## CHAPTER IV.-EMPLOYMENT AND UNEMPLOYMENT.

NOTE.—Further detail on subjects dealt with in this chapter is contained in other publications of this Bureau. For subjects relating to population censuses reference should be made to the series of mimeographed and printed publications issued by the Bureau. Detailed information on employment and unemployment and the work force survey is contained in the monthly mimeographed bulletin, *Employment and Unemployment*. Current information is also available in the *Monthly Review of Business Statistics*, the *Digest of Current Economic Statistics*, and the *Quarterly Summary of Australian Statistics*, and preliminary estimates of civilian employment are issued in a monthly statement Wage and Salary Earners in Civilian Employment.

## THE WORK FORCE.

## § 1. General.

The work force comprises two categories of persons: those who are employed and those who are unemployed. In the first category are included employers, self-employed persons, wage and salary earners, and unpaid helpers. Comprehensive details for each State and Territory and for Australia as a whole in respect of persons in the work force, classified according to characteristics such as age, sex, conjugal condition, industry, occupational status and occupation, are obtained only at a general census of population. Quarterly estimates of the civilian work force are derived from the results of surveys of a sample of households selected by area sampling methods. Estimates are at present available only for the six State capital cities combined. A summary of the information about the work force that was obtained at the population census of June, 1961, and earlier censuses is given in section 2 below. Estimates derived from the quarterly work force surveys appear in section 3, pages 188–191.

## § 2. Population Censuses.\*

1. Occupational Status.—(i) General. The occupational status of persons classified as in the work force at population census dates covers two broad groups: those at work and those not at work. The first group comprises employers, self-employed persons, employees (on wage or salary) and unpaid helpers. The category "not at work" includes those who stated that they were usually engaged in work, but were not actively seeking a job at the time of the census by reason of sickness, accident, etc., or because they were on strike. changing jobs, or temporarily laid off, etc. It includes also persons able and willing to work but unable to secure employment, as well as casual and seasonal workers not actually in a job at the time of the census. The numbers shown as "not at work" in the following three tables, therefore, do not represent the number of unemployed available for work and unable to obtain it.

(ii) Australia, 30th June, 1954 and 1961. The following table shows the occupational status of the population at the census of 30th June, 1961, as compared with that at the 1954 census.

<sup>·</sup> Particulars of full-blood Aboriginals are not included in the tables in this section.

At the 1961 census 79.3 per cent, of persons in the  $\sqrt{2}$  ork force were wage and salary earners classified as "at work"; 9.8 per cent,  $\sqrt{2}$  re self-employed; 6.3 per cent, were employers; and 4.1 per cent, were "not at work". Persons in the work force constituted 40.2 per cent, of the population, compared with 41.2 per cent, in 1954.

<b>A</b>	Censu	is, 30th June	, 1954.	Census	, 1961.	Increase,	
Occupational status.	Males.	Females.	Persons.	Males.	Females.	Persons.	1954-61.
In work force-		-		·	·		
Englasses	. 220,87	8 30,104			42,712	267,081	16,099
	. 359,61				62,704		
	2,216,68	1 739,802					394,551
Helper(b)	18,43	0 9,913	28,343	13,689	7,871	21,560	-6,783
Total at Work	. 2,815.60	6 831,402	3,647,008	3.037.301	1.015.189	4,052,490	405,482
Not at work(c)	41.01				43,980	172,606	117,592
Total in Work Force	2.856.62	845,402	3,702,022	3,165,927	1,059,169	4,225,096	523.074
Not in work force	. 1,689,49						998,582
Grand Total	. 4,546,11	8 4,440,412	8,986,530	5,312,252	5,195,934	10,508,186	1,521,656

OCCUPATIONAL STATUS OF THE POPULATION: AUSTRALIA.

Note.-Minus sign (-) denotes decrease.

(iii) States and Territories, 30th June, 1961. The following table shows particulars of the occupational status of the population of each State and Territory at the 1961 census.

Occupational status.	N.S.W.	Vic.	Qtd.	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	N. <b>T.</b>	A.C.T.	Australia.
In work force— A1 work— Employer Self-employed Employee(a) Helper(b)	95,651 138,571 1,298,143 6,452	120,867 958,258		24,213 40.978 298,688 1,952	20,521 29,784 217,692 1,624	8,221 13,191 104,717 699	897 723 12,144 55	1,006 895 22,445 22	412,815
Total at Work Not at work(c)	1,538,817 63,699	1,158,151 51,912		365,831 11,730	269,621 10,163	126,828 4,090	13,819 424	24,368 647	
Total in Work Force Not in work force		1,210,063 1,720,050		377,561 591,779	279,784 456,845	130,918 219,422	14,243 12,852		4,225,096 6,283,090
Grand Total	3,917,013	2,930,113	1,518,828	969,340	736,629	350,340	27,095	58,828	10,508.186

OCCUPATIONAL STATUS OF THE POPULATION: CENSUS, 30th JUNE, 1961.

(a) On wage or salary, (b) Not on wage or salary, (c) See ex page 172.

(iv) Persons Not at Work, classified by Cause. The total number of persons "not at work" has been recorded only at the dates of the various censuses. Since the 1947 census this category has included all persons (usually engaged in industry, business, trade, profession or service) who were out of a job and not at work at the time of the census, for whatever reason, including any not normally associated with unemployment. The following table shows the numbers recorded as "not at work" at the censuses of 30th June, 1947, 1954, and 1961, classified according to cause. As explained in sub-para.(i) above, the totals shown as "not at work" do not represent the number of unemployed available for work and unable to obtain it.

	Census.		Unable to secure em- pioyment.	Tempo- rarily laid off.	Illness.	Accident.	Industrial dispute.	Other. (b)	Total
				N	ÁALES.				
1947 1954 1961		  	17,314 9,912 85,455	12,458 4,423 12,153	14,639 11,879 13,931	2,985 2,804 6,262	475 344 547	18,743 11,652 10,278	66,614 41,014 128,626
				F	MALES.				
1947 1954 1961	 		2,254 3,685 28,056	2,449 1,386 4,012	4,396 4,310 5,925	280 318 787	24 17 202	7,512 4,284 4,998	16,915 14,000 43,980
<u>.</u>				Pi	RSONS.				
1947 1954 1961	••	· · · · ·	19,568 13,597 113,511	14,907 5,809 16,165	19,035 16,189 19,856	3,265 3,122 7,049	499 361 749	26,255 15,936 15,276	83,529 55,014 172,606

PERSONS N f AT WORK(a), BY CAUSE: AUSTRALIA.

(a) Persons in the work force who were "not at work" (see explanation in sub-para (i) page 172) at the time of the census. (b) The majority of these persons were resting between jobs or changing jobs.

2. Industry.—(i) General. For census purposes industry may be defined as any single branch of productive activity, trade or service. All persons engaged in any such branch of economic activity are classified industrially as belonging to that particular branch, irrespective of their personal occupations within the industry. Thus a single firm may employ persons performing completely different occupations in order to make a particular product, or to render a particular service, but the industrial classification of each of these persons is determined by the nature of the product made or of the service rendered by the firm that employs him.

(ii) Australia, 30th June, 1954 and 1961. The following table shows the number of persons in the work force in each industry group and sub-group at the censuses of 1954 and 1961. The figures include those at work and those not at work.

At the 1961 census 60 per cent. of males and 20 per cent. of females were in the work force. Of the males in the work force, those engaged in manufacturing constituted the largest group (28.0 per cent. of the total); followed by those in commerce, 14.3 per cent.; primary production, 13.3 per cent.; building and construction, 11.5 per cent.; and transport and storage, 7.9 per cent. The more important industry groups in which females were engaged were manufacturing, 23.9 per cent.; commerce, 22.2 per cent.; community and business services, 21.5 per cent.; and amusement, hotels, personal service, etc., 12.8 per cent. A diagram showing the industry of the population at the 1961 census appears facing page 192. 

# INDUSTRY OF THE POPULATION: AUSTRALIA.

	Census	, 30th June	, 1954.	Census	, 30th June	, 1961.	fncrease or
Industry group and sub-group.	Males.	Females.	Persons.	Males.	Fernales.	Persoas.	decrease () 1954-61
inary production—							
Fishing Hunting and trapping .	8,451 1,552	115	8,566 1,563	8,124 1,361	t 28	8,252 1,375	31
Rural industries	1,552 435,933	31,890	1,563 467,823	396,519	38.892	435,411	-32,41
Forestry	15,279	67	15,346	13,725	122	13,847	—1,49
Total, Primary Production	461,215	32,083	493,298	419,729	39,156	458,885	-34,41
diaing and quarrying				46.000			
Mining (including opencut mining)' Quarrying	55,327 4,983	909 152	56,236 5,135	46,220 6,721	1,174 286	47,394 7,007	-8,84 1,87
Total, Mining and Quarrying	60,310		61,371	52,941	1,460	54,401	6,97
faaufacturing-	<i>40,010</i>	1,001	01,071		1,400	01,101	
Cement, bricks, glass and stone Products of petroleum and coal	40,012	3,104	43,116	44,455	3,856	48,311	5,19
(excluding chemical and gas works)	3,234	190	3,424	6,239	430	6,669	3,24
Founding, engineering and metal- working	229,431	32,305	261,736	286,093	45,756		70,11
Ships, vehicles, parts and acces- sories	132,653	6,463	139,116	132,435	8,345	140,780	-
Yarns, textiles and articles thereof (excluding clothing and fur-				,	0,011		
nishing drapery) Clothing and knitted goods (in-	29,620	26,243	55,863	29,009	24,501	53,510	2,35
cluding needleworking) Boots, shoes and accessories (other	23,144	73,367	96,511	20,285	69,382	89,667	-6,84
than rubber) Food, drink and tobacco .	17,123 117,088		27,351 145,015	15,252 121,983	10,011 31,911	25,263 153,894	
Sawmilling and wood products	53,252			49,759	2,452		
(other than furniture) Furniture and fittings (other than	53,252	2,130	33,386	43,137	2,432	52,211	-3,17
metal), bedding and furnishing drapery	23,646	2,515	26,161	22,923	3,394	26,317	1:
Paper and paper products, printing, bookbinding and photography	53,953	18,770	72,723	67,443	22,994	90,437	17,71
Chemicals, dyes, explosives, paints and non-mineral oils	31,046	9,423	40,469	38,571	11,955	50,526	10,05
Jewellery, watchmaking, electro- plating and minting	6,491	1,275	7,766	6.098	1,163	7,261	50
Skins and leather; goods of leather and leather substitutes (other							
than clothing or footwear)	9,044			6,931	2,632	9,563	
Rubber goods	14,912	3,354	18,266	18,076	3,828	21,904	3,63
Musical, surgical and scientific instruments and apparatus	4,301	1,291	5,592	5,894	2,414	8,308	2,7
Plastic products (n.e.i.)	4,211	1.842	6,053	7,072	3,443	10,515	4.4
Other	5,710			5,752	2,894	8,646	1
Undefined	1,397	834	2,231	2,857	1,847	4,704	
Total, Manufacturing	800,268	227,063	1,027,331	887,127	253,208	[ 1,140,335 	(13,0
services (production, supply and maintenance)-		ł					
Gas and electricity	50,998	3,440	54,438	60,858	4,538	65,396	10,9
Water supply, sewerage, etc.	18,556			27,809	1,106	28,915	
Total, Electricity, etc., Services	69,554	4,096	73,650	88,667	5,644	94,311	20,6
Building and construction— Construction and repair of		ł					
Construction and repair of buildings	196,205	2,452	198,657	229,280	5,237	234,517	35,8
Construction works (other than buildings)	125,624	1,341	126,965	135,812	2.002	137,814	10,8
Total, Building and Con- struction	321,829	3,793	325,622	365,092	7,239	372,331	
ransport and storage-							
Road transport	91.515 27.955	4,349	95.864	104,948	7.166	112,114	16,2
Loading and discharging vessels.	27.950	209	28,159	27,538 25,892	2,318	26.171	
Rail and air transport	91,691	8,031	99,722	91,166	8,349	99.515	i2
Storage	1,475	139	1,614		155	1,844	

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	Census	s, 30th Jun	e, 1954.	Censu	s, 30th Jun	e, 1961.	Increase
Industry group and sub-group.	Males.	Females.	Persons.	Males.	Females.	Persons.	decrease () 1954-61.
Communication	63,802	16,748	80,550	75,294	18,522	93,816	13,256
Finance and property— Banking Insurance Other finance and property	30,746 18,078 12,664	13,066	42,905 31,144 20,164	25,422	19,807	45,229	14,085
Total, Finance and Property	61,488	32,725	94,213	86,274	54,871	141,145	46,932
Commerce— Wholesale trade Livestock and primary produce dealing, etc.	123,107 25,701 238,660	5,387	31,088	29.121	6,449	35,570	1
	387,468	149,932		451,717			
	307,408	165,515	511,381	431,717	233,049	080,700	109,385
Public authority (n.e.i.) and defence services— Public authority activities (n.e.i.) Defence enlisted personnel Defence: civilian employees	72,070 44,798 9,972	25,568 1,888 2,215	97,638 46,686 12,187		29,986 1,780 2,168	44,006	-2.680
Total, Public Authority (n.e.i.), etc.	126,840	29,671	156,511	135,819	33,934	169,753	13,242
Community and business services (including professional)— Law, order and public safety Religion and social welfare Health, hospitals, etc Education Other	25,974 12,830 35,504 39,672 22,532	8,209 9,821 75,888 51,851 12,556	34,183 22,651 111,392 91,523 35,088	33,124, 15,033 43,047 58,357 32,665	12.235 12,610 106,522 76.096 20,444	45,359 27,643 149,569 134,453 53,109	11,176 4,992 38,177 42,930 18,021
Total, Community and Busi- ness Services	136,512	158,325	294,837	182,226	227,907	410,133	115,296
Amusement, hotels and other accom- modation, cafés, personal service, etc.— Amusement, sport and recreation	27.525	9.697	37,222	31,309	10.851	42,160	4,938
Private domestic service Hotels, boarding houses, etc., and	6,703	30,763	37,466	5,773	26,919		-4,774
restaurants Other personal services	43,525 21,250	65,087 19,939	108,612 41,189	50,824 24,622	70,561 27,277	121,385 51,899	
Total, Amusement, Hotels, etc.	99,003	125,486	224,489	112,528	135,608	248,136	23,647
Other industries Industry inadequately described or	34	22	56	69	75	144	88
not stated	27,711	9,717	37,428	57.211	28,229	85,440	48 012
Total in Work Force Not in work force	2,856,620 1,689,498	<i>845,402</i> 3,595,010	3,702,022 5,284,508	3,165.927 2,146,325	1,059.169 4,136,765	4,225,096 6,283,090	523,074 998,582
Grand Total	4,546,118	4,440,412	8,986,530	5,312,252	5,195,934	10,508,186	1,521,656

## INDUSTRY OF THE POPULATION: AUSTRALIA-continued.

Details of individual industries within the foregoing sub-groups, by sex, are published for each State and Territory and for Australia as a whole in the mimeographed 1961 *Census Bulletin* No. 29 and in the respective parts of the Census Volumes.

3. Industry and Occupational Status.—Males and females in the work force at the 1961 census are classified in the following table according to industry and occupational status. Only the major industry groups are shown in this table; particulars for each sub-group are available in the mimeographed 1961 Census Bulletin No. 34.

#### POPULATION CENSUSES.

#### At work. Total Not at in the Industry group. work. Self-Emwork force. Helper, Em-(c) ployee. Total. employer. **(b)** ployed. (a) MALES. 198,774 139,130 406,551 51,264 57,374 11,273 13,178 419,729 566 29,140 1,441 21,550 49,214 805,857 43 1,677 52,941 277 856,824 30,303 887,127 320 29,611 10,422 83 281 31,071 23,630 261 3,641 44,261 87,301 282,216 760 88.667 87.907 5 197 365,092 251,233 75,294 343,095 21,997 210,617 74,407 78,220 341,343 136 13 59 244,805 74,764 85,575 6,428 530 699 Transport and storage . . . . Communication Finance and property .. 3,655 86,274 ... ... 54,477 715 440,796 10,921 451,717 Commerce Public authority (n.e.i.) and defence Public autoon, services services Community and business services (including professional) Amusement, hotels and other ac-commodation, cafés, personal service, etc. 135,126 135,126 693 135,819 19,945 7,243 153,354 208 180,750 1,476 182.226 18,048 16,094 490 4,294 112,528 73,602 108,234 19 Other industries 38 65 60 Industry inadequately described or not stated 721 1,845 18,707 272 21,545 35,666 57,211 . . •• Total Males in the Work Force 224,369 350,111 2,449,132 13,689 3,037,301 128,626 3,165,927 • •

#### PERSONS IN THE WORK FORCE, BY INDUSTRY AND OCCUPATIONAL STATUS: AUSTRALIA, CENSUS, 30th JUNE, 1961,

#### FEMALES.

Primary production	9,552	18,599	7,650	3,023		332	
Mining and quarrying	22	18	1,406	1	1,447	13	1,460
Manufacturing	4,367	3,674	233,682	359	242,082	11,126	253,208
Electricity, gas, water and sanitary			[			-	
services	.22	3	5,598	1	5,624	20	5,644
Building and construction	958	270	5,880	32	7,140	<u>9</u> 9	7,239
Transport and storage	865	630	16,573	40	18,108	159	18,267
Communication	32	152	18,063	20	18,267	255	18,522
Finance and property	324	434	53,713	47	54,518	353	54,871
Commerce	15,097	18,106	194,517	1,901	229,621	5,428	235,049
Public authority (n.e.i.) and defence		.				,	
services			33,700		33,700	234	33,934
Community and business services (including professional) Amusement, hotels and other ac-	1,989	3,616	217,954	707		3,641	227,907
commodation, cafés, personal service, etc. Other industries	9,256 12	16,790 24	102,479 33	1,547 1	130,072 70	5,536 5	135,608
Industry inadequately described or not stated	216	388	10,654	192	11,450	16,779	28,229
Total Females in the Work Force	42,712	62,704	901,902	7,871	1,015,189	43,980	1,059,169

(a) On wage or salary. (b) Not on wage or salary. page 172.

(c) See explanation in sub-para. (i)

4. Occupational Status, Age and Conjugal Condition.—In the next two tables males and females at the census of 30th June, 1961, are classified according to occupational status in conjunction with age and conjugal condition.

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			Ag	e last bir	(hday (ye	ars),		
Occupational status and conjugal condition.	15-19.	2024.	25-34.	35-44.	45-54.	55-64.	65 and over,	Total.
Employers— Never married Married Married but perma-	715 23	3,313 2,361	6,052 34,820	3,311 59,189	2,413 57,188	1,525 31,252	818 12,873	(a) 18,149 197,706
Widowed	  	17 2 2	266 63 152	681 273 496	815 699 553	\$42 1,196 321	249 2,076 111	2,570 4,309 1,635
Total Employers	738	5,695	41,353	63,950	61,668	34,836	16,127	(a) 224,369
Self-employed— Never married Married but perma-	4,780 62	11,892 6,677	14,513 55,607	9,122 78,157	7,961 72,253	5,453 45,361	21,083	(b) 56,565 279,200
nently separated Widowed	. <u>1</u>	29 10 10	499 93 246	1,022 380 695	1,213 1,094 871	907 2,179 613	473 3,787 224	4,143 7,544 2,659
Total Self-employed	4,843	18,618	70,958	89,376	83,392	54,513	28,365	(5) 350,111
Employees (on wage or salary)— Never married Married bui perma- nently separated Widowed	255,553 3,346 36 16 9	214,143 83,212 1,056 112 139	145,622 417,637 8,741 1,040 3,530	63,926 460,436 12,913 3,433 8,257	40,192 371,751 12,416 8,467 8,585	23,330 217,073 7,381 13,278 4,489	4,879 38,995 1,500 6,964 644	(c) 753,676 1,592,450 44,043 33,310 25,653
Total Employees (on Wage or Salary)	258,960	298,662	576,570	548,965	441,411	265,551	52,982	(c)2,449,132
Helpers (not on wage or salary) Never married Married but perma- nently separated Widowed	6,808 13	1,964 93 1	821 230 • 14	339 202 23 10	288 234 32 22	263 401 36	207 442 33	( <i>d</i> ) 11,546 1,615 139 322
Divorced		••	• 2	17	19	76 19	212 10	67
Total Helpers (not on Wage or Salary)	6,822	2,058	1,068	591	\$95	795	904	(d) 13,689
Total at work— Never matried Married Married but perma- mently separated Widowed Divorced	267,856 3,444 36 18 9	231,312 92,343 1,103 124 151	167,008 508,294 9,520 1,197 3,930	76,698 597,984 14,639 4,096 9,465	50,854 501,426 14,476 10,282 10,028	30,571 294,087 8,866 16,729 5,442	8,702 73,393 2,255 13,039 989	(e) 839,936 2,070,971 50,895 45,485 30,014
Total at Work	271,363	325,033	689,949	702,882	587,066	355,695	98,378	(e)3,037,30

## OCCUPATIONAL STATUS OF MALES, BY AGE AND CONJUGAL CONDITION: AUSTRALIA, CENSUS, 30th JUNE, 1961.

Note .- For footnotes see next page.

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## OCCUPATIONAL STATUS OF MALES, BY AGE AND CONJUGAL CONDITION: AUSTRALIA, CENSUS, 30th JUNE, 1961.—continued.

Occupational status and			Ag	e last bin	thday (ye	ears).		
conjugal condition.	15-19.	20-24.	2534.	35-44.	45-54.	55-64.	65 and over.	Total.
Not at work(f) Never married Married Married but perma	17,181 284	t4,360 3,518	12,027 13,590	6,173 14,772	4.369 13,977	3,198 11,068	508 2,071	(g) 58,844 59,280
nently separated Widowed Divorced	9 t	156 16 17	962 73 354	1,403 254 832	1,506 656 909	952 1,188 580	158 415 61	5,146 2,603 2,753
Total Not at Work	17,475	18,067	27,006	23,434	21,417	16,986	3,213	(g) 128,626
Total in work force— Never marcied Married	285,037 3,728	245,672 95,861	179.035 521.884	82,871 612,756	55,223 515,403	33,769 305,155	9,210 75,464	(h) 898,780 2,130,251
Married but perma- nently separated Widowed Divorced	45 19 9	1,259 140 168	10,482 1,270 4,284	16,042 4,350 10,297	15,982 10,938 10,937	9,818 17,917 6,022	2,413 13,454 1,050	56,041 48,088 32,767
Total in Work Force	288,838	343,100	716,955	726,316	608,483	372,681	101,591	(4)3,165,927
Not in work force— Never married Married Married but perma-	125,837 106	17,663 701	8,712 2,457	6,949 4,653	7,805 10,219	11,041 37,195	29,626 179,128	(i)1,825,865 234,459
nently separated Widowed	6 1 	46 9 12	258 47 189	634 171 497	1,051 590 746	2,205 4,348 1,386	7,931 62,831 3,043	12,131 67,997 5,873
Total Not in Work Force	125,950	18,431	11,663	12,904	20,411	\$6,175	282,559	(1)2,146,325
Total males— Never married Married Married but perma-	410,874 3,834	263,335 96,562	187,747 524,341	<b>89,82</b> 0 617,409	63,028 525,622	44,810 342,350	38,836 254,592	(j)2,724,645 2,364,710
Married but perma- neatly separated Widowed Divorced	51 20 9	1,305 149 180	10,740 1,317 4,473	16,676 4,521 10,794	17,033 11,528 11,683	12,023 22,265 7,408	10,344 76,285 4,093	68,172 116,085 38,640
Grand Total	414,788	361,531	728,618	739,220	628,894	428,856	384,150	(j)5,312,252

(a) Includes 2 aged 10-14 years. (b) Includes 46 aged 10-14 years. (c) Includes 6,031 aged 10-14 years. (d) Includes 856 aged 10-14 years. (e) Includes 6,935 aged 10-14 years. (f) See explanation on page 172. (g) Includes 1,028 aged 10-14 years. (h) Includes 7,963 aged 10-14 years. (j) Includes 567,742 aged 0-4 years, 536,046 aged 5-9 years, 514,444 aged 10-14 years. (j) Includes 567,742 aged 0-4 years, 536,046 aged 5-9 years, 522,407 aged 10-14 years.

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#### Age last birthday (years), Occupational status and conjugal condition. 65 and 15-19. 20-24. 25-34. 35-44. 45-54. 55-64. Total. over.-Employers-Never married 105 32 261 412 6,249 619 11,058 913 9,104 778 3,304 3,610 31,360 522 729 ... Married but perma-884 227 1,574 283 701 6,270 77 J 1 92 101 212 550 132 1,998 131 29 nently separated 8 Widowed ÷ 2,042 . . . . 1 248 42 Divorced... 1 65 6,919 12,687 3,364 Total Employers 139 1,159 12,101 6,343 42,712 Self-employed Never married Married Married but perma 421 709 939 1.295 1.980 1,956 5,122 1,396 1,402 (a) 8,697 41,880 110 1,822 8,879 13,060 11,485 nently separated Widowed 4 221 501 621 1.890 32 356 155 2,953 3,266 109 132 1,776 8,723 3 616 403 . . . . Divorced... . . . Self-em-Total ployed 535 2,571 10,280 15,875 16,413 10,711 6,318 (a) 62,704 \* \* Employees (on wage or salary)— Never married 231,962 4,831 6,180 1,583 (b) 488,178 318,646 111,855 44,070 50,594 81,055 32,131 101,977 29,696 67,053 19,809 Married .. ... Married but perma-7,729 1,334 3,901 10,480 6,096 1,864 8,774 3,525 14,195 2,450 32.964 nently separated Widowed 143 32 449 3,888 40,857 21,257 . . Divorced... 12 320 7.653 6,689 232 . . Total Employees (on W Salary) Wage of 12.332 (6) 901,902 236,980 158,313 144,613 158,337 127,320 58 056 Helpers (not on wage or salary)-325 788 117 149 Never married 1,659 487 200 171 152 (৫) 3,288 . . 227 1.098 1.074 Married 49 500 3.885 Married but perma-238 348 112 nently separated Widowed 3 54 72 36 30 121 19 56 70 6 122 28 27 ... 19 2 20 8 Divorced... . . Total Helpers (not on Wage or 1,711 735 1,193 1,423 1,407 823 402 (c) 7,871 Salary) • • Total at work 234,147 5,022 113,312 47,003 \$2,270 96,971 32,760 88,716 8,215 3,863 (d) 503,773 395,771 34,245 127,193 22,695 27,003 Never married • • 11,263 7,290 8,331 9,676 18,530 7,559 4,043 19,267 2,925 35,793 56,198 23,654 151 1,923 8,098 639 nently separated Widowed 32 212 328 1.549 9.318 381 . . 13 Divorced... •• Total at Work ... 239,365 162,778 163,005 188,322 157.241 75,933 22,416 (d)1,015,189

## OCCUPATIONAL STATUS OF FEMALES, BY AGE AND CONJUGAL CONDITION: AUSTRALIA, CENSUS, 30th JUNE, 1961.

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#### OCCUPATIONAL STATUS OF FEMALES, BY AGE AND CONJUGAL CONDITION: AUSTRALIA, CENSUS, 30TH JUNE, 1961.-continued.

			Ag	e last bir	thday (yea	urs).		
Occupational status and conjugal condition.	15-19.	2024.	25-34.	35-44.	45-54.	55-64.	65 and over.	Total.
Not at work(e)— Never married Married Married but perma-	14,138 352	5,779 1,766	2,974 2,659	1,309 2,819	1,182 1,691	756 452	113	(f) 27,266 9,761
nently separated Widowed	45 2 2	311 15 42	833 75 319	1,080 383 608	804 855 526	259 518 169	23 74 10	3,355 1,922 1,676
Total Not at Work	14,539	7,913	6,860	6,199	5,058	2,154	242	(f) 43,980
Total in work force— Never married	248,285 5,374	119,091 48,769	55,244 99,630	35,554 [30,012	33,942 90,407	23,451 27,455	8,328 3,885	(g) 531,039 405,532
Married but perma- nently separated Widowed Divorced	196 34 15	2,234 227 370	8,931 1,624 4,436	12,343 7,673 8,939	10,480 19,385 8,085	4,302 19,785 3,094	662 9,392 391	39,148 58,120 25,330
Total in Work Force	253,904	170,691	169,865	194,521	162,299	78,087	22,658	(g)1,059,165
Not in work force— Never married Married y Married but perma- nently separated Widowed Divorced	118,329 21,665 195 37 15	13,443 149,907 1,444 271 151	10,655 474,751 6,122 2,326 1,702	10,779 483,091 7,619 7,898 3,315	14,110 384,226 7,562 24,454 4,313	22,807 250,894 7,812 71,252 4,526	56.030 174,688 8,465 244,265 3,987	(h)1,789,812 1,939,222 39,219 350,503 18,009
Total Not in Work Force	140,241	165,216	495,5\$6	512,702	434,665	357,291		(h)4,136,765
Total females— Never married Married Married but perma- nently separated Widowed Divorced	366,614 27,039 391 71 30	132,534 198,676 3,678 498 521	65,899 574,381 15,053 3,950 6,138	46,333 613,103 19,962 15,571 12,254	48,052 474,633 18,042 43,839 12,398	46,258 278,349 12,114 91,037 7,620	64.358 178,573 9,127 253,657 4,378	(i)2,320,851 2,344,754 78,367 408,623 43,339
Grand Total	394,145	335,907	665,421	707,223	596,964	435,378	510,093	(i)5,195,934

(a) Includes 1 aged 10-14 years. (b) Includes 5,951 aged 10-14 years. (c) Includes 177 aged 10-14 years. (d) Includes 6,129 aged 10-14 years. (e) See explanation on page 172. (f) Includes 1,015 aged 10-14 years. (g) Includes 7,144 aged 10-14 years. (h) Includes 541,751 aged 0-4 years. (l) Includes 541,751 aged 0-4 years. (l) Includes 541,751 aged 0-4 years. (l) Includes 541,751 aged 5-9 years and 490,433 aged 10-14 years. (l) Includes 541,751 aged 5-9 years and 490,433 aged 10-14 years. (l) Includes 541,751 aged 5-9 years and 497,577 aged 10-14 years.

5. Married Women in the Work Force.—At the 1961 census, 444,680 married women (including 39,148 women who were married but permanently separated, legally or otherwise) were recorded as being in the work force. This represented 42 per cent. of the total number of females in the work force. At the 1954 census the corresponding percentage was 34.3.

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Between 1954 and 1961, there was an increase of 154,748 or 53.4 per cent. in the number of married women in the work force, compared with an increase of 213,767 or 25.3 per cent. in total females in the work force. The largest increase (both numerical and proportional) in any age group was for married women aged 35-39 years, where the increase in the seven years 1954-61 was almost 82 per cent. A comparison for all age groups is given below.

				Married wome force.	en in the work (a)	Increase, 1954-61.		
Ag.	Age last birthday (years).			Census, 30th June, 1954.(b)	Census, 30th June, 1961.(c)	Number.	Per cent.	
15-19				3,549	5,570	2,021	56.95	
20-24	••	••		35,452	51,003	15,551	43.86	
25-29	••			43,899	49,536	5,637	12.84	
30-34	••			43,320	59,025	15,705	36.25	
35-39	••	• •		41,046	74,660	33,614	81.89	
40-44	••	••		42,265	67,695	25,430	60.17	
45-49	••			33,492	59,745	26,253	78.39	
50-54		••		23,346	41,142	17,796	76.23	
55-59				13,539	22,415	8,876	65.56	
<b>60</b> -64			••	6,609	9,342	2,733	41.35	
65 and o	ver	••	••	3,415	4,547	1,132	33.15	
то	otal			289,932	444,680	154,748	53.37	

(a) Includes women married but permanently separated, legally or otherwise. (b) The figures shown for 1954 include an allowance for the number of women whose conjugal condition was not stated. (c) A conjugal condition was allocated prior to tabulation in all instances where this information was not stated.

6. Occupation.—(i) General. The working population may be classified according to distinct concepts—(a) the occupation, which is personal to the individual, and (b) the industry in which the individual carries on his occupation. Thus the occupation of a person is the kind of work that he or she personally performs, while industry is defined as any single branch of productive activity, trade or service. Particulars of the work force classified according to industry are given on pages 174–177; this paragraph contains particulars of the principal occupation groups (major and minor) of the work force at the census of 30th June, 1961. Details of individual categories of occupations are published in the mimeographed 1961 Census Bulletin No. 32 and in the respective parts of the Census Volumes.

(ii) Australia, 30th June, 1961. The following table shows, for Australia, the numbers of males, females and persons in the work force in each of the principal occupation groups at the 1961 census. Data of this type were last obtained at the 1947 census, but a comparison of the figures derived therefrom with those shown below is not possible because of differences in classification.

Only those persons regarded as being in the work force are classified according to occupation.

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# OCCUPATIONS OF THE POPULATION: AUSTRALIA, CENSUS, 30th JUNE, 1961.

Occupation group.	Males,	Females.	Persons,
Professional, technical and related workers-	-		
Architects, engineers and surveyors Chemists, physicists, geologists and other physical	29,526	155	29,681
scientists Biologists, veterinarians, agronomists and related	7,759	585	8,344
scientists	3,920	320	4,240
Medical practitioners and dentists	13,910	1,483	15,393
Nurses Professional medical workers, n.e.c., and medical	3,866	59,955	63,821
technicians	9,497	4,830	14,327
Teachers	44,601	56,722	101,323
Clergy and related members of religious orders	10,938	3,120	14,058
Law professionals	6,478 15 369	258	6,736
Draftsmen and technicians, n.e.c.	15,369 37,152	6,860 6,826	22.229 43.978
Other professional, technical and related workers	24,430	5,498	29,928
Total Professional, etc., Workers	207,446	146,612	354,058
Administrative, executive and managerial workers-			
Administrators and executive officials, government, n.e.c.	11,314	110	11,424
Employers, workers on own account, directors and managers, n.e.c.	243,230	43,228	286,458
Total Administrative, etc., Workers	254,544	43,338	297,882
Clerical workers			
Book-keepers and cashiers	23,880	20,108	43,988
Stenographers and typists		125,511	125,511
Other clerical workers	217,365	161,201	378,566
Total Clerical Workers	241,245	306,820	548,065
Sales workers-			
Insurance, real estate salesmen, saleswomen,	11 404	687	13.161
auctioneers and valuers	11,494 34,521	657 617	12,151 35,138
Proprietors and shop-keepers working on own	24,321	017	55,158
account, n.e.c., retail and wholesale trade; sales- men, saleswomen, shop assistants and related	i		
workers	142,028	133,401	275,429
Total Sales Workers	188,043	134.675	322,718
Farmers, fishermen, hunters, timber getters and related	,		
workers	0.50 0.00	20,000	206 600
Farmers and farm managers	257,929 149,792	28,599	286,528
Farm workers, n.e.c	2.949	8,212	158,004 2,949
Hunters and trappers	1,504	4	1,508
Fishermen and related workers	7,452	72	7,524
Timber getters and other forestry workers	13,669		13,669
Total Farmers, etc.	433,295	36,887	470,182
Miners, quarrymen and related workers-			
Miners and quarrymen	30,434	15	30,449
Well drillers and related workers	1,060		1,060
Mineral treaters	1,674	••	1,674
Total Miners, Quarrymen, etc.	33,168	15	33,183

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## OCCUPATIONS OF THE POPULATION: AUSTRALIA, CENSUS, 30th JUNE 1961—continued.

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Occupation group.	Males.	Females.	Persons.
Workers in transport and communication occupations— Deck officers, engineer officers and pilots, ship Deck and engine room hands, ship; barge crews and	4,253	13	4,266
boatmen	11,633		11,633
Aircraft pilots, navigators and flight engineers	1,750	6	1,756
Drivers and firemen, railway	14,391	••	14,391
Drivers, road transport	146,320 4,215	528	146,848 4.215
Inspectors, supervisors, traffic controllers and	-,213		4,213
despatchers, transport Telephone, telegraph and related telecommunication	20,781	892	21,673
operators	3,050	19,508	22,558
Postmasters, postmistresses, postmen and messengers Workers in transport and communication occu-	23,717	3,236	26,953
pations, n.e.c.	13,673	1,653	15,326
••··••• · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·		-,	
Total Workers in Transport, etc	243,783	25,836	269,619
Craftsmen, production-process workers and labourers,			
n.e.c.—			
Spinners, weavers, knitters, dyers and related workers Tailors, cutters, furriers and related workers	16,534 18,149	21,210 64,722	37,744 82,871
Leather cutters, lasters and sewers (except gloves and	15,147	9,962	
garments) and related workers		9,902	25,109
metal making and treating workers Precision instrument makers, watchmakers, jewellers	20,774	••	20,774
and related workers	11,493	767	12,260
and related workers	319,163	5,281	324,444
Electricians and related electric and electronic workers Metal makers, metal workers and electrical	104,474	1,262	105,736
production-process workers, n.e.c.	51,148	16,660	67,808
Carpenters, joiners, cabinetmakers and related workers	137,318	1.356	138.674
Painters and decorators	46,555	394	46,949
Bricklayers, plasterers and construction workers,			
n.e.c.	92,184		92,184
Compositors, pressmen, engravers, bookbinders, and related workers	30,994	6,759	37,753
Potters, kilnmen, glass and clay formers and related	10 400	1.001	11.760
workers	10,489	1,261	11,750
beverage workers	80,744	12,652	93,396
Chemical and related process workers	16,313	3,430	19,743
Tobacco preparers and tobacco product makers	1,147	1,472	2,619
Craftsmen and production-process workers, n.e.c	26,939	11,794 14,734	38,733
Packers, labellers and related workers Stationary engine, excavating, lifting equipment	,,230	14,134	
operators and related workers	55,718		55,718
Waterside workers and related freight handlers	93,376	1,398	94,774
Labourers, n.e.c	203,048	••	203,048
Total Craftsmen, etc	1,358,945	175,114	1,534,059

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Occupation group.	Males.	Females.	Persons.
Service, sport and recreation workers—			
Fire brigade men, policemen, policewomen, pro-			
tective service and related workers	31,617	473	32,090
Housekeepers, cooks, maids and related workers	17,770	87,675	105,445
Waiters, waitresses, bartenders	13,701	22,224	35,925
Building caretakers, cleaners	26,127	19,169	45,296
Barbers, hairdressers, beauticians and related workers	9,291	13,355	22,646
Launderers, dry cleaners and pressers	6,992	11,304	18,296
Athletes, sportsmen and related workers	3,215	199	3,414
Photographers and related camera operators	2,981	680	3,661
Embalmers and undertakers	736		736
Service, sport, recreation workers, n.e.c	18,083	12,108	30,191
Total Service, etc., Workers	130,513	167,187	297,700
Members of armed services, enlisted personnel	42,226	1,780	44,006
Occupation inadequately described or not stated	32,719	20,905	53,624
Total in Work Force ,,	3,165,927	1,059,169	4,225,096
Notin work force	2,146,325	4,136,765	6,283,090
Grand Total	5,312,252	5,195,934	10.508,186

#### OCCUPATIONS OF THE POPULATION: AUSTRALIA, CENSUS, 30TH JUNE, 1961-continued.

n.e.c.-Not elsewhere classified.

The proportion of the work force in each major group of occupation is shown in the following table.

PROPORTION	OF	THE	WORK	FORCE	IN	EACH	OCCUPATION	GROUP:
		AUST	RALÌA,	CENSUS,	30th	JUNE,	1961.	

	Proportion of total (per cent.).				
Major occupation group.	Males.	Females.	Persons.		
Professional, technical and related workers	6.6	13 8	8 4		
Administrative, executive and managerial workers	8.1	41	7.1		
Clerical workers	7.6	29 0	13.0		
Sales workers	5.9	12.7	76		
Farmers, fishermen, hunters, timber getters and related					
workers	13.7	3.5	11.1		
Miners, guarrymen and related workers	1.1		0.8		
Workers in transport and communication occupations	7.7	2.4	6.4		
Craftsmen, production-process workers and labourers.					
n.c.c	42.9	16 5	36.3		
Service, sport and recreation workers	4.1	15 8	7.0		
Members of armed services, enlisted personnel	1.3	0.2	1.0		
Occupation inadequately described or not stated	10	20	1.3		
Total in Work Force	100.0	100.0	100.0		

n.e.c.-Not elsewhere classified.

(iii) States and Territories, 30th June, 1961. The number of persons in each State and Territory in each major and minor occupation group at the 1961 census is shown in the following table.

## OCCUPATIONS OF THE POPULATION: CENSUS, 30th JUNE, 1961.

IONS O	FTHE	POPUL	ATION	CENSU	JS, 30th	JUNE,	1961.	
N.S.W.	Vic.	QId.	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	N.T.	А.С.Т.	Aust.
12,325 2,862 1,362	9,156 2,869 1,054	2,784 886 748	2,543 777 355	1,433 411 335	997 219 244	140 79 34	303 241 108	29,681 8,344 4,240
6,179 23,500	4,236 17,582	2,029 9,304	1,331 5,742	1,063 4,845	390 2,282	45 281	120 285	15,393 63,821
5,730 36,216	4,291	1,887 13,185	1,117 9,847	864 7,419	355 3,725	29 287	54 936	14,327 101,323
3,136	3,947 1,898,	191	364	1,148	409	18	69	14,058 6,736
9,735 17,232	6,276 13.020	2,596 4,382	1,573 4,672	1,291 2,528	536	52 227		6,736 22,229 43,978
11,510	9,959	2,785	2,450	1,749	842	101	532	29,928
134,734	103,996	43,490	32,017	23,373	11,461	1,407	3,580	354,058
3,909 108,542	2,691 87,351	1,695 37,738	1,036 25,462	1,022 17,454	487 7,824	90 877	494 1,210	11,424 286,458
112,451	90,042	39,433	26,498	18,476	8,311	967	1,704	297,882
17,871 50,003 149,460	13,889 39,761 105,300	4,526 11,405 53,108	3,142 11,082 31,696	3,022 8,376 23,551	1,151 3,314 9,904	165 310 964	222 1,260 4,583	43,988 125,511 378,566
217,334	158,950	69,039	45,920	34,949	14,369	1,439	6,065	548,065
		, ,	ŗ					
4,458 13,724 104,254	3,674 10,630 77,122	1,683 4,527 38,703	1,189 3,041 25,750	766 2,311 19,067	324 771 8,859	17 24 494	40 110 1 <b>,18</b> 0	12,151 35,138 275,429
122,436	91,426	44,913	29,980	22,144	9,954	535	1,330	322,718
86,917 51,395	77,977 31,773	55,650 40,191	30,686	24,523 14,345	10,015 5,875	472 823	288 369	286,528 158,004
1,284	765	420	224	186	65	2		2,949
2,231	882	1,437 3,223	969	1,419	539	31	16	7,524
146,465				·				470,182
14,263 240	2,421 139	5,397 389	124	122		46		30,449 1,060
				·				1,674
14,555	2,110	0,078	1,113	4,57,5	2,200			33,103
1 433								1.766
4,652	2,117	1,389	1,594	1,403	423	54	l t	4,266 11,633
5,344	477	248 3,730	1,125	1,668	319	44	82	1,756
56,883	41,575	19,669	13,040	9,770	4,734	523	654	146.848 4,215
9,015		4,084						21.673
8,725	6,217	3,012	2,211	1,369				22,558
5,946		3,951	2,462	1.002	210			26,953 15,326
			<u> </u>	19,736				
	N.S.W. 12,375 2,862 1,362 6,179 23,500 5,730 36,216 4,947 3,136 9,735 17,232 11,510 134,734 14,458 1,231 14,652 14,652 14,652 14,555 1,432 4,652 14,555 1,432 4,652 14,555 1,435 1,573 9,015 8,795 1,573 1,575	N.S.W.         Vic.           12,325         9,156           2,862         2,869           1,362         1,054           6,179         4,236           23,500         17,382           5,730         4,291           36,216         29,708           4,947         3,947           3,161         29,708           9,735         6,276           17,232         13,020           11,510         9,959           134,734         103,996           3,909         2,691           108,542         87,351           112,451         90,042           17,871         13,889           50,003         39,761           149,460         105,300           217,334         158,950           4,458         3,674           13,724         10,630           104,254         77,122           122,436         91,426           86,917         77,977           51,395         31,751           122,436         91,426           2,231         882           4,652         2,117           3,561         14,800	N.S.W.         Vic.         Qld.           12,375         9,156         2,784           2,862         2,869         886           1,362         1,054         748           6,179         4,236         2,029           23,500         17,582         9,104           5,730         4,291         1,887           36,216         29,708         13,185           36,216         29,708         13,857           13,62         1,020         4,382           17,232         13,020         4,382           1,310         9,959         2,785           134,734         103,996         43,490           3,909         2,691         1,695           108,542         87,351         37,738           112,451         90,042         39,433           17,871         13,889         4,526           50,003         39,761         11,405           149,460         103,300         33,108           217,334         158,950         69,039           4,458         3,674         1,683           13,723         40,653         4,153           104,254         77,122         38	N.S.W.         Vic.         Qld.         S.A. $12,375$ 9,156         2,784         2,543 $2,852$ 2,869         886         777 $1,362$ 1,054         748         355 $6,179$ 4,236         2,029         1,331 $23,500$ 17,382         9,304         5,742 $5,730$ 4,291         1,887         1,117 $36,216$ 29,708         12,187         9,134 $9,735$ 6,276         2,596         1,573 $1,7,32$ 13,020         4,382         4,672 $11,510$ 9,959         2,785         2,450 $134,734$ 103,996         43,490         32,017 $3,909$ 2,691         1,695         1,036 $108,542$ 87,351         37,738         25,462 $11,451$ 90,042         39,433         26,498 $17,871$ 13,889         4,526         3,142 $50,003$ 39,761         1,405         1,082 $149,460$ 105,300         53,108         31,696 <td>N.S.W.         Vic.         Qld.         S.A.         W.A.           12,325         9,156         2,784         2,543         1,433           2,862         2,869         886         777         411           1,362         1,054         748         355         335           6,179         4,236         2,029         1,331         1,063           36,216         29,708         13,185         9,847         7,419           36,216         29,708         13,185         9,847         7,419           4,947         3,947         2,107         1,246         1,148           31,136         1,889         797         364         287           9,735         6,276         2,996         1,733         1,291           13,4734         103,996         43,490         32,017         23,373           3,909         2,691         1,695         1,036         1,022           134,734         103,996         43,490         32,017         23,373           3,909         2,691         1,695         1,036         1,022           149,460         105,300         33,108         31,696         23,373           17,8</td> <td>N.S.W.         Vic.         Qld.         S.A.         W.A.         Tas.           12.325         9,156         2.784         2.543         1.433         997           2.862         2.869         886         777         411         219           1.362         1.024         748         355         335         244           6.179         4.236         2.029         1.331         1.063         355           3.5216         29.704         13.85         9.847         7.419         3.250           9.735         6.276         2.966         1.573         1.91         3664         355           1.31         1.043         9.947         2.107         1.246         1.448         4672         2.538         1.51         1.749         8422           1.34,734         103.996         43.490         32.017         23.373         11.461           3.9009         2.691         1.695         1.036         1.022         487           1.34,734         103.996         43.490         32.017         23.373         11.461           1.7871         13.889         4.526         3.142         3.022         1.51           3.0003</td> <td>N.S.W.         Vic.         Qid.         S.A.         W.A.         Tas.         N.T.           12,375         9,156         2,784         2,543         1,433         997         140           2,862         2,869         886         777         4,113         219         79           1,362         1,054         748         355         333         244         34           6,179         4,236         2,079         1,311         1,063         390         455           3,6216         29,708         13,185         9,847         7,419         3,725         287           1,351         1,997         3647         2,107         1,246         1,144         469         187           9,735         6,276         2,596         1,573         1,219         535         52           1,510         9,995         2,785         2,450         1,749         842         877           11,510         9,995         2,785         1,036         1,022         487         90           103,542         87,351         37,738         25,462         1,445         8,311         967           1,871         13,889         4,526</td> <td><math display="block">\begin{array}{c c c c c c c c c c c c c c c c c c c </math></td>	N.S.W.         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Vic.         Qld.         S.A.         W.A.         Tas.           12.325         9,156         2.784         2.543         1.433         997           2.862         2.869         886         777         411         219           1.362         1.024         748         355         335         244           6.179         4.236         2.029         1.331         1.063         355           3.5216         29.704         13.85         9.847         7.419         3.250           9.735         6.276         2.966         1.573         1.91         3664         355           1.31         1.043         9.947         2.107         1.246         1.448         4672         2.538         1.51         1.749         8422           1.34,734         103.996         43.490         32.017         23.373         11.461           3.9009         2.691         1.695         1.036         1.022         487           1.34,734         103.996         43.490         32.017         23.373         11.461           1.7871         13.889         4.526         3.142         3.022         1.51           3.0003	N.S.W.         Vic.         Qid.         S.A.         W.A.         Tas.         N.T.           12,375         9,156         2,784         2,543         1,433         997         140           2,862         2,869         886         777         4,113         219         79           1,362         1,054         748         355         333         244         34           6,179         4,236         2,079         1,311         1,063         390         455           3,6216         29,708         13,185         9,847         7,419         3,725         287           1,351         1,997         3647         2,107         1,246         1,144         469         187           9,735         6,276         2,596         1,573         1,219         535         52           1,510         9,995         2,785         2,450         1,749         842         877           11,510         9,995         2,785         1,036         1,022         487         90           103,542         87,351         37,738         25,462         1,445         8,311         967           1,871         13,889         4,526	$\begin{array}{c c c c c c c c c c c c c c c c c c c $

# OCCUPATIONS OF THE POPULATION: CENSUS, 30th JUNE, 1961-continued.

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Occupation group (abbreviated descrip- tionsfor detailed descriptions see table on pages 183-5).	N.S.W.	Vic.	Qid,	\$.A.	W.A.	Ta <b>s</b> .	N.T.	A.C.T.	Aust.
Craftsmen, etc.		1							
Spinners, etc.	10,962	20,966	1,267	1,640	596		25		37,744
Tailors, etc.	33,709 8,619	33,563	7,404 1,800	4,313	2,821		14	21	82,871
Furnacemen, etc.	9,704	4,970	1,777	2,089	1,145	t,061	19	9	25,109 20,774
Precision instrument makers, etc.	4,861	3,922	1.463	946	679	310	18	61	12,260
Toolmakers, etc	126.083 42,582	102,084	1,463 33,881	34,959	17.754	7,783 3,777	951	949	324,444
Electricians, etc. Metal makers, etc.,	42,582	29,412	12,568	10,343	6,093	3,777	362	599	105,736
n.c.c.	34,328 48,965	18,980 37,364	5,071 21,505	5,784 11,990	2,440	[,048 6,986	90		67,808
Carpenters, etc. Painters, etc.	48,965	37,364	21,505	11,990	10,295 2,814	6,986 1,312	494 204	1,075	138,674
Bricklayers, etc.	34,455	14,126	11,372	10,101	I 6.096	3,356	379	1.226	92 184
Compositors, etc.	16,176	12.089	3.685	2,677	1,937	810	21	358	37,753
Potters, etc. Millers, etc.	6,026 30,741	3,024 26,512	716 17,860	1,027 8,102	673 6,182	192 3,666	10	82 192	93,396
Chemical, etc., workers	8,216	6,433	1,116	1,276	819	1,883		•	19,743
Tobacco preparers, etc.	1,341	1.160	106		12				2,619
Crafismen, etc., n.e.c.	17.007	13.980	3,239	2,536	1,404	504	22		38,733
Packers, etc. Stationary engine, etc., (	8,790	7,762	2,304	2,028	706	370	3	9	21,972
workers	22,182	13,513	7,912	5,172	4,210	2,146	264	319	55,718
Waterside workers,	74 810	16 110	12 026	0 (1)	6.075	2 954	373	170	04 774
Labourers, n.c.c.	34,518 78,995	26,318 54,395	13,026 31,332	9,533 17,340	6,972 13,431	3,864 6,244	570	741	94,774 203,048
Total Craftsmen,									
etc	595,221	467,795	185,421	138,532	87.897	48,782	3,963	6,448	1,534,059
Service, sport, etc.— Fire brigade, police, etc. Housekeepers, etc. Waiters, etc.	12,011 38,586 15,535	8,624 28,347 7,707	4,815 16,479 5,452	3,033 9,320 2,884	2,109 7,815 2,717	[,029 ],325 ],050	202 808 191	237 765 389	32,090 105,445 35,925
Building caretakers,			3,432	2,004			171	367	33,723
etc	20,183 8,495	12,899 7,304	4,354	3,836	2,664	968	109	283	45,296
Barbers, etc.	8,495	5,839	2,493 2,336	2,043 1,303	1,573	602 408	38 59	98 67	22,646 18,296
Athletes, etc.	1,262	895	631	315	235	63	Š	8	1 3.414
Photographers, etc Embalmers, etc.	1,417 301	1,031	459 83	393 56	222 50	84 32	20	35	3,661 736
Workers, n.e.c.	11,091	7,335	4,959	2,422	3,048	<b>8</b> 96	103	137	30,191
Total, Service, etc.	116,047	80,393	42,091	25,605	21,551	8,457	1,537	2,019	297,700
Members of armed ser-									
vices, etc.	17,303	12,380	5.970	2,542	2,283	273	1,407	1,848	44,006
Inadequately described or not stated	21,257	16,718	7,477	4,005	2,559	1,261	155	192	53,624
Total in Work Force	1 602 516	1,210,063	 584,996	377,561	279,784	130,918	14,243	25,015	4,225,096
LOUM IN WORK FORCE	10,200,20		204,730	577,001	217,104	130,710	14,243	25,015	Ŧ,£\$3,0¥0
Not in work force	2,314,497	1,720,050	933,832	591,779	456,845	219,422	12,852	33,813	6,283,090
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n.e.c.-Not elsewhere classified.

## . § 3. The Work Force Survey: Six State Capital Cities.

1. General.—Estimates of the civilian work force are obtained in February, May, August and November of each year for the six State capital cities from surveys based on a sample of dwellings selected by area sampling methods. These surveys are now being extended to non-metropolitan urban and rural areas; the results from these surveys will enable quarterly estimates of the Australian work force to be published.

The survey information, which is obtained at sample dwellings by personal interview, enables the total civilian population fourteen years of age and over to be classified according to work force and demographic characteristics. The work force classification used conforms closely to that recommended by the Eighth International Conference of Labour Statisticians, Geneva, 1954. Under this classification, the category to which an individual is assigned depends on his actual activity or status (i.e. whether working, looking for work, etc.) during a specified week covered by the survey.

The principal categories in the following tables are the employed and the unemployed, which together constitute the work force, and the remainder, comprising persons not in the work force. Details of these categories are as follows.

- (a) Employed persons comprise all those who, during the specified week, worked for pay, profit, or payment in kind, in a job or business, or on a farm, and those who had a job, business, or farm, but were temporarily absent for the whole of the specified week for reasons other than lack of work. Persons who worked as unpaid helpers in a family business, or on a farm, are included in the employed if they worked fifteen hours or more during the specified week. The category includes employees, employers and workers on own account.
- (b) Unemployed persons comprise all those who, during the specified week, did no work at all, did not have a job or business, and were actively looking for work. The category also includes persons absent from work for the whole of the specified week without pay because of lack of demand for their services (i.e. those laid off without pay for the whole of the specified week).
- (c) The work force consists of all persons who, during the specified week, were employed or unemployed in terms of the classifications given in (a) and (b) above.
- (d) Persons not in the work force are those who, during the specified week, were not classified as employed or unemployed in terms of the classifications given in (a) and (b) above.

Figures in the tables which follow are estimates based on a sample and are therefore subject to sampling variability, that is, variations that may occur by chance because only a sample of the population is enumerated in the surveys. For this reason, figures are rounded but not adjusted to add to totals, because such adjustments would, in some cases, exceed the sampling variability of the estimate and tend to destroy its value as an indicator of movement. Further information on variability of survey estimates is available on request.

2. Occupational Status, and Work Force Participation and Unemployment Rates.—The following table shows, for the period August, 1961, to May, 1965, the distribution, by major work force category, of the civilian population 14 years of age and over in the six State capital cities. The table also shows changes in the work force participation rate and unemployment rate over the period. As indicated in the general notes in paragraph 1 above, the

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classification of the population by work force category conforms to the standard recommended by the International Conference of Labour Statisticians. This International Standard has not as yet been adopted for the population census, and consequently the figures in this table are not strictly comparable with those in the tables in the preceding section of this chapter.

## CIVILIAN POPULATION 14 YEARS OF AGE AND OVER: OCCUPATIONAL STATUS.

·			Occupatio	onal status.		Total	Work	Unem-
Survey date.		Civilians	in the wo	rk force.	Civilians not in the	civilian population 14 years	force partici- pation rate.	ploy- ment rate.
Jait.		Employed. (a) ('000).	Unem- ployed. ('000).	Total. ('000).	work force. ('000).	of age and over. ('000).	(b) (per cent.)	(c) (per cent.)
•	_		}	MALES.				
1961-August November		1,678.4	53.2	1,731 6 1,727 1	372.8 385 4	2,104.4	82.3 81.8	3.1
1962-February.		1,705 8	38 2 40.5	1,746 3	376.3	2,122 6	82 3	2 2 2.3 1 8 1.5 1.4 1.6
May		1,715 8	30 7	1,746 6	384.6	2,131 2	82 0	18
August November	••	1,714 7	26 0 24 2	1.740 8 1.755 6	398 2 396 0	2,139 0	81.4 81.6	1.3
1963-February.		1.754 5	285	1,783 0	379.8	2.162.9	82 4	1.3
May ,.	÷.	1.752.9	28 5 28 2 28 2 22 7	1,781.2	393 4	2,162 9 2,174 6	819	i.e
August	••	1,758 6	22 7	1,781 3	403 2 414.5	2,184 5 2,197 3	815   811	1.6 1.3
November 1964–February	**	1,764 2	18 6 20 1	1,782 8	414.5 394.4	2.211 3	81 1 82 2	1.0
May		1.801 5	15.9	1,817.4	408.3	2.225.7	81.7	0.9
August		1.801 8	12 5 12 9	1,814 4	421 5	2,235 9	1 18	07
November	••	1,807 8	12 9 16 9	1,820 8	429.4 419.5	2,250.2 2,269 5	80-9 81-5	07
1965-February May		1,833 2 1,831 6	13 1	1,850 0 1,844 8	419 5	2,209.7	80.9	Ŏ Ś
			<u> </u>	MALES.			1	<u> </u>
		<u> </u>					1	1
1961-August		737.4	24.7	762 1	1,463 5	2.225.5	34.2	3.2
November 1962-February		749.4	21.6 24.7	771 0 798.7	1,465.7	2,236 7 2,249.3 2,260 1	34.5 35.5	
May		772.7	1 20 7 1	793 4	1,466 7	2,260 1	35 1	26
August		778.1	355	793 6	1,477 0	2,270.6	35 0	2.0
November 1963–February	••	790.1 785.7	178	808 0	1,477 8	2,285 8 2,296 3	353 352	22
May		777 0	22 4 21 2	808 1 798.1	1.509 4	2 307 4	33.2	27
August		793.8	177	B11 5	1,507 7	2.319 2	35 0	22
November		808.9	11 5 22 1	820.4	1.515.4	2,335 8	35 1	14
1964–February May	• •	808.2 821.6	22 1 17 3	830 4 838 9	1,520 3 1,528 1	2,359 7	353 35.4	2.7
August .	••	831 0	12 9	843 9	533 4	2,377 3	35.5	i i
November		837 1	136	850 7	1,543 7	2,394 4	35 5	1.€
1965–February May	• •	846 9 859.3	21 2 17 5	868 1 876.9	1,546 8 1,548 0	2,414 8 2,424.9	35 9 36 2	24
		0.55.5			1,040 0			
		1		FRSONS.			1	
1961-August November	••	2,4t5.8	778 597	2,493.6 2,498 1	1,836 3 1,851 1	4,329.9 4,349 3	57 6	3.1
1962-February		2.4.38.4 2,479.9	65 1	2.545 0	1,826.9	4,371 9	58 2	24
May		2,488 6	514	2,540 0	1.851 3	4.391.3	578	1 5.0
August	• •	2,492 9	41 6	2,534 4	1,875 2	4,409 7	57.5	1.0
November 1963-February	••	2.521 6	42 0 50 9	2,563.6	1.873 8	4,437 4 4,459 2	57 8	1 1.5
May	· .	2.529 9	49 4	2,579.3	1.902 8	4 487 7	57.5	2.0 1.9
August	••	2,529 9 2,552 4	40 4	2.592 8	1,910.9	4,503 7	57.6	1.
November 1964–February	••	2,573	30 1	2,603 2 2,647 3	1,929 9	4,533 1	57 4	j 1.2
May	•••	2,605 0	42 3 33 2	2,647 3 2,656 3	1,914 7	4,562 0 4,592 7	58 0 57 8	
August		2,632.9	25 4	2,658 3	1,954.9	4,613 2	57 6	i.i
November		2,644 9	26 5	2,671 5	1.973 1	4,644 5	57 5 58 0	11
1965-February May	••	2,680.1	38 I 30 6	2,718 1 2,721 6	1,966 3	4,684 4 4,704 6	58 0	
2414 Y		2,0710	ן סיטי	2,721 6	1 203.0	1 4,704 0	ii 37/15	1 1.1

SIX AUSTRALIAN STATE CAPITAL CITIES.

(a) Includes wage and salary earners, employers, self-employed persons, and unpaid helpers who worked 15 hours or more per week in a family business. (b) The civilian work force as a percentage of the civilian work force. (c) The unemployed as a percentage of the civilian work force.

3. Work Force Participation and Unemployment Rates.—The table below shows, for the civilian population 14 years of age and over in the six State capital cities, work force participation rates and unemployment rates by age group and conjugal condition for the period August, 1961, to May, 1965.

## CIVILIAN POPULATION 14 YEARS OF AGE AND OVER: WORK FORCE PARTICIPATION AND UNEMPLOYMENT RATES, BY AGE GROUP AND CONJUGAL CONDITION.

srx	AUSTRALIAN	STATE	CAPITAL	CITIFS.
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(Per cent.)

	1		Age grou	p (years).		-	Total				
Particulars.		20-	-44.	45-	64.		civilian popula- tion				
	14-19.	Married.	Not married. (a)	Married.	Not married. (a)	65 and over.	14 years of age and over.				
WORK FORCE PARTICIPATION RATE.(b)											
Males— 1961—August	57.1	98.7	91.4	93.7	81.6	23.0	82.3				
November	54.2	98.6	91.8	93.4	80.7	22.2	81 8				
1962—February	57 3	98.6	93.0	93.6	78.1	21.7	82.3				
May	54.5	98.9	91.7	93.6	81.0		82.0				
August	51 5	98.8	91.0	93.9	78 6	21.9	81 4				
November	51.6	98.8	91.5	93.6	80.1	23.2	81.6				
1963—February	56.2	98 8	93 4	93.6	81.6	22.1	82.4				
May	54.2	98.8	91.8	93.8	81.5	21 3	81.9				
August	53.4	98.8	91.9	93.4	80.2	20.9	81.5				
November	52.8	98.6	91.3	93.6	80.0	20.0	81.1				
1964—February	59.2	98.5	92.3	93.5	80.4	20.6	82.2				
May	57.9	98.7	90.9	93.1	78.5	20.4	81.7				
August	54.5	98.8	91.9	92.9	75.6	21.1	81.1				
November	51.6	98.8	91.5	93.0	78.2	22.3	80.9				
1965—February	56.8	98.6	91.5	93.1	78.5	21.0	81.5				
May	54.0	98.8	89.7	93.2	78.3	21.1	80.9				
Females-1961-August	55 3	31.3	86.4	23.0	45.9	3.9	34.2				
November	54.3	31.4	86.6	24.2	46.1	4.2	34.5				
1962—February May August	59.0 57.6 55.6	31.9 31.4 32.0	87.7 86.7 86.3	24.0 24.2 24.3	48.2 46.9 46.4	4.4 4.4 3.8	35.1 35 0				
November 1963—February	54.6	32.6	87.6	24.6	46.3	4.6					
May	54.4	32.3	86.3	22 9	47.7	4.2	34.6				
August .	54.5	32.2	87 5	23.5	47.9	4.0					
November	54 0	32.9	87.4	23 6	47.0	4.0					
1964—February	58.0	32.6	86.7	23.3	47.1	3.5	35.4				
May	58.5	32.9	86.5	23.5	46.4	3.2					
August	57 1	33.3	86.9	24.2	45.6	3.3					
November	· 54.7	34.1	86.2	24.6	44.3	3.5	35 5				
1965—February May .	56.4	34.7	86.4	24.3	44.5	3.4					

(a) Includes never married, widowed and divorced. of the civilian population.

(b) The civilian work force as a percentage

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#### WAGE AND SALARY EARNERS IN EMPLOYMENT.

#### CIVILIAN POPULATION 14 YEARS OF AGE AND OVER: WORK FORCE PARTICIPATION AND UNEMPLOYMENT RATES, BY AGE GROUP AND CONJUGAL CONDITION—continued.

SIX AUSTRALIAN STATE CAPITAL CITIES.

(Per cent.)

				Age grou	p (years).			Total			
	Particulars.		20-	-44.	45-	64.		civilian popula- tion			
	r ur nourra,		Married.	Not married. (a)	Married.	Not married. (a)	65 and over.	14 years of age and over			
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE.(b)											
Males	1961—August November	5.8 4.7	1.6 1.5	58 35	2.0 1.5	6.8 2.9	30 3.3	3.1 22			
	1962—February May August . November	55 36 2.8 4.7	13 11 10 05	3.6 27 2.1 1.7	1.6 1.4 1.3 1.1	4.1 31 32 3.0	3 9 2.5 0.7 1.6	2.3 1.8 1.5 1.4			
	1963– February May August November	4.1 3 9 2 1 3 0	07 0.9 06 0.6	2.3 2.0 2.0 1.3	1.4 1.3 1.0 0.7	34 3.7 4.6 2.6	0.8 2.0 1.5 2.0	1.6 1.6 1.3 1.0			
	1964—February May August November	3.5 2.0 1.5 1.8	05 05 0.4 0.4	1.3 1.2 1.2 1.0	0.6 0.7 0.3 0.4	2.3 1.5 1.7 2.3	2 5 0.7 1.3 0.8	1.1 09 0.7 0.7			
	1965—February May	3.1 1.8	0.6 0.4	1.3 1.0	0.4 0.5	0.9 1.4	0.9 1.3	0.9 0.7			
Females-	- 1961-August November	4.2 4.5	3.2 3.0	3.4 2.0	2.7 2.1	2.3 1.8	1.7 1.6	3.2 2.8			
	1962—February . May August . November	5 8 4 3 2.8 3.8	3.1 2.8 2.2 2.1	2.2 2.2 2.1 1 8	1.4 0.9 0.9 1.5	1.6 2.3 10 1.6	1.5  	3.1 2.6 2.0 2.2			
	1963—February May August . November	5 4 4 0 3 3 2.5	2.5 2.6 2.5 1.3	2.2 22 1.6 12	1.3 2.0 1.1 0.5	1.9 2.2 1.6 1.3	0.7 2.3 2.4	2.8 2.7 2.2 1.4			
,	I964—February May August November	4.8 2.9 1.7 2.4	2.6 2.2 2.3 1.9	1.8 1.6 0.9 1.1	1.7 1.6 1.0 0.9	1.1 1.6 0.7 1.0	1.8 1.0 0.9	2.7 2.1 1.5 1.6			
	1965—February May	4.0 2.2	2.9 2.5	1.5 1.4	1.5 1.7	0.9 1.4	0.8	2.4 2.0			

(a) includes never married, widowed and divorced. (b) The unemployed as a percentage of the civilian work force.

## §4. Wage and Salary Earners in Employment.

1. General.—The monthly estimates of the number of wage and salary earners in civilian employment (excluding employees in rural industry and private domestic service) are based on comprehensive data (referred to herein as "benchmarks") derived for the purpose from the population censuses of June, 1954, and June, 1961. Figures for periods between, and subsequent to, the two

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benchmark points of time are estimates obtained from three main sources, namely, (a) current Pay-roll Tax returns; (b) current returns from Government bodies; and (c) some other direct current records of employment (e.g. for hospitals). Data from these sources have been supplemented by estimates of changes in the number of wage and salary earners not covered by the foregoing collections.

Figures for current months are subject to revision. As they become available, particulars of employment obtained from other collections, such as the annual factory census and the censuses and sample surveys of retail establishments, are used to check, and, where desirable, to revise estimates in relevant sections. The work force survey (see p. 188) will supply an additional check for future estimates.

The benchmark figures are derived from particulars recorded for individuals on population census schedules. The estimated monthly figures are derived mainly from reports supplied by employers relating to enterprises or establishments. These two sources differ in some cases in scope and in reporting of industry; however, the benchmark industry dissections have been adjusted, as nearly as may be, to an enterprise/establishment reporting basis The industry classification used throughout the series is that of the population census of June, 1961.

Pay-roll Tax returns are lodged at present by all employers paying more than \$400 a week in wages (other than certain Commonwealth Government bodies, religious and benevolent institutions, public hospitals and other similar organizations specifically exempted under the *Pay-roll Tax Assessment Act* 1941-1965). At June, 1954, this Act required employers paying wages of more than £80 (\$160) a week to lodge returns. The exemption limit was raised to £120 (\$240) a week from 1st September, 1954, and to the present level as from 1st September, 1957.

Employees in rural industry and in private domestic service are not included in the estimates, because of the inadequacy of current data.

The figures in this section relate to "wage and salary earners" on payrolls or "in employment" in the latter part of each month as distinct from numbers of employees actually working on a specific date. They include some persons working part-time.

The prime purpose of this series is to measure, as nearly as may be with available data, *current monthly trends* in employment in the defined field. The estimates may be less reliable for longer-term measurement. However, as a broad measure of long-term trends, figures for periods prior to June, 1954, (from June, 1947), estimated on a basis approximately comparable with that for later periods, are shown on page 196.

With the exception of the table at the top of page 196, the tables in this section show particulars only for June of each year. Total figures for each month from June, 1954 will be found in Section III of the Appendix. More detailed particulars for each State and Territory and for the principal industry groups have been published in two mimeographed bulletins entitled *Wage and Salary Earners in Employment*, one covering the period June, 1954, to June, 1961, the other, the period June, 1961, to June 1965.

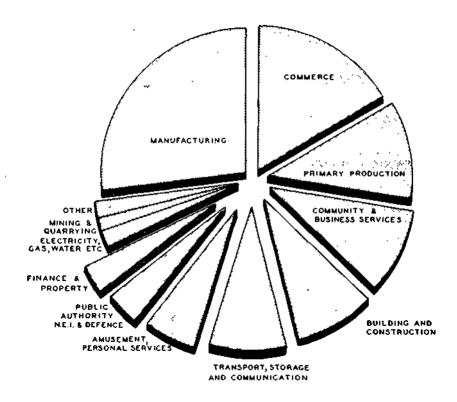
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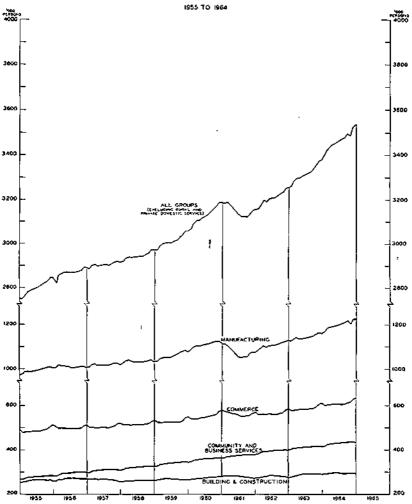
30TH JUNE, 1961

WORK FORCE



## PERSONS IN WORK FORCE 4,224,931

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## WAGE AND SALARY EARNERS IN CIVILIAN EMPLOYMENT PRINCIPAL INDUSTRY GROUPS: AUSTRALIA

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#### WAGE-AND SALARY EARNERS IN EMPLOYMENT.

2. Total Civilian Employees and Defence Forces.—The following table shows, for Australia, the estimated numbers of civilian employees (excluding employees in rural industry and private domestic service) and the numbers in the defence forces at June of each of the years 1956 to 1965.

#### WAGE AND SALARY EARNERS IN EMPLOYMENT: AUSTRALIA.

(EXCLUDING EMPLOYEES IN RURAL INDUSTRY AND PRIVATE DOMESTIC SERVICE.) ('000.)

June	June-		ian Emplo	yces.	Defe	ence Force	s.(a)		Total.		
		Males,	Femalcs,	Persons.	Males.	Females.	Persons.	Males.	Females.	Persons.	
1956 1957 1958 1958 1959	  	2,108 0 2,128 0 2,147 9 2,185 6 2,256.8	763.8 778 6 794.3 819.1 869.7	2,871.8 2,906 6 2,942.2 3,004.7 3,126.5	49 2 45 3 43 9 45 5 45 3	2.0 1.9 1.9 1.8 1.7	51 2 47 2 45 8 47 3 47.0	2,157.2 2,173 3 2,191 8 2,231 1 2,302.1	765.8 780 5 796 2 820 9 871.4	2,923.0 2,953.8 2,988.0 3,052.0 3,173.5	
1961 1962 1963 . 1964	•••	2,264 3 2,308 0 2,376 2 2,469 2	868 9	3.133 2 3.213 5 3.314 8 3.460 6	44 3 45 8 47 2 49 6	1.8 2.0 2.1 2.2	46 1 47 8 49.3 51.8	2,308.6 2,353.8 2,423.4 2,518.8	870 7 907.5 940.7 993.5	3,179.3 3,261.3 3,364.1 3,512.4	
1965		2,551 0	1,048.9	3,599.9	(b)52.5	2.2	54.7	2,603.5	1,051.3	3,654.6	

(a) Permanent defence forces in Australia and overseas. National Service trainees in camp (applicable up to November, 1959) are not included. (b) National servicemen enlisted in the Regular Army Supplement are included from July, 1965.

3. Civilian Employees.—(i) Australia—Industry Groups.—The following table shows, for Australia, the estimated numbers of wage and salary earners in civilian employment (excluding employees in rural industry and private domestic service) in the principal industry groups at June of each of the years 1959 to 1965. A graph showing employment in the more important groups appears facing this page.

WAGE AND SALARY EARNERS IN CIVILIAN EMPLOYMENT: INDUSTRY GROUPS, AUSTRALIA.

(Excluding Employees in Rural Industry and Private Domestic Service, and Defence Forces.)

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	June								
Industry group.	1959.	1960,	1961,	1962.	1963.	1964.	1965.		
		MALES	•	·					
Mining and Quarrying Manufacturing(a) Electricity, Gas, Water and Sanitary Services Building and Construction Transport and Storege Communication	48.4 816.2 84.3 263 0 186.0 74.1	48.6 853.5 84.8 267.7 186.1 74.6 75 5	48.2 821,6 88.5 274.8 190.4 75.2 80.4	46.3 852.8 90.2 275.9 185 1 76 0 82 7	45.9 879.4 91.5 281.6 187.1 76.8 86 2	46.4 920.9 93 4 289 9 192 5 78 3 92 1	47.7 952 4 94.6 298 9 197 9 79 4 96 9		
Finance and Property	69.9 181 7 151 9 92 3 29 2 50 6	138 4 157 8 92.3 30.1 \$3.9	191.3 161.4 95.0 31.0 \$7.1	82 7 193.5 161 0 97.9 32.7 61.7	86 2 203 2 164 4 101.7 33.8 66 2	92 1 210 5 170 5 105.7 35 3 69.5	213 8 177 0 110 1 36 2 73.1		
Amusement, Hotels, Personal Ser- vice. etc	65.1 72.9 2,185.6	67.3 76.2 2.256.8	70.1 79.4 2.264.3	70. <b>8</b> 81.3 2,308 0	74.6 83.9 2,376 2	78 2 86 0 2,469.2	83 2 89 9 2,551 0		

(a) As well as employees engaged directly in manufacturing activity, these figures also include the employees of manufacturing enterprises or establishments who are engaged in selling and distribution, etc. (b) Comprises forestry, fishing and trapping; law, order and public safety; religion and socia welfare; and other community and husiness services.

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## WAGE AND SALARY EARNERS IN CIVILIAN EMPLOYMENT: INDUSTRY GROUPS, AUSTRALIA—continued.

(EXCLUDING EMPLOYEES IN RURAL INDUSTRY AND PRIVATE DOMESTIC SERVICE, AND DEFENCE FORCES.)

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				June—			
Industry group.	1959.	1960.	1961.	1962.	1963,	1964.	1965.
		Female	s.			-	
Mining and Quarrying	1.3	1.3	1.4	1.5	1.6	1.7	18
Manufacturing(a)	235.6	257.2	233.5	252.9	259.7	277.6	294.0
Electricity, Gas, Water and Sanitary				Í			
Services	5.6	5.9	6.2	6.3	6.4	65	70
Building and Construction	3.9	4.3	4.9	5.0	5.5	· 5 8	66
Transport and Storage	15.6	16.1	17.0	16.8	17.1	18.1	19.4
Communication	18.6	18.4	18.3	18 0	18.3	19.2	20.6
Finance and Property	46.3	51.0	54.2	55.0	56.6	60 0	63.6
Retail Trade	141.3	148.6	150.7	156.5	162.7	169 5	176 2
Wholesale and Other Commerce	46.0	47.9	49.2	48.6	50.0	52.1	55 5
Public Authority Activities (n.e.i.)	32.2	32.9	34.6	35.7	37.2	39.1	42 0
Health, Hospitals, etc	94.4	98.4	102.6	106.8	111.4	117.6	124 3
Education	66.1	70.1	73.7	79.3	83.6	87.9	91.3
Amusement, Hotels, Personal Ser-	1						ł
vice, etc.	74.2	76.4	78.8	78.2	81.8	86 0	93 5
Dther(b)	38.0	41.2	43.8	44.9	46.8	50.3	53 2
Totał	819.1	869.7	868.9	905.5	938.6	991.3	1,048 9
	<u>.</u>	PERSON	s.	•	r	·	·
Mining and Quarrying	49.7	49.9	49.6	47.8	47.5	48.1	49 5
	1,051.8	1,110.7	1.055.1	1.105.7	1.139.1	1,198.5	1.246 4
Manufacturing(a)	1.001.0	*****. <i>'</i>	1,000.	1.105.7	.,	1.1.0.5	1
Comutero	89.9	90.7	94.7	96 5	97.9	99 9	101.6
Services	266.9	272.0	279.7	280.9	287.1	295 7	305 5
Fransport and Storage	201,6	202.2	207.4	201.9	204.2	210 6	217 3
•	92.7	93 0	93.5	94.0	95.1	97.5	100.0
Normal Description	116.2	126 5	134.6	137.7	142.8	152 1	160 4
	323.0	337.0	342.0	350.1	365.9	380 0	389 9
Whotesale and Other Commerce .	197.9	205.7	210.6	209.6	214.4	222 6	232.5
Public Authority Activities (n.e.i.)	124.5	125.2	129.6	133.6	138.9	144 8	152.
Fuche Automy Activities (ine.i.)	124.3	123.2	129.0	133.0	130.9	1444 0	1/2.1

(a) As well as employees engaged directly in manufacturing activity, these figures also include the employees of manufacturing enterprises or establishments who are engaged in selling and distribution, etc. (b) Comprises forestry, fishing and trapping; law, order and public safety; religion and social welfare; and other community and business services.

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152.9

157 4

164 2

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(ii) States and Territories—Totals.—Estimates of the numbers of wage and salary earners (excluding employees in rural industry, private domestic service and defence forces) are shown in the following table for each State and Territory at June of each of the years 1956 to 1965.

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Health, Hospitals, etc. ...

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Amusement, Hotels, Personal Ser-

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Education

Other(b)

vice, etc.

## WAGE AND SALARY EARNERS IN EMPLOYMENT.

## WAGE AND SALARY EARNERS IN CIVILIAN EMPLOYMENT.

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(EXCLUDING EMPLOYEES IN RURAL INDUSTRY AND PRIVATE DOMESTIC SERVICE, AND DEFENCE FORCES.)

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June	-	N.S.W.	Vic.	Qld.	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	N.T.	A.C.T. (a)	Aus- tralia.		
					Males.							
1956 1957 1958 1959 1960	···	812.0 823.5 826.4 836.3 870.6	592.6 599.1 610.0 621.8 643.5	281.1 282.7 284 6 290.0 293.7	194 0 193.3 194 5 201.1 206.4	144.7 143.3 143.1 144 9 147.5	67 6 68.2 69.5 70.4 72.6	\$.6 6.3 6.9 7.2	10.4 11 6 13 5 14 2 15.3	2,108.0 2,128.0 2,147.9 2,185.6 2,256.8		
1961 1962 1963 1964	  	876.5 894.2 914.2 947.9	643.6 654.3 675.2 702.8	291.7 294.5 304 5 316.8	207.5 211.2 219.6 229.1	148.5 154.7 159.4 164.3	73 2 73 6 74.9 77.5	7,3 7 5 8.0 8.9	16.0 18.0 204 21.9	2,264.3 2,308.0 2,376.2 2,469.2		
1965	••	974.8	722.9	329.8	239.7	171.5	78.5	9.6	24.2	2,551.0		

#### FEMALES.

1956	•••••••••••••••••••••••••••••••••••••••	298.2	235.7	92.1	64.0	46.3	22.4	1, <b>\$</b>	3.6	763.8
1957		307.2	238 8	94.6	64.1	46.1	22.2	1,6	4.0	778.6
1958		312.5	244.2	95.5	65.9	47.3	22.9	1,7	4.3	794.3
1959		321.3	253.4	97.7	68.4	48.4	23.2	1,9	4.8	819.1
1960		342.7	269.7	102.3	72.6	50.4	24.5	2,0	5 5	869.7
1961		343.6	266 2	102 1	72 3	51 2	24 9	2.3	6.3	868.9
1962		359.0	276 5	104 7	76.7	53.4	25 5	2.5	7.2	905.5
1963		370 8	285.4	108 9	80 9	55.5	25.5	2.9	8 7	938.6
1964		390.7	300.6	115.5	86 0	58 5	27.0	3.0	10 0	991.3
1965	••	411.9	315.5	122.9	93.2	62 9	27.8	3.2	11.5	1,048.9

#### PERSONS.

1956	1,130.7	828.3 837 9 854.2 875 2 913.2	373.2 377.3 380 1 387 7 396.0	258 0 257.4 260.4 269.5 279.0	191.0 189.4 190.4 193.3 197.9	90.0 90.4 92.4 93.6 97.1	7.1 7.9 8.0 8.8 9.2	19.0	2,871.8 2,906.6 2,942.2 3,004.7 3,126.5
1961	1,338.6	909.8 930 8 960.6 1,003.3	393.8 399 2 413.4 432.3 452.7	279.8 287.9 300 5 315.2 332.9	199.7 208.1 214 9 222 9 234 4	98 1 99.1 100.4 104.5 106.3	9.6 10.0 10 9 11.9 12.8	22.3 25.2 29.1 31.9 35.7	3.133.2 3.213.5 3.314 8 3,460.6 3.599.9

(a) Includes persons employed in the Australian Capital Territory who reside in adjoining areas.

(iii) Australia, 1947 to 1965.—As explained on page 192 figures shown for periods prior to June, 1954, have been estimated on a basis approximately comparable with that for later periods in order to provide a broad measure of long-term trends. Particulars for June of each year from 1947 to 1965 and averages for the years 1947–48 to 1964–65 are shown in the following table.

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## WAGE AND SALARY EARNERS IN CIVILIAN EMPLOYMENT: AUSTRALIA.

(Excluding Employees in Rural Industry and Private Domestic Service, and Defence Forces.)

Ju	June—		Females.	Persons.		ge for 1 d June		Males.	Females.	Persons.
1948 1949(a) 1950	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	1,627 1,713 1,782 1,868 1,936	616 638 659 686 717	2,243 2,351 2,441 2,554 2,653	1948 1949(a) 1950 1951	••• •• ••	••• •• • •	1.673 1.748 1,815 1,903	630 652 671 705	2,303 2 400 2,486 2,608
1953 1954 1955	· · · ·	1,947 1,932 2,004 2,067 2,108	673 666 701 736 764	2,620 2,598 2,705 2,803 2,872	1952 1953 1954 1955 1956	••• •• ••		1,952 1,918 1,965 2,034 2,091	705 663 690 723 757	2.657 2,581 2.655 2.757 2,848
1958 1959 1960	· · · ·	2,128 2,148 2,186 2,257 2,264	779 794 819 870 869	2,907 2,942 3,005 3,127 3,133	1957 1958 1959 1960 1961	··· ··· ·	, ,, ,,	2,117 2,134 2,169 2,223 2,282	774 791 809 848 884	2,891 2,925 2,978 3,071 3,166
1963 1964	· · · ·	2,308 2,376 2,469 2,551	906 939 992 1,049	3,214 3,315 3,461 3,600	1962 1963 1964 1965		,	2,277 2,341 2,427 2,512	888 927 969 1,026	3,165 3,268 3,396 3,538

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(a) Affected by industrial disputes.

(iv) *Private and Government.*—The following table shows, for Australia, the estimated numbers of private and government civilian employees (excluding employees in rural industry and private domestic service) at June of each of the years 1956 to 1965. Further particulars of government employees are given in para. 4 below.

## WAGE AND SALARY EARNERS IN CIVILIAN EMPLOYMENT: AUSTRALIA. (Excluding Employees in Rural Industry and Private Domestic Service, and Defence Forces.)

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•	June		Private.		Go	vernment	.(a)	Total.			
June		Males.	Females.	Persons.	Males.	Females.	Persons.	Males.	Females	Persons.	
1956 1957 1958 1959 1960	••• •• ••	1,486 1 1,502 8 1,507 9 1,532.7 1,605.0	636 5 648.2 660 0 678 2 722.6	2,122 6 2,151 0 2,167.9 2,210.9 2,327.6	621.9 625.2 640 0 652 9 651 8	127.3 130.4 134.3 140.9 147.1	755.6	2.108.0 2.128.0 2.147.9 2.185.6 2.256.8	763.8 778 6 794.3 819.1 869.7	2.871.8 2.906.6 2.942.2 3,004.7 3,126.5	
1961 1962 1963 1964	 	1,594.6 1,626 4 1,680 8 1,762.1	714 5 744.7 771 5 815.0	2.309.1 2.371.1 2.452.3 2,577.2	669.7 681 6 695 4 707 1	154 4 160 8 167 1 176 3	824.1 842 4 862.5 883 4	2.264.3 2,308 0 2,376.2 2,469.2	868 9 905.5 938 6 991 3	3,133,2 3,213,5 3,314 8 3,460,6	
1965 .	•••	1,832 4	861.4	2,693 8	718 6	187 5	906-1	2,551.0	1,048 9	3,599.9	

ta) Includes employees, within Australia of government authorities (Commonwealth, State, local and semi-government) on services such as railways, tramways, banks, post office, air transport, education (including universities), broadcasting, television, police, rublic works, factories and munitions establishments, departmental hospitals and institutions, migrant bostels, etc., as well as administrative employees. See para. 4 below.

4. Government Employees.—(i) States and Territories.—The numbers of civilian employees of Commonwealth, State and local government authorities in each State and Territory at June, 1965, are shown in the following table. These include employees, within Australia, of government authorities on

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services such as railways, tramways, banks, post office, air transport, education (including universities), broadcasting, television, police, public works, factories and munitions establishments, departmental hospitals and institutions, migrant hostels, etc., as well as administrative employees.

CIVILIAN EMPLOYEES OF GOVERNMENT AUTHORITIES, JUNE. 1965.(a) ('000.)

State		Commonwealth Government.(b)			State Government.(b)			I Govern	ment.	Total.(b)			
or Territory.	Males.	Fe- males.	Per- sons,	Males.	Fe- males.	Per- sous.	Males.	Fo- males.	Per- sons.	Males.	Fc- males.	Per-	
N.S.W. Vic S.A W.A Tas. N.T A.C.T.	69 4 58.9 20.5 20.8 11.0 4.8 4.4 13.7	20 2 169 56 4.9 2.8 1.5 6.3	89 7 75.7 26 1 25 7 13 7 6 2 5 8 20.0	148.1 114.2 66 8 43.7 40 7 17.5	43 2 31 1 13.8 16 0 10 2 4.7	191 2 145.3 80.6 59 6 50 9 22.2	39.5 15.7 17.9 4.3 4.6 2.1 0.1	4 6 2 1 1.3 0.5 0.5 0.2	44.1 17 8 19 2 4 8 5.1 2.3 0.1	257 0 188.8 105 2 68 8 56 3 24.4 4.4 13.7	68.0 50 0 20.7 21.3 13.5 6.2 1 5 6.3	324.9 238.8 125.9 90.1 69.8 30.7 5.9 20.0	
Australia	203.5	59 4	262 9	430 9	118 9	549.8	84 2	9.2	93.4	718 6	187.5	906.1	

(a) Excludes State and local government employees engaged in rural industry or in private homes as employees of government emergency housekeeper services (3 4 thousand persons in June, 1965). Also excludes defence forces (see table on page 193). (b) Includes semi-government authorities. See explanation above.

(ii) Australia.—The following table shows at June in each of the years 1956 to 1965 the number of civilian employees of Commonwealth, State and local government authorities.

CIVILIAN EMPLOYEES OF GOVERNMENT AUTHORITIES: AUSTRALIA.(a) ('000.)

		Commonwealth Government.(b)		State Government.(b)			Loca	l Govern	ment.	Total.(b)			
Jone	Males.	Fe- males.	Per- sons,	Males.	Fe- males.	Per- sons.	Males.	Fe- mates,	Per- sons,	Males.	Fe- maics.	Per-	
1956 1957 1958 1959 1960	166.8 169.7 174.5 176.9 178.5	46.7 46.2 46.3 47.6 48.5	213.5 215.9 220.8 224.5 227.0	390 7 391.0 398.3 406 2 400.6	74.6 78.1 81.6 86 4 91.3	465 3 469 1 479.9 492.6 491.9	64.4 64.5 67.2 69 8 72.7	6.0 6.1 6.9 7.3	70.4 706 736 767 800	621 9 625 2 640.0 652 9 651.8	127.3 130 4 134.3 140 9 147.1	749.2 755.6 774.3 793.8 798.9	
1961 . 1962 . 1963 . 1964 1965	182 0 185.3 189.7 196 0 203.5	49.7 50 0 51 4 54 4 59.4	231 7 235 3 241 1 250 4 262 9	411 5 417 2 424 6 428 9 430.9	96.9 102 8 107 3 113 2 118 9	508.4 520 0 531 9 542 1 549 8	76.2 79 1 81.1 82 2 84.2	78 80 8.4 87 92	84 0 87 1 89 5 90 9 93,4	669 7 681.6 695 4 707.1 718 6	154.4 160.8 167.1 176 3 187.5	824.1 842.4 862.5 883.4 906.1	

See footnotes to previous table.

#### § 5. Commonwealth Employment Service.

1. General.—Statutory warrant for the Commonwealth Employment Service (C.E.S.) is to be found in the *Re-establishment and Employment Act* 1945-1962 (sections 47 and 48). In brief, the main functions of the Service are to assist people seeking employment to obtain positions best suited to their training, experience, abilities and qualifications, and to assist employers seeking labour to obtain employees best suited to their needs. The organization and functions of the C.E.S. conform to the provisions of the Employment Service Convention 1948 of the International Labour Organisation, which was ratified by Australia in December, 1949. In addition, C.E.S. practices substantially comply with the provisions of the I.L.O. Employment Service Recommendation, 1948.

The C.E.S. functions within the Employment and Industrial Services Division of the Department of Labour and National Service on a decentralized basis. The Central Office is in Melbourne and there is a Regional Office in the capital city of each State. There are 148 District Employment Offices and Branch Offices in suburban and the larger provincial centres and 321 agents in the smaller country centres. The District Employment Offices and Branch Offices are distributed as follows: New South Wales, 54; Victoria, 37; Queensland, 24; South Australia, 13; Western Australia, 13; Tasmania, 4; Northern Territory, 2; Australian Capital Territory, 1.

The C.E.S. provides specialized facilities for young people, persons with physical and mental handicaps, ex-members of the defence forces, migrants, rural workers and persons with professional and technical qualifications. Vocational guidance is provided free of charge by a staff of qualified psychologists. It is available to any person, but is provided particularly for young people, ex-servicemen and the physically handicapped. In New South Wales, the State Department of Labour and Industry provides this service, mainly to young people leaving school.

The C.E.S. has responsibilities in the administration of the unemployment benefits provided under the *Social Services Act* 1947–1965. All applicants for benefits must register at a District Employment Office or agency of the C.E.S., which is responsible for certifying whether or not suitable employment can be offered to them.

The C.E.S. is responsible for placing in employment migrant workers sponsored by the Commonwealth under the Commonwealth Nomination and similar schemes. This includes arranging for them to move to their initial employment and for their admission, if necessary, to Commonwealth migrant hostels. Assistance to obtain employment is provided to other migrants as required. From the inception of the various free and assisted schemes, including the Displaced Persons Scheme, to the end of December, 1965, about 236,000 British and European migrant workers had been placed in initial employment by the C.E.S. Since 1951, it has been responsible for recruiting Australian experts for oversea service under the Colombo Plan and the United Nations Expanded Programme of Technical Assistance, now replaced by the U.N. Development Programme. The principal spheres in which experts have been supplied are agriculture, education, engineering, geology, health, and economic and scientific research and development.

In association with placement activities, regular surveys of the labour market are carried out, and detailed information is supplied to interested Commonwealth and State Government departments and instrumentalities and to the public. Employers, employees and other interested persons are advised on labour availability and employment opportunities in various occupations and areas and on other matters concerning employment.

The Service completed its twentieth year of operation in May, 1966. During the year ended 31st December, 1965, there were 934,904 applicants who registered for employment, of whom 723,717 were referred to employers and 424,270 placed in employment. New vacancies notified by employers numbered 632,334 and vacancies unfilled at the end of December, 1965, 60,351. 2. Persons Registered for Employment.—The following table shows the number of persons who claimed, when registering for employment with the Commonwealth Employment Service, that they were not employed and who were recorded as unplaced. The figures include those persons who were referred to employers and those who may have obtained employment without notifying the C.E.S. They include persons in receipt of unemployment benefit (see p. 201).

PERSONS REGISTERED FOR EMPLOYMENT WITH THE COMMONWEALTH EMPLOYMENT SERVICE.

Month.(a)	N.S.W.(b)	Vic.	Qtd.	S.A.(c)	W.A.	Tas.	Aust.
955—June	6,960	4,009	3,706	1,207	2,681	560	19.123
956—June ,.	10,938	8,487	5,099	1.948	4,492	553	31,517
957—June	19,189	13,785	8,957	3,363	5,346	1,585	52,225
958—June	25,690	15,606	12,227	5.082	6,308	2,231 (	67,144
959—June	26,957	14,584	12,026	3,958	6,074	2,109	65,708
960—June	15,848	11,333	8,587	4,547	4,694	2,204	47,213
961—June ,	42,793	30,764	19,263	9,035	6,616	3,213	111,684
962—June	34,869	26,160	16.284	6,886	5,320	3,609	93.128
963—June	34,258	19,135	12,055	6,479	6,053	3,427	81,407
964 –June	18,400	16,137	7,558	4,339	5,141	2,968	48,543
964—July	16,896	9,244	5,904	4,190	5,433	3.443	45,110
August	14,896	7,928	5.094	3,502	5.011	3,147	39.578
September	12,831	7,193	5,113	3,099	3,966	2,964	35,160
October .	13.346	6,898	5,452	5,709	3,463	2,626	37,494
November	13,987	6,376	8,040	2,948	3,366	2,336	37,053
December	17,002	11,669	12,406	4,803	5,168	3,458	54,500
965—January	20,475	13,462	14,310	5,458	6,087	3,231	63,023
February	17,040	9,735	11.65t	4,610	5,134	2,577	50,747
March	14,612	8,129	9,889	3,420	3,927	1,694	41,671
April	14,769	8,471	9,420	3,307	3,337	1,710	41,014
May	14,882	8,450	9,958	3,422	3,150	1,981	41,843
June	15,670	8,771	8,360	3,533	3,576	2,235	42.14

(Source: Department of Labour and National Service.)

(a) Generally at Friday nearest end of month. (b) Includes the Australian Capital Territory. (c) Includes the Northern Territory.

## § 6. Commonwealth Unemployment, Sickness and Special Benefits.

1. General.—Unemployment and sickness benefits are paid to men over 16 and under 65 years of age, and women over 16 and under 60 years of age, who are unemployed or who are temporarily incapacitated for work and thereby suffer loss of income. They must have been living in Australia during the preceding twelve months or be likely to remain permanently in Australia. A person receiving an age, invalid or widow's pension, or a service pension (as distinct from a war pension) under the *Repatriation Act* 1920-1965, or a tuberculosis allowance, is ineligible to receive a benefit.

To qualify for an unemployment benefit, a person must establish that he is unemployed and that his unemployment is not due to his being a direct participant in a strike, that he is capable and willing to undertake suitable work, and that he has taken reasonable steps to obtain such work. Registration with the local Commonwealth District Employment Office is necessary.

To qualify for a sickness benefit, a person must establish that he is temporarily incapacitated for work because of sickness or accident and that he has thereby suffered a loss of salary, wages or other income.

A married woman is not eligible to receive a sickness benefit if it is reasonably possible for her husband to maintain her. Where her husband is able to maintain her only partially, a benefit may be paid at such rate as is considered reasonable in the circumstances. In exceptional cases a married woman may qualify for an unemployment benefit in her own right. A special benefit may be granted to a person not qualified for unemployment or sickness benefit who is not receiving an age, invalid, widow's or service pension, a wife's allowance or a tuberculosis allowance, if because of age, physical or mental disability or domestic circumstances, or for any other reason, he is unable to earn a sufficient livelihood for himself and his dependants. Recipients of special benefits include, among others, persons caring for invalid parents, deserted wives, and naturalized persons ineligible for age, invalid or widows' pensions.

Special benefits are also paid to migrants who are in reception centres and are awaiting their first placement in employment in Australia. During this time they receive a short instruction in English and in Australian conditions to facilitate their assimilation into the community and employment.

Aboriginals, other than those who are nomadic or primitive, are eligible for these benefits on the same conditions as other members of the community,

Information as to the numbers of persons receiving sickness and special benefits and the amounts paid in benefit may be obtained from the Official Year Book and the Quarterly Summary of Australian Statistics.

2. Rates of Benefit.—The maximum weekly rates of benefit payable and permissible income in respect of benefit periods which commenced on or after 1st March, 1962, are as follows.

Age and marital status of claimant.		Maximum weekly rate.	Permissible weekly income.
Unmatried person under 18 years of age Unmatried person 18 to 20 years of age All others	 ., .,	   \$ 3.50 4.75 8.25	\$ 2.00 2.00 4.00

An additional benefit of \$6 a week may be paid for a dependent spouse and \$1.50 a week for each dependent child under 16 years of age if resident in Australia. Additional benefit, at the same rate as that for a dependent spouse, may be paid where a women is keeping house for a claimant who has one or more children under 16 years of age in his care. It may be granted only if no such benefit is payable for his wife and the housekeeper is substantially dependent on him but not employed by him.

The weekly rate of benefit is reduced by the amount by which a beneficiary's other income exceeds the amount shown in the relevant line of the final column in the table above. For unemployment benefit purposes the income of the spouse is also taken into account, unless the claimant and his spouse are permanently separated. For sickness benefit purposes, the income from an approved friendly society or other similar approved body in respect of the incapacity for which sickness benefit is payable is disregarded. "Income" does not include child endowment, or other payments for children, Common-wealth hospital and pharmaceutical benefits or an amount paid in reimbursement of medical, dental or similar expenses. There is no means test on property.

The amount of compensation, damages or similar payment, or war pension, if paid in respect of the same incapacity as that for which sickness benefit is claimed, is deducted from the sickness benefit. If not paid in respect of the same incapacity, compensation is regarded as income and war pension is ignored.

There is a waiting period of seven days for which unemployment or sickness benefit is not payable.

3. Unemployment Benefit.—(i) Number on Benefit.—The following table shows the number of persons on benefit in June of each of the years 1959 to 1964 and in each month from July, 1964 to June, 1965. Current figures are published in the monthly bulletin Employment and Unemployment.

									A	ustralia	<b>i.</b>
Month.(0)	N.S.W.	Vìc,	Qld.	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	N.T.	A.C.T.	Males.	Fe- males,	Per- sons,
1939—June 1940—June 1961—June 1963—June 1963—June	12,062 5,605 19,574 16,967 16,834 6,851	6,013 3,676 16,089 14,338 8,548 3,380	4,477 3,064 9,632 7,432 5,353 2,803	4,042 3,057 2,441	2,293 3,417	1,336	3 14 17 3	150 69 53	42,479 32,401 24,200	5,142 11,775 13,923 13,988	46,324
1964—Julv August September October November December	6,481 5,437 4,417 3,875 3,791 5,062	3,290 2,775 2,284 1,915 1,778 2,089	2,131 1,667 1,550 1,744 1,963 3,436	696 601		1,702 1,732 1,595 1,395 1,115 1,060	5 2 3 1	38 32 21	8,001 6,629 5,857 5,386	6,923 5,958 5,303 5,272	14,92 12,58
1965—January February March April May June	5,302 4,551 4,061 4,466 4,382 4,667	2,277 1,751 1,651 1,823 1,890 1,960	4,541 4,269 3,846 3,636 3,894 3,239	949, 811 640 696 600 703	1,847 1,463 1,231 1,160 1,069 1,137	728	6 8 3 2		7,168 5,907 6,221 6,729		13.69 12,00 12,33 12,58

# NUMBER OF PERSONS RECEIVING UNEMPLOYMENT BENEFIT.

(Source · Department of Social Services.)

(a) Number on benefit at last Saturday of month.

(ii) Amounts Paid.—The amounts paid in unemployment benefit for each of the years 1957-58 to 1964-65 are shown in the following table. Current figures are published in the Quarterly Summary of Australian Statistics.

Perio	d	N.S.W.	Vic.	Qid.	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	N.T.	A.C.T.	Australia.
1957–58 1958–59 1959–60	:::	3,453 4,844 3,202	2,024 2,449 1,871	2,564 2,306 2,053	611 725 498	965 1,308 1,129	208 370 242	4 2 2	11 14 12	
1960–61 1961–62 1962–63 1963–64 1964–65	::	2,653 8,804 8,176 5,084 2,227	1, <b>791</b> 7,207 5,195 2,750 1,160	2,599 5,272 4,496 2,694 1,587	686 1,786 1,185 751 390	958 1,452 1,438 1,403 842	229 696 783 750 583	8 13 7 4 3	12 44 22 22 15	25,274 21,301 13,458

## UNEMPLOYMENT BENEFIT PAYMENTS. (\$'000.)

## CHAPTER IV .--- EMPLOYMENT AND UNEMPLOYMENT.

## § 7. Industrial Disputes.

1. General.—The collection of information relating to industrial disputes involving a stoppage of work in Australia was initiated by this Bureau at the beginning of the year 1913. Particulars for the first complete year were published in Labour Report No. 5 and for following years in subsequent issues. Current figures are published in a quarterly Statistical Bulletin. A summary of the yearly figures since 1913 will be found in the Appendix, Section XI.

The statistics of industrial disputes are compiled from data obtained from the following sources—(a) direct collections from employers and trade unions concerning individual disputes; (b) reports from government departments and authorities; (c) reports of State and Commonwealth industrial authorities; and (d) information contained in trade journals, employer and trade union publications, and newspaper reports.

In the tables in the following pages details of industrial disputes for the year 1964 and earlier years are given. The statistics relate only to disputes involving stoppages of work of 10 man-days or more in the establishment where the stoppage occurred. Effects on other establishments because of lack of materials, disruption of transport services, power cuts, etc. are not measured by these statistics.

In addition to details of disputes in industry groups for each State and Australia, statistics of causes, duration and methods of settlement are included in tables in this section. Because of the importance of disputes in the coal mining and stevedoring industries and their differing pattern from those in other industries, statistics for these industries have been shown separately in a number of the tables.

2. Industry Groups.—(i) States and Territories. In the following table particulars of industrial disputes (involving a stoppage of work of 10 man-days or more) which occurred during 1964 are shown for each State and Territory according to industry group.

A graph showing, for the years 1952 to 1964, the working days lost as a result of industrial disputes in the main industry groups is shown facing page 224.

## INDUSTRIAL DISPUTES.

Industry Group.	Number.	Workers Involved.			Working	Esti- mated
		Directly,	Indirectly. (ð)	Total.	Days Lost,	Loss in Wages, (\$'000.) (c)
New South Wales.						
Coal Mining Other Mining and Quarrying Engineering, Metals, Vehicles, etc. Texules, Clothing and Footwear Food, Drink and Tobacco Paper, Printing, etc. Other Manufacturing Building and Construction Ratiway and Tramway Services Road and Air Transport Stevedoring Amusement, Hotels, Personal Service,	191 263 4 27 7 61 83 8 8 9 19	33,234 1,321 61,583 2,227 10,464 634 10,672 13,389 1,282 20,955 63,115	402 5,486 906 178 99 495	33,234 1,723 67,069 2,227 11,370 634 10,850 13,488 1,282 21,450 63,115	31,519 5,440 87,449 7,977 26,256 1,008 21,726 35,448 2,206 53,264 39,835	305.6 81.8 786.6 63.8 196.1 10.6 207.3 57.0 18.2 505 [ 394 5
etc.	6	283 2,351	ļ ·	283 2,351	499 7,981	50 64.7
Total		221,510	7,566	2,35	320,568	2,996 2
Victoria.(e) Coal Mining Engineering, Metals, Vehicles, etc. Paper, Printing, etc. Other Manufacturing Building and Construction Railway and Tramway Services Road and Air Transport Stevedoring Amusement, Hotels, Personal Service, etc. Other Industries(a) Total	58 11 25 24 5 2 72 1 6 206	210 55,545 2,527 430 17,323 14,508 44,370 131 46,408 23 7,361 188,836	415 608 19 108 77 12   <i>1,239</i>	210 55,960 3,135 449 17,431 14,585 44,382 131 46,408 23 7,361 190,075	210 202.429 8,711 1,080 25,336 22,981 45,000 164 49,374 265 4,017 359,567	3.2 2,029 4 78 0 7.6 229 4 203.4 349.7 1.4 491.3 2.2 32.5 3,428.2
Queensland.(e) Coal Mining Other Mining and Quarrying Engineering, Metals, Vehicles, etc. Food, Drink and Tobacco Other Manufacturing Building and Construction Railway and Tramway Services Road and Air Tramsport Stevedoring Amusement, Hotels, Personal Service, etc.	32 5 23 45 2 8 6 6 60	1.870 4.122 22.732 9.126 123 11.244 8.484 67 24,012 39	3,239 38 4,409 59	1,870 7,361 22,770 13,535 123 11,303 8,484 67 24,012 39	2,532 25,666 30,316 57,183 100 7,670 13,739 265 15,547 39	25.5 321.3 256.1 476.7 1.1 66.9 113.0 2.3 156.2 0.4
Other Industries(a)	5	3,132		3,132	4,514	33.7
Total	198	84,951	7,745	92,696	157,571	1,453.3
South Austrolia. Engineering, Metals, Vehicles, etc	22 4 1 7 4	8,523 1,027 258 749 322 12 1	109 80 	8,632 1,107 258 749 322 122	54,803 464 60 1,287 123 60	507.6 - 3.1 - 0.5 12 3 - 1.2 - 0.6
Stevedoring		11,960		11,960	5,988	60.0
Total	55	22,851	189	23,040	62,785	585.2

# INDUSTRIAL DISPUTES(a): INDUSTRY GROUPS, 1964.

For footnotes see next page.

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Industry Group.	Number.	Workers Involved.			Working	Esti- mated Loss in
		Directly.	Indirectly. (b)	Total.	Days Lost.	Wages. (\$'000.) (c)
Western Australia.						
Engineering, Metals, Vehicles, etc. Food, Drink and Tobacco Building and Construction Railway and Tramway Services Road and Air Transport Stevedoring Other Industries(d)	5 3 5 1 1 10	497 80 630 1,494 600 2,507 285	66 6	497 146 636 1,494 600 2,507 285	1,438 146 1,349 2,250 280 1,625 60	10.8 1 2 11.9 21.0 2.1 15.5
Total	26	6,093	72	6,165	7,148	62 6
Tasmania. Engineering. Metais, Vehicles, etc.	2	51		.51	.64	0.5
Other Manufacturing Building and Construction		822 40 985		822 40 985	822 204 849	0.5 69 20 8,6
Total	8	1,898		1,898	1,939	18 0
Northern Territory.						
Food, Drink and Tobacco Building and Construction . Stevedoring	1 1 4	76 30 496	- 	76 30 496	54 45 338	0.5 04 3,4
Total	6	602		602	437	4.3
Australian Capital Territory.(e) Engineering, Metals, Vehicles, etc. Food, Drink and Tobacco Building and Construction Road and Air Transport Amusement, Hotels, Personal Service, etc.	··· 3 4	500 87 989 300 200		500 87 989 300 200	65 136 1.062 40 40	0.6 1.3 10.4 0.4 0.4
Total	7	2,076		2.076	1,343	13.1
Australia. Agriculture, Grazing, etc. Coal Mining Other Miaing and Quarrying Engineering, Metals, Vehicles, etc. Textiles, Clothing and Footwear Food, Drink and Tobacco Sawmilling, Furniture, etc. Paper, Printing, etc. Other Manufacturing Building and Construction Railway and Tramway Services Road and Air Transport Stevedoring Amusement, Hotels, Personal Service,	223 7 373 4 9 1 9 9 6 140 20 24 317	35,314 5,443 149,431 2,227 7,3387 7,064 29,669 41,152 55,630 22,065 149,483	3,641 6,048 6,069 19 286 241 12 495	35.314 9,084 155.479 2.227 29,456 258 1,683 29,975 41,393 55,642 22,560 149,483	34,261 31,066 376,564 7,977 92,950 60 2,088 49,271 68,882 63,195 54,073 113,556	334 4 403.1 3.591 7 63.8 757 0 0 0 5 18 2 456 9 653.2 501.9 511.8 1,129.6
etc. Other Industries(d)	18	545 13,129		545 13,129	843 16,572	8 0 131.0
Total	1,334	528.817	16,811	545,628	911,358	8,560.9

#### INDUSTRIAL DISPUTES(a): INDUSTRY GROUPS, 1964-continued.

(a) Refers only to disputes involving a stoppage of work of 10 man-days or more (b) Persons thrown out of work at the establishments where the stoppages occurred but not themselver parties to the dispute. (c) For "Estimated Loss in Wages" any discrepances between totals and sums of components are due to rounding. (d) Includes Communication; Finance and Property; Wholesale and Retail Trade; and Public Authority (n.c.i.) and Community and Business Services. (e) An industrial dispute involving workers in more than one industry group in a State is counted once only in the statistics of "Number". In such a case it is included in the industry group which had the largest number of workers involved. Figures of "Workers Involved", "Working Days Lost" and "Estimated Loss in Wages" are allocated to their respective industry groups.

#### INDUSTRIAL DISPUTIST

(ii) Australia. The following table shows, for various industry groups, the number of industrial disputes, the number of workers involved, and the losses in working days and wages for each of the years 1959 to 1964.

				: 1	1	
Industry Group.	(959.	1960.	1961.	1962.	1963.	1964.
	N	JMBER.				
Coal Mining	330	329	235	299	222	223
Other Mining and Quarrying Manufacturing	15 225	13 316	9 270	5 498	9 489	57
Building and Construction	. 38	99	101	135	146	14
Stevedoring	189	308	151	180	312	31
	53 19	59 21	37 12	.45 21	49 23	4- 2-
Total	869	1,145	815	1,183	1,250	1,334
	WORKERS	INVOLVED.	(6)			
Coal Mining	42,705	63,200 8,506	41,097	38,262 2,091	29,059	35,314
Diher Mining and Quarrying	19,654	8,506	6,271	2.091	4.513	9,08
		194,661 11,610	6,271 123,853 21,872	132,194 27.728	186,641 23,809	218,47
Stevedoring	9,108 72,345 21,251	11,610 179,103	61,092	121245	118,438	149,48
Other Transport	21,251	128 570 17,629	<b>39.59</b> t	29,675 2,658	37,928	78.20
Öther Industries	10,323	17,629	6,581	<u> </u>	12,320	13.67
Total	237,471	603,279	300,357	353,853	412,708	545,62
	WORKING	DAYS LO	ST.			
Coal Mining	69,648	107,773	70,767	43,739 2,796 293,618	45,914	34,26
	18,106	51.310 232,289 39,465	113,107 266,465	2,796	4,807	31,06
Manufacturing	21,507	39,465	48,302	49.376	343,505 52,915 95,050	68,88
Stevedoring	, 58,695	167.820	61,467 32,281	86,571	95,050	113.55 117.26
Other Transport	. 8,596 . 8,111	93,576 32,874	32,281	49,376 86,571 28,292 4,363	25,623 13,754	117,26
Total	365,039	725,107	606,811	508,755	581,568	911,35
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Coal Mining Other Mining and Quarrying	1 63	1 7	1.72 18 04 2 15 2.21	1.14	1 58	09
	2.54	1 19	2 15	2 22	1 84	34
Building and Construction	. 236	3 40	2.21	1.34 2.22 1.78 0.71	2.22 0.80	ĪĞ
Stevedoring	10 81	0 94	1.01	0 71	0 80	07
Diher Transport Diher Industries	0 40	073	0 82	0 95	068	15
United thousanes						
Total	. 1.54	1.20	2.02	1,44	1.41	1.6
	Estimated 1 {8	Loss IN W. 9000.)	AGES.(c)			
Coat Mining	525 0	906 2	603 8	375.5	419 0	334.
Other Mining and Quarrying	<u>192.1</u> 1.311 2	641.4	1.448.7	375.5 27 5 2,399 8	413 0 42 3 2,907.2 497 2 830 2 203.6	403.
Manufacturing Building and Construction	1.311 2	1,760 1	2,081 6	2,399 8	2,907.2	4,888
	180.5 434 2 53 7	374 2 1.344 2	458 5	446 6	830 2	653. 1,129.
Other Transport		643.8 183.8	257 2	735.7	203.6	1.013.
Other Industries	57.8	183.8	106 3	-31.7	92 1	139.
Total	2,754 4	5,853.6	5,447.6	4,244.1	4,991 5	8,560.

#### INDUSTRIAL DISPUTES(a): AUSTRALIA.

(a) Refers only to disputes involving a stoppage of work of 10 man-days or more. (b) Includes workers indirectly involved, i.e. those thrown out of work at the establishments where the stoppages occurred but not themselves parties to the dispute. (c) For "Estimated Loss in Wages" any discrepancies between totals and sums of components are due to rounding.

### CHAPTER IV .- EMPLOYMENT AND UNEMPLOYMENT.

3. States and Territories.—The number of industrial disputes in each State and Territory during the years 1960 to 1964, and the workers involved, the working days lost, and the estimated loss in wages, are given in the following table.

				Wot	kers Involv	red.		Estimated
State or Territory.		Year	Number.	Directly.	la- directly. (b)	Total.	Working Days Lost.	Loss in Wages. (\$'000.) (c)
New South Wales		1960 1961 1962 1963 1964	736 529 752 817 828	289,266 131,661 195,344 214,643 221,510	7,646 5,295 13,623 4,333 7,566	296,912 136,956 208,967 218,976 229,076	416,762 318,629 303,400 307,440 320,568	3,463.8 2,632.0 2,571.8 2,629.4 2,996.2
Victoria		1960 1961 1962 1963 1964	98 91 166 180 206	86,002 51,447 72,525 85,757 188,836	2 1,300 720 2,221 1,239	86.004 52,747 73,245 87,978 190,075	102,805 72,471 100,606 172,963 359,567	794.2 609.6 837.2 1,510.0 3,428.2
Queensland		1960 1961 1962 1963 1964	173 123 175 160 198	155,073 73,442 33,445 37,047 84,951	<b>3.566</b> 4.798 8.321 7.266 7,745	158,639 78,240 41,766 44,313 92,696	153,061 168,958 75,951 54,861 157,571	1,189.4 1,829.2 598.8 468.0 1,453.3
South Australia		1960 1961 1962 1963 1964	42 26 31 35 55	25.735 17,012 11,748 11,938 22,851	12 321 100 107 189	25,747 17,333 11,848 12,045 23,040	16.568 17,256 14.599 8,957 62.785	123.6 133.6 118 8 82.0 585.2
Western Australia		1960 1961 1962 1963 1964	43 22 28 28 26	25,684 9,588 8,280 42,390 6,093	99 83 194 72	25,684 9,687 8,363 42,584 6,165	27,342 23,233 6,300 31,969 7,148	213.2 189.0 50.0 252.4 62.6
Tasmania	•	1960 1961 1962 1963 1964	40 14 18 11 8	9,142 4,645 5,048 5,019 1,898		9,142 4,661 5,126 5,019 1,898	6,991 4,622 3,993 2,933 1,939	55.2 38.2 35.0 27.0 18 0
Northern Territory		1960 1961 1962 1963 1964	9 4 6 8 6	942 456 428 915 602	::	942 456 428 915 602	1,226 709 298 968 437	10,6 8.0 2.6 9.4 4.3
Australian Capital Te tory	erri-	1960 1961 1962 1963 1964	4 6 7 11 7	209 275 4,005 858 2 076		209 277 4,110 878 2,076	352 933 3,608 1,477 1,343	1 30.0
Australia	•	1960 1961 1962 1963 1964	1,145 815 1,183 1,250 5,334	288 526	11,226 11,831 23,030 14,141 16,811	603,279 300,357 353,853 412,708 545,628	606,811 508,755 581,568	5,447.6 4,244.1 4,991.5

### INDUSTRIAL DISPUTES(a): STATES AND TERRITORIES.

(a) Refers only to disputes involving a stoppage of work of 10 man-days or more. (b) Persons thrown out of work at the establishments where the stoppages occurred but not themselves parties to the dispute. (c) For "Estimated Loss in Wages" any discrepancies between totals and sums of components are due to rounding.

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4. Duration.—(i) General. The duration of each industrial dispute involving a loss of work, i.e., the time between the cessation and resumption of work, has been calculated in working days, exclusive of Saturdays, Sundays and holidays, except where the establishment involved carries on a continuous process (e.g. metal smelting and cement manufacture).

(ii) *Industry Groups.* The following table shows, for the year 1964, industrial disputes in coal mining, stevedoring and other industries classified according to duration in working days.

Duration						Estimated	
Duration (Working Days).		Number,	Number.	Propor- tion of Total. (Per cent.)	Number.	Propor- tion of Total. (Per cent.)	Loss in Wages. (\$'000.) (c)
<u>_ · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·</u>		COAL	MININO.	<u>*</u>			
day and less	·	166	23,590	66 8	11,598	33.9	114.9
days and more than 1 day	••	29	8,367 1,743	23.7	11.615	33 9	114.9
days and more than 2 days	- •	13	1,743	49	4,601	13 4	43.4
over 3 days and less than 5 days	• •	13	1,426	41	5,041	14.7	47.8
days and less than 10 days	••	2	188	0.5	1,406	4.1	13.4
0 days and less than 20 days	• •			1	••		••
0 days and less than 40 days	• •	•			· ·		
0 days and over	••	• *	· ·	• •			
Total	•••	223	35,314	100 0	34,261	100.0	334 4
		STEV	EDORING.				
day and less	- <u></u>	229	1 119,849	80 2	66,615	58.7	660 4
days and more than I day		61	28,047	80 2 18.7	42,411	37 3	424.3
days and more than 2 days		18	1,160	0.8	2,881	2.5	29.1
Over 3 days and less than 5 days		9	427	0.3	1,649	1.5	15 7
days and less than 10 days	••			1		ļ	
0 days and less than 20 days			· ·			1	
O days and less than 40 days	••			<b>1</b> .		1	
O days and over	••	· ·	I	+			
Total		317	149,483	100 0	113,556	100.0	1,129.4
·····		OTHER	INDUSTRIE				<u> </u>
day and less		360	1 247,304	68.6	199,327	1 26 1	1.679.8
days and more than 1 day		143	40,499	112	62,783	1 63	544.8
days and more than 2 days		109	23,083	6.4	58,400	8 2 7 7	516.0
over 3 days and less than 5 days		73	22,543	6.3	77.483	10.1	749 5
days and less than 10 days		74	11.627	32	75.691	99	700 3
0 days and less than 20 days		26	7,005	19	92,796 191,790	12.2	949.5
0 days and less than 40 days	••	7	8.663	2.4	191,790	25.1	1,907 6
0 days and over	••	2	107	(d)	5,271	0.7	49.4
Total	••	794	360.831	100 0	763,541	100.0	7.096 9
		ALL I	NDUSTRIES.				
day and less	•	755	390,743	71.6	277,540	30.5	2,455.1
days and more than I day	••	233	76,913	14.1	116,809	128	1.084.1
days and more than 2 days	• •	140	25,986 24,396	4.8	65,882	1 72	588.5
Over 3 days and less than 5 days		95	24,390	45	84,173	7 2 9 2 8 5	813.1
days and less than 10 days		76	11,815		77,097	102	713.7
0 days and less than 20 days		26	7.005	1.3	92,796		949.5
0 days and less than 40 days	••	2	8,663	16	191,790	21 0	1.907.6
0 days and over	• •		107	( <i>d</i> )	5,271		49.4
Total	••	1,334	545,628	100.0	911,358	100.0	8,560.9

## DURATION OF INDUSTRIAL DISPUTES:(a) AUSTRALIA, 1964.

(a) Refers only to dispute involving a sloppage of work of 10 man-days or more. (b) includes workers indirectly involved, i.e. those thrown out of work at the establishments where the sloppage occurred but not themselves parties to the dispute. (c) For "Estimated Loss in Wages" any discrepancies between totals and sums of components are due to rounding, (d) Less than 0 05 per cent.

(iii) Summary, 1960 to 1964. The following table shows particulars of industrial disputes in Australia for the years 1960 to 1964 according to limits of duration.

Duration			Wo	rkers Involv	ed.	Working	Estimated Loss in
Duration (Working Days).	Year.	Num- ber.	Directly.	In- directly (b)	Total	Days Lost.	Waees. (\$'000) (c)
day and less	1960	681	451,866	5,126	456,992	284.293	2,177 6
	1961	486 689	193.111	3.101	196.272	122,703	974 0 1,386.6
	1963	689	235,895 289,024	12,491	248,386 294,433	167.761	1,380.0
	1964	755	385,580	5,163	390,743	277.540	2,455.1
2 days and more than 1 day	1960	200	81,393	1,935	83,328	119,730	932 6
•	1961	121	54 797	1,787	56,584 53,729	77,008	613.6
	1962	201	51,504	2.225	53.729	79 661	638 2
	1963 1964	264 233	52,555 72.146	3,738 4,767	56,293 76,913	87,762 116,809	752 2 1,084. I
3 days and more than 2 days	1960	96	26,453	1,499	27.952	69,048	540 6
	1961		15.508	534	16,042	41,467	336.8
	1962	98	16,548	3,638 1,428	20,186 27,830	55,193 71,091	443.4
	1964	140	22,715	3,271	25,986	65,882	588.5
Over 3 days and less than 5 days	1960	69	13,631	135	13,766	49,727	378 4
	1961	50 75	11.475 9,480	720	12,195	47,383	401 0 339.2
	1963	65	10,297	758	10,238 10,813	39,804 42,843	378.6
	1964	95	22,767	1,629	24,396	84,173	813.1
5 days and less than 10 days .	1960	64	12,505	1,493	13,998	93,121	746 4
	1961	43 89	5,240	1,298	6.538 17.424	45,646	371 2 984 4
	1963	1 77	16,599	1.030	17.629		1.073.2
	1964	76	11,542	273	11,815	125,706 77,097	713.7
10 days and less than 20 days	1960	29	5.495	1,038	6.533	79.930	844.6
	1961	19	3,772	934	4.706 3.734	61.495	539 8 414 6
	1963	3ĭ	3,179	2,020	5,199	66 80	606 8
	1964	26	5,317	1,688	7,005	92,796	949.5
20 days and less than 40 days	1960	5	660		660	25.981	207.4
	1961	4	2,243	3,397	5,640 143	115,576 3,276	969.2
	1965	1 3	507		507	14,984	146 4
	1964	5	8,663		8,663	191,790	1,907 6
40 days and over	1960	!	50		50	3,277	26 0
	1961		2,380		2,380	95,513 689	1,242 0
	1963	1 i	4	1	4	200	l í á
	1964	2	87	20	107	5,271	49 4
Total	1960	1,145	592,053	11,226	603.279	725.107	5,853 6
	1961	815	288.526	11,831 23,030	300,357	606.811 508,755	5,447.6 4,244 t
	1963	1.250	398.567	14,141	412,708	581,568	4,991 5
	1964	1,334	528,817	16,811	545,628	911.358	8,560 9

#### DURATION OF INDUSTRIAL DISPUTES(a): AUSTRALIA.

(a) Refers only to disputes involving a stoppage of work of 10 man-days or more. (b) Persons thrown out of work at the establishments where the stoppages occurred but not themselves parties to the dispute. (c) For "Estimated Loss in Wages" any discrepancies between totals and sums of components are due to rounding.

5. Causes.—(i) Classification. The statistics of causes of industrial disputes relate to the direct causes of stoppages of work and include only those industrial disputes involving stoppages of work of 10 man-days or more. The figures therefore do not reflect the relative importance of all causes of dispute between employers and employees. Causes of industrial disputes are grouped under four main headings:—(a) Wages, Hours and Leave; (b) Physical Working Conditions and Managerial Policy; (c) Trade Unionism; (d) Other Causes. The first group is restricted to disputes involving general principles relating to wages, hours and leave; minor questions regarding claims to pay or leave by individual employees are included under managerial policy. The second group comprises disputes regarding physical working conditions and general questions of managerial policy, which term covers disciplinary action, the promotion of employees, the employment of particular individuals, personal

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disagreements between workers and supervisory staff and disputes arising from the computation of wages, leave, etc., in individual cases. The third group includes stoppages over employment of non-unionists, inter-union and intra-union disputes, disputes over recognition of union activities, and sympathy stoppages in support of employees in another industry. The last group comprises disputes by way of protest against situations not arising from the usual relationship of employer and employee, e.g. political matters, and cases (occurring mainly in the coal-mining industry) where the cause of the stoppage is not officially made known to the management.

(ii) Industry Groups. The following table shows particulars of industrial disputes for 1964 classified according to cause in the three industry groups, coal mining, stevedoring and other industries. This dissection has been made because the pattern of disputes in coal mining and stevedoring differs significantly from that in other industries.

### CAUSES OF INDUSTRIAL DISPUTES(a): AUSTRALIA, 1964.

Cause of Dispute.(b)	Coal Mining.	Stevedoring.	Other Industries.	All Industri <del>cs</del> .

#### NUMBER OF DISPUTES.

Wages, Hours and Physical Working		and	7	28	285	320
Managerial Poli Trade Unionism .	cy		114 28 74	258 16 15	386 92	758 136 120
Total	·		223	317	794	1,334

#### WORKERS INVOLVED.(c)

Wages, Hours ar			907	19,907	215,032	235,846
Physical Worki Managerial Po	ng Conditi licy		14.133	91,159	86,062	191.354
Trade Unionism			4,670	5,210	21,790	31,670
Other	•• ••	•••	15,604	33,207	37,947	86,758
Total			35,314	149,483	360,831	545,628

### WORKING DAYS LOST.

Wages, Hours a Physical Work		Leave Conditions	and	1,133	8,628	547,187	556,948
Managerial Pe	oticy	,	•••	17,643 5,701	69,677 2,631	169,742 25,060	257,062 33,392
Other		••	•••	9,784	32,620	21,552	63,956
Total				34.261	113,556	763,541	911,358

(a) Refers only to disputes involving a stoppage of work of 10 man-days or more. (b) See explanation of terms in text. (c) Includes workers indirectly involved. See note (b) to table on page 208.

(iii) Summary, 1960 to 1964. The following table gives particulars of industrial disputes according to causes for the years 1960 to 1964.

Cause of Dispute.(b)	1960.	1961.	1962.	1963.	<b>19</b> 64,
X	NUMBER OF D	ISPUTES.			
Wages, Hours and Leave Physical Working Conditions an	213	123	290	279	320
Manager and all Dalian	648	525	707	748	758
Trade Unionism	127	66	92	115	136
Other	157	101	94	108	120
Total	1,145	815	1,183	1,250	1,334

CAUSES OF INDUSTRIAL DISPUTES(a): AUSTRALIA.

WORKERS INVOLVED.(c)

Wages, Hours and Lea Physical Working Co		and	228,695	114,125	133,312	171,551	235,846
Managerial Policy			154,401	102,125	179.321	142,998	191,354
Trade Unionism	••		43,321	13,797	15.243	22,251	31,670
Other	••	••	176,862	70,310	25,977	75,908	86,758
Total	••	••	603,279	300,357	353,853	412,708	545,628

WORKING DAYS LOST.

Wages, Hours and Le Physical Working C		and	254,926	248,864	194,427	274,901	556,948
Managerial Policy			277,755	261,454	274.091	233,502	257,062
Trade Unionism		••	64,617	34,021	22,418	23,268	33,392
Other	••	•••	127.809	62.472	17,819	49,897	63,956
Total	••	••	725,107	606,811	508,755	581,568	911.358

(a) Refers only to disputes involving a stoppage of work of 10 man-days or more. (b) See explanation of terms in text. (c) Includes workers indirectly involved. See note (b) to table on page 208.

6. Methods of Settlement.—(i) General. The statistics of methods of settlement of industrial disputes relate to the method directly responsible for ending the stoppage of work and not necessarily to the method (or methods) responsible for settling all matters in dispute. The figures also relate only to disputes involving stoppages of work of 10 man-days or more. For those reasons they do not reflect the relative importance of the work of authorities operating under State and Commonwealth legislation. Because the pattern of disputes in coal mining and stevedoring differs significantly from that in other industries, methods of settlement in these industries are analysed separately.

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The classification of methods of settlement is as follows:----

- Negotiation.—By private negotiation between the parties involved, or their representatives, without the intervention or assistance of authorities constituted under State or Commonwealth industrial legislation.
- (2) Mediation.—By the arbitration or mediation of persons whose intervention or assistance is not based on State or Commonwealth industrial legislation.
- (3) State Legislation-
  - (a) Under State Conciliation and Arbitration or Wages Board Legislation.—By intervention or assistance of an industrial authority or authorities created by or constituted under State conciliation and arbitration or Wages Board legislation, or by reference to such authorities or by compulsory or voluntary conference.
  - (b) Under Other State Legislation.—By intervention, assistance or advice of State Government officials or inspectors.
- (4) Commonwealth and Joint Commonwealth-State Legislation-
  - (a) By compulsory or voluntary conference or by intervention or assistance of, or by reference to, the industrial tribunals created by or constituted under the following Acts.
    - (i) Conciliation and Arbitration Act.
    - (ii) Coal Industry Acts.
    - (iii) Stevedoring Industry Act.
    - (iv) Other Acts (Snowy Mountains Hydro-electric Power Act; Navigation Act; and Public Service Arbitration Act).
  - (b) By intervention, assistance or advice of Commonwealth Government officials or inspectors.
- (5) By filling the places of workers on strike or locked out.
- (6) By closing down the establishment permanently.
- (7) By resumption without negotiation.
- (8) By other methods.

(ii) *Industry Groups.* In the following table particulars of industrial disputes for 1964 classified according to method of settlement are shown separately for coal mining, stevedoring and other industries.

## METHOD OF SETTLEMENT OF INDUSTRIAL DISPUTES(a): AUSTRALIA, 1964.

Method of Settlement.(b)	Coal Minung.	Steve- doring.	Other Industries,	All Industries
NUMBER OF DI	SPUTES.			
1. By private negotiation	34	8	207	249
<ol> <li>State legislation—         <ul> <li>(a) Under State Conciliation, etc., legislation</li> <li></li> </ul> </li> </ol>		2	113	113
<ol> <li>Commonwealth and Commonwealth-State legisla- tion</li> </ol>		-	115	
(a) Industrial Tribunals under-	)	•	) <b>.</b>	
(i) Conciliation and Arbitration Act	14	3	107	110
(ii) Coal Industry Acts	I 14	u		l i
(b) By reference to Commonwealth Government				
officials	l (	156		15
. By resumption without negotiation	174	137	366	67
Total ,	223	317	793	1,33
WORKERS INV	OLVED.(C)			
. By private negotiation	2,860	728	45,220	48,80
<ul> <li>State legislation—         <ul> <li>(a) Under State Conciliation, etc., legislation</li> <li></li> </ul> </li> </ul>	i i	43	36,898	36,94
I. Commonwealth and Commonwealth-State legisla-		45	30,030	00,74
tion			]	
(a) Industrial Tribunals under-			f	
(i) Conciliation and Arbitration Act		190	15,510	15,70
(ii) Coal Industry Acts	1,214			1,21
(iii) Stevedoring Industry Act	1 1	1,511	] ••	1,51
officials	23	18,576		18,59
. By resumption without negotiation	31.217	128,435	261,429	421,08
• • •	·			
Total	35,314	149,483	359,057	543,85
WORKING DA			000 201	20176
By private negotiation     State legislation	4,787	272	288,591	293,65
(a) Under State Conciliation, etc., legislation	1	57	104,733	104,79
4. Commonwealth and Commonwealth-State legisla-	i			
tion	l			
(a) Industriar Indunais under— (b) Concidation and Arbitration Act	1	583	58,590	59.17
(ii) Coal Industry Acts	4,061		50,50	4.06
(iii) Stevedoring Industry Act.		1,329		1,32
(b) By reference to Commonwealth Government		ŕ	1	-
officials .	42	15,294		15,33
7. By resumption without negotiation	25,371	96,021	291,651	413,04
Total	34,261	113,556	743,565	891,38

(a) Refers only to disputes involving a stoppage of work of 10 man-days or more. Differences between the total figures of this table and the corresponding totals of other tables in this section are due to disputes which were not settled at the end of the year. (b) See text for explanation of terms. (c) Includes workers indirectly involved. See note (b) to table on page 208.

(iii) Summary, 1960 to 1964. Information for Australia for the years specified is given in the following table.

METHODS OF SETTLEMENT OF INDUSTRIAL DISPUTES : AUSTRALIA.(a)

Method of Settlement.(b)	1960.	1961.	1962.	1963.	1964.
NUMBER -	OF DISPUTE		•	<u>'</u>	<u>.</u>
By private negotiation     By mediation not based on legislation     State legislation—	176	146 1	194 2	240	249 • •
<ul> <li>(a) Under State Conciliation. etc., legislation</li> <li>(b) By reference to State Government</li> <li>officials</li> </ul>	94	85	102	125	115
<ol> <li>Commonwealth and Commonwealth-State legislation—         <ul> <li>(a) Industrial Tribunals under—</li></ul></li></ol>			-	••	
Act (ii) Coal Industry Acta (iii) Stevedoring Industry Act (iv) Other Acts	75 27 22 2	85 25 9	120 22	83 22 5	110 14 11
(b) By reference to Commonwealth Govern- ment officials	124 625 · ·	72 392	118 623	227 548	157 677
Total	1.145	815	t,183	1,250	1,333

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Method of Settlement.(b)	1960,	1961.	1962.	1963.	1964.
WORKERS	INVOLVED.	.(c)	·	<u> </u>	
. By private negotiation By mediation not based on legislation State legislation—	26,312	20,181 400	29,050 209	41,653	48,80
(b) By reference to State Government	23,995	27,668	19,255	40,978	36,94
officials Commonwealth and Commonwealth-State legislation- (a) Industrial Tribunals under-			279	••	••
(i) Conciliation and Arbitration	14.00	12,323	20,939	13.633	15,700
Act	14,606 3,100	3 074	2.062	4,367	1.214
(iii) Stevedoring Industry Act	6,398	6.853	1,002	369	1.51
(iv) Other Acts	64		••	••	
(b) By reference to Commonwealth Govern-				14 410	
ment officials	23,038	5,638	54,866	46,618 265,090	18,59
. By resumption without negotiation	505,766	224,220	227,193	203,090	421,08
Total	603,279	300,357	353,853	412,708	543,85
Worktwo	DAYS LO	s <b>r</b> .			
. By private negotiation By mediation not based on legislation State legislation—	62,504 	55,402 400	71,469 215	109,594	293,65
(a) Under State Conciliation, etc., legislation (b) By reference to State Government	115,496	240,613	45,883	103,906	104,79
			1,003	••	
officials. Commonwealth and Commonwealth-State legislation— (a) Industrial Tribunals under—					
officials Commonwealth and Commonwealth-State legislation— (a) Industrial Tribunals under— (i) Concidiation and Arbitration		71 930	84 294	50.051	59.17
officials. Commonwealth and Commonwealth-State legislation— (a) Industrial Tribunals under— (i) Conciliation and Arbitration (ii) Conciliation to the state	57,075	71,820 10,816	84,294 6,187	50,051 16,914	59,17 4.06
officials. Commonwealth and Commonwealth-State legislation— (a) Industrial Tribunals under— (i) Concitation and Arbitration Act (ii) Coal Industry Acts		10.816	84,294 6,187	50,051 16,914 89	59,17 4,06 1,32
officials Commonwealth and Commonwealth-State legislation (a) Industrial Tribunals under (b) Conciliation and Arbitration Act (ii) Coal Industry Acts (ui) Stevedoring Industry Act (iv) Other Acts	57,075 7,870		6,187	16,914	4,06
officials Commonwealth and Commonwealth-State tegislation— (a) Industrial Tribunals under— (i) Conciliation and Arbitration Act (ii) Coal Industry Acts (ui) Sievedoring Industry Act (v) Other Acts (b) By reference to Commonwealth Governa-	57.075 7.870 28,327 360	10,816 18,056	6,187	16,914 89 	4.06 1,32
officials. Commonwealth and Commonwealth-State legislation— (a) Industrial Tribunals under— (i) Conscitation and Arbitration Act (ii) Coal Industry Acts (iii) Stevedoring Industry Act (iv) Other Acts (b) By reference to Commonwealth Govern- ment officials	57.075 7.870 28,327 360 30.738	10,816 18,056 5,131	6,187  45,036	16,914 89  31,472	4,06 1,32 15,33
officials Commonwealth and Commonwealth-State iegislation— (a) Industrial Tribunals under— (i) Conciliation and Arbitration Act (ii) Coal Industry Acts (iii) Stevedoring Industry Act (iv) Other Acts (b) By reference to Commonwealth Govera-	57.075 7.870 28,327 360	10,816 18,056	6,187	16,914 89 	4,06 1,32

### METHODS OF SETTLEMENT OF INDUSTRIAL DISPUTES: AUSTRALIA(a) —continued.

(a) Refers only to disputes involving a stoppage of work of 10 man-days or more. Differences between the total figures of this table and the corresponding totals of other tables in this section are due to disputes which were incomplete at the end of the year. (b) See text for explanation of terms, (c) Includes workers indirectly involved. See note (b) to table on page 208.

### § 8. Industrial Accidents.

Except in the case of mining accidents, lack of uniformity of definition and coverage from State to State seriously impaired the usefulness of statistics of industrial accidents published in issues of the Labour Report prior to No. 39. The presentation herein, therefore, relates only to statistics of mining accidents.

Particulars of the number of persons killed and injured in mines and associated treatment plants are recorded by State Mines Departments. Numbers injured are not reported on a uniform basis in all States, as varying criteria are used in determining what constitutes injury.

Statistics of quarrying accidents are published each year in the bulletin-Non-Rural Primary Industries and Value of Production.

Industry.			N.S.W.	Vic.	Qld.	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	N.T.	Aust.
			PERSONS	KILLED						
Metal Mining- Gold Mining- Copper-Gold Mining Tin Mining Mineral Sands Mining Other Metal Mining Total Fuel Mining- Black Coal Mining Brown Coal Mining Total Non-metal (excluding Fuel) I Total, All Mining	     Mining	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	2         	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	4 1  5 1  6	··· ··· ··· ··· ··· ··· ··· ··· ··· ··	6       7		··· ··· ··· ··· ··· ··· ··· ··· ··· ··	6 7 3    9  9  9  9  9  9  2 7 7 7 
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## MINING ACCIDENTS: INDUSTRY, 1964.

(a) Excludes accidents in salt mining.

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# § 9. Workers' Compensation Legislation,

In the following pages is a summary of the principal provisions of Workers' Compensation Acts and Ordinances in force in Australia as at 31st December, 1964.

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	Conspectus	OF WORKERS' COMPENSATION LAWS
State, etc.	Act or Ordinance.	Judicial Administration.
New South Wales	Workers' Compensation Act, 1926-1964	Workers' Compensation Commission (Judres, District Court status). In practice, Judge sits alone; five Courte sit at one tim.e.
Victoria.	Workers' Compensation Act 1958	County Court Judge (sitting with workers' and employers' representa- tives as Workers' Competisation Board).
Qu <del>ce</del> nsland	Workers' Compensation Acts, 1916 to 1964.	General Manager (no legal qualifica- tions required by Statute).
South Australia	Workmen's Compensation Act, 1932- 1963.	Special Magistrates.
Western Australia	Workers' Compensation Act, 1912– 1964.	Workers' Compensation Board of three members: Chairman, a legal prac- titioner, and a nominee of (a) em- ployers' organization and (b) em- ployees' organization.
Tasmania	Workers' Compensation Act 1927- 1964.	Supreme Court Judges (sitting alone).
Commonwealth of Australia	Commonwealth Employees' Compensa- tion Act 1930-1964.	One Commissioner (Secretary to the Treasury), with power of delegation.
Northern Territory	Workmen's Compensation Ordinance 1949–1964. (Includes Compensation provisions previously incorporated in the Wards' Employment Ordinance 1953–1962.)	Matters in distute may by consent of each party be settled by arbitration by a committee or by a single arbi- trator, or they may be settled by a Local Court of full jurisdiction.
Australian Capital Territory.	Workmen's Compensation Ordinance 1951–1962.	Matters in dispute may by consent of both parties be settled by arbitration by a committee or by a single arbi- trator. If either party objects or there is no committee, the dispute may be settled by the Court of Petty Sessions.

# CONSPECTUS OF WORKERS' COMPENSATION LAWS

# IN AUSTRALIA (AS AT 31ST DLCEMBER, 1964).

Appeals.	Maximum Wages of "Workers" Compensated.	Waiting Period.	Medical, Surgical and Hospital Expenses.
On a question of law or the ad- mission or rejection of any evidence, to Supreme Court, High Court and Privy Council.	Unlimited,	NU	£500 (\$1,000) medical and sur gical; £500 (\$1,000) hos pital; £250 (\$500) am bulance; unless Commis sion directs that employe shall be liable for a further specified sum.
On question of law upon case stated for opinion of Full Court of the Supreme Court, High Court, Privy Council.	£2,000 (\$4,000) per annum, excluding overtime.	Nii	Unlimited medical, hospital nursing and ambulance ser vice and costs of burial.
Any person claiming compensation who objects to the ruling thereon of the State Government In- surance Office may require the matter to be heard and determined by an Industral Magistrate. Either party to the proceedings may appeal from his decision. Such appeal shall be made to the Full Bench of the Industral Court. Unless the Court orders that additional evidence shall be taken, the appeal which shall be hay any of rehearing shall be heard and determined upon the evidence and proceedings before the indus- trial Magistrate concerned.	Unlimited.	1 day for compen- sation.	£140 (\$280) hospital; £144 (\$280) medical: in death where no dependants medical expenses and burial, maximum £240 (\$480).*
Questions of law and fact to Sup- reme Court, High Court, Privy Council.	£2.860 (\$5,720) per annum (£55 [\$110] per week) (overtime allowances ex- cluded).	NU	The expenses incurred by the workman for such medical hospital, nursing and am bulance services as an result of his injury, and no exceeding £30 (\$60) for reparing or reparing damaged clothing. Where no dependents, burial ex- penses up to £100 (\$200).
Jurisdiction exclusive; decisions final on facts. Board may state a case for Full Court of Supreme Court on matters of law.	Unlimited.	Nil	£250 (\$500) medical; £42; (\$850) hospital; £61 13s 11d. (\$123.39) funeral in the case of males; and £25 (\$500) medical; £425 (\$850) hospital; £61 13s. 10d (\$123.38) funeral in the case of females
To Full Court by way of rehearing, High Court, Privy Council.	Unlimited.	Nil	£1,000 (\$2,000).
Rehearing by local, County or Dis- trict Court, then appeal on gues- tions of law to High Court, Privy Council	Unlimited.	Nil	£500 (\$1,000) medical, sur gical or hospital, or over in exceptional circumstance if Commissioner consider circumstances warrant. £60 (\$120) funeral expenses.
An appeal to the Supreme Court may be made from the decision of a committee or an arbitrator or of a Local Court.	Unlimited.	Nil	Not exceeding £350 (\$700) for medical, surgical or hospita treatment or ambulance service, except in specia circumstances,
An appeal from the decision of the committee or from the Court of Petty Sessions may be made to the Supreme Court of the Australian Capital Territory.	£2,000 (£4,000) per annum, excluding overtime, bonuses and special allow- ances.	Nil	Not exceeding £350 (\$700 unless exceptional circum stances warrant payment of a larger sum.

\* From 1964, amounts vary automatically with changes in basic wage.

## CHAPTER IV .--- EMPLOYMENT AND UNEMPLOYMENT.

CONSPECTUS OF WORKFRS' COMPENSATION

		CONSPECTUS OF WORKERS' COMPENSATION
		Workers' Compensation Payments
State, etc.	Bas c Weekly Payment.	Maximum Weckly Payment.
New South Wales	75 per cent. of average weekly earnings (a.w.e.).	£11 15s. (\$23.50) with no dependants: with dependants a.w.e.
Victoría	••••••••••••••••••••••••••••••••••••••	Adult £5 16s. (\$17.60) with no dependants (with de- penda us £12 16s. (\$25.60) or a.w.e., whichever is lower). Minor £6 8s. (\$12.80) without dependants (with lependants £11 4s. [\$22.40] or a.w.e., which- ever it lower).
Queensland	80 per cent. of a.w.e. or £12 17s. (\$25.70) whichever is less,	£12 17s. (\$25.70) adjustable according to movements of basic wage (with dependants, a.w.e.).
South Australia	75 per cent. of a.w.e.	Married man with dependent wife or child under 16 years, £16 5s. (\$32.50) or a.w.e., whichever is lower. Any other workman, £11 (\$22).
Western Australia	,	Male on or above basic wage, £10 18s. (\$21.80) with no dependants. (With dependants, £15 6a. [\$30.60] or a.w.c., whichever is lower.) Formale on or above female basic wage £7 9s. (\$14.90) with no depend- ants. (With dependants, £11 2s. [\$22.20] or a.w.e whichever is lower.) Male or female below basic wage, such sum as bears to £10 18s. (\$21.80) or £7 9s. (\$14.90) respectively, the ratio which his or her a.w.c. bear to the basic wage at the date of accident (with no dependants). (With dependants the maximum is the a.w.c.)
Tesmania		<ul> <li>(a) Where a.w.e. not more than the basic wage + 20 per cent.—85 per cent. of a.w.e.</li> <li>(b) Where a.w.e. more than the basic wage + 20 per cent. but not more than the basic wage + 36 per cent.—the amount of the basic wage + 2 per cent.</li> <li>(c) where a.w.e. more than the basic wage + 36 per cent.—75 per cent. of a.w.e.</li> </ul>
Commonwealth of Australia	·····	Ell 11s. (\$23.10) (£8 13s. 3d. [\$17.32] if a minor not receiving adult rate of pay) plus allowances for dependants: or a sum equal to the pay of the employee at the time of the injury or of the rate of pay of an employee of the same class as sub- sequently varied by competent authority or following upon a variation in the cost of living: whichever is the less. In all cases plus the cost of medical treatment.
Northern Territory		£10 (\$20) during period of incapacity.
Australian Capital Territory		Same as Commonwealth of Australia (above).

Note -a.w.e. = average weekly carnings.

# IN AUSTRALIA (AS AT 31ST DECEMBER, 1964)-continued.

### in case of Total Disablement.

Minimum Wockly Payment.	Weekly Payments in respect of Dependants.	Total Liability.
Aduit male, £8 (\$16). Adults whose a.w.e. are less than £10 10s. (\$21),100 per cent. of a.w.e. but not exceeding £8 (\$16). Minors whose u.w.e. are less than £7 5s. (\$14.50), 100 per cent. of a.w.e. but not exceeding £5 10s. (\$11).	£3 3s. (\$6.30) for wife or adult de- pendant, plus £1 5s. (\$2.50) per child (including children to whom worker stands in loco parentis), subject to prescribed maximum.	Unlimited.
Same as for maximum	£2 8s. (\$4.80) for wife or relative caring for his children if wife or relative is wholly or mainly de- pendent upon him, plus 16s. (\$1.60) per child under 16 years of age, subject to prescribed maximum.	£2,800 (\$5,600) except in cases of (a) permanent and total dis- ablement, or (b) permanent and partial disablement of major degree
Adult worker £5 (\$10), unless in receipt of an Age, invalid or Widow's Pension under Social Service Act 1947-1964, when a flat rate of £3 10s. (\$7) is pay- able.*	231% of the existing male basic wage per week for wife, plus 71% of the existing male basic wage per week for each child and step-child under 16, or if 16 or over but under the age of 21 and in receipt of full-time edu- cation at a school, college, uni- versity, etc., who is totally or mainly dependent. Total week- ly compensation shall not ex- ceed injured workers a.w.e.*	£3,925 (\$7,830).*
E6 (\$12) except for workman under 21 with no dependants whose a.w.e. are less than £6 (\$12) where minimum payment is a.w.e.	£4 10s. (\$9) for dependent wife and £1 15s. (\$3.50) each child under 16 years of age.	£3,500 (\$7,000).
£4 19s. (\$9.50), or 100 per cent. of a.w.e. whichever is lower	£2 19s. (\$5.90) for dependent wife, £1 5s. (\$2.50) each dependent child or dependent stepchild under 16 years of age.	£3,500 (\$7,000).
Same as for maximum	17 per cent. of weekly basic wage for wife or any relative standing in loco parentis to the children of the worker. 9 per cent, of weekly basic wage for each child under 16, or under 21 and receiving full-time education.	816 times the weekly basic wage.
Same as for maximum	£2 14s. 6d. (\$5.45) for (a) depend- dent wife; or (b) female over 16 years, who is wholly or mainly dependent on the employee and who at the date of injury was a member of the employee's family or was caring for a child under sixteen years who is mainly dependent on the em- ployee; plus £1 2s. 6d. (\$2.25) per dependent child, subject to maximum of weekly pay at date of injury.	£4,300 (58,600) except in respect of total and permanent in- capacity, when liability un- lumited.
Same as for maximum	£2 10s. (\$5) for wife or dependent female over 16 years in special circumstances. £1 2s. 6d. (\$2.25) for each dependent child under 16 years of age.	£3,000 (\$6,000), excluding cost of medical, surgical and hospital treatment and ambulance ser- vice. This does not limit com- pensation in case of death or total and permanent incapacity.

Same as Commonwealth of Australia (above).

Nore.-a.w.e. = average weekly carnings,

\* From 1964, amounts vary automatically with changes in basic wage.

# CONSPECTUS OF WORKERS' COMPENSATION LAWS

	De	ath Payments.	
Stale, etc.	Maximum (excluding Payments for Dependent Children).	Minimum.	Additional Provision for Dependent Children.
New South Wales	£4 300 (\$8,600). Deduction of lump sum or weekly payments made before death from death benefit is not permitted. Maximum funeral expenses when workman leaves no dependants are £80 (\$160).		£2 3s. (\$4.30) per week for each dependent child under 16 years of age until death or age 16, whichever is the earlier.
Victoria	£2,240 (\$4,480) (excluding pay- ments for total incapacity, if any, gaid prior to death).		£80 (\$160) for each dependent child under 16 years of age.
Queensland	£3,600 (\$7,200), to any depend- ants, wholly dependent.*	£3,600 (\$7,200) total dependants; £550 (\$1,100) to £595 (\$1,190) partial dependants; £440 (\$5800 to £475 (\$950) death of worker under 21 years of age, who leaves no dependants but is survived by either or both parents resident in Queensland.*	£125 (\$250) for each child or stepchild under 16 years of age, or if 16 or over, but under the age of 21, and in receipt of a full-time education at a school, college, university, etc., who was totally or mainly dependent at time of death (provided widow survives, other- wise maximum).*
South Australia	Four years' earnings, maximum £3,250 (\$6,500), plus burial expenses not exceeding £100 (\$200) (excluding weekly pay- ments for partial or total incapacity, if any, paid prior to death).	£1,100 (\$2,200), plus payment for depend- ent children.	£110 (\$220) for each de- pendent child under 16 years of age.
Western Australia	£3,500 (\$7,000).	£988 (\$1,976) for a wholly dependent widow, mother, child or sterchild under 16 years of age only, plus £93 (\$186) for each dependent child.	£100 (\$200) for each dependent child or stepchild under 16 years of age not being an ex-nuptial child.
Tasmania	284 times the weekly basic wags (at present £4,459 (\$8,918)).		7 times the weekly basic wage (at prevent £110 [\$220) for each de- pendent child under 16 years of age).
Commonwealth of Australia	£4,300 (\$8,600)	Proportionate payment for partial depend- ency.	Weekly payments of £1 2s. 6d. (\$2.25) in respect of each de- pendent child under the age of 16 years (ceasing on the child attaining 16 years, marrying or dying, whichever event occurs first). If the aggregate amount of weekly payments in respect of each child is less than £100 (\$200) an edditional amount of compensa- tion is payable equal to the difference between that aggre- gate amount and £100 (\$200).
Northern Terri- tory	£3,000 (\$5,000), plus up to £60 (\$120) funeral expenses.	,	£100 (\$200) for each de- pendent child under 16 years of age.

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# IN AUSTRALIA (AS AT 31ST DECEMBER, 1964)—continued.

Provisions for Lump Sum Payment tor Scheduled Injuries.	Special Provisions regarding Compensation for Aged and Injured Workers.	Insurance.
Yes. No deduction in respect of we-kly payments is permitted.	No	Compulsory and competitive.
Yes (excluding payments made on account of period of illness resulting from injury).	No	Compulsory and competitive.
Yes.	No. except provision for minimum disablement payments.	Compulsory with Queensland State Government Insurance Office.
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Yes.	No.	Compulsory and competitive.
 Yes.	No.	Compulsory and competitive.
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Yes. This is in addition to previous weekly payments.	No.	Compulsory (unless exempted by the Administrator) and competitive.

# CONSPECTUS OF WORKERS' COMPENSATION LAWS

	Death Payments.			
State, etc.	Maximum (excluding Payments for Dependent Children).	Minimum.	Additional Provision for Dependent Children.	
Australian Capi- tal Territory	£3,000 (\$6,000), plus the cost of medical treatment. Any amount, by way of weekly payments, paid or payable before the death of the work- man in respect of his total or partial incapacity for work shall be disregarded, but any additional lump sum payment shall be deducted, provided the £3,000 (\$6,000) is not re- duced to less than £400 (\$800).	Same as for maximum,	£100 (\$200) for each de- pendent child under 16 years of age.	

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Stato, etc.	Government Insurance Office.	Compensation payable in respect of injuries received whilst traveling to or from work.
New South Wales	Yes, competitive.	Same as for injury arising out of or in course of employment.
Victoria	Yes, competitive.	Yes.
Queensland	Yes, monopoly.	As for other injuries.
South Australia	No. except for employees of South Australian Govern- ment.	Only if being conveyed by employer's transport or travelling to a trade, technical or other school for training or (for an apprenice) if on a journey between his place of residence, or work, and trade school if required to attend in accordance with arrangements made with his employer.
Western Australia	Yes. Competitive, except in mining operations.	Yes.
Tasmadia	Yes, competitive.	Yes, if travelling to work from place of residence, or between place of residence and a trade, technical or other training school. Cover is also provided while a worker is travelling between his place of residence and his place of employment, provided he is travelling in a vehicle belonging to, hired by or used under contract with his employer for the conveyance of workers to and from their places of employment.
Commonwealth of Australia	No.	Yes but liability restricted to travel to or from employment as distuict from place of employment.
Northern Territory	No.	Yes.
Australian Capital Territory	No.	Yes.

## WORKERS' COMPENSATION LEGISLATION.

## IN AUSTRALIA (AS AT 31ST DECEMBER, 1964)-continued.

Provisions for Lump Sum Payment for Scheduled Injuries.	Special Provisions regarding Compensation for Aged and Injured Workers.	Insurance.
Yes. Such payment is not subject to deduction in respect of any amount previously paid by way of a weekly payment.	Νσ.	Compulsory (unless exempted by the Minister) and com- petitive.

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Maximum Wockly Payments.	Total Liebility.	Maximum Weekly Payments.	Total Liability.	
Special scheme with benefits as for other injuries.	Special scheme with benefits as for other injuries.	As for other injuries.	As for other injuries.	
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£7 (\$14).*	Compensation is payable to a sufferer during his lifetime. On death weekly payments to wndow convinue until total of £3,600 (\$7,200) paid. Mini- mum aggregate pay- ment to widow, £710 (\$1,420); maximum weekly payment to widow, £5 (\$10).*	As for other injuries.	As for other injuries	
Workmen's Compensa- sation (Silicosis) Scheme. As for other injuries.	As for other injuries,	As for other injuries.	As for other injuries.	
As for other injuries.	As for other injuries.	As for other injuries.	As for other injuries.	
Workers' (Occupational Diseases) Relief Fund Act 1934. Unmarried, £10 (\$20); married, £12 10s. (\$25); each child under 16 years, £1 4s. 6d. (\$2.45)	£4,000 (\$8,000).	As for silicosis.	£4,000 (\$8,000).	
As for other injuries,	As for other injuries.	As for other injuries.	As for other injuries.	
As for other injuries,	As for other injuries.	As for other injuries.	As for other injuries.	
As for other injuries.	As for other injuries.	As for other injuries.	As for other injuries.	

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