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SUMMARY CHARACTERISTICS OF PERSONS AND DWELLINGS NORTHERN TERRITORY

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## EXPLANATORY NOTES

## Introduction

This publication is one of the Bulletin 2 series presenting data from the 1981 Census of Population and Housing on characteristics of persons and dwellings in the States, Territories and Australia. Persons were counted where they spent the night of 30 June 1981. More detailed cross-classified tables will be available in the Bulletin 3 series.

## Content

2. There are 39 tables in each State and Territory publication. The publication for Australia contains 3 additional tables to give an Australia-wide picture of place of usual residence and internal migration.
3. The first table is a summary of important statistics from the 1981 Census and the next five tables provide more detailed comparisons with several earlier censuses. The remaining tables provide a comparison with the 1976 Census results where possible.
4. Some tables are footnoted for clarity, but further details on individual topics and classifications can be obtained from the relevant information papers. (See 'Related publications'.)

## Scope and coverage

5. The 1981 Census of Population and Housing aimed at counting every person who spent census night, 30 June 1981, in Australia, including persons on vessels in or between Australian ports, on board long-distance trains, buses or aircraft. All dwellings were counted, whether occupied or unoccupied. People were counted where they were on census night, which may not be where they usually lived. Visitors to Australia were enumerated regardless of how long ago they had arrived or how long they planned to stay. Australian residents out of the country on census night were excluded from the count.
6. Diplomatic personnel and their families are, by definition, out of the scope of the census, as are diplomatic residences.
7. While every effort is made to minimise undercounting in the census, some inevitably remains for various reasons (e.g. inadvertent omission of very young children, treatment of some dwellings as unoccupied when, in fact, they were occupied, and failure to find all dwellings). Refusal by householders to complete the census schedule is not a significant cause of undercounting.

## Definitions

8. Dwellings-for census purposes, dwellings are classified into two groups: occupied and unoccupied. Occupied dwellings can be either private or non-private while unoccupied are private only.
(a) An occupied private dwelling is defined as the premises occupied by a household on census night (for a definition of Household see below). A private dwelling is normally a house, flat, part of a house or even a room but can also be a tent, houseboat, or caravan if standing on its own block of land and not occupied by members of the same household resident in an adjacent
dwelling. It is important to remember that the census definition of a private dwelling means that the total number of dwellings may be more than the total number of known structures in any given area (see Household below). Non-private dwellings are hotels, motels, boarding houses, gaols, religious and charitable institutions, defence establishments, other communal dwellings and caravan parks; such dwellings unoccupied on census night are not counted. Usually occupants of such dwellings use communal facilities (such as hotel dining rooms or mess halls) attached to the particular establishment. A caravan in a caravan park (whether permanently or temporarily located) is treated as part of a non-private dwelling as are selfcontained units provided by commercial enterprises such as hotels, motels and guest-houses.
(b) An unoccupied dwelling is a structure built specifically for living purposes and capable of being lived in but unoccupied at the time of the census. Vacant houses, holiday houses, huts, cabins (other than seasonal workers' quarters) and houseboats are counted as unoccupied dwellings but vacant tents, garages and caravans (if not normally occupied) are not. Also included are newly completed dwellings not yet occupied; dwellings which are vacant because they are due for demolition or repair; dwellings to let; and dwellings where all members of the household were absent on census night.
9. Household-For census purposes, a household is either a person living alone or a group of people living together as a single domestic unit with common eating arrangements. It is possible for more than one household to live in one house or structure. For example, a lodger who lives with a family and provides all his own food is not a member of the family's household but constitutes a separate household and therefore completes a separate householder's schedule. Because an occupied private dwelling is defined as the premises occupied by a household on census night (see above), the number of households and the number of occupied private dwellings is identical and the number of occupied dwellings, as defined for census purposes, may be greater than the known number of structures.
10. Section of State - This identifies aggregations of collection districts on a basis which ignores legal boundaries. Sections of State are defined for statistical purposes only.

Five sections of State are used:
(a) Major urban-urban centres with a population of 100,000 and over. Some urban centres cross State boundaries; in such cases, information for separate parts will be published in the respective State publications;
(b) Other urban-urban centres with a population of 1,000 to 99.999;
(c) Bounded rural locality-population clusters of 200 to 999 persons;
(d) Rural-the remainder of the State;
(e) Migratory-persons enumerated on board vessels in and between Australian ports, or on board long-distance trains, buses or aircraft.

## Further information

11. If you would like further information about the statistics available from the 1981 Census, please contact your local ABS office (see Appendix B). An information paper: Census 81-Data Release Plans (2142.0) and its Addendum, which are available from any office of the ABS, describe the plans for data and supporting information planned for release from the 1981 Census. The Catalogue of 1981 Census Tables (2139.0) is also available.
12. Other information from the census is available at various levels of geographic detail. Information at other levels may be made available on request.

## Related publications

13. Estimated Resident Population, Australia, States and Territories, 30 June 1981, 1976 and 1971 (3217.0)

1981 Census of Population and Housing:
Preliminary Counts-Australia, States and Territories (2209.0)

Counts of Aboriginals and Torres Strait Islanders, Australia, States and Territories, 30 June 1971, 1976, 1981 (2164.0)
Bulletin 1, Persons and Dwellings in Local Government Areas and Urban Centres (2401.0-2408.0)
Bulletin 3, Cross-classified Characteristics of Persons and Dwellings (2444.0-2452.0)
14. Further details of the statistics contained in catalogue numbers 2209.0, 2401.0-2408.0 and 2444.02452.0 above appear in information paper; Census 81 Statistical Publications (2144.0).
15. Other related publications about the 1981 Census are:

Catalogue of 1981 Census Tables (2139.0)(a)
Making Sense of Census 81 (2140.0)
Geographic Code List (2141.0)(a)
Census 81 -Data Release Plans (2142.0)(a)
Census 81-Data Release Plans, Addendum (2142.0)(a)
Census 81—Magnetic Tape Summary Files (2143.0)(a)
Census 81-Statistical Publications (2144.0)(a)
Census 81—Microfiche (2145.0)(a)
Census 81-Maps (2146.0)(a)
Census 81-Industry (2147.0)(a)
Census 81-Occupation (2148.0)(a)
Census 81-Education Qualifications (2149.0)
Census 81-Dwelling, Household, Family (2150.0)
Census 81-Income (2151.0)(a)
Census 81-Language (2152.0)(a)
Census 81-Aboriginals and Torres Strait Islanders (2153.0)(a)

Census 81-Journey to Work (2154.0)
Census 81-Usual Residence and Internal Migration (2155.0)

Census 81-Sample Files on Magnetic Tape (2165.0)
Census 81-Detailed Tables on Magnetic Tape (2166.0) (a) already available.

## Symbols and other usages

n.a. not available (in some cases it has not been possible to estimate comparable 1976 Census data)

- nil or rounded to zero
$\therefore$ not applicable
$r$ revised
n.e.i. not elsewhere included
n.e.c. not elsewhere classified
etc. et cetera; for the full description, see the relevant information paper.

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TABLE 1. ABSTRACT

|  | Males | Females | Persons | See table on page: |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Persons: | 65,417 | 57,907 | 123,324 |  |
| Age- |  |  |  | 6-7 |
| Under 18 years | 22,604 | 21,531 | 44,135 |  |
| 18.64 years | 40,926 | 34,510 | 75,436 |  |
| 65 years and over | 1,887 | 1,866 | 3,753 |  |
| Aboriginals and Torres Strait Islanders | 14.368 | 14,720 | 29,088 | 10 |
| Overseas born | 12,319 | 10,014 | 22,333 | 8-9 |
| Language of overseas born aged 5 years and over- |  |  |  | 13 |
| Speak English only | 8,070 | 6,435 | 14,505 |  |
| Speak English but not well | 647 | 592 | 1,239 |  |
| Do not speak English | 121 | 224 | 345 |  |
| Individual income (annual)- |  |  |  | 16 |
| \$10,000 or less | 15,792 | 25,516 | 41,308 |  |
| \$10,001-\$26,000 | 22,020 | 8,812 | 30,832 |  |
| Over \$26,000 | 2,525 | 204 | 2,729 |  |
| Religion- |  |  |  | 12 |
| Christian | 37,118 | 36,530 | 73,648 |  |
| Non-christian | 987 | 831 | 1,818 |  |
| No religion | 12,418 | 9,055 | 21,473 |  |
| Labour force- |  |  |  | 17 |
| Employed | 35,795 | 20,091 | 55,886 |  |
| Unemployed | 1,652 | 1,210 | 2,862 |  |
| Married women |  | 11,940 | 11,940 |  |
| Not in the labour force | 8.270 | 17,870 | 26,140 |  |
| Persons employed by- |  |  |  | 21 |
| Governments | 10,923 | 7,624 | 18,547 |  |
| Non-government | 20,502 | 9,723 | 30,225 |  |
| Journey to work by- |  |  |  | 18 |
| Car | 19,453 | 11,029 | 30,482 |  |
| Public transport (including taxi) | 2,459 | 1,056 | 3,515 |  |
| Dwellings: |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | Number |  |  |
| Occupied private dwellings |  | 29,049 |  | 21 |
| Unoccupied private dwellings |  | 2,368 |  | 23 |
| Non-private dwellings |  | 514 |  | 4 |
| Occupied private dwellings- |  |  |  |  |
| Owned or being purchased |  | 8,938 |  | 21 |
| Rented |  | 14,834 |  | 21 |
| Weekly rents- 22 |  |  |  |  |
| \$59 or less |  | 10,839 |  | 22 |
| \$60-\$119 |  | 2,295 |  |  |
| \$120 or more |  | 775 |  |  |
| Monthly mortgage payments- |  |  |  | 22 |
| \$99 or less |  | 367 |  |  |
| \$100-\$299 |  | 3,350 |  |  |
| \$300 or more |  | 1,573 |  |  |

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TABLE 2. SECTION OF STATE-CENSUSES 1966-1981

| Secrion of State | Census |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | 1966(a) |  | 1971 |  | 1976 |  | 1981 |  |
|  | Males | Females | Males | Females | Males | Females | Males | Females |
| Major urban | 16, $\overline{76}$ | 14.565 | 31, - $^{\text {a }}$ | , $\overline{63}$ |  | 29, $\overline{37}$ | 47.974 |  |
| Other urban | 16,976 | 14.565 | 31,248 | 24,163 | 34,802 | 29,637 | 47,974 | 43,505 |
| Rural | 14,965 | 11,751 | 17,073 | 13,532 | 17,249 | 14,834 | 16,905 | 14,242 |
| Migratory | 218 | 77 | 306 | 68 | 396 | 172 | 538 | 160 |
| Total | 32,159 | 26,393 | 48,627 | 37,763 | 52,447 | 44,643 | 65,417 | 57,907 |

(a) The 1966 figures in this table include all Aboriginals. Previous publications showing 1966 Census figures excluded persons described as full blood Aboriginals.

TABLE 3. BIRTHPLACE-CENSUSES 1947-1981(a)

| Birthplace | Census |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | 1947 Persons | $\begin{array}{r} 1954 \\ \text { Persons } \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 1961 \\ \text { Persons } \end{array}$ | 1966(b) Persons | $\begin{array}{r} 1971 \\ \text { Persons } \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 1976 \\ \text { Persons } \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 1981 \\ \text { Persons } \end{array}$ |
| Australia | 9,502 | 13,497 | 21,521 | r50,130 | 69,541 | 79,647 | 95,778 |
| New Zealand | 86 | 138 | 246 | 355 | 1,113 | 1,462 | 2,486 |
| U.K. and Ireland | 748 | 1,352 | 2,072 | 3,087 | 5,731 | 6,100 | 7,548 |
| Other Europe | 350 | 1,102 | 2,522 | 3,785 | 6,549 | 5,642 | 5,755 |
| Asia | 117 | 257 | 483 | 722 | 1,411 | 2,215 | 3,854 |
| America | 29 | 79 | 124 | 283 | 1,612 | 1,300 | 1,453 |
| Other | 36 | 44 | 127 | 190 | 433 | 724 | 1,237 |
| Total overseas born | 1,366 | 2.972 | 5,574 | 8,422 | 16.849 | 17.443 | 22.333 |
| Not stated(c) | - | - | - | - | - | - | 5,213 |
| Total | 10,868 | 16,469 | 27,095 | r58,552 | 86,390 | 97,090 | 123,324 |

(a) Aboriginals are not included in the figures prior to the 1966 Census. (b) See footnote (a) for table 2 above. (c) Imputed for censuses prior to the 1981 Census.

TABLE 4. PERSONS AND DWELLINGS BY CLASS OF DWELLING-CENSUSES 1947-1981(a)

|  | Class of dwelling |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Occupied private | Nonprivate | Total occupied | Unoccupied | Total dwellings | Campers out | Migratory | Total |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Dwellings | 2,592 | 105 | 2,697 | 34 | 2,731 |  |  | 2,731 |
| Persons | 7,826 | 2,460 | 10,286 | ... | 10,286 | 444 | 138 | 10,868 |
| Persons-percentage | 72.0 | 22.6 | 94.6 | . | 94.6 | 4.1 | 1.3 | 100.0 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Dwellings | 3,237 | 190 | 3,427 | 47 | 3,474 |  |  | 3,474 16,469 |
| Persons | 11,470 | 4,176 | 15,646 |  | 15,646 | 599 3.6 | 224 1 | 16,469 100.0 |
| Persons-percentage | 69.6 | 25.4 | 95.0 |  | 95.0 | 3.6 | 1.4 | 100.0 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Dwellings | 5,146 | 333 | 5,479 | 179 | 5,658 |  |  | 5,658 |
| Persons | 19,555 | 6,206 | 25,761 | . . | 25,761 | 1,070 | 264 | 27,095 |
| Persons-percentage | 72.2 | 22.9 | 95.1 | $\cdots$ | 95.1 | 3.9 | 1.0 | 100.0 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Dwellings | 8,029 | 608 | 8,637 | 380 | 9,017 |  |  | 9,017 |
| Persons | 32,011 | 8,800 | 40,811 | . | 40,811 | (c) 15,398 | 295 | 56,504 |
| Persons-percentage | 56.7 | 15.6 | 72.2 | . | 72.2 | 27.3 | 0.5 | 100.0 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Dwellings | 17,282 | 510 | 17,792 | 929 | 18,721 |  |  | 18,721 |
| Persons | 67,817 | 15,780 | 83,597 | . . | 83,597 | 2,419 | 374 | 86,390 |
| Persons-percentage | 78.5 | 18.3 | 96.8 |  | 96.8 | 2.8 | 0.4 | 100.0 |
| 1976 Census 285 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Dwellings | 22,885 | 385 | 23,270 | 2,292 | 25,562 |  |  | 25,562 |
| Persons | 84,036 | 11,701 | 95,737 | . . | 95,737 | 785 | 568 | 97,090 |
| Persons-percentage | 86.6 | 12.1 | 98.6 | $\ldots$ | 98.6 | 0.8 | 0.6 | 100.0 |
| 1981 Census |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Dwellings | 29,049 | 514 | 29.563 | 2,368 | 31,931 |  |  | 31,931 |
| Persons | 105,972 | 16,278 | 122,250 |  | 122,250 | 376 | 698 | 123,324 |
| Persons-percentage | 85.9 | 13.2 | 99.1 | . | 99.1 | 0.3 | 0.6 | 100.0 |

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TABLE 5. PERSONS BY AGE IN 5 YEAR GROUPS-CENSUSES 1947-1981(a)

| Age | Census |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | 1947 | 1954 | 1961 | 1966(b) | 1971 | 1976 | 1981 |
| 0-4 | 1,009 | 2,074 | 3,587 | 8,339 | 11,763 | 11,894 | 12,856 |
| 5-9 | 772 | 1,459 | 2,700 | 7,010 | 9,438 | 11,372 | 13,581 |
| 10-14 | 549 | 986 | 1,990 | 5,226 | 7,204 | 8,716 | 11,999 |
| 15-19 | 726 | 803 | 1,489 | 4,349 | 5,948 | 7,434 | 9,786 |
| 20-24 | 1,343 | 1,808 | 3,070 | 6,054 | 10,901 | 10,457 | 12,960 |
| 25-29 | 1,157 | 2,301 | 2,910 | 5,755 | 10,134 | 11,749 | 13,537 |
| 30-34 | 1,077 | 1,674 | 2,854 | 4,571 | 7,608 | 9,164 | 12,927 |
| 35.39 | 966 | 1,233 | 2,375 | 4,184 | 5,641 | 6.690 | 9,534 |
| 40-44 | 898 | 1,154 | 1,616 | 3,556 | 4,984 | 4,856 | 7,004 |
| 45-49 | 765 | 922 | 1,409 | 2,746 | 4,010 | 4,208 | 4.957 |
| 50-54 | 588 | 737 | 1,046 | 2,102 | 3,026 | 3,511 | 4,424 |
| 55-59 | 426 | 500 | 778 | 1,559 | 2,120 | 2,486 | 3,369 |
| 60-64 | 274 | 373 | 582 | 1,203 | 1,474 | 1,971 | 2,637 |
| 65-69 | 168 | 241 | 349 | 1,017 | 1,001 | 1,288 | 1,843 |
| 70-74 | 67 | 112 | 181 | 548 | 646 | 716 | 1,039 |
| 75 and over | 83 | 92 | 159 | 333 | 492 | 576 | 871 |
| Total | 10,868 | 16,469 | 27,095 | 58,552 | 86,390 | 97,090 | 123,324 |

(a) Sec footnote (a) for table 3. (b) See footnote (a) for table 2.

TABLE 6. MARITAL STATUS—CENSUSES 1947-1981(a)

| Marital status | Census |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | 1947(b) | 1954 | 1961 | 1966(c) | 1971 | 1976 | 1981 |
| Never married - |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Under 15 years of age- | 1.195 | 2,317 | 4.277 | 10,164 | 14.576 | 16.472 | 19,700 |
| Females | 1,135 | 2,202 | 4,000 | 9,823 | 13,829 | 15,512 | 18,736 |
| Persons | 2,330 | 4,519 | 8,277 | 19,987 | 28,405 | 31,983 | 38,436 |
| Other never married- |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | 3.227 | 3.878 | 5,436 | 8,948 | 13.155 | 12,364 | 16,346 |
| Females | 621 | 939 | 1,613 | 3,794 | 4,799 | 6,325 | 9,915 |
| Persons | 3.848 | 4.817 | 7,049 | 12,742 | 17,954 | 18,690 | 26,261 |
| Total never married- |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Males | 4.422 | 6.195 | 9,713 | 19,112 | 27,731 | 28,836 | 36,046 |
| Females | 1.756 | 3.141 | 5,613 | 13.617 | 18,628 | 21.837 | 28.651 |
| Persons | 6.178 | 9,336 | 15,326 | 32.729 | 46,359 | 50,673 | 64,697 |
| Married- |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Males | 2,650 | 3,430 | 5,550 | 11,654 | 18,583 | 20,867 | 24,732 |
| Females | 1,527 | 2,612 | 4,567 | 11,070 | 16,720 | 19,429 | 23,486 |
| Persons | 4,177 | 6,042 | 10,117 | 22,724 | 35,303 | 40,296 | 48,218 |
| Separated not divorced- |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Males | n.a. | 309 | 458 | 578 | 972 596 | 1,283 | ${ }^{1}, 681$ |
| Females Persons | n. | 149 458 | 246 704 | 994 | 1,568 | 2,371 | 3,184 |
| Divorced- |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Mates | 127 | 191 | 271 | 320 | 686 | 894 | 2,162 |
| Females | 41 | 72 | 112 | 183 | 285 | 599 | 1,726 |
| Persons | 168 | 263 | 383 | 503 | 971 | 1,493 | 3,888 |
| Widowed- |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Males | 179 | 163 | 214 | 495 | 655 | 567 | 796 |
| Females | 166 | 207 | 351 | 1,107 | 1,534 | 1,690 | 2,541 |
| Persons | 345 | 370 | 565 | 1,602 | 2,189 | 2,257 | 3,337 |
| Total ever married- |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Males | 2.956 | 4.093 | 6.493 | 13.047 | 20,896 | 23.611 | 29,371 |
| Females | 1.734 | 3.040 | S. 276 | 12,776 | 19.135 | 22.806 | 29,256 |
| Persons | 4.690 | 7,133 | 11.769 | 25,823 | 40,031 | 46.417 | 58,627 |
| Total- |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Males | 7,378 | 10,288 | 16,206 | 32,159 | 48,627 | 52,447 | 65,417 |
| Females | 3,490 | 6,181 | 10,889 | 26,393 | 37,763 | 44,643 | 57,907 |
| Persons | 10,868 | 16,469 | 27,095 | 58,552 | 86,390 | 97,090 | 123,324 |

[^1] the marital status question, and (iii) all persons who reported themselves as permanently separated. (c) See footnote (a) for table 2.

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TABLE 7. AGE IN SINGLE YEARS

| Age | 1981 Census |  |  |  | 1976 Census |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Males | Females | Persons | Percentage | Males | Females | Persons | Percentage |
| 0 | 1,247 | 1,250 | 2,497 | 2.0 | 1,168 | 1,071 | 2,239 | 2.3 |
| 1 | 1,304 | 1,226 | 2,530 | 2.1 | 1.170 | 1,058 | 2,228 | 2.3 |
| 2 | 1,239 | 1,261 | 2,500 | 2.0 | 1,267 | 1,124 | 2,391 | 2.5 |
| 3 | 1,378 | 1,319 | 2,697 | 2.2 | 1,274 | 1,202 | 2,476 | 2.6 |
| 4 | 1,369 | 1,263 | 2,632 | 2.1 | 1,319 | 1,241 | 2,560 | 2.6 |
| 0.4 | 6.537 | 6,319 | 12,856 | 10.4 | 6.198 | 5.696 | 11,894 | 12.3 |
| 5 | 1,419 | 1,326 | 2,745 | 2.2 | 1,321 | 1,210 | 2,531 | 2.6 |
| 6 | 1,375 | 1,305 | 2,680 | 2.2 | 1,269 | 1,226 | 2,495 | 2.6 |
| 7 | 1,362 | 1,266 | 2,628 | 2.1 | 1,155 | 1,092 | 2,247 | 2.3 |
| 8 | 1,404 | 1,306 | 2,710 | 2.2 | 1,092 | 1,017 | 2,109 | 2.2 |
| 9 | 1,478 | 1.340 | 2,818 | 2.3 | 1,044 | 946 | 1,990 | 2.0 |
| 5.9 | 7.038 | 6,543 | 13,581 | 11.0 | 5,881 | 5,491 | 11.372 | 11.7 |
| 10 | 1.448 | 1,367 | 2,815 | 2.3 | 955 | 1,030 | 1,985 | 2.0 |
| 11 | 1,249 | 1,215 | 2,464 | 2.0 | 896 | 817 | 1,713 | 1.8 |
| 12 | 1,221 | 1,166 | 2,387 | 1.9 | 932 | 840 | 1,772 | 1.8 |
| 13 | 1,120 | 1,059 | 2,179 | 1.8 | 822 | 867 | 1,689 | 1.7 |
| 14 | 1,087 | 1,067 | 2,154 | 1.7 | 787 | 770 | 1,557 | 1.6 |
| 10-14 | 6.125 | 5,874 | 11.999 | 9.7 | 4.392 | 4,324 | 8,716 | 9.0 |
| 15 | 1,017 | 1,000 | 2,017 | 1.6 | 790 | 738 | 1,528 | 1.6 |
| 16 | 937 | 889 | 1,826 | 1.5 | 736 | 689 | 1,425 | 1.5 |
| 17 | 950 | 906 | 1,856 | 1.5 | 667 | 623 | 1,290 | 1.3 |
| 18 | 1,028 | 986 | 2,014 | 1.6 | 738 | 755 | 1,493 | 1.5 |
| 19 | 1,053 | 1,020 | 2,073 | 1.7 | 880 | 818 | 1,698 | 1.7 |
| 15-19 | 4.985 | 4.801 | 9.786 | 7.9 | 3,811 | 3,623 | 7.434 | 7.7 |
| 20 | 1,181 | 1,231 | 2,412 | 2.0 | 925 | 978 | 1,903 | 2.0 |
| 21 | 1,278 | 1,257 | 2,535 | 2.1 | 1,045 | 947 | 1,992 | 2.1 |
| 22 | 1,319 | 1,232 | 2,551 | 2.1 | 1,104 | 1,010 | 2,114 | 2.2 |
| 23 | 1,480 | 1,327 | 2,807 | 2.3 | 1,169 | 1,026 | 2,195 | 2.3 |
| 24 | 1,393 | 1,262 | 2,655 | 2.2 | 1,221 | 1,031 | 2,252 | 2.3 |
| 20-24 | 6.651 | 6.309 | 12.960 | 10.5 | 5.464 | 4.992 | 10,457 | 10.8 |
| 25 | 1,424 | 1,364 | 2,788 | 2.3 | 1,315 | 1,152 | 2,467 | 2.5 |
| 26 | 1,385 | 1,298 | 2,683 | 2.2 | 1,289 | 1,009 | 2,298 | 2.4 |
| 27 | 1,437 | 1,370 | 2,807 | 2.3 | 1,176 | 1,104 | 2,280 | 2.3 |
| 28 | 1,447 | 1,210 | 2,657 | 2.2 | 1,294 | 1,071 | 2,365 | 2.4 |
| 29 | 1,353 | 1,249 | 2,602 | 2.1 | 1,286 | 1,052 | 2,338 | 2.4 |
| 25-29 | 7.046 | 6.491 | 13,537 | 11.0 | 6.360 | 5.388 | 11.749 | 12.1 |
| 30 | 1,455 | 1.371 | 2.826 | 2.3 | 1,262 | 964 | 2,226 | 2.3 |
| 31 | 1,405 | 1,114 | 2,519 | 2.0 | 1,023 | 829 | 1,852 | 1.9 |
| 32 | 1,329 | 1,261 | 2,590 | 2.1 | 1,058 | 788 | 1,846 | 1.9 |
| 33 | 1,355 | 1,156 | 2,511 | 2.0 | 928 | 657 | 1,585 | 1.6 |
| 34 | 1,376 | 1,105 | 2,481 | 2.0 | 941 | 714 | 1.655 | 1.7 |
| 30-34 | 6,920 | 6.007 | 12,927 | 10.5 | 5,212 | 3,952 | 9.164 | 9.4 |
| 35 | 1,279 | 1,003 | 2,282 | 1.9 | 969 | 687 | 1,656 | 1.7 |
| 36 | 1,140 | 892 | 2,032 | 1.6 | 837 | 596 | 1,433 | 1.5 |
| 37 | 1,020 | 774 | 1,794 | 1.5 | 730 | 508 | 1,238 | 1.3 |
| 38 | 1,002 | 747 | 1,749. | 1.4 | 721 | 515 | 1,236 | 1.3 |
| 39 | . 978 | 699 | 1,677 | 1.4 | 667 | 460 | 1,127 | 1.2 |
| 35-39 | 5.419 | 4.115 | 9,534 | 7.7 | 3,924 | 2.766 | 6,690 | 6.9 |
| 40 | 1,087 | 821 | 1,908 | 1.5 | 767 | 555 | 1,322 | 1.4 |
| 41 | 857 | 574 | 1,431 | 1.2 | 512 | 387 | 899 | 0.9 |
| 42 | 837 | 573 | 1,410 | 1.1 | 514 | 415 | 929 | 1.0 |
| 43 | 659 | 522 | 1,181 | 1.0 | 504 | 357 | 861 | 0.9 |
| 44 | 620 | 454 | 1,074 | 0.9 | 523 | 322 | 845 | 0.9 |
| 40-44 | 4.060 | 2,944 | 7,004 | 5.7 | 2,820 | 2.036 | 4.856 | 5.0 |
| 45 | 727 | 534 | 1,261 | 1.0 | 625 | 445 | 1,070 | 1.1 |
| 46 | 571 | 423 | 994 | 0.8 | 508 | 351 | 859 | 0.9 |
| 47 | 479 | 425 | 904 | 0.7 | 447 | 283 | 730 | 0.8 |
| 48 | 514 | 374 | 888 | 0.7 | 442 | 326 | 768 | 0.8 |
| 49 | 550 | 360 | 910 | 0.7 | 473 | 308 | 781 | 0.8 |
| 45-49 | 2,841 | 2.116 | 4.957 | 4.0 | 2.495 | 1,713 | 4,208 | 4.3 |

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TABLE 7. AGE IN SINGLE YEARS-continued

| Age | 1981 Census |  |  |  | 1976 Census |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Males | Females | Persons | Percentage | Males | Females | Persons | Percentage |
| 50 | 663 | 498 | 1,161 | 0.9 | 574 | 413 | 987 | 1.0 |
| 51 | 518 | 325 | 843 | 0.7 | 380 | 241 | 621 | 0.6 |
| 52 | 489 | 326 | 815 | 0.7 | 399 | 266 | 665 | 0.7 |
| 53 | 473 | 322 | 795 | 0.6 | 356 | 262 | 618 | 0.6 |
| 54 | 467 | 343 | 810 | 0.7 | 360 | 260 | 620 | 0.6 |
| 50-54 | 2,610 | 1.814 | 4.424 | 3.6 | 2,069 | 1.442 | 3.511 | 3.6 |
| 55 | 466 | 363 | 829 | 0.7 | 402 | 289 | 691 | 0.7 |
| 56 | 435 | 305 | 740 | 0.6 | 317 | 236 | 553 | 0.6 |
| 57 | 330 | 261 | 591 | 0.5 | 232 | 187 | 419 | 0.4 |
| 58 | 324 | 262 | 586 | 0.5 | 237 | 199 | 436 | 0.4 |
| 59 | 335 | 288 | 623 | 0.5 | 216 | 171 | 387 | 0.4 |
| 55-59 | 1.890 | 1.479 | 3.369 | 2.7 | 1,404 | 1,082 | 2,486 | 2.6 |
| 60 | 418 | 355 | 773 | 0.6 | 300 | 290 | 590 | 0.6 |
| 61 | 297 | 249 | 546 | 0.4 | 201 | 161 | 362 | 0.4 |
| 62 | 232 | 218 | 450 | 0.4 | 205 | 160 | 365 | 0.4 |
| 63 | 240 | 199 | 439 | 0.4 | 190 | 141 | 331 | 0.3 |
| 64 | 221 | 208 | 429 | 0.3 | 168 | 155 | 323 | 0.3 |
| 60-64 | 1,408 | 1.229 | 2.637 | 2.1 | 1.064 | 907 | 1.971 | 2.0 |
| 65 | 271 | 273 | 544 | 0.4 | 197 | 200 | 397 | 0.4 |
| 66 | 195 | 191 | 386 | 0.3 | 162 | 134 | 296 | 0.3 |
| 67 | 168 | 144 | 312 | 0.3 | 109 | 95 | 204 | 0.2 |
| 68 | 157 | 167 | 324 | 0.3 | 112 | 94 | 206 | 0.2 |
| 69 | 145 | 132 | 277 | 0.2 | 92 | 93 | 185 | 0.2 |
| 65-69 | 936 | 907 | 1.843 | 1.5 | 672 | 616 | 1.288 | 1.3 |
| 70 | 176 | 173 | 349 | 0.3 | 143 | 130 | 273 | 0.3 |
| 71 | 127 | 117 | 244 | 0.2 | 83 | 70 | 153 | 0.2 |
| 72 | 88 | 79 | 167 | 0.1 | 73 | 63 | 136 | 0.1 |
| 73 | 86 | 74 | 160 | 0.1 | 40 | 45 | 85 | 0.1 |
| 74 | 54 | 65 | 119 | 0.1 | 39 | 30 | 69 | 0.1 |
| 70-74 | 531 | 508 | 1.039 | 0.8 | 378 | 338 | 716 | 0.7 |
| 75 | 73 | 93 | 166 | 0.1 | 82 | 55 | 137 | 0.1 |
| 76 | 69 | 46 | 115 | 0.1 | 49 | 41 | 90 | 0.1 |
| 77 | 41 | 49 | 90 | 0.1 | 27 | 26 | 53 | 0.1 |
| 78 | 33 | 31 | 64 | 0.1 | 21 | 24 | 45 | 0.0 |
| 79 | 33 | 46 | 79 | 0.1 | 19 | 24 | 43 | 0.0 |
| 75.79 | 249 | 265 | 514 | 0.4 | 198 | 170 | 368 | 0.4 |
| 80 | 50 | 48 | 98 | 0.1 | 25 | 22 | 47 | 0.0 |
| 81 | 35 | 28 | 63 | 0.1 | 13 | 14 | 27 | 0.0 |
| 82 | 12 | 22 | 34 | 0.0 | 15 | 14 | 29 | 0.0 |
| 83 | 6 | 15 | 21 | 0.0 | 6 | 5 | 11 | 0.0 |
| 84 | 7 | 11 | 18 | 0.0 | 7 | 10 | 17 | 0.0 |
| 80-84 | 110 | 124 | 234 | 0.2 | 66 | 65 | 131 | 0.1 |
| 85 | 14 | 13 | 27 | 0.0 | 8 | 6 | 14 | 0.0 |
| 86 | 11 | 10 | 21 | 0.0 | 12 | 6 | 18 | 0.0 |
| 87 | 13 | 9 | 22 | 0.0 | 3 | 6 | 9 | 0.0 |
| 88 | - | 4 | 4 | 0.0 | 2 | 2 | 4 | 0.0 |
| 89 | 7 | 6 | 13 | 0.0 | 2 | 3 | 5 | 0.0 |
| 85-89 | 45 | 42 | 87 | 0.1 | 27 | 23 | 50 | 0.1 |
| 90 | 6 | 4 | 10 | 0.0 | 7 | 7 | 14 | 0.0 |
| 91 | 3 | - | 3 | 0.0 | - | 3 | 3 | 0.0 |
| 92 | - | 5 | 5 | 0.0 | - | - | 3 | 0.0 |
| 93 | 3 | 2 | 5 | 0.0 | - | 2 | 2 | 0.0 |
| 94 | - | 2 | 2 | 0.0 | - | - | - |  |
| 90.94 | 12 | 13 | 25 | 0.0 | 7 | 12 | 19 | 0.0 |
| 95.99 | 2 | 5 | 7 | 0.0 | 2 | 3 | 5 | 0.0 |
| 100 and over | 2 | 2 | 4 | 0.0 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 0.0 |
| Total | 65,417 | 57,907 | 123,324 | 100.0 | 52,447 | 44,643 | 97,090 | 100.0 |

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TABLE 8. BIRTHPLACE

| Birthplace | 1981 Census |  |  |  | 1976 Census |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Males | Females | Persons | Percentage | Males | Females | Persons | Percentage |
| Australia ( $\dagger$ ) | 49,490 | 46,288 | 95,778 | 77.7 | 42,295 | 37,352 | 79.647 | 82.0 |
| Europe- |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| England including U.K. undefined | 3,308 | 2,740 | 6,048 | 4.9 | 2,719 | 2,164 | 4,883 | 5.0 |
| Scotland | 521 | 369 | 890 | 0.7 | 415 | 279 | 694 | 0.7 |
| Wales | 92 | 55 | 147 | 0.1 | 81 | 43 | 124 | 0.1 |
| Irelaid(a) | 268 | 195 | 463 | 0.4 | 254 | 145 | 399 | 0.4 |
| Albania | (b) | (b) | (b) | (b) | (b) | (b) | (b) | (b) |
| Austria | 137 | 42 | 179 | 0.1 | 126 | 52 | 178 | 0.2 |
| Belgium | 20 | 14 | 34 | 0.0 | 32 | 15 | 47 | 0.0 |
| Bulgaria | (b) | (b) | (b) | (b) | (b) | (b) | (b) | (b) |
| Czechoslovakia | 102 | 36 | 138 | 0.1 | 114 | 35 | 149 | 0.2 |
| Denmark | 85 | 45 | 130 | 0.1 | 81 | 31 | 112 | 0.1 |
| Estonia | 12 | 6 | 18 | 0.0 | 8 | 6 | 14 | 0.0 |
| Finland | 74 | 42 | 116 | 0.1 | 85 | 44 | 129 | 0.1 |
| France | 121 | 100 | 221 | 0.2 | 123 | 103 | 226 | 0.2 |
| Germany (c) | 636 | 401 | 1,037 | 0.8 | 536 | 313 | 849 | 0.9 |
| Greece | 777 | 527 | 1,304 | 1.1 | 765 | 493 | 1,258 | 1.3 |
| Hungary | 94 | 28 | 122 | 0.1 | 91 | 28 | 119 | 0.1 |
| Italy | 502 | 259 | 761 | 0.6 | 544 | 246 | 790 | 0.8 |
| Latvia | 25 | 6 | 31 | 0.0 | 33 | 11 | 44 | 0.0 |
| Lithuania | 11 | 3 | 14 | 0.0 | 8 | 2 | 10 | 0.0 |
| Malta | 39 | 19 | 58 | 0.0 | 35 | 19 | 54 | 0.1 |
| Netherlands | 377 | 266 | 643 | 0.5 | 321 | 233 | 554 | 0.6 |
| Norway | 13 | 9 | 22 | 0.0 | 27 | 14 | 41 | 0.0 |
| Poland | 68 | 29 | 97 | 0.1 | 75 | 28 | 103 | 0.1 |
| Portugal | 78 | - 45 | 123 | 0.1 | 74 | 39 | 113 | 0.1 |
| Romania | 13 | 6 | 19 | 0.0 | 9 | 2 | 11 | 0.0 |
| Spain | 68 | 23 | 91 | 0.1 | 102 | 40 | 142 | 0.1 |
| Sweden | 47 | 28 | 75 | 0.1 | 54 | 17 | 71 | 0.1 |
| Switzerland | 92 | 64 | 156 | 0.1 | 91 | 52 | 143 | 0.1 |
| Ukraine | 4 | - | 4 | 0.0 | 7 | - | 7 | 0.0 |
| USSR n.e.i. | 11 | 12 | 23 | 0.0 | 14 | 8 | 22 | 0.0 |
| Yugoslavia | 235 | 76 | 311 | 0.3 | 313 | 91 | 404 | 0.4 |
| Northern Europe n.e.i. <br> Southern Europe n.e.i. | 21 | 7 | 28 | 0.0 | 35 | 16 | 51 | 0.0 |
| Total Europe | 7.851 | 5.452 | 13,303 | 10.8 | 7.172 | 4,569 | 11.742 | 12.1 |

Asia-
Bahrain, Jordan, Kuwait, Muscat
and Oman, Qatar, Saudi-Arabia, Ye Oman, Qatar, Saudi-Arabia,
Yemen
Banglade
Burma
China
Christmas Island
Cocos (Keeling) Island
Cyprus
Hong Kong
India
Indonesia
Iran

| 5 | 5 | 10 | 0.0 | (d) | (d) | (d) | (d) |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| (d) | (d) | (d) | (d) | (d) | (d) | (d) | (d) |
| 9 | 13 | 22 | 0.0 | 8 | 12 | 20 | 0.0 |
| 65 | 92 | 157 | 0.1 | 58 | 72 | 130 | 0.1 |
| (d) | (d) | (d) | (d) | (d) | (d) | (d) | (d) |
| (d) | (d) | (d) | (d) | (d) | (d) | (d) | (d) |
| 123 | 123 | 246 | 0.2 | 109 | 99 | 208 | 0.2 |
| 53 | 49 | 102 | 0.1 | 48 | 46 | 94 | 0.1 |
| 157 | 143 | 300 | 0.2 | 127 | 120 | 247 | 0.3 |
| 127 | 140 | 267 | 0.2 | 106 | 78 | 184 | 0.2 |
| 2 | 5 | 7 | 0.0 | 8 | 2 | 10 | 0.0 |
| 3 | 2 | 5 | 0.0 | 14 | 6 | 20 | 0.0 |
| 6 | 4 | 10 | 0.0 | 3 | 5 | 8 | 0.0 |
| 36 | 31 | 67 | 0.1 | 21 | 27 | 48 | 0.0 |
| 2 | 5 | 7 | 0.0 | - | 1 | 1 | 0.0 |
| 9 | 13 | 22 | 0.0 | 7 | 1 | 8 | 0.0 |
| 8 | 11 | 19 | 0.0 | - | 2 | 2 | 0.0 |
| 14 | 6 | 20 | 0.0 | 18 | 1 | 19 | 0.0 |
| 178 | 221 | 399 | 0.3 | 99 | 123 | 222 | 0.2 |
| 22 | 19 | 41 | 0.0 | 10 | 9 | 19 | 0.0 |
| 78 | 284 | 362 | 0.3 | 30 | 78 | 108 | 0.1 |
| 81 | 96 | 177 | 0.1 | 67 | 76 | 143 | 0.1 |
| 65 | 68 | 133 | 0.1 | 47 | 32 | 79 | 0.1 |
| (d) | (d) | (d) | (d) | (d) | (d) | (d) | (d) |
| 3 | 9 | 12 | 0.0 | 5 | 4 | 9 | 0.0 |
| 23 | 107 | 130 | 0.1 | 7 | 38 | 45 | 0.0 |
| 522 | 546 | 1,068 | 0.9 | 254 | 267 | 521 | 0.5 |
| 22 | 7 | 29 | 0.0 | 12 | 4 | 16 | 0.0 |
| 95 | 98 | 193 | 0.2 | 11 | 10 | 21 | 0.0 |
| 37 | 12 | 49 | 0.0 | 19 | 14 | 33 | 0.0 |
| 1.745 | 2.109 | 3,854 | 3.1 | 1,088 | 1,127 | 2,215 | 2.3 |

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TABLE 8. BIRTHPLACE-continued

| Birthplace | 1981 Census |  |  |  | 1976 Census |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Males | Females | Persons | Percentage | Males | Females | Persons | Percentage |
| America- |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Argentina | 12 | 19 | 31 | 0.0 | 16 | 15 | 31 | 0.0 |
| Bolivia | (g) | (g) | (g) | (g) | (8) | (g) | (g) | (g) |
| Brazil | (g) | (g) | (g) | (g) | (g) | (g) | (g) | (g) |
| Canada | 128 | 129 | 257 | 0.2 | 93 | 97 | 190 | 0.2 |
| Chile | 39 | 32 | 71 | 0.1 | 39 | 17 | 56 | 0.1 |
| Colombia | 6 | 3 | 9 | 0.0 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 0.0 |
| Commonwealth countries of the 0 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| West Indies and Caribbean | 13 | 8 | 21 | 0.0 | 12 | 4 | 16 | 0.0 |
| Ecuador | (g) | (g) | (g) | (g) | (g) | (g) | (g) | (g) |
| Mexico | 3 | 7 | 10 | 0.0 | 1 | 6 | 7 | 0.0 |
| Paraguay | (g) | (g) | (g) | (g) | (g) | (g) | (g) | (g) |
| Peru | 3 | 9 | 12 | 0.0 | 7 | 5 | 12 | 0.0 |
| United States of America | 528 | 430 | 958 | 0.8 | 500 | 399 | 899 | 0.9 |
| Uruguay | 4 | 4 | 8 | 0.0 | 14 | 6 | 20 | 0.0 |
| Venezuela | 8 | 3 | 11 | 0.0 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 0.0 |
| America n.e.i. | 33 | 32 | 65 | 0.1 | 41 | 24 | 65 | 0.1 |
| Total America | 777 | 676 | 1.453 | 1.2 | 725 | 575 | 1.300 | 1.3 |
| Africa- |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Arab Republic of Egypt | 31 | 24 | 55 | 0.0 | 29 | 22 | 51 | 0.1 |
| Kenya | 23 | 22 | 45 | 0.0 | (h) | (h) | (h) | (h) |
| Malawi, Tanzania, Uganda, Zambia | 32 | 21 | 53 | 0.0 | 44 | 51 | 95 | 0.1 |
| Mauritius | 9 | 10 | 19 | 0.0 | 6 | 8 | 14 | 0.0 |
| Republic of South Africa | 64 | 68 | 132 | 0.1 | 52 | 49 | 101 | 0.1 |
| Zimbabwe | 30 | 25 | 55 | 0.0 | (h) | (h) | (h) | (h) |
| Africa n.e.i. | 66 | 54 | 120 | 0.1 | 46 | 28 | 74 | 0.1 |
| Total Africa | 255 | 224 | 479 | 0.4 | 177 | 158 | 335 | 0.3 |
| Oceania- |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Cook Islands | (i) | (i) | (i) | (i) | (i) | (i) | (i) | (i) |
| Fiji | 33 | 42 | 75 | 0.1 | 13 | 27 | 40 | 0.0 |
| Kiribati and Tuvalu(j) | (i) | (i) | (i) | (i) | (i) | (i) | (i) | (i) |
| Nauru | (i) | (i) | (i) | (i) | (i) | (i) | (i) | (i) |
| New Caledonia | (i) | (i) | (i) | (i) | (i) | (i) | (i) | (i) |
| New Zealand | 1,339 | 1,147 | 2,486 | 2.0 | 824 | 638 | 1,462 | 1.5 |
| Norfolk Island | (i) | (i) | (i) | (i) | (i) | (i) | (i) | (i) |
| Papua New Guinea | 283 | 314 | 597 | 0.5 | 134 | 170 | 304 | 0.3 |
| Solomon Islands | 4 | 2 | 6 | 0.0 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 0.0 |
| Tonga | 10 | 13 | 23 | 0.0 | 7 | 5 | 12 | 0.0 |
| Vanuatu(k) | 2 | 3 | 5 | 0.0 | 1 | - | 1 | 0.0 |
| Western Samoa | 8 | 11 | 19 | 0.0 | 4 | 5 | 9 | 0.0 |
| Oceania n.e.i. | 11 | 19 | 30 | 0.0 | 6 | 14 | 20 | 0.0 |
| Total Oceania | 1.690 | 1.551 | 3,241 | 2.6 | 990 | 861 | 1,851 | 1.9 |
| Not stated and at sea ( $\dagger$ ) | 3,609 | 1,607 | 5,216 | 4.2 |  |  |  | . |
| Total | 65,417 | 57,907 | 123,324 | 100.0 | 52,447 | 44,643 | 97,090 | 100.0 |

[^3]$\dagger$ In 1976 not stated birthplace was coded to Australia.

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TABLE 9. ABORIGINALS AND TORRES STRAIT ISLANDERS

|  | 1981 Census |  |  |  | 1976 Census |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Males | Females | Persons | Percentage | Males | Females | Persons | Percentage |
| Aboriginals | 14,146 | 14,534 | 28,680 | 23.3 | 11.784 | 11,751 | 23,536 | 24.2 |
| Torres Strait Islanders | 222 | 186 | 408 | 0.3 | 118 | 97 | 215 | 0.2 |
| Not Aboriginal or Torres Strait Islander | 45,965 | 40,287 | 86,252 | 69.9 | 35,157 | 29,235 | 64,392 | 66.3 |
| Not stated | 5,084 | 2,900 | 7,984 | 6.5 | 5,388 | 3,559 | 8,948 | 9.2 |
| Tote 1 | 65,417 | 57,907 | 123,324 | 100.0 | 52,447 | 44,643 | 97,090 | 100.0 |

TABLE 10. PERIOD OF RESIDENCE IN AUSTRALIA OF OVERSEAS BORN RESIDENTS

| Year | 1981 Census |  |  |  | 1976 Census |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Males | Females | Persons | Percentage | Males | Females | Persons | Percentage |
| 0 | 389 | 407 | 796 | 3.8 | 441 | 399 | 840 | 5.1 |
| 1 | 542 | 618 | 1.160 | 5.5 | 401 | 329 | 730 | 4.5 |
| 2 | 445 | 453 | 898 | 4.3 | 419 | 335 | 754 | 4.6 |
| 3 | 323 | 404 | 727 | 3.5 | 312 | 230 | 542 | 3.3 |
| 4 | 383 | 421 | 804 | 3.8 | 341 | 290 | 631 | 3.9 |
| 0-4 | 2,082 | 2,303 | 4.385 | 20.8 | 1.914 | 1.583 | 3,497 | 21.4 |
| 5 | 322 | 352 | 674 | 3.2 | 310 | 226 | 536 | 3.3 |
| 6 | 434 | 479 | 913 | 4.3 | 411 | 296 | 707 | 4.3 |
| 7 | 467 | 425 | 892 | 4.2 | 347 | 230 | 577 | 3.5 |
| 8 | 407 | 381 | 788 | 3.7 | 289 | 201 | 490 | 3.0 |
| 9 | 385 | 370 | 755 | 3.6 | 219 | 151 | 370 | 2.3 |
| 5-9 | 2,015 | 2.007 | 4.022 | 19.1. | 1.576 | 1.104 | 2.680 | 16.4 |
| 10 | 440 | 387 | 827 | 3.9 | 273 | 174 | 447 | 2.7 |
| 11 | 476 | 349 | 825 | 3.9 | 215 | 151 | 366 | 2.2 |
| 12 | 567 | 416 | 983 | 4.7 | 191 | 118 | 309 | 1.9 |
| 13 | 446 | 319 | 765 | 3.6 | 122 | 116 | 238 | 1.5 |
| 14 | 389 | 276 | 665 | 3.2 | 125 | 90 | 215 | 1.3 |
| 10-14 | 2.318 | 1.747 | 4,065 | 19.3 | 926 | 649 | 1.575 | 9.7 |
| 15 | 410 | 318 | 728 | 3.5 | 188 | 100 | 288 | 1.8 |
| 16 | 333 | 307 | 640 | 3.0 | 161 | 82 | 243 | 1.5 |
| 17 | 338 | 236 | 574 | 2.7 | 119 | 75 | 194 | 1.2 |
| 18 | 250 | 181 | 431 | 2.0 | 101 | 67 | 168 | 1.0 |
| 19 | 220 | 142 | 362 | $1: 7$ | 125 | 73 | 198 | 1.2 |
| 15-19 | 1.551 | 1,184 | 2.735 | 13.0 | 694 | 397 | 1,091 | 6.7 |
| 20 | 241 | 155 | 396 | 1.9 | 148 | 91 | 239 | 1.5 |
| 21 | 311 | 198 | 509 | 2.4 | 120 | 72 | 192 | 1.2 |
| 22 | 213 | 117 | 330 | 1.6 | 91 | 54 58 | 145 | 0.9 |
| 23 | 180 | 143 | 323 | 1.5 | 110 | 58 | 168 | 1.0 |
| 24 | 188 | 111 | 2859 | 1.4 | 143 612 | 66 341 | ${ }_{9}^{209}$ | 1.3 5.8 |
| 20-24 | 1.133 | 724 | 1.857 | 8.8 | 612 | 341 | 953 | 5.8 |
| 25 | 253 | 149 | 402 | 1.9 | 137 | 84 | 221 | 1.4 |
| 26 | 193 | 111 | - 304 | 1.4 | 189 | 58 | 247 | 1.5 |
| 27 | 203 | 130 | - 333 | 1.6 | 97 | 56 | 153 | 0.9 |
| 28 | 129 | $\begin{array}{r}94 \\ 138 \\ \hline\end{array}$ |  | 1.1 | 42 | 26 | 68 | 0.4 |
| 29 | 225 | 138 | $\begin{array}{r}1.625 \\ \hline\end{array}$ | 7.7 |  |  |  |  |
| 25-29 | 1.003 | 622 | 1.625 | 7.7 |  |  |  |  |
| 30 | 223 | 133 | 356 | 1.7 |  |  |  |  |
| 31 | 286 | 147 | 433 323 | 2.1 |  |  |  |  |
| 32 | 222 | 101 55 | 323 157 | 1.5 | 229 | 118 | 347 | 2.1 |
| 33 34 | 102 | 18 | 61 | 0.3 |  |  |  |  |
| ${ }_{30-34}$ | 876 | 454 | 1,330 | 6.3 |  |  |  |  |
| 35 and over | 357 | 220 | 577 | 2.7 |  |  |  |  |
| Not stated | 279 | 188 | 467 | 2.2 | 3,132 | 2,357 | 5,489 | 33.6 |
| Total | 11,614 | 9,449 | 21,063 | 100.0 | 9,549 | 6,773 | 16,322 | 100.0 |

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TABLE 11. BIRTHPLACE OF PARENTS OF AUSTRALIAN BORN PERSONS

|  | 1981 Census |  |  |  | 1976 Census |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Males | Females | Persons | Percentage | Males | Females | Persons | Percentage |
| Father and Mother born in- |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Australia | 39,201 | 36,927 | 76,128 | 92.8 | 31,485 | 28.729 | 60,214 | 85.7 |
| U.K. and Ireland(a) | 1,013 | 890 | 1,903 | 2.3 | 796 | 662 | 1,458 | 2.1 |
| Germany(b) | 97 | 97 | 194 | 0.2 | 71 | 73 | 144 | 0.2 |
| Greece | 426 | 397 | 823 | 1.0 | 308 | 311 | 619 | 0.9 |
| Italy | 221 | 176 | 397 | 0.5 | 175 | 150 | 325 | 0.5 |
| Malta | 15 | 20 | 35 | 0.0 | 3 | 10 | 13 | 0.0 |
| Netherlands | 101 | 91 | 192 | 0.2 | 36 | 31 | 67 | 0.1 |
| Yugoslavia | 54 | 38 | 92 | 0.1 | 47 | 37 | 84 | 0.1 |
| Europe n.e.i. | 165 | 151 | 316 | 0.4 | 191 | 163 | 354 | 0.5 |
| Asia | 204 | 206 | 410 | 0.5 | 158 | 119 | 277 | 0.4 |
| U.S.A. and Canada | 21 | 24 | 45 | 0.1 | 26 | 16 | 42 | 0.1 |
| America n.e.i. | 10 | 9 | 19 | 0.0 | 6 | 6 | 12 | 0.0 |
| All other countries | 100 | 113 | 213 | 0.3 | 57 | 66 | 123 | 0.2 |
| Not stated | 705 | 564 | 1,269 | 1.5 | 3,945 | 2,579 | 6,524 | 9.3 |
| Total | 42,333 | 39,703 | 82,036 | 100.0 | 37,305 | 32,952 | 70,257 | 100.0 |
| Father born in- |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Mother born elsewhere or not stated |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Australia | 2,602 | 2,391 | 4,993 | 36.3 | 1,757 | 1,463 | 3,220 2,905 | 34.3 30.9 |
| U.K. and Ireland(a) | 2,027 | 1,893 | 3,920 | 28.5 | 1,554 | 1,351. | 2,905 | 30.9 4.1 |
| Germany(b) | 320 | 238 | 558 | 4.1 | 213 97 | 175 89 | 388 186 | 4.1 |
| Greece | 133 | 115 | 248 430 | 1.8 | 97 163 | 89 144 | 186 | 2.0 3.3 |
| Italy | 221 | 209 | + 53 | 3.1 | 163 22 | 24 | 46 | 0.5 |
| Netherlands | 231 | 208 | 439 | 3.2 | 45 | 42 | 87 | 0.9 |
| Yugoslavia | 90 | 68 | 158 | 1.1 | 55 | 47 | 102 | 1.1 |
| Europe n.e.i. | 462 | 412 | 874 | 6.4 | 365 | 330 | 695 | 7.4 |
| Asia | 361 | 327 | 688 | 5.0 | 248 | 234 | 482 | 5.1 |
| U.S.A. and Canada | 87 | 52 | 139 | 1.0 | 43 | 39 | 82 | 0.9 |
| America n.e.i. | 22 | 31 | 53 | 0.4 | 28 | 26 | 54 | 0.6 |
| All other countries | 361 | 372 | 733 | 5.3 | 239 | 233 | 472 | 5.0 |
| Not stated | 217 | 240 | 457 | 3.3 | 161 | 203 | 364 | 3.9 |
| Total | 7,157 | 6,585 | 13,742 | 100.0 | 4,990 | 4,400 | 9,390 | 100.0 |
| Mother born in- |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Father born elsewhere or not stated |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Australia | 3.602 | 3,388 | 6,990 | 50.9 | 2,647 | 2,436 | 5,083 | 54.1 |
| U.K. and Ireland(a) | 1,472 | 1,406 | 2,878 | 20.9 | 1,176 | 966 | 2,142 | 22.8 |
| Germany(b) | 179 | 152 | 331 | 2.4 | 119 | 108 | 227 | 2.4 |
| Greece | 47 | 35 | 82 | 0.6 | 37 | 24 | 61 | 0.6 |
| Italy | 45 | 46 | 91 | 0.7 | 30 | 34 | 64 | 0.7 |
| Malta | 9 | 9 | 18 | 0.1 | 10 | 7 | 17 | 0.2 |
| Netherlands | 145 | 122 | 267 | 1.9 | 27 | 34 | 61 | 0.6 |
| Yugoslavia | 16 | 12 | 28 | 0.2 | 13 | 7 | 20 | 0.2 |
| Europe n.e.i. | 173 | 139 | 312 | 2.3 | 146 | 138 | 284 | 3.0 |
| Asia | 452 | 392 | 844 | 6.1 | 235 | 206 | 441 | 4.7 |
| U.S.A. and Canada | 61 | 62 | 123 | 0.9 | 38 | 21 | 59 | 0.6 |
| America n.e.i. | 37 | 24 | 61 | 0.4 | 11 | 16 | 27 | 0.3 |
| All other countries | 360 | 360 | 720 | 5.2 | 231 | 236 | 467 | 5.0 |
| Not stated | 559 | 438 | 997 | 7.3 | 270 | 167 | 437 | 4.7 |
| Total | 7,157 | 6,585 | 13,742 | 100.0 | 4,990 | 4,400 | 9,390 | 100.0 |

(a) Includes Northern Ireland and the Republic of Ireland. (b) Includes the German Democratic Republic and the German Federal Republic because many respondents stated their birthplace as 'Germany".

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TABLE 12. COUNTRY OF CITIZENSHIP

| Country | 1981 Census |  |  |  | 1976 Census |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Males | Females | Persons | Percentage | Males | Females | Persons | Percentage |
| Commonwealth countries-Australia- |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Australian born | 49,490 | 46,288 | 95,778 | 77.7 | 42,295 | 37,352 | 79,647 | 82.0 |
| Overseas born | 6,184 | 4,617 | 10,801 | 8.8 | 4,284 | 2,833 | 7,117 | 7.3 |
| Canada | 108 | 114 | 222 | 0.2 | 85 | 82 | 167 | 0.2 |
| Cyprus | 6 | 16 | 22 | 0.0 | 36 | 48 | 84 | 0.1 |
| India | 28 | 29 | 57 | 0.0 | 32 | 28 | 60 | 0.1 |
| Malta | 8 | 5 | 13 | 0.0 | 10 | 7 | 17 | 0.0 |
| New Zealand | 1,197 | 1.032 | 2,229 | 1.8 | 758 | 581 | 1,339 | 1.4 |
| U.K. including Northern Ireland | 2,303 | 2.000 | 4,303 | 3.5 | 2,280 | 1,821 | 4,101 | 4.2 |
| Other Commonwealth countries | 126 | 200 | 326 | 0.3 | 87 | 122 | 209 | 0.2 |
| Total | 59.450 | 54,301 | 113.751 | 92.2 | 49.867 | 42.874 | 92,741 | 95.5 |
| Non-Commonwealth countries- |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Germany | 191 | 123 | 314 | 0.3 | 181 | 89 | 270 | 0.3 |
| Greece | 150 | 126 | 276 | 0.2 | 273 | 244 | 517 | 0.5 |
| Ireland | 67 | 51 | 118 | 0.1 | 110 | 64 | 174 | 0.2 |
| Italy | 126 | 81 | 207 | 0.2 | 198 | 102 | 300 | 0.3 |
| Netherlands | 74 | 72 | 146 | 0.1 | 56 | 61 | 117 | 0.1 |
| Poland | 5 | 3 | 8 | 0.0 | 6 | 6 | 12 | 0.0 |
| Turkey | 11 | 5 | 16 | 0.0 | 9 | 3 | 12 | 0.0 |
| United States of America | 501 | 423 | 924 | 0.7 | 484 | 390 | 874 | 0.9 |
| Yugoslavia | 49 | 18 | 67 | 0.1 | 129 | 38 | 167 | 0.2 |
| Other countries n.e.i. | 978 | 954 | 1,932 | 1.6 | r903 | r630 | r1,533 | 1.6 |
| Total | 2,152 | 1,856 | 4.008 | 3.2 | r2,349 | r1,627 | r3,976 | 4.1 |
| Not stated and stateless | 3,815 | 1,750 | 5,565 | 4.5 | r231 | r141 | r372 | 0.4 |
| Total | 65,417 | 57,907 | 123,324 | 100.0 | 52,447 | 44,643 | 97,090 | 100.0 |

TABLE 13. RELIGION

| Religious denomination | 1981 Census |  |  |  | 1976 Census |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Males | Females | Persons | Percentage | Males | Fermales | Persons | Percentage |
| Christian- |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Baptist | 1,126 | 1,188 | 2,314 | 1.9 | 753 | 757 | 1,510 | 1.6 |
| Brethren | 33 | , 41 | . 74 | 0.1 | 020 | 28 | . 48 | 0.0 |
| Catholic(a) | 12,812 | 12,365 | 25,177 | 20.4 | 10,399 | 9,289 | 19,688 | 20.3 |
| Church of Christ | 224 | 226 | 450 | 0.4 | 158 | 159 | , 317 | 0.3 |
| Church of England | 10,717 | 10,382 | 21,099 | 17.1 | 9,011 | 8,353 | 17,365 | 17.9 |
| Congregational | 45 | 48 | 93 | 0.1 | 94 | 105 | 199 | 0.2 |
| Jehovah's Witness | 141 | 144 | 285 | 0.2 | 112 | 118 | 230 | 0.2 |
| Latter Day Saints/Mormons | 176 | 201 | 377 | 0.3 | (b) | (b) | (b) | (b) |
| Lutheran | 1,823 | 1,820 | 3,643 | 3.0 | 1,717 | 1,615 | 3,332 | 3.4 |
| Methodist-including Wesleyan | 1,647 | 1,586 | 3,233 | 2.6 | 2,418 | 2,352 | 4,770 | 4.9 |
| Orthodox | 1,557 | 1,293 | 2,850 | 2.3 | 1,256 | 980 | 2,236 | 2.3 |
| Pentecostal | 351 | 425 | 776 | 0.6 | 114 | 122 | 236 | 0.2 |
| Presbyterian | 1,310 | 1.216 | 2,526 | 2.0 | 1,500 | 1,398 | 2,898 | 3.0 |
| Salvation Army | 286 | 313 | 599 | 0.5 | 205 | 201 | 406 | 0.4 |
| Seventh Day Adventist | 140 | 165 | 305 | 0.2 | 118 | 120 | 238 | 0.2 |
| Uniting Church | 2,751 | 3,101 | 5,852 | 4.7 | (b) | (b) | (b) | (b) |
| Protestant undefined | 728 | 706 | 1,434 | 1.2 | 611 | 546 | 1,157 | 1.2 |
| Christian n.e.i. | 1,251 | 1,310 | 2,561 | 2.1 | 2,678 | 2,688 | 5,366 | 5.5 |
| Total | 37.118 | 36,530 | 73.648 | 59.7 | 31.165 | 28,832 | 59,997 | 61.8 |
| Buddhist | 231 | 268 | 499 | 0.4 | (c) | (c) | (c) | (c) |
| Hebrew | 43 | 24 | 67 | 0.1 | 34 | 20 | 54 | 0.1 |
| Muslim | 187 | 130 | 317 | 0.3 | 134 | 59 | 193 | 0.2 |
| Non-Christian n.e.i. | 526 | 409 | 935 | 0.8 | 1,773 | 1,743 | 3,516 | 3.6 |
| Total | 987 | 831 | 1,818 | 1.5 | 1.941 | 1.822 | 3.763 | 3.9 |
| Inadequately described | 442 | 316 | 758 | 0.6 | 397 | 340 | 737 | 0.8 |
| No religion (so described) | 12,418 | 9,055 | 21,473 | 17.4 | 8,480 | 5,626 | 14,107 | 14.5 |
| Not stated | 14,452 | 11.175 | 25,627 | 20.8 | 10,464 | 8,022 | 18,486 | 19.0 |
| Total | 65,417 | 57,907 | 123,324 | 100.0 | 52,447 | 44,643 | 97,090 | 100.0 |

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TABLE 14. PROFICIENCY IN ENGLISH LANGUAGE OF OVERSEAS BORN PERSONS 5 YEARS OF AGE AND OVER

|  | 1981 Census |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Persons born in English speaking countries |  |  | Persons born in non-English speaking countries |  |  | Total |  |  |
|  | Males | Females | Persons | Males | Females | Persons | Males | Females | Persons |
| Uses English only | 5,970 | 4,891 | 10,861 | 2.100 | 1,544 | 3,644 | 8,070 | 6,435 | 14,505 |
| Uses other languagesSpeaks English- |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| well | 14 | 12 | 26 | 1.249 | 1,263 | 2,112 | 1,263 | 1,875 | 2,138 |
| not well | 9 | 5 | 14 | 638 | 587 | 1,225 | 647 | 592 | 1,239 |
| not at all | 3 |  | 3 | 118 | 224 | 342 | 121 | 224 | 345 |
| not stated | 2 | 5 | 7 | 36 | 25 | 61 | 38 | 30 | 68 |
| Not stated | 41 | 27 | 68 | 285 | 282 | 567 | 326 | 309 | 635 |
| Total | 6,165 | 5,041 | 11,206 | 5,959 | 4,761 | 10,720 | 12,124 | 9,802 | 21,926 |

TABLE 15. AGE LEFT SCHOOL, PERSONS 15 YEARS OF AGE AND OVER

| Age left school | 1981 Census |  |  |  | 1976 Census |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Males | Females | Persons | Percentage | Males | Females | Persons | Percentage |
| 12 or less | 1,421 | 1,197 | 2,618 | 3.1 | 1,138 | 786 | 1,924 | 3.0 |
| 13 | 1,262 | 927 | 2,189 | 2.6 | 1,014 | 691 | 1,705 | 2.6 |
| 14 | 5,349 | 4,245 | 9,594 | 11.3 | 4,349 | 3,375 | 7,724 | 11.9 |
| 15 | 8,849 | 8,185 | 17,034 | 20.1 | 6,677 | 5,823 | 12,501 | 19.2 |
| 16 | 8,605 | 8,393 | 16.998 | 20.0 | 6,054 | 5,466 | 11,521 | 17.7 |
| 17 | 6,114 | 5,815 | 11,929 | 14.1 | 3,720 | 3,362 | 7,082 | 10.9 |
| 18 | 3,577 | 2,499 | 6,076 | 7.2 | 2,259 | 1,443 | 3,702 | 5.7 |
| 19 and over | 1,720 | 913 | 2,633 | 3.1 | 1,368 | 632 | 2,000 | 3.1 |
| Did not go to school | 2,147 | 2,450 | 4,597 | 5.4 | 2,555 | 2,735 | 5,290 | 8.1 |
| Still at school | 1,387 | 1,440 | 2,827 | 3.3 | 1,101 | 1,063 | 2,164 | 3.3 |
| Not stated | 5,286 | 3,107 | 8,393 | 9.9 | 5,739 | 3,754 | 9,494 | 14.6 |
| Total | 45,717 | 39,171 | 84,888 | 100.0 | 35,976 | 29,131 | 65,107 | 100.0 |

TABLE 16. PERSONS 15 YEARS OF AGE AND OVER ATTENDING AN EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTION

| E. |  |  |  |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | Males | Females | Persons | Percentage |
| Not attending | 35,249 | 30,978 | 66,227 | 78.0 |
| Attending full-time | 1,711 | 1,807 | 3,518 | 4.1 |
| Attending part-time | 1,671 | 1,258 | 2,929 | 3.5 |
| Not stated | 7,086 | 5,128 | 12,214 | 14.4 |
| Total | 45,717 | 39,171 | 84,888 | 100.0 |

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TABLE 17. FAMILIES BY FAMILY TYPE

| Family unit | 1981 Census |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Male head | Female head | Total families | Percentage | Number of persons |
| Head only- |  |  |  |  |  |
| Aged less than 30 years | 1,729 | 1,003 | 2,732 | 8.6 | 2,732 |
| Aged 30-44 years | 1,391 | 466 | 1,857 | 5.8 | 1,857 |
| Aged 45 years and over | 1,148 | 685 | 1,833 | 5.8 | 1,833 |
| Total | 4.268 | 2.154 | 6.422 | 20.2 | 6.422 |
| Head, no spouse, and- |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1 dependant | 282 | 1,105 | 1,387 | 4.4 | 2,774 |
| 2 dependants | 185 | 820 | 1,005 | 3.2 | 3,015 |
| 3 dependants | 51 | 356 | 407 | 1.3 | 1,628 |
| 4 dependants | 24 | 157 | 181 | 0.6 | 905 |
| 5 or more dependants | 14 | 102 | 116 | 0.4 | 777 |
| Total | 556 | 2,540 | 3.096 | 9.7 | 9,099 |
| Head and spouse only- |  |  |  |  |  |
| Head aged less than 30 years | 1,619 | 284 | 1,903 | 6.0 | 3,806 |
| Head aged 30-44 years | 1,274 | 105 | 1,379 | 4.3 | 2,758 |
| Head aged 45 years and over | 2,121 | 113 | 2,234 | 7.0 | 4,468 |
| Total | 5.014 | 502 | 5.516 | 17.3 | 11,032 |
| Head, spouse and- |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1 dependant | 3,150 | 220 | 3,370 | 10.6 | 10,110 |
| 2 dependants | 4,530 | 216 | 4,746 | 14.9 | 18,984 |
| 3 dependants | 2,319 | 96 | 2,415 | 7.6 | 12,075 |
| 4 dependants | 810 | 25 | 835 | 2.6 | 5.010 |
| 5 or more dependants | 411 | 21 | 432 | 1.4 | 3,269 |
| Total | 11,220 | 578 | 11.798 | 37.1 | 49.448 |
| Head, no spouse, other adult(s) and- |  |  |  |  |  |
| No dependants 1 dependant | 350 74 | 482 218 | 832 292 | 2.6 | 1,904 976 |
| 2 dependants | 37 | 152 | 189 | 0.6 | 829 |
| 3 dependants | 19 | 97 | 116 | 0.4 | 649 |
| 4 dependants | 7 | 60 | 67 | 0.2 | 438 |
| 5 or more dependants | 8 | 61 | 69 | 0.2 | 602 |
| Total | 495 | 1,070 | 1,565 | 4.9 | 5.398 |
| Head, spouse, other adult(s) and - |  |  |  |  |  |
| No dependants 1 | 988 783 | 57 53 | 1,045 836 | 3.3 2.6 | 3,522 3,637 |
| 2 dependants | 721 | 32 | 753 | 2.4 | 3,990 |
| 3 dependants | 370 | 14 | 384 | 1.2 | 2,417 |
| 4 dependants | 186 | 9 | 195 | 0.6 | 1,439 |
| 5 or more dependants | 217 | 8 | 225 | 0.7 | 2,217 |
| Total | 3,265 | 173 | 3,438 | 10.8 | 17.222 |
| Non-family members | . . | . | $\ldots$ |  | 24,703 |
| Total | 24,818 | 7,017 | 31,835 | 100.0 | 123,324 |

TABLE 18. NUMBER OF FAMILIES AND NUMBER OF PERSONS IN HOUSEHOLDS

|  | 1981 Census |  |  | 1976 Census |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Number of households | Percentage | Number of persons | Number of households | Percentage | Number of persons |
| Households of- 26.750 .181 .658 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1 family | 26,753 | 92.1 | 88,181 | 21,658 | 94.6 | 74,269 |
| 2 families | 1,911 | 6.6 | 12,766 | 1,007 | 4.4 | 7,303 |
| 3 families | 280 | 1.0 | 3,260 | 145 | 0.6 | 1,720 |
| 4 families | 105 | 0.4 | 1,765 | 28 | 0.1 | 513 |
| Total | 29,049 | 100.0 | 105,972 | (a)22,885 | 100.0 | (a)84,032 |

(a) Includes communes.

TABLE 19. QUALIFICATION-HIGHEST LEVEL OBTAINED, PERSONS 15 YEARS OF AGE AND OVER

| Level of qualification | 1981 Census |  |  |  | 1976 Census |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Males | Females | Persons | Percentage | Males | Females | Persons | Percentage |
| Higher degree | 352 | 101 | 453 | 0.5 | 161 | 52 | 213 | 0.3 |
| Graduate diploma | 315 | 278 | 593 | 0.7 | 147 | 98 | 245 | 0.4 |
| Bachelor degree | 1.916 | 911 | 2,827 | 3.3 | 965 | 373 | 1,338 | 2.1 |
| Diploma | 1,375 | 1,938 | 3,313 | 3.9 | 980 | 1,171 | 2,151 | 3.3 |
| Trade certificate(a) | 7.813 | 544 | 8,357 | 9.8 |  |  | 10,007 | 15.4 |
| Other certificate(a) | 2,134 | 3,356 | 5,490 | 6.5 | 7,582 | 2,425 | 10,007 | 15.4 |
| Not classifiable | 97 | 151 | 248 | 0.3 | 351 | 527 | 878 | 1.3 |
| Inadequately described | 3 | 2 | 5 | 0.0 | 2 | - | 2 | 0.0 |
| Toral with qualification | 14,005 | 7,281 | 21,286 | 25.1 | r10,189 | r4.646 | r14,834 | 22.8 |
| No qualification | 23,248 | 25,357 | 48,605 | 57.3 | 18,463 | 19,198 | 37,661 | 57.8 |
| Still at school | 1,102 | 1,135 | 2,237 | 2.6 | 1,101 | 1,063 | 2,164 | 3.3 |
| Not stated | 7,362 | 5.398 | 12,760 | 15.0 | 6.223 | 4,224 | 10,448 | 16.0 |
| Total | 45,717 | 39,171 | 84,888 | 100.0 | 35,976 | 29,131 | 65,107 | 100.0 |

(a) 1976 classification was 'Technicians certificate' and 'Trade certificate' respectively. Direct comparison between censuses is not possible.

TABLE 20. QUALIFICATION-FIELD OF STUDY, PERSONS 15 YEARS OF AGE AND OVER

| Field of study | 1981 Census |  |  |  | 1976 Census |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Males | Females | Persons | Percentage | Males | Females | Persons | Percentage |
| Management, administration, and related fields(a) | 710 | 1.088 | 1,798 | 2.1 | 355 | 366 | 721 | 1.1 |
| Natural and mathematical sciences(b) | 559 | 181 | 740 | 0.9 | 297 | 86 | 383 | 0.6 |
| Engineering and technology | 1,078 | 25 | 1,103 | 1.3 | 593 | 13 | 606 | 0.9 |
| Architecture and building | 2,478 | 41 | 2,519 | 3.0 | 2,426 | 17 | 2,443 | 3.8 |
| Social sciences(c) | 541 | 410 | 951 | 1.1 | 230 | 160 | 390 | 0.6 |
| Humanities | 141 | 200 | 341 | 0.4 | 82 | 107 | 189 | 0.3 |
| Religion and theology | 95 | 24 | 119 | 0.1 | 67 | 18 | 85 | 0.1 |
| Education | 843 | 1,925 | 2,768 | 3.3 | 471 | 1,140 | 1,61] | 2.5 |
| Medicine and health | 467 | 2,557 | 3,024 | 3.6 | 278 | 1,750 | 2,028 | 3.1 |
| Veterinary science | 32 | 10 | 42 | 0.0 | 24 | 2 | 26 | 0.0 |
| Artistic, literary and performing arts(d) <br> Agriculture and forestry | 116 298 | 129 44 | 245 342 | 0.3 0.4 | ${ }_{171}$ | 48 18 | 26 84 189 | 0.0 |
| Agriculture and forestry | 298 | 44 | 342 | 0.4 | 171 | 18 | 189 | 0.3 |
| Manufacturing and construction (excluding architecture and building) | 5,311 | 131 | 5,442 | 6.4 | 3,949 | 100 | 4,049 | 6.2 |
| Services(e) | 1,017 | 423 | 1,440 | 1.7 | 759 | 253 | 1,012 | 1.6 |
| Military and defence | 40 | 1 | 41 | 0.0 | 18 | - | 18 | 0.0 |
| Field n.e.i. | 12 | 9 | 21 | 0.0 | 361 | 529 | 890 | 1.4 |
| Field not specified | 264 | 81 | 345 | 0.4 | 69 | 39 | 108 | 0.2 |
| Inadequately described | 3 | 2 | 5 | 0.0 | 2 | 3 | 2 | 0.0 |
| Total | 14.005 | 7.281 | 21.286 | 25.1 | r10,188 | r4,646 | r14,834 | 22.8 |
| No qualification | 23,248 | 25,357 | 48,605 | 57.3 | 18,463 | 19,198 | 37,661 | 57.8 |
| Still at school | 1,102 | 1,135 | 2,237 | 2.6 | 1,101 | 1,063 | 2,164 | 3.3 |
| Not stated | 7,362 | 5,398 | 12,760 | 15.0 | 6,223 | 4,224 | 10,448 | 16.0 |
| Total | 45,717 | 39,171 | 84,888 | 100.0 | 35,976 | 29,131 | 65,107 | 100.0 |

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TABLE 21. INDIVIDUAL INCOME

| Income-annual (\$) | 1981 Census |  |  |  | Income-weekly (\$) |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Males | Females | Persons | Percentage |  |
| None | 3,330 | 8,366 | 11.696 | 13.8 | None |
| Less than 1,000 | 261 | 2.481 | 2,742 | 3.2 | Less than 19 |
| 1,000-2,000 | 304 | 1,100 | 1.404 | 1.7 | 19-38 |
| 2,001-3,000 | 1,882 | 2,256 | 4.138 | 4.9 | 39-58 |
| 3,001-4,000 | 1.671 | 2,397 | 4.068 | 4.8 | 59. 77 |
| 4,001-6,000 | 2.346 | 3,090 | 5,436 | 6.4 | 78-115 |
| 6,001-8,000 | 2,991 | 2.777 | 5,768 | 6.8 | 116-154 |
| $8,001-10,000$ | 3.007 | 3,049 | 6,056 | 7.1 | 155-192 |
| 10,001-12,000 | 4.715 | 3,363 | 8,078 | 9.5 | 193-231 |
| 12,001-15,000 | 5.901 | 2,830 | 8,731 | 10.3 | 232-288 |
| 15,001-18,000 | 4,861 | 1,489 | 6,350 | 7.5 | 289-346 |
| 18,001-22,000 | 4,119 | 854 | 4,973 | 5.9 | 347-423 |
| 22,001-26,000 | 2.424 | 276 | 2,700 | 3.2 | 424-500 |
| Over 26,000 | 2,525 | 204 | 2.729 | 3.2 | Over 500 |
| Not stated | 5.380 | 4,639 | 10,019 | 11.8 | Not stated |
| Total | 45,717 | 39,171 | 84,888 | 100.0 | Total |

TABLE 22. FAMILY INCOME(a)

| Income-annual (\$) | 1981 Census |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Number of families | Percentage | Income-weekly (\$) |
| None | 891 | 2.8 | None |
| L.ess than 1,000 | 332 | 1.0 | Less than 19 |
| 1,000-2,000 | 208 | 0.7 | 19-38 |
| 2,001-3,000 | 620 | 1.9 | 39-58 |
| 3,001-4,000 | 1,030 | 3.2 | 59-77 |
| 4,001-6,000 | 2,112 | 6.6 | 78-115 |
| 6,001-8,000 | 1.809 | 5.7 | 116-154 |
| 8,001-10,000 | 1,565 | 4.9 | 155-192 |
| 10,001-12.000 | 2,479 | 7.8 | 193-231 |
| 12,001-15,000 | 3,248 | 10.2 | 232-288 |
| 15,001-18.000 | 2,522 | 7.9 | 289-346 |
| 18.001-22,000 | 3.206 | 10.1 | 347-423 |
| 22,001-26,000 | 2.753 | 8.6 | 424-500 |
| Over 26,000 | S.588 | 17.6 | Over 500 |
| Not stated | 3,472 | 10.9 | Not stated |
| Total | 31,835 | 100.0 | Total |

(a) Family income is the combined income of head and spouse if present.

TABLE 23. HOUSEHOLD INCOME(a)

|  | 1981 Census |  |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| Income-annual (\$) | Number of <br> households |  |  |
| None | 355 |  |  |
| Less than 1,000 | 142 | 1.2 | Percentage |$\quad$ Income-weekly (\$)

(a) Household income combines the income of all persons in the household 15 years of age and over.

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TABLE 24. LABOUR FORCE STATUS

|  | 1981 Census |  |  |  | 1976 Census |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Males | Females | Persons | Percentage | Males | Females | Persons | Percentage |
| In the labour force- |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Employed- |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Wage or salary earner | 32,520 | 18,632 | 51,152 | 41.5 | 26,443 | 12,922 | 39,365 | 40.5 |
| Self-employed | 1,761 | 662 | 2,423 | 2.0 | 1,464 | 427 | 1,891 | 1.9 |
| Employer | 1,429 | 584 | 2,013 | 1.6 | 1,057 | 400 | 1,457 | 1.5 |
| Helper | . 85 | 213 | 298 | 0.2 | 101 | 262 | , 363 | 0.4 |
| Total | 35,795 | 20.091 | 55.886 | 45.3 | 29,066 | 14.011 | 43,076 | 44.4 |
| Unemployed | 1,652 | 1,210 | 2,862 | 2.3 | 973 | 479 | 1,452 | 1.5 |
| Total labour force | 37.447 | 21,301 | 58,748 | 47.6 | 30,039 | 14,490 | 44,529 | 45.9 |
| Not in the labour force- |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 15 years and over | 8,270 | 17,870 | 26,140 | 21.2 | 5,937 | 14,641 | 20,579 | 21.2 |
| Under 15 years | 19,700 | 18,736 | 38,436 | 31.2 | 16,472 | 15,512 | 31,983 | 32.9 |
| Total | 27,970 | 36,606 | 64.576 | 52.3 | 22.409 | 30.153 | 52,562 | 54.1 |
| Total | 65,417 | 57,907 | 123,324 | 100.0 | 52,447 | 44,643 | 97,090 | 100.0 |

TABLE 25. A GE OF THE LABOUR FORCE

| Age | 1981 Census |  |  |  | 1976 Census |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Males | Females | Persons | Percentage | Males | Females | Persons | Percentage |
| 15 | 240 | 219 | 459 | 0.8 | n.a. | n.a. | n.a. | n.a. |
| 16 | 431 | 312 | 743 | 1.3 | n.a. | n.a. | n.a. | n.a. |
| 17 | 638 | 511 | 1,149 | 2.0 | n.a. | n.a. | n.a. | n.a. |
| 18 | 809 | 642 | 1,451 | 2.5 | n.a. | n.a. | n.a. | n.a. |
| 19 | 870 | 681 | 1,551 | 2.6 | n.a. | n.a. | n.a. | n.a. |
| 15-19 | 2.988 | 2.365 | 5.353 | 9.1 | 2,228 | 1.600 | 3.828 | 8.6 |
| 20-24 | 5,855 | 4,235 | 10,090 | 17.2 | 4,832 | 2,955 | 7,787 | 17.5 |
| 25-29 | 6,405 | 3,884 | 10,289 | 17.5 | 5,861 | 2,864 | 8,725 | 19.6 |
| 30-34 | 6,425 | 3,520 | 9,945 | 16.9 | 4,814 | 2,135 | 6,949 | 15.6 |
| 35-39 | 4,998 | 2,615 | 7,613 | 13.0 | 3,658 | 1,567 | 5,225 | 11.7 |
| 40-44 | 3,697 | 1,820 | 5,517 | 9.4 | 2,549 | 1,136 | 3,685 | 8.3 |
| 45-49 | 2,525 | 1,157 | 3,682 | 6.3 | 2,263 | 911 | 3,174 | 7.1 |
| 50-54 | 2.220 | 869 | 3,089 | 5.3 | 1,788 | 694 | 2,482 | 5.6 |
| 55-59 | 1,438 | 531 | 1,969 | 3.4 | 1,155 | 420 | 1,575 | 3.5 |
| 60-64 | 664 | 203 | 867 | 1.5 | 677 | 142 | 819 | 1.8 |
| 65 and over | 232 | 102 | 334 | 0.6 | 212 | 66 | 278 | 0.6 |
| Total | 37,447 | 21,301 | 58,748 | 100.0 | 30,039 | 14,490 | 44,528 | 100.0 |

TABLE 26. MARITAL STATUS OF THE LABOUR FORCE

| Marital status | 1981 Census |  |  |  | 1976 Census |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Males | Females | Persons | Percentage | Males | Females | Persons | Percentage |
| Never married | 12,910 | 6,766 | 19,676 | 33.5 | 9.719 | 3,980 | 13,699 | 30.8 |
| Married | 20,979 | 11.940 | 32,919 | 56.0 | 18,160 | 9,199 | 27,359 | 61.4 |
| Separated not divorced | 1,381 | 869 | 2,250 | 3.8 | 1,114 | 604 | 1,718 | 3.9 |
| Divorced | 1.827 | 1,179 | 3,006 | 5.1 | 782 | 392 | 1,174 | 2.6 |
| Widowed | 350 | 547 | 897 | 1.5 | 264 | 314 | 578 | 1.3 |
| Total | 37,447 | 21,301 | 58,748 | 100.0 | 30,039 | 14,490 | 44,528 | 100.0 |

TABLE 27. NUMBER OF HOURS WORKED BY EMPLOYED PERSONS

|  | 1981 Census |  |  |  |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  |  | Females |  |  |  |
|  | Weekly hours | Males | Now married | Other | Persons |
| None | 1,060 | 379 | 247 | 1,686 | 3.0 |
| $1-14$ | 825 | 913 | 422 | 2,160 | 3.9 |
| $15-24$ | 665 | 1,102 | 357 | 2,124 | 3.8 |
| $25-34$ | 1,547 | 1,256 | 744 | 3,547 | 6.3 |
| 35 or more | 27,120 | 6,200 | 5,899 | 39,219 | 70.2 |
| Not stated | 4,578 | 1,581 | 991 | 7,150 | 12.8 |
| Total |  | 11,431 | 8,660 | 55,886 | 100.0 |

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TABLE 28. MODE OF TRAVEL TO WORK OF EMPLOYED PERSONS

| Number of modes used | 1981 Census |  |  |  | 1976 Census |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Males | Females | Persons | Percentage | Males | Females | Persons | Percentage |
| 1 mode | 27,920 | 15,166 | 43,086 | 77.1 | 23,707 | 10,522 | 34,229 | 79.5 |
| 2 modes | 225 | 105 | 330 | 0.6 | 177 | 79 | 256 | 0.6 |
| 3 modes | 28 | 14 | 42 | 0.1 | 24 | 5 | 29 | 0.1 |
| Worked at home | 1,175 | 972 | 2,147 | 3.8 | 1,313 | 915 | 2,228 | 5.2 |
| Did not go to work | 1,694 | 1,289 | 2,983 | 5.3 | n.a. | n.a. | n.a. | n.a. |
| Not stated | 4.753 | 2,545 | 7,298 | 13.1 | 3,844 | 2,490 | 6,334 | 14.7 |
| Total | 35,795 | 20,091 | 55,886 | 100.0 | 29,065 | 14,011 | 43,076 | 100.0 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Train | 57 | 18 | 75 | 0.2 | 75 | 33 | 108 | 0.3 |
| Bus | 1,869 | 890 | 2,759 | 6.3 | 1,341 | 542 | 1,883 | 5.4 |
| Ferry or tram | 206 | 13 | 219 | 0.5 | 77 | 28 | 105 | 0.3 |
| Taxi | 327 | 135 | 462 | 1.1 | 206 | 111 | 317 | 0.9 |
| Car as driver | 16,365 | 8,053 | 24,418 | 55.6 | 13,276 | 4,940 | 18.216 | 52.3 |
| Car as passenger | 3,088 | 2,976 | 6,064 | 13.8 | 2,807 | 2,292 | 5,099 | 14.7 |
| Motor bike/scooter | 1,257 | 183 | 1,440 | 3.3 | 984 | 133 | 1,117 | 3.2 |
| Bicycle | 1,072 | 625 | 1,697 | 3.9 | 558 | 190 | 748 | 2.1 |
| Walked only | 4,213 | 2,525 | 6,738 | 15.3 | 4,809 | 2,425 | 7,234 | 20.8 |

(a) A person can have used more than one mode. The percentages shown are of modes used and not of population.

TABLE 29. OCCUPATION OF EMPLOYED PERSONS

| Occupation | 1981 Census |  |  |  | 1976 Census |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Males | Females | Persons | Percentage | Males | Females | Persons | Percentage |
| 0. Professional, technical, related workers- 677 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Architects, engineers and surveyors | 677 | 9 | 686 | 1.2 | 468 | 3 | 471 | 1.1 |
| Chemists, physicists, geologists, etc. | 208 | 14 | 222 | 0.4 | 125 | 11 | 136 | 0.3 |
| Biologists, veterinarians, agronomists | 151 | 26 | 177 | 0.3 | 97 | 11 | 108 | 0.3 |
| Medical practitioners and dentists | 188 | 47 | 235 | 0.4 | 123 | 29 | 152 | 0.4 |
| Nurses | 46 | 1,069 | 1,115 | 2.0 | 20 | 745 | 765 | 1.8 |
| Professional medical workers n.e.c. | 60 | 78 | 138 | 0.2 | 39 | 46 | 85 | 0.2 |
| Teachers | 993 | 1,943 | 2,936 | 5.3 | 653 | 1,251 | 1,904 | 4.4 |
| Clergy and religious orders | 114 | 44 | 158 | 0.3 | 109 | 22 | 131 | 0.3 |
| Law professionals | 143 | 19 | 162 | 0.3 | 82 | 10 | 92 | 0.2 |
| Artists, entertainers, writers, etc. | 192 | 110 | 302 | 0.5 | 150 | 86 | 236 | 0.5 |
| Draftsmen and technicians n.e.c. | 955 | 244 | 1,199 | 2.1 | 631 | 109 | 740 | 1.7 |
| Other professional, technical, etc. | 677 | 383 | 1,060 | 1.9 | 325 | 202 | 527 | 1.2 |
| Total major group 0 | 4,404 | 3.986 | 8.390 | 15.0 | 2,822 | 2.525 | 5,347 | 12.4 |
| 1. Administrative, executive and managerial workersAdministrative and executive (government) |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| n.e.c.(a) | 425 | 57 | 482 | 0.9 | 206 | 3 | 209 | 0.5 |
| Employers, self employed, managers n.e.c. | 1,866 | 393 | 2,259 | 4.0 | 1,892 | 393 | 2,285 | 5.3 |
| Total major group l | 2,291 | 450 | 2.741 | 4.9 | 2,098 | 396 | 2,494 | 5.8 |
| 2. Clerical workers- |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Book-keepers and cashiers | 147 | 648 | 795 | 1.4 | 105 | 376 | 481 | 1.1 |
| Stenographers and typists | 4 | 572 | 576 | 1.0 | 2 | 646 | 648 | 1.5 |
| Other clerical workers(a) | 2,515 | 5,257 | 7,772 | 13.9 | 1,994 | 3,018 | 5,012 | 11.6 |
| Total major group 2 | 2.666 | 6,477 | 9.143 | 16.4 | 2,101 | 4.040 | 6,142 | 14.3 |
| 3. Sales workers- |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Insurance, real estate, auctioneers etc. | 165 | 31 | 196 | 0.4 | 117 | 9 | 126 | 0.3 |
| Commercial travellers and agents | 145 | 41 | 186 | 0.3 | 58 | 15 | 73 | 0.2 |
| Proprietors, shopkeepers, etc. | 1,009 | 1,774 | 2,783 | 5.0 | 515 | 1,150 | 1,665 | 3.9 |
| Total major group 3 | 1,319 | 1,846 | 3,165 | 5.7 | 690 | 1.174 | 1,864 | 4.3 |
| 4. Farmers, fishermen, hunters, timber getters, etc.- |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Farmers and farm managers | 398 | 112 | 510 | 0.9 | 368 | 107 | 475 | 1.1 |
| Farm workers and farm foremen | 1,455 | 113 | 1,568 | 2.8 | 1,575 | 121 | 1,696 | 3.9 |
| Fishermen and related workers | 72 | 5 | 77 | 0.1 | 114 | 7 | 121 | 0.3 |
| Timber getters and other forestry workers | 54 | 3 | 57 | 0.1 | 88 | 6 | 94 | 0.2 |
| Hunters, trappers and other(b) | 19 | 3 | 22 | 0.0 | 16 | - | 16 | 0.0 |
| Total major group 4 | 1.998 | 236 | 2,234 | 4.0 | 2.161 | 241 | 2,402 | 5.6 |

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TABLE 29. OCCUPATION OF EMPLOYED PERSONS-continued

| Occupation | 1981 Census |  |  |  | 1976 Census |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Males | Females | Persons | Percentage | Males | Females | Persons | Percentage |
| 5. Miners, quarrymen and related workers- |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Miners, mineral prospectors and quarrymen | 504 | 28 | 532 | 1.0 | 361 | 6 | 367 | 0.9 |
| Well drillers, oil, water, etc. | 41 | - | 41 | 0.1 | 45 |  | 45 | 0.1 |
| Mineral treaters | 150 | - | 150 | 0.3 | 208 | 2 | 210 | 0.5 |
| Total major group 5 | 695 | 28 | 723 | 1.3 | 614 | 8 | 622 | 1.4 |
| 6. Transport and communication- |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Drivers and firemen, rail transport | 17 | $\overline{67}$ | 17 | 0.0 | 21 | - | 21 | 0.0 |
| Drivers, road transport | 1,259 | 67 | 1,326 | 2.4 | 1,133 | 41 | 1,174 | 2.7 |
| Inspectors, supervisors etc., transport | 204 | 10 | 214 | 0.4 | 159 | 2 | 161 | 0.4 |
| Telephone, telegraph, etc., operators | 50 | 219 | 269 | 0.5 | 49 | 180 | 229 | 0.5 |
| Postmasters, postmen and messengers | 106 | 74 | 180 | 0.3 | 100 | 40 | 140 | 0.3 |
| Other transport and communication n.e.c.(c) | 283 | 8 | 291 | 0.5 | 258 | 9 | 267 | 0.6 |
| Total major group 6 | 1.919 | 378 | 2.297 | 4.1 | 1.720 | 272 | l,992 | 4.6 |
| 7/8. Tradesmen, labourers, etc. n.e.c.- |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Spinners, weavers, knitters, dyers, etc. | - | 4 | 4 | 0.0 | - | 4 | 4 | 0.0 |
| Tailors, cutters, furriers, etc. | 40 | 80 | 120 | 0.2 | 20 | 52 | 72 | 0.2 |
| Leather cutters, lasters, sewers, etc. | 12 | 2 | 14 | 0.0 | 6 | - | 6 | 0.0 |
| Watchmakers, jewellers, etc. | 137 | 9 | 146 | 0.3 | 74 | 2 | 76 | 0.2 |
| Toolmakers, mechanics, plumbers, etc. | 2,955 | 9 | 2,964 | 5.3 | 2,409 | 7 | 2,416 | 5.6 |
| Electricians, electronic workers, etc. | 1,569 | 15 | 1,584 | 2.8 | 1,300 | 6 | 1,306 | 3.0 |
| Metal workers etc. n.e.c. | 208 | 11 | 219 | 0.4 | 258 | 14 | 272 | 0.6 |
| Carpenters, cabinet makers, etc. | 874 | 3 | 877 | 1.6 | 1,234 | 6 | 1,240 | 2.9 |
| Painters and decorators | 352 | 5 | 357 | 0.6 | 408 | 6 | 414 | 1.0 |
| Bricklayers, plasterers, construction workers n.e.c. | 1,068 | 12 | 1.080 | 1.9 | 1,150 | 12 | 1,162 | 2.7 |
| Compositors, engravers, bookbinders, etc. | 115 | 46 | 161 | 0.3 | 65 | 19 | 84 | 0.2 |
| Potters, kilnmen, glass formers, etc. | 13 | 3 | 16 | 0.0 | 18 | 4 | 22 | 0.1 |
| Millers, bakers, butchers, brewers, etc. | 397 | 70 | 467 | 0.8 | 261 | 57 | 318 | 0.7 |
| Paper, rubber and plastic workers, etc. n.e.c. | 79 | 60 | 139 | 0.2 | 26 | 17 | 43 | 0.1 |
| Packers, wrappers, labellers | 12 | 67 | 79 | 0.1 | 6 | 59 | 65 | 0.2 |
| Equipment operators, etc. | 687 | 5 | 692 | 1.2 | 619 | 1 | 620 | 1.4 |
| Storemen and freight handlers | 744 | 58 | 802 | 1.4 | 615 | 39 | 654 | 1.5 |
| Labourers n.e.c. | 2,616 | 113 | 2,729 | 4.9 | 2,221 | 176 | 2,397 | 5.6 |
| Apprentices, factory workers, etc. n.e.c. | 764 | 85 | 849 | 1.5 | 166 | 20 | 186 | 0.4 |
| Trade and production workers n.e.c.(d) | 59 | 1 | 60 | 0.1 | 24 | 2 | 26 | 0.1 |
| Tolal major group 7/8 | 12.701 | 658 | 13.359 | 23.9 | 10.881 | 503 | 11,384 | 26.4 |
| 9. Service, sport and recreation workers- <br> Fire brigade, police, etc. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Fire brigade, police, etc. Housekeepers, cooks, maids, etc. | 1,011 430 | 68 1,427 | 1,079 1,857 | 1.9 3.3 | 675 331 | 17 1,184 | 692 1515 | 1.6 |
| Waiters and bartenders | 133 | 1,461 | +494 | 0.9 | 85 | $\begin{array}{r}1,184 \\ \hline 263\end{array}$ | 1,348 | 3.5 |
| Caretakers and cleaners, buildings | 305 | 657 | 962 | 1.7 | 180 | 434 | 614 | 1.4 |
| Barbers, hairdressers and beauticians | 13 | 133 | 146 | 0.3 | 16 | 64 | 80 | 0.2 |
| Launderers, dry cleaners and pressers | 29 | 108 | 137 | 0.2 | 15 | 98 | 113 | 0.3 |
| Athletes, sportsmen, etc. | 18 | 10 | 28 | 0.1 | 9 | 4 | 13 | 0.0 |
| Photographers and camera operators | 20 | 5 | 25 | 0.0 | 11 | - | 11 | 0.0 |
| Service, sport and recreation workers n.e.c.(e) | 434 | 473 | 907 | 1.6 | 180 | 295 | 475 | 1.1 |
| Total major group 9 | 2,393 | 3.242 | 5.635 | 10.1 | 1.502 | 2,359 | 3.861 | 9.0 |
| 10. Members of armed services | 1,142 | 146 | 1.288 | 2.3 | 1,077 | 119 | 1.196 | 2.8 |
| 11. Inadequately described or not stated | 4.267 | 2,644 | 6.911 | 12.4 | 3.399 | 2,373 | 5.772 | 13.4 |
| Total | 35,795 | 20,091 | 55,886 | 100.0 | 29,066 | 14,011 | 43,076 | 100.0 |

(a) In processing for 1981 a number of employed persons have been allocated to occupation code 100 (which forms part of the minor occupation group, Administrative and executive officials, government, n.e.c.) who in 1976 would have been allocated to code 154 (which forms part of the minor occupation group. Other clerical workers). Caution should therefore be used in interpreting the figures at minor and major occupation group level shown in this publication. (b) This is a combination of the 1976 Census classifications: Wool classers; Hunters and trappers. (c) Includes the 1976 Census classifications of: Deck and engineer officers, ship; Deck and engine hands, ship; Aircraft pilots, navigators, night engineers; Guards and conductors, rail. (d) This is a combination of the 1976 Census classifications: Furnacemen, rollers, drawers, moulders and related metal making and treating workers; Chemical, sugar and paper workers etc.; Tobacco preparers and tobacco product workers. (e) Includes the 1976 Census classification, Undertakers and crematorium workers.

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TABLE 30. INDUSTRY OF EMPLOYED PERSONS

| Industry | 1981 Census |  |  |  | 1976 Census |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Males | Females | Persons | Percentage | Males | Females | Persons | Percentage |
| A. Agriculture, forestry, fishing and hunting- |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Agriculture | 1.584 | 431 | 2.015 | 3.6 | 1,671 | 437 | 2,108 | 4.9 |
| Services to agriculture | 25 | , | 28 | 0.1 | 51 |  | 53 | 0.1 |
| Forestry and logging | 20 | 1 | 21 | 0.0 | 96 | 8 | 104 | 0.2 |
| Fishing and hunting | 123 | 35 | 158 | 0.3 | 160 | 31 | 191 | 0.4 |
| Total division $A$ | 1.752 | 470 | 2,222 | 4.0 | 1.980 | 478 | 2.458 | 5.7 |
| B. Mining- |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Mining undefined | 139 | 26 | 165 | 0.3 | 86 | 9 | 95 | 0.2 |
| Metallic minerals | 1,740 | 305 | 2,045 | 3.7 | 1,174 | 143 | 1,317 | 3.1 |
| Coal | 9 | - | 9 | 0.0 | 1 |  | 1 | 0.0 |
| Oil and gas |  | 1 | 1 | 0.0 |  |  |  |  |
| Construction materials | 40 | 6 | 46 | 0.1 | 49 | 2 | 51 | 0.1 |
| Other non-metallic minerals | 4 | 2 | 6 | 0.0 | 5 |  | 5 | 0.0 |
| Services to mining n.e.c. | 246 | 50 | 296 | 0.5 | 144 | 17 | 161 | 0.4 |
| Total division $\boldsymbol{B}$ | 2.178 | 390 | 2.568 | 4.6 | 1.459 | 171 | 1,630 | 3.8 |
| C. Manufacturing- |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Manufacturing undefined | 67 | 4 | 71 | 0.1 | 41 | 11 | 52 | 0.1 |
| Food, beverages and tobaceo | 511 | 171 | 682 | 1.2 | 231 | 71 | 302 | 0.7 |
| Textiles | 3 | 2 | 5 | 0.0 | 4 | 18 | 22 | 0.1 |
| Clothing and footwear | 2 | 21 | 23 | 0.0 | 2 | 17 | 19 | 0.0 |
| Wood, wood products and furniture | 134 | 19 | 153 | 0.3 | 147 | 32 | 179 | 0.4 |
| Paper, paper products, printing and publishing | 204 | 136 | 340 | 0.6 | 96 | 51 | 147 | 0.3 |
| Chemical, petroleum and coal products | 26 | 5 | 31 | 0.1 | 22 | 8 | 30 | 0.1 |
| Non-metallic mineral products | 185 | 25 | 210 | 0.4 | 186 | 27 | 213 | 0.5 |
| Basic metal products | 269 | 35 | 304 | 0.5 | 341 | 26 | 367 | 0.9 |
| Fabricated metal products | 314 | 50 | 364 | 0.7 | 202 | 45 | 247 | 0.6 |
| Transport equipment | 89 | 14 | 103 | 0.2 | 89 | 8 | 97 | 0.2 |
| Other machinery and equipment | 88 | 21 | 109 | 0.2 | 96 | 14 | 110 | 0.3 |
| Miscellaneous manufacturing | 132 | 62 | 194 | 0.3 | 61 | 48 | 109 | 0.3 |
| Total division $C$ | 2.024 | 565 | 2.589 | 4.6 | 1.518 | 376 | 1,894 | 4.4 |
| D. Electricity, gas and water- |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Electricity, gas and water undefined |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Electricity and gas | 651 | 111 | 762 | 1.4 | 308 | 7 | 315 | 0.7 |
| Water, sewerage and drainage | 217 | 64 | 281 | 0.5 | 44 | 3 | 47 | 0.1 |
| Total division D | 868 | 175 | 1.043 | 1.9 | 352 | 10 | 362 | 0.8 |
| E. Construction- |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Construction undefined | 1,196 | 50 | 1,246 | 2.2 | 605 | 57 | 662 | 1.5 |
| General construction | 1,945 | 210 | 2.155 | 3.9 | 3,560 | 313 | 3,873 | 9.0 |
| Special trade construction | 1.574 | 166 | 1,740 | 3.1 | 1,404 | 116 | 1,520 | 3.5 |
| Total division $E$ | 4.715 | 426 | 5.141 | 9.2 | 5.569 | $486^{\circ}$ | 6.055 | 14.1 |
| F. Wholesale retail trade- |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Wholesale and retail trade undefined | 12 | 11 | 23 | 0.0 | 7 | 9 | 16 | 0.0 |
| Wholesale trade | 1,401 | 472 | 1,873 | 3.4 | 1,012 | 343 | 1,355 | 3.1 |
| Retail trade | 2,289 | 2,479 | 4,768 | 8.5 | 1,876 | 1,758 | 3,634 | 8.4 |
| Total division $F$ | 3.702 | 2,962 | 6,664 | 11.9 | 2,895 | 2.110 | 5.005 | 11.6 |
| G. Transport and storage- |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Transport and storage undefined | 15 | 7 | 22 | 0.0 | 18 | 2 | 20 | 0.0 |
| Road transport | 826 | 192 | 1,018 | 1.8 | 545 | 121 | 666 | 1.5 |
| Railway transport | 165 | 21 | 186 | 0.3 | 235 | 25 | 260 | 0.6 |
| Water transport | 241 | 20 | 261 | 0.5 | 262 | 22 | 284 | 0.7 |
| Air transport | 763 | 157 | 920 | 1.6 | 694 | 126 | 820 | 1.9 |
| Other transport and storage | 126 | 122 | 248 | 0.4 | 174 | 69 | 243 | 0.6 |
| Toal division $G$ | 2.136 | 519 | 2,655 | 4.8 | 1.928 | 365 | 2.293 | 5.3 |
| H. Communication | 702 | 306 | 1,008 | 1.8 | 541 | 173 | 714 | 1.7 |
| Total division H | 702 | 306 | 1,008 | 1.8 | 541 | 173 | 714 | 1.7 |

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TABLE 30. INDUSTRY OF EMPLOYED PERSONS-continued

| Industry | 1981 Census |  |  |  | 1976 Census |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Males | Females | Persons | Percentage | Males | Females | Persons | Percentage |
| 1. Finance, property and business services- |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Finance, property etc. undefined |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Finance and investment | 403 | 429 | 832 | 1.5 | 298 | 275 | 573 | 1.3 |
| Insurance and services to insurance | 156 | 124 | 280 | 0.5 | 106 | 68 | 174 | 0.4 |
| Property and business services | 1,183 | 789 | 1,972 | 3.5 | 645 | 587 | 1,232 | 2.9 |
| Total division $/$ | 1.742 | 1,342 | 3.084 | 5.5 | 1.049 | 930 | 1.979 | 4.6 |
| J. Public administration and defence- |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Public administration and defence undefined | 10 | 3 | 13 | 0.0 | 19 | 18 | 37 | 0.1 |
| Public administration | 3,402 | 2,312 | 5,714 | 10.2 | 2,324 | 1,405 | 3,729 | 8.7 |
| Defence | 1,303 | 192 | 1,495 | 2.7 | 1,454 | 202 | 1,656 | 3.8 |
| Total division J | 4.715 | 2,507 | 7.222 | 12.9 | 3.797 | 1,625 | 5,422 | 12.6 |
| K. Community services- |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Community services undefined | 5 | 9 | 14 | 0.0 | 42 | 21 | 63 | 0.1 |
| Health | 846 | 2,093 | 2,939 | 5.3 | 478 | 1,422 | 1,900 | 4.4 |
| Education, museum, library services | 1,307 | 2.561 | 3,868 | 6.9 | 789 | 1,491 | 2,280 | 5.3 |
| Welfare and religious institutions | 1,179 | 797 | 1,976 | 3.5 | 346 | 284 | 630 | 1.5 |
| Other community services | 1,711 | 391 | 2,102 | 3.8 | 1,352 | 289 | 1,641 | 3.8 |
| Total division $K$ | 5,048 | 5,851 | 10,899 | 19.5 | 3.007 | 3.507 | 6,514 | 15.1 |
| L. Recreation, personal and other services- |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Entertainment, recreation services undefined | 1 | 4 | 5 | 0.0 | 2 | 76 | 2 | 0.0 |
| Entertainment and recreational services | 475 | 256 | 731 | 1.3 | 245 | 76 | 321 | 0.7 |
| Restaurants, hotels and clubs | 911 | 1,294 | 2,205 | 3.9 | 659 | 976 | 1,635 | 3.8 |
| Personal services | 72 | 267 | 339 | 0.6 | 42 | 175 | 217 | 0.5 |
| Private households employing staff | - | 12 | 12 | 0.0 | 1 | 6 | 7 | 0.0 |
| Total division $L$ | 1,459 | 1,833 | 3.292 | 5.9 | 949 | 1.233 | 2.182 | 5.1 |
| M. Not classifiable | 542 | 109 | 651 | 1.2 |  | 546 |  | 152 |
| N. Not stated | 4,212 | 2,636 | 6,848 | 12.3 | 4,020 | 2,546 | 6,566 | 15.2 |
| Total | 35,795 | 20,091 | 55,886 | 100.0 | 29,066 | 14,011 | 43,076 | 100.0 |

TABLE 31. INDUSTRY SECTOR OF EMPLOYED PERSONS

| Industry sector | 1981 Census |  |  |  | 1976 Census |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Males | Females | Persons | Percentage | Males | Females | Persons | Percentage |
| Australian government | 3,930 | 1,537 | 5,467 | 9.8 | 8,640 | 4,686 | 13,326 | 30.9 |
| State government | 6,553 | 5,941 | 12,494 | 22.4 | 253 | 201 | 454 | 1.1 |
| Local government | 440 | 146 | 586 | 1.0 | 615 | 149 | 764 | 1.8 |
| Private sector | 20,502 | 9,723 | 30,225 | 54.1 | 19,558 | 8,974 | 28,532 | 66.2 |
| Not stated(a) | 4,370 | 2,744 | 7.114 | 12.7 | (a) | (a) | (a) | (a) |
| Total | 35,795 | 20,091 | 55,886 | 100.0 | 29,066 | 14,011 | 43,076 | 100.0 |

(a) 1976 Not stated figures are included in Private sector and are not separately available.

TABLE 32. NUMBER OF HOUSEHOLDS AND HOUSEHOLD MEMBERS BY NATURE OF DWELLING OCCUPANCY

| Nature of occupancy of dwellings | 1981 Census |  |  |  | 1976 Census |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Number of households | Percentage | Number of members(a) | Percentage | Number of households | Percentage |
| Owner | 3,067 | 10.6 | 11,257 | 10.6 | 3,205 | 14.0 |
| Purchaser | 5,587 | 19.2 | 20.697 | 19.5 | 2,644 | 11.6 |
| Owner/purchaser undefined | 284 | 1.0 | 1,067 | 1.0 | 180 | 0.8 |
| Tenant-housing authority | 5,756 | 19.8 | 21,205 | 20.0 | 2,963 | 12.9 |
| Tenant-other | 9.078 | 31.3 | 32,227 | 30.4 | 8,019 | 35.0 |
| N.e.i. | 2,358 | 8.1 | 8,580 | 8.1 | 3,453 | 15.1 |
| Not stated | 2,919 | 10.0 | 10,939 | 10.3 | 2,421 | 10.6 |
| Total | 29,049 | 100.0 | 105,972 | 100.0 | 22,885 | 100.0 |

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|  | 1981 Census |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Monthly mortgage payments(\$) | Number of households | Percentage |
| 1-24 | 13 | 0.2 |
| 25-49 | 100 | 1.8 |
| 50-74 | 146 | 2.6 |
| 75-99 | 108 | 1.9 |
| 100-124 | 237 | 4.2 |
| 125-149 | 250 | 4.5 |
| 150-174 | 502 | 9.0 |
| 175-199 | 434 | 7.8 |
| 200-224 | 783 | 14.0 |
| 225-249 | 525 | 9.4 |
| 250-274 | 428 | 7.7 |
| 275-299 | 191 | 3.4 |
| 300-324 | 278 | 5.0 |
| 325-349 | 153 | 2.7 |
| 350-374 | 196 | 3.5 |
| 375-398 | 102 | 1.8 |
| 399 and over | 844 | 15.1 |
| Not stated | 297 | 5.3 |
| Total | 5,587 | 100.0 |

TABLE 34. RENTED DWELLINGS-WEEKLY RENTS

|  | 1981 Census |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: |
| Weekly rents(\$) | Number of <br> households | Percentage |
| $0-9$ | 712 | 4.8 |
| $10-19$ | 2.120 | 14.3 |
| $20-29$ | 1,211 | 8.2 |
| $30-39$ | 1.673 | 11.3 |
| $40-49$ | 4,194 | 28.3 |
| $50-59$ | 929 | 6.3 |
| $60-69$ | 717 | 4.8 |
| $70-79$ | 614 | 4.1 |
| $80-89$ | 422 | 2.8 |
| $90-99$ | 200 | 1.3 |
| $100-109$ | 254 | 1.7 |
| $110-119$ | 89 | 0.6 |
| $120-129$ | 315 | 1.0 |
| $130-148$ | 306 | 2.1 |
| 149 and over | 925 | 2.1 |
| Not stated | 14,834 | 6.2 |
| Total |  | 100.0 |

TABLE 35. NUMBER OF HOUSEHOLDS AND HOUSEHOLD MEMBERS BY HOUSEHOLD SIZE

| Household size (members) | 1981 Census |  |  |  | 1976 Census |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Number of households | Percentage | Number of members(a) | Percentage | Number of households | Percentage |
| I | 3,903 | 13.4 | 3,903 | 3.7 | 2,946 | 12.9 |
| 2 | 6,431 | 22.1 | 12,862 | 12.1 | 5.315 | 23.2 |
| 3 | 5,049 | 17.4 | 15.147 | 14.3 | 3,873 | 16.9 |
| 4 | 5,980 | 20.6 | 23,920 | 22.6 | 4.380 | 19.1 |
| 5 | 3,604 | 12.4 | 18,020 | 17.0 | 2.709 | 11.8 |
| 6 | 1,713 | 5.9 | 10.278 | 9.7 | 1,589 | 6.9 |
| 7 | , 868 | 3.0 | 6,076 | 5.7 | . 769 | 3.4 |
| 8 or more | 1.501 | 5.2 | 15,766 | 14.9 | 1,304 | 5.7 |
| Total | 29,049 | 100.0 | 105,972 | 100.0 | 22,885 | 100.0 |

(a) Comparable information from the 1976 Census is not available.

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TABLE 36. NUMBER OF HOUSEHOLDS AND HOUSEHOLD MEMBERS BY NUMBER OF ROOMS

| Number of rooms | 1981 Census |  |  |  | 1976 Census |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Number of households | Percentage | Number of members(a) | Percentage | Number of households | Percentage |
| 1 | 1,623 | 5.6 | 5,723 | 5.4 | 1,968 | 8.6 |
| 2 | 1,159 | 4.0 | 3,293 | 3.1 | 1,686 | 7.4 |
| 3 | 2,106 | 7.2 | 5,463 | 5.2 | 2,435 | 10.6 |
| 4 | 4,182 | 14.4 | 12,343 | 11.6 | 3,428 | 15.0 |
| 5 | 8,618 | 29.7 | 32,506 | 30.7 | 5,485 | 24.0 |
| 6 | 5,947 | 20.5 | 23,536 | 22.2 | 2,599 | 11.4 |
| 7 | 1,694 | 5.8 | 7,546 | 7.1 | 955 | 4.2 |
| 8 or more | 999 | 3.4 | 4,673 | 4.4 | 681 | 3.0 |
| Not stated | 2,721 | 9.4 | 10,889 | 10.3 | 3,648 | 15.9 |
| Total | 29,049 | 100.0 | 105,972 | 100.0 | 22,885 | 100.0 |

(a) Comparable information from the 1976 Census is not available.

TABLE 37. NUMBER OF HOUSEHOLDS AND HOUSEHOLD MEMBERS BY NUMBER OF BEDROOMS

| Number of bedrooms | 1981 Census |  |  |  | 1976 Census |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Number of households | Percentage | Number of members(a) | Percentage | Number of households(b) | Percentage |
| 0 | 38 | 0.1 | 130 | 0.1 | 2,052 | 9.0 |
| 1 | 4,017 | 13.8 | 10,340 | 9.8 | 3,103 | 13.6 |
| 2 | 5,482 | 18.9 | 16,114 | 15.2 | 4.731 | 20.7 |
| 3 | 14,450 | 49.7 | 56,841 | 53.6 | 7,775 | 34.0 |
| 4 | 1,993 | 6.9 | 9,852 | 9.3 | 1,226 | 5.4 |
| 5 | 234 | 0.8 | 1,208 | 1.1 | 195 | 0.9 |
| 6 or more | 136 | 0.5 | 686 | 0.6 | 155 | 0.7 |
| Not stated | 2,699 | 9.3 | 10,801 | 10.2 | 3,648 | 15.9 |
| Total | 29,049 | 100.0 | 105,972 | 100.0 | 22,885 | 100.0 |

(a) Comparable information from the 1976 Census is not available. (b) In 1976 processing any dwelling recorded as having one room was classified as being a one room dwelling without a bedroom.

TABLE 38. NUMBER OF HOUSEHOLDS BY NUMBER OF MOTOR VEHICLES(a)

| Number of motor vehicles | 1981 Census |  | 1976 Census |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Number of households | Percentage | Number of households | Percentage |
| 0 | 4,181 | 14.4 | 3,955 | 17.3 |
| 1 | 11,783 | 40.6 | 9,094 | 39.7 |
| 2 | 8,051 | 27.7 | 5,579 | 24.4 |
| 3 | 1,709 | 5.9 | 1,163 | 5.1 |
| 4 or more | 712 | 2.5 | 527 | 2.3 |
| Not stated | 2,613 | 9.0 | 2,567 | 11.2 |
| Total | 29,049 | 100.0 | 22,885 | 100.0 |

(a) Excludes motor bikes, motor sconters and tractors.

TABLE 39. UNOCCUPIED PRIVATE DWELLINGS-REASON UNOCCUPIED

|  | 1981 Census |  |  | 1976 Census |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | Number of <br> unoccupied <br> dwellings | Percentage |  | Number of <br> unoccupied <br> dwellings | Percentage |
| Reason unoccupied | 39 | 1.6 | 62 | 2.7 |  |
| For sale | 344 | 1.5 | 279 | 12.2 |  |
| To let (not holiday home) | 131 | 5.5 | 604 | 26.4 |  |
| New (awaiting occupancy) | 86 | 3.6 | 202 | 8.8 |  |
| Vacant for repair | 27 | 1.1 | 10 | 0.4 |  |
| Holiday home | 45 | 1.9 | 92 | 4.0 |  |
| Condemned for demolition | 1,420 | 60.0 | 850 | 37.1 |  |
| Resident temporarily absent or not | 276 | 11.7 | 193 | 8.4 |  |
| stated | 2,368 | 100.0 | 2,292 | 100.0 |  |
| N.e.i. |  |  |  |  |  |
| Total |  |  |  |  |  |



APPENDIX B

| State |  |
| :--- | :--- |
| Div. |  |
| S. Div. |  |
| C.D. |  |
| Rec. |  |
| No. |  |

AUSTRALIAN BUREAU OF STATISTICS Census of

## Population and Housing

Dear Householder.
Tuesday. 30 June 1981, is Census Day.
The census is an important statistical collection. which not only counts the number of people throughout Australia, blalso measures such things as internal migration, occupation and ind4stry of those in the labour force, and housing conditions. The enclo ed pamphlet gives you a more detailed description of the value of the data gives you a more detailed description of the value of th data

The census is the only way of getting a complete picture of all persons in Australia at the one time.

The Australian Bureau of Siatistics is required by law to take a complete census of Australia every five years. The Act under which the census is taken is calied the Census and Statistics Act 1905. This Act makes it compulsory for you to provide the information requested.
For your proteclion the same Act guatantees that your answers will be teated in confidence. All staff engaged on the census are required by law to protect the confidentiality of iniormation collected It would be an offence for any intormation selatıng io an identifiable person or household to be released to any other Government Department or agency. or indeed to anyone outside the Statistics Bureau

If you have difficulties filing out this torm. please ask the Collector for help or telephone
Yout co-operation in carefully completing the form will contribute greatly to the success of the census.

AUSTRALIAN STATISTICIAN


| Males | Females | Persons |
| :---: | :--- | :--- |
|  |  |  |



Please complete one column for each person.

For a household with more than 8 persons





| 1. stame of each person who spent the night of 30 June 1987 in this housatold: <br> - Include any person who relurned on Wuednesday. 1 July 1981. withoul having been counted elsewhere. <br> - Record deaiats tor all adulis. childier and babies firicluding visitiors) who spant the night of Tuesday. 30 June 1981. in this nousehold. <br> - Enter the nousehold head ol any adun nousehold memioer as Person 1. | Penson 1 | PERSON 2 | persun 3 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  |
|  | given name | give: name. | given name |
|  | Surn | Surn | Surname |
| 2. Sox: <br> - Tick ont bux for each person (e.g. $\mathbb{e}^{\prime}$ ). | Male $\square \quad$ or Female $\square$ | Male O or Female $\quad$ 口 | Male a or fermale |
| 3. Age: <br> - In years and completed months. <br> - If age is less than one year write " 0 " years and | --7 years monts | years montins | mon |
| 23. Did the person do any work at all LAST WEEK? <br> - For each person ticked in box 1 . 90 to question 26 . | Yes, worked for wages. salary, payment or profit Yes, but did unpaid work only $\square$ No. did not work $\square$ $\square$ | Yes, worked ior wages. salary, payment or profit Yes. but did unpald work only.... $\square$ 달 No. did not work a. | Yes. worked for wages, salary, payment or protis Yes. bul did unpaid work oniy. ...... No. did not wark $\qquad$ |
| 24. Last week, did the person have a full-time or par-time job of any kind, business, profession or tarm? (even if on holidays, sick, on strike, temporarily stood down, etc.) <br> - Tick one box oniy. | Yes. had a paid job, a business, a profession or a farm last week $\qquad$ <br> Yes, helped without pay in a family business. $\qquad$ <br> Yes, unpaid job only. $\qquad$ <br> No, did not heve any job. business, profession of farm last week |  |  |
| 25. Did the porson look for work LAST WEEK? <br> - Looking for work means being registered with the Commonweath Employment Service, approaching a prospective employet, piacing or answering adverisements, writing leners of apolicaion or or answering adverisemenis, winng leters of application of awaiting the results of recent applications. | No. did not look for work .... <br> Yes, looked ior work. | $\begin{array}{ll}\text { No, did not look ior work. } & \square_{1} \\ \text { Yes, looked for work } & \square_{2}\end{array}$ | No. did nat look for work.............], <br> Yes, looked ior work $\qquad$ $\square_{2}$ |
| For each person ticked in box 3 or 4 in question 24. do not answer questions 26-31. <br> 26. In the main joic held LAST WEEK, was the person: <br> - Tick one box oniy. | A wage or salary earner ? <br> Conducting own business but not employing others? <br> Conducting own business and employing others? <br> A helper not receiving <br> wages or salary? |  | A wage or salary earner? Conducting own business but not employing otners? Conducting own business and employing oihers? <br> A helper not receiving wages or salary? |
| 27. In the main job heid LAST WEEK, what was the person's occupation? <br> - Describe as fully as possible. using iwo words or more (do not ust initials or abbreviations. e.g. builder's labourer, not bld. lab.). <br> - Where possible, inciude award or government designation. <br> - Members of the Armed Services should state their rank. | Occupation | Occupation | Occupatuo. |
| 23. For the main job held LAST WEEK, what was the amployer's trading name and address of workplace? <br> - For persons conducting their own business. print name of own business. <br> - For teachers, print name of school. <br> - For government employees, ptint full name of Depanment. Division, Branch or Sectuon. | USE BLOCK LETTERS Business or trading name | use block letters Eusiness or tiading name | use block Letters Business or trading name |
|  | Name of Division, Branch or Section (if any) in which the person worked | Name of Division. Branch or Section (if any) in which the person worked | Name of Division. Branch o: Section (if any) in which the person worked |
|  | Adoress of workplace: <br> ivo. and stree: | Address of workplace: <br> No. and street | Address of workplace <br> No and street. |
|  | Suburb. lown or bocality | Suburb, town O; locality....... | Suburb. town o: locality. |
|  | State . Posteode . . . . | Stare . . .-. Postioode | State .-. Posticode |
| 29. What hind of industry, business or senvice is carriad out by your employer at the adidess given in reply to quastion 28 ? <br> - Describe as fully as possible, using two woras or more (E.g. dairy farming. footwear manutacturing) | Kind of incustry | Kind of industr. | Kind of industr. |

For a household with more than 8 persons, please contact the Collector.


Please complete one column for each person.

For a household with more than 8 persons. please contact the Collector

| !. Name of asch person who spent the night of 30 June | person, | PErson 2 | persan 3 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| - Include any person who relurned on Wednesday. 1 July 1981 withoul having been counled elsewhere. |  |  |  |
| - Record detaits for all adiuts, childer and babies (including visitors) who spent the night of Tuesday. 30 June 1981, in this household. | given namie | gwer name | given name |
| - Enter the housenold head or any adult household member as Person 1. | Surnam | Surname . | Surname . .. |
| 2 sax: <br> - Tick one box tor each petson (e.g. $\mathbb{E}^{\prime}$ ). | Male $\square \quad$ or $\quad$ Female $\square$ | Male $\square \quad$ or $\quad$ Female $\square$ | Malt ${ }^{\text {a }}$ |
| 3. Ago: <br> - In years and complated months. <br> - Il oge is less than one year write "O". years and | years .........monnt |  | mo |
| 30. In the main job held LAST WEEK, how many hours did the person work? |  |  |  |
| 31. How did the person get to work on Mondar. 29 June 1981 ? <br> - Tick boxes tor acch person to show all methods used. | Train... <br> Bus. <br> Ferry or Tram <br> Taxi <br> Car-as driver <br> Car-as passenger <br> Motor bike or motor scooter... <br> Bicycle. $\qquad$ <br> Worked at home <br> Did not go to work $\qquad$ $\qquad$ $\qquad$ <br> Please state $\qquad$ |  |  |

PLEASE ANSWER QUESTIONS
ON THIS DWELLING.

This dwelling is the place (house, flat, etc.) in which your household spent census night.

## H1. How many rooms are there in this dwelling?

- Write the number of each type of room (e.9. 2 Bedroom(s)
- Count each room once only
- A room shared with another housenold should be counted only by
- Do not count toiets, pantrí


| Person a | PERSON 5 | person o | PERSON 7 | person e |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Chrstian or given name <br> Surname | Chistian of given name <br> Surname | Christuan ot given nam Surname. | Christian or given name Surname | Cnristian or oiven name <br> Surname |
| Male [ or female ${ }^{\text {C }}$ | Male 5 or femaie [ | Male - or Female $\square$ | Male $\square$ or Female $\square$ | Male $\square$ or Female C |
| years ......... months | months | ... years monhs | yars montrs | - years $\quad \cdots \quad$ - months |
|  |  |  |  |  |
| $\square$ | Train $\quad$, | Train | Train - $\quad$, | Train. |
| Bus $\quad E_{2}$ | Bus - $\square^{\square}$ - $\square_{2}$ |  |  |  |
| Ferry of Tram $\qquad$ [3 |  |  | тaxi $\quad \square$ |  |
| Car-as driver $\quad$ ? | Gar-as diver | Car-as diver - $\square^{\text {a }}$ | Car-as diver - - $0_{0}$ | $\mathrm{Ca}_{4}$-as diver. - |
| Car-as passenger $\quad$ E: | Cat-as passenger $\square^{\text {a }}$, | Car-as passanger - $\quad$. | Cat-as passonger.... $\quad$ De | Car-as passeng |
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| H2. Is this dwelling ownod (or aeing purchased) by you or any usuad mamber of this household? No $\qquad$ Go to question H 3 . <br> Is then $\square$ $\square$ Yes Y $\square$ ( No $\qquad$ -Go to question H4. $\square$ Yes <br> What monthiy payment (or averape monthiy payment) is made on the total mongages (or contracts of asio) on this dwolling? $\qquad$ | H4. How many regibtered motor vehiches owned or used by members of this household were paraged or parked at or naar this dwelling for the night of 30 Junc 1887? <br> - Exclude motor bikes. motor scooters. ractors. <br> - include company vehieles kept at home. None 1 motor vehicie 2 motor vehicles 3 motor vahicles 4 or more |
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| H3. Do you or any usual member of this housohoid pay rent for tinis dwolling? No $\qquad$ Go io question H 4 . <br> Winat is tine weakiy rent? $\qquad$ <br> Is this dwolling rented furnished or unturnished? | THANK YOU FOR YOUR CO-OPERATION <br> Australian Statistician |



## APPENDIX B

## INQUIRIES

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| VICTORIA | Information Services <br> Commonwealth Banks Building <br> Cnr Elizabeth \& Flinders Streets <br> Melbourne. VIC. 3000 <br> (Box 2796Y GPO Melbourne 3001) <br> Phone (03) 6526192 <br> Telex AA30086 | TASMANIA | Information Services <br> Australian Government Centre <br> 10th Floor <br> 188 Collins Street <br> Hobart. TAS. 7000 <br> (Box 66A GPO Hobart 7001) <br> Phone (002) 204437 or 204495 <br> Telex AA58098 |
| QUEENSLAND | Information Services 345 Ann Street <br> Brisbane. QLD. 4000 <br> Phone (07) 336022 <br> Telex AA40271 | NORTHERN TERRITORY | The Statistician-Northern Territory <br> 7th Floor MLC Building <br> 81 Smith Street <br> Darwin. NT. 5790 <br> (Box 3796 PO Darwin 5794) <br> Phone (089) 802717 <br> Telex AA85075 |
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[^0]:    (a) See footnote(a) for table 3 above. (b) Excludes persons described in the 1966 Census as full blood Aboriginals. (c) Persons in some Aboriginal dwellings were classified differently for the 1966 Census from later censuses, but there is insufficient information to enable 1966 figures to be brought into line with those of later censuses.

[^1]:    (a) See footnote (a)for table 3. (b) In the 1947 Census, the category Married included (i) all persons reporting as married, (ii) a proportion of persons who did not answer

[^2]:    For footnotes see end of table.

[^3]:    (a) Includes Northern Ireland and the Republic of Ireland. (b) Included with Northern and Southern Europe n.e.i. (c) Includes the German Democratic Republic and the German Federal Republic because many respondents stated their birthplace as 'Germany'. (d) Ineluded with Asia nee.i. (e) Includes the response 'Cambodia'. (f) Includes both the Democratic Peoples' Republic of Korea and the Republic of Korea. (g) Included with America n.e.i. (h) Included with Malawi, Tanzania, Uganda and Zambia. (i) Included with Oceania n.e.i. (j) Was named Gilbert and Ellice Islands in 1976. (k) Was named New Hebrides in 1976.

[^4]:    (a) Includes 'Roman Catholic' and 'Catholic'. (b) Included with Christian n.e.i. (c) Included with Non-Christian n.e.i

[^5]:    (a) 1976 Census classification was Commercial and business. (b) This is a combination of the 1976 Census classifications: Natural and applied sciences; Mathematics and computer sciences. (c) This is a combination of the 1976 Census classifications: Sooial and behavioural; Law and jurisprudence; Home economics. (d) This is a combination of the 1976 Census classifications: Fine and applied arts; Journalism and media studies. (e) This is a combination of the 1976 Census classifications: Transport and communication; Service trade; Police and related law enforcement; Other public safety.

[^6]:    (a) Comparable information from the 1976 Census is not available.

