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## MAIN FEATURES (September quarter 1994)

### **Short-term movement - Overseas visitors**

There were 800,400 short-term overseas visitor arrivals to Australia, an increase of 13 per cent compared with the September quarter 1993 (708,600).

The main source countries for visitor arrivals in September quarter 1994 were: Japan (23% of total), New Zealand (19%), the United States of America and the United Kingdom (both 8%). These four countries accounted for 57 per cent of the total visitor arrivals compared with 62 per cent in September quarter 1993 and 65 per cent in September quarter 1992.

The main purpose of journey reported by visitors arriving was 'Holiday' (63%) followed by 'Visiting friends/relatives' (16%) and 'Business or employment' (11%).

The age group with the greatest number of visitor arrivals was 25 to 34 years with 167,700 (21% of total) followed by the 35 to 44 year age group with 154,500 (19%).

All visitors were asked, on completion of their visit to Australia, to report the State or Territory in which they spent most time. Forty-five per cent reported New South Wales, 31 per cent Queensland, 10 per cent Victoria and 9 per cent Western Australia. These figures are similar to those recorded for September quarter 1993.

Of those visitors who reported spending most time in New South Wales, 15 per cent stayed for one month or more. Twenty-seven per cent of visitors to Victoria, and 15 per cent of visitors to Queensland also stayed for one month or more.

### **Short-term movement - Australian residents**

The number of short-term resident departures (640,400) was similar to the number recorded for September quarter 1993 (614,700).

The main destinations of Australian residents departing short-term were: New Zealand (14% of total), the United Kingdom and the United States of America (both 12%), Indonesia (10%) and Hong Kong (5%).

In the September quarter 1994, 52 per cent (compared with 54% in September quarter 1993) of short-term resident departures were for the purpose of 'Holiday', 21 per cent for 'Visiting friends/relatives' (20%) and 18% 'Business or employment' (18%).

Twenty-one per cent of all short-term Australian resident departures were in the 35 to 44 year age group, followed by a further 21 per cent aged 45 to 54 and 19 per cent aged 25 to 34 years.

Australian residents who intended to stay abroad for less than one month accounted for 62 per cent of all short-term resident departures during September quarter 1994, with a further 18 per cent intending to stay for one month and less than two months.

### **Permanent and long-term movement**

The number of permanent and long-term arrivals (58,080) increased by 18 per cent, while permanent and long-term departures (33,070) remained unchanged compared with September quarter 1993. The excess of permanent and long-term arrivals over permanent and long-term departures was 25,010, which is 53 per cent higher than the net gain of 16,330 for September quarter 1993.

The major countries of intended residence recorded for permanent and long-term departures were the United Kingdom (5,940 or 18% of total), the United States of America (3,410 or 10%), New Zealand (3,350 or 10%) and Hong Kong (2,470 or 7%). These countries accounted for 46 per cent of all destinations for permanent and long-term departures.

There were 22,370 permanent (settler) arrivals, 28 per cent more than the 17,530 settler arrivals in September quarter 1993. Increased settler arrivals were recorded for persons born in the United Kingdom (an increase of 640 or 30% over September quarter 1993), New Zealand (580 or 37%), South Africa (400 or 167%), Cambodia (310 or 282%) and Sri Lanka (290 or 78%), while a decrease was recorded for Viet Nam (down 290 or 18% from September quarter 1993).

The major source countries for settlers were the United Kingdom (with 12% of all settler arrivals), New Zealand (10%), Viet Nam (6%) and the Philippines, Hong Kong and China (all 5%).

There were 6,450 permanent departures, 5 per cent down from September quarter 1993 (6,800).

### **Break in series: changes to 'Purpose of journey'**

September 1994 marked the introduction of new passenger cards and represents a break in statistical series for overseas arrival and departure statistics classified by 'Purpose of journey'. Care should be exercised when interpreting purpose of journey data for September quarter 1994 which is based on two different questions asked of short-term travellers (See paragraphs 3, 4 and 17 of the Explanatory Notes for details).

**Note:** December quarter 1994 will be the final issue of *Overseas Arrivals and Departures, Australia, Catalogue No. 3402.0*. Clients requiring quarterly short-term arrival and departure data are referred to the quarterly publication *Tourism Indicators, Catalogue No. 8634.0* and the monthly publication *Overseas Arrivals and Departures, Australia, Catalogue No. 3401.0*. For further information ring Information Inquiries (1800) 620 085.

**TABLE 1. TOTAL MOVEMENT (a) — ARRIVALS  
CATEGORY OF MOVEMENT**

Period	Permanent movement Settlers	Long-term movement		Total permanent and long-term	Short-term movement (a)		Total arrivals (a)
		Australian residents	Overseas visitors		Australian residents	Overseas visitors	
<i>Year ended 31 December —</i>							
1991	116,650	61,260	59,330	237,230	2,009,700	2,370,400	4,617,300
1992	94,250	66,160	60,050	220,450	2,166,300	2,603,300	4,990,100
1993	65,680	73,430	58,830	197,930	2,215,200	2,996,200	5,409,300
<i>Year ended 30 June —</i>							
1992	107,390	62,920	63,860	234,170	2,072,400	2,519,700	4,826,300
1993	76,330	69,590	57,840	203,770	2,218,500	2,785,600	5,207,800
1994	69,770	75,600	62,000	207,370	2,245,600	3,169,000	5,621,900
<i>1992 —</i>							
September qtr	23,310	15,540	13,520	52,370	613,400	608,400	1,274,100
December qtr	21,940	22,570	9,140	53,650	546,500	786,800	1,386,900
<i>1993 —</i>							
March qtr	15,910	17,470	25,910	59,290	578,700	746,200	1,384,200
June qtr	15,160	14,010	9,280	38,450	479,900	644,300	1,162,700
September qtr	17,530	17,740	14,060	49,330	610,900	708,600	1,368,800
December qtr	17,070	24,210	9,580	50,860	545,600	897,200	1,493,700
<i>1994 —</i>							
March qtr	16,810	18,980	27,690	63,480	592,800	862,200	1,518,500
June qtr	18,360	14,670	10,670	43,700	496,200	701,000	1,240,900
September qtr	22,370	19,160	16,550	58,080	646,000	800,400	1,504,500

(a) Figures for short-term movement are based on a sample and are subject to sampling error. See paragraph 18 of the Explanatory Notes for more detail.

**TABLE 2. TOTAL MOVEMENT (a) — DEPARTURES  
CATEGORY OF MOVEMENT**

Period	Permanent movement			Long-term movement		Total permanent and long-term	Short-term movement (a)		Total departures (a)
	Former settlers	Other residents	Total permanent	Australian residents	Overseas visitors		Australian residents	Overseas visitors	
<i>Year ended 31 December —</i>									
1991	15,870	14,030	29,900	66,130	47,680	143,710	2,099,400	2,350,800	4,593,900
1992	14,040	14,090	28,140	66,980	48,540	143,660	2,276,300	2,533,500	4,953,400
1993	13,280	14,800	28,070	64,300	48,050	140,430	2,267,100	2,931,000	5,338,500
<i>Year ended 30 June —</i>									
1992	15,180	13,940	29,120	67,190	47,970	144,280	2,173,500	2,473,700	4,791,400
1993	13,350	14,560	27,910	65,450	47,740	141,100	2,299,500	2,730,700	5,171,300
1994	12,870	14,410	27,280	64,790	47,920	139,990	2,304,000	3,118,900	5,562,900
<i>1992 —</i>									
September qtr	3,280	3,290	6,580	16,510	10,150	33,240	632,700	587,100	1,253,000
December qtr	3,320	3,510	6,830	13,920	16,940	37,690	613,200	678,600	1,329,500
<i>1993 —</i>									
March qtr	3,390	4,270	7,670	20,150	10,970	38,790	460,300	786,900	1,286,000
June qtr	3,350	3,480	6,830	14,870	9,690	31,380	593,400	678,100	1,302,800
September qtr	3,250	3,550	6,800	15,720	10,470	33,000	614,700	674,600	1,322,300
December qtr	3,280	3,490	6,770	13,560	16,930	37,260	598,800	791,400	1,427,400
<i>1994 —</i>									
March qtr	3,180	4,020	7,200	19,890	10,670	37,760	492,100	908,700	1,438,600
June qtr	3,160	3,350	6,510	15,610	9,860	31,970	598,400	744,200	1,374,600
September qtr	3,130	3,320	6,450	16,660	9,960	33,070	640,400	773,800	1,447,300

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**TABLE 3. TOTAL MOVEMENT (a) — ARRIVALS AND DEPARTURES  
STATE OR TERRITORY OF CLEARANCE**

Period	State or Territory of clearance								
	NSW	Vic.	Old	SA	WA	Tas.	NT	ACT	Australia
ARRIVALS									
<i>Year ended 31 December —</i>									
1991	2,166,900	935,300	893,200	110,000	452,800	8,200	50,100	800	4,617,300
1992	2,314,000	968,400	1,037,600	116,500	496,200	5,600	51,100	600	4,990,100
1993	2,444,700	1,001,100	1,218,400	122,200	553,600	6,500	61,900	900	5,409,300
<i>Year ended 30 June —</i>									
1992	2,267,200	973,400	957,000	111,000	461,000	4,900	51,100	700	4,826,300
1993	2,377,400	986,300	1,131,800	120,900	531,000	6,500	53,300	700	5,207,800
1994	2,557,200	1,012,900	1,269,400	120,400	584,900	7,600	68,800	700	5,621,900
<i>1992 —</i>									
September qtr	586,700	245,600	266,100	30,700	129,100	1,000	14,700	100	1,274,100
December qtr	632,600	262,400	297,600	33,700	145,600	2,100	12,900	—	1,386,900
<i>1993 —</i>									
March qtr	641,900	265,900	287,200	32,300	142,300	2,200	12,200	200	1,384,200
June qtr	516,200	212,400	280,900	24,200	114,000	1,100	13,400	300	1,162,700
September qtr	616,200	250,600	311,700	32,300	138,500	900	18,400	200	1,368,800
December qtr	670,500	272,100	338,600	33,400	158,800	2,200	17,900	200	1,493,700
<i>1994 —</i>									
March qtr	700,000	279,300	328,100	32,000	159,300	3,500	16,100	100	1,518,500
June qtr	570,600	210,800	290,900	22,800	128,300	900	16,400	200	1,240,900
September qtr	698,100	256,500	336,200	30,000	156,900	800	25,900	—	1,504,500
DEPARTURES									
<i>Year ended 31 December —</i>									
1991	2,236,100	908,600	843,900	106,300	440,000	5,800	52,600	700	4,593,900
1992	2,407,600	947,000	952,500	111,600	481,200	5,400	47,800	400	4,953,400
1993	2,526,800	982,500	1,131,200	112,600	523,300	4,900	56,700	500	5,338,500
<i>Year ended 30 June —</i>									
1992	2,337,500	947,100	900,300	106,500	447,200	4,300	48,000	400	4,791,400
1993	2,478,600	966,700	1,046,100	113,500	508,100	5,600	52,400	300	5,171,300
1994	2,666,100	987,500	1,166,700	115,400	557,500	4,500	64,600	700	5,562,900
<i>1992 —</i>									
September qtr	603,500	229,700	254,200	28,300	122,400	1,100	13,600	200	1,253,000
December qtr	638,900	252,700	259,400	29,600	133,900	2,200	12,700	—	1,329,500
<i>1993 —</i>									
March qtr	620,900	238,200	265,000	26,700	123,400	1,400	10,200	100	1,286,000
June qtr	615,300	246,100	267,400	28,800	128,400	900	15,900	—	1,302,800
September qtr	618,000	240,000	295,300	28,800	124,300	900	14,800	200	1,322,300
December qtr	672,600	258,200	303,500	28,300	147,200	1,700	15,800	100	1,427,400
<i>1994 —</i>									
March qtr	705,200	248,100	296,500	29,600	143,200	1,500	14,400	100	1,438,600
June qtr	670,300	241,200	271,300	28,700	142,800	400	19,600	200	1,374,600
September qtr	705,200	238,500	306,900	27,000	148,300	600	20,500	200	1,447,300

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TABLE 4. SHORT-TERM MOVEMENT (a) --- DEPARTURES OF OVERSEAS VISITORS AND ARRIVALS OF AUSTRALIAN RESIDENTS  
ACTUAL LENGTH OF STAY IN AUSTRALIA OR ABROAD

Period	Actual length of stay							Total (b)
	Under 1 week	1 week and under 2 weeks	2 weeks and under 1 month	1 month and under 2 months	2 months and under 3 months	3 months and under 6 months	6 months and under 12 months	
DEPARTURES OF OVERSEAS VISITORS								
<i>Year ended 31 December</i> —								
1991	641,600	690,200	487,300	248,600	87,800	99,100	96,300	2,350,800
1992	776,800	735,600	486,100	263,300	87,900	95,900	87,800	2,533,500
1993	938,300	899,200	534,600	279,200	92,800	98,900	88,100	2,931,000
<i>Year ended 30 June</i> —								
1992	729,900	719,300	494,900	253,800	89,700	96,300	89,800	2,473,700
1993	860,000	825,100	509,500	269,900	87,800	94,300	84,300	2,730,700
1994	1,001,300	954,400	567,600	293,400	98,200	109,200	94,700	3,118,900
<i>1992</i> —								
September qtr	192,300	159,200	124,000	57,700	17,600	18,700	17,600	587,100
December qtr	205,200	226,700	120,600	60,600	16,800	19,400	29,300	678,600
<i>1993</i> —								
March qtr	235,000	229,100	152,800	93,400	30,600	29,100	16,900	786,900
June qtr	227,500	210,200	112,100	58,100	22,800	27,000	20,400	678,100
September qtr	227,500	193,200	137,700	60,900	19,500	18,900	16,900	674,600
December qtr	248,300	266,700	132,100	66,900	19,800	23,800	33,800	791,400
<i>1994</i> —								
March qtr	274,700	266,900	173,500	105,100	33,900	33,600	20,900	908,700
June qtr	250,900	227,600	124,300	60,600	24,900	32,900	23,100	744,200
September qtr	260,100	226,000	151,300	71,900	22,300	21,500	20,500	773,800
ARRIVALS OF AUSTRALIAN RESIDENTS								
<i>Year ended 31 December</i> —								
1991	199,100	531,100	580,300	352,700	140,700	121,600	84,000	2,009,700
1992	230,500	571,100	616,200	379,200	153,400	128,800	87,100	2,166,300
1993	254,900	562,300	625,200	402,200	147,800	132,100	90,500	2,215,200
<i>Year ended 30 June</i> —								
1992	221,300	549,600	596,000	359,600	143,000	120,100	82,700	2,072,400
1993	244,000	574,600	625,600	395,100	153,500	136,800	88,800	2,218,500
1994	249,400	577,700	633,100	403,600	152,800	135,400	93,500	2,245,600
<i>1992</i> —								
September qtr	58,100	162,800	161,100	108,600	53,200	48,900	20,500	613,400
December qtr	63,400	151,600	153,900	79,400	31,100	36,300	30,800	546,500
<i>1993</i> —								
March qtr	56,400	128,200	172,600	127,200	44,200	28,600	21,500	578,700
June qtr	66,100	132,000	138,000	79,900	25,000	23,000	15,900	479,900
September qtr	67,000	156,000	162,800	109,700	48,100	45,200	22,100	610,900
December qtr	65,400	146,100	151,800	85,500	30,500	35,300	31,100	545,600
<i>1994</i> —								
March qtr	54,500	135,300	177,300	125,300	46,800	30,300	23,100	592,800
June qtr	62,500	140,200	141,200	83,200	27,400	24,500	17,300	496,200
September qtr	63,800	167,500	169,600	117,000	54,400	49,300	24,300	646,000

(a) Figures for short-term movement are based on a sample and are subject to sampling error. See paragraph 18 of the Explanatory Notes for more detail. (b) Includes not stated.

TABLE 5. SHORT-TERM MOVEMENT (a) — ARRIVALS OF OVERSEAS VISITORS AND DEPARTURES OF AUSTRALIAN RESIDENTS BY MAIN PURPOSE OF JOURNEY (b)

Period	Main purpose of journey (b)						Total
	Visiting friends/ relatives	Holiday	Convention/ conference	Business, employment	Education	Other and not stated	
ARRIVALS OF OVERSEAS VISITORS							
<i>Year ended 31 December —</i>							
1991	473,900	1,435,500	42,800	248,800	57,400	111,900	2,370,400
1992	489,500	1,615,400	32,300	260,000	61,300	144,700	2,603,300
1993	530,500	1,890,200	50,200	292,400	68,700	164,200	2,996,200
<i>Year ended 30 June —</i>							
1992	486,900	1,562,900	34,000	259,400	59,500	117,000	2,519,700
1993	508,700	1,735,200	44,400	266,400	62,900	167,900	2,785,600
1994	548,400	2,020,900	46,700	332,500	78,500	142,000	3,169,000
<i>1992 —</i>							
September qtr	105,800	373,700	9,900	62,800	16,400	39,700	608,400
December qtr	168,900	494,000	8,300	65,500	8,100	42,000	786,800
<i>1993 —</i>							
March qtr	125,100	467,700	8,300	70,500	28,000	46,500	746,200
June qtr	108,900	399,800	17,900	67,700	10,400	39,700	644,300
September qtr	119,100	438,500	13,400	72,500	20,200	44,900	708,600
December qtr	177,400	584,100	10,700	81,700	10,100	33,200	897,200
<i>1994 —</i>							
March qtr	139,600	553,700	11,500	88,500	33,500	35,400	862,200
June qtr	112,300	444,600	11,200	89,800	14,600	28,600	701,000
September qtr	129,000	504,600	19,300	86,500	23,700	37,300	800,400
DEPARTURES OF AUSTRALIAN RESIDENTS							
<i>Year ended 31 December —</i>							
1991	453,600	1,151,400	42,600	353,700	23,500	74,500	2,099,400
1992	491,000	1,207,300	52,600	389,000	26,500	109,900	2,276,300
1993	514,500	1,160,400	55,800	420,600	26,100	89,600	2,267,100
<i>Year ended 30 June —</i>							
1992	467,200	1,173,400	47,700	369,800	25,100	90,300	2,173,500
1993	500,000	1,212,100	52,900	405,200	26,300	103,000	2,299,500
1994	533,500	1,149,600	59,000	446,100	26,300	89,400	2,304,000
<i>1992 —</i>							
September qtr	118,000	354,900	17,100	101,300	8,900	32,500	632,700
December qtr	155,200	322,400	10,600	94,500	5,000	25,600	613,200
<i>1993 —</i>							
March qtr	93,100	229,000	9,600	100,300	6,300	22,000	460,300
June qtr	133,600	305,900	15,700	109,100	6,100	22,900	593,400
September qtr	123,900	329,300	19,300	111,100	7,900	23,200	614,700
December qtr	163,900	296,200	11,300	100,100	5,800	21,500	598,800
<i>1994 —</i>							
March qtr	105,500	236,100	12,000	112,000	6,800	19,700	492,100
June qtr	140,200	288,000	16,400	123,000	5,800	25,000	598,400
September qtr	133,700	331,300	20,200	117,400	9,500	28,200	640,400

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**TABLE 6. SHORT-TERM MOVEMENT (a) — DEPARTURES OF OVERSEAS VISITORS  
STATE OR TERRITORY IN WHICH MOST TIME WAS SPENT**

<i>Period</i>	<i>State or Territory in which most time was spent</i>										<i>Australia</i>
	<i>NSW</i>	<i>Vic.</i>	<i>Qld</i>	<i>SA</i>	<i>WA</i>	<i>Tas.</i>	<i>NT</i>	<i>ACT</i>	<i>Not stated</i>		
<i>Year ended 31 December —</i>											
1991	1,068,400	338,300	601,400	65,400	198,800	14,800	20,800	23,600	19,300	2,350,800	
1992	1,184,200	325,500	674,000	59,000	211,800	18,400	19,900	19,900	20,900	2,533,500	
1993	1,346,200	360,200	829,500	64,600	253,500	18,900	27,300	23,000	7,800	2,931,000	
<i>Year ended 30 June —</i>											
1992	1,157,500	337,100	641,600	60,100	199,400	16,800	19,900	20,700	20,700	2,473,700	
1993	1,256,900	345,800	758,300	60,200	232,500	18,500	20,600	21,500	16,500	2,730,700	
1994	1,438,800	372,700	869,700	72,200	290,500	18,600	31,300	23,400	1,800	3,118,900	
<i>1992 —</i>											
September qtr	266,600	62,900	185,400	11,200	43,400	2,200	5,500	4,300	5,600	587,100	
December qtr	308,400	87,300	183,600	16,200	61,800	5,800	4,900	5,900	4,800	678,600	
<i>1993 —</i>											
March qtr	373,400	107,100	201,400	19,100	65,000	7,000	3,400	6,400	4,000	786,900	
June qtr	308,500	88,500	188,000	13,700	62,200	3,600	6,700	4,900	2,000	678,100	
September qtr	306,200	68,400	218,900	12,700	51,000	2,400	8,800	5,300	900	674,600	
December qtr	358,000	96,200	221,200	19,100	75,300	5,900	8,400	6,400	900	791,400	
<i>1994 —</i>											
March qtr	431,600	120,700	225,500	23,500	87,400	6,800	6,000	7,200	—	908,700	
June qtr	343,000	87,400	204,000	16,800	76,900	3,500	8,100	4,500	—	744,200	
September qtr	348,400	78,000	241,200	14,700	71,600	2,700	11,400	5,800	—	773,800	

(a) Figures for short-term movement are based on a sample and subject to sampling error. See paragraph 18 of the Explanatory Notes for more detail.

**TABLE 7. SHORT-TERM MOVEMENT (a) — ARRIVALS OF OVERSEAS VISITORS AND DEPARTURES OF AUSTRALIAN RESIDENTS BY AGE GROUP**

Period	Age group (years)								Total	
	Under 15	15 - 24	25 - 34	35 - 44	45 - 54	55 - 64	65 and over			
ARRIVALS OF OVERSEAS VISITORS										
<i>Year ended 31 December —</i>										
1991	153,600	353,700	566,000	431,200	373,600	286,700	205,500		2,370,400	
1992	176,500	381,900	631,200	464,500	414,400	313,700	221,000		2,603,300	
1993	212,700	423,500	714,100	533,200	494,200	361,100	257,400		2,996,200	
<i>Year ended 30 June —</i>										
1992	162,300	368,500	603,500	454,600	398,200	312,000	220,700		2,519,700	
1993	191,800	401,200	672,500	495,500	451,200	337,000	236,400		2,785,600	
1994	231,600	446,300	749,400	564,300	527,100	382,600	267,700		3,169,000	
<i>1992 —</i>										
September qtr	51,500	99,200	132,900	115,100	100,500	64,600	44,600		608,400	
December qtr	56,400	100,200	205,400	135,900	121,000	97,000	71,000		786,800	
<i>1993 —</i>										
March qtr	42,300	119,100	182,200	123,200	117,600	94,400	67,300		746,200	
June qtr	41,600	82,800	152,000	121,300	112,200	81,000	53,600		644,300	
September qtr	60,100	113,200	150,900	134,600	121,300	76,800	51,700		708,600	
December qtr	68,700	108,500	229,000	154,100	143,100	108,900	84,800		897,200	
<i>1994 —</i>										
March qtr	55,900	134,500	203,800	146,000	138,400	108,500	75,100		862,200	
June qtr	46,900	90,200	165,700	129,500	124,300	88,400	56,100		701,000	
September qtr	69,900	129,400	167,700	154,500	134,900	86,800	57,200		800,400	
DEPARTURES OF AUSTRALIAN RESIDENTS										
<i>Year ended 31 December —</i>										
1991	212,700	291,800	439,400	456,600	364,900	201,400	132,600		2,099,400	
1992	214,000	312,200	465,200	489,400	416,800	230,600	148,100		2,276,300	
1993	209,200	290,600	463,400	479,400	449,900	231,700	142,800		2,267,100	
<i>Year ended 30 June —</i>										
1992	217,300	294,200	446,200	468,200	386,500	218,400	142,700		2,173,500	
1993	207,000	311,900	475,500	486,700	439,400	230,900	148,000		2,299,500	
1994	222,600	287,400	456,900	488,900	462,800	238,200	147,100		2,304,000	
<i>1992 —</i>										
September qtr	55,000	80,400	123,700	135,300	123,500	70,400	44,300		632,700	
December qtr	66,600	103,700	130,900	131,900	104,400	46,900	28,700		613,200	
<i>1993 —</i>										
March qtr	34,600	62,200	104,500	97,100	89,900	45,800	26,200		460,300	
June qtr	50,800	65,600	116,400	122,400	121,600	67,800	48,800		593,400	
September qtr	55,500	68,900	121,100	132,400	127,200	67,900	41,700		614,700	
December qtr	68,300	93,900	121,500	127,600	111,300	50,100	26,100		598,800	
<i>1994 —</i>										
March qtr	44,900	61,200	102,000	109,400	98,100	48,400	28,100		492,100	
June qtr	53,900	63,500	112,400	119,500	126,200	71,800	51,300		598,400	
September qtr	64,800	69,300	118,700	134,400	133,900	71,800	47,400		640,400	

(a) Figures for short-term movement are based on a sample and subject to sampling error. See paragraph 18 of the Explanatory Notes for more detail.

**TABLE 8. SHORT-TERM MOVEMENT (a) — ARRIVALS OF OVERSEAS VISITORS  
COUNTRY OF RESIDENCE (b)**  
**SEPTEMBER QUARTER 1992 TO SEPTEMBER QUARTER 1994**

Country of residence	1992			1993			1994		
	September	December	March	June	September	December	March	June	September
<b>OCEANIA &amp; ANTARCTICA —</b>									
Fiji	3,200	5,100	4,600	3,900	2,900	5,900	4,400	4,100	4,000
New Caledonia	3,200	4,400	7,000	3,300	3,300	4,900	8,500	3,200	3,700
New Zealand	128,500	136,200	90,700	125,000	153,200	130,400	90,100	113,800	148,500
Papua New Guinea	9,600	10,900	9,500	9,300	9,800	11,800	10,600	10,100	9,900
Other	4,400	6,100	4,700	4,400	5,200	6,600	5,800	5,700	5,700
<i>Total</i>	<i>148,900</i>	<i>162,800</i>	<i>116,500</i>	<i>145,900</i>	<i>174,400</i>	<i>159,600</i>	<i>119,300</i>	<i>136,900</i>	<i>171,900</i>
<b>EUROPE &amp; THE FORMER USSR —</b>									
Austria	2,500	4,000	3,200	1,900	3,100	4,900	4,400	2,300	3,500
Belgium	1,200	1,400	1,000	900	1,600	1,800	1,500	1,000	2,000
Denmark	2,400	3,200	3,400	1,900	2,400	3,900	4,400	2,100	3,100
Finland	1,100	1,700	1,200	800	1,000	1,800	1,700	900	1,100
Former USSR & Baltic States	700	1,400	1,000	1,300	1,100	1,500	1,900	1,400	2,000
France	7,800	8,000	7,100	5,200	9,300	9,300	8,100	5,300	11,000
Germany	18,100	30,300	29,400	19,100	22,300	34,800	38,800	20,100	25,600
Greece	1,100	2,400	1,500	1,300	1,500	2,500	1,900	1,300	1,300
Ireland	1,800	3,000	2,900	1,900	2,600	3,600	3,900	3,100	3,300
Italy	7,900	9,500	6,000	4,100	10,300	11,300	8,800	4,700	11,800
Netherlands	4,900	9,000	6,900	3,800	5,900	10,900	8,600	4,300	7,000
Norway	900	1,500	1,400	700	1,100	1,500	1,700	1,000	1,300
Spain	1,400	1,700	1,100	700	2,000	1,600	1,800	900	2,400
Sweden	3,000	7,000	5,100	2,600	2,800	7,100	6,400	2,900	3,300
Switzerland	5,600	10,600	8,600	4,000	6,000	12,000	10,300	4,800	7,200
United Kingdom	51,100	93,700	95,100	55,700	56,400	103,100	100,300	57,500	61,600
Other	2,900	4,800	3,400	2,400	3,300	6,100	5,000	2,900	4,200
<i>Total</i>	<i>114,400</i>	<i>193,400</i>	<i>178,300</i>	<i>108,300</i>	<i>132,500</i>	<i>217,800</i>	<i>209,600</i>	<i>116,600</i>	<i>151,800</i>
<b>MIDDLE EAST &amp; NORTH AFRICA —</b>									
Israel	1,100	1,400	1,500	1,100	1,200	1,600	1,600	1,300	1,800
Other	3,300	3,800	3,400	2,700	4,900	4,400	3,800	3,300	5,100
<i>Total</i>	<i>4,400</i>	<i>5,200</i>	<i>4,900</i>	<i>3,900</i>	<i>6,100</i>	<i>6,000</i>	<i>5,500</i>	<i>4,600</i>	<i>7,000</i>
<b>SOUTHEAST ASIA —</b>									
Brunei	900	1,100	1,300	800	900	1,500	1,300	1,000	1,700
Indonesia	10,500	15,500	16,300	14,100	15,600	25,600	26,200	20,800	23,100
Malaysia	13,600	18,300	18,800	19,100	16,500	26,000	23,000	21,800	19,900
Philippines	3,400	4,200	4,100	6,100	3,500	4,200	4,900	6,600	4,400
Singapore	19,000	53,400	28,800	37,400	24,500	64,200	34,400	46,200	32,800
Thailand	8,000	10,200	7,900	14,300	8,200	16,100	12,900	21,000	13,100
Other	1,100	1,600	1,300	1,200	1,200	1,000	1,400	1,300	1,300
<i>Total</i>	<i>56,500</i>	<i>104,300</i>	<i>78,400</i>	<i>92,900</i>	<i>70,400</i>	<i>138,700</i>	<i>104,100</i>	<i>118,600</i>	<i>96,300</i>
<b>NORTHEAST ASIA —</b>									
China	4,300	5,300	4,700	5,100	5,600	6,800	5,700	6,900	6,900
Hong Kong	18,900	18,000	25,500	20,900	22,200	23,400	29,500	21,800	28,400
Japan	160,400	160,800	178,500	151,900	168,100	172,400	191,400	158,200	183,200
Korea	8,300	9,400	16,800	10,100	14,500	20,700	32,900	16,600	27,800
Taiwan	12,200	20,300	35,000	17,500	23,300	32,900	45,100	30,100	30,400
Other	200	200	300	300	300	400	700	600	1,100
<i>Total</i>	<i>204,400</i>	<i>214,100</i>	<i>260,800</i>	<i>205,800</i>	<i>234,100</i>	<i>256,600</i>	<i>305,300</i>	<i>234,200</i>	<i>277,800</i>
<b>SOUTHERN ASIA —</b>									
India	1,900	2,500	2,300	3,000	2,000	2,500	2,500	3,500	2,600
Sri Lanka	600	1,200	1,000	800	800	1,100	900	900	1,000
Other	500	500	600	600	700	700	800	800	600
<i>Total</i>	<i>3,100</i>	<i>4,200</i>	<i>3,900</i>	<i>4,300</i>	<i>3,500</i>	<i>4,200</i>	<i>4,300</i>	<i>5,200</i>	<i>4,300</i>
<b>THE AMERICAS —</b>									
Argentina	600	900	1,400	700	600	1,200	1,700	800	1,300
Canada	9,800	15,500	15,100	8,900	9,900	16,700	16,700	9,000	11,000
United States of America	57,900	73,600	76,300	62,700	64,700	77,500	81,400	63,500	66,400
Other	2,000	2,700	2,300	2,200	2,100	2,800	2,900	2,500	2,600
<i>Total</i>	<i>70,300</i>	<i>92,800</i>	<i>95,000</i>	<i>74,500</i>	<i>77,400</i>	<i>98,200</i>	<i>102,800</i>	<i>75,800</i>	<i>81,400</i>
<b>AFRICA (excluding North Africa) —</b>									
South Africa	3,400	5,900	4,600	5,800	6,900	9,000	6,100	5,300	7,600
Other	1,700	2,400	2,100	1,700	2,100	4,700	3,500	3,500	2,400
<i>Total</i>	<i>5,100</i>	<i>8,300</i>	<i>6,700</i>	<i>7,500</i>	<i>9,100</i>	<i>13,700</i>	<i>9,600</i>	<i>8,800</i>	<i>10,000</i>
<i>Total (c)</i>	<i>608,400</i>	<i>786,800</i>	<i>746,200</i>	<i>644,300</i>	<i>708,600</i>	<i>897,200</i>	<i>862,200</i>	<i>701,000</i>	<i>800,400</i>

(a) Figures for short-term movement are based on a sample and are subject to sampling error. See paragraph 18 of the Explanatory Notes for more detail. (b) See paragraphs 11 and 12 of the Explanatory Notes. (c) Includes other and not stated.

**TABLE 9. SHORT-TERM MOVEMENT (a) — DEPARTURES OF AUSTRALIAN RESIDENTS  
COUNTRY OF INTENDED STAY (b)  
SEPTEMBER QUARTER 1992 TO SEPTEMBER QUARTER 1994**

Country of intended stay	1992		1993			1994			
	September	December	March	June	September	December	March	June	September
<b>OCEANIA &amp; ANTARCTICA —</b>									
Fiji	26,500	25,900	16,200	19,500	21,800	20,900	15,300	21,700	24,100
French Polynesia	1,200	1,200	900	1,400	1,700	1,200	1,100	1,000	1,700
New Caledonia	4,600	4,000	3,100	3,900	4,500	4,800	3,600	3,400	4,200
New Zealand	88,200	96,600	86,300	74,300	85,800	100,700	93,100	71,100	88,800
Norfolk Island	4,100	5,400	4,100	3,800	3,400	4,100	4,800	5,600	5,100
Papua New Guinea	8,900	9,200	7,400	9,800	9,000	9,300	8,500	8,600	8,900
Solomon Islands	1,700	900	900	1,200	1,500	1,200	1,000	1,200	1,400
Vanuatu	6,800	6,300	4,900	5,000	5,500	6,500	5,400	5,300	5,100
Other	4,900	5,000	2,900	3,800	4,500	5,500	2,600	3,500	3,900
<i>Total</i>	<i>147,000</i>	<i>154,400</i>	<i>126,700</i>	<i>122,600</i>	<i>137,700</i>	<i>154,200</i>	<i>135,500</i>	<i>121,400</i>	<i>143,100</i>
<b>EUROPE &amp; THE FORMER USSR —</b>									
Austria	2,000	2,100	1,200	1,800	1,700	1,700	1,200	1,600	1,600
Croatia	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	600	2,300	1,600
Former Yugoslav Republics (c)	1,800	1,400	700	2,400	3,100	2,000	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
France	8,000	5,000	3,800	8,700	9,600	5,400	4,300	9,500	7,400
Germany	9,600	7,300	6,500	10,800	9,800	6,800	5,500	10,200	8,800
Greece	10,300	4,200	4,400	11,100	10,200	4,100	3,900	13,800	12,000
Ireland	4,600	3,200	1,200	3,200	4,400	2,800	1,900	3,900	4,800
Italy	13,600	8,800	5,200	14,700	14,900	7,600	6,500	15,200	15,400
Malta	2,000	800	700	1,700	1,500	600	1,000	2,200	1,300
Netherlands	4,800	3,100	2,400	4,900	4,200	2,400	2,400	4,700	4,800
Poland	1,800	1,400	600	2,800	1,500	1,400	600	3,000	1,400
Spain	5,100	2,100	1,200	1,800	2,300	1,300	1,100	2,300	1,800
Switzerland	2,800	2,400	2,000	2,100	2,500	1,900	2,200	2,400	3,100
United Kingdom	75,000	50,100	37,400	78,000	76,200	49,500	39,300	83,000	80,000
Other	13,600	6,900	5,800	14,600	11,600	7,800	6,600	18,700	16,900
<i>Total</i>	<i>155,000</i>	<i>98,500</i>	<i>73,000</i>	<i>158,700</i>	<i>153,500</i>	<i>95,500</i>	<i>77,000</i>	<i>172,700</i>	<i>160,900</i>
<b>MIDDLE EAST &amp; NORTH AFRICA —</b>									
Egypt	1,500	2,400	1,400	1,500	800	1,600	1,200	1,000	1,200
Israel	1,300	2,600	1,600	2,700	1,700	2,700	2,000	2,000	2,000
Lebanon	3,600	2,300	2,200	4,700	4,200	1,900	2,100	4,300	5,700
Turkey	2,100	1,000	1,200	4,000	2,700	1,100	1,500	3,800	2,400
Other	2,500	2,800	1,900	3,100	3,000	3,100	3,200	3,000	3,100
<i>Total</i>	<i>11,000</i>	<i>11,100</i>	<i>8,400</i>	<i>15,900</i>	<i>12,500</i>	<i>10,400</i>	<i>10,000</i>	<i>14,200</i>	<i>14,400</i>
<b>SOUTHEAST ASIA —</b>									
Cambodia	700	1,300	1,100	800	700	1,200	1,500	1,000	500
Indonesia	59,200	50,000	39,600	48,600	59,500	51,200	46,700	48,900	62,300
Malaysia	20,500	24,700	18,600	18,000	21,900	25,000	19,400	19,000	21,800
Philippines	8,200	14,100	9,400	9,900	7,600	15,000	10,600	12,000	7,900
Singapore	26,600	27,200	20,600	27,800	23,000	26,500	20,700	22,200	25,800
Thailand	19,400	21,000	15,900	16,900	18,900	20,500	14,500	17,800	18,800
Viet Nam	3,300	8,100	6,500	4,900	4,500	10,300	8,300	5,800	5,900
Other	900	1,300	800	1,100	1,100	1,200	1,000	1,200	1,300
<i>Total</i>	<i>138,900</i>	<i>147,700</i>	<i>112,500</i>	<i>127,900</i>	<i>137,200</i>	<i>150,900</i>	<i>122,700</i>	<i>128,000</i>	<i>144,400</i>
<b>NORTHEAST ASIA —</b>									
China	6,300	5,500	4,900	7,300	7,300	7,200	6,800	8,100	11,800
Hong Kong	36,700	41,900	30,800	32,800	32,000	37,200	29,700	29,100	31,600
Japan	13,600	12,200	9,700	11,600	12,500	11,700	9,600	10,100	11,700
Korea	3,000	4,100	2,600	2,700	3,900	3,700	2,500	2,800	3,300
Taiwan	5,300	8,300	5,300	6,600	6,100	8,600	6,700	5,900	6,300
Other	100	200	100	200	200	500	200	500	300
<i>Total</i>	<i>64,900</i>	<i>72,200</i>	<i>52,600</i>	<i>61,100</i>	<i>62,000</i>	<i>68,800</i>	<i>55,500</i>	<i>56,500</i>	<i>65,100</i>
<b>SOUTHERN ASIA —</b>									
India	2,400	8,500	4,900	3,000	3,600	11,800	7,300	3,600	4,500
Sri Lanka	2,300	4,200	1,400	1,200	2,200	3,700	1,800	1,400	1,900
Other	1,600	3,800	2,100	1,400	1,800	3,100	3,000	1,200	1,400
<i>Total</i>	<i>6,300</i>	<i>16,500</i>	<i>8,400</i>	<i>5,700</i>	<i>7,600</i>	<i>18,700</i>	<i>12,100</i>	<i>6,200</i>	<i>7,800</i>
<b>THE AMERICAS —</b>									
Argentina	500	1,200	1,100	400	900	1,100	800	700	800
Canada	9,400	7,400	3,700	9,600	10,800	7,600	5,900	11,700	13,700
United States of America	89,100	89,300	63,800	82,100	81,300	72,900	60,200	76,700	77,700
Other	2,600	5,200	2,900	2,400	2,300	6,100	3,100	2,900	3,300
<i>Total</i>	<i>101,600</i>	<i>103,100</i>	<i>71,500</i>	<i>94,400</i>	<i>95,300</i>	<i>87,600</i>	<i>70,000</i>	<i>92,000</i>	<i>95,600</i>
<b>AFRICA (excluding North Africa) —</b>									
South Africa	800	2,800	2,500	2,600	3,500	4,600	3,700	2,600	3,400
Zimbabwe	1,000	800	500	1,000	1,300	900	800	1,100	900
Other	4,900	4,800	2,900	2,700	3,200	3,700	2,200	2,400	3,200
<i>Total</i>	<i>6,700</i>	<i>8,400</i>	<i>5,900</i>	<i>6,300</i>	<i>8,000</i>	<i>9,200</i>	<i>6,600</i>	<i>6,200</i>	<i>7,500</i>
<i>Total (d)</i>	<i>632,700</i>	<i>613,200</i>	<i>468,300</i>	<i>593,400</i>	<i>614,700</i>	<i>598,800</i>	<i>492,100</i>	<i>598,400</i>	<i>640,400</i>

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**TABLE 10. SHORT-TERM MOVEMENT (a) — ARRIVALS OF OVERSEAS VISITORS AND DEPARTURES OF AUSTRALIAN RESIDENTS BY INTENDED LENGTH OF STAY AND MAIN PURPOSE OF JOURNEY (b)**  
SEPTEMBER QUARTER 1994

Intended length of stay	Visiting friends/relatives	Main purpose of journey (b)						Total
		Holiday	Convention/conference	Business, employment	Education	Other and not stated		
		ARRIVALS OF OVERSEAS VISITORS						
Under 1 week	12,200	167,400	5,700	36,400	500	22,900	245,100	
1 week and under 2 weeks	24,700	172,900	8,900	25,500	2,100	7,200	241,500	
2 weeks and under 3 weeks	22,200	63,700	3,300	9,300	900	2,200	101,500	
3 weeks and under 1 month	16,400	35,300	700	2,400	600	700	56,000	
1 month and under 2 months	30,800	39,900	600	4,700	1,000	1,600	78,600	
2 months and under 3 months	8,400	9,000	100	1,900	1,200	500	21,100	
3 months and under 6 months	8,500	8,500	—	2,000	6,000	700	25,800	
6 months and under 9 months	4,600	3,600	—	1,800	7,000	900	17,900	
9 months and under 12 months	1,200	4,300	—	2,400	4,400	600	12,800	
Total (c)	129,000	504,600	19,300	86,500	23,700	37,300	800,400	
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DEPARTURES OF AUSTRALIAN RESIDENTS								
Under 1 week	5,600	18,900	4,500	30,100	300	2,600	62,000	
1 week and under 2 weeks	16,200	105,600	7,900	29,600	2,600	6,400	168,300	
2 weeks and under 3 weeks	17,800	66,300	3,800	17,600	1,500	4,000	110,900	
3 weeks and under 1 month	14,500	30,600	1,700	8,100	600	1,900	57,300	
1 month and under 2 months	37,900	59,100	1,700	13,000	600	5,400	117,800	
2 months and under 3 months	18,800	25,200	400	5,500	200	2,400	52,500	
3 months and under 6 months	15,300	16,400	100	6,600	1,100	2,500	42,100	
6 months and under 9 months	5,200	5,300	—	3,300	800	1,400	16,100	
9 months and under 12 months	2,500	3,800	—	3,700	1,800	1,500	13,300	
Total (c)	133,700	331,300	20,200	117,400	9,500	28,200	640,400	

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**TABLE 11. SHORT-TERM MOVEMENT (a) — ARRIVALS OF OVERSEAS VISITORS STATE OR TERRITORY OF INTENDED STAY AND MAIN PURPOSE OF JOURNEY (b)**  
SEPTEMBER QUARTER 1994

Main purpose of journey	State or Territory of intended stay									Australia (c)
	NSW	Vic.	Old	SA	WA	Tas.	NT	ACT	Australia (c)	
Visiting friends/relatives	54,000	22,800	28,700	4,500	15,200	700	1,100	1,900	129,000	
Holiday	216,500	39,200	185,900	5,900	43,300	700	10,900	2,100	504,600	
Convention/conference	9,900	2,800	3,500	700	1,700	100	200	400	19,300	
Business	43,200	14,900	11,000	1,800	6,300	400	900	1,100	79,700	
Employment	3,300	1,200	1,100	300	800	—	100	100	6,800	
Education	8,800	4,700	4,700	900	3,700	200	200	500	23,700	
Other and not stated	18,500	3,600	10,400	300	2,600	200	1,300	500	37,300	
Total	354,300	89,300	245,300	14,400	73,600	2,300	14,700	6,500	800,400	

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**TABLE 12. SHORT-TERM MOVEMENT (a) — DEPARTURES OF OVERSEAS VISITORS LENGTH OF STAY AND STATE OR TERRITORY IN WHICH MOST TIME WAS SPENT**  
SEPTEMBER QUARTER 1994

Length of stay	State or Territory in which most time was spent									Australia (b)
	NSW	Vic.	Old	SA	WA	Tas.	NT	ACT	Australia (b)	
Under 1 week	137,600	18,600	71,500	1,800	27,200	400	1,800	1,100	260,100	
1 week and under 2 weeks	102,700	20,000	78,700	4,000	16,600	800	2,200	1,000	226,000	
2 weeks and under 3 weeks	35,000	11,400	36,300	2,200	7,600	500	1,900	700	95,600	
3 weeks and under 1 month	20,000	7,100	19,400	1,600	5,100	300	1,900	400	55,700	
1 month and under 2 months	27,300	9,900	21,000	2,600	7,500	300	2,500	900	71,900	
2 months and under 3 months	7,900	3,700	6,100	1,100	2,300	100	400	700	22,300	
3 months and under 6 months	8,600	3,700	4,900	600	2,600	200	400	400	21,500	
6 months and under 9 months	4,700	2,100	2,100	500	1,500	100	200	400	11,500	
9 months and under 12 months	4,500	1,500	1,100	300	1,300	—	200	200	9,000	
Total (b)	348,400	78,000	241,200	14,700	71,600	2,700	11,400	5,800	773,800	

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TABLE 13. SHORT-TERM MOVEMENT (a) — ARRIVALS OF OVERSEAS VISITORS  
 COUNTRY OF RESIDENCE (b) AND MAIN PURPOSE OF JOURNEY (c)  
 SEPTEMBER QUARTER 1994

Country of residence	Main purpose of journey (c)					Total
	Visiting friends/relatives	Holiday	Business, employment, convention/conference	Education	Other and not stated	
<b>OCEANIA &amp; ANTARCTICA —</b>						
Fiji	1,200	700	1,000	300	800	4,000
New Caledonia	200	2,300	200	100	800	3,700
New Zealand	33,500	71,600	27,700	1,100	9,700	148,500
Papua New Guinea	1,400	3,400	1,400	1,200	2,600	9,900
Other	1,300	1,600	900	400	1,500	5,700
<i>Total</i>	<i>42,600</i>	<i>79,600</i>	<i>31,200</i>	<i>3,100</i>	<i>15,400</i>	<i>171,900</i>
<b>EUROPE &amp; THE FORMER USSR —</b>						
Austria	600	2,500	200	—	100	3,500
Belgium	400	1,200	300	—	100	2,000
Denmark	400	1,900	500	200	100	3,100
Finland	100	400	400	100	100	1,100
Former USSR & Baltic States	200	400	700	100	600	2,000
France	1,300	6,800	1,500	300	1,100	11,000
Germany	3,500	19,000	1,800	500	900	25,600
Greece	600	300	200	—	100	1,300
Ireland	1,000	1,800	400	—	100	3,300
Italy	2,100	7,800	1,400	100	400	11,800
Netherlands	2,100	3,800	700	100	200	7,000
Norway	100	700	300	100	100	1,300
Spain	300	1,700	200	100	100	2,400
Sweden	300	1,900	800	200	100	3,300
Switzerland	900	5,200	600	400	200	7,200
United Kingdom	23,200	27,400	8,600	300	2,000	61,600
Other	1,600	1,300	700	200	400	4,200
<i>Total</i>	<i>38,900</i>	<i>84,200</i>	<i>19,500</i>	<i>2,600</i>	<i>6,700</i>	<i>151,800</i>
<b>MIDDLE EAST &amp; NORTH AFRICA —</b>						
Israel	700	800	200	—	100	1,800
Other	2,200	2,000	600	100	200	5,100
<i>Total</i>	<i>2,900</i>	<i>2,800</i>	<i>800</i>	<i>200</i>	<i>300</i>	<i>7,000</i>
<b>SOUTHEAST ASIA —</b>						
Brunei	400	800	100	200	200	1,700
Indonesia	2,200	14,000	2,400	2,900	1,600	23,100
Malaysia	3,400	11,000	3,200	1,700	600	19,900
Philippines	1,200	1,500	1,100	100	500	4,400
Singapore	3,500	21,600	4,400	1,800	1,500	32,800
Thailand	1,100	8,600	1,900	1,200	500	13,100
Other	500	100	400	200	100	1,300
<i>Total</i>	<i>12,200</i>	<i>57,600</i>	<i>13,400</i>	<i>8,100</i>	<i>5,100</i>	<i>96,300</i>
<b>NORTHEAST ASIA —</b>						
China	1,000	1,700	3,400	400	400	6,900
Hong Kong	6,500	16,200	3,800	1,400	400	28,400
Japan	2,800	167,900	8,500	1,800	2,200	183,200
Korea	2,200	21,300	2,300	1,700	400	27,800
Taiwan	2,400	24,200	2,000	1,300	500	30,400
Other	100	800	100	100	—	1,100
<i>Total</i>	<i>15,100</i>	<i>232,000</i>	<i>20,000</i>	<i>6,700</i>	<i>4,000</i>	<i>277,800</i>
<b>SOUTHERN ASIA —</b>						
India	600	600	1,000	200	300	2,600
Sri Lanka	400	200	200	—	200	1,000
Other	200	200	100	100	—	600
<i>Total</i>	<i>1,200</i>	<i>1,000</i>	<i>1,300</i>	<i>300</i>	<i>500</i>	<i>4,300</i>
<b>THE AMERICAS —</b>						
Argentina	200	700	400	—	100	1,300
Canada	2,600	5,600	2,100	200	600	11,000
United States of America	10,200	35,400	15,100	2,400	3,200	66,400
Other	500	1,200	600	100	200	2,600
<i>Total</i>	<i>13,500</i>	<i>42,900</i>	<i>18,200</i>	<i>2,700</i>	<i>4,100</i>	<i>81,400</i>
<b>AFRICA (excluding North Africa) —</b>						
South Africa	2,000	3,400	1,300	—	900	7,600
Other	700	1,100	300	100	200	2,400
<i>Total</i>	<i>2,700</i>	<i>4,500</i>	<i>1,600</i>	<i>100</i>	<i>1,100</i>	<i>10,000</i>
<b>Total (d)</b>	<b>129,000</b>	<b>504,600</b>	<b>105,800</b>	<b>23,700</b>	<b>37,300</b>	<b>800,400</b>

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TABLE 14. SHORT-TERM MOVEMENT (a) — ARRIVALS OF OVERSEAS VISITORS  
 COUNTRY OF RESIDENCE (b) AND INTENDED LENGTH OF STAY  
 SEPTEMBER QUARTER 1994

Country of residence	Intended length of stay								Total (c)
	Under 1 week	1 week and under 2 weeks	2 weeks and under 1 month	1 month and under 2 months	2 months and under 3 months	3 months and under 6 months	6 months and under 12 months		
<b>OCEANIA &amp; ANTARCTICA —</b>									
Fiji	1,300	1,000	600	300	200	400	200		4,000
New Caledonia	1,300	1,100	900	300	—	—	—		3,700
New Zealand	48,200	47,600	37,400	8,900	2,200	1,800	2,400		148,500
Papua New Guinea	3,800	2,500	1,800	500	200	700	400		9,900
Other	2,000	1,200	1,000	500	300	600	200		5,700
<i>Total</i>	<i>56,600</i>	<i>53,500</i>	<i>41,700</i>	<i>10,500</i>	<i>2,900</i>	<i>3,500</i>	<i>3,200</i>		<i>171,900</i>
<b>EUROPE &amp; THE FORMER USSR —</b>									
Austria	200	400	1,100	1,200	300	200	100		3,500
Belgium	200	200	300	500	100	—	100		2,000
Denmark	300	400	700	500	200	300	500		3,100
Finland	200	400	200	100	100	—	200		1,100
Former USSR & Baltic States	200	700	600	200	100	100	100		2,000
France	2,100	1,500	3,100	2,800	800	300	400		11,000
Germany	1,700	2,200	8,000	9,300	1,900	1,400	1,000		25,600
Greece	200	200	200	200	200	200	200		1,300
Ireland	200	300	1,000	700	200	200	700		3,300
Italy	1,400	1,700	4,100	3,100	700	600	300		11,800
Netherlands	500	800	1,900	2,200	500	400	700		7,000
Norway	100	300	400	200	—	100	100		1,300
Spain	300	600	700	400	100	200	100		2,400
Sweden	300	900	700	600	200	300	500		3,300
Switzerland	400	700	1,800	2,300	500	800	700		7,200
United Kingdom	5,800	7,900	19,600	16,200	4,100	3,300	4,600		61,600
Other	300	800	800	800	300	600	700		4,200
<i>Total</i>	<i>14,500</i>	<i>19,900</i>	<i>45,700</i>	<i>41,500</i>	<i>10,200</i>	<i>9,100</i>	<i>10,800</i>		<i>151,800</i>
<b>MIDDLE EAST &amp; NORTH AFRICA —</b>									
Israel	200	300	500	200	200	300	200		1,800
Other	400	1,000	1,200	900	500	900	300		5,100
<i>Total</i>	<i>500</i>	<i>1,300</i>	<i>1,700</i>	<i>1,100</i>	<i>700</i>	<i>1,200</i>	<i>500</i>		<i>7,000</i>
<b>SOUTHEAST ASIA —</b>									
Brunei	400	500	400	200	100	100	100		1,700
Indonesia	7,900	7,000	3,200	1,400	600	1,300	1,600		23,100
Malaysia	7,200	6,500	2,500	1,200	500	800	1,200		19,900
Philippines	1,200	1,100	600	500	200	300	400		4,400
Singapore	10,900	13,100	4,700	1,500	500	1,000	1,000		32,800
Thailand	7,800	2,700	800	400	200	500	700		13,100
Other	200	300	200	200	—	200	200		1,300
<i>Total</i>	<i>35,500</i>	<i>31,200</i>	<i>12,500</i>	<i>5,400</i>	<i>2,100</i>	<i>4,200</i>	<i>5,400</i>		<i>96,300</i>
<b>NORTHEAST ASIA —</b>									
China	700	2,700	1,700	500	100	500	800		6,900
Hong Kong	4,700	10,600	7,100	3,200	700	900	1,100		28,400
Japan	92,500	68,300	14,500	3,200	900	1,300	2,500		183,200
Korea	18,100	5,000	1,700	1,000	300	600	1,100		27,800
Taiwan	5,900	19,800	1,900	1,000	400	500	1,100		30,400
Other	200	400	300	100	—	100	100		1,100
<i>Total</i>	<i>122,000</i>	<i>106,800</i>	<i>27,100</i>	<i>9,000</i>	<i>2,500</i>	<i>3,800</i>	<i>6,600</i>		<i>277,800</i>
<b>SOUTHERN ASIA —</b>									
India	400	700	600	200	100	300	200		2,600
Sri Lanka	100	300	100	200	—	200	100		1,000
Other	100	100	200	100	100	—	100		600
<i>Total</i>	<i>600</i>	<i>1,100</i>	<i>900</i>	<i>500</i>	<i>200</i>	<i>600</i>	<i>400</i>		<i>4,300</i>
<b>THE AMERICAS —</b>									
Argentina	300	400	300	200	—	100	—		1,300
Canada	1,000	2,300	3,400	2,300	500	700	1,000		11,000
United States of America	11,300	22,400	21,000	6,100	1,300	1,900	2,300		66,400
Other	400	700	600	400	100	200	200		2,600
<i>Total</i>	<i>12,900</i>	<i>25,800</i>	<i>25,300</i>	<i>9,000</i>	<i>2,000</i>	<i>2,800</i>	<i>3,500</i>		<i>81,400</i>
<b>AFRICA (excluding North Africa) —</b>									
South Africa	2,200	1,400	2,100	1,000	200	500	200		7,600
Other	300	500	600	500	200	200	100		2,400
<i>Total</i>	<i>2,500</i>	<i>1,900</i>	<i>2,800</i>	<i>1,500</i>	<i>400</i>	<i>600</i>	<i>300</i>		<i>10,000</i>
<b>Total (d)</b>	<b>245,100</b>	<b>241,500</b>	<b>157,600</b>	<b>78,600</b>	<b>21,100</b>	<b>25,800</b>	<b>30,700</b>		<b>800,400</b>

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**TABLE 15. SHORT-TERM MOVEMENT (a) — ARRIVALS OF OVERSEAS VISITORS  
COUNTRY OF RESIDENCE (b) AND AGE GROUP  
SEPTEMBER QUARTER 1994**

Country of residence	Age group (years)								Total
	Under 15	15 - 24	25 - 34	35 - 44	45 - 54	55 - 64	65 and over		
<b>OCEANIA &amp; ANTARCTICA —</b>									
Fiji	300	300	1,000	1,000	800	400	100		4,000
New Caledonia	600	400	700	800	600	400	300		3,700
New Zealand	12,600	13,700	21,700	30,400	29,900	20,100	20,100		148,500
Papua New Guinea	1,700	1,400	2,100	2,800	1,200	700	—		9,900
Other	700	900	1,300	1,300	800	400	300		5,700
<i>Total</i>	<i>16,000</i>	<i>16,700</i>	<i>26,700</i>	<i>36,200</i>	<i>33,400</i>	<i>22,100</i>	<i>20,700</i>		<i>171,900</i>
<b>EUROPE &amp; THE FORMER USSR —</b>									
Austria	200	900	800	500	600	400	200		3,500
Belgium	100	300	500	400	400	200	100		2,000
Denmark	200	1,000	600	300	600	300	100		3,100
Finland	100	200	300	300	200	100	—		1,100
Former USSR & Baltic States	100	100	300	600	600	300	—		2,000
France	900	2,100	2,800	2,100	1,900	800	400		11,000
Germany	1,500	4,700	7,500	3,700	3,900	2,800	1,500		25,600
Greece	—	200	200	200	300	200	100		1,300
Ireland	200	800	1,100	500	400	300	200		3,300
Italy	500	1,500	3,700	2,400	1,800	1,400	700		11,300
Netherlands	300	1,100	1,800	1,100	1,200	800	700		7,000
Norway	100	300	300	200	300	100	—		1,300
Spain	100	300	800	400	300	300	100		2,400
Sweden	200	900	600	400	700	400	100		3,300
Switzerland	300	1,900	2,300	800	1,100	500	300		7,200
United Kingdom	4,500	16,300	12,600	9,200	11,000	7,400	6,700		61,600
Other	300	600	600	700	800	700	400		4,200
<i>Total</i>	<i>9,600</i>	<i>27,200</i>	<i>36,700</i>	<i>23,700</i>	<i>26,200</i>	<i>16,900</i>	<i>11,600</i>		<i>151,800</i>
<b>MIDDLE EAST &amp; NORTH AFRICA —</b>									
Israel	100	700	200	400	100	200	100		1,800
Other	1,100	400	1,100	1,100	700	600	100		5,100
<i>Total</i>	<i>1,300</i>	<i>1,000</i>	<i>1,400</i>	<i>1,500</i>	<i>800</i>	<i>700</i>	<i>200</i>		<i>7,000</i>
<b>SOUTHEAST ASIA —</b>									
Brunei	300	400	400	400	100	100	—		1,700
Indonesia	2,400	4,700	3,700	6,100	4,300	1,400	400		23,100
Malaysia	1,600	2,800	5,000	4,900	3,300	1,600	500		19,900
Philippines	300	300	900	1,100	800	600	400		4,400
Singapore	3,000	4,800	9,100	8,200	4,900	1,900	900		32,800
Thailand	500	1,500	3,500	3,700	2,600	1,000	300		13,100
Other	100	200	300	300	300	100	100		1,300
<i>Total</i>	<i>8,300</i>	<i>14,800</i>	<i>23,000</i>	<i>24,700</i>	<i>16,200</i>	<i>6,800</i>	<i>2,600</i>		<i>96,300</i>
<b>NORTHEAST ASIA —</b>									
China	200	300	1,600	1,800	1,400	1,300	400		6,900
Hong Kong	4,400	3,100	6,000	7,100	4,500	2,200	1,100		28,400
Japan	16,100	47,000	45,500	26,200	24,100	17,100	7,300		183,200
Korea	2,100	2,700	5,000	5,900	6,300	4,500	1,300		27,800
Taiwan	4,500	4,300	6,000	7,400	4,100	2,700	1,500		30,400
Other	200	100	200	300	100	100	—		1,100
<i>Total</i>	<i>27,400</i>	<i>57,600</i>	<i>64,400</i>	<i>48,600</i>	<i>40,500</i>	<i>27,700</i>	<i>11,600</i>		<i>277,800</i>
<b>SOUTHERN ASIA —</b>									
India	100	200	500	700	500	400	200		2,600
Sri Lanka	100	100	200	200	100	100	100		1,000
Other	100	100	100	100	100	100	—		600
<i>Total</i>	<i>400</i>	<i>400</i>	<i>800</i>	<i>1,100</i>	<i>700</i>	<i>600</i>	<i>300</i>		<i>4,300</i>
<b>THE AMERICAS —</b>									
Argentina	200	200	100	200	300	200	200		1,300
Canada	900	2,000	1,900	2,000	2,100	1,200	900		11,000
United States of America	4,900	8,400	10,400	13,400	12,700	9,000	7,600		66,400
Other	100	400	500	600	400	400	300		2,600
<i>Total</i>	<i>6,100</i>	<i>10,900</i>	<i>13,000</i>	<i>16,100</i>	<i>15,500</i>	<i>10,800</i>	<i>8,900</i>		<i>81,400</i>
<b>AFRICA (excluding North Africa) —</b>									
South Africa	600	500	1,300	2,100	1,300	900	900		7,600
Other	300	300	400	500	300	200	300		2,400
<i>Total</i>	<i>900</i>	<i>800</i>	<i>1,800</i>	<i>2,600</i>	<i>1,600</i>	<i>1,200</i>	<i>1,200</i>		<i>10,000</i>
<i>Total (c)</i>	<i>69,900</i>	<i>129,400</i>	<i>167,700</i>	<i>154,500</i>	<i>134,900</i>	<i>86,800</i>	<i>57,200</i>		<i>800,400</i>

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**TABLE 16. SHORT-TERM MOVEMENT (a) — ARRIVALS OF AUSTRALIAN RESIDENTS  
COUNTRY OF STAY (b) AND LENGTH OF STAY ABROAD  
SEPTEMBER QUARTER 1994**

Country of stay	Length of stay abroad							Total (c)
	Under 1 week	1 week and under 2 weeks	2 weeks and under 1 month	1 month and under 2 months	2 months and under 3 months	3 months and under 6 months	6 months and under 12 months	
<b>OCEANIA &amp; ANTARCTICA —</b>								
Fiji	2,200	13,800	5,400	900	400	300	400	23,500
French Polynesia	100	800	100	—	—	—	—	1,000
New Caledonia	700	3,100	600	—	—	—	100	4,600
New Zealand	23,000	34,900	18,900	2,200	700	1,500	700	81,900
Norfolk Island	1,200	3,200	500	—	—	—	—	5,000
Papua New Guinea	2,200	1,700	2,200	1,000	500	500	700	8,800
Solomon Islands	—	500	600	—	—	—	—	1,200
Vanuatu	600	3,200	600	100	100	—	100	4,700
Other	300	1,200	1,300	400	100	200	300	3,800
<i>Total</i>	<i>30,300</i>	<i>62,500</i>	<i>30,300</i>	<i>4,600</i>	<i>1,900</i>	<i>2,500</i>	<i>2,300</i>	<i>134,500</i>
<b>EUROPE &amp; THE FORMER USSR —</b>								
Austria	—	100	300	800	500	200	100	2,000
Croatia	—	200	100	600	900	600	—	2,500
Former USSR and Baltic States	—	100	1,100	1,200	1,000	300	100	3,900
France	—	800	2,500	3,100	700	500	400	8,000
Germany	300	700	2,300	3,000	1,600	1,500	200	9,600
Greece	100	300	1,300	4,500	2,300	3,500	500	12,500
Ireland	—	100	1,100	2,700	1,000	600	100	5,600
Italy	100	400	2,700	4,600	4,000	3,600	500	15,900
Malta	—	—	200	400	900	900	—	2,500
Netherlands	200	200	1,300	1,600	1,400	1,000	200	5,800
Poland	—	—	200	1,000	600	900	200	2,900
Spain	—	100	500	700	200	300	100	1,900
Switzerland	100	300	600	600	400	200	200	2,400
United Kingdom	400	4,100	17,900	32,900	14,500	11,500	5,200	86,600
Other	—	500	2,300	5,800	3,800	3,500	700	16,700
<i>Total</i>	<i>1,400</i>	<i>7,900</i>	<i>34,400</i>	<i>63,500</i>	<i>33,800</i>	<i>29,200</i>	<i>8,600</i>	<i>178,700</i>
<b>MIDDLE EAST &amp; NORTH AFRICA —</b>								
Egypt	—	200	100	100	200	200	—	900
Israel	—	100	500	600	100	200	200	1,700
Lebanon	—	100	500	1,200	1,400	1,100	300	4,600
Turkey	—	100	400	700	900	1,000	300	3,300
Other	100	300	400	300	200	600	600	2,600
<i>Total</i>	<i>200</i>	<i>800</i>	<i>1,900</i>	<i>2,900</i>	<i>2,800</i>	<i>3,100</i>	<i>1,400</i>	<i>13,100</i>
<b>SOUTHEAST ASIA —</b>								
Cambodia	—	100	300	200	—	—	—	700
Indonesia	5,900	32,200	23,000	3,000	1,100	1,200	600	67,100
Malaysia	2,900	6,800	6,500	2,200	1,000	900	700	20,900
Philippines	600	1,900	3,400	1,900	500	200	400	8,900
Singapore	8,800	9,000	4,400	1,400	400	700	600	25,300
Thailand	1,700	6,600	7,900	900	400	400	100	18,100
Viet Nam	300	500	1,800	2,200	700	700	200	6,400
Other	100	200	600	200	100	300	100	1,600
<i>Total</i>	<i>20,300</i>	<i>57,200</i>	<i>47,900</i>	<i>12,000</i>	<i>4,400</i>	<i>4,500</i>	<i>2,700</i>	<i>149,100</i>
<b>NORTHEAST ASIA —</b>								
China	600	2,600	3,100	1,100	500	400	600	8,900
Hong Kong	4,600	8,000	6,200	2,400	1,500	2,300	2,600	27,700
Japan	1,900	2,900	2,400	900	500	300	800	9,600
Korea	400	700	700	300	100	200	200	2,600
Taiwan	600	900	1,800	800	600	600	700	6,000
Other	—	—	100	—	—	100	—	400
<i>Total</i>	<i>8,100</i>	<i>15,200</i>	<i>14,300</i>	<i>5,500</i>	<i>3,200</i>	<i>3,800</i>	<i>4,900</i>	<i>55,100</i>
<b>SOUTHERN ASIA —</b>								
India	100	1,000	1,500	1,300	200	300	400	4,800
Sri Lanka	100	500	600	500	300	200	100	2,200
Other	—	200	300	100	200	200	200	1,000
<i>Total</i>	<i>300</i>	<i>1,700</i>	<i>2,300</i>	<i>1,800</i>	<i>700</i>	<i>600</i>	<i>700</i>	<i>8,100</i>
<b>THE AMERICAS —</b>								
Argentina	—	200	400	200	—	100	—	800
Canada	100	1,200	5,100	5,200	1,700	1,100	600	15,000
United States of America	2,900	18,300	28,700	18,400	5,000	3,700	2,300	79,200
Other	—	300	600	800	300	200	200	2,400
<i>Total</i>	<i>2,900</i>	<i>20,000</i>	<i>34,700</i>	<i>24,700</i>	<i>6,900</i>	<i>5,100</i>	<i>3,100</i>	<i>97,500</i>
<b>AFRICA (excluding North Africa) —</b>								
South Africa	100	700	1,300	800	300	100	200	3,700
Zimbabwe	—	100	900	200	100	100	100	1,500
Other	—	700	1,300	1,000	200	100	200	3,500
<i>Total</i>	<i>200</i>	<i>1,500</i>	<i>3,500</i>	<i>1,900</i>	<i>600</i>	<i>400</i>	<i>500</i>	<i>8,700</i>
<b>Total (d)</b>	<b>63,800</b>	<b>167,500</b>	<b>169,600</b>	<b>117,900</b>	<b>54,400</b>	<b>49,300</b>	<b>24,300</b>	<b>646,800</b>

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**TABLE 17. SHORT-TERM MOVEMENT (a) --- DEPARTURES OF AUSTRALIAN RESIDENTS  
COUNTRY OF INTENDED STAY (b) AND MAIN PURPOSE OF JOURNEY (c)  
SEPTEMBER QUARTER 1994**

Country of intended stay	Main purpose of journey (c)					Total
	Visiting friends/ relatives	Holiday	Business, employment, convention/ conference	Education	Other and not stated	
<b>OCEANIA &amp; ANTARCTICA —</b>						
Fiji	2,200	18,500	2,600	100	700	24,100
French Polynesia	—	1,500	100	—	—	1,700
New Caledonia	300	3,100	400	400	100	4,200
New Zealand	21,200	41,300	21,600	1,100	3,500	88,800
Norfolk Island	200	4,300	300	—	300	5,100
Papua New Guinea	900	1,700	5,200	—	1,000	8,900
Solomon Islands	100	600	600	100	—	1,400
Vanuatu	200	4,100	500	—	200	5,100
Other	700	1,900	1,000	—	300	3,900
<i>Total</i>	<i>25,700</i>	<i>77,100</i>	<i>32,300</i>	<i>1,800</i>	<i>6,200</i>	<i>143,100</i>
<b>EUROPE &amp; THE FORMER USSR —</b>						
Austria	600	600	300	—	100	1,600
Croatia	1,000	400	100	—	100	1,600
Former USSR and Baltic States	800	900	500	—	200	2,400
France	900	4,200	1,900	100	300	7,400
Germany	2,900	2,900	2,600	100	300	8,800
Greece	3,200	7,700	300	—	800	12,000
Ireland	2,100	2,200	300	—	200	4,800
Italy	5,300	8,000	1,500	100	600	15,400
Malta	700	600	—	—	—	1,300
Netherlands	2,400	1,300	700	—	300	4,800
Poland	800	500	100	—	100	1,400
Spain	400	1,000	300	—	100	1,800
Switzerland	900	1,200	600	—	300	3,100
United Kingdom	24,300	42,300	9,400	1,100	2,900	80,000
Other	5,800	5,700	1,900	100	1,000	14,500
<i>Total</i>	<i>52,200</i>	<i>79,500</i>	<i>20,400</i>	<i>1,600</i>	<i>7,200</i>	<i>160,900</i>
<b>MIDDLE EAST &amp; NORTH AFRICA —</b>						
Egypt	500	400	200	—	100	1,200
Israel	500	1,000	300	100	100	2,000
Lebanon	2,800	2,300	100	—	500	5,700
Turkey	800	1,300	200	—	100	2,400
Other	1,200	600	1,000	100	200	3,100
<i>Total</i>	<i>5,800</i>	<i>5,600</i>	<i>1,800</i>	<i>300</i>	<i>1,000</i>	<i>14,400</i>
<b>SOUTHEAST ASIA —</b>						
Cambodia	400	—	100	—	100	500
Indonesia	2,300	48,900	8,100	900	2,100	62,300
Malaysia	3,900	9,300	7,500	200	900	21,800
Philippines	3,100	2,700	1,400	100	800	7,900
Singapore	2,800	11,400	10,600	200	800	25,800
Thailand	1,200	12,700	4,100	300	500	18,800
Viet Nam	2,600	1,400	1,500	—	300	5,900
Other	400	100	700	—	100	1,300
<i>Total</i>	<i>16,700</i>	<i>86,500</i>	<i>33,900</i>	<i>1,700</i>	<i>5,600</i>	<i>144,400</i>
<b>NORTHEAST ASIA —</b>						
China	3,000	3,500	4,200	500	700	11,800
Hong Kong	7,200	11,800	10,600	600	1,400	31,600
Japan	1,300	4,200	4,200	1,200	800	11,700
Korea	1,200	800	1,200	100	200	3,300
Taiwan	2,700	1,300	2,000	200	200	6,300
Other	200	100	—	—	—	300
<i>Total</i>	<i>15,600</i>	<i>21,600</i>	<i>22,100</i>	<i>2,500</i>	<i>3,200</i>	<i>65,100</i>
<b>SOUTHERN ASIA —</b>						
India	1,500	1,400	1,100	—	400	4,500
Sri Lanka	700	700	400	—	100	1,900
Other	300	600	500	—	—	1,400
<i>Total</i>	<i>2,500</i>	<i>2,700</i>	<i>2,000</i>	<i>100</i>	<i>500</i>	<i>7,800</i>
<b>THE AMERICAS —</b>						
Argentina	300	400	100	—	—	800
Canada	3,500	6,800	2,200	300	1,000	13,700
United States of America	8,700	45,300	20,000	1,200	2,600	77,700
Other	1,000	1,400	700	—	200	3,300
<i>Total</i>	<i>13,500</i>	<i>53,900</i>	<i>22,900</i>	<i>1,500</i>	<i>3,800</i>	<i>95,600</i>
<b>AFRICA (excluding North Africa) —</b>						
South Africa	1,200	1,000	900	—	200	3,400
Zimbabwe	—	600	200	—	100	900
Other	500	1,500	800	—	300	3,200
<i>Total</i>	<i>1,800</i>	<i>3,700</i>	<i>1,900</i>	<i>100</i>	<i>600</i>	<i>7,500</i>
<i>Total (d)</i>	<i>133,700</i>	<i>331,300</i>	<i>137,700</i>	<i>9,500</i>	<i>28,200</i>	<i>640,400</i>

(a) Figures for short-term movement are based on a sample and are subject to sampling error. See paragraph 18 of the Explanatory Notes for more detail. (b) See paragraphs 11 and 12 of the Explanatory Notes. (c) Break in time series data. See paragraphs 3, 4 and 17 of the Explanatory Notes for more detail. (d) Includes other and not stated.

**TABLE 18. SHORT-TERM MOVEMENT (a) — DEPARTURES OF AUSTRALIAN RESIDENTS  
COUNTRY OF INTENDED STAY (b) AND INTENDED LENGTH OF STAY ABROAD  
SEPTEMBER QUARTER 1994**

Country of intended stay	Intended length of stay abroad							Total (c)
	Under 1 week	1 week and under 2 weeks	2 weeks and under 1 month	1 month and under 2 months	2 months and under 3 months	3 months and under 6 months	6 months and under 12 months	
<b>OCEANIA &amp; ANTARCTICA —</b>								
Fiji	1,600	14,900	5,800	600	300	600	200	24,100
French Polynesia	—	1,100	400	100	—	—	—	1,700
New Caledonia	700	2,800	400	200	—	—	—	4,200
New Zealand	23,400	37,300	21,800	4,100	800	800	600	88,800
Norfolk Island	1,100	3,500	500	—	—	—	—	5,100
Papua New Guinea	1,900	1,700	2,500	1,000	600	600	600	8,900
Solomon Islands	200	500	500	100	—	—	100	1,400
Vanuatu	700	3,600	700	—	—	—	—	5,100
Other	300	1,100	1,600	500	200	100	100	3,900
<i>Total</i>	29,900	66,500	34,100	6,600	2,000	2,100	1,700	143,100
<b>EUROPE &amp; THE FORMER USSR —</b>								
Austria	—	100	300	600	400	100	100	1,600
Croatia	—	—	—	300	600	500	200	1,600
Former USSR and Baltic States	—	100	300	1,100	600	300	—	2,400
France	100	400	2,100	2,900	1,000	500	200	7,400
Germany	200	900	2,200	2,800	1,500	800	500	8,800
Greece	100	200	1,400	2,800	3,600	2,800	1,100	12,000
Ireland	100	100	900	2,400	800	300	200	4,800
Italy	200	700	2,700	5,100	3,600	2,700	500	15,400
Malta	—	—	200	400	300	300	—	1,300
Netherlands	—	300	1,000	1,800	900	600	200	4,800
Poland	—	—	300	500	300	300	100	1,400
Spain	—	100	400	800	200	200	100	1,800
Switzerland	—	400	800	1,000	600	100	100	3,100
United Kingdom	1,000	3,900	14,400	33,800	14,300	7,000	5,600	80,000
Other	100	700	2,500	4,700	3,000	2,600	1,000	14,500
<i>Total</i>	1,800	7,800	29,500	61,000	31,600	19,200	9,900	160,900
<b>MIDDLE EAST &amp; NORTH AFRICA —</b>								
Egypt	—	200	300	300	200	100	100	1,200
Israel	—	100	500	800	200	200	100	2,000
Lebanon	—	100	300	700	1,100	1,900	1,500	5,700
Turkey	—	—	300	500	700	500	300	2,400
Other	100	300	400	600	300	600	800	3,100
<i>Total</i>	100	700	1,800	3,000	2,500	3,400	2,800	14,400
<b>SOUTHEAST ASIA —</b>								
Cambodia	—	100	200	100	—	100	100	500
Indonesia	5,300	29,200	21,500	2,700	1,400	1,500	800	62,300
Malaysia	2,000	7,400	7,200	2,400	800	1,100	800	21,800
Philippines	500	1,800	3,600	1,100	200	300	300	7,900
Singapore	8,700	9,500	4,100	1,500	600	600	900	25,800
Thailand	1,900	7,000	7,100	1,000	400	700	700	18,800
Viet Nam	100	700	1,400	1,900	700	800	300	5,900
Other	—	400	400	100	200	—	200	1,300
<i>Total</i>	18,500	56,100	45,400	10,800	4,500	5,100	4,000	144,400
<b>NORTHEAST ASIA —</b>								
China	700	2,400	3,500	2,400	800	1,100	800	11,800
Hong Kong	4,200	8,700	7,300	4,000	2,000	2,400	3,100	31,600
Japan	2,000	3,300	3,500	1,200	400	600	800	11,700
Korea	500	700	900	500	100	300	100	3,300
Taiwan	300	1,100	1,900	1,000	600	900	500	6,300
Other	—	—	—	100	100	100	—	300
<i>Total</i>	7,700	16,200	17,300	9,100	4,000	5,400	5,300	65,100
<b>SOUTHERN ASIA —</b>								
India	100	800	1,000	1,400	400	600	300	4,500
Sri Lanka	100	200	500	600	200	200	100	1,900
Other	—	200	200	300	300	200	100	1,400
<i>Total</i>	300	1,200	1,600	2,300	800	1,100	500	7,800
<b>THE AMERICAS —</b>								
Argentina	—	100	200	200	100	100	—	800
Canada	200	1,000	5,200	4,400	1,300	900	700	13,700
United States of America	3,000	16,200	30,000	17,400	4,700	3,200	3,300	77,700
Other	—	500	800	1,200	300	300	400	3,300
<i>Total</i>	3,200	17,800	36,100	23,200	6,300	4,500	4,500	95,600
<b>AFRICA (excluding North Africa) —</b>								
South Africa	200	600	900	700	300	500	300	3,400
Zimbabwe	—	100	300	300	—	100	—	900
Other	—	400	1,000	600	400	500	300	3,200
<i>Total</i>	200	1,000	2,300	1,500	800	1,100	600	7,500
<b>Total (d)</b>	<b>62,000</b>	<b>168,300</b>	<b>168,300</b>	<b>117,800</b>	<b>52,500</b>	<b>42,100</b>	<b>29,400</b>	<b>646,400</b>

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**TABLE 19. SHORT-TERM MOVEMENT (a) — DEPARTURES OF AUSTRALIAN RESIDENTS  
COUNTRY OF INTENDED STAY (b) AND AGE GROUP  
SEPTEMBER QUARTER 1994**

Country of intended stay	Age group (years)							Total (c)
	Under 15	15 - 24	25 - 34	35 - 44	45 - 54	55 - 64	65 and over	
<b>OCEANIA &amp; ANTARCTICA —</b>								
Fiji	4,100	2,600	4,500	5,000	4,400	2,000	1,500	24,100
French Polynesia	100	100	600	100	300	300	100	1,700
New Caledonia	700	600	600	700	1,000	400	300	4,200
New Zealand	10,300	13,600	20,900	18,800	15,600	6,900	2,700	88,800
Norfolk Island	100	100	400	400	1,000	1,300	1,800	5,100
Papua New Guinea	800	700	2,000	2,500	2,000	600	200	8,900
Solomon Islands	200	200	300	300	300	200	—	1,400
Vanuatu	500	700	700	1,100	1,200	600	200	5,100
Other	400	200	700	800	900	500	400	3,900
<i>Total</i>	<i>17,100</i>	<i>18,800</i>	<i>30,700</i>	<i>29,700</i>	<i>26,800</i>	<i>12,900</i>	<i>7,200</i>	<i>143,100</i>
<b>EUROPE &amp; THE FORMER USSR —</b>								
Austria	100	100	200	200	300	500	200	1,600
Croatia	100	200	200	100	300	500	200	1,600
Former USSR and Baltic States	100	200	300	400	300	400	600	2,400
France	500	700	1,300	1,300	1,700	1,200	600	7,400
Germany	500	800	1,300	1,800	2,100	1,500	700	8,800
Greece	1,300	1,500	2,500	1,100	2,700	1,900	1,000	12,000
Ireland	700	300	900	1,000	800	600	400	4,800
Italy	1,000	1,700	2,500	2,400	3,000	3,000	1,900	15,400
Malta	200	—	300	100	300	200	100	1,300
Netherlands	200	300	900	800	700	600	1,200	4,800
Poland	300	100	100	300	200	100	300	1,400
Spain	100	200	100	200	400	400	500	1,800
Switzerland	200	200	300	1,000	600	300	400	3,100
United Kingdom	6,400	7,100	11,800	10,900	17,900	14,600	11,300	80,000
Other	1,100	1,300	2,800	2,900	3,300	1,800	1,300	14,500
<i>Total</i>	<i>13,000</i>	<i>14,700</i>	<i>25,500</i>	<i>24,500</i>	<i>34,900</i>	<i>27,600</i>	<i>20,700</i>	<i>160,900</i>
<b>MIDDLE EAST &amp; NORTH AFRICA —</b>								
Egypt	100	100	200	300	300	—	100	1,200
Israel	300	200	100	500	400	100	400	2,000
Lebanon	1,500	900	1,000	1,000	700	500	100	5,700
Turkey	500	200	300	300	600	300	100	2,400
Other	700	100	500	700	700	300	200	3,100
<i>Total</i>	<i>3,100</i>	<i>1,500</i>	<i>2,100</i>	<i>2,700</i>	<i>2,600</i>	<i>1,300</i>	<i>1,000</i>	<i>14,400</i>
<b>SOUTHEAST ASIA —</b>								
Cambodia	—	—	—	200	200	—	—	500
Indonesia	7,900	9,200	12,900	13,300	11,800	4,700	2,600	62,300
Malaysia	2,600	1,300	3,100	6,100	5,700	2,400	700	21,800
Philippines	1,000	600	1,400	1,800	1,900	800	400	7,900
Singapore	1,900	2,000	3,400	7,700	6,200	3,000	1,700	25,800
Thailand	1,300	1,900	4,100	4,800	4,300	1,600	800	18,800
Viet Nam	500	500	1,900	1,200	800	400	400	5,900
Other	100	100	200	400	300	100	100	1,300
<i>Total</i>	<i>15,300</i>	<i>15,700</i>	<i>27,000</i>	<i>35,400</i>	<i>31,100</i>	<i>13,000</i>	<i>6,800</i>	<i>144,400</i>
<b>NORTHEAST ASIA —</b>								
China	1,000	1,000	2,400	2,900	2,700	1,100	600	11,800
Hong Kong	3,200	2,400	5,400	8,700	7,200	3,000	1,700	31,600
Japan	1,300	2,200	2,200	2,600	2,300	800	300	11,700
Korea	400	300	700	700	700	300	100	3,300
Taiwan	700	500	600	2,000	1,800	400	300	6,300
Other	—	100	—	100	—	—	—	300
<i>Total</i>	<i>6,600</i>	<i>6,500</i>	<i>11,300</i>	<i>17,200</i>	<i>14,800</i>	<i>5,800</i>	<i>3,000</i>	<i>65,100</i>
<b>SOUTHERN ASIA —</b>								
India	400	500	900	1,300	1,000	300	100	4,500
Sri Lanka	300	100	200	400	500	300	200	1,900
Other	100	100	400	300	200	100	100	1,400
<i>Total</i>	<i>900</i>	<i>700</i>	<i>1,500</i>	<i>2,000</i>	<i>1,600</i>	<i>700</i>	<i>400</i>	<i>7,800</i>
<b>THE AMERICAS —</b>								
Argentina	100	—	200	200	200	100	—	800
Canada	900	1,000	2,300	2,800	3,000	1,600	2,100	13,700
United States of America	6,500	9,200	15,700	17,200	15,700	7,900	5,500	77,700
Other	400	300	700	700	800	400	100	3,300
<i>Total</i>	<i>7,900</i>	<i>10,500</i>	<i>19,000</i>	<i>20,900</i>	<i>19,700</i>	<i>9,900</i>	<i>7,700</i>	<i>95,600</i>
<b>AFRICA (excluding North Africa) —</b>								
South Africa	500	100	400	1,000	800	300	200	3,400
Zimbabwe	—	100	100	200	300	100	—	900
Other	200	200	500	700	1,000	200	400	3,200
<i>Total</i>	<i>800</i>	<i>400</i>	<i>1,100</i>	<i>1,800</i>	<i>2,100</i>	<i>600</i>	<i>700</i>	<i>7,500</i>
<b>Total (d)</b>	<b>64,800</b>	<b>69,300</b>	<b>118,700</b>	<b>134,400</b>	<b>133,900</b>	<b>71,800</b>	<b>47,400</b>	<b>640,400</b>

(a) Figures for short-term movement are based on a sample and are subject to sampling error. See paragraph 18 of the Explanatory Notes for more detail. (b) See paragraphs 11 and 12 of the Explanatory Notes. (c) Includes not stated. (d) Includes other and not stated.

**TABLE 20. PERMANENT MOVEMENT — SETTLER ARRIVALS**  
**COUNTRY OF BIRTH (a)**  
**SEPTEMBER QUARTER 1992 TO SEPTEMBER QUARTER 1994**

Country of birth	1992		1993			1994			
	September	December	March	June	September	December	March	June	September
<b>OCEANIA &amp; ANTARCTICA —</b>									
Fiji	460	560	310	260	330	370	330	300	340
New Zealand	1,630	1,690	1,860	1,520	1,570	1,890	2,230	2,080	2,150
Samoa, Western	90	100	140	100	90	80	90	100	160
Other	210	210	200	170	180	200	150	190	220
<i>Total</i>	2,390	2,570	2,510	2,050	2,180	2,540	2,810	2,670	2,870
<b>EUROPE &amp; THE FORMER USSR —</b>									
Bosnia-Herzegovina	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	160	550	510
Croatia	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	210	180	200
Former USSR & Baltic States	820	1,510	460	410	450	490	440	570	620
Former Yugoslav Republics (b)	970	880	1,000	1,360	1,270	970	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Former Yugoslavia n.f.d. (c)	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	730	680	850
France	40	70	50	30	50	60	70	60	110
Germany	160	190	170	130	150	160	170	150	250
Greece	70	70	50	50	70	90	50	60	60
Ireland	170	130	130	130	160	130	150	170	270
Italy	70	100	50	60	50	80	90	70	110
Netherlands	60	60	40	50	50	80	80	70	100
Poland	350	370	140	100	220	210	130	100	260
Romania	110	120	80	70	100	90	80	60	100
Switzerland	60	80	50	30	60	60	50	50	80
United Kingdom	2,780	2,600	2,020	2,090	2,150	2,430	2,170	2,210	2,790
Other	580	520	300	220	340	340	290	330	550
<i>Total</i>	6,240	6,690	4,540	4,730	5,130	5,180	4,860	5,310	6,850
<b>MIDDLE EAST &amp; NORTH AFRICA —</b>									
Egypt	260	260	70	60	160	190	90	60	180
Iran	130	60	60	60	80	100	110	130	100
Iraq	640	410	210	280	270	150	330	340	500
Lebanon	240	330	250	230	250	300	250	260	300
Turkey	160	190	140	140	150	150	140	110	120
Other	450	370	230	200	300	310	290	310	360
<i>Total</i>	1,870	1,620	950	980	1,220	1,200	1,200	1,210	1,550
<b>SOUTHEAST ASIA —</b>									
Cambodia	70	100	90	80	110	140	140	540	420
Indonesia	440	310	240	190	240	150	110	120	210
Malaysia	430	450	390	280	290	350	380	240	280
Philippines	1,160	1,110	670	800	1,110	1,170	850	1,060	1,130
Singapore	150	120	110	90	100	120	130	160	160
Thailand	220	170	150	150	180	180	160	210	240
Viet Nam	1,380	1,450	1,260	1,560	1,570	1,270	1,290	1,300	1,280
Other	80	50	70	30	100	130	110	240	200
<i>Total</i>	3,910	3,770	2,990	3,180	3,690	3,510	3,180	3,870	3,910
<b>NORTHEAST ASIA —</b>									
China	890	950	620	590	750	620	600	770	1,030
Hong Kong	2,690	1,670	1,310	850	940	730	890	780	1,070
Japan	120	100	120	100	80	100	110	130	210
Korea	250	250	250	180	190	180	130	180	240
Taiwan	610	370	280	180	260	180	180	170	250
Other	50	40	30	20	30	30	20	40	20
<i>Total</i>	4,600	3,380	2,610	1,920	2,240	1,830	1,920	2,060	2,820
<b>SOUTHERN ASIA —</b>									
India	1,200	1,200	600	550	710	630	610	700	890
Pakistan	110	90	70	80	120	100	100	100	130
Sri Lanka	590	520	240	220	370	320	330	420	660
Other	550	270	110	230	380	180	200	240	280
<i>Total</i>	2,450	2,090	1,020	1,080	1,580	1,220	1,230	1,450	1,960
<b>THE AMERICAS —</b>									
Canada	210	190	160	140	160	180	150	150	270
United States of America	380	380	280	290	360	350	360	310	600
Other	500	510	290	270	310	320	250	280	350
<i>Total</i>	1,090	1,070	720	690	820	840	750	740	1,220
<b>AFRICA (excluding North Africa) —</b>									
South Africa	300	330	210	180	240	350	510	560	640
Other	450	400	360	340	410	380	340	460	550
<i>Total</i>	750	730	570	530	650	730	840	1,020	1,190
<b>Total (d)</b>	<b>23,310</b>	<b>21,940</b>	<b>15,910</b>	<b>15,160</b>	<b>17,530</b>	<b>17,070</b>	<b>16,810</b>	<b>18,360</b>	<b>22,370</b>

(a) See paragraphs 11 and 12 of the Explanatory Notes. (b) Includes all constituent republics of the former country of Yugoslavia. (c) Includes vague responses which cannot be coded to any other category. See paragraphs 11 and 12 of the Explanatory Notes. (d) Includes other and not stated.

**TABLE 21. PERMANENT AND LONG-TERM MOVEMENT — ARRIVALS**  
**COUNTRY OF BIRTH (a)**  
**SEPTEMBER QUARTER 1992 TO SEPTEMBER QUARTER 1994**

Country of birth	1992			1993			1994		
	September	December	March	June	September	December	March	June	September
<b>OCEANIA &amp; ANTARCTICA —</b>									
Australia	8,620	13,760	9,490	7,530	9,540	13,760	9,540	7,450	9,870
Fiji	610	710	790	430	520	520	820	440	520
New Zealand	2,840	2,990	3,640	2,770	2,780	3,320	4,230	3,510	3,560
Papua New Guinea	300	200	740	200	260	230	890	240	320
Samoa, Western	170	160	250	160	150	130	220	180	230
Other	230	200	500	170	200	170	480	190	190
<i>Total</i>	<i>12,760</i>	<i>18,010</i>	<i>15,400</i>	<i>11,260</i>	<i>13,450</i>	<i>18,140</i>	<i>16,190</i>	<i>12,010</i>	<i>14,690</i>
<b>EUROPE &amp; THE FORMER USSR —</b>									
Bosnia-Herzegovina	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	160	560	510
Croatia	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	240	210	240
Former USSR & Baltic States	900	1,560	530	480	520	560	500	630	740
Former Yugoslav Republics (b)	1,230	1,180	1,230	1,590	1,500	1,220	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Former Yugoslavia n.f.d. (c)	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	910	770	970
France	260	240	240	160	320	270	330	220	430
Germany	520	580	570	410	530	550	700	470	720
Greece	430	710	470	330	500	780	500	370	420
Ireland	330	360	340	290	410	360	400	370	580
Italy	330	440	310	230	310	390	340	240	420
Netherlands	240	280	250	210	230	320	280	240	360
Poland	420	470	240	170	310	330	230	190	380
Switzerland	200	200	170	110	180	200	200	140	220
United Kingdom	5,790	6,150	5,380	4,840	5,390	6,540	5,670	5,100	6,160
Other	1,560	1,410	1,110	790	1,310	1,260	1,250	1,000	1,700
<i>Total</i>	<i>12,180</i>	<i>13,570</i>	<i>10,820</i>	<i>9,620</i>	<i>11,500</i>	<i>12,780</i>	<i>11,700</i>	<i>10,500</i>	<i>13,850</i>
<b>MIDDLE EAST &amp; NORTH AFRICA —</b>									
Egypt	350	330	130	130	240	260	170	110	260
Iran	580	380	320	260	430	270	330	240	320
Iraq	640	420	220	280	280	160	340	360	510
Lebanon	400	560	410	390	450	580	420	450	600
Turkey	320	410	290	240	360	420	320	260	330
Other	600	500	390	330	530	510	500	470	630
<i>Total</i>	<i>2,890</i>	<i>2,600</i>	<i>1,750</i>	<i>1,630</i>	<i>2,290</i>	<i>2,210</i>	<i>2,080</i>	<i>1,880</i>	<i>2,650</i>
<b>SOUTHEAST ASIA —</b>									
Cambodia	80	110	110	90	120	150	180	550	460
Indonesia	1,420	770	2,150	700	1,460	740	2,360	820	1,790
Malaysia	1,390	1,110	4,440	910	1,450	1,110	4,550	970	1,620
Philippines	1,390	1,280	1,010	1,060	1,340	1,380	1,240	1,330	1,400
Singapore	870	380	2,120	370	1,080	550	2,480	580	1,380
Thailand	490	350	860	400	530	410	1,000	520	660
Viet Nam	1,470	1,530	1,470	1,670	1,710	1,390	1,650	1,480	1,490
Other	150	100	280	80	230	210	350	350	320
<i>Total</i>	<i>7,250</i>	<i>5,630</i>	<i>12,440</i>	<i>5,270</i>	<i>7,900</i>	<i>5,930</i>	<i>13,800</i>	<i>6,600</i>	<i>9,110</i>
<b>NORTHEAST ASIA —</b>									
China	2,190	1,920	2,740	1,510	1,740	1,320	2,250	1,520	2,020
Hong Kong	4,200	2,630	5,160	1,710	2,780	2,030	4,790	1,880	3,420
Japan	1,750	1,530	2,150	1,800	1,810	1,480	2,310	1,900	2,050
Korea	810	620	1,300	600	720	600	1,240	780	920
Taiwan	1,050	600	1,020	430	820	440	1,070	420	830
Other	80	70	110	30	70	40	90	70	70
<i>Total</i>	<i>10,070</i>	<i>7,360</i>	<i>12,480</i>	<i>6,080</i>	<i>7,930</i>	<i>5,910</i>	<i>11,750</i>	<i>6,560</i>	<i>9,300</i>
<b>SOUTHERN ASIA —</b>									
India	1,480	1,460	1,100	830	1,070	870	1,450	1,040	1,530
Pakistan	170	150	190	160	180	160	240	170	210
Sri Lanka	750	720	630	340	550	530	690	600	860
Other	630	320	270	280	470	230	450	310	410
<i>Total</i>	<i>3,040</i>	<i>2,640</i>	<i>2,200</i>	<i>1,600</i>	<i>2,270</i>	<i>1,790</i>	<i>2,830</i>	<i>2,120</i>	<i>3,010</i>
<b>THE AMERICAS —</b>									
Canada	600	450	510	330	560	530	550	420	740
United States of America	1,770	1,530	1,770	1,310	1,820	1,680	2,020	1,570	2,330
Other	700	710	570	460	520	570	610	510	630
<i>Total</i>	<i>3,070</i>	<i>2,690</i>	<i>2,850</i>	<i>2,100</i>	<i>2,900</i>	<i>2,780</i>	<i>3,280</i>	<i>2,500</i>	<i>3,700</i>
<b>AFRICA (excluding North Africa) —</b>									
South Africa	430	500	470	380	420	620	940	810	890
Other	660	610	860	500	650	660	890	680	870
<i>Total</i>	<i>1,090</i>	<i>1,110</i>	<i>1,330</i>	<i>880</i>	<i>1,070</i>	<i>1,270</i>	<i>1,820</i>	<i>1,500</i>	<i>1,760</i>
<b>Total (d)</b>	<b>52,370</b>	<b>53,650</b>	<b>59,290</b>	<b>38,450</b>	<b>49,330</b>	<b>50,860</b>	<b>63,480</b>	<b>43,700</b>	<b>58,080</b>

(a) See paragraphs 11 and 12 of the Explanatory Notes. (b) Includes all constituent republics of the former country of Yugoslavia. (c) Includes vague responses which cannot be coded to any other category. See paragraphs 11 and 12 of the Explanatory Notes. (d) Includes other and not stated.

**TABLE 22. PERMANENT AND LONG-TERM MOVEMENT — DEPARTURES  
COUNTRY OF INTENDED FUTURE RESIDENCE (a)  
SEPTEMBER QUARTER 1992 TO SEPTEMBER QUARTER 1994**

Country of intended future residence	1992			1993			1994		
	September	December	March	June	September	December	March	June	September
<b>OCEANIA &amp; ANTARCTICA —</b>									
Fiji	490	670	680	470	430	560	580	330	340
New Zealand	2,960	4,070	4,120	3,290	3,320	4,360	4,210	3,480	3,350
Papua New Guinea	950	960	1,450	870	870	1,140	1,420	950	860
Solomon Islands	70	110	120	90	80	90	140	80	70
Tonga	140	160	160	110	120	200	140	90	130
Other	340	380	540	330	320	410	480	310	290
<i>Total</i>	4,950	6,360	7,070	5,160	5,140	6,760	6,960	5,240	5,040
<b>EUROPE &amp; THE FORMER USSR —</b>									
Croatia	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	70	140	90
Former Yugoslav Republics (b)	190	130	140	260	220	150	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Former Yugoslavia n.f.d. (c)	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	90	100	90
France	390	290	370	300	380	260	310	250	340
Germany	530	430	590	490	420	410	550	470	470
Greece	560	410	630	580	500	460	570	680	490
Ireland	430	370	290	330	320	280	320	400	330
Italy	400	300	380	360	350	300	430	350	370
Malta	90	140	140	150	130	110	100	100	120
Netherlands	260	250	320	270	220	210	300	230	250
Poland	200	170	130	160	150	90	110	90	100
Portugal	160	170	150	110	120	130	100	90	90
Spain	160	150	150	150	120	110	140	120	150
Sweden	130	90	190	140	150	120	160	160	140
Switzerland	240	200	290	190	200	200	240	220	210
United Kingdom	6,290	5,620	7,480	6,250	5,530	5,540	7,530	6,730	5,940
Other	860	730	860	800	790	600	820	850	880
<i>Total</i>	10,880	9,450	12,100	10,530	9,590	8,960	11,840	10,990	10,050
<b>MIDDLE EAST &amp; NORTH AFRICA —</b>									
Israel	170	200	220	160	170	200	210	190	250
Lebanon	130	160	160	220	270	130	170	190	260
Saudi Arabia	240	200	260	210	290	250	250	180	230
Turkey	300	180	280	460	310	150	180	300	270
Other	510	370	390	360	580	430	500	400	730
<i>Total</i>	1,350	1,110	1,310	1,410	1,620	1,160	1,300	1,250	1,750
<b>SOUTHEAST ASIA —</b>									
Indonesia	1,060	1,570	1,150	850	1,080	1,580	1,130	930	1,210
Malaysia	1,140	2,320	1,420	950	1,000	2,140	1,500	970	980
Philippines	590	540	550	530	480	520	490	470	380
Singapore	920	1,340	1,200	970	1,040	1,470	1,280	1,000	980
Thailand	610	830	640	540	620	800	620	610	560
Viet Nam	60	130	130	120	120	180	200	150	190
Other	210	210	310	210	230	220	240	170	220
<i>Total</i>	4,590	6,940	5,390	4,180	4,570	6,910	5,440	4,290	4,520
<b>NORTHEAST ASIA —</b>									
China	1,060	1,400	1,550	1,180	1,460	1,170	960	690	820
Hong Kong	2,380	3,630	2,470	1,760	2,380	3,330	2,230	1,850	2,470
Japan	1,600	1,800	2,120	1,530	1,780	1,780	2,100	1,630	1,820
Korea	600	940	540	570	630	890	530	590	580
Taiwan	350	500	330	290	320	590	380	270	330
Other	20	50	40	20	40	60	50	40	30
<i>Total</i>	6,000	8,370	7,050	5,350	6,610	7,830	6,250	5,070	6,040
<b>SOUTHERN ASIA —</b>									
India	320	370	320	230	240	330	290	260	270
Sri Lanka	130	190	180	120	130	200	150	150	120
Other	230	270	270	130	240	250	220	130	170
<i>Total</i>	670	830	780	490	600	780	660	540	560
<b>THE AMERICAS —</b>									
Canada	820	940	720	750	800	800	790	820	780
Chile	120	160	210	100	120	160	220	90	110
United States of America	2,960	2,620	3,000	2,770	3,100	2,740	2,930	2,870	3,410
Other	370	420	450	260	270	370	390	260	240
<i>Total</i>	4,260	4,140	4,380	3,870	4,290	4,070	4,340	4,040	4,550
<b>AFRICA (excluding North Africa) —</b>									
South Africa	160	210	220	120	140	160	250	150	200
Other	310	260	380	210	350	300	460	320	340
<i>Total</i>	460	470	610	340	490	460	700	470	540
<b>Total (d)</b>	<b>33,240</b>	<b>37,690</b>	<b>38,790</b>	<b>31,380</b>	<b>33,000</b>	<b>37,260</b>	<b>37,760</b>	<b>31,970</b>	<b>33,070</b>

(a) See paragraphs 11 and 12 of the Explanatory Notes. (b) Includes all constituent republics of the former country of Yugoslavia. (c) Includes vague responses which cannot be coded to any other category. See paragraphs 11 and 12 of the Explanatory Notes. (d) Includes other and not stated.

## EXPLANATORY NOTES

### **Introduction**

This publication contains statistics of persons arriving in, and departing from, Australia in summary form for the latest available quarter, together with three year time series for the major characteristics of travellers. More detailed statistics can be made available, on request (see paragraph 25). Monthly statistics have previously been released (see paragraph 22).

### **Source of the statistics**

2. Persons arriving in, or departing from, Australia are required to complete prescribed questionnaires in the form of Incoming and Outgoing Passenger cards (see Appendix A). These cards provide information to the Department of Immigration and Ethnic Affairs for administrative purposes and serve as the source of statistics of overseas arrivals and departures. In accordance with the *Census and Statistics Act 1905*, information relating to individuals, individual flights or ships and individual carriers, which is contained in these cards or other documents, is treated as confidential by the ABS.

3. Implementation of the Migration Reform Act by the Department of Immigration and Ethnic Affairs required that a health and character check be incorporated with the Incoming passenger card. The redesign of both passenger cards followed and new passenger cards were officially introduced on 1 September 1994. The two main statistical changes affect *Marital Status* and *Purpose of Journey* and constitute a break in time series for these data items.

4. In addition to the four *Marital Status* categories of "Never married", "Married", "Widowed" and "Divorced", both passenger cards now include "Separated but not divorced" and "Common law/de facto". The following changes were also made to the *Purpose of Journey* question: on the Incoming passenger card "In transit" has been dropped; on the Outgoing passenger card "Student vacation" has been dropped; and on both cards "Visiting relatives" has been changed to "Visiting friends/relatives", "Convention" has been changed to "Convention/conference" and "Accompanying business visitor" has been dropped.

### **Scope**

5. The statistics in this publication relate to the number of movements of travellers rather than the number of travellers (i.e. the multiple movements of individual persons during a given reference period are each counted separately). The statistics exclude the movements of operational air and ships' crew, of transit passengers who pass through Australia but are not cleared for entry, and of passengers on pleasure cruises commencing and finishing in Australia aboard ships not then engaged on regular voyages.

### **Definitions**

#### *Category of movement*

6. Category of movement is primarily determined by the traveller's selection of their own category on the passenger card. This selection is accepted provided it is consistent with other information on the passenger card.

#### *Permanent movement*

7. Permanent arrivals (settlers) comprise travellers who hold migrant visas, (regardless of stated intended period of stay), New Zealand citizens who indicate an intention to

settle and those who are otherwise eligible to settle (e.g. overseas born children of Australian citizens). Permanent departures are Australian residents (including former settlers) who on departure state they do not intend to return to Australia.

#### *Long-term movement*

8. Long-term arrivals comprise overseas visitors (except those who hold migrant visas—see paragraph 7 above) who intend to stay in Australia for 12 months or more and Australian residents returning after an absence of 12 months or more overseas. Long-term departures comprise Australian residents who intend to stay abroad for 12 months or more and overseas visitors departing who stayed 12 months or more in Australia.

#### *Short-term movement*

9. Movements of travellers whose intended or actual length of stay is less than twelve months are classified as short-term, except those who on arrival hold migrant visas (see paragraph 7 above).

10. A large number of travellers state exactly 12 months or one year as their intended period of stay. Many of these stay for less than that period and on their departure from, or return to, Australia should therefore be classified as short-term. To maintain consistency between arrivals and departures, movements of travellers who report their actual or intended period of stay as being one year exactly are randomly allocated to long-term or short-term, in proportion to the number of movements of travellers who report their actual length of stay as up to one month more, or one month less, than one year.

#### *Country of birth, residence or citizenship*

11. The classification of countries in this publication is based on the Australian Standard Classification of Countries for Social Statistics (ASCCSS). For more detailed information refer to the ABS publication *Australian Standard Classification of Countries for Social Statistics* (1269.0).

12. Political developments in Europe and the Former USSR have resulted in a number of changes to the ASCCSS, detailed in Revisions 1.01 and 1.02 of the ASCCSS. Further developments in Europe and Africa have affected some of the categories in this publication and are detailed in Revision 1.03 of the ASCCSS. These changes came into effect for March 1994 data.

13. Statistics on country of birth, residence or citizenship have certain limitations because of inadequate reporting on passenger cards. For instance, it is not possible to identify separately England, Scotland and Wales. Similarly 'Korea' includes both the Republic of Korea and the Democratic People's Republic of Korea. United States of America includes 'America (undefined)'.

#### *State or Territory of clearance*

14. State or Territory of clearance refers to the State or Territory in which a passenger is cleared by Customs and Immigration authorities. Embarkation or disembarkation and clearance are usually, but not necessarily, in the same State.

#### *State or country of residence*

15. State of residence or country of residence refers to the State or country in which travellers regard themselves as living or as last having lived. State of intended residence is derived from the intended address given by settlers and Australian residents returning after a journey abroad. Particularly in the case of the former, this information does not necessarily relate to the State in which a traveller will eventually establish a permanent residence.

#### *State of stay and country of intended stay for short-term travellers*

16. Overseas visitors are asked on arrival for their intended address and on departure for the name of the State in which they spent most time. Australian residents travelling overseas are asked on departure for the name of the country in which they intend to spend most time and on their return for the name of the country in which they spent most time.

#### *Purpose of journey*

17. Overseas visitors are asked on arrival their main reason for coming to Australia and Australian residents are asked on departure their main reason for going abroad. From September 1994, all statistics relating to *Purpose of journey* will be published using the following categories: "Convention/conference", "Business", "Visiting friends/relatives", "Holiday", "Employment", "Education" and "Other". In tabulations of data collected before September 1994, the "Other" category will include "In transit" and "Holiday" will include "Student vacation" and "Accompanying business visitor".

#### **Estimation method**

18. Overseas arrival and departure statistics are derived from a combination of full enumeration and sampling. All permanent movements and all movements with a duration of stay of one year or more are fully enumerated. All movements with a duration of stay of less than one year are sampled. Statistics relating to these movements are therefore estimates which may differ from statistics which would have been obtained if details of all these movements had been processed. Details of the sampling method and comments on the sampling errors associated with the estimates are contained in the Technical Note, Appendix B.

19. The statistics in this publication have been rounded, to the nearest 100 for short-term movements and to the nearest 10 for permanent and long-term movements. In tables showing both short-term and permanent and long-term movements the total movements have been rounded to the nearest 100. The sums of the components may, due to rounding, not add exactly to totals.

#### **Corrections and imputations**

20. The imprecision due to sampling errors should not be confused with errors arising from imperfections in reporting, which may occur in any data collection, whether

sampled or not. Every effort is made to minimise such errors, both through careful design of the passenger cards and through checks on the information once it is received. During the edit process some items are corrected where they conflict with other known information. Missing replies to certain items such as age and country of birth are also imputed by reference to other related items.

21. Errors of this kind differ from discrepancies arising from the fact that certain information reflects the travellers intentions, at the time the passenger cards were completed. These intentions are of course subject to change. Particularly affected is the distinction between permanent and temporary movement and in the latter case, length of intended stay, country in which most time will be spent and purpose of journey.

#### **Related publications**

22. Users may also wish to refer to the following ABS publications:

*Overseas Arrivals and Departures, Australia* (3401.0)—issued monthly

*Overseas Arrivals and Departures, Australia* (3404.0)—issued annually

*Australian Demographic Statistics*, (3101.0)—issued quarterly

23. Related statistics are also published by the Department of Immigration and Ethnic Affairs and the Department of Transport and Communications.

24. Current publications produced by the ABS are listed in the *Catalogue of Publications and Products, Australia* (1101.0). The ABS also issues, on Tuesdays and Fridays, a *Publications Advice* (1105.0) which lists publications to be released in the next few days. The Catalogue and Publications Advice are available from any ABS office.

#### **Additional statistics available**

25. In some cases, the ABS can make available information which is not published. This information may be made available in one or more of the following forms: microfiche, photocopy, data tape, floppy disk, computer printout, clerically-extracted tabulations. Generally, a charge is made for providing unpublished information. A full list of unpublished Overseas Arrival and Departure tabulations is available on request.

#### **Symbols and other usages**

—	nil or rounded to zero
..	not applicable
n.a.	not available
n.f.d.	not further defined

## APPENDIX A

### FACSIMILE OF INCOMING AND OUTGOING PASSENGER CARDS (a)

#### INCOMING PASSENGER CARD

The Chinese cards must be answered for each passenger.  
Complete in ENGLISH using BLOCK LETTERS.

AUSTRALIA INCOMING PASSENGER CARD		
<b>1</b> Family/Surname		
<b>2</b> Given names		
<b>3</b> Passport number		
<b>4</b> Nationality as shown in passport		
<b>5</b> Country of birth		
<b>6</b> Date of birth Day	Month	Year
<b>7</b> Sex Male <input type="radio"/>	Female <input type="radio"/>	
<b>8</b> Current marital status Never married <input type="radio"/>	Widowed <input type="radio"/>	Separated but not divorced <input type="radio"/>
Married <input type="radio"/> Divorced <input type="radio"/> Common law / de facto <input type="radio"/>		
<b>9</b> Please <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> and answer only one of A or B or C		
<b>A</b> Migrating permanently to Australia <input type="radio"/> (1) Previous country of residence _____ (2) Main reason for coming to Australia (1 <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> one only) Convention/conference <input type="radio"/> Business <input type="radio"/> Visiting friends/relatives <input type="radio"/> Holiday <input type="radio"/> Employment <input type="radio"/> Education <input type="radio"/> Other <input type="radio"/> (3) Country of residence _____		
<b>B</b> Visitor or temporary entrant <input type="radio"/> (1) Intended length of stay in Australia Years _____ Months _____ Days _____ OR _____ (2) Country where you spent most time while abroad _____		
<b>C</b> Resident returning to Australia <input type="radio"/> (1) Time you have been away from Australia Years _____ Months _____ Days _____ (2) Country where you spent most time while abroad _____		
<b>10</b> Usual occupation		
<b>11</b> Present address in Australia State		
<b>12</b> Flight number or name of ship		
<b>13</b> Overseas country where you will get off this flight or ship		
Questions continue >		

Or, if applicable no change to the answer you gave on your last Australian visa application

<b>14</b> Are you an Australian CITIZEN?			
<input type="radio"/> Yes	► Go straight to 'Please sign here' at 15		
<input type="radio"/> No	Please answer the following questions:		
(a) Do you currently suffer from tuberculosis?			
(b) Have you any criminal convictions for which the sentences (whether served or not) totalled 12 months imprisonment or more?			
(c) Have you ever been found guilty, or acquitted of committing a crime because you were of unsound mind?			
(d) Have you ever been deported, removed or excluded from any country (including Australia)?			
(e) Do you own \$1000 or more to the Australian Government?			
<input type="radio"/> Yes			
<input type="radio"/> No			
<b>15</b> Please sign here			
to declare that the information you have given on this card is complete. Migration legislation requires that you answer all questions truthfully.			
Date	Day	Month	Year
Information provided on Department of Immigration and Ethnic Affairs (DIEA) forms is used to carry out DIEA functions. Under Australian law it is confidential but can be released to various agencies. For a list of these agencies, see the information form <i>Safeguarding your Personal Information</i> , available at Australian ports and airports, and offices of the Australian Departments of Immigration and Ethnic Affairs, and Foreign Affairs and Trade.			
OFFICE USE ONLY			
Visa number	© Commonwealth of Australia 1994 McMillan Print Telephone (02) 748 4444		
Visa class	PZ 015 (05-94)		

#### OUTGOING PASSENGER CARD

The Chinese cards must be answered for each passenger.  
Complete in ENGLISH using BLOCK LETTERS.

AUSTRALIA OUTGOING PASSENGER CARD		
<b>1</b> Family/Surname		
<b>2</b> Given names		
<b>3</b> Passport number		
<b>4</b> Nationality as shown in passport		
<b>5</b> Country of birth		
<b>6</b> Date of birth Day	Month	Year
<b>7</b> Sex Male <input type="radio"/>	Female <input type="radio"/>	
<b>8</b> Current marital status Never married <input type="radio"/>	Widowed <input type="radio"/>	Separated but not divorced <input type="radio"/>
Married <input type="radio"/> Divorced <input type="radio"/> Common law / de facto <input type="radio"/>		
<b>9</b> Please <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> and answer only one of D or E or F		
<b>D</b> Visitor or temporary entrant departing <input type="radio"/> (1) Length of time you have been in Australia this visit Years _____ Months _____ Days _____ OR _____ (2) Main reason for going abroad (1 <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> one only) Convention/conference <input type="radio"/> Business <input type="radio"/> Visiting friends/relatives <input type="radio"/> Holiday <input type="radio"/> Employment <input type="radio"/> Education <input type="radio"/> Other <input type="radio"/> (3) Country in which you will spend most time while abroad _____ (4) Australian State where you live _____		
<b>E</b> Resident departing temporarily <input type="radio"/> (1) Intended length of stay abroad Years _____ Months _____ Days _____ OR _____ (2) Country of future residence _____ (3) Australian State where you lived _____ (4) If you were not born in Australia: • How long ago did you come to live in Australia? Years _____ Months _____ • Did you intend to settle permanently? Yes <input type="radio"/> No <input type="radio"/>		
<b>F</b> Resident departing permanently <input type="radio"/> (1) Country of future residence _____ (2) Australian State where you lived _____		
<b>10</b> Usual occupation		
<b>11</b> Flight number or name of ship		
<b>12</b> Overseas country where you will get off this flight or ship		
Questions continue >		

<b>13</b> Airport / Port of departure			
<b>14</b> Departure date	Day	Month	Year
<b>15</b> Please sign here		Date	
to declare that the information you have given on this card is complete. Migration legislation requires that you answer all questions truthfully.			
Information provided on Department of Immigration and Ethnic Affairs (DIEA) forms is used to carry out DIEA functions. Under Australian law it is confidential but can be released to various agencies. For a list of these agencies, see the information form <i>Safeguarding your Personal Information</i> , available at Australian ports and airports, and offices of the Australian Departments of Immigration and Ethnic Affairs, and Foreign Affairs and Trade.			
OFFICE USE ONLY			
Departure date	© Commonwealth of Australia 1994 McMillan Print Telephone (02) 748 4444		
			PZ 016 (05-94)

## APPENDIX B

### TECHNICAL NOTE : METHOD OF SAMPLING AND RELIABILITY OF ESTIMATES

#### Method of sampling

All movements with a duration of stay less than one year are sampled using the following stratification:

<i>Country of Citizenship</i>	<i>Sample</i>
Australia, New Zealand, Japan, United Kingdom (excl. Ireland), and the United States of America	1 in 40
Canada, Germany, Malaysia and Singapore	1 in 15
Any other individual country depending on the number of movements	1 in 1 or 1 in 4 or 1 in 10

#### Reliability of estimates

Estimates based on a sample are subject to sampling variability, i.e. they may differ from those that would be obtained from a full enumeration.

The sampling error associated with any estimate can be estimated from the sample results and one measure so derived is the standard error. Given an estimate and the standard error on that estimate, there are about two chances in three that the sample estimate will differ by less than one standard error from the figure that would have been obtained from full enumeration, and about nineteen chances in twenty that the difference will be less than two standard errors. Another measure of the sampling error is the relative standard error which is obtained by expressing the standard error as a percentage of the estimate.

It would be impracticable to publish estimates of standard errors for all figures in individual tables. However, the following tables of standard errors and relative standard errors gives an indication of the magnitude of the sampling error associated with any estimate of a particular size for short-term and total movement.

#### APPROXIMATE STANDARD ERRORS OR ESTIMATES FOR STRATIFIED SAMPLE

<i>Estimated number of persons</i>	<i>Short-term movement</i>				<i>Total movement</i>	
	<i>Departure or arrival of Australian residents</i>		<i>Arrival or departure of overseas visitors</i>		<i>Arrivals or departures</i>	
	<i>Standard error</i>	<i>Relative standard error</i>	<i>Standard error</i>	<i>Relative standard error</i>	<i>Standard error</i>	<i>Relative standard error</i>
10,000	550	6	490	5	550	6
5,000	450	9	330	7	410	8
2,000	280	14	230	11	250	13
1,000	200	20	150	15	170	17
750	180	24	140	19	150	20
500	130	26	110	22	125	25
400	120	30	100	25	115	29
300	110	36	84	28	97	32
200	90	45	70	35	80	40
100	63	63	49	49	56	56

An example of the use of this table is as follows: if the estimate of the number of the Australian resident departures for short-term visits is 500, then the standard error on this estimate is 130, i.e. there are two chances in three that the actual number of Australian resident departures for a short-term visit will lie between 370 and 630 and nineteen chances in twenty that it will lie between 240 and 760.

As the table shows, the larger the size of an estimate the smaller the relative standard error. For any estimate of greater than 10,000 the relative standard error will be less than 6 per cent and so the sampling error can be assumed to be negligible for most practical purposes.

The estimate of the difference between an estimate in two different periods or between estimates from the same

period is also subject to sampling error. The standard error on the difference between any two estimates which are subject to sampling error can be approximated by using the larger standard error of the estimates inflated by a factor of 1.4. An example of the use of this procedure is as follows:

Assume the estimates of the number of arrivals to Australia of visitors who stated 'attending convention' as the purpose of journey in January 1992 and 1993 are 1,500 and 750 respectively. The difference between the 1992 and 1993 figures is 750 and the standard errors on these estimates are approximately 190 and 140. The standard error on the difference is approximately  $(1.4 \times 190) = 266$ , and there are nineteen chances in twenty that the estimate of the difference between the two years will lie between 218 and 1,282.





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