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## 6202.0

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## 6401.0

### Consumer Price Index, Australia

This important Main Economic Indicator publication contains information on movements in retail prices of goods and services commonly purchased by private households in the eight capital cities. The goods and services are divided into the following eight groups: food; clothing; housing; household equipment and operation; transportation; alcohol and tobacco; health and personal care; recreation and education. Indexes for each of these groups and for 'All Groups' are published for each of the State capitals, Canberra and Darwin and for the weighted average of the eight capital cities. Details are also shown for approximately 50 sub-groups and special series, and 101 expenditure classes for the weighted average of the eight capital cities.

## 8301.0

### Manufacturing Production, Australia

Quarterly estimates of production quantities for 28 major indicators, including food, wood products, fuels, building materials and metals. Contains original, seasonally adjusted and trend data for quarterly items.

## 8731.0

### Building Approvals, Australia

Number of dwelling units (houses, other dwellings, total) and value of residential building approved by sector; number and value of new other residential building approved by type; number and value of non-residential building jobs approved by class of building (e.g., hotels, offices, etc.) and value ranges. State data include total number of dwelling units approved by type of dwelling by sector and value of building approved by sector. Seasonally adjusted and trend estimates for the number of dwelling units and value of buildings approved; quarterly value of building approved in chain volume measures.

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	Victorian Year Book (Soft cover), 2000	1301.2	Annual	44.00	
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Victoria at a Glance, 2000	1305.2	Annual	1.10	
South Australia at a Glance, 2000	1306.4	Annual	1.10	
Western Australia at a Glance, 2000	1306.5	Annual	1.10	
Tasmania at a Glance, 2000	1305.6	Annual	1.10	
Northern Territory at a Glance, 2000	1304.7	Annual	1.10	
Australian Capital Territory at a Glance, 2000	1314.8	Annual	1.10	
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Economic Indicators, New South Wales, Jan to Dec 2000	1307.1	Monthly	201.00	Y
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Regional Statistics, Australian Capital Territory, 2000	1313.8	Annual	22.00	
Small Business in Australia, 1999	1321.0	Biennial	39.00	
Australian Wine and Grape Industry, 2000	1329.0	Annual	24.00	
Regional Statistics, Northern Territory, 2000	1362.7	Annual	24.00	

## 1321.0

### Small Business in Australia, 1999

This compendium publication draws together a wide range of statistics on the small business sector. The key tables provide a time series, commencing with 1983–84 and running through to 1998–99, of statistics on the number of businesses and employment classified by size of business and industry. The size categories separately identified are micro businesses (those employing less than 5 people); small businesses (those employing less than 20 people); medium businesses (those employing 20 or more people, but less than 200) and large businesses (those employing 200 or more people). As well as the national series, similar statistics are also provided for each State and Territory.

In addition, the publication provides details of the characteristics of businesses with increasing or decreasing employment or income, details of the financial performance of businesses across the different size categories, an analysis of employment growth as well as bankruptcy statistics. Also included are a number of industry profiles providing structure and performance details of particular industries analysed by size of business.

This publication is a valuable reference document providing a variety of informative and interesting data which contrasts the performance of small business with the various other business size categories.

## 1351.0

### Working Papers in Econometrics and Applied Statistics

The Working Paper series presents ABS research in the fields of econometrics, time series and statistics. The series is intended to make the results of current research within the ABS available to other interested parties. The aim is to present research or analysis of an experimental nature so as to encourage discussion and comment. Working papers are of a technical nature and are directed towards a technically orientated audience. While any one working paper focuses on the results of a single research topic, the series canvasses a diverse range of ABS work. The most recently published working papers include 'The Impact of Sample Rotation Patterns and Composite Estimation on Survey Outcomes' and 'Comparing Techniques for measuring the Efficiency and Productivity of Australian Private Hospitals'.

CLASSIFICATIONS AND WORK MANUALS		Cat. no.	Frequency	2000 Sub. cost	Email delivery available
NR	Directory of Construction Statistics, 2000	1139.0	Irregular	58.00	
	Australian Standard Geographical Classification (ASGC), Jul 2000	1216.0	Annual	45.00	
NR	Australian Standard Classification of Drugs of Concern, 2000	1248.0	Irregular	24.00	
NR	Australian Standard Classification of Cultural and Ethnic Groups (ASCEG), 2000–01	1249.0	Irregular	33.00	
	Australian and New Zealand Product Classification (ANZSPC), 2000	1254.0	Irregular	54.00	
NR	A Guide to Interpreting Time Series—Monitoring Trends, 2000	1349.0	Irregular	11.00	
	Working Papers in Econometrics and Applied Statistics: Seasonal Adjustment—Comparison of Philosophies, Feb 2000	1351.0	Irregular	18.50	
NR	Changes to ABS Statistics Associated with the Introduction of the New Taxation System, 2000	1358.0	Irregular	10.00	
E	Statistical Concepts Library, 2000	1361.0.30.001	Irregular	50.00	
	Treasury Model of the Australian Economy—Documentation, 2000	1364.0.00.001	Irregular	35.00	
E	Treasury Model of the Australian Economy—TSP Version, Sep 1999 to Jun 2000	1364.0.15.001	Quarterly	1940.00	
E	Modellers' Database, Sep 1999 to Jun 2000	1364.0.15.003	Quarterly	628.00	

## 1361.0.30.001 Statistical Concepts Library 2000 on CD-ROM

### What's behind ABS Statistics, the How and Why

Documents the concepts, sources, methods, and classifications underlying Australian official statistics. It provides a comprehensive and easy to use guide to a range of Statistical topics.

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- Australia's Balance of Payments
- Australia's Population Estimates and Projections
- The 1996 Census of Population and Housing
- Various Price Indexes

The library also contains the major classifications used in official statistics including those relating to Industry, Occupation, Commodity, Country, Language, Marital and Labour Force status.

Available NOW on the ABS web site [www.abs.gov.au](http://www.abs.gov.au).

The ABS recognises that the procedures and processes of official statistics need to reflect the dynamic nature of the world being measured. The ABS will add and update material on the web site as it is available.

The Statistical Concepts Library will also include links to the web sites of international bodies responsible for International Standards and Classifications.

### Product Changes

*Public Transport Usage and Migration Patterns, ACT (1365.8)* was a one-off supplementary survey, part of which will be repeated in 1999, and the results published in the *Public Transport and Emergency Services Usage, Australian Capital Territory (1366.8)* during 2000.

Subscribers to *Statistical Concepts Reference Library*, 1361.0.030.001 for 1998 or 1999 releases which were held over will receive the 2000 release.



DEMOGRAPHY—GENERAL	Cat. no.	Frequency	2000 Sub. cost	Email delivery available
Australian Demographic Statistics, Sep 1999 to Jun 2000	3101.0	Quarterly	81.00	Y
Demography, New South Wales, 1998	3311.1	Annual	24.00	
Demography, Victoria, 1999	3311.2	Annual	25.00	
Demography, Queensland, 1999	3311.3	Annual	27.00	
Demography, South Australia, 1999	3311.4	Annual	24.00	
Demography, Western Australia, 1999	3311.5	Annual	27.00	
Demography, Tasmania, 1999	3311.6	Annual	27.00	
Demography, Northern Territory, 1999	3311.7	Annual	24.00	
Demography, Australian Capital Territory, 1999	3311.8	Annual	24.00	
POPULATION TRENDS AND ESTIMATES				
Population by Age and Sex, Australian States and Territories, Jun 2000	3201.0	Annual	18.50	
Regional Population Growth, Australia, 1998–99	3218.0	Annual	24.00	
Population Projections, Australia, 1999 to 2051	3222.0	Biennial	34.00	
NR Population Mobility, Victoria, 1999	3237.2	Irregular	17.50	

## 3218.0

### Regional Population Growth, Australia, 1998–99

Highlights Local Government Areas (LGAs) with highest and lowest total population change. Commentary for each State and Territory is provided, examining population change at the Capital City/Balance of State or Territory, LGA and Statistical Local Area (SLA) levels. Annual and five-yearly growth rates for each LGA, SLA and Statistical District in Australia are included. Details of regional population changes in New Zealand are also provided.

## 3222.0

### Population Projections, Australia, 1999 to 2051

Contains alternative projections (based on different assumptions as to future fertility, mortality and migration) of the resident population of Australia, the States and Territories, capital cities and balance of States at five-yearly intervals from 1999 to 2051. Also includes number and percentage of population at selected ages, sex, median ages, as well as detailed notes on the assumptions.

## Product Changes

*Population, NSW* (3234.1) and *Population, Tas.* (3234.6), along with other States and Territories, have been replaced by the national publication, *Regional Population Growth, Australia, 1998–99* (3218.0).



POPULATION BY AGE AND SEX		Cat. no.	Frequency	2000 Sub. cost	Email delivery available
E	Estimated Resident Population by Age and Sex in Statistical Local Areas, Australia: Data on Floppy Disk, 30 Jun 1999	3227.0	Annual	185.00	
E	Estimated Resident Population by Age and Sex in Statistical Local Areas, New South Wales: Data on Floppy Disk, 30 Jun 1999	3227.1	Annual	45.00	
E	Estimated Resident Population by Age and Sex in Statistical Local Areas, Victoria: Data on Floppy Disk, 30 Jun 1999	3227.2	Annual	45.00	
E	Estimated Resident Population by Age and Sex in Statistical Local Areas, Queensland: Data on Floppy Disk, 30 Jun 1999	3227.3	Annual	80.00	
E	Estimated Resident Population by Age and Sex in Statistical Local Areas, South Australia: Data on Floppy Disk, 30 Jun 1999	3227.4	Annual	40.00	
E	Estimated Resident Population by Age and Sex in Statistical Local Areas, Western Australia: Data on Floppy Disk, 30 Jun 1999	3227.5	Annual	40.00	
E	Estimated Resident Population by Age and Sex in Statistical Local Areas, Tasmania: Data on Floppy Disk, 30 Jun 1999	3227.6	Annual	40.00	
E	Estimated Resident Population by Age and Sex in Statistical Local Areas, Northern Territory: Data on Floppy Disk, 30 Jun 1999	3227.7	Annual	40.00	
E	Estimated Resident Population by Age and Sex in Statistical Local Areas, Australian Capital Territory: Data on Floppy Disk, 30 Jun 1999	3227.8	Annual	40.00	
	Population by Age and Sex, New South Wales, 30 Jun 1999	3235.1	Annual	18.00	
	Population by Age and Sex, Victoria, 30 Jun 1999	3235.2	Annual	19.50	
	Population by Age and Sex, Queensland, 30 Jun 1999	3235.3	Annual	25.00	
	Population by Age and Sex, South Australia, 30 Jun 1999	3235.4	Annual	17.50	
	Population by Age and Sex, Western Australia, 30 Jun 1999	3235.5	Annual	19.50	
	Population by Age and Sex, Tasmania, 30 Jun 1999	3235.6	Annual	16.50	
	Population by Age and Sex, Northern Territory, 30 Jun 1999	3235.7	Annual	17.00	
	Population by Age and Sex, Australian Capital Territory, 30 Jun 1999	3235.8	Annual	17.50	

### 3235.1–3235.8 Population by Age and Sex 30 Jun 1999

These publications contain the estimated resident population by age (in five-year age groupings) and sex for each Statistical Local Area, Statistical Subdivision and Statistical Division in Australian States and

Territories, as at the 30th of June 1999, and includes changes in Statistical Local Area boundaries since the previous Census.

<b>VITAL STATISTICS</b>	<b>Cat. no.</b>	<b>Frequency</b>	<b>2000 Sub. cost</b>	<b>Email delivery available</b>
Births, Australia, 1999	3301.0	Annual	26.00	
Deaths, Australia, 1999	3302.0	Annual	25.00	
Causes of Death, Australia, 1999	3303.0	Annual	27.00	
Marriages and Divorces, Australia, 1999	3310.0	Annual	30.00	
<b>MIGRATION</b>				
Overseas Arrivals and Departures, Australia, Dec 1999 to Nov 2000	3401.0	Monthly	207.00	Y
Migration, Australia, 1998–99	3412.0	Annual	25.00	

## 3303.0

### Causes of Death, Australia, 1999

Combines tables and text to provide a useful and comprehensive overview of national causes of death and perinatal deaths statistics. The publication was recently redesigned and greatly enhanced by the addition of multi-cause codes which reflected all causes of death reported on the death certificate. This edition will be further redesigned and upgraded to reflect the introduction of the 10th edition of the International Classification of Diseases (ICD10).

The implementation of multi-cause coding and the use of the much more detailed and updated ICD10 classification, will add considerably to the potential for medical researchers and others to gain a better understanding of the characteristics of mortality in Australia.

## 3401.0

### Overseas Arrivals and Departures, Australia

Comprises a summary of monthly data by category of movement. For visitors arriving and residents departing short term, the intended length of stay, main purpose of journey, principal destination (departures) or country of usual residence (arrivals) and State and Territory in which most time was spent. For settler arrivals—region of birth. In each issue, data are presented as preliminary for the month of reference, and as final for the previous month.

## 3412.0

### Migration, Australia, 1998–99

Contains information on international and internal migration by State and Territory. Includes permanent and long-term movement by State and Territory of usual residence, country of birth, occupation and sex. Provides estimated resident population by age, sex and birthplace.

<b>SOCIAL STATISTICS—GENERAL</b>	<b>Cat. no.</b>	<b>Frequency</b>	<b>2000 Sub. cost</b>	<b>Email delivery available</b>
Australian Social Trends, 2000	4102.0	Annual	39.00	Y
Population Survey Monitor, Nov 1999 to Aug 2000	4103.0	Quarterly	67.00	
NR Directory of Child and Family Statistics, 1999	4158.0	Irregular	29.00	
Measuring Social Wellbeing, 1999	4160.0	Irregular	38.00	
Participation in Sport and Physical Activities, Australia, 1999–2000	4177.0	Annual	19.50	
Housing Survey—Housing Characteristics, Costs and Conditions, Australia, 1999	4182.0	Five Yearly	29.00	
Cultural Funding, Australia, 1998–99	4183.0	Annual	16.50	
NR Children's Participation in Cultural/Leisure Activities, Australia, 1999–2000	4901.0	Irregular	20.00	
NR Australian Framework for Culture/Leisure Statistics, 1999–2000	4902.0	Irregular	30.00	
NR Balancing Work and Caring Responsibilities, Tasmania, Oct 1999	4903.6	Irregular	16.00	
<b>EDUCATION</b>				
Schools, Australia, Preliminary, 1999	4220.0	Annual	15.50	
Schools, Australia, 1999	4221.0	Annual	24.00	

## 4102.0

### Australian Social Trends, 2000

Presents statistical analysis and commentary on a wide range of current social issues. The 30 plus articles are organised into seven chapters, representing the following broad areas of interest: population, families, health, education and training, work, income and housing. Each issue also includes an extra chapter focussing on other aspects of well-being. This year the feature chapter reviews Australians' participation in culture and leisure activities, such as sport, the arts, and various other leisure activities, including the home use of information technology. The style of the report is clear, focussed and easy to read. Effective use is made of summary tables and graphics to highlight key information. The annual series, as it builds up over time, will provide an invaluable historical perspective of social change in Australia.

## 4177.0

### Participation in Sport and Physical Activities, Australia, 1999–2000

Contains details on the number and characteristics of people who participate in a range of sport and physical activities at national and state level, by age, sex, and frequency of participation.

Earlier editions contained expenditure data for individual sport and physical activities, and participation by children aged 5–14 in school organised and club organised activities, by age and State.

## 4902.0

### Australian Framework for Culture/Leisure Statistics, 1999–2000

Presents a framework for managing culture and leisure statistics. The framework contains separate classifications—covering Industry, Participants, Goods and Services, and Consumers. It provides greater detail for the areas of culture, the arts, sport, recreation and leisure, than is available through the standard classifications such as ANZSIC and ASCO. In addition to definitions, the framework incorporates a data dictionary, listing key data items for each class.

HEALTH AND WELFARE		Cat. no.	Frequency	2000 Sub. cost	Email delivery available
	Private Hospitals, Australia, 1998–99	4390.0	Annual	18.50	
E	Private Health Establishments: Acute and Psychiatric Hospitals, Data Report on Floppy Disk, 1998–99	4390.0.15.001	Annual	385.00	
	Private Health Establishments: Acute and Psychiatric Hospitals, Data Report on Hardcopy, 1998–99	4390.0.40.001	Annual	385.00	
E	Private Health Establishments: Free Standing Day Hospital Facilities, Data Report on Floppy Disk, 1998–99	4390.0.15.002	Annual	160.00	
	Private Health Establishments: Free Standing Day Hospital Facilities, Data Report on Hardcopy, 1998–99	4390.0.40.002	Annual	160.00	
	Child Care, Australia, Jun 1999	4402.0	Triennial	19.00	
NR	Caring in Community, Australia, 1998	4436.0	Irregular	18.00	
CRIME AND JUSTICE					
	Crime and Safety, New South Wales, Apr 2000	4509.1	Irregular	17.00	
	Crime and Safety, Western Australia, Oct 1999	4509.5	Irregular	16.00	
	Recorded Crime, Australia, 1999	4510.0	Annual	28.00	
	Corrective Services, Australia, Dec 1999 to Sep 2000	4512.0	Quarterly	73.00	Y
	Higher Criminal Courts, Australia, 1998–99	4513.0	Annual	22.00	
NR	Home Security Precautions, New South Wales, Oct 1999	4516.1	Irregular	16.00	

## 4402.0

### Child Care, Australia, Jun 1999

This publication contains results from the Child Care Survey conducted throughout Australia. It provides information on usage and demand for child care, relating to children under 12 years of age. Type of child care is presented for both formal and informal childcare arrangements. Summary findings and tables include information relating to type of care, reasons/main reason for using care, days and hours of care, cost of care, take-up rate of the Childcare Cash Rebate and additional child care arrangements needed. This information is cross classified with a range of socio-demographic attributes such as family type, number and age of children, labour force status and birthplace of parents, weekly family income and other items relating to families, children or parents.

The publication is a continuation of a series which commenced in 1969, with the most recent surveys being conducted in June 1999, June 1996 and June 1993. A number of tables in the publication provide a time series for the most recent surveys, which assist in identifying trends and changes in child care usage patterns and demand over time. Some information is also provided at State/Territory level.

## 4510.0

### Recorded Crime, Australia, 1999

This publication contains uniform national crime statistics relating to a selected range of offences that have become known to and recorded by police. The aim of national crime statistics is to provide comparable recorded crime data across the police jurisdictions of each State and Territory. The statistics are to provide basic indicators of the relative level and nature of recorded crime in Australia and to provide a basis for measuring changes over time.

National crime statistics are compiled on a victim basis and measure the number of victims for each offence category rather than the breaches of criminal law. This publication provides a breakdown of the offences by victim details (age of victim, sex of victim, and relationship of offender to victim). Type of location and use of weapon data and outcome of police investigations statistics are also included. As the national collection progressively expands, future publications will provide additional details on reported offences.

		Cat. no.	Frequency	2000 Sub. cost	Email delivery available
<b>ENVIRONMENT</b>					
	Environmental Issues: People's Views and Practices, Mar 2000	4602.0	Annual	23.00	
NR	Environment Expenditure Account, Local Government, Australia, 1998–99	4611.0	Annual	17.50	
<b>CENSUS OF POPULATION AND HOUSING</b>					
	Census of Population and Housing: Proposed Products and Services, 2001	2011.0	Five Yearly	11.00	
<b>INDIGENOUS STATISTICS</b>					
NR	Housing and Infrastructure in Indigenous Communities, Australia, Sep 1999	4710.0	Irregular	19.50	

## 4602.0

### Environmental Issues: Peoples Views and Practices, Mar 2000

Presents information from the Environmental Issues Survey, which provides data about people's behaviour and actions which impact on the environment from day-to-day living. The survey is to be conducted in March 2000.

This edition of the publication provides data on household waste management (including recycling and hazardous waste disposal), use of private and public transport, and motor vehicle usage (including data on fuel, vehicle servicing and factors considered when choosing a motor vehicle).

## 4611.0

### Environment Expenditure Account, Local Government, Australia, 1998–99

Deals with the data collected as a part of the Environment and Natural Resources Survey. The two environment accounts are Environment Protection Expenditure and Natural Resource Use and Management Account. The publication aims to show information about the specialised function of Local Government and its environment activities. The Environment and Natural Resources collection focuses on Local Governments and their role in providing environmental management for their jurisdiction. The publication was developed through the *Environment Protection Expenditure Account for Australia* (4603.0) and highlights financial transactions made by Local

Government on environmental issues. The publication for the financial year 1998–99 presents the first set of results collected from a voluntary survey, created after 2 years of consultation with Local Government and associated groups within government and universities. The results are presented in a format which aims to be of assistance to users of Local Government data.

## 4710.0

### Housing and Infrastructure in Indigenous Communities, Australia, Sep 1999

This publication presents summary information from the 1999 Community Housing and Infrastructure Needs Survey. The survey included all known Indigenous organisations that manage or own community housing, with additional infrastructure information collected for discrete Indigenous communities.

Housing information includes the number, condition and size of community houses, repairs and maintenance expenditure, and amount of rent collected. Infrastructure information includes details of water supply and quality, power supply, sewerage, drainage and solid waste. Transport and communication issues, as well as access to education, health, and other community facilities are also included. The publication presents information at the National and State levels (including Northern Territory) as well as maps showing the distribution of Indigenous housing organisations and discrete communities across Australia.

LABOUR STATISTICS—GENERAL		Cat. no.	Frequency	2000 Sub. cost	Email delivery available
Labour Statistics: Concepts, Sources and Methods, 2000		6102.0	Irregular	44.00	
Labour Statistics in Brief, Australia, 2000		6104.0	Annual	1.10	
LABOUR FORCE					
E	Labour Force, Australia, Preliminary, Dec 1999 to Nov 2000	6202.0	Monthly	225.00	Y
	Labour Force, Australia—Preliminary Data on Floppy Disk, Dec 1999 to Nov 2000	6271.0	Monthly	504.00	
	Labour Force, Australia, Dec 1999 to Nov 2000	6203.0	Monthly	276.00	Y
	Labour Force, New South Wales, and Australian Capital Territory, Nov 1999 to Aug 2000	6201.1	Quarterly	88.00	Y
	Labour Force, Victoria, Nov 1999 to Aug 2000	6202.2	Quarterly	77.00	Y
	Labour Force, Teenage Employment and Unemployment, Australia, Preliminary—Data Report, Dec 1999 to Nov 2000	6202.0.40.001	Monthly	504.00	
	Labour Force Status and Other Characteristics of Families, Australia, Jun 2000	6224.0	Annual	21.00	
	Labour Force Status and Other Characteristics of Migrants, Australia, Nov 1999	6250.0	Triennial	18.50	
	Labour Force, Selected Summary Tables, Australia, Dec 1999 to Nov 2000	6291.0.40.001	Monthly	504.00	
	Information Paper: Labour Force Survey Questionnaire Redesign	6294.0	Irregular	10.00	
NR	Information Paper: Implementing the Redesigned Labour Force Survey Questionnaire, 2000	6295.0	Irregular	11.00	

## 6203.0 Labour Force, Australia

This publication gives a comprehensive overview of the Labour Force in Australia. It presents detailed results of the monthly Labour Force Survey including tables showing the civilian population aged 15 and over by sex, labour force status, age (single years for persons aged 15–24 years), marital status, States and Territories, capital cities, attendance at school or tertiary education institution, country of birth, year of arrival in Australia,

industry, occupation, hours worked, average hours worked, full-time/part-time workers, participation rates, whether looking for full-time or part-time work (unemployed), duration of unemployment, changes in labour force status using matched records, relationship in household, families. Most issues contain an article on a special labour force topic.

### Product Changes

*Labour Force, Queensland* (6201.3) is currently under review. Subscribers to this publication will be notified of the outcomes when the review is finalised.



LABOUR EARNINGS AND HOURS	Cat. no.	Frequency	2000 Sub. cost	Email delivery available
Wage and Salary Earners, Australia, Sep 1999 to Jun 2000	6248.0	Quarterly	75.00	Y
Average Weekly Earnings, Australia, Preliminary, Nov 1999 to Aug 2000	6301.0	Quarterly	63.00	Y
Average Weekly Earnings, States and Australia, Nov 1999 to Aug 2000	6302.0	Quarterly	75.00	Y
Employee Earnings and Hours, Australia, Preliminary, May 2000	6305.0	Biennial	19.00	
NR Working Hours of Wage and Salary Earners, Queensland, Oct 1999	6344.3	Irregular	15.50	
Wage Cost Index, Australia, Dec 1999 to Sep 2000	6345.0	Quarterly	69.00	Y
Information Paper: Wage Cost Index, Australia, 2000	6346.0	Irregular	10.00	
LABOUR DISPUTES, CONDITIONS AND COSTS				
Employee Earnings, Benefits and Trade Union Membership, Australia, Aug 2000	6310.0	Annual	23.00	
Industrial Disputes, Australia, Oct 1999 to Sep 2000	6321.0	Monthly	195.00	
Industrial Disputes, Australia, 1999	6322.0	Annual	17.00	Y
Job Vacancies, Australia, Nov 1999 to Aug 2000	6354.0	Quarterly	65.50	Y

### 6301.0 Average Weekly Earnings, Australia, Preliminary 6302.0 Average Weekly Earnings, States and Australia

Contains preliminary estimates for Australia of average weekly ordinary time earnings and average weekly total earnings for full-time adult employees and average weekly total earnings for all employees, for males, females and persons. 6302.0, *Average Weekly Earnings, States and Australia*, contains estimates of average weekly ordinary time earnings and average weekly total earnings for full-time adult employees and average weekly total earnings for all employees, classified by sector and State or Territory and by industry at the Australian level, for males, females and persons.

### 6345.0 Wage Cost Index, Australia

This quarterly publication contains indexes measuring changes in hourly wage and salary costs for employee jobs. These indexes were compiled for the first time for the December quarter 1997 (with a base of September quarter 1997 = 100.0). Indexes are compiled for ordinary time and total hourly rates of pay, both including and excluding bonuses. Individual indexes are compiled for various combinations of State/Territory, sector (private/public), broad industry group and broad occupation group.

### 6354.0 Job Vacancies, Australia

Contains estimates of the number of job vacancies with sector by State and Territory and with industry dissections and job vacancy rates by State and Territory.

#### Product Changes

From August 1999 *Job Vacancies, Australia* (6354.0) previously published with the title *Job Vacancies and Overtime, Australia* no longer includes data on overtime.

LABOUR	Cat. no.	Frequency	2000 Sub. cost	Email delivery available
Labour Mobility, Australia, Feb 2000	6209.0	Biennial	21.00	
Persons Not in the Labour Force, Australia, Sep 1999	6220.0	Annual	19.00	
Job Search Experience of Unemployed Persons, Australia, Jul 2000	6222.0	Annual	21.00	
Transition from Education to Work, Australia, May 2000	6227.0	Annual	20.00	
Underemployed Workers, Australia, Sep 1999	6265.0	Annual	18.50	
Participation in Education, Australia, Sep 1999	6272.0	Annual	18.50	
Work in Selected Culture/Leisure Activities, Australia, 1998–99	6281.0	Irregular	18.00	

## 6209.0

### Labour Mobility, Australia, Feb 2000

Provides information on persons aged 15–69 years who had worked at some time during the year ending February. Details of job mobility, job tenure, number of employers or businesses during the year and reason for ceasing last job or changing locality are presented. Occupation, industry and duration of current and last job are also available. Estimates can be cross-classified by labour force demographics such as State, sex, age, marital status and birthplace.

## 6281.0

### Work in Selected Culture/Leisure Activities, Australia, 1998–99

This publication contains data collected in the Population Survey Monitor from November 1998 to August 1999. It presents information on work involvements in a range of activities on either a voluntary or paid basis. Culture/leisure activities include involvement with cultural institutions (e.g. libraries, museums, art galleries and botanic gardens), other cultural industries (e.g. radio and television) and a range of other activities, such as art and craft, performing arts, music, design etc. The survey was previously conducted in 1997. Some comparisons with this earlier survey are also presented in the publication.

The tables show demographic characteristics (e.g. age, sex and birthplace) of those people involved. It provides details of the types of activities undertaken, the time spent on activities, whether or not any payment was received, the amount of cultural income earned and whether the involvement was part of their main job. Some information by State is also presented. The number of people involved in culture/leisure activities in a hobby capacity is also shown.

The publication covers all work involvements in culture/leisure, regardless of whether the involvement was part of the main job, a second job or in a voluntary capacity. It complements the publication *Employment in Selected Culture/Leisure Occupations, Australia* (6273.0) which shows the occupations of those who perform culture/leisure tasks in their main job.



NATIONAL ACCOUNTS		Cat. no.	Frequency	2000 Sub. cost	Email delivery available
	Australian System of National Accounts, 1999–2000	5204.0	Annual	30.00	
E	Chain Volume Measures and Implicit Price Deflators of Recorded Trade on a Balance of Payments basis, on Floppy Disk, Dec 1999 to Sep 2000	5204.0.15.001	Quarterly	544.00	
E	Chain Volume Measures and Implicit Price Deflators of Recorded Trade at the 2-Digit SITC (Rev 3) Level, on Floppy Disk, Dec 1999 to Sep 2000	5204.0.15.002	Quarterly	544.00	
	Australian National Accounts: National Income, Expenditure and Product, Dec 1999 to Sep 2000	5206.0	Quarterly	88.00	Y
	Australian National Accounts: Quarterly State Details, Dec 1999 to Sep 2000	5206.0.40.001	Quarterly	168.00	
	Australian National Accounts: Input-Output Tables, 1996–97	5209.0	Annual	28.00	
	Australian National Accounts: Input-Output Tables (Product Details), 1996–97	5215.0	Annual	21.00	
	Australian National Accounts: Concepts, Sources and Methods, 1999	5216.0	Irregular	58.00	
	Australian National Accounts: State Accounts, 1999–2000	5220.0	Annual	23.00	
	Australian National Accounts: Financial Accounts, Dec 1999 to Sep 2000	5232.0	Quarterly	92.00	Y
	Assets and Liabilities of Australian Securitised, Dec 1999 to Sep 2000	5232.0.40.001	Quarterly	168.00	
	Unpaid Work and the Australian Economy	5240.0	Irregular	17.00	
	Australian National Accounts: National Balance Sheet, 1999–2000	5241.0.40.001	Annual	50.00	
	Australian Business Expectations, Mar and Dec 2000 to Dec 2000 and Sep 2001	5250.0	Quarterly	75.50	Y
	Average Monthly Exchange Rates, Dec 1999 to Nov 2000	5654.0	Monthly	504.00	
	Annual Statistics on Financial Institutions on Hardcopy, 1998–99	5661.0.40.001	Annual	44.00	

## 5241.0.40.001

### Australian National Accounts: National Balance Sheet, 1999–2000

Provides estimates of the national and sectoral balance sheets for Australia, covering produced non financial assets (such as equipment and structures), certain natural resources (subsoil assets, land and native forests), and financial assets and liabilities with net worth being the difference between total assets and liabilities (including shares and other equities). This release contains estimates for the years ended 30 June 1998 to 30 June 2000. The data presented in this publication expands on the balance sheet tables shown in *Australian System of National Accounts* (5204.0).

## 5654.0

### Average Monthly Exchange Rates

Covers averages of daily exchange rates for 35 currencies, including both the telegraphic transfer buying rate and selling rate, and final trading day values of the Australian dollar against the major currencies.

<b>BALANCE OF PAYMENTS</b>	<b>Cat. no.</b>	<b>Frequency</b>	<b>2000 Sub. cost</b>	<b>Email delivery available</b>
Balance of Payments and International Investment Position, Australia, Dec 1999 to Sep 2000	5302.0	Quarterly	88.00	Y
Balance of Payments and International Investment Position, Australia, 1998–99	5363.0	Annual	25.00	
International Trade in Goods and Services, Australia, Nov 1999 to Oct 2000	5368.0	Monthly	199.50	Y

## 5302.0

### Balance of Payments and International Investment Position, Australia

This publication includes detailed quarterly balance of payments tables on current, capital and financial transactions for the latest six quarters, including seasonally adjusted, trend and chain volume measures of the current account. It also provides a complete international investment position statement with details of the level of investment, investment flows and associated income. Detailed information is also provided on Australia's foreign debt and longer term historical series, exchange rates, analytical ratios, analytical comment, graphs of principal aggregates are also included as well as articles of interest and a list of such articles published in recent related publications.

For a comprehensive up-to-date description of the concepts, data sources and methods used in the compilation of the Australian balance of payments and international investment position statistics refer to *Balance of Payments and International Investment Position, Australia: Concepts, Sources and Methods* (5331.0) released in 1998. The publication explains: what the statistics measure; how they relate to other economic series; how they are produced; where they are published; and describes the factors influencing their accuracy and reliability. It also provides background information that will assist users in analysing and interpreting the statistics and identifies emerging issues in this important field of statistics. This publication is part of the *Statistical Concepts Library* which was recently released on the ABS web site at: [www.abs.gov.au](http://www.abs.gov.au), and will be released on the CD-ROM (1361.0.30.001) in 2000.

## 5363.0

### Balance of Payments and International Investment Position, Australia, 1998–99

Provides annual time series at both a summary and detailed level on Australia's balance of payments, international trade in services and international investment position (including foreign debt) for the latest six years. Longer term historical summary tables are included.

This publication includes economic ratios, international comparisons, analytical comments, graphs of principal aggregates and also contains information on the balance of payments, international trade in services and international investment position **by country**.

<b>INTERNATIONAL TRADE—GENERAL</b>	<b>Cat. no.</b>	<b>Frequency</b>	<b>2000 Sub. cost</b>	<b>Email delivery available</b>
International Merchandise Trade, Australia, Dec 1999 to Sep 2000	5422.0	Quarterly	96.00	Y
International Merchandise Imports, Australia, Dec 1999 to Nov 2000	5439.0	Monthly	189.00	Y
International Merchandise Trade, Australia: Concepts, Sources and Methods, 2000	5489.0	Irregular	25.00	

## International Trade Consultancy Service

Statistics on Australia's exports and imports are available through consultancy services operating in each ABS Office. Contact telephone and facsimile numbers are provided on the back cover of this publication.

ABS consultants develop tailored information solutions in response to individual client needs. These solutions may take the form of statistical reports provided on a 'one-off' basis, or delivered regularly on a subscription basis. All such reports are accompanied by supporting information to assist in interpreting the data.

### Available information

Statistical reports may include information on the quantity, value and gross weight of Australian exports, imports, and import clearances. This information may

be classified by, commodity, country and/or Australian state of origin or destination. Trade through overseas ports may also be reported if required, as may information on various modes of transport. Rate of duty and duty paid are also available, for import clearances only.

### Frequency and Timeliness

International trade statistics are compiled each month and may be received on monthly, quarterly, six-monthly or annual bases. Import and import clearance statistics are available 12 working days, and exports 21 working days after the end of the month to which they refer.

		<b>Cat. no.</b>	<b>Frequency</b>	<b>2000 Sub. cost</b>	<b>Email delivery available</b>
<b>PUBLIC SECTOR ACCOUNTS</b>					
	Government Financial Estimates, Australia, 2000–01	5501.0	Annual	24.00	
	Local Government Finance, Victoria, 1998–99	5501.2	Annual	18.50	
	Government Finance Statistics, Tasmania, 1998–99	5501.6	Annual	17.50	
E	Local Government Finance, New South Wales on Floppy Disk, 1998–99	5502.1.15.001	Annual	51.00	
	Local Government Finance, New South Wales on Hardcopy, 1998–99	5502.1.40.001	Annual	51.00	
	Local Government Finance, Northern Territory, 1998–99	5502.7	Annual	18.50	
	Taxation Revenue, Australia, 1999–2000	5506.0	Annual	21.00	
	Government Finance Statistics, Australia, 1998–99	5512.0	Annual	22.00	
<b>FINANCE</b>					
	Finance, Australia, 1999 and 1999–2000	5611.0	Half Yearly	40.50	Y
<b>PRIVATE FINANCE</b>					
	Housing Finance for Owner Occupation, Australia, Nov 1999 to Oct 2000	5439.0	Monthly	189.00	Y
	Private New Capital Expenditure and Expected Expenditure, Australia, Dec 1999 to Sep 2000	5609.0	Monthly	201.00	Y
	Inventories and Sales, Selected Industries, Australia, Dec 1999 to Sep 2000	5625.0	Quarterly	67.00	Y
	Cash Management Trusts, Australia: Data Report, Dec 1999 to Nov 2000	5629.0	Quarterly	69.00	Y
	Public Unit Trusts, Australia, Dec 1999 to Sep 2000	5635.0.40.001	Monthly	504.00	
	State Estimates of Private New Capital Expenditure, Dec 1999 to Sep 2000	5645.0.40.001	Quarterly	168.00	
	Company Profits, Australia, Dec 1999 to Sep 2000	5646.0	Quarterly	71.00	Y
	Managed Funds, Australia, Dec 1999 to Sep 2000	5651.0	Quarterly	65.00	Y
	Common Funds, Australia, Dec 1999 to Sep 2000	5655.0	Quarterly	69.00	Y
	Assets and Liabilities of Friendly Societies, Australia, Dec 1999 to Sep 2000	5657.0.40.001	Quarterly	168.00	
	Lending Finance, Australia, Dec 1999 to Oct 2000	5660.0.40.001	Quarterly	168.00	
		5671.0	Monthly	195.00	Y

## 5609.0

### Housing Finance for Owner Occupation, Australia

An important Economic Indicator, featuring information on the number and value of secured finance commitments made by banks, permanent building societies, mortgage managers and other lenders, provided to individuals/households for the purchase of owner occupied housing. The publication reports lending for the construction of dwellings, the purchase of new and established dwellings, for the refinancing of existing dwellings and for alterations and additions to dwellings.

## 5611.0

### Finance, Australia

Includes comprehensive tables, graphs, commentaries, feature articles and technical notes. It is primarily a reference document, providing a broad basis for analysis and research on the Australian finance sector. It also includes statistics on the finance sector enterprises; the finance industry and its role and contribution to the economy in terms of financial intermediation, use of the labour force, labour costs, and contribution to GDP; some globalisation indicators; and data about the financial markets. The publication also includes statistics on interest rates, exchange rates and Australian Stock Exchange indexes and selected international comparisons.

<b>CONSUMER PRICES AND PRICE INDEXES</b>	<b>Cat. no.</b>	<b>Frequency</b>	<b>2000 Sub. cost</b>	<b>Email delivery available</b>
Consumer Price Index, Australia, Dec 1999 to Sep 2000	6401.0	Quarterly	73.00	Y
Average Retail Prices of Selected Items, Eight Capital Cities, Dec 1999 to Sep 2000	6403.0	Quarterly	63.00	Y
House Price Indexes: Eight Capital Cities, Dec 1999 to Sep 2000	6416.0	Quarterly	63.00	Y
NR Producer Price Index For Selected Service Industries, Australia, Mar 2000 to Sep 2000	6423.0	Quarterly	52.50	Y

## 6416.0 House Price Indexes: Eight Capital Cities

Provides estimates of changes in housing prices in each of the eight capital cities of Australia. The information is presented in the form of price indexes constructed separately for established houses and for project homes.

The index for established houses is derived from changes in the prices of detached residential dwellings on their own block of land regardless of age (i.e. including new houses sold as a house/land package as well as second-hand houses) and therefore relates to changes in the total price of dwelling and land.

The index for project homes is derived from changes in the prices of dwellings available for construction on a client's block of land and therefore relates to changes in the price of the dwelling excluding land.

## 6423.0 Producer Price Indexes for Selected Service Industries, Australia

In recognition of the increasing contribution of service industries to the Australian economy, the ABS has embarked on a long-term development program to progressively extend the scope of the producer price indexes into the service sectors of the economy.

Price index series produced can be used for the following purposes:

- be of use in their own right for industry analysis;
- assist in improving the quality of national accounts by providing a wider range of deflators for deriving real measures of economic growth; and
- contribute to the development of new measures of inflation through expanding the coverage of the indexes compiled under the Stage of Production framework.

This publication presents experimental producer price indexes for the output of the Transport and Storage, and Property and Business Services industries. Price Indexes presented will cover the ANZSIC Divisions, Sub-Divisions, Groups and selected Classes.

	Cat. no.	Frequency	2000 Sub. cost	Email delivery available
<b>BUILDING PRICE INDEXES</b>				
Price Index of Materials Used in Building Other Than House Building, Six State Capital Cities, Dec 1999 to Sep 2000	6407.0	Quarterly	69.00	Y
Price Index of Materials Used in House Building, Six State Capital Cities, Dec 1999 to Sep 2000	6408.0	Quarterly	63.00	Y
Price Index of Western Australian Produced Hardwoods, Dec 1999 to Sep 2000	6410.5	Quarterly	63.00	Y
<b>MANUFACTURING PRICE INDEXES</b>				
Price Indexes of Copper Materials, Australia, Dec 1999 to Sep 2000	6410.0	Quarterly	63.00	Y
Price Indexes of Materials Used in Manufacturing Industries, Australia, Dec 1999 to Sep 2000	6411.0	Quarterly	65.00	Y
Price Indexes of Articles Produced by Manufacturing Industry, Australia, Dec 1999 to Sep 2000	6412.0	Quarterly	63.00	Y
<b>INTERNATIONAL TRADE PRICE INDEXES</b>				
Export Price Index, Australia, Dec 1999 to Sep 2000	6405.0	Quarterly	63.00	Y
Import Price Index, Australia, Dec 1999 to Sep 2000	6414.0	Quarterly	67.00	Y
<b>MINING PRICE INDEXES</b>				
Price Indexes of Materials Used in Coal Mining, Australia, Dec 1999 to Sep 2000	6415.0	Quarterly	63.00	Y
<b>INCOME, CONSUMPTION AND NET WORTH</b>				
Household Expenditure Survey, Australia: Detailed Expenditure Items, 1998–99	6535.0	Five Yearly	26.00	

## What are the Producer Price Indexes?

The Producer Price Indexes (PPIs) are a measure of changes in the producers' prices, similar to the better known Consumer Price Index (CPI). While the CPI measures changes in retail prices paid by households for goods and services, the PPIs measure changes in the prices of products sold to businesses. Producer Price Indexes are compiled for the following sectors of the economy:

- building and construction—price indexes are produced which measure changes in the prices which measure changes in the prices of materials used in constructing: (a) houses; and (b) other buildings (e.g. office blocks, shopping centres, schools, hospitals etc.).
- manufacturing industry—price indexes are compiled measuring changes in: (a) prices paid by manufacturers for materials used in producing manufactured goods; and (b) prices received by manufacturers for articles they produce.
- international trade—price indexes are produced which measure changes in the prices of merchandise exports and imports.

### Product Changes

The final issue of *Consumer Price Index: Effect of Changes in Prices of Imported Items* (6444.0) was June quarter, 1999. Replaced in September quarter 1999 with new indexes for "Tradeables" and "Non-tradeables" and published in *Consumer Price Index, Australia* (6401.0). These indexes decompose the CPI, at the expenditure class level, into items which are, or could be, internationally traded or not. The compilation of the "tradeables" and "non-tradeables" indexes are described in an appendix to the September quarter 1999 issue of 6401.0.

<b>MANUFACTURING—GENERAL</b>	<b>Cat. no.</b>	<b>Frequency</b>	<b>2000 Sub. cost</b>	<b>Email delivery available</b>
Manufacturing Industry, Australia, Preliminary, 1998–99	8201.0	Annual	15.00	
Manufacturing Industry, Australia, 1998–99	8221.0	Annual	21.00	
Manufacturing Industry, New South Wales and Australian Capital Territory, 1998–99	8221.1	Annual	21.00	
Manufacturing Industry, Victoria, 1998–99	8221.2	Annual	20.00	
Manufacturing Industry, Queensland, 1998–99	8221.3	Annual	20.00	
Manufacturing Industry, South Australia, 1998–99	8221.4	Annual	20.00	
Manufacturing Industry, Western Australia, 1998–99	8221.5	Annual	20.00	
Manufacturing Industry, Tasmania, 1998–99	8221.6	Annual	19.50	
Manufacturing, Australia, 2000	8225.0	Annual	30.00	
<b>MANUFACTURING COMMODITY PRODUCTION</b>				
Manufacturing Production, Australia, Dec 1999 to Sep 2000	8301.0	Quarterly	63.00	Y
Manufacturing Production, Commodities Produced, Australia, 1998–99	8365.0	Annual	21.00	
<b>ELECTRICITY AND GAS</b>				
Electricity, Gas, Water and Sewerage Operations, Australia, 1998–99	8226.0	Biennial	19.50	

## 8201.0

### Manufacturing Industry, Australia, Preliminary, 1998–99

Preliminary estimates from the annual Manufacturing collection. Contains data on employment, wages and salaries, turnover and industry value added classified by State/Territory and Australian and New Zealand Standard Industrial Classification subdivision.

## 8221.0

### Manufacturing Industry, Australia, 1998–99

Presents final results for establishments in Australia from the annual Manufacturing collection. Shows details of employment, wages and salaries, turnover and industry value added classified by industry class. Also includes industry subdivision data classified by employment size, State and Territory, data related to exporting activity, selected labour costs, components of industry value added and net capital expenditure, and chain volume measures of industry value added.

## 8225.0

### Manufacturing, Australia, 2000

Presents a variety of statistical information about manufacturing in Australia. Details have been compiled for 1998–99 from several ABS quarterly surveys and for 1997–98 and some earlier years from the annual Manufacturing collection and other annual surveys. Much of the 1997–98 data is previously unpublished information. Also included are articles prepared by other organisations or based on non-ABS statistical data. Generally, data are presented by broad industry within manufacturing. Topics include industry performance, employment and output levels, export activity, cost structures and profits including brief analysis of short, medium and longer term trends in industry structure and performance. Also presents information on the characteristics of the manufacturing workforce.



RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT	Cat. no.	Frequency	2000 Sub. cost	Email delivery available
Research and Experimental Development, Businesses, Australia, 1998–99	8104.0	Annual	16.50	
Research and Experimental Development, General Government and Private Non-Profit Organisations, Australia, 1998–99	8109.0	Biennial	18.50	
Research and Experimental Development, Higher Education Organisations, Australia, 1998	8111.0	Biennial	17.00	
Research and Experimental Development, All Sector Summary, Australia, 1998–99	8112.0	Biennial	19.00	
INDUSTRY WIDE INDICATORS				
Information Technology, Australia, 1998–99	8126.0	Biennial	18.50	
Information Technology, Australia, Preliminary, 1998–99	8143.0	Irregular	15.00	
Characteristics of Small Business, Australia, 1999	8127.0	Biennial	28.00	
Household Use of Information Technology, Australia, Feb 2000	8128.0	Biennial	18.00	
Business Operations and Industry Performance, Australia, 1998–99	8140.0	Annual	21.00	
Summary of Industry Performance, 1999	8140.0.40.002	Annual	850.00	
Business Operations and Industry Performance, Australia, Preliminary, 2000	8142.0	Annual	15.50	
Telecommunication Services, Australia, 1998–99	8145.0	Biennial	17.50	
Household Use of Information Technology, Australia, 1999	8146.0	Annual	21.00	
Use of the Internet by Householders, Australia, Nov 1999 to Aug 2000	8147.0	Quarterly	65.00	Y
NR Use of Information Technology on Farms, Australia, 1998–99	8150.0	Annual	17.00	

## 8126.0 Information Technology, Australia

Contains details of the structure and performance of the group of information technology related industries in Australia. It also contains details of the information technology goods and services produced in Australia and the imports and exports of these goods and services.

Preliminary data are contained in *Information Technology, Australia, Preliminary* (8143.0).

## 8146.0 Household Use of Information Technology, Australia, 1999

Presents statistics (including State estimates) on the use of selected items of information technology by households in Australia. These results are based on the combined responses to surveys conducted in February,

May, August and November 1999. The publication also presents statistics on the population of computer and Internet users both in the home, at work and other locations.

## 8147.0 Use of the Internet by Householders, Australia

Presents a range of statistics on the use of the Internet by Australian householders. Some of the statistics presented include: number of persons accessing the Internet by place of access; Internet activities (including purchasing activities done over the Internet). Data are cross-classified by a range of demographic variables such as age, sex, ethnicity, occupation and labour force status.



<b>MINING—GENERAL</b>	<b>Cat. no.</b>	<b>Frequency</b>	<b>2000 Sub. cost</b>	<b>Email delivery available</b>
Price Indexes of Materials Used in Coal Mining, Australia, Dec 1999 to Sep 2000	6415.0	Quarterly	63.00	Y
Mining, Electricity and Gas Operations, Australia, Preliminary, 1998–99	8401.0	Annual	15.50	
Australian Mining Industry, 1998–99	8414.0	Biennial	28.00	
<b>MINERAL EXPLORATION</b>				
Mineral and Petroleum Exploration, Australia, Dec 1999 to Sep 2000	8412.0	Quarterly	65.00	Y

## 8414.0 Australian Mining Industry, 1998–99

Provides a broad picture of the structure of the mining industry; mineral reserves; mineral and petroleum exploration; mineral production; financial operations of mining establishments and management units; selected

industry operating ratios; employment and wages and salaries; mineral royalties; imports and exports; and international comparisons.

# Agriculture

<b>AGRICULTURE—GENERAL</b>	<b>Cat. no.</b>	<b>Frequency</b>	<b>2000 Sub. cost</b>	<b>Email delivery available</b>
Australian Wine and Grape Industry 2000	1329.0	Annual	24.00	
Australian Farming in Brief, 2000	7106.0	Annual	1.20	
Agriculture, Australia, 1998–99	7113.0	Annual	30.00	
<b>AGRICULTURAL COMMODITY PRODUCTION</b>				
Principal Agricultural Commodities, Australia, Preliminary, 1999–2000	7111.0	Annual	17.00	
Agricultural Commodities, Australia, 1998–99	7121.0	Annual	16.50	
Livestock Products, Australia, Dec 1999 to Sep 2000	7215.0	Quarterly	73.00	Y
Livestock and Meat, Australia, Nov 1999 to Oct 2000	7218.0	Monthly	189.00	Y
<b>VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTION</b>				
Value of Principal Agricultural Commodities Produced, Australia, Preliminary, 1999–2000	7501.0	Annual	16.50	
<b>AGRICULTURAL FINANCE</b>				
Agricultural Industries, Financial Statistics, Australia, Preliminary, 1998–99	7506.0	Annual	15.50	

### Product Changes

*Apparent Consumption of Selected Foodstuffs, Australia (4306.0) and Apparent Consumption of Selected Foodstuffs, Australia, Preliminary (4315.0) are currently under review. Subscribers to these products will be notified of the outcomes when the review is finalised.*

		Cat. no.	Frequency	2000 Sub. cost	Email delivery available
<b>TRANSPORT</b>					
NR	Public Transport and Emergency Services Usage, Australian Capital Territory, 1999	1366.8	Irregular	17.00	
	Survey of Motor Vehicle Use, Australia, 31 Jul 1999	9208.0	Irregular	18.50	
<b>MOTOR VEHICLE REGISTRATIONS</b>					
	New Motor Vehicle Registrations, Australia: Preliminary, Dec 1999 to Nov 2000	9301.0	Monthly	189.00	Y
	New Motor Vehicle Registrations, Australia, Nov 1999 to Oct 2000	9303.0.40.003	Monthly	504.00	
	Motor Vehicle Census, Australia, 30 Oct 1999	9309.0	Annual	19.50	

## 9301.0 New Motor Vehicle Registrations, Australia: Preliminary

Registrations of new passenger vehicles, light commercials, rigid and articulated trucks, non-freight carrying trucks, buses and motor cycles. Seasonally adjusted and trend estimated registrations for

passenger vehicles, 'other' and 'total' vehicles; and total vehicles by State and Territory. Also includes information on top seven passenger vehicle makes by top three models for those makes.

# S e r v i c e I n d u s t r i e s

		Cat. no.	Frequency	2000 Sub. cost	Email delivery available
<b>RETAIL</b>					
	Average Retail Prices of Selected Items, Eight Capital Cities, Dec 1999 to Sep 2000	6403.0	Quarterly	63.00	Y
	Retail Trade, Australia, Nov 1999 to Oct 2000	8501.0	Monthly	207.00	Y
	Sales of Australian Wine and Brandy by Winemakers, Nov 1999 to Oct 2000	8504.0	Monthly	189.00	Y
	Retail Industry, Australia, 1998–99	8622.0	Irregular	18.50	
	Retail Industry, Australia: Commodity Sales, 1998–99	8624.0	Irregular	19.50	
<b>TOURIST ACCOMMODATION</b>					
	Tourism Indicators, Australia, Sep 1999 to Jun 2000	8634.0	Quarterly	100.00	Y
	Tourist Accommodation, Australia, Dec 1999 to Sep 2000	8635.0	Quarterly	81.50	Y
	Tourist Accommodation, Small Area Data, New South Wales, Dec 1999 to Sep 2000	8635.1.40.001	Quarterly	253.00	
	Tourist Accommodation, Small Area Data, Victoria, Dec 1999 to Sep 2000	8635.2.40.001	Quarterly	253.00	
	Tourist Accommodation, Small Area Data, Queensland, Dec 1999 to Sep 2000	8635.3.40.001	Quarterly	253.00	
	Tourist Accommodation, Small Area Data, South Australia, Dec 1999 to Sep 2000	8635.4.40.001	Quarterly	190.00	
	Tourist Accommodation, Small Area Data, Western Australia, Dec 1999 to Sep 2000	8635.5.40.001	Quarterly	190.00	
	Tourist Accommodation, Small Area Data, Tasmania, Dec 1999 to Sep 2000	8635.6.40.001	Quarterly	172.00	
	Tourist Accommodation, Small Area Data, Northern Territory, Dec 1999 to Sep 2000	8635.7.40.001	Quarterly	172.00	

OTHER SERVICE INDUSTRIES		Cat. no.	Frequency	2000 Sub. cost	Email delivery available
NR	Market Research Services, Australia, 1998–99	8556.0	Irregular	17.00	
NR	Security and Investigative Services, Australia, 1998–99	8557.0	Irregular	17.00	
NR	Employment Services, Australia, 1998–99	8558.0	Irregular	18.50	
	Wholesale Industry, Australia, 1998–99	8638.0	Irregular	18.50	
	Cafes and Restaurants Industry, Australia, 1998–99	8655.0	Irregular	17.00	
	Real Estate Agents Industry, Australia, 1998–99	8663.0	Irregular	17.00	
	Legal Services Industry, Australia, 1998–99	8667.0	Irregular	18.00	
	Computing Services Industry, Australia, 1998–99	8669.0	Irregular	18.00	
	Cleaning Services Industry, Australia, 1998–99	8672.0	Irregular	17.50	
	Casinos, Australia, 1999–2000	8683.0	Annual	17.50	

## 8556.0 Market Research Services, Australia, 1998–99

Contains information about the market research services industry. The data include: major sources of income, components of expenditure, characteristics of employment, performance ratios and key characteristics by State.

## 8557.0 Security and Investigative Services, Australia, 1998–99

Contains information about the security and investigative services industry. The data include: industry analysis, selected performance ratios, income and expenditure, employment, State information, and selected characteristics about the security and investigative services industry.

## 8558.0 Employment Services, Australia, 1998–99

Contains information on businesses involved in providing employment placement services and/or contract staff (labour-hire) services in Australia. The data include: major sources of income, components of expenditure, characteristics of employment, job placements and on-hire, performance ratios and key characteristics by State. Selected dissections will also provide data on elements of the industry such as the national Job Network.

## 8667.0 Legal Services Industry, Australia, 1998–99

Contains the number of enterprises, employment, wages and salaries, items of income and expenses, net operating surplus and data by business size. Some data are classified by State. Additional detail, including various operating ratios, is not included in these publications but is available on request.

### Product Changes

*Legal Services Industry, Australia* (8667.0) to be released in 2000 was previously combined with *Accounting Services* and last released in *Legal and Accounting Services, Australia* (8678.0) in 1997.

Data contained in *Cafes and Restaurants Industry, Australia* (8655.0) to be released in 2000 was previously released in *Hospitality Industries, Australia* (8674.0) in 1994.

BUILDING AND CONSTRUCTION ACTIVITY—GENERAL		Cat. no.	Frequency	2000 Sub. cost	Email delivery available
NR	Directory of Construction Statistics 2000	1139.0	Irregular	58.00	
BUILDING PRICE INDEXES					
	Price Index of Materials Used in Building Other Than House Building, Six State Capital Cities, Dec 1999 to Sep 2000	6407.0	Quarterly	69.00	Y
	Price Index of Materials Used in House Building, Six State Capital Cities, Dec 1999 to Sep 2000	6408.0	Quarterly	63.00	Y
	House Price Indexes: Eight Capital Cities, Dec 1999 to Sep 2000	6416.0	Quarterly	63.00	Y
BUILDING APPROVALS					
	Building Approvals, Australia, Nov 1999 to Oct 2000	8731.0	Monthly	213.00	Y
	Building Approvals, New South Wales and Australian Capital Territory, Nov 1999 to Oct 2000	8731.1	Monthly	225.00	Y
	Building Approvals, Victoria, Nov 1999 to Oct 2000	8731.2	Monthly	219.00	Y
	Building Approvals, Queensland, Nov 1999 to Oct 2000	8731.3	Monthly	213.00	Y
	Building Approvals, South Australia, Nov 1999 to Oct 2000	8731.4	Monthly	213.00	Y
	Building Approvals, Western Australia, Nov 1999 to Oct 2000	8731.5	Monthly	213.00	Y
	Building Approvals, Tasmania, Nov 1999 to Oct 2000	8731.6	Monthly	201.00	Y
	Building Approvals, Northern Territory, Nov 1999 to Oct 2000	8731.7	Monthly	201.00	Y

## 1139.0

### Directory of Construction Statistics

Contains comprehensive information on sources of construction statistics in the public, private and academic sectors. For each building and construction data item, the directory provides comments on data, geographic coverage, frequency of publication and other information to help the reader identify the type of statistics available and how to access them. The directory is structured to provide information on four major aspects of building and construction statistics: building industry activity; businesses operating in the industry; people in the industry and labour market aspects; and living and working arrangements in the building environment. It also provides useful indexes to help find the information about specific collections.

## 6416.0

### House Price Indexes: Eight Capital Cities

Provides estimates of changes in housing prices in each of the eight capital cities of Australia. The information is presented in the form of price indexes constructed separately for established houses and for project homes.

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The index for project homes is derived from changes in the prices of dwellings available for construction on a client's block of land and therefore relates to changes in the price of the dwelling excluding land.

<b>BUILDING ACTIVITY</b>	<b>Cat. no.</b>	<b>Frequency</b>	<b>2000 Sub. cost</b>	<b>Email delivery available</b>
Building Activity, Australia: Dwelling Unit Commencements, Preliminary, Dec 1999 to Sep 2000	8750.0	Quarterly	63.00	Y
Building Activity, Australia, Sep 1999 to Jun 2000	8752.0	Quarterly	79.00	Y
Building Activity, New South Wales, Sep 1999 to Jun 2000	8752.1	Quarterly	69.00	Y
Building Activity, Victoria, Sep 1999 to Jun 2000	8752.2	Quarterly	69.00	Y
Building Activity, Queensland, Sep 1999 to Jun 2000	8752.3	Quarterly	69.00	Y
Building Activity, South Australia, Sep 1999 to Jun 2000	8752.4	Quarterly	69.00	Y
Building Activity, Western Australia, Sep 1999 to Jun 2000	8752.5	Quarterly	69.00	Y
Building Activity, Tasmania, Sep 1999 to Jun 2000	8752.6	Quarterly	69.00	Y
Building Activity, Northern Territory, Sep 1999 to Jun 2000	8752.7	Quarterly	67.00	Y
Building Activity, Australian Capital Territory, Sep 1999 to Jun 2000	8752.8	Quarterly	69.00	Y
Building Activity, Building Work Done, Australia, Preliminary, Dec 1999 to Sep 2000	8755.0	Quarterly	63.00	Y
Engineering Construction Activity, Australia, Sep 1999 to Jun 2000	8762.0	Quarterly	81.00	Y

## 8752.0 Building Activity, Australia

Presents building activity statistics, for each State and Territory, and for private and public sectors for Australia. Includes number of dwelling units and value of building work commenced, completed, and done during the period, and work yet to be done. Information is provided for residential buildings (houses and other residential), alterations and additions to residential buildings and non-residential buildings by class of building (e.g. hotels, offices, etc.). Includes seasonally adjusted and trend estimates of the number of dwelling units and value of building commenced, completed, and value of work done. Also includes value of building commenced and value of work done in chain volume measures, with the reference year being the year prior to the latest complete financial year.

## 8762.0 Engineering Construction Activity, Australia

Includes information on the value of engineering construction work done; value of commencements and value of work yet to be done classified by State or Territory; commodity (roads, bridges, pipelines, etc.); public/private sector undertaking work, and sector for whom the work is being done. Includes seasonally adjusted estimates of the value of work done by sector in both current prices and in chain volume measures, with the reference year being the year prior to the latest complete financial year.

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### 1353.0

#### Integrated Regional Database (IRDB) Australia

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### 2019.0.30.001–2019.8.30.001 CDATA96

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*CDATA96* is a valuable planning tool for any organisation. It provides easy access to the most up to date information available on Australia's population and society. Specific demographic information available includes age, education, housing, income, transport, religion, ethnicity, occupation, and many more, from a single Collection District to an entire State, or the Australia-wide level.

*CDATA96* can be purchased on an individual State or Territory basis or for the whole of Australia. Other data are available as separate datapaks, individually priced, in formats suitable for direct import into *CDATA96*. These datapaks comprise Socio-Economic Indexes for Areas 96, a Detailed Base Map which contains streets and other topographic features, and other Community Profiles—such as the Indigenous, Usual Residents, Expanded, and Working Population Profiles. For a full demonstration of what *CDATA96* can offer your organisation, contact your nearest ABS State/Territory office.

### 2033.0.30.001–2033.8.30.001 Socio-Economic Indexes for Areas 96

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*SEIFA96* provides information and rankings for a wide range of geographic areas—from small areas such as Collection District and Postal Area, through to larger areas such as Statistical Divisions and State. *SEIFA96* also enables you to tailor area profiles to your own unique specifications.



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## 2037.0

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