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Changes in this issue:

Estimates of seasonally adjusted and trend long-term unemployment are published for the first time in Table 26 of this publication.

Table 29: "Unemployed persons: age and active steps taken to find work" will no longer be published in this publication. As a result of the permanent removal of Table 29, all subsequent tables have been renumbered. See the list below for a comprehensive list of changes to Table numbers.

For further information regarding these changes, contact Darryl Malam on (06) 252 6525.

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SECTION A: MONTHLY LABOUR FORCE SURVEY

Long-term unemployment trends

This issue of *The Labour Force, Australia* (6203.0) introduces new series of seasonally adjusted and trend estimates of long-term unemployment, shown in Table 26.

The new seasonally adjusted and trend series are presented for persons unemployed between 52 and 104 weeks, 104 weeks and over, and total long-term unemployed (persons unemployed for 52 weeks or more). The table also presents the proportion of long-term unemployed to total unemployment in seasonally adjusted and trend terms.

While subject to revision for the most recent 6 months, trend (smoothed seasonally adjusted) estimates permit examination of the underlying direction of the data, free of seasonal effects and irregular/residual factors. For discussion of trend estimates, see paragraphs 30 to 33 of the Explanatory Notes.

Trend estimates

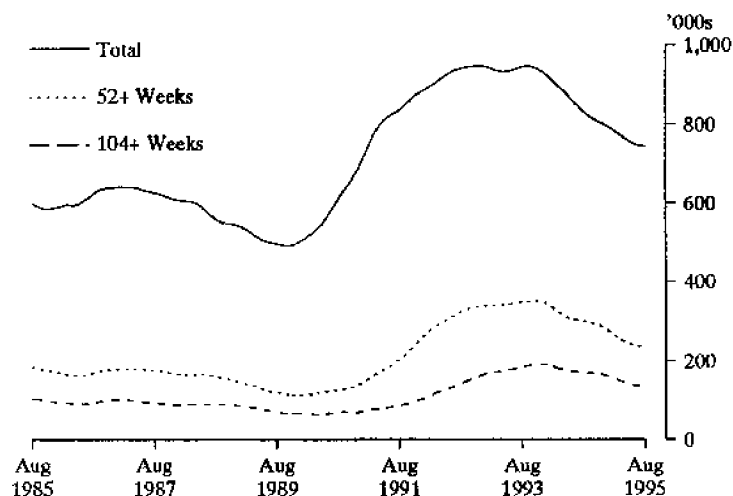
In trend terms, estimates of unemployed persons, those unemployed for fifty-two weeks or more and persons unemployed for 104 weeks or more are all declining from their peaks recorded in September, October and November 1993, respectively.

In the last twelve months, the level of long-term unemployment has declined by 21.7 per cent (a fall of 64,800), compared with the fall of 10.6 per cent (-88,300) recorded for all unemployed persons.

In more recent months, the declining trend for long-term unemployment has begun to slow. In the first quarter of 1995, monthly decreases in trend estimates of long-term unemployed lay in the range of -9,100 to -10,200, while in the three months to August, the decreases were in the range of -3,700 to -1,600.

Trend estimates for persons unemployed for 104 weeks or more have fallen by 35,100 in the past year and by 26,800 since January 1995.

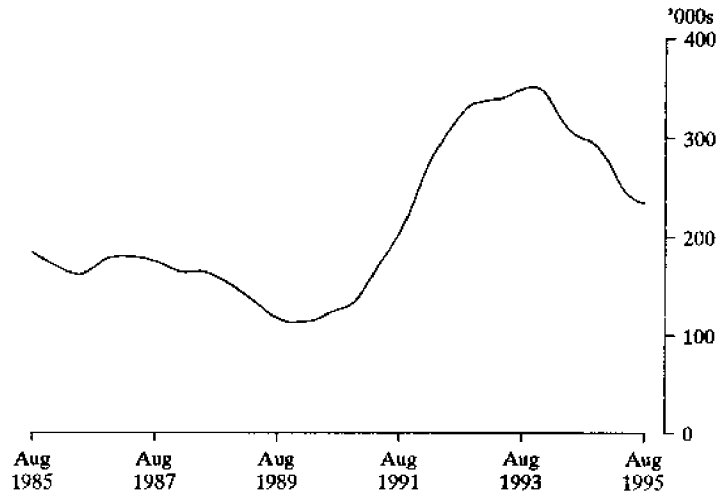
DIAGRAM 1. UNEMPLOYED PERSONS
TREND ESTIMATES



Unemployed 52 weeks or more

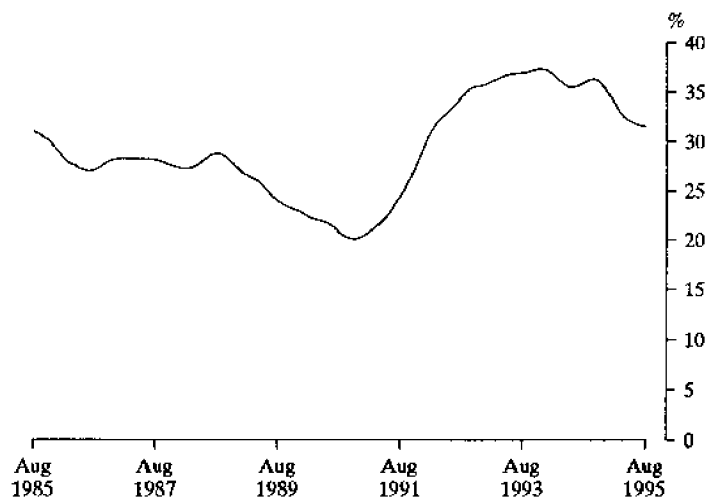
Trend estimates of persons unemployed for fifty-two weeks or more fell to a low of 113,800 in November 1989 (the lowest level since late 1982) before rising rapidly to a peak of 351,400 in October 1993. In August 1995, the trend estimate of long-term unemployed persons was 234,400, a fall of 33.3 per cent since the October 1993 peak. This month's estimate is the lowest since October 1991, and has now fallen by 40,400 (-14.7%) since January 1995.

**DIAGRAM 2. PERSONS UNEMPLOYED 52 WEEKS OR MORE
TREND ESTIMATES**

**Long-term unemployed:
proportions**

In August 1995, the proportion of all unemployed persons who had been unemployed for fifty-two weeks or longer was 31.5 per cent, the lowest rate since February 1992. It has declined by 5.8 percentage points since the peak of 37.3 per cent recorded in November and December 1993, and by 4.8 percentage points in the ten months since last October's high point of 36.3 per cent. In recent years, long-term unemployment as a proportion of total unemployment was at its lowest (20%) in November 1990.

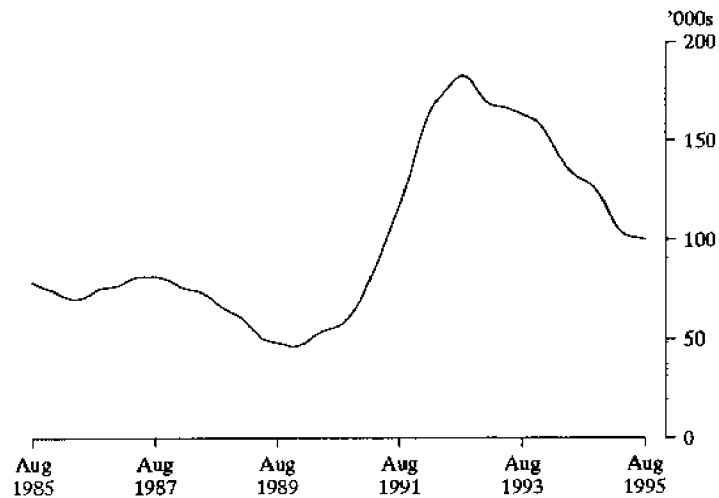
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UNEMPLOYED 52 WEEKS OR MORE**



Unemployed between 52 and 103 weeks

Trend estimates appear to show that the fall in the number of persons unemployed for more than 52 weeks but less than 104 weeks is beginning to level off. While trend estimates for the most recent periods are subject to revision, the current trend may signal a slowing in the rate of decrease, similar to those recorded in early 1993 and mid 1994. The August 1995 estimate of 100,000 represents a fall of 45.3 per cent since the August 1992 peak of 182,900 and a fall of 12.0 per cent since the beginning of the year.

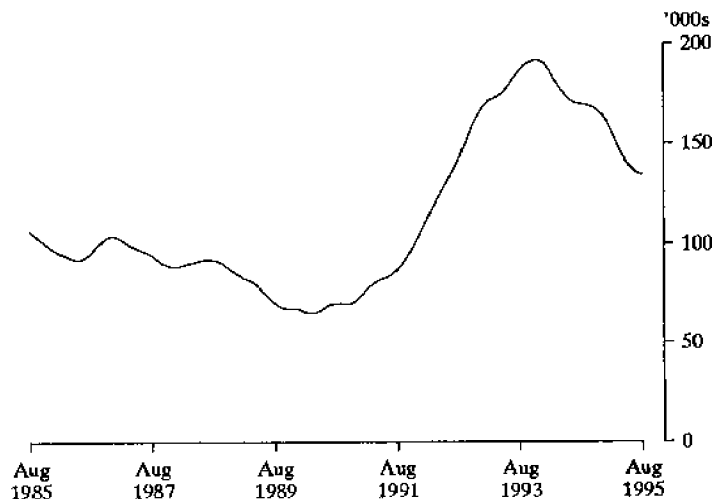
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TREND ESTIMATES**



Unemployed 104 weeks and over

The number of persons unemployed for 104 weeks or more stood at a three-year low of 134,300 in August 1995 after falling by 20.2 per cent in the ten months since last October. At that time, the trend resumed its rapid decline from the November 1993 peak of 191,500. Since January 1995, trend estimates of very long-term unemployment have fallen by 26,800 (-16.6%).

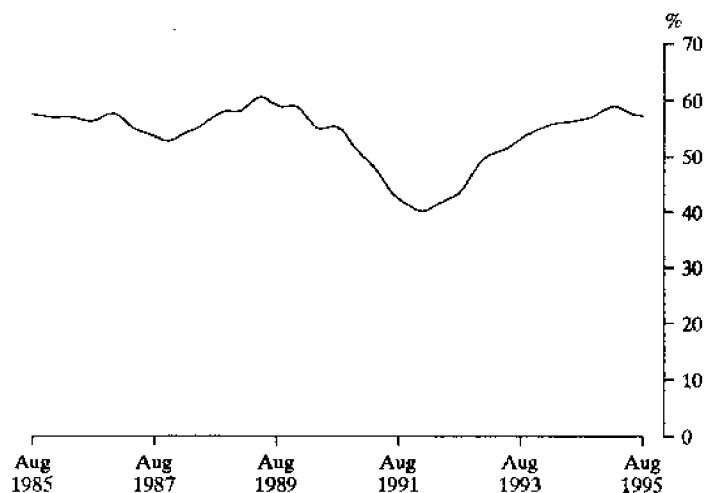
**DIAGRAM 5. PERSONS UNEMPLOYED 104 WEEKS OR MORE
TREND ESTIMATES**



Unemployed for 104 weeks and more: proportions of long-term unemployed

In August 1995, 57.3 per cent of all long-term unemployed persons had been unemployed for 104 weeks or longer. The trend has been falling since the February 1995 peak of 59.0 per cent, which was reached following the trough of 40.2 per cent recorded in January 1992. The proportion last peaked at 60.6 per cent in May 1989, slightly higher than the February 1995 peak.

DIAGRAM 6. PROPORTION OF LONG-TERM UNEMPLOYED PERSONS UNEMPLOYED 104 WEEKS OR MORE



Data availability

The ABS has a wide range of unpublished data relating to long-term unemployment. These data are available on microfiche, floppy disk and customised reports. The ABS generally makes a charge for providing unpublished statistical information. Address inquiries to Darryl Malam in Canberra (06) 252 6525 or contact any ABS office.

The Labour Market in Brief: August 1995

Trend estimates

In August 1995, the provisional trend estimate of employment rose to 8,282,900, 4.1 per cent higher than a year ago. Full-time employment continued to rise to 6,257,400. For males, the trend estimate of full-time employment rose to 4,184,600 in August 1995 (2.6% higher than a year ago) but the rate of growth has slowed in recent months. For females, the full-time employment trend estimate rose to 2,072,800 (5.3% higher than a year ago). Trend estimates of unemployment continued to fall, although for males the provisional trend unemployment estimate increased slightly in August 1995. The trend unemployment rate for males remained at 8.7 per cent for the third consecutive month while for females, the rate fell slightly to 7.6 per cent. Trend estimates of the participation rate remained unchanged at 63.8 per cent, with the rate for both males and females steady at 73.8 and 54.1 per cent respectively.

Employment

In August 1995, the seasonally adjusted estimate of employment was relatively steady at 8,273,900. Part-time employment for males rose by 20,000 to 516,900 while for females, there was a fall of 32,500 to 1,498,600. The full-time employment estimate rose by 13,200 to 6,258,400, with female full-time employment rising by 13,200 to 2,071,500.



Unemployment

The seasonally adjusted estimate of unemployment for August 1995 rose by 10,900 to 753,200. Female unemployment rose by 15,800, with a rise of 12,300 females seeking part-time work. Male unemployment dropped slightly to 446,000.

Unemployment rate

The August 1995 seasonally adjusted unemployment rate rose by 0.1 percentage points to 8.3 per cent. The rate for females rose by 0.4 points to 7.9 per cent while the rate for males dropped slightly to 8.7 per cent.



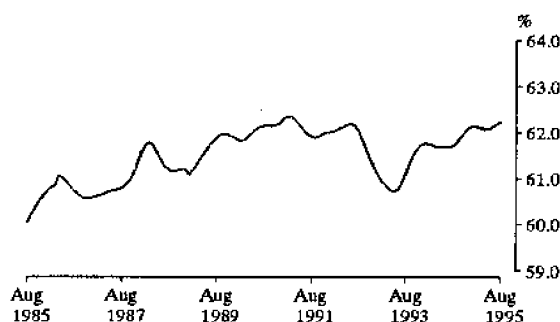
Participation Rate

The seasonally adjusted estimate of the labour force participation rate for males rose by 0.1 percentage points to 73.9 per cent in August 1995. For females, the participation rate fell by 0.1 points to 54.0 per cent.

PARTICIPATION RATE BY STATE: TREND SERIES

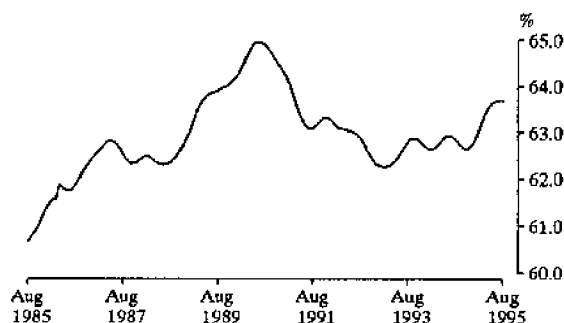
New South Wales

The trend participation rate in New South Wales reached its highest point of 62.3 per cent during the first four months of 1991. After falling sharply to a low point of 60.7 per cent in April and May 1993, the trend participation rate in New South Wales has risen again to 62.2 per cent in August 1995.



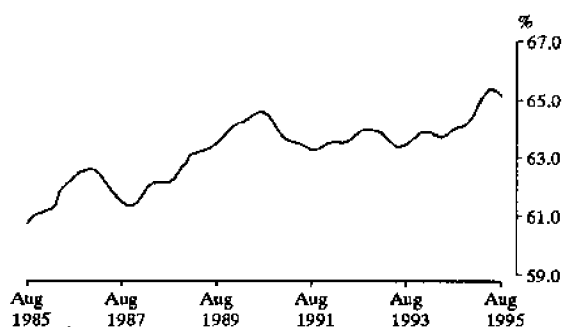
Victoria

The trend estimate of the participation rate in Victoria rose to a peak of 65.0 per cent in June 1990, before falling to a low of 62.3 per cent at the beginning of 1993. Since November 1994 the trend estimate has been rising, and stands at 63.7 per cent in August 1995.



Queensland

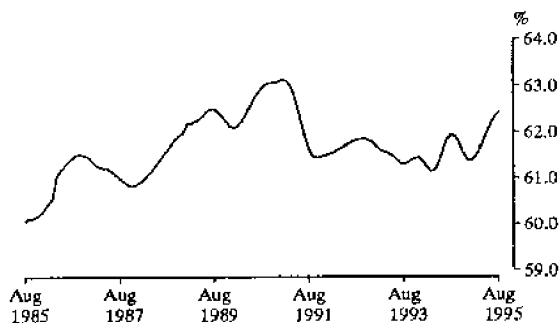
For Queensland, trend estimates of the participation rate rose to a high point of 64.6 per cent in July and August 1990. After falling to 63.3 per cent in late 1991, the rate showed small variations over the next three years until it began a steeper climb in the second half of 1994, rising to 65.3 per cent in June and July 1995. In August 1995 the trend participation rate slipped to 65.1 per cent.



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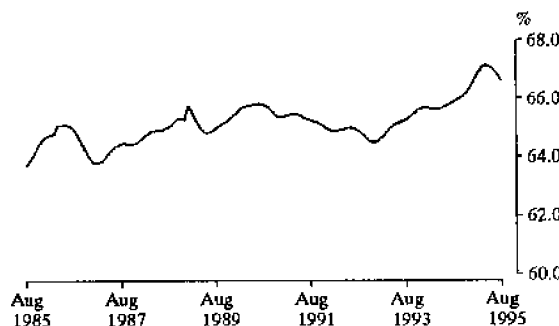
South Australia

Trend estimates of the participation rate for South Australia rose to a high of 63.1 per cent between November 1990 and February 1991, followed by a sharp fall to 61.4 per cent in October 1991. The trend fluctuated between 60.0 and 61.0 per cent over the next three years (falling to 61.1% in March 1994), and has risen in each of the last six months, to 62.4 per cent in August 1995.



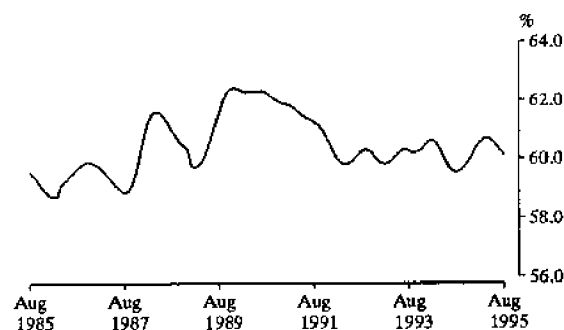
Western Australia

From a peak of 65.8 per cent in mid 1990, trend estimates of the participation rate in Western Australia fell generally, to a low of 64.5 per cent in late 1992 and early 1993. Trend estimates have been rising steadily since then, to peak at 67.1 per cent in April and May 1995, and have fallen in each of the last three months, to 66.6 per cent in August 1995.



Tasmania

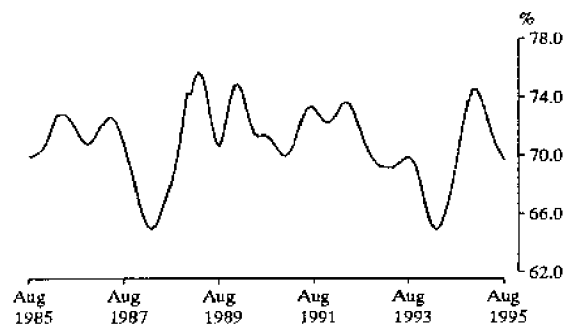
After reaching a peak of 62.4 per cent in November and December 1989, the trend participation rate for Tasmania fell to 59.8 per cent at the beginning of 1992. The trend showed relatively small changes over the next few years and fell to a low of 59.5 per cent in August 1994. In August 1995, the trend estimate was 60.1 per cent.



PARTICIPATION RATE BY TERRITORY AND AUSTRALIA: TREND SERIES

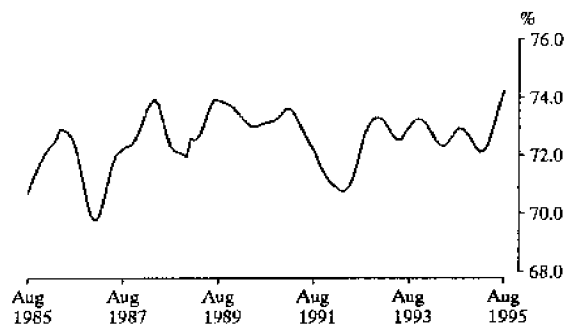
Northern Territory

Northern Territory trend estimates of the participation rate have shown two marked troughs during the last ten years, the first reaching a low point of 65.0 per cent in March 1988, which was followed by a peak of 75.8 per cent a year later. The most recent trough fell to a low of 64.9 per cent in March 1994, followed by a high of 74.5 per cent in January 1995. Since then, the rate has fallen to stand at 69.7 per cent in August 1995.



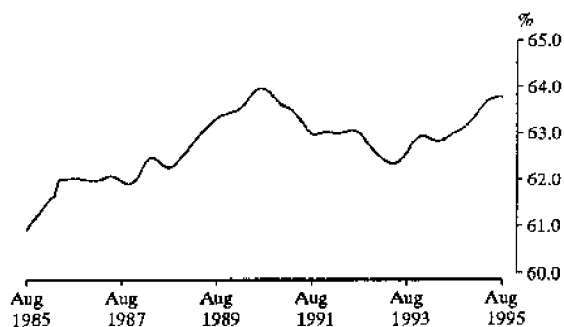
Australian Capital Territory

The trend estimate of the participation rate in the Australian Capital Territory fell to a low rate of 69.7 per cent in January 1987, followed by peaks of 73.9 per cent in April 1988, and again in July to September 1989. There was another trough of 70.8 per cent in March and April 1992. Since February 1995, the rate has been increasing to reach 74.2 per cent in August 1995.



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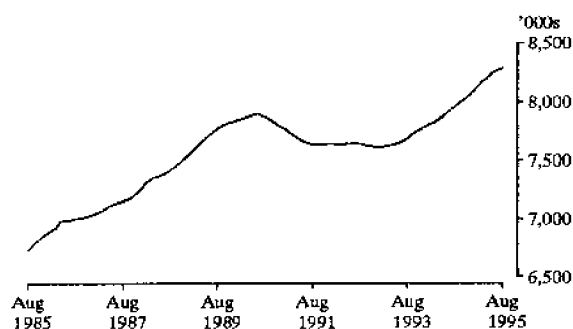
After reaching a peak of 64.0 per cent in July and August 1990, the trend estimate of the participation rate fell over the next three years to a low of 62.3 per cent in April and May 1993. The participation rate has been rising since then, except for a small decline in the first half of 1994, to stand at 63.8 per cent in August 1995.



PRINCIPAL LABOUR FORCE ESTIMATES: TREND SERIES

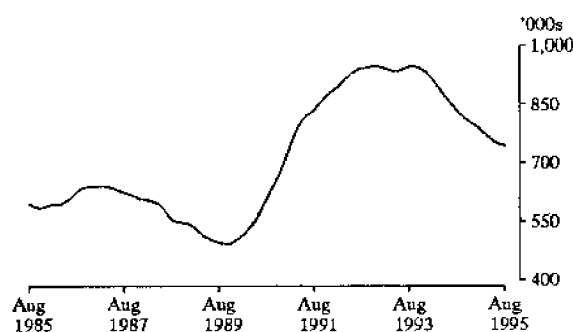
Employment

The trend employment estimate for August 1995 was 8,282,900, 388,200 higher than the peak of 7,894,700 recorded in June 1990. After the June 1990 peak, the number of employed persons fell to a low point of 7,615,400 in January 1993, before rising by 8.8 per cent to its current level.



Unemployment

After falling to a low of 491,500 persons in October 1989, the trend estimate of unemployment increased, to peak at 947,200 in September 1993. The number of unemployed persons has been falling consistently since then, to stand at 744,600 in August 1995.



Unemployment rate

After falling to a low point of 5.9 per cent in late 1989, the trend estimate of the unemployment rate rose over the next three years to peak at 11.1 per cent in December 1992. The unemployment rate has been falling since then to stand at 8.2 per cent in August 1995, the lowest rate since December 1990.

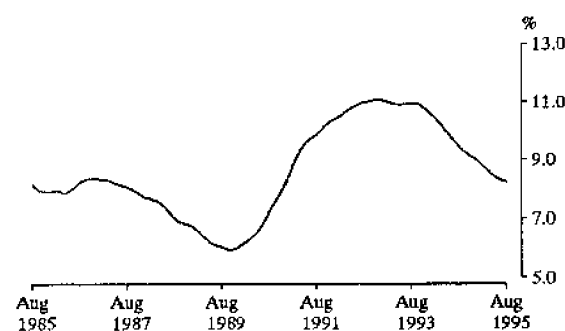


TABLE 1. LABOUR FORCE STATUS OF CIVILIAN POPULATION AGED 15 AND OVER

Month	TABLE 1. LABOUR FORCE STATUS OF CIVILIAN POPULATION AGED 15 AND OVER											
	Employed			Unemployed				Labour force	Not in labour force	Civilian population aged 15 and over	Unemployment rate - per	Participation rate - cent -
				Looking for full-time work		Looking for part-time work						
	Full-time workers	Part-time workers	Total	Aged 15-19 looking for first job	Total	- '000 -	Total					
MALES												
1994 —												
June	4,053.4	481.4	4,534.8	30.3	450.5	48.2	498.7	5,033.5	1,822.2	6,855.7	9.9	73.4
July	4,095.4	490.4	4,585.7	24.9	422.0	45.8	467.8	5,053.5	1,809.5	6,863.1	9.3	73.6
August	4,039.6	496.2	4,535.8	23.4	427.8	45.0	472.8	5,008.6	1,861.8	6,870.5	9.4	72.9
September	4,117.2	489.4	4,606.6	25.5	425.9	58.3	484.2	5,090.8	1,787.1	6,877.9	9.5	74.0
October	4,094.1	516.2	4,610.3	23.9	395.5	44.6	440.2	5,050.5	1,834.8	6,885.3	8.7	73.4
November	4,092.5	493.9	4,586.4	25.2	405.5	47.6	453.1	5,039.5	1,853.2	6,892.8	9.0	73.1
December	4,162.0	510.3	4,672.3	39.4	418.5	51.1	469.7	5,142.0	1,758.2	6,900.2	9.1	74.5
1995 —												
January	4,111.6	484.2	4,595.8	39.6	454.8	57.8	512.6	5,108.4	1,800.8	6,909.2	10.0	73.9
February	4,165.9	488.4	4,654.3	30.7	440.4	60.2	500.6	5,154.9	1,763.3	6,918.2	9.7	74.5
March	4,145.0	519.3	4,664.3	24.2	404.6	56.3	460.9	5,125.2	1,802.0	6,927.2	9.0	74.0
April	4,165.8	525.0	4,690.7	27.7	391.0	48.0	439.0	5,129.7	1,806.5	6,936.2	8.6	74.0
May	4,158.0	515.1	4,673.1	26.7	403.0	52.6	455.6	5,128.7	1,816.5	6,945.2	8.9	73.8
June	4,169.1	516.6	4,685.8	24.9	391.6	45.7	437.3	5,123.1	1,831.1	6,954.2	8.5	73.7
July	4,204.5	499.7	4,704.2	26.5	383.1	49.3	432.4	5,136.6	1,825.4	6,962.0	8.4	73.8
August	4,151.8	520.6	4,672.5	24.3	388.3	45.7	434.0	5,106.5	1,863.3	6,969.8	8.5	73.3
Standard error of —												
August 1995 estimates	19.7	9.2	20.6	2.4	8.1	3.2	8.5	21.2	14.9	..	0.2	0.3
July 95 to Aug 95 movements	15.1	6.9	15.7	2.3	6.2	2.9	6.4	16.3	11.1	..	0.1	0.2
MARRIED FEMALES												
1994 —												
June	1,117.9	958.4	2,076.3	* 1.8	97.8	41.4	139.2	2,215.5	1,932.1	4,147.7	6.3	53.4
July	1,127.0	968.8	2,095.8	* 1.3	85.2	47.0	132.2	2,227.9	1,913.1	4,141.0	5.9	53.8
August	1,116.3	970.1	2,086.4	* 1.8	84.8	42.6	127.4	2,213.8	1,931.5	4,145.4	5.8	53.4
September	1,151.0	1,007.2	2,158.2	* 2.1	87.2	52.6	139.8	2,298.1	1,854.1	4,152.2	6.1	55.3
October	1,133.5	966.5	2,100.0	* 1.4	80.0	41.0	120.9	2,220.9	1,920.6	4,141.5	5.4	53.6
November	1,129.0	974.7	2,103.8	* 1.1	75.8	47.8	123.6	2,227.3	1,907.3	4,134.7	5.5	53.9
December	1,130.6	965.7	2,096.2	* 0.7	73.4	43.8	117.2	2,213.4	1,911.4	4,124.8	5.3	53.7
1995 —												
January	1,098.9	907.2	2,006.1	* 0.9	75.2	35.4	110.6	2,116.6	2,017.8	4,134.4	5.2	51.2
February	1,125.5	958.4	2,083.9	* 1.4	86.7	57.8	144.5	2,228.4	1,903.3	4,131.8	6.5	53.9
March	1,128.3	1,007.8	2,136.1	* 1.8	84.0	51.9	135.9	2,272.0	1,876.5	4,148.6	6.0	54.8
April	1,163.9	1,006.7	2,170.6	* 0.8	73.9	39.2	113.1	2,283.7	1,892.8	4,176.5	5.0	54.7
May	1,177.7	1,014.7	2,192.4	* 1.5	71.9	37.8	109.7	2,302.1	1,884.4	4,186.4	4.8	55.0
June	1,190.3	1,032.7	2,223.0	* 2.5	77.7	34.7	112.4	2,335.5	1,862.8	4,198.3	4.8	55.6
July	1,202.7	1,017.8	2,220.4	* 1.7	73.2	32.4	105.6	2,326.0	1,860.5	4,186.5	4.5	55.6
August	1,190.8	1,002.7	2,193.6	* 1.3	74.1	34.0	108.1	2,301.6	1,871.8	4,173.4	4.7	55.2
Standard error of —												
August 1995 estimates	12.6	11.8	15.8	0.5	4.0	2.8	4.8	16.0	14.9	..	0.2	0.4
July 95 to Aug 95 movements	9.4	8.9	11.9	0.8	3.3	2.5	3.8	12.1	11.1	..	0.2	0.3

TABLE 1. LABOUR FORCE STATUS OF CIVILIAN POPULATION AGED 15 AND OVER—continued

Month	TABLE 1. LABOUR FORCE STATUS OF CIVILIAN POPULATION AGED 15 AND OVER - Continued											
	Employed			Unemployed				Labour force	Not in labour force	Civilian population aged 15 and over	Unemployment rate - per	Participation rate - cent -
				Looking for full-time work		Looking for part-time work						
	Full-time workers	Part-time workers	Total	Aged 15-19 looking for first job	Total	Total	Total					
								- '000 -				
ALL FEMALES												
1994 —												
June	1,937.1	1,420.9	3,357.9	25.8	240.2	100.3	340.5	3,698.4	3,375.4	7,073.9	9.2	52.3
July	1,962.7	1,436.5	3,399.2	23.3	234.2	101.8	336.1	3,735.3	3,346.1	7,081.5	9.0	52.7
August	1,922.2	1,427.7	3,349.9	26.5	228.4	96.6	325.0	3,674.9	3,414.2	7,089.1	8.8	51.8
September	1,998.9	1,481.9	3,480.8	24.6	226.1	120.4	346.5	3,827.3	3,269.3	7,096.7	9.1	53.9
October	1,984.1	1,440.4	3,424.5	21.4	213.1	100.0	313.1	3,737.6	3,366.5	7,104.1	8.4	52.6
November	1,984.2	1,454.6	3,438.7	23.1	210.5	100.5	311.0	3,749.7	3,361.7	7,111.5	8.3	52.7
December	2,017.1	1,466.8	3,483.9	33.6	234.9	103.0	337.9	3,821.8	3,297.0	7,118.9	8.8	53.7
1995 —												
January	1,969.9	1,387.8	3,357.6	34.2	244.9	96.2	341.1	3,698.7	3,428.6	7,127.3	9.2	51.9
February	1,993.6	1,442.2	3,435.9	36.9	260.8	124.8	385.6	3,821.4	3,314.3	7,135.7	10.1	53.6
March	1,982.4	1,517.9	3,500.3	25.3	231.3	123.5	354.8	3,855.1	3,289.1	7,144.2	9.2	54.0
April	2,017.9	1,522.0	3,539.9	20.0	204.7	99.3	304.0	3,843.9	3,309.0	7,152.9	7.9	53.7
May	2,034.1	1,523.6	3,557.7	26.1	207.7	90.3	298.0	3,855.7	3,305.9	7,161.6	7.7	53.8
June	2,044.6	1,543.2	3,587.8	22.4	202.9	84.7	287.5	3,875.3	3,295.0	7,170.3	7.4	54.0
July	2,064.9	1,524.4	3,589.3	20.7	196.8	80.4	277.2	3,866.5	3,312.0	7,178.5	7.2	53.9
August	2,031.7	1,513.6	3,545.3	21.6	195.1	92.8	287.9	3,833.1	3,353.5	7,186.6	7.5	53.3
Standard error of —												
August 1995 estimates	15.3	13.8	18.7	2.3	6.1	4.5	7.2	19.2	18.3	..	0.2	0.3
July 95 to Aug 95 movements	11.6	10.3	14.2	2.1	4.8	3.6	5.5	14.6	13.9	..	0.1	0.2
PERSONS												
1994 —												
June	5,990.4	1,902.3	7,892.7	56.1	690.7	148.5	839.2	8,731.9	5,197.7	13,929.6	9.6	62.7
July	6,058.1	1,926.9	7,985.0	48.2	656.2	147.7	803.9	8,788.9	5,155.7	13,944.5	9.1	63.0
August	5,961.7	1,923.9	7,885.7	50.0	656.3	141.6	797.9	8,683.5	5,276.0	13,959.5	9.2	62.2
September	6,116.1	1,971.3	8,087.4	50.1	652.1	178.7	830.8	8,918.1	5,056.4	13,974.6	9.3	63.8
October	6,078.2	1,956.6	8,034.8	45.3	608.7	144.6	753.3	8,788.1	5,201.3	13,989.4	8.6	62.8
November	6,076.7	1,948.5	8,025.1	48.3	616.0	148.1	764.1	8,789.3	5,214.9	14,004.2	8.7	62.8
December	6,179.2	1,977.1	8,156.2	73.1	653.5	154.1	807.6	8,963.8	5,055.2	14,019.1	9.0	63.9
1995 —												
January	6,081.4	1,872.0	7,953.4	73.8	699.7	154.0	853.7	8,807.1	5,229.4	14,036.5	9.7	62.7
February	6,159.5	1,930.7	8,090.1	67.5	701.2	184.9	886.2	8,976.3	5,077.6	14,053.9	9.9	63.9
March	6,127.4	2,037.2	8,164.6	49.5	635.8	179.9	815.7	8,980.3	5,091.1	14,071.4	9.1	63.8
April	6,183.6	2,047.0	8,230.6	47.6	595.7	147.3	743.0	8,973.7	5,115.4	14,089.1	8.3	63.7
May	6,192.1	2,038.7	8,230.8	52.8	610.7	142.9	753.6	8,984.4	5,122.4	14,106.7	8.4	63.7
June	6,213.7	2,059.8	8,273.6	47.3	594.5	130.4	724.8	8,998.4	5,126.0	14,124.5	8.1	63.7
July	6,269.5	2,024.1	8,293.6	47.1	579.9	129.7	709.6	9,003.1	5,137.4	14,140.5	7.9	63.7
August	6,183.5	2,034.2	8,217.7	45.9	583.4	138.5	721.9	8,939.6	5,216.9	14,156.5	8.1	63.1
Standard error of —												
August 1995 estimates	22.6	15.3	24.8	3.3	9.6	5.3	10.4	25.5	21.3	..	0.1	0.2
July 95 to Aug 95 movements	17.5	11.5	19.5	2.8	7.2	4.2	7.8	20.1	16.4	..	0.1	0.1

TABLE 2. CIVILIAN LABOUR FORCE: SEASONALLY ADJUSTED SERIES

TABLE 2. CIVILIAN LABOUR FORCE: SEASONALLY ADJUSTED SERIES										
Month	Employed			Looking for full-time work		Unemployed		Labour force	Unemp- loyment rate - per cent -	Partic- ipation rate cent -
	Full-time workers	Part-time workers	Total	Aged 15-19 looking for first job	Total - '000 -	Looking for part- time work	Total			
MALES										
1994 —										
June	4,059.3	472.3	4,531.7	38.7	461.2	54.0	515.2	5,046.9	10.2	73.6
July	4,078.5	488.0	4,566.5	30.9	433.7	52.1	485.8	5,052.3	9.6	73.6
August	4,073.6	493.0	4,566.6	27.3	433.7	51.4	485.1	5,051.7	9.6	73.5
September	4,107.9	472.7	4,580.6	28.8	433.6	55.9	489.5	5,070.1	9.7	73.7
October	4,073.4	512.1	4,585.4	29.1	421.4	48.5	469.9	5,055.3	9.3	73.4
November	4,103.2	503.5	4,606.8	27.9	422.9	56.1	479.0	5,085.8	9.4	73.8
December	4,106.0	521.5	4,627.5	27.9	412.7	46.5	459.2	5,086.8	9.0	73.7
1995 —										
January	4,121.3	512.0	4,633.4	27.8	418.2	51.8	470.1	5,103.4	9.2	73.9
February	4,171.7	506.5	4,678.2	24.2	408.2	54.0	462.2	5,140.5	9.0	74.3
March	4,159.6	504.6	4,664.2	24.2	398.6	47.1	445.8	5,110.0	8.7	73.8
April	4,179.8	516.4	4,696.2	29.4	393.9	46.2	440.1	5,136.4	8.6	74.1
May	4,166.3	509.5	4,675.8	30.1	404.0	54.1	458.1	5,133.9	8.9	73.9
June	4,175.4	506.9	4,682.3	31.7	400.4	51.0	451.3	5,133.6	8.8	73.8
July	4,186.9	496.9	4,683.8	32.8	394.7	56.2	450.8	5,134.6	8.8	73.8
August	4,186.9	516.9	4,703.8	28.4	394.0	52.0	446.0	5,149.8	8.7	73.9
MARRIED FEMALES										
1994 —										
June	1,125.5	940.8	2,066.3	n.a.	95.3	42.7	138.0	2,204.3	6.3	53.1
July	1,130.3	960.8	2,091.1	n.a.	88.1	48.2	136.3	2,227.4	6.1	53.8
August	1,131.4	957.5	2,088.9	n.a.	92.2	46.4	138.5	2,227.5	6.2	53.7
September	1,137.2	971.0	2,108.2	n.a.	89.3	47.6	137.0	2,245.1	6.1	54.1
October	1,124.2	967.5	2,091.6	n.a.	84.5	43.2	127.8	2,219.4	5.8	53.6
November	1,120.2	966.1	2,086.3	n.a.	82.7	49.8	132.5	2,218.9	6.0	53.7
December	1,113.4	978.3	2,091.7	n.a.	77.8	44.7	122.5	2,214.2	5.5	53.7
1995 —										
January	1,105.9	989.5	2,095.4	n.a.	75.4	42.4	117.7	2,213.1	5.3	53.5
February	1,131.4	982.6	2,114.0	n.a.	75.9	49.3	125.2	2,239.1	5.6	54.2
March	1,124.0	1,000.1	2,124.1	n.a.	79.9	44.5	124.4	2,248.5	5.5	54.2
April	1,176.8	1,001.2	2,178.0	n.a.	69.8	38.0	107.9	2,285.9	4.7	54.7
May	1,180.5	992.9	2,173.4	n.a.	68.0	40.6	108.7	2,282.1	4.8	54.5
June	1,198.3	1,014.3	2,212.5	n.a.	75.8	35.9	111.7	2,324.2	4.8	55.4
July	1,206.2	1,009.2	2,215.4	n.a.	75.9	33.1	108.9	2,324.3	4.7	55.5
August	1,206.9	989.6	2,196.4	n.a.	80.6	36.9	117.5	2,313.9	5.1	55.4
ALL FEMALES										
1994 —										
June	1,950.5	1,405.8	3,356.3	28.6	247.6	106.5	354.1	3,710.4	9.5	52.5
July	1,956.0	1,442.9	3,398.9	28.1	241.9	111.7	353.6	3,752.6	9.4	53.0
August	1,960.2	1,413.9	3,374.1	32.0	242.0	104.7	346.7	3,720.8	9.3	52.5
September	1,992.1	1,435.7	3,427.8	31.2	232.5	107.4	339.9	3,767.7	9.0	53.1
October	1,980.7	1,431.8	3,412.5	27.8	229.2	103.8	333.0	3,745.6	8.9	52.7
November	1,986.8	1,438.5	3,425.3	27.5	226.5	106.8	333.4	3,758.7	8.9	52.9
December	1,973.4	1,467.8	3,441.2	24.1	227.2	103.0	330.1	3,771.3	8.8	53.0
1995 —										
January	1,952.3	1,497.3	3,449.6	24.0	225.2	103.3	328.5	3,778.1	8.7	53.0
February	1,993.0	1,487.0	3,480.0	28.2	228.3	110.5	338.8	3,818.8	8.9	53.5
March	1,976.6	1,506.5	3,483.1	23.8	222.0	104.8	326.8	3,809.9	8.6	53.3
April	2,037.1	1,504.5	3,541.6	21.8	205.1	98.5	303.7	3,845.2	7.9	53.8
May	2,045.9	1,494.8	3,540.6	27.9	212.8	95.8	308.6	3,849.2	8.0	53.7
June	2,058.2	1,527.6	3,585.8	24.8	209.1	89.8	298.9	3,884.7	7.7	54.2
July	2,058.3	1,531.1	3,589.4	24.9	203.3	88.1	291.5	3,880.8	7.5	54.1
August	2,071.5	1,498.6	3,570.1	26.0	206.9	100.4	307.3	3,877.4	7.9	54.0
PERSONS										
1994 —										
June	6,009.8	1,878.1	7,887.9	67.3	708.9	160.5	869.4	8,757.3	9.9	62.9
July	6,034.5	1,930.9	7,965.4	58.9	675.6	163.8	839.4	8,804.8	9.5	63.1
August	6,033.8	1,906.9	7,940.7	59.3	675.7	156.1	831.7	8,772.5	9.5	62.8
September	6,100.0	1,908.4	8,008.4	60.0	666.1	163.2	829.3	8,837.7	9.4	63.2
October	6,054.1	1,943.9	7,998.0	56.9	650.6	152.3	802.9	8,800.9	9.1	62.9
November	6,090.1	1,942.0	8,032.1	55.4	649.4	163.0	812.4	8,844.5	9.2	63.2
December	6,079.4	1,989.4	8,068.7	51.9	639.9	149.5	789.4	8,858.1	8.9	63.2
1995 —										
January	6,073.6	2,009.4	8,083.0	51.8	643.4	155.1	798.6	8,881.5	9.0	63.3
February	6,164.7	1,993.6	8,158.2	52.4	636.6	164.5	801.1	8,959.3	8.9	63.7
March	6,136.3	2,011.1	8,147.4	48.0	620.7	151.9	772.6	8,919.9	8.7	63.4
April	6,216.9	2,020.9	8,237.8	51.2	599.0	144.8	743.8	8,981.6	8.3	63.7
May	6,212.2	2,004.3	8,216.4	58.1	616.9	149.8	766.7	8,983.1	8.5	63.7
June	6,233.6	2,034.5	8,268.1	56.5	609.5	140.8	750.2	9,018.4	8.3	63.8
July	6,245.2	2,028.0	8,273.2	57.7	598.0	144.3	742.3	9,015.5	8.2	63.8
August	6,258.4	2,015.5	8,273.9	54.4	600.8	152.4	753.2	9,027.1	8.3	63.8

TABLE 3. CIVILIAN LABOUR FORCE: TREND SERIES

TABLE 3. CIVILIAN LABOUR FORCE, FRIED SERIES										
Month	Employed			Unemployed				Labour force	Unemployment rate - per -	Participation rate - cent -
				Looking for full-time work		Looking for part-time work	Total			
	Full-time workers	Part-time workers	Total	Aged 15-19 looking for first job	Total					
MALES										
1994 —										
June	4,060.5	475.6	4,536.1	33.8	455.8	50.3	506.2	5,042.2	10.0	73.5
July	4,071.8	480.1	4,551.9	32.2	444.7	51.5	496.2	5,048.1	9.8	73.6
August	4,079.7	486.6	4,566.3	30.5	435.4	52.4	487.8	5,054.1	9.7	73.6
September	4,085.8	494.0	4,579.8	29.2	428.8	52.7	481.5	5,061.3	9.5	73.6
October	4,092.4	501.0	4,593.4	28.2	424.2	52.5	476.7	5,070.2	9.4	73.6
November	4,102.2	506.5	4,608.8	27.5	420.3	51.9	472.2	5,080.9	9.3	73.7
December	4,115.8	510.2	4,626.1	26.9	416.1	51.2	467.3	5,093.3	9.2	73.8
1995 —										
January	4,131.9	512.3	4,644.1	26.4	411.6	50.5	462.0	5,106.1	9.0	73.9
February r	4,147.9	512.2	4,660.2	26.4	407.0	49.9	456.9	5,117.1	8.9	74.0
March r	4,161.1	510.5	4,671.7	27.0	403.4	49.9	453.3	5,125.0	8.8	74.0
April r	4,170.0	508.8	4,678.8	28.1	400.7	50.3	451.0	5,129.9	8.8	74.0
May r	4,175.5	508.0	4,683.5	29.4	398.7	51.1	449.9	5,133.4	8.8	73.9
June r	4,179.7	507.7	4,687.3	30.4	397.3	52.0	449.3	5,136.6	8.7	73.9
July r	4,183.2	507.7	4,690.9	31.1	396.0	52.8	448.7	5,139.7	8.7	73.8
August	4,184.6	508.1	4,692.7	31.6	395.4	53.5	448.9	5,141.6	8.7	73.8
MARRIED FEMALES (a)										
1994 —										
June	1,126.0	949.7	2,075.7	n.a.	92.5	44.5	137.1	2,212.8	6.2	53.4
July	1,130.2	954.8	2,085.0	n.a.	91.6	45.6	137.2	2,222.1	6.2	53.6
August	1,131.2	959.7	2,090.9	n.a.	90.1	46.3	136.3	2,227.3	6.1	53.7
September	1,129.1	964.3	2,093.4	n.a.	87.8	46.6	134.3	2,227.7	6.0	53.8
October	1,124.1	968.6	2,092.7	n.a.	85.0	46.6	131.6	2,224.2	5.9	53.7
November	1,118.5	973.3	2,091.8	n.a.	82.2	46.5	128.7	2,220.5	5.8	53.7
December	1,115.5	978.2	2,093.7	n.a.	79.6	46.1	125.8	2,219.5	5.7	53.7
1995 —										
January	1,117.9	983.4	2,101.3	n.a.	77.3	45.7	122.9	2,224.2	5.5	53.8
February r	1,127.2	989.5	2,116.6	n.a.	75.2	44.7	119.9	2,236.5	5.4	54.0
March r	1,142.6	995.0	2,137.6	n.a.	73.9	43.1	116.9	2,254.5	5.2	54.3
April r	1,160.7	999.2	2,159.9	n.a.	73.3	41.0	114.4	2,274.3	5.0	54.6
May r	1,177.9	1,001.8	2,179.7	n.a.	73.5	39.0	112.5	2,292.2	4.9	54.9
June r	1,192.6	1,003.1	2,195.7	n.a.	74.2	37.1	111.3	2,307.0	4.8	55.1
July r	1,204.5	1,003.4	2,207.9	n.a.	75.3	35.6	110.9	2,318.8	4.8	55.4
August	1,212.7	1,003.1	2,215.8	n.a.	76.6	34.2	110.8	2,326.6	4.8	55.5
ALL FEMALES										
1994 —										
June	1,947.5	1,417.5	3,365.0	30.0	245.4	107.0	352.4	3,717.4	9.5	52.6
July	1,958.3	1,421.1	3,379.4	30.1	241.7	107.4	349.1	3,728.5	9.4	52.7
August	1,968.5	1,424.9	3,393.4	29.8	237.9	107.2	345.1	3,738.5	9.2	52.7
September	1,976.0	1,430.4	3,406.4	29.2	234.2	106.4	340.6	3,747.1	9.1	52.8
October	1,978.3	1,439.2	3,417.4	28.4	231.3	105.7	337.0	3,754.4	9.0	52.8
November	1,976.5	1,451.6	3,428.1	27.3	229.0	105.5	334.5	3,762.6	8.9	52.9
December	1,974.4	1,465.8	3,440.2	26.1	227.0	105.7	332.7	3,772.9	8.8	53.0
1995 —										
January	1,976.3	1,479.5	3,455.9	25.2	225.0	105.7	330.8	3,786.6	8.7	53.1
February r	1,984.7	1,491.9	3,476.6	24.7	222.3	104.7	327.0	3,803.6	8.6	53.3
March r	2,000.0	1,500.8	3,500.8	24.7	218.8	102.3	321.1	3,821.9	8.4	53.5
April r	2,019.0	1,506.6	3,525.7	24.9	214.7	99.4	314.1	3,839.7	8.2	53.7
May r	2,037.4	1,510.5	3,547.8	25.0	211.0	96.4	307.4	3,855.2	8.0	53.8
June r	2,052.7	1,513.7	3,566.3	25.2	208.0	94.1	302.1	3,868.4	7.8	54.0
July r	2,065.0	1,515.8	3,580.8	25.4	205.7	92.6	298.4	3,879.2	7.7	54.0
August	2,072.8	1,517.4	3,590.2	25.4	204.0	91.7	295.7	3,885.9	7.6	54.1
PERSONS										
1994 —										
June	6,007.9	1,893.1	7,901.0	63.8	701.2	157.3	858.6	8,759.6	9.8	62.9
July	6,030.1	1,901.2	7,931.3	62.2	686.4	159.0	845.4	8,776.7	9.6	62.9
August	6,048.2	1,911.6	7,959.7	60.3	673.3	159.6	832.9	8,792.6	9.5	63.0
September	6,061.8	1,924.4	7,986.2	58.4	663.0	159.1	822.1	8,808.4	9.3	63.0
October	6,070.7	1,940.2	8,010.9	56.6	655.5	158.2	813.7	8,824.6	9.2	63.1
November	6,078.7	1,958.1	8,036.9	54.7	649.3	157.3	806.6	8,843.5	9.1	63.1
December	6,090.2	1,976.0	8,066.3	52.9	643.1	156.8	800.0	8,866.2	9.0	63.2
1995 —										
January	6,108.2	1,991.8	8,100.0	51.6	636.6	156.2	792.8	8,892.8	8.9	63.4
February r	6,132.7	2,004.1	8,136.8	51.1	629.3	154.6	783.9	8,920.7	8.8	63.5
March r	6,161.2	2,011.3	8,172.5	51.7	622.2	152.3	774.4	8,946.9	8.7	63.6
April r	6,189.0	2,015.5	8,204.5	53.0	615.4	149.7	765.1	8,969.6	8.5	63.7
May r	6,212.8	2,018.5	8,231.3	54.4	609.7	147.5	757.3	8,988.6	8.4	63.7
June r	6,232.3	2,021.4	8,253.7	55.6	605.3	146.1	751.4	9,005.1	8.3	63.8
July r	6,248.2	2,023.5	8,271.7	56.4	601.7	145.4	747.1	9,018.8	8.3	63.8
August	6,257.4	2,025.5	8,282.9	57.0	599.4	145.2	744.6	9,027.5	8.2	63.8

(a) See Explanatory Notes, Paragraph 30.

TABLE 4. LABOUR FORCE STATUS OF THE CIVILIAN POPULATION AGED 15 AND OVER:
MARITAL STATUS, AUGUST 1995

	Employed		Total	Unemployed		Total	Labour force	Not in labour force	Civilian population aged 15 and over	Unemployment rate - per cent -	Participation rate
	Full-time workers	Part-time workers		Looking for full-time work	Looking for part-time work - '000 -						
Males	4,151.8	520.6	4,672.5	388.3	45.7	434.0	5,106.5	1,863.3	6,969.8	8.5	73.3
Married	2,825.8	202.7	3,028.5	172.8	7.5	180.3	3,208.8	1,021.9	4,230.7	5.6	75.8
Not married	1,326.0	318.0	1,644.0	215.6	38.2	253.7	1,897.7	841.4	2,739.2	13.4	69.3
Females	2,031.7	1,513.6	3,545.3	195.1	92.8	287.9	3,833.1	3,353.5	7,186.6	7.5	53.3
Married	1,190.8	1,002.7	2,193.6	74.1	34.0	108.1	2,301.6	1,871.8	4,173.4	4.7	55.2
Not married	840.8	510.9	1,351.7	121.0	58.8	179.8	1,531.5	1,481.7	3,013.2	11.7	50.8
Persons	6,183.5	2,034.2	8,217.7	583.4	138.5	721.9	8,939.6	5,216.9	14,156.5	8.1	63.1

TABLE 5. LABOUR FORCE STATUS OF THE CIVILIAN POPULATION AGED 15 AND OVER:
STATES AND TERRITORIES, AUGUST 1995

State or Territory	Employed		Total	Unemployed		Total	Labour force	Not in labour force	Civilian population aged 15 and over	Unemployment rate - per cent -	Participation rate
	Full-time workers	Part-time workers		Looking for full-time work	Looking for part-time work - '000 -						
MALES											
New South Wales	1,403.0	167.7	1,570.8	122.3	12.2	134.5	1,705.2	656.3	2,361.6	7.9	72.2
Victoria	1,029.5	132.2	1,161.7	99.8	12.1	111.9	1,273.6	467.3	1,741.0	8.8	73.2
Queensland	760.6	96.9	857.5	73.2	10.6	83.8	941.3	324.4	1,265.7	8.9	74.4
South Australia	323.2	45.7	369.0	39.5	3.9	43.4	412.4	162.8	575.1	10.5	71.7
Western Australia	425.9	48.8	474.7	30.3	3.5	33.7	508.5	161.4	669.9	6.6	75.9
Tasmania	98.0	12.5	110.5	13.4	1.3	14.7	125.2	55.4	180.6	11.7	69.3
Northern Territory	39.0	4.1	43.1	3.5	* 0.8	4.3	47.4	15.5	62.9	9.1	75.3
Australian Capital Territory	72.5	12.7	85.2	6.3	1.3	7.7	92.9	20.2	113.1	8.3	82.1
Australia	4,151.8	520.6	4,672.5	388.3	45.7	434.0	5,106.5	1,863.3	6,969.8	8.5	73.3
FEMALES											
New South Wales	708.8	471.9	1,180.7	59.8	32.4	92.2	1,272.9	1,171.8	2,444.7	7.2	52.1
Victoria	505.5	383.3	888.9	49.8	23.1	72.9	961.8	854.7	1,816.5	7.6	52.9
Queensland	369.4	273.4	642.8	41.9	16.2	58.2	700.9	587.6	1,288.5	8.3	54.4
South Australia	149.1	139.2	288.3	16.5	7.5	24.1	312.4	283.7	596.1	7.7	52.4
Western Australia	187.3	164.2	351.5	17.4	9.2	26.6	378.1	297.8	675.9	7.0	55.9
Tasmania	44.5	40.2	84.8	5.5	1.9	7.4	92.2	94.6	186.8	8.0	49.3
Northern Territory	23.4	11.8	35.2	1.6	* 0.5	2.2	37.4	23.2	60.6	5.8	61.7
Australian Capital Territory	43.5	29.6	73.2	2.5	1.9	4.4	77.6	40.0	117.6	5.7	66.0
Australia	2,031.7	1,513.6	3,545.3	195.1	92.8	287.9	3,833.1	3,353.5	7,186.6	7.5	53.3
PERSONS											
New South Wales	2,111.8	639.6	2,751.5	182.1	44.6	226.6	2,978.1	1,828.2	4,806.3	7.6	62.0
Victoria	1,535.0	515.6	2,050.6	149.5	35.3	184.8	2,235.4	1,322.0	3,557.4	8.3	62.8
Queensland	1,130.0	370.3	1,500.3	115.1	26.8	141.9	1,642.2	912.0	2,554.2	8.6	64.3
South Australia	472.4	184.9	657.3	56.1	11.4	67.5	724.7	446.5	1,171.2	9.3	61.9
Western Australia	613.2	213.0	826.2	47.7	12.6	60.3	886.5	459.2	1,345.7	6.8	65.9
Tasmania	142.5	52.7	195.3	18.9	3.2	22.1	217.4	150.0	367.4	10.2	59.2
Northern Territory	62.4	15.9	78.3	5.2	1.3	6.5	84.8	38.7	123.5	7.6	68.7
Australian Capital Territory	116.1	42.3	158.4	8.9	3.3	12.1	170.5	60.2	230.7	7.1	73.9
Australia	6,183.5	2,034.2	8,217.7	583.4	138.5	721.9	8,939.6	5,216.9	14,156.5	8.1	63.1

TABLE 6. LABOUR FORCE STATUS OF THE CIVILIAN POPULATION AGED 15 AND OVER:
STATE CAPITAL CITIES, AUGUST 1995

STATE CAPITAL CITIES, AUGUST 1955										
Capital city	Employed		Unemployed			Labour force	Not in labour force	Civilian population aged 15 and over	Unemployment rate - per cent -	Participation rate
	Full-time workers	Total	Looking for full-time work	Looking for part-time work - '000 -	Total					
MALES										
Sydney	909.7	1,006.0	71.2	7.4	78.7	1,084.6	392.3	1,476.9	7.3	73.4
Melbourne	747.9	843.4	73.0	9.1	82.1	925.5	325.6	1,251.1	8.9	74.0
Brisbane	343.9	394.5	32.8	5.0	37.8	432.3	144.1	576.3	8.7	75.0
Adelaide	229.4	263.1	30.4	3.5	33.9	297.0	126.0	423.0	11.4	70.2
Perth	299.8	337.3	22.8	* 2.7	25.4	362.7	124.0	486.7	7.0	74.5
Hobart	40.6	45.5	5.1	* 0.4	5.5	51.1	22.1	73.2	10.9	69.8
Total	2,571.3	2,889.7	235.2	28.2	263.4	3,153.2	1,134.1	4,287.2	8.4	73.5
FEMALES										
Sydney	494.9	772.3	34.5	19.2	53.7	826.0	713.5	1,539.4	6.5	53.7
Melbourne	390.8	651.6	33.7	18.5	52.2	703.8	608.5	1,312.3	7.4	53.6
Brisbane	186.4	311.6	15.5	9.3	24.8	336.4	263.9	600.3	7.4	56.0
Adelaide	114.4	215.3	12.6	6.8	19.4	234.7	213.9	448.6	8.3	52.3
Perth	144.4	265.5	12.9	6.8	19.7	285.1	223.6	508.8	6.9	56.0
Hobart	20.0	37.0	1.6	* 0.6	2.2	39.2	38.5	77.7	5.7	50.5
Total	1,350.8	2,253.2	110.8	61.2	172.0	2,425.2	2,061.8	4,487.0	7.1	54.0
PERSONS										
Sydney	1,404.6	1,778.3	105.7	26.6	132.3	1,910.6	1,105.8	3,016.4	6.9	63.3
Melbourne	1,138.7	1,495.0	106.7	27.6	134.3	1,629.3	934.1	2,563.4	8.2	63.6
Brisbane	530.3	706.1	48.3	14.3	62.6	768.7	407.9	1,176.6	8.1	65.3
Adelaide	343.8	478.4	42.9	10.3	53.3	531.7	339.9	871.6	10.0	61.0
Perth	444.2	602.7	35.6	9.5	45.1	647.9	347.6	995.4	7.0	65.1
Hobart	60.5	82.5	6.7	1.1	7.8	90.3	60.6	150.9	8.6	59.8
Total	3,922.1	5,143.0	346.0	89.4	435.4	5,578.3	3,195.9	8,774.3	7.8	63.6

TABLE 7. LABOUR FORCE STATUS OF THE CIVILIAN POPULATION AGED 15 AND OVER:
AUSTRALIAN CAPITAL TERRITORY, AUGUST 1995

	AUSTRALIAN CAPITAL TERRITORY, AUGUST 1995						
				Persons			Total
	Males	Females		Aged 15-19	Aged 20-24	Aged 25 and over	
		Married	Total				
— '000 —							
Employed	85.2	45.2	73.2	11.8	23.1	123.5	158.4
Full-time workers	72.5	27.7	43.5	2.5	16.3	97.3	116.1
Part-time workers	12.7	17.5	29.6	9.2	6.9	26.2	42.3
Unemployed	7.7	1.3	4.4	3.4	2.6	6.1	12.1
Looking for full-time work	6.3	* 0.7	2.5	1.6	2.0	5.2	8.9
Looking for part-time work	1.3	* 0.6	1.9	1.8	* 0.6	* 0.9	3.3
Labour force	92.9	46.5	77.6	15.1	25.7	129.6	170.5
Not in labour force	20.2	21.3	40.0	8.8	4.4	47.0	60.2
Aged 15-19 attending school	3.6	* 0.0	3.4	7.0	..	..	7.0
Civilian population	113.1	67.8	117.6	23.9	30.1	176.6	230.7
— per cent —							
Unemployment rate	8.3	2.8	5.7	22.4	10.1	4.7	7.1
Looking for full-time work	8.0	* 2.3	5.5	39.3	10.9	5.1	7.1
Participation rate	82.1	68.6	66.0	63.3	85.4	73.4	73.9
Employment/population ratio	75.3	66.7	62.2	49.1	76.8	69.9	68.6
— number —							
Average weekly hours worked by employed persons	39.1	29.9	28.8	16.5	31.5	36.6	34.3
Average duration of unemployment (weeks)	35.4	* 17.6	29.5	18.5	29.3	43.1	33.3

TABLE 8. CIVILIAN LABOUR FORCE, STATES: SEASONALLY ADJUSTED SERIES

Month	Males					Females					Persons							
	Employed		Unemp- loyed - '000 -	Labour force	Unemp- ment rate - per cent -	Employed		Unemp- loyed - '000 -	Labour force	Unemp- ment rate - per cent -	Employed		Unemp- loyed - '000 -	Labour force	Unemp- ment rate - per cent -			
	Full-time workers	Total				Full-time workers	Total				Full-time workers	Total						
NEW SOUTH WALES																		
1994 —																		
June	1,350.9	1,512.5	172.9	1,685.4	10.3	72.4	688.2	1,124.0	116.9	1,240.9	9.4	51.4	2,039.0	2,636.5	289.9	2,926.4	9.9	61.7
July	1,360.7	1,520.9	162.1	1,683.0	9.6	72.2	691.0	1,131.0	116.2	1,247.2	9.3	51.6	2,051.7	2,652.0	278.3	2,930.3	9.5	61.7
August	1,358.1	1,527.9	157.2	1,685.1	9.3	72.2	691.0	1,120.8	107.4	1,228.2	8.7	50.8	2,049.2	2,648.7	264.6	2,913.3	9.1	61.3
September	1,370.7	1,534.1	163.0	1,697.1	9.6	72.7	706.0	1,156.6	110.0	1,266.7	8.7	52.3	2,076.7	2,690.7	273.1	2,963.8	9.2	62.3
October	1,361.3	1,536.4	150.4	1,686.8	8.9	72.2	703.8	1,143.3	106.7	1,250.0	8.5	51.6	2,065.1	2,679.8	257.1	2,936.8	8.8	61.7
November	1,373.0	1,536.3	153.1	1,689.4	9.1	72.2	700.6	1,147.5	106.4	1,253.9	8.5	51.7	2,073.6	2,683.8	259.5	2,943.3	8.8	61.8
December	1,382.8	1,547.3	150.5	1,697.8	8.9	72.5	700.2	1,156.4	108.5	1,264.9	8.6	52.1	2,083.0	2,703.7	259.0	2,962.7	8.7	62.1
1995 —																		
January	1,389.8	1,559.6	154.7	1,714.3	9.0	73.1	694.6	1,159.9	102.7	1,262.6	8.1	52.0	2,084.4	2,719.4	257.5	2,976.9	8.6	62.4
February	1,408.3	1,572.1	144.4	1,716.5	8.4	73.2	685.7	1,147.7	116.3	1,264.0	9.2	52.0	2,094.0	2,719.8	260.7	2,980.6	8.7	62.4
March	1,402.3	1,559.6	144.4	1,704.0	8.5	72.5	675.1	1,147.5	102.9	1,250.3	8.2	51.4	2,077.4	2,707.1	247.3	2,954.3	8.4	61.8
April	1,401.7	1,570.6	136.6	1,707.1	8.0	72.6	699.8	1,167.7	92.2	1,259.8	7.3	51.7	2,101.5	2,738.2	228.8	2,967.0	7.7	62.0
May	1,405.5	1,570.8	141.1	1,711.9	8.2	72.7	699.9	1,161.3	93.9	1,255.1	7.5	51.5	2,105.4	2,732.0	235.0	2,967.1	7.9	61.9
June	1,417.4	1,579.2	136.2	1,715.5	7.9	72.8	709.3	1,191.1	89.1	1,280.2	7.0	52.5	2,126.7	2,770.3	225.4	2,995.7	7.5	62.4
July	1,423.9	1,573.8	137.0	1,710.8	8.0	72.5	708.4	1,181.6	83.6	1,265.2	6.6	51.8	2,132.3	2,755.4	220.6	2,976.0	7.4	62.0
August	1,415.3	1,578.9	137.5	1,716.5	8.0	72.7	724.4	1,187.0	97.5	1,284.5	7.6	52.5	2,139.7	2,765.9	235.0	3,001.0	7.8	62.4
VICTORIA																		
1994 —																		
June	1,014.8	1,132.2	143.8	1,276.0	11.3	74.0	473.4	844.7	92.3	937.1	9.9	52.1	1,488.2	1,977.0	236.1	2,213.1	10.7	62.8
July	1,027.8	1,147.7	131.8	1,279.5	10.3	74.1	477.4	850.7	97.0	947.7	10.2	52.6	1,505.2	1,998.4	228.8	2,227.2	10.3	63.2
August	1,004.9	1,132.8	136.5	1,269.3	10.8	73.5	470.4	840.4	104.8	945.2	11.1	52.5	1,475.3	1,973.2	241.3	2,214.5	10.9	62.8
September	1,022.8	1,141.1	133.9	1,275.0	10.5	73.8	481.6	849.9	96.7	946.6	10.2	52.5	1,504.3	1,991.0	230.6	2,221.7	10.4	63.0
October	1,017.5	1,146.9	127.3	1,274.2	10.0	73.7	467.6	847.6	90.6	938.2	9.7	52.0	1,485.2	1,994.5	217.9	2,212.4	9.9	62.7
November	1,019.4	1,145.7	130.3	1,275.9	10.2	73.8	473.6	836.8	92.2	929.0	9.9	51.5	1,493.1	1,982.5	222.5	2,205.0	10.1	62.4
December	1,017.7	1,154.2	123.7	1,277.8	9.7	73.9	470.0	841.0	94.0	935.0	10.1	51.8	1,487.7	1,995.1	217.7	2,212.8	9.8	62.6
1995 —																		
January	1,022.1	1,152.5	126.5	1,279.0	9.9	73.9	475.0	840.6	97.1	937.7	10.4	51.9	1,497.1	1,993.0	223.6	2,216.6	10.1	62.7
February	1,039.2	1,170.1	119.9	1,289.9	9.3	74.5	486.4	860.1	89.5	949.6	9.4	52.5	1,525.6	2,030.2	209.4	2,239.5	9.3	63.3
March	1,042.0	1,174.9	113.2	1,288.0	8.8	74.3	492.6	874.0	86.5	960.6	9.0	53.1	1,534.6	2,048.9	199.7	2,248.6	8.9	63.5
April	1,045.2	1,170.8	113.9	1,284.8	8.9	74.0	497.0	884.2	81.1	965.2	8.4	53.3	1,542.2	2,055.0	195.0	2,250.0	8.7	63.4
May	1,042.1	1,170.8	115.5	1,286.3	9.0	74.0	506.9	897.5	79.2	976.8	8.1	53.9	1,549.0	2,068.3	194.7	2,263.0	8.6	63.8
June	1,035.3	1,161.6	116.3	1,278.0	9.1	73.5	515.5	901.7	79.2	980.9	8.1	54.1	1,550.8	2,063.3	195.5	2,258.8	8.7	63.6
July	1,038.9	1,162.1	123.4	1,285.5	9.6	73.9	521.3	905.8	78.1	983.9	7.9	54.2	1,560.2	2,067.9	201.5	2,269.4	8.9	63.8
August	1,040.0	1,172.5	113.8	1,286.3	8.8	73.9	510.2	891.6	80.8	972.3	8.3	53.5	1,550.3	2,064.0	194.6	2,258.6	8.6	63.5

TABLE 8. CIVILIAN LABOUR FORCE, STATES: SEASONALLY ADJUSTED SERIES—continued

Month	Males						Females						Persons					
	Employed			Unemp-			Employed			Unemp-			Employed			Unemp-		
	Full-time workers	Total	Unemp- '000 -	Labour force	Unemp- rate - per cent -	Partic- ipation rate - per cent -	Full-time workers	Total	Unemp- '000 -	Labour force	Unemp- rate - per cent -	Partic- ipation rate - per cent -	Full-time workers	Total	Unemp- '000 -	Labour force	Unemp- rate - per cent -	Partic- ipation rate - per cent -
QUEENSLAND																		
1994 —																		
June	743.2	830.2	82.5	912.8	9.0	74.7	352.3	598.8	63.4	662.2	9.6	53.1	1,095.5	1,429.0	146.0	1,575.0	9.3	63.8
July	745.2	831.7	81.9	913.6	9.0	74.5	350.1	604.6	60.8	665.4	9.1	53.2	1,095.2	1,436.3	142.7	1,579.0	9.0	63.8
August	751.9	835.3	83.2	918.5	9.1	74.7	356.8	606.8	61.2	668.0	9.2	54.1	1,108.8	1,442.1	144.4	1,586.5	9.1	63.9
September	753.1	835.7	84.2	919.8	9.2	74.7	359.4	616.6	62.5	679.1	9.2	54.1	1,112.5	1,452.3	146.7	1,598.9	9.2	64.3
October	750.9	837.1	83.7	920.8	9.1	74.6	360.2	617.9	59.5	677.4	8.8	53.8	1,111.1	1,455.0	143.2	1,598.3	9.0	64.1
November	753.0	839.9	83.4	923.3	9.0	74.6	363.8	625.1	61.1	686.2	8.9	54.4	1,116.9	1,464.9	144.5	1,609.5	9.0	64.4
December	752.9	841.7	78.8	920.5	8.6	74.2	352.5	624.3	55.5	679.8	8.2	53.8	1,105.3	1,466.0	134.3	1,600.3	8.4	63.9
1995 —																		
January	761.8	844.2	78.9	923.1	8.5	74.2	335.8	626.5	57.9	684.4	8.5	54.0	1,097.6	1,470.7	136.8	1,607.4	8.5	64.0
February	765.5	852.2	82.2	934.4	8.8	74.9	354.6	641.0	61.9	702.9	8.8	55.3	1,120.1	1,493.2	144.1	1,637.3	8.8	65.0
March	762.6	854.9	82.9	937.8	8.8	75.0	360.5	644.8	64.0	708.8	9.0	55.6	1,123.1	1,499.7	146.8	1,646.6	8.9	65.2
April	773.1	864.0	81.2	945.2	8.6	75.4	377.4	655.7	57.2	712.9	8.0	55.8	1,150.5	1,519.7	138.4	1,658.1	8.3	65.5
May	762.2	856.6	90.4	947.0	9.5	75.4	373.5	647.1	63.3	710.4	8.9	55.5	1,135.6	1,503.7	153.7	1,657.4	9.3	65.3
June	763.7	859.6	85.5	945.1	9.0	75.0	382.0	656.4	61.7	718.1	8.6	56.0	1,145.7	1,516.0	147.2	1,663.2	8.9	65.4
July	764.3	857.8	87.5	945.3	9.3	74.9	380.3	660.1	55.0	715.1	7.7	55.6	1,144.7	1,517.9	142.5	1,660.4	8.6	65.2
August	763.3	861.2	90.2	951.4	9.5	75.2	376.8	647.9	61.2	709.0	8.6	55.0	1,140.1	1,509.1	151.4	1,660.5	9.1	65.0
SOUTH AUSTRALIA																		
1994 —																		
June	325.2	362.2	46.3	408.5	11.3	71.4	146.8	273.0	33.1	306.1	10.8	51.6	471.9	635.2	79.4	714.6	11.1	61.3
July	325.4	366.7	43.5	410.3	10.6	71.7	147.9	285.0	32.8	317.7	10.3	53.5	473.4	651.7	76.3	728.0	10.5	62.4
August	329.5	366.5	44.8	411.4	10.9	71.8	148.2	280.7	30.6	311.4	9.8	52.4	477.6	647.3	75.5	722.8	10.4	62.0
September	329.9	365.7	44.7	410.4	10.9	71.6	149.7	281.7	30.7	312.4	9.8	52.6	479.7	647.4	75.4	722.8	10.4	61.9
October	327.6	366.0	44.5	410.4	10.8	71.6	151.2	280.8	30.2	311.0	9.7	52.3	478.8	646.7	74.7	721.4	10.4	61.8
November	323.8	363.9	44.1	408.0	10.8	71.1	154.3	281.4	30.9	312.3	9.9	52.5	478.1	645.3	75.0	720.3	10.4	61.7
December	318.0	360.8	44.4	405.2	11.0	70.6	150.8	282.0	28.2	310.2	9.1	52.2	468.8	642.8	72.6	715.4	10.2	61.2
1995 —																		
January	320.9	361.9	45.4	407.3	11.2	71.0	151.9	280.1	24.2	304.3	8.0	51.2	472.7	641.9	69.6	711.6	9.8	60.9
February	327.3	372.7	42.1	414.8	10.2	72.3	151.9	282.5	27.6	310.1	8.9	52.1	479.2	655.2	69.7	724.9	9.6	62.0
March	316.5	363.3	44.6	407.9	10.9	71.0	151.9	280.5	29.0	309.6	9.4	52.0	468.4	643.8	73.6	717.5	10.3	61.3
April	320.9	367.9	43.6	411.6	10.6	71.6	150.6	281.8	28.1	309.9	9.1	52.1	471.5	649.7	71.8	721.5	9.9	61.7
May	322.7	367.4	44.4	411.8	10.8	71.7	158.5	289.0	26.4	315.4	8.4	53.0	481.2	656.5	70.8	727.2	9.7	62.1
June	314.9	365.3	48.7	414.0	11.8	72.0	150.6	288.2	26.7	314.9	8.5	52.9	465.5	653.5	75.4	729.0	10.3	62.3
July	323.1	369.5	42.6	412.1	10.3	71.7	151.5	290.1	27.0	317.1	8.5	53.2	474.6	659.6	69.6	729.2	9.5	62.3
August	327.4	372.8	43.8	416.5	10.5	72.4	151.1	289.7	25.7	315.4	8.1	52.9	478.5	662.5	69.5	732.0	9.5	62.5

TABLE 8. CIVILIAN LABOUR FORCE, STATES: SEASONALLY ADJUSTED SERIES—continued.

Month	Males					Females					Persons				
	Employed		Unemp- loyed - '000 -	Labour force	Unemp- ment rate - per cent -	Employed		Unemp- loyed - '000 -	Labour force	Unemp- ment rate - per cent -	Employed		Unemp- loyed - '000 -	Labour force	Unemp- ment rate - per cent -
	Full-time workers	Total				Full-time workers	Total				Full-time workers	Total			
WESTERN AUSTRALIA															
1994 —															
June	411.2	458.3	42.5	500.8	8.5	76.6	178.2	337.3	33.8	361.1	589.3	785.6	76.2	861.9	8.8
July	416.0	463.8	41.8	505.5	8.3	77.2	180.0	336.9	29.2	366.0	596.1	800.6	70.9	871.6	8.1
August	416.2	462.6	40.5	503.1	8.0	76.7	180.2	335.3	28.3	363.5	596.5	797.9	68.7	866.6	7.9
September	416.1	464.1	39.8	503.9	7.9	76.7	180.8	333.4	31.0	364.5	596.9	797.5	70.9	868.4	8.2
October	410.4	463.9	38.1	502.0	7.6	76.3	184.3	341.4	27.8	369.2	594.7	805.3	65.9	871.2	7.6
November	412.0	468.3	40.1	508.4	7.9	77.1	186.2	340.2	28.4	368.5	598.2	808.5	68.5	877.0	7.8
December	415.8	471.0	37.6	508.6	7.4	77.0	185.5	345.7	26.3	372.0	601.3	816.7	63.9	880.5	7.3
1995 —															
January	416.8	472.5	39.9	512.5	7.8	77.5	183.2	344.4	26.4	370.8	600.0	816.9	66.4	883.3	7.5
February	417.1	466.6	46.0	512.6	9.0	77.4	192.1	349.2	26.0	375.2	609.2	815.8	72.0	887.8	8.1
March	423.2	476.4	37.3	513.8	7.3	77.4	188.3	350.3	26.9	377.2	611.5	826.7	64.2	890.9	7.2
April	426.1	479.3	41.2	520.6	7.9	78.3	196.7	359.0	24.8	383.8	622.8	838.3	66.1	904.4	7.3
May	426.3	476.6	38.7	515.3	7.5	77.3	194.8	358.5	27.7	386.2	621.0	835.1	66.4	901.5	7.4
June	430.3	477.8	36.1	513.9	7.0	77.0	186.0	351.2	29.2	380.4	616.3	829.0	65.3	894.3	7.3
July	432.4	479.7	33.9	513.6	6.6	76.8	185.2	351.9	32.6	384.4	617.6	831.6	66.5	898.1	7.4
August	426.8	474.8	34.4	509.2	6.7	76.0	192.9	355.8	27.4	383.3	619.7	830.6	61.8	892.4	6.9
TASMANIA															
1994 —															
June	101.5	112.4	14.2	126.7	11.2	70.4	40.6	83.2	7.5	90.7	142.1	195.7	21.7	217.4	10.0
July	100.7	112.5	14.7	127.2	11.5	70.7	41.2	82.9	9.2	92.0	141.8	195.4	23.8	219.2	10.9
August	99.5	112.4	14.5	126.9	11.4	70.5	40.6	80.9	7.9	88.7	140.0	193.3	22.3	215.6	10.4
September	99.3	112.9	15.0	127.9	11.7	71.0	41.6	82.2	8.8	91.0	141.0	195.1	23.8	218.9	10.9
October	99.6	115.3	14.2	129.6	11.0	72.0	41.0	80.3	9.3	89.5	140.6	195.6	23.5	219.1	10.7
November	100.5	113.5	15.0	128.5	11.7	71.4	43.8	81.4	9.6	91.0	144.4	194.9	24.6	219.6	11.2
December	100.7	114.6	14.9	129.5	11.5	71.9	43.2	80.7	9.2	89.9	143.9	195.3	24.1	219.4	11.0
1995 —															
January	100.6	113.8	15.4	129.1	11.9	71.6	44.2	83.5	10.3	93.8	144.7	197.2	25.7	222.9	11.5
February	99.0	112.2	16.3	128.5	12.7	71.3	43.9	82.5	9.4	91.9	142.9	194.7	25.7	220.4	11.7
March	100.8	114.2	14.0	128.3	10.9	71.1	45.6	85.0	8.8	93.8	146.3	199.2	22.8	222.0	10.3
April	99.4	114.5	14.9	129.4	11.5	71.7	46.4	88.3	7.5	95.8	145.8	202.8	22.4	225.2	9.9
May	99.6	114.1	15.0	129.1	11.6	71.6	44.4	86.6	8.4	94.9	144.0	200.7	23.4	224.1	10.4
June	100.2	113.4	14.3	127.7	11.2	70.8	46.1	85.8	6.4	92.2	146.3	199.2	20.7	219.9	9.4
July	100.9	114.3	12.8	127.1	10.1	70.4	44.7	86.9	7.1	94.0	145.6	201.2	19.9	221.0	9.0
August	99.2	112.1	14.5	126.6	11.4	70.1	44.9	85.8	8.0	93.7	144.1	197.9	22.4	220.3	10.2

TABLE 9. CIVILIAN LABOUR FORCE, STATES AND TERRITORIES: TREND SERIES

Month	Males					Females					Persons							
	Employed		Unemp-		Partic-	Employed		Unemp-		Partic-	Employed		Unemp-		Partic-			
	Full-time workers	Total	Unemp- loyed - '000 -	Labour force	ipation rate - per cent -	Full-time workers	Total	Unemp- loyed - '000 -	Labour force	ipation rate - per cent -	Full-time workers	Total	Unemp- loyed - '000 -	Labour force	ipation rate - per cent -			
NEW SOUTH WALES																		
1994 —																		
June	1,354.0	1,513.1	170.6	1,683.7	10.1	72.3	688.6	1,127.4	113.2	1,240.6	9.1	51.4	2,042.6	2,640.5	283.8	2,924.3	9.7	61.7
July	1,357.2	1,519.3	165.6	1,684.9	9.8	72.3	692.0	1,130.4	112.3	1,242.7	9.0	51.4	2,049.2	2,649.7	277.9	2,927.6	9.5	61.7
August	1,360.2	1,525.2	161.0	1,686.1	9.5	72.3	696.1	1,135.0	110.8	1,245.9	8.9	51.5	2,056.3	2,660.2	271.8	2,932.0	9.3	61.7
September	1,363.8	1,531.1	157.3	1,688.4	9.3	72.3	699.9	1,140.8	109.3	1,250.0	8.7	51.6	2,063.7	2,671.9	266.6	2,938.4	9.1	61.8
October	1,368.9	1,537.1	154.9	1,691.9	9.2	72.4	701.5	1,146.2	108.2	1,254.4	8.6	51.8	2,070.5	2,683.2	263.1	2,946.3	8.9	61.9
November	1,375.7	1,543.3	153.0	1,696.3	9.0	72.5	700.2	1,150.1	107.9	1,258.1	8.6	51.9	2,075.9	2,693.4	261.0	2,954.4	8.8	62.0
December	1,383.2	1,549.7	151.3	1,701.0	8.9	72.7	696.5	1,152.0	107.8	1,259.8	8.6	51.9	2,079.7	2,701.7	259.1	2,960.8	8.8	62.1
1995 —																		
January	1,390.6	1,556.2	149.0	1,705.2	8.7	72.8	692.3	1,152.7	107.4	1,260.0	8.5	51.9	2,082.9	2,708.9	256.4	2,965.3	8.6	62.1
February r	1,397.3	1,562.2	146.3	1,708.5	8.6	72.8	689.4	1,153.9	105.3	1,259.2	8.4	51.8	2,086.7	2,716.1	251.6	2,967.7	8.5	62.1
March r	1,402.7	1,566.8	143.5	1,710.4	8.4	72.8	689.7	1,157.3	101.8	1,259.0	8.1	51.7	2,092.4	2,724.1	245.3	2,969.4	8.3	62.1
April r	1,406.8	1,570.0	141.0	1,711.0	8.2	72.8	693.5	1,162.9	97.6	1,260.5	7.7	51.8	2,100.3	2,733.0	238.6	2,971.6	8.0	62.1
May r	1,410.3	1,572.4	139.0	1,711.3	8.1	72.7	699.4	1,169.7	93.8	1,263.5	7.4	51.8	2,109.7	2,742.1	232.8	2,974.9	7.8	62.1
June r	1,413.8	1,574.5	137.6	1,712.1	8.0	72.6	706.0	1,176.8	91.0	1,267.8	7.2	52.0	2,119.8	2,751.3	228.6	2,979.9	7.7	62.1
July r	1,416.9	1,576.5	136.6	1,713.1	8.0	72.6	712.3	1,183.0	89.3	1,272.4	7.0	52.1	2,129.2	2,759.5	225.9	2,985.4	7.6	62.2
August	1,418.9	1,577.9	136.4	1,714.3	8.0	72.6	718.3	1,188.7	88.0	1,276.7	6.9	52.2	2,137.2	2,766.5	224.4	2,991.0	7.5	62.2
VICTORIA																		
1994 —																		
June	1,015.6	1,134.5	140.7	1,275.2	11.0	73.9	474.5	845.4	97.4	942.8	10.3	52.4	1,490.0	1,979.9	238.1	2,218.0	10.7	62.9
July	1,017.3	1,137.6	137.4	1,275.0	10.8	73.9	474.7	846.7	96.9	943.6	10.3	52.4	1,491.9	1,984.4	234.2	2,218.6	10.6	62.9
August	1,017.5	1,139.8	134.5	1,274.4	10.6	73.8	474.2	846.3	96.5	942.7	10.2	52.3	1,491.7	1,986.1	231.0	2,217.1	10.4	62.9
September	1,017.0	1,141.7	132.3	1,274.0	10.4	73.8	473.3	844.5	96.1	940.6	10.2	52.2	1,490.3	1,986.2	228.4	2,214.6	10.3	62.8
October	1,017.2	1,144.4	130.3	1,274.7	10.2	73.8	472.3	842.3	95.6	938.0	10.2	52.0	1,489.5	1,986.7	225.9	2,212.7	10.2	62.7
November	1,019.0	1,148.3	128.0	1,276.4	10.0	73.8	472.2	841.4	94.8	936.2	10.1	51.9	1,491.2	1,989.8	222.8	2,212.6	10.1	62.6
December	1,022.8	1,153.7	125.4	1,279.2	9.8	74.0	474.0	843.4	93.5	936.9	10.0	51.9	1,496.8	1,997.2	218.9	2,216.1	9.9	62.7
1995 —																		
January	1,028.3	1,159.9	122.3	1,282.2	9.5	74.1	477.8	849.4	91.7	941.1	9.7	52.1	1,506.0	2,009.3	214.0	2,223.3	9.6	62.9
February r	1,033.9	1,165.2	119.2	1,284.5	9.3	74.1	483.9	859.3	89.4	948.8	9.4	52.5	1,517.8	2,024.6	208.7	2,233.2	9.3	63.1
March r	1,038.2	1,168.3	117.2	1,285.5	9.1	74.1	491.6	871.4	86.5	958.0	9.0	53.0	1,529.8	2,039.8	203.7	2,243.5	9.1	63.3
April r	1,040.7	1,169.4	116.1	1,285.5	9.0	74.1	499.4	883.0	83.4	966.5	8.6	53.4	1,540.0	2,052.4	199.5	2,252.0	8.9	63.5
May r	1,041.2	1,168.9	116.0	1,284.9	9.0	74.0	506.0	891.9	80.9	972.9	8.3	53.7	1,547.3	2,060.8	196.9	2,257.8	8.7	63.6
June r	1,040.8	1,168.0	116.4	1,284.3	9.1	73.9	511.4	898.1	79.3	977.4	8.1	53.9	1,552.2	2,066.0	195.7	2,261.7	8.7	63.7
July r	1,040.1	1,167.2	116.8	1,284.0	9.1	73.8	515.6	902.1	78.3	980.4	8.0	54.0	1,555.6	2,069.3	195.1	2,264.4	8.6	63.7
August	1,038.7	1,166.0	117.5	1,283.5	9.2	73.7	518.1	903.6	78.1	981.7	8.0	54.0	1,556.8	2,069.6	195.6	2,265.2	8.6	63.7

TABLE 9. CIVILIAN LABOUR FORCE, STATES AND TERRITORIES: TREND SERIES—continued

Month	Males				Females				Persons			
	Employed		Unemp-		Employed		Unemp-		Employed		Unemp-	
	Full-time workers	Total	labour force	rate - per cent -	Full-time workers	Total	labour force	rate - per cent -	Full-time workers	Total	labour force	rate - per cent -
QUEENSLAND												
1994 —												
June	742.8	829.5	912.7	9.1	74.6	599.7	62.7	662.3	1,091.6	1,429.2	145.9	9.3
July	746.6	832.4	915.1	9.0	74.7	604.0	62.2	666.3	1,099.6	1,436.4	145.0	9.2
August	749.3	834.6	917.3	9.0	74.7	608.8	61.6	670.4	1,105.8	1,443.4	144.4	9.1
September	751.1	836.0	918.8	9.0	74.6	613.5	60.7	674.2	1,109.4	1,449.5	143.5	9.0
October	752.5	837.4	920.0	9.0	74.5	617.8	59.8	677.7	1,110.0	1,455.2	142.4	8.9
November	754.4	839.6	921.5	8.9	74.4	622.2	59.3	681.5	1,109.3	1,461.8	141.1	8.8
December	757.0	842.9	924.0	8.8	74.5	627.1	59.1	686.2	1,109.7	1,470.0	140.2	8.7
1995 —												
January	760.0	847.0	927.7	8.7	74.6	632.5	59.5	691.9	1,112.5	1,479.4	140.2	8.7
February	763.0	851.2	932.4	8.7	74.8	638.4	60.1	698.6	1,118.4	1,489.6	141.3	8.7
March	765.1	854.9	937.3	8.8	75.0	644.2	60.7	704.9	1,126.3	1,499.1	143.1	8.7
April	765.9	857.4	941.5	8.9	75.1	649.0	60.9	709.9	1,134.0	1,506.5	145.0	8.8
May	765.6	859.0	944.7	9.1	75.2	652.3	60.7	713.0	1,139.9	1,511.3	146.4	8.8
June	765.0	859.8	946.9	9.2	75.2	654.2	60.2	714.5	1,143.4	1,514.0	147.3	8.9
July	764.3	860.3	948.6	9.3	75.1	655.3	59.7	714.9	1,145.5	1,515.6	148.0	8.9
August	763.6	860.3	949.5	9.4	75.0	655.1	59.1	714.2	1,145.5	1,515.4	148.3	8.9
SOUTH AUSTRALIA												
1994 —												
June	326.0	364.1	409.3	11.0	71.5	277.2	31.3	308.6	472.2	641.4	76.5	10.7
July	327.4	365.2	409.9	10.9	71.6	279.3	31.7	311.0	474.8	644.5	76.5	10.6
August	327.8	365.5	410.1	10.9	71.6	280.8	31.7	312.5	476.6	646.3	76.3	10.6
September	327.3	365.3	409.8	10.9	71.5	281.6	31.1	312.7	477.5	646.9	75.6	10.5
October	326.2	364.8	409.2	10.9	71.4	281.8	30.1	311.9	477.3	646.5	74.6	10.3
November	324.5	364.3	408.6	10.9	71.3	281.5	29.0	310.5	476.2	645.7	73.4	10.2
December	322.9	364.2	408.4	10.8	71.2	281.0	28.2	309.2	474.9	645.2	72.4	10.1
1995 —												
January	321.7	364.7	408.7	10.8	71.2	280.9	27.7	308.6	473.8	645.5	71.7	10.0
February	320.8	365.4	409.4	10.8	71.3	281.4	27.4	308.8	473.1	646.8	71.4	9.9
March	320.4	366.2	410.4	10.8	71.4	282.5	27.3	309.9	472.9	648.7	71.5	9.9
April	320.3	366.9	411.4	10.8	71.6	284.2	27.3	311.5	473.0	651.1	71.8	9.9
May	320.5	367.5	412.2	10.8	71.7	286.0	27.2	313.3	473.3	653.6	72.0	9.9
June	321.0	368.2	413.0	10.9	71.8	287.8	26.9	314.8	473.7	656.0	71.8	9.9
July	321.9	369.1	413.8	10.8	72.0	289.4	26.6	316.0	474.2	658.4	71.4	9.8
August	322.8	369.7	414.4	10.8	72.1	290.5	26.1	316.7	474.7	660.2	70.9	9.7

TABLE 9. CIVILIAN LABOUR FORCE, STATES AND TERRITORIES: TREND SERIES—continued

Month	Males						Females						Persons					
	Employed			Unemp-			Employed			Unemp-			Employed			Unemp-		
	Full-time workers	Total	Unemp- loyed -'000 -	Labour force	Unemp- ment rate - per cent -	Partic- ipation rate - per cent -	Full-time workers	Total	Unemp- loyed -'000 -	Labour force	Unemp- ment rate - per cent -	Partic- ipation rate - per cent -	Full-time workers	Total	Unemp- loyed -'000 -	Labour force	Unemp- ment rate - per cent -	Partic- ipation rate - per cent -
WESTERN AUSTRALIA																		
1994 —																		
June	413.4	460.8	41.4	502.2	8.2	76.8	178.6	330.0	30.9	360.9	8.6	54.7	591.9	790.7	72.3	863.0	8.4	65.7
July	413.9	461.5	41.0	502.6	8.2	76.8	179.6	332.1	30.6	362.7	8.4	54.9	593.5	793.7	71.6	865.3	8.3	65.8
August	414.1	462.8	40.3	503.1	8.0	76.7	180.8	334.6	30.0	364.6	8.2	55.1	594.9	797.3	70.4	867.7	8.1	65.9
September	414.0	464.3	39.7	504.0	7.9	76.7	182.0	337.0	29.2	366.2	8.0	55.3	596.0	801.3	69.0	870.2	7.9	66.0
October	413.7	465.8	39.4	505.2	7.8	76.8	183.1	339.2	28.4	367.5	7.7	55.4	596.8	805.0	67.7	872.7	7.8	66.0
November	413.8	467.4	39.4	506.8	7.8	76.9	184.3	341.3	27.6	368.9	7.5	55.5	598.1	808.7	67.0	875.7	7.7	66.1
December	414.6	469.1	39.9	509.0	7.8	77.1	185.8	343.8	27.0	370.7	7.3	55.7	600.5	812.9	66.8	879.7	7.6	66.3
1995 —																		
January	416.4	470.9	40.5	511.4	7.9	77.3	187.8	346.8	26.3	373.1	7.1	55.9	604.2	817.7	66.9	884.5	7.6	66.6
February	419.2	472.9	40.9	513.8	8.0	77.5	189.6	349.9	26.0	375.9	6.9	56.2	608.8	822.7	66.9	889.6	7.5	66.8
March	422.2	474.7	40.6	515.3	7.9	77.6	190.8	352.3	26.3	378.5	6.9	56.5	613.0	826.9	66.9	893.8	7.5	67.0
April	424.9	476.1	39.6	515.7	7.7	77.6	191.3	353.9	27.0	380.8	7.1	56.8	616.2	830.0	66.6	896.6	7.4	67.1
May	427.1	477.2	38.2	515.4	7.4	77.4	191.2	354.7	27.8	382.5	7.3	56.9	618.3	831.9	66.0	897.9	7.4	67.1
June	428.8	477.9	36.7	514.5	7.1	77.1	190.6	355.0	28.6	383.6	7.5	57.0	619.4	832.8	65.3	898.1	7.3	67.0
July	430.0	478.1	35.3	513.4	6.9	76.8	190.0	354.9	29.3	384.3	7.6	57.0	619.9	833.0	64.6	897.7	7.2	66.8
August	430.7	478.2	34.0	512.2	6.6	76.5	189.1	354.6	29.9	384.4	7.8	56.9	619.8	832.8	63.8	896.6	7.1	66.6
TASMANIA																		
1994 —																		
June	100.3	112.4	15.3	127.6	12.0	71.0	41.0	82.7	8.4	91.1	9.2	49.0	141.3	195.1	23.7	218.8	10.8	59.8
July	100.3	112.6	14.8	127.4	11.6	70.8	40.9	82.3	8.4	90.7	9.3	48.7	141.2	195.0	23.2	218.1	10.6	59.6
August	100.1	113.0	14.5	127.5	11.4	70.9	41.1	81.8	8.5	90.4	9.5	48.5	141.2	194.9	23.0	217.9	10.6	59.5
September	100.0	113.5	14.5	127.9	11.3	71.1	41.4	81.4	8.8	90.2	9.8	48.4	141.4	194.9	23.3	218.1	10.7	59.6
October	100.0	113.8	14.7	128.5	11.4	71.3	42.0	81.1	9.1	90.2	10.1	48.4	141.9	194.8	23.8	218.7	10.9	59.7
November	100.1	113.9	14.9	128.9	11.6	71.5	42.6	81.1	9.5	90.6	10.4	48.6	142.7	195.0	24.4	219.4	11.1	59.9
December	100.2	113.9	15.1	129.1	11.7	71.6	43.4	81.7	9.6	91.3	10.5	49.0	143.5	195.6	24.7	220.3	11.2	60.1
1995 —																		
January	100.2	113.8	15.2	129.1	11.8	71.6	44.1	82.7	9.6	92.2	10.4	49.5	144.3	196.5	24.8	221.3	11.2	60.3
February	100.1	113.8	15.2	129.0	11.8	71.6	44.7	83.9	9.2	93.1	9.9	49.9	144.8	197.7	24.5	222.2	11.0	60.6
March	100.0	113.8	15.1	128.9	11.7	71.4	45.1	85.1	8.7	93.8	9.3	50.3	145.1	198.9	23.8	222.7	10.7	60.7
April	99.9	113.9	14.8	128.7	11.5	71.3	45.3	85.9	8.2	94.1	8.7	50.4	145.2	199.8	23.0	222.8	10.3	60.7
May	99.9	113.9	14.5	128.4	11.3	71.1	45.4	86.4	7.7	94.2	8.2	50.4	145.3	200.3	22.2	222.5	10.0	60.6
June	100.0	113.8	14.2	128.0	11.1	70.9	45.3	86.7	7.4	94.0	7.9	50.4	145.3	200.4	21.6	222.0	9.7	60.5
July	100.0	113.6	14.0	127.5	10.9	70.6	45.2	86.7	7.2	93.9	7.7	50.3	145.3	200.2	21.1	221.4	9.6	60.3
August	100.1	113.4	13.8	127.1	10.8	70.4	45.1	86.6	7.1	93.8	7.6	50.2	145.2	200.0	20.9	220.9	9.5	60.1

TABLE 9. CIVILIAN LABOUR FORCE, STATES AND TERRITORIES: TREND SERIES—continued

Month	Males						Females						Persons					
	Employed			Unemp-			Employed			Unemp-			Employed			Unemp-		
	Full-time workers	Total	'000 -	Labour force	Unemployment rate - per cent -	Participation rate - per cent -	Full-time workers	Total	'000 -	Labour force	Unemployment rate - per cent -	Participation rate - per cent -	Full-time workers	Total	'000 -	Labour force	Unemployment rate - per cent -	Participation rate - per cent -
NORTHERN TERRITORY																		
1994 —																		
June	38.0	41.9	3.5	45.4	7.7	73.4	23.0	32.5	2.5	35.0	7.1	59.8	61.0	74.4	6.0	80.4	7.4	66.8
July	38.3	42.5	3.5	46.0	7.6	74.4	23.2	33.3	2.6	35.9	7.3	61.2	61.5	75.8	6.1	81.9	7.5	67.9
August	38.7	43.2	3.5	46.7	7.6	75.4	23.5	34.2	2.8	37.0	7.5	62.9	62.3	77.4	6.3	83.7	7.5	69.3
September	39.3	43.8	3.6	47.4	7.6	76.5	24.1	35.4	2.9	38.3	7.6	65.0	63.3	79.2	6.5	85.7	7.6	70.9
October	39.8	44.5	3.6	48.1	7.6	77.6	24.8	36.6	3.0	39.6	7.5	67.0	64.6	81.1	6.6	87.7	7.6	72.4
November	40.4	45.1	3.7	48.8	7.5	78.5	25.4	37.6	3.0	40.6	7.4	68.5	65.9	82.7	6.7	89.4	7.5	73.6
December	41.0	45.7	3.6	49.4	7.4	79.4	25.9	38.1	3.0	41.1	7.3	69.2	66.9	83.8	6.6	90.5	7.3	74.4
1995 —																		
January	41.4	46.1	3.6	49.7	7.3	79.8	26.1	38.2	2.9	41.1	7.1	69.0	67.5	84.3	6.5	90.8	7.2	74.5
February r	41.5	46.3	3.6	49.8	7.2	79.8	26.0	37.8	2.8	40.6	7.0	68.1	67.5	84.0	6.4	90.4	7.1	74.1
March r	41.3	46.1	3.6	49.7	7.3	79.5	25.6	37.1	2.8	39.9	6.9	66.8	66.9	83.2	6.4	89.6	7.1	73.3
April r	40.9	45.8	3.7	49.5	7.5	79.0	25.1	36.5	2.7	39.2	6.9	65.4	66.0	82.3	6.4	88.7	7.2	72.4
May r	40.4	45.3	3.8	49.2	7.8	78.4	24.6	36.0	2.7	38.7	6.9	64.3	65.0	81.3	6.5	87.9	7.4	71.5
June (a) r	40.0	44.8	4.0	48.9	8.2	77.8	24.2	35.7	2.6	38.3	6.9	63.5	64.2	80.5	6.7	87.2	7.6	70.8
July (a) r	39.6	44.3	4.2	48.5	8.6	77.2	23.8	35.4	2.6	38.0	6.8	62.9	63.4	79.8	6.8	86.6	7.9	70.2
August (a)	39.2	43.9	4.4	48.3	9.1	76.7	23.6	35.2	2.6	37.8	6.8	62.4	62.7	79.1	7.0	86.1	8.1	69.7
AUSTRALIAN CAPITAL TERRITORY																		
1994 —																		
June	72.7	83.2	6.2	89.4	6.9	80.0	46.6	70.5	5.2	75.7	6.9	65.2	119.3	153.7	11.4	165.1	6.9	72.4
July	72.5	83.0	6.4	89.4	7.1	79.9	47.1	71.1	5.3	76.3	6.9	65.7	119.6	154.1	11.6	165.7	7.0	72.6
August	72.3	82.9	6.6	89.5	7.4	79.9	47.3	71.6	5.3	76.9	6.9	66.1	119.6	154.5	11.9	166.4	7.2	72.8
September	72.2	82.8	6.9	89.7	7.7	79.9	47.2	71.9	5.2	77.1	6.8	66.2	119.4	154.6	12.1	166.8	7.3	72.9
October	72.2	82.7	7.1	89.7	7.9	79.9	46.8	71.9	5.1	77.0	6.6	66.1	119.0	154.6	12.2	166.8	7.3	72.9
November	72.3	82.7	7.1	89.7	7.9	79.8	46.0	71.8	5.0	76.8	6.5	65.9	118.3	154.5	12.1	166.6	7.3	72.7
December	72.3	82.6	7.0	89.6	7.8	79.6	45.1	71.6	4.9	76.5	6.4	65.6	117.4	154.2	11.9	166.1	7.2	72.5
1995 —																		
January	72.4	82.6	6.9	89.5	7.7	79.5	44.2	71.3	4.9	76.2	6.4	65.3	116.5	153.9	11.8	165.6	7.1	72.2
February r	72.4	82.5	6.8	89.3	7.6	79.4	43.5	71.1	4.9	76.0	6.5	65.1	115.9	153.6	11.7	165.3	7.1	72.1
March r	72.4	82.5	6.8	89.3	7.6	79.4	43.2	71.2	5.0	76.2	6.5	65.2	115.6	153.8	11.7	165.5	7.1	72.1
April r	72.4	82.8	6.9	89.7	7.7	79.6	43.4	71.5	5.0	76.5	6.5	65.4	115.8	154.3	11.9	166.2	7.2	72.4
May r	72.5	83.2	7.1	90.4	7.9	80.2	43.8	72.0	5.0	77.0	6.4	65.7	116.3	155.3	12.1	167.4	7.2	72.8
June (a) r	72.7	83.8	7.4	91.2	8.1	80.8	44.2	72.6	4.9	77.5	6.3	66.0	116.9	156.4	12.3	168.7	7.3	73.3
July (a) r	72.8	84.4	7.7	92.1	8.4	81.5	44.6	73.2	4.8	78.0	6.2	66.4	117.4	157.5	12.6	170.1	7.4	73.8
August (a)	72.9	84.9	8.0	92.8	8.6	82.1	44.9	73.6	4.8	78.4	6.1	66.7	117.8	158.5	12.8	171.3	7.5	74.2

(a) These estimates may be subject to significant revisions as data for later months become available.

TABLE 10. CIVILIAN LABOUR FORCE, BY AGE, AUGUST 1995

Age group	Number ('000)					Participation rate (per cent)				
	Males					Females				
	Males	Married	Not married	Total	Persons	Males	Married	Not married	Total	Persons
15-64	5,020.3	2,283.3	1,519.1	3,802.4	8,822.7	83.2	62.2	66.3	63.7	73.5
15-19	357.8	11.7	339.3	351.0	708.8	55.0	59.1	56.8	56.9	55.9
20-24	627.4	141.5	400.5	542.0	1,169.3	86.9	72.2	78.9	77.0	82.0
25-34	1,307.8	624.1	333.0	957.2	2,265.0	92.8	64.1	75.0	67.5	80.1
35-44	1,258.3	768.3	220.6	988.9	2,247.2	92.9	71.4	73.6	71.9	82.3
45-54	1,007.1	581.2	167.3	748.6	1,755.7	88.7	67.8	68.4	67.9	78.5
55-59	304.0	119.7	39.7	159.4	463.4	74.0	39.9	40.5	40.0	57.3
60-64	157.9	36.7	18.7	55.4	213.3	45.3	14.7	18.4	15.8	30.5
65 and over	86.2	18.4	12.4	30.7	116.9	9.2	3.7	1.7	2.5	5.4
Total	5,106.5	2,301.6	1,531.5	3,833.1	8,939.6	73.3	55.2	50.8	53.3	63.1

TABLE 11. LABOUR FORCE STATUS OF THE CIVILIAN POPULATION AGED 15 TO 19: FULL-TIME ATTENDANCE AT SCHOOL OR A TERTIARY EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTION, AUGUST 1995

	Employed		Unemployed		Total	Labour force	Not in labour force	Civilian population aged 15-19	Unemployment rate - per cent -	Participation rate
	Full-time workers	Total	Looking for full-time work	Looking for part-time work						
	- '000 -									
ATTENDING NEITHER SCHOOL NOR A TERTIARY EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTION FULL TIME (a)										
Males	144.6	174.9	43.2	* 1.0	44.2	219.1	20.5	239.6	20.2	91.4
Females	76.7	118.2	35.8	* 2.3	38.0	156.2	28.2	184.4	24.3	84.7
Persons	221.2	293.1	79.0	* 3.2	82.2	375.3	48.7	424.0	21.9	88.5
Left school —										
Before 1992	45.4	55.4	15.9	* 0.6	16.6	71.9	15.3	87.3	23.0	82.4
1993	86.6	112.8	23.7	* 1.3	25.0	137.7	14.5	152.2	18.1	90.5
1994 to survey date	89.3	125.0	39.3	* 1.3	40.6	165.6	17.5	183.1	24.5	90.5
Age —										
15	4.6	7.6	* 3.2	* 0.0	* 3.2	10.9	4.0	14.9	* 29.7	72.8
16	15.1	23.4	9.4	* 0.4	9.8	33.1	* 3.7	36.8	29.5	90.0
17	36.7	47.7	13.6	* 0.3	13.8	61.5	6.4	68.0	22.5	90.6
18	71.7	93.8	26.0	* 1.5	27.5	121.3	13.6	134.9	22.6	89.9
19	93.0	120.6	26.8	* 1.1	27.9	148.5	21.0	169.5	18.8	87.6
ATTENDING A TERTIARY EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTION FULL TIME										
Males	* 0.5	30.3	* 1.3	5.9	7.2	37.5	40.4	77.9	19.2	48.1
Females	* 0.7	50.3	* 1.5	9.3	10.9	61.2	39.2	100.4	17.7	60.9
Persons	* 1.2	80.6	* 2.8	15.3	18.1	98.7	79.7	178.4	18.3	55.3
Left school —										
Before 1992	* 0.3	7.3	* 0.3	* 0.4	* 0.7	8.0	5.3	13.3	* 9.0	60.2
1993	* 0.9	31.8	* 0.6	4.3	4.9	36.7	26.1	62.7	13.4	58.5
1994 to survey date	* 0.0	41.6	* 1.9	10.5	12.4	54.0	48.3	102.3	23.0	52.8
Age —										
15 and 16	* 0.0	* 0.9	* 0.0	* 0.6	* 0.6	* 1.5	* 3.5	5.0	* 38.5	* 30.0
17	* 0.0	6.3	* 0.6	* 1.6	* 2.2	8.5	9.1	17.5	* 26.1	48.3
18	* 0.5	31.9	* 1.4	8.4	9.8	41.8	30.9	72.7	23.6	57.5
19	* 0.7	41.5	* 0.8	4.6	5.4	47.0	36.2	83.1	11.6	56.5
ATTENDING SCHOOL										
Males	* 0.2	82.0	* 2.3	17.0	19.2	101.2	231.8	333.0	19.0	30.4
Females	* 0.2	111.4	* 1.2	21.0	22.2	133.6	198.3	331.9	16.6	40.2
Persons	* 0.4	193.4	* 3.4	38.0	41.4	234.8	430.2	665.0	17.6	35.3
Age —										
15	* 0.2	53.5	* 0.9	18.7	19.6	73.1	161.7	234.8	26.8	31.2
16	* 0.2	73.1	* 0.7	11.7	12.4	85.5	124.4	209.9	14.5	40.7
17	* 0.0	51.8	* 0.9	4.4	5.3	57.2	109.5	166.6	9.3	34.3
18 and 19	* 0.0	14.9	* 0.9	* 3.2	4.1	19.0	34.6	53.6	21.4	35.4
TOTAL										
Males	145.3	287.1	46.8	23.9	70.6	357.8	292.8	650.5	19.7	55.0
Females	77.5	280.0	38.4	32.6	71.0	351.0	265.8	616.8	20.2	56.9
Persons	222.8	567.1	85.2	56.5	141.7	708.8	558.5	1,267.3	20.0	55.9
Age —										
15	4.8	61.2	4.2	18.9	23.0	84.2	166.2	250.4	27.4	33.6
16	15.3	97.4	10.1	12.5	22.6	120.0	131.0	251.0	18.8	47.8
17	36.7	105.8	15.0	6.3	21.4	127.2	125.0	252.1	16.8	50.4
18	72.3	139.4	28.3	12.5	40.8	180.2	74.3	254.4	22.6	70.8
19	93.7	163.4	27.6	6.3	33.9	197.3	62.0	259.3	17.2	76.1

(a) The components of the 'Left school' category in the 'Not in labour force' column do not add to the total because institutionalised persons are not asked the 'school attendance' question.

TABLE 12. LABOUR FORCE STATUS OF THE CIVILIAN POPULATION AGED 20-24: FULL-TIME ATTENDANCE AT A TERTIARY EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTION, AUGUST 1995

A TERTIARY EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTION, AUGUST 1955										
	<i>Employed</i>		<i>Unemployed</i>					<i>Civilian population aged 20-24</i>	<i>Unemployment rate - per cent -</i>	<i>Participation rate</i>
	<i>Full-time workers</i>	<i>Total</i>	<i>Looking for full-time work</i>	<i>Looking for part-time work - '000 -</i>	<i>Total</i>	<i>Labour force</i>	<i>Not in labour force</i>			
NOT ATTENDING A TERTIARY EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTION FULL TIME										
Males	457.9	506.9	64.8	* 2.5	67.3	574.2	32.5	606.7	11.7	94.6
Females	338.5	432.1	38.4	7.0	45.3	477.5	100.5	578.0	9.5	82.6
Persons	796.4	939.0	103.2	9.5	112.7	1,051.7	133.0	1,184.7	10.7	88.8
Age —										
20	119.2	149.5	15.4	* 1.5	16.9	166.4	18.8	185.3	10.2	89.8
21	139.7	167.0	25.3	* 2.6	27.9	194.9	21.6	216.6	14.3	90.0
22	159.5	184.7	21.4	* 1.2	22.6	207.3	30.1	237.4	10.9	87.3
23	180.4	209.8	23.2	* 3.0	26.2	236.0	28.7	264.8	11.1	89.1
24	197.6	228.0	17.9	* 1.0	19.0	247.0	33.7	280.7	7.7	88.0
ATTENDING A TERTIARY EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTION FULL TIME										
Males	5.4	44.9	* 2.6	5.7	8.3	53.2	62.3	115.5	15.6	46.0
Females	* 3.9	55.9	* 1.7	6.9	8.6	64.5	61.0	125.5	13.4	51.4
Persons	9.3	100.8	4.3	12.6	16.9	117.7	123.3	241.0	14.4	48.8
Age —										
20	* 2.2	38.9	* 0.5	4.6	5.1	43.9	38.5	82.5	11.5	53.3
21	* 2.9	28.4	* 1.0	* 2.5	* 3.5	31.8	27.2	59.0	* 10.9	54.0
22	* 1.3	17.6	* 0.8	* 3.5	4.3	21.9	24.3	46.2	19.5	47.4
23	* 1.2	7.0	* 1.0	* 1.1	* 2.1	9.1	22.9	32.0	* 23.0	28.5
24	* 1.7	8.9	* 1.0	* 1.0	* 2.0	10.9	10.4	21.3	* 18.3	51.0
TOTAL										
Males	463.3	551.8	67.4	8.2	75.6	627.4	94.8	722.2	12.0	86.9
Females	342.4	488.0	40.1	13.9	54.0	542.0	161.5	703.5	10.0	77.0
Persons	805.7	1,039.8	107.5	22.0	129.6	1,169.3	256.3	1,425.7	11.1	82.0
Age —										
20	121.4	188.4	15.9	6.1	22.0	210.4	57.4	267.7	10.4	78.6
21	142.6	195.4	26.3	5.1	31.4	226.8	48.8	275.6	13.9	82.3
22	160.9	202.3	22.2	4.7	26.9	229.2	54.4	283.6	11.7	80.8
23	181.6	216.8	24.2	4.1	28.3	245.1	51.7	296.8	11.5	82.6
24	199.3	236.9	19.0	* 2.0	21.0	257.8	44.1	302.0	8.1	85.4

TABLE 13. LABOUR FORCE PARTICIPATION RATES(a), BY AGE AND BIRTHPLACE, AUGUST 1995
(per cent)

<i>Age group</i>	<i>Born in Australia</i>			<i>Born outside Australia</i>		
	<i>Males</i>	<i>Females</i>	<i>Persons</i>	<i>Males</i>	<i>Females</i>	<i>Persons</i>
15-64	84.5	66.5	75.5	81.4	56.6	69.1
15-19	58.2	60.0	59.1	40.9	39.7	40.3
20-24	90.0	79.9	85.0	68.9	60.7	64.8
25-34	94.2	69.7	81.9	90.6	60.9	75.5
35-44	93.8	73.3	83.5	91.9	68.6	80.2
45-54	88.6	69.9	79.3	89.7	64.3	77.4
55-59	74.9	43.0	59.0	73.4	35.2	55.0
60-64	46.3	16.8	31.2	44.2	14.0	29.6
65 and over	10.7	3.1	6.4	7.3	1.9	4.5
Total	75.7	56.8	66.1	69.6	47.4	58.6

(a) Calculated using population estimates which exclude those in institutions.

TABLE 14. CIVILIAN LABOUR FORCE BY BIRTHPLACE(a), AUGUST 1995

TABLE 14. CIVILIAN LABOUR FORCE BY BIRTHPLACE(a), AUGUST 1993							
	Employed		Unemployed		Labour force	Unemployment rate - per cent -	Participation rate(b)
	Full-time workers	Total	Looking for full-time work - '000 -	Total			
MALES							
Born in Australia	3,123.5	3,532.4	264.1	297.5	3,829.8	7.8	75.7
Born outside Australia	1,028.3	1,140.1	124.2	136.5	1,276.6	10.7	69.6
Main English Speaking Countries	461.8	504.8	36.2	41.2	546.0	7.5	73.7
Other Countries	566.5	635.3	88.0	95.4	730.7	13.1	66.9
Oceania	113.9	124.2	11.0	12.6	136.8	9.2	84.3
New Zealand	94.8	100.7	8.8	9.9	110.6	8.9	86.0
Europe and the Former USSR	621.9	680.2	60.4	65.5	745.6	8.8	66.4
Germany	30.1	32.1	4.7	4.7	36.8	12.7	65.0
Greece	32.3	35.8	* 2.8	* 2.8	38.6	* 7.3	61.0
Italy	64.2	68.2	5.4	5.6	73.8	7.6	54.8
Netherlands	27.5	30.1	* 1.1	* 1.2	31.3	* 3.8	72.8
UK and Ireland	328.2	359.8	26.1	29.8	389.5	7.6	70.3
Former Yugoslav Republics	49.4	55.3	8.7	9.2	64.5	14.2	69.0
The Middle East and North Africa	45.3	52.0	17.0	17.6	69.6	25.2	70.1
Lebanon	15.7	18.1	8.6	8.6	26.8	32.3	72.4
Southeast Asia	86.9	96.8	21.1	24.3	121.1	20.1	67.7
Malaysia	16.6	19.2	* 1.6	* 1.6	20.8	* 7.8	66.7
Philippines	10.6	11.4	* 1.5	* 2.1	13.4	* 15.4	74.2
Viet Nam	32.6	35.3	12.3	13.1	48.4	27.1	67.0
Northeast Asia	48.4	59.0	4.7	5.1	64.2	8.0	67.8
China	22.8	28.4	* 3.0	* 3.3	31.6	* 10.4	73.9
The Americas	38.9	45.9	* 2.7	* 2.9	48.8	* 6.0	80.4
Other	73.0	81.8	7.2	8.5	90.4	9.5	79.6
India	22.7	25.5	* 1.4	* 1.6	27.2	* 5.9	81.8
FEMALES							
Born in Australia	1,551.2	2,763.1	138.0	207.9	2,970.9	7.0	56.8
Born outside Australia	480.4	782.2	57.1	80.0	862.2	9.3	47.4
Main English Speaking Countries	217.9	367.9	16.6	24.1	392.0	6.1	53.9
Other Countries	262.5	414.3	40.5	55.9	470.2	11.9	43.1
Oceania	57.1	93.2	4.6	6.8	100.0	6.8	62.6
New Zealand	44.7	73.4	4.0	4.7	78.1	6.0	64.8
Europe and the Former USSR	258.0	438.7	23.3	33.5	472.2	7.1	44.0
Germany	15.6	26.2	* 1.2	* 1.5	27.7	* 5.3	42.7
Greece	11.6	22.2	* 0.9	* 1.1	23.3	* 4.9	37.3
Italy	17.2	30.4	* 1.1	* 1.4	31.8	* 4.4	26.7
Netherlands	8.4	17.9	* 1.0	* 1.0	18.9	* 5.3	48.8
UK and Ireland	151.3	256.6	10.6	16.9	273.5	6.2	50.1
Former Yugoslav Republics	22.5	31.7	4.8	5.8	37.4	15.4	47.1
The Middle East and North Africa	17.4	25.2	5.5	7.2	32.4	22.3	35.6
Lebanon	5.0	7.0	* 1.7	* 1.8	8.8	* 20.2	26.7
Southeast Asia	59.8	84.0	11.8	15.7	99.7	15.7	47.2
Malaysia	11.4	15.2	* 0.6	* 1.2	16.5	* 7.5	54.3
Philippines	13.8	23.1	* 1.8	* 2.7	25.8	* 10.4	55.9
Viet Nam	16.2	19.6	6.7	7.6	27.1	27.9	39.7
Northeast Asia	30.8	44.5	5.1	6.9	51.4	13.5	48.1
China	15.3	20.4	* 2.5	* 2.8	23.1	* 12.0	53.4
The Americas	23.1	38.4	* 2.3	* 3.7	42.1	* 8.8	64.6
Other	34.2	58.3	4.5	6.2	64.4	9.6	56.8
India	10.6	17.3	* 0.3	* 0.9	18.2	* 5.0	53.2
PERSONS							
Born in Australia	4,674.7	6,295.4	402.2	505.3	6,800.8	7.4	66.1
Born outside Australia	1,508.8	1,922.3	181.3	216.5	2,138.8	10.1	58.6
Main English Speaking Countries	679.7	872.7	52.7	65.3	937.9	7.0	63.9
Other Countries	829.0	1,049.6	128.5	151.3	1,200.9	12.6	55.0
Oceania	170.9	217.4	15.6	19.4	236.7	8.2	73.5
New Zealand	139.5	174.1	12.8	14.6	188.7	7.7	75.7
Europe and the Former USSR	879.9	1,118.9	83.7	99.0	1,217.9	8.1	55.5
Germany	45.8	58.3	5.8	6.1	64.4	9.5	53.1
Greece	43.9	58.0	* 3.6	4.0	62.0	6.4	49.2
Italy	81.4	98.6	6.6	7.0	105.6	6.6	41.7
Netherlands	35.9	48.0	* 2.1	* 2.2	50.2	* 4.4	61.5
UK and Ireland	479.4	616.3	36.7	46.7	663.0	7.0	60.3
Former Yugoslav Republics	71.9	87.0	13.6	14.9	101.9	14.7	58.9
The Middle East and North Africa	62.7	77.2	22.4	24.8	102.0	24.3	53.6
Lebanon	20.7	25.2	10.3	10.4	35.6	29.3	50.9
Southeast Asia	146.7	180.8	32.9	40.0	220.8	18.1	56.6
Malaysia	28.0	34.4	* 2.2	* 2.9	37.3	* 7.6	60.6
Philippines	24.4	34.5	* 3.3	4.8	39.2	12.1	61.1
Viet Nam	48.7	54.8	19.1	20.7	75.5	27.4	53.7
Northeast Asia	79.2	103.5	9.8	12.1	115.6	10.4	57.4
China	38.2	48.8	5.5	6.0	54.8	11.0	63.5
The Americas	62.0	84.3	5.0	6.6	91.0	7.3	72.2
Other	107.2	140.1	11.8	14.7	154.8	9.5	68.2
India	33.3	42.8	* 1.7	* 2.5	45.3	* 5.6	67.3

(a) See paragraph 49 of the Explanatory Notes. (b) Calculated using population estimates which exclude those in institutions.

TABLE 15. CIVILIAN LABOUR FORCE BORN OUTSIDE AUSTRALIA: BIRTHPLACE AND PERIOD OF ARRIVAL IN AUSTRALIA, AUGUST 1995

PERIOD OF ARRIVAL IN AUSTRALIA, AUGUST 1995													
Period of arrival	Born outside Australia										Total		
	Oceania		Europe & the Former USSR		The Middle East and North Africa		South-east Asia		North-east Asia					The Americas
	New Zealand	Other countries	U.K. and Ireland	Other countries	North Africa	South-east Asia	North-east Asia	The Americas	Other	Males	Married	Total	Persons
	EMPLOYED ('000)												
	Before 1971	24.7	8.0	316.5	332.0	24.4	16.4	8.9	17.3	30.5	476.6	236.7	302.2	778.8
1971 — 1975	16.1	7.4	105.2	54.3	13.7	14.5	5.1	21.9	21.3	148.7	76.8	110.9	259.5
1976 — 1980	33.6	5.9	46.5	28.7	12.4	33.2	11.0	11.2	14.8	107.5	57.6	89.9	197.3
1981 — 1985	33.0	* 3.7	54.3	33.5	9.0	45.2	13.3	9.5	14.8	124.3	63.2	92.0	216.3
1986 — 1990	44.4	10.4	58.5	32.2	11.2	51.6	46.7	11.7	36.7	179.0	85.1	124.4	303.4
1991 to survey date	22.3	7.7	35.3	21.8	6.5	20.0	18.5	12.7	22.0	104.0	43.6	62.9	167.0
UNEMPLOYED ('000)													
Before 1971	* 1.2	* 0.6	22.5	25.9	* 2.4	* 0.8	* 1.0	* 0.7	* 1.2	40.0	9.2	16.3	56.2
1971 — 1975	* 1.1	* 0.8	5.8	5.9	* 3.9	* 0.8	* 0.0	* 0.5	* 0.4	14.4	* 1.7	4.9	19.4
1976 — 1980	* 3.5	* 0.8	4.0	* 3.1	* 2.9	4.0	* 0.9	* 1.1	* 2.0	13.4	* 3.5	8.7	22.1
1981 — 1985	* 2.7	* 0.9	5.4	5.5	* 1.8	10.8	* 0.2	* 1.4	* 2.3	19.5	5.4	11.5	31.0
1986 — 1990	4.6	* 1.2	5.5	* 3.1	5.4	13.9	5.5	* 1.4	* 3.5	25.8	11.1	18.3	44.1
1991 to survey date	* 1.5	* 0.5	* 3.5	8.8	8.5	9.6	4.5	* 1.6	5.2	23.4	12.5	20.2	43.6
LABOURFORCE ('000)													
Before 1971	25.9	8.6	339.0	357.9	26.7	17.2	9.9	18.0	31.7	516.6	245.9	318.5	835.1
1971 — 1975	17.2	8.3	111.0	60.3	17.7	15.3	5.1	22.4	21.8	163.1	78.5	115.8	278.9
1976 — 1980	37.1	6.6	50.5	31.9	15.3	37.2	11.9	12.3	16.8	120.8	61.1	98.6	219.4
1981 — 1985	35.7	4.6	59.8	39.0	10.8	56.0	13.5	10.8	17.1	143.8	68.7	103.5	247.3
1986 — 1990	49.0	11.7	64.0	35.2	16.6	65.5	52.2	13.1	40.2	204.8	96.2	142.7	347.5
1991 to survey date	23.8	8.2	38.8	30.6	14.9	29.7	23.0	14.3	27.2	127.4	56.1	83.2	210.6
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE (per cent)													
Before 1971	* 4.6	* 6.8	6.6	7.2	* 8.8	* 4.8	* 9.9	* 3.6	* 3.9	7.7	3.7	5.1	6.7
1971 — 1975	* 6.4	* 9.9	5.2	9.8	* 22.3	* 5.5	* 0.0	* 2.3	* 2.0	8.9	* 2.2	4.3	6.9
1976 — 1980	* 9.4	* 11.4	7.9	* 9.8	* 18.8	10.7	* 7.2	* 8.9	* 11.7	11.1	* 5.7	8.9	10.1
1981 — 1985	* 7.5	* 19.4	9.1	14.2	* 16.3	19.3	* 1.6	* 12.7	* 13.7	13.6	7.9	11.1	12.5
1986 — 1990	9.4	* 10.7	8.6	* 8.7	32.4	21.2	10.6	* 10.7	* 8.7	12.6	11.6	12.9	12.7
1991 to survey date	* 6.4	* 6.0	* 9.0	28.7	56.6	32.5	19.5	* 11.1	19.1	18.4	22.2	24.3	20.7
PARTICIPATION RATE(a) (per cent)													
Before 1971	62.8	76.3	51.4	44.8	46.1	67.6	56.5	74.0	60.3	59.7	43.6	38.6	49.4
1971 — 1975	81.3	66.6	74.3	62.9	57.4	69.2	66.0	75.3	77.5	83.3	58.5	57.5	70.2
1976 — 1980	80.2	77.4	69.7	69.7	50.7	68.0	66.0	74.6	74.3	80.3	58.9	60.0	69.7
1981 — 1985	79.5	66.2	73.4	70.5	68.3	67.0	67.1	69.5	66.1	80.8	63.6	60.3	70.8
1986 — 1990	76.9	63.0	77.4	70.6	61.3	55.6	62.1	73.8	74.3	78.6	59.0	56.0	67.4
1991 to survey date	74.6	55.0	71.4	60.9	52.7	34.3	42.5	65.0	62.3	69.5	42.4	41.0	54.5

(a) Calculated using population estimates which exclude those in institutions.

TABLE 16. EMPLOYED PERSONS: FULL-TIME AND PART-TIME WORKERS, BY AGE, AUGUST 1995 ('000)

	Age group								
	15-19	20-24	25-34	35-44	45-54	55-59	60-64	65 and over	Total
MALES									
Full-time workers	145.3	463.3	1,123.1	1,107.8	902.7	245.8	115.8	48.1	4,151.8
Part-time workers	141.8	88.4	77.4	66.6	50.5	28.6	30.3	37.1	520.6
Total	287.1	551.8	1,200.4	1,174.4	953.3	274.3	146.0	85.2	4,672.5
MARRIED FEMALES									
Full-time workers	4.8	93.2	331.5	368.6	316.5	55.0	14.6	6.6	1,190.8
Part-time workers	* 3.2	33.6	258.2	366.1	249.1	60.2	20.6	11.8	1,002.7
Total	8.0	126.7	589.7	734.7	565.6	115.2	35.3	18.4	2,193.6
ALL FEMALES									
Full-time workers	77.5	342.4	560.2	509.9	427.1	79.3	24.9	10.2	2,031.7
Part-time workers	202.4	145.6	330.3	423.7	289.2	73.4	28.6	20.3	1,513.6
Total	280.0	488.0	890.6	933.7	716.3	152.7	53.5	30.5	3,545.3
PERSONS									
Full-time workers	222.8	805.7	1,683.3	1,617.7	1,329.9	325.1	140.6	58.3	6,183.5
Part-time workers	344.3	234.1	407.7	490.3	339.7	101.9	58.9	57.4	2,034.2
Total	567.1	1,039.8	2,091.0	2,108.0	1,669.6	427.0	199.5	115.7	8,217.7

TABLE 17. EMPLOYED PERSONS: HOURS WORKED, AUGUST 1995

	Females			Total	Persons
	Males	Married	Not married		
	NUMBER EMPLOYED ('000)				
Weekly Hours worked —					
0	185.7	105.4	60.6	165.9	351.6
1-15	292.0	398.8	291.9	690.7	982.7
16-29	314.9	483.3	183.4	666.7	981.6
30-34	265.3	187.5	101.1	288.7	554.0
35-39	717.6	357.2	260.5	617.7	1,335.3
40	844.2	267.0	189.6	456.6	1,300.8
41-44	264.0	85.9	68.0	153.9	418.0
45-48	474.6	102.9	76.5	179.3	654.0
49 and over	1,314.0	205.6	120.1	325.7	1,639.8
Total	4,672.5	2,193.6	1,351.7	3,545.3	8,217.7
	WEEKLY HOURS WORKED				
Aggregate weekly hours worked (million)	190.9	64.6	40.2	104.8	295.7
By full-time workers	182.8	47.7	32.9	80.6	263.4
By part-time workers	8.1	17.0	7.3	24.2	32.3
Average weekly hours worked	40.9	29.5	29.7	29.6	36.0
By full-time workers	44.0	40.0	39.2	39.7	42.6
By part-time workers	15.6	16.9	14.2	16.0	15.9
By employees	40.0	29.6	29.6	29.6	35.3
By other than employees	44.5	29.0	31.6	29.4	39.5
Average weekly hours worked by persons who worked one hour or more in the reference week	42.6	30.9	31.1	31.0	37.6
By full-time workers	45.8	41.9	41.0	41.5	44.4
By part-time workers	16.2	17.8	14.9	16.8	16.7

TABLE 18. EMPLOYED PERSONS: EMPLOYMENT/POPULATION RATIOS BY AGE AND MARITAL STATUS, AUGUST 1995
(per cent)

Age group	Males			Females			Persons
	Married	Not married	Total	Married	Not married	Total	
15-19	45.2	44.1	44.1	40.5	45.6	45.4	44.7
20-24	88.0	74.4	76.4	64.6	71.2	69.4	72.9
25-34	90.1	78.6	85.2	60.6	67.8	62.8	74.0
35-44	90.2	73.7	86.7	68.3	66.4	67.9	77.2
45-54	87.5	68.5	83.9	66.0	61.6	65.0	74.6
55-59	69.1	56.1	66.8	38.4	38.2	38.3	52.8
60-64	44.6	30.0	41.9	14.1	18.0	15.2	28.5
65 and over	10.2	5.9	9.1	3.7	1.7	2.5	5.4
Total	71.6	60.0	67.0	52.6	44.9	49.3	58.0

TABLE 19. FULL-TIME WORKERS WHO WORKED LESS THAN 35 HOURS, BY REASON, AUGUST 1995
(‘000)

Reason for working less than 35 hours	Females			Total	Persons
	Males	Married	Not married		
Leave, holiday or flextime/personal reasons	233.8	79.7	62.4	142.1	375.9
Own illness or injury	136.0	53.1	38.0	91.1	227.1
Bad weather, plant breakdown, etc.	17.6	* 0.9	* 0.9	* 1.8	19.4
Began or left job in the reference week	6.2	* 2.7	* 3.7	6.4	12.6
Stood down, on short time, insufficient work	56.9	10.6	4.4	15.0	71.9
Shift work, standard work arrangements	63.6	19.6	12.0	31.6	95.2
Other reasons	23.3	5.6	4.7	10.3	33.6
Total	537.3	172.2	126.2	298.4	835.7

TABLE 20. PART-TIME WORKERS: WHETHER PREFERRED TO WORK MORE HOURS, BY AGE, AUGUST 1995
(^{'000})

	Age group						Total
	15-19	20-24	25-34	35-44	45-54	55 and over	
MALES							
Total	141.8	88.4	77.4	66.6	50.5	95.9	520.6
Preferred not to work more hours	100.2	50.2	36.9	30.0	26.1	77.0	320.4
Preferred to work more hours	41.7	38.2	40.4	36.6	24.5	18.9	200.3
Had actively looked for full-time work in the four weeks to the end of the reference week	15.1	19.9	20.7	21.9	11.9	6.9	96.4
MARRIED FEMALES							
Total	* 3.2	33.6	258.2	366.1	249.1	92.6	1,002.7
Preferred not to work more hours	* 1.7	23.2	218.9	296.5	210.0	86.1	836.5
Preferred to work more hours	* 1.5	10.3	39.3	69.7	39.0	6.5	166.3
Had actively looked for full-time work in the four weeks to the end of the reference week	* 1.3	4.7	11.5	15.1	9.1	* 1.4	43.0
ALL FEMALES							
Total	202.4	145.6	330.3	423.7	289.2	122.3	1,513.6
Preferred not to work more hours	149.2	92.7	266.9	331.3	232.1	111.8	1,184.0
Preferred to work more hours	53.3	52.9	63.4	92.4	57.1	10.5	329.6
Had actively looked for full-time work in the four weeks to the end of the reference week	15.8	25.1	22.8	25.3	17.0	* 2.2	108.2
PERSONS							
Total	344.3	234.1	407.7	490.3	339.7	218.2	2,034.2
Preferred not to work more hours	249.3	142.9	303.8	361.3	258.2	188.8	1,504.4
Preferred to work more hours	94.9	91.1	103.8	129.0	81.6	29.4	529.8
Had actively looked for full-time work in the four weeks to the end of the reference week	30.9	45.0	43.4	47.2	29.0	9.1	204.5

TABLE 21. PART-TIME WORKERS: WHETHER PREFERRED TO WORK MORE HOURS, BY HOURS WORKED, AUGUST 1995
(^{'000})

	Hours worked by persons who worked in the reference week						Persons who did not work in the reference week	Total
	1-5	6-10	11-15	16-20	21-29	30-34		
	MALES							
Total	68.4	108.8	73.6	91.9	87.9	68.0	22.0	520.6
Preferred not to work more hours	42.9	69.0	48.4	52.6	48.4	43.5	15.4	320.4
Preferred to work more hours	25.4	39.8	25.2	39.3	39.5	24.5	6.6	200.3
Had actively looked for full-time work in the four weeks to the end of the reference week	10.7	22.1	12.2	19.8	18.6	10.1	* 2.9	96.4
MARRIED FEMALES								
Total	92.6	152.7	141.7	200.3	237.5	126.7	51.3	1,002.7
Preferred not to work more hours	74.6	117.8	116.8	168.5	202.7	110.4	45.7	836.5
Preferred to work more hours	18.0	35.0	24.8	31.8	34.8	16.3	5.5	166.3
Had actively looked for full-time work in the four weeks to the end of the reference week	4.5	9.0	5.9	9.5	8.1	5.0	* 0.9	43.0
ALL FEMALES								
Total	170.7	278.2	222.2	271.9	316.0	180.7	73.9	1,513.6
Preferred not to work more hours	123.7	209.7	174.3	213.3	252.8	147.3	62.8	1,184.0
Preferred to work more hours	47.0	68.5	47.9	58.6	63.1	33.4	11.1	329.6
Had actively looked for full-time work in the four weeks to the end of the reference week	12.5	21.6	17.3	21.3	20.6	12.2	* 2.7	108.2
PERSONS								
Total	239.1	387.0	295.8	363.8	403.9	248.7	95.9	2,034.2
Preferred not to work more hours	166.7	278.7	222.7	266.0	301.3	190.8	78.2	1,504.4
Preferred to work more hours	72.4	108.3	73.1	97.8	102.6	57.9	17.7	529.8
Had actively looked for full-time work in the four weeks to the end of the reference week	23.2	43.7	29.4	41.1	39.2	22.3	5.6	204.5

TABLE 22. UNEMPLOYED PERSONS: STATES, BY AGE, AUGUST 1995
(^{'000})

Age group	New South Wales	Victoria	Queensland	South Australia	Western Australia	Tasmania	Australia
MALES							
15-19	23.9	14.0	15.5	7.0	5.0	2.4	70.6
20-24	23.6	19.6	14.2	5.8	7.2	2.8	75.6
25-34	34.6	26.3	20.1	11.4	8.0	3.9	107.4
35-44	26.7	20.4	16.2	9.7	6.6	2.7	83.9
45 and over	25.7	31.6	17.7	9.5	6.9	2.9	96.4
Total	134.5	111.9	83.8	43.4	33.7	14.7	434.0
FEMALES							
15-19	19.8	17.7	15.1	7.9	7.1	1.6	71.0
20-24	17.8	13.2	11.1	4.0	5.2	1.5	54.0
25-34	22.6	15.6	13.5	4.8	5.8	2.4	66.6
35-44	18.8	14.7	9.6	4.6	5.0	* 1.2	55.3
45 and over	13.1	11.6	8.9	2.7	3.4	* 0.8	41.0
Total	92.2	72.9	58.2	24.1	26.6	7.4	287.9
PERSONS							
Looking for full-time work —							
15-19	28.9	17.7	18.4	7.8	7.3	2.9	85.2
20-24	32.5	27.2	21.9	9.4	9.9	3.8	107.5
25-34	49.6	38.5	28.5	14.4	11.6	5.5	152.3
35-44	38.6	28.0	22.5	12.9	9.8	3.6	117.8
45-54	20.6	25.2	14.9	6.8	6.5	2.1	77.2
55 and over	11.9	13.0	9.1	4.7	* 2.6	* 1.0	43.5
Total looking for full-time work	182.1	149.5	115.1	56.1	47.7	18.9	583.4
Total —							
15-19	43.7	31.7	30.6	14.9	12.2	4.0	141.7
20-24	41.5	32.8	25.3	9.9	12.4	4.3	129.6
25-34	57.1	42.0	33.6	16.2	13.8	6.3	174.0
35-44	45.5	35.1	25.8	14.3	11.6	3.9	139.2
45-54	25.2	27.3	15.9	7.1	6.8	2.4	86.1
55 and over	13.7	15.9	10.7	5.2	3.5	1.3	51.3
Total	226.6	184.8	141.9	67.5	60.3	22.1	721.9

TABLE 23. UNEMPLOYED PERSONS AGED 15-19:
DURATION OF UNEMPLOYMENT AND SCHOOL ATTENDANCE, AUGUST 1995

DURATION OF UNEMPLOYMENT AND SCHOOL ATTENDANCE, AUGUST 1995				
	Not attending school			
	Attending school	Left school before 1994	Left school 1994 to survey date	Total
	NUMBER ('000)			
Duration of unemployment (weeks) —				
Under 4	11.1	7.9	9.3	28.4
4 and under 13	11.8	8.7	11.6	32.1
13 and under 26	5.2	7.2	11.4	23.8
26 and over	13.3	23.4	20.8	57.5
Total	41.4	47.2	53.1	141.7
DURATION OF UNEMPLOYMENT (weeks)				
Average duration —				
Males	18.7	37.5	20.6	25.9
Females	16.7	44.1	19.7	26.6
Persons	17.6	40.7	20.1	26.2
Looking for full-time work	* 16.7	44.1	21.1	31.9
Looking for part-time work	17.7	* 19.7	17.0	17.8
Median duration —				
Males	12	22	18	17
Females	8	30	17	16
Persons	8	25	17	16
Looking for full-time work	* 8	26	18	21
Looking for part-time work	8	* 8	* 15	9

TABLE 24. UNEMPLOYED PERSONS: BY AGE AND WHETHER LOOKING FOR FULL-TIME OR PART-TIME WORK, AUGUST 1995

AUGUST 1995										
	Number unemployed ('000)					Unemployment rate (per cent)				
	Males		Females		Persons	Males		Females		Persons
	Married	Total	Married	Total		Married	Total	Married	Total	
LOOKING FOR FULL-TIME WORK										
Total	172.8	388.3	74.1	195.1	583.4	5.8	8.6	5.9	8.8	8.6
Aged 15-19	* 1.6	46.8	* 3.0	38.4	85.2	* 58.1	24.3	* 38.5	33.1	27.7
Looking for first job	* 0.3	24.3	* 1.3	21.6	45.9	..	..	..	..	..
Attending school	* 0.0	* 2.2	* 0.0	* 1.2	* 3.4	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Attending a tertiary educational institution full time	* 0.0	* 1.3	* 0.0	* 1.5	* 2.8	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Aged 20 and over	171.2	341.6	71.0	156.7	498.2	5.7	7.9	5.7	7.4	7.7
20-24	8.2	67.4	11.4	40.1	107.5	8.4	12.7	10.9	10.5	11.8
Looking for first job	* 1.4	12.1	* 2.2	9.8	21.9	..	..	..	..	..
25-34	47.4	104.4	22.8	47.9	152.3	6.4	8.5	6.4	7.9	8.3
35-44	52.0	79.5	22.0	38.3	117.8	5.4	6.7	5.6	7.0	6.8
45-54	32.6	51.5	11.1	25.7	77.2	4.1	5.4	3.4	5.7	5.5
55 and over	31.0	38.8	* 3.7	4.7	43.5	8.1	8.6	* 4.6	3.9	7.7
Aged 15-64	172.5	388.0	74.1	195.1	583.1	5.8	8.6	5.9	8.8	8.7
LOOKING FOR PART-TIME WORK										
Total	7.5	45.7	34.0	92.8	138.5	3.6	8.1	3.3	5.8	6.4
Aged 15-19	* 0.0	23.9	* 0.7	32.6	56.5	* 0.0	14.4	* 17.5	13.9	14.1
Attending school	* 0.0	17.0	* 0.0	21.0	38.0	* 0.0	17.2	* 0.0	15.9	16.5
Attending a tertiary educational institution full time	* 0.0	5.9	* 0.0	9.3	15.3	* 0.0	16.6	* 0.0	15.9	16.1
Aged 20 and over	7.5	21.8	33.3	60.1	81.9	3.6	5.4	3.2	4.4	4.6
20-24	* 0.1	8.2	* 3.4	13.9	22.0	* 2.1	8.4	* 9.2	8.7	8.6
Attending a tertiary educational institution full time	* 0.0	5.7	* 0.3	6.9	12.6	* 0.0	12.5	* 18.9	11.7	12.1
25-34	* 1.1	* 3.1	11.6	18.7	21.7	* 3.5	* 3.8	4.3	5.4	5.1
35-44	* 2.2	4.4	11.6	17.0	21.4	* 4.4	6.2	3.1	3.9	4.2
45 and over	4.1	6.2	6.7	10.6	16.7	3.3	4.0	1.9	2.5	2.9
Aged 15-64	7.0	45.0	34.0	92.5	137.5	3.9	8.5	3.3	5.8	6.5
TOTAL										
Total	180.3	434.0	108.1	287.9	721.9	5.6	8.5	4.7	7.5	8.1
Aged 15-19	* 1.6	70.6	* 3.7	71.0	141.7	* 42.7	19.7	* 31.5	20.2	20.0
Attending school	* 0.0	19.2	* 0.0	22.2	41.4	* 0.0	19.0	* 0.0	16.6	17.6
Attending a tertiary educational institution full time	* 0.0	7.2	* 0.0	10.9	18.1	* 0.0	19.2	* 0.0	17.7	18.3
Aged 20 and over(a)	178.7	363.4	104.4	216.8	580.2	5.6	7.7	4.6	6.2	7.0
20-24	8.3	75.6	14.8	54.0	129.6	8.1	12.0	10.4	10.0	11.1
Attending a tertiary educational institution full time	* 0.6	8.3	* 0.5	8.6	16.9	* 38.5	15.6	* 30.3	13.4	14.4
25-34	48.5	107.4	34.4	66.6	174.0	6.2	8.2	5.5	7.0	7.7
35-44	54.2	83.9	33.6	55.3	139.2	5.3	6.7	4.4	5.6	6.2
45-54	34.1	53.9	15.6	32.2	86.1	4.0	5.3	2.7	4.3	4.9
55-59	24.5	29.7	4.5	6.7	36.4	9.5	9.8	3.7	4.2	7.8
60-64	8.3	11.9	* 1.5	* 1.9	13.7	6.2	7.5	* 4.0	* 3.4	6.4
Aged 15-64	179.4	433.0	108.1	287.6	720.6	5.7	8.6	4.7	7.6	8.2

(a) Includes unemployed persons aged 65 and over, details for whom are not shown separately.

TABLE 25. UNEMPLOYED PERSONS: BIRTHPLACE BY AGE, AUGUST 1995

	Number unemployed ('000)			Unemployment rate (per cent)		
	Males	Females	Persons	Males	Females	Persons
	BORN IN AUSTRALIA					
Total	297.5	207.9	505.3	7.8	7.0	7.4
Looking for full-time work	264.1	138.0	402.2	7.8	8.2	7.9
Looking for part-time work	33.3	69.8	103.2	7.5	5.4	6.0
Aged 15-19	61.7	63.9	125.6	18.8	19.8	19.3
Aged 20 and over	235.7	144.0	379.7	6.7	5.4	6.2
20-24	62.6	43.7	106.4	11.2	9.1	10.2
25-34	70.8	43.9	114.7	7.0	5.9	6.5
35-44	51.8	32.2	84.0	5.7	4.4	5.1
45-54	27.3	19.8	47.1	4.1	3.8	4.0
55 and over	23.1	4.4	27.5	6.4	2.5	5.1
Aged 15-64	297.1	207.7	504.8	7.9	7.0	7.5
BORN OUTSIDE AUSTRALIA						
Total	136.5	80.0	216.5	10.7	9.3	10.1
Looking for full-time work	124.2	57.1	181.3	10.8	10.6	10.7
Looking for part-time work	12.4	22.9	35.3	10.0	7.1	7.9
Aged 15-19	8.9	7.2	16.1	30.4	24.9	27.7
Aged 20 and over	127.6	72.8	200.4	10.2	8.7	9.6
20-24	13.0	10.2	23.2	18.6	16.6	17.7
25-34	36.6	22.7	59.3	12.3	11.0	11.8
35-44	32.1	23.1	55.2	9.1	8.8	9.0
45-54	26.5	12.4	39.0	7.8	5.4	6.8
55 and over	19.5	4.4	23.8	10.4	6.1	9.2
Aged 15-64	135.9	80.0	215.9	10.8	9.3	10.2

TABLE 26. LONG-TERM UNEMPLOYMENT

TABLE 26. LONG-TERM UNEMPLOYMENT												
Month	Long-term unemployment									Long-term unemployment as a proportion of total unemployment		
	Unemployed			Unemployed			Total			per cent		
	52 weeks and under 104			104 weeks and over								
	Males	Females	Persons	Males	Females	Persons	Males	Females	Persons	Males	Females	Persons
- '000-												
ORIGINAL												
1994 —												
June	86.7	44.7	131.4	114.3	58.4	172.7	201.0	103.1	304.1	40.3	30.3	36.2
July	76.2	42.3	118.6	114.0	57.6	171.6	190.2	100.0	290.2	40.7	29.7	36.1
August	74.7	50.7	125.4	108.2	56.5	164.7	182.9	107.2	290.1	38.7	33.0	36.4
September	77.2	49.0	126.2	110.6	56.4	167.0	187.8	105.4	293.2	38.8	30.4	35.3
October	75.9	47.3	123.2	103.4	52.4	155.7	179.3	99.7	279.0	40.7	31.8	37.0
November	75.0	45.7	120.8	104.0	56.8	160.8	179.1	102.5	281.6	39.5	33.0	36.8
December	70.7	50.9	121.5	107.7	49.3	157.0	178.4	100.2	278.5	38.0	29.6	34.5
1995 —												
January	72.2	43.0	115.2	108.9	54.3	163.2	181.1	97.3	278.4	35.3	28.5	32.6
February	75.7	47.1	122.9	108.0	63.7	171.7	183.8	110.8	294.6	36.7	28.7	33.2
March	63.1	41.6	104.7	110.4	48.2	158.5	173.4	89.8	263.2	37.6	25.3	32.3
April	64.7	37.0	101.7	99.6	43.4	143.0	164.3	80.4	244.7	37.4	26.4	32.9
May	64.1	37.4	101.4	100.9	44.0	145.0	165.0	81.4	246.4	36.2	27.3	32.7
June	61.7	39.7	101.4	97.6	44.0	141.6	159.3	83.7	243.1	36.4	29.1	33.5
July	62.9	36.9	99.8	93.1	38.9	132.0	156.0	75.8	231.8	36.1	27.3	32.7
August	59.6	31.6	91.3	88.8	42.1	130.9	148.4	73.8	222.2	34.2	25.6	30.8
SEASONALLY ADJUSTED												
1994 —												
June	85.1	48.0	133.1	115.7	58.3	174.0	200.8	106.2	307.0	39.0	30.0	35.3
July	80.7	46.7	127.4	115.0	56.8	171.7	195.7	103.5	299.2	40.3	29.3	35.6
August	77.2	51.3	128.5	113.5	58.9	172.5	190.7	110.3	300.9	39.3	31.8	36.2
September	79.5	49.7	129.2	113.3	54.9	168.2	192.8	104.6	297.4	39.4	30.8	35.9
October	81.1	49.4	130.5	111.7	54.8	166.5	192.8	104.2	297.0	41.0	31.3	37.0
November	77.2	45.7	122.9	109.2	57.0	166.2	186.4	102.7	289.1	38.9	30.8	35.6
December	70.7	51.8	122.5	108.5	53.0	161.5	179.2	104.8	284.0	39.0	31.7	36.0
1995 —												
January	68.5	43.2	111.8	108.7	60.1	168.9	177.3	103.4	280.6	37.7	31.5	35.1
February	67.9	43.5	111.4	103.1	57.9	161.0	171.0	101.3	272.4	37.0	29.9	34.0
March	60.9	36.4	97.3	100.9	45.5	146.3	161.8	81.8	243.6	36.3	25.0	31.5
April	66.1	36.0	102.0	96.4	43.7	140.1	162.5	79.6	242.1	36.9	26.2	32.6
May	63.6	37.9	101.5	96.7	41.2	137.9	160.3	79.1	239.4	35.0	25.6	31.2
June	60.5	42.5	103.1	98.8	44.0	142.9	159.4	86.6	245.9	35.3	29.0	32.8
July	66.6	40.8	107.4	93.9	38.4	132.3	160.6	79.1	239.7	35.6	27.2	32.3
August	61.7	32.0	93.7	93.3	44.0	137.4	155.0	76.0	231.1	34.8	24.7	30.7
TREND SERIES												
1994 —												
June	84.3	48.7	133.1	116.3	55.2	171.5	200.7	103.9	304.5	39.6	29.5	35.5
July	82.5	48.7	131.2	114.4	55.7	170.1	197.0	104.3	301.3	39.7	29.9	35.6
August	80.8	49.0	129.8	113.3	56.1	169.4	194.0	105.1	299.2	39.8	30.5	35.9
September	79.2	49.4	128.6	112.5	56.5	169.0	191.6	105.9	297.6	39.8	31.1	36.2
October	77.4	49.3	126.8	111.6	56.8	168.4	189.0	106.1	295.2	39.7	31.5	36.3
November	75.2	48.5	123.7	110.3	56.8	167.1	185.5	105.3	290.9	39.3	31.5	36.1
December	72.5	46.7	119.2	108.4	56.3	164.7	180.9	103.0	283.9	38.7	31.0	35.5
1995 —												
January	69.5	44.2	113.6	106.1	55.0	161.1	175.6	99.2	274.8	38.0	30.0	34.7
February	66.7	41.8	108.4	103.6	52.6	156.2	170.3	94.4	264.6	37.3	28.9	33.8
March	64.8	40.0	104.8	101.2	49.4	150.5	165.9	89.4	255.3	36.6	27.8	33.0
April	63.9	38.9	102.8	99.0	46.1	145.1	162.9	85.0	247.9	36.1	27.1	32.4
May	63.5	38.4	101.8	97.3	43.5	140.8	160.8	81.8	242.6	35.7	26.6	32.0
June	63.2	38.0	101.2	95.9	41.7	137.6	159.1	79.8	238.9	35.4	26.4	31.8
July	63.0	37.7	100.7	94.7	40.6	135.4	157.7	78.3	236.0	35.1	26.2	31.6
August	62.9	37.1	100.0	94.0	40.3	134.3	156.9	77.5	234.4	35.0	26.2	31.5

TABLE 27. UNEMPLOYED PERSONS: DURATION OF UNEMPLOYMENT BY AGE, MARITAL STATUS AND FULL-TIME/PART-TIME STATUS, AUGUST 1995
(^{'000})

Duration of unemployment (weeks)	Age group					Married	Not married	Looking for -	
	15-19	20-24	25-34	35-54	Total(a)			Full-time work	Part-time work
	MALES								
— '000 —									
Under 52	60.5	54.6	71.3	80.1	285.6	106.3	179.3	247.0	38.6
under 2	5.9	4.5	4.4	8.2	23.8	9.9	14.0	18.5	5.4
2 and under 4	6.6	7.4	7.6	7.4	30.6	10.1	20.6	25.8	4.8
4 and under 8	9.6	9.4	10.5	12.7	45.2	16.0	29.2	36.3	8.9
8 and under 13	7.9	7.5	8.8	11.3	38.0	14.8	23.2	32.7	5.3
13 and under 26	12.3	10.2	18.3	16.3	61.6	24.0	37.6	56.0	5.6
26 and under 39	15.8	12.9	15.5	17.8	65.5	22.1	43.4	57.6	7.8
39 and under 52	* 2.5	* 2.7	6.2	6.5	20.9	9.4	11.4	20.2	* 0.7
52 and over	10.1	21.0	36.2	57.7	148.4	74.0	74.4	141.3	7.1
52 and under 65	* 3.5	8.0	10.9	9.3	35.7	16.3	19.5	32.9	* 2.9
65 and under 104	* 3.1	* 3.5	5.5	8.8	23.9	11.8	12.1	23.1	* 0.8
104 and over	* 3.5	9.4	19.7	39.5	88.8	46.0	42.8	85.3	* 3.5
Total	70.6	75.6	107.4	137.8	434.0	180.3	253.7	388.3	45.7
— weeks —									
Average duration —	25.9	40.1	54.3	77.5	59.2	70.4	51.2	62.9	28.1
Median duration —	17	22	27	34	27	33	26	30	9
FEMALES									
— '000 —									
Under 52	61.4	39.9	49.0	58.7	214.1	76.5	137.5	134.0	80.1
under 2	6.5	* 2.9	4.5	7.0	21.5	8.7	12.8	9.3	12.2
2 and under 4	9.4	6.5	5.0	7.3	30.1	9.0	21.1	14.5	15.6
4 and under 8	8.9	7.9	11.5	9.8	38.3	14.9	23.4	22.3	16.1
8 and under 13	5.7	* 3.5	5.4	9.7	24.7	11.5	13.2	17.3	7.4
13 and under 26	11.5	7.9	8.2	9.1	37.1	14.6	22.5	27.1	10.0
26 and under 39	15.9	9.1	12.1	11.5	50.1	14.9	35.2	32.1	18.0
39 and under 52	* 3.6	* 2.0	* 2.2	4.2	12.3	* 2.9	9.4	11.4	* 0.9
52 and over	9.6	14.0	17.6	28.8	73.8	31.5	42.2	61.1	12.7
52 and under 65	* 3.5	4.6	4.1	7.3	19.9	9.1	10.8	15.8	4.1
65 and under 104	* 2.5	* 1.0	* 3.9	* 3.4	11.8	4.4	7.4	9.5	* 2.2
104 and over	* 3.6	8.4	9.6	18.1	42.1	18.1	24.0	35.8	6.3
Total	71.0	54.0	66.6	87.5	287.9	108.1	179.8	195.1	92.8
— weeks —									
Average duration —	26.6	44.7	46.3	58.2	46.1	48.0	44.9	55.6	26.0
Median duration —	16	21	22	26	21	18	22	26	8
PERSONS									
— '000 —									
Under 52	122.0	94.6	120.2	138.8	499.7	182.8	316.9	381.0	118.7
under 2	12.4	7.4	8.9	15.2	45.3	18.6	26.8	27.7	17.6
2 and under 4	15.9	13.9	12.6	14.7	60.7	19.0	41.6	40.3	20.4
4 and under 8	18.5	17.3	22.1	22.5	83.5	31.0	52.6	58.5	25.0
8 and under 13	13.6	11.1	14.2	21.0	62.7	26.3	36.4	50.0	12.7
13 and under 26	23.8	18.1	26.5	25.4	98.7	38.6	60.0	83.1	15.6
26 and under 39	31.7	22.0	27.6	29.4	115.6	37.0	78.6	89.8	25.8
39 and under 52	6.1	4.7	8.3	10.7	33.2	12.3	20.9	31.6	* 1.6
52 and over	19.7	35.0	53.8	86.4	222.2	105.6	116.7	202.4	19.8
52 and under 65	7.0	12.6	15.0	16.6	55.6	25.3	30.3	48.6	7.0
65 and under 104	5.7	4.5	9.4	12.2	35.7	16.2	19.5	32.7	* 3.0
104 and over	7.1	17.8	29.4	57.6	130.9	64.1	66.9	121.1	9.8
Total	141.7	129.6	174.0	225.3	721.9	288.4	433.5	583.4	138.5
— weeks —									
Average duration —	26.2	42.1	51.2	70.0	54.0	62.0	48.6	60.4	26.7
Median duration —	16	22	26	30	26	27	25	29	8

(a) Includes persons aged 55 and over, details for whom are not shown separately.

TABLE 28. UNEMPLOYED PERSONS: INDUSTRY AND OCCUPATION OF LAST FULL-TIME JOB
AND DURATION OF UNEMPLOYMENT, AUGUST 1995

	Duration of unemployment (weeks)					Total		
	('000)					Males	Females	Persons
	Under 4	4 and under 13	13 and under 26	26 and under 52	52 and over			
<i>Had worked full time for two weeks or more in the last two years</i>	56.5	86.2	65.9	83.8	54.3	244.5	102.2	346.7
Industry division —								
Agriculture, Forestry and Fishing	* 1.5	* 2.7	5.2	5.5	* 1.9	14.3	* 2.5	16.8
Manufacturing	9.8	15.8	15.5	19.1	10.8	56.5	14.5	71.0
Construction	8.7	14.5	8.2	11.6	8.8	49.5	* 2.2	51.8
Wholesale Trade	* 2.9	* 3.4	* 2.4	* 3.1	* 2.2	10.7	* 3.3	14.0
Retail Trade	9.1	15.8	8.5	12.0	7.7	32.0	20.9	52.9
Accommodation, Cafes and Restaurants	5.0	5.1	5.0	5.9	* 2.2	11.9	11.2	23.1
Transport and Storage	* 3.4	4.2	* 2.7	* 3.7	* 3.8	14.0	* 3.8	17.8
Property and Business Services	5.3	5.7	5.6	5.4	* 2.3	14.7	9.7	24.4
Government Administration and Defence	* 1.3	4.4	* 3.7	4.2	* 2.9	9.7	6.7	16.5
Education	* 2.2	* 3.1	* 2.2	* 1.6	* 2.3	5.1	6.4	11.5
Health and Community Services	* 2.7	* 2.4	* 2.4	* 3.4	* 2.5	4.6	8.8	13.4
Cultural and Recreational Services	* 0.6	* 1.8	* 0.7	* 1.9	* 0.7	4.1	* 1.6	5.7
Personal and Other Services	* 2.2	* 3.1	* 1.1	* 2.7	* 1.7	4.9	6.0	10.9
Other industries	* 1.9	4.3	* 2.8	* 3.7	4.4	12.5	4.6	17.1
Occupation group —								
Managers and administrators	* 2.2	5.3	* 1.8	* 2.5	* 2.7	11.1	* 3.4	14.5
Professionals	* 2.7	4.0	4.8	* 3.6	* 2.1	11.0	6.1	17.2
Para-professionals	* 1.8	* 3.4	* 2.1	* 1.0	* 1.7	6.9	* 3.2	10.1
Tradespersons	11.3	16.2	12.0	14.6	11.3	59.8	5.6	65.4
Clerks	8.8	10.6	6.7	9.6	5.6	11.8	29.5	41.2
Salespersons and personal service workers	9.6	13.4	8.6	12.8	7.4	20.7	31.2	51.9
Plant and machine operators, and drivers	4.4	8.2	6.4	8.6	7.9	30.4	5.0	35.4
Labourers and related workers	15.7	25.1	23.6	31.1	15.6	92.9	18.3	111.1
Other	36.9	60.0	32.8	65.0	167.9	185.0	177.6	362.6
Looking for first job	21.0	31.0	18.6	36.0	34.0	66.4	74.2	140.6
Looking for full-time work	6.7	14.5	10.9	22.3	26.6	41.5	39.4	81.0
Former workers	15.9	29.0	14.1	29.0	133.9	118.6	103.3	222.0
Stood down	12.6	..	..	..	..	4.5	8.1	12.6
Total	106.0	146.2	98.7	148.8	222.2	434.0	287.9	721.9

TABLE 29. UNEMPLOYED PERSONS: REASON FOR LEAVING LAST FULL-TIME JOB

TABLE 27. UNEMPLOYED PERSONS: REASON FOR LEAVING LAST FULL-TIME JOB											
Month	Job loser	Reason for unemployment				Total	Per cent of unemployed				
		Job leaver	Stood down	Looking for first job	Former workers		Job loser	Job leaver	Stood down	Looking for first job	Former workers
		- '000 -	- '000 -	- '000 -	- '000 -		- per cent -	- per cent -	- per cent -	- per cent -	- per cent -
1994 —											
June	268.2	116.0	20.4	156.2	278.4	839.2	32.0	13.8	2.4	18.6	33.2
July	238.1	120.5	23.1	145.6	276.6	803.9	29.6	15.0	2.9	18.1	34.4
August	257.2	111.3	11.8	151.6	266.1	797.9	32.2	13.9	1.5	19.0	33.4
September	259.2	111.6	25.3	164.2	270.5	830.8	31.2	13.4	3.0	19.8	32.6
October	235.4	98.9	20.7	137.3	261.1	753.3	31.2	13.1	2.7	18.2	34.7
November	242.8	102.9	22.3	142.1	253.9	764.1	31.8	13.5	2.9	18.6	33.2
December	224.9	110.2	15.8	191.7	264.9	807.6	27.8	13.6	2.0	23.7	32.8
1995 —											
January	252.1	113.9	26.5	197.6	263.4	853.7	29.5	13.3	3.1	23.1	30.9
February	254.7	132.2	21.3	189.2	288.9	886.2	28.7	14.9	2.4	21.3	32.6
March	229.2	134.5	18.0	160.6	273.3	815.7	28.1	16.5	2.2	19.7	33.5
April	221.2	120.7	17.8	142.0	241.3	743.0	29.8	16.2	2.4	19.1	32.5
May	227.0	123.1	17.5	150.4	235.6	753.6	30.1	16.3	2.3	20.0	31.3
June	226.3	111.4	20.3	138.3	228.5	724.8	31.2	15.4	2.8	19.1	31.5
July	218.8	118.4	23.9	136.4	212.1	709.6	30.8	16.7	3.4	19.2	29.9
August	234.3	112.5	12.6	140.6	222.0	721.9	32.5	15.6	1.7	19.5	30.8

TABLE 30. UNEMPLOYED PERSONS WHO HAD WORKED FULL TIME FOR TWO WEEKS OR MORE IN THE LAST TWO YEARS: REASON FOR CEASING LAST FULL-TIME JOB, INDUSTRY AND OCCUPATION OF LAST FULL-TIME JOB AND AGE, AUGUST 1995 ('000)

	Reason for ceasing last full-time job									Total
	Job loser						Job leaver			
	Laid-off, retrenched			Total						
	Males	Females	Persons	Males	Females	Persons	Males	Females	Persons	
Industry division —										
Agriculture, Forestry and Fishing	* 2.5	* 0.5	* 3.0	12.1	* 1.9	14.0	* 2.1	* 0.6	* 2.7	16.8
Manufacturing	32.6	7.4	40.0	41.4	9.9	51.3	15.1	4.5	19.7	71.0
Construction	26.6	* 1.2	27.8	40.0	* 1.4	41.4	9.6	* 0.9	10.4	51.8
Wholesale Trade	6.9	* 1.2	8.1	8.6	* 1.3	10.0	* 2.1	* 1.9	4.0	14.0
Retail Trade	12.7	6.0	18.8	20.5	10.2	30.8	11.5	10.7	22.2	52.9
Accommodation, Cafes & Restaurants	4.9	* 3.5	8.4	6.5	4.7	11.2	5.4	6.5	11.9	23.1
Transport and Storage	7.0	* 1.6	8.6	10.0	* 2.1	12.1	4.0	* 1.7	5.7	17.8
Government Administration & Defence	* 3.5	* 1.4	4.9	7.1	4.5	11.6	* 2.6	* 2.2	4.8	16.5
Education	* 1.5	* 1.3	* 2.8	* 3.2	* 3.3	6.5	* 1.9	* 3.1	5.0	11.5
Health and Community Services	* 1.9	* 2.6	4.5	* 3.6	4.7	8.3	* 1.0	4.1	5.1	13.4
Cultural and Recreational Services	* 2.1	* 0.2	* 2.3	* 3.3	* 0.6	* 3.9	* 0.7	* 1.0	* 1.8	5.7
Personal and Other Services	* 2.6	* 1.4	4.0	* 3.0	* 2.9	5.9	* 1.9	* 3.1	5.0	10.9
Other Industries	13.9	4.3	18.2	19.8	7.4	27.2	7.4	6.8	14.2	41.5
Occupation group —										
Tradespersons	29.8	* 1.5	31.2	44.5	* 2.5	46.9	15.3	* 3.1	18.4	65.4
Clerks	4.1	9.4	13.5	6.5	16.2	22.7	5.3	13.3	18.6	41.2
Salespersons and Personal Service Workers	9.7	10.1	19.8	13.4	14.4	27.8	7.3	16.8	24.1	51.9
Plant and Machine Operators, and Drivers	15.6	* 1.9	17.4	22.3	* 3.4	25.7	8.1	* 1.6	9.7	35.4
Labourers and Related Workers	48.1	6.8	55.0	73.4	11.4	84.8	19.5	6.9	26.3	111.1
Other Occupations	11.4	* 3.0	14.4	19.3	7.1	26.4	9.8	5.6	15.3	41.7
Age group										
15-19	8.5	6.9	15.4	12.6	9.5	22.1	9.7	8.6	18.4	40.5
20-24	19.5	7.6	27.1	30.5	12.5	43.0	15.1	10.4	25.6	68.5
25-34	38.7	8.0	46.7	57.1	13.2	70.3	19.3	16.5	35.8	106.1
35-44	24.6	4.2	28.8	38.9	9.3	48.2	12.4	7.6	20.0	68.2
45-54	15.2	5.4	20.7	22.6	9.1	31.7	6.5	* 3.1	9.6	41.3
55 and over	12.1	* 0.6	12.7	17.7	* 1.3	19.0	* 2.1	* 0.9	* 3.0	22.1
Total	118.7	32.7	151.3	179.3	55.0	234.3	65.2	47.3	112.5	346.7

TABLE 31. PERSONS NOT IN THE LABOUR FORCE: AGE AND MARITAL STATUS, AUGUST 1995

Age group	Males			Females			Persons	Proportion of population - per cent -
	Married	Not married	Total	Married - '000 -	Not married	Total		
15-19	* 1.0	291.8	292.8	8.1	257.6	265.8	558.5	44.1
20-24	4.6	90.2	94.8	54.6	107.0	161.5	256.3	18.0
25-34	31.7	69.4	101.2	349.3	111.0	460.3	561.5	19.9
35-44	50.9	44.8	95.8	307.4	79.1	386.5	482.2	17.7
45-54	81.6	47.0	128.6	276.3	77.4	353.7	482.3	21.5
55-59	80.2	26.5	106.7	180.5	58.4	238.9	345.6	42.7
60-64	148.8	41.6	190.5	213.3	82.8	296.1	486.6	69.5
65-69	220.2	60.9	281.2	201.1	135.6	336.7	617.8	89.5
70 and over	402.8	169.1	571.9	281.2	572.8	854.0	1,426.0	97.0
Total	1,021.9	841.4	1,863.3	1,871.8	1,481.7	3,353.5	5,216.9	36.9

TABLE 32. PERSONS NOT IN THE LABOUR FORCE: WHETHER LOOKING FOR WORK, ETC., AUGUST 1995 ('000)

	Males			Females			Persons
	Married	Not married	Total	Married	Not married	Total	
Looking for work	16.3	41.6	57.8	35.5	34.2	69.8	127.6
Took active steps to find work(a)	10.4	23.3	33.7	10.6	18.2	28.8	62.4
Did not take active steps to find work	5.9	18.2	24.2	24.9	16.1	41.0	65.2
Not looking for work	975.4	734.2	1,709.6	1,815.5	1,316.4	3,131.9	4,841.4
Permanently unable to work	17.7	16.9	34.6	7.0	19.0	25.9	60.5
In institutions	12.6	48.7	61.3	13.8	112.2	126.0	187.3
Total	1,021.9	841.4	1,863.3	1,871.8	1,481.7	3,353.5	5,216.9

(a) Not available to start work in the reference week for reasons other than own temporary illness or injury.

TABLE 33. ESTIMATES OF LABOUR FORCE STATUS AND GROSS CHANGES (FLOWS) DERIVED FROM MATCHED RECORDS JULY 1995 AND AUGUST 1995 ('000)

Labour force status in July 1995	Labour force status in August 1995			
	Employed full time	Employed part time	Unemployed	Not in the labour force
MALES				
Employed full time	3,248.4	77.2	33.1	40.2
Employed part time	67.4	272.7	19.0	40.5
Unemployed	30.1	23.2	234.1	47.6
Not in the labour force	24.2	38.3	45.7	1,264.0
MARRIED FEMALES				
Employed full time	881.7	74.5	* 1.9	20.1
Employed part time	82.5	703.6	9.3	51.7
Unemployed	4.6	9.9	43.9	22.7
Not in the labour force	12.4	47.3	31.3	1,390.1
ALL FEMALES				
Employed full time	1,496.2	115.0	6.9	29.9
Employed part time	116.4	1,031.0	25.7	84.7
Unemployed	10.7	26.2	122.2	47.1
Not in the labour force	18.4	73.7	62.9	2,371.7
PERSONS				
Employed full time	4,744.6	192.1	39.9	70.1
Employed part time	183.8	1,303.7	44.7	125.2
Unemployed	40.8	49.4	356.3	94.7
Not in the labour force	42.7	112.1	108.6	3,635.7

POPULATION REPRESENTED BY THE MATCHED SAMPLE

Males	Females		Persons
	Married	Total	
5,505.9	3,367.6	5,638.7	11,144.6

TABLE 34. RELATIONSHIP IN HOUSEHOLD, THE CIVILIAN POPULATION AGED 15 AND OVER: SUMMARY TABLE, AUGUST 1995

					Civilian population aged 15 and over		
	Employed	Unemployed	Labour force	Not in labour force	Males	Females	Persons
	PERSONS ('000)						
Family member	6,689.0	541.7	7,230.7	3,828.9	5,471.0	5,588.6	11,059.7
Husband or wife	5,055.8	279.6	5,335.4	2,734.1	4,082.5	3,987.0	8,069.5
With children under 15	2,530.1	165.3	2,695.3	750.1	1,744.1	1,701.3	3,445.4
Without children under 15	2,525.8	114.3	2,640.1	1,984.0	2,338.4	2,285.7	4,624.1
With dependants	2,968.3	179.8	3,148.1	861.0	2,029.7	1,979.4	4,009.1
Without dependants	2,087.5	99.7	2,187.3	1,873.1	2,052.8	2,007.6	4,060.4
Lone parent	289.1	47.0	336.0	321.4	98.4	559.0	657.4
With children under 15	165.6	35.2	200.8	185.2	42.1	343.9	386.0
With dependent students but without children under 15	55.7	5.0	60.7	20.0	19.2	61.5	80.7
Without dependants	67.8	6.8	74.5	116.2	37.1	153.6	190.7
Dependent student(a)	309.2	56.0	365.2	491.6	416.9	440.0	856.9
Non-dependent child(b)	908.7	133.8	1,042.4	122.2	738.6	426.0	1,164.6
Other family person	126.3	25.3	151.6	159.7	134.6	176.7	311.3
Non-family member	1,202.0	143.3	1,345.3	912.3	1,111.5	1,146.1	2,257.6
Lone person	595.1	60.3	655.5	756.4	623.2	788.6	1,411.9
Not living alone	606.9	82.9	689.8	155.9	488.2	357.5	845.7
Usual resident of a household where relationship was determined	7,891.0	685.0	8,576.0	4,741.2	6,582.5	6,734.8	13,317.3
Usual resident of a household where relationship was not determined	204.8	20.7	225.5	82.0	147.0	160.5	307.5
Total usual residents of private dwellings	8,095.8	705.7	8,801.5	4,823.2	6,729.5	6,895.2	13,624.7
Visitors to private dwellings	34.0	4.7	38.7	72.1	49.8	61.0	110.8
Persons enumerated in non-private dwellings	87.9	11.5	99.4	321.5	190.5	230.4	420.9
Total	8,217.7	721.9	8,939.6	5,216.9	6,969.8	7,186.6	14,156.5
	PROPORTION OF TOTAL (per cent)						
Family member	81.4	75.0	80.9	73.4	78.5	77.8	78.1
Husband or wife	61.5	38.7	59.7	52.4	58.6	55.5	57.0
With children under 15	30.8	22.9	30.2	14.4	25.0	23.7	24.3
Without children under 15	30.7	15.8	29.5	38.0	33.5	31.8	32.7
With dependants	36.1	24.9	35.2	16.5	29.1	27.5	28.3
Without dependants	25.4	13.8	24.5	35.9	29.5	27.9	28.7
Lone parent	3.5	6.5	3.8	6.2	1.4	7.8	4.6
With children under 15	2.0	4.9	2.2	3.6	0.6	4.8	2.7
With dependent students but without children under 15	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.4	0.3	0.9	0.6
Without dependants	0.8	0.9	0.8	2.2	0.5	2.1	1.3
Dependent student(a)	3.8	7.8	4.1	9.4	6.0	6.1	6.1
Non-dependent child(b)	11.1	18.5	11.7	2.3	10.6	5.9	8.2
Other family person	1.5	3.5	1.7	3.1	1.9	2.5	2.2
Non-family member	14.6	19.8	15.0	17.5	15.9	15.9	15.9
Lone person	7.2	8.4	7.3	14.5	8.9	11.0	10.0
Not living alone	7.4	11.5	7.7	3.0	7.0	5.0	6.0
Usual resident of a household where relationship was determined	96.0	94.9	95.9	90.9	94.4	93.7	94.1
Usual resident of a household where relationship was not determined	2.5	2.9	2.5	1.6	2.1	2.2	2.2
Total usual residents of private dwellings	98.5	97.8	98.5	92.5	96.6	95.9	96.2
Visitors to private dwellings	0.4	0.7	0.4	1.4	0.7	0.8	0.8
Persons enumerated in non-private dwellings	1.1	1.6	1.1	6.2	2.7	3.2	3.0
Total	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0

(a) Excludes persons aged 20-24 attending school. Also excludes sons or daughters aged 15-24 who are classified as husbands, wives or lone parents. (b) Aged 15 and over.

TABLE 35. RELATIONSHIP IN HOUSEHOLD AND LABOUR FORCE STATUS OF PERSONS AGED 15 AND OVER(a),
AUGUST 1995

AUGUST 1995										
	Employed		Unemployed		Labour force	Not in labour force	Civilian population aged 15 and over	Unemployment rate	Participation rate	
	Full-time workers	Part-time workers	Looking for full-time work	Total						
			Total		- '000 -				- per cent -	
MALES										
Family member	3,366.7	409.4	3,776.0	284.6	318.7	4,094.7	1,376.3	5,471.0	7.8	74.8
Husband	2,752.0	195.5	2,947.5	168.4	175.9	3,123.4	959.1	4,082.5	5.6	76.5
With children under 15	1,465.3	78.1	1,543.5	99.7	102.6	1,646.1	98.0	1,744.1	6.2	94.4
Without children under 15	1,286.7	117.3	1,404.0	68.7	73.3	1,477.3	861.1	2,338.4	5.0	63.2
With dependants	1,696.6	89.1	1,785.8	109.7	112.9	1,898.7	131.0	2,029.7	5.9	93.5
Without dependants	1,055.3	106.3	1,161.7	58.7	63.0	1,224.7	828.1	2,052.8	5.1	59.7
Lone parent	50.8	6.0	56.8	6.9	7.3	64.1	34.3	98.4	11.4	65.1
With children under 15	21.9	4.4	26.3	4.0	4.4	30.7	11.3	42.1	14.5	73.0
With dependent students but without children under 15	13.4	* 0.7	14.0	* 2.2	* 2.2	16.2	* 3.0	19.2	* 13.4	84.3
Without dependants	15.6	* 0.9	16.5	* 0.7	* 0.7	17.2	20.0	37.1	* 4.0	46.2
Dependent student(b)	* 3.8	125.4	129.2	* 3.6	25.6	154.8	262.1	416.9	16.6	37.1
Non-dependent child(c)	499.4	72.1	571.4	90.8	92.8	664.3	74.4	738.6	14.0	89.9
Other family person	60.7	10.5	71.2	15.0	17.0	88.2	46.5	134.6	19.3	65.5
Non-family member	635.3	86.1	721.4	82.8	91.0	812.5	299.0	1,111.5	11.2	73.1
Lone person	324.5	37.1	361.7	39.8	42.6	404.3	219.0	623.2	10.5	64.9
Not living alone	310.8	48.9	359.7	43.0	48.5	408.2	80.0	488.2	11.9	83.6
Total	4,002.0	495.5	4,497.5	367.5	409.7	4,907.1	1,675.3	6,582.5	8.3	74.5
FEMALES										
Family member	1,569.5	1,343.5	2,913.0	144.1	223.0	3,136.0	2,452.6	5,588.6	7.1	56.1
Wife	1,138.4	970.0	2,108.4	70.3	103.7	2,212.1	1,774.9	3,987.0	4.7	55.5
With children under 15	408.8	577.7	986.6	37.8	62.6	1,049.2	652.1	1,701.3	6.0	61.7
Without children under 15	729.5	392.2	1,121.8	32.5	41.1	1,162.8	1,122.9	2,285.7	3.5	50.9
With dependants	522.9	659.6	1,182.5	41.3	67.0	1,249.5	729.9	1,979.4	5.4	63.1
Without dependants	615.5	310.3	925.8	29.1	36.7	962.6	1,045.0	2,007.6	3.8	47.9
Lone parent	126.3	105.9	232.3	26.1	39.7	271.9	287.1	559.0	14.6	48.6
With children under 15	64.6	74.7	139.3	18.0	30.7	170.0	173.9	343.9	18.1	49.4
With dependent students but without children under 15	27.4	14.2	41.6	* 2.9	* 2.9	44.5	17.0	61.5	* 6.5	72.4
Without dependants	34.4	16.9	51.3	5.2	6.1	57.4	96.2	153.6	10.6	37.4
Dependent student(b)	* 2.6	177.4	180.0	* 3.1	30.4	210.4	229.5	440.0	14.4	47.8
Non-dependent child(c)	264.0	73.2	337.2	37.9	40.9	378.2	47.8	426.0	10.8	88.8
Other family person	38.1	17.0	55.1	6.6	8.3	63.4	113.2	176.7	13.1	35.9
Non-family member	366.6	114.0	480.6	42.3	52.2	532.8	613.3	1,146.1	9.8	46.5
Lone person	181.8	51.6	233.5	14.6	17.8	251.2	537.4	788.6	7.1	31.9
Not living alone	184.8	62.3	247.1	27.8	34.5	281.6	75.9	357.5	12.2	78.8
Total	1,936.1	1,457.5	3,393.6	186.4	275.3	3,668.9	3,065.9	6,734.8	7.5	54.5
PERSONS										
Family member	4,936.1	1,752.9	6,689.0	428.7	541.7	7,230.7	3,828.9	11,059.7	7.5	65.4
Husband or wife	3,890.4	1,165.4	5,055.8	238.7	279.6	5,335.4	2,734.1	8,069.5	5.2	66.1
With children under 15	1,874.2	655.9	2,530.1	137.5	165.3	2,695.3	750.1	3,445.4	6.1	78.2
Without children under 15	2,016.2	509.6	2,525.8	101.2	114.3	2,640.1	1,984.0	4,624.1	4.3	57.1
With dependants	2,219.5	748.8	2,968.3	151.0	179.8	3,148.1	861.0	4,009.1	5.7	78.5
Without dependants	1,670.8	416.7	2,087.5	87.7	99.7	2,187.3	1,873.1	4,060.4	4.6	53.9
Lone parent	177.2	111.9	289.1	33.0	47.0	336.0	321.4	657.4	14.0	51.1
With children under 15	86.5	79.1	165.6	22.0	35.2	200.8	185.2	386.0	17.5	52.0
With dependent students but without children under 15	40.7	14.9	55.7	5.0	5.0	60.7	20.0	80.7	8.3	75.2
Without dependants	50.0	17.8	67.8	5.9	6.8	74.5	116.2	190.7	9.1	39.1
Dependent student(b)	6.4	302.8	309.2	6.7	56.0	365.2	491.6	856.9	15.3	42.6
Non-dependent child(c)	763.4	145.3	908.7	128.7	133.8	1,042.4	122.2	1,164.6	12.8	89.5
Other family person	98.8	27.5	126.3	21.6	25.3	151.6	159.7	311.3	16.7	48.7
Non-family member	1,002.0	200.0	1,202.0	125.2	143.3	1,345.3	912.3	2,257.6	10.7	59.6
Lone person	506.4	88.8	595.1	54.4	60.3	655.5	756.4	1,411.9	9.2	46.4
Not living alone	495.6	111.3	606.9	70.8	82.9	689.8	155.9	845.7	12.0	81.6
Total	5,938.1	1,953.0	7,891.0	553.9	685.0	8,576.0	4,741.2	13,317.3	8.0	64.4

(a) Civilians who were residents of private dwellings where family status was determined. See Explanatory Notes paragraphs 43 and 44. (b) Excludes persons aged 20-24 attending school. Also excludes sons or daughters aged 15-24 who are classified as husbands, wives or lone parents. (c) Aged 15 and over.

TABLE 36. ALL FAMILIES(a): FAMILY TYPE, NUMBER OF FAMILY MEMBERS AND LABOUR FORCE STATUS,
AUGUST 1995
(^{'000 families})

Number of family members(b)	None employed			One employed			Two or more employed			Total		
	None unemp-loyed	One or more unemp-loyed	Total	None unemp-loyed	One or more unemp-loyed	Total	None unemp-loyed	One or more unemp-loyed	Total	None unemp-loyed	One or more unemp-loyed	Total
COUPLE FAMILY												
Two	629.2	33.5	662.8	236.2	32.9	269.1	650.4	..	650.4	1,515.9	66.4	1,582.2
Three	52.6	36.6	89.2	222.4	33.6	256.0	478.9	20.0	498.9	753.9	90.2	844.1
Four	24.6	33.9	58.6	220.2	42.0	262.2	620.4	42.2	662.6	865.2	118.1	983.3
Five	10.3	18.4	28.7	118.5	16.1	134.7	265.7	24.7	290.4	394.5	59.3	453.7
Six or more	8.0	14.9	22.9	47.6	8.2	55.8	87.5	8.2	95.8	143.1	31.3	174.5
Total	724.7	137.4	862.1	844.9	132.8	977.8	2,102.9	95.1	2,198.0	3,672.5	365.4	4,037.9
ONE PARENT FAMILY WITH A MALE PARENT												
Two	12.0	6.7	18.7	24.6	* 1.3	25.9	13.7	..	13.7	50.3	8.0	58.2
Three or more	6.2	* 3.2	9.4	13.8	* 2.5	16.3	12.4	* 2.7	15.1	32.4	8.5	40.9
Total	18.2	9.9	28.1	38.4	* 3.8	42.2	26.1	* 2.7	28.8	82.6	16.4	99.1
ONE PARENT FAMILY WITH A FEMALE PARENT												
Two	93.1	26.6	119.7	123.2	11.8	135.0	37.9	..	37.9	254.1	38.4	292.5
Three	60.6	14.8	75.4	59.1	10.3	69.4	38.1	* 2.7	40.8	157.8	27.8	185.6
Four	26.2	5.7	31.9	16.8	* 3.8	20.6	10.7	* 1.2	11.9	53.7	10.6	64.3
Five or more	12.1	* 2.4	14.5	4.2	* 1.1	5.3	* 2.0	* 0.1	* 2.2	18.3	* 3.7	22.0
Total	191.9	49.5	241.4	203.3	27.0	230.3	88.8	4.0	92.8	484.0	80.5	564.4
ONE PARENT FAMILIES: TOTAL												
Two	105.0	33.3	138.4	147.8	13.1	160.9	51.5	..	51.5	304.4	46.4	350.8
Three	65.0	17.2	82.2	70.0	12.6	82.6	47.8	* 3.8	51.6	182.8	33.6	216.4
Four	27.6	6.5	34.1	19.3	4.0	23.3	13.2	* 2.3	15.5	60.1	12.8	72.9
Five or more	12.5	* 2.4	14.9	4.5	* 1.1	5.6	* 2.3	* 0.6	* 2.9	19.3	4.1	23.4
Total	210.1	59.4	269.5	241.7	30.8	272.4	114.8	6.7	121.5	566.6	96.9	663.5
OTHER FAMILY												
Two	16.8	5.1	21.9	10.1	6.5	16.5	29.0	..	29.0	55.9	11.6	67.5
Three or more	* 0.9	* 0.0	* 0.9	* 0.5	* 0.9	* 1.3	* 3.3	* 0.1	* 3.4	4.7	* 0.9	5.6
Total	17.8	5.1	22.9	10.5	7.3	17.8	32.3	* 0.1	32.4	60.6	12.5	73.1
TOTAL												
Two	751.1	71.9	823.0	394.1	52.4	446.5	730.9	..	730.9	1,876.1	124.3	2,000.5
Three	118.5	53.8	172.3	293.0	46.8	339.8	529.5	24.0	553.5	941.0	124.5	1,065.5
Four	52.2	40.4	92.6	239.5	46.0	285.5	634.1	44.5	678.5	925.8	130.9	1,056.7
Five	20.1	20.9	40.9	121.7	17.3	139.0	267.5	25.3	292.8	409.4	63.5	472.8
Six or more	10.7	14.9	25.6	48.8	8.4	57.2	88.0	8.2	96.2	147.5	31.5	179.0
Total	952.6	201.9	1,154.5	1,097.1	170.9	1,268.1	2,250.0	102.0	2,352.0	4,299.8	474.8	4,774.5

(a) See Explanatory Notes paragraphs 43 and 44 for details of exclusions to family tables. (b) Of any age.

TABLE 37. ALL FAMILIES(a): FAMILY TYPE, NUMBER OF CHILDREN UNDER 15 PRESENT, NUMBER OF DEPENDANTS AND LABOUR FORCE STATUS, AUGUST 1995
(*000 families)

	Number of children under 15			Number of dependants			Total
	None	One	Two or more	None	One	Two or more	
NO FAMILY MEMBER EMPLOYED							
Couple family	723.0	49.4	89.7	705.6	56.6	99.9	862.1
One or both spouses unemployed(b)	41.6	24.2	55.6	37.6	24.9	58.9	121.4
Husband unemployed, wife unemployed	11.1	7.5	9.1	10.4	7.2	10.0	27.6
Husband unemployed, wife not in the labour force	27.0	16.0	45.1	24.2	16.4	47.3	88.0
Neither spouse unemployed	681.4	25.2	34.0	668.0	31.7	41.0	740.7
One parent families	63.7	101.8	104.0	48.3	106.6	114.7	269.5
Parent unemployed	5.9	21.4	11.8	* 2.8	22.3	13.9	39.1
Male parent unemployed	* 1.5	* 3.4	* 1.0	* 0.1	4.5	* 1.4	5.9
Female parent unemployed	4.4	18.0	10.7	* 2.7	17.8	12.6	33.1
Parent not unemployed	57.8	80.4	92.2	45.5	84.2	100.8	230.5
Male parent not in the labour force	10.8	6.3	5.2	9.0	7.6	5.6	22.2
Female parent not in the labour force	47.0	74.2	87.1	36.4	76.6	95.2	208.3
Other family	22.9	..	..	22.9	..	..	22.9
Family head unemployed	* 1.8	..	..	* 1.8	..	..	* 1.8
Family head not unemployed	21.0	..	..	21.0	..	..	21.0
Family head not in the labour force	21.0	..	..	21.0	..	..	21.0
Total	809.6	151.2	193.7	776.7	163.1	214.6	1,154.5
ONE OR MORE FAMILY MEMBERS EMPLOYED							
Couple family	1,594.3	596.2	985.3	1,332.0	625.1	1,218.7	3,175.8
One or both spouses unemployed(b)	58.9	28.6	39.4	50.0	26.1	50.8	126.9
Husband employed, wife unemployed	24.3	16.7	26.9	22.0	15.0	30.9	68.0
Husband unemployed, wife employed	23.6	8.8	11.2	20.0	8.0	15.7	43.7
Husband unemployed, wife unemployed	* 2.5	* 0.3	* 0.0	* 1.8	* 0.6	* 0.4	* 2.8
Husband unemployed, wife not in the labour force	8.3	* 1.7	* 1.2	6.1	* 1.8	* 3.3	11.3
Neither spouse unemployed	1,535.4	567.6	945.9	1,282.0	598.9	1,167.9	3,048.9
Husband employed, wife employed	1,036.5	381.8	570.0	851.3	391.0	746.0	1,988.3
Husband employed, wife not in the labour force	331.7	168.6	358.4	280.5	183.1	395.1	858.7
Husband not in the labour force, wife employed	79.5	13.0	13.1	70.5	17.1	18.1	105.6
Husband not in the labour force, wife not in the labour force	87.7	4.2	4.3	79.8	7.8	8.7	96.2
One parent families	213.2	111.6	69.2	146.4	146.2	101.4	394.0
Parent unemployed	6.1	* 1.4	* 0.7	4.2	* 2.1	* 1.9	8.2
Parent not unemployed	207.1	110.2	68.5	142.2	144.1	99.5	385.8
Male parent employed	30.9	16.8	9.5	16.9	24.5	15.9	57.2
Female parent employed	95.9	84.2	55.3	53.0	106.4	76.0	235.4
Male parent not in the labour force	12.4	* 0.0	* 0.0	11.1	* 1.2	* 0.0	12.4
Female parent not in the labour force	68.0	9.1	* 3.7	61.2	11.9	7.7	80.8
Other family	50.3	..	..	50.3	..	..	50.3
Family head unemployed	* 3.1	..	..	* 3.1	..	..	* 3.1
Family head not unemployed	47.1	..	..	47.1	..	..	47.1
Family head employed	39.1	..	..	39.1	..	..	39.1
Family head not in the labour force	8.0	..	..	8.0	..	..	8.0
Total	1,857.7	707.8	1,054.5	1,528.6	771.2	1,320.2	3,620.0
TOTAL							
Couple family	2,317.3	645.6	1,075.0	2,037.6	681.7	1,318.7	4,037.9
One or both spouses unemployed(b)	100.6	52.8	95.1	87.6	51.0	109.7	248.4
Husband employed, wife unemployed	24.3	16.7	26.9	22.0	15.0	30.9	68.0
Husband unemployed, wife employed	23.6	8.8	11.2	20.0	8.0	15.7	43.7
Husband unemployed, wife unemployed	13.6	7.8	9.1	12.2	7.8	10.4	30.4
Husband unemployed, wife not in the labour force	35.3	17.7	46.3	30.4	18.3	50.7	99.3
Neither spouse unemployed	2,216.8	592.9	979.9	1,950.0	630.6	1,208.9	3,789.5
Husband employed, wife employed	1,036.5	381.8	570.0	851.3	391.0	746.0	1,988.3
Husband employed, wife not in the labour force	331.7	168.6	358.4	280.5	183.1	395.1	858.7
Husband not in the labour force, wife employed	79.5	13.0	13.1	70.5	17.1	18.1	105.6
Husband not in the labour force, wife not in the labour force	769.1	29.5	38.4	747.7	39.4	49.7	836.9
One parent families	276.9	213.4	173.2	194.6	252.7	216.2	663.5
Parent unemployed	12.0	22.8	12.5	7.0	24.4	15.9	47.3
Male parent unemployed	* 2.8	* 3.4	* 1.0	* 0.7	5.2	* 1.4	7.3
Female parent unemployed	9.2	19.4	11.4	6.3	19.2	14.5	40.0
Parent not unemployed	264.9	190.6	160.8	187.6	228.3	200.3	616.2
Male parent employed	30.9	16.8	9.5	16.9	24.5	15.9	57.2
Female parent employed	95.9	84.2	55.3	53.0	106.4	76.0	235.4
Male parent not in the labour force	23.2	6.3	5.2	20.2	8.8	5.6	34.6
Female parent not in the labour force	115.0	83.3	90.8	97.6	88.6	102.9	289.1
Other family	73.1	..	..	73.1	..	..	73.1
Family head unemployed	5.0	..	..	5.0	..	..	5.0
Family head not unemployed	68.1	..	..	68.1	..	..	68.1
Family head employed	39.1	..	..	39.1	..	..	39.1
Family head not in the labour force	29.0	..	..	29.0	..	..	29.0
Total	2,667.3	859.0	1,248.2	2,305.3	934.4	1,534.8	4,774.5

(a) See Explanatory Notes paragraphs 43 and 44 for details of exclusions to family tables. (b) Includes a small number of families with husband not in the labour force and wife unemployed.

TABLE 38. EMPLOYED PERSONS BY INDUSTRY
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Month	Agri- culture, forestry and fishing	Elect- ricity gas and water supply	Manu- fact- uring	Const- ruction	Whole- sale trade	Retail trade	Accom- modation, cafes and resta- urants	Trans- port and storage	Commu- nication services	Finance and insur- ance	Property and business services	Govern- ment adminis- tration and defence	Health and commu- nity services	Cult- ural and recrea- tional services	Personal and other services
1993 —															
August	409.5	90.0	1,051.3	94.8	558.7	501.1	1,082.4	336.6	357.0	118.8	302.7	647.6	662.9	159.2	293.4
November	421.5	92.6	1,087.1	93.2	558.0	501.3	1,125.3	348.5	361.7	134.8	322.8	653.4	671.9	165.2	307.9
1994 —															
February	401.4	86.7	1,088.2	90.4	562.8	491.9	1,128.1	354.2	372.3	135.8	320.9	692.1	671.3	168.0	299.4
May	404.5	88.2	1,101.8	90.4	558.8	521.4	1,159.2	350.5	374.4	124.7	320.6	701.3	683.1	180.3	304.2
August	403.2	86.5	1,119.5	92.3	570.1	480.7	1,161.8	361.5	370.2	133.4	311.7	721.5	701.5	178.8	291.1
November	405.3	83.8	1,114.4	87.7	586.8	477.3	1,196.5	374.8	378.6	153.5	310.6	726.2	713.7	191.5	315.4
1995 —															
February	413.3	85.2	1,120.9	83.5	597.0	496.9	1,192.6	379.6	390.9	152.9	307.3	757.9	717.6	193.0	311.5
May	395.8	88.9	1,107.3	83.9	605.8	518.1	1,199.5	393.9	385.5	153.0	320.9	791.9	746.6	193.7	297.0
August	404.3	84.7	1,117.3	84.8	595.2	502.8	1,186.4	385.9	378.5	145.5	317.3	799.5	757.1	192.0	293.9

TABLE 39. EMPLOYED PERSONS BY INDUSTRY: SEASONALLY ADJUSTED SERIES
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Month	Agri- culture, forestry and fishing	Elect- ricity gas and water supply	Manu- fact- uring	Const- ruction	Whole- sale trade	Retail trade	Accom- modation, cafes and resta- urants	Trans- port and storage	Commu- nication services	Finance and insur- ance	Property and business services	Govern- ment adminis- tration and defence	Health and commu- nity services	Cult- ural and recrea- tional services	Personal and other services
1993 —															
August	415.0	90.0	1,061.3	94.3	560.6	499.2	1,097.0	340.6	358.3	122.3	301.8	644.0	658.7	161.4	297.5
November	410.6	93.6	1,072.0	95.7	555.5	503.3	1,125.8	346.8	363.4	130.5	324.1	655.5	666.3	163.5	305.9
1994 —															
February	403.5	86.4	1,091.6	89.9	560.8	497.2	1,125.8	356.1	371.9	133.9	324.4	689.7	681.2	169.5	301.2
May	408.3	87.6	1,103.2	89.2	561.7	515.8	1,145.7	346.5	371.5	126.9	317.0	705.5	683.6	177.8	300.0
August	407.8	86.5	1,131.0	91.6	571.4	478.9	1,177.4	365.5	372.0	137.6	310.8	717.5	696.9	181.4	295.5
November	395.2	84.6	1,098.0	90.2	584.5	479.3	1,197.5	373.1	380.2	148.1	311.7	728.6	707.3	189.5	313.2
1995 —															
February	415.4	85.0	1,124.5	83.0	595.2	502.3	1,189.9	381.7	390.4	150.6	310.7	755.3	728.4	194.8	313.1
May	399.8	88.2	1,108.4	82.7	609.0	512.3	1,185.4	389.5	382.3	156.0	317.4	796.6	747.4	191.0	292.9
August	408.5	84.6	1,129.2	84.1	596.4	501.0	1,202.3	390.0	380.6	150.4	316.3	795.0	752.1	194.8	298.5

TABLE 40. EMPLOYED PERSONS BY INDUSTRY: TREND SERIES
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Month	Agri- culture, forestry and fishing	Mining	Manu- fact- uring	Elect- ricity and gas water supply	Const- ruc- tion	Whole- sale trade	Retail trade	Accom- modation, cafes and restau- rants	Trans- port and storage	Commu- nication services	Finance and insur- ance	Property and business services	Govern- ment adminis- tration and defence	Educa- tion services	Health and commu- nity services	Cult- ural and recrea- tional services	Personal and other services
1993 —																	
August	407.3	90.6	1,065.3	95.2	557.0	498.1	1,113.7	342.8	361.3	124.7	310.4	641.8	378.2	555.7	658.2	161.5	300.4
November	408.4	90.9	1,073.1	93.3	559.0	503.3	1,115.9	346.7	364.0	128.9	317.5	662.0	371.8	554.8	667.8	165.0	302.4
1994 —																	
February	409.1	89.0	1,090.7	91.4	559.3	504.8	1,128.8	350.2	368.6	130.3	321.7	684.1	361.1	550.8	677.3	169.8	301.1
May	405.3	87.1	1,107.0	90.6	563.4	498.4	1,151.3	354.8	371.5	132.4	318.7	703.5	353.1	547.4	686.0	176.2	299.5
August	404.7	85.6	1,115.2	90.2	571.9	488.9	1,174.2	362.3	375.3	137.4	312.5	716.8	352.1	547.1	695.8	183.3	302.9
November	404.6	85.6	1,115.0	88.4	584.6	487.7	1,189.5	372.8	380.9	145.7	310.7	734.2	352.7	550.3	710.3	189.0	307.6
1995 —																	
February	405.0	85.8	1,113.9	85.3	595.6	496.2	1,192.2	381.8	384.6	151.5	312.6	758.9	358.6	558.1	727.5	192.1	306.8
May	406.2	86.1	1,117.3	83.2	601.6	505.7	1,192.7	387.4	384.6	153.2	315.1	783.4	367.5	569.3	743.0	193.6	301.6
August	407.2	86.2	1,125.3	82.5	603.7	509.1	1,195.0	392.1	382.2	153.1	317.0	804.1	376.9	580.9	756.0	194.0	294.7

TABLE 41. EMPLOYED PERSONS: INDUSTRY OF FULL-TIME AND PART-TIME WORKERS, AUGUST 1995
(^{'000})

Industry division	Full-time workers		Part-time workers		Total			
	Males	Females	Males	Females	Females			Persons
					Males	Married	Total	
Agriculture, Forestry and Fishing	243.5	59.5	33.9	67.4	277.4	104.6	126.9	404.3
Mining	73.3	7.9	* 1.7	* 1.9	74.9	7.1	9.8	84.7
Manufacturing	792.4	213.3	31.7	79.9	824.1	196.4	293.2	1,117.3
Electricity, Gas and Water Supply	71.3	11.4	* 0.1	* 2.0	71.4	6.7	13.4	84.8
Construction	479.2	29.4	34.2	52.5	513.3	71.4	81.8	595.2
Wholesale Trade	321.2	113.1	19.2	49.4	340.3	107.2	162.5	502.8
Retail Trade	438.3	245.6	139.4	363.2	577.6	313.0	608.8	1,186.4
Accommodation, Cafes and Restaurants	121.9	90.0	47.1	126.9	169.0	102.8	216.9	385.9
Transport and Storage	275.9	51.6	26.1	24.9	302.0	49.7	76.5	378.5
Communication Services	97.0	30.4	4.0	14.2	101.0	25.4	44.6	145.5
Finance and Insurance	131.2	130.9	5.4	49.9	136.5	113.7	180.8	317.3
Property and Business Services	377.5	228.6	55.2	138.2	432.8	227.9	366.8	799.5
Government Administration and Defence	215.9	118.3	9.4	32.5	225.3	93.2	150.8	376.2
Education	163.4	252.5	33.2	147.2	196.7	275.9	399.7	596.3
Health and Community Services	152.8	316.7	26.9	260.7	179.7	376.3	577.4	757.1
Cultural and Recreational Services	71.3	42.1	31.5	47.0	102.8	47.0	89.1	192.0
Personal and Other Services	125.8	90.4	21.8	55.9	147.6	75.4	146.3	293.9
Total	4,151.8	2,031.7	520.6	1,513.6	4,672.5	2,193.6	3,545.3	8,217.7

TABLE 42. EMPLOYED PERSONS: INDUSTRY AND STATUS IN EMPLOYMENT, AUGUST 1995
(^{'000})

Industry division	Own account								
	Employers		workers		Employees		Total(a)		
	Males	Females	Males	Females	Males	Females	Males	Females	Persons
Agriculture, Forestry and Fishing	36.1	16.3	115.6	57.8	110.7	40.3	277.4	126.9	404.3
Mining	* 0.0	* 0.0	* 2.7	* 0.1	72.2	9.6	74.9	9.8	84.7
Manufacturing	19.5	6.3	30.1	15.3	773.2	269.3	824.1	293.2	1,117.3
Electricity, Gas and Water Supply	* 0.0	* 0.0	* 0.0	* 0.0	71.4	13.4	71.4	13.4	84.8
Construction	42.3	11.2	161.3	21.3	308.0	42.0	513.3	81.8	595.2
Wholesale Trade	10.8	5.6	14.6	11.9	313.6	144.0	340.3	162.5	502.8
Retail Trade	55.6	35.5	66.5	47.7	449.5	515.5	577.6	608.8	1,186.4
Accommodation, Cafes and Restaurants	15.2	12.6	6.6	5.2	144.8	197.4	169.0	216.9	385.9
Transport and Storage	10.5	* 3.1	48.3	6.9	242.7	65.9	302.0	76.5	378.5
Communication Services	* 0.8	* 0.4	7.4	* 3.4	92.8	40.8	101.0	44.6	145.5
Finance and Insurance	* 2.8	* 0.4	5.6	* 1.6	128.1	178.5	136.5	180.8	317.3
Property and Business Services	39.2	10.0	63.4	35.7	328.0	315.7	432.8	366.8	799.5
Government Administration and Defence	* 0.2	* 0.0	* 0.3	* 0.3	224.8	150.6	225.3	150.8	376.2
Education	* 0.5	* 1.1	6.5	10.6	189.5	388.0	196.7	399.7	596.3
Health and Community Services	18.0	4.9	7.6	24.4	153.4	547.2	179.7	577.4	757.1
Cultural and Recreational Services	* 2.7	* 1.8	20.8	11.2	78.8	75.3	102.8	89.1	192.0
Personal and Other Services	7.7	8.6	24.1	15.4	114.9	120.5	147.6	146.3	293.9
Total	262.1	117.9	581.4	268.9	3,796.4	3,113.9	4,672.5	3,545.3	8,217.7
Full-time workers	250.5	69.9	489.6	124.0	3,401.3	1,832.1	4,151.8	2,031.7	6,183.5

(a) Includes contributing family workers

TABLE 43. EMPLOYED PERSONS: INDUSTRY, AGE AND BIRTHPLACE, AUGUST 1995
(^{'000})

Industry division	Age group						Total	Born in	
								Australia	outside
	15-19	20-24	25-34	35-44	45-54	55 and over		Australia	Australia
Agriculture, Forestry and Fishing	19.8	31.7	79.8	91.6	79.7	101.6	404.3	354.4	49.9
Mining	* 1.4	7.2	24.1	26.7	21.5	* 3.7	84.7	68.2	16.5
Manufacturing	56.9	148.2	320.2	272.8	217.6	101.7	1,117.3	757.3	360.0
Electricity, Gas and Water Supply	* 2.1	8.5	20.8	26.8	21.6	5.1	84.8	67.4	17.4
Construction	29.7	77.3	169.4	160.3	110.2	48.2	595.2	454.8	140.4
Wholesale Trade	21.6	63.4	142.7	123.3	101.2	50.6	502.8	374.0	128.8
Retail Trade	270.9	192.4	241.9	219.6	183.5	78.1	1,186.4	955.6	230.8
Accommodation, Cafes and Restaurants	54.4	75.4	89.3	80.2	60.9	25.6	385.9	281.4	104.5
Transport and Storage	6.2	30.2	107.7	100.3	97.1	37.0	378.5	292.9	85.6
Communication Services	* 2.7	12.3	41.8	45.4	34.1	9.2	145.5	110.5	35.0
Finance and Insurance	8.7	48.5	109.2	84.7	52.8	13.5	317.3	248.1	69.2
Property and Business Services	25.1	105.4	209.7	206.9	177.2	75.3	799.5	596.5	203.0
Government Administration and Defence	4.1	39.7	91.7	122.1	86.5	32.1	376.2	299.1	77.1
Education	6.9	46.0	120.0	204.4	166.0	53.0	596.3	484.4	111.9
Health and Community Services	16.8	78.5	193.9	224.7	176.8	66.4	757.1	569.6	187.5
Cultural and Recreational Services	18.0	35.0	43.6	48.5	31.9	15.1	192.0	153.6	38.4
Personal and Other Services	21.7	40.1	85.1	69.7	51.0	26.2	293.9	227.5	66.3
Total	567.1	1,039.8	2,091.0	2,108.0	1,669.6	742.2	8,217.7	6,295.4	1,922.3

TABLE 44. EMPLOYED PERSONS: INDUSTRY AND HOURS WORKED, AUGUST 1995

Hours worked											Average weekly hours worked (hours)
Industry division	0	1-15	16-29	30-34	35-39	40	41-44	45-48	49 and over	Total	
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MALES											
Agriculture, Forestry and Fishing	10.4	22.8	20.9	9.2	19.8	37.7	7.2	21.9	127.4	277.4	45.8
Mining	5.8	* 0.5	5.1	* 2.2	8.4	11.1	* 3.2	11.2	27.5	74.9	44.5
Manufacturing	26.5	16.1	37.0	47.8	174.3	170.4	62.5	104.6	184.9	824.1	41.4
Electricity, Gas and Water Supply	* 3.9	* 0.5	* 2.8	9.3	21.4	11.6	4.5	7.0	10.4	71.4	38.5
Construction	25.9	16.6	32.1	38.9	53.4	122.8	20.5	58.8	144.4	513.3	41.0
Wholesale Trade	11.2	10.5	13.2	12.8	50.5	70.6	27.9	43.0	100.6	340.3	43.0
Retail Trade	13.7	88.2	48.6	21.3	72.2	81.0	35.3	48.1	169.2	577.6	39.0
Accommodation, Cafes and Restaurants	6.8	26.9	16.1	6.7	17.8	23.7	6.7	11.7	52.7	169.0	39.9
Transport and Storage	16.4	10.0	25.6	18.1	36.7	52.4	13.9	29.1	99.8	302.0	42.4
Communication Services	4.8	* 3.4	4.0	8.1	29.4	13.5	9.3	11.1	17.4	101.0	38.7
Finance and Insurance	5.2	* 3.4	5.3	8.5	20.5	26.6	7.1	14.2	45.8	136.5	42.9
Property and Business Services	11.1	29.8	32.1	21.8	47.2	68.8	19.5	43.3	159.2	432.8	42.9
Government Administration and Defence	13.8	4.8	12.6	19.9	70.2	41.9	18.1	17.3	26.6	225.3	37.0
Education	6.8	19.0	14.5	10.3	35.0	34.0	8.8	22.2	46.1	196.7	38.1
Health and Community Services	9.0	9.2	19.6	13.9	28.3	37.1	9.1	11.4	42.0	179.7	38.7
Cultural and Recreational Services	4.6	17.1	12.4	7.8	12.7	14.1	* 3.3	4.5	26.3	102.8	35.9
Personal and Other Services	9.8	13.0	13.1	8.9	19.8	26.9	7.1	15.2	33.8	147.6	37.3
Total employed	185.7	292.0	314.9	265.3	717.6	844.2	264.0	474.6	1,314.0	4,672.5	40.9
MARRIED FEMALES											
Agriculture, Forestry and Fishing	5.5	33.6	16.9	8.2	8.5	7.6	* 1.5	* 3.2	19.8	104.6	28.9
Mining	* 0.5	* 1.1	* 0.9	* 0.1	* 0.7	* 0.9	* 0.7	* 1.6	* 0.8	7.1	33.6
Manufacturing	9.1	23.1	28.6	17.1	47.9	37.6	8.7	11.7	12.4	196.4	32.1
Electricity, Gas and Water Supply	* 0.3	* 0.2	* 0.9	* 1.0	* 1.0	* 1.9	* 0.3	* 0.3	* 0.8	6.7	35.9
Construction	* 3.5	34.7	10.3	* 3.7	8.0	6.4	* 1.8	* 1.3	* 1.6	71.4	19.0
Wholesale Trade	* 3.0	14.1	20.7	7.6	22.0	17.2	4.9	6.1	11.5	107.2	32.3
Retail Trade	10.7	63.6	81.6	25.3	42.9	25.7	9.6	13.7	39.8	313.0	29.7
Accommodation, Cafes and Restaurants	* 3.6	25.0	23.7	8.3	9.7	11.5	* 1.6	* 2.7	16.7	102.8	30.9
Transport and Storage	* 1.9	7.8	9.7	4.6	8.8	6.5	* 3.8	* 1.8	4.7	49.7	30.8
Communication Services	* 2.4	* 2.5	5.3	4.1	4.8	* 2.0	* 2.3	* 0.6	* 1.4	25.4	28.5
Finance and Insurance	7.1	11.1	26.6	9.1	19.9	22.7	5.2	5.6	6.5	113.7	30.8
Property and Business Services	9.2	52.1	44.0	20.4	35.0	27.6	9.0	7.4	23.1	227.9	28.6
Government Administration and Defence	7.5	8.2	18.5	7.6	27.1	12.7	4.3	4.1	* 3.1	93.2	30.0
Education	8.8	42.8	58.4	20.2	50.4	24.4	14.9	23.4	32.6	275.9	31.5
Health and Community Services	27.9	50.5	107.7	43.2	52.9	50.2	12.7	12.2	18.9	376.3	27.4
Cultural and Recreational Services	* 2.0	13.0	11.7	* 2.7	4.9	4.3	* 0.9	* 1.9	5.7	47.0	27.2
Personal and Other Services	* 2.3	15.3	17.8	4.4	12.6	7.9	* 3.7	5.2	6.2	75.4	28.9
Total employed	105.4	398.8	483.3	187.5	357.2	267.0	85.9	102.9	205.6	2,193.6	29.5
ALL FEMALES											
Agriculture, Forestry and Fishing	6.2	41.0	19.0	9.9	11.5	9.5	* 1.8	4.0	24.0	126.9	29.1
Mining	* 0.5	* 1.1	* 1.2	* 0.1	* 1.1	* 1.6	* 0.9	* 2.2	* 1.2	9.8	36.5
Manufacturing	14.2	32.6	39.9	23.6	73.4	55.6	14.6	17.2	22.1	293.2	32.5
Electricity, Gas and Water Supply	* 0.6	* 0.5	* 1.6	* 1.6	* 2.9	* 3.8	* 0.5	* 0.6	* 1.3	13.4	35.3
Construction	* 3.7	36.4	11.8	* 3.7	9.8	8.9	* 2.4	* 2.0	* 3.1	81.8	21.0
Wholesale Trade	5.4	19.8	24.7	11.0	36.7	30.3	8.6	10.9	15.1	162.5	32.9
Retail Trade	22.3	198.7	129.6	41.3	76.7	46.8	19.7	20.6	53.1	608.8	25.6
Accommodation, Cafes and Restaurants	8.3	66.6	47.7	15.3	21.5	19.7	4.7	6.9	26.2	216.9	27.3
Transport and Storage	* 3.1	9.8	13.8	7.6	13.7	10.5	5.2	* 3.7	9.2	76.5	32.4
Communication Services	* 3.4	* 3.5	7.3	8.1	9.6	5.0	* 3.1	* 2.1	* 2.5	44.6	30.7
Finance and Insurance	11.3	13.5	33.0	14.8	37.6	39.9	8.0	10.7	11.9	180.8	32.4
Property and Business Services	13.1	70.5	55.2	28.9	65.9	55.2	18.8	18.0	41.2	366.8	31.0
Government Administration and Defence	10.4	10.4	25.0	12.8	49.5	21.3	7.7	7.1	6.6	150.8	31.6
Education	12.4	59.9	72.6	27.8	79.0	43.4	20.7	34.3	49.6	399.7	32.2
Health and Community Services	43.1	72.2	142.1	67.3	92.0	78.2	26.0	23.5	32.9	577.4	28.6
Cultural and Recreational Services	* 3.6	25.5	17.3	4.8	11.7	8.6	* 1.7	4.7	11.2	89.1	28.0
Personal and Other Services	4.6	28.8	25.1	9.9	25.1	18.2	9.3	10.7	14.5	146.3	30.3
Total employed	165.9	690.7	666.7	288.7	617.7	456.6	153.9	179.3	325.7	3,545.3	29.6
PERSONS											
Agriculture, Forestry and Fishing	16.6	63.8	39.9	19.1	31.4	47.2	9.0	25.9	151.5	404.3	40.6
Mining	6.2	* 1.6	6.3	* 2.3	9.5	12.7	4.0	13.4	28.7	84.7	43.6
Manufacturing	40.7	48.8	76.9	71.5	247.7	226.1	77.0	121.8	206.9	1,117.3	39.1
Electricity, Gas and Water Supply	4.5	* 1.0	4.3	10.9	24.4	15.5	5.0	7.6	11.7	84.8	38.0
Construction	29.6	53.1	43.8	42.6	63.2	131.7	22.9	60.8	147.6	595.2	38.2
Wholesale Trade	16.6	30.3	37.9	23.8	87.1	100.9	36.6	53.9	115.6	502.8	39.7
Retail Trade	36.0	286.9	178.2	62.6	148.9	127.8	55.0	68.7	222.3	1,186.4	32.1
Accommodation, Cafes and Restaurants	15.1	93.4	63.8	22.0	39.3	43.4	11.4	18.6	78.9	385.9	32.8
Transport and Storage	19.5	19.8	39.4	25.7	50.4	62.9	19.1	32.8	109.0	378.5	40.4
Communication Services	8.1	6.9	11.3	16.2	39.0	18.5	12.5	13.2	19.9	145.5	36.3
Finance and Insurance	16.4	16.9	38.3	23.3	58.1	66.5	15.1	24.9	57.6	317.3	36.9
Property and Business Services	24.2	100.3	87.3	50.7	113.1	124.0	38.3	61.3	200.3	799.5	37.4
Government Administration and Defence	24.3	15.3	37.6	32.8	119.7	63.2	25.8	24.4	33.2	376.2	34.9
Education	19.2	78.9	87.1	38.1	114.1	77.4	29.5	56.5	95.7	596.3	34.2
Health and Community Services	52.1	81.5	161.7	81.2	120.3	115.3	35.2	34.9	74.9	757.1	31.0
Cultural and Recreational Services	8.2	42.6	29.8	12.6	24.4	22.7	5.0	9.2	37.5	192.0	32.2
Personal and Other Services	14.4	41.8	38.2	18.8	44.9	45.1	16.4	25.9	48.4	293.9	33.8
Total employed	351.6	982.7	981.6	554.0	1,335.3	1,300.8	418.0	654.0	1,639.8	8,217.7	36.0

TABLE 45. EMPLOYED PERSONS: INDUSTRY BY OCCUPATION, AUGUST 1995
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Industry division	Occupation major group								Total
	Managers and adminis- trators	Profess- ionals	Para- profess- ionals	Trades- persons	Clerks	Sales- persons and personal service workers	Plant and machine operators, and drivers	Labourers and related workers	
	MALES								
Agriculture, Forestry and Fishing	157.2	* 2.3	6.3	15.6	* 0.1	* 0.9	8.4	86.6	277.4
Mining	* 3.1	9.4	6.3	17.2	* 0.6	* 0.0	22.4	16.0	74.9
Manufacturing	76.1	60.6	23.5	281.4	29.4	30.1	137.7	185.2	824.1
Electricity, Gas and Water Supply	4.9	12.1	8.4	20.1	7.3	* 0.6	10.0	8.0	71.4
Construction	49.0	10.7	14.4	313.9	6.7	5.3	41.8	71.6	513.3
Wholesale Trade	63.9	20.3	8.6	46.2	29.3	85.8	33.3	53.0	340.3
Retail Trade	90.8	9.2	4.0	166.3	9.1	180.2	22.8	95.2	577.6
Accommodation, Cafes and Restaurants	37.8	* 3.5	* 2.3	40.4	4.8	47.0	* 2.2	30.9	169.0
Transport and Storage	20.1	9.1	13.8	23.7	23.3	17.3	159.8	35.0	302.0
Communication Services	8.8	10.6	6.1	31.8	25.0	* 3.5	13.6	* 1.6	101.0
Finance and Insurance	29.9	20.3	* 3.0	* 2.1	40.8	37.8	* 1.4	* 1.3	136.5
Property and Business Services	37.9	173.2	28.0	28.6	33.3	39.8	11.2	80.8	432.8
Government Administration and Defence	26.2	46.4	25.5	15.9	51.6	* 2.7	24.7	32.4	225.3
Education	13.0	137.9	5.6	13.2	11.1	* 3.2	* 0.8	11.8	196.7
Health and Community Services	7.9	71.4	31.5	12.8	7.8	12.3	* 3.9	32.1	179.7
Cultural and Recreational Services	13.1	29.9	17.5	13.4	4.2	9.3	* 1.6	13.8	102.8
Personal and Other Services	9.6	24.3	40.6	20.1	5.5	6.2	18.6	22.5	147.6
Total	649.2	651.2	245.5	1,062.7	290.0	482.1	514.1	777.8	4,672.5
FEMALES									
Agriculture, Forestry and Fishing	66.1	* 0.2	* 1.2	4.3	15.6	* 1.4	* 0.6	37.7	126.9
Mining	* 0.3	* 1.1	* 0.5	* 0.3	5.8	* 0.0	* 0.7	* 1.1	9.8
Manufacturing	8.6	17.0	4.0	25.3	96.1	24.0	45.7	72.5	293.2
Electricity, Gas and Water Supply	* 0.3	* 1.0	* 1.0	* 0.0	10.1	* 0.8	* 0.0	* 0.3	13.4
Construction	* 1.8	* 1.5	* 0.8	* 3.5	69.3	* 0.9	* 0.7	* 3.3	81.8
Wholesale Trade	9.6	6.8	* 1.2	* 1.6	85.9	33.6	* 3.3	20.5	162.5
Retail Trade	41.4	8.9	* 2.3	16.0	83.4	401.0	7.1	48.8	608.8
Accommodation, Cafes and Restaurants	20.1	* 3.2	* 0.7	17.8	23.3	97.7	* 0.4	53.7	216.9
Transport and Storage	* 2.3	* 3.9	* 0.6	* 0.0	33.0	23.7	7.0	5.9	76.5
Communication Services	* 2.4	* 3.5	* 0.6	* 1.0	31.2	* 2.9	* 1.6	* 1.3	44.6
Finance and Insurance	9.4	14.0	* 1.0	* 0.5	97.9	56.1	* 0.5	* 1.4	180.8
Property and Business Services	9.7	64.5	10.0	* 2.5	183.9	31.1	* 1.9	63.1	366.8
Government Administration and Defence	7.7	18.4	10.2	* 1.5	89.0	12.0	* 0.4	11.8	150.8
Education	8.6	260.1	8.3	* 2.1	84.3	23.5	* 0.4	12.3	399.7
Health and Community Services	8.9	67.5	171.4	11.1	114.2	125.6	* 1.4	77.3	577.4
Cultural and Recreational Services	6.4	22.5	5.3	* 3.2	21.0	23.0	* 0.1	7.5	89.1
Personal and Other Services	* 3.0	12.8	10.6	38.7	28.5	30.7	5.4	16.7	146.3
Total	206.5	506.7	229.8	129.5	1,072.4	887.9	77.3	435.1	3,545.3
PERSONS									
Agriculture, Forestry and Fishing	223.2	* 2.5	7.5	20.0	15.7	* 2.2	8.9	124.3	404.3
Mining	* 3.4	10.4	6.8	17.5	6.4	* 0.0	23.1	17.1	84.7
Manufacturing	84.7	77.5	27.5	306.7	125.5	54.2	183.4	257.8	1,117.3
Electricity, Gas and Water Supply	5.1	13.1	9.4	20.1	17.5	* 1.3	10.0	8.3	84.8
Construction	50.8	12.2	15.2	317.4	76.0	6.2	42.5	74.9	595.2
Wholesale Trade	73.5	27.1	9.8	47.9	115.1	119.4	36.6	73.5	502.8
Retail Trade	132.2	18.1	6.4	182.4	92.4	581.1	29.9	144.0	1,186.4
Accommodation, Cafes and Restaurants	57.9	6.7	* 3.0	58.2	28.1	144.7	* 2.6	84.6	385.9
Transport and Storage	22.4	13.0	14.4	23.7	56.3	41.1	166.8	40.8	378.5
Communication Services	11.2	14.1	6.8	32.8	56.2	6.4	15.3	* 2.9	145.5
Finance and Insurance	39.3	34.2	4.0	* 2.7	138.7	93.9	* 1.9	* 2.6	317.3
Property and Business Services	47.7	237.7	38.0	31.1	217.2	70.9	13.2	143.9	799.5
Government Administration and Defence	33.9	64.7	35.7	17.4	140.5	14.8	25.1	44.1	376.2
Education	21.5	398.0	14.0	15.3	95.4	26.7	* 1.3	24.1	596.3
Health and Community Services	16.8	138.9	202.9	23.8	122.1	137.9	5.3	109.4	757.1
Cultural and Recreational Services	19.5	52.4	22.8	16.6	25.3	32.3	* 1.7	21.3	192.0
Personal and Other Services	12.5	37.1	51.2	58.8	34.0	36.9	24.0	39.3	293.9
Total	855.7	1,157.9	475.3	1,192.2	1,362.4	1,370.0	591.3	1,212.9	8,217.7

TABLE 46. EMPLOYED PERSONS BY INDUSTRY DIVISIONS AND SUBDIVISIONS AUGUST 1995
(^{'000})

Industry division and subdivision	Males	Females		Persons
		Married	Total	
AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY AND FISHING	277.4	104.6	126.9	404.3
Agriculture	241.9	98.9	117.9	359.9
Services to Agriculture; Hunting and Trapping	15.2	* 2.7	* 3.9	19.1
Forestry and Logging	8.9	* 0.7	* 1.6	10.5
Commercial Fishing	11.4	* 2.4	* 3.4	14.9
MINING	74.9	7.1	9.8	84.7
Coal Mining	23.7	* 0.4	* 0.4	24.1
Oil and Gas Extraction	* 3.8	* 0.2	* 0.2	4.0
Metal Ore Mining	27.7	* 2.8	4.3	32.0
Other Mining	9.8	* 1.2	* 1.2	11.0
Services to Mining	9.9	* 2.5	* 3.6	13.6
MANUFACTURING	824.1	196.4	293.2	1,117.3
Food, Beverage and Tobacco Manufacturing	132.7	41.4	60.2	192.9
Textile, Clothing, Footwear and Leather Manufacturing	49.0	38.5	53.4	102.4
Wood and Paper Product Manufacturing	60.6	7.5	11.4	72.0
Printing, Publishing and Recorded Media	65.1	21.5	42.1	107.2
Petroleum, Coal, Chemical and Associated Product Manufacturing	68.9	20.7	29.8	98.8
Non-Metallic Mineral Product Manufacturing	45.8	7.0	8.3	54.2
Metal Product Manufacturing	154.3	17.3	26.7	181.0
Machinery and Equipment Manufacturing	189.0	30.0	43.4	232.4
Other Manufacturing	58.6	12.4	17.9	76.5
ELECTRICITY, GAS AND WATER SUPPLY	71.4	6.7	13.4	84.8
Electricity and Gas Supply	49.0	4.8	8.0	57.0
Water Supply, Sewerage and Drainage Services	22.4	* 1.9	5.4	27.8
CONSTRUCTION	513.3	71.4	81.8	595.2
General Construction	179.6	26.5	32.8	212.4
Construction Trade Services	333.7	44.9	49.0	382.8
WHOLESALE TRADE	340.3	107.2	162.5	502.8
Basic Material Wholesaling	97.2	23.5	36.1	133.2
Machinery and Motor Vehicle Wholesaling	131.7	30.1	49.3	181.0
Personal and Household Good Wholesaling	111.5	53.5	77.1	188.6
RETAIL TRADE	577.6	313.0	608.8	1,186.4
Food Retailing	189.0	105.9	257.9	446.9
Personal and Household Good Retailing	190.3	171.1	298.2	488.6
Motor Vehicle Retailing and Services	198.3	36.0	52.7	251.0
ACCOMMODATION, CAFES AND RESTAURANTS	169.0	102.8	216.9	385.9
TRANSPORT AND STORAGE	302.0	49.7	76.5	378.5
Road Transport	161.2	19.0	24.1	185.3
Rail Transport	46.1	* 1.6	* 2.8	48.9
Water Transport	8.2	* 0.9	* 1.3	9.5
Air and Space Transport	26.0	8.6	15.3	41.4
Other Transport	4.3	* 0.7	* 1.0	5.3
Services to Transport	44.6	16.1	28.4	73.0
Storage	11.6	* 2.6	* 3.7	15.2
COMMUNICATION SERVICES	101.0	25.4	44.6	145.5
FINANCE AND INSURANCE	136.5	113.7	180.8	317.3
Finance	78.2	80.9	124.0	202.2
Insurance	23.7	18.5	31.6	55.3
Services to Finance and Insurance	34.7	14.3	25.2	59.8
PROPERTY AND BUSINESS SERVICES	432.8	227.9	366.8	799.5
Property Services	59.2	34.4	52.4	111.6
Business Services	373.5	193.6	314.4	687.9
GOVERNMENT ADMINISTRATION AND DEFENCE	225.3	93.2	150.8	376.2
Government Administration	210.0	88.3	143.4	353.4
Defence	15.4	4.9	7.4	22.8
EDUCATION	196.7	275.9	399.7	596.3
HEALTH AND COMMUNITY SERVICES	179.7	376.3	577.4	757.1
Health Services	143.8	296.7	448.1	591.9
Community Services	35.9	79.7	129.3	165.1
CULTURE AND RECREATIONAL SERVICES	102.8	47.0	89.1	192.0
Motion Picture, Radio and Television Services	21.6	7.1	15.6	37.2
Libraries, Museums and the Arts	27.9	14.1	26.3	54.2
Sport and Recreation	53.4	25.8	47.2	100.5
PERSONAL AND OTHER SERVICES	147.6	75.4	146.3	293.9
Personal Services	47.6	42.7	82.3	129.9
Other Services	95.2	26.6	50.0	145.2
Private Households Employing Staff	4.7	6.1	14.0	18.7
TOTAL	4,672.5	2,193.6	3,545.3	8,217.7

TABLE 47. EMPLOYED PERSONS: OCCUPATION OF FULL-TIME AND PART-TIME WORKERS, AUGUST 1995
(^{'000})

Occupation major group	Full-time workers		Part-time workers		Total			
	Males	Females	Males	Females	Males	Married	Total	Persons
Managers and administrators	621.7	154.2	27.5	52.3	649.2	156.4	206.5	855.7
Professionals	591.7	363.3	59.5	143.4	651.2	319.0	506.7	1,157.9
Para-professionals	225.1	142.3	20.4	87.5	245.5	152.6	229.8	475.3
Tradespersons	1,009.8	85.3	52.9	44.2	1,062.7	78.6	129.5	1,192.2
Clerks	265.1	688.4	24.9	384.1	290.0	713.8	1,072.4	1,362.4
Salespersons and personal service workers	360.0	362.8	122.2	525.1	482.1	442.5	887.9	1,370.0
Plant and machine operators, and drivers	473.0	53.6	41.1	23.6	514.1	56.3	77.3	591.3
Labourers and related workers	605.4	181.7	172.3	253.4	777.8	274.4	435.1	1,212.9
Total	4,151.8	2,031.7	520.6	1,513.6	4,672.5	2,193.6	3,545.3	8,217.7

TABLE 48. EMPLOYED PERSONS: OCCUPATION AND STATUS IN EMPLOYMENT, AUGUST 1995
(^{'000})

Occupation major group	Employers		Own account workers		Employees		Total(a)		Persons
	Males	Females	Males	Females	Males	Females	Males	Females	
Managers and administrators	96.0	36.4	148.5	63.4	402.5	102.5	649.2	206.5	855.7
Professionals	50.3	7.5	54.1	33.9	546.4	464.8	651.2	506.7	1,157.9
Para-professionals	* 2.5	* 0.7	15.6	* 2.9	226.8	225.8	245.5	229.8	475.3
Tradespersons	66.7	11.0	192.1	24.7	801.5	91.5	1,062.7	129.5	1,192.2
Clerks	* 0.9	35.9	7.0	53.1	278.3	962.5	290.0	1,072.4	1,362.4
Salespersons and personal service workers	17.1	17.8	41.7	56.0	418.6	807.9	482.1	887.9	1,370.0
Plant and machine operators, and drivers	14.5	* 1.9	66.4	9.7	432.4	65.2	514.1	77.3	591.3
Labourers and related workers	14.0	6.7	55.9	25.1	690.0	393.7	777.8	435.1	1,212.9
Total	262.1	117.9	581.4	268.9	3,796.4	3,113.9	4,672.5	3,545.3	8,217.7
Full-time workers	250.5	69.9	489.6	124.0	3,401.3	1,832.1	4,151.8	2,031.7	6,183.5

(a) Includes contributing family workers

TABLE 49. EMPLOYED PERSONS: OCCUPATION, AGE AND BIRTHPLACE, AUGUST 1995
(^{'000})

Occupation major group	Age group						Total	Born	
	15-19	20-24	25-34	35-44	45-54	55 and over		Born in Australia	Born outside Australia
Managers and administrators	* 2.4	20.3	158.8	249.9	260.5	163.8	855.7	659.6	196.1
Professionals	7.4	96.8	320.3	370.7	262.8	100.0	1,157.9	868.3	289.6
Para-professionals	8.3	47.6	143.8	142.7	103.9	29.0	475.3	370.4	104.9
Tradespersons	91.1	183.4	341.3	287.4	193.5	95.6	1,192.2	892.8	299.5
Clerks	47.9	201.2	368.5	361.8	284.1	99.0	1,362.4	1,080.7	281.7
Salespersons and personal service workers	246.4	256.5	308.4	265.5	213.5	79.6	1,370.0	1,101.8	268.2
Plant and machine operators, and drivers	11.9	57.5	160.6	159.2	134.8	67.3	591.3	435.7	155.6
Labourers and related workers	151.7	176.5	289.4	270.9	216.4	107.9	1,212.9	886.1	326.8
Total	567.1	1,039.8	2,091.0	2,108.0	1,669.6	742.2	8,217.7	6,295.4	1,922.3

TABLE 50. EMPLOYED PERSONS: OCCUPATION AND HOURS WORKED, AUGUST 1995

Occupation major group	Hours worked									Total	Average weekly hours worked (hours)
	0	1-15	16-29	30-34	35-39	40	41-44	45-48	49 and over		
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MALES											
Managers and administrators	20.6	14.3	19.0	17.2	38.6	73.0	27.1	67.5	371.8	649.2	51.0
Professionals	19.7	30.6	40.7	30.0	94.1	105.0	38.8	71.7	220.8	651.2	42.7
Para-professionals	15.5	11.1	20.9	16.7	43.3	50.2	13.5	22.4	51.8	245.5	38.2
Tradespersons	46.5	26.3	56.5	71.9	189.4	237.0	64.5	122.3	248.3	1,062.7	40.9
Clerks	9.9	18.5	16.4	19.4	79.4	56.9	17.5	23.4	48.5	290.0	37.8
Salespersons and personal service workers	16.2	66.7	45.8	24.3	57.3	74.1	25.0	47.5	125.2	482.1	37.5
Plant and machine operators, and drivers	25.0	22.0	36.6	28.5	83.6	85.0	35.1	58.6	139.6	514.1	41.4
Labourers and related workers	32.5	102.5	79.0	57.2	131.9	163.0	42.5	61.2	108.0	777.8	34.6
Total employed	185.7	292.0	314.9	265.3	717.6	844.2	264.0	474.6	1,314.0	4,672.5	40.9
MARRIED FEMALES											
Managers and administrators	8.3	24.7	17.2	8.2	16.5	18.7	6.0	8.5	48.3	156.4	38.2
Professionals	13.6	42.7	55.3	22.8	47.9	36.2	19.7	30.3	50.7	319.0	33.4
Para-professionals	14.0	15.2	39.7	19.7	24.0	21.5	6.8	4.7	7.0	152.6	28.0
Tradespersons	* 2.4	11.8	15.3	8.1	13.8	8.2	* 2.7	4.7	11.6	78.6	32.8
Clerks	32.4	140.1	149.4	61.5	145.9	94.9	29.0	26.7	33.8	713.8	28.0
Salespersons and personal service workers	17.5	89.3	125.4	38.4	56.9	46.5	12.2	17.8	38.5	442.5	28.1
Plant and machine operators, and drivers	* 2.9	5.5	8.0	4.6	14.0	10.9	* 3.3	* 2.6	4.4	56.3	33.0
Labourers and related workers	14.3	69.5	72.9	24.2	38.3	30.1	6.3	7.4	11.3	274.4	25.2
Total employed	105.4	398.8	483.3	187.5	357.2	267.0	85.9	102.9	205.6	2,193.6	29.5
ALL FEMALES											
Managers and administrators	10.2	27.4	21.8	10.8	22.1	22.1	9.7	12.5	70.0	206.5	39.8
Professionals	20.9	60.7	69.7	33.0	82.5	68.9	31.3	53.7	86.0	506.7	34.7
Para-professionals	18.3	20.5	50.0	30.6	39.3	34.6	11.8	9.3	15.5	229.8	29.9
Tradespersons	4.3	15.5	21.1	11.6	24.6	16.7	7.4	8.4	19.8	129.5	34.2
Clerks	45.6	165.8	187.6	92.0	258.2	169.6	50.6	48.1	55.1	1,072.4	30.0
Salespersons and personal service workers	39.1	265.1	205.6	67.8	109.1	85.8	27.9	31.5	56.0	887.9	25.2
Plant and machine operators, and drivers	* 3.5	8.9	10.5	7.3	19.5	13.4	4.8	* 3.4	6.1	77.3	32.7
Labourers and related workers	24.1	126.8	100.4	35.6	62.5	45.6	10.4	12.3	17.3	435.1	24.3
Total employed	165.9	690.7	666.7	288.7	617.7	456.6	153.9	179.3	325.7	3,545.3	29.6
PERSONS											
Managers and administrators	30.7	41.7	40.9	28.0	60.6	95.1	36.8	80.0	441.9	855.7	48.3
Professionals	40.6	91.2	110.4	63.0	176.7	173.8	70.0	125.3	306.8	1,157.9	39.2
Para-professionals	33.7	31.6	70.9	47.3	82.6	84.8	25.3	31.7	67.3	475.3	34.2
Tradespersons	50.8	41.8	77.7	83.6	213.9	253.7	71.9	130.7	268.1	1,192.2	40.2
Clerks	55.5	184.3	204.0	111.4	337.6	226.5	68.1	71.5	103.5	1,362.4	31.7
Salespersons and personal service workers	55.3	331.8	251.4	92.1	166.4	159.9	52.9	79.0	181.2	1,370.0	29.5
Plant and machine operators, and drivers	28.4	30.9	47.0	35.8	103.1	98.4	39.8	62.0	145.7	591.3	40.3
Labourers and related workers	56.6	229.3	179.4	92.8	194.4	208.6	52.9	73.6	125.3	1,212.9	30.9
Total employed	351.6	982.7	981.6	554.0	1,335.3	1,300.8	418.0	654.0	1,639.8	8,217.7	36.0

TABLE 51. EMPLOYED PERSONS: MAJOR AND MINOR OCCUPATION GROUPS, AUGUST 1995
(000)

Occupation major and minor group	Females			Persons
	Males	Married	Total	
MANAGERS AND ADMINISTRATORS	649.2	156.4	206.5	855.7
Legislators and government appointed officials	* 2.5	* 0.2	* 0.2	* 2.7
General managers	39.1	* 3.7	5.0	44.0
Specialist managers	168.5	27.7	43.7	212.2
Farmers and farm managers	158.1	58.5	66.1	224.3
Managing supervisors (sales and service)	174.7	58.3	80.9	255.6
Managing supervisors (other business)	106.3	8.0	10.5	116.9
PROFESSIONALS	651.2	319.0	506.7	1,157.9
Natural scientists	29.4	8.5	11.8	41.3
Building professionals and engineers	111.5	* 2.1	5.1	116.6
Health diagnosis and treatment practitioners	61.8	28.0	45.4	107.2
School-teachers	76.9	136.5	195.2	272.1
Other teachers and instructors	52.4	38.7	61.7	114.0
Social professionals	42.4	12.8	28.1	70.5
Business professionals	202.5	58.3	99.2	301.7
Artists and related professionals	50.6	14.4	28.8	79.5
Miscellaneous professionals	23.5	19.7	31.4	55.0
PARA-PROFESSIONALS	245.5	152.6	229.8	475.3
Medical and science technical officers and technicians	23.1	12.5	19.7	42.8
Engineering and building associates and technicians	70.7	4.2	5.3	76.0
Air and sea transport technical workers	16.8	* 0.5	* 0.9	17.6
Registered nurses	13.2	101.8	147.6	160.8
Police	32.2	* 2.7	5.3	37.5
Miscellaneous para-professionals	89.5	30.9	51.0	140.6
TRADESPERSONS	1,062.7	78.6	129.5	1,192.2
Metal fitting and machining tradespersons	104.2	* 0.3	* 0.9	105.1
Other metal tradespersons	106.5	* 1.5	* 2.0	108.5
Electrical and electronics tradespersons	175.5	* 2.0	* 3.4	178.8
Building tradespersons	265.8	* 1.1	* 2.0	267.7
Printing tradespersons	34.3	5.8	8.5	42.9
Vehicle tradespersons	139.8	* 0.1	* 0.3	140.0
Food tradespersons	84.4	23.8	36.7	121.1
Amenity horticultural tradespersons	54.0	6.4	9.4	63.4
Miscellaneous tradespersons	98.3	37.6	66.3	164.6
CLERKS	290.0	713.8	1,072.4	1,362.4
Stenographers and typists	7.2	154.0	239.7	246.9
Data processing and business machine operators	27.2	54.6	92.0	119.2
Numerical clerks	113.0	292.2	388.5	501.5
Filing, sorting and copying clerks	26.4	29.8	54.4	80.8
Material recording and despatching clerks	51.5	16.0	30.5	82.0
Receptionists, telephonists and messengers	33.0	120.9	198.9	231.9
Miscellaneous clerks	31.7	46.3	68.5	100.1
SALESPERSONS AND PERSONAL SERVICE WORKERS	482.1	442.5	887.9	1,370.0
Investment, insurance and real estate salespersons	63.1	16.9	24.1	87.1
Sales representatives	92.8	21.5	34.5	127.2
Sales assistants	196.4	180.0	375.0	571.4
Tellers, cashiers and ticket salespersons	33.4	60.9	135.4	168.8
Miscellaneous salespersons	70.2	45.2	125.1	195.3
Personal service workers	26.3	118.1	193.8	220.1
PLANT AND MACHINE OPERATORS, AND DRIVERS	514.1	56.3	77.3	591.3
Road and rail transport drivers	262.0	12.0	18.9	280.9
Mobile plant operators (except transport)	103.1	* 0.8	* 1.4	104.6
Stationary plant operators	57.4	* 1.3	* 1.5	58.9
Machine operators	91.5	42.1	55.4	146.9
LABOURERS AND RELATED WORKERS	777.8	274.4	435.1	1,212.9
Trades assistants and factory hands	200.5	61.5	95.2	295.7
Agricultural labourers and related workers	111.2	27.6	42.3	153.5
Cleaners	84.3	98.6	138.6	222.8
Construction and mining labourers	105.2	* 1.5	* 2.5	107.7
Miscellaneous labourers and related workers	276.5	85.3	156.6	433.1
TOTAL	4,672.5	2,193.6	3,545.3	8,217.7

TABLE 52. UNEMPLOYMENT RATES: INDUSTRY AND OCCUPATION OF LAST FULL-TIME JOB, AUGUST 1995
(per cent)

	<i>Males</i>	<i>Females</i>	<i>Persons</i>
<i>Had worked full time for two weeks or more in the last two years</i>	5.0	2.8	4.0
Industry division —			
Agriculture, Forestry and Fishing	4.9	* 1.9	4.0
Mining	* 3.0	* 5.9	* 3.3
Manufacturing	6.4	4.7	6.0
Electricity, Gas and Water Supply	* 4.0	* 1.8	* 3.7
Construction	8.8	* 2.6	8.0
Wholesale Trade	3.0	* 2.0	2.7
Retail Trade	5.3	3.3	4.3
Accommodation, Cafes and Restaurants	6.6	4.9	5.7
Transport and Storage	4.4	* 4.8	4.5
Communication Services	* 3.2	* 3.4	3.3
Finance and Insurance	* 2.7	* 1.2	1.9
Property and Business Services	3.3	2.6	3.0
Government Administration and Defence	4.1	4.3	4.2
Education	2.5	1.6	1.9
Health and Community Services	2.5	1.5	1.7
Cultural and Recreational Services	3.8	* 1.8	2.9
Personal and Other Services	3.2	4.0	3.6
Occupation group —			
Managers and administrators	1.7	* 1.6	1.7
Professionals	1.7	1.2	1.5
Para-professionals	2.7	* 1.4	2.1
Tradespersons	5.3	4.1	5.2
Clerks	3.9	2.7	2.9
Salespersons and personal service workers	4.1	3.4	3.6
Plant and machine operators, and drivers	5.6	6.1	5.6
Labourers and related workers	10.7	4.0	8.4
Total	8.5	7.5	8.1

EXPLANATORY NOTES

Changes in this issue

From the August 1995 issue of this publication, Table 26 has been expanded to include seasonally adjusted and trend estimates of long-term unemployment.

Also from this issue, former Table 29 "Unemployed persons by age and active steps taken to find work" has been removed from this publication. All tables that appear thereafter have been renumbered.

If you have any queries about these changes, contact Darryl Malam on (06) 252 6525.

Introduction

1. This publication contains estimates of the civilian labour force derived from the Labour Force Survey component of the Monthly Population Survey. Estimates of the labour force characteristics of family members and of family composition are also included.

2. Estimates of the civilian labour force are available for over sixty regions across Australia and are shown in various publications produced by State offices of the ABS. These data are also available on microfiche or as a special data service. For details, contact any ABS office.

3. Preliminary survey results are published in advance of this more detailed publication in *The Labour Force, Australia, Preliminary* (6202.0).

4. Although emphasis in the population survey is placed on the regular collection of specific data on demographic and labour force characteristics of the population, supplementary and special surveys of particular aspects of the labour force or of other subjects are carried out from time to time. Statistics from these surveys are available on request. Summary statistics from these surveys are published in *The Labour Force, Australia* (6203.0), from time to time.

The population survey

5. The population survey is based on a multi-stage area sample of private dwellings (currently about 30,000 houses, flats, etc.) and a list sample of non-private dwellings (hotels, motels, etc.), and covers about one-half of one per cent of the population of Australia. The information is obtained from the occupants of selected dwellings by specially trained interviewers. The interviews are generally conducted during the two weeks beginning on the Monday between the 6th and 12th of each month. The information obtained relates to the week before the interview (i.e. the reference week).

Scope

6. The Labour Force Survey includes all persons aged 15 and over except:
- (a) members of the permanent defence forces;
 - (b) certain diplomatic personnel of overseas governments, customarily excluded from census and estimated populations;
 - (c) overseas residents in Australia; and
 - (d) members of non-Australian defence forces (and their dependants) stationed in Australia.

From July 1993 Jervis Bay Territory is also excluded from the scope of the survey. Before July 1993 it was included in estimates for the Australian Capital Territory.

Coverage

7. In the Labour Force Survey, coverage rules are applied which aim to ensure that each person is associated with only one dwelling, and hence has only one chance of selection. The chance of a person being enumerated at two separate dwellings in the one survey is considered to be negligible. See paragraph 43 for information about the effect of the coverage rules on family statistics.

8. Persons who are away from their usual residence for six weeks or less

at the time of interview are enumerated at their usual residence (relevant information may be obtained from other usual residents present at the time of the survey).

Population benchmarks

9. Labour Force Survey estimates of persons employed, unemployed and not in the labour force are calculated in such a way as to add up to the independently estimated distribution of the usually resident population aged 15 and over by age and sex. This procedure compensates for under-enumeration in the survey, and leads to more reliable estimates. Persons who, at the time of interview, are overseas for more than six weeks but for less than twelve months are included in the independent population statistics (benchmarks) and are thus provided for in the calculation of the estimates. The benchmarks are the latest available estimates at the time the Labour Force Survey is conducted, but they usually differ from the official population estimates subsequently published in *Australian Demographic Statistics* (3101.0) because they are derived from incomplete information about population changes.

Revision of population benchmarks

10. Survey estimates are not revised for the usually small amendments of population benchmarks arising from new data on deaths and overseas and internal migration. Revisions are made, however, after each Census of Population and Housing, and when population estimation bases are reviewed. These revisions affect original, seasonally adjusted and trend estimates. The last such revision was made in February 1994 to take account of the results of the 1991 Census of Population and Housing, which affected all the monthly estimates from January 1989 to January 1994.

11. Population benchmarks used in the estimation of Labour Force Survey data are compiled according to place of usual residence. For an explanation of the conceptual basis of population estimates, see *Information Paper: Population Estimates: An Outline of The New Conceptual Basis of ABS Population Estimates* (3216.0). Prior to October 1982, labour force estimates were based on a combination of place of enumeration and place of usual residence.

History of the survey

12. National surveys were conducted in February, May, August and November each year from 1964 to February 1978. The survey has been conducted on a monthly basis since February 1978.

Questionnaire changes

13. The questionnaire used in the survey for the collection of labour force data has been revised from time to time, the latest occasion being for the April 1986 survey. Details of these changes have been published in *Information Paper: Questionnaires Used in the Labour Force Survey* (6232.0) in March 1978, December 1981, August 1984, June 1986, June 1991 and March 1993.

Inclusion of contributing family workers

14. In April 1986, the questionnaire was revised following the extension of the definition of employed persons to include persons who worked without pay between 1 and 14 hours per week in a family business or on a farm (i.e. contributing family workers). This definition aligned the Australian labour force concepts with the set of definitions adopted by the 13th International Conference of Labour Statisticians in October 1982.

15. Previously, contributing family workers who worked 1 to 14 hours, or who had such a job but were not at work, were defined as either unemployed or not in the labour force, depending on whether they were actively looking for work. In order to assist users to assess the impact of the change, estimates for March 1986 based on the new definition were shown in footnotes to Tables 1 and 2 of the February, March and April 1987 issues of this publication.

16. A revised procedure for weighting families estimates, as presented in this publication, was also introduced in April 1986. Additional tables were included in the April 1986 issue of this publication to show the impact of this new procedure. Paragraph 48 contains more details.

Comparability of series

17. As noted in paragraph 10, estimates from January 1989 were revised to con-

form to revised population estimates following the 1991 Census of Population and Housing, and are thus not strictly comparable with estimates for periods prior to January 1989. An examination of the revised estimates showed that the effects on Labour Force Survey estimates for the period before January 1989 were inconsequential, and that no meaningful purpose would be served by publishing revised estimates for that period.

18. Comparability with estimates produced from the quarterly Survey of Employment and Earnings is affected by the use of a different survey methodology and definitions. The Labour Force Survey provides estimates of people in jobs whereas the Survey of Employment and Earnings provides an estimate of the number of jobs held by wage and salary earners. A more detailed description of the differences between these two series is provided in *Information Paper: Comparison of Employment Estimates from the Labour Force Survey and the Survey of Employment and Earnings* (6263.0).

19. From December 1989 onwards, the category "other families" was split into "one-parent families" and "other families". Therefore estimates of other families were not strictly comparable with estimates in previous issues. However, in November 1989, 97 per cent of other families with dependants were one-parent families. In March 1994, a new families classification was introduced which also affected comparability (see paragraphs 45 to 47).

Survey sample redesign

20. Following each Population Census, the ABS redesigns and reselects the Labour Force Survey to take into account the new information which is obtained from the Census. The sample used in the Labour Force Survey from September 1987 to August 1992, which was designed and selected using preliminary data from the 1986 Census, was updated and reselected using information collected in the 1991 Census. The new sample was phased in over the period September 1992 to December 1992. For additional information, see *Information Paper: Labour Force Survey Sample Design* (6269.0), available from any ABS office.

21. The sampling fractions for each State/Territory differ and are such that the resultant sample yields reliable estimates of the main labour force aggregates for each State and Territory. The sampling fractions for the new sample together with the sampling fractions determined from the 1986 Census are:

	1986 Census redesign	1991 Census redesign
New South Wales	1 in 230	1 in 277
Victoria	1 in 230	1 in 242
Queensland	1 in 160	1 in 195
South Australia	1 in 115	1 in 139
Western Australia	1 in 115	1 in 146
Tasmania	1 in 70	1 in 75
Northern Territory	1 in 115	1 in 75
Australian Capital Territory	1 in 115	1 in 75

Reliability of the estimates

22. Estimates in this publication are subject to two sources of error:

- (a) sampling error: since the estimates are based on information obtained from occupants of a sample of dwellings they, and the movements derived from them, may differ from the figures that would have been produced if all dwellings had been included in the survey. More information on this topic is given in the Technical Notes; and
- (b) non-sampling error: inaccuracies may occur because of imperfections in reporting by respondents and interviewers and errors made in coding and processing data. These inaccuracies may occur in any enumeration, whether it be a full count or a sample. Every effort is made to

reduce the non-sampling error to a minimum by careful design of questionnaires, intensive training and supervision of interviewers and efficient operating procedures.

Differences between Census and Labour Force Survey estimates

23. The results of the 1991 Census of Population and Housing show that labour force estimates derived from the census differ from those derived from the Labour Force Survey.
24. The broad concepts underlying the measures of the labour force and its components, employment and unemployment, are similar in the census and the survey. It should be noted, however, that census estimates of unemployment do not take into account the 'available for work' criterion.
25. There are considerable differences in both the collection methodology adopted (including the detailed questions asked) and estimation procedures. Factors contributing to differences in estimates include under-enumeration in the population census for which census labour force estimates have not been adjusted, the use in the Labour Force Survey of population benchmarks derived from incomplete information about population change (see paragraph 9), the inclusion of permanent defence forces in census estimates, the personal interview approach adopted in the survey as opposed to self-enumeration of census schedules, differing questions used to determine labour force characteristics (particularly the identification of unemployed persons) and differing methods of adjustment for non-response to the survey or census.
26. The Labour Force Survey provides detailed and up-to-date estimates of employment and unemployment for Australia, States and regions, whereas the Census of Population and Housing provides counts for small areas but in less detail than is available from the survey.
27. These considerations should be borne in mind when comparisons are made between population census and Labour Force Survey estimates.

Seasonal adjustment

28. Seasonally adjusted series are published in Tables 2, 8 and 39. Seasonal adjustment is a means of removing the estimated effects of normal seasonal variation from the series so that the effects of other influences on the series can be recognised more clearly. Seasonal adjustment does not remove the irregular or non-seasonal influences which may be present in any particular month. This means that month-to-month movements of the seasonally adjusted estimates may not be reliable indicators of trend behaviour. For example, irregular factors unrelated to the trend account for more than half the seasonally adjusted movement in series at the Australia level, with the following frequency:

Employment:	5 in 10 monthly movements
Unemployment:	7 in 10 monthly movements
Unemployment rate:	7 in 10 monthly movements
Participation rate:	9 in 10 monthly movements

29. The seasonal factors for all seasonally adjusted series are reviewed annually to take account of each additional year's original data. The latest review, in February 1995, revised the Australian and State seasonally adjusted and trend monthly series back to February 1978. Information about the method of adjustment and revised seasonally adjusted and trend estimates for all months since January 1990 for Australia and the States were published in an Appendix to the February 1995 issue of this publication.

Trend estimation

30. Smoothing seasonally adjusted series produces a measure of trend by reducing the impact of the irregular component of the series. The monthly trend estimates are derived by applying a 13-term Henderson-weighted moving average to all months except the last six. The last six monthly trend estimates are obtained by applying surrogates of the Henderson average to the seasonally

adjusted series. Quarterly trend estimates (eg employment by industry) are derived by applying a 7-term Henderson moving average to the seasonally adjusted series. The 7-term Henderson average also uses surrogate forms of the average as the end of a time series is approached. Unlike the surrogate weights of the 13-term Henderson used on monthly data, the weights employed here are tailored to suit the particular characteristics of individual series. These trend series are used to analyse the underlying behaviour of the series over time. Trend series graphs are shown on pages 6 to 9, with the trend series published in Tables 3, 9 and 40. Data from January 1980 are available on the ABS on-line data dissemination service, PC-AUSSTATS. The trend series of the participation rate for married females are based on smoothed population estimates.

31. While this smoothing technique enables estimates to be produced which include the latest month, it does result in revisions to the most recent months as additional observations become available. Generally, subsequent revisions become smaller, and after three months or two quarters have a negligible impact on the series. There will also be revisions as a result of the annual review of seasonal factors mentioned above in paragraph 29.

32. Trend estimates for the Australian Capital Territory and the Northern Territory are published in Table 9. Original estimates for the two Territories have shown, historically, a high degree of variability, which can lead to considerable revisions to the seasonally adjusted estimates after each annual seasonal factor re-analysis. Seasonally adjusted estimates are not currently published for the two Territories. The most recent six months trend estimates are subject to revision. For the three most recent months, the revision may be relatively large. Inferences about trends drawn from smoothed seasonally adjusted (trend) estimates for months earlier than the latest three months are unlikely to be affected by month-to-month revisions. They may, however, be revised as a result of the annual re-analysis of seasonal factors.

33. Users may wish to refer to the ABS publication *A Guide to Interpreting Time Series - Monitoring "Trends", an Overview* (1348.0) for further information about trend estimates. Details of the trend weighting patterns are available on request from the Assistant Director, Time Series Analysis on (06) 252 6345.

Month-to-month movements

34. Care should be taken in the interpretation of month-to-month movements in these estimates. Survey estimates are subject to sampling and non-sampling variability as explained in paragraph 22.

Gross flows

35. In order to minimise respondent load and at the same time maintain continuity within the population survey sample, one-eighth of the dwellings are replaced after each survey. Adoption of this rotation procedure, whereby about seven-eighths of the sample remains unchanged from one month to the next, enables more reliable measurements of changes in the labour force characteristics of the population to be made than would be possible if a new sample were introduced each month.

36. Because a high proportion of private dwellings selected in one survey remains in the sample for the following survey, it is possible to match the characteristics of most of the persons in those dwellings from one month to the next, to record any changes that occur, and hence to produce estimates of flows between the different categories of the population and labour force.

37. The procedures used to select persons in non-private dwellings preclude the possibility of matching any of them who may be included in successive surveys. For this and other reasons, including the mobility of the population and non-response in either or both surveys, about 10 per cent of persons in those dwellings which are included in the sample in successive months cannot be matched. Those who can be matched represent about 80 per cent of all persons in the survey.

38. Changes in the characteristics of this latter group are shown in the gross flows table (Table 33). About one half of the remaining (unmatched) 20 per cent of persons in the survey are likely to have characteristics similar to those in the matched group, but the characteristics of the other half are likely to be somewhat different.

39. Gross flow estimates relate only to those persons in private dwellings for whom information was obtained in successive surveys. The expansion factors used in calculating the estimates were those applying to the second of each pair of months. Note that the estimates have not been adjusted to account for the unmatched sample component.

40. Although it is not possible to provide gross flow estimates for all persons in the survey it is considered that the estimates derived from matched records will be a useful guide to the proportions of the movements between categories which underlie the changes in monthly levels. When comparing flows for different periods it is important to take into account the population represented by the matched sample, as shown in the last line of the table.

41. While every effort is made to reduce non-sampling errors to a minimum any such errors affecting labour force status will tend to accumulate in the gross flow statistics rather than to cancel out. The estimates are also subject to sampling variability, as explained in the Technical Notes. For these reasons the estimates of flows should be used with caution. The standard errors may be obtained from Table A of the Technical Notes.

Labour force status and other characteristics of families

42. As a part of survey procedures, family relationships are determined each month, enabling both the estimation of persons cross-classified by their relationship in the household and the estimation of families. This publication contains tables showing the labour force status and family status of individuals and families classified by family type, number of family members, the labour force status of persons within families, the number of children under 15 present and the number of dependants present.

43. Because of the coverage rules, persons who usually live with other members of their family may, at the time of the survey, be enumerated as not living with all the usual members of their family. This situation is more likely for persons who are enumerated as visitors to other private dwellings or as persons staying in non-private dwellings (hotels, hospitals, etc.). The determination of family structure and family characteristics in such cases is difficult. Thus for survey questions used to determine family relationships, scope was further restricted to usual residents of private dwellings and the following persons were excluded:

- (a) all persons enumerated in non-private dwellings (including hotels, motels, hospitals and other institutions); and
- (b) persons enumerated as visitors to (rather than usual residents of) private dwellings.

44. In addition, in those households where it was not possible to obtain information relating to all the usual residents, no family information was recorded. Thus persons living in households which include a member of the permanent defence forces, who is outside the scope of the population survey, are excluded from survey questions used to determine family relationships because family information could not be obtained from each usual resident. Similarly households which, at the time of the survey, have one or more of their usual residents away for more than six weeks, are excluded from the family survey. This also applies to households from which an incomplete or inadequate questionnaire was obtained for any usual resident in on scope and coverage. A summary of those persons for whom family information is obtained as well as those usual residents of private dwellings for whom complete family information cannot be obtained, and those persons specifically excluded from the family

Changes in families classifications

determination procedures is contained in the family tables. Generally, relationship in household is determined for more than 90 per cent of all civilians aged 15 and over.

45. *Relationship in household* and *Family type* classifications were introduced in the March 1994 issue of this publication to align with ABS standards. Most categories in the two classifications remain comparable with categories in the previous classifications. The cases in which there are breaks in comparability are discussed in the following paragraphs.

46. *Relationship in household*. This classification was previously referred to as *Family status*.

- (a) *Lone parents* (previously referred to as *Sole parents*) now includes parents with non-dependent children (provided those children are without a spouse or children of their own). These *Lone parents without dependants* are shown separately in Table 35 and there were 205,800 such persons in March 1994.
- (b) *Dependent students* (previously *Full-time students aged 15-24*) now comprise sons or daughters (of a couple or a lone parent) aged 15 to 19 attending school or aged 15 to 24 attending a tertiary educational institution full time. Other related full-time students, who were also previously classified as *Full-time students aged 15-24* are now included in *Other family persons*. There were 24,200 such persons in March 1994.
- (c) *Other family persons* now comprises the previous groups *Other family head*, excluding those now counted as *Lone parents* (79,200 persons in March 1994), the other related full-time students previously classified as *Full-time students aged 15-24* (see above; 24,200 in March 1994) and *Other relative of married couple or family head* (218,100 in March 1994).

47. *Family type*. This classification was previously referred to as *Type of family*. There are three types of families in the new classification, as follows:

- (a) *Couple families* is the term used to describe families previously referred to as *Married-couple families*. Apart from the name change, the new category is otherwise exactly comparable with the old category.
- (b) *One parent families* now includes those families in which there is a lone parent with only non-dependent children present. Such families were previously included in *Other families*. There were 208,400 of these families in March 1994.
- (c) *Other families* now excludes those families in which there is a lone parent with only non-dependent children present (see above).

48. Estimates of the number of families in this publication differ from those in publications prior to the April 1986 issue. This is due to the adoption of a weighting procedure where the weight for a family is determined using an average of the weights for all family members responding to the Labour Force Survey. Previously, the weight used to derive estimates of the number of families was determined by nomination of a proxy 'head of household' as representative of the family.

Birthplace

49. From April 1991, labour force birthplace data are aggregated according to major groups of the *Australian Standard Classification of Countries for Social Statistics (ASCCSS)* (1269.0). The ASCCSS was developed by the ABS for use whenever demographic, labour and social statistics are classified by countries.

50. The ASCCSS major groups are based on the concept of geographic proximity. They differ from the country groups presented in this publication prior to April 1991. For example, African countries are now covered by 'The

Middle East and North Africa' and 'Africa (excluding North Africa)', while Asia has been split into 'Southeast Asia', 'Northeast Asia' and 'Southern Asia'. Data for selected individual countries will continue to be available in this publication and comprehensively on microfiche.

Industry

51. From August 1994, Labour Force Survey industry data are classified according to the Australian and New Zealand Standard Industrial Classification (ANZSIC), a detailed description of which appears in *ANZSIC 1993* (1292.0). Like the previous Australian Standard Industrial Classification (ASIC), ANZSIC classifies businesses according to their economic activities, in a structure consisting of four levels (Division, Sub-division, Group and Class). Labour Force Survey data are coded at the Group level, as was the practice under ASIC. To assist users in making comparisons with previously published data, a concordance has been developed which shows for each ASIC Group, the corresponding ANZSIC Group or Groups. The concordance also shows the estimated employment attributable to each ANZSIC Group, compared with ASIC Group data, according to establishment unit employment data on the ABS Business Register at May 1994. Historical estimates of employment by ANZSIC Group have been compiled on the basis of the concordance. For further information about the application of ANZSIC to Labour Force Survey data, see *Information Paper Labour Force Survey: Introduction of ANZSIC for industry data (Replacement publication)* (6259.0) or contact Darryl Malam on (06) 252 6525.

Additional data

52. Estimates for employed persons classified by industry, occupation and status in employment are available each February, May, August and November. For these months, the following tables are also published in this publication:

- (a) Employed persons:
 - Industry (original, seasonally adjusted and trend)
 - Industry and occupation:
 - Full-time and part-time workers
 - Status in employment
 - Age and birthplace
 - Hours worked
 - Industry divisions and subdivisions
 - Occupation major and minor groups
 - Industry by occupation.
- (b) Unemployed persons:
 - Industry and occupation of last full-time job:
 - Unemployment rate.

Seasonally adjusted estimates of employed persons by industry have been published in this bulletin since February 1993. Trend estimates have been published since August 1994.

Related publications

53. Users may also wish to refer to the following publications which relate to the labour force and are available on request:

The Labour Force, Australia, Preliminary (6202.0)—issued monthly

The Labour Force, Australia: Historical Summary, 1978 to 1989 (6204.0)

Labour Force Projections, Australia: 1995 to 2011 (6260.0)

The Labour Force, New South Wales (6201.1)—issued quarterly

The Labour Force, Victoria (6202.2)—issued quarterly

The Labour Force, Queensland (6201.3)—issued quarterly

South Australian Economic Indicators (1307.4)—issued monthly

Tasmanian Statistical Indicators (1303.6)—issued monthly

Employed Wage and Salary Earners, Australia (6248.0)—issued quarterly

Labour Statistics, Australia (6101.0)—issued annually

Australia's Long-term Unemployed—A Statistical Profile (6255.0)

Australian Labour Market (6284.0)—issued annually

Information Papers and Guides:

Questionnaires Used in the Labour Force Survey (6232.0)

Regional Labour Force Statistics (6262.0)

Comparison of Employment Estimates From the Labour Force Survey and the Survey of Employment and Earnings (6263.0)

Labour Force Survey Sample Design (6269.0)

Labour Force Survey — Measuring Teenage Unemployment (6270.0)

Revised Labour Force Survey Estimates: January 1984 to January 1989 (6276.0)

Measuring Employment and Unemployment (6279.0)

A Guide to Labour Statistics (6102.0)

A Guide to Interpreting Time Series — Monitoring "Trends" An Overview (1348.0)

Labour Force Survey: Introduction of ANZSIC for industry data (Replacement publication) (6259.0)

Directory of Labour Market and Social Survey Data (Choosing data from the ABS Household Survey Program) (1135.0).

Australia's Long-term Unemployed—A Statistical Profile (6255.0)

54. 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.

Unpublished statistics

55. The ABS can also make available information which is not published. This information is available on a number of media such as floppy disk, microfiche and customised reports. In general, a charge is made for providing unpublished information. Inquiries should be made to Darryl Malam on Canberra (06) 252 6525 or any ABS office.

Rounding

56. Estimates have been rounded and discrepancies may occur between sums of the component items and totals.

Symbols and other usages

- * subject to sampling variability too high for most practical uses. See paragraph 7 of the Technical Notes.
- n.a. not available
- .. not applicable
- n.e.c. not elsewhere classified
- r revised

TECHNICAL NOTES

A new sample for the LFS was phased in over the period September to December 1992. For information about the sample design see *Information Paper: Labour Force Survey Sample Design* (6269.0).

Estimation procedure

2. The labour force estimates are derived from the population survey by use of a complex ratio estimation procedure, which ensures that the survey estimates conform to an independently estimated distribution of the population by age and sex, rather than to the age and sex distribution within the sample itself.

Reliability of the estimates

3. Two types of error are possible in an estimate based on a sample survey: sampling error and non-sampling error. The *sampling error* is a measure of the variability that occurs by chance because a sample, rather than the entire population, is surveyed. Since the estimates in this publication are based on information obtained from occupants of a sample of dwellings they, and the movements derived from them, are subject to sampling variability; that is, they may differ from the estimates that would have been produced if all dwellings had been included in the surveys. One measure of the likely difference is given by the *standard error*, which indicates the extent to which an estimate might have varied by chance because only a sample of dwellings was included. There are about two chances in three that a sample estimate will differ by less than one standard error from the estimate that would have been obtained if all dwellings had been included, and about nineteen chances in twenty that the difference will be less than two standard errors. Another measure of sampling variability is the *relative standard error* which is obtained by expressing the standard error as a percentage of the estimate to which it refers. The relative standard error is a useful measure in that it provides an immediate indication of the percentage errors likely to have occurred due to sampling, and thus avoids the need to refer also to the size of the estimate.

4. The imprecision due to sampling variability, which is measured by the standard error, should not be confused with inaccuracies that may occur because of imperfections in reporting by respondents, errors made in collection such as in recording and coding data, and errors made in processing the data. Inaccuracies of this kind are referred to as the *non-sampling error* and they may occur in any enumeration, whether it be a full count or a sample. It is not possible to quantify non-sampling error, but every effort is made to reduce it to a minimum by careful design of questionnaires, intensive training and supervision of interviewers and efficient operating procedures. For the examples in paragraphs 9 and 11, it is assumed to be zero. In practice, the potential for non-sampling error adds to the uncertainty of the estimates caused by sampling variability.

5. Space does not allow for the separate indication of the standard errors of all estimates in this publication. Standard errors of estimates for the latest month and of estimates of movements since the previous month are shown in Table 1. Standard errors of other estimates and other monthly movements should be determined by using Tables A and B.

6. The size of the standard error increases with the level of the estimate, so that the larger the estimate the larger is the standard error. However, it should be noted that the larger the sample estimate the smaller will be the standard error in percentage terms. Thus, larger sample estimates will be relatively more reliable than smaller estimates.

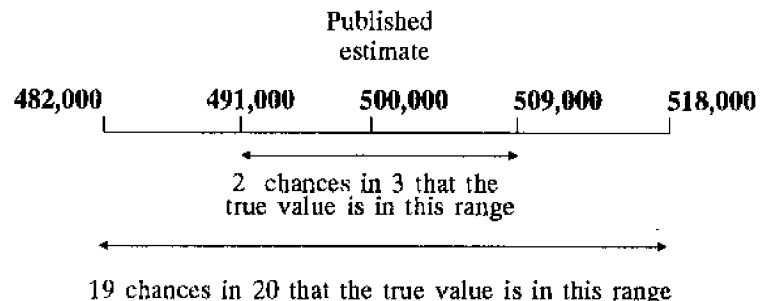
7. As the standard errors in Table A show, *the smaller the estimate the higher is the relative standard error*. Very small estimates are subject to such high standard errors (relative to the size of the estimate) as to detract seriously from their value for most reasonable uses. In the tables in this publication, only estimates with relative standard errors of 25 per cent or less, and percentages

based on such estimates, are considered sufficiently reliable for most purposes. However, estimates and percentages with larger relative standard errors have been included and are preceded by an asterisk (e.g. *3.4) to indicate they are subject to high standard errors and should be used with caution.

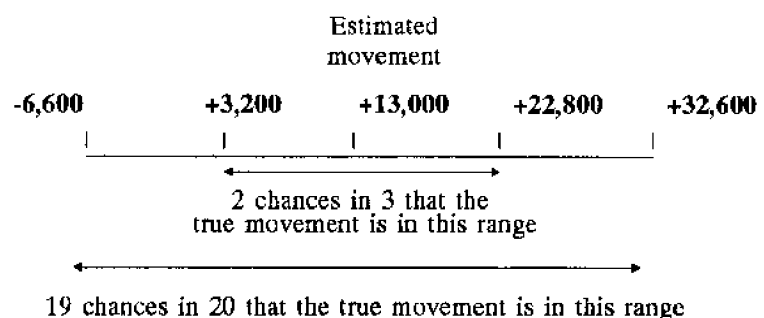
8. The movement in the level of an estimate is also subject to sampling variability. The standard error of the movement depends on the levels of the estimates from which the movement is obtained rather than the size of the movement. An indication of the magnitude of standard errors of monthly movements is given in Table B. The estimates of standard error of monthly movements apply only to estimates of movements between two consecutive months. Movements between corresponding months of consecutive quarters (quarterly movements), corresponding months of consecutive years (annual movements) and other non-consecutive months, will generally be subject to somewhat greater sampling variability than is indicated in Table B. Standard errors of *quarterly* movements can be obtained by multiplying the figures in Table A by 1.11. Standard errors of all *annual* movements can be obtained by multiplying the figures in Table A by 1.3. When using Table A or Table B to calculate standard errors of movements, refer to the larger of the two estimates from which the movement is derived.

9. Examples of the calculation and use of standard errors are given below:

- (a) Consider an estimate for Australia of 500,000 employed persons aged 15-19. By referring to Table A, in the row for an estimate of 500,000 and the column for Australia, a standard error of 9,000 is obtained. There are about two chances in three that the true value (the number that would have been obtained if the whole population had been included in the survey) is within the range 491,000 to 509,000. There are about nineteen chances in twenty that the true value is in the range 482,000 to 518,000.



- (b) Consider estimates for females employed part time in Australia of 1,387,000 in one month and 1,400,000 in the next month. This represents an upward movement of 13,000. By referring to Table B for the larger estimate of 1,400,000, a movement standard error of 9,800 is obtained (after applying linear interpolation and rounding). Therefore, there are about two chances in three that the true movement is in the range +3,200 to +22,800 and about nineteen chances in twenty that the true movement is in the range -6,600 to +32,600.



10. The relative standard errors of estimates of *aggregate hours worked*, *average hours worked*, *average duration of unemployment*, and *median duration of unemployment* are obtained by first finding the relative standard error of the estimate of the total number of persons contributing to the estimate (see Table A) and then multiplying the figure so obtained by the following relevant factors:

Aggregate hours worked: 1.2
 Average hours worked: 0.7
 Average duration of unemployment: 1.3
 Median duration of unemployment: 2.0
 Average family size: 0.3

The levels at which these and other labour force estimates have a relative standard error of 25 per cent are shown in Table C.

11. The following is an example of the calculation of standard errors where the use of a factor is required:

- (a) Consider a median duration of unemployment for Australia of 30 weeks, with an estimate of 1,000,000 persons unemployed. Table A gives the standard error as 11,800 which is 1.2 per cent as a *relative standard error*. The factor of 2.0 (see paragraph 10) is applied to the relative standard error of 1.2 per cent to obtain 2.4 per cent. Therefore the *standard error* for the median duration of unemployment is 2.4 per cent of 30 weeks, i.e. about 1 week. So there are two chances in three that the median duration of unemployment is between 29 and 31 weeks, and about nineteen chances in twenty that it is between 28 and 32 weeks.

12. Proportions and percentages (for example, unemployment rates) formed from the ratio of two estimates are also subject to sampling error. The size of the error depends on the accuracy of both the numerator and denominator. The formula for the relative standard error (RSE) of a proportion or percentage is given below:

$$\text{RSE } (x/y) = \sqrt{[\text{RSE } (x)]^2 + [\text{RSE } (y)]^2}$$

13. Standard errors contained in Tables A and B are designed to provide an average standard error applicable for all monthly labour force survey estimates. Analysis of the standard errors applicable to particular survey estimates has shown that the standard errors of estimates of employment are generally equivalent to those shown in Tables A and B, while standard errors for estimates of unemployment and persons not in the labour force are approximately 3 per cent and 11 per cent respectively higher than those shown in the tables. Standard errors for capital cities are approximately the same as those for corresponding States. Standard errors of estimates of numbers of families are approximately the same as those for numbers of persons. Standard errors of estimates of persons born in Australia are approximately the same as those shown in Tables A and B. For aggregate estimates of persons born outside Australia the standard errors are about 14 per cent higher. The standard errors vary for individual countries of birth, but are on average about 7 per cent higher.

TABLE A. STANDARD ERRORS OF ESTIMATES FROM SEPTEMBER 1992(a)

Size of estimate	NSW	Vic.	Qld	SA	WA	Tas.	NT	ACT	Australia	
	— number —								per cent of estimate	
100						90	100	80		
200			210	180	200	130	140	120	190	95.0
300	320	290	260	220	250	160	170	140	240	80.0
500	420	380	340	290	310	210	210	180	320	64.0
700	500	450	400	340	370	240	250	210	390	55.7
1,000	590	540	480	400	440	290	290	240	480	48.0
1,500	720	670	590	490	530	350	350	290	590	39.3
2,000	830	770	680	560	610	400	400	330	690	34.5
2,500	930	860	750	620	670	440	440	360	780	31.2
3,000	1,000	940	820	670	730	470	480	390	860	28.7
4,000	1,150	1,100	940	770	830	530	540	440	990	24.8
5,000	1,300	1,200	1,050	850	920	580	600	490	1,100	22.0
7,000	1,500	1,400	1,200	980	1,050	660	700	560	1,300	18.6
10,000	1,750	1,650	1,400	1,150	1,250	750	830	640	1,600	16.0
15,000	2,100	2,000	1,700	1,350	1,500	870	1,000	760	1,900	12.7
20,000	2,400	2,250	1,950	1,550	1,650	960	1,150	840	2,200	11.0
30,000	2,850	2,700	2,300	1,800	1,950	1,100	1,400	990	2,650	8.8
50,000	3,550	3,300	2,850	2,250	2,450	1,250	1,750	1,200	3,400	6.8
70,000	4,100	3,800	3,250	2,550	2,800	1,400	2,050	1,350	3,950	5.6
100,000	4,750	4,400	3,750	2,900	3,200	1,550	2,450	1,550	4,600	4.6
150,000	5,600	5,200	4,400	3,400	3,750	1,700	2,950	1,750	5,500	3.7
200,000	6,200	5,800	4,950	3,750	4,150	1,800	3,400	1,950	6,200	3.1
300,000	7,300	6,700	5,800	4,350	4,850	1,950		2,250	7,300	2.4
500,000	8,800	8,100	7,000	5,200	5,800	2,200			9,000	1.8
1,000,000	11,300	10,400	8,900	6,600	7,400				11,800	1.2
2,000,000	14,300	13,100	11,300	8,200	9,400				15,200	0.8
5,000,000	19,300	17,600	15,300						21,000	0.4
10,000,000									26,500	0.3

TABLE B. STANDARD ERRORS OF ESTIMATES OF MONTHLY MOVEMENTS FOR DECEMBER 1992 — JANUARY 1993 ONWARDS(a)

Size of larger estimate	NSW	Vic.	Qld	SA	WA	Tas.	NT	ACT	Australia
100						110	80	90	
200			330	210	260	140	100	120	360
300	440	380	380	240	300	160	120	140	420
500	540	460	460	290	360	190	150	170	510
700	610	510	510	330	400	220	180	190	580
1,000	690	590	580	380	460	250	210	220	660
1,500	800	680	660	430	530	280	250	250	770
2,000	890	760	730	480	590	320	280	280	860
2,500	960	820	790	520	630	340	310	300	940
3,000	1,050	880	840	560	680	370	330	320	1,000
4,000	1,150	980	930	620	750	410	380	360	1,100
5,000	1,250	1,050	1,000	670	810	440	410	390	1,200
7,000	1,400	1,200	1,150	760	920	500	480	440	1,400
10,000	1,600	1,350	1,250	860	1,050	570	560	500	1,550
15,000	1,850	1,600	1,450	1,000	1,200	660	670	580	1,850
20,000	2,050	1,750	1,600	1,100	1,350	730	750	640	2,050
30,000	2,400	2,050	1,850	1,300	1,550	850	900	750	2,350
50,000	2,900	2,450	2,200	1,550	1,850	1,000	1,100	900	2,850
70,000	3,250	2,800	2,500	1,750	2,100	1,150	1,300	1,000	3,250
100,000	3,700	3,200	2,800	2,000	2,350	1,300	1,500	1,150	3,700
150,000	4,300	3,700	3,200	2,300	2,750	1,500	1,800	1,350	4,350
200,000	4,750	4,100	3,550	2,550	3,000	1,700	2,050	1,500	4,850
300,000	5,500	4,800	4,100	2,950	3,500	1,950		1,750	5,600
500,000	6,700	5,800	4,850	3,550	4,200	2,350			6,800
1,000,000	8,600	7,400	6,200	4,550	5,400				8,800
2,000,000	11,100	9,600	7,800	5,800	6,900				11,400
5,000,000	15,500	13,400	10,700						16,100
10,000,000									20,900

(a) For standard errors for earlier periods, see previous issues of this publication.

**TABLE C. LEVELS AT WHICH LABOUR FORCE ESTIMATES HAVE A RELATIVE STANDARD ERROR OF 25 PER CENT^(a)
FROM SEPTEMBER 1992^(b)**

	<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>Aust</i>
Estimates classified by---									
Aggregate hours worked	7,400	6,500	5,000	3,400	4,000	1,800	1,800	1,300	5,700
Average hours worked	2,700	2,300	1,800	1,300	1,500	700	700	500	1,900
Average duration of unemployment	8,600	7,500	5,800	4,000	4,600	2,100	2,100	1,500	6,800
Median duration of unemployment	18,800	16,500	12,600	8,600	9,900	4,400	4,700	3,200	15,800
All other estimates	5,300	4,600	3,500	2,400	2,900	1,300	1,300	1,000	4,000

(a) See Technical Notes, Paragraph 10. (b) For standard errors for earlier periods, see previous issues of this publication.

GLOSSARY

Actively looking for work	Includes writing, telephoning or applying in person to an employer for work; answering a newspaper advertisement for a job; checking factory or Commonwealth Employment Service noticeboards; being registered with the Commonwealth Employment Service; checking or registering with any other employment agency; advertising or tendering for work; and contacting friends or relatives.
Aggregate hours worked	The total number of hours a group of employed persons has actually worked during the reference week, not necessarily hours paid for.
Attending school	Persons aged 15 to 19 who, during the reference week, were enrolled full time at secondary or high schools.
Attending tertiary educational institution full time	Persons aged 15 to 24 who, during the reference week, were enrolled full time at a TAFE college, university, or other tertiary educational institution.
Average duration of unemployment	For a group of unemployed persons, the aggregate duration of unemployment divided by the number of persons in the group.
Average family size	For any group of families, the total number of family members divided by the number of families in the group.
Average hours worked	Aggregate hours worked by a group divided by the number of persons in that group.
Birthplace	From April 1991, classified according to the <i>Australian Standard Classification of Countries for Social Statistics (ASCCSS)</i> (1269.0).
Contributing family worker	A person who works without pay, in an economic enterprise operated by a related person living in the same household. (This category was formerly entitled "unpaid family helper").
Couple families	Families in which there are two married persons and these persons are husband and wife.
Dependants	All family members under 15 years of age; all sons or daughters aged 15 to 19 attending school or aged 15 to 24 attending a tertiary educational institution full time (except those classified as husbands, wives or lone parents).
Dependent student	In couple or one parent families, sons or daughters aged 15 to 19 attending school or aged 15 to 24 attending a tertiary educational institution full time (except those classified as husbands, wives or lone parents).
Duration of unemployment	The period from the time a person began looking for work or was stood down, to the end of the reference week. Thus the survey measures current (and continuing) periods of unemployment rather than completed spells. For persons who may have begun looking for work while still employed, the duration of unemployment is defined as the period from the time the person last worked full time for two weeks or more to the end of the reference week.
Employed	Persons aged 15 and over who, during the reference week: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (a) worked for one hour or more for pay, profit, commission or payment in kind in a job or business, or on a farm (comprising employees, employers and own account workers); or (b) worked for one hour or more without pay in a family business or on a farm (i.e. contributing family workers); or (c) were employees who had a job but were not at work and were: on paid leave; on leave without pay for less than four weeks up to the end of the reference week; stood down without pay because of bad weather or plant breakdown at their place of employment for less than four weeks up to the end of the reference week; on strike or locked out; on workers' compensation and expected to be returning to their job; or receiving wages or salary while undertaking full-time study; or

- (d) were employers, own account workers or contributing family workers who had a job, business or farm, but were not at work.

Employee	A person who works for a public or private employer and receives remuneration in wages, salary, commission, tips, piece-rates or pay in kind, or in their own business, either with or without employees, if that business was incorporated. (This category was formerly entitled "wage and salary earner").
Employer	A person who operates his or her own economic enterprise or engages independently in a profession or trade, and hires one or more employees, and the business was not incorporated.
Employment/population ratio	For any group, the number of employed persons expressed as a percentage of the civilian population aged 15 and over in the same group.
Family	Two or more related persons (<i>relationship</i> includes relationships by blood, marriage or adoption) usually resident in the same household at the time of the survey. A family comprises a married couple or a family head as defined, together with any persons having any of the following relationships to them: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (a) sons or daughters of any age, if not married and with no children of their own present; (b) other relatives if not accompanied by a spouse, sons or daughters, or parents of their own; or (c) any children under 15 years of age who do not have a parent present.
Family head	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> (a) Any person without a spouse present, but with a son or daughter aged under 15 present; or (b) persons without a spouse present, without a son or daughter aged under 15 present, but with a son or daughter aged 15 or over present (provided that the son or daughter has no spouse, son or daughter of his/her own present); or (c) where a family has no person falling into either of these categories, the family head is generally defined to be the eldest person in the family. <p>No family head is determined for a couple family.</p>
Former workers	Unemployed persons who have previously worked full time for two weeks or more but not in the past two years.
Full-time workers	Employed persons who usually worked 35 hours or more a week (in all jobs) and others who, although usually working less than 35 hours a week, worked 35 hours or more during the reference week.
Household	A group of one or more persons in a private dwelling who consider themselves to be separate from other persons (if any) in the dwelling, and who make regular provision to take meals separately from other persons, i.e. at different times or in different rooms. Lodgers who receive accommodation but not meals are treated as separate households. Boarders who receive both accommodation and meals are not treated as separate households. A household may consist of any number of families and non-family members.
Industry	From August 1994, classified according to the <i>Australian and New Zealand Standard Industrial Classification (ANZSIC) 1993</i> (1292.0).
Job leavers	Unemployed persons who have worked full time for two weeks or more in the past two years and <i>left that job voluntarily</i> , that is, because of unsatisfactory work arrangements/pay/hours; the job was seasonal, temporary or a holiday job and they left that job to return to studies; their last job was running their own business and they closed down or sold that business for reasons other than financial difficulties; or any other reasons.
Job losers	Unemployed persons who have worked full time for two weeks or more in the past two years and <i>left that job involuntarily</i> , that is: were laid off or retrenched

from that job; left that job because of their own ill-health or injury; the job was seasonal, temporary or a holiday job and they did not leave that job to return to studies; or their last job was running their own business and the business closed down because of financial difficulties.

Labour force	For any group, persons who were employed or unemployed, as defined.
Labour force status	A classification of the civilian population aged 15 and over into employed, unemployed or not in the labour force, as defined. The definitions conform closely to the international standard definitions adopted by the International Conferences of Labour Statisticians.
Lone parent	The head of a one parent family.
Lone person	A person who is the sole member of a household.
Long-term unemployed	Persons unemployed for a period of 52 weeks or more.
Main English Speaking Countries	The United Kingdom, Ireland, South Africa, Canada, the United States of America and New Zealand.
Marital status	Persons are classified as married (husband and wife) if they are reported as being married (including de facto) and their spouse was a usual resident of the household at the time of the survey. The not-married category comprises persons who have never married, or are separated, widowed or divorced, as well as those who, although reported as being married, did not have a spouse who usually lived in the household.
Median duration of unemployment	The duration which divides unemployed persons into two equal groups, one comprising persons whose duration of unemployment is above the median and the other, persons whose duration is below it.
Non-dependent child	In couple or one parent families, sons or daughters aged 15 and over not attending school or a tertiary educational institution full time (except those classified as husbands, wives or lone parents).
Non-family member	A person who is not related to any other member of the household in which they are living.
Not in the labour force	Persons who were not in the categories employed or unemployed, as defined. They include persons who were keeping house (unpaid), retired, voluntarily inactive, permanently unable to work, persons in institutions (hospitals, gaols, sanatoriums, etc.), trainee teachers, members of contemplative religious orders, and persons whose only activity during the reference week was jury service or unpaid voluntary work for a charitable organisation.
Occupation	Classified according to the <i>Australian Standard Classification of Occupations (ASCO) 1986 (1222.0)</i> .
One parent families	Families in which there is a family head together with at least one son or daughter of his/her own.
Other families	Families which are not couple families or one parent families, as defined. They include families in which there is no parent, for example a family head living with a brother or sister.
Own-account worker	A person who operates his or her own economic enterprise or engages independently in a profession or trade, and hires no employees, and the business was not incorporated (This category was formerly entitled "self employed").
Participation rate	For any group, the labour force expressed as a percentage of the civilian population aged 15 and over in the same group. Participation rates for persons classified by birthplace are calculated using population estimates which exclude those in institutions. Participation rates for persons classified by school or tertiary educational institution attendance are calculated using population estimates which include those in institutions.

Part-time workers	Employed persons who usually worked less than 35 hours a week and who did so during the reference week.
Seasonally adjusted series	A time series of estimates with the estimated effects of normal seasonal variation removed. See paragraphs 28 and 29 of the Explanatory Notes for more detail.
State capital cities	The areas determining the six State capital cities are the Statistical Divisions for those capital cities defined in the <i>Australian Standard Geographical Classification (ASGC) Manual, Edition 2.1</i> (1216.0).
Status in employment	Employed persons classified by whether they were employers, own account workers, employees, or contributing family workers.
Trend series	A smoothed seasonally adjusted series of estimates. See paragraphs 30 to 33 of the Explanatory Notes for more detail.
Unemployed	Persons aged 15 and over who were not employed during the reference week, and: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (a) had actively looked for full-time or part-time work at any time in the four weeks up to the end of the reference week and: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) were available for work in the reference week, or would have been available except for temporary illness (i.e. lasting for less than four weeks to the end of the reference week); or (ii) were waiting to start a new job within four weeks from the end of the reference week and would have started in the reference week if the job had been available then; or (b) were waiting to be called back to a full-time or part-time job from which they had been stood down without pay for less than four weeks up to the end of the reference week (including the whole of the reference week) for reasons other than bad weather or plant breakdown.
Unemployed looking for first full-time job	Unemployed persons looking for full-time work who had never worked full time for two weeks or more.
Unemployed looking for first job	Unemployed persons who had never worked full time for two weeks or more.
Unemployed looking for full-time work	Unemployed persons who actively looked for full-time work or were to resume a full-time job, from which they had been stood down.
Unemployed looking for part-time work	Unemployed persons who had actively looked for part-time work only, or were to resume a part-time job, from which they had been stood down.
Unemployed persons classified by industry and occupation	Unemployed persons who had worked full time for two weeks or more in the last two years are classified according to the industry and occupation of their most recent full-time job.
Unemployment rate	For any group, the number of unemployed persons expressed as a percentage of the labour force in the same group.

**SECTION B:
SUPPLEMENTARY
DATA**

**LABOUR FORCE STATUS AND OTHER
CHARACTERISTICS OF FAMILIES, AUSTRALIA,
JUNE 1995**

SUPPLEMENTARY AND SPECIAL SURVEYS

The supplementary and special surveys collect data on particular aspects of the labour force. The following is a historical list of supplementary and special labour force surveys. Statistical tables published in these bulletins are available as a Publication or a Standard Data Service, available by subscription or on request. Inquiries should be made to the contact in the Phone Inquiries box on the Contents page. It may be possible to order Unit Record Files on the following supplementary and special surveys by contacting the ABS.

<i>Title of Survey</i>	<i>Catalogue No./ Product No.</i>
Alternative Working Arrangements, Australia. Irregular. Latest issue September to November 1986	6341.0
Annual and Long Service Leave Taken, Australia, May 1988 to April 1989	6317.0
Career Experience, Australia. Three-yearly. First issue February 1993	6254.0
Career Paths of Persons with Trade Qualifications, Australia, 1989	6243.0
Career Paths of Qualified Nurses, Australia, 1989	6277.0
Child Care, Australia. Irregular. Latest issue June 1993	4402.0
Employment Benefits, Australia. Two-yearly. Latest issue August 1994	6334.0.40.001
Survey of Income and Housing Costs and Amenities, Persons with Earned Income, 1986, 1990	6546.0
Job Search Experience of Unemployed Persons, Australia. Annually. Latest issue July 1994	6222.0
Labour Force Experience, Australia. Annually. Latest issue March 1994	6206.0
Labour Force Status and Educational Attainment, Australia. Annually. Final issue February 1994	6235.0
Labour Force Status and Other Characteristics of Families, Australia. Annually. Latest issue June 1995	6224.0.40.001
Labour Force Status and Other Characteristics of Migrants, Australia. Three-yearly. Latest issue September 1993	6250.0
Labour Mobility, Australia. Two-yearly. Latest issue February 1994	6209.0
Multiple Jobholding, Australia. Four-yearly. Latest issue August 1994	6216.0.40.001
Participation in Education, Australia. Annually. Latest issue September 1994	6272.0.40.001
Persons Employed at Home, Australia. Irregular. Latest issue March 1992	6275.0
Persons Not in the Labour Force, Australia. Annually. Latest issue September 1994	6220.0.40.001
Persons Who Had Re-entered the Labour Force, Australia. Three-yearly. Latest issue May 1993	6264.0
Persons Who Have Left the Labour Force, Australia. Irregular. Latest issue September 1994	6267.0.40.001
Retirement and Retirement Intentions, Australia. Three-yearly. Latest issue November 1994	6238.0.40.001
Successful and Unsuccessful Job Search Experience, Australia. Two-yearly. Latest issue July 1994	6245.0
Superannuation, Australia. Two-yearly. Latest issue November 1993	6319.0
Trade Union Members, Australia. Two-yearly. Latest issue August 1994	6325.0.40.001
Training and Education Experience, Australia, 1993	6278.0
Transition From Education to Work, Australia. Annually. Latest issue May 1994	6227.0
Underemployed Workers, Australia. Annually. Latest issue September 1994	6265.0.40.001
Weekly Earnings of Employees (Distribution), Australia. Annually. Latest issue August 1994	6310.0.40.001
Working Arrangements, Australia. Two-yearly. First issue August 1993	6342.0

LABOUR FORCE SUPPLEMENTARY SURVEY PROGRAM - 1995

Topic	Survey Month	Release expected with 6203.0 issue of:
Transition from Education to Work	May	October 95
Job Search Experience of Unemployed Persons	July	November 95
Persons Who Had Re-entered the Labour Force	"	December 95
Weekly Earnings of Employees (Distribution)	August	December 95
Working Arrangements	"	January 96
Persons Not in the Labour Force	September	January 96
Underemployed Workers	"	February 96
Persons Employed at Home	"	February 96
Participation in Education	"	January 96
Superannuation	November	April 96

SUMMARY OF FINDINGS

Overview

Of the 13,338,000 persons aged 15 years and over who were usual residents of private dwellings in Australia in June 1995, and for whom family status could be determined, 83 per cent were members of families (See Section A, Table 35 of the June 1995 issue of this publication). Some 94 per cent of the civilian population aged 15 and over are represented by the estimates in this section. See the Explanatory Notes for further information regarding the calculation of families estimates from the survey.

These persons were members of 4,791,000 families and some 85 per cent of families were *couple families* of which 49 per cent had dependants present. Of the 666,000 *one parent families*, 85 per cent had a female parent (Diagram 1 and June 1995: Section A, Table 37).

An estimated 24 per cent of *all families* had no family member employed; 26 per cent had one family member employed and a further 50 per cent had two or more family members employed (June 1995: Section A, Table 37). Of the 2,239,400 persons who were not members of a family, 63 per cent lived alone (Diagram 8).

Couple families

In June 1995, 53 per cent of *couple families* had both partners in the labour force and 26 per cent had only one partner in the labour force. Of the *couple families* with dependants present, 62 per cent had both partners in the labour force. For *couple families* without dependants present, 44 per cent had both partners in the labour force (Diagram 2 and Section B, Table 4).

Of the *couple families* with only one partner in the labour force, that person was the husband in 93 per cent of families with dependants present and 81 per cent of families without dependants present (Section B, Table 4).

DIAGRAM 1: AUSTRALIAN FAMILIES, JUNE 1995

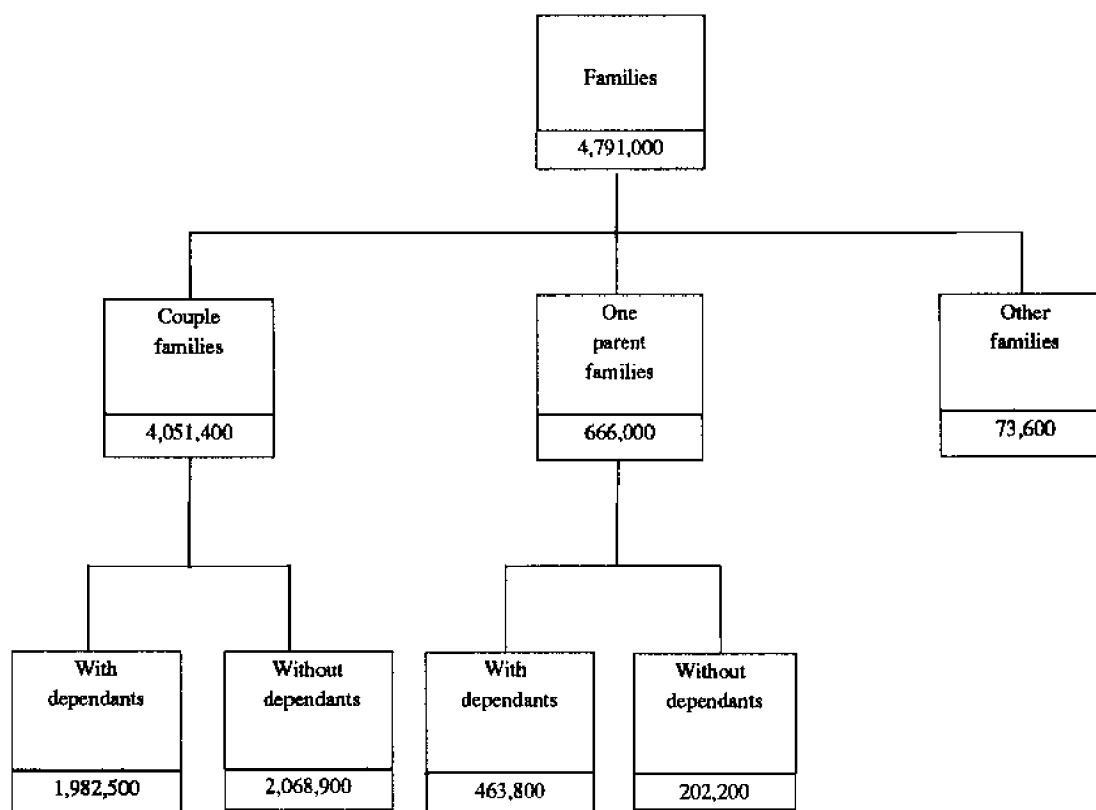
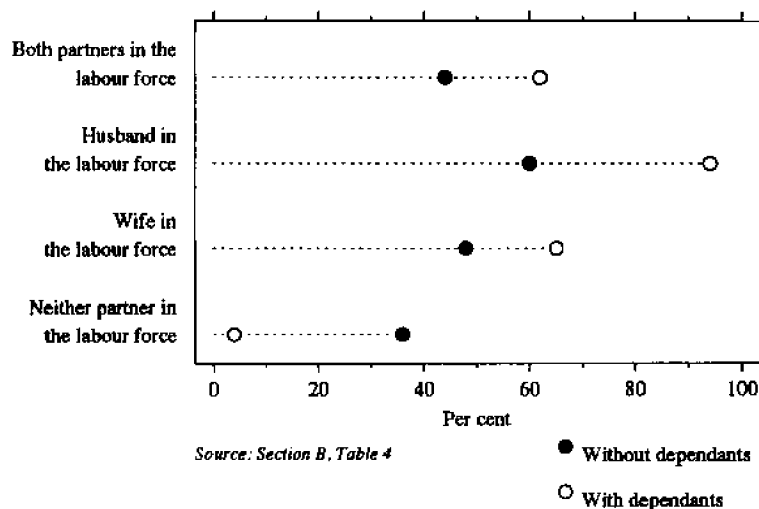


DIAGRAM 2: COUPLE FAMILIES: LABOUR FORCE STATUS OF HUSBAND AND WIFE, JUNE 1995
(% of families)



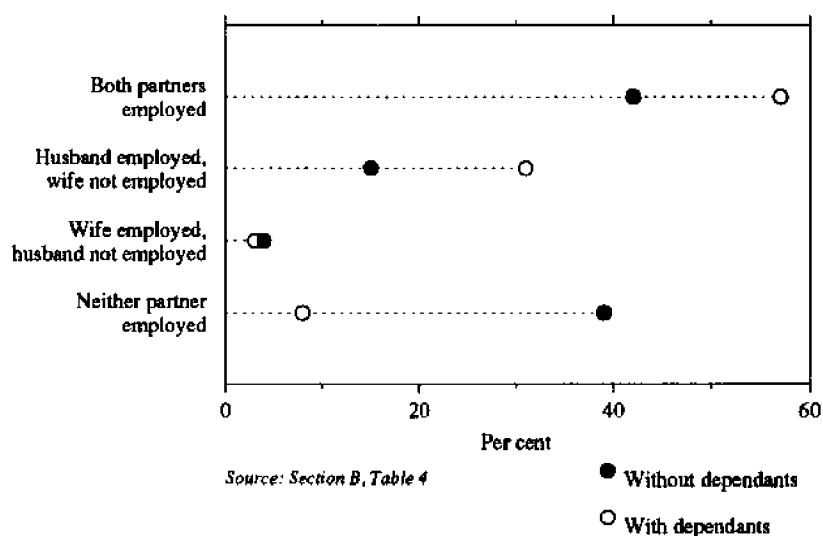
In *couple families*, one or both partners were employed in 92 per cent of families with dependants present and 61 per cent of families without dependants present (Diagram 3 and Section B, Table 4). For 50 per cent of *couple families* both partners were employed.

Of the *couple families* with dependants present in June 1995, the husband was employed full time in 84 per cent of families and the wife was employed full time in 27 per cent of families (Section B, Table 4). The percentage of *couple families* with the wife employed full time increased as the age of the youngest dependant present increased (Diagram 4 and Section B, Table 4).

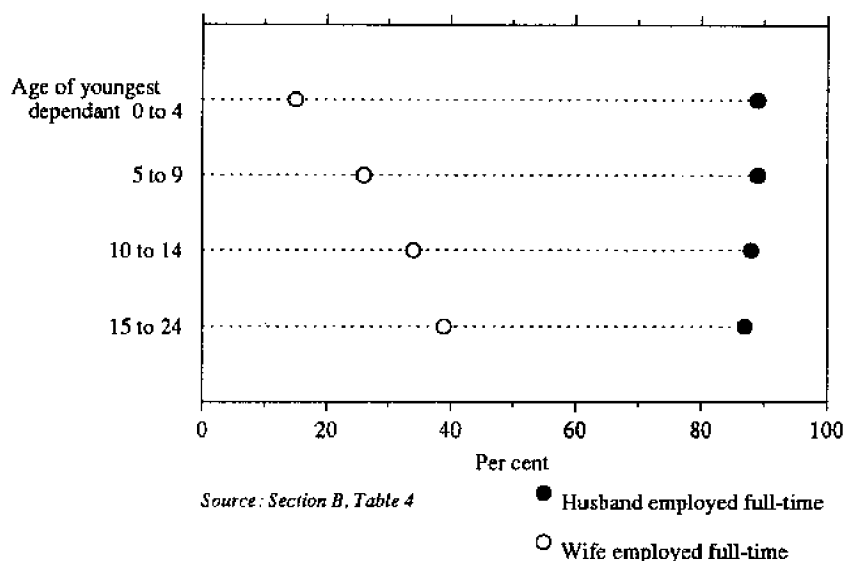
In contrast, in *couple families* without dependants present in June 1995, the husband was employed full time in 52 per cent of families and the wife was employed full time in 30 per cent of families (Section B, Table 4).

The proportion of *couple families* with one or both partners unemployed rose from 1990 to 1992, with the largest proportion of unemployment occurring in those families with dependants. It has since decreased by 2.3 percentage points to 6.1 per cent in June 1995. Most of this decrease occurred in those families with dependants present (Diagram 5 and Section B, Table 4).

DIAGRAM 3: EMPLOYMENT STATUS OF PARTNERS IN COUPLE FAMILIES, JUNE 1995
(% of families)



**DIAGRAM 4: COUPLE FAMILIES WITH DEPENDANTS:
FULL-TIME EMPLOYMENT OF PARENTS, JUNE 1995**
(% of families)



For *couple families* with dependants present, there were 85,200 families where the husband was unemployed and the wife was either unemployed or not in the labour force (Section B, Table 4).

For 21 per cent of all *couple families*, neither partner was in the labour force. Of these 831,000 *couple families*, 91 per cent were without dependants. Of the 76,700 *couple families* with dependants where neither parent was in the labour force, 77 per cent had dependent children aged 0-14 years (Section B, Table 4).

One parent families

In June 1995, 666,000 (14%) families were *one parent families*. For 85 per cent of these families the parent was female. Some 463,800 *one parent families* had one or more dependants of which 407,400 (88%) had a female parent (Diagram 1 and June 1995: Section A, Table 38).

In 47 per cent of *one parent families* with dependants, the parent was employed. Of female *one parent families* with dependants, 22 per cent of female parents were employed full time and 22 per cent were employed part time (47% were

DIAGRAM 5: COUPLE FAMILIES: PROPORTION WITH ONE OR BOTH PARTNERS UNEMPLOYED

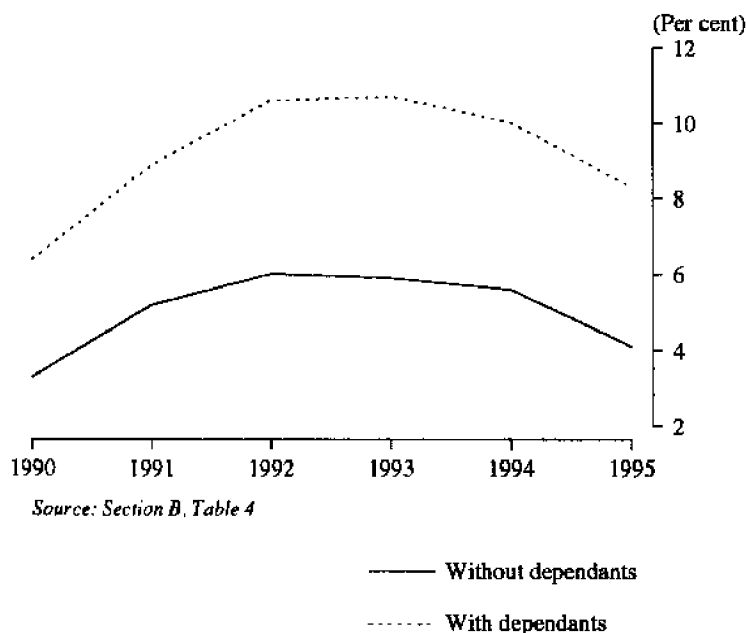
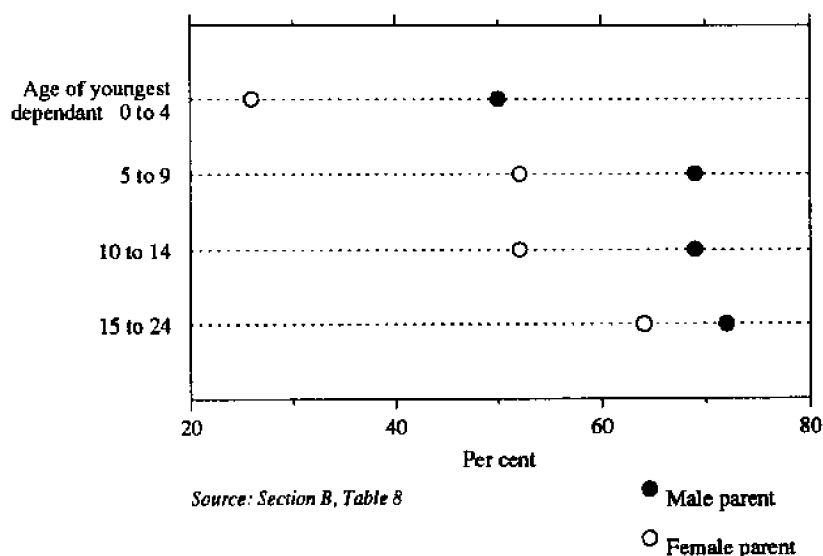


DIAGRAM 6: ONE PARENT FAMILIES: PROPORTION EMPLOYED AND AGE OF YOUNGEST DEPENDANT, JUNE 1995
(% of families)



not in the labour force). For male lone parents, 58 per cent were employed full time and 10 per cent were employed part time (22% were not in the labour force). The percentage of *one parent families* with the parent employed increased as the age of youngest dependant increased (Diagram 6 and Section B, Table 7).

For 327,500 (49%) *one parent families*, the parent was not in the labour force. Of these families 63 per cent had dependants present. In 94 per cent of the 205,500 *one parent families* with dependants, where the parent was not in the labour force, the parent was female (Section B, Table 7).

There were 50,900 (8%) *one parent families* with the parent unemployed. Of these families:

- 42,700 (84%) had a female parent; and
- 35,000 (69%) had dependent children aged 0-14 years (Section B, Table 7).

The proportion of *one parent families* with dependants in which the parent was unemployed was 8.8 per cent in June 1995, a rise of 0.2 percentage points since June 1994 but still 0.7 points lower than the June 1993 peak (Diagram 7 and Section B, Table 7).

DIAGRAM 7: ONE PARENT FAMILIES: PROPORTION WITH DEPENDANTS AND THE PARENT UNEMPLOYED

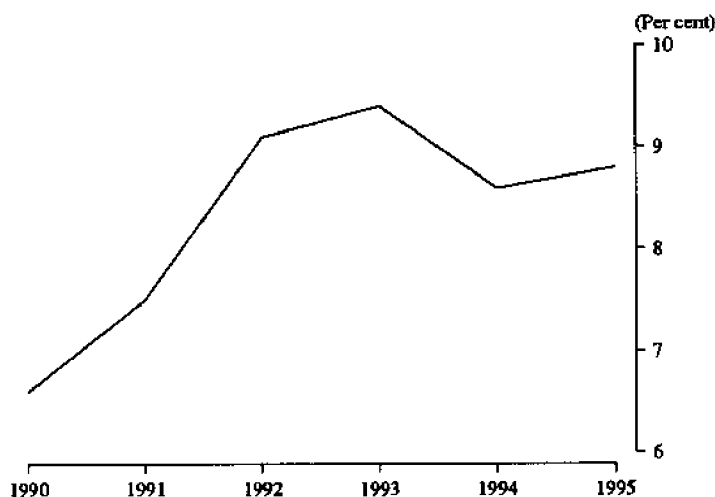
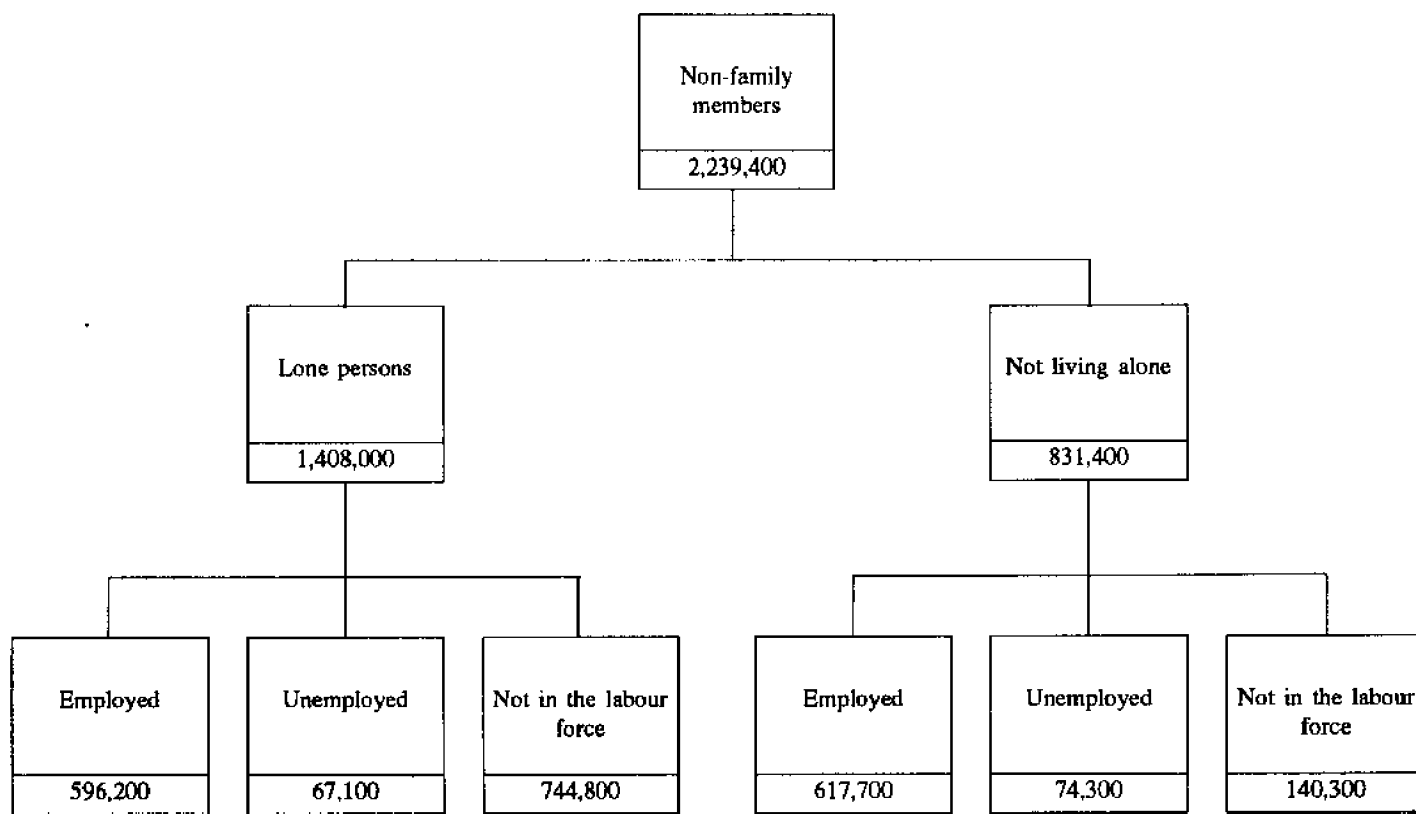


DIAGRAM 8: LABOUR FORCE STATUS OF PERSONS WHO WERE NOT MEMBERS OF A FAMILY, JUNE 1995



Source: June 1995: Section A, Table 35

Persons who were not members of a family

Selected characteristics of persons who were *lone persons* in June 1995 (Diagram 8 and June 1995: Section A, Tables 35 and 36):

- Of the population where relationship in household was determined, 11 per cent were classified as *lone persons*. Some 55 per cent of people living alone were female;
- An estimated 42 per cent of *lone persons* were employed. Some 57 per cent of males living alone were employed and of females living alone, 30 per cent were employed;
- 53 per cent of people living alone were not in the labour force. Of these, 70 per cent were female.

Selected characteristics of persons who were not members of a family and were *not living alone* in June 1995 (Diagram 8 and June 1995: Section A, Tables 35 and 36):

- Some 6 per cent of the population where relationship in household was determined were classified as persons who were not members of a family and were not living alone. Of these, 58 per cent were males;
- An estimated 74 per cent were employed, with the proportion being slightly lower for females than for males. The vast majority of employed males (87%) were working full time, as were 75 per cent of females;
- Some 17 per cent of these persons were not in the labour force. Of these, 52 per cent were males.

TABLE 1. ALL FAMILIES: FAMILY TYPE, NUMBER OF CHILDREN AGED UNDER 5 YEARS AND LABOUR FORCE STATUS OF HUSBAND, WIFE OR FAMILY HEAD, JUNE 1995
(*000 families)

	<i>Number of children aged 0-4</i>			<i>Total</i>
	<i>None</i>	<i>One</i>	<i>Two or more</i>	
Couple family	3,215.1	578.2	258.1	4,051.4
One or both spouses unemployed(a)	169.2	58.6	21.1	248.9
Husband employed, wife unemployed	47.3	16.0	4.5	67.8
Husband unemployed, wife employed	36.4	7.5	* 0.6	44.5
Husband unemployed, wife unemployed	21.2	7.2	* 1.5	29.9
Husband unemployed, wife not in the labour force	56.6	25.7	13.0	95.3
Neither spouse unemployed	3,045.9	519.5	237.0	3,802.5
Husband employed, wife employed	1,630.1	282.0	101.2	2,013.3
Husband employed, wife not in the labour force	513.7	211.3	127.1	852.1
Husband not in the labour force, wife employed	95.3	8.7	* 2.1	106.1
Husband not in the labour force, wife not in the labour force	806.8	17.5	6.7	831.0
One parent family	507.5	125.9	32.7	666.0
Parent unemployed	37.4	12.0	* 1.5	50.9
Male parent unemployed	7.4	* 0.7	* 0.2	8.2
Female parent unemployed	30.1	11.3	* 1.4	42.7
Parent not unemployed	470.1	113.9	31.1	615.1
Male parent employed	56.6	* 3.1	* 0.4	60.1
Female parent employed	188.4	34.0	5.1	227.5
Male parent not in the labour force	29.6	* 2.2	* 0.5	32.2
Female parent not in the labour force	195.5	74.6	25.2	295.2
Other family	73.6	..	..	73.6
Family head unemployed	5.1	..	..	5.1
Family head not unemployed	68.4	..	..	68.4
Family head employed	40.1	..	..	40.1
Family head not in the labour force	28.4	..	..	28.4
Total	3,796.2	704.0	290.7	4,791.0

(a) Includes a small number of families with husband not in the labour force and wife unemployed.

TABLE 2. ALL FAMILIES: FAMILY TYPE, NUMBER OF CHILDREN AGED 5 TO 9 YEARS AND LABOUR FORCE STATUS OF HUSBAND, WIFE OR FAMILY HEAD, JUNE 1995
(*000 families)

	<i>Number of children aged 5-9</i>			<i>Total</i>
	<i>None</i>	<i>One</i>	<i>Two or more</i>	
Couple family	3,246.5	553.4	251.5	4,051.4
One or both spouses unemployed(a)	178.0	47.0	23.9	248.9
Husband employed, wife unemployed	46.5	15.4	5.8	67.8
Husband unemployed, wife employed	34.7	6.4	* 3.4	44.5
Husband unemployed, wife unemployed	21.0	5.9	* 3.1	29.9
Husband unemployed, wife not in the labour force	65.8	18.4	11.1	95.3
Neither spouse unemployed	3,068.5	506.4	227.6	3,802.5
Husband employed, wife employed	1,559.3	317.5	136.5	2,013.3
Husband employed, wife not in the labour force	611.4	160.5	80.2	852.1
Husband not in the labour force, wife employed	91.9	10.7	3.5	106.1
Husband not in the labour force, wife not in the labour force	805.9	17.8	7.3	831.0
One parent family	491.5	133.1	41.5	666.0
Parent unemployed	32.9	15.5	* 2.5	50.9
Male parent unemployed	6.8	* 1.2	* 0.2	8.2
Female parent unemployed	26.1	14.4	* 2.2	42.7
Parent not unemployed	458.5	117.5	39.0	615.1
Male parent employed	48.9	7.5	3.6	60.1
Female parent employed	161.1	51.1	15.3	227.5
Male parent not in the labour force	27.7	4.0	* 0.5	32.2
Female parent not in the labour force	220.8	54.8	19.6	295.2
Other family	73.6	..	..	73.6
Family head unemployed	5.1	..	..	5.1
Family head not unemployed	68.4	..	..	68.4
Family head employed	40.1	..	..	40.1
Family head not in the labour force	28.4	..	..	28.4
Total	3,811.5	686.5	293.0	4,791.0

(a) Includes a small number of families with husband not in the labour force and wife unemployed.

TABLE 3. ALL FAMILIES: FAMILY TYPE, NUMBER OF CHILDREN AGED 10 TO 14 YEARS AND LABOUR FORCE STATUS OF HUSBAND, WIFE OR FAMILY HEAD, JUNE 1995
(^{'000 families})

	<i>Number of children aged 10-14</i>			<i>Total</i>
	<i>None</i>	<i>One</i>	<i>Two or more</i>	
Couple family	3,263.4	532.7	255.3	4,051.4
One or both spouses unemployed(a)	187.4	42.5	18.9	248.9
Husband employed, wife unemployed	49.2	12.6	6.0	67.8
Husband unemployed, wife employed	33.5	7.7	* 3.3	44.5
Husband unemployed, wife unemployed	22.5	4.1	* 3.3	29.9
Husband unemployed, wife not in the labour force	73.3	15.7	6.3	95.3
Neither spouse unemployed	3,076.0	490.2	236.3	3,802.5
Husband employed, wife employed	1,514.3	340.2	158.8	2,013.3
Husband employed, wife not in the labour force	674.0	119.8	58.3	852.1
Husband not in the labour force, wife employed	89.1	11.2	5.9	106.1
Husband not in the labour force, wife not in the labour force	798.7	19.0	13.4	831.0
One parent family	485.3	138.2	42.5	666.0
Parent unemployed	35.6	11.6	3.7	50.9
Male parent unemployed	6.1	* 1.8	* 0.3	8.2
Female parent unemployed	29.5	9.8	* 3.4	42.7
Parent not unemployed	449.7	126.5	38.9	615.1
Male parent employed	43.6	13.2	* 3.3	60.1
Female parent employed	157.6	53.5	16.5	227.5
Male parent not in the labour force	26.3	4.2	* 1.8	32.2
Female parent not in the labour force	222.3	55.7	17.3	295.2
Other family	73.6	..	..	73.6
Family head unemployed	5.1	..	..	5.1
Family head not unemployed	68.4	..	..	68.4
Family head employed	40.1	..	..	40.1
Family head not in the labour force	28.4	..	..	28.4
Total	3,822.3	670.9	297.8	4,791.0

(a) Includes a small number of families with husband not in the labour force and wife unemployed.

TABLE 4. COUPLE FAMILIES: LABOUR FORCE STATUS OF HUSBAND AND WIFE
AND AGE OF YOUNGEST DEPENDANT, JUNE 1995
(^{'000 families})

	Wife employed			Wife unemp- loyed	Wife in the labour force	Wife not in the labour force	Total
	Full time	Part time	Total				
HUSBAND EMPLOYED FULL TIME							
Families with dependants	471.2	621.9	1,093.1	40.7	1,133.9	532.4	1,666.2
Age of youngest dependant							
0-4	121.7	243.9	365.6	17.7	383.3	321.3	704.6
5-9	113.9	168.1	281.9	12.2	294.2	97.8	392.0
10-14	134.7	134.9	269.6	7.8	277.4	65.0	342.5
15-24	100.9	75.0	176.0	* 3.0	179.0	48.2	227.1
Families without dependants	550.5	257.6	808.2	17.4	825.6	249.6	1,075.2
<i>Total</i>	<i>1,021.7</i>	<i>879.6</i>	<i>1,901.3</i>	<i>58.2</i>	<i>1,959.5</i>	<i>781.9</i>	<i>2,741.4</i>
HUSBAND EMPLOYED: TOTAL							
Families with dependants	493.4	649.6	1,143.0	47.8	1,190.9	561.2	1,752.1
Age of youngest dependant							
0-4	129.4	253.8	383.2	20.5	403.7	338.3	742.0
5-9	119.3	177.8	297.1	14.4	311.5	103.2	414.7
10-14	139.8	140.8	280.6	8.7	289.3	68.7	358.1
15-24	104.9	77.2	182.1	4.1	186.2	51.0	237.2
Families without dependants	578.1	292.1	870.2	20.0	890.2	290.8	1,181.1
<i>Total</i>	<i>1,071.5</i>	<i>941.7</i>	<i>2,013.3</i>	<i>67.8</i>	<i>2,081.1</i>	<i>852.1</i>	<i>2,933.2</i>
HUSBAND UNEMPLOYED							
Families with dependants	9.9	14.4	24.3	21.0	45.3	64.2	109.6
Age of youngest dependant							
0-4	* 3.0	5.1	8.1	8.7	16.7	38.7	55.5
5-9	* 2.9	* 2.9	5.8	6.3	12.1	13.5	25.6
10-14	* 2.6	4.4	6.9	3.8	10.7	8.5	19.3
15-24	* 1.4	* 2.0	* 3.4	* 2.3	5.7	3.5	9.2
Families without dependants	12.0	8.2	20.2	8.9	29.1	31.1	60.2
<i>Total</i>	<i>21.9</i>	<i>22.6</i>	<i>44.5</i>	<i>29.9</i>	<i>74.4</i>	<i>95.3</i>	<i>169.7</i>
HUSBAND IN THE LABOUR FORCE							
Families with dependants	503.3	664.0	1,167.3	68.8	1,236.2	625.5	1,861.6
Age of youngest dependant							
0-4	132.3	258.9	391.3	29.2	420.5	377.0	797.5
5-9	122.3	180.7	302.9	20.7	323.6	116.7	440.3
10-14	142.4	145.2	287.6	12.5	300.1	77.3	377.4
15-24	106.3	79.2	185.5	6.5	192.0	54.4	246.4
Families without dependants	590.2	300.3	890.5	28.9	919.4	321.9	1,241.2
<i>Total</i>	<i>1,093.5</i>	<i>964.3</i>	<i>2,057.8</i>	<i>97.7</i>	<i>2,155.5</i>	<i>947.4</i>	<i>3,102.9</i>
HUSBAND NOT IN THE LABOUR FORCE							
Families with dependants	22.3	15.4	37.7	6.4	44.1	76.7	120.8
Age of youngest dependant							
0-4	6.8	4.0	10.8	3.7	14.5	24.2	38.7
5-9	5.5	4.1	9.6	* 0.8	10.3	16.3	26.6
10-14	6.9	3.8	10.7	* 1.4	12.0	18.4	30.4
15-24	* 3.1	3.5	6.6	* 0.6	7.2	17.8	25.0
Families without dependants	37.8	30.7	68.5	4.9	73.4	754.3	827.7
<i>Total</i>	<i>60.1</i>	<i>46.1</i>	<i>106.1</i>	<i>11.3</i>	<i>117.5</i>	<i>831.0</i>	<i>948.5</i>
TOTAL							
Families with dependants	525.6	679.4	1,205.0	75.3	1,280.3	702.2	1,982.5
Age of youngest dependant							
0-4	139.2	262.9	402.1	32.9	435.0	401.2	836.2
5-9	127.7	184.8	312.5	21.5	334.0	133.0	467.0
10-14	149.3	149.0	298.2	13.9	312.1	95.7	407.8
15-24	109.4	82.7	192.1	7.1	199.2	72.3	271.5
Families without dependants	627.9	331.0	958.9	33.8	992.7	1,076.2	2,068.9
<i>Total</i>	<i>1,153.5</i>	<i>1,010.4</i>	<i>2,163.9</i>	<i>109.1</i>	<i>2,273.0</i>	<i>1,778.4</i>	<i>4,051.4</i>

TABLE 5. COUPLE FAMILIES WITH HUSBAND IN THE LABOUR FORCE:
LABOUR FORCE STATUS, AGE OF WIFE AND AGE OF DEPENDANTS, JUNE 1995
(*000 families)

	Wife employed			Wife unemployed	Wife in the labour force	Wife not in the labour force	Total
	Full time	Part time	Total				
WIFE AGED 15-34							
Families with dependants	140.9	239.0	379.9	33.3	413.2	328.8	742.0
Age of dependants							
0-9 only	105.9	198.2	304.0	27.9	331.9	280.4	612.3
0-4 only	62.4	108.4	170.9	15.4	186.3	175.3	361.6
5-9 only	22.5	28.0	50.6	6.3	56.8	16.5	73.3
0-4 and 5-9	20.9	61.7	82.6	6.2	88.7	88.6	177.4
10-14 only	8.7	6.2	14.9	* 1.1	16.0	4.8	20.8
15-24 only	* 2.4	* 0.0	* 2.4	* 0.3	* 2.6	* 0.2	* 2.8
0-9 and 10-14	20.0	30.7	50.7	3.6	54.3	40.0	94.3
0-4 and 10-14	* 2.2	* 2.6	4.9	* 0.5	5.4	6.4	11.8
5-9 and 10-14	14.8	20.4	35.2	* 2.4	37.6	16.3	53.9
0-4, 5-9 and 10-14	* 3.0	7.6	10.7	* 0.6	11.3	17.4	28.7
10-14 and 15-24	* 1.5	* 1.6	* 3.0	* 0.0	* 3.0	* 0.8	3.8
Other(a)	* 2.5	* 2.4	4.8	* 0.6	5.4	* 2.5	7.9
Families without dependants	272.5	50.4	322.9	15.8	338.7	31.6	370.3
Total	413.4	289.4	702.8	49.1	751.9	360.4	1,112.2
WIFE AGED 35-44							
Families with dependants	252.1	320.0	572.1	27.9	600.0	221.9	821.9
Age of dependants							
0-9 only	54.2	83.6	137.8	6.5	144.4	72.3	216.6
0-4 only	17.3	19.6	36.9	* 1.7	38.6	25.2	63.9
5-9 only	23.9	32.4	56.3	* 3.2	59.5	17.6	77.1
0-4 and 5-9	13.0	31.6	44.7	* 1.6	46.2	29.4	75.7
10-14 only	49.8	53.3	103.1	4.6	107.7	27.0	134.7
15-24 only	40.7	25.4	66.1	* 3.0	69.1	17.2	86.4
0-9 and 10-14	46.9	85.0	131.9	7.0	139.0	56.7	195.7
0-4 and 10-14	4.2	3.7	7.9	* 1.0	8.9	7.4	16.3
5-9 and 10-14	39.5	67.9	107.4	5.0	112.4	37.5	149.9
0-4, 5-9 and 10-14	* 3.2	13.4	16.6	* 1.0	17.6	11.8	29.4
10-14 and 15-24	45.5	47.4	92.8	4.0	96.8	19.9	116.7
Other(a)	14.9	25.3	40.2	* 2.7	43.0	28.9	71.9
Families without dependants	83.7	41.7	125.4	4.6	130.1	30.6	160.7
Total	335.8	361.7	697.5	32.5	730.0	252.6	982.6
WIFE AGED 45 AND OVER							
Families with dependants	110.4	105.0	215.4	7.7	223.0	74.8	297.8
Age of dependants							
0-9 only	4.2	4.9	9.0	* 0.8	9.8	6.0	15.9
0-4 only	* 1.2	* 0.3	* 1.5	* 0.0	* 1.5	* 2.5	4.0
5-9 only	* 2.5	3.5	6.0	* 0.8	6.8	3.6	10.4
0-4 and 5-9	* 0.4	* 1.1	* 1.5	* 0.0	* 1.5	* 0.0	* 1.5
10-14 only	19.3	16.3	35.6	* 1.4	37.1	14.1	51.2
15-24 only	63.3	53.8	117.1	* 3.2	120.2	37.0	157.3
0-9 and 10-14	* 3.0	3.8	6.8	* 0.6	7.4	* 2.9	10.2
0-4 and 10-14	* 0.1	* 0.0	* 0.1	* 0.0	* 0.1	* 0.5	* 0.6
5-9 and 10-14	* 2.7	3.8	6.4	* 0.4	6.8	* 2.4	9.2
0-4, 5-9 and 10-14	* 0.2	* 0.0	* 0.2	* 0.2	* 0.4	* 0.0	* 0.4
10-14 and 15-24	17.6	20.4	38.0	* 1.4	39.4	10.7	50.1
Other(a)	* 3.0	5.8	8.8	* 0.3	9.1	4.0	13.1
Families without dependants	233.9	208.2	442.1	8.4	450.6	259.6	710.2
Total	344.3	313.2	657.5	16.1	673.6	334.4	1,008.0
TOTAL							
Families with dependants	503.3	664.0	1,167.3	68.8	1,236.2	625.5	1,861.6
Age of dependants							
0-9 only	164.3	286.6	450.9	35.2	486.1	358.7	844.8
0-4 only	81.0	128.3	209.2	17.2	226.4	203.0	429.4
5-9 only	49.0	63.9	112.9	10.3	123.2	37.6	160.8
0-4 and 5-9	34.3	94.4	128.7	7.7	136.5	118.1	254.6
10-14 only	77.8	75.9	153.7	7.1	160.8	45.9	206.7
15-24 only	106.3	79.2	185.5	6.5	192.0	54.4	246.4
0-9 and 10-14	70.0	119.5	189.4	11.1	200.6	99.6	300.2
0-4 and 10-14	6.6	6.4	13.0	* 1.5	14.4	14.2	28.7
5-9 and 10-14	57.0	92.1	149.0	7.8	156.9	56.2	213.0
0-4, 5-9 and 10-14	6.4	21.0	27.5	* 1.8	29.3	29.2	58.5
10-14 and 15-24	64.6	69.3	133.9	5.4	139.3	31.4	170.7
Other(a)	20.4	33.5	53.9	3.6	57.4	35.4	92.8
Families without dependants	590.2	300.3	890.5	28.9	919.4	321.9	1,241.2
Total	1,093.5	964.3	2,057.8	97.7	2,155.5	947.4	3,102.9

(a) Comprises all other combinations of dependants aged 0-24.

**TABLE 6. COUPLE FAMILIES WITH WIFE IN THE LABOUR FORCE:
LABOUR FORCE STATUS, AGE OF HUSBAND AND AGE OF DEPENDANTS, JUNE 1995
(*000 families)**

	<i>Husband employed</i>		<i>Husband in the labour force</i>	<i>Husband not in the labour force</i>	
	<i>Full time</i>	<i>Total</i>			<i>Total</i>
HUSBAND AGED 15-34					
Families with dependants	254.1	266.5	279.2	8.3	287.4
Age of dependants					
0-9 only	221.5	232.1	243.4	8.0	251.4
0-4 only	137.7	146.0	152.6	5.4	157.9
5-9 only	31.1	32.4	33.8	* 0.9	34.8
0-4 and 5-9	52.7	53.7	57.0	* 1.7	58.7
10-14 only	5.4	5.5	5.9	* 0.1	5.9
15-24 only	* 0.9	* 1.0	* 1.0	* 0.2	* 1.2
0-9 and 10-14	23.5	25.1	26.1	* 0.0	26.1
0-4 and 10-14	3.8	4.1	4.1	* 0.0	4.1
5-9 and 10-14	14.0	15.1	15.7	* 0.0	15.7
0-4, 5-9 and 10-14	5.7	5.9	6.2	* 0.0	6.2
10-14 and 15-24	* 0.7	* 0.7	* 0.7	* 0.0	* 0.7
Other(a)	* 2.1	* 2.1	* 2.1	* 0.0	* 2.1
Families without dependants	277.6	289.2	299.8	6.4	306.2
Total	531.7	555.7	579.0	14.7	593.7
HUSBAND AGED 35-44					
Families with dependants	537.7	562.0	580.9	17.3	598.3
Age of dependants					
0-9 only	190.0	199.2	206.3	6.6	213.0
0-4 only	60.8	63.1	65.1	* 2.1	67.3
5-9 only	64.2	66.9	69.7	* 2.5	72.2
0-4 and 5-9	65.1	69.2	71.5	* 2.0	73.5
10-14 only	80.4	83.9	86.7	* 2.8	89.5
15-24 only	39.3	40.3	41.5	* 0.6	42.1
0-9 and 10-14	132.7	138.9	143.3	4.2	147.5
0-4 and 10-14	7.7	8.3	9.0	* 0.9	9.9
5-9 and 10-14	106.2	110.9	114.5	* 2.4	117.0
0-4, 5-9 and 10-14	18.8	19.7	19.8	* 0.9	20.7
10-14 and 15-24	63.5	66.3	68.7	* 1.3	70.1
Other(a)	31.7	33.4	34.4	* 1.7	36.1
Families without dependants	114.5	121.0	125.0	3.6	128.6
Total	652.2	683.0	705.9	20.9	726.8
HUSBAND AGED 45 AND OVER					
Families with dependants	342.1	362.3	376.0	18.5	394.6
Age of dependants					
0-9 only	30.0	34.3	36.3	* 1.8	38.1
0-4 only	7.4	8.5	8.7	* 0.7	9.4
5-9 only	15.5	18.2	19.7	* 0.9	20.6
0-4 and 5-9	7.2	7.6	7.9	* 0.1	8.1
10-14 only	62.4	65.7	68.3	4.8	73.1
15-24 only	138.8	144.9	149.5	6.4	155.9
0-9 and 10-14	27.3	30.3	31.2	* 1.9	33.1
0-4 and 10-14	* 1.4	* 1.4	* 1.4	* 0.1	* 1.5
5-9 and 10-14	23.5	25.9	26.6	* 1.6	28.2
0-4, 5-9 and 10-14	* 2.5	* 3.0	* 3.2	* 0.2	* 3.4
10-14 and 15-24	65.0	67.2	69.8	* 3.0	72.8
Other(a)	18.6	20.0	20.9	* 0.7	21.6
Families without dependants	433.4	480.1	494.6	63.4	557.9
Total	775.6	842.4	870.6	81.9	952.5
TOTAL					
Families with dependants	1,133.9	1,190.9	1,236.2	44.1	1,280.3
Age of dependants					
0-9 only	441.5	465.5	486.1	16.4	502.4
0-4 only	205.8	217.6	226.4	8.2	234.6
5-9 only	110.8	117.4	123.2	4.4	127.6
0-4 and 5-9	124.9	130.5	136.5	3.8	140.3
10-14 only	148.2	155.1	160.8	7.7	168.5
15-24 only	179.0	186.2	192.0	7.2	199.2
0-9 and 10-14	183.6	194.3	200.6	6.1	206.7
0-4 and 10-14	12.8	13.7	14.4	* 1.1	15.5
5-9 and 10-14	143.7	151.9	156.9	4.0	160.9
0-4, 5-9 and 10-14	27.0	28.6	29.3	* 1.0	30.3
10-14 and 15-24	129.2	134.2	139.3	4.3	143.6
Other(a)	52.4	55.5	57.4	* 2.4	59.8
Families without dependants	825.6	890.2	919.4	73.4	992.7
Total	1,959.5	2,081.1	2,155.5	117.5	2,273.0

(a) Comprises all other combinations of dependants aged 0-24.

TABLE 7. ONE PARENT FAMILIES: LABOUR FORCE STATUS OF PARENT AND AGE OF DEPENDANTS, JUNE 1995
(^{'000 families})

	Families with dependants who are aged					Total families(b)	Families with any dependants who are aged(c)		
	0-9 only	10-14 only	15-24 only	0-9 and 10-14	Other(a)		0-9	10-14	15-24
ONE PARENT FAMILY WITH A MALE PARENT									
Parent employed	9.1	9.4	12.3	* 2.4	4.9	60.1	12.9	16.5	17.2
Full time	7.8	6.8	11.8	* 1.8	4.5	52.5	10.8	13.1	16.3
Part time	* 1.3	* 2.6	* 0.5	* 0.6	* 0.4	7.6	* 2.1	* 3.4	* 0.9
Parent unemployed	* 1.4	* 1.2	* 2.6	* 0.5	* 0.4	8.2	* 1.9	* 2.1	* 3.0
Parent in the labour force	10.5	10.5	14.9	* 2.9	5.4	68.3	14.8	18.6	20.3
Parent not in the labour force	4.0	* 3.4	* 2.2	* 1.8	* 0.8	32.2	5.9	6.0	* 3.1
Total	14.5	13.9	17.2	4.7	6.2	100.5	20.7	24.6	23.4
ONE PARENT FAMILY WITH A FEMALE PARENT									
Parent employed	69.3	33.5	37.4	21.2	17.9	227.5	95.4	69.9	55.3
Full time	29.1	20.6	23.7	8.2	9.9	124.2	39.6	37.5	33.5
Part time	40.2	13.0	13.7	13.0	8.0	103.3	55.8	32.5	21.8
Parent unemployed	17.5	5.3	* 3.2	5.3	3.5	42.7	23.9	13.2	6.8
Looking for full-time work	12.0	3.7	* 2.8	* 2.7	* 2.1	30.9	15.2	8.0	4.9
Looking for part-time work	5.5	* 1.6	* 0.4	* 2.6	* 1.4	11.9	8.7	5.2	* 1.8
Parent in the labour force	86.8	38.8	40.7	26.4	21.4	270.3	119.3	83.1	62.1
Parent not in the labour force	98.9	23.9	17.5	35.8	17.2	295.2	141.0	73.0	34.7
Total	185.7	62.7	58.1	62.2	38.7	565.5	260.3	156.1	96.8
TOTAL									
Parent employed	78.4	42.9	49.7	23.6	22.8	287.6	108.3	86.4	72.6
Full time	37.0	27.4	35.5	10.0	14.4	176.7	50.4	50.6	49.8
Part time	41.4	15.5	14.3	13.6	8.5	110.9	57.9	35.9	22.7
Parent unemployed	18.9	6.4	5.9	5.8	3.9	50.9	25.8	15.3	9.8
Looking for full-time work	13.1	4.8	5.4	* 2.9	* 2.6	38.2	16.6	9.8	8.0
Looking for part-time work	5.8	* 1.6	* 0.4	* 2.8	* 1.4	12.7	9.2	5.5	* 1.8
Parent in the labour force	97.3	49.3	55.6	29.4	26.8	338.5	134.2	101.7	82.4
Parent not in the labour force	102.9	27.2	19.7	37.5	18.1	327.5	146.8	79.0	37.8
Total	200.2	76.6	75.3	66.9	44.9	666.0	281.0	180.7	120.2

(a) Comprises all other combinations of dependants aged 0-24. (b) Includes families without dependants. (c) Families with dependants in more than one group are included in each relevant group.

TABLE 8. ONE PARENT FAMILIES: LABOUR FORCE STATUS OF PARENT AND AGE OF YOUNGEST DEPENDANT, JUNE 1995
(^{'000 families})

	<i>Parent employed</i>			<i>Parent</i>	<i>Parent</i>	<i>Parent</i>	
	<i>Full time</i>	<i>Part time</i>	<i>Total</i>	<i>unemployed</i>	<i>in the</i> <i>labour</i> <i>force</i>	<i>not in the</i> <i>labour</i> <i>force</i>	<i>Total</i>
ONE PARENT FAMILY WITH A MALE PARENT							
With dependants	32.7	5.4	38.1	6.1	44.3	12.2	56.5
Age of youngest dependant							
0-4	* 2.8	* 0.7	3.5	* 0.9	4.3	* 2.7	7.0
5-9	8.0	* 1.4	9.4	* 1.1	10.5	* 3.2	13.7
10-14	10.2	* 2.8	12.9	* 1.6	14.5	4.1	18.6
15-24	11.8	* 0.5	12.3	* 2.6	14.9	* 2.2	17.2
Without dependants	19.7	* 2.2	21.9	* 2.1	24.0	20.0	44.0
<i>Total</i>	52.5	7.6	60.1	8.2	68.3	32.2	100.5
ONE PARENT FAMILY WITH A FEMALE PARENT							
With dependants	91.4	87.9	179.3	34.8	214.1	193.2	407.4
Age of youngest dependant							
0-4	16.8	22.3	39.1	12.6	51.8	99.7	151.5
5-9	22.8	33.6	56.3	11.2	67.5	41.2	108.8
10-14	28.1	18.4	46.5	7.7	54.1	34.8	89.0
15-24	23.7	13.7	37.4	* 3.2	40.7	17.5	58.1
Without dependants	32.8	15.4	48.2	7.9	56.2	102.0	158.2
<i>Total</i>	124.2	103.3	227.5	42.7	270.3	295.2	565.5
TOTAL							
With dependants	124.1	93.3	217.5	40.9	258.4	205.5	463.8
Age of youngest dependant							
0-4	19.6	22.9	42.6	13.5	56.1	102.4	158.5
5-9	30.7	35.0	65.8	12.3	78.1	44.4	122.5
10-14	38.3	21.1	59.4	9.2	68.7	38.9	107.6
15-24	35.5	14.3	49.7	5.9	55.6	19.7	75.3
Without dependants	52.5	17.6	70.1	10.0	80.2	122.0	202.2
Total	176.7	110.9	287.6	50.9	338.5	327.5	666.0

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