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TOURIST ACCOMMODATION — MARCH QUARTER 1977

SUMMARY OF RESULTS

	Mar. Qtr 1976	June Qtr 1976	Sept. Qtr 1976	Dec. Qtr 1976	Mar. Qtr 1977
Australia					
Room occupancy rate	50.3%	48.0%	49.2%	47.6%	51.0%
Bed occupancy rate	36.4%	33.6%	34.6%	32.7%	37.0%
Gross takings from accommodation	\$79.8m	\$77.7m	\$83.1m	\$80.8m	\$90.0m
Employment at end of quarter	76,148	74,147	75,247	75,848	73,979

EXPLANATORY NOTES

Introduction

This bulletin contains results for Australia (excluding Northern Territory) of the quarterly surveys of Tourist Accommodation Establishments. The period covered by the latest survey is the three months ended 31 March 1977.

Background

2. A Census of Tourist Accommodation Establishments was conducted for the year ended 30 June 1974, to identify and measure the amount, type and location of tourist accommodation available throughout Australia. To supplement these statistics, it was considered desirable to collect data to measure the utilisation of the available accommodation. Accordingly the Australian Bureau of Statistics commenced regular quarterly Tourist Accommodation Surveys in order to satisfy the needs of various Government Departments as well as private bodies who are concerned with the development and promotion of tourism in Australia.

Tourist accommodation establishment

3. There is no generally accepted definition of a tourist accommodation establishment. For the purpose of the surveys, tourist accommodation establishments have been defined as : hotels, motels and guest houses, which provide predominantly short term accommodation (i.e. for periods of less than two months) available to the general public and which provide breakfast.

Scope

4. The scope of the Surveys is identical to the scope of the 1973-74 Tourist Accommodation Census except for the omission of caravan parks and holiday flats. Therefore all accommodation establishments (except caravan parks) in classes 9212 and 9213 of the Australian Standard Industrial Classification which reported in the Census or by separate communication that they provide accommodation to predominantly short term visitors and provide breakfast are included in the Survey.

Type of establishment

5. The various types of accommodation establishments have been regrouped in the Survey to represent three establishment categories as follows :

- (i) *Licensed hotel with facilities* — an establishment which provides tourist accommodation, is licensed to operate a public bar and provides bath or shower and toilet in most guest rooms.
- (ii) *Licensed or unlicensed motel, private hotel or guest house with facilities* — an establishment which provides tourist accommodation and, provides bath or shower and toilet in most guest rooms, but is not licensed to operate a public bar. This category also includes motels that are licensed to serve liquor with meals.
- (iii) *Licensed hotel, private hotel or guest house without facilities* — an establishment which provides tourist accommodation but which does not provide bath or shower and toilet in most guest rooms.

Definitions

6. *Number of establishments* refers to the number of tourist accommodation establishments within the scope of the Survey which operated during the three months ended 31 March 1977. Included are those establishments which operated for any part of the quarter. Establishments temporarily closed for the whole quarter are excluded from this quarter's publication.

Guest Rooms refers to the maximum number of rooms, units, suites, etc. available for accommodating paying guests during the three months ended 31 March 1977.

Bed Spaces refers to the maximum number of guests that could be accommodated in beds normally in place at the accommodation establishment during the three months ended 31 March 1977. Three quarter beds are classified as single beds; double beds are counted as two bed spaces.

Room Occupancy Rate refers to the proportion of guest rooms occupied to the number of guest rooms available expressed as a percentage.

Bed Occupancy Rate refers to the proportion of bed spaces occupied to the number of bed spaces available expressed as a percentage.

Gross Takings from Accommodation refers to revenue received from the provision of accommodation. Where meals and accommodation are a combined charge an estimate of takings from meals was excluded. Takings from accommodation for each month represent the takings received during that month. In the case of some establishments, payments may be made in advance of, or may be received after the provision of accommodation to guests and therefore the monthly figure for takings from accommodation may not necessarily bear a direct relationship to the number of guests accommodated during the month.

Employment refers to the number of persons working at tourist accommodation establishments at the end of the quarter and includes working proprietors or

partners and salaried directors as well as employees on the payroll for the last pay period of the quarter. Employees absent on paid sick leave, holidays or long service leave are included while unpaid helpers and those who, during the whole of the last pay period, were stood down, or absent because of an industrial dispute are excluded.

Related publications

Census of Tourist Accommodation Establishments Australia and Australian Capital Territory year ended 30 June 1974 (Reference No. 11.50).

More detailed statistics for individual States are published in separate bulletins released by the respective State offices of the Australian Bureau of Statistics.

All statistical publications produced by the Canberra and State offices of the ABS are listed in *Publications of Australian Bureau of Statistics* (Reference No. 1.8). This and all other publications of Tourist Accommodation Statistics are available free of charge from any of these offices.

Symbols and other usages

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TABLE 1. NUMBER, CAPACITY AND OCCUPANCY RATES

	New South Wales				Victoria			
	Licensed hotels with facilities	Motels, etc. (a)	Licensed hotels, priv. hotels and guest houses without facilities	Total	Licensed hotels with facilities	Motels, etc. (a)	Licensed hotels, priv. hotels and guest houses without facilities	Total
NUMBER								
1977 - March Quarter -								
Establishments	241	773	610	1,624	167	400	484	1,051
Guest rooms	6,761	19,550	8,696	35,007	4,156	11,246	6,345	21,747
Bed spaces	14,682	56,069	15,227	85,978	9,410	28,438	10,762	48,610
ROOM OCCUPANCY RATES (%)								
1976 - January	55.5	70.6	33.1	57.2	50.6	r67.9	37.2	r54.8
February	52.9	55.6	26.6	47.1	55.9	r59.1	30.9	r49.6
March	52.5	57.0	26.1	47.6	59.1	r63.7	30.9	r52.4
April	53.4	62.1	28.8	51.4	51.3	r60.9	29.6	r49.3
May	52.8	65.0	27.0	52.3	49.0	r61.3	27.3	r48.3
June	46.5	54.0	24.6	44.6	43.0	r50.0	25.1	r40.9
July	47.0	53.4	23.6	44.2	42.3	r47.7	23.6	r39.2
August	55.2	63.5	26.8	52.0	49.1	r58.0	28.4	r47.1
September	56.0	64.2	27.8	52.9	52.1	r60.4	27.7	r48.7
October	56.3	61.7	27.7	51.6	58.2	r62.3	28.3	r51.0
November	54.8	55.9	26.9	48.0	57.3	r61.6	27.6	r50.3
December	44.1	52.0	25.7	43.5	44.3	r50.3	27.3	r42.0
1977 - January	55.4	71.0	30.5	57.8	52.1	63.4	34.8	52.9
February	55.4	56.5	25.6	48.6	57.5	55.4	28.7	48.0
March	58.1	58.7	24.4	50.1	61.6	63.0	30.1	53.1
March Quarter 1976	53.7	61.2	28.7	50.7	55.2	r63.6	33.0	r52.3
June Quarter 1976	50.9	60.4	26.8	49.5	47.8	r57.5	27.3	r46.2
September Quarter 1976	52.7	60.4	26.1	49.7	47.8	r55.3	26.6	r44.9
December Quarter 1976	51.7	56.5	26.8	47.7	53.2	r58.0	27.8	r47.7
March Quarter 1977	56.3	62.3	26.9	52.3	57.0	60.8	31.3	51.4
BED OCCUPANCY RATES (%)								
1976 - January	45.8	54.5	26.7	47.4	36.0	r50.3	31.1	r43.2
February	36.3	33.2	19.4	31.1	33.9	r35.7	23.0	r32.5
March	35.1	33.5	19.2	31.0	36.6	r38.3	22.8	r34.4
April	37.9	39.7	22.1	36.0	32.6	r38.4	23.5	r34.0
May	36.9	43.4	20.8	37.8	31.0	r39.3	21.4	r33.7
June	30.3	31.9	18.1	29.0	25.8	r29.1	19.1	r26.3
July	31.7	31.9	17.8	29.2	25.9	r28.1	18.0	r25.4
August	39.3	41.4	20.7	37.1	31.7	r37.5	23.0	r33.2
September	39.9	42.3	21.5	37.9	33.8	r38.2	21.9	r33.7
October	37.8	37.5	20.7	34.3	36.2	r38.1	21.3	r34.0
November	35.5	32.7	19.6	30.7	35.0	r36.5	20.6	r32.7
December	30.2	34.6	19.4	30.9	28.4	r33.4	20.6	r29.6
1977 - January	42.9	54.7	25.1	47.4	37.6	51.6	29.4	44.0
February	36.3	33.7	18.8	31.5	34.7	36.1	21.5	32.6
March	37.7	34.4	18.2	32.1	39.5	40.9	23.4	36.7
March Quarter 1976	39.1	40.6	21.8	36.6	35.6	r41.5	25.7	r36.8
June Quarter 1976	35.0	38.4	20.3	34.3	r29.8	r35.6	21.3	r31.3
September Quarter 1976	36.9	38.5	20.0	34.7	30.4	r34.6	20.9	r30.7
December Quarter 1976	34.5	34.9	19.9	32.0	33.2	r36.0	20.8	r32.1
March Quarter 1977	39.1	41.2	20.8	37.2	37.3	43.1	24.9	37.9

(a) For definition see explanatory notes, paragraph 5.

TABLE 1. NUMBER, CAPACITY AND OCCUPANCY RATES - continued

	Queensland				South Australia			
	Licensed hotels with facilities	Motels, etc. (a)	Licensed hotels, priv. hotels and guest houses without facilities	Total	Licensed hotels with facilities	Motels, etc. (a)	Licensed hotels, priv. hotels and guest houses without facilities	Total
NUMBER								
1977 - March Quarter -								
Establishments	190	503	552	1,245	110	128	304	542
Guest rooms	4,733	9,598	7,396	21,727	2,357	3,466	3,276	9,099
Bed spaces	11,318	27,821	12,025	51,164	5,056	10,112	5,959	21,127
ROOM OCCUPANCY RATES (%)								
1976 -								
January	50.1	60.6	30.4	47.3	57.3	79.0	33.9	56.2
February	43.1	45.3	28.2	38.5	56.8	67.9	31.8	51.3
March	44.4	46.1	28.7	39.3	54.6	68.7	32.3	51.2
April	49.8	53.1	30.8	44.3	52.1	68.3	29.7	49.4
May	58.2	63.8	35.2	52.2	50.7	67.0	29.4	48.4
June	58.4	59.9	33.7	50.0	38.7	53.1	24.3	38.3
July	60.4	65.6	35.4	53.7	35.0	49.8	23.4	35.9
August	68.8	75.0	37.6	60.3	47.3	61.4	27.6	44.9
September	62.6	66.9	35.1	54.6	49.2	65.9	27.3	46.9
October	62.2	62.4	33.3	52.0	51.8	68.2	28.8	49.2
November	56.4	56.5	31.3	47.5	41.8	59.7	25.9	42.4
December	47.1	52.3	28.4	42.7	37.5	56.7	24.8	39.8
1977 -								
January	53.8	63.3	31.3	50.3	54.9	79.1	31.3	55.6
February	45.4	46.6	29.1	40.4	47.0	64.2	27.2	46.4
March	50.0	48.1	29.0	42.0	54.9	70.4	29.7	51.7
March Quarter 1976								
1976	45.9	50.8	29.1	41.8	56.2	72.0	32.7	52.9
June Quarter 1976								
1976	55.5	59.0	33.3	48.9	47.2	62.9	27.8	45.4
September Quarter 1976								
1976	64.0	69.2	36.0	56.2	43.8	59.0	26.1	42.5
December Quarter 1976								
1976	55.2	57.1	31.0	47.4	43.7	61.5	26.5	43.8
March Quarter 1977								
1977	49.8	52.9	29.8	44.4	52.4	71.5	29.5	51.4
BED OCCUPANCY RATES (%)								
1976 -								
January	36.2	44.0	25.1	37.5	48.2	58.9	27.6	46.8
February	25.9	27.2	21.5	25.5	41.1	41.1	22.8	35.6
March	26.4	26.9	21.3	25.4	37.7	39.9	23.9	34.5
April	33.0	33.7	23.9	31.1	39.2	42.4	23.2	35.8
May	39.8	42.9	28.1	38.5	38.1	43.3	21.9	35.5
June	37.0	36.3	25.9	33.8	26.9	30.3	17.7	25.6
July	39.4	40.7	27.2	37.0	23.4	27.9	17.0	23.5
August	47.2	50.9	30.4	45.0	36.0	39.7	22.0	33.5
September	42.4	43.2	27.3	39.1	36.7	40.4	21.5	33.8
October	38.8	39.4	26.4	36.1	38.0	41.0	22.8	34.9
November	34.1	34.4	24.2	31.8	28.7	33.1	19.6	28.1
December	30.3	36.0	22.6	31.5	28.6	37.5	19.3	30.0
1977 -								
January	39.5	47.2	25.6	40.4	46.5	59.6	26.3	47.1
February	27.9	28.1	22.2	26.7	34.1	38.4	20.1	32.2
March	30.7	28.3	21.6	27.2	38.8	41.1	22.8	35.4
March Quarter 1976								
1976	29.6	32.8	22.7	29.6	42.4	46.8	24.8	39.0
June Quarter 1976								
1976	36.6	37.7	26.0	34.5	34.8	38.7	21.0	32.4
September Quarter 1976								
1976	43.0	45.0	28.3	40.4	32.0	36.0	20.2	30.2
December Quarter 1976								
1976	34.4	36.6	24.4	33.1	31.8	37.2	20.6	31.0
March Quarter 1977								
1977	32.8	34.8	23.1	31.6	40.0	46.7	23.2	38.4

(a) For definition see explanatory notes, paragraph 5.

TABLE 1. NUMBER, CAPACITY AND OCCUPANCY RATES – *continued*

	<i>Western Australia</i>				<i>Tasmania</i>			
	<i>Licensed hotels with facilities</i>	<i>Motels, etc. (a)</i>	<i>Licensed hotels, priv. hotels and guest houses without facilities</i>	<i>Total</i>	<i>Licensed hotels with facilities</i>	<i>Motels, etc. (a)</i>	<i>Licensed hotels, priv. hotels and guest houses without facilities</i>	<i>Total</i>
NUMBER								
1977 – March Quarter –								
Establishments	120	97	256	473	65	56	99	220
Guest rooms	2,976	4,095	4,178	11,249	1,991	1,494	1,091	4,576
Bed spaces	5,786	10,127	6,714	22,627	4,491	4,460	1,898	10,849
ROOM OCCUPANCY RATES (%)								
1976 – January	55.6	74.8	45.3	58.2	68.5	78.6	35.8	63.1
February	54.8	62.8	41.0	52.1	61.3	70.0	32.7	56.5
March	52.1	59.3	38.8	49.4	69.6	76.6	32.3	62.0
April	49.7	55.8	39.5	48.0	59.4	70.2	28.7	55.0
May	51.4	55.6	38.0	47.8	53.5	59.7	28.3	49.1
June	49.5	46.4	36.9	43.7	37.4	44.0	22.4	35.7
July	49.9	48.3	35.8	44.0	31.7	33.9	20.1	29.4
August	58.1	59.1	39.6	51.5	41.7	45.1	23.1	38.0
September	66.2	73.3	44.3	60.5	45.5	50.8	24.1	41.7
October	59.7	69.9	41.9	56.8	56.5	57.0	28.8	50.1
November	52.6	52.1	38.7	47.3	53.3	59.6	27.9	49.3
December	47.6	49.2	36.3	44.0	44.6	49.9	28.1	42.4
1977 – January	53.9	71.0	43.7	56.3	66.0	77.9	33.4	62.1
February	53.0	56.5	39.0	49.1	60.9	69.0	29.1	56.0
March	56.8	61.4	40.3	52.4	66.4	72.8	29.3	59.6
March Quarter 1976	54.1	65.7	41.7	53.2	66.6	75.2	33.6	60.6
June Quarter 1976	50.2	52.6	38.1	46.5	50.1	58.0	26.5	46.6
September Quarter 1976	58.0	60.1	39.9	51.9	39.6	43.2	22.4	36.3
December Quarter 1976	53.3	57.1	39.0	49.4	51.4	55.4	28.3	47.2
March Quarter 1977	54.6	63.2	41.1	52.7	64.5	73.3	30.7	59.3
BED OCCUPANCY RATES (%)								
1976 – January	45.1	58.6	38.7	48.8	52.8	58.9	31.2	50.9
February	40.8	43.4	33.4	39.6	44.2	46.2	27.2	41.6
March	37.0	38.6	31.0	35.8	49.8	49.7	27.0	45.2
April	36.9	37.0	32.1	35.5	46.1	43.9	22.9	40.8
May	37.9	38.0	30.7	35.8	39.7	37.7	22.3	35.6
June	34.9	29.1	29.5	30.8	26.2	26.1	16.8	24.3
July	36.9	30.3	27.7	31.2	19.8	18.7	14.7	18.4
August	42.2	39.0	31.1	37.4	29.4	27.9	17.0	26.5
September	50.2	51.5	35.9	46.4	33.9	31.9	19.1	30.3
October	44.1	46.5	33.8	42.1	40.3	34.7	22.1	34.8
November	36.9	33.0	30.1	33.1	37.6	35.4	21.6	33.9
December	35.8	34.3	28.6	33.0	33.0	32.7	22.0	30.9
1977 – January	43.6	56.1	37.4	47.3	54.3	55.9	29.2	50.6
February	37.2	37.3	30.6	35.3	44.2	44.2	23.7	40.7
March	39.4	40.4	31.7	37.6	49.4	45.4	24.0	43.3
March Quarter 1976	41.0	46.9	34.4	41.4	49.0	51.7	28.5	46.0
June Quarter 1976	36.6	34.7	30.8	34.0	37.3	35.9	20.7	33.6
September Quarter 1976	43.0	40.1	31.5	38.3	27.7	26.1	16.9	25.0
December Quarter 1976	39.0	38.0	30.8	36.1	37.0	34.2	21.9	33.2
March Quarter 1977	40.2	44.8	33.3	40.2	49.5	48.6	25.7	45.0

(a) For definition see explanatory notes, paragraph 5.

TABLE 1. NUMBER, CAPACITY AND OCCUPANCY RATES - continued

	Australian Capital Territory				Australia (b)			
	Licensed hotels with facilities	Motels, etc. (a)	Licensed hotels, priv. hotels and guest houses without facilities	Total	Licensed hotels with facilities	Motels, etc. (a)	Licensed hotels, priv. hotels and guest houses without facilities	Total
NUMBER								
1977 - March Quarter -								
Establishments	12	19	11	42	905	1,976	2,316	5,197
Guest rooms	749	1,057	294	2,100	23,723	50,506	31,276	105,505
Bed spaces	1,707	3,059	748	5,514	52,450	140,086	53,333	245,869
ROOM OCCUPANCY RATES (%)								
1976 - January	55.8	84.3	60.0	70.0	54.9	69.3	35.2	55.1
February	50.8	69.6	38.1	57.8	52.8	56.4	30.6	47.3
March	56.1	71.5	47.8	62.2	53.8	58.1	30.4	48.2
April	51.7	67.6	56.6	60.1	52.2	60.2	31.2	49.2
May	54.6	74.7	49.9	63.3	52.9	63.3	31.0	50.7
June	50.0	53.3	33.4	49.1	47.1	53.3	28.4	44.0
July	36.8	45.8	27.5	39.8	46.2	53.2	27.9	43.7
August	47.8	69.7	44.9	58.1	54.9	63.6	31.4	51.6
September	56.5	66.9	44.4	59.9	56.3	64.4	31.6	52.3
October	56.3	64.8	49.4	59.5	57.8	62.9	31.3	52.0
November	55.7	59.8	44.9	56.2	53.9	57.3	29.7	48.0
December	42.8	54.3	34.1	47.3	44.5	51.7	28.1	42.8
1977 - January	44.2	73.6	53.2	60.2	54.8	68.6	33.7	55.2
February	58.0	62.6	45.1	58.5	53.2	55.4	29.3	47.2
March	76.1	72.2	49.0	70.4	57.9	59.4	29.7	50.2
March Quarter 1976	54.3	75.2	48.9	63.5	53.8	61.4	32.1	50.3
June Quarter 1976	52.1	65.3	46.7	57.7	50.7	59.0	30.2	48.0
September Quarter 1976	46.9	60.8	38.9	52.6	52.4	60.3	30.3	49.2
December Quarter 1976	51.6	59.7	42.9	54.3	52.0	57.3	29.7	47.6
March Quarter 1977	59.5	69.7	49.2	63.2	55.3	61.3	31.0	51.0
BED OCCUPANCY RATES (%)								
1976 - January	44.4	66.5	56.5	57.8	42.8	52.4	29.3	44.9
February	34.6	43.3	26.9	38.0	35.3	34.4	23.1	31.9
March	35.2	44.6	32.1	39.7	35.3	34.7	22.8	32.0
April	34.9	45.3	40.3	41.2	36.5	38.4	24.4	34.8
May	35.2	51.5	35.8	43.9	36.8	42.0	24.2	36.8
June	32.2	32.7	21.6	30.9	30.7	31.7	21.4	29.2
July	23.2	29.7	16.5	25.7	30.7	32.0	20.9	29.2
August	31.3	47.6	32.4	40.2	38.5	41.9	24.8	37.3
September	36.6	43.8	28.5	39.3	39.5	41.8	24.6	37.4
October	36.0	41.6	33.2	38.6	38.6	38.8	24.1	35.5
November	33.1	36.5	29.4	34.4	34.7	34.0	22.3	31.5
December	27.5	39.2	25.4	33.5	30.5	34.8	21.6	30.9
1977 - January	34.2	58.7	44.0	49.1	42.3	53.2	28.2	45.4
February	34.5	38.3	31.3	36.2	34.7	34.1	22.1	31.6
March	48.5	42.5	32.2	43.0	38.1	35.9	22.6	33.5
March Quarter 1976	38.1	51.6	38.8	45.3	37.9	40.6	25.1	36.4
June Quarter 1976	34.2	43.2	32.6	38.7	34.7	37.4	23.3	33.6
September Quarter 1976	30.3	40.4	25.8	35.0	36.2	38.6	23.5	34.6
December Quarter 1976	32.2	39.2	29.4	35.6	34.6	35.9	22.7	32.6
March Quarter 1977	39.2	46.8	36.0	43.0	38.5	41.3	24.4	37.0

(a) For definition see explanatory notes, paragraph 5. (b) Excludes Northern Territory.

TABLE 2. GROSS TAKINGS FROM ACCOMMODATION AND EMPLOYMENT

	New South Wales				Victoria			
	Licensed hotels with facilities	Motels, etc. (a)	Licensed hotels, priv. hotels and guest houses without facilities	Total	Licensed hotels with facilities	Motels, etc. (a)	Licensed hotels, priv. hotels and guest houses without facilities	Total
GROSS TAKINGS FROM ACCOMMODATION (\$'000)								
1976 - January	2,646	8,035	805	11,486	1,241	r4,144	669	r6,054
February	2,360	5,333	550	8,243	1,384	r3,154	465	r5,003
March	2,515	5,850	587	8,951	1,594	r,3705	500	r5,798
April	2,483	6,531	674	9,687	1,356	r3,590	532	r5,478
May	2,507	7,128	628	10,262	1,378	r3,817	485	r5,680
June	2,120	5,555	525	8,200	1,098	r2,940	423	r4,461
July	2,304	5,746	537	8,587	1,146	r2,994	437	r4,577
August	2,848	7,191	637	10,676	1,343	r3,836	550	r5,729
September	2,847	7,130	647	10,624	1,420	r3,874	515	r5,808
October	2,707	7,008	657	10,373	1,702	r4,000	511	r6,213
November	2,532	6,092	594	9,219	1,651	r3,683	467	r5,801
December	1,999	6,214	617	8,830	1,248	r3,362	491	r5,102
1977 - January	2,519	9,356	768	12,643	1,475	4,826	682	6,984
February	2,414	6,167	525	9,106	1,555	3,533	469	5,558
March	2,782	7,057	575	10,414	1,863	4,562	519	6,944
March Quarter 1976	7,521	19,218	1,942	28,680	4,218	r11,003	1,634	r16,856
June Quarter 1976	7,109	19,213	1,827	28,150	3,832	r10,347	1,440	r15,619
September Quarter 1976	7,999	20,067	1,821	29,887	3,909	r10,704	1,502	r16,115
December Quarter 1976	7,238	19,315	1,869	28,422	4,601	r11,045	1,469	r17,116
March Quarter 1977	7,715	22,580	1,868	32,163	4,893	12,921	1,670	19,485
EMPLOYMENT (b)								
Employment at -								
31 March 1976	7,738	7,319	5,598	20,655	7,108	4,375	6,074	17,557
30 June 1976	7,532	7,220	5,326	20,078	6,405	4,209	5,740	16,354
30 September 1976	7,675	7,462	5,293	20,430	6,763	4,404	5,675	16,842
31 December 1976	7,484	7,480	5,377	20,341	6,994	4,307	5,724	17,025
31 March 1977 -								
Full-time -								
Males	1,814	1,491	1,115	4,420	1,683	960	1,286	3,929
Females	1,520	2,311	1,191	5,022	1,308	1,337	1,009	3,654
Persons	3,334	3,802	2,306	9,442	2,991	2,297	2,295	7,583
Other -								
Males	1,374	494	947	2,815	1,704	256	1,223	3,183
Females	2,284	3,241	2,110	7,635	2,064	1,847	1,833	5,744
Persons	3,658	3,735	3,057	10,450	3,768	2,103	3,056	8,927
Total -								
Males	3,188	1,985	2,062	7,235	3,387	1,216	2,509	7,112
Females	3,804	5,552	3,301	12,657	3,372	3,184	2,842	9,398
Persons	6,992	7,537	5,363	19,892	6,759	4,400	5,351	16,510

(a) For definitions see explanatory notes, paragraph 5. (b) See explanatory notes, paragraph 6.

TABLE 2. GROSS TAKINGS FROM ACCOMMODATION AND EMPLOYMENT - *continued*

	Queensland				South Australia			
	Licensed hotels with facilities	Motels, etc. (a)	Licensed hotels, priv. hotels and guest houses without facilities	Total	Licensed hotels with facilities	Motels, etc. (a)	Licensed hotels, priv. hotels and guest houses without facilities	Total
GROSS TAKINGS FROM ACCOMMODATION (\$'000)								
1976 - January	1,407	3,443	539	5,388	728	1,588	321	2,637
February	983	2,206	423	3,612	641	1,206	257	2,104
March	1,084	2,346	454	3,884	667	1,311	277	2,255
April	1,304	2,790	499	4,593	648	1,332	278	2,258
May	1,665	3,548	600	5,813	635	1,381	276	2,293
June	1,500	3,095	540	5,136	455	999	221	1,675
July	1,701	3,395	595	5,690	418	971	207	1,595
August	2,074	4,229	675	6,978	606	1,272	268	2,147
September	1,802	3,615	591	6,008	646	1,289	269	2,204
October	1,764	3,354	582	5,700	663	1,429	285	2,376
November	1,521	2,894	519	4,935	503	1,183	236	1,921
December	1,345	2,898	497	4,740	490	1,265	240	1,994
1977 - January	1,712	3,981	545	6,237	756	1,889	320	2,964
February	1,193	2,323	414	3,930	544	1,304	229	2,077
March	1,473	2,621	470	4,564	691	1,572	285	2,548
March Quarter 1976	3,474	7,994	1,416	12,884	2,035	4,105	855	6,995
June Quarter 1976	4,470	9,434	1,639	15,543	1,739	3,712	775	6,226
September Quarter 1976	5,578	11,239	1,860	18,677	1,670	3,532	744	5,946
December Quarter 1976	4,630	9,146	1,598	15,374	1,655	3,876	760	6,292
March Quarter 1977	4,377	8,924	1,429	14,731	1,991	4,765	834	7,590
EMPLOYMENT (b)								
Employment at -								
31 March 1976	5,598	3,535	5,478	14,611	4,430	1,873	3,210	9,513
30 June 1976	6,053	3,659	5,482	15,194	4,321	1,813	3,085	9,219
30 September 1976	6,133	3,795	5,309	15,237	4,256	1,791	3,134	9,181
31 December 1976	6,565	3,583	5,305	15,453	4,496	1,885	3,226	9,607
31 March 1977 -								
Full-time -								
Males	1,649	823	1,073	3,545	828	280	748	1,856
Females	1,937	1,315	1,799	5,051	704	411	662	1,777
Persons	3,586	2,138	2,872	8,596	1,532	691	1,410	3,633
Other -								
Males	939	215	561	1,715	1,050	176	561	1,787
Females	1,705	1,184	1,492	4,381	1,746	999	1,086	3,831
Persons	2,644	1,399	2,053	6,096	2,796	1,175	1,647	5,618
Total -								
Males	2,588	1,038	1,634	5,260	1,878	456	1,309	3,643
Females	3,642	2,499	3,291	9,432	2,450	1,410	1,748	5,608
Persons	6,230	3,537	4,925	14,692	4,328	1,866	3,057	9,251

(a) For definitions see explanatory notes, paragraph 5. (b) See explanatory notes, paragraph 6.

TABLE 2. GROSS TAKINGS FROM ACCOMMODATION AND EMPLOYMENT - continued

	Western Australia				Tasmania			
	Licensed hotels with facilities	Motels, etc. (a)	Licensed hotels, priv. hotels and guest houses without facilities	Total	Licensed hotels with facilities	Motels, etc. (a)	Licensed hotels, priv. hotels and guest houses without facilities	Total
GROSS TAKINGS FROM ACCOMMODATION (\$'000)								
1976 - January	817	1,462	474	2,753	861	675	137	1,672
February	760	1,126	387	2,274	694	539	109	1,342
March	800	1,114	389	2,303	869	667	123	1,659
April	746	1,031	374	2,152	720	575	99	1,394
May	810	1,108	377	2,295	649	506	100	1,255
June	751	898	352	2,001	437	367	75	879
July	775	983	333	2,091	370	273	73	716
August	912	1,227	381	2,520	497	383	84	964
September	1,025	1,600	438	3,062	554	428	95	1,077
October	1,012	1,547	428	2,986	769	521	110	1,400
November	830	1,091	379	2,300	682	525	107	1,315
December	774	1,110	355	2,239	612	487	109	1,208
1977 - January	877	1,696	452	3,025	962	788	150	1,900
February	798	1,192	364	2,353	772	623	118	1,512
March	968	1,434	406	2,808	959	720	130	1,809
March Quarter 1976	2,377	3,702	1,250	7,330	2,424	1,881	368	4,674
June Quarter 1976	2,306	3,038	1,104	6,448	1,806	1,448	273	3,527
September Quarter 1976	2,712	3,810	1,151	7,673	1,422	1,084	252	2,757
December Quarter 1976	2,616	3,747	1,162	7,525	2,064	1,534	326	3,923
March Quarter 1977	2,643	4,322	1,221	8,186	2,693	2,131	397	5,221
EMPLOYMENT (b)								
Employment at -								
31 March 1976	3,779	1,611	2,922	8,312	2,375	800	874	4,049
30 June 1976	3,751	1,527	2,666	7,944	2,401	732	807	3,940
30 September 1976	3,861	1,579	2,669	8,109	2,392	792	836	4,020
31 December 1976	3,767	1,592	2,734	8,093	2,438	869	841	4,148
31 March 1977 -								
Full-time -								
Males	867	364	564	1,795	573	112	203	888
Females	1,441	574	1,085	3,100	379	147	188	714
Persons	2,308	938	1,649	4,895	952	259	391	1,602
Other -								
Males	387	128	235	750	392	72	145	609
Females	1,166	587	865	2,618	927	530	300	1,757
Persons	1,553	715	1,100	3,368	1,319	602	445	2,366
Total -								
Males	1,254	492	799	2,545	965	184	348	1,497
Females	2,607	1,161	1,950	5,718	1,306	677	488	2,471
Persons	3,861	1,653	2,749	8,263	2,271	861	836	3,968

(a) For definitions see explanatory notes, paragraph 5. (b) See explanatory notes, paragraph 6.

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TABLE 2. GROSS TAKINGS FROM ACCOMMODATION AND EMPLOYMENT - continued

	Australian Capital Territory				Australia (c)			
	Licensed hotels with facilities	Motels, etc. (a)	Licensed hotels, priv. hotels and guest houses without facilities	Total	Licensed hotels with facilities	Motels, etc. (a)	Licensed hotels, priv. hotels and guest houses without facilities	Total
GROSS TAKINGS FROM ACCOMMODATION (\$'000)								
1976 - January	292	528	84	905	7,992	r19,875	3,028	r30,895
February	252	381	38	671	7,074	r13,946	2,229	r23,249
March	305	418	50	773	7,833	r15,411	2,379	r25,623
April	275	425	58	757	7,531	r16,274	2,514	r26,319
May	284	479	62	825	7,928	r17,968	2,528	r28,423
June	248	330	35	613	6,610	r14,184	2,172	r22,966
July	186	282	28	496	6,899	r14,644	2,209	r23,753
August	245	452	48	745	8,525	r18,591	2,642	r29,758
September	299	423	43	765	8,594	r18,357	2,598	r29,549
October	298	416	50	764	8,915	r18,275	2,623	r29,813
November	289	375	43	706	8,008	r15,842	2,346	r26,197
December	232	383	37	652	6,700	r15,719	2,346	r24,765
1977 - January	238	534	61	832	8,537	23,070	2,978	34,586
February	285	393	42	720	7,562	15,535	2,160	25,256
March	421	498	52	972	9,158	18,463	2,436	30,058
March Quarter 1976	849	1,327	172	2,349	22,899	r49,231	7,637	r79,767
June Quarter 1976	807	1,234	155	2,196	22,069	r48,426	7,213	r77,708
September Quarter 1976	730	1,157	119	2,006	24,018	r51,592	7,450	r83,061
December Quarter 1976	818	1,174	130	2,122	23,623	r49,836	7,315	r80,774
March Quarter 1977	945	1,425	155	2,524	25,257	57,068	7,574	89,899
EMPLOYMENT (b)								
Employment at -								
31 March 1976	808	461	182	1,451	31,836	19,974	24,338	76,148
30 June 1976	791	452	175	1,418	31,254	19,612	23,281	74,147
30 September 1976	796	460	172	1,428	31,876	20,283	23,088	75,247
31 December 1976	639	370	172	1,181	32,383	20,086	23,379	75,848
31 March 1977 -								
Full-time -								
Males	150	65	30	245	7,564	4,095	5,019	16,678
Females	171	121	39	331	7,460	6,216	5,973	19,649
Persons	321	186	69	576	15,024	10,311	10,992	36,327
Other -								
Males	204	29	41	274	6,050	1,370	3,713	11,133
Females	261	228	64	553	10,153	8,616	7,750	26,519
Persons	465	257	105	827	16,203	9,986	11,463	37,652
Total -								
Males	354	94	71	519	13,614	5,465	8,732	27,811
Females	432	349	103	884	17,613	14,832	13,723	46,168
Persons	786	443	174	1,403	31,227	20,297	22,455	73,979

(a) For definition see explanatory notes, paragraph 5. (b) See explanatory notes, paragraph 6. (c) Excludes Northern Territory.

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