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OVERSEAS ARRIVALS AND DEPARTURES, APRIL 1970

This publication provides summary statistics of overseas arrivals in and departures from Australia during the month of April 1970 and the ten months ended April 1970 together with comparable statistics for earlier periods. More detailed statistics are published quarterly - see "Overseas Arrivals and Departures, March Quarter 1970" (Reference 4.1).

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EXPLANATORY NOTES

Permanent movement consists of persons arriving in Australia with the stated intention of settling permanently in Australia, and Australian residents departing with the stated intention of residing permanently abroad. Settlers are persons who, on arrival in Australia, indicated that they came intending to settle. Former settlers are persons who, on departure from Australia, stated that they had come to Australia intending to settle, had stayed for a period of twelve months or more, and were now departing permanently.

Long-term movement consists of the arrival of visitors and the departure of Australian residents with the stated intention of staying (in Australia or in a country abroad, respectively) for twelve months or more and the departure of visitors and the return of Australian residents who have stayed (in Australia or in a country abroad, respectively) for twelve months or more.

Short-term movement consists of all other movements, including the movement of Australian troops irrespective of period of stay, and U.S. troops visiting Australia on rest and recreation leave. Table 9 includes seasonally adjusted figures for short-term visitors arriving in Australia.

TABLE 1. - OVERSEAS ARRIVALS AND DEPARTURES

Period	Total arrivals *	Total departures *	Excess of arrivals over departures *		
			Males	Females	Persons
Year ended June - 1968	695,535	602,177	51,574	41,784	93,358
1969	836,397	709,972	68,952	57,473	126,425
Year ended December -					
1968	771,792	658,739	61,484	51,569	113,053
1969	898,858	769,812	69,719	59,327	129,046
Ten months ended April -					
1969	701,028	583,333	62,294	55,401	117,695
1970	803,299	685,555	62,276	55,468	117,744
1969 - March	76,226	68,218	4,995	3,013	8,008
April	64,982	62,600	1,849	533	2,382
May	72,716	69,979	2,651	86	2,737
June	62,653	56,660	4,007	1,986	5,993
July	68,914	56,461	6,569	5,884	12,453
August	74,177	68,679	2,976	2,522	5,498
September	79,983	55,102	11,815	13,066	24,881
October	81,231	61,882	9,722	9,627	19,349
November	77,448	61,234	7,613	8,601	16,214
December	88,290	85,289	1,059	1,942	3,001
1970 - January	96,737	80,600	8,849	7,288	16,137
February	78,995	65,672	8,340	4,983	13,323
March	84,944	75,571	6,037	3,336	9,373
April	72,580	75,065	-704	-1,781	-2,485

* Includes U.S. troops visiting Australia on rest and recreation leave.

NOTE. Minus sign (-) denotes excess of departures over arrivals.

TABLE 2. - OVERSEAS ARRIVALS AND DEPARTURES

(Persons)

Category of traveller	Year ended June 1969	Ten months ended April		Month of April	
		1969	1970	1969	1970
ARRIVALS					
Permanent movement - Settlers	175,657	142,031	152,793	15,353	15,367
Long-term movement - Australian residents	37,376	32,205	33,171	2,555	2,393
Overseas visitors	24,442	20,667	25,040	1,827	2,090
Short-term movement - Australian residents	266,797	225,481	263,106	18,365	21,879
Overseas visitors *	332,125	280,644	329,189	26,882	30,851
<u>TOTAL ARRIVALS</u> *	836,397	701,028	803,299	64,982	72,580
DEPARTURES					
Permanent movement - Former settlers	23,537	20,204	21,954	1,658	1,978
Other residents	8,141	6,761	8,287	607	854
<u>Total permanent</u>	31,678	26,965	30,241	2,265	2,832
Long-term movement - Australian residents	53,296	44,334	51,838	4,645	4,911
Overseas visitors	13,817	11,309	14,145	1,146	1,522
Short-term movement - Australian residents	266,268	212,756	250,349	24,903	30,058
Overseas visitors *	344,913	287,969	338,982	29,641	35,742
<u>TOTAL DEPARTURES</u> *	709,972	583,333	685,555	62,600	75,065

* Includes U.S. troops visiting Australia on rest and recreation leave.

TABLE 3. - OVERSEAS ARRIVALS : SETTLERS

(Persons)

	Year ended June 1969	Ten months ended April		Month of April	
		1969	1970	1969	1970
<u>Nationality -</u>					
British : Country of citizenship -					
Ceylon, India, Pakistan	3,743	3,051	3,548	314	337
New Zealand	6,475	5,466	4,352	539	339
United Kingdom and Colonies	78,801	62,946	60,118	7,697	5,945
Other	8,110	6,716	7,708	692	735
Citizenship not stated	5,424	4,134	4,983	528	643
<u>Total British</u>	102,553	82,313	80,709	9,770	7,999
American (U.S.)	3,190	2,817	3,099	127	158
Dutch	3,068	2,619	2,570	187	123
German	2,996	2,476	3,168	221	110
Greek	11,738	10,110	9,303	1,214	1,203
Italian	13,829	11,474	9,283	690	985
Lebanese	2,872	2,389	3,383	312	374
Turkish	2,204	1,668	2,740	339	344
Yugoslav	12,733	9,386	20,350	838	2,727
Other	20,474	16,779	18,188	1,655	1,344
<u>TOTAL SETTLERS ARRIVING</u>	175,657	142,031	152,793	15,353	15,367
<u>Occupation -</u>					
Professional, technical and related workers -					
Professional engineers	1,258	1,067	1,084	104	104
Scientists	539	466	496	47	44
Medical practitioners	285	242	253	18	15
Teachers (incl. University, school, pre-school)	1,703	1,467	1,659	98	104
Other professional, technical and related workers	6,105	5,058	5,079	538	437
<u>Total professional etc.</u>	9,890	8,300	8,571	805	704
Administrative, executive and managerial workers	3,289	2,693	2,977	293	266
Clerical and sales workers	12,822	10,378	10,655	1,179	965
Farmers, fishermen, hunters, timber-getters and related workers	2,213	1,832	1,716	184	164
Miners, quarrymen and related workers	407	335	248	29	23
Workers in transport and communication	4,649	3,689	3,393	410	346
Craftsmen and production-process workers-					
Engineering	9,601	7,854	7,645	799	673
Building and construction workers	4,247	3,401	3,615	387	342
Other	22,094	17,426	23,228	1,834	2,601
<u>Total craftsmen etc.</u>	35,942	28,681	34,488	3,020	3,616
Service, sport and recreation workers	7,297	5,973	5,822	627	718
Occupation inadequately described or not stated	5,459	4,375	3,441	681	335
Not in the work force	93,689	75,775	81,482	8,125	8,230
<u>TOTAL SETTLERS ARRIVING</u>	175,657	142,031	152,793	15,353	15,367

TABLE 4. - OVERSEAS DEPARTURES
AUSTRALIAN RESIDENTS DEPARTING PERMANENTLY (a)
(Persons)

	Year ended June 1969	Ten months ended April		Month of April	
		1969	1970	1969	1970
Country of birth -					
Africa	323	280	317	13	32
America - U.S. America	1,022	802	901	53	70
Other	368	305	380	25	41
Asia	688	581	564	40	58
Europe - Germany	850	692	854	75	85
Greece	512	445	450	80	58
Italy	660	532	635	50	42
Malta	465	402	410	23	49
Netherlands	683	588	784	46	68
U.K. and Ireland	15,757	13,744	13,836	1,051	1,173
Yugoslavia	413	345	448	46	49
Other	1,326	1,048	1,553	125	186
Oceania - Australia	7,182	5,999	7,329	529	745
New Zealand	1,268	1,068	1,642	101	160
Other	98	86	67	4	6
At sea and not stated	63	48	71	4	10
TOTAL AUSTRALIAN RESIDENTS DEPARTING PERMANENTLY	31,678	26,965	30,241	2,265	2,832
Occupation -					
Professional, technical and related workers -					
Professional engineers	236	192	203	16	25
Scientists	203	153	177	18	13
Medical practitioners	104	86	75	8	6
Teachers (incl. University, school, pre-school)	666	561	586	28	17
Other professional, technical and related workers	1,733	1,441	1,618	114	168
Total professional etc.	2,942	2,433	2,659	184	229
Administrative, executive and managerial workers	753	624	875	45	77
Clerical and sales workers	3,084	2,591	3,048	255	314
Farmers, fishermen, hunters, timber- getters and related workers	296	240	247	24	33
Miners, quarrymen and related workers	106	84	111	11	11
Workers in transport and communication	642	544	659	46	75
Craftsmen and production-process workers -					
Engineering	1,679	1,443	1,672	129	179
Building and construction workers	553	466	528	41	55
Other	3,406	2,894	3,293	278	316
Total craftsmen etc.	5,638	4,803	5,493	448	550
Service, sport and recreation workers	870	754	811	65	90
Occupation inadequately described or not stated	345	285	339	17	28
Not in the work force	17,002	14,607	15,999	1,170	1,425
TOTAL AUSTRALIAN RESIDENTS DEPARTING PERMANENTLY	31,678	26,965	30,241	2,265	2,832

(a) Including former settlers.

TABLE 5. - OVERSEAS ARRIVALS : SHORT-TERM MOVEMENT - VISITORS ARRIVING*

	Year ended June 1969	Ten months ended April		Month of April	
		1969	1970	1969	1970
<u>Sex -</u>					
Males*	228,713	191,369	220,510	19,235	21,584
Females *	103,412	89,275	108,679	7,647	9,267
<u>Mode of transport -</u>					
Sea	19,429	17,348	14,398	1,046	683
Air*	312,696	263,296	314,791	25,836	30,168
<u>Intended length of stay -</u>					
Under 1 week*	133,202	109,882	125,719	11,870	12,910
1 week and under 2 weeks	41,720	35,361	43,449	3,648	4,248
2 weeks and under 1 month	60,866	51,878	57,991	4,889	5,484
1 month and under 6 months	67,845	59,193	70,146	4,315	5,390
6 months and under 12 months	13,907	12,122	13,424	893	868
Indefinite, not stated, etc.	14,585	12,208	18,460	1,267	1,951
<u>Stated purpose of journey -</u>					
In transit	39,767	33,470	39,426	3,047	4,153
Business	49,987	41,149	49,163	4,713	5,698
Holiday*	214,545	182,230	214,764	17,379	18,847
Education	9,730	8,311	9,309	305	526
Other and not stated	18,096	15,484	16,527	1,438	1,627
<u>Country of residence -</u>					
Africa	5,429	4,551	5,492	462	769
America - Canada	6,646	5,977	7,876	403	651
U.S. America	43,716	37,716	48,403	3,086	4,465
Other	1,663	1,434	1,701	120	229
Asia - Hong Kong	4,111	3,521	4,334	271	416
Malaysia & Singapore	10,918	9,869	8,998	710	896
Japan	7,464	6,326	8,863	663	815
Other*	90,293	73,758	82,545	8,367	8,296
Europe - U.K. and Ireland	31,673	28,231	32,723	2,396	2,295
Germany	3,589	3,156	4,223	246	516
Netherlands	3,768	3,408	3,697	243	278
Other	11,023	9,456	11,584	937	1,057
Oceania - Fiji	3,390	2,975	3,594	234	318
New Zealand	76,691	62,542	72,439	6,776	7,550
Papua and New Guinea	23,500	20,807	24,098	1,461	1,564
Other	8,251	6,917	8,619	507	736
<u>TOTAL SHORT-TERM VISITORS ARRIVING*</u>	332,125	280,644	329,189	26,882	30,851

* Includes U.S. troops visiting Australia on rest and recreation leave.

TABLE 6. - OVERSEAS DEPARTURES: SHORT-TERM MOVEMENT - AUSTRALIAN RESIDENTS DEPARTING

	Year ended June 1969	Ten months ended April		Month of April	
		1969	1970	1969	1970
<u>Sex -</u>					
Males	152,238	121,877	144,057	14,120	17,046
Females	114,030	90,879	106,292	10,783	13,012
<u>Mode of transport -</u>					
Sea	48,317	38,703	38,752	4,356	4,857
Air	217,951	174,053	211,597	20,547	25,201
<u>Intended length of stay -</u>					
Under 1 week	11,319	9,308	11,971	1,267	1,396
1 week and under 2 weeks	28,299	23,006	27,719	2,542	2,607
2 weeks and under 1 month	69,838	59,947	71,941	5,023	6,605
1 month and under 6 months	99,311	75,607	83,045	9,396	10,861
6 months and under 12 months	26,172	19,846	23,404	3,923	4,956
Indefinite, not stated, etc.	31,329	25,042	32,269	2,752	3,633
<u>Stated purpose of journey -</u>					
Business	50,889	40,689	47,798	5,153	6,621
Holiday	181,434	144,849	169,028	16,747	19,901
Education	4,011	3,328	4,033	344	428
Other and not stated	29,934	23,890	29,490	2,659	3,108
<u>Country of disembarkation -</u>					
Africa	3,816	2,955	4,724	369	729
America - U.S.A. - excl. Hawaii	10,347	7,900	9,486	856	1,230
Hawaii	10,346	7,710	9,040	1,042	1,105
Other	3,544	2,829	2,925	196	272
Asia - Hong Kong	14,167	10,816	12,644	1,586	2,370
Malaysia and Singapore	27,677	21,901	25,372	2,833	4,162
Japan	8,329	6,833	6,895	837	717
Philippines	3,536	2,603	3,241	322	526
Other	23,014	18,056	22,599	2,298	2,879
Europe - U.K. and Ireland	20,377	14,632	16,161	2,440	2,678
Greece	4,493	3,525	3,900	997	1,437
Italy	14,729	10,457	11,528	1,332	1,215
Other	7,321	5,016	6,421	794	1,057
Oceania - Fiji	16,010	12,534	16,803	1,066	1,182
New Zealand	65,862	58,037	66,572	5,164	5,738
Papua and New Guinea	18,927	15,489	19,047	1,633	1,622
Other	13,773	11,463	12,991	1,138	1,139
<u>TOTAL SHORT-TERM RESIDENTS DEPARTING</u>	266,268	212,756	250,349	24,903	30,058

TABLE 7. - OVERSEAS ARRIVALS AND DEPARTURES

PERMANENT MOVEMENT : MONTHLY

(Persons)

Month	Arrivals	Departures			Excess of arrivals over departures - permanent movement	
	Settlers	Former settlers	Other Australian residents	Total	Settlers	Total
1969 - March	16,836	2,110	708	2,818	14,726	14,018
April	15,353	1,658	607	2,265	13,695	13,088
May	18,949	2,155	765	2,920	16,794	16,029
June	14,677	1,178	615	1,793	13,499	12,884
July	16,197	2,194	723	2,917	14,003	13,280
August	12,917	2,896	900	3,796	10,021	9,121
September	14,774	2,143	686	2,829	12,631	11,945
October	16,129	2,478	762	3,240	13,651	12,889
November	14,374	1,697	683	2,380	12,677	11,994
December	17,027	2,753	969	3,722	14,274	13,305
1970 - January	13,444	2,597	1,063	3,660	10,847	9,784
February	13,617	1,410	881	2,291	12,207	11,326
March	18,947	1,808	766	2,574	17,139	16,373
April	15,367	1,978	854	2,832	13,389	12,535

TABLE 8. - OVERSEAS ARRIVALS AND DEPARTURES

LONG-TERM MOVEMENT : MONTHLY

(Persons)

Month	Arrivals		Departures		Excess of arrivals over departures - long-term movement	
	Australian residents returning	Overseas visitors	Australian residents	Overseas visitors	Australian residents	Overseas visitors
1969 - March	3,186	2,564	5,413	1,380	-2,227	1,184
April	2,555	1,827	4,645	1,146	-2,090	681
May	2,747	1,870	4,740	1,386	-1,993	484
June	2,424	1,905	4,222	1,122	-1,798	783
July	2,632	2,140	4,674	1,318	-2,042	822
August	3,072	2,155	6,493	1,334	-3,421	821
September	3,518	2,288	4,040	1,156	-522	1,132
October	3,396	2,300	5,745	1,290	-2,349	1,010
November	3,003	1,802	3,645	1,163	-642	639
December	5,095	2,151	5,500	1,953	-405	198
1970 - January	3,894	4,156	7,390	1,534	-3,496	2,622
February	3,097	3,473	4,246	1,350	-1,149	2,123
March	3,071	2,485	5,194	1,525	-2,123	960
April	2,393	2,090	4,911	1,522	-2,518	568

NOTE. Minus sign (-) denotes excess of departures over arrivals

TABLE 9. - OVERSEAS ARRIVALS AND DEPARTURES
SHORT-TERM MOVEMENT : MONTHLY
(Persons)

Month	Arrivals			Departures		Excess of arrivals over departures - short-term movement	
	Australian residents returning	Overseas visitors * Number recorded	Seasonally adjusted	Australian residents	Overseas visitors *	Australian residents	Overseas visitors
1969 - March	21,547	32,093	30,224	25,411	33,196	-3,864	-1,103
April	18,365	26,882	28,407	24,903	29,641	-6,538	-2,759
May	21,559	27,591	29,148	29,135	31,798	-7,576	-4,207
June	19,757	23,890	30,214	24,377	25,146	-4,620	-1,256
July	22,291	25,654	30,319	22,270	25,282	21	372
August	25,688	30,345	30,564	26,035	31,021	-374	-676
September	31,342	28,061	30,542	17,072	30,005	14,270	-1,944
October	27,388	32,018	30,261	20,816	30,791	6,572	1,227
November	23,555	34,714	32,514	19,025	35,021	4,530	-307
December	21,053	42,964	31,947	41,554	32,560	-20,501	10,404
1970 - January	41,631	33,612	33,023	23,717	44,299	17,914	-10,687
February	23,829	34,979	33,955	20,356	37,429	3,473	-2,450
March	24,450	35,991	33,398	29,446	36,832	-4,996	-841
April	21,879	30,851	33,521	30,058	35,742	-8,179	-4,891

* Includes U.S. troops visiting Australia on rest and recreation leave.
 NOTE. Minus sign (-) denotes excess of departures over arrivals.

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