## Dwelling units approved



Private sector houses approved


I NQUIRIES
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## KEY FIGURES

|  | Jul 11 no. | $\begin{array}{r} \text { Jun } 11 \text { to } \\ \text { Jul } 11 \\ \text { \% change } \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} \text { Jul } 10 \text { to } \\ \text { Jul } 11 \\ \text { \% change } \end{array}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| TREND |  |  |  |
| Total dwelling units approved | 12251 | -1.1 | -12.1 |
| Private sector houses | 7632 | -0.9 | -10.6 |
| Private sector dwellings excluding houses | 4298 | -1.7 | -7.4 |
| SEASONALLY ADJUSTED |  |  |  |
| Total dwelling units approved | 12227 | 1.0 | -15.0 |
| Private sector houses | 7600 | -0.2 | -12.1 |
| Private sector dwellings excluding houses | 4173 | -1.4 | -14.1 |

## KEY POINTS

## TOTAL DWELLING UNITS

- The trend estimate for Australia fell $1.1 \%$ in July 2011 and has fallen for nine months.
- The seasonally adjusted estimate for total dwellings approved rose $1 \%$ in July following a fall of 3.6\% in June 2011.


## PRIVATE SECTOR HOUSES

- The trend estimate for private sector houses approved fell $0.9 \%$ in July and has fallen for 19 months.
- The seasonally adjusted estimate for private sector houses fell $0.2 \%$ in July 2011 following a fall of $3.3 \%$ in the previous month.


## PRIVATE SECTOR DWELLINGS EXCLUDING HOUSES

- The trend estimate for private sector dwellings excluding houses fell $1.7 \%$ in July and has fallen for seven months.
- The seasonally adjusted estimate for private sector dwellings excluding houses approved fell $1.4 \%$ following a fall of $4.5 \%$ last month.


## VALUE OF BUILDING APPROVED

- The trend estimate for the value of total residential building fell $1.2 \%$ and the value of non-residential building fell $1.6 \%$.
- The seasonally adjusted estimate of the value of total building approved fell $4.4 \%$ in July following a fall of $1.4 \%$ last month.
- The seasonally adjusted estimate for the value of total residential building fell $1.2 \%$ and the value of non-residential building fell $9.7 \%$.

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Widespread flooding, and other natural disasters, in the eastern states during late 2010 and early 2011 have not adversely affected participation by providers in the Building Approvals collection or the quality of estimates in this release. However, these events may have had an impact on the number of approved dwellings and the value of approved work.

The trend estimates should be interpreted with caution as the underlying behaviour of building approvals may be affected by initiatives within the Government stimulus package, which included the "Building the Education Revolution" (BER) program and the Social Housing Initiative as well as other developments associated with global economic conditions. From June 2009 to February 2010 BER impacts were quantified and removed from the trend estimates because of their short term nature. From April 2010 these impacts are no longer removed from the trend estimates as their effect has significantly declined. For more details on trend estimates, please see paragraphs 19 to 21 of the explanatory notes.

As previously advertised in the April 2011 and June 2011 issues, a range of changes have been made in the July 2011 issue to improve readability for users and implement the Australian Statistical Geography Standard (ASGS):

- Selected Tables appearing in the June 2011 issue (Tables 10, 12, 20, 21, 22 and 23) have been removed. The data presented in these tables are still available in time series spreadsheets from the ABS website.
- A new time series spreadsheet has been released containing the number of dwelling units approved for Greater Capital City Statistical Areas (Table 87). This table is the ASGS equivalent to Table 10 Capital City Statistical Divisions.
- Small area data cubes will be released in an "Additional Information" release up to 10 working days after the main publication. The data cubes will be for Statistical Area Level 2 in addition to Statistical Local Areas. Release dates are published under the "Forthcoming Issues" section of the publication and in ABS Release Advice.
- Tables 60-73 on the website have been replaced by new Tables 60-77 (with the numbering of other tables amended accordingly). The new tables contain revised value ranges for non-residential building jobs and approvals, and contain previously unpublished data for the Northern Territory and the Australian Capital Territory.
- The data descriptions "Dwellings excluding houses" now replaces the descriptions "Other dwellings" and "Non-house building (ie. Other Res + Non-Res)" which were used in previous issues.
- The State and Territory summary comments of this publication have been discontinued. The data formerly presented on that page are still available in Tables 3-6 of this publication.
- The explanatory notes, glossary and quality declaration have been updated.

REVISIONS THIS MONTH Revisions to the total number of dwelling units approved in this issue are:

|  | 2009-10 | 2010-11 | TOTAL |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| NSW | - | 20 | 20 |
| Vic. | - | - | - |
| Qld | - | 102 | 102 |
| SA | - | - | - |
| WA | - | - | - |
| Tas. | - | - | - |
| NT | - | - | - |
| ACT | - | 23 | 23 |
| Total | - | 145 | 145 |

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NUMBER OF TOTAL
DWELLING UNITS


NUMBER OF PRIVATE SECTOR HOUSES


## NUMBER OF PRIVATE

SECTOR DWELLINGS
EXCLUDING HOUSES


## VALUE OF NEW <br> RESIDENTIAL BUILDING



VALUE OF
NON-RESIDENTIAL
BUILDING


The trend estimate for Australia fell 1.1\% in July 2011.

In seasonally adjusted terms the estimate rose $1 \%$ to 12,227 dwellings.

The trend estimate for private sector houses approved fell $0.9 \%$ in July.

In seasonally adjusted terms the estimate fell $0.2 \%$ to 7,600 houses.

The trend estimate for private sector dwellings excluding houses fell $1.7 \%$ in July.

In seasonally adjusted terms the estimate fell $1.4 \%$ to 4,173 dwellings.

The trend estimate for the value of new residential building approved fell $1.4 \%$ in July 2011 and has fallen for 15 months.

The trend estimate for the value of alterations and additions to residential building fell $0.1 \%$ in July 2011 and has fallen for three months.

The trend estimate for the value of non-residential building approved fell 1.6\% in July 2011 and has fallen for eight months.

## DWELLING UNITS APPROVED STATE TRENDS

NEW SOUTH WALES

VICTORIA

QUEENSLAND

SOUTH AUSTRALIA

WESTERN AUSTRALIA


The trend estimate for total number of dwelling units approved in New South Wales fell $2.5 \%$ in July and is now showing falls for seven months. The trend estimate for the number of private sector houses fell $0.7 \%$ in July and has now fallen for five months.

The trend estimate for total number of dwelling units approved in Victoria fell $1.7 \%$ in July and has fallen for 10 months. The trend estimate for the number of private sector houses fell $0.2 \%$ in July and has now fallen for 19 months.

The trend estimate for total number of dwelling units approved in Queensland fell $0.4 \%$ in July and has now fallen for eight months. The trend estimate for the number of private sector houses fell $2.2 \%$ in July and is showing falls for 18 months.

The trend estimate for total number of dwelling units approved in South Australia fell $2.4 \%$ in July and is now showing falls for four months. The trend estimate for the number of private sector houses fell $0.6 \%$ in July and is now showing falls for two months.

The trend estimate for total number of dwelling units approved in Western Australia fell $1.0 \%$ in July and has now fallen for eight months. The trend estimate for the number of private sector houses fell $0.4 \%$ and has now fallen for eight months.

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| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | HOUSES |  | HOUSES |  | TOTAL DWELLING UNITS |  |  |
|  | Private | Total | Private | Total | Private | Public | Total |
| Month | no. | no. | no. | no. | no. | no. | no. |
| ORIGINAL |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 2010 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| May | 9198 | 9468 | 4261 | 5432 | 13459 | 1441 | 14900 |
| June | 9369 | 9616 | 4628 | 5448 | 13997 | 1067 | 15064 |
| July | 9098 | 9375 | 5344 | 6113 | 14442 | 1046 | 15488 |
| August | 8888 | 9102 | 5009 | 5804 | 13897 | 1009 | 14906 |
| September | 8956 | 9114 | 4804 | 5208 | 13760 | 562 | 14322 |
| October | 8689 | 8885 | 6467 | 6789 | 15156 | 518 | 15674 |
| November | 8749 | 8945 | 5039 | 5427 | 13788 | 584 | 14372 |
| December | 7344 | 7503 | 6315 | 6832 | 13659 | 676 | 14335 |
| 2011 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| January | 5922 | 5982 | 3515 | 3747 | 9437 | 292 | 9729 |
| February | 7801 | 7945 | 3675 | 3852 | 11476 | 321 | 11797 |
| March | 8741 | 8886 | 5208 | 5536 | 13949 | 473 | 14422 |
| April | 6848 | 6936 | 4909 | 5057 | 11757 | 236 | 11993 |
| May | 8359 | 8491 | 4344 | 4531 | 12703 | 319 | 13022 |
| June | 8299 | 8399 | 4170 | 4371 | 12469 | 301 | 12770 |
| July | 7754 | 7862 | 4429 | 4777 | 12183 | 456 | 12639 |

## SEASONALLY ADJUSTED

| $\mathbf{2 0 1 0}$ | 8868 | 9154 | 4312 | 5148 | 13181 | 1121 | $\mathbf{1 4} \mathbf{3 0 2}$ |
| :--- | ---: | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| May | 8685 | 8908 | 4681 | 5215 | 13366 | 758 | $\mathbf{1 4} \mathbf{1 2 4}$ |
| June | 8649 | 8876 | 4857 | 5504 | 13506 | 874 | $\mathbf{1 4} \mathbf{3 8 0}$ |
| July | 8286 | 8486 | 5135 | 6053 | 13422 | 1118 | $\mathbf{1 4 5 3 9}$ |
| August | 8318 | 8475 | 4223 | 4699 | 12541 | 633 | $\mathbf{1 3} \mathbf{1 7 4}$ |
| September | 8313 | 8498 | 5599 | 6070 | 13912 | 656 | $\mathbf{1 4 5 6 8}$ |
| October | 8389 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| November | 8287 | 8452 | 5096 | 5470 | 13383 | 539 | $\mathbf{1 3} 922$ |
| December | 8282 | 8451 | 5966 | 6516 | 14248 | 719 | $\mathbf{1 4} \mathbf{9 6 7}$ |
| 2011 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| January | 8052 | 8151 | 4782 | 5035 | 12834 | 352 | $\mathbf{1 3} \mathbf{1 8 6}$ |
| February | 8128 | 8299 | 4065 | 4251 | 12193 | 357 | $\mathbf{1 2 5 5 0}$ |
| March | 8076 | 8206 | 4961 | 5298 | 13037 | 466 | $\mathbf{1 3 5 0 4}$ |
| April | 7812 | 7910 | 5314 | 5433 | 13126 | 217 | $\mathbf{1 3} \mathbf{3 4 3}$ |
| May | 7875 | 7998 | 4432 | 4560 | 12306 | 252 | $\mathbf{1 2 5 5 8}$ |
| June | 7617 | 7709 | 4233 | 4396 | 11850 | 256 | $\mathbf{1 2} \mathbf{1 0 6}$ |
| July | 7600 | 7700 | 4173 | 4526 | 11773 | 454 | $\mathbf{1 2} \mathbf{2 2 7}$ |


| TREND |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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| 2010 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| May | 8903 | 9191 | 4523 | 5506 | 13427 | 1271 | 14698 |
| June | 8694 | 8950 | 4601 | 5325 | 13296 | 979 | 14275 |
| July | 8535 | 8757 | 4640 | 5183 | 13175 | 764 | 13939 |
| August | 8423 | 8619 | 4707 | 5151 | 13130 | 640 | 13770 |
| September | 8346 | 8526 | 4814 | 5210 | 13160 | 576 | 13736 |
| October | 8293 | 8463 | 4918 | 5287 | 13212 | 538 | 13750 |
| November | 8250 | 8410 | 4978 | 5304 | 13228 | 487 | 13715 |
| December | 8211 | 8363 | 4988 | 5273 | 13199 | 438 | 13636 |
| 2011 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| January | 8160 | 8304 | 4955 | 5198 | 13115 | 387 | 13503 |
| February | 8087 | 8222 | 4865 | 5077 | 12952 | 347 | 13299 |
| March | 7993 | 8120 | 4736 | 4930 | 12729 | 320 | 13049 |
| April | 7894 | 8012 | 4613 | 4806 | 12507 | 311 | 12818 |
| May | 7796 | 7906 | 4500 | 4698 | 12296 | 308 | 12604 |
| June | 7704 | 7807 | 4373 | 4584 | 12077 | 314 | 12391 |
| July | 7632 | 7731 | 4298 | 4520 | 11930 | 321 | 12251 |


|  | DWELLINGS EXCLUDING |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | HOUSES |  | HOUSES |  | TOTAL DWELLING UNITS |  |  |
|  | Private | Total | Private | Total | Private | Public | Total |
| Month | \% | \% | \% | \% | \% | \% | \% |
| ORIGINAL |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 2010 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| May | 14.0 | 13.0 | -3.8 | -2.9 | 7.7 | -2.3 | 6.7 |
| June | 1.9 | 1.6 | 8.6 | 0.3 | 4.0 | -26.0 | 1.1 |
| July | -2.9 | -2.5 | 15.5 | 12.2 | 3.2 | -2.0 | 2.8 |
| August | -2.3 | -2.9 | -6.3 | -5.1 | -3.8 | -3.5 | -3.8 |
| September | 0.8 | 0.1 | -4.1 | -10.3 | -1.0 | -44.3 | -3.9 |
| October | -3.0 | -2.5 | 34.6 | 30.4 | 10.1 | -7.8 | 9.4 |
| November | 0.7 | 0.7 | -22.1 | -20.1 | -9.0 | 12.7 | -8.3 |
| December | -16.1 | -16.1 | 25.3 | 25.9 | -0.9 | 15.8 | -0.3 |
| 2011 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| January | -19.4 | -20.3 | -44.3 | -45.2 | -30.9 | -56.8 | -32.1 |
| February | 31.7 | 32.8 | 4.6 | 2.8 | 21.6 | 9.9 | 21.3 |
| March | 12.0 | 11.8 | 41.7 | 43.7 | 21.5 | 47.4 | 22.3 |
| April | -21.7 | -21.9 | -5.7 | -8.7 | -15.7 | -50.1 | -16.8 |
| May | 22.1 | 22.4 | -11.5 | -10.4 | 8.0 | 35.2 | 8.6 |
| June | -0.7 | -1.1 | -4.0 | -3.5 | -1.8 | -5.6 | -1.9 |
| July | -6.6 | -6.4 | 6.2 | 9.3 | -2.3 | 51.5 | -1.0 |


|  | SEAS N A LY AD U STED |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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| $\mathbf{2 0 1 0}$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| May | -1.0 | -1.2 | -11.1 | -12.1 | -4.6 | -14.7 | $\mathbf{- 5 . 4}$ |  |
| June | -2.1 | -2.7 | 8.5 | 1.3 | 1.4 | -32.4 | $\mathbf{- 1 . 2}$ |  |
| July | -0.4 | -0.4 | 3.8 | 5.5 | 1.0 | 15.4 | $\mathbf{1 . 8}$ |  |
| August | -4.2 | -4.4 | 5.7 | 10.0 | -0.6 | 27.8 | $\mathbf{1 . 1}$ |  |
| September | 0.4 | -0.1 | -17.8 | -22.4 | -6.6 | -43.4 | $\mathbf{- 9 . 4}$ |  |
| October | -0.1 | 0.3 | 32.6 | 29.2 | 10.9 | 3.6 | $\mathbf{1 0 . 6}$ |  |
| November | -0.3 | -0.5 | -9.0 | -9.9 | -3.8 | -17.9 | $\mathbf{- 4 . 4}$ |  |
| December | -0.1 | - | 17.1 | 19.1 | 6.5 | 33.5 | $\mathbf{7 . 5}$ |  |
| $\mathbf{2 0 1 1}$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| January | -2.8 | -3.5 | -19.8 | -22.7 | -9.9 | -51.0 | $\mathbf{- 1 1 . 9}$ |  |
| February | 1.0 | 1.8 | -15.0 | -15.6 | -5.0 | 1.4 | $\mathbf{- 4 . 8}$ |  |
| March | -0.6 | -1.1 | 22.1 | 24.6 | 6.9 | 30.6 | $\mathbf{7 . 6}$ |  |
| April | -3.3 | -3.6 | 7.1 | 2.5 | 0.7 | -53.5 | $\mathbf{- 1 . 2}$ |  |
| May | 0.8 | 1.1 | -16.6 | -16.1 | -6.2 | 16.2 | $\mathbf{- 5 . 9}$ |  |
| June | -3.3 | -3.6 | -4.5 | -3.6 | -3.7 | 1.5 | $\mathbf{- 3 . 6}$ |  |
| July | -0.2 | -0.1 | -1.4 | 2.9 | -0.7 | 77.5 | $\mathbf{1 . 0}$ |  |

TREND

| $\mathbf{2 0 1 0}$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| May | -2.5 | -2.7 | 3.3 | -2.8 | -0.6 | -20.5 | $\mathbf{- 2 . 7}$ |
| June | -2.3 | -2.6 | 1.7 | -3.3 | -1.0 | -23.0 | $\mathbf{- 2 . 9}$ |
| July | -1.8 | -2.2 | 0.8 | -2.7 | -0.9 | -21.9 | $\mathbf{- 2 . 3}$ |
| August | -1.3 | -1.6 | 1.4 | -0.6 | -0.3 | -16.2 | $\mathbf{- 1 . 2}$ |
| September | -0.9 | -1.1 | 2.3 | 1.1 | 0.2 | -10.1 | $\mathbf{- 0 . 2}$ |
| October | -0.6 | -0.7 | 2.2 | 1.5 | 0.4 | -6.5 | $\mathbf{0 . 1}$ |
| November | -0.5 | -0.6 | 1.2 | 0.3 | 0.1 | -9.6 | $\mathbf{- 0 . 3}$ |
| December | -0.5 | -0.6 | 0.2 | -0.6 | -0.2 | -10.1 | $\mathbf{- 0 . 6}$ |
| $\mathbf{2 0 1 1}$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| January | -0.6 | -0.7 | -0.7 | -1.4 | -0.6 | -11.5 | $\mathbf{- 1 . 0}$ |
| February | -0.9 | -1.0 | -1.8 | -2.3 | -1.2 | -10.5 | $\mathbf{- 1 . 5}$ |
| March | -1.2 | -1.2 | -2.7 | -2.9 | -1.7 | -7.6 | $\mathbf{- 1 . 9}$ |
| April | -1.2 | -1.3 | -2.6 | -2.5 | -1.7 | -3.0 | $\mathbf{- 1 . 8}$ |
| May | -1.2 | -1.3 | -2.4 | -2.2 | -1.7 | -0.9 | $\mathbf{- 1 . 7}$ |
| June | -1.2 | -1.3 | -2.8 | -2.4 | -1.8 | 1.8 | $\mathbf{- 1 . 7}$ |
| July | -0.9 | -1.0 | -1.7 | -1.4 | -1.2 | 2.4 | $\mathbf{- 1 . 1}$ |

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## SEASONALLY ADJUSTED

| 2010 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| May | 2946 | 4794 | 2749 | 1266 | 1852 | 209 | na | na | 14302 |
| June | 2752 | 5136 | 2505 | 971 | 1886 | 252 | na | na | 14124 |
| July | 2959 | 5507 | 2246 | 1049 | 1770 | 281 | na | na | 14380 |
| August | 2452 | 5871 | 2238 | 1245 | 1763 | 248 | na | na | 14539 |
| September | 2445 | 5032 | 2420 | 883 | 1724 | 281 | na | na | 13174 |
| October | 3119 | 4995 | 2400 | 946 | 1764 | 269 | na | na | 14568 |
| November | 2917 | 5165 | 2449 | 869 | 1884 | 224 | na | na | 13922 |
| December | 2949 | 5672 | 2601 | 886 | 1816 | 253 | na | na | 14967 |
| 2011 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| January | 2692 | 5187 | 2371 | 685 | 1722 | 184 | na | na | 13186 |
| February | 2838 | 4132 | 2110 | 1035 | 1717 | 269 | na | na | 12550 |
| March | 3040 | 5103 | 1843 | 831 | 1740 | 271 | na | na | 13504 |
| April | 2585 | 5150 | 2331 | 892 | 1610 | 257 | na | na | 13343 |
| May | 2274 | 4208 | 2506 | 934 | 1664 | 253 | na | na | 12558 |
| June | 2362 | 4484 | 2046 | 815 | 1613 | 232 | na | na | 12106 |
| July | 2490 | 4343 | 2009 | 743 | 1590 | 171 | na | na | 12227 |


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|  |  |  |  |  | TREND |  |  |  |  |
| $\mathbf{2 0 1 0}$ | 2915 | 5099 | 2788 | 1105 | 2046 | 248 | 124 | 374 | $\mathbf{1 4} \mathbf{6 9 8}$ |
| May | 2815 | 5147 | 2582 | 1096 | 1886 | 252 | 137 | 360 | $\mathbf{1 4} \mathbf{2 7 5}$ |
| June | 2743 | 5178 | 2419 | 1080 | 1784 | 259 | 139 | 338 | $\mathbf{1 3} 939$ |
| July | 2718 | 5203 | 2341 | 1044 | 1752 | 262 | 127 | 322 | $\mathbf{1 3} \mathbf{7 7 0}$ |
| August | 2734 | 5207 | 2355 | 990 | 1760 | 260 | 109 | 320 | $\mathbf{1 3} \mathbf{7 3 6}$ |
| September | 2793 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| October | 2790 | 5167 | 2401 | 936 | 1781 | 254 | 91 | 331 | $\mathbf{1 3} \mathbf{7 5 0}$ |
| November | 2854 | 5101 | 2414 | 887 | 1790 | 245 | 77 | 346 | $\mathbf{1 3} \mathbf{7 1 5}$ |
| December | 2902 | 5036 | 2381 | 860 | 1785 | 239 | 69 | 364 | $\mathbf{1 3} \mathbf{6 3 6}$ |
| 2011 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| January | 2898 | 4975 | 2320 | 855 | 1766 | 241 | 66 | 381 | $\mathbf{1 3 5 0 3}$ |
| February | 2832 | 4899 | 2254 | 869 | 1734 | 247 | 67 | 398 | $\mathbf{1 3} \mathbf{2 9 9}$ |
| March | 2723 | 4795 | 2207 | 880 | 1697 | 251 | 71 | 426 | $\mathbf{1 3} \mathbf{0 4 9}$ |
| April | 2618 | 4685 | 2182 | 878 | 1664 | 250 | 75 | 466 | $\mathbf{1 2} \mathbf{8 1 8}$ |
| May | 2519 | 4580 | 2168 | 864 | 1638 | 241 | 82 | 511 | $\mathbf{1 2} \mathbf{6 0 4}$ |
| June | 2431 | 4479 | 2150 | 842 | 1616 | 229 | 91 | 552 | $\mathbf{1 2} \mathbf{3 9 1}$ |
| July | 2371 | 4400 | 2141 | 822 | 1601 | 217 | 102 | 596 | $\mathbf{1 2} \mathbf{2 5 1}$ |

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|  | NSW | Vic. | Qld | SA | WA | Tas. | NT | ACT | Aust. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Month | no. | no. | no. | no. | no. | no. | no. | no. | no. |
| ORIGINAL |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 2010 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| May | 1428 | 3181 | 1806 | 727 | 1674 | 187 | 47 | 148 | 9198 |
| June | 1512 | 3307 | 1674 | 699 | 1706 | 210 | 50 | 211 | 9369 |
| July | 1370 | 3463 | 1721 | 766 | 1357 | 194 | 46 | 181 | 9098 |
| August | 1312 | 3214 | 1636 | 729 | 1642 | 181 | 32 | 142 | 8888 |
| September | 1378 | 3176 | 1794 | 791 | 1455 | 177 | 47 | 138 | 8956 |
| October | 1438 | 3129 | 1560 | 641 | 1464 | 179 | 37 | 241 | 8689 |
| November | 1381 | 3046 | 1712 | 711 | 1528 | 179 | 43 | 149 | 8749 |
| December | 1233 | 2612 | 1301 | 527 | 1290 | 186 | 38 | 157 | 7344 |
| 2011 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| January | 1025 | 2225 | 932 | 395 | 1098 | 129 | 14 | 104 | 5922 |
| February | 1442 | 2792 | 1202 | 583 | 1354 | 188 | 32 | 208 | 7801 |
| March | 1523 | 3209 | 1566 | 652 | 1346 | 230 | 31 | 184 | 8741 |
| April | 1155 | 2464 | 1261 | 520 | 1141 | 151 | 26 | 130 | 6848 |
| May | 1530 | 2986 | 1458 | 657 | 1408 | 181 | 36 | 103 | 8359 |
| June | 1407 | 2919 | 1448 | 652 | 1554 | 181 | 36 | 102 | 8299 |
| July | 1444 | 3028 | 1116 | 554 | 1293 | 132 | 42 | 145 | 7754 |
| SEASONALLY ADJUSTED |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 2010 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| May | 1387 | 3131 | 1705 | 694 | 1555 | na | na | na | 8868 |
| June | 1382 | 3081 | 1564 | 673 | 1573 | na | na | na | 8685 |
| July | 1321 | 3248 | 1641 | 709 | 1337 | na | na | na | 8649 |
| August | 1169 | 2978 | 1559 | 687 | 1540 | na | na | na | 8286 |
| September | 1336 | 2969 | 1627 | 697 | 1354 | na | na | na | 8318 |
| October | 1361 | 3003 | 1481 | 668 | 1381 | na | na | na | 8313 |
| November | 1327 | 2910 | 1607 | 662 | 1428 | na | na | na | 8287 |
| December | 1348 | 3009 | 1542 | 577 | 1416 | na | na | na | 8282 |
| 2011 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| January | 1403 | 3060 | 1260 | 538 | 1409 | na | na | na | 8052 |
| February | 1500 | 2836 | 1285 | 607 | 1424 | na | na | na | 8128 |
| March | 1407 | 2947 | 1438 | 596 | 1288 | na | na | na | 8076 |
| April | 1340 | 2763 | 1404 | 604 | 1374 | na | na | na | 7812 |
| May | 1395 | 2919 | 1375 | 609 | 1269 | na | na | na | 7875 |
| June | 1339 | 2686 | 1302 | 587 | 1411 | na | na | na | 7617 |
| July | 1400 | 2918 | 1113 | 569 | 1296 | na | na | na | 7600 |
| TREND |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 2010 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| May | 1369 | 3125 | 1729 | 712 | 1563 | na | na | na | 8903 |
| June | 1347 | 3087 | 1656 | 701 | 1508 | na | na | na | 8694 |
| July | 1321 | 3061 | 1610 | 695 | 1463 | na | na | na | 8535 |
| August | 1299 | 3042 | 1589 | 690 | 1431 | na | na | na | 8423 |
| September | 1295 | 3020 | 1572 | 678 | 1414 | na | na | na | 8346 |
| October | 1315 | 2997 | 1545 | 658 | 1406 | na | na | na | 8293 |
| November | 1348 | 2977 | 1503 | 632 | 1407 | na | na | na | 8250 |
| December | 1382 | 2966 | 1454 | 607 | 1404 | na | na | na | 8211 |
| 2011 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| January | 1405 | 2951 | 1413 | 591 | 1394 | na | na | na | 8160 |
| February | 1410 | 2925 | 1386 | 587 | 1379 | na | na | na | 8087 |
| March | 1405 | 2888 | 1368 | 590 | 1362 | na | na | na | 7993 |
| April | 1395 | 2856 | 1348 | 594 | 1345 | na | na | na | 7894 |
| May | 1383 | 2832 | 1322 | 595 | 1334 | na | na | na | 7796 |
| June | 1373 | 2816 | 1288 | 594 | 1327 | na | na | na | 7704 |
| July | 1364 | 2809 | 1259 | 590 | 1322 | na | na | na | 7632 |


|  | NSW | Vic. | Qld | SA | WA | Tas. | NT | ACT | Aust. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Month | \% | \% | \% | \% | \% | \% | \% | \% | \% |
|  | ORIGINAL |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 2010 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| May | 14.0 | 17.9 | 9.1 | 8.7 | 19.7 | 16.1 | -24.2 | -10.8 | 14.0 |
| June | 5.9 | 4.0 | -7.3 | -3.9 | 1.9 | 12.3 | 6.4 | 42.6 | 1.9 |
| July | -9.4 | 4.7 | 2.8 | 9.6 | -20.5 | -7.6 | -8.0 | -14.2 | -2.9 |
| August | -4.2 | -7.2 | -4.9 | -4.8 | 21.0 | -6.7 | -30.4 | -21.5 | -2.3 |
| September | 5.0 | -1.2 | 9.7 | 8.5 | -11.4 | -2.2 | 46.9 | -2.8 | 0.8 |
| October | 4.4 | -1.5 | -13.0 | -19.0 | 0.6 | 1.1 | -21.3 | 74.6 | -3.0 |
| November | -4.0 | -2.7 | 9.7 | 10.9 | 4.4 | - | 16.2 | -38.2 | 0.7 |
| December | -10.7 | -14.2 | -24.0 | -25.9 | -15.6 | 3.9 | -11.6 | 5.4 | -16.1 |
| 2011 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| January | -16.9 | -14.8 | -28.4 | -25.0 | -14.9 | -30.6 | -63.2 | -33.8 | -19.4 |
| February | 40.7 | 25.5 | 29.0 | 47.6 | 23.3 | 45.7 | 128.6 | 100.0 | 31.7 |
| March | 5.6 | 14.9 | 30.3 | 11.8 | -0.6 | 22.3 | -3.1 | -11.5 | 12.0 |
| April | -24.2 | -23.2 | -19.5 | -20.2 | -15.2 | -34.3 | -16.1 | -29.3 | -21.7 |
| May | 32.5 | 21.2 | 15.6 | 26.3 | 23.4 | 19.9 | 38.5 | -20.8 | 22.1 |
| June | -8.0 | -2.2 | -0.7 | -0.8 | 10.4 | - | - | -1.0 | -0.7 |
| July | 2.6 | 3.7 | -22.9 | -15.0 | -16.8 | -27.1 | 16.7 | 42.2 | -6.6 |

## SEASONALLY ADJUSTED

|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| 2010 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| May | -3.7 | 6.5 | -7.8 | -2.5 | -3.0 | na | na | na | $\mathbf{- 1 . 0}$ |
| June | -0.4 | -1.6 | -8.3 | -3.1 | 1.2 | na | na | na | $\mathbf{- 2 . 1}$ |
| July | -4.4 | 5.4 | 4.9 | 5.4 | -15.1 | na | na | na | $\mathbf{- 0 . 4}$ |
| August | -11.5 | -8.3 | -5.0 | -3.1 | 15.2 | na | na | na | $\mathbf{- 4 . 2}$ |
| September | 14.4 | -0.3 | 4.3 | 1.5 | -12.1 | na | na | na | $\mathbf{0 . 4}$ |
| October | 1.9 | 1.2 | -9.0 | -4.2 | 2.0 | na | na | na | $\mathbf{- 0 . 1}$ |
| November | -2.5 | -3.1 | 8.6 | -0.9 | 3.4 | na | na | na | $\mathbf{- 0 . 3}$ |
| December | 1.6 | 3.4 | -4.1 | -12.8 | -0.9 | na | na | na | $\mathbf{- 0 . 1}$ |
| 2011 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| January | 4.1 | 1.7 | -18.3 | -6.7 | -0.5 | na | na | na | $\mathbf{- 2 . 8}$ |
| February | 6.9 | -7.3 | 2.0 | 12.8 | 1.1 | na | na | na | $\mathbf{1 . 0}$ |
| March | -6.2 | 3.9 | 11.9 | -1.9 | -9.6 | na | na | na | $\mathbf{- 0 . 6}$ |
| April | -4.8 | -6.3 | -2.4 | 1.5 | 6.7 | na | na | na | $\mathbf{- 3 . 3}$ |
| May | 4.1 | 5.6 | -2.0 | 0.8 | -7.6 | na | na | na | $\mathbf{0 . 8}$ |
| June | -4.0 | -8.0 | -5.3 | -3.7 | 11.2 | na | na | na | $\mathbf{- 3 . 3}$ |
| July | 4.6 | 8.7 | -14.5 | -3.0 | -8.2 | na | na | na | $\mathbf{- 0 . 2}$ |

## TREND

| 2010 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| May | -1.4 | -1.4 | -4.7 | -2.4 | -3.3 | na | na | na | $\mathbf{- 2 . 5}$ |
| June | -1.6 | -1.2 | -4.2 | -1.6 | -3.5 | na | na | na | $\mathbf{- 2 . 3}$ |
| July | -1.9 | -0.8 | -2.8 | -0.8 | -3.0 | na | na | na | $\mathbf{- 1 . 8}$ |
| August | -1.7 | -0.6 | -1.3 | -0.8 | -2.2 | na | na | na | $\mathbf{- 1 . 3}$ |
| September | -0.3 | -0.7 | -1.1 | -1.7 | -1.2 | na | na | na | $\mathbf{- 0 . 9}$ |
| October | 1.6 | -0.8 | -1.7 | -2.9 | -0.5 | na | na | na | $\mathbf{- 0 . 6}$ |
| November | 2.5 | -0.7 | -2.7 | -4.0 | - | na | na | na | $\mathbf{- 0 . 5}$ |
| December | 2.5 | -0.3 | -3.3 | -3.9 | -0.2 | na | na | na | $\mathbf{- 0 . 5}$ |
| 2011 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| January | 1.6 | -0.5 | -2.8 | -2.6 | -0.7 | na | na | na | $\mathbf{- 0 . 6}$ |
| February | 0.4 | -0.9 | -1.9 | -0.8 | -1.1 | na | na | na | $\mathbf{- 0 . 9}$ |
| March | -0.4 | -1.2 | -1.4 | 0.5 | -1.2 | na | na | na | $\mathbf{- 1 . 2}$ |
| April | -0.7 | -1.1 | -1.4 | 0.7 | -1.2 | na | na | na | $\mathbf{- 1 . 2}$ |
| May | -0.9 | -0.8 | -1.9 | 0.2 | -0.8 | na | na | na | $\mathbf{- 1 . 2}$ |
| June | -0.7 | -0.6 | -2.6 | -0.2 | -0.5 | na | na | na | $\mathbf{- 1 . 2}$ |
| July | -0.7 | -0.2 | -2.2 | -0.6 | -0.4 | na | na | na | $\mathbf{- 0 . 9}$ |

[^1]|  | NSW | Vic. | Qld | SA | WA | Tas. | NT | ACT | Aust. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Period | no. | no. | no. | no. | no. | no. | no. | no. | no. |
| HOUSES |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 2008-09 | 13562 | 30476 | 19896 | 9238 | 15969 | 2575 | 735 | 1487 | 93938 |
| 2009-10 | 17082 | 39087 | 22924 | 9969 | 20381 | 2551 | 775 | 2208 | 114977 |
| 2010-11 | 16366 | 35492 | 17859 | 8156 | 17163 | 2206 | 475 | 1846 | 99563 |
| 2010 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| August | 1319 | 3229 | 1652 | 858 | 1687 | 183 | 32 | 142 | 9102 |
| September | 1390 | 3201 | 1805 | 812 | 1519 | 185 | 64 | 138 | 9114 |
| October | 1471 | 3190 | 1611 | 670 | 1479 | 182 | 41 | 241 | 8885 |
| November | 1417 | 3071 | 1756 | 752 | 1574 | 183 | 43 | 149 | 8945 |
| December | 1243 | 2646 | 1307 | 540 | 1356 | 192 | 60 | 159 | 7503 |
| 2011 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| January | 1026 | 2235 | 940 | 414 | 1115 | 132 | 15 | 105 | 5982 |
| February | 1446 | 2801 | 1217 | 617 | 1429 | 191 | 32 | 212 | 7945 |
| March | 1534 | 3220 | 1613 | 683 | 1381 | 240 | 31 | 184 | 8886 |
| April | 1171 | 2467 | 1288 | 529 | 1172 | 153 | 26 | 130 | 6936 |
| May | 1548 | 2991 | 1482 | 683 | 1456 | 183 | 45 | 103 | 8491 |
| June | 1419 | 2925 | 1463 | 679 | 1584 | 187 | 40 | 102 | 8399 |
| July | 1453 | 3045 | 1132 | 577 | 1333 | 135 | 42 | 145 | 7862 |


| DWELLINGS EXCLUDING HOUSES |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 2008-09 | 10372 | 11286 | 9058 | 2774 | 3417 | 592 | 250 | 1401 | 39150 |
| 2009-10 | 16356 | 17989 | 10965 | 2591 | 4982 | 682 | 556 | 2331 | 56452 |
| 2010-11 | 16375 | 24902 | 9508 | 3078 | 3694 | 833 | 857 | 4020 | 63267 |
| 2010 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| August | 1052 | 2800 | 623 | 535 | 164 | 79 | 127 | 424 | 5804 |
| September | 1189 | 2346 | 882 | 184 | 292 | 117 | 61 | 137 | 5208 |
| October | 2154 | 2269 | 944 | 199 | 299 | 94 | 11 | 819 | 6789 |
| November | 1775 | 1940 | 783 | 185 | 477 | 31 | 22 | 214 | 5427 |
| December | 1936 | 2608 | 1013 | 305 | 349 | 64 | 228 | 329 | 6832 |
| 2011 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| January | 684 | 1672 | 886 | 104 | 259 | 12 | 11 | 119 | 3747 |
| February | 1186 | 1179 | 671 | 379 | 212 | 58 | 59 | 108 | 3852 |
| March | 1619 | 2373 | 389 | 182 | 431 | 53 | 28 | 461 | 5536 |
| April | 1190 | 2113 | 878 | 250 | 209 | 55 | 31 | 331 | 5057 |
| May | 807 | 1185 | 1040 | 385 | 443 | 103 | 38 | 530 | 4531 |
| June | 867 | 1861 | 833 | 174 | 161 | 50 | 54 | 371 | 4371 |
| July | 1172 | 1613 | 853 | 142 | 245 | 44 | 211 | 497 | 4777 |


| TOTAL DWELLING UNITS |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 2008-09 | 23934 | 41762 | 28954 | 12012 | 19386 | 3167 | 985 | 2888 | 133088 |
| 2009-10 | 33438 | 57076 | 33889 | 12560 | 25363 | 3233 | 1331 | 4539 | 171429 |
| 2010-11 | 32741 | 60394 | 27367 | 11234 | 20857 | 3039 | 1332 | 5866 | 162830 |
| 2010 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| August | 2371 | 6029 | 2275 | 1393 | 1851 | 262 | 159 | 566 | 14906 |
| September | 2579 | 5547 | 2687 | 996 | 1811 | 302 | 125 | 275 | 14322 |
| October | 3625 | 5459 | 2555 | 869 | 1778 | 276 | 52 | 1060 | 15674 |
| November | 3192 | 5011 | 2539 | 937 | 2051 | 214 | 65 | 363 | 14372 |
| December | 3179 | 5254 | 2320 | 845 | 1705 | 256 | 288 | 488 | 14335 |
| 2011 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| January | 1710 | 3907 | 1826 | 518 | 1374 | 144 | 26 | 224 | 9729 |
| February | 2632 | 3980 | 1888 | 996 | 1641 | 249 | 91 | 320 | 11797 |
| March | 3153 | 5593 | 2002 | 865 | 1812 | 293 | 59 | 645 | 14422 |
| April | 2361 | 4580 | 2166 | 779 | 1381 | 208 | 57 | 461 | 11993 |
| May | 2355 | 4176 | 2522 | 1068 | 1899 | 286 | 83 | 633 | 13022 |
| June | 2286 | 4786 | 2296 | 853 | 1745 | 237 | 94 | 473 | 12770 |
| July | 2625 | 4658 | 1985 | 719 | 1578 | 179 | 253 | 642 | 12639 |


|  | Sydney | Melbourne | Brisbane | Adelaide | Perth | Greater <br> Hobart | Darwin | Canberra |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Period | no. | no. | no. | no. | no. | no. | no. | no. |
| HOUSES |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 2008-09 | 6038 | 21441 | 8401 | 5850 | 11114 | 1114 | 590 | 1474 |
| 2009-10 | 8104 | 26080 | 9253 | 6565 | 14179 | 1059 | 655 | 2187 |
| 2010-11 | 8338 | 24226 | 7979 | 5425 | 12218 | 918 | 370 | 1822 |
| 2010 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| August | 649 | 2190 | 642 | 559 | 1250 | 62 | 28 | 140 |
| September | 693 | 2196 | 854 | 521 | 1051 | 83 | 54 | 137 |
| October | 756 | 2160 | 797 | 462 | 1010 | 77 | 37 | 241 |
| November | 743 | 2023 | 768 | 521 | 1108 | 68 | 29 | 148 |
| December | 584 | 1789 | 699 | 364 | 887 | 67 | 50 | 155 |
| 2011 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| January | 528 | 1557 | 437 | 263 | 841 | 51 | 9 | 102 |
| February | 760 | 1899 | 530 | 427 | 1072 | 64 | 15 | 211 |
| March | 796 | 2193 | 783 | 458 | 956 | 121 | 22 | 184 |
| April | 586 | 1639 | 506 | 339 | 865 | 60 | 18 | 127 |
| May | 778 | 2005 | 681 | 439 | 1030 | 70 | 40 | 100 |
| June | 766 | 2050 | 667 | 451 | 1158 | 102 | 30 | 98 |
| July | 787 | 1997 | 444 | 412 | 982 | 48 | 29 | 144 |

DWELLINGS EXCLUDING HOUSES

| 2008-09 | 7975 | 10440 | 4244 | 2439 | 2781 | 323 | 239 | 1401 |
| :--- | ---: | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| 2009-10 | 11609 | 16400 | 6854 | 2276 | 3562 | 314 | 434 | 2331 |
| 2010-11 | 13817 | 23763 | 6484 | 2513 | 2710 | 417 | 738 | 4020 |
| 2010 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| $\quad$ August | 825 | 2702 | 410 | 162 | 124 | 21 | 127 | 424 |
| September | 942 | 2223 | 613 | 153 | 228 | 27 | 59 | 137 |
| October | 1848 | 2145 | 681 | 181 | 218 | 76 | 7 | 819 |
| November | 1587 | 1859 | 307 | 175 | 380 | 10 | 19 | 214 |
| December | 1762 | 2534 | 813 | 272 | 302 | 26 | 218 | 329 |
| 2011 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| $\quad$ January | 590 | 1572 | 659 | 93 | 124 | 8 | 4 | 119 |
| February | 1001 | 1115 | 425 | 372 | 203 | 25 | 38 | 108 |
| March | 1415 | 2319 | 241 | 176 | 314 | 39 | - | 461 |
| April | 1050 | 2051 | 706 | 242 | 140 | 16 | 9 | 331 |
| May | 669 | 1117 | 787 | 355 | 257 | 69 | 34 | 530 |
| June | 632 | 1811 | 465 | 158 | 135 | 38 | 49 | 371 |
| July | 1043 | 1534 | 535 | 132 | 218 | 35 | 182 | 497 |


| TOTAL DWELLING UNITS |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 2008-09 | 14013 | 31881 | 12645 | 8289 | 13895 | 1437 | 829 | 2875 |
| 2009-10 | 19713 | 42480 | 16107 | 8841 | 17741 | 1373 | 1089 | 4518 |
| 2010-11 | 22155 | 47989 | 14463 | 7938 | 14928 | 1335 | 1108 | 5842 |
| 2010 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| August | 1474 | 4892 | 1052 | 721 | 1374 | 83 | 155 | 564 |
| September | 1635 | 4419 | 1467 | 674 | 1279 | 110 | 113 | 274 |
| October | 2604 | 4305 | 1478 | 643 | 1228 | 153 | 44 | 1060 |
| November | 2330 | 3882 | 1075 | 696 | 1488 | 78 | 48 | 362 |
| December | 2346 | 4323 | 1512 | 636 | 1189 | 93 | 268 | 484 |
| 2011 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| January | 1118 | 3129 | 1096 | 356 | 965 | 59 | 13 | 221 |
| February | 1761 | 3014 | 955 | 799 | 1275 | 89 | 53 | 319 |
| March | 2211 | 4512 | 1024 | 634 | 1270 | 160 | 22 | 645 |
| April | 1636 | 3690 | 1212 | 581 | 1005 | 76 | 27 | 458 |
| May | 1447 | 3122 | 1468 | 794 | 1287 | 139 | 74 | 630 |
| June | 1398 | 3861 | 1132 | 609 | 1293 | 140 | 79 | 469 |
| July | 1830 | 3531 | 979 | 544 | 1200 | 83 | 211 | 641 |

- nil or rounded to zero (including null cells)
(a) For further information about the geographic classification refer to the Explanatory Notes.

|  | $\begin{array}{r} \text { New } \\ \text { houses } \end{array}$ | New other residential building | Alterations and additions to residential buildings creating dwellings | Conversion | Nonresidential building | Total dwelling units |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Period | no. | no. | no. | no. | no. | no. |
| PRIVATE SECTOR |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 2008-09 | 92011 | 35566 | 560 | 260 | 204 | 128601 |
| 2009-10 | 111278 | 43979 | 241 | 375 | 196 | 156069 |
| 2010-11 | 97541 | 57621 | 494 | 650 | 187 | 156493 |
| 2010 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| August | 8877 | 4929 | 17 | 56 | 18 | 13897 |
| September | 8944 | 4774 | 14 | 25 | 3 | 13760 |
| October | 8679 | 6242 | 212 | 6 | 17 | 15156 |
| November | 8738 | 4980 | 46 | 19 | 5 | 13788 |
| December | 7326 | 6177 | 27 | 101 | 28 | 13659 |
| 2011 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| January | 5908 | 3477 | 27 | 15 | 10 | 9437 |
| February | 7792 | 3586 | 27 | 67 | 4 | 11476 |
| March | 8726 | 5052 | 20 | 130 | 21 | 13949 |
| April | 6843 | 4839 | 8 | 43 | 24 | 11757 |
| May | 8345 | 4287 | 31 | 25 | 15 | 12703 |
| June | 8275 | 4067 | 40 | 71 | 16 | 12469 |
| July | 7743 | 4356 | 57 | 10 | 17 | 12183 |
| PUBLIC SECTOR |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 2008-09 | 1775 | 2652 | 9 | 47 | 4 | 4487 |
| 2009-10 | 3577 | 11761 | 9 | - | 13 | 15360 |
| 2010-11 | 1865 | 4408 | 38 | 17 | 9 | 6337 |
| 2010 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| August | 214 | 791 | - | - | 4 | 1009 |
| September | 158 | 358 | 31 | 15 | - | 562 |
| October | 196 | 322 | - | - | - | 518 |
| November | 196 | 388 | - | - | - | 584 |
| December | 159 | 517 | - | - | - | 676 |
| 2011 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| January | 60 | 231 | 1 | - | - | 292 |
| February | 142 | 174 | 5 | - | - | 321 |
| March | 145 | 327 | - | - | 1 | 473 |
| April | 88 | 148 | - | - | - | 236 |
| May | 132 | 186 | 1 | - | - | 319 |
| June | 98 | 199 | - | 2 | 2 | 301 |
| July | 108 | 347 | 1 | - | - | 456 |
| TOTAL |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 2008-09 | 93786 | 38218 | 569 | 307 | 208 | 133088 |
| 2009-10 | 114855 | 55740 | 250 | 375 | 209 | 171429 |
| 2010-11 | 99406 | 62029 | 532 | 667 | 196 | 162830 |
| 2010 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| August | 9091 | 5720 | 17 | 56 | 22 | 14906 |
| September | 9102 | 5132 | 45 | 40 | 3 | 14322 |
| October | 8875 | 6564 | 212 | 6 | 17 | 15674 |
| November | 8934 | 5368 | 46 | 19 | 5 | 14372 |
| December | 7485 | 6694 | 27 | 101 | 28 | 14335 |
| 2011 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| January | 5968 | 3708 | 28 | 15 | 10 | 9729 |
| February | 7934 | 3760 | 32 | 67 | 4 | 11797 |
| March | 8871 | 5379 | 20 | 130 | 22 | 14422 |
| April | 6931 | 4987 | 8 | 43 | 24 | 11993 |
| May | 8477 | 4473 | 32 | 25 | 15 | 13022 |
| June | 8373 | 4266 | 40 | 73 | 18 | 12770 |
| July | 7851 | 4703 | 58 | 10 | 17 | 12639 |

NEW SEMIDETACHED,
ROW OR TERRACE HOUSES,
TOWNHOUSES, ETC. OF

|  | New | One | Two or more |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Period | houses | storey | storeys | Total |

DWELLING UNITS (no.)

| 2008-09 | 93786 | 8243 | 9108 | 17351 | 2598 | 3022 | 15247 | 20867 | 38218 | 132004 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 2009-10 | 114855 | 13311 | 10915 | 24226 | 8981 | 3966 | 18567 | 31514 | 55740 | 170595 |
| 2010-11 | 99406 | 10801 | 11627 | 22428 | 4082 | 4073 | 31446 | 39601 | 62029 | 161435 |
| 2010 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| May | 9446 | 1623 | 948 | 2571 | 629 | 638 | 1528 | 2795 | 5366 | 14812 |
| June | 9599 | 1110 | 1023 | 2133 | 636 | 583 | 2063 | 3282 | 5415 | 15014 |
| July | 9365 | 1315 | 1109 | 2424 | 355 | 300 | 2899 | 3554 | 5978 | 15343 |
| August | 9091 | 1254 | 885 | 2139 | 325 | 171 | 3085 | 3581 | 5720 | 14811 |
| September | 9102 | 927 | 1038 | 1965 | 519 | 469 | 2179 | 3167 | 5132 | 14234 |
| October | 8875 | 1221 | 1209 | 2430 | 188 | 418 | 3528 | 4134 | 6564 | 15439 |
| November | 8934 | 1070 | 845 | 1915 | 342 | 329 | 2782 | 3453 | 5368 | 14302 |
| December | 7485 | 792 | 979 | 1771 | 394 | 306 | 4223 | 4923 | 6694 | 14179 |
| 2011 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| January | 5968 | 422 | 628 | 1050 | 227 | 103 | 2328 | 2658 | 3708 | 9676 |
| February | 7934 | 710 | 864 | 1574 | 485 | 257 | 1444 | 2186 | 3760 | 11694 |
| March | 8871 | 898 | 1129 | 2027 | 254 | 313 | 2785 | 3352 | 5379 | 14250 |
| April | 6931 | 533 | 1197 | 1730 | 301 | 318 | 2638 | 3257 | 4987 | 11918 |
| May | 8477 | 978 | 934 | 1912 | 316 | 450 | 1795 | 2561 | 4473 | 12950 |
| June | 8373 | 681 | 810 | 1491 | 376 | 639 | 1760 | 2775 | 4266 | 12639 |
| July | 7851 | 666 | 791 | 1457 | 297 | 343 | 2606 | 3246 | 4703 | 12554 |

Value (\$m)

| 2008-09 | 23111.0 | 1324.8 | 1955.7 | 3280.5 | 439.0 | 639.3 | 4750.4 | 5828.7 | 9109.2 | 32220.2 |
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| 2009-10 | 28462.5 | 2415.9 | 2325.9 | 4741.8 | 1786.8 | 713.1 | 4737.3 | 7237.2 | 11978.9 | 40441.4 |
| 2010-11 | 26466.7 | 1913.4 | 2490.1 | 4403.5 | 811.0 | 920.2 | 7913.1 | 9644.3 | 14047.8 | 40514.6 |
| 2010 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| May | 2445.6 | 300.4 | 211.1 | 511.5 | 131.1 | 118.3 | 401.3 | 650.7 | 1162.2 | 3607.8 |
| June | 2504.4 | 202.3 | 218.3 | 420.6 | 139.6 | 91.4 | 589.1 | 820.0 | 1240.6 | 3745.0 |
| July | 2421.5 | 229.8 | 235.1 | 464.8 | 71.6 | 61.0 | 914.3 | 1046.9 | 1511.7 | 3933.2 |
| August | 2383.0 | 214.3 | 194.5 | 408.8 | 57.8 | 42.6 | 635.7 | 736.1 | 1144.8 | 3527.8 |
| September | 2407.5 | 159.7 | 195.2 | 354.9 | 104.1 | 112.5 | 538.3 | 754.9 | 1109.8 | 3517.3 |
| October | 2365.4 | 204.8 | 279.9 | 484.7 | 37.3 | 132.6 | 818.1 | 988.0 | 1472.7 | 3838.0 |
| November | 2389.9 | 182.7 | 195.8 | 378.5 | 76.6 | 69.2 | 765.4 | 911.2 | 1289.7 | 3679.5 |
| December | 2023.8 | 135.6 | 192.8 | 328.5 | 88.2 | 76.4 | 1042.3 | 1206.9 | 1535.4 | 3559.1 |
| 2011 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| January | 1569.1 | 81.4 | 160.1 | 241.5 | 47.8 | 20.7 | 559.0 | 627.5 | 869.0 | 2438.1 |
| February | 2130.0 | 128.6 | 169.0 | 297.7 | 116.4 | 53.5 | 346.4 | 516.3 | 813.9 | 2943.9 |
| March | 2364.7 | 184.0 | 256.0 | 440.1 | 45.7 | 69.4 | 711.8 | 826.8 | 1266.9 | 3631.5 |
| April | 1887.7 | 96.8 | 244.4 | 341.3 | 61.3 | 83.8 | 720.1 | 865.2 | 1206.5 | 3094.2 |
| May | 2280.7 | 174.4 | 199.4 | 373.8 | 49.6 | 80.3 | 446.5 | 576.3 | 950.1 | 3230.8 |
| June | 2243.7 | 121.2 | 167.8 | 289.0 | 54.6 | 118.2 | 415.5 | 588.3 | 877.3 | 3121.0 |
| July | 2082.9 | 119.1 | 163.9 | 283.0 | 43.2 | 85.7 | 665.2 | 794.1 | 1077.1 | 3160.0 |


|  | New residential building | Alterations and additions including conversions to residential buildings | Total residential building | Non- <br> residential building | Total building |
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| Month | \$m | \$m | \$m | \$m | \$m |
| ORIGINAL |  |  |  |  |  |
| 2010 |  |  |  |  |  |
| June | 3745.0 | 559.1 | 4304.1 | 2416.6 | 6720.7 |
| July | 3933.2 | 602.1 | 4535.3 | 2057.5 | 6592.8 |
| August | 3527.8 | 596.6 | 4124.4 | 2261.6 | 6386.0 |
| September | 3517.3 | 635.1 | 4152.4 | 2565.9 | 6718.3 |
| October | 3838.0 | 637.2 | 4475.2 | 2367.4 | 6842.6 |
| November | 3679.5 | 562.1 | 4241.6 | 2428.9 | 6670.5 |
| December | 3559.1 | 501.9 | 4061.0 | 2441.9 | 6502.9 |
| 2011 |  |  |  |  |  |
| January | 2438.1 | 368.9 | 2807.0 | 1716.2 | 4523.2 |
| February | 2943.9 | 522.9 | 3466.8 | 2268.4 | 5735.2 |
| March | 3631.5 | 617.5 | 4249.0 | 3721.6 | 7970.6 |
| April | 3094.2 | 500.7 | 3594.9 | 1805.2 | 5400.1 |
| May | 3230.8 | 582.7 | 3813.5 | 1959.5 | 5773.1 |
| June | 3121.0 | 552.5 | 3673.5 | 2140.2 | 5813.7 |
| July | 3160.0 | 561.4 | 3721.4 | 1880.1 | 5601.5 |
| SEASONALLY ADJUSTED |  |  |  |  |  |
| 2010 |  |  |  |  |  |
| June | 3559.1 | 534.1 | 4093.3 | 2416.7 | 6510.0 |
| July | 3657.5 | 565.5 | 4223.0 | 2008.3 | 6231.2 |
| August | 3471.0 | 536.7 | 4007.7 | 2161.9 | 6169.6 |
| September | 3340.5 | 551.4 | 3891.9 | 2422.6 | 6314.6 |
| October | 3649.3 | 613.1 | 4262.4 | 2326.5 | 6588.9 |
| November | 3453.7 | 539.9 | 3993.6 | 2291.6 | 6285.2 |
| December | 3678.0 | 575.9 | 4253.9 | 2651.0 | 6904.9 |
| 2011 |  |  |  |  |  |
| January | 3292.3 | 504.6 | 3796.9 | 1686.3 | 5483.2 |
| February | 3212.2 | 554.9 | 3767.1 | 2493.7 | 6260.8 |
| March | 3361.4 | 557.4 | 3918.8 | 3527.1 | 7445.9 |
| April | 3263.7 | 570.8 | 3834.6 | 2090.2 | 5924.8 |
| May | 3151.6 | 557.3 | 3708.9 | 2007.4 | 5716.3 |
| June | 3024.2 | 536.3 | 3560.5 | 2077.5 | 5638.0 |
| July | 2976.1 | 539.9 | 3516.0 | 1876.3 | 5392.3 |
| TREND |  |  |  |  |  |
| 2010 |  |  |  |  |  |
| June | 3575.0 | 552.1 | 4127.1 | 2158.7 | 6285.8 |
| July | 3546.4 | 555.3 | 4101.7 | 2202.6 | 6304.2 |
| August | 3531.6 | 558.6 | 4090.2 | 2255.4 | 6345.6 |
| September | 3524.1 | 561.9 | 4086.0 | 2293.1 | 6379.0 |
| October | 3514.5 | 562.3 | 4076.9 | 2316.3 | 6393.2 |
| November | 3494.1 | 559.0 | 4053.1 | 2322.9 | 6376.0 |
| December | 3461.8 | 554.8 | 4016.6 | 2318.1 | 6334.7 |
| 2011 |  |  |  |  |  |
| January | 3414.8 | 551.4 | 3966.3 | 2298.8 | 6265.1 |
| February | 3351.0 | 550.3 | 3901.3 | 2260.0 | 6161.2 |
| March | 3276.0 | 551.2 | 3827.2 | 2215.5 | 6042.6 |
| April | 3206.6 | 553.1 | 3759.7 | 2160.3 | 5920.0 |
| May | 3140.3 | 552.7 | 3692.9 | 2095.3 | 5788.2 |
| June | 3073.9 | 549.9 | 3623.8 | 2025.1 | 5648.9 |
| July | 3032.2 | 549.2 | 3581.4 | 1993.2 | 5574.5 |


|  | New residential building | Alterations and additions including conversions to residential buildings | Total residential building | Nonresidential building | Total building |
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| Month | \% | \% | \% | \% | \% |
|  | ORIGINAL |  |  |  |  |
| 2010 |  |  |  |  |  |
| June | 3.8 | 0.2 | 3.3 | 21.0 | 9.0 |
| July | 5.0 | 7.7 | 5.4 | -14.9 | -1.9 |
| August | -10.3 | -0.9 | -9.1 | 9.9 | -3.1 |
| September | -0.3 | 6.4 | 0.7 | 13.5 | 5.2 |
| October | 9.1 | 0.3 | 7.8 | -7.7 | 1.9 |
| November | -4.1 | -11.8 | -5.2 | 2.6 | -2.5 |
| December | -3.3 | -10.7 | -4.3 | 0.5 | -2.5 |
| 2011 |  |  |  |  |  |
| January | -31.5 | -26.5 | -30.9 | -29.7 | -30.4 |
| February | 20.7 | 41.8 | 23.5 | 32.2 | 26.8 |
| March | 23.4 | 18.1 | 22.6 | 64.1 | 39.0 |
| April | -14.8 | -18.9 | -15.4 | -51.5 | -32.2 |
| May | 4.4 | 16.4 | 6.1 | 8.5 | 6.9 |
| June | -3.4 | -5.2 | -3.7 | 9.2 | 0.7 |
| July | 1.2 | 1.6 | 1.3 | -12.2 | -3.7 |
| SEASONALLY ADJUSTED |  |  |  |  |  |
| 2010 |  |  |  |  |  |
| June | -0.9 | -5.3 | -1.5 | 16.8 | 4.6 |
| July | 2.8 | 5.9 | 3.2 | -16.9 | -4.3 |
| August | -5.1 | -5.1 | -5.1 | 7.6 | -1.0 |
| September | -3.8 | 2.8 | -2.9 | 12.1 | 2.4 |
| October | 9.2 | 11.2 | 9.5 | -4.0 | 4.3 |
| November | -5.4 | -11.9 | -6.3 | -1.5 | -4.6 |
| December | 6.5 | 6.7 | 6.5 | 15.7 | 9.9 |
| 2011 |  |  |  |  |  |
| January | -10.5 | -12.4 | -10.7 | -36.4 | -20.6 |
| February | -2.4 | 10.0 | -0.8 | 47.9 | 14.2 |
| March | 4.6 | 0.5 | 4.0 | 41.4 | 18.9 |
| April | -2.9 | 2.4 | -2.1 | -40.7 | -20.4 |
| May | -3.4 | -2.4 | -3.3 | -4.0 | -3.5 |
| June | -4.0 | -3.8 | -4.0 | 3.5 | -1.4 |
| July | -1.6 | 0.7 | -1.2 | -9.7 | -4.4 |
| TREND |  |  |  |  |  |
| 2010 |  |  |  |  |  |
| June | -0.9 | 0.5 | -0.7 | 1.7 | 0.1 |
| July | -0.8 | 0.6 | -0.6 | 2.0 | 0.3 |
| August | -0.4 | 0.6 | -0.3 | 2.4 | 0.7 |
| September | -0.2 | 0.6 | -0.1 | 1.7 | 0.5 |
| October | -0.3 | 0.1 | -0.2 | 1.0 | 0.2 |
| November | -0.6 | -0.6 | -0.6 | 0.3 | -0.3 |
| December | -0.9 | -0.8 | -0.9 | -0.2 | -0.6 |
| 2011 |  |  |  |  |  |
| January | -1.4 | -0.6 | -1.3 | -0.8 | -1.1 |
| February | -1.9 | -0.2 | -1.6 | -1.7 | -1.7 |
| March | -2.2 | 0.2 | -1.9 | -2.0 | -1.9 |
| April | -2.1 | 0.3 | -1.8 | -2.5 | -2.0 |
| May | -2.1 | -0.1 | -1.8 | -3.0 | -2.2 |
| June | -2.1 | -0.5 | -1.9 | -3.3 | -2.4 |
| July | -1.4 | -0.1 | -1.2 | -1.6 | -1.3 |



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| 2010 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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| May | 1576.9 | 1870.8 | 1147.2 | 413.7 | 842.0 | na | na | na | 6226.2 |
| June | 1541.8 | 1925.0 | 1401.0 | 331.1 | 841.9 | na | na | na | 6510.0 |
| July | 1614.4 | 2102.3 | 1002.4 | 395.2 | 716.9 | na | na | na | 6231.2 |
| August | 1204.6 | 1986.4 | 1186.3 | 402.8 | 802.6 | na | na | na | 6169.6 |
| September | 1366.3 | 1953.9 | 1478.9 | 368.7 | 869.8 | na | na | na | 6314.6 |
| October | 1776.2 | 2072.2 | 1206.5 | 294.3 | 766.7 | na | na | na | 6588.9 |
| November | 1189.8 | 2284.3 | 1013.5 | 632.8 | 946.1 | na | na | na | 6285.2 |
| December | 1742.5 | 2242.7 | 1149.0 | 352.0 | 936.6 | na | na | na | 6904.9 |
| 2011 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| January | 1226.1 | 1865.9 | 1098.9 | 280.3 | 785.2 | na | na | na | 5483.2 |
| February | 1498.6 | 1933.5 | 1071.8 | 347.9 | 944.7 | na | na | na | 6260.8 |
| March | 1856.7 | 1954.9 | 2382.8 | 472.2 | 744.4 | na | na | na | 7445.9 |
| April | 1254.6 | 2237.4 | 1013.7 | 306.2 | 730.1 | na | na | na | 5924.8 |
| May | 1283.3 | 1795.7 | 1117.0 | 335.4 | 794.3 | na | na | na | 5716.3 |
| June | 1212.5 | 1810.2 | 1009.6 | 280.4 | 981.1 | na | na | na | 5638.0 |
| July | 1352.2 | 1699.4 | 990.3 | 261.9 | 709.6 | na | na | na | 5392.3 |

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| 2010 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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| May | 1469.5 | 1909.5 | 1284.7 | 369.6 | 889.5 | na | na | na | 6277.9 |
| June | 1486.2 | 1939.2 | 1272.3 | 362.2 | 837.5 | na | na | na | 6285.8 |
| July | 1485.8 | 1977.1 | 1251.0 | 366.9 | 804.0 | na | na | na | 6304.2 |
| August | 1472.0 | 2026.7 | 1232.2 | 375.0 | 798.2 | na | na | na | 6345.6 |
| September | 1451.1 | 2078.3 | 1215.7 | 372.0 | 818.6 | na | na | na | 6379.0 |
| October | 1448.2 | 2104.8 | 1196.1 | 365.0 | 851.4 | na | na | na | 6393.2 |
| November | 1465.6 | 2105.9 | 1164.8 | 358.2 | 875.1 | na | na | na | 6376.0 |
| December | 1495.7 | 2093.3 | 1119.7 | 357.8 | 876.5 | na | na | na | 6334.7 |
| 2011 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| January | 1511.7 | 2070.6 | 1079.3 | 360.2 | 861.6 | na | na | na | 6265.1 |
| February | 1498.7 | 2034.9 | 1051.1 | 361.9 | 839.1 | na | na | na | 6161.2 |
| March | 1461.6 | 1988.3 | 1044.3 | 356.3 | 820.5 | na | na | na | 6042.6 |
| April | 1416.8 | 1942.2 | 1039.0 | 343.0 | 808.6 | na | na | na | 5920.0 |
| May | 1362.3 | 1894.4 | 1030.1 | 325.3 | 804.9 | na | na | na | 5788.2 |
| June | 1305.6 | 1841.2 | 1020.6 | 306.1 | 804.6 | na | na | na | 5648.9 |
| July | 1283.5 | 1800.6 | 1016.0 | 287.5 | 808.4 | na | na | na | 5574.5 |

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| Month | \% | \% | \% | \% | \% | \% | \% | \% | \% |
|  | ORIGINAL |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 2010 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| May | 21.4 | 12.9 | -14.1 | 38.0 | 15.4 | 0.1 | 39.2 | -21.2 | 9.3 |
| June | 0.1 | 12.7 | 29.2 | -13.2 | -5.1 | 21.0 | 29.2 | 31.0 | 9.0 |
| July | 8.0 | 16.2 | -29.5 | 7.2 | -18.9 | 1.0 | -17.5 | 17.7 | -1.9 |
| August | -25.2 | -11.2 | 19.0 | 20.2 | 13.9 | 22.2 | -8.6 | 48.3 | -3.1 |
| September | 15.7 | -0.6 | 26.9 | -14.9 | 8.7 | -20.3 | -46.5 | -40.5 | 5.2 |
| October | 21.8 | 4.8 | -19.0 | -22.0 | -9.6 | -2.7 | -49.5 | 123.9 | 1.9 |
| November | -23.9 | 7.4 | -13.7 | 92.4 | 22.8 | -7.3 | 69.6 | -53.4 | -2.5 |
| December | 29.5 | -9.1 | -15.3 | -37.4 | -11.0 | -12.1 | 120.2 | 48.6 | -2.5 |
| 2011 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| January | -43.7 | -32.9 | 1.0 | -33.8 | -21.5 | 46.2 | -78.2 | -64.5 | -30.4 |
| February | 38.2 | 27.9 | 3.5 | 36.4 | 33.1 | -31.2 | 401.4 | 32.4 | 26.8 |
| March | 36.1 | 20.9 | 139.0 | 45.7 | -17.5 | 27.7 | -58.6 | 48.4 | 39.0 |
| April | -35.0 | -8.9 | -59.4 | -34.6 | -14.6 | -27.3 | 4.3 | -17.1 | -32.2 |
| May | 9.8 | -14.1 | 19.0 | 9.8 | 37.5 | 47.2 | 33.2 | 19.2 | 6.9 |
| June | -14.1 | 10.1 | -3.6 | -11.5 | 15.9 | -19.6 | -16.1 | 13.6 | 0.7 |
| July | 27.2 | -2.6 | -4.8 | -21.7 | -33.2 | -31.8 | 148.4 | -35.1 | -3.7 |

## SEASONALLY ADJUSTED

| 2010 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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| May | 15.6 | 5.8 | -27.3 | 52.3 | -10.3 | na | na | na | $\mathbf{2 . 1}$ |
| June | -2.2 | 2.9 | 22.1 | -20.0 | - | na | na | na | $\mathbf{4 . 6}$ |
| July | 4.7 | 9.2 | -28.5 | 19.4 | -14.8 | na | na | na | $\mathbf{- 4 . 3}$ |
| August | -25.4 | -5.5 | 18.4 | 1.9 | 11.9 | na | na | na | $\mathbf{- 1 . 0}$ |
| September | 13.4 | -1.6 | 24.7 | -8.5 | 8.4 | na | na | na | $\mathbf{2 . 4}$ |
| October | 30.0 | 6.1 | -18.4 | -20.2 | -11.9 | na | na | na | 4.3 |
| November | -33.0 | 10.2 | -16.0 | 115.0 | 23.4 | na | na | na | $\mathbf{- 4 . 6}$ |
| December | 46.5 | -1.8 | 13.4 | -44.4 | -1.0 | na | na | na | $\mathbf{9 . 9}$ |
| 2011 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| January | -29.6 | -16.8 | -4.4 | -20.4 | -16.2 | na | na | na | $\mathbf{- 2 0 . 6}$ |
| February | 22.2 | 3.6 | -2.5 | 24.1 | 20.3 | na | na | na | $\mathbf{1 4 . 2}$ |
| March | 23.9 | 1.1 | 122.3 | 35.7 | -21.2 | na | na | na | $\mathbf{1 8 . 9}$ |
| April | -32.4 | 14.4 | -57.5 | -35.2 | -1.9 | na | na | na | $\mathbf{- 2 0 . 4}$ |
| May | 2.3 | -19.7 | 10.2 | 9.5 | 8.8 | na | na | na | $\mathbf{- 3 . 5}$ |
| June | -5.5 | 0.8 | -9.6 | -16.4 | 23.5 | na | na | na | $\mathbf{- 1 . 4}$ |
| July | 11.5 | -6.1 | -1.9 | -6.6 | -27.7 | na | na | na | $\mathbf{- 4 . 4}$ |

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| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| May | 2.4 | 1.6 | -1.1 | -4.0 | -4.6 | na | na | na | - |
| June | 1.1 | 1.6 | -1.0 | -2.0 | -5.8 | na | na | na | $\mathbf{0 . 1}$ |
| July | - | 2.0 | -1.7 | 1.3 | -4.0 | na | na | na | $\mathbf{0 . 3}$ |
| August | -0.9 | 2.5 | -1.5 | 2.2 | -0.7 | na | na | na | $\mathbf{0 . 7}$ |
| September | -1.4 | 2.5 | -1.3 | -0.8 | 2.6 | na | na | na | $\mathbf{0 . 5}$ |
| October | -0.2 | 1.3 | -1.6 | -1.9 | 4.0 | na | na | na | $\mathbf{0 . 2}$ |
| November | 1.2 | 0.1 | -2.6 | -1.8 | 2.8 | na | na | na | $\mathbf{- 0 . 3}$ |
| December | 2.1 | -0.6 | -3.9 | -0.1 | 0.2 | na | na | na | $\mathbf{- 0 . 6}$ |
| $\mathbf{2 1 1}$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| January | 1.1 | -1.1 | -3.6 | 0.7 | -1.7 | na | na | na | $\mathbf{- 1 . 1}$ |
| February | -0.9 | -1.7 | -2.6 | 0.5 | -2.6 | na | na | na | $\mathbf{- 1 . 7}$ |
| March | -2.5 | -2.3 | -0.6 | -1.5 | -2.2 | na | na | na | $\mathbf{- 1 . 9}$ |
| April | -3.1 | -2.3 | -0.5 | -3.8 | -1.5 | na | na | na | $\mathbf{- 2 . 0}$ |
| May | -3.9 | -2.5 | -0.8 | -5.2 | -0.5 | na | na | na | $\mathbf{- 2 . 2}$ |
| June | -4.2 | -2.8 | -0.9 | -5.9 | - | na | na | na | $\mathbf{- 2 . 4}$ |
| July | -1.7 | -2.2 | -0.4 | -6.1 | 0.5 | na | na | na | $\mathbf{- 1 . 3}$ |

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| Month | \$m | \$m | \$m | \$m | \$m | \$m | \$m | \$m | \$m |
|  | ORIGINAL |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 2010 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| May | 958.5 | 1348.4 | 803.5 | 274.5 | 593.2 | 59.0 | 37.3 | 91.6 | 4166.0 |
| June | 881.2 | 1517.5 | 885.0 | 220.2 | 576.3 | 65.3 | 51.8 | 106.8 | 4304.1 |
| July | 1093.2 | 1703.7 | 712.2 | 249.5 | 520.1 | 74.7 | 69.9 | 111.9 | 4535.3 |
| August | 778.2 | 1469.1 | 696.2 | 300.4 | 576.5 | 64.6 | 81.6 | 157.8 | 4124.4 |
| September | 855.4 | 1557.1 | 780.6 | 239.9 | 534.8 | 71.0 | 39.7 | 73.8 | 4152.4 |
| October | 1129.0 | 1468.1 | 802.9 | 210.0 | 539.1 | 72.3 | 22.0 | 231.8 | 4475.2 |
| November | 1010.6 | 1457.9 | 756.5 | 208.1 | 619.4 | 58.8 | 30.6 | 99.6 | 4241.6 |
| December | 1050.2 | 1370.6 | 617.0 | 203.4 | 551.2 | 63.7 | 82.9 | 122.0 | 4061.0 |
| 2011 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| January | 560.7 | 1069.7 | 494.3 | 128.4 | 427.4 | 42.8 | 14.2 | 69.5 | 2807.0 |
| February | 860.9 | 1116.0 | 562.4 | 240.2 | 516.0 | 64.5 | 38.5 | 68.3 | 3466.8 |
| March | 994.7 | 1661.4 | 596.8 | 207.7 | 559.6 | 80.4 | 20.7 | 127.7 | 4249.0 |
| April | 804.1 | 1351.2 | 617.5 | 208.7 | 430.4 | 55.4 | 23.2 | 104.3 | 3594.9 |
| May | 814.8 | 1193.2 | 747.0 | 242.9 | 579.4 | 71.6 | 32.1 | 132.5 | 3813.5 |
| June | 720.5 | 1366.5 | 667.5 | 214.9 | 495.5 | 65.3 | 28.4 | 115.0 | 3673.5 |
| July | 922.7 | 1306.0 | 595.2 | 169.9 | 474.0 | 48.2 | 87.8 | 117.5 | 3721.4 |

## SEASONALLY ADJUSTED

| 2010 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| May | 964.1 | 1426.3 | 795.6 | 250.3 | 537.5 | na | na | na | 4156.7 |
| June | 878.2 | 1413.6 | 826.2 | 216.3 | 553.4 | na | na | na | 4093.3 |
| July | 984.3 | 1518.3 | 726.8 | 239.6 | 508.5 | na | na | na | 4223.0 |
| August | 754.5 | 1411.1 | 683.7 | 283.0 | 557.8 | na | na | na | 4007.7 |
| September | 856.4 | 1404.6 | 702.2 | 219.9 | 533.9 | na | na | na | 3891.9 |
| October | 1080.0 | 1408.9 | 717.3 | 223.3 | 522.6 | na | na | na | 4262.4 |
| November | 906.7 | 1427.1 | 683.9 | 190.0 | 606.2 | na | na | na | 3993.6 |
| December | 991.8 | 1487.2 | 707.1 | 219.6 | 580.0 | na | na | na | 4253.9 |
| 2011 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| January | 788.6 | 1459.1 | 656.6 | 165.7 | 527.6 | na | na | na | 3796.9 |
| February | 942.1 | 1203.7 | 631.1 | 261.8 | 536.8 | na | na | na | 3767.1 |
| March | 967.2 | 1432.4 | 587.9 | 196.5 | 523.9 | na | na | na | 3918.8 |
| April | 823.0 | 1544.6 | 616.9 | 222.2 | 451.7 | na | na | na | 3834.6 |
| May | 782.9 | 1252.3 | 718.8 | 211.5 | 521.5 | na | na | na | 3708.9 |
| June | 770.4 | 1259.9 | 639.3 | 208.2 | 484.5 | na | na | na | 3560.5 |
| July | 816.5 | 1207.6 | 601.7 | 174.2 | 477.5 | na | na | na | 3516.0 |

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| 2010 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| May | 908.0 | 1403.3 | 810.0 | 235.4 | 588.7 | na | na | na | $\mathbf{4 1 5 6 . 2}$ |
| June | 900.8 | 1427.3 | 779.5 | 239.3 | 555.1 | na | na | na | $\mathbf{4 1 2 7 . 1}$ |
| July | 899.1 | 1437.9 | 748.9 | 241.9 | 534.8 | na | na | na | $\mathbf{4 1 0 1 . 7}$ |
| August | 903.8 | 1442.4 | 724.2 | 239.1 | 532.2 | na | na | na | $\mathbf{4 0 9 0 . 2}$ |
| September | 912.2 | 1441.2 | 708.4 | 231.4 | 541.9 | na | na | na | $\mathbf{4 0 0 8 6 . 0}$ |
| October | 923.8 | 1431.5 | 697.9 | 221.4 | 555.2 | na | na | na | $\mathbf{4 0 7 6 . 9}$ |
| November | 934.0 | 1422.3 | 686.3 | 211.9 | 561.4 | na | na | na | $\mathbf{4 0 5 3 . 1}$ |
| December | 937.7 | 1417.5 | 671.6 | 206.9 | 558.8 | na | na | na | $\mathbf{4 0 1 6 . 6}$ |
| 2011 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| January | 927.2 | 1414.6 | 656.7 | 207.4 | 548.2 | na | na | na | $\mathbf{3 9 6 6 . 3}$ |
| February | 903.5 | 1406.1 | 643.7 | 211.8 | 531.9 | na | na | na | $\mathbf{3 9 0 1 . 3}$ |
| March | 874.1 | 1386.3 | 637.2 | 214.7 | 514.7 | na | na | na | $\mathbf{3 8 2 7 . 2}$ |
| April | 849.6 | 1358.8 | 636.4 | 213.4 | 500.3 | na | na | na | $\mathbf{3} \mathbf{7 5 9 . 7}$ |
| May | 825.0 | 1326.0 | 637.5 | 208.8 | 490.5 | na | na | na | $\mathbf{3 6 9 2 . 9}$ |
| June | 801.5 | 1289.3 | 637.4 | 202.3 | 483.7 | na | na | na | $\mathbf{3 6 2 3 . 8}$ |
| July | 789.8 | 1257.2 | 638.5 | 197.0 | 480.1 | na | na | na | $\mathbf{3 5 8 1 . 4}$ |

na not available

|  | NSW | Vic. | Qld | SA | WA | Tas. | NT | ACT | Aust. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Month | \$m | \$m | \$m | \$m | \$m | \$m | \$m | \$m | \$m |
|  | ORIGINAL |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 2010 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| May | 598.3 | 444.7 | 351.5 | 124.3 | 339.1 | 29.0 | 77.5 | 33.3 | 1997.6 |
| June | 677.5 | 502.8 | 606.8 | 126.1 | 308.8 | 41.3 | 96.6 | 56.8 | 2416.6 |
| July | 589.9 | 643.0 | 339.3 | 121.7 | 197.5 | 32.9 | 52.5 | 80.6 | 2057.5 |
| August | 480.2 | 614.3 | 555.3 | 145.9 | 241.0 | 66.9 | 30.3 | 127.6 | 2261.6 |
| September | 600.4 | 514.2 | 807.5 | 139.8 | 353.8 | 33.9 | 20.1 | 96.2 | 2565.9 |
| October | 643.5 | 702.9 | 483.9 | 86.2 | 264.1 | 29.7 | 8.3 | 148.7 | 2367.4 |
| November | 338.8 | 873.5 | 353.5 | 361.7 | 367.1 | 35.8 | 20.8 | 77.6 | 2428.9 |
| December | 697.8 | 749.1 | 323.5 | 153.5 | 327.0 | 19.4 | 30.1 | 141.5 | 2441.9 |
| 2011 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| January | 423.7 | 353.3 | 455.7 | 108.0 | 262.4 | 78.7 | 10.5 | 24.0 | 1716.2 |
| February | 499.8 | 704.3 | 420.5 | 82.3 | 401.8 | 19.0 | 85.2 | 55.5 | 2268.4 |
| March | 856.9 | 539.5 | 1752.6 | 262.2 | 197.6 | 26.3 | 30.6 | 56.0 | 3721.6 |
| April | 400.0 | 653.5 | 336.6 | 98.4 | 216.3 | 22.2 | 30.2 | 48.0 | 1805.2 |
| May | 507.5 | 528.4 | 388.5 | 94.2 | 310.1 | 42.6 | 39.1 | 49.1 | 1959.5 |
| June | 415.6 | 529.9 | 426.7 | 83.6 | 535.3 | 26.5 | 31.4 | 91.3 | 2140.2 |
| July | 522.6 | 541.3 | 447.0 | 63.7 | 214.2 | 14.4 | 60.6 | 16.3 | 1880.1 |

## SEASONALLY ADJUSTED

| 2010 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| May | 612.8 | 444.4 | 351.6 | 163.4 | 304.6 | na | na | na | 2069.5 |
| June | 663.6 | 511.4 | 574.8 | 114.8 | 288.5 | na | na | na | 2416.7 |
| July | 630.1 | 583.9 | 275.6 | 155.6 | 208.5 | na | na | na | 2008.3 |
| August | 450.1 | 575.3 | 502.6 | 119.8 | 244.8 | na | na | na | 2161.9 |
| September | 509.9 | 549.3 | 776.7 | 148.8 | 335.9 | na | na | na | 2422.6 |
| October | 696.2 | 663.3 | 489.2 | 71.0 | 244.1 | na | na | na | 2326.5 |
| November | 283.0 | 857.1 | 329.6 | 442.8 | 340.0 | na | na | na | 2291.6 |
| December | 750.7 | 755.6 | 441.9 | 132.4 | 356.6 | na | na | na | 2651.0 |
| 2011 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| January | 437.5 | 406.9 | 442.3 | 114.6 | 257.7 | na | na | na | 1686.3 |
| February | 556.5 | 729.9 | 440.7 | 86.1 | 408.0 | na | na | na | 2493.7 |
| March | 889.5 | 522.6 | 1794.9 | 275.7 | 220.4 | na | na | na | 3527.1 |
| April | 431.7 | 692.8 | 396.9 | 84.0 | 278.4 | na | na | na | 2090.2 |
| May | 500.4 | 543.3 | 398.2 | 123.8 | 272.9 | na | na | na | 2007.4 |
| June | 442.1 | 550.2 | 370.3 | 72.2 | 496.6 | na | na | na | 2077.5 |
| July | 535.8 | 491.9 | 388.6 | 87.8 | 232.0 | na | na | na | 1876.3 |

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| 2010 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| May | 561.4 | 506.2 | 474.7 | 134.2 | 300.8 | na | na | na | 2121.7 |
| June | 585.4 | 511.9 | 492.7 | 123.0 | 282.4 | na | na | na | 2158.7 |
| July | 586.7 | 539.2 | 502.1 | 125.0 | 269.2 | na | na | na | 2202.6 |
| August | 568.2 | 584.3 | 508.0 | 135.9 | 266.0 | na | na | na | 2255.4 |
| September | 538.8 | 637.1 | 507.3 | 140.6 | 276.6 | na | na | na | 2293.1 |
| October | 524.4 | 673.3 | 498.3 | 143.5 | 296.2 | na | na | na | 2316.3 |
| November | 531.6 | 683.6 | 478.5 | 146.3 | 313.6 | na | na | na | 2322.9 |
| December | 558.0 | 675.8 | 448.1 | 150.8 | 317.6 | na | na | na | 2318.1 |
| 2011 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| January | 584.4 | 656.0 | 422.6 | 152.8 | 313.3 | na | na | na | 2298.8 |
| February | 595.2 | 628.8 | 407.3 | 150.1 | 307.2 | na | na | na | 2260.0 |
| March | 587.6 | 602.1 | 407.2 | 141.7 | 305.8 | na | na | na | 2215.5 |
| April | 567.2 | 583.5 | 402.5 | 129.6 | 308.3 | na | na | na | 2160.3 |
| May | 537.3 | 568.4 | 392.6 | 116.5 | 314.3 | na | na | na | 2095.3 |
| June | 504.2 | 551.9 | 383.2 | 103.8 | 320.9 | na | na | na | 2025.1 |
| July | 493.7 | 543.4 | 377.5 | 90.5 | 328.3 | na | na | na | 1993.2 |

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|  | $\begin{array}{r} \text { New } \\ \text { houses } \end{array}$ | New other residential building | Alterations and additions creating dwellings | Alterations and additions not creating dwellings | Conversions | Total residential building | Non- <br> residential building | Total building |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Period | \$m | \$m | \$m | \$m | \$m | \$m | \$m | \$m |

## PRIVATE SECTOR

| 2008-09 | 22686.4 | 8595.0 | 102.3 | 5398.4 | 64.7 | 36846.7 | 19223.0 | 56069.7 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 2009-10 | 27654.4 | 9547.4 | 37.7 | 6190.7 | 121.6 | 43551.8 | 19145.3 | 62697.0 |
| 2010-11 | 25993.6 | 13160.4 | 94.1 | 6315.1 | 111.2 | 45674.5 | 18850.6 | 64525.1 |
| 2010 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| August | 2341.6 | 1034.8 | 2.3 | 582.0 | 7.8 | 3968.5 | 1495.6 | 5464.1 |
| September | 2359.4 | 1035.1 | 1.6 | 609.2 | 3.8 | 4009.1 | 1739.8 | 5748.9 |
| October | 2313.1 | 1393.0 | 53.0 | 562.1 | 2.4 | 4323.6 | 1811.4 | 6135.0 |
| November | 2344.5 | 1193.3 | 8.8 | 539.7 | 1.3 | 4087.6 | 1494.9 | 5582.6 |
| December | 1976.2 | 1473.9 | 4.5 | 467.0 | 19.2 | 3940.9 | 1747.9 | 5688.8 |
| 2011 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| January | 1555.1 | 807.7 | 3.8 | 350.7 | 2.7 | 2720.1 | 1005.2 | 3725.3 |
| February | 2083.1 | 780.2 | 5.1 | 482.5 | 11.6 | 3362.5 | 1601.2 | 4963.7 |
| March | 2330.2 | 1179.5 | 2.3 | 574.0 | 29.6 | 4115.6 | 2027.9 | 6143.5 |
| April | 1860.0 | 1171.5 | 2.1 | 471.9 | 10.4 | 3516.0 | 1296.6 | 4812.5 |
| May | 2246.9 | 913.6 | 3.3 | 560.5 | 5.1 | 3729.4 | 1554.7 | 5284.1 |
| June | 2219.1 | 845.8 | 5.5 | 532.3 | 6.8 | 3609.5 | 1640.4 | 5249.9 |
| July | 2056.6 | 985.7 | 19.8 | 532.4 | 0.6 | 3595.2 | 1343.4 | 4938.6 |


| PUBLIC SECTOR |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 2008-09 | 424.6 | 514.3 | 3.6 | 119.1 | 4.0 | 1065.6 | 11578.3 | 12643.9 |
| 2009-10 | 808.1 | 2431.5 | 2.6 | 130.4 | - | 3372.6 | 20763.5 | 24136.1 |
| 2010-11 | 473.1 | 887.4 | 5.3 | 152.2 | 2.1 | 1520.1 | 8883.7 | 10403.8 |
| 2010 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| August | 41.4 | 110.0 | - | 4.6 | - | 156.0 | 765.9 | 921.9 |
| September | 48.0 | 74.7 | 4.4 | 14.2 | 1.9 | 143.2 | 826.1 | 969.4 |
| October | 52.3 | 79.6 | - | 19.7 | - | 151.6 | 556.0 | 707.6 |
| November | 45.4 | 96.3 | - | 12.2 | - | 154.0 | 934.0 | 1088.0 |
| December | 47.5 | 61.4 | - | 11.2 | - | 120.1 | 693.9 | 814.1 |
| 2011 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| January | 14.0 | 61.3 | - | 11.6 | - | 86.9 | 711.0 | 797.9 |
| February | 46.9 | 33.7 | 0.9 | 22.8 | - | 104.3 | 667.2 | 771.5 |
| March | 34.5 | 87.4 | - | 11.5 | - | 133.3 | 1693.7 | 1827.1 |
| April | 27.7 | 35.0 | - | 16.3 | - | 78.9 | 508.6 | 587.6 |
| May | 33.8 | 36.6 | - | 13.8 | - | 84.2 | 404.8 | 489.0 |
| June | 24.6 | 31.5 | - | 7.8 | 0.2 | 64.0 | 499.8 | 563.8 |
| July | 26.3 | 91.3 | - | 8.5 | - | 126.2 | 536.7 | 662.9 |


| TOTAL |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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| 2008-09 | 23111.0 | 9109.2 | 105.9 | 5517.5 | 68.7 | 37912.3 | 30801.3 | 68713.6 |
| 2009-10 | 28462.5 | 11978.9 | 40.2 | 6321.1 | 121.6 | 46924.4 | 39908.8 | 86833.1 |
| 2010-11 | 26466.7 | 14047.8 | 99.5 | 6467.3 | 113.3 | 47194.7 | 27734.3 | 74928.9 |
| 2010 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| August | 2383.0 | 1144.8 | 2.3 | 586.5 | 7.8 | 4124.4 | 2261.6 | 6386.0 |
| September | 2407.5 | 1109.8 | 5.9 | 623.5 | 5.7 | 4152.4 | 2565.9 | 6718.3 |
| October | 2365.4 | 1472.7 | 53.0 | 581.8 | 2.4 | 4475.2 | 2367.4 | 6842.6 |
| November | 2389.9 | 1289.7 | 8.8 | 552.0 | 1.3 | 4241.6 | 2428.9 | 6670.5 |
| December | 2023.8 | 1535.4 | 4.5 | 478.2 | 19.2 | 4061.0 | 2441.9 | 6502.9 |
| 2011 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| January | 1569.1 | 869.0 | 3.9 | 362.3 | 2.7 | 2807.0 | 1716.2 | 4523.2 |
| February | 2130.0 | 813.9 | 6.0 | 505.3 | 11.6 | 3466.8 | 2268.4 | 5735.2 |
| March | 2364.7 | 1266.9 | 2.3 | 585.5 | 29.6 | 4249.0 | 3721.6 | 7970.6 |
| April | 1887.7 | 1206.5 | 2.1 | 488.2 | 10.4 | 3594.9 | 1805.2 | 5400.1 |
| May | 2280.7 | 950.1 | 3.3 | 574.3 | 5.1 | 3813.5 | 1959.5 | 5773.1 |
| June | 2243.7 | 877.3 | 5.5 | 540.1 | 6.9 | 3673.5 | 2140.2 | 5813.7 |
| July | 2082.9 | 1077.1 | 19.8 | 541.0 | 0.6 | 3721.4 | 1880.1 | 5601.5 |

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| ORIGINAL (\$m) |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 2008-09 | 23111.0 | 9109.2 | 32220.2 | 5692.1 | 37912.3 | 30801.3 | 68713.6 |
| 2009-10 | 27590.6 | 12405.9 | 39996.4 | 6279.5 | 46275.9 | 41461.6 | 87737.5 |
| 2010-11 | 24964.9 | 14116.2 | 39081.1 | 6291.7 | 45372.7 | 28332.5 | 73705.2 |
| 2010 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| March Qtr | 6592.6 | 3365.1 | 9957.7 | 1422.0 | 11379.7 | 7584.9 | 18964.6 |
| June Qtr | 6823.1 | 3716.6 | 10539.7 | 1544.2 | 12083.8 | 6428.7 | 18512.6 |
| September Qtr | 6876.1 | 3778.6 | 10654.8 | 1748.1 | 12402.9 | 7067.3 | 19470.2 |
| December Qtr | 6417.1 | 4310.5 | 10727.7 | 1606.9 | 12334.6 | 7316.1 | 19650.7 |
| 2011 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| March Qtr | 5686.3 | 2979.2 | 8665.5 | 1412.6 | 10078.0 | 7960.1 | 18038.2 |
| June Qtr | 5985.3 | 3047.8 | 9033.1 | 1524.1 | 10557.2 | 5988.9 | 16546.1 |

## SEASONALLY ADJUSTED (\$m)

| 2010 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| March Qtr | 7097.3 | 3455.4 | 10552.7 | 1535.4 | 12088.1 | 7736.9 | 19825.1 |
| June Qtr | 6788.0 | 3942.5 | 10730.5 | 1582.7 | 12313.2 | 7094.2 | 19407.4 |
| September Qtr | 6485.4 | 3624.9 | 10110.4 | 1582.4 | 11692.8 | 6671.8 | 18364.6 |
| December Qtr | 6389.1 | 4055.9 | 10445.0 | 1612.4 | 12057.4 | 7219.4 | 19276.8 |
| 2011 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| March Qtr | 6183.4 | 3292.3 | 9475.7 | 1552.0 | 11027.7 | 8067.1 | 19094.8 |
| June Qtr | 5963.5 | 3142.1 | 9105.6 | 1555.4 | 10661.0 | 6618.6 | 17279.6 |
| TREND (\$m) |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 2010 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| March Qtr | 7046.4 | 3358.5 | 10405.1 | 1580.5 | 11985.7 | 7468.1 | 19453.7 |
| June Qtr | 6831.7 | 3763.1 | 10594.8 | 1576.3 | 12171.1 | 6931.9 | 19102.9 |
| September Qtr | 6558.4 | 3903.5 | 10461.9 | 1586.4 | 12048.4 | 6942.5 | 18990.9 |
| December Qtr | 6351.5 | 3724.6 | 10076.7 | 1587.5 | 11664.3 | 7280.3 | 18941.4 |
| 2011 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| March Qtr | 6172.4 | 3464.0 | 9637.0 | 1571.2 | 11208.2 | 7365.9 | 18572.4 |
| June Qtr | 5999.4 | 3203.2 | 9188.7 | 1553.4 | 10742.1 | 7259.1 | 18036.5 |

TREND (\% change from previous quarter)

| 2010 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| March Qtr | 0.4 | 19.7 | 5.9 | 0.6 | 5.2 | -4.3 | 1.4 |
| June Qtr | -3.0 | 12.0 | 1.8 | -0.3 | 1.5 | -7.2 | -1.8 |
| September Qtr | -4.0 | 3.7 | -1.3 | 0.6 | -1.0 | 0.2 | -0.6 |
| December Qtr | -3.2 | -4.6 | -3.7 | 0.1 | -3.2 | 4.9 | -0.3 |
| $\mathbf{2 0 1 1}$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| March Qtr | -2.8 | -7.0 | -4.4 | -1.0 | -3.9 | 1.2 | -1.9 |
| June Qtr | -2.8 | -7.5 | -4.7 | -1.1 | -4.2 | -1.4 | -2.9 |

(a) Reference year for chain volume measures is 2008-09. For further information refer to the Explanatory Notes.

VALUE OF BUILDING APPROVED, States and territories-Chain volume measures(a): Original

|  | NSW | Vic. | Qld | SA | WA | Tas. | NT | ACT | Aust. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Period | \$m | \$m | \$m | \$m | \$m | \$m | \$m | \$m | \$m |
| TOTAL RESIDENTIAL BUILDING |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 2008-09 | 7586.3 | 11459.1 | 8915.1 | 2528.9 | 5599.7 | 764.8 | 382.3 | 676.1 | 37912.3 |
| 2009-10 | 9990.8 | 14694.7 | 9642.4 | 2634.6 | 6988.1 | 764.2 | 448.2 | 1112.8 | 46275.9 |
| 2010-11 | 10218.7 | 15787.5 | 8059.0 | 2569.6 | 6198.8 | 723.3 | 454.4 | 1361.5 | 45372.7 |
| 2010 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| March Qtr | 2411.4 | 3552.0 | 2378.6 | 637.3 | 1927.4 | 178.9 | 57.4 | 236.6 | 11379.7 |
| June Qtr | 2609.9 | 3939.6 | 2522.6 | 675.9 | 1710.7 | 171.9 | 134.2 | 319.1 | 12083.8 |
| September Qtr | 2647.5 | 4496.5 | 2194.4 | 765.3 | 1592.2 | 193.7 | 180.8 | 332.3 | 12402.9 |
| December Qtr | 3077.9 | 4043.0 | 2195.6 | 600.7 | 1672.5 | 179.7 | 126.9 | 438.3 | 12334.6 |
| 2011 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| March Qtr | 2296.7 | 3606.8 | 1650.4 | 556.9 | 1471.3 | 173.0 | 68.6 | 254.3 | 10078.0 |
| June Qtr | 2196.6 | 3641.2 | 2018.5 | 646.7 | 1462.7 | 176.9 | 78.0 | 336.4 | 10557.2 |


| NON-RESIDENTIAL BUILDING |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 2008-09 | 6945.5 | 7319.0 | 9213.8 | 1831.3 | 2879.0 | 501.0 | 353.9 | 1757.8 | 30801.3 |
| 2009-10 | 11016.4 | 9276.6 | 9189.3 | 2801.8 | 6594.2 | 711.0 | 599.3 | 1273.1 | 41461.6 |
| 2010-11 | 6473.1 | 7160.6 | 7254.8 | 1723.3 | 3990.1 | 394.3 | 364.2 | 972.2 | 28332.5 |
| 2010 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| March Qtr | 1252.2 | 1885.9 | 1692.7 | 686.6 | 1459.0 | 149.6 | 100.0 | 359.0 | 7584.9 |
| June Qtr | 1745.8 | 1357.2 | 1631.7 | 339.8 | 947.5 | 93.1 | 195.0 | 118.7 | 6428.7 |
| September Qtr | 1695.0 | 1731.1 | 1865.4 | 403.8 | 854.0 | 122.0 | 97.1 | 298.9 | 7067.3 |
| December Qtr | 1684.9 | 2237.4 | 1276.5 | 592.4 | 1032.7 | 77.1 | 55.3 | 359.7 | 7316.1 |
| 2011 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| March Qtr | 1785.5 | 1552.6 | 2868.2 | 450.3 | 941.5 | 112.5 | 117.8 | 131.8 | 7960.1 |
| June Qtr | 1307.6 | 1639.5 | 1244.7 | 276.7 | 1162.0 | 82.7 | 94.0 | 181.8 | 5988.9 |


|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| $\mathbf{2 0 0 8 - 0 9}$ | 14531.8 | 18778.1 | 18129.0 | 4360.2 | 8478.7 | 1265.8 | 736.2 | 2433.9 | $\mathbf{6 8} \mathbf{7 1 3 . 6}$ |
| $\mathbf{2 0 0 9 - 1 0}$ | 21007.2 | 23971.3 | 18831.7 | 5436.4 | 13582.3 | 1475.2 | 1047.5 | 2385.9 | $\mathbf{8 7} \mathbf{7 3 7 . 5}$ |
| $\mathbf{2 0 1 0 - 1 1}$ | 16691.8 | 22948.1 | 15313.7 | 4292.9 | 10188.8 | 1117.6 | 818.6 | 2333.6 | $\mathbf{7 3} \mathbf{7 0 5 . 2}$ |
| $\mathbf{2 0 1 0}$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| March Qtr | 3663.6 | 5437.9 | 4071.2 | 1323.9 | 3386.5 | 328.5 | 157.4 | 595.5 | $\mathbf{1 8} \mathbf{9 6 4 . 6}$ |
| June Qtr | 4355.7 | 5296.8 | 4154.3 | 1015.7 | 2658.2 | 264.9 | 329.2 | 437.8 | $\mathbf{1 8} \mathbf{5 1 2 . 6}$ |
| September Qtr | 4342.5 | 6227.6 | 4059.9 | 1169.2 | 2446.1 | 315.8 | 278.0 | 631.2 | $\mathbf{1 9} \mathbf{4 7 0 . 2}$ |
| December Qtr | 4762.8 | 6280.4 | 3472.1 | 1193.1 | 2705.2 | 256.8 | 182.2 | 798.1 | $\mathbf{1 9} \mathbf{6 5 0 . 7}$ |
| $\mathbf{2 0 1 1}$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| March Qtr | 4082.3 | 5159.4 | 4518.5 | 1007.2 | 2412.8 | 285.5 | 186.4 | 386.1 | $\mathbf{1 8} \mathbf{0 3 8 . 2}$ |
| June Qtr | 3504.2 | 5280.7 | 3263.3 | 923.4 | 2624.7 | 259.6 | 172.0 | 518.2 | $\mathbf{1 6} \mathbf{5 4 6 . 1}$ |

(a) Reference year for chain volume measures is 2008-09. For further information refer to the Explanatory Notes.

## WHAT IF...? REVISIONS TO TREND ESTIMATES

## EFFECT OF NEW SEASONALLY ADJUSTED ESTIMATES ON TREND ESTIMATES

## TREND REVISIONS

Recent seasonally adjusted and trend estimates are likely to be revised when original estimates for subsequent months become available. The approximate effect of possible scenarios on trend estimates are presented below. Generally, the greater the volatility of the original series, the larger the size of the revisions to trend estimates. Analysis of the building approval original series has shown that they can be revised substantially. As a result, some months can elapse before turning points in the trend series are reliably identified.

The graphs and tables which follow present the effect of two possible scenarios on the previous trend estimates: that the August seasonally adjusted estimate is higher than the July estimate by $2.7 \%$ for the number of private sector houses approved and $14 \%$ for private sector dwellings excluding houses approved; and that the August seasonally adjusted estimate is lower than the July estimate by $2.7 \%$ for the number of private sector houses approved and $14 \%$ for private sector dwellings excluding houses approved. These percentages represent the average absolute monthly percentage change for these series over the last ten years.

## APPROVED PRIVATE SECTOR HOUSES

|  | $\begin{gathered} \text { no. } \\ {[10000} \end{gathered}$ |  | Trend as published |  | WHAT ADJUS (1) rise on Jul | NEXT MO <br> D ESTIM <br> by $2.7 \%$ <br> 11 | SEASO <br> (2) falls on Jul | ALLY oy 2.7\% <br> 11 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | -9000 | 2011 | no. | \% change | no. | \% change | no. | \% change |
|  | -8000 | February | 8087 | -0.9 | 8083 | -0.9 | 8091 | -0.8 |
|  |  | March | 7993 | -1.2 | 7986 | -1.2 | 8001 | -1.1 |
| - 1 | -7000 | April | 7894 | -1.2 | 7891 | -1.2 | 7898 | -1.3 |
| - Published trend |  | May | 7796 | -1.2 | 7806 | -1.1 | 7787 | -1.4 |
| ---2 | 6000 | June | 7704 | -1.2 | 7738 | -0.9 | 7675 | -1.4 |
| $N^{\prime} \quad j \quad M \quad M \quad M$ |  | July | 7632 | -0.9 | 7690 | -0.6 | 7571 | -1.4 |

APPROVED PRIVATE SECTOR DWELLINGS EXCLUDING HOUSES
WHAT IF NEXT MONTH'S SEASONALLY


| 2011 | Trend as published |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | no. | \% change |
|  |  |  |
| February | 4865 | -1.8 |
| March | 4736 | -2.7 |
| April | 4613 | -2.6 |
| May | 4500 | -2.4 |
| June | 4373 | -2.8 |
| July | 4298 | -1.7 |


| (1) rises by $14 \%$ on Jul 2011 |  | (2) falls by $14 \%$ on Jul 2011 |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| no. | \% change | no. | \% change |
| 4861 | -1.9 | 4883 | -1.5 |
| 4727 | -2.8 | 4766 | -2.4 |
| 4605 | -2.6 | 4625 | -3.0 |
| 4522 | -1.8 | 4471 | -3.3 |
| 4449 | -1.6 | 4281 | -4.2 |
| 4390 | -1.3 | 4074 | -4.8 |

1 This publication presents details of building work approved.
2 Statistics of building work approved are compiled from:

- permits issued by local government authorities and other principal certifying authorities;
- contracts let or day labour work authorised by commonwealth, state, semi-government and local government authorities; and
- major building approvals in areas not subject to normal administrative approval e.g. building on remote mine sites.

3 The scope of the collection comprises the following:

- construction of new buildings;
- alterations and additions to existing buildings;
- approved non-structural renovation and refurbishment work; and
- approved installation of integral building fixtures.

4 Construction activity not defined as building (e.g. roads, bridges, railways, earthworks, etc.) are excluded. Statistics for this activity can be found in Engineering Construction Activity, Australia (cat. no. 8762.0).

5 The coverage of these statistics has changed over time:

- From July 1990, the statistics include all approved residential building valued at $\$ 10,000$ or more and all approved non-residential building valued at $\$ 50,000$ or more.
- From July 1988 to June 1990, the statistics include all approved residential building valued at $\$ 10,000$ or more and all approved non-residential building valued at $\$ 30,000$ or more.
- From July 1975 to June 1988, the statistics include all approved residential and non-residential building valued at $\$ 10,000$ or more.
- Up to June 1975, the statistics include all approved new building, and alterations and additions involving a structural change or floor area expansion.

6 Estimates in this publication are rounded and this may result in discrepancies between the sums of component items and their totals. Rounding may also cause differences between the movements (e.g. percentage changes) shown in this publication and the movements calculated by users from unrounded data. Where a discrepancy occurs, the published movement will be more accurate.

7 The information provided to the Australian Bureau of Statistics (ABS) and included in estimates for any month may be revised or corrected in later months. This can occur as a result of corrections made by a provider of data, the late provision of approval records and, occasionally, by approvals being identified after construction work has commenced. Where revisions or corrections are made to the original data for prior months, the aggregate impact on dwelling approval estimates are provided on page 3 under 'REVISIONS THIS MONTH'.

8 Statistics on the value of building work approved are derived by aggregating the estimated 'value of building work when completed' as reported on building approval documents provided to local councils or other building approval authorities.
Conceptually these value data should exclude the value of land and landscaping but include site preparation costs associated with building activity. These estimates are usually a reliable indicator of the completed value of 'houses'. However, for other buildings they can differ significantly from the completed value of the building as final costs and contracts have often not been established before council approval is sought and gained.

## OWNERSHIP

SEASONAL ADJUSTMENT AND TREND ESTIMATES

9 The ABS generally accepts values provided by approving bodies. Every effort is made to ensure data are provided on a consistent basis, however, there may be instances where value reported does not reflect the building completion value. For example, the reported value for most project homes is the contract price, which may include the cost of site preparation and landscaping. In other cases where a builder is contracted to construct a dwelling based on the owner's plans, the value may only be the builder's costs. Some data providers do not use the value on approval documents, instead deriving a value based on floor area and type of structure.

10 From July 2000, value data includes the Goods and Services Tax (GST) for residential and non-residential building approvals.

11 In these statistics a 'building job' is a construction project comprising work to one or more buildings. Building jobs data are based on the building approval records within the scope of the collection received each month.

12 Building ownership is classified as either public or private sector and is based on the sector of the intended owner of the completed building at the time of approval. Residential buildings constructed by private sector builders under government housing authority schemes are classified as public sector when the authority has contracted, or intends to contract, to purchase the building on or before completion.

13 Building approvals are classified by Type of Building (e.g. 'residential', 'non-residential') and by Type of Work.

14 Type of Building is the building's intended predominant function according to the ABS Functional Classification of Buildings 1999 (cat. no. 1268.0.55.001).

- Except where specified in the Functional Classification of Buildings, a building which is ancillary to other buildings, or forms a part of a group of related buildings, is classified to the function of the building and not to the function of the group as a whole. For example, in the case of a factory complex, a detached administration building would be classified to Offices, a detached cafeteria building to Retail/wholesale trade, while factory buildings would be classified to Factories. An exception to this rule is the treatment of group accommodation buildings where, for example, a student accommodation building on a university campus would be classified to Educational
- For a significant multi-function building which at the time of approval is intended to have more than one purpose (e.g. a hotel/shops/casino project), the ABS endeavours to split the approval details according to each main function. Where this is not possible because separate details cannot be obtained, the building is classified to the predominant function of the building.
15 Type of Work consists of 'new', 'alterations and additions', and 'conversions'. Conversions are considered to be a special type of alteration, and these jobs have been separately identified as such from the July 1996 reference month, though they have only appeared separately in this publication from the January 1998 issue. Prior to that issue, conversions were published as part of the 'Conversions, etc.' category or included elsewhere within a table.

16 Seasonal adjustment is a means of removing the estimated effects of seasonal and calendar related variation from a series so that the effects of other influences can be more clearly recognised. It does not remove the effect of irregular or other influences (e.g. the approval of large projects or a change in the administrative arrangements of approving authorities).

SEASONAL ADJUSTMENT AND TREND ESTIMATES continued

CHAIN VOLUME MEASURES

17 State/territory series are seasonally adjusted independently of the Australian series. In general, the sum of the state/territory estimates are reconciled to equal the Australian total estimates.

18 Seasonally adjusted estimates are produced by a seasonal adjustment method which takes account of the latest available original estimates. A detailed review of seasonal factors is conducted annually, generally prior to the release of data for May. The timing of this review may vary and when appropriate will be notified in the 'Data Notes' section of this publication.
19 The ABS produces trend estimates to best represent the underlying behaviour in a series. Trend estimates are created by smoothing seasonally adjusted series to reduce the impact of the irregular component of the seasonally adjusted series. Abnormally high or low values (outliers) are discounted or excluded from the trend estimates.

20 Seasonally adjusted and trend estimates may be revised as new periods of data become available. Generally, revisions become smaller over time. Revisions to original data may also lead to revisions to seasonally adjusted and trend estimates.
21 Further information on seasonally adjusted and trend estimates can be found in the ABS Information papers An Introductory Course on Time Series Analysis - Electronic Delivery, January 2005 (cat. no. 1346.0.55.001) and A Guide to Interpreting Time Series Monitoring Trends, 2003 (cat. no. 1349.0). Queries may also be directed to the Time Series Analysis Section on (02) 62526345 or email [time.series.analysis@abs.gov.au](mailto:time.series.analysis@abs.gov.au).

22 Chain volume estimates reflect changes in the volume of building work approved after the direct effects of price changes have been eliminated. The chain volume measures appearing in this publication are annually reweighted chain Laspeyres indexes referenced to current price values in a chosen reference year.
23 Chain volume measures are released quarterly in the April, July, October and January issues. The reference year is updated annually in the October issue.

24 Chain volume measures do not, in general, sum exactly to the extrapolated total value of the components. Further information on the nature and concepts of chain volume measures is contained in the ABS Information Paper Australian National Accounts, Introduction of Chain Volume Measures and Price Indexes, September 1997 (cat. no. 5248.0).

## EXPLANATORY NOTES continued

## GEOGRAPHIC

CLASSIFICATION

RELATED PUBLICATIONS

ABS DATA AVAILABLE ON REQUEST

25 Building approvals are classified to the Australian Standard Geographical Classification (ASGC), 2011 Edition (cat. no. 1216.0.15.001) and Australian Statistical Geography Standard (ASGS), 2011 Edition (cat. no. 1270.0.55.001) effective from July 2011. Building approvals before July 2011 were classified according to the current edition of the ASGC at that time, and are presented in this publication unrevised, in the original geographical area that applied at the time of approval. From July 2012 onwards building approvals will be classified to the ASGS only - for more information see the Feature Article: Implementation of the Australian Statistical Geography Standard in ABS Building Approvals Collection in the April 2011 issue of Building Approvals, Australia (cat. no. 8731.0).

26 From 1 July 2002, approvals in the Territories of Jervis Bay, Christmas Island and Cocos (Keeling) Islands are included in these statistics. Jervis Bay is included in New South Wales, while Christmas Island and Cocos (Keeling) Islands are included in Western Australia. This differs to their treatment in the ASGC and ASGS, where these Territories are included in 'Other Territories'.

27 Users may also wish to refer to the following publications:
Building Activity, Australia, cat. no. 8752.0
Dwelling Unit Commencements, Australia, Preliminary, cat. no. 8750.0
Construction Work Done, Australia, Preliminary, cat. no. 8755.0
Engineering Construction Activity, Australia, cat. no. 8762.0
House Price Indexes: Eight Capital Cities, cat. no. 6416.0
Housing Finance, Australia, cat. no. 5609.0
Producer Price Indexes, Australia, cat. no. 6427.0.
28 As well as the statistics included in this and related publications, the ABS may have other relevant data available on request. Inquiries should be made to the National Information and Referral Service on 1300135070.

## ABBREVIATIONS

| \$m | million dollars |
| ---: | :--- |
| ABS | Australian Bureau of Statistics |
| ACT | Australian Capital Territory |
| ASGC | Australian Standard Geographical Classification |
| Aust. | Australia |
| GST | goods and services tax |
| n.e.c. | not elsewhere classified |
| no. | number |
| NSW | New South Wales |
| NT | Northern Territory |
| Qld | Queensland |
| SA | South Australia |
| Tas. | Tasmania |
| Vic. | Victoria |
| WA | Western Australia |

ABS Australian Bureau of Statistics
ACT Australian Capital Territory
ASGC Australian Standard Geographical Classification
Aust. Australia
GST goods and services tax
n.e.c. not elsewhere classified
no. number
NSW New South Wales
NT Northern Territory
Qld Queensland
SA South Australia
Tas. Tasmania
Vic. Victoria
WA Western Australia

## APPENDIX LIST OF ELECTRONIC TABLES

ELECTRONIC TABLES The following tables are available electronically via the ABS web site.
Note: not all series in the table go back to the earliest start date.
DWELLING UNITS

|  | Publication <br> table <br> no. (a) | $\begin{array}{r} \text { Electronic } \\ \text { table } \\ \text { no. (a) } \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} \text { Start } \\ \text { date(b) } \end{array}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Dwelling units approved, New South Wales | na | 1 | July 1983 |
| Dwelling units approved, Victoria | na | 2 | July 1983 |
| Dwelling units approved, Queensland | na | 3 | July 1983 |
| Dwelling units approved, South Australia | na | 4 | July 1983 |
| Dwelling units approved, Western Australia | na | 5 | July 1983 |
| Dwelling units approved, all series, Australia | 1 | 6 | July 1983 |
| Dwelling units approved, percentage change, Australia | 2 | na |  |
| Total dwelling units approved, state and territories, number | 3 | 7 | July 1983 |
| Total dwelling units approved, states and territories, percentage change | 4 | na |  |
| Private sector houses approved, states and territories | 5 | 8 | July 1983 |
| Private sector houses approved, states and territories, percentage change | 6 | na |  |
| Dwelling units approved, states and territories, by type | 7 | 9 | July 1983 |
| Dwelling units approved, by Capital City Statistical Division, original | 8 | 10 | July 1983 |
| Dwelling units approved, by sector, original, Australia | 9 | 11 | January 1956 |
| Dwelling units approved, by sector, New South Wales | na | 12 | July 1970 |
| Dwelling units approved, by sector, Victoria | na | 13 | July 1970 |
| Dwelling units approved, by sector, Queensland | na | 14 | July 1970 |
| Dwelling units approved, by sector, South Australia | na | 15 | July 1970 |
| Dwelling units approved, by sector, Western Australia | na | 16 | July 1970 |
| Dwelling units approved, by sector, Tasmania | na | 17 | July 1970 |
| Dwelling units approved, by sector, Northern Territory | na | 18 | July 1970 |
| Dwelling units approved, by sector, Australian Capital Territory | na | 19 | July 1970 |
| Dwelling units approved in new residential buildings, original | 10 | 20 | January 1956 |
| Value of dwelling units approved in new residential buildings, original | 10 | 21 | January 1956 |
| Dwelling units approved in new residential buildings, number and value, New South Wales | na | 22 | January 1965 |
| Dwelling units approved in new residential buildings, number and value, Victoria | na | 23 | January 1956 |
| Dwelling units approved in new residential buildings, number and value, Queensland | na | 24 | January 1956 |
| Dwelling units approved in new residential buildings, number and value, South Australia | na | 25 | January 1956 |
| Dwelling units approved in new residential buildings, number and value, Western Australia | na | 26 | January 1956 |
| Dwelling units approved in new residential buildings, number and value, Tasmania | na | 27 | January 1956 |
| Dwelling units approved in new residential buildings, number and value, Northern Territory | na | 28 | January 1956 |
| Dwelling units approved in new residential buildings, number and value, Australian Capital Territory | na | 29 | January 1965 |
| Number of dwelling units approved, by Greater Capital City Statistical Areas,Original | na | 87 | July 2011 |

(a) na not available
(b) .. not available

## APPENDIX LIST OF ELECTRONIC TABLES continued

VALUE

|  | Publication table no. (a) | $\begin{array}{r} \text { Electronic } \\ \text { table } \\ \text { no. (a) } \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} \text { Start } \\ \text { date(b) } \end{array}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Value of building approved, New South Wales | na | 30 | July 1970 |
| Value of building approved, Victoria | na | 31 | July 1970 |
| Value of building approved, Queensland | na | 32 | July 1970 |
| Value of building approved, South Australia | na | 33 | July 1970 |
| Value of building approved, Western Australia | na | 34 | July 1970 |
| Value of building approved, Tasmania | na | 35 | July 1970 |
| Value of building approved, Northern Territory | na | 36 | July 1970 |
| Value of building approved, Australian Capital Territory | na | 37 | July 1970 |
| Value of building approved, Australia | 11 | 38 | January 1956 |
| Value of building approved, Australia, percentage change | 12 | na | .. |
| Value of total building approved, states and territories | 13 | 39 | July 1973 |
| Value of total building approved, states and territories, percentage change | 14 | na |  |
| Value of total building approved, states and territories | 15 | 40 | July 1973 |
| Value of non-residential building approved, states and territories | 16 | 41 | July 1970 |
| Value of building approved, by sector | 17 | 42 | January 1961 |
| Value of building approved, by sector, New South Wales | na | 43 | July 1970 |
| Value of building approved, by sector, Victoria | na | 44 | July 1970 |
| Value of building approved, by sector, Queensland | na | 45 | July 1970 |
| Value of building approved, by sector, South Australia | na | 46 | July 1970 |
| Value of building approved, by sector, Western Australia | na | 47 | July 1970 |
| Value of building approved, by sector, Tasmania | na | 48 | July 1970 |
| Value of building approved, by sector, Northern Territory | na | 49 | July 1970 |
| Value of building approved, by sector, Australian Capital Territory | na | 50 | July 1970 |
| Value of non-residential building approved, by sector, Australia | na | 51 | July 2000 |
| Value of non-residential building approved, by sector, New South Wales | na | 52 | July 2000 |
| Value of non-residential building approved, by sector, Victoria | na | 53 | July 2000 |
| Value of non-residential building approved, by sector, Queensland | na | 54 | July 2000 |
| Value of non-residential building approved, by sector, South Australia | na | 55 | July 2000 |
| Value of non-residential building approved, by sector, Western Australia | na | 56 | July 2000 |
| Value of non-residential building approved, by sector, Tasmania | na | 57 | July 2000 |
| Value of non-residential building approved, by sector, Northern Territory | na | 58 | July 2000 |
| Value of non-residential building approved, by sector, Australian Capital Territory | na | 59 | July 2000 |
| Number of non-residential building jobs approved, by value range, New South Wales | na | 60 | July 2001 |
| Number of non-residential building jobs approved, by value range, Victoria | na | 61 | July 2001 |
| Number of non-residential building jobs approved, by value range, Queensland | na | 62 | July 2001 |
| Number of non-residential building jobs approved, by value range, South Australia | na | 63 | July 2001 |
| Number of non-residential building jobs approved, by value range, Western Australia | na | 64 | July 2001 |
| Number of non-residential building jobs approved, by value range, Tasmania | na | 65 | July 2001 |
| Number of non-residential building jobs approved, by value range, Northern Territory | na | 66 | July 2001 |
| Number of non-residential building jobs approved, by value range, Australian Capital Territory | na | 67 | July 2001 |
| Number of non-residential building jobs approved, by value range, Australia | na | 68 | July 2001 |
| Value of non-residential building approved, by value range, New South Wales | na | 69 | July 2001 |
| Value of non-residential building approved, by value range, Victoria | na | 70 | July 2001 |
| Value of non-residential building approved, by value range, Queensland | na | 71 | July 2001 |
| Value of non-residential building approved, by value range, South Australia | na | 72 | July 2001 |
| Value of non-residential building approved, by value range, Western Australia | na | 73 | July 2001 |
| Value of non-residential building approved, by value range, Tasmania | na | 74 | July 2001 |
| Value of non-residential building approved, by value range, Northern Territory | na | 75 | July 2001 |
| Value of non-residential building approved, by value range, Australian Capital Territory | na | 76 | July 2001 |
| Value of non-residential building approved, by value range, Australia | na | 77 | July 2001 |

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CHAIN VOLUME MEASURES

|  | Publication <br> table | Electronic <br> table no. | Start <br> date |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| Value of building approved, chain volume measures, Australia | 18 | 78 | September 1970 |
| Value of building approved, chain volume measures, New South Wales | 19 | 79 | September 1985 |
| Value of building approved, chain volume measures, Victoria | 19 | 80 | September 1985 |
| Value of building approved, chain volume measures, Queensland | 19 | 81 | September 1985 |
| Value of building approved, chain volume measures, South Australia | 19 | 82 | September 1985 |
| Value of building approved, chain volume measures, Western Australia | 19 | 83 | September 1985 |
| Value of building approved, chain volume measures, Tasmania | 19 | 84 | September 1985 |
| Value of building approved, chain volume measures, Northern Territory | 19 | 85 | September 1985 |
| Value of building approved, chain volume measures, Australian Capital Territory | 19 | 86 | September 1985 |

DATA CUBES

|  | SuperTable <br> format | Excel <br> format |
| :--- | ---: | ---: |
| Statistical Local Areas, New South Wales, 2001-02 to 2010-11 | 1 | 1 |
| Statistical Local Areas, Victoria, 2001-02 to 2010-11 | 2 | 2 |
| Statistical Local Areas, Queensland, 2001-02 to 2010-11 | 3 | 3 |
| Statistical Local Areas, South Australia, 2001-02 to 2010-11 | 4 | 4 |
| Statistical Local Areas, Western Australia, 2001-02 to 2010-11 | 5 | 5 |
| Statistical Local Areas, Tasmania, 2001-02 to 2010-11 | 6 | 6 |
| Statistical Local Areas, Northern Territory, 2001-02 to 2010-11 | 7 | 7 |
| Statistical Local Areas, Australian Capital Territory, 2001-02 to 2010-11 | 8 | 8 |
| Number and value (\$m) of approvals, states and territories | 9 | na |

Accommodation Buildings primarily providing short-term or temporary accommodation on a commercial basis. Includes:

- Self-contained, short-term apartments (e.g. serviced apartments);
- Hotels (predominantly accommodation), motels, boarding houses, cabins; and
- Other short-term accommodation n.e.c. (e.g. migrant hostels, youth hostels, lodges).

Aged care facilities Building used in the provision or support of aged care facilities, excluding dwellings (e.g. retirement villages). Includes aged care facilities with and without medical care.

## Agriculture/aquaculture

Alterations and additions Building activity carried out on existing buildings. Includes alterations and additions to floor area, the structural design of a building, and affixing rigid components which are integral to the functioning of the building.

Building A building is a rigid, fixed and permanent structure which has a roof. Its intended purpose is primarily to house people, plant, machinery, vehicles, goods or livestock. An integral feature of a building's design is the provision for regular access by persons in order to satisfy its intended use.

Building job A building job is a construction project comprising work to one or more buildings.
Commercial Buildings primarily occupied with or engaged in commercial trade or work intended for commercial trade, including buildings used primarily in wholesale and retail trades, office and transport activities.

Conversion Building activity which converts a non-residential building to a residential building (e.g. conversion of a warehouse to residential apartments).

Dwelling A dwelling is a self-contained suite of rooms, including cooking and bathing facilities, intended for long-term residential use. A dwelling may comprise part of a building or the whole of a building. Regardless of whether they are self-contained or not, rooms within buildings offering institutional care (e.g. hospitals) or temporary accommodation (e.g. motels, hostels and holiday apartments) are not defined as dwellings. Such rooms are included in the appropriate category of non-residential building approvals. Dwellings can be created in one of four ways: through new work to create a residential building; through alteration/addition work to an existing residential building; through either new or alteration/addition work on non-residential building; or through conversion of a non-residential building to a residential building.

Dwellings excluding houses
Dwellings in other residential buildings and dwellings created in non-residential buildings.

Educational Buildings used in the provision or support of educational services, including group accommodation buildings (e.g. classrooms, school canteens, dormitories).

## Entertainment and recreation

Buildings used in the provision of entertainment and recreational facilities or services (e.g. libraries, museums, casinos, sporting facilities).

Factories Buildings housing, or associated with, production and assembly processes of intermediate and final goods.

Flats, units or apartments Dwellings not having their own private grounds and usually sharing a common entrance, foyer or stairwell.

Health Buildings used in the provision of non-aged care medical services (e.g. nursing quarters, laboratories, clinics).

House A detached building primarily used for long term residential purposes consisting of one dwelling unit. Includes detached residences associated with a non-residential building, and kit and transportable homes.

## GLOSSARY continued

Industrial Buildings used for warehousing and the production and assembly activities of industrial establishments, including factories and plants.

New Building activity which will result in the creation of a building which previously did not exist.

## Non-residential building

Offices Buildings primarily used in the provision of professional services or public administration (e.g. offices, insurance or finance buildings).

Other residential building

Religious

## Residential building

Retail/wholesale trade
Semidetached, row or terrace houses, townhouses

Total residential building

## Transport

Buildings primarily used in the provision of transport services. Includes:

- Passenger transport buildings (e.g. passenger terminals);
- Non-passenger transport buildings (e.g. freight terminals);
- Commercial car parks (excluded are those built as part of, and intended to service, other distinct building developments); and
- Other transport buildings n.e.c.

Warehouses Buildings primarily used for storage of goods, excluding produce storage.

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