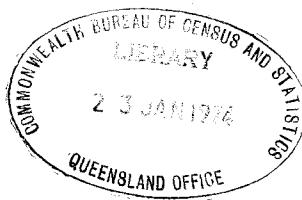


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DEMOGRAPHIC CHARACTERISTICS

PART 4. SOUTH AUSTRALIA

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PREFACE

Final results from the 1971 Census of Population and Housing are being released in a series of 14 bulletins covering single and cross-classified characteristics of population and dwellings.

It should be recognised that in processing census data for 13 million persons and 4.5 million households there are innumerable possibilities for error. As in other areas of statistics, much of the effort of statisticians is directed to devising procedures which prevent most errors from occurring or which detect and eliminate those which do occur. Despite such efforts, it is impracticable to eliminate every inaccuracy but special steps such as editing and quality control procedures are taken to measure and control the level of such inaccuracy. Thus while some minor errors and discrepancies may be evident in the final results, it is unlikely that they would have any practical significance in the interpretation of the Census data.

A large number of tabulations are being produced for the 1971 Census which, because of their size and complexity, will not be published. In some cases, classifications of characteristics will be available at a finer level than those published in the Bulletins. A complete list of the tabulations produced (published and unpublished) and the levels of classification available will be published in the Catalogue of 1971 Census Tabulations (Bulletin 14). For information on the more detailed classifications and the availability of unpublished tabulations please contact the office of the Bureau of Census and Statistics in each State capital city or in Canberra.

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INTRODUCTION

Publications

The publication programme for the 1971 Census of Population and Housing comprises a series of 14 Bulletins; the title and content of each are as follows :

Bulletin 1. *Summary of Population*

Single characteristics : age, marital status, birthplace, period of residence, nationality, usual major activity, 1966 residence, religion, level of schooling, educational institution, qualifications, occupational status, occupation, industry.

Bulletin 2. *Summary of Dwellings*

Class of dwelling cross-classified by : number of rooms, number of bedrooms, nature of occupancy, electricity and gas, bathroom and kitchen facilities, sewage disposal, inmates by number of rooms, inmates by number of bedrooms.

Bulletin 3. *Demographic Characteristics*

Age and marital status cross-classified by : usual major activity, employment status, birthplace of parents, birthplace, nationality.

Bulletin 4. *Birthplace*

Country of birth cross-classified by : age, marital status, nationality, period of residence, level of schooling, qualifications, occupational status, occupation, industry.

Bulletin 5. *The Labour Force*

Employment status cross-classified by age and marital status. Occupation cross-classified by : occupational status, age, birthplace, qualifications. Industry cross-classified by : occupational status, age, birthplace, qualifications.

Bulletin 6. *Population and Dwellings in Local Government Areas and Urban Centres*

Bulletin 7. *Characteristics of the Population and Dwellings – Local Government Areas*

Single characteristics : age, religion, marital status, nationality, birthplace, period of residence, 1966 residence, usual residence, usual major activity, level of schooling, qualifications, occupational status, industry, occupation, class of dwelling, rent, reason unoccupied, number of rooms and bedrooms, nature of occupancy, facilities, sewage disposal, motor vehicles, material of outer walls.

Bulletin 8. *Characteristics of the Population and Dwellings – Commonwealth Electoral Divisions*

The topics in this Bulletin are identical to those in Bulletin 7.

Bulletin 9. *The Aboriginal Population*

Characteristics of the Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander population.

Bulletin 10. *Families and Households*

Bulletin 11. *Fertility*

Bulletin 12. *Geographic Distribution*

Bulletin 13. *Maps*

Each State, showing Local Government Areas and Statistical Divisions plus maps of principal urban centres.

Bulletin 14. *Catalogue of 1971 Census Tabulations*

Index of all tabulations, published and unpublished, produced from the 1971 Census.

Bulletins 1-6 consist of a series of separate parts for each State and Territory and one for Australia. In Bulletin 6 the Northern Territory part is combined with that of the Australian Capital Territory. There is no Australian part to Bulletin 7 and Bulletins 8-14 consist only of one part.

Each publication can be identified by a number and colour code system as follows :

<i>Bulletin Number</i>	<i>Title</i>	<i>Cover Colour</i>
1	Summary of Population	Yellow Green
2	Summary of Dwellings	Light Brown
3	Demographic Characteristics	Pink
4	Birthplace	Light Purple
5	The Labour Force	Light Blue
6	Population and Dwellings in Local Government Areas and Urban Centres	Light Green
7	Characteristics of the Population and Dwellings – Local Government Areas	Grey
8	Characteristics of the Population and Dwellings – Commonwealth Electoral Divisions	Dark Grey
9	The Aboriginal Population	Dark Green
10	Families and Households	Dark Purple
11	Fertility	Dark Brown
12	Geographic Distribution	Dark Blue
13	Maps	Olive Green
14	Catalogue of 1971 Census Tabulations	Dark Red

<i>Geographic Area</i>	<i>Part Number</i>	<i>Horizontal Band Colour</i>
New South Wales	1	Blue
Victoria	2	Orange
Queensland	3	Maroon
South Australia	4	Red
Western Australia	5	Black
Tasmania	6	Green
Northern Territory	7	Brown
Australian Capital Territory	8	Purple
Australia	9	Gold

As an illustration of the colour code system, all 'Summary of Dwellings' bulletins have light brown covers with a horizontal band varying in colour according to the State.

Coverage

In conformity with the 1967 repeal of Section 127 of the Constitution, 1971 Census statistics include Aborigines. In order to provide comparability between the 1971 and 1966 Censuses, tables showing 1966 data have been amended to include Aborigines or their dwellings and therefore differ from the 1966 tables previously published.

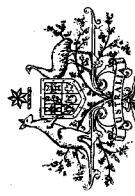
Persons with diplomatic immunity (diplomatic and home-based staff of diplomatic missions, and their families) are excluded from the Census. Dwellings occupied by persons with diplomatic immunity are also excluded.

(NOTE. Any discrepancies between totals and sums of components in percentages in tables are due to rounding.)

State	S.A.
Div.	12
S. Div.	
C.D.	
Roc. No.	

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Any Census Officer or
occupier of a dwelling
disclosing any particulars
from a Census Form
is liable to a penalty of
\$100.

A FEW FACTS ABOUT THE CENSUS

*At the Census everybody in Australia contributes
to Australia's knowledge about itself*

YOUR FORM IS ABSOLUTELY CONFIDENTIAL. The LAW prevents anyone but the Commonwealth Statistician and his officers from seeing your return. OTHER PERSONS OR GOVERNMENT DEPARTMENTS CANNOT see your return for ANY purpose whatsoever.

THE STATISTICS ARE ESSENTIAL TO PEOPLE WORKING ON SUCH NATIONAL PROBLEMS AS:

- HOUSING NEEDS
- BETTER LIVING STANDARDS
- EDUCATION (SCHOOLS, TEACHERS, ETC.)
- WELFARE OF THE AGED, WIDOWS, ABORIGINES, MIGRANTS, ETC.
- CITY GROWTH, TRAFFIC PROBLEMS, ROADS
- SEWERAGE, WATER AND POWER SUPPLY
- EMPLOYMENT, UNEMPLOYMENT, VOCATIONAL TRAINING
- DECENTRALISATION, RURAL DEPOPULATION, LOCATION OF INDUSTRY

MOST CENSUS INFORMATION CANNOT BE OBTAINED IN ANY OTHER WAY.

The great value of the Census is that all the information about everybody is obtained at the one time. This means that it can be added together and cross-tabulated to give a very detailed statistical picture of AUSTRALIA at a single point in time. Without you the picture would be incomplete.

THE STATISTICS ARE AVAILABLE TO YOU. All the statistical tables which are compiled from the Census serve important Governmental purposes, but they are also available to private individuals, the business community and researchers.

CENSUS OF POPULATION AND HOUSING AUSTRALIA

30 June 1971

HOUSEHOLDER'S SCHEDULE

IX

Under the provisions of the *Census and Statistics Act 1905-1966* you are required to fill in this form to the best of your knowledge and belief. However, there is no penalty for omitting information on a person's religious denomination.

The information supplied in this form is CONFIDENTIAL. The Act provides that it cannot be seen by any persons other than officers of the Bureau of Census and Statistics. It will be used only for obtaining totals for statistical purposes.

The completed schedule should be ready to hand to the Census Collector who will call on THURSDAY 1 JULY or as soon as possible after that day.

If this dwelling is unoccupied indicate—

1. The type of dwelling—
(Refer to sketches and descriptions on page 2)
- | | | |
|--|--|---|
| 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Separate house | 6 <input type="checkbox"/> Self-contained flat | 5 <input type="checkbox"/> Holiday home |
| 2 <input type="checkbox"/> Semi-detached or duplex house | 7 <input type="checkbox"/> Non self-contained flat | 6 <input type="checkbox"/> Condemned or awaiting demolition |
| 3 <input type="checkbox"/> Attached house | 9 <input type="checkbox"/> Caravan, houseboat | 7 <input type="checkbox"/> Newly completed and awaiting occupancy |
| 4 <input type="checkbox"/> Terrace or row house | X <input type="checkbox"/> Other (describe) _____ | 8 <input type="checkbox"/> Vacant for repairs or alterations |
| 5 <input type="checkbox"/> Villa or cottage unit | | 9 <input type="checkbox"/> Other (describe) _____ |

2. The reason for being unoccupied—

- | | |
|---|---|
| 1 <input type="checkbox"/> For sale | 5 <input type="checkbox"/> Holiday home |
| 2 <input type="checkbox"/> To let (other than holiday home) | 6 <input type="checkbox"/> Condemned or awaiting demolition |
| 3 <input type="checkbox"/> Newly completed and awaiting occupancy | 7 <input type="checkbox"/> Usual residents temporarily absent |
| 4 <input type="checkbox"/> Vacant for repairs or alterations | 8 <input type="checkbox"/> Other (describe) _____ |

I certify that to the best of my knowledge and belief this form has been correctly filled in.

• Signature of Collector

Date.....

Street, etc.....

City, town or village.....

HOW TO FILL IN THIS FORM

After you have read the instructions:

- **Step 1:** Lift this flap and fill in page 1 for all persons who spent the night of Wednesday 30 June in this household.
- **Step 2:** Give particulars of this dwelling on pages 2 and 3.
- **Step 3:** Complete a double page of personal particulars for each person listed on page 1.
- **Step 4:** Sign the form on the front page.

INSTRUCTIONS

1. FILL IN A SEPARATE FORM FOR EACH HOUSEHOLD.

A household is a domestic group living and eating together. A person living alone is also a household.

2. IF THERE IS MORE THAN ONE HOUSEHOLD OBTAIN EXTRA FORMS FROM THE CENSUS COLLECTOR WHEN HE RETURNS.

3. THIS BOOKLET HAS PAGES FOR 8 PERSONS. IF THERE ARE MORE THAN 8 PERSONS IN THE HOUSEHOLD OBTAIN PERSONAL SLIPS FOR THESE EXTRA PERSONS FROM THE CENSUS COLLECTOR WHEN HE RETURNS.

4. IF ANY PERSON IN THE HOUSEHOLD, SUCH AS A VISITOR OR BOARDER, PREFERS TO FILL IN A SEPARATE FORM TO MAINTAIN PRIVACY, ASK THE COLLECTOR FOR A PERSONAL SLIP AND AN ENVELOPE. The Personal Slip should be filled in and sealed in the envelope by the person concerned, for delivery by you unopened to the Census Collector with this schedule.

5. FOR ANY PERSON WHO COMPLETES A PERSONAL SLIP, ENTER ON PAGE 1 OF THIS SCHEDULE THE NAME, RELATIONSHIP AND SEX OF THE PERSON AND WRITE 'P.S.' IN THE AGE COLUMN.

6. Not all questions have to be answered by everybody. Read each question carefully, give your answer, then follow the directions to the next question which applies. Most questions can be answered simply by placing a tick in the appropriate box, e.g.

Yes No

7. If you do not know the exact answer to a question, give the best estimate you can.

8. Please use ink or ball point pen.

9. The completed schedule should be ready to hand to the Census Collector who will call on THURSDAY 1 JULY or as soon as possible after that day.

10. If you need any help with this form, telephone the Divisional Returning Officer for your Commonwealth Electoral Division, or ask the Census Collector when he returns.

- List in Column ① all persons (including visitors) who spent the night of **Wednesday 30 June** in this household (or returned on **Thursday 1 July** without having been counted elsewhere), and then fill in Columns ② to ⑥ for each person.

Column ①	Column ②	Column ③	Column ④	Column ⑤	Column ⑥
First Name and Surname List LAST any persons in this household who have completed Personal Slips (See Instruction 5 on previous page) For unnamed baby write 'BABY' and surname.	Relationship to head of household For example: head mother wife daughter brother son-in-law grandchild visitor boarder co-tenant etc.	Sex	Age (in years and completed months)	Present Marital Status	Is this person a usual resident of this dwelling?
1 First name Surname	<input type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female		Years Mths	<input type="checkbox"/> Never married <input type="checkbox"/> Now married <input type="checkbox"/> Married but permanently separated	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No ➤ Give State, Territory or Country of usual residence
2 First name Surname	<input type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female			<input type="checkbox"/> Never married <input type="checkbox"/> Now married <input type="checkbox"/> Married but permanently separated	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No ➤ Give State, Territory or Country of usual residence
3 First name Surname	<input type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female			<input type="checkbox"/> Never married <input type="checkbox"/> Now married <input type="checkbox"/> Married but permanently separated	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No ➤ Give State, Territory or Country of usual residence
4 First name Surname	<input type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female			<input type="checkbox"/> Never married <input type="checkbox"/> Now married <input type="checkbox"/> Married but permanently separated	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No ➤ Give State, Territory or Country of usual residence
5 First name Surname	<input type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female			<input type="checkbox"/> Never married <input type="checkbox"/> Now married <input type="checkbox"/> Married but permanently separated	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No ➤ Give State, Territory or Country of usual residence
6 First name Surname	<input type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female			<input type="checkbox"/> Never married <input type="checkbox"/> Now married <input type="checkbox"/> Married but permanently separated	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No ➤ Give State, Territory or Country of usual residence
7 First name Surname	<input type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female			<input type="checkbox"/> Never married <input type="checkbox"/> Now married <input type="checkbox"/> Married but permanently separated	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No ➤ Give State, Territory or Country of usual residence

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Total persons in household i.e. listed in Column ① and on any extra Personal Slips issued.
Males _____ Females _____ Persons _____

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NOW LIFT THIS FLAP AND FILL IN PAGE 1
LIFT THIS FLAP

PARTICULARS OF THIS DWELLING

These questions should preferably be answered by the Head of the Household.
The dwelling for which particulars are sought is the house, flat, or other premises occupied solely by your household on 30 June 1971.

D.1. Tick the box opposite the description which best describes your dwelling. The sketches and comments will help you decide which box to tick. (Tick one box only.)

Sketch	Description	Dwelling type
	Generally a structure containing only one dwelling on its own block of land, separated by open space from other dwellings. However, if the house has only one flat attached to or incorporated in it, tick this box if you occupy the main part of the structure.	<input type="checkbox"/> Separate House
	One of a set of two houses (single or double storey) joined together and separated by a wall extending from foundation to ceiling.	<input type="checkbox"/> Semi-detached House (including terrace pair)
	A house attached to business premises separated only by a wall extending from foundation to ceiling.	<input type="checkbox"/> Attached House
	One of a set of houses (single or double storey) in a row of 3 or more separated only by walls extending from foundation to ceiling. (Exclude Villas or Cottage Units—see below).	<input type="checkbox"/> Terrace or Row House
	One of a group (three or more) of single or double storey houses separate or joined together in sets of 2 or more all occupying a common block of land.	<input type="checkbox"/> Home Unit Flat or Cottage Flat (Single or double storey only)
	(a) One of a block of multi-storey rental or owner-own flats or home units. (b) A self-contained flat in or attached to a house. (Tick this box if you live in the flat)	<input type="checkbox"/> HOUSE <input type="checkbox"/> S.C. FLAT
	(c) A pair of self-contained flats or home units. (d) A flat in or above business premises. (e) A self-contained flat situated on the same block of land as a house, but not attached to the house.	<input type="checkbox"/> (e)
	A non-self-contained part of a house, flat or other premises (including room or rooms).	<input type="checkbox"/> Shed, tent, garage, etc. occupied on a permanent or semi-permanent basis.
	Mobile unit occupied on a permanent or semi-permanent basis.	<input type="checkbox"/> Improvised Home

PARTICULARS OF DWELLING

D2.(a) Was this dwelling built after 30 June 1966?

- Yes No **→ Go to question D3**
o

(b) In what year was this dwelling built?

- 1966 1967 1968 1969 1970 1971
1 2 3 4 5 6

(c) What is the material of the outer walls of this building?

- If more than one, give main material.
(Tick one box only)
- 0 Brick Brick veneer Stone Fibro-cement
1 Metal Timber Concrete Other
(please describe)

D4. How many rooms are there in your dwelling?

- Do not count bathrooms, toilets, pantries, laundries, storerooms, halls or rooms used only for business purposes.
 - Count permanently enclosed sleep-outs.
 - Count a combined-purpose room, such as a living-dining, or a kitchen-dining room as one room.
- 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 or more
- A room shared with another household should be counted only by the principal householder. **C**

D5. How many bedrooms are there in your dwelling?

- Include also permanently enclosed sleep-out. If one-room apartment or bed-sitting room, tick 'none'.
- None 1 2 3 4 5 or more

D6. Does your household have the use of a bathroom?

- Yes, for this household only
 Yes, but used also by another household
 No

D7. Does your household have the use of a kitchen?

- Yes, for this household only
 Yes, but used also by another household
 No

D8. What is the method of sewage disposal for this dwelling?

- 1 Flush toilet connected to Public sewer
2 Flush toilet connected to individual system, e.g. septic tank
3 Sanitary pan collection
4 Other
- X** Other—describe

TURN OVER

D9. Does your household have the following facilities?

(Tick one box for each line)

- Electricity—
(i) Mains 1 0
(ii) Home generated 1 0
Gas—
(i) Mains 1 0
(ii) Bottled or L.P. 1 0
Television set 1 0

D10. Is this dwelling owned (or being purchased) by you or any usual member of your household?

- Yes **→ Go to question D12**
No

D11.(a) Do you or any usual member of your household pay rent for this dwelling?

- Yes **→ Go to question D12**
No

(b) To whom is this rent paid?

- 1 S.A. Housing Trust
2 Employer
3 Other landlord

(c) Is this dwelling rented furnished or unfurnished?

- 1 Furnished 0 Unfurnished

(d) What is the weekly rent?

- Include the weekly equivalent of any rates payable separately by this household; e.g. sanitation, garbage, water rates (other than excess water), etc.

D12.(e) Is this dwelling situated on a holding of one acre or more which is used principally for agricultural or pastoral purposes? (i.e. for any type of crop growing, animal or poultry farming?)

- No **→ Go to question D13**
Yes

(b) Is this dwelling less than one mile from the nearest Post Office?

- Yes **→ Go to question D13**
No

(c) What is the name of that Post Office?

- D13. Excluding this dwelling, how many dwellings (other than caravans or houseboats) are owned or being purchased by you (or any usual member of this household) in which you or they live sometime during each year (e.g. for holidays)?**

- (Tick one box only)
None 1 2 3 or more

D14. How many motor vehicles owned or driven by members of your household were garaged or parked at or near this dwelling for the night of Wednesday 30 June 1971?

- Exclude motor cycles, scooters, tractors.
• Include company vehicles kept at home.

- None 1 2 3 4 or more

PARTICULARS OF PERSON LISTED**ON LINE 1 OF PAGE 1**

8. If this person is now a child at school or a full-time or part-time student, print full name and address of school, university, college, etc.
(If not applicable, write 'N.A.')

Name of school, etc.
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9. What is this person's usual major activity?
(Tick one box only)

- Working in a job, trade, business or profession
- Child at primary or secondary school
- Engaged in home duties
- Full-time student (other than school child)
- Child not yet attending primary school
- Other, specify:

3. Was this person born in Australia?
Yes No

Give State or Territory of birth
No

Go to question 4

4. Give the country of birth of—
(Tick one box only)

- Australia
- Resident Give date of first arrival in Australia as a resident. Month Year _____
- Visitor Give date of arrival in Australia on this visit Month Year _____

(b) Give nationality or citizenship
(e.g. 'Australian', 'British', 'Greek', 'Italian', 'Stateless', etc.)
If Australian or British by naturalisation, write 'Australian' or 'British'.

(c) State whether a resident of Australia or a visitor to Australia
Resident Give date of first arrival in Australia as a resident. Month Year _____

Visitor Give date of arrival in Australia on this visit Month Year _____

5. Give the country of birth of—

- European origin
(e) this person's father
- Aboriginal origin
(d) this person's mother

(c) What is this person's racial origin?
(If of mixed origin indicate the one to which he considers himself to belong)
(Tick one box only or give one origin only)

- European origin
- 2
- Aboriginal origin
- 3 Torres Strait Islander origin
- 4 Other origin (Give one only)

6. What is this person's religious denomination?
(If no religion write 'none')

7. What is the highest level of schooling this person has ever attended?
(Tick one box only)

- Answer for all persons 5 years of age and over.
- If schooling was completed several years ago, in another state or overseas, give the grade which is most nearly the same.
- If now attending school give the present grade.

PERSONS UNDER 5 YEARS OF AGE NO MORE QUESTIONS

8. Is this person AT PRESENT married?
Yes No
Go to question 12

(b) What is the length of this PRESENT marriage?
(Include adoptions. Exclude still births)

- Now living _____ Not now living _____ Total _____
- (If less than 1 year, write '0')
- (Include adoptions. Exclude still births)
- Now living _____ Not now living _____ Total _____
- (If less than 1 year, write '0')

(c) How many babies has she had from this PRESENT marriage?
(Include adoptions. Exclude still births)

IF THE ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS 14 (i) and 14 (h)
WERE BOTH 'NO', ANSWER NO MORE QUESTIONS
FOR THIS PERSON

12. Is this person now doing a course leading to a trade or other qualification? Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Go to question 13	
Give full name of qualification for which studying (e.g. Automotive Engineering Certificate, B.Econ., etc.)	
13. Since leaving school has this person obtained a trade or other qualification? (e.g. apprenticeship certificate, diploma, degree) Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Go to question 14	
14. Did this person live in a city, town or village in June 1966? Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Give name of that city, town or village which was NEAREST (If overseas write 'O') Name of city, town or village State, Territory _____	
15. How many hours per week does this person usually work in the job or jobs held last week? Main job _____ hours Other job(s) _____ hours (If none write 'nil')	
IN QUESTIONS 16 TO 18 GIVE DETAILS OF THE JOB (OR MAIN JOB) HELD BY THIS PERSON LAST WEEK. (If this person changed jobs last week give details of present job.)	
16. In the job held last week, was this person— (Tick one box only) A wage or salary earner? <input type="checkbox"/> Conducting own business but not employing others? <input type="checkbox"/> Conducting own business and employing others? <input type="checkbox"/> A helper not receiving wages or salary? <input type="checkbox"/>	
17. (a) What is the full trading name of this person's own employer's business? (For government employees give full name of department) (b) What is the full name of the Division, or Branch, or Section (if any) in which he works? (c) What is the full address of the Division, or Branch, or Section (if any) in which he works? (Persons with no fixed place of work last week, e.g. taxi-drivers, airline pilots, etc., write 'N.A.') (d) What kind of industry, business or service is carried out at that address? (Use two or more words. For example, dairy farming, road construction, grain wholesaling, retail grocery, jewellery repairing, hospital administration, Public Service, etc.) Number: Street _____ Suburb or town _____ (USE BLOCK LETTERS)	
18. What was this person's occupation (kind of work) last week? (Where possible give award or government designation Otherwise describe as far as possible using two or more words. G builder's labourer, electrical fitter, retail shop proprietor, sharing contractor, insurance client.) _____ (USE BLOCK LETTERS)	

EXPLANATORY NOTES

The Householder's Schedule

The Householder's Schedule used for the 1971 Census of Population and Housing represents a major departure in design from that used at the 1966 and earlier Censuses. The single large sheet used previously, with provision for a maximum of 8 persons, was replaced by a booklet-type schedule with extensive use of the tick-box type question. In this schedule (a facsimile of which appears on pages ix to xii), the first page (page 1) provided for a list of persons in the dwelling, pages 2 and 3 contained questions relating to the dwelling, while the remaining 16 pages provided for two pages of questions to be completed in respect of each person listed on page 1.

The ordering of the questions was designed to minimise the number of questions to be answered by any one person. For persons under 5 years of age a maximum of 12 questions required an answer and 15 questions applied to those under 15 years of age. Males were not required to answer questions on issue and duration of marriage (Question 11) and only employed persons completed details of hours worked, occupational status, industry and occupation (Questions 15-18).

In the following notes on the individual topics appearing in this bulletin, reference to the specific question in the Householder's Schedule appears in parentheses.

Age (Column 4, page 1 of Schedule)

Before the 1954 Census, cases where age was not given were distributed to specific ages subsequent to tabulation in accordance with the frequency of stated ages. In the 1954 and later Censuses, ages were allocated by first establishing the minimum age range within which the correct age most probably lay (as indicated by answers to other questions on the Schedule) and then by selecting an age, within that range, from a table of random ages based on the most currently available data on age distribution.

Marital status (Column 5, page 1 of Schedule)

It will be seen from the wording of the question that the status referred to is that at the time of enumeration regardless of any previous status.

In the very small proportion of cases where the question on marital status was not answered a status was allocated as follows:

Males under 18 years and females under 17 years were allocated to 'never married' unless there was definite evidence to the contrary in other answers on the Schedule. For other persons 'never married' was imputed if Questions 10 and 11 were not answered, 'widowed' if 10(b) was answered, and 'now married' if the answer was 'yes' to the question 'Is this person at present married?' in Question 11(a). Otherwise a marital status was selected from a random list according to age, compiled from the most currently available data on the distribution of the population by age and marital status.

The labour force and occupational status (Questions 14 and 16, page 5 of Schedule)

The term 'labour force' is used throughout 1971 Census publications in place of 'work force' in conformity with the Bureau's quarterly population survey and with international usage.

The labour force is defined as those persons 15 years of age and over who answered 'Yes' to any of the four parts of Question 14. Thus the labour force comprises those persons who worked, those who had a job from which they were temporarily absent, those who were temporarily laid off without pay for the whole of the reference week *and* those who did not work, did not have a job and were actively looking for work.

Persons helping but not receiving wages or salary who usually worked less than 15 hours a week are excluded from the labour force. Bonded trainees (including trainee teachers) and cadets engaged in full-time study at educational institutions are also excluded, even though such institutions were conducted by their employer.

The unemployed members of the labour force are those persons who answered 'No' to Questions 14(a) and 14(b) and 'Yes' to Question 14(d) AND those who answered 'Yes' to Question 14(a), 'No' to Question 14(b) and 'Yes' to Question 14(c). Thus the unemployed consist of those persons who did no work during the reference week and either looked for work (having no job) or were temporarily laid off from a job.

The approach adopted in the 1971 Census for determining the labour force conforms closely to the recommendations of the Eighth International Conference of Labour Statisticians held in Geneva in 1954 and to the approach used at the 1966 Census.

According to the definition any labour force activity during the previous week, however little, results in the person being counted in the labour force.

Thus many persons whose main activity is not a labour force one (e.g. housewife, full-time student) are drawn into the labour force by virtue of part-time or occasional labour force activity in the previous week. Answers to Question 2 on the schedule indicate that there were substantially more of such persons at the Census of 1971 than at the Census of 1966 and that they were predominantly females.

On the other hand, the definition excludes persons who may frequently or usually participate in the labour force but who in the previous week happened to have withdrawn from the labour force. Answers to Question 2 on the schedule indicate that there were substantially more of such persons at the Census of 1971 than at the Census of 1966, especially among males.

A similar definition of the labour force is used in the quarterly population sample survey conducted by the Bureau by the method of personal interview. This survey is used to measure changes in the labour force from quarter to quarter in the intercensal period.

Evidence from post-enumeration surveys and pilot tests indicates that the personal interview approach tends to identify a larger number of persons as in the labour force than does the filling in of the census questions on the schedule by the householder and that this tendency has increased between the 1966 and 1971 Censuses.

The above considerations should be borne in mind if comparisons of the total labour force or labour force participation rates are made between the 1966 and 1971 Censuses, or between the 1971 Census and the 1971 labour force quarterly estimates.

The relationship between the terms 'occupational status', 'employment status' and 'labour force status' as used in 1971 Census publications is illustrated by the following classifications:

<i>Occupational status</i>	<i>Employment status</i>	<i>Labour force status</i>
1. Employer		
2. Self-employed	Employed	In the labour force
3. Employee		
4. Helper		
5. Looking for first job	Unemployed	
6. Other unemployed		
7. Not in the labour force	Not in the labour force	Not in the labour force

Usual major activity (Question 2, page 4 of Schedule)

The statistics in Table 2 show persons classified according to their stated *usual* major activity. This classification should not be confused with the labour force classification which is based on the actual activity of persons during the specific week prior to the Census. Thus the number of persons 'working in a job' represents those people who *usually* do so and therefore is unlikely to agree with the number of persons in the labour force.

Birthplace of parents (Question 4, page 4 of Schedule)

Birthplace (Question 3(a), page 4 of Schedule)

Nationality (Question 3(b), page 4 of Schedule)

British nationality includes all persons who, by virtue of the *Nationality and Citizenship Act 1948-1966* (Section 7 and Regulation 5A), are deemed to be British subjects. In a small number of cases persons of British nationality and birthplace have inadvertently been shown as having 'other' nationality rather than 'British'.

TABLE 3. (CONTINUED). AGE BY BIRTHPLACE OF PARENTS

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		PERSONS						
BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER	BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER	(IN YEARS)						
		0-4	5-9	AGE GROUP 10-14	15-19	20-24	25+	
AUSTRALIA	AUSTRALIA	53235	64707	71502	69754	63482	353132	685812
	UNITED KINGDOM,EIRE	4389	2918	2126	1562	1613	14525	27133
	ITALY	164	94	60	52	46	37	453
	GREECE	84	74	28	15	7	12	220
	GERMANY	739	315	114	44	27	495	1734
	YUGOSLAVIA	31	27	17	8	8	3	94
UNITED KINGDOM,EIRE	OTHER COUNTRIES	1660	1113	776	567	508	3319	7943
	AUSTRALIA	4369	3356	3108	2610	2608	27598	43559
	UNITED KINGDOM,EIRE	10209	16037	16910	13154	11568	104625	172503
	ITALY	36	44	39	38	36	28	221
	GREECE	10	4	7	13	9	13	56
	GERMANY	135	128	156	165	111	203	898
ITALY	YUGOSLAVIA	2	4	4	2	2	2	16
	OTHER COUNTRIES	513	511	474	446	405	2274	4623
	AUSTRALIA	1118	967	668	337	169	428	3687
	UNITED KINGDOM,EIRE	179	101	50	11	3	72	416
	ITALY	5308	6397	5647	3771	3784	25187	50094
	GREECE	18	11	3	1	1	9	43
GREECE	GERMANY	76	59	37	12	4	26	214
	YUGOSLAVIA	26	49	36	11	15	60	197
	OTHER COUNTRIES	180	163	103	45	44	402	937
	AUSTRALIA	289	179	177	118	78	179	1020
	UNITED KINGDOM,EIRE	52	26	15	6	8	37	144
	ITALY	7	2	1	2	1	7	20
GERMANY	GREECE	3206	3239	2697	1557	1668	12172	24539
	GERMANY	22	15	4	1	0	5	47
	YUGOSLAVIA	4	7	2	1	1	2	17
	OTHER COUNTRIES	69	44	27	27	34	228	429
	AUSTRALIA	932	609	475	174	86	2266	4542
	UNITED KINGDOM,EIRE	200	134	86	41	26	304	791
YUGOSLAVIA	ITALY	7	14	9	1	1	6	38
	GREECE	3	1	1	0	0	0	5
	GERMANY	731	1173	1457	1197	883	9799	15240
	YUGOSLAVIA	17	22	17	7	6	11	80
	OTHER COUNTRIES	195	175	174	135	100	529	1308
	AUSTRALIA	261	233	157	90	30	41	812
OTHER COUNTRIES	UNITED KINGDOM,EIRE	61	51	36	11	2	3	164
	ITALY	64	77	76	45	32	25	319
	GREECE	31	15	11	8	2	9	76
	GERMANY	88	81	90	130	109	41	539
	YUGOSLAVIA	988	950	910	670	802	5938	10258
	OTHER COUNTRIES	121	126	106	115	82	193	743
		2793	2386	2132	1388	705	5766	15170
		675	737	715	538	375	1956	4996
		76	83	97	55	44	225	580
		90	83	100	63	35	137	508
		363	396	524	619	502	674	3078
		69	76	59	79	61	174	518
		4054	5440	6428	7170	8299	55482	86873

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