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OVERSEAS ARRIVALS AND DEPARTURES, SEPTEMBER 1970

This publication provides summary statistics of overseas arrivals in and departures from Australia during the month of September 1970 and the three months ended September 1970 together with comparable statistics for earlier periods. More detailed statistics are published quarterly - see "Overseas Arrivals and Departures, June Quarter 1970" (Reference No. 4.1).

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EXPLANATORY NOTES

Permanent movement consists of persons arriving in Australia with the stated intention of settling permanently in Australia, and Australian residents departing with the stated intention of residing permanently abroad. Settlers are persons who, on arrival in Australia, indicated that they came intending to settle. Former settlers are persons who, on departure from Australia, stated that they had come to Australia intending to settle, had stayed for a period of twelve months or more, and were now departing permanently.

Long-term movement (which is distinct from permanent movement) consists of the arrival of visitors and the departure of Australian residents with the stated intention of staying (in Australia or in a country abroad, respectively) for twelve months or more and the departure of visitors and the return of Australian residents who have stayed (in Australia or in a country abroad, respectively) for twelve months or more.

Short-term movement consists of all other movements, including the movement of Australian troops irrespective of period of stay, and U.S. troops visiting Australia on rest and recreation leave. Table 5 includes seasonally adjusted figures for short-term visitors arriving in Australia.

TABLE 1. - OVERSEAS ARRIVALS AND DEPARTURES : ANNUAL AND MONTHLY TOTALS

Period	Total arrivals*	departures*	Excess of arrivals over departures*		
	Persons	Persons	Males	Females	Persons
Year ended June - 1969	836,397	709,972	68,952	57,473	126,425
1970	957,434	844,870	61,630	50,934	112,564
Year ended December -					
1968	771,792	658,739	61,484	51,569	113,053
1969	898,858	769,812	69,719	59,327	129,046
Three months ended September -					
1969	223,074	180,242	21,360	21,472	42,832
1970	257,300	209,952	22,551	24,797	47,348
1969 - August	74,177	68,679	2,976	2,522	5,498
September	79,983	55,102	11,815	13,066	24,881
October	81,231	61,882	9,722	9,627	19,349
November	77,448	61,234	7,613	8,601	16,214
December	88,290	85,289	1,059	1,942	3,001
1970 - January	96,737	80,600	8,849	7,288	16,137
February	78,995	65,672	8,340	4,983	13,323
March	84,944	75,571	6,037	3,336	9,373
April	72,580	75,065	-704	-1,781	-2,485
May	83,930	85,427	73	-1,570	-1,497
June	70,205	73,888	-719	-2,964	-3,683
July	78,019	65,758	6,433	5,828	12,261
August	88,175	81,237	3,091	3,847	6,938
September	91,106	62,957	13,027	15,122	28,149

* Includes U.S. troops visiting Australia on rest and recreation leave.

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

TABLE 2. - OVERSEAS ARRIVALS AND DEPARTURES : BY CATEGORY OF TRAVELLER

(Persons)						
Category of traveller	Year ended June		Three months ended September		Month of September	
	1969	1970	1969	1970	1969	1970
ARRIVALS						
Permanent movement - Settlers	175,657	185,099	43,888	42,244	14,774	14,365
Long-term movement - Australian residents	37,376	38,711	9,222	10,029	3,518	3,786
Overseas visitors	24,442	29,842	6,583	7,192	2,288	2,507
Total perm. and long-term	237,475	253,652	59,693	59,465	20,580	20,658
Short-term movement - Australian residents	266,797	314,591	79,321	103,034	31,342	39,863
Overseas visitors*	332,125	389,191	84,060	94,801	28,061	30,585
<u>TOTAL ARRIVALS*</u>	836,397	957,434	223,074	257,300	79,983	91,106
DEPARTURES						
Permanent movement - Former settlers	23,537	26,082	7,233	6,627	2,143	2,275
Other residents	8,141	10,000	2,309	2,413	686	771
<u>Total permanent</u>	31,678	36,082	9,542	9,040	2,829	3,046
Long-term movement - Australian residents	53,296	63,454	15,207	15,783	4,040	4,479
Overseas visitors	13,817	17,414	3,808	4,565	1,156	1,287
Total perm. and long-term	98,791	116,950	28,557	29,388	8,025	8,812
Short-term movement - Australian residents	266,268	322,420	65,377	82,339	17,072	20,465
Overseas visitors*	344,913	405,500	86,308	98,225	30,005	33,680
<u>TOTAL DEPARTURES*</u>	709,972	844,870	180,242	209,952	55,102	62,957

* Includes U.S. troops visiting Australia on rest and recreation leave.

TABLE 3. - OVERSEAS ARRIVALS AND DEPARTURES BY MONTH PERMANENT MOVEMENT

(Persons)						
Month	Arrivals	Departures			Excess of arrivals over departures	
	Settlers	Former settlers	Other Australian residents	Total	Settlers	Total
1969 - August	12,917	2,896	900	3,796	10,021	9,121
September	14,774	2,143	686	2,829	12,631	11,945
October	16,129	2,478	762	3,240	13,651	12,889
November	14,374	1,697	683	2,380	12,677	11,994
December	17,027	2,753	969	3,722	14,274	13,305
1970 - January	13,444	2,597	1,063	3,660	10,847	9,784
February	13,617	1,410	881	2,291	12,207	11,326
March	18,947	1,808	766	2,574	17,139	16,373
April	15,367	1,978	854	2,832	13,389	12,535
May	18,482	2,306	927	3,233	16,176	15,249
June	13,824	1,822	786	2,608	12,002	11,216
July	14,488	1,362	667	2,029	13,126	12,459
August	13,391	2,990	975	3,965	10,401	9,426
September	14,365	2,275	771	3,046	12,090	11,319

TABLE 4. - OVERSEAS ARRIVALS AND DEPARTURES BY MONTH LONG-TERM MOVEMENT

(Persons)

Month	Arrivals		Departures		Excess of arrivals over departures	
	Australian residents returning	Overseas visitors	Australian residents	Overseas visitors	Australian residents	Overseas visitors
1969 - August	3,072	2,155	6,493	1,334	-3,421	821
September	3,518	2,288	4,040	1,156	-522	1,132
October	3,396	2,300	5,745	1,290	-2,349	1,010
November	3,003	1,802	3,645	1,163	-642	639
December	5,095	2,151	5,500	1,953	-405	198
1970 - January	3,894	4,156	7,390	1,534	-3,496	2,622
February	3,097	3,473	4,246	1,350	-1,149	2,123
March	3,071	2,485	5,194	1,525	-2,123	960
April	2,393	2,090	4,911	1,522	-2,518	568
May	2,990	2,602	5,902	1,689	-2,912	913
June	2,550	2,200	5,714	1,580	-3,164	620
July	2,994	2,293	4,983	1,556	-1,989	737
August	3,249	2,392	6,321	1,722	-3,072	670
September	3,786	2,507	4,479	1,287	-693	1,220

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

TABLE 5. - OVERSEAS ARRIVALS AND DEPARTURES BY MONTH SHORT-TERM MOVEMENT

(Persons)

Month	Arrivals			Departures		Excess of arrivals over departures	
	Australian residents returning	Overseas visitors*		Australian residents	Overseas visitors*	Australian residents	Overseas visitors
		Number recorded	Seasonally adjusted				
1969 - August	25,688	30,345	30,564	26,035	31,021	-347	-676
September	31,342	28,061	30,542	17,072	30,005	14,270	-1,944
October	27,388	32,018	30,261	20,816	30,791	6,572	1,227
November	23,555	34,714	32,514	19,025	35,021	4,530	-307
December	21,053	42,964	31,947	41,554	32,560	-20,501	10,404
1970 - January	41,631	33,612	33,023	23,717	44,299	17,914	-10,687
February	23,829	34,979	33,955	20,356	37,429	3,473	-2,450
March	24,450	35,991	33,398	29,446	36,832	-4,996	-841
April	21,879	30,851	33,522	30,058	35,742	-8,179	-4,891
May	27,122	32,734	34,437	37,714	36,889	-10,592	-4,155
June	24,363	27,268	34,524	34,357	29,629	-9,994	-2,361
July	28,740	29,504	37,248	28,244	28,946	496	558
August	34,431	34,712	35,818	33,630	35,599	801	-887
September	39,863	30,585	32,299	20,465	33,680	19,398	-3,095

* Includes U.S. troops visiting Australia on rest and recreation leave.

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

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TABLE 6. - OVERSEAS ARRIVALS : SETTLERS ARRIVING BY NATIONALITY AND BY OCCUPATION

(Persons)

	Year ended June		Three months ended September		Month of September	
	1969	1970	1969	1970	1969	1970
Nationality -						
British : Country of citizenship -						
Ceylon, India, Pakistan	3,743	4,129	953	910	348	303
New Zealand	6,475	5,267	1,407	1,060	464	342
United Kingdom and Colonies	78,801	73,422	14,634	14,716	4,603	5,199
Other	8,110	9,124	2,058	2,467	759	875
Citizenship not stated	5,424	5,941	1,463	1,321	445	362
<u>Total British</u>	102,553	97,883	20,515	20,474	6,619	7,081
American (U.S.)	3,190	3,591	1,107	1,365	557	502
Dutch	3,068	2,997	873	613	213	187
German	2,996	3,729	991	789	289	231
Greek	11,738	10,952	3,546	2,543	972	1,130
Italian	13,829	10,598	2,960	2,115	1,100	771
Lebanese	2,872	4,006	973	909	431	255
Turkish	2,204	3,785	1,092	1,599	359	362
Yugoslav	12,733	26,209	5,564	7,255	1,789	2,246
Other	20,474	21,349	6,267	4,582	2,445	1,600
Occupation -						
Professional, technical and related workers -						
Professional engineers	1,258	1,292	279	314	111	113
Scientists	539	583	156	163	61	60
Medical practitioners	285	290	62	68	27	22
Teachers (incl. university, school, pre-school)	1,703	1,873	488	600	188	245
Other professional, technical and related workers	6,105	5,982	1,455	1,326	540	497
<u>Total professional etc.</u>	9,890	10,020	2,440	2,471	927	937
Administrative, executive and managerial workers	3,289	3,568	788	739	254	263
Clerical and sales workers	12,822	12,748	2,831	2,644	1,012	942
Farmers, fishermen, hunters, timber-getters and related workers	2,213	2,006	537	341	189	113
Miners, quarrymen and related workers	407	311	67	70	23	20
Workers in transport and communication	4,649	4,137	905	834	279	309
Craftsmen and production-process workers -						
Engineering	9,601	9,165	2,227	1,843	779	660
Building and construction workers	4,247	4,371	1,042	887	359	312
Other	22,094	28,305	6,716	6,408	2,276	2,105
<u>Total craftsmen etc.</u>	35,942	41,841	9,985	9,138	3,414	3,077
Service, sport and recreation workers	7,297	7,130	1,652	1,607	524	584
Occupation inadequately described or not stated	5,459	4,119	1,043	994	370	306
Not in the labour force	93,689	99,219	23,640	23,406	7,782	7,814
<u>TOTAL SETTLERS ARRIVING</u>	175,657	185,099	43,888	42,244	14,774	14,365

TABLE 7. - OVERSEAS DEPARTURES

AUSTRALIAN RESIDENTS DEPARTING PERMANENTLY (a) BY COUNTRY OF BIRTH AND BY OCCUPATION
(Persons)

	Year ended June		Three months ended September		Month of September	
	1969	1970	1969	1970	1969	1970
<u>Country of birth -</u>						
Africa	323	365	87	73	18	33
America - U.S. America	1,022	1,076	301	273	89	80
Other	368	456	109	134	44	32
Asia	688	709	151	198	47	63
Europe - Germany	850	1,040	269	256	72	70
Greece	512	537	131	140	47	65
Italy	660	802	221	226	61	103
Malta	465	483	155	137	29	67
Netherlands	683	950	226	265	62	99
U.K. and Ireland	15,757	16,238	4,807	4,031	1,437	1,349
Yugoslavia	413	539	143	139	36	54
Other	1,326	1,892	458	499	139	153
Oceania - Australia	7,182	8,828	2,072	2,133	615	693
New Zealand	1,268	1,992	374	491	129	175
Other	98	77	21	23	1	5
At sea and not stated	63	98	17	22	3	5
<u>Occupation -</u>						
Professional, technical and related workers -						
Professional engineers	236	245	66	66	17	27
Scientists	203	214	55	69	13	26
Medical practitioners	104	86	16	21	1	7
Teachers (incl. university, school, pre-school)	666	693	193	189	37	57
Other professional, technical and related workers	1,733	1,966	459	493	143	168
<u>Total professional etc.</u>	<u>2,942</u>	<u>3,204</u>	<u>789</u>	<u>838</u>	<u>211</u>	<u>285</u>
Administrative, executive and managerial workers	753	1,050	233	262	61	92
Clerical and sales workers	3,084	3,723	872	964	252	319
Farmers, fishermen, hunters, timber-getters and related workers	296	299	72	79	23	25
Miners, quarrymen and related workers	106	133	35	25	13	7
Workers in transport and communication	642	797	173	191	55	67
Craftsmen and production-process workers -						
Engineering	1,679	2,020	487	503	152	154
Building and construction workers	553	653	168	149	50	51
Other	3,406	3,904	1,059	915	313	317
<u>Total craftsmen etc.</u>	<u>5,638</u>	<u>6,577</u>	<u>1,714</u>	<u>1,567</u>	<u>515</u>	<u>522</u>
Service, sport and recreation workers	870	1,004	257	249	81	87
Occupation inadequately described or not stated	345	412	96	99	33	32
Not in the labour force	17,002	18,883	5,301	4,766	1,585	1,610
<u>TOTAL AUSTRALIAN RESIDENTS DEPARTING PERMANENTLY</u>	<u>31,678</u>	<u>36,082</u>	<u>9,542</u>	<u>9,040</u>	<u>2,829</u>	<u>3,046</u>

(a) Including former settlers.

TABLE 8. - OVERSEAS ARRIVALS : SHORT-TERM MOVEMENT - VISITORS ARRIVING*
BY SEX, MODE OF TRANSPORT, INTENDED LENGTH OF STAY, STATED
PURPOSE OF JOURNEY AND COUNTRY OF RESIDENCE

	Year ended June		Three months ended September		Month of September	
	1969	1970	1969	1970	1969	1970
Sex -						
Males*	228,713	262,246	58,237	63,756	19,363	20,710
Females*	103,412	126,945	25,823	31,045	8,698	9,875
Mode of transport -						
Sea	19,429	17,317	3,251	2,610	1,468	1,018
Air*	312,696	371,874	80,809	92,191	26,593	29,567
Intended length of stay -						
Under 1 week*	133,202	152,445	35,527	38,427	11,610	12,527
1 week and under 2 weeks	41,720	50,862	10,992	13,418	3,980	4,392
2 weeks and under 1 month	60,866	67,332	14,676	16,285	4,513	4,513
1 month and under 6 months	67,845	80,252	15,734	17,308	5,425	5,948
6 months and under 12 months	13,907	15,738	2,723	2,756	1,009	997
Indefinite, not stated, etc.	14,585	22,562	4,408	6,607	1,524	2,208
Stated purpose of journey -						
In transit	39,767	49,193	10,595	15,054	3,541	4,827
Business	49,987	58,849	12,724	14,740	4,724	5,244
Holiday*	214,545	250,464	53,513	56,496	17,283	17,583
Education	9,730	10,907	2,606	2,976	967	1,103
Other and not stated	18,096	19,778	4,622	5,535	1,546	1,828
Country of residence -						
Africa	5,429	6,879	1,300	1,867	541	680
America - Canada	6,646	8,858	1,393	2,028	433	587
U.S. America	43,716	55,135	11,252	14,667	3,772	4,577
Other	1,663	2,098	428	728	179	205
Asia - Hong Kong	4,111	5,115	1,067	1,477	293	491
Malaysia & Singapore	10,918	10,319	1,956	2,074	730	706
Japan	7,464	10,152	2,235	2,911	679	948
Other*	90,293	99,327	24,139	22,240	7,673	7,286
Europe - U.K. and Ireland	31,673	36,520	6,656	7,227	2,601	2,934
Germany	3,589	4,769	878	1,012	312	368
Netherlands	3,768	4,096	521	711	252	278
Other	11,023	13,480	2,717	3,638	825	1,149
Oceania - Fiji	3,390	4,180	781	926	283	326
New Zealand	76,691	90,694	21,816	25,221	6,966	7,210
Papua and New Guinea	23,500	27,349	4,826	5,696	1,967	2,031
Other	8,251	10,220	2,095	2,378	555	809
TOTAL VISITORS ARRIVING SHORT-TERM*	332,125	389,191	84,060	94,801	28,061	30,585

* Includes U.S. troops visiting Australia on rest and recreation leave.

**TABLE 9. - OVERSEAS DEPARTURES : SHORT-TERM MOVEMENT - AUSTRALIAN RESIDENTS DEPARTING
BY SEX, MODE OF TRANSPORT, INTENDED LENGTH OF STAY, STATED PURPOSE OF JOURNEY
AND COUNTRY OF DISEMBARKATION**

	Year ended June		Three months ended September		Month of September	
	1969	1970	1969	1970	1969	1970
Sex -						
Males	152,238	183,789	38,773	48,287	11,062	13,070
Females	114,030	138,631	26,604	34,052	6,010	7,395
Mode of transport -						
Sea	48,317	50,085	8,534	8,571	1,998	2,221
Air	217,951	272,335	56,843	73,768	15,074	18,244
Intended length of stay -						
Under 1 week	11,319	14,484	3,104	4,463	1,060	1,533
1 week and under 2 weeks	28,299	33,908	8,142	10,480	2,318	2,804
2 weeks and under 1 month	69,838	85,466	16,925	20,841	4,186	4,754
1 month and under 6 months	99,311	117,335	22,642	29,865	5,271	6,487
6 months and under 12 months	26,172	30,473	5,494	6,252	1,264	1,763
Indefinite, not stated, etc.	31,329	40,754	9,070	10,438	2,973	3,124
Stated purpose of journey -						
Business	50,889	60,329	14,090	18,286	4,786	5,921
Holiday	181,434	220,507	41,451	52,958	8,984	11,328
Education	4,011	5,238	1,191	1,776	324	276
Other and not stated	29,934	36,346	8,645	9,319	2,978	2,940
Country of disembarkation -						
Africa	3,816	5,681	1,514	1,170	474	372
America-U.S.A.-excl.-Hawaii	10,347	12,613	2,807	3,708	733	861
Hawaii	10,346	13,287	2,730	4,013	615	1,008
Other	3,544	3,664	1,184	1,063	136	95
Asia -Hong Kong	14,167	17,265	3,171	4,775	917	1,148
Malaysia and Singapore	27,677	33,789	6,583	10,097	2,036	2,088
Japan	8,329	10,019	1,224	2,063	336	309
Philippines	3,536	4,312	800	1,093	281	209
Other	23,014	28,705	6,193	6,886	2,014	2,079
Europe -U.K. and Ireland	20,377	23,162	3,883	5,589	839	1,190
Greece	4,493	5,246	1,040	1,561	227	344
Italy	14,729	17,296	3,596	4,635	577	1,098
Other	7,321	11,501	2,018	2,011	301	534
Oceania-Fiji	16,010	20,911	5,553	6,854	1,213	1,731
New Zealand	65,862	75,525	12,778	14,765	3,820	3,954
Papua and New Guinea	18,927	23,738	6,804	8,177	1,513	2,334
Other	13,773	15,706	3,499	3,879	1,040	1,111
TOTAL RESIDENTS DEPARTING SHORT-TERM	266,268	322,420	65,377	82,339	17,072	20,465

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