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**PHYSICAL**

Area	km <sup>2</sup>	Darwin	1,656
Average annual rainfall	mm	Alice Springs	277
Average annual temperature	C <sup>o</sup>		
min			13.1
max			28.5
Average annual humidity	%		
9.00 a.m.			42
3.00 p.m.			24
Highest daily rainfall-Roper Valley Station	mm		1,963
Highest maximum temperature-Finke	C <sup>o</sup>		1960
Lowest minimum temperature-Alice Springs	C <sup>o</sup>		1976

**ESTIMATED RESIDENT POPULATION**

Darwin Statistical Division	1991 (p)	1992 (p)
Alice Springs(T)	76,745	77,634
Nhulunbuy	24,250	24,555
Tennant Creek(T)	4,020	4,024
Katherine(T)	3,214	3,189
Northern Territory	8,347	8,559
	165,493	167,091

**ABORIGINAL POPULATION BY CENSUS**

Darwin Statistical Division	1986	1991
Alice Springs(T)	5,606	6,179
Nhulunbuy	3,455*	3,708
Tennant Creek(T)	72	123
Katherine(T)	871	1,478
Northern Territory	34,740	39,910

**VITAL STATISTICS**

Births	No.	1991
Deaths	No.	3,589
Marriages	No.	818
Divorces	No.	890
		397

**EMPLOYMENT (Trend Estimate)**

Employed persons	'000	December 1992
Unemployed persons	'000	71.9
Unemployment rate	%	5.0
Participation rate	%	6.4
		68.0

**Average Weekly Earnings**

All employees total earnings	\$	August 1992
		569.90
		1991-92
		109.5

**PRICE INDEXES - DARWIN**

Consumer Price Index		1991-92
Base: 1989-90 = 100.0		108.0
Established house price index		1991-92
Base: 1989-90 = 100.0		115.6

**AVERAGE RETAIL PRICES (cents) DARWIN**

Milk, carton, supermarket sales	1 litre	Dec qtr 1992
Ham steak	1 kg	94
Draught beer, full strength	285 ml glass	1,232
Petrol, super	1 litre	199
Bread, white loaf, sliced	650 g	73.8
		165

**AGRICULTURE**

Establishments	No.	1990-91	1991-92
Field crops and horticulture	\$ '000	270	271
Livestock slaughtering/other disposals	\$ '000	20,475	21,485
and livestock products	\$ '000	121,536	125,100
Beef and buffalo meat exports	\$ '000	27,505	43,792

**FISHING**

Estimated value of catch	\$ m	1990-91	1991-92
Barramundi	\$ m	1.7	1.7
Snapper	\$ m	1.1	18.6
Prawns	\$ m	24.0	26.6
Total	\$ m	31.2	

**MINING - Metallic Minerals, Oil and Gas**

Value of minerals produced	\$ m	1990-91	1991-92
Metallic minerals	\$ m	1,855.7	1,492.8
Oil and gas	\$ m	819.5	673.3
Mineral exploration Expenditure	\$ m	889.4	57.8

**MANUFACTURING**

Establishments	No.	1990-91	1991-92
Persons employed	'000	198	204
Wages and salaries	\$ m	2.9	2.9
Turnover	\$ m	89.4	96.0
		586.5	645.0

**BUILDING**

Approvals	No.	1991-92
New Houses	No.	972
New other residential buildings	No.	487
Total building	\$ m	241.3
Completions		
New houses	No.	765(f)
New other residential buildings	No.	363(f)
Total building	\$ m	305.2(f)

**TOURIST ACCOMMODATION**

Occupancy rates	%	Sept qtr 1992	Sept qtr 1993
Motels/hotels	%	60.0	41.2
Caravan parks	%	36.9	38.3
Holiday flats and units	%	71.2	79.3
Hostels	%	54.2	60.7
Takeings	\$ m	30.1	34.2

**TRANSPORT**

New motor vehicles registered during year	No.	1991-92	1992-93
Total motor vehicles on register, 30 June	No.	4,863	5,811
		77,900	79,900

**OVERSEAS TRADE**

Value of imports	\$ m	1991-92	1992-93
Value of exports	\$ m	430.0	272.6
		1,461.0	1,280.3

NOTE: (p) indicates preliminary figure, (f) indicates revised figure