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TEENAGE UNEMPLOYMENT AND EDUCATIONAL ACTIVITY, PRELIMINARY

NOVEMBER 1997

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AT SCHOOL OR A TERTIARY EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTION, NOVEMBER 1997**

State or Territory	Employed		Unemployed			Labour force	Not in labour force	Civilian population aged 15-19	Unemployment rate	Unemployment population ratio - per cent -	Participation rate
	Full-time workers	Total	Looking for full-time work	Looking for part-time work	Total						
ATTENDING NEITHER SCHOOL NOR A TERTIARY EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTION FULL TIME											
New South Wales	72,214	98,907	20,486	* 1,354	21,840	120,747	23,701	144,448	18.087	15.119	83.592
Victoria	35,519	54,196	13,753	* 1,425	15,178	69,373	10,634	80,007	21.878	18.970	86.709
Queensland	38,043	58,504	17,620	* 2,551	20,171	78,675	17,062	95,737	25.638	21.069	82.178
South Australia	15,646	21,619	5,707	* 180	5,887	27,506	2,922	30,428	21.402	19.347	90.397
Western Australia	30,618	40,494	7,737	* 867	8,604	49,098	5,834	54,932	17.525	15.663	89.380
Tasmania	5,910	7,764	2,419	* 0	2,419	10,182	2,156	12,338	23.755	19.605	82.528
Northern Territory	2,423	3,561	* 76	* 0	* 76	3,637	2,032	5,669	* 2.081	* 1.335	64.153
Australian Capital Territory	2,073	3,274	* 867	* 92	959	4,233	1,096	5,329	22.665	18.004	79.439
Australia	202,445	288,319	68,664	6,469	75,133	363,452	65,437	428,889	20.672	17.518	84.743
ATTENDING A TERTIARY EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTION FULL TIME											
New South Wales	* 0	21,314	* 655	* 1,698	* 2,353	23,667	23,347	47,014	* 9.941	* 5.004	50.339
Victoria	* 366	22,549	* 1,257	* 2,137	* 3,394	25,943	23,315	49,258	* 13.083	* 6.890	52.667
Queensland	* 890	20,890	* 488	* 2,420	* 2,908	23,799	15,702	39,500	* 12.220	* 7.362	60.249
South Australia	* 122	5,024	* 580	* 971	* 1,551	6,574	5,635	12,209	* 23.588	* 12.701	53.846
Western Australia	* 0	12,326	* 309	* 1,550	* 1,859	14,185	7,186	21,371	* 13.108	* 8.701	66.377
Tasmania	* 120	* 1,112	* 162	* 78	* 240	1,352	* 700	2,052	* 17.752	* 11.694	65.875
Northern Territory	* 0	* 82	* 0	* 0	* 0	* 82	* 422	* 505	* 0.000	* 0.000	* 16.327
Australian Capital Territory	* 264	1,708	* 175	* 155	* 330	2,038	1,125	3,162	* 16.192	* 10.434	64.437
Australia	* 1,763	85,004	3,626	9,008	12,635	97,639	77,432	175,071	12.940	7.217	55.771
ATTENDING SCHOOL											
New South Wales	* 653	63,901	* 883	13,071	13,954	77,855	158,328	236,183	17.923	5.908	32.964
Victoria	* 366	58,447	* 2,978	16,268	19,247	77,693	109,800	187,493	24.772	10.265	41.438
Queensland	* 260	42,960	* 202	10,988	11,191	54,151	60,567	114,718	20.666	9.755	47.204
South Australia	* 401	15,501	* 260	3,420	3,680	19,181	36,800	55,981	19.185	6.574	34.264
Western Australia	* 159	18,732	* 395	3,112	3,507	22,239	33,128	55,367	15.770	6.334	40.166
Tasmania	* 0	5,239	* 273	* 1,158	1,430	6,669	13,422	20,092	21.448	7.120	33.195
Northern Territory	* 98	3,034	* 0	* 98	* 98	3,133	3,895	7,028	* 3.141	* 1.400	44.574
Australian Capital Territory	* 250	4,938	* 500	1,581	2,081	7,019	6,666	13,685	29.652	15.209	51.291
Australia	* 2,187	212,751	5,492	49,697	55,189	267,940	422,606	690,546	20.597	7.992	38.801
TOTAL											
New South Wales	72,866	184,121	22,024	16,122	38,147	222,268	205,377	427,645	17.162	8.920	51.975
Victoria	36,251	135,191	17,989	19,830	37,818	173,009	143,749	316,758	21.859	11.939	54.619
Queensland	39,192	122,355	18,310	15,960	34,270	156,624	93,331	249,955	21.880	13.710	62.661
South Australia	16,169	42,144	6,547	4,570	11,117	53,261	45,357	98,618	20.873	11.273	54.008
Western Australia	30,777	71,552	8,442	5,529	13,971	85,522	46,148	131,670	16.336	10.610	64.952
Tasmania	6,031	14,115	2,853	* 1,236	4,089	18,204	16,278	34,482	22.464	11.859	52.792
Northern Territory	2,521	6,678	* 76	* 98	* 174	6,852	6,350	13,202	* 2.541	* 1.319	51.902
Australian Capital Territory	2,587	9,919	1,542	1,828	3,371	13,290	8,886	22,176	25.363	15.200	59.929
Australia	206,395	586,074	77,783	65,174	142,957	729,031	565,475	1,294,506	19.609	11.043	56.317

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ATTENDING NEITHER SCHOOL NOR A TERTIARY EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTION FULL TIME											
New South Wales	72.2	98.9	20.5	* 1.4	21.8	120.7	23.7	144.4	18.1	15.1	83.6
Victoria	35.5	54.2	13.8	* 1.4	15.2	69.4	10.6	80.0	21.9	19.0	86.7
Queensland	38.0	58.5	17.6	* 2.6	20.2	78.7	17.1	95.7	25.6	21.1	82.2
South Australia	15.6	21.6	5.7	* 0.2	5.9	27.5	2.9	30.4	21.4	19.3	90.4
Western Australia	30.6	40.5	7.7	* 0.9	8.6	49.1	5.8	54.9	17.5	15.7	89.4
Tasmania	5.9	7.8	2.4	* 0.0	2.4	10.2	2.2	12.3	23.8	19.6	82.5
Northern Territory	2.4	3.6	* 0.1	* 0.0	* 0.1	3.6	2.0	5.7	* 2.1	* 1.3	64.2
Australian Capital Territory	2.1	3.3	* 0.9	* 0.1	1.0	4.2	1.1	5.3	22.7	18.0	79.4
<i>Australia</i>	<i>202.4</i>	<i>288.3</i>	<i>68.7</i>	<i>6.5</i>	<i>75.1</i>	<i>363.5</i>	<i>65.4</i>	<i>428.9</i>	<i>20.7</i>	<i>17.5</i>	<i>84.7</i>
ATTENDING A TERTIARY EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTION FULL TIME											
New South Wales	* 0.0	21.3	* 0.7	* 1.7	* 2.4	23.7	23.3	47.0	* 9.9	* 5.0	50.3
Victoria	* 0.4	22.5	* 1.3	* 2.1	* 3.4	25.9	23.3	49.3	* 13.1	* 6.9	52.7
Queensland	* 0.9	20.9	* 0.5	* 2.4	* 2.9	23.8	15.7	39.5	* 12.2	* 7.4	60.2
South Australia	* 0.1	5.0	* 0.6	* 1.0	* 1.6	6.6	5.6	12.2	* 23.6	* 12.7	53.8
Western Australia	* 0.0	12.3	* 0.3	* 1.6	* 1.9	14.2	7.2	21.4	* 13.1	* 8.7	66.4
Tasmania	* 0.1	* 1.1	* 0.2	* 0.1	* 0.2	1.4	* 0.7	2.1	* 17.8	* 11.7	65.9
Northern Territory	* 0.0	* 0.1	* 0.0	* 0.0	* 0.0	* 0.1	* 0.4	* 0.5	* 0.0	* 0.0	* 16.3
Australian Capital Territory	* 0.3	1.7	* 0.2	* 0.2	* 0.3	2.0	1.1	3.2	* 16.2	* 10.4	64.4
<i>Australia</i>	<i>* 1.8</i>	<i>85.0</i>	<i>3.6</i>	<i>9.0</i>	<i>12.6</i>	<i>97.6</i>	<i>77.4</i>	<i>175.1</i>	<i>12.9</i>	<i>7.2</i>	<i>55.8</i>
ATTENDING SCHOOL											
New South Wales	* 0.7	63.9	* 0.9	13.1	14.0	77.9	158.3	236.2	17.9	5.9	33.0
Victoria	* 0.4	58.4	* 3.0	16.3	19.2	77.7	109.8	187.5	24.8	10.3	41.4
Queensland	* 0.3	43.0	* 0.2	11.0	11.2	54.2	60.6	114.7	20.7	9.8	47.2
South Australia	* 0.4	15.5	* 0.3	3.4	3.7	19.2	36.8	56.0	19.2	6.6	34.3
Western Australia	* 0.2	18.7	* 0.4	3.1	3.5	22.2	33.1	55.4	15.8	6.3	40.2
Tasmania	* 0.0	5.2	* 0.3	* 1.2	1.4	6.7	13.4	20.1	21.4	7.1	33.2
Northern Territory	* 0.1	3.0	* 0.0	* 0.1	* 0.1	3.1	3.9	7.0	* 3.1	* 1.4	44.6
Australian Capital Territory	* 0.2	4.9	* 0.5	1.6	2.1	7.0	6.7	13.7	29.7	15.2	51.3
<i>Australia</i>	<i>* 2.2</i>	<i>212.8</i>	<i>5.5</i>	<i>49.7</i>	<i>55.2</i>	<i>267.9</i>	<i>422.6</i>	<i>690.5</i>	<i>20.6</i>	<i>8.0</i>	<i>38.8</i>
TOTAL											
New South Wales	72.9	184.1	22.0	16.1	38.1	222.3	205.4	427.6	17.2	8.9	52.0
Victoria	36.3	135.2	18.0	19.8	37.8	173.0	143.7	316.8	21.9	11.9	54.6
Queensland	39.2	122.4	18.3	16.0	34.3	156.6	93.3	250.0	21.9	13.7	62.7
South Australia	16.2	42.1	6.5	4.6	11.1	53.3	45.4	98.6	20.9	11.3	54.0
Western Australia	30.8	71.6	8.4	5.5	14.0	85.5	46.1	131.7	16.3	10.6	65.0
Tasmania	6.0	14.1	2.9	* 1.2	4.1	18.2	16.3	34.5	22.5	11.9	52.8
Northern Territory	2.5	6.7	* 0.1	* 0.1	* 0.2	6.9	6.3	13.2	* 2.5	* 1.3	51.9
Australian Capital Territory	2.6	9.9	1.5	1.8	3.4	13.3	8.9	22.2	25.4	15.2	59.9
Australia	206.4	586.1	77.8	65.2	143.0	729.0	565.5	1,294.5	19.6	11.0	56.3