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## **PREFACE**

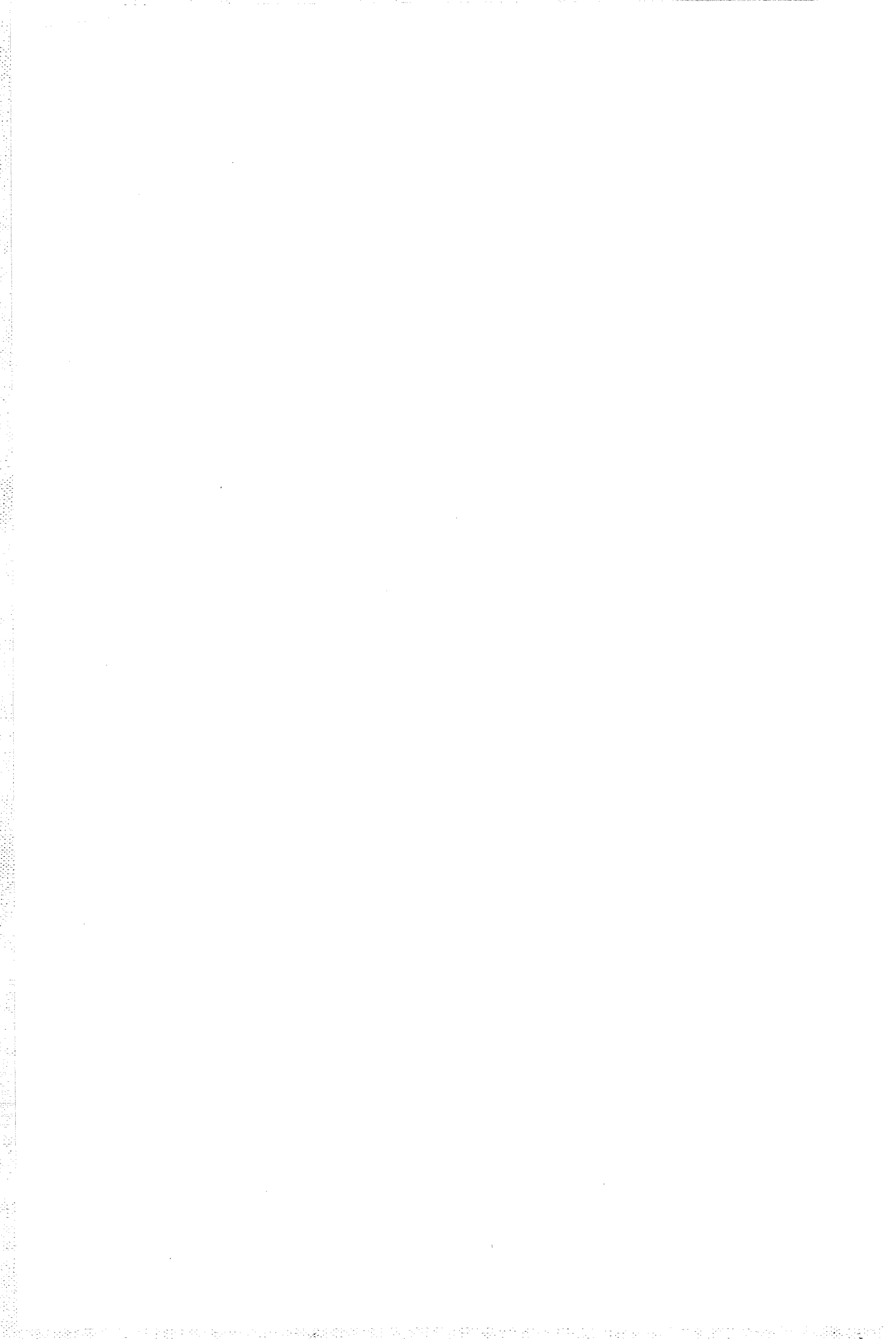
Final results from the 1971 Census of Population and Housing are being released in a series of 14 bulletins covering single and cross-classified characteristics of population and dwellings.

It should be recognised that in processing census data for 13 million persons and 4.5 million households there are innumerable possibilities for error. As in other areas of statistics, much of the effort of statisticians is directed to devising procedures which prevent most errors from occurring or which detect and eliminate those which do occur. Despite such efforts, it is impracticable to eliminate every inaccuracy but special steps such as editing and quality control procedures are taken to measure and control the level of such inaccuracy. Thus while some minor errors and discrepancies may be evident in the final results, it is unlikely that they would have any practical significance in the interpretation of the Census data.

A large number of tabulations are being produced for the 1971 Census which, because of their size and complexity, will not be published. In some cases, classifications of characteristics will be available at a finer level than those published in the Bulletins. A complete list of the tabulations produced (published and unpublished) and the levels of classification available will be published in the Catalogue of 1971 Census Tabulations (Bulletin 14). For information on the more detailed classifications and the availability of unpublished tabulations please contact the office of the Bureau of Census and Statistics in each State capital city or in Canberra.

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## INTRODUCTION

### Publications

The publication programme for the 1971 Census of Population and Housing comprises a series of 14 Bulletins; the title and content of each are as follows :

#### Bulletin 1. *Summary of Population*

Single characteristics : age, marital status, birthplace, period of residence, nationality, usual major activity, 1966 residence, religion, level of schooling, educational institution, qualifications, occupational status, occupation, industry.

#### Bulletin 2. *Summary of Dwellings*

Class of dwelling cross-classified by : number of rooms, number of bedrooms, nature of occupancy, electricity and gas, bathroom and kitchen facilities, sewage disposal, inmates by number of rooms, inmates by number of bedrooms.

#### Bulletin 3. *Demographic Characteristics*

Age and marital status cross-classified by : usual major activity, employment status, birthplace of parents, birthplace, nationality.

#### Bulletin 4. *Birthplace*

Country of birth cross-classified by : age, marital status, nationality, period of residence, level of schooling, qualifications, occupational status, occupation, industry.

#### Bulletin 5. *The Labour Force*

Employment status cross-classified by age and marital status. Occupation cross-classified by : occupational status, age, birthplace, qualifications. Industry cross-classified by : occupational status, age, birthplace, qualifications.

#### Bulletin 6. *Population and Dwellings in Local Government Areas and Urban Centres*

#### Bulletin 7. *Characteristics of the Population and Dwellings – Local Government Areas*

Single characteristics : age, religion, marital status, nationality, birthplace, period of residence, 1966 residence, usual residence, usual major activity, level of schooling, qualifications, occupational status, industry, occupation, class of dwelling, rent, reason unoccupied, number of rooms and bedrooms, nature of occupancy, facilities, sewage disposal, motor vehicles, material of outer walls.

#### Bulletin 8. *Characteristics of the Population and Dwellings – Commonwealth Electoral Divisions*

The topics in this Bulletin are identical to those in Bulletin 7.

#### Bulletin 9. *The Aboriginal Population*

Characteristics of the Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander population.

#### Bulletin 10. *Families and Households*

#### Bulletin 11. *Fertility*

#### Bulletin 12. *Geographic Distribution*

#### Bulletin 13. *Maps*

Each State, showing Local Government Areas and Statistical Divisions plus maps of principal urban centres.

#### Bulletin 14. *Catalogue of 1971 Census Tabulations*

Index of all tabulations, published and unpublished, produced from the 1971 Census.

Bulletins 1-6 consist of a series of separate parts for each State and Territory and one for Australia. In Bulletin 6 the Northern Territory part is combined with that of the Australian Capital Territory. There is no Australian part to Bulletin 7 and Bulletins 8-14 consist only of one part.

Each publication can be identified by a number and colour code system as follows :

<i>Bulletin Number</i>	<i>Title</i>	<i>Cover Colour</i>
1	Summary of Population	Yellow Green
2	Summary of Dwellings	Light Brown
3	Demographic Characteristics	Pink
4	Birthplace	Light Purple
5	The Labour Force	Light Blue
6	Population and Dwellings in Local Government Areas and Urban Centres	Light Green
7	Characteristics of the Population and Dwellings – Local Government Areas	Grey
8	Characteristics of the Population and Dwellings – Commonwealth Electoral Divisions	Dark Grey
9	The Aboriginal Population	Dark Green
10	Families and Households	Dark Purple
11	Fertility	Dark Brown
12	Geographic Distribution	Dark Blue
13	Maps	Olive Green
14	Catalogue of 1971 Census Tabulations	Dark Red

<i>Geographic Area</i>	<i>Part Number</i>	<i>Horizontal Band Colour</i>
New South Wales	1	Blue
Victoria	2	Orange
Queensland	3	Maroon
South Australia	4	Red
Western Australia	5	Black
Tasmania	6	Green
Northern Territory	7	Brown
Australian Capital Territory	8	Purple
Australia	9	Gold

As an illustration of the colour code system, all 'Summary of Dwellings' bulletins have light brown covers with a horizontal band varying in colour according to the State.

#### Coverage

In conformity with the 1967 repeal of Section 127 of the Constitution, 1971 Census statistics include Aborigines. In order to provide comparability between the 1971 and 1966 Censuses, tables showing 1966 data have been amended to include Aborigines or their dwellings and therefore differ from the 1966 tables previously published.

Persons with diplomatic immunity (diplomatic and home-based staff of diplomatic missions, and their families) are excluded from the Census. Dwellings occupied by persons with diplomatic immunity are also excluded.

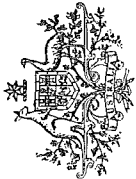
(NOTE. Any discrepancies between totals and sums of components in percentages in tables are due to rounding.)



**CONFIDENTIAL**

Any Census Officer or occupier of a dwelling disclosing any particulars from a Census Form liable to a penalty of \$100

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State	N.S.W.
Div.	30
S. Div.	
C.D.	
Rec. No.	

# A FEW FACTS ABOUT THE CENSUS

*At the Census everybody in Australia contributes to Australia's knowledge about itself*

**YOUR FORM IS ABSOLUTELY CONFIDENTIAL.** The LAW prevents anyone but the Commonwealth Statistician and his officers from seeing your return. OTHER PERSONS OR GOVERNMENT DEPARTMENTS CANNOT see your return for any purpose whatsoever.

**THE STATISTICS ARE ESSENTIAL TO PEOPLE WORKING ON SUCH NATIONAL PROBLEMS AS:**

- HOUSING NEEDS
- BETTER LIVING STANDARDS
- EDUCATION (SCHOOLS, TEACHERS, ETC.)
- WELFARE OF THE AGED, WIDOWS, ABORIGINES, MIGRANTS, ETC.
- CITY GROWTH, TRAFFIC PROBLEMS, ROADS
- SEWERAGE, WATER AND POWER SUPPLY
- EMPLOYMENT, UNEMPLOYMENT, VOCATIONAL TRAINING
- DECENTRALISATION, RURAL DEPOPULATION, LOCATION OF INDUSTRY

**MOST CENSUS INFORMATION CANNOT BE OBTAINED IN ANY OTHER WAY.** The great value of the Census is that all the information about everybody is obtained at the one time. This means that it can be added together and cross-tabulated to give a very detailed statistical picture of AUSTRALIA at a single point in time. Without you the picture would be incomplete.

**THE STATISTICS ARE AVAILABLE TO YOU.** All the statistical tables which are compiled from the Census serve important Governmental purposes, but they are also available to private individuals, the business community and researchers.

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If this dwelling is unoccupied indicate—

- (Refer to sketches and descriptions on page 2)
- 1  Separate house
  - 2  Semi-detached house
  - 3  Attached house
  - 4  Terrace or row house
  - 5  Villa unit or town house
  - 6  Self-contained flat
  - 7  Non self-contained flat
  - 8  Caravan, houseboat
  - 9  Other (describe)
  - X  Other (describe)

2. The reason for being unoccupied—

- 1  For sale
- 2  To let (other than holiday home)
- 3  Newly completed and awaiting occupancy
- 4  Vacant for repairs or alterations
- 5  Holiday home
- 6  Condemned or demolition
- 7  Usual residents temporarily absent
- 8  Other (describe)

Signature of Collector

Signature of Householder  
Street, etc.  
City, town or village

Date

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# CENSUS OF POPULATION AND HOUSING AUSTRALIA

## 30 June 1971

### HOUSEHOLDER'S SCHEDULE

Under the provisions of the *Census and Statistics Act 1905-1966* you are required to fill in this form to the best of your knowledge and belief. However, there is no penalty for omitting information on a person's religious denomination.

The information supplied in this form is **CONFIDENTIAL**. The Act provides that it cannot be seen by any persons other than officers of the Bureau of Census and Statistics. It will be used only for obtaining totals for statistical purposes.

The completed schedule should be ready to hand to the Census Collector who will call on **THURSDAY 1 JULY** or as soon as possible after that day.

I certify that to the best of my knowledge and belief this form has been correctly filled in.

List in Column ① all persons (including visitors) who spent the night of **Wednesday 30 June** in this household (or returned on **Thursday 1 July** without having been counted elsewhere), and then fill in Columns ② to ⑥ for each person.

### HOW TO FILL IN THIS FORM

After you have read the instructions:

- **Step 1:** Lift this flap and fill in page 1 for all persons who spent the night of Wednesday 30 June in this household.
- **Step 2:** Give particulars of this dwelling on pages 2 and 3.
- **Step 3:** Complete a double page of personal particulars for each person listed on page 1.
- **Step 4:** Sign the form on the front page.

### INSTRUCTIONS

1. **FILL IN A SEPARATE FORM FOR EACH HOUSEHOLD.**  
A household is a domestic group living and eating together. A person living alone is also a household.
2. **IF THERE IS MORE THAN ONE HOUSEHOLD OBTAIN EXTRA FORMS FROM THE CENSUS COLLECTOR WHEN HE RETURNS.**
3. **THIS BOOKLET HAS PAGES FOR 8 PERSONS. IF THERE ARE MORE THAN 8 PERSONS IN THE HOUSEHOLD OBTAIN PERSONAL SLIPS FOR THESE EXTRA PERSONS FROM THE CENSUS COLLECTOR WHEN HE RETURNS.**
4. **IF ANY PERSON IN THE HOUSEHOLD, SUCH AS A VISITOR OR BOARDER, PREFERS TO FILL IN A SEPARATE FORM TO MAINTAIN PRIVACY, ASK THE COLLECTOR FOR A 'PERSONAL SLIP' AND AN ENVELOPE.** The 'Personal Slip' should be filled in and sealed in the envelope by the person concerned, for delivery by you unopened to the Census Collector with this schedule.
5. **FOR ANY PERSON WHO COMPLETES A PERSONAL SLIP, ENTER ON PAGE 1 OF THIS SCHEDULE THE NAME, RELATIONSHIP AND SEX OF THE PERSON AND WRITE 'P.S.' IN THE AGE COLUMN.**
6. Not all questions have to be answered by everybody. Read each question carefully, give your answer, then follow the directions to the next question which applies. Most questions can be answered simply by placing a tick in the appropriate box, e.g.
 

Yes	<input type="checkbox"/>	No	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
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7. If you do not know the exact answer to a question, give the best estimate you can.
8. Please use ink or ball point pen.
9. The completed schedule should be ready to hand to the Census Collector who will call on **THURSDAY 1 JULY** or as soon as possible after that day.
10. If you need any help with this form, telephone the Divisional Returning Officer for your Commonwealth Electoral Division, or ask the Census Collector when he returns.

Column ①	Column ②	Column ③	Column ④	Column ⑤	Column ⑥
First Name and Surname List LAST any persons in this household who have completed Personal Slip 5 on (See page 5 on previous page). For unnamed baby write 'BABY' and surname.	Relationship to head of household For example: head, mother, wife, daughter, son, brother, sister, grandchild, visitor, boarder, co-tenant etc.	Sex	Age (in years and completed months)	Present Marital Status	Is this person a usual resident of this dwelling? <small>NOTE: A 'usual' resident is any person who has lived here for the last 6 months, or who will be spending 6 months or more during 1971 in this dwelling, however and who has no usual place of residence.</small>
1 First name Surname		<input type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female	Years   Mths	<input type="checkbox"/> Never married <input type="checkbox"/> Divorced <input type="checkbox"/> Now married <input type="checkbox"/> Widowed <input type="checkbox"/> Married but permanently separated	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No > Give State, Territory or Country of usual residence
2 First name Surname		<input type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female		<input type="checkbox"/> Never married <input type="checkbox"/> Divorced <input type="checkbox"/> Now married <input type="checkbox"/> Widowed <input type="checkbox"/> Married but permanently separated	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No > Give State, Territory or Country of usual residence
3 First name Surname		<input type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female		<input type="checkbox"/> Never married <input type="checkbox"/> Divorced <input type="checkbox"/> Now married <input type="checkbox"/> Widowed <input type="checkbox"/> Married but permanently separated	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No > Give State, Territory or Country of usual residence
4 First name Surname		<input type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female		<input type="checkbox"/> Never married <input type="checkbox"/> Divorced <input type="checkbox"/> Now married <input type="checkbox"/> Widowed <input type="checkbox"/> Married but permanently separated	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No > Give State, Territory or Country of usual residence
5 First name Surname		<input type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female		<input type="checkbox"/> Never married <input type="checkbox"/> Divorced <input type="checkbox"/> Now married <input type="checkbox"/> Widowed <input type="checkbox"/> Married but permanently separated	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No > Give State, Territory or Country of usual residence
6 First name Surname		<input type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female		<input type="checkbox"/> Never married <input type="checkbox"/> Divorced <input type="checkbox"/> Now married <input type="checkbox"/> Widowed <input type="checkbox"/> Married but permanently separated	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No > Give State, Territory or Country of usual residence
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8 First name Surname		<input type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female		<input type="checkbox"/> Never married <input type="checkbox"/> Divorced <input type="checkbox"/> Now married <input type="checkbox"/> Widowed <input type="checkbox"/> Married but permanently separated	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No > Give State, Territory or Country of usual residence

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Total persons in household (i.e. listed in Column ①) and on any extra Personal Slips issued.	Males	Females	Persons
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NOW LIFT THIS FLAP AND FILL IN PAGE 1

**PARTICULARS OF THIS DWELLING**

These questions should preferably be answered by the Head of the Household. The dwelling for which particulars are sought is the house, flat, or other premises occupied solely by your household on 30 June 1971.

**D 1. Tick the box opposite the description which best describes your dwelling. The sketches and comments will help you decide which box to tick. (Tick one box only.)**

Sketch	Description	Dwelling type
	Generally a structure containing only one dwelling on its own block of land, separated by open space from other dwellings. However, if the house has only one flat attached to or incorporated in it, tick this box if you occupy the main part of the structure.	1 <input type="checkbox"/> <b>Separate House</b>
	One of a set of two houses (single or double storey) joined together and separated only by a wall extending from foundation to ceiling.	2 <input type="checkbox"/> <b>Semi-detached House</b>
	A house attached to business premises separated only by a wall extending from foundation to ceiling.	3 <input type="checkbox"/> <b>Attached House</b>
	One of a set of houses (single or multi-storey) in a row of 3 or more separated only by walls extending from foundation to ceiling. (Exclude Villa Unit or Town House—see below).	4 <input type="checkbox"/> <b>Terrace or Row House</b>
	One of a group (three or more) of single or double storey homes separate or joined together in sets of 2 or more all occupying a common block of land.	5 <input type="checkbox"/> <b>Villa Unit or Town House</b>
	(a) One of a block of rental or own-your-own flats or home units. (b) A self-contained flat in or attached to a house. (Tick this box if you live in the flat) (c) A pair of self-contained flats or home units. (d) A flat in or above business premises. (e) A self-contained flat situated on the same block of land as a house, but not attached to the house.	6 <input type="checkbox"/> <b>Self-contained Flat or Home Unit</b> (Self-contained means able to be completely closed off and with own cooking and bathing facilities.) How many Flats or Home Units are there in this building?
	A non-self-contained part of a house, flat or other premises (including room or rooms).	7 <input type="checkbox"/> <b>Non-self-contained Flat</b> (Self-contained means able to be completely closed off and with own cooking and bathing facilities.)
	Shed, tent, garage, etc. occupied on a permanent or semi-permanent basis.	8 <input type="checkbox"/> <b>Improvised Home</b>
	Mobile unit occupied on a permanent or semi-permanent basis.	9 <input type="checkbox"/> <b>Caravan, Houseboat, etc.</b>
Other		X <input type="checkbox"/> <b>Other—describe</b>

**PARTICULARS OF DWELLING**

**D2.(a) Was this dwelling built after 30 June 1956?**  
 Yes  No  → Go to question D3

**(b) In what year was this dwelling built?**

1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971
1 <input type="checkbox"/>	2 <input type="checkbox"/>	3 <input type="checkbox"/>	4 <input type="checkbox"/>	5 <input type="checkbox"/>	6 <input type="checkbox"/>

**D3. What is the material of the outer walls of this building?**  
 If more than one, give main material. (Tick one box only)

0  Brick  
 1  Brick veneer  
 2  Stone  
 3  Concrete  
 4  Timber  
 5  Metal  
 6  Fibro-cement  
 7  Other (please describe) →

**D4. How many rooms are there in your dwelling?**  
 Do not count bathrooms, toilets, pantries, laundries, storerooms, halls, or rooms used only for business purposes.  
 Count permanently enclosed sleep-outs.  
 Count a combined-purpose room, such as a living-dining, or a kitchen-dining room as one room.

1  2  3  4  5  6  7  8  or more

A room shared with another household should be counted only by the principal householder.

**D5. How many bedrooms are there in your dwelling?**  
 Include also permanently enclosed sleep-out. If one-room apartment or bed-sitting room, tick none.

None  1  2  3  4  5 or more

**D6. Does your household have the use of a bathroom?**  
 (Tick one box only)  
 Yes, for this household only  
 Yes, but used also by another household  
 No

**D7. Does your household have the use of a kitchen?**  
 (Tick one box only)  
 Yes, for this household only  
 Yes, but used also by another household  
 No

**D8. What is the method of sewage disposal for this dwelling?**

1  Flush toilet connected to public sewer  
 2  Flush toilet connected to individual system, e.g. septic tank  
 3  Sanitary pan collection  
 4  Other

**D9. Does your household have the following facilities?**  
 (Tick one box for each line)

Electricity—	Yes	No
(i) Mains	1 <input type="checkbox"/>	0 <input type="checkbox"/>
(ii) Home generated	1 <input type="checkbox"/>	0 <input type="checkbox"/>
Gas—		
(i) Mains	1 <input type="checkbox"/>	0 <input type="checkbox"/>
(ii) Bottled or L.P.	1 <input type="checkbox"/>	0 <input type="checkbox"/>
Television set	1 <input type="checkbox"/>	0 <input type="checkbox"/>

**D10. Is this dwelling owned (or being purchased) by you or any usual member of your household?**  
 Yes  No  → Go to question D12

**D11.(a) Do you or any usual member of your household pay rent for this dwelling?**  
 Yes  No  → Go to question D12

(b) To whom is this rent paid?  
 1  Housing Commission of N.S.W.  
 2  Employer  
 3  Other landlord

(c) Is this dwelling rented furnished or unfurnished?  
 1  Furnished  
 0  Unfurnished

(d) What is the weekly rent?  
 Include the weekly equivalent of any rates payable separately by this household: e.g. sanitation, garbage, water rates (other than excess water), etc.

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**D12.(a) Is this dwelling situated on a holding of one acre or more which is used principally for agricultural or pastoral purposes?** (i.e. for any type of crop growing, animal or poultry farming)  
 Yes  No  → Go to question D13

(b) Is this dwelling less than one mile from the nearest Post Office?  
 Yes  No  → Go to question D13

(c) What is the name of that Post Office?  
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**D13. Excluding this dwelling, how many dwellings (other than caravans or houseboats) are there in the household in which you or they live sometimes during each year (e.g. for holidays)?**  
 (Tick one box only)

None  1  2  3 or more

**D14. How many motor vehicles owned or driven by members of your household were garaged or parked at or near this dwelling for the night of Wednesday 30 June 1971?**  
 Exclude motor cycles, scooters, tractors.  
 Include company vehicles kept at home.

None  1  2  3  4 or more



## EXPLANATORY NOTES

### The Householder's Schedule

The Householder's Schedule used for the 1971 Census of Population and Housing represents a major departure in design from that used at the 1966 and earlier Censuses. The single large sheet used previously, with provision for a maximum of 8 persons, was replaced by a booklet-type Schedule with extensive use of the tick-box type question. In this schedule (a facsimile of which appears on pages ix to xii), the first page (page 1) provided for a list of persons in the dwelling, pages 2 and 3 contained questions relating to the dwelling, while the remaining 16 pages provided for two pages of questions to be completed in respect of each person listed on page 1.

The ordering of the questions was designed to minimise the number of questions to be answered by any one person. For persons under 5 years of age a maximum of 12 questions required an answer and 15 questions applied to those under 15 years. Males were not required to answer questions on issue and duration of marriage (Question 11) and only employed persons completed details of hours worked, occupational status, industry and occupation (Questions 15-18).

### Definition of dwelling

An occupied dwelling is defined as any habitation occupied on Census night by a household group and may comprise the whole or only a part of a building. A household group is a person or group of persons living and eating together. The number of occupied dwellings and the number of households are therefore identical.

An unoccupied dwelling is defined as a structure built specifically for private living purposes and which is habitable, though unoccupied at the time of the Census.

Non-private dwellings are those dwellings which provide group-accommodation such as hotels, motels, hostels, and staff quarters and institutions such as hospitals, nursing homes, prisons, boarding schools, etc., and which were occupied on Census night. For such dwellings no details of the characteristics other than class of dwelling were sought.

Persons who on Census night were camping out, travelling on board ships in Australian waters or between two Australian ports, or who were enumerated on long distance trains, buses or aircraft were not regarded as living in a dwelling for census purposes and are shown under 'campers-out' and 'migratory' in Table 2. Persons classified as campers out include those living *temporarily* in tents, caravans or houseboats or who were camped out on Census night. Tents, huts, caravans and houseboats which were being used to provide semi-permanent accommodation were classified as dwellings.

### Geographic distribution

'Major urban' denotes all urban centres with a population of 100,000 or more. The population and dwellings in all other urban centres below this size are included under 'other urban'. The balance of the State or Territory other than migratory (*see above*) is classified as rural.

The criteria used for delimiting urban centres at the 1971 Census, as determined by the Thirty-first Conference of Statisticians, October 1969, were as follows :

1. At each Census of Population and Housing a boundary shall be defined in accordance with these Resolutions for each population cluster of 1,000 or more population (and for known holiday resorts of less population if they contain 250 or more dwellings of which at least 100 are occupied). These clusters shall be named 'urban centres' and the population and dwellings enumerated in them shall be classified as urban for statistical purposes.
2. Around each urban centre with a population of at least 100,000, a further boundary shall be defined after consultation with planners, to contain the anticipated development of the urban centre and associated smaller urban centres for a period of at least twenty years. Such a boundary should delimit an area which is now, or is expected to be, socially and economically oriented towards the urban centre. It shall consist of complete Local Government Areas if possible. This fixed boundary (as distinct from the urban boundary which is moving) will delimit an area which, for general statistical purposes, is free from the practical problems imposed by the moving boundary, but which nevertheless represents the city in a wider sense.

3. In delimiting urban centres with 25,000 or more population :

- (a) All contiguous Census Collector's Districts which have a population density of 500 or more persons per square mile shall be included. Consequently, State, Statistical Division, Local Government Area and other administrative boundaries shall be disregarded;
- (b) A Collector's District which is known to contain a high proportion of holiday homes shall be classified as urban if the dwelling density is 125 dwellings per square mile or greater;
- (c) A Collector's District consisting mainly of land used for factories, airports, small sports areas, cemeteries, hostels, institutions, prisons, military camps or certain research stations shall be classified as urban if contiguous with Collector's Districts which are themselves urban;
- (d) Any Collector's District which consists mainly of land used for large sporting areas, large parks, explosives handling and munitions areas, or holding yards associated with meatworks and abattoirs shall be classified as urban only if it is bordered on three sides by Collector's Districts which are themselves urban;
- (e) Any area which is completely surrounded by Collector's Districts which are urban must itself be classified as urban;
- (f) Where an urban centre of 25,000 or more population is separated from another urban centre by a gap in actual development of less than two miles (by the shortest rail or road distance), the gap shall be bridged by classifying a connecting Collector's District or Districts as urban, and therefore treating the urban centres as one; if the gap is two or more miles (and whether or not it is comprised mainly of reserved land or a natural barrier) the urban centres shall remain separate;
- (g) Any area included in an urban centre in 1971 or thereafter under the provisions of this Resolution shall continue to be so included unless the population of the urban centre falls below 25,000, in which case this Resolution will cease to apply;
- (h) Large peripheral Collector's Districts in growth areas shall be fragmented; and so far as the availability of visible boundary features allows, the fragments so created shall be as near square-shaped as possible and of such a size that they will contain a collector's workload when fully developed. For the purposes of delimiting urban centres such fragments shall be regarded as Collector's Districts.

4. In delimiting urban centres with less than 25,000 population :

- (a) The urban centres shall be delimited subjectively (by the inspection of aerial photographs, by field inspection and/or by consideration of any other information that is available);
- (b) All continuous urban growth is to be included (which in small urban centres would not necessarily occur if the density criterion were applied), together with any close but non-contiguous development which could be clearly regarded as part of the centre. However, cognisance shall be taken of Resolution 3, where appropriate, particularly in urban centres which are approaching a population of 25,000.

In the following notes on the individual topics appearing in this bulletin, reference to the specific question in the Householder's Schedule appears in parentheses.

**Class of dwelling (Question D1, page 2 of Schedule)**

For the 1971 Census the question on the Schedule was expanded by means of illustrations and descriptions to assist householders in assigning their dwelling to an appropriate dwelling type. This was particularly necessary to enable identification of villa units, an important type of medium-density dwelling which has become common in Australian cities since the 1966 Census. The terms used to describe this type of dwelling vary over Australia and the Census Schedule used in each State and Territory was varied appropriately. The term 'villa unit' used in this bulletin covers dwellings described variously as villa unit, town house, cottage unit, villa development, cottage flats.

'Private houses' comprise dwelling types 1 to 4 on the Schedule and 'other private' include dwelling types 7, 8 and 9.

In cases where the question was not answered a class was allocated on the basis of other information on the Schedule and answers given for adjacent dwellings.

**Number of rooms** (Question D4, page 3 of Schedule)

For census purposes 'rooms' exclude bathrooms, toilets, pantries, laundries, storerooms, halls and rooms used only for business purposes, but include permanently enclosed sleep-outs. Combined-purpose rooms such as a living-dining room were treated as one room.

When no answer had been given to this question a number was allocated on the basis of the answer given for the geographically nearest dwelling of the same class, except in the case of improvised homes, caravans, houseboats, etc. when a number was allocated from a table of random numbers based on the distribution of the number of rooms, recorded in those types of dwelling at the 1966 Census.

**Number of bedrooms** (Question D5, page 3 of Schedule)

**Nature of occupancy** (Questions D10 and D11(a)(b), page 3 of Schedule)

At the 1966 Census 'tenant of employer' was combined with 'tenant other'. With the separate identification of 'tenant of employer' in 1971, data for 'tenant other' is not comparable between the two Censuses.

**Material of outer walls** (Question D3, page 3 of Schedule)

At the 1966 and 1971 Censuses cases where no answer was given were allocated a material based on the answer given for the geographically nearest dwelling of the same class.

**Gas, electricity and television facilities** (Question D9, page 3 of Schedule)

**Number of motor vehicles** (Question D14, page 3 of Schedule)

**Bathroom and kitchen facilities** (Questions D6 and D7, page 3 of Schedule)

**Sewage disposal** (Question D8, page 3 of Schedule)

**Number of flats in block** (Question D1(b), page 2 of Schedule)

**Number of homes** (Question D13, page 3 of Schedule)

**Unoccupied dwellings** (back page of Schedule)

For dwellings not occupied on the night of the Census, collectors were required to indicate on the schedule the class of dwelling and, as far as they could determine it, the basic reason why the dwelling was unoccupied.

NOTE. In these computer-generated tables some abbreviations have been used in order to present the data in the space available. Examples of these are :

NEC	not elsewhere classified	REL	related
PHYS	physical	STAT	stationary
PROD	production		

TABLE 1. CLASS OF DWELLING, NUMBERS AND PERCENTAGE DISTRIBUTION, URBAN AND RURAL, CENSUSES 1966 AND 1971

NEW SOUTH WALES,

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CLASS OF DWELLING	CENSUS 30 JUNE 1966		CENSUS 30 JUNE 1971			TOTAL	PROPORTION OF TOTAL OCCUPIED DWELLINGS	INCREASE OR DECREASE
	TOTAL	PROPORTION OF TOTAL OCCUPIED DWELLINGS	MAJOR URBAN	OTHER URBAN	RURAL			
OCCUPIED DWELLINGS -								
PRIVATE DWELLINGS -								
PRIVATE HOUSE	961392	80.8	720161	231491	134708	1086360	79.6	124968
VILLA UNIT	N.A.	N.A.	4927	896	172	5995	0.4	N.A.
SELF-CONTAINED FLAT	164405	13.8	212176	21588	1785	225549	16.5	61144
OTHER PRIVATE DWELLINGS	52796	4.4	27824	5345	5468	38629	2.8	-14161
TOTAL PRIVATE DWELLINGS	1178587	99.0	955088	259320	142125	1356533	99.4	177946
NON-PRIVATE DWELLINGS	11423	1.0	4142	2531	1336	8009	0.6	-3414
TOTAL OCCUPIED DWELLINGS	1190010	100.0	999230	261851	143461	1364542	100.0	174532
UNOCCUPIED DWELLINGS	101546		57706	38019	28797	124522		22976

TABLE 2. NUMBER OF INMATES BY CLASS OF DWELLING, PERCENTAGE DISTRIBUTION, URBAN AND RURAL, CENSUSES 1966 AND 1971

NEW SOUTH WALES,

PERSONS ENUMERATED IN FOLLOWING CLASSES OF DWELLING -	CENSUS 30 JUNE 1966		CENSUS 30 JUNE 1971			TOTAL	PROPORTION OF TOTAL POPULATION	INCREASE OR DECREASE
	TOTAL	PROPORTION OF TOTAL POPULATION	MAJOR URBAN	OTHER URBAN	RURAL			
PRIVATE DWELLINGS -								
PRIVATE HOUSE	3496582	82.5	2533443	777462	478988	3789893	82.4	293331
VILLA UNIT	N.A.	N.A.	10992	2060	598	13650	0.3	N.A.
SELF-CONTAINED FLAT	399738	9.4	465234	51467	4647	520348	11.3	120610
OTHER PRIVATE DWELLINGS	118367	2.8	49624	12428	13851	75899	1.6	-42468
TOTAL PRIVATE DWELLINGS	4014667	94.7	3059289	842417	498084	4399790	95.6	365123
NON-PRIVATE DWELLINGS	211005	5.0	117588	54958	22121	194667	4.2	-16338
CAMPERS-OUT	3169	0.1	103	225	436	764	0.0	-2405
MIGRATORY	9060	0.2	0	0	0	5959	0.1	-3101
TOTAL POPULATION	4237901	100.0	3176980	897600	520641	4601180	100.0	363279

TABLE 3. CLASS OF OCCUPIED PRIVATE DWELLING BY NUMBER OF ROOMS, NEW SOUTH WALES,

NEW SOUTH WALES,

CENSUSES 1966 AND 1971

NUMBER OF ROOMS	CLASS OF DWELLING					TOTAL
	PRIVATE HOUSE	VILLA UNIT	SELF-CONTAINED FLAT	OTHER PRIVATE		
CENSUS 30 JUNE 1966						
1 ROOM	700	N.A.	3603	16520		20820
2 ROOMS	6118	N.A.	23935	16643		46666
3 ROOMS	26603	N.A.	42207	9494		78304
4 ROOMS	145389	N.A.	54932	4567		204948
5 ROOMS	330608	N.A.	25274	2571		358453
6 ROOMS	263500	N.A.	9559	1530		274589
7 ROOMS	120619	N.A.	3032	776		124427
8 ROOMS						
AND OVER	67355	N.A.	1843	689		70384
TOTAL	961392	N.A.	164435	52790		1178587
AVERAGE NUMBER OF ROOMS PER DWELLING	5.6	N.A.	3.8	2.5		5.2
CENSUS 30 JUNE 1971						
1 ROOM	2411	439	8635	16497		27982
2 ROOMS	10290	1195	34647	18854		56986
3 ROOMS	38868	466	62429	5276		102639
4 ROOMS	179660	1793	83031	2215		266759
5 ROOMS	421560	1153	25331	1163		449257
6 ROOMS	266680	367	7328	903		275278
7 ROOMS	105432	85	2089	420		108026
8 ROOMS						
AND OVER	61519	97	1949	1301		64866
TOTAL	1186360	5995	225549	38629		1356533
AVERAGE NUMBER OF ROOMS PER DWELLING	5.3	3.7	3.5	2.3		4.9

TABLE 4. CLASS OF OCCUPIED PRIVATE DWELLING BY NUMBER OF BEDROOMS, NEW SOUTH WALES,

NEW SOUTH WALES,

CENSUS 30 JUNE 1971

NUMBER OF BEDROOMS	CLASS OF DWELLING					TOTAL
	PRIVATE HOUSE	VILLA UNIT	SELF-CONTAINED FLAT	OTHER PRIVATE		
NO BEDROOM	3847	856	12713	14992		32408
1 BEDROOM	33633	1189	66163	11805		112790
2 BEDROOMS	295216	2264	115819	3595		416984
3 BEDROOMS	587550	1374	22540	1291		612761
4 BEDROOMS	129564	128	2529	488		132709
5 BEDROOMS AND OVER	27270	61	1142	1112		29585
NOT STATED	9280	123	4658	5246		19299
TOTAL	1086360	5995	225549	38629		1356533
AVERAGE NUMBER OF BEDROOMS PER DWELLING	2.8	1.8	1.7	0.8		2.6



TABLE 5. OCCUPIED PRIVATE HOUSES AND SELF-CONTAINED FLATS BY NATURE OF OCCUPANCY, NUMBERS AND PERCENTAGE DISTRIBUTION URBAN AND RURAL, NEW SOUTH WALES, CENSUSES 1966 AND 1971

NATURE OF OCCUPANCY	CENSUS 30 JUNE 1966		CENSUS 30 JUNE 1971				PROPORTION OF TOTAL	INCREASE OR DECREASE
	TOTAL	PROPORTION OF TOTAL	MAJOR URBAN	OTHER URBAN	RURAL	TOTAL		
PRIVATE HOUSES								
OWNER	768795	80.0	571546	169166	94222	834934	76.9	66139
TENANT OF GOVERNMENT	39426	4.1	33883	14797	908	49588	4.6	10162
TENANT OF EMPLOYER	N.A.	N.A.	6603	8889	7117	22609	2.1	N.A.
TENANT OTHER *	129858	13.5	82541	28337	13408	124886	11.5	-4972
OTHER	17079	1.8	12399	5827	15995	34221	3.2	17142
NOT STATED	6234	0.6	13189	3875	3058	20122	1.9	13888
TOTAL	961392	100.0	720161	231491	134708	1086360	100.0	124968
SELF-CONTAINED FLATS								
OWNER	39130	23.8	53400	2824	395	56619	25.1	17489
TENANT OF GOVERNMENT	12429	7.6	13380	1322	30	14732	6.5	2303
TENANT OF EMPLOYER	N.A.	N.A.	2695	625	131	3451	1.5	N.A.
TENANT OTHER *	109163	66.4	122838	15642	831	139311	61.8	30148
OTHER	2407	1.5	3456	652	307	4415	2.0	2008
NOT STATED	1276	0.8	6407	523	91	7021	3.1	5745
TOTAL	164405	100.0	202176	21588	1785	225549	100.0	61144

\* NOTE - DATA NOT COMPARABLE FOR 1966 AND 1971 - SEE EXPLANATORY NOTES

TABLE 6. OCCUPIED PRIVATE HOUSES AND SELF-CONTAINED FLATS BY MATERIAL OF OUTER WALLS, NEW SOUTH WALES, CENSUSES 1966 AND 1971

MATERIAL OF OUTER WALLS	CENSUS 30 JUNE 1966			CENSUS 30 JUNE 1971				
	HOUSES	PROPORTION OF TOTAL	FLATS	PROPORTION OF TOTAL	HOUSES	PROPORTION OF TOTAL	FLATS	PROPORTION OF TOTAL
BRICK	289320	30.1	126331	76.8	329539	30.3	181774	80.6
BRICK VENEER	66566	6.3	4755	2.9	108726	10.0	7908	3.5
STONE	5762	0.6	1897	1.2	6958	0.6	2299	1.0
CONCRETE	11800	1.2	4368	2.7	14223	1.3	7589	3.4
TIMBER	294158	30.5	13263	8.1	308618	28.4	12905	5.7
METAL	8801	0.9	295	0.2	14283	1.3	417	0.2
FIBRO-CEMENT	288827	30.0	13423	8.2	301002	27.7	12476	5.5
OTHER	3166	0.3	73	0.0	3011	0.3	181	0.1
TOTAL	961392	100.0	164405	100.0	1086360	100.0	225549	100.0

TABLE 7. OCCUPIED PRIVATE HOUSES AND SELF-CONTAINED FLATS GAS, ELECTRICITY AND TV FACILITIES, URBAN AND RURAL NEW SOUTH WALES, CENSUSES 1966 AND 1971

FACILITIES	CENSUS 30 JUNE 1966		CENSUS 30 JUNE 1971							
	HOUSES	FLATS	MAJOR URBAN		OTHER URBAN		RURAL		TOTAL	
GAS ONLY	1253	210	264	63	78	8	466	2	808	73
ELECTRICITY ONLY	561658	67076	401316	116229	178410	16255	114234	1441	693960	129325
GAS AND ELECTRICITY	387705	96332	312912	86785	51369	5011	16534	287	380815	92883
NO GAS, NO ELECTRICITY	7666	108	226	73	352	11	2259	4	2837	88
NOT STATED	3110	379	5443	3625	1282	303	1215	51	7940	3980
TOTAL	961392	164405	720161	202176	231491	21588	134708	1785	1086360	225549
WITHOUT TELEVISION	162566	47029	36843	25882	16252	3967	18506	393	71601	30242
WITH TELEVISION	798886	117376	592594	140087	188239	13899	99325	1079	880158	155865
NOT STATED	N.A.	N.A.	90724	36207	27000	3722	16877	313	134691	40242
TOTAL	961392	164405	720161	202176	231491	21588	134708	1785	1086360	225549

TABLE 8. OCCUPIED PRIVATE HOUSES AND SELF-CONTAINED FLATS BY NUMBER OF MOTOR VEHICLES, URBAN AND RURAL NEW SOUTH WALES, CENSUSES 1966 AND 1971

NUMBER OF VEHICLES	CENSUS 30 JUNE 1966		CENSUS 30 JUNE 1971							
	HOUSES	FLATS	MAJOR URBAN		OTHER URBAN		RURAL		TOTAL	
NO VEHICLES	224292	66282	148360	75339	42453	6023	13376	309	204189	81671
1 VEHICLE	496590	75362	362934	98610	125506	11976	59471	1007	547911	111593
2 VEHICLES	171276	12061	160019	17658	48390	2413	37695	305	246104	20376
3 VEHICLES	35819	1765	29143	2138	8688	333	14343	61	52174	2532
4 OR MORE VEHICLES	11309	527	6772	963	2639	174	7896	36	17307	1173
NOT STATED	22106	8408	12933	7463	3815	669	1927	67	18675	8204
TOTAL	961392	164405	720161	202176	231491	21588	134708	1785	1086360	225549

TABLE 9. CLASS OF OCCUPIED PRIVATE DWELLINGS BATHROOM AND KITCHEN FACILITIES NEW SOUTH WALES, CENSUS 30 JUNE 1971

FACILITIES	CLASS OF DWELLING						PROPORTION OF TOTAL
	PRIVATE HOUSE	VILLA UNIT	SELF-CONTAINED FLAT	OTHER PRIVATE	TOTAL		
BATHROOM ONLY	2737	60	553	3257	6607	0.5	
KITCHEN ONLY	5173	82	620	3640	9515	0.7	
BATHROOM AND KITCHEN	1069832	5748	220657	25798	1322035	97.5	
NO BATHROOM, NO KITCHEN	1240	26	0	2302	3568	0.3	
NOT STATED	7378	79	3719	3632	14808	1.1	
TOTAL	1086360	5995	225549	38629	1356533	100.0	

TABLE 10. OCCUPIED PRIVATE DWELLINGS BATHROOM AND KITCHEN FACILITIES, NUMBERS AND PERCENTAGE DISTRIBUTION, URBAN AND RURAL  
NEW SOUTH WALES, CENSUS 30 JUNE 1971

FACILITIES	MAJOR URBAN		OTHER URBAN		RURAL		TOTAL	
	NUMBER	PERCENTAGE	NUMBER	PERCENTAGE	NUMBER	PERCENTAGE	NUMBER	PERCENTAGE
BATHROOM ONLY	4726	0.5	1233	0.5	648	0.5	6607	0.5
KITCHEN ONLY	4421	0.5	1908	0.7	3186	2.2	9515	0.7
BATHROOM AND KITCHEN	932802	97.7	253449	97.7	135784	95.5	1322035	97.5
NO BATHROOM, NO KITCHEN	1853	0.2	633	0.2	1082	0.8	3568	0.3
NOT STATED	11286	1.2	2097	0.8	1425	1.0	14808	1.1
TOTAL	955088	100.0	259320	100.0	142125	100.0	1356533	100.0

TABLE 11. CLASS OF OCCUPIED PRIVATE DWELLING BY METHOD OF SEWAGE DISPOSAL, NEW SOUTH WALES, CENSUS 30 JUNE 1971

METHOD OF SEWAGE DISPOSAL	CLASS OF DWELLING				TOTAL	PROPORTION OF TOTAL
	PRIVATE HOUSE	VILLA UNIT	SELF-CONTAINED FLAT	OTHER PRIVATE		
MAINS SEWER	742303	5074	205678	24150	977205	72.0
SEPARATE SYSTEM	190292	678	12148	3230	206348	15.2
SANITARY PAN	110137	120	2907	3230	116394	8.6
OTHER	35407	34	428	3753	39622	2.9
NOT STATED	8221	89	4388	4266	16964	1.3
TOTAL	1086360	5995	225549	38629	1356533	100.0

TABLE 12. OCCUPIED PRIVATE DWELLINGS BY METHOD OF SEWAGE DISPOSAL, NUMBERS AND PERCENTAGE DISTRIBUTION, URBAN AND RURAL  
NEW SOUTH WALES, CENSUS 30 JUNE 1971

METHOD OF SEWAGE DISPOSAL	MAJOR URBAN		OTHER URBAN		RURAL		TOTAL	
	NUMBER	PERCENTAGE	NUMBER	PERCENTAGE	NUMBER	PERCENTAGE	NUMBER	PERCENTAGE
MAINS SEWER	791625	82.9	180187	69.5	5393	3.8	977205	72.0
SEPARATE SYSTEM	90119	9.4	39107	15.1	77122	54.3	206348	15.2
SANITARY PAN	57560	6.0	36073	13.9	22761	16.0	116394	8.6
OTHER	2523	0.3	1782	0.7	35317	24.8	39622	2.9
NOT STATED	13261	1.4	2171	0.8	1532	1.1	16964	1.3
TOTAL	955088	100.0	259320	100.0	142125	100.0	1356533	100.0

TABLE 13. OCCUPIED PRIVATE DWELLINGS BY CLASS BY NUMBER OF ROOMS AND NUMBER OF INMATES PER DWELLING  
NEW SOUTH WALES, CENSUS 30 JUNE 1971

NUMBER OF INMATES PER DWELLING	DWELLINGS WITH ROOMS NUMBERING								TOTAL
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8+	
	PRIVATE HOUSE								
1	1529	3797	9137	29236	36420	20920	6421	3568	111028
2	544	3428	13823	61098	101263	57870	19027	9436	266489
3	173	1445	6427	35377	82625	49332	17904	9704	202987
4	107	948	4954	29593	96402	58454	22522	12283	225263
5	33	391	2488	14353	60387	40592	18382	11468	148094
6	17	157	1114	5803	27415	21822	10987	7569	74884
7	5	72	450	2336	10527	9910	5488	3859	32647
8 AND OVER	3	52	415	1864	6521	7780	4761	3632	24568
TOTAL	2411	10290	38808	179660	421560	266680	105432	61519	1086360
	VILLA UNIT								
1	379	926	323	358	131	29	16	24	2186
2	53	211	321	762	374	87	16	14	1830
3	3	36	137	379	271	79	16	14	935
4	3	12	55	192	212	75	13	13	575
5	0	7	19	65	103	39	11	13	257
6	1	1	10	29	31	25	3	9	109
7	0	2	0	6	16	15	6	3	48
8 AND OVER	0	0	1	2	15	18	4	7	87
TOTAL	439	1195	866	1793	1153	367	85	97	5995
	SELF-CONTAINED FLAT								
1	6132	15477	16631	17207	3829	1053	282	359	60970
2	2020	14358	27290	34509	8197	2124	532	450	89480
3	364	3312	10818	17574	5485	1534	431	332	39850
4	94	1095	5300	9321	4305	1330	391	314	22150
5	20	285	1712	3160	2253	758	238	226	8652
6	2	84	474	915	836	338	109	144	2902
7	1	24	143	264	334	114	60	66	1087
8 AND OVER	1	12	61	141	142	77	46	58	538
TOTAL	8635	34647	62429	83091	25381	7328	2089	1949	225549
	OTHER PRIVATE								
1	11133	4855	1446	571	358	420	230	942	19955
2	3230	3415	1539	597	250	196	71	168	9466
3	1064	1356	986	404	203	110	51	65	4239
4	618	733	695	280	175	81	32	61	2675
5	255	283	312	177	89	37	15	24	1192
6	111	128	150	87	51	22	6	22	577
7	55	43	65	47	18	15	6	10	259
8 AND OVER	31	41	83	52	19	22	9	9	266
TOTAL	16497	10854	5276	2215	1163	903	420	1301	38629
	TOTAL								
1	19173	25055	27537	47372	40738	22422	6949	4893	194139
2	5847	21412	42973	96966	110084	60277	19646	10068	367273
3	1604	6149	18368	53734	88584	51055	18402	10115	248011
4	822	2798	11304	39386	101094	59940	22958	12671	250663
5	308	966	4531	17755	62832	41426	18646	11731	158195
6	131	370	1748	6834	28333	22207	11405	7744	78472
7	62	141	658	2653	10895	10054	5560	3938	33961
8 AND OVER	35	105	560	2059	6697	7897	4760	3706	25819
TOTAL	27982	56986	107379	266759	449257	275278	108026	64866	1356533

TABLE 14. OCCUPIED PRIVATE DWELLINGS BY CLASS, BY NUMBER OF BEDROOMS AND NUMBER OF INMATES PER DWELLING  
NEW SOUTH WALES, CENSUS 30 JUNE 1971

NUMBER OF INMATES PER DWELLING	DWELLINGS WITH BEDROOMS NUMBERING						NOT STATED	TOTAL
	NONE	1	2	3	4	5 AND OVER		
PRIVATE HOUSE								
1	1941	11302	51332	36921	5770		2036	111028
2	846	13787	113975	115495	15871		3323	266489
3	369	4134	61436	114885	17300		3458	202987
4	321	2476	42569	150547	24121		3935	225263
5	144	1084	16756	98656	26394		4423	148894
6	114	460	5830	44695	19281		4153	74884
7	61	195	1990	16497	10960		2749	32647
8 AND OVER	51	195	1328	9854	9867		3503	24968
TOTAL	3847	33633	295216	587550	129564		27270	1086360
VILLA UNIT								
1	736	782	459	110	7		11	2186
2	110	311	973	391	17		10	1838
3	5	55	510	332	16		7	935
4	3	26	221	290	23		6	575
5	0	9	68	151	19		10	257
6	2	3	25	54	18		7	109
7	0	2	6	26	10		4	48
8 AND OVER	0	1	2	20	18		6	47
TOTAL	856	1189	2264	1374	128		61	5995
SELF-CONTAINED FLAT								
1	8906	24768	22667	2160	235		239	60970
2	3095	31353	47285	5338	456		237	1716
3	517	7231	25896	5059	467		178	39850
4	140	2065	13902	5096	493		161	22150
5	36	954	4412	3019	413		123	8652
6	9	128	1187	1210	249		89	2902
7	2	43	317	459	107		61	1607
8 AND OVER	5	21	143	205	98		54	538
TOTAL	12710	66163	115809	22546	2529		1142	225549
OTHER PRIVATE								
1	10062	4726	610	314	217		809	19955
2	2977	4028	835	217	79		134	9466
3	1414	1688	836	238	57		58	4239
4	587	833	716	215	49		46	2675
5	232	304	356	130	34		22	1192
6	99	143	175	79	25		15	577
7	53	46	77	43	11		14	259
8 AND OVER	28	37	93	55	16		14	266
TOTAL	14992	11805	3695	1291	488		1112	38629
TOTAL								
1	21585	41578	75068	39505	6229		2785	194139
2	7828	49479	163068	121441	16423		3704	367273
3	1965	13108	88678	120514	17840		3701	248111
4	1051	5400	57408	156148	24691		4148	1817
5	412	1951	21592	101956	26866		4578	158195
6	224	734	7217	46038	19573		4264	78472
7	116	286	2390	17025	11088		2828	33961
8 AND OVER	84	254	1563	10134	9999		3577	25819
TOTAL	32405	112790	416984	612761	132709		29585	19299

TABLE 15. NUMBER OF OCCUPIED SELF-CONTAINED FLATS AND NUMBER OF INMATES BY NUMBER OF FLATS IN BLOCK  
NEW SOUTH WALES, CENSUS 30 JUNE 1971

	SIZE OF BLOCK						TOTAL
	1	2	3-8	9-16	17-32	33 +	
NUMBER OF SELF CONTAINED FLATS	19919	26794	86749	55755	26399	15933	225549
NUMBER OF INMATES	51781	69374	191739	123699	53615	30140	520348

TABLE 16. NUMBER AND PERCENTAGE DISTRIBUTION OF OCCUPIED PRIVATE DWELLINGS BY NUMBER OF OTHER HOMES  
URBAN AND RURAL, NEW SOUTH WALES, CENSUS 30 JUNE 1971

NUMBER OF OTHER HOMES	MAJOR URBAN		OTHER URBAN		RURAL		TOTAL	
	NUMBER	PERCENTAGE	NUMBER	PERCENTAGE	NUMBER	PERCENTAGE	NUMBER	PERCENTAGE
NONE	911556	67.2	247176	18.2	131899	9.7	1290631	95.1
1	38102	2.8	10486	0.8	8246	0.6	56834	4.2
2	3728	0.3	1114	0.1	1386	0.1	6228	0.5
3+	1702	0.1	544	0.0	594	0.0	2840	0.2
TOTAL	955088	70.4	259320	19.1	142125	10.5	1356533	100.0

TABLE 17. UNOCCUPIED PRIVATE DWELLINGS BY CLASS BY REASON UNOCCUPIED, NEW SOUTH WALES, CENSUS 30 JUNE 1971

REASON UNOCCUPIED,	CLASS OF DWELLING				TOTAL	PROPORTION OF TOTAL
	PRIVATE HOUSE	VILLA UNIT	SELF-CONTAINED FLAT	OTHER PRIVATE		
FOR SALE	7381	743	2490	40	10654	8.6
TO LET	5297	197	7875	1463	14833	11.9
NEWLY BUILT	4243	455	2940	139	7777	6.2
VACANT FOR REPAIR	4485	19	822	111	5437	4.4
HOLIDAY HOME	27920	113	2997	418	31448	25.3
CONDEMNED	4350	4	289	58	4697	3.8
TEMPORARILY VACANT	24415	655	8181	1256	34508	27.7
OTHER REASONS	10180	65	903	251	11399	9.2
NOT STATED	2671	35	890	173	3769	3.0
TOTAL	90942	2287	27384	3909	124522	100.0

TABLE 18. UNOCCUPIED PRIVATE DWELLINGS BY REASON UNOCCUPIED, NUMBERS AND PERCENTAGE DISTRIBUTION, URBAN AND RURAL  
NEW SOUTH WALES, CENSUS 30 JUNE 1971

REASON UNOCCUPIED	MAJOR URBAN		OTHER URBAN		RURAL		TOTAL	
	NUMBER	PERCENTAGE	NUMBER	PERCENTAGE	NUMBER	PERCENTAGE	NUMBER	PERCENTAGE
FOR SALE	7472	6.0	2131	1.7	1051	0.8	10654	8.6
TO LET	9790	7.9	3390	2.7	1653	1.3	14833	11.9
NEWLY BUILT	5965	4.8	1329	1.1	483	0.4	7777	6.2
VACANT FOR REPAIR	3312	2.7	1111	0.9	1014	0.8	5437	4.4
HOLIDAY HOME	3100	2.5	18789	15.1	9559	7.7	31448	25.3
CONDEMNED	2282	1.8	762	0.6	1653	1.3	4697	3.8
TEMPORARILY VACANT	20238	16.3	8599	6.9	5671	4.6	34508	27.7
OTHER REASONS	3368	2.7	1304	1.0	6727	5.4	11399	9.2
NOT STATED	2179	1.7	604	0.5	986	0.8	3769	3.0
TOTAL	57706	46.3	38019	30.5	28797	23.1	124522	100.0

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