorded, the number of employed persons in Victoria has fallen by 44,900 or 2.3 per cent. Trend estimates indicate that the rate of decline may be slowing.

EMPLOYED PERSONS: TREND SERIES, VICTORIA



In terms of original data, there were 1,942,100 employed persons in Victoria in May 1992. This figure was comprised of 1,472,800 full time workers, 1,001,700 of whom were male and 469,300 part time workers of whom 346,400 were female. The only group to show an increase in employment over the twelve months to May 1992 was males employed part time, which showed an increase of 22,900 or 22.9 per cent..

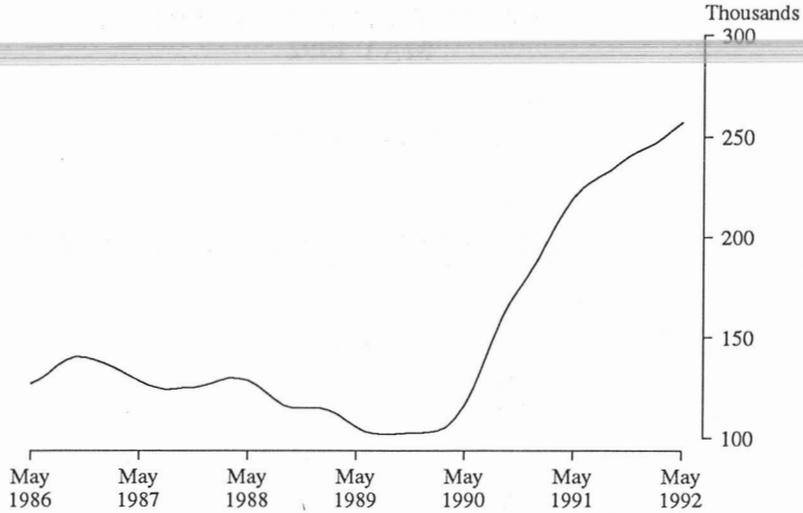
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Unemployment

The seasonally adjusted series for unemployed persons in Victoria shows the number of unemployed persons in Victoria in May 1992 to be 258,900. Trend series data indicates that, while the rate of increase slowed twelve months ago, unemployment has continued to rise steadily since that time. Seasonally adjusted, the unemployment rate at May 1992 was 11.8 per cent. There were 157,100 unemployed males (unemployment rate 12.3 per cent) and 101,800 unemployed females (unemployment rate 11.1 per cent).

UNEMPLOYED PERSONS: TREND SERIES, VICTORIA



Youth

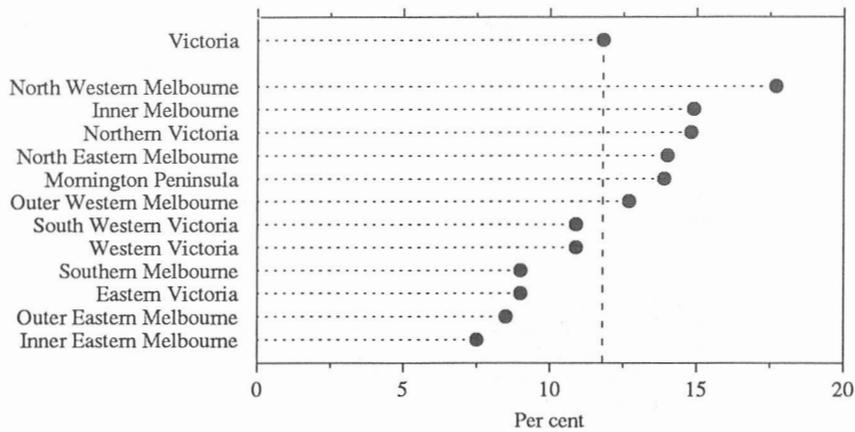
There were 122,000 employed persons aged 15-19 years in Victoria in May 1992. 78,400 of these were employed part time; of these, approximately half (41,800) were attending school.

In May 1992 there were 52,100 unemployed youths in the state. Of these, approximately one quarter (12,300) were attending school. The Victorian youth unemployment rate was 29.9 per cent.

Regions

The highest unemployment rate in the state was 17.7 per cent in the North Western Melbourne region; there were 18,800 unemployed persons in this region. The highest number of unemployed (36,900) was in the Mornington Peninsula region; the unemployment rate in this region was 13.9 per cent. Inner Eastern Melbourne had the lowest unemployment rate of 7.5 per cent and Eastern Victoria had the lowest number of unemployed with 11,300.

UNEMPLOYMENT RATES: VICTORIAN LABOUR FORCE REGIONS, MAY 1992.



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TABLE 1. CIVILIAN POPULATION AGED 15 YEARS AND OVER BY
LABOUR FORCE STATUS, VICTORIA: ORIGINAL SERIES

Month	Employed		Unemployed			Labour force (<i>'000</i>)	Not in labour force (<i>'000</i>)	Civilian population 15 years and over (<i>'000</i>)	Unemp- loyment rate (per cent)	Partici- pation rate (per cent)
	Full-time (<i>'000</i>)	Total (<i>'000</i>)	Full-time (<i>'000</i>)	Part-time (<i>'000</i>)	Total (<i>'000</i>)					
MALES										
1991 -										
March	1,050.4	1,145.8	102.9	17.9	120.8	1,266.6	435.3	1,701.9	9.5	74.4
April	1,035.2	1,137.8	112.9	20.8	133.7	1,271.6	432.0	1,703.5	10.5	74.6
May	1,035.8	1,135.8	111.3	16.0	127.3	1,263.0	442.1	1,705.1	10.1	74.1
June	1,023.5	1,126.0	119.0	9.9	129.0	1,254.9	451.8	1,706.7	10.3	73.5
July	1,020.3	1,122.0	115.4	12.4	127.8	1,249.8	458.4	1,708.1	10.2	73.2
August	1,020.9	1,120.8	125.3	11.1	136.5	1,257.2	452.3	1,709.5	10.9	73.5
September	1,024.3	1,131.2	133.1	12.8	145.9	1,277.1	433.9	1,710.9	11.4	74.6
October	1,031.7	1,137.9	122.1	8.8	130.9	1,268.8	443.6	1,712.5	10.3	74.1
November	1,009.8	1,120.0	127.6	10.6	138.1	1,258.1	455.9	1,714.0	11.0	73.4
December	1,042.1	1,141.6	138.4	15.9	154.3	1,295.9	419.6	1,715.5	11.9	75.5
1992 -										
January	1,026.0	1,127.4	142.1	12.7	154.9	1,282.2	434.6	1,716.8	12.1	74.7
February	1,016.0	1,126.8	148.2	12.7	161.0	1,287.8	430.3	1,718.0	12.5	75.0
March	1,005.8	1,124.8	146.4	13.2	159.6	1,284.4	434.9	1,719.3	12.4	74.7
April	1,004.1	1,125.6	138.2	13.7	151.9	1,277.5	442.9	1,720.4	11.9	74.3
May	1,001.7	1,124.6	145.9	10.6	156.5	1,281.1	440.4	1,721.4	12.2	74.4
MARRIED FEMALES										
1991 -										
March	277.2	517.0	22.8	13.4	36.2	553.2	464.3	1,017.5	6.5	54.4
April	269.2	507.6	30.2	13.2	43.4	551.0	455.8	1,006.9	7.9	54.7
May	271.2	511.4	25.7	9.5	35.2	546.6	464.7	1,011.3	6.4	54.0
June	275.4	516.9	20.8	13.9	34.7	551.6	469.9	1,021.4	6.3	54.0
July	274.1	511.2	25.8	8.7	34.5	545.7	489.7	1,035.4	6.3	52.7
August	278.0	514.4	23.4	8.6	32.1	546.5	478.7	1,025.2	5.9	53.3
September	284.0	529.9	25.9	11.6	37.5	567.4	459.3	1,026.8	6.6	55.3
October	288.2	514.5	26.8	8.8	35.5	550.1	477.1	1,027.1	6.5	53.6
November	283.1	510.2	26.3	9.9	36.2	546.4	479.8	1,026.2	6.6	53.2
December	286.5	511.2	27.1	11.7	38.9	550.0	480.9	1,030.9	7.1	53.4
1992 -										
January	272.2	487.4	31.7	8.8	40.5	527.9	500.9	1,028.8	7.7	51.3
February	273.8	500.5	32.6	8.4	41.0	541.5	482.3	1,023.8	7.6	52.9
March	273.5	503.5	31.5	12.2	43.7	547.2	472.1	1,019.4	8.0	53.7
April	260.4	494.0	34.0	9.5	43.5	537.5	485.8	1,023.4	8.1	52.5
May	257.8	494.2	35.4	9.6	44.9	539.1	482.6	1,021.7	8.3	52.8
OTHER FEMALES										
1991 -										
March	227.5	334.0	39.8	18.2	58.0	392.1	353.2	745.2	14.8	52.6
April	230.2	339.9	43.1	17.1	60.2	400.1	357.4	757.5	15.1	52.8
May	223.5	332.6	44.0	15.1	59.1	391.7	363.1	754.7	15.1	51.9
June	215.8	327.3	39.7	10.6	50.3	377.6	368.7	746.3	13.3	50.6
July	220.8	321.4	37.0	12.2	49.2	370.6	363.4	734.0	13.3	50.5
August	223.3	336.9	33.4	10.2	43.7	380.6	365.2	745.8	11.5	51.0
September	224.5	338.9	38.6	16.1	54.7	393.6	352.2	745.8	13.9	52.8
October	224.5	332.9	33.9	14.2	48.1	380.9	366.3	747.3	12.6	51.0
November	223.9	334.4	36.6	11.5	48.1	382.5	367.5	750.0	12.6	51.0
December	232.7	347.6	45.3	16.9	62.2	409.8	337.3	747.1	15.2	54.8
1992 -										
January	231.0	336.6	46.9	15.7	62.7	399.3	351.3	750.6	15.7	53.2
February	219.4	325.3	57.3	14.8	72.1	397.3	359.7	757.0	18.1	52.5
March	210.5	324.7	47.5	17.6	65.1	389.8	373.1	762.9	16.7	51.1
April	208.0	324.2	48.4	13.6	62.0	386.2	374.0	760.2	16.0	50.8
May	213.4	323.3	46.3	13.3	59.6	382.9	380.3	763.1	15.6	50.2

TABLE 1. CIVILIAN POPULATION AGED 15 YEARS AND OVER BY LABOUR FORCE STATUS, VICTORIA: ORIGINAL SERIES - continued

Month	Employed		Unemployed			Labour force ('000)	Not in labour force ('000)	Civilian population 15 years and over ('000)	Unemployment rate (per cent)	Participation rate (per cent)
	Full-time ('000)	Total ('000)	Full-time ('000)	Part-time ('000)	Total ('000)					
ALL FEMALES										
1991 -										
March	504.8	851.0	62.7	31.5	94.2	945.2	817.5	1,762.7	10.0	53.6
April	499.4	847.5	73.3	30.3	103.7	951.2	813.2	1,764.4	10.9	53.9
May	494.7	844.0	69.6	24.6	94.2	938.3	827.8	1,766.1	10.0	53.1
June	491.2	844.2	60.4	24.6	85.0	929.2	838.6	1,767.8	9.1	52.6
July	494.8	832.6	62.8	20.9	83.7	916.3	853.1	1,769.4	9.1	51.8
August	501.3	851.3	56.9	18.9	75.7	927.1	843.9	1,771.0	8.2	52.3
September	508.6	868.8	64.5	27.7	92.3	961.1	811.5	1,772.6	9.6	54.2
October	512.7	847.4	60.6	22.9	83.6	931.0	843.4	1,774.4	9.0	52.5
November	507.0	844.6	62.8	21.4	84.3	928.9	847.3	1,776.2	9.1	52.3
December	519.1	858.8	72.4	28.6	101.0	959.8	818.2	1,778.0	10.5	54.0
1992 -										
January	503.2	824.0	78.6	24.5	103.2	927.2	852.2	1,779.4	11.1	52.1
February	493.2	825.8	89.9	23.2	113.0	938.8	842.0	1,780.8	12.0	52.7
March	484.0	828.2	79.0	29.9	108.8	937.0	845.2	1,782.2	11.6	52.6
April	468.4	818.2	82.4	23.1	105.4	923.7	859.9	1,783.6	11.4	51.8
May	471.1	817.5	81.6	22.9	104.5	922.0	862.9	1,784.9	11.3	51.7
PERSONS										
1991 -										
March	1,555.1	1,996.8	165.5	49.5	215.0	2,211.8	1,252.8	3,464.6	9.7	63.8
April	1,534.5	1,985.4	186.3	51.1	237.4	2,222.7	1,245.2	3,467.9	10.7	64.1
May	1,530.5	1,979.8	180.9	40.6	221.5	2,201.3	1,269.9	3,471.2	10.1	63.4
June	1,514.8	1,970.2	179.4	34.5	213.9	2,184.1	1,290.4	3,474.5	9.8	62.9
July	1,515.1	1,954.5	178.2	33.3	211.5	2,166.0	1,311.5	3,477.5	9.8	62.3
August	1,522.2	1,972.1	182.2	30.0	212.2	2,184.3	1,296.2	3,480.5	9.7	62.8
September	1,532.8	2,000.0	197.6	40.5	238.2	2,238.1	1,245.4	3,483.5	10.6	64.2
October	1,544.3	1,985.3	182.8	31.7	214.5	2,199.8	1,287.0	3,486.9	9.8	63.1
November	1,516.8	1,964.6	190.4	32.0	222.4	2,187.0	1,303.2	3,490.2	10.2	62.7
December	1,561.2	2,000.3	210.8	44.6	255.4	2,255.7	1,237.8	3,493.5	11.3	64.6
1992 -										
January	1,529.2	1,951.4	220.7	37.3	258.0	2,209.4	1,286.8	3,496.2	11.7	63.2
February	1,509.2	1,952.6	238.1	35.9	274.0	2,226.6	1,272.2	3,498.8	12.3	63.6
March	1,489.8	1,953.0	225.3	43.1	268.4	2,221.4	1,280.1	3,501.5	12.1	63.4
April	1,472.5	1,943.8	220.6	36.8	257.4	2,201.2	1,302.7	3,503.9	11.7	62.8
May	1,472.8	1,942.1	227.5	33.5	261.0	2,203.1	1,303.2	3,506.3	11.8	62.8

TABLE 2. CIVILIAN POPULATION AGED 15 YEARS AND OVER BY
LABOUR FORCE STATUS, VICTORIA: SEASONALLY ADJUSTED SERIES

Month	Employed (^{'000})	Unemployed (^{'000})	Labour force (^{'000})	Unemployment rate (per cent)	Participation rate (per cent)
MALES					
1991 -					
March	1,145.1	119.3	1,264.4	9.4	74.3
April	1,133.6	130.5	1,264.2	10.3	74.2
May	1,132.2	127.8	1,260.0	10.1	73.9
June	1,123.7	136.7	1,260.4	10.8	73.9
July	1,121.5	135.5	1,256.9	10.8	73.6
August	1,127.9	142.7	1,270.6	11.2	74.3
September	1,131.0	145.6	1,276.7	11.4	74.6
October	1,137.1	140.0	1,277.0	11.0	74.6
November	1,126.6	146.2	1,272.8	11.5	74.3
December	1,132.9	143.5	1,276.4	11.2	74.4
1992 -					
January	1,136.8	143.8	1,280.6	11.2	74.6
February	1,124.2	147.8	1,272.0	11.6	74.0
March	1,124.7	157.9	1,282.6	12.3	74.6
April	1,121.0	148.0	1,269.0	11.7	73.8
May	1,120.8	157.1	1,277.9	12.3	74.2
FEMALES					
1991 -					
March	848.9	84.6	933.6	9.1	53.0
April	847.0	94.4	941.4	10.0	53.4
May	844.0	91.9	936.0	9.8	53.0
June	847.2	88.0	935.2	9.4	52.9
July	834.3	88.8	923.1	9.6	52.2
August	853.8	84.0	937.8	9.0	53.0
September	850.7	95.5	946.3	10.1	53.4
October	847.2	91.4	938.7	9.7	52.9
November	841.0	94.9	935.9	10.1	52.7
December	844.6	101.4	946.0	10.7	53.2
1992 -					
January	846.4	100.9	947.4	10.7	53.2
February	833.9	96.7	930.6	10.4	52.3
March	826.5	98.0	924.5	10.6	51.9
April	818.1	95.9	914.0	10.5	51.2
May	817.6	101.8	919.4	11.1	51.5
PERSONS					
1991 -					
March	1,994.1	203.9	2,198.0	9.3	63.4
April	1,980.7	224.9	2,205.6	10.2	63.6
May	1,976.2	219.8	2,196.0	10.0	63.3
June	1,971.0	224.6	2,195.6	10.2	63.2
July	1,955.7	224.3	2,180.0	10.3	62.7
August	1,981.7	226.6	2,208.3	10.3	63.4
September	1,981.8	241.2	2,222.9	10.8	63.8
October	1,984.3	231.4	2,215.7	10.4	63.5
November	1,967.6	241.1	2,208.7	10.9	63.3
December	1,977.5	244.9	2,222.4	11.0	63.6
1992 -					
January	1,983.3	244.8	2,228.0	11.0	63.7
February	1,958.1	244.5	2,202.6	11.1	63.0
March	1,951.2	255.9	2,207.0	11.6	63.0
April	1,939.1	243.9	2,183.0	11.2	62.3
May	1,938.4	258.9	2,197.3	11.8	62.7

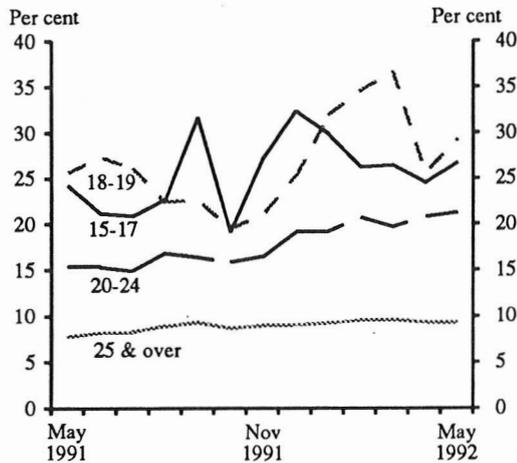
TABLE 3. CIVILIAN POPULATION AGED 15 YEARS AND OVER BY
LABOUR FORCE STATUS, VICTORIA: TREND SERIES

Month	Employed (<i>'000</i>)	Unemployed (<i>'000</i>)	Labour force (<i>'000</i>)	Unemployment rate (per cent)	Participation rate (per cent)
MALES					
1991 -					
March	1,149.4	118.2	1,267.7	9.3	74.5
April	1,138.6	124.5	1,263.0	9.9	74.1
May	1,130.5	130.3	1,260.8	10.3	73.9
June	1,126.2	135.1	1,261.3	10.7	73.9
July	1,125.2	138.6	1,263.8	11.0	74.0
August	1,126.7	141.0	1,267.6	11.1	74.2
September	1,129.2	142.3	1,271.5	11.2	74.3
October	1,131.4	143.3	1,274.6	11.2	74.4
November	1,132.5	144.1	1,276.6	11.3	74.5
December	1,131.8	145.1	1,276.9	11.4	74.4
1992 -					
January	1,129.6	146.5	1,276.0	11.5	74.3
February	1,127.1	148.4	1,275.6	11.6	74.2
March	1,125.6	151.0	1,276.6	11.8	74.3
April	1,125.5	153.7	1,279.2	12.0	74.4
May	1,126.4	156.4	1,282.9	12.2	74.5
FEMALES					
1991 -					
March	852.5	86.8	939.3	9.2	53.3
April	847.9	88.5	936.4	9.5	53.1
May	845.2	89.5	934.7	9.6	52.9
June	844.5	89.6	934.0	9.6	52.8
July	844.9	89.3	934.3	9.6	52.8
August	846.1	89.7	935.8	9.6	52.8
September	847.2	91.1	938.4	9.7	52.9
October	847.6	93.5	941.1	9.9	53.0
November	846.6	96.0	942.6	10.2	53.1
December	843.6	97.6	941.2	10.4	52.9
1992 -					
January	838.5	98.3	936.9	10.5	52.7
February	832.9	98.6	931.5	10.6	52.3
March	828.4	99.0	927.4	10.7	52.0
April	825.4	99.8	925.2	10.8	51.9
May	824.3	101.0	925.4	10.9	51.8
PERSONS					
1991 -					
March	2,001.9	205.1	2,207.0	9.3	63.7
April	1,986.4	213.0	2,199.5	9.7	63.4
May	1,975.8	219.8	2,195.5	10.0	63.3
June	1,970.6	224.7	2,195.3	10.2	63.2
July	1,970.1	227.9	2,198.1	10.4	63.2
August	1,972.8	230.7	2,203.5	10.5	63.3
September	1,976.4	233.4	2,209.8	10.6	63.4
October	1,978.9	236.8	2,215.7	10.7	63.5
November	1,979.1	240.1	2,219.2	10.8	63.6
December	1,975.4	242.7	2,218.1	10.9	63.5
1992 -					
January	1,968.1	244.8	2,212.9	11.1	63.3
February	1,960.0	247.1	2,207.1	11.2	63.1
March	1,954.0	250.0	2,204.0	11.3	62.9
April	1,950.9	253.5	2,204.4	11.5	62.9
May	1,950.8	257.4	2,208.2	11.7	63.0

TABLE 4. CIVILIAN POPULATION AGED 15 YEARS AND OVER BY LABOUR FORCE STATUS, AGE, AND ATTENDANCE AT AN EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTION, VICTORIA, MAY 1992

Particulars	Employed			Unemp- loyed (<i>'000</i>)	Labour force (<i>'000</i>)	Not in labour force (<i>'000</i>)	Unemp- loyment rate (per cent)	Partici- pation rate (per cent)
	Full- time (<i>'000</i>)	Part- time (<i>'000</i>)	Total (<i>'000</i>)					
Age (years) -								
15 - 19								
15 - 17	8.4	45.6	54.0	23.1	77.1	115.1	30.0	40.1
18 - 19	35.1	32.8	68.0	29.0	97.0	44.8	29.9	68.4
Attending school	*0.0	41.8	41.8	12.3	54.1	120.9	22.8	30.9
Not attending school -								
Left before 1987	*0.0	*0.0	*0.0	*0.5	*0.5	*0.0	*100.0	*100.0
Left from 1987 to survey date	43.5	36.7	80.2	39.3	119.5	38.9	32.9	75.4
Total aged 15 - 19 years	43.5	78.4	122.0	52.1	174.1	159.8	29.9	52.1
Age (years) -								
20 - 24	199.4	52.9	252.3	59.0	311.3	65.1	18.9	82.7
25 - 34	427.0	98.3	525.3	61.8	587.2	137.7	10.5	81.0
35 - 44	392.8	115.6	508.4	45.9	554.3	115.0	8.3	82.8
45 - 54	283.5	71.5	354.9	25.8	380.7	121.5	6.8	75.8
55 and over	126.6	52.5	179.1	16.4	195.4	704.0	8.4	21.7
Attending tertiary educational institution full-time								
Age (years) -								
15 - 19	*0.3	20.2	20.5	5.7	26.2	31.4	21.8	45.5
20 - 24	*2.1	20.2	22.3	6.5	28.8	32.0	22.5	47.3

UNEMPLOYMENT RATES OF MALES BY AGE GROUP, VICTORIA



UNEMPLOYMENT RATES OF FEMALES BY AGE GROUP, VICTORIA

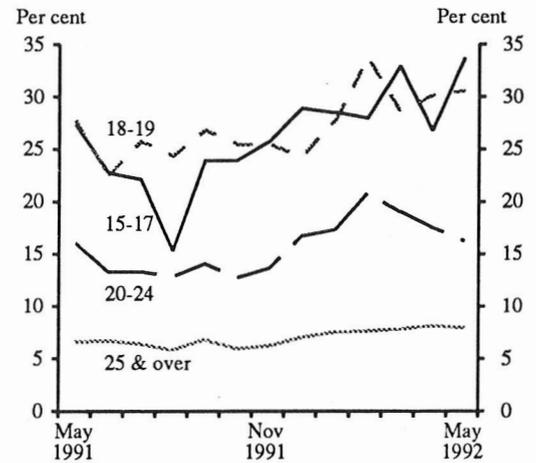


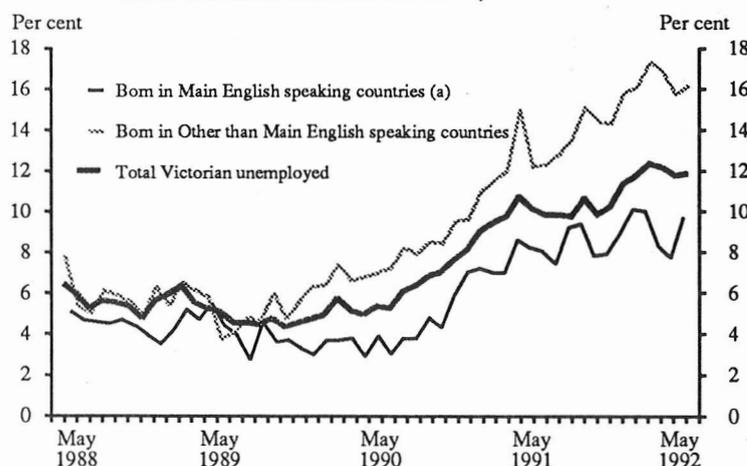
TABLE 5. CIVILIAN POPULATION AGED 15 YEARS AND OVER BY LABOUR FORCE STATUS, BIRTHPLACE, AND PERIOD OF ARRIVAL IN AUSTRALIA, VICTORIA, MAY 1992

<i>Birthplace particulars (b)</i>	<i>Employed</i>			<i>Unemp- loyed ('000)</i>	<i>Labour force ('000)</i>	<i>Not in labour force ('000)</i>	<i>Unemp- loyment rate (per cent)</i>	<i>Partici- pation rate (a) (per cent)</i>
	<i>Full- time ('000)</i>	<i>Part- time ('000)</i>	<i>Total ('000)</i>					
Born in Australia	1,055.2	359.6	1,414.8	173.5	1,588.3	843.2	10.9	65.3
Born outside Australia -								
Africa	12.1	*4.1	16.2	*0.5	16.7	5.6	*3.1	74.8
America	12.5	*4.3	16.8	*2.4	19.1	8.5	*12.3	69.4
Asia	74.8	19.3	94.0	22.5	116.5	62.4	19.3	65.1
The Middle East and North Africa	19.0	*3.3	22.3	8.9	31.2	24.3	28.6	56.2
Europe -								
Germany	11.8	*3.8	15.6	*1.3	16.9	11.2	*7.7	60.2
Greece	29.7	7.9	37.7	5.1	42.8	29.9	11.9	58.9
Italy	40.4	7.3	47.7	8.9	56.7	64.6	15.8	46.7
Malta	13.3	4.8	18.2	*1.8	19.9	12.8	*8.9	61.0
Netherlands	15.2	*4.1	19.3	*1.4	20.7	15.3	*7.0	57.5
Poland	8.4	*1.5	9.9	*1.8	11.8	15.0	*15.6	44.0
UK and Ireland	97.5	30.0	127.5	12.7	140.2	86.0	9.0	62.0
Yugoslavia (c)	33.2	6.0	39.2	8.7	47.9	20.9	18.2	69.7
Other Europe	28.3	7.4	35.7	6.5	42.2	34.8	15.5	54.8
Total Europe	277.9	73.0	350.8	48.3	399.1	290.4	12.1	57.9
New Zealand	18.6	5.2	23.7	*4.4	28.1	9.5	*15.6	74.7
Total Oceania	20.1	5.4	25.5	4.6	30.1	11.1	15.4	73.1
Main English speaking countries (d)	129.4	38.9	168.3	18.1	186.4	101.8	9.7	64.7
Other	288.1	70.8	358.9	69.3	428.3	302.0	16.2	58.6
Period of arrival -								
Before 1961	100.8	28.9	129.8	8.1	137.9	175.1	5.9	44.0
1961 - 1965	48.5	9.3	57.8	8.3	66.1	46.4	12.5	58.8
1966 - 1970	74.3	16.1	90.4	14.8	105.2	44.7	14.1	70.2
1971 - 1975	53.6	13.4	67.0	10.9	77.9	28.0	14.0	73.5
1976 - 1980	39.0	13.8	52.8	7.8	60.6	22.7	12.8	72.7
1981 - 1985	38.0	10.0	48.0	11.0	59.1	26.2	18.7	69.3
1986 to survey date	63.4	18.1	81.5	26.6	108.1	60.7	24.6	64.1
Total overseas born	417.6	109.7	527.3	87.5	614.7	403.8	14.2	60.4

(a) Because it is not practicable to ascertain the birthplace of persons in institutions (who are classified as 'not in the labour force'), labour force participation rates for persons classified by birthplace are calculated by using population estimates which exclude those in institutions.

(b) Country of birth data are now grouped according to the Australian Standard Classification of Countries for Social Statistics. See Explanatory Notes for more details. (c) Includes Yugoslavia and former Yugoslav Republics. (d) Comprises United Kingdom and Ireland, Canada, United States of America, South Africa and New Zealand.

**UNEMPLOYMENT RATES OF MIGRANTS (BY BIRTHPLACE)
AND TOTAL UNEMPLOYED, VICTORIA**



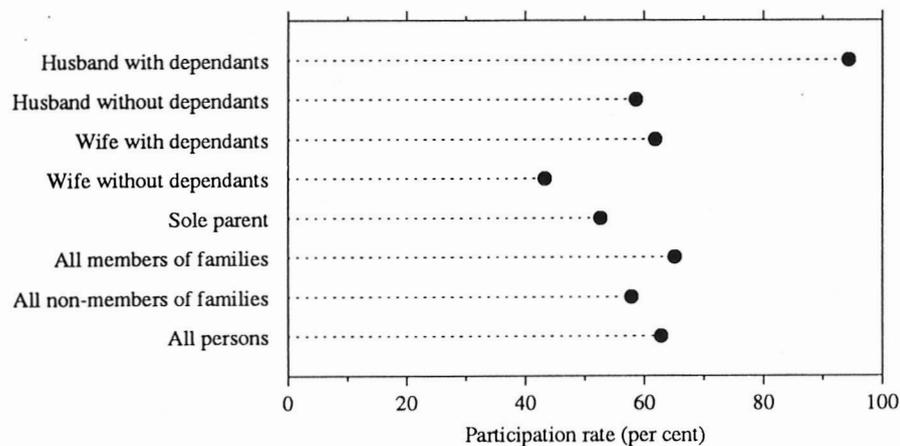
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TABLE 6. CIVILIAN POPULATION AGED 15 YEARS AND OVER BY LABOUR FORCE STATUS AND FAMILY STATUS, VICTORIA, MAY 1992

Family status	Employed			Unemp- loyed (^{'000})	Labour force (^{'000})	Not in labour force (^{'000})	Civilian popu- lation 15 years and over (^{'000})	Unemp- loyment rate (per cent)	Partici- pation rate (per cent)
	Full- time (^{'000})	Part- time (^{'000})	Total (^{'000})						
Member of a family -									
Married -									
Husband -									
With children (a)	373.2	16.3	389.5	40.7	430.2	20.6	450.8	9.5	95.4
Without children (a)	306.0	29.0	335.0	23.8	358.9	208.9	567.7	6.6	63.2
Wife -									
With children (a)	94.4	132.7	227.1	25.1	252.2	171.5	423.7	9.9	59.5
Without children (a)	154.2	97.3	251.5	18.0	269.5	293.2	562.8	6.7	47.9
Not-married family head -									
Male -									
With children (a)	*3.2	*0.5	*3.7	*0.0	*3.7	*1.8	5.5	*0.0	*66.6
Without children (a)	12.2	*1.0	13.2	*2.6	15.8	9.0	24.9	*16.7	63.7
Female -									
With children (a)	13.5	15.8	29.4	*4.1	33.4	40.2	73.6	*12.2	45.4
Without children (a)	19.5	5.9	25.4	*2.2	27.6	39.1	66.7	*8.1	41.4
Child of family head (b) -									
Males	132.4	49.6	182.0	54.2	236.3	87.8	324.1	23.0	72.9
Females	83.7	58.3	141.9	36.4	178.3	78.3	256.6	20.4	69.5
Other relative of family head	19.5	*2.8	22.3	6.5	28.8	33.3	62.1	22.5	46.4
Total	1,211.8	409.2	1,621.0	213.7	1,834.7	983.8	2,818.5	11.6	65.1
Not a member of a family -									
Living alone -									
Males	62.2	8.5	70.7	9.2	79.9	46.0	125.9	11.5	63.5
Females	40.4	8.3	48.7	*4.5	53.2	132.1	185.3	*8.4	28.7
Not living alone -									
Males	72.1	11.5	83.6	15.6	99.1	20.0	119.1	15.7	83.2
Females	41.8	15.1	56.9	8.6	65.5	19.7	85.2	13.1	76.9
Total	216.5	43.4	259.9	37.8	297.7	217.8	515.5	12.7	57.8
Not family coded	44.5	16.7	61.2	9.5	70.6	101.7	172.3	13.4	41.0
Total	1,472.8	469.3	1,942.1	261.0	2,203.1	1,303.2	3,506.3	11.8	62.8

(a) Aged 0 - 14 present in household. (b) Aged 15 and over.

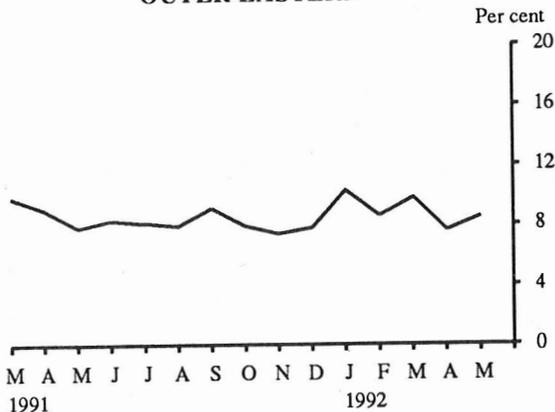
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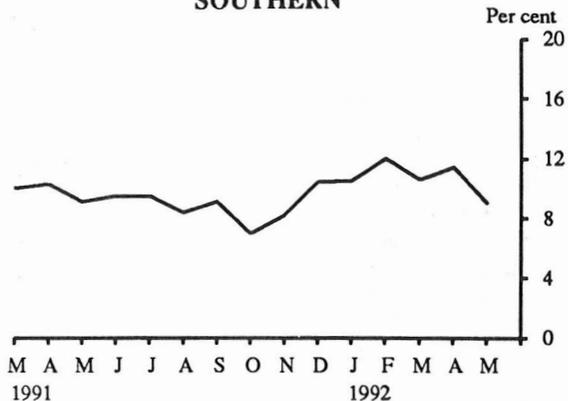
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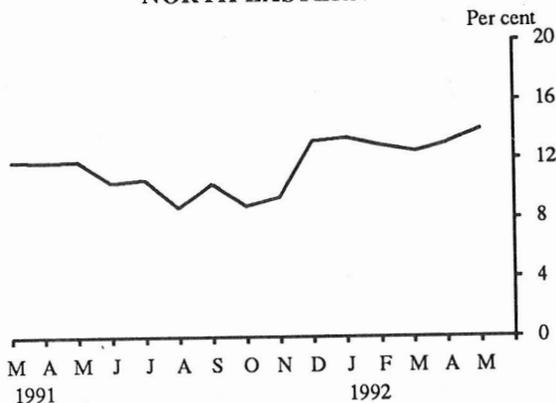
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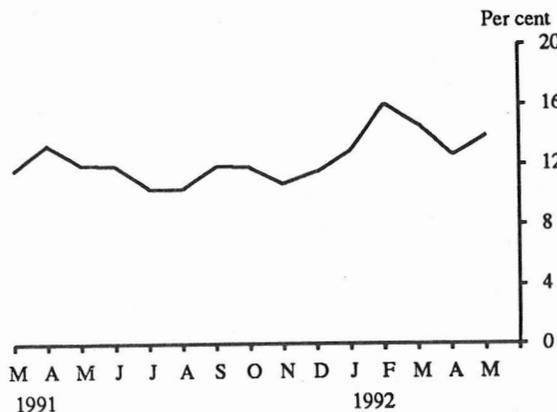
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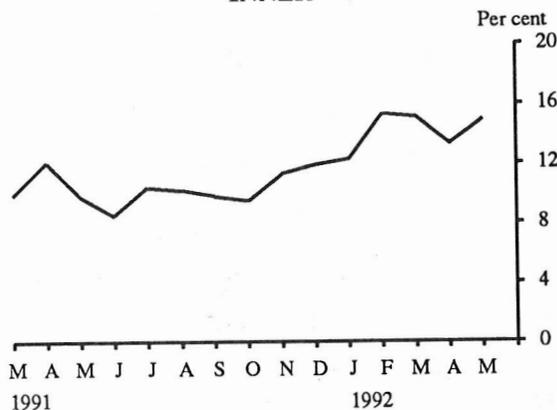
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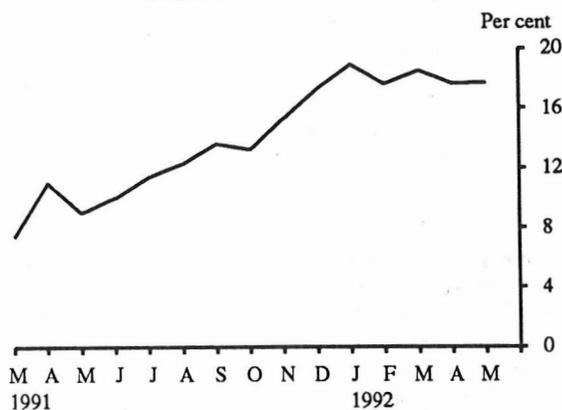
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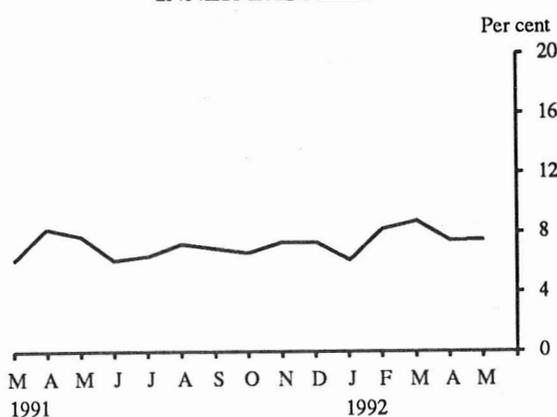
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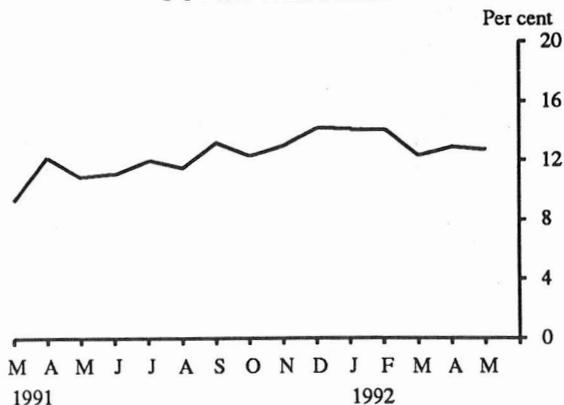


TABLE 7. CIVILIAN POPULATION AGED 15 YEARS AND OVER BY LABOUR FORCE STATUS,
VICTORIAN REGIONS, MARCH 1992

Region	Employed			Unemp- loyed (^{'000})	Labour force (^{'000})	Not in labour force (^{'000})	Unemp- loyment rate (per cent)	Partici- pation rate (per cent)
	Full- time (^{'000})	Part- time (^{'000})	Total (^{'000})					
MALES								
Melbourne Statistical Division-	710.6	85.7	796.3	116.8	913.1	304.3	12.8	75.0
Outer Western Melbourne	108.2	9.2	117.3	16.4	133.7	43.4	12.3	75.5
North Western Melbourne	46.4	3.3	49.7	12.7	62.4	25.8	20.4	70.8
Inner Melbourne	51.5	10.9	62.4	11.4	73.8	22.7	15.4	76.5
North Eastern Melbourne	88.4	11.5	100.0	15.5	115.4	38.9	13.4	74.8
Inner Eastern Melbourne	104.6	14.5	119.1	12.1	131.1	45.4	9.2	74.3
Southern Melbourne	80.4	9.2	89.6	10.6	100.2	36.8	10.6	73.2
Outer Eastern Melbourne	110.0	13.3	123.3	12.8	136.0	36.2	9.4	79.0
Mornington Peninsula	121.1	13.8	134.9	25.5	160.4	55.1	15.9	74.4
Balance of Victoria-	295.3	33.3	328.5	42.8	371.3	130.6	11.5	74.0
South Western Victoria	76.1	7.5	83.5	11.8	95.3	31.0	12.4	75.5
Western Victoria	59.7	7.1	66.8	7.1	73.9	29.0	9.6	71.8
Northern Victoria	99.4	11.9	111.3	15.4	126.7	46.0	12.1	73.3
Eastern Victoria	60.1	6.7	66.8	8.5	75.3	24.5	11.3	75.4
Total	1,005.8	119.0	1,124.8	159.6	1,284.4	434.9	12.4	74.7
MARRIED FEMALES								
Melbourne Statistical Division-	196.9	152.0	348.9	33.7	382.6	329.7	8.8	53.7
Outer Western Melbourne	27.8	23.0	50.9	4.6	55.4	55.5	8.3	50.0
North Western Melbourne	13.0	7.3	20.3	3.5	23.8	25.5	14.6	48.3
Inner Melbourne	9.5	6.1	15.6	*3.2	18.9	13.3	*17.2	58.7
North Eastern Melbourne	29.0	22.3	51.4	4.1	55.5	43.0	7.4	56.3
Inner Eastern Melbourne	32.0	19.0	51.0	*3.4	54.4	49.8	*6.3	52.2
Southern Melbourne	24.5	15.9	40.4	*3.4	43.8	35.3	*7.8	55.4
Outer Eastern Melbourne	29.2	26.5	55.7	*3.6	59.3	44.4	*6.1	57.2
Mornington Peninsula	31.8	31.9	63.7	7.8	71.5	62.9	10.9	53.2
Balance of Victoria-	76.5	78.1	154.6	10.0	164.6	142.5	6.1	53.6
South Western Victoria	20.0	19.8	39.8	*2.4	42.2	35.7	*5.6	54.2
Western Victoria	15.6	16.2	31.8	*1.3	33.1	29.6	*4.0	52.8
Northern Victoria	25.5	26.2	51.7	4.8	56.5	50.0	8.5	53.0
Eastern Victoria	15.5	15.8	31.3	*1.5	32.8	27.2	*4.7	54.6
Total	273.5	230.1	503.5	43.7	547.2	472.1	8.0	53.7
ALL FEMALES								
Melbourne Statistical Division-	361.9	237.8	599.7	78.4	678.1	592.2	11.6	53.4
Outer Western Melbourne	50.5	35.4	86.0	12.1	98.1	90.7	12.3	51.9
North Western Melbourne	25.4	13.3	38.7	7.4	46.1	48.7	16.0	48.7
Inner Melbourne	30.9	15.1	46.0	8.0	54.0	32.5	14.8	62.5
North Eastern Melbourne	48.3	31.7	80.1	10.3	90.4	74.1	11.4	54.9
Inner Eastern Melbourne	58.2	34.4	92.6	8.2	100.8	92.2	8.1	52.2
Southern Melbourne	47.4	25.3	72.6	8.5	81.2	73.2	10.5	52.6
Outer Eastern Melbourne	48.5	40.5	88.9	10.2	99.1	76.6	10.3	56.4
Mornington Peninsula	52.6	42.0	94.7	13.7	108.4	104.2	12.7	51.0
Balance of Victoria-	122.1	106.4	228.5	30.4	258.9	253.0	11.8	50.6
South Western Victoria	33.7	28.0	61.6	7.9	69.5	59.1	11.3	54.0
Western Victoria	26.6	23.6	50.2	4.8	55.1	51.8	8.8	51.5
Northern Victoria	41.1	32.1	73.2	12.5	85.7	88.4	14.6	49.2
Eastern Victoria	20.7	22.7	43.4	5.2	48.6	53.6	10.7	47.5
Total	484.0	344.2	828.2	108.8	937.0	845.2	11.6	52.6

TABLE 7. CIVILIAN POPULATION AGED 15 YEARS AND OVER BY LABOUR FORCE STATUS,
VICTORIAN REGIONS, MARCH 1992 - *continued*

Region	Employed			Unemp- loyed (<i>'000</i>)	Labour force (<i>'000</i>)	Not in labour force (<i>'000</i>)	Unemp- loyment rate (per cent)	Partici- pation rate (per cent)
	Full- time (<i>'000</i>)	Part- time (<i>'000</i>)	Total (<i>'000</i>)					
PERSONS								
Melbourne Statistical Division-	1,072.5	323.5	1,396.0	195.2	1,591.2	896.5	12.3	64.0
Outer Western Melbourne	158.7	44.6	203.3	28.5	231.8	134.1	12.3	63.3
North Western Melbourne	71.8	16.6	88.4	20.1	108.5	74.5	18.5	59.3
Inner Melbourne	82.5	26.0	108.5	19.3	127.8	55.2	15.1	69.8
North Eastern Melbourne	136.8	43.3	180.0	25.8	205.8	113.0	12.5	64.6
Inner Eastern Melbourne	162.8	48.9	211.7	20.2	231.9	137.6	8.7	62.8
Southern Melbourne	127.8	34.5	162.2	19.2	181.4	110.0	10.6	62.3
Outer Eastern Melbourne	158.4	53.8	212.2	22.9	235.2	112.8	9.8	67.6
Mornington Peninsula	173.7	55.9	229.6	39.2	268.8	159.3	14.6	62.8
Balance of Victoria-	417.3	139.7	557.0	73.2	630.2	383.6	11.6	62.2
South Western Victoria	109.7	35.5	145.2	19.7	164.9	90.1	11.9	64.7
Western Victoria	86.3	30.7	117.0	12.0	129.0	80.9	9.3	61.5
Northern Victoria	140.5	44.1	184.6	27.9	212.4	134.5	13.1	61.2
Eastern Victoria	80.8	29.4	110.2	13.7	123.9	78.2	11.1	61.3
Total	1,489.8	463.2	1,953.0	268.4	2,221.4	1,280.1	12.1	63.4

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BY AGE GROUP, VICTORIA, MAY 1992

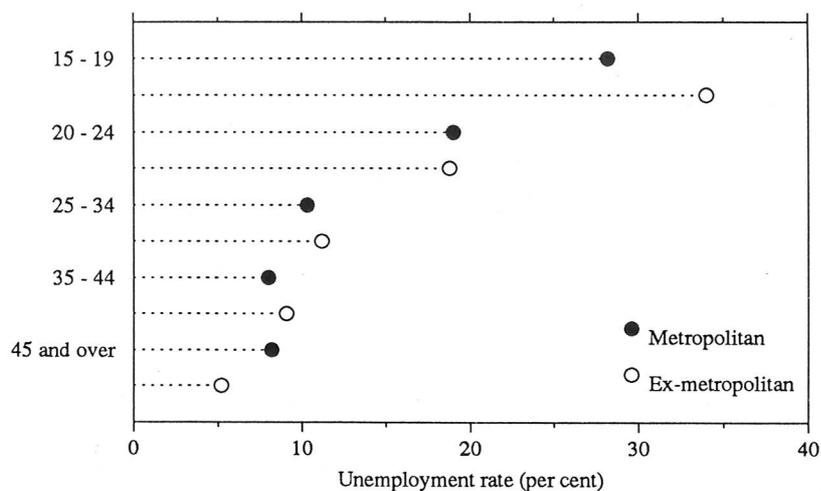


TABLE 8. CIVILIAN POPULATION AGED 15 YEARS AND OVER BY LABOUR FORCE STATUS,
VICTORIAN REGIONS, APRIL 1992

Region	Employed			Unemp- loyed (<i>'000</i>)	Labour force (<i>'000</i>)	Not in labour force (<i>'000</i>)	Unemp- loyment rate (per cent)	Partici- pation rate (per cent)
	Full- time (<i>'000</i>)	Part- time (<i>'000</i>)	Total (<i>'000</i>)					
MALES								
Melbourne Statistical Division-	715.7	90.2	805.8	107.3	913.1	304.8	11.8	75.0
Outer Western Melbourne	107.9	12.8	120.7	16.4	137.1	43.8	12.0	75.8
North Western Melbourne	47.5	*2.5	50.0	12.3	62.3	24.7	19.7	71.6
Inner Melbourne	54.4	10.4	64.8	9.5	74.3	22.4	12.8	76.8
North Eastern Melbourne	93.7	10.3	104.0	16.8	120.8	36.5	13.9	76.8
Inner Eastern Melbourne	96.4	19.0	115.4	9.7	125.1	47.3	7.7	72.6
Southern Melbourne	77.5	11.1	88.6	11.6	100.2	38.7	11.5	72.1
Outer Eastern Melbourne	112.4	13.7	126.1	10.5	136.5	37.6	7.7	78.4
Mornington Peninsula	125.9	10.4	136.2	20.6	156.8	53.8	13.1	74.4
Balance of Victoria-	288.5	31.3	319.8	44.6	364.4	138.1	12.3	72.5
South Western Victoria	73.2	6.2	79.4	10.7	90.1	34.3	11.9	72.5
Western Victoria	57.4	6.1	63.5	8.7	72.2	29.7	12.0	70.8
Northern Victoria	95.4	12.2	107.7	15.4	123.0	50.4	12.5	70.9
Eastern Victoria	62.5	6.7	69.2	9.9	79.1	23.7	12.5	77.0
Total	1,004.1	121.4	1,125.6	151.9	1,277.5	442.9	11.9	74.3
MARRIED FEMALES								
Melbourne Statistical Division-	189.0	159.7	348.7	31.2	379.9	337.1	8.2	53.0
Outer Western Melbourne	27.4	22.7	50.1	5.9	56.0	56.4	10.5	49.8
North Western Melbourne	14.6	6.6	21.3	*3.0	24.2	25.0	*12.2	49.3
Inner Melbourne	8.0	7.2	15.1	*2.7	17.9	12.3	*15.4	59.2
North Eastern Melbourne	27.5	23.8	51.3	4.4	55.8	43.9	7.9	56.0
Inner Eastern Melbourne	28.7	20.2	48.9	*2.5	51.4	51.4	*4.8	50.0
Southern Melbourne	22.4	19.4	41.8	4.6	46.4	37.9	9.9	55.1
Outer Eastern Melbourne	30.5	27.1	57.7	*2.2	59.9	46.4	*3.7	56.3
Mornington Peninsula	29.9	32.6	62.5	5.9	68.4	63.9	8.6	51.7
Balance of Victoria-	71.4	73.9	145.3	12.3	157.6	148.7	7.8	51.5
South Western Victoria	18.9	20.6	39.5	*1.6	41.1	36.2	*3.9	53.1
Western Victoria	14.9	13.3	28.2	*2.5	30.8	32.8	*8.3	48.4
Northern Victoria	22.6	25.4	48.0	5.2	53.2	50.3	9.8	51.4
Eastern Victoria	14.9	14.7	29.6	*2.9	32.5	29.4	*9.0	52.5
Total	260.4	233.7	494.0	43.5	537.5	485.8	8.1	52.5
ALL FEMALES								
Melbourne Statistical Division-	348.3	247.9	596.2	75.2	671.4	599.6	11.2	52.8
Outer Western Melbourne	48.8	36.6	85.4	14.2	99.7	91.0	14.3	52.3
North Western Melbourne	27.3	11.5	38.8	6.7	45.5	46.4	14.7	49.5
Inner Melbourne	29.0	18.1	47.1	7.7	54.8	32.1	14.1	63.0
North Eastern Melbourne	45.5	35.9	81.4	11.1	92.5	76.2	12.0	54.8
Inner Eastern Melbourne	55.4	33.0	88.4	6.7	95.1	92.7	7.0	50.6
Southern Melbourne	42.7	29.1	71.8	9.0	80.8	73.4	11.2	52.4
Outer Eastern Melbourne	50.1	40.1	90.2	7.4	97.6	81.3	7.6	54.5
Mornington Peninsula	49.5	43.6	93.1	12.3	105.5	106.5	11.7	49.8
Balance of Victoria-	120.1	101.9	222.0	30.2	252.2	260.2	12.0	49.2
South Western Victoria	34.5	28.1	62.6	7.4	70.0	58.2	10.5	54.6
Western Victoria	23.9	20.9	44.8	5.5	50.3	59.6	11.0	45.8
Northern Victoria	39.0	32.1	71.2	11.7	82.9	86.2	14.2	49.0
Eastern Victoria	22.6	20.8	43.4	5.6	49.0	56.3	11.4	46.5
Total	468.4	349.8	818.2	105.4	923.7	859.9	11.4	51.8

TABLE 8. CIVILIAN POPULATION AGED 15 YEARS AND OVER BY LABOUR FORCE STATUS,
VICTORIAN REGIONS, APRIL 1992 - *continued*

Region	Employed			Unemp- loyed (<i>'000</i>)	Labour force (<i>'000</i>)	Not in labour force (<i>'000</i>)	Unemp- loyment rate (per cent)	Partici- pation rate (per cent)
	Full- time (<i>'000</i>)	Part- time (<i>'000</i>)	Total (<i>'000</i>)					
PERSONS								
Melbourne Statistical Division-	1,064.0	338.0	1,402.0	182.5	1,584.5	904.4	11.5	63.7
Outer Western Melbourne	156.7	49.4	206.1	30.6	236.7	134.8	12.9	63.7
North Western Melbourne	74.8	14.0	88.8	19.0	107.8	71.1	17.6	60.3
Inner Melbourne	83.4	28.5	111.9	17.2	129.1	54.5	13.3	70.3
North Eastern Melbourne	139.2	46.2	185.4	27.9	213.3	112.7	13.1	65.4
Inner Eastern Melbourne	151.8	52.0	203.9	16.4	220.2	140.0	7.4	61.1
Southern Melbourne	120.2	40.2	160.4	20.6	181.0	112.1	11.4	61.7
Outer Eastern Melbourne	162.5	53.8	216.3	17.9	234.2	118.9	7.6	66.3
Mornington Peninsula	175.4	54.0	229.4	32.9	262.3	160.3	12.6	62.1
Balance of Victoria-	408.5	133.2	541.8	74.9	616.7	398.3	12.1	60.8
South Western Victoria	107.7	34.3	142.0	18.1	160.1	92.4	11.3	63.4
Western Victoria	81.3	27.1	108.3	14.2	122.5	89.3	11.6	57.9
Northern Victoria	134.5	44.4	178.8	27.1	205.9	136.6	13.2	60.1
Eastern Victoria	85.1	27.5	112.6	15.5	128.1	80.0	12.1	61.6
Total	1,472.5	471.2	1,943.8	257.4	2,201.2	1,302.7	11.7	62.8

UNEMPLOYMENT RATES: METROPOLITAN AND EX-METROPOLITAN
AREAS BY GENDER, VICTORIA, MAY 1992

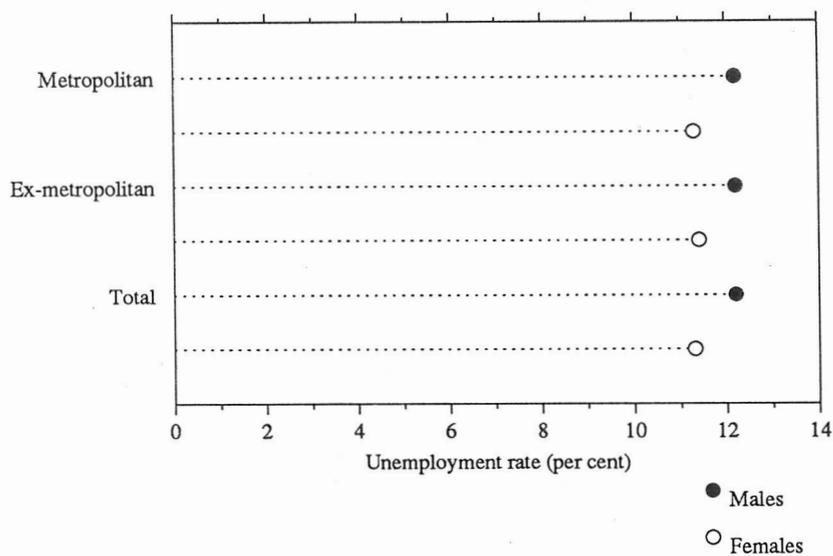


TABLE 9. CIVILIAN POPULATION AGED 15 YEARS AND OVER BY LABOUR FORCE STATUS,
VICTORIAN REGIONS, MAY 1992

Region	Employed			Unemp- loyed ('000)	Labour force ('000)	Not in labour force ('000)	Unemp- loyment rate (per cent)	Partici- pation rate (per cent)
	Full- time ('000)	Part- time ('000)	Total ('000)					
MALES								
Melbourne Statistical Division-	711.7	88.9	800.5	111.4	911.9	306.5	12.2	74.8
Outer Western Melbourne	109.5	13.5	123.0	14.9	137.9	45.3	10.8	75.3
North Western Melbourne	48.3	*1.5	49.9	11.7	61.6	27.6	19.0	69.1
Inner Melbourne	52.8	9.5	62.3	11.0	73.3	22.5	15.0	76.5
North Eastern Melbourne	94.6	11.4	105.9	18.1	124.1	39.6	14.6	75.8
Inner Eastern Melbourne	98.1	15.6	113.7	11.6	125.3	44.5	9.3	73.8
Southern Melbourne	78.1	11.8	89.9	8.7	98.6	40.7	8.8	70.8
Outer Eastern Melbourne	108.2	14.1	122.4	12.3	134.7	36.3	9.2	78.8
Mornington Peninsula	122.1	11.4	133.5	23.0	156.5	50.1	14.7	75.8
Balance of Victoria-	290.0	34.1	324.1	45.1	369.2	133.9	12.2	73.4
South Western Victoria	73.5	5.3	78.8	10.9	89.7	33.6	12.2	72.8
Western Victoria	53.0	7.9	60.9	9.7	70.6	31.8	13.7	68.9
Northern Victoria	101.3	12.2	113.5	17.2	130.8	44.0	13.2	74.8
Eastern Victoria	62.2	8.7	70.9	7.3	78.2	24.5	9.3	76.2
Total	1,001.7	123.0	1,124.6	156.5	1,281.1	440.4	12.2	74.4
MARRIED FEMALES								
Melbourne Statistical Division-	187.7	163.2	350.9	32.6	383.5	328.7	8.5	53.8
Outer Western Melbourne	28.2	24.0	52.2	5.5	57.7	57.1	9.5	50.2
North Western Melbourne	12.8	7.2	20.0	*2.8	22.8	25.7	*12.1	47.0
Inner Melbourne	9.5	5.4	14.9	*3.0	17.9	12.9	*16.7	58.2
North Eastern Melbourne	26.7	23.5	50.2	6.2	56.3	46.7	10.9	54.7
Inner Eastern Melbourne	28.7	23.1	51.8	*2.3	54.0	47.0	*4.2	53.5
Southern Melbourne	19.9	20.6	40.5	*3.0	43.5	37.4	*6.8	53.8
Outer Eastern Melbourne	28.8	28.9	57.7	*2.5	60.3	43.0	*4.2	58.4
Mornington Peninsula	33.0	30.5	63.6	7.5	71.0	59.0	10.5	54.6
Balance of Victoria-	70.1	73.2	143.3	12.4	155.7	153.9	7.9	50.3
South Western Victoria	19.2	15.9	35.1	*3.5	38.6	39.5	*9.0	49.4
Western Victoria	13.7	15.0	28.7	*1.7	30.4	33.2	*5.7	47.8
Northern Victoria	24.8	26.1	50.9	5.4	56.3	50.5	9.6	52.7
Eastern Victoria	12.4	16.3	28.7	*1.8	30.4	30.7	*5.8	49.8
Total	257.8	236.4	494.2	44.9	539.1	482.6	8.3	52.8
ALL FEMALES								
Melbourne Statistical Division-	351.9	246.7	598.6	76.5	675.1	596.7	11.3	53.1
Outer Western Melbourne	51.0	34.1	85.0	15.4	100.5	90.8	15.4	52.5
North Western Melbourne	24.6	13.0	37.5	7.1	44.6	46.9	15.8	48.7
Inner Melbourne	32.0	16.1	48.1	8.3	56.4	35.5	14.7	61.4
North Eastern Melbourne	41.2	35.2	76.3	11.6	87.9	79.4	13.2	52.6
Inner Eastern Melbourne	56.4	34.2	90.6	5.0	95.6	91.0	5.2	51.2
Southern Melbourne	41.6	31.5	73.0	7.4	80.4	73.6	9.2	52.2
Outer Eastern Melbourne	50.4	43.0	93.5	7.8	101.2	79.1	7.7	56.1
Mornington Peninsula	54.9	39.7	94.5	13.9	108.4	100.3	12.8	52.0
Balance of Victoria-	119.2	99.7	218.9	28.0	246.9	266.2	11.4	48.1
South Western Victoria	34.9	22.4	57.3	5.8	63.1	64.1	9.2	49.6
Western Victoria	23.9	21.7	45.7	*3.3	49.0	59.4	*6.7	45.2
Northern Victoria	40.5	32.0	72.4	15.0	87.4	85.8	17.1	50.5
Eastern Victoria	20.0	23.6	43.5	*4.0	47.5	56.8	*8.4	45.5
Total	471.1	346.4	817.5	104.5	922.0	862.9	11.3	51.7

TABLE 9. CIVILIAN POPULATION AGED 15 YEARS AND OVER BY LABOUR FORCE STATUS,
VICTORIAN REGIONS, MAY 1992 - *continued*

Region	Employed			Unemp- loyed (<i>'000</i>)	Labour force (<i>'000</i>)	Not in labour force (<i>'000</i>)	Unemp- loyment rate (per cent)	Partici- pation rate (per cent)
	Full- time (<i>'000</i>)	Part- time (<i>'000</i>)	Total (<i>'000</i>)					
PERSONS								
Melbourne Statistical Division-	1,063.6	335.6	1,399.2	187.8	1,587.0	903.2	11.8	63.7
Outer Western Melbourne	160.4	47.6	208.0	30.4	238.4	136.1	12.7	63.7
North Western Melbourne	72.9	14.5	87.4	18.8	106.2	74.5	17.7	58.8
Inner Melbourne	84.8	25.6	110.4	19.3	129.7	58.1	14.9	69.1
North Eastern Melbourne	135.7	46.5	182.3	29.8	212.0	119.0	14.0	64.0
Inner Eastern Melbourne	154.5	49.8	204.3	16.6	220.9	135.5	7.5	62.0
Southern Melbourne	119.6	43.3	162.9	16.0	179.0	114.3	9.0	61.0
Outer Eastern Melbourne	158.7	57.2	215.8	20.1	235.9	115.4	8.5	67.2
Mornington Peninsula	177.0	51.1	228.1	36.9	264.9	150.3	13.9	63.8
Balance of Victoria-	409.2	133.8	543.0	73.1	616.1	400.0	11.9	60.6
South Western Victoria	108.4	27.7	136.1	16.7	152.8	97.7	10.9	61.0
Western Victoria	76.9	29.6	106.5	13.0	119.5	91.3	10.9	56.7
Northern Victoria	141.8	44.1	185.9	32.2	218.1	129.7	14.8	62.7
Eastern Victoria	82.1	32.3	114.4	11.3	125.7	81.3	9.0	60.7
Total	1,472.8	469.3	1,942.1	261.0	2,203.1	1,303.2	11.8	62.8

PARTICIPATION RATES: METROPOLITAN AND EX-METROPOLITAN
AREAS BY GENDER, VICTORIA, MAY 1992

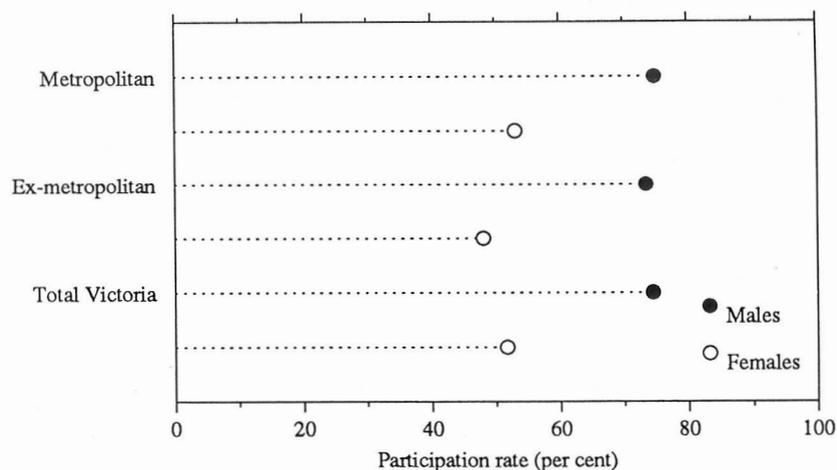


TABLE 10. CIVILIAN POPULATION AGED 15 YEARS AND OVER BY LABOUR FORCE STATUS AND AGE,
VICTORIAN REGIONS, MAY 1992

Age (years)	Males				Females				Persons			
	Employed (^{'000})	Labour force (^{'000})	Not in labour force (^{'000})	Partici- pation rate (per cent)	Employed (^{'000})	Labour force (^{'000})	Not in labour force (^{'000})	Partici- pation rate (per cent)	Employed (^{'000})	Labour force (^{'000})	Not in labour force (^{'000})	Partici- pation rate (per cent)
OUTER WESTERN MELBOURNE												
15 - 24	23.6	29.8	11.0	73.0	20.2	29.7	11.1	72.8	43.8	59.5	22.1	72.9
25 - 34	34.0	36.8	*1.5	96.0	25.6	28.6	13.9	67.3	59.7	65.4	15.4	80.9
35 - 44	28.8	31.9	*1.0	97.0	22.4	24.6	12.0	67.1	51.2	56.5	13.0	81.3
45 - 54	25.9	27.7	3.9	87.6	14.0	14.8	11.9	55.5	39.9	42.5	15.8	72.9
55 and over	10.7	11.7	27.8	29.6	*2.8	*2.8	41.9	*6.2	13.4	14.5	69.8	17.2
Total	123.0	137.9	45.3	75.3	85.0	100.5	90.8	52.5	208.0	238.4	136.1	63.7
NORTH WESTERN MELBOURNE												
15 - 24	10.2	14.5	4.4	76.7	10.8	13.4	5.9	69.5	21.0	28.0	10.3	73.1
25 - 34	15.5	18.7	*2.8	87.0	11.2	13.6	7.9	63.2	26.6	32.3	10.7	75.1
35 - 44	11.6	13.2	*2.8	82.2	7.2	8.7	6.5	57.1	18.9	21.8	9.4	70.0
45 - 54	7.5	9.3	*2.9	76.6	6.6	7.1	5.8	55.2	14.1	16.5	8.6	65.6
55 and over	5.1	5.8	14.7	28.5	*1.7	*1.7	20.8	*7.7	6.8	7.6	35.5	17.6
Total	49.9	61.6	27.6	69.1	37.5	44.6	46.9	48.7	87.4	106.2	74.5	58.8
INNER MELBOURNE												
15 - 24	8.5	11.9	*3.5	77.4	13.0	15.8	5.2	75.3	21.4	27.7	8.6	76.2
25 - 34	26.7	31.2	3.8	89.2	20.4	22.9	*3.1	88.1	47.2	54.2	6.9	88.7
35 - 44	13.6	15.4	*0.7	95.4	8.8	10.7	*1.7	86.3	22.5	26.2	*2.4	91.5
45 - 54	8.4	8.9	*2.1	80.9	4.2	5.0	*2.9	63.3	12.6	13.9	5.0	73.5
55 and over	5.0	5.8	12.5	31.7	*1.7	*1.9	22.6	*7.8	6.7	7.7	35.1	18.0
Total	62.3	73.3	22.5	76.5	48.1	56.4	35.5	61.4	110.4	129.7	58.1	69.1
NORTH EASTERN MELBOURNE												
15 - 24	18.2	24.9	10.4	70.6	14.9	19.8	10.5	65.2	33.0	44.6	20.9	68.1
25 - 34	27.9	31.5	*0.7	97.7	21.3	25.3	13.9	64.6	49.3	56.8	14.6	79.6
35 - 44	28.9	32.4	*3.2	91.1	24.1	25.3	8.0	76.1	53.0	57.7	11.1	83.8
45 - 54	20.5	22.1	*2.6	89.5	12.7	14.0	10.5	57.1	33.1	36.0	13.1	73.3
55 and over	10.5	13.3	22.8	36.8	*3.3	3.6	36.5	8.9	13.8	16.8	59.3	22.1
Total	105.9	124.1	39.6	75.8	76.3	87.9	79.4	52.6	182.3	212.0	119.0	64.0
INNER EASTERN MELBOURNE												
15 - 24	21.4	26.4	11.9	68.9	20.6	22.3	13.1	63.1	42.0	48.7	25.0	66.1
25 - 34	26.0	28.3	*2.0	93.3	20.7	21.9	7.2	75.4	46.6	50.2	9.2	84.5
35 - 44	23.7	25.7	*0.3	99.0	24.1	24.6	8.5	74.4	47.8	50.4	8.7	85.2
45 - 54	25.9	27.2	*1.8	93.9	18.4	19.5	9.7	66.7	44.3	46.7	11.5	80.2
55 and over	16.8	17.8	28.5	38.4	6.7	7.2	52.6	12.1	23.5	25.0	81.1	23.6
Total	113.7	125.3	44.5	73.8	90.6	95.6	91.0	51.2	204.3	220.9	135.5	62.0

**TABLE 10. CIVILIAN POPULATION AGED 15 YEARS AND OVER BY LABOUR FORCE STATUS AND AGE,
VICTORIAN REGIONS, MAY 1992 - continued**

Age (years)	Males				Females				Persons			
	Employed (^{'000})	Labour force (^{'000})	Not in labour force (^{'000})	Partici- pation rate (per cent)	Employed (^{'000})	Labour force (^{'000})	Not in labour force (^{'000})	Partici- pation rate (per cent)	Employed (^{'000})	Labour force (^{'000})	Not in labour force (^{'000})	Partici- pation rate (per cent)
SOUTHERN MELBOURNE												
15 - 24	10.7	13.5	9.9	57.6	14.7	17.6	9.7	64.4	25.4	31.0	19.6	61.2
25 - 34	22.3	23.9	*2.0	92.2	19.4	21.6	5.2	80.6	41.7	45.5	7.2	86.3
35 - 44	26.6	28.6	*1.5	94.9	21.0	22.2	7.7	74.2	47.6	50.8	9.2	84.6
45 - 54	14.3	16.1	*3.0	84.1	11.3	12.1	4.2	74.3	25.6	28.2	7.2	79.6
55 and over	16.0	16.5	24.1	40.6	6.7	6.9	46.8	12.9	22.7	23.5	71.0	24.9
Total	89.9	98.6	40.7	70.8	73.0	80.4	73.6	52.2	162.9	179.0	114.3	61.0
OUTER EASTERN MELBOURNE												
15 - 24	23.1	29.1	11.7	71.4	23.0	26.0	12.9	66.8	46.1	55.1	24.6	69.2
25 - 34	32.6	34.5	*1.3	96.4	19.8	21.6	9.9	68.5	52.4	56.1	11.2	83.4
35 - 44	32.6	34.2	*1.3	96.3	26.3	27.8	9.2	75.2	59.0	62.0	10.5	85.6
45 - 54	21.3	22.9	*1.8	92.8	19.0	20.4	9.0	69.4	40.4	43.2	10.8	80.1
55 and over	12.7	14.0	20.2	40.9	5.3	5.5	38.2	12.6	18.0	19.5	58.4	25.0
Total	122.4	134.7	36.3	78.8	93.5	101.2	79.1	56.1	215.8	235.9	115.4	67.2
MORNINGTON PENINSULA												
15 - 24	25.4	35.4	10.6	76.9	18.4	25.3	15.3	62.4	43.8	60.7	25.9	70.1
25 - 34	32.4	37.3	*2.8	93.1	28.5	30.7	14.8	67.4	60.9	68.0	17.6	79.4
35 - 44	39.0	42.8	*2.4	94.8	27.0	29.4	15.2	66.0	66.0	72.2	17.5	80.5
45 - 54	26.5	28.0	*3.1	90.0	16.6	18.7	11.3	62.3	43.1	46.8	14.5	76.4
55 and over	10.2	13.0	31.2	29.4	4.0	4.2	43.6	8.9	14.2	17.2	74.8	18.7
Total	133.5	156.5	50.1	75.8	94.5	108.4	100.3	52.0	228.1	264.9	150.3	63.8
TOTAL MELBOURNE STATISTICAL DIVISION												
15 - 19 -	45.9	63.7	57.1	52.7	42.0	58.8	58.1	50.3	87.9	122.5	115.3	51.5
15 - 17	20.2	27.8	41.9	39.9	17.8	25.9	41.2	38.6	37.9	53.7	83.1	39.3
18 - 19	25.7	35.9	15.3	70.2	24.3	32.9	17.0	66.0	50.0	68.8	32.2	68.1
20 - 24	95.1	121.7	16.2	88.2	93.5	111.1	25.5	81.4	188.6	232.8	41.7	84.8
25 - 34	217.5	242.2	16.9	93.5	166.9	186.3	75.9	71.0	384.4	428.5	92.8	82.2
35 - 44	204.8	224.2	13.2	94.4	161.1	173.4	68.7	71.6	365.9	397.6	81.9	82.9
45 - 54	150.3	162.2	21.2	88.4	102.9	111.6	65.3	63.1	253.2	273.8	86.5	76.0
55 - 59	45.9	51.3	17.5	74.5	20.9	21.8	45.2	32.6	66.8	73.2	62.7	53.8
60 - 64	28.0	33.0	31.0	51.6	8.0	8.6	55.6	13.4	36.1	41.6	86.7	32.4
65 and over	13.0	13.6	133.2	9.2	*3.3	*3.5	202.3	*1.7	16.3	17.0	335.6	4.8
Total	800.5	911.9	306.5	74.8	598.6	675.1	596.7	53.1	1,399.2	1,587.0	903.2	63.7

**TABLE 10. CIVILIAN POPULATION AGED 15 YEARS AND OVER BY LABOUR FORCE STATUS AND AGE,
VICTORIAN REGIONS, MAY 1992 - *continued***

Age (years)	Males				Females				Persons			
	Employed (<i>'000</i>)	Labour force (<i>'000</i>)	Not in labour force (<i>'000</i>)	Partici- pation rate (per cent)	Employed (<i>'000</i>)	Labour force (<i>'000</i>)	Not in labour force (<i>'000</i>)	Partici- pation rate (per cent)	Employed (<i>'000</i>)	Labour force (<i>'000</i>)	Not in labour force (<i>'000</i>)	Partici- pation rate (per cent)
SOUTH WESTERN VICTORIA												
15 - 24	12.4	17.3	5.6	75.5	11.2	13.5	7.8	63.3	23.6	30.8	13.5	69.6
25 - 34	20.2	22.3	*0.6	97.4	12.7	14.4	7.9	64.5	32.9	36.7	8.5	81.2
35 - 44	21.3	22.4	*1.7	92.8	15.1	16.6	5.1	76.4	36.4	39.1	6.9	85.1
45 - 54	14.2	15.3	*1.9	88.8	12.6	12.9	6.2	67.8	26.9	28.2	8.1	77.8
55 and over	10.7	12.3	23.7	34.2	5.6	5.6	37.1	13.2	16.3	18.0	60.8	22.8
Total	78.8	89.7	33.6	72.8	57.3	63.1	64.1	49.6	136.1	152.8	97.7	61.0
WESTERN VICTORIA												
15 - 24	9.7	12.7	7.7	62.1	9.9	12.1	7.8	60.9	19.6	24.8	15.5	61.5
25 - 34	13.2	15.3	*2.4	86.5	10.1	10.9	7.4	59.7	23.3	26.3	9.8	72.9
35 - 44	14.4	17.9	*1.3	93.3	13.6	13.8	4.9	73.8	28.0	31.8	6.2	83.7
45 - 54	13.2	13.7	*3.0	81.9	8.9	8.9	6.7	56.9	22.1	22.6	9.8	69.8
55 and over	10.4	10.9	17.4	38.5	*3.2	*3.2	32.7	*9.0	13.6	14.1	50.0	22.0
Total	60.9	70.6	31.8	68.9	45.7	49.0	59.4	45.2	106.5	119.5	91.3	56.7
NORTHERN VICTORIA												
15 - 24	21.4	26.8	10.9	71.0	13.7	22.5	12.3	64.7	35.1	49.3	23.2	68.0
25 - 34	29.9	34.5	*1.8	95.0	19.7	23.8	15.4	60.6	49.6	58.2	17.2	77.2
35 - 44	28.6	32.4	*2.2	93.5	19.0	20.3	10.1	66.6	47.5	52.6	12.4	81.0
45 - 54	19.1	21.1	*2.5	89.5	13.7	14.5	7.7	65.3	32.8	35.5	10.2	77.8
55 and over	14.4	16.0	26.5	37.7	6.4	6.4	40.2	13.7	20.8	22.4	66.7	25.2
Total	113.5	130.8	44.0	74.8	72.4	87.4	85.8	50.5	185.9	218.1	129.7	62.7
EASTERN VICTORIA												
15 - 24	12.1	15.5	5.0	75.6	7.5	9.6	10.8	47.2	19.6	25.2	15.8	61.5
25 - 34	22.3	24.4	*0.8	97.0	12.8	13.0	8.5	60.4	35.1	37.5	9.3	80.1
35 - 44	16.3	17.7	*0.3	98.6	14.3	15.6	7.4	67.7	30.6	33.3	7.7	81.3
45 - 54	13.4	13.7	*1.4	90.9	6.6	6.9	5.7	54.8	20.0	20.5	7.0	74.5
55 and over	6.7	6.7	17.1	28.3	*2.4	*2.4	24.4	*9.0	9.1	9.1	41.5	18.1
Total	70.9	78.2	24.5	76.2	43.5	47.5	56.8	45.5	114.4	125.7	81.3	60.7

TABLE 10. CIVILIAN POPULATION AGED 15 YEARS AND OVER BY LABOUR FORCE STATUS AND AGE,
VICTORIAN REGIONS, MAY 1992 - *continued*

Age (years)	Males				Females				Persons			
	Employed (<i>'000</i>)	Labour force (<i>'000</i>)	Not in labour force (<i>'000</i>)	Partici- pation rate (per cent)	Employed (<i>'000</i>)	Labour force (<i>'000</i>)	Not in labour force (<i>'000</i>)	Partici- pation rate (per cent)	Employed (<i>'000</i>)	Labour force (<i>'000</i>)	Not in labour force (<i>'000</i>)	Partici- pation rate (per cent)
TOTAL BALANCE OF VICTORIA												
15 - 19 -	20.1	28.0	22.1	55.9	14.0	23.6	22.4	51.3	34.0	51.6	44.5	53.7
15 - 17	9.7	12.9	16.1	44.6	6.3	10.5	15.9	39.6	16.1	23.4	32.0	42.2
18 - 19	10.3	15.1	6.1	71.3	7.6	13.1	6.5	66.9	18.0	28.2	12.6	69.2
20 - 24	35.5	44.4	7.2	86.0	28.2	34.1	16.2	67.8	63.8	78.5	23.4	77.0
25 - 34	85.7	96.6	5.6	94.6	55.3	62.1	39.3	61.3	140.9	158.7	44.8	78.0
35 - 44	80.6	90.5	5.5	94.2	61.9	66.3	27.6	70.6	142.5	156.8	33.1	82.6
45 - 54	59.9	63.8	8.8	87.9	41.8	43.2	26.2	62.2	101.7	106.9	35.0	75.3
55 - 59	19.5	21.3	7.8	73.2	10.0	10.0	18.7	34.8	29.5	31.3	26.5	54.1
60 - 64	12.5	14.4	14.6	49.7	*3.6	*3.6	25.2	*12.5	16.1	18.1	39.9	31.2
65 and over	10.3	10.3	62.2	14.2	*4.1	*4.1	90.5	*4.3	14.3	14.3	152.7	8.6
Total	324.1	369.2	133.9	73.4	218.9	246.9	266.2	48.1	543.0	616.1	400.0	60.6
TOTAL VICTORIA												
15 - 19 -	66.0	91.7	79.3	53.7	56.0	82.3	80.6	50.5	122.0	174.1	159.8	52.1
15 - 17	29.9	40.8	58.0	41.3	24.1	36.4	57.1	38.9	54.0	77.1	115.1	40.1
18 - 19	36.1	51.0	21.3	70.5	31.9	46.0	23.5	66.2	68.0	97.0	44.8	68.4
20 - 24	130.7	166.1	23.5	87.6	121.7	145.2	41.7	77.7	252.3	311.3	65.1	82.7
25 - 34	303.1	338.8	22.5	93.8	222.2	248.4	115.2	68.3	525.3	587.2	137.7	81.0
35 - 44	285.4	314.7	18.7	94.4	223.0	239.7	96.3	71.3	508.4	554.3	115.0	82.8
45 - 54	210.2	225.9	30.0	88.3	144.8	154.8	91.5	62.8	354.9	380.7	121.5	75.8
55 - 59	65.4	72.6	25.3	74.1	30.9	31.8	63.9	33.3	96.3	104.4	89.2	53.9
60 - 64	40.5	47.5	45.7	51.0	11.6	12.2	80.8	13.1	52.1	59.7	126.5	32.0
65 and over	23.3	23.8	195.5	10.9	7.3	7.6	292.8	2.5	30.6	31.4	488.3	6.0
Total	1,124.6	1,281.1	440.4	74.4	817.5	922.0	862.9	51.7	1,942.1	2,203.1	1,303.2	62.8

TABLE 11. EMPLOYED PERSONS BY INDUSTRY, VICTORIAN REGIONS, MAY 1992
(^{'000})

Industry	Melbourne Statistical Division								Total
	Outer Western	North Western	Inner	North Eastern	Inner Eastern	Southern	Outer Mornington Eastern	Mornington Peninsula	
MALES									
Agriculture, forestry, fishing, hunting and mining	3.1	*0.8	*0.8	*0.5	*0.8	*1.7	*1.0	4.6	13.3
Manufacturing	37.4	14.5	10.5	25.1	19.7	19.7	22.8	34.1	184.0
Construction	11.9	4.1	*1.5	9.4	7.7	6.2	15.8	16.6	73.3
Wholesale and retail	23.2	10.4	10.7	17.6	29.0	19.3	28.5	33.6	172.3
Transport and storage	12.4	5.5	3.5	10.3	5.8	4.6	7.0	8.9	57.9
Finance, property, and business services	6.4	*2.5	10.8	13.1	22.8	12.4	14.8	8.0	90.7
Community services (a)	12.0	3.9	10.0	13.8	11.4	12.0	14.5	11.7	89.3
Recreational, personal, and other services	4.6	3.6	8.9	6.5	8.0	6.9	5.6	6.3	50.3
Other industries (b)	12.0	4.7	5.5	9.5	8.5	7.0	12.4	9.6	69.3
Total	123.0	49.9	62.3	105.9	113.7	89.9	122.4	133.5	800.5
FEMALES									
Agriculture, forestry, fishing, hunting and mining	*1.1	*0.8	*0.2	*0.5	*0.0	*0.7	*0.5	*2.6	6.3
Manufacturing	15.3	6.2	4.5	12.1	7.5	8.7	15.1	15.1	84.5
Construction	*0.5	*0.8	*0.5	*1.5	*1.3	*0.8	*2.5	*1.0	8.8
Wholesale and retail	16.1	9.6	7.7	12.5	22.2	15.1	22.1	24.5	129.8
Transport and storage	3.3	*1.5	*1.7	*2.4	*2.4	*0.8	*1.5	*2.3	15.9
Finance, property, and business services	13.3	5.0	8.5	9.4	15.1	14.1	15.3	11.1	91.8
Community services (a)	22.6	8.0	12.6	25.8	32.8	20.3	24.0	25.7	171.8
Recreational, personal, and other services	7.2	3.9	8.3	6.6	5.3	6.6	8.3	4.8	51.1
Other industries (b)	5.7	*1.7	4.1	5.4	3.9	6.0	4.3	7.4	38.6
Total	85.0	37.5	48.1	76.3	90.6	73.0	93.5	94.5	598.6
PERSONS									
Agriculture, forestry, fishing, hunting and mining	4.1	*1.6	*1.0	*1.0	*0.8	*2.5	*1.5	7.2	19.6
Manufacturing	52.8	20.8	15.0	37.3	27.2	28.4	37.9	49.2	268.5
Construction	12.4	4.9	*2.0	10.9	9.0	7.0	18.3	17.6	82.1
Wholesale and retail	39.3	20.0	18.4	30.1	51.2	34.4	50.6	58.1	302.1
Transport and storage	15.7	7.0	5.2	12.7	8.2	5.4	8.5	11.1	73.8
Finance, property, and business services	19.6	7.4	19.3	22.5	37.9	26.5	30.1	19.2	182.6
Community services (a)	34.6	11.9	22.7	39.7	44.2	32.3	38.5	37.5	261.1
Recreational, personal, and other services	11.8	7.5	17.2	13.1	13.3	13.5	13.8	11.1	101.4
Other industries (b)	17.8	6.4	9.6	15.0	12.4	13.0	16.6	17.1	108.0
Total	208.0	87.4	110.4	182.3	204.3	162.9	215.8	228.1	1,399.2

TABLE 11. EMPLOYED PERSONS BY INDUSTRY, VICTORIAN REGIONS, MAY 1992 - *continued*
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Industry	Balance of Victoria				Total Victoria			
	South Western	Western	Northern	Eastern	Total	Married	Other	Total
MALES								
Agriculture, forestry, fishing, hunting and mining	11.6	13.4	18.6	15.4	59.1	46.4	26.0	72.4
Manufacturing	22.0	9.2	25.2	12.1	68.5	168.9	83.6	252.5
Construction	8.2	4.7	13.1	8.4	34.5	72.1	35.8	107.8
Wholesale and retail	10.6	11.8	20.1	8.9	51.4	126.0	97.7	223.7
Transport and storage	*3.4	*4.0	8.7	*1.6	17.8	57.8	17.9	75.7
Finance, property, and business services	5.3	*2.4	5.9	*3.2	16.8	75.7	31.8	107.6
Community services (a)	9.1	9.1	8.7	6.3	33.2	90.5	32.1	122.5
Recreational, personal, and other services	*3.6	*2.3	4.9	*3.1	13.9	35.1	29.1	64.2
Other industries (b)	4.9	*3.8	8.3	11.9	28.9	67.5	30.8	98.2
Total	78.8	60.9	113.5	70.9	324.1	740.0	384.7	1,124.6
FEMALES								
Agriculture, forestry, fishing, hunting and mining	4.2	6.0	7.7	7.9	25.8	25.3	6.8	32.2
Manufacturing	7.7	*3.6	8.2	*2.8	22.3	72.9	33.9	106.8
Construction	*1.1	*1.1	*1.8	*1.0	5.0	11.8	*2.0	13.8
Wholesale and retail	11.5	9.0	15.9	8.8	45.2	91.1	83.9	175.0
Transport and storage	*1.1	*0.5	*1.8	*0.3	*3.6	10.2	9.2	19.5
Finance, property, and business services	6.3	*2.2	5.3	*3.7	17.5	61.8	47.5	109.4
Community services (a)	18.2	14.9	20.5	12.0	65.6	153.3	84.1	237.4
Recreational, personal, and other services	*3.8	6.3	6.8	*3.8	20.6	35.1	36.5	71.6
Other industries (b)	*3.5	*2.1	4.4	*3.2	13.3	32.7	19.2	51.9
Total	57.3	45.7	72.4	43.5	218.9	494.2	323.3	817.5
PERSONS								
Agriculture, forestry, fishing, hunting and mining	15.8	19.5	26.2	23.3	84.9	71.7	32.8	104.5
Manufacturing	29.7	12.8	33.4	14.9	90.8	241.7	117.5	359.3
Construction	9.3	5.8	14.9	9.5	39.5	83.8	37.8	121.6
Wholesale and retail	22.1	20.8	36.1	17.6	96.6	217.1	181.6	398.7
Transport and storage	4.5	4.5	10.5	*1.9	21.4	68.1	27.1	95.2
Finance, property, and business services	11.6	4.6	11.3	6.8	34.4	137.6	79.4	216.9
Community services (a)	27.3	24.0	29.2	18.3	98.8	243.8	116.2	360.0
Recreational, personal, and other services	7.3	8.6	11.7	6.9	34.5	70.2	65.6	135.9
Other industries (b)	8.4	5.9	12.7	15.1	42.2	100.1	50.0	150.1
Total	136.1	106.5	185.9	114.4	543.0	1,234.2	708.0	1,942.1

(a) Comprises health; education, libraries, etc.; welfare and religious institutions; and other community services. (b) Comprises electricity, gas, and water; communication; and public administration and defence.

TABLE 12. EMPLOYED PERSONS BY OCCUPATION, VICTORIAN REGIONS, MAY 1992
('000)

Occupation	Melbourne Statistical Division								Total
	Outer Western	North Western	Inner	North Eastern	Inner Eastern	Southern	Outer Eastern	Mornington Peninsula	
MALES									
Managers, and administrators	10.4	5.7	6.6	10.6	21.0	16.1	16.1	18.9	105.5
Professionals	9.8	5.4	18.1	16.7	26.3	19.3	20.9	11.3	127.7
Para-professionals	6.3	*2.6	4.8	7.2	4.7	4.8	9.0	5.7	45.1
Tradespersons	35.3	13.8	7.0	28.0	21.1	15.1	29.4	41.8	191.5
Clerks	9.1	3.1	6.7	7.0	9.6	5.9	6.7	8.1	56.1
Salespersons, and personal service workers	11.2	3.0	9.9	8.6	14.4	11.0	11.0	9.9	79.0
Plant, and machine operators and drivers	17.1	7.0	*2.0	13.1	6.0	6.2	10.3	16.5	78.2
Labourers, and related workers	23.7	9.3	7.2	14.8	10.7	11.5	19.0	21.3	117.5
Total	123.0	49.9	62.3	105.9	113.7	89.9	122.4	133.5	800.5
FEMALES									
Managers, and administrators	3.8	3.1	*2.5	*2.3	5.0	4.3	4.5	4.8	30.1
Professionals	9.7	3.9	13.4	12.9	21.8	16.4	11.5	10.4	100.1
Para-professionals	5.0	3.0	4.2	4.4	5.5	4.2	6.2	4.0	36.6
Tradespersons	*2.4	*1.0	*1.6	*3.1	*2.5	*1.7	*3.5	*3.0	18.7
Clerks	28.4	12.1	12.5	25.4	26.5	22.3	33.4	30.0	190.5
Salespersons, and personal service workers	18.8	7.9	10.4	16.8	21.8	13.9	21.5	23.0	134.2
Plant, and machine operators and drivers	6.3	*2.5	*1.7	3.5	*1.7	*2.2	*3.3	4.1	25.3
Labourers, and related workers	10.7	4.0	*2.0	7.9	5.6	8.0	9.6	15.2	63.1
Total	85.0	37.5	48.1	76.3	90.6	73.0	93.5	94.5	598.6
PERSONS									
Managers, and administrators	14.2	8.8	9.1	12.8	26.0	20.4	20.6	23.7	135.6
Professionals	19.5	9.3	31.4	29.6	48.1	35.7	32.4	21.7	227.8
Para-professionals	11.3	5.6	9.0	11.6	10.2	9.0	15.2	9.8	81.7
Tradespersons	37.7	14.7	8.6	31.1	23.6	16.8	32.9	44.8	210.2
Clerks	37.5	15.1	19.1	32.4	36.1	28.2	40.0	38.1	246.6
Salespersons, and personal service workers	30.0	11.0	20.2	25.4	36.3	24.9	32.5	32.9	213.1
Plant, and machine operators and drivers	23.4	9.5	3.8	16.6	7.7	8.4	13.6	20.7	103.5
Labourers, and related workers	34.4	13.4	9.2	22.7	16.3	19.5	28.6	36.5	180.6
Total	208.0	87.4	110.4	182.3	204.3	162.9	215.8	228.1	1,399.2

TABLE 12. EMPLOYED PERSONS BY OCCUPATION, VICTORIAN REGIONS, MAY 1992 - *continued*
(*'000*)

Occupation	Balance of Victoria				Total	Total Victoria		
	South Western	Western	Northern	Eastern		Married	Other	Total
MALES								
Managers, and administrators	16.5	16.3	20.4	14.1	67.3	142.0	30.8	172.8
Professionals	9.3	7.8	9.9	5.8	32.9	116.2	44.4	160.6
Para-professionals	*3.0	*2.5	*3.4	*1.9	10.9	39.9	16.2	56.0
Tradespersons	18.5	12.8	29.8	18.1	79.2	168.0	102.8	270.7
Clerks	*3.5	*1.6	*1.7	*1.7	8.6	40.7	23.9	64.7
Salespersons, and personal service workers	4.6	5.1	9.1	5.3	24.1	50.2	52.8	103.0
Plant, and machine operators and drivers	8.0	6.0	16.2	7.8	38.0	85.5	30.7	116.2
Labourers, and related workers	15.4	8.7	22.9	16.1	63.1	97.4	83.1	180.6
Total	78.8	60.9	113.5	70.9	324.1	740.0	384.7	1,124.6
FEMALES								
Managers, and administrators	6.3	5.8	9.7	7.6	29.3	47.8	11.6	59.4
Professionals	6.6	4.7	6.6	5.7	23.6	72.8	50.9	123.8
Para-professionals	5.4	4.7	4.6	*3.3	17.9	28.3	26.2	54.5
Tradespersons	*2.5	*2.2	*2.2	*1.6	8.5	16.4	10.8	27.2
Clerks	13.4	8.3	17.8	9.4	49.0	153.9	85.5	239.4
Salespersons, and personal service workers	10.7	11.3	14.5	8.0	44.5	80.6	98.1	178.7
Plant, and machine operators and drivers	*2.6	*0.3	*3.8	*0.3	6.9	25.2	7.1	32.2
Labourers, and related workers	9.8	8.5	13.1	7.7	39.2	69.2	33.1	102.3
Total	57.3	45.7	72.4	43.5	218.9	494.2	323.3	817.5
PERSONS								
Managers, and administrators	22.8	22.1	30.1	21.7	96.6	189.8	42.4	232.2
Professionals	15.9	12.6	16.6	11.5	56.6	189.1	95.3	284.3
Para-professionals	8.4	7.1	8.1	5.2	28.8	68.2	42.4	110.5
Tradespersons	21.0	15.0	32.0	19.7	87.7	184.3	113.6	297.9
Clerks	16.9	9.9	19.6	11.1	57.5	194.7	109.4	304.1
Salespersons, and personal service workers	15.3	16.4	23.6	13.3	68.5	130.7	150.9	281.7
Plant, and machine operators and drivers	10.6	6.2	20.0	8.1	44.9	110.7	37.8	148.5
Labourers, and related workers	25.2	17.2	36.0	23.8	102.3	166.6	116.2	282.9
Total	136.1	106.5	185.9	114.4	543.0	1,234.2	708.0	1,942.1

**TABLE 13. EMPLOYED PERSONS BY INDUSTRY AND OCCUPATION BY AGE,
VICTORIA, MAY 1992
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Classification	Age group (years)							Total
	15 - 19	20 - 24	25 - 34	35 - 44	45 - 54	55 - 59	60 and over	
INDUSTRY DIVISION OR SUB-DIVISION								
Agriculture, and services to agriculture	6.4	7.5	19.6	18.3	17.1	7.9	19.7	96.4
Forestry, fishing, and hunting	*0.2	*0.2	*0.8	*1.0	*0.3	*0.0	*0.0	*2.6
Mining	*0.3	*0.6	*1.6	*2.0	*0.5	*0.5	*0.0	5.5
Manufacturing -	16.0	49.2	101.2	87.6	72.7	21.6	11.1	359.3
Food, beverages, and tobacco	*3.9	8.0	14.6	12.4	13.8	*2.7	*1.1	56.6
Metal products	*2.8	*4.0	12.1	10.6	8.2	*3.5	*2.4	43.5
Other manufacturing	9.3	37.2	74.5	64.5	50.6	15.3	7.7	259.1
Construction	5.1	17.3	31.2	30.1	24.5	7.2	6.2	121.6
Wholesale and retail	64.3	66.5	94.2	85.7	61.1	15.5	11.4	398.7
Transport and storage	*1.5	9.9	26.1	25.9	21.2	5.8	4.7	95.2
Finance, property, and business services	5.3	33.1	71.1	58.1	33.1	9.5	6.8	216.9
Community services (a)	*4.3	28.2	95.5	122.8	75.5	17.6	15.9	360.0
Recreational, personal, and other services	16.6	25.4	37.1	30.8	17.2	4.6	*4.1	135.9
Other industries (b)	*1.9	14.5	46.9	46.1	31.8	6.1	*2.9	150.1
Total	122.0	252.3	525.3	508.4	354.9	96.3	82.8	1,942.1
OCCUPATION								
Managers, and administrators	*0.5	4.9	47.9	72.7	61.9	17.7	26.7	232.2
Professionals	*1.0	18.6	83.1	103.1	54.5	13.1	10.8	284.3
Para-professionals	*2.0	14.0	37.4	32.0	20.5	*2.6	*2.1	110.5
Tradespersons	21.8	57.5	82.6	57.2	52.3	16.5	10.2	297.9
Clerks	9.7	44.3	96.2	82.9	53.8	9.3	8.0	304.1
Salespersons, and personal service workers	56.7	62.6	63.4	56.0	29.1	8.6	5.2	281.7
Plant, and machine operators and drivers	*3.6	10.6	44.3	42.2	32.4	10.6	4.8	148.5
Labourers, and related workers	26.8	39.8	70.3	62.3	50.5	18.1	15.0	282.9
Total	122.0	252.3	525.3	508.4	354.9	96.3	82.8	1,942.1

(a) Comprises health; education, libraries, etc.; welfare and religious institutions; and other community services. (b) Comprises electricity, gas, and water; communication; and public administration and defence.

TABLE 14. EMPLOYED PERSONS: AVERAGE WEEKLY HOURS WORKED (a) BY INDUSTRY, AND OCCUPATION, VICTORIA, MAY 1992
(hours)

Classification	Males			Females			Persons		
	Married	Other	Total	Married	Other	Total	Married	Other	Total
INDUSTRY DIVISION OR SUB-DIVISION									
Agriculture, and services to agriculture	53.3	43.7	50.0	25.2	25.9	25.4	43.1	39.7	42.1
Forestry, fishing, and hunting	*43.3	*31.6	38.4	*5.0	*0.0	*5.0	*37.3	*31.6	35.1
Mining	40.6	*39.8	40.2	*24.3	*0.0	*18.3	36.6	35.5	36.1
Manufacturing -	40.7	38.1	39.8	32.7	34.9	33.4	38.2	37.2	37.9
Food, beverages, and tobacco	39.8	38.3	39.2	34.3	30.2	33.3	37.9	36.5	37.4
Metal products	41.6	38.0	40.6	30.6	*42.8	33.2	39.7	38.7	39.4
Other manufacturing	40.6	38.0	39.8	32.5	35.2	33.4	38.0	37.1	37.7
Construction	38.4	32.9	36.6	15.2	*33.8	17.8	35.2	32.9	34.5
Wholesale and retail	45.2	33.8	40.2	28.5	24.7	26.7	38.2	29.6	34.3
Transport and storage	42.4	42.2	42.3	28.8	34.2	31.4	40.3	39.5	40.1
Finance, property, and business services	43.6	37.7	41.9	27.7	34.0	30.4	36.5	35.5	36.1
Community services (b)	40.2	33.1	38.3	27.8	32.7	29.5	32.4	32.8	32.5
Recreational, personal, and other services	44.3	27.3	36.6	24.2	24.2	24.2	34.3	25.6	30.1
Other industries (c)	36.8	36.3	36.6	29.8	33.0	31.0	34.5	35.0	34.7
Total	42.2	35.6	39.9	28.1	30.0	28.8	36.5	33.0	35.3
OCCUPATION									
Managers, and administrators	52.5	52.4	52.5	37.2	43.7	38.5	48.6	50.0	48.9
Professionals	43.5	40.0	42.5	33.0	36.6	34.5	39.4	38.1	39.0
Para-professionals	36.0	34.2	35.5	27.6	33.1	30.3	32.5	33.6	32.9
Tradespersons	40.0	36.6	38.7	25.7	34.6	29.2	38.7	36.4	37.8
Clerks	39.0	34.8	37.4	26.3	33.7	29.0	29.0	33.9	30.8
Salespersons, and personal service workers	41.4	26.5	33.8	24.3	22.2	23.2	30.9	23.7	27.0
Plant, and machine operators and drivers	39.5	38.6	39.3	32.2	33.3	32.5	37.9	37.6	37.8
Labourers, and related workers	35.9	31.0	33.6	24.1	24.1	24.1	31.0	29.0	30.2
Total	42.2	35.6	39.9	28.1	30.0	28.8	36.5	33.0	35.3

(a) Persons with jobs who did not work during the survey week have been included in the calculation of average weekly hours worked. The relative standard errors of these estimates are obtained by first finding the relative standard error of the estimate of the total number of persons in the estimate (see Table A), and then multiplying by a factor of 0.7. For further information refer technical notes in The Labour Force, Australia (6203.0)(monthly). (b) Comprises health; education, libraries, etc.; welfare and religious institutions; and other community services. (c) Comprises electricity, gas, and water; communication; and public administration and defence.

**TABLE 15. EMPLOYED PERSONS: STATUS OF WORKER AND HOURS WORKED,
VICTORIA, MAY 1992**

Status of worker	Males			Females			Persons		
	Married	Other	Total	Married	Other	Total	Married	Other	Total
	'000								
Employers	43.2	8.5	51.8	19.4	*4.4	23.8	62.6	12.9	75.5
Self-employed	105.9	32.3	138.2	51.6	11.0	62.7	157.5	43.3	200.8
Wage and salary earners	587.2	338.3	925.5	413.7	303.1	716.7	1,000.9	641.4	1,642.3
Unpaid family helpers (a)	*3.6	5.5	9.1	9.5	4.8	14.3	13.1	10.3	23.5
Total	740.0	384.7	1,124.6	494.2	323.3	817.5	1,234.2	708.0	1,942.1
HOURS WORKED									
Employers	53.2	52.9	53.2	31.3	40.3	33.0	46.4	48.6	46.8
Self-employed	43.5	38.4	42.3	25.8	21.7	25.1	37.7	34.1	36.9
Wage and salary earners	41.2	35.1	39.0	28.5	30.4	29.3	36.0	32.9	34.8
Unpaid family helpers (a)	23.8	25.1	24.6	14.6	15.0	14.8	17.2	20.4	18.6
Total	42.2	35.6	39.9	28.1	30.0	28.8	36.5	33.0	35.3

(a) Unpaid family helpers who worked 1 hour or more a week in a family business or farm.

**TABLE 16. UNEMPLOYED PERSONS: INDUSTRY AND OCCUPATION OF LAST JOB,
VICTORIA, MAY 1992**

Particulars	Number ('000)			Unemployment rate (per cent)		
	Males	Females	Persons	Males	Females	Persons
Employed (a) in the past two years -						
Industry -						
Manufacturing	32.5	10.5	43.1	11.4	9.0	10.7
Construction	16.1	*1.2	17.4	13.0	*8.3	12.5
Wholesale and retail	18.1	11.3	29.3	7.5	6.0	6.9
Community services (b)	*2.6	5.3	7.9	*2.1	2.2	2.1
Recreational, personal, and other services	5.9	6.4	12.3	8.4	8.2	8.3
Other industries (c)	23.7	9.5	33.3	6.3	4.3	5.5
Occupation -						
Tradespersons	30.0	*2.8	32.8	10.0	*9.3	9.9
Clerical	*3.4	9.6	13.1	*5.0	3.9	4.1
Salespersons, and personal service workers	6.3	13.9	20.2	5.8	7.2	6.7
Labourers, and related workers	33.8	9.4	43.2	15.8	8.4	13.3
Other occupations (d)	25.4	8.6	34.0	4.8	3.1	4.2
Total	98.9	44.3	143.2	8.1	5.1	6.9
Not employed (a) in the past two years	39.2	36.5	75.7	..	..	..
Stood down	*1.8	4.7	6.6	..	..	..
Looking for first job	16.5	19.0	35.5	..	..	..
Total	156.5	104.5	261.0	12.2	11.3	11.8

(a) Having held a full-time job for two weeks. (b) Comprises health; education, libraries, etc.; welfare and religious institutions; and other community services. (c) Comprises agriculture and services to agriculture; forestry, fishing and hunting; mining; transport and storage; finance, property, and business services; electricity, gas, and water; communication; and public administration and defence. (d) Comprises managers and administrators; professionals; para-professionals; plant and machine operators and drivers.

TABLE 17. UNEMPLOYED PERSONS BY DURATION OF UNEMPLOYMENT (a),
VICTORIA, MAY 1992

Particulars	Number ('000)			Percentage distribution		
	Males	Females	Persons	Males	Females	Persons
Duration of unemployment						
(weeks) -						
Under 2	*4.4	5.8	10.2	*2.8	5.6	3.9
2 and under 4	8.0	8.3	16.3	5.1	7.9	6.2
4 and under 8	16.9	9.6	26.5	10.8	9.2	10.2
8 and under 13	11.6	8.1	19.7	7.4	7.7	7.5
13 and under 26	27.3	21.0	48.4	17.5	20.1	18.5
26 and under 52	34.8	18.5	53.3	22.2	17.7	20.4
52 and under 104	29.5	20.1	49.5	18.8	19.2	19.0
104 and over	24.0	13.1	37.1	15.3	12.5	14.2
Age (years) -						
15 - 19						
Under 13 weeks	9.0	10.0	19.0	5.8	9.6	7.3
13 weeks and under 52	11.8	11.4	23.2	7.5	10.9	8.9
52 weeks and over	4.9	4.9	9.8	3.2	4.7	3.8
Total	25.8	26.3	52.1	16.5	25.2	20.0
20 - 24						
Under 13 weeks	10.6	5.4	16.0	6.8	5.2	6.1
13 weeks and under 52	14.6	10.0	24.6	9.3	9.5	9.4
52 weeks and over	10.2	8.2	18.3	6.5	7.8	7.0
Total	35.4	23.5	59.0	22.6	22.5	22.6
25 and over						
Under 13 weeks	21.2	16.4	37.6	13.6	15.7	14.4
13 weeks and under 52	35.7	18.1	53.8	22.8	17.3	20.6
52 weeks and over	38.3	20.1	58.5	24.5	19.3	22.4
Total	95.3	54.6	149.9	60.9	52.3	57.4
Total	156.5	104.5	261.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
DURATION OF UNEMPLOYMENT (WEEKS)						
Average (mean) duration-						
Aged 15 - 19	30.1	29.0	29.6	..	..	..
Aged 20 - 24	40.1	46.1	42.5	..	..	..
Aged 25 and over	56.1	60.4	57.7	..	..	..
All ages	48.2	49.3	48.6	..	..	..
Median duration (b)-						
Aged 15 - 19	20.0	18.0	18.0	..	..	..
Aged 20 - 24	26.0	26.0	26.0	..	..	..
Aged 25 and over	36.0	26.0	33.0	..	..	..
All ages	27.0	24.0	26.0	..	..	..

(a) Period from the time a person began looking for work, or was laid off to the end of the reference week. Periods of unemployment are recorded in complete weeks resulting in a slight understatement of duration of unemployment. (b) For information regarding the calculation of standard errors, refer to technical notes in The Labour Force, Australia (6203.0)(monthly)

EXPLANATORY NOTES

Introduction

This publication contains Victorian labour force estimates derived from the Monthly Population Survey conducted throughout Australia each month by the Australian Bureau of Statistics.

2. The survey is based on a multi-stage area sample of private dwellings (houses, flats, etc.) and non-private dwellings (hotels, motels, etc.) and covers about one-half of one per cent of the Victorian population. The information is obtained from the occupants by trained ABS interviewers.

Scope of survey

3. All persons aged 15 years and over are included in the survey except:

- (a) members of the permanent defence forces;
- (b) certain diplomatic personnel of overseas governments customarily excluded from census and estimated populations;
- (c) overseas residents in Australia; and
- (d) members of non-Australian defence forces (and their dependants) stationed in Australia.

Definitions

4. The labour force category to which a person is assigned depends on his or her actual activity (i.e. whether working, looking for work, etc.) during the reference week. The definitions conform closely to the standard definitions recommended by the ILO.

Employed persons comprise all those aged 15 years and over who, during the reference week:

- (a) worked for one hour or more for pay, profit, commission, or payment in kind in a job or business, or on a farm (including employees, employers, and self-employed persons); or
- (b) worked for one hour or more without pay in a family business or on a farm (i.e. unpaid family helper); or
- (c) were employees who had a job but were not at work and were:
 - (i) on paid leave;
 - (ii) on leave without pay for less than four weeks up to the end of the reference week;
 - (iii) stood down without pay because of bad weather or plant breakdown at their place of employment for less than four weeks, up to the end of the reference week;
 - (iv) on strike or locked out;
 - (v) on workers' compensation and expected to be returning to their job; or
 - (vi) receiving wages or salary while undertaking full-time study; or

- (d) were employers, self-employed persons or unpaid family helpers who had a job, business, or farm, but were not at work.

Unemployed persons are those aged 15 years and over who were not employed during the reference week, and:

- (a) had actively looked for full-time or part-time work at any time in the four weeks up to the end of the reference week and were:
 - (i) available for work in the reference week, or would have been available except for temporary illness (i.e. lasting for less than four weeks to the end of the reference week); or
 - (ii) waiting to start a new job within four weeks from the end of the reference week and would have started in the reference week if the job had been available then; or
- (b) were waiting to be called back to a full-time or part-time job from which they had been stood down without pay for less than four weeks up to the end of the reference week (including the whole of the reference week) for reasons other than bad weather or plant breakdown.

The *labour force* comprises all persons who, during the reference week, were employed or unemployed, as defined above.

The *unemployment rate* is the number of unemployed in each group as a percentage of the labour force in the same group.

The *participation rate* is the labour force in each group as a percentage of the civilian population aged 15 years and over in the same group.

Full-time workers are those who usually work 35 hours or more a week in all jobs and others who, although usually working less than 35 hours a week, worked 35 hours or more during the reference week.

Part-time workers are those who usually work less than 35 hours a week and who did so during the reference week. When recording hours of work, fractions of an hour are disregarded.

Hours of work. The figures of aggregate hours and average hours refer to actual hours worked during the reference week, not hours paid for.

Persons not in the labour force are those who, during the reference week, were not in the categories 'employed' or 'unemployed'.

Marital status. In the labour force survey, persons are classified as *married* or *not married*. Persons are classified as married, if they are reported as being married (including de facto) and their spouse was a usual resident of the household at the time of the survey.

Revision of series

5. New benchmarks based on the results of the 1986 Census of Population and Housing are now available and were introduced in the February issue of this publication. Labour force estimates have been revised for the period January 1984 to January 1989. All estimates produced after January 1989 will be based on the new benchmarks.

6. Commencing with the April 1986 labour force survey, the definition of employment has been extended to include all persons who worked without pay for one hour or more in a family business or on a farm (i.e. unpaid family helpers). More details about this change, together with other changes made to the questionnaire, are contained in *The Labour Force, Australia, April 1986* (6203.0) and in an information paper *Questionnaire used in the Labour Force Survey* (6232.0).

Status of worker

7. Status of worker is classified by occupational status, i.e. whether they were employers, self-employed persons, wage and salary earners (employees), or unpaid family helpers (who worked one hour or more in the reference week).

Classification of industry and occupation

8. Industry is classified according to the Australian Standard Industrial Classification (ASIC), 1983 and occupation according to the Australian Standard Classification of Occupations (ASCO), 1986. Occupational data classified to ASCO were introduced for the August 1986 survey, replacing the Classification and Classified List of Occupations, Revised, November 1980 used in previous surveys. The appendix in the August 1986 issue of *The Labour Force, Australia* (6203.0) contains a more detailed explanation of the concepts and structure underlying ASCO. Industry and occupation estimates are only available quarterly (i.e. each February, May, August and November).

Birthplace

9. From April 1991, labour force birthplace data are aggregated according to the major groups of the *Australian Standard Classification of Countries for Social Statistics* (ASCCSS) 1990 (1269.0). The ASCCSS major groups are based on the concept of geographic proximity. For example, African countries are now covered by 'The Middle East and North Africa' and 'Africa (excluding North Africa)', while Asia has been split into 'Southeast Asia', 'Northeast Asia' and 'Southern Asia'. Data for selected individual countries will continue to be available from unpublished data sources.

Victorian regions

10. Detailed maps of the Labour force regions are presented at the end of this publication. Users should note that from September 1987 there were some significant changes made to the number and composition of Labour force regions for the Melbourne Statistical Division. These changes are presented in the maps on pages 35 and 36.

Reliability of estimates

11. Since the estimates in this publication are based on information obtained from occupants of a sample of dwellings they, and the movements derived from them, may differ from the figures that would have been produced if all dwellings had been included in the survey. One measure of the likely difference is given by the standard error of an estimate. Standard errors of survey estimates and month to month movements calculated for all regions are shown on pages 33 and 34.

12. As the above problems are compounded when the statistics are disaggregated to regional data, users are particularly advised to treat month to month movements for regional data with caution. An explanation of standard errors and their use can be found in the technical notes of *The Labour Force, Australia*, (6203.0) (monthly).

13. Labour force survey estimates are calculated in a such a way as to add up to the independently derived estimates of the population aged 15 years and over by age and sex. Regular independent estimates of the population at the regional level are not available for use as benchmarks in the manner described above. Therefore users should not use the data in this publication as a means to calculate the civilian population aged 15 years and over within each region.

Related publications

14. Users may also wish to refer to the following publications, available on request:
Statistical Maps, Victoria (1103.2) (irregular) (\$19.50)
Australian Standard Classification of Countries for Social Statistics (1269.0) (irregular) (\$20.00)
The Labour Force, Australia, Preliminary (6202.0) (monthly) (\$10.00)
The Labour Force, Australia (6203.0) (monthly) (\$14.50)
Labour Statistics, Australia (6101.0) (annual) (\$25.00)
A Guide to Labour Statistics (6102.0) (irregular) (\$15.00)
Projections of the Labour Force, Australia (6260.0) (irregular) (\$15.00)
Information Paper: Labour Force Survey - Sample Design (6269.0)

Information Paper: Labour Force Survey - Measuring Teenage Unemployment (6270.0)

Information Paper: Comparison of Employment Estimates From the Labour Force Survey and the Survey of Employment and Earnings (6263.0)

A Guide to Smoothing Time Series - Estimates of 'Trend' (1316.0)

Time Series Decomposition - An Overview (1317.0)

Information Paper: Revised Labour Force Survey Estimates (6276.0) (January 1984 to January 1989)

Information Paper: Measuring Employment and Unemployment (6279.0)

15. Current publications produced by the ABS are listed in the *Catalogue of Publications, Australia* (1101.0) which is available from any ABS Office.

16. Other unpublished data from labour force surveys on aspects of the Victorian labour force are held by the Victorian Office of the ABS, and may be available on request.

Statistics on DISCOVERY

17. Selected economic, social, and population statistics are available on *DISCOVERY* *656#.

Symbols and other usages

n.a. not available
 n.e.c. not elsewhere classified
 .. not applicable
 r revised
 * subject to sampling variability too high for most practical purposes

Where figures have been rounded, discrepancies may occur between sums of the component items and totals.

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MORE LABOUR FORCE DATA

Much more information about the labour force can be made available, subject to statistical reliability. Time series are available for \$5.00 per series. Tailor-made tables can be provided in various media (cost depends on table complexity). Data items available include:

Employed persons
 Unemployed persons
 Participation rate
 Unemployment rate
 Persons not in the labour force

These items can be further classified by:

Sex	Hours worked
Age	Industry
Marital status	Occupation
Country of birth	Duration of Unemployment
Period of arrival	School attendance
Status of worker	Dissemination region
Full-time/part-time status	<i>and more...</i>

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TABLE A: STANDARD ERRORS OF ESTIMATES, STATISTICAL REGIONS, VICTORIA (a)

Size of estimate	Victoria; Melbourne; Balance of Victoria	Outer Western Melbourne	North Western Melbourne	Inner Melbourne	North Eastern Melbourne	Inner Eastern Melbourne	Southern Melbourne	Outer Eastern Melbourne	Mornington Peninsula	South Western Victoria	Western Victoria	Northern Victoria	Eastern Victoria
500	370	290	290	320	320	300	350	330	310	340	370	340	360
1,000	530	410	420	450	450	430	490	460	440	490	520	490	520
2,000	750	590	600	640	640	620	700	660	630	690	740	700	740
2,500	840	660	670	720	720	690	790	740	700	780	830	780	830
3,000	910	720	730	790	790	760	860	810	770	850	910	860	910
3,500	980	780	790	860	860	820	930	880	840	920	990	930	980
4,000	1,050	840	850	920	920	880	1,000	940	900	990	1,050	1,000	1,050
4,500	1,100	890	900	980	980	940	1,050	1,000	950	1,050	1,100	1,050	1,100
5,000	1,150	940	960	1,050	1,050	990	1,100	1,050	1,000	1,100	1,200	1,100	1,200
6,000	1,250	1,050	1,050	1,150	1,150	1,100	1,250	1,150	1,100	1,200	1,300	1,250	1,300
8,000	1,450	1,200	1,200	1,300	1,300	1,250	1,450	1,350	1,300	1,400	1,500	1,450	1,500
10,000	1,600	1,350	1,350	1,500	1,500	1,400	1,600	1,500	1,450	1,600	1,700	1,600	1,700
20,000	2,200	1,950	1,950	2,100	2,100	2,050	2,300	2,200	2,050	2,300	2,450	2,300	2,400
30,000	2,600	2,400	2,450	2,600	2,600	2,500	2,850	2,700	2,550	2,800	3,000	2,850	3,000
40,000	2,950	2,800	2,800	3,050	3,050	2,900	3,300	3,150	2,950	3,300	3,500	3,300	3,500
50,000	3,250	3,150	3,150	3,450	3,450	3,300	3,750	3,500	3,350	3,700	3,950	3,700	3,900
100,000	4,300	4,500	4,550	4,950	4,950	4,750	5,400	5,100	4,800	5,300	5,700	5,400	5,600
200,000	5,600	6,500	6,600	7,100	7,100	6,800	7,800	7,300	7,000	7,700	8,200	7,700	8,200
300,000	6,600	8,100	8,200	8,900	8,900	8,500	9,600	9,100	8,600	9,500	10,200	9,600	10,100
400,000	7,300	9,400	9,600	10,300	10,300	9,900	11,200	10,600	10,100	11,100	11,900	11,200	11,800
500,000	7,900	10,600	10,800	11,600	11,700	11,100	12,700	11,900	11,400	12,500	13,400	12,600	13,300
1,000,000	10,100	15,400	15,600	16,900	16,900	16,200	18,400	17,300	16,500	18,200	19,400	18,300	19,300
2,000,000	12,800	22,400	22,700	24,600	24,600	23,500	26,700	25,200	24,000	26,400	28,300	26,600	28,100
5,000,000	17,100	36,900	37,400	40,400	40,500	38,700	44,000	41,500	39,500	43,500	46,500	43,800	46,200

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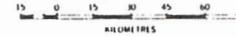
TABLE B: STANDARD ERRORS OF ESTIMATES OF MONTH TO MONTH MOVEMENTS, STATISTICAL REGIONS, VICTORIA (a)

<i>Size of estimate</i>	<i>Victoria; Melbourne; Balance of Victoria</i>	<i>Outer Western Melbourne</i>	<i>North Western Melbourne</i>	<i>Inner Melbourne</i>	<i>North Eastern Melbourne</i>	<i>Inner Eastern Melbourne</i>	<i>Southern Melbourne</i>	<i>Outer Eastern Melbourne</i>	<i>Mornington Peninsula</i>	<i>South Western Victoria</i>	<i>Western Victoria</i>	<i>Northern Victoria</i>	<i>Eastern Victoria</i>
500	440	250	210	260	240	260	250	250	280	250	280	280	280
1,000	570	340	280	360	330	350	340	340	370	340	380	370	380
2,000	740	460	380	480	450	480	460	460	500	460	510	510	510
2,500	800	510	420	530	490	530	510	510	550	510	560	560	560
3,000	860	550	460	580	530	570	550	550	600	550	600	600	610
3,500	910	590	490	620	570	610	590	590	640	580	650	650	650
4,000	950	620	520	650	600	640	630	630	680	620	680	680	690
4,500	1,000	660	540	690	630	680	660	660	710	650	720	720	730
5,000	1,050	690	570	720	660	710	690	690	750	680	750	750	760
6,000	1,100	740	620	780	720	770	750	750	810	740	820	820	820
8,000	1,250	840	700	880	810	870	850	850	920	840	920	920	930
10,000	1,350	930	770	970	900	960	930	930	1,000	920	1,000	1,000	1,050
20,000	1,700	1,250	1,050	1,300	1,200	1,300	1,250	1,250	1,350	1,250	1,400	1,350	1,400
30,000	2,000	1,500	1,250	1,550	1,450	1,550	1,500	1,500	1,650	1,500	1,650	1,650	1,650
40,000	2,200	1,700	1,400	1,750	1,650	1,750	1,700	1,700	1,850	1,700	1,850	1,850	1,850
50,000	2,400	1,850	1,550	1,950	1,800	1,900	1,900	1,850	2,050	1,850	2,050	2,050	2,050
100,000	3,100	2,500	2,100	2,650	2,450	2,600	2,550	2,550	2,750	2,500	2,750	2,750	2,800
200,000	4,000	3,400	2,800	3,550	3,300	3,500	3,100	3,400	3,700	3,400	3,750	3,750	3,750
300,000	4,650	4,050	3,350	4,250	3,900	4,200	4,100	4,050	4,400	4,050	4,450	4,450	4,500
400,000	5,200	4,600	3,800	4,800	4,450	4,750	4,600	4,600	5,000	4,550	5,000	5,000	5,100
500,000	5,600	5,100	4,200	5,300	4,900	5,200	5,100	5,100	5,500	5,000	5,600	5,500	5,600
1,000,000	7,300	6,800	5,700	7,200	6,600	7,100	6,900	6,900	7,400	6,800	7,500	7,500	7,600
2,000,000	9,400	9,200	7,700	9,700	8,900	9,500	9,300	9,300	10,000	9,200	10,100	10,100	10,200
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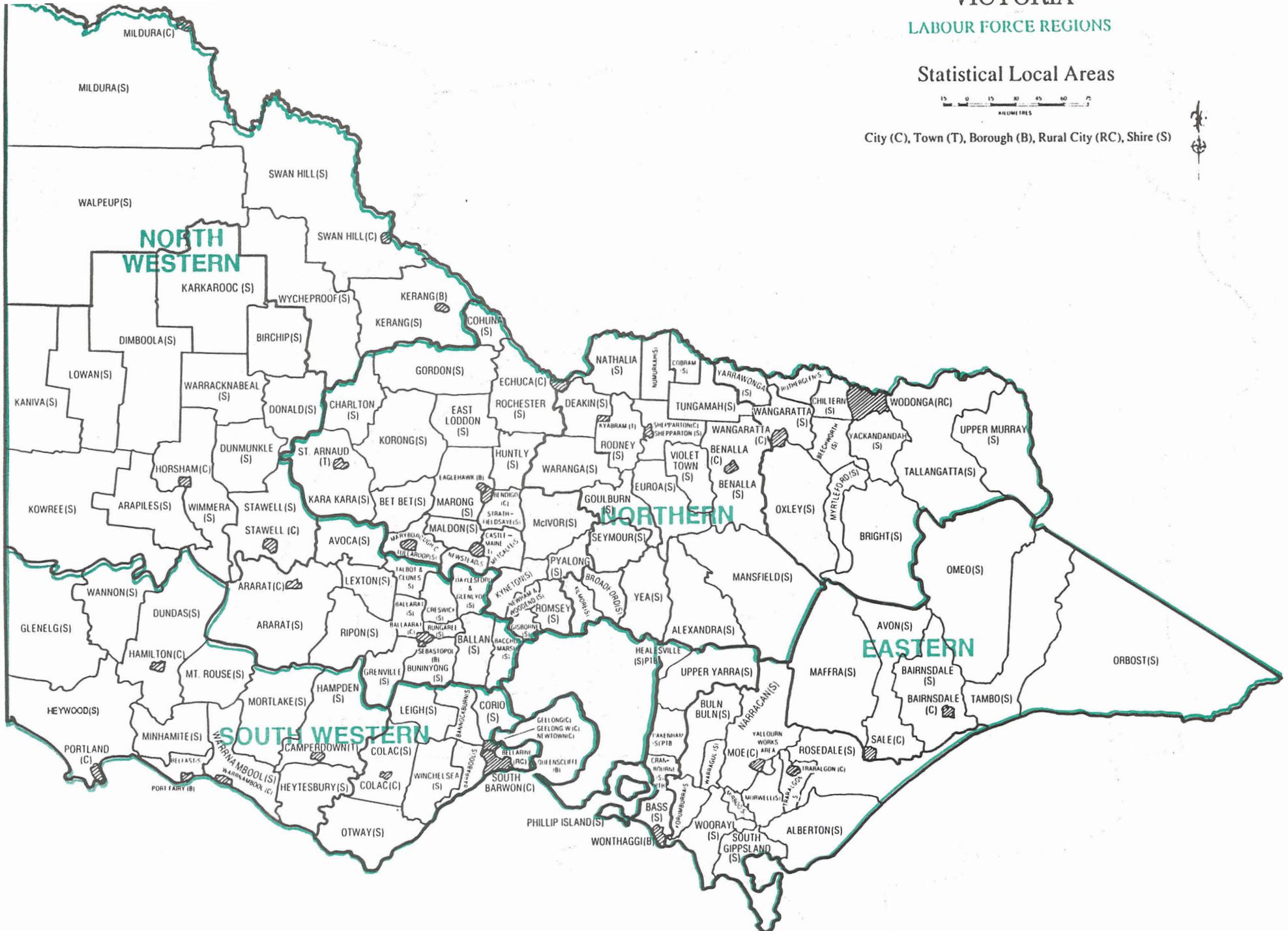
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LABOUR FORCE REGIONS

Statistical Local Areas



City (C), Town (T), Borough (B), Rural City (RC), Shire (S)



NORTH WESTERN

NORTHERN

SOUTH WESTERN

EASTERN

MILDURA(S)

WALPEUP(S)

SWAN HILL(S)

SWAN HILL(C)

KARKAROOC(S)

WYCHEPROOF(S)

KERANG(B)

KERANG(S)

COHUNA(S)

DIMBOOLA(S)

BIRCHIP(S)

LOWAN(S)

WARRACKNABEAL(S)

GORDON(S)

ECHUCA(C)

NATHALIA(S)

COBRAM(S)

YARRAWONGA(S)

WANGARATTA(S)

CHILTERN(S)

WODONGA(RC)

KANIVA(S)

DONALD(S)

CHARLTON(S)

EAST LODDON(S)

ROCHESTER(S)

DEAKIN(S)

TUNGAMAH(S)

WANGARATTA(C)

CHILTERN(S)

YACKANDANDAH(S)

UPPER MURRAY(S)

KOWREE(S)

HORSHAM(C)

DUNMUNKLE(S)

ST ARNAUD(T)

KORONG(S)

HUNTLY(S)

WARANGA(S)

RODNEY(S)

WANGARATTA(S)

VIOLET TOWN(S)

BENALLA(C)

BENALLA(S)

OXLEY(S)

TALLANGATTA(S)

ARAPILES(S)

WIMMERA(S)

STAWELL(S)

KARA KARA(S)

BET BET(S)

MARONG(S)

EAGLEHAWK(B)

WARANGA(S)

GOULBURN(S)

EUROA(S)

SEYMOUR(S)

OXLEY(S)

BRIGHT(S)

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PORTLAND(C)

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WARRAMBOOL(S)

CAMPERDOWN(T)

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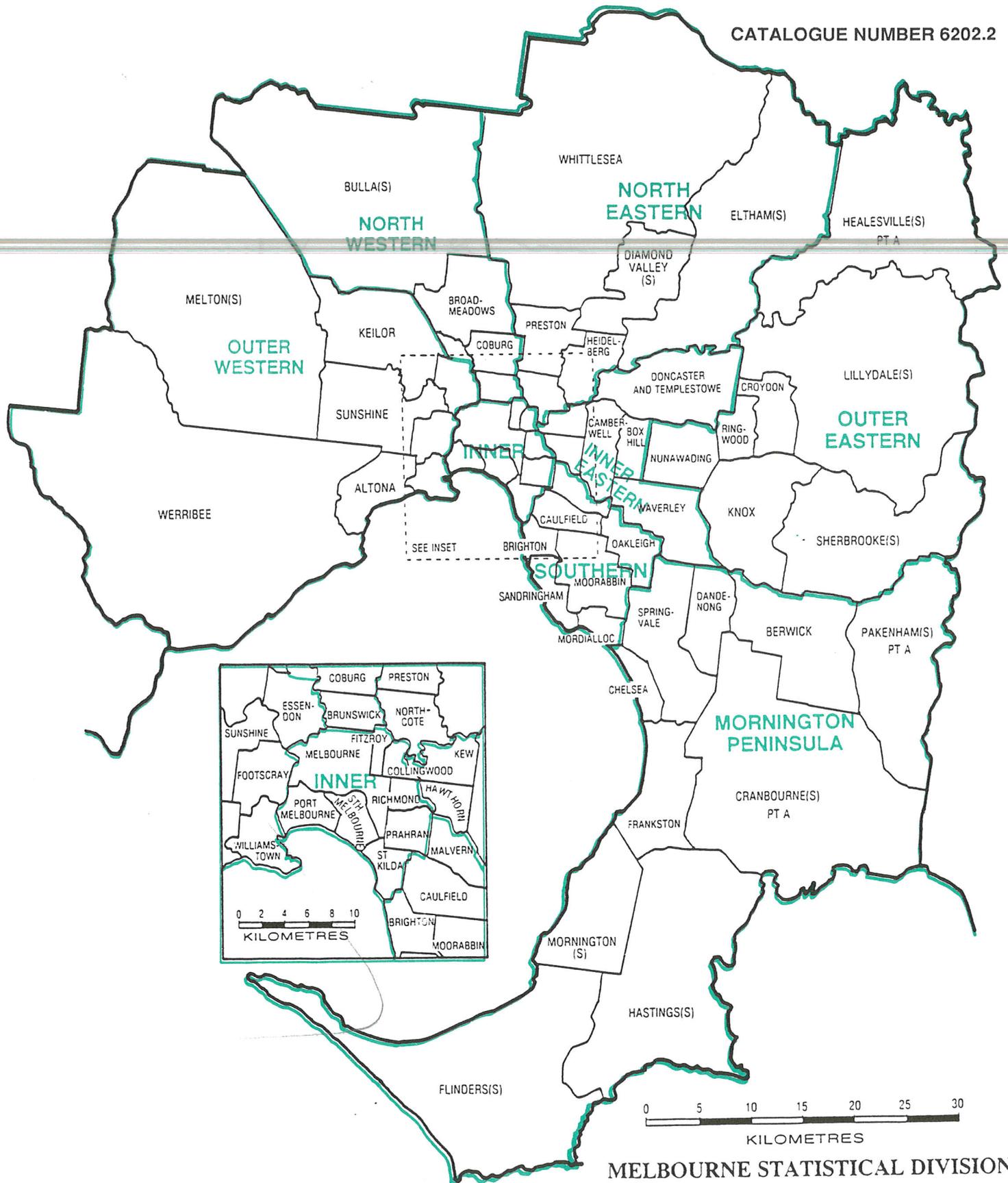
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