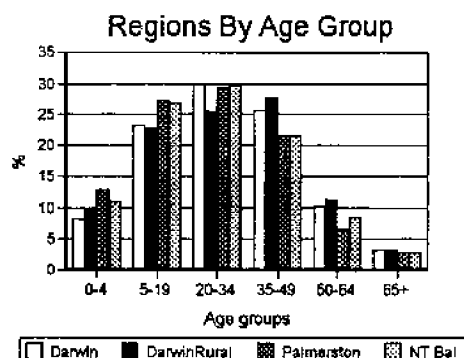


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**ESTIMATED RESIDENTIAL POPULATION  
BY AGE, SEX, AND STATISTICAL LOCAL AREA  
NORTHERN TERRITORY  
June 1992 and June 1993**

By 30 June 1993 Northern Territory provisional estimated residential population had risen to 169,298 people. This represented a technical rise of 1.1 per cent over the previous financial year estimate of 167,403 people. This compares with the national average of 1.0 percent (NSW 0.7, Vic 0.3, Qld 2.7, SA 0.4, WA 1.2, Tas 0.4, ACT 1.6). It should be noted however, that the rise of 1.1 per cent is slightly overstated and in reality should be 0.9 per cent. This discrepancy is due to corrections made as a result of undercounting 1,045 people in the 1991 Census, and was one of the outcomes of a review of NT population estimates. (See *Revisions to 1986-96 ERP in the Explanatory Notes* at the back of this issue for further details).

Overall Darwin experienced a decline of 0.6 per cent in estimated residential population for the same period, due to its increasingly more mature age structure and associated reduction in occupancy rate. Exceptions to this declining trend in population were the suburbs of Larrakeyah (influx of defence personnel), Brinkin, and The Gardens (the latter two suburbs experiencing a substantial growth in unit development). However, Darwin still continues to be a relatively "young" city with only 3.1 per cent of its population over the age of 65, compared to the national average for other capital cities of 11.4 per cent.



In contrast, Palmerston with a younger population rose to 10,185 people, an increase of 9.8 per cent for the same period. A large influx of defence personnel contributed significantly to this increase.

Total Darwin Rural Areas grew on average by 6.4 per cent to 12,504 people. Like Darwin, this area has a more mature age structure than the rest of the NT. Alice Springs town experienced a population increase of 1.8 per cent over the same period to 24,678 people, slightly above the Territory average. Katherine town did a little better with an increase of 2.4 per cent to 8,492 people. Jabiru declined by 1.9 per cent to 1,392 people.

The Northern Territory Balance grew by an average of 1.5 per cent, largely reflecting natural increase of the Aboriginal population which constitute a majority in remote areas. Like much of the remote areas of the central part of NT, the Gulf region registered a slight decline of 1.6 per cent despite a build up in mining activity which has occurred mainly since 30 June 1993.

Approximately 443 Army personnel moved to the Northern Territory in the 1992/1993 financial year bringing with them an estimated 332 dependants, as against 47 personnel with 82 dependants in the previous financial year. It is estimated that a further 1,500 personnel with a similar dependant ratio will move to the Northern Territory by early next century, which will impact significantly on Territory population growth.

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TABLE 2. ESTIMATED RESIDENTIAL POPULATION BY AGE AND SEX (a)  
DARWIN STATISTICAL DIVISION

30 JUNE 1992 (final)

Statistical Local Area	Sex	Age group (years)						Total
		0-4	5-19	20-34	35-49	50-64	65 plus	
<i>Darwin City (SSD)</i>								
Alawa	M	89	321	361	304	168	25	1,268
	F	92	303	314	313	133	19	1,174
	P	181	624	675	617	301	44	2,442
Anula	M	125	469	307	423	171	24	1,519
	F	145	452	349	436	131	24	1,537
	P	270	921	656	859	302	48	3,056
Brinkin	M	49	108	165	132	48	8	510
	F	34	119	172	122	42	2	491
	P	83	227	337	254	90	10	1,001
City-Inner	M	43	76	363	267	144	62	955
	F	32	59	265	126	70	46	598
	P	75	135	628	393	214	108	1,553
Coconut Grove	M	70	124	339	243	125	65	966
	F	70	142	347	205	92	70	926
	P	140	266	686	448	217	135	1,892
Fannie Bay	M	74	213	340	402	206	94	1,329
	F	72	244	351	358	161	80	1,266
	P	146	457	691	760	367	174	2,595
Jingili	M	62	324	304	299	140	26	1,155
	F	80	279	230	295	104	30	1,018
	P	142	603	534	594	244	56	2,173
Karama	M	337	746	756	694	176	59	2,768
	F	293	782	866	600	154	79	2,774
	P	630	1,528	1,622	1,294	330	138	5,542
Larrakeyah	M	62	194	472	322	90	62	1,202
	F	69	153	347	230	63	62	924
	P	131	347	819	552	153	124	2,126
Leanyer	M	291	624	766	717	173	25	2,596
	F	266	609	858	665	134	32	2,564
	P	557	1,233	1,624	1,382	307	57	5,160
Lee-Pt/Leanyer Swamp	M	8	15	44	24	32	7	130
	F	7	17	36	24	24	0	108
	P	15	32	80	48	56	7	238
Ludmilla	M	93	204	325	272	128	25	1,047
	F	87	221	290	268	104	22	992
	P	180	425	615	540	232	47	2,039
Malak	M	189	582	467	478	180	53	1,949
	F	170	576	527	486	138	66	1,963
	P	359	1,158	994	964	318	119	3,912
Marrarra	M	78	175	348	258	120	11	990
	F	97	173	347	217	84	19	937
	P	175	348	695	475	204	30	1,927
Millner	M	113	306	398	329	171	43	1,360
	F	102	265	408	306	125	34	1,240
	P	215	571	806	635	296	77	2,600
Moil	M	113	378	344	309	124	24	1,292
	F	103	309	310	314	96	19	1,151
	P	216	687	654	623	220	43	2,443
Nakara	M	92	371	258	327	126	17	1,191
	F	76	326	273	336	87	23	1,121
	P	168	697	531	663	213	40	2,312
Narrows	M	18	46	52	63	55	17	251
	F	27	63	70	79	34	2	275
	P	45	109	122	142	89	19	526
Nightcliff	M	121	402	687	512	293	71	2,086
	F	118	367	588	414	194	56	1,737
	P	239	769	1,275	926	487	127	3,823
Parap	M	35	125	283	245	126	63	877
	F	36	111	258	178	80	58	721
	P	71	236	541	423	206	121	1,598

**TABLE 2. ESTIMATED RESIDENTIAL POPULATION BY AGE AND SEX (a)**  
**DARWIN STATISTICAL DIVISION**  
**30 JUNE 1992 (final)**

Statistical Local Area	Sex	Age group (years)						Total
		0-4	5-19	20-34	35-49	50-64	65 plus	
<i>Darwin City (SSD) continued</i>								
Rapid Creek	M	91	296	528	386	166	48	1,515
	F	88	307	481	333	131	50	1,390
	P	179	603	1,009	719	297	98	2,905
Stuart Park	M	87	211	609	358	205	61	1,531
	F	80	199	462	281	119	36	1,177
	P	167	410	1,071	639	324	97	2,708
The Gardens	M	17	86	79	79	36	30	327
	F	14	98	79	68	23	38	320
	P	31	184	158	147	59	68	647
Tiwi	M	114	372	360	345	135	23	1,349
	F	101	346	422	354	75	19	1,317
	P	215	718	782	699	210	42	2,666
Wagaman	M	125	385	312	298	142	25	1,287
	F	99	284	333	302	97	29	1,144
	P	224	669	645	600	239	54	2,431
Wanguri	M	78	313	230	297	128	23	1,069
	F	61	335	224	320	112	23	1,075
	P	139	648	454	617	240	46	2,144
Winnellie	M	11	37	135	80	37	7	307
	F	17	14	111	29	19	8	198
	P	28	51	246	109	56	15	505
Wulagi	M	149	495	362	397	136	15	1,554
	F	137	413	401	391	103	15	1,460
	P	286	908	763	788	239	30	3,014
City-Remainder	M	111	262	524	221	39	10	1,167
	F	124	243	419	138	21	4	949
	P	235	505	943	359	60	14	2,116
<b>Total Darwin City (SSD)</b>	<i>M</i>	<b>2,845</b>	<b>8,260</b>	<b>10,518</b>	<b>9,081</b>	<b>3,820</b>	<b>1,023</b>	<b>35,547</b>
	<i>F</i>	<b>2,697</b>	<b>7,809</b>	<b>10,138</b>	<b>8,188</b>	<b>2,750</b>	<b>965</b>	<b>32,547</b>
	<i>P</i>	<b>5,542</b>	<b>16,069</b>	<b>20,656</b>	<b>17,269</b>	<b>6,570</b>	<b>1,988</b>	<b>68,094</b>
<i>Palmerston - East Arm (SSD)</i>								
Driver	M	148	301	298	264	77	15	1,103
	F	137	309	347	241	52	16	1,102
	P	285	610	645	505	129	31	2,205
Gray	M	201	353	308	265	108	29	1,264
	F	160	310	374	219	90	52	1,205
	P	361	663	682	484	198	81	2,469
Moulden	M	198	384	353	240	77	27	1,279
	F	193	386	425	235	52	21	1,312
	P	391	770	778	475	129	48	2,591
Woodroffe	M	84	199	205	142	46	22	698
	F	92	184	254	157	32	14	733
	P	176	383	459	299	78	36	1,431
Palmerston (T) Balance	M	8	15	32	21	19	10	105
	F	8	21	28	29	13	11	110
	P	16	36	60	50	32	21	215
East Arm	M	7	42	104	38	23	19	233
	F	7	27	56	17	5	16	128
	P	14	69	160	55	28	35	361
<b>Total Palmerston - East Arm (SSD)</b>	<i>M</i>	<b>646</b>	<b>1,294</b>	<b>1,300</b>	<b>970</b>	<b>350</b>	<b>122</b>	<b>4,682</b>
	<i>F</i>	<b>597</b>	<b>1,237</b>	<b>1,484</b>	<b>898</b>	<b>244</b>	<b>130</b>	<b>4,590</b>
	<i>P</i>	<b>1,243</b>	<b>2,531</b>	<b>2,784</b>	<b>1,868</b>	<b>594</b>	<b>252</b>	<b>9,272</b>
<b>DARWIN (SD)</b>	<i>M</i>	<b>3,491</b>	<b>9,554</b>	<b>11,818</b>	<b>10,051</b>	<b>4,170</b>	<b>1,145</b>	<b>40,229</b>
	<i>F</i>	<b>3,294</b>	<b>9,046</b>	<b>11,622</b>	<b>9,086</b>	<b>2,994</b>	<b>1,095</b>	<b>37,137</b>
	<i>P</i>	<b>6,785</b>	<b>18,600</b>	<b>23,440</b>	<b>19,137</b>	<b>7,164</b>	<b>2,240</b>	<b>77,366</b>

**TABLE 3. ESTIMATED RESIDENTIAL POPULATION BY AGE AND SEX (a)**  
**NORTHERN TERRITORY BALANCE STATISTICAL DIVISION**  
**30 JUNE 1992 (final)**

Statistical Local Area	Sex	Age group (years)						Total
		0-4	5-19	20-34	35-49	50-64	65 plus	
<i>Darwin Rural Areas (SSD)</i>								
Coomalie (CGC)	M	69	93	145	146	62	13	528
	F	63	114	148	92	37	17	471
	P	132	207	293	238	99	30	999
Cox-Finnis	M	33	63	67	51	34	9	257
	F	21	70	74	40	17	3	225
	P	54	133	141	91	51	12	482
Litchfield (S) Pt A	M	26	49	87	80	24	13	279
	F	22	53	68	56	16	4	219
	P	48	102	155	136	40	17	498
Litchfield (S) Pt B	M	466	1,208	1,220	1,524	661	181	5,260
	F	434	1,091	1,229	1,183	444	133	4,514
	P	900	2,299	2,449	2,707	1,105	314	9,774
<b>Total Darwin Rural Areas (SSD)</b>	<b>M</b>	<b>594</b>	<b>1,413</b>	<b>1,519</b>	<b>1,801</b>	<b>781</b>	<b>216</b>	<b>6,324</b>
	<b>F</b>	<b>540</b>	<b>1,328</b>	<b>1,519</b>	<b>1,371</b>	<b>514</b>	<b>157</b>	<b>5,429</b>
	<b>P</b>	<b>1,134</b>	<b>2,741</b>	<b>3,038</b>	<b>3,172</b>	<b>1,295</b>	<b>373</b>	<b>11,753</b>
<i>Bathurst-Melville (SSD)</i>								
Bathurst-Melville	M	94	323	289	178	66	19	969
	F	92	290	291	173	81	30	957
	P	186	613	580	351	147	49	1,926
<b>Total Bathurst-Melville (SSD)</b>	<b>M</b>	<b>94</b>	<b>323</b>	<b>289</b>	<b>178</b>	<b>66</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>969</b>
	<b>F</b>	<b>92</b>	<b>290</b>	<b>291</b>	<b>173</b>	<b>81</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>957</b>
	<b>P</b>	<b>186</b>	<b>613</b>	<b>580</b>	<b>351</b>	<b>147</b>	<b>49</b>	<b>1,926</b>
<i>Alligator (SSD)</i>								
Jabiru	M	104	169	260	209	39	13	794
	F	90	156	234	128	15	1	624
	P	194	325	494	337	54	14	1,418
South Alligator	M	25	61	144	85	25	8	348
	F	27	79	121	58	30	1	316
	P	52	140	265	143	55	9	664
West Arnhem	M	246	654	628	342	116	53	2,039
	F	222	633	570	260	129	49	1,863
	P	468	1,287	1,198	602	245	102	3,902
<b>Total Alligator (SSD)</b>	<b>M</b>	<b>375</b>	<b>884</b>	<b>1,032</b>	<b>636</b>	<b>180</b>	<b>74</b>	<b>3,181</b>
	<b>F</b>	<b>339</b>	<b>868</b>	<b>925</b>	<b>446</b>	<b>174</b>	<b>51</b>	<b>2,803</b>
	<b>P</b>	<b>714</b>	<b>1,752</b>	<b>1,957</b>	<b>1,082</b>	<b>354</b>	<b>125</b>	<b>5,984</b>
<i>Daly (SSD)</i>								
Daly	M	251	514	575	307	159	38	1,844
	F	250	541	499	235	92	55	1,672
	P	501	1,055	1,074	542	251	93	3,516
<b>Total Daly (SSD)</b>	<b>M</b>	<b>251</b>	<b>514</b>	<b>575</b>	<b>307</b>	<b>159</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>1,844</b>
	<b>F</b>	<b>250</b>	<b>541</b>	<b>499</b>	<b>235</b>	<b>92</b>	<b>55</b>	<b>1,672</b>
	<b>P</b>	<b>501</b>	<b>1,055</b>	<b>1,074</b>	<b>542</b>	<b>251</b>	<b>93</b>	<b>3,516</b>
<i>East Arnhem (SSD)</i>								
East Arnhem -Bal	M	338	1,075	690	440	169	41	2,753
	F	359	935	871	469	174	50	2,858
	P	697	2,010	1,561	909	343	91	5,611
Groote Eylandt	M	145	383	370	321	115	11	1,345
	F	160	362	394	247	67	15	1,245
	P	305	745	764	568	182	26	2,590
Nhulunbuy	M	241	551	555	664	158	20	2,189
	F	212	464	507	501	74	14	1,772
	P	453	1,015	1,062	1,165	232	34	3,961
<b>Total East Arnhem (SSD)</b>	<b>M</b>	<b>724</b>	<b>2,009</b>	<b>1,615</b>	<b>1,425</b>	<b>442</b>	<b>72</b>	<b>6,287</b>
	<b>F</b>	<b>731</b>	<b>1,761</b>	<b>1,772</b>	<b>1,217</b>	<b>315</b>	<b>79</b>	<b>5,875</b>
	<b>P</b>	<b>1,455</b>	<b>3,770</b>	<b>3,387</b>	<b>2,642</b>	<b>757</b>	<b>151</b>	<b>12,162</b>

**TABLE 3. ESTIMATED RESIDENTIAL POPULATION BY AGE AND SEX (a)  
NORTHERN TERRITORY BALANCE. STATISTICAL DIVISION**

**30 JUNE 1992 (final)**

Statistical Local Area	Sex	Age group (years)						Total
		0-4	5-19	20-34	35-49	50-64	65 plus	
<i>Lower Top End N.T. (SSD)</i>								
Elsley-Bal	M	86	178	310	186	86	15	861
	F	75	174	271	114	49	11	694
	P	161	352	581	300	135	26	1,555
Gulf	M	169	433	306	209	113	32	1,262
	F	150	393	371	152	79	30	1,175
	P	319	826	677	361	192	62	2,437
Katherine (T)	M	477	1,077	1,434	969	374	107	4,438
	F	488	952	1,296	814	225	83	3,858
	P	965	2,029	2,730	1,783	599	190	8,296
Victoria	M	158	434	415	209	127	41	1,384
	F	174	373	376	164	85	42	1,214
	P	332	807	791	373	212	83	2,598
<b>Total Lower Top End-NT (SSD)</b>	<i>M</i>	<b>890</b>	<b>2,122</b>	<b>2,465</b>	<b>1,573</b>	<b>700</b>	<b>195</b>	<b>7,945</b>
	<i>F</i>	<b>887</b>	<b>1,892</b>	<b>2,314</b>	<b>1,244</b>	<b>438</b>	<b>166</b>	<b>6,941</b>
	<i>P</i>	<b>1,777</b>	<b>4,014</b>	<b>4,779</b>	<b>2,817</b>	<b>1,138</b>	<b>361</b>	<b>14,886</b>
<i>Barkley (SSD)</i>								
Tableland	M	62	146	222	85	72	17	604
	F	42	125	142	66	35	7	417
	P	104	271	364	151	107	24	1,021
Tennant Creek	M	185	400	472	371	159	61	1,648
	F	195	380	476	345	119	52	1,567
	P	380	780	948	716	278	113	3,215
Tennant Creek-Bal	M	124	325	251	156	78	14	948
	F	79	266	234	146	51	23	799
	P	203	591	485	302	129	37	1,747
<b>Total Barkley (SSD)</b>	<i>M</i>	<b>371</b>	<b>871</b>	<b>945</b>	<b>612</b>	<b>309</b>	<b>92</b>	<b>3,200</b>
	<i>F</i>	<b>316</b>	<b>771</b>	<b>852</b>	<b>557</b>	<b>205</b>	<b>82</b>	<b>2,783</b>
	<i>P</i>	<b>687</b>	<b>1,642</b>	<b>1,797</b>	<b>1,169</b>	<b>514</b>	<b>174</b>	<b>5,983</b>
<i>Central NT (SSD)</i>								
Alice Springs (T)	M	1,261	2,985	3,725	2,941	1,152	343	12,407
	F	1,223	2,864	3,724	2,673	950	405	11,839
	P	2,484	5,849	7,449	5,614	2,102	748	24,246
Peterman	M	105	239	439	179	74	36	1,072
	F	112	199	449	142	59	30	991
	P	217	438	888	321	133	66	2,063
Sandover-Bal	M	112	359	334	179	102	36	1,122
	F	119	334	294	156	83	39	1,025
	P	231	693	628	335	185	75	2,147
Tanami	M	333	910	719	373	170	81	2,586
	F	276	879	770	406	226	82	2,639
	P	609	1,789	1,489	779	396	163	5,225
<b>Total Central NT (SSD)</b>	<i>M</i>	<b>1,811</b>	<b>4,493</b>	<b>5,217</b>	<b>3,672</b>	<b>1,498</b>	<b>496</b>	<b>17,187</b>
	<i>F</i>	<b>1,730</b>	<b>4,276</b>	<b>5,237</b>	<b>3,377</b>	<b>1,318</b>	<b>556</b>	<b>16,494</b>
	<i>P</i>	<b>3,541</b>	<b>8,769</b>	<b>10,454</b>	<b>7,049</b>	<b>2,816</b>	<b>1,052</b>	<b>33,681</b>
Off Shore Migratory	M	0	2	54	31	8	7	102
	F	0	0	24	12	2	6	44
	P	0	2	78	43	10	13	146
<b>NORTHERN TERRITORY BALANCE STATISTICAL DIVISION</b>	<i>M</i>	<b>5,110</b>	<b>12,631</b>	<b>13,711</b>	<b>10,235</b>	<b>4,143</b>	<b>1,209</b>	<b>47,039</b>
	<i>F</i>	<b>4,885</b>	<b>11,727</b>	<b>13,433</b>	<b>8,632</b>	<b>3,139</b>	<b>1,182</b>	<b>42,998</b>
	<i>P</i>	<b>9,995</b>	<b>24,358</b>	<b>27,144</b>	<b>18,867</b>	<b>7,282</b>	<b>2,391</b>	<b>90,037</b>
<b>TOTAL NORTHERN TERRITORY</b>	<i>M</i>	<b>8,601</b>	<b>22,185</b>	<b>25,529</b>	<b>20,286</b>	<b>8,313</b>	<b>2,354</b>	<b>87,268</b>
	<i>F</i>	<b>8,179</b>	<b>20,773</b>	<b>25,055</b>	<b>17,718</b>	<b>6,133</b>	<b>2,277</b>	<b>80,135</b>
	<i>P</i>	<b>17,742</b>	<b>42,896</b>	<b>50,391</b>	<b>37,567</b>	<b>14,067</b>	<b>4,740</b>	<b>167,403</b>

TABLE 2. ESTIMATED RESIDENTIAL POPULATION BY AGE AND SEX (a)  
 DARWIN STATISTICAL DIVISION  
 30 JUNE 1993 (preliminary)

Statistical Local Area	Sex	Age group (years)						Total
		0-4	5-19	20-34	35-49	50-64	65 plus	
<i>Darwin City (SSD)</i>								
Alawa	M	87	302	362	292	179	28	1,250
	F	86	300	304	306	141	18	1,155
	P	173	602	666	598	320	46	2,405
Anula	M	122	440	284	411	191	31	1,479
	F	144	433	318	449	150	30	1,524
	P	266	873	602	860	341	61	3,003
Brinkin	M	48	116	168	152	52	11	547
	F	37	122	184	128	45	2	518
	P	85	238	352	280	97	13	1,065
City-Inner	M	55	76	328	258	128	69	914
	F	41	66	259	117	64	49	596
	P	96	142	587	375	192	118	1,510
Coconut Grove	M	69	115	332	228	125	70	939
	F	71	139	338	201	91	72	912
	P	140	254	670	429	216	142	1,851
Fannie Bay	M	87	202	328	397	204	101	1,319
	F	76	237	336	359	170	87	1,265
	P	163	439	664	756	374	188	2,584
Jingili	M	69	304	296	290	151	27	1,137
	F	80	271	228	281	111	34	1,005
	P	149	575	524	571	262	61	2,142
Karama	M	316	736	700	719	196	57	2,724
	F	266	765	819	623	173	84	2,730
	P	582	1,501	1,519	1,342	369	141	5,454
Larrakeyah	M	69	203	510	337	95	65	1,279
	F	72	166	379	260	68	69	1,014
	P	141	369	889	597	163	134	2,293
Leanyer	M	276	614	709	730	173	29	2,531
	F	254	571	841	710	145	32	2,553
	P	530	1,185	1,550	1,440	318	61	5,084
Lee-Pt Leanyer Swamp	M	8	21	45	18	34	7	133
	F	9	21	38	22	15	1	106
	P	17	42	83	40	49	8	239
Ludmilla	M	94	205	312	272	128	33	1,044
	F	96	203	283	269	110	24	985
	P	190	408	595	541	238	57	2,029
Malak	M	191	573	448	456	187	52	1,907
	F	171	560	503	474	148	72	1,928
	P	362	1,133	951	930	335	124	3,835
Marrarra	M	70	170	344	251	123	15	973
	F	97	174	341	212	90	22	936
	P	167	344	685	463	213	37	1,909
Millner	M	123	290	400	334	169	50	1,366
	F	94	249	404	322	130	37	1,236
	P	217	539	804	656	299	87	2,602
Moiil	M	112	360	339	309	139	22	1,281
	F	101	287	311	313	102	21	1,135
	P	213	647	650	622	241	43	2,416
Nakara	M	91	355	257	315	135	19	1,172
	F	77	311	275	330	91	26	1,110
	P	168	666	532	645	226	45	2,282
Narrows	M	14	46	49	60	47	25	241
	F	30	61	71	79	31	3	275
	P	44	107	120	139	78	28	516
Nightcliff	M	142	391	654	488	296	79	2,050
	F	137	338	555	428	195	58	1,711
	P	279	729	1,209	916	491	137	3,761
Parap	M	44	121	269	237	123	64	858
	F	41	116	248	178	81	56	720
	P	85	237	517	415	204	120	1,578

**TABLE 2. ESTIMATED RESIDENTIAL POPULATION BY AGE AND SEX (a)**  
**DARWIN STATISTICAL DIVISION**  
**30 JUNE 1993 (preliminary)**

Statistical Local Area	Sex	Age group (years)						Total
		0-4	5-19	20-34	35-49	50-64	65 plus	
<i>Darwin City (SSD) continued</i>								
Rapid Creek	M	105	280	493	396	174	48	1,496
	F	97	275	488	337	118	58	1,373
	P	202	555	981	733	292	106	2,869
Stuart Park	M	98	197	617	344	219	61	1,536
	F	84	186	471	272	117	39	1,169
	P	182	383	1,088	616	336	100	2,705
The Gardens	M	17	82	89	87	45	31	351
	F	15	107	101	97	46	43	409
	P	32	189	190	184	91	74	760
Tivvi	M	112	372	339	330	141	28	1,322
	F	103	328	411	347	84	20	1,293
	P	215	700	750	677	225	48	2,615
Wagaman	M	127	383	308	280	142	31	1,271
	F	99	270	322	298	110	28	1,127
	P	226	653	630	578	252	59	2,398
Wanguri	M	82	297	222	278	141	23	1,043
	F	70	314	228	316	116	25	1,069
	P	152	611	450	594	257	48	2,112
Winnellie	M	13	36	132	75	32	7	295
	F	23	23	107	37	18	3	211
	P	36	59	239	112	50	10	506
Wulagi	M	140	490	331	380	150	17	1,508
	F	137	397	393	396	107	17	1,447
	P	277	887	724	776	257	34	2,955
City-Remainder	M	107	290	540	228	38	14	1,217
	F	121	265	438	149	22	7	1,002
	P	228	555	978	377	60	21	2,219
<b>Total Darwin City (SSD)</b>	M	2,888	8,067	10,205	8,952	3,957	1,114	35,183
	F	2,729	7,555	9,994	8,310	2,889	1,037	32,514
	P	5,617	15,622	20,199	17,262	6,846	2,151	67,697
<i>Palmerston - East Arm (SSD)</i>								
Driver	M	151	303	291	295	91	20	1,151
	F	139	321	349	275	66	18	1,168
	P	290	624	640	570	157	38	2,319
Gray	M	199	370	293	286	127	36	1,311
	F	170	317	368	249	107	54	1,265
	P	369	687	661	535	234	90	2,576
Moulden	M	204	422	381	255	81	37	1,380
	F	199	418	447	263	58	27	1,412
	P	403	840	828	518	139	64	2,792
Woodroffe	M	97	252	274	199	49	22	893
	F	113	252	337	249	29	16	996
	P	210	504	611	448	78	38	1,889
Palmerston (T) Balance	M	10	13	35	25	19	11	113
	F	9	26	32	35	16	15	133
	P	19	39	67	60	35	26	246
East Arm	M	5	44	101	37	21	21	229
	F	8	30	60	20	3	13	134
	P	13	74	161	57	24	34	363
<b>Total Palmerston - East Arm (SSD)</b>	M	666	1,404	1,375	1,097	388	147	5,077
	F	638	1,364	1,593	1,091	279	143	5,108
	P	1,304	2,768	2,968	2,188	667	290	10,185
<b>DARWIN (SD)</b>								
	M	3,554	9,471	11,580	10,049	4,345	1,261	40,260
	F	3,367	8,919	11,587	9,401	3,168	1,180	37,622
	P	6,921	18,390	23,167	19,450	7,513	2,441	77,882

**TABLE 3. ESTIMATED RESIDENTIAL POPULATION BY AGE AND SEX (a)  
NORTHERN TERRITORY BALANCE STATISTICAL DIVISION  
30 JUNE 1993 (preliminary)**

Statistical Local Area	Sex	Age group (years)						Total
		0-4	5-19	20-34	35-49	50-64	65 plus	
<i>Darwin Rural Areas (SSD)</i>								
Coomalie (CGC)	M	76	83	140	162	68	14	543
	F	61	109	150	104	44	15	483
	P	137	192	290	266	112	29	1,026
Cox-Finnis	M	30	65	73	56	33	12	269
	F	20	75	77	48	15	9	244
	P	50	140	150	104	48	21	513
Litchfield (S) Pt A	M	27	51	75	85	24	14	276
	F	24	52	71	64	13	2	226
	P	51	103	146	149	37	16	502
Litchfield (S) Pt B	M	475	1,254	1,300	1,654	697	202	5,582
	F	491	1,164	1,296	1,298	491	141	4,881
	P	966	2,418	2,596	2,952	1,188	343	10,463
<b>Total Darwin Rural Areas (SSD)</b>	M	608	1,453	1,588	1,957	822	242	6,670
	F	596	1,400	1,594	1,514	563	167	5,834
	P	1,204	2,853	3,182	3,471	1,385	409	12,504
<i>Bathurst-Melville (SSD)</i>								
Bathurst-Melville	M	102	313	290	181	74	18	978
	F	91	274	283	192	89	31	960
	P	193	587	573	373	163	49	1,938
<b>Total Bathurst-Melville (SSD)</b>	M	102	313	290	181	74	18	978
	F	91	274	283	192	89	31	960
	P	193	587	573	373	163	49	1,938
<i>Alligator (SSD)</i>								
Jahiru	M	100	173	244	199	40	17	773
	F	92	154	220	139	12	1	618
	P	192	327	464	338	52	18	1,391
South Alligator	M	26	53	147	89	26	11	352
	F	22	74	128	60	26	2	312
	P	48	127	275	149	52	13	664
West Arnhem	M	224	657	651	343	116	52	2,043
	F	219	610	586	279	125	52	1,871
	P	443	1,267	1,237	622	241	104	3,914
<b>Total Alligator (SSD)</b>	M	350	883	1,042	631	182	80	3,168
	F	333	838	934	478	163	55	2,801
	P	683	1,721	1,976	1,109	345	135	5,969
<i>Daly (SSD)</i>								
Daly	M	256	528	555	315	146	41	1,841
	F	263	539	490	236	97	60	1,685
	P	519	1,067	1,045	551	243	101	3,526
<b>Total Daly (SSD)</b>	M	256	528	555	315	146	41	1,841
	F	263	539	490	236	97	60	1,685
	P	519	1,067	1,045	551	243	101	3,526
<i>East Arnhem (SSD)</i>								
East Arnhem -Bal	M	337	1,081	693	452	164	39	2,766
	F	337	949	856	479	182	54	2,857
	P	674	2,030	1,549	931	346	93	5,623
Groote Eylandt	M	140	391	357	308	127	13	1,336
	F	166	359	385	243	72	20	1,245
	P	306	750	742	551	199	33	2,581
Nhulunbuy	M	217	552	524	662	176	21	2,152
	F	207	460	496	507	86	15	1,771
	P	424	1,012	1,020	1,169	262	36	3,923
<b>Total East Arnhem (SSD)</b>	M	694	2,024	1,574	1,422	467	73	6,254
	F	710	1,768	1,737	1,229	340	89	5,873
	P	1,404	3,792	3,311	2,651	807	162	12,127



**TABLE 3. ESTIMATED RESIDENTIAL POPULATION BY AGE AND SEX (a)  
NORTHERN TERRITORY BALANCE STATISTICAL DIVISION**

**30 JUNE 1993 (preliminary)**

Statistical Local Area	Sex	Age group (years)						Total
		0-4	5-19	20-34	35-49	50-64	65 plus	
<i>Lower Top End N.T. (SSD)</i>								
Elsey-Bal	M	88	180	293	192	94	15	862
	F	83	172	267	121	51	8	702
	P	171	352	560	313	145	23	1,564
Gulf	M	147	426	291	216	117	32	1,229
	F	154	385	354	160	84	31	1,168
	P	301	811	645	376	201	63	2,397
Katherine (T)	M	457	1,133	1,419	999	385	112	4,505
	F	496	971	1,319	871	237	93	3,987
	P	953	2,104	2,738	1,870	622	205	8,492
Victoria	M	157	436	415	205	127	45	1,385
	F	156	402	372	169	83	42	1,224
	P	313	838	787	374	210	87	2,609
<b>Total Lower Top End-NT (SSD)</b>	M	849	2,175	2,418	1,612	723	204	7,981
	F	889	1,930	2,312	1,321	455	174	7,081
	P	1,738	4,105	4,730	2,933	1,178	378	15,062
<i>Barkley (SSD)</i>								
Tableland	M	58	145	236	79	67	16	601
	F	34	120	155	47	38	8	402
	P	92	265	391	126	105	24	1,003
Tennant Creek	M	194	376	440	368	155	66	1,599
	F	185	376	454	349	120	57	1,541
	P	379	752	894	717	275	123	3,140
Tennant Creek-Bal	M	111	333	250	162	83	16	955
	F	82	255	227	154	55	20	793
	P	193	588	477	316	138	36	1,748
<b>Total Barkley (SSD)</b>	M	363	854	926	609	305	98	3,155
	F	301	751	836	550	213	85	2,736
	P	664	1,605	1,762	1,159	518	183	5,891
<i>Central NT (SSD)</i>								
Alice Springs (T)	M	1,274	3,012	3,684	3,042	1,244	341	12,597
	F	1,259	2,913	3,700	2,800	999	410	12,081
	P	2,533	5,925	7,384	5,842	2,243	751	24,678
Peterman	M	102	251	422	181	76	38	1,070
	F	116	220	442	150	58	33	1,019
	P	218	471	864	331	134	71	2,089
Sandover-Bal	M	121	343	356	182	100	35	1,137
	F	132	333	291	157	82	42	1,037
	P	253	676	647	339	182	77	2,174
Tanami	M	323	910	722	383	188	72	2,598
	F	260	880	782	418	239	82	2,661
	P	583	1,790	1,504	801	427	154	5,259
<b>Total Central NT (SSD)</b>	M	1,820	4,516	5,184	3,788	1,608	486	17,402
	F	1,767	4,346	5,215	3,525	1,378	567	16,798
	P	3,587	8,862	10,399	7,313	2,986	1,053	34,200
Off Shore Migratory	M	0	1	63	36	14	8	122
	F	0	0	40	27	2	8	77
	P	0	1	103	63	16	16	199
<b>NORTHERN TERRITORY BALANCE</b>								
STATISTICAL DIVISION	M	5,042	12,747	13,640	10,551	4,341	1,250	47,571
	F	4,950	11,846	13,441	9,072	3,300	1,236	43,845
	P	9,992	24,593	27,081	19,623	7,641	2,486	91,416
<b>TOTAL NORTHERN TERRITORY</b>								
	M	8,596	22,218	25,220	20,600	8,686	2,511	87,831
	F	8,317	20,765	25,028	18,473	6,468	2,416	81,467
	P	16,913	42,983	50,248	39,073	15,154	4,927	169,298

## Introduction

This publication contains estimates of the resident population by age and sex in statistical local areas (SLAs) in the Northern Territory for financial years 1992 and 1993.

2. The estimated resident population (ERP) is the official ABS estimate of the Australian population. The ERP for 30 June 1992 and 30 June 1993 is based on results of the Census of Population and Housing held on 6 August 1991, and numbers of births, deaths, and estimates of interstate and overseas migration.

3. The ERP is compiled according to the place of usual residence of the population. An explanation of the conceptual basis is given in the ABS Information Paper, *Population Estimates: An Outline of the New Conceptual Basis of ABS Population Estimates* (3216.0)

## Methodology for deriving ERP from Census for Total Northern Territory at Census date.

4. The figures at the census date were arrived at by:

- (a) adjusting the census counts (place of enumeration basis) to obtain counts on the basis of usual residence (census count, place of usual residence);
- (b) adjusting the census counts, place of usual residence, for census under-enumeration; and
- (c) adding to the adjusted census counts, place of usual residence, the number of Northern Territory residents temporarily overseas at the time of the census.

5. A survey is conducted after the census to measure under-enumeration during the census. Adjustments are calculated separately for the indigenous and non-indigenous components of the population. These adjustments are calculated from the result of the under-enumeration survey and other demographic measures. A more detailed explanation is available upon request.

## Total Northern Territory estimate backdated to 30 June 1991

6. The methods described in paragraphs 4 and 5 are used to derive the Territory figures for 6 August 1991. The figures for 30 June 1991 were derived by estimating the components of change between 1 July and 6 August and subtracting them from 6 August figures. See the *Appendix of Australian Demographic Statistics* (3101.0), December quarter 1992 for the data associated with the State and Territory adjustments.

## Total Northern Territory estimate in 1992 and 1993

7. The "components of change" for estimating growth between 30 June for any two years for State/Territory totals include numbers of births, deaths, estimates of interstate migration derived from Medicare data, and numbers of overseas migrants.

## Deriving estimates at SLA level

8. Estimates at SLA level detailed in this issue were derived from a model which apportions the Total Northern Territory ERP for 1991 according to changes in the Family Allowance records from the Department of Social Security, and ABS building survey data.

## Usual residence Not Stated

9. The place of usual residence was not stated in the 1991 Census for 12,575 people throughout the Northern Territory. These were distributed proportionately to all SLAs. In any previous census they were allocated to the SLA in which they spent census night. The effect on SLAs of the new allocation method is negligible. Further details are available on request.

## Revisions to 1986-96 ERP

10. As a result of a recently conducted review of NT ERPs the NT residential population for the 1991 Census was estimated to have been undercounted by 1,045 people over and above the adjustments already made for census undercounts. This additional adjustment has small implications for ERP right back to 1986. However, it was felt that there would be considerable inconvenience at this point in time to have users re-adjust their time series back to 1986. The undercount instead has been phased in over the 10 quarters since the Census as migration category jumpers, which results in a slightly overstating population increase. Phasing in finishes with (and includes) the December quarter 1993. The ERP back to 1986 and subsequent years will be fully revised to take account of both the above change in methodology and the intercensal discrepancy for each SLA (the latter occurs after every Census). The revisions will be available after the 1996 Census. Figures published in this document for ERP reflect the methodology and boundaries current at the time for the appropriate census.

## Geographic boundaries

11. The geographic areas used in this publication are defined in the *Australian Standard Geographic Classification Edition 2.1* (1216.0)

12. SLA boundaries used in determining the 1992 & 1993 ERP are those in existence at 30 June 1991.

## Related publications

13. Other publications which may be of interest include:

*Final Counts For Selected Areas: Northern Territory* (2801.7)

*Census Counts For Small Areas: Northern Territory* (2730.7)

*Australian Demographics Quarterly* (3101.0)

*Estimated Residential Population By Age And Sex: State and Territories Of Australia* (3201.0)

## Symbols

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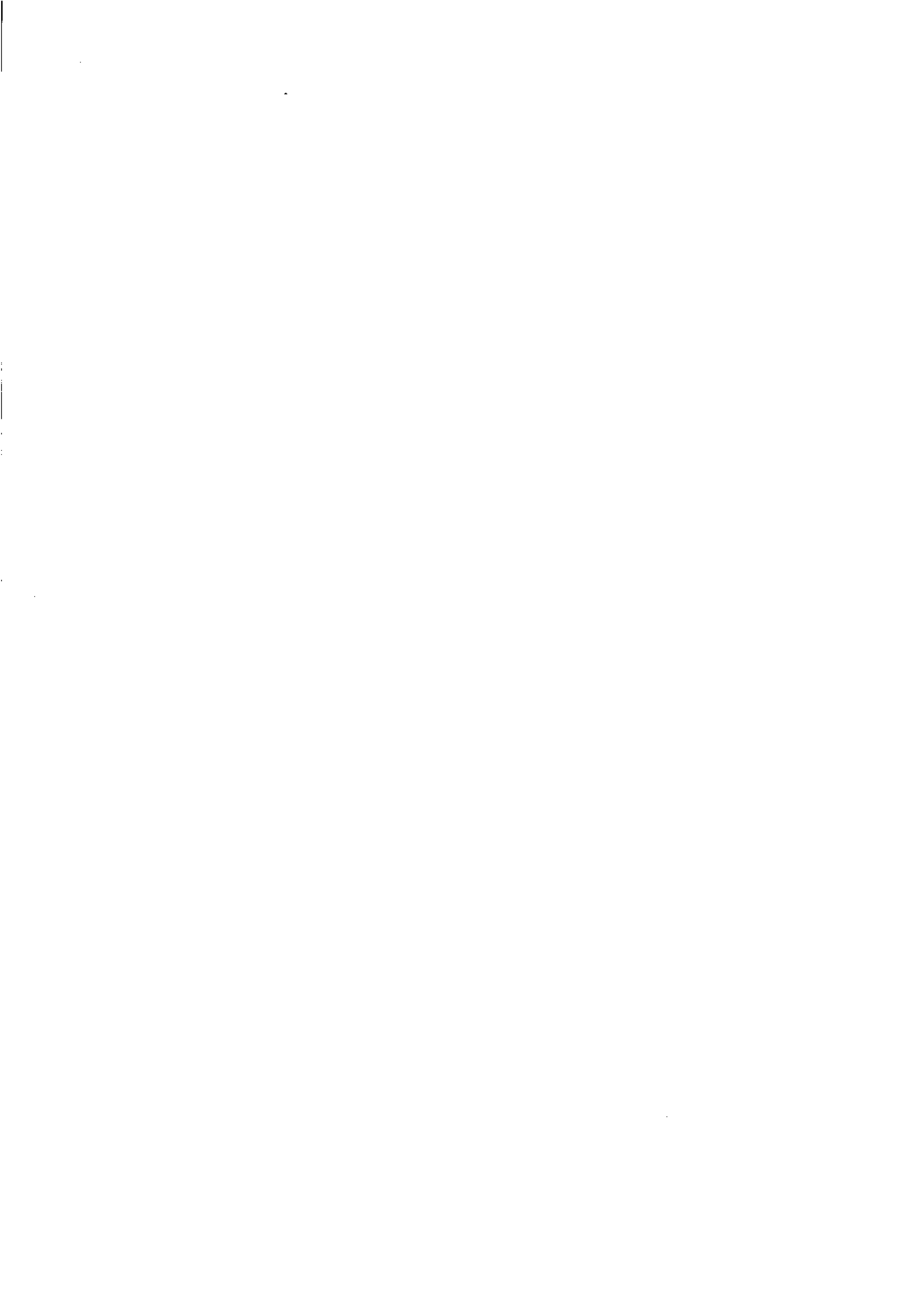
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# Statistical Local Areas

