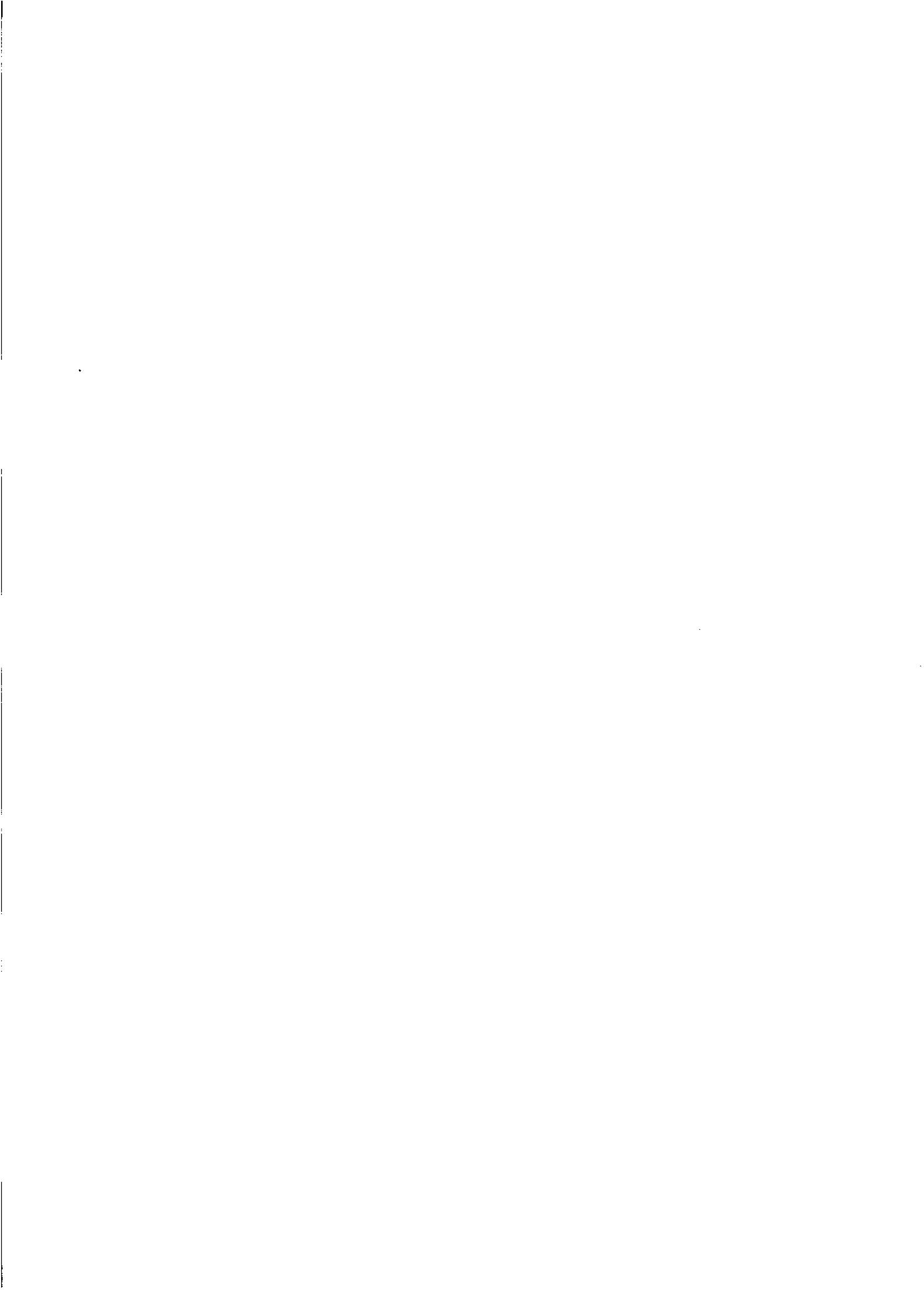




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Category	Value
Population	22 million
GDP	\$1 trillion
Inflation	3%
Unemployment	5%



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n.a.	not available
n.c.c.	not elsewhere classified
n.c.s.	not elsewhere stated
n.y.a.	not yet available
.	not applicable
n.p.	not available for publication unless otherwise indicated but included in totals where applicable
p	preliminary — figure or series may be subject to revision
r	figures or series revised since previous issue
—	nil or rounded to zero
—	break in continuity of series (where drawn across a column between two consecutive figures)
*	subject to sampling variability too high for most practical purposes.

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**ESTIMATED RESIDENT POPULATION(a)
('000)**

<i>Period</i>	<i>NSW</i>	<i>Vic.</i>	<i>Qld</i>	<i>SA</i>	<i>WA</i>	<i>Tas.</i>	<i>NT</i>	<i>ACT(b)</i>	<i>Australia(c)</i>
As at 30 June									
1989	5 776.3	4 320.2	2 827.6	1 419.0	1 578.4	455.3	161.2	276.4	16 814.4
1990	5 834.0	4 378.6	2 899.3	1 432.1	1 613.0	462.2	163.7	282.2	17 065.1
1991	5 898.7	4 420.4	2 961.0	1 446.3	1 636.1	466.8	165.5	289.3	17 284.0
1992	5 958.7	4 451.0	3 032.8	1 457.6	1 657.4	469.7	167.4	294.5	17 489.1
1993	5 997.4	4 464.2	3 116.0	1 462.9	1 676.3	471.4	169.3	298.9	17 656.4
1994 p	6 051.4	4 476.1	3 196.9	1 469.8	1 701.9	472.4	171.1	300.9	17 843.3
1993									
September p	6 012.4	4 466.3	3 138.1	1 465.1	1 682.2	471.8	170.2	299.0	17 707.8
December p	6 023.2	4 468.0	3 155.2	1 466.6	1 687.3	472.0	170.5	299.3	17 744.9
1994									
March p	6 041.1	4 473.3	3 177.9	1 468.6	1 695.6	472.1	170.8	300.2	17 802.3
June p	6 051.4	4 476.1	3 196.9	1 469.8	1 701.9	472.4	171.1	300.9	17 843.3
September p	6 068.9	4 482.1	3 216.5	1 471.0	1 710.0	472.6	171.4	301.5	17 896.7
December p	6 081.2	4 487.0	3 233.9	1 471.9	1 715.3	472.6	172.2	301.7	17 938.5

(a) Includes an estimate of residents not enumerated at the Census and an estimate of residents temporarily overseas. (b) Includes Jervis Bay Territory prior to September 1993. (c) Includes 'Other Territories' which comprise Jervis Bay Territory and, as from September 1993, Christmas Island and the Cocos (Keeling) Islands.

COMPONENTS OF RESIDENT POPULATION GROWTH, YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 1994, PRELIMINARY

	<i>NSW</i>	<i>Vic.</i>	<i>Qld</i>	<i>SA</i>	<i>WA</i>	<i>Tas.</i>	<i>NT</i>	<i>ACT(a)</i>	<i>Australia(a)</i>
NUMBER									
Natural increase	44 468	32 444	26 191	8 230	14 809	2 944	2 914	3 266	135 301
Net migration									
Overseas	23 087	11 363	5 659	2 126	7 065	225	431	-353	49 603
Interstate	-13 541	-31 895	49 066	3 466	3 664	-2 162	-1 515	-151	..
Total	9 546	-20 532	54 725	1 340	10 729	-1 937	-1 084	-504	49 603
Total increase	54 014	11 912	80 916	6 890	25 538	1 007	1 830	2 762	184 904
RATE OF GROWTH (per cent)									
Natural increase	0.74	0.73	0.84	0.56	0.88	0.62	1.72	1.09	0.77
Net migration									
Overseas	0.38	0.25	0.18	0.15	0.42	0.05	0.25	-0.12	0.28
Interstate	-0.23	-0.71	1.57	-0.24	0.22	-0.46	0.89	-0.05	..
Total	0.16	-0.46	1.76	0.09	0.64	-0.41	-0.64	-0.17	0.28
Total increase	0.90	0.27	2.60	0.47	1.52	0.21	1.08	0.67	1.06

(a) Includes Jervis Bay Territory.

**MEAN RESIDENT POPULATION(a)
('000)**

<i>Period</i>	<i>NSW</i>	<i>Vic.</i>	<i>Qld</i>	<i>SA</i>	<i>WA</i>	<i>Tas.</i>	<i>NT</i>	<i>ACT(b)</i>	<i>Australia(c)</i>
1989	5 777.4	4 321.5	2 826.3	1 419.2	1 578.6	455.4	161.3	276.6	16 816.4
1990	5 833.7	4 377.4	2 898.5	1 432.4	1 612.5	461.8	163.5	282.2	17 062.0
1991	5 899.2	4 420.8	2 962.4	1 446.3	1 636.6	466.7	165.8	288.8	17 286.5
1992	5 958.5	4 450.3	3 034.7	1 457.2	1 657.9	469.6	167.5	294.2	17 489.9
1993 p	6 001.4	4 464.9	3 117.2	1 463.3	1 677.0	471.5	169.6	298.9	17 663.8
1994 p	6 053.9	4 477.4	3 196.7	1 469.7	1 702.4	472.4	171.1	300.8	17 847.2
1988-89	5 749.0	4 294.6	2 783.2	1 412.6	1 558.5	452.9	160.4	274.4	16 685.6
1989-90	5 802.6	4 349.0	2 865.0	1 425.6	1 596.7	458.5	162.2	279.1	16 938.6
1990-91	5 865.7	4 401.6	2 930.2	1 439.3	1 625.2	464.6	164.9	285.5	17 176.9
1991-92	5 931.0	4 437.1	2 997.3	1 452.4	1 647.5	468.4	166.7	291.7	17 392.1
1992-93 r	5 981.0	4 459.6	3 075.1	1 460.3	1 667.4	470.7	168.4	296.8	17 579.3
1993-94 p	6 025.8	4 469.6	3 157.3	1 466.7	1 688.7	471.9	170.5	299.5	17 752.7

(a) For the method of calculation of mean populations see *Australian Demographic Statistics* (31 01.0). Further explanation of this procedure is available on request to the ABS. (b) Includes Jervis Bay Territory prior to September 1993. (c) Includes 'Other Territories' which comprise Jervis Bay Territory and, as from September 1993, Christmas Island and the Cocos (Keeling) Islands.

2 POPULATION AND DEMOGRAPHIC STATISTICS

ESTIMATED RESIDENT POPULATION(a), CAPITAL CITIES AND OTHER MAJOR CITIES, 30 JUNE 1988 TO 1994 ('000)

	1988	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994p
Sydney(b)	3 591.0	3 622.9	3 643.7	3 672.9	3 699.8	3 713.3	3 738.5
Melbourne(b)	3 043.6	3 086.6	3 126.9	3 156.7	3 179.5	3 189.0	3 198.2
Brisbane(b)	1 264.5	1 300.2	1 330.9	1 358.0	1 387.3	1 421.6	1 454.8
Adelaide(b)	1 021.1	1 033.5	1 044.6	1 057.2	1 066.6	1 071.1	1 076.4
Perth(b)	1 110.5	1 147.4	1 175.4	1 188.8	1 205.5	1 221.2	1 239.4
Hobart(b)	184.2	185.9	189.0	191.0	192.3	193.2	194.2
Darwin(b)	75.9	76.0	76.5	76.7	77.4	77.9	78.1
Canberra - Queanbeyan(c)	294.9	299.7	305.8	313.3	319.4	324.5	328.0
Newcastle(c)	427.0	432.9	439.0	444.9	450.7	454.8	460.2
Wollongong(c)	238.4	240.6	242.8	244.9	247.4	249.5	251.4
Gold Coast - Tweed(c)	242.3	261.0	271.7	279.6	290.0	300.2	314.0
Geelong(c)	148.3	149.1	151.0	151.6	152.1	152.7	152.2
Townsville(c)	110.3	112.6	114.7	116.2	118.4	119.6	122.5
Sunshine Coast	97.6	106.8	112.8	119.3	125.4	133.6	141.4

(a) Based on 1993 city boundaries. (b) Capital City Statistical Division. (c) Statistical District of 100 000 or more.

LIVE BIRTHS REGISTERED

Quarter	NSW	Vic.	Qld	SA	WA	Tas.	NT	ACT	Australia
1993									
September	22 520	16 240	12 104	5 157	6 296	1 710	905	1 170	66 102
December	21 703	15 555	10 755	5 012	6 146	1 647	857	1 150	62 825
1994									
March p	21 156	16 682	11 019	5 029	6 408	1 800	936	1 213	64 243
June p	22 503	16 061	12 578	4 832	6 449	1 571	953	1 276	66 223
September p	21 991	16 180	11 765	4 532	6 257	1 706	889	1 084	64 404
December p	21 907	15 499	11 119	5 082	6 000	1 704	832	1 234	63 377

DEATHS REGISTERED

Quarter	NSW	Vic.	Qld	SA	WA	Tas.	NT	ACT	Australia
1993									
September	12 022	8 545	5 649	3 159	2 976	993	186	316	33 846
December	10 527	7 617	4 754	2 987	2 600	878	220	322	29 905
1994									
March p	9 955	7 564	5 188	2 725	2 428	948	170	332	29 310
June p	10 912	8 052	5 069	2 862	2 519	946	171	334	30 865
September p	13 270	9 140	6 301	3 210	2 813	1 174	225	317	36 450
December p	10 339	7 557	5 272	2 928	2 537	882	206	363	30 084

MARRIAGES REGISTERED

Quarter	NSW	Vic.	Qld	SA	WA	Tas.	NT	ACT	Australia
1993									
September	7 405	4 092	5 737	1 409	1 454	431	269	267	21 064
December	11 598	8 080	5 306	2 715	3 263	786	152	551	32 451
1994									
March p	8 996	8 866	4 471	2 780	3 113	914	116	494	29 750
June p	9 708	6 276	5 483	2 011	2 486	829	244	416	27 453
September p	7 192	4 149	5 266	1 370	1 462	378	275	372	20 364
December p	12 918	7 681	5 577	2 748	3 305	768	131	479	33 607

DIVORCES GRANTED

Year	NSW	Vic.	Qld	SA	WA	Tas.	NT	ACT	Australia
1989	12 743	10 253	7 123	3 740	4 089	1 269	435	1 731	41 383
1990	12 414	10 406	8 509	4 066	3 845	1 170	421	1 804	42 635
1991	13 151	11 134	8 934	4 215	4 446	1 383	397	1 970	45 630
1992	13 949	10 533	8 984	4 074	4 540	1 365	345	1 875	45 665
1993	14 753	11 050	9 935	4 063	4 654	1 465	343	2 061	48 324
1994 p	13 999	11 320	9 762	4 192	5 024	1 544	344	2 071	48 256

OVERSEAS ARRIVALS

Period	Settlers	Long-term arrivals				Short-term arrivals		Excess of arrivals over departures	
		Australian residents		Overseas visitors		Australian residents	Overseas visitors	Total arrivals	Permanent and long-term
		Permanent arrivals	Long-term arrivals	Overseas visitors	Short-term arrivals	Total arrivals	Total		
1992	94 250	66 160	60 050	2 166 300	2 603 300	4 990 100	76 790	36 700	
1993	65 680	73 430	58 830	2 215 200	2 996 200	5 409 300	57 510	70 800	
1994	77 940	78 060	65 910	2 302 500	3 361 700	5 886 200	80 240	76 000	
1994									
April	5 480	4 880	4 240	170 700	255 100	440 400	3 320	- 32 400	
May	5 840	4 270	2 990	157 800	214 900	385 800	3 240	58 900	
June	7 040	5 520	3 440	167 700	230 900	414 600	5 170	- 42 400	
July	6 690	7 230	8 790	240 800	282 500	546 000	10 800	75 600	
August	6 970	5 820	3 900	190 400	265 400	472 500	5 230	- 16 800	
September	7 220	6 110	3 870	214 800	254 000	486 000	7 480	- 1 600	
October	6 930	6 280	4 300	254 200	301 600	573 300	8 670	108 000	
November	7 360	7 100	3 370	173 100	311 000	501 900	5 790	3 800	
December	7 610	11 870	3 330	140 300	384 000	547 100	4 820	- 39 200	
1995									
January	7 660	8 030	11 100	285 100	303 800	615 700	9 720	68 200	
February	7 110	5 910	16 590	175 200	319 100	523 800	17 890	56 800	
March	7 320	5 220	4 390	167 600	313 500	498 100	4 910	- 37 500	
April	7 790	5 620	5 040	186 700	294 200	499 300	7 180	- 27 800	
May	6 890	4 390	3 450	175 100	244 800	434 700	4 430	- 55 200	
June	7 900	5 480	3 920	183 700	261 400	462 400	6 120	- 27 400	

NOTE: Minus sign (-) denotes excess of departures over arrivals.

OVERSEAS DEPARTURES

Period	Permanent departures		Long-term departures		Short-term departures		Total departures
	Former settlers	Other residents	Australian residents	Overseas visitors	Australian residents	Overseas visitors	
	Permanent departures	Long-term departures	Short-term departures	Total departures			
1992	14 040	14 090	66 980	48 540	2 276 300	2 533 500	4 953 400
1993	13 280	14 800	64 300	48 050	2 267 100	2 931 000	5 338 500
1994	12 740	14 280	66 370	48 290	2 354 300	3 314 200	5 810 200
1994							
April	1 130	1 260	5 930	2 970	185 100	276 400	472 800
May	1 010	1 110	5 030	2 720	184 500	250 400	444 800
June	1 020	980	4 650	4 180	228 800	217 400	457 000
July	1 170	1 160	5 690	3 890	219 000	239 400	470 300
August	1 050	1 130	6 180	3 090	180 000	298 000	489 400
September	910	1 030	4 790	2 980	241 500	236 400	487 600
October	930	1 080	4 320	2 520	184 300	272 200	465 300
November	1 060	1 130	4 450	5 410	174 600	311 500	498 100
December	1 290	1 380	5 440	9 880	264 500	303 900	586 300
1995							
January	1 100	1 880	9 510	4 590	166 100	364 400	547 500
February	1 020	1 150	6 130	3 410	151 900	303 500	467 100
March	1 100	1 250	5 810	3 440	194 600	329 000	535 600
April	1 000	1 110	5 910	3 250	214 600	301 200	527 100
May	970	1 180	5 490	2 660	201 700	277 800	489 800
June	870	1 000	4 670	4 630	229 400	249 300	489 800

4 LABOUR STATISTICS

LABOUR FORCE STATUS OF THE CIVILIAN POPULATION AGED 15 AND OVER(a)(b)

Month	Unemployed											Participation rate(d)
	Employed		Looking for full-time work			Looking for part-time work		Labour force		Civilian population aged 15 and over	Unemployment rate(c)	
	Full-time workers	Part-time workers	Total	Aged 15-19 looking for first job	Total	Looking for part-time work	Total	Not in labour force	Population aged 15	- per cent -		
MALES												
1994												
May	4 041.4	473.0	4 514.4	29.7	465.5	45.3	510.9	5 025.3	1 823.8	6 849.1	10.2	73.4
June	4 053.4	481.4	4 534.8	30.3	450.5	48.2	498.7	5 033.5	1 822.2	6 855.7	9.9	73.4
July	4 095.4	490.4	4 585.7	24.9	422.0	45.8	467.8	5 053.5	1 809.5	6 863.1	9.3	73.6
August	4 039.6	496.2	4 535.8	23.4	427.8	45.0	472.8	5 008.6	1 861.8	6 870.5	9.4	72.9
September	4 117.2	489.4	4 606.6	25.5	425.9	58.3	484.2	5 090.8	1 787.1	6 877.9	9.5	74.0
October	4 094.1	516.2	4 610.3	23.9	395.5	44.6	440.2	5 050.5	1 834.8	6 885.3	8.7	73.4
November	4 092.5	493.9	4 586.4	25.2	405.5	47.6	453.1	5 039.5	1 853.2	6 892.8	9.0	73.1
December	4 162.0	516.3	4 672.3	39.4	418.5	51.1	469.7	5 142.0	1 758.2	6 900.2	9.1	74.5
1995												
January	4 111.6	484.2	4 595.8	39.6	454.8	57.8	512.6	5 108.4	1 800.8	6 909.2	10.0	73.9
February	4 165.9	488.4	4 654.3	30.7	440.4	60.2	500.6	5 154.9	1 763.3	6 918.2	9.7	74.5
March	4 145.0	519.3	4 664.3	24.2	404.6	56.3	460.9	5 125.2	1 802.0	6 972.2	9.0	74.0
April	4 165.8	525.0	4 690.7	27.7	391.0	48.0	439.0	5 129.7	1 806.5	6 936.2	8.6	74.0
May	4 158.0	515.1	4 673.1	26.7	403.0	52.6	455.6	5 128.7	1 816.5	6 945.2	8.9	73.8
June	4 169.1	516.6	4 685.8	24.9	391.6	45.7	437.3	5 123.1	1 831.1	6 954.2	8.5	73.7
July	4 204.5	499.7	4 704.2	26.5	383.1	49.3	432.4	5 136.6	1 825.4	6 962.0	8.4	73.8
MARRIED FEMALES												
1994												
May	1 118.6	968.9	2 087.5	*2.3	98.1	40.1	138.2	2 225.7	1 925.3	4 151.0	6.2	53.6
June	1 117.9	958.4	2 076.3	*1.8	97.8	41.4	139.2	2 215.5	1 932.1	4 147.7	6.3	53.4
July	1 127.0	968.8	2 095.8	*1.3	85.2	47.0	132.2	2 227.9	1 913.1	4 141.0	5.9	53.8
August	1 116.3	970.1	2 086.4	*1.8	84.8	42.6	127.4	2 213.8	1 931.5	4 145.4	5.8	53.4
September	1 151.0	1 007.2	2 158.2	*2.1	87.2	52.6	139.8	2 298.1	1 854.1	4 152.2	6.1	55.3
October	1 133.5	966.5	2 100.0	*1.4	80.0	41.0	120.9	2 220.9	1 920.6	4 141.5	5.4	53.6
November	1 129.0	974.7	2 103.8	*1.1	75.8	47.8	123.6	2 227.3	1 907.3	4 134.7	5.5	53.9
December	1 130.6	965.7	2 096.2	*0.7	73.4	43.8	117.2	2 213.4	1 911.4	4 124.8	5.3	53.7
1995												
January	1 098.9	907.2	2 006.1	*0.9	75.2	35.4	110.6	2 116.6	2 017.8	4 134.4	5.2	51.2
February	1 125.5	958.4	2 083.9	*1.4	86.7	57.8	144.5	2 228.4	1 903.3	4 131.8	6.5	53.9
March	1 128.3	1 007.8	2 136.1	*1.8	84.0	51.9	135.9	2 272.0	1 876.5	4 148.6	6.0	54.8
April	1 163.9	1 006.7	2 170.6	*0.8	73.9	39.2	113.1	2 283.7	1 892.8	4 176.5	5.0	54.7
May	1 177.7	1 014.7	2 192.4	*1.5	71.9	37.8	109.7	2 302.1	1 884.4	4 186.4	4.8	55.0
June	1 190.3	1 032.7	2 223.0	*2.5	77.7	34.7	112.4	2 335.5	1 862.8	4 198.3	4.8	55.6
July	1 202.7	1 017.8	2 220.4	*1.7	73.2	32.4	105.6	2 326.0	1 860.5	4 186.5	4.5	55.6
ALL FEMALES												
1994												
May	1 922.6	1 442.2	3 364.8	28.3	238.6	100.4	339.0	3 703.8	3 363.0	7 066.8	9.2	52.4
June	1 937.1	1 420.9	3 357.9	25.8	240.2	100.3	340.5	3 698.4	3 375.4	7 073.9	9.2	52.3
July	1 962.7	1 436.5	3 399.2	23.3	234.2	101.8	336.1	3 735.3	3 346.1	7 081.5	9.0	52.7
August	1 922.2	1 427.7	3 349.9	26.5	228.4	96.6	325.0	3 674.9	3 414.2	7 089.1	8.8	51.8
September	1 998.9	1 481.9	3 480.8	24.6	226.1	120.4	346.5	3 827.3	3 269.3	7 096.7	9.1	53.9
October	1 984.1	1 440.4	3 424.5	21.4	213.1	100.0	313.1	3 737.6	3 366.5	7 104.1	8.4	52.6
November	1 984.2	1 454.6	3 438.7	23.1	210.5	100.5	311.0	3 749.7	3 361.7	7 111.5	8.3	52.7
December	2 017.1	1 466.8	3 483.9	33.6	234.9	103.0	337.9	3 821.8	3 297.0	7 118.9	8.8	53.7
1995												
January	1 969.9	1 387.8	3 357.6	34.2	244.9	96.2	341.1	3 698.7	3 428.6	7 127.3	9.2	51.9
February	1 993.6	1 442.2	3 435.9	36.9	260.8	124.8	385.6	3 821.4	3 314.3	7 135.7	10.1	53.6
March	1 982.4	1 517.9	3 500.3	25.3	231.3	123.5	354.8	3 855.1	3 289.1	7 144.2	9.2	54.0
April	2 017.9	1 522.0	3 539.9	20.0	204.7	99.3	304.0	3 843.9	3 309.0	7 152.9	7.9	53.7
May	2 034.1	1 523.6	3 557.7	26.1	207.7	90.3	298.0	3 855.7	3 305.9	7 161.6	7.7	53.8
June	2 044.6	1 543.2	3 587.8	22.4	202.9	84.7	287.5	3 875.3	3 295.0	7 170.3	7.4	54.0
July	2 064.9	1 524.4	3 589.3	20.7	196.8	80.4	277.2	3 866.5	3 312.0	7 178.5	7.2	53.9
PERSONS												
1994												
May	5 964.0	1 915.2	7 879.2	58.0	704.2	145.7	849.9	8 729.1	5 186.8	13 915.9	9.7	62.7
June	5 990.4	1 902.3	7 892.7	56.1	690.7	148.5	839.2	8 731.9	5 197.7	13 929.6	9.6	62.7
July	6 058.1	1 926.9	7 985.0	48.2	656.2	147.7	803.9	8 788.9	5 155.7	13 944.5	9.1	63.0
August	5 961.7	1 923.9	7 885.7	50.0	656.3	141.6	797.9	8 683.5	5 276.0	13 959.5	9.2	62.2
September	6 116.1	1 971.3	8 087.4	50.1	652.1	178.7	830.8	8 918.1	5 056.4	13 974.6	9.3	63.8
October	6 078.2	1 956.6	8 034.8	45.3	608.7	144.6	753.3	8 788.1	5 201.3	13 989.4	8.6	62.8
November	6 076.7	1 948.5	8 025.1	48.3	616.0	148.1	764.1	8 789.3	5 214.9	14 004.2	8.7	62.8
December	6 179.2	1 977.1	8 156.2	73.1	653.5	154.1	807.6	8 963.8	5 055.2	14 019.1	9.0	63.9
1995												
January	6 081.4	1 872.0	7 953.4	73.8	699.7	154.0	853.7	8 807.1	5 229.4	14 036.5	9.7	62.7
February	6 159.5	1 930.7	8 090.1	67.5	701.2	184.9	886.2	8 976.3	5 077.6	14 053.9	9.9	63.9
March	6 127.4	2 037.2	8 164.6	49.5	635.8	179.9	815.7	8 980.3	5 091.1	14 071.4	9.1	63.8
April	6 183.6	2 047.0	8 230.6	47.6	595.7	147.3	743.0	8 973.7	5 115.4	14 089.1	8.3	63.7
May	6 192.1	2 038.7	8 230.8	52.8	610.7	142.9	753.6	8 984.4	5 122.4	14 106.7	8.4	63.7
June	6 213.7	2 059.8	8 273.6	47.3	594.5	130.4	724.8	8 998.4	5 126.0	14 124.5	8.1	63.7
July	6 269.5	2 024.1	8 293.6	47.1	579.9	129.7	709.6	9 003.1	5 137.4	14 140.5	7.9	63.7

(a) The estimates relate to all persons aged 15 and over, except members of the permanent defence forces, certain diplomatic personnel of overseas governments, overseas residents in Australia and members of non-Australian defence forces in Australia. For definitions see Explanatory Notes in the latest issue of the monthly publication *The Labour Force, Australia* (6203.0). (b) Original labour force estimates are now based on population estimates obtained from the 1991 Census of Population and Housing. (c) The number of unemployed in each group as a percentage of the labour force in the same group. (d) The labour force in each group as a percentage of the civilian population aged 15 and over in the same group.

CIVILIAN LABOUR FORCE, SEASONALLY ADJUSTED SERIES(a)(b)

Month	Unemployed										Participation rate — per cent —
	Employed			Looking for full-time work			Looking for part-time work			Labour force	Unemployment rate
	Full-time workers	Part-time workers	Total	Aged 15-19 looking for first job	Total	Looking for part-time work	Total				
'000										— per cent —	
MALES											
1994											
May	4 049.0	467.5	4 516.5	33.6	466.6	46.4	513.0	5 029.4	10.2	73.4	
June	4 059.3	472.3	4 531.7	38.7	461.2	54.0	515.2	5 046.9	10.2	73.6	
July	4 078.5	488.0	4 566.5	30.9	433.7	52.1	485.8	5 052.3	9.6	73.6	
August	4 073.6	493.0	4 566.6	27.3	433.7	51.4	485.1	5 051.7	9.6	73.5	
September	4 107.9	472.7	4 580.6	28.8	433.6	55.9	489.5	5 070.1	9.7	73.7	
October	4 073.4	512.1	4 585.4	29.1	421.4	48.5	469.9	5 055.3	9.3	73.4	
November	4 103.2	503.5	4 606.8	27.9	422.9	56.1	479.0	5 085.8	9.4	73.8	
December	4 106.0	521.5	4 627.5	27.9	412.7	46.5	459.2	5 086.8	9.0	73.7	
1995											
January	4 121.3	512.0	4 633.4	27.8	418.2	51.8	470.1	5 103.4	9.2	73.9	
February	4 171.7	506.5	4 678.2	24.2	408.2	54.0	462.2	5 140.5	9.0	74.3	
March	4 159.6	504.6	4 664.2	24.2	398.6	47.1	445.8	5 110.0	8.7	73.8	
April	4 179.8	516.4	4 696.2	29.4	393.9	46.2	440.1	5 136.4	8.6	74.1	
May	4 166.3	509.5	4 675.8	30.1	404.0	54.1	458.1	5 133.9	8.9	73.9	
June	4 175.4	506.9	4 682.3	31.7	400.4	51.0	451.3	5 133.6	8.8	73.8	
July	4 186.9	496.9	4 683.8	32.8	394.7	56.2	450.8	5 134.6	8.8	73.8	
MARRIED FEMALES											
1994											
May	1 121.5	948.3	2 069.8	n.a.	92.8	42.7	135.5	2 205.3	6.1	53.1	
June	1 125.5	940.8	2 066.3	n.a.	95.3	42.7	138.0	2 204.3	6.3	53.1	
July	1 130.3	960.8	2 091.1	n.a.	88.1	48.2	136.3	2 227.4	6.1	53.8	
August	1 131.4	957.5	2 088.9	n.a.	92.2	46.4	138.5	2 227.5	6.2	53.7	
September	1 137.2	971.0	2 108.2	n.a.	89.3	47.6	137.0	2 245.1	6.1	54.1	
October	1 124.2	967.5	2 091.6	n.a.	84.5	43.2	127.8	2 219.4	5.8	53.6	
November	1 120.2	966.1	2 086.3	n.a.	82.7	49.8	132.5	2 218.9	6.0	53.7	
December	1 113.4	978.3	2 091.7	n.a.	77.8	44.7	122.5	2 214.2	5.5	53.7	
1995											
January	1 105.9	989.5	2 095.4	n.a.	75.4	42.4	117.7	2 213.1	5.3	53.5	
February	1 131.4	982.6	2 114.0	n.a.	75.9	49.3	125.2	2 239.1	5.6	54.2	
March	1 124.0	1 000.1	2 124.1	n.a.	79.9	44.5	124.4	2 248.5	5.5	54.2	
April	1 176.8	1 001.2	2 178.0	n.a.	69.8	38.0	107.9	2 285.9	4.7	54.7	
May	1 180.5	992.9	2 173.4	n.a.	68.0	40.6	108.7	2 282.1	4.8	54.5	
June	1 198.3	1 014.3	2 212.5	n.a.	75.8	35.9	111.7	2 324.2	4.8	55.4	
July	1 206.2	1 009.2	2 215.4	n.a.	75.9	33.1	108.9	2 324.3	4.7	55.5	
ALL FEMALES											
1994											
May	1 933.3	1 415.1	3 348.4	30.3	243.8	106.1	349.8	3 698.2	9.5	52.3	
June	1 950.5	1 405.8	3 356.3	28.6	247.6	106.5	354.1	3 710.4	9.5	52.5	
July	1 956.0	1 442.9	3 398.9	28.1	241.9	111.7	353.6	3 752.6	9.4	53.0	
August	1 960.2	1 413.9	3 374.1	32.0	242.0	104.7	346.7	3 720.8	9.3	52.5	
September	1 992.1	1 435.7	3 427.8	31.2	232.5	107.4	339.9	3 767.7	9.0	53.1	
October	1 980.7	1 431.8	3 412.5	27.8	229.2	103.8	333.0	3 745.6	8.9	52.7	
November	1 986.8	1 438.5	3 425.3	27.5	226.5	106.8	333.4	3 758.7	8.9	52.9	
December	1 973.4	1 467.8	3 441.2	24.1	227.2	103.0	330.1	3 771.3	8.8	53.0	
1995											
January	1 952.3	1 497.3	3 449.6	24.0	225.2	103.3	328.5	3 778.1	8.7	53.0	
February	1 993.0	1 487.0	3 480.0	28.2	228.3	110.5	338.8	3 818.8	8.9	53.5	
March	1 976.6	1 506.5	3 483.1	23.8	222.0	104.8	326.8	3 809.9	8.6	53.3	
April	2 037.1	1 504.5	3 541.6	21.8	205.1	98.5	303.7	3 845.2	7.9	53.8	
May	2 045.9	1 494.8	3 540.6	27.9	212.8	95.8	308.6	3 849.2	8.0	53.7	
June	2 058.2	1 527.6	3 585.8	24.8	209.1	89.8	298.9	3 884.7	7.7	54.2	
July	2 058.3	1 531.1	3 589.4	24.9	203.3	88.1	291.5	3 880.8	7.5	54.1	
PERSONS											
1994											
May	5 982.3	1 882.6	7 864.8	63.9	710.3	152.5	862.8	8 727.6	9.9	62.7	
June	6 009.8	1 878.1	7 887.9	67.3	708.9	160.5	869.4	8 757.3	9.9	62.9	
July	6 034.5	1 930.9	7 965.4	58.9	675.6	163.8	839.4	8 804.8	9.5	63.1	
August	6 033.8	1 906.9	7 940.7	59.3	675.7	156.1	831.7	8 772.5	9.5	62.8	
September	6 100.0	1 908.4	8 008.4	60.0	666.1	163.2	829.3	8 837.7	9.4	63.2	
October	6 054.1	1 943.9	7 998.0	56.9	650.6	152.3	802.9	8 800.9	9.1	62.9	
November	6 090.1	1 942.0	8 032.1	55.4	649.4	163.0	812.4	8 844.5	9.2	63.2	
December	6 079.4	1 989.4	8 068.7	51.9	639.9	149.5	789.4	8 858.1	8.9	63.2	
1995											
January	6 073.6	2 009.4	8 083.0	51.8	643.4	155.1	798.6	8 881.5	9.0	63.3	
February	6 164.7	1 993.6	8 158.2	52.4	636.6	164.5	801.1	8 899.3	8.9	63.7	
March	6 136.3	2 011.1	8 147.4	48.0	620.7	151.9	772.6	8 919.9	8.7	63.4	
April	6 216.9	2 020.9	8 237.8	51.2	599.0	144.8	743.8	8 891.6	8.3	63.7	
May	6 212.2	2 004.3	8 216.4	58.1	616.9	149.8	766.7	8 983.1	8.5	63.7	
June	6 233.6	2 034.5	8 268.1	56.5	609.5	140.8	750.2	9 018.4	8.3	63.8	
July	6 245.2	2 028.0	8 273.2	57.7	598.0	144.3	742.3	9 015.5	8.2	63.8	

(a) For more information regarding seasonal adjustment see Explanatory Notes in the latest issue of the monthly publication *The Labour Force, Australia* (6203.0).

(b) Original labour force estimates are now based on population estimates obtained from the 1991 Census of Population and Housing. Seasonally adjusted trend estimates have also been revised following the annual reanalysis of seasonal factors.

6 LABOUR STATISTICS

CIVILIAN LABOUR FORCE, TREND SERIES(a)(b)

Month	Unemployed											
	Employed			Aged 15-19 looking for first job			Looking for part-time work			Labour force	Unemp- loyment rate	Partici- pation rate
	Full-time workers	Part-time workers	Total	Total	Aged 15-19 looking for first job	Total	Looking for part-time work	Total				
-- '000										per cent --		
MATES												
1994												
May	4 047.3	472.9	4 520.2	34.9	467.6	49.2	516.8	5 037.0	10.3	73.5		
June	4 060.5	475.6	4 536.1	33.8	455.8	50.3	506.2	5 042.2	10.0	73.5		
July	4 071.8	480.1	4 551.9	32.2	444.7	51.5	496.2	5 048.1	9.8	73.6		
August	4 079.7	486.6	4 566.3	30.5	435.4	52.4	487.8	5 054.1	9.7	73.6		
September	4 085.8	494.0	4 579.8	29.2	428.8	52.7	481.5	5 061.3	9.5	73.6		
October	4 092.4	501.0	4 593.4	28.2	424.2	52.5	476.7	5 070.2	9.4	73.6		
November	4 102.2	506.5	4 608.8	27.5	420.3	51.9	472.2	5 080.9	9.3	73.7		
December	4 115.8	510.2	4 626.1	26.9	416.1	51.2	467.3	5 093.3	9.2	73.8		
1995												
January r	4 131.9	512.3	4 644.1	26.4	411.6	50.5	462.0	5 106.1	9.0	73.9		
February r	4 147.7	512.3	4 660.0	26.3	407.1	49.9	457.0	5 117.0	8.9	74.0		
March r	4 160.7	510.7	4 671.4	26.9	403.5	49.9	453.5	5 124.9	8.8	74.0		
April r	4 169.7	509.1	4 678.8	28.1	400.7	50.3	451.1	5 129.8	8.8	74.0		
May r	4 176.0	507.4	4 683.4	29.5	398.7	51.1	449.8	5 133.2	8.8	73.9		
June r	4 180.9	508.4	4 686.3	30.9	397.2	52.2	449.5	5 135.7	8.8	73.9		
July	4 183.6	504.0	4 687.5	32.2	396.0	53.1	449.0	5 136.5	8.7	73.8		
MARRIED FEMALES(c)												
1994												
May	1 119.8	944.6	2 064.4	n.a.	92.9	43.6	136.5	2 200.9	6.2	53.2		
June	1 126.0	949.7	2 075.7	n.a.	92.5	44.5	137.1	2 212.8	6.2	53.4		
July	1 130.2	954.8	2 085.0	n.a.	91.6	45.6	137.2	2 222.1	6.2	53.6		
August	1 131.2	959.7	2 090.9	n.a.	90.1	46.3	136.3	2 227.3	6.1	53.7		
September	1 129.1	964.3	2 093.4	n.a.	87.8	46.6	134.3	2 227.7	6.0	53.8		
October	1 124.1	968.6	2 092.7	n.a.	85.0	46.6	131.6	2 224.2	5.9	53.7		
November	1 118.5	973.3	2 091.8	n.a.	82.2	46.5	128.7	2 220.5	5.8	53.7		
December	1 115.5	978.2	2 093.7	n.a.	79.6	46.1	125.8	2 219.5	5.7	53.7		
1995												
January r	1 117.9	983.4	2 101.3	n.a.	77.3	45.7	122.9	2 224.2	5.5	53.8		
February r	1 127.5	989.0	2 116.4	n.a.	75.4	44.7	120.1	2 236.6	5.4	54.0		
March r	1 142.9	994.2	2 137.1	n.a.	74.2	43.1	117.4	2 254.5	5.2	54.3		
April r	1 160.7	998.8	2 159.5	n.a.	73.5	41.1	114.5	2 274.1	5.0	54.6		
May r	1 178.0	1 002.9	2 180.9	n.a.	73.1	38.9	111.9	2 292.8	4.9	54.9		
June r	1 193.3	1 006.5	2 199.8	n.a.	73.0	36.8	109.8	2 309.6	4.8	55.1		
July	1 206.2	1 009.3	2 215.5	n.a.	73.3	34.8	108.1	2 323.6	4.7	55.4		
ALL FEMALES												
1994												
May	1 939.2	1 412.7	3 151.9	29.9	248.8	106.1	354.9	3 706.8	9.6	52.5		
June	1 947.5	1 417.5	3 165.0	30.0	245.4	107.0	352.4	3 717.4	9.5	52.6		
July	1 958.3	1 421.1	3 179.4	30.1	241.7	107.4	349.1	3 728.5	9.4	52.7		
August	1 968.5	1 424.9	3 193.4	29.8	237.9	107.2	345.1	3 738.5	9.2	52.7		
September	1 976.0	1 430.4	3 206.5	29.2	234.2	106.4	340.6	3 747.1	9.1	52.8		
October	1 978.3	1 439.2	3 217.5	28.4	231.3	105.7	337.0	3 754.4	9.0	52.8		
November	1 976.5	1 451.6	3 248.1	27.3	229.0	105.5	334.5	3 762.6	8.9	52.9		
December	1 974.4	1 465.8	3 240.2	26.1	227.0	105.7	332.7	3 772.9	8.8	53.0		
1995												
January r	1 976.3	1 479.5	3 455.9	25.2	225.0	105.7	330.8	3 786.6	8.7	53.1		
February r	1 985.1	1 491.0	3 476.1	24.8	222.4	104.8	327.2	3 803.4	8.6	53.3		
March r	2 000.6	1 499.4	3 500.0	24.8	218.8	102.7	321.5	3 821.5	8.4	53.5		
April r	2 019.2	1 505.9	3 525.2	24.9	214.8	99.5	314.3	3 839.4	8.2	53.7		
May r	2 037.0	1 512.1	3 549.2	25.0	210.9	95.9	306.8	3 856.0	8.0	53.8		
June r	2 052.5	1 518.2	3 570.7	25.1	207.4	92.5	299.9	3 870.6	7.7	54.0		
July	2 063.3	1 523.2	3 588.4	25.1	204.7	89.3	294.0	3 882.4	7.6	54.1		
PERSONS												
1994												
May	5 986.5	1 885.7	7 872.1	64.8	716.4	155.3	871.7	8 743.8	10.0	62.8		
June	6 007.9	1 893.1	7 901.0	63.8	701.2	157.3	858.6	8 759.6	9.8	62.9		
July	6 030.1	1 901.2	7 931.3	62.2	686.4	159.0	845.4	8 776.7	9.6	62.9		
August	6 048.2	1 911.6	7 959.7	60.3	673.3	159.6	832.9	8 792.6	9.5	63.0		
September	6 061.8	1 924.4	7 986.3	58.4	663.0	159.1	822.1	8 808.4	9.3	63.0		
October	6 070.7	1 940.2	8 010.9	56.6	655.5	158.2	813.7	8 824.6	9.2	63.1		
November	6 078.7	1 958.1	8 036.9	54.7	649.3	157.3	806.6	8 843.5	9.1	63.1		
December	6 090.2	1 976.0	8 066.3	52.9	643.1	156.8	800.0	8 866.2	9.0	63.2		
1995												
January r	6 108.2	1 991.8	8 100.0	51.6	636.6	156.2	792.8	8 892.8	8.9	63.4		
February r	6 132.8	2 003.4	8 136.1	51.1	629.5	154.8	784.2	8 920.4	8.8	63.5		
March r	6 161.3	2 010.1	8 171.4	51.7	622.4	152.6	775.0	8 946.4	8.7	63.6		
April r	6 188.9	2 015.0	8 203.9	53.0	615.5	149.8	765.4	8 969.3	8.5	63.7		
May r	6 213.0	2 019.6	8 232.6	54.5	609.5	147.1	756.6	8 989.2	8.4	63.7		
June r	6 233.4	2 023.6	8 256.9	56.0	604.7	144.8	749.4	9 006.4	8.3	63.8		
July	6 248.8	2 027.1	8 275.9	57.3	600.6	142.4	743.0	9 019.0	8.2	63.8		

(a) For more information regarding trend estimates see Explanatory Notes in the latest issue of the monthly publication *The Labour Force, Australia* (6203.0).

(b) Original labour force estimates are now based on population estimates obtained from the 1991 Census of Population and Housing. Seasonally adjusted and trend estimates have also been revised following the annual reanalysis of seasonal factors. (c) See Explanatory Notes in *The Labour Force, Australia* (6203.0) paragraph 30.

JOB VACANCIES BY INDUSTRY(a)

Industry	1994				1995		Standard error(b)
	18 Feb.	20 May	19 Aug.	18 Nov.	17 Feb.	19 May	
					— '000		
Mining	0.2	0.4	0.9	0.9	1.1	1.2	0.2
Manufacturing	6.5	6.5	12.7	10.8	10.0	5.9	0.8
Electricity, gas and water supply	0.2	0.2	*0.8	0.2	0.2	0.2	0
Construction	*2.2	*1.7	*5.3	*5.5	*0.7	*3.5	1.5
Wholesale trade	*3.3	*3.1	*5.4	5.7	3.1	4.4	0.9
Retail trade	*5.8	8.4	*10.7	10.2	*8.4	7.1	1.6
Accommodation, cafes and restaurants	*2.6	*1.3	4.7	4.7	3.1	3.5	0.6
Transport and storage	*0.9	*1.8	1.2	*1.9	*2.3	*0.9	0.4
Communication services	*0.4	*0.6	0.1	*0.2	0.2	0.2	0
Finance and insurance	*3.3	2.5	2.4	2.4	2.6	4.6	0.7
Property and business services	6.6	7.9	9.2	*6.1	4.0	*5.7	1.5
Government administration and defence	2.9	2.8	3.7	3.7	3.4	3.4	0.4
Education	1.9	2.5	2.6	2.9	3.5	2.8	0.3
Health and community services	9.1	11.5	6.1	5.6	8.4	6	1
Cultural and recreational services	*1.0	*1.3	*0.8	*1.8	*1.4	*1.1	0.4
Personal and other services	*3.1	*1.4	*2.2	*3.6	*4.5	*3.1	1.6
All industries	45.9	49.4	68.7	66.0	57.2	53.7	3.6

(a) For definitions see glossary in *Job Vacancies and Overtime, Australia* (6354.0). (b) Applicable to latest level estimates. See Reliability of estimates in *Job Vacancies and Overtime, Australia* (6354.0).

INDUSTRIAL DISPUTES WHICH OCCURRED DURING THE PERIOD

Period	Number of disputes(a)		Employees involved ('000)		Working days lost ('000)
	Commenced in period	Total(b)	Newly involved(c)	Total(b)	
1992	726	728	871.3	871.5	941.2
1993	607	610	489.2	489.6	635.8
1994	554	558	262.9	264.5	501.0
1994					
March	38	41	7.6	26.1	61.3
April	35	41	10.1	24.4	25.6
May	44	51	13.1	16.2	23.5
June	46	49	6.9	7.5	28.4
July	51	57	15.0	15.8	35.8
August	58	62	25.8	26.5	38.5
September	44	46	25.1	25.9	28.7
October	61	67	24.1	26.0	49.1
November	55	63	68.9	70.7	106.8
December	51	57	36.7	37.6	52.1
1995					
January	31	37	5.3	11.0	13.1
February	59	66	39.7	44.7	51.2
March	71	83	23.0	29.6	44.1
April	36	45	12.1	19.5	28.6
May	57	63	51.1	55.2	87.5

(a) Prior to September 1991 disputes affecting more than one industry and/or State have been counted as separate disputes in each industry and State and in the Australian total. From that time such disputes, while still counted separately in each industry and/or State, are counted just once at the broader industry and Australia level. (b) Disputes which occurred during the period encompasses those disputes which started in a previous month or year and ended in the reference period or began and ended in the reference period or began in the reference period and continued into the next period or started prior to the reference month or year, continued through the reference period and into the next period. (c) Comprises workers involved in disputes which commenced during the month and additional workers involved in disputes which continued from the previous month.

INDUSTRIAL DISPUTES WHICH OCCURRED DURING THE PERIOD: WORKING DAYS LOST, BY INDUSTRY(a)
('000)

Period	Manufacturing									All industries	
	Mining			Metal product, Machinery and equipment	Other	Transport and storage; Communication services			Education, Health and Community services	Other industries (b)	
	Coal	Other	Construction			Construction	Communication services				
1992(c)	76.8	50.8	121.4	154.6	38.4	82.4	238.9	177.7	941.2		
1993(c)	78.6	14.4	160.4	77.7	13.1	15.6	147.5	128.7	635.8		
1994(c)	151.0	18.3	44.8	78.4	20.2	59.4	78.3	50.7	501.0		
1994											
March	54.0	—	1.8	0.9	1.7	1.0	1.3	0.6	61.3		
April	17.4	—	2.2	0.8	0.9	0.6	1.1	2.6	25.6		
May	2.4	1.9	3.0	7.0	1.3	0.5	2.5	4.9	23.5		
June	10.7	0.5	2.4	9.4	4.0	—	—	1.3	28.4		
July	2.4	0.4	4.7	10.5	0.4	3.5	—	13.9	35.8		
August	12.5	0.9	9.6	6.7	0.5	4.4	0.7	3.2	38.5		
September	3.2	0.3	4.3	11.7	1.6	12.4	1.8	3.2	28.7		
October	4.1	6.1	9.3	12.0	6.3	7.9	1.2	2.2	49.1		
November	5.1	0.8	3.4	24.9	0.3	3.0	63.4	5.9	106.8		
December	9.1	5.4	2.0	3.5	3.1	16.6	1.6	10.9	52.1		
1995											
January	2.7	1.0	2.1	1.2	0.1	4.5	0.8	0.7	13.1		
February	7.3	3.4	8.3	7.9	15.6	0.6	2.2	5.8	51.2		
March	7.8	6.6	9.6	16.1	0.8	0.7	1.1	1.3	44.1		
April	2.5	3.6	15.4	5.1	1.9	0.2	0.2	9.6	28.6		
May	12.4	32.7	1.1	6.9	0.1	5.6	27.6	1.0	87.5		

(a) Prior to January 1994, industry information was classified according to ASIC. From that time, industry data has been classified to ANZSIC. (b) Comprises Agriculture, forestry, and fishing; Electricity, gas and water supply; Wholesale trade; Retail trade; Accommodation, cafes and restaurants; Finance and insurance; Property and business services; Government administration and defence; Cultural and recreational services; Personal and other services. (c) Classified according to ASIC.

**INDUSTRIAL DISPUTES WHICH OCCURRED DURING THE PERIOD: WORKING DAYS LOST
BY STATES AND TERRITORIES**
('000)

Period	NSW	Vic.	Qld	SA	WA	Tas.	NT	ACT	Australia
1992	174.3	586.4	66.3	12.2	53.6	43.0	2.7	2.7	941.2
1993	178.3	257.2	128.4	25.6	29.5	4.5	2.1	10.3	635.8
1994	223.2	86.4	133.3	18.0	27.4	4.6	7.0	1.1	501.0
1994									
March	36.8	2.2	20.0	1.1	1.3	0.1	—	—	61.3
April	13.3	1.9	7.5	0.8	1.0	0.7	0.3	0.2	25.6
May	6.9	4.1	3.6	2.3	6.5	—	—	—	23.5
June	4.6	0.2	17.9	0.5	4.1	—	1.1	—	28.4
July	10.5	17.4	2.9	3.5	1.0	0.4	0.1	0.1	35.8
August	17.9	4.6	13.0	—	1.9	1.0	0.1	—	38.5
September	8.7	12.2	3.8	1.1	2.1	0.6	0.1	—	28.7
October	10.2	16.1	16.2	0.4	1.4	0.1	4.8	0.1	49.1
November	72.9	8.9	17.9	5.8	1.0	—	0.2	—	106.8
December	8.3	16.9	18.8	2.2	4.4	1.5	—	—	52.1
1995									
January	2.8	2.6	5.3	0.3	1.6	0.4	—	—	13.1
February	6.4	6.7	27.9	6.4	2.5	0.3	0.5	0.4	51.2
March	18.9	8.7	20.9	1.7	1.0	0.5	2.4	—	44.1
April	5.2	12.9	9.4	0.2	0.8	0.1	—	—	28.6
May	10.0	18.3	44.9	2.7	11.2	0.2	—	0.1	87.5

AVERAGE WEEKLY EARNINGS OF EMPLOYEES

Pay period ending on or before	Males			Females			Persons		
	Full-time adults		All males	Full-time adults		All females	Full-time adults		All employees
	Ordinary time earnings	Total earnings	Total earnings	Ordinary time earnings	Total earnings	Total earnings	Ordinary time earnings	Total earnings	Total earnings
— dollars —									
1994									
18 February	648.70	698.30	625.60	546.70	560.10	416.80	612.30	648.90	529.00
20 May	654.00	705.90	625.10	552.10	566.70	422.80	617.50	656.10	531.80
19 August r	656.80	712.70	634.50	552.80	566.50	421.30	620.00	661.00	537.20
18 November r	667.80	726.10	643.10	560.60	574.70	424.90	629.20	671.60	541.50
1995									
17 February	679.50	735.40	650.10	567.30	581.50	430.60	639.10	680.00	548.20
19 May	687.80	743.00	652.70	575.50	589.80	429.90	647.30	687.80	548.10
Standard errors May 1995									
Level	4.60	4.90	5.30	2.80	2.90	3.90	3.30	3.80	4.30
Charge (quarterly)	2.80	3.10	3.40	1.70	1.80	2.50	2.00	2.20	2.60
Quarterly change to							per cent —		
1995									
February	1.8	1.3	1.1	1.2	1.2	1.3	1.6	1.3	1.2
May	1.2	1.0	0.4	1.4	1.4	0.1	1.3	1.1	
Annual changes to									
1995									
February	4.8	5.3	3.9	3.8	3.8	3.3	4.4	4.8	3.6
May	5.2	5.3	4.4	4.2	4.1	1.7	4.8	4.8	3.1

AVERAGE WEEKLY EARNINGS OF EMPLOYEES, STATES AND TERRITORIES
(dollars)

Pay period ending on or before	NSW	Vic.	Qld	SA	WA	Tas.	NT	ACT	Australia
MALES									
1994									
18 February	634.50	625.10	605.10	601.30	631.60	615.20	643.60	712.50	625.60
20 May	634.00	626.10	609.90	595.80	622.70	602.40	658.40	714.00	625.10
19 August r	658.00	641.70	589.00	591.40	643.80	591.50	656.40	706.80	634.50
18 November r	670.10	649.40	595.50	586.90	663.70	600.90	660.20	699.10	643.10
1995									
17 February	680.00	661.40	587.00	620.10	655.20	601.70	666.80	708.00	650.10
19 May	682.40	664.60	596.40	601.10	656.60	608.80	666.80	718.50	652.70
FEMALES									
1994									
18 February	432.20	430.90	384.40	405.50	378.50	386.70	440.00	490.40	416.80
20 May	444.40	429.50	395.20	399.80	384.70	387.50	450.20	496.00	422.80
19 August r	444.30	417.20	401.20	410.80	381.80	387.90	455.50	500.70	421.30
18 November r	439.80	437.30	390.00	410.20	398.50	396.00	455.30	491.20	424.90
1995									
17 February	449.00	422.30	390.10	415.80	405.20	393.50	468.10	512.80	430.60
19 May	451.20	435.40	396.20	410.80	403.90	385.60	462.00	516.50	429.90
PERSONS									
1994									
18 February	543.80	533.90	502.90	512.80	506.40	506.70	549.50	601.30	529.00
20 May	549.20	534.50	511.10	504.80	507.70	499.30	561.70	602.50	531.80
19 August r	560.80	542.20	505.50	507.40	516.20	491.70	561.40	601.20	537.20
18 November r	562.30	551.70	501.80	505.10	538.80	501.20	564.70	590.90	541.50
1995									
17 February	571.80	561.30	496.00	527.90	537.10	502.70	572.60	610.30	548.20
19 May	573.20	558.50	501.20	513.30	539.90	500.70	565.70	616.20	548.10

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WEEKLY AWARD RATES OF PAY INDEXES, FULL-TIME ADULT EMPLOYEES (Base June 1985 = 100.0)

<i>End of</i>	<i>NSW</i>	<i>Vic.</i>	<i>Qld</i>	<i>SA</i>	<i>WA</i>	<i>Tas.</i>	<i>NT</i>	<i>ACT</i>	<i>Australia</i>
MALES									
June									
1991	133.2	134.1	133.2	135.2	132.5	133.1	131.5	130.1	133.4
1992	137.1	139.1	138.4	140.1	136.1	138.0	137.3	136.6	138.0
1993	137.7	140.5	139.2	141.4	137.9	138.4	138.3	139.3	139.1
1994									
April	139.2	142.0	141.5	143.4	139.6	141.4	142.0	141.0	140.8
May	139.2	142.7	141.5	143.5	139.8	141.4	142.0	141.1	141.1
June	139.2	142.8	141.6	143.6	139.8	141.4	142.0	141.1	141.1
July	139.2	142.9	141.6	143.6	139.8	141.4	142.0	141.1	141.1
August	139.2	143.0	141.6	143.6	139.9	141.4	142.1	141.2	141.2
September	139.2	143.1	141.6	143.6	139.9	141.4	142.1	141.2	141.2
October	139.4	143.2	141.8	143.6	140.1	141.6	142.2	141.3	141.3
November	139.4	143.3	142.0	143.9	140.2	141.7	142.4	141.3	141.4
December	139.4	143.5	142.0	144.0	140.3	141.7	142.7	141.3	141.5
1995									
January	139.5	143.7	142.1	144.1	140.5	142.5	142.8	142.8	141.7
February	139.5	143.7	142.1	144.1	140.7	142.5	142.8	142.8	141.7
March	139.6	143.8	142.1	144.2	140.7	143.0	142.9	142.8	141.8
April	139.8	144.0	142.2	144.4	141.0	143.1	143.4	143.0	142.0
May	140.1	144.3	142.7	144.8	141.1	143.2	144.0	143.0	142.3
June	140.2	144.3	142.8	144.9	141.2	143.2	144.0	143.0	142.4
Annual change (%) r	0.7	1.1	0.8	1.0	1.0	1.3	1.4	1.4	0.9
FEMALES									
June									
1991	135.7	135.9	134.9	136.4	135.4	135.9	136.3	133.7	135.6
1992	139.9	141.0	138.9	141.4	138.7	140.5	140.5	138.2	140.1
1993	140.7	142.8	140.2	143.4	140.7	141.4	141.2	140.6	141.4
1994									
April	142.2	144.3	143.5	145.0	142.8	142.6	145.8	141.8	143.3
May	142.2	145.6	143.6	145.1	142.8	142.6	145.9	141.8	143.7
June	142.2	145.6	144.2	145.1	142.9	142.6	145.9	141.8	143.8
July	142.2	145.7	144.2	145.1	142.9	142.9	145.9	141.9	143.8
August	142.2	145.8	144.2	145.1	142.9	142.9	146.1	141.9	143.9
September	142.2	145.9	144.2	145.1	142.9	142.9	146.1	141.9	143.9
October	142.3	146.1	144.4	145.3	143.1	143.2	146.1	142.1	144.0
November	142.4	146.1	144.8	145.6	143.3	143.2	146.2	142.1	144.2
December	142.5	146.5	144.8	145.7	143.4	143.2	146.3	142.1	144.4
1995									
January	142.7	146.6	145.0	145.8	143.9	143.4	146.4	143.4	144.6
February	142.7	146.6	145.0	145.8	144.2	143.6	146.4	143.4	144.6
March	142.8	146.8	145.1	145.9	144.5	143.6	146.7	143.4	144.7
April	143.6	147.0	145.1	146.1	144.7	143.8	147.2	143.6	145.1
May	143.7	147.1	145.5	146.9	144.7	143.8	147.4	143.6	145.3
June	143.7	147.2	145.6	147.0	144.8	143.8	147.4	143.6	145.4
Annual change (%) r	1.1	1.1	1.0	1.3	1.3	0.8	1.0	1.2	1.1

CONSUMER PRICE INDEX: GROUP INDEX NUMBERS, WEIGHTED AVERAGE OF EIGHT CAPITAL CITIES
 (Base year 1989-90 = 100.0)

<i>Period</i>	<i>Food</i>	<i>Clothing</i>	<i>Housing</i>	<i>Household</i>	<i>Transport-</i>	<i>Tobacco</i>	<i>Health and</i>	<i>Recreation</i>	<i>All</i>
				<i>equipment</i>	<i>operation</i>	<i>and alcohol</i>	<i>personal care</i>	<i>and education</i>	<i>groups</i>
1992-93	107.4	107.5	94.6	107.3	111.3	124.4	124.0	109.1	108.4
1993-94	109.4	106.7	94.2	107.8	113.8	133.7	129.0	111.9	110.4
1994-95	112.1	106.7	100.0	109.2	117.5	141.0	135.5	114.6	113.9
1994									
Mar. qtr	109.8	106.3	93.7	107.9	113.2	134.5	130.7	112.1	110.4
June qtr	109.5	106.4	94.4	108.2	115.2	136.2	131.9	113.0	111.2
Sept. qtr	110.4	106.6	94.9	108.2	117.0	137.4	133.4	112.9	111.9
Dec. qtr	110.9	106.8	97.5	108.9	116.8	139.1	133.7	114.1	112.8
1995									
Mar. qtr	113.2	106.2	102.8	109.3	117.3	141.1	136.5	115.3	114.7
June qtr	113.7	107.2	104.7	110.2	118.8	146.4	138.5	115.9	116.2

CONSUMER PRICE INDEX: ALL GROUPS
 (Base year 1989-90 = 100.0)

<i>Period</i>	<i>Sydney</i>	<i>Melbourne</i>	<i>Brisbane</i>	<i>Adelaide</i>	<i>Perth</i>	<i>Hobart</i>	<i>Darwin</i>	<i>Canberra</i>	<i>Weighted</i>
									<i>average</i>
									<i>of eight</i>
									<i>capital cities</i>
1992-93	107.7	108.9	108.5	111.2	106.2	108.5	109.5	109.5	108.4
1993-94	109.2	111.1	110.6	113.4	108.5	111.7	111.5	111.4	110.4
1994-95	113.0	114.1	114.7	116.9	112.3	115.2	114.7	115.1	113.9
1994									
Mar. qtr	109.1	111.2	110.8	113.6	108.6	111.9	111.4	111.4	110.4
June qtr	110.0	112.0	111.5	114.4	109.1	112.4	112.4	112.0	111.2
Sept. qtr	111.0	112.2	112.5	114.9	110.1	113.3	113.0	112.6	111.9
Dec. qtr	111.8	113.1	113.7	116.0	113.0	114.2	113.7	113.8	112.8
1995									
Mar. qtr	113.7	115.0	115.8	117.8	113.0	116.1	115.3	116.3	114.7
June qtr	115.4	116.2	116.9	118.8	114.9	117.1	116.8	117.6	116.2

CONSUMER PRICE INDEX: INTERNATIONAL COMPARISONS
ALL GROUPS EXCLUDING HOUSING(a)
 (Base year 1989-90 = 100.0)

Period	United States of America	Japan	Germany (b)	Canada (c)	United Kingdom	Hong Kong	Korea, Republic of	Taiwan	Australia	New Zealand (d)
1992-93	112.1	106.8	110.5	110.8	118.6	130.8	123.5	111.4	111.0	108.7
1993-94	114.8	107.9	113.9	112.0	122.0	140.1	130.4	114.2	113.5	109.4
1994-95	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	116.4	113.4	124.8	151.4	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	116.5	110.5
1993-94										
Mar. qtr	115.1	107.7	114.7	111.8	121.8	140.8	132.2	114.4	113.6	109.3
June qtr	115.9	108.1	115.3	111.5	123.5	143.7	134.0	116.6	114.4	109.5
1994-95										
Sept. qtr	116.9	107.7	115.6	112.2	123.4	147.6	136.6	119.3	115.1	109.8
Dec. qtr	117.4	108.2	115.7	112.4	123.9	149.6	136.2	n.y.a.	115.7	110.4
Mar. qtr	118.2	107.4	116.8	113.9	125.1	152.9	138.4	n.y.a.	116.9	110.6
June qtr	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	117.5	115.1	126.6	155.5	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	118.3	111.3
PERCENTAGE CHANGES										
	— Change from previous year —									
1992-93	3.1	0.8	3.4	1.8	3.1	7.5	4.7	3.5	2.0	2.1
1993-94	2.4	1.0	3.1	1.1	2.9	7.1	5.6	2.5	2.3	0.6
1994-95	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	2.2	1.3	2.3	8.1	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	2.6	1.0
	... Change from corresponding quarter of previous year ...									
1993-94										
Mar. qtr	2.1	1.0	3.0	0.5	2.9	6.6	6.8	2.8	1.8	0.4
June qtr	2.3	0.5	2.6		2.2	6.6	6.0	2.7	2.1	0.4
1994-95										
Sept. qtr	2.8	-0.4	2.7	0.1	1.9	8.2	7.4	6.3	2.2	0.5
Dec. qtr	2.4	0.6	2.3	-0.2	2.1	7.4	6.2	n.y.a.	2.2	0.9
Mar. qtr	2.7	-0.3	1.8	1.9	2.7	8.6	4.7	n.y.a.	2.9	1.2
June qtr	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	1.9	3.2	2.5	8.2	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	3.4	1.6
	— Change from previous quarter —									
1993-94										
Mar. qtr	0.4	0.1	1.4	0.7	0.3	1.1	3.0	0.9	0.4	-0.1
June qtr	0.7	0.4	0.5	0.3	1.4	2.1	1.4	1.9	0.7	0.2
1994-95										
Sept. qtr	0.9	-0.4	0.3	0.6	0.1	2.7	1.9	2.3	0.6	0.3
Dec. qtr	0.4	0.5	0.1	0.2	0.4	1.4	-0.3	n.y.a.	0.5	0.5
Mar. qtr	0.7	-0.7	1.0	1.3	1.0	2.2	1.6	n.y.a.	1.0	0.2
June qtr	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	0.6	1.1	1.2	1.7	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	1.2	0.6

(a) See Explanatory Notes in the latest issue of *Consumer Price Index* (6401.0). (b) The statistics for Germany refer to West Germany (Federal Republic of Germany before the unification of Germany). (c) Revised to accord with definition adopted in recent Canadian CPI review (implemented in January 1995). The revised series includes traveller accommodation and is comparable to the series for Australia. (d) From March quarter 1994 the statistics for New Zealand refer to 'all groups excluding housing and credit services'.

PRICE INDEXES OF MATERIALS USED IN MANUFACTURING INDUSTRIES(a)
 (Base year 1984-85 = 100.0)

Period	Division C) (b)	Manufacturing subdivisions(a)															
		Manufacturing Division (ASIC)		Food, beverages and tobacco		Wood, wood products, paper and printing		Basic chemicals and publishing		Non-metallic mineral products		Basic metal products		Fabricated metal products	Transport equipment	Other machinery and equipment	Miscellaneous manufacturing
		Division (c)	(21)	(23)	(25)	(26)	(275-276)	(277-278)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)	(32)	(33)	(34)		
1992-93	126.6	134.3	128.2	153.9	138.0	137.0	88.2	149.0	135.5	146.3	154.1	143.1	131.5				
1993-94	124.6	138.7	130.7	161.5	135.4	134.1	73.8	140.3	125.4	146.0	164.0	144.3	133.2				
1994-95	128.1	143.0	149.8	158.5	139.6	139.8	72.6	146.1	134.6	151.3	165.6	149.6	144.0				
1993-94																	
April	121.7	139.0	133.1	158.8	132.1	131.4	65.7	139.5	124.5	145.4	161.7	143.6	133.3				
May	123.2	138.3	136.2	158.8	131.9	133.5	69.2	140.3	125.6	146.1	162.7	143.8	133.2				
June	124.0	139.6	136.8	157.3	132.4	133.2	70.9	140.0	128.0	146.6	161.6	144.5	135.0				
1994-95																	
July	125.1	138.1	139.6	156.5	133.1	133.2	74.3	143.5	128.6	147.3	163.7	145.2	135.2				
August	125.6	139.6	140.7	156.4	134.5	134.6	73.8	143.4	127.8	148.0	163.5	145.8	136.5				
September	124.6	139.8	147.6	156.1	135.1	135.8	69.4	144.3	128.0	148.1	162.7	146.4	138.1				
October	125.1	140.3	149.6	156.4	136.1	136.0	69.6	144.4	128.8	148.8	163.8	147.1	140.3				
November	125.3	141.0	149.6	157.5	137.2	136.6	68.2	144.5	130.0	149.6	164.0	148.0	140.4				
December	124.5	141.2	148.4	157.1	138.0	136.9	65.7	146.9	133.1	150.4	162.4	148.7	143.6				
January	126.1	141.4	146.3	158.1	139.1	137.1	70.4	147.0	137.3	151.3	162.2	150.5	145.5				
February	128.9	144.1	150.8	159.7	140.4	140.9	73.6	146.7	138.5	154.0	164.4	150.6	147.0				
March	130.5	145.2	154.1	160.6	141.9	143.4	75.2	147.9	138.6	154.3	166.9	151.5	149.4				
April	131.9	146.1	155.8	160.6	144.6	146.3	76.3	148.0	140.9	154.1	169.5	153.1	150.7				
May p	134.0	148.2	157.5	161.3	145.7	147.4	78.5	147.9	140.5	155.1	172.1	153.7	151.5				
June p	135.4	151.2	157.4	162.1	149.2	148.9	76.5	148.2	142.8	154.8	172.5	154.1	150.3				

(a) These indexes are on a net sector basis. ASIC subdivision and group codes are shown in brackets at the head of the columns. (b) This index is on a net division basis and relates in concept only to inputs into the Manufacturing Division of ASIC (Division C) from outside the Division.

PRICE INDEXES OF ARTICLES PRODUCED BY MANUFACTURING INDUSTRY(a)
 (Base year 1988-89 = 100.0)

Period	All Manufacturing Industry Index(c) (21)	Net subdivision indexes(b)															
		Food, beverages and tobacco		Clothing and footwear		Wood, wood products, paper and printing		Chemicals and fertilisers		Non-metallic mineral products		Basic metal products		Fabricated metal products	Transport equipment	Other machinery and equipment	Miscellaneous manufacturing
		Division (c)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(275+276)	(277+278)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)	(32)	(33)	(34)		
1992-93	114.3	116.2	101.8	116.1	116.5	119.9	111.1	143.9	119.3	100.6	114.7	116.0	109.3	109.6			
1993-94	115.5	120.5	102.2	117.1	122.5	122.0	110.3	127.2	120.8	99.8	114.8	119.1	109.9	112.4			
1994-95	118.1	123.0	105.6	118.3	126.1	125.2	113.6	120.9	124.2	107.2	116.2	120.7	111.2	116.1			
1993-94																	
Apr.	115.5	120.9	102.8	117.4	124.6	122.5	110.0	121.7	121.5	98.0	114.7	119.8	109.8	112.8			
May	115.8	120.8	103.3	117.4	124.7	122.8	110.0	126.5	122.1	99.1	114.9	119.9	109.7	113.0			
June	116.1	120.6	103.7	117.7	124.8	123.0	110.4	127.6	122.8	100.4	114.8	120.1	110.0	113.9			
1994-95																	
July	116.2	120.5	104.1	117.7	124.6	123.3	110.4	126.0	122.7	101.1	114.5	120.7	110.0	113.9			
Aug.	116.2	120.4	104.1	117.7	124.7	124.1	110.8	122.2	123.3	100.9	114.6	120.6	110.1	114.3			
Sept.	116.3	121.2	104.2	117.9	125.0	124.4	111.1	115.1	124.1	102.1	114.4	120.2	110.5	114.4			
Oct.	116.8	121.5	105.1	118.4	125.3	124.5	111.9	116.7	124.1	104.0	114.8	120.3	110.9	115.5			
Nov.	117.3	122.0	104.7	118.2	125.7	124.6	112.6	118.0	124.2	105.5	114.9	120.5	110.8	115.6			
Dec.	117.3	121.9	104.8	118.0	125.7	124.7	112.9	115.7	124.2	106.5	115.8	120.3	111.0	115.3			
Jan.	118.1	122.9	105.0	118.1	126.1	125.5	113.7	117.9	124.2	108.3	116.0	119.5	111.5	115.7			
Feb.	119.1	124.3	105.7	118.1	126.5	125.4	113.8	122.0	124.4	111.4	116.6	119.6	111.8	116.6			
Mar.	119.4	125.0	106.9	118.5	127.0	125.7	115.2	121.7	124.6	110.7	117.7	119.8	112.2	117.2			
Apr.	119.9	125.8	107.5	118.6	127.2	126.1	115.6	122.0	124.3	111.4	118.1	121.5	112.0	118.5			
May p	120.4	125.7	107.5	118.8	127.2	126.7	117.2	125.3	125.1	111.9	118.2	122.4	112.0	118.4			
June	120.6	125.3	107.4	119.3	127.9	127.3	117.4	128.0	125.4	112.9	118.7	122.5	112.1	118.3			

(a) These indexes replace previous indexes with a base year 1968-69 = 100.0. Refer to May 1990 issue of ABS publication *Price Indexes of Articles Produced by Manufacturing Industry* (6412.0). (b) These indexes are on a net subdivision basis. ASIC subdivision codes are shown in brackets at the head of the columns. (c) This index is on a net division basis and relates in concept only to articles which are produced in the Manufacturing Division of ASIC (Division C) for sale or transfer outside the Division.

PRICE INDEX OF MATERIALS USED IN HOUSE BUILDING
(Base year 1985-86 = 100.0)

Period	Weighted average of six State capital cities	PRICE INDEX OF MATERIALS USED IN HOUSE BUILDING						Canberra(a)
		Sydney	Melbourne	Brisbane	Adelaide	Perth	Hobart	
1992-93	145.2	148.5	141.1	147.8	137.8	150.5	140.7	143.2
1993-94	152.1	154.8	149.6	152.2	151.8	153.5	144.3	150.5
1994-95	156.7	160.0	154.7	155.4	154.1	158.7	150.2	153.1
1993-94								
April	153.6	156.3	151.4	153.2	153.3	154.5	145.5	151.4
May	153.8	156.5	151.6	153.0	153.9	155.1	146.0	151.6
June	154.3	157.6	152.0	153.1	153.8	155.7	146.8	151.6
1994-95								
July	154.5	157.7	152.3	153.5	152.9	156.2	146.8	151.6
August	155.0	158.1	152.8	153.5	153.5	157.2	147.8	151.4
September	155.3	158.3	153.1	154.0	153.8	157.1	148.2	151.8
October	155.8	159.3	153.5	154.8	153.9	157.2	149.2	152.2
November	156.4	159.5	154.3	155.9	153.8	157.9	149.1	152.4
December	157.0	160.2	155.0	156.0	154.4	158.4	149.2	152.8
January	157.0	160.2	155.0	155.3	154.7	159.2	150.0	153.5
February	157.5	160.8	155.6	156.3	154.9	159.0	151.0	153.4
March p	157.8	161.0	156.1	156.0	154.8	159.6	151.7	153.8
April p	157.9	160.8	156.3	156.5	153.7	160.0	152.2	154.2
May p	158.6	161.4	157.1	156.8	154.3	161.4	153.4	154.8
June p	158.0	162.3	155.0	155.9	154.4	161.2	153.2	154.9
PERCENTAGE CHANGES								
		-- Change from previous year --						
1992-93	2.0	1.6	2.8	2.1	1.7	0.8	1.7	2.1
1993-94	4.8	4.2	6.0	3.0	10.2	2.0	2.6	5.1
1994-95	3.0	3.4	3.4	2.1	1.5	3.4	4.1	1.7
		— Change from corresponding month of previous year —						
1993-94								
April	4.1	3.4	4.8	2.8	9.5	2.0	3.0	5.1
May	3.7	2.8	4.8	2.7	7.3	2.2	3.3	4.2
June	3.7	3.3	4.5	2.6	6.1	2.6	3.7	3.6
1994-95								
July	3.1	2.7	3.8	2.1	4.0	2.4	2.8	2.1
August	3.2	3.1	3.9	1.8	3.9	2.9	3.3	1.4
September	2.9	3.1	3.6	1.3	2.4	2.9	3.6	1.7
October	2.9	3.6	3.4	1.6	1.3	2.8	4.0	1.6
November	3.2	3.6	3.4	2.7	1.2	3.5	3.9	1.5
December	3.4	3.8	3.7	2.6	1.4	3.6	3.9	1.6
January	3.1	3.6	3.4	2.0	1.2	3.9	3.8	1.9
February	3.2	3.7	3.7	2.3	0.8	3.9	4.7	1.3
March p	3.1	3.7	3.2	2.4	1.0	3.4	4.5	1.7
April p	2.8	2.9	3.2	2.2	0.3	3.6	4.6	1.8
May p	3.1	3.1	3.6	2.5	0.3	4.1	5.1	2.1
June p	2.4	3.0	2.0	1.8	0.4	3.5	4.4	2.2
		Change from previous month --						
1993-94								
April	0.3	0.6	0.1	0.5	0.1	0.1	0.3	0.1
May	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.4	0.4	0.3	0.1
June	0.3	0.7	0.3	0.1	-0.1	0.4	0.5	—
1994-95								
July	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.3	-0.6	0.3	—	—
August	0.3	0.3	0.3	—	0.4	0.6	0.7	0.1
September	0.2	0.1	0.2	0.3	0.2	-0.1	0.3	0.3
October	0.3	0.6	0.3	0.5	0.1	0.1	0.7	0.3
November	0.4	0.1	0.5	0.7	0.1	0.4	-0.1	0.1
December	0.4	0.4	0.5	0.1	0.4	0.3	0.1	0.3
January	—	—	—0.4	0.2	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5
February	0.3	0.4	0.4	0.6	0.1	-0.1	0.7	-0.1
March p	0.2	0.1	0.3	-0.2	-0.1	0.4	0.5	0.3
April p	0.1	-0.1	0.1	0.3	-0.7	0.3	0.3	0.3
May p	0.4	0.4	0.5	0.2	0.4	0.9	0.8	0.4
June p	-0.4	0.6	-1.3	-0.6	0.1	-0.1	0.1	0.1

(a) Base year 1986-87 = 100.0.

PRICE INDEX OF MATERIALS USED IN BUILDING OTHER THAN HOUSE BUILDING, ALL GROUPS
 (Base year 1989-90 = 100.0)

Period	Weighted average of six State capital cities	Sydney	Melbourne	Brisbane	Adelaide	Perth	Hobart	Canberra
1992-93	106.0	106.5	104.4	108.9	105.1	105.7	108.2	109.0
1993-94	107.5	107.0	106.7	110.1	107.9	107.1	110.1	110.2
1994-95	110.4	110.3	108.9	112.9	110.9	110.1	112.2	112.5
1993-94								
April	108.2	107.8	107.2	110.8	108.6	107.6	109.8	110.5
May	108.4	108.2	107.2	110.5	109.0	107.6	110.0	110.5
June	108.6	108.4	107.6	110.7	108.7	108.3	110.5	110.9
1994-95								
July	109.1	109.0	107.8	111.1	109.1	108.6	110.8	111.1
August	109.2	109.0	108.0	111.1	109.5	108.9	110.9	111.3
September	109.3	109.0	108.0	111.7	109.8	108.9	111.0	111.3
October	109.5	109.4	108.1	111.9	110.3	109.0	111.4	111.5
November	109.9	109.8	108.7	112.2	110.4	109.3	111.7	111.9
December	110.2	110.0	108.9	112.7	110.8	109.5	111.8	112.2
January	110.5	110.4	109.1	112.9	111.3	110.0	112.0	112.5
February	110.9	110.9	109.4	113.6	111.6	110.5	112.5	112.7
March p	111.2	111.0	109.6	113.9	112.1	111.4	112.8	113.2
April p	111.3	111.2	109.7	114.0	111.6	111.6	113.5	113.9
May p	111.6	111.6	109.8	114.5	112.1	111.6	113.8	114.1
June p	111.8	111.9	109.7	114.8	112.1	112.0	114.2	114.0

**PRICE INDEX OF MATERIALS USED IN BUILDING OTHER THAN HOUSE BUILDING, SELECTED ANZSIC GROUPS,
 WEIGHTED AVERAGE OF SIX STATE CAPITAL CITIES**
 (Base year 1989-90 = 100.0)

Period	Selected ANZSIC groups										
	Wood and wood products (231-232)	Ceramics (262)	Cement, plaster and concrete products (263)	Iron and steel products (271)	Structural metal products (274)	Sheet metal products (275)	Fabricated metal products (276)	Electrical equipment and appliances (285)	Industrial machinery and equipment (286)	Other materials	
	Value weight (%)	5.51	3.49	16.22	3.83	27.17	3.09	4.00	7.93	12.47	16.29	100.00
1992-93	106.5	106.2	105.0	110.4	103.3	108.7	111.7	107.9	105.3	107.0	106.0
1993-94	112.8	107.6	107.1	112.1	105.1	110.2	116.2	105.5	106.1	108.1	107.5
1994-95	115.0	109.8	111.7	113.3	107.1	113.4	118.0	111.0	107.1	111.8	110.4
1993-94											
April	114.4	107.5	108.9	113.4	105.7	111.0	116.6	105.9	105.9	108.2	108.2
May	114.5	107.6	109.7	113.5	105.6	111.2	116.7	106.0	105.8	108.5	108.4
June	114.8	107.7	110.2	113.5	105.6	111.6	116.7	106.8	106.0	109.0	108.6
1994-95											
July	115.1	107.7	110.6	113.6	106.0	112.0	116.5	107.6	106.5	109.8	109.1
August	114.8	109.1	111.5	113.6	105.5	112.0	116.6	107.7	106.8	109.8	109.2
September	114.7	109.1	111.4	113.6	105.7	112.5	117.1	107.6	106.4	110.2	109.3
October	114.6	109.6	111.5	113.6	106.1	112.6	117.2	108.4	106.5	110.5	109.5
November	114.9	110.0	111.6	113.5	106.6	112.9	117.7	109.6	106.6	111.3	109.9
December	115.1	109.9	111.5	112.9	106.8	112.9	117.9	111.1	106.5	111.6	110.2
January	115.0	109.9	111.7	113.0	107.2	113.4	117.7	111.7	106.9	112.3	110.5
February	115.2	110.5	111.8	113.1	107.9	113.5	118.1	112.3	107.3	112.7	110.9
March p	114.9	110.4	112.3	113.3	108.1	113.5	118.5	112.7	107.8	113.0	111.2
April p	115.1	110.7	111.9	113.2	108.0	114.4	118.9	113.9	107.7	113.4	111.3
May p	115.4	110.5	112.4	113.4	108.3	115.4	119.4	114.1	107.8	113.6	111.6
June p	115.2	110.5	112.2	112.9	108.4	115.5	120.1	115.1	108.2	113.8	111.8

EXPORT PRICE INDEX
(Base year 1989-90 = 100.0)

Period	All groups	AHECC section									
		Live animals; animal products	Vegetable products	Prepared foodstuffs	Mineral products	Products of chemical or allied industries	Wool and cotton fibres	Gold, diamonds and coin	Base metals and articles of base metals	Machinery and mechanical appliances	Motor vehicles, aircraft and vessels
		(01)	(02)	(04)	(05)	(06)	(11)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)
1992-93	93.5	105.1	94.3	94.9	108.2	90.1	60.9	99.6	81.0	98.2	105.0
1993-94	91.8	110.3	88.6	102.3	100.9	87.5	59.0	110.4	76.3	97.5	109.3
1994-95 p	94.7	105.9	82.7	104.6	95.1	84.4	80.8	104.0	96.8	97.2	108.2
1993-94											
April	89.8	112.1	82.9	101.0	95.3	82.5	62.6	105.9	76.9	96.1	108.2
May	89.6	110.6	81.7	98.5	93.7	82.4	65.4	106.3	77.7	96.6	107.9
June	89.8	108.1	79.7	97.6	93.1	81.4	67.4	105.9	81.7	97.3	107.4
1994-95											
July	90.6	106.8	81.3	101.7	93.0	81.8	71.1	105.7	83.2	97.4	106.9
August	90.0	104.0	78.6	100.3	92.8	82.5	71.4	103.2	83.4	97.1	107.1
September	91.0	106.5	78.8	101.5	92.4	83.3	73.3	105.4	85.3	97.4	107.7
October	92.7	104.7	80.1	101.9	93.0	84.0	79.6	105.6	90.6	97.8	107.8
November	92.7	104.9	79.4	101.8	92.6	84.3	79.4	102.5	93.7	96.7	106.9
December	92.4	101.8	79.8	103.3	90.7	83.0	81.3	98.3	98.1	96.1	105.3
January	93.9	103.4	82.2	106.2	92.4	80.2	81.9	99.7	102.6	95.2	106.2
February	96.1	104.5	84.5	106.3	94.8	87.1	81.8	102.0	106.5	96.6	107.9
March	97.5	106.8	85.8	108.3	96.4	83.7	86.3	104.4	105.7	97.2	109.1
April	98.9	109.1	86.1	109.0	98.4	86.4	89.1	106.5	103.3	98.1	110.8
May p	99.9	109.3	87.7	107.9	101.0	88.7	89.2	106.3	103.7	98.4	110.9
June p	100.3	109.2	88.2	107.5	103.1	88.0	85.6	108.0	105.4	98.9	111.6

IMPORT PRICE INDEX(a)
(Base year 1989-90 = 100.0)

Period	All groups(b)	Prepared foodstuffs, beverages and tobacco	Mineral products	Chemical rubber, and articles thereof	Plastics and industry products	Wood pulp, paper and paper products	Textiles and textile articles	Base metals and articles thereof	Machinery and electrical equipment	Transport equipment	Instruments, clocks and watches, optical and photographic apparatus
1992-93	112.1	112.3	108.8	104.6	106.8	99.5	106.2	108.9	107.4	128.2	120.5
1993-94	115.6	108.7	101.2	99.2	111.4	98.0	109.5	110.5	110.5	140.2	125.9
1994-95 p	114.8	110.9	98.9	103.9	114.1	98.0	108.4	108.2	106.3	141.9	124.9
1993-94											
April	113.1	105.6	93.0	96.1	109.4	95.4	107.3	108.5	108.3	139.9	123.3
May	113.3	106.3	101.4	96.6	108.5	94.7	107.5	107.5	108.1	138.9	123.2
June	112.6	106.0	101.4	96.1	109.7	94.8	107.4	106.9	107.4	137.5	122.5
1994-95											
July	113.7	106.3	104.3	96.3	111.5	95.5	107.7	107.3	107.6	140.7	124.5
August	113.2	106.2	105.4	96.6	111.3	96.3	107.4	106.7	106.6	139.3	124.1
September	113.2	106.8	103.6	97.2	111.3	95.5	107.6	106.2	106.1	139.3	123.2
October	113.4	109.6	95.2	98.7	112.1	96.0	108.0	107.2	106.4	139.5	123.5
November	112.7	109.4	93.8	98.6	111.4	96.9	107.4	105.6	105.0	139.4	122.6
December	110.6	107.8	92.0	97.6	110.4	95.9	105.6	105.3	102.6	135.6	120.8
January	111.3	109.9	91.8	101.6	111.6	96.3	106.0	106.8	102.8	135.7	120.8
February	113.7	112.0	95.8	107.4	114.6	96.9	107.4	107.8	104.7	138.3	123.3
March	116.2	113.4	98.7	109.6	115.2	98.7	108.8	109.7	106.5	143.8	125.0
April	118.0	114.2	99.1	112.7	117.2	99.9	109.5	110.4	107.8	148.1	128.5
May p	120.1	116.7	103.3	114.6	119.6	101.6	111.8	112.1	109.0	151.0	130.5
June p	121.4	118.1	103.6	115.4	122.4	106.2	113.0	113.6	110.2	151.5	131.9

(a) Based on the combined Australian Customs Tariff and Statistical Nomenclature (Customs Harmonised Tariff) Section Index Numbers. (b) Relates to all imports of merchandise into Australia.

SELECTED MINERALS AND METALS

Period	Mineral sands concentrates(a)														
	Diamonds(a)		Lignite(a)		Bauxite(a)		Alumina(a)		Refined aluminium(a)		Iron ore(a)	Manganese ore(a)	Ilmenite(a)	Rutile(a)	Zircon(a)
	'000 carats	'000 tonnes	'000 tonnes	'000 tonnes	'000 tonnes	'000 tonnes	'000 tonnes	'000 tonnes	'000 tonnes						
1991-92	41 424	52 031	39 855	11 824	1 234	115 302	1 327	1 588	177	305					
1992-93	42 199	47 648	41 180	12 221	1 301	116 505	1 714	1 870	185	398					
1993-94 p	39 909	49 980	41 646	12 761	1 384	123 892	2 045	1 768	208	452					
1993-94															
December quarter	7 657	12 365	9 983	3 154	357	30 187	562	434	47	96					
March quarter	11 355	11 874	10 652	3 172	346	28 289	535	432	48	124					
June quarter	8 279	12 608	10 256	3 209	324	32 316	388	443	60	120					
1994-95															
September quarter	12 864	12 100	10 562	3 215	326	33 899	598	457	65	141					
December quarter	11 292	12 000	10 689	3 196	322	33 989	465	413	52	126					
March quarter	10 111	12 000	10 662	3 203	316	30 203	422	390	56	125					
Metallic content(a)(b)															
	Copper		Lead		Zinc		Tin		Gold		Nickel		Tungsten		Uranium oxide
	tonnes	tonnes	tonnes	tonnes	tonnes	tonnes	tonnes	kg	tonnes	tonnes	tonnes	tonnes	tonnes	tonnes	
1991-92		340 000	569 000		1 022 000		6 207	241 470	63 000	163				4 349	
1992-93		427 000	554 000		1 053 000		7 370	245 124	64 000	113				2 704	
1993-94		432 000	540 000		1 025 000		7 948	255 698	71 000	—				2 751	
1993-94															
December quarter		104 000	125 000		270 000		2 400	64 705	17 000	—				317	
March quarter		108 000	115 000		230 000		1 500	63 739	16 000	—				881	
June quarter		98 000	140 000		245 000		1 900	64 944	19 000	—				1 205	
1994-95															
September quarter		100 000	135 000		250 000		1 700	62 927	21 000	—				265	
December quarter		85 000	115 000		230 000		2 300	63 623	26 000	—				253	
March quarter		80 000	105 000		225 000		1 400	59 417	27 000	—				967	
Refined metals(a)														Coal (excl. lignite)(h)	
	Copper(c)	Lead(d)	Tin(e)	Zinc(f)	Silver	Gold(g)	Crude oil(a)(f)	Natural gas(a)(g)	Period	'000 tonnes					
	'000 tonnes	'000 tonnes	'000 tonnes	'000 tonnes	tonnes	kg	mega litres	giga litres	12 months ended						
1991-92	276	215	248	325	382	281 835	31 309	22 564	29 June 1991	202 391					
1992-93	312	225	258	332	355	288 188	30 703	23 959	27 June 1992	216 745					
1993-94	330	220	186	315	379	307 336	28 672	26 114	30 June 1993	222 600					
1993-94									30 June 1994	221 091					
March	81	55	18	82	91	74 878	7 443	6 411					17 788		
April													16 683		
May													20 199		
June	87	53	92	81	104	78 697	7 590	6 863					18 511		
1994-95															
July													20 941		
August													21 729		
September	86	49	70	82	88	77 846	8 240	7 981					19 732		
October													19 008		
November													20 193		
December	64	55	135	78	79	71 191	7 975	6 892					18 400		
January													17 928		
February													18 889		
March	53	53	180	72	93	73 994	7 350	6 864					21 636		
April													16 901		
May													21 700		

(a) Source: Australian Bureau of Agricultural and Resource Economics. (b) Based on chemical assay. (c) Primary origin only. (d) Includes lead content of lead from primary source. (e) From primary and secondary sources. (f) Stabilised (includes condensate). (g) Commercial sales plus field and plant usage. (h) From July 1992 figures are shown on a calendar month basis.

ENERGY, IRON AND STEEL, AND BUILDING MATERIALS

Period	Heat, light and power				Iron and steel			
	Gas available for issue through mains(a)		Total electricity generated(b)		Basic iron, spiegeleisen and sponge iron		Blooms and slabs from continuous casting(c) (672.03)	
	Original (340.01)	Seasonally adjusted	Original (3-51.02.03.04)	Seasonally adjusted	Original (671.01)	Seasonally adjusted	Original (672.40)	Seasonally adjusted
	mill. MJ	mill. MJ	mill. kWh	mill. kWh	'000 tonnes	'000 tonnes	'000 tonnes	'000 tonnes
1991-92	553 438	..	156 413	..	6 394	..	5 205	..
1992-93	568 820	..	159 871	..	6 445	..	6 218	..
1993-94	586 776	..	161 809	..	7 209	..	7 628	..
1993-94		r		r		r		r
May	55 011	51 356	13 785	13 508	652	660	681	707
June	57 799	48 165	13 921	13 254	646	660	658	679
1994-95								
July	62 450	51 362	14 603	13 482	643	618	661	646
August	63 896	51 413	14 749	13 615	649	623	680	655
September	57 784	52 739	13 540	13 613	643	619	681	644
October	53 231	53 372	13 470	13 672	644	610	697	660
November	50 354	53 586	13 266	13 765	627	612	653	644
December	38 410	46 247	13 590	13 916	590	600	626	624
January	41 600	52 026	13 487	13 944	637	637	679	666
February	41 471	51 373	12 776	13 816	563	636	601	658
March	46 287	51 412	13 812	13 743	634	647	626	640
April	44 538	49 504	r13 032	13 942	605	624	638	666
May	51 414	47 735	r14 268	13 837	619	688	635	656
June	r61 739	51 804	r14 473	13 843	595	600	629	647
1995-96								
July	66 607	54 939	15 359	14 232	625	601	658	644
Building materials								
	Clay bricks(d)		Roofing tiles		Sawn Australian grown timber(e)			
	Original (662.46.47)	Seasonally adjusted	Terracotta (662.51)	Concrete (663.46)				
	mill.	mill.	'000 sq.m	'000 sq.m	'000 cu.m			
1991-92	1 632	..	3 579	17 513	2 941			
1992-93	1 722	..	3 652	20 206	2 922			
1993-94	1 814	..	3 508	20 603	3 432			
1993-94		r						
May	168	155	333	2 030				
June	162	157	333	1 895	905			
1994-95								
July	156	158	343	1 822				
August	177	157	350	2 076				
September	164	157	n.a.	n.a.	936			
October	161	158	n.a.	n.a.				
November	168	156	n.a.	n.a.				
December	148	162	n.a.	n.a.	890			
January	119	175	n.a.	n.a.				
February	150	156	n.a.	n.a.				
March	161	146	n.a.	n.a.	845			
April	136	151	n.a.	n.a.				
May	r166	147	n.a.	n.a.				
June	157	149	n.a.	n.a.	n.y.a.			
1995-96								
July	141	141	n.a.	n.a.				

(a) Includes natural gas. (b) Total electricity generated by establishments predominantly engaged in the generation of electricity. (c) This series replaces the previously published 'Iron and Steel in Primary Forms' and 'Blooms and Slabs from rolling and forging'. Changes in industry practices mean that almost all raw steel is now used to produce Blooms and Slabs using continuous casting methods. (d) For structural purposes. (e) Source: Australian Bureau of Agricultural And Resource Economics. Quarterly figures are expressed in terms of green off sawn volumes.

BUILDING MATERIALS, BUILDING FITTINGS, FLOOR COVERINGS AND HOUSEHOLD APPLIANCES

Period	<i>Building materials — continued</i>		<i>Building fittings</i> Sinks stainless steel(b) (697.56)	<i>Textile floor coverings(a)</i>		<i>Household appliances</i> Electric fans(c) (743.42,44)
	<i>Portland cement and blended portland cement</i>	<i>Seasonally adjusted</i>		<i>Original(d)</i>	<i>Seasonally adjusted</i>	
	'000 tonnes	'000 tonnes		No.	'000 sq. m	'000 sq. m
1991-92	5 731	...	248 138	42 259	...	598 072
1992-93	6 225	...	264 640	42 106	...	749 172
1993-94	6 649	...	n.p.	46 910	...	795 921
1993-94						
May	625	594	31 254	4 427	4 127	78 353
June	616	595	n.p.	4 148	4 049	89 071
1994-95						
July	659	625	n.p.	4 076	4 144	65 034
August	661	615	n.p.	4 244	3 758	63 020
September	642	649	n.a.	4 311	3 857	n.a.
October	614	587	n.a.	4 596	4 316	n.a.
November	615	540	n.a.	4 873	4 171	n.a.
December	604	615	n.a.	3 580	3 966	n.a.
January	455	625	n.a.	2 618	4 497	n.a.
February	552	604	n.a.	4 286	4 284	n.a.
March	619	603	n.a.	4 105	3 899	n.a.
April	538	579	n.a.	3 040	3 539	n.a.
May	583	548	n.a.	3 865	3 497	n.a.
June	582	560	n.a.	3 663	3 576	n.a.
1995-96						
July	568	539	n.a.	4 037	4 144	n.a.

Household appliances — continued

	<i>Cooking stoves, ovens and ranges</i>		<i>Domestic refrigerators</i> Original (775.23,24,25)	<i>Domestic clothes washing machines</i>		<i>Domestic freezers</i> (775.22)
	<i>Gas(e)</i> (697.36,37,38)	<i>Electric(f)</i> (775.95,96,97)		<i>Original</i>	<i>Seasonally adjusted</i>	
	No.	No.		'000	'000	
1991-92	n.p.	278 722	372	...	296	...
1992-93	n.p.	...	393	...	308	...
1993-94	212 476	n.p.	460	...	326	...
1993-94						
May	n.p.	n.p.	38.9	38.5	25.2	25.2
June	17 527	n.p.	38.1	42.0	29.4	28.5
1994-95						
July	20 266	n.p.	31.2	37.3	30.2	27.1
August	20 895	n.p.	30.8	31.0	30.0	24.0
September	n.a.	n.a.	32.8	35.1	30.4	26.6
October	n.a.	n.a.	36.5	33.7	26.3	26.8
November	n.a.	n.a.	40.8	34.3	30.4	26.5
December	n.a.	n.a.	34.1	36.0	21.0	24.9
January	n.a.	n.a.	32.5	32.9	14.0	27.5
February	n.a.	n.a.	34.4	33.5	23.1	24.3
March	n.a.	n.a.	42.0	34.3	27.4	24.3
April	n.a.	n.a.	23.5	28.7	20.1	22.9
May	n.a.	n.a.	37.3	35.2	26.2	25.4
June	n.a.	n.a.	32.1	35.8	26.0	25.2
1995-96						
July	n.a.	n.a.	31.6	37.4	27.6	25.8

(a) Consisting of carpets, carpeting (excluding underfelt), floor rugs, mats and matting of, or predominantly of, textile materials other than coir, sisal, or other hard fibres.

(b) Pressed steel, standard size. Excludes enamelled or galvanised sinks. (c) Includes industrial fans. (d) Australian Standard Commodity Classification (ASCC) item codes 659.20,41,42,43,49,51,53,61,62. (e) Standard town, LP and TPI, and natural. (f) Includes fixed ranges, wall ovens, cooking tops and other ranges.

HOUSEHOLD APPLIANCES, ELECTRIC MOTORS, DAIRY PRODUCTS, MEAT, AND POULTRY SLAUGHTERED

Period	Household appliances continued			Whole milk intake by factories(b)		
	Colour television sets		Total electric motors(a)		Original	Seasonally adjusted
	Original(c)	Seasonally adjusted	Original(d)	Seasonally adjusted	mill. litres	mill. litres
'000						
1992-93	154	..	2 847	..	7 327	..
1993-94	163	..	2 990	..	8 077	..
1994-95 p	n.y.a.	..	n.y.a.	..	8 206	..
1993-94				r		
May	15.9	14.2	275	265	469	722
June	15.1	14.9	298	288	418	719
1994-95 p						
July	14.9	15.5	276	285	466	706
August	17.2	14.0	283	272	618	691
September	17.2	13.7	302	262	849	696
October	17.6	16.9	271	253	1016	685
November	21.0	18.4	274	248	988	692
December	15.3	17.4	207	237	919	694
January	n.a.	n.a.	136	213	789	658
February	n.a.	n.a.	264	259	630	661
March	n.a.	n.a.	329	278	589	658
April	n.a.	n.a.	206	243	469	657
May	n.a.	n.a.	275	253	443	683
June	n.a.	n.a.	278	264	430	741
1995-96 p						
July	n.a.	n.a.	243	258	n.y.a.	n.y.a.
Meat (carcass weight)						
					Total	
	Beef and veal	Mutton	Lamb	Pigmeat	Original	Seasonally adjusted
	'000 tonnes	'000 tonnes	'000 tonnes	'000 tonnes	'000 tonnes	'000 tonnes
1992-93	1 825.8	370.0	273.4	328.3	2 797.5	..
1993-94	1 824.8	376.8	265.4	344.4	2 811.4	..
1994-95 p	1 779.6	329.8	259.0	349.3	2 717.7	..
1993-94						
May	167.8	30.7	25.9	30.3	254.8	247.2
June	144.4	23.7	24.1	31.3	223.6	221.3
1994-95 p						
July	147.1	21.8	22.4	27.4	218.6	228.9
August	158.2	22.2	25.6	29.2	235.2	226.4
September	170.9	31.6	24.4	28.3	255.1	243.9
October	155.7	32.7	22.6	29.0	240.1	237.6
November	160.6	36.1	21.8	30.7	249.2	219.9
December	139.0	31.6	19.8	29.5	219.9	241.4
January	114.2	29.7	19.9	24.6	188.4	225.0
February	128.7	27.9	20.3	26.2	203.1	211.6
March	155.0	30.3	23.4	31.0	239.7	217.2
April	130.0	22.8	19.7	26.8	199.4	218.3
May	162.7	24.5	21.5	33.8	242.6	219.7
June r	157.4	18.6	17.7	r32.7	226.4	226.7
1995-96 p						
July	133.1	18.2	16.5	27.3	195.2	208.6

(a) Includes those made and incorporated in manufacturers own products. Excludes DC motors and generators for aircraft, motor vehicles, off-highway trucks, materials handling trucks and tractors. (b) Source: Australian Dairy Corporation. (c) Australian Standard Commodity Classification (ASCC) item codes 761.11.12.13.14.15.16.

(d) ASCC item codes 716.61-716.91. (e) Dressed weight of all birds (chickens, other fowls, ducks and drakes, and turkeys) including pieces and giblets.

BEER, TOBACCO, CHEMICALS AND MOTOR VEHICLES

Period	Ale, beer and stout(a)		Cigarettes and tobacco		Chemicals and allied products	
	Original (112.33, 34.35)	Seasonally adjusted	Original(c)	Seasonally adjusted	Super phosphate(b) (562.23 (24.25)	Ammonium sulphate (362.13)
	mill. litres	mill. litres	tonnes	tonnes	'000 tonnes	'000 tonnes
1991-92	1 862	..	24 538	..	1 337	233
1992-93	1 805	..	24 001	..	1 440	280
1993-94	1 752	..	23 273	..	1 344	223
1993-94						
May	131	140	2 164	1 684	133	27
June	125	145	2 171	1 906	97	19
1994-95						
July	127	147	2 419	2 114	69	30
August	153	152	2 395	2 110	47	30
September	143	152	2 186	2 122	99	n.a.
October	160	148	2 049	2 280	67	n.a.
November	190	152	2 200	1 999	180	n.a.
December	182	149	1 836	2 016	140	n.a.
January	138	144	771	1 345	139	n.a.
February	136	147	2 088	1 920	140	n.a.
March	152	143	1 855	1 652	160	n.a.
April	127	146	1 345	1 735	147	n.a.
May	151	154	2 084	1 752	101	n.a.
June	130	152	1 855	1 772	69	n.a.
1995-96						
July	119	137	2 157	1 883	59	n.a.
<i>Cars and station wagons(d)</i>						
	Original (781.20,29)	Seasonally adjusted			Original (782.17,783.20)	Seasonally adjusted
					'000 —	
1991-92	269	..			14.5	..
1992-93	275	..			15.5	..
1993-94	298	..			22.7	..
1993-94						
May	28.8	25.1			2.40	2.14
June	26.2	24.3			2.08	1.82
1994-95						
July	25.2	24.1			2.12	2.10
August	29.1	25.2			2.39	2.05
September	30.4	27.2			2.46	2.27
October	29.1	27.4			2.45	2.13
November	30.9	26.9			2.62	2.42
December	21.0	26.1			1.88	2.35
January	10.4	22.2			1.17	2.60
February	24.2	24.4			2.39	2.50
March	26.7	23.3			2.90	2.46
April	16.3	19.8			1.50	1.74
May	29.6	25.2			2.58	2.20
June	28.2	26.7			2.40	2.19
1995-96						
July	27.2	25.9			2.29	2.28

(a) Excludes extra light beer containing less than 1.15 per cent but more than 0.5 per cent by volume of alcohol. (b) Double and triple superphosphate expressed in terms of single superphosphate, that is, 9 per cent P equivalent. (c) Source: Australian Tobacco Marketing Advisory Committee. (d) Excludes conversions of existing vehicles. (e) Includes utilities, prime movers for semi-trailers and units consisting of chassis, engines and cabs produced for sale and transfer out as such. Excludes off-highway trucks (for example, dump wagons), materials handling trucks (for example, forklift trucks) and semi-trailers.

WOOL, YARNS AND BROADWOVEN FABRIC

Period	Brokers' and dealers' receipts of taxable wool(a)			Sheep's or lambs' wool(b)			Yarns(c)		
	Total receipts	Seasonally adjusted	Percentage of total received by brokers	Scoured or otherwise degreased(d) (268.21)	Carbonised (268.29)	Cotton	Seasonally adjusted	Original(f)	Wool
	'000 tonnes	'000 tonnes	%	'000 tonnes	'000 tonnes	tonnes	tonnes	tonnes	tonnes
1992-93	844.1	..	83.3	145.2	25.8	26 344	..	18 181	..
1993-94	784.6	..	81.0	154.2	23.0	30 370	..	21 015	..
1994-95 p	675.6	..	83.8	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	n.y.a.
1993-94									
May	43.6	67.9	80.4	13.9	2.4	2 612	2 636	2 141	1 988
June	32.1	63.1	78.3	13.7	2.3	3 201	2 670	2 040	1 874
1994-95 p									
July	48.5	61.8	81.2	11.5	2.0	2 736	2 599	2 011	1 947
August	85.6	58.1	86.8	11.4	2.1	2 818	2 567	2 197	1 899
September	107.2	64.7	86.9	12.5	1.8	3 000	2 681	2 162	1 978
October	87.6	54.1	85.8	12.4	1.8	2 571	2 596	2 264	2 091
November	71.5	48.5	82.5	n.a.	n.a.	2 971	2 819	2 240	1 960
December	41.3	54.5	79.6	n.a.	n.a.	2 296	2 637	1 651	2 040
January	37.1	55.0	83.9	n.a.	n.a.	1 409	2 379	1 364	2 092
February	48.9	59.4	84.0	n.a.	n.a.	2 771	2 918	1 930	1 944
March	53.3	56.7	82.2	n.a.	n.a.	3 469	2 941	1 910	1 887
April	34.6	53.4	81.1	n.a.	n.a.	2 455	2 781	1 493	1 785
May	32.2	46.4	81.6	n.a.	n.a.	3 327	3 176	1 956	1 749
June	27.7	56.2	78.3	n.a.	n.a.	3 251	2 648	1 917	1 820
1995-96 p									
July	36.5	47.1	81.5	n.a.	n.a.	2 802	2 837	2 010	1 986
Textiles									
Broadwoven fabric									
		Cotton(g)		Wool(h)		Man-made fibres(h)			
		Original(i)	Seasonally adjusted	Original(j)	Seasonally adjusted	Original(k)	Seasonally adjusted	Original(k)	Seasonally adjusted
'000 sq. m									
1991-92		38 907	..	8 132	..	185 528	..		
1992-93		41 410	..	8 343	..	185 054	..		
1993-94		48 998	..	7 893	..	184 731	..		
1993-94									
May		4 414	4 259	735	689	15 945	15 477		
June		4 874	4 292	629	653	17 325	16 031		
1994-95									
July		4 157	3 963	636	649	16 825	15 974		
August		4 534	4 212	885	805	17 362	16 285		
September		4 958	4 288	665	675	18 601	17 577		
October		4 013	3 794	768	744	16 164	15 479		
November		4 143	4 187	775	646	15 423	14 593		
December		3 963	4 386	566	683	13 615	15 256		
January		2 089	5 391	410	657	10 704	17 698		
February		4 383	4 355	764	696	15 943	15 564		
March		5 478	4 528	875	742	18 309	16 045		
April		3 640	3 790	700	763	12 092	13 379		
May		4 554	4 277	930	810	15 089	14 168		
June		5 242	4 386	1 650	710	15 130	13 691		
1995-96									
July		4 584	4 631	521	556	13 874	13 463		

(a) Amounts of taxable wool received by brokers and dealers from wool producers. (b) Includes scoured and carbonised wool used in further processing (for example, for production of tops). Also includes degreased, whether or not bleached or dyed in the mass. (c) Includes mixtures predominantly of the fibres named. Excludes sewing thread, elastic or elastomeric. (d) Excludes scoured wool used for carbonising in the same establishment. (e) Australian Standard Commodity Classification (ASCC) item codes 651.35.36. (f) ASCC item codes 651.01 - 651.14. (g) Excludes guaze and elastic fabrics. (h) Excludes elastic fabrics and tyre cord. (i) ASCC item codes 652.16.17.70.80. (j) ASCC item codes 654.23.24.25.26.36.37.38.39.40.50.71.72.73.74.75.76.92. (k) ASCC item codes 653.21.22.35.36.37.38.39.40.50.71.72.73.74.75.76.92.

CLOTHING AND MISCELLANEOUS PRODUCTS

Period	Clothing							
	Knitted hosiery		Knitted or crocheted cardigans, jumpers, etc.(a)				Jeans, men's (841.45)	
	Women's half-hose (846.32)	Men's(b) (845.31,32)	Men's (845.31,32)	Boys' (845.33,34)	Women's (845.35,36)	Girls' (845.37,38)		
	'000 pairs	'000 pairs	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	
1991-92	10 603	30 352	1 419	226	2 324	205	2 533	
1992-93	12 719	30 771	1 343	246	1 918	214	2 334	
1993-94	12 460	25 809	1 405	171	1 550	161	2 120	
1993-94								
July	1 078	2 051	119	13	150	10	191	
August	1 190	2 161	104	13	132	14	202	
September	1 138	1 983	105	13	107	19	220	
October	911	2 050	105	10	135	9	189	
November	785	2 496	109	17	142	11	163	
December	643	1 987	94	17	119	16	169	
January	539	1 232	66	11	69	10	55	
February	900	2 586	136	17	130	11	167	
March	1 159	2 638	147	18	151	29	193	
April	1 075	1 950	128	13	143	13	215	
May	1 498	2 221	157	18	142	13	180	
June	1 543	2 454	136	12	131	6	176	
1994-95								
July	1 546	2 383	102	7	116	5	190	
August	1 583	2 810	106	8	115	14	198	
September	1 431	2 746	100	7	101	15	218	
	<i>Lawn mowers petrol (rotary)</i>							
	Original (721.33)	Seasonally adjusted	Automotive gasoline(c)	Aviation turbine fuel(c)	Fuel oil(c)	Plastics in primary forms(d)	Newsprint (641.10)	Margarine
	'000	'000	mill. litres	mill. litres	mill. litres	'000 tonnes	tonnes	
1991-92	216	..	17 193	3 839	2 571	1 002	403 728	116 726
1992-93	274	..	17 730	4 178	2 498	1 023	433 476	114 732
1993-94	277	..	17 727	4 320	2 263	1 146	410 931	112 850
1993-94								
May	10.0	20.7	1 591	353	175	86.9	36 890	10 058
June	12.0	25.4	1 338	342	198	100.3	35 834	9 531
1994-95								
July	14.8	23.1	1 589	334	196	105.4	33 943	8 899
August	27.7	25.8	1 620	378	187	113.7	32 298	7 834
September	32.9	22.3	1 434	373	216	103.6	30 267	7 290
October	28.6	18.1	1 432	375	181	109.4	30 941	6 083
November	25.9	15.5	1 416	367	152	102.0	34 619	n.a.
December	28.9	23.5	1 561	383	194	94.8	31 785	n.a.
January	n.a.	n.a.	1 519	368	228	95.7	37 800	n.a.
February	n.a.	n.a.	1 428	359	183	99.0	39 472	n.a.
March	n.a.	n.a.	1 442	368	274	113.0	37 384	n.a.
April	n.a.	n.a.	1 496	366	209	99.0	37 217	n.a.
May	n.a.	n.a.	1 528	385	208	100.0	41 128	n.a.
June	n.a.	n.a.	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	1104	36 245	n.a.
1995-96								
July	n.a.	n.a.	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	116	35 192	n.a.

(a) Includes sweaters, pullovers, twin sets. (b) Australian Standard Commodity Classification (ASCC) item codes 846.25,26,27,28,31. (c) Source: Australian Bureau of Agricultural and Resource Economics. (d) Primary forms includes liquid, paste, powder, granules, flakes, blocks, irregular shapes, lumps and similar bulk forms. ASCC item codes 571.13, 572.14, 573.15, 575.14,98, 576.01,02,04, 579.00.

SUMMARY OF BUILDING APPROVED: ORIGINAL AND SEASONALLY ADJUSTED

	New residential building							
	Private sector			Public sector		Total		
	Number of dwelling units					Number of dwelling units		
Period	Original	Seasonally adjusted r	Value (\$m)	Number of dwelling units	Value (\$m)	Original	Seasonally adjusted r	Value (\$m)
1991-92	138 209	..	11 173.3	11 992	832.7	150 201	..	12 005.9
1992-93	160 165	..	13 410.7	10 392	710.7	170 557	..	14 121.4
1993-94	176 580	..	15 097.4	8 125	587.9	184 705	..	15 685.3
1993-94								
May	17 582	15 588	1 514.0	1 059	71.0	18 641	16 575	1 585.0
June	16 089	15 539	1 454.4	1 389	99.3	17 478	16 154	1 553.7
1994-95								
July	14 809	14 776	1 335.7	503	36.4	15 312	15 514	1 372.1
August	18 201	16 715	1 698.3	530	65.6	18 731	17 266	1 764.0
September	16 827	15 581	1 549.5	601	42.0	17 428	16 380	1 591.5
October	14 643	14 688	1 321.6	371	23.7	15 014	15 226	1 345.3
November	15 220	14 157	1 361.6	461	36.3	15 681	14 546	1 397.9
December	12 338	13 919	1 198.6	470	35.4	12 808	14 375	1 234.0
January	10 642	12 897	980.4	545	38.1	11 187	13 452	1 018.5
February	11 359	12 338	1 047.0	550	40.8	11 909	13 055	1 087.8
March	12 278	11 561	1 181.9	814	63.3	13 092	12 447	1 245.2
April	9 647	11 085	920.3	627	56.2	10 274	11 788	976.5
May	12 918	11 155	1 272.1	861	70.5	13 779	11 820	1 342.6
June	10 941	10 614	1 011.5	1 088	83.9	12 029	11 286	1 095.3
1995-96								
July	10 612	10 607	1 012.5	464	35.8	11 076	11 112	1 048.3
	Alterations and additions(b) to residential buildings			Non-residential building(a)				
				Original			Total building	
			Original	Private sector			Original	
			Seasonally adjusted r	Total			Seasonally adjusted r	
				— \$ million —				
1991-92	1 973.9	..		4 745.4	7 208.7	21 188.5	..	
1992-93	2 088.6	..		5 067.7	7 676.5	23 886.4	..	
1993-94	2 289.0	..		6 057.0	8 785.6	26 759.9	..	
1993-94								
May	250.3	234.1		446.2	612.2	2 447.5	2 205.8	
June	194.4	199.7		1 006.0	1 164.4	2 912.5	2 785.5	
1994-95								
July	186.1	188.6		399.3	593.6	2 151.8	2 254.4	
August	240.9	224.5		608.7	869.6	2 874.5	2 599.2	
September	257.8	216.2		414.2	563.6	2 413.0	2 347.3	
October	248.0	237.4		524.4	885.8	2 479.1	2 370.0	
November	222.3	201.6		489.1	730.6	2 350.8	2 286.8	
December	151.8	171.3		440.0	559.9	1 945.7	2 143.9	
January	145.9	184.0		420.6	631.5	1 795.9	1 922.7	
February	178.9	200.6		503.0	905.9	2 172.6	2 287.0	
March	216.5	205.7		522.8	736.5	2 198.2	2 166.1	
April	186.2	207.0		934.6	1 144.7	2 307.3	2 704.4	
May	214.3	194.0		722.2	954.7	2 511.6	2 206.9	
June	184.6	191.7		825.0	1 050.7	2 330.6	2 230.0	
1995-96								
July	187.8	192.2		659.2	772.9	2 009.0	2 077.7	

(a) Comprises non-residential building (new plus alterations and additions) valued at \$50 000 and over. (b) Valued at \$10 000 and over.

BUILDING APPROVED

Period	NSW	Vic.	Qld	SA	WA	Tas.	NT	ACT	Australia
	NUMBER OF DWELLING UNITS								
1991-92	43 336	26 013	41 871	11 258	18 577	3 903	1 459	3 784	150 201
1992-93	48 497	29 571	47 785	12 312	22 479	4 094	1 480	4 339	170 557
1993-94	49 910	31 750	54 927	11 759	26 581	4 174	1 571	4 060	184 705
1993-94									
May	5 433	3 029	5 591	1 103	2 664	348	114	359	18 641
June	5 106	2 705	5 117	1 179	2 655	306	111	299	17 478
1994-95									
July	4 341	2 732	4 490	955	2 116	309	72	297	15 312
August	6 224	3 041	5 337	1 078	2 309	291	260	297	18 837
September	5 452	2 719	4 986	1 052	2 433	313	209	264	17 428
October	4 505	2 776	4 181	799	1 868	325	166	394	15 014
November	4 490	3 031	4 397	1 047	2 124	285	129	178	15 681
December	4 099	2 511	3 206	696	1 840	228	115	113	12 808
January	3 746	1 783	2 797	773	1 531	218	99	240	11 187
February	3 843	2 260	2 902	678	1 578	259	143	246	11 909
March	4 106	2 226	3 534	908	1 754	286	132	146	13 092
April	3 490	1 875	2 791	475	1 174	199	109	161	10 274
May	4 964	2 670	3 127	585	1 793	251	161	228	13 779
June	3 531	2 294	3 260	639	1 792	208	152	153	12 029
1995-96									
July	4 128	2 041	2 579	573	1 199	213	111	232	11 076
	VALUE OF NEW RESIDENTIAL BUILDING (\$m)								
1991-92	3 890.2	2 170.9	3 245.7	755.6	1 217.9	260.3	130.2	335.1	12 005.9
1992-93	4 632.2	2 494.1	3 829.6	840.9	1 519.4	275.3	127.2	402.7	14 121.4
1993-94	4 643.1	2 817.7	4 591.0	838.9	1 964.7	302.0	155.5	372.5	15 685.3
1993-94									
May	490.4	280.3	466.8	80.0	200.4	24.6	11.4	31.1	1 585.0
June	505.5	246.7	444.1	84.8	208.7	23.3	11.3	29.1	1 553.7
1994-95									
July	423.1	250.5	404.9	70.1	167.8	20.9	6.7	28.2	1 372.1
August	684.9	273.7	479.2	79.7	177.3	23.2	58.4	26.3	1 802.5
September	570.4	254.2	430.3	78.3	182.8	24.5	25.3	25.8	1 591.5
October	438.1	260.6	356.4	57.8	145.3	25.7	20.5	40.8	1 345.3
November	450.1	278.7	369.4	77.6	169.3	21.2	15.1	16.5	1 397.9
December	418.9	298.3	276.9	54.9	143.4	18.2	11.0	12.5	1 234.0
January	373.1	165.4	249.7	61.9	116.4	17.3	9.7	24.9	1 018.5
February	359.0	208.0	275.4	56.3	128.8	19.6	14.4	26.2	1 087.8
March	461.2	201.0	309.1	70.2	150.4	21.9	14.3	17.1	1 245.2
April	340.0	176.8	275.7	36.4	97.9	16.8	16.4	16.6	976.5
May	505.7	294.2	285.3	46.3	151.0	20.2	17.9	22.0	1 342.6
June	352.3	212.6	288.4	50.1	144.3	15.3	16.6	15.8	1 095.3
1995-96									
July	423.5	189.3	232.0	45.2	100.9	17.6	11.5	28.2	1 048.3
	VALUE OF ALTERATIONS AND ADDITIONS TO RESIDENTIAL BUILDING (\$m)(a)								
1991-92	902.2	514.1	205.8	123.8	124.2	32.6	17.8	53.3	1 973.9
1992-93	965.0	533.0	212.9	132.6	137.1	33.1	19.2	55.7	2 088.6
1993-94	1 043.1	623.5	229.2	122.2	150.0	39.5	17.3	64.1	2 289.0
1993-94									
May	98.1	96.7	19.9	10.7	13.4	4.3	1.3	5.8	250.3
June	93.4	49.5	19.9	10.6	12.0	3.1	1.3	4.7	194.4
1994-95									
July	85.2	44.7	22.2	12.0	12.7	3.2	0.9	5.2	186.1
August	106.1	77.1	21.2	10.9	14.9	3.5	1.2	6.0	240.9
September	142.6	51.2	22.3	13.6	14.0	4.5	1.8	7.9	257.8
October	93.4	94.9	22.9	10.3	14.6	4.0	0.9	7.0	248.0
November	97.1	60.0	25.2	10.5	16.3	3.4	4.5	5.4	222.3
December	72.3	34.6	17.3	9.4	10.6	2.6	2.1	2.9	151.8
January	70.5	33.4	14.7	8.0	11.3	2.9	1.4	3.8	145.9
February	76.1	54.5	16.8	7.5	12.5	3.0	2.4	6.1	178.9
March	78.7	80.8	19.7	12.6	14.9	3.5	2.2	3.9	216.5
April	99.6	40.4	16.8	6.6	10.3	2.9	5.2	4.4	186.2
May	94.6	62.7	22.0	9.3	12.9	2.9	5.2	4.6	214.3
June	84.7	50.8	19.7	9.2	11.2	3.6	2.2	3.2	184.6
1995-96									
July	84.7	41.0	28.2	9.0	15.8	2.2	2.1	4.7	187.8

(a) Valued at \$10 000 and over.

BUILDING APPROVED — *continued*

<i>Period</i>	<i>NSW</i>	<i>Vic.</i>	<i>Qld</i>	<i>SA</i>	<i>WA</i>	<i>Tas.</i>	<i>NT</i>	<i>ACT</i>	<i>Australia</i>
VALUE OF NON-RESIDENTIAL BUILDING (\$m)									
1991-92	2 653.7	1 473.7	1 530.7	626.6	504.9	105.9	93.2	220.2	7 208.7
1992-93	3 178.2	1 406.3	1 383.9	418.4	889.6	103.1	81.1	216.0	7 676.5
1993-94	2 884.1	2 502.7	1 761.6	375.2	667.0	145.9	158.9	290.2	8 785.6
1993-94									
May	183.5	151.1	145.9	26.7	58.7	13.3	9.4	23.5	612.2
June	262.4	608.7	161.0	31.3	63.7	11.6	4.8	20.9	1 164.4
1994-95									
July	206.1	80.6	138.7	33.4	55.0	7.1	8.5	64.3	593.6
August	460.3	111.5	144.9	32.6	77.1	12.0	7.8	23.4	869.6
September	207.2	119.5	114.1	33.1	61.9	7.8	3.9	16.1	563.6
October	209.3	347.3	213.8	26.7	60.2	9.3	7.6	11.5	885.8
November	239.1	173.8	148.7	30.2	68.0	18.1	14.3	38.4	730.6
December	238.4	89.2	113.7	36.2	42.0	27.4	7.0	6.0	559.9
January	209.3	152.7	133.4	23.4	54.8	13.8	17.9	26.2	631.5
February	363.7	237.6	153.3	26.8	68.3	10.2	31.2	14.8	905.9
March	258.5	132.1	181.5	78.1	50.1	10.9	8.9	16.4	736.5
April	724.5	118.6	78.7	89.3	85.8	15.7	2.9	29.2	1 144.7
May	313.2	231.0	256.8	35.4	63.3	14.3	23.9	16.7	954.7
June	303.9	181.4	398.3	47.9	41.6	15.0	50.5	12.2	1 050.7
1995-96									
July	373.2	131.4	147.9	36.3	55.1	9.5	7.1	12.3	772.9
VALUE OF TOTAL BUILDING (\$m)									
1991-92	7 445.8	4 158.8	4 982.1	1 506.0	1 847.0	398.9	241.3	608.6	21 188.5
1992-93	8 775.4	4 433.4	5 426.3	1 391.9	2 546.1	411.4	227.5	674.4	23 886.4
1993-94	8 570.2	5 943.9	6 581.8	1 336.3	2 781.7	487.4	331.7	726.8	26 759.9
1993-94									
May	772.1	528.1	632.7	117.4	272.4	42.2	22.1	60.5	2 447.5
June	861.3	904.9	625.1	126.7	284.4	38.0	17.4	54.8	2 912.5
1994-95									
July	714.3	375.7	565.8	115.5	235.5	31.2	16.0	97.7	2 151.8
August	1 251.3	462.2	645.3	123.2	269.3	38.6	67.4	55.7	2 913.0
September	920.2	424.9	566.7	125.0	258.7	36.7	31.0	49.7	2 413.0
October	740.8	702.8	593.2	94.9	220.1	39.0	29.0	59.4	2 479.1
November	786.3	512.4	543.3	118.3	253.6	42.7	33.9	60.3	2 350.8
December	729.6	422.0	408.0	100.6	196.0	48.2	20.0	21.4	1 945.7
January	652.9	351.5	397.9	93.4	182.5	33.9	29.0	54.9	1 795.9
February	798.8	500.1	445.5	90.6	209.6	32.7	48.0	47.1	2 172.6
March	798.4	413.9	510.3	160.9	215.5	36.4	25.4	37.4	2 198.2
April	1 164.0	335.9	371.1	132.2	193.9	35.4	24.5	50.2	2 307.3
May	913.5	587.9	564.1	91.0	227.2	37.4	47.1	43.4	2 511.6
June	740.9	444.8	706.4	107.2	197.1	33.8	69.3	31.1	2 330.6
1995-96									
July	881.3	361.8	408.1	90.6	171.9	29.3	20.7	45.2	2 009.0

NUMBER AND VALUE OF BUILDING COMMENCED

<i>Period</i>	<i>Value (\$m)</i>							
	<i>Number of dwelling units</i>			<i>New residential building</i>	<i>Alterations and additions(a) to residential buildings</i>			<i>Non-residential building</i>
	<i>Houses</i>	<i>Private sector</i>	<i>Total</i>		<i>Private sector</i>	<i>Total</i>	<i>Total</i>	
ORIGINAL								
1991-92	104 072	129 468	140 247	11 584.6	1 998.7	5 231.4	7 990.2	21 573.5
1992-93	117 179	151 097	161 605	13 539.8	2 108.9	4 817.8	7 640.7	23 289.4
1993-94	126 513	169 746	178 922	15 461.5	2 384.5	6 202.3	8 911.0	26 757.1
1993-94								
Dec. qtr	31 630	42 870	44 402	3 845.5	621.1	1 479.6	2 278.1	6 744.7
Mar. qtr	28 691	39 141	40 823	3 572.2	522.1	1 376.4	2 257.1	6 351.4
June qtr	33 512	44 660	46 740	4 162.2	674.7	1 973.1	2 524.0	7 361.0
1994-95								
Sept. qtr	33 777	46 772	49 337	4 581.3	644.6	1 302.5	1 896.9	7 122.8
Dec. qtr	31 867	44 485	45 727	4 309.6	735.6	1 437.8	2 201.2	7 246.5
Mar. qtr	24 259	33 721	35 271	3 458.6	507.5	1 464.3	2 093.0	6 059.2
SEASONALLY ADJUSTED								
1993-94								
Dec. qtr	30 163	41 287	43 147	3 748.8	573.5	n.a.	2 111.6	6 453.5
Mar. qtr	31 880	43 071	44 887	3 912.6	578.0	n.a.	2 359.8	6 784.5
June qtr	33 141	44 274	46 270	4 124.5	675.3	n.a.	2 369.2	7 169.1
1994-95								
Sept. qtr	32 442	44 741	46 875	4 351.2	635.7	n.a.	2 110.5	7 174.4
Dec. qtr	30 397	42 836	44 469	4 201.2	678.8	n.a.	2 040.7	6 934.8
Mar. qtr	26 983	37 152	38 804	3 791.1	561.7	n.a.	2 187.2	6 471.4

NUMBER AND VALUE OF BUILDING COMPLETED

Period	Number of dwelling units			Value (\$m)			
	Houses	Other residential buildings	Total	New residential building	Alterations and additions(a) to residential buildings	Non-residential building	
	ORIGINAL			Total building			
1991-92	99 853	32 825	132 678	11 284.1	2 065.5	12 122.2	25 471.8
1992-93	115 253	41 038	156 291	13 240.0	2 159.5	10 439.9	25 839.3
1993-94	122 243	46 125	168 368	14 463.7	2 249.0	9 348.6	26 061.3
1993-94							
Dec. qtr	34 325	13 893	48 218	4 129.7	634.3	2 284.5	7 048.6
Mar. qtr	27 481	10 311	37 792	3 295.5	521.7	2 243.5	6 060.7
June qtr	29 940	10 193	40 133	3 434.8	549.3	1 830.0	5 814.1
1994-95							
Sept. qtr	30 999	12 291	43 290	3 850.8	569.2	2 441.4	6 861.4
Dec. qtr	36 044	13 222	49 266	4 463.5	726.9	2 716.9	7 907.3
Mar. qtr	26 606	10 659	37 265	3 451.7	515.3	1 779.7	5 746.7
SEASONALLY ADJUSTED							
1993-94							
Dec. qtr	30 668	12 051	42 781	3 640.7	551.8	2 089.3	6 346.0
Mar. qtr	30 183	11 181	41 459	3 629.2	567.4	2 449.9	6 642.8
June qtr	30 579	10 970	41 411	3 579.9	573.8	2 039.7	6 181.8
1994-95							
Sept. qtr	31 283	12 300	43 589	3 854.8	585.0	2 230.7	6 612.7
Dec. qtr	32 184	11 459	43 685	3 933.6	631.8	2 498.4	7 129.4
Mar. qtr	29 218	11 560	40 875	3 799.8	560.5	1 933.9	6 258.7

(a) Valued at \$10 000 and over.

VALUE OF BUILDING WORK DONE
(\$ million)

Period	New residential building			Non-residential building			
	Houses	Other residential buildings	Total	Alterations and additions(a) to residential buildings	Private sector	Total	
	ORIGINAL			Total building			
1991-92	8 968.5	2 372.5	11 341.0	2 053.0	6 601.7	9 922.1	23 316.1
1992-93	10 369.5	3 119.6	13 489.1	2 179.1	5 721.6	8 708.0	24 376.1
1993-94	11 415.4	3 672.2	15 087.6	2 344.6	5 581.2	8 558.2	25 990.4
1993-94							
Dec. qtr	2 954.9	978.1	3 933.0	613.1	1 453.4	2 239.3	6 785.4
Mar. qtr	2 585.7	849.6	3 435.2	529.7	1 213.1	1 892.6	5 857.5
June qtr	3 002.4	953.6	3 956.0	629.2	1 511.8	2 292.7	6 877.9
1994-95							
Sept. qtr	3 149.7	1 113.6	4 263.3	666.0	1 608.9	2 308.1	7 237.4
Dec. qtr	3 210.0	1 138.2	4 348.2	749.0	1 726.4	2 490.6	7 587.8
Mar. qtr	2 598.3	1 039.7	3 638.0	546.4	1 414.0	2 070.1	6 254.5
SEASONALLY ADJUSTED							
1993-94							
Dec. qtr	2 789.5	919.8	3 733.4	557.0	1 362.7	2 132.5	6 430.8
Mar. qtr	2 825.1	894.4	3 698.4	590.9	1 339.6	2 046.9	6 325.2
June qtr	3 014.0	1 000.5	4 032.2	631.5	1 502.0	2 265.4	6 908.4
1994-95							
Sept. qtr	3 060.2	1 076.2	4 111.6	661.1	1 576.3	2 279.9	7 072.7
Dec. qtr	3 027.2	1 069.9	4 125.1	680.4	1 617.0	2 371.8	7 190.1
Mar. qtr	2 841.9	1 095.8	3 919.1	610.0	1 563.2	2 236.9	6 754.1

(a) Valued at \$10 000 and over.

NUMBER AND VALUE OF BUILDING, MARCH QUARTER 1995

State/ Territory	Commenced		Under construction		Completed		Value of work done during period		Value of work yet to be done	
	Private sector	Total	Private sector	Total	Private sector	Total	Private sector	Total	Private sector	Total
NUMBER OF DWELLING UNITS ('000)										
NSW	11.0	11.3	32.1	33.1	9.1	9.4	..	..	..	..
Vic.	6.1	6.5	13.1	14.1	6.4	6.6	..	..	..	..
Qld	8.6	9.0	15.6	16.4	10.9	11.3	..	..	..	..
SA	1.9	2.1	3.5	3.7	2.1	2.3	..	..	..	..
WA	4.6	4.9	9.7	10.2	5.5	5.9	..	..	..	..
Tas.	0.7	0.7	2.4	2.4	0.8	0.8	..	..	..	..
NT	0.3	0.3	0.7	0.7	0.3	0.3	..	..	..	..
ACT	0.5	0.6	1.1	1.2	0.7	0.7	..	..	..	..
Australia	33.7	35.3	78.1	81.9	35.7	37.3	..	..	..	..
VALUE OF NEW HOUSES (\$m)										
NSW	687.2	691.8	1 838.5	1 850.0	645.6	651.9	672.8	679.8	825.2	829.5
Vic.	515.8	525.4	1 157.4	1 176.9	593.3	603.3	583.3	590.6	498.4	508.4
Qld	578.2	589.6	808.7	823.5	709.4	719.9	682.6	692.2	334.7	341.7
SA	132.5	140.1	257.5	267.3	147.2	153.5	153.7	159.9	110.8	115.2
WA	307.6	315.4	696.5	705.7	365.0	370.9	362.1	368.2	324.4	329.2
Tas.	49.7	49.9	166.0	166.2	50.7	50.8	52.7	52.9	71.7	71.8
NT	18.6	19.4	38.7	46.5	20.9	27.7	18.4	20.8	16.8	17.5
ACT	37.4	37.5	70.1	71.9	30.2	31.1	33.0	33.9	32.1	32.2
Australia	2 327.1	2 369.1	5 033.4	5 107.9	2 562.3	2 609.2	2 558.6	2 598.3	2 214.0	2 245.6
VALUE OF NEW RESIDENTIAL BUILDING (\$m)										
NSW	1 230.1	1 253.5	3 814.4	3 890.0	940.4	963.2	1 144.1	1 173.0	1 910.1	1 935.7
Vic.	645.4	674.3	1 436.4	1 503.9	638.6	652.5	634.2	651.3	681.7	713.6
Qld	787.5	813.2	1 551.2	1 632.3	964.4	995.0	950.3	979.2	695.8	739.6
SA	158.7	167.7	312.9	327.6	170.8	180.8	180.1	188.5	136.0	142.1
WA	383.2	404.4	925.1	964.2	467.8	490.9	463.5	483.0	422.9	438.6
Tas.	56.8	56.9	193.5	193.8	70.4	70.9	63.9	64.2	82.8	82.9
NT	27.5	28.3	78.0	86.0	27.9	34.8	30.7	33.3	39.6	40.5
ACT	58.3	60.3	128.3	136.3	61.9	63.6	62.6	65.5	61.6	63.8
Australia	3 347.5	3 458.6	8 439.9	8 734.1	3 342.2	3 451.7	3 529.2	3 638.0	4 030.4	4 157.0
VALUE OF ALTERATIONS AND ADDITIONS(a) TO RESIDENTIAL BUILDING (\$m)										
NSW	214.6	216.5	815.7	819.2	226.6	227.3	233.9	235.6	330.2	331.7
Vic.	152.3	152.4	349.3	352.9	150.4	150.6	159.4	160.4	129.0	129.7
Qld	55.4	55.5	74.4	74.4	51.8	52.3	59.8	60.0	28.7	28.7
SA	22.3	22.7	47.6	47.8	18.9	19.5	22.4	22.9	18.1	18.1
WA	33.8	33.9	68.3	68.3	38.8	38.9	39.5	39.6	28.7	28.7
Tas.	9.4	9.6	19.4	19.6	9.5	9.5	10.0	10.2	7.9	8.0
NT	3.8	3.9	11.3	11.8	3.5	3.5	3.9	4.1	4.6	4.8
ACT	12.9	13.1	26.7	28.5	13.8	13.8	13.3	13.6	9.8	10.9
Australia	504.5	507.5	1 412.6	1 422.6	513.2	515.3	542.2	546.4	557.1	560.6
VALUE OF NON-RESIDENTIAL BUILDING (\$m)										
NSW	551.0	756.5	2 163.5	3 465.4	352.6	516.7	480.3	691.6	1 179.2	1 746.8
Vic.	308.4	456.7	1 572.1	2 319.0	245.7	409.9	344.0	514.5	845.4	1 207.7
Qld	363.7	461.7	1 122.6	1 736.6	329.6	444.9	331.7	460.9	522.8	716.1
SA	52.2	88.3	129.0	320.4	41.0	120.9	56.2	102.9	55.2	120.0
WA	118.6	172.3	269.3	401.1	164.9	187.5	141.8	171.3	113.7	178.7
Tas.	35.3	48.6	48.2	82.8	26.2	34.4	25.1	33.3	22.0	42.5
NT	23.8	53.3	54.2	134.0	6.1	13.1	14.4	30.7	38.8	74.6
ACT	11.4	55.5	50.3	304.0	19.0	52.1	20.4	65.0	16.4	207.3
Australia	1 464.3	2 093.0	5 409.1	8 763.1	1 185.0	1 779.7	1 414.0	2 070.1	2 793.4	4 293.6
VALUE OF TOTAL BUILDING (\$m)										
NSW	1 995.6	2 226.4	6 793.6	8 174.6	1 519.6	1 707.2	1 858.3	2 100.2	3 419.6	4 014.2
Vic.	1 106.1	1 283.5	3 357.8	4 175.8	1 034.6	1 213.0	1 375.5	1 326.2	1 656.1	2 051.0
Qld	1 206.6	1 330.4	2 748.1	3 443.2	1 345.8	1 492.1	1 341.7	1 500.1	1 247.3	1 484.3
SA	233.3	278.6	489.5	695.8	230.7	321.3	258.7	314.3	209.3	280.3
WA	535.6	610.6	1 262.7	1 433.6	671.5	717.2	644.8	693.8	565.2	646.1
Tas.	101.4	115.1	261.2	296.1	106.0	114.9	99.1	107.7	112.7	133.4
NT	55.1	85.6	143.5	231.8	37.5	51.5	49.0	68.1	83.0	119.8
ACT	82.6	128.9	205.3	468.8	94.7	129.5	96.3	144.0	87.8	282.1
Australia	5 316.3	6 059.2	15 261.7	18 919.8	5 040.4	5 746.7	5 485.4	6 254.5	7 380.9	9 011.2

(a) Valued at \$10 000 and over.

GROSS DOMESTIC PRODUCT AND NATIONAL EXPENDITURE
(\$ million)

Period	Gross national expenditure	Plus exports of goods and services	Less imports of goods and services	GDP(E)	Statistical discrepancy	GDP(I)	Components of gross domestic product					
							Gross domestic product at factor cost					
							Wages salaries and supplements	Trading enterprises	Private corporate	Other	General government	Financial enterprises etc.(a)	Indirect taxes less subsidies
ORIGINAL												
1992-93	409 774	76 444	77 857	408 361	- 5 449	402 912	200 263	57 911	96 786	7 427	- 5 051	45 576
1993-94	429 910	82 540	83 897	428 553	- 2 105	426 448	209 951	62 874	100 914	7 427	- 5 796	50 866
1994-95	461 664	86 869	95 818	452 715	849	453 564	223 155	67 304	104 750	7 860	- 5 854	56 349
1993-94												
Mar. qtr	102 344	20 337	19 863	102 818	- 73	102 891	50 023	14 979	24 292	1 916	- 1 344	13 025
June qtr	108 913	20 488	20 675	108 726	- 541	108 185	54 890	15 337	23 802	1 930	- 1 595	13 821
1994-95												
Sept. qtr	113 772	20 668	24 059	110 381	368	110 749	53 373	17 505	25 514	1 944	- 1 398	13 811
Dec. qtr	122 294	22 064	23 981	120 377	- 1 242	119 135	57 195	18 459	29 512	1 958	- 1 546	13 557
Mar. qtr	108 979	21 780	23 423	107 336	1 778	109 114	54 044	15 375	24 969	1 972	- 1 399	14 153
June qtr	116 619	22 357	24 355	114 621	55	114 566	58 543	15 965	24 755	1 986	- 1 511	14 828
SEASONALLY ADJUSTED												
1993-94												
Mar. qtr	108 654	20 550	20 728	108 476	- 708	107 768	52 606	16 066	25 917	1 916	- 1 446	12 467
June qtr	110 723	20 968	21 519	110 172	- 992	109 180	53 726	16 139	25 521	1 930	- 1 514	13 378
1994-95												
Sept. qtr	113 150	20 862	22 848	111 164	468	111 632	54 072	17 217	25 677	1 944	- 1 451	14 173
Dec. qtr	114 706	21 194	23 358	112 539	- 133	112 406	55 100	16 743	26 061	1 958	- 1 468	14 012
Mar. qtr	115 653	22 155	24 440	113 368	708	114 076	56 611	16 552	26 624	1 972	- 1 509	13 826
June qtr	118 253	22 980	25 360	115 873	- 242	115 631	57 410	16 838	26 475	1 986	- 1 424	14 346

(a) Financial enterprises less imputed bank service charge.

COMPONENTS OF GROSS NATIONAL EXPENDITURE
(\$ million)

Period	Gross fixed capital expenditure											Gross national expenditure	
	Final consumption expenditure		Private					Public					
	Private	Government	Dwellings	Non-dwelling construction	Equipment	Real estate transfer expenses	Total private	Public enterprises	General government	Increase in stocks			
ORIGINAL													
1991-92	253 119	74 611	20 062	10 233	27 152	4 908	62 355	10 146	9 252	291	409 774		
1992-93	264 177	77 257	23 081	10 700	29 875	5 785	69 441	9 261	8 745	1 029	429 910		
1993-94	282 481	79 384	24 680	11 288	35 035	5 546	76 549	11 329	9 212	2 709	461 664		
1993-94													
Mar. qtr	63 800	18 487	5 353	2 522	7 035	1 436	16 346	1 601	1 826	284	102 344		
June qtr	66 193	20 415	5 988	2 849	8 483	1 534	18 854	3 154	2 947	2 650	108 913		
1994-95													
Sept. qtr	69 443	19 436	6 552	2 665	8 244	1 592	19 053	2 529	1 803	1 468	113 772		
Dec. qtr	73 665	19 903	6 747	3 242	9 573	1 478	21 040	2 529	2 369	2 788	122 294		
Mar. qtr	68 060	18 795	5 740	2 662	7 701	1 238	17 341	2 542	1 994	247	108 979		
June qtr	71 313	21 250	5 641	2 719	9 517	1 238	19 115	3 689	3 046	- 1 794	116 619		
SEASONALLY ADJUSTED													
1993-94													
Mar. qtr	66 755	19 646	5 735	2 751	7 844	1 502	17 832	2 031	2 094	296	108 654		
June qtr	67 335	19 908	6 150	2 770	7 923	1 544	18 387	2 537	2 289	267	110 723		
1994-95													
Sept. qtr	69 097	19 232	6 398	2 694	8 472	1 528	19 092	2 803	2 196	730	113 150		
Dec. qtr	69 766	19 527	6 315	3 042	8 919	1 466	19 742	2 489	2 333	846	114 703		
Mar. qtr	71 146	19 962	6 152	2 908	8 688	1 294	19 042	3 017	2 296	190	115 653		
June qtr	72 503	20 686	5 793	2 635	8 906	1 247	18 581	2 990	2 376	1 117	118 253		

VALUE OF MAIN AGGREGATES AT AVERAGE 1989-90 PRICES – revised
(\$ million)

Period	Final consumption expenditure		Gross fixed capital expenditure		Increase in stocks	Gross national expenditure	Plus exports of goods and services	Less imports of goods and services	GDP(E)	Statistical discrepancy	GDP(I)
	Private	Government	Private	Public							
	Private	Government	Private	Public							
ORIGINAL											
1993-94											
Mar. qtr	57 106	16 514	15 540	3 354	163	92 351	21 583	18 599	95 335	68	95 403
June qtr	59 082	17 897	17 993	5 951	3 257	97 666	22 025	19 746	99 945	497	99 448
1994-95											
Sept. qtr	61 643	17 456	18 313	4 262	1 239	102 913	21 955	22 849	102 019	340	102 359
Dec. qtr	65 289	17 463	20 095	4 761	2 863	110 471	23 180	22 792	110 589	- 1 144	109 715
Mar. qtr	59 710	16 807	16 607	4 352	137	97 613	22 085	22 085	97 613	1 616	99 229
June qtr	62 129	18 498	18 169	6 456	1 396	103 856	21 853	22 449	103 260	50	103 210
SEASONALLY ADJUSTED											
1993-94											
Mar. qtr	59 824	17 468	16 921	4 043	296	98 552	21 966	19 420	101 098	1 081	100 017
June qtr	60 066	17 715	17 596	4 700	145	99 932	22 348	20 289	101 991	1 002	100 989
1994-95											
Sept. qtr	61 436	16 918	18 322	4 875	508	102 059	22 208	21 702	102 656	445	103 010
Dec. qtr	61 953	17 313	18 865	4 686	769	103 586	22 255	22 439	103 402	27	103 375
Mar. qtr	62 492	17 758	18 209	5 112	366	103 937	22 644	23 104	103 477	184	103 661
June qtr	63 149	18 299	17 699	5 140	1 296	105 583	22 281	23 025	104 839	401	104 438

PRIVATE NEW CAPITAL EXPENDITURE BY SELECTED INDUSTRIES AND TYPE OF ASSET
 (\$ million)

Period	ANZSIC ^c subdivision										Total manufacturing	
	Manufacturing											
	Mining	Food, beverage and tobacco	Textiles, clothing, footwear and leather	Wood and paper products	Printing, publishing and recorded media	Petroleum, coal, chemical and assoc. products	Non-metallic mineral product	Metal product	Machinery and equipment	Other manufacturing		
1993-94	5 674	1 973	238	592	567	1 202	587	1 159	1 308	187	7 815	
1994-95	6 960	1 967	336	699	1 083	1 638	1 005	1 329	1 301	178	9 537	
1993-94												
Mar. qtr	1 226	489	51	121	88	277	116	216	241	46	1 645	
June qtr	1 462	571	61	181	227	347	138	343	344	79	2 292	
1994-95												
Sept. qtr	1 451	482	79	154	225	442	206	245	290	56	2 180	
Dec. qtr	1 933	519	87	176	188	403	258	287	343	49	2 310	
Mar. qtr r	1 613	467	66	191	271	407	267	286	337	33	2 326	
June qtr p	1 963	499	104	178	399	386	273	511	332	40	2 722	
Other selected industries												
	Construction	Wholesale trade	Retail trade	Transport and storage	Finance and insurance	Property and business services	Other services etc.	Total other selected industries		Total		
1993-94	1 482	2 616	1 992	1 690	2 122	2 965	2 403	15 269		28 758		
1994-95	1 438	2 798	1 959	2 537	2 120	3 403	3 838	18 094		34 591		
1993-94												
Mar. qtr	347	565	351	467	502	660	582	3 475		6 346		
June qtr	469	611	562	418	614	923	767	4 364		8 117		
1994-95												
Sept. qtr r	498	662	444	509	561	953	676	4 302		7 933		
Dec. qtr	277	822	511	879	526	880	1 193	5 088		9 331		
Mar. qtr r	287	540	488	556	459	661	945	3 935		7 874		
June qtr p	377	774	517	594	574	909	1 024	4 768		9 453		
	Building structures	Equipment, plant machinery				Total capital expenditure						
	Original	Seasonally adjusted	Original	Seasonally adjusted	Original	Seasonally adjusted	Original	Seasonally adjusted				
1993-94 r	8 165	8 188	20 591	20 568	28 758	28 756						
1994-95	8 966	9 078	25 625	25 598	34 591	34 676						
1993-94												
Mar. qtr	1 863	2 093	4 483	4 937	6 346	7 030						
June qtr	2 115	2 231	6 002	5 791	8 117	8 022						
1994-95												
Sept. qtr	1 940	1 920	5 993	6 128	7 933	8 048						
Dec. qtr	2 288	2 047	7 042	6 554	9 331	8 601						
Mar. qtr r	2 227	2 490	5 647	6 227	7 874	8 718						
June qtr p	2 511	2 621	6 942	6 689	9 453	9 310						

SELECTED ASSETS AND LIABILITIES OF AUTHORISED DEALERS AND RATES OF INTEREST ON LOANS

Period	Selected liabilities			Selected assets			Weighted average interest rate (b)	
	Borrowings from residents			Commonwealth government securities				
	Related corporations	Banks	Other(a)	Treasury notes	Other	Total		
\$ million								
June							%	
1991	122	3 415	395	477	2 074	2 552	10.39	
1992	92	3 073	357	837	1 144	1 981	6.41	
1993	160	4 548	1 092	1 167	2 856	4 024	5.21	
1993-94								
April	159	3 989	1 254	604	3 945	4 549	4.68	
May	159	3 004	1 221	961	2 347	3 308	4.67	
June	172	4 996	1 479	1 164	3 859	5 022	4.69	
1994-95								
July	193	3 438	770	1 352	1 976	3 328	4.65	
August	231	4 520	1 517	1 372	3 608	4 979	5.00	
September	212	3 702	1 185	1 842	2 056	3 898	5.44	
October	235	4 021	1 353	1 870	2 407	4 277	5.52	
November	158	3 899	1 062	1 665	2 130	3 796	6.43	
December	148	5 693	1 273	2 089	3 376	5 466	6.95	
January	190	4 660	1 031	1 589	3 012	4 601	7.43	
February	50	3 772	1 799	853	4 017	4 870	7.43	
March	120	4 361	1 117	364	4 067	4 432	7.44	
April	33	4 949	1 467	306	4 636	4 941	7.44	
May	52	5 425	1 530	86	5 513	5 598	7.45	
June p	45	6 783	888	524	5 764	6 288	7.44	

(a) Includes some borrowings from governments, semi-government and public authorities which cannot be separately identified, and by the acceptance of bills of exchange and the issue of promissory notes. (b) Weighted average of rates paid on all days of the four or five weeks ending on the last Wednesday of the month.

Source: Reserve Bank of Australia.

OFFICIAL RESERVE ASSETS(a)
(\$ million)

End of period	Gold(b)	Special Drawing Rights	Reserve position in the IMF	Foreign exchange			Total
				\$US	Other	Total	
June							
1992	3 639	375	471	5 553	12 203	17 756	22 240
1993	4 448	133	855	5 684	9 702	15 386	20 823
1994	4 207	110	749	6 234	9 361	15 594	20 661
1993-94							
May	4 160	111	724	2 742	12 268	15 010	20 006
June	4 207	110	749	6 234	9 361	15 594	20 661
1994-95							
July	4 104	109	741	6 150	9 263	15 413	20 367
August	4 105	108	735	4 861	10 664	15 525	20 473
September	4 220	105	718	4 455	10 811	15 265	20 308
October	4 086	106	728	5 740	8 782	14 522	19 443
November	3 944	95	676	5 579	8 280	13 860	18 575
December	3 891	94	650	5 518	8 265	13 782	18 417
January	3 906	97	674	5 693	8 676	14 369	19 047
February	4 022	94	702	4 376	10 634	15 010	19 828
March	4 254	100	742	4 482	11 662	16 144	21 240
April	4 219	101	740	4 093	12 140	16 233	21 293
May	4 254	103	754	3 761	12 570	16 331	21 443
June	4 316	95	753	3 453	11 567	15 020	20 184
1995-96							
July	4 099	91	713	6 600	8 547	15 147	20 050

(a) All figures are \$A values at end of period shown. Changes in the \$A value of holdings of official reserve assets in any period reflect both valuation effects and transactions. The latter include sales and purchases (including swaps) of, and earnings on, foreign exchange by the Reserve Bank of Australia and certain transactions with official institutions overseas. The foreign currency value of overseas assets is based, where applicable, on market quotations; accrued interest is normally taken into account. Conversion into \$A equivalent is based on end-month rates of exchange. (b) Gold is valued at the \$A equivalent of the 3 p.m. price fix in the London gold market on the last business day of the month. See also table on Official Reserve Assets and Exchange Rates in the Balance of Payments section, page 40.

Source: Reserve Bank of Australia.

**COMMONWEALTH GOVERNMENT SHORT-TERM DEBT
AND BANK BALANCES**
(\$ million)

<i>End of period</i>	<i>Treasury notes</i>	<i>Bank balances</i>
June		
1990	8 207.1	848.5
1991	11 896.5	2 255.3
1992	13 874.1	1 659.4
1993-94		
April	14 933.7	1 543.7
May	17 374.7	2 849.6
June	16 185.0	1 345.5
1994-95		
July	16 799.8	2 389.6
August	16 627.7	2 542.4
September	18 413.5	1 927.2
October	19 499.0	1 309.9
November	18 287.8	1 571.8
December	20 002.1	875.3
January	18 402.1	1 184.9
February	18 604.1	767.8
March	15 599.8	411.6
April	14 447.4	1 188.3
May	13 688.4	717.4
June	14 162.5	2 339.2

PERMANENT BUILDING SOCIETIES: NEW LENDING COMMITMENTS DURING MONTH
(\$ million)

<i>Month</i>	<i>To individuals for</i>				<i>Commitments advanced during month</i>	<i>Cancellations during month of commitments previously approved</i>	<i>Commitments approved but not advanced at end of month</i>
	<i>Construction of dwellings</i>	<i>Purchase of newly erected dwellings</i>	<i>Purchase of established dwellings(a)</i>	<i>Alterations and additions</i>			
1993-94							
April	41.4	13.4	171.9	12.7	239.5	224.4	8.1
May	46.6	14.7	199.0	17.0	277.2	262.3	11.5
June	48.8	15.9	197.2	13.0	274.9	273.3	8.2
1994-95							
July	45.1	11.0	178.0	10.6	244.8	250.2	7.4
August	48.5	14.1	194.1	12.0	268.7	265.8	16.4
September	46.7	10.1	181.4	11.0	249.2	258.4	15.6
October	39.2	8.7	159.6	9.7	217.2	231.4	9.4
November	44.4	8.9	172.4	11.8	237.6	220.0	9.8
December	38.4	7.6	148.1	9.4	203.4	230.3	8.6
January	21.2	6.1	111.7	9.3	148.2	168.4	9.2
February	29.0	5.3	137.5	9.4	181.3	157.9	9.9
March	32.3	5.5	140.8	10.1	188.8	182.8	20.2
April	23.3	6.5	119.2	7.9	156.9	149.5	7.7
May	33.0	7.6	160.8	12.2	213.5	181.4	9.7
June	28.0	7.4	151.2	10.7	197.2	189.7	7.8

(a) Includes refinancing.

CHANGES IN STOCKS OWNED BY PRIVATE BUSINESSES, SEASONALLY ADJUSTED AT AVERAGE 1989-90 PRICES r
(\$ million)

<i>Quarter</i>	<i>Mining(a)</i>	<i>Manufacturing</i>	<i>Wholesale trade</i>	<i>Retail trade</i>	<i>Other</i>	<i>Total selected industries</i>
1992-93						
June	78	273	39	95	17	313
1993-94						
September	-48	-404	640	315	-35	162
December	182	23	847	-188	18	882
March	-76	-34	796	-282	-18	385
June	-35	-53	467	88	-31	438
1994-95						
September p	13	236	312	283	5	838

(a) In using this seasonally adjusted series extra care should be exercised because of the difficulties associated with reliably estimating its seasonal pattern.

NOTE: These statistics are designed primarily to measure trends in investment in stocks by private enterprises. The statistics in this table differ somewhat from the item *increase in stocks* in the table on page 30 as a result of the different methods of compilation of these two sets of statistics.

ALL BANKS LIABILITIES(a)
(\$ million)

Average of weekly figures	Deposits repayable in Australia			Other borrowings			Bill acceptance liabilities			All other \$A liabilities			Total \$A liabilities		
	Residents (b)	Non-residents (b)	Total	Banks (c)	Other (c)					Residents (b)	Non-residents (b)	Total	Foreign currency liabilities	Total liabilities (d)	
June(e)															
1991	189 181	5 560	194 741	11 857	12 806	55 071	12 701	272 188	14 988	287 176	33 615	320 791			
1992	197 090	6 034	203 124	12 420	14 446	49 372	14 524	276 462	17 424	293 886	37 909	331 795			
1993	216 973	5 546	222 519	8 818	16 358	49 531	11 192	290 308	18 109	308 418	43 381	351 798			
1993-94															
April	229 496	6 308	235 804	10 165	15 012	49 550	13 759	305 911	18 379	324 289	46 023	370 313			
May	230 750	5 828	236 578	10 274	15 198	50 022	13 735	308 047	17 761	325 807	46 727	372 534			
June	232 305	6 172	238 477	10 366	15 394	49 421	14 092	309 885	17 864	327 749	47 947	375 697			
1994-95															
July	234 533	6 253	240 787	10 121	16 918	50 735	13 383	316 189	15 755	331 944	46 775	378 719			
August	235 597	6 247	241 844	10 719	16 003	50 628	13 673	318 230	14 637	332 867	45 185	378 053			
September	236 786	6 289	243 076	11 520	15 623	50 854	13 742	319 951	14 864	334 815	44 132	378 947			
October	239 626	6 296	245 923	13 281	15 247	51 564	14 059	324 761	15 314	340 075	44 285	384 360			
November	243 030	6 205	249 235	11 548	15 098	52 061	14 025	326 896	15 071	341 967	43 292	385 259			
December	247 596	6 138	253 734	12 592	14 266	50 949	15 304	332 482	14 363	346 844	41 878	388 723			
January	245 810	r6 107	r251 917	r9 538	14 069	51 453	r15 579	327 984	14 572	342 557	42 569	385 125			
February	r245 956	r6 017	r251 973	r10 584	13 929	r51 827	15 146	328 989	14 470	343 459	44 638	388 097			
March	r247 920	r6 443	r254 363	r10 666	13 822	51 425	15 979	r31 010	r15 245	r346 255	r45 736	r391 991			
April	r247 007	r6 429	r253 436	r10 332	14 674	52 196	16 320	r320 807	16 151	r346 958	46 481	r393 439			
May	247 698	6 657	254 356	10 463	14 982	52 808	r16 399	r322 262	16 746	349 008	47 548	r396 548			
June	248 831	6 810	255 641	10 520	15 268	52 472	15 849	332 617	17 131	349 749	47 620	397 369			

(a) The figures in this table are derived from returns submitted by banks authorised under the *Banking Act 1959* together with similar returns voluntarily submitted by the State banks; they exclude the Reserve Bank. (b) All certificates of deposits issued by banks have been shown as resident deposits. (c) Includes issues of term subordinated debt, loan capital and similar instruments. (d) Excludes shareholders' funds. (e) Break in series due to establishment of new bank(s), which may have caused the switching of assets and liabilities from NBFIs to banks.

Source: Reserve Bank of Australia.

ALL BANKS ASSETS
(\$ million)

Average of weekly figures	Coin, Australian notes and cash with Reserve Bank	Non-callable deposits with Reserve Bank(a)	Public sector securities	Loans, and bills held	Bills receivable	Premises	All other \$A assets	Total \$A assets			Foreign currency assets	Total assets
								Residents	Non-residents	Total		
June(b)												
1991	1 244	2 541	23 437	226 757	53 573	6 657	22 465	335 469	1 203	336 672	17 062	353 733
1992	1 283	2 608	24 975	238 604	48 474	6 527	25 076	345 164	2 382	347 546	14 362	361 908
1993	1 356	2 923	25 484	255 384	48 659	5 961	25 545	362 214	3 097	365 311	17 538	382 849
1993-94												
April	1 557	3 173	28 847	270 235	49 087	5 644	28 680	384 059	3 164	387 222	18 469	405 692
May	1 432	3 211	29 482	272 012	49 473	5 618	28 301	386 464	3 066	389 530	18 876	408 407
June	1 452	3 256	28 179	r277 137	48 901	5 591	28 144	r389 498	3 162	r392 660	20 185	r412 845
1994-95												
July	1 991	3 280	28 773	r276 727	50 292	5 497	27 578	r390 790	3 347	394 137	21 709	415 846
August	1 456	3 325	28 314	278 832	50 196	5 259	27 375	391 366	3 392	394 757	21 099	415 856
September	1 460	3 349	28 935	279 775	50 629	5 496	27 390	393 582	3 451	397 033	20 258	417 291
October	1 542	3 369	26 818	284 128	51 397	5 531	26 853	396 020	3 617	399 638	21 871	421 509
November	1 644	3 388	27 009	285 634	51 787	5 481	26 358	397 751	3 549	401 300	20 651	421 951
December	2 093	3 407	27 892	r290 351	50 761	5 385	26 015	r402 342	3 562	405 904	20 787	r426 690
January	1 903	3 449	27 845	287 481	51 200	5 397	25 750	399 431	3 594	403 025	20 844	423 869
February	1 711	3 468	29 886	288 609	51 372	5 377	25 876	402 578	3 720	406 298	21 072	427 370
March	1 665	3 480	30 148	291 000	51 163	5 355	26 420	405 207	4 024	409 231	r21 526	r430 757
April	1 920	3 502	28 284	r292 291	51 978	5 324	26 866	r406 288	r3 878	r410 166	22 695	r432 861
May	1 660	3 519	27 186	295 662	52 688	5 352	r27 181	409 487	3 768	413 255	23 031	436 286
June	1 643	3 535	28 545	297 521	52 329	5 358	27 019	412 162	3 787	415 949	23 394	439 344

(a) The Statutory Reserve Deposit ratio for trading banks was set at zero on 27 September 1988 and balances transferred to non-callable accounts. On 12 October 1988, stand-alone savings banks made their first deposits under arrangements for all banks to hold non-callable deposits with the Reserve Bank. (b) Break in series due to establishment of new bank(s), which may have caused the switching of assets and liabilities from NBFIs to banks.

Source: Reserve Bank of Australia.

**SECURED HOUSING FINANCE COMMITMENTS TO INDIVIDUALS BY TYPE OF LENDER
(\$'000)**

<i>Month</i>	<i>All banks</i>	<i>Permanent building societies</i>	<i>Other lenders(a) r</i>	<i>Total r</i>
		HOUSES(b)		
1993-94				
April	3 412 603	216 066	121 636	3 750 305
May	3 886 223	245 222	155 146	4 286 591
June	3 741 684	248 815	128 782	4 119 281
1994-95				
July	3 237 666	226 123	134 066	3 597 855
August	3 287 445	245 158	156 469	3 689 072
September	3 076 747	225 202	184 993	3 486 942
October	2 735 212	195 550	191 670	3 122 432
November	3 057 737	215 883	211 184	3 484 804
December	2 774 115	184 538	168 072	3 126 725
January	2 081 753	134 170	159 940	2 375 863
February	2 554 333	165 724	234 878	2 954 935
March	3 042 177	173 398	264 826	3 480 401
April	2 259 142	143 901	r200 277	r2 603 320
May	2 960 195	193 691	205 248	3 359 134
June	2 994 394	177 653	235 718	3 407 765
OTHER DWELLINGS				
1993-94				
April	282 685	10 732	7 696	301 113
May	328 836	15 060	9 551	353 447
June	370 797	13 106	10 195	394 098
1994-95				
July	303 006	8 050	10 134	321 190
August	345 481	11 597	14 499	371 577
September	293 877	12 930	17 753	324 560
October	250 515	11 954	20 152	282 621
November	309 712	9 920	23 170	342 802
December	253 232	9 520	16 826	279 578
January	194 072	4 761	15 135	213 968
February	242 583	6 174	24 388	273 145
March	285 960	5 210	29 237	320 407
April	217 725	5 101	r23 140	r245 966
May	277 863	7 609	17 227	302 699
June	291 238	8 911	25 057	325 206
TOTAL(b)				
1993-94				
April	3 695 288	226 798	129 332	4 051 418
May	4 215 059	260 282	164 697	4 640 038
June	4 112 481	261 921	138 977	4 513 379
1994-95				
July	3 540 672	234 173	144 200	3 919 045
August	3 632 926	256 755	170 968	4 060 649
September	3 370 624	238 132	202 746	3 811 502
October	2 985 727	207 504	211 822	3 405 053
November	3 367 449	225 803	234 354	3 827 606
December	3 027 347	194 058	184 898	3 406 303
January	2 275 825	138 931	175 075	2 589 831
February	2 796 916	171 898	259 266	3 228 080
March	3 328 137	178 608	294 063	3 800 808
April	2 476 867	149 002	r223 417	2 849 286
May	3 238 058	201 300	222 475	3 661 833
June	3 285 632	186 564	260 775	3 732 971

(a) Includes all significant lenders of housing finance other than banks and permanent building societies. (b) Includes refinancing.

TURNOVER OF RETAIL ESTABLISHMENTS (EXCLUDING MOTOR DEALERS, PETROL STATIONS, ETC.)

Month	Australia																
	Total	Clothing and soft good			House- hold good	Hospit- ality and services	NSW	Vic.	Qld	SA	WA	Tas.					
	Current prices	Food retailing	Depart- ment stores	retailing	retailing	retailing											
ORIGINAL												\$ million					
1994																	
May	8 613.2	3 320.1	908.1	672.4	997.7	1 467.4	3 080.0	1 966.7	1 559.3	634.6	884.2	225.9					
June	8 586.0	3 335.6	912.9	634.7	1 011.0	1 448.3	3 050.1	1 957.6	1 590.4	624.9	886.9	217.1					
July	8 743.9	3 466.0	783.1	621.1	998.6	1 569.6	3 091.2	1 978.2	1 625.4	646.9	906.6	224.0					
August	8 824.9	3 464.5	798.9	598.9	1 055.3	1 556.1	3 136.8	1 997.6	1 656.3	650.0	887.0	220.8					
September	8 982.0	3 516.2	887.0	634.0	999.0	1 583.5	3 146.1	2 045.8	1 695.4	670.4	927.4	223.2					
October	9 323.9	3 628.1	934.7	655.4	1 022.2	1 669.7	3 271.5	2 146.4	1 733.8	700.4	956.8	224.2					
November	9 550.1	3 614.8	1 000.8	678.7	1 101.6	1 676.8	3 365.3	2 187.9	1 762.0	723.5	989.6	233.7					
December	12 359.9	4 278.2	1 817.8	946.0	1 384.6	1 930.2	4 295.0	2 912.9	2 253.6	942.0	1 266.2	312.1					
1995																	
January	8 962.0	3 620.4	752.5	629.4	991.3	1 688.4	3 146.5	2 056.9	1 693.2	682.8	910.9	220.9					
February	8 286.2	3 439.9	682.5	531.5	920.8	1 494.7	2 889.0	1 917.4	1 519.2	639.8	839.8	211.8					
March	9 245.8	3 787.3	811.3	616.0	1 021.6	1 670.5	3 238.2	2 153.8	1 692.6	722.3	922.0	232.7					
April	9 193.9	3 704.8	906.1	682.2	948.8	1 663.0	3 235.0	2 141.1	1 665.3	722.8	919.1	229.7					
May	9 448.8	3 738.9	927.4	680.9	1 065.9	1 649.2	3 312.4	2 180.6	1 743.5	735.4	955.9	229.0					
June	9 323.2	3 703.9	906.8	683.3	1 077.9	1 620.7	3 225.8	2 160.4	1 773.2	717.3	928.2	226.6					
July	9 474.0	3 787.5	880.7	665.5	1 045.9	1 695.3	3 357.5	2 154.8	1 742.6	729.6	959.0	225.3					
TREND ESTIMATES (x)																	
(a)		— \$ million —															
1994																	
May	8 869.4	8 899.2	3 441.0	916.5	643.7	1 028.5	1 541.9	3 163.8	2 027.2	1 636.0	659.1	915.9	231.6				
June	8 915.1	8 966.6	3 463.5	917.8	641.6	1 033.7	1 560.5	3 184.7	2 045.0	1 653.1	663.7	921.3	231.5				
July	9 033.0	9 045.0	3 495.0	920.4	643.4	1 037.0	1 578.4	3 206.8	2 065.9	1 670.5	671.2	929.3	231.3				
August	9 248.3	9 122.9	3 531.5	924.5	648.1	1 037.8	1 594.5	3 227.5	2 087.8	1 685.6	679.7	937.9	230.9				
September	9 201.1	9 191.0	3 568.2	928.5	654.7	1 036.7	1 608.3	3 243.6	2 108.5	1 698.5	687.9	945.6	230.2				
October	9 235.4	9 235.9	3 598.1	929.8	660.7	1 034.4	1 618.8	3 251.2	2 125.0	1 707.1	694.0	949.9	229.3				
November	9 229.0	9 261.7	3 620.4	929.4	665.4	1 032.8	1 626.6	3 252.6	2 137.6	1 712.0	698.9	950.6	228.8				
December	9 272.7	9 291.2	3 643.2	930.8	668.6	1 033.2	1 635.5	3 257.5	2 151.0	1 716.7	704.4	949.8	229.1				
1995																	
January	9 331.2	9 332.1	3 668.3	931.2	670.5	1 037.4	1 648.5	3 266.9	2 165.4	1 725.0	711.6	948.6	230.2				
February	9 392.2	9 392.8	3 697.8	932.6	671.9	1 045.4	1 664.8	3 283.9	2 181.4	1 738.7	721.0	949.1	232.0				
March	9 453.0	9 468.4	3 731.5	936.1	672.3	1 055.3	1 680.9	3 306.3	2 198.2	1 756.7	731.5	952.5	233.9				
April	9 576.7	9 549.0	3 766.5	941.4	670.9	1 064.6	1 694.9	3 331.3	2 213.7	1 766.0	741.6	958.3	235.7				
May	9 589.7	9 629.1	3 800.2	948.4	669.0	1 073.5	1 706.3	3 359.1	2 227.6	1 794.4	750.6	965.1	237.1				
June	9 718.3	9 703.8	3 830.0	956.7	667.6	1 081.0	1 715.4	3 387.5	2 239.7	1 810.4	758.1	972.1	238.3				
July	9 828.1	9 767.5	3 855.3	967.2	666.1	1 086.3	1 719.5	3 413.2	2 249.6	1 822.5	764.2	978.7	239.3				
— % change from preceding month —																	
1994																	
May	2.5	0.5	0.4	0.1	0.8	0.6	1.1	0.5	0.6	0.9	0.2	0.3	—				
June	0.5	0.8	0.7	0.1	0.3	0.5	1.2	0.7	0.9	1.0	0.7	0.6	—				
July	1.3	0.9	0.9	0.3	0.3	0.3	1.1	0.7	1.0	1.1	1.1	0.9	-0.1				
August	2.4	0.9	1.0	0.4	0.7	0.1	1.0	0.6	1.1	0.9	1.3	0.9	-0.2				
September	-0.5	0.7	1.0	0.4	1.0	-0.1	0.9	0.5	1.0	0.8	1.2	0.8	-0.3				
October	0.4	0.5	0.8	0.1	0.9	0.2	0.7	0.2	0.8	0.5	0.9	0.5	-0.4				
November	-0.1	0.3	0.6	—	0.7	-0.2	0.5	—	0.6	0.3	0.7	0.1	-0.2				
December	0.5	0.3	0.6	0.2	0.5	—	0.5	0.2	0.6	0.3	0.8	0.1	0.1				
1995																	
January	0.6	0.4	0.7	—	0.3	0.4	0.8	0.3	0.7	0.5	1.0	-0.1	0.5				
February	0.7	0.7	0.8	0.2	0.2	0.8	1.0	0.5	0.7	0.8	1.3	0.1	0.8				
March	0.6	0.8	0.9	0.4	0.1	0.9	1.0	0.7	0.8	1.0	1.5	0.4	0.8				
April	1.3	0.9	0.9	0.6	-0.2	0.9	0.8	0.8	0.7	1.1	1.4	0.6	0.8				
May	0.1	0.8	0.9	0.7	-0.3	0.8	0.7	0.8	0.6	1.0	1.2	0.7	0.6				
June	1.3	0.8	0.8	0.9	-0.2	0.7	0.5	0.8	0.5	0.9	1.0	0.7	0.5				
July	1.1	0.7	0.7	1.1	-0.2	0.5	0.2	0.8	0.4	0.7	0.8	0.7	0.4				

(a) Seasonally adjusted only (not trend estimates).

IMPORTS OF MERCHANDISE BY BROAD ECONOMIC CATEGORIES(a)
(\$ million)

Period	<i>Food and beverages</i>										
	<i>Primary</i>		<i>Processed</i>		<i>Fuels and lubricants</i>			<i>Capital goods (except transport equipment) and parts</i>			
	<i>Mainly for industry</i>	<i>Mainly for household consumption</i>	<i>Mainly for industry</i>	<i>Mainly for household consumption</i>	<i>Industrial supplies</i>		<i>Processed</i>	<i>Motor spirit</i>	<i>Other</i>	<i>Capital goods</i>	<i>Parts</i>
1992-93	180.0	392.0	259.0	1 869.0	675.0	15 572.0	2 262.0	90.0	1 372.0	10 893.0	5 659.0
1993-94	218.0	460.0	294.0	1 970.0	702.0	16 621.0	12 289.0	175.0	953.0	12 531.0	16 732.0
1994-95	387.0	512.0	386.0	2 081.0	901.0	18 594.0	2 479.0	112.0	982.0	15 201.0	7 807.0
1993-94											
May	20.0	41.0	23.0	155.0	79.0	1 392.0	190.0	10.0	71.0	1 115.0	609.0
June	19.0	36.0	21.0	157.0	54.0	1 366.0	163.0	3.0	80.0	1 178.0	603.0
1994-95											
July	23.0	40.0	31.0	164.0	83.0	1 385.0	216.0	—	90.0	1 169.0	606.0
August	28.0	40.0	31.0	158.0	76.0	1 593.0	243.0	7.0	87.0	1 297.0	658.0
September	18.2	38.8	25.3	167.5	70.0	1 456.1	246.7	7.7	60.5	1 206.9	626.6
October	27.8	49.1	31.0	187.9	66.2	1 530.8	163.7	2.3	86.4	1 258.2	637.4
November	25.6	50.5	30.5	202.9	94.2	1 604.7	103.0	21.6	74.2	1 291.9	661.7
December	25.5	52.4	33.8	191.6	56.9	1 456.0	162.0	10.5	77.1	1 194.2	596.2
January	72.3	49.1	36.8	175.3	79.3	1 518.4	197.3	3.0	77.0	1 108.4	588.8
February	49.3	40.9	40.5	158.6	79.4	1 427.9	199.7	28.3	84.7	1 102.8	589.7
March	27.0	42.4	31.2	191.8	63.0	1 180.4	195.7	13.2	111.1	1 412.4	725.6
April	25.7	31.1	28.5	141.4	63.2	1 444.0	241.3	11.1	71.6	1 188.5	632.8
May	26.9	38.5	39.7	186.6	82.2	1 751.5	304.4	6.6	168.4	1 449.0	760.6
June	137.5	40.2	126.4	155.8	88.4	1 628.6	213.6	2.0	93.9	1 554.0	723.0
1995-96											
July	32.8	38.4	29.3	195.0	70.1	1 698.4	244.4	2.1	123.6	1 356.3	790.4
<i>Transport equipment and parts</i>											
	<i>Other transport equipment</i>				<i>Consumer goods n.e.s.</i>						
	<i>Passenger motor cars</i>	<i>Industrial</i>	<i>Non-industrial</i>	<i>Parts</i>	<i>Durable</i>	<i>Semi-durable</i>	<i>Non-durable</i>	<i>Goods n.e.s.</i>	<i>Total imports</i>		
1992-93	3 195.0	2 847.0	283.0	3 670.0	2 676.0	4 234.0	3 238.0	208.0	59 575.0		
1993-94	3 455.0	2 419.0	346.0	4 173.0	2 902.0	4 616.0	3 504.0	211.0	64 470.0		
1994-95	4 357.0	3 272.0	404.0	4 713.0	3 307.0	4 920.0	3 845.0	376.0	74 638.0		
1993-94											
May	298.0	241.0	23.0	369.0	220.0	357.0	312.0	19.0	5 545.0		
June	318.0	186.0	17.0	363.0	202.0	346.0	292.0	25.0	5 430.0		
1994-95											
July	338.0	225.0	32.0	394.0	238.0	413.0	307.0	20.0	5 774.0		
August	342.0	464.0	36.0	408.0	273.0	489.0	369.0	63.0	6 662.0		
September	385.4	173.1	38.4	395.7	292.2	433.1	343.8	24.7	6 010.8		
October	352.7	252.9	42.0	419.5	339.8	466.0	350.4	26.3	6 290.5		
November	351.0	243.0	47.3	426.7	341.2	464.8	340.4	32.6	6 407.8		
December	388.2	232.4	34.0	354.6	294.5	376.3	286.7	11.4	5 834.1		
January	306.6	515.1	28.2	397.4	226.2	406.4	297.4	16.2	6 099.2		
February	279.9	218.4	32.4	327.6	223.9	384.1	276.4	22.0	5 566.5		
March	430.8	205.8	29.0	413.9	268.2	419.8	328.7	53.4	6 763.3		
April	365.1	193.4	29.6	388.9	244.1	344.6	290.3	17.3	5 750.2		
May	412.9	299.8	25.6	416.0	277.1	372.8	349.9	45.6	6 914.4		
June	1401.6	1247.0	30.6	370.5	256.5	351.8	305.8	44.0	6 568.9		
1995-96											
July	410.6	240.5	39.4	428.6	291.2	471.5	371.8	38.6	6 872.8		

(a) Import statistics classified according to the nineteen categories of the United Nations' classification Broad Economic Categories (BEC).

EXPORTS OF MAJOR COMMODITIES
(\$ million)

Period	<i>Meat of bovine animals</i>		Wheat	Gold	Sugar	Coal	Alumini-	Iron ore conc. and agglom.	Petroleum oils and products	Wool	Total exports
	Alumina										
1992-93	2 988	2 302	1 987	4 313	979	7 538	2 047	2 895	3 243	2 988	60 702
1993-94	3 228	2 246	2 290	5 293	r1 226	7 180	r2 153	2 777	2 676	2 908	64 578
1994-95	2 842	2 196	1 617	4 820	1 550	6 886	2 531	2 771	2 951	3 405	67 036
1993-94											
May	301	160	207	335	81	576	183	222	262	284	5 883
June	237	200	182	423	87	485	168	216	194	210	5 282
1994-95											
July	245	167	167	371	202	616	195	222	217	206	5 427
August	234	158	176	398	209	580	162	205	304	173	5 327
September	256	201	147	263	164	520	167	226	239	251	5 332
October	294	144	148	426	191	605	159	249	236	332	5 781
November	279	214	130	393	181	560	217	211	234	381	5 773
December	214	200	124	332	113	524	207	195	241	359	5 556
January	177	154	97	444	86	556	251	229	296	273	4 910
February	204	144	130	441	67	505	r226	193	180	292	5 160
March	246	200	157	450	92	606	254	259	286	384	6 200
April	231	205	85	538	110	r588	186	209	228	r312	r5 663
May	234	r208	145	438	89	r642	260	292	286	r236	r6 196
June	r233	195	112	326	45	r588	249	281	230	r211	r5 734
1995-96											
July	267	274	107	427	216	660	230	227	280	234	6 282

EXPORTS OF GOODS AND SERVICES (BALANCE OF PAYMENTS BASIS)(a)(b)
(\$ million)

Period	At current prices					At average 1989-90 prices				
	Rural exports f.o.b.	Non-rural exports f.o.b.	Total exports f.o.b.	Exports of services f.o.b.	Exports of goods and services	Rural exports f.o.b.	Non-rural exports f.o.b.	Total exports f.o.b.	Exports of services f.o.b.	Exports of goods and services
	ORIGINAL									
1992-93	17 080	42 942	60 022	16 422	76 444	18 960	44 041	63 001	15 229	78 230
1993-94	18 441	45 411	63 852	18 688	82 540	20 362	48 395	68 757	17 324	86 081
1994-95	19 041	47 455	66 496	20 373	86 869	19 168	50 939	70 107	18 966	89 073
1993-94										
Mar. qtr	4 539	10 568	15 107	5 230	20 337	5 222	11 517	16 739	4 844	21 583
June qtr	4 835	11 310	16 145	4 343	20 488	5 294	12 642	17 936	4 089	22 025
1994-95										
Sept. qtr	4 767	11 175	15 942	4 726	20 668	5 125	12 365	17 490	4 465	21 955
Dec. qtr	5 193	11 781	16 974	5 090	22 064	5 358	13 074	18 432	4 748	23 180
Mar. qtr	4 385	11 747	16 132	5 648	21 780	4 324	12 512	16 836	5 249	22 085
June qtr	4 696	12 752	17 448	4 909	22 357	4 361	12 988	17 349	4 504	21 853
1993-94	SEASONALLY ADJUSTED									
Mar. qtr	4 782	11 104	15 886	4 664	20 550	5 435	12 177	17 612	4 354	21 966
June qtr	4 785	11 406	16 191	4 777	20 968	5 284	12 619	17 903	4 445	22 348
1994-95										
Sep. qtr	4 884	10 967	15 851	5 011	20 862	5 340	12 181	17 521	4 687	22 208
Dec. qtr	4 879	11 345	16 224	4 970	21 194	4 983	12 594	17 577	4 678	22 255
Mar. qtr	4 716	12 405	17 121	5 034	22 155	4 649	13 279	17 928	4 716	22 644
June qtr	4 693	12 864	17 557	5 423	22 980	4 381	12 982	17 363	4 918	22 281

(a) consistent with *Balance of Payments Australia June Quarter 1995* (\$302.0). (b) For commodity detail and concepts see *Balance of payments Australia: Concepts Sources and Methods* (5531.0).

IMPORTS OF GOODS AND SERVICES (BALANCE OF PAYMENTS BASIS)(a)(b)
 (\$ million)

<i>Period</i>	<i>At current prices</i>			<i>At average 1989-90 prices</i>		
	<i>Imports f.o.b.</i>	<i>Imports of services</i>	<i>Imports of goods and services</i>	<i>Imports f.o.b.</i>	<i>Imports of services</i>	<i>Imports of goods and services</i>
ORIGINAL						
1992-93	59 427	18 430	77 857	55 241	15 960	71 201
1993-94	64 400	19 497	83 897	59 978	16 760	76 738
1994-95	74 696	21 122	95 818	71 958	18 217	90 175
1993-94						
Mar. qtr	15 198	4 665	19 863	14 449	4 150	18 599
June qtr	15 790	4 885	20 675	15 450	4 296	19 746
1994-95						
Sept. qtr	18 725	5 334	24 059	18 096	4 753	22 849
Dec. qtr	18 863	5 118	23 981	18 249	4 543	22 792
Mar. qtr	18 205	5 218	23 423	17 589	4 496	22 085
June qtr	18,903	5 452	24,355	18,024	4,425	22,449
SEASONALLY ADJUSTED						
1993-94						
Mar. qtr	15 818	4 910	20 728	15 064	4 356	19 420
June qtr	16 613	4 906	21 519	15 988	4 301	20 289
1994-95						
Sept. qtr	17 791	5 057	22 848	17 225	4 477	21 702
Dec. qtr	18 241	5 117	23 358	17 835	4 604	22 439
Mar. qtr	18 943	5 497	24 440	18 379	4 725	23 104
June qtr	19 877	5 483	25 360	18 590	4 435	23 025

(a) Consistent with *Balance of Payments, Australia, June Quarter 1995* (5302.0). (b) For commodity detail and concepts see *Balance of Payments Australia: Concepts Sources and Methods* (5331.0).

SUMMARY
(\$ million)

Period	Current transactions										Net capital transactions			
	Merchandise trade					Official					Balance on capital account			
	Exports f.o.b.	Imports f.o.b.	Balance on merch- andise trade	Net services	Net income	Net unre- quited transfers	Bal- ance on current account	General govern- ment	Reserve Bank	Total official	Non- official plus balanc- ing item	plus balanc- ing item		
1992-93	60 022	- 59 427	595	-- 2 008	13 936	685	14 664	11 384	3 989	15 373	- 709	14 664		
1993-94	63 852	- 64 400	- 548	- 809	15 680	196	16 841	7 869	- 1 104	6 765	10 076	16 841		
1994-95	66 496	- 74 696	- 8 200	-- 749	18 393	487	26 855	13 626	1 994	15 620	11 235	26 855		
1993-94														
May	5 728	- 5 638	90	-- 220	1 462	31	1 623	812	254	558	1 065	1 623		
June	5 239	- 5 225	14	238	1 439	166	1 829	2 703	168	2 871	4 700	1 829		
July	5 378	- 5 985	607	124	1 422	46	2 107	3 174	55	3 229	1 122	2 107		
Aug.	5 278	- 6 672	1 394	135	1 400	72	2 857	1 003	16	1 019	3 876	2 857		
Sept.	5 286	- 6 068	- 782	- 349	1 507	12	2 626	477	514	991	1 634	2 626		
Oct.	5 743	- 6 264	- 521	- 54	- 1 513	78	2 010	2 774	860	3 634	- 1 625	2 010		
Nov.	5 726	- 6 679	- 953	- 30	- 1 478	65	2 396	4 215	- 10	4 205	- 1 809	2 396		
Dec.	5 505	- 5 920	- 415	56	- 1 321	64	1 616	2 032	86	2 118	502	1 616		
1994-95														
Jan.	4 875	- 5 785	- 910	36	- 1 573	93	- 2 354	- 491	—	- 491	2 845	2 354		
Feb.	5 117	- 5 611	494	413	1 401	74	1 408	505	74	431	977	1 408		
Mar.	6 140	- 6 809	- 669	- 19	1 469	19	- 2 138	300	- 445	- 745	2 882	2 138		
Apr.	5 612	- 5 696	- 84	- 79	- 1 759	102	- 1 820	- 715	- 100	- 815	2 635	1 820		
May	6 151	- 6 979	- 828	- 211	- 1 939	- 38	- 3 016	774	168	942	2 074	3 016		
June	5 685	- 6 228	- 543	- 253	- 1 612	- 100	- 2 508	2 182	956	3 138	630	2 508		
July	6 244	- 7 195	- 951	-- 137	- 1 607	120	- 2 575	3 324	- 937	2 387	188	2 575		

MERCHANDISE TRADE SEASONALLY ADJUSTED; OFFICIAL RESERVE ASSETS; AND EXCHANGE RATES

Period	Seasonally adjusted merchandise trade (\$ million)		Trend estimates (\$ million)		Official reserve assets (\$ million)		Exchange rates (end of year/month) Units of foreign currency per \$A						Trade weighted index (end of period) of value of Australian dollar (May 1970=100)	
	Exports f.o.b.	Imports f.o.b.	Exports f.o.b.	Imports f.o.b.	Changes included in the balance of payments	Levels at end of period (a)	USA Dollar	UK Pound	German Mark	Japan- ese Yen	1970=100)	(b)		
1992-93					- 3 950	20 823	0.6722	0.4453	1.137	71.54	49.5			
1993-94					1 054	20 661	0.7291	0.4721	1.159	72.20	53.0			
1994-95					1 971	20 185	0.7086	0.4452	0.981	60.08	48.4			
1993-94														
May	5 428	- 5 722	5 353	- 5 607	243	20 006	0.7361	0.4879	1.211	76.85	54.60			
June	5 379	- 5 566	5 343	- 5 701	171	20 661	0.7291	0.4721	1.159	72.20	53.00			
July	5 232	- 5 792	5 336	- 5 781	30	20 367	0.7393	0.4844	1.177	73.86	53.90			
Aug.	5 341	- 5 999	5 338	- 5 850	- 16	20 473	0.7425	0.4837	1.170	73.82	53.90			
Sept.	5 274	- 5 824	5 343	- 5 916	- 483	20 308	0.7393	0.4680	1.145	72.88	53.40			
Oct.	5 528	- 5 868	5 357	- 5 988	- 904	19 443	0.7422	0.4575	1.121	72.25	53.10			
Nov.	5 449	- 6 145	5 391	- 6 057	32	18 575	0.7674	0.4912	1.206	75.93	55.50			
Dec.	5 271	- 6 299	5 455	- 6 137	73	18 417	0.7768	0.4982	1.207	77.56	56.20			
1994-95														
Jan.	5 432	- 6 100	5 533	- 6 234	- 13	19 047	0.7583	0.4752	1.141	74.75	54.50			
Feb.	5 652	- 6 168	5 619	- 6 349	93	19 828	0.7395	0.4669	1.084	71.75	52.90			
Mar.	5 910	- 6 642	5 713	- 6 466	441	21 240	0.7280	0.4534	1.026	64.92	50.70			
Apr.	5 851	- 6 519	5 807	- 6 580	138	21 293	0.7299	0.4515	1.004	61.04	49.60			
May	5 771	- 6 827	5 891	- 6 686	200	21 443	0.7138	0.4449	0.993	59.45	48.50			
June	5 765	- 6 725	5 968	- 6 774	956	20 185	0.7086	0.4452	0.981	60.08	48.40			
July	6 272	- 6 812	6 029	- 6 851	940	20 050	0.7389	0.4611	1.023	65.31	51.00			

(a) Reserve Bank series. (b) The trade-weighted index is calculated by the reserve bank and is an index of average value of the Australian dollar vis-a-vis currencies of Australia's major trading partners.

REGISTRATIONS OF NEW MOTOR VEHICLES(a)

Period	Passenger vehicles			Other vehicles(a)			Total			
	Original	Seasonally adjusted	Trend estimate	Original	Seasonally adjusted	Trend estimate	Original	Seasonally adjusted	Trend estimate	Motor cycles
1991-92	437 024	...	...	84 161	...	...	521 185	...	...	16 675
1992-93	449 777	...	...	91 728	...	...	541 505	...	...	17 513
1993-94	475 981	...	...	98 285	...	...	574 266	...	...	17 425
[1993-94]										
May	43 102	41 591	41 181	10 096	9 174	9 088	53 198	50 765	50 269	1 315
June	45 240	41 467	41 520	12 713	10 183	9 160	57 953	51 651	50 680	1 420
[1994-95]										
July	42 280	42 172	41 908	9 649	9 425	9 088	51 929	51 597	50 996	1 332
August	44 684	41 371	42 385	8 244	8 096	8 968	52 928	49 467	51 354	1 569
September	42 374	41 898	42 937	8 064	8 479	8 898	50 438	50 377	51 835	1 677
October	45 354	46 316	43 403	8 988	9 035	8 891	54 342	55 351	52 294	1 658
November	45 485	42 629	43 750	9 949	9 312	8 938	55 434	51 941	52 688	1 981
December	43 948	43 128	44 020	8 850	9 473	8 995	52 798	52 602	45 014	1 892
January	36 283	45 970	44 348	6 657	8 827	9 080	42 940	54 797	45 427	1 854
February	41 290	44 440	44 726	7 902	8 799	9 172	49 192	53 240	53 899	1 686
March	47 264	41 764	45 116	9 982	8 675	9 291	57 246	50 439	54 407	1 848
April	39 470	47 766	45 468	8 250	10 126	9 449	47 720	57 892	54 917	1 458
May	52 556	48 104	45 614	11 566	9 847	9 589	64 122	57 951	55 204	1 960
June	47 511	44 369	45 563	12 309	10 002	9 674	59 820	54 370	55 237	1 589
1995-96										
July	43 698	43 903	45 308	9 217	9 035	9 734	52 915	52 938	55 042	1 706

(a) Includes government-owned vehicles except those belonging to the defence services. Excludes plant and equipment, caravans and trailers. Data from December 1990 in this table is based on the System of Vehicle Identification Numbers (VIN) introduced by motor vehicles authorities from July 1990 onwards. The system allows more accurate identification and classification of newly registered vehicles and as a result there is a reduction in the level of new vehicle registrations through better identification of duplicate registrations and those registered previously.

TOURIST ACCOMMODATION

Period	Hotels and motels and guest houses with facilities						Caravan parks				
	Establishments	Guest rooms	Bed spaces	Room occupancy rates		Bed occupancy rates	Takings from accommodation	Establishments	Total capacity	Site occupancy rates	
				No.	%						
1993											
Dec. qtr	4 832	166 743	478 366	55.5		34.2	709 542	2 704	288 300	42.4	108 504
1994											
Mar. qtr	4 815	166 262	477 571	55.9		34.8	703 914	2 701	287 578	45.2	117 097
June qtr	4 839	166 670	479 590	54.1		32.6	674 513	2 702	287 519	43.1	100 865
Sept. qtr	4 806	166 407	479 381	58.4		35.9	759 895	2 721	288 143	44.0	109 837
Dec. qtr	4 819	166 963	482 472	59.0		35.8	796 910	2 716	288 419	42.7	113 981
1995											
Mar. qtr	4 817	167 377	482 443	58.1		35.7	776 661	2 706	287 979	45.4	121 550
Jan.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	57.1		39.0	263 155	n.a.	n.a.	51.9	55 063
Feb.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	57.7		33.4	239 931	n.a.	n.a.	42.3	31 731
Mar.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	59.6		34.4	273 574	n.a.	n.a.	41.8	34 756
	Holiday flats, units and houses						Visitor hostels				
	Letting entities	Total flats units etc	Bed spaces	Unit occupancy rates	%	Takings from accommodation	Establishments	Bed spaces	Occupancy rates	Takings from accommodation	
	No.	No.	No.	%	\$'000	No.	No.	No.	%	\$'000	
1993											
Dec. qtr	1 493	35 486	154 103	51.1	102 697	414	24 960	43.2		11 694	
1994											
Mar. qtr	1 491	35 410	154 325	56.1	116 167	426	25 748	45.3		12 560	
June qtr	1 495	35 312	153 381	45.1	84 752	417	25 061	40.6		11 031	
Sept. qtr	1 510	36 256	156 912	57.1	116 042	422	25 634	43.6		12 425	
Dec. qtr	1 535	37 534	163 586	52.6	120 412	433	26 063	45.1		13 590	
1995											
Mar. qtr	1 559	38 009	165 704	56.3	133 221	427	25 660	47.1		13 819	
Jan.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	73.0	65 798	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	48.8	4 929	
Feb.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	49.4	33 449	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	46.4	4 244	
Mar.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	45.9	33 974	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	46.1	4 645	

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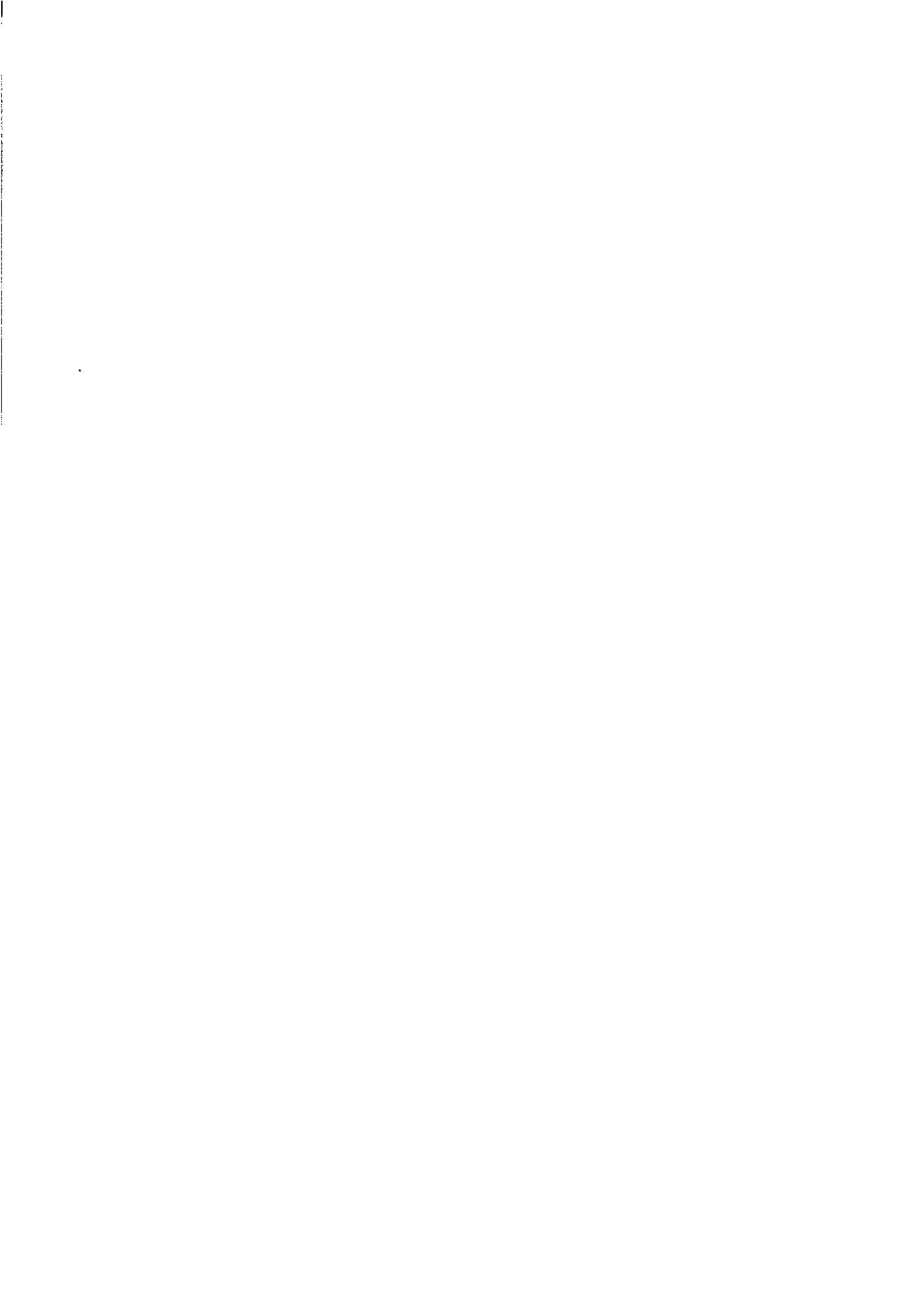
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