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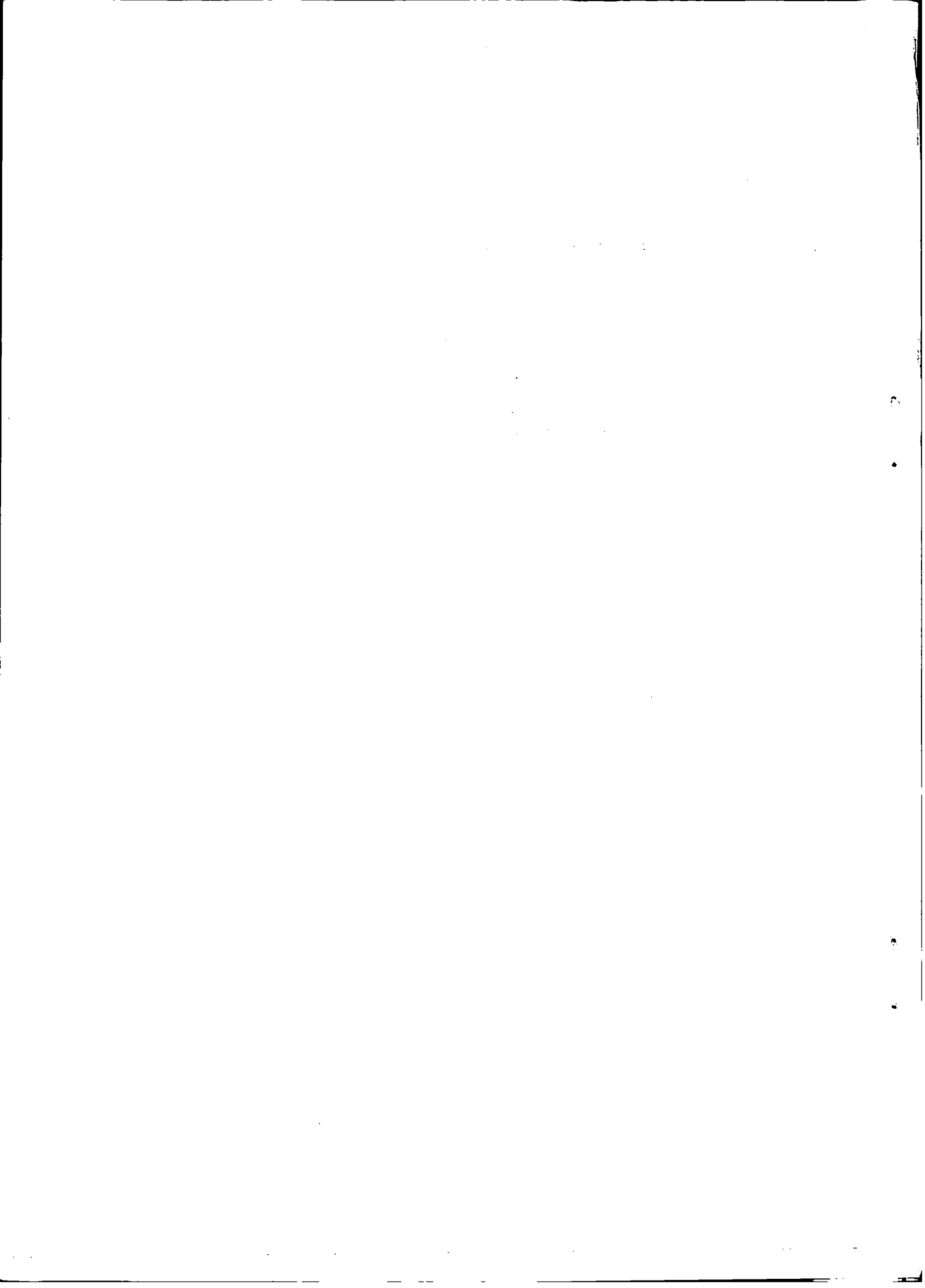
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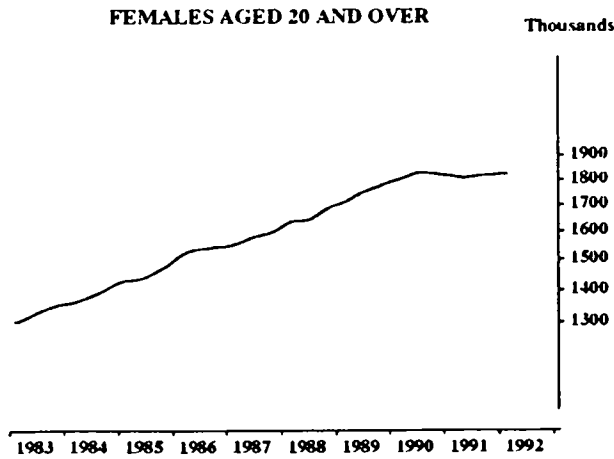
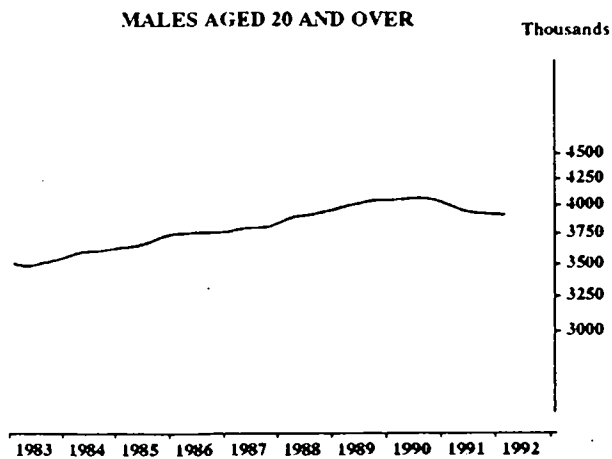
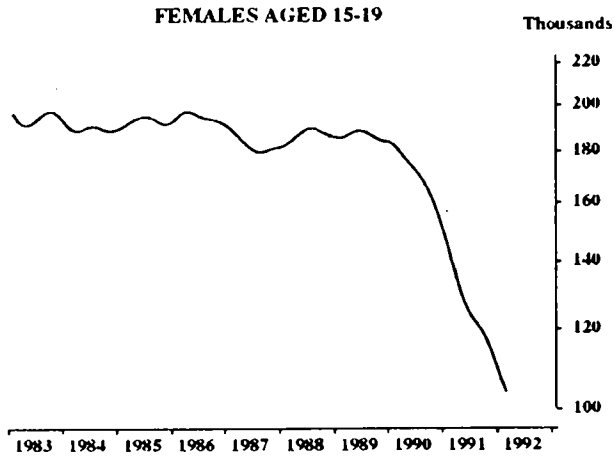
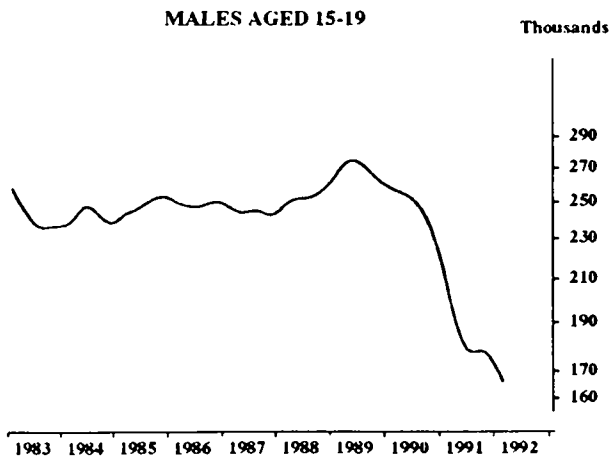
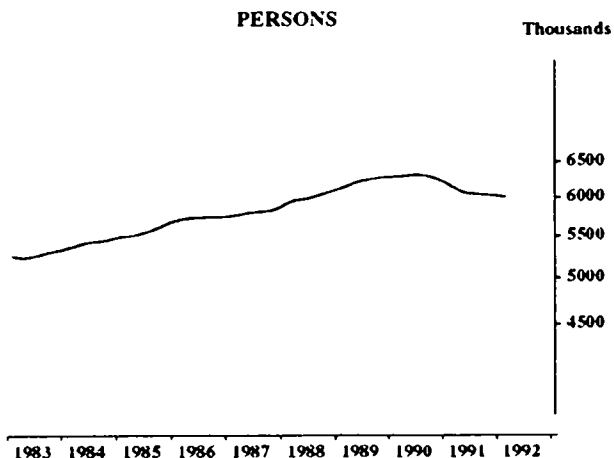
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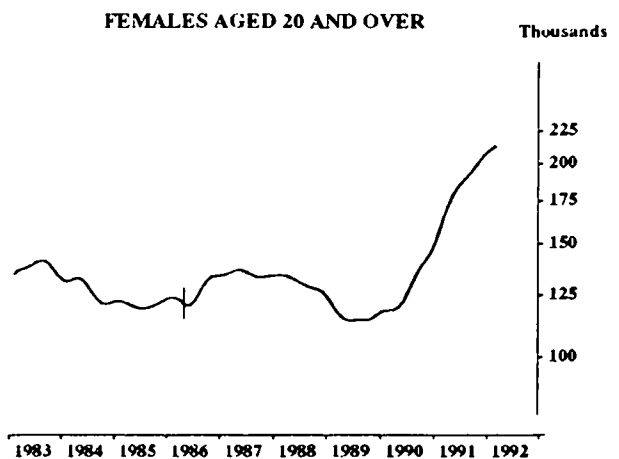
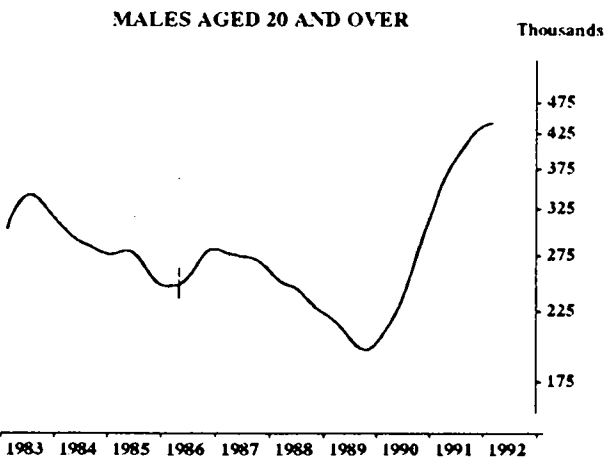
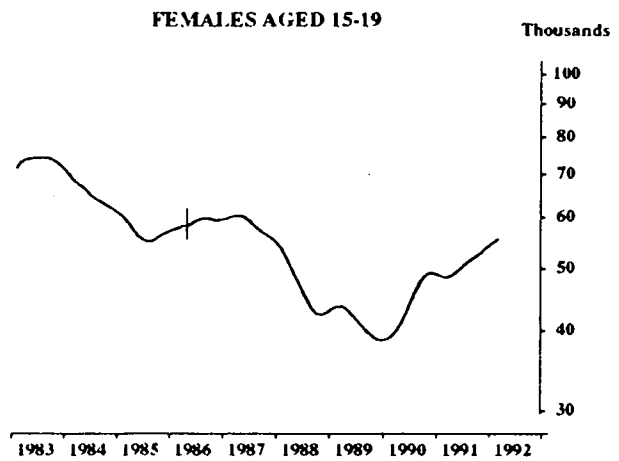
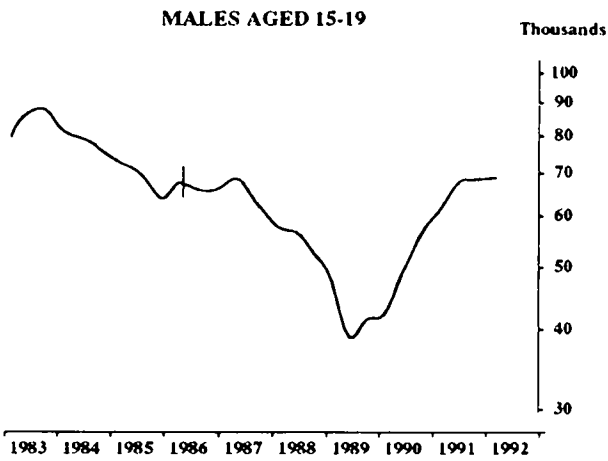
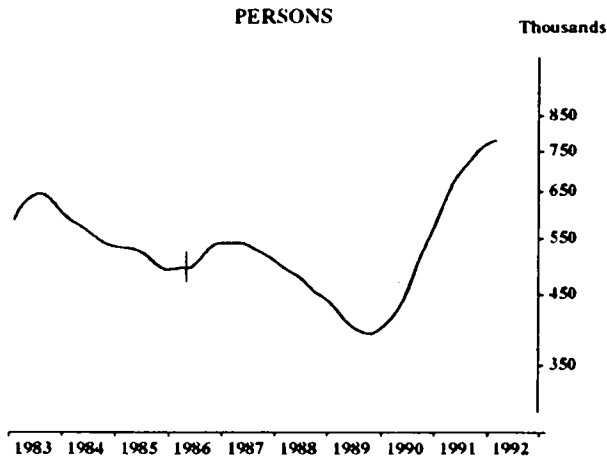
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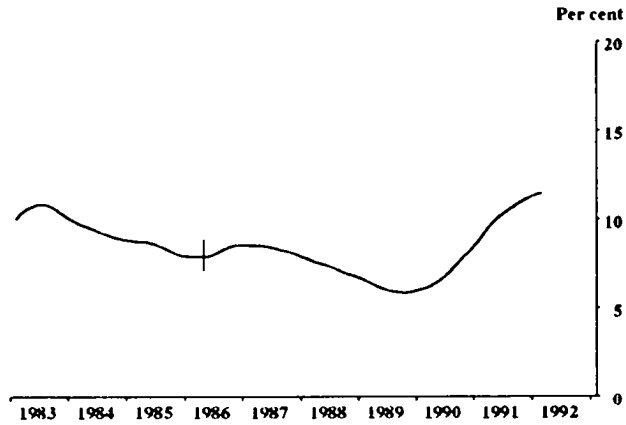
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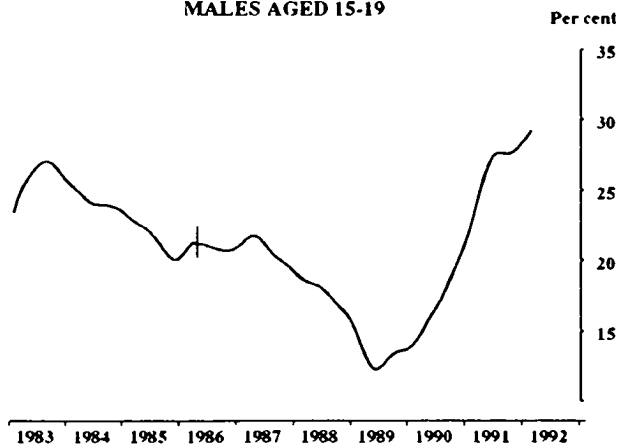
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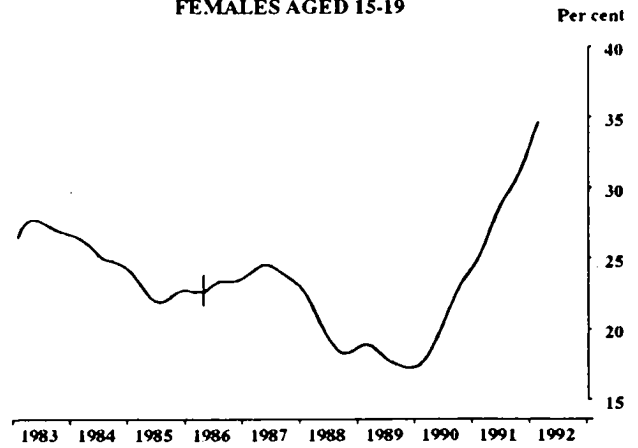
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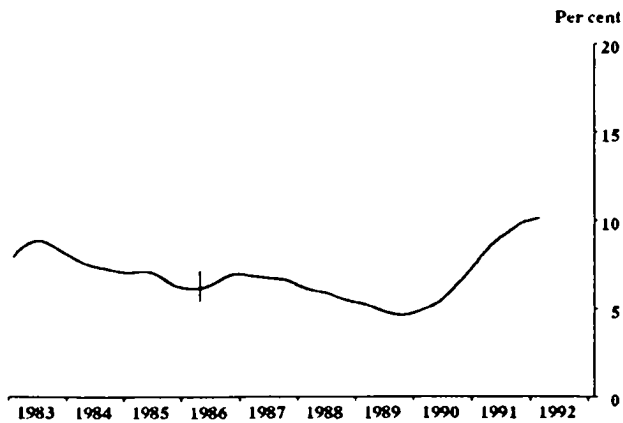
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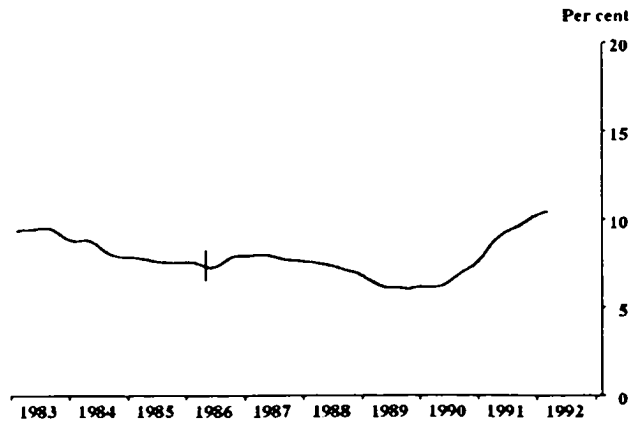
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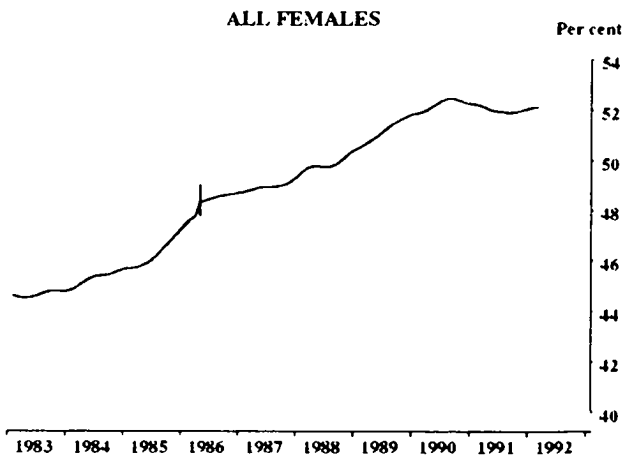
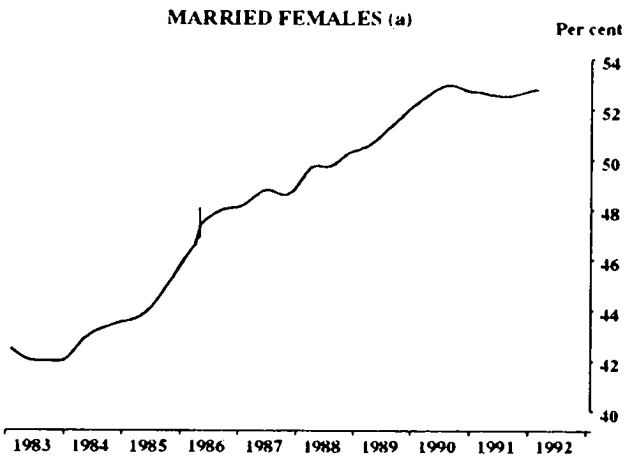
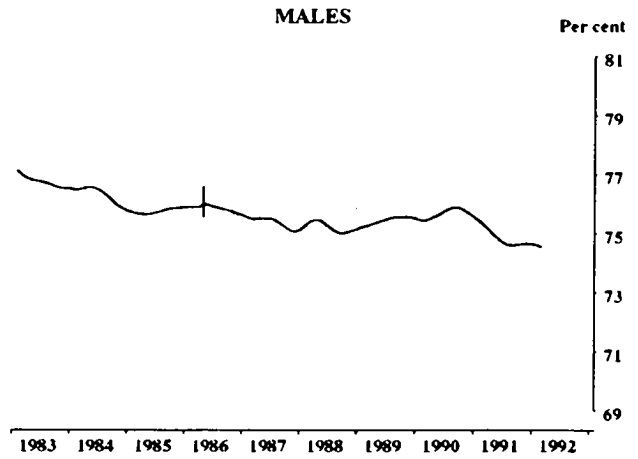
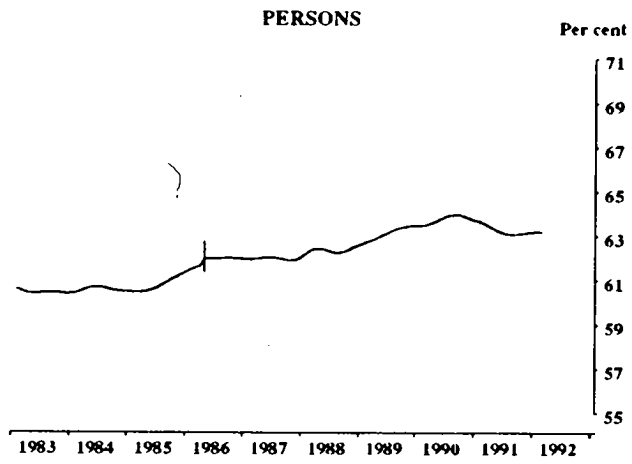


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PARTICIPATION RATE: TREND SERIES



(a) See paragraph 30 of the Explanatory Notes.

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TABLES

TABLE 1. LABOUR FORCE STATUS OF CIVILIAN POPULATION AGED 15 AND OVER

Month	Employed		Unemployed			Labour force	Not in labour force	Civilian population aged 15 and over	Unemployment rate - per cent -	Participation rate
	Full-time workers	Total	Looking for full-time work		Looking for part-time work					
			Aged 15-19 looking for first job	Total						
MALES										
1990 —										
December	4,263.2	4,635.6	40.3	368.9	48.6	417.5	5,053.1	1,549.8	6,602.9	8.3 76.5
1991 —										
January	4,163.0	4,523.1	38.8	419.7	43.0	462.7	4,985.8	1,626.9	6,612.6	9.3 75.4
February	4,153.9	4,532.7	28.9	421.2	51.6	472.8	5,005.5	1,616.8	6,622.3	9.4 75.6
March	4,111.1	4,513.5	24.5	426.3	57.3	483.5	4,997.0	1,635.1	6,632.1	9.7 75.3
April	4,084.4	4,504.9	23.7	445.3	58.5	503.8	5,008.7	1,632.2	6,640.9	10.1 75.4
May	4,086.9	4,496.2	21.9	436.7	49.8	486.5	4,982.7	1,667.0	6,649.7	9.8 74.9
June	4,069.9	4,487.5	19.4	427.5	34.2	461.7	4,949.2	1,709.4	6,658.6	9.3 74.3
July	4,046.4	4,440.3	24.0	448.6	39.6	488.2	4,928.4	1,738.1	6,666.6	9.9 73.9
August	4,035.4	4,443.7	25.0	465.4	37.2	502.6	4,946.3	1,728.3	6,674.6	10.2 74.1
September	4,065.3	4,492.0	28.6	476.1	47.2	523.3	5,015.3	1,667.3	6,682.6	10.4 75.1
October	4,075.4	4,473.4	22.4	453.9	40.5	494.5	4,967.9	1,723.4	6,691.2	10.0 74.2
November	4,021.3	4,456.3	31.4	466.8	33.3	500.1	4,956.3	1,743.5	6,699.8	10.1 74.0
December	4,098.1	4,508.6	49.2	503.2	54.5	557.7	5,066.2	1,642.2	6,708.4	11.0 75.5
1992 —										
January	4,024.1	4,424.7	50.6	540.9	50.1	591.0	5,015.7	1,700.9	6,716.6	11.8 74.7
February	4,015.1	4,448.3	43.9	542.9	52.2	595.1	5,043.4	1,681.3	6,724.7	11.8 75.0
Standard error of —										
February 1992 estimates	18.3	19.0	3.0	8.7	3.2	9.0	19.8	13.4	..	0.2 0.3
Jan 92 to Feb 92 movements	13.9	14.5	2.7	6.6	2.7	6.8	15.1	10.1	..	0.1 0.2
MARRIED FEMALES										
1990 —										
December	1,081.5	1,996.2	* 1.0	65.2	36.5	101.6	2,097.8	1,880.0	3,977.9	4.8 52.7
1991 —										
January	1,074.6	1,895.1	* 0.1	70.1	36.1	106.2	2,001.3	1,995.7	3,997.1	5.3 50.1
February	1,054.5	1,965.6	* 0.6	83.9	51.5	135.4	2,101.0	1,897.2	3,998.2	6.4 52.5
March	1,065.3	1,991.8	* 0.3	81.1	57.8	138.8	2,130.7	1,875.9	4,006.6	6.5 53.2
April	1,050.4	1,980.6	* 0.3	92.7	57.5	150.3	2,130.9	1,870.9	4,001.8	7.1 53.2
May	1,054.5	1,991.6	* 0.2	93.0	42.7	135.8	2,127.4	1,877.6	4,004.9	6.4 53.1
June	1,055.3	1,994.0	* 0.0	79.2	44.4	123.6	2,117.5	1,890.9	4,008.5	5.8 52.8
July	1,053.7	1,971.0	* 0.6	90.6	37.2	127.8	2,098.8	1,939.1	4,037.9	6.1 52.0
August	1,068.1	1,990.0	* 1.3	83.2	39.2	122.3	2,112.3	1,904.8	4,017.1	5.8 52.6
September	1,079.2	2,022.4	* 0.3	91.2	49.2	140.4	2,162.8	1,859.1	4,022.0	6.5 53.8
October	1,077.7	1,974.3	* 1.8	91.5	38.2	129.7	2,104.0	1,925.5	4,029.5	6.2 52.2
November	1,060.2	1,987.9	* 1.2	88.9	39.4	128.2	2,116.1	1,908.5	4,024.6	6.1 52.6
December	1,077.4	1,985.8	* 2.2	91.1	42.9	134.0	2,119.9	1,911.3	4,031.1	6.3 52.6
1992 —										
January	1,060.7	1,900.2	* 2.4	103.8	37.4	141.2	2,041.5	1,994.4	4,035.8	6.9 50.6
February	1,063.9	1,967.0	* 1.3	113.7	46.0	159.7	2,126.7	1,914.9	4,041.6	7.5 52.6
Standard error of —										
February 1992 estimates	11.3	14.2	0.5	4.6	3.1	5.3	14.6	14.1	..	0.2 0.4
Jan 92 to Feb 92 movements	8.5	10.6	0.9	3.7	2.6	4.2	11.0	10.7	..	0.2 0.3

TABLE 1. LABOUR FORCE STATUS OF CIVILIAN POPULATION AGED 15 AND OVER—continued

Month	Employed		Unemployed			Labour force	Not in labour force	Civilian population aged 15 and over	Unemployment rate - per cent -	Participation rate	
	Full-time workers	Total	Looking for full-time work		Looking for part-time work						
			Aged 15-19 looking for first job	Total							
					Total						
ALL FEMALES											
1990 —											
December	1,991.1	3,305.5	34.3	203.6	83.5	287.1	3,592.6	3,180.3	6,773.0	8.0	53.0
1991 —											
January	1,967.7	3,145.7	31.4	216.3	88.7	305.0	3,450.6	3,331.8	6,782.5	8.8	50.9
February	1,919.2	3,206.6	27.5	233.2	106.3	339.4	3,546.1	3,245.8	6,791.9	9.6	52.2
March	1,906.1	3,233.1	25.0	224.0	117.1	341.1	3,574.1	3,227.2	6,801.4	9.5	52.6
April	1,910.7	3,245.6	22.7	238.6	113.9	352.5	3,598.2	3,212.2	6,810.3	9.8	52.8
May	1,905.7	3,242.7	22.6	238.0	87.7	325.7	3,568.4	3,250.9	6,819.3	9.1	52.3
June	1,896.6	3,229.1	21.1	216.8	85.7	302.5	3,531.6	3,296.7	6,828.3	8.6	51.7
July	1,889.7	3,183.7	18.4	232.1	81.5	313.6	3,497.3	3,339.8	6,837.1	9.0	51.2
August	1,907.6	3,225.5	18.0	221.6	81.8	303.4	3,528.9	3,317.0	6,845.9	8.6	51.5
September	1,924.8	3,270.8	17.3	238.8	105.1	343.9	3,614.7	3,240.1	6,854.8	9.5	52.7
October	1,926.9	3,214.4	19.5	223.0	84.1	307.1	3,521.5	3,342.6	6,864.2	8.7	51.3
November	1,879.8	3,217.9	18.2	232.5	84.9	317.4	3,535.3	3,338.2	6,873.5	9.0	51.4
December	1,942.8	3,270.9	38.2	264.8	97.9	362.7	3,633.6	3,249.3	6,882.9	10.0	52.8
1992 —											
January	1,919.3	3,146.2	40.1	280.4	88.3	368.7	3,514.8	3,377.0	6,891.8	10.5	51.0
February	1,904.8	3,202.6	40.3	297.9	104.7	402.6	3,605.2	3,295.5	6,900.7	11.2	52.2
Standard error of —											
February 1992 estimates	14.0	16.9	2.9	6.9	4.4	7.7	17.6	17.1	..	0.2	0.3
Jan 92 to Feb 92 movements	10.6	12.8	2.5	5.3	3.6	5.9	13.4	13.0	..	0.2	0.2
PERSONS											
1990 —											
December	6,254.3	7,941.2	74.7	572.5	132.1	704.6	8,645.7	4,730.1	13,375.9	8.1	64.6
1991 —											
January	6,130.7	7,668.8	70.1	635.9	131.7	767.7	8,436.4	4,958.7	13,395.1	9.1	63.0
February	6,073.1	7,739.3	56.4	654.4	157.9	812.2	8,551.6	4,862.7	13,414.2	9.5	63.8
March	6,017.3	7,746.5	49.5	650.2	174.4	824.6	8,571.1	4,862.3	13,433.5	9.6	63.8
April	5,995.0	7,750.5	46.4	683.9	172.4	856.3	8,606.8	4,844.4	13,451.2	9.9	64.0
May	5,992.6	7,738.9	44.5	674.7	137.5	812.2	8,551.1	4,917.9	13,469.0	9.5	63.5
June	5,966.5	7,716.7	40.6	644.3	119.8	764.1	8,480.8	5,006.0	13,486.8	9.0	62.9
July	5,936.0	7,624.0	42.4	680.7	121.1	801.7	8,425.7	5,078.0	13,503.7	9.5	62.4
August	5,943.0	7,669.2	43.0	687.0	119.1	806.0	8,475.2	5,045.3	13,520.5	9.5	62.7
September	5,990.1	7,762.8	45.8	714.9	152.3	867.2	8,630.0	4,907.4	13,537.5	10.0	63.7
October	6,002.3	7,687.8	41.9	676.9	124.6	801.6	8,489.4	5,066.0	13,555.4	9.4	62.6
November	5,901.0	7,674.1	49.6	699.3	118.2	817.5	8,491.6	5,081.7	13,573.3	9.6	62.6
December	6,041.0	7,779.5	87.3	767.9	152.4	920.4	8,699.8	4,891.5	13,591.3	10.6	64.0
1992 —											
January	5,943.4	7,570.9	90.7	821.3	138.4	959.7	8,530.5	5,077.9	13,608.4	11.2	62.7
February	5,919.9	7,650.9	84.2	840.8	156.9	997.7	8,648.6	4,976.8	13,625.4	11.5	63.5
Standard error of —											
February 1992 estimates	20.9	22.7	4.0	10.3	5.2	11.0	23.7	19.7	..	0.1	0.2
Jan 92 to Feb 92 movements	16.1	17.7	3.4	7.7	4.1	8.3	18.5	15.2	..	0.1	0.1

TABLE 2. CIVILIAN LABOUR FORCE: SEASONALLY ADJUSTED SERIES — revised

Month	Employed		Unemployed				Labour force	Unemployment rate - percent -	Participation rate
	Full-time workers	Total	Looking for full-time work		Looking for part-time work	Total			
			Aged 15-19 looking for first job	Total - '000 -					
MALES									
1990 —									
December	4,212.1	4,584.5	26.5	361.9	42.1	403.9	4,988.4	8.1	75.5
1991 —									
January	4,182.9	4,562.1	23.7	381.1	39.2	420.4	4,982.5	8.4	75.3
February	4,147.2	4,549.3	22.7	388.2	45.9	434.1	4,983.4	8.7	75.3
March	4,118.2	4,512.1	25.0	418.6	47.3	465.9	4,977.9	9.4	75.1
April	4,090.5	4,496.4	27.3	452.0	52.9	505.0	5,001.4	10.1	75.3
May	4,091.3	4,492.0	25.9	434.7	47.9	482.6	4,974.5	9.7	74.8
June	4,074.7	4,485.5	26.5	443.7	42.4	486.1	4,971.6	9.8	74.7
July	4,036.3	4,438.9	30.5	457.4	43.9	501.3	4,940.2	10.1	74.1
August	4,064.8	4,478.1	29.9	471.3	44.9	516.2	4,994.3	10.3	74.8
September	4,057.2	4,470.2	32.4	477.1	45.9	523.0	4,993.2	10.5	74.7
October	4,062.4	4,463.4	29.4	489.9	44.2	534.1	4,997.5	10.7	74.7
November	4,032.2	4,457.7	35.9	498.7	42.2	540.8	4,998.5	10.8	74.6
December	4,050.4	4,461.6	32.4	498.0	47.2	545.2	5,006.8	10.9	74.6
1992 —									
January	4,046.1	4,468.0	30.8	492.8	45.9	538.7	5,006.7	10.8	74.5
February	4,010.5	4,470.0	34.5	500.2	46.3	546.5	5,016.5	10.9	74.6
MARRIED FEMALES									
1990 —									
December	1,064.6	1,983.9	n.a.	70.7	40.6	111.3	2,095.2	5.3	52.7
1991 —									
January	1,073.6	1,988.4	n.a.	68.4	47.2	115.7	2,104.0	5.5	52.6
February	1,063.8	1,991.2	n.a.	73.5	44.1	117.6	2,108.8	5.6	52.7
March	1,062.1	1,978.7	n.a.	76.9	47.5	124.3	2,103.0	5.9	52.5
April	1,058.7	1,973.9	n.a.	90.5	47.6	138.1	2,112.1	6.5	52.8
May	1,061.6	1,979.2	n.a.	85.9	41.0	126.9	2,106.1	6.0	52.6
June	1,064.7	1,981.0	n.a.	77.0	44.2	121.2	2,102.2	5.8	52.4
July	1,056.6	1,970.0	n.a.	88.3	41.5	129.8	2,099.8	6.2	52.0
August	1,083.8	1,993.3	n.a.	89.0	44.0	133.0	2,126.3	6.3	52.9
September	1,069.3	1,984.8	n.a.	95.5	45.7	141.3	2,126.0	6.6	52.9
October	1,063.6	1,969.0	n.a.	101.1	40.9	141.9	2,110.9	6.7	52.4
November	1,053.1	1,967.6	n.a.	98.5	44.2	142.7	2,110.3	6.8	52.4
December	1,060.1	1,973.6	n.a.	98.9	47.7	146.6	2,120.2	6.9	52.6
1992 —									
January	1,059.4	1,995.2	n.a.	101.6	48.1	149.7	2,145.0	7.0	53.1
February	1,073.3	1,992.1	n.a.	99.4	39.3	138.8	2,130.9	6.5	52.7
ALL FEMALES									
1990 —									
December	1,947.3	3,257.6	22.8	196.9	87.6	284.5	3,542.1	8.0	52.3
1991 —									
January	1,961.9	3,242.5	19.7	196.7	100.2	296.9	3,539.3	8.4	52.2
February	1,922.9	3,238.8	21.3	207.7	96.7	304.4	3,543.3	8.6	52.2
March	1,907.3	3,219.5	24.9	214.7	95.5	310.2	3,529.8	8.8	51.9
April	1,917.6	3,231.7	25.0	227.9	95.5	323.5	3,555.1	9.1	52.2
May	1,911.7	3,226.2	25.7	233.2	83.6	316.7	3,542.9	8.9	52.0
June	1,913.1	3,223.6	23.9	225.6	92.5	318.1	3,541.8	9.0	51.9
July	1,885.0	3,189.0	22.9	239.0	91.1	330.1	3,519.2	9.4	51.5
August	1,937.1	3,246.6	22.5	233.2	92.8	326.0	3,572.6	9.1	52.2
September	1,915.5	3,225.8	21.5	249.2	97.7	346.9	3,572.6	9.7	52.1
October	1,925.3	3,214.5	24.5	246.3	90.0	336.3	3,550.8	9.5	51.7
November	1,876.1	3,197.5	25.0	256.9	96.4	353.3	3,550.9	10.0	51.7
December	1,901.9	3,225.7	25.2	259.6	102.9	362.5	3,588.2	10.1	52.1
1992 —									
January	1,917.2	3,249.9	25.1	256.4	99.0	355.4	3,605.3	9.9	52.3
February	1,909.2	3,235.5	31.3	266.0	95.3	361.3	3,596.7	10.0	52.1
PERSONS									
1990 —									
December	6,159.4	7,842.1	49.3	558.8	129.7	688.4	8,530.5	8.1	63.8
1991 —									
January	6,144.8	7,804.6	43.4	577.8	139.4	717.2	8,521.8	8.4	63.6
February	6,070.1	7,788.2	44.0	595.9	142.6	738.5	8,526.7	8.7	63.6
March	6,025.6	7,731.6	49.9	633.3	142.8	776.1	8,507.7	9.1	63.3
April	6,008.1	7,728.1	52.3	679.9	148.5	828.4	8,556.5	9.7	63.6
May	6,003.1	7,718.2	51.6	667.8	131.5	799.3	8,517.5	9.4	63.2
June	5,987.8	7,709.1	50.4	669.3	134.9	804.2	8,513.3	9.4	63.1
July	5,921.3	7,628.0	53.4	696.4	135.0	831.4	8,459.4	9.8	62.6
August	6,001.9	7,724.7	52.4	704.5	137.7	842.2	8,566.9	9.8	63.4
September	5,972.7	7,696.0	53.9	726.3	143.6	869.8	8,565.8	10.2	63.3
October	5,987.7	7,678.0	53.9	736.2	134.2	870.3	8,548.3	10.2	63.1
November	5,908.4	7,655.2	60.9	755.6	138.6	894.2	8,549.4	10.5	63.0
December	5,952.3	7,687.3	57.6	757.6	150.1	907.6	8,595.0	10.6	63.2
1992 —									
January	5,963.3	7,717.9	55.9	749.2	144.9	894.1	8,612.0	10.4	63.3
February	5,919.7	7,705.5	65.8	766.1	141.6	907.8	8,613.2	10.5	63.2

TABLE 3. CIVILIAN LABOUR FORCE: TREND SERIES — revised

Month	Employed		Unemployed				Labour force	Unemployment rate - percent -	Participation rate
	Full-time workers	Total	Looking for full-time work		Looking for part-time work	Total			
			Aged 15-19 looking for first job	Total - '000 -					
MALES									
1990 —									
December	4,198.9	4,576.3	23.4	368.9	43.3	412.2	4,988.5	8.3	75.6
1991 —									
January	4,175.8	4,559.5	24.3	384.5	44.4	428.8	4,988.3	8.6	75.4
February	4,150.3	4,540.9	24.8	400.3	45.7	446.0	4,986.9	8.9	75.3
March	4,124.4	4,521.2	25.2	415.5	46.8	462.2	4,983.4	9.3	75.1
April	4,100.5	4,502.4	25.8	429.3	47.3	476.6	4,979.0	9.6	75.0
May	4,081.6	4,486.7	26.7	441.2	47.2	488.4	4,975.1	9.8	74.8
June	4,068.6	4,475.4	27.8	451.3	46.4	497.7	4,973.0	10.0	74.7
July	4,060.6	4,468.5	29.1	460.3	45.2	505.5	4,974.0	10.2	74.6
August	4,056.3	4,464.6	30.3	469.5	44.3	513.8	4,978.5	10.3	74.6
September	4,053.8	4,463.2	31.2	478.5	44.1	522.6	4,985.9	10.5	74.6
October	4,051.3	4,463.2	32.0	486.7	44.5	531.2	4,994.3	10.6	74.6
November	4,047.4	4,463.8	32.5	492.5	44.9	537.5	5,001.3	10.7	74.6
December	4,041.9	4,464.5	32.8	496.5	45.3	541.8	5,006.3	10.8	74.6
1992 —									
January	4,035.8	4,465.6	33.1	499.3	45.7	545.0	5,010.6	10.9	74.6
February	4,028.3	4,464.9	33.3	500.7	46.0	546.7	5,011.7	10.9	74.5
MARRIED FEMALES (a)									
1990 —									
December	1,066.7	1,987.9	n.a.	68.4	43.8	112.2	2,100.1	5.3	52.7
1991 —									
January	1,065.8	1,986.7	n.a.	71.7	44.9	116.5	2,103.2	5.5	52.7
February	1,064.4	1,984.2	n.a.	75.3	45.5	120.8	2,105.0	5.7	52.7
March	1,062.7	1,981.3	n.a.	78.7	45.5	124.3	2,105.5	5.9	52.6
April	1,061.8	1,979.4	n.a.	81.4	45.1	126.5	2,105.9	6.0	52.6
May	1,062.5	1,979.0	n.a.	83.5	44.4	127.9	2,106.9	6.1	52.5
June	1,064.5	1,979.4	n.a.	85.6	43.6	129.3	2,108.6	6.1	52.5
July	1,066.7	1,979.5	n.a.	88.0	43.0	131.0	2,110.5	6.2	52.5
August	1,067.5	1,978.9	n.a.	90.8	43.1	133.8	2,112.7	6.3	52.5
September	1,066.4	1,977.7	n.a.	93.9	43.6	137.5	2,115.3	6.5	52.6
October	1,064.4	1,977.0	n.a.	96.9	44.3	141.2	2,118.2	6.7	52.6
November	1,062.5	1,977.6	n.a.	99.0	44.7	143.7	2,121.3	6.8	52.7
December	1,061.6	1,979.8	n.a.	100.1	44.8	145.0	2,124.8	6.8	52.7
1992 —									
January	1,061.9	1,983.1	n.a.	100.8	44.7	145.5	2,128.6	6.8	52.8
February	1,061.9	1,985.8	n.a.	101.2	44.3	145.4	2,131.2	6.8	52.8
ALL FEMALES									
1990 —									
December	1,944.9	3,248.0	22.6	195.2	92.7	287.9	3,535.9	8.1	52.2
1991 —									
January	1,938.0	3,243.6	22.6	201.4	94.4	295.8	3,539.4	8.4	52.2
February	1,930.1	3,237.9	22.9	208.6	95.0	303.7	3,541.5	8.6	52.1
March	1,921.3	3,230.9	23.5	215.9	94.4	310.3	3,541.2	8.8	52.1
April	1,913.6	3,225.1	24.1	222.5	93.1	315.5	3,540.6	8.9	52.0
May	1,909.8	3,222.0	24.3	227.9	91.7	319.7	3,541.7	9.0	51.9
June	1,910.0	3,220.7	24.0	232.2	90.9	323.1	3,543.8	9.1	51.9
July	1,911.8	3,219.5	23.5	236.1	91.0	327.1	3,546.6	9.2	51.9
August	1,912.6	3,218.2	23.0	240.0	92.3	332.2	3,550.4	9.4	51.9
September	1,911.3	3,217.7	23.0	244.3	94.0	338.3	3,556.1	9.5	51.9
October	1,909.2	3,218.9	23.6	249.1	95.6	344.7	3,563.6	9.7	51.9
November	1,907.1	3,221.8	24.6	253.6	96.8	350.4	3,572.2	9.8	52.0
December	1,905.5	3,225.6	25.8	257.6	97.7	355.2	3,580.9	9.9	52.0
1992 —									
January	1,905.2	3,230.5	27.0	260.8	98.3	359.1	3,589.6	10.0	52.1
February	1,903.6	3,232.9	28.2	263.7	98.6	362.3	3,595.2	10.1	52.1
PERSONS									
1990 —									
December	6,143.8	7,824.3	46.0	564.1	136.0	700.1	8,524.4	8.2	63.7
1991 —									
January	6,113.8	7,803.0	46.8	585.9	138.8	724.7	8,527.7	8.5	63.7
February	6,080.4	7,778.8	47.7	608.9	140.7	749.6	8,528.4	8.8	63.6
March	6,045.7	7,752.1	48.7	631.4	141.2	772.5	8,524.7	9.1	63.5
April	6,014.1	7,727.5	49.8	651.7	140.4	792.2	8,519.6	9.3	63.3
May	5,991.3	7,708.7	50.9	669.1	139.0	808.1	8,516.7	9.5	63.2
June	5,978.6	7,696.1	51.9	683.5	137.3	820.8	8,516.8	9.6	63.1
July	5,972.3	7,688.0	52.6	696.4	136.2	832.6	8,520.6	9.8	63.1
August	5,968.8	7,682.8	53.2	709.5	136.6	846.1	8,528.9	9.9	63.1
September	5,965.2	7,681.0	54.2	722.9	138.1	861.0	8,541.9	10.1	63.1
October	5,960.5	7,682.1	55.5	735.8	140.1	875.9	8,558.0	10.2	63.1
November	5,954.5	7,685.6	57.0	746.2	141.7	887.9	8,573.5	10.4	63.2
December	5,947.4	7,690.1	58.6	754.1	143.0	897.1	8,587.1	10.4	63.2
1992 —									
January	5,941.0	7,696.1	60.1	760.1	144.0	904.1	8,600.2	10.5	63.2
February	5,931.9	7,697.9	61.5	764.4	144.6	909.0	8,606.9	10.6	63.2

(a) See Explanatory Notes, Paragraph 30.

**TABLE 4. LABOUR FORCE STATUS OF THE CIVILIAN POPULATION AGED 15 AND OVER:
MARITAL STATUS, FEBRUARY 1992**

	Employed		Unemployed		Total	Labour force	Not in labour force	Civilian population aged 15 and over	Unemployment rate - per	Participation rate - cent -
	Full-time workers	Total	Looking for full-time work	Looking for part-time work - '000 -						
Males	4,015.1	4,448.3	542.9	52.2	595.1	5,043.4	1,681.3	6,724.7	11.8	75.0
Married	2,755.1	2,928.7	245.2	8.8	253.9	3,182.7	941.7	4,124.3	8.0	77.2
Not married	1,260.0	1,519.6	297.7	43.4	341.1	1,860.7	739.6	2,600.4	18.3	71.6
Females	1,904.8	3,202.6	297.9	104.7	402.6	3,605.2	3,295.5	6,900.7	11.2	52.2
Married	1,063.9	1,967.0	113.7	46.0	159.7	2,126.7	1,914.9	4,041.6	7.5	52.6
Not married	840.9	1,235.6	184.2	58.7	242.9	1,478.5	1,380.6	2,859.1	16.4	51.7
Persons	5,919.9	7,650.9	840.8	156.9	997.7	8,648.6	4,976.8	13,625.4	11.5	63.5

**TABLE 5. LABOUR FORCE STATUS OF THE CIVILIAN POPULATION AGED 15 AND OVER:
STATES AND TERRITORIES, FEBRUARY 1992**

State or Territory	Employed		Unemployed		Total	Labour force	Not in labour force	Civilian population aged 15 and over	Unemployment rate - per	Participation rate - cent -
	Full-time workers	Total	Looking for full-time work	Looking for part-time work - '000 -						
MALES										
New South Wales	1,368.8	1,505.9	171.9	15.1	187.0	1,692.8	588.8	2,281.6	11.0	74.2
Victoria	1,016.0	1,126.8	148.2	12.7	161.0	1,287.8	430.3	1,718.0	12.5	75.0
Queensland	692.3	771.2	85.2	11.9	97.0	868.3	287.2	1,155.4	11.2	75.1
South Australia	330.4	367.8	53.8	4.5	58.2	426.0	147.9	573.9	13.7	74.2
Western Australia	399.9	441.5	59.1	5.1	64.2	505.7	145.6	651.3	12.7	77.6
Tasmania	101.7	111.9	14.1	* 1.2	15.3	127.1	48.4	175.5	12.0	72.4
Northern Territory	33.4	41.2	4.4	* 0.5	4.9	46.1	12.1	58.2	10.6	79.2
Australian Capital Territory	72.8	82.0	6.3	* 1.3	7.6	89.6	21.1	110.7	8.4	81.0
Australia	4,015.1	4,448.3	542.9	52.2	595.1	5,043.4	1,681.3	6,724.7	11.8	75.0
FEMALES										
New South Wales	671.0	1,067.5	90.7	34.7	125.4	1,192.9	1,161.4	2,354.3	10.5	50.7
Victoria	493.2	825.8	89.9	23.2	113.0	938.8	842.0	1,780.8	12.0	52.7
Queensland	317.7	553.5	51.4	22.2	73.6	627.1	550.0	1,177.0	11.7	53.3
South Australia	149.0	268.6	23.5	9.5	33.0	301.6	287.8	589.4	10.9	51.2
Western Australia	166.6	309.1	29.0	9.9	38.9	348.0	302.0	650.0	11.2	53.5
Tasmania	43.9	78.4	6.8	2.7	9.5	87.8	93.2	181.1	10.8	48.5
Northern Territory	19.0	32.5	2.5	* 0.5	3.1	35.5	19.6	55.1	8.6	64.5
Australian Capital Territory	44.4	67.3	4.0	2.1	6.1	73.4	39.5	112.9	8.3	65.0
Australia	1,904.8	3,202.6	297.9	104.7	402.6	3,605.2	3,295.5	6,900.7	11.2	52.2
PERSONS										
New South Wales	2,039.8	2,573.3	262.6	49.8	312.4	2,885.7	1,750.2	4,636.0	10.8	62.2
Victoria	1,509.2	1,952.6	238.1	35.9	274.0	2,226.6	1,272.2	3,498.8	12.3	63.6
Queensland	1,009.9	1,324.7	136.6	34.0	170.6	1,495.3	837.1	2,332.5	11.4	64.1
South Australia	479.5	636.4	77.3	13.9	91.2	727.6	435.7	1,163.4	12.5	62.5
Western Australia	566.5	750.7	88.2	14.9	103.1	853.7	447.6	1,301.3	12.1	65.6
Tasmania	145.6	190.2	20.8	3.9	24.7	215.0	141.7	356.6	11.5	60.3
Northern Territory	52.3	73.7	6.9	* 1.0	7.9	81.6	31.7	113.3	9.7	72.0
Australian Capital Territory	117.1	149.3	10.3	3.4	13.7	163.0	60.6	223.6	8.4	72.9
Australia	5,919.9	7,650.9	840.8	156.9	997.7	8,648.6	4,976.8	13,625.4	11.5	63.5

TABLE 6. LABOUR FORCE STATUS OF THE CIVILIAN POPULATION AGED 15 AND OVER:
STATE CAPITAL CITIES(a), FEBRUARY 1992

Capital city	Employed		Unemployed		Total	Labour force	Not in labour force	Civilian population aged 15 and over	Unemployment rate - per cent -	Participation rate
	Full-time workers	Total	Looking for full-time work	Looking for part-time work - '000 -						
MALES										
Sydney	885.6	971.5	96.2	10.8	107.0	1,078.4	361.5	1,439.9	9.9	74.9
Melbourne	721.3	796.9	108.6	11.0	119.6	916.5	300.3	1,216.7	13.1	75.3
Brisbane	310.8	348.3	33.3	5.6	38.9	387.2	128.6	515.8	10.0	75.1
Adelaide	237.9	263.2	38.3	3.9	42.1	305.3	112.4	417.7	13.8	73.1
Perth	280.6	311.0	43.2	3.5	46.8	357.8	111.8	469.6	13.1	76.2
Hobart	39.8	44.0	5.6	* 0.1	5.7	49.7	20.7	70.4	11.5	70.6
Total	2,475.9	2,734.8	325.2	34.9	360.0	3,094.8	1,035.3	4,130.1	11.6	74.9
FEMALES										
Sydney	468.3	706.0	54.7	21.5	76.2	782.2	716.3	1,498.5	9.7	52.2
Melbourne	374.1	603.3	65.6	18.2	83.8	687.1	582.5	1,269.6	12.2	54.1
Brisbane	160.9	262.3	22.9	10.6	33.6	295.9	249.1	545.0	11.4	54.3
Adelaide	109.9	198.4	18.4	6.7	25.0	223.4	215.4	438.8	11.2	50.9
Perth	129.3	233.7	22.6	7.6	30.2	263.9	224.8	488.7	11.4	54.0
Hobart	18.1	32.1	2.8	1.6	4.4	36.6	37.5	74.1	12.1	49.4
Total	1,260.6	2,035.8	187.0	66.3	253.3	2,289.1	2,025.6	4,314.7	11.1	53.1
PERSONS										
Sydney	1,353.9	1,677.5	150.8	32.3	183.1	1,860.6	1,077.7	2,938.3	9.8	63.3
Melbourne	1,095.5	1,400.1	174.3	29.2	203.5	1,603.6	882.7	2,486.3	12.7	64.5
Brisbane	471.7	610.6	56.2	16.2	72.4	683.0	377.8	1,060.8	10.6	64.4
Adelaide	347.8	461.6	56.6	10.5	67.2	528.7	327.9	856.6	12.7	61.7
Perth	409.8	544.7	65.9	11.1	77.0	621.7	336.6	958.3	12.4	64.9
Hobart	57.9	76.1	8.4	1.8	10.2	86.3	58.2	144.5	11.8	59.7
Total	3,736.6	4,770.6	512.2	101.2	613.4	5,384.0	3,060.8	8,444.8	11.4	63.8

(a) Consists of capital city statistical divisions. See the Glossary.

TABLE 7. LABOUR FORCE STATUS OF THE CIVILIAN POPULATION AGED 15 AND OVER:
AUSTRALIAN CAPITAL TERRITORY, FEBRUARY 1992

	Persons							Total
	Males	Females		Aged 15-19	Aged 20-24	Aged 25 and over		
		Married	Total					
— '000 —								
Employed	82.0	41.2	67.3	11.4	22.0	115.8	149.3	
Full-time workers	72.8	26.6	44.4	3.9	15.9	97.3	117.1	
Part-time workers	9.3	14.7	22.9	7.5	6.1	18.5	32.1	
Unemployed	7.6	2.5	6.1	3.2	2.4	8.1	13.7	
Looking for full-time work	6.3	1.6	4.0	1.4	2.0	6.9	10.3	
Looking for part-time work	* 1.3	* 0.9	2.1	1.8	* 0.4	* 1.2	3.4	
Labour force	89.6	43.8	73.4	14.6	24.4	124.0	163.0	
Not in labour force	21.1	23.0	39.5	10.2	6.0	44.4	60.6	
Aged 15-19 attending school(a)	4.4	* 0.0	3.6	8.0	..	..	8.0	
Civilian population	110.7	66.7	112.9	24.8	30.3	168.4	223.6	
— per cent —								
Unemployment rate	8.4	5.8	8.3	21.8	9.7	6.6	8.4	
Looking for full-time work	8.0	5.8	8.2	25.8	11.2	6.6	8.1	
Participation rate	81.0	65.6	65.0	58.8	80.4	73.6	72.9	
Employment/population ratio	74.1	61.8	59.6	46.0	72.6	68.8	66.8	
— number —								
Average weekly hours worked by employed persons	38.9	30.7	30.4	19.1	31.1	37.4	35.1	
Average duration of unemployment (weeks)	37.8	30.8	21.4	14.3	26.6	37.8	30.4	

(a) Excludes persons in institutions such as hospitals, gaols, sanatoriums, etc.

TABLE 8. CIVILIAN LABOUR FORCE, STATES: SEASONALLY ADJUSTED SERIES — revised

Month	Males					Females					Persons				
	Employed	Unemp- loyed - '000 -	Labour force	Unemp- loyment rate - per cent -	Partic- ipation rate - per cent -	Employed	Unemp- loyed - '000 -	Labour force	Unemp- loyment rate - per cent -	Partic- ipation rate - per cent -	Employed	Unemp- loyed - '000 -	Labour force	Unemp- loyment rate - per cent -	Partic- ipation rate - per cent -
NEW SOUTH WALES															
1990 —															
December	1,560.6	125.5	1,686.1	7.4	75.1	1,081.7	84.6	1,166.3	7.3	50.4	2,642.3	210.1	2,852.3	7.4	62.5
1991 —															
January	1,545.0	126.3	1,671.3	7.6	74.3	1,075.5	87.2	1,162.7	7.5	50.2	2,620.5	213.5	2,834.0	7.5	62.1
February	1,541.8	131.9	1,673.8	7.9	74.4	1,074.5	91.0	1,165.5	7.8	50.2	2,616.3	223.0	2,839.3	7.9	62.1
March	1,537.6	142.2	1,679.8	8.5	74.5	1,065.1	91.9	1,157.0	7.9	49.8	2,602.7	234.1	2,836.8	8.3	62.0
April	1,539.4	149.5	1,688.9	8.9	74.8	1,081.6	93.3	1,174.8	7.9	50.5	2,621.0	242.7	2,863.7	8.5	62.5
May	1,537.9	146.1	1,684.0	8.7	74.5	1,084.5	91.1	1,175.6	7.8	50.5	2,622.4	237.3	2,859.6	8.3	62.3
June	1,530.0	142.7	1,672.7	8.5	73.9	1,073.6	92.7	1,166.3	7.9	50.0	2,603.6	235.4	2,839.0	8.3	61.8
July	1,511.8	150.8	1,662.6	9.1	73.4	1,053.7	97.4	1,151.2	8.5	49.3	2,565.5	248.3	2,813.8	8.8	61.2
August	1,524.1	162.2	1,686.3	9.6	74.4	1,079.1	103.0	1,182.1	8.7	50.6	2,603.2	265.2	2,868.4	9.2	62.3
September	1,516.2	164.2	1,680.4	9.8	74.1	1,071.3	113.5	1,184.8	9.6	50.6	2,587.6	277.7	2,865.3	9.7	62.2
October	1,507.7	170.2	1,677.9	10.1	73.9	1,065.6	109.7	1,175.3	9.3	50.2	2,573.2	279.9	2,853.2	9.8	61.8
November	1,512.0	169.7	1,681.7	10.1	73.9	1,059.3	118.0	1,177.2	10.0	50.2	2,571.3	287.6	2,858.9	10.1	61.9
December	1,505.9	175.4	1,681.3	10.4	73.8	1,066.9	119.9	1,186.8	10.1	50.5	2,572.8	295.3	2,868.1	10.3	62.0
1992 —															
January	1,504.8	170.9	1,675.7	10.2	73.5	1,079.5	112.0	1,191.5	9.4	50.7	2,584.3	282.9	2,867.2	9.9	61.9
February	1,511.1	170.9	1,682.0	10.2	73.7	1,078.9	115.4	1,194.2	9.7	50.7	2,590.0	286.2	2,876.3	10.0	62.0
VICTORIA															
1990 —															
December	1,183.7	98.5	1,282.2	7.7	75.6	867.0	76.2	943.2	8.1	53.7	2,050.7	174.7	2,225.4	7.8	64.4
1991 —															
January	1,174.1	106.5	1,280.7	8.3	75.4	862.7	82.4	945.1	8.7	53.7	2,036.9	188.9	2,225.8	8.5	64.4
February	1,168.1	106.4	1,274.4	8.3	75.0	861.4	81.1	942.5	8.6	53.5	2,029.5	187.5	2,217.0	8.5	64.1
March	1,145.1	119.3	1,264.4	9.4	74.3	848.9	84.6	933.6	9.1	53.0	1,994.1	203.9	2,198.0	9.3	63.4
April	1,133.6	130.5	1,264.2	10.3	74.2	847.0	94.4	941.4	10.0	53.4	1,980.7	224.9	2,205.6	10.2	63.6
May	1,132.2	127.8	1,260.0	10.1	73.9	844.0	91.9	936.0	9.8	53.0	1,976.2	219.8	2,196.0	10.0	63.3
June	1,123.7	136.7	1,260.4	10.8	73.9	847.2	88.0	935.2	9.4	52.9	1,971.0	224.6	2,195.6	10.2	63.2
July	1,121.5	135.5	1,256.9	10.8	73.6	834.3	88.8	923.1	9.6	52.2	1,955.7	224.3	2,180.0	10.3	62.7
August	1,127.9	142.7	1,270.6	11.2	74.3	853.8	84.0	937.8	9.0	53.0	1,981.7	226.6	2,208.3	10.3	63.4
September	1,131.0	145.6	1,276.7	11.4	74.6	850.7	95.5	946.3	10.1	53.4	1,981.8	241.2	2,222.9	10.8	63.8
October	1,137.1	140.0	1,277.0	11.0	74.6	847.2	91.4	938.7	9.7	52.9	1,984.3	231.4	2,215.7	10.4	63.5
November	1,126.6	146.2	1,272.8	11.5	74.3	841.0	94.9	935.9	10.1	52.7	1,967.6	241.1	2,208.7	10.9	63.3
December	1,132.9	143.5	1,276.4	11.2	74.4	844.6	101.4	946.0	10.7	53.2	1,977.5	244.9	2,222.4	11.0	63.6
1992 —															
January	1,136.8	143.8	1,280.6	11.2	74.6	846.4	100.9	947.4	10.7	53.2	1,983.3	244.8	2,228.0	11.0	63.7
February	1,124.2	147.8	1,272.0	11.6	74.0	833.9	96.7	930.6	10.4	52.3	1,958.1	244.5	2,202.6	11.1	63.0

TABLE 8. CIVILIAN LABOUR FORCE, STATES: SEASONALLY ADJUSTED SERIES — revised—continued

Month	Males					Females					Persons				
	Employed	Unemp- loyed - '000 -	Labour force	Unemp- loyment rate - per cent -	Partic- ipation rate - per cent -	Employed	Unemp- loyed - '000 -	Labour force	Unemp- loyment rate - per cent -	Partic- ipation rate - per cent -	Employed	Unemp- loyed - '000 -	Labour force	Unemp- loyment rate - per cent -	Partic- ipation rate - per cent -
	QUEENSLAND														
1990 —															
December	770.3	78.7	849.0	9.3	75.6	540.2	57.1	597.4	9.6	52.2	1,310.6	135.8	1,446.4	9.4	63.8
1991 —															
January	767.1	78.2	845.3	9.3	75.1	542.2	53.7	595.9	9.0	52.0	1,309.3	131.9	1,441.2	9.2	63.4
February	761.4	84.3	845.7	10.0	75.0	539.7	56.4	596.1	9.5	51.9	1,301.1	140.7	1,441.8	9.8	63.3
March	761.9	89.5	851.5	10.5	75.3	540.5	57.3	597.9	9.6	51.9	1,302.5	146.8	1,449.3	10.1	63.5
April	762.7	89.3	852.1	10.5	75.2	540.0	63.5	603.5	10.5	52.3	1,302.8	152.8	1,455.6	10.5	63.7
May	755.4	90.6	846.0	10.7	74.5	535.5	61.1	596.5	10.2	51.6	1,290.8	151.7	1,442.5	10.5	63.0
June	773.1	78.7	851.8	9.2	74.9	538.2	59.2	597.4	9.9	51.6	1,311.4	137.9	1,449.2	9.5	63.1
July	764.5	88.4	852.9	10.4	74.8	538.9	62.2	601.1	10.3	51.8	1,303.3	150.6	1,453.9	10.4	63.2
August	772.7	84.6	857.3	9.9	75.1	542.8	59.3	602.1	9.9	51.8	1,315.5	143.9	1,459.4	9.9	63.3
September	778.8	86.4	865.1	10.0	75.6	541.3	57.8	599.0	9.6	51.4	1,320.0	144.2	1,464.2	9.8	63.4
October	777.9	86.4	864.3	10.0	75.4	543.2	56.1	599.4	9.4	51.4	1,321.1	142.6	1,463.7	9.7	63.3
November	775.4	87.7	863.1	10.2	75.2	542.0	58.1	600.2	9.7	51.3	1,317.4	145.9	1,463.3	10.0	63.1
December	776.1	92.4	868.6	10.6	75.5	554.8	54.9	609.7	9.0	52.0	1,330.9	147.4	1,478.3	10.0	63.7
1992 —															
January	772.1	90.6	862.7	10.5	74.8	559.7	59.9	619.6	9.7	52.8	1,331.9	150.5	1,482.4	10.2	63.7
February	776.1	90.7	866.7	10.5	75.0	562.0	65.0	627.0	10.4	53.3	1,338.1	155.6	1,493.7	10.4	64.0
SOUTH AUSTRALIA															
1990 —															
December	386.6	38.3	424.9	9.0	75.3	281.3	23.3	304.7	7.7	52.4	667.9	61.7	729.6	8.5	63.7
1991 —															
January	387.5	39.7	427.2	9.3	75.6	273.4	29.0	302.4	9.6	52.0	660.9	68.7	729.6	9.4	63.6
February	385.6	40.5	426.0	9.5	75.3	276.4	24.9	301.3	8.3	51.8	661.9	65.4	727.3	9.0	63.3
March	386.2	39.8	426.0	9.4	75.2	268.1	28.1	296.2	9.5	50.8	654.3	67.9	722.2	9.4	62.8
April	382.5	44.1	426.6	10.3	75.2	273.7	29.2	302.8	9.6	51.9	656.2	73.3	729.4	10.0	63.4
May	381.1	42.3	423.3	10.0	74.5	274.2	27.9	302.1	9.2	51.7	655.3	70.2	725.5	9.7	63.0
June	378.5	44.0	422.5	10.4	74.3	277.5	26.1	303.6	8.6	51.9	656.0	70.1	726.1	9.7	62.9
July	366.2	45.5	411.7	11.1	72.3	271.5	27.9	299.4	9.3	51.2	637.7	73.4	711.1	10.3	61.6
August	370.8	46.4	417.2	11.1	73.2	271.9	27.2	299.0	9.1	51.0	642.7	73.5	716.2	10.3	62.0
September	368.1	47.4	415.6	11.4	72.8	272.7	27.9	300.6	9.3	51.3	640.8	75.3	716.2	10.5	61.9
October	368.2	49.5	417.7	11.8	73.1	272.3	27.3	299.5	9.1	51.0	640.5	76.8	717.2	10.7	61.9
November	368.6	49.6	418.2	11.9	73.1	272.4	29.7	302.1	9.8	51.4	641.0	79.3	720.3	11.0	62.1
December	370.2	51.0	421.2	12.1	73.5	269.4	31.2	300.6	10.4	51.1	639.6	82.2	721.8	11.4	62.2
1992 —															
January	371.5	50.0	421.5	11.9	73.5	270.3	29.8	300.1	9.9	51.0	641.9	79.7	721.6	11.1	62.1
February	368.3	53.9	422.2	12.8	73.6	268.3	29.2	297.5	9.8	50.5	636.6	83.1	719.6	11.5	61.9

TABLE 8. CIVILIAN LABOUR FORCE, STATES: SEASONALLY ADJUSTED SERIES — revised—continued

Month	Males					Females					Persons				
	Employed	Unemp-loyed - '000 -	Labour force	Unemp-loyment rate - per cent -	Partic-ipation rate - per cent -	Employed	Unemp-loyed - '000 -	Labour force	Unemp-loyment rate - per cent -	Partic-ipation rate - per cent -	Employed	Unemp-loyed - '000 -	Labour force	Unemp-loyment rate - per cent -	Partic-ipation rate - per cent -
WESTERN AUSTRALIA															
1990 —															
December	447.0	44.3	491.3	9.0	77.2	312.0	28.1	340.1	8.3	53.6	759.0	72.4	831.4	8.7	65.4
1991 —															
January	446.8	47.1	493.9	9.5	77.5	311.8	28.6	340.3	8.4	53.6	758.6	75.7	834.2	9.1	65.5
February	445.1	50.1	495.2	10.1	77.6	308.2	31.4	339.6	9.2	53.4	753.3	81.4	834.7	9.8	65.5
March	442.8	52.8	495.6	10.7	77.5	306.5	32.2	338.8	9.5	53.1	749.3	85.0	834.4	10.2	65.3
April	441.3	59.8	501.1	11.9	78.2	311.2	33.3	344.5	9.7	53.9	752.5	93.0	845.5	11.0	66.1
May	449.3	52.0	501.2	10.4	78.1	311.0	32.9	343.9	9.6	53.8	760.3	84.9	845.1	10.0	66.0
June	442.1	55.2	497.3	11.1	77.4	309.6	33.9	343.5	9.9	53.6	751.6	89.2	840.8	10.6	65.5
July	434.5	59.6	494.1	12.1	76.8	311.4	34.5	345.9	10.0	53.9	745.9	94.1	840.0	11.2	65.3
August	441.1	57.3	498.4	11.5	77.3	316.6	36.1	352.7	10.2	54.9	757.8	93.4	851.2	11.0	66.1
September	440.9	57.0	497.9	11.5	77.1	311.9	34.9	346.9	10.1	53.8	752.9	91.9	844.8	10.9	65.5
October	439.9	59.5	499.3	11.9	77.2	309.1	37.3	346.4	10.8	53.7	749.0	96.7	845.7	11.4	65.4
November	446.1	57.8	503.9	11.5	77.8	311.1	36.4	347.5	10.5	53.8	757.2	94.2	851.5	11.1	65.8
December	441.6	55.8	497.4	11.2	76.6	312.0	35.1	347.1	10.1	53.6	753.6	90.9	844.5	10.8	65.1
1992 —															
January	440.0	57.0	496.9	11.5	76.4	309.3	38.4	347.7	11.1	53.6	749.2	95.4	844.6	11.3	65.0
February	442.8	58.5	501.3	11.7	77.0	310.0	34.9	344.9	10.1	53.1	752.8	93.4	846.1	11.0	65.0
TASMANIA															
1990 —															
December	116.9	12.6	129.5	9.8	74.6	80.6	7.8	88.5	8.9	49.3	197.5	20.5	218.0	9.4	61.8
1991 —															
January	116.2	12.5	128.6	9.7	74.0	80.2	7.9	88.1	8.9	49.1	196.4	20.3	216.7	9.4	61.3
February	116.6	12.9	129.5	9.9	74.4	81.1	8.4	89.5	9.4	49.8	197.7	21.2	219.0	9.7	61.9
March	116.2	13.4	129.6	10.4	74.4	80.9	8.0	88.9	9.0	49.5	197.1	21.5	218.6	9.8	61.8
April	115.0	14.1	129.1	10.9	74.1	80.2	9.3	89.5	10.4	49.8	195.2	23.4	218.7	10.7	61.7
May	112.8	14.4	127.2	11.3	73.0	78.5	9.2	87.7	10.5	48.7	191.3	23.6	214.9	11.0	60.7
June	111.8	15.1	126.9	11.9	72.8	80.3	9.8	90.1	10.9	50.0	192.1	24.9	217.0	11.5	61.2
July	113.1	14.4	127.5	11.3	73.0	80.1	9.7	89.8	10.8	49.8	193.3	24.1	217.3	11.1	61.3
August	112.7	15.3	128.0	12.0	73.3	80.9	9.9	90.8	10.9	50.4	193.6	25.2	218.8	11.5	61.6
September	113.2	15.4	128.6	12.0	73.5	81.6	9.4	91.0	10.3	50.4	194.9	24.8	219.6	11.3	61.8
October	112.6	14.9	127.5	11.7	72.9	81.5	8.7	90.1	9.6	49.9	194.1	23.6	217.7	10.8	61.2
November	111.9	15.5	127.4	12.2	72.8	79.8	9.5	89.3	10.6	49.4	191.7	25.0	216.7	11.5	60.9
December	112.2	15.0	127.2	11.8	72.6	78.8	8.7	87.5	9.9	48.4	191.1	23.7	214.7	11.0	60.3
1992 —															
January	112.0	14.9	126.9	11.7	72.3	78.7	8.4	87.1	9.7	48.1	190.6	23.3	214.0	10.9	60.0
February	112.0	14.4	126.5	11.4	72.0	80.5	8.8	89.2	9.8	49.3	192.5	23.2	215.7	10.8	60.5

TABLE 9. CIVILIAN LABOUR FORCE, STATES: TREND SERIES — revised

Month	Males					Females					Persons				
	Employed	Unemp- loyed - '000 -	Labour force	Unemp- loyment rate - per cent -	Partic- ipation rate cent -	Employed	Unemp- loyed - '000 -	Labour force	Unemp- loyment rate - per cent -	Partic- ipation rate cent -	Employed	Unemp- loyed - '000 -	Labour force	Unemp- loyment rate - per cent -	Partic- ipation rate cent -
NEW SOUTH WALES															
1990 —															
December	1,551.3	123.9	1,675.2	7.4	74.6	1,074.2	84.8	1,159.0	7.3	50.1	2,625.5	208.7	2,834.3	7.4	62.1
1991 —															
January	1,548.2	129.4	1,677.6	7.7	74.6	1,075.3	87.3	1,162.5	7.5	50.1	2,623.5	216.7	2,840.2	7.6	62.2
February	1,544.7	134.7	1,679.5	8.0	74.6	1,076.0	89.2	1,165.3	7.7	50.2	2,620.7	224.0	2,844.7	7.9	62.2
March	1,540.8	139.2	1,680.1	8.3	74.5	1,076.0	90.6	1,166.5	7.8	50.2	2,616.8	229.8	2,846.6	8.1	62.2
April	1,536.9	142.9	1,679.8	8.5	74.4	1,075.3	91.7	1,167.0	7.9	50.2	2,612.2	234.6	2,846.8	8.2	62.1
May	1,532.5	146.3	1,678.7	8.7	74.3	1,074.4	93.1	1,167.5	8.0	50.1	2,606.9	239.4	2,846.3	8.4	62.0
June	1,527.8	149.8	1,677.7	8.9	74.2	1,073.3	95.4	1,168.7	8.2	50.1	2,601.1	245.2	2,846.3	8.6	62.0
July	1,523.2	153.9	1,677.1	9.2	74.1	1,071.3	99.1	1,170.4	8.5	50.1	2,594.5	253.0	2,847.4	8.9	61.9
August	1,518.4	158.7	1,677.1	9.5	74.0	1,068.7	103.8	1,172.5	8.9	50.2	2,587.1	262.5	2,849.6	9.2	61.9
September	1,514.4	163.6	1,678.0	9.7	74.0	1,066.9	108.6	1,175.5	9.2	50.2	2,581.3	272.1	2,853.5	9.5	61.9
October	1,511.6	167.8	1,679.4	10.0	73.9	1,066.8	112.4	1,179.1	9.5	50.3	2,578.4	280.1	2,858.5	9.8	61.9
November	1,509.7	170.5	1,680.3	10.1	73.9	1,068.2	114.8	1,182.9	9.7	50.4	2,577.9	285.3	2,863.2	10.0	62.0
December	1,508.2	172.1	1,680.3	10.2	73.8	1,070.1	116.1	1,186.2	9.8	50.5	2,578.3	288.2	2,866.5	10.1	62.0
1992 —															
January	1,507.3	172.9	1,680.3	10.3	73.7	1,072.6	116.8	1,189.4	9.8	50.6	2,579.9	289.7	2,869.6	10.1	62.0
February	1,506.2	173.0	1,679.2	10.3	73.6	1,074.1	116.8	1,190.9	9.8	50.6	2,580.3	289.8	2,870.1	10.1	61.9
VICTORIA															
1990 —															
December	1,181.3	102.3	1,283.6	8.0	75.7	865.8	78.7	944.4	8.3	53.8	2,047.1	180.9	2,228.0	8.1	64.5
1991 —															
January	1,172.1	107.0	1,279.1	8.4	75.3	862.3	81.3	943.7	8.6	53.7	2,034.4	188.4	2,222.7	8.5	64.3
February	1,161.2	112.4	1,273.6	8.8	74.9	857.7	84.3	942.0	8.9	53.5	2,018.9	196.7	2,215.6	8.9	64.0
March	1,149.4	118.2	1,267.7	9.3	74.5	852.5	86.8	939.3	9.2	53.3	2,001.9	205.1	2,207.0	9.3	63.7
April	1,138.6	124.5	1,263.0	9.9	74.1	847.9	88.5	936.4	9.5	53.1	1,986.4	213.0	2,199.5	9.7	63.4
May	1,130.5	130.3	1,260.8	10.3	73.9	845.2	89.5	934.7	9.6	52.9	1,975.8	219.8	2,195.5	10.0	63.3
June	1,126.2	135.1	1,261.3	10.7	73.9	844.5	89.6	934.0	9.6	52.8	1,970.6	224.7	2,195.3	10.2	63.2
July	1,125.2	138.6	1,263.8	11.0	74.0	844.9	89.3	934.3	9.6	52.8	1,970.1	227.9	2,198.1	10.4	63.2
August	1,126.7	141.0	1,267.6	11.1	74.2	846.1	89.7	935.8	9.6	52.8	1,972.8	230.7	2,203.5	10.5	63.3
September	1,129.1	142.4	1,271.5	11.2	74.3	846.9	91.1	938.1	9.7	52.9	1,976.1	233.5	2,209.6	10.6	63.4
October	1,131.0	143.4	1,274.5	11.3	74.4	846.7	93.4	940.1	9.9	53.0	1,977.7	236.9	2,214.6	10.7	63.5
November	1,132.0	144.1	1,276.1	11.3	74.5	845.5	95.9	941.3	10.2	53.0	1,977.4	240.0	2,217.4	10.8	63.5
December	1,132.0	144.7	1,276.7	11.3	74.4	843.7	97.8	941.5	10.4	53.0	1,975.7	242.5	2,218.2	10.9	63.5
1992 —															
January	1,131.5	145.4	1,276.9	11.4	74.4	841.8	99.2	941.1	10.5	52.9	1,973.4	244.6	2,218.0	11.0	63.4
February	1,130.5	145.7	1,276.2	11.4	74.3	839.1	100.3	939.4	10.7	52.8	1,969.6	246.0	2,215.6	11.1	63.3

TABLE 9. CIVILIAN LABOUR FORCE, STATES: TREND SERIES — revised — continued

Month	Males					Females					Persons				
	Employed	Unemp- loyed - '000 -	Labour force	Unemp- loyment rate - per cent -	Partic- ipation rate - per cent -	Employed	Unemp- loyed - '000 -	Labour force	Unemp- loyment rate - per cent -	Partic- ipation rate - per cent -	Employed	Unemp- loyed - '000 -	Labour force	Unemp- loyment rate - per cent -	Partic- ipation rate - per cent -
QUEENSLAND															
1990 —															
December	769.7	80.2	849.9	9.4	75.7	543.3	54.5	597.8	9.1	52.3	1,313.1	134.7	1,447.8	9.3	63.9
1991 —															
January	766.1	82.7	848.8	9.7	75.4	541.7	55.7	597.4	9.3	52.1	1,307.8	138.4	1,446.2	9.6	63.7
February	763.3	84.8	848.1	10.0	75.2	540.2	57.2	597.4	9.6	52.0	1,303.5	142.0	1,445.5	9.8	63.5
March	761.6	86.4	848.0	10.2	75.0	539.1	58.7	597.8	9.8	51.9	1,300.7	145.1	1,445.8	10.0	63.4
April	761.4	87.1	848.6	10.3	74.9	538.5	60.1	598.5	10.0	51.9	1,299.9	147.2	1,447.1	10.2	63.3
May	762.8	87.1	850.0	10.3	74.9	538.4	60.9	599.2	10.2	51.8	1,301.2	148.0	1,449.2	10.2	63.3
June	765.6	86.5	852.1	10.1	74.9	538.5	61.0	599.5	10.2	51.8	1,304.1	147.5	1,451.5	10.2	63.2
July	769.2	85.6	854.8	10.0	75.0	538.8	60.4	599.2	10.1	51.6	1,308.0	146.0	1,454.0	10.0	63.2
August	772.6	85.4	857.9	10.0	75.1	539.8	59.1	598.9	9.9	51.5	1,312.3	144.5	1,456.9	9.9	63.2
September	775.0	86.1	861.0	10.0	75.3	541.6	58.0	599.6	9.7	51.5	1,316.6	144.1	1,460.6	9.9	63.3
October	776.1	87.4	863.4	10.1	75.3	544.5	57.5	602.0	9.5	51.6	1,320.6	144.8	1,465.4	9.9	63.3
November	776.1	88.7	864.8	10.3	75.3	548.1	57.6	605.7	9.5	51.8	1,324.2	146.3	1,470.5	9.9	63.4
December	775.9	89.8	865.6	10.4	75.2	552.2	58.3	610.5	9.6	52.1	1,328.0	148.1	1,476.1	10.0	63.6
1992 —															
January	775.6	90.6	866.2	10.5	75.1	556.2	59.4	615.6	9.6	52.4	1,331.8	149.9	1,481.7	10.1	63.7
February	774.8	91.5	866.3	10.6	75.0	559.8	60.7	620.5	9.8	52.7	1,334.6	152.2	1,486.8	10.2	63.7
SOUTH AUSTRALIA															
1990 —															
December	386.4	39.0	425.3	9.2	75.3	276.7	24.9	301.6	8.3	51.9	663.1	63.9	727.0	8.8	63.5
1991 —															
January	386.6	39.7	426.3	9.3	75.4	275.5	25.9	301.5	8.6	51.8	662.1	65.6	727.8	9.0	63.5
February	386.3	40.4	426.7	9.5	75.4	274.4	26.9	301.3	8.9	51.8	660.7	67.3	728.0	9.2	63.4
March	385.0	41.2	426.2	9.7	75.2	273.7	27.6	301.2	9.1	51.7	658.6	68.8	727.4	9.5	63.3
April	382.6	42.1	424.7	9.9	74.9	273.3	27.8	301.1	9.2	51.6	655.9	70.0	725.9	9.6	63.1
May	379.4	43.2	422.5	10.2	74.4	273.3	27.8	301.1	9.2	51.5	652.7	70.9	723.6	9.8	62.8
June	375.7	44.2	419.9	10.5	73.8	273.5	27.5	301.0	9.1	51.5	649.2	71.7	720.9	9.9	62.5
July	372.3	45.4	417.7	10.9	73.4	273.5	27.3	300.9	9.1	51.4	645.9	72.7	718.6	10.1	62.2
August	369.8	46.5	416.4	11.2	73.0	273.2	27.5	300.6	9.1	51.3	643.0	74.0	717.0	10.3	62.0
September	368.6	47.6	416.3	11.4	72.9	272.5	27.9	300.4	9.3	51.2	641.2	75.5	716.7	10.5	61.9
October	368.6	48.7	417.3	11.7	73.0	271.8	28.5	300.3	9.5	51.2	640.4	77.2	717.6	10.8	61.9
November	369.0	49.7	418.7	11.9	73.2	271.2	29.1	300.3	9.7	51.1	640.2	78.9	719.0	11.0	62.0
December	369.4	50.7	420.1	12.1	73.3	270.6	29.6	300.2	9.9	51.0	640.0	80.3	720.2	11.1	62.0
1992 —															
January	369.8	51.5	421.3	12.2	73.5	269.9	29.9	299.9	10.0	50.9	639.7	81.5	721.2	11.3	62.0
February	369.7	52.3	422.0	12.4	73.5	269.2	30.2	299.4	10.1	50.8	639.0	82.5	721.4	11.4	62.0

TABLE 9. CIVILIAN LABOUR FORCE, STATES: TREND SERIES — revised—continued

Month	Males					Females					Persons				
	Employed	Unemp- loyed - '000 -	Labour force	Unemp- loyment rate - per cent -	Partic- ipation rate - per cent -	Employed	Unemp- loyed - '000 -	Labour force	Unemp- loyment rate - per cent -	Partic- ipation rate - per cent -	Employed	Unemp- loyed - '000 -	Labour force	Unemp- loyment rate - per cent -	Partic- ipation rate - per cent -
WESTERN AUSTRALIA															
1990 —															
December	447.0	45.6	492.6	9.3	77.4	310.8	29.3	340.1	8.6	53.6	757.8	75.0	832.7	9.0	65.5
1991 —															
January	446.0	47.9	493.9	9.7	77.5	310.0	29.9	339.9	8.8	53.5	756.0	77.8	833.8	9.3	65.5
February	445.2	50.3	495.5	10.2	77.6	309.5	30.6	340.1	9.0	53.4	754.7	81.0	835.6	9.7	65.5
March	444.4	52.6	497.1	10.6	77.7	309.2	31.6	340.8	9.3	53.5	753.6	84.3	837.9	10.1	65.6
April	443.6	54.5	498.2	10.9	77.8	309.5	32.6	342.1	9.5	53.6	753.1	87.1	840.3	10.4	65.7
May	442.5	55.9	498.4	11.2	77.7	310.3	33.5	343.8	9.7	53.7	752.9	89.3	842.2	10.6	65.7
June	441.4	56.8	498.1	11.4	77.5	311.3	34.2	345.5	9.9	53.9	752.7	90.9	843.6	10.8	65.7
July	440.6	57.3	498.0	11.5	77.4	312.1	34.8	346.8	10.0	54.0	752.7	92.1	844.8	10.9	65.7
August	440.4	57.7	498.0	11.6	77.3	312.4	35.3	347.7	10.2	54.1	752.8	93.0	845.8	11.0	65.7
September	440.6	57.8	498.4	11.6	77.2	312.2	35.8	348.0	10.3	54.0	752.7	93.7	846.4	11.1	65.6
October	441.2	57.8	499.0	11.6	77.1	311.7	36.2	347.9	10.4	53.9	752.9	94.0	846.9	11.1	65.5
November	441.9	57.6	499.5	11.5	77.1	311.1	36.4	347.5	10.5	53.7	753.0	94.0	847.0	11.1	65.4
December	442.3	57.4	499.7	11.5	77.0	310.5	36.4	347.0	10.5	53.6	752.8	93.9	846.7	11.1	65.3
1992 —															
January	442.4	57.3	499.7	11.5	76.9	310.1	36.4	346.5	10.5	53.4	752.5	93.7	846.2	11.1	65.1
February	442.1	57.4	499.5	11.5	76.7	309.6	36.3	345.9	10.5	53.2	751.7	93.7	845.5	11.1	65.0
TASMANIA															
1990 —															
December	117.6	12.3	129.9	9.5	74.8	80.9	7.8	88.7	8.8	49.5	198.5	20.2	218.6	9.2	61.9
1991 —															
January	117.0	12.5	129.6	9.7	74.5	80.8	8.0	88.8	9.0	49.5	197.8	20.5	218.4	9.4	61.8
February	116.3	13.0	129.2	10.0	74.3	80.6	8.2	88.8	9.3	49.4	196.9	21.2	218.1	9.7	61.7
March	115.4	13.5	128.8	10.5	74.0	80.3	8.6	88.8	9.6	49.4	195.6	22.0	217.7	10.1	61.5
April	114.4	14.0	128.4	10.9	73.7	80.0	9.0	89.0	10.1	49.5	194.4	22.9	217.4	10.5	61.4
May	113.6	14.4	128.0	11.2	73.4	79.9	9.3	89.3	10.4	49.6	193.6	23.7	217.3	10.9	61.3
June	113.1	14.7	127.8	11.5	73.2	80.1	9.6	89.7	10.7	49.8	193.2	24.3	217.5	11.2	61.3
July	112.7	15.0	127.7	11.7	73.1	80.4	9.7	90.1	10.7	50.0	193.1	24.7	217.8	11.3	61.4
August	112.6	15.1	127.7	11.9	73.1	80.7	9.6	90.4	10.6	50.1	193.3	24.8	218.1	11.4	61.4
September	112.6	15.2	127.8	11.9	73.1	80.8	9.4	90.3	10.5	50.0	193.4	24.6	218.0	11.3	61.4
October	112.5	15.2	127.7	11.9	73.0	80.6	9.2	89.8	10.3	49.7	193.1	24.4	217.5	11.2	61.2
November	112.4	15.1	127.5	11.9	72.8	80.2	9.0	89.2	10.1	49.3	192.6	24.1	216.7	11.1	60.9
December	112.2	15.0	127.2	11.8	72.6	79.8	8.8	88.6	10.0	49.0	192.0	23.8	215.8	11.1	60.6
1992 —															
January	112.0	14.9	126.9	11.7	72.4	79.5	8.7	88.2	9.8	48.7	191.5	23.6	215.1	11.0	60.4
February	111.9	14.7	126.6	11.6	72.2	79.3	8.6	87.8	9.8	48.5	191.2	23.3	214.5	10.9	60.1

TABLE 10. CIVILIAN LABOUR FORCE, BY AGE, FEBRUARY 1992

Age group	Number ('000)					Participation rate (per cent)				
	Females			Total	Persons	Females			Total	Persons
	Males	Married	Not married			Males	Married	Not married		
15-64	4,966.2	2,111.1	1,464.8	3,575.9	8,542.1	84.6	59.1	67.1	62.1	73.5
15-19	399.4	14.4	360.8	375.1	774.6	58.7	55.1	57.7	57.6	58.2
20-24	642.4	147.7	395.0	542.7	1,185.1	89.8	67.1	82.2	77.5	83.7
25-34	1,331.3	604.8	331.9	936.7	2,268.0	94.5	61.4	78.9	66.6	80.6
35-44	1,243.1	743.1	199.5	942.5	2,185.6	93.8	70.6	74.6	71.4	82.6
45-54	890.2	468.4	130.4	598.9	1,489.1	89.0	62.2	66.1	63.0	76.3
55-59	273.7	92.5	31.1	123.6	397.3	73.0	32.9	36.9	33.9	53.7
60-64	186.0	40.3	16.2	56.5	242.5	51.2	15.9	14.9	15.6	33.4
65 and over	77.2	15.6	13.7	29.3	106.5	9.0	3.3	2.0	2.6	5.3
Total	5,043.4	2,126.7	1,478.5	3,605.2	8,648.6	75.0	52.6	51.7	52.2	63.5

TABLE 11. LABOUR FORCE STATUS OF THE CIVILIAN POPULATION AGED 15 TO 19: FULL-TIME ATTENDANCE AT SCHOOL OR A TERTIARY EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTION, FEBRUARY 1992

	Employed		Unemployed		Total	Labour force	Not in labour force	Civilian population aged 15-19	Unemployment rate	Participation rate
	Full-time workers	Total	Looking for full-time work	Looking for part-time work						
ATTENDING NEITHER SCHOOL NOR A TERTIARY EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTION FULL TIME (a)										
Males	154.7	184.7	67.8	* 2.5	70.3	255.0	23.5	278.6	27.6	91.6
Females	93.6	144.3	59.0	* 2.4	61.3	205.7	34.8	240.5	29.8	85.5
Persons	248.3	329.1	126.7	4.9	131.6	460.7	58.4	519.0	28.6	88.8
Left school —										
Before 1990	137.0	161.9	46.8	* 0.7	47.5	209.4	24.0	233.4	22.7	89.7
1990	71.6	93.8	33.4	* 1.6	35.0	128.8	9.1	137.9	27.2	93.4
1991 to survey date	39.7	73.4	46.6	* 2.5	49.1	122.5	21.1	143.6	40.1	85.3
Nov. or Dec. 1991	27.6	55.7	36.6	* 2.3	38.9	94.6	17.5	112.1	41.1	84.4
Age —										
15	* 2.5	5.6	* 2.3	* 0.2	* 2.5	8.2	* 3.2	11.4	* 31.0	71.5
16	15.4	21.1	12.0	* 0.4	12.4	33.5	5.3	38.8	37.1	86.3
17	42.6	61.8	28.8	* 1.8	30.5	92.4	11.8	104.2	33.0	88.7
18	74.0	102.9	40.1	* 1.1	41.2	144.1	19.0	163.2	28.6	88.3
19	113.8	137.6	43.5	* 1.4	44.9	182.6	18.9	201.5	24.6	90.6
ATTENDING A TERTIARY EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTION FULL TIME										
Males	8.7	40.6	5.3	10.6	16.0	56.6	45.9	102.5	28.2	55.2
Females	6.3	54.0	4.9	11.7	16.6	70.6	46.9	117.5	23.5	60.1
Persons	15.0	94.5	10.3	22.3	32.6	127.1	92.8	219.9	25.6	57.8
Left school —										
Before 1990	5.3	20.4	* 2.6	3.6	6.2	26.6	13.9	40.5	23.3	65.7
1990	5.8	35.6	3.6	10.3	13.9	49.5	34.8	84.3	28.1	58.7
1991 to survey date	3.9	38.5	4.1	8.3	12.5	51.0	44.1	95.1	24.5	53.6
Nov. or Dec. 1991	3.7	37.0	4.0	8.1	12.1	49.1	42.3	91.4	24.7	53.8
Age —										
15 and 16	* 0.3	* 2.3	* 0.4	* 0.4	* 0.8	* 3.1	5.0	8.1	* 25.9	* 38.1
17	* 2.6	17.9	* 2.6	4.1	6.7	24.5	20.4	44.9	27.2	54.6
18	5.9	38.1	4.9	8.4	13.3	51.4	35.8	87.3	25.9	59.0
19	6.2	36.3	* 2.4	9.4	11.8	48.0	31.6	79.7	24.5	60.3
ATTENDING SCHOOL										
Males	* 0.8	63.9	6.0	17.9	23.9	87.8	211.2	299.0	27.2	29.4
Females	* 0.8	77.8	4.0	17.1	21.2	98.9	194.5	293.4	21.4	33.7
Persons	* 1.6	141.7	10.0	35.0	45.0	186.8	405.7	592.4	24.1	31.5
Age —										
15	* 0.5	47.1	* 2.0	18.2	20.2	67.3	168.9	236.2	30.0	28.5
16	* 0.8	56.3	4.2	11.0	15.2	71.5	141.2	212.7	21.2	33.6
17	* 0.3	34.2	* 2.0	5.0	7.1	41.3	73.8	115.1	17.1	35.9
18 and 19	* 0.0	4.1	* 1.8	* 0.8	* 2.6	6.6	21.8	28.5	* 38.7	23.3
TOTAL										
Males	164.2	289.3	79.1	31.0	110.1	399.4	280.6	680.0	27.6	58.7
Females	100.8	276.0	67.9	31.2	99.1	375.1	276.2	651.4	26.4	57.6
Persons	265.0	565.3	147.0	62.2	209.3	774.6	556.8	1,331.4	27.0	58.2
Age —										
15	* 3.2	53.7	4.3	18.6	23.0	76.7	173.8	250.5	29.9	30.6
16	16.2	78.7	16.6	11.5	28.2	106.9	149.9	256.8	26.4	41.6
17	45.6	113.9	33.4	10.9	44.3	158.2	106.0	264.2	28.0	59.9
18	79.9	144.7	46.3	10.3	56.6	201.3	72.2	273.4	28.1	73.6
19	120.0	174.3	46.3	10.9	57.2	231.5	55.0	286.6	24.7	80.8

(a) The components of the 'Left school' category in the 'Not in labour force' column do not add to the total because institutionalised persons are not asked the 'school attendance' question.

TABLE 12. LABOUR FORCE STATUS OF THE CIVILIAN POPULATION AGED 20-24: FULL-TIME ATTENDANCE AT A TERTIARY EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTION, FEBRUARY 1992

	Employed		Unemployed			Labour force	Not in labour force	Civilian population aged 20-24	Unemployment rate - per cent -	Participation rate
	Full-time workers	Total	Looking for full-time work	Looking for part-time work - '000 -	Total					
NOT ATTENDING A TERTIARY EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTION FULL TIME										
Males	441.8	482.7	102.6	* 1.9	104.5	587.3	29.7	617.0	17.8	95.2
Females	341.9	418.4	65.8	8.3	74.1	492.5	125.1	617.6	15.0	79.7
Persons	783.7	901.2	168.4	10.2	178.6	1,079.8	154.8	1,234.6	16.5	87.5
Age —										
20	140.6	165.3	36.2	* 1.4	37.5	202.8	24.9	227.7	18.5	89.1
21	147.8	170.7	38.0	* 2.2	40.3	211.0	33.6	244.5	19.1	86.3
22	162.5	184.9	35.6	* 1.4	36.9	221.8	30.0	251.8	16.6	88.1
23	167.2	189.5	30.0	* 3.3	33.3	222.8	30.5	253.3	14.9	88.0
24	165.5	190.8	28.7	* 2.0	30.6	221.4	35.9	257.3	13.8	86.1
ATTENDING A TERTIARY EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTION FULL TIME										
Males	16.4	42.7	7.1	5.4	12.4	55.2	43.4	98.6	22.6	56.0
Females	10.2	39.2	4.5	6.4	10.9	50.1	32.6	82.8	21.8	60.6
Persons	26.6	81.9	11.6	11.8	23.4	105.3	76.0	181.3	22.2	58.1
Age —										
20	9.1	33.0	* 3.0	5.9	9.0	41.9	28.7	70.6	21.4	59.4
21	8.7	24.7	3.8	* 2.5	6.3	31.0	19.7	50.7	20.3	61.2
22	4.0	11.6	* 1.7	* 2.0	3.8	15.3	13.8	29.2	24.7	52.6
23	3.6	9.7	* 1.9	* 0.9	* 2.8	12.5	9.2	21.7	* 22.2	57.6
24	* 1.2	* 3.0	* 1.1	* 0.5	* 1.5	4.5	4.7	9.2	* 34.2	48.9
TOTAL										
Males	458.2	525.5	109.7	7.2	117.0	642.4	73.1	715.5	18.2	89.8
Females	352.1	457.6	70.2	14.8	85.0	542.7	157.7	700.4	15.7	77.5
Persons	810.4	983.1	180.0	22.0	202.0	1,185.1	230.8	1,415.9	17.0	83.7
Age —										
20	149.7	198.2	39.2	7.3	46.5	244.7	53.5	298.3	19.0	82.0
21	156.5	195.5	41.9	4.7	46.6	242.0	53.2	295.2	19.2	82.0
22	166.5	196.4	37.3	* 3.4	40.7	237.1	43.8	280.9	17.2	84.4
23	170.9	199.3	31.9	4.2	36.0	235.3	39.7	275.0	15.3	85.6
24	166.8	193.8	29.8	* 2.4	32.2	225.9	40.6	266.5	14.2	84.8

TABLE 13. LABOUR FORCE PARTICIPATION RATES(a), BY AGE AND BIRTHPLACE, FEBRUARY 1992 (per cent)

Age group	Born in Australia			Born outside Australia		
	Males	Females	Persons	Males	Females	Persons
15-64	85.8	63.9	74.8	83.5	57.9	71.1
15-19	61.7	60.4	61.1	45.1	41.1	43.2
20-24	92.1	78.5	85.3	80.2	74.0	77.1
25-34	95.3	67.3	81.4	93.8	65.0	79.2
35-44	94.5	72.7	83.4	93.7	69.3	81.9
45-54	90.3	65.1	77.8	87.6	59.3	74.2
55-59	73.0	34.6	53.3	74.0	33.0	55.3
60-64	52.9	17.2	34.2	49.5	12.2	32.8
65 and over	10.5	3.2	6.3	7.1	2.0	4.5
Total	77.0	54.7	65.6	73.1	49.3	61.5

(a) See the definition of the labour force participation rate in the Glossary.

TABLE 14. CIVILIAN LABOUR FORCE BY BIRTHPLACE(a), FEBRUARY 1992

	Employed		Unemployed		Labour force	Unemployment rate - per cent -	Participation rate(b)
	Full-time workers	Total	Looking for full-time work -'000 -	Total			
MALES							
Born in Australia	2,951.9	3,287.3	368.5	406.7	3,694.0	11.0	77.0
Born outside Australia	1,063.2	1,161.0	174.4	188.4	1,349.4	14.0	73.1
Oceania	106.9	117.3	17.9	20.9	138.3	15.1	87.9
New Zealand	87.2	96.1	14.4	16.5	112.6	14.7	89.4
Europe and the USSR	683.3	739.0	96.9	101.3	840.4	12.1	70.6
Germany	39.0	40.5	5.3	5.3	45.8	11.6	77.0
Greece	46.6	50.2	7.4	7.7	57.9	13.3	72.5
Italy	81.5	86.0	8.5	8.9	94.9	9.4	63.7
Netherlands	30.7	33.2	* 2.5	* 2.5	35.6	* 6.9	70.5
UK and Ireland	334.6	366.3	43.0	46.1	412.4	11.2	72.8
Yugoslavia	56.3	59.7	12.4	12.6	72.3	17.5	74.2
The Middle East and North Africa	42.7	47.7	12.5	13.8	61.5	22.4	68.6
Lebanon	15.3	17.5	7.0	7.7	25.3	30.7	68.2
Southeast Asia	87.4	95.3	23.1	24.9	120.2	20.7	75.1
Malaysia	18.8	22.2	* 3.2	* 3.3	25.5	* 13.1	72.2
Philippines	14.0	14.3	* 1.4	* 1.6	15.9	* 10.3	82.9
Viet Nam	32.6	33.6	13.0	14.0	47.7	29.4	76.5
Northeast Asia	47.9	56.7	8.1	8.9	65.6	13.6	66.1
China	27.5	32.2	4.4	4.8	36.9	12.9	71.5
The Americas	34.1	38.6	5.8	6.9	45.5	15.2	82.1
Other(c)	61.0	66.3	10.1	11.6	77.9	14.9	82.9
India	19.5	20.9	* 2.8	3.5	24.3	14.2	82.3
MARRIED FEMALES							
Born in Australia	739.6	1,428.0	61.2	92.5	1,520.6	6.1	53.8
Born outside Australia	324.2	538.9	52.5	67.2	606.2	11.1	50.5
Oceania	28.2	46.7	5.0	5.3	52.0	10.3	61.2
New Zealand	21.9	39.0	3.9	3.9	42.9	9.0	66.5
Europe and the USSR	198.4	349.3	23.2	32.3	381.6	8.5	48.9
Germany	8.3	19.0	* 1.1	* 1.3	20.3	* 6.4	50.4
Greece	17.9	27.7	* 2.0	* 2.2	29.9	* 7.5	49.0
Italy	16.4	32.0	* 2.0	* 3.2	35.2	* 9.0	34.8
Netherlands	7.2	15.2	* 0.4	* 0.7	15.9	* 4.7	49.7
UK and Ireland	97.5	176.7	10.5	15.8	192.4	8.2	52.5
Yugoslavia	21.8	29.1	3.5	4.6	33.8	13.7	54.0
The Middle East and North Africa	10.3	14.9	3.5	4.9	19.8	24.7	31.9
Lebanon	* 2.8	3.7	* 1.7	* 2.6	6.3	* 41.4	23.8
Southeast Asia	38.9	50.1	10.3	11.7	61.8	* 18.9	55.4
Malaysia	7.8	9.9	* 0.7	* 1.5	11.4	* 13.3	58.5
Philippines	12.3	16.2	* 2.2	* 2.4	18.6	* 13.1	58.1
Viet Nam	10.4	11.9	4.9	5.2	17.1	30.5	52.7
Northeast Asia	16.5	24.1	3.9	4.8	28.9	16.6	49.3
China	8.3	12.0	* 2.5	* 2.9	14.8	* 19.3	50.8
The Americas	12.4	22.9	* 1.3	* 2.5	25.4	* 9.7	62.2
Other(c)	19.6	30.9	5.3	5.7	36.6	* 15.6	59.5
India	7.3	9.9	* 1.2	* 1.2	11.1	* 10.7	57.4
ALL FEMALES							
Born in Australia	1,427.9	2,453.6	206.2	284.2	2,737.8	10.4	54.7
Born outside Australia	476.9	749.0	91.6	118.4	867.4	13.6	49.3
Oceania	53.7	82.6	9.2	10.7	93.3	11.4	64.7
New Zealand	41.3	67.5	7.0	7.8	75.4	10.4	68.1
Europe and the USSR	279.7	461.9	42.8	56.4	518.3	10.9	46.8
Germany	12.1	24.9	* 1.4	* 2.1	26.9	* 7.7	47.9
Greece	20.3	30.9	* 2.6	* 3.0	33.9	* 8.9	44.2
Italy	21.4	38.7	* 2.0	* 3.4	42.1	* 8.1	32.7
Netherlands	11.2	20.8	* 0.6	* 0.9	21.7	* 4.3	49.0
UK and Ireland	150.0	249.9	23.6	30.7	280.6	10.9	51.2
Yugoslavia	26.5	35.2	5.9	7.4	42.6	17.4	54.1
The Middle East and North Africa	13.1	18.3	6.1	8.6	26.9	32.1	34.1
Lebanon	3.8	5.1	* 2.8	4.3	9.4	45.4	28.0
Southeast Asia	58.3	74.7	18.9	23.1	97.8	23.6	54.0
Malaysia	11.2	15.0	* 0.9	* 2.8	17.8	* 15.6	55.7
Philippines	16.5	20.6	* 2.5	* 2.8	23.4	* 12.0	57.2
Viet Nam	14.0	17.0	10.7	12.0	29.0	41.4	52.1
Northeast Asia	25.1	36.2	4.8	5.9	42.2	14.1	43.7
China	12.9	18.0	* 2.7	* 3.2	21.2	* 15.0	47.9
The Americas	19.2	32.8	* 3.3	5.2	38.1	13.7	60.4
Other(c)	27.9	42.4	6.5	8.4	50.8	16.5	58.5
India	10.0	12.8	* 1.4	* 1.6	14.4	* 11.1	55.0
PERSONS							
Born in Australia	4,379.8	5,740.9	574.7	690.9	6,431.8	10.7	65.6
Born outside Australia	1,540.1	1,910.1	266.1	306.8	2,216.8	13.8	61.5
Oceania	160.6	200.0	27.1	31.6	231.6	13.6	76.8
New Zealand	128.5	163.6	21.5	24.4	188.0	13.0	79.4
Europe and the USSR	962.9	1,200.9	139.7	157.8	1,358.7	11.6	59.1
Germany	51.0	65.3	6.8	7.4	72.7	10.2	62.9
Greece	66.9	81.0	10.0	10.7	91.8	11.7	58.6
Italy	102.8	124.7	10.5	12.3	137.0	9.0	49.3
Netherlands	42.0	53.9	* 3.0	* 3.4	57.3	* 5.9	60.5
UK and Ireland	484.5	616.2	66.7	76.8	693.1	11.1	62.1
Yugoslavia	82.8	94.9	18.2	20.0	114.9	17.4	65.2
The Middle East and North Africa	55.8	66.0	18.7	22.4	88.5	25.4	52.4
Lebanon	19.1	22.7	9.8	12.0	34.7	34.7	49.1
Southeast Asia	145.7	170.0	42.1	48.0	218.0	22.0	63.9
Malaysia	30.0	37.2	4.0	6.1	43.3	14.1	64.4
Philippines	30.5	34.8	3.9	4.4	39.3	11.3	65.4
Viet Nam	46.6	50.6	23.7	26.0	76.7	34.0	65.0
Northeast Asia	73.0	92.9	12.8	14.9	107.8	13.8	55.0
China	40.4	50.2	7.2	8.0	58.1	13.7	60.6
The Americas	53.2	71.4	9.1	12.1	83.5	14.5	70.5
Other(c)	88.8	108.7	16.6	20.0	128.7	15.5	71.2
India	29.4	33.7	4.2	5.1	38.7	13.1	69.5

(a) Country of birth data are now grouped according to the Australian Standard Classification of Countries for Social Statistics. See the Explanatory Notes for more details. (b) See the definition of the labour force participation rate in the Glossary. (c) Includes Southern Asia and Africa (excluding North Africa).

TABLE 15. CIVILIAN LABOUR FORCE BORN OUTSIDE AUSTRALIA: BIRTHPLACE(a) AND PERIOD OF ARRIVAL IN AUSTRALIA, FEBRUARY 1992

Period of arrival	Born outside Australia								Total			
	Oceania		Europe & the USSR		Middle East and North Africa	South East Asia	The Americas	Other(b)	Males	Females		Persons
	New Zealand	Other countries	U.K. and Ireland	Other countries					Married	Total		
	EMPLOYED ('000)											
Before 1971	26.4	4.7	342.5	428.5	26.9	16.9	15.6	42.5	571.3	260.8	332.5	903.9
1971 — 1975	15.6	5.8	103.8	62.1	14.4	15.2	17.7	27.0	154.0	72.5	107.6	261.6
1976 — 1980	40.5	8.3	51.7	29.6	9.3	43.3	11.7	18.6	127.6	55.1	85.4	213.0
1981 — 1985	25.4	6.4	50.3	34.4	7.0	41.6	10.2	28.1	115.8	60.2	87.5	203.3
1986 — 1990	48.8	9.9	57.1	26.9	7.6	49.3	11.8	79.2	168.6	81.5	122.1	290.7
1991 to survey date	6.9	* 1.3	10.8	* 3.2	* 0.9	3.8	4.4	6.3	23.6	8.9	14.0	37.6
UNEMPLOYED ('000)												
Before 1971	* 2.0	* 1.0	42.7	41.9	5.6	* 1.3	* 1.6	* 3.0	68.0	19.6	31.1	99.1
1971 — 1975	4.0	* 2.0	12.3	11.3	5.8	* 3.3	* 2.2	* 1.9	25.8	8.5	17.1	42.8
1976 — 1980	6.5	* 0.4	6.4	5.8	3.9	7.6	* 2.0	* 1.8	20.0	6.7	14.6	34.5
1981 — 1985	* 3.4	* 0.2	4.9	9.0	* 2.1	11.5	* 2.8	5.1	25.7	5.9	13.3	39.0
1986 — 1990	7.7	* 2.9	6.2	8.4	* 3.1	20.1	* 2.4	15.6	33.9	19.6	32.5	66.4
1991 to survey date	* 0.8	* 0.7	4.4	4.5	* 1.9	4.1	* 1.2	7.4	15.1	7.0	9.9	25.0
LABOUR FORCE ('000)												
Before 1971	28.4	5.7	385.2	470.3	32.5	18.2	17.2	45.5	639.3	280.4	363.6	1,002.9
1971 — 1975	19.6	7.7	116.2	73.4	20.2	18.6	19.9	28.9	179.8	80.9	124.7	304.5
1976 — 1980	46.9	8.8	58.2	35.4	13.2	50.9	13.7	20.4	147.6	61.8	99.9	247.5
1981 — 1985	28.8	6.5	55.1	43.4	9.1	53.1	12.9	33.2	141.5	66.1	100.8	242.3
1986 — 1990	56.6	12.8	63.2	35.4	10.7	69.3	14.2	94.8	202.5	101.1	154.6	357.1
1991 to survey date	7.7	* 2.0	15.2	7.7	* 2.8	7.9	5.6	13.7	38.7	15.8	23.9	62.6
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE (per cent)												
Before 1971	* 7.2	* 17.4	11.1	8.9	17.2	* 7.1	* 9.1	* 6.7	10.6	7.0	8.6	9.9
1971 — 1975	20.4	* 25.5	10.6	15.4	28.6	* 18.0	* 11.2	* 6.5	14.3	10.5	13.7	14.1
1976 — 1980	13.8	* 5.0	11.0	16.4	29.7	15.0	* 14.3	* 9.0	13.5	10.9	14.6	13.9
1981 — 1985	* 11.7	* 2.6	8.8	20.8	* 23.6	21.7	* 21.4	15.4	18.1	8.9	13.2	16.1
1986 — 1990	13.7	* 22.5	9.7	23.8	* 29.1	28.9	* 17.0	16.4	16.7	19.4	21.0	18.6
1991 to survey date	* 9.8	* 36.5	28.9	58.0	* 68.8	52.0	* 20.9	54.2	39.0	44.1	41.4	39.9
PARTICIPATION RATE(c) (per cent)												
Before 1971	63.0	61.1	54.8	51.8	53.0	66.6	64.3	61.7	65.7	44.1	41.3	54.1
1971 — 1975	89.3	85.2	76.2	70.1	51.4	82.4	77.0	72.9	85.9	58.5	60.4	73.3
1976 — 1980	83.6	65.2	73.5	72.1	53.3	69.3	72.9	60.2	83.6	58.0	58.0	71.0
1981 — 1985	78.8	69.9	70.6	75.4	58.4	65.4	71.7	71.0	83.4	60.2	58.1	70.6
1986 — 1990	84.3	63.0	76.3	69.3	52.6	59.7	70.3	62.9	77.8	58.8	57.6	67.5
1991 to survey date	77.7	* 62.9	75.6	61.1	* 37.3	38.4	63.2	43.0	67.9	42.4	41.5	54.6

(a) Country of birth data are now grouped according to the Australian Standard Classification of Countries for Social Statistics. See the Explanatory Notes for more details.

(b) Includes Southern Asia, Northeast Asia and Africa (excluding North Africa). (c) See the definition of the labour force participation rate in the Glossary.

TABLE 16. EMPLOYED PERSONS: FULL-TIME AND PART-TIME WORKERS, BY AGE, FEBRUARY 1992 ('000)

	Age group								Total
	15-19	20-24	25-34	35-44	45-54	55-59	60-64	65 and over	
MALES									
Full-time workers	164.2	458.2	1,113.7	1,086.3	788.5	223.6	135.1	45.6	4,015.1
Part-time workers	125.0	67.2	64.2	55.8	40.8	22.4	27.6	30.1	433.2
Total	289.3	525.5	1,177.8	1,142.1	829.3	246.0	162.7	75.6	4,448.3
MARRIED FEMALES									
Full-time workers	4.6	96.5	301.4	357.9	241.9	40.1	16.4	5.1	1,063.9
Part-time workers	* 2.8	32.0	247.0	338.2	200.1	49.0	23.4	10.5	903.1
Total	7.4	128.5	548.4	696.2	442.0	89.1	39.7	15.6	1,967.0
ALL FEMALES									
Full-time workers	100.8	352.1	541.4	485.8	329.4	60.7	24.3	10.3	1,904.8
Part-time workers	175.3	105.5	297.9	384.9	227.4	57.8	30.9	18.2	1,297.8
Total	276.0	457.6	839.2	870.7	556.8	118.5	55.2	28.5	3,202.6
PERSONS									
Full-time workers	265.0	810.4	1,655.0	1,572.1	1,117.8	284.3	159.4	55.9	5,919.9
Part-time workers	300.3	172.7	362.0	440.7	268.2	80.2	58.5	48.3	1,731.0
Total	565.3	983.1	2,017.1	2,012.8	1,386.0	364.5	217.9	104.1	7,650.9

TABLE 17. HOURS WORKED BY EMPLOYED PERSONS, FEBRUARY 1992

	Females			Total	Persons
	Males	Married	Not married		
	NUMBER EMPLOYED ('000)				
Weekly Hours worked —					
0	226.1	110.4	66.9	177.3	403.5
1-15	254.0	395.6	220.4	616.0	870.0
16-29	260.0	392.6	147.4	540.0	800.0
30-34	233.5	163.0	88.6	251.7	485.2
35-39	765.5	341.2	266.5	607.7	1,373.3
40	933.2	249.9	230.2	480.1	1,413.3
41-44	252.6	59.1	56.6	115.7	368.3
45-48	409.4	85.0	74.2	159.2	568.6
49 and over	1,113.9	170.2	84.7	254.9	1,368.8
Total	4,448.3	1,967.0	1,235.6	3,202.6	7,650.9
	WEEKLY HOURS WORKED				
Aggregate weekly hours worked (million)	178.9	56.7	37.7	94.4	273.3
By full-time workers	172.5	42.3	32.0	74.3	246.8
By part-time workers	6.4	14.5	5.6	20.1	26.5
Average weekly hours worked	40.2	28.8	30.5	29.5	35.7
By full-time workers	43.0	39.7	38.1	39.0	41.7
By part-time workers	14.8	16.0	14.3	15.5	15.3
Average weekly hours worked by persons who worked one hour or more in the reference week	42.4	30.6	32.2	31.2	37.7
By full-time workers	45.2	42.0	40.4	41.3	44.0
By part-time workers	15.7	17.0	15.0	16.4	16.2

TABLE 18. EMPLOYED PERSONS: EMPLOYMENT/POPULATION RATIOS BY AGE AND MARITAL STATUS, FEBRUARY 1992 (per cent)

Age group	Males			Females			Persons
	Married	Not married	Total	Married	Not married	Total	
15-19	* 49.9	42.5	42.5	28.5	43.0	42.4	42.5
20-24	78.8	72.4	73.4	58.4	68.5	65.3	69.4
25-34	88.3	76.7	83.6	55.7	69.1	59.7	71.7
35-44	89.1	73.5	86.2	66.1	65.3	66.0	76.1
45-54	85.7	69.4	82.9	58.7	58.1	58.5	71.0
55-59	68.7	51.0	65.6	31.7	34.8	32.5	49.3
60-64	47.2	33.4	44.8	15.6	14.3	15.2	30.0
65 and over	9.5	6.9	8.8	3.3	1.9	2.5	5.2
Total	71.0	58.4	66.1	48.7	43.2	46.4	56.2

TABLE 19. FULL-TIME WORKERS WHO WORKED LESS THAN 35 HOURS, BY REASON, FEBRUARY 1992 ('000)

Reason for working less than 35 hours	Females			Total	Persons
	Males	Married	Not married		
Leave, holiday or flextime	257.5	89.1	71.8	160.9	418.4
Own illness or injury	89.0	30.4	27.5	57.9	146.9
Bad weather, plant breakdown, etc.	29.3	* 2.7	* 1.0	3.8	33.1
Began or left job in the reference week	10.5	* 1.2	* 2.5	3.6	14.1
Stood down, on short time, insufficient work	72.8	13.3	5.9	19.2	91.9
Shift work, standard work arrangements	66.5	17.0	16.2	33.1	99.6
Other reasons	14.9	4.9	3.7	8.6	23.5
Total	540.5	158.5	128.7	287.2	827.7

TABLE 20. PART-TIME WORKERS: WHETHER PREFERRED TO WORK MORE HOURS, BY AGE, FEBRUARY 1992
(^{'000})

	AGE GROUP						Total
	15-19	20-24	25-34	35-44	45-54	55 and over	
MALES							
Total	125.0	67.2	64.2	55.8	40.8	80.1	433.2
Preferred not to work more hours	83.5	31.7	27.3	24.3	21.6	65.5	253.9
Preferred to work more hours	41.6	35.5	36.9	31.5	19.2	14.6	179.3
Had actively looked for full-time work in the four weeks to the end of the reference week	18.2	20.3	24.7	16.7	9.3	5.0	94.2
MARRIED FEMALES							
Total	* 2.8	32.0	247.0	338.2	200.1	83.0	903.1
Preferred not to work more hours	* 1.4	22.6	199.7	273.6	169.0	79.1	745.5
Preferred to work more hours	* 1.4	9.4	47.3	64.6	31.1	3.8	157.6
Had actively looked for full-time work in the four weeks to the end of the reference week	* 0.9	4.0	14.1	18.1	4.6	* 0.4	42.1
ALL FEMALES							
Total	175.3	105.5	297.9	384.9	227.4	106.9	1,297.8
Preferred not to work more hours	119.6	57.9	231.4	299.2	185.5	100.0	993.7
Preferred to work more hours	55.6	47.5	66.4	85.7	42.0	6.8	304.2
Had actively looked for full-time work in the four weeks to the end of the reference week	22.4	24.0	22.9	25.6	7.3	* 1.2	103.3
PERSONS							
Total	300.3	172.7	362.0	440.7	268.2	187.0	1,731.0
Preferred not to work more hours	203.1	89.7	258.7	323.5	207.0	165.6	1,247.6
Preferred to work more hours	97.2	83.1	103.3	117.2	61.2	21.4	483.5
Had actively looked for full-time work in the four weeks to the end of the reference week	40.6	44.3	47.6	42.3	16.6	6.2	197.5

TABLE 21. PART-TIME WORKERS: WHETHER PREFERRED TO WORK MORE HOURS, BY HOURS WORKED, FEBRUARY 1992
(^{'000})

	Hours worked by persons who worked in the reference week						Persons who did not work in the reference week	Total
	1-5	6-10	11-15	16-20	21-29	30-34		
MALES								
Total	59.9	98.1	54.7	73.7	69.1	52.6	25.1	433.2
Preferred not to work more hours	33.6	56.8	31.6	45.4	39.3	33.3	14.0	253.9
Preferred to work more hours	26.3	41.3	23.1	28.4	29.8	19.3	11.1	179.3
Had actively looked for full-time work in the four weeks to the end of the reference week	13.4	27.3	12.7	15.2	12.9	8.2	4.5	94.2
MARRIED FEMALES								
Total	104.2	149.0	132.1	169.9	186.4	109.7	51.8	903.1
Preferred not to work more hours	77.6	113.0	107.1	146.2	161.6	96.1	43.8	745.5
Preferred to work more hours	26.6	36.0	25.0	23.7	24.8	13.5	8.0	157.6
Had actively looked for full-time work in the four weeks to the end of the reference week	6.2	9.7	6.7	8.3	6.7	* 2.8	* 1.7	42.1
ALL FEMALES								
Total	166.6	243.7	189.8	224.2	251.5	151.2	70.8	1,297.8
Preferred not to work more hours	114.8	176.5	140.2	179.6	200.0	123.9	58.6	993.7
Preferred to work more hours	51.7	67.2	49.6	44.6	51.6	27.3	12.1	304.2
Had actively looked for full-time work in the four weeks to the end of the reference week	14.6	25.0	19.3	16.0	17.2	8.2	* 3.0	103.3
PERSONS								
Total	226.5	341.8	244.5	297.9	320.6	203.8	95.9	1,731.0
Preferred not to work more hours	148.4	233.2	171.8	225.0	239.3	157.2	72.6	1,247.6
Preferred to work more hours	78.0	108.6	72.7	73.0	81.4	46.6	23.2	483.5
Had actively looked for full-time work in the four weeks to the end of the reference week	28.0	52.3	32.0	31.2	30.1	16.3	7.5	197.5

TABLE 22. EMPLOYED PERSONS: INDUSTRY OF FULL-TIME AND PART-TIME WORKERS, FEBRUARY 1992
(*000)

Industry division or subdivision	Full-time workers		Part-time workers		Total			Persons
	Males	Females	Males	Females	Males	Married	Total	
					Females			
Agriculture, forestry, fishing & hunting	258.1	57.2	30.6	61.5	288.7	98.2	118.8	407.5
Agriculture & services to agriculture	237.5	56.3	29.0	58.7	266.5	95.1	115.0	381.5
Forestry & logging, fishing & hunting	20.6	* 0.9	* 1.6	* 2.9	22.2	* 3.1	3.8	26.0
Mining	83.7	7.8	* 0.0	* 1.4	83.7	4.9	9.2	92.9
Manufacturing	778.4	226.3	31.2	71.8	809.6	196.3	298.1	1,107.7
Food, beverages and tobacco	127.6	45.1	8.7	17.0	136.3	42.3	62.1	198.4
Metal products	153.8	20.4	3.5	8.4	157.3	19.6	28.8	186.1
Other manufacturing	497.0	160.8	19.0	46.4	515.9	134.4	207.2	723.1
Electricity, gas and water	93.0	15.6	* 0.6	* 1.2	93.6	8.9	16.8	110.4
Construction	422.6	21.2	32.6	41.9	455.2	52.5	63.1	518.3
Wholesale and retail trade	740.1	355.4	131.3	367.8	871.5	395.4	723.2	1,594.6
Wholesale trade	300.1	102.5	15.5	50.5	315.6	96.1	153.0	468.6
Retail trade	440.0	252.9	115.9	317.3	555.9	299.2	570.1	1,126.0
Transport and storage	280.0	55.9	22.2	26.2	302.2	48.7	82.1	384.2
Communication	96.7	31.1	* 1.7	8.9	98.4	26.1	40.0	138.4
Finance, property and business services	396.3	299.4	47.0	138.6	443.3	250.0	438.0	881.3
Public administration and defence	212.7	112.3	* 3.3	27.2	216.0	84.6	139.4	355.4
Community services	440.7	566.0	55.8	373.2	496.4	625.1	939.2	1,435.6
Recreation, personal and other services	212.9	156.6	76.9	178.2	289.8	176.2	334.9	624.6
Total	4,015.1	1,904.8	433.2	1,297.8	4,448.3	1,967.0	3,202.6	7,650.9

TABLE 23. EMPLOYED PERSONS: INDUSTRY AND STATUS OF WORKER, FEBRUARY 1992
(*000)

Industry division or subdivision	Employers		Self-employed		Wage and salary earners		Total(a)		Persons
	Males	Females	Males	Females	Males	Females	Males	Females	
Agriculture, forestry, fishing & hunting	35.6	15.4	133.1	55.9	107.9	34.2	288.7	118.8	407.5
Agriculture & services to agriculture	32.0	14.5	128.5	55.6	94.3	32.0	266.5	115.0	381.5
Forestry & logging, fishing & hunting	3.5	* 1.0	4.6	* 0.3	13.6	* 2.2	22.2	3.8	26.0
Mining	* 0.4	* 0.7	* 1.2	* 0.0	82.1	8.5	83.7	9.2	92.9
Manufacturing	19.9	8.0	31.4	15.2	757.2	272.3	809.6	298.1	1,107.7
Food, beverages and tobacco	* 2.3	* 1.9	* 2.5	* 0.9	131.4	59.2	136.3	62.1	198.4
Metal products	* 3.0	* 0.9	6.2	* 1.9	147.9	26.0	157.3	28.8	186.1
Other manufacturing	14.6	5.2	22.7	12.4	477.9	187.1	515.9	207.2	723.1
Electricity, gas and water	* 0.3	* 0.3	* 0.1	* 0.0	93.2	16.5	93.6	16.8	110.4
Construction	31.0	6.2	151.1	18.1	268.3	33.1	455.2	63.1	518.3
Wholesale and retail trade	68.5	42.2	83.3	65.0	711.1	605.2	871.5	723.2	1,594.6
Wholesale trade	10.3	4.9	20.5	11.4	283.3	135.0	315.6	153.0	468.6
Retail trade	58.1	37.2	62.8	53.7	427.8	470.2	555.9	570.1	1,126.0
Transport and storage	10.6	* 2.7	44.1	10.5	246.4	66.6	302.2	82.1	384.2
Communication	* 0.0	* 0.2	* 0.0	* 1.2	98.4	38.6	98.4	40.0	138.4
Finance, property and business services	34.3	6.0	58.7	30.5	348.5	397.5	443.3	438.0	881.3
Public administration and defence	* 0.0	* 0.0	* 0.0	* 0.2	216.0	139.2	216.0	139.4	355.4
Community services	15.5	5.9	12.7	23.8	467.5	908.2	496.4	939.2	1,435.6
Recreation, personal and other services	24.7	22.3	39.6	34.9	223.9	273.5	289.8	334.9	624.6
Total	240.8	109.7	555.2	255.5	3,620.4	2,793.5	4,448.3	3,202.6	7,650.9
Full-time workers	232.3	68.0	468.8	111.6	3,304.3	1,718.8	4,015.1	1,904.8	5,919.9

(a) Includes unpaid family helpers.

TABLE 24. EMPLOYED PERSONS: INDUSTRY, AGE AND BIRTHPLACE, FEBRUARY 1992
(*000)

Industry division or subdivision	Age group						Total	Born in	
	15-19	20-24	25-34	35-44	45-54	55 and over		Australia	Born outside Australia
Agriculture, forestry, fishing & hunting	28.1	37.4	80.9	89.8	78.7	92.7	407.5	364.8	42.7
Agriculture & services to agriculture	26.0	34.0	74.4	82.2	74.4	90.3	381.5	341.6	39.9
Forestry & logging, fishing & hunting	* 2.1	* 3.3	6.4	7.6	4.2	* 2.3	26.0	23.2	* 2.8
Mining	3.5	11.3	28.2	27.2	17.5	5.2	92.9	73.4	19.4
Manufacturing	64.0	140.6	307.5	277.0	218.4	100.2	1,107.7	708.3	399.3
Food, beverages and tobacco	15.3	25.4	49.8	50.7	38.5	18.6	198.4	138.4	60.0
Metal products	9.4	21.4	55.3	45.0	38.6	16.5	186.1	122.8	63.3
Other manufacturing	39.2	93.8	202.4	181.3	141.3	65.1	723.1	447.2	276.0
Electricity, gas and water	4.1	12.0	30.8	33.2	21.7	8.6	110.4	88.7	21.7
Construction	32.5	63.7	146.4	132.0	92.2	51.6	518.3	382.8	135.5
Wholesale and retail trade	285.6	222.8	365.4	359.9	250.7	110.4	1,594.6	1,233.2	361.5
Wholesale trade	23.6	56.2	132.4	130.1	85.2	41.1	468.6	347.4	121.2
Retail trade	262.0	166.6	233.0	229.7	165.5	69.3	1,126.0	885.7	240.3
Transport and storage	9.2	39.7	106.5	105.2	87.0	36.6	384.2	287.8	96.4
Communication	* 1.1	12.1	44.0	42.3	28.2	10.8	138.4	101.9	36.5
Finance, property and business services	37.9	153.6	253.1	229.4	135.3	71.9	881.3	672.3	209.0
Public administration and defence	4.5	34.7	102.4	113.9	74.0	25.9	355.4	282.4	73.0
Community services	24.5	140.8	380.4	465.5	297.7	126.8	1,435.6	1,086.1	349.5
Recreation, personal and other services	70.4	114.4	171.6	137.5	84.8	45.9	624.6	459.1	165.5
Total	565.3	983.1	2,017.1	2,012.8	1,386.0	686.6	7,650.9	5,740.9	1,910.1

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TABLE 25. EMPLOYED PERSONS: INDUSTRY AND HOURS WORKED, FEBRUARY 1992

Industry division or subdivision	Hours worked									Average weekly hours worked (hours)	
	0	1-15	16-29	30-34	35-39	40	41-44	45-48	49 and over		Total
	- '000-										
	MALES										
Agriculture, forestry, fishing & hunting	11.2	18.7	19.8	10.3	12.1	43.6	7.6	16.7	148.9	288.7	49.3
Agriculture & services to agriculture	9.8	17.8	17.4	9.4	10.6	38.9	7.3	14.9	140.5	266.5	49.8
Forestry & logging, fishing & hunting	* 1.4	* 0.9	* 2.3	* 0.9	* 1.5	4.7	* 0.3	* 1.8	8.4	22.2	43.6
Mining	6.2	* 0.7	3.6	4.6	13.0	16.4	6.0	12.4	20.7	83.7	41.8
Manufacturing	31.0	20.2	31.5	39.5	188.6	203.7	57.9	84.8	152.2	809.6	40.3
Food, beverages and tobacco	4.7	4.9	5.8	8.9	30.2	33.5	8.0	13.2	27.1	136.3	40.4
Metal products	6.6	* 3.0	5.5	7.1	30.4	41.4	11.3	21.2	30.9	157.3	41.0
Other manufacturing	19.8	12.3	20.2	23.5	128.1	128.8	38.6	50.5	94.3	515.9	40.0
Electricity, gas and water	5.5	* 0.7	5.2	12.6	31.0	17.6	8.3	6.9	5.8	93.6	36.3
Construction	26.5	22.1	38.2	27.5	54.7	122.0	19.9	42.2	102.0	455.2	38.7
Wholesale and retail trade	35.0	87.0	45.0	28.1	115.6	176.7	51.2	80.9	251.9	871.5	40.5
Wholesale trade	11.8	8.3	10.7	9.3	51.6	80.6	18.6	37.6	87.1	315.6	42.4
Retail trade	23.2	78.6	34.3	18.8	64.1	96.1	32.7	43.2	164.9	555.9	39.5
Transport and storage	20.4	12.0	16.0	17.0	49.6	61.0	17.7	24.8	83.7	302.2	40.9
Communication	9.6	* 1.2	5.2	10.6	32.9	15.0	9.2	7.6	7.1	98.4	34.9
Finance, property and business services	18.2	23.9	23.7	19.0	68.0	84.8	18.7	47.2	139.9	443.3	41.4
Public administration and defence	16.4	3.5	6.4	20.1	78.3	39.6	17.4	15.7	18.5	216.0	36.3
Community services	30.2	20.3	35.2	29.5	89.8	112.1	25.2	49.0	105.2	496.4	38.9
Recreation, personal and other services	16.0	43.8	30.1	14.8	31.9	40.5	13.5	21.2	78.0	289.8	37.7
Total employed	226.1	254.0	260.0	233.5	765.5	933.2	252.6	409.4	1,113.9	4,448.3	40.2
	MARRIED FEMALES										
Agriculture, forestry, fishing & hunting	6.7	28.3	17.5	4.9	9.9	9.0	* 1.9	* 2.2	17.8	98.2	28.9
Agriculture & services to agriculture	6.7	26.4	17.0	4.7	9.8	8.8	* 1.8	* 2.2	17.7	95.1	29.3
Forestry & logging, fishing & hunting	* 0.0	* 1.8	* 0.5	* 0.2	* 0.1	* 0.2	* 0.1	* 0.0	* 0.1	* 3.1	17.0
Mining	* 0.0	* 0.5	* 0.3	* 0.9	* 1.3	* 1.2	* 0.2	* 0.1	* 0.4	4.9	35.6
Manufacturing	7.0	25.9	25.0	14.3	56.8	36.8	6.9	10.3	13.3	196.3	32.5
Food, beverages and tobacco	* 1.8	4.6	6.8	* 3.2	7.3	10.0	* 2.1	* 2.4	4.1	42.3	33.6
Metal products	* 0.5	4.2	* 2.8	* 1.3	4.9	* 2.5	* 0.3	* 1.4	* 1.7	19.6	30.9
Other manufacturing	4.7	17.1	15.5	9.8	44.6	24.3	4.5	6.5	7.5	134.4	32.4
Electricity, gas and water	* 1.3	* 0.3	* 0.9	* 1.8	* 3.4	* 0.5	* 0.5	* 0.0	* 0.2	8.9	29.3
Construction	* 3.1	27.4	8.7	* 3.2	* 3.2	* 3.3	* 0.2	* 0.8	* 2.5	52.5	18.0
Wholesale and retail trade	21.7	84.1	80.2	32.2	54.0	45.6	11.0	17.8	48.8	395.4	29.8
Wholesale trade	4.0	17.0	17.2	8.3	19.0	17.7	* 2.3	4.2	6.6	96.1	29.8
Retail trade	17.7	67.1	63.1	23.9	35.0	27.9	8.7	13.6	42.2	299.2	29.7
Transport and storage	* 2.6	12.4	6.3	3.5	6.2	10.6	* 1.6	* 1.6	3.8	48.7	28.0
Communication	4.0	* 2.8	* 3.3	* 2.9	8.7	* 2.3	* 0.5	* 1.2	* 0.5	26.1	27.2
Finance, property and business services	13.7	49.0	51.2	19.7	48.6	34.9	8.5	9.2	15.3	250.0	28.2
Public administration and defence	6.9	10.0	12.2	6.8	27.5	8.9	4.4	* 3.0	4.8	84.6	30.3
Community services	35.1	102.7	146.1	60.9	106.9	80.9	19.1	31.2	42.2	625.1	28.6
Recreation, personal and other services	8.4	52.3	40.9	11.8	14.6	15.8	4.3	7.6	20.6	176.2	27.3
Total employed	110.4	395.6	392.6	163.0	341.2	249.9	59.1	85.0	170.2	1,967.0	28.8
	ALL FEMALES										
Agriculture, forestry, fishing & hunting	7.6	35.3	20.8	6.0	11.1	11.8	* 2.1	* 2.9	21.1	118.8	28.8
Agriculture & services to agriculture	7.6	33.1	20.3	5.8	10.7	11.5	* 2.1	* 2.9	21.0	115.0	29.1
Forestry & logging, fishing & hunting	* 0.0	* 2.2	* 0.5	* 0.2	* 0.3	* 0.3	* 0.1	* 0.0	* 0.1	3.8	17.9
Mining	* 0.2	* 0.6	* 0.5	* 1.6	* 2.7	* 2.2	* 0.5	* 0.2	* 0.7	9.2	36.2
Manufacturing	11.8	33.8	34.7	21.8	85.4	60.2	14.1	17.1	19.0	298.1	33.1
Food, beverages and tobacco	* 2.8	7.2	10.0	4.5	10.0	14.1	* 3.1	4.7	5.6	62.1	33.0
Metal products	* 1.5	4.9	* 2.9	* 2.4	7.1	4.4	* 1.6	* 1.9	* 2.1	28.8	31.3
Other manufacturing	7.5	21.7	21.8	14.9	68.3	41.7	9.4	10.6	11.3	207.2	33.3
Electricity, gas and water	* 2.0	* 0.3	* 1.1	* 2.3	7.6	* 2.0	* 0.8	* 0.5	* 0.2	16.8	31.5
Construction	3.7	28.3	9.6	3.7	5.7	5.8	* 0.7	* 2.0	3.6	63.1	20.8
Wholesale and retail trade	36.1	199.2	122.6	51.0	103.0	92.7	22.9	32.6	63.2	723.2	27.6
Wholesale trade	6.2	20.7	20.9	12.3	34.6	35.2	5.4	8.0	9.7	153.0	31.8
Retail trade	29.9	178.5	101.7	38.7	68.4	57.5	17.5	24.5	53.5	570.1	26.5
Transport and storage	5.1	14.9	10.2	6.0	13.6	20.3	* 2.9	3.7	5.4	82.1	30.0
Communication	4.7	* 3.3	4.4	4.5	14.8	4.0	* 1.4	* 1.9	* 1.1	40.0	30.0
Finance, property and business services	24.9	61.4	65.4	33.0	98.0	85.7	18.6	22.0	28.9	438.0	30.9
Public administration and defence	10.5	13.6	16.2	12.0	49.3	16.4	8.1	6.2	7.2	139.4	31.5
Community services	53.3	131.5	187.7	89.1	178.9	147.4	32.8	51.0	67.5	939.2	30.0
Recreation, personal and other services	17.3	93.9	66.8	20.6	37.7	31.8	10.8	19.1	36.9	334.9	27.6
Total employed	177.3	616.0	540.0	251.7	607.7	480.1	115.7	159.2	254.9	3,202.6	29.5
	PERSONS										
Agriculture, forestry, fishing & hunting	18.8	54.0	40.6	16.3	23.1	55.4	9.7	19.6	170.0	407.5	43.3
Agriculture & services to agriculture	17.3	50.8	37.8	15.2	21.3	50.4	9.3	17.8	161.5	381.5	43.6
Forestry & logging, fishing & hunting	* 1.4	* 3.1	* 2.8	* 1.1	* 1.8	5.0	* 0.4	* 1.8	8.5	26.0	39.8
Mining	6.4	* 1.3	4.1	6.2	15.7	18.6	6.5	12.6	21.3	92.9	41.2
Manufacturing	42.9	54.1	66.2	61.3	274.0	263.9	72.0	102.0	171.3	1,107.7	38.3
Food, beverages and tobacco	7.5	12.2	15.8	13.4	40.2	47.6	11.2	17.8	32.8	198.4	38.1
Metal products	8.1	7.9	8.5	9.5	37.4	45.8	12.9	23.0	32.9	186.1	39.5
Other manufacturing	27.3	34.0	41.9	38.4	196.4	170.5	47.9	61.1	105.6	723.1	38.1
Electricity, gas and water	7.5	* 0.9	6.3	15.0	38.6	19.6	9.0	7.4	6.1	110.4	35.5
Construction	30.2	50.4	47.8	31.2	60.4	127.8	20.5	44.2	105.6	518.3	36.5
Wholesale and retail trade	71.1	286.2	167.7	79.1	218.6	269.4	74.1	113.4	315.1	1,594.6	34.7
Wholesale trade	18.0	29.0	31.7	21.7	86.1	115.8	23.9	45.7	96.7	468.6	38.9
Retail trade	53.1	257.1	136.0	57.4	132.5	153.6	50.2	67.8	218.3	1,126.0	32.9
Transport and storage	25.5	26.9	26.2	22.9	63.1	81.3	20.7	28.5	89.1	384.2	38.6
Communication	14.4	4.5	9.6	15.1	47.7	19.0	10.6	9.5	8.2	138.4	33.5
Finance, property and business services	43.1	85.3	89.1	52.0	166.0	170.5	37.3	69.2	168.8	881.3	36.2
Public administration and defence	26.9	17.0	22.6	32.0	127.6	56.0	25.5	21.9	25.8	355.4	34.4
Community services	83.5	151.8	222.9	118.6	268.7	259.5	58.0	100.0	172.7	1,435.6	33.1
Recreation, personal and other services	33.2	137.7	96.9	35.4	69.5	72.3	24.3	40.4	114.9	624.6	32.3
Total employed	403.5	870.0	800.0	485.2	1,373.3	1,413.3	368.3	568.6	1,368.8	7,650.9	35.7

TABLE 26. EMPLOYED PERSONS: INDUSTRY BY OCCUPATION, FEBRUARY 1992
(^{'000})

Industry division	Occupation major group								Total
	Managers and administrators	Professionals	Para-professionals	Tradespersons	Clerks	Salespersons and personal service workers	Plant and machine operators, and drivers	Labourers and related workers	
MALES									
Agriculture, forestry, fishing and hunting	176.4	* 1.1	5.2	12.8	* 0.5	* 0.7	5.8	86.3	288.7
Mining	* 3.3	11.3	4.9	19.7	* 2.5	* 0.1	23.9	18.0	83.7
Manufacturing	76.2	58.3	25.2	289.6	32.4	28.8	122.6	176.6	809.6
Electricity, gas and water	* 2.0	9.2	12.5	30.3	10.3	* 0.8	14.2	14.3	93.6
Construction	33.1	8.5	14.1	277.3	4.1	3.5	33.9	80.7	455.2
Wholesale and retail trade	166.1	35.1	14.9	215.0	33.8	233.1	43.1	130.3	871.5
Transport and storage	19.4	8.8	16.3	23.7	22.1	16.1	158.4	37.3	302.2
Communication	4.4	9.4	12.3	33.1	29.1	* 1.4	4.2	4.4	98.4
Finance, property and business services	50.2	144.3	24.3	13.6	70.9	77.3	5.7	56.9	443.3
Public administration & defence	21.1	38.0	24.6	17.9	54.7	3.8	22.4	33.3	216.0
Community services	26.8	227.2	87.1	36.1	24.2	11.3	19.8	64.1	496.4
Recreation, personal and other services	53.6	32.5	14.2	69.3	9.8	43.5	6.8	60.1	289.8
Total	632.7	583.7	255.6	1,038.5	294.4	420.5	460.7	762.1	4,448.3
FEMALES									
Agriculture, forestry, fishing and hunting	70.0	* 0.4	* 0.1	* 1.0	12.5	* 0.7	* 0.1	33.9	118.8
Mining	* 0.0	* 0.9	* 0.8	* 0.6	6.1	* 0.2	* 0.3	* 0.3	9.2
Manufacturing	9.3	17.0	5.8	20.8	89.9	24.9	60.3	70.1	298.1
Electricity, gas and water	* 0.3	* 1.2	* 1.4	* 0.5	12.0	* 0.7	* 0.2	* 0.5	16.8
Construction	* 0.5	* 0.8	* 1.2	* 1.6	53.0	* 1.2	* 0.5	4.3	63.1
Wholesale and retail trade	64.2	15.6	* 2.6	16.7	161.5	394.3	11.1	57.2	723.2
Transport and storage	* 2.9	* 1.9	* 0.3	* 0.1	39.1	26.6	6.1	5.1	82.1
Communication	* 1.9	* 2.3	* 0.8	* 0.7	30.4	* 1.9	* 0.7	* 1.3	40.0
Finance, property and business services	11.5	57.0	5.1	* 1.1	246.5	70.7	* 1.0	45.1	438.0
Public administration & defence	8.1	19.1	5.3	* 0.8	89.7	7.8	* 0.3	8.3	139.4
Community services	18.3	295.9	173.0	14.6	209.8	107.4	* 2.8	117.3	939.2
Recreation, personal and other services	29.1	19.0	5.1	55.2	40.5	121.2	* 3.0	61.8	334.9
Total	216.1	431.0	201.6	113.7	991.0	757.7	86.5	405.0	3,202.6
PERSONS									
Agriculture, forestry, fishing and hunting	246.4	* 1.5	5.3	13.8	12.9	* 1.4	5.9	120.2	407.5
Mining	* 3.3	12.2	5.7	20.3	8.6	* 0.4	24.2	18.2	92.9
Manufacturing	85.5	75.3	31.0	310.5	122.2	53.7	182.9	246.6	1,107.7
Electricity, gas and water	* 2.3	10.4	13.9	30.8	22.3	* 1.6	14.4	14.7	110.4
Construction	33.6	9.3	15.4	279.0	57.1	4.6	34.4	85.0	518.3
Wholesale and retail trade	230.3	50.7	17.6	231.7	195.3	627.4	54.2	187.5	1,594.6
Transport and storage	22.3	10.7	16.6	23.8	61.2	42.7	164.5	42.3	384.2
Communication	6.3	11.8	13.1	33.9	59.5	* 3.3	4.8	5.7	138.4
Finance, property and business services	61.7	201.3	29.4	14.7	317.4	148.1	6.7	102.0	881.3
Public administration & defence	29.2	57.2	30.0	18.7	144.4	11.7	22.7	41.6	355.4
Community services	45.1	523.1	260.1	50.6	234.0	118.7	22.6	181.4	1,435.6
Recreation, personal and other services	82.7	51.5	19.3	124.5	50.3	164.7	9.8	121.9	624.6
Total	848.8	1,014.8	457.1	1,152.2	1,285.4	1,178.3	547.2	1,167.2	7,650.9

TABLE 27. EMPLOYED PERSONS BY INDUSTRY SUBDIVISIONS, FEBRUARY 1992
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Industry division and subdivision	Males	Females		Total	Persons
		Married			
AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY, FISHING AND HUNTING	288.7	98.2		118.8	407.5
Agriculture	256.4	93.7		113.4	369.8
Services to agriculture	10.2	* 1.4		* 1.6	11.7
Forestry and logging	9.7	* 1.4		* 1.6	11.4
Fishing and hunting	12.5	* 1.7		* 2.1	14.6
MINING	83.7	4.9		9.2	92.9
Metallic minerals	35.1	* 1.7		3.9	39.0
Coal	24.5	* 0.6		* 0.6	25.1
Construction Materials	6.7	* 0.9		* 1.1	7.9
Services to mining, n.e.c.	9.9	* 1.1		* 3.0	12.9
Other mining	7.4	* 0.6		* 0.6	8.0
MANUFACTURING	809.6	196.3		298.1	1,107.7
Food, beverages and tobacco	136.3	42.3		62.1	198.4
Textiles	16.0	8.9		11.6	27.7
Clothing and footwear	22.9	33.7		48.1	70.9
Footwear	3.6	* 2.0		* 2.7	6.3
Wood, wood products and furniture	84.4	12.2		15.7	100.1
Paper, paper products, printing and publishing	78.9	22.8		43.6	122.5
Chemical, petroleum and coal products	39.6	7.7		13.8	53.4
Non-metallic mineral products	40.8	5.4		7.7	48.5
Basic metal products	64.2	* 3.2		5.3	69.5
Fabricated metal products	93.2	16.3		23.5	116.7
Transport equipment	83.5	9.2		14.7	98.2
Other machinery and equipment	97.3	19.5		31.3	128.6
Miscellaneous manufacturing	52.6	15.1		20.6	73.3
ELECTRICITY, GAS AND WATER	93.6	8.9		16.8	110.4
Electricity and gas	62.2	6.3		11.3	73.5
Water, sewerage and drainage	31.4	* 2.6		5.5	36.9
CONSTRUCTION	455.2	52.5		63.1	518.3
General construction	165.5	20.1		24.1	189.7
Special trade construction	289.7	32.5		39.0	328.6
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL TRADE	871.5	395.4		723.2	1,594.6
Wholesale trade	315.6	96.1		153.0	468.6
Retail trade	555.9	299.2		570.1	1,126.0
TRANSPORT AND STORAGE	302.2	48.7		82.1	384.2
Road freight transport	112.7	16.3		21.0	133.7
Road passenger transport	55.7	6.7		9.1	64.8
Rail transport	53.9	* 2.2		4.5	58.3
Water transport	4.5	* 0.2		* 0.2	4.7
Air transport	21.0	5.5		13.4	34.4
Other transport	* 1.6	* 0.4		* 0.4	* 2.0
Services to road transport	4.4	* 1.0		* 1.9	6.3
Services to water transport	14.7	* 1.5		* 2.5	17.2
Services to air transport	5.8	* 0.0		* 0.4	6.3
Other services to transport	16.7	11.7		24.2	40.9
Storage	11.1	* 3.3		4.4	15.6
COMMUNICATION	98.4	26.1		40.0	138.4
FINANCE, PROPERTY AND BUSINESS SERVICES	443.3	250.0		438.0	881.3
Finance and investment	102.5	66.8		130.6	233.1
Insurance and services to insurance	43.5	25.8		47.7	91.2
Property and business services	297.3	157.4		259.6	557.0
PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION AND DEFENCE	216.0	84.6		139.4	355.4
Public administration	198.3	81.5		133.4	331.7
Defence	17.6	* 3.2		6.0	23.7
COMMUNITY SERVICES	496.4	625.1		939.2	1,435.6
Health	136.4	277.5		420.7	557.1
Education, museum and library services	186.1	243.9		341.9	528.1
Welfare and religious institutions	54.3	62.5		106.3	160.5
Other community services	119.7	41.1		70.3	189.9
RECREATION, PERSONAL AND OTHER SERVICES	289.8	176.2		334.9	624.6
Entertainment and recreational services	89.8	34.6		62.5	152.3
Restaurants, hotels and clubs	154.1	102.6		187.9	342.1
Personal services	43.5	35.9		73.7	117.2
Private households employing staff	* 2.4	* 3.1		10.6	13.0
TOTAL	4,448.3	1,967.0		3,202.6	7,650.9

TABLE 28. EMPLOYED PERSONS: OCCUPATION OF FULL-TIME AND PART-TIME WORKERS, FEBRUARY 1992
(^{'000})

Occupation major group	Full-time workers		Part-time workers		Total			Persons
	Males	Females	Males	Females	Males	Married	Total	
Managers and administrators	610.5	163.4	22.2	52.6	632.7	174.3	216.1	848.8
Professionals	538.7	318.3	45.1	112.7	583.7	269.8	431.0	1,014.8
Para-professionals	242.9	129.5	12.7	72.0	255.6	125.0	201.6	457.1
Tradespersons	984.9	77.3	53.5	36.4	1,038.5	58.7	113.7	1,152.2
Clerks	278.0	651.9	16.4	339.1	294.4	646.0	991.0	1,285.4
Salespersons and personal service workers	325.2	336.4	95.3	421.3	420.5	368.6	757.7	1,178.3
Plant and machine operators, and drivers	430.4	64.6	30.3	21.9	460.7	60.9	86.5	547.2
Labourers and related workers	604.5	163.3	157.7	241.8	762.1	263.7	405.0	1,167.2
Total	4,015.1	1,904.8	433.2	1,297.8	4,448.3	1,967.0	3,202.6	7,650.9

TABLE 29. EMPLOYED PERSONS: OCCUPATION AND STATUS OF WORKER, FEBRUARY 1992
(^{'000})

Occupation major group	Employers		Self-employed		Wage and salary earners		Total(a)		Persons
	Males	Females	Males	Females	Males	Females	Males	Females	
Managers and administrators	96.3	44.7	160.4	72.8	373.1	96.2	632.7	216.1	848.8
Professionals	41.5	6.8	46.1	27.7	495.8	396.0	583.7	431.0	1,014.8
Para-professionals	4.5	* 1.1	14.3	4.6	236.3	195.9	255.6	201.6	457.1
Tradespersons	59.6	7.8	173.3	19.6	801.3	85.7	1,038.5	113.7	1,152.2
Clerks	* 1.1	30.4	* 2.6	53.8	287.9	887.8	294.4	991.0	1,285.4
Salespersons and personal service workers	12.7	14.4	43.7	50.1	359.7	684.4	420.5	757.7	1,178.3
Plant and machine operators, and drivers	12.8	* 1.4	58.2	9.3	388.3	75.2	460.7	86.5	547.2
Labourers and related workers	12.3	* 2.9	56.7	17.5	678.0	372.2	762.1	405.0	1,167.2
Total	240.8	109.7	555.2	255.5	3,620.4	2,793.5	4,448.3	3,202.6	7,650.9
Full-time workers	232.3	68.0	468.8	111.6	3,304.3	1,718.8	4,015.1	1,904.8	5,919.9

(a) Includes unpaid family helpers.

TABLE 30. EMPLOYED PERSONS: OCCUPATION, AGE AND BIRTHPLACE, FEBRUARY 1992
(^{'000})

Occupation major group	Age group						Total	Born in	
	15-19	20-24	25-34	35-44	45-54	55 and over		Australia	outside Australia
Managers and administrators	4.5	29.5	165.2	267.8	232.9	148.9	848.8	644.1	204.6
Professionals	6.6	90.2	300.9	345.6	191.9	79.5	1,014.8	743.9	270.8
Para-professionals	5.7	53.4	141.6	139.5	89.4	27.7	457.1	344.2	113.0
Tradespersons	103.1	188.2	332.1	256.7	179.3	92.8	1,152.2	840.3	311.9
Clerks	54.7	202.3	367.2	347.5	219.6	94.3	1,285.4	1,013.5	271.9
Salespersons and personal service workers	232.4	217.6	281.5	235.8	147.4	63.5	1,178.3	942.8	235.4
Plant and machine operators, and drivers	11.9	46.8	156.9	157.9	119.4	54.3	547.2	382.3	164.9
Labourers and related workers	146.4	155.2	271.8	262.0	206.3	125.5	1,167.2	829.7	337.5
Total	565.3	983.1	2,017.1	2,012.8	1,386.0	686.6	7,650.9	5,740.9	1,910.1

TABLE 31. EMPLOYED PERSONS: OCCUPATION AND HOURS WORKED, FEBRUARY 1992

Occupation major group	Hours worked									Total	Average weekly hours worked (hours)
	0	1-15	16-29	30-34	35-39	40 - '000-	41-44	45-48	49 and over		
MALES											
Managers and administrators	17.4	12.7	17.9	14.6	40.3	82.2	26.6	61.4	359.6	632.7	52.2
Professionals	24.9	22.1	21.9	22.2	98.3	110.7	35.2	67.1	181.4	583.7	42.2
Para-professionals	20.3	6.7	12.8	18.4	53.5	61.1	19.2	21.8	41.7	255.6	37.8
Tradespersons	58.8	29.1	63.3	63.4	208.0	266.8	63.8	92.8	192.5	1,038.5	39.1
Clerks	16.9	9.6	12.2	19.3	94.8	66.5	19.3	20.8	34.9	294.4	37.2
Salespersons and personal service workers	22.3	58.0	30.5	19.4	48.6	72.7	21.1	42.0	105.9	420.5	37.0
Plant and machine operators, and drivers	27.8	17.9	26.5	29.1	81.7	95.7	27.6	50.4	104.0	460.7	40.0
Labourers and related workers	37.8	97.9	74.8	47.1	140.5	177.5	39.7	53.0	93.9	762.1	34.2
Total employed	226.1	254.0	260.0	233.5	765.5	933.2	252.6	409.4	1,113.9	4,448.3	40.2
MARRIED FEMALES											
Managers and administrators	8.7	21.2	22.8	7.5	19.9	17.7	9.6	11.1	55.8	174.3	40.3
Professionals	12.0	36.5	40.4	20.4	50.0	35.9	12.6	24.8	37.2	269.8	32.8
Para-professionals	11.1	13.6	32.8	16.3	16.8	20.5	4.3	4.7	5.0	125.0	27.8
Tradespersons	4.2	11.0	11.8	3.8	8.2	7.6	* 2.1	3.7	6.3	58.7	29.5
Clerks	37.1	139.1	122.1	54.5	144.1	85.3	20.0	19.5	24.4	646.0	27.1
Salespersons and personal service workers	23.1	81.7	96.1	30.2	47.7	38.7	6.9	14.2	30.0	368.6	26.9
Plant and machine operators, and drivers	* 2.8	5.6	7.0	6.5	19.5	13.3	* 1.0	* 2.4	* 2.8	60.9	33.1
Labourers and related workers	11.4	87.0	59.6	23.9	34.9	30.9	* 2.6	4.7	8.6	263.7	23.5
Total employed	110.4	395.6	392.6	163.0	341.2	249.9	59.1	85.0	170.2	1,967.0	28.8
ALL FEMALES											
Managers and administrators	11.0	22.7	26.1	9.1	24.9	23.7	13.1	15.4	70.0	216.1	40.8
Professionals	18.3	48.0	52.6	28.5	84.3	70.7	24.3	41.1	63.3	431.0	34.4
Para-professionals	17.5	16.6	42.4	25.3	30.6	42.2	6.7	9.9	10.2	201.6	29.9
Tradespersons	7.7	15.1	16.9	7.8	19.7	17.1	5.8	9.9	13.8	113.7	32.2
Clerks	55.0	157.4	149.8	79.7	265.7	168.1	41.5	39.5	34.4	991.0	29.6
Salespersons and personal service workers	43.3	213.1	157.2	57.5	102.1	91.1	17.5	29.4	46.5	757.7	25.7
Plant and machine operators, and drivers	4.6	8.4	10.9	7.8	26.5	17.8	* 1.8	4.6	4.1	86.5	32.7
Labourers and related workers	19.9	134.7	84.2	35.9	54.0	49.4	4.9	9.4	12.7	405.0	23.4
Total employed	177.3	616.0	540.0	251.7	607.7	480.1	115.7	159.2	254.9	3,202.6	29.5
PERSONS											
Managers and administrators	28.5	35.4	44.0	23.7	65.1	105.9	39.7	76.8	429.6	848.8	49.3
Professionals	43.2	70.1	74.5	50.7	182.5	181.4	59.5	108.2	244.7	1,014.8	38.9
Para-professionals	37.8	23.3	55.2	43.7	84.2	103.3	26.0	31.7	51.9	457.1	34.3
Tradespersons	66.4	44.1	80.2	71.3	227.7	283.9	69.7	102.7	206.3	1,152.2	38.4
Clerks	71.9	167.0	162.0	99.1	360.4	234.5	60.8	60.4	69.3	1,285.4	31.3
Salespersons and personal service workers	65.6	271.1	187.7	76.9	150.7	163.8	38.6	71.4	152.4	1,178.3	29.7
Plant and machine operators, and drivers	32.4	26.3	37.4	36.9	108.2	113.5	29.4	55.0	108.1	547.2	38.8
Labourers and related workers	57.8	232.7	158.9	83.0	194.5	226.8	44.6	62.4	106.5	1,167.2	30.4
Total employed	403.5	870.0	800.0	485.2	1,373.3	1,413.3	368.3	568.6	1,368.8	7,650.9	35.7

TABLE 32. EMPLOYED PERSONS: MAJOR AND MINOR OCCUPATION GROUPS, FEBRUARY 1992
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Occupation major and minor group	Females			Persons
	Males	Married	Total	
MANAGERS AND ADMINISTRATORS	632.7	174.3	216.1	848.8
Legislators and government appointed officials	* 1.3	* 0.9	* 0.9	* 2.2
General managers	34.1	4.6	6.0	40.2
Specialist managers	142.9	19.3	31.8	174.7
Farmers and farm managers	175.1	64.9	70.5	245.6
Managing supervisors (sales and service)	180.3	75.6	95.7	276.0
Managing supervisors (other business)	99.0	9.1	11.1	110.1
PROFESSIONALS	583.7	269.8	431.0	1,014.8
Natural scientists	27.4	6.0	11.5	38.9
Building professionals and engineers	99.7	* 1.8	3.9	103.6
Health diagnosis and treatment practitioners	53.6	26.7	45.1	98.7
School teachers	81.7	115.9	162.7	244.4
Other teachers and instructors	44.3	33.6	48.4	92.7
Social professionals	43.1	14.0	26.7	69.8
Business professionals	168.0	41.3	76.5	244.5
Artists and related professionals	43.7	13.1	28.8	72.5
Miscellaneous professionals	22.2	17.5	27.4	49.6
PARA-PROFESSIONALS	255.6	125.0	201.6	457.1
Medical and science technical officers and technicians	18.7	9.8	15.4	34.1
Engineering and building associates and technicians	83.7	* 2.8	4.0	87.7
Air and sea transport technical workers	16.6	* 0.0	* 0.1	16.8
Registered nurses	13.2	89.9	138.8	152.0
Police	39.2	* 2.4	6.0	45.2
Miscellaneous para-professionals	84.1	20.0	37.3	121.4
TRADESPERSONS	1,038.5	58.7	113.7	1,152.2
Metal fitting and machining tradespersons	106.8	* 0.4	* 1.6	108.4
Other metal tradespersons	102.8	* 0.5	* 0.7	103.5
Electrical and electronics tradespersons	175.9	* 1.0	* 1.8	177.7
Building tradespersons	244.1	* 1.8	* 2.8	246.9
Printing tradespersons	33.3	4.3	7.9	41.3
Vehicle tradespersons	135.1	* 0.2	* 0.2	135.2
Food tradespersons	87.9	17.9	30.2	118.2
Amenity horticultural tradespersons	50.9	* 2.2	5.0	55.9
Miscellaneous tradespersons	101.7	30.5	63.4	165.1
CLERKS	294.4	646.0	991.0	1,285.4
Stenographers and typists	5.3	155.5	251.4	256.7
Data processing and business machine operators	24.9	45.8	82.9	107.9
Numerical clerks	114.2	241.5	328.2	442.4
Filing, sorting and copying clerks	18.7	21.5	35.0	53.7
Material recording and despatching clerks	46.8	14.6	23.8	70.5
Receptionists, telephonists and messengers	19.7	91.2	148.9	168.5
Miscellaneous clerks	64.8	75.9	120.8	185.7
SALESPERSONS AND PERSONAL SERVICE WORKERS	420.5	368.6	757.7	1,178.3
Investment, insurance and real estate salespersons	65.1	12.7	20.4	85.4
Sales representatives	84.9	22.2	38.0	122.9
Sales assistants	159.4	145.8	318.2	477.6
Tellers, cashiers and ticket salespersons	28.3	47.6	120.8	149.1
Miscellaneous salespersons	67.8	60.1	126.0	193.8
Personal service workers	15.1	80.3	134.3	149.4
PLANT AND MACHINE OPERATORS, AND DRIVERS	460.7	60.9	86.5	547.2
Road and rail transport drivers	236.7	9.8	15.9	252.6
Mobile plant operators (except transport)	94.7	* 0.3	* 0.6	95.2
Stationary plant operators	54.6	* 0.4	* 1.1	55.6
Machine operators	74.8	50.5	68.9	143.7
LABOURERS AND RELATED WORKERS	762.1	263.7	405.0	1,167.2
Trades assistants and factory hands	186.5	55.9	90.4	276.9
Agricultural labourers and related workers	110.0	22.5	36.0	146.1
Cleaners	79.4	101.0	135.3	214.7
Construction and mining labourers	111.5	* 1.0	* 2.0	113.6
Miscellaneous labourers and related workers	274.7	83.2	141.3	416.0
TOTAL	4,448.3	1,967.0	3,202.6	7,650.9

TABLE 33. UNEMPLOYED PERSONS: STATES, BY AGE, FEBRUARY 1992
(^{'000})

Age group	New South Wales	Victoria	Queensland	South Australia	Western Australia	Tasmania	Australia(a)
15-19	35.9	28.1	17.7	10.4	11.8	3.5	110.1
20-24	32.8	34.8	18.7	12.5	13.1	2.2	117.0
25-34	49.9	38.0	23.7	16.9	17.9	3.7	153.5
35-44	29.6	29.8	16.6	9.1	10.4	3.8	101.0
45 and over	38.8	30.3	20.4	9.3	11.0	2.0	113.5
Total	187.0	161.0	97.0	58.2	64.2	15.3	595.1
FEMALES							
15-19	28.6	28.7	18.3	8.2	10.3	2.9	99.1
20-24	22.5	31.1	13.6	6.3	8.7	1.7	85.0
25-34	32.9	24.0	18.1	8.9	8.7	1.7	97.4
35-44	23.9	17.6	13.7	5.4	7.1	2.0	71.8
45 and over	17.6	11.6	9.9	4.2	4.1	* 1.1	49.2
Total	125.4	113.0	73.6	33.0	38.9	9.5	402.6
PERSONS							
Looking for full-time work —							
15-19	46.3	40.8	22.3	13.4	16.7	5.1	147.0
20-24	48.9	59.4	28.5	16.8	19.7	3.2	180.0
25-34	71.5	56.2	35.0	23.1	23.6	4.9	220.3
35-44	46.0	44.4	25.1	12.4	14.1	4.9	150.1
45-54	30.0	24.4	16.6	6.5	9.9	2.1	90.5
55 and over	20.0	12.9	9.0	5.1	4.2	* 0.7	52.8
Total looking for full-time work	262.6	238.1	136.6	77.3	88.2	20.8	840.8
Total —							
15-19	64.4	56.8	36.0	18.6	22.1	6.4	209.3
20-24	55.3	65.9	32.4	18.8	21.8	3.9	202.0
25-34	82.8	62.0	41.8	25.7	26.5	5.4	250.9
35-44	53.5	47.4	30.2	14.6	17.5	5.9	172.8
45-54	33.9	27.4	19.4	8.1	10.5	2.5	103.0
55 and over	22.5	14.5	10.9	5.5	4.7	* 0.7	59.7
Total	312.4	274.0	170.6	91.2	103.1	24.7	997.7

(a) Includes the Northern Territory and the Australian Capital Territory

TABLE 34. UNEMPLOYED PERSONS AGED 15-19:
DURATION OF UNEMPLOYMENT AND SCHOOL ATTENDANCE, FEBRUARY 1992

	Not attending school			Total
	Attending school	Left school before 1991	Left school 1991 to survey date	
NUMBER (^{'000})				
Duration of unemployment (weeks) —				
Under 4	8.7	11.2	9.2	29.1
4 and under 13	20.6	27.9	35.2	83.6
13 and under 26	4.9	13.6	11.5	30.0
26 and over	10.9	49.9	5.7	66.5
Total	45.0	102.6	61.6	209.3
DURATION OF UNEMPLOYMENT (weeks)				
Average duration —				
Males	24.6	34.6	12.6	26.2
Females	16.3	36.6	10.2	24.2
Persons	20.7	35.5	11.4	25.2
Looking for full-time work	21.8	39.6	11.9	28.8
Looking for part-time work	20.4	14.3	9.3	16.8
Median duration —				
Males	9	24	10	13
Females	8	19	9	10
Persons	8	22	9	11
Looking for full-time work	* 10	30	10	13
Looking for part-time work	8	9	* 8	8

TABLE 35. UNEMPLOYED PERSONS, BY AGE AND WHETHER LOOKING FOR FULL-TIME OR PART-TIME WORK, FEBRUARY 1992

	Number unemployed ('000)					Unemployment rate (per cent)				
	Males		Females		Persons	Males		Females		Persons
	Married	Total	Married	Total		Married	Total	Married	Total	
LOOKING FOR FULL-TIME WORK										
Total	245.2	542.9	113.7	297.9	840.8	8.2	11.9	9.7	13.5	12.4
Aged 15-19	* 2.4	79.1	5.9	67.9	147.0	* 54.7	32.5	56.0	40.3	35.7
Looking for first job	* 0.3	43.9	* 1.3	40.3	84.2	..	..	..	..	..
Attending school	* 0.0	6.0	* 0.3	4.0	10.0	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Attending a tertiary educational institution full time	* 0.3	5.3	* 0.5	4.9	10.3	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Aged 20 and over	242.8	463.8	107.8	230.0	693.7	8.1	10.7	9.2	11.3	10.9
20-24	20.8	109.7	14.2	70.2	180.0	19.2	19.3	12.9	16.6	18.2
Looking for first job	* 1.1	12.1	* 1.2	14.1	26.2	..	..	..	..	..
25-34	72.3	148.2	39.5	72.1	220.3	9.2	11.7	11.6	11.8	11.7
35-44	70.1	98.5	32.2	51.6	150.1	7.1	8.3	8.2	9.6	8.7
45-54	42.5	58.9	19.7	31.7	90.5	5.9	6.9	7.5	8.8	7.5
55 and over	37.1	48.4	* 2.1	4.3	52.8	9.6	10.7	* 3.4	4.3	9.6
Aged 15-64	244.6	542.2	113.7	297.4	839.5	8.3	12.0	9.7	13.6	12.5
LOOKING FOR PART-TIME WORK										
Total	8.8	52.2	46.0	104.7	156.9	4.8	10.7	4.9	7.5	8.3
Aged 15-19	* 0.0	31.0	* 1.0	31.2	62.2	* 0.0	19.9	* 27.0	15.1	17.2
Attending school	* 0.0	17.9	* 0.0	17.1	35.0	* 0.0	22.1	* 0.0	18.2	20.0
Attending a tertiary educational institution full time	* 0.0	10.6	* 0.0	11.7	22.3	* 0.0	25.0	* 0.0	19.7	21.9
Aged 20 and over	8.8	21.2	45.0	73.5	94.7	4.8	6.4	4.8	6.1	6.2
20-24	* 1.1	7.2	4.9	14.8	22.0	* 12.5	9.7	13.3	12.3	11.3
Attending a tertiary educational institution full time	* 0.6	5.4	* 0.0	6.4	11.8	* 56.7	16.9	* 0.0	18.2	17.6
25-34	* 1.5	5.3	16.9	25.3	30.6	* 5.5	7.6	6.4	7.8	7.8
35-44	* 1.6	* 2.5	14.7	20.2	22.7	* 3.8	* 4.2	4.2	5.0	4.9
45 and over	4.5	6.2	8.5	13.2	19.4	4.4	4.8	2.9	3.8	4.1
Aged 15-64	7.9	51.3	46.0	104.5	155.8	5.0	11.3	4.9	7.5	8.5
TOTAL										
Total	253.9	595.1	159.7	402.6	997.7	8.0	11.8	7.5	11.2	11.5
Aged 15-19	* 2.4	110.1	6.9	99.1	209.3	* 46.5	27.6	48.3	26.4	27.0
Attending school	* 0.0	23.9	* 0.3	21.2	45.0	* 0.0	27.2	* 100.0	21.4	24.1
Attending a tertiary educational institution full time	* 0.3	16.0	* 0.5	16.6	32.6	* 68.6	28.2	* 71.1	23.5	25.6
Aged 20 and over(a)	251.5	484.9	152.8	303.5	788.4	7.9	10.4	7.2	9.4	10.0
20-24	21.9	117.0	19.1	85.0	202.0	18.7	18.2	13.0	15.7	17.0
Attending a tertiary educational institution full time	* 1.8	12.4	* 0.6	10.9	23.4	* 63.8	22.6	* 27.2	21.8	22.2
25-34	73.8	153.5	56.4	97.4	250.9	9.0	11.5	9.3	10.4	11.1
35-44	71.7	101.0	46.9	71.8	172.8	6.9	8.1	6.3	7.6	7.9
45-54	44.1	60.9	26.4	42.1	103.0	5.8	6.8	5.6	7.0	6.9
55-59	21.4	27.7	* 3.4	5.1	32.8	9.1	10.1	* 3.6	4.1	8.3
60-64	17.1	23.2	* 0.5	* 1.3	24.5	10.8	12.5	* 1.4	* 2.3	10.1
Aged 15-64	252.5	593.5	159.7	401.8	995.3	8.1	12.0	7.6	11.2	11.7

(a) Includes unemployed persons aged 65 and over, details for whom are not shown separately.

TABLE 36. UNEMPLOYED PERSONS: BIRTHPLACE BY AGE, FEBRUARY 1992

	Number unemployed ('000)			Unemployment rate (per cent)		
	Males	Females	Persons	Males	Females	Persons
	BORN IN AUSTRALIA					
Total	406.7	284.2	690.9	11.0	10.4	10.7
Looking for full-time work	368.5	206.2	574.7	11.1	12.6	11.6
Looking for part-time work	38.3	78.0	116.2	10.2	7.1	7.9
Aged 15-19	97.6	89.6	187.2	26.9	26.1	26.6
Aged 20 and over	309.1	194.6	503.7	9.3	8.1	8.8
20-24	93.7	65.8	159.4	16.9	14.2	15.7
25-34	105.3	62.2	167.5	10.4	8.8	9.7
35-44	55.3	40.3	95.6	6.6	6.0	6.3
45-54	29.4	22.2	51.6	5.1	5.5	5.3
55 and over	25.5	4.1	29.7	7.4	2.7	6.0
Aged 15-64	405.8	283.7	689.5	11.2	10.5	10.9
BORN OUTSIDE AUSTRALIA						
Total	188.4	118.4	306.8	14.0	13.6	13.8
Looking for full-time work	174.4	91.6	266.1	14.1	16.1	14.7
Looking for part-time work	13.9	26.8	40.7	12.5	9.0	9.9
Aged 15-19	12.6	9.5	22.1	33.8	29.3	31.7
Aged 20 and over	175.8	108.9	284.7	13.4	13.0	13.3
20-24	23.3	19.3	42.6	26.0	24.2	25.2
25-34	48.2	35.2	83.4	15.2	15.5	15.3
35-44	45.7	31.6	77.2	11.4	11.4	11.4
45-54	31.6	19.9	51.5	10.0	10.3	10.1
55 and over	27.0	* 3.0	30.0	14.2	* 5.1	12.1
Aged 15-64	187.6	118.1	305.8	14.1	13.7	13.9

TABLE 37. UNEMPLOYED PERSONS, BY DURATION OF UNEMPLOYMENT AND AGE, ETC., FEBRUARY 1992

Duration of unemployment (weeks)	Age group				Total(a)	Married	Not married	Looking for -	
	15-19	20-24	25-34	35-54				Full-time work	Part-time work
MALES									
— '000 —									
Under 2	3.5	5.0	7.7	4.8	21.4	8.3	13.2	16.5	4.9
2 and under 4	8.7	8.8	9.7	7.8	36.2	13.6	22.6	29.9	6.3
4 and under 8	18.1	12.5	15.8	16.5	66.7	22.7	44.0	57.4	9.2
8 and under 13	24.0	15.2	18.2	13.8	73.6	24.8	48.8	63.0	10.7
13 and under 26	17.5	19.3	23.0	23.9	88.5	36.9	51.6	82.0	6.6
26 and under 39	8.1	14.2	17.6	18.2	66.5	32.9	33.7	63.5	* 3.0
39 and under 52	6.3	5.3	10.5	12.3	38.0	16.8	21.2	36.2	* 1.8
52 and under 65	15.2	16.7	19.6	23.8	79.7	32.3	47.4	74.9	4.8
65 and under 104	4.5	9.5	9.5	17.0	47.4	24.2	23.2	46.2	* 1.2
104 and over	4.4	10.5	22.0	23.9	77.0	41.5	35.4	73.3	3.7
Total	110.1	117.0	153.5	161.9	595.1	253.9	341.1	542.9	52.2
Average duration —	26.2	37.4	50.7	55.8	48.7	58.4	41.5	50.8	27.0
Median duration —	13	23	26	34	26	32	21	29	10
FEMALES									
— '000 —									
Under 2	7.9	4.9	9.0	10.6	32.8	15.7	17.1	12.8	20.0
2 and under 4	9.0	6.7	13.3	13.3	42.7	21.5	21.2	21.5	21.1
4 and under 8	18.1	14.7	16.6	11.8	61.7	22.6	39.1	45.0	16.7
8 and under 13	23.5	14.5	10.1	9.2	57.7	14.9	42.8	43.0	14.7
13 and under 26	12.5	11.7	13.2	12.8	51.1	19.8	31.4	42.4	8.7
26 and under 39	5.5	8.9	9.5	11.5	35.9	16.1	19.8	30.4	5.5
39 and under 52	* 2.3	* 3.3	3.9	4.3	14.2	5.1	9.0	11.8	* 2.3
52 and under 65	10.8	8.2	8.9	13.8	42.5	16.9	25.6	36.9	5.6
65 and under 104	3.7	5.2	4.3	6.8	20.0	6.9	13.1	18.4	* 1.6
104 and over	5.7	7.0	8.6	19.9	44.1	20.4	23.7	35.6	8.5
Total	99.1	85.0	97.4	113.9	402.6	159.7	242.9	297.9	104.7
Average duration —	24.2	33.5	34.8	48.0	37.0	40.2	34.9	41.5	24.2
Median duration —	10	13	12	25	13	15	13	17	6
PERSONS									
— '000 —									
Under 2	11.5	10.0	16.7	15.4	54.3	24.0	30.3	29.3	25.0
2 and under 4	17.7	15.4	23.0	21.1	78.9	35.1	43.8	51.4	27.5
4 and under 8	36.2	27.2	32.5	28.3	128.4	45.3	83.1	102.5	25.9
8 and under 13	47.5	29.6	28.3	22.9	131.3	39.6	91.7	106.0	25.3
13 and under 26	30.0	31.0	36.2	36.7	139.6	56.6	83.0	124.4	15.2
26 and under 39	13.6	23.1	27.0	29.7	102.4	49.0	53.5	93.9	8.5
39 and under 52	8.6	8.6	14.4	16.6	52.1	21.9	30.2	48.0	4.1
52 and under 65	26.0	24.9	28.5	37.6	122.3	49.2	73.0	111.8	10.4
65 and under 104	8.2	14.6	13.8	23.7	67.3	31.0	36.3	64.6	* 2.7
104 and over	10.1	17.5	30.6	43.8	121.1	61.9	59.2	108.9	12.2
Total	209.3	202.0	250.9	275.8	997.7	413.6	584.0	840.8	156.9
Average duration —	25.2	35.8	44.5	52.6	44.0	51.4	38.7	47.5	25.1
Median duration —	11	18	19	30	20	26	16	26	8

(a) Includes persons aged 55 and over, details for whom are not shown separately.

TABLE 38. UNEMPLOYED PERSONS: AGE AND ACTIVE STEPS TAKEN TO FIND WORK, FEBRUARY 1992 ('000)

	Persons					Total
	Males	Females	Aged 15-19	Aged 20-24	Aged 25 and over	
Took active steps to find work	588.8	385.6	203.6	198.2	572.6	974.4
Wrote, phoned or applied in person to an employer	511.8	329.8	172.4	176.7	492.5	841.6
Answered a newspaper advertisement for a job	14.7	10.4	4.2	5.1	15.8	25.1
Checked factory or Commonwealth Employment Service noticeboards	35.0	24.8	15.2	8.6	35.9	59.8
Been registered with the Commonwealth Employment Service	21.5	11.0	8.7	5.2	18.6	32.4
Checked or registered with any other employment agency	* 0.4	* 1.8	* 0.2	* 0.3	* 1.6	* 2.2
Advertised or tendered for work	* 0.8	* 0.6	* 0.2	* 0.2	* 1.0	* 1.5
Contacted relatives or friends	4.6	7.2	* 2.6	* 2.0	7.2	11.8
Stood down	6.3	17.0	5.7	3.8	13.8	23.3
Total	595.1	402.6	209.3	202.0	586.4	997.7

TABLE 39. UNEMPLOYED PERSONS: INDUSTRY AND OCCUPATION OF LAST FULL-TIME JOB
AND DURATION OF UNEMPLOYMENT, FEBRUARY 1992

	Duration of unemployment (weeks)					Total		
	Under 4	4 and under 13	13 and under 26	26 and under 52	52 and over			
						Males	Females	Persons
<i>Had worked full time for two weeks or more in the last two years</i>	65.5	142.3	95.3	116.0	125.4	382.4	162.1	544.5
Industry division or subdivision —								
Agriculture, forestry, fishing & hunting	* 2.9	10.6	5.7	6.8	7.0	25.1	7.9	33.0
Agriculture & services to agriculture	* 2.5	10.0	4.9	6.1	6.6	22.4	7.7	30.1
Manufacturing	11.3	25.4	23.5	28.0	32.8	91.6	29.3	120.9
Food, beverages and tobacco	* 1.6	6.3	3.5	3.9	4.2	15.3	4.2	19.5
Metal products	* 2.6	* 2.9	* 3.0	4.9	6.3	17.9	* 1.9	19.7
Other manufacturing	7.1	16.2	17.0	19.2	22.3	58.4	23.3	81.7
Construction	8.7	20.2	12.2	17.8	16.8	72.9	* 2.8	75.7
Wholesale and retail trade	14.8	28.1	21.2	22.4	29.2	77.3	38.3	115.6
Wholesale trade	5.6	7.6	5.8	6.7	7.0	25.5	7.3	32.8
Retail trade	9.2	20.5	15.3	15.6	22.2	51.9	31.0	82.9
Transport and storage	* 2.6	5.4	* 3.4	6.9	7.4	21.3	4.3	25.7
Finance, property & business services	5.8	12.9	8.0	8.8	7.2	23.2	19.6	42.8
Public administration and defence	* 2.4	4.2	* 2.4	* 3.2	* 3.1	9.4	5.9	15.3
Community services	7.5	13.2	7.3	7.4	5.9	15.1	26.2	41.3
Recreation, personal & other services	5.4	13.8	9.1	10.1	11.3	25.5	24.2	49.7
Other industries	4.2	8.7	* 2.5	4.5	4.6	20.9	3.6	24.5
Occupation group —								
Managers and administrators	4.0	4.0	* 3.0	5.0	* 2.9	14.8	4.2	19.0
Professionals	6.7	12.3	5.8	5.8	4.7	20.8	14.5	35.3
Para-professionals	* 2.3	5.3	* 2.3	3.7	* 2.3	11.3	4.6	15.9
Tradespersons	13.2	28.9	20.7	25.1	25.6	104.3	9.3	113.6
Clerks	10.3	18.6	12.6	13.3	10.6	19.7	45.7	65.4
Salespersons and personal service workers	9.9	22.6	13.8	13.4	18.3	37.2	40.8	78.0
Plant and machine operators	5.8	9.6	9.1	11.4	14.9	43.0	7.9	50.8
Labourers and related workers	13.3	40.9	27.9	38.2	46.1	131.4	35.1	166.5
Other	44.3	117.4	44.4	38.6	185.2	206.4	223.5	429.9
Looking for first job	20.9	77.4	26.4	16.9	44.1	91.7	93.9	185.6
Looking for full-time work	10.3	49.6	19.0	12.6	35.6	63.3	63.8	127.1
Former workers	23.5	40.0	18.0	21.7	141.2	114.7	129.6	244.3
Stood down	23.3	..	..	..	..	6.3	17.0	23.3
Total	133.1	259.7	139.6	154.6	310.7	595.1	402.6	997.7

TABLE 40. UNEMPLOYMENT RATES: INDUSTRY AND OCCUPATION OF LAST FULL-TIME JOB, FEBRUARY 1992
(per cent)

	Males	Females	Persons
<i>Had worked full time for two weeks or more in the last two years</i>	7.9	4.8	6.6
Industry division or subdivision —			
Agriculture, forestry, fishing and hunting	8.0	6.2	7.5
Agriculture and services to agriculture	7.8	6.3	7.3
Mining	10.7	* 7.0	10.3
Manufacturing	10.2	9.0	9.8
Food, beverages and tobacco	10.1	6.3	8.9
Metal products	10.2	* 6.1	9.6
Other manufacturing	10.2	10.1	10.2
Electricity, gas and water	6.1	* 4.6	5.9
Construction	13.8	* 4.2	12.7
Wholesale and retail trade	8.2	5.0	6.8
Wholesale trade	7.5	4.5	6.5
Retail trade	8.5	5.2	6.9
Transport and storage	6.6	5.0	6.3
Communication	4.6	* 5.0	4.7
Finance, property and business services	5.0	4.3	4.6
Public administration and defence	4.2	4.1	4.1
Community services	3.0	2.7	2.8
Recreation, personal and other services	8.1	6.7	7.4
Occupation group —			
Managers and administrators	2.3	1.9	2.2
Professionals	3.4	3.3	3.4
Para-Professionals	4.2	2.2	3.4
Tradespersons	9.1	7.6	9.0
Clerks	6.3	4.4	4.8
Salespersons and personal service workers	8.1	5.1	6.2
Plant and machine operators, and drivers	8.5	8.3	8.5
Labourers and related workers	14.7	8.0	12.5
Total	11.8	11.2	11.5

TABLE 41. UNEMPLOYED PERSONS: REASON FOR LEAVING LAST FULL-TIME JOB

Month	Reason for unemployment					Total	Percent of unemployed					
	Job loser	Job leaver	Stood down -'000	Looking for first job	Former workers		Job loser	Job leaver	Stood down - per cent	Looking for first job	Former workers	
1990 —												
December	263.1	125.6	15.9	162.0	138.0	704.6	37.3	17.8	2.3	23.0	19.6	
1991 —												
January	307.4	137.1	22.5	158.0	142.6	767.7	40.0	17.9	2.9	20.6	18.6	
February	325.2	150.4	21.3	141.6	173.6	812.2	40.0	18.5	2.6	17.4	21.4	
March	330.9	149.9	22.0	137.5	184.4	824.6	40.1	18.2	2.7	16.7	22.4	
April	359.7	158.4	34.4	136.1	167.8	856.3	42.0	18.5	4.0	15.9	19.6	
May	352.1	148.6	18.3	126.2	166.9	812.2	43.4	18.3	2.3	15.5	20.5	
June	337.7	135.9	24.1	109.0	157.5	764.1	44.2	17.8	3.2	14.3	20.6	
July	363.8	136.7	18.2	120.8	162.2	801.7	45.4	17.1	2.3	15.1	20.2	
August	381.8	131.4	21.2	110.6	161.0	806.0	47.4	16.3	2.6	13.7	20.0	
September	375.0	149.3	30.6	126.8	185.6	867.2	43.2	17.2	3.5	14.6	21.4	
October	357.7	134.4	19.0	110.9	179.6	801.6	44.6	16.8	2.4	13.8	22.4	
November	363.1	126.1	20.8	127.5	180.1	817.5	44.4	15.4	2.5	15.6	22.0	
December	368.1	130.9	19.6	205.6	196.1	920.4	40.0	14.2	2.1	22.3	21.3	
1992 —												
January	394.1	135.2	24.8	196.6	208.9	959.7	41.1	14.1	2.6	20.5	21.8	
February	409.9	134.6	23.3	185.6	244.3	997.7	41.1	13.5	2.3	18.6	24.5	

TABLE 42. UNEMPLOYED PERSONS WHO HAD WORKED FULL TIME FOR TWO WEEKS OR MORE IN THE LAST TWO YEARS: REASON FOR CEASING LAST FULL-TIME JOB, INDUSTRY AND OCCUPATION OF LAST FULL-TIME JOB AND AGE, FEBRUARY 1992 ('000)

	Reason for ceasing last full-time job									Total	
	Job loser			Job leaver			Total				
	Laid-off, retrenched	Total		Total		Total					
	Males	Females	Persons	Males	Females	Persons	Males	Females	Persons		
Industry group											
Agriculture, forestry, fishing and hunting	8.0	* 1.9	9.9	20.7	5.8	26.5	4.4	* 2.1	6.5	33.0	
Manufacturing	62.4	16.8	79.2	76.2	21.5	97.7	15.5	7.8	23.3	120.9	
Construction	50.5	* 1.7	52.2	66.7	* 1.8	68.6	6.2	* 1.0	7.1	75.7	
Wholesale and retail	51.4	20.3	71.6	62.3	25.2	87.5	15.0	13.1	28.1	115.6	
Transport and storage	11.6	* 2.3	13.8	15.6	* 2.9	18.5	5.8	* 1.4	7.2	25.7	
Public administration & defence	4.1	* 0.4	4.5	7.0	4.2	11.2	* 2.4	* 1.7	4.1	15.3	
Community services	5.8	4.8	10.6	11.4	12.2	23.6	3.7	14.0	17.6	41.3	
Recreation, personal and other services	10.9	10.8	21.7	17.5	14.3	31.7	8.1	9.9	18.0	49.7	
Other industries	26.1	8.7	34.7	32.9	11.7	44.6	11.2	11.5	22.7	67.2	
Occupation group											
Tradespersons	68.3	5.7	74.0	90.9	6.9	97.8	13.4	* 2.4	15.8	113.6	
Clerks	13.2	19.6	32.8	15.1	29.4	44.5	4.6	16.4	20.9	65.4	
Salespersons and personal service workers	21.8	17.7	39.5	27.9	22.5	50.5	9.3	18.3	27.5	78.0	
Plant and machine operators, and drivers	25.6	3.8	29.4	33.7	4.7	38.4	9.3	* 3.2	12.4	50.8	
Labourers and related workers	80.3	15.9	96.3	108.1	24.9	133.0	23.3	10.1	33.5	166.5	
Other occupations	21.5	4.8	26.3	34.5	11.3	45.8	12.3	12.1	24.4	70.2	
Age group											
15-19	20.7	12.3	33.0	26.1	16.3	42.5	9.2	9.4	18.7	61.1	
20-24	49.4	15.8	65.2	64.1	25.3	89.4	18.6	20.2	38.7	128.1	
25-34	66.1	17.6	83.8	92.9	27.3	120.1	21.2	18.0	39.2	159.4	
35-44	47.3	13.3	60.7	64.0	18.7	82.7	12.6	10.6	23.1	105.9	
45-54	26.2	7.5	33.7	36.5	10.9	47.4	6.1	4.0	10.1	57.5	
55 and over	20.9	* 1.0	21.9	26.5	* 1.2	27.8	4.5	* 0.2	4.7	32.5	
Total	230.7	67.5	298.2	310.2	99.7	409.9	72.2	62.4	134.6	544.5	

TABLE 43. PERSONS NOT IN THE LABOUR FORCE: AGE AND MARITAL STATUS, FEBRUARY 1992

Age group	Males			Females			Persons	Proportion of population - per cent -
	Married	Not married	Total	Married - '000 -	Not married	Total		
15-19	* 0.4	280.3	280.6	11.7	264.5	276.2	556.8	41.8
20-24	3.8	69.3	73.1	72.4	85.3	157.7	230.8	16.3
25-34	25.2	52.4	77.6	380.6	88.9	469.4	547.1	19.4
35-44	45.6	36.3	81.9	309.3	67.8	377.1	459.0	17.4
45-54	74.5	35.1	109.6	285.1	67.0	352.1	461.8	23.7
55-59	75.8	25.5	101.3	188.3	53.2	241.4	342.7	46.3
60-64	141.5	35.6	177.0	213.7	92.2	306.0	483.0	66.6
65-69	217.6	57.3	274.8	199.9	134.9	334.8	609.7	89.9
70 and over	357.4	147.8	505.3	253.8	526.8	780.6	1,285.9	97.1
Total	941.7	739.6	1,681.3	1,914.9	1,380.6	3,295.5	4,976.8	36.5

TABLE 44. PERSONS NOT IN THE LABOUR FORCE: WHETHER LOOKING FOR WORK, ETC., FEBRUARY 1992 ('000)

	Males			Females			Persons
	Married	Not married	Total	Married	Not married	Total	
<i>Looking for work</i>							
Took active steps to find work(a)	19.1	32.3	51.4	42.7	35.9	78.6	130.0
Did not take active steps to find work	6.7	14.9	21.7	8.5	13.3	21.7	43.4
<i>Not looking for work</i>							
Permanently unable to work	12.4	17.3	29.7	34.2	22.7	56.9	86.6
In institutions	881.9	643.5	1,525.4	1,848.3	1,208.3	3,056.5	4,582.0
Total	16.3	15.6	31.9	6.4	17.9	24.3	56.1
	24.3	48.3	72.6	17.6	118.5	136.1	208.7
Total	941.7	739.6	1,681.3	1,914.9	1,380.6	3,295.5	4,976.8

(a) Not available to start work in the reference week for reasons other than own temporary illness or injury.

TABLE 45. ESTIMATES OF LABOUR FORCE STATUS AND GROSS CHANGES (FLOWS) DERIVED FROM MATCHED RECORDS JANUARY 1992 AND FEBRUARY 1992 ('000)

Labour force status in January 1992	Labour force status in February 1992			
	Employed full time	Employed part time	Unemployed	Not in the labour force
MALES				
Employed full time	2,994.4	69.1	39.7	37.5
Employed part time	60.2	204.1	17.6	30.8
Unemployed	38.8	28.6	333.2	50.9
Not in the labour force	38.5	34.4	55.9	1,143.0
MARRIED FEMALES				
Employed full time	733.3	61.3	4.0	18.3
Employed part time	65.9	548.5	12.4	37.2
Unemployed	7.5	13.0	61.2	27.9
Not in the labour force	24.9	82.9	45.3	1,427.3
ALL FEMALES				
Employed full time	1,341.5	90.2	13.8	28.6
Employed part time	91.1	769.6	27.2	62.4
Unemployed	14.7	28.6	175.1	62.7
Not in the labour force	35.2	111.7	84.3	2,321.0
PERSONS				
Employed full time	4,336.0	159.2	53.5	66.1
Employed part time	151.3	973.7	44.8	93.2
Unemployed	53.5	57.2	508.3	113.5
Not in the labour force	73.7	146.1	140.2	3,464.0

POPULATION REPRESENTED BY THE MATCHED SAMPLE

Males	Females		Persons
	Married	Total	
5,176.7	3,171.0	5,257.6	10,434.2

TABLE 46. FAMILY STATUS OF THE CIVILIAN POPULATION AGED 15 AND OVER: SUMMARY TABLE, FEBRUARY 1992

	Employed	Unemployed	Labour force	Not in labour force	Civilian population aged 15 and over		
					NUMBER ('000)		
					Males	Females	Persons
Member of a family	6,346.3	790.3	7,136.5	3,783.9	5,434.6	5,485.8	10,920.4
Husband or wife	4,744.7	397.8	5,142.6	2,722.8	3,986.1	3,879.3	7,865.4
With children aged 0-14 present	2,404.9	235.3	2,640.2	772.9	1,742.7	1,670.4	3,413.1
Without children aged 0-14 present	2,339.8	162.6	2,502.4	1,949.9	2,243.5	2,208.8	4,452.3
With dependents present	2,832.8	255.2	3,088.0	887.8	2,028.1	1,947.7	3,975.8
Without dependents present	1,911.9	142.6	2,054.5	1,835.1	1,958.0	1,931.6	3,889.6
Sole parent	182.9	39.7	222.6	181.1	45.7	358.0	403.7
With children aged 0-14 present	136.2	35.4	171.7	164.8	32.1	304.4	336.5
Without children aged 0-14 present	46.7	4.3	51.0	16.3	13.7	53.6	67.2
Other family head	102.6	14.0	116.7	147.1	71.9	192.0	263.8
Full-time student aged 15-24(a)	278.7	81.9	360.5	497.0	437.6	419.9	857.6
Other child(b) of married-couple or family head	961.3	234.4	1,195.8	127.7	806.6	516.8	1,323.4
Other relative of married-couple or family head	76.0	22.4	98.4	108.2	86.7	119.8	206.5
Not a member of a family	1,016.1	155.7	1,171.8	782.1	958.5	995.3	1,953.9
Living alone	460.7	56.9	517.6	666.7	505.4	678.9	1,184.4
Not living alone	555.3	98.8	654.2	115.3	453.1	316.4	769.5
Usual resident of a household where family status was determined	7,362.3	946.0	8,308.3	4,566.0	6,393.2	6,481.1	12,874.3
Usual resident of a household where family status was not determined	148.2	21.1	169.3	66.1	102.4	132.9	235.3
Total usual residents of private dwellings	7,510.5	967.0	8,477.6	4,632.0	6,495.6	6,614.0	13,109.6
Visitors to private dwellings	42.0	11.4	53.4	51.4	47.3	57.5	104.8
Persons enumerated in non-private dwellings	98.4	19.2	117.6	293.4	181.8	229.2	411.0
Total	7,650.9	997.7	8,648.6	4,976.8	6,724.7	6,900.7	13,625.4
	PROPORTION OF TOTAL (per cent)						
Member of a family	82.9	79.2	82.5	76.0	80.8	79.5	80.1
Husband or wife	62.0	39.9	59.5	54.7	59.3	56.2	57.7
With children aged 0-14 present	31.4	23.6	30.5	15.5	25.9	24.2	25.0
Without children aged 0-14 present	30.6	16.3	28.9	39.2	33.4	32.0	32.7
With dependents present	37.0	25.6	35.7	17.8	30.2	28.2	29.2
Without dependents present	25.0	14.3	23.8	36.9	29.1	28.0	28.5
Sole parent	2.4	4.0	2.6	3.6	0.7	5.2	3.0
With children aged 0-14 present	1.8	3.6	2.0	3.3	0.5	4.4	2.5
Without children aged 0-14 present	0.6	0.4	0.6	0.3	0.2	0.8	0.5
Other family head	1.3	1.4	1.3	3.0	1.1	2.8	1.9
Full-time student aged 15-24(a)	3.6	8.2	4.2	10.0	6.5	6.1	6.3
Other child(b) of married-couple or family head	12.6	23.5	13.8	2.6	12.0	7.5	9.7
Other relative of married-couple or family head	1.0	2.2	1.1	2.2	1.3	1.7	1.5
Not a member of a family	13.3	15.6	13.5	15.7	14.3	14.4	14.3
Living alone	6.0	5.7	6.0	13.4	7.5	9.8	8.7
Not living alone	7.3	9.9	7.6	2.3	6.7	4.6	5.6
Usual resident of a household where family status was determined	96.2	94.8	96.1	91.7	95.1	93.9	94.5
Usual resident of a household where family status was not determined	1.9	2.1	2.0	1.3	1.5	1.9	1.7
Total usual residents of private dwellings	98.2	96.9	98.0	93.1	96.6	95.8	96.2
Visitors to private dwellings	0.5	1.1	0.6	1.0	0.7	0.8	0.8
Persons enumerated in non-private dwellings	1.3	1.9	1.4	5.9	2.7	3.3	3.0
Total	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0

(a) Excludes persons aged 20-24 attending school. Also excludes full-time students aged 15-24 who are classified as husbands, wives, sole parents or other family heads. (b) Aged 15 and over.

TABLE 47. FAMILY STATUS AND LABOUR FORCE STATUS OF PERSONS AGED 15 AND OVER(a), FEBRUARY 1992

	Employed		Unemployed		Labour force	Not in labour force	Civilian population aged 15 and over	Unemployment rate - per cent -	Participation rate	
	Full-time workers	Part-time workers	Looking for full-time work	Total						
			Total	Total						
MALES										
Member of a family	3,330.0	354.3	3,684.2	419.4	461.7	4,146.0	1,288.7	5,434.6	11.1	76.3
Husband	2,682.4	168.1	2,850.6	238.1	246.6	3,097.1	889.0	3,986.1	8.0	77.7
With children aged 0-14 present	1,454.4	62.6	1,517.1	142.6	145.5	1,662.5	80.1	1,742.7	8.8	95.4
Without children aged 0-14 present	1,228.0	105.5	1,333.5	95.5	101.1	1,434.6	808.9	2,243.5	7.0	63.9
With dependents present	1,685.5	73.2	1,758.7	153.0	156.4	1,915.1	113.0	2,028.1	8.2	94.4
Without dependents present	996.9	95.0	1,091.9	85.0	90.2	1,182.0	776.0	1,958.0	7.6	60.4
Sole parent	29.4	3.7	33.1	* 1.7	* 2.0	35.1	10.6	45.7	* 5.8	76.8
With children aged 0-14 present	18.5	* 3.1	21.6	* 1.2	* 1.6	23.1	8.9	32.1	* 6.8	72.1
Without children aged 0-14 present	10.9	* 0.7	11.6	* 0.5	* 0.5	12.0	* 1.7	13.7	* 3.8	87.8
Other family head	38.0	* 2.8	40.8	6.0	6.3	47.1	24.7	71.9	13.3	65.6
Full-time student aged 15-24(b)	19.0	110.7	129.7	13.9	42.6	172.3	265.3	437.6	24.7	39.4
Other child(c) of married-couple or family head	520.8	63.9	584.7	144.9	149.0	733.6	73.0	806.6	20.3	91.0
Other relative of married-couple or family head	40.4	5.0	45.4	14.8	15.3	60.6	26.1	86.7	25.2	69.9
Not a member of a family	552.6	59.2	611.7	94.6	102.0	713.7	244.9	958.5	14.3	74.5
Living alone	251.2	27.1	278.3	36.4	38.4	316.7	188.8	505.4	12.1	62.7
Not living alone	301.3	32.1	333.4	58.2	63.6	397.0	56.1	453.1	16.0	87.6
Total	3,882.5	413.4	4,296.0	513.9	563.7	4,859.6	1,533.5	6,393.2	11.6	76.0
FEMALES										
Member of a family	1,482.3	1,179.7	2,662.0	237.0	328.6	2,990.6	2,495.2	5,485.8	11.0	54.3
Wife	1,014.4	879.8	1,894.2	107.0	151.3	2,045.4	1,833.8	3,879.3	7.4	52.7
With children aged 0-14 present	367.7	520.1	887.9	56.9	89.8	977.7	692.8	1,670.4	9.2	58.5
Without children aged 0-14 present	646.7	359.6	1,006.3	50.1	61.5	1,067.8	1,141.1	2,208.8	5.8	48.3
With dependents present	472.6	601.5	1,074.1	63.8	98.8	1,172.9	774.8	1,947.7	8.4	60.2
Without dependents present	541.8	278.2	820.1	43.2	52.4	872.5	1,059.1	1,931.6	6.0	45.2
Sole parent	83.9	65.9	149.8	23.5	37.7	187.5	170.4	358.0	20.1	52.4
With children aged 0-14 present	59.9	54.8	114.7	20.3	33.8	148.5	155.9	304.4	22.8	48.8
Without children aged 0-14 present	24.0	11.1	35.1	* 3.3	3.8	39.0	14.6	53.6	9.9	72.8
Other family head	47.0	14.8	61.8	7.1	7.8	69.6	122.4	192.0	11.2	36.2
Full-time student aged 15-24(b)	10.2	138.7	148.9	9.2	39.2	188.2	231.8	419.9	20.9	44.8
Other child(c) of married-couple or family head	300.9	75.7	376.7	83.4	85.5	462.1	54.7	516.8	18.5	89.4
Other relative of married-couple or family head	25.7	4.9	30.6	6.8	7.1	37.7	82.1	119.8	18.9	31.5
Not a member of a family	330.1	74.3	404.4	45.9	53.7	458.1	537.2	995.3	11.7	46.0
Living alone	146.5	35.9	182.4	14.4	18.5	201.0	478.0	678.9	9.2	29.6
Not living alone	183.6	38.3	221.9	31.5	35.2	257.1	59.2	316.4	13.7	81.3
Total	1,812.4	1,254.0	3,066.4	282.9	382.3	3,448.7	3,032.4	6,481.1	11.1	53.2
PERSONS										
Member of a family	4,812.2	1,534.0	6,346.3	656.4	790.3	7,136.5	3,783.9	10,920.4	11.1	65.4
Husband or wife	3,696.8	1,047.9	4,744.7	345.1	397.8	5,142.6	2,722.8	7,865.4	7.7	65.4
With children aged 0-14 present	1,822.2	582.8	2,404.9	199.5	235.3	2,640.2	772.9	3,413.1	8.9	77.4
Without children aged 0-14 present	1,874.7	465.1	2,339.8	145.5	162.6	2,502.4	1,949.9	4,452.3	6.5	56.2
With dependents present	2,158.1	674.7	2,832.8	216.8	255.2	3,088.0	887.8	3,975.8	8.3	77.7
Without dependents present	1,538.7	373.2	1,911.9	128.2	142.6	2,054.5	1,835.1	3,889.6	6.9	52.8
Sole parent	113.2	69.7	182.9	25.2	39.7	222.6	181.1	403.7	17.8	55.2
With children aged 0-14 present	78.4	57.9	136.2	21.5	35.4	171.7	164.8	336.5	20.6	51.0
Without children aged 0-14 present	34.9	11.8	46.7	3.7	4.3	51.0	16.3	67.2	8.4	75.8
Other family head	85.1	17.6	102.6	13.1	14.0	116.7	147.1	263.8	12.0	44.2
Full-time student aged 15-24(b)	29.2	249.4	278.7	23.1	81.9	360.5	497.0	857.6	22.7	42.0
Other child(c) of married-couple or family head	821.7	139.6	961.3	228.3	234.4	1,195.8	127.7	1,323.4	19.6	90.4
Other relative of married-couple or family head	66.1	9.9	76.0	21.6	22.4	98.4	108.2	206.5	22.8	47.6
Not a member of a family	882.7	133.4	1,016.1	140.4	155.7	1,171.8	782.1	1,953.9	13.3	60.0
Living alone	397.7	63.0	460.7	50.7	56.9	517.6	666.7	1,184.4	11.0	43.7
Not living alone	484.9	70.4	555.3	89.7	98.8	654.2	115.3	769.5	15.1	85.0
Total	5,694.9	1,667.4	7,362.3	796.8	946.0	8,308.3	4,566.0	12,874.3	11.4	64.5

(a) Civilians who were residents of private dwellings where family status was determined. See Explanatory Notes paragraphs 42 and 43. (b) Excludes persons aged 20-24 attending school. Also excludes full-time students aged 15-24 who are classified as husbands, wives, sole parents or other family heads. (c) Aged 15 and over.

**TABLE 48. ALL FAMILIES(a): TYPE OF FAMILY, NUMBER OF FAMILY MEMBERS AND LABOUR FORCE STATUS(b),
FEBRUARY 1992
(*000 families)**

Number of family members(c)	None employed			One employed			Two or more employed			Total		
	None unemp-loyed	One or more unemp-loyed	Total	None unemp-loyed	One or more unemp-loyed	Total	None unemp-loyed	One or more unemp-loyed	Total	None unemp-loyed	One or more unemp-loyed	Total
MARRIED-COUPLE FAMILIES												
Two	596.3	48.7	645.0	222.9	43.8	266.8	536.7	..	536.7	1,355.9	92.5	1,448.4
Three	41.4	50.5	91.8	220.8	53.3	274.1	407.9	27.4	435.4	670.1	131.2	801.3
Four	20.3	48.3	68.6	239.3	59.1	298.4	581.8	69.3	651.1	841.4	176.7	1,018.1
Five	9.9	26.5	36.4	120.1	26.0	146.1	257.4	38.1	295.5	387.3	90.7	478.0
Six or more	6.1	17.5	23.6	47.3	15.1	62.4	81.1	16.5	97.7	134.5	49.2	183.6
Total	673.9	191.5	865.4	850.3	197.4	1,047.7	1,865.0	151.4	2,016.4	3,389.3	540.3	3,929.5
ONE-PARENT FAMILIES WITH A MALE PARENT												
Two	5.2	* 1.0	6.1	15.1	* 0.3	15.4	3.5	..	3.5	23.8	* 1.2	25.0
Three or more	4.1	* 1.1	5.2	9.2	* 1.6	10.8	3.9	* 0.4	4.3	17.2	* 3.1	20.3
Total	9.3	* 2.0	11.3	24.2	* 1.9	26.2	7.5	* 0.4	7.9	41.0	4.3	45.3
ONE-PARENT FAMILIES WITH A FEMALE PARENT												
Two	64.2	17.7	81.9	58.3	* 3.3	61.6	4.0	..	4.0	126.5	21.0	147.5
Three	51.5	15.8	67.3	46.9	5.0	51.9	14.6	* 1.3	15.9	113.0	22.1	135.1
Four	20.9	5.9	26.8	14.3	5.0	19.3	7.0	* 1.1	8.1	42.2	12.1	54.3
Five or more	11.3	* 3.3	14.5	3.5	* 1.2	4.6	* 2.2	* 1.0	* 3.2	17.0	5.5	22.4
Total	147.8	42.7	190.5	123.0	14.5	137.5	27.9	3.5	31.3	298.7	60.6	359.3
ONE-PARENT FAMILIES: TOTAL												
Two	69.4	18.6	88.0	73.4	3.6	77.0	7.6	..	7.6	150.3	22.2	172.5
Three	53.6	16.4	69.9	53.2	6.5	59.7	17.3	* 1.3	18.7	124.1	24.2	148.3
Four	22.6	6.3	28.9	16.4	5.1	21.5	7.6	* 1.4	9.0	46.5	12.8	59.3
Five or more	11.6	* 3.4	15.0	4.3	* 1.2	5.5	* 2.8	* 1.1	4.0	18.8	5.7	24.5
Total	157.1	44.7	201.8	147.2	16.4	163.6	35.4	3.8	39.2	339.7	64.9	404.7
OTHER FAMILIES												
Two	41.2	24.4	65.6	73.6	19.5	93.0	60.9	..	60.9	175.6	43.9	219.5
Three or more	4.6	3.5	8.2	4.2	5.0	9.2	22.4	8.4	30.8	31.3	16.9	48.2
Total	45.8	27.9	73.8	77.8	24.5	102.2	83.3	8.4	91.7	206.9	60.8	267.7
ALL FAMILIES												
Two	706.8	91.7	798.5	369.8	66.9	436.8	605.2	..	605.2	1,681.8	158.6	1,840.4
Three	99.2	70.4	169.6	277.5	64.2	341.7	445.0	34.5	479.6	821.7	169.1	990.8
Four	43.1	54.6	97.7	256.1	64.8	320.8	592.0	72.9	664.8	891.2	192.2	1,083.4
Five	17.8	29.0	46.8	123.4	27.1	150.5	259.6	39.5	299.0	400.8	95.5	496.3
Six or more	9.9	18.4	28.3	48.5	15.3	63.8	81.9	16.8	98.7	140.3	50.5	190.8
Total	876.9	264.1	1,141.0	1,075.3	238.3	1,313.6	1,983.6	163.6	2,147.3	3,935.9	666.0	4,601.8

(a) See Explanatory Notes paragraphs 42 and 43 for details of exclusions to family tables. (b) Labour force status refers to persons aged 15 and over only. (c) Of any age.

TABLE 49. ALL FAMILIES(a): TYPE OF FAMILY, NUMBER OF CHILDREN AGED 0-14 PRESENT, NUMBER OF DEPENDENTS PRESENT, AND LABOUR FORCE STATUS(b), FEBRUARY 1992
(*000 families)

	Number of children aged 0-14 present			Number of dependents present			Total
	None	One	Two or more	None	One	Two or more	
	NO FAMILY MEMBER EMPLOYED						
Married-couple families	712.6	51.0	101.8	694.6	56.6	114.2	865.4
One or both spouses unemployed(c)	61.2	33.8	72.8	56.2	32.5	79.0	167.8
Husband unemployed, wife unemployed	18.0	9.2	12.7	17.4	7.1	15.4	39.9
Husband unemployed, wife not in the labour force	39.5	23.8	57.4	36.2	23.9	60.6	120.8
Neither spouse unemployed	651.5	17.1	29.0	638.4	24.1	35.2	697.6
One-parent families	13.6	96.4	91.9	..	98.0	103.9	201.8
Parent unemployed	* 3.2	17.9	16.0	..	19.6	17.5	37.2
Male parent unemployed	* 0.4	* 0.9	* 0.5	..	* 1.3	* 0.5	* 1.9
Female parent unemployed	* 2.8	17.0	15.4	..	18.3	17.0	35.3
Parent not unemployed	10.3	78.4	75.9	..	78.3	86.3	164.7
Male parent not in the labour force	* 1.1	5.3	* 3.1	..	5.9	3.6	9.5
Female parent not in the labour force	9.2	73.2	72.8	..	72.5	82.7	155.2
Other families	73.8	..	..	69.6	3.9	* 0.2	73.8
Family head unemployed	7.8	..	..	6.8	* 0.9	* 0.0	7.8
Family head not unemployed	66.0	..	..	62.8	* 3.0	* 0.2	66.0
Family head not in the labour force	66.0	..	..	62.8	* 3.0	* 0.2	66.0
All families	799.9	147.4	193.7	764.2	158.5	218.3	1,141.0
	ONE OR MORE FAMILY MEMBERS EMPLOYED						
Married-couple families	1,515.7	563.0	985.5	1,251.9	595.5	1,216.7	3,064.1
One or both spouses unemployed(c)	81.5	41.4	61.4	67.7	38.4	78.2	184.3
Husband employed, wife unemployed	37.2	21.9	42.2	30.8	21.6	49.0	101.4
Husband unemployed, wife employed	31.8	14.7	16.0	26.8	13.7	22.0	62.5
Husband unemployed, wife unemployed	* 2.3	* 1.1	* 0.5	* 1.5	* 0.5	* 1.8	3.9
Husband unemployed, wife not in the labour force	9.0	3.6	* 2.7	7.8	* 2.2	5.2	15.3
Neither spouse unemployed	1,434.2	521.6	924.0	1,184.2	557.1	1,138.6	2,879.8
Husband employed, wife employed	928.3	324.6	527.3	751.6	344.4	684.3	1,780.3
Husband employed, wife not in the labour force	353.7	182.9	382.2	298.6	188.0	432.1	918.8
Husband not in the labour force, wife employed	61.4	10.7	11.9	53.8	13.7	16.5	84.0
Husband not in the labour force, wife not in the labour force	90.8	* 3.3	* 2.6	80.3	10.9	5.6	96.8
One-parent families	54.1	90.5	58.2	..	116.1	86.7	202.8
Parent unemployed	* 1.1	* 1.5	* 0.2	..	* 2.1	* 0.7	* 2.8
Parent not unemployed	53.0	89.1	58.0	..	114.0	86.0	200.1
Male parent employed	11.4	15.5	5.9	..	22.6	10.3	32.9
Female parent employed	35.6	67.0	48.1	..	82.5	68.2	150.6
Male parent not in the labour force	* 0.5	* 0.5	* 0.0	..	* 0.7	* 0.4	* 1.0
Female parent not in the labour force	5.5	6.1	4.0	..	8.3	7.2	15.5
Other families	193.9	..	..	187.1	6.2	* 0.6	193.9
Family head unemployed	6.5	..	..	6.3	* 0.2	* 0.0	6.5
Family head not unemployed	187.4	..	..	180.8	6.0	* 0.6	187.4
Family head employed	103.7	..	..	97.4	5.6	* 0.6	103.7
Family head not in the labour force	83.7	..	..	83.4	* 0.4	* 0.0	83.7
All families	1,763.7	653.5	1,043.6	1,439.1	717.7	1,304.1	3,460.9
	TOTAL						
Married-couple families	2,228.3	613.9	1,087.3	1,946.5	652.1	1,330.9	3,929.5
One or both spouses unemployed(c)	142.6	75.2	134.2	123.9	70.9	157.2	352.1
Husband employed, wife unemployed	37.2	21.9	42.2	30.8	21.6	49.0	101.4
Husband unemployed, wife employed	31.8	14.7	16.0	26.8	13.7	22.0	62.5
Husband unemployed, wife unemployed	20.3	10.3	13.2	18.9	7.6	17.3	43.8
Husband unemployed, wife not in the labour force	48.5	27.4	60.2	44.1	26.1	65.9	136.0
Neither spouse unemployed	2,085.7	538.7	953.1	1,822.6	581.1	1,173.7	3,577.5
Husband employed, wife employed	928.3	324.6	527.3	751.6	344.4	684.3	1,780.3
Husband employed, wife not in the labour force	353.7	182.9	382.2	298.6	188.0	432.1	918.8
Husband not in the labour force, wife employed	61.4	10.7	11.9	53.8	13.7	16.5	84.0
Husband not in the labour force, wife not in the labour force	742.3	20.5	31.6	718.6	35.0	40.8	794.4
One-parent families	67.7	186.9	150.0	..	214.0	190.6	404.7
Parent unemployed	4.3	19.4	16.2	..	21.7	18.2	39.9
Male parent unemployed	* 0.4	* 0.9	* 0.7	..	* 1.3	* 0.7	* 2.0
Female parent unemployed	3.9	18.5	15.5	..	20.4	17.6	37.9
Parent not unemployed	63.4	167.5	133.9	..	192.4	172.4	364.7
Male parent employed	11.4	15.5	5.9	..	22.6	10.3	32.9
Female parent employed	35.6	67.0	48.1	..	82.5	68.2	150.6
Male parent not in the labour force	* 1.6	5.8	* 3.1	..	6.5	4.0	10.5
Female parent not in the labour force	14.7	79.2	76.8	..	80.8	90.0	170.8
Other families	267.7	..	..	256.7	10.1	* 0.9	267.7
Family head unemployed	14.2	..	..	13.1	* 1.1	* 0.0	14.2
Family head not unemployed	253.4	..	..	243.6	9.0	* 0.9	253.4
Family head employed	103.7	..	..	97.4	5.6	* 0.6	103.7
Family head not in the labour force	149.7	..	..	146.2	* 3.4	* 0.2	149.7
All families	2,563.7	800.9	1,237.3	2,203.2	876.2	1,522.4	4,601.8

(a) See Explanatory Notes paragraphs 42 and 43 for details of exclusions to family tables. (b) Labour force status refers to persons aged 15 and over only. (c) Includes a small number of families with husband not in the labour force and wife unemployed.

EXPLANATORY NOTES

Revised estimates

Seasonal adjustment factors have been reanalysed. As a consequence seasonally adjusted and trend estimates back to February 1978 have been revised (see paragraph 29 and the Appendix).

Introduction

This publication contains estimates of the civilian labour force derived from the labour force survey part of the monthly population survey. Estimates of the labour force characteristics of family members and of family composition are also included.

2. Estimates of the civilian labour force are available for about fifty regions across Australia and are shown in various publications produced by State offices of the ABS. For details, see the list of related publications provided in paragraph 50.

3. Preliminary survey results are published in advance of this more detailed publication in *The Labour Force, Australia, Preliminary* (6202.0).

4. Although emphasis in the population survey is placed on the regular collection of specific data on demographic and labour force characteristics of the population, supplementary and special surveys of particular aspects of the labour force or of other subjects are carried out from time to time. Statistics from these surveys are published and are available on request. A list of survey publications on labour force and related topics is shown later in this publication.

The population survey

5. The population survey is based on a multi-stage area sample of private dwellings (about 31,000 houses, flats, etc.) and a list sample of non-private dwellings (hotels, motels, etc.), and covers about three-fifths of one per cent of the population of Australia. The information is obtained from the occupants of selected dwellings by carefully chosen and specially trained interviewers. The interviews are generally conducted during the two weeks beginning on the Monday between the 6th and 12th of each month. The information obtained relates to the week before the interview (i.e. the reference week).

Scope

6. The labour force survey includes all persons aged 15 and over except:

- (a) members of the permanent defence forces;
- (b) certain diplomatic personnel of overseas governments, customarily excluded from census and estimated populations;

(c) overseas residents in Australia; and

(d) members of non-Australian defence forces (and their dependents) stationed in Australia.

Coverage

7. In the labour force survey, coverage rules are applied which aim to ensure that each person is associated with only one dwelling, and hence has only one chance of selection. The coverage rules are, necessarily, a balance between theoretical and operational considerations. Nevertheless, the chance of a person being enumerated at two separate dwellings in the one survey is considered to be negligible. See paragraph 42 for information about the effect of the coverage rules on family statistics.

8. Persons who are away from their usual residence for six weeks or less at the time of interview are enumerated at their usual residence (relevant information may be obtained from other usual residents present at the time of the survey).

Population benchmarks

9. Labour force survey estimates of persons employed, unemployed and not in the labour force are calculated in such a way as to add up to the independently estimated distribution of the usually resident population aged 15 and over by age and sex. This procedure compensates for under-enumeration in the survey, and leads to more reliable estimates. Persons who, at the time of interview, are overseas for more than six weeks but for less than twelve months are included in the independent population statistics (benchmarks) and are thus provided for in the calculation of the estimates. The benchmarks are the latest available estimates at the time the labour force survey is conducted, but they usually differ from the official population estimates subsequently published in *Australian Demographic Statistics* (3101.0) because they are derived from incomplete information about population changes.

Revision of series

10. Survey estimates are not revised for the usually small amendments of population benchmarks arising from new data on deaths and overseas and internal migration. Revisions are made, however, after each census of population and housing, and when population estimation bases are reviewed. These revisions affect unadjusted, seasonally adjusted and trend estimates. The last such revision was made in February 1989 to take account of the results of the 1986 Census of Population and Housing, which affected all the monthly estimates from January 1984 to January 1989. For details, see *Information Paper: Revised Labour Force Survey Estimates: January 1984 to January 1989* (6276.0).

11. Following the change in official population estimates to a place of usual residence basis after the 1981 census,

the population benchmarks used in the estimation of labour force survey data are compiled according to place of usual residence. For an explanation of the conceptual basis of population estimates see *Information Paper: Population Estimates: An Outline of The New Conceptual Basis of ABS Population Estimates* (3216.0). To coordinate with the new benchmarks, the labour force survey questionnaire was changed in October 1982 to enable identification of each respondent's place of usual residence. The estimates shown in this publication are based entirely on place of usual residence. Prior to October 1982, the estimates are based on a combination of place of enumeration and place of usual residence.

12. Until February 1978, surveys were conducted in February, May, August and November each year from 1964. From February 1978 the survey has been conducted on a monthly basis.

13. The questionnaire used in the survey for the collection of labour force data has been revised a number of times, the latest occasion being for the April 1986 survey. Details of these changes have been published in *Information Paper: Questionnaires Used in the Labour Force Survey* (6232.0) in March 1978, December 1981, August 1984, June 1986 and July 1991.

14. In April 1986, the questionnaire was revised following the extension of the definition of employed persons to include persons who worked without pay between 1 and 14 hours per week in a family business or on a farm (i.e. unpaid family helpers). This definition aligned the Australian labour force concepts with a set of changed international definitions adopted by the 13th International Conference of Labour Statisticians in October 1982.

15. Previously, such persons who worked 1 to 14 hours, or who had such a job but were not at work, were defined as either unemployed or not in the labour force, depending on whether they were actively looking for work. In order to assist users to assess the impact of the change, estimates for March 1986 based on the new definition were shown in footnotes to Tables 1 and 2 of the February, March and April 1987 issues of this publication.

16. A revised procedure for weighting families estimates, as presented in this publication, was also introduced in April 1986. Additional tables were included in the April 1986 issue of this publication to show the impact of this new procedure. Paragraph 44 contains more details.

Comparability of series

17. As noted in paragraph 10, estimates from January 1984 have been revised to conform to revised population estimates following the 1986 Census of Population and Housing, and are thus not strictly comparable with estimates for periods prior to January 1984 which have not been revised. An examination of the revised estimates between June 1981 and June 1986 showed that the effects

on labour force survey estimates for the period before January 1984 were inconsequential, and that no meaningful purpose would be served by publishing revised estimates for that period.

18. A revision of estimates to take account of the new definition of marital status was applied back to February 1978. Consequently, estimates of marital status contained in this publication are not comparable with estimates published before the February 1984 issue which classified as married all respondents who reported that they were married or separated. The revision to the marital status classification was undertaken in two parts. First, for all surveys from February 1978, persons who reported that they were separated, were reclassified as not married. Second, from June 1983 onwards, the not-married category was expanded to also include persons who, although reported as married, did not have a spouse who was a usual resident of the household at the time of the survey. See the Glossary for the definition of marital status now used in the labour force survey.

19. Comparability with estimates produced from the quarterly survey of employment and earnings is affected by the use of a different survey methodology and definitions. The labour force survey provides estimates of people in jobs whereas the survey of employment and earnings provides an estimate of the number of jobs held by wage and salary earners. A more detailed description of the differences between these two series is provided in *Information Paper: Comparison of Employment Estimates from the Labour Force Survey and the Survey of Employment and Earnings* (6263.0).

20. From December 1989 onwards, the category other families has been split into one-parent families and other families. Therefore estimates of other families are not strictly comparable with estimates in previous issues. However, in November 1989, 97 per cent of other families with dependents were one-parent families. For definitions of these terms refer to the Glossary.

Survey sample redesign

21. The LFS sample was redesigned and reselected using information collected in the 1986 Census of Population and Housing. The current sample was phased in over the period September to December 1987. For details, see *Information Paper: Labour Force Survey — Sample Design* (6269.0). The LFS sample is currently being redesigned and reselected based on information from the 1991 Census of Population and Housing. The new sample will be phased in over the period September to December 1992. Further information about the new sample can be obtained from Ivan Neville on (06) 252 6565.

22. The sampling fraction differs for States and Territories. This enables estimates of reasonable accuracy to be produced for all States and Territories as well as for Australia. Sampling fractions for each State and Territory are as follows: New South Wales and Victoria, 1 in 230;

Queensland, 1 in 160; Western Australia, South Australia, Northern Territory and Australian Capital Territory, 1 in 115; and Tasmania, 1 in 70.

Reliability of the estimates

23. Estimates in this publication are subject to two sources of error:

- (a) sampling error: since the estimates are based on information obtained from occupants of a sample of dwellings they, and the movements derived from them, may differ from the figures that would have been produced if all dwellings had been included in the survey. More information on this topic is given in the Technical Note; and
- (b) non-sampling error: inaccuracies may occur because of imperfections in reporting by respondents and interviewers and errors made in coding and processing data. These inaccuracies may occur in any enumeration, whether it be a full count or a sample. Every effort is made to reduce the non-sampling error to a minimum by careful design of questionnaires, intensive training and supervision of interviewers and efficient operating procedures.

Differences between population census and population survey estimates

24. The results of the 1986 Census of Population and Housing show that labour force estimates derived from the census differ from those derived from the labour force surveys.

25. The broad concepts underlying the measures of the labour force and its components, employment and unemployment, are similar in the census and the surveys. However there are considerable differences in both the collection methodology adopted (including the detailed questions asked) and estimation procedures. Factors contributing to differences in estimates include under-enumeration in the population census for which census labour force estimates have not been adjusted, the use in the labour force survey of population benchmarks derived from incomplete information about population change (see paragraph 9), the inclusion of permanent defence forces in census estimates, the personal interview approach adopted in the survey as opposed to self-enumeration of census schedules, differing questions used to determine labour force characteristics (particularly the identification of unemployed persons) and differing methods of adjustment for non-response to the survey or census.

26. The labour force survey provides detailed and up-to-date estimates of employment and unemployment for Australia, States and regions, whereas the census of population and housing provides counts for small areas but in less detail than is available from the survey.

27. These considerations should be borne in mind when comparisons are made between population census and labour force survey estimates.

Seasonal adjustment

28. Seasonally adjusted series are published in Tables 2 and 8. Seasonal adjustment is a means of removing the estimated effects of normal seasonal variation from the series so that the effects of other influences on the series can be more clearly recognised. Seasonal adjustment does not remove the irregular or non-seasonal influences which may be present in any particular month. Influences that are volatile can still make it difficult to interpret the movement of the series even after adjustment for seasonal variation.

29. As happens with all seasonally adjusted series, the seasonal factors are reviewed annually to take account of each additional year's original data. The latest review, in February 1992, revised the Australian and State seasonally adjusted and trend monthly series back to February 1978. Information about the method of adjustment and revised seasonally adjusted and trend estimates for all months since January 1986 for Australia and the States are published in the Appendix of this publication.

Trend estimation

30. Smoothing seasonally adjusted series produces a measure of trend by reducing the impact of the irregular component of the series. The trend estimates are derived by applying a 13-term Henderson-weighted moving average to the respective seasonally adjusted series. These trend series are used to analyse the underlying behaviour of the series over time. Tables 3 and 9 show trend estimates for the past 15 months, while the Appendix shows estimates for the six States and Australia back to January 1986. Trend series graphs are shown on pages 1 to 4. Data from February 1978 are available on the ABS on-line data dissemination service, PC-AUSSTATS. The trend series of the participation rate for married females are based on smoothed population estimates.

31. While this smoothing technique enables estimates to be produced which include the latest month, it does result in revisions to the most recent months as additional observations become available. Generally, subsequent revisions become smaller, and after three months have a negligible impact on the series. There will also be revisions as a result of the annual review of seasonal factors mentioned above in paragraph 29.

32. Users may wish to refer to the ABS Information Papers *A Guide to Smoothing Time Series — Estimates of 'Trend'* (1316.0), and *Time Series Decomposition — An Overview* (1317.0) for more detailed information on producing trend estimates by smoothing seasonally adjusted time series data.

Month-to-month movements

33. Care should be taken in the interpretation of month-to-month movements in these estimates. Survey estimates are subject to sampling and non-sampling variability as explained in paragraph 23.

Gross flows

34. In order to minimise respondent load and at the same time maintain continuity within the population survey sample, one eighth of the dwellings in the sample (except the large non-private dwellings) are replaced after each survey. Adoption of this rotation procedure, whereby about seven-eighths of the sample remains unchanged from one month to the next, enables more reliable measurements of changes in the labour force characteristics of the population to be made than would be possible if a new sample were introduced each month.

35. Because a high proportion of private dwellings selected in one survey remains in the sample for the following survey, it is possible to match the characteristics of most of the persons in those dwellings from one month to the next, to record any changes that occur, and hence to produce estimates of flows between the different categories of the population and labour force.

36. The procedures used to select persons in non-private dwellings preclude the possibility of matching any of them who may be included in successive surveys. For this and other reasons, including the mobility of the population and non-response in either or both surveys, about 10 per cent of persons in those dwellings which are included in the sample in successive months cannot be matched. Those who can be matched represent about 80 per cent of all persons in the survey.

37. Changes in the characteristics of this latter group are shown in the gross flows table. About one half of the remaining (unmatched) 20 per cent of persons in the survey are likely to have characteristics similar to those in the matched group, but the characteristics of the other half are likely to be somewhat different.

38. Gross flow estimates relate only to those persons in private dwellings for whom information was obtained in successive surveys. The expansion factors used in calculating the estimates were those applying to the second of each pair of months.

39. Although it is not possible to provide gross flow estimates for all persons in the survey it is considered that the estimates derived from matched records will be a useful guide to the magnitude of the movements between categories which underlie the changes in monthly levels. When comparing flows for different periods it is important to take into account the population represented by the matched sample, as shown in the last line of the table.

40. While every effort is made to reduce non-sampling errors to a minimum, any such errors affecting labour force status will tend to accumulate in the gross flow

statistics rather than to cancel out. The estimates are also subject to sampling variability, as explained in the Technical Note. For these reasons the estimates of flows should be used with caution. The standard errors may be obtained from Table A of the Technical Note.

Labour force status and other characteristics of families

41. As a part of survey procedures, family relationships are determined each month, enabling both the estimation of persons cross-classified by their family status and the estimation of families. This publication contains tables showing the labour force status and family status of individuals and families classified by family type, number of family members, the labour force status of persons within families, the number of children aged 0-14 present and, from the May 1986 issue onwards, the number of dependents present.

42. Because of the coverage rules, persons who usually live with other members of their family may, at the time of the survey, be enumerated as not living with all the usual members of their family. This situation is more likely for persons who are enumerated as visitors to other private dwellings or as persons staying in non-private dwellings (hotels, caravan parks, hospitals, etc.). The determination of family structure and family characteristics in such cases is most difficult. Thus for survey questions used to determine family relationships, scope was further restricted to usual residents of private dwellings and the following persons were excluded:

- (a) all persons enumerated in non-private dwellings (including hotels, motels, hospitals and other institutions); and
- (b) persons enumerated as visitors to (rather than usual residents of) private dwellings.

43. In addition, in those households where it was not possible to obtain information relating to all the usual residents, no family information was recorded. Thus persons living in households which include a member of the permanent defence forces, who is outside the scope of the population survey, are excluded from survey questions used to determine family relationships because family information could not be obtained from each usual resident. Similarly households which, at the time of the survey, have one or more of their usual residents away for more than six weeks, are excluded from the family survey. This also applies to households from which an incomplete or inadequate questionnaire was obtained for any usual resident in on scope and coverage. A summary of those persons for whom family information is obtained as well as those usual residents of private dwellings for whom complete family information cannot be obtained, and those persons specifically excluded from the family determination procedures is contained in the family tables. Generally, family status is determined for more than 90 per cent of all civilians aged 15 and over.

44. Estimates of the number of families in this publication differ from those in publications prior to the April 1986 issue. This is due to the adoption of a new weighting procedure where the weight for a family is determined using an average of the weights for all family members responding to the labour force survey. Previously, the weight used to derive estimates of the number of families was determined by nomination of a proxy 'head of household' as representative of the family.

45. Revised data for March 1986 using the new weighting procedure for families and the revised definition of employed persons were shown in the April 1986 issue of this publication. Revised data for March 1986 using the new weighting procedure for families and the old definition of employed persons as well as data using the old weighting procedure for families and the new definition for employed persons are available on request.

Birthplace

46. From April 1991, labour force birthplace data are aggregated according to major groups of the *Australian Standard Classification of Countries for Social Statistics (ASCCSS)* (1269.0). The ASCCSS was developed by the ABS for use whenever demographic, labour and social statistics are classified by countries.

47. The ASCCSS major groups are based on the concept of geographic proximity. They differ from the country groups presented in this publication prior to April 1991. For example, African countries are now covered by "The Middle East and North Africa" and "Africa (excluding North Africa)", while Asia has been split into "Southeast Asia", "Northeast Asia" and "Southern Asia". Data for selected individual countries will continue to be available in this publication and comprehensively on microfiche.

Additional data

48. Estimates for employed persons classified by industry, occupation and status of worker are available each February, May, August and November, and the following tables are published in issues of this publication for those months:

- Employed persons—
 - Industry and occupation—
 - Full-time and part-time workers
 - Status of worker
 - Age and birthplace
 - Hours worked
 - Industry by occupation
 - Industry subdivisions
 - Major and minor occupation groups.

Semi-logarithmic graphs

49. Graphs on pages 1 and 2 have been drawn using a logarithmic vertical scale to aid comparisons of rates of growth in series of differing magnitude. Equal distances on the vertical scale (over equal time periods) indicate equal rates of growth for graphs on the same page.

Related publications

50. Users may also wish to refer to the following publications which relate to the labour force and are available on request:

The Labour Force, Australia, Preliminary (6202.0)—issued monthly

The Labour Force, Australia: Historical Summary, 1966 to 1984 (6204.0)

Labour Force Projections, Australia: 1992-2005 (6260.0)

The Labour Force, New South Wales (6201.1)—issued quarterly

The Labour Force, Victoria (6202.2)—issued quarterly

Information Paper, Victorian Labour Force Statistics (6262.2)

The Labour Force, Queensland (6201.3)—issued quarterly

Labour Force, South Australia (6201.4)—issued quarterly

Tasmanian Statistical Indicators (1303.6)—issued monthly

Labour Statistics, Australia (6101.0)—issued annually

A Guide to Labour Statistics (6102.0)

Information Paper: Questionnaires Used in the Labour Force Survey (6232.0)

Employed Wage and Salary Earners, Australia (6248.0)—issued quarterly

Persons Not in the Labour Force, Australia (6220.0)—issued annually

Labour Force Status and Other Characteristics of Families, Australia (6224.0)—issued annually

Information Paper: Comparison of Employment Estimates From the Labour Force Survey and the Survey of Employment and Earnings (6263.0)

A Guide to Smoothing Time Series — Estimates of 'Trend' (1316.0)

Time Series Decomposition — An Overview (1317.0)

Information Paper: Labour Force Survey — Sample Design (6269.0)

Information Paper: Labour Force Survey — Measuring Teenage Unemployment (6270.0)

Information Paper: Revised Labour Force Survey Estimates: January 1984 to January 1989 (6276.0)

Information Paper: Measuring Employment and Unemployment (6279.0)

51. Current publications produced by the ABS are listed in the *Catalogue of Publications and Products, Australia* (1101.0). The ABS also issues, on Tuesdays and Fridays, a *Publications Advice* (1105.0) which lists publications to be released in the next few days. The Catalogue and Publications Advice are available from any ABS office.

Unpublished statistics

52. In some cases, the ABS can also make available information which is not published. This information may be made available in one or more of the following forms: floppy disk, microfiche, photocopy, data tape, computer printout, manually-extracted tabulation. In general, a charge is made for providing unpublished information. Inquiries should be made to Heather Crawford on Canberra (06) 252 6525 or any ABS State office.

Symbols and other usages

- * subject to sampling variability too high for most practical uses. See paragraph 6 of the Technical Note.
- n.a. not available
- . . not applicable
- n.e.c. not elsewhere classified
- r revised

53. Estimates have been rounded and discrepancies may occur between sums of the component items and totals.

TECHNICAL NOTE

The sample for the population survey was redesigned and reselected using information collected in the 1986 Population Census and was phased in over the period September 1987 to December 1987. For details, see *Information Paper — Labour Force Survey — Sample Design* (6269.0). For more information on sample design estimation procedures and reliability of the estimates for surveys prior to September 1987, reference should be made to the Technical Note in *The Labour Force, Australia, Historical Summary, 1966 to 1984* (6204.0). For details about the introduction of a new sample see paragraph 21 of the Explanatory Notes.

Estimation procedure

2. The labour force estimates are derived from the population survey by use of a complex ratio estimation procedure, which ensures that the survey estimates conform to an independently estimated distribution of the population by age and sex, rather than to the age and sex distribution within the sample itself.

Reliability of the estimates

3. Two types of error are possible in an estimate based on a sample survey: sampling error and non-sampling error. The *sampling error* is a measure of the variability that occurs by chance because a sample, rather than the entire population, is surveyed. Since the estimates in this publication are based on information obtained from occupants of a sample of dwellings they, and the movements derived from them, are subject to sampling variability; that is, they may differ from the estimates that would have been produced if all dwellings had been included in the surveys. One measure of the likely difference is given by the *standard error*, which indicates the extent to which an estimate might have varied by chance because only a sample of dwellings was included. There are about two chances in three that a sample estimate will differ by less than one standard error from the estimate that would have been obtained if all dwellings had been included, and about nineteen chances in twenty that the difference will be less than two standard errors. Another measure of sampling variability is the *relative standard error* which is obtained by expressing the standard error as a percentage of the estimate to which it refers. The relative standard error is a useful measure in that it provides an immediate indication of the percentage errors likely to have occurred due to sampling, and thus avoids the need to refer also to the size of the estimate.

4. Space does not allow for the separate indication of the standard errors of all estimates in this publication. Standard errors of estimates for the latest month and of estimates of movements since the previous month are shown in Table 1. Standard errors of other estimates and other monthly movements should be determined by using Tables A and B.

5. The size of the standard error increases with the level of the estimate, so that the larger the estimate the larger is the standard error. However, it should be noted

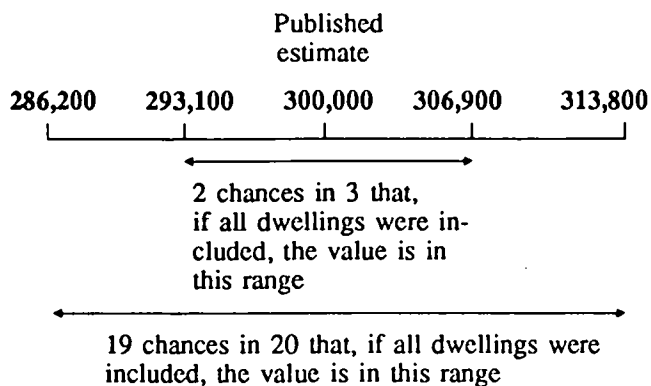
that the larger the sample estimate the smaller will be the standard error in percentage terms. Thus, larger sample estimates will be relatively more reliable than smaller estimates.

6. As the standard errors in Table A show, *the smaller the estimate the higher is the relative standard error*. Very small estimates are subject to such high standard errors (relative to the size of the estimate) as to detract seriously from their value for most reasonable uses. In the tables in this publication, only estimates with relative standard errors of 25 per cent or less, and percentages based on such estimates, are considered sufficiently reliable for most purposes. However, estimates and percentages with larger relative standard errors have been included and are preceded by an asterisk (e.g. *3.4) to indicate they are subject to high standard errors and should be used with caution. See paragraph 9 concerning the derivation of relative standard errors for some estimates.

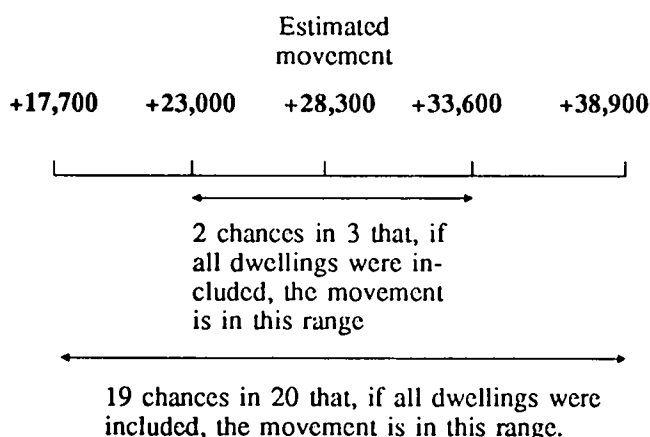
7. The movement in the level of an estimate is also subject to sampling variability. The standard error of the movement depends on the levels of the estimates from which the movement is obtained rather than the size of the movement. An indication of the magnitude of standard errors of monthly movements is given in Table B. The estimates of standard error of monthly movements apply only to estimates of movements between two consecutive months. Movements between corresponding months of consecutive quarters (quarterly movements), corresponding months of consecutive years (annual movements) and other non-consecutive months, will generally be subject to somewhat greater sampling variability than is indicated in Table B. Standard errors of *quarterly* movements can be obtained by multiplying the figures in Table A by 1.11. Standard errors of quarterly movements calculated this way will not necessarily agree with those obtained by multiplying the figures in Table B by 1.5, which was the method shown in the June 1985 and previous issues of this publication. This is because Tables A and B are derived independently of each other. Standard errors of all *annual* movements can be obtained by multiplying the figures in Table A by 1.3. When using Table A or Table B to calculate standard errors of movements, refer to the larger of the two estimates from which the movement is derived.

8. Examples of the calculation and use of standard errors are given below:

- (a) From Table A it will be seen that an estimate of 300,000 unemployed males looking for full-time work has a standard error of about 6,900. Therefore there are about two chances in three that the number that would have been obtained if all dwellings had been included in the survey would have been within the range 293,100 to 306,900 and about nineteen chances in twenty that it would have been within the range 286,200 to 313,800.



(b) Suppose that there is an increase of 28,300 in the number of unemployed males looking for full-time work from one month to the next. Table B relates the standard error of the monthly movement to the larger of the two estimates from which the movement is derived. In this case, if the larger of the two estimates from which the movement is derived was 300,000, from Table B it will be seen that the standard error of the monthly movement is about 5,300. Therefore there are about two chances in three that if all dwellings had been included in the surveys the movement would have been within the range +23,000 to +33,600 and about nineteen chances in twenty that it would have been within the range +17,700 to +38,900



9. The relative standard errors of estimates of *aggregate hours worked, average hours worked, average duration of unemployment, and median duration of unemployment* are obtained by first finding the relative standard error of the estimate of the total number of persons contributing to the estimate (see Table A) and then multiplying the figure so obtained by the following relevant factors:

- Aggregate hours worked: 1.2
- Average hours worked: 0.7
- Average duration of unemployment: 1.3
- Median duration of unemployment: 2.0

The levels at which these and other labour force estimates have a relative standard error of 25 per cent are shown in Table C.

10. An example of the calculation of standard errors by the use of these factors is as follows:

If an estimate of median duration of unemployment for unemployed males is 19 weeks and the number unemployed is estimated as 300,000, from Table A it can be estimated that this figure (300,000) has a standard error of about 6,900 and therefore a relative standard error of about 2.3 per cent. The *relative standard error* of the estimate of median duration of unemployment is calculated by multiplying this figure (2.3) by the appropriate factor shown in the previous paragraph (in this case 2.0): $2.3 \times 2.0 = 4.6$ per cent. The *standard error* of this estimate of median duration of unemployment is therefore 4.6 per cent of 19, i.e. about 1. Therefore there are about two chances in three that the median duration of unemployment for unemployed males that would have been obtained if all dwellings had been included in the survey would have been within the range 18 to 20 weeks and about nineteen chances in twenty that it would have been within the range 17 to 21 weeks.

11. Proportions and percentages (for example, participation rates) formed from the ratio of two estimates are also subject to sampling error. The size of the error depends on the accuracy of both the numerator and denominator. The formula for the relative standard error (RSE) of a proportion or percentage is given below:

$$RSE (x/y) = \sqrt{[RSE (x)]^2 + [RSE (y)]^2}$$

12. Standard errors contained in Tables A and B are designed to provide an average standard error applicable for all monthly labour force survey estimates. Analysis of the standard errors applicable to particular survey estimates has shown that the standard errors of estimates of employment are generally equivalent to those shown in Tables A and B, while standard errors for unemployment and not in the labour force are approximately 3 per cent and 11 per cent respectively higher than those shown in the tables. Standard errors for capital cities are approximately the same as those for corresponding States. Standard errors of estimates of numbers of families are approximately the same as those for numbers of persons. Standard errors of estimates of persons born in Australia are approximately the same as those shown in Tables A and B. For aggregate estimates of persons born outside Australia the standard errors are about 15 per cent higher. The standard errors vary for individual countries of birth, but are generally less than 10 per cent higher.

13. The imprecision due to sampling variability, which is measured by the standard error, should not be confused with inaccuracies that may occur because of imperfections in reporting by respondents, errors made in collection such as in recording and coding data, and errors made in processing the data. Inaccuracies of this kind are referred to as the *non-sampling error* and they may occur in any enumeration, whether it be a full count or a sample. Every effort is made to reduce the non-sampling error to a minimum by careful design of questionnaires, intensive training and supervision of interviewers and efficient operating procedures.

TABLE A. STANDARD ERRORS OF ESTIMATES FROM DECEMBER 1987(a)

Size of estimate	NSW	Vic.	Qld	SA	WA	Tas.	NT	ACT	Australia	
	— number —									per cent of estimate
100			130	110	120	80	130	100	120	117.6
200	230	230	190	160	180	120	170	140	180	89.0
300	290	280	240	200	220	150	210	170	230	75.2
400	340	330	280	230	250	180	240	200	270	66.6
500	380	370	310	260	280	200	260	220	300	60.5
600	420	410	340	280	310	220	280	240	340	55.9
800	480	470	390	330	350	250	320	270	390	49.2
1,000	540	530	440	370	390	280	360	300	450	44.5
1,300	620	610	500	410	440	320	400	340	510	39.6
1,500	660	650	530	440	470	340	430	360	560	37.0
1,800	720	710	580	480	510	360	470	390	610	34.0
2,000	760	750	610	510	540	380	490	410	650	32.4
2,500	850	840	680	560	600	420	540	450	730	29.2
3,000	920	910	740	610	650	450	590	490	800	26.8
3,500	990	980	800	660	700	480	630	520	870	24.9
4,000	1,050	1,050	850	700	740	510	670	550	930	23.3
4,500	1,100	1,100	900	730	780	540	710	580	990	22.0
5,000	1,200	1,150	940	770	820	560	750	600	1,050	20.9
6,000	1,300	1,250	1,000	830	880	600	810	650	1,150	19.1
10,000	1,600	1,600	1,300	1,050	1,100	730	1,050	800	1,500	14.8
20,000	2,200	2,200	1,750	1,400	1,500	920	1,400	1,050	2,050	10.4
50,000	3,250	3,250	2,600	2,050	2,150	1,200	2,150	1,500	3,150	6.3
100,000	4,300	4,300	3,400	2,650	2,850	1,500	3,000	1,900	4,300	4.3
200,000	5,700	5,600	4,500	3,450	3,700	1,750	4,200	2,450	5,800	2.9
300,000	6,600	6,600	5,200	3,950	4,300	1,900		2,800	6,900	2.3
500,000	8,000	7,900	6,300	4,750	5,200	2,100		3,300	8,400	1.7
1,000,000	10,300	10,100	8,100	6,000	6,600				11,100	1.1
2,000,000	13,000	12,800	10,300	7,500	8,400				14,300	0.7
5,000,000	17,600	17,100	13,900						19,700	0.4
10,000,000	21,800								24,800	0.2

TABLE B. STANDARD ERRORS OF ESTIMATES OF MONTHLY MOVEMENTS FROM DECEMBER 1987 — JANUARY 1988 ONWARDS(a)

Size of larger estimate	NSW	Vic.	Qld	SA	WA	Tas.	NT	ACT	Australia
100				150		100	90	120	
200				190	230	130	130	150	
300			350	220	260	150	150	170	
400	450	410	380	250	290	170	170	190	440
500	490	440	410	270	320	180	190	210	480
600	520	470	440	280	340	200	210	220	510
800	580	530	480	310	380	220	230	250	570
1,000	630	570	520	340	410	240	260	270	620
1,300	690	630	570	380	450	260	290	300	690
1,500	730	660	600	400	470	270	310	310	720
1,800	780	710	640	420	500	290	330	330	780
2,000	810	740	660	440	520	300	350	350	810
2,500	880	800	720	480	560	330	380	370	880
3,000	940	860	760	510	600	350	410	400	940
3,500	990	910	800	540	630	370	440	420	990
4,000	1,050	950	840	560	670	390	470	440	1,050
4,500	1,100	1,000	880	590	690	410	490	460	1,100
5,000	1,150	1,050	910	610	720	430	510	480	1,150
6,000	1,200	1,100	970	650	770	450	560	520	1,200
10,000	1,450	1,350	1,150	780	920	550	690	620	1,450
20,000	1,900	1,700	1,450	1,000	1,200	700	930	800	1,900
50,000	2,600	2,400	2,000	1,400	1,650	980	1,400	1,100	2,700
100,000	3,400	3,100	2,550	1,800	2,100	1,250	1,850	1,450	3,500
200,000	4,350	4,000	3,200	2,300	2,700	1,650	2,550	1,850	4,500
300,000	5,000	4,650	3,700	2,700	3,100	1,900		2,150	5,300
500,000	6,100	5,600	4,400	3,200	3,700	2,300		2,550	6,400
1,000,000	7,800	7,300	5,600	4,150	4,750				8,300
2,000,000	10,100	9,400	7,100	5,300	6,100				10,700
5,000,000	14,100	13,100	9,700						15,100
10,000,000	18,200								19,600

(a) For standard errors, etc. for earlier periods, see previous issues of this publication.

TABLE C. LEVELS AT WHICH LABOUR FORCE ESTIMATES HAVE A RELATIVE STANDARD ERROR OF 25 PER CENT^(a)
FROM DECEMBER 1987^(b)

	NSW	Vic.	Qld	SA	WA	Tas.	NT	ACT	Aust
Estimates classified by—									
Aggregate hours worked	6,300	6,300	4,200	2,900	3,300	1,800	2,700	2,000	5,100
Average hours worked	2,300	2,300	1,500	1,100	1,200	700	1,000	800	1,700
Average duration of unemployment	7,300	7,300	4,900	3,400	3,800	2,000	3,200	2,300	6,000
Median duration of unemployment	15,900	15,900	10,600	7,300	8,100	4,200	7,000	4,700	14,000
All other estimates	4,500	4,500	3,000	2,100	2,300	1,300	2,000	1,400	3,500

(a) See paragraph 9 of this Technical Note. (b) For standard errors, etc. for earlier periods, see previous issues of this publication..

SUPPLEMENTARY AND SPECIAL SURVEYS RELATING TO THE LABOUR FORCE

Although emphasis in the population survey is placed on the regular collection of data on demographic and labour force characteristics, supplementary and special surveys of particular aspects of the labour force are carried out from time to time. The results of these surveys on labour force and related topics are published separately as shown below.

Title of Publication	Catalogue No.
Alternative Working Arrangements, Australia, March to May 1982, September to November 1986	6341.0
Annual and Long Service Leave Taken, Australia, May 1988 to April 1989	6317.0
Career Paths of Persons with Trade Qualifications, Australia, 1989	6243.0
Career Paths of Qualified Nurses, Australia, 1989	6277.0
Child Care, Australia—May 1969, 1973, 1977; June 1980; November 1984; June 1987	4402.0
Employment Benefits, Australia. Issued Annually. Latest issue July 1991	6334.0
How Workers Get Their Training, Australia, 1989	6278.0
Income Distribution Survey, Australia, Persons with Earned Income, 1986	6546.0
Job Search Experience of Unemployed Persons, Australia. Annually. Latest issue June 1991	6222.0
Labour Force Experience, Australia. Issued Annually. Latest issue March 1991	6206.0
Labour Force Status and Educational Attainment, Australia. Issued Annually. Latest issue February 1991	6235.0
Labour Force Status and Educational Attendance, Australia. Issued Annually. Latest issue September 1990	6272.0
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Weekly Earnings of Employees (Distribution), Australia. Issued Annually. Latest issue July 1991	6310.0
Working Hours Arrangements, Australia, February-May 1981	6338.0
Working Hours Arrangements—Supplementary Tables, Australia, February-May 1981	6339.0

GLOSSARY

Actively looking for work: Includes writing, telephoning or applying in person to an employer for work; answering a newspaper advertisement for a job; checking factory or Commonwealth Employment Service noticeboards; being registered with the Commonwealth Employment Service; checking or registering with any other employment agency; advertising or tendering for work; and contacting friends or relatives.

Aggregate hours worked: The total number of hours a group of employed persons has actually worked during the reference week, not necessarily hours paid for.

Attending school: Persons aged 15 to 19 who, during the reference week, were enrolled full time at secondary or high schools.

Attending tertiary educational institution full time: Persons aged 15 to 24 who, during the reference week, were enrolled full time at universities, colleges of advanced education, technical colleges, colleges of technical and further education and theological colleges.

Average hours worked: Aggregate hours worked by a group divided by the number of persons in that group.

Average duration of unemployment: For a group of unemployed persons, the aggregate duration of unemployment divided by the number of persons in the group.

Birthplace: From April 1991, classified according to the *Australian Standard Classification of Countries for Social Statistics (ASCCS)* (1269.0).

Dependents: All family members under 15 years of age; all family members aged 15 to 19 attending school or aged 15 to 24 attending a tertiary educational institution full time, except those classified as husbands, wives, sole parents or other family heads.

Duration of unemployment: The period from the time a person began looking for work or was stood down, to the end of the reference week. Thus the survey measures current (and continuing) periods of unemployment rather than completed spells. For persons who may have begun looking for work while still employed, the duration of unemployment is defined as the period from the time the person last worked full time for two weeks or more to the end of the reference week.

Employed: Persons aged 15 and over who, during the reference week:

- (a) worked for one hour or more for pay, profit, commission or payment in kind in a job or busi-

ness, or on a farm (comprising employees, employers and self-employed persons); or

- (b) worked for one hour or more without pay in a family business or on a farm (i.e. unpaid family helpers); or
- (c) were employees who had a job but were not at work and were: on paid leave; on leave without pay for less than four weeks up to the end of the reference week; stood down without pay because of bad weather or plant breakdown at their place of employment for less than four weeks up to the end of the reference week; on strike or locked out; on workers' compensation and expected to be returning to their job; or receiving wages or salary while undertaking full-time study; or
- (d) were employers, self-employed persons or unpaid family helpers who had a job, business or farm, but were not at work.

Employment/population ratio: For any group, the number of employed persons expressed as a percentage of the civilian population aged 15 and over in the same group.

Family: Two or more related persons (*relationship* includes relationships by blood, marriage or adoption) usually resident in the same household at the time of the survey. A family comprises a married couple or a family head as defined, together with any persons having any of the following relationships to them:

- (a) sons or daughters of any age, if not married and with no children of their own present;
- (b) other relatives if not accompanied by a spouse, sons or daughters, or parents of their own; or
- (c) any children under 15 years of age who do not have a parent present.

Family head: Any person without a spouse present, but with a son or daughter aged under 15 present. Persons without a spouse, son or daughter aged under 15 present, but with a son or daughter aged 15 or over present, provided that the son or daughter has no spouse, son or daughter of his/her own present. If a family has no person falling into either of these categories, the family head is generally defined to be the eldest person in the family. No family head is defined for a married-couple family.

Former workers: Unemployed persons who have previously worked full time for two weeks or more but not in the past two years.

Full-time workers: Employed persons who usually worked 35 hours or more a week (in all jobs) and others who,

although usually working less than 35 hours a week, worked 35 hours or more during the reference week.

Household: A group of one or more persons in a private dwelling who consider themselves to be separate from other persons (if any) in the dwelling, and who make regular provision to take meals separately from other persons, i.e. at different times or in different rooms. Lodgers who receive accommodation but not meals are treated as separate households. Boarders who receive both accommodation and meals are not treated as separate households. A household may consist of any number of families and non-family members.

Industry: Classified according to the *Australian Standard Industrial Classification (ASIC) 1983* (1201.0 and 1202.0).

Job leavers: Unemployed persons who have worked full time for two weeks or more in the past two years and *left that job voluntarily*, that is, because of unsatisfactory work arrangements/pay/hours; the job was seasonal, temporary or a holiday job and they left that job to return to studies; their last job was running their own business and they closed down or sold that business for reasons other than financial difficulties; or any other reasons.

Job losers: Unemployed persons who have worked full time for two weeks or more in the past two years and *left that job involuntarily*, that is: were laid off or retrenched from that job; left that job because of their own ill-health or injury; the job was seasonal, temporary or a holiday job and they did not leave that job to return to studies; or their last job was running their own business and the business closed down because of financial difficulties.

Labour force: For any group, persons who were employed or unemployed, as defined.

Labour force status: A classification of the civilian population aged 15 and over into employed, unemployed or not in the labour force, as defined. The definitions conform closely to the international standard definitions adopted by the International Conferences of Labour Statisticians.

Living alone: A person who is the sole member of a household.

Marital status: Persons are classified as married (husband and wife) if they are reported as being married (including de facto) and their spouse was a usual resident of the household at the time of the survey. The not-married category comprises persons who have never married, or are separated, widowed or divorced, as well as those who, although reported as being married, did not have a spouse who usually lived in the household.

Married-couple families: Families in which there are two married persons and these persons are husband and wife. See *Marital status*.

Median duration of unemployment: The duration which divides unemployed persons into two equal groups, one comprising persons whose duration of unemployment is above the median and the other, persons whose duration is below it.

Not a member of a family: A person who is not related to any other member of the household in which they are living.

Not in the labour force: Persons who were not in the categories employed or unemployed, as defined. They include persons who were keeping house (unpaid), retired, voluntarily inactive, permanently unable to work, persons in institutions (hospitals, gaols, sanatoriums, etc.), trainee teachers, members of contemplative religious orders, and persons whose only activity during the reference week was jury service or unpaid voluntary work for a charitable organisation.

Occupation: Classified according to the *Australian Standard Classification of Occupations (ASCO) 1986* (1222.0).

One-parent families: Families in which there is a family head together with at least one dependent son or daughter of his/her own.

Other families: Families which are not married-couple families or one-parent families, as defined. They include families in which there is a parent with only non-dependent children present, and families in which there is no parent, for example a family head living with a brother or sister.

Participation rate: For any group, the labour force expressed as a percentage of the civilian population aged 15 and over in the same group. Participation rates for persons classified by birthplace are calculated using population estimates which exclude those in institutions. Participation rates for persons classified by school or tertiary educational institution attendance are calculated using population estimates which include those in institutions.

Part-time workers: Employed persons who usually worked less than 35 hours a week and who did so during the reference week.

Seasonally adjusted series: A time series of estimates with the estimated effects of normal seasonal variation removed. See paragraphs 28 and 29 of the Explanatory Notes for more detail.

Sole parent: The head of a one-parent family.

State capital cities: The areas determining the six State capital cities are the Statistical Divisions for those capital cities defined in the *Australian Standard Geographical Classification (ASGC) Manual, Edition 3* (1216.0).

Status of worker: Employed persons classified by whether they were employers, self-employed persons, wage and salary earners (employees), or unpaid family helpers.

Trend series: A smoothed seasonally adjusted series of estimates. See paragraphs 30 to 32 of the Explanatory Notes for more detail.

Unemployed: Persons aged 15 and over who were not employed during the reference week, and:

- (a) had actively looked for full-time or part-time work at any time in the four weeks up to the end of the reference week and:
 - (i) were available for work in the reference week, or would have been available except for temporary illness (i.e. lasting for less than four weeks to the end of the reference week); or
 - (ii) were waiting to start a new job within four weeks from the end of the reference week and would have started in the reference week if the job had been available then; or
- (b) were waiting to be called back to a full-time or part-time job from which they had been stood

down without pay for less than four weeks up to the end of the reference week (including the whole of the reference week) for reasons other than bad weather or plant breakdown.

Unemployed persons classified by industry and occupation: Unemployed persons who had worked full time for two weeks or more in the last two years are classified according to the industry and occupation of their most recent full-time job.

Unemployed looking for first full-time job: Unemployed persons looking for full-time work who had never worked full time for two weeks or more.

Unemployed looking for first job: Unemployed persons who had never worked full time for two weeks or more.

Unemployed looking for full-time work: Unemployed persons who actively looked for full-time work or were to resume a full-time job, from which they had been stood down.

Unemployed looking for part-time work: Unemployed persons who had actively looked for part-time work only, or were to resume a part-time job, from which they had been stood down.

Unemployment rate: For any group, the number of unemployed persons expressed as a percentage of the labour force in the same group.

APPENDIX

SEASONAL REANALYSIS OF MONTHLY LABOUR FORCE SURVEY ESTIMATES

EXPLANATORY NOTES

This appendix contains tables of original, seasonally adjusted and trend monthly labour force series for Australia and the six States and tables of original series for the Northern Territory and the Australian Capital Territory for the period January 1986 to February 1992. The seasonally adjusted and trend estimates back to 1978 have been revised following the annual reanalysis which takes account of an additional 12 months' original data. Minor revisions only have been made to the series prior to January 1986. Selected series are available on PC-AUSSTATS back to 1978.

2. *Seasonally adjusted series.* As happens with all seasonally adjusted series, the seasonal factors will again be reviewed when a further year's estimates become available. Generally, additional estimates provide information about recent changes in the seasonal pattern and consequently the adjustment factors are revised (as they have been for this publication). It follows that the seasonally adjusted estimates in the following tables are likely to be revised at the next annual review.

3. The seasonally adjusted estimates still reflect the sampling and non-sampling errors to which the original figures are subject. Furthermore, the seasonal adjustment process does not attempt to remove the effect of random influences (such as industrial disputes) on the estimates.

4. For Australia, seasonally adjusted estimates for persons have been obtained by the addition of the independently adjusted series for males and females. The adjusted series for males (females) looking for full-time work are the addition of adjusted estimates for those aged 15 to 19 and for those aged 20 and over. Seasonally adjusted estimates for males (females) looking for part-time work are then added to the above estimates to obtain seasonally adjusted estimates of total unemployed. Adjusted estimates for employed persons are the aggregation of independently adjusted series for persons employed full time and for persons employed part time. The full-time employment series is obtained by aggregating the series for full-time workers aged 15 to 19 and those aged 20 and over. The adjusted estimates for the labour force are the addition of the adjusted series for the employed and unemployed. Seasonally adjusted unemployment rates have been produced using seasonally adjusted unemployment data and the seasonally adjusted labour force. Participation rates have been adjusted using seasonally adjusted labour force data and population estimates.

5. For the six States, seasonally adjusted estimates for persons have been obtained by the addition of the independently adjusted series for males and females. The adjusted estimates for the labour force are the addition of the adjusted series for the employed and unemployed. Seasonally adjusted unemployment rates have been produced using seasonally adjusted unemployment data and the seasonally adjusted labour force.

Participation rates have been adjusted using seasonally adjusted labour force data and population estimates.

6. Further information concerning the method of adjustment used in the revised series and other information on the seasonal adjustment process was included in the 1983 issue of *Seasonally Adjusted Indicators, Australia* (1308.0).

7. Seasonally adjusted labour force data are published monthly in *The Labour Force Australia, Preliminary* (6202.0) as well as in this publication (see Tables 2 and 8). These estimates are also available on PC-AUSSTATS, TELESTATS, floppy disk and from the *Time Series Data* on magnetic tape and microfiche (1311.0).

8. Seasonally adjusted quarterly labour force data for the period August 1966 to November 1977 are published in *The Labour Force, Australia, Historical Summary, 1966 to 1984* (6204.0). That publication also contains information on the method of adjustment of these estimates and on the relationship between quarterly and monthly seasonally adjusted series.

9. *Trend series.* As explained in paragraphs 30 and 31 of the Explanatory Notes, when a 13-term Henderson-weighted moving average is applied to a seasonally adjusted series, a trend series results which can be used to analyse the underlying behaviour of the series over time. This is because the smoothing technique reduces the impact of the residual/irregular influences which cause variability in the series.

10. For Australia, trend estimates for persons have been obtained by the addition of the independently calculated series for males and females. The trend series for males (females) looking for full-time work are the addition of trend estimates for those aged 15 to 19 and for those aged 20 and over. Trend estimates of males (females) looking for part-time work are then added to the above estimates to obtain estimates of total unemployment. Trend estimates for the employed are the aggregation of independently calculated series for persons employed full time and persons employed part time. The full-time employment series is obtained by aggregating the series for full-time workers aged 15 to 19 and those aged 20 and over. The trend estimates for the labour force are the addition of the trend series for employment and unemployment. Trend unemployment rates have been produced using trend unemployment data and the trend labour force estimates. Participation rates have been calculated using trend labour force data and population estimates.

11. For the six States, trend estimates for persons have been obtained by the addition of the independently calculated series for males and females. The trend estimates for the labour force are the addition of the trend series for the employed and unemployed. Trend unemployment rates

have been produced using trend unemployment data and the trend labour force estimates. Participation rates have been calculated using trend labour force data and population estimates.

12. Trend series are published monthly in *The Labour Force, Australia, Preliminary (6202.0)* as well as in this publication (see Tables 3 and 9), on PC-AUSSTATS, TELESTATS and on floppy disk.

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TABLE 53. CIVILIAN LABOUR FORCE: LABOUR FORCE STATUS, MARRIED FEMALES

Month	Employed		Unemployed			Labour force	Unemployment rate			Participation rate
	Full-time workers	Total	Looking for full-time work	Looking for part-time work	Total		Looking for full-time work	Looking for part-time work	Total	
1986 —										
January	853.1	1,496.3	52.4	27.1	79.5	1,575.8	5.8	4.0	5.0	43.1
February	873.5	1,568.5	66.7	49.1	115.7	1,684.3	7.1	6.6	6.9	46.0
March	885.6	1,633.1	62.7	53.5	116.2	1,749.3	6.6	6.7	6.6	47.6
April(a)	894.1	1,653.3	61.6	48.1	109.7	1,763.1	6.4	6.0	6.2	47.9
May	891.3	1,654.2	61.2	43.0	104.2	1,758.4	6.4	5.3	5.9	47.9
June	884.3	1,666.5	55.9	44.6	100.4	1,766.9	5.9	5.4	5.7	47.8
July	906.2	1,691.7	59.6	41.2	100.8	1,792.4	6.2	5.0	5.6	48.4
August	884.5	1,657.9	52.1	40.5	92.6	1,750.5	5.6	5.0	5.3	47.1
September	913.9	1,708.9	57.4	48.3	105.6	1,814.5	5.9	5.7	5.8	48.7
October	915.3	1,703.0	55.8	44.5	100.4	1,803.3	5.7	5.3	5.6	48.5
November	909.9	1,721.8	52.7	37.0	89.6	1,811.5	5.5	4.4	4.9	48.6
December	919.0	1,721.6	56.2	32.1	88.3	1,809.9	5.8	3.8	4.9	48.3
1987 —										
January	903.9	1,608.5	56.9	27.9	84.8	1,693.3	5.9	3.8	5.0	45.1
February	887.3	1,670.7	65.5	48.6	114.1	1,784.9	6.9	5.8	6.4	47.8
March	906.4	1,726.0	72.7	60.1	132.8	1,858.8	7.4	6.8	7.1	49.8
April	899.0	1,707.3	75.2	47.3	122.5	1,829.7	7.7	5.5	6.7	49.1
May	905.9	1,721.3	66.8	42.6	109.5	1,830.8	6.9	5.0	6.0	49.2
June	905.4	1,726.0	61.4	39.3	100.7	1,826.7	6.3	4.6	5.5	48.9
July	928.6	1,730.5	66.4	39.0	105.3	1,835.8	6.7	4.6	5.7	48.9
August	910.7	1,720.1	62.6	40.5	103.1	1,823.2	6.4	4.8	5.7	48.6
September	924.9	1,730.2	57.9	40.2	98.1	1,828.3	5.9	4.8	5.4	49.1
October	944.8	1,729.6	56.6	38.5	95.1	1,824.7	5.7	4.7	5.2	48.7
November	928.0	1,741.3	52.4	36.5	88.9	1,830.1	5.3	4.3	4.9	48.7
December	949.2	1,744.2	56.0	35.2	91.2	1,835.4	5.6	4.2	5.0	48.9
1988 —										
January	951.3	1,672.1	63.0	29.5	92.4	1,764.6	6.2	3.9	5.2	46.8
February	949.8	1,737.2	68.1	44.7	112.8	1,849.9	6.7	5.4	6.1	48.9
March	969.5	1,804.0	68.1	50.6	118.7	1,922.7	6.6	5.7	6.2	50.9
April	959.0	1,795.1	61.4	55.0	116.4	1,911.5	6.0	6.2	6.1	50.3
May	954.2	1,804.1	61.4	46.8	108.2	1,912.2	6.0	5.2	5.7	50.1
June	960.6	1,818.7	59.2	42.0	101.2	1,919.9	5.8	4.7	5.3	50.1
July	975.5	1,805.4	50.9	35.8	86.7	1,892.1	5.0	4.1	4.6	49.4
August	958.8	1,820.7	60.8	29.9	90.7	1,911.5	6.0	3.4	4.7	49.6
September	991.2	1,866.5	54.1	42.8	96.9	1,963.4	5.2	4.7	4.9	50.9
October	1,010.9	1,844.6	55.4	35.7	91.0	1,935.6	5.2	4.1	4.7	50.2
November	1,005.9	1,865.4	50.8	34.9	85.7	1,951.1	4.8	3.9	4.4	50.5
December	1,015.8	1,869.8	54.2	35.4	89.6	1,959.4	5.1	4.0	4.6	50.7
1989 —										
January	981.0	1,760.2	59.9	34.5	94.5	1,854.7	5.8	4.2	5.1	47.8
February	986.5	1,826.6	64.0	44.9	108.8	1,935.4	6.1	5.1	5.6	49.9
March	1,000.8	1,872.1	56.1	45.3	101.5	1,973.6	5.3	4.9	5.1	51.0
April	1,003.3	1,882.0	56.6	45.2	101.9	1,983.8	5.3	4.9	5.1	51.2
May	1,004.3	1,907.3	59.0	39.5	98.6	2,005.8	5.6	4.2	4.9	51.7
June	1,013.7	1,906.0	53.0	37.0	90.0	1,996.0	5.0	4.0	4.5	51.2
July	1,022.3	1,906.8	54.8	33.1	87.9	1,994.7	5.1	3.6	4.4	51.0
August	1,022.4	1,926.9	46.6	32.7	79.3	2,006.2	4.4	3.5	4.0	51.1
September	1,050.4	1,973.4	48.3	41.0	89.3	2,062.6	4.4	4.3	4.3	52.7
October	1,041.2	1,936.0	43.5	39.2	82.7	2,018.6	4.0	4.2	4.1	51.4
November	1,066.9	1,981.9	47.9	33.5	81.4	2,063.2	4.3	3.5	3.9	52.3
December	1,079.6	1,977.6	45.9	35.5	81.4	2,059.0	4.1	3.8	4.0	52.1
1990 —										
January	1,058.4	1,876.4	53.7	29.9	83.6	1,960.1	4.8	3.5	4.3	49.5
February	1,062.7	1,959.5	60.4	47.6	108.0	2,067.6	5.4	5.0	5.2	52.3
March	1,074.2	1,993.6	54.9	43.6	98.5	2,092.1	4.9	4.5	4.7	53.1
April	1,059.4	1,992.6	53.0	39.2	92.2	2,084.8	4.8	4.0	4.4	52.7
May	1,073.7	2,002.8	57.5	41.4	98.9	2,101.7	5.1	4.3	4.7	53.2
June	1,063.9	2,001.9	60.6	39.7	100.2	2,102.1	5.4	4.1	4.8	53.3
July	1,070.0	1,987.4	59.5	36.9	96.4	2,083.8	5.3	3.9	4.6	53.1
August	1,058.2	1,979.6	59.9	35.8	95.7	2,075.3	5.4	3.7	4.6	52.8
September	1,082.0	2,017.6	60.5	43.8	104.3	2,121.9	5.3	4.5	4.9	53.7
October	1,076.8	2,001.6	57.2	39.1	96.3	2,097.9	5.0	4.1	4.6	52.8
November	1,074.7	2,007.2	59.3	39.3	98.6	2,105.8	5.2	4.0	4.7	53.0
December	1,081.5	1,996.2	65.2	36.5	101.6	2,097.8	5.7	3.8	4.8	52.7
1991 —										
January	1,074.6	1,895.1	70.1	36.1	106.2	2,001.3	6.1	4.2	5.3	50.1
February	1,054.5	1,965.6	83.9	51.5	135.4	2,101.0	7.4	5.4	6.4	52.5
March	1,065.3	1,991.8	81.1	57.8	138.8	2,130.7	7.1	5.9	6.5	53.2
April	1,050.4	1,980.6	92.7	57.5	150.3	2,130.9	8.1	5.8	7.1	53.2
May	1,054.5	1,991.6	93.0	42.7	135.8	2,127.4	8.1	4.4	6.4	53.1
June	1,055.3	1,994.0	79.2	44.4	123.6	2,117.5	7.0	4.5	5.8	52.8
July	1,053.7	1,971.0	90.6	37.2	127.8	2,098.8	7.9	3.9	6.1	52.0
August	1,068.1	1,990.0	83.2	39.2	122.3	2,112.3	7.2	4.1	5.8	52.6
September	1,079.2	2,022.4	91.2	49.2	140.4	2,162.8	7.8	5.0	6.5	53.8
October	1,077.7	1,974.3	91.5	38.2	129.7	2,104.0	7.8	4.1	6.2	52.2
November	1,060.2	1,987.9	88.9	39.4	128.2	2,116.1	7.7	4.1	6.1	52.6
December	1,077.4	1,985.8	91.1	42.9	134.0	2,119.9	7.8	4.5	6.3	52.6
1992 —										
January	1,060.7	1,900.2	103.8	37.4	141.2	2,041.5	8.9	4.3	6.9	50.6
February	1,063.9	1,967.0	113.7	46.0	159.7	2,126.7	9.7	4.9	7.5	52.6

(a) Estimates for the period prior to April 1986 are based on the old definition. See paragraphs 14 and 15 of the Explanatory Notes.

TABLE 54. CIVILIAN LABOUR FORCE: LABOUR FORCE STATUS, MARRIED FEMALES — SEASONALLY ADJUSTED

Month	Employed		Unemployed			Labour force	Unemployment rate			Participation rate
	Full-time workers	Total	Looking for full-time work	Looking for part-time work '000-	Total		Looking for full-time work	Looking for part-time work -per	Total cent-	
1986—										
January	855.7	1,582.2	55.5	38.3	93.7	1,676.0	6.1	5.0	5.6	45.8
February	881.3	1,596.7	58.6	42.7	101.3	1,698.0	6.2	5.6	6.0	46.4
March	882.1	1,612.1	55.1	44.3	99.5	1,711.6	5.9	5.7	5.8	46.6
April(a)	898.9	1,651.3	57.5	41.8	99.3	1,750.6	6.0	5.3	5.7	47.6
May	895.1	1,643.2	59.2	40.6	99.8	1,742.9	6.2	5.1	5.7	47.4
June	892.6	1,655.9	55.8	44.0	99.8	1,755.8	5.9	5.4	5.7	47.5
July	906.8	1,685.9	60.0	44.2	104.1	1,790.0	6.2	5.4	5.8	48.3
August	899.3	1,665.3	55.0	45.0	100.0	1,765.3	5.8	5.5	5.7	47.5
September	905.1	1,684.3	59.5	44.9	104.4	1,788.8	6.2	5.4	5.8	48.0
October	905.8	1,694.8	59.6	45.3	104.9	1,799.7	6.2	5.4	5.8	48.4
November	902.1	1,694.8	58.1	40.6	98.7	1,793.5	6.1	4.9	5.5	48.1
December	905.0	1,706.7	61.3	35.9	97.3	1,804.0	6.3	4.3	5.4	48.1
1987—										
January	906.2	1,699.0	58.6	38.9	97.5	1,796.5	6.1	4.7	5.4	47.8
February	895.0	1,700.1	57.6	42.3	99.9	1,800.0	6.0	5.0	5.6	48.2
March	903.2	1,706.3	65.0	49.5	114.5	1,820.8	6.7	5.8	6.3	48.8
April	904.7	1,703.8	71.0	40.5	111.5	1,815.2	7.3	4.8	6.1	48.8
May	910.3	1,710.1	63.8	40.5	104.3	1,814.4	6.6	4.8	5.8	48.7
June	913.7	1,714.0	61.2	38.8	100.0	1,814.0	6.3	4.6	5.5	48.6
July	929.6	1,725.5	65.6	42.1	107.7	1,833.2	6.6	5.0	5.9	48.8
August	925.4	1,725.7	66.2	45.2	111.4	1,837.1	6.7	5.3	6.1	49.0
September	916.2	1,703.5	60.6	37.2	97.9	1,801.4	6.2	4.5	5.4	48.4
October	934.5	1,723.3	61.1	39.8	100.8	1,824.1	6.1	4.8	5.5	48.7
November	920.3	1,716.9	58.3	40.3	98.6	1,815.5	6.0	4.8	5.4	48.4
December	934.7	1,729.9	60.7	39.3	100.0	1,829.9	6.1	4.7	5.5	48.8
1988—										
January	952.8	1,761.5	63.4	40.5	103.9	1,865.4	6.2	4.8	5.6	49.5
February	957.7	1,764.3	59.9	38.9	98.8	1,863.1	5.9	4.6	5.3	49.3
March	966.4	1,786.8	62.1	41.3	103.4	1,890.2	6.0	4.8	5.5	50.0
April	965.5	1,791.0	58.8	46.6	105.3	1,896.3	5.7	5.3	5.6	49.9
May	959.5	1,792.9	57.8	44.7	102.5	1,895.4	5.7	5.1	5.4	49.6
June	969.6	1,806.3	58.9	41.5	100.3	1,906.7	5.7	4.7	5.3	49.7
July	976.7	1,801.3	49.8	39.0	88.8	1,890.1	4.8	4.5	4.7	49.4
August	973.8	1,824.2	64.4	33.4	97.8	1,922.0	6.2	3.8	5.1	49.8
September	981.8	1,835.7	56.9	39.7	96.6	1,932.3	5.5	4.4	5.0	50.1
October	998.9	1,839.2	60.4	37.3	97.8	1,937.0	5.7	4.3	5.0	50.2
November	998.2	1,842.3	56.7	38.7	95.5	1,937.8	5.4	4.4	4.9	50.2
December	1,000.2	1,856.1	58.7	39.4	98.1	1,954.2	5.5	4.4	5.0	50.6
1989—										
January	981.9	1,853.4	59.2	46.8	106.0	1,959.4	5.7	5.1	5.4	50.5
February	994.7	1,852.9	56.3	38.8	95.1	1,948.0	5.4	4.3	4.9	50.2
March	997.8	1,856.8	52.0	37.0	89.0	1,945.7	5.0	4.1	4.6	50.3
April	1,010.2	1,876.2	54.8	38.0	92.8	1,969.0	5.1	4.2	4.7	50.8
May	1,010.5	1,895.7	55.2	37.9	93.0	1,988.7	5.2	4.1	4.7	51.3
June	1,023.3	1,893.7	52.2	36.6	88.8	1,982.5	4.9	4.0	4.5	50.8
July	1,023.8	1,903.6	53.3	36.4	89.7	1,993.4	5.0	4.0	4.5	51.0
August	1,038.2	1,929.9	49.5	36.5	86.0	2,015.9	4.5	3.9	4.3	51.4
September	1,040.8	1,939.1	50.8	38.2	89.0	2,028.1	4.7	4.1	4.4	51.8
October	1,027.9	1,931.0	47.7	41.3	89.0	2,020.0	4.4	4.4	4.4	51.5
November	1,059.0	1,959.8	53.6	37.4	90.9	2,050.7	4.8	4.0	4.4	52.0
December	1,063.0	1,964.2	49.6	39.5	89.1	2,053.3	4.5	4.2	4.3	52.0
1990—										
January	1,058.4	1,971.8	52.6	39.8	92.5	2,064.3	4.7	4.2	4.5	52.1
February	1,072.1	1,985.8	53.0	40.9	94.0	2,079.7	4.7	4.3	4.5	52.6
March	1,070.9	1,979.5	51.5	35.7	87.2	2,066.7	4.6	3.8	4.2	52.5
April	1,067.2	1,986.0	51.6	32.7	84.3	2,070.3	4.6	3.4	4.1	52.4
May	1,080.7	1,990.6	53.3	39.7	93.0	2,083.7	4.7	4.2	4.5	52.7
June	1,073.9	1,989.3	59.2	39.4	98.6	2,087.9	5.2	4.1	4.7	52.9
July	1,072.1	1,985.2	58.0	40.8	98.8	2,084.0	5.1	4.3	4.7	53.1
August	1,074.2	1,982.6	63.8	40.1	103.9	2,086.5	5.6	4.2	5.0	53.0
September	1,072.4	1,981.3	63.6	40.8	104.4	2,085.7	5.6	4.3	5.0	52.8
October	1,062.6	1,996.8	62.9	41.5	104.4	2,101.2	5.6	4.3	5.0	52.8
November	1,067.2	1,986.2	65.9	44.1	110.0	2,096.2	5.8	4.6	5.2	52.7
December	1,064.6	1,983.9	70.7	40.6	111.3	2,095.2	6.2	4.2	5.3	52.7
1991—										
January	1,073.6	1,988.4	68.4	47.2	115.7	2,104.0	6.0	4.9	5.5	52.6
February	1,063.8	1,991.2	73.5	44.1	117.6	2,108.8	6.5	4.5	5.6	52.7
March	1,062.1	1,978.7	76.9	47.5	124.3	2,103.0	6.7	4.9	5.9	52.5
April	1,058.7	1,973.9	90.5	47.6	138.1	2,112.1	7.9	4.9	6.5	52.8
May	1,061.6	1,979.2	85.9	41.0	126.9	2,106.1	7.5	4.3	6.0	52.6
June	1,064.7	1,981.0	77.0	44.2	121.2	2,102.2	6.7	4.6	5.8	52.4
July	1,056.6	1,970.0	88.3	41.5	129.8	2,099.8	7.7	4.3	6.2	52.0
August	1,083.8	1,993.3	89.0	44.0	133.0	2,126.3	7.6	4.6	6.3	52.9
September	1,069.3	1,984.8	95.5	45.7	141.3	2,126.0	8.2	4.8	6.6	52.9
October	1,063.6	1,969.0	101.1	40.9	141.9	2,110.9	8.7	4.3	6.7	52.4
November	1,053.1	1,967.6	98.5	44.2	142.7	2,110.3	8.6	4.6	6.8	52.4
December	1,060.1	1,973.6	98.9	47.7	146.6	2,120.2	8.5	5.0	6.9	52.6
1992—										
January	1,059.4	1,995.2	101.6	48.1	149.7	2,145.0	8.7	4.9	7.0	53.1
February	1,073.3	1,992.1	99.4	39.3	138.8	2,130.9	8.5	4.1	6.5	52.7

(a) Estimates for the period prior to April 1986 are based on the old definition. See paragraphs 14 and 15 of the Explanatory Notes.

TABLE 55. CIVILIAN LABOUR FORCE: LABOUR FORCE STATUS, MARRIED FEMALES — TREND (b)

Month	Employed		Unemployed			Labour force	Unemployment rate			Participation rate
	Full-time workers	Total	Looking for full-time work	Looking for part-time work -'000-	Total		Looking for full-time work	Looking for part-time work -per-	Total cent-	
1986 —										
January	863.8	1,586.0	56.5	42.0	98.6	1,684.6	6.1	5.5	5.9	46.1
February	874.1	1,598.3	56.8	42.0	98.8	1,697.1	6.1	5.5	5.8	46.4
March	883.5	1,610.0	57.2	42.1	99.3	1,709.3	6.1	5.5	5.8	46.6
April(a)	891.1	1,642.3	57.0	42.0	99.1	1,741.4	6.0	5.3	5.7	47.4
May	896.3	1,652.3	57.4	42.7	100.1	1,752.4	6.0	5.3	5.7	47.6
June	899.6	1,661.3	57.6	43.6	101.3	1,762.6	6.0	5.4	5.7	47.7
July	901.3	1,669.5	57.8	44.3	102.1	1,771.6	6.0	5.5	5.8	47.8
August	902.7	1,677.4	58.1	44.4	102.5	1,780.0	6.1	5.4	5.8	47.9
September	903.9	1,684.9	58.4	43.7	102.1	1,787.0	6.1	5.3	5.7	48.0
October	904.4	1,691.4	58.5	42.4	101.0	1,792.4	6.1	5.1	5.6	48.1
November	904.1	1,696.4	58.8	41.3	100.1	1,796.4	6.1	5.0	5.6	48.1
December	903.0	1,699.6	59.5	40.8	100.3	1,799.9	6.2	4.9	5.6	48.1
1987 —										
January	901.9	1,701.6	60.6	41.0	101.6	1,803.2	6.3	4.9	5.6	48.2
February	901.6	1,702.9	62.0	41.5	103.5	1,806.4	6.4	4.9	5.7	48.3
March	903.1	1,704.7	63.4	42.1	105.5	1,810.2	6.6	5.0	5.8	48.5
April	906.3	1,707.8	64.7	42.4	107.1	1,814.9	6.7	5.0	5.9	48.6
May	911.0	1,711.5	65.4	42.3	107.6	1,819.1	6.7	5.0	5.9	48.7
June	916.0	1,714.8	65.3	41.7	106.9	1,821.7	6.7	5.0	5.9	48.8
July	920.0	1,716.4	64.4	41.0	105.4	1,821.8	6.5	4.9	5.8	48.7
August	922.4	1,716.5	63.1	40.6	103.8	1,820.3	6.4	4.9	5.7	48.6
September	924.1	1,716.8	62.0	40.4	102.4	1,819.2	6.3	4.9	5.6	48.6
October	926.8	1,719.3	61.3	40.1	101.3	1,820.7	6.2	4.8	5.6	48.6
November	931.7	1,726.0	60.9	39.6	100.5	1,826.5	6.1	4.7	5.5	48.7
December	938.9	1,737.2	60.8	39.5	100.3	1,837.4	6.1	4.7	5.5	48.9
1988 —										
January	947.1	1,751.6	60.9	40.2	101.1	1,852.7	6.0	4.8	5.5	49.2
February	954.9	1,766.4	60.9	41.4	102.3	1,868.7	6.0	4.9	5.5	49.5
March	960.8	1,779.0	60.3	42.5	102.8	1,881.8	5.9	4.9	5.5	49.7
April	964.5	1,788.7	59.2	42.9	102.1	1,890.8	5.8	5.0	5.4	49.7
May	966.9	1,796.9	58.1	42.5	100.6	1,897.5	5.7	4.9	5.3	49.7
June	969.3	1,804.2	57.5	41.3	98.7	1,902.9	5.6	4.7	5.2	49.7
July	973.7	1,812.2	57.4	39.5	96.9	1,909.1	5.6	4.5	5.1	49.7
August	979.8	1,821.3	57.8	38.0	95.8	1,917.1	5.6	4.3	5.0	49.8
September	985.9	1,830.6	58.4	37.6	95.9	1,926.6	5.6	4.3	5.0	50.0
October	990.6	1,838.9	58.9	38.2	97.1	1,936.0	5.6	4.3	5.0	50.2
November	993.1	1,844.8	58.8	39.4	98.2	1,943.0	5.6	4.4	5.1	50.3
December	994.0	1,849.0	58.2	40.4	98.6	1,947.6	5.5	4.5	5.1	50.3
1989 —										
January	994.6	1,853.0	57.2	40.7	97.9	1,950.9	5.4	4.5	5.0	50.4
February	996.1	1,858.0	56.1	40.2	96.4	1,954.3	5.3	4.5	4.9	50.5
March	999.5	1,865.0	55.3	39.2	94.5	1,959.5	5.2	4.3	4.8	50.6
April	1,005.7	1,874.5	54.4	38.1	92.4	1,967.0	5.1	4.2	4.7	50.7
May	1,013.2	1,885.9	53.5	37.1	90.6	1,976.5	5.0	4.1	4.6	50.8
June	1,020.3	1,898.2	52.6	36.7	89.4	1,987.6	4.9	4.0	4.5	51.0
July	1,026.6	1,910.6	51.8	36.9	88.8	1,999.3	4.8	4.0	4.4	51.2
August	1,032.3	1,922.1	51.0	37.5	88.5	2,010.5	4.7	4.0	4.4	51.3
September	1,038.2	1,933.1	50.4	38.1	88.5	2,021.7	4.6	4.1	4.4	51.5
October	1,044.6	1,944.1	50.3	38.9	89.2	2,033.3	4.6	4.1	4.4	51.7
November	1,051.2	1,954.8	50.7	39.4	90.1	2,044.9	4.6	4.2	4.4	51.9
December	1,057.5	1,964.4	51.1	39.4	90.5	2,054.8	4.6	4.2	4.4	52.1
1990 —										
January	1,063.3	1,972.5	51.4	38.8	90.2	2,062.8	4.6	4.1	4.4	52.2
February	1,068.0	1,979.4	51.7	38.0	89.8	2,069.1	4.6	4.0	4.3	52.3
March	1,071.3	1,984.4	52.2	37.4	89.7	2,074.0	4.6	3.9	4.3	52.5
April	1,073.3	1,986.8	53.2	37.3	90.6	2,077.4	4.7	3.9	4.4	52.6
May	1,074.3	1,987.3	54.9	37.7	92.6	2,079.9	4.9	4.0	4.5	52.8
June	1,074.7	1,987.2	57.0	38.6	95.5	2,082.8	5.0	4.1	4.6	52.9
July	1,073.7	1,986.8	59.2	39.6	98.8	2,085.6	5.2	4.2	4.7	52.9
August	1,071.9	1,986.4	61.4	40.6	102.0	2,088.4	5.4	4.2	4.9	52.9
September	1,070.1	1,986.6	63.2	41.3	104.5	2,091.1	5.6	4.3	5.0	52.9
October	1,068.5	1,987.2	64.6	41.8	106.4	2,093.6	5.7	4.4	5.1	52.8
November	1,067.5	1,988.0	66.1	42.7	108.7	2,096.7	5.8	4.4	5.2	52.7
December	1,066.7	1,987.9	68.4	43.8	112.2	2,100.1	6.0	4.5	5.3	52.7
1991 —										
January	1,065.8	1,986.7	71.7	44.9	116.5	2,103.2	6.3	4.6	5.5	52.7
February	1,064.4	1,984.2	75.3	45.5	120.8	2,105.0	6.6	4.7	5.7	52.7
March	1,062.7	1,981.3	78.7	45.5	124.3	2,105.5	6.9	4.7	5.9	52.6
April	1,061.8	1,979.4	81.4	45.1	126.5	2,105.9	7.1	4.7	6.0	52.6
May	1,062.5	1,979.0	83.5	44.4	127.9	2,106.9	7.3	4.6	6.1	52.5
June	1,064.5	1,979.4	85.6	43.6	129.3	2,108.6	7.4	4.6	6.1	52.5
July	1,066.7	1,979.5	88.0	43.0	131.0	2,110.5	7.6	4.5	6.2	52.5
August	1,067.5	1,978.9	90.8	43.1	133.8	2,112.7	7.8	4.5	6.3	52.5
September	1,066.4	1,977.7	93.9	43.6	137.5	2,115.3	8.1	4.6	6.5	52.6
October	1,064.4	1,977.0	96.9	44.3	141.2	2,118.2	8.3	4.6	6.7	52.6
November	1,062.5	1,977.6	99.0	44.7	143.7	2,121.3	8.5	4.7	6.8	52.7
December	1,061.6	1,979.8	100.1	44.8	145.0	2,124.8	8.6	4.7	6.8	52.7
1992 —										
January	1,061.9	1,983.1	100.8	44.7	145.5	2,128.6	8.7	4.6	6.8	52.8
February	1,061.9	1,985.8	101.2	44.3	145.4	2,131.2	8.7	4.6	6.8	52.8

(a) Estimates for the period prior to April 1986 are based on the old definition. See paragraphs 14 and 15 of the Explanatory Notes. (b) See Explanatory Notes, paragraph 30.

TABLE 62. UNEMPLOYMENT RATES — PERSONS LOOKING FOR FULL-TIME WORK
(per cent)

	Males			Females			Persons		
	Aged 15-19	Aged 20 and over	Total	Aged 15-19	Aged 20 and over	Total	Aged 15-19	Aged 20 and over	Total
1986 —									
January	25.0	6.3	7.8	25.9	7.7	10.4	25.4	6.7	8.6
February	23.0	6.6	7.9	25.4	8.6	10.9	24.0	7.2	8.9
March	21.3	6.3	7.4	23.0	8.1	10.1	22.1	6.8	8.2
April(a)	20.4	6.2	7.2	22.4	7.5	9.5	21.3	6.6	7.9
May	19.6	6.3	7.3	22.4	7.3	9.3	20.9	6.6	7.9
June	19.5	6.0	6.9	21.8	6.9	8.9	20.5	6.2	7.5
July	19.9	6.5	7.5	22.3	7.3	9.2	21.0	6.7	8.0
August	19.7	6.7	7.6	21.5	7.4	9.2	20.5	6.9	8.1
September	19.7	6.8	7.7	21.5	8.0	9.7	20.5	7.2	8.3
October	19.4	6.5	7.4	22.3	7.2	9.0	20.7	6.7	7.9
November	19.0	6.7	7.5	20.6	7.3	8.9	19.7	6.9	7.9
December	23.6	6.7	8.0	25.9	7.6	10.2	24.7	7.0	8.7
1987 —									
January	23.7	7.3	8.6	26.8	7.9	10.6	25.1	7.5	9.2
February	24.6	7.0	8.4	27.8	8.6	11.2	26.0	7.5	9.2
March	21.6	7.1	8.1	25.4	8.7	10.8	23.3	7.5	8.9
April	20.6	6.6	7.6	24.0	8.6	10.5	22.1	7.2	8.5
May	21.0	6.9	7.8	22.5	8.3	10.0	21.6	7.3	8.5
June	19.8	6.7	7.6	24.6	7.4	9.4	21.9	6.9	8.1
July	18.9	6.6	7.5	22.4	7.6	9.4	20.4	6.9	8.1
August	19.6	6.5	7.4	23.3	7.6	9.4	21.2	6.9	8.0
September	18.6	6.6	7.4	21.2	7.3	8.9	19.7	6.8	7.8
October	18.9	6.3	7.1	21.8	7.1	8.7	20.2	6.5	7.6
November	18.2	6.3	7.1	21.2	7.1	8.7	19.5	6.6	7.6
December	21.6	6.0	7.2	25.7	7.2	9.6	23.4	6.4	7.9
1988 —									
January	22.8	6.4	7.6	26.3	8.0	10.4	24.4	6.9	8.5
February	20.0	6.3	7.3	24.2	8.1	10.1	21.8	6.8	8.1
March	17.6	6.1	6.9	22.7	7.8	9.5	19.8	6.6	7.7
April	17.6	6.1	6.9	19.6	8.1	9.5	18.5	6.7	7.7
May	18.1	5.9	6.7	18.9	7.5	8.9	18.4	6.4	7.4
June	16.5	5.9	6.6	19.7	7.3	8.8	17.9	6.3	7.2
July	16.6	5.6	6.3	16.1	6.7	7.8	16.4	5.9	6.8
August	16.6	5.7	6.4	17.6	7.3	8.4	17.0	6.2	7.0
September	16.5	5.6	6.3	17.6	6.7	7.9	17.0	5.9	6.8
October	14.7	5.2	5.8	17.0	6.3	7.5	15.6	5.5	6.3
November	15.2	4.9	5.6	15.5	6.4	7.4	15.3	5.4	6.1
December	18.0	5.1	6.1	21.4	6.5	8.2	19.4	5.5	6.8
1989 —									
January	18.6	5.7	6.7	21.3	7.1	8.8	19.8	6.1	7.3
February	16.4	5.6	6.4	23.2	7.1	9.0	19.3	6.0	7.2
March	12.7	5.3	5.8	18.1	6.5	7.8	15.0	5.6	6.4
April	11.6	4.8	5.3	18.0	6.2	7.5	14.3	5.3	6.0
May	11.3	5.0	5.4	18.0	6.5	7.8	14.2	5.5	6.2
June	11.5	4.7	5.2	16.8	6.0	7.2	13.7	5.1	5.8
July	11.4	4.7	5.2	15.9	6.1	7.2	13.3	5.1	5.8
August	12.8	4.6	5.2	16.4	5.8	6.9	14.3	5.0	5.7
September	13.7	4.7	5.3	17.5	5.8	7.0	15.3	5.0	5.8
October	12.2	4.2	4.7	16.0	5.6	6.6	13.8	4.6	5.3
November	12.1	4.3	4.8	14.5	5.7	6.5	13.1	4.7	5.3
December	15.6	4.7	5.4	19.3	5.6	7.1	17.2	4.9	6.0
1990 —									
January	17.4	5.2	6.1	20.0	6.6	8.1	18.5	5.6	6.7
February	15.1	5.4	6.0	20.7	7.2	8.7	17.5	6.0	6.9
1990 —									
March	14.3	5.1	5.7	17.9	6.3	7.5	15.8	5.5	6.3
April	14.6	5.1	5.7	18.4	6.2	7.5	16.2	5.5	6.3
May	16.1	5.4	6.1	18.8	6.1	7.4	17.2	5.6	6.5
June	15.5	5.3	5.9	19.1	6.7	7.9	17.0	5.7	6.6
July	15.5	5.8	6.4	19.5	6.4	7.8	17.2	6.0	6.8
August	18.0	6.0	6.7	20.7	6.9	8.2	19.1	6.3	7.2
September	17.5	6.3	7.0	23.0	6.6	8.1	19.7	6.4	7.3
October	16.9	6.3	6.9	20.6	6.7	8.0	18.4	6.4	7.3
November	20.3	6.8	7.6	21.5	6.8	8.1	20.8	6.8	7.7
December	24.8	6.8	8.0	27.5	7.2	9.3	25.9	6.9	8.4
1991 —									
January	25.0	8.0	9.2	26.8	8.0	9.9	25.8	8.0	9.4
February	23.2	8.3	9.2	28.7	9.0	10.8	25.5	8.5	9.7
March	23.9	8.5	9.4	27.1	9.0	10.5	25.2	8.7	9.8
April	26.2	8.9	9.8	25.2	9.8	11.1	25.8	9.2	10.2
May	25.9	8.8	9.7	28.1	9.6	11.1	26.8	9.0	10.1
June	25.8	8.6	9.5	27.2	8.8	10.3	26.4	8.7	9.7
July	25.8	9.1	10.0	27.4	9.5	10.9	26.5	9.2	10.3
August	27.0	9.4	10.3	29.3	8.9	10.4	28.0	9.3	10.4
September	27.0	9.6	10.5	28.9	9.6	11.0	27.7	9.6	10.7
October	24.4	9.2	10.0	27.8	9.0	10.4	25.8	9.2	10.1
November	27.3	9.5	10.4	29.8	9.6	11.0	28.3	9.5	10.6
December	30.3	9.7	10.9	35.7	9.8	12.0	32.5	9.8	11.3
1992 —									
January	33.4	10.5	11.8	36.8	10.6	12.7	34.8	10.5	12.1
February	32.5	10.7	11.9	40.3	11.3	13.5	35.7	10.9	12.4

(a) Estimates for the period prior to April 1986 are based on the old definition. See paragraphs 14 and 15 of the Explanatory Notes.

TABLE 63. UNEMPLOYMENT RATES — PERSONS LOOKING FOR FULL-TIME WORK, SEASONALLY ADJUSTED
(per cent)

	Males			Females			Persons		
	Aged 15-19	Aged 20 and over	Total	Aged 15-19	Aged 20 and over	Total	Aged 15-19	Aged 20 and over	Total
1986 —									
January	20.8	6.0	7.1	22.6	7.5	9.5	21.6	6.4	7.8
February	20.7	6.3	7.3	22.1	7.8	9.7	21.4	6.7	8.1
March	21.5	6.1	7.2	22.2	7.6	9.5	21.8	6.5	7.9
April(a)	21.6	6.2	7.3	23.0	7.1	9.2	22.2	6.5	7.9
May	20.9	6.3	7.3	23.3	7.1	9.2	22.0	6.5	7.9
June	21.0	6.0	7.1	22.6	6.9	9.0	21.7	6.3	7.6
July	20.9	6.6	7.7	24.1	7.6	9.8	22.4	6.9	8.3
August	20.5	6.6	7.6	23.2	7.5	9.6	21.7	6.9	8.2
September	20.7	6.8	7.8	22.8	8.2	10.2	21.6	7.2	8.5
October	21.0	6.8	7.8	24.3	7.8	9.9	22.5	7.1	8.5
November	20.7	7.0	8.0	23.0	7.9	9.9	21.7	7.2	8.6
December	21.1	7.0	8.0	23.3	8.0	10.0	22.1	7.3	8.6
1987 —									
January	19.6	6.9	7.8	23.4	7.6	9.7	21.3	7.1	8.4
February	22.3	6.6	7.7	24.4	7.8	10.0	23.3	6.9	8.4
March	21.9	6.9	8.0	24.8	8.1	10.2	23.2	7.2	8.7
April	21.7	6.6	7.7	24.7	8.1	10.2	23.0	7.1	8.5
May	22.0	6.8	7.8	23.3	8.1	9.9	22.6	7.2	8.5
June	21.3	6.7	7.7	25.5	7.4	9.6	23.2	6.9	8.3
July	20.1	6.7	7.7	24.1	7.9	9.9	21.8	7.1	8.4
August	20.3	6.5	7.5	25.0	7.7	9.8	22.3	6.9	8.2
September	19.5	6.5	7.4	22.2	7.5	9.3	20.7	6.8	8.0
October	20.6	6.6	7.6	23.7	7.7	9.6	21.9	6.9	8.2
November	19.7	6.6	7.5	23.8	7.7	9.6	21.5	6.9	8.2
December	19.3	6.2	7.1	23.1	7.6	9.5	21.0	6.6	7.9
1988 —									
January	18.9	6.1	6.9	23.0	7.7	9.5	20.7	6.6	7.7
February	18.2	5.9	6.7	21.1	7.4	9.0	19.4	6.3	7.4
March	18.1	5.9	6.8	22.3	7.3	9.0	19.9	6.4	7.5
April	18.6	6.2	7.0	20.2	7.7	9.2	19.3	6.6	7.7
May	18.9	5.8	6.7	19.4	7.3	8.8	19.1	6.3	7.3
June	17.7	5.9	6.7	20.6	7.4	9.0	19.0	6.4	7.4
July	17.8	5.6	6.5	17.4	7.0	8.1	17.7	6.0	7.0
August	17.0	5.7	6.5	18.9	7.4	8.7	17.9	6.2	7.2
September	17.3	5.6	6.4	18.3	7.0	8.2	17.7	6.0	7.0
October	16.1	5.5	6.2	18.5	6.9	8.2	17.2	5.9	6.8
November	16.4	5.2	5.9	17.7	6.9	8.1	17.0	5.7	6.6
December	16.0	5.3	6.1	19.0	6.8	8.1	17.2	5.8	6.7
1989 —									
January	15.3	5.3	6.0	18.6	6.8	8.1	16.7	5.8	6.7
February	15.0	5.2	5.9	20.2	6.4	8.0	17.2	5.6	6.6
March	13.1	5.1	5.7	17.9	6.1	7.4	15.1	5.4	6.2
April	12.2	4.9	5.4	18.6	5.8	7.2	14.9	5.2	6.0
May	11.7	4.9	5.4	18.5	6.3	7.7	14.6	5.4	6.1
June	12.4	4.8	5.3	17.7	6.1	7.4	14.7	5.2	6.0
July	12.4	4.7	5.3	17.2	6.3	7.5	14.4	5.2	6.0
August	13.1	4.6	5.2	17.5	5.9	7.1	14.9	5.0	5.8
September	14.3	4.7	5.3	18.0	6.0	7.3	15.9	5.1	5.9
October	13.6	4.5	5.1	17.6	6.0	7.3	15.2	4.9	5.8
November	12.8	4.5	5.1	16.7	6.1	7.2	14.5	5.0	5.8
December	13.8	4.8	5.4	17.1	5.9	7.0	15.2	5.1	5.9
1990 —									
January	14.3	4.9	5.5	17.6	6.3	7.5	15.7	5.3	6.1
February	13.8	5.0	5.6	17.9	6.6	7.8	15.6	5.5	6.3
1990 —									
March	14.8	4.9	5.6	17.8	5.9	7.1	16.1	5.2	6.1
April	15.4	5.1	5.8	19.1	5.8	7.2	17.0	5.4	6.3
May	16.6	5.3	6.0	19.3	5.9	7.2	17.7	5.5	6.4
June	16.7	5.4	6.1	20.2	6.8	8.1	18.1	5.8	6.8
July	16.8	5.8	6.5	21.0	6.6	8.0	18.6	6.1	7.0
August	18.2	6.0	6.8	21.8	7.0	8.5	19.7	6.3	7.3
September	18.1	6.3	7.0	23.4	6.8	8.4	20.3	6.4	7.5
October	18.9	6.7	7.5	22.5	7.3	8.8	20.4	6.9	7.9
November	21.3	7.1	8.0	24.5	7.3	8.9	22.6	7.2	8.3
December	22.2	7.0	7.9	24.6	7.6	9.2	23.2	7.2	8.3
1991 —									
January	21.0	7.6	8.4	23.8	7.7	9.1	22.2	7.6	8.6
February	21.5	7.8	8.6	25.2	8.3	9.7	23.1	7.9	8.9
March	24.7	8.3	9.2	27.0	8.6	10.1	25.7	8.4	9.5
April	27.3	8.9	10.0	26.1	9.2	10.6	26.8	9.0	10.2
May	26.7	8.6	9.6	28.6	9.3	10.9	27.5	8.8	10.0
June	27.4	8.8	9.8	28.7	9.0	10.6	27.9	8.9	10.1
July	27.8	9.2	10.2	29.3	9.7	11.3	28.4	9.3	10.5
August	27.2	9.4	10.4	30.8	9.1	10.7	28.7	9.3	10.5
September	27.7	9.5	10.5	29.2	10.0	11.5	28.3	9.7	10.8
October	27.1	9.8	10.8	30.2	9.7	11.3	28.4	9.8	10.9
November	28.5	10.0	11.0	33.5	10.3	12.0	30.5	10.1	11.3
December	27.4	10.0	10.9	32.3	10.4	12.0	29.4	10.1	11.3
1992 —									
January	28.6	9.9	10.9	33.3	10.1	11.8	30.5	10.0	11.2
February	30.4	10.1	11.1	36.0	10.4	12.2	32.7	10.2	11.5

(a) Estimates for the period prior to April 1986 are based on the old definition. See paragraphs 14 and 15 of the Explanatory Notes.

TABLE 64. UNEMPLOYMENT RATES — PERSONS LOOKING FOR FULL-TIME WORK, TREND
(per cent)

	Males			Females			Persons		
	Aged 15-19	Aged 20 and over	Total	Aged 15-19	Aged 20 and over	Total	Aged 15-19	Aged 20 and over	Total
1986 —									
January	20.5	6.1	7.2	22.7	7.5	9.6	21.4	6.5	7.9
February	20.9	6.1	7.2	22.6	7.5	9.5	21.7	6.5	7.9
March	21.3	6.1	7.2	22.7	7.4	9.4	21.9	6.5	7.9
April(a)	21.2	6.1	7.2	22.6	7.2	9.3	21.8	6.5	7.9
May	21.1	6.2	7.3	22.9	7.2	9.3	21.9	6.5	7.9
June	21.0	6.3	7.4	23.2	7.3	9.4	22.0	6.6	8.0
July	20.9	6.4	7.5	23.3	7.4	9.5	22.0	6.7	8.1
August	20.8	6.6	7.6	23.4	7.6	9.7	22.0	6.9	8.3
September	20.7	6.8	7.8	23.4	7.8	9.8	21.9	7.1	8.4
October	20.7	6.9	7.9	23.4	7.9	9.9	21.9	7.2	8.5
November	20.7	6.9	7.9	23.5	7.9	9.9	21.9	7.2	8.5
December	20.9	6.9	7.9	23.6	7.9	9.9	22.1	7.2	8.5
1987 —									
January	21.1	6.9	7.9	23.8	7.9	10.0	22.3	7.2	8.5
February	21.4	6.8	7.9	24.1	7.9	10.0	22.6	7.1	8.5
March	21.7	6.8	7.8	24.3	8.0	10.0	22.8	7.1	8.5
April	21.7	6.7	7.8	24.5	8.0	10.0	23.0	7.1	8.5
May	21.5	6.7	7.8	24.6	7.9	10.0	22.9	7.1	8.4
June	21.2	6.7	7.7	24.5	7.8	9.9	22.6	7.0	8.4
July	20.7	6.7	7.7	24.3	7.8	9.8	22.3	7.0	8.3
August	20.3	6.6	7.6	24.1	7.7	9.7	22.0	7.0	8.2
September	20.1	6.6	7.5	23.8	7.7	9.6	21.7	6.9	8.2
October	19.8	6.5	7.4	23.6	7.6	9.6	21.5	6.9	8.1
November	19.5	6.4	7.3	23.3	7.6	9.5	21.2	6.8	8.0
December	19.2	6.3	7.2	23.0	7.6	9.4	20.9	6.7	7.9
1988 —									
January	18.9	6.2	7.0	22.6	7.6	9.3	20.5	6.6	7.8
February	18.6	6.1	6.9	22.0	7.5	9.2	20.1	6.5	7.6
March	18.4	6.0	6.8	21.3	7.5	9.1	19.7	6.4	7.5
April	18.3	5.9	6.8	20.6	7.4	9.0	19.3	6.4	7.5
May	18.2	5.9	6.7	19.9	7.4	8.8	19.0	6.3	7.4
June	18.0	5.8	6.7	19.3	7.3	8.7	18.6	6.3	7.3
July	17.7	5.7	6.6	18.9	7.2	8.6	18.2	6.2	7.2
August	17.3	5.6	6.4	18.5	7.1	8.4	17.8	6.1	7.1
September	17.0	5.5	6.3	18.3	7.0	8.3	17.5	6.0	6.9
October	16.6	5.4	6.2	18.3	7.0	8.3	17.4	5.9	6.9
November	16.3	5.4	6.1	18.5	6.9	8.2	17.2	5.8	6.8
December	15.8	5.3	6.0	18.7	6.8	8.1	17.0	5.8	6.7
1989 —									
January	15.1	5.3	5.9	18.9	6.6	8.0	16.7	5.7	6.6
February	14.3	5.2	5.8	18.9	6.4	7.8	16.2	5.6	6.4
March	13.4	5.1	5.7	18.8	6.3	7.7	15.7	5.5	6.3
April	12.7	5.0	5.5	18.5	6.2	7.5	15.1	5.4	6.2
May	12.3	4.9	5.4	18.2	6.1	7.4	14.8	5.3	6.1
June	12.3	4.8	5.3	17.9	6.1	7.4	14.7	5.2	6.0
July	12.6	4.7	5.3	17.7	6.1	7.3	14.7	5.1	5.9
August	13.0	4.6	5.2	17.5	6.0	7.3	14.9	5.1	5.9
September	13.3	4.6	5.2	17.4	6.0	7.2	15.0	5.0	5.8
October	13.5	4.6	5.2	17.3	6.0	7.2	15.1	5.0	5.8
November	13.6	4.6	5.2	17.2	6.1	7.2	15.1	5.1	5.9
December	13.7	4.7	5.3	17.3	6.1	7.3	15.2	5.2	5.9
1990 —									
January	13.9	4.8	5.4	17.4	6.1	7.3	15.4	5.2	6.0
February	14.3	4.9	5.5	17.7	6.1	7.3	15.8	5.3	6.1
1990 —									
March	14.9	5.0	5.7	18.2	6.1	7.3	16.3	5.4	6.2
April	15.5	5.1	5.8	18.8	6.1	7.4	16.9	5.5	6.3
May	16.1	5.3	6.0	19.5	6.2	7.6	17.5	5.6	6.5
June	16.6	5.5	6.2	20.3	6.4	7.8	18.1	5.8	6.7
July	17.2	5.8	6.5	21.1	6.6	8.1	18.8	6.0	7.0
August	17.9	6.0	6.8	21.9	6.8	8.3	19.6	6.3	7.3
September	18.7	6.3	7.1	22.7	7.0	8.5	20.3	6.5	7.6
October	19.4	6.6	7.4	23.3	7.2	8.7	21.0	6.8	7.8
November	20.2	6.9	7.7	23.8	7.3	8.9	21.7	7.0	8.1
December	21.1	7.2	8.1	24.3	7.6	9.1	22.4	7.3	8.4
1991 —									
January	22.1	7.6	8.4	24.8	7.9	9.4	23.2	7.7	8.7
February	23.2	7.9	8.8	25.4	8.3	9.8	24.1	8.0	9.1
March	24.5	8.2	9.2	26.2	8.6	10.1	25.2	8.4	9.5
April	25.7	8.5	9.5	27.1	8.9	10.4	26.3	8.6	9.8
May	26.7	8.8	9.8	27.9	9.1	10.7	27.2	8.9	10.0
June	27.4	9.0	10.0	28.7	9.3	10.8	27.9	9.1	10.3
July	27.7	9.2	10.2	29.3	9.4	11.0	28.3	9.3	10.4
August	27.6	9.4	10.4	29.8	9.5	11.1	28.5	9.4	10.6
September	27.5	9.6	10.6	30.4	9.7	11.3	28.7	9.6	10.8
October	27.7	9.8	10.7	31.1	9.9	11.5	29.1	9.8	11.0
November	27.9	9.9	10.8	31.9	10.1	11.7	29.5	10.0	11.1
December	28.3	10.0	10.9	32.9	10.2	11.9	30.1	10.1	11.3
1992 —									
January	28.7	10.0	11.0	33.8	10.3	12.0	30.8	10.1	11.3
February	29.2	10.1	11.1	34.7	10.4	12.2	31.4	10.2	11.4

(a) Estimates for the period prior to April 1986 are based on the old definition. See paragraphs 14 and 15 of the Explanatory Notes.

TABLE 65. CIVILIAN LABOUR FORCE: LABOUR FORCE STATUS, MALES, NEW SOUTH WALES

Month	Employed		Unemployed			Labour force	Unemp- loyment rate - per cent -	Partici- pation rate
	Full-time workers	Total	Looking for full- time work	Looking for part- time work - '000 -	Total			
1986 —								
January	1,353.4	1,429.5	124.9	10.8	135.7	1,565.2	8.7	75.5
February	1,355.9	1,432.1	128.9	10.2	139.1	1,571.2	8.9	75.7
March	1,360.9	1,446.6	119.6	11.0	130.6	1,577.2	8.3	75.9
April(a)	1,346.3	1,448.4	118.0	8.7	126.7	1,575.1	8.0	75.7
May	1,351.8	1,448.6	117.1	9.1	126.2	1,574.8	8.0	75.5
June	1,357.9	1,452.9	113.1	8.5	121.5	1,574.4	7.7	75.4
July	1,345.7	1,443.2	117.1	7.4	124.5	1,567.7	7.9	75.0
August	1,334.3	1,427.6	116.4	9.0	125.5	1,553.1	8.1	74.1
September	1,356.2	1,447.0	121.0	8.7	129.7	1,576.7	8.2	75.1
October	1,350.4	1,442.1	118.5	7.2	125.7	1,567.8	8.0	74.6
November	1,346.1	1,437.2	121.3	8.7	130.0	1,567.2	8.3	74.5
December	1,362.4	1,453.9	126.5	12.1	138.6	1,592.4	8.7	75.5
1987 —								
January	1,341.1	1,426.9	138.8	12.1	150.8	1,577.7	9.6	74.7
February	1,353.6	1,440.3	137.4	11.5	149.0	1,589.3	9.4	75.1
March	1,360.8	1,454.0	131.7	9.5	141.2	1,595.2	8.8	75.3
April	1,361.3	1,455.0	121.7	9.2	130.9	1,585.9	8.3	74.7
May	1,349.9	1,441.9	126.6	8.2	134.7	1,576.7	8.5	74.1
June	1,346.8	1,448.0	125.1	8.0	133.1	1,581.0	8.4	74.2
July	1,363.7	1,454.9	129.2	8.0	137.2	1,592.1	8.6	74.6
August	1,331.2	1,434.9	119.8	7.6	127.4	1,562.2	8.2	73.1
September	1,363.0	1,467.5	122.5	8.8	131.3	1,598.8	8.2	74.7
October	1,361.1	1,462.6	112.9	13.4	126.3	1,588.9	7.9	74.1
November	1,358.6	1,464.5	108.6	8.5	117.1	1,581.6	7.4	73.6
December	1,397.8	1,495.1	108.0	10.5	118.5	1,613.6	7.3	75.0
1988 —								
January	1,399.5	1,489.4	114.3	12.6	126.9	1,616.3	7.9	75.0
February	1,401.6	1,493.0	107.4	10.5	117.9	1,610.9	7.3	74.6
March	1,405.6	1,513.5	106.5	15.3	121.8	1,635.3	7.4	75.6
April	1,405.5	1,505.8	108.0	16.4	124.4	1,630.2	7.6	75.3
May	1,385.2	1,489.5	105.7	12.2	118.0	1,607.5	7.3	74.1
June	1,397.7	1,502.3	102.6	10.3	112.9	1,615.2	7.0	74.4
July	1,404.4	1,497.6	103.6	6.3	109.9	1,607.5	6.8	73.9
August	1,384.8	1,484.8	103.4	9.5	113.0	1,597.7	7.1	73.4
September	1,399.0	1,502.0	103.9	10.2	114.1	1,616.0	7.1	74.2
October	1,405.8	1,509.3	94.2	8.6	102.8	1,612.1	6.4	73.9
November	1,397.0	1,505.9	88.5	8.5	97.0	1,602.9	6.0	73.3
December	1,413.4	1,519.5	97.3	11.0	108.3	1,627.8	6.7	74.4
1989 —								
January	1,395.1	1,494.1	109.6	12.5	122.1	1,616.1	7.6	73.8
February	1,416.1	1,515.0	101.0	13.8	114.7	1,629.7	7.0	74.3
March	1,407.9	1,518.0	96.3	9.6	105.9	1,623.9	6.5	73.9
April	1,417.5	1,534.4	84.9	9.5	94.4	1,628.8	5.8	74.1
May	1,417.8	1,536.3	90.2	12.5	102.6	1,639.0	6.3	74.4
June	1,425.4	1,539.3	84.5	11.0	95.5	1,634.8	5.8	74.2
July	1,435.5	1,552.5	84.3	10.4	94.6	1,647.1	5.7	74.6
August	1,426.6	1,543.7	79.7	10.4	90.0	1,633.7	5.5	73.9
September	1,436.4	1,558.0	89.7	11.7	101.4	1,659.4	6.1	75.0
October	1,437.3	1,557.1	76.7	10.4	87.0	1,644.2	5.3	74.3
November	1,440.8	1,559.1	72.7	7.2	79.9	1,639.1	4.9	74.0
December	1,451.9	1,571.5	84.6	8.9	93.5	1,665.1	5.6	75.2
1990 —								
January	1,427.9	1,540.0	95.8	11.7	107.5	1,647.5	6.5	74.3
February	1,425.8	1,540.2	96.3	12.1	108.4	1,648.6	6.6	74.3
March	1,423.3	1,546.9	88.9	13.7	102.5	1,649.5	6.2	74.3
April	1,421.4	1,547.2	85.7	10.3	96.0	1,643.1	5.8	73.9
May	1,429.3	1,553.2	86.9	9.0	96.0	1,649.1	5.8	74.1
June	1,428.7	1,550.5	85.7	7.9	93.6	1,644.1	5.7	73.8
July	1,445.4	1,562.5	94.7	10.0	104.8	1,667.3	6.3	74.7
August	1,414.3	1,535.2	94.8	11.0	105.8	1,641.0	6.4	73.5
September	1,443.3	1,568.0	99.5	13.0	112.5	1,680.5	6.7	75.2
October	1,435.6	1,556.8	93.1	8.9	102.0	1,658.8	6.1	74.1
November	1,432.7	1,550.3	103.1	10.9	114.1	1,664.4	6.9	74.2
December	1,453.6	1,576.2	112.3	12.8	125.1	1,701.4	7.4	75.8
1991 —								
January	1,418.7	1,530.3	125.6	11.8	137.4	1,667.7	8.2	74.2
February	1,420.9	1,536.7	131.1	13.2	144.3	1,681.0	8.6	74.7
March	1,404.9	1,536.0	135.5	14.0	149.5	1,685.5	8.9	74.8
April	1,410.8	1,543.2	135.3	12.9	148.2	1,691.4	8.8	75.0
May	1,410.6	1,541.1	131.3	15.3	146.6	1,687.7	8.7	74.7
June	1,399.5	1,528.4	126.7	8.9	135.6	1,664.0	8.1	73.6
July	1,393.5	1,515.5	138.2	9.8	148.0	1,663.5	8.9	73.5
August	1,385.7	1,513.0	147.1	11.2	158.3	1,671.3	9.5	73.7
September	1,386.7	1,522.1	149.7	15.5	165.2	1,687.2	9.8	74.4
October	1,394.1	1,508.2	145.1	13.0	158.1	1,666.2	9.5	73.3
November	1,374.0	1,513.7	148.6	9.6	158.2	1,671.9	9.5	73.5
December	1,389.6	1,521.1	158.8	16.3	175.1	1,696.2	10.3	74.5
1992 —								
January	1,362.2	1,490.3	170.3	15.6	185.9	1,676.3	11.1	73.5
February	1,368.8	1,505.9	171.9	15.1	187.0	1,692.8	11.0	74.2

(a) Estimates for the period prior to April 1986 are based on the old definition. See paragraphs 14 and 15 of the Explanatory Notes.

TABLE 66. CIVILIAN LABOUR FORCE: LABOUR FORCE STATUS, MALES, NEW SOUTH WALES
SEASONALLY ADJUSTED AND TREND

Month	Seasonally Adjusted Series					Trend Series				
	Employed	Unemployed	Labour force	Unemployment rate	Participation rate	Employed	Unemployed	Labour force	Unemployment rate	Participation rate
	-'000 -			- per cent -		-'000 -			- per cent -	
1986 —										
January	1,440.5	123.6	1,564.1	7.9	75.5	1,435.7	124.4	1,560.1	8.0	75.3
February	1,433.5	128.4	1,561.9	8.2	75.3	1,437.5	125.5	1,563.1	8.0	75.3
March	1,438.1	125.1	1,563.2	8.0	75.2	1,439.5	126.6	1,566.1	8.1	75.3
April(a)	1,443.8	129.1	1,572.9	8.2	75.6	1,445.2	126.2	1,571.4	8.0	75.5
May	1,447.5	125.9	1,573.4	8.0	75.5	1,446.5	126.4	1,572.9	8.0	75.5
June	1,452.9	125.3	1,578.3	7.9	75.6	1,446.9	126.7	1,573.7	8.1	75.4
July	1,444.1	127.8	1,571.9	8.1	75.2	1,446.2	127.6	1,573.8	8.1	75.3
August	1,443.6	128.5	1,572.1	8.2	75.1	1,444.6	129.3	1,573.9	8.2	75.1
September	1,441.5	130.5	1,572.0	8.3	74.9	1,442.5	131.7	1,574.2	8.4	75.0
October	1,442.0	133.8	1,575.8	8.5	75.0	1,440.6	134.3	1,574.9	8.5	74.9
November	1,437.5	138.9	1,576.4	8.8	74.9	1,439.9	136.4	1,576.3	8.7	74.9
December	1,442.6	138.6	1,581.3	8.8	75.0	1,440.3	137.5	1,577.8	8.7	74.8
1987 —										
January	1,437.8	137.8	1,575.6	8.7	74.6	1,441.4	137.4	1,578.8	8.7	74.7
February	1,442.5	137.3	1,579.9	8.7	74.7	1,442.8	136.8	1,579.6	8.7	74.7
March	1,447.2	134.8	1,582.1	8.5	74.6	1,444.2	136.1	1,580.3	8.6	74.6
April	1,450.2	133.1	1,583.2	8.4	74.6	1,445.6	135.7	1,581.3	8.6	74.5
May	1,441.2	134.4	1,575.7	8.5	74.1	1,447.2	135.7	1,582.8	8.6	74.4
June	1,447.9	137.7	1,585.6	8.7	74.4	1,448.8	136.0	1,584.7	8.6	74.4
July	1,454.8	140.6	1,595.4	8.8	74.8	1,450.6	135.9	1,586.5	8.6	74.4
August	1,450.4	130.3	1,580.7	8.2	74.0	1,453.4	135.1	1,588.5	8.5	74.3
September	1,462.2	131.5	1,593.8	8.3	74.5	1,457.9	132.8	1,590.8	8.4	74.3
October	1,461.6	135.1	1,596.7	8.5	74.5	1,464.6	129.0	1,593.6	8.1	74.3
November	1,464.5	125.2	1,589.7	7.9	74.0	1,473.4	124.4	1,597.8	7.8	74.4
December	1,482.3	118.8	1,601.0	7.4	74.4	1,483.0	120.2	1,603.2	7.5	74.5
1988 —										
January	1,501.9	116.2	1,618.1	7.2	75.1	1,491.7	117.5	1,609.2	7.3	74.7
February	1,496.0	108.6	1,604.6	6.8	74.3	1,498.0	116.3	1,614.3	7.2	74.8
March	1,509.3	116.1	1,625.4	7.1	75.2	1,501.0	116.4	1,617.4	7.2	74.8
April	1,500.6	126.2	1,626.8	7.8	75.1	1,501.0	117.2	1,618.3	7.2	74.7
May	1,488.6	117.6	1,606.2	7.3	74.1	1,499.3	118.0	1,617.2	7.3	74.6
June	1,502.5	117.3	1,619.8	7.2	74.6	1,497.7	117.6	1,615.4	7.3	74.4
July	1,496.0	112.5	1,608.5	7.0	74.0	1,497.7	116.0	1,613.7	7.2	74.2
August	1,499.6	115.6	1,615.2	7.2	74.2	1,498.7	113.8	1,612.5	7.1	74.1
September	1,496.4	113.9	1,610.3	7.1	73.9	1,500.5	111.8	1,612.3	6.9	74.0
October	1,508.4	110.3	1,618.7	6.8	74.2	1,502.6	110.5	1,613.1	6.8	73.9
November	1,505.4	103.7	1,609.1	6.4	73.6	1,504.6	109.4	1,614.0	6.8	73.9
December	1,505.2	108.6	1,613.8	6.7	73.7	1,507.2	108.0	1,615.2	6.7	73.8
1989 —										
January	1,507.4	112.0	1,619.3	6.9	73.9	1,510.7	106.3	1,617.0	6.6	73.8
February	1,519.2	105.3	1,624.4	6.5	74.0	1,515.0	104.6	1,619.6	6.5	73.8
March	1,516.2	100.9	1,617.1	6.2	73.6	1,520.7	102.7	1,623.4	6.3	73.9
April	1,529.6	95.5	1,625.2	5.9	73.9	1,527.6	100.7	1,628.3	6.2	74.0
May	1,534.7	102.3	1,637.0	6.2	74.3	1,535.0	99.1	1,634.2	6.1	74.2
June	1,539.9	99.6	1,639.5	6.1	74.4	1,542.0	98.0	1,640.0	6.0	74.4
July	1,549.7	96.6	1,646.3	5.9	74.6	1,547.9	97.1	1,645.0	5.9	74.5
August	1,557.5	92.2	1,649.7	5.6	74.7	1,552.6	95.8	1,648.4	5.8	74.6
September	1,552.2	101.2	1,653.3	6.1	74.8	1,555.7	94.3	1,650.1	5.7	74.6
October	1,555.9	93.6	1,649.5	5.7	74.5	1,557.0	93.4	1,650.3	5.7	74.6
November	1,558.2	85.5	1,643.7	5.2	74.2	1,556.5	93.4	1,649.8	5.7	74.5
December	1,556.1	93.8	1,649.8	5.7	74.5	1,554.4	94.2	1,648.7	5.7	74.4
1990 —										
January	1,554.6	98.7	1,653.3	6.0	74.6	1,551.6	95.3	1,646.9	5.8	74.3
February	1,544.9	99.2	1,644.1	6.0	74.1	1,549.2	96.2	1,645.4	5.8	74.2
March	1,547.2	97.7	1,644.9	5.9	74.1	1,547.6	97.0	1,644.6	5.9	74.1
April	1,542.9	97.0	1,639.8	5.9	73.8	1,547.4	97.8	1,645.3	5.9	74.0
May	1,550.6	95.7	1,646.3	5.8	74.0	1,548.9	98.8	1,647.8	6.0	74.0
June	1,551.8	98.1	1,649.9	5.9	74.1	1,551.2	100.6	1,651.8	6.1	74.1
July	1,559.0	106.7	1,665.7	6.4	74.7	1,553.6	103.4	1,657.0	6.2	74.3
August	1,547.3	108.5	1,655.9	6.6	74.2	1,555.4	107.1	1,662.5	6.4	74.5
September	1,562.0	112.0	1,674.0	6.7	74.9	1,556.3	111.0	1,667.3	6.7	74.6
October	1,556.1	109.6	1,665.7	6.6	74.4	1,555.8	114.9	1,670.7	6.9	74.6
November	1,548.7	122.2	1,670.9	7.3	74.5	1,554.0	119.0	1,673.1	7.1	74.6
December	1,560.6	125.5	1,686.1	7.4	75.1	1,551.3	123.9	1,675.2	7.4	74.6
1991 —										
January	1,545.0	126.3	1,671.3	7.6	74.3	1,548.2	129.4	1,677.6	7.7	74.6
February	1,541.8	131.9	1,673.8	7.9	74.4	1,544.7	134.7	1,679.5	8.0	74.6
March	1,537.6	142.2	1,679.8	8.5	74.5	1,540.8	139.2	1,680.1	8.3	74.5
April	1,539.4	149.5	1,688.9	8.9	74.8	1,536.9	142.9	1,679.8	8.5	74.4
May	1,537.9	146.1	1,684.0	8.7	74.5	1,532.5	146.3	1,678.7	8.7	74.3
June	1,530.0	142.7	1,672.7	8.5	73.9	1,527.8	149.8	1,677.7	8.9	74.2
July	1,511.8	150.8	1,662.6	9.1	73.4	1,523.2	153.9	1,677.1	9.2	74.1
August	1,524.1	162.2	1,686.3	9.6	74.4	1,518.4	158.7	1,677.1	9.5	74.0
September	1,516.2	164.2	1,680.4	9.8	74.1	1,514.4	163.6	1,678.0	9.7	74.0
October	1,507.7	170.2	1,677.9	10.1	73.9	1,511.6	167.8	1,679.4	10.0	73.9
November	1,512.0	169.7	1,681.7	10.1	73.9	1,509.7	170.5	1,680.3	10.1	73.9
December	1,505.9	175.4	1,681.3	10.4	73.8	1,508.2	172.1	1,680.3	10.2	73.8
1992 —										
January	1,504.8	170.9	1,675.7	10.2	73.5	1,507.3	172.9	1,680.3	10.3	73.7
February	1,511.1	170.9	1,682.0	10.2	73.7	1,506.2	173.0	1,679.2	10.3	73.6

(a) Estimates for the period prior to April 1986 are based on the old definition. See paragraphs 14 and 15 of the Explanatory Notes.

TABLE 67. CIVILIAN LABOUR FORCE: LABOUR FORCE STATUS, FEMALES, NEW SOUTH WALES

Month	Employed		Unemployed			Labour force	Unemp- loyment rate - per cent -	Partici- pation rate
	Full-time workers	Total	Looking for full- time work	Looking for part- time work -'000-	Total			
1986 —								
January	590.1	876.0	74.8	18.2	93.0	969.0	9.6	45.2
February	611.1	907.7	79.0	24.2	103.2	1,010.9	10.2	47.1
March	604.4	923.6	71.2	28.3	99.5	1,023.1	9.7	47.6
April(a)	600.7	934.9	68.1	25.1	93.2	1,028.1	9.1	47.8
May	598.1	922.2	60.2	25.1	85.3	1,007.5	8.5	46.8
June	593.7	925.3	59.0	25.1	84.1	1,009.4	8.3	46.8
July	589.2	928.5	64.7	22.9	87.5	1,016.1	8.6	47.0
August	581.7	911.6	62.5	23.5	86.1	997.7	8.6	46.1
September	588.8	919.6	66.7	28.2	95.0	1,014.5	9.4	46.8
October	583.3	925.9	62.5	22.9	85.4	1,011.3	8.4	46.6
November	587.1	934.3	58.6	20.4	79.0	1,013.3	7.8	46.6
December	601.8	947.2	63.8	21.2	85.0	1,032.2	8.2	47.4
1987 —								
January	592.8	898.4	72.6	23.4	96.0	994.4	9.7	45.5
February	586.3	923.6	75.8	25.2	101.0	1,024.6	9.9	46.8
March	599.0	952.2	74.4	34.4	108.7	1,060.9	10.3	48.4
April	598.1	942.3	71.9	30.7	102.7	1,044.9	9.8	47.6
May	596.4	948.0	69.2	26.9	96.1	1,044.1	9.2	47.5
June	598.9	955.9	66.2	23.1	89.2	1,045.1	8.5	47.5
July	609.7	964.4	69.4	21.9	91.3	1,055.7	8.6	47.9
August	590.3	943.4	64.2	25.5	89.7	1,033.1	8.7	46.8
September	613.9	974.6	65.8	24.3	90.1	1,064.7	8.5	48.1
October	629.9	971.4	66.0	22.7	88.7	1,060.1	8.4	47.8
November	621.9	970.0	65.3	23.0	88.2	1,058.2	8.3	47.7
December	648.1	1,000.1	71.0	19.2	90.2	1,090.3	8.3	49.0
1988 —								
January	653.4	977.6	71.1	17.8	88.9	1,066.5	8.3	47.9
February	649.1	995.1	65.3	27.5	92.8	1,087.9	8.5	48.8
March	662.9	1,027.1	60.8	34.0	94.8	1,122.0	8.5	50.2
April	647.8	1,019.8	64.2	32.9	97.1	1,116.9	8.7	49.9
May	641.3	1,006.7	60.2	26.5	86.7	1,093.4	7.9	48.8
June	636.1	1,007.6	59.5	23.2	82.7	1,090.4	7.6	48.6
July	648.8	1,013.8	52.9	18.0	70.9	1,084.7	6.5	48.3
August	639.6	1,011.6	54.2	22.8	77.0	1,088.6	7.1	48.4
September	649.9	1,029.4	51.5	29.3	80.9	1,110.3	7.3	49.3
October	656.0	1,024.0	52.7	21.4	74.1	1,098.1	6.7	48.7
November	647.4	1,021.6	53.5	21.3	74.8	1,096.3	6.8	48.6
December	665.0	1,028.2	58.8	23.8	82.6	1,110.8	7.4	49.1
1989 —								
January	660.4	994.3	60.1	24.9	85.0	1,079.3	7.9	47.7
February	664.9	1,024.6	57.9	25.4	83.3	1,107.9	7.5	48.9
March	662.4	1,036.5	53.9	33.6	87.5	1,124.0	7.8	49.5
April	661.8	1,036.3	55.1	27.2	82.3	1,118.7	7.4	49.2
May	664.8	1,050.1	59.1	24.6	83.6	1,133.7	7.4	49.8
June	665.7	1,044.5	51.4	20.7	72.1	1,116.6	6.5	49.0
July	666.8	1,052.4	56.0	22.0	78.0	1,130.3	6.9	49.6
August	654.0	1,036.9	50.2	23.5	73.7	1,110.6	6.6	48.7
September	667.1	1,070.0	46.5	26.6	73.1	1,143.1	6.4	50.1
October	664.3	1,056.3	41.6	23.2	64.8	1,121.1	5.8	49.1
November	665.5	1,073.9	45.0	19.9	64.9	1,138.8	5.7	49.8
December	679.8	1,081.5	49.9	18.7	68.6	1,150.1	6.0	50.3
1990 —								
January	653.6	1,017.8	60.7	17.3	78.0	1,095.8	7.1	47.9
February	657.5	1,045.6	63.9	26.2	90.1	1,135.7	7.9	49.6
March	669.1	1,075.5	49.3	29.5	78.8	1,154.3	6.8	50.4
April	651.5	1,066.4	51.0	24.9	75.9	1,142.3	6.6	49.8
May	666.1	1,080.3	53.0	25.7	78.7	1,159.0	6.8	50.5
June	671.1	1,083.3	52.6	24.3	76.9	1,160.3	6.6	50.5
July	689.7	1,087.4	52.6	24.1	76.7	1,164.1	6.6	50.6
August	666.0	1,065.7	48.7	23.7	72.4	1,138.1	6.4	49.4
September	672.5	1,082.4	53.3	28.1	81.5	1,163.8	7.0	50.5
October	658.4	1,065.2	48.4	24.7	73.1	1,138.4	6.4	49.3
November	664.8	1,079.9	49.0	23.7	72.7	1,152.6	6.3	49.8
December	692.3	1,098.3	57.0	27.2	84.2	1,182.5	7.1	51.1
1991 —								
January	689.5	1,040.8	65.8	25.0	90.8	1,131.6	8.0	48.8
February	663.6	1,063.3	65.1	33.8	98.9	1,162.2	8.5	50.1
March	654.9	1,074.8	64.7	36.3	101.0	1,175.8	8.6	50.6
April	668.8	1,085.2	64.9	32.4	97.3	1,182.5	8.2	50.8
May	670.4	1,091.4	67.9	26.8	94.7	1,186.1	8.0	50.9
June	666.2	1,075.0	65.1	23.2	88.3	1,163.3	7.6	49.9
July	654.1	1,059.2	70.2	25.7	95.9	1,155.1	8.3	49.5
August	662.2	1,069.1	69.5	27.6	97.1	1,166.2	8.3	49.9
September	667.7	1,082.4	80.3	35.4	115.6	1,198.0	9.7	51.2
October	673.0	1,062.1	69.1	28.7	97.8	1,159.9	8.4	49.5
November	638.5	1,063.1	80.2	26.6	106.8	1,170.0	9.1	49.9
December	665.7	1,083.6	88.9	30.3	119.2	1,202.8	9.9	51.2
1992 —								
January	664.7	1,045.2	88.9	27.9	116.8	1,162.0	10.1	49.4
February	671.0	1,067.5	90.7	34.7	125.4	1,192.9	10.5	50.7

(a) Estimates for the period prior to April 1986 are based on the old definition. See paragraphs 14 and 15 of the Explanatory Notes.

TABLE 68. CIVILIAN LABOUR FORCE: LABOUR FORCE STATUS, FEMALES, NEW SOUTH WALES
SEASONALLY ADJUSTED AND TREND

Month	Seasonally Adjusted Series					Trend Series				
	Employed	Unemployed - '000 -	Labour force	Unemp- loyment rate - per cent -	Partici- pation rate	Employed	Unemployed - '000 -	Labour force	Unemp- loyment rate - per cent -	Partici- pation rate
1986 —										
January	907.7	89.9	997.6	9.0	46.6	909.2	88.5	997.7	8.9	46.6
February	915.2	91.0	1,006.2	9.0	46.9	912.8	89.2	1,002.0	8.9	46.7
March	912.5	87.9	1,000.4	8.8	46.6	915.5	89.3	1,004.8	8.9	46.8
April(a)	933.8	89.5	1,023.2	8.7	47.6	925.3	88.5	1,013.8	8.7	47.1
May	918.5	85.7	1,004.2	8.5	46.6	925.0	88.8	1,013.8	8.8	47.0
June	924.7	88.0	1,012.7	8.7	46.9	923.5	90.0	1,013.4	8.9	47.0
July	925.3	93.2	1,018.5	9.2	47.1	921.6	91.1	1,012.7	9.0	46.9
August	921.8	92.7	1,014.5	9.1	46.9	920.7	91.7	1,012.5	9.1	46.8
September	909.5	94.8	1,004.3	9.4	46.3	921.2	91.5	1,012.6	9.0	46.7
October	926.9	90.7	1,017.6	8.9	46.8	923.0	90.5	1,013.5	8.9	46.7
November	926.9	87.4	1,014.3	8.6	46.6	925.8	89.6	1,015.5	8.8	46.7
December	933.5	85.4	1,019.0	8.4	46.8	928.9	89.6	1,018.5	8.8	46.7
1987 —										
January	930.8	92.3	1,023.1	9.0	46.9	932.1	90.6	1,022.7	8.9	46.8
February	931.8	90.8	1,022.6	8.9	46.8	935.2	92.4	1,027.7	9.0	47.0
March	941.2	96.9	1,038.1	9.3	47.4	938.6	94.4	1,033.0	9.1	47.1
April	940.9	98.1	1,039.0	9.4	47.3	942.3	95.7	1,038.0	9.2	47.3
May	943.5	95.6	1,039.1	9.2	47.3	946.9	95.9	1,042.8	9.2	47.4
June	955.0	93.4	1,048.4	8.9	47.6	951.4	95.5	1,046.9	9.1	47.5
July	960.7	95.4	1,056.1	9.0	47.9	955.1	95.0	1,050.1	9.0	47.6
August	953.4	95.6	1,049.1	9.1	47.5	958.5	94.7	1,053.3	9.0	47.7
September	964.1	90.0	1,054.1	8.5	47.7	962.9	94.5	1,057.4	8.9	47.8
October	973.3	95.3	1,068.6	8.9	48.2	969.1	93.7	1,062.9	8.8	48.0
November	963.1	97.6	1,060.7	9.2	47.8	977.9	92.3	1,070.2	8.6	48.2
December	985.3	91.1	1,076.4	8.5	48.4	988.4	90.5	1,078.9	8.4	48.5
1988 —										
January	1,012.5	85.1	1,097.7	7.8	49.3	998.8	89.0	1,087.8	8.2	48.8
February	1,004.2	84.7	1,088.9	7.8	48.8	1,006.5	87.9	1,094.4	8.0	49.1
March	1,016.0	85.1	1,101.0	7.7	49.3	1,010.5	87.0	1,097.5	7.9	49.1
April	1,017.7	92.7	1,110.4	8.3	49.6	1,011.5	86.0	1,097.6	7.8	49.1
May	1,001.5	85.1	1,086.6	7.8	48.5	1,011.1	84.8	1,096.0	7.7	48.9
June	1,006.6	87.0	1,093.5	8.0	48.7	1,011.3	83.2	1,094.5	7.6	48.8
July	1,009.5	73.1	1,082.6	6.7	48.2	1,013.0	81.5	1,094.5	7.4	48.7
August	1,022.0	81.6	1,103.5	7.4	49.1	1,015.2	80.5	1,095.7	7.3	48.7
September	1,018.5	80.6	1,099.1	7.3	48.8	1,017.5	80.4	1,097.8	7.3	48.8
October	1,026.6	80.8	1,107.3	7.3	49.1	1,019.5	80.9	1,100.4	7.4	48.8
November	1,015.2	82.6	1,097.8	7.5	48.6	1,020.8	81.4	1,102.2	7.4	48.8
December	1,012.8	83.4	1,096.2	7.6	48.5	1,022.0	81.4	1,103.4	7.4	48.8
1989 —										
January	1,028.9	81.4	1,110.3	7.3	49.1	1,024.2	80.8	1,104.9	7.3	48.8
February	1,034.5	76.5	1,111.1	6.9	49.0	1,027.6	79.8	1,107.4	7.2	48.9
March	1,025.9	79.0	1,104.9	7.2	48.7	1,031.8	79.2	1,111.0	7.1	49.0
April	1,033.7	78.6	1,112.4	7.1	49.0	1,035.9	78.9	1,114.8	7.1	49.1
May	1,044.4	81.3	1,125.7	7.2	49.5	1,039.7	78.8	1,118.5	7.0	49.2
June	1,043.2	75.6	1,118.7	6.8	49.1	1,043.3	78.5	1,121.8	7.0	49.3
July	1,047.3	79.7	1,127.0	7.1	49.5	1,047.7	77.5	1,125.2	6.9	49.4
August	1,047.4	78.2	1,125.6	7.0	49.4	1,052.6	75.7	1,128.4	6.7	49.5
September	1,058.9	72.5	1,131.4	6.4	49.6	1,056.8	73.9	1,130.7	6.5	49.5
October	1,059.0	71.6	1,130.6	6.3	49.5	1,059.6	72.7	1,132.3	6.4	49.6
November	1,068.1	71.7	1,139.8	6.3	49.9	1,060.9	72.5	1,133.4	6.4	49.6
December	1,065.3	69.1	1,134.4	6.1	49.6	1,060.8	72.8	1,133.7	6.4	49.6
1990 —										
January	1,052.5	74.8	1,127.3	6.6	49.3	1,060.2	73.6	1,133.8	6.5	49.6
February	1,056.2	83.0	1,139.2	7.3	49.8	1,060.7	74.6	1,135.3	6.6	49.6
March	1,065.2	71.5	1,136.7	6.3	49.6	1,063.3	75.4	1,138.7	6.6	49.7
April	1,063.2	72.6	1,135.8	6.4	49.5	1,067.8	76.0	1,143.8	6.6	49.9
May	1,074.1	76.0	1,150.1	6.6	50.1	1,072.7	76.5	1,149.2	6.7	50.0
June	1,081.8	80.7	1,162.5	6.9	50.6	1,076.1	77.1	1,153.2	6.7	50.2
July	1,081.7	78.1	1,159.8	6.7	50.4	1,077.2	77.9	1,155.1	6.7	50.2
August	1,076.3	76.9	1,153.1	6.7	50.1	1,076.5	78.8	1,155.3	6.8	50.1
September	1,071.4	80.3	1,151.7	7.0	49.9	1,075.6	79.7	1,155.2	6.9	50.1
October	1,068.2	81.6	1,149.8	7.1	49.8	1,074.7	80.7	1,155.4	7.0	50.0
November	1,075.2	80.1	1,155.3	6.9	50.0	1,074.1	82.4	1,156.5	7.1	50.0
December	1,081.7	84.6	1,166.3	7.3	50.4	1,074.2	84.8	1,159.0	7.3	50.1
1991 —										
January	1,075.5	87.2	1,162.7	7.5	50.2	1,075.3	87.3	1,162.5	7.5	50.1
February	1,074.5	91.0	1,165.5	7.8	50.2	1,076.0	89.2	1,165.3	7.7	50.2
March	1,065.1	91.9	1,157.0	7.9	49.8	1,076.0	90.6	1,166.5	7.8	50.2
April	1,081.6	93.3	1,174.8	7.9	50.5	1,075.3	91.7	1,167.0	7.9	50.2
May	1,084.5	91.1	1,175.6	7.8	50.5	1,074.4	93.1	1,167.5	8.0	50.1
June	1,073.6	92.7	1,166.3	7.9	50.0	1,073.3	95.4	1,168.7	8.2	50.1
July	1,053.7	97.4	1,151.2	8.5	49.3	1,071.3	99.1	1,170.4	8.5	50.1
August	1,079.1	103.0	1,182.1	8.7	50.6	1,068.7	103.8	1,172.5	8.9	50.2
September	1,071.3	113.5	1,184.8	9.6	50.6	1,066.9	108.6	1,175.5	9.2	50.2
October	1,065.6	109.7	1,175.3	9.3	50.2	1,066.8	112.4	1,179.1	9.5	50.3
November	1,059.3	118.0	1,177.2	10.0	50.2	1,068.2	114.8	1,182.9	9.7	50.4
December	1,066.9	119.9	1,186.8	10.1	50.5	1,070.1	116.1	1,186.2	9.8	50.5
1992 —										
January	1,079.5	112.0	1,191.5	9.4	50.7	1,072.6	116.8	1,189.4	9.8	50.6
February	1,078.9	115.4	1,194.2	9.7	50.7	1,074.1	116.8	1,190.9	9.8	50.6

(a) Estimates for the period prior to April 1986 are based on the old definition. See paragraphs 14 and 15 of the Explanatory Notes.

TABLE 71. CIVILIAN LABOUR FORCE: LABOUR FORCE STATUS, MALES, VICTORIA

Month	Employed		Unemployed			Labour force	Unemployment rate - per cent -	Participation rate
	Full-time workers	Total	Looking for full-time work	Looking for part-time work -'000-	Total			
1986 —								
January	1,043.8	1,099.1	65.4	10.2	75.6	1,174.6	6.4	75.2
February	1,048.1	1,108.6	66.1	6.8	72.9	1,181.4	6.2	75.5
March	1,042.6	1,117.7	58.0	12.9	70.9	1,188.5	6.0	75.8
April(a)	1,028.4	1,106.5	60.5	11.3	71.7	1,178.3	6.1	75.1
May	1,040.3	1,113.2	54.6	6.3	61.0	1,174.2	5.2	74.7
June	1,048.2	1,120.7	50.8	6.5	57.2	1,177.9	4.9	74.9
July	1,041.1	1,109.2	62.0	6.4	68.4	1,177.6	5.8	74.7
August	1,035.7	1,106.0	65.9	8.2	74.1	1,180.1	6.3	74.8
September	1,052.6	1,127.6	70.3	7.7	78.0	1,205.6	6.5	76.3
October	1,051.2	1,126.9	62.4	6.4	68.9	1,195.7	5.8	75.6
November	1,045.6	1,119.1	63.7	6.4	70.1	1,189.2	5.9	75.0
December	1,060.5	1,139.7	71.9	10.6	82.5	1,222.2	6.8	77.0
1987 —								
January	1,049.7	1,121.9	72.5	6.1	78.6	1,200.5	6.5	75.5
February	1,061.1	1,134.3	69.2	7.3	76.5	1,210.8	6.3	76.0
March	1,067.7	1,152.6	65.3	8.3	73.6	1,226.3	6.0	76.9
April	1,056.4	1,140.0	61.3	7.2	68.5	1,208.5	5.7	75.6
May	1,063.4	1,144.7	63.6	8.0	71.6	1,216.3	5.9	76.0
June	1,069.9	1,150.5	60.7	6.6	67.3	1,217.8	5.5	76.0
July	1,079.8	1,156.4	58.1	5.4	63.5	1,220.0	5.2	76.0
August	1,071.8	1,150.9	56.3	8.1	64.4	1,215.3	5.3	75.6
September	1,060.1	1,139.5	56.1	7.2	63.3	1,202.9	5.3	74.8
October	1,068.1	1,139.2	57.9	8.4	66.3	1,205.5	5.5	74.8
November	1,056.9	1,136.0	56.1	7.9	64.0	1,200.0	5.3	74.4
December	1,080.4	1,167.0	60.7	12.7	73.4	1,240.4	5.9	76.7
1988 —								
January	1,075.8	1,153.2	63.4	9.6	73.0	1,226.2	6.0	75.7
February	1,081.4	1,157.2	61.1	10.3	71.5	1,228.6	5.8	75.8
March	1,084.3	1,166.1	58.2	8.5	66.8	1,232.9	5.4	75.9
April	1,083.5	1,169.4	57.9	12.4	70.3	1,239.7	5.7	76.2
May	1,077.2	1,159.0	57.6	9.5	67.1	1,226.0	5.5	75.3
June	1,082.1	1,162.4	53.5	7.3	60.8	1,223.2	5.0	75.0
July	1,077.6	1,162.0	52.4	4.3	56.7	1,218.7	4.7	74.6
August	1,067.1	1,142.8	50.8	6.3	57.1	1,199.9	4.8	73.4
September	1,085.2	1,167.8	50.8	5.3	56.1	1,224.0	4.6	74.8
October	1,088.1	1,161.4	50.0	8.4	58.4	1,219.8	4.8	74.4
November	1,079.9	1,163.8	44.2	6.3	50.5	1,214.3	4.2	74.0
December	1,103.7	1,185.5	51.2	12.5	63.7	1,249.3	5.1	76.0
1989 —								
January	1,080.7	1,157.8	53.7	10.7	64.4	1,222.3	5.3	74.2
February	1,107.3	1,185.4	56.6	11.1	67.7	1,253.1	5.4	76.0
March	1,104.2	1,191.3	49.4	10.0	59.3	1,250.6	4.7	75.7
April	1,118.3	1,203.6	43.7	11.4	55.0	1,258.6	4.4	76.1
May	1,120.6	1,208.3	43.7	7.2	51.0	1,259.2	4.0	76.0
June	1,115.2	1,206.8	35.9	7.4	43.2	1,250.0	3.5	75.4
July	1,114.1	1,206.9	38.2	10.4	48.6	1,255.5	3.9	75.6
August	1,108.2	1,197.8	42.5	7.2	49.7	1,247.5	4.0	75.0
September	1,109.5	1,210.0	44.8	10.3	55.0	1,265.0	4.4	76.0
October	1,123.3	1,211.8	39.3	5.9	45.2	1,257.0	3.6	75.4
November	1,119.8	1,212.2	39.5	6.8	46.3	1,258.5	3.7	75.5
December	1,119.9	1,218.4	49.0	6.4	55.3	1,273.8	4.3	76.3
1990 —								
January	1,109.8	1,201.5	44.1	10.3	54.3	1,255.9	4.3	75.1
February	1,117.7	1,215.3	53.3	6.4	59.6	1,274.9	4.7	76.2
March	1,110.5	1,218.8	45.8	7.2	53.1	1,271.8	4.2	75.9
April	1,116.5	1,229.9	47.7	9.7	57.4	1,287.3	4.5	76.7
May	1,111.1	1,220.0	52.8	10.4	63.2	1,283.2	4.9	76.4
June	1,118.8	1,222.0	50.9	6.5	57.4	1,279.3	4.5	76.1
July	1,113.2	1,217.7	63.3	9.4	72.7	1,290.4	5.6	76.6
August	1,102.8	1,200.2	65.9	7.7	73.6	1,273.8	5.8	75.5
September	1,100.7	1,198.0	74.2	13.6	87.8	1,285.8	6.8	76.1
October	1,098.1	1,193.9	75.6	12.1	87.7	1,281.6	6.8	75.8
November	1,084.3	1,181.4	88.0	10.0	98.0	1,279.4	7.7	75.5
December	1,099.4	1,193.3	90.4	15.7	106.1	1,299.3	8.2	76.6
1991 —								
January	1,068.9	1,164.3	103.3	11.6	114.9	1,279.2	9.0	75.3
February	1,071.2	1,170.5	98.4	17.4	115.8	1,286.3	9.0	75.7
March	1,050.4	1,145.8	102.9	17.9	120.8	1,266.6	9.5	74.4
April	1,035.2	1,137.8	112.9	20.8	133.7	1,271.6	10.5	74.6
May	1,035.8	1,135.8	111.3	16.0	127.3	1,263.0	10.1	74.1
June	1,023.5	1,126.0	119.0	9.9	129.0	1,254.9	10.3	73.5
July	1,020.3	1,122.0	115.4	12.4	127.8	1,249.8	10.2	73.2
August	1,020.9	1,120.8	125.3	11.1	136.5	1,257.2	10.9	73.5
September	1,024.3	1,131.2	133.1	12.8	145.9	1,277.1	11.4	74.6
October	1,031.7	1,137.9	122.1	8.8	130.9	1,268.8	10.3	74.1
November	1,009.8	1,120.0	127.6	10.6	138.1	1,258.1	11.0	73.4
December	1,042.1	1,141.6	138.4	15.9	154.3	1,295.9	11.9	75.5
1992 —								
January	1,026.0	1,127.4	142.1	12.7	154.9	1,282.2	12.1	74.7
February	1,016.0	1,126.8	148.2	12.7	161.0	1,287.8	12.5	75.0

(a) Estimates for the period prior to April 1986 are based on the old definition. See paragraphs 14 and 15 of the Explanatory Notes.

TABLE 73. CIVILIAN LABOUR FORCE: LABOUR FORCE STATUS, FEMALES, VICTORIA

Month	Employed		Unemployed		Labour force	Unemployment rate - per cent -	Participation rate	
	Full-time workers	Total	Looking for full-time work	Looking for part-time work -'000-				
1986 —								
January	462.5	697.3	41.1	14.8	55.9	753.2	7.4	46.4
February	458.7	715.6	48.2	24.1	72.4	787.9	9.2	48.4
March	468.1	740.1	38.9	30.1	69.1	809.2	8.5	49.6
April(a)	469.0	746.8	38.6	24.6	63.1	809.9	7.8	49.6
May	460.7	738.7	36.9	25.3	62.2	800.8	7.8	49.0
June	457.1	735.5	37.6	20.3	57.9	793.4	7.3	48.5
July	467.4	745.0	36.5	23.0	59.5	804.5	7.4	49.1
August	461.4	722.6	38.7	19.5	58.2	780.8	7.4	47.6
September	468.2	750.8	42.9	21.4	64.3	815.1	7.9	49.6
October	475.1	754.2	38.2	21.0	59.3	813.4	7.3	49.4
November	471.0	752.8	39.7	17.0	56.7	809.4	7.0	49.1
December	475.6	764.1	48.5	18.0	66.5	830.7	8.0	50.3
1987 —								
January	477.5	731.8	48.0	14.6	62.6	794.4	7.9	48.1
February	480.7	747.2	49.9	23.0	72.9	820.1	8.9	49.6
March	479.1	770.4	49.1	26.8	76.0	846.3	9.0	51.1
April	478.4	773.3	44.5	23.3	67.8	841.0	8.1	50.7
May	478.4	777.3	39.5	16.9	56.4	833.6	6.8	50.2
June	473.5	770.4	33.5	17.3	50.7	821.1	6.2	49.3
July	487.4	781.1	34.5	20.0	54.5	835.6	6.5	50.1
August	471.7	772.7	35.6	21.5	57.1	829.8	6.9	49.7
September	476.9	781.0	30.2	22.4	52.6	833.6	6.3	49.9
October	482.1	781.4	31.7	20.9	52.6	834.0	6.3	49.9
November	479.8	784.7	32.2	18.4	50.5	835.3	6.0	49.9
December	501.8	794.6	40.5	19.2	59.7	854.3	7.0	50.9
1988 —								
January	483.0	752.3	44.5	16.6	61.1	813.4	7.5	48.4
February	484.0	762.3	43.9	22.6	66.5	828.8	8.0	49.3
March	484.4	785.3	43.5	28.4	71.9	857.2	8.4	50.9
April	483.1	784.1	39.9	31.5	71.4	855.5	8.3	50.7
May	469.2	776.4	41.1	25.0	66.1	842.5	7.8	49.9
June	469.5	781.3	38.1	23.8	61.9	843.2	7.3	49.9
July	480.6	781.7	34.7	16.3	51.0	832.7	6.1	49.2
August	484.6	787.6	38.8	19.0	57.8	845.4	6.8	49.9
September	501.3	814.0	35.9	22.6	58.5	872.5	6.7	51.4
October	502.4	800.4	31.1	20.3	51.3	851.7	6.0	50.1
November	506.1	822.0	28.8	17.6	46.4	868.4	5.3	51.0
December	518.6	843.2	34.9	22.4	57.4	900.6	6.4	52.9
1989 —								
January	505.6	794.3	36.7	21.6	58.3	852.5	6.8	50.0
February	504.1	818.4	45.0	23.2	68.1	886.6	7.7	51.9
March	511.4	834.4	35.4	22.4	57.8	892.3	6.5	52.1
April	512.9	835.0	32.9	24.1	56.9	891.9	6.4	52.0
May	509.9	846.5	33.4	24.1	57.5	904.0	6.4	52.7
June	506.2	844.1	33.9	18.9	52.8	897.0	5.9	52.2
July	516.4	848.1	29.9	17.8	47.7	895.8	5.3	52.1
August	516.8	852.0	24.8	19.1	43.9	895.9	4.9	52.0
September	534.3	875.9	28.4	20.5	48.9	924.9	5.3	53.6
October	529.1	860.1	26.6	21.8	48.4	908.5	5.3	52.6
November	529.8	865.3	29.7	21.3	50.9	916.2	5.6	53.0
December	547.2	877.7	29.6	17.4	47.1	924.8	5.1	53.5
1990 —								
January	542.7	852.2	35.5	16.4	51.8	904.1	5.7	52.2
February	539.4	865.8	41.6	23.6	65.2	931.0	7.0	53.7
March	539.0	869.1	34.1	24.6	58.6	927.8	6.3	53.4
April	540.2	883.0	33.8	18.1	51.9	934.8	5.5	53.8
May	536.6	883.3	31.9	22.8	54.7	938.0	5.8	53.9
June	530.8	878.4	40.9	16.6	57.5	935.9	6.1	53.7
July	545.5	885.5	40.4	20.4	60.9	946.4	6.4	54.2
August	537.4	872.9	45.2	19.9	65.2	938.1	6.9	53.7
September	539.8	881.5	41.0	23.6	64.6	946.2	6.8	54.1
October	537.8	873.3	45.3	22.7	68.0	941.3	7.2	53.7
November	526.3	875.0	48.4	22.4	70.8	945.8	7.5	53.9
December	535.0	882.0	53.8	22.3	76.1	958.1	7.9	54.5
1991 —								
January	527.9	839.2	57.6	26.2	83.9	923.1	9.1	52.5
February	506.9	852.7	65.4	29.3	94.7	947.4	10.0	53.8
March	504.8	851.0	62.7	31.5	94.2	945.2	10.0	53.6
April	499.4	847.5	73.3	30.3	103.7	951.2	10.9	53.9
May	494.7	844.0	69.6	24.6	94.2	938.3	10.0	53.1
June	491.2	844.2	60.4	24.6	85.0	929.2	9.1	52.6
July	494.8	832.6	62.8	20.9	83.7	916.3	9.1	51.8
August	501.3	851.3	56.9	18.9	75.7	927.1	8.2	52.3
September	508.6	868.8	64.5	27.7	92.3	961.1	9.6	54.2
October	512.7	847.4	60.6	22.9	83.6	931.0	9.0	52.5
November	507.0	844.6	62.8	21.4	84.3	928.9	9.1	52.3
December	519.1	858.8	72.4	28.6	101.0	959.8	10.5	54.0
1992 —								
January	503.2	824.0	78.6	24.5	103.2	927.2	11.1	52.1
February	493.2	825.8	89.9	23.2	113.0	938.8	12.0	52.7

(a) Estimates for the period prior to April 1986 are based on the old definition. See paragraphs 14 and 15 of the Explanatory Notes.

TABLE 74. CIVILIAN LABOUR FORCE: LABOUR FORCE STATUS, FEMALES, VICTORIA
SEASONALLY ADJUSTED AND TREND

Month	Seasonally Adjusted Series					Trend Series				
	Employed	Unemployed -'000 -	Labour force	Unemp- loyment rate - per cent -	Partici- pation rate cent -	Employed	Unemployed -'000 -	Labour force	Unemp- loyment rate - per cent -	Partici- pation rate cent -
1986 —										
January	722.8	55.8	778.6	7.2	47.9	721.5	60.8	782.3	7.8	48.1
February	727.6	62.7	790.2	7.9	48.6	727.3	60.4	787.7	7.7	48.4
March	733.9	61.7	795.5	7.8	48.8	730.5	60.2	790.8	7.6	48.5
April(a)	743.5	58.9	802.4	7.3	49.2	740.9	59.9	800.9	7.5	49.1
May	738.3	61.1	799.5	7.6	48.9	739.9	60.6	800.5	7.6	49.0
June	736.5	59.2	795.7	7.4	48.6	738.5	61.5	800.0	7.7	48.9
July	741.5	63.0	804.5	7.8	49.1	737.8	62.4	800.2	7.8	48.8
August	728.4	64.0	792.4	8.1	48.3	738.6	63.4	802.0	7.9	48.9
September	743.3	65.6	808.9	8.1	49.2	740.9	64.2	805.2	8.0	49.0
October	750.0	63.9	814.0	7.9	49.5	744.3	64.6	809.0	8.0	49.2
November	746.4	64.2	810.5	7.9	49.2	748.2	64.8	813.0	8.0	49.3
December	750.7	66.3	817.0	8.1	49.5	752.2	65.0	817.2	8.0	49.5
1987 —										
January	757.5	62.4	819.8	7.6	49.6	756.4	64.8	821.2	7.9	49.7
February	759.4	62.9	822.3	7.7	49.7	760.6	63.9	824.5	7.8	49.8
March	764.4	67.7	832.0	8.1	50.2	765.0	62.4	827.4	7.5	49.9
April	769.4	62.6	832.0	7.5	50.1	769.4	60.6	830.0	7.3	50.0
May	776.3	55.6	831.9	6.7	50.0	772.9	58.9	831.7	7.1	50.0
June	772.4	52.0	824.4	6.3	49.5	775.1	57.5	832.6	6.9	50.0
July	779.2	57.8	836.9	6.9	50.2	776.3	56.7	833.0	6.8	50.0
August	778.4	63.2	841.5	7.5	50.4	776.9	56.6	833.6	6.8	50.0
September	771.6	53.9	825.5	6.5	49.4	777.2	57.0	834.2	6.8	49.9
October	778.2	56.9	835.2	6.8	49.9	777.3	57.5	834.8	6.9	49.9
November	778.3	57.0	835.4	6.8	49.9	777.5	57.8	835.4	6.9	49.9
December	780.7	59.6	840.3	7.1	50.1	777.7	58.4	836.1	7.0	49.9
1988 —										
January	777.2	60.6	837.8	7.2	49.9	777.7	59.8	837.5	7.1	49.9
February	773.3	57.4	830.7	6.9	49.4	777.7	61.4	839.2	7.3	49.9
March	780.5	64.0	844.5	7.6	50.2	777.5	62.7	840.2	7.5	49.9
April	781.0	65.4	846.4	7.7	50.2	777.9	63.3	841.2	7.5	49.9
May	775.2	65.0	840.2	7.7	49.8	779.3	63.3	842.6	7.5	49.9
June	783.9	63.7	847.7	7.5	50.1	781.7	62.6	844.3	7.4	49.9
July	781.1	54.1	835.2	6.5	49.3	785.7	61.3	846.9	7.2	50.0
August	792.1	64.2	856.2	7.5	50.5	791.4	59.5	850.9	7.0	50.2
September	802.3	60.1	862.4	7.0	50.8	798.5	58.0	856.5	6.8	50.5
October	798.4	55.7	854.1	6.5	50.3	806.2	57.2	863.4	6.6	50.8
November	816.2	52.4	868.6	6.0	51.0	813.3	56.6	869.9	6.5	51.1
December	828.6	57.4	886.0	6.5	52.0	819.2	56.2	875.3	6.4	51.4
1989 —										
January	818.8	57.7	876.5	6.6	51.4	824.1	55.7	879.8	6.3	51.6
February	828.9	58.6	887.5	6.6	51.9	828.2	55.5	883.7	6.3	51.7
March	830.5	51.5	882.0	5.8	51.5	832.3	55.2	887.4	6.2	51.9
April	832.6	52.0	884.6	5.9	51.6	836.6	54.4	891.0	6.1	52.0
May	845.8	56.4	902.2	6.3	52.6	841.4	53.3	894.7	6.0	52.1
June	847.2	54.6	901.8	6.1	52.5	846.7	52.3	899.0	5.8	52.3
July	848.8	50.6	899.4	5.6	52.3	851.1	51.8	902.9	5.7	52.5
August	855.8	48.7	904.6	5.4	52.5	854.5	51.5	906.0	5.7	52.6
September	860.8	50.4	911.2	5.5	52.8	857.6	51.4	908.9	5.7	52.7
October	859.1	52.7	911.8	5.8	52.8	860.4	51.6	912.0	5.7	52.8
November	860.1	57.4	917.5	6.3	53.1	863.3	52.0	915.3	5.7	53.0
December	862.5	47.1	909.5	5.2	52.6	866.4	52.2	918.6	5.7	53.1
1990 —										
January	877.3	51.2	928.5	5.5	53.6	869.5	51.9	921.4	5.6	53.2
February	875.4	56.0	931.4	6.0	53.7	872.9	51.3	924.1	5.5	53.3
March	866.4	52.4	918.8	5.7	52.9	876.5	51.4	927.9	5.5	53.5
April	881.8	47.3	929.1	5.1	53.5	879.5	52.8	932.3	5.7	53.6
May	883.0	53.5	936.6	5.7	53.8	881.1	55.4	936.5	5.9	53.8
June	881.5	59.6	941.1	6.3	54.0	881.2	59.0	940.2	6.3	53.9
July	887.0	64.6	951.5	6.8	54.5	879.8	63.2	942.9	6.7	54.0
August	875.8	72.2	948.0	7.6	54.2	877.2	67.5	944.8	7.1	54.1
September	864.3	66.8	931.2	7.2	53.2	874.1	71.4	945.4	7.5	54.0
October	873.0	74.2	947.2	7.8	54.0	871.1	74.2	945.3	7.8	53.9
November	870.7	79.8	950.6	8.4	54.2	868.7	76.3	945.0	8.1	53.9
December	867.0	76.2	943.2	8.1	53.7	865.8	78.7	944.4	8.3	53.8
1991 —										
January	862.7	82.4	945.1	8.7	53.7	862.3	81.3	943.7	8.6	53.7
February	861.4	81.1	942.5	8.6	53.5	857.7	84.3	942.0	8.9	53.5
March	848.9	84.6	933.6	9.1	53.0	852.5	86.8	939.3	9.2	53.3
April	847.0	94.4	941.4	10.0	53.4	847.9	88.5	936.4	9.5	53.1
May	844.0	91.9	936.0	9.8	53.0	845.2	89.5	934.7	9.6	52.9
June	847.2	88.0	935.2	9.4	52.9	844.5	89.6	934.0	9.6	52.8
July	834.3	88.8	923.1	9.6	52.2	844.9	89.3	934.3	9.6	52.8
August	853.8	84.0	937.8	9.0	53.0	846.1	89.7	935.8	9.6	52.8
September	850.7	95.5	946.3	10.1	53.4	846.9	91.1	938.1	9.7	52.9
October	847.2	91.4	938.7	9.7	52.9	846.7	93.4	940.1	9.9	53.0
November	841.0	94.9	935.9	10.1	52.7	845.5	95.9	941.3	10.2	53.0
December	844.6	101.4	946.0	10.7	53.2	843.7	97.8	941.5	10.4	53.0
1992 —										
January	846.4	100.9	947.4	10.7	53.2	841.8	99.2	941.1	10.5	52.9
February	833.9	96.7	930.6	10.4	52.3	839.1	100.3	939.4	10.7	52.8

(e) Estimates for the period prior to April 1986 are based on the old definition. See paragraphs 14 and 15 of the Explanatory Notes.

TABLE 77. CIVILIAN LABOUR FORCE: LABOUR FORCE STATUS, MALES, QUEENSLAND

Month	Employed		Unemployed		Labour force	Unemp- loyment rate - per cent -	Partici- pation rate cent -	
	Full-time workers	Total	Looking for full- time work	Looking for part- time work -'000-				
1986 —								
January	630.6	676.0	59.6	8.0	67.5	743.5	9.1	76.7
February	628.2	674.8	64.7	5.8	70.5	745.2	9.5	76.7
March	631.8	681.8	59.3	5.4	64.7	746.6	8.7	76.6
April(a)	639.5	691.8	55.9	6.3	62.3	754.1	8.3	77.2
May	622.3	674.8	65.1	4.7	69.8	744.6	9.4	76.1
June	640.2	688.9	58.7	5.8	64.5	753.4	8.6	76.8
July	633.3	682.8	63.8	4.0	67.9	750.6	9.0	76.3
August	633.5	682.7	62.4	4.2	66.6	749.3	8.9	76.0
September	639.2	688.8	61.5	5.6	67.1	756.0	8.9	76.5
October	635.0	684.1	59.4	5.9	65.3	749.4	8.7	75.7
November	638.3	687.8	58.5	4.0	62.4	750.3	8.3	75.6
December	643.3	695.9	68.6	6.0	74.6	770.5	9.7	77.5
1987 —								
January	634.5	682.6	71.3	6.7	78.0	760.5	10.3	76.3
February	636.7	685.6	71.6	6.8	78.4	764.0	10.3	76.5
March	636.9	689.7	74.2	6.7	81.0	770.7	10.5	77.0
April	631.2	687.3	69.4	4.9	74.3	761.5	9.8	75.9
May	634.3	688.2	69.1	6.1	75.3	763.5	9.9	75.9
June	637.0	689.5	64.9	5.0	69.9	759.4	9.2	75.4
July	641.7	693.7	62.9	5.8	68.8	762.5	9.0	75.5
August	630.3	689.8	62.5	5.7	68.2	758.0	9.0	74.9
September	641.0	693.7	62.2	4.6	66.8	760.5	8.8	75.0
October	638.1	689.9	61.0	6.5	67.5	757.4	8.9	74.5
November	631.5	691.0	60.7	3.7	64.4	755.4	8.5	74.2
December	651.2	707.5	61.7	8.4	70.1	777.6	9.0	76.2
1988 —								
January	638.2	694.0	68.1	8.2	76.4	770.3	9.9	75.2
February	649.7	698.2	63.8	9.4	73.2	771.4	9.5	75.1
March	659.7	716.9	59.2	10.1	69.3	786.2	8.8	76.4
April	665.3	722.0	58.6	7.4	65.9	787.9	8.4	76.3
May	671.5	726.9	50.8	6.8	57.6	784.6	7.3	75.8
June	668.9	727.1	52.5	4.1	56.6	783.7	7.2	75.6
July	678.5	731.9	49.3	4.2	53.5	785.4	6.8	75.5
August	669.9	727.0	50.6	4.5	55.1	782.1	7.0	75.0
September	678.9	741.4	52.0	6.0	58.0	799.4	7.3	76.4
October	683.2	743.0	44.5	5.4	49.9	792.8	6.3	75.6
November	688.3	747.5	43.9	5.2	49.1	796.6	6.2	75.7
December	702.2	758.8	49.4	7.4	56.8	815.5	7.0	77.3
1989 —								
January	696.6	747.4	55.5	6.1	61.5	808.9	7.6	76.4
February	695.2	749.5	55.3	7.7	63.0	812.5	7.8	76.5
March	699.8	754.1	47.3	7.2	54.5	808.7	6.7	76.0
April	701.8	754.9	46.5	6.9	53.4	808.3	6.6	75.7
May	708.3	763.7	42.9	7.6	50.5	814.2	6.2	76.0
June	708.5	764.9	45.2	4.3	49.5	814.3	6.1	75.7
July	710.0	765.4	43.8	4.8	48.6	814.0	6.0	75.5
August	701.2	764.2	43.1	6.1	49.3	813.5	6.1	75.2
September	716.0	778.7	41.2	6.0	47.1	825.8	5.7	76.1
October	718.9	782.1	38.7	6.3	45.1	827.2	5.4	76.0
November	713.2	784.5	38.9	5.7	44.6	829.1	5.4	75.9
December	729.8	793.2	44.2	6.4	50.6	843.8	6.0	77.1
1990 —								
January	710.4	775.9	54.1	6.2	60.3	836.2	7.2	76.2
February	721.7	782.1	47.2	9.1	56.3	838.4	6.7	76.2
March	723.4	784.0	51.3	9.8	61.1	845.1	7.2	76.6
April	717.2	777.2	56.5	8.9	65.4	842.6	7.8	76.2
May	720.9	783.3	60.9	6.1	66.9	850.3	7.9	76.7
June	715.7	779.8	57.8	6.9	64.7	844.5	7.7	76.0
July	717.3	780.6	57.5	7.1	64.6	845.2	7.6	75.9
August	715.4	777.6	60.2	6.9	67.2	844.7	7.9	75.8
September	716.5	787.1	59.5	6.9	66.3	853.5	7.8	76.4
October	712.6	780.9	59.7	9.2	68.9	849.8	8.1	75.9
November	701.7	772.4	64.3	8.3	72.5	845.0	8.6	75.4
December	713.5	780.7	69.5	10.3	79.9	860.6	9.3	76.6
1991 —								
January	696.6	760.3	79.4	8.4	87.8	848.1	10.4	75.3
February	686.3	756.7	81.7	8.5	90.3	847.0	10.7	75.1
March	684.7	761.4	83.3	12.6	96.0	857.3	11.2	75.8
April	679.0	759.6	84.7	10.8	95.5	855.1	11.2	75.5
May	683.3	756.7	85.3	8.7	94.1	850.8	11.1	74.9
June	693.1	772.3	69.9	7.1	77.1	849.3	9.1	74.7
July	691.4	763.7	76.6	8.0	84.6	848.3	10.0	74.4
August	692.6	767.3	76.0	5.3	81.3	848.6	9.6	74.3
September	705.4	785.4	72.3	7.9	80.2	865.6	9.3	75.7
October	705.0	781.4	70.3	7.8	78.0	859.5	9.1	75.0
November	696.6	776.0	72.2	5.1	77.3	853.3	9.1	74.3
December	711.4	786.8	83.4	10.5	93.9	880.6	10.7	76.6
1992 —								
January	694.1	765.2	93.4	8.5	101.8	867.0	11.7	75.2
February	692.3	771.2	85.2	11.9	97.0	868.3	11.2	75.1

(a) Estimates for the period prior to April 1986 are based on the old definition. See paragraphs 14 and 15 of the Explanatory Notes.

TABLE 78. CIVILIAN LABOUR FORCE: LABOUR FORCE STATUS, MALES, QUEENSLAND
SEASONALLY ADJUSTED AND TREND

Month	Seasonally Adjusted Series					Trend Series				
	Employed	Unemployed - '000 -	Labour force	Unemp- loyment rate - per cent -	Partici- pation rate	Employed	Unemployed - '000 -	Labour force	Unemp- loyment rate - per cent -	Partici- pation rate
1986 —										
January	682.8	59.8	742.6	8.1	76.6	681.9	60.9	742.7	8.2	76.6
February	679.8	63.6	743.4	8.6	76.5	682.4	61.1	743.5	8.2	76.5
March	680.9	60.4	741.4	8.1	76.1	682.3	62.3	744.6	8.4	76.4
April(a)	692.5	60.9	753.4	8.1	77.1	684.2	63.5	747.7	8.5	76.6
May	675.2	68.8	743.9	9.2	76.0	684.1	65.5	749.6	8.7	76.6
June	687.5	66.9	754.5	8.9	76.9	683.9	67.4	751.3	9.0	76.5
July	681.9	70.3	752.2	9.4	76.5	683.8	68.9	752.7	9.1	76.5
August	686.3	68.8	755.1	9.1	76.6	684.0	70.0	754.0	9.3	76.5
September	684.6	70.7	755.3	9.4	76.5	684.6	70.6	755.2	9.3	76.5
October	683.3	71.1	754.4	9.4	76.2	685.6	70.9	756.5	9.4	76.4
November	686.0	70.0	756.1	9.3	76.2	686.8	71.2	758.0	9.4	76.4
December	689.7	74.2	763.9	9.7	76.8	687.8	71.7	759.5	9.4	76.4
1987 —										
January	688.9	69.7	758.7	9.2	76.1	688.7	72.1	760.8	9.5	76.3
February	690.3	71.4	761.7	9.4	76.3	689.0	72.6	761.6	9.5	76.2
March	688.9	75.6	764.5	9.9	76.3	689.1	72.9	762.0	9.6	76.1
April	688.3	71.9	760.2	9.5	75.8	689.2	72.9	762.1	9.6	76.0
May	688.0	73.7	761.6	9.7	75.8	689.5	72.6	762.2	9.5	75.8
June	688.6	72.1	760.6	9.5	75.5	690.0	72.3	762.2	9.5	75.7
July	693.4	71.5	764.9	9.4	75.8	690.2	71.9	762.2	9.4	75.5
August	693.5	70.6	764.1	9.2	75.5	690.4	71.7	762.2	9.4	75.4
September	689.6	70.7	760.3	9.3	75.0	690.6	71.7	762.4	9.4	75.2
October	688.9	73.6	762.5	9.6	75.1	691.2	71.7	762.8	9.4	75.1
November	689.6	72.3	761.9	9.5	74.8	692.8	71.3	764.1	9.3	75.0
December	700.2	69.5	769.7	9.0	75.4	696.2	70.4	766.6	9.2	75.1
1988 —										
January	700.1	68.5	768.7	8.9	75.1	701.3	68.8	770.2	8.9	75.2
February	702.7	67.2	769.9	8.7	75.0	707.7	66.6	774.3	8.6	75.4
March	716.5	64.6	781.1	8.3	75.9	714.2	64.0	778.1	8.2	75.6
April	723.6	63.1	786.7	8.0	76.2	719.9	61.4	781.3	7.9	75.7
May	726.1	56.0	782.2	7.2	75.6	724.6	59.4	784.0	7.6	75.8
June	726.9	58.1	785.0	7.4	75.7	728.2	58.0	786.2	7.4	75.8
July	731.9	55.7	787.6	7.1	75.7	731.1	57.3	788.4	7.3	75.8
August	731.2	57.1	788.3	7.2	75.6	733.9	57.0	791.0	7.2	75.8
September	736.6	61.8	798.5	7.7	76.3	737.4	57.0	794.4	7.2	75.9
October	741.4	54.5	795.9	6.8	75.8	741.5	57.0	798.5	7.1	76.1
November	746.4	55.4	801.7	6.9	76.2	745.6	56.7	802.3	7.1	76.2
December	749.9	56.2	806.1	7.0	76.4	749.1	56.1	805.2	7.0	76.3
1989 —										
January	754.0	55.1	809.1	6.8	76.4	751.9	55.2	807.2	6.8	76.3
February	754.0	58.3	812.4	7.2	76.5	754.3	54.0	808.3	6.7	76.1
March	754.1	50.8	804.9	6.3	75.6	756.3	52.7	809.1	6.5	76.0
April	757.1	50.6	807.7	6.3	75.6	758.5	51.5	810.0	6.4	75.8
May	762.6	48.9	811.4	6.0	75.7	760.9	50.6	811.4	6.2	75.7
June	765.4	50.6	816.0	6.2	75.9	763.7	50.1	813.8	6.2	75.7
July	765.6	50.8	816.4	6.2	75.7	767.0	50.1	817.1	6.1	75.8
August	769.0	51.2	820.2	6.2	75.8	770.7	50.2	820.9	6.1	75.9
September	773.1	50.5	823.6	6.1	75.9	774.4	50.2	824.7	6.1	76.0
October	779.6	49.5	829.1	6.0	76.2	778.1	50.1	828.2	6.1	76.1
November	783.7	50.4	834.1	6.0	76.4	781.3	50.3	831.5	6.0	76.2
December	783.1	49.9	833.0	6.0	76.1	783.5	50.9	834.4	6.1	76.2
1990 —										
January	782.7	53.8	836.5	6.4	76.2	784.5	52.4	836.9	6.3	76.2
February	786.9	52.5	839.4	6.3	76.3	784.3	54.6	839.0	6.5	76.3
March	784.3	56.9	841.2	6.8	76.3	783.5	57.4	841.0	6.8	76.2
April	780.0	61.4	841.4	7.3	76.1	782.7	60.4	843.0	7.2	76.3
May	782.1	64.6	846.6	7.6	76.4	782.2	63.1	845.3	7.5	76.3
June	780.7	66.1	846.8	7.8	76.2	781.9	65.7	847.5	7.7	76.3
July	781.1	67.5	848.6	8.0	76.3	781.6	68.2	849.8	8.0	76.4
August	782.9	69.9	852.8	8.2	76.5	780.9	70.7	851.6	8.3	76.4
September	780.8	71.4	852.2	8.4	76.3	779.5	73.1	852.6	8.6	76.3
October	777.7	76.1	853.8	8.9	76.3	776.9	75.4	852.3	8.8	76.1
November	771.8	82.2	853.9	9.6	76.2	773.6	77.7	851.3	9.1	75.9
December	770.3	78.7	849.0	9.3	75.6	769.7	80.2	849.9	9.4	75.7
1991 —										
January	767.1	78.2	845.3	9.3	75.1	766.1	82.7	848.8	9.7	75.4
February	761.4	84.3	845.7	10.0	75.0	763.3	84.8	848.1	10.0	75.2
March	761.9	89.5	851.5	10.5	75.3	761.6	86.4	848.0	10.2	75.0
April	762.7	89.3	852.1	10.5	75.2	761.4	87.1	848.6	10.3	74.9
May	755.4	90.6	846.0	10.7	74.5	762.8	87.1	850.0	10.3	74.9
June	773.1	78.7	851.8	9.2	74.9	765.6	86.5	852.1	10.1	74.9
July	764.5	88.4	852.9	10.4	74.8	769.2	85.6	854.8	10.0	75.0
August	772.7	84.6	857.3	9.9	75.1	772.6	85.4	857.9	10.0	75.1
September	778.8	86.4	865.1	10.0	75.6	775.0	86.1	861.0	10.0	75.3
October	777.9	86.4	864.3	10.0	75.4	776.1	87.4	863.4	10.1	75.3
November	775.4	87.7	863.1	10.2	75.2	776.1	88.7	864.8	10.3	75.3
December	776.1	92.4	868.6	10.6	75.5	775.9	89.8	865.6	10.4	75.2
1992 —										
January	772.1	90.6	862.7	10.5	74.8	775.6	90.6	866.2	10.5	75.1
February	776.1	90.7	866.7	10.5	75.0	774.8	91.5	866.3	10.6	75.0

(a) Estimates for the period prior to April 1986 are based on the old definition. See paragraphs 14 and 15 of the Explanatory Notes.

TABLE 79. CIVILIAN LABOUR FORCE: LABOUR FORCE STATUS, FEMALES, QUEENSLAND

Month	Employed		Unemployed		Total	Labour force	Unemp- loyment rate - per cent -	Partici- pation rate
	Full-time workers	Total	Looking for full- time work	Looking for part- time work -'000-				
1986 —								
January	253.3	386.8	32.7	12.3	44.9	431.7	10.4	43.9
February	253.9	402.6	36.0	17.5	53.5	456.1	11.7	46.2
March	252.3	413.1	36.2	17.3	53.5	466.6	11.5	47.2
April(a)	256.2	420.0	32.9	17.3	50.2	470.2	10.7	47.4
May	260.4	428.1	36.5	13.9	50.4	478.6	10.5	48.2
June	257.6	429.7	31.2	15.5	46.7	476.4	9.8	47.8
July	263.8	427.0	36.9	13.2	50.0	477.0	10.5	47.8
August	262.9	428.4	32.3	16.1	48.3	476.7	10.1	47.7
September	270.5	444.2	33.3	15.8	49.1	493.4	10.0	49.2
October	275.6	441.1	32.3	15.5	47.8	489.0	9.8	48.7
November	273.5	449.8	31.5	15.7	47.2	497.0	9.5	49.3
December	270.2	446.1	40.0	14.8	54.9	501.0	11.0	49.6
1987 —								
January	266.3	421.4	38.2	11.6	49.7	471.1	10.6	46.6
February	262.7	439.8	42.1	18.1	60.2	499.9	12.0	49.3
March	267.1	446.3	40.0	19.6	59.7	506.0	11.8	49.8
April	263.2	444.1	38.3	15.9	54.2	498.3	10.9	48.9
May	266.6	441.2	39.2	12.4	51.6	492.8	10.5	48.2
June	264.2	440.8	36.1	13.6	49.7	490.5	10.1	47.9
July	266.7	441.5	34.1	13.4	47.5	489.0	9.7	47.7
August	265.7	439.8	35.3	11.8	47.1	486.9	9.7	47.3
September	267.4	448.6	33.4	16.6	50.0	498.7	10.0	48.4
October	265.7	447.6	31.8	12.5	44.3	491.9	9.0	47.6
November	256.8	453.8	30.7	13.0	43.7	497.5	8.8	48.0
December	268.4	451.2	37.2	15.7	52.9	504.1	10.5	48.5
1988 —								
January	267.0	430.8	43.2	14.0	57.2	488.0	11.7	46.8
February	266.2	450.4	38.9	17.3	56.2	506.6	11.1	48.4
March	268.9	460.8	39.4	19.6	59.0	519.8	11.4	49.5
April	274.1	464.3	39.3	15.7	55.0	519.3	10.6	49.4
May	281.7	473.0	32.3	16.3	48.6	521.5	9.3	49.4
June	275.6	466.8	32.2	14.1	46.3	513.1	9.0	48.5
July	282.1	471.4	24.8	14.2	39.0	510.4	7.6	48.1
August	275.6	472.2	30.0	9.5	39.5	511.7	7.7	48.1
September	284.6	486.7	30.6	15.4	45.9	532.6	8.6	50.0
October	292.4	482.1	29.0	12.2	41.2	523.3	7.9	49.0
November	287.9	480.9	27.6	12.9	40.6	521.5	7.8	48.6
December	291.4	494.1	33.7	14.2	48.0	542.0	8.8	50.4
1989 —								
January	288.6	476.8	36.9	12.4	49.3	526.1	9.4	48.8
February	290.4	492.8	34.3	17.0	51.3	544.0	9.4	50.3
March	294.3	500.9	29.4	16.1	45.4	546.4	8.3	50.4
April	297.2	505.4	28.9	17.5	46.4	551.8	8.4	50.7
May	307.4	519.0	29.6	14.7	44.3	563.3	7.9	51.6
June	317.0	519.4	27.4	12.3	39.7	559.1	7.1	51.1
July	314.2	518.1	27.9	12.4	40.3	558.4	7.2	50.8
August	301.8	517.0	29.6	11.6	41.2	558.1	7.4	50.7
September	306.9	524.5	31.4	15.0	46.4	570.9	8.1	51.7
October	310.6	523.6	32.2	13.8	46.0	569.7	8.1	51.4
November	317.0	538.8	27.3	13.6	40.9	579.7	7.1	52.2
December	324.5	544.1	30.8	16.0	46.7	590.8	7.9	53.0
1990 —								
January	316.2	515.2	31.0	12.8	43.8	559.0	7.8	50.0
February	314.5	527.6	34.1	22.8	56.9	584.5	9.7	52.2
March	316.1	537.7	34.4	15.9	50.3	588.0	8.6	52.4
April	319.1	544.6	34.0	14.5	48.5	593.0	8.2	52.7
May	328.8	547.3	32.2	13.9	46.2	593.5	7.8	52.6
June	322.2	551.5	34.3	13.6	47.9	599.4	8.0	53.0
July	316.6	545.0	34.5	13.0	47.6	592.6	8.0	52.3
August	311.8	544.2	36.4	13.8	50.2	594.4	8.4	52.4
September	324.8	554.3	34.4	15.8	50.3	604.6	8.3	53.2
October	316.0	550.4	31.5	16.6	48.1	598.5	8.0	52.5
November	321.6	550.8	31.4	14.8	46.2	596.9	7.7	52.3
December	318.6	545.0	44.7	14.8	59.5	604.5	9.8	52.9
1991 —								
January	314.4	522.4	38.8	14.9	53.8	576.2	9.3	50.3
February	311.5	531.7	45.1	18.9	64.0	595.6	10.7	51.9
March	315.7	539.9	42.5	22.1	64.6	604.5	10.7	52.5
April	317.9	541.6	46.1	22.8	68.9	610.5	11.3	52.9
May	318.3	541.0	43.7	17.7	61.4	602.4	10.2	52.1
June	314.2	543.6	41.5	14.9	56.4	600.0	9.4	51.8
July	314.3	538.5	44.1	15.0	59.1	597.6	9.9	51.5
August	310.0	540.9	41.3	14.0	55.3	596.2	9.3	51.3
September	314.9	548.2	39.1	18.2	57.3	605.5	9.5	52.0
October	313.8	543.4	37.7	12.6	50.3	593.7	8.5	50.9
November	311.1	547.9	37.1	14.3	51.5	599.3	8.6	51.2
December	327.2	559.9	41.3	15.9	57.2	617.1	9.3	52.7
1992 —								
January	327.9	539.9	45.5	14.6	60.0	599.9	10.0	51.1
February	317.7	553.5	51.4	22.2	73.6	627.1	11.7	53.3

(a) Estimates for the period prior to April 1986 are based on the old definition. See paragraphs 14 and 15 of the Explanatory Notes.

TABLE 80. CIVILIAN LABOUR FORCE: LABOUR FORCE STATUS, FEMALES, QUEENSLAND SEASONALLY ADJUSTED AND TREND

Month	Seasonally Adjusted Series					Trend Series				
	Employed	Unemployed - '000 -	Labour force	Unemp- loyment rate - per cent -	Partici- pation rate	Employed	Unemployed - '000 -	Labour force	Unemp- loyment rate - per cent -	Partici- pation rate
1986 —										
January	407.2	44.7	452.0	9.9	45.9	406.8	45.6	452.4	10.1	46.0
February	407.4	46.7	454.1	10.3	46.0	409.1	46.2	455.4	10.2	46.2
March	410.8	47.7	458.5	10.4	46.4	411.6	47.1	458.7	10.3	46.4
April(a)	419.7	46.7	466.4	10.0	47.1	419.9	47.8	467.7	10.2	47.2
May	423.9	49.8	473.7	10.5	47.7	422.6	48.9	471.5	10.4	47.5
June	427.1	48.3	475.3	10.2	47.7	425.5	50.1	475.7	10.5	47.8
July	427.3	52.9	480.2	11.0	48.1	428.8	51.1	479.9	10.7	48.1
August	430.2	52.8	483.0	10.9	48.3	432.2	51.9	484.1	10.7	48.4
September	435.5	50.4	485.9	10.4	48.5	435.6	52.3	487.9	10.7	48.7
October	439.5	53.6	493.1	10.9	49.1	438.8	52.4	491.2	10.7	48.9
November	444.3	52.4	496.6	10.5	49.3	441.6	52.3	493.9	10.6	49.0
December	443.0	52.5	495.5	10.6	49.1	443.7	52.1	495.7	10.5	49.1
1987 —										
January	442.5	49.7	492.2	10.1	48.6	444.5	51.9	496.4	10.5	49.0
February	445.4	52.6	498.0	10.6	49.1	444.0	51.8	495.8	10.4	48.9
March	444.8	53.0	497.8	10.7	49.0	442.9	51.6	494.5	10.4	48.6
April	443.1	50.4	493.4	10.2	48.4	441.5	51.4	492.9	10.4	48.4
May	436.5	51.1	487.6	10.5	47.7	440.3	51.3	491.6	10.4	48.1
June	437.6	51.5	489.1	10.5	47.8	439.7	51.1	490.8	10.4	47.9
July	441.7	50.1	491.8	10.2	47.9	439.9	50.7	490.6	10.3	47.8
August	442.1	51.1	493.2	10.4	48.0	441.1	50.4	491.4	10.2	47.8
September	441.0	51.3	492.3	10.4	47.8	442.8	50.3	493.0	10.2	47.8
October	446.2	49.5	495.7	10.0	48.0	444.7	50.5	495.2	10.2	47.9
November	447.7	48.5	496.2	9.8	47.9	446.9	50.9	497.8	10.2	48.0
December	448.1	50.8	498.9	10.2	48.0	449.5	51.5	501.0	10.3	48.2
1988 —										
January	451.1	57.3	508.4	11.3	48.8	452.6	52.1	504.7	10.3	48.4
February	456.4	49.3	505.7	9.7	48.3	455.9	52.3	508.2	10.3	48.6
March	459.9	52.3	512.2	10.2	48.8	459.1	51.6	510.7	10.1	48.7
April	462.9	51.0	514.0	9.9	48.8	462.1	50.1	512.2	9.8	48.7
May	467.9	48.2	516.1	9.3	48.9	465.3	48.1	513.4	9.4	48.7
June	463.1	48.2	511.4	9.4	48.4	468.2	46.3	514.5	9.0	48.6
July	471.4	41.0	512.5	8.0	48.3	470.8	45.0	515.8	8.7	48.6
August	474.5	42.6	517.1	8.2	48.6	473.4	44.5	517.8	8.6	48.7
September	479.5	46.9	526.5	8.9	49.4	476.3	44.7	521.0	8.6	48.9
October	481.0	46.1	527.1	8.7	49.3	479.9	45.5	525.4	8.7	49.2
November	474.4	45.2	519.6	8.7	48.5	484.0	46.2	530.2	8.7	49.5
December	490.4	46.1	536.6	8.6	49.9	488.4	46.4	534.8	8.7	49.7
1989 —										
January	497.7	49.3	547.0	9.0	50.7	493.2	45.8	539.0	8.5	50.0
February	499.7	44.9	544.7	8.3	50.4	498.1	44.8	542.9	8.3	50.2
March	500.8	40.2	541.0	7.4	49.9	503.0	43.7	546.6	8.0	50.4
April	503.7	43.1	546.7	7.9	50.2	507.3	42.7	550.0	7.8	50.5
May	513.6	44.0	557.6	7.9	51.1	510.8	42.2	553.0	7.6	50.7
June	514.8	41.5	556.3	7.5	50.8	513.5	42.7	556.2	7.7	50.8
July	518.3	42.4	560.7	7.6	51.1	516.2	43.9	560.1	7.8	51.0
August	519.3	44.3	563.6	7.9	51.2	519.1	45.2	564.3	8.0	51.2
September	517.3	47.2	564.4	8.4	51.1	522.3	46.3	568.6	8.1	51.5
October	522.8	51.4	574.2	9.0	51.8	526.0	46.9	572.9	8.2	51.7
November	532.1	45.9	578.0	7.9	52.0	529.9	47.1	577.0	8.2	51.9
December	539.9	44.9	584.7	7.7	52.5	533.5	46.7	580.2	8.1	52.1
1990 —										
January	536.0	43.9	579.8	7.6	51.9	536.3	46.1	582.4	7.9	52.1
February	535.3	50.0	585.3	8.5	52.3	538.3	45.6	583.9	7.8	52.2
March	537.9	44.6	582.5	7.7	51.9	539.8	45.7	585.5	7.8	52.2
April	542.8	44.9	587.7	7.6	52.3	541.1	46.4	587.5	7.9	52.2
May	541.8	45.9	587.7	7.8	52.1	542.8	47.5	590.3	8.0	52.4
June	546.3	50.2	596.5	8.4	52.8	544.7	48.8	593.4	8.2	52.5
July	545.2	50.1	595.3	8.4	52.6	546.3	50.2	596.4	8.4	52.7
August	546.2	53.9	600.1	9.0	52.9	547.1	51.5	598.6	8.6	52.7
September	547.1	50.8	597.9	8.5	52.6	547.0	52.6	599.6	8.8	52.7
October	549.9	53.8	603.7	8.9	53.0	546.2	53.1	599.4	8.9	52.6
November	544.7	52.1	596.8	8.7	52.3	544.9	53.7	598.6	9.0	52.4
December	540.2	57.1	597.4	9.6	52.2	543.3	54.5	597.8	9.1	52.3
1991 —										
January	542.2	53.7	595.9	9.0	52.0	541.7	55.7	597.4	9.3	52.1
February	539.7	56.4	596.1	9.5	51.9	540.2	57.2	597.4	9.6	52.0
March	540.5	57.3	597.9	9.6	51.9	539.1	58.7	597.8	9.8	51.9
April	540.0	63.5	603.5	10.5	52.3	538.5	60.1	598.5	10.0	51.9
May	535.5	61.1	596.5	10.2	51.6	538.4	60.9	599.2	10.2	51.8
June	538.2	59.2	597.4	9.9	51.6	538.5	61.0	599.5	10.2	51.8
July	538.9	62.2	601.1	10.3	51.8	538.8	60.4	599.2	10.1	51.6
August	542.8	59.3	602.1	9.9	51.8	539.8	59.1	598.9	9.9	51.5
September	541.3	57.8	599.0	9.6	51.4	541.6	58.0	599.6	9.7	51.5
October	543.2	56.1	599.4	9.4	51.4	544.5	57.5	602.0	9.5	51.6
November	542.0	58.1	600.2	9.7	51.3	548.1	57.6	605.7	9.5	51.8
December	554.8	54.9	609.7	9.0	52.0	552.2	58.3	610.5	9.6	52.1
1992 —										
January	559.7	59.9	619.6	9.7	52.8	556.2	59.4	615.6	9.6	52.4
February	562.0	65.0	627.0	10.4	53.3	559.8	60.7	620.5	9.8	52.7

(a) Estimates for the period prior to April 1986 are based on the old definition. See paragraphs 14 and 15 of the Explanatory Notes.

TABLE 83. CIVILIAN LABOUR FORCE: LABOUR FORCE STATUS, MALES, SOUTH AUSTRALIA

Month	Employed		Unemployed			Labour force	Unemp- loyment rate - per -	Partici- pation rate - cent -
	Full-time workers	Total	Looking for full- time work	Looking for part- time work -'000-	Total			
1986 —								
January	333.9	358.7	33.0	2.7	35.7	394.4	9.0	74.8
February	340.1	365.2	30.8	* 1.8	32.6	397.8	8.2	75.3
March	339.9	365.7	30.2	2.4	32.6	398.3	8.2	75.3
April(a)	336.7	365.4	28.1	2.5	30.6	396.0	7.7	74.8
May	337.0	364.1	30.1	2.2	32.3	396.3	8.1	74.7
June	339.2	365.5	29.6	* 1.3	31.0	396.5	7.8	74.7
July	335.8	360.5	31.7	* 1.5	33.2	393.7	8.4	74.1
August	334.5	358.3	32.4	2.2	34.6	392.9	8.8	73.8
September	337.8	363.4	36.1	2.9	39.0	402.5	9.7	75.5
October	338.7	362.6	33.7	2.5	36.2	398.8	9.1	74.8
November	338.7	364.2	30.8	2.8	33.6	397.8	8.5	74.5
December	343.0	367.1	34.0	3.6	37.6	404.7	9.3	75.7
1987 —								
January	337.1	360.7	34.3	2.7	37.0	397.7	9.3	74.3
February	338.2	359.9	36.0	3.4	39.4	399.3	9.9	74.5
March	336.6	362.8	33.3	3.7	37.0	399.8	9.2	74.5
April	334.8	364.9	29.8	3.2	33.0	397.9	8.3	74.1
May	334.4	363.0	31.1	2.2	33.3	396.4	8.4	73.7
June	335.8	362.9	30.5	2.7	33.2	396.2	8.4	73.6
July	336.5	365.0	31.8	3.0	34.9	399.9	8.7	74.2
August	334.7	360.9	33.4	2.4	35.8	396.7	9.0	73.5
September	338.5	367.4	31.1	* 1.4	32.5	399.8	8.1	74.0
October	335.7	364.6	30.4	2.5	32.8	397.4	8.3	73.5
November	332.0	362.4	33.1	* 2.0	35.1	397.5	8.8	73.4
December	335.1	368.1	33.8	* 2.0	35.8	403.9	8.9	74.5
1988 —								
January	329.9	359.2	36.0	3.5	39.6	398.8	9.9	73.5
February	331.2	360.4	35.1	* 1.9	37.0	397.4	9.3	73.1
March	336.1	366.1	31.1	2.7	33.8	399.9	8.4	73.5
April	332.7	363.3	31.5	3.8	35.3	398.6	8.8	73.2
May	334.0	362.0	32.8	* 2.0	34.8	396.7	8.8	72.8
June	336.3	364.8	32.1	2.1	34.2	399.0	8.6	73.1
July	342.3	369.5	31.6	2.9	34.6	404.1	8.6	73.9
August	339.2	364.9	31.9	* 1.4	33.3	398.3	8.4	72.8
September	346.2	373.0	31.5	2.4	33.9	406.9	8.3	74.3
October	345.6	375.2	29.0	2.0	31.0	406.2	7.6	74.1
November	349.2	380.4	27.1	* 1.6	28.7	409.1	7.0	74.5
December	346.5	379.0	30.8	2.3	33.1	412.1	8.0	75.0
1989 —								
January	344.8	375.1	33.5	3.9	37.4	412.5	9.1	75.0
February	351.1	380.5	31.5	2.2	33.7	414.2	8.1	75.2
March	349.3	382.0	27.1	3.2	30.3	412.4	7.4	74.7
April	350.5	382.8	27.4	3.2	30.6	413.4	7.4	74.8
May	350.4	379.9	30.2	3.0	33.3	413.2	8.0	74.7
June	351.5	382.2	26.7	* 1.8	28.5	410.7	6.9	74.1
July	355.9	382.5	28.4	3.4	31.7	414.2	7.7	74.7
August	353.4	384.2	25.7	2.2	27.8	412.0	6.8	74.2
September	356.6	390.6	23.8	2.4	26.2	416.8	6.3	75.0
October	352.0	385.3	23.8	3.1	26.9	412.1	6.5	74.1
November	354.6	389.4	26.8	2.4	29.3	418.7	7.0	75.2
December	357.7	390.5	24.4	3.2	27.6	418.1	6.6	75.0
1990 —								
January	357.0	387.3	27.7	2.8	30.5	417.8	7.3	74.9
February	355.8	385.7	29.5	2.6	32.2	417.9	7.7	74.8
March	355.6	388.3	26.0	2.9	28.9	417.2	6.9	74.6
April	358.1	389.1	24.5	2.9	27.4	416.5	6.6	74.4
May	359.0	391.3	27.5	3.0	30.5	421.8	7.2	75.3
June	362.7	394.3	26.5	* 1.9	28.4	422.7	6.7	75.4
July	359.5	391.6	26.6	2.1	28.8	420.4	6.8	74.9
August	351.1	384.1	31.7	2.6	34.3	418.5	8.2	74.5
September	351.5	384.2	33.5	3.0	36.5	420.7	8.7	74.8
October	354.8	389.0	34.0	2.3	36.3	425.3	8.5	75.5
November	354.0	384.4	35.4	* 1.1	36.6	420.9	8.7	74.6
December	358.9	390.2	35.5	3.5	39.1	429.3	9.1	76.0
1991 —								
January	353.2	386.2	40.3	3.7	44.0	430.2	10.2	76.1
February	352.4	385.2	40.0	3.7	43.7	428.9	10.2	75.8
March	352.1	388.2	35.2	3.3	38.5	426.7	9.0	75.3
April	345.5	383.3	38.2	4.5	42.7	426.0	10.0	75.1
May	341.0	380.5	38.5	2.9	41.4	421.9	9.8	74.3
June	340.2	379.3	38.5	2.7	41.2	420.6	9.8	73.9
July	331.5	365.5	42.7	2.9	45.6	411.1	11.1	72.2
August	328.0	366.2	42.4	3.5	45.9	412.1	11.1	72.3
September	333.6	369.4	45.0	4.0	49.0	418.4	11.7	73.3
October	333.1	368.1	44.8	3.3	48.1	416.2	11.6	72.8
November	329.7	368.0	44.4	2.6	47.0	415.0	11.3	72.5
December	334.4	373.6	47.3	4.6	51.9	425.6	12.2	74.3
1992 —								
January	332.9	370.5	50.7	4.6	55.3	425.8	13.0	74.3
February	330.4	367.8	53.8	4.5	58.2	426.0	13.7	74.2

(a) Estimates for the period prior to April 1986 are based on the old definition. See paragraphs 14 and 15 of the Explanatory Notes.

TABLE 84. CIVILIAN LABOUR FORCE: LABOUR FORCE STATUS, MALES, SOUTH AUSTRALIA
SEASONALLY ADJUSTED AND TREND

Month	Seasonally Adjusted Series					Trend Series				
	Employed	Unemployed - '000 -	Labour force	Unemp- loyment rate - per cent -	Partici- pation rate cent -	Employed	Unemployed - '000 -	Labour force	Unemp- loyment rate - per cent -	Partici- pation rate cent -
1986 —										
January	360.3	32.1	392.5	8.2	74.4	361.6	31.8	393.4	8.1	74.6
February	364.1	30.8	394.9	7.8	74.8	362.6	32.0	394.5	8.1	74.7
March	363.4	33.2	396.6	8.4	75.0	363.1	32.2	395.4	8.2	74.7
April(a)	364.6	31.8	396.4	8.0	74.8	364.8	32.1	396.9	8.1	74.9
May	364.6	33.3	397.9	8.4	75.0	364.5	32.6	397.2	8.2	74.9
June	365.6	32.5	398.0	8.2	75.0	364.0	33.4	397.4	8.4	74.8
July	361.7	33.8	395.5	8.5	74.4	363.4	34.4	397.8	8.6	74.8
August	362.8	34.6	397.4	8.7	74.7	363.0	35.3	398.3	8.9	74.9
September	362.5	37.7	400.2	9.4	75.1	363.0	35.9	398.9	9.0	74.9
October	363.1	37.6	400.6	9.4	75.1	363.1	36.3	399.3	9.1	74.9
November	364.3	35.2	399.6	8.8	74.8	363.2	36.3	399.5	9.1	74.8
December	363.5	36.5	400.1	9.1	74.9	363.2	36.2	399.3	9.1	74.7
1987 —										
January	362.3	33.3	395.6	8.4	73.9	363.0	35.9	398.9	9.0	74.6
February	359.2	37.0	396.2	9.3	74.0	362.7	35.7	398.4	9.0	74.4
March	360.8	37.8	398.5	9.5	74.3	362.7	35.6	398.3	8.9	74.3
April	364.0	34.3	398.3	8.6	74.2	362.9	35.6	398.5	8.9	74.2
May	363.5	34.4	397.9	8.6	74.0	363.5	35.3	398.8	8.9	74.2
June	362.7	35.0	397.7	8.8	73.9	364.3	34.9	399.2	8.7	74.2
July	366.1	35.4	401.5	8.8	74.5	365.0	34.5	399.5	8.6	74.1
August	365.5	35.9	401.4	8.9	74.4	365.4	34.3	399.7	8.6	74.1
September	366.4	31.3	397.7	7.9	73.6	365.3	34.4	399.7	8.6	74.0
October	364.9	34.0	398.8	8.5	73.8	364.7	34.6	399.3	8.7	73.8
November	362.6	36.9	399.5	9.2	73.8	363.8	34.8	398.6	8.7	73.6
December	364.6	34.9	399.5	8.7	73.7	362.9	35.0	397.9	8.8	73.4
1988 —										
January	360.8	35.7	396.4	9.0	73.1	362.0	35.3	397.3	8.9	73.2
February	359.9	34.7	394.6	8.8	72.6	361.7	35.5	397.1	8.9	73.1
March	364.2	34.6	398.8	8.7	73.3	361.8	35.6	397.5	9.0	73.1
April	362.5	36.5	399.0	9.1	73.3	362.6	35.7	398.3	9.0	73.1
May	362.5	35.8	398.3	9.0	73.0	363.8	35.7	399.6	8.9	73.3
June	364.3	36.2	400.5	9.0	73.4	365.7	35.4	401.1	8.8	73.5
July	370.5	35.0	405.5	8.6	74.2	368.0	34.7	402.7	8.6	73.7
August	369.6	33.4	403.0	8.3	73.7	370.6	33.7	404.3	8.3	73.9
September	371.9	32.7	404.6	8.1	73.9	373.0	32.8	405.8	8.1	74.1
October	375.4	32.0	407.4	7.9	74.3	375.1	32.2	407.2	7.9	74.3
November	380.7	30.2	410.9	7.4	74.9	376.6	31.8	408.4	7.8	74.4
December	375.4	32.3	407.8	7.9	74.2	377.7	31.8	409.5	7.8	74.5
1989 —										
January	376.6	33.7	410.4	8.2	74.6	378.6	31.9	410.5	7.8	74.6
February	380.2	31.4	411.7	7.6	74.7	379.2	32.1	411.3	7.8	74.7
March	380.0	31.1	411.2	7.6	74.5	379.7	32.3	412.0	7.8	74.7
April	381.9	31.7	413.6	7.7	74.9	380.5	32.3	412.8	7.8	74.7
May	380.5	34.1	414.6	8.2	74.9	381.8	31.8	413.6	7.7	74.8
June	381.5	30.3	411.9	7.4	74.3	383.2	31.0	414.2	7.5	74.8
July	383.5	32.0	415.4	7.7	74.9	384.8	30.0	414.8	7.2	74.8
August	389.2	28.0	417.1	6.7	75.1	386.3	29.0	415.3	7.0	74.8
September	389.4	25.2	414.7	6.1	74.6	387.5	28.1	415.7	6.8	74.8
October	385.5	27.7	413.2	6.7	74.3	388.2	27.7	415.9	6.7	74.8
November	389.7	30.9	420.6	7.3	75.5	388.1	27.8	415.9	6.7	74.7
December	386.8	27.0	413.8	6.5	74.3	387.6	28.2	415.7	6.8	74.6
1990 —										
January	388.8	27.6	416.4	6.6	74.6	387.1	28.6	415.7	6.9	74.5
February	385.7	29.9	415.6	7.2	74.4	387.3	29.0	416.3	7.0	74.5
March	386.4	29.7	416.1	7.1	74.4	388.3	29.1	417.4	7.0	74.7
April	388.3	28.4	416.6	6.8	74.5	389.5	29.3	418.8	7.0	74.9
May	391.9	31.2	423.1	7.4	75.5	390.5	29.8	420.3	7.1	75.0
June	393.5	30.3	423.8	7.1	75.6	391.0	30.6	421.6	7.3	75.2
July	392.5	28.8	421.3	6.8	75.1	390.5	31.7	422.2	7.5	75.2
August	389.1	34.6	423.7	8.2	75.4	389.3	33.3	422.6	7.9	75.2
September	382.9	35.3	418.2	8.4	74.4	387.8	35.1	422.9	8.3	75.2
October	389.1	37.4	426.6	8.8	75.7	386.8	36.7	423.4	8.7	75.2
November	384.9	38.5	423.4	9.1	75.1	386.3	38.0	424.3	8.9	75.2
December	386.6	38.3	424.9	9.0	75.3	386.4	39.0	425.3	9.2	75.3
1991 —										
January	387.5	39.7	427.2	9.3	75.6	386.6	39.7	426.3	9.3	75.4
February	385.6	40.5	426.0	9.5	75.3	386.3	40.4	426.7	9.5	75.4
March	386.2	39.8	426.0	9.4	75.2	385.0	41.2	426.2	9.7	75.2
April	382.5	44.1	426.6	10.3	75.2	382.6	42.1	424.7	9.9	74.9
May	381.1	42.3	423.3	10.0	74.5	379.4	43.2	422.5	10.2	74.4
June	378.5	44.0	422.5	10.4	74.3	375.7	44.2	419.9	10.5	73.8
July	366.2	45.5	411.7	11.1	72.3	372.3	45.4	417.7	10.9	73.4
August	370.8	46.4	417.2	11.1	72.3	369.8	46.5	416.4	11.2	73.0
September	368.1	47.4	415.6	11.4	72.8	368.6	47.6	416.3	11.4	72.9
October	368.2	49.5	417.7	11.8	73.1	368.6	48.7	417.3	11.7	73.0
November	368.6	49.6	418.2	11.9	73.1	369.0	49.7	418.7	11.9	73.0
December	370.2	51.0	421.2	12.1	73.5	369.4	50.7	420.1	12.1	73.3
1992 —										
January	371.5	50.0	421.5	11.9	73.5	369.8	51.5	421.3	12.2	73.5
February	368.3	53.9	422.2	12.8	73.6	369.7	52.3	422.0	12.4	73.5

(a) Estimates for the period prior to April 1986 are based on the old definition. See paragraphs 14 and 15 of the Explanatory Notes.

TABLE 85. CIVILIAN LABOUR FORCE: LABOUR FORCE STATUS, FEMALES, SOUTH AUSTRALIA

Month	Employed		Unemployed		Total	Labour force	Unemp- loyment rate - per cent -	Partici- pation rate
	Full-time workers	Total	Looking for full- time work	Looking for part- time work -'000-				
1986 —								
January	136.1	223.8	18.4	5.2	23.6	247.4	9.5	45.3
February	137.0	232.7	17.3	7.9	25.2	257.8	9.8	47.2
March	136.2	236.3	17.3	7.8	25.0	261.3	9.6	47.7
April(a)	136.5	242.5	13.6	9.0	22.6	265.1	8.5	48.4
May	136.7	244.1	15.3	7.1	22.3	266.4	8.4	48.6
June	136.6	241.2	14.3	5.3	19.5	260.7	7.5	47.5
July	136.2	241.3	14.4	7.8	22.2	263.5	8.4	48.0
August	133.1	238.6	16.9	5.4	22.3	260.9	8.6	47.5
September	138.4	241.9	17.8	7.1	25.0	266.8	9.4	48.5
October	137.3	239.7	17.2	8.4	25.6	265.3	9.6	48.2
November	138.0	246.7	15.9	5.7	21.6	268.3	8.1	48.7
December	141.1	249.5	17.0	7.2	24.2	273.8	8.9	49.6
1987 —								
January	135.0	235.4	16.6	6.8	23.4	258.8	9.0	46.8
February	138.1	243.8	17.6	8.5	26.1	269.9	9.7	48.8
March	140.2	247.8	18.4	8.6	27.1	274.9	9.8	49.6
April	140.5	247.3	19.0	8.2	27.2	274.4	9.9	49.5
May	132.2	245.2	18.4	7.1	25.4	270.6	9.4	48.8
June	133.8	245.9	17.8	5.6	23.5	269.3	8.7	48.5
July	136.7	242.1	18.0	6.6	24.5	266.6	9.2	47.9
August	129.7	239.5	19.3	6.9	26.2	265.7	9.9	47.7
September	135.9	242.1	16.5	6.9	23.3	265.4	8.8	47.6
October	132.3	243.4	17.1	7.6	24.8	268.1	9.2	48.0
November	134.2	246.1	15.7	6.1	21.8	267.9	8.2	47.9
December	135.6	251.6	17.9	8.0	25.9	277.6	9.3	49.6
1988 —								
January	140.9	244.9	18.2	6.0	24.2	269.1	9.0	48.0
February	138.0	249.2	21.0	8.1	29.1	278.3	10.5	49.6
March	141.1	258.4	17.3	9.4	26.7	285.1	9.4	50.8
April	139.9	257.4	15.7	9.8	25.5	282.9	9.0	50.3
May	143.2	257.5	15.8	7.4	23.2	280.6	8.3	49.9
June	141.4	255.8	15.6	8.3	23.9	279.7	8.5	49.6
July	139.8	251.3	15.7	6.3	22.0	273.3	8.0	48.5
August	140.7	252.9	17.7	6.6	24.2	277.2	8.7	49.1
September	143.1	255.3	18.2	7.1	25.2	280.5	9.0	49.6
October	145.8	256.2	14.8	8.0	22.7	279.0	8.1	49.3
November	146.7	259.6	13.3	7.0	20.3	279.9	7.3	49.4
December	150.2	264.2	14.7	8.2	22.9	287.1	8.0	50.7
1989 —								
January	145.2	256.3	16.6	7.3	23.9	280.2	8.5	49.4
February	144.1	262.7	17.8	8.8	26.6	289.3	9.2	50.9
March	149.3	272.8	14.1	6.0	20.2	292.9	6.9	51.5
April	150.2	270.2	13.2	7.1	20.3	290.5	7.0	51.0
May	147.8	269.0	15.7	6.0	21.7	290.7	7.5	51.0
June	143.9	266.3	14.5	6.2	20.8	287.1	7.2	50.3
July	151.1	265.1	14.0	6.1	20.1	285.1	7.0	49.9
August	147.7	271.2	13.4	5.0	18.4	289.7	6.4	50.7
September	147.4	271.1	13.8	6.4	20.2	291.4	6.9	51.0
October	150.4	266.3	14.6	7.0	21.6	287.9	7.5	50.3
November	150.6	266.2	14.0	5.9	20.0	286.2	7.0	49.9
December	150.1	268.2	15.3	6.0	21.2	289.4	7.3	50.4
1990 —								
January	149.0	263.9	14.8	7.6	22.4	286.2	7.8	49.8
February	151.4	270.6	18.7	7.7	26.4	297.0	8.9	51.7
March	152.7	274.8	14.7	5.6	20.3	295.1	6.9	51.3
April	151.0	274.1	13.6	6.4	20.0	294.1	6.8	51.0
May	149.2	273.2	14.3	7.0	21.3	294.6	7.2	51.1
June	147.0	269.8	13.7	6.7	20.4	290.2	7.0	50.3
July	148.4	270.5	15.6	5.6	21.2	291.7	7.3	50.5
August	147.2	273.8	15.8	7.8	23.7	297.4	8.0	51.4
September	146.8	274.3	16.3	8.0	24.2	298.6	8.1	51.6
October	152.1	275.3	14.5	7.5	22.0	297.3	7.4	51.3
November	151.0	276.5	14.8	6.2	21.0	297.5	7.1	51.3
December	156.1	284.0	16.6	7.0	23.6	307.6	7.7	52.9
1991 —								
January	149.4	266.9	20.8	8.7	29.6	296.5	10.0	51.0
February	152.0	276.7	20.2	8.0	28.2	304.8	9.2	52.4
March	151.0	274.3	20.8	9.3	30.1	304.4	9.9	52.2
April	146.4	277.9	19.8	9.5	29.4	307.2	9.6	52.7
May	146.3	277.2	20.7	7.0	27.7	304.9	9.1	52.2
June	147.0	276.5	16.9	7.6	24.5	301.0	8.1	51.5
July	147.4	267.7	19.7	6.8	26.4	294.2	9.0	50.3
August	153.3	269.6	19.3	7.9	27.2	296.8	9.2	50.7
September	151.6	271.9	19.5	8.8	28.3	300.2	9.4	51.2
October	148.9	270.6	19.3	7.0	26.3	296.9	8.9	50.6
November	149.9	272.1	19.6	7.1	26.7	298.9	8.9	50.9
December	148.5	271.8	23.0	8.5	31.5	303.3	10.4	51.6
1992 —								
January	148.7	263.8	24.1	6.4	30.5	294.3	10.4	50.0
February	149.0	268.6	23.5	9.5	33.0	301.6	10.9	51.2

(a) Estimates for the period prior to April 1986 are based on the old definition. See paragraphs 14 and 15 of the Explanatory Notes.

TABLE 86. CIVILIAN LABOUR FORCE: LABOUR FORCE STATUS, FEMALES, SOUTH AUSTRALIA
SEASONALLY ADJUSTED AND TREND

Month	Seasonally Adjusted Series					Trend Series				
	Employed	Unemployed - '000 -	Labour force	Unemp- loyment rate - per cent -	Partici- pation rate cent -	Employed	Unemployed - '000 -	Labour force	Unemp- loyment rate - per cent -	Partici- pation rate cent -
1986 —										
January	230.5	23.1	253.6	9.1	46.4	231.2	22.9	254.1	9.0	46.5
February	233.8	22.7	256.5	8.9	46.9	232.6	22.8	255.3	8.9	46.7
March	231.7	23.2	254.9	9.1	46.6	234.3	22.6	256.8	8.8	46.9
April(a)	239.1	22.7	261.9	8.7	47.8	238.4	22.3	260.7	8.5	47.6
May	242.1	22.4	264.5	8.5	48.2	240.2	22.2	262.4	8.5	47.9
June	240.8	20.4	261.3	7.8	47.6	241.4	22.4	263.8	8.5	48.1
July	243.1	23.5	266.6	8.8	48.5	242.3	22.9	265.1	8.6	48.3
August	242.0	22.8	264.8	8.6	48.2	242.8	23.5	266.3	8.8	48.4
September	243.3	24.7	268.1	9.2	48.7	243.1	24.1	267.2	9.0	48.6
October	241.4	26.0	267.4	9.7	48.5	243.4	24.3	267.7	9.1	48.6
November	245.1	24.0	269.1	8.9	48.8	243.8	24.2	268.0	9.0	48.6
December	245.7	23.7	269.5	8.8	48.8	243.9	24.1	268.0	9.0	48.6
1987 —										
January	242.2	22.9	265.1	8.6	48.0	243.9	24.1	268.0	9.0	48.5
February	244.7	23.5	268.2	8.8	48.5	243.8	24.3	268.1	9.1	48.5
March	242.9	25.1	268.0	9.3	48.4	243.7	24.8	268.5	9.2	48.5
April	243.6	27.3	270.8	10.1	48.8	243.6	25.4	269.0	9.4	48.5
May	242.9	25.6	268.5	9.5	48.4	243.6	25.8	269.4	9.6	48.5
June	245.4	24.7	270.1	9.1	48.6	243.7	25.8	269.5	9.6	48.5
July	244.1	25.9	270.1	9.6	48.5	243.7	25.6	269.2	9.5	48.4
August	242.8	26.7	269.5	9.9	48.4	243.7	25.2	268.9	9.4	48.3
September	243.5	23.0	266.5	8.6	47.8	244.2	24.9	269.1	9.3	48.3
October	245.3	25.4	270.6	9.4	48.5	245.0	24.7	269.7	9.2	48.3
November	245.2	24.2	269.5	9.0	48.2	246.3	24.7	271.0	9.1	48.5
December	248.1	25.4	273.5	9.3	48.9	247.9	24.7	272.7	9.1	48.7
1988 —										
January	251.6	23.7	275.4	8.6	49.1	249.7	24.9	274.6	9.1	49.0
February	249.7	26.1	275.8	9.5	49.2	251.3	25.0	276.3	9.0	49.2
March	253.1	24.7	277.7	8.9	49.4	252.6	24.9	277.5	9.0	49.4
April	253.6	25.5	279.0	9.1	49.6	253.6	24.7	278.3	8.9	49.5
May	254.9	23.4	278.3	8.4	49.4	254.3	24.6	278.9	8.8	49.5
June	255.6	25.2	280.8	9.0	49.8	254.8	24.4	279.2	8.8	49.6
July	253.8	23.2	277.1	8.4	49.1	255.3	24.3	279.6	8.7	49.6
August	256.1	24.6	280.7	8.8	49.7	256.0	24.1	280.0	8.6	49.6
September	256.5	24.8	281.3	8.8	49.8	256.8	23.9	280.7	8.5	49.7
October	258.3	23.4	281.6	8.3	49.8	258.0	23.7	281.7	8.4	49.8
November	259.4	22.6	282.0	8.0	49.8	259.5	23.4	282.8	8.3	50.0
December	260.9	22.5	283.4	7.9	50.0	261.1	22.9	283.9	8.1	50.1
1989 —										
January	262.8	23.5	286.3	8.2	50.5	262.6	22.3	284.9	7.8	50.2
February	262.9	23.7	286.6	8.3	50.5	263.8	21.8	285.7	7.6	50.3
March	266.9	18.7	285.6	6.5	50.2	264.9	21.5	286.3	7.5	50.3
April	266.0	20.2	286.2	7.1	50.3	265.9	21.2	287.1	7.4	50.4
May	266.2	22.0	288.1	7.6	50.5	267.1	20.9	288.0	7.2	50.5
June	266.5	22.0	288.5	7.6	50.5	268.5	20.7	289.2	7.1	50.6
July	268.3	21.2	289.4	7.3	50.7	269.6	20.6	290.2	7.1	50.8
August	274.1	18.6	292.7	6.4	51.2	270.1	20.6	290.7	7.1	50.9
September	272.4	19.9	292.2	6.8	51.1	269.9	20.8	290.7	7.1	50.9
October	268.3	22.2	290.5	7.6	50.7	269.3	21.1	290.4	7.3	50.7
November	266.4	22.2	288.6	7.7	50.3	268.6	21.5	290.1	7.4	50.6
December	265.2	21.0	286.2	7.3	49.9	268.1	21.7	289.9	7.5	50.5
1990 —										
January	270.4	21.9	292.3	7.5	50.9	268.2	21.6	289.8	7.5	50.4
February	270.5	23.5	294.0	8.0	51.1	268.6	21.3	289.9	7.3	50.4
March	268.7	18.9	287.6	6.6	50.0	269.3	20.9	290.2	7.2	50.4
April	269.9	19.9	289.8	6.9	50.3	270.1	20.8	290.9	7.2	50.5
May	270.4	21.5	291.9	7.4	50.6	270.9	21.1	292.0	7.2	50.6
June	270.4	21.7	292.1	7.4	50.6	271.9	21.7	293.6	7.4	50.9
July	274.2	22.4	296.5	7.5	51.3	273.3	22.3	295.6	7.5	51.2
August	276.3	23.7	300.0	7.9	51.9	274.9	22.8	297.7	7.7	51.5
September	275.3	23.9	299.2	8.0	51.7	276.4	23.2	299.6	7.7	51.8
October	277.0	22.7	299.7	7.6	51.7	277.3	23.5	300.9	7.8	51.9
November	276.8	23.4	300.2	7.8	51.7	277.5	24.1	301.5	8.0	52.0
December	281.3	23.3	304.7	7.7	52.4	276.7	24.9	301.6	8.3	51.9
1991 —										
January	273.4	29.0	302.4	9.6	52.0	275.5	25.9	301.5	8.6	51.8
February	276.4	24.9	301.3	8.3	51.8	274.4	26.9	301.3	8.9	51.8
March	268.1	28.1	296.2	9.5	50.8	273.7	27.6	301.2	9.1	51.7
April	273.7	29.2	302.8	9.6	51.9	273.3	27.8	301.1	9.2	51.6
May	274.2	27.9	302.1	9.2	51.7	273.3	27.8	301.1	9.2	51.5
June	277.5	26.1	303.6	8.6	51.9	273.5	27.5	301.0	9.1	51.5
July	271.5	27.9	299.4	9.3	51.2	273.5	27.3	300.9	9.1	51.4
August	271.9	27.2	299.0	9.1	51.0	273.2	27.5	300.6	9.1	51.3
September	272.7	27.9	300.6	9.3	51.3	272.5	27.9	300.4	9.3	51.2
October	272.3	27.3	299.5	9.1	51.0	271.8	28.5	300.3	9.5	51.2
November	272.4	29.7	302.1	9.8	51.4	271.2	29.1	300.3	9.7	51.1
December	269.4	31.2	300.6	10.4	51.1	270.6	29.6	300.2	9.9	51.0
1992 —										
January	270.3	29.8	300.1	9.9	51.0	269.9	29.9	299.9	10.0	50.9
February	268.3	29.2	297.5	9.8	50.5	269.2	30.2	299.4	10.1	50.8

(a) Estimates for the period prior to April 1986 are based on the old definition. See paragraphs 14 and 15 of the Explanatory Notes.

**TABLE 88. CIVILIAN LABOUR FORCE: LABOUR FORCE STATUS, PERSONS, SOUTH AUSTRALIA
SEASONALLY ADJUSTED AND TREND**

Month	Seasonally Adjusted Series					Trend Series				
	Employed	Unemployed -'000 -	Labour force	Unemp- loyment rate - per cent -	Partici- pation rate - per cent -	Employed	Unemployed -'000 -	Labour force	Unemp- loyment rate - per cent -	Partici- pation rate - per cent -
1986 —										
January	590.8	55.2	646.0	8.5	60.2	592.8	54.7	647.5	8.5	60.3
February	597.9	53.5	651.4	8.2	60.6	595.1	54.8	649.9	8.4	60.5
March	595.1	56.4	651.5	8.7	60.5	597.4	54.8	652.2	8.4	60.6
April(a)	603.7	54.6	658.3	8.3	61.1	603.2	54.4	657.6	8.3	61.0
May	606.7	55.7	662.4	8.4	61.4	604.7	54.8	659.6	8.3	61.1
June	606.4	52.9	659.3	8.0	61.1	605.4	55.8	661.2	8.4	61.2
July	604.8	57.3	662.1	8.7	61.3	605.7	57.2	662.9	8.6	61.3
August	604.8	57.4	662.2	8.7	61.2	605.8	58.8	664.6	8.8	61.4
September	605.9	62.4	668.3	9.3	61.7	606.1	60.0	666.1	9.0	61.5
October	604.4	63.6	668.0	9.5	61.6	606.5	60.6	667.1	9.1	61.5
November	609.5	59.2	668.7	8.9	61.6	606.9	60.5	667.5	9.1	61.5
December	609.2	60.3	669.5	9.0	61.6	607.1	60.2	667.3	9.0	61.4
1987 —										
January	604.4	56.2	660.6	8.5	60.7	606.9	60.0	666.9	9.0	61.3
February	604.0	60.4	664.4	9.1	61.0	606.5	60.0	666.6	9.0	61.2
March	603.7	62.8	666.5	9.4	61.1	606.4	60.4	666.8	9.1	61.2
April	607.6	61.5	669.1	9.2	61.3	606.5	61.0	667.5	9.1	61.2
May	606.4	60.0	666.5	9.0	61.0	607.2	61.1	668.2	9.1	61.2
June	608.1	59.7	667.8	8.9	61.0	608.0	60.7	668.7	9.1	61.1
July	610.2	61.3	671.6	9.1	61.3	608.6	60.1	668.7	9.0	61.1
August	608.3	62.6	670.9	9.3	61.2	609.1	59.5	668.7	8.9	61.0
September	610.0	54.3	664.2	8.2	60.5	609.5	59.3	668.8	8.9	60.9
October	610.1	59.4	669.5	8.9	60.9	609.7	59.3	669.0	8.9	60.9
November	607.9	61.1	669.0	9.1	60.8	610.1	59.5	669.6	8.9	60.9
December	612.7	60.4	673.0	9.0	61.1	610.8	59.8	670.5	8.9	60.9
1988 —										
January	612.4	59.4	671.8	8.8	60.9	611.7	60.1	671.9	9.0	60.9
February	609.6	60.8	670.4	9.1	60.7	612.9	60.5	673.4	9.0	61.0
March	617.2	59.3	676.5	8.8	61.2	614.4	60.6	675.0	9.0	61.0
April	616.1	62.0	678.0	9.1	61.2	616.2	60.5	676.6	8.9	61.1
May	617.4	59.2	676.6	8.8	61.1	618.1	60.3	678.4	8.9	61.2
June	619.9	61.4	681.3	9.0	61.4	620.5	59.9	680.3	8.8	61.3
July	624.4	58.2	682.6	8.5	61.5	623.3	59.0	682.3	8.6	61.4
August	625.7	58.0	683.7	8.5	61.5	626.5	57.8	684.3	8.4	61.6
September	628.5	57.5	686.0	8.4	61.6	629.9	56.7	686.6	8.3	61.7
October	633.7	55.4	689.1	8.0	61.9	633.1	55.9	689.0	8.1	61.9
November	640.1	52.8	692.9	7.6	62.1	636.0	55.2	691.3	8.0	62.0
December	636.4	54.8	691.2	7.9	61.9	638.7	54.7	693.4	7.9	62.1
1989 —										
January	639.5	57.2	696.6	8.2	62.3	641.2	54.2	695.4	7.8	62.2
February	643.1	55.2	698.3	7.9	62.4	643.0	53.9	696.9	7.7	62.3
March	646.9	49.8	696.7	7.1	62.2	644.5	53.8	698.3	7.7	62.3
April	647.9	51.9	699.8	7.4	62.4	646.4	53.5	699.9	7.6	62.4
May	646.7	56.1	702.8	8.0	62.6	648.9	52.7	701.6	7.5	62.4
June	648.0	52.4	700.4	7.5	62.3	651.7	51.6	703.4	7.3	62.5
July	651.7	53.1	704.9	7.5	62.6	654.3	50.6	704.9	7.2	62.6
August	663.3	46.6	709.8	6.6	63.0	656.4	49.6	705.9	7.0	62.7
September	661.8	45.1	706.9	6.4	62.7	657.5	48.9	706.4	6.9	62.7
October	653.7	49.9	703.6	7.1	62.3	657.5	48.8	706.3	6.9	62.6
November	656.1	53.1	709.1	7.5	62.8	656.7	49.3	706.0	7.0	62.5
December	652.0	48.0	700.0	6.9	61.9	655.7	49.9	705.6	7.1	62.4
1990 —										
January	659.2	49.5	708.7	7.0	62.6	655.3	50.3	705.5	7.1	62.3
February	656.2	53.4	709.6	7.5	62.6	655.9	50.3	706.2	7.1	62.3
March	655.1	48.6	703.7	6.9	62.0	657.6	50.0	707.6	7.1	62.4
April	658.2	48.2	706.4	6.8	62.2	659.6	50.2	709.7	7.1	62.5
May	662.3	52.7	715.0	7.4	62.9	661.5	50.9	712.4	7.1	62.7
June	663.9	52.0	715.9	7.3	62.9	662.9	52.3	715.2	7.3	62.8
July	666.7	51.2	717.8	7.1	63.0	663.8	54.0	717.8	7.5	63.0
August	665.4	58.3	723.6	8.1	63.5	664.2	56.1	720.3	7.8	63.2
September	658.2	59.2	717.4	8.3	62.9	664.2	58.3	722.5	8.1	63.3
October	666.1	60.2	726.3	8.3	63.6	664.1	60.2	724.3	8.3	63.4
November	661.7	61.9	723.6	8.6	63.2	663.8	62.1	725.8	8.5	63.4
December	667.9	61.7	729.6	8.5	63.7	663.1	63.9	727.0	8.8	63.5
1991 —										
January	660.9	68.7	729.6	9.4	63.6	662.1	65.6	727.8	9.0	63.5
February	661.9	65.4	727.3	9.0	63.3	660.7	67.3	728.0	9.2	63.4
March	654.3	67.9	722.2	9.4	62.8	658.6	68.8	727.4	9.5	63.3
April	656.2	73.3	729.4	10.0	63.4	655.9	70.0	725.9	9.6	63.1
May	655.3	70.2	725.5	9.7	63.0	652.7	70.9	723.6	9.8	62.8
June	656.0	70.1	726.1	9.7	62.9	649.2	71.7	720.9	9.9	62.5
July	637.7	73.4	711.1	10.3	61.6	645.9	72.7	718.6	10.1	62.2
August	642.7	73.5	716.2	10.3	62.0	643.0	74.0	717.0	10.3	62.0
September	640.8	75.3	716.2	10.5	61.9	641.2	75.5	716.7	10.5	61.9
October	640.5	76.8	717.2	10.7	61.9	640.4	77.2	717.6	10.8	61.9
November	641.0	79.3	720.3	11.0	62.1	640.2	78.9	719.0	11.0	62.0
December	639.6	82.2	721.8	11.4	62.2	640.0	80.3	720.2	11.1	62.0
1992 —										
January	641.9	79.7	721.6	11.1	62.1	639.7	81.5	721.2	11.3	62.0
February	636.6	83.1	719.6	11.5	61.9	639.0	82.5	721.4	11.4	62.0

(a) Estimates for the period prior to April 1986 are based on the old definition. See paragraphs 14 and 15 of the Explanatory Notes.

TABLE 89. CIVILIAN LABOUR FORCE: LABOUR FORCE STATUS, MALES, WESTERN AUSTRALIA

Month	Employed		Unemployed			Labour force	Unemployment rate - per cent -	Participation rate
	Full-time workers	Total	Looking for full-time work	Looking for part-time work -'000-	Total			
1986 —								
January	375.6	399.0	32.8	* 2.0	34.7	433.7	8.0	79.7
February	374.4	397.6	32.7	2.4	35.1	432.7	8.1	79.2
March	374.9	399.0	32.0	3.1	35.2	434.2	8.1	79.3
April(a)	373.9	400.9	29.0	2.8	31.7	432.6	7.3	78.7
May	371.6	398.2	29.4	3.5	32.9	431.1	7.6	78.2
June	374.4	399.4	28.3	2.4	30.7	430.0	7.1	77.8
July	377.2	400.9	28.1	3.6	31.8	432.6	7.3	78.0
August	371.4	398.3	30.0	2.7	32.6	430.9	7.6	77.5
September	373.5	401.5	31.3	2.3	33.7	435.1	7.7	78.0
October	372.4	399.5	27.7	2.2	29.9	429.4	7.0	76.8
November	369.2	395.2	30.6	* 1.5	32.1	427.3	7.5	76.2
December	376.7	404.1	31.2	3.7	34.8	439.0	7.9	78.0
1987 —								
January	371.3	395.1	34.7	2.4	37.1	432.1	8.6	76.6
February	373.4	398.5	29.9	2.3	32.2	430.7	7.5	76.1
March	372.8	403.0	30.0	3.0	33.0	436.0	7.6	76.8
April	376.2	403.6	28.7	4.2	32.9	436.5	7.5	76.7
May	377.2	404.1	30.8	2.1	33.0	437.0	7.5	76.6
June	382.7	411.3	29.8	3.1	32.9	444.1	7.4	77.6
July	389.0	417.9	30.5	2.7	33.3	451.2	7.4	78.6
August	382.7	414.7	29.7	3.6	33.3	448.0	7.4	77.9
September	385.6	417.2	27.6	3.2	30.8	448.0	6.9	77.7
October	391.5	421.8	26.4	3.0	29.3	451.2	6.5	78.0
November	387.3	416.1	27.4	2.6	30.0	446.1	6.7	76.9
December	392.4	421.0	30.8	2.8	33.6	454.6	7.4	78.2
1988 —								
January	390.5	419.3	32.0	* 2.5	34.5	453.8	7.6	77.8
February	393.3	422.3	33.9	* 2.3	36.1	458.4	7.9	78.3
March	391.3	425.4	30.2	3.3	33.5	458.9	7.3	78.2
April	394.4	425.5	30.5	4.7	35.2	460.7	7.6	78.3
May	395.0	423.2	31.8	3.0	34.8	458.0	7.6	77.6
June	398.8	428.3	30.4	2.5	33.0	461.3	7.2	78.0
July	403.9	433.3	24.5	2.6	27.2	460.4	5.9	77.6
August	402.3	432.1	26.7	* 2.1	28.8	460.8	6.2	77.5
September	408.3	439.6	25.3	3.4	28.8	468.4	6.1	78.5
October	410.7	439.8	22.5	3.5	26.0	465.8	5.6	77.8
November	407.3	438.4	23.9	3.2	27.2	465.5	5.8	77.6
December	418.2	449.7	26.3	2.9	29.2	478.9	6.1	79.6
1989 —								
January	410.8	445.7	26.3	2.7	29.0	474.7	6.1	78.7
February	414.9	446.9	24.5	3.2	27.7	474.5	5.8	78.4
March	415.9	447.4	21.2	4.3	25.5	472.9	5.4	77.9
April	414.4	448.2	19.6	3.3	23.0	471.2	4.9	77.5
May	411.2	444.9	20.8	2.8	23.6	468.5	5.0	76.8
June	406.6	441.0	22.7	3.1	25.8	466.9	5.5	76.4
July	416.4	450.2	21.1	* 2.3	23.4	473.5	4.9	77.2
August	415.7	448.4	22.2	3.1	25.3	473.8	5.3	77.1
September	416.2	451.9	23.7	3.9	27.6	479.5	5.8	77.8
October	414.6	451.4	20.2	3.6	23.8	475.2	5.0	76.9
November	414.0	449.5	21.5	2.6	24.0	473.6	5.1	76.5
December	416.8	455.4	26.3	3.9	30.2	485.6	6.2	78.2
1990 —								
January	410.5	441.5	31.9	4.1	36.0	477.5	7.5	76.8
February	415.3	445.9	31.0	4.5	35.5	481.5	7.4	77.3
March	412.2	445.8	28.6	5.9	34.5	480.4	7.2	76.9
April	416.9	448.9	29.5	4.7	34.2	483.1	7.1	77.2
May	410.9	447.0	31.8	4.1	36.0	483.0	7.5	77.0
June	416.5	452.1	32.4	3.4	35.8	487.9	7.3	77.6
July	418.8	450.4	33.5	4.0	37.6	488.0	7.7	77.5
August	413.8	448.1	35.0	2.6	37.6	485.7	7.7	76.9
September	423.1	454.7	36.3	4.4	40.7	495.4	8.2	78.3
October	416.9	452.7	35.5	3.3	38.8	491.5	7.9	77.5
November	406.7	444.7	36.6	3.8	40.3	485.1	8.3	76.4
December	417.6	453.6	40.1	4.2	44.3	497.9	8.9	78.3
1991 —								
January	408.1	445.7	47.5	4.8	52.3	498.0	10.5	78.1
February	406.3	443.9	48.7	6.2	54.9	498.8	11.0	78.1
March	399.9	441.0	48.6	6.2	54.9	495.9	11.1	77.5
April	395.5	440.0	52.8	6.8	59.6	499.6	11.9	78.0
May	401.2	445.4	48.2	4.2	52.4	497.8	10.5	77.6
June	397.4	442.2	52.0	2.7	54.7	496.9	11.0	77.3
July	394.1	435.1	54.4	4.0	58.4	493.4	11.8	76.7
August	395.0	439.5	51.7	3.4	55.1	494.6	11.1	76.7
September	399.3	444.4	52.5	3.7	56.2	500.6	11.2	77.5
October	398.3	441.7	49.6	3.9	53.5	495.2	10.8	76.6
November	402.6	444.4	50.8	3.1	53.9	498.4	10.8	76.9
December	407.1	448.2	50.9	4.6	55.5	503.6	11.0	77.6
1992 —								
January	400.1	438.8	58.0	5.6	63.6	502.4	12.7	77.3
February	399.9	441.5	59.1	5.1	64.2	505.7	12.7	77.6

(a) Estimates for the period prior to April 1986 are based on the old definition. See paragraphs 14 and 15 of the Explanatory Notes.

TABLE 90. CIVILIAN LABOUR FORCE: LABOUR FORCE STATUS, MALES, WESTERN AUSTRALIA
SEASONALLY ADJUSTED AND TREND

Month	Seasonally Adjusted Series					Trend Series				
	Employed - '000 -	Unemployed - '000 -	Labour force	Unemp- loyment rate - per cent -	Partici- pation rate	Employed - '000 -	Unemployed - '000 -	Labour force	Unemp- loyment rate - per cent -	Partici- pation rate
1986 —										
January	398.7	31.9	430.6	7.4	79.1	396.8	32.3	429.2	7.5	78.8
February	398.2	32.5	430.7	7.5	78.9	397.9	32.6	430.5	7.6	78.8
March	398.7	34.0	432.7	7.9	79.0	398.7	32.7	431.4	7.6	78.8
April(a)	400.7	32.0	432.8	7.4	78.8	400.3	32.4	432.7	7.5	78.7
May	399.8	32.9	432.7	7.6	78.5	400.6	32.3	433.0	7.5	78.5
June	400.1	30.8	430.9	7.2	77.9	400.7	32.4	433.1	7.5	78.3
July	401.4	32.5	434.0	7.5	78.2	400.6	32.6	433.2	7.5	78.1
August	400.8	33.0	433.8	7.6	78.0	400.3	33.0	433.3	7.6	77.9
September	399.7	34.3	433.9	7.9	77.8	399.5	33.6	433.1	7.8	77.6
October	399.2	33.7	432.9	7.8	77.4	398.6	33.9	432.4	7.8	77.3
November	396.7	33.9	430.7	7.9	76.8	397.8	33.8	431.6	7.8	76.9
December	398.7	34.0	432.6	7.9	76.9	397.5	33.4	430.8	7.7	76.6
1987 —										
January	395.2	34.1	429.3	7.9	76.1	397.9	32.8	430.7	7.6	76.3
February	399.4	29.7	429.1	6.9	75.8	399.2	32.3	431.5	7.5	76.2
March	403.0	32.1	435.0	7.4	76.6	401.6	32.2	433.8	7.4	76.4
April	403.7	33.1	436.8	7.6	76.7	404.7	32.4	437.1	7.4	76.8
May	406.6	32.6	439.2	7.4	76.9	408.2	32.8	441.0	7.4	77.3
June	411.8	33.0	444.8	7.4	77.7	411.6	33.2	444.8	7.5	77.7
July	417.9	34.2	452.2	7.6	78.8	414.5	33.3	447.8	7.4	78.0
August	416.7	33.9	450.6	7.5	78.3	416.4	33.2	449.6	7.4	78.2
September	414.9	31.4	446.3	7.0	77.4	417.4	32.8	450.2	7.3	78.1
October	421.0	33.0	454.0	7.3	78.5	417.8	32.5	450.3	7.2	77.9
November	418.0	31.9	449.9	7.1	77.6	418.1	32.2	450.4	7.2	77.7
December	415.3	32.8	448.0	7.3	77.1	419.0	32.2	451.2	7.1	77.6
1988 —										
January	419.8	31.5	451.3	7.0	77.4	420.3	32.6	452.9	7.2	77.7
February	423.4	33.2	456.6	7.3	78.0	422.1	33.2	455.3	7.3	77.8
March	425.9	32.6	458.4	7.1	78.1	424.0	33.6	457.6	7.3	77.9
April	426.1	35.2	461.3	7.6	78.4	425.9	33.6	459.5	7.3	78.1
May	426.5	34.4	460.9	7.5	78.1	427.8	33.0	460.9	7.2	78.1
June	428.5	33.2	461.8	7.2	78.0	429.7	32.0	461.7	6.9	78.0
July	432.8	27.9	460.7	6.1	77.6	431.6	30.9	462.5	6.7	78.0
August	433.6	29.4	463.1	6.4	77.8	433.8	29.9	463.8	6.5	77.9
September	436.8	29.4	466.2	6.3	78.1	436.3	29.3	465.5	6.3	78.0
October	438.4	29.2	467.6	6.2	78.1	438.8	28.9	467.6	6.2	78.2
November	440.4	29.0	469.4	6.2	78.2	441.3	28.5	469.7	6.1	78.3
December	443.4	28.6	472.0	6.1	78.4	443.8	27.8	471.5	5.9	78.4
1989 —										
January	446.6	26.4	473.0	5.6	78.4	445.9	26.7	472.6	5.6	78.3
February	448.2	25.4	473.5	5.4	78.2	447.4	25.5	472.9	5.4	78.1
March	448.4	24.7	473.1	5.2	78.0	447.9	24.6	472.5	5.2	77.9
April	449.2	23.0	472.2	4.9	77.6	447.9	24.0	471.9	5.1	77.6
May	448.8	23.4	472.2	4.9	77.4	447.5	24.1	471.6	5.1	77.3
June	441.1	26.0	467.1	5.6	76.4	447.4	24.5	471.9	5.2	77.2
July	449.5	23.9	473.4	5.0	77.2	447.8	25.1	472.9	5.3	77.1
August	450.0	26.2	476.2	5.5	77.4	448.6	25.7	474.3	5.4	77.1
September	448.8	28.2	476.9	5.9	77.4	449.3	26.4	475.7	5.5	77.2
October	449.6	26.6	476.2	5.6	77.1	449.4	27.2	476.6	5.7	77.1
November	451.6	25.7	477.3	5.4	77.1	448.9	28.2	477.1	5.9	77.0
December	448.9	29.9	478.8	6.2	77.1	447.9	29.5	477.4	6.2	76.9
1990 —										
January	442.5	32.6	475.1	6.9	76.4	447.2	30.9	478.1	6.5	76.9
February	447.2	32.5	479.6	6.8	77.0	447.2	32.3	479.5	6.7	77.0
March	447.3	33.4	480.7	6.9	77.0	447.9	33.5	481.4	7.0	77.1
April	450.2	34.2	484.4	7.1	77.4	448.9	34.5	483.5	7.1	77.3
May	450.9	35.7	486.6	7.3	77.6	450.1	35.5	485.6	7.3	77.4
June	452.0	36.1	488.1	7.4	77.7	450.9	36.7	487.6	7.5	77.6
July	449.8	38.4	488.1	7.9	77.5	451.0	38.1	489.1	7.8	77.7
August	449.6	39.0	488.7	8.0	77.4	450.7	39.5	490.2	8.1	77.7
September	451.3	41.5	492.7	8.4	77.9	450.1	40.8	491.0	8.3	77.6
October	450.8	43.2	494.0	8.7	77.9	449.3	42.1	491.5	8.6	77.5
November	446.5	43.2	489.7	8.8	77.1	448.3	43.6	491.9	8.9	77.5
December	447.0	44.3	491.3	9.0	77.2	447.0	45.6	492.6	9.3	77.4
1991 —										
January	446.8	47.1	493.9	9.5	77.5	446.0	47.9	493.9	9.7	77.5
February	445.1	50.1	495.2	10.1	77.6	445.2	50.3	495.5	10.2	77.6
March	442.8	52.8	495.6	10.7	77.5	444.4	52.6	497.1	10.6	77.7
April	441.3	59.8	501.1	11.9	78.2	443.6	54.5	498.2	10.9	77.8
May	449.3	52.0	501.2	10.4	78.1	442.5	55.9	498.4	11.2	77.7
June	442.1	55.2	497.3	11.1	77.4	441.4	56.8	498.1	11.4	77.5
July	434.5	59.6	494.1	12.1	76.8	440.6	57.3	498.0	11.5	77.4
August	441.1	57.3	498.4	11.5	77.3	440.4	57.7	498.0	11.6	77.3
September	440.9	57.0	497.9	11.5	77.1	440.6	57.8	498.4	11.6	77.2
October	439.9	59.5	499.3	11.9	77.2	441.2	57.8	499.0	11.6	77.1
November	446.1	57.8	503.9	11.5	77.8	441.9	57.6	499.5	11.5	77.1
December	441.6	55.8	497.4	11.2	76.6	442.3	57.4	499.7	11.5	77.0
1992 —										
January	440.0	57.0	496.9	11.5	76.4	442.4	57.3	499.7	11.5	76.9
February	442.8	58.5	501.3	11.7	77.0	442.1	57.4	499.5	11.5	76.7

(a) Estimates for the period prior to April 1986 are based on the old definition. See paragraphs 14 and 15 of the Explanatory Notes.

TABLE 91. CIVILIAN LABOUR FORCE: LABOUR FORCE STATUS, FEMALES, WESTERN AUSTRALIA

Month	Employed		Unemployed		Labour force	Unemployment rate - per cent -	Participation rate	
	Full-time workers	Total	Looking for full-time work	Looking for part-time work -'000-				
1986 —								
January	145.3	241.6	18.4	5.1	23.5	265.1	8.9	48.7
February	146.6	249.5	18.6	8.2	26.8	276.3	9.7	50.6
March	146.9	256.3	18.3	8.3	26.6	282.9	9.4	51.7
April(a)	151.2	258.1	17.5	8.2	25.7	283.8	9.1	51.7
May	153.6	261.6	18.3	6.0	24.3	285.9	8.5	51.9
June	149.7	261.6	15.4	8.3	23.7	285.3	8.3	51.7
July	153.8	266.1	14.8	8.2	23.0	289.1	8.0	52.2
August	150.3	261.0	13.5	9.0	22.4	283.5	7.9	51.0
September	155.1	268.6	16.8	8.3	25.2	293.7	8.6	52.7
October	155.8	267.2	14.1	6.2	20.3	287.4	7.1	51.5
November	155.6	268.1	14.5	6.7	21.2	289.3	7.3	51.6
December	157.5	263.7	18.1	6.4	24.5	288.1	8.5	51.3
1987 —								
January	156.2	255.7	18.3	5.1	23.4	279.1	8.4	49.5
February	154.7	267.0	20.7	7.5	28.2	295.2	9.5	52.2
March	153.4	267.5	19.0	10.7	29.7	297.2	10.0	52.5
April	155.4	265.3	19.6	7.8	27.4	292.7	9.4	51.5
May	154.2	264.2	17.8	6.3	24.1	288.3	8.4	50.6
June	152.4	267.1	17.0	6.5	23.4	290.6	8.1	50.9
July	157.7	266.0	17.7	6.2	23.9	289.9	8.3	50.7
August	154.6	262.4	14.4	6.9	21.3	283.7	7.5	49.4
September	158.2	273.2	15.2	6.4	21.6	294.8	7.3	51.3
October	155.1	271.8	15.4	6.3	21.7	293.5	7.4	50.9
November	153.3	272.4	14.6	6.5	21.1	293.5	7.2	50.8
December	160.1	278.1	16.7	7.9	24.6	302.8	8.1	52.2
1988 —								
January	155.9	267.0	20.9	6.6	27.4	294.4	9.3	50.6
February	157.8	269.6	18.9	8.3	27.2	296.8	9.2	50.9
March	159.7	281.6	18.8	10.1	28.9	310.5	9.3	53.1
April	157.9	274.8	19.2	8.9	28.1	302.8	9.3	51.7
May	162.4	278.5	17.9	9.3	27.2	305.7	8.9	52.0
June	162.6	282.7	17.2	7.2	24.4	307.2	8.0	52.1
July	160.4	278.4	16.4	6.8	23.1	301.6	7.7	51.0
August	154.7	280.2	16.4	5.4	21.9	302.1	7.2	51.0
September	165.6	293.9	13.9	7.2	21.0	314.9	6.7	53.0
October	166.9	289.0	13.8	6.2	20.0	309.0	6.5	51.9
November	165.8	290.7	15.6	7.2	22.8	313.5	7.3	52.5
December	166.2	293.6	17.1	8.1	25.2	318.9	7.9	53.2
1989 —								
January	167.9	290.7	16.5	6.1	22.6	313.3	7.2	52.1
February	169.7	296.4	15.9	7.4	23.3	319.7	7.3	53.0
March	168.4	296.2	14.4	9.6	24.0	320.3	7.5	53.0
April	165.9	300.9	13.8	8.0	21.8	322.7	6.8	53.2
May	165.5	300.5	12.8	7.4	20.1	320.6	6.3	52.8
June	163.8	301.7	11.7	7.6	19.3	321.0	6.0	52.7
July	168.2	298.4	12.5	6.9	19.4	317.8	6.1	52.0
August	164.9	302.9	12.4	7.0	19.3	322.2	6.0	52.6
September	168.8	308.3	14.8	8.5	23.3	331.5	7.0	54.0
October	169.6	309.1	13.6	6.2	19.8	328.8	6.0	53.4
November	175.4	308.5	11.5	5.1	16.7	325.1	5.1	52.7
December	178.4	314.2	16.4	8.8	25.1	339.3	7.4	54.9
1990 —								
January	180.5	303.5	19.4	7.2	26.7	330.2	8.1	53.3
February	180.8	313.5	18.3	9.5	27.9	341.3	8.2	55.0
March	176.9	319.0	16.8	10.4	27.2	346.2	7.9	55.7
April	176.5	313.9	16.9	10.8	27.7	341.7	8.1	54.8
May	172.8	312.8	18.1	8.3	26.3	339.1	7.8	54.3
June	167.9	310.5	17.5	9.2	26.7	337.3	7.9	53.9
July	177.7	318.6	15.6	7.6	23.2	341.8	6.8	54.5
August	170.9	311.9	18.2	7.1	25.2	337.1	7.5	53.6
September	176.9	316.7	19.0	9.9	28.9	345.7	8.4	54.8
October	173.7	313.4	20.0	6.8	26.8	340.2	7.9	53.9
November	171.7	311.2	17.8	7.9	25.7	336.9	7.6	53.2
December	175.2	316.9	20.7	7.7	28.5	345.4	8.2	54.5
1991 —								
January	175.0	304.6	20.7	9.3	30.0	334.6	9.0	52.7
February	170.2	307.2	24.9	10.1	35.0	342.2	10.2	53.8
March	165.0	309.9	23.8	12.9	36.6	346.6	10.6	54.4
April	164.8	311.9	24.1	12.4	36.5	348.4	10.5	54.6
May	164.1	310.9	25.6	7.8	33.4	344.3	9.7	53.8
June	168.1	309.3	23.5	9.5	33.0	342.3	9.6	53.4
July	167.0	307.6	24.1	7.3	31.4	339.0	9.3	52.8
August	169.3	315.0	23.8	9.0	32.8	347.8	9.4	54.1
September	168.9	315.9	25.5	9.3	34.9	350.8	9.9	54.5
October	169.0	309.8	25.9	7.7	33.6	343.4	9.8	53.2
November	167.6	311.2	22.9	9.3	32.1	343.3	9.4	53.1
December	173.9	317.0	26.3	9.1	35.4	352.4	10.0	54.4
1992 —								
January	170.6	302.2	30.3	10.2	40.5	342.7	11.8	52.8
February	166.6	309.1	29.0	9.9	38.9	348.0	11.2	53.5

(a) Estimates for the period prior to April 1986 are based on the old definition. See paragraphs 14 and 15 of the Explanatory Notes.

TABLE 92. CIVILIAN LABOUR FORCE: LABOUR FORCE STATUS, FEMALES, WESTERN AUSTRALIA
SEASONALLY ADJUSTED AND TREND

Month	Seasonally Adjusted Series					Trend Series				
	Employed	Unemployed - '000 -	Labour force	Unem- ployment rate - per cent -	Parti- cipa- tion rate	Employed	Unemployed - '000 -	Labour force	Unem- ployment rate - per cent -	Parti- cipa- tion rate
1986 —										
January	249.7	23.4	273.1	8.6	50.2	251.6	23.0	274.7	8.4	50.5
February	252.6	23.7	276.3	8.6	50.6	252.7	23.4	276.1	8.5	50.6
March	253.5	23.4	276.9	8.5	50.6	253.9	23.7	277.6	8.5	50.7
April(a)	257.5	23.9	281.4	8.5	51.3	258.0	23.8	281.8	8.4	51.3
May	260.5	24.1	284.7	8.5	51.7	260.0	24.0	284.1	8.5	51.6
June	260.5	24.1	284.6	8.5	51.5	262.1	24.3	286.4	8.5	51.9
July	266.8	23.9	290.8	8.2	52.5	263.9	24.4	288.3	8.5	52.0
August	263.8	24.7	288.5	8.6	51.9	264.9	24.4	289.3	8.4	52.1
September	265.5	25.7	291.2	8.8	52.3	265.2	24.3	289.5	8.4	52.0
October	265.6	23.1	288.7	8.0	51.7	265.1	24.0	289.1	8.3	51.8
November	266.9	23.7	290.6	8.2	51.9	264.9	23.9	288.8	8.3	51.6
December	260.1	23.7	283.9	8.4	50.5	264.8	24.0	288.8	8.3	51.4
1987 —										
January	263.8	23.2	287.0	8.1	51.0	264.8	24.2	289.0	8.4	51.3
February	269.6	25.1	294.7	8.5	52.2	264.9	24.6	289.5	8.5	51.2
March	264.4	26.0	290.3	8.9	51.2	265.1	24.8	289.9	8.6	51.2
April	264.9	25.3	290.2	8.7	51.1	265.2	24.9	290.1	8.6	51.1
May	263.5	23.7	287.3	8.3	50.4	265.3	24.7	290.0	8.5	50.9
June	266.1	23.8	290.0	8.2	50.8	265.6	24.3	289.9	8.4	50.8
July	267.4	25.1	292.5	8.6	51.8	266.2	23.9	290.1	8.2	50.7
August	265.5	23.5	289.0	8.1	50.4	267.5	23.6	291.0	8.1	50.7
September	269.8	22.0	291.8	7.5	50.7	269.0	23.6	292.5	8.1	50.9
October	270.3	24.7	295.1	8.4	51.2	270.4	23.8	294.2	8.1	51.0
November	271.4	23.8	295.2	8.1	51.1	271.8	24.1	295.9	8.2	51.2
December	274.4	23.8	298.3	8.0	51.5	272.8	24.5	297.4	8.3	51.3
1988 —										
January	274.6	27.0	301.6	9.0	51.9	273.8	25.0	298.8	8.4	51.4
February	271.5	24.3	295.8	8.2	50.7	274.6	25.4	300.0	8.5	51.5
March	278.2	25.1	303.4	8.3	51.9	275.5	25.7	301.1	8.5	51.5
April	274.5	25.7	300.2	8.6	51.2	276.6	25.8	302.4	8.5	51.6
May	278.2	26.8	305.0	8.8	51.9	278.2	25.5	303.7	8.4	51.7
June	281.9	25.0	307.0	8.2	52.1	280.2	25.0	305.2	8.2	51.8
July	280.5	24.6	305.1	8.1	51.6	282.3	24.4	306.7	8.0	51.9
August	283.2	24.1	307.4	7.8	51.9	284.4	23.9	308.3	7.8	52.0
September	290.1	21.4	311.5	6.9	52.4	286.5	23.6	310.1	7.6	52.2
October	287.7	22.6	310.2	7.3	52.1	288.7	23.5	312.2	7.5	52.4
November	290.0	25.8	315.8	8.2	52.8	290.7	23.5	314.1	7.5	52.6
December	289.5	24.5	314.0	7.8	52.4	292.6	23.2	315.8	7.3	52.7
1989 —										
January	298.4	22.0	320.4	6.9	53.3	294.4	22.6	316.9	7.1	52.7
February	297.9	20.8	318.8	6.5	52.9	295.9	21.7	317.6	6.8	52.7
March	292.7	21.0	313.7	6.7	51.9	297.4	20.7	318.2	6.5	52.6
April	300.5	19.9	320.4	6.2	52.9	298.8	20.1	318.9	6.3	52.6
May	300.5	19.8	320.3	6.2	52.7	299.9	20.0	320.0	6.3	52.7
June	301.2	19.8	321.0	6.2	52.7	301.2	20.4	321.6	6.3	52.8
July	301.3	21.0	322.3	6.5	52.8	302.6	20.8	323.4	6.4	52.9
August	305.6	21.3	326.9	6.5	53.4	304.1	21.2	325.3	6.5	53.1
September	304.2	23.5	327.8	7.2	53.4	305.4	21.6	327.1	6.6	53.3
October	308.0	22.2	330.2	6.7	53.6	306.9	22.1	329.0	6.7	53.5
November	308.1	18.9	326.9	5.8	53.0	308.6	22.7	331.3	6.9	53.7
December	309.6	24.6	334.2	7.4	54.1	310.4	23.3	333.6	7.0	54.0
1990 —										
January	310.9	25.7	336.6	7.6	54.3	311.8	23.9	335.7	7.1	54.2
February	314.7	25.0	339.6	7.3	54.7	312.8	24.6	337.4	7.3	54.4
March	315.4	23.8	339.2	7.0	54.5	313.6	25.1	338.7	7.4	54.5
April	313.3	25.2	338.6	7.5	54.3	314.2	25.4	339.6	7.5	54.5
May	312.9	25.9	338.9	7.7	54.2	314.7	25.8	340.4	7.6	54.5
June	310.5	27.5	338.0	8.1	54.0	314.9	26.3	341.2	7.7	54.5
July	322.3	25.3	347.6	7.3	55.4	314.9	27.1	342.0	7.9	54.5
August	314.0	27.8	341.8	8.1	54.3	314.6	27.9	342.5	8.1	54.5
September	312.7	29.2	341.9	8.5	54.2	314.1	28.4	342.5	8.3	54.3
October	312.6	29.8	342.4	8.7	54.2	313.1	28.7	341.8	8.4	54.1
November	311.0	29.2	340.2	8.6	53.8	311.9	29.0	340.9	8.5	53.9
December	312.0	28.1	340.1	8.3	53.6	310.8	29.3	340.1	8.6	53.6
1991 —										
January	311.8	28.6	340.3	8.4	53.6	310.0	29.9	339.9	8.8	53.5
February	308.2	31.4	339.6	9.2	53.4	309.5	30.6	340.1	9.0	53.4
March	306.5	32.2	338.8	9.5	53.1	309.2	31.6	340.8	9.3	53.5
April	311.2	33.3	344.5	9.7	53.9	309.5	32.6	342.1	9.5	53.6
May	311.0	32.9	343.9	9.6	53.8	310.3	33.5	343.8	9.7	53.7
June	309.6	33.9	343.5	9.9	53.6	311.3	34.2	345.5	9.9	53.9
July	311.4	34.5	345.9	10.0	53.9	312.1	34.8	346.8	10.0	54.0
August	316.6	36.1	352.7	10.2	54.9	312.4	35.3	347.7	10.2	54.1
September	311.9	34.9	346.9	10.1	53.8	312.2	35.8	348.0	10.3	54.0
October	309.1	37.3	346.4	10.8	53.7	311.7	36.2	347.9	10.4	53.9
November	311.1	36.4	347.5	10.5	53.8	311.1	36.4	347.5	10.5	53.7
December	312.0	35.1	347.1	10.1	53.6	310.5	36.4	347.0	10.5	53.6
1992 —										
January	309.3	38.4	347.7	11.1	53.6	310.1	36.4	346.5	10.5	53.4
February	310.0	34.9	344.9	10.1	53.1	309.6	36.3	345.9	10.5	53.2

(a) Estimates for the period prior to April 1986 are based on the old definition. See paragraphs 14 and 15 of the Explanatory Notes.

**TABLE 94. CIVILIAN LABOUR FORCE: LABOUR FORCE STATUS, PERSONS, WESTERN AUSTRALIA
SEASONALLY ADJUSTED AND TREND**

Month	Seasonally Adjusted Series					Trend Series				
	Employed	Unemployed	Labour force	Unemployment rate	Participation rate	Employed	Unemployed	Labour force	Unemployment rate	Participation rate
	-'000 -			- per cent -		-'000 -			- per cent -	
1986 —										
January	648.4	55.3	703.8	7.9	64.7	648.4	55.4	703.8	7.9	64.7
February	650.9	56.2	707.0	7.9	64.8	650.6	56.0	706.6	7.9	64.7
March	652.2	57.5	709.6	8.1	64.8	652.6	56.4	709.0	8.0	64.8
April(a)	658.3	55.9	714.2	7.8	65.0	658.3	56.2	714.5	7.9	65.1
May	660.3	57.0	717.4	8.0	65.1	660.7	56.4	717.0	7.9	65.1
June	660.6	54.9	715.5	7.7	64.7	662.9	56.6	719.5	7.9	65.1
July	668.3	56.5	724.8	7.8	65.4	664.5	57.0	721.5	7.9	65.1
August	664.6	57.7	722.3	8.0	65.0	665.1	57.5	722.6	8.0	65.0
September	665.1	60.0	725.1	8.3	65.0	664.7	57.8	722.5	8.0	64.8
October	664.8	56.8	721.6	7.9	64.5	663.7	57.9	721.6	8.0	64.5
November	663.6	57.7	721.3	8.0	64.3	662.7	57.7	720.4	8.0	64.3
December	658.8	57.7	716.5	8.1	63.7	662.3	57.4	719.6	8.0	64.0
1987 —										
January	659.0	57.3	716.3	8.0	63.5	662.6	57.0	719.7	7.9	63.8
February	669.0	54.8	723.8	7.6	64.0	664.1	56.9	721.0	7.9	63.8
March	667.3	58.1	725.4	8.0	64.0	666.6	57.1	723.7	7.9	63.8
April	668.7	58.4	727.0	8.0	63.9	669.9	57.3	727.2	7.9	63.9
May	670.2	56.3	726.5	7.8	63.7	673.5	57.5	731.0	7.9	64.1
June	677.9	56.9	734.8	7.7	64.3	677.2	57.4	734.6	7.8	64.3
July	685.3	59.4	744.7	8.0	65.0	680.7	57.2	737.9	7.7	64.4
August	682.1	57.4	739.5	7.8	64.4	683.9	56.7	740.6	7.7	64.5
September	684.7	53.4	738.1	7.2	64.1	686.4	56.4	742.8	7.6	64.5
October	691.3	57.8	749.1	7.7	64.9	688.2	56.3	744.5	7.6	64.5
November	689.4	55.7	745.1	7.5	64.4	689.9	56.3	746.2	7.6	64.5
December	689.7	56.6	746.3	7.6	64.3	691.8	56.8	748.5	7.6	64.5
1988 —										
January	694.4	58.5	753.0	7.8	64.7	694.1	57.6	751.7	7.7	64.6
February	694.9	57.6	752.5	7.6	64.4	696.7	58.6	755.3	7.8	64.7
March	704.1	57.7	761.8	7.6	65.0	699.4	59.3	758.7	7.8	64.8
April	700.5	61.0	761.5	8.0	64.8	702.5	59.4	761.9	7.8	64.9
May	704.7	61.1	765.9	8.0	65.0	706.0	58.6	764.6	7.7	64.9
June	710.5	58.3	768.7	7.6	65.1	709.9	57.0	766.9	7.4	64.9
July	713.3	52.5	765.8	6.9	64.7	713.9	55.3	769.2	7.2	65.0
August	716.9	53.6	770.5	7.0	64.9	718.2	53.8	772.0	7.0	65.0
September	727.0	50.8	777.8	6.5	65.3	722.8	52.9	775.7	6.8	65.1
October	726.1	51.8	777.8	6.7	65.1	727.5	52.4	779.9	6.7	65.3
November	730.3	54.8	785.2	7.0	65.6	731.9	52.0	783.9	6.6	65.5
December	732.9	53.2	786.0	6.8	65.4	736.4	51.0	787.3	6.5	65.6
1989 —										
January	745.0	48.4	793.3	6.1	65.9	740.3	49.3	789.6	6.2	65.6
February	746.1	46.2	792.3	5.8	65.6	743.3	47.2	790.5	6.0	65.4
March	741.0	45.7	786.8	5.8	64.9	745.4	45.3	790.7	5.7	65.3
April	749.7	42.9	792.6	5.4	65.3	746.6	44.1	790.8	5.6	65.1
May	749.3	43.2	792.5	5.4	65.1	747.5	44.1	791.6	5.6	65.0
June	742.3	45.8	788.1	5.8	64.6	748.6	44.9	793.5	5.7	65.0
July	750.8	44.9	795.7	5.6	65.0	750.4	45.9	796.3	5.8	65.1
August	755.5	47.5	803.0	5.9	65.4	752.7	46.9	799.6	5.9	65.1
September	753.0	51.7	804.7	6.4	65.4	754.7	48.0	802.7	6.0	65.2
October	757.6	48.8	806.4	6.0	65.4	756.3	49.4	805.7	6.1	65.3
November	759.7	44.6	804.3	5.5	65.1	757.5	50.9	808.4	6.3	65.4
December	758.5	54.5	813.0	6.7	65.6	758.3	52.8	811.1	6.5	65.5
1990 —										
January	753.4	58.3	811.7	7.2	65.4	758.9	54.9	813.8	6.7	65.6
February	761.9	57.4	819.3	7.0	65.9	760.0	56.8	816.9	7.0	65.7
March	762.7	57.2	819.9	7.0	65.8	761.5	58.6	820.1	7.1	65.8
April	763.5	59.4	822.9	7.2	65.9	763.1	60.0	823.1	7.3	65.9
May	763.9	61.6	825.5	7.5	65.9	764.7	61.3	826.0	7.4	66.0
June	762.4	63.6	826.1	7.7	65.8	765.8	63.0	828.8	7.6	66.1
July	772.1	63.7	835.8	7.6	66.5	765.9	65.2	831.1	7.8	66.1
August	763.6	66.8	830.5	8.0	65.9	765.3	67.4	832.7	8.1	66.1
September	763.9	70.7	834.6	8.5	66.1	764.2	69.2	833.4	8.3	66.0
October	763.4	73.0	836.4	8.7	66.1	762.5	70.8	833.3	8.5	65.9
November	757.5	72.4	829.9	8.7	65.5	760.1	72.6	832.8	8.7	65.7
December	759.0	72.4	831.4	8.7	65.4	757.8	75.0	832.7	9.0	65.5
1991 —										
January	758.6	75.7	834.2	9.1	65.5	756.0	77.8	833.8	9.3	65.5
February	753.3	81.4	834.7	9.8	65.5	754.7	81.0	835.6	9.7	65.5
March	749.3	85.0	834.4	10.2	65.3	753.6	84.3	837.9	10.1	65.6
April	752.5	93.0	845.5	11.0	66.1	753.1	87.1	840.3	10.4	65.7
May	760.3	84.9	845.1	10.0	66.0	752.9	89.3	842.2	10.6	65.7
June	751.6	89.2	840.8	10.6	65.5	752.7	90.9	843.6	10.8	65.7
July	745.9	94.1	840.0	11.2	65.3	752.7	92.1	844.8	10.9	65.7
August	757.8	93.4	851.2	11.0	66.1	752.8	93.0	845.8	11.0	65.7
September	752.9	91.9	844.8	10.9	65.5	752.7	93.7	846.4	11.1	65.6
October	749.0	96.7	845.7	11.4	65.4	752.9	94.0	846.9	11.1	65.5
November	757.2	94.2	851.5	11.1	65.8	753.0	94.0	847.0	11.1	65.4
December	753.6	90.9	844.5	10.8	65.1	752.8	93.9	846.7	11.1	65.3
1992 —										
January	749.2	95.4	844.6	11.3	65.0	752.5	93.7	846.2	11.1	65.1
February	752.8	93.4	846.1	11.0	65.0	751.7	93.7	845.5	11.1	65.0

(a) Estimates for the period prior to April 1986 are based on the old definition. See paragraphs 14 and 15 of the Explanatory Notes

TABLE 95. CIVILIAN LABOUR FORCE: LABOUR FORCE STATUS, MALES, TASMANIA

Month	Employed		Unemployed		Labour force	Unemployment rate - per cent -	Participation rate	
	Full-time workers	Total	Looking for full-time work	Looking for part-time work '000.				
1986 —								
January	105.5	112.0	11.8	* 0.9	12.7	124.7	10.2	75.2
February	107.0	113.4	11.0	* 0.4	11.4	124.8	9.1	75.2
March	106.2	113.1	10.4	* 0.4	10.8	123.9	8.7	74.5
April(a)	106.8	114.5	9.5	* 0.7	10.1	124.6	8.1	74.9
May	106.3	113.8	9.3	* 0.6	9.9	123.7	8.0	74.3
June	106.9	113.5	9.2	* 0.5	9.8	123.2	7.9	74.0
July	108.3	115.0	9.1	* 0.4	9.5	124.5	7.6	74.7
August	106.5	113.4	8.6	* 0.8	9.4	122.8	7.7	73.6
September	108.1	114.5	8.9	* 0.8	9.6	124.1	7.8	74.4
October	106.8	113.1	10.0	* 0.6	10.6	123.8	8.6	74.1
November	105.8	112.0	10.0	* 0.5	10.6	122.6	8.6	73.3
December	108.9	114.8	11.5	* 0.5	12.0	126.8	9.5	75.7
1987 —								
January	106.0	111.4	12.3	1.1	13.4	124.8	10.7	74.5
February	109.7	114.9	11.4	* 0.5	11.9	126.7	9.4	75.6
March	107.3	113.4	11.0	* 0.8	11.8	125.3	9.5	74.7
April	107.3	114.5	9.8	* 0.3	10.0	124.6	8.1	74.3
May	104.5	111.6	11.3	* 0.5	11.8	123.4	9.6	73.5
June	106.1	112.5	11.0	* 0.4	11.4	123.9	9.2	73.8
July	105.4	112.5	9.9	* 0.5	10.4	122.9	8.4	73.2
August	104.3	111.1	9.3	1.2	10.5	121.7	8.7	72.5
September	104.4	111.3	10.6	* 0.3	10.9	122.2	8.9	72.8
October	104.3	111.5	9.7	* 0.5	10.3	121.8	8.4	72.5
November	103.8	110.4	10.4	* 0.8	11.2	121.7	9.2	72.4
December	108.4	115.4	10.6	* 0.8	11.4	126.8	9.0	75.4
1988 —								
January	105.7	114.4	12.0	* 0.8	12.8	127.2	10.1	75.6
February	107.0	114.7	11.3	* 0.7	12.0	126.6	9.4	75.2
March	108.3	115.5	10.5	* 1.0	11.5	127.1	9.1	75.4
April	109.9	117.5	9.5	* 0.7	10.2	127.8	8.0	75.8
May	110.2	117.2	8.7	* 0.9	9.6	126.8	7.5	75.2
June	108.9	116.0	10.0	* 0.6	10.6	126.7	8.4	75.1
July	108.1	115.5	10.5	* 0.4	10.9	126.4	8.6	74.9
August	107.4	115.2	10.1	* 0.5	10.6	125.8	8.4	74.5
September	108.2	115.8	10.8	* 1.1	11.8	127.6	9.3	75.5
October	107.3	115.1	10.7	* 0.7	11.3	126.4	9.0	74.8
November	106.5	114.7	11.5	* 0.6	12.1	126.8	9.5	74.9
December	108.8	116.4	11.5	* 0.7	12.2	128.6	9.5	76.0
1989 —								
January	104.9	112.6	11.4	* 0.9	12.3	124.9	9.8	73.7
February	105.9	114.1	11.9	* 0.8	12.7	126.8	10.0	74.8
March	105.5	114.6	10.9	* 0.4	11.3	125.9	9.0	74.2
April	106.9	116.2	9.2	* 0.9	10.1	126.2	8.0	74.4
May	106.0	115.7	9.9	* 0.6	10.5	126.2	8.3	74.3
June	105.0	113.9	10.9	* 0.8	11.6	125.5	9.3	73.8
July	106.4	115.5	9.1	* 0.9	9.9	125.4	7.9	73.7
August	106.3	115.8	9.9	* 0.5	10.3	126.1	8.2	74.0
September	106.5	117.3	10.0	* 0.7	10.7	128.0	8.4	75.1
October	108.1	118.6	7.9	* 0.7	8.6	127.2	6.8	74.5
November	107.4	118.0	9.2	* 0.9	10.1	128.1	7.9	74.9
December	110.0	120.3	10.3	* 1.1	11.3	131.6	8.6	76.9
1990 —								
January	108.0	118.0	11.2	* 0.8	12.1	130.0	9.3	75.9
February	110.0	118.1	10.1	* 0.9	11.0	129.1	8.5	75.3
March	109.8	118.3	9.6	* 1.0	10.6	128.9	8.2	75.1
April	110.0	120.4	9.9	* 0.7	10.5	130.9	8.0	76.2
May	110.8	119.7	10.2	* 1.1	11.2	130.9	8.6	76.1
June	111.0	119.0	10.7	* 1.3	11.9	130.9	9.1	76.0
July	109.8	119.7	11.2	* 0.8	12.0	131.7	9.1	76.3
August	108.3	116.8	12.4	* 0.5	12.9	129.6	9.9	75.0
September	108.5	118.7	12.3	* 0.6	12.9	131.6	9.8	76.1
October	107.3	117.1	11.2	* 1.2	12.4	129.5	9.6	74.8
November	107.1	118.7	10.5	* 0.7	11.2	130.0	8.6	74.9
December	106.6	118.4	12.2	* 1.1	13.3	131.7	10.1	75.8
1991 —								
January	104.7	115.6	12.4	* 1.3	13.7	129.3	10.6	74.4
February	104.3	116.5	12.7	* 0.9	13.6	130.1	10.5	74.8
March	104.7	116.4	11.9	1.4	13.3	129.7	10.3	74.5
April	104.3	116.6	12.0	* 1.0	15.1	129.7	10.1	74.4
May	102.9	113.3	13.3	* 0.5	13.8	127.1	10.9	72.9
June	99.7	111.3	14.3	* 0.8	15.1	126.4	12.0	72.5
July	101.5	113.3	13.0	* 0.5	13.5	126.8	10.7	72.6
August	99.8	111.4	14.3	* 0.9	15.2	126.6	12.0	72.4
September	102.3	113.3	15.0	* 0.7	15.8	129.1	12.2	73.8
October	101.6	112.2	13.7	* 0.6	14.3	126.5	11.3	72.3
November	99.2	110.9	14.9	* 0.7	15.6	126.5	12.3	72.2
December	102.1	113.7	14.8	* 1.0	15.8	129.5	12.2	73.9
1992 —								
January	101.5	111.4	15.0	1.3	16.3	127.7	12.8	72.8
February	101.7	111.9	14.1	* 1.2	15.3	127.1	12.0	72.4

(a) Estimates for the period prior to April 1986 are based on the old definition. See paragraphs 14 and 15 of the Explanatory Notes.

TABLE 96. CIVILIAN LABOUR FORCE: LABOUR FORCE STATUS, MALES, TASMANIA
SEASONALLY ADJUSTED AND TREND

Month	Seasonally Adjusted Series					Trend Series				
	Employed	Unemployed	Labour	Unemp-	Partici-	Employed	Unemployed	Labour	Unemp-	Partici-
	- '000 -	- '000 -	force	loyment	ation	- '000 -	- '000 -	force	loyment	ation
				rate	rate				rate	rate
				- per	- per				- per	- per
				cent -	cent -				cent -	cent -
1986 —										
January	112.3	11.0	123.3	8.9	74.4	112.9	10.7	123.6	8.7	74.6
February	113.1	10.7	123.8	8.6	74.6	112.8	10.7	123.5	8.7	74.4
March	112.7	10.8	123.6	8.8	74.3	112.8	10.7	123.5	8.7	74.3
April(a)	113.3	11.0	124.3	8.8	74.7	113.3	10.6	123.9	8.6	74.5
May	113.5	10.4	123.8	8.4	74.4	113.6	10.4	124.0	8.4	74.5
June	113.6	9.9	123.6	8.0	74.2	114.0	10.1	124.1	8.2	74.5
July	114.8	10.0	124.8	8.0	74.8	114.3	10.0	124.2	8.0	74.5
August	114.5	9.8	124.3	7.9	74.5	114.3	10.0	124.3	8.0	74.5
September	114.6	9.7	124.3	7.8	74.5	114.2	10.1	124.3	8.2	74.5
October	113.8	10.9	124.7	8.7	74.6	113.9	10.5	124.4	8.4	74.4
November	113.0	10.6	123.6	8.6	73.9	113.6	10.8	124.4	8.7	74.4
December	113.6	11.5	125.1	9.2	74.7	113.4	11.1	124.5	8.9	74.4
1987 —										
January	111.9	11.6	123.5	9.4	73.7	113.2	11.4	124.6	9.1	74.4
February	114.6	11.2	125.8	8.9	75.1	113.1	11.5	124.7	9.3	74.4
March	113.1	11.8	124.9	9.5	74.5	113.0	11.6	124.6	9.3	74.4
April	113.2	10.9	124.2	8.8	74.0	112.8	11.6	124.5	9.3	74.2
May	111.2	12.4	123.6	10.0	73.7	112.6	11.6	124.1	9.3	74.0
June	112.8	11.6	124.4	9.3	74.1	112.3	11.4	123.7	9.2	73.7
July	112.3	10.9	123.2	8.8	73.4	112.0	11.2	123.2	9.1	73.4
August	112.3	11.0	123.2	8.9	73.4	111.8	11.0	122.9	9.0	73.2
September	111.4	10.9	122.3	8.9	72.8	111.9	10.9	122.8	8.9	73.1
October	112.1	10.5	122.7	8.6	73.0	112.2	10.9	123.0	8.8	73.2
November	111.4	11.2	122.6	9.2	73.0	112.7	10.9	123.6	8.9	73.6
December	114.1	10.9	125.0	8.7	74.4	113.3	11.1	124.4	8.9	74.0
1988 —										
January	115.0	11.2	126.2	8.9	75.0	114.2	11.2	125.3	8.9	74.5
February	114.5	11.3	125.8	9.0	74.7	114.9	11.2	126.1	8.9	74.9
March	115.2	11.5	126.7	9.1	75.2	115.6	11.1	126.7	8.8	75.2
April	116.1	11.2	127.3	8.8	75.5	116.0	11.0	126.9	8.6	75.3
May	116.8	10.0	126.8	7.9	75.2	116.2	10.9	127.0	8.6	75.3
June	116.4	10.8	127.1	8.5	75.4	116.2	10.9	127.1	8.6	75.4
July	115.3	11.5	126.8	9.1	75.1	116.2	11.0	127.2	8.7	75.4
August	116.5	10.9	127.4	8.6	75.5	116.1	11.3	127.4	8.9	75.4
September	115.8	11.7	127.5	9.2	75.5	115.9	11.5	127.4	9.0	75.4
October	115.6	11.7	127.4	9.2	75.4	115.7	11.7	127.4	9.2	75.3
November	115.7	12.1	127.7	9.4	75.5	115.4	11.7	127.1	9.2	75.1
December	115.0	11.6	126.6	9.2	74.8	115.1	11.7	126.7	9.2	74.9
1989 —										
January	113.2	10.9	124.1	8.8	73.2	114.8	11.6	126.3	9.1	74.6
February	114.0	12.0	126.0	9.5	74.4	114.5	11.4	126.0	9.1	74.3
March	114.3	11.3	125.6	9.0	74.0	114.4	11.3	125.7	9.0	74.1
April	114.7	11.0	125.6	8.7	74.0	114.4	11.3	125.7	9.0	74.1
May	115.3	11.0	126.3	8.7	74.3	114.7	11.2	125.8	8.9	74.1
June	114.4	11.7	126.1	9.3	74.2	115.1	11.0	126.1	8.7	74.2
July	115.3	10.5	125.8	8.4	73.9	115.8	10.7	126.6	8.5	74.4
August	117.0	10.6	127.6	8.3	74.9	116.7	10.4	127.1	8.2	74.6
September	117.3	10.6	127.8	8.3	75.0	117.6	10.2	127.8	8.0	74.9
October	119.1	9.0	128.1	7.0	75.0	118.3	10.1	128.4	7.8	75.2
November	119.1	10.0	129.1	7.8	75.5	118.7	10.1	128.8	7.8	75.3
December	118.9	10.7	129.6	8.3	75.7	118.8	10.2	129.0	7.9	75.4
1990 —										
January	118.6	10.9	129.4	8.4	75.5	118.7	10.4	129.1	8.1	75.3
February	118.2	10.4	128.6	8.1	75.0	118.6	10.7	129.3	8.3	75.4
March	118.1	10.6	128.7	8.2	75.0	118.6	11.0	129.6	8.5	75.5
April	118.8	11.4	130.2	8.8	75.8	118.8	11.3	130.1	8.7	75.7
May	119.2	11.7	130.9	9.0	76.1	119.0	11.7	130.7	9.0	76.0
June	119.5	11.9	131.4	9.1	76.3	119.0	12.2	131.2	9.3	76.2
July	119.5	12.7	132.2	9.6	76.7	119.0	12.5	131.5	9.5	76.3
August	118.0	13.1	131.1	10.0	75.9	118.9	12.6	131.5	9.6	76.1
September	118.6	12.6	131.2	9.6	75.8	118.6	12.6	131.2	9.6	75.8
October	117.6	13.0	130.6	9.9	75.4	118.3	12.4	130.7	9.5	75.5
November	119.8	11.1	130.9	8.5	75.5	118.0	12.3	130.3	9.5	75.1
December	116.9	12.6	129.5	9.8	74.6	117.6	12.3	129.9	9.5	74.8
1991 —										
January	116.2	12.5	128.6	9.7	74.0	117.0	12.5	129.6	9.7	74.5
February	116.6	12.9	129.5	9.9	74.4	116.3	13.0	129.2	10.0	74.3
March	116.2	13.4	129.6	10.4	74.4	115.4	13.5	128.8	10.5	74.0
April	115.0	14.1	129.1	10.9	74.1	114.4	14.0	128.4	10.9	73.7
May	112.8	14.4	127.2	11.3	73.0	113.6	14.4	128.0	11.2	73.4
June	111.8	15.1	126.9	11.9	72.8	113.1	14.7	127.8	11.5	73.2
July	113.1	14.4	127.5	11.3	73.0	112.7	15.0	127.7	11.7	73.1
August	112.7	15.3	128.0	12.0	73.3	112.6	15.1	127.7	11.9	73.1
September	113.2	15.4	128.6	12.0	73.5	112.6	15.2	127.8	11.9	73.1
October	112.6	14.9	127.5	11.7	72.9	112.5	15.2	127.7	11.9	73.0
November	111.9	15.5	127.4	12.2	72.8	112.4	15.1	127.5	11.9	72.8
December	112.2	15.0	127.2	11.8	72.6	112.2	15.0	127.2	11.8	72.6
1992 —										
January	112.0	14.9	126.9	11.7	72.3	112.0	14.9	126.9	11.7	72.4
February	112.0	14.4	126.5	11.4	72.0	111.9	14.7	126.6	11.6	72.2

(a) Estimates for the period prior to April 1986 are based on the old definition. See paragraphs 14 and 15 of the Explanatory Notes

TABLE 97. CIVILIAN LABOUR FORCE: LABOUR FORCE STATUS, FEMALES, TASMANIA

Month	Employed		Unemployed			Labour force	Unemp- loyment rate - per cent -	Partici- pation rate
	Full-time workers	Total	Looking for full- time work	Looking for part- time work -'000-	Total			
1986 —								
January	40.2	64.3	6.0	2.0	8.0	72.3	11.1	42.3
February	41.9	66.3	5.8	2.2	8.0	74.3	10.8	43.4
March	40.7	69.2	6.5	2.6	9.1	78.2	11.6	45.6
April(a)	39.6	68.8	5.9	2.5	8.4	77.2	10.9	44.9
May	39.0	70.2	5.4	1.9	7.2	77.4	9.3	45.0
June	38.9	69.5	4.6	1.4	6.0	75.5	8.0	43.9
July	38.9	70.5	4.1	2.0	6.2	76.6	8.0	44.5
August	38.4	69.7	4.9	1.9	6.8	76.5	8.9	44.4
September	38.8	70.5	4.7	2.1	6.7	77.2	8.7	44.8
October	38.9	70.9	5.0	2.6	7.6	78.5	9.6	45.5
November	39.2	70.7	5.1	2.5	7.6	78.4	9.7	45.3
December	40.0	73.1	6.5	2.4	8.9	82.0	10.8	47.4
1987 —								
January	40.8	70.3	6.6	1.1	7.8	78.1	9.9	45.1
February	41.1	69.5	7.0	1.5	8.5	78.0	10.9	45.0
March	40.6	72.0	5.8	2.7	8.4	80.5	10.5	46.5
April	38.7	71.2	5.4	2.6	8.1	79.2	10.2	45.7
May	37.7	69.5	5.4	2.3	7.6	77.1	9.9	44.5
June	38.7	69.5	5.8	2.6	8.4	77.9	10.8	44.8
July	39.0	69.9	5.6	2.6	8.2	78.1	10.5	45.0
August	40.8	69.5	4.9	2.5	7.4	76.8	9.6	44.2
September	41.2	69.7	5.4	1.9	7.3	76.9	9.5	44.3
October	40.0	70.5	4.1	2.1	6.1	76.7	8.0	44.1
November	40.3	72.9	5.0	* 1.2	6.2	79.2	7.8	45.5
December	42.1	76.4	5.4	2.5	7.8	84.2	9.3	48.4
1988 —								
January	42.4	74.0	6.2	2.0	8.1	82.1	9.9	47.2
February	43.2	73.1	6.8	2.5	9.3	82.4	11.3	47.3
March	41.4	76.4	5.9	4.3	10.3	86.6	11.8	49.7
April	41.4	76.2	5.9	3.7	9.6	85.9	11.2	49.2
May	41.2	77.0	5.1	2.2	7.3	84.2	8.6	48.3
June	40.9	75.5	5.5	2.0	7.5	83.0	9.1	47.6
July	40.8	74.4	5.4	2.3	7.7	82.1	9.3	47.0
August	39.8	73.4	5.3	2.1	7.4	80.9	9.2	46.3
September	40.2	73.1	5.6	2.4	8.0	81.1	9.9	46.4
October	38.4	72.1	6.1	2.7	8.8	80.9	10.9	46.2
November	38.2	71.2	5.3	2.2	7.5	78.7	9.6	45.0
December	39.4	73.5	6.3	3.0	9.3	82.8	11.2	47.3
1989 —								
January	39.4	69.2	9.3	2.3	11.6	80.8	14.3	46.1
February	37.7	69.1	9.0	2.1	11.1	80.2	13.9	45.7
March	36.1	69.9	6.9	3.0	9.9	79.8	12.4	45.5
April	37.6	72.5	6.5	2.3	8.7	81.2	10.7	46.3
May	39.8	76.0	5.7	* 1.2	6.9	82.9	8.4	47.2
June	41.3	75.7	5.6	1.9	7.6	83.2	9.1	47.3
July	39.4	76.4	6.5	1.6	8.1	84.5	9.6	48.0
August	40.9	77.3	5.5	1.4	6.9	84.2	8.2	47.8
September	41.8	78.3	5.8	2.5	8.4	86.7	9.7	49.2
October	41.7	79.1	5.9	2.3	8.2	87.3	9.3	49.4
November	42.5	79.7	5.9	2.1	8.1	87.8	9.2	49.7
December	45.0	82.2	7.0	2.5	9.5	91.7	10.4	51.8
1990 —								
January	43.8	77.8	6.9	2.5	9.5	87.2	10.8	49.2
February	43.6	77.7	5.1	3.0	8.0	85.7	9.3	48.3
March	43.1	80.3	5.0	2.6	7.6	87.9	8.6	49.5
April	43.6	80.6	5.1	2.2	7.3	87.9	8.3	49.4
May	46.5	81.6	4.1	2.5	6.6	88.2	7.4	49.6
June	44.9	78.1	5.0	3.0	8.0	86.0	9.3	48.3
July	44.6	78.4	5.0	1.9	6.9	85.3	8.1	47.8
August	43.3	78.5	4.8	2.0	6.8	85.3	8.0	47.8
September	43.5	80.4	5.1	2.4	7.5	87.9	8.6	49.2
October	42.9	81.0	5.2	2.5	7.6	88.7	8.6	49.6
November	44.1	81.5	5.5	1.7	7.2	88.7	8.1	49.5
December	45.9	82.9	6.0	2.6	8.6	91.4	9.4	51.0
1991 —								
January	43.8	77.9	6.4	2.3	8.7	86.5	10.0	48.2
February	45.6	79.0	6.2	2.9	9.1	88.1	10.3	49.0
March	43.8	81.6	5.9	3.1	9.0	90.6	9.9	50.4
April	43.0	80.4	6.4	3.6	10.0	90.4	11.0	50.3
May	43.7	80.3	6.1	1.9	8.0	88.3	9.1	49.1
June	43.0	80.3	6.0	3.3	9.3	89.6	10.3	49.7
July	42.8	79.3	6.8	2.4	9.2	88.5	10.4	49.1
August	43.1	80.1	7.0	1.8	8.8	88.9	9.9	49.3
September	43.7	82.0	6.4	2.8	9.2	91.2	10.1	50.5
October	43.5	82.0	6.1	2.2	8.3	90.3	9.2	50.0
November	41.4	80.2	5.7	3.2	8.9	89.0	10.0	49.3
December	43.8	80.9	7.0	2.6	9.5	90.5	10.5	50.0
1992 —								
January	42.6	76.2	7.2	2.2	9.3	85.6	10.9	47.3
February	43.9	78.4	6.8	2.7	9.5	87.8	10.8	48.5

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TABLE 98. CIVILIAN LABOUR FORCE: LABOUR FORCE STATUS, FEMALES, TASMANIA
SEASONALLY ADJUSTED AND TREND

Month	Seasonally Adjusted Series					Trend Series				
	Employed	Unemployed -'000-	Labour force	Unemp- loyment rate - per cent -	Partici- pation rate	Employed	Unemployed -'000-	Labour force	Unemp- loyment rate - per cent -	Partici- pation rate
1986—										
January	65.4	7.7	73.1	10.5	42.7	66.8	7.5	74.3	10.1	43.4
February	67.5	7.4	74.9	9.9	43.7	67.0	7.6	74.5	10.1	43.5
March	67.7	7.9	75.6	10.4	44.1	67.4	7.6	74.9	10.1	43.7
April(a)	68.3	7.8	76.2	10.3	44.4	68.6	7.4	76.0	9.8	44.2
May	69.0	7.5	76.5	9.8	44.5	69.2	7.2	76.5	9.5	44.5
June	69.8	6.4	76.2	8.3	44.3	69.8	7.1	76.9	9.2	44.7
July	70.7	6.7	77.4	8.7	44.9	70.3	7.0	77.3	9.1	44.9
August	71.0	7.5	78.4	9.5	45.5	70.7	7.2	77.8	9.2	45.2
September	71.0	7.0	78.0	9.0	45.2	70.9	7.4	78.4	9.5	45.4
October	70.7	7.9	78.7	10.1	45.6	71.1	7.7	78.8	9.8	45.6
November	70.8	8.3	79.1	10.5	45.8	71.2	7.9	79.1	10.0	45.8
December	71.4	8.3	79.7	10.4	46.1	71.3	7.9	79.2	10.0	45.7
1987—										
January	71.6	7.4	78.9	9.3	45.6	71.2	7.8	79.0	9.8	45.6
February	71.0	7.8	78.8	9.9	45.5	70.9	7.7	78.6	9.8	45.4
March	70.8	7.3	78.1	9.3	45.1	70.5	7.7	78.2	9.8	45.2
April	70.7	7.5	78.2	9.6	45.1	70.1	7.9	78.0	10.1	45.0
May	68.2	8.2	76.4	10.7	44.0	69.8	8.2	78.0	10.5	44.9
June	69.7	8.9	78.6	11.3	45.3	69.6	8.4	77.9	10.7	44.9
July	70.2	8.9	79.0	11.2	45.5	69.6	8.3	77.9	10.7	44.9
August	70.5	8.2	78.7	10.4	45.3	70.0	8.0	78.0	10.2	44.9
September	70.1	7.6	77.8	9.8	44.8	70.7	7.5	78.2	9.6	45.0
October	70.4	6.3	76.8	8.3	44.2	71.6	7.2	78.8	9.1	45.3
November	73.0	6.8	79.8	8.5	45.9	72.7	7.1	79.7	8.9	45.9
December	74.4	7.2	81.6	8.9	46.9	73.7	7.3	81.0	9.0	46.6
1988—										
January	75.4	7.6	83.1	9.2	47.7	74.6	7.7	82.4	9.4	47.3
February	74.8	8.5	83.3	10.3	47.8	75.3	8.2	83.5	9.8	47.9
March	75.3	8.9	84.2	10.6	48.3	75.6	8.5	84.1	10.1	48.3
April	75.9	9.0	84.8	10.6	48.7	75.7	8.5	84.2	10.1	48.3
May	75.4	8.0	83.4	9.6	47.8	75.6	8.4	84.0	10.0	48.2
June	75.7	7.9	83.6	9.5	47.9	75.3	8.3	83.7	9.9	47.9
July	74.9	8.2	83.0	9.8	47.5	74.8	8.2	83.0	9.9	47.5
August	74.3	8.3	82.7	10.1	47.3	74.1	8.2	82.3	10.0	47.1
September	73.4	8.3	81.7	10.2	46.7	73.2	8.3	81.6	10.2	46.7
October	71.9	9.1	81.0	11.2	46.3	72.4	8.6	81.0	10.7	46.3
November	71.1	8.2	79.4	10.4	45.3	71.5	9.0	80.5	11.2	46.0
December	71.4	8.5	79.9	10.6	45.6	70.9	9.3	80.2	11.6	45.8
1989—										
January	70.8	10.7	81.5	13.1	46.5	70.5	9.4	79.9	11.8	45.6
February	70.9	10.2	81.1	12.6	46.2	70.6	9.3	79.9	11.7	45.6
March	69.2	8.7	77.9	11.2	44.4	71.2	9.0	80.2	11.3	45.7
April	72.2	8.1	80.3	10.1	45.7	72.3	8.6	80.9	10.7	46.1
May	74.4	7.8	82.2	9.5	46.8	73.8	8.3	82.0	10.1	46.7
June	75.7	8.0	83.8	9.6	47.6	75.3	8.0	83.4	9.6	47.4
July	77.0	8.5	85.5	10.0	48.6	76.7	8.1	84.8	9.5	48.2
August	78.1	7.8	85.9	9.1	48.8	77.8	8.2	86.1	9.6	48.9
September	78.4	8.7	87.0	10.0	49.4	78.6	8.5	87.1	9.7	49.4
October	78.9	8.4	87.3	9.6	49.4	79.1	8.6	87.7	9.8	49.7
November	79.6	8.8	88.3	9.9	50.0	79.4	8.6	88.0	9.8	49.8
December	79.8	8.7	88.5	9.8	50.0	79.7	8.4	88.1	9.5	49.8
1990—										
January	79.8	8.6	88.5	9.8	49.9	79.9	8.0	87.9	9.1	49.6
February	79.8	7.4	87.2	8.4	49.1	79.9	7.7	87.6	8.8	49.4
March	79.5	6.8	86.2	7.8	48.6	79.8	7.4	87.2	8.5	49.1
April	80.3	6.8	87.1	7.8	49.0	79.6	7.3	86.8	8.4	48.9
May	79.8	7.5	87.3	8.6	49.1	79.3	7.3	86.7	8.5	48.7
June	78.1	8.4	86.5	9.7	48.6	79.2	7.5	86.7	8.6	48.7
July	79.2	7.2	86.4	8.4	48.4	79.3	7.7	86.9	8.8	48.8
August	79.2	7.7	86.9	8.8	48.7	79.5	7.7	87.3	8.9	48.9
September	80.2	7.7	87.9	8.8	49.2	79.9	7.8	87.7	8.9	49.1
October	80.6	7.9	88.5	9.0	49.5	80.4	7.8	88.1	8.8	49.2
November	81.2	7.7	89.0	8.7	49.7	80.7	7.8	88.5	8.8	49.4
December	80.6	7.8	88.5	8.9	49.3	80.9	7.8	88.7	8.8	49.5
1991—										
January	80.2	7.9	88.1	8.9	49.1	80.8	8.0	88.8	9.0	49.5
February	81.1	8.4	89.5	9.4	49.8	80.6	8.2	88.8	9.3	49.4
March	80.9	8.0	88.9	9.0	49.5	80.3	8.6	88.8	9.6	49.4
April	80.2	9.3	89.5	10.4	49.8	80.0	9.0	89.0	10.1	49.5
May	78.5	9.2	87.7	10.5	48.7	79.9	9.3	89.3	10.4	49.6
June	80.3	9.8	90.1	10.9	50.0	80.1	9.6	89.7	10.7	49.8
July	80.1	9.7	89.8	10.8	49.8	80.4	9.7	90.1	10.7	50.0
August	80.9	9.9	90.8	10.9	50.4	80.7	9.6	90.4	10.6	50.1
September	81.6	9.4	91.0	10.3	50.4	80.8	9.4	90.3	10.5	50.0
October	81.5	8.7	90.1	9.6	49.9	80.6	9.2	89.8	10.3	49.7
November	79.8	9.5	89.3	10.6	49.4	80.2	9.0	89.2	10.1	49.3
December	78.8	8.7	87.5	9.9	48.4	79.8	8.8	88.6	10.0	49.0
1992—										
January	78.7	8.4	87.1	9.7	48.1	79.5	8.7	88.2	9.8	48.7
February	80.5	8.8	89.2	9.8	49.3	79.3	8.6	87.8	9.8	48.5

(a) Estimates for the period prior to April 1986 are based on the old definition. See paragraphs 14 and 15 of the Explanatory Notes

TABLE 100. CIVILIAN LABOUR FORCE: LABOUR FORCE STATUS, PERSONS, TASMANIA
SEASONALLY ADJUSTED AND TREND

Month	Seasonally Adjusted Series					Trend Series				
	Employed	Unemployed - '000 -	Labour force	Unemp- loyment rate - per cent -	Partici- pation rate	Employed	Unemployed - '000 -	Labour force	Unemp- loyment rate - per cent -	Partici- pation rate
1986 —										
January	177.7	18.6	196.4	9.5	58.3	179.7	18.2	197.9	9.2	58.7
February	180.6	18.1	198.6	9.1	58.9	179.7	18.3	198.0	9.2	58.7
March	180.5	18.7	199.1	9.4	59.0	180.2	18.3	198.4	9.2	58.8
April(a)	181.7	18.8	200.5	9.4	59.3	181.8	18.0	199.9	9.0	59.1
May	182.4	17.9	200.3	8.9	59.2	182.9	17.6	200.5	8.8	59.3
June	183.5	16.3	199.7	8.2	59.0	183.9	17.2	201.1	8.6	59.4
July	185.4	16.7	202.1	8.3	59.6	184.6	17.0	201.6	8.4	59.5
August	185.4	17.3	202.7	8.5	59.8	185.0	17.1	202.1	8.5	59.6
September	185.7	16.7	202.4	8.3	59.6	185.1	17.6	202.7	8.7	59.7
October	184.6	18.8	203.4	9.3	59.9	185.0	18.2	203.2	9.0	59.8
November	183.8	18.9	202.7	9.3	59.6	184.8	18.7	203.5	9.2	59.8
December	185.0	19.8	204.8	9.7	60.1	184.6	19.0	203.7	9.3	59.8
1987 —										
January	183.5	19.0	202.4	9.4	59.4	184.4	19.1	203.6	9.4	59.8
February	185.6	19.0	204.6	9.3	60.0	184.1	19.2	203.3	9.4	59.7
March	183.9	19.1	203.0	9.4	59.5	183.6	19.3	202.9	9.5	59.5
April	184.0	18.4	202.4	9.1	59.3	183.0	19.5	202.5	9.6	59.4
May	179.4	20.6	200.0	10.3	58.6	182.4	19.8	202.1	9.8	59.2
June	182.5	20.4	202.9	10.1	59.4	181.9	19.8	201.6	9.8	59.0
July	182.4	19.8	202.2	9.8	59.2	181.6	19.5	201.2	9.7	58.9
August	182.8	19.1	201.9	9.5	59.1	181.8	19.0	200.8	9.5	58.8
September	181.5	18.5	200.1	9.3	58.6	182.6	18.4	201.0	9.2	58.8
October	182.5	16.9	199.4	8.5	58.3	183.8	18.0	201.8	8.9	59.0
November	184.4	18.0	202.4	8.9	59.2	185.3	18.0	203.3	8.9	59.5
December	188.5	18.1	206.6	8.8	60.4	187.0	18.4	205.5	9.0	60.0
1988 —										
January	190.4	18.8	209.2	9.0	61.1	188.8	18.9	207.7	9.1	60.7
February	189.3	19.8	209.1	9.5	61.0	189.2	19.4	209.6	9.2	61.2
March	190.5	20.4	210.9	9.7	61.5	191.2	19.6	210.7	9.3	61.5
April	192.0	20.2	212.1	9.5	61.9	191.7	19.5	211.2	9.2	61.6
May	192.2	18.0	210.3	8.6	61.3	191.8	19.3	211.1	9.1	61.5
June	192.1	18.7	210.7	8.9	61.4	191.6	19.2	210.8	9.1	61.4
July	190.2	19.6	209.8	9.4	61.1	191.0	19.3	210.3	9.2	61.2
August	190.8	19.3	210.1	9.2	61.1	190.2	19.5	209.6	9.3	61.0
September	189.2	20.1	209.2	9.6	60.9	189.1	19.9	209.0	9.5	60.8
October	187.6	20.8	208.4	10.0	60.6	188.0	20.3	208.4	9.8	60.6
November	186.8	20.3	207.1	9.8	60.2	186.9	20.7	207.7	10.0	60.3
December	186.5	20.1	206.6	9.7	60.0	185.9	20.9	206.9	10.1	60.1
1989 —										
January	184.0	21.6	205.6	10.5	59.6	185.3	21.0	206.2	10.2	59.8
February	184.9	22.2	207.1	10.7	60.1	185.1	20.8	205.9	10.1	59.7
March	183.4	20.0	203.5	9.8	59.0	185.6	20.4	206.0	9.9	59.7
April	186.8	19.1	205.9	9.3	59.6	186.7	19.9	206.6	9.6	59.8
May	189.7	18.8	208.5	9.0	60.3	188.4	19.4	207.9	9.4	60.1
June	190.1	19.7	209.8	9.4	60.7	190.4	19.0	209.5	9.1	60.6
July	192.3	19.1	211.4	9.0	61.1	192.6	18.8	211.3	8.9	61.1
August	195.1	18.4	213.4	8.6	61.6	194.5	18.7	213.2	8.8	61.5
September	195.6	19.2	214.9	9.0	62.0	196.2	18.7	214.8	8.7	61.9
October	198.0	17.4	215.3	8.1	62.0	197.4	18.7	216.1	8.6	62.2
November	198.6	18.8	217.4	8.6	62.5	198.1	18.7	216.8	8.6	62.4
December	198.7	19.4	218.1	8.9	62.7	198.5	18.6	217.1	8.6	62.4
1990 —										
January	198.4	19.5	217.9	8.9	62.5	198.5	18.5	217.0	8.5	62.3
February	198.0	17.8	215.7	8.2	61.8	198.5	18.4	216.9	8.5	62.2
March	197.6	17.4	215.0	8.1	61.5	198.4	18.4	216.8	8.5	62.1
April	199.1	18.3	217.4	8.4	62.2	198.4	18.6	217.0	8.6	62.1
May	199.0	19.2	218.2	8.8	62.4	198.3	19.1	217.3	8.8	62.1
June	197.6	20.4	218.0	9.3	62.2	198.2	19.7	217.9	9.0	62.2
July	198.6	20.0	218.6	9.1	62.3	198.3	20.2	218.5	9.2	62.3
August	197.2	20.8	218.0	9.5	62.1	198.4	20.4	218.8	9.3	62.3
September	198.8	20.4	219.2	9.3	62.3	198.6	20.4	218.9	9.3	62.2
October	198.2	20.9	219.1	9.5	62.2	198.7	20.2	218.8	9.2	62.1
November	201.1	18.8	219.9	8.6	62.4	198.7	20.1	218.8	9.2	62.0
December	197.5	20.5	218.0	9.4	61.8	198.5	20.2	218.6	9.2	61.9
1991 —										
January	196.4	20.3	216.7	9.4	61.3	197.8	20.5	218.4	9.4	61.8
February	197.7	21.2	219.0	9.7	61.9	196.9	21.2	218.1	9.7	61.7
March	197.1	21.5	218.6	9.8	61.8	195.6	22.0	217.7	10.1	61.5
April	195.2	23.4	218.7	10.7	61.7	194.4	22.9	217.4	10.5	61.4
May	191.3	23.6	214.9	11.0	60.7	193.6	23.7	217.3	10.9	61.3
June	192.1	24.9	217.0	11.5	61.2	193.2	24.3	217.5	11.2	61.3
July	193.3	24.1	217.3	11.1	61.3	193.1	24.7	217.8	11.3	61.4
August	193.6	25.2	218.8	11.5	61.6	193.3	24.8	218.1	11.4	61.4
September	194.9	24.8	219.6	11.3	61.8	193.4	24.6	218.0	11.3	61.4
October	194.1	23.6	217.7	10.8	61.2	193.1	24.4	217.5	11.2	61.2
November	191.7	25.0	216.7	11.5	60.9	192.6	24.1	216.7	11.1	60.9
December	191.1	23.7	214.7	11.0	60.3	192.0	23.8	215.8	11.1	60.6
1992 —										
January	190.6	23.3	214.0	10.9	60.0	191.5	23.6	215.1	11.0	60.4
February	192.5	23.2	215.7	10.8	60.5	191.2	23.3	214.5	10.9	60.1

(a) Estimates for the period prior to April 1986 are based on the old definition. See paragraphs 14 and 15 of the Explanatory Notes

TABLE 101. CIVILIAN LABOUR FORCE: LABOUR FORCE STATUS, MALES, NORTHERN TERRITORY

Month	Employed		Unemployed		Total	Labour force	Unemp- loyment rate - per -	Partici- pation rate - cent -
	Full-time workers	Total	Looking for full- time work	Looking for part- time work -'000-				
1986 —								
January	38.7	40.1	2.8	* 0.3	3.1	43.2	7.1	76.9
February	40.4	42.6	3.1	* 0.6	3.7	46.4	8.0	82.3
March	40.7	43.4	3.2	* 1.1	4.3	47.7	9.0	84.4
April(a)	40.3	42.9	2.4	* 0.4	2.8	45.7	6.1	80.7
May	40.8	43.5	2.2	* 0.5	2.7	46.3	5.9	81.6
June	41.3	45.0	2.7	* 0.6	3.3	48.3	6.8	84.9
July	41.1	43.6	4.8	* 0.3	5.1	48.7	10.5	85.3
August	40.1	44.0	4.2	* 0.3	4.4	48.5	9.2	84.8
September	43.5	45.9	3.0	* 0.1	3.1	49.0	6.3	85.5
October	42.9	45.2	2.3	* 0.1	2.4	47.6	5.1	82.8
November	41.4	43.7	3.1	* 0.4	3.5	47.2	7.5	82.0
December	42.5	45.0	1.8	* 0.1	2.0	46.9	4.2	81.4
1987 —								
January	43.9	46.0	1.8	* 0.4	2.2	48.2	4.6	83.4
February	44.2	45.9	2.8	* 0.2	3.1	49.0	6.2	84.6
March	43.0	45.9	2.2	* 0.4	2.6	48.5	5.3	83.6
April	43.3	45.7	2.9	* 0.3	3.1	48.8	6.4	84.1
May	41.8	45.1	* 1.5	* 0.5	2.1	47.1	4.4	81.2
June	41.9	44.9	* 1.8	* 0.3	2.1	47.0	4.4	80.9
July	42.6	45.2	* 1.8	* 0.3	2.1	47.3	4.4	81.3
August	39.5	42.9	3.3	* 0.1	3.4	46.3	7.4	79.6
September	41.1	42.6	5.0	* 0.9	5.9	48.5	12.1	83.4
October	36.7	39.9	5.5	* 0.4	5.9	45.8	12.9	78.7
November	36.6	38.9	4.8	* 0.1	5.0	43.9	11.3	75.5
December	38.4	40.4	5.4	* 0.7	6.0	46.4	13.0	79.8
1988 —								
January	35.0	37.4	4.3	* 0.4	4.7	42.1	11.2	72.6
February	37.9	39.9	4.3	* 0.3	4.6	44.6	10.4	77.0
March	37.9	39.6	5.5	* 0.1	5.6	45.2	12.5	78.3
April	35.1	37.9	5.2	* 0.6	5.8	43.7	13.3	75.7
May	38.1	40.3	3.9	* 0.1	4.1	44.3	9.2	76.9
June	38.2	41.0	2.7	* 0.3	3.0	44.0	6.8	76.4
July	37.3	38.5	3.8	* 0.2	4.0	42.5	9.4	73.6
August	38.2	39.8	3.4	* 0.3	3.7	43.6	8.6	75.4
September	40.3	43.0	3.2	* 0.2	3.4	46.4	7.3	80.1
October	42.1	43.3	2.7	* 0.2	2.8	46.2	6.2	79.6
November	40.1	42.9	2.2	* 0.2	2.4	45.3	5.2	78.1
December	41.2	44.0	1.9	* 0.5	2.5	46.5	5.3	80.1
1989 —								
January	41.9	45.7	2.3	* 0.3	2.6	48.3	5.4	83.3
February	43.8	46.2	2.6	* 0.0	2.6	48.9	5.3	84.1
March	45.8	47.5	2.4	* 0.4	2.9	50.4	5.7	86.6
April	45.1	47.4	2.0	* 0.6	2.7	50.1	5.4	86.1
May	42.8	44.9	2.3	* 0.5	2.7	47.6	5.7	81.9
June	41.4	44.3	2.3	* 0.2	2.5	46.8	5.3	80.5
July	41.5	43.6	3.1	* 0.0	3.1	46.8	6.7	80.5
August	37.7	40.3	4.4	* 0.1	4.5	44.8	10.0	77.1
September	39.3	43.1	2.5	* 0.3	2.7	45.8	6.0	78.9
October	40.6	42.9	2.5	* 0.5	3.0	45.9	6.5	79.5
November	41.8	45.4	2.8	* 0.2	3.1	48.5	6.4	84.2
December	41.5	43.8	2.8	* 0.6	3.5	47.2	7.3	82.5
1990 —								
January	41.4	43.8	4.0	* 0.2	4.2	48.0	8.7	83.9
February	40.5	42.4	3.1	* 0.7	3.9	46.3	8.4	80.9
March	39.3	42.1	2.4	* 1.2	3.6	45.7	7.9	79.9
April	39.8	42.5	2.1	* 0.7	2.8	45.3	6.2	79.3
May	39.6	42.8	2.4	* 0.3	2.7	45.5	5.9	79.7
June	40.3	42.5	2.3	* 0.4	2.7	45.2	6.0	79.1
July	41.6	43.5	2.3	* 0.4	2.6	46.1	5.7	80.6
August	39.1	41.3	2.2	* 0.6	2.8	44.2	6.4	77.1
September	40.4	44.7	2.8	* 0.6	3.4	48.1	7.0	83.8
October	40.5	42.5	3.1	* 0.3	3.4	46.0	7.5	79.9
November	40.0	43.6	2.5	* 0.3	2.8	46.4	6.0	80.5
December	38.8	41.1	4.0	* 0.2	4.2	45.4	9.3	78.5
1991 —								
January	37.5	39.2	4.9	* 0.7	5.5	44.7	12.4	77.2
February	38.1	41.3	3.4	* 0.3	3.7	45.0	8.3	77.5
March	39.5	41.6	4.3	* 0.8	5.1	46.7	10.9	80.2
April	39.5	41.7	3.6	* 0.3	3.9	45.7	8.6	78.5
May	38.7	41.6	4.1	* 0.5	4.6	46.2	10.0	79.2
June	42.0	44.6	2.9	* 0.4	3.3	48.0	7.0	82.3
July	39.3	41.5	4.2	* 0.6	4.8	46.4	10.4	79.5
August	40.5	42.6	4.8	* 0.2	5.0	47.6	10.6	81.7
September	41.2	44.0	4.0	* 0.7	4.7	48.7	9.6	83.5
October	39.0	42.1	4.9	* 1.1	6.0	48.1	12.5	82.6
November	36.9	40.7	4.7	* 0.4	5.0	45.7	11.0	78.5
December	35.6	39.7	5.0	* 0.3	5.3	45.1	11.8	77.4
1992 —								
January	34.2	40.3	5.4	* 0.4	5.8	46.1	12.6	79.2
February	33.4	41.2	4.4	* 0.5	4.9	46.1	10.6	79.2

(a) Estimates for the period prior to April 1986 are based on the old definition. See paragraphs 14 and 15 of the Explanatory Notes.

TABLE 102. CIVILIAN LABOUR FORCE: LABOUR FORCE STATUS, FEMALES, NORTHERN TERRITORY

Month	Employed		Unemployed			Labour force	Unemployment rate - per cent -	Participation rate
	Full-time workers	Total	Looking for full-time work	Looking for part-time work -'000-	Total			
1986 —								
January	20.4	28.0	2.0	* 0.1	2.1	30.1	7.0	60.7
February	21.5	27.7	2.4	* 0.6	3.0	30.7	9.8	61.6
March	20.7	28.8	* 1.8	* 1.0	2.7	31.5	8.6	63.0
April(a)	22.1	28.0	1.8	* 1.1	2.9	31.0	9.5	61.7
May	21.6	29.8	* 1.2	* 1.1	2.3	32.1	7.1	63.5
June	20.0	29.3	* 1.1	* 0.1	* 1.2	30.5	* 4.1	60.1
July	21.7	27.5	* 1.5	* 0.3	* 1.8	29.3	* 6.1	57.5
August	20.4	27.3	* 1.0	* 0.3	* 1.3	28.6	* 4.4	56.1
September	20.2	29.3	* 0.8	* 0.9	* 1.7	31.0	* 5.4	60.6
October	20.0	27.9	* 0.2	* 0.8	* 1.0	28.8	* 3.4	56.3
November	20.0	27.1	2.1	* 0.6	2.7	29.8	9.0	58.1
December	19.0	26.6	1.9	* 0.6	2.5	29.1	8.5	56.5
1987 —								
January	19.0	26.2	* 1.2	* 0.7	1.9	28.1	6.7	54.5
February	19.5	27.2	1.9	* 0.6	2.4	29.6	8.3	57.3
March	21.5	29.3	* 1.6	* 1.1	2.7	32.0	8.4	61.7
April	20.3	29.5	2.2	* 0.2	2.3	31.8	7.3	61.4
May	20.5	29.4	* 1.7	* 1.0	2.7	32.0	8.3	61.7
June	21.0	30.1	* 1.4	* 0.4	* 1.8	31.9	* 5.6	61.3
July	22.5	30.8	* 1.8	* 0.5	2.3	33.1	7.0	63.5
August	20.8	29.3	2.0	* 0.5	2.5	31.8	7.9	60.9
September	19.5	26.6	2.9	* 1.4	4.2	30.9	13.7	59.0
October	20.5	27.7	1.9	* 0.5	2.3	30.0	7.7	57.5
November	20.9	27.4	* 1.7	* 1.4	3.1	30.4	10.1	58.3
December	18.9	25.7	2.1	* 0.8	2.9	28.6	10.1	54.8
1988 —								
January	17.8	24.4	* 1.6	* 1.1	2.6	27.1	9.7	51.9
February	16.4	23.9	2.4	* 0.9	3.3	27.2	12.2	52.2
March	16.3	23.6	2.7	* 0.4	3.1	26.6	11.5	51.1
April	17.8	24.6	2.2	* 0.6	2.8	27.3	10.1	52.4
May	18.6	28.1	* 0.9	* 0.3	* 1.3	29.3	* 4.3	56.3
June	17.7	26.8	* 1.7	* 0.7	2.4	29.1	8.1	55.9
July	20.9	27.3	* 1.3	* 0.2	* 1.6	28.9	* 5.4	55.3
August	22.3	30.5	* 1.4	* 0.9	2.4	32.9	7.3	62.9
September	23.2	31.3	* 1.4	* 0.6	2.0	33.3	6.1	63.6
October	22.9	29.8	1.9	* 0.3	2.2	32.0	7.0	61.1
November	22.2	30.2	* 1.6	* 0.3	2.0	32.2	6.2	61.3
December	23.5	30.6	1.9	* 1.0	2.9	33.4	8.6	63.6
1989 —								
January	22.3	30.1	2.9	* 1.3	4.2	34.3	12.3	65.2
February	21.3	30.3	3.3	* 0.5	3.8	34.1	11.2	64.6
March	21.2	30.9	3.1	* 0.1	3.2	34.1	9.5	64.5
April	25.7	34.6	* 0.8	* 0.7	* 1.6	36.1	* 4.3	68.3
May	22.1	30.5	* 1.7	* 0.6	2.3	32.7	6.9	61.8
June	21.9	30.7	* 0.9	* 0.2	* 1.1	31.8	* 3.6	60.0
July	24.1	32.5	* 0.5	* 0.7	* 1.2	33.6	* 3.4	63.3
August	22.9	31.3	* 1.8	* 0.7	2.5	33.8	7.3	63.6
September	22.1	30.4	* 1.5	* 0.5	2.0	32.4	6.2	61.0
October	22.5	30.2	* 1.2	* 0.9	2.1	32.3	6.6	61.0
November	24.6	33.1	* 1.2	* 0.5	* 1.6	34.7	* 4.6	65.6
December	23.5	31.9	* 1.5	* 0.4	* 2.0	33.9	* 5.8	64.3
1990 —								
January	23.3	32.0	2.2	* 0.5	2.7	34.7	7.8	65.6
February	22.6	32.1	2.3	* 0.6	2.8	34.9	8.1	65.9
March	22.3	31.4	* 1.4	* 0.6	* 2.0	33.4	* 5.9	63.0
April	21.6	30.0	* 1.2	* 0.3	* 1.5	31.6	* 4.9	59.5
May	21.3	31.0	* 1.2	* 0.7	* 1.9	32.9	* 5.8	62.0
June	21.6	30.8	* 1.5	* 0.6	2.1	32.9	6.4	61.8
July	23.3	32.3	2.1	* 0.5	2.6	34.9	7.4	65.6
August	19.5	28.3	* 1.8	* 0.6	2.5	30.8	8.0	57.7
September	20.6	30.4	2.6	* 1.0	3.6	34.0	10.6	63.6
October	21.0	30.5	2.1	* 0.9	3.0	33.4	8.9	62.4
November	21.5	30.8	* 1.5	* 0.5	* 2.0	32.8	* 6.0	61.0
December	18.2	27.8	* 1.4	* 0.9	2.2	30.0	7.4	55.6
1991 —								
January	19.7	29.0	2.3	* 0.1	2.5	31.5	7.9	58.1
February	21.1	28.4	2.7	* 1.0	3.7	32.1	11.6	59.1
March	22.9	31.5	* 1.5	* 0.3	* 1.8	33.3	* 5.4	61.1
April	22.8	31.5	2.0	* 1.2	3.2	34.7	9.3	63.6
May	21.7	30.8	* 1.9	* 0.8	2.7	33.4	8.0	61.2
June	22.6	32.1	* 1.8	* 0.4	2.2	34.4	6.5	62.7
July	23.5	32.6	2.1	* 0.7	2.8	35.3	7.8	64.5
August	23.2	32.4	* 1.7	* 0.7	2.4	34.8	6.9	63.4
September	23.4	32.5	2.0	* 0.8	2.8	35.3	8.0	64.4
October	22.6	31.9	2.2	* 0.4	2.7	34.5	7.7	62.9
November	21.2	31.2	2.4	* 0.7	3.0	34.2	8.9	62.2
December	22.2	31.8	2.7	* 0.0	2.7	34.5	7.9	62.8
1992 —								
January	19.2	30.2	2.2	* 0.5	2.7	32.9	8.3	59.7
February	19.0	32.5	2.5	* 0.5	3.1	35.5	8.6	64.5

(a) Estimates for the period prior to April 1986 are based on the old definition. See paragraphs 14 and 15 of the Explanatory Notes.

TABLE 104. CIVILIAN LABOUR FORCE: LABOUR FORCE STATUS, MALES, AUSTRALIAN CAPITAL TERRITORY

Month	Employed		Unemployed		Total	Labour force	Unemp- loyment rate - per cent -	Partici- pation rate
	Full-time workers	Total	Looking for full- time work	Looking for part- time work -'000-				
1986 —								
January	65.1	69.0	5.0	* 0.9	5.8	74.9	7.8	84.4
February	66.3	71.1	3.7	* 0.5	4.2	75.3	5.6	84.6
March	65.2	70.9	2.9	1.5	4.4	75.3	5.8	84.4
April(a)	65.6	71.9	2.8	* 0.8	3.6	75.5	4.8	84.3
May	66.3	72.0	2.2	* 0.9	3.1	75.1	4.2	83.6
June	65.5	72.0	1.9	1.5	3.4	75.4	4.5	83.6
July	66.5	73.1	1.8	* 0.8	2.6	75.7	3.4	83.6
August	66.3	72.2	* 1.0	* 1.0	2.0	74.3	2.7	81.7
September	65.9	71.4	1.7	1.4	3.1	74.5	4.2	81.7
October	66.1	71.6	1.4	1.3	2.7	74.3	3.6	81.4
November	63.7	69.3	2.5	* 0.9	3.3	72.6	4.6	79.4
December	63.8	71.1	3.0	* 1.0	4.0	75.1	5.3	82.0
1987 —								
January	62.2	67.1	4.6	* 0.5	5.2	72.3	7.2	78.8
February	62.5	68.7	4.4	* 0.9	5.3	74.0	7.2	80.4
March	63.4	70.2	3.8	1.9	5.6	75.8	7.4	82.2
April	65.2	70.4	3.5	* 1.2	4.6	75.0	6.2	80.9
May	66.7	71.2	3.5	1.6	5.1	76.3	6.7	82.1
June	65.4	71.6	2.5	* 0.9	3.5	75.0	4.6	80.4
July	68.5	74.3	2.8	* 1.3	4.0	78.3	5.1	83.6
August	65.5	71.9	2.9	* 1.1	4.0	75.9	5.3	80.7
September	66.7	73.4	3.1	* 0.9	4.0	77.4	5.2	82.0
October	66.4	73.9	2.5	* 0.9	3.4	77.3	4.4	81.6
November	69.0	74.8	2.2	* 0.6	2.8	77.6	3.6	81.5
December	69.6	76.4	2.9	* 0.8	3.7	80.1	4.6	83.8
1988 —								
January	68.0	74.7	3.3	* 0.7	4.1	78.8	5.2	82.0
February	70.2	77.1	2.9	* 0.7	3.6	80.7	4.5	83.7
March	69.8	77.0	2.7	* 0.9	3.6	80.7	4.5	83.4
April	68.8	75.9	2.4	* 0.8	3.2	79.1	4.0	81.6
May	67.8	75.8	2.6	* 0.6	3.2	79.0	4.1	81.2
June	67.7	76.5	4.0	* 1.0	5.0	81.6	6.2	83.6
July	69.1	75.5	2.6	* 0.7	3.3	78.8	4.2	80.6
August	67.6	75.4	2.8	* 1.3	4.1	79.6	5.2	81.2
September	67.4	74.9	2.6	* 1.1	3.7	78.7	4.7	80.1
October	68.8	74.9	2.4	* 1.2	3.5	78.4	4.5	79.8
November	68.7	76.0	2.7	* 1.3	3.9	79.9	4.9	81.2
December	72.5	79.1	4.5	* 1.0	5.5	84.6	6.5	85.8
1989 —								
January	72.2	77.0	3.8	* 0.7	4.5	81.6	5.5	82.5
February	70.1	75.8	3.6	* 1.0	4.5	80.3	5.7	81.1
March	68.1	75.8	2.8	* 1.3	4.2	80.0	5.2	80.6
April	68.3	76.2	3.0	1.5	4.6	80.8	5.6	81.1
May	67.9	77.5	2.9	1.4	4.3	81.8	5.2	81.8
June	68.9	78.1	2.5	* 1.4	3.9	82.0	4.7	81.8
July	69.7	78.3	3.2	1.6	4.8	83.1	5.8	82.7
August	68.4	77.4	3.4	* 0.5	3.9	81.3	4.7	80.7
September	69.7	78.8	2.5	* 1.3	3.8	82.6	4.6	81.8
October	69.4	79.1	2.0	1.6	3.6	82.7	4.4	81.6
November	71.5	79.5	2.6	* 0.8	3.4	82.9	4.1	81.5
December	71.7	79.5	4.5	* 1.4	5.9	85.4	6.9	83.6
1990 —								
January	72.3	78.2	5.3	* 0.9	6.2	84.4	7.3	82.5
February	72.9	79.8	3.5	* 1.3	4.8	84.6	5.7	82.4
March	72.8	79.5	3.4	* 1.0	4.4	83.9	5.2	81.6
April	71.2	79.5	2.9	* 0.8	3.7	83.1	4.4	80.6
May	73.4	81.5	2.4	2.1	4.5	86.0	5.2	83.1
June	71.6	79.1	3.3	* 1.0	4.2	83.3	5.1	80.3
July	74.0	82.1	3.6	* 0.6	4.1	86.3	4.8	82.9
August	73.8	80.5	2.9	* 0.8	3.8	84.3	4.5	80.7
September	75.2	82.7	2.4	* 0.8	3.2	85.9	3.7	82.0
October	73.7	81.3	3.4	1.4	4.8	86.1	5.6	81.9
November	74.4	81.0	3.9	* 1.1	5.0	86.0	5.8	81.5
December	74.7	82.0	4.8	* 0.7	5.5	87.5	6.3	82.7
1991 —								
January	75.4	81.5	6.3	* 0.7	7.0	88.6	7.9	83.4
February	74.3	82.0	5.2	* 1.3	6.6	88.5	7.4	83.1
March	74.9	83.1	4.6	* 1.0	5.5	88.6	6.3	82.9
April	74.6	82.6	5.8	* 1.3	7.1	89.7	7.9	83.6
May	73.4	81.9	4.8	1.7	6.4	88.4	7.3	82.0
June	74.5	83.4	4.1	1.5	5.6	89.0	6.3	82.3
July	74.8	83.7	4.0	1.5	5.5	89.2	6.2	82.3
August	73.0	82.9	3.7	1.6	5.3	88.2	6.0	81.1
September	72.5	82.3	4.5	2.0	6.5	88.7	7.3	81.5
October	72.5	81.8	3.5	2.0	5.5	87.3	6.3	79.9
November	72.5	82.5	3.7	* 1.2	4.8	87.3	5.5	79.6
December	75.9	83.9	4.5	* 1.3	5.8	89.7	6.5	81.4
1992 —								
January	73.0	80.9	6.1	* 1.3	7.4	88.2	8.3	79.9
February	72.8	82.0	6.3	* 1.3	7.6	89.6	8.4	81.0

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TABLE 105. CIVILIAN LABOUR FORCE: LABOUR FORCE STATUS, FEMALES, AUSTRALIAN CAPITAL TERRITORY

Month	Employed		Unemployed			Labour force	Unemployment rate - per cent -	Participation rate
	Full-time workers	Total	Looking for full-time work	Looking for part-time work -'000-	Total			
1986 —								
January	38.3	52.5	2.4	* 0.6	3.0	55.5	5.4	58.8
February	36.4	54.5	2.0	1.8	3.9	58.4	6.6	61.7
March	36.2	56.4	2.1	1.6	3.7	60.0	6.1	63.3
April(a)	37.2	56.5	1.4	1.4	2.9	59.3	4.8	62.4
May	37.9	56.2	* 1.0	1.5	2.5	58.7	4.3	61.6
June	36.8	57.8	* 1.0	2.2	3.2	61.0	5.3	63.8
July	38.5	57.6	* 0.9	2.0	2.9	60.5	4.8	63.1
August	38.3	56.8	* 1.1	1.8	2.9	59.8	4.9	62.1
September	37.4	55.7	1.3	1.5	2.8	58.5	4.7	60.6
October	37.5	58.4	* 1.3	* 1.1	2.4	60.8	4.0	62.8
November	37.3	56.3	1.3	* 1.2	2.5	58.8	4.3	60.7
December	38.3	54.8	* 1.2	2.1	3.3	58.1	5.6	59.7
1987 —								
January	36.2	51.7	2.1	1.4	3.6	55.3	6.5	56.6
February	38.2	56.2	2.8	1.9	4.7	60.8	7.6	62.1
March	36.3	56.2	2.1	2.7	4.8	61.0	7.8	62.0
April	35.1	55.4	2.6	2.5	5.1	60.5	8.4	61.3
May	38.3	59.0	1.5	2.9	4.4	63.4	6.9	64.1
June	37.7	58.0	1.5	1.6	3.1	61.1	5.1	61.7
July	39.1	59.9	2.1	1.6	3.7	63.5	5.8	64.0
August	37.5	58.7	2.0	1.7	3.6	62.3	5.8	62.5
September	37.7	58.1	* 1.5	* 1.4	2.9	61.0	4.8	61.0
October	39.9	60.3	* 1.3	1.7	2.9	63.2	4.6	63.0
November	40.0	60.7	* 1.1	1.8	2.9	63.6	4.5	63.2
December	42.2	62.0	2.5	1.5	4.0	66.0	6.1	65.4
1988 —								
January	41.6	56.8	3.3	* 1.4	4.7	61.5	7.6	60.7
February	41.7	61.2	3.5	* 0.8	4.3	65.5	6.6	64.5
March	42.2	64.1	2.3	2.3	4.6	68.7	6.7	67.4
April	41.4	64.9	2.7	2.3	4.9	69.8	7.1	68.4
May	41.0	64.0	1.9	1.8	3.7	67.7	5.5	66.2
June	41.0	63.2	1.9	1.9	3.8	67.0	5.6	65.3
July	39.0	61.0	1.9	1.5	3.5	64.4	5.4	62.7
August	40.8	62.7	1.7	* 1.0	2.8	65.5	4.2	63.7
September	39.8	62.0	1.6	* 1.5	3.1	65.1	4.7	63.2
October	39.8	61.8	* 0.9	* 1.0	1.8	63.6	2.9	61.7
November	41.4	62.9	1.6	1.6	3.2	66.0	4.8	64.0
December	42.4	63.4	2.2	1.7	3.9	67.3	5.8	65.0
1989 —								
January	39.0	57.9	2.1	1.6	3.7	61.6	6.0	59.5
February	40.3	62.2	1.5	2.5	4.0	66.2	6.1	63.8
March	41.7	65.9	1.9	2.4	4.3	70.2	6.1	67.6
April	39.4	64.7	2.3	2.1	4.4	69.1	6.3	66.3
May	40.0	66.6	2.0	1.5	3.5	70.0	5.0	67.1
June	43.0	67.5	2.0	1.5	3.5	71.0	4.9	67.8
July	42.5	66.0	2.1	1.7	3.8	69.8	5.5	66.5
August	42.5	67.2	1.6	* 1.0	2.7	69.8	3.8	66.5
September	42.5	67.5	2.1	2.2	4.3	71.8	6.0	68.3
October	41.9	64.8	* 1.2	2.1	3.2	68.0	4.8	64.5
November	46.0	67.6	1.7	* 1.3	3.0	70.5	4.2	66.8
December	48.0	69.2	2.5	* 1.2	3.7	72.9	5.0	68.9
1990 —								
January	46.8	64.1	2.5	1.9	4.4	68.6	6.5	64.7
February	45.7	66.7	2.1	2.5	4.6	71.3	6.5	67.1
March	43.3	65.8	2.4	2.9	5.4	71.2	7.6	66.9
April	44.9	67.0	1.7	2.4	4.1	71.0	5.7	66.6
May	44.5	67.8	1.6	2.1	3.7	71.5	5.2	66.9
June	45.3	68.3	2.2	* 1.3	3.5	71.8	4.9	67.1
July	47.6	66.9	1.8	* 1.4	3.2	70.1	4.6	65.3
August	45.1	66.0	2.3	* 1.3	3.6	69.6	5.1	64.6
September	47.3	67.2	* 1.4	2.3	3.7	70.9	5.2	65.7
October	46.2	67.3	2.1	1.6	3.7	71.0	5.3	65.7
November	45.8	67.6	2.6	* 0.9	3.5	71.1	4.9	65.6
December	49.7	68.7	3.4	* 1.1	4.5	73.1	6.1	67.3
1991 —								
January	47.9	64.9	3.8	2.1	5.9	70.7	8.3	64.9
February	48.2	67.7	3.5	2.4	5.9	73.6	8.0	67.4
March	48.1	70.0	2.1	1.6	3.7	73.7	5.0	67.3
April	47.6	69.6	2.0	1.6	3.6	73.3	4.9	66.7
May	46.5	67.2	2.3	* 1.1	3.5	70.6	4.9	64.2
June	44.2	68.1	1.6	2.2	3.8	71.9	5.3	65.1
July	45.7	66.2	2.4	2.7	5.1	71.3	7.1	64.3
August	45.2	67.0	2.1	2.0	4.1	71.1	5.7	64.0
September	45.9	69.1	1.4	2.1	3.6	72.7	4.9	65.1
October	43.4	67.2	2.1	2.5	4.6	71.8	6.4	64.2
November	43.2	67.6	1.8	2.3	4.1	71.7	5.7	63.9
December	42.4	67.0	3.2	3.0	6.2	73.2	8.4	65.0
1992 —								
January	42.3	64.6	3.5	2.1	5.6	70.2	8.0	62.3
February	44.4	67.3	4.0	2.1	6.1	73.4	8.3	65.0

(a) Estimates for the period prior to April 1986 are based on the old definition. See paragraphs 14 and 15 of the Explanatory Notes.

TABLE 107. EMPLOYED PERSONS BY INDUSTRY
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Month	Agriculture, forestry, fishing and hunting	Manufacturing	Electricity, gas and water	Construction	Wholesale and retail trade	Transport and storage	Communication	Finance, property and business services	Public administration and defence	Community services	Recreation, personal and other services	
1978 —												
February	382.3	84.8	1,240.9	112.2	475.0	1,212.3	319.9	123.9	472.3	283.9	899.6	378.4
May	371.5	84.8	1,245.3	120.7	490.7	1,232.4	319.6	126.5	478.7	281.7	911.4	375.0
August	374.9	79.0	1,194.2	115.1	486.9	1,248.0	328.7	130.0	470.3	285.1	925.0	368.1
November	394.3	75.5	1,198.0	109.4	485.3	1,225.3	335.2	135.5	481.5	282.8	942.3	368.7
1979 —												
February	393.9	83.9	1,202.3	116.0	481.3	1,229.2	335.8	132.1	499.0	276.6	929.0	371.5
May	389.2	84.3	1,223.8	116.3	488.0	1,248.3	341.8	129.3	489.4	276.7	912.4	376.2
August	399.0	81.7	1,228.5	118.6	468.7	1,232.7	345.9	127.1	488.1	270.9	947.4	369.9
November	402.3	81.4	1,229.1	128.9	487.6	1,268.6	350.1	123.8	492.7	268.1	975.9	380.4
1980 —												
February	409.8	80.2	1,246.4	129.4	489.0	1,259.3	330.7	128.0	502.3	271.3	962.0	398.8
May	406.7	80.1	1,264.8	130.4	478.7	1,295.4	330.8	122.0	517.2	281.8	974.7	390.8
August	407.4	84.1	1,240.0	128.9	485.8	1,274.3	342.9	116.4	515.0	282.3	1,014.6	389.6
November	405.4	87.2	1,234.8	129.5	493.9	1,297.8	350.6	119.9	536.3	288.3	1,012.7	385.6
1981 —												
February	417.0	88.6	1,243.0	132.6	489.9	1,263.9	355.3	123.6	554.2	288.6	1,006.4	393.4
May	427.1	91.8	1,266.8	129.3	491.6	1,274.0	346.1	123.7	564.1	288.4	1,011.5	397.9
August	415.9	99.1	1,236.0	125.0	474.6	1,279.3	350.7	130.9	559.4	299.2	1,029.2	399.8
November	403.7	98.4	1,263.5	128.9	473.1	1,293.9	350.0	139.4	550.7	289.7	1,036.5	400.2
1982 —												
February	405.0	99.9	1,246.9	132.3	485.4	1,277.3	362.0	141.5	580.3	291.0	1,013.4	397.5
May	410.3	97.0	1,249.1	125.3	472.5	1,280.2	368.4	142.1	577.7	287.2	1,028.2	403.0
August	410.2	91.2	1,196.3	128.8	466.7	1,248.5	375.2	129.6	587.0	286.6	1,056.8	402.5
November	422.3	93.3	1,162.2	145.3	440.3	1,280.3	363.6	133.4	566.1	295.7	1,052.4	412.1
1983 —												
February	414.9	101.5	1,145.7	142.6	422.7	1,253.0	368.7	134.7	559.5	296.7	1,021.7	402.2
May	418.7	98.0	1,148.8	142.4	418.7	1,251.4	355.7	133.6	575.3	300.3	1,034.6	395.3
August	411.4	94.3	1,131.9	136.0	388.0	1,217.1	365.2	140.3	574.6	314.1	1,077.4	390.9
November	418.3	97.7	1,147.2	140.4	403.0	1,267.4	355.6	144.0	579.2	315.2	1,085.3	424.1
1984 —												
February	402.5	99.7	1,130.0	145.3	414.6	1,250.2	366.9	134.4	616.8	322.3	1,069.3	413.5
May	396.4	99.1	1,148.3	150.1	433.5	1,279.8	367.8	136.8	615.3	325.5	1,115.9	421.3
August	399.6	92.2	1,142.2	148.0	423.5	1,271.1	354.9	131.9	620.3	322.5	1,139.3	420.6
November	411.5	94.1	1,160.6	142.9	442.8	1,313.3	350.7	138.2	611.2	319.2	1,159.6	432.1
1985 —												
February	405.3	95.2	1,156.9	133.0	473.0	1,302.4	364.5	142.7	629.7	324.5	1,129.2	439.3
May	394.5	92.9	1,140.1	133.6	487.5	1,323.2	367.6	147.6	655.9	325.4	1,146.1	443.6
August	415.1	101.6	1,113.2	138.7	471.2	1,324.7	377.4	149.2	668.0	325.3	1,160.4	430.9
November	434.7	108.8	1,145.8	143.9	471.3	1,389.8	374.8	141.4	689.8	320.4	1,194.1	467.3
1986 —												
February	421.0	109.2	1,157.7	150.0	462.9	1,381.3	371.3	141.7	702.9	335.1	1,172.8	456.1
May	434.7	103.7	1,151.3	143.9	491.1	1,421.2	377.3	144.2	701.7	340.1	1,210.9	458.9
August	415.5	95.5	1,131.6	137.5	493.4	1,390.7	396.4	149.1	703.2	325.9	1,222.2	457.7
November	429.0	99.7	1,132.4	133.1	490.5	1,434.1	398.6	139.5	721.3	329.1	1,245.4	481.6
1987 —												
February	422.0	105.4	1,139.0	134.6	505.7	1,411.7	384.7	134.7	732.0	333.1	1,234.0	485.5
May	415.1	103.5	1,150.4	126.8	508.9	1,408.5	383.9	139.3	752.4	346.2	1,273.2	495.5
August	402.4	98.5	1,154.4	119.6	487.9	1,411.6	375.3	139.5	771.1	352.0	1,283.7	496.3
November	406.6	100.0	1,188.0	124.4	493.2	1,481.0	384.3	135.0	752.3	345.2	1,250.2	521.9
1988 —												
February	429.3	98.3	1,176.7	134.8	509.6	1,485.7	398.3	137.2	777.6	342.6	1,231.0	526.2
May	428.7	93.9	1,179.4	118.0	524.4	1,517.4	386.7	129.4	797.6	347.3	1,299.9	532.2
August	428.2	95.3	1,203.6	113.9	529.2	1,502.1	379.1	134.8	805.5	322.7	1,308.6	530.2
November	439.3	95.3	1,213.0	116.0	561.4	1,545.9	386.4	135.9	814.1	327.5	1,330.6	543.3
1989 —												
February	430.7	100.2	1,217.0	122.8	584.6	1,579.3	396.2	141.6	842.0	318.4	1,305.1	531.8
May	430.6	101.1	1,240.4	124.9	594.8	1,583.5	394.5	138.7	858.2	331.1	1,377.3	554.3
August	406.2	105.4	1,236.0	113.4	601.4	1,606.9	407.5	139.8	875.2	324.0	1,356.9	554.7
November	430.6	107.2	1,234.8	108.3	608.0	1,653.8	400.0	141.0	892.9	335.3	1,362.0	596.8
1990 —												
February	422.2	105.3	1,209.1	107.3	617.2	1,635.4	391.7	136.5	909.8	349.5	1,334.9	590.0
May	443.6	99.7	1,203.2	107.7	573.9	1,666.6	389.9	142.6	907.9	372.0	1,417.7	591.4
August	424.7	96.1	1,200.4	104.8	585.3	1,612.1	402.2	145.0	904.3	366.0	1,422.8	561.3
November	454.8	95.9	1,188.1	105.3	585.2	1,633.2	393.4	146.2	893.6	364.6	1,411.4	578.2
1991 —												
February	430.3	102.6	1,156.9	103.8	570.9	1,628.4	398.8	140.4	887.5	362.9	1,369.5	587.4
May	425.3	89.4	1,124.2	102.7	543.8	1,609.8	404.1	136.0	904.0	357.1	1,430.0	612.6
August	407.1	95.5	1,107.1	103.7	510.2	1,590.5	399.2	132.5	893.9	359.3	1,465.0	605.2
November	422.8	86.0	1,122.1	103.3	528.3	1,585.3	393.7	133.1	875.5	342.6	1,453.4	628.1
1992 —												
February	407.5	92.9	1,107.7	110.4	518.3	1,594.6	384.2	138.4	881.3	355.4	1,435.6	624.6

TABLE 108. EMPLOYED PERSONS BY INDUSTRY: SEASONALLY ADJUSTED(a)
(*000)

<i>Month</i>	<i>Agri-culture, forestry and hunting</i>	<i>Mining</i>	<i>Manufac-turing</i>	<i>Elect-ricity gas and water</i>	<i>Construc-tion</i>	<i>Whole-sale and retail trade</i>	<i>Finance, property and business services</i>	<i>Public admin-istration and defence</i>	<i>Community services</i>	<i>Recrea-tion, personal and other services</i>
1978 —										
February	379.0	83.5	1,241.4	110.8	474.3	1,222.0	468.7	—	909.7	375.7
May	372.6	84.3	1,231.1	120.2	484.7	1,225.7	474.7	—	922.4	373.7
August	375.1	80.2	1,205.0	117.2	492.8	1,259.4	473.6	—	916.4	370.6
November	396.1	76.0	1,200.5	109.3	486.5	1,211.6	486.0	—	929.6	370.0
1979 —										
February	390.9	82.6	1,202.9	114.4	480.3	1,238.5	495.1	—	939.7	369.0
May	390.0	83.8	1,210.2	116.0	481.8	1,241.8	485.7	—	923.1	374.9
August	399.5	83.1	1,239.5	120.8	474.6	1,244.4	490.9	—	938.4	372.4
November	403.6	81.9	1,231.1	128.6	489.1	1,254.3	497.6	—	963.1	381.3
1980 —										
February	407.6	78.9	1,247.0	127.4	487.9	1,268.0	498.5	—	973.3	396.5
May	406.9	79.7	1,251.5	130.3	472.1	1,288.9	513.4	—	986.0	389.6
August	408.3	85.7	1,251.3	131.5	492.4	1,287.5	517.5	—	1,004.2	392.6
November	405.8	87.6	1,236.0	129.0	495.5	1,282.5	541.8	—	999.8	385.5
1981 —										
February	415.8	87.1	1,243.5	130.5	488.7	1,271.6	550.1	—	1,019.6	391.5
May	426.9	91.4	1,254.4	129.4	484.5	1,267.9	560.1	—	1,021.9	397.1
August	417.4	101.1	1,247.1	127.6	481.2	1,288.8	561.7	—	1,018.1	403.3
November	402.7	98.6	1,264.0	128.1	474.9	1,283.2	556.2	—	1,024.0	399.0
1982 —										
February	405.0	98.0	1,247.0	130.4	483.8	1,283.9	576.4	—	1,027.9	396.1
May	409.9	96.6	1,238.2	125.4	465.6	1,274.7	573.9	—	1,036.5	402.4
August	412.3	93.2	1,206.7	131.4	473.5	1,264.4	589.0	—	1,046.0	406.7
November	419.4	93.3	1,161.8	144.3	442.2	1,263.5	571.5	—	1,039.9	409.4
1983 —										
February	416.0	99.6	1,145.6	140.6	421.0	1,258.7	556.3	—	1,038.4	401.2
May	418.3	97.7	1,140.4	142.6	412.7	1,246.4	571.5	—	1,039.6	394.8
August	414.7	96.4	1,141.3	138.5	393.6	1,233.8	576.1	313.6	1,067.7	395.8
November	413.6	97.7	1,145.6	139.9	405.0	1,250.1	584.7	320.0	1,072.8	420.1
1984 —										
February	404.1	97.7	1,130.0	143.1	412.6	1,254.7	613.6	320.9	1,088.1	412.7
May	396.0	99.0	1,141.2	150.1	427.4	1,275.5	611.6	322.4	1,118.1	420.7
August	403.8	94.3	1,151.4	150.6	429.7	1,289.4	621.1	322.1	1,130.7	426.9
November	405.6	93.9	1,157.7	142.8	445.2	1,294.7	617.1	323.9	1,146.5	427.0
1985 —										
February	407.1	93.3	1,157.3	130.8	470.3	1,306.5	626.7	323.7	1,150.8	438.5
May	394.2	93.0	1,134.5	133.4	481.1	1,319.2	652.3	321.6	1,144.4	443.0
August	420.2	103.9	1,121.4	141.2	477.9	1,344.0	668.4	325.4	1,152.9	437.7
November	428.2	108.7	1,141.9	144.5	473.6	1,370.7	696.2	324.8	1,182.1	461.4
1986 —										
February	422.5	106.8	1,158.2	147.2	460.2	1,384.0	700.1	335.0	1,196.8	455.4
May	433.8	103.9	1,147.3	143.3	484.8	1,418.3	697.9	335.1	1,204.7	458.2
August	421.6	97.6	1,139.1	140.2	500.8	1,410.0	703.3	326.4	1,215.4	465.2
November	422.5	99.6	1,127.7	134.1	492.3	1,415.6	727.6	333.3	1,234.3	475.2
1987 —										
February	423.4	103.0	1,139.5	131.7	502.7	1,413.3	729.6	333.9	1,261.8	485.3
May	413.0	103.7	1,148.1	125.9	502.8	1,406.1	748.3	339.8	1,262.2	494.1
August	409.9	100.7	1,161.1	122.3	495.5	1,430.2	771.2	353.5	1,276.6	504.8
November	400.1	99.9	1,182.5	125.6	494.4	1,464.2	758.1	349.1	1,241.0	514.9
1988 —										
February	430.8	96.1	1,177.1	131.9	506.4	1,485.3	776.0	344.3	1,260.8	526.7
May	425.3	94.3	1,178.5	116.7	518.8	1,515.9	793.0	340.2	1,285.4	529.5
August	437.9	97.2	1,210.0	116.7	537.5	1,520.0	805.9	324.2	1,300.2	539.7
November	431.6	95.3	1,206.6	117.2	562.1	1,531.0	819.9	331.1	1,323.0	535.9
1989 —										
February	432.6	97.9	1,217.6	120.2	580.6	1,577.8	840.7	320.5	1,338.9	532.9
May	426.3	101.5	1,240.5	123.3	589.5	1,581.9	853.4	323.7	1,359.5	550.5
August	416.6	107.4	1,241.7	116.1	610.5	1,624.2	875.5	325.6	1,346.6	564.9
November	422.4	107.3	1,227.9	109.5	608.3	1,641.2	898.7	339.1	1,356.0	589.0
1990 —										
February	424.3	102.9	1,210.1	105.3	612.8	1,631.9	908.9	352.1	1,370.8	591.8
May	438.8	100.3	1,204.1	106.1	569.6	1,665.8	902.9	363.4	1,398.1	586.4
August	436.3	97.7	1,205.3	107.2	594.2	1,627.5	904.2	367.6	1,410.7	572.1
November	445.4	96.1	1,181.0	106.5	584.8	1,623.1	899.7	369.1	1,406.2	570.7
1991 —										
February	432.8	100.2	1,158.3	102.0	566.7	1,624.1	886.5	365.6	1,407.3	589.4
May	420.2	90.0	1,125.5	101.2	540.3	1,608.9	899.2	348.7	1,409.4	606.7
August	418.8	97.0	1,111.1	105.9	518.0	1,605.1	893.4	361.0	1,452.1	617.2
November	413.4	86.3	1,115.2	104.6	527.4	1,576.5	881.7	346.8	1,448.8	619.9
1992 —										
February	410.1	90.6	1,109.3	108.5	514.5	1,590.0	880.3	358.1	1,475.7	627.0

(a) Seasonally adjusted data are not available for Transport and storage; Communication; and Public administration and defence prior to August 1983.



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