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METROPOLITAN URBAN, OTHER URBAN AND RURAL DIVISIONS.

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## INTRODUCTION.

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This Bulletin contains particulars of the population and dwellings of the States and Territories of Australia at the Census of 30th June, 1961, together with comparable figures for earlier Censuses. The information is restricted to totals for complete States and Territories or for Divisions of States or Territories (i.e. Metropolitan Urban, Other Urban and Rural), and is not further dissected into local government areas, etc. Such information is now available for the 1961 Census in Census Bulletin No. 2. - Population and Dwellings in Local Government Areas.

All 1961 Census figures in this Bulletin are derived from the initial balancing of the punched cards, and very little, if any, further amendment is expected.

All tables exclude particulars of full-blood aboriginals and of dwellings occupied solely by them.

In accordance with standard practice, Census particulars were not required of diplomatic representatives of foreign governments and the High Commissioners representing the Governments of the members of the Commonwealth of Nations, with their families and staffs. The greater proportion of these persons was in Canberra, Australian Capital Territory, where the numbers of persons excluded from the Census was approximately 800, and the number of dwellings excluded, 200.

Definitions of certain terms used in this Bulletin may be found on page 4.

A list of 1961 Census Publications issued to date appears at the end of this Bulletin.

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DEFINITIONS.Divisions of States and Territories -

- (i) Metropolitan Urban. - Metropolitan Urban Divisions include the Capital Cities of the States and Canberra, the Capital City of Australia. The boundaries of the Capital Cities are determined for Census purposes by the Commonwealth Statistician in collaboration with the Deputy Commonwealth Statisticians of the States and normally include the city proper and all adjoining urban areas. To conform to the growth of the metropolitan urban population, the boundaries are reviewed at each Census, and adjustments are made wherever necessary, to embrace contiguous urban areas that have developed since the previous Census.

Amendments were made in 1961 to the boundaries of the Metropolitan Urban Divisions in Victoria, Queensland and Tasmania, but adjustments have been made to the 1954 figures in this Bulletin to permit comparisons of data for corresponding areas.

- (ii) Other Urban. - Other Urban Divisions comprise:-

- o the Capital City of the Northern Territory;
- o all separately incorporated cities and towns outside the Metropolitan Urban Division, except, in 1961, for any portions within the legal boundaries of the city or town which were specifically regarded as rural for Census purposes or where the population of the whole town was less than 1,000;
- o all other towns (within boundaries defined for Census purposes) with a population of 1,000 persons or more (750 in Tasmania) outside the Metropolitan Urban Divisions. (Adjustments necessary to the 1954 data for Other Urban and Rural Divisions to permit of valid comparison with 1961 data have not been determined at this stage and therefore the data for these two divisions have been combined for the purposes of Tables 6 and 7 in this Bulletin).

- (iii) Rural. - Rural Divisions comprise the remaining portions of each State and Territory. As mentioned above, they exclude the cities and towns of 1,000 persons or more (750 in Tasmania) which were not separately incorporated.

- (iv) Migratory. - The term "Migratory" used in the following tables refers to persons not elsewhere enumerated who at midnight between 29th and 30th June, 1961 were on ships in Australian waters, or were travelling on long-distance trains, motor coaches or aircraft.

Dwelling. - For the purpose of the Census, a "dwelling" is any habitation occupied by a household group living together as a domestic unit, whether comprising the whole or only part of a building. The term has, therefore, a very wide reference, and includes, in addition to houses and flats, a great variety of "dwellings" ranging from a single-roomed hut to a multi-roomed hotel or institution.

Unoccupied dwellings. - "Unoccupied dwellings" include vacant dwellings available for sale or renting; dwellings such as "week-ender", "holiday home", "second home", "seasonal quarters", which were not occupied on the night of the Census; dwellings normally occupied but whose usual occupants were temporarily absent on the night of the Census; newly completed dwellings whose owners or tenants had not entered into occupation on the night of the Census; dwellings described as "condemned", "awaiting demolition", "deceased estate", "exhibition home", etc.; and buildings constructed as dwellings but used for non-dwelling purposes on the night of the Census. The total number of unoccupied dwellings shown for any area must not, therefore, be read as representing the number of vacant houses and flats available for sale or renting. Census Bulletin No. 2. - Population and Dwellings in Local Government Areas, includes a table showing the number of unoccupied dwellings, in each Division of State or Territory, classified according to reasons why unoccupied.

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NOTE. -- The figures published in this Bulletin are subject to revision on completion of the detailed tabulation.

TABLE 1. - POPULATION AND DWELLINGS OF THE STATES AND TERRITORIES OF AUSTRALIA,  
CENSUS, 30TH JUNE, 1961.

(Exclusive of full-blood Aboriginals and Dwellings occupied solely by them)

State or Territory	Population			Dwellings	
	Males	Females	Persons	Occupied	Unoccupied
New South Wales	1,972,911	1,944,105	3,917,016	1,061,510	72,441
Victoria	1,474,395	1,455,718	2,930,113	790,431	47,387
Queensland	774,579	744,249	1,518,828	398,235	34,038
South Australia	490,225	479,115	969,340	261,908	17,059
Western Australia	375,452	361,177	736,629	194,317	13,626
Tasmania	177,628	172,712	350,340	91,258	8,582
Northern Territory	16,206	10,889	27,095	5,479	179
Australian Capital Territory	30,858	27,970	58,828	13,937	797
<b>AUSTRALIA</b>	<b>5,312,254</b>	<b>5,195,935</b>	<b>10,508,189</b>	<b>2,817,075</b>	<b>194,109</b>

TABLE 2. - DENSITY AND MASCULINITY OF THE POPULATION AND DENSITY OF OCCUPIED  
DWELLINGS : STATES AND TERRITORIES OF AUSTRALIA,

CENSUS, 30TH JUNE, 1961.

(Exclusive of full-blood Aboriginals and Dwellings occupied solely by them)

State or Territory	Area		Population				Occupied Dwellings		
	Total	Prop- ortion of Aus- tralian Total	Total	Prop- ortion of Aus- tralian Total	Den- sity (a)	Mascul- inity (b)	Total	Prop- ortion of Aus- tralian Total	Den- sity (c)
	Sq.miles	%	Persons	%				%	
New South Wales	309,433	10.42	3,917,016	37.28	12.66	101.48	1,061,510	37.68	3.43
Victoria	87,884	2.96	2,930,113	27.88	33.34	101.28	790,431	28.06	8.99
Queensland	667,000	22.45	1,518,828	14.45	2.28	104.08	398,235	14.14	0.60
South Australia	380,070	12.79	969,340	9.23	2.55	102.32	261,908	9.30	0.69
Western Australia	975,920	32.85	736,629	7.01	0.76	103.95	194,317	6.90	0.20
Tasmania	26,215	0.88	350,340	3.33	13.36	102.85	91,258	3.24	3.48
Northern Territory	523,620	17.62	27,095	0.26	0.05	148.83	5,479	0.19	0.01
Australian Capital Territory	939	0.03	58,828	0.56	62.65	110.33	13,937	0.49	14.84
<b>AUSTRALIA</b>	<b>2,971,081</b>	<b>100.00</b>	<b>10,508,189</b>	<b>100.00</b>	<b>3.54</b>	<b>102.24</b>	<b>2,817,075</b>	<b>100.00</b>	<b>0.95</b>

(a) Number of persons per square mile. (b) Number of males per 100 females.  
(c) Number of occupied dwellings per square mile.

TABLE 3. - POPULATION OF THE STATES AND TERRITORIES OF AUSTRALIA

AT EACH CENSUS, 1881 TO 1961.

(Exclusive of full-blood Aborigines)

Censuses	New South Wales	Victoria	Queensland	South Australia	Western Australia	Tasmania	North-ern Territory	Austra-lian Capital Territ.	Australia
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MALES

1881(a)	(b)410,211	451,623	125,325	146,183	17,062	61,162	3,347	(c)	1,214,913
1891(d)	(b)609,666	598,222	223,779	162,241	29,807	77,560	4,560	(c)	1,705,835
1901(e)	(b)710,005	603,720	277,003	180,485	112,875	89,624	4,216	(c)	1,977,928
1911(a)	857,698	655,591	329,506	207,358	161,565	97,591	2,734	992	2,313,035
1921(f)	1,071,501	754,724	398,969	248,267	177,278	107,743	2,821	1,567	2,762,870
1933(g)	1,318,471	903,244	497,217	290,962	233,937	115,097	3,378	4,805	3,367,111
1947(g)	1,492,211	1,013,867	567,471	320,031	258,076	129,244	7,378	9,092	3,797,370
1954(g)	1,720,860	1,231,099	676,252	403,903	330,358	157,129	10,288	16,229	4,546,118
1961(g)	1,972,911	1,474,395	774,579	490,225	375,452	177,628	16,206	30,858	5,312,254

FEMALES

1881(a)	(b)339,614	409,943	88,200	130,231	12,646	54,543	104	(c)	1,035,281
1891(d)	(b)517,471	541,866	169,939	153,292	19,975	69,107	338	(c)	1,471,988
1901(e)	(b)644,841	597,350	221,126	177,861	71,249	82,851	595	(c)	1,795,873
1911(a)	789,036	659,960	276,307	201,200	120,549	93,620	576	722	2,141,970
1921(f)	1,028,870	776,556	357,003	246,893	155,454	106,037	1,046	1,005	2,672,864
1933(g)	1,282,376	917,017	450,317	289,987	204,915	112,502	1,472	4,142	3,262,728
1947(g)	1,492,627	1,040,834	538,944	326,042	244,404	127,834	3,490	7,813	3,781,988
1954(g)	1,702,669	1,221,242	642,007	393,191	309,413	151,623	6,181	14,086	4,440,412
1961(g)	1,944,105	1,455,718	744,249	479,115	361,177	172,712	10,889	27,970	5,195,935

PERSONS

1881(a)	(b)749,825	861,566	213,525	276,414	29,708	115,705	3,451	(c)	2,250,194
1891(d)	(b)1127137	1,140,088	393,718	315,533	49,782	146,667	4,898	(c)	3,177,823
1901(e)	(b)1354846	1,201,070	498,129	358,346	184,124	172,475	4,811	(c)	3,773,801
1911(a)	1,646,734	1,315,551	605,813	408,558	282,114	191,211	3,310	1,714	4,455,005
1921(f)	2,100,371	1,531,280	755,972	495,160	332,732	213,780	3,867	2,572	5,435,734
1933(g)	2,600,847	1,820,261	947,534	580,949	438,852	227,599	4,850	8,947	6,629,839
1947(g)	2,984,838	2,054,701	1,106,415	646,073	502,480	257,078	10,868	16,905	7,579,358
1954(g)	3,423,529	2,452,341	1,318,259	797,094	639,771	308,752	16,469	30,315	8,985,530
1961(g)	3,917,016	2,930,113	1,518,828	969,340	736,629	350,340	27,095	58,828	10,508,189

Masculinity of Population  
(Males per 100 Females)

3rd April, 1881	117.35	3rd April, 1911	107.99	30th June, 1947	100.41
5th April, 1891	115.89	4th April, 1921	103.37	30th June, 1954	102.38
31st March, 1901	110.14	30th June, 1933	103.20	30th June, 1961	102.24

(a) 3rd April. (b) Includes Australian Capital Territory. (c) Included with New South Wales. (d) 5th April. (e) 31st March. (f) 4th April. (g) 30th June.

TABLE 4. - POPULATION : INCREASES, 1901 TO 1961.  
(Exclusive of full-blood Aboriginals)

NUMERICAL INCREASE

State or Territory	1901-11	1911-21	1921-33	1933-47	1947-54	1954-61
MALES						
New South Wales	(a) 148,685	213,803	246,970	173,740	228,649	252,051
Victoria	51,871	99,133	148,520	110,623	217,232	243,296
Queensland	52,503	69,463	98,248	70,254	108,781	98,327
South Australia	26,873	40,909	42,695	29,069	83,872	86,322
Western Australia	48,690	15,713	56,659	24,139	72,282	45,094
Tasmania	7,967	10,152	7,354	14,147	27,885	20,499
Northern Territory	-1,482	87	557	4,000	2,910	5,918
Australian Capital Territory	(b)	575	3,238	4,287	7,137	14,622
AUSTRALIA	335,107	449,835	604,241	430,259	748,748	766,136

FEMALES

New South Wales	(a) 144,917	239,834	253,506	210,251	210,042	241,436
Victoria	62,610	116,596	140,461	123,817	180,408	234,476
Queensland	55,181	80,696	93,314	88,627	103,063	102,242
South Australia	23,339	45,693	43,094	36,055	67,149	85,924
Western Australia	49,300	34,905	49,461	39,489	65,009	51,764
Tasmania	10,769	12,417	6,465	15,332	23,789	21,089
Northern Territory	-19	470	426	2,018	2,691	4,708
Australian Capital Territory	(b)	283	3,137	3,671	6,273	13,884
AUSTRALIA	346,097	530,894	589,864	519,260	658,424	755,523

PERSONS

New South Wales	(a) 293,602	453,637	500,476	383,991	438,691	493,487
Victoria	114,481	215,729	288,981	234,440	397,640	477,772
Queensland	107,684	150,159	191,562	158,881	211,844	200,569
South Australia	50,212	86,602	85,789	65,124	151,021	172,246
Western Australia	97,990	50,618	106,120	63,628	137,291	96,858
Tasmania	18,736	22,569	13,819	29,479	51,674	41,588
Northern Territory	-1,501	557	983	6,018	5,601	10,626
Australian Capital Territory	(b)	858	6,375	7,958	13,410	28,513
AUSTRALIA	681,204	980,729	1,194,105	949,519	1,407,172	1,521,659

PERCENTAGE INCREASE

State or Territory	1901-11	1911-21	1921-33	1933-47	1947-54	1954-61
MALES						
New South Wales	(a) 20.94	24.93	23.05	13.18	15.32	14.65
Victoria	8.59	15.12	19.68	12.25	21.43	19.76
Queensland	18.95	21.08	24.63	14.13	19.17	14.54
South Australia	14.89	19.73	17.20	9.99	26.21	21.37
Western Australia	43.14	9.73	31.96	10.32	28.01	13.65
Tasmania	8.89	10.40	6.83	12.29	21.58	13.05
Northern Territory	-35.15	3.18	19.74	118.41	39.44	57.52
Australian Capital Territory	(b)	57.96	206.64	89.22	78.50	90.14
AUSTRALIA	16.94	19.45	21.87	12.78	19.72	16.85

FEMALES

New South Wales	(a) 22.47	30.40	24.64	16.40	14.07	14.18
Victoria	10.48	17.67	18.09	13.50	17.33	19.20
Queensland	24.95	29.21	26.14	19.68	19.12	15.93
South Australia	13.12	22.71	17.45	12.43	20.60	21.85
Western Australia	69.19	28.96	31.82	19.27	26.60	16.73
Tasmania	13.00	13.26	6.10	13.63	18.61	13.91
Northern Territory	-3.19	81.60	40.73	137.09	77.11	76.17
Australian Capital Territory	(b)	39.20	312.14	88.63	80.29	98.57
AUSTRALIA	19.27	24.79	22.07	15.91	17.41	17.01

PERSONS

New South Wales	(a) 21.67	27.55	23.83	14.76	14.70	14.41
Victoria	9.53	16.40	18.87	12.88	19.35	19.48
Queensland	21.62	24.79	25.34	16.77	19.15	15.21
South Australia	14.01	21.20	17.33	11.21	23.38	21.61
Western Australia	53.22	17.94	31.89	14.50	27.32	15.14
Tasmania	10.86	11.80	6.46	12.95	20.10	13.47
Northern Territory	-31.20	16.83	25.42	124.08	51.54	64.52
Australian Capital Territory	(b)	50.06	247.86	88.95	79.33	94.06
AUSTRALIA	18.05	22.01	21.97	14.32	18.57	16.93
Increase per cent. per annum	1.67	2.01	1.63	0.96	2.46	2.26

(a) Includes Australian Capital Territory. (b) Included in New South Wales.

FE. - Minus sign (-) denotes decrease.

TABLE 5. - POPULATION AND DWELLINGS IN METROPOLITAN, OTHER URBAN AND RURAL DIVISIONS OF THE STATES AND TERRITORIES OF AUSTRALIA, CENSUS, 30TH JUNE, 1961.

(Exclusive of full-blood Aboriginals and Dwellings occupied solely by them)

NOTE.- See Definitions, page 4 for explanation of Divisions.

Division	Population				Dwellings				
	Males	Females	Persons	Per- cent. of Tot. for State or Territ.	Occupied			Unoccupied	
					No.	Prop. of Tot. for State or Terr.	Inmates per occ. dwell. (a)	No.	Percent. of Total for State or Terr- itory
NEW SOUTH WALES									
Metropolitan	1,077,978	1,105,410	2,183,388	55.74	609,749	57.44	3.58	24,443	33.74
Other Urban	577,927	573,975	1,151,902	29.41	305,346	28.77	3.77	22,595	31.19
Rural	308,511	262,624	571,135	14.58	146,415	13.79	3.89	25,403	35.07
Migratory	8,495	2,096	10,591	0.27	..	..	..	..	..
TOTAL	1,972,911	1,944,105	3,917,016	100.00	1,061,510	100.00	3.68	72,441	100.00
VICTORIA									
Metropolitan	949,719	962,176	1,911,895	65.25	524,608	66.37	3.64	16,833	35.52
Other Urban	286,049	287,580	573,629	19.58	152,458	19.29	3.76	12,958	27.35
Rural	234,867	205,113	439,980	15.01	113,365	14.34	3.88	17,596	37.13
Migratory	3,760	849	4,609	0.16	..	..	..	..	..
TOTAL	1,474,395	1,455,718	2,930,113	100.00	790,431	100.00	3.70	47,387	100.00
QUEENSLAND									
Metropolitan	304,871	316,679	621,550	40.92	168,639	42.35	3.68	6,925	20.35
Other Urban	269,062	267,834	536,896	35.35	140,828	35.36	3.79	15,186	44.61
Rural	199,026	159,368	358,394	23.60	88,768	22.29	3.99	11,927	35.04
Migratory	1,620	368	1,988	0.13	..	..	..	..	..
TOTAL	774,579	744,249	1,518,828	100.00	398,235	100.00	3.79	34,038	100.00
SOUTH AUSTRALIA									
Metropolitan	289,467	298,490	587,957	60.66	163,900	62.58	3.59	5,594	32.79
Other Urban	91,240	86,140	177,380	18.30	46,189	17.64	3.84	3,267	19.15
Rural	106,315	93,750	200,065	20.64	51,819	19.78	3.85	8,198	48.06
Migratory	3,203	735	3,938	0.40	..	..	..	..	..
TOTAL	490,225	479,115	969,340	100.00	261,908	100.00	3.68	17,059	100.00
WESTERN AUSTRALIA									
Metropolitan	205,107	215,026	420,133	57.03	114,848	59.10	3.66	3,687	27.06
Other Urban	63,893	61,841	125,734	17.07	32,748	16.85	3.83	3,112	22.84
Rural	103,923	83,822	187,745	25.49	46,721	24.05	3.99	6,827	50.10
Migratory	2,529	488	3,017	0.41	..	..	..	..	..
TOTAL	375,452	361,177	736,629	100.00	194,317	100.00	3.77	13,626	100.00
TASMANIA									
Metropolitan	57,337	58,595	115,932	33.09	30,580	33.51	3.79	921	10.73
Other Urban	64,986	65,617	130,603	37.28	34,273	37.56	3.81	1,438	16.76
Rural	54,547	48,379	102,926	29.38	26,405	28.93	3.90	6,223	72.51
Migratory	758	121	879	0.25	..	..	..	..	..
TOTAL	177,628	172,712	350,340	100.00	91,258	100.00	3.83	8,582	100.00
NORTHERN TERRITORY									
Metropolitan	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other Urban (b)	9,464	7,510	16,974	62.65	3,627	66.20	4.63	86	48.04
Rural	6,507	3,350	9,857	36.38	1,852	33.80	4.83	93	51.96
Migratory	235	29	264	0.97	..	..	..	..	..
TOTAL	16,206	10,889	27,095	100.00	5,479	100.00	4.70	179	100.00
AUSTRALIAN CAPITAL TERRITORY									
Metropolitan	29,463	26,986	56,449	95.96	13,372	95.95	4.22	696	87.33
Other Urban	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Rural	1,395	984	2,379	4.04	565	4.05	4.21	101	12.67
Migratory	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
TOTAL	30,858	27,970	58,828	100.00	13,937	100.00	4.22	797	100.00
AUSTRALIA									
Metropolitan	2,913,942	2,983,362	5,897,304	56.12	1,625,696	57.71	3.63	59,099	30.45
Other Urban	1,362,621	1,350,497	2,713,118	25.82	715,469	25.40	3.78	58,642	30.21
Rural	1,015,091	857,390	1,872,481	17.82	475,910	16.89	3.91	76,368	39.34
Migratory	20,600	4,686	25,286	0.24	..	..	..	..	..
TOTAL	5,312,254	5,195,935	10,508,189	100.00	2,817,075	100.00	3.72	194,109	100.00

(a) "Inmates" excludes migratory persons and persons camping out on the night of the Census. (b) City of Darwin and town of Alice Springs.



**TABLE 6. - POPULATION IN METROPOLITAN DIVISION AND REST OF EACH STATE AND TERRITORY, CENSUSES, 1954 AND 1961.**

(Exclusive of full-blood Aboriginals)

NOTE. - Adjustments have been made to the 1954 Census figures for the Metropolitan Divisions of Victoria, Queensland and Tasmania in order to provide approximate comparisons on the 1961 Census basis. See Definitions, page 4.

Particulars	Census, 30th June, 1954				Census, 30th June, 1961			
	Males	Females	Persons	Percent. of Total for State or Territ.	Males	Females	Persons	Percent. of Total for State or Territ.
<b>NEW SOUTH WALES</b>								
Metropolitan Division	909,978	953,183	1,863,161	54.42	1,077,978	1,105,410	2,183,388	55.74
Rest of State (a)	810,882	749,486	1,560,368	45.58	894,933	838,695	1,733,628	44.26
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>1,720,860</b>	<b>1,702,669</b>	<b>3,423,529</b>	<b>100.00</b>	<b>1,972,911</b>	<b>1,944,105</b>	<b>3,917,016</b>	<b>100.00</b>
<b>VICTORIA</b>								
Metropolitan Division	(b)751,696	(b)780,465	(b)1532161	62.48	949,719	962,176	1,911,895	65.25
Rest of State (a)	(b)479,403	(b)440,777	(b)920180	37.52	524,676	493,542	1,018,218	34.75
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>1,231,099</b>	<b>1,221,242</b>	<b>2,452,341</b>	<b>100.00</b>	<b>1,474,395</b>	<b>1,455,718</b>	<b>2,930,113</b>	<b>100.00</b>
<b>QUEENSLAND</b>								
Metropolitan Division	(b)253,522	(b)266520	(b)520042	39.45	304,871	316,679	621,550	40.92
Rest of State (a)	(b)422,730	(b)375487	(b)798217	60.55	469,708	427,570	897,278	59.08
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>676,252</b>	<b>642,007</b>	<b>1,318,259</b>	<b>100.00</b>	<b>774,579</b>	<b>744,249</b>	<b>1,518,828</b>	<b>100.00</b>
<b>SOUTH AUSTRALIA</b>								
Metropolitan Division	237,651	245,857	483,508	60.66	289,467	298,490	587,957	60.66
Rest of State (a)	166,252	147,334	313,586	39.34	200,758	180,625	381,383	39.34
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>403,903</b>	<b>393,191</b>	<b>797,094</b>	<b>100.00</b>	<b>490,225</b>	<b>479,115</b>	<b>969,340</b>	<b>100.00</b>
<b>WESTERN AUSTRALIA</b>								
Metropolitan Division	171,832	176,815	348,647	54.50	205,107	215,026	420,133	57.03
Rest of State (a)	158,526	132,598	291,124	45.50	170,345	146,151	316,496	42.97
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>330,358</b>	<b>309,413</b>	<b>639,771</b>	<b>100.00</b>	<b>375,452</b>	<b>361,177</b>	<b>736,629</b>	<b>100.00</b>
<b>TASMANIA</b>								
Metropolitan Division	(b) 46,658	(b)48,767	(b)95,425	30.91	57,337	58,595	115,932	33.09
Rest of State (a)	(b)110,471	(b)102856	(b)213327	69.09	120,291	114,117	234,408	66.91
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>157,129</b>	<b>151,623</b>	<b>308,752</b>	<b>100.00</b>	<b>177,628</b>	<b>172,712</b>	<b>350,340</b>	<b>100.00</b>
<b>NORTHERN TERRITORY</b>								
Metropolitan Division	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Rest of Territory (a)	10,288	6,181	16,469	100.00	16,206	10,889	27,095	100.00
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>10,288</b>	<b>6,181</b>	<b>16,469</b>	<b>100.00</b>	<b>16,206</b>	<b>10,889</b>	<b>27,095</b>	<b>100.00</b>
<b>AUSTRALIAN CAPITAL TERRITORY</b>								
Metropolitan Division	15,076	13,201	28,277	93.28	29,463	26,986	56,449	95.96
Rest of Territory	1,153	885	2,038	6.72	1,395	984	2,379	4.04
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>16,229</b>	<b>14,086</b>	<b>30,315</b>	<b>100.00</b>	<b>30,858</b>	<b>27,970</b>	<b>58,828</b>	<b>100.00</b>
<b>AUSTRALIA</b>								
Metropolitan Divisions	2,386,413	2,484,808	4,871,221	54.21	2,913,942	2,983,362	5,897,304	56.12
Rest of States and Territories (a)	2,159,705	1,955,604	4,115,309	45.79	2,398,312	2,212,573	4,610,885	43.88
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>4,546,118</b>	<b>4,440,412</b>	<b>8,986,530</b>	<b>100.00</b>	<b>5,312,254</b>	<b>5,195,935</b>	<b>10,508,189</b>	<b>100.00</b>

(a) Includes Migratory population. (b) Approximate. See Note above.

TABLE 7. - DWELLINGS IN METROPOLITAN DIVISION AND REST OF EACH STATE AND TERRITORY, CENSUSES, 1954 AND 1961.

(Exclusive of Dwellings occupied solely by full-blood Aboriginals)

NOTE. - Adjustments have been made to the 1954 Census figures for the Metropolitan Divisions of Victoria, Queensland and Tasmania in order to provide approximate comparisons on the 1961 Census basis. See Definitions, page 4.

Particulars	Census, 30th June, 1954					Census, 30th June, 1961				
	Occupied			Unoccupied		Occupied			Unoccupied	
	No.	Percent. of Total for State or Terr.	Inmates per Occup. Dwell. (a)	No.	Percent. of Tot. for State or Terr.	No.	Percent. of Total for State or Terr.	Inmates per Occ. Dwell. (a)	No.	Percent. of Total for State or Territory
<b>NEW SOUTH WALES</b>										
Metropolitan Division	517,008	56.63	3.60	14,222	33.20	609,749	57.44	3.58	24,443	33.74
Rest of State	395,869	43.37	3.91	28,609	66.80	451,761	42.56	3.81	47,998	66.26
TOTAL	912,877	100.00	3.73	42,831	100.00	1,061,510	100.00	3.68	72,441	100.00
<b>VICTORIA</b>										
Metropolitan Division	(b)424,548	64.26	3.61	(b)9,494	34.53	524,608	66.37	3.64	16,833	35.52
Rest of State	(b)236,142	35.74	3.85	(b)17,997	65.47	265,823	33.63	3.81	30,554	64.48
TOTAL	660,690	100.00	3.69	27,491	100.00	790,431	100.00	3.70	47,387	100.00
<b>QUEENSLAND</b>										
Metropolitan Division	(b)138,220	40.73	3.76	(b)51,175	24.10	168,639	42.35	3.68	6,925	20.35
Rest of State	(b)201,108	59.27	3.92	(b)162,988	75.90	229,596	57.65	3.87	27,113	79.65
TOTAL	339,328	100.00	3.86	21,473	100.00	398,235	100.00	3.79	34,038	100.00
<b>SOUTH AUSTRALIA</b>										
Metropolitan Division	134,103	62.29	3.60	2,948	34.58	163,900	62.58	3.59	5,594	32.79
Rest of State	81,198	37.71	3.81	5,576	65.42	98,008	37.42	3.84	11,465	67.21
TOTAL	215,301	100.00	3.68	8,524	100.00	261,908	100.00	3.68	17,059	100.00
<b>WESTERN AUSTRALIA</b>										
Metropolitan Division	90,741	55.73	3.83	1,839	27.80	114,848	59.10	3.66	3,687	27.06
Rest of State	72,082	44.27	3.97	4,775	72.20	79,469	40.90	3.93	9,939	72.94
TOTAL	162,823	100.00	3.89	6,614	100.00	194,317	100.00	3.77	13,626	100.00
<b>TASMANIA</b>										
Metropolitan Division	(b)24,535	31.14	3.88	(b)612	11.57	30,580	33.51	3.79	921	10.73
Rest of State	(b)54,254	68.86	3.91	(b)4,676	88.43	60,678	66.49	3.85	7,661	89.27
TOTAL	78,789	100.00	3.90	5,288	100.00	91,258	100.00	3.83	8,582	100.00
<b>NORTHERN TERRITORY</b>										
Metropolitan Division	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Rest of Territory	3,427	100.00	4.57	47	100.00	5,479	100.00	4.70	179	100.00
TOTAL	3,427	100.00	4.57	47	100.00	5,479	100.00	4.70	179	100.00
<b>AUSTRALIAN CAPITAL TERRITORY</b>										
Metropolitan Division	6,574	92.36	4.29	220	67.48	13,372	95.95	4.22	696	87.33
Rest of Territory	544	7.64	3.74	106	32.52	565	4.05	4.21	101	12.67
TOTAL	7,118	100.00	4.25	326	100.00	13,937	100.00	4.22	797	100.00
<b>AUSTRALIA</b>										
Metropolitan Divisions	1,335,729	56.11	3.64	34,510	30.65	1,625,696	57.71	3.63	59,099	30.45
Rest of States and Territories	1,044,624	43.89	3.90	78,084	69.35	1,191,379	42.29	3.84	135,010	69.55
TOTAL	2,380,353	100.00	3.75	112,594	100.00	2,817,075	100.00	3.72	194,109	100.00

(a) "Inmates" excludes migratory persons and persons camping out on the night of the Census. Occupied dwellings excludes tents, caravans, etc. occupied by campers out.

(b) Approximate. See Note above.

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