

ENGINEERING CONSTRUCTION ACTIVITY

AUSTRALIA

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MARCH QTR KEY FIGURES

SEASONALLY ADJUSTED VOLUME TERMS(a)

Mar Qtr 2000
(\$m)

% change
Dec Qtr 1999 to
Mar Qtr 2000

Work done	Mar Qtr 2000 (\$m)	% change Dec Qtr 1999 to Mar Qtr 2000
By private sector		
For private sector	1 574.3	-9.4
For public sector	995.0	-2.5
Total by private sector	2 569.3	-6.8
By public sector	1 903.3	-0.9
Total for public sector(b)	2 898.4	-1.4
Total engineering construction	4 472.7	-4.4

(a) Chain volume measures, reference year 1997-98.

(b) Includes work done by the private sector for the public sector and work done by the public sector.

MARCH QTR KEY POINTS

A new survey methodology was introduced from the September quarter 1999 and historical data has been adjusted - see notes on page 2.

SEASONALLY ADJUSTED, VOLUME TERMS

- The total value of engineering construction work done during the March quarter 2000 fell by 4.4% from the December quarter to \$4,472.7 million.
- Work done for the private sector was down 9.4% and has fallen for the third successive quarter. Work done for the public sector was down 1.4%.

SEASONALLY ADJUSTED AT CURRENT PRICES

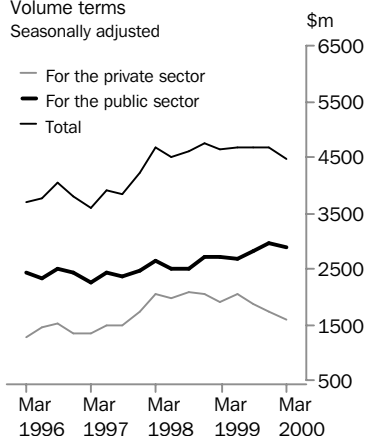
- The total value of work done in the March quarter 2000 fell by 4.1% from the December quarter 1999 to \$4,653.0 million.
- Work done for the private sector was down 9.3% and for the public sector was down 0.9%.

ORIGINAL ESTIMATES

- The value of work commenced rose by 16.1% to \$5,385.3 million.
- The value of work done in the March quarter 2000 fell by 8.6% to \$4,419.3 million. This was mainly due to work done by the private sector which was down 13.8% whereas the public sector was down 0.3%.
- The value of work yet to be done rose by 16.5% to \$7,328.9 million.

Value of work done

Volume terms
Seasonally adjusted



- For further information about these and related statistics, contact Alan Plekys on Adelaide 08 8237 7672, or the National Information Service on 1300 135 070.

NOTES

FORTHCOMING ISSUES

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CHANGES IN THIS ISSUE

There are no changes in this issue.



SIGNIFICANT REVISIONS THIS QUARTER

There are no significant revisions in this issue.



DATA NOTES

A review of the collection was undertaken in 1999 to address deficiencies in the survey methods. Following this review an improved methodology was introduced from the September quarter 1999.

Data obtained using the new methodology was first published in the December quarter 1999 issue. Adjustments were made to all data back to the September quarter 1997. The impact of these adjustments has not changed the underlying picture of engineering construction work in Australia.

For more details of the new methodology and the method of adjustment applied to previous estimates, refer to Explanatory Notes paragraphs 8 and 9 and to the December quarter 1999 issue.



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VALUE OF WORK DONE, Chain Volume Measures (a): Original and Seasonally Adjusted

BY THE PRIVATE
SECTOR.....

<i>Period</i>	<i>For the private sector</i>	<i>For the public sector</i>	<i>Total</i>	<i>By the public sector</i>	<i>Total for the public sector(b)</i>	<i>Total</i>
ORIGINAL (\$million)						
1996-1997	5 691.0	3 406.7	9 097.2	6 229.1	9 636.5	15 327.7
1997-1998	7 278.2	3 724.6	11 002.8	6 225.8	9 950.4	17 228.6
1998-1999	8 065.4	3 792.9	11 858.3	6 780.1	10 573.0	18 638.4
1998						
December	2 124.7	939.9	3 064.7	1 659.0	2 598.9	4 723.7
1999						
March	1 800.7	921.5	2 722.3	1 665.3	2 586.8	4 387.5
June	1 951.3	1 049.9	3 001.3	2 118.0	3 167.9	5 119.3
September	1 968.4	916.9	2 885.3	1 558.9	2 475.8	4 444.2
December	1 828.9	1 006.2	2 835.1	1 823.8	2 830.1	4 658.9
2000						
March	1 488.3	954.0	2 442.3	1 806.8	2 760.8	4 249.1

PERCENTAGE CHANGE FROM PREVIOUS QUARTER

1998						
December	-2.9	6.6	-0.2	24.0	17.1	7.2
1999						
March	-15.2	-2.0	-11.2	0.4	-0.5	-7.1
June	8.4	13.9	10.2	27.2	22.5	16.7
September	0.9	-12.7	-3.9	-26.4	-21.8	-13.2
December	-7.1	9.7	-1.7	17.0	14.3	4.8
2000						
March	-18.6	-5.2	-13.9	-0.9	-2.4	-8.8

SEASONALLY ADJUSTED (\$million)

1998						
December	2 028.6	955.1	2 983.7	1 745.5	2 700.6	4 729.1
1999						
March	1 918.1	960.0	2 878.1	1 755.9	2 715.9	4 634.0
June	2 027.6	964.5	2 992.1	1 695.2	2 659.7	4 687.3
September	1 871.0	951.2	2 822.2	1 852.9	2 804.2	4 675.1
December	1 736.8	1 020.3	2 757.1	1 920.3	2 940.6	4 677.4
2000						
March	1 574.3	995.0	2 569.3	1 903.3	2 898.4	4 472.7

PERCENTAGE CHANGE FROM PREVIOUS QUARTER

1998						
December	-3.0	4.6	-0.7	10.2	8.2	3.1
1999						
March	-5.4	0.5	-3.5	0.6	0.6	-2.0
June	5.7	0.5	4.0	-3.5	-2.1	1.2
September	-7.7	-1.4	-5.7	9.3	5.4	-0.3
December	-7.2	7.3	-2.3	3.6	4.9	0.0
2000						
March	-9.4	-2.5	-6.8	-0.9	-1.4	-4.4

(a) Reference year for chain volume measures is 1997-1998. See paragraphs 16-19 of the Explanatory Notes.

(b) Includes work done by the private sector for the public sector and work done by the public sector.

VALUE OF WORK DONE: Original and Seasonally Adjusted

BY THE PRIVATE
SECTOR.....

Period	For the private sector	For the public sector	Total	By the public sector	Total for the public sector(a)	Total
ORIGINAL (\$million)						
1996-1997	5 630.1	3 363.7	8 993.8	6 171.3	9 534.9	15 165.0
1997-1998	7 278.1	3 723.9	11 002.1	6 225.8	9 949.8	17 227.9
1998-1999	8 173.9	3 838.7	12 012.6	6 802.6	10 641.3	18 815.2
1998						
December	2 147.2	948.9	3 096.1	1 661.9	2 610.8	4 758.0
1999						
March	1 836.1	934.4	2 770.5	1 673.1	2 607.5	4 443.7
June	1 978.4	1 065.2	3 043.5	2 126.5	3 191.7	5 170.1
September	2 060.5	936.0	2 996.5	1 576.9	2 512.9	4 573.4
December	1 936.9	1 037.0	2 973.9	1 861.2	2 898.2	4 835.0
2000						
March	1 577.5	986.9	2 564.4	1 854.9	2 841.8	4 419.3

PERCENTAGE CHANGE FROM PREVIOUS QUARTER

1998						
December	-2.9	6.6	-0.2	23.9	17.0	7.1
1999						
March	-14.5	-1.5	-10.5	0.7	-0.1	-6.6
June	7.8	14.0	9.9	27.1	22.4	16.3
September	4.1	-12.1	-1.5	-25.8	-21.3	-11.5
December	-6.0	10.8	-0.8	18.0	15.3	5.7
2000						
March	-18.6	-4.8	-13.8	-0.3	-1.9	-8.6

SEASONALLY ADJUSTED (\$million)

1998						
December	2 048.9	964.3	3 013.2	1 744.1	2 708.4	4 757.3
1999						
March	1 951.8	973.4	2 925.1	1 760.5	2 733.8	4 685.6
June	2 049.8	978.6	3 028.4	1 698.7	2 677.2	4 727.1
September	1 969.4	969.8	2 939.2	1 868.0	2 837.7	4 807.1
December	1 849.6	1 050.1	2 899.6	1 953.0	3 003.1	4 852.6
2000						
March	1 677.8	1 027.8	2 705.7	1 947.3	2 975.2	4 653.0

PERCENTAGE CHANGE FROM PREVIOUS QUARTER

1998						
December	-3.2	4.6	-0.9	10.2	8.1	2.9
1999						
March	-4.7	0.9	-2.9	0.9	0.9	-1.5
June	5.0	0.5	3.5	-3.5	-2.1	0.9
September	-3.9	-0.9	-2.9	10.0	6.0	1.7
December	-6.1	8.3	-1.3	4.6	5.8	0.9
2000						
March	-9.3	-2.1	-6.7	-0.3	-0.9	-4.1

(a) Includes work done by the private sector for the public sector and work done by the public sector.

ACTIVITY—By State

Period	New South Wales	Victoria	Queensland	South Australia	Western Australia	Tasmania	Northern Territory	Australian Capital Territory	Australia
	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
VALUE OF WORK COMMENCED DURING PERIOD									
1996-1997	5 267.8	2 291.2	3 605.0	1 036.4	3 302.5	235.0	193.4	121.3	16 052.7
1997-1998	5 458.7	2 584.0	4 441.9	1 048.8	2 624.9	222.2	162.0	150.1	16 692.5
1998-1999	5 843.4	3 289.5	4 384.5	1 145.8	2 389.8	199.2	354.0	188.3	17 794.5
1998									
December	1 772.9	972.2	1 087.1	205.2	491.7	41.4	44.6	31.0	4 646.2
1999									
March	1 164.9	724.4	1 257.2	210.7	696.8	56.4	119.5	75.7	4 305.7
June	1 635.9	856.0	1 004.7	551.0	603.9	52.9	50.9	47.3	4 802.6
September	1 784.4	779.6	1 315.5	358.1	532.0	70.3	78.1	38.7	4 956.8
December	1 433.8	746.5	1 592.3	303.6	410.2	72.1	38.8	40.2	4 637.6
2000									
March	1 259.6	809.9	1 622.4	267.8	1 248.0	58.9	52.5	66.3	5 385.3
VALUE OF WORK DONE DURING PERIOD									
1996-1997	5 010.1	2 472.2	3 593.4	844.9	2 684.4	232.9	191.1	136.1	15 165.0
1997-1998	5 235.6	3 136.8	3 859.4	1 166.6	3 252.4	225.4	200.9	150.8	17 227.9
1998-1999	5 597.2	3 720.7	4 529.4	983.4	3 228.8	262.0	329.5	164.1	18 815.2
1998									
December	1 418.1	918.4	1 144.6	250.0	825.9	61.7	100.7	38.5	4 758.0
1999									
March	1 293.2	956.3	1 081.6	221.8	704.8	69.1	73.3	43.5	4 443.7
June	1 639.5	954.8	1 315.2	262.9	808.1	74.5	65.9	49.1	5 170.1
September	1 424.0	736.9	1 235.5	373.6	626.7	46.6	75.9	54.0	4 573.4
December	1 504.7	776.1	1 385.8	290.6	708.8	52.7	75.2	41.0	4 835.0
2000									
March	1 408.7	771.4	1 117.4	316.5	610.2	67.0	60.7	67.4	4 419.3
VALUE OF WORK YET TO BE DONE									
1996-1997	1 484.1	1 628.0	1 074.9	458.6	2 298.7	80.9	100.7	29.4	7 155.3
1997-1998	1 885.5	1 152.3	1 697.1	261.7	1 655.3	73.3	34.2	16.7	6 776.2
1998-1999	2 189.3	859.1	1 537.9	438.6	1 025.8	31.8	71.4	48.9	6 202.8
1998									
December	2 221.6	1 120.1	1 721.7	155.7	1 229.6	57.2	37.0	17.6	6 560.5
1999									
March	2 104.4	921.5	1 861.0	150.4	1 258.0	48.1	81.0	50.2	6 474.5
June	2 189.3	859.1	1 537.9	438.6	1 025.8	31.8	71.4	48.9	6 202.8
September	2 405.3	898.8	1 620.0	430.2	962.0	52.8	71.3	31.1	6 471.7
December	2 372.6	923.4	1 876.1	373.6	617.5	61.9	36.4	30.6	6 292.1
2000									
March	2 196.8	950.8	2 514.0	242.7	1 279.0	61.8	53.8	30.0	7 328.9

ACTIVITY—By State: Percentage Change

Period	New South Wales	Victoria	Queensland	South Australia	Western Australia	Tasmania	Northern Territory	Australian Capital Territory	Australia
VALUE OF WORK COMMENCED DURING PERIOD									
1998									
December	39.6	31.9	5.0	14.8	-17.7	-14.8	-67.9	-9.6	15.0
1999									
March	-34.3	-25.5	15.6	2.7	41.7	36.2	167.9	144.2	-7.3
June	40.4	18.2	-20.1	161.5	-13.3	-6.2	-57.4	-37.5	11.5
September	9.1	-8.9	30.9	-35.0	-11.9	32.9	53.4	-18.2	3.2
December	-19.6	-4.2	21.0	-15.2	-22.9	2.6	-50.3	3.9	-6.4
2000									
March	-12.1	8.5	1.9	-11.8	204.2	-18.3	35.3	64.9	16.1
VALUE OF WORK DONE DURING PERIOD									
1998									
December	13.8	3.1	15.9	0.5	-7.2	8.8	12.4	17.0	7.1
1999									
March	-8.8	4.1	-5.5	-11.3	-14.7	12.0	-27.2	13.0	-6.6
June	26.8	-0.2	21.6	18.5	14.7	7.8	-10.1	12.9	16.3
September	-13.1	-22.8	-6.1	42.1	-22.4	-37.4	15.2	10.0	-11.5
December	5.7	5.3	12.2	-22.2	13.1	13.1	-0.9	-24.1	5.7
2000									
March	-6.4	-0.6	-19.4	8.9	-13.9	27.1	-19.3	64.4	-8.6
VALUE OF WORK YET TO BE DONE									
1998									
December	17.4	3.2	-1.4	-20.6	-21.1	-19.9	-54.1	-26.7	-1.4
1999									
March	-5.3	-17.7	8.1	-3.4	2.3	-15.9	118.9	185.2	-1.3
June	4.0	-6.8	-17.4	191.6	-18.5	-33.9	-11.9	-2.6	-4.2
September	9.9	4.6	5.3	-1.9	-6.2	66.0	-0.1	-36.4	4.3
December	-1.4	2.7	15.8	-13.2	-35.8	17.2	-48.9	-1.6	-2.8
2000									
March	-7.4	3.0	34.0	-35.0	107.1	-0.2	47.8	-2.0	16.5

WORK COMMENCED BY THE PRIVATE SECTOR, By Type

<i>Period</i>	<i>Roads, highways and subdivisions</i>	<i>Bridges</i>	<i>Railways</i>	<i>Harbours</i>	<i>Water storage and supply</i>	<i>Sewerage and drainage</i>	<i>Electricity generation, transmission and distribution</i>
<i>\$m</i>	<i>\$m</i>	<i>\$m</i>	<i>\$m</i>	<i>\$m</i>	<i>\$m</i>	<i>\$m</i>	<i>\$m</i>
BY THE PRIVATE SECTOR FOR THE PRIVATE SECTOR							
1996-1997	1 070.5	40.5	55.9	118.9	141.0	70.9	398.8
1997-1998	1 817.2	95.8	204.8	260.9	137.4	105.8	493.8
1998-1999	1 264.0	42.3	160.5	116.2	109.4	76.3	1 210.3
1998							
December	321.8	2.4	4.7	15.3	29.7	18.2	139.3
1999							
March	303.7	0.0	129.3	28.7	24.9	19.8	154.4
June	322.9	37.5	21.8	26.5	25.4	17.1	799.6
September	412.4	7.0	13.6	15.9	44.4	26.4	631.7
December	321.8	10.9	0.6	4.0	24.7	36.4	372.7
2000							
March	323.8	1.3	6.1	36.3	28.8	22.3	183.0
BY THE PRIVATE SECTOR FOR THE PUBLIC SECTOR							
1996-1997	1 664.5	88.9	589.3	136.3	235.9	183.5	248.2
1997-1998	2 216.4	129.7	159.4	107.2	71.8	317.5	211.0
1998-1999	2 409.2	298.1	70.8	64.2	275.8	394.1	299.4
1998							
December	1 163.0	109.0	13.9	30.4	59.0	45.8	126.6
1999							
March	586.2	46.6	20.1	9.1	128.6	137.8	44.8
June	314.8	119.8	17.9	16.7	62.3	133.2	72.1
September	384.0	30.9	51.8	28.5	48.4	139.3	62.4
December	625.3	33.3	49.4	10.0	45.3	166.4	31.0
2000							
March	729.1	16.0	22.2	5.9	16.7	161.3	24.4
TOTAL BY THE PRIVATE SECTOR							
1996-1997	2 734.9	129.4	645.2	255.2	376.8	254.4	647.0
1997-1998	4 033.7	225.6	364.2	368.1	209.2	423.3	704.8
1998-1999	3 673.2	340.4	231.2	180.4	385.2	470.4	1 509.7
1998							
December	1 484.8	111.4	18.6	45.7	88.7	64.0	265.9
1999							
March	889.9	46.6	149.5	37.8	153.5	157.6	199.3
June	637.7	157.3	39.7	43.2	87.7	150.3	871.7
September	796.3	37.9	65.4	44.4	92.9	165.7	694.1
December	947.1	44.2	50.1	14.0	69.9	202.8	403.7
2000							
March	1 052.8	17.3	28.3	42.2	45.5	183.6	207.4

WORK COMMENCED BY THE PRIVATE SECTOR, By Type *continued*

Period	Pipelines	Recreation	Telecommu- nications	Oil, gas, coal and other minerals	Other heavy industry	Other	Total
	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
BY THE PRIVATE SECTOR FOR THE PRIVATE SECTOR							
1996-1997	248.9	584.8	130.7	2 885.0	433.5	31.5	6 210.9
1997-1998	374.6	646.8	38.8	2 284.5	462.0	46.2	6 968.6
1998-1999	322.8	548.5	234.4	2 412.1	563.6	62.1	7 122.5
1998							
December	35.2	167.6	35.7	355.2	246.7	16.0	1 387.7
1999							
March	84.9	114.1	12.5	797.0	122.7	15.9	1 808.0
June	166.1	123.7	37.8	490.9	86.7	10.6	2 166.8
September	168.1	95.0	23.0	378.2	64.7	16.6	1 897.1
December	44.6	84.4	67.5	455.1	118.2	7.4	1 548.4
2000							
March	56.5	106.8	100.1	1 094.2	53.5	1.0	2 013.7
BY THE PRIVATE SECTOR FOR THE PUBLIC SECTOR							
1996-1997	25.9	120.2	7.4	108.0	13.8	9.7	3 431.6
1997-1998	36.7	102.8	30.1	25.6	8.0	10.7	3 427.0
1998-1999	7.9	123.9	15.0	46.7	11.8	8.4	4 025.3
1998							
December	0.8	27.3	1.3	1.9	0.2	2.2	1 581.4
1999							
March	4.9	26.5	1.7	4.6	3.6	4.5	1 019.1
June	1.3	36.0	4.8	5.7	6.4	1.3	792.2
September	22.1	13.9	73.0	3.8	2.6	2.7	863.5
December	0.7	12.1	11.8	0.4	0.8	6.2	992.8
2000							
March	7.1	13.6	12.5	0.1	1.2	3.1	1 013.3
TOTAL BY THE PRIVATE SECTOR							
1996-1997	274.8	705.0	138.1	2 993.1	447.4	41.1	9 642.5
1997-1998	411.3	749.6	68.9	2 310.1	470.0	56.9	10 395.5
1998-1999	330.7	672.4	249.5	2 458.8	575.4	70.6	11 147.8
1998							
December	36.0	194.9	37.0	357.1	246.8	18.2	2 969.1
1999							
March	89.8	140.6	14.2	801.7	126.2	20.4	2 827.1
June	167.4	159.8	42.6	496.6	93.1	11.9	2 959.0
September	190.2	108.9	96.0	382.0	67.4	19.4	2 760.7
December	45.3	96.5	79.4	455.5	119.1	13.6	2 541.2
2000							
March	63.6	120.5	112.6	1 094.2	54.7	4.1	3 026.9

WORK DONE BY THE PRIVATE SECTOR, By Type

<i>Period</i>	<i>Roads, highways and subdivisions</i>	<i>Bridges</i>	<i>Railways</i>	<i>Harbours</i>	<i>Water storage and supply</i>	<i>Sewerage and drainage</i>	<i>Electricity generation, transmission and distribution</i>
<i>\$m</i>	<i>\$m</i>	<i>\$m</i>	<i>\$m</i>	<i>\$m</i>	<i>\$m</i>	<i>\$m</i>	<i>\$m</i>
BY THE PRIVATE SECTOR FOR THE PRIVATE SECTOR							
1996-1997	1 466.3	34.2	79.5	79.7	120.8	75.3	410.8
1997-1998	1 842.4	23.3	169.8	203.8	138.3	101.7	599.7
1998-1999	2 077.4	58.8	153.8	187.6	136.6	76.4	708.3
1998							
December	520.2	6.1	27.2	52.5	37.6	20.8	180.0
1999							
March	475.8	16.6	20.5	28.1	37.2	16.7	138.3
June	470.1	27.6	48.3	32.2	30.4	18.3	222.9
September	430.0	21.8	48.0	27.6	34.7	29.0	393.7
December	436.0	25.0	45.7	14.8	37.7	33.1	359.7
2000							
March	354.0	22.2	22.4	18.0	33.7	29.4	274.5
BY THE PRIVATE SECTOR FOR THE PUBLIC SECTOR							
1996-1997	1 512.4	102.5	390.3	150.2	170.6	212.3	515.0
1997-1998	2 002.3	124.0	427.0	84.0	149.1	264.0	395.7
1998-1999	2 325.3	175.6	343.3	91.2	170.5	298.1	242.9
1998							
December	600.1	40.2	99.7	19.7	29.5	66.1	47.4
1999							
March	572.7	41.8	79.1	23.9	45.3	62.1	64.0
June	633.6	53.1	74.9	18.4	52.0	93.1	82.3
September	494.5	67.6	51.1	25.1	51.1	97.0	65.2
December	568.2	92.3	60.0	17.5	53.6	121.7	56.8
2000							
March	619.9	56.3	25.7	14.7	52.6	108.0	58.3
TOTAL BY THE PRIVATE SECTOR							
1996-1997	2 978.7	136.7	469.8	229.9	291.4	287.6	925.7
1997-1998	3 844.7	147.3	596.8	287.8	287.5	365.7	995.4
1998-1999	4 402.7	234.4	497.1	278.9	307.2	374.5	951.2
1998							
December	1 120.3	46.3	126.9	72.2	67.0	86.9	227.4
1999							
March	1 048.5	58.4	99.7	52.0	82.5	78.8	202.3
June	1 103.6	80.6	123.2	50.7	82.4	111.4	305.2
September	924.4	89.4	99.1	52.7	85.9	126.0	458.9
December	1 004.2	117.2	105.7	32.3	91.2	154.8	416.5
2000							
March	973.9	78.4	48.1	32.8	86.3	137.4	332.8

WORK DONE BY THE PRIVATE SECTOR, By Type *continued*

Period	Pipelines	Recreation	Telecommu- nications	Oil, gas, coal and other minerals	Other heavy industry	Other	Total
	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
BY THE PRIVATE SECTOR FOR THE PRIVATE SECTOR							
1996-1997	237.6	581.2	166.1	1 774.8	569.3	34.5	5 630.1
1997-1998	295.6	640.5	66.8	2 710.2	439.6	46.3	7 278.1
1998-1999	385.5	566.8	105.0	3 055.1	598.3	64.4	8 173.9
1998							
December	115.7	170.9	24.7	818.1	156.0	17.4	2 147.2
1999							
March	92.8	124.5	39.1	667.0	165.2	14.4	1 836.1
June	83.2	127.4	25.2	728.2	152.8	11.7	1 978.4
September	120.1	98.7	45.5	683.1	110.0	18.3	2 060.5
December	102.8	91.0	58.8	645.2	78.1	9.0	1 936.9
2000							
March	93.2	105.5	110.7	447.5	65.0	1.6	1 577.5
BY THE PRIVATE SECTOR FOR THE PUBLIC SECTOR							
1996-1997	79.8	89.4	7.1	109.9	14.2	10.1	3 363.7
1997-1998	32.2	117.7	32.0	78.3	8.3	9.4	3 723.9
1998-1999	11.8	111.7	20.2	33.7	6.6	7.8	3 838.7
1998							
December	2.3	31.8	4.1	5.6	1.3	1.2	948.9
1999							
March	4.4	25.0	3.2	9.8	0.2	2.7	934.4
June	1.7	30.8	6.2	11.7	3.8	3.6	1 065.2
September	3.4	43.2	17.6	7.5	8.6	4.1	936.0
December	6.7	27.7	22.8	3.4	1.9	4.6	1 037.0
2000							
March	5.7	11.1	28.3	0.3	0.8	5.1	986.9
TOTAL BY THE PRIVATE SECTOR							
1996-1997	317.4	670.5	173.2	1 884.8	583.5	44.6	8 993.8
1997-1998	327.7	758.2	98.8	2 788.5	447.9	55.7	11 002.1
1998-1999	397.3	678.5	125.1	3 088.8	604.8	72.2	12 012.6
1998							
December	118.0	202.6	28.8	823.7	157.3	18.6	3 096.1
1999							
March	97.2	149.5	42.3	676.8	165.4	17.1	2 770.5
June	84.9	158.2	31.5	739.9	156.6	15.3	3 043.5
September	123.5	142.0	63.1	690.6	118.6	22.4	2 996.5
December	109.5	118.7	81.6	648.6	80.0	13.7	2 973.9
2000							
March	98.9	116.6	139.0	447.8	65.8	6.7	2 564.4

WORK YET TO BE DONE BY THE PRIVATE SECTOR, By Type

<i>Period</i>	<i>Roads, highways and subdivisions</i>	<i>Bridges</i>	<i>Railways</i>	<i>Harbours</i>	<i>Water storage and supply</i>	<i>Sewerage and drainage</i>	<i>Electricity generation, transmission and distribution</i>
<i>\$m</i>	<i>\$m</i>	<i>\$m</i>	<i>\$m</i>	<i>\$m</i>	<i>\$m</i>	<i>\$m</i>	<i>\$m</i>
BY THE PRIVATE SECTOR FOR THE PRIVATE SECTOR							
1996-1997	1 171.1	10.1	99.6	61.5	25.9	11.5	294.5
1997-1998	1 178.7	78.2	152.4	109.8	15.3	21.0	227.0
1998-1999	417.6	65.2	174.3	27.4	9.2	19.6	775.2
1998							
December	716.2	70.0	87.2	34.8	23.0	13.0	184.6
1999							
March	555.4	55.5	200.4	32.1	14.2	17.8	191.6
June	417.6	65.2	174.3	27.4	9.2	19.6	775.2
September	401.9	50.3	137.5	13.6	21.6	29.4	927.8
December	305.7	36.3	88.8	3.5	11.7	29.0	853.9
2000							
March	273.8	15.9	73.1	24.2	10.5	24.1	704.0
BY THE PRIVATE SECTOR FOR THE PUBLIC SECTOR							
1996-1997	1 015.2	43.5	329.4	25.6	121.2	101.8	273.5
1997-1998	1 368.0	55.3	313.6	56.2	56.6	174.0	96.8
1998-1999	1 549.5	216.1	94.6	24.9	168.8	278.1	153.2
1998							
December	1 785.7	146.3	169.5	42.1	78.3	164.8	172.2
1999							
March	1 842.0	150.9	112.5	27.1	156.9	242.0	164.0
June	1 549.5	216.1	94.6	24.9	168.8	278.1	153.2
September	1 419.9	184.5	96.0	31.7	168.4	325.4	127.4
December	1 500.8	139.6	74.0	24.2	166.8	372.1	91.9
2000							
March	1 806.3	116.9	70.5	15.3	125.6	422.4	63.2
TOTAL BY THE PRIVATE SECTOR							
1996-1997	2 186.3	53.6	429.0	87.0	147.1	113.3	568.0
1997-1998	2 546.7	133.5	466.0	166.0	71.9	195.0	323.8
1998-1999	1 967.1	281.3	268.9	52.3	178.0	297.7	928.4
1998							
December	2 501.9	216.3	256.7	76.9	101.3	177.8	356.8
1999							
March	2 397.4	206.3	312.9	59.2	171.1	259.7	355.6
June	1 967.1	281.3	268.9	52.3	178.0	297.7	928.4
September	1 821.7	234.8	233.5	45.2	190.0	354.8	1 055.2
December	1 806.5	175.9	162.8	27.7	178.5	401.2	945.7
2000							
March	2 080.1	132.8	143.6	39.5	136.1	446.5	767.2

WORK YET TO BE DONE BY THE PRIVATE SECTOR, By Type *continued*

Period	Pipelines	Recreation	Telecommu- nications	Oil, gas, coal and other minerals	Other heavy industry	Other	Total
	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
BY THE PRIVATE SECTOR FOR THE PRIVATE SECTOR							
1996-1997	106.5	27.7	17.1	2 077.0	162.7	0.9	4 066.1
1997-1998	180.6	62.6	5.5	1 482.8	225.3	2.4	3 741.5
1998-1999	118.0	28.6	126.3	1 032.7	198.1	3.1	2 995.2
1998							
December	48.0	47.9	128.5	1 183.2	292.2	2.5	2 831.2
1999							
March	41.4	28.5	107.1	1 297.1	258.1	4.4	2 803.6
June	118.0	28.6	126.3	1 032.7	198.1	3.1	2 995.2
September	169.1	27.0	138.1	768.3	127.3	2.5	2 814.4
December	105.3	24.2	213.7	587.4	176.6	2.1	2 438.1
2000							
March	67.0	39.3	217.7	1 178.4	88.0	0.2	2 716.2
BY THE PRIVATE SECTOR FOR THE PUBLIC SECTOR							
1996-1997	0.1	39.6	0.2	51.8	6.9	1.0	2 009.6
1997-1998	5.7	21.6	6.0	3.8	2.2	1.2	2 160.9
1998-1999	2.3	33.8	1.4	17.6	6.8	1.4	2 548.5
1998							
December	2.4	27.0	3.9	28.1	0.1	1.4	2 621.8
1999							
March	3.1	28.3	2.6	23.1	3.8	2.3	2 758.3
June	2.3	33.8	1.4	17.6	6.8	1.4	2 548.5
September	22.9	15.9	59.1	2.8	1.8	1.4	2 457.2
December	13.0	4.3	47.0	0.5	0.0	3.5	2 437.7
2000							
March	14.4	6.8	25.2	0.3	0.4	1.4	2 668.6
TOTAL BY THE PRIVATE SECTOR							
1996-1997	106.6	67.3	17.4	2 128.8	169.5	1.9	6 075.7
1997-1998	186.3	84.2	11.5	1 486.5	227.5	3.5	5 902.4
1998-1999	120.3	62.4	127.8	1 050.2	204.9	4.5	5 543.8
1998							
December	50.4	74.9	132.4	1 211.3	292.3	3.9	5 453.0
1999							
March	44.5	56.8	109.7	1 320.1	261.8	6.7	5 561.9
June	120.3	62.4	127.8	1 050.2	204.9	4.5	5 543.8
September	192.0	42.9	197.2	771.1	129.1	4.0	5 271.6
December	118.3	28.4	260.7	587.9	176.6	5.6	4 875.8
2000							
March	81.3	46.1	242.9	1 178.7	88.4	1.6	5 384.8

ACTIVITY BY THE PUBLIC SECTOR, By Type

<i>Period</i>	<i>Roads, highways and subdivisions</i>	<i>Bridges</i>	<i>Railways</i>	<i>Harbours</i>	<i>Water storage and supply</i>	<i>Sewerage and drainage</i>	<i>Electricity generation, transmission and distribution</i>
<i>\$m</i>	<i>\$m</i>	<i>\$m</i>	<i>\$m</i>	<i>\$m</i>	<i>\$m</i>	<i>\$m</i>	<i>\$m</i>
VALUE OF WORK COMMENCED DURING PERIOD							
1996-1997	1 724.3	79.5	949.9	22.1	114.4	183.0	582.4
1997-1998	1 867.8	128.8	357.2	35.0	194.7	272.2	543.1
1998-1999	1 689.3	95.4	398.9	48.7	239.4	269.4	727.7
1998							
December	415.5	24.5	117.2	16.5	48.4	41.8	171.0
1999							
March	373.0	29.6	82.5	13.3	41.4	59.0	177.0
June	441.9	24.7	76.8	10.3	88.5	83.5	209.7
September	504.6	36.2	355.1	2.2	117.7	87.8	252.2
December	398.0	19.5	275.6	9.9	200.0	38.5	209.7
2000							
March	406.5	11.0	6.8	2.0	44.6	75.2	900.7
VALUE OF WORK DONE DURING PERIOD							
1996-1997	1 548.0	99.1	848.1	23.1	139.4	197.4	574.4
1997-1998	1 619.5	125.8	539.9	28.3	170.5	263.0	614.0
1998-1999	1 663.8	101.9	517.3	47.5	230.6	273.3	775.4
1998							
December	421.8	19.7	112.0	16.4	50.1	50.1	179.1
1999							
March	403.7	25.3	128.0	13.1	47.4	65.4	193.2
June	542.0	39.4	128.1	10.1	87.6	106.7	234.0
September	354.3	17.1	135.7	1.7	62.6	47.4	157.7
December	426.6	19.5	109.1	6.6	73.6	50.2	231.6
2000							
March	413.1	20.7	97.6	3.7	59.9	73.7	266.1
VALUE OF WORK YET TO BE DONE							
1996-1997	313.3	9.0	328.3	0.9	89.8	84.6	208.3
1997-1998	223.8	15.5	271.1	7.8	68.5	102.9	133.9
1998-1999	202.5	11.2	161.5	7.3	47.5	67.6	114.3
1998							
December	335.9	19.9	259.9	7.3	66.0	96.3	146.8
1999							
March	306.7	24.2	209.5	7.3	42.4	85.3	136.0
June	202.5	11.2	161.5	7.3	47.5	67.6	114.3
September	355.5	29.1	369.7	2.0	118.4	97.8	152.3
December	311.1	24.9	545.2	5.5	226.3	78.1	151.2
2000							
March	314.6	16.2	441.3	2.9	219.0	79.8	800.5

ACTIVITY BY THE PUBLIC SECTOR, By Type *continued*

Period	Pipelines \$m	Recreation \$m	Telecommu- nications \$m	Oil, gas, coal and other minerals \$m	Other heavy industry \$m	Other \$m	Total \$m
VALUE OF WORK COMMENCED DURING PERIOD							
1996-1997	22.0	117.3	2 602.0	9.1	0.0	4.1	6 410.2
1997-1998	84.8	119.7	2 671.9	13.6	0.3	7.9	6 296.9
1998-1999	103.6	135.7	2 852.7	73.2	1.9	10.6	6 646.6
1998							
December	4.5	33.4	741.8	58.6	1.9	2.0	1 677.0
1999							
March	4.0	22.2	672.7	0.0	0.0	4.1	1 478.6
June	0.9	28.0	875.9	0.0	0.0	3.4	1 843.7
September	3.4	62.8	771.9	0.0	0.2	2.2	2 196.1
December	3.9	43.6	897.4	0.0	0.0	0.3	2 096.4
2000							
March	9.2	30.4	872.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	2 358.4
VALUE OF WORK DONE DURING PERIOD							
1996-1997	20.7	106.0	2 609.4	3.5	0.0	2.0	6 171.3
1997-1998	35.3	102.8	2 702.7	17.1	0.2	6.8	6 225.8
1998-1999	94.0	140.2	2 870.3	74.7	2.0	11.6	6 802.6
1998							
December	14.1	33.5	743.0	19.3	1.0	1.7	1 661.9
1999							
March	41.5	34.7	677.7	38.8	1.0	3.3	1 673.1
June	29.1	46.6	882.5	16.3	0.0	4.1	2 126.5
September	2.4	41.8	753.7	0.0	0.2	2.3	1 576.9
December	3.8	34.1	905.4	0.0	0.0	0.8	1 861.2
2000							
March	7.5	38.5	874.0	0.0	0.0	0.1	1 854.9
VALUE OF WORK YET TO BE DONE							
1996-1997	8.2	23.9	9.7	0.8	0.0	2.8	1 079.6
1997-1998	8.2	31.3	6.7	2.4	0.1	1.5	873.8
1998-1999	6.4	28.0	6.2	3.7	0.0	2.7	659.0
1998							
December	58.2	59.2	8.5	46.9	0.8	1.7	1 107.4
1999							
March	27.3	47.2	7.8	16.3	0.0	2.5	912.6
June	6.4	28.0	6.2	3.7	0.0	2.7	659.0
September	1.1	54.2	18.9	0.0	0.0	1.0	1 200.1
December	0.2	62.3	11.1	0.0	0.0	0.4	1 416.3
2000							
March	2.5	56.9	10.2	0.0	0.0	0.2	1 944.1

ACTIVITY FOR THE PUBLIC SECTOR, By Type

Period	Roads, highways and subdivisions	Bridges	Railways	Harbours	Water storage and supply	Sewerage and drainage	Electricity generation, transmission and distribution
	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
VALUE OF WORK COMMENCED DURING PERIOD							
1996-1997	3 388.7	168.4	1 539.2	158.4	350.3	366.5	830.6
1997-1998	4 084.2	258.5	516.6	142.3	266.5	589.7	754.1
1998-1999	4 098.5	393.5	469.7	112.9	515.3	663.5	1 027.2
1998							
December	1 578.5	133.5	131.1	46.9	107.4	87.6	297.6
1999							
March	959.2	76.1	102.6	22.5	169.9	196.8	221.8
June	756.7	144.5	94.7	27.0	150.8	216.7	281.8
September	888.6	67.0	406.8	30.6	166.1	227.1	314.6
December	1 023.3	52.9	325.0	19.9	245.2	204.9	240.7
2000							
March	1 135.6	27.0	29.0	7.9	61.3	236.5	925.0
VALUE OF WORK DONE DURING PERIOD							
1996-1997	3 060.4	201.6	1 238.5	173.2	310.0	409.7	1 089.4
1997-1998	3 621.8	249.8	966.9	112.3	319.6	527.1	1 009.6
1998-1999	3 989.1	277.5	860.7	138.7	401.1	571.4	1 018.3
1998							
December	1 021.9	59.9	211.7	36.1	79.6	116.2	226.5
1999							
March	976.4	67.1	207.1	37.0	92.7	127.5	257.2
June	1 175.6	92.5	203.0	28.5	139.6	199.9	316.2
September	848.7	84.8	186.8	26.9	113.7	144.4	222.9
December	994.7	111.8	169.1	24.0	127.1	171.9	288.4
2000							
March	1 033.0	77.0	123.3	18.5	112.5	181.7	324.4
VALUE OF WORK YET TO BE DONE							
1996-1997	1 328.5	52.4	657.7	26.4	210.9	186.4	481.8
1997-1998	1 591.8	70.7	584.7	64.0	125.1	276.9	230.7
1998-1999	1 752.0	227.3	256.2	32.1	216.3	345.7	267.5
1998							
December	2 121.6	166.2	429.4	49.4	144.3	261.1	319.0
1999							
March	2 148.7	175.1	322.0	34.4	199.3	327.3	299.9
June	1 752.0	227.3	256.2	32.1	216.3	345.7	267.5
September	1 775.4	213.6	465.7	33.7	286.8	423.2	279.7
December	1 811.9	164.5	619.1	29.7	393.1	450.2	243.1
2000							
March	2 120.9	133.1	511.8	18.2	344.6	502.2	863.7

ACTIVITY FOR THE PUBLIC SECTOR, By Type *continued*

Period	Pipelines	Recreation	Telecommu- nications	Oil, gas, coal and other minerals	Other heavy industry	Other	Total
	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
VALUE OF WORK COMMENCED DURING PERIOD							
1996-1997	48.0	237.5	2 609.3	117.1	13.8	13.8	9 841.8
1997-1998	121.5	222.5	2 701.9	39.2	8.3	18.6	9 723.9
1998-1999	111.5	259.6	2 867.8	119.9	13.7	19.1	10 672.0
1998							
December	5.3	60.8	743.1	60.6	2.1	4.2	3 258.4
1999							
March	9.0	48.7	674.4	4.6	3.6	8.6	2 497.7
June	2.1	64.1	880.7	5.7	6.4	4.7	2 635.8
September	25.5	76.7	844.9	3.8	2.8	5.0	3 059.6
December	4.6	55.7	909.2	0.4	0.8	6.4	3 089.2
2000							
March	16.3	44.0	884.6	0.1	1.2	3.1	3 371.7
VALUE OF WORK DONE DURING PERIOD							
1996-1997	100.5	195.4	2 616.5	113.5	14.2	12.0	9 534.9
1997-1998	67.4	220.5	2 734.7	95.5	8.5	16.2	9 949.8
1998-1999	105.8	251.8	2 890.5	108.4	8.6	19.4	10 641.3
1998							
December	16.4	65.3	747.1	25.0	2.3	2.9	2 610.8
1999							
March	46.0	59.7	680.9	48.7	1.2	6.1	2 607.5
June	30.8	77.4	888.8	28.0	3.8	7.7	3 191.7
September	5.8	85.0	771.3	7.5	8.8	6.4	2 512.9
December	10.5	61.7	928.1	3.4	1.9	5.4	2 898.2
2000							
March	13.2	49.6	902.3	0.3	0.8	5.2	2 841.8
VALUE OF WORK YET TO BE DONE							
1996-1997	8.3	63.5	9.9	52.6	6.9	3.8	3 089.3
1997-1998	13.9	52.9	12.7	6.2	2.3	2.7	3 034.7
1998-1999	8.7	61.8	7.6	21.3	6.8	4.2	3 207.5
1998							
December	60.6	86.2	12.4	75.0	0.9	3.1	3 729.2
1999							
March	30.4	75.5	10.4	39.4	3.8	4.8	3 670.9
June	8.7	61.8	7.6	21.3	6.8	4.2	3 207.5
September	24.0	70.1	78.0	2.8	1.8	2.4	3 657.3
December	13.3	66.6	58.1	0.5	0.0	3.9	3 854.0
2000							
March	16.8	63.7	35.4	0.3	0.4	1.6	4 612.7

ACTIVITY, By Type and Sector—Australia

Period	WORK COMMENCED DURING PERIOD.....			WORK DONE DURING PERIOD.....			WORK YET TO BE DONE.....		
	Private	Public	Total	Private	Public	Total	Private	Public	Total
	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
ROADS, HIGHWAYS AND SUBDIVISIONS									
1999									
March	889.9	373.0	1 262.9	1 048.5	403.7	1 452.2	2 397.4	306.7	2 704.1
June	637.7	441.9	1 079.6	1 103.6	542.0	1 645.6	1 967.1	202.5	2 169.6
September	796.3	504.6	1 301.0	924.4	354.3	1 278.7	1 821.7	355.5	2 177.3
December	947.1	398.0	1 345.1	1 004.2	426.6	1 430.8	1 806.5	311.1	2 117.6
2000									
March	1 052.8	406.5	1 459.4	973.9	413.1	1 387.0	2 080.1	314.6	2 394.7
BRIDGES									
1999									
March	46.6	29.6	76.1	58.4	25.3	83.7	206.3	24.2	230.6
June	157.3	24.7	182.0	80.6	39.4	120.1	281.3	11.2	292.5
September	37.9	36.2	74.0	89.4	17.1	106.6	234.8	29.1	263.9
December	44.2	19.5	63.7	117.2	19.5	136.8	175.9	24.9	200.8
2000									
March	17.3	11.0	28.3	78.4	20.7	99.2	132.8	16.2	149.0
RAILWAYS									
1999									
March	149.5	82.5	231.9	99.7	128.0	227.7	312.9	209.5	522.4
June	39.7	76.8	116.5	123.2	128.1	251.3	268.9	161.5	430.4
September	65.4	355.1	420.5	99.1	135.7	234.8	233.5	369.7	603.2
December	50.1	275.6	325.6	105.7	109.1	214.9	162.8	545.2	708.0
2000									
March	28.3	6.8	35.1	48.1	97.6	145.7	143.6	441.3	584.9
HARBOURS									
1999									
March	37.8	13.3	51.2	52.0	13.1	65.1	59.2	7.3	66.5
June	43.2	10.3	53.6	50.7	10.1	60.8	52.3	7.3	59.5
September	44.4	2.2	46.5	52.7	1.7	54.5	45.2	2.0	47.3
December	14.0	9.9	23.9	32.3	6.6	38.8	27.7	5.5	33.2
2000									
March	42.2	2.0	44.2	32.8	3.7	36.5	39.5	2.9	42.4
WATER STORAGE AND SUPPLY									
1999									
March	153.5	41.4	194.8	82.5	47.4	129.9	171.1	42.4	213.5
June	87.7	88.5	176.2	82.4	87.6	170.0	178.0	47.5	225.5
September	92.9	117.7	210.6	85.9	62.6	148.4	190.0	118.4	308.4
December	69.9	200.0	269.9	91.2	73.6	164.8	178.5	226.3	404.8
2000									
March	45.5	44.6	90.1	86.3	59.9	146.2	136.1	219.0	355.1
SEWERAGE AND DRAINAGE									
1999									
March	157.6	59.0	216.6	78.8	65.4	144.2	259.7	85.3	345.0
June	150.3	83.5	233.9	111.4	106.7	218.1	297.7	67.6	365.3
September	165.7	87.8	253.5	126.0	47.4	173.3	354.8	97.8	452.6
December	202.8	38.5	241.3	154.8	50.2	205.0	401.2	78.1	479.3
2000									
March	183.6	75.2	258.8	137.4	73.7	211.1	446.5	79.8	526.4
ELECTRICITY GENERATION, TRANSMISSION AND DISTRIBUTION									
1999									
March	199.3	177.0	376.2	202.3	193.2	395.4	355.6	136.0	491.6
June	871.7	209.7	1 081.4	305.2	234.0	539.1	928.4	114.3	1 042.7
September	694.1	252.2	946.3	458.9	157.7	616.6	1 055.2	152.3	1 207.5
December	403.7	209.7	613.4	416.5	231.6	648.1	945.7	151.2	1 096.9
2000									
March	207.4	900.7	1 108.1	332.8	266.1	598.9	767.2	800.5	1 567.7

Period	WORK COMMENCED DURING PERIOD...			WORK DONE DURING PERIOD.....			WORK YET TO BE DONE.....		
	<i>Private</i>	<i>Public</i>	<i>Total</i>	<i>Private</i>	<i>Public</i>	<i>Total</i>	<i>Private</i>	<i>Public</i>	<i>Total</i>
	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
PIPELINES									
1999									
March	89.8	4.0	93.8	97.2	41.5	138.8	44.5	27.3	71.8
June	167.4	0.9	168.2	84.9	29.1	114.0	120.3	6.4	126.7
September	190.2	3.4	193.6	123.5	2.4	125.9	192.0	1.1	193.1
December	45.3	3.9	49.2	109.5	3.8	113.3	118.3	0.2	118.6
2000									
March	63.6	9.2	72.8	98.9	7.5	106.4	81.3	2.5	83.8
RECREATION									
1999									
March	140.6	22.2	162.8	149.5	34.7	184.2	56.8	47.2	104.0
June	159.8	28.0	187.8	158.2	46.6	204.8	62.4	28.0	90.5
September	108.9	62.8	171.7	142.0	41.8	183.7	42.9	54.2	97.1
December	96.5	43.6	140.1	118.7	34.1	152.8	28.4	62.3	90.7
2000									
March	120.5	30.4	150.8	116.6	38.5	155.1	46.1	56.9	103.0
TELECOMMUNICATIONS									
1999									
March	14.2	672.7	686.9	42.3	677.7	720.0	109.7	7.8	117.5
June	42.6	875.9	918.5	31.5	882.5	914.0	127.8	6.2	134.0
September	96.0	771.9	867.9	63.1	753.7	816.7	197.2	18.9	216.1
December	79.4	897.4	976.8	81.6	905.4	986.9	260.7	11.1	271.8
2000									
March	112.6	872.1	984.6	139.0	874.0	1 013.0	242.9	10.2	253.1
OIL, GAS, COAL AND OTHER MINERALS									
1999									
March	801.7	0.0	801.7	676.8	38.8	715.6	1 320.1	16.3	1 336.4
June	496.6	0.0	496.6	739.9	16.3	756.2	1 050.2	3.7	1 054.0
September	382.0	0.0	382.0	690.6	0.0	690.6	771.1	0.0	771.1
December	455.5	0.0	455.5	648.6	0.0	648.6	587.9	0.0	587.9
2000									
March	1 094.2	0.0	1 094.2	447.8	0.0	447.8	1 178.7	0.0	1 178.7
OTHER HEAVY INDUSTRY									
1999									
March	126.2	0.0	126.2	165.4	1.0	166.4	261.8	0.0	261.8
June	93.1	0.0	93.1	156.6	0.0	156.6	204.9	0.0	204.9
September	67.4	0.2	67.5	118.6	0.2	118.8	129.1	0.0	129.2
December	119.1	0.0	119.1	80.0	0.0	80.0	176.6	0.0	176.6
2000									
March	54.7	0.0	54.7	65.8	0.0	65.8	88.4	0.0	88.4
OTHER									
1999									
March	20.4	4.1	24.5	17.1	3.3	20.5	6.7	2.5	9.2
June	11.9	3.4	15.3	15.3	4.1	19.3	4.5	2.7	7.2
September	19.4	2.2	21.6	22.4	2.3	24.7	4.0	1.0	4.9
December	13.6	0.3	13.8	13.7	0.8	14.4	5.6	0.4	6.0
2000									
March	4.1	0.0	4.1	6.7	0.1	6.8	1.6	0.2	1.8
TOTAL									
1999									
March	2 827.1	1 478.6	4 305.7	2 770.5	1 673.1	4 443.7	5 561.9	912.6	6 474.5
June	2 959.0	1 843.7	4 802.6	3 043.5	2 126.5	5 170.1	5 543.8	659.0	6 202.8
September	2 760.7	2 196.1	4 956.8	2 996.5	1 576.9	4 573.4	5 271.6	1 200.1	6 471.7
December	2 541.2	2 096.4	4 637.6	2 973.9	1 861.2	4 835.0	4 875.8	1 416.3	6 292.1
2000									
March	3 026.9	2 358.4	5 385.3	2 564.4	1 854.9	4 419.3	5 384.8	1 944.1	7 328.9

ACTIVITY, By Type and Sector—New South Wales

Quarters	WORK COMMENCED DURING PERIOD...			WORK DONE DURING PERIOD...			WORK YET TO BE DONE.....		
	Private	Public	Total	Private	Public	Total	Private	Public	Total
	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
ROADS, HIGHWAYS AND SUBDIVISIONS									
1999									
March	211.7	164.2	375.9	290.8	171.1	461.9	1 157.2	97.9	1 255.1
June	175.7	188.8	364.5	348.9	242.1	591.0	1 007.1	52.9	1 060.0
September	222.8	222.1	444.9	301.9	155.9	457.8	907.1	105.4	1 012.4
December	275.8	162.7	438.5	328.9	156.0	484.9	856.7	113.4	970.0
2000									
March	450.7	161.2	611.9	301.1	164.3	465.5	1 018.8	104.8	1 123.7
BRIDGES									
1999									
March	31.4	11.5	42.8	8.6	10.2	18.8	30.4	14.9	45.3
June	15.5	6.9	22.4	11.1	16.5	27.6	34.6	5.9	40.6
September	4.5	24.9	29.3	10.4	10.7	21.1	28.9	19.4	48.3
December	7.2	2.9	10.1	12.3	7.1	19.4	24.1	11.7	35.9
2000									
March	12.0	4.3	16.3	13.9	7.8	21.7	33.7	7.8	41.5
RAILWAYS									
1999									
March	12.3	39.7	52.0	60.2	69.7	129.9	82.3	79.0	161.3
June	8.0	31.4	39.3	57.5	79.2	136.6	69.7	34.7	104.4
September	1.1	339.0	340.1	25.6	99.2	124.7	45.6	278.2	323.8
December	2.5	0.0	2.5	29.7	70.9	100.6	4.1	207.3	211.4
2000									
March	7.0	0.0	7.0	5.8	67.2	73.0	5.3	137.4	142.7
HARBOURS									
1999									
March	1.1	0.4	1.5	5.9	0.4	6.3	3.7	0.0	3.7
June	5.8	0.0	5.8	5.6	0.0	5.6	4.0	0.0	4.0
September	5.2	0.8	6.0	6.0	0.1	6.1	2.6	0.8	3.4
December	1.4	0.0	1.4	2.6	0.0	2.7	0.8	0.8	1.6
2000									
March	5.8	0.1	5.9	4.7	0.0	4.7	2.3	0.8	3.1
WATER STORAGE AND SUPPLY									
1999									
March	107.0	3.4	110.4	17.8	5.9	23.7	127.2	13.1	140.3
June	10.3	7.1	17.5	26.3	5.6	31.9	110.7	14.8	125.5
September	16.0	10.5	26.4	32.1	16.1	48.2	94.7	3.0	97.7
December	38.8	162.5	201.3	27.4	10.6	38.0	102.8	153.6	256.5
2000									
March	13.2	1.5	14.7	26.5	12.4	38.9	92.6	149.5	242.1
SEWERAGE AND DRAINAGE									
1999									
March	62.2	6.7	68.9	42.4	12.9	55.3	145.9	29.6	175.4
June	110.1	8.2	118.3	64.4	15.1	79.4	193.3	21.1	214.4
September	37.3	24.9	62.2	65.6	9.6	75.2	175.4	28.2	203.5
December	106.5	9.1	115.6	78.9	10.9	89.8	204.1	32.7	236.7
2000									
March	20.0	9.7	29.7	72.7	12.7	85.4	148.3	29.1	177.3
ELECTRICITY GENERATION, TRANSMISSION AND DISTRIBUTION									
1999									
March	17.8	95.2	113.0	16.0	93.5	109.4	24.9	15.6	40.5
June	350.7	108.7	459.5	76.2	109.3	185.5	306.4	16.5	322.9
September	98.2	126.2	224.3	30.8	68.8	99.6	235.7	75.6	311.3
December	22.4	107.6	130.0	88.1	119.2	207.3	170.5	67.7	238.3
2000									
March	16.0	144.8	160.8	33.3	158.9	192.2	161.9	52.9	214.8

Quarters	WORK COMMENCED DURING PERIOD.....			WORK DONE DURING PERIOD....			WORK YET TO BE DONE.....		
	Private \$m	Public \$m	Total \$m	Private \$m	Public \$m	Total \$m	Private \$m	Public \$m	Total \$m
PIPELINES									
1999									
March	13.1	0.0	13.2	8.7	0.0	8.7	11.2	0.0	11.2
June	12.8	0.0	12.8	22.2	0.0	22.2	2.4	0.0	2.4
September	126.8	1.9	128.6	44.0	1.3	45.3	93.2	0.5	93.7
December	20.1	2.9	22.9	52.9	2.9	55.8	59.8	0.0	59.8
2000									
March	21.2	4.3	25.6	42.4	4.4	46.8	38.6	0.0	38.6
RECREATION									
1999									
March	48.0	9.1	57.1	57.4	15.4	72.8	28.1	24.0	52.1
June	65.7	10.9	76.7	58.8	22.1	80.9	38.2	13.0	51.2
September	50.8	31.3	82.1	73.5	18.0	91.5	32.5	25.2	57.6
December	42.9	13.8	56.6	63.1	12.1	75.2	19.8	26.7	46.5
2000									
March	42.2	8.6	50.8	43.5	9.1	52.7	21.3	26.4	47.8
TELECOMMUNICATIONS									
1999									
March	2.6	272.4	275.1	7.8	277.4	285.2	56.6	2.9	59.5
June	16.8	328.9	345.7	8.6	336.3	344.9	67.5	1.6	69.1
September	53.4	334.9	388.3	23.1	316.4	339.5	123.1	18.8	141.9
December	47.0	310.6	357.7	48.7	318.5	367.3	158.8	10.9	169.7
2000									
March	6.5	302.5	309.1	65.0	304.7	369.7	94.8	8.7	103.5
OIL, GAS, COAL AND OTHER MINERALS									
1999									
March	31.2	0.0	31.2	101.2	0.0	101.2	148.3	0.0	148.3
June	127.7	0.0	127.7	103.6	0.0	103.6	166.5	0.0	166.5
September	34.6	0.0	34.6	92.3	0.0	92.3	107.0	0.0	107.0
December	22.6	0.0	22.6	46.3	0.0	46.3	84.3	0.0	84.3
2000									
March	4.0	0.0	4.0	45.1	0.0	45.1	44.3	0.0	44.3
OTHER HEAVY INDUSTRY									
1999									
March	14.6	0.0	14.6	11.1	0.0	11.1	9.5	0.0	9.5
June	37.7	0.0	37.7	22.9	0.0	22.9	25.0	0.0	25.0
September	14.3	0.1	14.4	18.5	0.2	18.6	3.7	0.0	3.7
December	74.5	0.0	74.5	16.8	0.0	16.8	61.6	0.0	61.6
2000									
March	23.3	0.0	23.3	12.3	0.0	12.3	17.3	0.0	17.3
OTHER									
1999									
March	6.4	2.9	9.3	6.3	2.6	8.8	0.5	1.7	2.2
June	5.2	2.8	8.0	4.9	2.6	7.4	1.0	2.3	3.3
September	1.0	2.0	3.1	1.9	2.1	4.0	0.2	0.6	0.8
December	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.6	0.7	0.0	0.2	0.2
2000									
March	0.6	0.0	0.6	0.6	0.1	0.7	0.0	0.1	0.1
TOTAL									
1999									
March	559.4	605.6	1 164.9	634.1	659.1	1 293.2	1 825.7	278.7	2 104.4
June	942.1	693.8	1 635.9	810.8	828.7	1 639.5	2 026.4	162.9	2 189.3
September	665.9	1 118.5	1 784.4	725.6	698.4	1 424.0	1 849.6	555.7	2 405.3
December	661.7	772.1	1 433.8	795.9	708.8	1 504.7	1 747.5	625.0	2 372.6
2000									
March	622.5	637.1	1 259.6	667.0	741.7	1 408.7	1 679.3	517.6	2 196.8

ACTIVITY, By Type and Sector—Victoria

Period	WORK COMMENCED DURING PERIOD..			WORK DONE DURING PERIOD.....			WORK YET TO BE DONE.....		
	Private	Public	Total	Private	Public	Total	Private	Public	Total
	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
ROADS, HIGHWAYS AND SUBDIVISIONS									
1999									
March	203.8	14.2	217.9	346.9	14.4	361.3	456.0	6.5	462.5
June	159.4	7.4	166.8	302.8	10.4	313.2	327.5	3.4	330.9
September	158.5	9.3	167.8	183.4	6.9	190.2	321.9	9.5	331.4
December	154.0	15.3	169.3	206.4	10.3	216.7	287.6	14.1	301.7
2000									
March	213.2	23.2	236.3	191.4	25.1	216.5	287.8	14.4	302.2
BRIDGES									
1999									
March	11.0	0.9	12.0	21.4	0.7	22.2	65.1	0.3	65.4
June	83.7	0.8	84.5	33.1	1.1	34.2	115.0	0.1	115.1
September	8.3	0.2	8.5	40.8	0.3	41.1	86.0	0.4	86.3
December	10.8	1.9	12.7	49.0	0.5	49.6	59.0	1.8	60.9
2000									
March	0.5	0.5	1.0	30.2	0.4	30.6	30.6	1.9	32.5
RAILWAYS									
1999									
March	10.2	3.6	13.8	11.9	5.2	17.1	22.1	3.3	25.4
June	16.4	2.8	19.2	13.2	5.0	18.2	25.9	1.7	27.6
September	56.5	0.1	56.6	19.1	0.1	19.2	60.9	0.0	60.9
December	11.2	4.9	16.2	26.2	3.0	29.3	48.3	1.9	50.2
2000									
March	12.4	0.2	12.6	14.8	2.1	16.9	45.8	0.0	45.8
HARBOURS									
1999									
March	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.5	0.2	0.6
June	3.0	0.0	3.0	1.9	0.1	2.0	1.6	0.2	1.7
September	12.1	0.0	12.1	2.2	0.0	2.2	11.4	0.0	11.4
December	0.0	0.1	0.1	3.3	0.1	3.4	8.1	0.0	8.1
2000									
March	0.2	0.1	0.3	2.4	0.1	2.5	6.0	0.0	6.0
WATER STORAGE AND SUPPLY									
1999									
March	8.0	6.1	14.1	21.0	7.0	28.0	8.4	6.8	15.2
June	7.4	10.4	17.8	11.8	9.1	20.9	4.3	6.7	11.0
September	12.4	18.1	30.5	11.7	5.8	17.4	7.7	14.5	22.2
December	11.1	3.9	15.1	12.2	14.0	26.2	10.7	12.9	23.6
2000									
March	9.5	4.9	14.4	7.6	6.3	13.9	5.5	13.3	18.8
SEWERAGE AND DRAINAGE									
1999									
March	16.8	5.2	22.0	14.0	4.6	18.6	25.7	10.1	35.9
June	9.7	7.5	17.2	13.7	8.9	22.6	21.4	8.4	29.8
September	25.7	2.4	28.2	25.0	4.1	29.1	26.8	1.3	28.1
December	46.3	1.5	47.9	32.9	5.4	38.2	38.0	6.2	44.2
2000									
March	108.7	3.5	112.2	20.5	3.4	23.9	120.7	6.9	127.6
ELECTRICITY GENERATION, TRANSMISSION AND DISTRIBUTION									
1999									
March	148.5	0.3	148.8	107.0	0.2	107.2	137.7	0.7	138.3
June	130.4	0.2	130.7	130.5	1.0	131.5	140.2	0.1	140.3
September	174.9	0.0	174.9	139.7	0.0	139.8	186.7	0.0	186.7
December	272.1	0.0	272.1	177.1	0.0	177.1	270.8	0.0	270.8
2000									
March	133.8	0.0	133.8	169.6	0.0	169.6	240.8	0.0	240.8

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	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
PIPELINES									
1999									
March	30.9	2.8	33.7	24.3	40.4	64.7	7.6	27.0	34.7
June	116.5	0.0	116.5	39.5	27.8	67.3	76.9	6.2	83.1
September	46.1	0.0	46.1	38.5	0.0	38.5	78.8	0.0	78.8
December	17.8	0.0	17.8	42.5	0.0	42.5	50.9	0.0	50.9
2000									
March	19.8	0.0	19.8	32.4	0.0	32.4	38.3	0.0	38.3
RECREATION									
1999									
March	34.3	2.3	36.6	34.1	3.0	37.1	12.1	1.6	13.7
June	36.8	1.9	38.7	36.9	2.2	39.1	13.6	1.3	14.9
September	22.0	2.4	24.4	26.4	2.0	28.5	4.0	1.3	5.3
December	26.4	8.5	34.9	28.3	3.3	31.6	2.7	6.3	9.0
2000									
March	26.2	3.1	29.3	26.7	3.0	29.7	0.8	7.3	8.0
TELECOMMUNICATIONS									
1999									
March	10.5	140.7	151.2	30.5	145.5	176.0	34.1	0.3	34.4
June	22.1	185.4	207.5	17.8	192.6	210.4	42.5	0.2	42.7
September	22.0	177.0	199.0	14.1	177.0	191.1	44.3	0.0	44.3
December	16.3	104.7	121.0	18.3	104.7	122.9	59.9	0.0	59.9
2000									
March	32.9	172.1	205.0	30.2	172.2	202.4	74.7	0.9	75.6
OIL, GAS, COAL AND OTHER MINERALS									
1999									
March	49.1	0.0	49.1	53.3	38.8	92.1	24.8	16.3	41.1
June	28.8	0.0	28.8	33.8	16.3	50.1	20.4	3.7	24.1
September	11.7	0.0	11.7	9.2	0.0	9.2	23.3	0.0	23.3
December	26.9	0.0	26.9	22.5	0.0	22.5	27.7	0.0	27.7
2000									
March	30.9	0.0	30.9	21.1	0.0	21.1	37.2	0.0	37.2
OTHER HEAVY INDUSTRY									
1999									
March	24.1	0.0	24.1	30.0	1.0	31.0	54.4	0.0	54.4
June	22.5	0.0	22.5	42.5	0.0	42.5	37.9	0.0	37.9
September	17.3	0.0	17.3	28.3	0.0	28.3	19.4	0.0	19.4
December	12.5	0.0	12.5	15.4	0.0	15.4	16.5	0.0	16.5
2000									
March	13.8	0.0	13.8	11.6	0.0	11.6	17.9	0.0	17.9
OTHER									
1999									
March	1.0	0.0	1.0	1.0	0.0	1.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
June	2.7	0.1	2.8	2.7	0.1	2.8	0.0	0.0	0.0
September	2.5	0.0	2.5	2.5	0.0	2.5	0.7	0.0	0.7
December	0.2	0.0	0.2	0.7	0.0	0.7	0.0	0.0	0.0
2000									
March	0.5	0.0	0.5	0.4	0.0	0.4	0.1	0.0	0.1
TOTAL									
1999									
March	548.2	176.2	724.4	695.4	260.9	956.3	848.4	73.0	921.5
June	639.3	216.7	856.0	680.2	274.6	954.8	827.1	32.0	859.1
September	570.1	209.5	779.6	540.8	196.1	736.9	871.9	27.0	898.8
December	605.7	140.8	746.5	634.8	141.3	776.1	880.2	43.2	923.4
2000									
March	602.4	207.5	809.9	558.8	212.6	771.4	906.1	44.7	950.8

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	Private	Public	Total	Private	Public	Total	Private	Public	Total
	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
ROADS, HIGHWAYS AND SUBDIVISIONS									
1999									
March	199.0	108.1	307.1	182.2	127.5	309.7	448.0	100.3	548.2
June	149.8	156.7	306.5	211.8	167.0	378.8	386.4	83.7	470.1
September	224.3	170.6	394.9	226.6	140.1	366.7	361.9	124.6	486.5
December	335.0	116.9	451.9	248.7	162.5	411.2	451.4	108.6	560.0
2000									
March	172.5	112.7	285.2	237.3	105.1	342.4	508.5	116.9	625.4
BRIDGES									
1999									
March	1.1	9.2	10.4	18.1	7.0	25.2	89.8	4.4	94.1
June	11.7	5.1	16.8	20.8	7.0	27.7	81.1	3.3	84.4
September	7.8	1.5	9.3	25.3	2.2	27.5	61.6	1.2	62.8
December	0.4	13.4	13.8	32.4	7.7	40.1	31.3	7.9	39.3
2000									
March	1.6	2.9	4.5	19.4	7.3	26.6	19.2	5.1	24.2
RAILWAYS									
1999									
March	119.9	39.1	159.0	9.5	52.8	62.2	125.3	126.9	252.3
June	5.5	42.6	48.1	18.6	43.7	62.3	113.0	125.1	238.1
September	1.7	16.0	17.7	16.4	36.4	52.8	93.6	91.5	185.2
December	11.9	270.7	282.6	13.2	35.3	48.5	92.3	335.9	428.3
2000									
March	2.2	6.6	8.8	19.4	28.3	47.7	75.8	303.9	379.7
HARBOURS									
1999									
March	8.2	13.0	21.2	17.6	12.4	30.0	16.9	7.1	24.1
June	28.2	10.3	38.5	21.9	10.0	31.9	23.6	7.0	30.6
September	6.6	1.3	8.0	22.8	1.7	24.5	11.1	1.3	12.4
December	4.7	8.9	13.7	9.5	5.9	15.4	7.5	4.4	11.9
2000									
March	35.7	1.6	37.3	20.4	3.1	23.5	25.4	2.0	27.4
WATER STORAGE AND SUPPLY									
1999									
March	14.5	16.7	31.2	15.1	16.8	32.0	14.5	18.1	32.7
June	16.0	15.3	31.2	15.5	14.6	30.1	15.2	18.3	33.5
September	17.8	58.5	76.4	15.9	24.8	40.8	17.2	80.3	97.5
December	12.7	17.6	30.4	25.0	30.2	55.2	5.9	39.6	45.5
2000									
March	7.5	18.4	26.0	11.2	16.9	28.1	2.8	42.4	45.3
SEWERAGE AND DRAINAGE									
1999									
March	4.2	22.1	26.2	8.1	17.9	26.0	10.2	25.2	35.4
June	9.4	17.1	26.5	9.2	23.8	32.9	10.1	20.3	30.4
September	62.6	39.8	102.4	12.5	21.4	33.9	56.9	40.7	97.6
December	28.0	12.0	40.0	20.2	17.4	37.6	62.1	23.1	85.2
2000									
March	20.7	43.5	64.1	20.4	36.8	57.2	72.1	29.8	101.9
ELECTRICITY GENERATION, TRANSMISSION AND DISTRIBUTION									
1999									
March	14.6	41.0	55.6	46.8	50.7	97.5	119.0	85.9	205.0
June	39.0	50.8	89.8	51.6	60.7	112.3	106.9	73.4	180.3
September	274.4	75.1	349.5	59.9	43.3	103.2	352.6	57.2	409.8
December	95.5	37.3	132.8	84.8	59.3	144.1	367.1	55.1	422.2
2000									
March	22.5	736.0	758.5	63.3	81.1	144.4	330.1	728.3	1 058.4

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	Private	Public	Total	Private	Public	Total	Private	Public	Total
	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
PIPELINES									
1999									
March	15.2	0.0	15.2	9.6	0.0	9.6	18.3	0.1	18.4
June	9.8	0.0	9.8	14.1	0.1	14.3	14.2	0.0	14.2
September	13.6	0.4	14.0	18.1	0.0	18.1	10.8	0.3	11.2
December	4.9	0.0	4.9	8.7	0.0	8.7	2.4	0.1	2.5
2000									
March	2.2	1.8	4.0	3.2	1.5	4.7	0.8	0.9	1.7
RECREATION									
1999									
March	33.1	6.3	39.4	32.5	8.0	40.5	9.5	6.4	15.9
June	28.2	9.0	37.2	32.5	10.9	43.5	5.9	4.0	9.8
September	11.0	18.1	29.1	13.1	10.4	23.5	0.9	11.2	12.1
December	8.6	11.5	20.2	8.7	13.1	21.7	0.3	13.3	13.6
2000									
March	28.3	11.5	39.8	20.5	12.6	33.1	11.7	12.0	23.7
TELECOMMUNICATIONS									
1999									
March	0.2	173.4	173.6	1.6	164.9	166.5	18.5	3.7	22.2
June	1.9	263.1	265.0	3.5	248.9	252.4	17.1	3.8	20.9
September	16.8	184.5	201.3	19.2	184.5	203.7	27.1	0.0	27.1
December	13.9	325.7	339.6	12.5	325.8	338.4	39.6	0.1	39.7
2000									
March	65.1	183.7	248.7	35.5	183.7	219.2	69.7	0.0	69.8
OIL, GAS, COAL AND OTHER MINERALS									
1999									
March	399.9	0.0	399.9	241.7	0.0	241.7	546.3	0.0	546.3
June	123.1	0.0	123.1	278.9	0.0	278.9	395.9	0.0	395.9
September	97.2	0.0	97.2	310.8	0.0	310.8	201.0	0.0	201.0
December	251.7	0.0	251.7	252.5	0.0	252.5	212.6	0.0	212.6
2000									
March	139.1	0.0	139.1	182.5	0.0	182.5	149.9	0.0	149.9
OTHER HEAVY INDUSTRY									
1999									
March	16.3	0.0	16.3	39.0	0.0	39.0	66.0	0.0	66.0
June	11.3	0.0	11.3	48.1	0.0	48.1	29.5	0.0	29.5
September	12.9	0.0	12.9	26.9	0.0	26.9	16.8	0.0	16.8
December	10.7	0.0	10.7	12.3	0.0	12.3	15.3	0.0	15.3
2000									
March	6.2	0.0	6.2	7.9	0.0	7.9	6.5	0.0	6.5
OTHER									
1999									
March	1.0	1.1	2.1	1.0	0.7	1.7	0.0	0.6	0.6
June	0.7	0.3	1.0	0.7	1.2	2.0	0.0	0.1	0.1
September	3.0	0.0	3.0	3.2	0.0	3.2	0.0	0.0	0.0
December	0.1	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0
2000									
March	0.1	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0
TOTAL									
1999									
March	827.2	430.0	1 257.2	622.8	458.8	1 081.6	1 482.5	378.6	1 861.0
June	434.4	570.3	1 004.7	727.3	587.9	1 315.2	1 198.8	339.1	1 537.9
September	749.6	565.8	1 315.5	770.7	464.8	1 235.5	1 211.7	408.3	1 620.0
December	778.2	814.1	1 592.3	728.6	657.2	1 385.8	1 287.9	588.1	1 876.1
2000									
March	503.7	1 118.7	1 622.4	641.0	476.4	1 117.4	1 272.6	1 241.4	2 514.0

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	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
ROADS, HIGHWAYS AND SUBDIVISIONS									
1999									
March	28.0	36.3	64.3	45.3	37.4	82.8	43.3	10.2	53.5
June	26.2	54.4	80.5	39.1	61.3	100.4	29.1	4.9	33.9
September	24.2	33.7	57.9	33.5	20.1	53.6	23.0	18.6	41.6
December	54.2	48.8	103.0	30.1	50.9	81.0	50.6	21.1	71.7
2000									
March	62.8	48.4	111.2	57.8	51.8	109.5	64.7	15.2	79.9
BRIDGES									
1999									
March	3.0	6.3	9.2	3.4	6.4	9.8	6.2	0.1	6.2
June	1.9	11.2	13.1	4.1	11.5	15.6	4.4	0.1	4.5
September	6.0	4.9	10.9	3.2	3.0	6.2	7.4	1.9	9.3
December	25.0	0.9	25.9	7.7	1.6	9.3	27.6	1.1	28.7
2000									
March	0.7	1.7	2.4	7.2	2.1	9.3	21.1	0.8	21.9
RAILWAYS									
1999									
March	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.4	0.4	0.0	0.3	0.3
June	4.1	0.0	4.1	1.3	0.2	1.5	3.5	0.1	3.6
September	1.2	0.0	1.2	6.5	0.0	6.5	2.8	0.0	2.8
December	6.3	0.0	6.3	8.9	0.0	8.9	0.3	0.0	0.3
2000									
March	4.3	0.0	4.3	4.1	0.0	4.1	0.1	0.0	0.1
HARBOURS									
1999									
March	1.4	0.0	1.4	4.2	0.2	4.4	6.0	0.0	6.0
June	1.0	0.0	1.0	2.5	0.0	2.5	3.9	0.0	3.9
September	0.1	0.0	0.1	1.3	0.0	1.3	3.5	0.0	3.5
December	3.3	0.0	3.3	2.8	0.0	2.8	4.7	0.0	4.7
2000									
March	0.0	0.0	0.0	2.7	0.0	2.7	2.0	0.0	2.0
WATER STORAGE AND SUPPLY									
1999									
March	8.5	4.1	12.6	16.9	4.2	21.1	13.3	1.0	14.4
June	4.8	7.2	12.1	11.0	7.5	18.4	6.4	1.0	7.4
September	2.2	22.8	24.9	5.2	7.7	12.9	2.1	15.1	17.2
December	3.4	2.4	5.9	3.2	5.6	8.8	2.6	14.7	17.2
2000									
March	1.7	2.2	3.9	1.2	5.8	7.0	3.4	7.9	11.4
SEWERAGE AND DRAINAGE									
1999									
March	9.5	6.9	16.4	5.8	7.2	13.0	7.3	1.5	8.8
June	8.8	5.2	14.1	12.0	7.0	19.0	6.2	0.5	6.7
September	9.4	7.1	16.5	4.2	2.9	7.1	11.5	6.2	17.7
December	3.7	4.2	8.0	6.0	4.3	10.3	9.2	4.9	14.2
2000									
March	6.5	3.0	9.5	7.3	3.4	10.7	8.9	6.8	15.6
ELECTRICITY GENERATION, TRANSMISSION AND DISTRIBUTION									
1999									
March	5.6	18.0	23.7	3.9	20.8	24.7	4.4	5.1	9.5
June	345.7	19.5	365.2	7.8	21.5	29.3	337.1	2.5	339.7
September	133.6	17.6	151.2	207.5	18.5	226.0	261.0	1.8	262.9
December	9.3	29.1	38.4	54.1	24.8	78.9	125.5	5.5	131.0
2000									
March	32.8	0.2	33.0	57.7	0.0	57.7	32.2	0.2	32.4

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	<i>Private</i>	<i>Public</i>	<i>Total</i>	<i>Private</i>	<i>Public</i>	<i>Total</i>	<i>Private</i>	<i>Public</i>	<i>Total</i>
	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
PIPELINES									
1999									
March	10.0	0.0	10.0	6.2	0.0	6.2	4.5	0.0	4.5
June	2.7	0.0	2.7	3.6	0.0	3.6	3.4	0.0	3.4
September	1.3	0.0	1.3	1.4	0.0	1.4	3.4	0.0	3.4
December	0.7	0.0	0.7	2.2	0.0	2.2	4.4	0.0	4.4
2000									
March	1.9	0.0	1.9	1.6	0.0	1.6	3.6	0.0	3.6
RECREATION									
1999									
March	7.2	1.3	8.5	7.0	1.7	8.7	2.8	2.9	5.7
June	11.4	0.5	11.9	10.4	1.6	12.0	2.2	1.9	4.0
September	9.4	3.6	13.0	10.7	0.8	11.5	0.5	3.3	3.8
December	2.6	3.3	6.0	3.0	2.1	5.1	0.1	4.5	4.6
2000									
March	4.6	0.3	4.9	6.1	1.8	7.9	2.4	2.5	5.0
TELECOMMUNICATIONS									
1999									
March	0.4	22.3	22.6	0.2	22.8	23.0	0.2	0.1	0.3
June	0.0	28.5	28.5	0.0	29.3	29.3	0.0	0.1	0.1
September	0.4	17.2	17.6	2.2	17.2	19.4	0.9	0.0	0.9
December	1.9	49.6	51.5	1.1	49.6	50.8	1.7	0.0	1.7
2000									
March	1.6	69.2	70.8	1.4	69.2	70.6	1.8	0.0	1.8
OIL, GAS, COAL AND OTHER MINERALS									
1999									
March	34.7	0.0	34.7	24.1	0.0	24.1	33.7	0.0	33.7
June	8.7	0.0	8.7	21.6	0.0	21.6	22.0	0.0	22.0
September	46.3	0.0	46.3	10.3	0.0	10.3	57.0	0.0	57.0
December	24.5	0.0	24.5	17.5	0.0	17.5	63.9	0.0	63.9
2000									
March	17.1	0.0	17.1	24.2	0.0	24.2	57.3	0.0	57.3
OTHER HEAVY INDUSTRY									
1999									
March	4.3	0.0	4.3	2.6	0.0	2.6	5.1	0.0	5.1
June	9.0	0.0	9.0	7.3	0.0	7.3	7.8	0.0	7.8
September	10.4	0.0	10.4	9.7	0.0	9.7	8.3	0.0	8.3
December	19.9	0.0	19.9	4.4	0.0	4.4	27.7	0.0	27.7
2000									
March	6.2	0.0	6.2	5.9	0.0	5.9	11.3	0.0	11.3
OTHER									
1999									
March	2.8	0.0	2.8	0.9	0.0	1.0	2.2	0.1	2.4
June	0.0	0.1	0.1	2.3	0.1	2.4	1.3	0.2	1.5
September	6.9	0.0	6.9	7.7	0.0	7.8	1.7	0.3	2.1
December	10.4	0.0	10.4	10.7	0.0	10.7	3.5	0.0	3.5
2000									
March	2.6	0.0	2.6	5.3	0.0	5.3	0.4	0.0	0.4
TOTAL									
1999									
March	115.5	95.2	210.7	120.7	101.1	221.8	129.0	21.4	150.4
June	424.4	126.6	551.0	123.0	139.9	262.9	427.4	11.2	438.6
September	251.3	106.8	358.1	303.5	70.1	373.6	383.0	47.3	430.2
December	165.3	138.4	303.6	151.7	138.9	290.6	321.8	51.8	373.6
2000									
March	142.7	125.1	267.8	182.4	134.1	316.5	209.2	33.5	242.7

ACTIVITY, By Type and Sector—Western Australia

Period	WORK COMMENCED DURING PERIOD..			WORK DONE DURING PERIOD.....			WORK YET TO BE DONE.....		
	Private	Public	Total	Private	Public	Total	Private	Public	Total
	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
ROADS, HIGHWAYS AND SUBDIVISIONS									
1999									
March	156.6	38.1	194.7	144.0	42.4	186.4	218.0	82.6	300.5
June	77.2	27.0	104.3	139.9	48.9	188.9	151.0	53.3	204.3
September	104.0	60.6	164.6	121.6	24.4	145.9	142.7	87.3	230.0
December	101.7	42.8	144.5	140.5	35.2	175.7	117.2	47.9	165.1
2000									
March	109.4	51.7	161.2	126.4	57.5	184.0	149.8	50.6	200.4
BRIDGES									
1999									
March	0.0	1.3	1.3	6.8	0.6	7.5	15.0	3.6	18.5
June	42.7	0.1	42.8	11.4	2.7	14.0	44.5	1.4	46.0
September	8.4	3.1	11.5	8.8	0.0	8.9	48.7	3.9	52.6
December	0.7	0.2	0.9	13.4	2.2	15.6	33.7	2.0	35.6
2000									
March	2.3	0.1	2.4	7.3	1.9	9.2	28.3	0.2	28.4
RAILWAYS									
1999									
March	7.1	0.0	7.1	18.0	0.0	18.0	83.2	0.0	83.2
June	5.8	0.0	5.8	32.6	0.0	32.6	56.8	0.0	56.8
September	4.9	0.0	4.9	29.9	0.0	29.9	30.6	0.0	30.6
December	0.1	0.0	0.1	27.0	0.0	27.0	0.3	0.0	0.3
2000									
March	2.4	0.0	2.4	1.8	0.0	1.8	0.9	0.0	0.9
HARBOURS									
1999									
March	24.3	0.0	24.3	17.3	0.0	17.3	28.8	0.0	28.8
June	5.3	0.0	5.3	18.3	0.0	18.3	16.3	0.0	16.3
September	12.8	0.0	12.8	11.8	0.0	11.8	15.6	0.0	15.6
December	1.7	0.0	1.7	12.4	0.0	12.4	4.4	0.0	4.4
2000									
March	0.2	0.2	0.4	2.0	0.2	2.2	1.9	0.0	1.9
WATER STORAGE AND SUPPLY									
1999									
March	11.3	9.3	20.6	10.0	10.3	20.4	2.7	0.1	2.8
June	47.4	43.1	90.6	15.2	48.8	64.0	37.6	0.0	37.7
September	42.1	3.4	45.5	14.5	3.4	17.9	67.8	0.0	67.8
December	3.4	8.9	12.2	22.3	8.9	31.2	56.5	0.0	56.5
2000									
March	5.3	15.6	20.9	34.9	15.7	50.5	27.9	0.4	28.3
SEWERAGE AND DRAINAGE									
1999									
March	61.7	14.0	75.7	6.0	16.2	22.3	67.0	8.4	75.4
June	6.2	40.2	46.4	7.4	45.7	53.1	61.8	7.7	69.5
September	26.4	6.3	32.6	15.0	3.9	19.0	78.8	11.9	90.6
December	13.4	7.7	21.1	10.1	8.0	18.0	82.0	2.1	84.1
2000									
March	26.4	12.6	39.0	14.1	13.0	27.1	93.1	2.4	95.5
ELECTRICITY GENERATION, TRANSMISSION AND DISTRIBUTION									
1999									
March	1.4	13.9	15.3	23.4	15.7	39.1	57.3	3.2	60.5
June	5.2	15.0	20.1	29.8	16.9	46.7	35.3	0.0	35.3
September	4.8	9.6	14.4	17.9	9.6	27.5	11.7	0.0	11.7
December	3.3	11.8	15.1	9.3	11.8	21.1	6.3	0.0	6.3
2000									
March	0.2	10.6	10.8	3.1	10.6	13.7	0.6	0.0	0.6

Period	WORK COMMENCED DURING PERIOD....			WORK DONE DURING PERIOD...			WORK YET TO BE DONE.....		
	Private	Public	Total	Private	Public	Total	Private	Public	Total
	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
PIPELINES									
1999									
March	20.5	1.2	21.7	48.5	1.0	49.6	2.8	0.2	3.0
June	25.5	0.9	26.4	5.4	1.2	6.7	23.4	0.2	23.7
September	2.4	1.2	3.6	21.5	1.1	22.6	5.8	0.2	6.0
December	0.4	1.0	1.4	1.8	0.9	2.7	0.6	0.2	0.8
2000									
March	0.0	1.2	1.2	0.7	1.0	1.6	0.0	0.2	0.2
RECREATION									
1999									
March	10.2	2.8	13.0	8.7	5.4	14.1	3.5	11.5	15.0
June	10.7	5.2	15.9	12.1	9.0	21.1	1.8	7.3	9.0
September	6.5	5.9	12.4	9.6	9.6	19.2	1.1	10.6	11.7
December	7.9	5.8	13.7	9.3	2.8	12.1	1.9	10.3	12.2
2000									
March	8.7	6.5	15.2	10.3	11.6	21.9	3.7	7.8	11.5
TELECOMMUNICATIONS									
1999									
March	0.5	24.1	24.6	0.5	26.8	27.4	0.0	0.0	0.0
June	1.8	29.1	30.8	1.3	32.9	34.1	0.7	0.0	0.7
September	2.4	24.6	27.0	3.4	24.6	28.0	1.6	0.0	1.6
December	0.0	70.5	70.6	0.6	70.5	71.1	0.6	0.0	0.6
2000									
March	6.1	98.3	104.4	6.2	98.3	104.5	1.2	0.0	1.2
OIL, GAS, COAL AND OTHER MINERALS									
1999									
March	223.2	0.0	223.2	212.6	0.0	212.6	540.0	0.0	540.0
June	200.9	0.0	200.9	289.5	0.0	289.5	420.1	0.0	420.1
September	187.4	0.0	187.4	256.2	0.0	256.2	362.8	0.0	362.8
December	128.1	0.0	128.1	292.0	0.0	292.0	196.0	0.0	196.0
2000									
March	886.1	0.0	886.1	166.7	0.0	166.7	874.8	0.0	874.8
OTHER HEAVY INDUSTRY									
1999									
March	66.2	0.0	66.2	82.4	0.0	82.4	126.4	0.0	126.4
June	12.3	0.0	12.3	35.3	0.0	35.3	104.4	0.0	104.4
September	11.9	0.0	11.9	34.4	0.0	34.4	80.5	0.0	80.5
December	0.3	0.0	0.3	29.4	0.0	29.4	55.5	0.0	55.5
2000									
March	3.9	0.0	3.9	26.9	0.0	26.9	35.4	0.0	35.4
OTHER									
1999									
March	9.2	0.0	9.2	7.8	0.0	7.8	3.9	0.0	3.9
June	2.3	0.0	2.3	3.7	0.1	3.7	2.1	0.0	2.2
September	3.3	0.2	3.4	5.3	0.2	5.4	0.3	0.0	0.3
December	0.3	0.0	0.3	0.4	0.0	0.4	0.0	0.0	0.0
2000									
March	0.1	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0
TOTAL									
1999									
March	592.1	104.8	696.8	586.3	118.6	704.8	1 148.5	109.5	1 258.0
June	443.3	160.6	603.9	601.9	206.2	808.1	955.8	70.0	1 025.8
September	417.2	114.8	532.0	550.0	76.8	626.7	848.1	113.9	962.0
December	261.4	148.8	410.2	568.7	140.2	708.8	555.1	62.4	617.5
2000									
March	1 051.2	196.9	1 248.0	400.4	209.8	610.2	1 217.5	61.5	1 279.0

ACTIVITY, By Sector and Type-Tasmania

Period	WORK COMMENCED DURING PERIOD..			WORK DONE DURING PERIOD...			WORK YET TO BE DONE.....		
	Private	Public	Total	Private	Public	Total	Private	Public	Total
	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
ROADS, HIGHWAYS AND SUBDIVISIONS									
1999									
March	15.8	11.4	27.1	18.8	10.1	28.9	7.7	8.9	16.6
June	12.1	7.2	19.3	17.4	11.8	29.1	2.5	4.2	6.7
September	27.8	6.6	34.4	8.0	5.7	13.6	23.9	9.6	33.4
December	7.2	9.1	16.3	10.7	9.6	20.3	19.5	5.4	24.9
2000									
March	18.0	8.4	26.4	21.8	8.8	30.7	15.7	11.6	27.3
BRIDGES									
1999									
March	0.0	0.4	0.4	0.0	0.3	0.3	0.0	1.0	1.0
June	0.0	0.6	0.6	0.0	0.7	0.7	0.0	0.4	0.4
September	0.2	1.5	1.7	0.2	1.0	1.2	0.1	2.3	2.4
December	0.0	0.2	0.2	0.1	0.5	0.5	0.0	0.4	0.4
2000									
March	0.2	1.4	1.6	0.2	1.3	1.4	0.0	0.5	0.5
RAILWAYS									
1999									
March	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
June	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
September	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
December	18.0	0.0	18.0	0.6	0.0	0.6	17.5	0.0	17.5
2000									
March	0.0	0.0	0.0	2.3	0.0	2.3	15.6	0.0	15.6
HARBOURS									
1999									
March	0.9	0.0	0.9	1.0	0.0	1.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
June	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.1
September	0.3	0.0	0.3	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.2	0.0	0.2
December	1.4	0.7	2.1	0.0	0.4	0.4	1.4	0.2	1.6
2000									
March	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.2	0.2	0.4	1.2	0.0	1.2
WATER STORAGE AND SUPPLY									
1999									
March	0.0	0.7	0.7	0.0	1.1	1.2	0.5	1.1	1.6
June	1.3	0.9	2.2	1.4	1.0	2.4	0.4	1.1	1.6
September	0.1	2.2	2.4	1.4	1.3	2.7	0.1	1.3	1.4
December	0.2	1.5	1.8	0.3	1.2	1.5	0.0	1.2	1.2
2000									
March	0.2	1.4	1.6	0.3	1.3	1.6	0.1	2.2	2.3
SEWERAGE AND DRAINAGE									
1999									
March	0.1	0.4	0.5	0.5	2.2	2.8	0.6	5.0	5.6
June	1.7	0.4	2.0	1.6	2.5	4.0	0.8	2.7	3.6
September	1.0	5.2	6.2	0.6	1.7	2.3	0.3	4.4	4.8
December	3.1	2.0	5.1	3.3	2.0	5.3	0.5	4.2	4.7
2000									
March	0.6	1.6	2.3	0.6	1.5	2.1	0.4	1.6	2.0
ELECTRICITY GENERATION, TRANSMISSION AND DISTRIBUTION									
1999									
March	0.1	8.4	8.5	3.3	9.9	13.3	0.5	18.7	19.2
June	0.6	7.1	7.7	0.9	13.2	14.1	0.2	17.0	17.2
September	0.0	7.2	7.2	0.1	7.0	7.1	0.1	7.1	7.2
December	0.3	15.2	15.5	0.3	10.9	11.1	0.2	9.3	9.5
2000									
March	1.2	7.4	8.5	1.3	8.8	10.0	0.1	10.5	10.5

Period	WORK COMMENCED DURING PERIOD.			WORK DONE DURING PERIOD..			WORK YET TO BE DONE.....		
	<i>Private</i>	<i>Public</i>	<i>Total</i>	<i>Private</i>	<i>Public</i>	<i>Total</i>	<i>Private</i>	<i>Public</i>	<i>Total</i>
	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
PIPELINES									
1999									
March	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
June	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
September	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
December	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
2000									
March	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
RECREATION									
1999									
March	4.3	0.4	4.7	4.7	0.8	5.5	0.1	0.9	1.0
June	2.6	0.4	3.0	2.8	0.7	3.5	0.0	0.6	0.6
September	1.5	1.6	3.1	2.0	0.9	2.9	0.3	2.7	3.0
December	1.2	0.5	1.7	1.2	0.6	1.8	0.1	1.1	1.2
2000									
March	2.6	0.2	2.8	2.3	0.4	2.7	1.3	0.8	2.2
TELECOMMUNICATIONS									
1999									
March	0.0	12.7	12.7	0.0	13.4	13.4	0.0	0.0	0.0
June	0.1	16.7	16.8	0.1	17.8	17.9	0.0	0.0	0.0
September	0.3	12.7	13.0	0.4	12.7	13.1	0.1	0.0	0.1
December	0.2	9.1	9.3	0.3	9.1	9.4	0.0	0.0	0.0
2000									
March	0.3	15.0	15.3	0.3	15.0	15.3	0.0	0.0	0.0
OIL, GAS, COAL AND OTHER MINERALS									
1999									
March	0.8	0.0	0.8	2.8	0.0	2.8	3.1	0.0	3.1
June	1.3	0.0	1.3	2.6	0.0	2.6	1.8	0.0	1.8
September	0.8	0.0	0.8	2.1	0.0	2.1	0.2	0.0	0.2
December	0.1	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0
2000									
March	0.2	0.0	0.2	0.2	0.0	0.2	0.1	0.0	0.1
OTHER HEAVY INDUSTRY									
1999									
March	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
June	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
September	0.3	0.1	0.4	0.4	0.1	0.5	0.2	0.0	0.2
December	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.3	0.0	0.3	0.0	0.0	0.0
2000									
March	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
OTHER									
1999									
March	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.1	0.1
June	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.1
September	1.0	0.0	1.0	1.2	0.0	1.2	0.1	0.0	0.1
December	1.9	0.1	2.0	1.2	0.1	1.3	1.0	0.0	1.0
2000									
March	0.2	0.0	0.2	0.2	0.0	0.2	0.0	0.0	0.0
TOTAL									
1999									
March	22.0	34.3	56.4	31.2	37.9	69.1	12.4	35.6	48.1
June	19.5	33.3	52.9	26.8	47.7	74.5	5.8	26.0	31.8
September	33.2	37.2	70.3	16.4	30.2	46.6	25.5	27.4	52.8
December	33.8	38.3	72.1	18.4	34.4	52.7	40.1	21.9	61.9
2000									
March	23.5	35.4	58.9	29.8	37.2	67.0	34.7	27.1	61.8

ACTIVITY, By Type and Sector—Northern Territory

Period	WORK COMMENCED DURING PERIOD...			WORK DONE DURING PERIOD..			WORK YET TO BE DONE.....		
	Private	Public	Total	Private	Public	Total	Private	Public	Total
	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
ROADS, HIGHWAYS AND SUBDIVISIONS									
1999									
March	35.1	0.2	35.3	12.3	0.3	12.5	31.3	0.1	31.3
June	26.6	0.2	26.9	28.0	0.3	28.3	32.1	0.0	32.1
September	24.4	1.5	25.9	33.9	1.1	35.0	18.7	0.4	19.0
December	15.1	1.9	17.0	28.4	1.8	30.3	7.0	0.2	7.2
2000									
March	9.6	0.0	9.7	20.7	0.1	20.7	20.5	0.1	20.5
BRIDGES									
1999									
March	0.1	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
June	1.7	0.0	1.7	0.2	0.0	0.2	1.6	0.0	1.6
September	2.8	0.0	2.8	0.7	0.0	0.7	2.2	0.0	2.2
December	0.1	0.0	0.1	2.3	0.0	2.3	0.1	0.0	0.1
2000									
March	0.1	0.0	0.1	0.3	0.0	0.3	0.0	0.0	0.0
RAILWAYS									
1999									
March	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
June	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
September	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.6	0.0	1.6	0.0	0.0	0.0
December	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
2000									
March	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
HARBOURS									
1999									
March	1.8	0.0	1.8	6.0	0.0	6.0	3.3	0.0	3.3
June	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.5	0.0	0.5	2.9	0.0	2.9
September	7.4	0.0	7.4	8.7	0.0	8.7	0.7	0.0	0.7
December	1.4	0.2	1.6	1.5	0.1	1.7	0.8	0.1	0.9
2000									
March	0.3	0.0	0.3	0.4	0.1	0.5	0.6	0.0	0.6
WATER STORAGE AND SUPPLY									
1999									
March	0.0	0.4	0.4	0.3	0.5	0.8	0.2	1.1	1.3
June	0.4	0.5	0.9	0.4	0.5	0.9	0.0	1.1	1.1
September	2.3	2.2	4.5	2.3	1.2	3.5	0.0	2.1	2.1
December	0.2	0.3	0.5	0.2	0.4	0.6	0.0	2.0	2.0
2000									
March	3.9	0.4	4.3	3.8	0.3	4.1	0.1	2.1	2.3
SEWERAGE AND DRAINAGE									
1999									
March	0.0	0.4	0.4	0.7	0.4	1.1	0.0	1.5	1.5
June	4.4	0.8	5.1	2.5	0.6	3.1	2.0	1.7	3.7
September	3.0	2.0	5.1	0.8	0.2	1.1	4.2	3.5	7.7
December	1.6	0.4	2.0	2.9	0.4	3.3	5.0	3.6	8.5
2000									
March	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.2	0.8	2.0	2.5	2.8	5.3
ELECTRICITY GENERATION, TRANSMISSION AND DISTRIBUTION									
1999									
March	11.4	0.0	11.4	1.8	0.8	2.6	11.8	6.8	18.7
June	0.1	1.0	1.1	8.4	4.5	12.9	2.2	3.9	6.1
September	8.1	10.6	18.7	2.8	5.1	7.8	7.2	9.3	16.5
December	0.8	1.0	1.7	2.8	3.2	5.9	5.3	6.9	12.3
2000									
March	0.9	1.5	2.4	4.6	3.3	7.8	1.6	5.1	6.7

ACTIVITY, By Type and Sector–Northern Territory *continued*

Period	WORK COMMENCED DURING PERIOD.....			WORK DONE DURING PERIOD..			WORK YET TO BE DONE.....		
	Private	Public	Total	Private	Public	Total	Private	Public	Total
	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
PIPELINES									
1999									
March	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
June	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
September	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
December	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
2000									
March	0.0	2.0	2.0	0.0	0.6	0.6	0.0	1.4	1.4
RECREATION									
1999									
March	2.0	0.0	2.1	2.0	0.3	2.3	0.0	0.0	0.0
June	2.6	0.1	2.7	2.6	0.1	2.7	0.0	0.0	0.0
September	3.2	0.0	3.2	2.4	0.0	2.4	1.9	0.0	1.9
December	1.8	0.2	1.9	1.0	0.2	1.2	0.7	0.1	0.9
2000									
March	1.0	0.0	1.0	0.8	0.0	0.9	0.9	0.0	0.9
TELECOMMUNICATIONS									
1999									
March	0.0	4.9	4.9	1.6	5.1	6.7	0.3	0.0	0.3
June	0.0	6.3	6.3	0.3	6.7	7.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
September	0.8	3.8	4.6	0.8	3.8	4.6	0.2	0.0	0.2
December	0.0	10.4	10.5	0.0	10.4	10.5	0.0	0.0	0.0
2000									
March	0.0	14.6	14.6	0.0	14.6	14.6	0.0	0.0	0.0
OIL, GAS, COAL AND OTHER MINERALS									
1999									
March	62.6	0.0	62.6	41.0	0.0	41.0	24.1	0.0	24.1
June	5.9	0.0	5.9	9.6	0.0	9.6	23.5	0.0	23.5
September	4.0	0.0	4.0	9.6	0.0	9.6	19.8	0.0	19.8
December	1.6	0.0	1.6	17.6	0.0	17.6	3.4	0.0	3.4
2000									
March	16.9	0.0	16.9	7.9	0.0	7.9	14.9	0.0	14.9
OTHER HEAVY INDUSTRY									
1999									
March	0.7	0.0	0.7	0.3	0.0	0.3	0.5	0.0	0.5
June	0.3	0.0	0.3	0.6	0.0	0.6	0.3	0.0	0.3
September	0.3	0.0	0.3	0.3	0.0	0.3	0.2	0.0	0.2
December	1.2	0.0	1.2	1.4	0.0	1.4	0.0	0.0	0.0
2000									
March	1.3	0.0	1.3	1.3	0.0	1.3	0.0	0.0	0.0
OTHER									
1999									
March	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
June	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
September	1.7	0.0	1.7	0.7	0.0	0.7	1.0	0.0	1.0
December	0.5	0.2	0.7	0.5	0.0	0.5	1.0	0.2	1.2
2000									
March	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.0	0.1	1.2
TOTAL									
1999									
March	113.6	5.9	119.5	66.0	7.3	73.3	71.5	9.5	81.0
June	42.0	9.0	50.9	53.2	12.6	65.9	64.7	6.7	71.4
September	58.0	20.1	78.1	64.5	11.4	75.9	56.1	15.3	71.3
December	24.2	14.6	38.8	58.6	16.6	75.2	23.3	13.1	36.4
2000									
March	34.1	18.4	52.5	41.0	19.7	60.7	42.2	11.6	53.8

ACTIVITY, By Type and Sector—Australian Capital Territory

Quarters	WORK COMMENCED DURING PERIOD.			WORK DONE DURING PERIOD..			WORK YET TO BE DONE.....		
	Private	Public	Total	Private	Public	Total	Private	Public	Total
	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
ROADS, HIGHWAYS AND SUBDIVISIONS									
1999									
March	40.0	0.6	40.6	8.2	0.5	8.6	36.0	0.3	36.3
June	10.7	0.1	10.9	15.6	0.3	15.9	31.5	0.1	31.6
September	10.3	0.2	10.5	15.6	0.2	15.8	22.7	0.1	22.8
December	4.1	0.6	4.6	10.5	0.2	10.8	16.6	0.5	17.0
2000									
March	16.5	0.9	17.4	17.4	0.4	17.8	14.3	0.9	15.2
BRIDGES									
1999									
March	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
June	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
September	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
December	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
2000									
March	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
RAILWAYS									
1999									
March	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
June	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
September	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
December	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
2000									
March	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
HARBOURS									
1999									
March	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
June	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
September	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
December	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
2000									
March	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
WATER STORAGE AND SUPPLY									
1999									
March	4.2	0.6	4.8	1.3	1.5	2.8	4.2	1.1	5.3
June	0.0	3.9	3.9	0.8	0.6	1.3	3.3	4.4	7.7
September	0.0	0.0	0.0	2.7	2.3	5.0	0.5	2.1	2.6
December	0.0	2.8	2.8	0.7	2.6	3.3	0.1	2.3	2.3
2000									
March	4.3	0.2	4.5	0.7	1.3	2.0	3.6	1.1	4.7
SEWERAGE AND DRAINAGE									
1999									
March	3.2	3.2	6.4	1.2	3.9	5.1	3.0	4.0	7.0
June	0.1	4.2	4.3	0.7	3.1	3.8	2.2	5.1	7.3
September	0.2	0.1	0.3	2.2	3.7	5.8	0.9	1.6	2.5
December	0.2	1.6	1.8	0.5	1.9	2.4	0.4	1.3	1.7
2000									
March	0.7	1.3	1.9	0.6	2.0	2.5	0.6	0.6	1.2
ELECTRICITY GENERATION, TRANSMISSION AND DISTRIBUTION									
1999									
March	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.7	1.7	0.0	0.0	0.0
June	0.0	7.4	7.4	0.0	6.9	6.9	0.0	0.9	0.9
September	0.2	6.0	6.1	0.1	5.5	5.6	0.1	1.4	1.5
December	0.0	7.8	7.8	0.0	2.5	2.5	0.0	6.7	6.7
2000									
March	0.0	0.3	0.3	0.0	3.4	3.4	0.0	3.5	3.5

Quarters	WORK COMMENCED DURING PERIOD			WORK DONE DURING PERIOD.			WORK YET TO BE DONE.....		
	<i>Private</i>	<i>Public</i>	<i>Total</i>	<i>Private</i>	<i>Public</i>	<i>Total</i>	<i>Private</i>	<i>Public</i>	<i>Total</i>
	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
PIPELINES									
1999									
March	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
June	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
September	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
December	1.4	0.0	1.4	1.3	0.0	1.3	0.1	0.0	0.1
2000									
March	18.5	0.0	18.5	18.6	0.0	18.6	0.0	0.0	0.0
RECREATION									
1999									
March	1.5	0.0	1.5	3.1	0.0	3.1	0.8	0.0	0.8
June	1.8	0.0	1.8	2.0	0.0	2.0	0.9	0.0	0.9
September	4.6	0.0	4.6	4.4	0.0	4.4	1.7	0.0	1.7
December	5.1	0.0	5.1	4.1	0.0	4.1	2.7	0.0	2.7
2000									
March	7.0	0.0	7.0	6.3	0.0	6.3	4.0	0.0	4.0
TELECOMMUNICATIONS									
1999									
March	0.0	22.2	22.2	0.0	21.8	21.8	0.0	0.8	0.8
June	0.0	17.8	17.8	0.0	18.1	18.1	0.0	0.5	0.5
September	0.0	17.2	17.2	0.0	17.5	17.5	0.0	0.1	0.1
December	0.0	16.7	16.7	0.0	16.6	16.6	0.0	0.1	0.1
2000									
March	0.0	16.7	16.7	0.5	16.3	16.8	0.8	0.5	1.3
OIL, GAS, COAL AND OTHER MINERALS									
1999									
March	0.2	0.0	0.2	0.2	0.0	0.2	0.0	0.0	0.0
June	0.2	0.0	0.2	0.2	0.0	0.2	0.0	0.0	0.0
September	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
December	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
2000									
March	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
OTHER HEAVY INDUSTRY									
1999									
March	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
June	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
September	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
December	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
2000									
March	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
OTHER									
1999									
March	0.1	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0
June	1.0	0.0	1.0	1.0	0.0	1.0	0.1	0.0	0.1
September	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
December	0.1	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
2000									
March	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
TOTAL									
1999									
March	49.1	26.6	75.7	14.1	29.4	43.5	44.0	6.2	50.2
June	13.9	33.4	47.3	20.3	28.9	49.1	37.9	11.0	48.9
September	15.3	23.5	38.7	25.0	29.1	54.0	25.8	5.3	31.1
December	10.9	29.4	40.2	17.1	23.9	41.0	19.8	10.8	30.6
2000									
March	47.0	19.3	66.3	44.0	23.4	67.4	23.3	6.7	30.0

ACTIVITY BY THE PRIVATE SECTOR—By State

Quarters	WORK COMMENCED DURING PERIOD..			WORK DONE DURING PERIOD..			WORK YET TO BE DONE..		
	<i>For private</i>	<i>For public</i>	<i>Total</i>	<i>For private</i>	<i>For public</i>	<i>Total</i>	<i>For private</i>	<i>For public</i>	<i>Total</i>
	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
NEW SOUTH WALES									
1999									
September	429.5	236.4	665.9	410.8	314.8	725.6	683.4	1 166.2	1 849.6
December	306.0	355.7	661.7	437.9	358.0	795.9	597.0	1 150.5	1 747.5
2000									
March	193.8	428.6	622.5	316.1	350.8	667.0	433.6	1 245.6	1 679.3
VICTORIA									
1999									
September	358.0	212.1	570.1	365.7	175.1	540.8	496.5	375.3	871.9
December	490.5	115.2	605.7	438.7	196.2	634.8	556.4	323.8	880.2
2000									
March	341.1	261.3	602.4	398.3	160.5	558.8	502.8	403.3	906.1
QUEENSLAND									
1999									
September	563.3	186.3	749.6	548.9	221.9	770.7	730.1	481.6	1 211.7
December	476.9	301.3	778.2	479.6	249.0	728.6	757.3	530.6	1 287.9
2000									
March	365.0	138.7	503.7	420.6	220.4	641.0	686.7	585.9	1 272.6
SOUTH AUSTRALIA									
1999									
September	200.8	50.5	251.3	249.9	53.6	303.5	321.1	61.9	383.0
December	69.9	95.3	165.3	94.9	56.8	151.7	215.5	106.3	321.8
2000									
March	84.9	57.8	142.7	109.9	72.5	182.4	116.0	93.2	209.2
WESTERN AUSTRALIA									
1999									
September	301.2	116.0	417.2	435.3	114.6	550.0	542.6	305.5	848.1
December	179.1	82.3	261.4	441.5	127.1	568.7	290.1	265.0	555.1
2000									
March	963.0	88.2	1 051.2	277.0	123.4	400.4	942.1	275.4	1 217.5
TASMANIA									
1999									
September	5.0	28.2	33.2	6.1	10.3	16.4	1.9	23.6	25.5
December	8.2	25.6	33.8	6.8	11.5	18.4	2.5	37.6	40.1
2000									
March	4.0	19.5	23.5	4.0	25.8	29.8	2.8	31.9	34.7
NORTHERN TERRITORY									
1999									
September	29.0	29.1	58.0	32.9	31.6	64.5	30.7	25.4	56.1
December	8.9	15.3	24.2	30.8	27.8	58.6	9.2	14.1	23.3
2000									
March	26.0	8.1	34.1	18.8	22.2	41.0	19.0	23.2	42.2
AUSTRALIAN CAPITAL TERRITORY									
1999									
September	10.4	4.9	15.3	10.9	14.0	25.0	8.2	17.6	25.8
December	8.8	2.1	10.9	6.6	10.5	17.1	10.0	9.8	19.8
2000									
March	35.9	11.0	47.0	32.7	11.3	44.0	13.3	10.0	23.3
AUSTRALIA									
1999									
September	1 897.1	863.5	2 760.7	2 060.5	936.0	2 996.5	2 814.4	2 457.2	5 271.6
December	1 548.4	992.8	2 541.2	1 936.9	1 037.0	2 973.9	2 438.1	2 437.7	4 875.8
2000									
March	2 013.7	1 013.3	3 026.9	1 577.5	986.9	2 564.4	2 716.2	2 668.6	5 384.8

ACTIVITY BY THE PUBLIC SECTOR—By State

State	WORK COMMENCED DURING PERIOD.....		WORK DONE DURING PERIOD		WORK YET TO BE DONE.....	
	Dec Qtr 1999	Mar Qtr 2000	Dec Qtr 1999	Mar Qtr 2000	Dec Qtr 1999	Mar Qtr 2000
	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
COMMONWEALTH GOVERNMENT						
New South Wales	310.6	296.5	310.6	296.5	2.7	0.0
Victoria	104.7	172.1	104.7	172.1	0.0	0.0
Queensland	325.7	183.7	325.7	183.7	0.0	0.0
South Australia	49.6	69.2	49.6	69.2	0.0	0.0
Western Australia	70.5	98.3	70.5	98.3	0.0	0.0
Tasmania	9.1	15.0	9.1	15.0	0.0	0.0
Northern Territory	10.4	14.6	10.4	14.6	0.0	0.0
Australian Capital Territory	16.4	15.6	16.4	15.6	0.0	0.0
Australia	897.1	864.9	897.1	864.9	2.7	0.0
STATE AND TERRITORY GOVERNMENT						
New South Wales	354.8	250.1	296.7	351.5	463.8	367.8
Victoria	7.7	7.7	20.0	10.9	15.4	15.5
Queensland	357.7	787.5	163.4	144.4	410.5	1 061.9
South Australia	72.0	39.9	70.1	44.1	24.8	13.3
Western Australia	42.3	58.2	39.9	60.7	19.6	16.5
Tasmania	19.0	12.4	14.8	13.7	9.7	17.3
Northern Territory	1.6	3.8	3.8	4.9	12.5	11.4
Australian Capital Territory	13.0	3.7	7.5	7.8	10.8	6.7
Australia	868.1	1 163.3	616.3	638.0	967.2	1 510.4
LOCAL GOVERNMENT						
New South Wales	106.6	90.5	101.4	93.7	158.5	149.8
Victoria	28.5	27.8	16.6	29.6	27.8	29.2
Queensland	130.7	147.5	168.0	148.3	177.7	179.5
South Australia	16.7	16.0	19.1	20.8	27.0	20.1
Western Australia	36.0	40.4	29.8	50.8	42.8	45.0
Tasmania	10.2	8.0	10.5	8.5	12.1	9.8
Northern Territory	2.5	0.1	2.3	0.2	0.6	0.2
Australian Capital Territory
Australia	331.2	330.2	347.8	352.0	446.4	433.7
TOTAL GOVERNMENT						
New South Wales	772.1	637.1	708.8	741.7	625.0	517.6
Victoria	140.8	207.5	141.3	212.6	43.2	44.7
Queensland	814.1	1 118.7	657.2	476.4	588.1	1 241.4
South Australia	138.4	125.1	138.9	134.1	51.8	33.5
Western Australia	148.8	196.9	140.2	209.8	62.4	61.5
Tasmania	38.3	35.4	34.4	37.2	21.9	27.1
Northern Territory	14.6	18.4	16.6	19.7	13.1	11.6
Australian Capital Territory	29.4	19.3	23.9	23.4	10.8	6.7
Australia	2 096.4	2 358.4	1 861.2	1 854.9	1 416.3	1 944.1

RELATIVE STANDARD ERRORS, Work Commenced—By Sector

Sector	<i>Roads, highways and subdivisions</i>	<i>Bridges</i>	<i>Railways</i>	<i>Harbours</i>	<i>Water storage and supply</i>	<i>Sewerage and drainage</i>	<i>Electricity generation, transmission and distribution</i>
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
TOTAL BY THE PRIVATE SECTOR							
New South Wales	7.0	0.2	0.0	13.1	6.7	1.6	0.0
Victoria	20.6	0.0	62.0	0.0	36.3	19.7	0.0
Queensland	6.7	0.0	0.0	15.4	38.0	15.3	1.7
South Australia	17.2	0.0	70.7	0.0	0.2	13.0	1.1
Western Australia	8.3	0.0	0.0	0.0	54.1	5.2	0.1
Tasmania	28.3	0.0	0.0	0.0	96.8	0.0	0.0
Northern Territory	8.9	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	74.6	0.0
Australian Capital Territory	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Australia	4.8	0.0	28.2	7.8	10.5	4.9	0.3
TOTAL BY THE PUBLIC SECTOR							
New South Wales	6.8	4.9	0.0	0.0	1.2	109.1	4.3
Victoria	15.2	0.0	0.0	0.0	25.1	2.2	0.0
Queensland	8.3	4.7	0.0	0.0	62.2	32.7	0.0
South Australia	10.6	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Western Australia	30.6	196.6	0.0	0.0	0.0	19.9	0.0
Tasmania	30.7	21.3	0.0	0.0	74.5	70.5	0.0
Northern Territory	83.9	0.0	0.0	106.9	0.0	13.4	0.0
Australian Capital Territory	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Australia	5.3	13.3	0.0	3.3	5.0	25.4	2.2
TOTAL ALL SECTORS							
New South Wales	5.1	1.3	0.0	13.1	1.6	7.4	3.6
Victoria	18.7	0.0	43.1	0.0	28.5	19.1	0.0
Queensland	5.4	4.6	0.0	6.7	38.1	14.5	1.1
South Australia	10.6	0.0	70.7	0.0	0.1	6.1	0.8
Western Australia	11.1	127.8	0.0	0.0	18.3	8.0	0.1
Tasmania	21.1	21.3	0.0	0.0	65.0	26.9	0.0
Northern Territory	12.1	0.0	0.0	14.4	0.0	59.4	0.0
Australian Capital Territory	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Australia	3.7	4.2	3.6	5.4	4.6	5.7	0.6

RELATIVE STANDARD ERRORS, Work Commenced—By Sector *continued*

Sector	Pipelines %	Recreation %	Telecommu- nications %	Oil, gas, coal and other minerals %	Other heavy industry %	Other %	Total %
TOTAL BY THE PRIVATE SECTOR							
New South Wales	8.2	44.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	91.1	3.7
Victoria	0.0	68.7	65.0	0.0	0.0	81.3	6.6
Queensland	9.0	101.3	3.9	0.0	0.0	0.0	3.2
South Australia	0.0	126.5	0.0	14.5	0.5	24.7	5.2
Western Australia	0.0	11.0	0.0	5.1	0.0	123.4	3.1
Tasmania	0.0	64.9	57.3	0.0	0.0	0.0	15.6
Northern Territory	0.0	77.4	99.5	0.0	0.0	119.4	11.9
Australian Capital Territory	0.0	28.6	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	9.0
Australia	3.8	27.0	19.4	1.6	0.1	20.0	2.1
TOTAL BY THE PUBLIC SECTOR							
New South Wales	0.0	71.3	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	2.3
Victoria	0.0	4.9	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	2.0
Queensland	0.0	5.9	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.7
South Australia	0.0	12.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	3.8
Western Australia	0.0	58.8	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	10.5
Tasmania	0.0	154.6	0.0	0.0	0.0	102.1	10.7
Northern Territory	0.0	67.2	0.0	0.0	0.0	98.2	11.5
Australian Capital Territory	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Australia	0.0	31.3	0.0	0.0	0.0	83.3	1.4
TOTAL ALL SECTORS							
New South Wales	7.2	39.9	0.0	0.0	0.0	91.1	2.1
Victoria	0.0	46.6	13.2	0.0	0.0	81.3	5.3
Queensland	9.0	50.2	0.2	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.8
South Australia	0.0	43.0	0.0	14.5	0.5	24.7	3.6
Western Australia	0.0	21.6	0.0	5.1	0.0	123.4	3.8
Tasmania	0.0	117.6	0.3	0.0	0.0	2.1	8.9
Northern Territory	0.0	58.4	0.1	0.0	0.0	90.5	8.6
Australian Capital Territory	0.0	28.6	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	2.5
Australia	3.5	20.4	1.8	1.6	0.1	19.7	1.3

RELATIVE STANDARD ERRORS, Work Done-By Sector

Sector	<i>Roads, highways and subdivisions</i>	<i>Bridges</i>	<i>Railways</i>	<i>Harbours</i>	<i>Water storage and supply</i>	<i>Sewerage and drainage</i>	<i>Electricity generation, transmission and distribution</i>
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
TOTAL BY THE PRIVATE SECTOR							
New South Wales	6.2	18.6	0.0	16.5	11.0	3.8	0.0
Victoria	12.1	29.7	23.9	0.0	42.3	26.3	2.1
Queensland	6.2	6.0	0.0	8.2	26.4	21.0	6.0
South Australia	31.2	0.0	70.2	0.0	2.9	8.1	1.3
Western Australia	9.0	21.7	0.0	0.0	24.3	6.9	0.5
Tasmania	30.5	0.0	0.0	0.0	78.9	0.0	0.0
Northern Territory	4.7	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	58.1	0.0
Australian Capital Territory	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Australia	4.2	13.2	11.7	3.1	13.3	6.5	1.6
TOTAL BY THE PUBLIC SECTOR							
New South Wales	5.2	18.0	0.0	0.0	19.3	84.0	3.4
Victoria	21.7	0.0	0.0	0.0	70.0	0.7	0.0
Queensland	7.6	23.5	0.0	0.0	29.1	16.6	0.0
South Australia	8.2	17.7	0.0	0.0	0.5	57.6	0.0
Western Australia	40.4	10.3	0.0	0.0	0.0	19.4	0.0
Tasmania	20.0	15.8	0.0	0.0	56.7	30.3	0.0
Northern Territory	85.6	0.0	0.0	106.9	0.0	35.1	0.0
Australian Capital Territory	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Australia	5.2	11.4	0.0	3.9	18.1	18.8	1.8
TOTAL ALL SECTORS							
New South Wales	4.5	13.7	0.0	16.4	9.6	9.9	2.1
Victoria	11.6	29.4	21.4	0.0	40.9	22.4	2.1
Queensland	4.8	6.7	0.0	6.2	19.8	13.6	3.5
South Australia	13.1	3.8	70.2	0.0	1.1	28.2	0.9
Western Australia	11.2	18.6	0.0	0.0	17.6	9.4	0.3
Tasmania	19.0	14.5	0.0	0.0	48.1	11.6	0.0
Northern Territory	6.8	0.0	0.0	8.9	0.0	51.5	0.0
Australian Capital Territory	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Australia	3.3	11.4	5.8	2.8	10.8	6.8	1.2

RELATIVE STANDARD ERRORS, Work Done—By Sector *continued*

Sector	Pipelines %	Recreation %	Telecommu- nications %	Oil, gas, coal and other minerals %	Other heavy industry %	Other %	Total %
TOTAL BY THE PRIVATE SECTOR							
New South Wales	3.1	24.7	0.0	0.0	0.0	91.1	3.4
Victoria	0.0	61.2	28.2	0.0	0.0	33.2	5.5
Queensland	5.0	101.8	21.9	3.7	0.0	0.0	3.4
South Australia	0.0	126.5	0.0	15.0	2.3	31.1	8.5
Western Australia	0.0	40.7	0.0	2.8	0.0	107.3	3.0
Tasmania	0.0	55.0	22.5	0.0	0.0	0.0	19.7
Northern Territory	0.0	60.6	99.5	0.0	0.0	119.4	4.1
Australian Capital Territory	0.0	47.9	0.0	0.0	0.0	66.4	5.8
Australia	1.6	22.9	8.0	2.0	0.1	25.1	2.0
TOTAL BY THE PUBLIC SECTOR							
New South Wales	0.0	47.9	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.6
Victoria	0.0	10.4	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	7.2
Queensland	0.0	20.4	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	2.3
South Australia	0.0	9.4	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	3.7
Western Australia	0.0	94.4	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	12.6
Tasmania	0.0	89.3	0.0	0.0	0.0	102.1	7.0
Northern Territory	0.0	70.5	0.0	0.0	0.0	78.4	10.2
Australian Capital Territory	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Australia	0.0	21.3	0.0	0.0	0.0	6.8	1.6
TOTAL ALL SECTORS							
New South Wales	2.9	21.9	0.0	0.0	0.0	5.9	2.0
Victoria	0.0	51.1	4.9	0.0	0.0	33.2	4.7
Queensland	5.0	44.9	0.8	3.7	0.0	0.0	2.1
South Australia	0.0	54.9	0.0	15.0	2.3	31.1	4.8
Western Australia	0.0	50.3	0.0	2.8	0.0	107.3	3.5
Tasmania	0.0	65.5	0.3	0.0	0.0	3.3	8.2
Northern Territory	0.0	46.3	0.1	0.0	0.0	112.4	3.9
Australian Capital Territory	0.0	47.9	0.0	0.0	0.0	66.4	2.4
Australia	1.5	17.2	0.7	2.0	0.1	23.9	1.4

RELATIVE STANDARD ERROR, Work Yet to Be Done—By Sector

Sector	Roads, highways and subdivisions	Bridges	Railways	Harbours	Water storage and supply	Sewerage and drainage	Electricity generation, transmission and distribution
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
TOTAL BY THE PRIVATE SECTOR							
New South Wales	0.7	0.0	0.0	4.7	1.5	0.7	0.0
Victoria	19.9	3.9	0.0	0.0	11.6	4.1	0.0
Queensland	4.0	0.9	0.0	8.4	36.3	1.3	0.0
South Australia	15.8	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1
Western Australia	6.9	0.0	0.0	0.0	42.3	0.0	0.0
Tasmania	5.2	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Northern Territory	46.7	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	56.7	0.0
Australian Capital Territory	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Australia	3.7	1.3	0.0	2.5	13.5	0.9	0.0
TOTAL BY THE PUBLIC SECTOR							
New South Wales	17.2	12.2	0.0	0.0	0.0	6.9	1.9
Victoria	33.6	0.0	0.0	0.0	18.1	0.2	0.0
Queensland	17.8	3.9	0.0	0.0	25.6	55.7	0.0
South Australia	34.7	15.9	0.0	0.0	5.4	0.0	0.0
Western Australia	90.5	79.9	0.0	0.0	0.0	176.3	0.0
Tasmania	81.7	0.0	0.0	0.0	88.5	100.6	0.0
Northern Territory	54.7	0.0	0.0	106.9	0.0	0.9	0.0
Australian Capital Territory	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Australia	20.2	10.8	0.0	1.6	7.6	9.2	0.9
TOTAL ALL SECTORS							
New South Wales	2.0	4.0	0.0	4.0	0.6	1.1	0.5
Victoria	19.0	3.8	0.0	0.0	14.3	1.2	0.0
Queensland	4.7	1.1	0.0	5.3	24.0	15.1	0.0
South Australia	14.8	0.6	0.0	0.0	4.6	0.0	0.1
Western Australia	32.1	6.5	0.0	0.0	42.3	7.4	0.0
Tasmania	22.6	0.0	0.0	0.0	88.5	89.2	0.0
Northern Territory	45.5	0.0	0.0	10.5	0.0	33.0	0.0
Australian Capital Territory	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Australia	4.4	1.8	0.0	2.1	6.9	2.7	0.1

RELATIVE STANDARD ERRORS, Work Yet to Be Done—By Sector *continued*

Sector	Pipelines %	Recreation %	Telecommu- nications %	Oil, gas, coal and other minerals %	Other heavy industry %	Other %	Total %
TOTAL BY THE PRIVATE SECTOR							
New South Wales	0.0	47.5	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.6
Victoria	0.0	69.0	16.8	0.0	0.0	0.0	6.4
Queensland	0.0	0.0	0.0	5.6	0.0	0.0	1.7
South Australia	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.4	0.0	15.7	1.8
Western Australia	0.0	0.0	0.0	2.1	0.0	0.0	3.8
Tasmania	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	4.8
Northern Territory	0.0	97.9	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	26.6
Australian Capital Territory	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Australia	0.0	28.7	4.2	2.2	0.0	12.2	1.4
TOTAL BY THE PUBLIC SECTOR							
New South Wales	0.0	22.5	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	3.2
Victoria	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	5.4
Queensland	0.0	12.6	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	4.9
South Australia	0.0	14.8	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	14.5
Western Australia	0.0	59.2	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	84.0
Tasmania	0.0	76.2	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	28.8
Northern Territory	0.0	93.9	0.0	0.0	0.0	106.9	2.4
Australian Capital Territory	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Australia	0.0	14.7	0.0	0.0	0.0	106.9	5.0
TOTAL ALL SECTORS							
New South Wales	0.0	23.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.0
Victoria	0.0	25.4	16.8	0.0	0.0	0.0	5.5
Queensland	0.0	12.5	0.0	5.6	0.0	0.0	2.0
South Australia	0.0	14.8	0.0	1.4	0.0	15.7	2.1
Western Australia	0.0	32.2	0.0	2.1	0.0	0.0	9.9
Tasmania	0.0	73.2	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	15.4
Northern Territory	0.0	75.3	0.0	0.0	0.0	106.9	17.1
Australian Capital Territory	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Australia	0.0	13.9	4.0	2.2	0.0	12.3	1.6

EXPLANATORY NOTES

INTRODUCTION

1 This publication contains estimates of engineering construction activity in Australia by both public and private sector organisations. The estimates were compiled from the Engineering Construction Survey (ECS).

2 These estimates together with results from the ABS Building Activity Surveys provide a complete quarterly picture of building and construction activity in Australia.

SCOPE AND COVERAGE OF THE SURVEY

3 The ECS aims to measure the value of all engineering construction work undertaken in Australia. The scope of the survey includes all management units recorded on the ABS central register of businesses and classified to the construction industry and all other units known to be undertaking engineering construction work (from trade journals, newspapers, etc.).

4 The cost of land and the value of building construction is excluded from the scope of the survey. Where projects include elements of both building and engineering construction (for example, electricity generation, heavy industrial plant) every effort is taken to exclude the building component from these statistics.

5 Repair and maintenance activity is excluded from the survey as are the value of any transfers of existing assets, the value of installed machinery and equipment not integral to the structure and the expenses for relocation of utility services.

6 A contract for the installation of machinery and equipment which is an integral part of a construction project is included in the statistics.

RELATIONSHIP WITH NATIONAL ACCOUNTS

7 Data on the value of work done on the construction of new residential buildings, alterations and additions to residential buildings, private sector non-residential buildings (from *Building Activity, Australia*, Cat. no. 8752.0) and the value of engineering construction activity (from the Engineering Construction Survey) are the major source data which are used to compile the national accounts estimates for private gross fixed capital formation on dwellings, and other buildings and structures. However, there are some adjustments to the survey data which are made in the process of compiling these national account series. Allowances are made for the value of building activity which is out of scope of the Building Activity Survey and the Engineering Construction Survey. Such activity includes work done on projects which fall below the size cut-offs used for the Building Activity Survey and also the value of work done which is undertaken without obtaining a building permit, either because such a permit is not required or because the requisite permit is not obtained. The national accounts estimates also make allowances for purchases (less sales) of buildings and other structures from (to) the public sector.

NEW SURVEY METHODOLOGY

8 A review of the survey was undertaken in 1999 and as a result, a new survey methodology was introduced as from the September quarter 1999. Under the previous methodology, population frames and samples had been revised annually. In the new methodology, the frames and samples are revised each quarter. The aim is to improve the quality of the survey estimates by selecting a sample from a more up to date survey population. Frame compilation and maintenance processes were also brought in line with current best practice.

9 Data obtained using the new methodology was first published in the December quarter 1999. Adjustments were made to all data back to the September quarter 1997. For more details of the impact of the new methodology and the method of adjustment applied to previous estimates, refer to Explanatory Notes paragraphs 8 to 13 in the December quarter 1999 issue.

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RELIABILITY OF THE ESTIMATES

10 Since the figures for private sector and public sector organisations are derived from information obtained from a sample of organisations they are subject to sampling error; that is, they may differ from the figures that would have been obtained if information for all organisations for the relevant period had been included in the survey. A measure of the likely difference is given by the relative standard error of each estimate. There are about two chances in three that a sample estimate will differ by less than one standard error from the figure that would have been obtained if all units had been included, and about nineteen chances in twenty that the difference will be less than two standard errors. Approximate relative standard errors of the estimates are shown in tables 21, 22 and 23.

11 An example of the use of standard errors is as follows. If the total value of work done during the quarter is \$2,500m and the associated standard error is 0.5% then there are about two chances in three that the value which would have been derived if there had been a complete collection would have been within the range \$2,488m to \$2,513m and about nineteen chances in twenty that the value would have been within the range \$2,475m to \$2,525m.

12 The imprecision due to sampling variability, which is measured by the relative standard error, should not be confused with inaccuracies that may occur because of inadequacies in the source of information, imperfections in reporting by respondents, and errors made in the coding and processing of data. Inaccuracies of this kind are referred to as non-sampling error, and may occur in any enumeration whether it be a full count or only a sample. Every effort is made to reduce the non-sampling error to a minimum by the careful design of questionnaires, efforts to obtain responses for all selected organisations, and efficient operating procedures.

13 Caution is advised in respect of the value of work commenced (and consequently, the value of work yet to be done) reported by the public sector. It is known that data reported for value of work commenced are a combination of the following: annual works budget estimates which are reported as commencements in the September quarter (and in some cases may subsequently be undertaken by the private sector); genuine commencements as defined in the Glossary, and reported quarterly; commencements being reported as equal to the value of work done for the quarter; commencements of major stages in the case of long-term projects.

SEASONAL ADJUSTMENT

14 Seasonally adjusted statistics for engineering construction activity are shown in tables 1 and 2. As happens with all seasonally adjusted series, the seasonal factors are reviewed annually to take account of each additional years data. The results of the latest review were included in the June quarter 1999 issue. Information regarding the methods used in seasonally adjusting the series, is available on request.

15 Since seasonally adjusted statistics reflect both irregular and trend movements, an upward or downward movement in a seasonally adjusted series does not necessarily indicate a change of trend. Particular care should therefore be taken in interpreting individual quarter to quarter movements.

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CHAIN VOLUME MEASURES

16 Chain volume estimates of the value of work done are presented in original and seasonally adjusted terms in Table 1.

17 While current price estimates of the value of work done reflect both price and volume changes, chain volume estimates measure changes in value after the direct effects of price changes have been eliminated and therefore only reflect volume changes. The deflators used to revalue the current price estimates in this publication are derived from the same price data underlying the deflators compiled for the new engineering construction component of the national accounts aggregate 'Gross fixed capital formation'.

18 The chain volume measures of work done appearing in this publication are annually reweighted chain Laspeyres indexes referenced to current price values in a chosen reference year (currently 1997–98). The reference year will be updated annually in the June quarter publication. Each year's data in the value of work done series are based on the prices of the previous year, except for the quarters of the latest incomplete year (i.e. for the 1999–2000 financial year) which are based upon the current reference year (i.e. 1997–98). Comparability with previous years is achieved by linking (or chaining) the series together to form a continuous time series. Further information on the nature and concepts of chain volume measures is contained in the ABS *Information Paper: Introduction of Chain Volume Measures in the Australian National Accounts*, (Cat. no. 5248.0).

19 The factors used to seasonally adjust the chain volume measures are identical to those used to adjust the corresponding current price series.

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RELATED PUBLICATIONS

21 Users may also wish to refer to the following building and construction publications and special products which are available on request.

- *Building Approvals, Australia* (Cat. no. 8731.0) issued monthly
- *Building Activity, Australia: Dwelling Unit Commencements, Preliminary* (Cat. no. 8750.0) issued quarterly
- *Building Activity, Australia* (Cat. no. 8752.0) issued quarterly
- *Building Activity, Australia: Building Work Done, Preliminary* (Cat. no. 8755.0) issued quarterly

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— nil or rounded to zero

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Type of construction In this collection each project is classified to a category of construction without regard to end use. For example, a project involving coal handling equipment at an electricity generating plant is included under Heavy industry Oil, gas, coal and other minerals and not under Electricity generation, transmission and distribution. Where a project involves more than one category of construction the project is included under the category which accounts for the major part of the contract in terms of value.

Type of construction is divided into a number of categories as defined below.

Roads, highways and subdivisions. Includes parking areas; cycle paths; airport runways; pedestrian and vehicle overpasses; traffic lights; roundabouts; associated road drainage works; street and highway lighting; road resurfacing, kerbing and guttering, road tunnels.

Bridges. Includes those for the support of roads, railways, causeways and elevated highways.

Railways. Includes tracklaying; overhead power lines and signals; platforms; tramways; tunnels for underground railways; fuel hoppers.

Harbours. Includes boat and yacht basins; breakwaters; retaining walls; docks and piers; terminals; wharves; dredging works; marinas.

Water storage and supply. Includes dams; weirs; reservoirs; embankments for water diversion; water pipelines; mains and treatment plants; flood prevention and erosion; aqueducts; water conduits; systems conveying water to residences, commercial and industrial establishments.

Sewerage and drainage. Includes sanitary and storm sewers; sewage treatment plants; stormwater drains; drainage systems.

Electricity generation, transmission and distribution. Includes power stations; substations; hydroelectric generating plants; associated work i.e. towers; chimneys; transmission and distribution lines.

Pipelines. Includes oil and gas pipelines; urban supply mains for gas; pipelines for refined petroleum products, chemicals, foodstuffs, etc.

Recreation. Includes golf courses; playing fields; racecourses; stadiums; swimming pools; landscaping; park construction.

Telecommunications. Includes radio, television, microwave and radar transmission towers; telephone and telegraph lines and underground cables; coaxial cables.

Heavy industry. Oil, gas, coal and other minerals. Includes construction of production, storage and distribution facilities; refineries; pumping stations; construction of mines;

Other heavy industry. Includes construction of chemical plants; blast furnaces; steel mills; other industrial processing plants; ovens.

Ownership Projects are classified as private sector or public sector according to the expected ownership of the project at the time of completion.

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- Sector** The public sector includes Commonwealth Departments and Authorities, State Departments and Authorities, Local Government Authorities, Water, Sewerage and Electricity Authorities and Semi-government Authorities e.g. public hospitals. This publication contains separate estimates for:
- Commonwealth Government;
 - State and Territory Government; and
 - Local Government.
- All remaining organisations are classified as private sector.
- Value of work commenced** A project is regarded as having commenced when the site works begin. However, some public sector authorities are unable to report on this basis. In such cases, the authorities report the value of their annual works budget as a commencement in September quarter each year.
- Value of work yet to be done** The value of outstanding work for the project at the end of the period. Rise and fall and other cost variations can lead to increases or decreases in the value of work yet to be done.
- Value of work done** For the private sector consists of the value of work done on prime contracts, plus speculative contracts, plus work done on own account. For the public sector it is defined as work done by the organisation's own workforce.

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