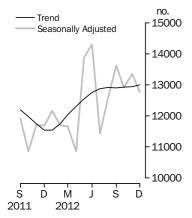


BUILDING APPROVALS

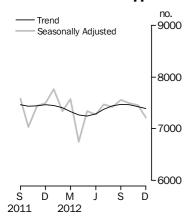
AUSTRALIA

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Dwelling units approved



Private sector houses approved



INQUIRIES

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KEY FIGURES

	Dec 12 no.	Nov 12 to Dec 12 % change	Dec 11 to Dec 12 % change
TREND			
Total dwelling units approved	13 005	0.5	12.7
Private sector houses	7 392	-0.5	-0.9
Private sector dwellings excluding houses	5 368	1.8	37.6
SEASONALLY ADJUSTED			
Total dwelling units approved	12 767	-4.4	9.3
Private sector houses	7 213	-3.3	-3.8
Private sector dwellings excluding houses	5 347	-5.4	31.7

KEY POINTS

TOTAL DWELLING UNITS

- The trend estimate for total dwellings approved rose 0.5% in December and has risen for three months.
- The seasonally adjusted estimate for total dwellings approved fell 4.4% in December following a rise of 3.4% in the previous month.

PRIVATE SECTOR HOUSES

- The trend estimate for private sector houses approved fell 0.5% in December and has fallen for three months.
- The seasonally adjusted estimate for private sector houses fell 3.3% in December and has fallen for three months.

PRIVATE SECTOR DWELLINGS EXCLUDING HOUSES

- The trend estimate for private sector dwellings excluding houses rose 1.8% in December and has risen for 3 months.
- The seasonally adjusted estimate for private sector dwellings excluding houses fell 5.4% in December following a rise of 11.5% in the previous month.

VALUE OF BUILDING APPROVED

- The trend estimate of the value of total building approved rose 0.9% in December after falling for five months. The value of residential building rose 0.1% following a fall of 0.2% in the previous month. The value of non-residential building rose 2.3% after falling for six months.
- The seasonally adjusted estimate of the value of total building approved fell 1.9% in December and has fallen for three months. The value of residential building fell 3.0% following a rise of 3.7% in the previous month. The value of non-residential building rose 0.1% following a fall of 10.0% in the previous month.

NOTES

FORTHCOMING	ISSILES	ISSUE	RELEASE DATE
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 January 2013
 4 March 2013

 February 2013
 4 April 2013

 March 2013
 2 May 2013

 April 2013
 30 May 2013

 May 2013
 4 July 2013

 June 2013
 30 July 2013

DATA NOTES

A number of time series spreadsheets contain 'np' (not available for publication) annotations. This is due to confidential data being contained in these series.

REVISIONS THIS MONTH

Revisions to the total number of dwelling units approved in this issue are:

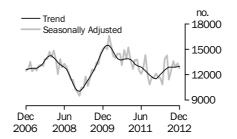
	2011–12	2012–13	TOTAL
NSW	147	48	195
Vic.		93	93
Qld SA	81	2	83
WA		24	-46
Tas.	-10 —	_	-40
NT	_	_	_
ACT	_	_	_
Total	158	167	325

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Australian Statistician

BUILDING APPROVALS AUSTRALIA

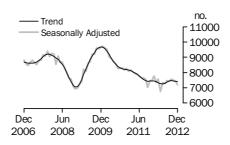
NUMBER OF TOTAL DWELLING UNITS



The trend estimate for Australia rose 0.5% in December.

In seasonally adjusted terms the estimate fell 4.4% to 12,767 dwellings.

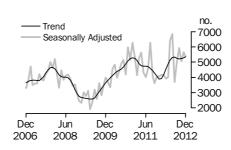
NUMBER OF PRIVATE SECTOR HOUSES



The trend estimate for private sector houses approved fell 0.5% in December.

In seasonally adjusted terms the estimate fell 3.3% to 7,213 houses.

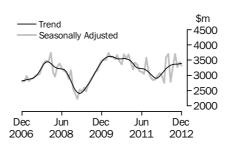
NUMBER OF PRIVATE SECTOR DWELLINGS EXCLUDING HOUSES



The trend estimate for private sector dwelling units excluding houses rose 1.8% in December.

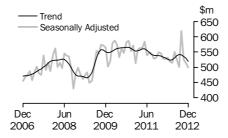
In seasonally adjusted terms the estimate fell 5.4% to 5,347 dwellings.

VALUE OF NEW
RESIDENTIAL BUILDING



The trend estimate for the value of new residential building approved rose 0.4% in December and has risen for 11 months.

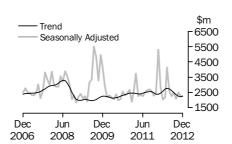
VALUE OF ALTERATIONS AND ADDITIONS TO RESIDENTIAL BUILDING



The trend estimate for the value of alterations and additions to residential building fell 1.8% in December and has fallen for four months.

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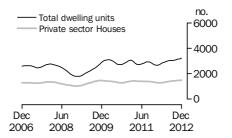
NON-RESIDENTIAL
BUILDING



The trend estimate for the value of non-residential building approved rose 2.3% in December after falling for six months.

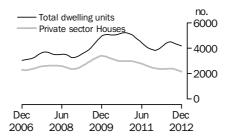
DWELLING UNITS APPROVED STATE TRENDS

NEW SOUTH WALES



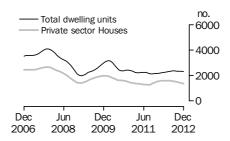
The trend estimate for total number of dwelling units approved in New South Wales rose 1.5% in December and has risen for 11 months. The trend estimate for the number of private sector houses rose 0.8% in December and has risen for ten months.

VICTORIA



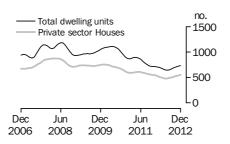
The trend estimate for total number of dwelling units approved in Victoria fell 1.0% in December and has fallen for five months. The trend estimate for the number of private sector houses fell 2.8% in December and has fallen for five months.

QUEENSLAND



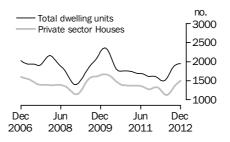
The trend estimate for total number of dwelling units approved in Queensland fell 0.4% in December and has fallen for five months. The trend estimate for the number of private sector houses fell 2.5% in December and has fallen for six months.

SOUTH AUSTRALIA



The trend estimate for total number of dwelling units approved in South Australia rose 1.4% in December and has risen for six months. The trend estimate for the number of private sector houses rose 1.9% in December and has risen for seven months.

WESTERN AUSTRALIA



The trend estimate for total number of dwelling units approved in Western Australia was flat in December after rising for seven months. The trend estimate for the number of private sector houses rose 2.8% in December and has risen for six months.

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	Private	Total	Private	Total	Private	Public	Total
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2009–10	111 390	115 058	44 670	56 456	156 060	15 454	171 514
2010-11	97 820	99 856	60 035	64 578	157 856	6 579	164 435
2011–12	89 001	90 332	56 476	57 735	145 477	2 590	148 067
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2012	E 000	E 077	0.727	0.016	0.617	176	0.702
January	5 880	5 977	2 737	2 816	8 617	176	8 793
February	7 414	7 537	4 021	4 057	11 435	159	11 594
March	7 926	8 074	4 240	4 272	12 166	180	12 346
April	5 775	5 810	3 690	3 748	9 465	93	9 558
May	8 161	8 233	6 758	6 832	14 919	146	15 065
June	7 436	7 589	7 405	7 453	14 841	201	15 042
July	7 865	8 112	3 653	3 691	11 518	285	11 803
August	8 341	8 468	5 137	5 157	13 478	147	13 625
September	7 546	7 656	6 723	6 740	14 269	127	14 396
October	8 500	8 600	5 554	5 804	14 056	350	14 406
November	8 055	8 220	5 655	5 768	13 710	280	13 990
December	5 952	6 069	5 315	5 384	11 267	186	11 453
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2012	7 705	7.040	4.400	4.054	44.004	004	40.404
January	7 765	7 913	4 169	4 251	11 934	231	12 164
February	7 338	7 482	4 176	4 212	11 514	181	11 695
March	7 573	7 710	3 918	3 946	11 491	165	11 656
April	6 748	6 785	4 013	4 066	10 760	91	10 851
May	7 341	7 412	6 401	6 475	13 742	144	13 886
June	7 275	7 404	6 849	6 895	14 124	175	14 299
July	7 473	7 694	3 691	3 729	11 164	259	11 423
August	7 418	7 532	4 997	5 024	12 415	141	12 556
September	7 561	7 678	5 926	5 943	13 487	134	13 620
October	7 497	7 599	5 070	5 319	12 566	351	12 918
November	7 459	7 596	5 651	5 754	13 110	241	13 351
December	7 213	7 339	5 347	5 428	12 560	207	12 767
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2012	7 450	7 500	2.040	2.005	14 202	405	44 500
January	7 450	7 568	3 918	3 965	11 368	165	11 533
February	7 405	7 516	4 174	4 223	11 580	160	11 739
March	7 335	7 441	4 540	4 591	11 875	157	12 032
April	7 269	7 375	4 878	4 924	12 147	153	12 300
May	7 245	7 357	5 144	5 186	12 390	154	12 543
June	7 291	7 412	5 301	5 343	12 592	163	12 755
July	7 374	7 503	5 327	5 378	12 701	181	12 881
August	7 444	7 579	5 270	5 336	12 714	201	12 915
September	7 473	7 607	5 213	5 297	12 686	218	12 904
October	7 462	7 590	5 228	5 331	12 691	231	12 921
November	7 426	7 550	5 270	5 387	12 697	240	12 937
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2009–10	33 429	57 076	33 889	12 560	25 363	3 233	1 425	4 539	171 514			
2010-11	33 540	60 548	27 592	11 387	20 871	3 089	1 542	5 866	164 435			
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2012												
January	2 239	2 677	1 570	551	1 401	142	126	87	8 793			
February	1 922	4 325	2 364	741	1 684	191	46	321	11 594			
March	3 194	3 700	2 166	800	2 011	169	63	243	12 346			
April	2 176	3 554	1 975	502	804	159	189	199	9 558			
May	3 829	5 221	2 454	742	1 431	181	233	974	15 065			
June	3 159	5 852	2 853	642	1 972	164	114	286	15 042			
July	3 058	3 736	2 241	677	1 645	183	66	197	11 803			
August	2 527	5 052	2 560	709	2 112	178	262	225	13 625			
September	3 393	5 261	2 487	653	1 842	151	435	174	14 396			
October	4 159	4 173	2 677	886	2 017	181	68	245	14 406			
November	3 575	4 454	2 266	753	2 135	157	162	488	13 990			
December	3 066	3 380	2 127	612	1 753	108	108	299	11 453			
SEASONALLY ADJUSTED												
2012												
January	3 434	3 723	2 087	702	1 739	171	na	na	12 164			
February	2 114	4 266	2 337	750	1 672	187	na	na	11 695			
March	2 983	3 513	2 086	779	1 838	168	na	na	11 656			
April	2 568	4 081	2 060	558	995	183	na	na	10 851			
May	3 233	5 094	2 271	650	1 310	160	na	na	13 886			
June	3 373	5 129	2 776	668	1 788	166	na	na	14 299			
July	3 053	3 345	2 228	638	1 736	166	na	na	11 423			
August	2 511	4 619	2 292	653	1 874	164	na	na	12 556			
September	3 125	4 790	2 391	655	1 902	150	na	na	13 620			
October	3 373	4 045	2 308	804	1 917	175	na	na	12 918			
November	3 217	4 480	2 256	703	1 919	152	na	na	13 351			
December	3 176	3 930	2 435	715	1 944	119	na	na	12 767			
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2012												
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February	2 724	3 984	2 208	700	1 558	173	102	291	11 739			
March	2 834	4 127	2 240	686	1 513	175	119	338	12 032			
April	2 908	4 271	2 264	668	1 489	173	137	388	12 300			
May	2 964	4 397	2 302	651	1 509	170	148	402	12 543			
June	3 010	4 488	2 347	643	1 580	167	147	371	12 755			
July	3 044	4 495	2 374	650	1 694	165	140	319	12 881			
August	3 060	4 446	2 369	670	1 808	163	129	270	12 915			
September	3 080	4 366	2 349	693	1 888	160	118	250	12 904			
October	3 122	4 297	2 332	711	1 929	155	113	262	12 921			
November	3 166	4 228	2 325	723	1 950	149	111	285	12 937			
December	3 213	4 188	2 315	733	1 949	142	116	349	13 005			



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2009-10													
2010-11	0.3	6.1	-18.6	-9.3	-17.7	-4.5	8.2	29.2	-4.1				
2011–12	3.4	-16.7	-2.8	-25.0	-8.1	-31.8	-7.0	-17.1	-10.0				
2012													
January	-9.4	-17.2	-30.5	-3.5	-5.3	-19.8	250.0	-77.0	-17.1				
February	-14.2	61.6	50.6	34.5	20.2	34.5	-63.5	269.0	31.9				
March	66.2	-14.5	-8.4	8.0	19.4	-11.5	37.0	-24.3	6.5				
April	-31.9	-3.9	-8.8	-37.3	-60.0	-5.9	200.0	-18.1	-22.6				
May	76.0	46.9	24.3	47.8	78.0	13.8	23.3	389.4	57.6				
June	-17.5	12.1	16.3	-13.5	37.8	-9.4	-51.1	-70.6	-0.2				
July	-3.2	-36.2	-21.5	5.5	-16.6	11.6	-42.1	-31.1	-21.5				
August	-17.4	35.2	14.2	4.7	28.4	-2.7	297.0	14.2	15.4				
September	34.3	4.1	-2.9	-7.9	-12.8	-15.2	66.0	-22.7	5.7				
October	22.6	-20.7	7.6	35.7	9.5	19.9	-84.4	40.8	0.1				
November	-14.0	6.7	-15.4	-15.0	5.9	-13.3	138.2	99.2	-2.9				
December	-14.2	-24.1	-6.1	-18.7	-17.9	-31.2	-33.3	-38.7	-18.1				
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2012													
January	38.0	-1.5	-19.9	8.7	11.7	-1.2	na	na	4.1				
February	-38.4	14.6	12.0	6.8	-3.8	9.6	na	na	-3.9				
March	41.1	-17.7	-10.7	3.9	9.9	-10.3	na	na	-0.3				
April	-13.9	16.2	-1.3	-28.4	-45.9	8.6	na	na	-6.9				
May	25.9	24.8	10.3	16.5	31.6	-12.5	na	na	28.0				
June	4.3	0.7	22.2	2.7	36.5	4.0	na	na	3.0				
July	-9.5	-34.8	-19.7	-4.5	-2.9	0.1	na	na	-20.1				
August	-17.7 24.4	38.1 3.7	2.9 4.4	2.4	7.9	-1.3	na	na	9.9				
September October	7.9	-15.5	-3.5	0.3 22.7	1.5 0.8	–8.7 16.9	na	na	8.5 -5.2				
November	-4.6	10.7	-3.5 -2.2	-12.6	0.8	-13.1	na na	na na	3.4				
December	-4.0 -1.3	-12.3	-2.2 7.9	1.7	1.3	-13.1 -21.8	na	na	-4.4				
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2012													
January	-1.1	1.1	0.8	-0.7	-1.4	0.9	13.4	-6.5	-0.1				
February	2.6	3.0	1.4	-1.3	-2.7	1.3	16.5	8.7	1.8				
March	4.0	3.6	1.4	-1.9	-2.9	1.0	17.3	16.0	2.5				
April	2.6	3.5	1.1	-2.6	-1.6	-0.8	15.0	15.0	2.2				
May	1.9	3.0	1.7	-2.6	1.3	-2.0	7.6	3.6	2.0				
June	1.6	2.1	2.0	-1.2	4.7	-1.7	-0.2	-7.7	1.7				
July	1.1	0.2	1.2	1.0	7.2	-1.1	-4.9	-14.0	1.0				
August	0.5	-1.1	-0.2	3.1	6.8	-1.3	-8.3	-15.3	0.3				
September	0.7	-1.8	-0.9	3.4	4.4	-2.2	-8.3	-7.7	-0.1				
October	1.4	-1.6	-0.7	2.6	2.2	-3.2	-4.0	4.8	0.1				
November	1.4	-1.6	-0.3	1.8	1.1	-3.8	-1.5	8.8	0.1				
December	1.5	-1.0	-0.4	1.4	_	-4.6	3.9	22.5	0.5				

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Period	no.	no.	no.	no.	no.	no.	no.	no.	no.				
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ORIGINAL													
2009–10	16 847	38 587	22 348	8 811	19 454	2 518	657	2 168	111 390				
2010-11	16 269	35 228	17 622	7 652	16 636	2 156	418	1 839	97 820				
2011-12	16 207	29 696	17 573	6 389	15 090	1 687	585	1 774	89 001				
2012													
January	1 000	1 700	1 251	443	1 248	122	30	86	5 880				
February	1 247	2 425	1 656	484	1 255	147	28	172	7 414				
March	1 334	2 406	1 729	594	1 507	144	60	152	7 926				
April	1 075	1 987	1 283	364	769	111	50	136	5 775				
May	1 551	2 648	1 763	556	1 220	139	84	200	8 161				
June	1 315	2 494	1 714	463	1 156	121	69	104	7 436				
July	1 620	2 619	1 677	521	1 110	124	43	151	7 865				
August	1 526	2 674	1 767	557	1 433	135	81	168	8 341				
September	1 421	2 460	1 410	509	1 423	135	38	150	7 546				
October	1 770	2 586	1 589	640	1 556	164	56	139	8 500				
November	1 590	2 367	1 443	579	1 693	129	83	171	8 055				
December	1 258	1 577	1 139	474	1 261	87	33	123	5 952				
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		SI	EASONA	LLY AD	JUSTED								
2012													
January	1 280	2 376	1 654	572	1 531	na	na	na	7 765				
February	1 270	2 362	1 613	492	1 257	na	na	na	7 338				
March	1 292	2 279	1 605	575	1 492	na	na	na	7 573				
April	1 314	2 326	1 405	412	952	na	na	na	6 748				
May	1 355	2 442	1 594	487	1 095	na	na	na	7 341				
June	1 319	2 372	1 680	491	1 118	na	na	na	7 275				
July	1 525	2 385	1 630	490	1 133	na	na	na	7 473				
August	1 378	2 380	1 553	504	1 267	na	na	na	7 418				
September	1 411	2 426	1 479	512	1 416	na	na	na	7 561				
October	1 539	2 277	1 400	552	1 394	na	na	na	7 497				
November	1 471	2 267	1 354	522	1 494	na	na	na	7 459				
December	1 489	1 978	1 425	569	1 461	na	na	na	7 213				
			Т	REND									
2012													
January	1 304	2 391	1 559	535	1 334	na	na	na	7 450				
February	1 290	2 369	1 579	520	1 312	na	na	na	7 405				
March	1 294	2 353	1 588	504	1 256	na	na	na	7 335				
April	1 313	2 352	1 590	489	1 185	na	na	na	7 269				
May	1 343	2 364	1 592	482	1 132	na	na	na	7 245				
June	1 377	2 390	1 592	482	1 125	na	na	na	7 291				
July	1 407	2 400	1 577	490	1 175	na	na	na	7 374				
August	1 433	2 383	1 544	504	1 256	na	na	na	7 444				
September	1 454	2 339	1 496	519	1 340	na	na	na	7 473				
October	1 472	2 281	1 445	532	1 407	na	na	na	7 462				
November	1 486	2 214	1 401	542	1 459	na	na	na	7 426				
December	1 498	2 151	1 366	553	1 499	na	na	na	7 392				
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2009–10	25.9	27.4	14.3	-0.9	25.4	-0.2	10.8	54.2	20.9		
2010-11	-3.4	-8.7	-21.1	-13.2	-14.5	-14.4	-36.4	-15.2	-12.2		
2011–12	-0.4	-15.7	-0.3	-16.5	-9.3	-21.8	40.0	-3.5	-9.0		
2012											
January	-14.5	-17.5	1.8	0.2	3.7	-20.8	25.0	-34.4	-8.3		
February	24.7	42.6	32.4	9.3	0.6	20.5	-6.7	100.0	26.1		
March	7.0	-0.8	4.4	22.7	20.1	-2.0	114.3	-11.6	6.9		
April	-19.4	-17.4	-25.8	-38.7	-49.0 E8.6	-22.9	-16.7	-10.5	-27.1 41.3		
May June	44.3 -15.2	33.3 -5.8	37.4 -2.8	52.7 –16.7	58.6 -5.2	25.2 -12.9	68.0 –17.9	47.1 -48.0	-8.9		
July	23.2	-5.8 5.0	-2.8 -2.2	12.5	-3.2 -4.0	2.5	-17.9 -37.7	45.2	-6.9 5.8		
August	-5.8	2.1	5.4	6.9	29.1	8.9	88.4	11.3	6.1		
September	-6.9	-8.0	-20.2	-8.6	-0.7	_	-53.1	-10.7	-9.5		
October	24.6	5.1	12.7	25.7	9.3	21.5	47.4	-7.3	12.6		
November	-10.2	-8.5	-9.2	-9.5	8.8	-21.3	48.2	23.0	-5.2		
December	-20.9	-33.4	-21.1	-18.1	-25.5	-32.6	-60.2	-28.1	-26.1		
SEASONALLY ADJUSTED											
2012											
January	-3.5	-4.9	9.0	11.4	16.3	na	na	na	3.6		
February	-0.8	-0.6	-2.5	-14.1	-17.9	na	na	na	-5.5		
March	1.7	-3.5	-0.5	16.9	18.7	na	na	na	3.2		
April	1.7	2.1	-12.4	-28.3	-36.2	na	na	na	-10.9		
May	3.2	5.0	13.4	18.0	15.0	na	na	na	8.8		
June	-2.7	-2.9	5.4	0.9	2.1	na	na	na	-0.9		
July	15.6	0.6	-3.0	-0.3	1.4	na	na	na	2.7		
August	-9.7	-0.2	-4.7	3.0	11.9	na	na	na	-0.7		
September	2.4	1.9	-4.7	1.5	11.7	na	na	na	1.9		
October	9.0	-6.1	-5.4	7.8	-1.5	na	na	na	-0.8		
November	-4.4	-0.5	-3.3	-5.4	7.1	na	na	na	-0.5		
December	1.2	-12.7	5.2	9.0	-2.2	na	na	na	-3.3		
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				TREND							
2012											
January	-1.9	-1.3	2.8	-2.1	1.0	na	na	na	-0.1		
February	-1.0	-0.9	1.3	-2.9	-1.7	na	na	na	-0.6		
March	0.3	-0.7	0.5	-3.1	-4.3	na	na	na	-1.0		
April	1.5	-0.1	0.1	-2.8	-5.6	na	na	na	-0.9		
May	2.2	0.5	0.1	-1.6	-4.5	na	na	na	-0.3		
June	2.5	1.1	_	0.1	-0.6	na	na	na	0.6		
July	2.2	0.4	-0.9	1.7	4.4	na	na	na	1.1		
August	1.8	-0.7	-2.1	2.8	6.9	na	na	na	1.0		
September October	1.5 1.2	−1.8 −2.5	−3.1 −3.4	2.9 2.4	6.7 5.1	na na	na	na	0.4 -0.1		
November	1.0	-2.5 -2.9	-3.4 -3.1	2.4	3.6	na	na na	na na	-0.1 -0.5		
December	0.8	-2.9 -2.8	-3.1 -2.5	1.9	2.8	na	na	na	-0.5 -0.5		
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Period	no.	no.	no.	no.	no.	no.	no.	no.	no.
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2009–10	17 073	39 087	22 924	9 969	20 381	2 551	865	2 208	115 058
2010–11	16 441	35 485	17 890	8 193	17 162	2 206	633	1 846	99 856
2011–12	16 344	29 860	17 743	6 752	15 460	1 716	673	1 784	90 332
2012									
January	1 001	1 708	1 254	477	1 274	123	53	87	5 977
February	1 256	2 434	1 663	567	1 268	148	28	173	7 537
March	1 349	2 409	1 764	651	1 536	149	61	155	8 074
April	1 079	1 989	1 287	374	772	112	61	136	5 810
May	1 559	2 649	1 769	592	1 238	141	85	200	8 233
June	1 329	2 508	1 735	473	1 229	126	85	104	7 589
July	1 639	2 626	1 699	569	1 222	124	56	177	8 112
August	1 538	2 676	1 787	582	1 476	135	105	169	8 468
September	1 434	2 469	1 424	547	1 449	135	48	150	7 656
October	1 777	2 603	1 607	669	1 584	164	57	139	8 600
November	1 607	2 408	1 451	616	1 755	129	83	171	8 220
December	1 260	1 583	1 147	495	1 337	91	33	123	6 069
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2009–10	16 356	17 989	10 965	2 591	4 982	682	560	2 331	56 456
2010-11	17 098	25 063	9 702	3 194	3 709	883	909	4 020	
2010-11 2011-12	18 347	20 555	9 079	1 793	3 709	392	761	3 079	64 578 57 735
	10 547	20 333	3013	1 1 33	3 123	392	701	3013	31 133
2012									
January	1 238	969	316	74	127	19	73	_	2 816
February	666	1 891	701	174	416	43	18	148	4 057
March	1 845	1 291	402	149	475	20	2	88	4 272
April	1 097	1 565	688	128	32	47	128	63	3 748
May	2 270	2 572	685	150	193	40	148	774	6 832
June	1 830	3 344	1 118	169	743	38	29	182	7 453
July	1 419 989	1 110 2 376	542 773	108 127	423 636	59 43	10 157	20 56	3 691 5 157
August									
September October	1 959 2 381	2 792 1 569	1 063 1 070	106 217	393 433	16 17	387 11	24 106	6 740 5 804
November	2 381 1 968	2 045	815	217 137	433 379	28	79	317	5 804 5 768
December	1 806	2 045 1 797	980	117	416	28 17	79 75	176	5 768 5 384
December	1 000	T 191	980	TT1	410	Τ1	15	110	o 384
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2009–10	33 429	57 076	33 889	12 560	25 363	3 233	1 425	4 539	171 514
2010-11	33 540	60 548	27 592	11 387	20 871	3 089	1 542	5 866	164 435
2011–12	34 691	50 415	26 822	8 545	19 189	2 108	1 434	4 863	148 067
2012									
January	2 239	2 677	1 570	551	1 401	142	126	87	8 793
February	1 922	4 325	2 364	741	1 684	191	46	321	11 594
i Cordary	3 194	3 700	2 166	800	2 011	169	63	243	12 346
March		3 554	1 975	502	804	159	189	199	9 558
•	2 176		2 454	742	1 431	181	233	974	15 065
March	2 176 3 829	5 221	0 .		1.070	164	114	286	15 042
March April		5 221 5 852	2 853	642	1 972				
March April May	3 829			642 677	1 645	183	66	197	11 803
March April May June	3 829 3 159	5 852	2 853					197 225	
March Á April May June July	3 829 3 159 3 058	5 852 3 736	2 853 2 241	677	1 645	183	66		13 625
March April May June July August	3 829 3 159 3 058 2 527	5 852 3 736 5 052	2 853 2 241 2 560	677 709	1 645 2 112	183 178	66 262	225	13 625 14 396
March April May June July August September	3 829 3 159 3 058 2 527 3 393	5 852 3 736 5 052 5 261	2 853 2 241 2 560 2 487	677 709 653	1 645 2 112 1 842	183 178 151	66 262 435	225 174	11 803 13 625 14 396 14 406 13 990

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	Greater Sydney	Greater Melbourne	Greater Brisbane	Greater Adelaide	Greater Perth	Greater Hobart	Greater Darwin	Capital Territory		
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			НО	USES						
2011–12	8 653	20 100	7 168	4 730	12 097	660	549	1 784		
2012										
January	475	1 044	530	333	1 043	45	28	87		
February	654	1 651	670	412	1 018	60	25	173		
March	761	1 624	740	478	1 220	65	52	155		
April	553	1 275	526	243	629	42	55	136		
May	854	1 759	722	390	958	57	70	200		
June	695	1 630	680	322	896 905	49 5.4	79 51	104		
July August	960 782	1 728 1 814	643 643	370 395	1 103	54 47	51 96	177 169		
September	794	1 632	551	391	1 103	52	45	150		
October	1 045	1 821	567	377	1 231	59	48	139		
November	904	1 595	561	426	1 386	52	74	171		
December	745	1 079	407	354	999	35	29	123		
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DWELLINGS EXCLUDING HOUSES										
2011–12	16 290	19 704	6 105	1 599	2 896	161	706	3 079		
2012										
January	1 180	908	194	72	117	5	70	_		
February	490	1 818	444	154	111	4	18	148		
March	1 679	1 226	288	139	458	10	1	88		
April	989	1 504	414	126	32	36	128	63		
May	2 005	2 486	368	138	177	4	145	774		
June	1 703	3 264	769	149	589	21	29	182		
July	1 267	1 031	317	104	265	41	6	20		
August	858	2 290	400	116	394	22	157	56		
September	1 830	2 641	770	102	350	_	387	24		
October	2 228	1 520	520	213	390	6	5	106		
November December	1 668 1 590	1 975 1 761	452 655	133 108	255 358	9 7	77 75	317 176		
December	1 390	1701	055	106	336	,	15	170		
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2011–12	24 943	39 804	13 273	6 329	14 993	821	1 255	4 863		
2012										
January	1 655	1 952	724	405	1 160	50	98	87		
February	1 144	3 469	1 114	566	1 129	64	43	321		
March	2 440	2 850	1 028	617	1 678	75	53	243		
April	1 542	2 779	940	369	661	78	183	199		
May June	2 859	4 245	1 090	528 471	1 135	61 70	215	974		
June July	2 398 2 227	4 894 2 759	1 449 960	471 474	1 485 1 170	70 95	108 57	286 197		
July August	2 227 1 640	2 759 4 104	1 043	511	1 497	95 69	253	225		
September	2 624	4 273	1 321	493	1 497	52	432	174		
October	3 273	3 341	1 087	590	1 621	65	53 53	245		
November	2 572	3 570	1 013	559	1 642	61	151	488		
December	2 335	2 840	1 062	462	1 357	42	104	299		

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⁽a) For further information about the geographic lassification refer to the Explanatory Notes.

	New houses	New other residential building	Alterations and additions to residential building creating dwellings	Conversions	Non-residential building	Total dwelling units
Period	no.	no.	no.	no.	no.	no.
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2009–10	111 269	43 979	241	375	196	156 060
2010-11	97 666	58 812	495	690	193	157 856
2011–12	88 848	54 881	584	378	786	145 477
2012						
January	5 874	2 677	34	19	13	8 617
February	7 408	3 977	10 53	26 29	14	11 435
March April	7 912 5 768	4 095 3 656	53 10	29 29	77 2	12 166 9 465
May	8 134	6 677	34	61	13	14 919
June	7 420	7 055	36	13	317	14 841
July	7 853	3 363	69	15	218	11 518
August	8 320	4 898	65	84	111	13 478
September	7 528	6 182	39	512	8	14 269
October	8 470	5 385	88	68	45	14 056
November	8 005	5 567	102	20	16	13 710
December	5 931	5 255	60	11	10	11 267
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2009–10	3 667	11 765	9	_	13	15 454
2010-11	2 032	4 483	38	17	9	6 579
2011-12	1 328	1 191	23	23	25	2 590
2012						
January	97	61	_	_	18	176
February	122	36	_	1	_	159
March	148	28	_	_	4	180
April	34	53	4	2	_	93
May	72	69	4	_	1	146
June	152	47	_	1	1	201
July	247	37	1	_	_	285
August	126	20	1	_	_	147
September	110	16		_	1	127
October	99	240	11	_	_	350
November December	159 117	81 69	39		1	280 186
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2009-10	114 936	55 744	250	375	209	171 514
2010-11	99 698	63 295	533	707	202	164 435
2011–12	90 176	56 072	607	401	811	148 067
2012						
January	5 971	2 738	34	19	31	8 793
February	7 530	4 013	10	27	14	11 594
March	8 060	4 123	53	29	81	12 346
April May	5 802 8 206	3 709 6 746	14 38	31 61	2 14	9 558 15 065
June	8 206 7 572	7 102	38 36	14	318	15 065 15 042
July	8 100	3 400	70	15	218	15 042 11 803
August	8 446	4 918	66	84	111	13 625
September	7 638	6 198	39	512	9	14 396
October	8 569	5 625	99	68	45	14 406
November	8 164	5 648	141	20	17	13 990
December	6 048	5 324	60	11	10	11 453

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NEW SEMIDETACHED, ROW OR TERRACE HOUSES, NEW FLATS, UNITS OR

TOWNHOUSES, ETC. OF APARTMENTS IN A BUILDING OF

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	New	One	Two or		One	Thron	Four or		other	Total new residential
Period	Houses	storey	more storeys	Total	or two storeys	Three storeys	more storeys	Total	residential building	residentiai building
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				DWELLI	NG UNITS	(no.)				
2009–10	114 936	13 315	10 915	24 230	8 981	3 966	18 567	31 514	55 744	170 680
2010–11	99 698	10 898	11 682	22 580	4 171	4 109	32 435	40 715	63 295	162 993
2011–12	90 176	7 150	10 118	17 268	3 792	3 618	31 394	38 804	56 072	146 248
2011										
October	7 492	771	838	1 609	284	274	1 771	2 329	3 938	11 430
November	8 171	598	962	1 560	296	340	1 775	2 411	3 971	12 142
December	6 475	519	1 025	1 544	186	291	1 987	2 464	4 008	10 483
2012										
January	5 971	370	390	760	166	184	1 628	1 978	2 738	8 709
February	7 530	556	813	1 369	232	513	1 899	2 644	4 013	11 543
March	8 060	659	1 074	1 733	335	250	1 805	2 390	4 123	12 183
April	5 802	443	611	1 054	369	204	2 082	2 655	3 709	9 511
May	8 206	688	820	1 508	507	321	4 410	5 238	6 746	14 952
June	7 572	581	882	1 463	470	200	4 969	5 639	7 102	14 674
July	8 100	537	654	1 191	550	315	1 344	2 209	3 400	11 500
August	8 446	771	1 086	1 857	1 413	192	1 456	3 061	4 918	13 364
September	7 638	541	994	1 535	1 081	191	3 391	4 663	6 198	13 836
October	8 569	1 157	890	2 047	689	216	2 673	3 578	5 625	14 194
November	8 164	1 179	977	2 156	599	125	2 768	3 492	5 648	13 812
December	6 048	773	851	1 624	752	354	2 594	3 700	5 324	11 372
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2009–10	28 505.4	2 417.9	2 325.9	4 743.7	1 786.8	713.1	4 737.3	7 237.2	11 980.9	40 486.3
2010–11	26 597.6	1 939.5	2 500.8	4 440.4	836.8	941.0	8 177.1	9 955.0	14 395.3	40 992.9
2011–12	24 464.9	1 319.5	2 199.6	3 519.2	776.3	786.9	8 242.8	9 806.0	13 325.2	37 790.1
2011										
October	2 024.6	145.2	179.4	324.6	53.4	61.9	523.4	638.7	963.3	2 987.9
November	2 232.8	96.6	202.2	298.9	59.7	65.2	427.9	552.8	851.7	3 084.4
December	1 750.1	91.5	209.8	301.4	35.1	52.5	460.9	548.4	849.8	2 599.8
2012										
January	1 594.8	70.1	95.9	166.0	31.6	40.9	423.8	496.2	662.2	2 257.0
February	2 053.5	93.1	188.4	281.5	52.9	101.5	541.3	695.7	977.2	3 030.7
March	2 184.1	127.3	212.3	339.7	64.8	54.7	484.8	604.3	944.0	3 128.1
April	1 594.1	78.4	140.4	218.8	91.1	68.1	586.3	745.5	964.4	2 558.5
May	2 318.9	121.7	185.6	307.3	100.3	63.8	1 075.3	1 239.4	1 546.7	3 865.5
June	2 088.3	112.9	193.1	306.1	110.0	37.0	1 287.5	1 434.6	1 740.7	3 829.0
July	2 175.4	104.6	153.8	258.5	102.8	50.9	385.2	538.9	797.4	2 972.8
August	2 282.5	144.7	288.5	433.2	418.2	32.9	369.8	820.9	1 254.1	3 536.6
September	2 037.7	103.5	180.1	283.5	188.7	39.7	1 169.8	1 398.2	1 681.7	3 719.5
		202.3			137.7		704.4	899.1	1 306.5	3 617.7
October	2 311.2	202.3	205.1	407.4	131.1	57.0	104.4		1 300.3	0 011.1
October November	2 311.2	202.3	205.1	407.4 453.9	112.4	26.7	730.4	869.5	1 323.5	3 587.9

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Alterations

		Aiterations			
		and additions			
		including			
	New	conversions	Total	Non-	
	residential	to residential	residential	residential	Total
	building	buildings	building	building	building
Period	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
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		ORI	GINAL		
2009-10	40 486.3	6 612.6	47 098.9	40 018.4	87 117.4
2010–11	40 992.9	6 744.9	47 737.9	29 227.8	76 965.6
2011–12	37 790.1	6 422.8	44 212.9	34 438.9	78 651.8
2012					
January	2 257.0	399.0	2 656.0	5 150.9	7 806.9
February	3 030.7	520.5	3 551.2	2 883.7	6 434.9
March	3 128.1	548.3	3 676.5	2 118.8	5 795.3
April	2 558.5	450.7	3 009.1	1 875.0	4 884.2
May	3 865.5	570.6	4 436.2	4 001.5	8 437.6
June	3 829.0	532.1	4 361.1	2 705.6	7 066.7
July	2 972.8	552.5	3 525.3	2 215.9	5 741.2
•	3 536.6	581.2	4 117.8	3 054.5	7 172.2
August					
September	3 719.5	653.9	4 373.4	2 106.5	6 479.9
October	3 617.7	614.7	4 232.4	2 779.5	7 011.9
November	3 587.9	542.1	4 130.0	2 232.5	6 362.5
December	2 917.4	394.3	3 311.7	1 920.0	5 231.7
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		SEASONAL	LY ADJUSTE)	
2012					
	2.079.2	E00 0	3 507.1	5 307.9	8 815.0
January	2 978.3	528.8			
February	3 069.7	526.9	3 596.7	2 818.8	6 415.5
March	3 010.0	531.8	3 541.7	2 020.6	5 562.3
April	2 752.7	518.1	3 270.8	2 189.4	5 460.2
May	3 597.3	514.3	4 111.7	4 139.9	8 251.6
June	3 709.9	550.8	4 260.7	2 592.2	6 852.9
July	2 786.1	525.1	3 311.2	2 267.1	5 578.3
August	3 262.8	500.9	3 763.7	2 498.0	6 261.7
September	3 706.5	618.9	4 325.4	2 080.8	6 406.2
October	3 273.0	526.3	3 799.3	2 496.9	6 296.2
November	3 427.4	513.6	3 941.0	2 246.8	6 187.8
December	3 323.7	500.0	3 823.8	2 249.0	6 072.8
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2012					
2012	0.000 5	500.0	0.440.4	0.070 5	E 040 -
January	2 906.5	533.6	3 440.1	2 373.5	5 813.7
February	2 972.5	530.6	3 503.1	2 452.0	5 955.1
March	3 064.5	526.2	3 590.7	2 590.2	6 181.0
April	3 150.5	523.4	3 673.9	2 715.6	6 389.5
May	3 225.2	525.2	3 750.4	2 772.5	6 522.9
June	3 286.9	531.3	3 818.2	2 739.5	6 557.7
July	3 330.9	537.8	3 868.7	2 629.9	6 498.6
August	3 355.6	541.5	3 897.2	2 483.7	6 380.9
September	3 365.5	541.0	3 906.5	2 347.7	6 254.3
October	3 374.3	536.3	3 910.6	2 265.3	6 175.9
November	3 375.4	528.9	3 904.4	2 207.9	6 112.3
December	3 388.8	519.4	3 908.2	2 259.0	6 167.2



		Alterations			
		and additions			
	New	including conversions	Total		
	residential	to residential	residential	Non-residential	Total
	building	buildings	building	building	building
Period	%	%	%	%	%
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		ORI	GINAL		
2009–10	24.8	14.4	23.2	29.9	26.2
2010-11	1.3	2.0	1.4	-27.0	-11.7
2011–12	-7.8	-4.8	-7.4	17.8	2.2
2012					
January	-13.2	-13.6	-13.2	139.9	49.9
February	34.3	30.4	33.7	-44.0	-17.6
March	3.2	5.4	3.5	-26.5	-9.9
April	-18.2	-17.8	-18.2 47.4	-11.5	-15.7 72.8
May June	51.1 -0.9	26.6 -6.7	47.4 -1.7	113.4 -32.4	-16.2
July	-0.9 -22.4	-6. <i>1</i> 3.8	-1.7 -19.2	-32.4 -18.1	-16.2 -18.8
August	-22.4 19.0	5.2	16.8	37.8	24.9
September	5.2	12.5	6.2	-31.0	-9.7
October	-2.7	-6.0	-3.2	32.0	8.2
November	-0.8	-11.8	-2.4	-19.7	-9.3
December	-18.7	-27.3	-19.8	-14.0	-17.8
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2012					
January	4.1	-3.1	3.0	114.6	49.9
February	3.1	-0.4	2.6	-46.9	-27.2
March	-1.9	0.9	-1.5	-28.3	-13.3
April	-8.5	-2.6	-7.6	8.4	-1.8
May	30.7	-0.7	25.7	89.1	51.1
June	3.1	7.1	3.6	-37.4	-17.0
July	-24.9	-4.7	-22.3	-12.5	-18.6
August	17.1	-4.6	13.7	10.2	12.3
September	13.6	23.6	14.9	-16.7	2.3
October	-11.7	-15.0	-12.2	20.0	-1.7
November	4.7	-2.4	3.7	-10.0	-1.7
December	-3.0	-2.6	-3.0	0.1	-1.9
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		TR	END		
2012					
January	_	-0.6	-0.1	-0.5	-0.3
February	2.3	-0.6	1.8	3.3	2.4
March	3.1	-0.8	2.5	5.6	3.8
April	2.8	-0.5	2.3	4.8	3.4
May	2.4	0.3	2.1	2.1	2.1
June	1.9	1.2	1.8	-1.2	0.5
July	1.3	1.2	1.3	-4.0	-0.9
August	0.7	0.7	0.7	-5.6	-1.8
September	0.3	-0.1	0.2	-5.5	-2.0
October	0.3	-0.9	0.1	-3.5	-1.3
November	_	-1.4	-0.2	-2.5	-1.0
December	0.4	-1.8	0.1	2.3	0.9

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Period	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
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				ORIGINAL	-				
2009–10	20 946.3	24 022.3	18 037.9	5 451.4	13 439.8	1 554.5	1 262.0	2 403.2	87 117.4
2010-11	17 672.1	24 298.6	15 292.9	4 476.9	10 488.1	1 255.7	1 031.0	2 450.3	76 965.6
2011-12	18 384.6	24 037.6	13 632.5	6 181.8	11 159.2	1 132.8	2 155.2	1 968.0	78 651.8
2012									
January	1 186.4	2 771.7	969.6	2 071.9	635.8	72.3	50.8	48.4	7 806.9
February	1 523.6	2 124.0	1 048.5	661.7	759.1	82.7	40.0	195.2	6 434.9
March	1 349.9	1 699.8	1 088.7	265.6	1 095.7	61.7	51.6	182.4	5 795.3
April	1 187.8	1 749.9	884.9	177.1	381.2	71.6	332.1	99.6	4 884.2
May	1 976.3	2 260.8	1 162.3	259.9	1 623.5	138.8	735.0	280.9	8 437.6
June	2 303.7	2 039.2	1 326.1	295.1	787.2	76.4	72.4	166.7	7 066.7
July	1 437.0	1 761.0	1 282.4	259.4	691.2	70.3	101.4	138.5	5 741.2
August	1 573.7	2 172.5	1 408.4	301.4	1 390.8	71.5	110.5	143.5	7 172.2
September	1 414.7	2 396.3	1 105.1	290.8	776.3	78.4	329.5	88.7	6 479.9
October	1 736.2	2 138.2	1 235.2	313.1	1 278.0	71.2	80.1	160.0	7 011.9
November	1 498.0	1 845.9	1 335.0	333.6	982.2	60.8	89.8	217.3	6 362.5
December	1 516.5	1 266.8	848.3	313.2	985.1	58.3	48.0	195.5	5 231.7
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			SEASON	NALLY AD	JUSTED				
2012									
January	1 511.6	3 126.6	1 079.9	2 111.4	734.9	na	na	na	8 815.0
February	1 428.6	2 084.4	1 089.2	654.0	786.2	na	na	na	6 415.5
March	1 373.4	1 610.1	1 132.7	276.6	1 036.0	na	na	na	5 562.3
April	1 330.2	1 932.5	965.6	194.4	481.2	na	na	na	5 460.2
May	1 850.3	2 173.5	1 123.6	239.5	1 348.1	na	na	na	8 251.6
June	2 242.3	2 000.6	1 232.4	306.2	800.7	na	na	na	6 852.9
July	1 427.8	1 515.2	1 171.6	264.6	716.6	na	na	na	5 578.3
August	1 466.6	1 912.4	1 239.2	265.2	1 221.3	na	na	na	6 261.7
September	1 367.5	2 441.3	1 114.9	309.9	806.0	na	na	na	6 406.2
October	1 556.4	2 065.5	1 103.3	273.0	1 030.1	na	na	na	6 296.2
November	1 459.1	1 843.6	1 233.2	306.3	937.1	na	na	na	6 187.8
December	1 585.1	1 514.5	1 060.8	341.0	1 047.8	na	na	na	6 072.8
				TREND					
2012									
January	1 355.0	1 831.3	1 103.8	265.6	844.7	na	na	na	5 813.7
February	1 404.6	1 888.7	1 094.9	246.8	833.8	na	na	na	5 955.1
March	1 482.6	1 917.9	1 096.1	241.0	845.4	na	na	na	6 181.0
April	1 554.2	1 915.3	1 102.9	245.4	869.8	na	na	na	6 389.5
May	1 600.1	1 909.4	1 121.9	253.4	898.4	na	na	na	6 522.9
June	1 604.3	1 926.2	1 150.1	261.4	920.9	na	na	na	6 557.7
July	1 576.5	1 953.5	1 172.9	269.4	936.4	na	na	na	6 498.6
August	1 533.0	1 970.7	1 178.3	279.8	946.3	na	na	na	6 380.9
September	1 491.8	1 960.8	1 170.3	289.6	958.9	na	na	na	6 254.3
October	1 473.9	1 929.3	1 154.5	298.6	971.8	na	na	na	6 175.9
November	1 471.3	1 875.3	1 136.6	307.6	978.8	na	na	na	6 112.3
December	1 489.8	1 821.2	1 118.5	315.2	1 019.5	na	na	na	6 167.2



	NSW	Vic.	Qld	SA	WA	Tas.	NT	ACT	Aust.
Period	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
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				ORIGINA	A L				
2009–10	44.1	27.9	-0.5	25.0	58.5	22.8	19.0	-1.3	26.2
2010-11	-15.6	1.2	-15.2	-17.9	-22.0	-19.2	-18.3	2.0	-11.7
2011-12	4.0	-1.1	-10.9	38.1	6.4	-9.8	109.0	-19.7	2.2
2012									
January	-0.4	72.6	-3.7	1 045.1	-31.9	-15.3	-23.3	-64.9	49.9
February	28.4	-23.4	8.1	-68.1	19.4	14.4	-21.3	303.4	-17.6
March	-11.4	-20.0	3.8	-59.9	44.3	-25.4	29.0	-6.6	-9.9
April	-12.0	2.9	-18.7	-33.3	-65.2	16.0	544.0	-45.4	-15.7
May	66.4	29.2	31.3	46.8	325.9	93.9	121.3	182.2	72.8
June	16.6	-9.8	14.1	13.5	-51.5	-44.9	-90.2	-40.7	-16.2
July	-37.6	-13.6	-3.3	-12.1	-12.2	-8.0	40.2	-16.9	-18.8
August	9.5	23.4	9.8	16.2	101.2	1.7	8.9	3.7	24.9
September	-10.1	10.3	-21.5	-3.5	-44.2	9.7	198.3	-38.2	-9.7
October	22.7	-10.8	11.8	7.7	64.6	-9.2	-75.7	80.3	8.2
November	-13.7	-13.7	8.1	6.5	-23.1	-14.7	12.2	35.8	-9.3
December	1.2	-31.4	-36.5	-6.1	0.3	-4.1	-46.6	-10.0	-17.8
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		:	SEASO	NALLY A	DJUSTE	D			
2012									
January	24.3	70.1	-15.7	972.0	-23.0	na	na	na	49.9
February	-5.5	-33.3	0.9	-69.0	7.0	na	na	na	-27.2
March	-3.9	-22.8	4.0	-57.7	31.8	na	na	na	-13.3
April	-3.1	20.0	-14.7	-29.7	-53.6	na	na	na	-1.8
May	39.1	12.5	16.4	23.2	180.2	na	na	na	51.1
June	21.2	-8.0	9.7	27.9	-40.6	na	na	na	-17.0
July	-36.3	-24.3	-4.9	-13.6	-10.5	na	na	na	-18.6
August	2.7	26.2	5.8	0.2	70.4	na	na	na	12.3
September	-6.8	27.7	-10.0	16.9	-34.0	na	na	na	2.3
October	13.8	-15.4	-1.0	-11.9	27.8	na	na	na	-1.7
November	-6.2	-10.7	11.8	12.2	-9.0	na	na	na	-1.7
December	8.6	-17.9	-14.0	11.4	11.8	na	na	na	-1.9
				TREND)				
2012									
2012	0.4	0.6	4.2	0.7	0.7				0.2
January February	0.1 3.7	2.6 3.1	-1.3 -0.8	-9.7 -7.1	−2.7 −1.3	na	na	na	-0.3 2.4
March	5.6	1.5	-0.8 0.1	-7.1 -2.3	-1.3 1.4	na	na	na	2.4 3.8
April	4.8	-0.1	0.1	-2.3 1.9	2.9	na	na	na	3.4
May	3.0	-0.1 -0.3	1.7	3.2	3.3	na	na	na	2.1
June	0.3	-0.3 0.9	2.5	3.2	2.5	na na	na na	na na	0.5
July	-1.7	1.4	2.0	3.0	1.7	na	na	na	-0.9
August	-2.8	0.9	0.5	3.9	1.1	na	na	na	-1.8
September	-2.7	-0.5	-0.7	3.5	1.3	na	na	na	-2.0
October	-1.2	-1.6	-1.3	3.1	1.4	na	na	na	-1.3
November	-0.2	-2.8	-1.6	3.0	0.7	na	na	na	-1.0
December	1.3	-2.9	-1.6	2.4	4.2	na	na	na	0.9



VALUE OF RESIDENTIAL BUILDING APPROVED, States and territories

	NSW	Vic.	Qld	SA	WA	Tas.	NT	ACT	Au
Period	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	
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009–10	10 183.7	15 094.1	9 534.2	2 685.8	7 030.4	801.3	638.9	1 130.6	47 09
010–11	10 894.9	16 817.4	8 129.8	2 691.7	6 352.2	800.9	636.6	1 414.2	47 73
011–12	10 986.3	15 077.0	7 826.3	2 109.9	5 851.2	609.0	498.0	1 255.4	44 21
012									
January	721.4	820.0	451.9	136.4	413.2	44.9	35.0	33.2	2 65
February	678.9	1 353.1	667.9	177.1	525.7	50.7	15.7	82.2	3 55
March	961.8	1 166.5	601.6	185.5	610.1	47.8	28.1	75.1	3 67
April	738.0	1 137.9	588.8	125.8	246.8	43.2	58.9	69.8	3 00
May	1 206.4	1 512.8	722.2	190.5	454.4	56.8	69.0	224.2	4 43
June	1 036.7	1 611.7	811.8	160.6	561.8	48.2	45.9	84.4	4 36
July	969.1	1 087.7	653.5	170.0	503.7	47.8	27.2	66.3	3 52
August	821.3	1 514.4	742.2	179.2	640.9	49.4	89.2	81.3	4 11
September	985.7	1 614.2	677.3	168.3	519.1	43.2	302.1	63.4	4 37
October	1 267.9	1 230.6	791.3	202.2	570.2	51.5	28.0	90.8	4 23
November	1 043.6	1 327.1	655.6	200.6	654.9	42.8	54.3	151.1	4 13
December	894.6	944.7	617.1	163.6	529.9	29.1	35.3	97.4	3 31
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			SEASO	NALLY AD	JUSTED				
2012									
January	983.3	1 123.0	587.9	166.4	472.0	na	na	na	3 50
February	717.0	1 324.8	680.8	177.4	529.5	na	na	na	3 59
March	921.5	1 081.8	635.9	179.1	571.1	na	na	na	3 54
April	829.5	1 275.0	579.6	132.7	286.8	na	na	na	3 27
May	1 131.7	1 432.7	674.8	166.8	428.0	na	na	na	4 11
June	1 033.7	1 549.0	789.3	171.1	551.3	na	na	na	4 26
July	903.5	965.8	639.9	160.9	510.9	na	na	na	3 31
August	794.0	1 319.1	705.1	177.8	580.0	na	na	na	3 76
September	992.4	1 561.1	651.9	168.3	531.9	na	na	na	4 32
October	1 070.4	1 192.7	650.7	183.4	538.0	na	na	na	3 79
November	955.0	1 300.6	657.5	187.2	602.0	na	na	na	3 94
December	979.3	1 188.6	707.3	182.9	588.6	na	na	na	3 82
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				TREND					
2012	00= 0	4 4== 0	00= 0	4-44	4=0.0				
January	825.9	1 175.2	625.8	171.1	479.3	na	na	na	3 44
February	857.3	1 213.3	634.0	165.1	467.3	na	na	na	3 50
March	901.2	1 254.6	646.7	161.9	458.9	na	na	na	3 59
April	932.9	1 288.3	659.0	161.2	458.5	na	na	na	3 67
May	953.0	1 309.5	672.2	161.9	466.5	na	na	na	3 75
June	961.2	1 319.6	682.9	163.5	483.5	na	na	na	3 81
	960.4	1 314.2	686.5	166.7	509.0	na	na	na	3 86
July	055.0	1 299.0	682.3	171.6	536.5	na	na	na	3 89
	955.6		075.0	176.2	557.2	na	na	na	3 90
July	955.6 955.7	1 279.8	675.0	110.2					
July August September October		1 279.8 1 265.1	675.0 669.1	179.7	569.2	na	na	na	3 91
July August September	955.7					na na	na na	na na	3 91 3 90

	NSW	Vic.	Qld	SA	WA	Tas.	NT	ACT	Aust.
Period	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
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				ORIGINA	L				
2009–10	10 762.6	8 928.2	8 503.8	2 765.6	6 409.4	753.1	623.1	1 272.7	40 018.4
2010-11	6 777.2	7 481.3	7 163.1	1 785.2	4 135.8	454.7	394.4	1 036.1	29 227.8
2011–12	7 398.3	8 960.6	5 806.3	4 071.9	5 308.0	523.8	1 657.3	712.7	34 438.9
2012									
January	464.9	1 951.7	517.7	1 935.5	222.6	27.4	15.8	15.2	5 150.9
February	844.7	770.8	380.6	484.7	233.4	32.0	24.3	113.1	2 883.7
March	388.1	533.3	487.1	80.1	485.6	13.9	23.5	107.3	2 118.8
April	449.9	612.0	296.1	51.3	134.4	28.4	273.2	29.8	1 875.0
May	769.9	748.0	440.2	69.4	1 169.1	82.0	666.1	56.8	4 001.5
June July	1 267.0 467.9	427.5 673.3	514.3 628.8	134.4 89.4	225.4 187.6	28.1 22.5	26.5 74.3	82.3 72.1	2 705.6 2 215.9
August	752.4	658.1	666.2	122.2	749.9	22.0	21.3	62.2	3 054.5
September	429.1	782.1	427.8	122.5	257.2	35.2	27.4	25.3	2 106.5
October	468.2	907.7	443.9	110.9	707.8	19.8	52.1	69.2	2 779.5
November	454.4	518.9	679.4	133.0	327.3	18.0	35.5	66.2	2 232.5
December	621.9	322.0	231.2	149.6	455.2	29.2	12.7	98.1	1 920.0
			SEASO	NALLY AI	DJUSTED		•••••		
2012									
January	528.3	2 003.6	492.0	1 945.0	262.9	na	na	na	5 307.9
February	711.6	759.6	408.3	476.6	256.8	na	na	na	2 818.8
March	452.0	528.3	496.8	97.5	465.0	na	na	na	2 020.6
April	500.7	657.6	386.0	61.8	194.3	na	na	na	2 189.4
May	718.5	740.9	448.8	72.6	920.1	na	na	na	4 139.9
June	1 208.7	451.6	443.1	135.1	249.4	na	na	na	2 592.2
July	524.2	549.4	531.8	103.6	205.7	na	na	na	2 267.1
August	672.6	593.3	534.1	87.4 141.6	641.3	na	na	na	2 498.0
September October	375.1 486.0	880.2 872.8	463.0 452.6	89.6	274.1 492.1	na	na	na	2 080.8 2 496.9
November	504.1	543.0	575.7	119.1	335.1	na na	na na	na na	2 246.8
December	605.9	325.9	353.6	158.1	459.3	na	na	na	2 249.0
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				IKLND					
2012									
January	529.1	656.1	478.0	94.4	365.4	na	na	na	2 373.5
February	547.3	675.4	460.8	81.6	366.5	na	na	na	2 452.0
March	581.4	663.3	449.4	79.1	386.4	na	na	na	2 590.2
April	621.3	627.0	443.9	84.2	411.3	na	na	na	2 715.6
May	647.1	599.9	449.7	91.5 98.0	431.9	na	na	na	2 772.5
June July	643.1 616.1	606.6 639.3	467.2 486.5	98.0 102.7	437.4 427.4	na na	na na	na na	2 739.5 2 629.9
August	577.3	671.7	496.0	102.7	409.8	na	na	na	2 483.7
September	536.1	681.0	495.3	113.5	401.6	na	na	na	2 347.7
October	509.1	664.3	485.4	118.9	402.7	na	na	na	2 265.3
November	497.2	624.1	469.9	125.2	401.5	na	na	na	2 207.9
December	498.1	581.0	452.9	130.1	437.5	na	na	na	2 259.0



VALUE OF BUILDING APPROVED, By sector: Original

	New houses	New other residential	Alterations and additions creating dwellings	Alterations and additions not creating dwellings	Conversions	Total residential building	Non-residential building	Total building
Period	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
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2009–10 2010–11	27 652.7 26 038.8	9 547.4 13 479.8	37.7 94.2	6 190.9 6 336.3	121.6 124.6	43 550.2 46 073.5	19 145.3 19 435.2	62 695.5 65 508.8
2010-11 2011-12	24 128.1	13 054.9	105.4	6 121.1	60.7	43 470.3	25 586.4	69 056.6
2012								
January	1 563.3	649.5	7.4	381.0	3.1	2 604.4	4 800.0	7 404.4
February	2 030.4	969.9	1.5	505.3	1.6	3 508.6	2 317.2	5 825.8
March	2 156.2	935.4	15.2	521.1	3.4	3 631.3	1 804.9	5 436.2
April	1 584.7	955.1	1.5	433.9	9.1	2 984.4	1 472.2	4 456.5
May	2 306.9	1 527.7	4.6	544.3	12.6	4 396.1	2 677.4	7 073.5
June	2 041.4	1 729.6	3.1	516.9	1.1	4 292.2	1 782.3	6 074.4
July	2 117.1	790.8	11.5	533.6	4.8	3 457.8	1 602.0	5 059.9
August	2 248.4	1 249.4	7.7	558.0	11.7	4 075.2	2 489.9	6 565.1
September	2 011.3	1 678.7	3.5	511.2	130.8	4 335.5	1 558.8	5 894.4
October November	2 288.7	1 245.3	14.1	547.6	22.9	4 118.6	2 178.7	6 297.3
December	2 225.4 1 639.2	1 308.1 1 231.9	16.4 9.4	511.6 361.2	4.2 2.3	4 065.7 3 244.0	1 842.5 1 348.5	5 908.2 4 592.5
December	1 055.2	1 251.9	3.4	301.2	2.5	3 244.0	1 346.3	4 332.3
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2009–10	852.6	2 433.5	2.6	260.0	_	3 548.7	20 873.2	24 421.8
2010-11	558.8	915.6	5.3	182.6	2.1	1 664.3	9 792.5	11 456.9
2011-12	336.8	270.2	4.4	125.2	5.9	742.6	8 852.6	9 595.2
	000.0	210.2		120.2	0.0	1 12.0	0 002.0	0 000.2
2012	24 F	10.7		7.5		F1.6	250.0	402.5
January February	31.5 23.1	12.7 7.4	_	7.5 11.7	0.5	51.6 42.6	350.9 566.4	402.5 609.0
March	27.9	8.6	_	8.7	0.5	45.2	313.9	359.1
April	9.4	9.3	1.1	4.9	0.2	24.8	402.9	427.6
May	12.0	19.0	2.0	7.1	_	40.0	1 324.1	1 364.1
June	46.9	11.0	_	9.7	1.3	69.0	923.3	992.3
July	58.4	6.6	0.3	2.2	_	67.5	613.8	681.3
August	34.1	4.7	0.2	3.6	_	42.6	564.6	607.1
September	26.4	3.1	_	8.4	_	37.8	547.7	585.5
October	22.4	61.2	0.9	29.3	_	113.8	600.8	714.6
November	39.0	15.4	0.8	9.2	_	64.3	390.0	454.3
December	31.5	14.8	_	21.4	_	67.7	571.5	639.2
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2009–10 2010–11	28 505.4 26 597.6	11 980.9 14 395.3	40.2 99.5	6 450.8 6 518.8	121.6 126.6	47 098.9 47 737.9	40 018.4 29 227.8	87 117.4 76 965.6
2010-11	24 464.9	13 325.2	109.8	6 246.3	66.6	44 212.9	34 438.9	78 651.8
	21 101.0	10 020.2	100.0	0 2 10.0	00.0	11212.0	01 100.0	10 001.0
2012	4.504.0	000.0	7.4	200 5	2.4	0.050.0	E 450.0	7 000 0
January	1 594.8	662.2	7.4 1.5	388.5 517.0	3.1	2 656.0	5 150.9	7 806.9
February March	2 053.5 2 184.1	977.2 944.0	1.5 15.2	517.0 529.8	2.0 3.4	3 551.2 3 676.5	2 883.7 2 118.8	6 434.9 5 795.3
April	2 184.1 1 594.1	944.0 964.4	2.6	529.8 438.8	3.4 9.3	3 009.1	2 118.8 1 875.0	5 795.3 4 884.2
May	2 318.9	1 546.7	6.6	551.4	9.3 12.6	4 436.2	4 001.5	8 437.6
June	2 088.3	1 740.7	3.1	526.6	2.4	4 361.1	2 705.6	7 066.7
July	2 175.4	797.4	11.9	535.8	4.8	3 525.3	2 215.9	5 741.2
August	2 282.5	1 254.1	7.9	561.6	11.7	4 117.8	3 054.5	7 172.2
September	2 037.7	1 681.7	3.5	519.5	130.8	4 373.4	2 106.5	6 479.9
October	2 311.2	1 306.5	14.9	576.9	22.9	4 232.4	2 779.5	7 011.9
November	2 264.4	1 323.5	17.2	520.8	4.2	4 130.0	2 232.5	6 362.5
December	1 670.7	1 246.8	9.4	382.6	2.3	3 311.7	1 920.0	5 231.7

nil or rounded to zero (including null cells)

				Alterations and additions			
				including			
		New other	New	conversions	Total	Non-	
	New	residential	residential	to residential	residential	residential	Total
Period	houses	building	building	buildings	building	building	building
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			ORIGINA	L (\$m)			
2009-10	29 271.7	12 364.5	41 647.5	6 792.1	48 439.5	40 815.4	89 312.7
2010-11	26 597.6	14 395.3	40 992.9	6 744.9	47 737.9	29 227.8	76 965.6
2011–12	24 232.6	13 331.1	37 563.7	6 360.1	43 923.8	34 370.6	78 294.4
2011							
June Qtr	6 426.2	3 191.4	9 613.4	1 638.7	11 251.7	6 549.1	17 818.5
September Qtr	6 563.5	3 819.8	10 383.3	1 768.4	12 151.7	8 575.6	20 727.3
December Qtr	5 947.9	2 657.8	8 605.7	1 602.4	10 208.0	7 064.9	17 272.9
2012							
March Qtr	5 777.5	2 591.4	8 368.9	1 452.2	9 821.1	10 178.5	19 999.6
June Qtr	5 943.8	4 262.1	10 205.9	1 537.1	11 743.0	8 551.6	20 294.5
September Qtr	6 375.0	3 749.6	10 124.7	1 754.3	11 879.0	7 356.3	19 235.3
		SEASC	NALLY A	DJUSTED (\$	m)		
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2011							
June Qtr	6 401.7	3 190.1	9 586.3	1 675.4	11 261.6	7 013.9	18 289.4
September Qtr December Otr	6 212.7	3 636.3	9 849.1	1 609.3	11 458.4	8 247.5	19 705.9
2012	5 864.3	2 541.2	8 405.5	1 588.7	9 994.2	7 117.2	17 111.3
March Qtr	6 237.8	2 905.1	9 142.9	1 596.8	10 739.7	9 824.6	20 564.3
June Qtr	5 917.8	4 248.4	10 166.2	1 565.4	11 731.6	9 181.3	20 912.9
September Qtr	6 049.1	3 560.1	9 609.1	1 603.2	11 212.3	7 104.0	18 316.4
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			TREND	(\$m)			
2011							
June Qtr	6 357.7	3 406.7	9 759.5	1 647.8	11 407.2	7 542.0	18 961.5
September Qtr	6 173.7	3 063.6	9 235.5	1 620.7	10 856.2	7 638.1	18 499.7
December Qtr	6 059.9	2 995.1	9 055.0	1 596.5	10 651.5	8 305.4	18 956.7
2012							
March Qtr	6 032.2	3 210.2	9 240.8	1 583.9	10 824.7	8 825.9	19 648.8
June Qtr	6 031.4	3 579.8	9 610.1	1 584.7	11 194.8	8 694.8	19 890.5
September Qtr	6 037.5	3 923.2	10 018.8	1 589.0	11 607.8	8 198.1	19 740.0
	TF	REND (% c/	hange fro	m previous	quarter)		
2011			J	•	•		
2011	-3.1	-6.1	-4.2	-1.6	-3.8	-0.5	-2.5
June Qtr September Qtr	-3.1 -2.9	-0.1 -10.1	-4.2 -5.4	-1.6 -1.6	-3.8 -4.8	-0.5 1.3	-2.5 -2.4
December Qtr	-2.9 -1.8	-10.1 -2.2	-5.4 -2.0	-1.6 -1.5	-4.8 -1.9	1.3 8.7	-2.4 2.5
2012	1.0	2.2	2.0	1.5	1.9	0.7	2.5
March Qtr	-0.5	7.2	2.1	-0.8	1.6	6.3	3.7
June Qtr	_	11.5	4.0	0.1	3.4	-1.5	1.2
September Qtr	0.1	9.6	4.3	0.3	3.7	-5.7	-0.8

nil or rounded to zero (including null cells)

⁽a) Reference year for chain volume measures is 2010–11. For further information refer to the Explanatory Notes



${\tt VALUE~OF~BUILDING~APPROVED,~States~and~territories} \\ -{\tt Chain~volume~measures(a):} \\$ Original

	NSW	Vic.	Qld	SA	WA	Tas.	NT	ACT	Aust.
Period	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
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		TO	TAL RESI	DENTIA	L BUILDII	NG			
2009–10	10 446.0	15 754.8	9 675.6	2 725.0	7 147.8	828.7	657.5	1 160.1	48 439.5
2010-11	10 894.9	16 817.3	8 129.8	2 691.7	6 352.3	801.0	636.6	1 414.2	47 737.9
2011–12	10 783.2	15 011.3	7 876.2	2 129.0	5 768.5	609.4	494.6	1 251.7	43 923.8
2011									
June Qtr	2 424.6	3 909.7	2 059.2	674.7	1 502.7	192.3	137.1	348.7	11 251.7
September Qtr	2 999.8	4 154.4	2 138.7	579.5	1 578.6	175.7	160.1	365.0	12 151.7
December Qtr	2 557.4	3 242.7	1 871.0	564.7	1 429.6	140.9	85.3	316.6	10 208.0
2012									
March Qtr	2 318.5	3 326.1	1 735.6	504.3	1 525.3	142.8	77.8	190.6	9 821.1
June Qtr	2 907.4	4 288.1	2 130.9	480.6	1 235.0	150.0	171.4	379.6	11 743.0
September Qtr	2 672.5	4 245.0	2 033.4	520.5	1 630.1	145.9	420.4	211.3	11 879.0
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		IN	ON-RESI	JENIIAL	BUILDIN	G			
2009-10	10 978.9	9 561.7	8 480.4	2 816.1	6 228.4	778.3	641.9	1 301.9	40 815.4
2010-11	6 777.2	7 481.3	7 163.1	1 785.2	4 135.8	454.7	394.4	1 036.1	29 227.8
2011–12	7 258.9	9 027.6	5 705.8	4 104.8	5 379.9	527.7	1 657.9	707.9	34 370.6
2011									
June Qtr	1 489.7	1 749.4	1 349.6	327.2	1 225.2	111.9	105.7	186.5	6 549.1
September Qtr	1 632.9	2 268.4	1 786.2	788.4	1 324.3	82.4	522.9	170.1	8 575.6
December Qtr 2012	1 524.6	1 634.6	1 338.7	545.0	1 548.7	230.6	107.8	135.0	7 064.9
March Qtr	1 668.0	3 308.4	1 357.7	2 517.3	954.8	74.2	63.8	234.3	10 178.5
June Qtr	2 433.5	1 816.3	1 223.2	254.0	1 552.1	140.5	963.4	168.6	8 551.6
September Qtr	1 613.3	2 148.9	1 685.1	332.9	1 210.9	81.5	124.8	158.8	7 356.3
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			1014	AL BUILD	DING				
2009–10	21 440.1	25 271.3	18 155.6	5 538.8	13 419.5	1 607.0	1 299.2	2 462.8	89 312.7
2010-11	17 672.1	24 298.6	15 292.9	4 476.9	10 488.1	1 255.7	1 031.0	2 450.3	76 965.6
2011–12	18 042.1	24 038.9	13 582.0	6 233.8	11 148.4	1 137.1	2 152.5	1 959.6	78 294.4
2011									
June Qtr	3 917.6	5 667.0	3 409.6	1 003.0	2 735.3	304.2	242.7	535.5	17 818.5
September Qtr	4 632.8	6 422.7	3 924.9	1 367.9	2 902.9	258.1	683.0	535.1	20 727.3
December Qtr	4 082.0	4 877.3	3 209.7	1 109.6	2 978.3	371.4	193.1	451.5	17 272.9
2012									
March Qtr	3 986.5	6 634.5	3 093.3	3 021.6	2 480.1	217.0	141.7	424.8	19 999.6
June Qtr	5 340.9	6 104.4	3 354.0	734.6	2 787.1	290.5	1 134.8	548.2	20 294.5
September Qtr	4 285.8	6 393.9	3 718.5	853.4	2 841.0	227.4	545.2	370.0	19 235.3

⁽a) Reference year for chain volume measures is 2010–11. For further information refer to the Explanatory Notes.

EFFECT OF NEW SEASONALLY ADJUSTED ESTIMATES ON TREND ESTIMATES

TREND REVISIONS

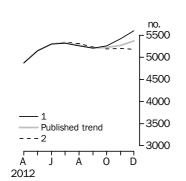
Recent seasonally adjusted and trend estimates are likely to be revised when original estimates for subsequent months become available. The approximate effect of possible scenarios on trend estimates are presented below. Generally, the greater the volatility of the original series, the larger the size of the revisions to trend estimates. Analysis of the building approval original series has shown that they can be revised substantially. As a result, some months can elapse before turning points in the trend series are reliably identified.

The graphs and tables which follow present the effect of two possible scenarios on the previous trend estimates: that the January seasonally adjusted estimate is higher than the December estimate by 2.8% for the number of private sector houses approved and 14% for private sector dwellings excluding houses approved; and that the January seasonally adjusted estimate is lower than the December estimate by 2.8% for the number of private sector houses approved and 14% for private sector dwellings excluding houses approved. These percentages represent the average absolute monthly percentage change for these series over the last ten years.

APPROVED PRIVATE SECTOR HOUSES



APPROVED PRIVATE SECTOR DWELLINGS EXCLUDING HOUSES



			ADJUSTE	D ESTIMATE	:	
			(1) rises b	y 14%	(2) falls b	y 14%
	Trend as no.	published % change	on Dec 20	012 % change	on Dec 2	012 % change
2012						
July	5 327	0.5	5 320	0.4	5 349	0.9
August	5 270	-1.1	5 256	-1.2	5 307	-0.8
September	5 213	-1.1	5 204	-1.0	5 230	-1.5
October	5 228	0.3	5 260	1.1	5 193	-0.7
November	5 270	0.8	5 422	3.1	5 201	0.1
December	5 368	1.8	5 602	3.3	5 184	-0.3

WHAT IF NEXT MONTH'S SEASONALLY

EXPLANATORY NOTES

INTRODUCTION

SCOPE AND COVERAGE

- **1** This publication presents details of building work approved.
- **2** Statistics of building work approved are compiled from:
 - permits issued by local government authorities and other principal certifying authorities;
 - contracts let or day labour work authorised by commonwealth, state, semi-government and local government authorities; and
 - major building approvals in areas not subject to normal administrative approval e.g. building on remote mine sites.
- **3** The scope of the collection comprises the following:
 - construction of new buildings;
 - alterations and additions to existing buildings;
 - approved non-structural renovation and refurbishment work; and
 - approved installation of integral building fixtures.
- **4** Construction activity not defined as building (e.g. roads, bridges, railways, earthworks, etc.) are excluded. Statistics for this activity can be found in Engineering Construction Activity, Australia (cat. no. 8762.0).
- **5** The coverage of these statistics has changed over time:
 - From July 1990, the statistics include all approved residential building valued at \$10,000 or more and all approved non-residential building valued at \$50,000 or more.
 - From July 1988 to June 1990, the statistics include all approved residential building valued at \$10,000 or more and all approved non-residential building valued at \$30,000 or more.
 - From July 1975 to June 1988, the statistics include all approved residential and non-residential building valued at \$10,000 or more.
 - Up to June 1975, the statistics include all approved new building, and alterations and additions involving a structural change or floor area expansion.
- **6** Estimates in this publication are rounded and this may result in discrepancies between the sums of component items and their totals. Rounding may also cause differences between the movements (e.g. percentage changes) shown in this publication and the movements calculated by users from unrounded data. Where a discrepancy occurs, the published movement will be more accurate.

REVISIONS TO ORIGINAL

7 The information provided to the Australian Bureau of Statistics (ABS) and included in estimates for any month may be revised or corrected in later months. This can occur as a result of corrections made by a provider of data, the late provision of approval records and, occasionally, by approvals being identified after construction work has commenced. Where revisions or corrections are made to the original data for prior months, the aggregate impact on dwelling approval estimates are provided on page 2 under 'REVISIONS THIS MONTH'.

VALUE DATA

ROUNDING

8 Statistics on the value of building work approved are derived by aggregating the estimated 'value of building work when completed' as reported on building approval documents provided to local councils or other building approval authorities. Conceptually these value data should exclude the value of land and landscaping but include site preparation costs associated with building activity. These estimates are usually a reliable indicator of the completed value of 'houses'. However, for other buildings they can differ significantly from the completed value of the building as final costs and contracts have often not been established before council approval is sought and gained.

EXPLANATORY NOTES continued

VALUE DATA continued

- **9** The ABS generally accepts values provided by approving bodies. Every effort is made to ensure data are provided on a consistent basis, however, there may be instances where value reported does not reflect the building completion value. For example, the reported value for most project homes is the contract price, which may include the cost of site preparation and landscaping. In other cases where a builder is contracted to construct a dwelling based on the owner's plans, the value may only be the builder's costs. Some data providers do not use the value on approval documents, instead deriving a value based on floor area and type of structure.
- **10** From July 2000, value data includes the Goods and Services Tax (GST) for residential and non-residential building approvals.

BUILDING JOB DATA

11 In these statistics a 'building job' is a construction project comprising work to one or more buildings. Building jobs data are based on the building approval records within the scope of the collection received each month.

OWNERSHIP

12 Building ownership is classified as either public or private sector and is based on the sector of the intended owner of the completed building at the time of approval. Residential buildings constructed by private sector builders under government housing authority schemes are classified as public sector when the authority has contracted, or intends to contract, to purchase the building on or before completion.

BUILDING CLASSIFICATIONS

- **13** Building approvals are classified by Type of Building (e.g. 'residential', 'non-residential') and by Type of Work.
- **14** Type of Building is the building's intended predominant function according to the *ABS Functional Classification of Buildings 1999 (Revision 2011)* (cat. no. 1268.0.55.001).
- Except where specified in the Functional Classification of Buildings, a building which is ancillary to other buildings, or forms a part of a group of related buildings, is classified to the function of the building and not to the function of the group as a whole. For example, in the case of a factory complex, a detached administration building would be classified to Offices, a detached cafeteria building to Retail/wholesale trade, while factory buildings would be classified to Factories. An exception to this rule is the treatment of group accommodation buildings where, for example, a student accommodation building on a university campus would be classified to Educational.
- For a significant multi-function building which at the time of approval is intended to have more than one purpose (e.g. a hotel/shops/casino project), the ABS endeavours to split the approval details according to each main function. Where this is not possible because separate details cannot be obtained, the building is classified to the predominant function of the building.
- **15** Type of Work consists of 'new', 'alterations and additions', and 'conversions'. Conversions are considered to be a special type of alteration, and these jobs have been separately identified as such from the July 1996 reference month, though they have only appeared separately in this publication from the January 1998 issue. Prior to that issue, conversions were published as part of the 'Conversions, etc.' category or included elsewhere within a table.

SEASONAL ADJUSTMENT AND TREND ESTIMATES

16 Seasonal adjustment is a means of removing the estimated effects of seasonal and calendar related variation from a series so that the effects of other influences can be more clearly recognised. It does not remove the effect of irregular or other influences (e.g. the approval of large projects or a change in the administrative arrangements of approving authorities).

EXPLANATORY NOTES continued

SEASONAL ADJUSTMENT AND TREND ESTIMATES continued

- **17** State/territory series are seasonally adjusted independently of the Australian series. In general, the sum of the state/territory estimates are reconciled to equal the Australian total estimates.
- **18** Seasonally adjusted estimates are produced by a seasonal adjustment method which takes account of the latest available original estimates. A detailed review of seasonal factors is conducted annually, generally prior to the release of data for May. The timing of this review may vary and when appropriate will be notified in the 'Data Notes' section of this publication.
- 19 The ABS produces trend estimates to best represent the underlying behaviour in a series. Trend estimates are created by smoothing seasonally adjusted series to reduce the impact of the irregular component of the seasonally adjusted series. Abnormally high or low values (outliers) are discounted or excluded from the trend estimates.
- **20** Seasonally adjusted and trend estimates may be revised as new periods of data become available. Generally, revisions become smaller over time. Revisions to original data may also lead to revisions to seasonally adjusted and trend estimates.
- **21** Further information on seasonally adjusted and trend estimates can be found in the ABS Information papers *An Introductory Course on Time Series Analysis Electronic Delivery, January 2005* (cat. no. 1346.0.55.001) and *A Guide to Interpreting Time Series Monitoring Trends, 2003* (cat. no. 1349.0). Queries may also be directed to the Time Series Analysis Section on (02) 6252 6345 or email < time.series.analysis@abs.gov.au>.

CHAIN VOLUME MEASURES

- **22** Chain volume estimates reflect changes in the volume of building work approved after the direct effects of price changes have been eliminated. The chain volume measures appearing in this publication are annually reweighted chain Laspeyres indexes referenced to current price values in a chosen reference year.
- **23** Chain volume measures are released quarterly in the April, July, October and January issues. The reference year is updated annually in the October issue.
- **24** Chain volume measures do not, in general, sum exactly to the extrapolated total value of the components. Further information on the nature and concepts of chain volume measures is contained in the ABS Information Paper *Australian National Accounts, Introduction of Chain Volume Measures and Price Indexes, September 1997* (cat. no. 5248.0).

EXPLANATORY NOTES continued

GEOGRAPHIC CLASSIFICATION

- **25** Building approvals are classified to the *Australian Statistical Geography Standard (ASGS)*, *2011 Edition* (cat. no. 1270.0.55.001) effective from July 2011.
- **26** From 1 July 2002, approvals in the Territories of Jervis Bay, Christmas Island and Cocos (Keeling) Islands are included in these statistics. Jervis Bay is included in New South Wales, while Christmas Island and Cocos (Keeling) Islands are included in Western Australia. This differs to their treatment in the ASGC and ASGS, where these Territories are included in 'Other Territories'.

RELATED PUBLICATIONS

27 Users may also wish to refer to the following publications:

Building Activity, Australia, cat. no. 8752.0

Dwelling Unit Commencements, Australia, Preliminary, cat. no. 8750.0

Construction Work Done, Australia, Preliminary, cat. no. 8755.0

Engineering Construction Activity, Australia, cat. no. 8762.0

House Price Indexes: Eight Capital Cities, cat. no. 6416.0

Housing Finance, Australia, cat. no. 5609.0

Producer Price Indexes, Australia, cat. no. 6427.0.

ABS DATA AVAILABLE ON REQUEST

28 As well as the statistics included in this and related publications, the ABS may have other relevant data available on request. Inquiries should be made to the National Information and Referral Service on 1300 135 070.

ABBREVIATIONS

\$m million dollars

ABS Australian Bureau of Statistics

ACT Australian Capital Territory

ASGC Australian Standard Geographical Classification

ASGS Australian Statistical Geography Standard

Aust. Australia

GST goods and services tax

n.e.c. not elsewhere classified

no. number

NSW New South Wales

NT Northern Territory

Old Queensland

SA South Australia

Tas. Tasmania

Vic. Victoria

WA Western Australia

APPENDIX LIST OF ELECTRONIC TABLES

ELECTRONIC TABLES

The following tables are available electronically via the ABS web site.

Note: not all series in the table go back to the earliest start date.

DWELLING UNITS

	Publication	Electronic	
	table	table	Start
	no.(a)	no.(a)	date(b)
Dwelling units approved, New South Wales	na	1	July 1983
Dwelling units approved, Victoria	na	2	July 1983
Dwelling units approved, Queensland	na	3	July 1983
Dwelling units approved, South Australia	na	4	July 1983
Dwelling units approved, Western Australia	na	5	July 1983
Dwelling units approved, all series, Australia	1	6	July 1983
Dwelling units approved, percentage change, Australia	2	na	
Total dwelling units approved, state and territories, number	3	7	July 1983
Total dwelling units approved, states and territories, percentage change	4	na	
Private sector houses approved, states and territories	5	8	July 1983
Private sector houses approved, states and territories, percentage change	6	na	
Dwelling units approved, states and territories, by type	7	9	July 1983
Dwelling units approved, by Greater Capital City Statistical Areas, Original	8	10	July 2011
Dwelling units approved, by sector, original, Australia	9	11	January 1956
Dwelling units approved, by sector, New South Wales	na	12	July 1970
Dwelling units approved, by sector, Victoria	na	13	July 1970
Dwelling units approved, by sector, Queensland	na	14	July 1970
Dwelling units approved, by sector, South Australia	na	15	July 1970
Dwelling units approved, by sector, Western Australia	na	16	July 1970
Dwelling units approved, by sector, Tasmania	na	17	July 1970
Dwelling units approved, by sector, Northern Territory	na	18	July 1970
Dwelling units approved, by sector, Australian Capital Territory	na	19	July 1970
Dwelling units approved in new residential buildings, original	10	20	January 1956
Value of dwelling units approved in new residential buildings, original	10	21	January 1956
Dwelling units approved in new residential buildings, number and value, New South Wales	na	22	January 1965
Dwelling units approved in new residential buildings, number and value, Victoria	na	23	January 1956
Dwelling units approved in new residential buildings, number and value, Queensland	na	24	January 1956
Dwelling units approved in new residential buildings, number and value, South Australia	na	25	January 1956
Dwelling units approved in new residential buildings, number and value, Western Australia	na	26	January 1956
Dwelling units approved in new residential buildings, number and value, Tasmania	na	27	January 1956
Dwelling units approved in new residential buildings, number and value, Northern Territory	na	28	January 1956
Dwelling units approved in new residential buildings, number and value, Australian Capital			
Territory	na	29	January 1965
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(a) na not available

(b) .. not applicable

VALUE

	Publication table	Electronic table	Start
	no.(a)	no.(a)	date(b)
Value of building approved, New South Wales	na	30	July 1970
Value of building approved, Victoria	na	31	July 1970
Value of building approved, Queensland	na	32	July 1970
Value of building approved, South Australia	na	33	July 1970
Value of building approved, Western Australia	na	34	July 1970
Value of building approved, Tasmania	na	35	July 1970
Value of building approved, Northern Territory	na	36	July 1970
Value of building approved, Australian Capital Territory	na	37	July 1970
Value of building approved, Australia	11	38	January 1956
Value of building approved, Australia, percentage change	12	na	
Value of total building approved, states and territories	13	39	July 1973
Value of total building approved, states and territories, percentage change	14	na	
Value of total residential building approved, states and territories	15	40	July 1973
Value of non-residential building approved, states and territories	16	41	July 1970
Value of building approved, by sector	17	42	January 1961
Value of building approved, by sector, New South Wales	na	43	July 1970
Value of building approved, by sector, Victoria	na	44	July 1970
Value of building approved, by sector, Queensland	na	45	July 1970
Value of building approved, by sector, South Australia	na	46	July 1970
Value of building approved, by sector, Western Australia	na	47	July 1970
Value of building approved, by sector, Tasmania	na	48	July 1970
Value of building approved, by sector, Northern Territory	na	49	July 1970
Value of building approved, by sector, Australian Capital Territory	na	50 51	July 1970
Value of non-residential building approved, by sector, Australia Value of non-residential building approved, by sector, New South Wales	na na	52	July 2000 July 2000
Value of non-residential building approved, by sector, Victoria	na	53	July 2000
Value of non-residential building approved, by sector, Queensland	na	54	July 2000
Value of non-residential building approved, by sector, South Australia	na	55	July 2000
Value of non-residential building approved, by sector, Western Australia	na	56	July 2000
Value of non-residential building approved, by sector, Tasmania	na	57	July 2000
Value of non-residential building approved, by sector, Northern Territory	na	58	July 2000
Value of non-residential building approved, by sector, Australian Capital Territory	na	59	July 2000
Number of non-residential building jobs approved, by value range, New South Wales	na	60	July 2001
Number of non-residential building jobs approved, by value range, Victoria	na	61	July 2001
Number of non-residential building jobs approved, by value range, Queensland	na	62	July 2001
Number of non-residential building jobs approved, by value range, South Australia	na	63	July 2001
Number of non-residential building jobs approved, by value range, Western Australia	na	64	July 2001
Number of non-residential building jobs approved, by value range, Tasmania	na	65	July 2001
Number of non-residential building jobs approved, by value range, Northern Territory	na	66	July 2001
Number of non-residential building jobs approved, by value range, Australian Capital Territory	na	67	July 2001
Number of non-residential building jobs approved, by value range, Australia	na	68	July 2001
Value of non-residential building approved, by value range, New South Wales	na	69	July 2001
Value of non-residential building approved, by value range, Victoria	na	70	July 2001
Value of non-residential building approved, by value range, Queensland	na	71	July 2001
Value of non-residential building approved, by value range, South Australia	na	72	July 2001
Value of non-residential building approved, by value range, Western Australia	na	73	July 2001
Value of non-residential building approved, by value range, Tasmania	na	74	July 2001
Value of non-residential building approved, by value range, Northern Territory	na	75	July 2001
Value of non-residential building approved, by value range, Australian Capital Territory	na	76	July 2001
Value of non-residential building approved, by value range, Australia	na	77	July 2001

⁽b) .. not applicable (a) na not available

CHAIN VOLUME MEASURES

	Publication table no.	Electronic table no.	Start date
Value of building approved, chain volume measures, Australia	18	78	September 1970
Value of building approved, chain volume measures, New South Wales	19	79	September 1985
Value of building approved, chain volume measures, Victoria	19	80	September 1985
Value of building approved, chain volume measures, Queensland	19	81	September 1985
Value of building approved, chain volume measures, South Australia	19	82	September 1985
Value of building approved, chain volume measures, Western Australia	19	83	September 1985
Value of building approved, chain volume measures, Tasmania	19	84	September 1985
Value of building approved, chain volume measures, Northern Territory	19	85	September 1985
Value of building approved, chain volume measures, Australian Capital Territory	19	86	September 1985

DATA CUBES

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GLOSSARY

Accommodation

Buildings primarily providing short-term or temporary accommodation on a commercial basis. Includes:

- Self-contained, short-term apartments (e.g. serviced apartments);
- Hotels (predominantly accommodation), motels, boarding houses, cabins; and
- Other short-term accommodation n.e.c. (e.g. migrant hostels, youth hostels, lodges).

Aged care facilities

Building used in the provision or support of aged care facilities, excluding dwellings (e.g. retirement villages). Includes aged care facilities with and without medical care.

Agriculture/aquaculture

Buildings associated with agriculture and aquaculture activities, including bulk storage of produce (e.g. shearing shed, hay shed, shearers' quarters).

Alterations and additions

Building activity carried out on existing buildings. Includes alterations and additions to floor area, the structural design of a building, and affixing rigid components which are integral to the functioning of the building.

Building

A building is a rigid, fixed and permanent structure which has a roof. Its intended purpose is primarily to house people, plant, machinery, vehicles, goods or livestock. An integral feature of a building's design is the provision for regular access by persons in order to satisfy its intended use.

Building job

A building job is a construction project comprising work to one or more buildings.

Commercial

Buildings primarily occupied with or engaged in commercial trade or work intended for commercial trade, including buildings used primarily in wholesale and retail trades, office and transport activities.

Conversion

Building activity which converts a non-residential building to a residential building (e.g. conversion of a warehouse to residential apartments).

Dwelling

A dwelling is a self-contained suite of rooms, including cooking and bathing facilities, intended for long-term residential use. A dwelling may comprise part of a building or the whole of a building. Regardless of whether they are self-contained or not, rooms within buildings offering institutional care (e.g. hospitals) or temporary accommodation (e.g. motels, hostels and holiday apartments) are not defined as dwellings. Such rooms are included in the appropriate category of non-residential building approvals. Dwellings can be created in one of four ways: through new work to create a residential building; through either new or alteration/addition work to an existing residential building; through either new or alteration/addition work on non-residential building; or through conversion of a non-residential building to a residential building.

Dwellings excluding houses

Dwellings in other residential buildings and dwellings created in non-residential buildings.

Educational

Buildings used in the provision or support of educational services, including group accommodation buildings (e.g. classrooms, school canteens, dormitories).

Entertainment and recreation

Buildings used in the provision of entertainment and recreational facilities or services (e.g. libraries, museums, casinos, sporting facilities).

Factories

Buildings housing, or associated with, production and assembly processes of intermediate and final goods.

Flats, units or apartments

Dwellings not having their own private grounds and usually sharing a common entrance, foyer or stairwell.

Health

Buildings used in the provision of non-aged care medical services (e.g. nursing quarters, laboratories, clinics).

House

A detached building primarily used for long term residential purposes consisting of one dwelling unit. Includes detached residences associated with a non-residential building, and kit and transportable homes.

GLOSSARY continued

Industrial Buildings used for warehousing and the production and assembly activities of industrial

establishments, including factories and plants.

New Building activity which will result in the creation of a building which previously did not

Non-residential building Buildings primarily intended for purposes other than long term residence.

> Offices Buildings primarily used in the provision of professional services or public administration

> > (e.g. offices, insurance or finance buildings).

Other residential building Buildings other than houses which are primarily used for long-term residential purposes.

Other residential buildings includes: semidetached, row or terrace houses or

townhouses; and flats, units or apartments.

Religious Buildings used for or associated with worship or in support of programs sponsored by

religious bodies (e.g. church, temple, church hall, religious dormitories).

Residential building Buildings primarily used for long-term residential purposes. Residential buildings are

categorised as houses or other residential buildings.

Retail/wholesale trade Buildings primarily used in the sale of goods to intermediate and end users.

Semidetached, row or terrace

Dwellings having their own private grounds with no other dwellings above or below. houses, townhouses

Total residential building Total residential building is comprised of houses and other residential building. It does

not include dwellings in non-residential buildings.

Transport Buildings primarily used in the provision of transport services. Includes:

Passenger transport buildings (e.g. passenger terminals);

Non-passenger transport buildings (e.g. freight terminals);

 Commercial car parks (excluded are those built as part of, and intended to service, other distinct building developments); and

Other transport buildings n.e.c.

Warehouses Buildings primarily used for storage of goods, excluding produce storage.

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