



Fact Sheet



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NON-RESPONSE RATES, NEW SOUTH WALES 2006 and 2001: Place of enumeration(a)

	2006			2001		
	Persons for whom question was relevant	Persons from whom there was no response	Non- response rate	Persons for whom question was relevant	Persons from whom there was no response	Non- response rate
Variable	no.	no.	%	no.	no.	%
		PERSON VAR	IABLES			
AGEP (Age)(b)	6 585 734	340 938	5.18	6 371 745	265 514	4.17
ANC1P (Ancestry1)(c)	6 528 690	547 110	8.38	6 311 168	463 774	7.35
ASSNP (Core Activity Need for Assistance)(d)	6 528 690	428 368	6.56	na	na	na
BPFP (Country of Birth of Mother)(e)	6 528 690	479 687	7.35	6 311 168	396 573	6.28
BPLP (Country of Birth of Person)(e)	6 528 690	467 637	7.16	6 311 168	385 409	6.11
BPMP (Country of Birth Father)(e)	6 528 690	472 483	7.24	6 311 168	315 375	5.00
CHCAREP (Unpaid Child Care)(d) (f)	5 231 595	497 887	9.52	na	na	na
CITP (Australian Citizenship)	6 528 690	453 587	6.95	6 311 168	340 063	5.39
DOMP (Unpaid Domestic Work)(d)(f)	5 231 595	548 038	10.48	na	na	na
EMPP (Number of Employees)(d)(f)	485 978	10 610	2.18	na	na	na
EMTP (Employment Type)(d)(f)	2 901 481	29 212	1.01	na	na	na
ENGP (Proficiency in Spoken English)(g)	1 312 977	21 604	1.65	1 196 204	22 848	1.91
GNGP (Government/ Non- government Employer indicator)(f)(h)	2 901 481	41 824	1.44	2 748 396	71 607	2.61
HRSP (Hours Worked)(f)	2 901 481	83 416	2.87	2 748 396	84 480	3.07
HSCP (Highest Year of School Completed)(f)	5 231 595	534 226	10.21	4 997 818	419 425	8.39
INCP (Individual Income)(f)	5 231 595	476 010	9.10	4 997 818	409 122	8.19
IND06P (Industry of Employment)(f)(i)	2 901 481	42 398	1.46	2 748 396	50 508	1.84
INGP (Indigenous Status)	6 528 690	387 583	5.94	6 311 168	290 008	4.60
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2001

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Variable	no.	no.	%	no.	no.	%	
		PERSON VAR	RIABLES				
LANP (Language Spoken at Home)	6 528 690	383 604	5.88	6 311 168	337 471	5.35	
LFS06P (Labour Force Status)(f)(j)	5 231 595	353 009	6.75	na	na	na	
MSTP (Registered Marital Status)(b)(f)	5 283 079	292 336	5.53	5 052 247	197 947	3.92	
MTWP (Method of Travel to Work)(f)	2 901 481	54 081	1.86	2 748 396	49 163	1.79	
OCC06P (Occupation)(f)(k)	2 901 481	24 863	0.86	2 748 396	33 307	1.21	
PURP (Place of Usual Residence on Census Night) SLA level(I)	6 528 690	376 894	5.77	na	na	na	
SLAUCP (SLA of Usual Residence on Census Night)(I)	na	na	na	6 326 579	15 974	0.25	
PUR1P (Place of Usual Residence One Year Ago)(I)(m)	6 441 616	399 988	6.21	na	na	na	
SLAU1P (SLA of Usual Residence One Year Ago)(I)(m)	na	na	na	6 232 244	303 847	4.88	
PUR5P (Place of Usual Residence Five Years Ago)(I)(n)	6 108 790	459 218	7.52	na	na	na	
SLAU5P (SLA of Usual Residence Five Years Ago)(I)(n)	na	na	na	5 888 827	316 743	5.38	
QALFP (Non-School Qualification: Field of Study)(f)	2 249 313	61 184	2.72	1 923 716	71 090	3.70	
QALLP (Non-School Qualification: Level of Education)(f)	2 249 313	87 880	3.91	1 923 716	111 661	5.80	
RELP (Religious Affiliation)(o)	6 528 690	653 678	10.01	6 311 168	564 500	8.94	
RLNP (Residential Status in a Non- Private Dwelling)(p)	189 502	26 338	13.90	170 114	15 147	8.90	
STUP (Full/Part-Time Student Status)	6 528 690	503 897	7.72	6 311 168	297 471	4.71	
TISP (Number of Children Ever Born)(q)	2 680 687	191 511	7.14	na	na	na	
TYPP (Type of Educational Institution Attending)(r)	1 590 089	71 317	4.49	1 625 652	51 821	3.19	
UAI1P (Usual Address Indicator One Year Ago)(m)	6 441 616	390 801	6.07	6 232 244	293 780	4.71	
UAI5P (Usual Address Indicator Five Years Ago)(n)	6 108 790	433 224	7.09	5 888 827	290 052	4.93	
UNCAREP (Unpaid Assistance to a Person with a Disability)(d)(f)	5 231 595	548 296	10.48	na	na	na	
VOLWP (Voluntary Work for an Organisation or Group)(d)(f)	5 231 595	519 122	9.92	na	na	na	
YARP (Year of Arrival in Australia)(s)	1 553 095	73924	4.76	1 475 079	70 808	4.80	
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		DWELLING VA	RIABLES			
BEDD (Number of Bedrooms in Private Dwelling)(t)	2 470 452	165 912	6.72	2 343 677	105 956	4.52
HLRD (Housing Loan Repayments - monthly)(u)	745 336	60 337	8.10	546 195	29 793	5.45
LLDD (Landlord Type)(v)	700 654	19 891	2.84	675 434	14 915	2.21
NEDD (Type of Internet Connection)(d)(t)	2 470 452	195 474	7.91	na	na	na
RNTD (Rent - weekly)(v)	700 654	23 375	3.34	675 434	25 097	3.72

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183 852

206 016

0.09

7.44

8.34

2 571 540

2 343 677

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23 983

123 879

170 408

0.93

5.29

7.27

Footnotes:

- (a) The Place of Enumeration count refers to the count of people in the state/territory they were located on Census Night. This count:
 - includes overseas visitors for Age (AGEP) and Registered Marital Status (MSTP)

2 728 720

2 470 452

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- · excludes overseas visitors for all other person variables
- excludes Australian residents temporarily overseas.
- (b) Includes overseas visitors.

STRD (Dwelling Structure)(w)

VEHD (Number of Motor Vehicles)(t)

TEND (Tenure Type)(t)

- (c) For 2006, two variables, Ancestry1 (ANC1P) and Ancestry2 (ANC2P) were used to record responses separately. For 2001, both ancestry responses were coded to a single variable, Ancestry (ANCP).
- (d) New variable for 2006.
- (e) In 2006, this variable's name changed from Birthplace to Country of Birth.
- (f) Persons aged 15 years and over.
- (g) Persons who speak a language other than English at home. Excludes non-respondents to the Language Spoken at Home (LANP)
- (h) Replaces the Industry Sector (GNGP) variable. Differs from the 2001 category in that Community Development Employment Projects Participation (CDEP) has been deleted.
- (i) Industry of Employment is coded to a revised classification (ANZSIC 2006) for the 2006 Census.
- (j) The derivation of Labour Force Status has changed between 2001 and 2006, and is not comparable.
- (k) Occupation is coded to a new classification (ANZSCO) for the 2006 Census.
- (I) PURP, PUR1P and PUR5P are new hierarchical variables, combining the concepts of State of usual residence, SLA of usual residence, and CD of usual residence, which were output as separate fields in previous censuses. The non-response rate represents the number and percentage of people who gave no information, at any geographic level, regarding their usual residence at a specific point of
- (m) Persons aged 1 year and over.
- (n) Persons aged 5 years and over.
- (o) Answering this census question is optional.
- (p) Persons in a non-private dwelling.
- (q) Females aged 15 years and over. New variable for 2006. It was last included in 1996.
- (r) Persons attending an educational institution. Excludes non-respondents to the Full/Part-Time Student Status (STUP) question.
- (s) Persons born overseas, but excludes overseas visitors.
- (t) Includes all occupied private dwellings.
- (u) Occupied private dwellings being purchased. Includes dwellings being purchased under a rent/buy scheme.
- (v) Occupied private dwellings being rented. Includes dwellings being occupied rent free.
- (w) Includes all occupied and unoccupied private dwellings. A Collector, not householder, provides the response.

na = not available