

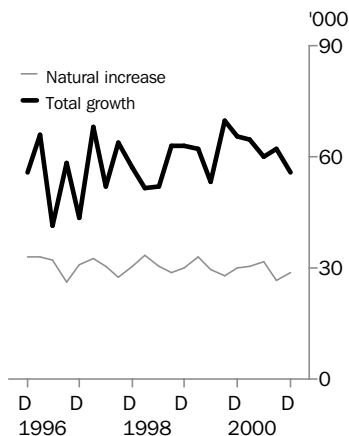
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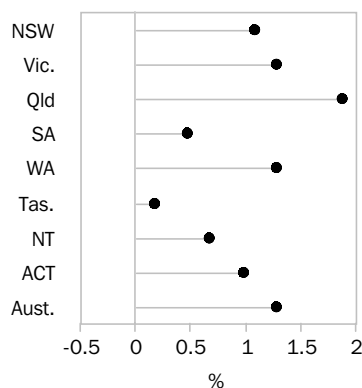
DECEMBER QTR KEY FIGURES

Population growth



Population growth rate

Year ended current quarter



PRELIMINARY DATA

	<i>Population at end Dec Qtr 2001</i> '000	<i>Change over previous year</i> '000	%
New South Wales	6 642.9	74.0	1.1
Victoria	4 854.1	62.9	1.3
Queensland	3 670.5	67.4	1.9
South Australia	1 518.9	7.7	0.5
Western Australia	1 918.8	25.3	1.3
Tasmania	473.3	1.0	0.2
Northern Territory	199.9	1.4	0.7
Australian Capital Territory	322.6	3.3	1.0

Australia	19 603.5	242.9	1.3
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DECEMBER QTR KEY POINTS

ESTIMATED RESIDENT POPULATION

- The preliminary estimated resident population of Australia at December 2001, based on the 2001 Census of Population and Housing, was 19,603,500 persons. The population increased by 242,900 persons since December 2000 and 56,000 persons since September 2001.

POPULATION GROWTH RATES

- For the year ended December 2001 the Australian population grew by 1.3%. All States and Territories had positive growth rates, the highest being for Queensland (1.9%) and the lowest for Tasmania (0.2%).

FIVE-YEARS OF CHANGE—JUNE 1996 TO JUNE 2001

- The estimated resident population of Australia at June 2001 was 19,485,300 persons an increase of 1,174,600 persons since June 1996.
- Tasmania was the only State or Territory to lose population in the 1996–2001 period (–1,500 persons).
- The Australian average annual population growth rate during the 1996–2001 period (1.3%) was higher than the growth rate during the equivalent 1991–1996 period (1.2%).
- The population continued to age as a result of fertility remaining at low levels over a long period and increasing life expectancy. The median age of the population increased from 34.0 years in 1996 to 35.7 years in 2001. The oldest population at June 2001 was in South Australia (median age of 37.5 years), followed by Tasmania (37.2 years). The youngest population was in the Northern Territory (29.6 years).

- For further information about these and related statistics, contact the National Information and Referral Service on 1300 135 070, or Anne Ward on Canberra 02 6252 6296

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CHANGES IN THIS ISSUE

2 0 0 1 C e n s u s

This publication contains preliminary 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). Previously published estimates dating back to 30 September 1996 have been revised to take account of this new information.

The preliminary estimated resident population at 30 June 2001 is derived from Census counts of Australian usual residents at 7 August 2001 by:-

1. adding an estimate of Australian usual residents missed at the Census, as determined by the Post Enumeration Survey (PES) and demographic methods,
2. adding an estimate of Australian residents who were temporarily overseas at the Census date, as determined by migration records, and
3. subtracting an estimate of population change during 1 July to 7 August 2001, as determined from births, deaths and migration records.

Final estimates of resident population will be published in March 2003 in the September Quarter 2002 issue of this publication.

N e t o v e r s e a s m i g r a t i o n

There have been delays in the receipt of final Overseas Arrivals and Departures (OAD) data from August 2000 onwards from the Department of Immigration and Multicultural and Indigenous Affairs (DIMIA). Because of the use of OAD data in population estimates which affects State and Territory Government funding, DIMIA has given priority to processing passenger cards for July 2001 and subsequent months before finalising processing for earlier months—August 2000 through to June 2001.

FINAL DATA

All ERP, natural increase, net overseas and net interstate migration and estimated resident household data prior to September Quarter 1996 are final.

Marriages and divorces data prior to March Quarter 2001 are final.

REVISED DATA

All ERP from September Quarter 1996 to June Quarter 2001 are revised, based on the results of the 2001 Census.

Components of population change (natural increase, net overseas and net interstate migration) have not been revised. It is intended that these components will be finalised with the release of 2001 Census based final ERPs in the September Quarter 2002 issue of this publication.

PRELIMINARY DATA

All ERP, natural increase, net overseas and net interstate migration from September Quarter 2001 onwards are preliminary.

Estimated resident household data from September Quarter 1996 onwards are preliminary based on the 1996 Census.

Marriages and divorces data from March Quarter 2001 are preliminary.



DATA BASED ON 1996 CENSUS

Data in the following tables remains based on the results of the 1996 Census and adjusted for components of population change (births, deaths and migration) and for Table 10, population projection assumptions.

Table 5 — ERP, Major Population Centres. Data based on the 2001 Census will be released in Regional Population Growth, Australia and New Zealand, 1991–2001 (Cat. no. 3218.0) scheduled for release in July 2002.

Table 8 — ERP, Marital Status of Persons 15 Years and Over. Data based on the 2001 Census will be released in Marriages and Divorces, Australia, 2002, (Cat. no. 3310.0) scheduled for release in August 2003.

Table 9 — ERP, Country of Birth. Data based on the 2001 Census will be released in Migration, Australia, 2001–02 (Cat. no. 3412.0) scheduled for release in February 2003.

Table 10 — Experimental Estimated and Projected Resident Australian Indigenous Population. Estimates based on the 2001 Census will be released in Australian Demographic Statistics, March Quarter 2003 (Cat. no. 3101.0) scheduled for release in September 2003. Projections based on the 2001 Census will be released in mid to late 2003.

Table 24 — Estimated Resident Households, Household Size. Data based on the 2001 Census will be released in Australian Demographic Statistics, December Quarter 2002 (Cat. no. 3101.0) scheduled for release in June 2003.

Table 25 — Estimated Resident Households. Data based on the 2001 Census will be released in Australian Demographic Statistics, December Quarter 2002 (Cat. no. 3101.0) scheduled for release in June 2003.



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ANALYSES AND COMMENTS

POPULATION AT DECEMBER 2001 The estimated resident population of Australia at December 2001, based on the results of the 2001 Census of Population and Housing, was 19,603,500 persons, an increase of 242,900 persons since December 2000 and 56,000 persons since September 2001. The national growth rate during the twelve months ended December 2001 was 1.3%, similar to the growth rate for the previous 12 months.

Natural increase Natural increase for the year ended December 2001 was 117,200 persons, a decrease of 2% on the number recorded in the year ended December 2000 (120,100). Births added 245,800 babies while deaths removed 128,600 persons from the population in the year ended December 2001.

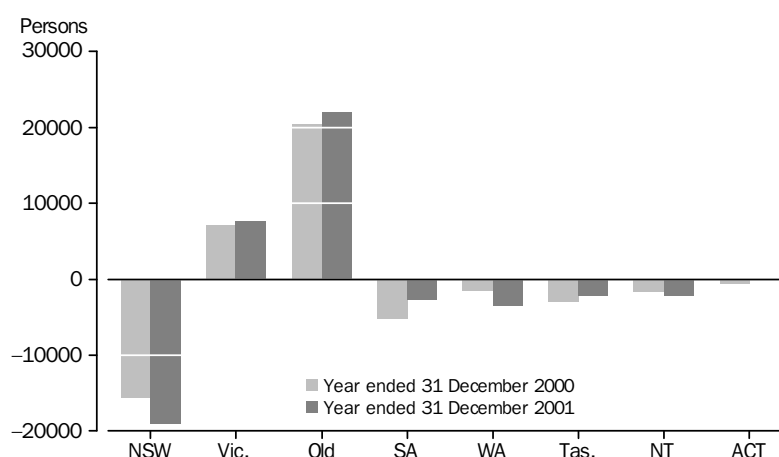
Net overseas migration In the year ended December 2001 preliminary net overseas migration was assumed to be 110,500 persons (see *Notes* on page 2). This was 6% higher than the preliminary estimate for the year ended December 2000 (104,500).

States and Territories The population of Australia's States and Territories at December 2001 was as follows: New South Wales 6,642,900, Victoria 4,854,100, Queensland 3,670,500, South Australia 1,518,900, Western Australia 1,918,800, Tasmania 473,300, Northern Territory 199,900 and the Australian Capital Territory 322,600.

All States and Territories had positive growth in the year ended December 2001. Queensland recorded the highest annual growth rate (1.9%), followed by Victoria and Western Australia (each 1.3%), New South Wales (1.1%), the Australian Capital Territory (1.0%), the Northern Territory (0.7%), South Australia (0.5%) and Tasmania (0.2%).

Interstate migration With the exception of Queensland and Victoria all other States and Territories recorded net interstate migration losses during the year ended December 2001. Queensland gained 22,000 persons and Victoria gained 7,700 persons. Losses were recorded by New South Wales (-19,000), Western Australia (-3,600), South Australia (-2,700), Tasmania and the Northern Territory (each -2,200) and the Australian Capital Territory (-100).

NET INTERSTATE MIGRATION, States and Territories



FIVE-YEARS OF POPULATION CHANGE — (June 1996 to June 2001)

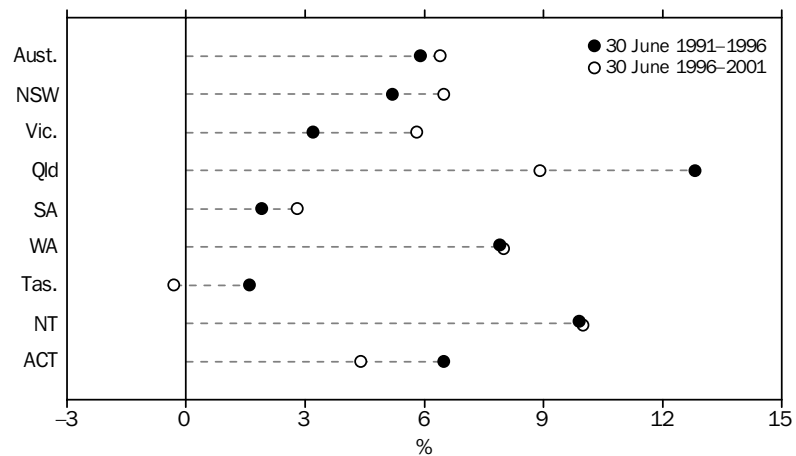
The estimated resident population of Australia at June 2001 was 19,485,300 persons an increase of 1,174,600 since June 1996. During this five-year period the nation grew by 6.4% compared with 5.9% during the equivalent period, June 1991 to June 1996. The average annual growth rate was 1.3% between June 1996 and June 2001 compared with 1.2% between June 1991 and June 1996.

State and Territory population growth

All States and Territories, with the exception of Tasmania, recorded growth during the five-year period, 1996–2001, although the level of growth varied.

Between June 1996 and June 2001 the population of the Northern Territory grew by 10.0%, the highest proportional growth of any State or Territory, followed by Queensland (8.9%), Western Australia (8.0%), New South Wales (6.5%), Victoria (5.8%), the Australian Capital Territory (4.4%) and South Australia (2.8%). Tasmania recorded negative growth (–0.3%).

POPULATION GROWTH, Proportion



State and Territory average annual growth rates

New South Wales recorded an increase in the average annual growth rate between 1991–1996 (1.0%) and 1996–2001 (1.3%). Annually, in the period 1996–2001, the growth rate varied little from year to year ranging between 1.2% and 1.4%. Natural increase and net overseas migration remained consistent contributors to total population growth while negative net interstate migration consistently reduced the level and rate of growth.

Victoria's average annual growth rate increased from 0.6% in 1991–1996 to 1.1% in 1996–2001. This was mainly due to Victoria reversing negative net interstate migration, recorded in the first two years of the 1996–2001 period, to positive and increasing net interstate migration for the remaining period.

Queensland's average annual growth rate decreased from 2.4% in 1991–1996 to 1.7% in 1996–2001. While Queensland recorded positive net interstate migration throughout 1991–2001, the average annual growth from net interstate migration reduced from 1.4% in 1991–96 to 0.6% in 1996–2001.

South Australia recorded a small increase in the average annual growth rate between 1991–1996 (0.4%) and 1996–2001 (0.5%). Annually, in the period 1996–2001, the increase varied between 0.5% and 0.6%.

ANALYSES AND COMMENTS *continued*

POPULATION CHANGE DURING 1991–1996 AND 1996–2001, at 30 June

States and Territories	POPULATION.....			CHANGE.....		RATE OF CHANGE(a)		PERCENTAGE DISTRIBUTION.....		
	1991	1996	2001	1991–1996	1996–2001	1991–1996	1996–2001	1991	1996	2001
	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	%(a)	%(a)	%	%	%
NSW	5 898.7	6 204.7	6 609.3	306.0	404.6	1.0	1.3	34.1	33.9	33.9
Vic.	4 420.4	4 560.2	4 822.7	139.8	262.5	0.6	1.1	25.6	24.9	24.8
Qld	2 961.0	3 338.7	3 635.1	377.7	296.4	2.4	1.7	17.1	18.2	18.7
SA	1 446.3	1 474.3	1 514.9	28.0	40.6	0.4	0.5	8.4	8.1	7.8
WA	1 636.1	1 765.3	1 906.1	129.2	140.9	1.5	1.5	9.5	9.6	9.8
Tas.	466.8	474.4	472.9	7.6	-1.5	0.3	-0.1	2.7	2.6	2.4
NT	165.5	181.8	200.0	16.4	18.2	1.9	1.9	1.0	1.0	1.0
ACT	289.3	308.3	321.7	18.9	13.4	1.3	0.9	1.7	1.7	1.7
Aust.(b)	17 284.0	18 310.7	19 485.3	1 026.7	1 174.6	1.2	1.3	100.0	100.0	100.0

(a) Average annual growth rate.

(b) Includes Other Territories from September 1993.

State and Territory average annual growth rates *continued*

Western Australia's average annual growth rate was constant between 1991–1996 and 1996–2001 at 1.5%. Annually, in the period 1996–2001, the growth rate decreased from 1.8% at the start of the period to 1.4% at the end. Over this same period net interstate migration reversed from positive to negative growth.

Tasmania's average annual growth rate declined between 1991–1996 (0.3%) and 1996–2001 (-0.1%). Annually, in the period 1996–2001, Tasmania had three years of negative growth and two years of positive growth. Over the period 1996–2001 Tasmania consistently lost population through interstate migration.

In the period 1996–2001 the Northern Territory recorded the highest average annual growth rate of all Australian States and Territories at 1.9%. This was the same as the average annual growth rate in the period 1991–1996. Annually, the Northern Territory growth rate ranged from a low of 1.3% in 2000–01 to a high of 3.1% in 1996–97. During the period 1996–2001 net interstate migration in the Northern Territory changed from gains to losses.

The Australian Capital Territory's average annual growth rate fell from 1.3% during 1991–1996 to 0.9% in 1996–2001. Annually, in the period 1996–2001, the growth rate fluctuated, ranging from a low of 0.4% in 1996–97 to a high of 1.5% in 2000–01.

State and Territory proportional distribution

The ranking of States and Territories by estimated resident population remained the same between June 1996 and June 2001. New South Wales remained the largest State or Territory (34%) while the Northern Territory remained the smallest (1%). Proportionally, some States and Territories had marginal gains while others had marginal losses between June 1996 and June 2001.

Quarterly growth With the exceptions of Tasmania and the Australian Capital Territory, all States and the Northern Territory maintained positive quarterly growth throughout the five-year period, 1996–2001. However, there were variations in the levels of growth. New South Wales ranged from a low of 14,900 persons in June Quarter 1997 to a high of 24,800 persons in September Quarter 2000. For the other States and the Northern Territory positive quarterly growth ranges were as follows: Victoria (5,900, June 1997 to 18,100, March 2001), Queensland (12,100, December 1997 to 17,000, December 1999), South Australia (1,100, June 2000 to 3,300, March 1998), Western Australia (5,300, June 1997 to 10,100, March 1997) and the Northern Territory (400, December 2000 to 1,800, September 1996).

Tasmania and the Australian Capital Territory experienced some quarters of negative growth between June Quarter 1996 and June Quarter 2001. Tasmania recorded more negative quarterly growth periods than positive growth periods, numbers ranging from a low of –500 in June Quarter 1997 to a high of 400 in March Quarter 2001. The Australian Capital Territory had three negative quarterly growth periods during the five-year period, growth ranging from a low of –300 in June Quarter 1997 to a high of 1,300 in March Quarter 2001.

Sex ratio The sex ratio of the Australian population changed from 99 males per 100 females in 1996 to 98 males per 100 females in 2001. In 1996 Queensland, Western Australia and the Northern Territory all had more males in their population than females. By 2001 only Western Australia and the Northern Territory had more males. In 2001 Victoria, Tasmania and the Australian Capital Territory had the lowest sex ratio at 97 males per 100 females and the Northern Territory had the highest 109.

SEX RATIOS OF THE POPULATION, at 30 June

States and Territories	MALES.....		FEMALES.....		SEX RATIO.....	
	1996	2001	1996	2001	1996	2001
	'000	'000	'000	'000	ratio	ratio
NSW	3 081.0	3 278.6	3 123.7	3 330.7	98.6	98.4
Vic.	2 252.6	2 371.0	2 307.5	2 451.6	97.6	96.7
Qld	1 673.0	1 808.0	1 665.7	1 827.1	100.4	99.0
SA	729.1	749.2	745.1	765.7	97.9	97.8
WA	887.6	954.2	877.7	951.9	101.1	100.2
Tas.	234.3	233.2	240.1	239.8	97.6	97.2
NT	95.7	104.3	86.2	95.7	111.0	109.0
ACT	153.0	158.6	155.3	163.1	98.5	97.3
Aust.(a)	9 108.1	9 658.6	9 202.7	9 826.7	99.0	98.3

(a) Includes Other Territories.

ANALYSES AND COMMENTS *continued*

Age distributions The ageing of Australia's population continued to be evident between June 1996 and June 2001. The number of persons aged 65 years and over increased by 11% while the number aged 85 years and over increased by 32%. For the population aged under 14 years the increase was 2% and for those aged 15 to 64 years the increase was 7%.

Between June 1996 and June 2001 all States and Territories showed an increase in the proportion of the population aged 65 years and over and a decrease in the proportion aged 14 years and under.

South Australia remained the State with the largest proportion of population aged 65 years and over (14.6%) followed by Tasmania (13.7%). The Northern Territory had the lowest proportion aged 65 years and over (3.8%).

For those aged 14 years and under the Northern Territory had the largest proportion of population (25.7%) followed by Queensland (21.3%). South Australia had the lowest proportion aged 14 years and under (19.3%).

Median age The population continued to age as a result of fertility remaining at low levels over a long period and increasing life expectancy. In June 1996 the median age of the Australian population was 34.0 years. By June 2001 the median age had risen to 35.7 years. South Australia continued to have the highest median age (35.6 years in 1996 and 37.5 years in 2001) while the Northern Territory continued to have the lowest (27.8 years in 1996 and 29.6 years in 2001).

AGE DISTRIBUTIONS AND MEDIAN AGES OF THE POPULATION, at 30 June

States and Territories	0-14 YEARS....		15-64 YEARS..		65 AND OVER YEARS.....		85 AND OVER YEARS		TOTAL.....		MEDIAN AGE	
	1996	2001	1996	2001	1996	2001	1996	2001	1996	2001	1996	2001
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	'000	'000	years	years
NSW	21.1	20.4	66.3	66.5	12.6	13.0	1.1	1.4	6 204.7	6 609.3	34.4	35.9
Vic.	20.8	20.0	66.7	67.0	12.5	13.0	1.2	1.5	4 560.2	4 822.7	34.3	35.8
Qld	22.0	21.3	66.8	67.1	11.2	11.6	1.0	1.2	3 338.7	3 635.1	33.3	35.0
SA	20.3	19.3	65.7	66.1	14.0	14.6	1.3	1.7	1 474.3	1 514.9	35.6	37.5
WA	22.3	21.1	67.4	67.9	10.4	11.0	1.0	1.2	1 765.3	1 906.1	33.1	34.8
Tas.	22.3	21.0	64.9	65.3	12.7	13.7	1.1	1.5	474.4	472.9	34.6	37.2
NT	27.1	25.7	69.7	70.6	3.2	3.8	0.2	0.3	181.8	200.0	27.8	29.6
ACT	22.0	20.5	70.7	71.0	7.3	8.5	0.5	0.8	308.3	321.7	31.3	33.3
Aust.(a)	21.4	20.5	66.6	66.9	12.0	12.5	1.1	1.4	18 310.7	19 485.3	34.0	35.7

(a) Includes Other Territories.

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) %
1995-1996	250.4	126.4	124.0	109.7	-5.5	104.1	18 310.7	239.0	1.32
1996-1997	253.7	127.3	126.4	94.4	-7.3	87.1	18 537.9	227.1	1.24
1997-1998	249.1	129.3	119.9	79.2	7.2	86.4	18 759.6	221.7	1.20
1998-1999	250.0	128.3	121.7	96.5	-11.4	85.1	18 984.2	224.6	1.20
1999-2000	249.3	128.4	120.9	107.3	-8.2	99.1	19 225.3	241.2	1.27
2000-2001	248.7	128.9	119.8	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	109.7	19 485.3	259.9	1.35
1996	252.9	128.2	124.7	103.1	-5.6	97.4	18 430.5	234.4	1.29
1997	251.1	128.8	122.3	83.7	-11.3	72.4	18 639.8	209.3	1.14
1998	248.3	127.4	120.8	88.8	14.3	103.1	18 880.4	240.6	1.29
1999	250.2	128.2	122.0	104.2	-15.9	88.4	19 110.2	229.8	1.22
2000	250.2	130.0	120.1	115.3	n.y.a.	104.5	19 360.6	250.4	1.31
2001	245.8	128.6	117.2	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	110.5	19 603.5	242.9	1.25
1996									
September	65.1	37.1	28.1	27.7	4.6	32.3	18 374.5	240.7	1.33
December	63.6	30.5	33.2	20.1	-0.7	19.4	18 430.5	234.4	1.29
1997									
March	61.4	28.4	33.1	36.1	-6.7	29.4	18 496.3	239.1	1.31
June	63.4	31.4	32.1	10.6	-4.5	6.1	18 537.9	227.1	1.24
September	64.4	38.0	26.4	22.9	5.1	28.0	18 596.1	221.6	1.21
December	61.9	31.0	30.9	14.0	-5.1	8.9	18 639.8	209.3	1.14
1998									
March	60.8	28.4	32.3	33.7	-2.0	31.7	18 707.7	211.4	1.14
June	62.1	31.8	30.3	8.5	9.2	17.7	18 759.6	221.7	1.20
September	64.1	36.4	27.7	26.5	5.1	31.6	18 823.3	227.2	1.22
December	61.3	30.8	30.5	20.1	2.0	22.1	18 880.4	240.6	1.29
1999									
March	62.0	28.8	33.2	35.1	-21.0	14.1	18 932.1	224.4	1.20
June	62.5	32.2	30.3	14.8	2.5	17.3	18 984.2	224.6	1.20
September	64.5	35.9	28.6	29.7	-0.8	28.9	19 047.0	223.7	1.19
December	61.1	31.2	29.9	24.6	3.4	28.0	19 110.2	229.8	1.22
2000									
March	61.9	28.9	33.0	37.4	-13.7	23.7	19 172.2	240.1	1.27
June	61.8	32.3	29.4	15.5	2.9	18.4	19 225.3	241.2	1.27
September	63.7	35.9	27.8	34.3	n.y.a.	34.3	19 295.0	248.0	1.30
December	62.8	32.9	29.9	28.1	n.y.a.	28.1	19 360.6	250.4	1.31
2001									
March	59.9	29.7	30.2	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	26.8	19 425.2	253.1	1.32
June	62.3	30.4	31.8	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	20.6	19 485.3	259.9	1.35
September	62.8	36.2	26.6	35.7	n.y.a.	35.7	19 547.5	252.5	1.31
December	60.7	32.2	28.5	27.5	n.y.a.	27.5	19 603.5	242.9	1.25

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

(b) The difference between total growth and the sum of natural increase and net migration during 1996–2001 is due to preliminary 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									
1995-1996	40 352	28 497	25 290	7 500	13 953	2 521	2 829	3 062	124 038
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	40 635	26 602	24 929	5 635	13 943	2 368	2 804	2 844	119 794
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	42 022	26 119	24 451	5 887	14 084	1 874	2 750	2 916	120 139
2001	38 657	26 880	24 834	5 532	13 227	2 548	2 952	2 537	117 202
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	9 191	6 230	6 150	1 121	3 308	451	637	699	27 794
December	11 606	6 164	5 268	1 490	3 653	364	627	738	29 920
2001									
March	9 343	6 739	6 642	1 740	3 352	807	834	776	30 239
June	10 495	7 469	6 869	1 284	3 630	746	706	631	31 841
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

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POPULATION CHANGE, Components

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									
1995-1996	48 045	25 692	13 051	3 653	12 339	398	569	390	104 137
1996-1997	37 291	21 080	12 622	3 104	12 267	252	541	-76	87 079
1997-1998	34 899	20 801	13 800	3 390	12 834	84	644	-90	86 354
1998-1999	36 942	21 602	11 744	2 108	12 157	114	955	-481	85 120
1999-2000	40 630	24 752	16 276	3 453	12 947	384	882	-258	99 056
2000-2001	46 062	27 645	16 419	3 602	14 841	159	993	8	109 729
1996	44 331	23 434	12 712	3 475	12 334	456	572	132	97 444
1997	29 653	17 251	11 852	2 826	10 761	-16	431	-382	72 365
1998	41 349	26 643	14 812	3 654	14 792	625	975	254	103 100
1999	37 914	20 670	14 532	2 931	12 196	13	964	-851	88 352
2000	43 653	26 933	15 556	3 402	13 490	318	879	258	104 482
2001	44 750	27 534	18 665	3 333	15 571	154	351	136	110 478
1996									
September	13 983	7 796	4 816	1 068	3 961	165	320	178	32 287
December	9 484	4 343	1 946	758	2 888	82	67	-190	19 376
1997									
March	11 134	7 982	4 504	1 142	4 305	33	125	129	29 354
June	2 690	959	1 356	136	1 113	-28	29	-193	6 062
September	11 303	6 747	4 968	1 029	3 613	11	315	38	28 024
December	4 526	1 563	1 024	519	1 730	-32	-38	-356	8 925
1998									
March	11 520	8 970	4 592	1 291	4 776	72	177	311	31 720
June	7 550	3 521	3 216	551	2 715	33	190	-83	17 685
September	13 929	7 946	4 259	386	4 806	156	212	-67	31 629
December	8 350	6 206	2 745	1 426	2 495	364	396	93	22 066
1999									
March	5 491	4 547	2 116	67	2 260	-226	77	-214	14 099
June	9 172	2 903	2 624	229	2 596	-180	270	-293	17 326
September	10 917	7 369	3 784	992	5 412	175	422	-128	28 939
December	12 334	5 851	6 008	1 643	1 928	244	195	-216	27 988
2000									
March	8 385	7 863	3 149	662	3 492	6	78	67	23 699
June	8 994	3 669	3 335	156	2 115	-41	187	19	18 430
September	14 327	8 974	4 555	924	4 930	67	348	170	34 295
December	11 947	6 427	4 517	1 660	2 953	286	266	2	28 058
2001									
March	9 869	8 359	3 815	655	4 087	-120	128	-23	26 770
June	9 919	3 885	3 532	363	2 871	-74	251	-141	20 606
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

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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 INTERSTATE MIGRATION									
1995-1996	-14 770	-12 800	32 614	-6 192	4 066	-2 590	328	-656	..
1996-1997	-11 975	-4 687	20 179	-4 628	6 189	-3 661	1 790	-3 207	..
1997-1998	-13 542	1 206	17 967	-3 254	4 726	-3 966	-439	-2 698	..
1998-1999	-14 315	3 975	17 233	-2 869	1 775	-3 669	-917	-1 213	..
1999-2000	-15 586	6 713	19 012	-4 773	-684	-2 972	-871	-839	..
2000-2001	-16 737	7 925	19 654	-4 234	-2 711	-2 559	-1 664	326	..
1996	-15 041	-9 214	27 098	-5 284	5 683	-3 094	478	-626	..
1997	-12 023	-1 147	18 704	-3 752	5 292	-3 739	577	-3 912	..
1998	-13 243	2 848	15 974	-2 724	3 874	-4 080	-653	-1 996	..
1999	-15 182	5 348	17 585	-3 437	10	-3 191	-783	-350	..
2000	-15 577	7 073	20 459	-5 220	-1 550	-2 919	-1 641	-625	..
2001	-19 032	7 718	21 995	-2 699	-3 555	-2 179	-2 166	-82	..
1996									
September	-3 709	-2 262	6 540	-1 508	1 644	-727	654	-632	..
December	-3 595	-938	5 485	-1 221	1 413	-1 014	376	-506	..
1997									
March	-2 852	-307	3 701	-1 037	2 185	-823	6	-873	..
June	-1 819	-1 180	4 453	-862	947	-1 097	754	-1 196	..
September	-3 433	-209	5 398	-755	1 007	-862	-54	-1 092	..
December	-3 919	549	5 152	-1 098	1 153	-957	-129	-751	..
1998									
March	-2 746	476	3 054	-591	1 686	-1 036	-196	-647	..
June	-3 444	390	4 363	-810	880	-1 111	-60	-208	..
September	-2 948	-109	3 759	-422	1 176	-829	-46	-581	..
December	-4 105	2 091	4 798	-901	132	-1 104	-351	-560	..
1999									
March	-3 218	884	3 816	-682	431	-951	-166	-114	..
June	-4 044	1 109	4 860	-864	36	-785	-354	42	..
September	-3 262	1 015	4 177	-600	-107	-675	-357	-191	..
December	-4 658	2 340	4 732	-1 291	-350	-780	94	-87	..
2000									
March	-3 909	1 903	5 272	-1 735	-300	-776	-463	8	..
June	-3 757	1 455	4 831	-1 147	73	-741	-145	-569	..
September	-3 517	1 836	4 573	-1 030	-568	-742	-390	-162	..
December	-4 394	1 879	5 783	-1 308	-755	-660	-643	98	..
2001									
March	-4 286	2 661	4 210	-1 264	-572	-497	-391	139	..
June	-4 540	1 549	5 088	-632	-816	-660	-240	251	..
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	..

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

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)									
1995-1996	77 747	42 768	73 581	4 824	31 469	770	4 291	3 446	238 956
1996-1997	81 493	42 274	58 498	7 579	31 382	-617	5 543	1 226	227 148
1997-1998	74 656	47 385	56 952	8 997	30 189	-1 360	3 496	1 517	221 718
1998-1999	77 764	50 888	54 431	8 375	27 586	-446	3 273	2 768	224 577
1999-2000	81 535	58 332	61 701	7 598	25 481	63	3 246	3 228	241 174
2000-2001	89 128	63 629	64 849	8 052	26 220	848	2 618	4 690	259 947
1996	79 850	42 261	65 862	6 417	31 929	279	4 337	3 603	234 414
1997	72 216	41 398	56 289	8 050	28 569	-1 240	4 222	-13	209 319
1998	82 298	54 622	56 214	9 795	32 156	-633	3 503	2 682	240 565
1999	78 176	52 785	58 042	8 779	25 733	-246	3 456	3 127	229 829
2000	87 542	60 406	63 284	6 897	25 784	-8	2 490	4 082	250 437
2001	73 977	62 865	67 416	7 691	25 315	964	1 381	3 335	242 884
1996									
September	22 761	11 449	16 953	1 539	8 537	154	1 783	696	63 794
December	21 181	10 453	13 571	1 870	7 455	-182	1 190	478	55 960
1997									
March	22 659	14 451	14 762	2 692	10 107	-68	961	331	65 841
June	14 892	5 921	13 212	1 478	5 283	-521	1 609	-279	41 553
September	19 728	12 052	16 249	2 244	7 318	-314	1 058	-37	58 259
December	14 937	8 974	12 066	1 636	5 861	-337	594	-28	43 666
1998									
March	22 558	16 268	14 416	3 338	9 951	-234	856	792	67 933
June	17 433	10 091	14 221	1 779	7 059	-475	988	790	51 860
September	23 659	13 611	14 103	1 836	9 172	45	896	414	63 723
December	18 648	14 652	13 474	2 842	5 974	31	763	686	57 049
1999									
March	16 634	12 669	13 003	2 080	6 168	-386	775	816	51 735
June	18 823	9 956	13 851	1 617	6 272	-136	839	852	52 070
September	20 984	15 192	14 169	2 465	8 314	153	828	757	62 866
December	21 735	14 968	17 019	2 617	4 979	123	1 014	702	63 158
2000									
March	19 494	16 818	15 866	1 406	6 825	-60	490	1 148	61 986
June	19 322	11 354	14 647	1 110	5 363	-153	914	621	53 164
September	24 780	17 401	16 236	1 778	7 709	-4	718	1 093	69 697
December	23 946	14 833	16 535	2 603	5 887	209	368	1 220	65 590
2001									
March	19 722	18 125	15 627	1 894	6 900	409	693	1 271	64 613
June	20 680	13 270	16 451	1 777	5 724	234	839	1 106	60 047
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

(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 preliminary 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									
1995-1996	0.66	0.63	0.77	0.51	0.80	0.53	1.59	1.00	0.69
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	0.79	0.56	1.44	0.94	0.65
1999-2000	0.63	0.59	0.70	0.42	0.75	0.44	1.40	0.89	0.64
2000-2001	0.62	0.56	0.70	0.37	0.74	0.50	1.42	0.90	0.62
1996	0.68	0.63	0.75	0.49	0.80	0.53	1.53	0.99	0.69
1997	0.65	0.61	0.75	0.46	0.77	0.45	1.48	0.91	0.66
1998	0.63	0.59	0.72	0.44	0.80	0.50	1.43	0.95	0.65
1999	0.63	0.60	0.70	0.45	0.77	0.51	1.44	0.90	0.65
2000	0.65	0.55	0.69	0.39	0.75	0.40	1.40	0.93	0.63
2001	0.59	0.56	0.69	0.37	0.70	0.54	1.49	0.79	0.61
NET OVERSEAS MIGRATION RATE									
1995-1996	0.78	0.57	0.40	0.25	0.71	0.08	0.32	0.13	0.58
1996-1997	0.60	0.46	0.38	0.21	0.69	0.05	0.30	-0.02	0.48
1997-1998	0.56	0.45	0.41	0.23	0.71	0.02	0.34	-0.03	0.47
1998-1999	0.58	0.46	0.34	0.14	0.67	0.02	0.50	-0.15	0.45
1999-2000	0.63	0.53	0.46	0.23	0.70	0.08	0.45	-0.08	0.52
2000-2001	0.71	0.58	0.46	0.24	0.79	0.03	0.50	—	0.57
1996	0.72	0.52	0.38	0.24	0.71	0.10	0.32	0.04	0.54
1997	0.47	0.38	0.35	0.19	0.60	—	0.23	-0.12	0.39
1998	0.65	0.58	0.43	0.25	0.82	0.13	0.52	0.08	0.55
1999	0.59	0.44	0.42	0.20	0.66	—	0.50	-0.27	0.47
2000	0.67	0.57	0.44	0.23	0.72	0.07	0.45	0.08	0.55
2001	0.68	0.57	0.52	0.22	0.82	0.03	0.18	0.04	0.57

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

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									
1995-1996	-0.24	-0.28	1.00	-0.42	0.23	-0.55	0.18	-0.22	..
1996-1997	-0.19	-0.10	0.60	-0.31	0.35	-0.77	0.98	-1.04	..
1997-1998	-0.22	0.03	0.53	-0.22	0.26	-0.84	-0.23	-0.87	..
1998-1999	-0.23	0.09	0.50	-0.19	0.10	-0.78	-0.48	-0.39	..
1999-2000	-0.24	0.14	0.54	-0.32	-0.04	-0.63	-0.45	-0.27	..
2000-2001	-0.26	0.17	0.55	-0.28	-0.14	-0.54	-0.84	0.10	..
1996	-0.24	-0.20	0.82	-0.36	0.32	-0.65	0.26	-0.20	..
1997	-0.19	-0.03	0.56	-0.25	0.30	-0.79	0.31	-1.26	..
1998	-0.21	0.06	0.47	-0.18	0.21	-0.86	-0.35	-0.65	..
1999	-0.24	0.11	0.51	-0.23	—	-0.68	-0.41	-0.11	..
2000	-0.24	0.15	0.58	-0.35	-0.08	-0.62	-0.84	-0.20	..
2001	-0.29	0.16	0.61	-0.18	-0.19	-0.46	-1.09	-0.03	..
TOTAL POPULATION GROWTH(b)									
1995-1996	1.27	0.95	2.25	0.33	1.82	0.16	2.42	1.13	1.32
1996-1997	1.31	0.93	1.75	0.51	1.78	-0.13	3.05	0.40	1.24
1997-1998	1.19	1.03	1.68	0.61	1.68	-0.29	1.87	0.49	1.20
1998-1999	1.22	1.09	1.58	0.56	1.51	-0.09	1.71	0.89	1.20
1999-2000	1.27	1.24	1.76	0.51	1.37	0.01	1.67	1.03	1.27
2000-2001	1.37	1.34	1.82	0.53	1.39	0.18	1.33	1.48	1.35
1996	1.29	0.93	1.99	0.44	1.83	0.06	2.40	1.18	1.29
1997	1.16	0.90	1.67	0.54	1.60	-0.26	2.28	—	1.14
1998	1.30	1.18	1.64	0.66	1.78	-0.13	1.85	0.87	1.29
1999	1.22	1.13	1.67	0.59	1.40	-0.05	1.79	1.00	1.22
2000	1.35	1.28	1.79	0.46	1.38	—	1.27	1.29	1.31
2001	1.13	1.31	1.87	0.51	1.34	0.20	0.70	1.04	1.25

(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 preliminary intercensal discrepancy.

ESTIMATED RESIDENT POPULATION, States and Territories

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.
MALES									
1995–1996	3 081 044	2 252 649	1 673 040	729 149	887 577	234 302	95 668	152 953	9 108 055
1996–1997	3 119 088	2 270 246	1 699 603	732 893	902 703	233 962	98 389	153 356	9 211 791
1997–1998	3 155 345	2 291 340	1 725 587	737 204	917 252	233 260	100 266	154 167	9 315 910
1998–1999	3 193 219	2 313 936	1 750 508	741 173	930 495	232 987	101 906	155 248	9 420 924
1999–2000	3 233 841	2 340 742	1 778 789	745 082	942 180	232 919	103 334	156 497	9 534 823
2000–2001	3 278 636	2 371 049	1 807 993	749 150	954 243	233 167	104 321	158 623	9 658 562
1996	3 101 080	2 261 524	1 686 747	730 629	895 235	234 261	97 188	153 486	9 161 754
1997	3 135 665	2 279 043	1 712 339	734 628	908 860	233 687	99 297	153 314	9 258 349
1998	3 176 019	2 303 658	1 738 189	739 317	924 347	233 275	101 049	154 545	9 371 872
1999	3 214 241	2 327 470	1 764 729	743 612	936 417	233 004	102 866	155 880	9 479 673
2000	3 258 349	2 355 805	1 793 336	747 152	948 298	232 941	103 692	157 526	9 598 516
2001	3 295 457	2 386 878	1 824 304	751 116	960 321	233 268	104 384	159 017	9 716 132
1996									
September	3 091 494	2 257 365	1 680 811	729 785	891 736	234 368	96 683	153 296	9 137 170
December	3 101 080	2 261 524	1 686 747	730 629	895 235	234 261	97 188	153 486	9 161 754
1997									
March	3 112 128	2 267 899	1 693 552	732 011	900 231	234 220	97 616	153 562	9 192 791
June	3 119 088	2 270 246	1 699 603	732 893	902 703	233 962	98 389	153 356	9 211 791
September	3 128 904	2 275 743	1 707 106	733 863	906 144	233 813	99 053	153 422	9 239 583
December	3 135 665	2 279 043	1 712 339	734 628	908 860	233 687	99 297	153 314	9 258 349
1998									
March	3 146 977	2 286 814	1 719 172	736 372	913 822	233 538	99 710	153 790	9 291 701
June	3 155 345	2 291 340	1 725 587	737 204	917 252	233 260	100 266	154 167	9 315 910
September	3 166 938	2 297 536	1 731 944	738 058	921 693	233 335	100 733	154 386	9 346 106
December	3 176 019	2 303 658	1 738 189	739 317	924 347	233 275	101 049	154 545	9 371 872
1999									
March	3 183 777	2 309 595	1 744 327	740 302	927 487	233 086	101 414	154 975	9 396 416
June	3 193 219	2 313 936	1 750 508	741 173	930 495	232 987	101 906	155 248	9 420 924
September	3 203 715	2 321 106	1 756 864	742 358	934 107	233 049	102 304	155 613	9 450 570
December	3 214 241	2 327 470	1 764 729	743 612	936 417	233 004	102 866	155 880	9 479 673
2000									
March	3 224 107	2 335 535	1 772 115	744 400	939 645	232 985	103 032	156 291	9 509 560
June	3 233 841	2 340 742	1 778 789	745 082	942 180	232 919	103 334	156 497	9 534 823
September	3 246 596	2 349 132	1 786 058	745 901	945 630	232 871	103 615	157 059	9 568 289
December	3 258 349	2 355 805	1 793 336	747 152	948 298	232 941	103 692	157 526	9 598 516
2001									
March	3 268 079	2 364 890	1 800 411	748 166	951 626	233 098	103 981	158 174	9 629 822
June	3 278 636	2 371 049	1 807 993	749 150	954 243	233 167	104 321	158 623	9 658 562
September	3 288 720	2 379 712	1 815 842	750 047	957 363	233 090	104 525	158 810	9 689 495
December	3 295 457	2 386 878	1 824 304	751 116	960 321	233 268	104 384	159 017	9 716 132

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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									
1995–1996	3 123 684	2 307 506	1 665 650	745 104	877 679	240 141	86 175	155 298	9 202 659
1996–1997	3 167 133	2 332 183	1 697 585	748 939	893 935	239 864	88 997	156 121	9 326 071
1997–1998	3 205 532	2 358 474	1 728 553	753 625	909 575	239 206	90 616	156 827	9 443 670
1998–1999	3 245 422	2 386 766	1 758 063	758 031	923 918	239 033	92 249	158 514	9 563 233
1999–2000	3 286 335	2 418 292	1 791 483	761 720	937 714	239 164	94 067	160 493	9 690 508
2000–2001	3 330 668	2 451 614	1 827 128	765 704	951 871	239 764	95 698	163 057	9 826 716
1996	3 147 590	2 320 533	1 682 467	747 033	886 013	240 154	87 628	155 939	9 268 714
1997	3 185 221	2 344 412	1 713 164	751 084	900 957	239 488	89 741	156 098	9 381 438
1998	3 227 165	2 374 419	1 743 528	756 190	917 626	239 267	91 492	157 549	9 508 480
1999	3 267 119	2 403 392	1 775 030	760 674	931 289	239 292	93 131	159 341	9 630 508
2000	3 310 553	2 435 463	1 809 707	764 031	945 192	239 347	94 795	161 777	9 762 102
2001	3 347 422	2 467 255	1 846 155	767 758	958 484	239 984	95 484	163 621	9 887 370
1996									
September	3 135 995	2 314 239	1 674 832	746 007	882 057	240 229	86 943	155 651	9 237 338
December	3 147 590	2 320 533	1 682 467	747 033	886 013	240 154	87 628	155 939	9 268 714
1997									
March	3 159 201	2 328 609	1 690 424	748 343	891 124	240 127	88 161	156 194	9 303 518
June	3 167 133	2 332 183	1 697 585	748 939	893 935	239 864	88 997	156 121	9 326 071
September	3 177 045	2 338 738	1 706 331	750 213	897 812	239 699	89 391	156 018	9 356 538
December	3 185 221	2 344 412	1 713 164	751 084	900 957	239 488	89 741	156 098	9 381 438
1998									
March	3 196 467	2 352 909	1 720 747	752 678	905 946	239 403	90 184	156 414	9 416 019
June	3 205 532	2 358 474	1 728 553	753 625	909 575	239 206	90 616	156 827	9 443 670
September	3 217 598	2 365 889	1 736 299	754 607	914 306	239 176	91 045	157 022	9 477 197
December	3 227 165	2 374 419	1 743 528	756 190	917 626	239 267	91 492	157 549	9 508 480
1999									
March	3 236 041	2 381 151	1 750 393	757 285	920 654	239 070	91 902	157 935	9 535 671
June	3 245 422	2 386 766	1 758 063	758 031	923 918	239 033	92 249	158 514	9 563 233
September	3 255 910	2 394 788	1 765 876	759 311	928 620	239 124	92 679	158 906	9 596 453
December	3 267 119	2 403 392	1 775 030	760 674	931 289	239 292	93 131	159 341	9 630 508
2000									
March	3 276 747	2 412 145	1 783 510	761 292	934 886	239 251	93 455	160 078	9 662 607
June	3 286 335	2 418 292	1 791 483	761 720	937 714	239 164	94 067	160 493	9 690 508
September	3 298 360	2 427 303	1 800 450	762 679	941 973	239 208	94 504	161 024	9 726 739
December	3 310 553	2 435 463	1 809 707	764 031	945 192	239 347	94 795	161 777	9 762 102
2001									
March	3 320 545	2 444 503	1 818 259	764 911	948 764	239 599	95 199	162 400	9 795 409
June	3 330 668	2 451 614	1 827 128	765 704	951 871	239 764	95 698	163 057	9 826 716
September	3 339 920	2 459 680	1 836 589	766 549	955 469	239 650	95 711	163 251	9 858 027
December	3 347 422	2 467 255	1 846 155	767 758	958 484	239 984	95 484	163 621	9 887 370

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no.	no.	no.	no.	no.	no.	no.	no.	no.	no.
PERSONS									
1995–1996	6 204 728	4 560 155	3 338 690	1 474 253	1 765 256	474 443	181 843	308 251	18 310 714
1996–1997	6 286 221	4 602 429	3 397 188	1 481 832	1 796 638	473 826	187 386	309 477	18 537 862
1997–1998	6 360 877	4 649 814	3 454 140	1 490 829	1 826 827	472 466	190 882	310 994	18 759 580
1998–1999	6 438 641	4 700 702	3 508 571	1 499 204	1 854 413	472 020	194 155	313 762	18 984 157
1999–2000	6 520 176	4 759 034	3 570 272	1 506 802	1 879 894	472 083	197 401	316 990	19 225 331
2000–2001	6 609 304	4 822 663	3 635 121	1 514 854	1 906 114	472 931	200 019	321 680	19 485 278
1996	6 248 670	4 582 057	3 369 214	1 477 662	1 781 248	474 415	184 816	309 425	18 430 468
1997	6 320 886	4 623 455	3 425 503	1 485 712	1 809 817	473 175	189 038	309 412	18 639 787
1998	6 403 184	4 678 077	3 481 717	1 495 507	1 841 973	472 542	192 541	312 094	18 880 352
1999	6 481 360	4 730 862	3 539 759	1 504 286	1 867 706	472 296	195 997	315 221	19 110 181
2000	6 568 902	4 791 268	3 603 043	1 511 183	1 893 490	472 288	198 487	319 303	19 360 618
2001	6 642 879	4 854 133	3 670 459	1 518 874	1 918 805	473 252	199 868	322 638	19 603 502
1996									
September	6 227 489	4 571 604	3 355 643	1 475 792	1 773 793	474 597	183 626	308 947	18 374 508
December	6 248 670	4 582 057	3 369 214	1 477 662	1 781 248	474 415	184 816	309 425	18 430 468
1997									
March	6 271 329	4 596 508	3 383 976	1 480 354	1 791 355	474 347	185 777	309 756	18 496 309
June	6 286 221	4 602 429	3 397 188	1 481 832	1 796 638	473 826	187 386	309 477	18 537 862
September	6 305 949	4 614 481	3 413 437	1 484 076	1 803 956	473 512	188 444	309 440	18 596 121
December	6 320 886	4 623 455	3 425 503	1 485 712	1 809 817	473 175	189 038	309 412	18 639 787
1998									
March	6 343 444	4 639 723	3 439 919	1 489 050	1 819 768	472 941	189 894	310 204	18 707 720
June	6 360 877	4 649 814	3 454 140	1 490 829	1 826 827	472 466	190 882	310 994	18 759 580
September	6 384 536	4 663 425	3 468 243	1 492 665	1 835 999	472 511	191 778	311 408	18 823 303
December	6 403 184	4 678 077	3 481 717	1 495 507	1 841 973	472 542	192 541	312 094	18 880 352
1999									
March	6 419 818	4 690 746	3 494 720	1 497 587	1 848 141	472 156	193 316	312 910	18 932 087
June	6 438 641	4 700 702	3 508 571	1 499 204	1 854 413	472 020	194 155	313 762	18 984 157
September	6 459 625	4 715 894	3 522 740	1 501 669	1 862 727	472 173	194 983	314 519	19 047 023
December	6 481 360	4 730 862	3 539 759	1 504 286	1 867 706	472 296	195 997	315 221	19 110 181
2000									
March	6 500 854	4 747 680	3 555 625	1 505 692	1 874 531	472 236	196 487	316 369	19 172 167
June	6 520 176	4 759 034	3 570 272	1 506 802	1 879 894	472 083	197 401	316 990	19 225 331
September	6 544 956	4 776 435	3 586 508	1 508 580	1 887 603	472 079	198 119	318 083	19 295 028
December	6 568 902	4 791 268	3 603 043	1 511 183	1 893 490	472 288	198 487	319 303	19 360 618
2001									
March	6 588 624	4 809 393	3 618 670	1 513 077	1 900 390	472 697	199 180	320 574	19 425 231
June	6 609 304	4 822 663	3 635 121	1 514 854	1 906 114	472 931	200 019	321 680	19 485 278
September	6 628 640	4 839 392	3 652 431	1 516 596	1 912 832	472 740	200 236	322 061	19 547 522
December	6 642 879	4 854 133	3 670 459	1 518 874	1 918 805	473 252	199 868	322 638	19 603 502

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ESTIMATED RESIDENT POPULATION, Major Population Centres(a)—at 30 June

	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001
	<i>no.</i>	<i>no.</i>	<i>no.</i>	<i>no.</i>	<i>no.</i>	<i>no.</i>
CAPITAL CITY STATISTICAL DIVISIONS						
Sydney	3 881 136	3 933 724	3 981 641	4 031 944	4 084 971	4 140 820
Melbourne	3 283 278	3 321 788	3 367 005	3 413 894	3 466 707	3 521 957
Brisbane	1 519 991	1 546 244	1 573 304	1 598 916	1 627 076	1 656 731
Adelaide	1 078 437	1 082 439	1 087 710	1 092 369	1 095 924	1 100 107
Perth	1 295 092	1 318 781	1 340 261	1 361 675	1 380 982	1 400 507
Hobart	195 718	195 468	194 896	194 389	194 197	194 388
Darwin	95 829	99 014	101 456	103 452	105 593	107 422
Canberra	307 917	307 681	307 732	308 973	310 675	313 854

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Newcastle (b)	463 388	468 743	473 301	478 189	483 219	487 843
Gold Coast-Tweed (b)	354 110	367 299	378 892	390 592	404 385	417 454
Canberra-Queanbeyan (b)	345 061	345 354	345 761	347 612	350 275	354 925
Wollongong (b)	255 744	257 995	259 730	262 032	264 335	266 666
Sunshine Coast (b)	156 407	162 020	167 648	172 658	178 038	183 011
Geelong (b)	152 245	153 022	153 952	155 990	157 961	159 764
Townsville (b)	122 415	123 328	124 776	126 976	130 015	132 538
Cairns (b)	106 694	109 404	111 823	113 778	115 647	116 789
Launceston (b)	98 829	98 668	98 313	98 273	98 326	98 437
Albury-Wodonga (b)	92 668	93 235	94 104	94 120	94 788	95 637
Toowoomba City (c)	86 569	86 605	86 896	87 100	87 656	88 284
Ballarat (b)	79 109	79 605	80 228	80 987	81 997	82 698
Bendigo (b)	74 192	74 959	75 761	76 498	77 200	78 140
Burnie-Devonport (b)	79 175	78 942	78 574	78 237	78 077	77 880
Bathurst-Orange (b)	71 638	72 106	72 933	73 641	74 146	74 903
La Trobe Valley (b)	75 467	75 372	75 060	74 296	73 454	72 943
Mackay (b)	61 078	62 379	63 495	64 815	66 250	67 689
Hastings (d)	57 228	58 228	59 845	61 155	62 856	63 835
Rockhampton (b)	64 518	64 412	64 383	64 244	63 951	63 746
Coffs Harbour (d)	57 283	58 279	59 140	59 608	60 454	60 898
Bundaberg (b)	54 051	54 754	55 219	55 694	56 316	56 856
Wagga Wagga (d)	56 080	56 174	56 494	56 172	55 697	55 362
Mildura (b)	41 130	41 821	42 647	43 406	44 150	44 895
Greater Taree (d)	43 546	43 519	43 671	44 046	44 077	44 297
Shepparton (b)	41 139	41 444	41 857	42 308	43 299	43 910
Lismore (d)	43 551	43 478	43 479	43 199	42 998	42 849
Gladstone (b)	37 347	38 004	38 604	39 039	39 571	40 233
Dubbo (d)	36 533	36 717	36 983	37 396	37 806	37 998
Tamworth (d)	35 580	35 227	35 281	35 796	35 679	35 570
Kalgoorlie/Boulder (d)	29 587	30 483	31 352	31 880	32 039	32 122

(a) Based on the 1996 Census and 2001
Statistical Local Area boundaries.

(b) Statistical District boundaries.

(c) Statistical Subdivision.

(d) Local Government Area.

ESTIMATED RESIDENT POPULATION, Age Groups—at 30 June 2001

Age group (years)	New South Wales	Victoria	Queensland	South Australia	Western Australia	Tasmania	Northern Territory	Australian Capital Territory	Australia(a)
MALES									
0-4	226 505	159 251	128 052	47 164	65 502	16 072	8 973	10 688	662 323
5-9	233 796	167 755	135 593	51 103	69 426	17 261	9 155	11 258	695 483
10-14	232 342	166 663	134 540	51 872	71 857	17 681	8 438	11 535	695 062
15-19	231 813	167 527	135 070	53 192	72 238	17 373	7 806	12 843	697 949
20-24	220 105	164 484	124 123	49 020	67 051	14 176	8 528	13 336	660 891
25-29	239 502	174 191	129 913	50 848	69 478	14 116	9 583	12 961	700 677
30-34	246 353	185 260	132 866	55 175	73 449	15 594	9 495	12 742	731 042
35-39	254 830	183 842	134 580	57 133	74 191	16 783	9 003	12 366	742 851
40-44	249 918	180 486	135 444	57 796	73 834	17 999	8 093	12 044	735 721
45-49	228 249	165 792	126 325	53 556	69 143	16 955	7 209	11 517	678 877
50-54	219 912	157 366	123 776	52 324	65 954	16 435	6 580	11 537	654 001
55-59	174 710	123 894	98 290	40 836	49 304	13 092	4 477	8 074	512 734
60-64	141 771	101 448	77 536	33 156	39 037	10 977	3 036	5 569	412 585
65-69	116 842	83 831	60 832	28 067	30 337	8 948	1 666	4 078	334 631
70-74	107 366	77 404	53 542	27 100	26 644	8 069	1 182	3 399	304 714
75-79	80 835	58 088	40 107	20 948	19 339	6 115	612	2 584	228 632
80-84	45 713	32 198	23 032	12 173	10 375	3 329	249	1 349	128 427
85 and over	28 074	21 569	14 372	7 687	7 084	2 192	236	743	81 962
All ages	3 278 636	2 371 049	1 807 993	749 150	954 243	233 167	104 321	158 623	9 658 562
FEMALES									
0-4	214 598	151 621	121 174	45 274	62 290	15 252	8 481	10 398	629 201
5-9	221 872	159 429	128 067	48 501	65 688	16 355	8 477	10 897	659 423
10-14	221 546	159 889	127 245	48 641	68 048	16 753	7 808	11 124	661 188
15-19	219 760	161 833	128 866	50 606	68 406	16 626	7 274	12 077	665 511
20-24	213 074	161 160	122 878	46 364	63 901	14 022	7 770	13 159	642 395
25-29	241 625	178 340	132 355	49 258	68 097	14 712	9 217	13 165	706 850
30-34	250 587	192 808	137 068	54 051	72 651	16 390	9 226	13 023	745 896
35-39	254 729	189 292	140 507	57 121	74 598	17 620	8 340	12 988	755 320
40-44	251 962	185 513	139 361	58 361	74 495	18 511	7 537	12 925	748 777
45-49	229 706	170 233	127 791	54 625	69 893	17 135	6 662	12 429	688 587
50-54	215 952	161 091	121 581	53 036	63 430	16 285	5 587	11 838	648 856
55-59	170 426	123 927	94 343	41 226	46 340	12 850	3 513	8 008	500 681
60-64	142 212	103 617	74 689	34 149	38 155	11 007	2 196	5 702	411 761
65-69	122 143	89 516	60 351	29 671	31 287	9 250	1 342	4 292	347 871
70-74	118 823	86 671	57 079	30 112	28 389	8 706	946	3 757	334 492
75-79	104 330	76 237	49 084	27 739	23 813	7 823	609	3 344	292 980
80-84	72 696	51 876	34 411	19 255	16 339	5 561	408	2 150	202 701
85 and over	64 627	48 561	30 278	17 714	16 051	4 906	305	1 781	184 226
All ages	3 330 668	2 451 614	1 827 128	765 704	951 871	239 764	95 698	163 057	9 826 716

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ESTIMATED RESIDENT POPULATION, Age Groups—at 30 June 2001 *continued*

Age group (years)	New South Wales	Victoria	Queensland	South Australia	Western Australia	Tasmania	Northern Territory	Australian Capital Territory	Australia(a)
PERSONS									
0-4	441 103	310 872	249 226	92 438	127 792	31 324	17 454	21 086	1 291 524
5-9	455 668	327 184	263 660	99 604	135 114	33 616	17 632	22 155	1 354 906
10-14	453 888	326 552	261 785	100 513	139 905	34 434	16 246	22 659	1 356 250
15-19	451 573	329 360	263 936	103 798	140 644	33 999	15 080	24 920	1 363 460
20-24	433 179	325 644	247 001	95 384	130 952	28 198	16 298	26 495	1 303 286
25-29	481 127	352 531	262 268	100 106	137 575	28 828	18 800	26 126	1 407 527
30-34	496 940	378 068	269 934	109 226	146 100	31 984	18 721	25 765	1 476 938
35-39	509 559	373 134	275 087	114 254	148 789	34 403	17 343	25 354	1 498 171
40-44	501 880	365 999	274 805	116 157	148 329	36 510	15 630	24 969	1 484 498
45-49	457 955	336 025	254 116	108 181	139 036	34 090	13 871	23 946	1 367 464
50-54	435 864	318 457	245 357	105 360	129 384	32 720	12 167	23 375	1 302 857
55-59	345 136	247 821	192 633	82 062	95 644	25 942	7 990	16 082	1 013 415
60-64	283 983	205 065	152 225	67 305	77 192	21 984	5 232	11 271	824 346
65-69	238 985	173 347	121 183	57 738	61 624	18 198	3 008	8 370	682 502
70-74	226 189	164 075	110 621	57 212	55 033	16 775	2 128	7 156	639 206
75-79	185 165	134 325	89 191	48 687	43 152	13 938	1 221	5 928	521 612
80-84	118 409	84 074	57 443	31 428	26 714	8 890	657	3 499	331 128
85 and over	92 701	70 130	44 650	25 401	23 135	7 098	541	2 524	266 188
All ages	6 609 304	4 822 663	3 635 121	1 514 854	1 906 114	472 931	200 019	321 680	19 485 278

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

Age group (years)	PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL POPULATION.....									
	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001
	no.	no.	no.	no.	no.	%	%	%	%	%
MALES										
0-4	666 018	663 745	660 983	658 577	662 323	3.59	3.54	3.48	3.43	3.40
5-9	676 164	683 051	689 409	693 952	695 483	3.65	3.64	3.63	3.61	3.57
10-14	673 297	676 420	681 235	687 909	695 062	3.63	3.61	3.59	3.58	3.57
15-19	656 072	662 622	671 839	685 052	697 949	3.54	3.53	3.54	3.56	3.58
20-24	688 974	672 934	660 137	655 421	660 891	3.72	3.59	3.48	3.41	3.39
25-29	727 034	733 819	732 082	723 620	700 677	3.92	3.91	3.86	3.76	3.60
30-34	711 433	704 915	704 518	712 239	731 042	3.84	3.76	3.71	3.70	3.75
35-39	737 898	747 291	751 975	749 984	742 851	3.98	3.98	3.96	3.90	3.81
40-44	687 220	696 248	707 868	721 469	735 721	3.71	3.71	3.73	3.75	3.78
45-49	650 942	656 787	664 622	670 510	678 877	3.51	3.50	3.50	3.49	3.48
50-54	557 959	592 349	614 757	635 503	654 001	3.01	3.16	3.24	3.31	3.36
55-59	434 526	449 012	468 982	490 124	512 734	2.34	2.39	2.47	2.55	2.63
60-64	361 546	371 849	384 553	400 204	412 585	1.95	1.98	2.03	2.08	2.12
65-69	337 949	336 283	334 644	332 831	334 631	1.82	1.79	1.76	1.73	1.72
70-74	282 362	289 270	296 140	301 533	304 714	1.52	1.54	1.56	1.57	1.56
75-79	190 041	200 786	212 337	220 207	228 632	1.03	1.07	1.12	1.15	1.17
80-84	108 635	110 728	112 785	119 307	128 427	0.59	0.59	0.59	0.62	0.66
85 and over	63 721	67 801	72 058	76 381	81 962	0.34	0.36	0.38	0.40	0.42
All ages	9 211 791	9 315 910	9 420 924	9 534 823	9 658 562	49.69	49.66	49.63	49.60	49.57
FEMALES										
0-4	631 398	628 862	627 210	625 513	629 201	3.41	3.35	3.30	3.25	3.23
5-9	642 912	649 391	654 412	658 603	659 423	3.47	3.46	3.45	3.43	3.38
10-14	641 464	644 384	648 964	654 173	661 188	3.46	3.43	3.42	3.40	3.39
15-19	624 743	630 945	640 411	654 326	665 511	3.37	3.36	3.37	3.40	3.42
20-24	670 113	653 827	641 561	636 601	642 395	3.61	3.49	3.38	3.31	3.30
25-29	727 308	736 801	735 739	729 045	706 850	3.92	3.93	3.88	3.79	3.63
30-34	717 261	712 941	715 723	724 530	745 896	3.87	3.80	3.77	3.77	3.83
35-39	743 662	754 649	761 005	760 389	755 320	4.01	4.02	4.01	3.96	3.88
40-44	692 955	705 005	717 967	733 101	748 777	3.74	3.76	3.78	3.81	3.84
45-49	643 011	654 883	667 606	677 957	688 587	3.47	3.49	3.52	3.53	3.53
50-54	538 086	574 055	599 375	624 483	648 856	2.90	3.06	3.16	3.25	3.33
55-59	422 185	435 751	456 165	478 070	500 681	2.28	2.32	2.40	2.49	2.57
60-64	364 119	373 667	386 244	399 853	411 761	1.96	1.99	2.03	2.08	2.11
65-69	352 326	349 243	346 612	346 203	347 871	1.90	1.86	1.83	1.80	1.79
70-74	328 932	331 581	333 844	334 004	334 492	1.77	1.77	1.76	1.74	1.72
75-79	256 644	269 203	281 501	288 804	292 980	1.38	1.44	1.48	1.50	1.50
80-84	179 942	182 400	183 795	191 006	202 701	0.97	0.97	0.97	0.99	1.04
85 and over	149 010	156 082	165 099	173 847	184 226	0.80	0.83	0.87	0.90	0.95
All ages	9 326 071	9 443 670	9 563 233	9 690 508	9 826 716	50.31	50.34	50.37	50.40	50.43

(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.....									
	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001
	no.	no.	no.	no.	no.	%	%	%	%	%
PERSONS										
0-4	1 297 416	1 292 607	1 288 193	1 284 090	1 291 524	7.00	6.89	6.79	6.68	6.63
5-9	1 319 076	1 332 442	1 343 821	1 352 555	1 354 906	7.12	7.10	7.08	7.04	6.95
10-14	1 314 761	1 320 804	1 330 199	1 342 082	1 356 250	7.09	7.04	7.01	6.98	6.96
15-19	1 280 815	1 293 567	1 312 250	1 339 378	1 363 460	6.91	6.90	6.91	6.97	7.00
20-24	1 359 087	1 326 761	1 301 698	1 292 022	1 303 286	7.33	7.07	6.86	6.72	6.69
25-29	1 454 342	1 470 620	1 467 821	1 452 665	1 407 527	7.85	7.84	7.73	7.56	7.22
30-34	1 428 694	1 417 856	1 420 241	1 436 769	1 476 938	7.71	7.56	7.48	7.47	7.58
35-39	1 481 560	1 501 940	1 512 980	1 510 373	1 498 171	7.99	8.01	7.97	7.86	7.69
40-44	1 380 175	1 401 253	1 425 835	1 454 570	1 484 498	7.45	7.47	7.51	7.57	7.62
45-49	1 293 953	1 311 670	1 332 228	1 348 467	1 367 464	6.98	6.99	7.02	7.01	7.02
50-54	1 096 045	1 166 404	1 214 132	1 259 986	1 302 857	5.91	6.22	6.40	6.55	6.69
55-59	856 711	884 763	925 147	968 194	1 013 415	4.62	4.72	4.87	5.04	5.20
60-64	725 665	745 516	770 797	800 057	824 346	3.91	3.97	4.06	4.16	4.23
65-69	690 275	685 526	681 256	679 034	682 502	3.72	3.65	3.59	3.53	3.50
70-74	611 294	620 851	629 984	635 537	639 206	3.30	3.31	3.32	3.31	3.28
75-79	446 685	469 989	493 838	509 011	521 612	2.41	2.51	2.60	2.65	2.68
80-84	288 577	293 128	296 580	310 313	331 128	1.56	1.56	1.56	1.61	1.70
85 and over	212 731	223 883	237 157	250 228	266 188	1.15	1.19	1.25	1.30	1.37
All ages	18 537 862	18 759 580	18 984 157	19 225 331	19 485 278	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					
1996	2 426 008	4 088 018	173 546	415 394	7 102 966
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.
FEMALES					
1996	1 956 858	4 073 644	745 527	520 404	7 296 433
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.
PERSONS					
1996	4 382 866	8 161 662	919 073	935 798	14 399 399
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.

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

(b) Based on 1996 Census data.

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

	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001
	<i>no.</i>	<i>no.</i>	<i>no.</i>	<i>no.</i>	<i>no.</i>	<i>no.</i>
MAJOR GROUPS						
Oceania and Antarctica	14 461 967	14 633 532	14 802 327	14 979 648	15 121 874	n.y.a.
Europe and the former USSR	2 415 924	2 430 329	2 417 406	2 403 070	2 403 679	n.y.a.
Middle East and North Africa	211 854	213 956	218 893	224 456	229 810	n.y.a.
Southeast Asia	497 811	510 681	531 570	543 563	564 754	n.y.a.
Northeast Asia	280 051	274 266	278 884	290 679	313 052	n.y.a.
Southern Asia	159 643	170 270	177 663	189 306	199 984	n.y.a.
The Americas	165 089	167 679	174 494	168 972	176 661	n.y.a.
Africa (excluding North Africa)	118 375	123 442	129 122	137 472	147 223	n.y.a.
Total	18 310 714	18 524 155	18 730 359	18 937 166	19 157 037	n.y.a.
SELECTED COUNTRIES OF BIRTH						
Australia	14 052 061	14 212 498	14 364 044	14 518 164	14 639 770	n.y.a.
Canada	27 426	28 559	29 654	27 323	28 969	n.y.a.
Chile	26 217	25 804	26 110	25 335	25 362	n.y.a.
China	121 145	135 345	149 101	159 421	168 071	n.y.a.
Egypt	37 639	37 955	37 396	37 766	37 730	n.y.a.
Fiji	40 487	40 518	38 889	38 801	40 312	n.y.a.
Former USSR and Baltic States	54 116	54 272	55 344	54 992	54 920	n.y.a.
Former Yugoslav Republics(b)	193 775	198 080	203 488	207 628	209 955	n.y.a.
Germany	120 753	121 214	122 690	119 941	120 176	n.y.a.
Greece	141 750	141 962	140 955	142 211	141 238	n.y.a.
Hong Kong & Macao	79 224	58 456	55 256	50 800	56 283	n.y.a.
India	84 770	90 374	95 259	103 932	110 190	n.y.a.
Indonesia	47 736	47 839	56 798	61 851	67 553	n.y.a.
Ireland	55 925	59 506	55 684	55 209	55 824	n.y.a.
Italy	259 125	254 379	247 519	245 159	241 749	n.y.a.
Lebanon	77 293	76 151	77 155	78 901	79 851	n.y.a.
Malaysia	85 021	86 465	89 527	92 347	97 632	n.y.a.
Malta	55 628	55 342	55 976	55 408	54 937	n.y.a.
Netherlands	95 339	95 531	92 756	90 826	90 632	n.y.a.
New Zealand	315 054	327 323	342 705	356 961	374 892	n.y.a.
Philippines	102 675	109 879	114 304	120 816	123 035	n.y.a.
Poland	70 891	71 156	70 639	69 521	68 306	n.y.a.
Singapore	31 393	30 740	28 772	25 141	30 713	n.y.a.
South Africa	61 371	65 095	68 406	73 077	80 074	n.y.a.
Sri Lanka	51 960	54 115	55 240	54 800	56 048	n.y.a.
Turkey	31 904	31 656	31 428	31 108	31 569	n.y.a.
United Kingdom	1 164 088	1 173 031	1 168 986	1 159 783	1 160 039	n.y.a.
United States of America	54 296	56 385	62 126	59 669	65 034	n.y.a.
Viet Nam	164 164	167 325	173 549	173 567	174 449	n.y.a.

(a) Based on 1996 Census data.

(b) See Former Yugoslav Republics in Glossary.

	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

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

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

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) 1996 Census based. Estimates and the low projections series assume no change in the propensity to identify as Indigenous, as recorded on 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									
1995-1996	84 816	61 324	46 555	18 839	24 614	6 377	3 596	4 275	250 438
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	86 290	58 615	47 685	17 449	24 442	6 263	3 701	4 216	248 700
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	88 269	59 322	46 730	17 604	24 711	5 604	3 646	4 240	250 168
2001	83 298	59 245	47 691	17 277	24 007	6 420	3 825	3 957	245 759
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	22 735	14 633	12 498	4 360	6 103	1 405	879	1 065	63 688
December	22 973	15 520	10 404	4 319	6 298	1 376	842	1 079	62 821
2001									
March	19 616	13 609	12 404	4 549	5 800	1 775	1 034	1 116	59 910
June	20 966	14 853	12 379	4 221	6 241	1 707	946	956	62 281
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
TOTAL FERTILITY RATES									
1995-1996	1.794	1.714	1.815	1.725	1.807	1.850	2.225	1.633	1.777
1996-1997	1.837	1.704	1.828	1.716	1.795	1.840	2.178	1.636	1.789
1997-1998	1.787	1.670	1.797	1.703	1.778	1.763	2.199	1.591	1.753
1998-1999	1.793	1.639	1.790	1.723	1.806	1.953	2.150	1.626	1.755
1999-2000	1.790	1.645	1.792	1.697	1.784	1.816	2.155	1.597	1.748
2000-2001	1.792	1.609	1.796	1.674	1.751	1.995	2.190	1.620	1.741

(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									
1995-1996	44 464	32 827	21 265	11 339	10 661	3 856	767	1 213	126 400
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	45 655	32 013	22 756	11 814	10 499	3 895	897	1 372	128 906
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	46 247	33 203	22 279	11 717	10 627	3 730	896	1 324	130 029
2001	44 641	32 365	22 857	11 745	10 780	3 872	873	1 420	128 557
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	13 544	8 403	6 348	3 239	2 795	954	242	366	35 894
December	11 367	9 356	5 136	2 829	2 645	1 012	215	341	32 901
2001									
March	10 273	6 870	5 762	2 809	2 448	968	200	340	29 671
June	10 471	7 384	5 510	2 937	2 611	961	240	325	30 440
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
STANDARDISED DEATH RATES(b)									
1995-1996	6.33	6.31	6.20	6.15	6.16	7.11	8.37	5.61	6.30
1996-1997	6.17	6.09	6.18	6.13	5.90	6.84	9.32	5.64	6.15
1997-1998	6.13	5.90	6.10	6.02	5.94	6.62	8.65	5.52	6.06
1998-1999	5.88	5.79	5.89	5.84	5.65	6.23	7.76	5.14	5.85
1999-2000	5.66	5.46	5.73	5.61	5.58	6.23	8.76	5.14	5.64
2000-2001	5.51	5.25	5.50	5.54	5.07	6.30	8.24	4.92	5.44

(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									
1995-1996	499	325	301	93	140	36	47	27	1 468
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	453	257	291	76	118	32	39	18	1 284
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	439	281	277	76	114	28	38	23	1 276
2001	443	290	278	77	120	32	41	13	1 294
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	108	63	73	20	22	6	12	3	307
December	122	68	68	16	36	8	7	8	333
2001									
March	107	51	65	22	32	9	7	—	295
June	116	75	85	18	28	9	13	5	349
September	90	80	61	20	31	11	10	—	305
December	130	84	67	17	29	3	11	4	345
INFANT MORTALITY RATES									
1995-1996	5.88	5.30	6.47	4.94	5.69	5.65	13.07	6.32	5.86
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	5.25	4.38	6.10	4.36	4.83	5.11	10.54	4.27	5.16

(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									
1995-1996	37 361	26 117	20 876	8 211	10 178	2 753	811	1 793	108 100
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	39 335	25 703	21 168	7 689	10 259	2 448	791	1 678	109 071
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	36 110	24 938	20 296	7 434	9 770	2 184	771	1 573	103 076
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	8 049	4 657	2 175	2 592	791	104	549	29 596
June	8 117	5 687	4 881	1 719	2 470	711	195	318	24 098
September	6 384	3 613	4 918	1 096	1 262	346	306	213	18 138
December	10 930	7 589	5 840	2 444	3 446	336	166	493	31 244
CRUDE MARRIAGE RATES									
1995-1996	6.06	5.75	6.32	5.58	5.82	5.81	4.49	5.86	5.94
1996-1997	6.02	5.60	6.18	5.42	5.82	5.28	4.34	5.72	5.84
1997-1998	5.84	5.61	6.21	5.38	5.78	5.88	4.16	5.35	5.78
1998-1999	6.05	5.63	6.20	5.37	5.70	5.25	4.39	5.54	5.84
1999-2000	6.03	5.83	6.54	5.60	5.75	5.61	4.45	5.70	5.98
2000-2001	5.99	5.36	5.88	5.09	5.42	5.18	3.99	5.26	5.63

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									
1995-1996	15 974	12 002	10 837	4 236	5 195	1 568	444	1 623	51 879
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	5 132	1 290	455	1 642	51 270
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	5 352	1 441	447	1 684	55 333
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	1 193	275	108	358	11 540
June	3 759	3 423	3 210	1 161	1 259	381	122	434	13 749
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	387	109	423	14 907
CRUDE DIVORCE RATES									
1995-1996	2.59	2.64	3.28	2.88	2.97	3.31	2.46	(a)	2.85
1996-1997	2.51	2.85	3.31	2.95	2.77	2.85	2.56	(a)	2.86
1997-1998	2.23	2.58	3.24	2.77	2.82	2.75	2.22	(a)	2.66
1998-1999	2.40	2.69	3.40	2.80	2.94	2.83	2.25	(a)	2.79
1999-2000	2.39	2.71	3.03	2.79	2.85	3.04	2.30	(a)	2.71
2000-2001	2.27	2.61	3.14	2.69	2.71	2.73	2.29	(a)	2.65

(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		
1995-1996	99 139	28 670	70 469	163 578	124 386	39 192	-5 524	104 137
1996-1997	85 751	29 857	55 894	175 249	136 748	38 501	-7 317	87 079
1997-1998	77 327	31 985	45 342	188 114	154 294	33 820	7 192	86 354
1998-1999	84 143	35 181	48 962	187 802	140 281	47 521	-11 363	85 120
1999-2000	92 272	41 078	51 194	212 849	156 768	56 081	-8 219	99 056
2000-2001	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	109 729
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	-11 289	72 365
1998	81 065	33 433	47 632	187 318	146 169	41 149	14 319	103 100
1999	88 010	38 225	49 785	201 864	147 439	54 425	-15 858	88 352
2000	93 029	40 884	52 145	225 670	162 519	63 151	n.y.a.	(a)104 482
2001	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	110 478
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	5 082	28 024
December	18 922	7 199	11 723	43 943	41 622	2 321	-5 119	8 925
1998								
March	19 602	8 533	11 069	63 805	41 166	22 639	-1 988	31 720
June	19 577	8 915	10 662	34 477	36 671	-2 194	9 217	17 685
September	21 042	7 827	13 215	46 585	33 264	13 321	5 093	31 629
December	20 844	8 158	12 686	42 451	35 068	7 383	1 997	22 066
1999								
March	21 958	10 656	11 302	63 472	39 691	23 781	-20 984	14 099
June	20 299	8 540	11 759	35 294	32 258	3 036	2 531	17 326
September	23 018	9 685	13 333	52 235	35 854	16 381	-775	28 939
December	22 735	9 344	13 391	50 863	39 636	11 227	3 370	27 988
2000								
March	24 400	11 895	12 505	69 457	44 537	24 920	-13 726	23 699
June	22 119	10 154	11 965	40 294	36 741	3 553	2 912	18 430
September	23 568	9 736	13 832	58 504	38 041	20 463	n.y.a.	34 295
December	22 942	9 099	13 843	57 415	43 200	14 215	n.y.a.	28 058
2001								
March	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	26 770
June	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	20 606
September	22 833	11 632	11 201	65 926	41 477	24 449	n.y.a.	35 650
December	21 348	11 222	10 126	59 021	41 695	17 326	n.y.a.	27 452

(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.
1995-1996	99 139	79 206	84 372	262 717	2 569 343	3 966 161	6 798 221
1996-1997	85 751	80 170	95 079	261 000	2 786 044	4 252 654	7 299 698
1997-1998	77 327	84 358	103 756	265 441	3 020 097	4 220 005	7 505 543
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	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	5 061 334	n.y.a.
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	93 029	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	318 699	n.y.a.	4 946 161	n.y.a.
2001	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	4 870 966	n.y.a.
1996							
September	22 683	18 328	23 337	64 348	738 667	996 622	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	23 568	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	82 072	n.y.a.	1 203 787	n.y.a.
December	22 942	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	80 357	n.y.a.	1 462 209	n.y.a.
2001							
March	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	1 299 077	n.y.a.
June	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	1 096 267	n.y.a.
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

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.
1995-1996	13 313	15 357	28 670	70 253	54 133	153 056	2 624 359	3 910 129	6 687 544
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.	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	n.y.a.
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.	40 884	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	203 403	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	n.y.a.
2001	n.a.	n.a.	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	n.y.a.
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	727 235	1 069 581	1 841 161
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	973 994	1 757 054
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	1 903 109
1998									
March	3 627	4 906	8 533	24 535	16 631	49 699	650 772	1 112 926	1 813 398
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	1 943 330
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	2 013 068
December	n.a.	n.a.	9 344	17 552	22 084	48 980	815 610	1 169 851	2 034 442
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	2 067 311
September	n.a.	n.a.	9 736	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	47 777	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	n.y.a.
December	n.a.	n.a.	9 099	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	52 299	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	n.y.a.
2001									
March	n.a.	n.a.	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	n.y.a.
June	n.a.	n.a.	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	n.y.a.
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

PERMANENT (SETTLER) ARRIVALS, Country of Birth

QUARTER ENDED.....

	1999-2000	Sep 2001	Dec 2001
Country of birth	no.	no.	no.

MAJOR GROUPS

Oceania and Antarctica	26 039	4 669	4 441
Europe and the former USSR	18 796	4 366	4 469
Middle East and North Africa	6 031	1 572	1 421
Southeast Asia	11 269	3 774	3 669
Northeast Asia	11 341	2 930	2 218
Southern Asia	8 447	2 341	2 048
The Americas	2 419	747	663
Africa (excluding North Africa)	7 857	2 432	2 412
Other and not stated	73	2	7
Total	92 272	22 833	21 348

SELECTED COUNTRIES OF BIRTH

Australia	375	115	97
Canada	673	189	145
Chile	135	32	43
China	6 809	1 693	1 422
Egypt	360	97	119
Fiji	1 856	490	408
Former USSR and Baltic States	1 006	288	305
Former Yugoslav Republics(a)	4 362	862	1 033
Germany	781	167	184
Greece	101	25	25
Hong Kong & Macao	1 510	302	190
India	4 631	1 378	1 294
Indonesia	2 943	1 396	1 304
Malaysia	1 771	419	485
Malta	41	3	8
Netherlands	438	125	105
New Zealand	21 889	3 694	3 601
Philippines	3 186	689	524
Poland	222	67	59
Singapore	884	396	366
South Africa	5 691	1 578	1 419
Sri Lanka	1 280	403	448
Turkey	513	180	127
United Kingdom	9 201	2 090	2 138
United States of America	1 061	316	303
Viet Nam	1 502	441	470

(a) See Former Yugoslav Republics in Glossary.

PERMANENT DEPARTURES, Country of Birth

QUARTER ENDED.....

Country of birth	1999-2000	Sep 2001	Dec 2001
	no.	no.	no.

MAJOR GROUPS

Oceania and Antarctica	25 412	7 322	6 960
Europe and the former USSR	6 770	1 498	1 389
Middle East and North Africa	685	205	147
Southeast Asia	1 884	584	711
Northeast Asia	4 415	1 458	1 486
Southern Asia	368	85	125
The Americas	1 172	365	283
Africa (excluding North Africa)	368	113	120
Other and not stated	4	2	1
Total	41 078	11 632	11 222

SELECTED COUNTRIES OF BIRTH

Australia	20 234	5 839	5 210
Canada	307	84	73
Chile	79	21	25
China	1 802	637	692
Egypt	78	17	18
Fiji	119	38	34
Former USSR and Baltic States	65	15	14
Former Yugoslav Republics(a)	358	61	85
Germany	259	63	48
Greece	247	54	34
Hong Kong & Macao	1 620	512	431
India	229	45	70
Indonesia	445	165	219
Malaysia	315	112	94
Malta	76	14	25
Netherlands	163	49	35
New Zealand	4 526	1 342	1 537
Philippines	220	54	55
Poland	108	15	28
Singapore	180	53	55
South Africa	205	64	76
Sri Lanka	99	21	37
Turkey	83	13	13
United Kingdom	3 959	874	815
United States of America	604	215	133
Viet Nam	458	134	198

(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.
1995-1996	50 051	27 207	13 823	3 958	13 044	474	597	550	109 661
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	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	n.y.a.
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	47 942	29 717	17 186	3 867	14 804	381	954	452	115 296
2001	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	n.y.a.
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	14 327	8 974	4 555	924	4 930	67	348	170	34 295
December	11 947	6 427	4 517	1 660	2 953	286	266	2	28 058
2001									
March	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	n.y.a.
June	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	n.y.a.
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

(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.
1995-1996	19 820	14 296	-5 524
1996-1997	23 985	16 668	-7 317
1997-1998	18 878	26 070	7 192
1998-1999	38	-11 325	-11 363
1999-2000	1 735	-6 484	-8 219
2000-2001	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	n.y.a.
1996	10 459	4 833	-5 626
1997	36 750	25 461	-11 289
1998	5 126	19 445	14 319
1999	6 606	-9 252	-15 858
2000	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	n.y.a.
2001	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	n.y.a.
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	6 891	11 973	5 082
December	7 378	2 259	-5 119
1998			
March	2 523	535	-1 988
June	2 086	11 303	9 217
September	2 618	7 711	5 093
December	-2101	-104	1 997
1999			
March	5 315	-15 669	-20 984
June	-5 794	-3 263	2 531
September	7 905	7 130	-775
December	-820	2 550	3 370
2000			
March	1 218	-12 508	-13 726
June	-6 568	-3 656	2 912
September	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	n.y.a.
December	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	n.y.a.
2001			
March	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	n.y.a.
June	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	n.y.a.
September	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	n.y.a.
December	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	n.y.a.

INTERSTATE MIGRATION

STATE OR TERRITORY OF DEPARTURE.....

Period	New South Wales	Victoria	Queensland	South Australia	Western Australia	Tasmania	Northern Territory	Australian Capital Territory	Total
	no.	no.	no.	no.	no.	no.	no.	no.	no.
ARRIVALS IN NEW SOUTH WALES									
1995-1996	..	20 847	33 754	6 310	7 057	2 630	2 512	9 759	82 869
1996-1997	..	23 774	38 303	7 382	7 476	3 017	2 589	11 974	94 515
1997-1998	..	22 932	37 177	6 919	7 244	2 802	2 876	11 439	91 389
1998-1999	..	22 384	36 710	6 727	7 685	2 960	2 625	10 951	90 042
1999-2000	..	23 144	37 349	7 197	8 130	2 951	2 705	11 537	93 013
2000-2001	..	23 967	39 308	7 552	8 839	2 929	2 891	11 464	96 950
1996	..	22 719	38 024	7 119	7 885	2 941	2 895	11 045	92 628
1997	..	23 408	37 964	7 275	7 153	2 983	2 782	12 087	93 652
1998	..	22 685	37 150	6 744	7 520	2 814	2 789	11 076	90 778
1999	..	22 742	36 715	6 894	7 811	2 996	2 540	11 053	90 751
2000	..	23 677	38 818	7 613	8 775	2 965	2 858	11 637	96 343
2001	..	23 826	38 619	7 129	8 561	2 815	2 852	11 665	95 467
1996									
September	..	5 380	8 695	1 586	1 743	635	543	2 609	21 191
December	..	6 433	10 299	2 083	2 115	831	815	3 252	25 828
1997									
March	..	6 041	9 774	1 864	1 755	783	598	3 091	23 906
June	..	5 920	9 535	1 849	1 863	768	633	3 022	23 590
September	..	4 997	8 148	1 589	1 500	562	678	2 729	20 203
December	..	6 450	10 507	1 973	2 035	870	873	3 245	25 953
1998									
March	..	5 763	9 363	1 662	1 840	656	722	2 733	22 739
June	..	5 722	9 159	1 695	1 869	714	603	2 732	22 494
September	..	4 916	8 255	1 534	1 661	659	656	2 476	20 157
December	..	6 284	10 373	1 853	2 150	785	808	3 135	25 388
1999									
March	..	5 614	9 009	1 647	1 845	760	576	2 693	22 144
June	..	5 570	9 073	1 693	2 029	756	585	2 647	22 353
September	..	5 168	8 175	1 527	1 777	646	607	2 493	20 393
December	..	6 390	10 458	2 027	2 160	834	772	3 220	25 861
2000									
March	..	5 970	9 238	1 904	2 074	764	677	2 757	23 384
June	..	5 616	9 478	1 739	2 119	707	649	3 067	23 375
September	..	5 241	8 554	1 784	1 964	645	647	2 459	21 294
December	..	6 850	11 548	2 186	2 618	849	885	3 354	28 290
2001									
March	..	5 984	9 574	1 893	2 158	686	625	2 815	23 735
June	..	5 892	9 632	1 689	2 099	749	734	2 836	23 631
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

STATE OR TERRITORY OF DEPARTURE.....

Period	New South Wales	Victoria	Queensland	South Australia	Western Australia	Tasmania	Northern Territory	Australian Capital Territory	Total
	no.	no.	no.	no.	no.	no.	no.	no.	no.
ARRIVALS IN VICTORIA									
1995-1996	19 321	..	16 149	7 851	5 560	3 323	2 050	2 011	56 265
1996-1997	23 728	..	18 104	9 065	6 785	3 906	2 293	2 628	66 509
1997-1998	24 487	..	18 279	9 212	7 136	4 231	2 381	2 716	68 442
1998-1999	24 322	..	18 098	8 925	7 488	4 410	2 353	2 488	68 084
1999-2000	25 844	..	18 413	9 506	8 108	4 566	2 542	2 716	71 695
2000-2001	26 971	..	19 607	9 878	8 557	4 671	2 663	2 618	74 965
1996	21 933	..	18 476	8 601	6 457	3 650	2 430	2 565	64 112
1997	24 401	..	18 006	9 227	7 021	4 008	2 393	2 725	67 781
1998	24 290	..	18 233	8 939	7 433	4 410	2 325	2 554	68 184
1999	24 954	..	18 231	9 236	7 812	4 412	2 416	2 540	69 601
2000	26 574	..	18 841	9 769	8 253	4 770	2 780	2 743	73 730
2001	27 235	..	19 824	9 608	8 690	4 576	2 530	2 579	75 042
1996									
September	5 210	..	4 241	1 993	1 466	839	449	588	14 786
December	6 390	..	5 190	2 532	1 864	1 131	723	788	18 618
1997									
March	6 266	..	4 656	2 251	1 737	1 000	575	639	17 124
June	5 862	..	4 017	2 289	1 718	936	546	613	15 981
September	5 297	..	4 142	2 082	1 539	874	539	612	15 085
December	6 976	..	5 191	2 605	2 027	1 198	733	861	19 591
1998									
March	6 021	..	4 540	2 286	1 786	1 042	515	606	16 796
June	6 193	..	4 406	2 239	1 784	1 117	594	637	16 970
September	5 194	..	3 929	1 878	1 647	913	438	525	14 524
December	6 882	..	5 358	2 536	2 216	1 338	778	786	19 894
1999									
March	6 067	..	4 391	2 212	1 762	1 169	595	558	16 754
June	6 179	..	4 420	2 299	1 863	990	542	619	16 912
September	5 485	..	4 150	2 002	1 885	941	565	565	15 593
December	7 223	..	5 270	2 723	2 302	1 312	714	798	20 342
2000									
March	6 492	..	4 505	2 427	2 084	1 212	654	680	18 054
June	6 644	..	4 488	2 354	1 837	1 101	609	673	17 706
September	5 867	..	4 281	2 210	1 909	1 047	652	598	16 564
December	7 571	..	5 567	2 778	2 423	1 410	865	792	21 406
2001									
March	6 929	..	4 895	2 526	2 124	1 045	576	630	18 725
June	6 604	..	4 864	2 364	2 101	1 169	570	598	18 270
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

STATE OR TERRITORY OF DEPARTURE.....

Period	New South Wales	Victoria	Queensland	South Australia	Western Australia	Tasmania	Northern Territory	Australian Capital Territory	Total
	no.	no.	no.	no.	no.	no.	no.	no.	no.
ARRIVALS IN QUEENSLAND									
1995-1996	49 190	25 944	..	8 684	7 916	3 971	5 512	4 645	105 862
1996-1997	49 931	23 401	..	7 094	6 865	4 179	5 205	3 827	100 502
1997-1998	48 590	21 025	..	6 341	6 931	4 040	5 358	3 536	95 821
1998-1999	48 244	19 232	..	6 544	7 240	4 183	5 105	3 429	93 977
1999-2000	50 809	19 034	..	6 657	7 632	3 671	5 414	3 552	96 769
2000-2001	53 383	20 475	..	6 837	7 563	3 926	5 388	3 529	101 101
1996	52 909	26 182	..	8 287	7 686	4 135	5 790	4 548	109 537
1997	49 087	21 798	..	6 632	6 900	4 030	5 291	3 769	97 507
1998	47 685	19 850	..	6 294	6 943	4 234	5 205	3 477	93 688
1999	49 259	18 783	..	6 440	7 617	3 905	5 082	3 389	94 475
2000	52 464	20 193	..	6 992	7 689	3 820	5 576	3 718	100 452
2001	54 780	20 606	..	6 730	7 710	3 881	5 300	3 492	102 499
1996									
September	12 334	6 298	..	1 768	1 714	936	1 347	887	25 284
December	13 707	6 356	..	2 080	1 821	1 153	1 417	1 092	27 626
1997									
March	12 084	5 398	..	1 653	1 623	1 034	1 231	906	23 929
June	11 806	5 349	..	1 593	1 707	1 056	1 210	942	23 663
September	11 371	5 104	..	1 564	1 703	905	1 290	804	22 741
December	13 826	5 947	..	1 822	1 867	1 035	1 560	1 117	27 174
1998									
March	11 511	4 750	..	1 392	1 626	1 061	1 255	884	22 479
June	11 882	5 224	..	1 563	1 735	1 039	1 253	731	23 427
September	10 709	4 546	..	1 397	1 563	912	1 127	759	21 013
December	13 583	5 330	..	1 942	2 019	1 222	1 570	1 103	26 769
1999									
March	11 610	4 719	..	1 542	1 755	1 016	1 179	750	22 571
June	12 342	4 637	..	1 663	1 903	1 033	1 229	817	23 624
September	11 083	4 279	..	1 396	1 726	862	1 300	760	21 406
December	14 224	5 148	..	1 839	2 233	994	1 374	1 062	26 874
2000									
March	12 805	4 771	..	1 741	1 838	930	1 426	829	24 340
June	12 697	4 836	..	1 681	1 835	885	1 314	901	24 149
September	11 716	4 462	..	1 629	1 841	919	1 233	797	22 597
December	15 246	6 124	..	1 941	2 175	1 086	1 603	1 191	29 366
2001									
March	13 030	4 808	..	1 582	1 755	963	1 229	787	24 154
June	13 391	5 081	..	1 685	1 792	958	1 323	754	24 984
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

STATE OR TERRITORY OF DEPARTURE.....

Period	New South Wales	Victoria	Queensland	South Australia	Western Australia	Tasmania	Northern Territory	Australian Capital Territory	Total
	no.	no.	no.	no.	no.	no.	no.	no.	no.
ARRIVALS IN SOUTH AUSTRALIA									
1995-1996	5 947	7 015	5 414	..	2 957	848	2 898	754	25 833
1996-1997	7 010	7 811	5 575	..	3 180	1 001	3 339	790	28 706
1997-1998	6 695	7 615	5 412	..	3 175	1 069	3 349	769	28 084
1998-1999	6 728	7 462	5 315	..	3 221	1 024	3 433	733	27 916
1999-2000	6 390	7 419	5 117	..	3 241	1 010	3 105	732	27 014
2000-2001	6 902	7 649	5 281	..	3 284	1 066	3 217	747	28 146
1996	6 963	7 609	5 996	..	3 164	1 033	3 468	793	29 026
1997	6 918	7 766	5 478	..	3 295	979	3 347	795	28 578
1998	6 766	7 559	5 261	..	3 196	1 076	3 346	808	28 012
1999	6 486	7 528	5 276	..	3 204	991	3 300	715	27 500
2000	6 607	7 567	5 229	..	3 211	1 065	3 202	713	27 594
2001	7 161	7 729	5 449	..	3 330	973	3 007	738	28 387
1996									
September	1 511	1 666	1 281	..	657	212	787	156	6 270
December	1 981	2 135	1 591	..	879	308	988	241	8 123
1997									
March	1 768	1 950	1 380	..	877	211	822	199	7 207
June	1 750	2 060	1 323	..	767	270	742	194	7 106
September	1 541	1 666	1 254	..	702	251	808	175	6 397
December	1 859	2 090	1 521	..	949	247	975	227	7 868
1998									
March	1 692	1 905	1 351	..	738	283	755	213	6 937
June	1 603	1 954	1 286	..	786	288	811	154	6 882
September	1 558	1 671	1 198	..	742	231	761	199	6 360
December	1 913	2 029	1 426	..	930	274	1 019	242	7 833
1999									
March	1 623	1 900	1 293	..	772	263	810	132	6 793
June	1 634	1 862	1 398	..	777	256	843	160	6 930
September	1 346	1 677	1 202	..	784	190	758	193	6 150
December	1 883	2 089	1 383	..	871	282	889	230	7 627
2000									
March	1 605	1 696	1 239	..	754	280	757	146	6 477
June	1 556	1 957	1 293	..	832	258	701	163	6 760
September	1 501	1 749	1 228	..	736	242	723	173	6 352
December	1 945	2 165	1 469	..	889	285	1 021	231	8 005
2001									
March	1 663	1 731	1 260	..	870	263	770	187	6 744
June	1 793	2 004	1 324	..	789	276	703	156	7 045
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

INTERSTATE MIGRATION *continued*

STATE OR TERRITORY OF DEPARTURE.....

Period	New South Wales	Victoria	Queensland	South Australia	Western Australia	Tasmania	Northern Territory	Australian Capital Territory	Total
	no.	no.	no.	no.	no.	no.	no.	no.	no.
ARRIVALS IN WESTERN AUSTRALIA									
1995-1996	8 517	7 297	7 610	4 073	..	1 652	2 728	951	32 828
1996-1997	9 263	8 366	7 774	4 133	..	2 014	2 907	1 145	35 602
1997-1998	9 149	7 880	7 411	3 904	..	1 922	2 959	1 024	34 249
1998-1999	8 355	7 258	6 842	3 702	..	2 075	2 892	1 035	32 159
1999-2000	8 341	7 458	6 765	3 710	..	1 776	2 486	933	31 469
2000-2001	8 542	6 807	6 713	3 443	..	1 694	2 705	787	30 691
1996	9 345	8 312	8 338	4 299	..	1 944	3 059	1 103	36 400
1997	9 192	8 160	7 443	4 000	..	1 893	2 937	1 155	34 780
1998	8 870	7 581	7 309	3 877	..	2 044	3 006	969	33 656
1999	8 275	7 271	6 719	3 679	..	1 874	2 629	1 006	31 453
2000	8 548	7 227	6 765	3 627	..	1 777	2 640	881	31 465
2001	8 274	6 940	6 474	3 266	..	1 598	2 503	753	29 808
1996									
September	2 147	1 909	1 894	988	..	522	735	220	8 415
December	2 469	2 299	2 095	1 064	..	536	731	350	9 544
1997									
March	2 583	2 195	1 985	1 142	..	454	736	328	9 423
June	2 064	1 963	1 800	939	..	502	705	247	8 220
September	1 966	1 807	1 636	770	..	427	697	233	7 536
December	2 579	2 195	2 022	1 149	..	510	799	347	9 601
1998									
March	2 395	2 050	1 918	1 044	..	489	700	244	8 840
June	2 209	1 828	1 835	941	..	496	763	200	8 272
September	1 915	1 767	1 689	844	..	560	742	243	7 760
December	2 351	1 936	1 867	1 048	..	499	801	282	8 784
1999									
March	2 047	1 752	1 649	847	..	505	685	225	7 710
June	2 042	1 803	1 637	963	..	511	664	285	7 905
September	1 909	1 703	1 551	785	..	407	629	223	7 207
December	2 277	2 013	1 882	1 084	..	451	651	273	8 631
2000									
March	2 107	1 773	1 657	901	..	478	599	230	7 745
June	2 048	1 969	1 675	940	..	440	607	207	7 886
September	1 941	1 555	1 565	739	..	422	647	202	7 071
December	2 452	1 930	1 868	1 047	..	437	787	242	8 763
2001									
March	2 101	1 636	1 650	844	..	443	697	171	7 542
June	2 048	1 686	1 630	813	..	392	574	172	7 315
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

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<i>Period</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>
ARRIVALS IN TASMANIA									
1995-1996	2 090	2 828	2 624	967	1 460	..	327	235	10 531
1996-1997	2 595	2 844	2 852	947	1 415	..	324	271	11 248
1997-1998	2 392	2 913	2 568	868	1 530	..	350	269	10 890
1998-1999	2 811	3 085	2 867	880	1 644	..	260	286	11 833
1999-2000	2 745	3 045	2 691	925	1 707	..	377	307	11 797
2000-2001	2 994	3 275	2 914	966	1 687	..	367	328	12 531
1996	2 364	2 928	2 919	1 146	1 453	..	378	258	11 446
1997	2 449	2 830	2 623	910	1 488	..	310	268	10 878
1998	2 545	3 033	2 851	835	1 470	..	335	254	11 323
1999	2 787	3 057	2 713	887	1 772	..	296	320	11 832
2000	2 878	3 136	2 799	969	1 750	..	406	305	12 243
2001	3 040	3 322	2 930	993	1 563	..	356	312	12 516
1996									
September	577	596	697	248	325	..	95	67	2 605
December	760	872	789	231	398	..	77	86	3 213
1997									
March	617	728	710	238	374	..	77	67	2 811
June	641	648	656	230	318	..	75	51	2 619
September	521	599	512	196	344	..	67	63	2 302
December	670	855	745	246	452	..	91	87	3 146
1998									
March	581	724	626	225	387	..	106	57	2 706
June	620	735	685	201	347	..	86	62	2 736
September	649	747	662	182	297	..	53	52	2 642
December	695	827	878	227	439	..	90	83	3 239
1999									
March	704	758	705	241	441	..	51	73	2 973
June	763	753	622	230	467	..	66	78	2 979
September	590	674	574	177	391	..	66	93	2 565
December	730	872	812	239	473	..	113	76	3 315
2000									
March	736	735	719	256	486	..	97	54	3 083
June	689	764	586	253	357	..	101	84	2 834
September	555	706	699	195	387	..	71	78	2 691
December	898	931	795	265	520	..	137	89	3 635
2001									
March	792	827	754	270	361	..	69	70	3 143
June	749	811	666	236	419	..	90	91	3 062
September	645	792	679	211	365	..	81	58	2 831
December	854	892	831	276	418	..	116	93	3 480

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<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>
ARRIVALS IN NORTHERN TERRITORY									
1995-1996	2 896	2 846	4 546	3 116	2 692	296	..	558	16 950
1996-1997	3 225	2 864	5 187	3 836	2 890	381	..	513	18 896
1997-1998	3 089	2 715	4 549	3 244	2 743	423	..	510	17 273
1998-1999	3 224	2 379	4 358	3 086	2 300	439	..	458	16 244
1999-2000	3 008	2 413	4 740	2 846	2 412	434	..	421	16 274
2000-2001	3 039	2 519	4 677	2 672	2 433	380	..	362	16 082
1996	3 224	2 983	5 221	3 742	3 029	368	..	523	19 090
1997	3 094	2 812	4 955	3 470	2 820	388	..	547	18 086
1998	3 363	2 526	4 432	3 211	2 425	395	..	469	16 821
1999	2 960	2 381	4 523	2 816	2 393	489	..	426	15 988
2000	3 113	2 491	4 766	2 865	2 395	381	..	385	16 396
2001	2 678	2 417	4 258	2 398	2 413	368	..	376	14 908
1996									
September	773	741	1 287	983	698	95	..	123	4 700
December	931	776	1 377	1 062	845	116	..	155	5 262
1997									
March	712	624	1 147	860	650	76	..	108	4 177
June	809	723	1 376	931	697	94	..	127	4 757
September	729	666	1 163	790	599	89	..	104	4 140
December	844	799	1 269	889	874	129	..	208	5 012
1998									
March	790	618	1 029	761	581	99	..	73	3 951
June	726	632	1 088	804	689	106	..	125	4 170
September	809	534	986	768	519	93	..	115	3 824
December	1 038	742	1 329	878	636	97	..	156	4 876
1999									
March	693	577	1 083	768	521	103	..	87	3 832
June	684	526	960	672	624	146	..	100	3 712
September	709	548	1 005	632	583	123	..	102	3 702
December	874	730	1 475	744	665	117	..	137	4 742
2000									
March	678	580	1 101	759	572	104	..	100	3 894
June	747	555	1 159	711	592	90	..	82	3 936
September	695	562	1 048	621	626	79	..	76	3 707
December	993	794	1 458	774	605	108	..	127	4 859
2001									
March	702	520	1 097	613	570	106	..	84	3 692
June	649	643	1 074	664	632	87	..	75	3 824
September	587	523	968	508	573	73	..	113	3 345
December	740	731	1 119	613	638	102	..	104	4 047

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<i>Period</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>
ARRIVALS IN AUSTRALIAN CAPITAL TERRITORY									
1995-1996	9 678	2 289	3 150	1 024	1 120	401	595	..	18 257
1996-1997	10 738	2 136	2 528	877	802	411	449	..	17 941
1997-1998	10 530	2 156	2 458	850	764	369	439	..	17 566
1998-1999	10 673	2 309	2 554	921	806	411	493	..	18 167
1999-2000	11 462	2 469	2 682	946	923	361	516	..	19 359
2000-2001	11 856	2 348	2 947	1 032	1 039	424	515	..	20 161
1996	10 931	2 593	3 465	1 116	1 043	469	592	..	20 209
1997	10 535	2 154	2 334	816	811	336	449	..	17 435
1998	10 502	2 102	2 478	836	795	430	468	..	17 611
1999	11 212	2 491	2 713	985	834	356	508	..	19 099
2000	11 736	2 366	2 775	979	942	384	575	..	19 757
2001	11 331	2 484	2 950	962	1 096	484	526	..	19 833
1996									
September	2 348	458	649	212	168	93	90	..	4 018
December	3 185	685	800	292	209	152	135	..	5 458
1997									
March	2 728	495	576	236	222	76	132	..	4 465
June	2 477	498	503	137	203	90	92	..	4 000
September	2 212	455	488	161	142	56	115	..	3 629
December	3 118	706	767	282	244	114	110	..	5 341
1998									
March	2 495	510	598	158	196	112	94	..	4 163
June	2 705	485	605	249	182	87	120	..	4 433
September	2 271	452	535	179	155	103	93	..	3 788
December	3 031	655	740	250	262	128	161	..	5 227
1999									
March	2 618	550	625	218	183	108	102	..	4 404
June	2 753	652	654	274	206	72	137	..	4 748
September	2 533	529	572	231	168	71	134	..	4 238
December	3 308	760	862	262	277	105	135	..	5 709
2000									
March	2 870	626	609	224	237	91	147	..	4 804
June	2 751	554	639	229	241	94	100	..	4 608
September	2 536	453	649	204	176	79	124	..	4 221
December	3 579	733	878	322	288	120	204	..	6 124
2001									
March	2 804	558	714	280	276	134	117	..	4 883
June	2 937	604	706	226	299	91	70	..	4 933
September	2 445	549	592	182	211	81	139	..	4 199
December	3 145	773	938	274	310	178	200	..	5 818

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Period	New South Wales	Victoria	Queensland	South Australia	Western Australia	Tasmania	Northern Territory	Australian Capital Territory	Total
	no.	no.	no.	no.	no.	no.	no.	no.	no.
TOTAL									
1995-1996	97 639	69 066	73 247	32 025	28 762	13 121	16 622	18 913	349 395
1996-1997	106 490	71 196	80 323	33 334	29 413	14 909	17 106	21 148	373 919
1997-1998	104 932	67 236	77 854	31 338	29 523	14 856	17 712	20 263	363 714
1998-1999	104 357	64 109	76 744	30 785	30 384	15 502	17 161	19 380	358 422
1999-2000	108 599	64 982	77 757	31 787	32 153	14 769	17 145	20 198	367 390
2000-2001	113 687	67 040	81 447	32 380	33 402	15 090	17 746	19 835	380 627
1996	107 669	73 326	82 439	34 310	30 717	14 540	18 612	20 835	382 448
1997	105 676	68 928	78 803	32 330	29 488	14 617	17 509	21 346	368 697
1998	104 021	65 336	77 714	30 736	29 782	15 403	17 474	19 607	360 073
1999	105 933	64 253	76 890	30 937	31 443	15 023	16 771	19 449	360 699
2000	111 920	66 657	79 993	32 814	33 015	15 162	18 037	20 382	377 980
2001	114 499	67 324	80 504	31 086	33 363	14 695	17 074	19 915	378 460
1996									
September	24 900	17 048	18 744	7 778	6 771	3 332	4 046	4 650	87 269
December	29 423	19 556	22 141	9 344	8 131	4 227	4 886	5 964	103 672
1997									
March	26 758	17 431	20 228	8 244	7 238	3 634	4 171	5 338	93 042
June	25 409	17 161	19 210	7 968	7 273	3 716	4 003	5 196	89 936
September	23 637	15 294	17 343	7 152	6 529	3 164	4 194	4 720	82 033
December	29 872	19 042	22 022	8 966	8 448	4 103	5 141	6 092	103 686
1998									
March	25 485	16 320	19 425	7 528	7 154	3 742	4 147	4 810	88 611
June	25 938	16 580	19 064	7 692	7 392	3 847	4 230	4 641	89 384
September	23 105	14 633	17 254	6 782	6 584	3 471	3 870	4 369	80 068
December	29 493	17 803	21 971	8 734	8 652	4 343	5 227	5 787	102 010
1999									
March	25 362	15 870	18 755	7 475	7 279	3 924	3 998	4 518	87 181
June	26 397	15 803	18 764	7 794	7 869	3 764	4 066	4 706	89 163
September	23 655	14 578	17 229	6 750	7 314	3 240	4 059	4 429	81 254
December	30 519	18 002	22 142	8 918	8 981	4 095	4 648	5 796	103 101
2000									
March	27 293	16 151	19 068	8 212	8 045	3 859	4 357	4 796	91 781
June	27 132	16 251	19 318	7 907	7 813	3 575	4 081	5 177	91 254
September	24 811	14 728	18 024	7 382	7 639	3 433	4 097	4 383	84 497
December	32 684	19 527	23 583	9 313	9 518	4 295	5 502	6 026	110 448
2001									
March	28 021	16 064	19 944	8 008	8 114	3 640	4 083	4 744	92 618
June	28 171	16 721	19 896	7 677	8 131	3 722	4 064	4 682	93 064
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

ESTIMATED RESIDENT HOUSEHOLDS(a), Household size—at 30 June

NUMBER OF PERSONS AGED 0–14 YEARS IN HOUSEHOLD

	<i>None</i>	<i>One</i>	<i>Two or more</i>	<i>Total</i>
Persons aged 15 and older in household	no.	no.	no.	no.
.....				
1996				
One	1 556 514	119 678	132 190	1 808 382
Two	2 079 536	432 581	920 165	3 432 282
Three or more	1 003 487	306 602	211 362	1 521 451
Total	4 639 537	858 861	1 263 717	6 762 115
.....				
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
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(a) Based on 1996 Census data.

ESTIMATED RESIDENT HOUSEHOLDS(a)—at 30 June

	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001
	<i>no.</i>	<i>no.</i>	<i>no.</i>	<i>no.</i>	<i>no.</i>	<i>no.</i>
CAPITAL CITIES						
Sydney	1 395 131	1 423 522	1 433 382	1 461 193	1 484 163	1 503 663
Melbourne	1 199 271	1 217 703	1 236 170	1 247 677	1 274 784	1 316 935
Brisbane	558 210	575 533	601 983	611 634	621 696	642 212
Adelaide	427 632	438 184	445 314	449 453	455 437	454 467
Perth	486 458	500 578	510 280	526 541	530 855	549 211
Hobart	75 843	77 116	77 896	77 581	77 805	79 916
BALANCE OF STATE						
New South Wales	873 501	894 280	896 950	915 579	929 835	930 045
Victoria	477 922	481 661	482 998	487 698	496 308	501 321
Queensland	673 907	690 238	710 792	722 775	736 053	763 590
South Australia	152 233	153 477	156 500	155 900	157 709	159 532
Western Australia	166 528	172 792	176 007	181 033	186 899	189 349
Tasmania	106 857	108 851	107 553	109 115	111 008	111 001
TOTAL						
New South Wales	2 268 632	2 317 802	2 330 332	2 376 772	2 413 998	2 433 708
Victoria	1 677 193	1 699 364	1 719 168	1 735 375	1 771 092	1 818 256
Queensland	1 232 117	1 265 771	1 312 775	1 334 409	1 357 749	1 405 802
South Australia	579 865	591 661	601 814	605 353	613 146	613 999
Western Australia	652 986	673 370	686 287	707 574	717 754	738 560
Tasmania	182 700	185 967	185 449	186 696	188 813	190 917
Northern Territory	56 798	61 017	61 104	62 148	66 402	69 211
Australian Capital Territory	111 824	115 191	118 284	118 202	120 957	122 589
Australia	6 762 115	6 910 143	7 015 213	7 126 529	7 249 911	7 393 042

(a) Based on 1996 Census data.

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 Adjustments for under-enumeration(c)	91.5	45.8	47.1	15.3	23.2	5.0	4.9	2.8	235.8
plus Residents temporarily overseas	68.5	42.1	23.0	10.1	20.8	2.3	1.6	3.5	171.8
<i>equals</i> ERP as at 7 August 2001	3 283.6	2 375.9	1 811.6	749.6	955.7	233.2	104.4	158.8	9 674.2
Components from 1 July to 7 August 2001—									
less Births	4.3	3.1	2.4	0.9	1.3	0.3	0.2	0.2	12.7
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	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	n.y.a.
<i>equals</i> ERP as at 30 June 2001	3 278.6	2 371.0	1 808.0	749.2	954.2	233.2	104.3	158.6	9 658.6
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 Adjustments for under-enumeration(c)	70.8	38.7	30.3	11.1	20.5	3.3	4.2	2.3	181.2
plus Residents temporarily overseas	61.8	44.5	20.7	9.1	16.5	1.8	1.3	3.4	159.1
<i>equals</i> ERP as at 7 August 2001	3 335.5	2 456.3	1 831.6	766.2	953.6	239.8	95.7	163.2	9 843.0
Components from 1 July to 7 August 2001—									
less Births	4.1	3.0	2.3	0.9	1.2	0.3	0.2	0.2	12.1
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	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	n.y.a.
<i>equals</i> ERP as at 30 June 2001	3 330.7	2 451.6	1 827.1	765.7	951.9	239.8	95.7	163.1	9 826.7
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 Adjustments for under-enumeration(c)	162.2	84.5	77.4	26.4	43.7	8.3	9.2	5.2	417.0
plus Residents temporarily overseas	130.3	86.6	43.7	19.3	37.3	4.0	2.9	6.8	330.9
<i>equals</i> ERP as at 7 August 2001	6 619.0	4 832.2	3 643.2	1 515.8	1 909.3	473.0	200.1	322.0	19 517.2
Components from 1 July to 7 August 2001—									
less Births	8.4	6.1	4.8	1.8	2.4	0.5	0.4	0.4	24.8
plus Deaths	5.3	3.6	2.6	1.4	1.3	0.4	0.1	0.2	14.7
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	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	n.y.a.
<i>equals</i> ERP as at 30 June 2001	6 609.3	4 822.7	3 635.1	1 514.9	1 906.1	472.9	200.0	321.7	19 485.3

(a) Preliminary estimates. Estimates will be finalised in the September Quarter 2002 issue of Australian Demographic Statistics due to be published in March 2003.

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

(c) On a usual residence basis.

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INTRODUCTION

1 This quarterly publication contains preliminary 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. Resident population estimates for the period 1996–2001 have been revised using the 2001 Census results. Final estimates for the 1996–2001 period will be published in March 2003. 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 Jervis 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 Website, <<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 onwards 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. These adjustments are now also included in preliminary estimates. For further details see Demographic Estimates and Projections: Concepts, Sources and Methods, Statistical Concepts Library, ABS Website, <<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 **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.

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. Around 55% of divorces granted in the Australian Capital Territory are to applicants who are 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.

OVERSEAS ARRIVALS AND DEPARTURES ESTIMATION METHOD **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.

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.

COUNTRY OF BIRTH **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 *Australian Standard Classification of Countries for Social Statistics* (Cat. no. 1269.0).

18 Political developments in Europe and the former USSR have resulted in a number of changes to the ASCCSS. 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 ASCCSS.

19 Overseas migration statistics by country of birth have certain limitations. For instance, it is not possible to separately identify England, Scotland and Wales (United Kingdom).

ROUNDING **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.

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

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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)
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 - *Births, Australia* (Cat. no. 3301.0)
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 - *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 Publications & Data; Companion Data; By Catalogue/Subject
 - *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)
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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 produced by the ABS are listed in the *Catalogue of Publications and Products, Australia* (Cat. no. 1101.0). The ABS also issues, on Tuesdays and Fridays, a *Release Advice* (Cat. no. 1105.0) which lists publications to be released in the next few days. Both are available from any ABS office.
- 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).

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SYMBOLS AND OTHER USAGES

ABS	Australian Bureau of Statistics
ACT	Australian Capital Territory
n.a.	not available
n.f.d.	not further defined
n.y.a.	not yet available
p	preliminary figure or series subject to revision
r	figures or series revised since previous issue
. .	not applicable
—	nil or rounded to zero

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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.
Infant mortality rate	The number of deaths of children under one year of age in a financial year per 1,000 live births in the same financial year.

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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.
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> (Cwlth), 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	<p>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 1991 Australian population. They are expressed per 1,000 or 100,000 persons. There are two methods of calculating standardised death rates:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ The <i>direct method</i>—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 <i>indirect method</i>—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.
	<p>Wherever used, the definition adopted is indicated.</p>
State or Territory of registration	<p>State or Territory of registration refers to the State or Territory in which the marriage was registered or the divorce was granted.</p>
State or Territory and Statistical Local Area (SLA) of usual residence	<p>State or Territory and Statistical Local Area (SLA) of usual residence refers to the State or Territory and SLA of usual residence of:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ the population (estimated resident population);▪ the mother (birth collection); or▪ the deceased (death collection). <p>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.</p>
Total fertility rate	<p>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 woman would bear during her lifetime if she experienced current age-specific fertility rates at each age of her reproductive life.</p>

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