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HOUSING FINANCE FOR OWNER OCCUPATION SAVINGS BANKS AND TRADING BANKS, AUSTRALIA JULY 1981

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MAIN FEATURES

NOTE: Some changes to the content and format have been made in this issue of the publication. A new table, combining figures for savings and trading banks, is included (Table 1), and the seasonally adjusted figures include, for the first time, separate series on loans approved for the construction of dwellings and on loans approved for the purchase of newly erected dwellings (Tables 1, 2, 3). Tables showing State level detail now contain figures for the last 2 months.

In July 1981 savings and trading banks approved a combined total of \$335.0 million for the construction and purchase of dwellings. This was \$28.2 million more than in June 1981 and \$35.4 million more than in July 1980.

Seasonally adjusted, the combined total of loans approved in July 1981 was \$317.2 million, \$18.8 million less than in June 1981.

In July 1981 loans approved totalled: \$66.8 million for the construction of dwellings (up \$4.7 million on June 1981 and \$4.1 million on July 1980); \$30.2 million for the purchase of newly erected dwellings (up \$1.6 million on June 1981 and \$5.2 million on July 1980); and \$238.1 million for the purchase of established dwellings (up \$21.9 million on June 1981 and \$26.1 million on July 1980).

EXPLANATORY NOTES

This publication presents statistics of secured finance provided by banks to individuals for the construction or purchase of dwellings for owner occupation, and details of other selected items relating to the provision of housing finance.

Scope

2. For the purpose of these statistics a bank is defined as:

- a bank within the meaning of the *Banking Act 1959*,
- a bank constituted by a State act.

3. Figures for each State or Territory are compiled on the basis of business written or recorded by banks (or branches of banks) operating in that State or Territory, but this does not necessarily indicate that the funds so provided are used within that State or Territory.

Coverage

- A bank is included in the collection if:
 - it falls within the scope outlined above, and
 - it satisfies either of the following criteria on an Australia-wide basis:
 - loans approved for housing finance for owner occupation during 1979-80 exceeded \$250,000, or
 - balances outstanding on such loans at 30 June 1980 exceeded \$2 million.

Period covered

- While the statistics are described as being for calendar months, it should be noted that:
 - for trading banks the data relate to the period ending on the second Wednesday of the month following the month stated and may cover either a 4 or 5 week period;
 - for savings banks the data relate to the period ending on either the last Monday (one bank), the last Wednesday (six banks) or the last day (five banks) of the month stated and may cover either a 4 or 5 week period.

Description of data items

- Loans approved.** A loan approved is a firm commitment by a bank to advance funds. Loans approved for amounts additional to loans previously approved are also included.
- Cancellation of loans.** This item refers to the value of loans approved but subsequently cancelled or reduced. Loans approved and cancelled during the same month are recorded as both loan approvals and cancellations for that month. Where a loan is cancelled in part, the number of dwelling units is not recorded in the cancellation category.

8. *Loans advanced.* This item refers to the actual money advanced during a period. Where loans are advanced by instalments, only the actual cash paid out is included. Capitalised mortgage insurance premium payments and other capitalised charges (e.g. legal fees, inspection and valuation fees) are included.

9. *Dwelling.* A dwelling is classified as either a *house* or *other dwelling*.

- (a) A *house* is defined as a building which has been designed so that its prime purpose is to be a single self-contained (i.e. includes bathing and cooking facilities) dwelling unit which is completely detached from other buildings, and occupies a separate titled block of land.
- (b) An *other dwelling* is defined as a self-contained dwelling unit other than a house as defined in (a) above. Examples of *other dwellings* are flats, home units, semi-detached cottages, villa units, town houses etc.

10. *Number of dwelling units.* This item refers to the number of houses and other dwellings for which first mortgage loans have been approved. If amounts additional to the original loan are approved to complete the purchase or construction, the number of dwellings involved is not recorded again.

11. *Alterations and additions.* Alterations are changes to existing dwellings without an increase in floor area whereas additions are structural changes to existing dwellings resulting in an increase in floor area. Detached garages are included in these statistics as additions.

12. *Construction of other dwellings.* This category includes situations where a group of people combine to organise the construction of a block of home units, town houses etc., and it is intended that each person in the group will acquire a title to one of the dwelling units.

13. *Purchase of newly erected dwellings.* This item represents the purchase of dwellings which have been completed or will be completed within a period of twelve months preceding the date of purchase where the purchaser is, or will be, the first occupant.

14. *Purchase of established dwellings.* This item represents the purchase of dwellings which have been completed for a period greater than twelve months preceding the date of purchase or, if completed within twelve months, where the purchaser is not the original occupant.

Seasonal adjustment

15. Seasonally adjusted data on housing finance for owner occupation from savings banks and trading banks were first published in the January 1978 issue of this publication. Details of the methods used in seasonally adjusting these series are given in *Seasonally adjusted Indicators, Australia* (1308.0). Comparable series to those in Tables 1, 2 and 3 of this publication are available back to October 1975 on request.

16. In carrying out seasonal adjustment, account is taken not only of normal seasonal factors but also of 'trading-day' effects (arising from the varying numbers of Sundays, Mondays, etc. in the month) and the influence of Easter which may in successive years, affect figures for different months.

17. Large fluctuations occurring in series as a result of irregular influences, such as interest rate changes, are not removed by seasonal adjustment. Particular care should therefore be taken in interpreting individual month-to-month movements.

Rewards

18. This publication incorporates revisions made to previous statistics in this series.

Related publications

19. Users may also wish to refer to the following publications which contain housing finance statistics directly comparable with those published in this publication and are available on request:

Housing Finance for Owner Occupation, Australia (5609.0) — issued monthly

Housing Finance for Owner Occupation, Permanent Building Societies, Australia (5610.0) — issued monthly

20. Current publications produced by the ABS are listed in the *Catalogue of Publications, Australia* (1101.0) which is available free of charge from any ABS office.

Symbols and other usages

- n.a. not available
- nil, or less than half the final digit shown
- dwgs number of dwelling units

21. Where figures have been rounded, discrepancies may occur between sums of the component items and totals.

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TABLE 1 - SAVINGS AND TRADING BANKS COMBINED

		CONSTRUCTION OF DWELLINGS		PURCHASE OF NEWLY ERECTED DWELLINGS		PURCHASE OF ESTABLISHED DWELLINGS		TOTAL		ALTERATIONS AND ADDITIONS TO DWELLINGS	
	MONTHS=	DWGS	\$000	DWGS	\$000	DWGS	\$000	DWGS	\$000	DWGS	\$000
ORIGINAL											
1980	JUNE	2,354	56,626	1,034	22,978	8,102	188,546	11,570	268,152	26,852	
JULY	2,716	62,638	1,135	24,974	9,103	211,965	12,954	299,577	32,386		
AUGUST	2,631	63,225	1,014	23,488	8,437	190,656	11,682	277,369	27,265		
SEPTEMBER	2,482	59,943	986	22,869	8,120	192,042	11,588	274,854	26,713		
OCTOBER	2,749	65,494	1,238	28,586	9,595	226,571	13,582	326,751	37,213		
NOVEMBER	2,263	50,540	1,147	27,666	8,865	206,753	12,275	284,899	31,873		
DECEMBER	2,462	56,896	1,068	25,896	9,312	217,89	12,842	299,881	27,479		
1981	JANUARY	2,060	48,934	1,054	26,463	9,063	219,264	12,177	294,661	25,472	
FEBRUARY	2,349	53,242	1,114	27,305	10,355	247,673	13,818	328,224	30,871		
MARCH	2,546	59,431	1,099	26,581	10,560	252,776	14,205	338,788	35,679		
APRIL	2,686	61,798	1,232	30,187	10,398	245,688	14,316	337,573	37,299		
MAY	2,495	60,528	1,076	25,473	9,447	224,552	13,012	310,553	31,208		
JUNE	2,532	62,103	1,139	28,594	8,984	216,114	12,655	326,811	32,304		
JULY	2,722	66,761	1,227	30,161	9,995	238,456	13,944	334,978	38,464		
SEASONALLY ADJUSTED											
1980	JUNE	2,458	58,840	1,137	25,419	9,551	208,467	12,596	292,726		
JULY	2,290	52,213	1,010	22,412	8,971	212,047	12,271	286,672			
AUGUST	2,649	63,381	1,026	23,463	8,969	214,693	12,644	300,937			
SEPTEMBER	2,394	57,702	991	22,610	8,970	213,805	12,355	294,117			
OCTOBER	2,339	55,637	1,053	24,430	8,595	206,228	11,987	286,295			
NOVEMBER	2,368	52,874	1,216	28,846	8,820	208,662	12,404	289,782			
DECEMBER	2,696	62,639	1,141	27,676	9,640	225,920	13,477	316,035			
1981	JANUARY	2,399	56,659	1,183	29,260	9,329	219,354	12,911	305,273		
FEBRUARY	2,675	60,622	1,124	26,967	9,741	228,680	13,544	315,669			
MARCH	2,714	63,963	1,107	27,573	10,157	240,796	13,978	332,332			
APRIL	2,665	61,819	1,226	31,108	9,879	232,251	13,772	325,178			
MAY	2,408	59,172	1,086	26,189	9,523	227,611	13,017	312,272			
JUNE	2,564	62,568	1,217	30,627	10,024	242,788	13,805	335,983			
JULY	2,265	54,929	1,067	26,983	9,740	235,246	13,092	317,158			

TABLE 2 - SAVINGS BANKS

LOANS APPROVED TO INDIVIDUALS FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OR PURCHASE OF DWELLINGS - ORIGINAL AND SEASONALLY ADJUSTED - AUSTRALIA

MONTHS*	CONSTRUCTION OF DWELLINGS		PURCHASE OF NEWLY ERECTED DWELLINGS		PURCHASE OF ESTABLISHED DWELLINGS		ALTERATIONS AND ADDITIONS TO DWELLINGS	
	DWGS	\$100	DWGS	\$100	DWGS	\$100	DWGS	\$100
JUNE	1,708	43,339	747	18,034	5,065	142,284	8,320	263,657
JULY	1,862	45,265	730	16,883	6,247	152,842	8,839	214,996
AUGUST	1,762	44,975	658	16,271	5,443	135,678	7,863	196,924
SEPTEMBER	1,676	42,880	644	16,029	5,507	138,883	7,827	197,792
OCTOBER	1,838	46,640	846	21,313	6,496	163,236	9,180	231,189
NOVEMBER	1,578	36,873	769	19,891	6,160	150,288	8,527	267,052
DECEMBER	1,817	43,870	773	19,745	6,762	161,892	9,352	225,507
1981								
JANUARY	1,470	36,079	749	19,886	6,458	162,960	8,677	218,925
FEBRUARY	1,697	40,049	816	21,343	7,437	183,503	9,954	244,895
MARCH	1,904	46,108	826	26,988	7,747	191,464	10,477	258,560
APRIL	1,912	45,135	855	22,449	7,378	181,945	10,145	249,529
MAY	1,933	47,654	809	21,845	6,979	172,715	9,712	241,214
JUNE	1,909	48,193	826	22,368	6,563	163,939	9,298	234,500
JULY	2,011	50,122	874	22,719	7,123	176,923	10,068	249,754
JUNE	1,746	44,347	813	19,498	6,272	153,656	8,831	217,501
JULY	1,564	37,507	665	15,593	6,284	155,479	8,569	208,579
AUGUST	1,732	44,765	667	16,298	5,996	150,874	8,395	211,937
SEPTEMBER	1,607	40,559	646	15,651	5,982	152,034	8,235	208,244
OCTOBER	1,615	40,746	743	18,482	5,936	151,116	8,294	210,344
NOVEMBER	1,652	38,355	809	20,438	6,038	148,612	8,499	206,805
DECEMBER	1,970	48,030	788	20,199	7,610	167,341	9,768	235,570
1981								
JANUARY	1,673	40,282	829	21,853	6,549	161,227	9,051	223,362
FEBRUARY	2,008	47,267	829	21,356	7,104	171,687	9,941	246,314
MARCH	2,047	49,871	821	21,879	7,393	181,065	10,261	252,815
APRIL	1,965	46,805	876	23,883	7,286	179,096	10,127	249,784
MAY	1,792	45,160	840	21,047	6,861	170,728	9,453	236,935
JUNE	1,876	47,386	863	23,209	7,172	186,930	9,911	251,525
JULY	1,662	40,890	787	20,718	7,037	176,955	9,486	230,563

TABLE 3 - TRADING BANKS

LOANS APPROVED TO INDIVIDUALS FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OR PURCHASE OF DWELLINGS - ORIGINAL AND SEASONALLY ADJUSTED - AUSTRALIA

		CONSTRUCTION OF DWELLINGS		PURCHASE OF NEWLY ERECTED DWELLINGS		PURCHASE OF ESTABLISHED DWELLINGS		TOTAL		ALTERATIONS AND ADDITIONS TO DWELLINGS	
	MONTHS	DWGS	\$000	DWGS	\$000	DWGS	\$000	DWGS	\$000	DWGS	\$000
ORIGINAL											
JUNE	1980	646	13,287	287	4,944	2,317	46,264	3,256	64,495	19,322	
JULY	854	17,373	405	8,191	2,656	59,123	4,115	84,587	23,619		
AUGUST	869	18,250	356	7,217	2,594	54,978	3,819	80,445	20,174		
SEPTEMBER	806	17,663	342	6,840	2,613	53,159	3,761	77,462	18,786		
OCTOBER	911	18,854	392	7,373	3,099	63,335	4,462	89,562	27,899		
NOVEMBER	685	13,667	378	7,715	2,685	56,465	3,748	77,847	25,153		
DECEMBER	645	13,026	295	6,151	2,559	55,197	3,490	74,374	20,578		
JANUARY	590	12,655	305	6,577	2,605	56,304	3,506	75,736	19,836		
FEBRUARY	652	13,193	298	5,962	2,918	64,170	3,368	83,325	24,464		
MARCH	642	13,323	273	5,593	2,813	61,312	3,728	80,228	27,568		
APRIL	774	16,663	377	7,638	3,020	63,743	4,171	88,044	28,896		
MAY	562	12,874	270	4,626	2,468	51,837	3,300	69,339	22,765		
JUNE	623	13,910	313	6,226	2,421	52,175	3,357	72,311	23,833		
JULY	711	16,639	353	7,452	2,872	61,133	3,936	85,224	30,572		
SEASONALLY ADJUSTED											
JUNE	1980	712	14,493	324	5,921	2,729	54,811	3,765	75,225		
JULY	726	14,746	345	6,819	2,691	56,568	3,762	78,933			
AUGUST	917	18,616	359	7,165	2,973	63,219	4,249	89,046			
SEPTEMBER	787	17,143	345	6,959	2,988	61,771	4,120	85,873			
OCTOBER	724	14,891	310	5,948	2,659	55,112	3,693	75,951			
NOVEMBER	716	14,519	407	8,418	2,782	60,856	3,905	82,977			
DECEMBER	726	14,469	353	7,477	2,630	58,579	3,709	80,465			
JANUARY	726	16,377	354	7,417	2,780	58,127	3,860	81,911			
FEBRUARY	667	13,355	295	5,611	2,637	56,393	3,599	75,359			
MARCH	667	14,692	286	5,694	2,764	59,731	3,717	79,517			
APRIL	700	15,014	352	7,225	2,593	53,155	3,645	75,394			
MAY	616	14,012	286	5,642	2,662	56,283	3,564	75,337			
JUNE	688	15,182	354	7,418	2,852	61,658	3,894	84,458			
JULY	603	14,039	300	6,265	2,703	58,291	3,606	78,595			

TABLE 4 - SAVINGS BANKS - LOANS APPROVED TO INDIVIDUALS FOR DWELLINGS

CONSTRUCTION OF DWELLINGS				PURCHASE OF NEWLY ERECTED DWELLINGS				PURCHASE OF ESTABLISHED DWELLINGS			
OTHER DWELLINGS		HOUSES		OTHER DWELLINGS		HOUSES		OTHER DWELLINGS		HOUSES	
DWGS	\$000	DWGS	\$000	DWGS	\$000	DWGS	\$000	DWGS	\$000	DWGS	\$000
YEARS*											
1978/79	29,027	461,712	53	1,297	10,999	252,563	1,602	22,894	74,152	1,679,298	5,178
1979/80	21,598	533,367	81	1,677	10,308	244,435	838	24,539	74,729	1,769,734	5,176
1980/81	21,371	522,238	58	1,483	8,693	221,645	599	16,366	74,554	1,632,666	4,643
MONTHS**											
1980											
JUNE	1,706	43,291	2	48	698	16,798	49	1,236	5,516	133,266	349
JULY	1,854	45,155	8	210	681	15,638	49	1,245	5,673	143,193	374
AUGUST	1,758	44,965	4	110	603	14,930	58	1,341	5,683	126,444	360
SEPTEMBER	1,672	42,726	4	154	598	14,865	46	1,164	5,129	128,646	378
OCTOBER	1,837	46,529	1	11	865	20,215	41	1,098	6,988	152,439	398
NOVEMBER	1,577	36,356	1	23	728	18,691	41	1,294	5,652	141,163	328
DECEMBER	1,809	43,634	8	236	726	18,457	47	1,288	6,376	151,501	387
1981											
JANUARY	1,466	35,936	4	141	696	13,084	53	1,862	6,568	151,744	396
FEBRUARY	1,697	39,886	7	163	746	19,404	70	1,943	7,421	171,457	416
MARCH	1,899	45,997	5	111	773	19,607	53	1,381	7,315	179,349	432
APRIL	1,904	44,960	8	175	809	21,210	46	1,239	7,684	171,129	378
MAY	1,928	47,559	5	95	761	19,785	39	1,668	6,564	161,763	419
JUNE	1,906	48,139	3	54	770	20,763	56	1,605	6,184	153,818	383
JULY	1,998	49,848	13	274	810	21,086	64	1,621	6,757	166,688	366
STATES - JUNE 1981											
N.S.W.	434	12,688	-	-	163	5,591	14	451	1,259	39,543	159
VIC.	707	16,740	-	-	303	7,820	21	576	2,821	65,258	138
QLD.	399	9,153	-	-	176	3,964	5	146	8,686	17,624	24
S.A.	106	2,957	1	15	41	1,123	7	199	5,855	14,177	38
W.A.	189	4,877	2	39	51	1,364	6	137	427	10,321	15
TAS.	52	1,184	-	-	7	173	1	16	191	4,248	4
N.J.	7	231	-	-	3	95	1	56	20	635	-
A.C.T.	12	309	-	-	23	693	1	33	69	2,012	5
STATES - JULY 1981											
N.S.W.	471	13,479	7	144	173	5,371	13	431	1,413	42,296	146
VIC.	702	16,368	3	58	336	8,557	26	587	2,989	70,059	133
QLD.	417	9,270	1	15	169	3,813	12	297	947	1,9,432	18
S.A.	114	3,238	-	-	46	1,165	5	127	655	15,559	53
W.A.	225	5,923	1	22	53	1,250	5	104	514	12,254	12
TAS.	55	1,266	-	-	6	111	2	45	176	3,804	-
N.J.	4	130	-	-	1	30	1	30	23	662	1
A.C.T.	1	174	1	35	26	791	-	86	2,622	3	88
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TABLE 5 - TRADING BANKS - LOANS APPROVED TO INDIVIDUALS FOR DWELLINGS

CONSTRUCTION OF DWELLINGS				PURCHASE OF NEWLY ERECTED DWELLINGS				PURCHASE OF ESTABLISHED DWELLINGS			
HOUSES		OTHER DWELLINGS		HOUSES		OTHER DWELLINGS		HOUSES		OTHER DWELLINGS	
DWGS	\$000	DWGS	\$000	DWGS	\$000	DWGS	\$000	DWGS	\$000	DWGS	\$000
AUSTRALIA											
YEARS-											
1978/79	8,484	160,966	269	4,746	4,755	90,819	491	9,361	27,299	499,292	2,654
1979/80	8,654	169,518	379	6,141	3,687	71,743	427	8,271	27,621	521,644	2,772
1980/81	8,242	174,588	371	6,463	3,533	70,259	471	9,752	29,595	622,977	3,647
MONTHS-											
JUNE	618	12,846	28	441	259	4,392	28	552	2,101	41,643	216
JULY	832	17,143	22	230	369	7,374	36	721	2,609	54,943	247
AUGUST	834	17,467	35	783	305	6,232	51	985	2,350	49,781	244
SEPTEMBER	779	16,555	27	508	307	6,191	35	649	2,368	48,191	245
OCTOBER	872	18,292	39	562	360	6,957	32	416	2,808	56,894	291
NOVEMBER	651	13,163	34	504	332	6,655	46	1,116	2,438	51,104	247
DECEMBER	615	12,572	30	454	247	5,317	48	834	2,315	49,453	235
1981											
JANUARY	554	12,131	36	724	267	5,599	38	978	2,347	50,132	258
FEBRUARY	631	12,978	21	215	258	5,001	40	951	2,665	58,542	253
MARCH	612	12,790	33	533	234	4,816	39	777	2,564	55,078	249
APRIL	744	16,213	30	450	329	6,424	48	1,214	2,727	57,490	293
MAY	540	12,385	22	489	245	4,184	25	444	2,202	44,662	266
JUNE	578	12,899	45	1,011	280	5,563	33	653	2,202	47,647	219
JULY	683	15,841	28	798	361	6,198	52	1,254	2,591	55,430	281
STATES - JUNE 1981											
N.S.W.	230	5,329	10	139	88	1,677	8	162	854	19,265	84
VIC.	96	1,494	4	88	55	921	-	457	9,782	52	1,127
QLD.	98	2,317	13	176	75	1,352	9	140	333	6,933	25
S.A.	71	2,173	4	98	35	1,050	1	22	274	6,757	23
W.A.	63	1,244	7	458	25	531	16	235	195	3,915	31
TAS.	13	362	1	1	2	32	3	75	41	840	2
N.T.	4	35	3	30	-	-	1	24	499	-	19
A.C.T.	3	45	3	21	-	-	1	9	556	2	4C
STATES - JULY 1981											
N.S.W.	266	6,542	5	80	79	1,623	7	95	889	21,072	117
VIC.	126	2,576	5	92	49	910	7	212	563	11,694	55
QLD.	127	2,447	10	156	85	1,445	13	329	432	7,642	52
S.A.	73	2,160	3	80	48	1,419	3	57	322	7,142	18
W.A.	73	1,839	5	390	28	476	19	471	27	5,153	31
TAS.	14	189	-	-	5	139	-	-	51	934	2
N.T.	46	-	-	-	-	-	2	50	12	283	-
A.C.T.	2	42	-	-	-	-	2	50	12	805	16
							7	186	1	109	6

TABLE 6 - ADDITIONAL HOUSING FINANCE INFORMATION

CANCELLATIONS OF LOANS PREVIOUSLY APPROVED TO INDIVIDUALS

SAVINGS BANKS

	SAVINGS BANKS			TRADING BANKS			AUSTRALIA			SAVINGS BANKS		
	FOR ALTERATIONS AND ADDITIONS FOR DWELLINGS		FOR DWELLINGS ADDITIONS		FOR DWELLINGS ADDITIONS		FOR ALTERATIONS AND ADDITIONS		ADVANCED TO INDIVIDUALS DURING PERIOD		LOANS APPROVED BUT NOT ADVANCED TO INDIVIDUALS AT END OF PERIOD	
	DWGS	\$000	DWGS	\$000	DWGS	\$000	DWGS	\$000	DWGS	\$000	DWGS	\$000
YEARS*												
1978/79	5,392	114,697	2,303	627	11,146	607	2,430,695	602,151	797,086	9,382,474	250,163	
1979/80	5,553	125,236	2,062	922	16,539	1,071	2,554,357	613,261	897,946	10,540,478	260,594	
1980/81	4,752	119,817	2,495	1,167	22,133	1,163	2,053,775	650,382	1,172,371	11,762,954	259,925	
MONTHS-												
JUNE	441	11,013	189	83	1,229	136	216,423	613,261	55,478	10,540,428	260,594	
JULY	425	9,884	316	106	1,857	57	237,398	599,420	72,105	10,725,458	264,441	
AUGUST	403	9,354	364	89	1,670	61	196,340	587,317	70,853	10,782,893	250,295	
SEPTEMBER	447	10,660	263	73	1,259	91	269,412	581,701	14,1,701	10,866,635	261,423	
OCTOBER	415	10,456	94	129	1,898	114	219,847	592,613	162,961	11,748,938	260,524	
NOVEMBER	365	8,565	175	86	1,644	104	195,166	601,885	75,185	11,177,822	258,358	
DECEMBER	370	9,546	167	75	1,675	102	269,763	554,616	66,617	11,204,258	261,423	
1981												
JANUARY	315	8,042	116	106	2,277	138	160,744	610,475	68,887	11,226,432	263,531	
FEBRUARY	437	12,793	245	106	1,614	68	215,627	633,162	85,873	11,288,299	258,861	
MARCH	403	10,489	119	104	2,342	146	231,632	656,188	10,6,157	11,393,364	257,534	
APRIL	442	11,115	146	103	2,037	196	251,6418	653,443	181,187	11,584,422	257,831	
MAY	369	9,621	368	154	2,135	67	237,446	655,465	88,654	11,576,233	254,895	
JUNE	355	9,148	122	92	1,725	45	238,785	650,381	72,114	11,762,954	259,925	
JULY	439	10,851	149	111	2,256	45	266,177	631,350	161,909	11,866,575	261,546	

STATES - JUNE 1981

N.S.W.	149	4,241	61	71	1,480	45	72,756	240,246	23,537	3,386,374	98,453
VIC.	101	2,416	38	5	72	-	98,647	246,023	24,978	4,554,341	115,014
QLD.	41	903	-	4	35	-	26,106	68,589	8,224	1,343,641	12,992
S.A.	24	658	15	8	72	-	16,397	35,106	8,026	1,143,938	-
W.A.	30	561	-	-	-	-	14,935	39,870	4,946	857,920	34,826
I.A.S.	4	105	6	2	40	-	5,467	10,366	1,853	298,749	1,594
N.I.	-	-	-	1	26	-	877	1,979	76	23,9,93	-
A.C.T.	5	164	-	1	6	-	3,640	8,208	1,377	204,262	1,054

STATES - JULY 1981

N.S.W.	185	5,574	26	81	1,857	45	77,459	225,960	30,104	3,417,602	98,414
VIC.	137	2,415	99	18	275	-	105,377	242,189	39,520	4,551,140	117,328
QLD.	57	1,336	-	3	34	-	34,649	66,157	12,265	1,356,914	12,846
S.A.	33	751	-	7	74	-	20,112	35,688	10,128	1,149,192	-
W.A.	14	369	-	1	8	-	19,337	41,387	5,516	961,425	34,712
I.A.S.	3	97	22	1	8	-	5,822	9,838	2,399	30,863	1,662
N.I.	-	-	-	1	26	-	1,114	1,753	177	24,665	-
A.C.T.	13	309	-	-	-	-	3,311	8,378	1,378	24,634	684