

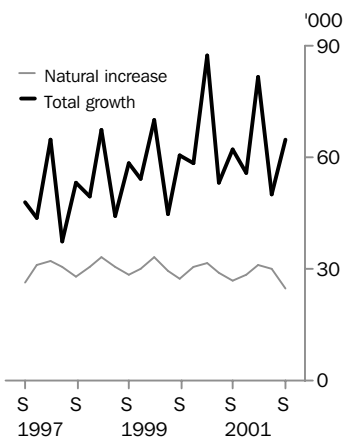


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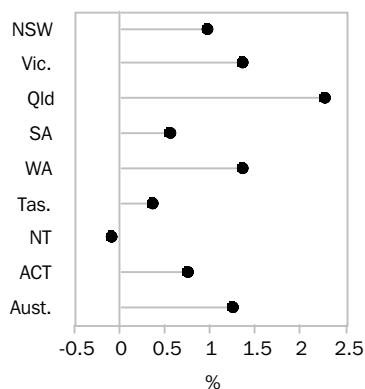
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Population growth



Population growth rate

Year ended current quarter



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SEPTEMBER QTR KEY FIGURES

PRELIMINARY DATA

	Population at end Sep Qtr 2002 '000	Change over previous year '000	%
New South Wales	6 657.4	62.8	1.0
Victoria	4 888.2	66.8	1.4
Queensland	3 729.0	82.8	2.3
South Australia	1 522.5	9.0	0.6
Western Australia	1 934.5	26.6	1.4
Tasmania	473.4	1.8	0.4
Northern Territory	197.7	-0.3	-0.1
Australian Capital Territory	322.2	2.5	0.8

Australia(a) 19 727.5 252.0 1.3

(a) Includes Other Territories comprising Jervis Bay Territory, Christmas Island and the Cocos (Keeling) Islands.

SEPTEMBER QTR KEY POINTS

ESTIMATED RESIDENT POPULATION

- The preliminary estimated resident population of Australia at September 2002, based on the 2001 Census of Population and Housing, was 19,727,500 persons. The population increased by 252,000 persons from September 2001 and 64,700 persons from June 2002.
- Natural increase for the September Quarter 2002 was 24,800 persons, a 7% decrease on September Quarter 2001 and a 17% decrease on June Quarter 2002.
- Preliminary net overseas migration was 39,900 persons in September Quarter 2002, a 12% increase on September Quarter 2001 and almost double the number in June Quarter 2002 (20,000).

POPULATION GROWTH RATES

- In September Quarter 2002 all states and the Australian Capital Territory had positive growth rates. Growth for the Northern Territory was negative at -0.1%
- For the year ended September 2002 the Australian population grew by 1.3%. Again, the Northern Territory was the only state or territory to record negative growth at -0.1%.

SPECIAL ARTICLE

- How Australia calculates the estimated resident population (ERP)—This article describes the various concepts used and how the ERP is calculated from census counts.

NOTES

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2001 Census

This publication contains final estimates of the resident populations (ERP) of Australia and the states and territories based on the results of the 2001 Census of Population and Housing (2001 Census) from September 1996 to June 2001.

Category jumping

Category jumping data for the period September Quarter 1997 to June Quarter 2001 have been set to zero and are final. Data for September Quarter 2001 to September Quarter 2002 have also been set to zero but will be revised when additional information becomes available. This was necessitated by the recent detection of a deficiency in the current measurement of migration category jumping. For further information please see *Demography Working Paper 2003/1—Estimated Resident Population and Measurement of Category Jumping*.

FINAL DATA

ERP, natural increase, net overseas and net interstate migration data prior to and including June Quarter 2001 are final. Exceptions are table 5 where while the data are 2001 Census based they are not yet finalised, and tables 8, 9, 10 (excluding 2001 estimates), 24 and 25 which are still based on the 1996 Census.

Marriages and divorces data prior to March Quarter 2002 are final.

REVISED DATA

All ERP from September Quarter 2001 to June Quarter 2002 are revised as a consequence of finalising the population estimate for June Quarter 2001.

PRELIMINARY DATA

All ERP, natural increase, net overseas and net interstate migration data for September Quarter 2001 to September Quarter 2002 are preliminary.

Estimated resident household data from June Quarter 1997 to June Quarter 2002 are preliminary and based on the 1996 Census.

Marriages and divorces data from March Quarter 2002 are preliminary.

DATA BASED ON 1996 CENSUS

Tables 8, 9, 10 (excluding 2001 estimates), 24 and 25 are based on 1996 Census data.

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ANALYSES AND COMMENTS

The preliminary estimated resident population (ERP) of Australia at September 2002 was 19,727,500 persons, an increase of 252,000 persons since September 2001 and 64,700 persons since June 2002. The national growth rate during the twelve months ended September 2002 was 1.3%, compared with 1.4% for the previous 12 months.

COMPONENTS OF AUSTRALIA'S POPULATION CHANGE

The growth in Australia's population has two components; natural increase (the number of births minus the number of deaths) and net overseas migration (net permanent and long-term movement plus an adjustment for category jumping¹). Since Federation natural increase has generally contributed more to annual population growth than net overseas migration.

Natural increase In September Quarter 2002 natural increase was 24,800 persons, a 7% decrease on September Quarter 2001 and a 17% decrease since June Quarter 2002. These decreases were contributed to by the increase in deaths due to population ageing and seasonal trends. Between September Quarters 2001 and 2002 the number of deaths registered increased by 2,700 persons while between June Quarter 2002 and September Quarter 2002 the number of deaths registered increased by 6,500 persons.

Natural increase for the year ended September 2002 was 114,000 persons, a decrease of around 3,700 persons on the number recorded in the year ended September 2001 (117,700). Births contributed 247,200 babies while deaths removed 133,200 persons from the population in the year ended September 2002.

Net overseas migration In September Quarter 2002 preliminary net overseas migration was 39,900 persons an increase of 12% on September Quarter 2001 (35,700) and almost double the number in June Quarter 2002 (20,000) which is traditionally a low quarter for net overseas migration. Preliminary net overseas migration was 138,000 persons in the year ended September 2002, 1% lower than for the year ended September 2001 (139,400). During this period there were 358,200 permanent and long-term arrivals and 220,200 permanent and long-term departures.

Category jumping from September Quarter 1997 has been set to zero and has not contributed to net overseas migration. The setting of category jumping to zero was necessitated by the recent detection of a deficiency in the current measurement of migration category jumping. For further information please see *Demography Working Paper 2003/1—Estimated Resident Population and Measurement of Category Jumping*.

STATES AND TERRITORIES

The population of Australia's states and territories at September 2002 was as follows: New South Wales 6,657,400, Victoria 4,888,200, Queensland 3,729,000, South Australia 1,522,500, Western Australia 1,934,500, Tasmania 473,400, Northern Territory 197,700 and the Australian Capital Territory 322,200.

Growth rates With the exception of the Northern Territory all states and the Australian Capital Territory recorded positive growth in the September Quarter 2002. Queensland recorded the highest quarterly growth rate (0.6%) followed by Western Australia (0.4%), New South Wales and Victoria (each 0.3%), South Australia, Tasmania and the Australian Capital Territory (each 0.1%). The Northern Territory recorded a loss (-0.1%).

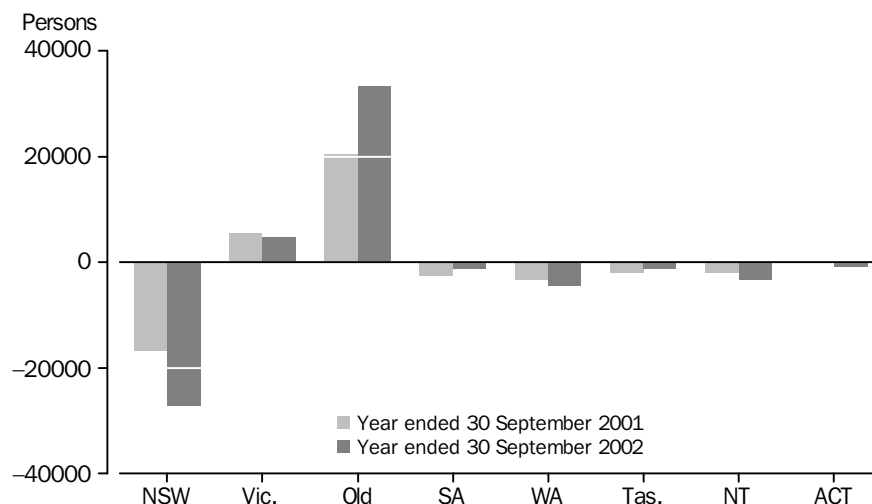
Similarly, for the year ended September 2002 the Northern Territory was the only state or territory with negative growth (-0.1%). The highest positive growth was recorded by Queensland (2.3%) and the lowest by Tasmania (0.4%).

¹ Category jumping relates to those persons who change their travel arrangements from short-term to permanent/long-term or vice versa.

Interstate migration With the exception of Queensland and Victoria all states and territories recorded net interstate migration losses in September Quarter 2002. Queensland had a gain of 9,400 persons while Victoria increased by less than 100. New South Wales lost the highest number of persons (-7,000), followed by the Northern Territory (-1,000), Western Australia (-900) and the Australian Capital Territory (-500). Negligible losses were recorded for South Australia and Tasmania.

This quarterly pattern was reflected in net interstate migration for the year ended September 2002. Gains were recorded for Queensland (33,300) and Victoria (4,700) while losses were recorded for New South Wales (-27,000), Western Australia (-4,300), the Northern Territory (-3,200), South Australia and Tasmania (each -1,200) and the Australian Capital Territory (-900).

NET INTERSTATE MIGRATION, States and territories



INDIGENOUS POPULATION

The experimental estimated resident Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander population of Australia at June 2001 (based on the 2001 Census) was 458,500 persons (227,500 males and 231,000 females).

INDIGENOUS POPULATION, June 2001



	INDIGENOUS POPULATION (ERP)		INDIGENOUS AS A PROPORTION OF TOTAL POPULATION
	'000	%	%
New South Wales	134.9	29.4	2.1
Victoria	27.8	6.1	0.6
Queensland	125.9	27.5	3.5
South Australia	25.5	5.6	1.7
Western Australia	65.9	14.4	3.5
Tasmania	17.4	3.8	3.7
Northern Territory	56.9	12.4	28.8
Australian Capital Territory	3.9	0.9	1.2
Australia(a)	458.5	100.0	2.4

(a) Includes Other Territories comprising Jervis Bay Territory, Christmas Island and the Cocos (Keeling) Islands.

SPECIAL ARTICLE

HOW AUSTRALIA CALCULATES THE ESTIMATED RESIDENT POPULATION (ERP)

The estimated resident population (ERP) is the official estimate of the population calculated by the Australian Bureau of Statistics at quarterly intervals within a year. In the Census of Population and Housing (Census) year, the ERP is first calculated at the census date, which is then backdated to calculate the ERP at 30 June of the census year. Quarterly updates are then calculated using quarterly information on births, deaths, overseas migration and interstate migration. The interstate migration is included for obtaining ERPs at the state and territory level. ERPs are used for the allocation of seats in the House of Representatives and for the distribution of funds to states and territories and lower jurisdictions.

In this article various concepts and adjustments are described which lead to the calculation of the ERP (1) at the census date, (2) at 30 June of the census year, (3) for post-censal state and territory quarterly estimates, and (4) for intercensal revision.

CENSUS COUNT

The census count is the population as enumerated in the Census in Australia. The Australian Census includes overseas visitors in Australia and excludes Australian residents overseas at the census date (7 August 2001 for the last Census). A count of Australian residents, excluding Australian residents overseas, is obtained by excluding all overseas visitors enumerated at the Census (203,100 at the 2001 Census). The census count can be tabulated by the place of enumeration (where persons are counted) and/or by the place of usual residence (where persons usually live) in Australia. It is the usual resident census count which is used in the calculation of the ERP.

UNDERENUMERATION AT THE CENSUS

The Census aims to enumerate each person present in the country on census night. However, this universal enumeration has never been possible in the censuses around the world. Some people are missed out and some are counted more than once, which usually results in a net underenumeration of the population. An adjustment for the net underenumeration of Australian residents' count at the census date is made based on the results of a Post Enumeration Survey (PES).

POST ENUMERATION SURVEY (PES)

The PES is a sample survey of households which is designed to be representative of the population of Australia. It is carried out three weeks after the census date. The aim of the survey is to enumerate a sample of households and people independently from the Census. Records of these people are then matched with census forms. People who are matched more than once, or not matched provide an estimate of people who have been counted more than once or not at all. Statistical procedures allow for the calculation of net undercount rates at the national, state and territory, and capital city/balance of state levels. Net undercount rates are also available for some subgroups of the population (Indigenous age groups, overseas born, etc).

The 2001 PES ran from 27 August to 1 September 2001. A team of 500 trained interviewers visited 37,000 households and enumerated 84,000 people. Each person, or a responsible adult responding on his/her behalf, was asked:

- whether he/she was counted in the Census
- if counted,
 - what address he/she was counted at
 - whether he/she could have been counted at other addresses (specify)
- if not counted,
 - where he/she stayed on census night

This information was used to determine whether a person was counted, counted more than once or was not counted in the Census.

PES MATCHING AND SEARCHING

Locating the census forms corresponding to people in the PES involved two stages: matching and searching. Matching required finding an electronic image of the census form corresponding to the dwelling at which the PES interview took place while searching involved locating the census forms at the other addresses provided in the PES interview.

Once a corresponding census form image was located, the next task was to match at the person level. This was done for each PES household member and involved examining the responses common to both the PES and census forms (by name) to determine whether they were counted or missed. In most cases it was possible to identify a clear match on the basis of the name of the persons. Where the name could not be matched a judgement on whether or not a person was counted was made based on other information such as age, sex, marital status, birthplace and relationship to other members in the census household.

Further information on the 2001 PES results will be reported in *Information Paper: Census of Population and Housing, Data Quality—Undercount, 2001* (cat. no. 2940.0), due for release on 1 April, 2003.

RESIDENTS TEMPORARILY OVERSEAS

ERP calculations also make an adjustment for Australian residents who happen to be temporarily absent from Australia at the census date. Using data on residents returning in the 12 months after the census date, an estimate of their numbers is made and these people are added into the population. This information is obtained from the Department of Immigration and Multicultural and Indigenous Affairs (DIMIA) using completed incoming passenger cards for Australian residents returning to Australia.

CALCULATION OF THE ERP AT THE CENSUS DATE

The PES determines the extent of net underenumeration that is required to add to the census counts on a usual residence basis. The estimate of residents temporarily overseas at the census date is then added. Further refinement of these estimates (demographic adjustments) is achieved by comparing census-based results with independent sources of population information in Australia. In particular, a demographic estimate of population by age and sex at the census date is made using yearly births, deaths and net overseas migration statistics.

CALCULATION OF THE ERP AT 30 JUNE OF THE CENSUS YEAR

The next step is to obtain ERP at 30 June of the Census year. The births, deaths and net overseas migration which occurred between 1 July and the census date (7 August for the 2001 Census) are added or subtracted from the census date ERP.

POST-CENSAL QUARTERLY STATE AND TERRITORY LEVEL POPULATION ESTIMATES

Post-censal population estimates are calculated on a quarterly basis from 30 June ERP in the Census year by updating them with the births, deaths and net overseas migration which occur in each quarter. For the state and territory level estimates, net interstate migration occurring in the quarterly periods is also included in the calculation.

INTERCENSAL REVISION OF POPULATION ESTIMATES

When the population estimates for a census year become available for the states, territories and Australia, they can be compared with the alternative estimates for the same date already produced by updating the previous census post-censal estimates. The difference between the two estimates is called the 'intercensal error'.

The Census allows an assessment of how much of the intercensal error was due to inaccuracies in estimates of interstate migration. The Census questions which allow this assessment are the questions on usual residence 1 year ago and 5 years ago. Estimates of interstate migration based on census data are used to revise the interstate migration component of the post-censal population updates (based on the previous Census). The resulting difference between the revised post-censal estimates (based on the previous Census and revised interstate migration) and the estimates based on the latest Census is a non-attributable portion, and is termed the 'intercensal discrepancy'.

The intercensal discrepancy acts as a balancing item, that when combined with births, deaths and migration equals the change in the intercensal population estimates. It is distributed on a uniform basis across quarterly population estimates in the intercensal period.

INTERCENSAL DISCREPANCY, 1996–2001

	INTERCENSAL DISCREPANCY	
	'000	%
New South Wales	21.4	0.33
Victoria	-26.9	-0.56
Queensland	-3.9	-0.11
South Australia	2.7	0.18
Western Australia	-5.1	-0.27
Tasmania	0.1	0.01
Northern Territory	0.3	0.15
Australian Capital Territory	1.3	0.42
Australia(a)	-10.6	-0.05

(a) Includes Other Territories comprising Jervis Bay Territory, Christmas Island and the Cocos (Keeling) Islands.

For more information, please refer to Demographic Estimates and Projections: Concepts, Sources and Methods (cat. no. 3228.0).

COMPONENTS OF ESTIMATED RESIDENT POPULATION (ERP), 30 June 2001(a), Final

Period	New South Wales	Victoria	Queensland	South Australia	Western Australia	Tasmania	Northern Territory	Australian Capital Territory	Australia(b)
	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000
MALES									
Components as at 7 August 2001—									
Census count, actual location	3 145.4	2 279.1	1 803.8	722.3	922.3	224.0	110.2	153.4	9 362.0
plus Residents absent interstate	36.1	41.2	17.1	12.8	8.9	4.9	2.1	5.2	128.5
less Interstate visitors	29.1	16.8	47.3	7.1	10.5	2.2	10.4	4.9	128.5
less Overseas visitors	28.7	15.6	32.2	3.8	9.0	0.9	4.0	1.3	95.5
<i>equals</i> Census count, place of usual residence	3 123.7	2 287.9	1 741.5	724.1	911.7	225.9	97.9	152.5	9 266.5
plus Allowance for net under-enumeration(c)	79.3	39.6	44.3	14.4	21.1	4.7	4.3	2.0	209.7
plus Residents temporarily overseas	66.3	43.7	24.3	9.2	20.2	1.9	1.3	3.3	170.2
<i>equals</i> ERP as at 7 August 2001	3 269.3	2 371.2	1 810.1	747.7	953.0	232.5	103.6	157.7	9 646.5
Components from 1 July to 7 August 2001—									
less Births	4.4	3.2	2.5	0.9	1.3	0.3	0.2	0.2	13.0
plus Deaths	2.7	1.8	1.4	0.7	0.7	0.2	0.1	0.1	7.7
less Net interstate migration	-0.6	0.4	0.9	-0.1	-0.2	-0.1	-0.1	-0.1	..
less Net permanent and long-term overseas movement	4.0	3.2	1.7	0.3	1.1	0.1	—	0.2	10.6
less Category jumping	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
<i>equals</i> ERP as at 30 June 2001	3 264.2	2 366.3	1 806.4	747.3	951.6	232.5	103.5	157.6	9 630.7
FEMALES									
Components as at 7 August 2001—									
Census count, actual location	3 226.3	2 365.9	1 851.3	744.9	929.0	232.6	100.5	158.6	9 610.3
plus Residents absent interstate	31.7	37.9	13.5	11.2	6.9	5.0	1.7	4.6	112.5
less Interstate visitors	23.2	13.4	47.0	5.7	9.0	1.9	8.1	4.2	112.5
less Overseas visitors	31.9	17.3	37.3	4.5	10.3	1.0	3.9	1.4	107.6
<i>equals</i> Census count, place of usual residence	3 202.9	2 373.0	1 780.6	745.9	916.6	234.8	90.2	157.5	9 502.7
plus Allowance for net under-enumeration(c)	50.9	27.7	24.2	9.9	16.5	2.7	3.2	1.3	136.4
plus Residents temporarily overseas	62.1	42.4	22.2	9.1	18.2	1.8	1.0	3.1	160.0
<i>equals</i> ERP as at 7 August 2001	3 315.9	2 443.2	1 827.0	764.9	951.4	239.4	94.3	161.9	9 799.1
Components from 1 July to 7 August 2001—									
less Births	4.1	3.0	2.4	0.9	1.2	0.3	0.2	0.2	12.4
plus Deaths	2.6	1.8	1.2	0.7	0.6	0.2	—	0.1	7.1
less Net interstate migration	-0.9	0.3	1.2	-0.2	-0.1	-0.1	-0.2	-0.1	..
less Net permanent and long-term overseas movement	4.2	3.1	2.1	0.4	1.3	—	—	0.1	11.3
less Category jumping	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
<i>equals</i> ERP as at 30 June 2001	3 311.0	2 438.4	1 822.5	764.5	949.6	239.3	94.3	161.7	9 782.6
PERSONS									
Components as at 7 August 2001—									
Census count, actual location	6 371.7	4 645.0	3 655.1	1 467.3	1 851.3	456.7	210.7	311.9	18 972.4
plus Residents absent interstate	67.8	79.1	30.7	24.0	15.8	9.9	3.9	9.8	241.0
less Interstate visitors	52.4	30.2	94.3	12.9	19.5	4.1	18.5	9.0	241.0
less Overseas visitors	60.6	32.9	69.5	8.3	19.2	1.8	7.9	2.8	203.1
<i>equals</i> Census count, place of usual residence	6 326.6	4 661.0	3 522.0	1 470.1	1 828.3	460.7	188.1	310.0	18 769.2
plus Allowance for net under-enumeration(c)	130.2	67.3	68.5	24.3	37.6	7.4	7.5	3.3	346.2
plus Residents temporarily overseas	128.4	86.1	46.5	18.3	38.5	3.7	2.3	6.4	330.2
<i>equals</i> ERP as at 7 August 2001	6 585.2	4 814.4	3 637.1	1 512.6	1 904.4	471.8	197.9	319.7	19 445.6
Components from 1 July to 7 August 2001—									
less Births	8.6	6.2	4.9	1.8	2.5	0.5	0.4	0.4	25.4
plus Deaths	5.3	3.6	2.6	1.4	1.3	0.4	0.1	0.2	14.8
less Net interstate migration	-1.6	0.7	2.1	-0.3	-0.3	-0.2	-0.2	-0.2	..
less Net permanent and long-term overseas movement	8.2	6.4	3.7	0.7	2.4	0.1	—	0.3	21.8
less Category jumping	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
<i>equals</i> ERP as at 30 June 2001	6 575.2	4 804.7	3 628.9	1 511.7	1 901.2	471.8	197.8	319.3	19 413.2

— nil or rounded to zero (including null cells)

(b) Includes Other Territories from September 1993—see paragraph 2 of the Explanatory Notes.

(a) Final estimates.

(c) On a usual residence basis.

POPULATION CHANGE, Summary(a)

Period	COMPONENTS OF POPULATION CHANGE.....						POPULATION.....		
	Births '000	Deaths '000	Natural increase '000	Net permanent and long-term movement '000	Category jumping '000	Net overseas migration '000	At end of period '000	Growth on previous year(b) '000	Growth on previous year(b) %
1996-1997	253.7	127.3	126.4	94.4	-7.3	87.1	18 517.6	206.9	1.13
1997-1998	249.1	129.3	119.9	79.2	—	79.2	18 711.3	193.7	1.05
1998-1999	250.0	128.3	121.7	96.5	—	96.5	18 925.9	214.6	1.15
1999-2000	249.3	128.4	120.9	107.3	—	107.3	19 153.4	227.5	1.20
2000-2001	247.5	128.9	118.6	135.7	—	135.7	19 413.2	259.9	1.36
2001-2002	246.3	130.5	115.9	133.7	—	133.7	19 662.8	249.5	1.29
1996	252.9	128.2	124.7	103.1	-5.6	97.4	18 420.3	224.3	1.23
1997	251.1	128.8	122.3	83.7	-11.3	72.4	18 609.1	188.8	1.02
1998	248.3	127.4	120.8	88.8	—	88.8	18 814.3	205.2	1.10
1999	250.2	128.2	122.0	104.2	—	104.2	19 038.3	224.1	1.19
2000	249.2	128.8	120.4	111.4	—	111.4	19 272.6	234.3	1.23
2001	245.5	129.7	115.7	140.3	—	140.3	19 531.5	258.8	1.34
1996									
September	65.1	37.1	28.1	27.7	4.6	32.3	18 369.4	235.6	1.30
December	63.6	30.5	33.2	20.1	-0.7	19.4	18 420.3	224.3	1.23
1997									
March	61.4	28.4	33.1	36.1	-6.7	29.4	18 481.1	223.9	1.23
June	63.4	31.4	32.1	10.6	-4.5	6.1	18 517.6	206.9	1.13
September	64.4	38.0	26.4	22.9	—	22.9	18 565.5	196.1	1.07
December	61.9	31.0	30.9	14.0	—	14.0	18 609.1	188.8	1.02
1998									
March	60.8	28.4	32.3	33.7	—	33.7	18 673.8	192.7	1.04
June	62.1	31.8	30.3	8.5	—	8.5	18 711.3	193.7	1.05
September	64.1	36.4	27.7	26.5	—	26.5	18 764.6	199.0	1.07
December	61.3	30.8	30.5	20.1	—	20.1	18 814.3	205.2	1.10
1999									
March	62.0	28.8	33.2	35.1	—	35.1	18 881.7	207.8	1.11
June	62.5	32.2	30.3	14.8	—	14.8	18 925.9	214.6	1.15
September	64.5	35.9	28.6	29.7	—	29.7	18 984.0	219.5	1.17
December	61.1	31.2	29.9	24.6	—	24.6	19 038.3	224.1	1.19
2000									
March	61.9	28.9	33.0	37.4	—	37.4	19 108.6	226.9	1.20
June	61.8	32.3	29.4	15.5	—	15.5	19 153.4	227.5	1.20
September	63.8	36.3	27.5	31.9	—	31.9	19 214.2	230.1	1.21
December	61.8	31.4	30.5	26.6	—	26.6	19 272.6	234.3	1.23
2001									
March	60.6	29.2	31.4	54.8	—	54.8	19 360.2	251.7	1.32
June	61.3	32.1	29.2	22.4	—	22.4	19 413.2	259.9	1.36
September	62.8	36.2	26.6	35.7	—	35.7	19 475.5	261.3	1.36
December	60.7	32.2	28.5	27.5	—	27.5	19 531.5	258.8	1.34
2002									
March	60.5	29.6	30.9	50.6	—	50.6	19 613.0	252.7	1.31
June	62.2	32.4	29.8	20.0	—	20.0	19 662.8	249.5	1.29
September	63.7	38.9	24.8	39.9	—	39.9	19 727.5	252.0	1.29

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(a) See Explanatory Notes for concepts used and the Glossary for definitions of terms used. Includes Other Territories from September 1993—see paragraph 2 of the Explanatory Notes.

(b) Differences between total growth and the sum of natural increase and net migration during 1996-2001 are due to intercensal discrepancy.

POPULATION CHANGE, Components

<i>Period</i>	<i>New South Wales</i>	<i>Victoria</i>	<i>Queensland</i>	<i>South Australia</i>	<i>Western Australia</i>	<i>Tasmania</i>	<i>Northern Territory</i>	<i>Australian Capital Territory</i>	<i>Australia(a)</i>
<i>no.</i>	<i>no.</i>	<i>no.</i>	<i>no.</i>	<i>no.</i>	<i>no.</i>	<i>no.</i>	<i>no.</i>	<i>no.</i>	<i>no.</i>
NATURAL INCREASE									
1996-1997	42 740	28 662	25 580	6 951	14 158	2 444	2 733	3 043	126 362
1997-1998	39 374	27 720	24 639	6 602	13 715	2 104	2 825	2 834	119 850
1998-1999	40 561	27 076	24 427	6 751	14 509	2 658	2 749	2 932	121 687
1999-2000	40 752	27 741	24 645	6 306	13 829	2 089	2 722	2 795	120 918
2000-2001	39 709	26 433	25 366	5 495	13 966	2 047	2 851	2 681	118 587
2001-2002	37 584	27 324	24 335	5 887	13 030	2 139	2 885	2 643	115 857
1996	41 764	28 735	24 685	7 220	13 980	2 511	2 770	3 033	124 739
1997	40 906	27 850	25 395	6 780	13 675	2 137	2 744	2 811	122 341
1998	39 949	27 192	24 632	6 544	14 458	2 389	2 699	2 929	120 823
1999	40 304	28 081	24 546	6 782	14 249	2 423	2 779	2 796	121 989
2000	40 933	26 747	25 089	5 808	14 013	2 098	2 783	2 888	120 394
2001	38 820	26 083	24 633	5 471	13 321	2 003	2 966	2 402	115 740
1996									
September	9 112	6 606	5 573	1 432	3 242	633	692	782	28 081
December	11 931	7 745	6 112	1 796	3 464	654	629	807	33 158
1997									
March	11 022	7 469	6 527	2 051	3 923	640	707	712	33 060
June	10 675	6 842	7 368	1 672	3 529	517	705	742	32 063
September	8 366	6 093	5 747	1 407	2 970	433	684	646	26 356
December	10 843	7 446	5 753	1 650	3 253	547	648	711	30 862
1998									
March	10 307	7 408	6 632	2 074	3 761	625	755	765	32 334
June	9 858	6 773	6 507	1 471	3 731	499	738	712	30 298
September	9 028	6 213	5 820	1 279	3 408	605	609	682	27 651
December	10 756	6 798	5 673	1 720	3 558	660	597	770	30 540
1999									
March	10 722	7 680	6 817	2 100	3 688	680	742	759	33 194
June	10 055	6 385	6 117	1 652	3 855	713	801	721	30 302
September	9 398	7 019	5 771	1 419	3 159	512	637	695	28 623
December	10 129	6 997	5 841	1 611	3 547	518	599	621	29 870
2000									
March	11 081	7 276	6 999	1 828	3 791	569	744	686	32 986
June	10 144	6 449	6 034	1 448	3 332	490	742	793	29 439
September	8 771	6 240	6 010	1 147	3 538	476	643	662	27 493
December	10 937	6 782	6 046	1 385	3 352	563	654	747	30 476
2001									
March	10 418	6 830	6 719	1 691	3 705	589	763	692	31 413
June	9 583	6 581	6 591	1 272	3 371	419	791	580	29 205
September	9 031	6 225	5 614	1 244	3 049	186	685	552	26 594
December	9 788	6 447	5 709	1 264	3 196	809	727	578	28 528
2002									
March	10 590	7 583	6 530	1 737	2 421	631	678	759	30 935
June	8 175	7 069	6 482	1 642	4 364	513	795	754	29 800
September	8 797	4 891	5 271	948	2 958	558	683	642	24 754

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POPULATION CHANGE, Components *continued*

Period	New South Wales	Victoria	Queensland	South Australia	Western Australia	Tasmania	Northern Territory	Australian Capital Territory	Australia(a)
	no.	no.	no.	no.	no.	no.	no.	no.	no.
NET OVERSEAS MIGRATION									
1996-1997	37 291	21 078	12 620	3 106	12 280	254	541	-70	87 079
1997-1998	31 843	19 313	12 490	3 160	11 993	39	560	-242	79 162
1998-1999	41 088	24 691	13 710	2 682	13 381	171	1 006	-225	96 483
1999-2000	43 689	26 982	17 514	3 829	13 993	435	942	-99	107 275
2000-2001	58 619	35 336	21 003	2 765	16 263	101	878	719	135 673
2001-2002	51 340	34 249	24 866	4 481	17 307	482	144	837	133 684
1996	44 330	23 432	12 710	3 476	12 340	455	573	133	97 444
1997	29 715	17 217	11 807	2 850	10 801	-3	413	-385	72 402
1998	35 228	23 548	12 482	3 128	13 078	513	841	-33	88 781
1999	43 834	24 846	17 171	3 689	13 992	115	1 067	-487	104 210
2000	47 345	29 463	15 917	2 726	14 965	-8	700	351	111 441
2001	57 904	35 479	24 518	3 637	16 832	485	490	948	140 277
1996									
September	13 982	7 794	4 814	1 069	3 967	164	321	179	32 287
December	9 484	4 343	1 946	758	2 888	82	67	-190	19 376
1997									
March	11 134	7 982	4 506	1 143	4 309	32	125	132	29 354
June	2 691	959	1 354	136	1 116	-24	28	-191	6 062
September	9 222	5 593	4 116	813	3 021	-20	262	-79	22 942
December	6 668	2 683	1 831	758	2 355	9	-2	-247	14 044
1998									
March	12 292	9 464	4 901	1 382	5 019	88	191	360	33 708
June	3 661	1 573	1 642	207	1 598	-38	109	-276	8 468
September	11 777	6 753	3 479	209	4 190	120	167	-161	26 536
December	7 498	5 758	2 460	1 330	2 271	343	374	44	20 069
1999									
March	13 771	9 803	5 535	1 000	4 634	-98	218	239	35 083
June	8 042	2 377	2 236	143	2 286	-194	247	-347	14 795
September	11 258	7 544	3 903	1 018	5 502	179	429	-115	29 714
December	10 763	5 122	5 497	1 528	1 570	228	173	-264	24 618
2000									
March	14 023	11 255	5 258	1 213	5 113	84	178	304	37 425
June	7 645	3 061	2 856	70	1 808	-56	162	-24	15 518
September	13 329	8 744	4 421	877	4 098	-48	279	204	31 895
December	12 348	6 403	3 382	566	3 946	12	81	-133	26 603
2001									
March	22 036	15 900	8 873	1 276	5 715	129	240	611	54 780
June	10 906	4 289	4 327	46	2 504	8	278	37	22 395
September	14 077	8 895	6 593	1 130	4 428	75	109	349	35 650
December	10 885	6 395	4 725	1 185	4 185	273	-137	-49	27 452
2002									
March	17 933	14 984	8 988	1 665	6 223	163	90	543	50 588
June	8 445	3 975	4 560	501	2 471	-29	82	-6	19 994
September	15 228	10 716	7 203	1 283	5 139	91	53	236	39 941

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Period	New South Wales	Victoria	Queensland	South Australia	Western Australia	Tasmania	Northern Territory	Australian Capital Territory	Australia(a)
	no.	no.	no.	no.	no.	no.	no.	no.	no.
NET INTERSTATE MIGRATION									
1996-1997	-10 661	-6 195	19 605	-3 318	4 660	-3 325	1 754	-2 470	..
1997-1998	-12 249	-270	17 424	-1 996	3 227	-3 633	-472	-1 982	..
1998-1999	-13 050	2 527	16 682	-1 631	296	-3 317	-953	-506	..
1999-2000	-14 274	5 219	18 453	-3 531	-2 187	-2 632	-907	-91	..
2000-2001	-16 315	5 163	20 024	-2 418	-3 110	-2 136	-1 592	407	..
2001-2002	-23 786	6 239	29 028	-1 854	-4 174	-1 691	-2 784	-978	..
1996	-14 379	-9 981	26 803	-4 619	4 909	-2 922	460	-247	..
1997	-10 718	-2 641	18 144	-2 465	3 780	-3 411	541	-3 181	..
1998	-11 963	1 394	15 433	-1 481	2 381	-3 735	-688	-1 292	..
1999	-13 902	3 883	17 033	-2 204	-1 476	-2 846	-817	378	..
2000	-14 708	4 920	20 367	-3 669	-2 501	-2 533	-1 621	-218	..
2001	-18 822	6 363	22 178	-1 814	-3 748	-1 971	-2 132	-42	..
1996									
September	-3 401	-2 606	6 409	-1 209	1 289	-650	647	-467	..
December	-3 241	-1 361	5 321	-855	994	-919	365	-292	..
1997									
March	-2 519	-684	3 561	-710	1 795	-740	-2	-688	..
June	-1 500	-1 544	4 314	-544	582	-1 016	744	-1 023	..
September	-3 144	-539	5 274	-468	676	-791	-62	-934	..
December	-3 555	126	4 995	-743	727	-864	-139	-536	..
1998									
March	-2 425	117	2 925	-283	1 312	-952	-203	-477	..
June	-3 125	26	4 230	-502	512	-1 026	-68	-35	..
September	-2 663	-427	3 638	-144	838	-750	-54	-427	..
December	-3 750	1 678	4 640	-552	-281	-1 007	-363	-353	..
1999									
March	-2 909	526	3 682	-381	77	-862	-174	54	..
June	-3 728	750	4 722	-554	-338	-698	-362	220	..
September	-2 970	689	4 057	-326	-448	-600	-364	-26	..
December	-4 295	1 918	4 572	-943	-767	-686	83	130	..
2000									
March	-3 580	1 529	5 133	-1 425	-674	-687	-472	189	..
June	-3 429	1 083	4 691	-837	-298	-659	-154	-384	..
September	-3 427	1 226	4 653	-618	-660	-649	-374	-145	..
December	-4 272	1 082	5 890	-789	-869	-538	-621	122	..
2001									
March	-4 182	1 986	4 301	-821	-669	-393	-374	158	..
June	-4 434	869	5 180	-190	-912	-556	-223	272	..
September	-3 772	1 609	5 103	-632	-759	-452	-577	-520	..
December	-6 434	1 899	7 594	-171	-1 408	-570	-958	48	..
2002									
March	-6 309	2 500	6 451	-529	-911	-300	-865	-37	..
June	-7 271	231	9 880	-522	-1 096	-369	-384	-469	..
September	-7 029	89	9 379	-17	-925	-9	-1 025	-463	..

(a) Includes Other Territories from September 1996 to June 2001 inclusive.

POPULATION CHANGE, Components *continued*

Period	New South Wales	Victoria	Queensland	South Australia	Western Australia	Tasmania	Northern Territory	Australian Capital Territory	Australia(a)
	no.	no.	no.	no.	no.	no.	no.	no.	no.
TOTAL POPULATION GROWTH(b)									
1996-1997	72 233	37 046	55 981	7 104	29 736	-838	5 069	791	206 850
1997-1998	62 110	40 619	53 054	8 195	27 676	-1 638	2 968	846	193 707
1998-1999	72 299	48 582	53 696	8 267	27 065	-537	2 855	2 438	214 584
1999-2000	74 843	54 937	60 116	7 219	24 726	-21	2 826	2 889	227 525
2000-2001	89 004	63 387	67 409	6 690	26 700	386	2 207	4 102	259 860
2001-2002	65 138	67 812	78 229	8 514	26 163	930	245	2 502	249 541
1996	75 225	39 633	64 602	6 177	31 099	164	4 106	3 392	224 266
1997	62 899	36 097	53 677	7 574	26 953	-1 458	3 734	-482	188 795
1998	66 634	46 215	51 248	8 625	28 722	-932	2 932	1 814	205 161
1999	74 408	51 449	57 937	8 807	25 746	-280	3 075	2 960	224 062
2000	79 393	56 852	61 627	5 600	25 819	-214	1 931	3 310	234 306
2001	81 413	66 154	71 841	7 720	26 192	700	1 360	3 459	258 820
1996									
September	20 421	10 171	16 341	1 387	8 157	92	1 671	565	58 720
December	18 896	9 103	12 923	1 782	7 005	-235	1 071	398	50 886
1997									
March	20 349	13 142	14 137	2 572	9 686	-120	841	231	60 766
June	12 567	4 630	12 580	1 363	4 888	-575	1 486	-403	36 478
September	15 239	9 608	14 758	1 863	6 357	-416	888	-300	47 971
December	14 744	8 717	12 202	1 776	6 022	-347	519	-10	43 580
1998									
March	20 956	15 456	14 087	3 278	9 775	-278	760	704	64 716
June	11 171	6 838	12 007	1 278	5 522	-597	801	452	37 440
September	19 073	11 117	12 663	1 455	8 152	-39	746	143	53 291
December	15 434	12 804	12 491	2 614	5 273	-18	625	515	49 714
1999									
March	22 509	16 578	15 752	2 837	8 118	-288	791	1 116	67 382
June	15 283	8 083	12 790	1 361	5 522	-192	693	664	44 197
September	18 855	14 002	13 608	2 261	7 984	117	718	620	58 166
December	17 761	12 786	15 787	2 348	4 122	83	873	560	54 317
2000									
March	22 693	18 808	17 268	1 772	7 999	-17	469	1 255	70 249
June	15 534	9 341	13 453	838	4 621	-204	766	454	44 793
September	20 412	15 322	15 337	1 616	6 874	-125	566	792	60 785
December	20 754	13 381	15 569	1 374	6 325	132	130	809	58 479
2001									
March	30 020	23 832	20 144	2 358	8 651	414	648	1 537	87 595
June	17 818	10 852	16 359	1 342	4 850	-35	863	964	53 001
September	19 336	16 729	17 310	1 742	6 718	-191	217	381	62 244
December	14 239	14 741	18 028	2 278	5 973	512	-368	577	55 980
2002									
March	22 214	25 067	21 969	2 873	7 733	494	-97	1 265	81 523
June	9 349	11 275	20 922	1 621	5 739	115	493	279	49 794
September	16 996	15 696	21 853	2 214	7 172	640	-289	415	64 695

(a) Includes Other Territories from September 1993—see paragraph 2 of the Explanatory Notes.

(b) Differences between total growth and the sum of natural increase and net migration during 1996-2001 are due to intercensal discrepancy.

POPULATION CHANGE, Rates

Period	New South Wales	Victoria	Queensland	South Australia	Western Australia	Tasmania	Northern Territory	Australian Capital Territory	Australia(a)
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
NATURAL INCREASE RATE									
1996-1997	0.69	0.63	0.77	0.47	0.80	0.52	1.50	0.99	0.69
1997-1998	0.63	0.60	0.73	0.45	0.76	0.44	1.51	0.92	0.65
1998-1999	0.64	0.58	0.71	0.45	0.80	0.56	1.45	0.95	0.65
1999-2000	0.64	0.59	0.70	0.42	0.75	0.44	1.41	0.89	0.64
2000-2001	0.61	0.56	0.71	0.37	0.75	0.43	1.46	0.85	0.62
2001-2002	0.57	0.57	0.67	0.39	0.69	0.45	1.46	0.83	0.60
1996	0.68	0.63	0.75	0.49	0.80	0.53	1.53	0.99	0.69
1997	0.66	0.61	0.75	0.46	0.77	0.45	1.49	0.91	0.66
1998	0.63	0.59	0.72	0.44	0.80	0.51	1.43	0.95	0.65
1999	0.63	0.60	0.71	0.45	0.78	0.51	1.45	0.90	0.65
2000	0.63	0.57	0.71	0.39	0.75	0.44	1.43	0.92	0.63
2001	0.59	0.55	0.69	0.36	0.71	0.42	1.51	0.76	0.60
NET OVERSEAS MIGRATION RATE									
1996-1997	0.60	0.46	0.38	0.21	0.70	0.05	0.30	-0.02	0.48
1997-1998	0.51	0.42	0.37	0.21	0.67	0.01	0.30	-0.08	0.43
1998-1999	0.65	0.53	0.40	0.18	0.73	0.04	0.53	-0.07	0.52
1999-2000	0.68	0.58	0.50	0.26	0.76	0.09	0.49	-0.03	0.57
2000-2001	0.90	0.75	0.59	0.18	0.87	0.02	0.45	0.23	0.71
2001-2002	0.78	0.71	0.69	0.30	0.91	0.10	0.07	0.26	0.69
1996	0.72	0.52	0.38	0.24	0.71	0.10	0.32	0.04	0.54
1997	0.48	0.38	0.35	0.19	0.61	—	0.22	-0.12	0.39
1998	0.56	0.51	0.36	0.21	0.72	0.11	0.45	-0.01	0.48
1999	0.69	0.53	0.49	0.25	0.76	0.02	0.56	-0.16	0.55
2000	0.73	0.63	0.45	0.18	0.80	—	0.36	0.11	0.59
2001	0.89	0.74	0.68	0.24	0.89	0.10	0.25	0.30	0.73

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POPULATION CHANGE, Rates *continued*

Period	New South Wales	Victoria	Queensland	South Australia	Western Australia	Tasmania	Northern Territory	Australian Capital Territory	Australia(a)
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
NET INTERSTATE MIGRATION RATE									
1996-1997	-0.17	-0.14	0.59	-0.23	0.26	-0.70	0.96	-0.80	..
1997-1998	-0.20	-0.01	0.51	-0.13	0.18	-0.77	-0.25	-0.64	..
1998-1999	-0.21	0.05	0.48	-0.11	0.02	-0.70	-0.50	-0.16	..
1999-2000	-0.22	0.11	0.53	-0.24	-0.12	-0.56	-0.47	-0.03	..
2000-2001	-0.25	0.11	0.56	-0.16	-0.17	-0.45	-0.81	0.13	..
2001-2002	-0.36	0.13	0.80	-0.12	-0.22	-0.36	-1.41	-0.31	..
1996	-0.23	-0.22	0.81	-0.31	0.28	-0.62	0.25	-0.08	..
1997	-0.17	-0.06	0.54	-0.17	0.21	-0.72	0.29	-1.03	..
1998	-0.19	0.03	0.45	-0.10	0.13	-0.79	-0.37	-0.42	..
1999	-0.22	0.08	0.49	-0.15	-0.08	-0.60	-0.43	0.12	..
2000	-0.23	0.10	0.58	-0.24	-0.13	-0.54	-0.83	-0.07	..
2001	-0.29	0.13	0.62	-0.12	-0.20	-0.42	-1.09	-0.01	..
TOTAL POPULATION GROWTH(b)									
1996-1997	1.16	0.81	1.68	0.48	1.68	-0.18	2.79	0.26	1.13
1997-1998	0.99	0.88	1.56	0.55	1.54	-0.35	1.59	0.27	1.05
1998-1999	1.14	1.05	1.56	0.55	1.48	-0.11	1.50	0.79	1.15
1999-2000	1.17	1.17	1.72	0.48	1.34	—	1.47	0.92	1.20
2000-2001	1.37	1.34	1.89	0.44	1.42	0.08	1.13	1.30	1.36
2001-2002	0.99	1.41	2.16	0.56	1.38	0.20	0.12	0.78	1.29
1996	1.22	0.87	1.96	0.42	1.78	0.03	2.28	1.11	1.23
1997	1.01	0.79	1.59	0.51	1.51	-0.31	2.02	-0.16	1.02
1998	1.06	1.00	1.50	0.58	1.59	-0.20	1.56	0.59	1.10
1999	1.17	1.10	1.67	0.59	1.40	-0.06	1.61	0.95	1.19
2000	1.23	1.21	1.75	0.37	1.39	-0.05	0.99	1.06	1.23
2001	1.25	1.39	2.00	0.51	1.39	0.15	0.69	1.09	1.34

— nil or rounded to zero (including null cells)

. . not applicable

(a) Includes Other Territories from September 1996 to June 2001 inclusive for net interstate migration and from September 1993 onwards for total population growth—see paragraph 2 of the Explanatory Notes.

(b) Differences between total growth and the sum of natural increase and net migration during 1996–2001 are due to intercensal discrepancy.

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	<i>New South Wales</i>	<i>Victoria</i>	<i>Queensland</i>	<i>South Australia</i>	<i>Western Australia</i>	<i>Tasmania</i>	<i>Northern Territory</i>	<i>Australian Capital Territory</i>	<i>Australia(a)</i>
At end of period	no.	no.	no.	no.	no.	no.	no.	no.	no.
MALES									
1996–1997	3 115 015	2 268 456	1 698 602	732 534	901 809	233 807	98 202	153 203	9 203 171
1997–1998	3 145 483	2 286 997	1 722 870	736 326	915 039	232 911	99 832	153 743	9 294 674
1998–1999	3 181 260	2 309 422	1 747 726	740 138	927 984	232 551	101 319	154 718	9 396 548
1999–2000	3 219 101	2 335 506	1 775 520	743 753	939 216	232 380	102 596	155 840	9 505 331
2000–2001	3 264 203	2 366 295	1 806 440	747 262	951 556	232 470	103 475	157 575	9 630 652
2001–2002	3 296 998	2 401 089	1 843 078	751 753	964 313	232 788	103 693	158 723	9 753 818
1996	3 099 045	2 260 622	1 686 252	730 446	894 785	234 185	97 091	153 414	9 157 444
1997	3 129 508	2 276 309	1 710 776	734 086	907 546	233 452	99 007	153 067	9 245 257
1998	3 162 436	2 297 572	1 734 391	738 076	921 233	232 829	100 500	153 921	9 342 413
1999	3 199 449	2 321 721	1 761 188	742 280	933 257	232 505	102 187	155 228	9 449 247
2000	3 240 020	2 349 154	1 789 630	745 281	945 202	232 313	102 819	156 479	9 562 299
2001	3 281 024	2 382 124	1 822 751	749 228	957 634	232 571	103 538	157 969	9 688 222
1996									
September	3 090 459	2 256 932	1 680 570	729 681	891 527	234 328	96 637	153 246	9 135 015
December	3 099 045	2 260 622	1 686 252	730 446	894 785	234 185	97 091	153 414	9 157 444
1997									
March	3 109 075	2 266 550	1 692 802	731 742	899 554	234 104	97 475	153 453	9 186 326
June	3 115 015	2 268 456	1 698 602	732 534	901 809	233 807	98 202	153 203	9 203 171
September	3 122 687	2 272 923	1 705 423	733 283	904 751	233 598	98 793	153 151	9 226 138
December	3 129 508	2 276 309	1 710 776	734 086	907 546	233 452	99 007	153 067	9 245 257
1998									
March	3 140 187	2 283 900	1 717 510	735 765	912 419	233 267	99 366	153 525	9 277 431
June	3 145 483	2 286 997	1 722 870	736 326	915 039	232 911	99 832	153 743	9 294 674
September	3 154 858	2 292 150	1 728 572	736 959	918 952	232 927	100 236	153 839	9 319 959
December	3 162 436	2 297 572	1 734 391	738 076	921 233	232 829	100 500	153 921	9 342 413
1999									
March	3 173 491	2 305 812	1 742 016	739 420	925 374	232 681	100 890	154 534	9 375 651
June	3 181 260	2 309 422	1 747 726	740 138	927 984	232 551	101 319	154 718	9 396 548
September	3 190 816	2 316 231	1 753 873	741 189	931 408	232 582	101 678	155 022	9 424 233
December	3 199 449	2 321 721	1 761 188	742 280	933 257	232 505	102 187	155 228	9 449 247
2000									
March	3 211 180	2 331 093	1 769 376	743 230	937 084	232 489	102 357	155 713	9 483 951
June	3 219 101	2 335 506	1 775 520	743 753	939 216	232 380	102 596	155 840	9 505 331
September	3 229 949	2 342 870	1 782 583	744 654	942 377	232 254	102 838	156 190	9 535 117
December	3 240 020	2 349 154	1 789 630	745 281	945 202	232 313	102 819	156 479	9 562 299
2001									
March	3 255 013	2 361 354	1 799 004	746 562	949 378	232 499	103 105	157 206	9 605 510
June	3 264 203	2 366 295	1 806 440	747 262	951 556	232 470	103 475	157 575	9 630 652
September	3 274 287	2 374 958	1 814 289	748 159	954 676	232 393	103 679	157 762	9 661 585
December	3 281 024	2 382 124	1 822 751	749 228	957 634	232 571	103 538	157 969	9 688 222
2002									
March	3 292 332	2 395 325	1 833 150	750 813	961 430	232 803	103 456	158 675	9 729 370
June	3 296 998	2 401 089	1 843 078	751 753	964 313	232 788	103 693	158 723	9 753 818
September	3 305 527	2 409 086	1 853 681	752 879	967 755	233 109	103 563	158 937	9 785 917

(a) Includes Other Territories from September 1993—see paragraph 2 of the Explanatory Notes.

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At end of period	New South Wales	Victoria	Queensland	South Australia	Western Australia	Tasmania	Northern Territory	Australian Capital Territory	Australia(a)
no.	no.	no.	no.	no.	no.	no.	no.	no.	no.
FEMALES									
1996–1997	3 161 946	2 328 745	1 696 069	748 823	893 183	239 798	88 710	155 839	9 314 393
1997–1998	3 193 588	2 350 823	1 724 855	753 226	907 629	239 056	90 048	156 145	9 416 597
1998–1999	3 230 110	2 376 980	1 753 695	757 681	921 749	238 879	91 416	157 608	9 529 307
1999–2000	3 267 112	2 405 833	1 786 017	761 285	935 243	239 029	92 965	159 375	9 648 049
2000–2001	3 311 014	2 438 431	1 822 506	764 466	949 603	239 325	94 293	161 742	9 782 588
2001–2002	3 343 357	2 471 449	1 864 097	768 489	963 009	239 937	94 320	163 096	9 908 963
1996	3 145 000	2 318 807	1 681 702	746 976	885 633	240 115	87 494	155 800	9 262 876
1997	3 177 436	2 339 217	1 710 855	750 910	899 825	239 390	89 312	155 665	9 363 858
1998	3 211 142	2 364 169	1 738 488	755 545	914 860	239 081	90 751	156 625	9 471 863
1999	3 248 537	2 391 469	1 769 628	760 148	928 582	239 125	92 139	158 278	9 589 091
2000	3 287 359	2 420 888	1 802 813	762 747	942 456	239 103	93 438	160 337	9 710 345
2001	3 327 768	2 454 072	1 841 533	766 520	956 216	239 545	94 079	162 306	9 843 242
1996									
September	3 134 690	2 313 394	1 674 461	745 959	881 886	240 207	86 877	155 570	9 234 419
December	3 145 000	2 318 807	1 681 702	746 976	885 633	240 115	87 494	155 800	9 262 876
1997									
March	3 155 319	2 326 021	1 689 289	748 252	890 550	240 076	87 951	155 992	9 294 760
June	3 161 946	2 328 745	1 696 069	748 823	893 183	239 798	88 710	155 839	9 314 393
September	3 169 513	2 333 886	1 704 006	749 937	896 598	239 591	89 007	155 591	9 339 397
December	3 177 436	2 339 217	1 710 855	750 910	899 825	239 390	89 312	155 665	9 363 858
1998									
March	3 187 713	2 347 082	1 718 208	752 509	904 727	239 297	89 713	155 911	9 396 400
June	3 193 588	2 350 823	1 724 855	753 226	907 629	239 056	90 048	156 145	9 416 597
September	3 203 286	2 356 787	1 731 816	754 048	911 868	239 001	90 390	156 192	9 444 603
December	3 211 142	2 364 169	1 738 488	755 545	914 860	239 081	90 751	156 625	9 471 863
1999									
March	3 222 596	2 372 507	1 746 615	757 038	918 837	238 941	91 152	157 128	9 506 007
June	3 230 110	2 376 980	1 753 695	757 681	921 749	238 879	91 416	157 608	9 529 307
September	3 239 409	2 384 173	1 761 156	758 891	926 309	238 965	91 775	157 924	9 559 788
December	3 248 537	2 391 469	1 769 628	760 148	928 582	239 125	92 139	158 278	9 589 091
2000									
March	3 259 499	2 400 905	1 778 708	760 970	932 754	239 124	92 438	159 048	9 624 636
June	3 267 112	2 405 833	1 786 017	761 285	935 243	239 029	92 965	159 375	9 648 049
September	3 276 676	2 413 791	1 794 291	762 000	938 956	239 030	93 289	159 817	9 679 048
December	3 287 359	2 420 888	1 802 813	762 747	942 456	239 103	93 438	160 337	9 710 345
2001									
March	3 302 386	2 432 520	1 813 583	763 824	946 931	239 331	93 800	161 147	9 754 729
June	3 311 014	2 438 431	1 822 506	764 466	949 603	239 325	94 293	161 742	9 782 588
September	3 320 266	2 446 497	1 831 967	765 311	953 201	239 211	94 306	161 936	9 813 899
December	3 327 768	2 454 072	1 841 533	766 520	956 216	239 545	94 079	162 306	9 843 242
2002									
March	3 338 674	2 465 938	1 853 103	767 808	960 153	239 807	94 064	162 865	9 883 617
June	3 343 357	2 471 449	1 864 097	768 489	963 009	239 937	94 320	163 096	9 908 963
September	3 351 824	2 479 148	1 875 347	769 577	966 739	240 256	94 161	163 297	9 941 559

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At end of period	New South Wales	Victoria	Queensland	South Australia	Western Australia	Tasmania	Northern Territory	Australian Capital Territory	Australia(a)
no.	no.	no.	no.	no.	no.	no.	no.	no.	no.
PERSONS									
1996–1997	6 276 961	4 597 201	3 394 671	1 481 357	1 794 992	473 605	186 912	309 042	18 517 564
1997–1998	6 339 071	4 637 820	3 447 725	1 489 552	1 822 668	471 967	189 880	309 888	18 711 271
1998–1999	6 411 370	4 686 402	3 501 421	1 497 819	1 849 733	471 430	192 735	312 326	18 925 855
1999–2000	6 486 213	4 741 339	3 561 537	1 505 038	1 874 459	471 409	195 561	315 215	19 153 380
2000–2001	6 575 217	4 804 726	3 628 946	1 511 728	1 901 159	471 795	197 768	319 317	19 413 240
2001–2002	6 640 355	4 872 538	3 707 175	1 520 242	1 927 322	472 725	198 013	321 819	19 662 781
1996	6 244 045	4 579 429	3 367 954	1 477 422	1 780 418	474 300	184 585	309 214	18 420 320
1997	6 306 944	4 615 526	3 421 631	1 484 996	1 807 371	472 842	188 319	308 732	18 609 115
1998	6 373 578	4 661 741	3 472 879	1 493 621	1 836 093	471 910	191 251	310 546	18 814 276
1999	6 447 986	4 713 190	3 530 816	1 502 428	1 861 839	471 630	194 326	313 506	19 038 338
2000	6 527 379	4 770 042	3 592 443	1 508 028	1 887 658	471 416	196 257	316 816	19 272 644
2001	6 608 792	4 836 196	3 664 284	1 515 748	1 913 850	472 116	197 617	320 275	19 531 464
1996									
September	6 225 149	4 570 326	3 355 031	1 475 640	1 773 413	474 535	183 514	308 816	18 369 434
December	6 244 045	4 579 429	3 367 954	1 477 422	1 780 418	474 300	184 585	309 214	18 420 320
1997									
March	6 264 394	4 592 571	3 382 091	1 479 994	1 790 104	474 180	185 426	309 445	18 481 086
June	6 276 961	4 597 201	3 394 671	1 481 357	1 794 992	473 605	186 912	309 042	18 517 564
September	6 292 200	4 606 809	3 409 429	1 483 220	1 801 349	473 189	187 800	308 742	18 565 535
December	6 306 944	4 615 526	3 421 631	1 484 996	1 807 371	472 842	188 319	308 732	18 609 115
1998									
March	6 327 900	4 630 982	3 435 718	1 488 274	1 817 146	472 564	189 079	309 436	18 673 831
June	6 339 071	4 637 820	3 447 725	1 489 552	1 822 668	471 967	189 880	309 888	18 711 271
September	6 358 144	4 648 937	3 460 388	1 491 007	1 830 820	471 928	190 626	310 031	18 764 562
December	6 373 578	4 661 741	3 472 879	1 493 621	1 836 093	471 910	191 251	310 546	18 814 276
1999									
March	6 396 087	4 678 319	3 488 631	1 496 458	1 844 211	471 622	192 042	311 662	18 881 658
June	6 411 370	4 686 402	3 501 421	1 497 819	1 849 733	471 430	192 735	312 326	18 925 855
September	6 430 225	4 700 404	3 515 029	1 500 080	1 857 717	471 547	193 453	312 946	18 984 021
December	6 447 986	4 713 190	3 530 816	1 502 428	1 861 839	471 630	194 326	313 506	19 038 338
2000									
March	6 470 679	4 731 998	3 548 084	1 504 200	1 869 838	471 613	194 795	314 761	19 108 587
June	6 486 213	4 741 339	3 561 537	1 505 038	1 874 459	471 409	195 561	315 215	19 153 380
September	6 506 625	4 756 661	3 576 874	1 506 654	1 881 333	471 284	196 127	316 007	19 214 165
December	6 527 379	4 770 042	3 592 443	1 508 028	1 887 658	471 416	196 257	316 816	19 272 644
2001									
March	6 557 399	4 793 874	3 612 587	1 510 386	1 896 309	471 830	196 905	318 353	19 360 239
June	6 575 217	4 804 726	3 628 946	1 511 728	1 901 159	471 795	197 768	319 317	19 413 240
September	6 594 553	4 821 455	3 646 256	1 513 470	1 907 877	471 604	197 985	319 698	19 475 484
December	6 608 792	4 836 196	3 664 284	1 515 748	1 913 850	472 116	197 617	320 275	19 531 464
2002									
March	6 631 006	4 861 263	3 686 253	1 518 621	1 921 583	472 610	197 520	321 540	19 612 987
June	6 640 355	4 872 538	3 707 175	1 520 242	1 927 322	472 725	198 013	321 819	19 662 781
September	6 657 351	4 888 234	3 729 028	1 522 456	1 934 494	473 365	197 724	322 234	19 727 476

(a) Includes Other Territories from September 1993—see paragraph 2 of the Explanatory Notes.

ESTIMATED RESIDENT POPULATION, Major population centres(a)—at 30 June

	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002
	<i>no.</i>	<i>no.</i>	<i>no.</i>	<i>no.</i>	<i>no.</i>	<i>no.</i>
CAPITAL CITY STATISTICAL DIVISIONS						
Sydney	3 935 330	3 985 142	4 039 916	4 094 319	4 154 722	n.y.a.
Melbourne	3 314 142	3 352 454	3 392 431	3 438 765	3 488 750	n.y.a.
Brisbane	1 544 978	1 570 939	1 595 586	1 623 352	1 653 365	n.y.a.
Adelaide	1 084 306	1 091 565	1 098 109	1 103 950	1 110 547	n.y.a.
Perth	1 317 567	1 338 209	1 359 058	1 377 262	1 397 048	n.y.a.
Hobart	196 077	196 143	196 290	196 794	197 816	n.y.a.
Darwin	99 164	101 745	103 896	106 209	108 191	n.y.a.
Canberra	309 136	310 647	313 406	316 627	321 307	n.y.a.

OTHER

Newcastle (b)	469 904	475 886	481 359	488 020	494 355	n.y.a.
Gold Coast-Tweed (b)	368 952	382 217	395 691	411 458	426 435	n.y.a.
Canberra-Queanbeyan (b)	347 202	349 484	353 198	357 812	364 403	n.y.a.
Wollongong (b)	258 813	261 510	264 314	267 694	271 145	n.y.a.
Sunshine Coast (b)	162 499	168 631	174 131	180 054	185 729	n.y.a.
Geelong (b)	153 011	153 961	156 036	158 061	160 058	n.y.a.
Townsville (b)	123 688	125 531	128 283	131 628	134 572	n.y.a.
Cairns (b)	108 689	110 416	111 668	112 864	113 435	n.y.a.
Launceston (b)	98 708	98 407	98 422	98 562	98 820	n.y.a.
Albury-Wodonga (b)	93 649	94 469	95 352	96 504	97 883	n.y.a.
Toowoomba City (c)	86 895	87 500	88 007	88 892	89 928	n.y.a.
Ballarat (b)	79 780	80 594	81 552	82 771	83 753	n.y.a.
Bendigo (b)	75 232	76 224	77 188	78 363	79 682	n.y.a.
Burnie-Devonport (b)	78 846	78 394	77 978	77 759	77 554	n.y.a.
Bathurst-Orange (b)	72 296	73 353	74 164	74 931	75 963	n.y.a.
La Trobe Valley (b)	75 869	75 938	75 632	75 254	75 275	n.y.a.
Hastings (d)	58 540	60 501	62 047	64 119	65 481	n.y.a.
Mackay (b)	61 770	62 292	63 011	63 863	64 775	n.y.a.
Rockhampton (b)	64 321	64 217	63 995	63 640	63 427	n.y.a.
Coffs Harbour (d)	58 436	59 486	60 040	61 101	61 770	n.y.a.
Bundaberg (b)	54 745	55 212	55 685	56 321	56 923	n.y.a.
Wagga Wagga (d)	56 430	56 888	56 905	56 744	56 729	n.y.a.
Mildura (b)	41 827	42 665	43 444	44 210	45 018	n.y.a.
Shepparton (b)	41 613	42 203	42 836	44 013	44 850	n.y.a.
Greater Taree (d)	43 616	43 890	44 309	44 482	44 849	n.y.a.
Lismore (d)	43 541	43 430	43 362	43 268	43 231	n.y.a.
Gladstone (b)	37 781	38 166	38 382	38 706	39 195	n.y.a.
Dubbo (d)	36 863	37 295	37 809	38 401	38 782	n.y.a.
Tamworth (d)	35 449	35 744	36 438	36 579	36 733	n.y.a.
Kalgoorlie/Boulder (d)	29 999	30 388	30 440	30 108	29 735	n.y.a.

n.y.a. not yet available

(b) Statistical District boundaries.

(a) Data are based on the 2001 Census and 2001 Statistical Local Area boundaries but are not yet finalised.

(c) Statistical Subdivision.

(d) Local Government Area.

ESTIMATED RESIDENT POPULATION, Age groups—at 30 June 2002

	New South Wales	Victoria	Queensland	South Australia	Western Australia	Tasmania	Northern Territory	Australian Capital Territory	Australia(a)
Age group (years)	no.	no.	no.	no.	no.	no.	no.	no.	no.
MALES									
0-4	221 446	157 005	127 148	46 242	64 054	15 777	9 073	10 413	651 270
5-9	231 194	167 209	136 057	50 379	69 019	16 989	8 842	11 122	690 947
10-14	233 547	167 935	137 108	51 846	71 701	17 409	8 465	11 483	699 624
15-19	232 530	169 663	136 402	53 271	73 114	17 328	7 646	12 643	702 688
20-24	226 059	171 127	129 207	50 022	69 486	14 513	8 374	13 785	682 646
25-29	234 640	173 491	127 833	49 523	67 381	13 451	9 151	12 854	688 400
30-34	250 625	188 516	136 140	55 140	73 910	15 491	9 378	12 711	742 018
35-39	249 710	182 131	134 244	55 877	73 302	15 959	8 847	12 029	732 212
40-44	254 015	184 094	139 600	58 234	75 261	18 081	8 195	12 118	749 711
45-49	229 232	166 815	127 691	53 589	69 824	16 873	7 066	11 347	682 559
50-54	217 072	156 449	124 622	51 571	66 316	16 213	6 566	11 057	649 985
55-59	185 788	132 202	106 531	44 081	53 596	14 072	4 732	8 733	549 802
60-64	144 745	104 911	81 856	34 086	40 719	11 403	3 251	5 936	426 967
65-69	119 180	85 914	63 339	28 730	31 328	9 134	1 723	4 156	343 536
70-74	106 350	76 810	53 962	26 446	26 720	8 057	1 195	3 425	302 977
75-79	81 829	59 313	41 104	21 539	19 944	6 187	654	2 587	233 162
80-84	48 841	34 654	24 647	12 919	11 159	3 501	285	1 511	137 526
85 and over	30 195	22 850	15 587	8 258	7 479	2 350	250	813	87 788
All ages	3 296 998	2 401 089	1 843 078	751 753	964 313	232 788	103 693	158 723	9 753 818
FEMALES									
0-4	209 887	149 521	120 348	44 397	61 237	14 894	8 574	10 198	619 151
5-9	219 506	158 473	128 323	47 885	65 234	16 059	8 252	10 594	654 466
10-14	222 288	160 948	130 630	48 873	68 183	16 670	7 717	11 087	666 537
15-19	221 776	163 858	130 601	50 947	69 633	16 691	7 194	12 014	672 784
20-24	219 016	167 922	127 778	47 503	66 472	14 175	7 511	13 730	664 165
25-29	235 996	174 506	130 807	47 540	66 263	14 028	8 576	12 760	690 559
30-34	254 870	195 385	141 229	53 988	73 276	16 304	9 143	13 107	757 385
35-39	248 399	186 911	139 663	55 486	73 663	16 987	8 060	12 500	741 795
40-44	254 897	187 549	143 510	58 868	75 637	18 589	7 528	12 897	759 583
45-49	229 957	171 084	130 135	54 671	70 600	17 282	6 532	12 203	692 579
50-54	215 241	160 527	123 289	52 813	64 474	16 229	5 659	11 680	649 976
55-59	180 268	132 041	102 356	44 403	50 120	13 876	3 630	8 714	535 452
60-64	143 070	105 114	77 884	34 698	39 304	11 244	2 297	5 866	419 519
65-69	123 386	90 934	62 567	30 240	32 202	9 449	1 337	4 428	354 565
70-74	117 462	85 467	57 337	29 652	28 567	8 799	945	3 688	331 928
75-79	104 083	76 873	49 522	27 798	24 185	7 710	613	3 388	294 175
80-84	75 460	54 150	36 123	20 238	17 278	5 758	424	2 314	211 747
85 and over	67 795	50 186	31 995	18 489	16 681	5 193	328	1 928	192 597
All ages	3 343 357	2 471 449	1 864 097	768 489	963 009	239 937	94 320	163 096	9 908 963

(a) Includes Other Territories—see paragraph 2 of the Explanatory Notes.

ESTIMATED RESIDENT POPULATION, Age groups—at 30 June 2002 *continued*

	New South Wales	Victoria	Queensland	South Australia	Western Australia	Tasmania	Northern Territory	Australian Capital Territory	Australia(a)
Age group (years)	no.	no.	no.	no.	no.	no.	no.	no.	no.
PERSONS									
0-4	431 333	306 526	247 496	90 639	125 291	30 671	17 647	20 611	1 270 421
5-9	450 700	325 682	264 380	98 264	134 253	33 048	17 094	21 716	1 345 413
10-14	455 835	328 883	267 738	100 719	139 884	34 079	16 182	22 570	1 366 161
15-19	454 306	333 521	267 003	104 218	142 747	34 019	14 840	24 657	1 375 472
20-24	445 075	339 049	256 985	97 525	135 958	28 688	15 885	27 515	1 346 811
25-29	470 636	347 997	258 640	97 063	133 644	27 479	17 727	25 614	1 378 959
30-34	505 495	383 901	277 369	109 128	147 186	31 795	18 521	25 818	1 499 403
35-39	498 109	369 042	273 907	111 363	146 965	32 946	16 907	24 529	1 474 007
40-44	508 912	371 643	283 110	117 102	150 898	36 670	15 723	25 015	1 509 294
45-49	459 189	337 899	257 826	108 260	140 424	34 155	13 598	23 550	1 375 138
50-54	432 313	316 976	247 911	104 384	130 790	32 442	12 225	22 737	1 299 961
55-59	366 056	264 243	208 887	88 484	103 716	27 948	8 362	17 447	1 085 254
60-64	287 815	210 025	159 740	68 784	80 023	22 647	5 548	11 802	846 486
65-69	242 566	176 848	125 906	58 970	63 530	18 583	3 060	8 584	698 101
70-74	223 812	162 277	111 299	56 098	55 287	16 856	2 140	7 113	634 905
75-79	185 912	136 186	90 626	49 337	44 129	13 897	1 267	5 975	527 337
80-84	124 301	88 804	60 770	33 157	28 437	9 259	709	3 825	349 273
85 and over	97 990	73 036	47 582	26 747	24 160	7 543	578	2 741	280 385
All ages	6 640 355	4 872 538	3 707 175	1 520 242	1 927 322	472 725	198 013	321 819	19 662 781

(a) Includes Other Territories—see paragraph 2 of the Explanatory Notes.

ESTIMATED RESIDENT POPULATION(a), Age groups—at 30 June

Age group (years)	PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL POPULATION.....									
	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002
	no.	no.	no.	no.	no.	%	%	%	%	%
MALES										
0-4	662 117	658 830	655 870	657 499	651 270	3.54	3.48	3.42	3.39	3.31
5-9	682 279	688 603	692 562	693 790	690 947	3.65	3.64	3.62	3.57	3.51
10-14	673 038	677 581	684 739	693 083	699 624	3.60	3.58	3.58	3.57	3.56
15-19	658 940	666 616	677 754	690 668	702 688	3.52	3.52	3.54	3.56	3.57
20-24	671 658	659 915	655 257	660 776	682 646	3.59	3.49	3.42	3.40	3.47
25-29	731 507	730 086	722 233	700 910	688 400	3.91	3.86	3.77	3.61	3.50
30-34	702 633	701 626	708 467	726 919	742 018	3.76	3.71	3.70	3.74	3.77
35-39	746 221	750 920	748 345	741 434	732 212	3.99	3.97	3.91	3.82	3.72
40-44	694 604	705 884	719 843	734 436	749 711	3.71	3.73	3.76	3.78	3.81
45-49	655 026	662 213	667 121	675 055	682 559	3.50	3.50	3.48	3.48	3.47
50-54	592 065	614 221	634 443	652 540	649 985	3.16	3.25	3.31	3.36	3.31
55-59	449 076	469 113	490 199	512 888	549 802	2.40	2.48	2.56	2.64	2.80
60-64	371 999	384 943	400 799	413 982	426 967	1.99	2.03	2.09	2.13	2.17
65-69	335 461	333 808	332 035	335 590	343 536	1.79	1.76	1.73	1.73	1.75
70-74	288 331	294 577	299 587	303 554	302 977	1.54	1.56	1.56	1.56	1.54
75-79	200 722	212 193	219 590	227 356	233 162	1.07	1.12	1.15	1.17	1.19
80-84	110 780	112 618	118 969	128 250	137 526	0.59	0.60	0.62	0.66	0.70
85 and over	68 217	72 801	77 518	81 922	87 788	0.36	0.38	0.40	0.42	0.45
All ages	9 294 674	9 396 548	9 505 331	9 630 652	9 753 818	49.67	49.65	49.63	49.61	49.61
FEMALES										
0-4	627 424	625 323	623 100	624 858	619 151	3.35	3.30	3.25	3.22	3.15
5-9	648 632	653 586	657 321	657 874	654 466	3.47	3.45	3.43	3.39	3.33
10-14	642 387	646 949	652 475	660 094	666 537	3.43	3.42	3.41	3.40	3.39
15-19	627 773	636 395	649 402	662 077	672 784	3.36	3.36	3.39	3.41	3.42
20-24	652 618	641 165	635 881	641 636	664 165	3.49	3.39	3.32	3.31	3.38
25-29	733 599	732 790	727 009	706 171	690 559	3.92	3.87	3.80	3.64	3.51
30-34	709 564	711 121	718 323	739 696	757 385	3.79	3.76	3.75	3.81	3.85
35-39	752 411	757 978	756 421	750 770	741 795	4.02	4.00	3.95	3.87	3.77
40-44	702 290	714 395	728 900	744 821	759 583	3.75	3.77	3.81	3.84	3.86
45-49	653 629	665 314	674 128	683 539	692 579	3.49	3.52	3.52	3.52	3.52
50-54	572 625	597 901	623 134	648 237	649 976	3.06	3.16	3.25	3.34	3.31
55-59	433 466	452 671	473 483	495 911	535 452	2.32	2.39	2.47	2.55	2.72
60-64	372 460	384 242	396 853	408 042	419 519	1.99	2.03	2.07	2.10	2.13
65-69	349 038	346 104	345 081	346 923	354 565	1.87	1.83	1.80	1.79	1.80
70-74	331 072	333 331	333 643	334 826	331 928	1.77	1.76	1.74	1.72	1.69
75-79	268 808	280 869	287 744	292 000	294 175	1.44	1.48	1.50	1.50	1.50
80-84	182 054	183 067	190 000	201 800	211 747	0.97	0.97	0.99	1.04	1.08
85 and over	156 747	166 106	175 151	183 313	192 597	0.84	0.88	0.91	0.94	0.98
All ages	9 416 597	9 529 307	9 648 049	9 782 588	9 908 963	50.33	50.35	50.37	50.39	50.39

(a) Includes Other Territories from September 1993—see paragraph 2 of the Explanatory Notes.

ESTIMATED RESIDENT POPULATION(a), Age groups—at 30 June *continued*

Age group (years)	PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL POPULATION.....									
	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002
	no.	no.	no.	no.	no.	%	%	%	%	%
PERSONS										
0-4	1 289 541	1 284 153	1 278 970	1 282 357	1 270 421	6.89	6.79	6.68	6.61	6.46
5-9	1 330 911	1 342 189	1 349 883	1 351 664	1 345 413	7.11	7.09	7.05	6.96	6.84
10-14	1 315 425	1 324 530	1 337 214	1 353 177	1 366 161	7.03	7.00	6.98	6.97	6.95
15-19	1 286 713	1 303 011	1 327 156	1 352 745	1 375 472	6.88	6.88	6.93	6.97	7.00
20-24	1 324 276	1 301 080	1 291 138	1 302 412	1 346 811	7.08	6.87	6.74	6.71	6.85
25-29	1 465 106	1 462 876	1 449 242	1 407 081	1 378 959	7.83	7.73	7.57	7.25	7.01
30-34	1 412 197	1 412 747	1 426 790	1 466 615	1 499 403	7.55	7.46	7.45	7.55	7.63
35-39	1 498 632	1 508 898	1 504 766	1 492 204	1 474 007	8.01	7.97	7.86	7.69	7.50
40-44	1 396 894	1 420 279	1 448 743	1 479 257	1 509 294	7.47	7.50	7.56	7.62	7.68
45-49	1 308 655	1 327 527	1 341 249	1 358 594	1 375 138	6.99	7.01	7.00	7.00	6.99
50-54	1 164 690	1 212 122	1 257 577	1 300 777	1 299 961	6.22	6.40	6.57	6.70	6.61
55-59	882 542	921 784	963 682	1 008 799	1 085 254	4.72	4.87	5.03	5.20	5.52
60-64	744 459	769 185	797 652	822 024	846 486	3.98	4.06	4.16	4.23	4.31
65-69	684 499	679 912	677 116	682 513	698 101	3.66	3.59	3.54	3.52	3.55
70-74	619 403	627 908	633 230	638 380	634 905	3.31	3.32	3.31	3.29	3.23
75-79	469 530	493 062	507 334	519 356	527 337	2.51	2.61	2.65	2.68	2.68
80-84	292 834	295 685	308 969	330 050	349 273	1.57	1.56	1.61	1.70	1.78
85 and over	224 964	238 907	252 669	265 235	280 385	1.20	1.26	1.32	1.37	1.43
All ages	18 711 271	18 925 855	19 153 380	19 413 240	19 662 781	100.00	100.00	100.00	100.00	100.00

(a) Includes Other Territories from September 1993—see paragraph 2 of the Explanatory Notes.

ESTIMATED RESIDENT POPULATION(a)(b), Marital status of persons 15 years and over

	<i>Never married</i>	<i>Married</i>	<i>Widowed</i>	<i>Divorced</i>	<i>Total</i>
<i>At 30 June</i>	<i>no.</i>	<i>no.</i>	<i>no.</i>	<i>no.</i>	<i>no.</i>
MALES					
1997	2 486 211	4 104 172	175 133	439 307	7 204 823
1998	2 549 714	4 123 807	176 696	460 092	7 310 309
1999	2 610 663	4 143 073	178 351	483 336	7 415 423
2000	2 671 370	4 170 608	179 382	505 161	7 526 521
2001	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	n.y.a.
2002	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	n.y.a.
FEMALES					
1997	2 013 074	4 089 977	748 598	548 138	7 399 787
1998	2 069 820	4 108 362	749 495	572 600	7 500 277
1999	2 124 842	4 126 312	751 197	599 193	7 601 544
2000	2 180 043	4 152 217	752 597	624 396	7 709 253
2001	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	n.y.a.
2002	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	n.y.a.
PERSONS					
1997	4 499 285	8 194 149	923 731	987 445	14 604 610
1998	4 619 534	8 232 169	926 191	1 032 692	14 810 586
1999	4 735 505	8 269 385	929 548	1 082 529	15 016 967
2000	4 851 413	8 322 825	931 979	1 129 557	15 235 774
2001	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	n.y.a.
2002	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	n.y.a.

n.y.a. not yet available

(b) Based on 1996 Census data.

(a) Includes Other Territories from September 1993—see paragraph 2 of the Explanatory Notes.

ESTIMATED RESIDENT POPULATION(a), Country of birth—at 30 June

	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002
<i>Country of birth</i>	<i>no.</i>	<i>no.</i>	<i>no.</i>	<i>no.</i>	<i>no.</i>	<i>no.</i>
MAJOR GROUPS						
Oceania and Antarctica	14 633 532	14 802 327	14 979 648	15 121 874	n.y.a.	n.y.a.
Europe and the former USSR	2 430 329	2 417 406	2 403 070	2 403 679	n.y.a.	n.y.a.
Middle East and North Africa	213 956	218 893	224 456	229 810	n.y.a.	n.y.a.
Southeast Asia	510 681	531 570	543 563	564 754	n.y.a.	n.y.a.
Northeast Asia	274 266	278 884	290 679	313 052	n.y.a.	n.y.a.
Southern Asia	170 270	177 663	189 306	199 984	n.y.a.	n.y.a.
The Americas	167 679	174 494	168 972	176 661	n.y.a.	n.y.a.
Africa (excluding North Africa)	123 442	129 122	137 472	147 223	n.y.a.	n.y.a.
Total	18 524 155	18 730 359	18 937 166	19 157 037	n.y.a.	n.y.a.
SELECTED COUNTRIES OF BIRTH						
Australia	14 212 498	14 364 044	14 518 164	14 639 770	n.y.a.	n.y.a.
Canada	28 559	29 654	27 323	28 969	n.y.a.	n.y.a.
Chile	25 804	26 110	25 335	25 362	n.y.a.	n.y.a.
China	135 345	149 101	159 421	168 071	n.y.a.	n.y.a.
Egypt	37 955	37 396	37 766	37 730	n.y.a.	n.y.a.
Fiji	40 518	38 889	38 801	40 312	n.y.a.	n.y.a.
Former USSR and Baltic States	54 272	55 344	54 992	54 920	n.y.a.	n.y.a.
Former Yugoslav Republics(b)	198 080	203 488	207 628	209 955	n.y.a.	n.y.a.
Germany	121 214	122 690	119 941	120 176	n.y.a.	n.y.a.
Greece	141 962	140 955	142 211	141 238	n.y.a.	n.y.a.
Hong Kong & Macao	58 456	55 256	50 800	56 283	n.y.a.	n.y.a.
India	90 374	95 259	103 932	110 190	n.y.a.	n.y.a.
Indonesia	47 839	56 798	61 851	67 553	n.y.a.	n.y.a.
Ireland	59 506	55 684	55 209	55 824	n.y.a.	n.y.a.
Italy	254 379	247 519	245 159	241 749	n.y.a.	n.y.a.
Lebanon	76 151	77 155	78 901	79 851	n.y.a.	n.y.a.
Malaysia	86 465	89 527	92 347	97 632	n.y.a.	n.y.a.
Malta	55 342	55 976	55 408	54 937	n.y.a.	n.y.a.
Netherlands	95 531	92 756	90 826	90 632	n.y.a.	n.y.a.
New Zealand	327 323	342 705	356 961	374 892	n.y.a.	n.y.a.
Philippines	109 879	114 304	120 816	123 035	n.y.a.	n.y.a.
Poland	71 156	70 639	69 521	68 306	n.y.a.	n.y.a.
Singapore	30 740	28 772	25 141	30 713	n.y.a.	n.y.a.
South Africa	65 095	68 406	73 077	80 074	n.y.a.	n.y.a.
Sri Lanka	54 115	55 240	54 800	56 048	n.y.a.	n.y.a.
Turkey	31 656	31 428	31 108	31 569	n.y.a.	n.y.a.
United Kingdom	1 173 031	1 168 986	1 159 783	1 160 039	n.y.a.	n.y.a.
United States of America	56 385	62 126	59 669	65 034	n.y.a.	n.y.a.
Viet Nam	167 325	173 549	173 567	174 449	n.y.a.	n.y.a.

n.y.a. not yet available

(b) See Former Yugoslav Republics in Glossary.

(a) Based on 1996 Census data.

	New South Wales	Victoria	Queensland	South Australia	Western Australia	Tasmania	Northern Territory	Australian Capital Territory	Australia(b)
At 30 June	no.	no.	no.	no.	no.	no.	no.	no.	no.
EXPERIMENTAL ESTIMATES—Males									
1991	48 099	9 982	45 851	9 748	25 125	6 801	23 282	1 281	170 267
1992	49 213	10 200	46 891	9 921	25 621	6 954	23 784	1 327	174 011
1993	50 389	10 422	47 990	10 123	26 128	7 115	24 276	1 375	177 920
1994	51 581	10 652	49 113	10 342	26 654	7 276	24 773	1 423	181 918
1995	52 802	10 894	50 274	10 572	27 219	7 444	25 291	1 472	186 075
1996	54 103	11 149	51 525	10 810	27 794	7 620	25 836	1 522	190 468
2001	67 432	13 799	61 526	12 604	32 881	8 718	28 492	1 963	227 526
EXPERIMENTAL ESTIMATES—Females									
1991	49 685	10 277	47 340	10 061	25 766	6 982	23 592	1 333	175 114
1992	50 814	10 478	48 450	10 283	26 238	7 104	24 066	1 372	178 886
1993	51 986	10 705	49 600	10 510	26 745	7 236	24 541	1 410	182 816
1994	53 218	10 934	50 771	10 741	27 256	7 378	25 015	1 449	186 847
1995	54 482	11 179	51 983	10 985	27 812	7 531	25 520	1 492	191 071
1996	55 822	11 449	53 292	11 241	28 411	7 702	26 040	1 536	195 581
2001	67 456	14 047	64 384	12 940	33 050	8 666	28 383	1 946	230 994
EXPERIMENTAL ESTIMATES—Persons									
1991	97 784	20 259	93 191	19 809	50 891	13 783	46 874	2 614	345 381
1992	100 027	20 678	95 341	20 204	51 859	14 058	47 850	2 699	352 897
1993	102 375	21 127	97 590	20 633	52 873	14 351	48 817	2 785	360 736
1994	104 799	21 586	99 884	21 083	53 910	14 654	49 788	2 872	368 765
1995	107 284	22 073	102 257	21 557	55 031	14 975	50 811	2 964	377 146
1996	109 925	22 598	104 817	22 051	56 205	15 322	51 876	3 058	386 049
2001	134 888	27 846	125 910	25 544	65 931	17 384	56 875	3 909	458 520
EXPERIMENTAL PROJECTIONS, Low Series—Persons									
1997	112 167	23 002	107 558	22 503	57 263	15 581	52 782	3 161	394 214
1998	114 411	23 403	110 324	22 953	58 321	15 841	53 687	3 266	402 404
1999	116 652	23 801	113 111	23 405	59 382	16 106	54 587	3 372	410 615
2000	118 895	24 195	115 919	23 857	60 441	16 373	55 480	3 480	418 841
2001	121 142	24 586	118 749	24 313	61 505	16 644	56 364	3 589	427 094
2002	123 405	24 974	121 601	24 770	62 577	16 917	57 236	3 699	435 381
2003	125 692	25 363	124 473	25 229	63 658	17 193	58 096	3 809	443 715
2004	128 006	25 753	127 375	25 692	64 752	17 470	58 944	3 921	452 114
2005	130 348	26 145	130 311	26 161	65 857	17 747	59 780	4 034	460 583
2006	132 716	26 541	133 288	26 633	66 976	18 023	60 610	4 149	469 135
EXPERIMENTAL PROJECTIONS, High Series—Persons									
1997	117 912	23 541	111 004	22 969	58 342	16 727	53 147	3 377	407 216
1998	126 402	24 507	117 454	23 907	60 522	18 257	54 416	3 723	429 386
1999	135 421	25 496	124 174	24 866	62 744	19 923	55 680	4 099	452 602
2000	144 994	26 507	131 169	25 848	65 005	21 739	56 928	4 508	476 899
2001	155 159	27 540	138 446	26 852	67 313	23 715	58 162	4 950	502 339
2002	165 958	28 595	146 010	27 878	69 669	25 863	59 377	5 428	528 981
2003	177 433	29 677	153 865	28 927	72 076	28 196	60 570	5 944	556 891
2004	189 629	30 784	162 029	29 999	74 534	30 731	61 738	6 504	586 151
2005	202 579	31 918	170 515	31 098	77 042	33 480	62 885	7 110	616 830
2006	216 323	33 079	179 338	32 220	79 600	36 465	64 015	7 766	649 009

(a) With the exception of 2001 data which are 2001 Census based all other data are 1996 Census based. Estimates and the low projections series assume no change in the propensity to identify as Indigenous, as recorded on the 1996 Census forms. The high projection series assume a change in propensity based on the 1991–1996 period.

(b) Includes Jervis Bay Territory.

BIRTHS AND TOTAL FERTILITY RATES

Period	New South Wales	Victoria	Queensland	South Australia	Western Australia	Tasmania	Northern Territory	Australian Capital Territory	Australia(a)
NUMBER OF BIRTHS									
1996-1997	87 460	61 232	47 482	18 576	24 744	6 242	3 564	4 302	253 660
1997-1998	85 186	60 143	47 043	18 330	24 705	5 870	3 650	4 138	249 105
1998-1999	85 664	59 374	47 058	18 399	25 244	6 384	3 598	4 211	249 965
1999-2000	85 825	59 733	47 323	17 896	24 910	5 804	3 635	4 139	249 310
2000-2001	85 365	58 686	47 919	17 414	24 429	5 874	3 728	4 041	247 500
2001-2002	83 039	60 557	47 516	17 481	23 935	5 975	3 754	4 031	246 325
1996	86 678	61 537	46 718	18 803	24 905	6 337	3 583	4 317	252 926
1997	86 357	60 610	47 482	18 411	24 514	5 974	3 582	4 151	251 129
1998	84 726	59 292	46 918	18 324	25 145	6 087	3 560	4 178	248 267
1999	85 526	60 093	47 279	18 124	25 204	6 162	3 638	4 134	250 197
2000	86 630	58 970	47 700	17 640	24 554	5 819	3 674	4 213	249 242
2001	84 012	59 668	46 955	17 206	24 151	5 816	3 824	3 809	245 485
1996									
September	22 483	15 587	12 135	4 789	6 443	1 668	895	1 132	65 143
December	22 482	15 731	11 264	4 628	5 987	1 586	847	1 099	63 645
1997									
March	20 826	14 941	11 400	4 573	6 282	1 483	911	1 006	61 433
June	21 669	14 973	12 683	4 586	6 032	1 505	911	1 065	63 439
September	22 334	15 437	12 141	4 713	6 286	1 500	894	1 039	64 354
December	21 528	15 259	11 258	4 539	5 914	1 486	866	1 041	61 903
1998									
March	20 170	14 577	11 772	4 599	6 166	1 464	961	1 050	60 767
June	21 154	14 870	11 872	4 479	6 339	1 420	929	1 008	62 081
September	22 053	15 197	12 177	4 722	6 380	1 636	869	1 048	64 090
December	21 349	14 648	11 097	4 524	6 260	1 567	801	1 072	61 329
1999									
March	20 747	14 939	12 005	4 594	6 185	1 545	952	1 049	62 025
June	21 515	14 590	11 779	4 559	6 419	1 636	976	1 042	62 521
September	22 234	15 655	12 272	4 600	6 285	1 534	871	1 078	64 542
December	21 030	14 909	11 223	4 371	6 315	1 447	839	965	61 109
2000									
March	21 021	14 626	12 139	4 476	6 244	1 416	958	993	61 886
June	21 540	14 543	11 689	4 449	6 066	1 407	967	1 103	61 773
September	22 250	15 121	12 245	4 441	6 342	1 448	858	1 041	63 755
December	21 819	14 680	11 627	4 274	5 902	1 548	891	1 076	61 828
2001									
March	20 385	14 281	11 906	4 402	6 170	1 476	964	994	60 584
June	20 911	14 604	12 141	4 297	6 015	1 402	1 015	930	61 333
September	21 977	15 550	11 873	4 398	6 023	1 173	879	945	62 827
December	20 739	15 233	11 035	4 109	5 943	1 765	966	940	60 741
2002									
March	20 519	14 411	12 538	4 564	5 005	1 528	897	1 069	60 539
June	19 804	15 363	12 070	4 410	6 964	1 509	1 012	1 077	62 218
September	23 144	14 474	12 188	4 355	6 019	1 539	937	1 015	63 679
TOTAL FERTILITY RATES									
1996-1997	1.839	1.706	1.828	1.716	1.796	1.839	2.180	1.637	1.790
1997-1998	1.791	1.675	1.800	1.704	1.782	1.763	2.208	1.597	1.757
1998-1999	1.804	1.648	1.797	1.727	1.816	1.955	2.170	1.638	1.764
1999-2000	1.800	1.654	1.798	1.700	1.794	1.816	2.181	1.611	1.757
2000-2001	1.786	1.622	1.812	1.678	1.758	1.877	2.245	1.573	1.743
2001-2002	1.728	1.661	1.779	1.699	1.715	1.939	2.287	1.559	1.725

(a) Includes Other Territories from September 1993—see paragraph 2 of the Explanatory Notes.

DEATHS AND STANDARDISED DEATH RATES

Period	New South Wales	Victoria	Queensland	South Australia	Western Australia	Tasmania	Northern Territory	Australian Capital Territory	Australia(a)
NUMBER OF DEATHS									
1996-1997	44 720	32 570	21 902	11 625	10 586	3 798	831	1 259	127 298
1997-1998	45 812	32 423	22 404	11 728	10 990	3 766	825	1 304	129 255
1998-1999	45 103	32 298	22 631	11 648	10 735	3 726	849	1 279	128 278
1999-2000	45 073	31 992	22 678	11 590	11 081	3 715	913	1 344	128 392
2000-2001	45 656	32 253	22 553	11 919	10 463	3 827	877	1 360	128 913
2001-2002	45 455	33 233	23 181	11 594	10 905	3 836	869	1 388	130 468
1996	44 914	32 802	22 033	11 583	10 925	3 826	813	1 284	128 187
1997	45 451	32 760	22 087	11 631	10 839	3 837	838	1 340	128 788
1998	44 777	32 100	22 286	11 780	10 687	3 698	861	1 249	127 444
1999	45 222	32 012	22 733	11 342	10 955	3 739	859	1 338	128 208
2000	45 697	32 223	22 611	11 832	10 541	3 721	891	1 325	128 848
2001	45 192	33 585	22 322	11 735	10 830	3 813	858	1 407	129 745
1996									
September	13 371	8 981	6 562	3 357	3 201	1 035	203	350	37 062
December	10 551	7 986	5 152	2 832	2 523	932	218	292	30 487
1997									
March	9 804	7 472	4 873	2 522	2 359	843	204	294	28 373
June	10 994	8 131	5 315	2 914	2 503	988	206	323	31 376
September	13 968	9 344	6 394	3 306	3 316	1 067	210	393	37 998
December	10 685	7 813	5 505	2 889	2 661	939	218	330	31 041
1998									
March	9 863	7 169	5 140	2 525	2 405	839	206	285	28 433
June	11 296	8 097	5 365	3 008	2 608	921	191	296	31 783
September	13 025	8 984	6 357	3 443	2 972	1 031	260	366	36 439
December	10 593	7 850	5 424	2 804	2 702	907	204	302	30 789
1999									
March	10 025	7 259	5 188	2 494	2 497	865	210	290	28 831
June	11 460	8 205	5 662	2 907	2 564	923	175	321	32 219
September	12 836	8 636	6 501	3 181	3 126	1 022	234	383	35 919
December	10 901	7 912	5 382	2 760	2 768	929	240	344	31 239
2000									
March	9 940	7 350	5 140	2 648	2 453	847	214	307	28 900
June	11 396	8 094	5 655	3 001	2 734	917	225	310	32 334
September	13 479	8 881	6 235	3 294	2 804	972	215	379	36 262
December	10 882	7 898	5 581	2 889	2 550	985	237	329	31 352
2001									
March	9 967	7 451	5 187	2 711	2 465	887	201	302	29 171
June	11 328	8 023	5 550	3 025	2 644	983	224	350	32 128
September	12 946	9 325	6 259	3 154	2 974	987	194	393	36 233
December	10 951	8 786	5 326	2 845	2 747	956	239	362	32 213
2002									
March	9 929	6 828	6 008	2 827	2 584	897	219	310	29 604
June	11 629	8 294	5 588	2 768	2 600	996	217	323	32 418
September	14 347	9 583	6 917	3 407	3 061	981	254	373	38 925
STANDARDISED DEATH RATES(b)									
1996-1997	7.59	7.49	7.58	7.51	7.30	8.35	10.75	7.05	7.57
1997-1998	7.56	7.27	7.49	7.36	7.33	8.14	10.21	6.98	7.46
1998-1999	7.21	7.03	7.32	7.13	6.92	7.85	9.51	6.54	7.18
1999-2000	6.98	6.74	7.08	6.89	6.89	7.60	10.49	6.55	6.95
2000-2001	6.85	6.57	6.77	6.88	6.24	7.60	9.57	6.23	6.74
2001-2002	6.58	6.55	6.66	6.48	6.26	7.38	9.28	6.05	6.59

(a) Includes Other Territories from September 1993—see paragraph 2 of the Explanatory Notes.

(b) Based on the direct method.

INFANT DEATHS AND INFANT MORTALITY RATES

Period	New South Wales	Victoria	Queensland	South Australia	Western Australia	Tasmania	Northern Territory	Australian Capital Territory	Australia(a)
NUMBER OF INFANT DEATHS									
1996-1997	471	273	267	93	133	30	32	18	1 318
1997-1998	394	292	306	78	138	38	40	24	1 310
1998-1999	438	318	274	83	120	41	44	22	1 340
1999-2000	482	304	260	70	114	38	41	18	1 327
2000-2001	465	255	290	78	105	43	33	13	1 282
2001-2002	409	295	269	83	109	34	44	9	1 252
1996	483	303	287	92	145	28	47	25	1 410
1997	453	292	290	87	136	43	37	20	1 359
1998	380	286	287	76	121	31	42	24	1 247
1999	504	327	269	72	114	48	45	15	1 394
2000	445	280	285	75	103	37	34	20	1 279
2001	449	289	269	80	118	34	39	11	1 289
1996									
September	130	59	61	33	41	8	5	7	344
December	109	73	64	16	37	3	9	4	315
1997									
March	111	73	82	18	27	7	9	3	330
June	121	68	60	26	28	12	9	4	329
September	99	66	74	22	38	12	8	7	326
December	122	85	74	21	43	12	11	6	374
1998									
March	85	63	86	18	25	3	11	6	297
June	88	78	72	17	32	11	10	5	313
September	103	77	62	22	31	9	14	7	325
December	104	68	67	19	33	8	7	6	312
1999									
March	116	85	62	21	31	9	12	5	341
June	115	88	83	21	25	15	11	4	362
September	140	79	59	14	35	16	10	5	358
December	133	75	65	16	23	8	12	—	333
2000									
March	94	73	75	24	28	5	8	3	310
June	115	77	61	16	28	9	11	9	326
September	125	62	83	21	21	14	8	4	338
December	111	68	66	14	26	9	7	4	305
2001									
March	119	56	77	25	28	10	6	—	322
June	110	69	64	18	30	10	12	4	317
September	90	80	61	20	31	11	10	—	305
December	130	84	67	17	29	3	11	4	345
2002									
March	75	58	75	23	27	11	13	—	284
June	114	73	66	23	22	9	10	—	318
September	126	79	54	21	16	9	12	3	320
INFANT MORTALITY RATES									
1996-1997	5.39	4.46	5.62	5.01	5.38	4.81	8.98	4.18	5.20
1997-1998	4.63	4.86	6.50	4.26	5.59	6.47	10.96	5.80	5.26
1998-1999	5.11	5.36	5.82	4.51	4.75	6.42	12.23	5.22	5.36
1999-2000	5.62	5.09	5.49	3.91	4.58	6.55	11.28	4.35	5.32
2000-2001	5.45	4.35	6.05	4.48	4.30	7.32	8.85	3.22	5.18
2001-2002	4.93	4.87	5.66	4.75	4.55	5.69	11.72	2.23	5.08

— nil or rounded to zero (including null cells)

(a) Includes Other Territories from September 1993—see paragraph 2 of the Explanatory Notes.

MARRIAGES AND CRUDE MARRIAGE RATES

STATE OR TERRITORY OF REGISTRATION.....

Period	New South Wales	Victoria	Queensland	South Australia	Western Australia	Tasmania	Northern Territory	Australian Capital Territory	Australia
NUMBER OF MARRIAGES									
1996-1997	37 618	25 664	20 822	8 003	10 372	2 507	802	1 771	107 559
1997-1998	36 926	25 955	21 262	7 988	10 457	2 782	786	1 656	107 812
1998-1999	38 770	26 351	21 582	8 034	10 496	2 483	845	1 728	110 289
1999-2000	39 081	27 558	23 153	8 428	10 742	2 648	873	1 798	114 281
2000-2001	39 334	25 728	21 172	7 689	10 268	2 446	788	1 678	109 103
2001-2002	35 743	25 003	20 696	7 474	10 373	2 432	774	1 584	104 079
1996	35 716	26 074	20 913	8 011	10 294	2 654	787	1 654	106 103
1997	36 679	25 456	20 868	7 945	10 456	2 672	786	1 873	106 735
1998	39 136	26 372	21 257	8 022	10 705	2 599	815	1 692	110 598
1999	41 016	27 252	22 416	8 237	10 197	2 499	885	1 814	114 316
2000	39 323	26 852	22 842	8 227	11 000	2 589	861	1 735	113 429
2001	36 109	24 953	20 314	7 434	9 785	2 182	781	1 572	103 130
1996									
September	6 988	3 840	5 382	1 317	1 458	349	322	230	19 886
December	9 792	7 723	5 684	2 500	3 448	658	129	420	30 354
1997									
March	9 403	8 101	4 385	2 436	2 904	900	178	685	28 992
June	11 435	6 000	5 371	1 750	2 562	600	173	436	28 327
September	6 912	3 822	5 249	1 079	1 458	554	262	212	19 548
December	8 929	7 533	5 863	2 680	3 532	618	173	540	29 868
1998									
March	12 531	8 530	4 814	2 405	2 726	800	117	517	32 440
June	8 554	6 070	5 336	1 824	2 741	810	234	387	25 956
September	6 092	3 912	5 730	1 294	1 550	331	281	305	19 495
December	11 959	7 860	5 377	2 499	3 688	658	183	483	32 707
1999									
March	12 145	8 657	4 839	2 472	2 657	858	148	530	32 306
June	8 574	5 922	5 636	1 769	2 601	636	233	410	25 781
September	7 002	4 211	5 718	1 259	1 408	327	281	253	20 459
December	13 295	8 462	6 223	2 737	3 531	678	223	621	35 770
2000									
March	10 189	8 683	5 051	2 436	3 272	910	148	382	31 071
June	8 595	6 202	6 161	1 996	2 531	733	221	542	26 981
September	8 971	3 943	5 471	1 092	1 499	364	332	244	21 916
December	11 568	8 024	6 159	2 703	3 698	582	160	567	33 461
2001									
March	10 679	8 064	4 660	2 175	2 596	789	101	549	29 613
June	8 116	5 697	4 882	1 719	2 475	711	195	318	24 113
September	6 384	3 618	4 932	1 096	1 268	346	319	212	18 175
December	10 930	7 574	5 840	2 444	3 446	336	166	493	31 229
2002									
March	9 949	8 194	4 785	2 135	1 935	1 091	96	552	28 737
June	8 480	5 617	5 139	1 799	3 724	659	193	327	25 938
September	6 144	4 079	5 194	1 019	1 499	320	326	186	18 767

CRUDE MARRIAGE RATES

1996-1997	6.02	5.60	6.18	5.42	5.83	5.29	4.34	5.73	5.84
1997-1998	5.85	5.62	6.21	5.38	5.79	5.88	4.17	5.36	5.79
1998-1999	6.08	5.65	6.21	5.38	5.72	5.26	4.42	5.56	5.86
1999-2000	6.06	5.85	6.56	5.61	5.77	5.61	4.49	5.74	6.00
2000-2001	6.03	5.39	5.89	5.10	5.44	5.19	4.02	5.30	5.66
2001-2002	5.41	5.17	5.65	4.93	5.42	5.15	3.92	4.95	5.33

DIVORCES AND CRUDE DIVORCE RATES

STATE OR TERRITORY OF REGISTRATION.....

Period	New South Wales	Victoria	Queensland	South Australia	Western Australia	Tasmania	Northern Territory	Australian Capital Territory	Australia
NUMBER OF DIVORCES									
1996-1997	15 667	13 046	11 161	4 362	4 931	1 351	473	1 670	52 661
1997-1998	14 117	11 916	11 092	4 113	5 112	1 303	420	1 470	49 543
1998-1999	15 373	12 579	11 845	4 191	5 410	1 339	434	1 544	52 715
1999-2000	15 492	12 818	10 715	4 197	5 323	1 434	450	1 440	51 869
2000-2001	14 886	12 495	11 298	4 072	5 131	1 289	455	1 642	51 268
2001-2002	17 076	13 851	11 244	4 448	4 908	1 406	509	1 655	55 097
1996	15 984	12 491	10 996	4 358	4 959	1 582	486	1 610	52 466
1997	14 655	12 463	11 744	4 115	5 046	1 321	416	1 528	51 288
1998	14 987	12 307	11 349	4 159	5 268	1 322	457	1 521	51 370
1999	15 470	12 742	11 467	4 301	5 301	1 391	409	1 485	52 566
2000	14 756	12 401	10 092	4 036	5 276	1 329	455	1 561	49 906
2001	16 057	13 722	12 085	4 545	5 351	1 439	447	1 684	55 330
1996									
September	4 002	3 530	2 721	1 080	1 294	338	125	383	13 473
December	4 338	3 398	2 904	1 259	1 271	360	140	496	14 166
1997									
March	3 599	2 810	2 680	1 018	1 233	306	109	406	12 161
June	3 728	3 308	2 856	1 005	1 133	347	99	385	12 861
September	3 636	3 164	3 248	1 034	1 360	330	109	385	13 266
December	3 692	3 181	2 960	1 058	1 320	338	99	352	13 000
1998									
March	3 183	2 663	2 376	1 016	1 219	286	115	330	11 188
June	3 606	2 908	2 508	1 005	1 213	349	97	403	12 089
September	4 237	3 188	3 082	1 053	1 463	395	118	359	13 895
December	3 961	3 548	3 383	1 085	1 373	292	127	429	14 198
1999									
March	3 610	2 738	2 687	919	1 289	346	97	336	12 022
June	3 565	3 105	2 693	1 134	1 285	306	92	420	12 600
September	4 186	3 461	3 050	1 058	1 352	425	106	326	13 964
December	4 109	3 438	3 037	1 190	1 375	314	114	403	13 980
2000									
March	3 276	2 733	2 125	965	1 212	268	99	299	10 977
June	3 921	3 186	2 503	984	1 384	427	131	412	12 948
September	3 964	3 088	2 705	1 056	1 431	324	118	413	13 099
December	3 595	3 394	2 759	1 031	1 249	310	107	437	12 882
2001									
March	3 568	2 590	2 624	824	1 192	275	108	358	11 539
June	3 759	3 423	3 210	1 161	1 259	380	122	434	13 748
September	4 134	3 756	3 382	1 387	1 503	398	108	469	15 137
December	4 596	3 953	2 869	1 173	1 397	386	109	423	14 906
2002									
March	4 198	3 081	2 490	930	1 115	304	167	365	12 650
June	4 148	3 061	2 503	958	893	318	125	398	12 404
September	4 781	3 368	2 473	1 062	1 128	165	121	440	13 538

CRUDE DIVORCE RATES

1996-1997	2.51	2.85	3.31	2.95	2.77	2.85	2.56	(a)	2.86
1997-1998	2.24	2.58	3.24	2.77	2.83	2.76	2.23	(a)	2.66
1998-1999	2.41	2.70	3.41	2.81	2.95	2.84	2.27	(a)	2.80
1999-2000	2.40	2.72	3.03	2.79	2.86	3.04	2.32	(a)	2.72
2000-2001	2.28	2.62	3.14	2.70	2.72	2.73	2.32	(a)	2.66
2001-2002	2.58	2.86	3.07	2.93	2.56	2.98	2.58	(a)	2.82

(a) Many divorces registered in the Australian Capital Territory involve applicants normally resident in areas surrounding the Australian Capital Territory.

COMPONENTS OF NET OVERSEAS MIGRATION

Period	PERMANENT.....			LONG-TERM.....			Category jumping	Net overseas migration
	Arrivals	Departures	Net	Arrivals	Departures	Net		
1996-1997	85 752	29 857	55 895	175 249	136 748	38 501	-7 317	87 079
1997-1998	77 327	31 985	45 342	188 114	154 294	33 820	—	79 162
1998-1999	84 143	35 181	48 962	187 802	140 281	47 521	—	96 483
1999-2000	92 272	41 078	51 194	212 849	156 768	56 081	—	107 275
2000-2001	107 366	46 521	60 845	241 204	166 376	74 828	—	135 673
2001-2002	88 900	48 241	40 659	264 471	171 446	93 025	—	133 684
1996	92 502	28 479	64 023	168 830	129 784	39 046	-5 626	97 444
1997	78 229	30 343	47 886	181 988	146 220	35 768	-11 252	72 402
1998	81 065	33 433	47 632	187 318	146 169	41 149	—	88 781
1999	88 010	38 225	49 785	201 864	147 439	54 425	—	104 210
2000	97 178	43 824	53 354	220 382	162 295	58 087	—	111 441
2001	100 888	47 600	53 288	255 520	168 531	86 989	—	140 277
1996								
September	22 684	6 834	15 850	41 665	29 857	11 808	4 629	32 287
December	22 987	7 217	15 770	41 428	37 128	4 300	-694	19 376
1997								
March	21 276	8 247	13 029	61 440	38 391	23 049	-6 724	29 354
June	18 805	7 559	11 246	30 716	31 372	-656	-4 528	6 062
September	19 226	7 338	11 888	45 889	34 835	11 054	—	22 942
December	18 922	7 199	11 723	43 943	41 622	2 321	—	14 044
1998								
March	19 602	8 533	11 069	63 805	41 166	22 639	—	33 708
June	19 577	8 915	10 662	34 477	36 671	-2 194	—	8 468
September	21 042	7 827	13 215	46 585	33 264	13 321	—	26 536
December	20 844	8 158	12 686	42 451	35 068	7 383	—	20 069
1999								
March	21 958	10 656	11 302	63 472	39 691	23 781	—	35 083
June	20 299	8 540	11 759	35 294	32 258	3 036	—	14 795
September	23 018	9 685	13 333	52 235	35 854	16 381	—	29 714
December	22 735	9 344	13 391	50 863	39 636	11 227	—	24 618
2000								
March	24 400	11 895	12 505	69 457	44 537	24 920	—	37 425
June	22 119	10 154	11 965	40 294	36 741	3 553	—	15 518
September	24 159	10 808	13 351	56 084	37 540	18 544	—	31 895
December	26 500	10 967	15 533	54 547	43 477	11 070	—	26 603
2001								
March	31 428	13 932	17 496	84 668	47 384	37 284	—	54 780
June	25 279	10 814	14 465	45 905	37 975	7 930	—	22 395
September	22 833	11 632	11 201	65 926	41 477	24 449	—	35 650
December	21 348	11 222	10 126	59 021	41 695	17 326	—	27 452
2002								
March	22 163	14 449	7 714	91 783	48 909	42 874	—	50 588
June	22 556	10 938	11 618	47 741	39 365	8 376	—	19 994
September	23 394	12 165	11 229	70 173	41 461	28 712	—	39 941

— nil or rounded to zero (including null cells)

(a) Includes category jumping for March and June Quarters, 2000.

CATEGORIES OF OVERSEAS ARRIVALS

Period	LONG-TERM.....				SHORT-TERM.....		
	Permanent (settler) no.	Residents no.	Visitors no.	Total permanent and long-term no.	Residents no.	Visitors no.	Total no.
1996-1997	85 752	80 170	95 079	261 001	2 786 044	4 252 654	7 299 698
1997-1998	77 327	84 358	103 756	265 441	3 020 097	4 220 006	7 505 544
1998-1999	84 143	67 910	119 892	271 945	3 191 627	4 288 027	7 751 599
1999-2000	92 272	79 651	133 198	305 121	3 299 914	4 651 785	8 256 820
2000-2001	107 366	82 893	158 311	348 570	3 543 011	5 031 328	8 922 909
2001-2002	88 900	88 598	175 873	353 371	3 344 976	4 768 294	8 466 641
1996	92 502	80 004	88 826	261 332	2 695 534	4 164 826	7 121 692
1997	78 229	81 797	100 191	260 217	2 897 197	4 317 869	7 475 283
1998	81 065	75 318	112 000	268 383	3 143 937	4 167 207	7 579 527
1999	88 010	76 133	125 731	289 874	3 226 117	4 459 503	7 975 494
2000	97 178	80 306	140 076	317 560	3 422 993	4 931 369	8 671 922
2001	100 888	85 127	170 393	356 408	3 449 934	4 855 745	8 662 087
1996							
September	22 684	18 328	23 337	64 349	738 667	996 623	1 799 638
December	22 987	26 616	14 812	64 415	684 919	1 191 105	1 940 439
1997							
March	21 276	20 105	41 335	82 716	733 801	1 141 755	1 958 271
June	18 805	15 121	15 595	49 521	628 657	923 172	1 601 350
September	19 226	19 231	26 658	65 115	799 854	1 058 726	1 923 695
December	18 922	27 340	16 603	62 865	734 885	1 194 216	1 991 967
1998							
March	19 602	20 448	43 357	83 407	777 009	1 038 398	1 898 814
June	19 577	17 339	17 138	54 054	708 349	928 665	1 691 068
September	21 042	15 628	30 957	67 627	852 037	1 019 845	1 939 509
December	20 844	21 903	20 548	63 295	806 543	1 180 299	2 050 136
1999							
March	21 958	16 363	47 109	85 430	819 414	1 138 560	2 043 404
June	20 299	14 016	21 278	55 593	713 633	949 323	1 718 550
September	23 018	18 419	33 816	75 253	882 096	1 097 195	2 054 544
December	22 735	27 335	23 528	73 598	810 974	1 274 425	2 158 996
2000							
March	24 400	17 738	51 719	93 857	824 770	1 207 259	2 125 886
June	22 119	16 159	24 135	62 413	782 075	1 072 906	1 917 394
September	24 159	18 936	37 148	80 243	941 853	1 204 849	2 226 945
December	26 500	27 473	27 074	81 047	874 295	1 446 355	2 401 697
2001							
March	31 428	20 290	64 378	116 096	924 928	1 274 548	2 315 572
June	25 279	16 194	29 711	71 184	801 935	1 105 576	1 978 695
September	22 833	19 475	46 451	88 759	952 533	1 197 764	2 239 056
December	21 348	29 168	29 853	80 369	770 538	1 277 858	2 128 764
2002							
March	22 163	22 484	69 299	113 946	848 584	1 263 029	2 225 559
June	22 556	17 471	30 270	70 297	773 321	1 029 643	1 873 261
September	23 394	21 772	48 401	93 567	943 471	1 148 674	2 185 712

CATEGORIES OF OVERSEAS DEPARTURES

Period	PERMANENT.....			LONG-TERM.....		Total permanent and long-term	SHORT-TERM.....		Total
	Former settlers	Other residents	Total	Residents	Visitors		Residents	Visitors	
	no.	no.	no.	no.	no.	no.	no.	no.	no.
1996-1997	13 766	16 091	29 857	73 777	62 971	166 605	2 837 207	4 217 015	7 220 827
1997-1998	14 598	17 387	31 985	79 422	74 872	186 279	3 031 897	4 198 321	7 416 497
1998-1999	n.a.	n.a.	35 181	82 861	57 420	175 462	3 188 692	4 279 093	7 643 247
1999-2000	n.a.	n.a.	41 078	84 918	71 850	197 846	3 332 258	4 635 203	8 165 306
2000-2001	n.a.	n.a.	46 521	92 945	73 431	212 897	3 577 341	5 055 842	8 846 080
2001-2002	n.a.	n.a.	48 241	92 071	79 375	219 687	3 367 870	4 837 761	8 425 317
1996	13 152	15 327	28 479	70 964	58 820	158 263	2 731 963	4 110 846	7 001 072
1997	14 027	16 316	30 343	77 181	69 039	176 563	2 932 754	4 281 172	7 390 489
1998	n.a.	n.a.	33 433	81 057	65 112	179 602	3 161 060	4 150 242	7 490 904
1999	n.a.	n.a.	38 225	83 428	64 011	185 664	3 209 989	4 449 524	7 845 178
2000	n.a.	n.a.	43 824	88 087	74 208	206 119	3 498 239	4 911 462	8 615 820
2001	n.a.	n.a.	47 600	93 457	75 074	216 131	3 442 554	4 918 092	8 576 777
1996									
September	3 147	3 687	6 834	17 034	12 823	36 691	740 771	982 888	1 760 350
December	3 460	3 757	7 217	15 247	21 881	44 345	727 236	1 069 581	1 841 162
1997									
March	3 635	4 612	8 247	24 040	14 351	46 638	625 072	1 190 552	1 862 262
June	3 524	4 035	7 559	17 456	13 916	38 931	744 129	973 995	1 757 055
September	3 329	4 009	7 338	19 002	15 833	42 173	793 489	1 032 401	1 868 063
December	3 539	3 660	7 199	16 683	24 939	48 821	770 065	1 084 224	1 903 110
1998									
March	3 627	4 906	8 533	24 535	16 631	49 699	650 772	1 112 926	1 813 397
June	4 103	4 812	8 915	19 202	17 469	45 586	817 572	968 770	1 831 928
September	n.a.	n.a.	7 827	19 587	13 677	41 091	850 164	991 263	1 882 518
December	n.a.	n.a.	8 158	17 733	17 335	43 226	842 552	1 077 283	1 963 061
1999									
March	n.a.	n.a.	10 656	26 466	13 225	50 347	700 090	1 192 892	1 943 329
June	n.a.	n.a.	8 540	19 075	13 183	40 798	795 886	1 017 655	1 854 339
September	n.a.	n.a.	9 685	20 335	15 519	45 539	898 403	1 069 125	2 013 067
December	n.a.	n.a.	9 344	17 552	22 084	48 980	815 610	1 169 851	2 034 441
2000									
March	n.a.	n.a.	11 895	27 121	17 416	56 432	721 862	1 272 192	2 050 486
June	n.a.	n.a.	10 154	19 910	16 831	46 895	896 382	1 124 033	2 067 310
September	n.a.	n.a.	10 808	21 446	16 094	48 348	943 538	1 140 347	2 132 233
December	n.a.	n.a.	10 967	19 610	23 867	54 444	936 457	1 374 889	2 365 790
2001									
March	n.a.	n.a.	13 932	29 968	17 416	61 316	773 832	1 372 611	2 207 759
June	n.a.	n.a.	10 814	21 921	16 054	48 789	923 514	1 167 996	2 140 299
September	n.a.	n.a.	11 632	23 388	18 089	53 109	938 216	1 198 213	2 189 538
December	n.a.	n.a.	11 222	18 180	23 515	52 917	806 992	1 179 272	2 039 181
2002									
March	n.a.	n.a.	14 449	29 466	19 443	63 358	741 603	1 336 666	2 141 627
June	n.a.	n.a.	10 938	21 037	18 328	50 303	881 059	1 123 609	2 054 971
September	n.a.	n.a.	12 165	21 705	19 756	53 626	953 651	1 139 491	2 146 768

n.a. not available

PERMANENT (SETTLER) ARRIVALS, Country of birth

Country of birth	QUARTER ENDED.....									
	2000-2001	2001-2002	2000	2001	Jun 2001	Sep 2001	Dec 2001	Mar 2002	Jun 2002	Sep 2002
	no.	no.	no.	no.	no.	no.	no.	no.	no.	no.
MAJOR GROUPS										
Oceania and Antarctica	30 134	19 152	27 635	25 766	6 344	4 669	4 441	5 569	4 473	3 524
Europe and the former USSR	19 185	17 411	18 871	17 783	3 992	4 366	4 469	3 997	4 579	5 170
Middle East and North Africa	6 942	6 000	6 297	6 264	1 651	1 572	1 421	1 260	1 747	2 726
Southeast Asia	13 798	14 464	12 475	14 440	3 516	3 774	3 669	3 139	3 882	3 888
Northeast Asia	14 881	10 716	12 152	13 687	3 522	2 930	2 218	2 774	2 794	2 876
Southern Asia	11 290	9 190	9 593	10 689	3 228	2 341	2 048	2 270	2 531	2 347
The Americas	2 782	2 630	2 486	2 781	641	747	663	586	634	932
Africa (excluding North Africa)	8 316	9 311	7 618	9 451	2 378	2 432	2 412	2 563	1 904	1 924
Other and not stated	38	26	51	27	7	2	7	5	12	7
Total	107 366	88 900	97 178	100 888	25 279	22 833	21 348	22 163	22 556	23 394
SELECTED COUNTRIES OF BIRTH										
Australia	570	443	486	505	117	115	97	124	107	98
Canada	730	586	662	684	162	189	145	116	136	192
Chile	132	143	134	144	32	32	43	27	41	50
China	8 762	6 708	7 255	8 089	2 245	1 693	1 422	1 797	1 796	1 828
Egypt	423	354	388	415	90	97	119	78	60	133
Fiji	2 150	1 608	1 755	2 143	568	490	408	369	341	364
Former USSR and Baltic States	1 087	1 151	890	1 217	302	288	305	221	337	383
Former Yugoslav Republics(a)	4 892	3 494	5 131	3 986	883	862	1 033	650	949	821
Germany	801	697	819	703	165	167	184	161	185	212
Greece	92	108	106	83	14	25	25	35	23	26
Hong Kong & Macao	1 569	960	1 489	1 359	350	302	190	225	243	255
India	6 336	5 091	5 558	6 233	1 796	1 378	1 294	1 204	1 215	1 184
Indonesia	3 921	4 221	3 394	4 732	1 082	1 396	1 304	781	740	872
Malaysia	2 222	1 939	2 141	2 016	531	419	485	454	581	495
Malta	40	28	37	29	12	3	8	7	10	6
Netherlands	407	427	429	427	82	125	105	97	100	86
New Zealand	25 165	15 663	23 344	21 206	5 274	3 694	3 601	4 657	3 711	2 779
Philippines	3 123	2 837	3 082	2 752	741	689	524	591	1 033	926
Poland	256	232	216	248	53	67	59	56	50	67
Singapore	1 361	1 493	1 090	1 495	375	396	366	310	421	345
South Africa	5 754	5 714	5 334	6 193	1 534	1 578	1 419	1 644	1 073	1 123
Sri Lanka	2 043	2 011	1 549	2 008	569	403	448	588	572	532
Turkey	423	617	422	506	96	180	127	125	185	189
United Kingdom	9 037	8 749	8 701	8 497	1 922	2 090	2 138	2 207	2 314	2 849
United States of America	1 212	1 136	1 086	1 219	301	316	303	246	271	388
Viet Nam	1 639	1 919	1 653	1 648	353	441	470	464	544	713

(a) See Former Yugoslav Republics in Glossary.

PERMANENT DEPARTURES, Country of birth

QUARTER ENDED.....

Country of birth	QUARTER ENDED.....									
	2000-2001	2001-2002	2000	2001	Jun 2001	Sep 2001	Dec 2001	Mar 2002	Jun 2002	Sep 2002
	no.	no.	no.	no.	no.	no.	no.	no.	no.	no.
MAJOR GROUPS										
Oceania and Antarctica	28 988	30 544	27 230	29 971	6 629	7 322	6 960	9 495	6 767	7 569
Europe and the former USSR	6 720	6 529	6 718	6 504	1 683	1 498	1 389	1 953	1 689	1 640
Middle East and North Africa	832	753	727	795	173	205	147	219	182	287
Southeast Asia	2 459	2 641	2 171	2 557	569	584	711	729	617	585
Northeast Asia	5 358	5 548	4 882	5 562	1 253	1 458	1 486	1 411	1 193	1 435
Southern Asia	425	424	417	421	94	85	125	112	102	112
The Americas	1 294	1 314	1 293	1 303	301	365	283	388	278	410
Africa (excluding North Africa)	444	481	384	483	111	113	120	140	108	127
Other and not stated	1	7	2	4	1	2	1	2	2	—
Total	46 521	48 241	43 824	47 600	10 814	11 632	11 222	14 449	10 938	12 165

SELECTED COUNTRIES OF BIRTH

Australia	23 081	24 146	21 815	23 660	5 172	5 839	5 210	7 731	5 366	6 101
Canada	310	331	339	317	78	84	73	109	65	110
Chile	61	77	78	78	10	21	25	21	10	14
China	2 430	2 424	2 090	2 551	580	637	692	612	483	521
Egypt	80	78	69	80	17	17	18	26	17	17
Fiji	164	153	143	153	36	38	34	44	37	37
Former USSR and Baltic States	71	71	76	66	22	15	14	16	26	21
Former Yugoslav Republics(a)	377	356	388	342	120	61	85	72	138	98
Germany	304	270	278	289	71	63	48	92	67	74
Greece	287	206	269	251	93	54	34	62	56	68
Hong Kong & Macao	1 757	1 766	1 745	1 745	373	512	431	424	399	572
India	265	247	262	241	58	45	70	68	64	63
Indonesia	568	690	523	645	118	165	219	162	144	141
Malaysia	463	438	385	443	111	112	94	122	110	111
Malta	89	79	105	77	16	14	25	23	17	20
Netherlands	172	183	181	171	38	49	35	57	42	49
New Zealand	5 157	5 714	4 698	5 593	1 281	1 342	1 537	1 572	1 263	1 306
Philippines	241	236	227	224	57	54	55	70	57	56
Poland	116	110	115	105	26	15	28	29	38	17
Singapore	223	252	188	239	50	53	55	72	72	57
South Africa	242	280	217	274	51	64	76	80	60	65
Sri Lanka	86	112	102	100	20	21	37	26	28	22
Turkey	97	79	96	74	24	13	13	27	26	25
United Kingdom	3 835	3 783	3 850	3 732	918	874	815	1 150	944	929
United States of America	760	718	696	725	174	215	133	210	160	228
Viet Nam	652	667	568	674	140	134	198	199	136	138

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(a) See Former Yugoslav Republics in Glossary.

NET PERMANENT AND LONG-TERM MOVEMENT(a)

Period	New South Wales	Victoria	Queensland	South Australia	Western Australia	Tasmania	Northern Territory	Australian Capital Territory	Australia(b)
	no.	no.	no.	no.	no.	no.	no.	no.	no.
1996-1997	40 168	22 783	13 840	3 431	13 181	320	593	101	94 396
1997-1998	31 843	19 313	12 490	3 160	11 993	39	560	-242	79 162
1998-1999	41 088	24 691	13 710	2 682	13 381	171	1 006	-225	96 483
1999-2000	43 689	26 982	17 514	3 829	13 993	435	942	-99	107 275
2000-2001	58 619	35 336	21 003	2 765	16 263	101	878	719	135 673
2001-2002	51 340	34 249	24 866	4 481	17 307	482	144	837	133 684
1996	46 446	24 978	13 427	3 790	13 037	535	594	297	103 070
1997	34 220	19 832	13 661	3 333	12 153	91	501	-124	83 654
1998	35 228	23 548	12 482	3 128	13 078	513	841	-33	88 781
1999	43 834	24 846	17 171	3 689	13 992	115	1 067	-487	104 210
2000	47 345	29 463	15 917	2 726	14 965	-8	700	351	111 441
2001	57 904	35 479	24 518	3 637	16 832	485	490	948	140 277
1996									
September	12 058	6 729	4 078	880	3 432	130	280	74	27 658
December	9 780	4 498	2 048	789	2 972	88	72	-175	20 070
1997									
March	13 764	9 629	5 581	1 450	5 120	90	168	285	36 078
June	4 566	1 927	2 133	312	1 657	12	73	-83	10 590
September	9 222	5 593	4 116	813	3 021	-20	262	-79	22 942
December	6 668	2 683	1 831	758	2 355	9	-2	-247	14 044
1998									
March	12 292	9 464	4 901	1 382	5 019	88	191	360	33 708
June	3 661	1 573	1 642	207	1 598	-38	109	-276	8 468
September	11 777	6 753	3 479	209	4 190	120	167	-161	26 536
December	7 498	5 758	2 460	1 330	2 271	343	374	44	20 069
1999									
March	13 771	9 803	5 535	1 000	4 634	-98	218	239	35 083
June	8 042	2 377	2 236	143	2 286	-194	247	-347	14 795
September	11 258	7 544	3 903	1 018	5 502	179	429	-115	29 714
December	10 763	5 122	5 497	1 528	1 570	228	173	-264	24 618
2000									
March	14 023	11 255	5 258	1 213	5 113	84	178	304	37 425
June	7 645	3 061	2 856	70	1 808	-56	162	-24	15 518
September	13 329	8 744	4 421	877	4 098	-48	279	204	31 895
December	12 348	6 403	3 382	566	3 946	12	81	-133	26 603
2001									
March	22 036	15 900	8 873	1 276	5 715	129	240	611	54 780
June	10 906	4 289	4 327	46	2 504	8	278	37	22 395
September	14 077	8 895	6 593	1 130	4 428	75	109	349	35 650
December	10 885	6 395	4 725	1 185	4 185	273	-137	-49	27 452
2002									
March	17 933	14 984	8 988	1 665	6 223	163	90	543	50 588
June	8 445	3 975	4 560	501	2 471	-29	82	-6	19 994
September	15 228	10 716	7 203	1 283	5 139	91	53	236	39 941

(a) Excludes category jumping.

(b) Includes Other Territories from September 1993—see paragraph 2 of the Explanatory Notes.

CATEGORY JUMPING

Period	Australian residents	Overseas visitors	Net
	no.	no.	no.
1996-1997	23 985	16 668	-7 317
1997-1998	—	—	—
1998-1999	—	—	—
1999-2000	—	—	—
2000-2001	—	—	—
2001-2002	—	—	—
1996	10 459	4 833	-5 626
1997	22 481	11 229	-11 252
1998	—	—	—
1999	—	—	—
2000	—	—	—
2001	—	—	—
1996			
September	2 495	7 124	4 629
December	-991	-1 685	-694
1997			
March	17 887	11 163	-6 724
June	4 594	66	-4 528
September	—	—	—
December	—	—	—
1998			
March	—	—	—
June	—	—	—
September	—	—	—
December	—	—	—
1999			
March	—	—	—
June	—	—	—
September	—	—	—
December	—	—	—
2000			
March	—	—	—
June	—	—	—
September	—	—	—
December	—	—	—
2001			
March	—	—	—
June	—	—	—
September	—	—	—
December	—	—	—
2002			
March	—	—	—
June	—	—	—
September	—	—	—

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INTERSTATE MIGRATION

STATE OR TERRITORY OF DEPARTURE.....

Period	New South Wales	Victoria	Queensland	South Australia	Western Australia	Tasmania	Northern Territory	Australian Capital Territory	Total(a)
	no.	no.	no.	no.	no.	no.	no.	no.	no.
ARRIVALS IN NEW SOUTH WALES									
1996-1997	..	24 148	38 637	7 300	7 675	3 006	2 611	11 802	95 193
1997-1998	..	23 288	37 504	6 842	7 438	2 791	2 898	11 274	92 050
1998-1999	..	22 717	37 018	6 649	7 889	2 949	2 645	10 795	90 677
1999-2000	..	23 492	37 667	7 112	8 349	2 940	2 724	11 369	93 670
2000-2001	..	24 358	39 316	7 362	8 865	2 893	2 878	11 446	97 189
2001-2002	..	24 506	39 079	6 913	8 481	2 775	2 810	11 966	96 530
1996	..	22 904	38 188	7 077	7 987	2 935	2 906	10 961	92 965
1997	..	23 778	38 300	7 196	7 346	2 973	2 805	11 915	94 327
1998	..	23 028	37 470	6 668	7 720	2 803	2 810	10 914	91 429
1999	..	23 079	37 022	6 812	8 020	2 985	2 558	10 895	91 387
2000	..	24 052	38 983	7 471	8 901	2 941	2 862	11 544	96 797
2001	..	24 018	38 622	7 038	8 573	2 797	2 845	11 655	95 584
1996									
September	..	5 465	8 770	1 568	1 790	633	547	2 571	21 347
December	..	6 533	10 388	2 059	2 170	827	822	3 206	26 009
1997									
March	..	6 138	9 862	1 845	1 802	781	603	3 047	24 081
June	..	6 012	9 617	1 828	1 913	765	639	2 978	23 756
September	..	5 078	8 222	1 572	1 541	560	684	2 690	20 350
December	..	6 550	10 599	1 951	2 090	867	879	3 200	26 140
1998									
March	..	5 851	9 445	1 643	1 889	653	727	2 693	22 905
June	..	5 809	9 238	1 676	1 918	711	608	2 691	22 655
September	..	4 991	8 326	1 517	1 705	657	661	2 441	20 301
December	..	6 377	10 461	1 832	2 208	782	814	3 089	25 568
1999									
March	..	5 697	9 084	1 627	1 894	757	581	2 655	22 299
June	..	5 652	9 147	1 673	2 082	753	589	2 610	22 509
September	..	5 245	8 244	1 508	1 825	644	611	2 456	20 537
December	..	6 485	10 547	2 004	2 219	831	777	3 174	26 042
2000									
March	..	6 059	9 316	1 881	2 130	761	682	2 717	23 550
June	..	5 703	9 560	1 719	2 175	704	654	3 022	23 541
September	..	5 327	8 555	1 739	1 969	637	645	2 455	21 344
December	..	6 963	11 552	2 132	2 627	839	881	3 350	28 362
2001									
March	..	6 082	9 577	1 845	2 164	678	622	2 810	23 796
June	..	5 986	9 632	1 646	2 105	739	730	2 831	23 687
September	..	5 590	9 110	1 698	1 907	639	687	2 754	22 385
December	..	6 360	10 303	1 849	2 397	741	806	3 260	25 716
2002									
March	..	6 148	10 231	1 672	2 063	689	701	2 936	24 440
June	..	6 408	9 435	1 694	2 114	706	616	3 016	23 989
September	..	5 656	8 832	1 568	1 931	663	686	2 555	21 891

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ARRIVALS IN VICTORIA									
1996-1997	23 423	..	18 012	8 837	6 868	3 839	2 280	2 557	65 822
1997-1998	24 174	..	18 186	8 983	7 225	4 157	2 367	2 641	67 739
1998-1999	23 997	..	17 999	8 699	7 580	4 334	2 340	2 418	67 372
1999-2000	25 497	..	18 315	9 266	8 210	4 485	2 526	2 641	70 946
2000-2001	26 541	..	19 315	9 483	8 453	4 544	2 610	2 574	73 537
2001-2002	28 289	..	20 283	9 368	8 853	4 904	2 654	2 673	77 024
1996	21 782	..	18 429	8 486	6 499	3 617	2 423	2 528	63 767
1997	24 091	..	17 913	8 997	7 107	3 938	2 380	2 651	67 083
1998	23 971	..	18 137	8 715	7 524	4 333	2 311	2 482	67 479
1999	24 617	..	18 132	9 002	7 908	4 335	2 402	2 469	68 870
2000	26 187	..	18 647	9 449	8 252	4 662	2 742	2 683	72 634
2001	27 019	..	19 679	9 413	8 638	4 516	2 507	2 558	74 338
1996									
September	5 144	..	4 220	1 943	1 484	825	447	571	14 636
December	6 305	..	5 164	2 467	1 888	1 112	718	768	18 423
1997									
March	6 187	..	4 633	2 194	1 758	982	572	621	16 949
June	5 787	..	3 995	2 233	1 738	920	543	597	15 814
September	5 231	..	4 120	2 030	1 558	859	536	595	14 931
December	6 886	..	5 165	2 540	2 053	1 177	729	838	19 389
1998									
March	5 943	..	4 518	2 230	1 808	1 023	511	589	16 624
June	6 114	..	4 383	2 183	1 806	1 098	591	619	16 795
September	5 124	..	3 907	1 830	1 667	897	436	510	14 373
December	6 790	..	5 329	2 472	2 243	1 315	773	764	19 687
1999									
March	5 987	..	4 367	2 156	1 784	1 149	592	542	16 578
June	6 096	..	4 396	2 241	1 886	973	539	602	16 734
September	5 409	..	4 127	1 950	1 907	924	562	549	15 430
December	7 125	..	5 242	2 655	2 331	1 289	709	776	20 128
2000									
March	6 405	..	4 481	2 366	2 111	1 190	650	661	17 866
June	6 558	..	4 465	2 295	1 861	1 082	605	655	17 522
September	5 773	..	4 217	2 121	1 885	1 018	640	588	16 247
December	7 451	..	5 484	2 667	2 395	1 372	847	779	20 999
2001									
March	6 820	..	4 823	2 425	2 098	1 017	565	620	18 371
June	6 497	..	4 791	2 270	2 075	1 137	558	587	17 920
September	6 149	..	4 660	2 215	2 014	1 048	530	627	17 243
December	7 553	..	5 405	2 503	2 451	1 314	854	724	20 804
2002									
March	7 396	..	5 330	2 323	2 242	1 328	645	639	19 903
June	7 191	..	4 888	2 327	2 146	1 214	625	683	19 074
September	6 229	..	4 673	2 234	1 981	1 030	559	632	17 338

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ARRIVALS IN QUEENSLAND									
1996-1997	49 596	23 593	..	6 961	6 995	4 131	5 203	3 745	100 236
1997-1998	48 271	21 192	..	6 223	7 063	3 996	5 358	3 459	95 574
1998-1999	47 921	19 382	..	6 423	7 379	4 138	5 106	3 355	93 716
1999-2000	50 475	19 181	..	6 534	7 779	3 631	5 416	3 475	96 503
2000-2001	53 423	20 839	..	6 674	7 597	3 885	5 371	3 528	101 345
2001-2002	58 918	22 596	..	7 232	8 604	3 980	5 704	3 842	110 876
1996	52 732	26 286	..	8 215	7 754	4 110	5 789	4 507	109 399
1997	48 764	21 975	..	6 507	7 030	3 986	5 290	3 686	97 250
1998	47 370	20 007	..	6 179	7 076	4 188	5 206	3 402	93 440
1999	48 928	18 925	..	6 321	7 764	3 863	5 082	3 315	94 210
2000	52 319	20 457	..	6 842	7 777	3 780	5 570	3 680	100 445
2001	54 800	20 782	..	6 653	7 726	3 860	5 291	3 492	102 618
1996									
September	12 250	6 350	..	1 735	1 746	925	1 347	867	25 223
December	13 614	6 408	..	2 041	1 857	1 139	1 416	1 071	27 549
1997									
March	12 007	5 443	..	1 622	1 653	1 022	1 232	886	23 868
June	11 725	5 392	..	1 563	1 739	1 045	1 208	921	23 596
September	11 295	5 145	..	1 534	1 735	895	1 290	786	22 683
December	13 737	5 995	..	1 788	1 903	1 024	1 560	1 093	27 103
1998									
March	11 438	4 788	..	1 367	1 657	1 050	1 255	865	22 423
June	11 801	5 264	..	1 534	1 768	1 027	1 253	715	23 365
September	10 636	4 582	..	1 371	1 592	902	1 128	742	20 956
December	13 495	5 373	..	1 907	2 059	1 209	1 570	1 080	26 696
1999									
March	11 531	4 755	..	1 513	1 788	1 005	1 179	733	22 507
June	12 259	4 672	..	1 632	1 940	1 022	1 229	800	23 557
September	11 008	4 311	..	1 370	1 759	853	1 300	743	21 347
December	14 130	5 187	..	1 806	2 277	983	1 374	1 039	26 799
2000									
March	12 722	4 809	..	1 708	1 874	920	1 426	812	24 274
June	12 615	4 874	..	1 650	1 869	875	1 316	881	24 083
September	11 726	4 542	..	1 590	1 848	910	1 230	796	22 649
December	15 256	6 232	..	1 894	2 186	1 075	1 598	1 191	29 439
2001									
March	13 042	4 895	..	1 545	1 763	952	1 224	787	24 215
June	13 399	5 170	..	1 645	1 800	948	1 319	754	25 042
September	12 768	4 795	..	1 576	1 846	871	1 242	815	23 913
December	15 591	5 922	..	1 887	2 317	1 089	1 506	1 136	29 448
2002									
March	14 855	5 562	..	1 868	2 134	958	1 477	916	27 770
June	15 704	6 317	..	1 901	2 307	1 062	1 479	975	29 745
September	14 884	6 032	..	1 761	2 136	958	1 613	954	28 338

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ARRIVALS IN SOUTH AUSTRALIA									
1996-1997	7 101	8 028	5 692	..	3 305	1 009	3 406	790	29 331
1997-1998	6 782	7 826	5 525	..	3 300	1 077	3 417	769	28 696
1998-1999	6 813	7 668	5 425	..	3 349	1 032	3 500	733	28 520
1999-2000	6 472	7 622	5 221	..	3 369	1 018	3 166	732	27 600
2000-2001	7 080	7 979	5 422	..	3 381	1 082	3 288	766	29 003
2001-2002	7 573	7 851	5 688	..	3 514	910	3 032	797	29 365
1996	7 008	7 716	6 056	..	3 225	1 038	3 504	792	29 339
1997	7 008	7 980	5 593	..	3 425	986	3 413	796	29 201
1998	6 853	7 769	5 370	..	3 323	1 084	3 414	808	28 621
1999	6 569	7 733	5 384	..	3 330	999	3 364	715	28 094
2000	6 735	7 836	5 353	..	3 321	1 077	3 270	724	28 319
2001	7 251	7 891	5 518	..	3 379	981	3 039	746	28 807
1996									
September	1 531	1 713	1 308	..	683	214	803	156	6 408
December	2 006	2 195	1 624	..	914	311	1 008	240	8 298
1997									
March	1 791	2 004	1 409	..	911	213	837	200	7 365
June	1 773	2 116	1 351	..	797	271	758	194	7 260
September	1 561	1 713	1 281	..	730	253	824	175	6 537
December	1 883	2 147	1 552	..	987	249	994	227	8 039
1998									
March	1 715	1 959	1 379	..	767	285	771	213	7 089
June	1 623	2 007	1 313	..	816	290	828	154	7 031
September	1 578	1 718	1 222	..	772	233	776	199	6 498
December	1 937	2 085	1 456	..	968	276	1 039	242	8 003
1999									
March	1 644	1 952	1 319	..	802	265	826	132	6 940
June	1 654	1 913	1 428	..	807	258	859	160	7 079
September	1 363	1 722	1 226	..	815	192	772	193	6 283
December	1 908	2 146	1 411	..	906	284	907	230	7 792
2000									
March	1 626	1 743	1 265	..	784	282	772	146	6 618
June	1 575	2 011	1 319	..	864	260	715	163	6 907
September	1 539	1 824	1 261	..	757	246	739	178	6 545
December	1 995	2 258	1 508	..	916	289	1 044	237	8 249
2001									
March	1 707	1 807	1 294	..	896	267	787	191	6 950
June	1 839	2 090	1 359	..	812	280	718	160	7 259
September	1 655	1 728	1 313	..	785	206	657	172	6 516
December	2 050	2 266	1 552	..	886	228	877	223	8 082
2002									
March	1 905	1 789	1 469	..	964	230	755	190	7 302
June	1 963	2 068	1 354	..	879	246	743	212	7 465
September	1 825	1 933	1 464	..	936	236	729	182	7 305

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ARRIVALS IN WESTERN AUSTRALIA									
1996-1997	8 997	8 250	7 610	3 965	..	1 946	2 844	1 095	34 784
1997-1998	8 888	7 769	7 255	3 747	..	1 858	2 893	979	33 463
1998-1999	8 114	7 149	6 698	3 554	..	2 007	2 829	989	31 414
1999-2000	8 098	7 348	6 620	3 560	..	1 718	2 431	893	30 742
2000-2001	8 451	6 849	6 649	3 323	..	1 657	2 666	778	30 514
2001-2002	8 193	7 317	6 389	3 260	..	1 649	2 568	869	30 245
1996	9 211	8 254	8 254	4 216	..	1 909	3 027	1 078	35 987
1997	8 931	8 046	7 285	3 838	..	1 829	2 873	1 104	33 981
1998	8 616	7 471	7 156	3 721	..	1 977	2 940	927	32 882
1999	8 034	7 163	6 576	3 532	..	1 812	2 571	962	30 724
2000	8 381	7 193	6 662	3 490	..	1 729	2 592	857	31 012
2001	8 229	6 960	6 442	3 208	..	1 579	2 485	749	29 723
1996									
September	2 085	1 883	1 854	947	..	505	719	211	8 223
December	2 397	2 267	2 051	1 022	..	518	715	334	9 323
1997									
March	2 511	2 165	1 944	1 096	..	439	720	314	9 208
June	2 004	1 935	1 761	900	..	484	690	236	8 030
September	1 910	1 781	1 600	738	..	413	681	222	7 363
December	2 506	2 165	1 980	1 104	..	493	782	332	9 380
1998									
March	2 327	2 021	1 878	1 003	..	472	684	234	8 638
June	2 145	1 802	1 797	902	..	480	746	191	8 082
September	1 859	1 741	1 653	810	..	542	726	232	7 581
December	2 285	1 907	1 828	1 006	..	483	784	270	8 581
1999									
March	1 987	1 725	1 614	813	..	488	670	215	7 531
June	1 983	1 776	1 603	925	..	494	649	272	7 721
September	1 853	1 678	1 517	753	..	394	615	213	7 041
December	2 211	1 984	1 842	1 041	..	436	637	262	8 431
2000									
March	2 046	1 746	1 622	865	..	462	586	220	7 566
June	1 988	1 940	1 639	901	..	426	593	198	7 704
September	1 919	1 563	1 549	713	..	413	637	200	7 029
December	2 428	1 944	1 852	1 011	..	428	776	239	8 713
2001									
March	2 080	1 647	1 634	815	..	433	687	169	7 500
June	2 024	1 695	1 614	784	..	383	566	170	7 272
September	1 908	1 657	1 488	758	..	365	586	180	6 942
December	2 217	1 961	1 706	851	..	398	646	230	8 009
2002									
March	2 075	1 837	1 604	847	..	505	701	198	7 767
June	1 993	1 862	1 591	804	..	381	635	261	7 527
September	1 991	1 673	1 552	773	..	334	705	200	7 228

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	no.	no.	no.	no.	no.	no.	no.	no.	no.
ARRIVALS IN TASMANIA									
1996-1997	2 609	2 905	2 888	940	1 459	..	330	269	11 400
1997-1998	2 406	2 970	2 600	862	1 577	..	355	269	11 039
1998-1999	2 825	3 146	2 904	872	1 696	..	264	286	11 993
1999-2000	2 758	3 104	2 727	917	1 760	..	384	304	11 954
2000-2001	3 030	3 373	2 954	954	1 714	..	371	332	12 729
2001-2002	3 179	3 615	3 179	1 017	1 622	..	365	307	13 284
1996	2 372	2 960	2 938	1 143	1 475	..	380	257	11 525
1997	2 463	2 888	2 655	903	1 534	..	316	267	11 026
1998	2 557	3 092	2 889	828	1 516	..	341	254	11 477
1999	2 800	3 117	2 748	879	1 828	..	300	318	11 990
2000	2 903	3 214	2 837	960	1 790	..	412	306	12 422
2001	3 059	3 371	2 949	986	1 576	..	358	314	12 614
1996									
September	581	609	706	246	335	..	97	67	2 641
December	764	891	799	230	410	..	77	85	3 256
1997									
March	620	743	719	236	386	..	78	67	2 849
June	644	662	664	228	328	..	78	50	2 654
September	524	611	518	195	355	..	68	63	2 334
December	675	872	754	244	465	..	92	87	3 189
1998									
March	584	738	634	223	399	..	108	57	2 743
June	623	749	694	200	358	..	87	62	2 773
September	652	762	671	180	307	..	54	52	2 678
December	698	843	890	225	452	..	92	83	3 283
1999									
March	708	773	713	239	455	..	52	73	3 013
June	767	768	630	228	482	..	66	78	3 019
September	593	687	582	175	403	..	67	92	2 599
December	732	889	823	237	488	..	115	75	3 359
2000									
March	740	748	728	254	501	..	99	54	3 124
June	693	780	594	251	368	..	103	83	2 872
September	561	727	709	193	393	..	71	79	2 733
December	909	959	806	262	528	..	139	90	3 693
2001									
March	802	852	764	266	367	..	70	71	3 193
June	758	835	675	233	426	..	91	92	3 110
September	645	792	679	211	365	..	81	58	2 831
December	854	892	831	276	418	..	116	93	3 480
2002									
March	883	952	868	270	438	..	86	84	3 581
June	797	979	801	260	401	..	82	72	3 392
September	897	918	792	212	368	..	95	84	3 366

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	no.	no.	no.	no.	no.	no.	no.	no.	no.
ARRIVALS IN NORTHERN TERRITORY									
1996-1997	3 203	2 887	5 194	3 769	2 946	379	..	502	18 888
1997-1998	3 069	2 737	4 556	3 184	2 795	418	..	500	17 267
1998-1999	3 203	2 398	4 367	3 032	2 345	433	..	449	16 235
1999-2000	2 989	2 430	4 746	2 794	2 458	428	..	412	16 265
2000-2001	3 047	2 568	4 694	2 613	2 448	378	..	362	16 123
2001-2002	2 671	2 435	4 204	2 533	2 386	315	..	401	14 945
1996	3 212	2 996	5 226	3 706	3 059	366	..	517	19 086
1997	3 074	2 834	4 960	3 407	2 874	386	..	536	18 079
1998	3 341	2 546	4 442	3 154	2 472	390	..	460	16 813
1999	2 941	2 399	4 528	2 766	2 439	481	..	417	15 979
2000	3 109	2 526	4 778	2 806	2 425	378	..	381	16 414
2001	2 681	2 439	4 267	2 371	2 420	367	..	376	14 927
1996									
September	768	747	1 289	966	711	95	..	121	4 699
December	924	783	1 380	1 043	862	114	..	151	5 259
1997									
March	708	629	1 148	845	662	76	..	106	4 176
June	803	728	1 377	915	711	94	..	124	4 754
September	724	672	1 165	775	610	89	..	102	4 139
December	839	805	1 270	872	891	127	..	204	5 010
1998									
March	785	623	1 031	748	592	98	..	71	3 950
June	721	637	1 090	789	702	104	..	123	4 168
September	804	538	989	754	529	93	..	113	3 822
December	1 031	748	1 332	863	649	95	..	153	4 873
1999									
March	689	582	1 085	755	531	101	..	85	3 830
June	679	530	961	660	636	144	..	98	3 710
September	704	552	1 006	621	594	121	..	100	3 700
December	869	735	1 476	730	678	115	..	134	4 739
2000									
March	674	584	1 103	745	583	103	..	98	3 892
June	742	559	1 161	698	603	89	..	80	3 934
September	697	573	1 051	607	630	78	..	76	3 716
December	996	810	1 463	756	609	108	..	127	4 872
2001									
March	704	530	1 102	600	574	105	..	84	3 702
June	650	655	1 078	650	635	87	..	75	3 833
September	587	523	968	508	573	73	..	113	3 345
December	740	731	1 119	613	638	102	..	104	4 047
2002									
March	630	557	1 051	602	598	63	..	104	3 605
June	714	624	1 066	810	577	77	..	80	3 948
September	625	526	974	579	576	80	..	109	3 469

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ARRIVALS IN AUSTRALIAN CAPITAL TERRITORY									
1996-1997	10 907	2 198	2 586	877	836	415	460	..	18 291
1997-1998	10 693	2 220	2 514	851	796	375	448	..	17 909
1998-1999	10 835	2 377	2 613	922	839	417	504	..	18 519
1999-2000	11 636	2 541	2 745	948	962	366	525	..	19 735
2000-2001	11 854	2 386	2 951	1 005	1 044	418	515	..	20 210
2001-2002	11 493	2 465	3 026	896	959	442	596	..	19 877
1996	11 018	2 628	3 499	1 115	1 059	472	597	..	20 394
1997	10 698	2 215	2 387	818	845	339	460	..	17 774
1998	10 665	2 165	2 534	837	828	437	477	..	17 955
1999	11 381	2 563	2 778	986	869	361	519	..	19 469
2000	11 822	2 420	2 805	966	965	384	579	..	19 965
2001	11 329	2 503	2 952	949	1 098	481	526	..	19 857
1996									
September	2 385	472	664	212	175	94	92	..	4 097
December	3 235	706	819	291	218	154	138	..	5 564
1997									
March	2 772	509	589	237	231	76	136	..	4 553
June	2 515	511	514	137	212	91	94	..	4 077
September	2 246	468	499	161	148	56	118	..	3 699
December	3 165	727	785	283	254	116	112	..	5 445
1998									
March	2 534	525	611	158	204	114	96	..	4 245
June	2 748	500	619	249	190	89	122	..	4 520
September	2 306	466	547	180	161	104	95	..	3 862
December	3 077	674	757	250	273	130	164	..	5 328
1999									
March	2 658	566	640	218	190	110	104	..	4 489
June	2 794	671	669	274	215	73	141	..	4 840
September	2 572	544	586	232	175	71	137	..	4 320
December	3 357	782	883	262	289	107	137	..	5 820
2000									
March	2 913	645	623	224	247	93	149	..	4 897
June	2 794	570	653	230	251	95	102	..	4 698
September	2 535	460	650	198	177	78	124	..	4 231
December	3 580	745	879	314	290	118	204	..	6 139
2001									
March	2 804	567	715	273	277	132	117	..	4 895
June	2 935	614	707	220	300	90	70	..	4 945
September	2 445	549	592	182	211	81	139	..	4 199
December	3 145	773	938	274	310	178	200	..	5 818
2002									
March	3 005	558	766	249	239	108	105	..	5 030
June	2 898	585	730	191	199	75	152	..	4 830
September	2 469	511	672	195	225	74	107	..	4 253

.. not applicable

(a) Includes Other Territories from September 1996 to June 2001 inclusive.

STATE OR TERRITORY OF DEPARTURE.....

Period	New South Wales	Victoria	Queensland	South Australia	Western Australia	Tasmania	Northern Territory	Australian Capital Territory	Total(a)
	no.	no.	no.	no.	no.	no.	no.	no.	no.
TOTAL									
1996-1997	105 854	72 017	80 631	32 649	30 124	14 725	17 134	20 761	374 024
1997-1998	104 299	68 009	78 150	30 692	30 236	14 672	17 739	19 891	363 815
1998-1999	103 727	64 845	77 034	30 151	31 118	15 310	17 188	19 025	358 524
1999-2000	107 944	65 727	78 050	31 131	32 929	14 586	17 172	19 826	367 494
2000-2001	113 504	68 374	81 321	31 421	33 624	14 865	17 715	19 803	380 940
2001-2002	120 316	70 785	81 848	31 219	34 419	14 975	17 729	20 855	392 146
1996	107 344	73 748	82 596	33 958	31 078	14 447	18 626	20 641	382 502
1997	105 045	69 724	79 106	31 666	30 201	14 437	17 538	20 955	368 799
1998	103 392	66 085	78 007	30 102	30 501	15 212	17 501	19 247	360 175
1999	105 289	64 987	77 177	30 298	32 200	14 836	16 796	19 091	360 801
2000	111 505	67 714	80 078	31 988	33 513	14 955	18 035	20 183	378 192
2001	114 406	67 975	80 440	30 621	33 471	14 585	17 059	19 899	378 613
1996									
September	24 748	17 242	18 814	7 617	6 934	3 291	4 052	4 564	87 294
December	29 250	19 784	22 228	9 153	8 329	4 175	4 894	5 856	103 701
1997									
March	26 600	17 633	20 307	8 075	7 413	3 589	4 178	5 241	93 068
June	25 256	17 358	19 282	7 804	7 448	3 670	4 010	5 100	89 961
September	23 494	15 470	17 409	7 005	6 687	3 125	4 201	4 633	82 055
December	29 695	19 263	22 108	8 782	8 653	4 053	5 149	5 981	103 715
1998									
March	25 330	16 507	19 498	7 372	7 326	3 695	4 153	4 722	88 636
June	25 780	16 769	19 135	7 533	7 570	3 799	4 236	4 555	89 409
September	22 964	14 800	17 318	6 642	6 743	3 428	3 876	4 289	80 091
December	29 318	18 009	22 056	8 555	8 862	4 290	5 236	5 681	102 039
1999									
March	25 208	16 052	18 825	7 321	7 454	3 875	4 004	4 435	87 206
June	26 237	15 984	18 835	7 633	8 059	3 717	4 072	4 620	89 188
September	23 507	14 741	17 290	6 609	7 489	3 199	4 064	4 346	81 277
December	30 337	18 210	22 227	8 735	9 198	4 045	4 656	5 690	103 130
2000									
March	27 130	16 337	19 141	8 043	8 240	3 811	4 364	4 708	91 807
June	26 970	16 439	19 392	7 744	8 002	3 531	4 088	5 082	91 280
September	24 771	15 021	17 996	7 163	7 689	3 382	4 090	4 376	84 566
December	32 634	19 917	23 549	9 038	9 582	4 231	5 493	6 017	110 539
2001									
March	27 978	16 385	19 914	7 771	8 169	3 586	4 076	4 737	92 694
June	28 121	17 051	19 862	7 449	8 184	3 666	4 056	4 673	93 141
September	26 157	15 634	18 810	7 148	7 701	3 283	3 922	4 719	87 374
December	32 150	18 905	21 854	8 253	9 417	4 050	5 005	5 770	105 404
2002									
March	30 749	17 403	21 319	7 831	8 678	3 881	4 470	5 067	99 398
June	31 260	18 843	19 865	7 987	8 623	3 761	4 332	5 299	99 970
September	28 920	17 249	18 959	7 322	8 153	3 375	4 494	4 716	93 188

(a) Includes Other Territories from September 1996 to June 2001 inclusive.

NUMBER OF PERSONS AGED 0–14 YEARS IN HOUSEHOLD

	<i>None</i>	<i>One</i>	<i>Two or more</i>	Total
Persons aged 15 and older in household	no.	no.	no.	no.
.....				
1997				
One	1 628 507	129 471	144 314	1 902 292
Two	2 124 941	443 706	917 263	3 485 910
Three or more	1 010 069	310 621	201 251	1 521 941
Total	4 763 517	883 798	1 262 828	6 910 143
.....				
1998				
One	1 665 809	142 470	151 956	1 960 235
Two	2 175 006	442 732	903 470	3 521 208
Three or more	1 014 285	304 934	214 551	1 533 770
Total	4 855 100	890 136	1 269 977	7 015 213
.....				
1999				
One	1 714 631	143 774	147 223	2 005 628
Two	2 200 019	442 437	915 140	3 557 596
Three or more	1 047 936	303 527	211 842	1 563 305
Total	4 962 586	889 738	1 274 205	7 126 529
.....				
2000				
One	1 780 859	141 667	140 563	2 063 089
Two	2 245 312	447 184	930 978	3 623 474
Three or more	1 051 000	317 755	194 593	1 563 348
Total	5 077 171	906 606	1 266 134	7 249 911
.....				
2001				
One	1 821 432	147 936	150 675	2 120 043
Two	2 363 135	443 014	904 714	3 710 863
Three or more	1 032 677	313 918	215 541	1 562 136
Total	5 217 244	904 868	1 270 930	7 393 042
.....				
2002				
One	1 884 950	155 383	159 485	2 199 818
Two	2 359 713	443 114	908 238	3 711 065
Three or more	1 081 201	311 420	206 546	1 599 167
Total	5 325 864	909 917	1 274 269	7 510 050
.....				

(a) Based on 1996 Census data.

ESTIMATED RESIDENT HOUSEHOLDS(a)—at 30 June

	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002
	<i>no.</i>	<i>no.</i>	<i>no.</i>	<i>no.</i>	<i>no.</i>	<i>no.</i>
CAPITAL CITIES						
Sydney	1 423 522	1 433 382	1 461 193	1 484 163	1 503 663	1 526 350
Melbourne	1 217 703	1 236 170	1 247 677	1 274 784	1 316 935	1 318 305
Brisbane	575 533	601 983	611 634	621 696	642 212	650 860
Adelaide	438 184	445 314	449 453	455 437	454 467	455 180
Perth	500 578	510 280	526 541	530 855	549 211	561 312
Hobart	77 116	77 896	77 581	77 805	79 916	81 546
BALANCE OF STATE						
New South Wales	894 280	896 950	915 579	929 835	930 045	959 246
Victoria	481 661	482 998	487 698	496 308	501 321	519 862
Queensland	690 238	710 792	722 775	736 053	763 590	785 657
South Australia	153 477	156 500	155 900	157 709	159 532	158 351
Western Australia	172 792	176 007	181 033	186 899	189 349	193 857
Tasmania	108 851	107 553	109 115	111 008	111 001	108 757
TOTAL						
New South Wales	2 317 802	2 330 332	2 376 772	2 413 998	2 433 708	2 485 596
Victoria	1 699 364	1 719 168	1 735 375	1 771 092	1 818 256	1 838 167
Queensland	1 265 771	1 312 775	1 334 409	1 357 749	1 405 802	1 436 517
South Australia	591 661	601 814	605 353	613 146	613 999	613 531
Western Australia	673 370	686 287	707 574	717 754	738 560	755 169
Tasmania	185 967	185 449	186 696	188 813	190 917	190 303
Northern Territory	61 017	61 104	62 148	66 402	69 211	67 883
Australian Capital Territory	115 191	118 284	118 202	120 957	122 589	122 884
Australia	6 910 143	7 015 213	7 126 529	7 249 911	7 393 042	7 510 050

(a) Based on 1996 Census data.

EXPERIMENTAL ESTIMATED RESIDENT AUSTRALIAN INDIGENOUS POPULATION, Age groups—
at 30 June 2001(a)

	<i>New South Wales</i>	<i>Victoria</i>	<i>Queensland</i>	<i>South Australia</i>	<i>Western Australia</i>	<i>Tasmania</i>	<i>Northern Territory</i>	<i>Australian Capital Territory</i>	<i>Australia(b)</i>
<i>Age group (years)</i>	<i>no.</i>	<i>no.</i>	<i>no.</i>	<i>no.</i>	<i>no.</i>	<i>no.</i>	<i>no.</i>	<i>no.</i>	<i>no.</i>
MALES									
0-4	9 325	1 776	8 620	1 590	4 358	1 126	3 499	244	30 551
5-9	9 624	1 940	9 090	1 735	4 511	1 183	3 683	292	32 065
10-14	8 704	1 702	7 923	1 577	4 349	1 269	3 417	203	29 152
15-19	6 899	1 429	6 272	1 354	3 355	982	3 007	210	23 526
20-24	5 250	1 115	4 943	1 031	2 667	658	2 758	170	18 600
25-29	4 963	1 117	4 819	1 035	2 711	563	2 669	186	18 069
30-34	4 642	1 038	4 433	969	2 483	551	2 274	166	16 566
35-39	4 271	856	3 905	852	2 174	520	1 895	133	14 612
40-44	3 787	767	3 296	715	1 759	506	1 500	132	12 471
45-49	3 031	630	2 545	557	1 432	437	1 194	100	9 933
50-54	2 333	529	2 044	420	1 031	325	872	54	7 611
55-59	1 714	316	1 229	291	688	223	593	32	5 089
60-64	1 223	216	869	183	488	154	463	18	3 623
65-69	820	147	673	122	342	109	262	12	2 489
70-74	428	90	402	91	229	55	177	1	1 473
75 and over	418	131	463	82	304	57	229	10	1 696
All ages	67 432	13 799	61 526	12 604	32 881	8 718	28 492	1 963	227 526
FEMALES									
0-4	8 867	1 817	8 469	1 625	4 157	1 068	3 370	265	29 653
5-9	9 026	1 830	8 547	1 677	4 194	1 116	3 314	248	29 967
10-14	8 155	1 698	7 504	1 549	3 992	1 090	3 066	238	27 304
15-19	6 616	1 372	6 268	1 317	3 287	1 016	2 966	202	23 053
20-24	4 942	1 111	5 429	1 020	2 752	702	2 664	178	18 809
25-29	5 374	1 148	5 581	1 072	2 736	608	2 644	171	19 349
30-34	5 165	1 112	5 158	1 017	2 686	630	2 342	179	18 296
35-39	4 703	944	4 430	904	2 307	594	2 039	137	16 065
40-44	3 929	793	3 485	775	1 821	572	1 605	126	13 114
45-49	3 096	637	2 819	579	1 524	401	1 276	88	10 425
50-54	2 472	516	2 167	445	1 128	290	954	42	8 018
55-59	1 651	340	1 477	291	743	176	644	36	5 363
60-64	1 233	245	1 129	255	587	163	550	18	4 185
65-69	901	170	733	156	426	88	377	6	2 859
70-74	615	129	514	121	288	72	236	5	1 981
75 and over	711	185	674	137	422	80	336	7	2 553
All ages	67 456	14 047	64 384	12 940	33 050	8 666	28 383	1 946	230 994

(a) 2001 Census based.

(b) Includes Other Territories—see paragraph 2 of the Explanatory Notes.

EXPERIMENTAL ESTIMATED RESIDENT AUSTRALIAN INDIGENOUS POPULATION, Age groups—
at 30 June 2001(a) *continued*

	New South Wales	Victoria	Queensland	South Australia	Western Australia	Tasmania	Northern Territory	Australian Capital Territory	Australia(b)
Age group (years)	no.	no.	no.	no.	no.	no.	no.	no.	no.
PERSONS									
0-4	18 192	3 593	17 089	3 215	8 515	2 194	6 869	509	60 204
5-9	18 650	3 770	17 637	3 412	8 705	2 299	6 997	540	62 032
10-14	16 859	3 400	15 427	3 126	8 341	2 359	6 483	441	56 456
15-19	13 515	2 801	12 540	2 671	6 642	1 998	5 973	412	46 579
20-24	10 192	2 226	10 372	2 051	5 419	1 360	5 422	348	37 409
25-29	10 337	2 265	10 400	2 107	5 447	1 171	5 313	357	37 418
30-34	9 807	2 150	9 591	1 986	5 169	1 181	4 616	345	34 862
35-39	8 974	1 800	8 335	1 756	4 481	1 114	3 934	270	30 677
40-44	7 716	1 560	6 781	1 490	3 580	1 078	3 105	258	25 585
45-49	6 127	1 267	5 364	1 136	2 956	838	2 470	188	20 358
50-54	4 805	1 045	4 211	865	2 159	615	1 826	96	15 629
55-59	3 365	656	2 706	582	1 431	399	1 237	68	10 452
60-64	2 456	461	1 998	438	1 075	317	1 013	36	7 808
65-69	1 721	317	1 406	278	768	197	639	18	5 348
70-74	1 043	219	916	212	517	127	413	6	3 454
75 and over	1 129	316	1 137	219	726	137	565	17	4 249
All ages	134 888	27 846	125 910	25 544	65 931	17 384	56 875	3 909	458 520

(a) 2001 Census based.

(b) Includes Other Territories—see
paragraph 2 of the Explanatory Notes.

EXPLANATORY NOTES

INTRODUCTION

1 This quarterly publication contains estimates of the resident populations (ERP) of Australia and the states and territories based on the results of the Census of Population and Housing held on 7 August 2001 (with various adjustments described in paragraph 4). The publication also contains estimates of the number of households by household size as well as the latest available statistics of births, deaths (including infant deaths), marriages, divorces and overseas and interstate migration. In addition, the publication includes estimates of the resident population by age, marital status and country of birth as well as experimental estimates and projections of the Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander population.

2 Following the 1992 amendments to the Acts Interpretation Act to include the Indian Ocean Territories of Christmas Island and the Cocos (Keeling) Islands as part of geographic Australia, population estimates commencing from September quarter 1993 include estimates for these two territories. To reflect this change, another category of the state and territory level has been created, known as Other Territories. Other Territories include Jarvis Bay Territory, previously included with the Australian Capital Territory, as well as Christmas Island and the Cocos (Keeling) Islands, previously excluded from population estimates for Australia. Data for Other Territories, while not detailed separately, are included in Australia totals commencing from September quarter 1993.

POPULATION AND COMPONENTS OF POPULATION CHANGE

3 Australia's population estimates for the period since 1971 are compiled according to the place of usual residence of the population. An explanation of the place of usual residence conceptual basis for population estimates is given in *Demographic Estimates and Projections: Concepts, Sources and Methods, Statistical Concepts Library, ABS web site, <<http://www.abs.gov.au>>*.

METHOD OF ESTIMATION

4 The estimated resident population is an estimate of the Australian population obtained by adding to the estimated population at the beginning of each period the components of natural increase (on a usual residence basis) and net overseas migration. For the states and territories, account is also taken of estimated interstate movements involving a change of usual residence. Estimates of the resident population are based on census counts by place of usual residence, to which are added the estimated net census undercount and Australian residents estimated to have been temporarily overseas at the time of the Census. Overseas visitors in Australia are excluded from this calculation.

5 After each census, estimates for the preceding intercensal period are revised by incorporating an additional adjustment (intercensal discrepancy) to ensure that the total intercensal increase agrees with the difference between the estimated resident populations at the two respective census dates.

NATURAL INCREASE: BIRTHS AND DEATHS

6 In this publication births and deaths data are presented by state and territory of usual residence. For preliminary estimates, births and deaths by quarter of registration are used as a proxy for quarter of occurrence. For revised estimates a factor has been applied to the number of occurrences to allow for those occurrences which are yet to be registered. For final estimates after 30 June 1991 year/quarter of occurrence data are used. The births and deaths data detailed in the *Components of population* section of this publication are shown by year of occurrence for revised and final data and year/quarter of registration for preliminary data which may affect analysis of relevant tables.

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- NET OVERSEAS MIGRATION **7** Figures are based on net permanent and long-term overseas movements with state and territory not stated allocated pro rata. Short-term movements are excluded. The estimates from July 1976 to June 1997 include an adjustment for the net effect of category jumping. This adjustment is necessary because net permanent and long-term migration figures can be affected by changes in travel intentions from short-term to permanent/long-term or vice versa. For example, an Australian resident departing for a short-term visit overseas (stating that he/she intends to stay abroad for less than 12 months) in fact stays 12 or more months, thereby changing his/her travel category from short-term to long-term. Prior to December quarter 1989, adjustments for category jumping were only made to revised population estimates. From June 1990 these adjustments were also included in preliminary estimates. However, due to a change in passenger card and systems in July 1998 (see Explanatory Note 16) the estimation of category jumping from July 1997 has been suspended until further notice and set to zero. For further details see *Demographic Estimates and Projections: Concepts, Sources and Methods, Statistical Concepts Library, ABS web site, <<http://www.abs.gov.au>>*.
- NET INTERSTATE MIGRATION **8** Estimates of interstate migration since June 1986 have been derived from latest census data on interstate movement in the preceding one year and unidentified information on interstate changes of address advised to the Health Insurance Commission in the process of administering Medicare.
- RATES OF POPULATION GROWTH **9** These express population change over a period as a proportion (%) of the population at the beginning of the period.
- EXPERIMENTAL ESTIMATES OF ABORIGINAL AND TORRES STRAIT ISLANDER POPULATION **10** Estimates of the Indigenous population are experimental in that the standard approach to population estimation is not possible because satisfactory data on births, deaths and internal migration are not generally available. Furthermore, there is significant intercensal volatility in census counts of the Indigenous population, thus adding to the problem of estimating the true Indigenous population. This volatility can in part be attributed to changes in the propensity of persons to identify as being of Indigenous origin. As a result, a method based on the use of life tables is used to produce time series data. For further details see *Experimental Estimates of the Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Population* (cat. no. 3230.0).
- EXPERIMENTAL PROJECTIONS OF ABORIGINAL AND TORRES STRAIT ISLANDER POPULATION **11** Experimental estimates of the Indigenous population as at 30 June 1996 are used as the base population for projections of the Indigenous population to 30 June 2006. A low and a high projection series have been generated, and respectively imply a low and high overall growth rate of the Indigenous population. The low series uses a nil change in propensity to identify assumption based on the premise that the Indigenous population (as recorded in the 1996 Census) will only change as a result of natural increase. The high series uses a change in propensity to identify assumption based on the increase in the Indigenous population observed between the 1991 and 1996 Censuses which cannot be attributed to natural increase. For further details see *Experimental Projections of the Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Population* (cat. no. 3231.0).
- ESTIMATED RESIDENT HOUSEHOLDS **12** Estimates of households are based on the estimated resident population series, to which propensities to form households are applied. These propensities were estimated from the Census of Population and Housing, and updated using the monthly Labour Force Survey. A detailed description of the method used to produce household estimates is contained in *Household Estimates 1986, 1991–94* (cat. no. 3229.0).

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MARRIAGES AND DIVORCES	<p>13 All marriage and divorce data are shown by state or territory of registration. While divorce data are presented by year/quarter of occurrence, marriage data are presented by year/quarter of registration.</p> <p>14 Divorce data for states and territories are affected by persons applying to the nearest Family Court rather than the court in their state or territory of usual residence. The Canberra registry of the Family Court of Australia is particularly affected as it serves, in addition to the Australian Capital Territory, a large area of south-eastern New South Wales and part of Victoria. In 1994, the latest year that both registration and usual residence data were available, around 55% of divorces granted in the Australian Capital Territory were to applicants who were not usual residents of the Territory. The number of divorces granted and the crude divorce rate for the Australian Capital Territory therefore does not accurately reflect the incidence of divorce among Australian Capital Territory residents.</p>
OVERSEAS ARRIVALS AND DEPARTURES ESTIMATION METHOD	<p>15 Overseas arrival and departure statistics are derived from a combination of full enumeration and sampling. All permanent movements and all movements with a duration of stay of one year or more are fully enumerated and processed. All movements with a duration of stay of less than one year are sampled. Statistics relating to these movements are therefore estimates which may differ from statistics which would have been obtained if details of all these movements had been processed.</p> <p>16 From July 1998 the Department of Immigration and Multicultural and Indigenous Affairs (DIMIA) is able to determine the actual length of stay for departing overseas visitors and arriving Australian residents which was previously collected from information on intended length of stay supplied on the arrival or departure card by the passenger. This new method has resulted in a change in data distribution with the number of passengers staying for one year exactly declining significantly.</p>
COUNTRY OF BIRTH	<p>17 The classification of countries in this publication is the Australian Standard Classification of Countries for Social Statistics (ASCCSS). For more detailed information refer to the ABS publication <i>Australian Standard Classification of Countries for Social Statistics</i> (Cat. no. 1269.0).</p> <p>18 Political developments in Europe and the former USSR have resulted in a number of changes to the ASCSS. These changes have affected some of the categories in this publication and are detailed in Revisions 1.01, 1.02 and 1.03 of the ASCSS.</p> <p>19 Overseas migration statistics by country of birth have certain limitations. For instance, it is not possible to separately identify England, Scotland and Wales (the United Kingdom).</p>
ROUNDING	<p>20 In this publication population estimates and their components have sometimes been rounded to the nearest hundred. Neither rounded figures nor unrounded figures should be assumed to be accurate to the last digit shown.</p> <p>21 Where figures have been rounded, discrepancies may occur between sums of component items and totals.</p>

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RELATED PRODUCTS

22 Other ABS products which may be of interest to users include:

- *AusStats — electronic data* <<http://www.abs.gov.au/ausstats>>
 - *Australian Demographic Trends*, cat. no. 3102.0
 - Australian Historical Population Statistics, cat. no. 3105.0.65.001, <<http://www.abs.gov.au>>. From the navigation bar select Themes; Demography; Australian Historical Population Statistics
 - *Births, Australia*, cat. no. 3301.0
 - *Deaths, Australia*, cat. no. 3302.0
 - *Demographic Estimates and Projections: Concepts, Sources and Methods*, <<http://www.abs.gov.au>>. From the navigation bar select Themes; Demography, Concepts, Sources and Methods
 - *Demography*, cat. no. 3311.1–8—state and territory specific publications
 - *Estimated Resident Population by Country of Birth, Age and Sex*, cat. no. 3221.0—issued annually to 1994
 - *Experimental Estimates of the Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Population*, cat. no. 3230.0
 - *Experimental Projections of the Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Population, 1996 to 2006*, cat. no. 3231.0
 - *Household Estimates, Australia*, cat. no. 3229.0
 - *Interstate Arrivals and Departures*—from September quarter 1986, Dataset, <<http://www.abs.gov.au/ausstats>>. From the navigation bar select Statistics; Data Cubes; By Catalogue/Subject
 - *Information Paper: Census of Population and Housing, Data Quality—Undercount, 2001*, cat. no. 2940.0—due for release on 1 April, 2003
 - *Marriages and Divorces, Australia*, cat. no. 3310.0—includes data on the marital status of the estimated resident population of Australia
 - *Migration, Australia*, cat. no. 3412.0—includes data on the country of birth of the estimated resident population of Australia
 - *Overseas Arrivals and Departures, Australia*, cat. no. 3401.0—issued monthly
 - *Population by Age and Sex: Australian States and Territories*, cat. no. 3201.0
 - *Population Projections, Australia*, cat. no. 3222.0
 - *Underlying Cause of Death by Sex and Age at Death, State of Usual Residence and ICD10*—from 1999, Dataset, <<http://www.abs.gov.au/ausstats>>. From the navigation bar select Statistics; Data Cubes; By Catalogue/Subject
- WORKING PAPERS
- *Demography Working Paper 2002/2—Estimated Resident Population and Effects of Census Systems Created Records*
 - *Demography Working Paper 2003/1—Estimated Resident Population and Measurement of Category Jumping*

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ADDITIONAL STATISTICS AVAILABLE **23** 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.

24 AusStats is a web based information service which provides ABS full standard product range on-line. It also includes companion data in multidimensional datasets in SuperTABLE format, and time series spreadsheets.

25 Current publications and other products released by the ABS are listed in the *Catalogue of Publications and Products* (cat. no. 1101.0). The Catalogue is available from any ABS office or the ABS web site <<http://www.abs.gov.au>>. The ABS also issues a daily Release Advice on the web site which details products to be released in the week ahead.

26 Statistics of overseas arrivals and departures and related data are also published regularly by the Department of Immigration and Multicultural and Indigenous Affairs (see that Department's quarterly publication, *Immigration Update*) and by the Bureau of Tourism Research (on international travel and tourism).

SYMBOLS AND OTHER USAGES	ABS	Australian Bureau of Statistics
	ASCCSS	Australian Standard Classification of Countries for Social Statistics
	DIMIA	The Department of Immigration and Multicultural and Indigenous Affairs
	n.a.	not available
	n.y.a.	not yet available
	p	preliminary figure or series subject to revision
	PES	Post Enumeration Survey
	r	figures or series revised since previous issue
	SLA	Statistical Local Area
	..	not applicable
	—	nil or rounded to zero (including null cells)

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- Age-specific fertility rates** Age-specific fertility rates are the number of live births (occurred or registered) during the calendar year, according to age of mother, per 1,000 of the female estimated resident population of the same age at 30 June. For calculating these rates, births to mothers under 15 years are included in the 15–19 years age group, and births to mothers aged 50 years and over are included in the 45–49 years age group. Pro rata adjustment is made in respect of births for which age of mother is not given.
- Average household size** Average household size refers to the number of persons per household in private dwellings.
- Birth** The delivery of a child, irrespective of the duration of pregnancy, who, after being born, breathes or shows any other evidence of life such as heartbeat.
- Category jumping** Category jumping is the term used to describe changes between intended and actual duration of stay of travellers to/from Australia, such that their classification as short-term or as long-term/permanent movers is different at arrival/departure from that after 12 months. Category jumping consists of two components—an Australian resident component and an overseas visitor component. The Australian resident component of category jumping for a reference quarter is estimated by comparing the number of residents departing short-term in that quarter with all residents who left in that quarter and return in the following 12 months, to obtain the net number of Australian residents who jump category. Similarly, the number of overseas visitors arriving short-term in a quarter is compared with all overseas visitors and permanent arrivals who arrived in that quarter and depart in the following 12 months, to obtain the net number of overseas visitors who jump category. Estimates of category jumping are derived by subtracting the Australian resident component from the overseas visitor component.
- Category of movement** Overseas arrivals and departures are classified according to length of stay (in Australia or overseas), recorded in months and days by travellers on passenger cards. There are three main categories of movement:
- permanent movements;
 - long-term movements (one year or more); and
 - short-term movements (less than one year).
- A significant number of travellers (i.e. overseas visitors to Australia on arrival and Australian residents going abroad) state exactly 12 months or one year as their intended period of stay. Many of them stay for less than that period and on their departure from, or return to, Australia are therefore classified as short-term. Accordingly, in an attempt to maintain consistency between arrivals and departures, movements of travellers who report their actual or intended period of stay as being one year exactly are randomly allocated to long-term or short-term in proportion to the number of movements of travellers who report their actual length of stay as up to one month more, or one month less, than one year.
- Crude divorce rate** The crude divorce rate is the number of decrees absolute granted during the financial year, per 1,000 estimated resident population at 31 December. In the interpretation of this rate, it must be kept in mind that a large and varying proportion of the population used in the denominator is unmarried or is below the minimum age of marriage.

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Crude marriage rate	The crude marriage rate is the number of marriages registered during the financial year, per 1,000 estimated resident population at 31 December. In the interpretation of this rate, it must be kept in mind that a large and varying proportion of the population used in the denominator is below the minimum age of marriage or is already married.
Divorce	Decrees absolute of dissolution of marriage.
Estimated resident population (ERP)	The official measure of the population of Australia is based on the concept of residence. It refers to all people, regardless of nationality or citizenship, who usually live in Australia, with the exception of foreign diplomatic personnel and their families. It includes usual residents who are overseas for less than 12 months. It excludes overseas visitors who are in Australia for less than 12 months.
Former Yugoslav Republics	Consists of Bosnia-Herzegovina, Croatia, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Slovenia, the former Yugoslav Republics of Serbia and Montenegro, and Yugoslavia n.f.d.
Household	<p>A household is a group of two or more related or unrelated people who usually reside in the same dwelling, who regard themselves as a household and who make common provision for food or other essentials for living; or a person living in a dwelling who makes provision for his or her own food and other essentials for living, without combining with any other person. Households include group households of unrelated persons, same-sex couple households, single-parent households as well as one-person households.</p> <p>A household usually resides in a private dwelling (including caravans etc. in caravan parks). Persons usually resident in non-private dwellings, such as hotels, motels, boarding houses, jails and hospitals, are not included in household estimates.</p> <p>This definition of a household is consistent with the definition used in the Census. The number of households can be either based on count or estimated resident population.</p>
Household estimate	Household estimate is a measure of the number of households of the usually resident population. It is based on the census count of households which is adjusted for missed households, households of overseas visitors, households of Australian residents where all members were temporarily overseas at the time of the Census and households of Australian residents where all members were not home on census night and spent census night in a non-private dwelling in Australia.
Household population	The household population is the estimated resident population (ERP) that usually lives in private dwellings. It is the ERP less the population that usually lives in non-private dwellings.
Household size	Household size refers to the number of persons in a household.
Intercensal discrepancy	Intercensal discrepancy is the difference between two estimates of a census year population, the first based on the latest census and the second arrived at by updating the previous census date estimate with intercensal components of population change which take account of information available from the latest census. It is caused by errors in the start and/or finish population estimates and/or in estimates of births, deaths or migration in the intervening period which cannot be attributed to a particular source.

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Intercensal error	Intercensal error is the difference between two estimates of census year population, the first based on the latest census and the second arrived at by updating the previous census date estimate with intercensal components of population change which do not take account of information available from the latest census.
Long-term arrivals	Long-term arrivals comprise: <ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ overseas visitors who intend to stay in Australia for 12 months or more (but not permanently); and▪ Australian residents returning after an absence of 12 months or more overseas.
Long-term departures	Long-term departures comprise: <ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ Australian residents who intend to stay abroad for 12 months or more (but not permanently); and▪ overseas visitors departing who stayed 12 months or more in Australia.
Marital status	Two separate concepts are measured by the Australian Bureau of Statistics. These are registered marital status and social marital status. They have different personal characteristics and are independent variables with separate classifications. Marital status relates to registered marital status which refers to formally registered marriages or divorces for which the partners hold a certificate. Four categories of marital status are identified: never married, married, widowed and divorced.
Marriage	Refers to registered marriages only. Under the <i>Australian Marriage Act 1961</i> (Cwth), a marriage may be celebrated by a minister of religion registered as an authorised celebrant, by a district registrar or by other persons authorised by the Attorney-General. Notice of the intended marriage must be given to the celebrant at least one calendar month but within six calendar months before the marriage. A celebrant must transmit an official certificate of the marriage for registration in the state or territory in which the marriage took place.
Natural increase	Excess of births over deaths.
Net interstate migration	The difference between the number of persons who have changed their place of usual residence by moving into a given state or territory and the number who have changed their place of usual residence by moving out of that state or territory during a specified period. This difference can be either positive or negative.
Net overseas migration	Net overseas migration is net permanent and long-term overseas migration plus an adjustment for the net effect of category jumping.
Net permanent and long-term movement	The difference between the number of permanent (settler) and long-term arrivals and the number of permanent and long-term departures. Short-term movements are excluded.

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Overseas arrivals and departures (OAD)	Overseas arrivals and departures (OAD) refer to the arrival or departure of persons, through Australian airports (or sea ports), which have been recorded. Statistics on OAD relate to the number of movements of travellers rather than the number of travellers (i.e. the multiple movements of individual persons during a given reference period are all counted).
Permanent arrivals (settlers)	<p>Permanent arrivals (settlers) comprise:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ travellers who hold migrant visas (regardless of stated intended period of stay);▪ New Zealand citizens who indicate an intention to settle; and▪ those who are otherwise eligible to settle (e.g. overseas born children of Australian citizens). <p>This definition of settlers is used by the Department of Immigration and Multicultural and Indigenous Affairs (DIMIA). Prior to 1985 the definition of settlers used by the Australian Bureau of Statistics (ABS) was the stated intention of the traveller only. Numerically the effect of the change in definition is insignificant. The change was made to avoid the confusion caused by minor differences between data on settlers published separately by the ABS and the DIMIA.</p>
Permanent departures	Permanent departures are Australian residents (including former settlers) who on departure state that they are departing permanently.
Population growth	For Australia, population growth is the sum of natural increase and net overseas migration. For states and territories, population growth also includes net interstate migration. After the Census, intercensal population growth also includes an allowance for intercensal discrepancy.
Short-term arrivals	<p>Short-term arrivals comprise:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ overseas visitors who intend to stay in Australia for less than 12 months; and▪ Australian residents returning after a stay of less than 12 months overseas.
Short-term departures	<p>Short-term departures comprise:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ Australian residents who intend to stay abroad for less than 12 months; and▪ overseas visitors departing after a stay of less than 12 months in Australia.

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Standardised death rate Standardised death rates enable the comparison of death rates between populations with different age structures by relating them to a standard population. The ABS standard populations relate to the years ending in 1 (eg 1991). The current standard population is all persons in the 2001 Australian population. They are expressed per 1,000 or 100,000 persons. There are two methods of calculating standardised death rates:

- The *direct method*—this is used when the populations under study are large and the age-specific death rates are reliable. It is the overall death rate that would have prevailed in the standard population if it had experienced at each age the death rates of the population under study.
- The *indirect method*—this is used when the populations under study are small and the age-specific death rates are unreliable or not known. It is an adjustment to the crude death rate of the standard population to account for the variation between the actual number of deaths in the population under study and the number of deaths which would have occurred if the population under study had experienced the age-specific death rates of the standard population.

Wherever used, the definition adopted is indicated.

State or territory of registration State or territory of registration refers to the state or territory in which the marriage was registered or the divorce was granted.

State or territory and Statistical Local Area (SLA) of usual residence State or territory and Statistical Local Area (SLA) of usual residence refers to the state or territory and SLA of usual residence of:

- the population (estimated resident population);
- the mother (birth collection); or
- the deceased (death collection).

In the case of overseas movements, state or territory of usual residence refers to the state or territory regarded by the traveller as the one in which he/she lives or has lived. State or territory of intended residence is derived from the intended address given by settlers, and by Australian residents returning after a journey abroad. Particularly in the case of the former, this information does not necessarily relate to the state or territory in which the traveller will eventually establish a permanent residence.

Total fertility rate The sum of age-specific fertility rates (live births at each age of mother per female population of that age). It represents the number of children a female would bear during her lifetime if she experienced current age-specific fertility rates at each age of her reproductive life.



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