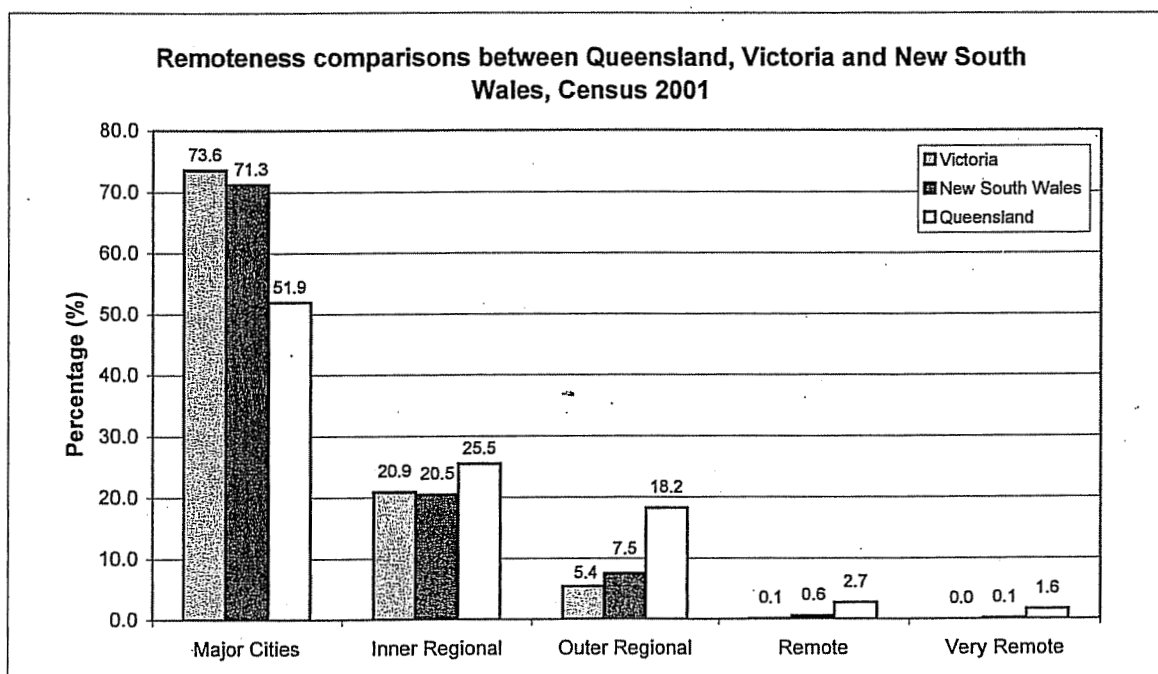


2001 Census of Housing and Population: Comparison of Remoteness Areas for Selected Australian States
Source: CDATA2001, Australian Bureau of Statistics

Remoteness Areas	Number			Percentage (%)		
	Victoria	New South Wales	Queensland	Victoria	New South Wales	Queensland
Major Cities	3,418,568	4,540,445	1,896,897	73.6	71.3	51.9
Inner Regional	969,661	1,305,955	930,646	20.9	20.5	25.5
Outer Regional	250,173	476,935	666,655	5.4	7.5	18.2
Remote	5,801	38,426	99,480	0.1	0.6	2.7
Very Remote	-	8,383	59,571	0.0	0.1	1.6
Migratory	756	1,595	1,880	0.0	0.0	0.1
Total	4,644,959	6,371,739	3,655,129	100.0	100.0	100.0



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Main Features

Preliminary estimated resident population at June 2004

Queensland	3,882,037
Percentage share of Australia	19.3%
Australia	20,111,297

Population growth, states and territories, 12 months to June 2004

Queensland	↑ 2.1%
Western Australia	↑ 1.7%
Victoria	↑ 1.2%
Tasmania	↑ 1.0%
New South Wales	↑ 0.7%
Northern Territory	↑ 0.7%
South Australia	↑ 0.5%
Australian Capital Territory	↑ 0.2%
Australia	↑ 1.2%

Capital city statistical division share of state population at June 2004

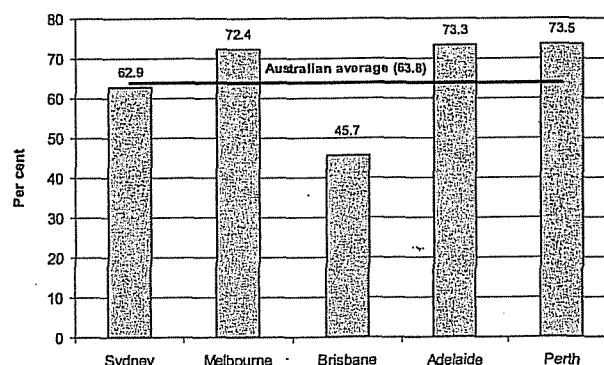
Hobart	41.9%
Brisbane	45.7%
Sydney	62.9%
Melbourne	72.4%
Adelaide	73.3%
Perth	73.5%
Australia	63.8%

Commentary

- Queensland's estimated resident population at 30 June 2004 was 3,882,037 persons. Queensland's population as a proportion of the national population increased from 18.5% in June 1999 to 19.3% in June 2004.
- Queensland's population increased by 80,998 persons during the twelve months to June 2004. The rate of growth (2.1%) was the fastest within Australia, followed by Western Australia (1.7%) and Victoria (1.2%).
- There are 158 local government areas in Queensland, 32 of which are Aboriginal Councils and Island Councils. While population data for the Indigenous Councils were published for June 2002, figures for 2003 and 2004 have not been published. Of the remaining 126 local government areas, more than two-thirds experienced population growth or had a constant population in the year ended June 2004. Of the 41 local government areas that recorded a decline in population, 30 of these lost 30 persons or fewer, with 14 losing fewer than 10 persons during the year.

- Queensland is the most decentralised state in mainland Australia (Figure 1). In June 2004, only 45.7% of Queensland's population resided in Brisbane Statistical Division (SD). This compared with 72.4% of persons in Victoria residing in Melbourne SD and 62.9% of persons in New South Wales residing in Sydney SD.

Figure 1: Capital city statistical division population as a proportion of State, June 2004



- Brisbane SD (2.3%) recorded the highest population increase of all the capital city SDs during 2003-04, followed by Perth SD (1.8%) and Melbourne and Darwin SDs (both 1.3%).
- Of the local government areas in Queensland, the largest population increases over the year to June 2004 occurred in Brisbane City (17,568 persons), Gold Coast City (13,228 persons) and Caboolture Shire (5,458 persons) (Table 1). Brisbane City and Gold Coast City were ranked first and second in Australia in terms of population increase.

Table 1: Top ten population increases by local government area, Queensland, year ending June 2004

Qld ranking	Aust ranking	Local government area	Increase (number)
1	1	Brisbane City	17,568
2	2	Gold Coast City	13,228
3	7	Caboolture Shire	5,458
4	9	Pine Rivers Shire	5,297
5	11	Maroochy Shire	4,452
6	15	Ipswich City	3,683
7	16	Caloundra City	3,470
8	21	Redland Shire	2,953
9	22	Cairns City	2,804
10	25	Hervey Bay City	2,639



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NOTES

ABOUT THIS PUBLICATION

For Australia, this publication contains estimates of the resident population of Statistical Local Areas (SLAs), Local Government Areas (LGAs), Statistical Subdivisions (SSDs), Statistical Divisions (SDs), Statistical Districts and states and territories at June 1999, 2003 and 2004, according to the 2004 edition of the Australian Standard Geographical Classification (ASGC). Growth rates for these areas are also provided. Estimates for 1999 are final estimates, based on results of the 2001 Census of Population and Housing, while estimates for 2003 are revised and estimates for 2004 are preliminary.

For New Zealand, this publication contains final estimates of the resident population of Regional Councils and Territorial Authorities at June 1999 and preliminary estimates for 2003 and 2004, based on results of the New Zealand 2001 Census of Population and Dwellings. Growth rates for these areas are also provided.

CHANGES IN THIS ISSUE

In previous issues analysis of small area population change (in percentage terms) and rankings of growth in Tables 1 to 7 have excluded SLAs and LGAs with populations smaller than 1,000 people. Due to the inherent imprecision of small area population estimates, in this issue areas with populations of less than 2,000 people have been excluded from analysis and rankings according to percentage growth/decrease.

ROUNDING

In commentary based on statistics in this publication, it is recommended that the relevant statistics be rounded. Small area population estimates are the result of mathematical modelling and are subject to error. While unrounded figures are provided in tables, accuracy to the last digit is not claimed and should not be assumed. No reliance should be placed on statistics with small values.

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SYMBOLS AND ABBREVIATIONS

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A	Area
ABS	Australian Bureau of Statistics
AC	Aboriginal Council
ACT	Australian Capital Territory
ASGC	Australian Standard Geographical Classification
Aust.	Australia
B	Borough
Bal	Balance
BSB	Brisbane Statistical Division
C	City
CD	Collection District
CGC	Community Government Council
C.	Central
C'maine	Castlemaine
DC	District Council
E.	East
ERP	estimated resident population
excl.	excluding
Gr.	Greater
IC	Island Council
incl.	including
Is.	Island
km ²	square kilometre
LGA	Local Government Area
M	Municipality
M. Downs	Murrumbidgee Downs
M'borough	Maryborough
Mt	Mount
Mt C'tha	Mount Coot-tha
N.	North
no.	number
Norw. P'ham St Ptrs	Norwood, Payneham and St Peters
NSW	New South Wales
NT	Northern Territory
p	preliminary
Pt	Part
Port Pirie C, Dists	Port Pirie City and Districts
P'sula	Peninsula
Qld	Queensland
r	revised
RC	Rural City
RegC	Regional Council
Res.	Reservoir
S	Shire
SA	South Australia
S'bank-D'lans	Southbank Docklands

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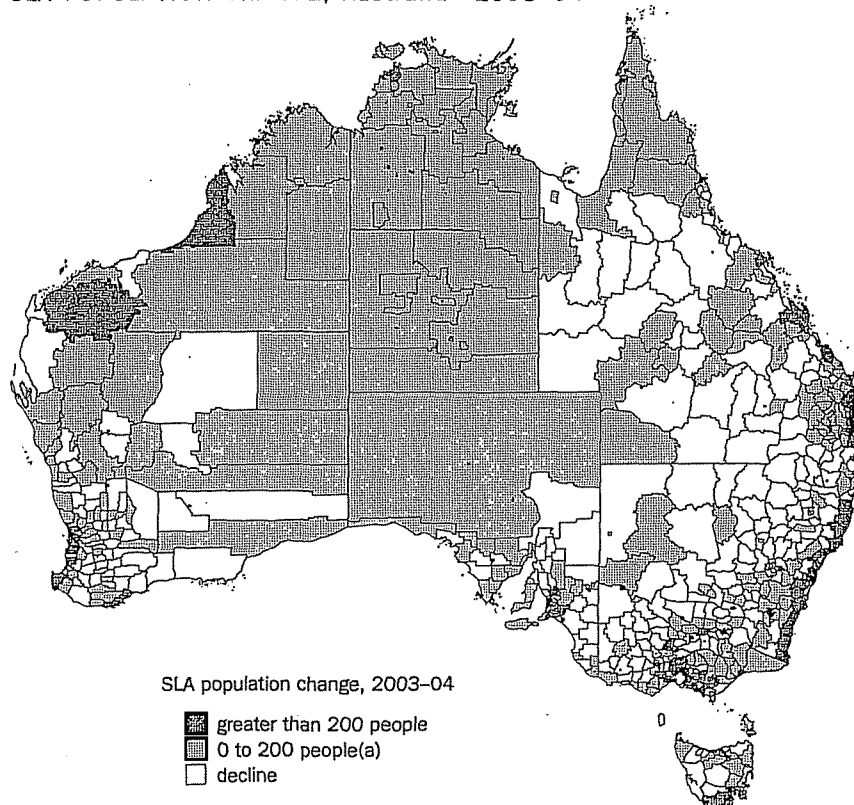
S C'st	Sunshine Coast
SD	Statistical Division
SLA	Statistical Local Area
S'saye	Strathfieldsaye
SSD	Statistical Subdivision
T	Town
Tas.	Tasmania
Unincorp.	Unincorporated
Vic.	Victoria
WA	Western Australia
Wtrs	Waters
..	not applicable
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MAIN FEATURES

POPULATION CHANGE

- Australia's estimated resident population (ERP) at June 2004 was 20.1 million, an increase of 238,700 people compared with June 2003. This represents an annual growth rate of 1.2%, the same as the average annual growth rate for the five years to June 2004.
- All states and territories experienced population growth in 2003–04, with the largest increases occurring in Queensland (up 81,000 people), Victoria (up 61,400 people) and New South Wales (up 49,200 people).
- Queensland and Western Australia were the only two states to record annual growth rates greater than Australia overall in 2003–04. Queensland's population increased by 2.1% while Western Australia's increased by 1.7%.
- Victoria's growth rate for 2003–04 of 1.2% was the same as Australia overall. The remaining states and territories recorded lower annual growth rates than Australia, with the population of Tasmania increasing by 1.0%, New South Wales and the Northern Territory each increasing by 0.7%, South Australia by 0.5%, and the Australian Capital Territory by 0.2%.

SLA POPULATION CHANGE, Australia—2003–04



(a) Includes Queensland Aboriginal and Island Councils and Northern Territory Community Government Councils. See paragraphs 16 to 25 of the Explanatory Notes for more information.

MAIN FEATURES *continued*

ACCURACY OF POPULATION ESTIMATES

- It is important to recognise that sub-state/territory population estimates in this publication are produced using mathematical models and are subject to error. Caution should be exercised when using the estimates, especially for areas with very small populations. For more information see paragraphs 7 to 12 of the Explanatory Notes.

CAPITAL CITY GROWTH

- At June 2004 capital city Statistical Divisions (SDs) were home to 12.8 million people, around two-thirds (64%) of Australia's population. The combined population of capital city SDs increased by 153,700 people in 2003–04, accounting for 64% of Australia's growth for the year.
- Melbourne SD recorded the largest growth of capital cities in 2003–04, increasing 44,800 people, followed by Brisbane SD (up 39,700 people) and Sydney SD (up 33,500 people).
- Brisbane SD was the fastest growing capital city in Australia in 2003–04, increasing by 2.3%, followed by Perth SD (up 1.8%) and the Melbourne and Darwin SDs (each up 1.3%).
- Population growth in the Sydney SD in 2003–04 equated to an average increase of 640 people per week. Other large capital cities such as Melbourne increased at an average of 860 people per week, Brisbane 760 per week and Perth 500 per week.

Outer suburban growth

- Large increases in population continue to occur in many outer Local Government Areas (LGAs) of capital city SDs. In Sydney SD, the LGAs of Blacktown (C), Baulkham Hills (A), and Liverpool (C) experienced large growth (up 5,500, 3,500 and 2,300 people respectively), while in Melbourne SD the fringe LGAs of Casey (C), Wyndham (C) and Melton (S) increased by 8,700, 8,400 and 5,900 people respectively.
- Outer suburban areas in the smaller capital cities also experienced significant growth, such as occurred in the Brisbane Statistical Local Areas (SLAs) of Parkinson-Drewvale and Doolandella-Forest Lake. In South Australia the outer suburban LGA of Salisbury (C) recorded the largest population increase in the state, while in Perth the LGAs of Wanneroo (C), Rockingham (C), Gosnells (C) and Cockburn (C) experienced large growth. Kingborough (M), to the south of Hobart, recorded the second largest increase in population of Tasmanian LGAs, while Palmerston (C), on the outskirts of Darwin, recorded the second largest growth of any Northern Territory LGA. Of SLAs in the Australian Capital Territory, Gungahlin-Hall - SSD Bal and Amaroo, on the northern fringe of Canberra, and Dunlop, to the north-west, experienced the largest growth.

Inner city growth

- Many of Australia's inner city areas experienced high levels of growth during 2003–04. Perth (C) recorded the fastest growth rate of all LGAs in Australia, with a 12.1% increase, while the population of the adjacent LGA of Subiaco (C) increased by 3.6%. Melbourne (C) recorded an annual growth rate of 6.4%, the population of Adelaide (C) increased by 4.6%, and Sydney (C) increased by 3.6%. Elsewhere in Australia, other inner city areas to experience high levels of growth were the Brisbane SLAs of City - Remainder, City - Inner, South Brisbane and Newstead, the Darwin SLA of Stuart Park, and the Canberra SLAs of Turner and Braddon.

MAIN FEATURES *continued*

GROWTH ALONG THE COAST

- Generally, the largest growth outside capital city SDs occurred in coastal Australia. Gold Coast (C) in Queensland recorded the second largest increase in population of all LGAs in Australia during 2003–04 (up 13,200 people), behind Brisbane which increased by 17,600 people, while strong growth continued in many other Queensland coastal areas such as Pine Rivers (S), Maroochy (S) and Caloundra (C).
- In New South Wales, increases in population were recorded in most coastal LGAs outside the Sydney SD, with the largest occurring in Tweed (A), Newcastle (C) and Hastings (A), while the Victorian LGA of Bass Coast (S) continued to experience strong growth in 2003–04. In South Australia, the populations of Alexandrina (DC) and Victor Harbor (C) continued to grow, and in Western Australia the coastal LGAs of Mandurah (C), Busselton (S), Capel (S) and Augusta-Margaret River (S) experienced continuing strong growth.

GROWTH IN REGIONAL CENTRES

- Various regional centres throughout Australia continued to gain population during 2003–04, such as the New South Wales LGAs of Maitland (C) and Greater Queanbeyan (C), the statistical district of Albury-Wodonga on the New South Wales/Victorian border, the Victorian LGAs of Greater Geelong (C), Greater Bendigo (C) and Ballarat (C), and the Queensland LGA of Toowoomba (C). A number of coastal regional centres, such as Cairns (C) and Townsville (C) in Queensland and Port Lincoln (C) in South Australia, also experienced growth in 2003–04.

SMALL AREA POPULATION DECLINES

- The largest decline in population in 2003–04 occurred in the Melbourne LGA of Banyule (C), which decreased by 680 people, followed by the Sydney LGA of Fairfield (C) which decreased by 650 people. Hobsons Bay (C) in Melbourne and Penrith (C) in Sydney recorded the third and fourth largest decreases in population, down 560 and 550 people respectively.
- Of LGAs with populations greater than 2,000 people at June 2003, all of the twenty fastest decreasing LGAs in Australia in 2003–04 were located in state and territory balances (that is, those areas outside the capital city SDs), and all of the seven fastest decreasing LGAs were located in the balance of Western Australia. The population of Coolgardie (S) recorded the highest rate of population decline in 2003–04, decreasing by 6.8%, followed by Merredin (S) (down 4.7%) and Carnarvon (S) and Katanning (S) (each down 4.1%).

POPULATION CHANGE AUSTRALIA

NATIONAL GROWTH

Australia's estimated resident population at June 2004 was 20.1 million, an increase of 238,700 people compared with June 2003. This represents an annual growth rate of 1.2%, the same as the average annual growth rate of 1.2% over the five years to June 2004.

Natural increase (the excess of births over deaths) contributed 121,000 people to Australia's population in 2003–04, while net overseas migration contributed 117,600 people.

QUEENSLAND RECORDS FASTEST AND LARGEST POPULATION GROWTH

Queensland recorded the largest population growth of the states and territories in 2003–04, with an increase of 81,000 people. This resulted from net interstate migration of 36,700 people (the largest of the states and territories), net overseas migration of 19,700 people, and natural increase of 24,600 people.

Queensland's annual growth rate of 2.1% was also the fastest increase, in percentage terms, of the states and territories.

South-east Queensland (comprising the Brisbane and Moreton SDs) increased by 61,900 people in 2003–04, accounting for 76% of Queensland's total population growth. This equates to an average increase of just under 1,200 people per week.

GROWTH IN NEW SOUTH WALES AND VICTORIA

New South Wales experienced the third largest population increase during 2003–04, up 49,200 people (or 0.7%). Natural increase added 40,400 people to NSW's population and overseas migration added 39,300 people, while 30,400 people were lost to the remaining states and territories due to interstate migration.

The population of Victoria increased by 61,400 people in 2003–04, the second largest increase of the states and territories. This corresponds to a growth rate of 1.2% for the year, the same as Australia overall.

Victoria's natural increase (29,100 people) in 2003–04 was the highest recorded for Victoria since 1994–95, while net interstate migration was negative (losing 2,300 people to the rest of Australia) for the first time since 1997–98. Net overseas migration in 2003–04 contributed 34,600 people to Victoria's population.

POPULATION GROWTH IN THE SMALLER STATES AND TERRITORIES

Western Australia recorded the second fastest population growth of the states and territories in 2003–04, increasing by 1.7% (32,300 people). Net overseas migration contributed 17,100 people to WA's population and natural increase 13,800 people, while net interstate migration added 1,300 people. This was the first year since 1998–99 in which WA's net interstate migration level was positive; that is, more people moved interstate to WA than left WA for other states and territories of Australia.

South Australia's population increased by 7,900 people (0.5%) in 2003–04, with natural increase adding 5,700 people, net overseas migration adding 5,500 people, and net interstate migration removing 3,200 people.

Tasmania's population increased by 1.0% (4,800 people) during 2003–04, compared with an average annual rate of increase of 0.4% for the period 1999 to 2004. This high rate of growth was largely due to recent positive levels of net interstate migration, which added 1,900 people in 2002–03 and 2,500 people in 2003–04 to Tasmania's population, after 11 consecutive years of net interstate migration losses.

POPULATION CHANGE AUSTRALIA *continued*

POPULATION GROWTH IN THE SMALLER STATES AND TERRITORIES *continued*

The Northern Territory's population increased by 1,400 people (or 0.7%) in 2003–04. Natural increase remained the main component of growth, adding 2,900 people to the population, while overseas migration added a smaller amount (610 people). The Northern Territory lost 2,100 people through interstate migration.

The population of the Australian Capital Territory (ACT) increased by 0.2% (660 people) in 2003–04, the smallest growth rate of the states and territories. Natural increase added 2,800 people to the ACT, net overseas migration added 220 people, and net interstate migration removed 2,400 people.

CAPITAL CITY AND STATE BALANCE POPULATION CHANGE

Capital city SDs were home to 12.8 million people at June 2004, making up approximately two-thirds (64%) of Australia's population. This was the same proportion as in 1999. The combined population of all capital city SDs increased by 153,700 people in 2003–04, accounting for 64% of Australia's growth for the year.

The combined population of the state balances (those areas outside capital city SDs) was 7.3 million people, making up 36% of Australia's population, and increased by 85,000 people in 2003–04.

The combined populations of capital city SDs and state balances increased at the same rate as each other in 2003–04 (each up 1.2%). In percentage terms, capital city growth was higher than state balance growth in all states and territories with the exception of South Australia and the ACT.

The largest growth among capital cities in 2003–04 occurred in the Melbourne SD (up 44,800 people), followed by Brisbane SD (up 39,700 people) and Sydney SD (up 33,500 people). The population of the balance of Queensland increased by 41,300 people, with most of the growth occurring within one statistical region in the south-eastern corner of Queensland. Brisbane SD was the fastest growing capital city in Australia in 2003–04, increasing by 2.3%, followed by the Perth SD (1.8%).

POPULATION DENSITY

Australia's population density at June 2004 was 2.6 people per square kilometre, compared with 2.5 people per square kilometre in 1999. The ACT had the highest population density of the states and territories at June 2004 with 138 people per square kilometre, followed by Victoria with 22 people per square kilometre. The Northern Territory had a population density of only 0.1 people per square kilometre, the lowest of the states and territories.

Population density at June 2004 was highest in the city centres, particularly in the Sydney SD, where the three most densely populated SLAs in Australia are located. These were Sydney (C) - Central (with 8,300 people per square kilometre), Waverley (A) (6,700 people per square kilometre) and North Sydney (5,800 people per square kilometre). Fourth on the list, and the most densely populated SLA in Victoria, was Port Phillip (C) - St. Kilda, with 5,600 people per square kilometre. Fifth, and the most densely population area in Queensland, was the SLA of New Farm in inner Brisbane, with 5,400 people per square kilometre. At the other extreme, there were over 250 SLAs in Australia with less than 1 person per square kilometre.

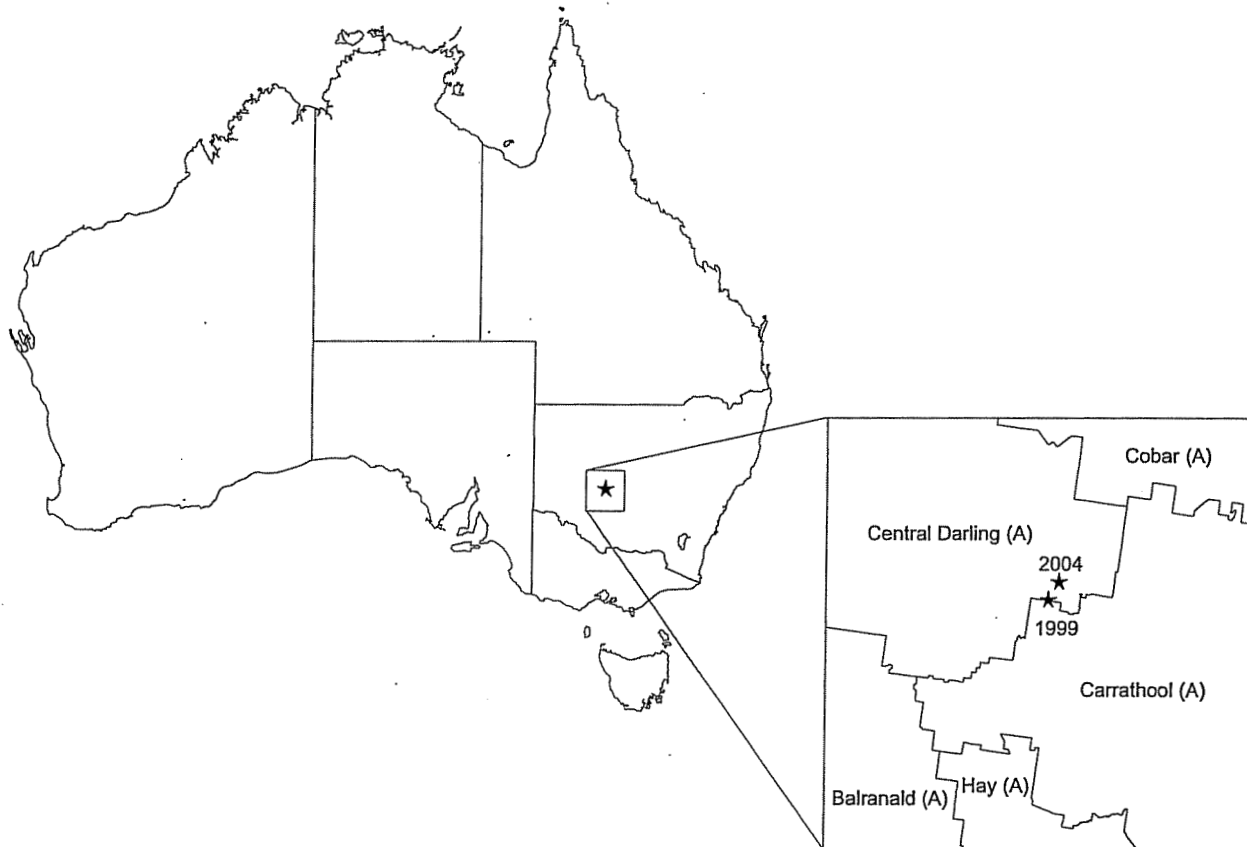
POPULATION CHANGE AUSTRALIA *continued*

CENTRE OF POPULATION

The centre of population is one measure to describe the spatial distribution of the population. This point marks the average latitude and longitude around which the population is distributed. The inherent imprecision in small area population estimates, and the use of SLA 'centroids', means the centre of population provides only an indication of the distribution of the population, and cannot with any certainty be ascribed to an exact location. See paragraphs 36 and 37 of the Explanatory Notes for more detail.

At June 2004 the centre of Australia's population was located around 55 kilometres east of the town of Ivanhoe in the LGA of Central Darling (A), reflecting the concentration of the population in the south-east of Australia, particularly in Sydney and Melbourne. Between June 1999 and June 2004 the centre of population has moved around 7 kilometres north-eastward, as a result of population growth in northern Australia.

CENTRE OF POPULATION, Australia—June 1999 and June 2004



POPULATION CHANGE AUSTRALIA *continued*

ESTIMATED RESIDENT POPULATION, States and territories—Capital city and balance of state/territory

	ERP AT 30 JUNE			CHANGE		
	1999	2003 ^r	2004 ^p	1999-2004 ^p (a)	2003-2004 ^p	
Part of state/territory	no.	no.	no.	%	no.	%
New South Wales						
Sydney SD	4 019 954	4 198 543	4 232 078	1.0	33 535	0.8
Balance of state	2 391 416	2 483 510	2 499 217	0.9	15 707	0.6
Total	6 411 370	6 682 053	6 731 295	1.0	49 242	0.7
Victoria						
Melbourne SD	3 379 714	3 555 321	3 600 080	1.3	44 759	1.3
Balance of state	1 306 688	1 356 104	1 372 699	1.0	16 595	1.2
Total	4 686 402	4 911 425	4 972 779	1.2	61 354	1.2
Queensland						
Brisbane SD	1 592 280	1 735 181	1 774 890	2.2	39 709	2.3
Balance of state	1 909 141	2 065 858	2 107 147	2.0	41 289	2.0
Total	3 501 421	3 801 039	3 882 037	2.1	80 998	2.1
South Australia						
Adelaide SD	1 096 934	1 119 097	1 124 315	0.5	5 218	0.5
Balance of state	400 885	407 204	409 935	0.4	2 731	0.7
Total	1 497 819	1 526 301	1 534 250	0.5	7 949	0.5
Western Australia						
Perth SD	1 355 373	1 431 498	1 457 639	1.5	26 141	1.8
Balance of state	494 360	518 450	524 565	1.2	6 115	1.2
Total	1 849 733	1 949 948	1 982 204	1.4	32 256	1.7
Tasmania						
Hobart SD	196 011	199 926	202 138	0.6	2 212	1.1
Balance of state	275 419	277 379	279 990	0.3	2 611	0.9
Total	471 430	477 305	482 128	0.4	4 823	1.0
Northern Territory						
Darwin SD	103 064	108 039	109 478	1.2	1 439	1.3
Balance of state	89 671	90 505	90 435	0.2	-70	-0.1
Total	192 735	198 544	199 913	0.7	1 369	0.7
Australian Capital Territory						
Canberra SD	311 967	323 004	323 645	0.7	641	0.2
Balance of state	359	359	376	0.9	17	4.7
Total	312 326	323 363	324 021	0.7	658	0.2
Other Territories	2 619	2 668	2 670	0.4	2	0.1
Australia						
Capital city SDs	12 055 297	12 670 609	12 824 263	1.2	153 654	1.2
Balance of Australia (b)	6 870 558	7 202 037	7 287 034	1.2	84 997	1.2
Total	18 925 855	19 872 646	20 111 297	1.2	238 651	1.2

(a) Average annual growth rate.

(b) Includes Other Territories.

POPULATION CHANGE AUSTRALIA *continued*

LOCAL GOVERNMENT AREAS WITH LARGEST POPULATION CHANGES

		ERP AT 30 JUNE			CHANGE		
National rank and LGA (a)	Part of state/territory	1999	2003	2004	1999-2004 (a)	2003-2004	
		no.	no.	no.	%	no.	%
LARGEST INCREASES IN 2003-2004							
1 Brisbane (C)	Brisbane	864 273	939 442	957 010	2.1	17 568	1.9
2 Gold Coast (C)	Qld Balance	394 675	455 986	469 214	3.5	13 228	2.9
3 Casey (C)	Melbourne	166 132	201 668	210 389	4.8	8 721	4.3
4 Wyndham (C)	Melbourne	82 069	99 490	107 868	5.6	8 378	8.4
5 Wanneroo (C)	Perth	76 436	93 705	100 432	5.6	6 727	7.2
6 Melton (S)	Melbourne	44 732	65 427	71 350	9.8	5 923	9.1
7 Caboolture (S)	Brisbane/Qld Balance	110 493	121 271	126 729	2.8	5 458	4.5
8 Blacktown (C)	Sydney	255 176	273 077	278 532	1.8	5 455	2.0
9 Pine Rivers (S)	Brisbane	115 456	133 931	139 228	3.8	5 297	4.0
10 Sydney (C)	Sydney	122 337	141 237	146 297	3.6	5 060	3.6
11 Maroochy (S)	Qld Balance	119 494	136 617	141 069	3.4	4 452	3.3
12 Mandurah (C)	WA Balance	45 045	54 291	58 587	5.4	4 296	7.9
13 Hume (C)	Melbourne	128 415	144 138	148 195	2.9	4 057	2.8
14 Melbourne (C)	Melbourne	44 874	57 960	61 670	6.6	3 710	6.4
15 Ipswich (C)	Brisbane/Qld Balance	124 552	131 896	135 579	1.7	3 683	2.8
16 Caloundra (C)	Qld Balance	71 942	82 998	86 468	3.7	3 470	4.2
17 Baulkham Hills (A)	Sydney	134 443	154 388	157 854	3.3	3 466	2.2
18 Cardinia (S)	Melbourne	44 974	51 228	54 543	3.9	3 315	6.5
19 Rockingham (C)	Perth	69 712	78 608	81 847	3.3	3 239	4.1
20 Whittlesea (C)	Melbourne	113 036	123 247	126 297	2.2	3 050	2.5
LARGEST DECLINES IN 2003-2004							
1 Banyule (C)	Melbourne	118 714	118 005	117 323	-0.2	-682	-0.6
2 Fairfield (C)	Sydney	187 881	188 329	187 683	—	-646	-0.3
3 Hobsons Bay (C)	Melbourne	81 755	83 756	83 199	0.4	-557	-0.7
4 Penrith (C)	Sydney	173 327	178 107	177 554	0.5	-553	-0.3
5 Campbelltown (C)	Sydney	149 339	150 483	149 961	0.1	-522	-0.3
6 Port Hedland (T)	WA Balance	13 134	12 976	12 487	-1.0	-489	-3.8
7 Canterbury (C)	Sydney	137 503	135 477	135 048	-0.4	-429	-0.3
8 Geraldton (C)	WA Balance	19 945	19 461	19 051	-0.9	-410	-2.1
9 Blue Mountains (C)	Sydney	76 171	77 415	77 011	0.2	-404	-0.5
10 Whitehorse (C)	Melbourne	146 275	145 278	144 935	-0.2	-343	-0.2
11 Coolgardie (S)	WA Balance	4 696	4 156	3 875	-3.8	-281	-6.8
12 Carnarvon (S)	WA Balance	6 520	6 614	6 340	-0.6	-274	-4.1
13 Moonee Valley (C)	Melbourne	110 339	109 434	109 165	-0.2	-269	-0.2
14 Botany Bay (C)	Sydney	36 879	37 446	37 192	0.2	-254	-0.7
15 Yarra Ranges (S)	Melbourne/Vic. Balance	139 860	143 462	143 228	0.5	-234	-0.2
16 Broken Hill (C)	NSW Balance	21 476	20 651	20 440	-1.0	-211	-1.0
17 Woollahra (A)	Sydney	52 768	53 295	53 095	0.1	-200	-0.4
18 Alice Springs (T)	NT Balance	26 054	26 257	26 058	—	-199	-0.8
19 Kalgoorlie/Boulder (C)	WA Balance	30 359	29 648	29 452	-0.6	-196	-0.7
20 Katherine (T)	NT Balance	9 297	8 624	8 437	-1.9	-187	-2.2

— nil or rounded to zero (including null cells)

(a) National rank based on population change between 2003 and 2004.

POPULATION CHANGE AUSTRALIA *continued*

LOCAL GOVERNMENT AREAS WITH FASTEST POPULATION CHANGES (a)

		ERP AT 30 JUNE			CHANGE		
		1999	2003	2004	1999-2004 (c)	2003-2004	
National rank and LGA(b)	Part of state/territory	no.	no.	no.	%	no.	%
FASTEST INCREASES IN 2003-2004							
1 Perth (C)	Perth	6 666	9 337	10 469	9.4	1 132	12.1
2 Capel (S)	WA Balance	6 522	7 979	8 905	6.4	926	11.6
3 Melton (S)	Melbourne	44 732	65 427	71 350	9.8	5 923	9.1
4 Wyndham (C)	Melbourne	82 069	99 490	107 868	5.6	8 378	8.4
5 Mandurah (C)	WA Balance	45 045	54 291	58 587	5.4	4 296	7.9
6 Wanneroo (C)	Perth	76 436	93 705	100 432	5.6	6 727	7.2
7 Cardinia (S)	Melbourne	44 974	51 228	54 543	3.9	3 315	6.5
8 Melbourne (C)	Melbourne	44 874	57 960	61 670	6.6	3 710	6.4
9 Chittering (S)	WA Balance	2 633	3 125	3 323	4.8	198	6.3
10 Miriam Vale (S)	Qld Balance	4 314	4 822	5 113	3.5	291	6.0
11 Hervey Bay (C)	Qld Balance	41 580	46 732	49 371	3.5	2 639	5.6
12 Crow's Nest (S)	Qld Balance	9 615	11 115	11 677	4.0	562	5.1
13 Cook (S)	Qld Balance	3 590	3 896	4 081	2.6	185	4.7
14 Adelaide (C)	Adelaide	12 785	13 724	14 361	2.4	637	4.6
15 Caboolture (S)	Brisbane/Qld Balance	110 493	121 271	126 729	2.8	5 458	4.5
16 Casey (C)	Melbourne	166 132	201 668	210 389	4.8	8 721	4.3
17 Caloundra (C)	Qld Balance	71 942	82 998	86 468	3.7	3 470	4.2
18 Rockingham (C)	Perth	69 712	78 608	81 847	3.3	3 239	4.1
19 Pine Rivers (S)	Brisbane	115 456	133 931	139 228	3.8	5 297	4.0
20 Busselton (S)	WA Balance	21 151	24 998	25 950	4.2	952	3.8
FASTEST DECLINES IN 2003-2004							
1 Coolgardie (S)	WA Balance	4 696	4 156	3 875	-3.8	-281	-6.8
2 Merredin (S)	WA Balance	3 780	3 671	3 499	-1.5	-172	-4.7
3 Carnarvon (S)	WA Balance	6 520	6 614	6 340	-0.6	-274	-4.1
4 Katanning (S)	WA Balance	4 582	4 428	4 245	-1.5	-183	-4.1
5 Narrogin (T)	WA Balance	4 702	4 666	4 482	-1.0	-184	-3.9
6 Moora (S)	WA Balance	2 661	2 674	2 569	-0.7	-105	-3.9
7 Port Hedland (T)	WA Balance	13 134	12 976	12 487	-1.0	-489	-3.8
8 Roxby Downs (M)	SA Balance	3 605	3 730	3 621	0.1	-109	-2.9
9 Flinders (S)	Tas. Balance	2 124	2 092	2 033	-0.9	-59	-2.8
10 Bridgetown-Greenbushes (S)	WA Balance	4 126	4 086	3 972	-0.8	-114	-2.8
11 Taroom (S)	Qld Balance	2 705	2 620	2 550	-1.2	-70	-2.7
12 Inglewood (S)	Qld Balance	2 697	2 704	2 637	-0.4	-67	-2.5
13 Northam (T)	WA Balance	6 565	6 437	6 290	-0.9	-147	-2.3
14 Mount Remarkable (DC)	SA Balance	3 054	2 919	2 853	-1.4	-66	-2.3
15 Central Highlands (M)	Tas. Balance	2 406	2 346	2 295	-0.9	-51	-2.2
16 Katherine (T)	NT Balance	9 297	8 624	8 437	-1.9	-187	-2.2
17 Geraldton (C)	WA Balance	19 945	19 461	19 051	-0.9	-410	-2.1
18 West Coast (M)	Tas. Balance	5 637	5 189	5 087	-2.0	-102	-2.0
19 Coober Pedy (DC)	SA Balance	2 540	2 256	2 216	-2.7	-40	-1.8
20 Dorset (M)	Tas. Balance	7 378	7 254	7 131	-0.7	-123	-1.7

(a) Excludes LGAs with an estimated resident population of less than 2,000 at June 2003.

(b) National rank based on population change between 2003 and 2004.

(c) Average annual growth rate.

POPULATION CHANGE NEW ZEALAND

NATIONAL GROWTH

The estimated resident population of New Zealand at June 2004 was 4.1 million people, an increase of 52,200 people since June 2003. New Zealand's annual growth rate of 1.3% during 2003–04 was slightly higher than the rate recorded for the period 1999 to 2004, of 1.2%.

The North Island's population was 3.1 million people, an increase of 39,800 people (1.3%) compared with June 2003, accounting for more than three-quarters (76%) of New Zealand's total population. The population of the South Island at June 2004 was 973,100 people, an increase of 12,400 people (also 1.3%).

REGIONAL COUNCIL POPULATION CHANGE

The four northern-most regions of New Zealand (Northland, Auckland, Waikato and Bay of Plenty) together accounted for just over half (52%) of New Zealand's total population. At June 2004 the Auckland Region was home to 1.3 million people, or just under one-third (32%) of all New Zealanders. The population of Auckland Region increased by 2.0% (26,100 people) in 2003–04, making it the second fastest growing Regional Council in New Zealand, behind Tasman Region whose population increased by 2.5% (1,100 people).

Canterbury, the second most populous Regional Council in New Zealand, experienced growth of 7,900 people (1.5%) in 2003–04, to reach a population of 520,600 people.

Other regions to experience growth rates higher than New Zealand overall were Nelson (up 1.8%, or 800 people) and the Bay of Plenty and Marlborough (each up 1.4%, or 3,600 and 600 people respectively).

Five Regional Councils experienced overall decreases in population in 2003–04. These were Gisborne Region (down 300 people), the Manawatu-Wanganui and Taranaki Regions (each down 200 people), and the Southland and West Coast Regions (each down 100 people).

TERRITORIAL AUTHORITIES

The city of Manukau recorded the *largest increase in population* of New Zealand's Territorial Authorities in 2003–04, up 8,700 people (or 2.7%), followed by Auckland City (up 5,700 people, or 1.4%), Christchurch City (up 5,300 people, 1.6%) and North Shore City (up 4,400, or 2.1%).

The Queenstown-Lakes District continued as New Zealand's fastest growing territorial authority, increasing by 7.2% (1,500 people) in 2003–04. Since 1999 the population of this district has increased by almost 40%, from 16,100 people to 22,200 people.

Other Territorial Authorities to experience high rates of growth in 2003–04 were the Rodney and Waimakariri Districts (each up 3.0%), Tauranga City (up 2.9%), Manukau City and Selwyn District (each up 2.7%), and Tasman District (up 2.5%).

Around one-third of New Zealand's Territorial Authorities experienced decreases in population in 2003–04, with the largest occurring in Ruapehu District (down 500 people), the Gisborne, South Waikato and Wanganui Districts (each down 300 people), and Wairoa District (down 240 people).

POPULATION CHANGE NEW ZEALAND *continued*

ESTIMATED RESIDENT POPULATION(a), New Zealand Regional Councils(b)

	ERP AT 30 JUNE			CHANGE	
	1999	2003	2004	1999-2004 (c)	2003-2004
Regional Councils	no.	no.	no.	%	no. %
North Island					
Northland	143 900	146 600	147 600	0.5	1 000 0.7
Auckland	1 183 400	1 290 800	1 316 900	2.2	26 100 2.0
Waikato	368 200	377 800	381 800	0.7	4 000 1.1
Bay of Plenty	242 500	254 000	257 600	1.2	3 600 1.4
Gisborne	46 400	45 200	44 900	-0.7	-300 -0.7
Hawke's Bay	147 300	148 500	149 100	0.2	600 0.4
Taranaki	107 300	105 700	105 500	-0.3	-200 -0.2
Manawatu-Wanganui	231 200	227 300	227 100	-0.4	-200 -0.1
Wellington	435 800	451 600	456 900	1.0	5 300 1.2
Total	2 905 900	3 047 700	3 087 500	1.2	39 800 1.3
South Island					
Tasman	40 800	44 700	45 800	2.3	1 100 2.5
Nelson	42 300	44 400	45 200	1.3	800 1.8
Malborough	40 300	41 700	42 300	1.0	600 1.4
West Coast	31 900	30 700	30 600	-0.8	-100 -0.3
Canterbury	491 200	512 700	520 600	1.2	7 900 1.5
Otago	188 200	192 800	195 000	0.7	2 200 1.1
Southland	93 700	93 700	93 600	—	-100 -0.1
Total	928 400	960 700	973 100	0.9	12 400 1.3
Total New Zealand(d)	3 835 100	4 009 200	4 061 400	1.2	52 200 1.3

— nil or rounded to zero (including null cells).

(a) See paragraphs 28 to 31 of the Explanatory Notes.

(b) Population estimates for 30 June 1999 are based on 2001 Regional Council boundaries. Estimates for 2003 and 2004 are based on 2004 Regional Council boundaries.

(c) Average annual growth rate.

(d) Includes the population of Kermadec Islands, Chatham Islands Territory and people on oil rigs.

Note: Individual figures may not sum to stated totals due to rounding. Population change figures are also calculated using rounded figures.

Source: Statistics New Zealand.

POPULATION CHANGE NEW ZEALAND *continued*

ESTIMATED RESIDENT POPULATION(a), New Zealand Territorial Authorities(b)

Territorial Authority	ERP AT 30 JUNE			CHANGE		
	1999	2003	2004	1999-2004 (c)	2003-2004	
	no.	no.	no.	%	no.	%
City						
North Shore	189 900	205 000	209 400	2.0	4 400	2.1
Waitakere	171 000	185 600	189 300	2.1	3 700	2.0
Auckland	381 100	415 100	420 800	2.0	5 700	1.4
Manukau	287 200	317 500	326 200	2.6	8 700	2.7
Hamilton	117 600	126 400	129 300	1.9	2 900	2.3
Tauranga	88 900	98 500	101 400	2.7	2 900	2.9
Napier	55 300	55 800	56 100	0.3	300	0.5
Palmerston North	75 500	77 100	78 100	0.7	1 000	1.3
Porirua	49 100	50 300	50 600	0.6	300	0.6
Upper Hutt	37 700	37 800	37 900	0.1	100	0.3
Lower Hutt	99 400	99 900	100 400	0.2	500	0.5
Wellington	168 600	179 000	182 600	1.6	3 600	2.0
Nelson	42 300	44 400	45 200	1.3	800	1.8
Christchurch	324 700	338 800	344 100	1.2	5 300	1.6
Dunedin	119 900	121 100	121 900	0.3	800	0.7
Invercargill	50 600	51 800	51 700	0.4	-100	-0.2
District						
Far North	56 100	57 100	57 400	0.5	300	0.5
Whangarei	69 800	71 400	72 200	0.7	800	1.1
Kaipara	17 900	18 050	18 050	0.2	—	—
Rodney	74 800	84 100	86 600	3.0	2 500	3.0
Papakura	41 800	43 100	43 500	0.8	400	0.9
Franklin	51 900	55 500	56 500	1.7	1 000	1.8
Thames-Coromandel	25 800	26 300	26 500	0.5	200	0.8
Hauraki	17 600	17 050	16 900	-0.8	-150	-0.9
Waikato	41 000	42 100	42 400	0.7	300	0.7
Matamata-Piako	30 400	30 300	30 300	-0.1	—	—
Waipa	40 800	41 000	41 500	0.3	500	1.2
Otorohanga	9 780	9 550	9 490	-0.6	-60	-0.6
South Waikato	25 100	23 600	23 300	-1.5	-300	-1.3
Waitomo	9 890	9 690	9 660	-0.5	-30	-0.3
Taupo	32 400	33 300	33 600	0.7	300	0.9
Western Bay of Plenty	38 200	40 600	41 400	1.6	800	2.0
Rotorua	67 100	67 600	67 800	0.2	200	0.3
Whakatane	34 300	34 000	34 000	-0.2	—	—
Kawerau	7 670	7 000	6 790	-2.4	-210	-3.0
Opotiki	9 660	9 570	9 580	-0.2	10	0.1
Gisborne	46 400	45 200	44 900	-0.7	-300	-0.7
Wairoa	9 740	8 870	8 630	-2.4	-240	-2.7
Hastings	69 000	70 500	71 100	0.6	600	0.9
Central Hawke's Bay	13 150	13 150	13 150	—	—	—
New Plymouth	69 100	69 100	69 200	—	100	0.1
Stratford	9 390	8 820	8 750	-1.4	-70	-0.8
South Taranaki	29 000	27 900	27 700	-0.9	-200	-0.7
Ruapehu	16 000	14 200	13 700	-3.1	-500	-3.5
Wanganui	45 300	43 900	43 600	-0.8	-300	-0.7
Rangitikei	16 050	15 100	14 900	-1.5	-200	-1.3
Manawatu	28 600	28 300	28 200	-0.3	-100	-0.4
Taranaki	18 850	17 950	17 800	-1.1	-150	-0.8
Horowhenua	30 700	30 600	30 600	-0.1	—	—
Kapiti Coast	41 900	45 200	46 200	2.0	1 000	2.2
Masterton	23 200	23 300	23 300	0.1	—	—

POPULATION CHANGE NEW ZEALAND *continued*

ESTIMATED RESIDENT POPULATION(a), New Zealand Territorial Authorities(b) *continued*

Territorial Authority District	ERP AT 30 JUNE			CHANGE		
	1999	2003	2004	1999-2004 (c)	2003-2004	
	no.	no.	no.	%	no.	%
Carterton	6 820	7 090	7 140	0.9	50	0.7
South Wairarapa	8 980	8 860	8 840	-0.3	-20	-0.2
Tasman	40 800	44 700	45 800	2.3	1 100	2.5
Marlborough	40 300	41 700	42 300	1.0	600	1.4
Kaikoura	3 530	3 610	3 630	0.6	20	0.6
Buller	10 200	9 720	9 640	-1.1	-80	-0.8
Grey	13 550	13 100	13 050	-0.7	-50	-0.4
Westland	8 140	7 920	7 900	-0.6	-20	-0.3
Hurunui	9 900	10 450	10 650	1.5	200	1.9
Waimakariri	36 100	39 800	41 000	2.6	1 200	3.0
Banks Peninsula	7 940	8 200	8 310	0.9	110	1.3
Selwyn	26 900	30 000	30 800	2.7	800	2.7
Ashburton	25 900	26 500	26 700	0.6	200	0.8
Timaru	43 100	42 900	43 100	—	200	0.5
Mackenzie	3 990	3 760	3 750	-1.2	-10	-0.3
Waimate	7 430	7 130	7 100	-0.9	-30	-0.4
Waitaki	21 100	20 200	20 000	-1.1	-200	-1.0
Central Otago	14 950	14 950	15 050	0.1	100	0.7
Queenstown-Lakes	16 100	20 700	22 200	6.6	1 500	7.2
Clutha	17 950	17 400	17 350	-0.7	-50	-0.3
Southland	30 000	29 400	29 400	-0.4	—	—
Gore	13 000	12 600	12 500	-0.8	-100	-0.8
Chatham Islands Territory	750	750	750	—	—	—
Total New Zealand(d)	3 835 100	4 009 200	4 061 400	1.2	52 200	1.3

— nil or rounded to zero (including null cells)

(a) See paragraphs 28 to 31 of the Explanatory Notes.

(b) Population estimates at 30 June 1999 are based on 2001 Territorial Authority boundaries. Estimates for 2003 and 2004 are based on 2004 Territorial Authority boundaries.

(c) Average annual growth rate.

(d) Includes the population of inlets, ships, oil rigs, and Bays-Waiheke, Kermadec, Mayor, Motiti and White Islands which are not included in a territorial authority.

Note: Individual figures may not sum to stated totals due to rounding. Population change figures are also calculated using rounded figures.

Source: Statistics New Zealand.

POPULATION CHANGE NEW SOUTH WALES

STATE SUMMARY

At June 2004 the estimated resident population of New South Wales (NSW) was 6.73 million people, an increase of 49,200 people since June 2003. The annual growth rate of 0.7% was the same as the previous year, and less than the average annual growth rate of 1.0% recorded over the period 1999 to 2004.

SYDNEY SD

At June 2004, 63% (4.2 million people) of NSW's population resided in the Sydney SD. The annual growth rate for the Sydney SD was 0.8%, representing an increase of 33,500 people during 2003-04.

Growth in Sydney SD

The five largest increases in population at the LGA level in NSW during 2003-04 all occurred in the Sydney SD. Blacktown (C) recorded the largest increase of any LGA in NSW, up 5,500 people, followed by Sydney (C) (up 5,100 people), Baulkham Hills (A) (3,500 people), Liverpool (C) (2,300 people) and Parramatta (C) (2,200 people).

High annual growth rates were also recorded in many of Sydney's LGAs during 2003-04, with seven of the ten fastest growing LGAs in NSW being located within the Sydney SD. The inner city LGA of Sydney (C), with a population increase of 3.6% (5,100 people), was the fastest growing LGA in NSW. The second and third fastest growing LGAs in NSW were Strathfield (A) and Auburn (A), which increased by 3.1% (930 people) and 2.8% (1,700 people) respectively.

LGAs WITH LARGEST AND FASTEST POPULATION GROWTH, New South Wales

LARGEST GROWTH				FASTEST GROWTH			
LGA	ERP	POPULATION CHANGE		LGA	ERP	POPULATION CHANGE	
	2004p	2003-2004p			2004p	2003-2004p	
	no.	no.	%		no.	no.	%
Blacktown (C)	278 500	5 500	2.0	Sydney (C)	146 300	5 100	3.6
Sydney (C)	146 300	5 100	3.6	Strathfield (A)	31 100	930	3.1
Baulkham Hills (A)	157 900	3 500	2.2	Auburn (A)	62 800	1 700	2.8
Liverpool (C)	167 900	2 300	1.4	Kogarah (A)	55 000	1 300	2.4
Parramatta (C)	151 100	2 200	1.5	Canada Bay (A)	66 100	1 500	2.4

Population losses in Sydney SD

Twelve of Sydney's LGAs experienced decreases in population during 2003-04. These included the six largest decreases at the LGA level in NSW. Fairfield (C) experienced the largest loss, down 650 people, while Penrith (C) declined by 550 people, Campbelltown (C) by 520 people, Canterbury (C) by 430 people, Blue Mountains (C) by 400 people and Botany Bay (C) by 250 people.

RURAL AND REGIONAL NSW

The largest increases in SD populations outside the Sydney SD occurred in the Hunter (up 4,700 people), Mid-North Coast (up 4,100 people), Richmond-Tweed (up 2,400 people) and Illawarra (also up 2,400 people) SDs.

Three NSW SDs outside the Sydney SD experienced decreases in population during 2003-04. The Northern SD lost 490 people (down 0.3%), the North Western SD lost 280 people (down 0.2%), and the Far West SD lost 190 people (down 0.8%).

POPULATION CHANGE NEW SOUTH WALES *continued*

Coastal change

At June 2004 there were 1.3 million people living in coastal LGAs (those LGAs outside the Sydney SD whose boundaries adjoin the sea) in NSW, making up 20% of the state's total population. These areas experienced a combined population increase of 12,700 people (or 1.0%) in 2003-04.

The LGA of Tweed (A) recorded the largest and fastest population growth of all coastal LGAs in NSW during 2003-04, with an increase of 1,700 people, or 2.2%. Newcastle (C) experienced the second largest increase (up 1,400 people or 0.9%) followed by Hastings (A) (up 1,300 people or 1.9%). The population of Nambucca (A) also increased by 2.2% during 2003-04, while other coastal LGAs to experience relatively high rates of growth were Great Lakes (A) (up 1.9%), and Coffs Harbour (C), Port Stephens (A), and Eurobodalla (A) (whose populations each increased by 1.8%).

Only three LGAs in coastal NSW experienced population decreases in 2003-04. Richmond Valley (A) lost 150 people (0.7% of its population), while Bellingen (A) and Kiama (A) each lost 60 people (down 0.4% and 0.3% respectively).

Inland population change

At June 2004 around 1.2 million people lived in inland LGAs (those LGAs not included in the Sydney SD or in coastal NSW), accounting for 17% of NSW's total population. In the year to June 2004 the combined population of these LGAs increased by 3,000 people, or 0.3%. This growth rate was slightly higher than the growth rate of 0.2% for 2002-03.

Of NSW's inland LGAs, around one third experienced increases in population in 2003-04. The largest increases occurred in Maitland (C) (up 1,000 people), Greater Queanbeyan (C) (up 450 people), Wingecarribee (A) (up 390 people), and Wagga Wagga (C) and Bathurst (C) (both up 350 people).

Broken Hill (C) recorded the largest population decrease of any LGA in inland NSW, down 210 people. Other inland LGAs to experience decreases in population in 2003-04 were Tumut (A) (down 170 people), Narrabri (A) (down 130), Forbes (A) (down 120) and Moree Plains (A) (down 110).

LGAs WITH LARGEST AND FASTEST POPULATION DECLINE, New South Wales

LARGEST DECLINE				FASTEST DECLINE (a)			
LGA	ERP 2004p	POPULATION CHANGE 2003-2004p		LGA	ERP 2004p	POPULATION CHANGE 2003-2004p	
	no.	no.	%		no.	no.	%
Fairfield (C)	187 700	-650	-0.3	Yallaroi (A)	3 100	-50	-1.4
Penrith (C)	177 600	-550	-0.3	Tumut (A)	11 400	-170	-1.4
Campbelltown (C)	150 000	-520	-0.3	Walgett (A)	8 100	-110	-1.3
Canterbury (C)	135 000	-430	-0.3	Coonabarabran (A)	6 700	-80	-1.2
Blue Mountains (C)	77 000	-400	-0.5	Forbes (A)	10 000	-120	-1.2

(a) Excludes LGAs with a population of less than 2,000 at June 2003.

POPULATION CHANGE VICTORIA

STATE SUMMARY

Victoria's estimated resident population at June 2004 was almost 5 million (4.97 million) people, an increase of 61,400 people since June 2003. This represents an annual growth rate of 1.2%.

GROWTH IN MELBOURNE

At June 2004 there were an estimated 3.6 million people resident in the Melbourne SD, an increase of 44,800 people (or 1.3%) since June 2003.

Melbourne SD accounted for 73% of Victoria's population growth between June 2003 and June 2004 and is home to 72% of Victoria's population.

Growth in the outer suburbs

The largest population increases in Victoria continued to occur on the outer suburban fringes of the Melbourne SD. Casey (C) experienced the largest growth of Victorian LGAs, increasing by 8,700 people (or 4.3%) in 2003-04. Within Casey (C), the SLA of Casey (C) - Berwick (which includes the suburbs of Berwick and Narre Warren) increased by 4,300 people, while the SLA of Casey (C) - Cranbourne increased by 3,800 people.

The LGA of Wyndham (C), located to the south-west of the Melbourne city centre, experienced the second largest growth of Victorian LGAs in 2003-04, increasing by 8,400 people (or 8.4%). Almost 45% of this growth occurred in the SLA of Wyndham (C) - South (which includes the suburbs of Point Cook and Sanctuary Lakes), which grew by 3,800 people. The population of the SLA of Wyndham (C) - North increased by 3,600 people.

The population of Melton (S) increased by 9.1% (or 5,900 people) during 2003-04, making it the fastest growing LGA in the state. The majority of this growth occurred in the SLA of Melton (S) - East (which includes suburbs such as Caroline Springs, Burnside and Hillside), which increased by 4,700 people.

Growth in the inner city

The population of the LGA of Melbourne (C) continued to grow in 2003-04, increasing by 3,700 people (or 6.4%). The SLA of Melbourne (C) - Remainder contributed growth of 1,560 people, Melbourne (C) - Southbank-Docklands 1,480 people and Melbourne (C) - Inner a further 680 people.

LGAs WITH LARGEST AND FASTEST POPULATION GROWTH, Victoria

ERP		POPULATION CHANGE		ERP		POPULATION CHANGE	
2004p		2003-2004p		2004p		2003-2004p	
LGA	no.	no.	%	LGA	no.	no.	%
LARGEST GROWTH				FASTEST GROWTH			
Casey (C)	210 400	8 700	4.3	Melton (S)	71 400	5 900	9.1
Wyndham (C)	107 900	8 400	8.4	Wyndham (C)	107 900	8 400	8.4
Melton (S)	71 400	5 900	9.1	Cardinia (S)	54 500	3 300	6.5
Hume (C)	148 200	4 100	2.8	Melbourne (C)	61 700	3 700	6.4
Melbourne (C)	61 700	3 700	6.4	Casey (C)	210 400	8 700	4.3

POPULATION CHANGE VICTORIA *continued*

GROWTH IN REGIONAL VICTORIA

Statistical Divisions

In the year to June 2004, the population of the Balance of Victoria increased by 16,600 people (or 1.2%) to 1.4 million people. During this period, all SDs in regional Victoria experienced population growth, with the exception of the Wimmera SD which experienced a very small decrease (of 40 people, or 0.1%). Barwon SD increased by 4,000 people (or 1.5%), Loddon SD increased by 2,600 people (also 1.5%), while the populations of the Goulburn and Gippsland SDs increased by 2,500 (or 1.3%) and 2,100 (also 1.3%) people respectively.

Local Government Areas

Of Victorian regional centres, the LGA of Greater Geelong (C) experienced the largest increase in population in the year to June 2004, up 2,800 people (or 1.4%), followed by Greater Bendigo (C) (up 1,700 people, or 1.8%) and Ballarat (C) (up 1,300 people, or 1.5%).

The LGA of Golden Plains (S) recorded the fastest population growth in regional Victoria in 2003-04, with an increase of 3.6% (or 570 people). Mitchell (S) was the second fastest growing LGA in regional Victoria, increasing by 3.5% (or 1,100 people), due to growth in the SLA of Mitchell (S) - South which increased by 1,100 people while Mitchell (S) - North experienced a small decrease in population (down 60 people). The third fastest growing LGA was Bass Coast (S) (including the localities of Phillip Island, Inverloch and Wonthaggi), which grew by 3.3% (or 900 people).

POPULATION DECLINE

The largest declines in population in Victoria in 2003-04 all occurred within the Melbourne SD, with the LGA of Banyule (C) decreasing by 680 people (or 0.6%), Hobsons Bay (C) decreasing by 560 people (or 0.7%) and Whitehorse (C) decreasing by 340 people (or 0.2%).

The fastest declines in population were recorded in regional Victoria, with the populations of the LGAs of Yarriambiack (S) and Buloke (S) both decreasing by 1.1% (or 90 and 80 people respectively). The LGA of West Wimmera (S) experienced the third fastest decrease in population in Victoria, down 0.9% (or 50 people).

LGAs WITH LARGEST AND FASTEST POPULATION DECLINE, Victoria

LGA	ERP	POPULATION CHANGE		LGA	ERP	POPULATION CHANGE	
	2004p	2003-2004p	%		2004p	2003-2004p	%
	no.	no.	%		no.	no.	%
LARGEST DECLINE				FASTEST DECLINE			
Banyule (C)	117 300	-680	-0.6	Yarriambiack (S)	8 000	-90	-1.1
Hobsons Bay (C)	83 200	-560	-0.7	Buloke (S)	7 100	-80	-1.1
Whitehorse (C)	144 900	-340	-0.2	West Wimmera (S)	4 700	-50	-0.9
Moonee Valley (C)	109 200	-270	-0.2	Hindmarsh (S)	6 400	-50	-0.8
Yarra Ranges (S)	143 200	-230	-0.2	Loddon (S)	8 400	-70	-0.8

POPULATION CHANGE QUEENSLAND

STATE SUMMARY

The estimated resident population of Queensland increased by 81,000 people in the year to June 2004, to reach 3.9 million people. The corresponding annual growth rate of 2.1% was the highest of all states and territories.

SOUTH-EAST QUEENSLAND

At June 2004 the south-east corner of Queensland, comprising the Brisbane and Moreton SDs, made up two-thirds (66%) of Queensland's total population. The population of this area increased by 61,900 people in 2003-04, accounting for three-quarters (76%) of Queensland's total growth.

The cities of Brisbane (C) and the Gold Coast (C) were the major contributors to Queensland's population growth in 2003-04. These two LGAs, the largest in Queensland, again experienced the largest increases in population in the state and in Australia overall. The city of Brisbane increased by 17,600 people, a growth of 1.9% for the year ending June 2004, and the city of Gold Coast recorded an increase of 13,200 people, representing an increase of 2.9% for the same period.

BRISBANE SD

Brisbane SD recorded an increase in population of 39,700 people (or 2.3%) in 2003-04, reaching a population of 1.8 million people (46% of Queensland's total population).

Within the city of Brisbane (C), new housing estates continued to account for large increases in population in a number of areas in 2003-04. The southern SLAs of Parkinson-Drewvale, which increased by 1,500 people (16%), and Doolandella-Forest Lake, which increased by 1,200 people (7%), experienced the largest increases in population of any SLAs within Brisbane (C) during this period.

Of SLAs with a population greater than 2,000 people at June 2003, Wakerley recorded the fastest growth in Brisbane (C), with an increase of 31% in 2003-04, followed by City - Remainder (up 21%) and Ellen Grove (up 20%). Other, smaller, SLAs to experience high rates of growth in 2003-04 were Bowen Hills and City - Inner.

Pine Rivers and Redland shires

During 2003-04 the shires of Pine Rivers and Redland, within Brisbane SD, recorded increases of 5,300 people (up 4.0%) and 3,000 people (up 2.4%) respectively. This reflects ongoing development of new housing estates in these areas. The population of the SLA of Griffin-Mango Hill, in Pine Rivers (S), increased by 2,000 people (31%) in 2003-04.

The Gold and Sunshine Coasts

Moreton SD includes Gold Coast City Part B and the Sunshine Coast. In 2003-04 Moreton continued as the fastest growing SD in Queensland, increasing by 2.9% (22,200 people).

The population of the city of Gold Coast (comprising Gold Coast City Part A and Gold Coast City Part B) increased by 13,200 people (2.9%) in the year to June 2004. The major contributor to this growth was the SLA of Robina, which increased by 1,700 people, followed by Guanaba-Currumbin Valley, which increased by 1,600 people, and Coomera-Cedar Creek which increased by 1,300 people.

POPULATION CHANGE QUEENSLAND *continued*

LGAs WITH LARGEST AND FASTEST POPULATION GROWTH, Queensland

LARGEST GROWTH				FASTEST GROWTH			
LGA	ERP	POPULATION CHANGE		LGA	ERP	POPULATION CHANGE	
	2004p	2003-2004p			2004p	2003-2004p	
	no.	no.	%		no.	no.	%
.....							
Brisbane (C)	957 000	17 600	1.9	Miriam Vale (S)	5 100	290	6.0
Gold Coast (C)	469 200	13 200	2.9	Hervey Bay (C)	49 400	2 600	5.6
Caboolture (S)	126 700	5 500	4.5	Crow's Nest (S)	11 700	560	5.1
Pine Rivers (S)	139 200	5 300	4.0	Cook (S)	4 100	190	4.7
Maroochy (S)	141 100	4 500	3.3	Caboolture (S)	126 700	5 500	4.5

POPULATION GROWTH IN THE REMAINDER OF QUEENSLAND

Six of the nine SDs outside south-east Queensland experienced increases in population in 2003-04. Wide Bay-Burnett SD recorded the largest increase, up 5,700 people, followed by Far North SD (up 3,400 people), Northern SD (up 3,300 people), Darling Downs and Fitzroy SDs (each up 2,600 people), and Mackay SD (up 2,000 people).

Significant growth was recorded in many coastal LGAs, with the population of Cairns (C) increasing by 2,800 people (2.3%) in 2003-04, Hervey Bay (C) up 2,600 people (5.6%), Townsville (C) up 2,000 people (2.1%) and Thuringowa (C) up 1,500 people (2.7%).

DECLINING POPULATIONS

The population of rural Queensland continued to decline in 2003-04, with decreases in population recorded in the SDs of Central West (down 1.1%) and North West and South West (each down 0.3%).

Of Queensland LGAs, Hinchinbrook (S) experienced the largest decrease in population in 2003-04, down 130 people (1.1%), followed by Taroom (S) and Inglewood (S), which each decreased by 70 people (2.7% and 2.5% respectively). Of LGAs with a population of greater than 2,000 people, Flinders (S) recorded the highest rate of population loss, decreasing by 2.8%.

LGAs WITH LARGEST AND FASTEST POPULATION DECLINE, Queensland

LARGEST DECLINE				FASTEST DECLINE (a)			
LGA	ERP	POPULATION CHANGE		LGA	ERP	POPULATION CHANGE	
	2004p	2003-2004p			2004p	2003-2004p	
	no.	no.	%		no.	no.	%
Hinchinbrook (S)	12 200	-130	-1.1	Flinders (S)	2 000	-60	-2.8
Taroom (S)	2 600	-70	-2.7	Taroom (S)	2 600	-70	-2.7
Inglewood (S)	2 600	-70	-2.5	Inglewood (S)	2 600	-70	-2.5
Winton (S)	1 500	-60	-3.7	Tara (S)	4 000	-50	-1.2
Flinders (S)	2 000	-60	-2.8	Hinchinbrook (S)	12 200	-130	-1.1

(a) Excludes LGAs with a population of less than 2,000 at June 2003.

POPULATION CHANGE SOUTH AUSTRALIA

STATE SUMMARY

South Australia's estimated resident population at June 2004 was 1.5 million people, an increase of 7,900 people since June 2003. This represents an annual growth rate of 0.5% over the period.

POPULATION GROWTH IN ADELAIDE

Adelaide SD

At June 2004 the population of Adelaide SD was 1.1 million people, accounting for 73% of South Australia's population. Adelaide's population increased by 5,200 people (0.5%) in 2003-04, while the remainder of the state increased by 2,700 people (0.7%).

Of Statistical Subdivisions (SSD) within the Adelaide SD, the largest growth in 2003-04 was recorded in Northern Adelaide SSD, which increased by 3,200 people (or 0.9%).

Adelaide SD contained both the largest and fastest growing LGAs in South Australia. The largest increase in population occurred in the LGA of Salisbury (C), which increased by 2,100 people (1.8%), while the fastest growing LGA was Adelaide (C), which recorded an increase of 4.6% (640 people). Tea Tree Gully (C) experienced the largest population decline within the state, down 170 people (or 0.2%).

Outer Adelaide SD

The Outer Adelaide SD recorded the fastest increase in population of South Australian SDs in 2003-04, increasing by 2.3%, and the second largest increase in population (2,700 people), behind the Adelaide SD.

Outer Adelaide SD contained the four fastest growing SSDs within South Australia in 2003-04. These were Fleurieu SSD, which increased by 3.1% (1,100 people), Kangaroo Island SSD and Barossa SSD (each up 2.1%, or 90 and 810 people respectively), and Mt Lofty Ranges SSD (up 1.7%, or 690 people).

Alexandrina (DC) experienced both the largest and fastest growth of LGAs within the Outer Adelaide SD, with an increase of 710 people, or 3.7%.

LGAs WITH LARGEST AND FASTEST POPULATION GROWTH, South Australia

LARGEST GROWTH				FASTEST GROWTH			
LGA	ERP	POPULATION CHANGE		LGA	ERP	POPULATION CHANGE	
	2004p	2003-2004p			2004p	2003-2004p	
	no.	no.	%		no.	no.	%
Salisbury (C)	119 300	2 100	1.8	Adelaide (C)	14 400	640	4.6
Alexandrina (DC)	19 800	710	3.7	Alexandrina (DC)	19 800	710	3.7
Onkaparinga (C)	153 500	660	0.4	Light (RegC)	11 700	330	2.9
Mount Barker (DC)	25 600	660	2.6	Victor Harbor (C)	12 100	320	2.7
Adelaide (C)	14 400	640	4.6	Mount Barker (DC)	25 600	660	2.6

POPULATION CHANGE SOUTH AUSTRALIA *continued*

POPULATION CHANGE IN THE REMAINDER OF SOUTH AUSTRALIA

Population growth

LGA population increases in the remainder of South Australia in 2003–04 were generally smaller than those recorded within the Adelaide and Outer Adelaide SDs. The population of Murray Bridge (RC) increased by 230 people, Copper Coast (DC) by 180 people and Port Lincoln (C) by 130 people. Copper Coast (DC) recorded the fastest growth in 2003–04 outside the Adelaide and Outer Adelaide SDs, with an increase of 1.6%.

Population decline

The Northern SD was the only SD in South Australia to experience an overall population decline in 2003–04, decreasing by 510 people. The populations of all four SSDs in the Northern SD declined: Flinders Ranges SSD decreased by 190 people (or 0.9%), Pirie SSD decreased by 150 people (or 0.6%), Far North SSD decreased by 130 people (or 1.1%) and Whyalla SSD decreased by 50 people (or 0.2%).

For LGAs outside the Adelaide and Outer Adelaide SDs, the largest declines were recorded in Roxby Downs (M) (down 110 people), Mount Remarkable (DC) (down 70 people), and Flinders Ranges (DC) (down 60 people). Flinders Ranges (DC) and Roxby Downs (M) also recorded the fastest declines in South Australia, of 3.3% and 2.9% respectively.

LGAs WITH LARGEST AND FASTEST POPULATION DECLINE, South Australia

LARGEST DECLINE				FASTEST DECLINE (a)			
LGA	ERP	POPULATION CHANGE		LGA	ERP	POPULATION CHANGE	
	2004p	2003-2004p			2004p	2003-2004p	
	no.	no.	%		no.	no.	%
.....							
Tea Tree Gully (C)	100 100	-170	-0.2	Roxby Downs (M)	3 600	-110	-2.9
Unley (C)	36 400	-160	-0.4	Mt Remarkable (DC)	2 900	-70	-2.3
Mitcham (C)	62 500	-110	-0.2	Coober Pedy (DC)	2 200	-40	-1.8
Roxby Downs (M)	3 600	-110	-2.9	Kingston (DC)	2 300	-30	-1.4
Mt Remarkable (DC)	2 900	-70	-2.3	Northern Areas (DC)	4 700	-40	-0.9

(a) Excludes LGAs with a population of less than 2,000 at June 2003.

POPULATION CHANGE WESTERN, AUSTRALIA

STATE SUMMARY

The estimated resident population of Western Australia at June 2004 was 1.98 million, an increase of 32,300 people since June 2003. Western Australia's growth rate of 1.7% for 2003-04 was the second fastest in the country, after Queensland.

PERTH STATISTICAL DIVISION

Perth Statistical Division (SD) continued to experience strong growth, increasing by 1.8% (26,100 people) during 2003-04 to reach a population of 1.5 million people. Perth SD now accounts for 74% of the total Western Australian population.

LGAs located on the fringes of the Perth SD continue to show the strongest growth. To the north, the population of Wanneroo (C) increased by 6,700 people (or 7.2%) during 2003-04, the largest increase in population of any LGA in the state, to reach over 100,000 people for the first time (100,400 people at June 2004). The LGA of Swan (C) increased by 2,200 people (2.5%) while Gosnells (C) in the south east of the Perth SD grew by 2,800 people (3.2%).

Rockingham (C) and Cockburn (C), coastal LGAs located in the southern part of the Perth SD, grew by 3,200 people (4.1%) and 2,400 people (3.3%) respectively during 2003-04.

In percentage terms, Perth (C) outstripped growth in all other LGAs in WA, and in Australia overall. An increase of 1,100 people resulted in a growth rate of 12.1% for 2003-04, taking the city of Perth's population to 10,500 people at June 2004. Growth in Perth (C) is associated with the move toward inner-city living and medium and high-density housing development.

GROWTH IN OTHER REGIONS

South West SD

Approximately two-thirds of the LGAs in the South West SD experienced population growth during 2003-04. Mandurah (C), at the north of the South West SD and bordering the Perth SD, recorded the second largest increase in population of LGAs in WA, up 4,300 people (or 7.9%).

The population of Capel (S), adjacent to Bunbury (C), increased by 11.6% (930 people) during 2003-04, the second highest rate of growth of LGAs in WA and in Australia overall. Busselton (S), also located in the South West SD, increased by 1,000 people (3.8%) in the same period.

Other regions

The populations of each of the four LGAs in the Kimberley SD continued to increase in 2003-04, with Broome (S) increasing 370 people to an estimated resident population of 14,300 at June 2004.

The LGA of Ashburton (S) in the Pilbara SD, after losing population in each year between 1996 and 2003, increased by 210 people (or 3.7%) in 2003-04.

POPULATION CHANGE WESTERN AUSTRALIA *continued*

LGAs WITH LARGEST AND FASTEST POPULATION GROWTH, Western Australia

LARGEST GROWTH			FASTEST GROWTH (a)		
LGA	ERP	POPULATION CHANGE	LGA	ERP	POPULATION CHANGE
	2004p	2003-2004p		2004p	2003-2004p
	no.	no. %		no.	no. %
.....					
Wanneroo (C)	100 400	6 700 7.2	Perth (C)	10 500	1 100 12.1
Mandurah (C)	58 600	4 300 7.9	Capel (S)	8 900	930 11.6
Rockingham (C)	81 800	3 200 4.1	Mandurah (C)	58 600	4 300 7.9
Gosnells (C)	90 100	2 800 3.2	Wanneroo (C)	100 400	6 700 7.2
Cockburn (C)	74 600	2 400 3.3	Chittering (S)	3 300	200 6.3

(a) Excludes LGAs with a population of less than 2,000 at June 2003.

DECREASING POPULATIONS

LGAs that experienced declines in population in 2003-04 were predominantly located outside the Perth SD. In the Pilbara SD, Port Hedland (T) experienced the largest decline in population of LGAs in WA, losing 490 people (down 3.8%).

Most LGAs in the Upper Great Southern SD experienced decreases in population in the year to June 2004. Overall this region experienced a loss of 470 people (2.6%) in 2003-04. The population of Narrogin (T) decreased by 180 people (3.9%), while declines of around 40 to 50 people occurred in the small population wheat belt LGAs of Dumbleyung, Wickepin and Williams.

In the Central SD, Geraldton (C) and Carnarvon (S) lost 410 people and 270 people respectively.

LGAs WITH LARGEST AND FASTEST POPULATION DECLINE, Western Australia

LARGEST DECLINE				FASTEST DECLINE (a)			
LGA	ERP	POPULATION CHANGE		LGA	ERP	POPULATION CHANGE	
	2004p	2003-2004p			2004p	2003-2004p	
	no.	no.	%		no.	no.	%
.....							
Port Hedland (T)	12 500	-490	-3.8	Coolgardie (S)	3 900	-280	-6.8
Geraldton (C)	19 100	-410	-2.1	Merredin (S)	3 500	-170	-4.7
Coolgardie (S)	3 900	-280	-6.8	Carnarvon (S)	6 300	-270	-4.1
Carnarvon (S)	6 300	-270	-4.1	Katanning (S)	4 200	-180	-4.1
Kalgoorlie/Boulder (C)	29 500	-200	-0.7	Narrogin (T)	4 500	-180	-3.9

(a) Excludes LGAs with a population of less than 2,000 at June 2003.

POPULATION CHANGE TASMANIA

POPULATION GROWTH SUSTAINED

The estimated resident population of Tasmania increased by 1.0% in 2003-04, marginally higher than the growth rate of 0.9% recorded in 2002-03, and more than double the average growth rate of 0.4% per year for the period 1999 to 2004. At June 2004 the population of Tasmania was 482,100, an increase of 4,800 people since June 2003.

POPULATION INCREASES IN TASMANIA'S STATISTICAL DIVISIONS

In 2003-04 the population of all Statistical Divisions (SD) in Tasmania increased. The capital city SD of Greater Hobart passed the 200,000 mark for the first time, increasing by 2,200 people (or 1.1%) to reach 202,100 people, while the population of the Northern SD increased by 1,500 people (also 1.1%). Mersey-Lyell SD experienced growth of 700 people (or 0.7%) while the Southern SD increased by 420 people (1.2%).

LARGEST AND FASTEST GROWTH

Launceston (C), the central population base in the north of the state, and the largest LGA, experienced the largest increase in population of all LGAs in Tasmania in 2003-04. This LGA increased by 670 people, or 1.1%, compared with an average annual growth rate of 0.4% over the past five years. The second largest increase in population occurred in Kingborough (M), a fringe urban area south of Hobart, which gained 630 people (an increase of 2.1%).

The LGA of Brighton (M) recorded the highest rate of growth in Tasmania in 2003-04, up 2.8% (370 people), followed by Glamorgan/Spring Bay (M) (up 2.7%, or 110 people), and Kentish (up 2.6%, or 140 people).

POPULATION GAIN IN ALL CITIES

All Tasmanian cities experienced population increases in 2003-04, as in 2002-03. Launceston (C) experienced the largest increase (up 670 people), followed by Hobart (C) (up 460 people), Clarence (C) (up 400), Devonport (C) (up 360), and Glenorchy (C) (up 300). For the second consecutive year the population of Burnie (C) increased (up 100 people in 2003-04), after experiencing population losses in each year from 1997 to 2002.

LGAs WITH LARGEST AND FASTEST POPULATION GROWTH, Tasmania

LGA	ERP	POPULATION CHANGE		LGA	ERP	POPULATION CHANGE	
	2004p	2003-2004p			2004p	2003-2004p	
	no.	no. %			no.	no. %	
LARGEST GROWTH				FASTEST GROWTH			
Launceston (C)	64 100	670 1.1		Brighton (M)	13 400	370 2.8	
Kingborough (M)	31 000	630 2.1		Glamorgan/Spring Bay (M)	4 200	110 2.7	
Hobart (C)	48 500	460 1.0		Kentish (M)	5 700	140 2.6	
Clarence (C)	50 300	400 0.8		Latrobe (M)	8 700	190 2.3	
West Tamar (M)	21 100	380 1.8		Kingborough (M)	31 000	630 2.1	

POPULATION CHANGE TASMANIA *continued*

DECREASES IN POPULATION

Only five out of 29 LGAs in Tasmania lost population in 2003-04, with the largest loss occurring in the north-eastern LGA of Dorset (M), which decreased by 120 people. The population of West Coast (M) decreased by 100 people, making it the second largest decrease in the state.

Of LGAs with a population of greater than 2,000 at June 2003, Central Highlands (M) experienced the fastest decrease in population, down 2.2% during the year to June 2004. In five years since 1999 the LGA of West Coast (M) experienced the highest average rate of decline, decreasing by 2.0% per year.

LGAs WITH LARGEST AND FASTEST POPULATION DECLINE, Tasmania

LARGEST DECLINE				FASTEST DECLINE (a)			
LGA	ERP	POPULATION CHANGE		LGA	ERP	POPULATION CHANGE	
	2004p	2003-2004p			2004p	2003-2004p	
	no.	no.	%		no.	no.	%
.....							
Dorset (M)	7 100	-120	-1.7	Central Highlands (M)	2 300	-50	-2.2
West Coast (M)	5 100	-100	-2.0	West Coast (M)	5 100	-100	-2.0
Central Highlands (M)	2 300	-50	-2.2	Dorset (M)	7 100	-120	-1.7
King Island (M)	1 600	-50	-2.7	Derwent Valley (M)	9 400	-30	-0.3
Derwent Valley (M)	9 400	-30	-0.3				

(a) Excludes LGAs with a population of less than 2,000 at June 2003.

POPULATION CHANGE NORTHERN TERRITORY

INCREASE IN NORTHERN TERRITORY POPULATION

The estimated resident population of the Northern Territory at June 2004 was 199,900, an increase of 1,400 people (or 0.7%) since June 2003, after a slight decrease (of 0.1%) in 2002-03.

DARWIN SD

Around 55% (109,500 people) of the Northern Territory's population resided in the Darwin SD at June 2004. Darwin SD's growth rate of 1.3% (1,400 people) for 2003-04 was slightly less than the average annual growth rate recorded over the five years to June 2004 (of 1.2%).

The population of Darwin City SSD increased by 760 people in 2003-04, to 69,400 people at June 2004. Further residential development contributed to population growth in the SLAs of Stuart Park (up 470 people or 11.8%), Tiwi (up 220 people or 8.5%) and City - Inner (up 40 people or 1.8%). Minor population losses were recorded in older and more established SLAs such as Rapid Creek, Nightcliff and Fannie Bay (each down 20 people).

The SSDs of Palmerston-East Arm and Litchfield Shire both experienced continued population growth during 2003-04. Palmerston-East Arm gained 370 people (or 1.6%) with the largest increases occurring in the SLAs of Palmerston (C) Bal (up 190 people or 5.5%) and Bakewell (up 170 people or 4.9%). The population of Litchfield Shire increased by 310 people (or 1.9%), with almost all population growth taking place within the SLA of Litchfield (S) - Pt B (up 290 people or 2.0%).

NORTHERN TERRITORY - BAL SD

The population of the Balance of the Northern Territory decreased by 70 people (down 0.1%) during 2003-04. This overall decline in population was mainly due to population decreases in Alice Springs (T) (down 200 people) and Katherine (T) (down 190 people). Small population increases were recorded in the SLAs of East Arnhem - Bal (up 90 people), Western Arnhem and Petermann (each up 40 people), and Sandover (up 30 people).

SLAs WITH LARGEST POPULATION GROWTH AND DECLINE, Northern Territory

ERP		POPULATION CHANGE		ERP		POPULATION CHANGE	
2004p		2003-2004p		2004p		2003-2004p	
SLA	no.	no.	%	SLA	no.	no.	%
LARGEST GROWTH				LARGEST DECLINE			
Stuart Park	4 400	470	11.8	Katherine (T)	8 400	-190	-2.2
Litchfield (S) - Pt B	14 700	290	2.0	Alice Springs (T) - Ross	7 500	-160	-2.1
Tiwi	2 800	220	8.5	Alice Springs (T) -			
Palmerston (C) Bal	3 600	190	5.5	Larapinta	9 000	-120	-1.3
Bakewell	3 600	170	4.9	Tennant Creek (T)	2 900	-40	-1.3
				Rapid Creek	3 000	-20	-0.7

POPULATION CHANGE AUSTRALIAN CAPITAL TERRITORY

ACT SUMMARY

The estimated resident population of the Australian Capital Territory (ACT) increased by 660 people during 2003–04, to 324,000 people. The annual growth rate of 0.2% was the lowest of the states and territories, and below the ACT's average annual growth of 0.7% for the five years to June 2004.

Gungahlin-Hall SSD continued as the ACT's main region of growth, with an increase of 2,000 people (or 7.4%) in the year to June 2004. Increases in population were also recorded in North Canberra (up 620 people) and South Canberra (up 100 people). Decreases in population were recorded in the remaining SSDs of the ACT. Belconnen SSD decreased by 630 people, Tuggeranong SSD by 610 people, Woden SSD by 460 people and Weston Creek-Stromlo SSD by 430 people.

POPULATION GROWTH SLA growth in the ACT

In 2003–04 population growth continued in areas on the suburban fringes of Canberra as well as in a number of inner city SLAs.

On the northern edge of Canberra, the population of Gungahlin-Hall - SSD Bal, which includes Gungahlin Town Centre, increased by 1,300 people during 2003–04, while the nearby SLAs of Amaroo and Nicholls increased by 630 and 220 people respectively. Dunlop, on the north-western edge of the Belconnen SSD, increased by 730 people, and Banks, the southern-most suburb of Canberra, increased by 420 people.

In Canberra's inner north the populations of Turner and Braddon increased by 550 and 230 people respectively, while in South Canberra, Barton increased by 220 people.

Growth in the surrounding region

Population growth in NSW LGAs adjacent to the ACT continued in 2003–04, in part due to their proximity to the city of Canberra. The population of Greater Queanbeyan (C) increased by 450 people, Yass Valley (A) increased by 200 people, and the LGA of Eastern Capital City Regional (A) increased by 140 people.

SLA DECREASES

More than half of the SLAs in the ACT experienced decreases in population in 2003–04. The population of the ACT's largest SLA, Kambah, is estimated to have decreased by 290 people, while smaller decreases were recorded for Wanniasa (down 240 people), Evatt and Kaleen (each down 140 people), and Curtin (down 130).

SLAs WITH LARGEST POPULATION GROWTH AND DECLINE, Australian Capital Territory

SLA	POPULATION CHANGE			SLA	POPULATION CHANGE		
	ERP 2004p no.	2003-2004p no.	%		ERP 2004p no.	2003-2004p no.	%
LARGEST GROWTH				LARGEST DECLINE			
Gungahlin-Hall - SSD				Kambah	16 200	-290	-1.7
Bal(a)	2 000	1 300	191.6	Wanniasa	8 300	-240	-2.8
Dunlop	4 900	730	17.6	Evatt	5 700	-140	-2.4
Amaroo	5 400	630	13.1	Kaleen	8 000	-140	-1.8
Turner	3 100	550	21.7	Curtin	5 200	-130	-2.4
Banks	4 300	420	11.1				

(a) The very high proportional increase for Gungahlin-Hall - SSD Bal in 2003–04 (of 191.6%) is due to the small June 2003 population (of 680 people) used as the denominator in calculating this increase.



ESTIMATED RESIDENT POPULATION, Local Government Areas—NSW

Local Government Area	ERP AT 30 JUNE			CHANGE		STATE RANK (2003–2004)		
	1999	2003r	2004p	1999–2004p(a)	2003–2004p	Fastest	Largest	
	no.	no.	no.	%	no. %	no.	no.	
Albury (C)	43 069	44 659	44 887	0.8	228 0.5	59	49	
Armidale Dumaresq (A)	24 939	24 657	24 596	–0.3	–61 –0.2	107	144	
Ashfield (A)	40 729	40 298	40 258	–0.2	–40 –0.1	94	131	
Auburn (A)	57 581	61 082	62 797	1.7	1 715 2.8	3	6	
Ballina (A)	36 931	39 239	39 546	1.4	307 0.8	46	43	
Balranald (A)	2 890	2 759	2 737	–1.1	–22 –0.8	147	114	
Bankstown (C)	168 605	174 390	175 428	0.8	1 038 0.6	54	19	
Barraba (A)	2 319	2 204	2 185	–1.2	–19 –0.9	149	111	
Bathurst (C)	29 875	31 214	31 564	1.1	350 1.1	36	40	
Baulkham Hills (A)	134 443	154 388	157 854	3.3	3 466 2.2	6	3	
Bega Valley (A)	29 758	31 477	31 955	1.4	478 1.5	23	32	
Bellingen (A)	12 741	12 777	12 720	—	–57 –0.4	124	141	
Berrigan (A)	8 157	8 156	8 188	0.1	32 0.4	65	73	
Bingara (A)	2 077	2 041	2 029	–0.5	–12 –0.6	135	102	
Blacktown (C)	255 176	273 077	278 532	1.8	5 455 2.0	12	1	
Bland (A)	6 593	6 598	6 552	–0.1	–46 –0.7	142	136	
Blayney (A)	6 483	6 645	6 688	0.6	43 0.6	50	72	
Blue Mountains (C)	76 171	77 415	77 011	0.2	–404 –0.5	128	161	
Bogan (A)	3 246	3 114	3 122	–0.8	8 0.3	76	83	
Bombala (A)	2 796	2 570	2 545	–1.9	–25 –1.0	153	119	
Boorowa (A)	2 497	2 447	2 476	–0.2	29 1.2	32	74	
Botany Bay (C)	36 879	37 446	37 192	0.2	–254 –0.7	139	160	
Bourke (A)	3 930	3 935	3 924	—	–11 –0.3	112	101	
Brewarrina (A)	2 172	2 145	2 143	–0.3	–2 –0.1	93	89	
Broken Hill (C)	21 476	20 651	20 440	–1.0	–211 –1.0	154	159	
Burwood (A)	30 044	30 806	31 085	0.7	279 0.9	42	45	
Byron (A)	28 506	30 383	30 724	1.5	341 1.1	35	41	
Cabonne (A)	12 413	12 610	12 626	0.3	16 0.1	81	80	
Camden (A)	40 324	49 416	50 302	4.5	886 1.8	18	22	
Campbelltown (C)	149 339	150 483	149 961	0.1	–522 –0.3	119	163	
Canada Bay (A)	59 523	64 626	66 148	2.1	1 522 2.4	5	9	
Canterbury (C)	137 503	135 477	135 048	–0.4	–429 –0.3	116	162	
Carrathool (A)	3 210	3 317	3 308	0.6	–9 –0.3	111	98	
Central Darling (A)	2 466	2 390	2 418	–0.4	28 1.2	33	75	
Cessnock (C)	46 775	47 809	48 143	0.6	334 0.7	47	42	
Clarence Valley (A)	47 688	49 147	49 422	0.7	275 0.6	57	46	
Cobar (A)	5 404	5 072	5 020	–1.5	–52 –1.0	155	138	
Coffs Harbour (C)	61 182	65 330	66 529	1.7	1 199 1.8	15	13	
Conargo (A)	1 854	1 805	1 791	–0.7	–14 –0.8	..	105	
Coolah (A)	3 932	3 904	3 877	–0.3	–27 –0.7	140	121	
Coolamon (A)	4 035	4 101	4 111	0.4	10 0.2	77	82	
Cooma-Monaro (A)	9 780	9 796	9 773	—	–23 –0.2	104	116	
Coonabarabran (A)	6 928	6 756	6 673	–0.7	–83 –1.2	158	147	
Coonamble (A)	4 927	4 755	4 728	–0.8	–27 –0.6	133	121	
Cootamundra (A)	7 638	7 602	7 596	–0.1	–6 –0.1	90	92	
Corowa (A)	8 518	8 596	8 596	0.2	— —	86	86	
Cowra (A)	12 832	13 099	13 147	0.5	48 0.4	68	69	
Culcairn (A)	4 143	4 023	4 017	–0.6	–6 –0.1	99	92	
Deniliquin (A)	8 238	8 274	8 214	–0.1	–60 –0.7	144	143	
Dubbo (C)	37 746	38 909	39 077	0.7	168 0.4	63	57	
Dungog (A)	8 107	8 421	8 379	0.7	–42 –0.5	127	135	
Eastern Capital City Regional (A)	10 288	11 185	11 325	1.9	140 1.3	29	62	
Eurobodalla (A)	32 346	35 267	35 902	2.1	635 1.8	17	29	
Evans (A)	5 357	5 381	5 356	—	–25 –0.5	126	119	
Fairfield (C)	187 881	188 329	187 683	—	–646 –0.3	118	165	

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(a) Average annual growth rate.

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ESTIMATED RESIDENT POPULATION, Local Government Areas—NSW *continued*

Local Government Area	ERP AT 30 JUNE			CHANGE		STATE RANK (2003–2004)	
	1999	2003r	2004p	1999– 2004p(a)	2003–2004p	Fastest	Largest
	no.	no.	no.	%	no. %	no.	no.
Forbes (A)	10 181	10 091	9 974	–0.4	–117 –1.2	157	152
Gilgandra (A)	4 878	4 736	4 682	–0.8	–54 –1.1	156	139
Glen Innes (A)	6 081	5 983	5 945	–0.5	–38 –0.6	137	128
Gloucester (A)	4 970	4 907	4 902	–0.3	–5 –0.1	95	91
Gosford (C)	156 512	162 419	162 841	0.8	422 0.3	75	35
Great Lakes (A)	30 700	33 553	34 186	2.2	633 1.9	14	30
Greater Argyle (A)	26 158	26 900	27 003	0.6	103 0.4	66	65
Greater Queanbeyan (C)	31 101	35 884	36 331	3.2	447 1.2	30	34
Greater Taree (C)	44 190	45 761	46 474	1.0	713 1.6	22	28
Griffith (C)	23 400	24 758	24 909	1.3	151 0.6	53	59
Gundagai (A)	3 770	3 773	3 763	—	–10 –0.3	109	100
Gunnedah (A)	12 701	12 370	12 287	–0.7	–83 –0.7	138	147
Guyra (A)	4 426	4 453	4 441	0.1	–12 –0.3	110	102
Harden (A)	3 856	3 802	3 771	–0.4	–31 –0.8	148	125
Hastings (A)	61 914	68 423	69 737	2.4	1 314 1.9	13	11
Hawkesbury (C)	61 502	63 655	63 598	0.7	–57 –0.1	92	141
Hay (A)	3 682	3 577	3 549	–0.7	–28 –0.8	146	124
Holbrook (A)	2 547	2 467	2 470	–0.6	3 0.1	83	85
Holroyd (C)	86 092	90 470	91 211	1.2	741 0.8	44	27
Hornsby (A)	149 735	155 862	156 929	0.9	1 067 0.7	49	17
Hume (A)	7 443	7 995	8 166	1.9	171 2.1	9	56
Hunter's Hill (A)	13 164	13 682	13 911	1.1	229 1.7	20	48
Hurstville (C)	71 915	75 177	75 640	1.0	463 0.6	51	33
Inverell (A)	15 491	15 768	15 729	0.3	–39 –0.2	106	130
Jerilderie (A)	1 921	1 892	1 883	–0.4	–9 –0.5	..	98
Junee (A)	5 907	5 887	5 887	–0.1	— —	86	86
Kempsey (A)	27 025	27 831	28 114	0.8	283 1.0	37	44
Kiama (A)	19 205	20 240	20 176	1.0	–64 –0.3	115	145
Kogarah (A)	50 727	53 737	55 012	1.6	1 275 2.4	4	12
Ku-ring-gai (A)	106 099	108 684	108 830	0.5	146 0.1	80	60
Kyogle (A)	9 894	9 666	9 628	–0.5	–38 –0.4	123	128
Lachlan (A)	7 569	7 472	7 431	–0.4	–41 –0.5	131	134
Lake Macquarie (C)	183 149	189 017	189 196	0.7	179 0.1	84	54
Lane Cove (A)	31 614	32 248	32 341	0.5	93 0.3	73	66
Leeton (A)	11 436	12 009	12 028	1.0	19 0.2	79	78
Leichhardt (A)	48 793	51 078	51 430	1.1	352 0.7	48	38
Lismore (C)	43 209	43 015	43 229	—	214 0.5	60	51
Lithgow (C)	20 059	20 447	20 564	0.5	117 0.6	56	64
Liverpool (C)	144 973	165 533	167 880	3.0	2 347 1.4	25	4
Lockhart (A)	3 582	3 541	3 528	–0.3	–13 –0.4	120	104
Maitland (C)	54 051	58 900	59 949	2.1	1 049 1.8	19	18
Manilla (A)	3 321	3 273	3 254	–0.4	–19 –0.6	134	111
Manly (A)	38 016	38 841	38 987	0.5	146 0.4	67	60
Marrickville (A)	77 882	75 937	75 870	–0.5	–67 –0.1	91	146
Merriwa (A)	2 350	2 334	2 312	–0.3	–22 –0.9	151	114
Moree Plains (A)	15 726	16 141	16 027	0.4	–114 –0.7	143	151
Mosman (A)	27 678	28 155	28 420	0.5	265 0.9	40	47
Mudgee (A)	18 084	18 445	18 421	0.4	–24 –0.1	97	117
Murray (A)	5 887	6 467	6 604	2.3	137 2.1	11	63
Murrumbidgee (A)	2 607	2 643	2 636	0.2	–7 –0.3	108	94
Murrumbidgee (A)	2 177	2 159	2 165	–0.1	6 0.3	74	84
Muswellbrook (A)	15 250	15 280	15 195	–0.1	–85 –0.6	132	149
Nambucca (A)	18 092	18 128	18 525	0.5	397 2.2	8	36

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Local Government Area	ERP AT 30 JUNE			CHANGE		STATE RANK (2003–2004)		
	1999	2003r	2004p	1999– 2004p(a)	2003–2004p	Fastest	Largest	
	no.	no.	no.	%	no. %	no.	no.	
Narrabri (A)	14 392	14 373	14 239	–0.2	–134 –0.9	150	153	
Narrandera (A)	6 883	6 634	6 594	–0.9	–40 –0.6	136	131	
Narromine (A)	6 934	7 036	7 020	0.2	–16 –0.2	103	107	
Newcastle (C)	139 366	144 273	145 633	0.9	1 360 0.9	39	10	
North Sydney (A)	57 948	59 999	60 789	1.0	790 1.3	27	25	
Nundle (A)	1 356	1 317	1 310	–0.7	–7 –0.5	—	94	
Oberon (A)	4 783	5 082	5 106	1.3	24 0.5	62	76	
Orange (C)	36 151	37 500	37 546	0.8	46 0.1	82	70	
Parkes (A)	15 126	15 061	15 034	–0.1	–27 –0.2	100	121	
Parramatta (C)	144 813	148 912	151 076	0.9	2 164 1.5	24	5	
Parry (A)	12 465	12 844	12 807	0.5	–37 –0.3	113	127	
Penrith (C)	173 327	178 107	177 554	0.5	–553 –0.3	114	164	
Pittwater (A)	55 671	56 789	56 954	0.5	165 0.3	71	58	
Port Stephens (A)	56 389	61 336	62 448	2.1	1 112 1.8	16	15	
Quirindi (A)	4 948	4 947	4 928	–0.1	–19 –0.4	122	111	
Randwick (C)	124 703	125 905	126 431	0.3	526 0.4	64	31	
Richmond Valley (A)	21 098	20 984	20 838	–0.2	–146 –0.7	141	154	
Rockdale (C)	90 834	94 089	95 036	0.9	947 1.0	38	20	
Ryde (C)	97 626	99 436	99 662	0.4	226 0.2	78	50	
Rylstone (A)	3 862	3 828	3 821	–0.2	–7 –0.2	101	94	
Scone (A)	9 941	9 873	9 819	–0.2	–54 –0.5	130	139	
Severn (A)	2 920	2 853	2 849	–0.5	–4 –0.1	98	90	
Shellharbour (C)	57 310	61 527	62 338	1.7	811 1.3	26	24	
Shoalhaven (C)	83 867	90 615	91 765	1.8	1 150 1.3	28	14	
Singleton (A)	20 916	21 713	21 913	0.9	200 0.9	41	53	
Snowy River (A)	6 801	7 322	7 322	1.5	— —	86	86	
Strathfield (A)	28 682	30 199	31 129	1.7	930 3.1	2	21	
Sutherland Shire (A)	210 256	214 933	214 784	0.4	–149 –0.1	89	155	
Sydney (C)	122 337	141 237	146 297	3.6	5 060 3.6	1	2	
Tamworth (C)	36 427	37 094	37 272	0.5	178 0.5	61	55	
Temora (A)	6 162	6 302	6 295	0.4	–7 –0.1	96	94	
Tenterfield (A)	6 802	6 800	6 785	–0.1	–15 –0.2	102	106	
Tumbarumba (A)	3 784	3 658	3 623	–0.9	–35 –1.0	152	126	
Tumut (A)	11 269	11 547	11 382	0.2	–165 –1.4	160	157	
Tweed (A)	70 764	78 195	79 910	2.5	1 715 2.2	7	6	
Upper Lachlan (A)	7 534	7 577	7 621	0.2	44 0.6	55	71	
Uralla (A)	6 015	6 021	6 040	0.1	19 0.3	70	78	
Urana (A)	1 510	1 413	1 395	–1.6	–18 –1.3	..	109	
Wagga Wagga (C)	56 833	57 205	57 557	0.3	352 0.6	52	38	
Wakool (A)	4 891	4 853	4 837	–0.2	–16 –0.3	117	107	
Walcha (A)	3 287	3 285	3 261	–0.2	–24 –0.7	145	117	
Walgett (A)	8 449	8 201	8 096	–0.8	–105 –1.3	159	150	
Warren (A)	3 356	3 300	3 282	–0.4	–18 –0.5	129	109	
Warringham (A)	133 470	137 555	138 646	0.8	1 091 0.8	45	16	
Waverley (A)	63 964	62 246	62 096	–0.6	–150 –0.2	105	156	
Weddin (A)	3 853	3 812	3 823	–0.2	11 0.3	72	81	
Wellington (A)	8 856	8 708	8 668	–0.4	–40 –0.5	125	131	
Wentworth (A)	7 172	7 213	7 236	0.2	23 0.3	69	77	
Willoughby (C)	59 112	63 126	63 905	1.6	779 1.2	31	26	
Wingecarbee (A)	40 631	43 922	44 311	1.7	389 0.9	43	37	
Wollondilly (A)	36 806	39 815	40 661	2.0	846 2.1	10	23	

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(a) Average annual growth rate.

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ESTIMATED RESIDENT POPULATION, Local Government Areas—NSW *continued*

Local Government Area	ERP AT 30 JUNE			CHANGE			STATE RANK (2003–2004)	
	1999	2003r	2004p	1999– 2004p(a)	2003–2004p		Fastest	Largest
	no.	no.	no.	%	no.	%	no.	no.
Wollongong (C)	186 575	191 467	191 558	0.5	91	—	85	67
Woollahra (A)	52 768	53 295	53 095	0.1	–200	–0.4	121	158
Wyong (A)	128 737	140 189	141 764	1.9	1 575	1.1	34	8
Yallaroi (A)	3 259	3 183	3 137	–0.8	–46	–1.4	161	136
Yass Valley (A)	11 260	12 345	12 549	2.2	204	1.7	21	52
Young (A)	11 706	11 894	11 957	0.4	63	0.5	58	68
Unincorporated NSW	1 261	1 189	1 172	–1.5	–17	–1.4	..	..
Total New South Wales	6 411 370	6 682 053	6 731 295	1.0	49 242	0.7	..	..

.. not applicable

— nil or rounded to zero (including null cells)

(a) Average annual growth rate.

ESTIMATED RESIDENT POPULATION, Local Government Areas—Vic.

Local Government Area	ERP AT 30 JUNE			CHANGE		STATE RANK (2003–2004)	
	1999	2003r	2004p	1999– 2004p(a)	2003–2004p	Fastest growth	Largest growth
	no.	no.	no.	%	no. %	no.	no.
Alpine (S)	12 449	13 090	13 168	1.1	78 0.6	39	48
Ararat (RC)	11 748	11 618	11 539	–0.4	–79 –0.7	73	69
Ballarat (C)	81 392	85 851	87 148	1.4	1 297 1.5	21	13
Banyule (C)	118 714	118 005	117 323	–0.2	–682 –0.6	70	79
Bass Coast (S)	23 554	27 612	28 512	3.9	900 3.3	8	17
Baw Baw (S)	35 352	37 193	37 935	1.4	742 2.0	15	21
Bayside (C)	87 183	89 221	89 232	0.5	11 —	57	56
Benalla (RC)	13 964	14 049	14 067	0.1	18 0.1	53	54
Boroondara (C)	155 241	157 696	158 290	0.4	594 0.4	44	24
Brimbank (C)	164 277	172 783	174 426	1.2	1 643 1.0	30	11
Buloke (S)	7 616	7 133	7 058	–1.5	–75 –1.1	78	68
Campaspe (S)	35 843	36 882	37 193	0.7	311 0.8	34	33
Cardinia (S)	44 974	51 228	54 543	3.9	3 315 6.5	3	6
Casey (C)	166 132	201 668	210 389	4.8	8 721 4.3	5	1
Central Goldfields (S)	13 003	13 054	12 964	–0.1	–90 –0.7	74	71
Colac-Otway (S)	20 682	21 290	21 495	0.8	205 1.0	29	42
Corangamite (S)	17 758	17 286	17 327	–0.5	41 0.2	49	53
Darebin (C)	127 600	127 167	127 521	—	354 0.3	47	31
East Gippsland (S)	39 496	40 018	40 826	0.7	808 2.0	14	20
Frankston (C)	111 060	116 937	118 951	1.4	2 014 1.7	19	9
Gannawarra (S)	12 193	11 873	11 837	–0.6	–36 –0.3	68	64
Glen Eira (C)	121 426	122 621	122 901	0.2	280 0.2	50	35
Glenelg (S)	20 666	20 144	20 220	–0.4	76 0.4	43	49
Golden Plains (S)	14 231	15 747	16 319	2.8	572 3.6	6	25
Greater Bendigo (C)	87 781	92 960	94 614	1.5	1 654 1.8	18	10
Greater Dandenong (C)	129 347	127 225	127 230	–0.3	5 —	58	57
Greater Geelong (C)	188 600	199 824	202 615	1.4	2 791 1.4	22	8
Greater Shepparton (C)	55 974	59 517	60 025	1.4	508 0.9	33	26
Hepburn (S)	14 173	14 566	14 828	0.9	262 1.8	17	39
Hindmarsh (S)	6 761	6 461	6 407	–1.1	–54 –0.8	76	66
Hobsons Bay (C)	81 755	83 756	83 199	0.4	–557 –0.7	72	78
Horsham (RC)	18 378	18 670	18 901	0.6	231 1.2	26	41
Hume (C)	128 415	144 138	148 195	2.9	4 057 2.8	11	4
Indigo (S)	14 476	14 959	15 091	0.8	132 0.9	32	45
Kingston (C)	132 819	135 831	136 684	0.6	853 0.6	38	18
Knox (C)	143 126	149 974	150 044	0.9	70 —	55	51
Latrobe (C)	71 027	70 116	70 315	–0.2	199 0.3	46	43
Loddon (S)	8 879	8 476	8 407	–1.1	–69 –0.8	75	67
Macedon Ranges (S)	36 323	38 907	40 004	1.9	1 097 2.8	10	14
Manningham (C)	112 019	114 059	113 920	0.3	–139 –0.1	62	74
Mansfield (S)	6 569	6 807	6 997	1.3	190 2.8	12	44
Maribymong (C)	60 770	61 788	62 054	0.4	266 0.4	41	37
Maroondah (C)	98 277	100 678	100 943	0.5	265 0.3	48	38
Melbourne (C)	44 874	57 960	61 670	6.6	3 710 6.4	4	5
Melton (S)	44 732	65 427	71 350	9.8	5 923 9.1	1	3
Mildura (RC)	48 057	50 619	51 263	1.3	644 1.3	25	22
Mitchell (S)	27 027	30 503	31 574	3.2	1 071 3.5	7	16
Moirā (S)	26 365	27 104	27 464	0.8	360 1.3	23	30
Monash (C)	161 244	161 644	161 544	—	–100 –0.1	60	73
Moonee Valley (C)	110 339	109 434	109 165	–0.2	–269 –0.2	67	76
Moorabool (S)	24 295	25 737	26 138	1.5	401 1.6	20	27
Moreland (C)	136 264	135 597	135 843	–0.1	246 0.2	52	40
Mornington Peninsula (S)	125 069	137 299	138 773	2.1	1 474 1.1	27	12
Mount Alexander (S)	17 002	17 252	17 242	0.3	–10 –0.1	59	60
Moynē (S)	15 923	15 786	15 851	–0.1	65 0.4	42	52

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(a) Average annual growth rate.

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ESTIMATED RESIDENT POPULATION, Local Government Areas—Vic. *continued*

Local Government Area	ERP AT 30 JUNE			CHANGE		STATE RANK (2003–2004)	
	1999	2003r	2004p	1999– 2004p(a)	2003–2004p	Fastest growth	Largest growth
	no.	no.	no.	%	no. %	no.	no.
Murrindindi (S)	13 232	13 812	13 908	1.0	96 0.7	37	47
Nillumbik (S)	59 315	60 512	60 623	0.4	111 0.2	51	46
Northern Grampians (S)	13 206	12 831	12 749	–0.7	–82 –0.6	71	70
Port Phillip (C)	77 415	82 230	82 857	1.4	627 0.8	36	23
Pyrenees (S)	6 760	6 539	6 532	–0.7	–7 –0.1	61	59
Queenscliffe (B)	3 360	3 222	3 212	–0.9	–10 –0.3	69	60
South Gippsland (S)	25 791	26 612	26 888	0.8	276 1.0	28	36
Southern Grampians (S)	17 310	16 934	16 902	–0.5	–32 –0.2	65	63
Stonnington (C)	88 721	90 087	90 903	0.5	816 0.9	31	19
Strathbogie (S)	9 483	9 632	9 616	0.3	–16 –0.2	64	62
Surf Coast (S)	19 394	22 072	22 471	3.0	399 1.8	16	28
Swan Hill (RC)	20 948	21 389	21 461	0.5	72 0.3	45	50
Towong (S)	6 441	6 202	6 204	–0.7	2 —	56	58
Wangaratta (RC)	26 568	26 625	26 641	0.1	16 0.1	54	55
Warrambbool (C)	28 651	30 317	30 708	1.4	391 1.3	24	29
Wellington (S)	41 983	41 134	41 450	–0.3	316 0.8	35	32
West Wimmera (S)	5 037	4 786	4 741	–1.2	–45 –0.9	77	65
Whitehorse (C)	146 275	145 278	144 935	–0.2	–343 –0.2	66	77
Whittlesea (C)	113 036	123 247	126 297	2.2	3 050 2.5	13	7
Wodonga (RC)	31 292	33 759	34 831	2.2	1 072 3.2	9	15
Wyndham (C)	82 069	99 490	107 868	5.6	8 378 8.4	2	2
Yarra (C)	68 015	69 450	69 749	0.5	299 0.4	40	34
Yarra Ranges (S)	139 860	143 462	143 228	0.5	–234 –0.2	63	75
Yarriambiack (S)	8 590	8 107	8 014	–1.4	–93 –1.1	79	72
Unincorporated Vic	436	456	457	0.9	1 0.2	..	..
Total Victoria	4 686 402	4 911 425	4 972 779	1.2	61 354 1.2	..	..

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ESTIMATED RESIDENT POPULATION, Local Government Areas—Qld

Local Government Area (a)	ERP AT 30 JUNE			CHANGE			STATE RANK (2003–2004)	
	1999	2003r	2004p	1999–2004p(b)	2003–2004p		Fastest growth	Largest growth
	no.	no.	no.	%	no.	%	no.	no.
Aramac (S)	783	741	712	–1.9	–29	–3.9	..	115
Atherton (S)	10 320	10 900	10 994	1.3	94	0.9	53	41
Aurukun (S)	969	1 146	1 166	3.8	20	1.7	..	66
Badu (IC)	698	np	np	np	np	np	..	..
Balonne (S)	5 247	5 611	5 587	1.3	–24	–0.4	90	113
Bamaga (IC)	847	np	np	np	np	np	..	..
Banana (S)	14 129	14 315	14 266	0.2	–49	–0.3	88	120
Barcaldine (S)	1 749	1 709	1 692	–0.7	–17	–1.0	..	108
Barcoo (S)	476	452	464	–0.5	12	2.7	..	73
Bauhinia (S)	2 220	2 247	2 240	0.2	–7	–0.3	87	96
Beaudesert (S)	51 270	57 574	59 393	3.0	1 819	3.2	9	13
Belyando (S)	10 256	10 500	10 524	0.5	24	0.2	68	62
Bendemere (S)	990	988	994	0.1	6	0.6	..	78
Biggenden (S)	1 574	1 552	1 537	–0.5	–15	–1.0	..	103
Blackall (S)	1 837	1 711	1 659	–2.0	–52	–3.0	..	121
Boigu (IC)	285	np	np	np	np	np	..	..
Boonah (S)	8 318	8 545	8 567	0.6	22	0.3	67	63
Boorunga (S)	1 901	1 877	1 861	–0.4	–16	–0.9	..	105
Boulia (S)	565	558	553	–0.4	–5	–0.9	..	93
Bowen (S)	12 614	12 546	12 566	–0.1	20	0.2	70	66
Brisbane (C)	864 273	939 442	957 010	2.1	17 568	1.9	28	1
Broadsound (S)	6 866	6 490	6 489	–1.1	–1	—	79	86
Bulloo (S)	483	470	474	–0.4	4	0.9	..	79
Bundaberg (C)	44 077	45 358	45 801	0.8	443	1.0	45	25
Bungil (S)	1 965	1 979	1 959	–0.1	–20	–1.0	..	111
Burdekin (S)	18 631	18 661	18 636	—	–25	–0.1	83	114
Burke (S)	349	502	487	6.9	–15	–3.0	..	103
Burnett (S)	22 787	25 193	25 891	2.6	698	2.8	12	19
Caboolture (S)	110 493	121 271	126 729	2.8	5 458	4.5	5	3
Cairns (C)	115 986	122 328	125 132	1.5	2 804	2.3	21	9
Calliope (S)	14 506	15 793	16 210	2.2	417	2.6	14	26
Cajoundra (C)	71 942	82 998	86 468	3.7	3 470	4.2	6	7
Cambooya (S)	4 721	5 425	5 554	3.3	129	2.4	18	36
Cardwell (S)	9 972	11 079	11 230	2.4	151	1.4	35	31
Carpentaria (S)	2 182	2 412	2 420	2.1	8	0.3	63	75
Charters Towers (C)	8 863	8 816	8 832	–0.1	16	0.2	69	71
Cherbourg (AC)	1 177	np	np	np	np	np	..	..
Chinchilla (S)	5 945	6 078	6 133	0.6	55	0.9	50	53
Clifton (S)	2 430	2 491	2 492	0.5	1	—	76	83
Cloncurry (S)	3 586	3 872	3 836	1.4	–36	–0.9	93	117
Cook (S)	3 590	3 896	4 081	2.6	185	4.7	4	30
Cooloolia (S)	32 995	34 746	35 624	1.5	878	2.5	15	18
Crow's Nest (S)	9 615	11 115	11 677	4.0	562	5.1	3	22
Croydon (S)	292	290	286	–0.4	–4	–1.4	..	89
Dalby (T)	10 011	10 124	10 199	0.4	75	0.7	58	46

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(b) Average annual growth rate.



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	1999	2003r	2004p	1999–2004p(b)	2003–2004p		Fastest growth	Largest growth
	no.	no.	no.	%	no.	%	no.	no.
Dalrymple (S)	3 458	3 518	3 485	0.2	–33	–0.9	94	116
Dauan (IC)	123	np	np	np	np	np	..	..
Diamantina (S)	338	311	306	–2.0	–5	–1.6	..	93
Doomadgee (AC)	1 088	np	np	np	np	np	..	..
Douglas (S)	9 955	11 160	11 275	2.5	115	1.0	42	39
Duaringa (S)	7 175	6 595	6 689	–1.4	94	1.4	34	41
Eacham (S)	6 330	6 417	6 405	0.2	–12	–0.2	85	100
Eidsvold (S)	942	944	936	–0.1	–8	–0.8	..	97
Emerald (S)	12 931	13 373	13 502	0.9	129	1.0	47	36
Erub (IC)	291	np	np	np	np	np	..	..
Esk (S)	14 484	15 067	15 206	1.0	139	0.9	49	34
Etheridge (S)	967	1 023	1 007	0.8	–16	–1.6	..	105
Fitzroy (S)	9 900	10 184	10 280	0.8	96	0.9	48	40
Flinders (S)	2 124	2 092	2 033	–0.9	–59	–2.8	99	122
Gatton (S)	15 328	16 166	16 288	1.2	122	0.8	57	38
Gayndah (S)	2 863	2 913	2 939	0.5	26	0.9	52	61
Gladstone (C)	26 583	27 807	28 503	1.4	696	2.5	16	20
Gold Coast (C)	394 675	455 986	469 214	3.5	13 228	2.9	10	2
Goondiwindi (T)	4 615	4 957	5 023	1.7	66	1.3	36	49
Hammond (IC)	210	np	np	np	np	np	..	..
Herberton (S)	5 328	5 501	5 508	0.7	7	0.1	72	76
Hervey Bay (C)	41 580	46 732	49 371	3.5	2 639	5.6	2	10
Hinchinbrook (S)	12 786	12 340	12 207	–0.9	–133	–1.1	95	126
Hope Vale (AC)	863	np	np	np	np	np	..	..
Iama (IC)	272	np	np	np	np	np	..	..
Ilfracombe (S)	347	375	367	1.1	–8	–2.1	..	97
Inglewood (S)	2 697	2 704	2 637	–0.4	–67	–2.5	97	124
Injinoo (AC)	417	np	np	np	np	np	..	..
Ipswich (C)	124 552	131 896	135 579	1.7	3 683	2.8	11	6
Isis (S)	5 858	6 007	6 141	0.9	134	2.2	22	35
Isisford (S)	299	299	301	0.1	2	0.7	..	82
Jericho (S)	1 070	1 071	1 101	0.6	30	2.8	..	59
Johnstone (S)	19 571	19 545	19 523	—	–22	–0.1	82	112
Jondaryan (S)	12 253	13 563	13 864	2.5	301	2.2	24	28
Kilcoy (S)	3 266	3 423	3 467	1.2	44	1.3	37	56
Kilkivan (S)	3 223	3 264	3 283	0.4	19	0.6	60	68
Kingaroy (S)	11 602	12 153	12 302	1.2	149	1.2	38	33
Kolan (S)	4 620	4 547	4 550	–0.3	3	0.1	75	80
Kowanyama (AC)	1 015	np	np	np	np	np	..	..
Kubin (IC)	202	np	np	np	np	np	..	..
Laidley (S)	12 928	13 200	13 351	0.6	151	1.1	40	31
Livingstone (S)	25 254	27 609	28 222	2.2	613	2.2	23	21
Lockhart River (AC)	619	np	np	np	np	np	..	..
Logan (C)	165 195	171 482	173 331	1.0	1 849	1.1	41	12
Longreach (S)	3 876	4 008	4 009	0.7	1	—	77	83

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	1999	2003r	2004p	1999–2004p(b)	2003–2004p		Fastest growth	Largest growth
	no.	no.	no.	%	no.	%	no.	no.
Mabuiag (IC)	222	np	np	np	np	np	..	..
Mackay (C)	73 911	78 352	79 824	1.6	1 472	1.9	27	15
Mapoon (AC)	198	np	np	np	np	np	..	..
Mareeba (S)	18 380	18 659	18 659	0.3	—	—	78	85
Maroochy (S)	119 494	136 617	141 069	3.4	4 452	3.3	8	5
Maryborough (C)	24 934	25 505	25 595	0.5	90	0.4	61	43
McKinlay (S)	1 099	1 044	1 038	–1.1	–6	–0.6	..	95
Mer (IC)	449	np	np	np	np	np	..	..
Millmerran (S)	3 204	3 340	3 367	1.0	27	0.8	55	60
Mirani (S)	5 166	5 292	5 299	0.5	7	0.1	71	76
Miriam Vale (S)	4 314	4 822	5 113	3.5	291	6.0	1	29
Monto (S)	2 666	2 477	2 473	–1.5	–4	–0.2	84	89
Mornington (S)	1 017	1 046	1 042	0.5	–4	–0.4	..	89
Mount Isa (C)	21 393	20 648	20 663	–0.7	15	0.1	74	72
Mount Morgan (S)	2 908	2 987	3 052	1.0	65	2.2	25	50
Mundubbera (S)	2 350	2 354	2 395	0.4	41	1.7	30	57
Murgon (S)	3 547	3 689	3 722	1.0	33	0.9	51	58
Murilla (S)	2 752	2 727	2 725	–0.2	–2	–0.1	80	87
Murweh (S)	4 911	5 033	5 019	0.4	–14	–0.3	86	102
Nanango (S)	8 245	8 630	8 700	1.1	70	0.8	54	48
Napranum (AC)	786	np	np	np	np	np	..	..
Nebo (S)	2 115	2 160	2 144	0.3	–16	–0.7	91	105
New Mapoon (AC)	333	np	np	np	np	np	..	..
Noosa (S)	41 110	46 515	47 606	3.0	1 091	2.3	20	17
Palm Island (AC)	2 209	np	np	np	np	np	..	..
Paroo (S)	2 247	2 187	2 170	–0.7	–17	–0.8	92	108
Peak Downs (S)	3 090	3 151	3 154	0.4	3	0.1	73	80
Perry (S)	366	441	437	3.6	–4	–0.9	..	89
Pine Rivers (S)	115 456	133 931	139 228	3.8	5 297	4.0	7	4
Pittsworth (S)	4 533	4 811	4 896	1.6	85	1.8	29	45
Pomppuraaw (AC)	604	np	np	np	np	np	..	..
Poruma (IC)	123	np	np	np	np	np	..	..
Quilpie (S)	1 188	1 086	1 073	–2.0	–13	–1.2	..	101
Redcliffe (C)	49 106	51 781	52 303	1.3	522	1.0	43	23
Redland (S)	110 515	124 824	127 777	2.9	2 953	2.4	19	8
Richmond (S)	1 119	1 163	1 145	0.5	–18	–1.5	..	110
Rockhampton (C)	59 358	59 187	59 662	0.1	475	0.8	56	24
Roma (T)	6 555	6 734	6 752	0.6	18	0.3	66	69
Rosalie (S)	8 463	8 874	8 963	1.2	89	1.0	44	44
Saibai (IC)	344	np	np	np	np	np	..	..
Sarina (S)	9 726	9 914	9 979	0.5	65	0.7	59	50
Seisia (IC)	146	np	np	np	np	np	..	..
St Pauls (IC)	236	np	np	np	np	np	..	..
Stanthorpe (S)	10 160	10 614	10 575	0.8	–39	–0.4	89	118
Tambo (S)	600	611	633	1.1	22	3.6	..	63

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(b) Average annual growth rate.

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Local Government Area (a)	ERP AT 30 JUNE			CHANGE			STATE RANK (2003–2004)	
	1999	2003r	2004p	1999–2004p(b)	2003–2004p		Fastest growth	Largest growth
	no.	no.	no.	%	no.	%	no.	no.
Tara (S)	3 774	4 005	3 958	1.0	–47	–1.2	96	119
Taroom (S)	2 705	2 620	2 550	–1.2	–70	–2.7	98	125
Thuringowa (C)	49 279	55 951	57 448	3.1	1 497	2.7	13	14
Tiaro (S)	4 499	4 870	4 941	1.9	71	1.5	33	47
Toowoomba (C)	87 969	92 660	94 043	1.3	1 383	1.5	32	16
Torres (S)	3 235	3 798	3 810	3.3	12	0.3	64	73
Townsville (C)	88 939	95 947	97 923	1.9	1 976	2.1	26	11
Ugar (IC)	60	np	np	np	np	np	..	..
Umagico (AC)	270	np	np	np	np	np	..	..
Waggamba (S)	2 798	3 009	3 006	1.4	–3	–0.1	81	88
Wambo (S)	5 291	5 274	5 292	—	18	0.3	62	69
Warraber (IC)	226	np	np	np	np	np	..	..
Warroo (S)	1 019	1 071	1 063	0.8	–8	–0.7	..	97
Warwick (S)	20 866	21 466	21 530	0.6	64	0.3	65	52
Weipa (T)	2 322	2 174	2 195	–1.1	21	1.0	46	65
Whitsunday (S)	14 926	16 475	16 874	2.5	399	2.4	17	27
Winton (S)	1 621	1 603	1 543	–1.0	–60	–3.7	..	123
Wondai (S)	4 172	4 289	4 339	0.8	50	1.2	39	55
Woocoo (S)	3 003	3 111	3 163	1.0	52	1.7	31	54
Woorabinda (AC)	1 083	np	np	np	np	np	..	..
Wujal Wujal (AC)	361	np	np	np	np	np	..	..
Yarrabah (AC)	2 180	np	np	np	np	np	..	..
Yorke (IC)	317	np	np	np	np	np	..	..
Unincorporated Qld	—	—	—	—	—	—	..	..
Total Queensland	3 501 421	3 801 039	3 882 037	2.1	80 998	2.1	..	..

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ESTIMATED RESIDENT POPULATION, Local Government Areas—SA

Local Government Area	ERP AT 30 JUNE			CHANGE		STATE RANK (2003–2004)	
	1999	2003 ^r	2004 ^p	1999– 2004 ^p (a)	2003–2004 ^p	Fastest growth	Largest growth
	no.	no.	no.	%	no. %	no.	no.
Adelaide (C)	12 785	13 724	14 361	2.4	637 4.6	1	5
Adelaide Hills (DC)	38 397	38 996	38 987	0.3	–9 —	35	40
Alexandrina (DC)	17 368	19 140	19 848	2.7	708 3.7	2	2
Barossa (DC)	19 026	19 980	20 386	1.4	406 2.0	7	8
Barunga West (DC)	2 507	2 618	2 605	0.8	–13 –0.5	52	44
Berri and Barmera (DC)	11 320	11 256	11 216	–0.2	–40 –0.4	48	56
Burnside (C)	42 110	42 772	42 925	0.4	153 0.4	22	15
Campbelltown (C)	46 403	47 111	47 167	0.3	56 0.1	30	26
Ceduna (DC)	3 570	3 615	3 593	0.1	–22 –0.6	53	49
Charles Sturt (C)	103 087	103 496	103 553	0.1	57 0.1	32	25
Clare and Gilbert Valleys (DC)	8 323	8 318	8 300	–0.1	–18 –0.2	43	48
Cleve (DC)	1 919	1 880	1 909	–0.1	29 1.5	..	30
Coober Pedy (DC)	2 540	2 256	2 216	–2.7	–40 –1.8	56	56
Copper Coast (DC)	10 718	11 239	11 419	1.3	180 1.6	10	14
Elliston (DC)	1 182	1 157	1 143	–0.7	–14 –1.2	..	45
Flinders Ranges (DC)	1 848	1 774	1 716	–1.5	–58 –3.3	..	63
Franklin Harbor (DC)	1 260	1 314	1 314	0.8	— —	..	37
Gawler (T)	17 859	18 749	19 060	1.3	311 1.7	9	12
Goyder (DC)	4 415	4 166	4 167	–1.1	1 —	34	36
Grant (DC)	7 898	7 999	8 066	0.4	67 0.8	18	23
Holdfast Bay (C)	33 223	33 957	34 073	0.5	116 0.3	24	17
Kangaroo Island (DC)	4 256	4 382	4 476	1.0	94 2.1	6	18
Karoonda East Murray (DC)	1 325	1 204	1 199	–2.0	–5 –0.4	..	39
Kimba (DC)	1 254	1 198	1 182	–1.2	–16 –1.3	..	46
Kingston (DC)	2 357	2 347	2 313	–0.4	–34 –1.4	55	53
Le Hunte (DC)	1 524	1 453	1 416	–1.5	–37 –2.5	..	55
Light (RegC)	10 106	11 382	11 711	3.0	329 2.9	3	10
Lower Eyre Peninsula (DC)	4 149	4 240	4 295	0.7	55 1.3	13	27
Loxton Waikerie (DC)	12 338	12 219	12 184	–0.3	–35 –0.3	45	54
Mallala (DC)	7 287	7 666	7 740	1.2	74 1.0	15	22
Marion (C)	78 232	80 039	80 512	0.6	473 0.6	20	7
Mid Murray (DC)	8 326	8 434	8 443	0.3	9 0.1	31	33
Mitcham (C)	61 878	62 572	62 460	0.2	–112 –0.2	41	66
Mount Barker (DC)	22 625	24 936	25 591	2.5	655 2.6	5	4
Mount Gambier (C)	23 297	23 558	23 640	0.3	82 0.3	23	20
Mount Remarkable (DC)	3 054	2 919	2 853	–1.4	–66 –2.3	57	64
Murray Bridge (RC)	16 858	17 425	17 654	0.9	229 1.3	12	13
Naracoorte and Lucindale (DC)	8 201	8 275	8 248	0.1	–27 –0.3	47	51
Northern Areas (DC)	4 881	4 692	4 652	–1.0	–40 –0.9	54	56
Norwood Payneham St Peters (C)	33 505	33 974	34 054	0.3	80 0.2	28	21
Onkaparinga (C)	148 720	152 833	153 496	0.6	663 0.4	21	3
Orroroo/Carrieton (DC)	1 050	996	980	–1.4	–16 –1.6	..	46
Peterborough (DC)	2 163	1 961	1 917	–2.4	–44 –2.2	..	59
Playford (C)	67 408	70 022	70 602	0.9	580 0.8	19	6
Port Adelaide Enfield (C)	101 659	103 485	103 830	0.4	345 0.3	25	9
Port Augusta (C)	13 978	13 787	13 743	–0.3	–44 –0.3	46	59
Port Lincoln (C)	13 343	14 265	14 399	1.5	134 0.9	16	16
Port Pirie City and Dists (M)	17 873	17 480	17 436	–0.5	–44 –0.3	44	59
Prospect (C)	19 185	19 295	19 265	0.1	–30 –0.2	38	52
Renmark Paringa (DC)	9 794	9 731	9 728	–0.1	–3 —	36	38
Robe (DC)	1 353	1 372	1 377	0.4	5 0.4	..	35
Roxby Downs (M)	3 605	3 730	3 621	0.1	–109 –2.9	58	65
Salisbury (C)	113 203	117 124	119 272	1.0	2 148 1.8	8	1
Southern Mallee (DC)	2 315	2 217	2 208	–0.9	–9 –0.4	49	40
Streaky Bay (DC)	1 976	2 001	2 018	0.4	17 0.8	17	32

.. not applicable

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ESTIMATED RESIDENT POPULATION, Local Government Areas—SA *continued*

Local Government Area	ERP AT 30 JUNE			CHANGE			STATE RANK (2003–2004)	
	1999	2003r	2004p	1999– 2004p(a)	2003–2004p		Fastest growth	Largest growth
	no.	no.	no.	%	no.	%	no.	no.
Tatiara (DC)	7 069	7 114	7 104	0.1	–10	–0.1	37	42
Tea Tree Gully (C)	98 449	100 247	100 080	0.3	–167	–0.2	39	68
The Coorong (DC)	5 994	5 830	5 804	–0.6	–26	–0.4	51	50
Tumby Bay (DC)	2 654	2 627	2 657	—	30	1.1	14	28
Unley (C)	36 663	36 601	36 442	–0.1	–159	–0.4	50	67
Victor Harbor (C)	10 434	11 764	12 082	3.0	318	2.7	4	11
Wakefield (DC)	6 657	6 565	6 554	–0.3	–11	–0.2	40	43
Walkerville (M)	6 968	7 071	7 093	0.4	22	0.3	26	31
Wattle Range (DC)	12 625	12 286	12 292	–0.5	6	—	33	34
West Torrens (C)	52 275	52 588	52 680	0.2	92	0.2	29	19
Whyalla (C)	23 220	21 592	21 547	–1.5	–45	–0.2	42	62
Yankalilla (DC)	3 791	3 941	4 004	1.1	63	1.6	11	24
Yorke Peninsula (DC)	11 588	11 607	11 637	0.1	30	0.3	27	28
Unincorporated SA	8 596	7 737	7 735	–2.1	–2	—	..	..
Total South Australia	1 497 819	1 526 301	1 534 250	0.5	7 949	0.5	..	..

.. not applicable

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ESTIMATED RESIDENT POPULATION, Local Government Areas—WA

Local Government Area	ERP AT 30 JUNE			CHANGE			STATE RANK (2003–2004)	
	1999	2003r	2004p	1999– 2004p(a)	2003–2004p		Fastest growth	Largest growth
	no.	no.	no.	%	no.	%	no.	no.
Albany (C)	30 103	31 512	31 652	1.0	140	0.4	44	31
Armadale (C)	52 219	52 193	52 478	0.1	285	0.5	43	24
Ashburton (S)	6 379	5 774	5 987	–1.3	213	3.7	8	27
Augusta-Margaret River (S)	9 488	11 000	11 380	3.7	380	3.5	10	18
Bassendean (T)	13 975	14 044	14 078	0.1	34	0.2	48	51
Bayswater (C)	56 014	56 569	56 565	0.2	–4	—	55	89
Belmont (C)	29 064	30 414	30 960	1.3	546	1.8	22	17
Beverley (S)	1 560	1 585	1 585	0.3	—	—	..	68
Boddington (S)	1 517	1 374	1 375	–1.9	1	0.1	..	65
Boyp Brook (S)	1 670	1 607	1 547	–1.5	–60	–3.7	..	121
Bridgetown-Greenbushes (S)	4 126	4 086	3 972	–0.8	–114	–2.8	67	130
Brookton (S)	1 004	1 046	1 049	0.9	3	0.3	..	63
Broome (S)	11 582	13 905	14 273	4.3	368	2.6	15	19
Broomehill (S)	536	490	507	–1.1	17	3.5	..	55
Bruce Rock (S)	1 199	1 061	1 061	–2.4	—	—	..	68
Bunbury (C)	28 905	30 749	31 314	1.6	565	1.8	20	16
Busselton (S)	21 151	24 998	25 950	4.2	952	3.8	7	9
Cambridge (T)	24 560	24 671	24 656	0.1	–15	–0.1	56	94
Canning (C)	75 338	78 773	79 600	1.1	827	1.0	36	12
Capel (S)	6 522	7 979	8 905	6.4	926	11.6	2	10
Carnamah (S)	857	743	710	–3.7	–33	–4.4	..	106
Carnarvon (S)	6 520	6 614	6 340	–0.6	–274	–4.1	72	139
Chapman Valley (S)	873	892	959	1.9	67	7.5	..	41
Chittering (S)	2 633	3 125	3 323	4.8	198	6.3	5	28
Claremont (T)	9 107	9 141	9 142	0.1	1	—	52	65
Cockburn (C)	65 267	72 246	74 606	2.7	2 360	3.3	12	5
Collie (S)	9 160	9 068	8 938	–0.5	–130	–1.4	63	133
Coolgardie (S)	4 696	4 156	3 875	–3.8	–281	–6.8	74	140
Coorow (S)	1 478	1 362	1 358	–1.7	–4	–0.3	..	89
Corrigin (S)	1 304	1 239	1 184	–1.9	–55	–4.4	..	119
Cottesloe (T)	7 439	7 519	7 617	0.5	98	1.3	31	35
Cranbrook (S)	1 092	1 051	1 057	–0.6	6	0.6	..	59
Cuballing (S)	728	723	736	0.2	13	1.8	..	56
Cue (S)	391	370	367	–1.3	–3	–0.8	..	88
Cunderdin (S)	1 465	1 430	1 308	–2.2	–122	–8.5	..	132
Dalwallinu (S)	1 851	1 695	1 592	–3.0	–103	–6.1	..	128
Dandaragan (S)	2 865	2 933	2 956	0.6	23	0.8	40	54
Dardanup (S)	8 155	9 493	9 805	3.8	312	3.3	11	22
Denmark (S)	4 416	5 045	5 128	3.0	83	1.6	25	38
Derby-West Kimberley (S)	7 792	8 662	8 776	2.4	114	1.3	30	32
Donnybrook-Balingup (S)	4 574	4 676	4 723	0.6	47	1.0	38	48
Dowerin (S)	834	790	792	–1.0	2	0.3	..	64
Dumbleyung (S)	806	732	679	–3.4	–53	–7.2	..	117
Dundas (S)	1 410	1 137	1 150	–4.0	13	1.1	..	56
East Fremantle (T)	6 689	6 903	6 885	0.6	–18	–0.3	57	95
East Pilbara (S)	6 319	5 469	5 535	–2.6	66	1.2	33	42
Esperance (S)	13 047	13 338	13 293	0.4	–45	–0.3	58	113
Exmouth (S)	2 190	2 293	2 271	0.7	–22	–1.0	61	99
Fremantle (C)	25 315	26 154	26 266	0.7	112	0.4	45	33
Geraldton (C)	19 945	19 461	19 051	–0.9	–410	–2.1	65	141
Gingin (S)	3 946	4 464	4 528	2.8	64	1.4	28	43
Gnowangerup (S)	1 690	1 493	1 434	–3.2	–59	–4.0	..	120
Goomalling (S)	1 001	956	961	–0.8	5	0.5	..	61
Gosnells (C)	80 535	87 317	90 096	2.3	2 779	3.2	13	4
Greenough (S)	11 909	12 991	13 172	2.0	181	1.4	29	29

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Local Government Area	ERP AT 30 JUNE			CHANGE			STATE RANK (2003–2004)	
	1999	2003r	2004p	1999– 2004p(a)	2003–2004p		Fastest growth	Largest growth
	no.	no.	no.	%	no.	%	no.	no.
Halls Creek (S)	3 625	4 174	4 274	3.3	100	2.4	18	34
Harvey (S)	17 449	18 376	18 948	1.7	572	3.1	14	14
Irwin (S)	2 898	2 989	3 040	1.0	51	1.7	23	47
Jerramungup (S)	1 279	1 198	1 174	–1.7	–24	–2.0	..	100
Joondalup (C)	154 155	157 292	158 216	0.5	924	0.6	42	11
Kalamunda (S)	48 457	49 473	50 202	0.7	729	1.5	27	13
Kalgoorlie/Boulder (C)	30 359	29 648	29 452	–0.6	–196	–0.7	60	138
Katanning (S)	4 582	4 428	4 245	–1.5	–183	–4.1	71	136
Kellerberrin (S)	1 278	1 194	1 153	–2.0	–41	–3.4	..	109
Kent (S)	713	596	577	–4.1	–19	–3.2	..	98
Kojonup (S)	2 374	2 225	2 190	–1.6	–35	–1.6	64	108
Kondinin (S)	1 100	992	998	–1.9	6	0.6	..	59
Koorda (S)	537	473	473	–2.5	—	—	..	68
Kulin (S)	927	885	879	–1.1	–6	–0.7	..	92
Kwinana (T)	21 263	22 538	22 893	1.5	355	1.6	26	20
Lake Grace (S)	1 732	1 556	1 530	–2.4	–26	–1.7	..	104
Laverton (S)	1 221	1 200	1 208	–0.2	8	0.7	..	58
Leonora (S)	2 335	1 985	1 924	–3.8	–61	–3.1	..	122
Mandurah (C)	45 045	54 291	58 587	5.4	4 296	7.9	3	2
Manjimup (S)	10 317	9 990	9 875	–0.9	–115	–1.2	62	131
Meekatharra (S)	1 690	1 486	1 532	–1.9	46	3.1	..	49
Melville (C)	96 036	97 389	97 541	0.3	152	0.2	50	30
Menzies (S)	351	360	360	0.5	—	—	..	68
Merredin (S)	3 780	3 671	3 499	–1.5	–172	–4.7	73	135
Mingenew (S)	599	582	558	–1.4	–24	–4.1	..	100
Moora (S)	2 661	2 674	2 569	–0.7	–105	–3.9	69	129
Morawa (S)	1 048	957	906	–2.9	–51	–5.3	..	116
Mosman Park (T)	8 149	8 511	8 594	1.1	83	1.0	39	38
Mount Magnet (S)	798	829	759	–1.0	–70	–8.4	..	125
Mount Marshall (S)	733	658	616	–3.4	–42	–6.4	..	110
Mukinbudin (S)	729	695	670	–1.7	–25	–3.6	..	103
Mullewa (S)	1 100	1 104	1 059	–0.8	–45	–4.1	..	113
Mundaring (S)	35 026	35 502	35 558	0.3	56	0.2	49	45
Murchison (S)	157	162	162	0.6	—	—	..	68
Murray (S)	10 335	11 543	11 831	2.7	288	2.5	16	23
Nannup (S)	1 198	1 213	1 213	0.2	—	—	..	68
Narembeen (S)	1 014	956	911	–2.1	–45	–4.7	..	113
Narrogin (S)	817	764	746	–1.8	–18	–2.4	..	95
Narrogin (T)	4 702	4 666	4 482	–1.0	–184	–3.9	70	137
Nedlands (C)	21 236	22 065	21 964	0.7	–101	–0.5	59	127
Ngaanyatjaraku (S)	1 498	1 628	1 683	2.4	55	3.4	..	46
Northam (S)	3 468	3 669	3 669	1.1	—	—	53	68
Northam (T)	6 565	6 437	6 290	–0.9	–147	–2.3	66	134
Northampton (S)	3 244	3 320	3 320	0.5	—	—	53	68
Nungarin (S)	269	272	272	0.2	—	—	..	68
Peppermint Grove (S)	1 679	1 650	1 679	—	29	1.8	..	53
Perenjori (S)	620	585	585	–1.2	—	—	..	68
Perth (C)	6 666	9 337	10 469	9.4	1 132	12.1	1	8
Pingelly (S)	1 211	1 178	1 149	–1.0	–29	–2.5	..	105
Plantagenet (S)	4 496	4 620	4 621	0.5	1	—	51	65

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Local Government Area	ERP AT 30 JUNE			CHANGE			STATE RANK (2003–2004)	
	1999	2003r	2004p	1999– 2004p(a)	2003–2004p		Fastest growth	Largest growth
	no.	no.	no.	%	no.	%	no.	no.
Port Hedland (T)	13 134	12 976	12 487	–1.0	–489	–3.8	68	142
Quairading (S)	1 216	1 108	1 041	–3.1	–67	–6.0	..	124
Ravensthorpe (S)	1 481	1 434	1 344	–1.9	–90	–6.3	..	126
Rockingham (C)	69 712	78 608	81 847	3.3	3 239	4.1	6	3
Roebourne (S)	14 847	15 263	15 302	0.6	39	0.3	47	50
Sandstone (S)	147	150	150	0.4	—	—	..	68
Serpentine-Jarrahdale (S)	11 069	12 178	12 443	2.4	265	2.2	19	25
Shark Bay (S)	935	963	968	0.7	5	0.5	..	61
South Perth (C)	37 178	38 150	38 413	0.7	263	0.7	41	26
Stirling (C)	174 250	179 014	181 079	0.8	2 065	1.2	35	7
Subiaco (C)	15 233	15 833	16 399	1.5	566	3.6	9	15
Swan (C)	79 901	89 482	91 697	2.8	2 215	2.5	17	6
Tambellup (S)	736	715	682	–1.5	–33	–4.6	..	106
Tammin (S)	416	439	439	1.1	—	—	..	68
Three Springs (S)	787	745	745	–1.1	—	—	..	68
Toodyay (S)	3 729	4 162	4 237	2.6	75	1.8	21	40
Trayning (S)	441	364	364	–3.8	—	—	..	68
Upper Gascoyne (S)	330	370	370	2.3	—	—	..	68
Victoria Park (T)	27 251	28 279	28 632	1.0	353	1.2	32	21
Victoria Plains (S)	976	956	932	–0.9	–24	–2.5	..	100
Vincent (T)	26 154	26 548	26 632	0.4	84	0.3	46	37
Wagin (S)	1 924	1 834	1 816	–1.1	–18	–1.0	..	95
Wandering (S)	337	351	345	0.5	–6	–1.7	..	92
Wanneroo (C)	76 436	93 705	100 432	5.6	6 727	7.2	4	1
Waroona (S)	3 438	3 497	3 555	0.7	58	1.7	24	44
West Arthur (S)	927	913	908	–0.4	–5	–0.5	..	91
Westonia (S)	272	238	238	–2.6	—	—	..	68
Wickepin (S)	792	737	694	–2.6	–43	–5.8	..	111
Williams (S)	971	926	873	–2.1	–53	–5.7	..	117
Wiluna (S)	985	955	953	–0.7	–2	–0.2	..	87
Wongan-Ballidu (S)	1 614	1 543	1 500	–1.5	–43	–2.8	..	111
Woodanilling (S)	383	389	389	0.3	—	—	..	68
Wyalkatchem (S)	651	666	665	0.4	–1	–0.2	..	86
Wyndham-East Kimberley (S)	6 862	7 588	7 678	2.3	90	1.2	34	36
Yalgoo (S)	321	328	328	0.4	—	—	..	68
Yilgarn (S)	2 059	1 755	1 692	–3.9	–63	–3.6	..	123
York (S)	3 106	3 289	3 323	1.4	34	1.0	37	51
Total Western Australia	1 849 733	1 949 948	1 982 204	1.4	32 256	1.7	..	..

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Local Government Area	ERP AT 30 JUNE			CHANGE		STATE RANK (2003–2004)		
	1999	2003r	2004p	1999– 2004p(a)	2003–2004p	Fastest growth	Largest growth	
	no.	no.	no.	%	no. %	no.	no.	
Break O'Day (M)	5 807	5 943	6 036	0.8	93 1.6	9	16	
Brighton (M)	12 812	13 070	13 436	1.0	366 2.8	1	6	
Burnie (C)	19 265	19 044	19 139	–0.1	95 0.5	19	15	
Central Coast (M)	21 105	21 032	21 079	—	47 0.2	21	18	
Central Highlands (M)	2 406	2 346	2 295	–0.9	–51 –2.2	27	27	
Circular Head (M)	8 260	8 096	8 105	–0.4	9 0.1	22	22	
Clarence (C)	49 295	49 861	50 257	0.4	396 0.8	15	4	
Derwent Valley (M)	9 595	9 402	9 372	–0.5	–30 –0.3	24	25	
Devonport (C)	24 428	24 620	24 979	0.4	359 1.5	10	7	
Dorset (M)	7 378	7 254	7 131	–0.7	–123 –1.7	25	29	
Flinders (M)	925	875	877	–1.1	2 0.2	..	23	
George Town (M)	6 641	6 700	6 747	0.3	47 0.7	17	18	
Glamorgan/Spring Bay (M)	4 021	4 076	4 185	0.8	109 2.7	2	14	
Glenorchy (C)	44 036	44 625	44 925	0.4	300 0.7	18	9	
Hobart (C)	47 049	48 069	48 533	0.6	464 1.0	14	3	
Huon Valley (M)	13 662	14 080	14 347	1.0	267 1.9	6	10	
Kentish (M)	5 494	5 533	5 676	0.7	143 2.6	3	13	
King Island (M)	1 772	1 677	1 632	–1.6	–45 –2.7	..	26	
Kingborough (M)	28 747	30 332	30 961	1.5	629 2.1	5	2	
Latrobe (M)	8 057	8 518	8 710	1.6	192 2.3	4	11	
Launceston (C)	62 720	63 389	64 057	0.4	668 1.1	12	1	
Meander Valley (M)	17 697	18 275	18 611	1.0	336 1.8	8	8	
Northern Midlands (M)	11 836	12 040	12 125	0.5	85 0.7	16	17	
Sorell (M)	10 970	11 160	11 304	0.6	144 1.3	11	12	
Southern Midlands (M)	5 667	5 742	5 760	0.3	18 0.3	20	21	
Tasman (M)	2 281	2 199	2 222	–0.5	23 1.0	13	20	
Waratah/Wynyard (M)	13 780	13 485	13 486	–0.4	1 —	23	24	
West Coast (M)	5 637	5 189	5 087	–2.0	–102 –2.0	26	28	
West Tamar (M)	20 087	20 673	21 054	0.9	381 1.8	7	5	
Total Tasmania	471 430	477 305	482 128	0.4	4 823 1.0	..	..	

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(a) Average annual growth rate.



ESTIMATED RESIDENT POPULATION, Local Government Areas—NT

Local Government Area (a)	ERP AT 30 JUNE			CHANGE			STATE RANK (2003–2004)	
	1999	2003r	2004p	1999–2004p(b)	2003–2004p		Fastest growth	Largest growth
	no.	no.	no.	%	no.	%	no.	no.
Alice Springs (T)	26 054	26 257	26 058	—	–199	–0.8	5	8
Alpururulam (CGC)	384	np	np	np	np	np	..	..
Angurugu (CGC)	902	np	np	np	np	np	..	..
Anmatjere (CGC)	956	np	np	np	np	np	..	..
Arltarlilla (CGC)	241	np	np	np	np	np	..	..
Belyuen (CGC)	224	np	np	np	np	np	..	..
Binjari (CGC)	195	np	np	np	np	np	..	..
Borroloola (CGC)	747	np	np	np	np	np	..	..
Coomalie (CGC)	1 159	np	np	np	np	np	..	..
Cox Peninsula (CGC)	241	np	np	np	np	np	..	..
Daguragu (CGC)	624	np	np	np	np	np	..	..
Darwin (C)	68 179	68 590	69 354	0.3	764	1.1	3	1
Elliott District (CGC)	505	np	np	np	np	np	..	..
Jabiru (T)	1 341	1 165	1 169	–2.7	4	0.3	..	5
Jilkminggan (CGC)	249	np	np	np	np	np	..	..
Katherine (T)	9 297	8 624	8 437	–1.9	–187	–2.2	7	7
Kunbarlanjinja (CGC)	894	np	np	np	np	np	..	..
Lajamanu (CGC)	707	np	np	np	np	np	..	..
Litchfield (S)	15 275	15 905	16 212	1.2	307	1.9	1	3
Ltyentye Purte (CGC)	526	np	np	np	np	np	..	..
Marngarr (CGC)	304	np	np	np	np	np	..	..
Mataranka (CGC)	215	np	np	np	np	np	..	..
Naiuiy Nambiyu (CGC)	398	np	np	np	np	np	..	..
Numbulwar Numburindi (CGC)	749	np	np	np	np	np	..	..
Nyirranggulung Mardruk Ngadberre (CGC)	1 287	np	np	np	np	np	..	..
Palmerston (C)	19 276	23 103	23 468	4.0	365	1.6	2	2
Pine Creek (CGC)	525	np	np	np	np	np	..	..
Tapatjatjaka (CGC)	210	np	np	np	np	np	..	..
Tennant Creek (T)	3 371	2 986	2 946	–2.7	–40	–1.3	6	6
Thamarrurr (CGC)	1 638	np	np	np	np	np	..	..
Timber Creek (CGC)	181	np	np	np	np	np	..	..
Tiwi Islands (CGC)	2 312	2 457	2 471	1.3	14	0.6	4	4
Walangeri Ngumpinku (CGC)	318	np	np	np	np	np	..	..
Wallace Rockhole (CGC)	153	np	np	np	np	np	..	..
Watiyawanu (CGC)	219	np	np	np	np	np	..	..
Yuendumu (CGC)	764	np	np	np	np	np	..	..
Yugul Mangi (CGC)	1 399	np	np	np	np	np	..	..
Unincorporated NT	30 716	32 016	32 357	1.0	341	1.1	..	..
Total Northern Territory	192 735	198 544	199 913	0.7	1 369	0.7	..	..

.. not applicable

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np not available for publication but included in totals where applicable, unless otherwise indicated

(a) The ABS has been unable to estimate population change for June 2001 onwards for a number of new Community Government Councils introduced in the 2003 edition of the Australian Standard Geographical Classification. Population estimates for these areas for 30 June 2003 and 2004 are denoted 'np', while the latest available estimates, 30 June 2001, are published in the 2002–03 issue of this publication. For more information see paragraphs 16 to 25 of the Explanatory Notes and Appendices 2 and 5.

(b) Average annual growth rate.



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		ERP AT JUNE 30			CHANGE				Population density 2004
		1999	2003r	2004p	1999- 2004p(a)	2003-2004p	Area		
ASGC code SD, SSD and SLA		no.	no.	no.	%	no.	%	km ²	persons/ km ²
05	SYDNEY								
05	Inner Sydney								
1100	Botany Bay (C)	36 879	37 446	37 192	0.2	-254	-0.7	22.1	1 684.0
4800	Leichhardt (A)	48 793	51 078	51 430	1.1	352	0.7	10.6	4 846.9
5200	Marrickville (A)	77 882	75 937	75 870	-0.5	-67	-0.1	16.5	4 587.1
7201	Sydney (C) - Inner	4 163	6 549	6 726	10.1	177	2.7	3.3	2 024.1
7203	Sydney (C) - Central	62 550	73 306	75 547	3.8	2 241	3.1	9.1	8 279.1
7205	Sydney (C) - South	55 624	61 382	64 024	2.9	2 642	4.3	14.3	4 473.1
	Total Inner Sydney	285 891	305 698	310 789	1.7	5 091	1.7	76.0	4 089.4
10	Eastern Suburbs								
6550	Randwick (C)	124 703	125 905	126 431	0.3	526	0.4	36.4	3 469.0
8050	Waverley (A)	63 964	62 246	62 096	-0.6	-150	-0.2	9.3	6 661.2
8500	Woollahra (A)	52 768	53 295	53 095	0.1	-200	-0.4	12.3	4 325.8
	Total Eastern Suburbs	241 435	241 446	241 622	—	176	0.1	58.0	4 162.9
15	St George-Sutherland								
4150	Hurstville (C)	71 915	75 177	75 640	1.0	463	0.6	22.8	3 313.9
4450	Kogarah (A)	50 727	53 737	55 012	1.6	1 275	2.4	15.6	3 537.1
6650	Rockdale (C)	90 834	94 089	95 036	0.9	947	1.0	28.1	3 377.3
7151	Sutherland Shire (A) - East	97 728	101 079	101 212	0.7	133	0.1	148.1	683.5
7152	Sutherland Shire (A) - West	112 528	113 854	113 572	0.2	-282	-0.2	186.4	609.1
	Total St George-Sutherland	423 732	437 936	440 472	0.8	2 536	0.6	401.0	1 098.3
20	Canterbury-Bankstown								
0350	Bankstown (C)	168 605	174 390	175 428	0.8	1 038	0.6	76.8	2 283.5
1550	Canterbury (C)	137 503	135 477	135 048	-0.4	-429	-0.3	33.6	4 022.4
	Total Canterbury-Bankstown	306 108	309 867	310 476	0.3	609	0.2	110.4	2 812.4
25	Fairfield-Liverpool								
2850	Fairfield (C)	187 881	188 329	187 683	—	-646	-0.3	101.7	1 846.2
4900	Liverpool (C)	144 973	165 533	167 880	3.0	2 347	1.4	305.4	549.7
	Total Fairfield-Liverpool	332 854	353 862	355 563	1.3	1 701	0.5	407.0	873.5
30	Outer South Western Sydney								
1450	Camden (A)	40 324	49 416	50 302	4.5	886	1.8	201.3	249.9
1500	Campbelltown (C)	149 339	150 483	149 961	0.1	-522	-0.3	312.2	480.3
8400	Wollondilly (A)	36 806	39 815	40 661	2.0	846	2.1	2 556.7	15.9
	Total Outer South Western Sydney	226 469	239 714	240 924	1.2	1 210	0.5	3 070.2	78.5
35	Inner Western Sydney								
0150	Ashfield (A)	40 729	40 298	40 258	-0.2	-40	-0.1	8.3	4 853.9
1300	Burwood (A)	30 044	30 806	31 085	0.7	279	0.9	7.2	4 345.7
1521	Canada Bay (A) - Concord	25 997	29 177	30 438	3.2	1 261	4.3	11.5	2 641.3
1524	Canada Bay (A) - Drummoyne	33 526	35 449	35 710	1.3	261	0.7	8.3	4 290.5
7100	Strathfield (A)	28 682	30 199	31 129	1.7	930	3.1	13.9	2 243.2
	Total Inner Western Sydney	158 978	165 929	168 620	1.2	2 691	1.6	49.2	3 429.3
40	Central Western Sydney								
0200	Auburn (A)	57 581	61 082	62 797	1.7	1 715	2.8	32.4	1 936.0
3950	Holroyd (C)	86 092	90 470	91 211	1.2	741	0.8	40.3	2 265.9
6250	Parramatta (C)	144 813	148 912	151 076	0.9	2 164	1.5	61.0	2 476.6
	Total Central Western Sydney	288 486	300 464	305 084	1.1	4 620	1.5	133.7	2 282.0
45	Outer Western Sydney								
0900	Blue Mountains (C)	76 171	77 415	77 011	0.2	-404	-0.5	1 431.7	53.8
3800	Hawkesbury (C)	61 502	63 655	63 598	0.7	-57	-0.1	2 775.7	22.9
6350	Penrith (C)	173 327	178 107	177 554	0.5	-553	-0.3	404.8	438.7
	Total Outer Western Sydney	311 000	319 177	318 163	0.5	-1 014	-0.3	4 612.1	69.0

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		ERP AT JUNE 30			CHANGE				
		1999	2003r	2004p	1999- 2004p(a)	2003-2004p	Area	Population density 2004	
ASGC code SD, SSD and SLA		no.	no.	no.	%	no.	km ²	persons/ km ²	
05	SYDNEY <i>cont.</i>								
53	Blacktown								
0751	Blacktown (C) - North	72 184	85 082	88 622	4.2	3 540	115.2	769.4	
0752	Blacktown (C) - South-East	90 899	93 483	94 149	0.7	666	59.1	1 592.1	
0753	Blacktown (C) - South-West	92 093	94 512	95 761	0.8	1 249	65.7	1 458.5	
	Total Blacktown	255 176	273 077	278 532	1.8	5 455	240.0	1 160.7	
55	Lower Northern Sydney								
4100	Hunter's Hill (A)	13 164	13 682	13 911	1.1	229	5.8	2 416.8	
4700	Lane Cove (A)	31 614	32 248	32 341	0.5	93	10.6	3 063.8	
5350	Mosman (A)	27 678	28 155	28 420	0.5	265	8.7	3 253.2	
5950	North Sydney (A)	57 948	59 999	60 789	1.0	790	10.5	5 791.1	
6700	Ryde (C)	97 626	99 436	99 662	0.4	226	40.5	2 462.0	
8250	Willoughby (C)	59 112	63 126	63 905	1.6	779	22.6	2 833.8	
	Total Lower Northern Sydney	287 142	296 646	299 028	0.8	2 382	98.6	3 033.5	
60	Central Northern Sydney								
0500	Baulkham Hills (A)	134 443	154 388	157 854	3.3	3 466	400.6	394.1	
4000	Hornsby (A)	149 735	155 862	156 929	0.9	1 067	462.4	339.4	
4500	Ku-ring-gai (A)	106 099	108 684	108 830	0.5	146	85.5	1 272.8	
	Total Central Northern Sydney	390 277	418 934	423 613	1.7	4 679	948.5	446.6	
65	Northern Beaches								
5150	Manly (A)	38 016	38 841	38 987	0.5	146	14.5	2 682.7	
6370	Pittwater (A)	55 671	56 789	56 954	0.5	165	90.6	628.5	
8000	Warringah (A)	133 470	137 555	138 646	0.8	1 091	149.6	927.0	
	Total Northern Beaches	227 157	233 185	234 587	0.6	1 402	254.7	921.0	
70	Gosford-Wyong								
3100	Gosford (C)	156 512	162 419	162 841	0.8	422	940.2	173.2	
8550	Wyong (A)	128 737	140 189	141 764	1.9	1 575	745.0	190.3	
	Total Gosford-Wyong	285 249	302 608	304 605	1.3	1 997	1 685.1	180.8	
	Total Sydney	4 019 954	4 198 543	4 232 078	1.0	33 535	12 144.6	348.5	
10	HUNTER								
05	Newcastle								
1720	Cessnock (C)	46 775	47 809	48 143	0.6	334	1 966.4	24.5	
4650	Lake Macquarie (C)	183 149	189 017	189 196	0.7	179	643.5	294.0	
5050	Maitland (C)	54 051	58 900	59 949	2.1	1 049	391.7	153.1	
5901	Newcastle (C) - Inner	4 020	5 507	6 184	9.0	677	2.6	2 392.3	
5902	Newcastle (C) - Remainder	135 346	138 766	139 449	0.6	683	180.0	774.7	
6400	Port Stephens (A)	56 389	61 336	62 448	2.1	1 112	857.7	72.8	
	Total Newcastle	479 730	501 335	505 369	1.0	4 034	4 041.8	125.0	
10	Hunter SD Bal								
2700	Dungog (A)	8 107	8 421	8 379	0.7	-42	2 251.2	3.7	
3050	Gloucester (A)	4 970	4 907	4 902	-0.3	-5	2 951.6	1.7	
3400	Great Lakes (A)	30 700	33 553	34 186	2.2	633	3 375.8	10.1	
5250	Merriwa (A)	2 350	2 334	2 312	-0.3	-22	3 500.4	0.7	
5600	Murrurundi (A)	2 177	2 159	2 165	-0.1	6	2 480.6	0.9	
5650	Muswellbrook (A)	15 250	15 280	15 195	-0.1	-85	3 405.6	4.5	
6800	Scone (A)	9 941	9 873	9 819	-0.2	-54	4 041.1	2.4	
7000	Singleton (A)	20 916	21 713	21 913	0.9	200	4 895.9	4.5	
	Total Hunter SD Bal	94 411	98 240	98 871	0.9	631	26 902.2	3.7	
	Total Hunter	574 141	599 575	604 240	1.0	4 665	30 944.0	19.5	

(a) Average annual growth rate.



ESTIMATED RESIDENT POPULATION, Statistical Local Areas—NSW *continued*

		ERP AT JUNE 30			CHANGE			Population density	
		1999	2003r	2004p	1999-2004p(a)	2003-2004p	Area	2004	
ASGC code	SD, SSD and SLA	no.	no.	no.	%	no.	km ²	persons/	km ²
15	ILLAWARRA								
05	Wollongong								
4400	Kiama (A)	19 205	20 240	20 176	1.0	-64	257.8	78.3	
6900	Shellharbour (C)	57 310	61 527	62 338	1.7	811	147.4	422.9	
8450	Wollongong (C)	186 575	191 467	191 558	0.5	91	684.1	280.0	
	Total Wollongong	263 090	273 234	274 072	0.8	838	1 089.2	251.6	
07	Nowra-Bomaderry								
6951	Shoalhaven (C) - Pt A	29 627	31 426	32 058	1.6	632	210.2	152.5	
	Total Nowra-Bomaderry	29 627	31 426	32 058	1.6	632	210.2	152.5	
10	Illawarra SD Bal								
6952	Shoalhaven (C) - Pt B	54 240	59 189	59 707	1.9	518	4 357.8	13.7	
8350	Wingecarribee (A)	40 631	43 922	44 311	1.7	389	2 688.8	16.5	
	Total Illawarra SD Bal	94 871	103 111	104 018	1.9	907	7 046.6	14.8	
	Total Illawarra	387 588	407 771	410 148	1.1	2 377	8 346.1	49.1	
20	RICHMOND-TWEED								
05	Tweed Heads								
7551	Tweed (A) - Pt A	43 649	49 846	51 080	3.2	1 234	126.8	402.7	
	Total Tweed Heads	43 649	49 846	51 080	3.2	1 234	126.8	402.7	
07	Lismore								
4851	Lismore (C) - Pt A	30 982	30 739	30 954	—	215	166.3	186.2	
	Total Lismore	30 982	30 739	30 954	—	215	166.3	186.2	
10	Richmond-Tweed SD Bal								
0250	Ballina (A)	36 931	39 239	39 546	1.4	307	484.4	81.6	
1350	Byron (A)	28 506	30 383	30 724	1.5	341	566.8	54.2	
4550	Kyogle (A)	9 894	9 666	9 628	-0.5	-38	3 589.1	2.7	
4854	Lismore (C) - Pt B	12 227	12 276	12 275	0.1	-1	1 123.9	10.9	
6611	Richmond Valley (A) - Casino	10 779	10 472	10 392	-0.7	-80	91.4	113.7	
6612	Richmond Valley (A) Bal	10 319	10 512	10 446	0.2	-66	2 797.6	3.7	
7552	Tweed (A) - Pt B	27 115	28 349	28 830	1.2	481	1 182.2	24.4	
	Total Richmond-Tweed SD Bal	135 771	140 897	141 841	0.9	944	9 835.4	14.4	
	Total Richmond-Tweed	210 402	221 482	223 875	1.2	2 393	10 128.5	22.1	
25	MID-NORTH COAST								
01	Coffs Harbour								
1801	Coffs Harbour (C) - Pt A	44 359	48 013	49 018	2.0	1 005	215.7	227.2	
	Total Coffs Harbour	44 359	48 013	49 018	2.0	1 005	215.7	227.2	
03	Port Macquarie								
3751	Hastings (A) - Pt A	35 975	39 938	40 685	2.5	747	107.6	378.1	
	Total Port Macquarie	35 975	39 938	40 685	2.5	747	107.6	378.1	
05	Clarence (excl. Coffs Harbour)								
0600	Bellingen (A)	12 741	12 777	12 720	—	-57	1 602.4	7.9	
1731	Clarence Valley (A) - Copmanhurst	4 202	4 400	4 443	1.1	43	2 586.8	1.7	
1732	Clarence Valley (A) - Grafton	17 321	17 226	17 131	-0.2	-95	82.7	207.1	
1733	Clarence Valley (A) - Maclean	16 489	17 756	18 010	1.8	254	1 348.0	13.4	
1734	Clarence Valley (A) - Nymboida	4 454	4 452	4 461	—	9	5 117.7	0.9	
1735	Clarence Valley (A) - Ulmarra	5 222	5 313	5 377	0.6	64	1 525.3	3.5	
1804	Coffs Harbour (C) - Pt B	16 823	17 317	17 511	0.8	194	902.1	19.4	
5700	Nambucca (A)	18 092	18 128	18 525	0.5	397	1 490.5	12.4	
	Total Clarence (excl. Coffs Harbour)	95 344	97 369	98 178	0.6	809	14 655.5	6.7	

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(a) Average annual growth rate.



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		ERP AT JUNE 30			CHANGE				Population density 2004
		1999	2003r	2004p	1999- 2004p(a)	2003-2004p	Area		
ASGC code SD, SSD and SLA		no.	no.	no.	%	no.	%	km ²	persons/ km ²
25	MID-NORTH COAST <i>cont.</i>								
10	Hastings (excl. Port Macquarie)								
3350	Greater Taree (C)	44 190	45 761	46 474	1.0	713	1.6	3 730.4	12.5
3754	Hastings (A) - Pt B	25 939	28 485	29 052	2.3	567	2.0	3 579.8	8.1
4350	Kempsey (A)	27 025	27 831	28 114	0.8	283	1.0	3 379.6	8.3
8859	Lord Howe Island	361	352	344	-1.0	-8	-2.3	16.2	21.3
	Total Hastings (excl. Port Macquarie)	97 515	102 429	103 984	1.3	1 555	1.5	10 706.0	9.7
	Total Mid-North Coast	273 193	287 749	291 865	1.3	4 116	1.4	25 684.8	11.4
30	NORTHERN								
05	Tamworth								
6301	Parry (A) - Pt A	5 447	5 797	5 803	1.3	6	0.1	300.8	19.3
7300	Tamworth (C)	36 427	37 094	37 272	0.5	178	0.5	185.6	200.8
	Total Tamworth	41 874	42 891	43 075	0.6	184	0.4	486.5	88.5
10	Northern Slopes (excl. Tamworth)								
0400	Barraba (A)	2 319	2 204	2 185	-1.2	-19	-0.9	3 068.7	0.7
0700	Bingara (A)	2 077	2 041	2 029	-0.5	-12	-0.6	2 853.7	0.7
3550	Gunnedah (A)	12 701	12 370	12 287	-0.7	-83	-0.7	5 021.2	2.4
4201	Inverell (A) - Pt A	4 549	4 596	4 563	0.1	-33	-0.7	6 877.6	0.7
5100	Manilla (A)	3 321	3 273	3 254	-0.4	-19	-0.6	2 193.3	1.5
6000	Nundle (A)	1 356	1 317	1 310	-0.7	-7	-0.5	1 601.1	0.8
6304	Parry (A) - Pt B	7 018	7 047	7 004	—	-43	-0.6	4 103.0	1.7
6500	Quirindi (A)	4 948	4 947	4 928	-0.1	-19	-0.4	3 035.0	1.6
8600	Yallaroi (A)	3 259	3 183	3 137	-0.8	-46	-1.4	5 340.1	0.6
	Total Northern Slopes (excl. Tamworth)	41 548	40 978	40 697	-0.4	-281	-0.7	34 093.7	1.2
15	Northern Tablelands								
0111	Armidale Dumaresq (A) - City	21 058	20 762	20 715	-0.3	-47	-0.2	34.7	596.7
0112	Armidale Dumaresq (A) Bal	3 881	3 895	3 881	—	-14	-0.4	4 200.2	0.9
3000	Glen Innes (A)	6 081	5 983	5 945	-0.5	-38	-0.6	66.9	88.8
3650	Guyra (A)	4 426	4 453	4 441	0.1	-12	-0.3	4 394.7	1.0
4202	Inverell (A) - Pt B	10 942	11 172	11 166	0.4	-6	-0.1	1 728.3	6.5
6850	Severn (A)	2 920	2 853	2 849	-0.5	-4	-0.1	5 575.3	0.5
7400	Tenterfield (A)	6 802	6 800	6 785	-0.1	-15	-0.2	7 176.8	0.9
7650	Uralla (A)	6 015	6 021	6 040	0.1	19	0.3	3 229.8	1.9
7850	Walcha (A)	3 287	3 285	3 261	-0.2	-24	-0.7	6 266.9	0.5
	Total Northern Tablelands	65 412	65 224	65 083	-0.1	-141	-0.2	32 673.7	2.0
20	North Central Plain								
5300	Moree Plains (A)	15 726	16 141	16 027	0.4	-114	-0.7	17 927.7	0.9
5750	Narrabri (A)	14 392	14 373	14 239	-0.2	-134	-0.9	13 030.6	1.1
	Total North Central Plain	30 118	30 514	30 266	0.1	-248	-0.8	30 958.3	1.0
	Total Northern	178 952	179 607	179 121	—	-486	-0.3	98 212.1	1.8
35	NORTH WESTERN								
01	Dubbo								
2601	Dubbo (C) - Pt A	34 140	35 363	35 560	0.8	197	0.6	329.9	107.8
	Total Dubbo	34 140	35 363	35 560	0.8	197	0.6	329.9	107.8

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		1999	2003r	2004p	1999- 2004p(a)	2003-2004p		
ASGC code	SD, SSD and SLA	no.	no.	no.	%	no.	km ²	persons/ km ²
35	NORTH WESTERN <i>cont.</i>							
05	Central Macquarie (excl. Dubbo)							
1950	Coolah (A)	3 932	3 904	3 877	-0.3	-27	4 803.8	0.8
2100	Coonabarabran (A)	6 928	6 756	6 673	-0.7	-83	7 575.8	0.9
2604	Dubbo (C) - Pt B	3 606	3 546	3 517	-0.5	-29	3 097.9	1.1
2950	Gilgandra (A)	4 878	4 736	4 682	-0.8	-54	4 836.0	1.0
5400	Mudgee (A)	18 084	18 445	18 421	0.4	-24	5 540.3	3.3
5850	Narromine (A)	6 934	7 036	7 020	0.2	-16	5 263.6	1.3
8150	Wellington (A)	8 856	8 708	8 668	-0.4	-40	4 113.1	2.1
	Total Central Macquarie (excl. Dubbo)	53 218	53 131	52 858	-0.1	-273	35 230.6	1.5
10	Macquarie-Barwon							
0950	Bogan (A)	3 246	3 114	3 122	-0.8	8	14 611.3	0.2
2150	Coonamble (A)	4 927	4 755	4 728	-0.8	-27	9 926.3	0.5
7900	Walgett (A)	8 449	8 201	8 096	-0.8	-105	22 336.2	0.4
7950	Warren (A)	3 356	3 300	3 282	-0.4	-18	10 760.3	0.3
	Total Macquarie-Barwon	19 978	19 370	19 228	-0.8	-142	57 634.1	0.3
15	Upper Darling							
1150	Bourke (A)	3 930	3 935	3 924	—	-11	41 678.8	0.1
1200	Brewarrina (A)	2 172	2 145	2 143	-0.3	-2	19 188.0	0.1
1750	Cobar (A)	5 404	5 072	5 020	-1.5	-52	45 606.2	0.1
	Total Upper Darling	11 506	11 152	11 087	-0.7	-65	106 473.0	0.1
	Total North Western	118 842	119 016	118 733	—	-283	199 667.5	0.6
40	CENTRAL WEST							
05	Bathurst-Orange							
0450	Bathurst (C)	29 875	31 214	31 564	1.1	350	240.1	131.5
0851	Blayney (A) - Pt A	4 736	4 901	4 946	0.9	45	516.9	9.6
1401	Cabonne (A) - Pt A	2 053	2 217	2 233	1.7	16	877.2	2.5
2801	Evans (A) - Pt A	1 160	1 207	1 209	0.8	2	474.9	2.5
6150	Orange (C)	36 151	37 500	37 546	0.8	46	284.8	131.8
	Total Bathurst-Orange	73 975	77 039	77 498	0.9	459	2 394.0	32.4
10	Central Tablelands (excl. Bathurst-Orange)							
0852	Blayney (A) - Pt B	1 747	1 744	1 742	-0.1	-2	1 007.6	1.7
1402	Cabonne (A) - Pt B	846	929	935	2.0	6	519.0	1.8
2802	Evans (A) - Pt B	4 197	4 174	4 147	-0.2	-27	3 835.0	1.1
4870	Lithgow (C)	20 059	20 447	20 564	0.5	117	3 517.4	5.8
6100	Oberon (A)	4 783	5 082	5 106	1.3	24	2 908.2	1.8
6750	Rylstone (A)	3 862	3 828	3 821	-0.2	-7	3 826.2	1.0
	Total Central Tablelands (excl. Bathurst-Orange)	35 494	36 204	36 315	0.5	111	15 613.4	2.3
15	Lachlan							
0800	Bland (A)	6 593	6 598	6 552	-0.1	-46	8 559.8	0.8
1403	Cabonne (A) - Pt C	9 514	9 464	9 458	-0.1	-6	4 629.8	2.0
2350	Cowra (A)	12 832	13 099	13 147	0.5	48	2 810.1	4.7
2900	Forbes (A)	10 181	10 091	9 974	-0.4	-117	4 719.9	2.1
4600	Lachlan (A)	7 569	7 472	7 431	-0.4	-41	14 973.3	0.5
6200	Parkes (A)	15 126	15 061	15 034	-0.1	-27	5 958.0	2.5
8100	Weddin (A)	3 853	3 812	3 823	-0.2	11	3 409.7	1.1
	Total Lachlan	65 668	65 597	65 419	-0.1	-178	45 060.6	1.5
	Total Central West	175 137	178 840	179 232	0.5	392	63 068.0	2.8

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ASGC code SD, SSD and SLA		1999 no.	2003r no.	2004p no.	1999- 2004p(a) %	2003-2004p no.	%		
45	SOUTH EASTERN								
05	Queanbeyan								
2051	Cooma-Monaro (A) - Pt A	272	306	314	2.9	8	2.6	302.7	1.0
2721	Eastern Capital City Regional (A) - Pt A	7 317	8 041	8 151	2.2	110	1.4	1 812.4	4.5
3330	Greater Queanbeyan (C)	31 101	35 884	36 331	3.2	447	1.2	172.4	210.8
8711	Yass Valley (A) - Pt A	892	901	924	0.7	23	2.6	145.9	6.3
	<i>Total Queanbeyan</i>	39 582	45 132	45 720	2.9	588	1.3	2 433.4	18.8
10	Southern Tablelands (excl. Queanbeyan)								
1050	Boorowa (A)	2 497	2 447	2 476	-0.2	29	1.2	2 578.6	1.0
2724	Eastern Capital City Regional (A) - Pt B	2 971	3 144	3 174	1.3	30	1.0	5 134.1	0.6
3311	Greater Argyle (A) - Goulburn	21 253	21 253	21 278	—	25	0.1	55.4	383.7
3314	Greater Argyle (A) Bal	4 905	5 647	5 725	3.1	78	1.4	3 164.5	1.8
3700	Harden (A)	3 856	3 802	3 771	-0.4	-31	-0.8	1 869.0	2.0
7640	Upper Lachlan (A)	7 534	7 577	7 621	0.2	44	0.6	7 424.8	1.0
8714	Yass Valley (A) - Pt B	10 368	11 444	11 625	2.3	181	1.6	3 503.7	3.3
8750	Young (A)	11 706	11 894	11 957	0.4	63	0.5	2 693.7	4.4
	<i>Total Southern Tablelands (excl. Queanbeyan)</i>	65 090	67 208	67 627	0.8	419	0.6	26 423.7	2.6
15	Lower South Coast								
0550	Bega Valley (A)	29 758	31 477	31 955	1.4	478	1.5	6 279.6	5.1
2750	Eurobodalla (A)	32 346	35 267	35 902	2.1	635	1.8	3 422.2	10.5
	<i>Total Lower South Coast</i>	62 104	66 744	67 857	1.8	1 113	1.7	9 701.8	7.0
20	Snowy								
1000	Bombala (A)	2 796	2 570	2 545	-1.9	-25	-1.0	3 944.3	0.6
2054	Cooma-Monaro (A) - Pt B	9 508	9 490	9 459	-0.1	-31	-0.3	4 925.8	1.9
7050	Snowy River (A)	6 801	7 322	7 322	1.5	—	—	6 029.7	1.2
	<i>Total Snowy</i>	19 105	19 382	19 326	0.2	-56	-0.3	14 899.7	1.3
	<i>Total South Eastern</i>	185 881	198 466	200 530	1.5	2 064	1.0	53 458.6	3.8
50	MURRUMBIDGEE								
05	Wagga Wagga								
7751	Wagga Wagga (C) - Pt A	52 158	52 651	53 008	0.3	357	0.7	219.2	241.8
	<i>Total Wagga Wagga</i>	52 158	52 651	53 008	0.3	357	0.7	219.2	241.8
10	Central Murrumbidgee (excl. Wagga Wagga)								
2000	Coolamon (A)	4 035	4 101	4 111	0.4	10	0.2	2 432.5	1.7
2200	Cootamundra (A)	7 638	7 602	7 596	-0.1	-6	-0.1	1 523.6	5.0
3500	Gundagai (A)	3 770	3 773	3 763	—	-10	-0.3	2 457.7	1.5
4300	Junee (A)	5 907	5 887	5 887	-0.1	—	—	2 030.6	2.9
4950	Lockhart (A)	3 582	3 541	3 528	-0.3	-13	-0.4	2 895.3	1.2
5800	Narrandera (A)	6 883	6 634	6 594	-0.9	-40	-0.6	4 116.6	1.6
7350	Temora (A)	6 162	6 302	6 295	0.4	-7	-0.1	2 802.2	2.2
7500	Tumut (A)	11 269	11 547	11 382	0.2	-165	-1.4	4 592.7	2.5
7754	Wagga Wagga (C) - Pt B	4 675	4 554	4 549	-0.5	-5	-0.1	4 604.8	1.0
	<i>Total Central Murrumbidgee (excl. Wagga Wagga)</i>	53 921	53 941	53 705	-0.1	-236	-0.4	27 455.9	2.0

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		1999	2003r	2004p	1999– 2004p(a)	2003–2004p			
ASGC code SD, SSD and SLA		no.	no.	no.	%	no.	%	km ²	persons/ km ²
50	MURRUMBIDGEE <i>cont.</i>								
15	Lower Murrumbidgee								
1600	Carrathool (A)	3 210	3 317	3 308	0.6	-9	-0.3	18 939.5	0.2
3450	Griffith (C)	23 400	24 758	24 909	1.3	151	0.6	1 640.4	15.2
3850	Hay (A)	3 682	3 577	3 549	-0.7	-28	-0.8	11 328.4	0.3
4750	Leeton (A)	11 436	12 009	12 028	1.0	19	0.2	1 167.3	10.3
5550	Murrumbidgee (A)	2 607	2 643	2 636	0.2	-7	-0.3	3 505.1	0.8
	Total Lower Murrumbidgee	44 335	46 304	46 430	0.9	126	0.3	36 580.6	1.3
	Total Murrumbidgee	150 414	152 896	153 143	0.4	247	0.2	64 255.7	2.4
55	MURRAY								
05	Albury								
0050	Albury (C)	43 069	44 659	44 887	0.8	228	0.5	105.7	424.5
4050	Hume (A)	7 443	7 995	8 166	1.9	171	2.1	1 924.4	4.2
	Total Albury	50 512	52 654	53 053	1.0	399	0.8	2 030.1	26.1
10	Upper Murray (excl. Albury)								
2300	Corowa (A)	8 518	8 596	8 596	0.2	—	—	2 171.4	4.0
2450	Culcairn (A)	4 143	4 023	4 017	-0.6	-6	-0.1	1 598.0	2.5
3900	Holbrook (A)	2 547	2 467	2 470	-0.6	3	0.1	2 601.9	0.9
7450	Turnbarumba (A)	3 784	3 658	3 623	-0.9	-35	-1.0	4 373.4	0.8
7700	Urana (A)	1 510	1 413	1 395	-1.6	-18	-1.3	3 357.4	0.4
	Total Upper Murray (excl. Albury)	20 502	20 157	20 101	-0.4	-56	-0.3	14 102.0	1.4
15	Central Murray								
0650	Berrigan (A)	8 157	8 156	8 188	0.1	32	0.4	2 066.6	4.0
1860	Conargo (A)	1 854	1 805	1 791	-0.7	-14	-0.8	8 750.9	0.2
2500	Deniliquin (A)	8 238	8 274	8 214	-0.1	-60	-0.7	129.9	63.2
4250	Jerilderie (A)	1 921	1 892	1 883	-0.4	-9	-0.5	3 375.4	0.6
5500	Murray (A)	5 887	6 467	6 604	2.3	137	2.1	4 344.6	1.5
7800	Wakool (A)	4 891	4 853	4 837	-0.2	-16	-0.3	7 519.7	0.6
	Total Central Murray	30 948	31 447	31 517	0.4	70	0.2	26 186.9	1.2
20	Murray-Darling								
0300	Balranald (A)	2 890	2 759	2 737	-1.1	-22	-0.8	21 699.4	0.1
8200	Wentworth (A)	7 172	7 213	7 236	0.2	23	0.3	26 268.7	0.3
	Total Murray-Darling	10 062	9 972	9 973	-0.2	1	—	47 968.1	0.2
	Total Murray	112 024	114 230	114 644	0.5	414	0.4	90 287.2	1.3
60	FAR WEST								
10	Far West								
1250	Broken Hill (C)	21 476	20 651	20 440	-1.0	-211	-1.0	170.4	120.0
1700	Central Darling (A)	2 466	2 390	2 418	-0.4	28	1.2	53 510.8	—
8809	Unincorp. Far West	900	837	828	-1.7	-9	-1.1	93 283.0	—
	Total Far West	24 842	23 878	23 686	-0.9	-192	-0.8	146 964.1	0.2
	Total Far West	24 842	23 878	23 686	-0.9	-192	-0.8	146 964.1	0.2
TOTAL NEW SOUTH WALES		6 411 370	6 682 053	6 731 295	1.0	49 242	0.7	803 161.2	8.4

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ASGC code	SD, SSD and SLA	no.	no.	no.	%	no.	%	km ²	persons/ km ²
05	MELBOURNE								
05	Inner Melbourne								
4601	Melbourne (C) - Inner	4 202	8 195	8 870	16.1	675	8.2	1.9	4 622.2
4605	Melbourne (C) - S'bank-D'lands	3 005	8 088	9 563	26.1	1 475	18.2	4.7	2 025.2
4608	Melbourne (C) - Remainder	37 667	41 677	43 237	2.8	1 560	3.7	29.6	1 462.9
5901	Port Phillip (C) - St Kilda	48 426	48 916	49 050	0.3	134	0.3	8.8	5 605.7
5902	Port Phillip (C) - West	28 989	33 314	33 807	3.1	493	1.5	11.9	2 846.9
6351	Stonnington (C) - Prahran	44 509	45 045	45 214	0.3	169	0.4	9.6	4 723.6
7351	Yarra (C) - North	43 820	44 791	44 955	0.5	164	0.4	13.3	3 374.7
7352	Yarra (C) - Richmond	24 195	24 659	24 794	0.5	135	0.5	6.2	3 993.9
	Total Inner Melbourne	234 813	254 685	259 490	2.0	4 805	1.9	85.9	3 020.1
10	Western Melbourne								
1181	Brimbank (C) - Keilor	86 207	90 483	90 444	1.0	-39	—	58.8	1 538.0
1182	Brimbank (C) - Sunshine	78 070	82 300	83 982	1.5	1 682	2.0	64.5	1 301.3
3111	Hobsons Bay (C) - Altona	53 277	54 405	53 821	0.2	-584	-1.1	48.0	1 120.8
3112	Hobsons Bay (C) - Williamstown	28 478	29 351	29 378	0.6	27	0.1	16.2	1 814.5
4330	Maribymong (C)	60 770	61 788	62 054	0.4	266	0.4	31.2	1 988.3
5063	Moonee Valley (C) - Essendon	67 377	67 365	67 295	—	-70	-0.1	21.5	3 123.3
5065	Moonee Valley (C) - West	42 962	42 069	41 870	-0.5	-199	-0.5	22.7	1 845.0
	Total Western Melbourne	417 141	427 761	428 844	0.6	1 083	0.3	263.0	1 630.6
20	Melton-Wyndham								
4651	Melton (S) - East	8 392	27 486	32 161	30.8	4 675	17.0	91.8	350.2
4654	Melton (S) Bal	36 340	37 941	39 189	1.5	1 248	3.3	435.4	90.0
7261	Wyndham (C) - North	61 751	71 339	74 952	4.0	3 613	5.1	145.8	514.0
7264	Wyndham (C) - South	2 472	8 855	12 609	38.5	3 754	42.4	139.9	90.2
7267	Wyndham (C) - West	17 846	19 296	20 307	2.6	1 011	5.2	255.9	79.4
	Total Melton-Wyndham	126 801	164 917	179 218	7.2	14 301	8.7	1 068.9	167.7
25	Moreland City								
5251	Moreland (C) - Brunswick	41 231	41 019	41 055	-0.1	36	0.1	10.6	3 856.0
5252	Moreland (C) - Coburg	48 662	47 650	47 631	-0.4	-19	—	18.2	2 610.8
5253	Moreland (C) - North	46 371	46 928	47 157	0.3	229	0.5	22.1	2 138.2
	Total Moreland City	136 264	135 597	135 843	-0.1	246	0.2	50.9	2 666.4
30	Northern Middle Melbourne								
0661	Banyule (C) - Heidelberg	62 683	62 491	62 203	-0.2	-288	-0.5	32.6	1 905.7
0662	Banyule (C) - North	56 031	55 514	55 120	-0.3	-394	-0.7	29.9	1 846.1
1891	Darebin (C) - Northcote	46 438	46 077	46 014	-0.2	-63	-0.1	14.0	3 282.3
1892	Darebin (C) - Preston	81 162	81 090	81 507	0.1	417	0.5	39.4	2 068.0
	Total Northern Middle Melbourne	246 314	245 172	244 844	-0.1	-328	-0.1	115.9	2 112.0
35	Hume City								
3271	Hume (C) - Broadmeadows	67 884	67 130	66 172	-0.5	-958	-1.4	44.3	1 492.1
3274	Hume (C) - Craigieburn	32 960	45 907	49 578	8.5	3 671	8.0	221.6	223.7
3275	Hume (C) - Sunbury	27 571	31 101	32 445	3.3	1 344	4.3	237.6	136.5
	Total Hume City	128 415	144 138	148 195	2.9	4 057	2.8	503.6	294.3
40	Northern Outer Melbourne								
5713	Nillumbik (S) - South	28 576	28 503	28 325	-0.2	-178	-0.6	65.8	430.5
5715	Nillumbik (S) - South-West	21 490	22 711	22 992	1.4	281	1.2	52.9	434.9
5718	Nillumbik (S) Bal	9 249	9 298	9 306	0.1	8	0.1	314.2	29.6
7071	Whittlesea (C) - North	11 164	17 672	20 417	12.8	2 745	15.5	434.2	47.0
7074	Whittlesea (C) - South	101 872	105 575	105 880	0.8	305	0.3	55.8	1 898.2
	Total Northern Outer Melbourne	172 351	183 759	186 920	1.6	3 161	1.7	922.9	202.5
45	Boroondara City								
1111	Boroondara (C) - Camberwell N.	42 940	43 773	43 844	0.4	71	0.2	17.4	2 520.1
1112	Boroondara (C) - Camberwell S.	49 404	49 816	49 981	0.2	165	0.3	18.2	2 748.6
1113	Boroondara (C) - Hawthorn	32 822	33 716	33 961	0.7	245	0.7	9.9	3 438.4
1114	Boroondara (C) - Kew	30 075	30 391	30 504	0.3	113	0.4	14.5	2 103.1
	Total Boroondara City	155 241	157 696	158 290	0.4	594	0.4	60.0	2 639.8

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ASGC code	SD, SSD and SLA	no.	no.	no.	%	no.	km ²	persons/ km ²	
05	MELBOURNE <i>cont.</i>								
50	Eastern Middle Melbourne								
4211	Manningham (C) - East	14 814	15 450	15 507	0.9	57 0.4	58.0	267.6	
4214	Manningham (C) - West	97 205	98 609	98 413	0.2	-196 -0.2	55.5	1 772.6	
4971	Monash (C) - South-West	41 775	42 145	42 142	0.2	-3 —	21.5	1 962.1	
4974	Monash (C) - Waverley East	59 804	57 925	57 742	-0.7	-183 -0.3	27.9	2 069.3	
4975	Monash (C) - Waverley West	59 665	61 574	61 660	0.7	86 0.1	32.1	1 921.0	
6981	Whitehorse (C) - Box Hill	49 968	50 207	50 196	0.1	-11 —	21.6	2 326.0	
6984	Whitehorse (C) - Nunawading E.	45 351	44 755	44 489	-0.4	-266 -0.6	21.4	2 076.7	
6985	Whitehorse (C) - Nunawading W.	50 956	50 316	50 250	-0.3	-66 -0.1	21.2	2 364.9	
	<i>Total Eastern Middle Melbourne</i>	<i>419 538</i>	<i>420 981</i>	<i>420 399</i>	<i>—</i>	<i>-582 -0.1</i>	<i>259.2</i>	<i>1 621.9</i>	
55	Eastern Outer Melbourne								
3671	Knox (C) - North	110 617	110 223	109 766	-0.2	-457 -0.4	71.6	1 532.3	
3674	Knox (C) - South	32 509	39 751	40 278	4.4	527 1.3	42.2	955.5	
4411	Maroondah (C) - Croydon	55 790	58 203	58 627	1.0	424 0.7	37.9	1 547.7	
4412	Maroondah (C) - Ringwood	42 487	42 475	42 316	-0.1	-159 -0.4	23.5	1 801.3	
	<i>Total Eastern Outer Melbourne</i>	<i>241 403</i>	<i>250 652</i>	<i>250 987</i>	<i>0.8</i>	<i>335 0.1</i>	<i>175.2</i>	<i>1 432.9</i>	
60	Yarra Ranges Shire Part A								
7451	Yarra Ranges (S) - Central	15 191	15 425	15 343	0.2	-82 -0.5	437.3	35.1	
7454	Yarra Ranges (S) - North	11 834	12 591	12 771	1.5	180 1.4	371.5	34.4	
7455	Yarra Ranges (S) - South-West	112 186	114 875	114 544	0.4	-331 -0.3	523.8	218.7	
	<i>Total Yarra Ranges Shire Part A</i>	<i>139 211</i>	<i>142 891</i>	<i>142 658</i>	<i>0.5</i>	<i>-233 -0.2</i>	<i>1 332.6</i>	<i>107.0</i>	
65	Southern Melbourne								
0911	Bayside (C) - Brighton	34 885	36 063	36 023	0.6	-40 -0.1	13.8	2 610.4	
0912	Bayside (C) - South	52 298	53 158	53 209	0.3	51 0.1	23.2	2 297.5	
2311	Glen Eira (C) - Caulfield	75 773	75 447	75 500	-0.1	53 0.1	22.2	3 401.7	
2314	Glen Eira (C) - South	45 653	47 174	47 401	0.8	227 0.5	16.5	2 877.3	
3431	Kingston (C) - North	89 886	90 077	90 734	0.2	657 0.7	68.6	1 323.2	
3434	Kingston (C) - South	42 933	45 754	45 950	1.4	196 0.4	22.8	2 018.5	
6352	Stonnington (C) - Malvern	44 212	45 042	45 689	0.7	647 1.4	16.1	2 844.2	
	<i>Total Southern Melbourne</i>	<i>385 640</i>	<i>392 715</i>	<i>394 506</i>	<i>0.5</i>	<i>1 791 0.5</i>	<i>183.0</i>	<i>2 155.5</i>	
75	Greater Dandenong City								
2671	Gr. Dandenong (C) - Dandenong	57 227	56 560	56 394	-0.3	-166 -0.3	38.9	1 451.0	
2674	Gr. Dandenong (C) Bal	72 120	70 665	70 836	-0.4	171 0.2	90.6	781.8	
	<i>Total Greater Dandenong City</i>	<i>129 347</i>	<i>127 225</i>	<i>127 230</i>	<i>-0.3</i>	<i>5 —</i>	<i>129.5</i>	<i>982.7</i>	
80	South Eastern Outer Melbourne								
1452	Cardinia (S) - North	23 168	24 095	24 206	0.9	111 0.5	713.7	33.9	
1453	Cardinia (S) - Pakenham	16 805	21 890	25 076	8.3	3 186 14.6	217.3	115.4	
1454	Cardinia (S) - South	5 001	5 243	5 261	1.0	18 0.3	349.5	15.1	
1612	Casey (C) - Berwick	57 537	80 417	84 706	8.0	4 289 5.3	83.4	1 015.9	
1613	Casey (C) - Cranbourne	48 187	58 370	62 186	5.2	3 816 6.5	84.0	740.6	
1616	Casey (C) - Hallam	49 398	51 342	51 460	0.8	118 0.2	40.1	1 282.0	
1618	Casey (C) - South	11 010	11 539	12 037	1.8	498 4.3	202.4	59.5	
	<i>Total South Eastern Outer Melbourne</i>	<i>211 106</i>	<i>252 896</i>	<i>264 932</i>	<i>4.6</i>	<i>12 036 4.8</i>	<i>1 690.4</i>	<i>156.7</i>	
85	Frankston City								
2171	Frankston (C) - East	33 821	40 417	42 572	4.7	2 155 5.3	64.6	659.3	
2174	Frankston (C) - West	77 239	76 520	76 379	-0.2	-141 -0.2	64.9	1 176.0	
	<i>Total Frankston City</i>	<i>111 060</i>	<i>116 937</i>	<i>118 951</i>	<i>1.4</i>	<i>2 014 1.7</i>	<i>129.5</i>	<i>918.4</i>	
90	Mornington Peninsula Shire								
5341	Mornington P'sula (S) - East	35 106	37 315	37 602	1.4	287 0.8	292.7	128.5	
5344	Mornington P'sula (S) - South	44 343	48 228	48 218	1.7	-10 —	327.9	147.0	
5345	Mornington P'sula (S) - West	45 620	51 756	52 953	3.0	1 197 2.3	102.5	516.8	
	<i>Total Mornington Peninsula Shire</i>	<i>125 069</i>	<i>137 299</i>	<i>138 773</i>	<i>2.1</i>	<i>1 474 1.1</i>	<i>723.1</i>	<i>191.9</i>	
	<i>Total Melbourne</i>	<i>3 379 714</i>	<i>3 555 321</i>	<i>3 600 080</i>	<i>1.3</i>	<i>44 759 1.3</i>	<i>7 693.6</i>	<i>467.9</i>	

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			ERP AT 30 JUNE			CHANGE			
			1999	2003 ^r	2004 ^p	1999- 2004 ^{p(a)}	2003-2004 ^p	Area	Population density 2004
ASGC code	SD, SSD and SLA		no.	no.	no.	%	no.	km ²	persons/ km ²
10	BARWON								
05	Greater Geelong City Part A								
2751	Bellarine - Inner		21 514	23 340	23 790	2.0	450 1.9	68.3	348.3
2752	Corio - Inner		55 368	56 626	56 718	0.5	92 0.2	164.3	345.2
2753	Geelong		11 730	11 754	11 865	0.2	111 0.9	12.7	933.5
2754	Geelong West		14 144	14 052	13 951	-0.3	-101 -0.7	6.2	2 248.7
2755	Newtown		9 834	9 833	9 854	—	21 0.2	6.3	1 556.0
2756	South Barwon - Inner		42 986	47 032	48 280	2.4	1 248 2.7	129.8	371.9
	Total Greater Geelong City Part A		155 576	162 637	164 458	1.1	1 821 1.1	387.7	424.2
10	East Barwon								
2757	Greater Geelong (C) - Pt B		30 426	34 472	35 422	3.1	950 2.8	306.9	115.4
6080	Queenscliffe (B)		3 360	3 222	3 212	-0.9	-10 -0.3	8.6	375.2
6493	Surf Coast (S) - East		10 782	12 840	13 188	4.1	348 2.7	356.2	37.0
6495	Surf Coast (S) - West		8 612	9 232	9 283	1.5	51 0.6	1 196.6	7.8
	Total East Barwon		53 180	59 766	61 105	2.8	1 339 2.2	1 868.1	32.7
15	West Barwon								
1751	Colac-Otway (S) - Colac		10 444	10 472	10 476	0.1	4 —	14.2	736.0
1754	Colac-Otway (S) - North		6 916	6 939	6 964	0.1	25 0.4	1 870.7	3.7
1755	Colac-Otway (S) - South		3 322	3 879	4 055	4.1	176 4.5	1 547.8	2.6
2491	Golden Plains (S) - North-West		6 792	7 472	7 580	2.2	108 1.4	1 035.8	7.3
2492	Golden Plains (S) - South-East		7 439	8 275	8 739	3.3	464 5.6	1 667.7	5.2
2758	Greater Geelong (C) - Pt C		2 598	2 715	2 735	1.0	20 0.7	552.4	5.0
	Total West Barwon		37 511	39 752	40 549	1.6	797 2.0	6 688.6	6.1
	Total Barwon		246 267	262 155	266 112	1.6	3 957 1.5	8 944.4	29.8
15	WESTERN DISTRICT								
01	Warrnambool City								
6730	Warrnambool (C)		28 651	30 317	30 708	1.4	391 1.3	120.7	254.4
	Total Warrnambool City		28 651	30 317	30 708	1.4	391 1.3	120.7	254.4
05	Hopkins								
1831	Corangamite (S) - North		9 871	9 511	9 481	-0.8	-30 -0.3	2 686.4	3.5
1832	Corangamite (S) - South		7 887	7 775	7 846	-0.1	71 0.9	1 717.6	4.6
5491	Moyne (S) - North-East		2 557	2 466	2 446	-0.9	-20 -0.8	1 756.8	1.4
5493	Moyne (S) - North-West		2 966	2 820	2 805	-1.1	-15 -0.5	2 259.9	1.2
5496	Moyne (S) - South		10 400	10 500	10 600	0.4	100 1.0	1 461.5	7.3
8469	Lady Julia Percy Island		—	—	—	—	— —	1.3	—
	Total Hopkins		33 681	33 072	33 178	-0.3	106 0.3	9 883.5	3.4
10	Glenelg								
2411	Glenelg (S) - Heywood		6 184	6 063	6 083	-0.3	20 0.3	3 343.1	1.8
2412	Glenelg (S) - North		3 719	3 473	3 437	-1.6	-36 -1.0	2 810.2	1.2
2413	Glenelg (S) - Portland		10 763	10 608	10 700	-0.1	92 0.9	56.6	189.1
6261	S. Grampians (S) - Hamilton		9 441	9 328	9 342	-0.2	14 0.2	22.0	425.0
6264	S. Grampians (S) - Wannon		2 556	2 393	2 363	-1.6	-30 -1.3	1 996.1	1.2
6265	S. Grampians (S) Bal		5 313	5 213	5 197	-0.4	-16 -0.3	4 633.7	1.1
	Total Glenelg		37 976	37 078	37 122	-0.5	44 0.1	12 861.7	2.9
	Total Western District		100 308	100 467	101 008	0.1	541 0.5	22 865.9	4.4
20	CENTRAL HIGHLANDS								
05	Ballarat City								
0571	Ballarat (C) - Central		34 901	34 334	34 145	-0.4	-189 -0.6	34.1	1 002.0
0572	Ballarat (C) - Inner North		24 552	28 018	29 108	3.5	1 090 3.9	328.2	88.7
0573	Ballarat (C) - North		1 125	1 076	1 081	-0.8	5 0.5	263.6	4.1
0574	Ballarat (C) - South		20 814	22 423	22 814	1.9	391 1.7	114.0	200.1
	Total Ballarat City		81 392	85 851	87 148	1.4	1 297 1.5	740.0	117.8

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ASGC code	SD, SSD and SLA	no.	no.	no.	%	no.	km ²	persons/	km ²
20	CENTRAL HIGHLANDS <i>cont.</i>								
10	East Central Highlands								
2911	Hepburn (S) - East	7 380	7 650	7 841	1.2	191	2.5	734.7	10.7
2912	Hepburn (S) - West	6 793	6 916	6 987	0.6	71	1.0	735.5	9.5
5151	Moorabool (S) - Bacchus Marsh	14 918	16 013	16 277	1.8	264	1.6	606.3	26.8
5154	Moorabool (S) - Ballan	5 627	6 067	6 203	2.0	136	2.2	908.3	6.8
5155	Moorabool (S) - West	3 750	3 657	3 658	-0.5	1	—	594.9	6.1
	Total East Central Highlands	38 468	40 303	40 966	1.3	663	1.6	3 579.7	11.4
15	West Central Highlands								
0260	Ararat (RC)	11 748	11 618	11 539	-0.4	-79	-0.7	4 209.8	2.7
5991	Pyrenees (S) - North	3 495	3 379	3 377	-0.7	-2	-0.1	1 937.9	1.7
5994	Pyrenees (S) - South	3 265	3 160	3 155	-0.7	-5	-0.2	1 495.0	2.1
	Total West Central Highlands	18 508	18 157	18 071	-0.5	-86	-0.5	7 642.8	2.4
	Total Central Highlands	138 368	144 311	146 185	1.1	1 874	1.3	11 962.4	12.2
25	WIMMERA								
05	South Wimmera								
3191	Horsham (RC) - Central	13 462	13 549	13 718	0.4	169	1.2	23.8	575.9
3194	Horsham (RC) Bal	4 916	5 121	5 183	1.1	62	1.2	4 225.2	1.2
5811	N. Grampians (S) - St Arnaud	3 968	3 746	3 713	-1.3	-33	-0.9	2 467.7	1.5
5814	N. Grampians (S) - Stawell	9 238	9 085	9 036	-0.4	-49	-0.5	3 260.7	2.8
6890	West Wimmera (S)	5 037	4 786	4 741	-1.2	-45	-0.9	9 106.7	0.5
	Total South Wimmera	36 621	36 287	36 391	-0.1	104	0.3	19 084.2	1.9
10	North Wimmera								
2980	Hindmarsh (S)	6 761	6 461	6 407	-1.1	-54	-0.8	7 549.9	0.8
7631	Yarriambiack (S) - North	2 412	2 214	2 179	-2.0	-35	-1.6	3 784.7	0.6
7632	Yarriambiack (S) - South	6 178	5 893	5 835	-1.1	-58	-1.0	3 525.5	1.7
	Total North Wimmera	15 351	14 568	14 421	-1.2	-147	-1.0	14 860.1	1.0
	Total Wimmera	51 972	50 855	50 812	-0.5	-43	-0.1	33 944.3	1.5
30	MALLEE								
05	Mildura Rural City Part A								
4781	Mildura (RC) - Pt A	43 566	46 387	47 080	1.6	693	1.5	483.3	97.4
	Total Mildura Rural City Part A	43 566	46 387	47 080	1.6	693	1.5	483.3	97.4
10	West Mallee								
1271	Buloke (S) - North	3 841	3 539	3 500	-1.8	-39	-1.1	5 450.5	0.6
1272	Buloke (S) - South	3 775	3 594	3 558	-1.2	-36	-1.0	2 553.2	1.4
4782	Mildura (RC) - Pt B	4 491	4 232	4 183	-1.4	-49	-1.2	21 603.3	0.2
	Total West Mallee	12 107	11 365	11 241	-1.5	-124	-1.1	29 607.1	0.4
15	East Mallee								
2250	Gannawarra (S)	12 193	11 873	11 837	-0.6	-36	-0.3	3 732.4	3.2
6611	Swan Hill (RC) - Central	9 576	9 952	10 067	1.0	115	1.2	24.2	415.2
6614	Swan Hill (RC) - Robinvale	3 955	4 061	4 050	0.5	-11	-0.3	831.2	4.9
6616	Swan Hill (RC) Bal	7 417	7 376	7 344	-0.2	-32	-0.4	5 261.0	1.4
	Total East Mallee	33 141	33 262	33 298	0.1	36	0.1	9 848.9	3.4
	Total Mallee	88 814	91 014	91 619	0.6	605	0.7	39 939.3	2.3

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		1999	2003r	2004p	1999– 2004p(a)	2003–2004p			
ASGC code	SD, SSD and SLA	no.	no.	no.	%	no.	%	km ²	persons/ km ²
35	LODDON								
05	Greater Bendigo City Part A								
2621	Gr. Bendigo (C) - Central	19 135	19 139	18 900	-0.2	-239	-1.2	15.6	1 212.5
2622	Gr. Bendigo (C) - Eaglehawk	8 902	8 879	8 987	0.2	108	1.2	12.6	715.2
2623	Gr. Bendigo (C) - Inner East	22 046	23 716	23 876	1.6	160	0.7	24.5	976.3
2624	Gr. Bendigo (C) - Inner North	8 261	8 808	8 987	1.7	179	2.0	146.5	61.3
2625	Gr. Bendigo (C) - Inner West	13 925	15 504	16 019	2.8	515	3.3	177.7	90.2
2626	Gr. Bendigo (C) - S'saye	4 845	5 860	6 455	5.9	595	10.2	116.9	55.2
	Total Greater Bendigo City Part A	77 114	81 906	83 224	1.5	1 318	1.6	493.7	168.6
10	North Loddon								
1671	C. Goldfields (S) - M'borough	7 712	7 684	7 652	-0.2	-32	-0.4	23.2	329.4
1674	C. Goldfields (S) Bal	5 291	5 370	5 312	0.1	-58	-1.1	1 510.9	3.5
2628	Gr. Bendigo (C) - Pt B	10 667	11 054	11 390	1.3	336	3.0	2 505.3	4.5
3943	Loddon (S) - North	3 739	3 489	3 452	-1.6	-37	-1.1	3 207.7	1.1
3945	Loddon (S) - South	5 140	4 987	4 955	-0.7	-32	-0.6	3 486.5	1.4
5431	Mount Alexander (S) - C'maine	7 168	7 348	7 319	0.4	-29	-0.4	23.2	315.4
5434	Mount Alexander (S) Bal	9 834	9 904	9 923	0.2	19	0.2	1 505.5	6.6
	Total North Loddon	49 551	49 836	50 003	0.2	167	0.3	12 262.2	4.1
20	South Loddon								
4131	Macedon Ranges (S) - Kyneton	8 024	8 357	8 516	1.2	159	1.9	563.2	15.1
4134	Macedon Ranges (S) - Romsey	9 870	10 841	11 210	2.6	369	3.4	627.9	17.9
4135	Macedon Ranges (S) Bal	18 429	19 709	20 278	1.9	569	2.9	556.4	36.4
	Total South Loddon	36 323	38 907	40 004	1.9	1 097	2.8	1 747.4	22.9
	Total Loddon	162 988	170 649	173 231	1.2	2 582	1.5	14 503.3	11.9
40	GOULBURN								
05	Greater Shepparton City Part A								
2831	Gr. Shepparton (C) - Pt A	42 814	46 242	46 776	1.8	534	1.2	389.9	120.0
	Total Greater Shepparton City Part A	42 814	46 242	46 776	1.8	534	1.2	389.9	120.0
10	North Goulburn								
1371	Campaspe (S) - Echuca	10 758	11 779	11 972	2.2	193	1.6	26.2	456.6
1374	Campaspe (S) - Kyabram	12 649	12 632	12 692	0.1	60	0.5	992.1	12.8
1375	Campaspe (S) - Rochester	8 588	8 657	8 731	0.3	74	0.9	1 955.8	4.5
1376	Campaspe (S) - South	3 848	3 814	3 798	-0.3	-16	-0.4	1 545.0	2.5
2834	Gr. Shepparton (C) - Pt B East	4 123	4 074	4 064	-0.3	-10	-0.2	1 072.9	3.8
2835	Gr. Shepparton (C) - Pt B West	9 037	9 201	9 185	0.3	-16	-0.2	958.7	9.6
4901	Moirra (S) - East	7 996	8 594	8 936	2.2	342	4.0	1 526.7	5.9
4904	Moirra (S) - West	18 369	18 510	18 528	0.2	18	0.1	2 518.2	7.4
	Total North Goulburn	75 368	77 261	77 906	0.7	645	0.8	10 595.8	7.4
15	South Goulburn								
1011	Benalla (RC) - Benalla	9 446	9 538	9 580	0.3	42	0.4	23.5	407.1
1014	Benalla (RC) Bal	4 518	4 511	4 487	-0.1	-24	-0.5	2 328.6	1.9
4250	Mansfield (S)	6 569	6 807	6 997	1.3	190	2.8	3 843.3	1.8
6430	Strathbogie (S)	9 483	9 632	9 616	0.3	-16	-0.2	3 301.6	2.9
8249	Mount Buller Alpine Resort	192	198	198	0.6	—	—	22.6	8.8
8349	Mount Stirling Alpine Resort	—	—	—	—	—	—	26.8	—
	Total South Goulburn	30 208	30 686	30 878	0.4	192	0.6	9 546.4	3.2
20	South West Goulburn								
4851	Mitchell (S) - North	11 484	11 420	11 359	-0.2	-61	-0.5	1 894.5	6.0
4854	Mitchell (S) - South	15 543	19 083	20 215	5.4	1 132	5.9	967.3	20.9
5621	Murrindindi (S) - East	6 239	6 302	6 309	0.2	7	0.1	2 222.1	2.8
5622	Murrindindi (S) - West	6 993	7 510	7 599	1.7	89	1.2	1 650.6	4.6
8149	Lake Mountain Alpine Resort	—	—	—	—	—	—	4.0	—
	Total South West Goulburn	40 259	44 315	45 482	2.5	1 167	2.6	6 738.5	6.7
	Total Goulburn	188 649	198 504	201 042	1.3	2 538	1.3	27 270.6	7.4

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ASGC code SD, SSD and SLA		ERP AT 30 JUNE			CHANGE			Population density 2004	
		1999	2003r	2004p	1999- 2004p(a)	2003-2004p	Area		
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45	OVENS-MURRAY								
05	Wodonga								
3351	Indigo (S) - Pt A	10 981	11 392	11 495	0.9	103	0.9	1 516.9	7.6
6671	Towong (S) - Pt A	2 438	2 377	2 403	-0.3	26	1.1	582.4	4.1
7170	Wodonga (RC)	31 292	33 759	34 831	2.2	1 072	3.2	432.8	80.5
	Total Wodonga	44 711	47 528	48 729	1.7	1 201	2.5	2 532.0	19.2
10	West Ovens-Murray								
3352	Indigo (S) - Pt B	3 495	3 567	3 596	0.6	29	0.8	527.0	6.8
6701	Wangaratta (RC) - Central	16 458	16 388	16 347	-0.1	-41	-0.3	27.7	589.8
6704	Wangaratta (RC) - North	4 247	4 480	4 556	1.4	76	1.7	1 140.9	4.0
6705	Wangaratta (RC) - South	5 863	5 757	5 738	-0.4	-19	-0.3	2 470.7	2.3
	Total West Ovens-Murray	30 063	30 192	30 237	0.1	45	0.1	4 166.2	7.3
15	East Ovens-Murray								
0111	Alpine (S) - East	7 771	8 520	8 597	2.0	77	0.9	3 431.1	2.5
0112	Alpine (S) - West	4 678	4 570	4 571	-0.5	1	—	1 355.8	3.4
6672	Towong (S) - Pt B	4 003	3 825	3 801	-1.0	-24	-0.6	6 091.0	0.6
8109	Falls Creek Alpine Resort	113	121	121	1.4	—	—	15.5	7.8
8309	Mount Hotham Alpine Resort	39	42	42	1.5	—	—	29.2	1.4
	Total East Ovens-Murray	16 604	17 078	17 132	0.6	54	0.3	10 922.6	1.6
	Total Ovens-Murray	91 378	94 798	96 098	1.0	1 300	1.4	17 620.9	5.5
50	EAST GIPPSLAND								
05	East Gippsland Shire								
2111	E. Gippsland (S) - Bairnsdale	24 625	25 442	26 101	1.2	659	2.6	627.7	41.6
2113	E. Gippsland (S) - Orbost	8 658	8 474	8 584	-0.2	110	1.3	12 518.2	0.7
2115	E. Gippsland (S) - South-West	3 454	3 508	3 545	0.5	37	1.1	2 082.8	1.7
2117	E. Gippsland (S) Bal	2 759	2 594	2 596	-1.2	2	0.1	5 702.6	0.5
	Total East Gippsland Shire	39 496	40 018	40 826	0.7	808	2.0	20 931.2	2.0
15	Wellington Shire								
6811	Wellington (S) - Alburyton	5 930	5 800	5 793	-0.5	-7	-0.1	2 051.1	2.8
6812	Wellington (S) - Avon	4 117	3 985	3 988	-0.6	3	0.1	2 629.7	1.5
6813	Wellington (S) - Maffra	10 437	10 236	10 321	-0.2	85	0.8	4 211.4	2.5
6814	Wellington (S) - Rosedale	7 783	7 713	7 894	0.3	181	2.3	2 066.2	3.8
6815	Wellington (S) - Sale	13 716	13 400	13 454	-0.4	54	0.4	30.5	441.4
	Total Wellington Shire	41 983	41 134	41 450	-0.3	316	0.8	10 988.8	3.8
	Total East Gippsland	81 479	81 152	82 276	0.2	1 124	1.4	31 920.1	2.6
55	GIPPSLAND								
05	La Trobe Valley								
0831	Baw Baw (S) - Pt A	4 381	4 363	4 380	—	17	0.4	306.9	14.3
3811	Latrobe (C) - Moe	18 978	18 494	18 432	-0.6	-62	-0.3	136.7	134.9
3814	Latrobe (C) - Morwell	23 352	22 358	22 144	-1.1	-214	-1.0	368.4	60.1
3815	Latrobe (C) - Traralgon	25 978	26 605	27 078	0.8	473	1.8	445.5	60.8
3818	Latrobe (C) Bal	2 719	2 659	2 661	-0.4	2	0.1	475.5	5.6
	Total La Trobe Valley	75 408	74 479	74 695	-0.2	216	0.3	1 733.0	43.1
10	West Gippsland								
0834	Baw Baw (S) - Pt B East	4 051	3 976	3 985	-0.3	9	0.2	2 124.6	1.9
0835	Baw Baw (S) - Pt B West	26 920	28 854	29 570	1.9	716	2.5	1 596.7	18.5
7458	Yarra Ranges (S) - Pt B	649	571	570	-2.6	-1	-0.2	1 137.5	0.5
8209	Mount Baw Baw Alpine Resort	5	5	5	—	—	—	4.3	1.2
	Total West Gippsland	31 625	33 406	34 130	1.5	724	2.2	4 863.0	7.0

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55	GIPPSLAND <i>cont.</i>								
20	South Gippsland								
0741	Bass Coast (S) - Phillip Is.	6 770	8 273	8 611	4.9	338	4.1	100.3	85.8
0744	Bass Coast (S) Bal	16 784	19 339	19 901	3.5	562	2.9	763.7	26.1
6171	South Gippsland (S) - Central	12 369	12 829	13 081	1.1	252	2.0	1 392.2	9.4
6174	South Gippsland (S) - East	5 888	5 897	5 882	—	–15	–0.3	1 364.6	4.3
6175	South Gippsland (S) - West	7 534	7 886	7 925	1.0	39	0.5	538.2	14.7
8529	French Island	87	90	91	0.9	1	1.1	169.9	0.5
8649	Bass Strait Islands	—	—	—	—	—	—	4.7	—
	<i>Total South Gippsland</i>	49 432	54 314	55 491	2.3	1 177	2.2	4 333.7	12.8
	<i>Total Gippsland</i>	156 465	162 199	164 316	1.0	2 117	1.3	10 929.7	15.0
	TOTAL VICTORIA	4 686 402	4 911 425	4 972 779	1.2	61 354	1.2	227 594.4	21.8

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		1999	2003r	2004p	1999- 2004p(b)	2003-2004p			
ASGC code	SD, SSD and SLA(a)	no.	no.	no.	%	no.	%	km ²	persons/ km ²
05	BRISBANE								
05	Brisbane City								
1001	Acacia Ridge	6 624	6 858	6 985	1.1	127	1.9	9.1	770.8
1004	Albion	2 203	2 270	2 224	0.2	-46	-2.0	1.5	1 484.6
1007	Alderley	4 817	5 060	5 136	1.3	76	1.5	2.4	2 117.9
1012	Algester	7 315	7 766	8 101	2.1	335	4.3	3.9	2 064.5
1015	Annerley	8 797	9 159	9 227	1.0	68	0.7	2.8	3 254.7
1018	Anstead	1 066	1 086	1 128	1.1	42	3.9	12.5	90.3
1023	Archerfield	622	611	607	-0.5	-4	-0.7	4.8	127.7
1026	Ascot	4 681	4 903	4 952	1.1	49	1.0	2.5	1 998.4
1031	Ashgrove	11 534	11 917	11 988	0.8	71	0.6	5.6	2 131.6
1034	Aspley	11 547	12 347	12 404	1.4	57	0.5	6.3	1 977.7
1037	Bald Hills	6 099	6 267	6 659	1.8	392	6.3	13.9	477.8
1042	Balmoral	3 416	3 557	3 560	0.8	3	0.1	1.3	2 800.9
1045	Banyo	4 794	4 864	4 864	0.3	—	—	5.2	944.5
1048	Bardon	8 671	9 191	9 277	1.4	86	0.9	5.6	1 656.0
1053	Bellbowrie	4 365	5 094	5 263	3.8	169	3.3	7.3	722.7
1057	Belmont-Mackenzie	3 872	4 683	4 899	4.8	216	4.6	12.5	393.2
1064	Boondall	7 934	8 814	8 786	2.1	-28	-0.3	10.9	805.3
1067	Bowen Hills	860	983	1 418	10.5	435	44.3	1.7	818.2
1072	Bracken Ridge	13 895	15 024	15 059	1.6	35	0.2	8.4	1 794.4
1075	Bridgeman Downs	5 196	6 957	7 050	6.3	93	1.3	8.8	804.7
1078	Brighton	8 795	9 025	9 026	0.5	1	—	6.9	1 306.0
1084	Brookfield (incl. Brisbane Forest Park)	3 816	4 362	4 412	2.9	50	1.1	106.3	41.5
1086	Bulimba	4 101	4 659	5 044	4.2	385	8.3	2.1	2 437.9
1091	Burbank	1 165	1 256	1 271	1.8	15	1.2	30.0	42.3
1094	Calamvale	8 759	9 767	9 821	2.3	54	0.6	6.5	1 510.7
1097	Camp Hill	9 371	9 747	9 834	1.0	87	0.9	4.6	2 134.1
1102	Cannon Hill	4 082	4 824	4 977	4.0	153	3.2	4.6	1 083.8
1108	Carindale	12 380	13 906	14 057	2.6	151	1.1	9.4	1 490.8
1113	Carina	8 829	9 055	9 081	0.6	26	0.3	5.0	1 829.0
1116	Carina Heights	5 765	5 920	5 988	0.8	68	1.1	3.4	1 751.9
1121	Carseldine	6 042	6 504	6 624	1.9	120	1.8	4.6	1 441.9
1123	Chandler-Capalaba West	1 314	1 432	1 469	2.3	37	2.6	13.6	108.2
1127	Chapel Hill	10 119	10 525	10 621	1.0	96	0.9	5.4	1 972.3
1132	Chelmer	2 631	2 674	2 711	0.6	37	1.4	1.4	1 983.2
1135	Chermside	6 010	6 394	6 499	1.6	105	1.6	3.4	1 895.3
1138	Chermside West	5 984	6 156	6 148	0.5	-8	-0.1	3.4	1 817.9
1143	City - Inner	849	1 995	2 323	22.3	328	16.4	0.7	3 304.4
1146	City - Remainder	1 657	2 688	3 264	14.5	576	21.4	1.5	2 150.2
1151	Clayfield	9 315	9 650	9 709	0.8	59	0.6	2.9	3 336.4
1154	Coopers Plains	4 084	4 068	4 058	-0.1	-10	-0.2	3.9	1 031.8
1157	Coorparoo	13 398	14 081	14 211	1.2	130	0.9	5.3	2 682.8
1162	Corinda	4 264	4 518	4 568	1.4	50	1.1	2.9	1 583.9
1167	Darra-Sumner	3 634	3 871	3 823	1.0	-48	-1.2	8.0	476.6
1173	Deagon	3 246	3 243	3 216	-0.2	-27	-0.8	2.7	1 201.8
1176	Doolandella-Forest Lake	11 741	16 609	17 765	8.6	1 156	7.0	10.5	1 690.6
1184	Durack	5 818	5 947	5 986	0.6	39	0.7	4.4	1 350.0
1187	Dutton Park	1 417	1 351	1 347	-1.0	-4	-0.3	0.9	1 503.3
1195	East Brisbane	4 778	4 989	5 084	1.2	95	1.9	2.0	2 607.2

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05	BRISBANE <i>cont.</i>								
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1198	Eight Mile Plains	10 691	11 766	12 052	2.4	286	2.4	7.7	1 570.5
1203	Ellen Grove	2 918	4 923	5 891	15.1	968	19.7	5.1	1 159.0
1206	Enoggera	6 204	6 550	6 650	1.4	100	1.5	9.2	722.4
1211	Everton Park	7 929	7 991	7 995	0.2	4	0.1	4.1	1 930.2
1214	Fairfield	2 189	2 196	2 189	—	–7	–0.3	1.2	1 842.6
1217	Ferry Grove	5 540	5 829	5 865	1.1	36	0.6	3.8	1 528.9
1222	Fig Tree Pocket	2 856	3 233	3 342	3.2	109	3.4	4.2	802.2
1227	Fortitude Valley	2 218	4 187	4 462	15.0	275	6.6	1.4	3 242.7
1236	Geebung	4 214	4 203	4 233	0.1	30	0.7	4.0	1 058.0
1241	Graceville	3 967	4 126	4 147	0.9	21	0.5	1.9	2 207.0
1244	Grange	3 667	3 952	3 986	1.7	34	0.9	1.9	2 124.7
1247	Greenslopes	7 379	7 852	7 863	1.3	11	0.1	3.0	2 660.0
1251	Gumdale-Ransome	1 430	1 545	1 553	1.7	8	0.5	9.8	158.9
1255	Hamilton	3 959	4 237	4 288	1.6	51	1.2	1.7	2 535.8
1258	Hawthorne	3 962	4 293	4 356	1.9	63	1.5	1.4	3 212.4
1265	Hemmant-Lytton	1 954	2 741	2 813	7.6	72	2.6	25.6	110.1
1271	Hendra	3 459	3 666	3 909	2.5	243	6.6	2.7	1 464.6
1274	Herston	1 670	1 833	1 834	1.9	1	0.1	1.7	1 097.5
1277	Highgate Hill	5 350	5 444	5 411	0.2	–33	–0.6	1.2	4 438.9
1282	Holland Park	7 404	7 430	7 463	0.2	33	0.4	3.3	2 290.7
1285	Holland Park West	5 394	5 481	5 524	0.5	43	0.8	2.6	2 141.9
1288	Inala	12 783	12 648	12 548	–0.4	–100	–0.8	5.9	2 112.1
1293	Indooroopilly	10 268	10 701	10 997	1.4	296	2.8	7.5	1 468.4
1296	Jamboree Heights	3 379	3 397	3 480	0.6	83	2.4	1.3	2 600.9
1301	Jindalee	5 335	5 285	5 255	–0.3	–30	–0.6	2.6	2 050.3
1304	Kangaroo Point	5 255	6 353	6 485	4.3	132	2.1	1.3	4 977.0
1306	Karana Downs-Lake Manchester	5 184	5 495	5 671	1.8	176	3.2	184.8	30.7
1312	Kedron	11 268	11 580	11 723	0.8	143	1.2	5.2	2 244.1
1315	Kelvin Grove	4 096	4 175	4 231	0.7	56	1.3	1.7	2 484.4
1318	Kenmore	8 273	8 400	8 413	0.3	13	0.2	5.2	1 609.5
1323	Kenmore Hills	2 528	2 778	2 787	2.0	9	0.3	4.3	648.3
1326	Keperra	7 229	7 462	7 486	0.7	24	0.3	5.5	1 366.8
1331	Kuraby	3 291	6 041	6 567	14.8	526	8.7	4.7	1 399.3
1337	Lota	2 718	2 839	2 871	1.1	32	1.1	2.0	1 422.7
1345	Lutwyche	2 532	2 588	2 714	1.4	126	4.9	0.9	3 025.6
1353	McDowall	6 175	7 107	7 271	3.3	164	2.3	4.4	1 648.8
1356	MacGregor	5 554	5 465	5 451	–0.4	–14	–0.3	2.8	1 973.6
1364	Manly	3 504	3 953	3 984	2.6	31	0.8	2.0	2 043.1
1367	Manly West	9 179	9 808	10 191	2.1	383	3.9	4.9	2 069.2
1372	Mansfield	9 208	10 314	10 413	2.5	99	1.0	6.0	1 727.4
1375	Middle Park	4 378	4 338	4 322	–0.3	–16	–0.4	1.5	2 877.5
1378	Milton	1 604	1 573	1 562	–0.5	–11	–0.7	1.2	1 296.3
1383	Mitchelton	6 117	6 644	6 971	2.6	327	4.9	4.4	1 596.7
1386	Moggill	945	1 499	1 656	11.9	157	10.5	10.3	160.8
1391	Moorooka	8 670	8 903	8 863	0.4	–40	–0.4	4.1	2 160.1
1394	Moreton Island	190	213	207	1.7	–6	–2.8	173.9	1.2
1397	Morningside	7 627	8 416	8 629	2.5	213	2.5	5.4	1 588.0
1402	Mount Gravatt	3 192	3 229	3 222	0.2	–7	–0.2	2.7	1 179.8

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05	Brisbane City <i>cont.</i>								
1405	Mount Gravatt East	9 453	9 991	10 003	1.1	12	0.1	4.6	2 159.1
1408	Mount Ommaney	2 228	2 370	2 442	1.9	72	3.0	2.1	1 161.8
1413	Murarie	2 211	2 433	2 450	2.1	17	0.7	7.6	322.8
1416	Nathan	1 512	1 470	1 483	-0.4	13	0.9	5.3	278.4
1421	New Farm	9 544	10 759	10 874	2.6	115	1.1	2.0	5 361.9
1424	Newmarket	3 929	4 201	4 266	1.7	65	1.5	1.7	2 530.2
1427	Newstead	2 467	4 237	4 504	12.8	267	6.3	1.3	3 543.7
1432	Norman Park	6 441	6 744	6 824	1.2	80	1.2	3.0	2 302.3
1435	Northgate	3 703	3 858	3 876	0.9	18	0.5	3.1	1 269.2
1442	Nudgee	2 256	2 294	2 397	1.2	103	4.5	7.8	306.7
1446	Nundah	8 182	8 684	8 721	1.3	37	0.4	3.6	2 440.1
1451	Oxley	5 848	6 525	6 639	2.6	114	1.7	6.9	961.6
1454	Paddington	7 238	7 443	7 536	0.8	93	1.2	2.4	3 140.0
1456	Pallara-Heathwood-Larapinta	708	716	712	0.1	-4	-0.6	18.1	39.3
1463	Parkinson-Drewvale	4 797	9 140	10 596	17.2	1 456	15.9	12.7	832.4
1465	Pinjarra Hills	445	437	435	-0.5	-2	-0.5	5.5	78.4
1467	Pinkenba-Eagle Farm	428	352	342	-4.4	-10	-2.8	53.3	6.4
1473	Pullenvale	2 148	2 811	3 030	7.1	219	7.8	24.4	124.3
1481	Red Hill	4 901	5 049	5 008	0.4	-41	-0.8	1.7	2 947.6
1484	Richlands	889	946	947	1.3	1	0.1	5.0	190.4
1487	Riverhills	3 704	3 932	3 940	1.2	8	0.2	2.2	1 814.0
1492	Robertson	4 465	4 747	4 752	1.3	5	0.1	1.9	2 488.0
1495	Rochedale	1 240	1 209	1 207	-0.5	-2	-0.2	14.3	84.2
1498	Rocklea	1 456	1 464	1 443	-0.2	-21	-1.4	9.1	158.8
1503	Runcorn	11 617	12 874	12 730	1.8	-144	-1.1	6.6	1 931.1
1506	St Lucia	10 206	10 381	10 442	0.5	61	0.6	3.4	3 049.6
1511	Salisbury	5 340	5 371	5 380	0.1	9	0.2	4.7	1 144.2
1514	Sandgate	6 201	6 083	6 116	-0.3	33	0.5	4.3	1 422.3
1517	Seventeen Mile Rocks	6 208	7 780	8 277	5.9	497	6.4	5.4	1 545.1
1522	Sherwood	4 541	4 789	4 829	1.2	40	0.8	2.3	2 116.1
1525	South Brisbane	2 636	3 441	3 823	7.7	382	11.1	2.0	1 932.8
1528	Spring Hill	3 220	4 242	4 451	6.7	209	4.9	1.2	3 569.4
1533	Stafford	5 590	5 587	5 554	-0.1	-33	-0.6	3.4	1 629.2
1536	Stafford Heights	7 258	7 152	7 152	-0.3	—	—	2.9	2 451.8
1541	Stretton-Karawatha	3 121	3 785	4 045	5.3	260	6.9	13.1	309.0
1547	Sunnybank	7 865	8 175	8 229	0.9	54	0.7	4.4	1 852.5
1552	Sunnybank Hills	15 493	16 332	16 416	1.2	84	0.5	6.4	2 546.3
1556	Taigum-Fitzgibbon	6 054	7 297	7 562	4.5	265	3.6	6.3	1 205.5
1558	Taringa	6 691	6 991	7 096	1.2	105	1.5	2.1	3 353.5
1563	Tarragindi	9 298	9 395	9 406	0.2	11	0.1	4.5	2 070.0
1567	The Gap	15 612	16 018	16 038	0.5	20	0.1	12.2	1 309.8
1571	Tingalpa	8 782	9 179	9 124	0.8	-55	-0.6	9.4	975.2
1574	Toowong	13 125	14 428	14 549	2.1	121	0.8	5.1	2 837.2
1585	Upper Kedron	930	2 399	2 578	22.6	179	7.5	9.4	274.7
1588	Upper Mount Gravatt	7 527	7 755	7 845	0.8	90	1.2	4.2	1 882.6
1593	Virginia	1 828	1 806	1 821	-0.1	15	0.8	3.2	571.2
1596	Wacol	5 171	5 116	5 098	-0.3	-18	-0.4	18.5	275.5
1601	Wakerley	970	2 385	3 117	26.3	732	30.7	5.0	626.4
1604	Wavell Heights	8 689	8 806	8 814	0.3	8	0.1	3.6	2 452.4

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05	BRISBANE <i>cont.</i>								
05	Brisbane City <i>cont.</i>								
1607	West End	5 793	6 020	6 151	1.2	131	2.2	1.9	3 190.4
1612	Westlake	3 997	4 775	4 827	3.8	52	1.1	1.9	2 497.2
1615	Willawong	248	253	250	0.2	-3	-1.2	8.1	30.8
1618	Wilston	3 421	3 616	3 664	1.4	48	1.3	1.4	2 696.1
1623	Windsor	5 933	6 056	6 130	0.7	74	1.2	2.9	2 092.9
1626	Wishart	9 463	10 220	10 451	2.0	231	2.3	4.8	2 182.7
1631	Woolloongabba	3 834	3 842	3 826	—	-16	-0.4	2.4	1 618.4
1634	Woolloowin	5 477	5 543	5 572	0.3	29	0.5	2.2	2 537.3
1637	Wynnum	10 973	11 445	11 698	1.3	253	2.2	6.1	1 902.4
1642	Wynnum West	9 464	11 435	11 642	4.2	207	1.8	5.4	2 148.8
1645	Yeerongpilly	2 276	2 445	2 493	1.8	48	2.0	2.7	927.8
1648	Yeronga	4 958	5 374	5 454	1.9	80	1.5	3.0	1 794.1
1653	Zillmere	7 762	7 730	7 613	-0.4	-117	-1.5	3.7	2 045.4
	Total Brisbane City	864 273	939 442	957 010	2.1	17 568	1.9	1 326.8	721.3
10	Gold Coast City Part A								
3461	Beenleigh	7 698	8 023	7 944	0.6	-79	-1.0	7.5	1 057.8
3463	Bethania-Waterford	5 119	5 587	5 677	2.1	90	1.6	12.7	447.1
3466	Eagleby	8 430	8 684	9 024	1.4	340	3.9	13.8	651.9
3471	Edens Landing-Holmview	4 684	5 483	5 525	3.4	42	0.8	6.8	817.3
3476	Mt Warren Park	5 546	5 554	5 572	0.1	18	0.3	4.3	1 307.4
3494	Windaroo-Bannockburn	2 536	2 831	2 918	2.8	87	3.1	3.5	824.8
3496	Gold Coast (C) Bal in BSD	9 930	12 762	13 802	6.8	1 040	8.1	247.2	55.8
	Total Gold Coast City Part A	43 943	48 924	50 462	2.8	1 538	3.1	295.8	170.6
15	Beautesert Shire Part A								
0552	Beautesert (S) - Pt A	26 083	29 855	30 974	3.5	1 119	3.7	344.7	89.9
	Total Beautesert Shire Part A	26 083	29 855	30 974	3.5	1 119	3.7	344.7	89.9
20	Caboolture Shire Part A								
2002	Bribie Island	14 199	15 506	15 817	2.2	311	2.0	106.4	148.7
2005	Burpengary-Narangba	16 746	19 529	20 809	4.4	1 280	6.6	38.1	546.1
2008	Caboolture (S) - Central	16 565	17 059	17 636	1.3	577	3.4	57.4	307.5
2013	Caboolture (S) - East	12 521	13 983	14 560	3.1	577	4.1	151.3	96.2
2016	Deception Bay	16 804	18 349	19 572	3.1	1 223	6.7	31.3	625.9
2018	Morayfield	16 775	18 180	18 973	2.5	793	4.4	38.4	494.2
2023	Caboolture (S) Bal in BSD	11 428	12 910	13 453	3.3	543	4.2	305.9	44.0
	Total Caboolture Shire Part A	105 038	115 516	120 820	2.8	5 304	4.6	728.7	165.8
25	Ipswich City (Part in BSD)								
3962	Ipswich (C) - Central	66 780	68 548	69 520	0.8	972	1.4	206.0	337.4
3965	Ipswich (C) - East	38 867	43 192	45 641	3.3	2 449	5.7	119.6	381.5
3966	Ipswich (C) - North	7 024	7 686	7 824	2.2	138	1.8	74.9	104.5
	Total Ipswich City (Part in BSD)	112 671	119 426	122 985	1.8	3 559	3.0	400.5	307.1
30	Logan City								
4601	Browns Plains	26 102	28 211	28 655	1.9	444	1.6	28.0	1 024.7
4603	Carbrook-Cornubia	3 269	3 590	3 662	2.3	72	2.0	34.6	105.9
4605	Daisy Hill-Priestdale	4 402	4 456	4 460	0.3	4	0.1	14.9	299.1
4608	Greenbank-Boronia Heights	8 065	8 159	8 279	0.5	120	1.5	52.5	157.8
4612	Kingston	12 944	12 850	12 872	-0.1	22	0.2	8.0	1 613.0
4615	Loganholme	12 444	13 722	13 876	2.2	154	1.1	14.6	949.9
4618	Loganlea	6 939	7 441	7 916	2.7	475	6.4	11.3	700.0

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05	BRISBANE <i>cont.</i>								
30	Logan City <i>cont.</i>								
4623	Marsden	17 346	18 088	18 296	1.1	208	1.1	15.5	1 177.7
4631	Rosedale South	15 452	15 184	14 944	-0.7	-240	-1.6	6.1	2 458.3
4634	Shailer Park	10 896	11 343	11 440	1.0	97	0.9	8.0	1 433.0
4637	Slacks Creek	11 641	11 523	11 600	-0.1	77	0.7	9.7	1 200.1
4642	Springwood	6 272	6 197	6 196	-0.2	-1	—	4.7	1 308.8
4645	Tanah Merah	896	897	900	0.1	3	0.3	1.7	517.5
4651	Underwood	2 921	3 818	4 114	7.1	296	7.8	4.0	1 021.4
4654	Waterford West	5 189	5 572	5 562	1.4	-10	-0.2	5.3	1 057.4
4656	Woodridge	18 474	18 322	18 276	-0.2	-46	-0.3	10.6	1 721.9
4663	Logan (C) Bal	1 943	2 109	2 283	3.3	174	8.3	21.9	104.2
	<i>Total Logan City</i>	165 195	171 482	173 331	1.0	1 849	1.1	251.4	689.6
40	Pine Rivers Shire								
5951	Albany Creek	14 201	16 315	16 340	2.8	25	0.2	9.9	1 652.5
5957	Bray Park	8 708	9 107	9 013	0.7	-94	-1.0	4.5	2 024.9
5958	Central Pine West	10 353	15 173	16 318	9.5	1 145	7.5	54.4	299.8
5961	Dakabin-Kallangur-M. Downs	20 354	22 651	23 460	2.9	809	3.6	23.1	1 014.4
5963	Griffin-Mango Hill	2 162	6 297	8 263	30.8	1 966	31.2	42.6	193.8
5971	Hills District	20 030	21 470	21 532	1.5	62	0.3	17.4	1 240.5
5973	Lawnton	5 429	5 404	5 623	0.7	219	4.1	9.3	606.2
5974	Petrie	7 604	8 578	8 839	3.1	261	3.0	6.7	1 319.8
5978	Strathpine-Brendale	11 727	11 644	11 950	0.4	306	2.6	18.0	664.3
5988	Pine Rivers (S) Bal	14 888	17 292	17 890	3.7	598	3.5	564.3	31.7
	<i>Total Pine Rivers Shire</i>	115 456	133 931	139 228	3.8	5 297	4.0	750.2	185.6
45	Redcliffe City								
6201	Clontarf	8 499	8 187	8 222	-0.7	35	0.4	6.3	1 301.2
6204	Margate-Woody Point	10 274	10 593	10 645	0.7	52	0.5	4.2	2 557.1
6206	Redcliffe-Scarborough	17 766	18 932	19 118	1.5	186	1.0	9.3	2 058.8
6208	Rothwell-Kippa-Ring	12 567	14 069	14 318	2.6	249	1.8	18.4	779.2
	<i>Total Redcliffe City</i>	49 106	51 781	52 303	1.3	522	1.0	38.1	1 371.2
50	Redland Shire								
6251	Alexandra Hills	17 652	17 866	17 692	—	-174	-1.0	13.6	1 300.4
6254	Birkdale	12 589	14 257	14 401	2.7	144	1.0	11.5	1 253.1
6257	Capalaba	17 356	17 890	17 799	0.5	-91	-0.5	19.0	938.2
6262	Cleveland	12 346	13 776	13 859	2.3	83	0.6	11.8	1 173.8
6264	Ormiston	4 185	5 638	5 669	6.3	31	0.5	4.5	1 255.0
6265	Redland Bay	6 606	8 720	9 535	7.6	815	9.3	46.9	203.4
6267	Sheldon-Mt Cotton	4 105	4 731	4 935	3.8	204	4.3	65.3	75.6
6268	Thorneside	3 429	3 567	3 496	0.4	-71	-2.0	2.6	1 365.6
6271	Thornlands	7 447	8 754	9 696	5.4	942	10.8	21.7	445.9
6273	Victoria Point	11 513	13 249	13 708	3.6	459	3.5	13.4	1 022.2
6276	Wellington Point	7 520	9 901	10 230	6.3	329	3.3	7.7	1 336.2
6283	Redland (S) Bal	5 767	6 475	6 757	3.2	282	4.4	319.2	21.2
	<i>Total Redland Shire</i>	110 515	124 824	127 777	2.9	2 953	2.4	537.1	237.9
	<i>Total Brisbane</i>	1 592 280	1 735 181	1 774 890	2.2	39 709	2.3	4 673.2	379.8

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10	MORETON								
05	Gold Coast City Part B								
3497	Arundel	5 698	9 181	9 566	10.9	385	4.2	8.6	1 109.7
3501	Ashmore	10 732	11 348	11 428	1.3	80	0.7	7.5	1 525.8
3504	Benowa	6 391	7 088	7 168	2.3	80	1.1	5.5	1 306.1
3507	Biggera Waters	4 950	5 436	5 580	2.4	144	2.6	3.2	1 739.4
3512	Bilinga	1 273	1 447	1 451	2.7	4	0.3	2.6	554.0
3513	Broadbeach	3 642	4 173	4 370	3.7	197	4.7	1.3	3 303.1
3515	Broadbeach Waters	7 590	7 803	7 840	0.7	37	0.5	5.5	1 413.4
3517	Bundall	4 218	4 284	4 273	0.3	-11	-0.3	3.9	1 091.4
3521	Burleigh Heads	7 398	8 084	8 155	2.0	71	0.9	5.7	1 427.9
3523	Burleigh Waters	11 914	12 965	12 913	1.6	-52	-0.4	6.3	2 044.8
3525	Carrara-Merrimac	13 686	15 447	15 956	3.1	509	3.3	23.0	694.3
3527	Coolangatta	4 082	4 731	4 854	3.5	123	2.6	1.9	2 508.5
3531	Coombabah	8 728	9 515	9 620	2.0	105	1.1	11.6	828.9
3532	Coomera-Cedar Creek	8 081	13 780	15 049	13.2	1 269	9.2	223.4	67.4
3533	Currumbin	2 612	2 741	2 735	0.9	-6	-0.2	1.9	1 450.9
3535	Currumbin Waters	9 597	10 159	10 132	1.1	-27	-0.3	10.6	958.4
3537	Elanora	10 461	12 279	12 322	3.3	43	0.4	8.9	1 385.7
3541	Ernest-Molendinar	3 037	4 254	4 721	9.2	467	11.0	4.0	1 171.2
3542	Guanaba-Currumbin Valley	21 152	29 865	31 490	8.3	1 625	5.4	522.0	60.3
3543	Helensvale	12 067	14 110	14 103	3.2	-7	—	15.2	929.4
3545	Hollywell	2 586	2 633	2 612	0.2	-21	-0.8	1.9	1 361.1
3547	Hope Island	3 211	4 652	5 483	11.3	831	17.9	13.9	395.3
3553	Labrador	14 488	16 179	16 337	2.4	158	1.0	5.6	2 914.7
3555	Main Beach-Broadwater	3 587	3 975	4 294	3.7	319	8.0	8.9	484.7
3557	Mermaid Beach	5 158	6 242	6 253	3.9	11	0.2	1.5	4 068.3
3562	Mermaid Wtrs-Clear Is. Wtrs	13 585	14 391	14 360	1.1	-31	-0.2	10.4	1 380.6
3563	Miami	5 700	6 141	6 197	1.7	56	0.9	3.0	2 063.6
3565	Mudgeeraba	9 109	9 337	9 438	0.7	101	1.1	39.2	240.6
3567	Nerang	21 158	23 952	24 750	3.2	798	3.3	47.7	519.2
3571	Oxenford	8 207	9 505	10 052	4.1	547	5.8	16.5	609.6
3573	Palm Beach	12 921	13 680	13 733	1.2	53	0.4	6.3	2 177.1
3575	Paradise Point	4 135	4 199	4 202	0.3	3	0.1	2.4	1 758.2
3577	Parkwood	8 432	9 199	9 057	1.4	-142	-1.5	5.8	1 569.4
3582	Robina	15 364	22 772	24 512	9.8	1 740	7.6	18.3	1 343.1
3583	Runaway Bay	8 713	8 972	9 006	0.7	34	0.4	5.2	1 724.6
3585	Southport	23 136	24 177	24 622	1.3	445	1.8	14.4	1 704.3
3586	Stephens	4 995	5 626	6 626	5.8	1 000	17.8	3.7	1 780.7
3587	Surfers Paradise	15 562	18 302	18 983	4.1	681	3.7	5.5	3 427.2
3591	Tugun	4 324	4 876	4 937	2.7	61	1.3	2.7	1 815.7
3593	Worongary-Tallai	9 052	9 562	9 572	1.1	10	0.1	25.1	382.1
	Total Gold Coast City Part B	350 732	407 062	418 752	3.6	11 690	2.9	1 110.7	377.0
15	Sunshine Coast								
2132	Caloundra (C) - Caloundra N.	17 121	19 679	20 462	3.6	783	4.0	27.2	753.2
2133	Caloundra (C) - Caloundra S.	14 014	18 352	19 710	7.1	1 358	7.4	106.1	185.8
2135	Caloundra (C) - Kawana	17 626	19 546	20 247	2.8	701	3.6	35.6	568.1
4902	Maroochy (S) - Buderim	30 156	36 845	38 438	5.0	1 593	4.3	62.1	619.3
4905	Maroochy (S) - Coastal North	16 513	20 787	21 927	5.8	1 140	5.5	47.0	466.7
4907	Maroochy (S) - Maroochydore	15 127	16 022	16 448	1.7	426	2.7	14.1	1 165.0

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15	Sunshine Coast <i>cont.</i>								
4911	Maroochy (S) - Mooloolaba	10 131	10 665	10 922	1.5	257	2.4	5.4	2 011.8
4914	Maroochy (S) - Nambour	11 969	12 320	12 444	0.8	124	1.0	20.4	611.3
4917	Maroochy (S) Bal in S C'st SSD	13 360	15 033	15 135	2.5	102	0.7	85.0	178.1
5752	Noosa (S) - Noosa-Noosaville	8 582	9 880	10 148	3.4	268	2.7	22.8	445.2
5755	Noosa (S) - Sunshine-Peregian	9 188	9 711	9 723	1.1	12	0.1	19.1	509.7
5756	Noosa (S) - Tewantin	9 965	11 526	11 625	3.1	99	0.9	12.5	932.3
	Total Sunshine Coast	173 752	200 366	207 229	3.6	6 863	3.4	457.2	453.3
20	Moreton SD Bal								
0557	Beaudesert (S) - Pt B	25 187	27 719	28 419	2.4	700	2.5	2 509.7	11.3
0800	Boonah (S)	8 318	8 545	8 567	0.6	22	0.3	1 921.9	4.5
2031	Caboolture (S) - Pt B	5 455	5 755	5 909	1.6	154	2.7	495.8	11.9
2136	Caloundra (C) - Hinterland	7 125	7 960	8 062	2.5	102	1.3	505.6	15.9
2138	Caloundra (C) - Rail Corridor	16 056	17 461	17 987	2.3	526	3.0	419.0	42.9
3050	Esk (S)	14 484	15 067	15 206	1.0	139	0.9	3 934.1	3.9
3250	Gatton (S)	15 328	16 166	16 288	1.2	122	0.8	1 571.6	10.4
3974	Ipswich (C) - South-West	3 818	4 202	4 267	2.2	65	1.5	584.6	7.3
3976	Ipswich (C) - West	8 063	8 268	8 327	0.6	59	0.7	218.3	38.1
4250	Kilcoy (S)	3 266	3 423	3 467	1.2	44	1.3	1 445.2	2.4
4450	Laidley (S)	12 928	13 200	13 351	0.6	151	1.1	701.1	19.0
4918	Maroochy (S) Bal	22 238	24 945	25 755	3.0	810	3.2	928.8	27.7
5758	Noosa (S) Bal	13 375	15 398	16 110	3.8	712	4.6	814.3	19.8
	Total Moreton SD Bal	155 641	168 109	171 715	2.0	3 606	2.1	16 050.1	10.7
	Total Moreton	680 125	775 537	797 696	3.2	22 159	2.9	17 618.0	45.3
15	WIDE BAY-BURNETT								
05	Bundaberg								
1810	Bundaberg (C)	44 077	45 358	45 801	0.8	443	1.0	95.5	479.7
1981	Burnett (S) - Pt A	11 479	13 204	13 717	3.6	513	3.9	159.2	86.2
	Total Bundaberg	55 556	58 562	59 518	1.4	956	1.6	254.6	233.7
07	Hervey Bay City Part A								
3751	Hervey Bay (C) - Pt A	38 160	42 971	45 506	3.6	2 535	5.9	373.4	121.9
	Total Hervey Bay City Part A	38 160	42 971	45 506	3.6	2 535	5.9	373.4	121.9
10	Wide Bay-Burnett SD Bal								
0700	Biggenden (S)	1 574	1 552	1 537	-0.5	-15	-1.0	1 315.9	1.2
1984	Burnett (S) - Pt B	11 308	11 989	12 174	1.5	185	1.5	1 845.2	6.6
2330	Cherbourg (AC)	1 177	np	np	np	np	np	31.6	np
2532	Cooloolo (S) (excl. Gympie)	17 161	18 730	19 436	2.5	706	3.8	2 911.8	6.7
2535	Cooloolo (S) - Gympie only	15 834	16 016	16 188	0.4	172	1.1	55.4	292.2
2950	Eidsvold (S)	942	944	936	-0.1	-8	-0.8	4 809.3	0.2
3300	Gayndah (S)	2 863	2 913	2 939	0.5	26	0.9	2 709.1	1.1
3754	Hervey Bay (C) - Pt B	3 420	3 761	3 865	2.5	104	2.8	1 983.1	1.9
4000	Isis (S)	5 858	6 007	6 141	0.9	134	2.2	1 700.6	3.6
4300	Kilkivan (S)	3 223	3 264	3 283	0.4	19	0.6	3 264.4	1.0

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15	WIDE BAY-BURNETT <i>cont.</i>								
10	Wide Bay-Burnett SD Bal <i>cont.</i>								
4350	Kingaroy (S)	11 602	12 153	12 302	1.2	149	1.2	2 422.1	5.1
4400	Kolan (S)	4 620	4 547	4 550	-0.3	3	0.1	2 650.4	1.7
4950	Maryborough (C)	24 934	25 505	25 595	0.5	90	0.4	1 234.1	20.7
5100	Miriam Vale (S)	4 314	4 822	5 113	3.5	291	6.0	3 778.2	1.4
5150	Monto (S)	2 666	2 477	2 473	-1.5	-4	-0.2	4 321.8	0.6
5450	Mundubbera (S)	2 350	2 354	2 395	0.4	41	1.7	4 193.1	0.6
5500	Murgon (S)	3 547	3 689	3 722	1.0	33	0.9	664.8	5.6
5650	Nanango (S)	8 245	8 630	8 700	1.1	70	0.8	1 734.6	5.0
5900	Perry (S)	366	441	437	3.6	-4	-0.9	2 358.7	0.2
6850	Tiaro (S)	4 499	4 870	4 941	1.9	71	1.5	2 187.0	2.3
7450	Wondai (S)	4 172	4 289	4 339	0.8	50	1.2	3 576.6	1.2
7500	Woochoo (S)	3 003	3 111	3 163	1.0	52	1.7	2 005.8	1.6
	Total Wide Bay-Burnett SD Bal	137 678	143 314	145 479	1.1	2 165	1.5	51 753.5	2.8
	Total Wide Bay-Burnett	231 394	244 847	250 503	1.6	5 656	2.3	52 381.5	4.8
20	DARLING DOWNS								
01	Toowoomba								
2151	Cambooya (S) - Pt A	2 902	3 508	3 624	4.5	116	3.3	87.8	41.3
2551	Crow's Nest (S) - Pt A	5 883	7 218	7 725	5.6	507	7.0	122.4	63.1
4201	Jondaryan (S) - Pt A	5 119	6 200	6 411	4.6	211	3.4	133.7	47.9
6451	Rosalie (S) - Pt A	3 809	4 229	4 282	2.4	53	1.3	93.9	45.6
6901	Toowoomba (C) - Central	14 529	14 791	14 824	0.4	33	0.2	9.5	1 554.9
6903	Toowoomba (C) - North-East	10 684	11 006	11 011	0.6	5	—	19.5	565.9
6905	Toowoomba (C) - North-West	18 944	19 296	19 450	0.5	154	0.8	29.5	659.6
6906	Toowoomba (C) - South-East	21 773	24 733	25 612	3.3	879	3.6	29.3	874.3
6908	Toowoomba (C) - West	22 039	22 834	23 146	1.0	312	1.4	28.8	804.8
	Total Toowoomba	105 682	113 815	116 085	1.9	2 270	2.0	554.4	209.4
05	Darling Downs SD Bal								
2154	Cambooya (S) - Pt B	1 819	1 917	1 930	1.2	13	0.7	550.7	3.5
2350	Chinchilla (S)	5 945	6 078	6 133	0.6	55	0.9	8 700.6	0.7
2400	Clifton (S)	2 430	2 491	2 492	0.5	1	—	867.2	2.9
2554	Crow's Nest (S) - Pt B	3 732	3 897	3 952	1.2	55	1.4	1 508.7	2.6
2650	Dalby (T)	10 011	10 124	10 199	0.4	75	0.7	47.8	213.2
3600	Goondiwindi (T)	4 615	4 957	5 023	1.7	66	1.3	14.6	343.3
3900	Inglewood (S)	2 697	2 704	2 637	-0.4	-67	-2.5	5 878.8	0.4
4204	Jondaryan (S) - Pt B	7 134	7 363	7 453	0.9	90	1.2	1 776.1	4.2
5000	Millmerran (S)	3 204	3 340	3 367	1.0	27	0.8	4 520.7	0.7
5550	Murilla (S)	2 752	2 727	2 725	-0.2	-2	-0.1	6 074.0	0.4
6050	Pittsworth (S)	4 533	4 811	4 896	1.6	85	1.8	1 089.7	4.5
6454	Rosalie (S) - Pt B	4 654	4 645	4 681	0.1	36	0.8	2 105.6	2.2
6600	Stanthorpe (S)	10 160	10 614	10 575	0.8	-39	-0.4	2 696.9	3.9
6700	Tara (S)	3 774	4 005	3 958	1.0	-47	-1.2	11 679.9	0.3
6750	Taroom (S)	2 705	2 620	2 550	-1.2	-70	-2.7	18 645.0	0.1

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20	DARLING DOWNS <i>cont.</i>								
05	Darling Downs SD Bal <i>cont.</i>								
	7120 Waggamba (S)	2 798	3 009	3 006	1.4	-3	-0.1	13 399.8	0.2
	7150 Wambo (S)	5 291	5 274	5 292	—	18	0.3	5 712.8	0.9
	7262 Warwick (S) - Central	11 246	11 289	11 348	0.2	59	0.5	25.1	452.9
	7263 Warwick (S) - East	4 155	4 317	4 277	0.6	-40	-0.9	1 728.2	2.5
	7265 Warwick (S) - North	2 432	2 560	2 562	1.0	2	0.1	694.3	3.7
	7266 Warwick (S) - West	3 033	3 300	3 343	2.0	43	1.3	1 974.9	1.7
	Total Darling Downs SD Bal	99 120	102 042	102 399	0.7	357	0.3	89 691.1	1.1
	Total Darling Downs	204 802	215 857	218 484	1.3	2 627	1.2	90 245.5	2.4
25	SOUTH WEST								
05	South West								
	0300 Balonne (S)	5 247	5 611	5 587	1.3	-24	-0.4	31 144.0	0.2
	0650 Bendemere (S)	990	988	994	0.1	6	0.6	3 928.1	0.3
	0850 Booringa (S)	1 901	1 877	1 861	-0.4	-16	-0.9	27 828.0	0.1
	1750 Bulloo (S)	483	470	474	-0.4	4	0.9	73 805.2	—
	1850 Bungil (S)	1 965	1 979	1 959	-0.1	-20	-1.0	13 337.6	0.1
	5600 Murweh (S)	4 911	5 033	5 019	0.4	-14	-0.3	40 740.0	0.1
	5800 Paroo (S)	2 247	2 187	2 170	-0.7	-17	-0.8	47 727.0	—
	6150 Quilpie (S)	1 188	1 086	1 073	-2.0	-13	-1.2	67 614.5	—
	6400 Roma (T)	6 555	6 734	6 752	0.6	18	0.3	77.7	86.9
	7200 Warroo (S)	1 019	1 071	1 063	0.8	-8	-0.7	13 657.9	0.1
	Total South West	26 506	27 036	26 952	0.3	-84	-0.3	319 860.1	0.1
	Total South West	26 506	27 036	26 952	0.3	-84	-0.3	319 860.1	0.1
30	FITZROY								
05	Rockhampton								
	3151 Fitzroy (S) - Pt A	4 990	5 204	5 206	0.9	2	—	137.3	37.9
	4551 Livingstone (S) - Pt A	3 240	3 524	3 605	2.2	81	2.3	124.1	29.1
	6350 Rockhampton (C)	59 358	59 187	59 662	0.1	475	0.8	188.6	316.3
	Total Rockhampton	67 588	67 915	68 473	0.3	558	0.8	450.0	152.1
10	Gladstone								
	2101 Calliope (S) - Pt A	11 703	12 976	13 399	2.7	423	3.3	437.6	30.6
	3350 Gladstone (C)	26 583	27 807	28 503	1.4	696	2.5	162.6	175.3
	Total Gladstone	38 286	40 783	41 902	1.8	1 119	2.7	600.1	69.8

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30	FITZROY <i>cont.</i>								
15	Fitzroy SD Bal								
0350	Banana (S)	14 129	14 315	14 266	0.2	-49	-0.3	15 754.8	0.9
0500	Bauhinia (S)	2 220	2 247	2 240	0.2	-7	-0.3	23 641.2	0.1
2104	Calliope (S) - Pt B	2 803	2 817	2 811	0.1	-6	-0.2	6 109.3	0.5
2850	Duaringa (S)	7 175	6 595	6 689	-1.4	94	1.4	17 751.8	0.4
3000	Emerald (S)	12 931	13 373	13 502	0.9	129	1.0	10 364.1	1.3
3154	Fitzroy (S) - Pt B	4 910	4 980	5 074	0.7	94	1.9	5 767.7	0.9
4100	Jericho (S)	1 070	1 071	1 101	0.6	30	2.8	21 872.6	0.1
4554	Livingstone (S) - Pt B	22 014	24 085	24 617	2.3	532	2.2	11 650.5	2.1
5350	Mount Morgan (S)	2 908	2 987	3 052	1.0	65	2.2	491.9	6.2
5850	Peak Downs (S)	3 090	3 151	3 154	0.4	3	0.1	8 126.5	0.4
7550	Woorabinda (AC)	1 083	np	np	np	np	np	391.2	np
	Total Fitzroy SD Bal	74 333	76 656	77 541	0.8	885	1.2	121 921.4	0.6
	Total Fitzroy	180 207	185 354	187 916	0.8	2 562	1.4	122 971.5	1.5
35	CENTRAL WEST								
05	Central West								
0150	Aramac (S)	783	741	712	-1.9	-29	-3.9	23 360.8	—
0400	Barcaldine (S)	1 749	1 709	1 692	-0.7	-17	-1.0	8 443.4	0.2
0450	Barcoo (S)	476	452	464	-0.5	12	2.7	61 974.2	—
0750	Blackall (S)	1 837	1 711	1 659	-2.0	-52	-3.0	16 384.3	0.1
0900	Boulia (S)	565	558	553	-0.4	-5	-0.9	61 092.8	—
2750	Diamantina (S)	338	311	306	-2.0	-5	-1.6	94 832.3	—
3850	Ilfracombe (S)	347	375	367	1.1	-8	-2.1	6 575.7	0.1
4050	Isisford (S)	299	299	301	0.1	2	0.7	10 501.4	—
4700	Longreach (S)	3 876	4 008	4 009	0.7	1	—	23 561.2	0.2
6650	Tambo (S)	600	611	633	1.1	22	3.6	14 105.2	—
7400	Winton (S)	1 621	1 603	1 543	-1.0	-60	-3.7	53 934.7	—
	Total Central West	12 491	12 378	12 239	-0.4	-139	-1.1	374 766.0	—
	Total Central West	12 491	12 378	12 239	-0.4	-139	-1.1	374 766.0	—
40	MACKAY								
05	Mackay City Part A								
4762	Mackay (C) - Pt A	62 939	66 880	68 381	1.7	1 501	2.2	257.9	265.1
	Total Mackay City Part A	62 939	66 880	68 381	1.7	1 501	2.2	257.9	265.1
10	Mackay SD Bal								
0600	Belyando (S)	10 256	10 500	10 524	0.5	24	0.2	30 280.7	0.3
0950	Bowen (S)	12 614	12 546	12 566	-0.1	20	0.2	21 177.0	0.6
1700	Broadsound (S)	6 866	6 490	6 489	-1.1	-1	—	18 546.2	0.3
4765	Mackay (C) - Pt B	10 972	11 472	11 443	0.8	-29	-0.3	2 639.3	4.3
5050	Mirani (S)	5 166	5 292	5 299	0.5	7	0.1	3 280.1	1.6
5700	Nebo (S)	2 115	2 160	2 144	0.3	-16	-0.7	10 035.3	0.2
6550	Sarina (S)	9 726	9 914	9 979	0.5	65	0.7	1 444.4	6.9
7330	Whitsunday (S)	14 926	16 475	16 874	2.5	399	2.4	2 679.1	6.3
	Total Mackay SD Bal	72 641	74 849	75 318	0.7	469	0.6	90 082.0	0.8
	Total Mackay	135 580	141 729	143 699	1.2	1 970	1.4	90 339.9	1.6

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45	NORTHERN							
05	Townsville City Part A							
7001	Aitkenvale	4 988	5 050	5 117	0.5	67	1.3	3.3
7003	City	1 899	2 174	2 436	5.1	262	12.1	2.1
7007	Cranbrook	6 645	6 765	6 752	0.3	-13	-0.2	3.4
7012	Currajong	2 656	2 714	2 711	0.4	-3	-0.1	2.0
7014	Douglas	2 624	4 192	4 868	13.2	676	16.1	8.8
7015	Garbutt	2 452	2 478	2 475	0.2	-3	-0.1	11.5
7018	Gulliver	3 096	3 152	3 146	0.3	-6	-0.2	1.6
7023	Heatley	4 667	4 683	4 672	—	-11	-0.2	2.0
7026	Hermit Park	3 524	3 615	3 635	0.6	20	0.6	2.2
7027	Hyde Park-Mysterton	2 325	2 341	2 340	0.1	-1	np	1.8
7031	Magnetic Island	2 095	2 227	2 241	1.4	14	0.6	51.0
7033	Mt Louisa-Mt St John-Bohle	3 971	4 334	4 674	3.3	340	7.8	32.6
7034	Mundingburra	4 021	4 096	4 116	0.5	20	0.5	2.6
7038	Murray	8 473	10 366	10 505	4.4	139	1.3	25.7
7041	North Ward-Castle Hill	5 223	5 665	5 676	1.7	11	0.2	4.6
7044	Oonoonba-Idalia-Cluden	1 744	2 395	2 759	9.6	364	15.2	9.1
7047	Pallarenda-Shelley Beach	1 040	1 057	1 057	0.3	np	np	36.5
7051	Pimlico	2 446	2 563	2 579	1.1	16	0.6	1.4
7054	Railway Estate	2 842	2 862	2 858	0.1	-4	-0.1	4.2
7058	Rosslea	1 593	1 643	1 652	0.7	9	0.5	1.7
7062	Rowes Bay-Belgian Gardens	2 356	2 419	2 375	0.2	-44	-1.8	4.4
7065	South Townsville	1 932	2 095	2 197	2.6	102	4.9	3.7
7068	Stuart-Roseneath	1 287	1 240	1 257	-0.5	17	1.4	63.3
7071	Vincent	2 830	2 746	2 739	-0.7	-7	-0.3	1.3
7074	West End	3 740	4 099	4 125	2.0	26	0.6	3.0
7078	Wulguru	4 982	5 281	5 301	1.2	20	0.4	5.2
	Total Townsville City Part A	85 451	92 252	94 263	2.0	2 011	2.2	289.2
10	Thuringowa City Part A							
6801	Kelso	7 905	8 375	8 410	1.2	35	0.4	16.3
6804	Kirwan	18 028	21 891	22 793	4.8	902	4.1	13.1
6807	Thuringowa (C) - Pt A Bal	16 489	18 243	18 727	2.6	484	2.7	135.9
	Total Thuringowa City Part A	42 422	48 509	49 930	3.3	1 421	2.9	165.2
15	Northern SD Bal							
1900	Burdekin (S)	18 631	18 661	18 636	np	-25	-0.1	5 053.4
2300	Charters Towers (C)	8 863	8 816	8 832	-0.1	16	0.2	42.0
2700	Dalrymple (S)	3 458	3 518	3 485	0.2	-33	-0.9	68 347.9
3800	Hinchinbrook (S)	12 786	12 340	12 207	-0.9	-133	-1.1	2 811.3
5770	Palm Island (AC)	2 209	np	np	np	np	np	70.9
6831	Thuringowa (C) - Pt B	6 857	7 442	7 518	1.9	76	1.0	1 700.1
7084	Townsville (C) - Pt B	3 488	3 695	3 660	1.0	-35	-0.9	1 579.5
	Total Northern SD Bal	56 292	56 850	56 716	0.2	-134	-0.2	79 605.1
	Total Northern	184 165	197 611	200 909	1.8	3 298	1.7	80 059.5

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50	FAR NORTH								
05	Cairns City Part A								
2062	Cairns (C) - Barron	17 389	18 464	19 092	1.9	628	3.4	156.6	121.9
2065	Cairns (C) - Central Suburbs	21 632	21 592	21 758	0.1	166	0.8	18.5	1 179.1
2066	Cairns (C) - City	7 440	7 624	7 841	1.1	217	2.8	6.0	1 303.6
2068	Cairns (C) - Mt Whitfield	11 543	11 804	12 077	0.9	273	2.3	28.0	431.9
2072	Cairns (C) - Northern Suburbs	13 248	14 507	14 980	2.5	473	3.3	50.0	299.4
2074	Cairns (C) - Trinity	28 594	31 605	32 337	2.5	732	2.3	213.1	151.7
2076	Cairns (C) - Western Suburbs	11 400	11 935	12 211	1.4	276	2.3	15.9	769.1
	Total Cairns City Part A	111 246	117 531	120 296	1.6	2 765	2.4	488.1	246.5
10	Far North SD Bal								
0200	Atherton (S)	10 320	10 900	10 994	1.3	94	0.9	623.1	17.6
0250	Aurukun (S)	969	1 146	1 166	3.8	20	1.7	7 382.6	0.2
0270	Badu (IC)	698	np	np	np	np	np	102.0	np
0330	Bamaga (IC)	847	np	np	np	np	np	68.3	np
0770	Boigu (IC)	285	np	np	np	np	np	71.7	np
2078	Cairns (C) - Pt B	4 740	4 797	4 836	0.4	39	0.8	1 202.1	4.0
2200	Cardwell (S)	9 972	11 079	11 230	2.4	151	1.4	3 061.8	3.7
2500	Cook (S)	3 590	3 896	4 081	2.6	185	4.7	106 120.8	—
2600	Croydon (S)	292	290	286	-0.4	-4	-1.4	29 581.5	—
2740	Dauan (IC)	123	np	np	np	np	np	3.6	np
2800	Douglas (S)	9 955	11 160	11 275	2.5	115	1.0	2 444.8	4.6
2900	Eacham (S)	6 330	6 417	6 405	0.2	-12	-0.2	1 126.5	5.7
3030	Erub (IC)	291	np	np	np	np	np	5.9	np
3100	Etheridge (S)	967	1 023	1 007	0.8	-16	-1.6	39 308.5	—
3650	Hammond (IC)	210	np	np	np	np	np	15.7	np
3700	Herberton (S)	5 328	5 501	5 508	0.7	7	0.1	9 603.5	0.6
3830	Hope Vale (AC)	863	np	np	np	np	np	1 108.6	np
3840	Iama (IC)	272	np	np	np	np	np	1.7	np
3930	Injinoo (AC)	417	np	np	np	np	np	850.5	np
4150	Johnstone (S)	19 571	19 545	19 523	—	-22	-0.1	1 639.3	11.9
4420	Kowanyama (AC)	1 015	np	np	np	np	np	2 571.9	np
4430	Kubin (IC)	202	np	np	np	np	np	152.8	np
4570	Lockhart River (AC)	619	np	np	np	np	np	3 616.6	np
4740	Mabuiag (IC)	222	np	np	np	np	np	6.5	np
4830	Mapoon (AC)	198	np	np	np	np	np	548.5	np
4850	Mareeba (S)	18 380	18 659	18 659	0.3	—	—	53 644.6	0.3
4970	Mer (IC)	449	np	np	np	np	np	5.0	np
5670	Napranum (AC)	786	np	np	np	np	np	1 996.7	np
5730	New Mapoon (AC)	333	np	np	np	np	np	94.7	np
6070	Pormpuraaw (AC)	604	np	np	np	np	np	4 454.0	np

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(b) Average annual growth rate.

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		ERP AT 30 JUNE			CHANGE				Population density 2004
		1999	2003r	2004p	1999- 2004p(b)	2003-2004p		Area	persons/ km²
ASGC code	SD, SSD and SLA(a)	no.	no.	no.	%	no.	%	km²	
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50	FAR NORTH <i>cont.</i>								
10	Far North SD Bal <i>cont.</i>								
6100	Poruma (IC)	123	np	np	np	np	np	0.3	np
6470	Saibai (IC)	344	np	np	np	np	np	104.5	np
6480	St Pauls (IC)	236	np	np	np	np	np	18.5	np
6570	Seisia (IC)	146	np	np	np	np	np	2.7	np
6950	Torres (S)	3 235	3 798	3 810	3.3	12	0.3	875.0	4.4
7090	Ugar (IC)	60	np	np	np	np	np	0.4	np
7110	Umagico (AC)	270	np	np	np	np	np	55.7	np
7170	Warraber (IC)	226	np	np	np	np	np	0.9	np
7300	Weipa (T)	2 322	2 174	2 195	-1.1	21	1.0	10.9	201.5
7570	Wujal Wujal (AC)	361	np	np	np	np	np	11.4	np
7600	Yarrabah (AC)	2 180	np	np	np	np	np	159.4	np
7650	Yorke (IC)	317	np	np	np	np	np	1.7	np
	Total Far North SD Bal	108 668	113 963	114 553	1.1	590	0.5	272 655.2	0.4
	Total Far North	219 914	231 494	234 849	1.3	3 355	1.4	273 143.3	0.9
55	NORTH WEST								
05	North West								
1950	Burke (S)	349	502	487	6.9	-15	-3.0	40 126.0	—
2250	Carpentaria (S)	2 182	2 412	2 420	2.1	8	0.3	64 381.4	—
2450	Cloncurry (S)	3 586	3 872	3 836	1.4	-36	-0.9	48 112.2	0.1
2770	Doomadgee (AC)	1 088	np	np	np	np	np	1 863.2	np
3200	Flinders (S)	2 124	2 092	2 033	-0.9	-59	-2.8	41 537.9	—
4800	McKinlay (S)	1 099	1 044	1 038	-1.1	-6	-0.6	40 885.5	—
5250	Mornington (S)	1 017	1 046	1 042	0.5	-4	-0.4	1 231.3	0.8
5300	Mount Isa (C)	21 393	20 648	20 663	-0.7	15	0.1	43 342.5	0.5
6300	Richmond (S)	1 119	1 163	1 145	0.5	-18	-1.5	26 602.3	—
8809	Unincorp. Islands	—	—	—	—	—	—	16.0	—
	Total North West	33 957	34 015	33 900	—	-115	-0.3	308 098.3	0.1
	Total North West	33 957	34 015	33 900	—	-115	-0.3	308 098.3	0.1
TOTAL QUEENSLAND		3 501 421	3 801 039	3 882 037	2.1	80 998	2.1	1 734 156.8	2.2

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ESTIMATED RESIDENT POPULATION, Statistical Local Areas—SA

		ERP AT 30 JUNE			CHANGE				Population density 2004
		1999	2003r	2004p	1999- 2004p(a)	2003-2004p	Area		
ASGC code	SD, SSD and SLA	no.	no.	no.	%	no.	%	km ²	persons/ km ²
05	ADELAIDE								
05	Northern Adelaide								
2030	Gawler (T)	17 859	18 749	19 060	1.3	311	1.7	41.1	463.3
5681	Playford (C) - East Central	17 842	19 964	20 332	2.6	368	1.8	11.7	1 736.7
5683	Playford (C) - Elizabeth	26 014	25 652	25 591	-0.3	-61	-0.2	20.2	1 267.7
5684	Playford (C) - Hills	2 703	3 118	3 248	3.7	130	4.2	134.6	24.1
5686	Playford (C) - West	8 128	8 494	8 529	1.0	35	0.4	169.4	50.4
5688	Playford (C) - West Central	12 721	12 794	12 902	0.3	108	0.8	9.1	1 425.5
5891	Port Adel. Enfield (C) - East	27 174	29 386	29 794	1.9	408	1.4	17.7	1 685.2
5894	Port Adel. Enfield (C) - Inner	19 654	19 589	19 526	-0.1	-63	-0.3	15.2	1 287.7
7141	Salisbury (C) - Central	27 398	27 814	27 755	0.3	-59	-0.2	21.2	1 310.8
7143	Salisbury (C) - Inner North	24 539	25 169	25 399	0.7	230	0.9	11.0	2 307.3
7144	Salisbury (C) - North-East	22 725	22 153	21 945	-0.7	-208	-0.9	15.9	1 378.3
7146	Salisbury (C) - South-East	33 236	35 719	36 248	1.8	529	1.5	20.6	1 756.3
7148	Salisbury (C) Bal	5 305	6 269	7 925	8.4	1 656	26.4	89.4	88.7
7701	Tea Tree Gully (C) - Central	27 540	26 833	26 635	-0.7	-198	-0.7	12.2	2 188.4
7704	Tea Tree Gully (C) - Hills	12 727	12 530	12 459	-0.4	-71	-0.6	45.5	273.6
7705	Tea Tree Gully (C) - North	24 947	27 623	27 821	2.2	198	0.7	17.6	1 581.5
7708	Tea Tree Gully (C) - South	33 235	33 261	33 165	—	-96	-0.3	19.9	1 666.2
	Total Northern Adelaide	343 747	355 117	358 334	0.8	3 217	0.9	672.2	533.1
10	Western Adelaide								
1061	Charles Sturt (C) - Coastal	31 284	31 276	31 133	-0.1	-143	-0.5	17.2	1 813.2
1064	Charles Sturt (C) - Inner East	21 507	21 517	21 539	—	22	0.1	11.5	1 873.1
1065	Charles Sturt (C) - Inner West	24 708	24 819	24 918	0.2	99	0.4	12.0	2 069.6
1068	Charles Sturt (C) - North-East	25 588	25 884	25 963	0.3	79	0.3	14.1	1 842.3
5895	Port Adel. Enfield (C) - Coast	28 685	28 561	28 343	-0.2	-218	-0.8	21.5	1 316.6
5898	Port Adel. Enfield (C) - Port	26 146	25 949	26 167	—	218	0.8	37.3	701.2
8411	West Torrens (C) - East	23 898	23 870	23 962	0.1	92	0.4	12.7	1 886.3
8414	West Torrens (C) - West	28 377	28 718	28 718	0.2	—	—	24.3	1 180.2
8899	Unincorp. Western	15	13	13	-2.8	—	—	8.8	1.5
	Total Western Adelaide	210 208	210 607	210 756	0.1	149	0.1	159.5	1 321.2
15	Eastern Adelaide								
0070	Adelaide (C)	12 785	13 724	14 361	2.4	637	4.6	15.6	922.2
0121	Adelaide Hills (DC) - Central	13 024	13 073	13 040	—	-33	-0.3	29.4	442.9
0124	Adelaide Hills (DC) - Ranges	10 283	10 351	10 337	0.1	-14	-0.1	194.4	53.2
0701	Burnside (C) - North-East	21 538	21 623	21 680	0.1	57	0.3	12.8	1 687.8
0704	Burnside (C) - South-West	20 572	21 149	21 245	0.6	96	0.5	14.7	1 446.8
0911	Campbelltown (C) - East	27 410	27 720	27 728	0.2	8	—	15.5	1 789.5
0914	Campbelltown (C) - West	18 993	19 391	19 439	0.5	48	0.2	8.9	2 194.3
5291	Norw. P'ham St Ptrs (C) - East	15 835	16 133	16 203	0.5	70	0.4	7.4	2 199.4
5294	Norw. P'ham St Ptrs (C) - West	17 670	17 841	17 851	0.2	10	0.1	7.7	2 307.2
6510	Prospect (C)	19 185	19 295	19 265	0.1	-30	-0.2	7.8	2 473.7
7981	Unley (C) - East	19 578	19 648	19 507	-0.1	-141	-0.7	7.1	2 757.6
7984	Unley (C) - West	17 085	16 953	16 935	-0.2	-18	-0.1	7.2	2 347.8
8260	Walkerville (M)	6 968	7 071	7 093	0.4	22	0.3	3.5	2 011.1
	Total Eastern Adelaide	220 926	223 972	224 684	0.3	712	0.3	332.0	676.8

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			ERP AT 30 JUNE			CHANGE			
			1999	2003 ^r	2004 ^p	1999– 2004 ^{p(a)}	2003–2004 ^p	Area	Population density 2004
ASGC code	SD, SSD and SLA		no.	no.	no.	%	no.	km ²	persons/ km ²
05	ADELAIDE <i>cont.</i>								
20	Southern Adelaide								
2601	Holdfast Bay (C) - North		18 873	19 498	19 546	0.7	48	7.2	2 726.1
2604	Holdfast Bay (C) - South		14 350	14 459	14 527	0.2	68	6.6	2 207.8
4061	Marion (C) - Central		33 332	33 279	33 352	—	73	23.3	1 428.4
4064	Marion (C) - North		25 349	25 482	25 493	0.1	11	11.7	2 172.6
4065	Marion (C) - South		19 551	21 278	21 667	2.1	389	20.5	1 059.0
4341	Mitcham (C) - Hills		23 494	24 155	24 210	0.6	55	51.7	468.2
4344	Mitcham (C) - North-East		15 601	15 743	15 698	0.1	–45	11.1	1 418.3
4345	Mitcham (C) - West		22 783	22 674	22 552	–0.2	–122	12.8	1 764.9
5341	Onkaparinga (C) - Hackham		14 302	14 170	14 058	–0.3	–112	33.8	416.2
5342	Onkaparinga (C) - Hills		10 828	11 442	11 556	1.3	114	339.1	34.1
5343	Onkaparinga (C) - Morphett		24 728	24 268	24 182	–0.4	–86	12.7	1 901.0
5344	Onkaparinga (C) - North Coast		17 832	17 966	18 048	0.2	82	25.5	708.2
5345	Onkaparinga (C) - Reservoir		24 594	25 479	25 440	0.7	–39	28.1	904.5
5346	Onkaparinga (C) - South Coast		22 280	24 191	24 553	2.0	362	51.8	474.1
5347	Onkaparinga (C) - Woodcroft		34 156	35 317	35 659	0.9	342	27.4	1 302.9
	Total Southern Adelaide		322 053	329 401	330 541	0.5	1 140	663.2	498.4
	Total Adelaide		1 096 934	1 119 097	1 124 315	0.5	5 218	1 826.9	615.4
10	OUTER ADELAIDE								
05	Barossa								
0311	Barossa (DC) - Angaston		7 468	7 891	7 981	1.3	90	222.1	35.9
0314	Barossa (DC) - Barossa		7 138	7 596	7 785	1.8	189	623.4	12.5
0315	Barossa (DC) - Tanunda		4 420	4 493	4 620	0.9	127	47.3	97.6
3650	Light (RegC)		10 106	11 382	11 711	3.0	329	1 277.6	9.2
3920	Mallala (DC)		7 287	7 666	7 740	1.2	74	932.1	8.3
	Total Barossa		36 419	39 028	39 837	1.8	809	3 102.5	12.8
10	Kangaroo Island								
2750	Kangaroo Island (DC)		4 256	4 382	4 476	1.0	94	4 400.1	1.0
	Total Kangaroo Island		4 256	4 382	4 476	1.0	94	4 400.1	1.0
15	Mt Lofty Ranges								
0125	Adelaide Hills (DC) - North		6 637	6 784	6 761	0.4	–23	353.9	19.1
0128	Adelaide Hills (DC) - Bal		8 453	8 788	8 849	0.9	61	217.4	40.7
4551	Mount Barker (DC) - Central		14 550	16 474	17 167	3.4	693	49.7	345.2
4554	Mount Barker (DC) - Bal		8 075	8 462	8 424	0.8	–38	544.9	15.5
	Total Mt Lofty Ranges		37 715	40 508	41 201	1.8	693	1 166.0	35.3
20	Fleurieu								
0221	Alexandrina (DC) - Coastal		9 247	10 208	10 697	3.0	489	476.0	22.5
0224	Alexandrina (DC) - Strathalbyn		8 121	8 932	9 151	2.4	219	1 350.7	6.8
8050	Victor Harbor (C)		10 434	11 764	12 082	3.0	318	385.4	31.3
8750	Yankalilla (DC)		3 791	3 941	4 004	1.1	63	750.6	5.3
	Total Fleurieu		31 593	34 845	35 934	2.6	1 089	2 962.8	12.1
	Total Outer Adelaide		109 983	118 763	121 448	2.0	2 685	11 631.4	10.4
15	YORKE AND LOWER NORTH								
05	Yorke								
0430	Barunga West (DC)		2 507	2 618	2 605	0.8	–13	1 590.9	1.6
1560	Copper Coast (DC)		10 718	11 239	11 419	1.3	180	772.8	14.8
8831	Yorke Peninsula (DC) - North		7 558	7 493	7 514	–0.1	21	3 582.2	2.1
8834	Yorke Peninsula (DC) - South		4 030	4 114	4 123	0.5	9	2 317.8	1.8
8969	Unincorp. Yorke		—	—	—	—	—	18.4	—
	Total Yorke		24 813	25 464	25 661	0.7	197	8 282.1	3.1

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		1999	2003r	2004p	1999–2004p(a)	2003–2004p		Area	2004
ASGC code	SD, SSD and SLA	no.	no.	no.	%	no.	%	km ²	persons/km ²
15	YORKE AND LOWER NORTH <i>cont.</i>								
10	Lower North								
1140	Clare and Gilbert Valleys (DC)	8 323	8 318	8 300	-0.1	-18	-0.2	1 893.2	4.4
2110	Goyder (DC)	4 415	4 166	4 167	-1.1	1	—	6 719.0	0.6
8130	Wakefield (DC)	6 657	6 565	6 554	-0.3	-11	-0.2	3 469.4	1.9
	Total Lower North	19 395	19 049	19 021	-0.4	-28	-0.1	12 081.5	1.6
	Total Yorke and Lower North	44 208	44 513	44 682	0.2	169	0.4	20 363.6	2.2
20	MURRAY LANDS								
05	Riverland								
0521	Berri & Barmera (DC) - Barmera	4 388	4 320	4 259	-0.6	-61	-1.4	297.9	14.3
0524	Berri & Barmera (DC) - Berri	6 932	6 936	6 957	0.1	21	0.3	219.0	31.8
3791	Loxton Waikerie (DC) - East	7 501	7 489	7 434	-0.2	-55	-0.7	4 979.3	1.5
3794	Loxton Waikerie (DC) - West	4 837	4 730	4 750	-0.4	20	0.4	3 020.6	1.6
4210	Mid Murray (DC)	8 326	8 434	8 443	0.3	9	0.1	6 272.4	1.3
6671	Renmark Paringa (DC) - Paringa	1 757	1 712	1 758	—	46	2.7	739.8	2.4
6674	Renmark Paringa (DC) - Renmark	8 037	8 019	7 970	-0.2	-49	-0.6	175.7	45.4
9039	Unincorp. Riverland	152	139	135	-2.3	-4	-2.9	11 520.0	—
	Total Riverland	41 930	41 779	41 706	-0.1	-73	-0.2	27 224.7	1.5
10	Murray Mallee								
3080	Karoonda East Murray (DC)	1 325	1 204	1 199	-2.0	-5	-0.4	4 415.5	0.3
5040	Murray Bridge (RC)	16 858	17 425	17 654	0.9	229	1.3	1 832.5	9.6
7290	Southern Mallee (DC)	2 315	2 217	2 208	-0.9	-9	-0.4	5 703.4	0.4
7800	The Coorong (DC)	5 994	5 830	5 804	-0.6	-26	-0.4	8 830.6	0.7
9109	Unincorp. Murray Mallee	—	—	—	—	—	—	179.4	—
	Total Murray Mallee	26 492	26 676	26 865	0.3	189	0.7	20 961.4	1.3
	Total Murray Lands	68 422	68 455	68 571	—	116	0.2	48 186.1	1.4
25	SOUTH EAST								
05	Upper South East								
3360	Kingston (DC)	2 357	2 347	2 313	-0.4	-34	-1.4	3 337.7	0.7
5090	Naracoorte and Lucindale (DC)	8 201	8 275	8 248	0.1	-27	-0.3	4 516.7	1.8
6860	Robe (DC)	1 353	1 372	1 377	0.4	5	0.4	1 091.1	1.3
7630	Tatiana (DC)	7 069	7 114	7 104	0.1	-10	-0.1	6 528.2	1.1
	Total Upper South East	18 980	19 108	19 042	0.1	-66	-0.3	15 473.6	1.2
10	Lower South East								
2250	Grant (DC)	7 898	7 999	8 066	0.4	67	0.8	1 904.0	4.2
4620	Mount Gambier (C)	23 297	23 558	23 640	0.3	82	0.3	26.7	884.2
8341	Wattle Range (DC) - East	3 341	3 149	3 188	-0.9	39	1.2	1 542.2	2.1
8344	Wattle Range (DC) - West	9 284	9 137	9 104	-0.4	-33	-0.4	2 381.2	3.8
	Total Lower South East	43 820	43 843	43 998	0.1	155	0.4	5 854.2	7.5
	Total South East	62 800	62 951	63 040	0.1	89	0.1	21 327.8	3.0
30	EYRE								
05	Lincoln								
1190	Cleve (DC)	1 919	1 880	1 909	-0.1	29	1.5	4 506.7	0.4
1750	Elliston (DC)	1 182	1 157	1 143	-0.7	-14	-1.2	6 741.5	0.2
1960	Franklin Harbor (DC)	1 260	1 314	1 314	0.8	—	—	3 269.9	0.4
3220	Kimba (DC)	1 254	1 198	1 182	-1.2	-16	-1.3	3 986.2	0.3
3570	Le Hunte (DC)	1 524	1 453	1 416	-1.5	-37	-2.5	5 396.2	0.3
3710	Lower Eyre Peninsula (DC)	4 149	4 240	4 295	0.7	55	1.3	4 722.2	0.9
6300	Port Lincoln (C)	13 343	14 265	14 399	1.5	134	0.9	30.4	474.1
7910	Tumby Bay (DC)	2 654	2 627	2 657	—	30	1.1	2 669.6	1.0
9179	Unincorp. Lincoln	21	17	17	-4.1	—	—	5 846.9	—
	Total Lincoln	27 306	28 151	28 332	0.7	181	0.6	37 169.7	0.8

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ERP AT 30 JUNE			CHANGE				Population density	
	1999	2003r	2004p	1999–2004p(a)	2003–2004p...		Area	2004
ASGC code SD, SSD and SLA	no.	no.	no.	%	no.	%	km ²	persons/ km ²
30 EYRE <i>cont.</i>								
10 West Coast								
1010 Ceduna (DC)	3 570	3 615	3 593	0.1	–22	–0.6	5 427.1	0.7
7490 Streaky Bay (DC)	1 976	2 001	2 018	0.4	17	0.8	6 251.1	0.3
9249 Unincorp. West Coast	601	616	617	0.5	1	0.2	23 548.6	—
Total West Coast	6 147	6 232	6 228	0.3	–4	–0.1	35 226.8	0.2
Total Eyre	33 453	34 383	34 560	0.7	177	0.5	72 396.5	0.5
35 NORTHERN								
05 Whyalla								
8540 Whyalla (C)	23 220	21 592	21 547	–1.5	–45	–0.2	1 032.5	20.9
9389 Unincorp. Whyalla	268	226	226	–3.4	—	—	12 471.7	—
Total Whyalla	23 488	21 818	21 773	–1.5	–45	–0.2	13 504.1	1.6
15 Pirie								
5120 Northern Areas (DC)	4 881	4 692	4 652	–1.0	–40	–0.9	2 987.3	1.6
5400 Ororoo/Carrieton (DC)	1 050	996	980	–1.4	–16	–1.6	3 323.9	0.3
5540 Peterborough (DC)	2 163	1 961	1 917	–2.4	–44	–2.2	3 021.6	0.6
6451 Port Pirie C Dists (M) - City	14 227	13 962	13 948	–0.4	–14	–0.1	62.7	222.5
6454 Port Pirie C Dists (M) Bal	3 646	3 518	3 488	–0.9	–30	–0.9	1 699.2	2.1
9459 Unincorp. Pirie	303	258	252	–3.6	–6	–2.3	38 292.9	—
Total Pirie	26 270	25 387	25 237	–0.8	–150	–0.6	49 387.6	0.5
20 Flinders Ranges								
1830 Flinders Ranges (DC)	1 848	1 774	1 716	–1.5	–58	–3.3	4 129.3	0.4
4830 Mount Remarkable (DC)	3 054	2 919	2 853	–1.4	–66	–2.3	3 424.5	0.8
6090 Port Augusta (C)	13 978	13 787	13 743	–0.3	–44	–0.3	1 153.1	11.9
9529 Unincorp. Flinders Ranges	1 449	1 259	1 242	–3.0	–17	–1.4	66 339.2	—
Total Flinders Ranges	20 329	19 739	19 554	–0.8	–185	–0.9	75 046.1	0.3
25 Far North								
1330 Coober Pedy (DC)	2 540	2 256	2 216	–2.7	–40	–1.8	77.8	28.5
6970 Roxby Downs (M)	3 605	3 730	3 621	0.1	–109	–2.9	110.7	32.7
9589 Unincorp. Far North	5 787	5 209	5 233	–2.0	24	0.5	671 475.9	—
Total Far North	11 932	11 195	11 070	–1.5	–125	–1.1	671 664.4	—
Total Northern	82 019	78 139	77 634	–1.1	–505	–0.6	809 602.2	0.1
TOTAL SOUTH AUSTRALIA	1 497 819	1 526 301	1 534 250	0.5	7 949	0.5	985 334.5	1.6

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ASGC code	SD, SSD and SLA	no.	no.	no.	%	no.	%	km ²	persons/km ²
05	PERTH								
05	Central Metropolitan								
1310	Cambridge (T)	24 560	24 671	24 656	0.1	-15	-0.1	22.0	1 120.5
1750	Claremont (T)	9 107	9 141	9 142	0.1	1	—	4.9	1 857.0
2170	Cottesloe (T)	7 439	7 519	7 617	0.5	98	1.3	3.9	1 956.6
5740	Mosman Park (T)	8 149	8 511	8 594	1.1	83	1.0	4.3	1 982.0
6580	Nedlands (C)	21 236	22 065	21 964	0.7	-101	-0.5	20.0	1 098.9
6930	Peppermint Grove (S)	1 679	1 650	1 679	—	29	1.8	1.1	1 573.6
7081	Perth (C) - Inner	557	1 000	1 158	15.8	158	15.8	1.8	639.1
7082	Perth (C) - Remainder	6 109	8 337	9 311	8.8	974	11.7	10.8	859.1
7980	Subiaco (C)	15 233	15 833	16 399	1.5	566	3.6	7.0	2 348.8
8570	Vincent (T)	26 154	26 548	26 632	0.4	84	0.3	10.4	2 557.1
	Total Central Metropolitan	120 223	125 275	127 152	1.1	1 877	1.5	86.3	1 474.1
10	East Metropolitan								
0350	Bassendean (T)	13 975	14 044	14 078	0.1	34	0.2	10.4	1 360.1
0420	Bayswater (C)	56 014	56 569	56 565	0.2	-4	—	32.8	1 723.8
4200	Kalamunda (S)	48 457	49 473	50 202	0.7	729	1.5	324.2	154.8
6090	Mundaring (S)	35 026	35 502	35 558	0.3	56	0.2	644.9	55.1
8050	Swan (C)	79 901	89 482	91 697	2.8	2 215	2.5	1 043.0	87.9
	Total East Metropolitan	233 373	245 070	248 100	1.2	3 030	1.2	2 055.3	120.7
15	North Metropolitan								
4171	Joondalup (C) - North	44 251	50 274	51 393	3.0	1 119	2.2	39.2	1 311.9
4174	Joondalup (C) - South	109 904	107 018	106 823	-0.6	-195	-0.2	59.7	1 788.6
7914	Stirling (C) - Central	97 477	99 795	100 770	0.7	975	1.0	59.5	1 692.2
7915	Stirling (C) - Coastal	60 462	63 106	64 195	1.2	1 089	1.7	37.2	1 725.6
7916	Stirling (C) - South-Eastern	16 311	16 113	16 114	-0.2	1	—	8.4	1 924.1
8761	Wanneroo (C) - North-East	18 151	23 602	25 865	7.3	2 263	9.6	457.3	56.6
8764	Wanneroo (C) - North-West	22 947	31 359	33 863	8.1	2 504	8.0	190.8	177.5
8767	Wanneroo (C) - South	35 338	38 744	40 704	2.9	1 960	5.1	37.7	1 080.8
	Total North Metropolitan	404 841	430 011	439 727	1.7	9 716	2.3	889.8	494.2
20	South West Metropolitan								
1820	Cockburn (C)	65 267	72 246	74 606	2.7	2 360	3.3	167.0	446.7
3150	East Fremantle (T)	6 689	6 903	6 885	0.6	-18	-0.3	3.1	2 192.0
3431	Fremantle (C) - Inner	785	792	797	0.3	5	0.6	1.1	758.3
3432	Fremantle (C) - Remainder	24 530	25 362	25 469	0.8	107	0.4	18.0	1 416.4
4830	Kwinana (T)	21 263	22 538	22 893	1.5	355	1.6	120.1	190.7
5320	Melville (C)	96 036	97 389	97 541	0.3	152	0.2	53.0	1 840.3
7490	Rockingham (C)	69 712	78 608	81 847	3.3	3 239	4.1	257.1	318.4
	Total South West Metropolitan	284 282	303 838	310 038	1.7	6 200	2.0	619.3	500.6
25	South East Metropolitan								
0210	Armadale (C)	52 219	52 193	52 478	0.1	285	0.5	559.5	93.8
0490	Belmont (C)	29 064	30 414	30 960	1.3	546	1.8	39.8	778.8
1330	Canning (C)	75 338	78 773	79 600	1.1	827	1.0	64.8	1 228.1
3780	Gosnells (C)	80 535	87 317	90 096	2.3	2 779	3.2	128.0	703.8
7700	Serpentine-Jarrahdale (S)	11 069	12 178	12 443	2.4	265	2.2	905.3	13.7
7840	South Perth (C)	37 178	38 150	38 413	0.7	263	0.7	19.8	1 937.5
8510	Victoria Park (T)	27 251	28 279	28 632	1.0	353	1.2	18.0	1 594.5
	Total South East Metropolitan	312 654	327 304	332 622	1.2	5 318	1.6	1 735.3	191.7
	Total Perth	1 355 373	1 431 498	1 457 639	1.5	26 141	1.8	5 386.0	270.6

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		no.	no.	no.	%	no.	%	km ²	persons/ km ²
10	SOUTH WEST								
01	Mandurah								
5110	Mandurah (C)	45 045	54 291	58 587	5.4	4 296	7.9	174.0	336.7
6230	Murray (S)	10 335	11 543	11 831	2.7	288	2.5	1 710.6	6.9
	Total Mandurah	55 380	65 834	70 418	4.9	4 584	7.0	1 884.6	37.4
03	Bunbury								
1190	Bunbury (C)	28 905	30 749	31 314	1.6	565	1.8	65.7	476.9
1401	Capel (S) - Pt A	2 358	3 508	4 401	13.3	893	25.5	36.5	120.7
2661	Dardanup (S) - Pt A	5 693	6 838	7 180	4.8	342	5.0	8.7	822.5
3991	Harvey (S) - Pt A	9 586	10 363	10 719	2.3	356	3.4	27.8	385.0
	Total Bunbury	46 542	51 458	53 614	2.9	2 156	4.2	138.7	386.6
10	Preston								
0630	Boddington (S)	1 517	1 374	1 375	-1.9	1	0.1	1 900.6	0.7
1404	Capel (S) - Pt B	4 164	4 471	4 504	1.6	33	0.7	521.1	8.6
1890	Collie (S)	9 160	9 068	8 938	-0.5	-130	-1.4	1 710.9	5.2
2664	Dardanup (S) - Pt B	2 462	2 655	2 625	1.3	-30	-1.1	517.9	5.1
2870	Donnybrook-Balingup (S)	4 574	4 676	4 723	0.6	47	1.0	1 560.3	3.0
3994	Harvey (S) - Pt B	7 863	8 013	8 229	0.9	216	2.7	1 700.4	4.8
8820	Waroona (S)	3 438	3 497	3 555	0.7	58	1.7	832.2	4.3
	Total Preston	33 178	33 754	33 949	0.5	195	0.6	8 743.4	3.9
15	Vasse								
0280	Augusta-Margaret River (S)	9 488	11 000	11 380	3.7	380	3.5	2 242.4	5.1
1260	Busselton (S)	21 151	24 998	25 950	4.2	952	3.8	1 455.0	17.8
	Total Vasse	30 639	35 998	37 330	4.0	1 332	3.7	3 697.3	10.1
20	Blackwood								
0770	Boypup Brook (S)	1 670	1 607	1 547	-1.5	-60	-3.7	2 829.2	0.5
0840	Bridgetown-Greenbushes (S)	4 126	4 086	3 972	-0.8	-114	-2.8	1 339.8	3.0
5180	Manjimup (S)	10 317	9 990	9 875	-0.9	-115	-1.2	7 027.3	1.4
6300	Nannup (S)	1 198	1 213	1 213	0.2	—	—	2 934.6	0.4
	Total Blackwood	17 311	16 896	16 607	-0.8	-289	-1.7	14 130.9	1.2
	Total South West	183 050	203 940	211 918	3.0	7 978	3.9	28 594.9	7.4
15	LOWER GREAT SOUTHERN								
05	Pallinup								
1050	Broomehill (S)	536	490	507	-1.1	17	3.5	1 172.8	0.4
3640	Gnowangerup (S)	1 690	1 493	1 434	-3.2	-59	-4.0	4 268.2	0.3
4130	Jerramungup (S)	1 279	1 198	1 174	-1.7	-24	-2.0	6 507.1	0.2
4340	Katanning (S)	4 582	4 428	4 245	-1.5	-183	-4.1	1 518.5	2.8
4480	Kent (S)	713	596	577	-4.1	-19	-3.2	5 633.8	0.1
4550	Kojonup (S)	2 374	2 225	2 190	-1.6	-35	-1.6	2 932.2	0.7
8120	Tambellup (S)	736	715	682	-1.5	-33	-4.6	1 436.3	0.5
9380	Woodanilling (S)	383	389	389	0.3	—	—	1 129.0	0.3
	Total Pallinup	12 293	11 534	11 198	-1.8	-336	-2.9	24 597.8	0.5
10	King								
0081	Albany (C) - Central	16 178	16 387	16 299	0.1	-88	-0.5	34.4	473.5
0084	Albany (C) Bal	13 925	15 125	15 353	2.0	228	1.5	4 277.9	3.6
2240	Cranbrook (S)	1 092	1 051	1 057	-0.6	6	0.6	3 276.8	0.3
2730	Denmark (S)	4 416	5 045	5 128	3.0	83	1.6	1 860.2	2.8
7210	Plantagenet (S)	4 496	4 620	4 621	0.5	1	—	4 875.4	0.9
	Total King	40 107	42 228	42 458	1.1	230	0.5	14 324.7	3.0
	Total Lower Great Southern	52 400	53 762	53 656	0.5	-106	-0.2	38 922.5	1.4

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ASGC code	SD, SSD and SLA	no.	no.	no.	%	no.	%	km ²	persons/ km ²
20	UPPER GREAT SOUTHERN								
05	Hotham								
0910	Brookton (S)	1 004	1 046	1 049	0.9	3	0.3	1 601.6	0.7
2310	Cuballing (S)	728	723	736	0.2	13	1.8	1 195.4	0.6
3010	Dumbleyung (S)	806	732	679	-3.4	-53	-7.2	2 540.1	0.3
6440	Narrogin (T)	4 702	4 666	4 482	-1.0	-184	-3.9	13.1	341.3
6510	Narrogin (S)	817	764	746	-1.8	-18	-2.4	1 618.7	0.5
7140	Pingelly (S)	1 211	1 178	1 149	-1.0	-29	-2.5	1 294.6	0.9
8610	Wagin (S)	1 924	1 834	1 816	-1.1	-18	-1.0	1 948.0	0.9
8680	Wandering (S)	337	351	345	0.5	-6	-1.7	1 900.8	0.2
8890	West Arthur (S)	927	913	908	-0.4	-5	-0.5	2 834.3	0.3
9100	Wickepin (S)	792	737	694	-2.6	-43	-5.8	2 041.6	0.3
9170	Williams (S)	971	926	873	-2.1	-53	-5.7	2 305.7	0.4
	Total Hotham	14 219	13 870	13 477	-1.1	-393	-2.8	19 294.0	0.7
10	Lakes								
2100	Corrigin (S)	1 304	1 239	1 184	-1.9	-55	-4.4	2 682.8	0.4
4620	Kondinin (S)	1 100	992	998	-1.9	6	0.6	7 376.0	0.1
4760	Kulin (S)	927	885	879	-1.1	-6	-0.7	4 715.2	0.2
4900	Lake Grace (S)	1 732	1 556	1 530	-2.4	-26	-1.7	10 379.2	0.1
	Total Lakes	5 063	4 672	4 591	-1.9	-81	-1.7	25 153.3	0.2
	Total Upper Great Southern	19 282	18 542	18 068	-1.3	-474	-2.6	44 447.3	0.4
25	MIDLANDS								
05	Moore								
1680	Chittering (S)	2 633	3 125	3 323	4.8	198	6.3	1 221.8	2.7
2590	Dandaragan (S)	2 865	2 933	2 956	0.6	23	0.8	6 716.3	0.4
3570	Gingin (S)	3 946	4 464	4 528	2.8	64	1.4	3 211.1	1.4
5600	Moora (S)	2 661	2 674	2 569	-0.7	-105	-3.9	3 766.9	0.7
8540	Victoria Plains (S)	976	956	932	-0.9	-24	-2.5	2 552.9	0.4
	Total Moore	13 081	14 152	14 308	1.8	156	1.1	17 468.9	0.8
10	Avon								
0560	Beverley (S)	1 560	1 585	1 585	0.3	—	—	2 372.5	0.7
2450	Cunderdin (S)	1 465	1 430	1 308	-2.2	-122	-8.5	1 864.1	0.7
2520	Dalwallinu (S)	1 851	1 695	1 592	-3.0	-103	-6.1	7 235.8	0.2
2940	Dowerin (S)	834	790	792	-1.0	2	0.3	1 864.7	0.4
3710	Goomalling (S)	1 001	956	961	-0.8	5	0.5	1 837.2	0.5
4690	Koorda (S)	537	473	473	-2.5	—	—	2 835.7	0.2
6650	Northam (T)	6 565	6 437	6 290	-0.9	-147	-2.3	26.8	234.8
6720	Northam (S)	3 468	3 669	3 669	1.1	—	—	1 404.8	2.6
7350	Quairading (S)	1 216	1 108	1 041	-3.1	-67	-6.0	2 018.0	0.5
8190	Tammin (S)	416	439	439	1.1	—	—	1 103.2	0.4
8330	Toodyay (S)	3 729	4 162	4 237	2.6	75	1.8	1 693.1	2.5
9310	Wongan-Ballidu (S)	1 614	1 543	1 500	-1.5	-43	-2.8	3 368.7	0.4
9450	Wyalkatchem (S)	651	666	665	0.4	-1	-0.2	1 595.4	0.4
9730	York (S)	3 106	3 289	3 323	1.4	34	1.0	2 132.7	1.6
	Total Avon	28 013	28 242	27 875	-0.1	-367	-1.3	31 352.7	0.9

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25	MIDLANDS <i>cont.</i>								
15	Campion								
1120	Bruce Rock (S)	1 199	1 061	1 061	-2.4	—	—	2 726.9	0.4
4410	Kellerberrin (S)	1 278	1 194	1 153	-2.0	-41	-3.4	1 916.8	0.6
5460	Merredin (S)	3 780	3 671	3 499	-1.5	-172	-4.7	3 299.7	1.1
5880	Mount Marshall (S)	733	658	616	-3.4	-42	-6.4	10 189.5	0.1
5950	Mukinbudin (S)	729	695	670	-1.7	-25	-3.6	3 437.1	0.2
6370	Narembeen (S)	1 014	956	911	-2.1	-45	-4.7	3 832.9	0.2
6860	Nungarin (S)	269	272	272	0.2	—	—	1 163.8	0.2
8400	Trayning (S)	441	364	364	-3.8	—	—	1 651.2	0.2
9030	Westonia (S)	272	238	238	-2.6	—	—	3 317.2	0.1
9660	Yilgarn (S)	2 059	1 755	1 692	-3.9	-63	-3.6	30 189.8	0.1
	Total Campion	11 774	10 864	10 476	-2.3	-388	-3.6	61 724.8	0.2
	Total Midlands	52 868	53 258	52 659	-0.1	-599	-1.1	110 546.4	0.5
30	SOUTH EASTERN								
01	Kalgoorlie/Boulder City Part A								
4281	Kalgoorlie/Boulder (C) - Pt A	30 078	29 389	29 197	-0.6	-192	-0.7	103.0	283.5
	Total Kalgoorlie/Boulder City Part A	30 078	29 389	29 197	-0.6	-192	-0.7	103.0	283.5
05	Lefroy								
1960	Coolgardie (S)	4 696	4 156	3 875	-3.8	-281	-6.8	30 115.9	0.1
4284	Kalgoorlie/Boulder (C) - Pt B	281	259	255	-1.9	-4	-1.5	95 472.7	—
4970	Laverton (S)	1 221	1 200	1 208	-0.2	8	0.7	179 797.8	—
5040	Leonora (S)	2 335	1 985	1 924	-3.8	-61	-3.1	32 189.3	0.1
5390	Menzies (S)	351	360	360	0.5	—	—	124 626.5	—
6620	Ngaanyatjaraku (S)	1 498	1 628	1 683	2.4	55	3.4	160 700.7	—
	Total Lefroy	10 382	9 588	9 305	-2.2	-283	-3.0	622 902.9	—
10	Johnston								
3080	Dundas (S)	1 410	1 137	1 150	-4.0	13	1.1	93 186.0	—
3290	Esperance (S)	13 047	13 338	13 293	0.4	-45	-0.3	42 547.3	0.3
7420	Ravensthorpe (S)	1 481	1 434	1 344	-1.9	-90	-6.3	13 551.1	0.1
	Total Johnston	15 938	15 909	15 787	-0.2	-122	-0.8	149 284.3	0.1
	Total South Eastern	56 398	54 886	54 289	-0.8	-597	-1.1	772 290.2	0.1
35	CENTRAL								
03	Geraldton								
3500	Geraldton (C)	19 945	19 461	19 051	-0.9	-410	-2.1	46.3	411.6
3851	Greenough (S) - Pt A	10 619	11 589	11 753	2.1	164	1.4	142.6	82.4
	Total Geraldton	30 564	31 050	30 804	0.2	-246	-0.8	188.9	163.1
05	Gascoyne								
1540	Carnarvon (S)	6 520	6 614	6 340	-0.6	-274	-4.1	46 663.5	0.1
3360	Exmouth (S)	2 190	2 293	2 271	0.7	-22	-1.0	6 502.8	0.3
7770	Shark Bay (S)	935	963	968	0.7	5	0.5	25 423.1	—
8470	Upper Gascoyne (S)	330	370	370	2.3	—	—	57 939.1	—
	Total Gascoyne	9 975	10 240	9 949	-0.1	-291	-2.8	136 528.5	0.1

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35	CENTRAL <i>cont.</i>								
10	Carnegie								
2380	Cue (S)	391	370	367	-1.3	-3	-0.8	13 622.9	—
5250	Meekatharra (S)	1 690	1 486	1 532	-1.9	46	3.1	100 789.0	—
5810	Mount Magnet (S)	798	829	759	-1.0	-70	-8.4	13 691.6	0.1
6160	Murchison (S)	157	162	162	0.6	—	—	41 173.4	—
7630	Sandstone (S)	147	150	150	0.4	—	—	32 882.2	—
9250	Wiluna (S)	985	955	953	-0.7	-2	-0.2	182 155.8	—
9590	Yalgoo (S)	321	328	328	0.4	—	—	28 214.6	—
	Total Carnegie	4 489	4 280	4 251	-1.1	-29	-0.7	412 529.5	—
15	Greenough River								
1470	Camamah (S)	857	743	710	-3.7	-33	-4.4	2 876.4	0.2
1610	Chapman Valley (S)	873	892	959	1.9	67	7.5	3 964.7	0.2
2030	Coorow (S)	1 478	1 362	1 358	-1.7	-4	-0.3	4 193.9	0.3
3854	Greenough (S) - Pt B	1 290	1 402	1 419	1.9	17	1.2	1 609.3	0.9
4060	Irwin (S)	2 898	2 989	3 040	1.0	51	1.7	2 374.4	1.3
5530	Mingenew (S)	599	582	558	-1.4	-24	-4.1	1 939.4	0.3
5670	Morawa (S)	1 048	957	906	-2.9	-51	-5.3	3 515.8	0.3
6020	Mullewa (S)	1 100	1 104	1 059	-0.8	-45	-4.1	10 827.2	0.1
6790	Northampton (S)	3 244	3 320	3 320	0.5	—	—	13 737.8	0.2
7000	Perenjori (S)	620	585	585	-1.2	—	—	8 313.0	0.1
8260	Three Springs (S)	787	745	745	-1.1	—	—	2 657.4	0.3
	Total Greenough River	14 794	14 681	14 659	-0.2	-22	-0.1	56 009.4	0.3
	Total Central	59 822	60 251	59 663	-0.1	-588	-1.0	605 256.3	0.1
40	PILBARA								
05	De Grey								
3220	East Pilbara (S)	6 319	5 469	5 535	-2.6	66	1.2	371 606.5	—
7280	Port Hedland (T)	13 134	12 976	12 487	-1.0	-489	-3.8	18 485.4	0.7
	Total De Grey	19 453	18 445	18 022	-1.5	-423	-2.3	390 091.9	—
10	Fortescue								
0250	Ashburton (S)	6 379	5 774	5 987	-1.3	213	3.7	101 239.1	0.1
7560	Roebourne (S)	14 847	15 263	15 302	0.6	39	0.3	15 234.4	1.0
	Total Fortescue	21 226	21 037	21 289	0.1	252	1.2	116 473.4	0.2
	Total Pilbara	40 679	39 482	39 311	-0.7	-171	-0.4	506 565.3	0.1
45	KIMBERLEY								
05	Ord								
3920	Halls Creek (S)	3 625	4 174	4 274	3.3	100	2.4	143 030.4	—
9520	Wyndham-East Kimberley (S)	6 862	7 588	7 678	2.3	90	1.2	117 513.7	0.1
	Total Ord	10 487	11 762	11 952	2.6	190	1.6	260 544.1	—
10	Fitzroy								
0980	Broome (S)	11 582	13 905	14 273	4.3	368	2.6	55 794.8	0.3
2800	Derby-West Kimberley (S)	7 792	8 662	8 776	2.4	114	1.3	104 080.8	0.1
	Total Fitzroy	19 374	22 567	23 049	3.5	482	2.1	159 875.6	0.1
	Total Kimberley	29 861	34 329	35 001	3.2	672	2.0	420 419.6	0.1
	TOTAL WESTERN AUSTRALIA	1 849 733	1 949 948	1 982 204	1.4	32 256	1.7	2 532 428.5	0.8

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		ERP AT 30 JUNE			CHANGE			Population density	
		1999	2003r	2004p	1999-2004p(a)	2003-2004p	Area	2004	
ASGC code	SD, SSD and SLA	no.	no.	no.	%	no.	km ²	persons/	
						%		km ²	
05	GREATER HOBART								
05	Greater Hobart								
0410	Brighton (M)	12 812	13 070	13 436	1.0	366	2.8	170.6	78.7
1410	Clarence (C)	49 295	49 861	50 257	0.4	396	0.8	377.3	133.2
1511	Derwent Valley (M) - Pt A	6 599	6 537	6 518	-0.2	-19	-0.3	84.8	76.8
2610	Glenorchy (C)	44 036	44 625	44 925	0.4	300	0.7	120.7	372.2
2811	Hobart (C) - Inner	414	439	442	1.3	3	0.7	0.6	718.7
2812	Hobart (C) - Remainder	46 635	47 630	48 091	0.6	461	1.0	77.2	623.3
3611	Kingborough (M) - Pt A	26 225	27 632	28 189	1.5	557	2.0	269.1	104.7
4811	Sorell (M) - Pt A	9 995	10 132	10 280	0.6	148	1.5	256.9	40.0
	Total Greater Hobart	196 011	199 926	202 138	0.6	2 212	1.1	1 357.3	148.9
	Total Greater Hobart	196 011	199 926	202 138	0.6	2 212	1.1	1 357.3	148.9
10	SOUTHERN								
05	Southern								
1010	Central Highlands (M)	2 406	2 346	2 295	-0.9	-51	-2.2	7 976.4	0.3
1512	Derwent Valley (M) - Pt B	2 996	2 865	2 854	-1.0	-11	-0.4	4 018.7	0.7
2410	Glamorgan/Spring Bay (M)	4 021	4 076	4 185	0.8	109	2.7	2 587.5	1.6
3010	Huon Valley (M)	13 662	14 080	14 347	1.0	267	1.9	5 497.5	2.6
3612	Kingborough (M) - Pt B	2 522	2 700	2 772	1.9	72	2.7	449.6	6.2
4812	Sorell (M) - Pt B	975	1 028	1 024	1.0	-4	-0.4	325.7	3.1
5010	Southern Midlands (M)	5 667	5 742	5 760	0.3	18	0.3	2 611.3	2.2
5210	Tasman (M)	2 281	2 199	2 222	-0.5	23	1.0	659.3	3.4
	Total Southern	34 530	35 036	35 459	0.5	423	1.2	24 125.9	1.5
	Total Southern	34 530	35 036	35 459	0.5	423	1.2	24 125.9	1.5
15	NORTHERN								
05	Greater Launceston								
2211	George Town (M) - Pt A	5 579	5 638	5 696	0.4	58	1.0	104.4	54.6
4011	Launceston (C) - Inner	238	233	229	-0.8	-4	-1.7	0.4	597.1
4012	Launceston (C) - Pt B	59 566	60 292	60 939	0.5	647	1.1	235.8	258.5
4211	Meander Valley (M) - Pt A	7 416	8 110	8 329	2.3	219	2.7	28.6	291.4
4611	Northern Midlands (M) - Pt A	7 204	7 480	7 544	0.9	64	0.9	139.9	53.9
5811	West Tamar (M) - Pt A	18 260	18 911	19 247	1.1	336	1.8	293.7	65.5
	Total Greater Launceston	98 263	100 664	101 984	0.7	1 320	1.3	802.7	127.0
10	Central North								
2212	George Town (M) - Pt B	1 062	1 062	1 051	-0.2	-11	-1.0	548.2	1.9
4013	Launceston (C) - Pt C	2 916	2 864	2 889	-0.2	25	0.9	1 175.2	2.5
4212	Meander Valley (M) - Pt B	10 281	10 165	10 282	—	117	1.2	3 291.7	3.1
4612	Northern Midlands (M) - Pt B	4 632	4 560	4 581	-0.2	21	0.5	4 986.0	0.9
5812	West Tamar (M) - Pt B	1 827	1 762	1 807	-0.2	45	2.6	396.6	4.6
	Total Central North	20 718	20 413	20 610	-0.1	197	1.0	10 397.6	2.0
15	North Eastern								
0210	Break O'Day (M)	5 807	5 943	6 036	0.8	93	1.6	3 520.7	1.7
1810	Dorset (M)	7 378	7 254	7 131	-0.7	-123	-1.7	3 223.4	2.2
2010	Flinders (M)	925	875	877	-1.1	2	0.2	1 994.4	0.4
	Total North Eastern	14 110	14 072	14 044	-0.1	-28	-0.2	8 738.5	1.6
	Total Northern	133 091	135 149	136 638	0.5	1 489	1.1	19 938.8	6.9

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ESTIMATED RESIDENT POPULATION, Statistical Local Areas—Tas. *continued*

		ERP AT 30 JUNE			CHANGE			Population density	
		1999	2003r	2004p	1999-2004p(a)	2003-2004p		Area	2004
ASGC code	SD, SSD and SLA	no.	no.	no.	%	no.	%	km ²	persons/km ²
20	MERSEY-LYELL								
05	Burnie-Devonport								
0611	Burnie (C) - Pt A	17 205	17 004	17 133	-0.1	129	0.8	79.6	215.1
0811	Central Coast (M) - Pt A	17 852	17 847	17 943	0.1	96	0.5	106.0	169.3
1610	Devonport (C)	24 428	24 620	24 979	0.4	359	1.5	111.1	224.9
3811	Latrobe (M) - Pt A	7 365	7 807	7 988	1.6	181	2.3	151.8	52.6
5411	Waratah/Wynyard (M) - Pt A	11 098	10 961	11 015	-0.2	54	0.5	171.7	64.2
	Total Burnie-Devonport	77 948	78 239	79 058	0.3	819	1.0	620.2	127.5
10	North Western Rural								
0612	Burnie (C) - Pt B	2 060	2 040	2 006	-0.5	-34	-1.7	530.5	3.8
0812	Central Coast (M) - Pt B	3 253	3 185	3 136	-0.7	-49	-1.5	825.2	3.8
1210	Circular Head (M)	8 260	8 096	8 105	-0.4	9	0.1	4 890.8	1.7
3210	Kentish (M)	5 494	5 533	5 676	0.7	143	2.6	1 155.1	4.9
3410	King Island (M)	1 772	1 677	1 632	-1.6	-45	-2.7	1 093.7	1.5
3812	Latrobe (M) - Pt B	692	711	722	0.9	11	1.5	447.8	1.6
5412	Waratah/Wynyard (M) - Pt B	2 682	2 524	2 471	-1.6	-53	-2.1	3 354.5	0.7
	Total North Western Rural	24 213	23 766	23 748	-0.4	-18	-0.1	12 297.6	1.9
15	Lyell								
5610	West Coast (M)	5 637	5 189	5 087	-2.0	-102	-2.0	9 574.5	0.5
	Total Lyell	5 637	5 189	5 087	-2.0	-102	-2.0	9 574.5	0.5
	Total Mersey-Lyell	107 798	107 194	107 893	—	699	0.7	22 492.3	4.8
	TOTAL TASMANIA	471 430	477 305	482 128	0.4	4 823	1.0	67 914.3	7.1

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ESTIMATED RESIDENT POPULATION, Statistical Local Areas—NT

		ERP AT 30 JUNE			CHANGE				
		1999	2003r	2004p	1999– 2004p(b)	2003–2004p		Area	Population density 2004
ASGC code	SD, SSD and SLA(a)	no.	no.	no.	%	no.	%	km²	persons/ km²
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05	DARWIN								
05	Darwin City								
1004	Alawa	2 232	2 153	2 148	–0.8	–5	–0.2	1.2	1 725.3
1008	Anula	2 680	2 585	2 582	–0.7	–3	–0.1	1.3	1 951.6
1014	Brinkin	1 146	1 117	1 112	–0.6	–5	–0.4	1.4	782.5
1018	City - Inner	2 028	2 428	2 472	4.0	44	1.8	2.6	968.7
1024	Coconut Grove	2 221	2 507	2 549	2.8	42	1.7	1.4	1 786.3
1028	Fannie Bay	2 688	2 588	2 571	–0.9	–17	–0.7	4.9	523.5
1034	Jingili	1 992	1 928	1 932	–0.6	4	0.2	1.2	1 606.0
1038	Karama	5 198	5 098	5 093	–0.4	–5	–0.1	2.1	2 455.6
1044	Larrakeyah	3 109	3 185	3 178	0.4	–7	–0.2	2.0	1 627.2
1048	Leanyer	5 116	4 990	4 984	–0.5	–6	–0.1	2.5	1 984.9
1052	Lee Point-Leanyer Swamp	140	140	141	0.1	1	0.7	31.0	4.5
1054	Ludmilla	1 935	1 984	2 020	0.9	36	1.8	3.6	555.7
1058	Malak	3 605	3 573	3 567	–0.2	–6	–0.2	1.8	2 031.3
1064	Marrara	1 666	1 581	1 579	–1.1	–2	–0.1	3.8	414.0
1068	Millner	2 624	2 580	2 570	–0.4	–10	–0.4	1.6	1 616.4
1074	Moi	2 170	2 083	2 080	–0.8	–3	–0.1	1.0	1 988.5
1078	Nakara	2 132	2 065	2 064	–0.6	–1	—	1.1	1 802.6
1084	Narrows	505	555	577	2.7	22	4.0	0.3	1 753.8
1088	Nightcliff	3 693	3 466	3 445	–1.4	–21	–0.6	1.5	2 367.7
1094	Parap	1 553	1 677	1 714	2.0	37	2.2	1.0	1 667.3
1098	Rapid Creek	3 075	3 050	3 029	–0.3	–21	–0.7	1.9	1 566.2
1104	Stuart Park	3 142	3 943	4 409	7.0	466	11.8	3.8	1 166.7
1108	The Gardens	664	723	728	1.9	5	0.7	1.8	407.2
1114	Tiwi	2 602	2 575	2 795	1.4	220	8.5	3.1	893.3
1118	Wagaman	2 268	2 165	2 163	–0.9	–2	–0.1	0.8	2 571.9
1124	Wanguri	1 977	1 964	1 961	–0.2	–3	–0.2	1.0	1 873.0
1128	Winnellie	475	388	390	–3.9	2	0.5	5.7	68.1
1134	Wulagi	2 681	2 617	2 614	–0.5	–3	–0.1	1.3	2 059.9
1138	City - Remainder	2 862	2 882	2 887	0.2	5	0.2	25.0	115.5
	Total Darwin City	68 179	68 590	69 354	0.3	764	1.1	112.0	619.5
10	Palmerston-East Arm								
1169	East Arm	334	441	444	5.9	3	0.7	42.7	10.4
2802	Bakewell	1 869	3 386	3 553	13.7	167	4.9	1.3	2 683.5
2804	Driver	2 924	3 046	3 041	0.8	–5	–0.2	1.8	1 735.7
2806	Durack	2 093	2 584	2 612	4.5	28	1.1	3.0	883.6
2808	Gray	3 528	3 486	3 478	–0.3	–8	–0.2	1.5	2 309.4
2814	Moulden	3 588	3 573	3 572	–0.1	–1	—	1.8	1 959.4
2818	Woodroffe	3 437	3 579	3 574	0.8	–5	–0.1	1.6	2 231.0
2824	Palmerston (C) Bal	1 837	3 449	3 638	14.6	189	5.5	41.9	86.7
	Total Palmerston-East Arm	19 610	23 544	23 912	4.0	368	1.6	95.6	250.2
20	Litchfield Shire								
2304	Litchfield (S) - Pt A	1 572	1 510	1 525	–0.6	15	1.0	95.3	16.0
2308	Litchfield (S) - Pt B	13 703	14 395	14 687	1.4	292	2.0	2 819.1	5.2
	Total Litchfield Shire	15 275	15 905	16 212	1.2	307	1.9	2 914.4	5.6
	Total Darwin	103 064	108 039	109 478	1.2	1 439	1.3	3 121.9	35.1

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(b) Average annual growth rate.

ESTIMATED RESIDENT POPULATION, Statistical Local Areas—NT *continued*

		ERP AT 30 JUNE			CHANGE			Area	Population density 2004
		1999	2003r	2004p	1999- 2004p(b)	2003-2004p			
ASGC code	SD, SSD and SLA(a)	no.	no.	no.	%	no.	%	km ²	persons/ km ²
10	NORTHERN TERRITORY - BAL								
05	Finniss								
0540	Belyuen (CGC)	224	np	np	np	np	np	41.6	np
0700	Coomalie (CGC)	1 159	np	np	np	np	np	1 513.6	np
0759	Cox-Finniss	344	348	354	0.6	6	1.7	5 673.2	0.1
0770	Cox Peninsula (CGC)	241	np	np	np	np	np	5.7	np
	Total Finniss	1 968	1 881	1 887	-0.8	6	0.3	7 234.0	0.3
10	Bathurst-Melville								
4050	Tiwi Islands (CGC)	2 312	2 457	2 471	1.3	14	0.6	7 492.0	0.3
	Total Bathurst-Melville	2 312	2 457	2 471	1.3	14	0.6	7 492.0	0.3
15	Alligator								
2000	Jabiru (T)	1 341	1 165	1 169	-2.7	4	0.3	13.2	88.8
2240	Kuribarlanjinja (CGC)	894	np	np	np	np	np	516.5	np
3309	South Alligator	735	731	735	np	4	0.5	25 425.4	np
4809	West Arnhem	3 329	3 487	3 531	1.2	44	1.3	42 193.6	0.1
	Total Alligator	6 299	6 323	6 375	0.2	52	0.8	68 148.6	0.1
20	Daly								
0809	Daly	1 146	1 169	1 183	0.6	14	1.2	35 095.9	np
2380	Nauyiu Nambiyu (CGC)	398	np	np	np	np	np	42.9	np
3030	Pine Creek (CGC)	525	np	np	np	np	np	403.5	np
4020	Thamarrur (CGC)	1 638	np	np	np	np	np	3 384.7	np
	Total Daly	3 707	3 772	3 786	0.4	14	0.4	38 927.1	0.1
25	East Arnhem								
0330	Angurugu (CGC)	902	np	np	np	np	np	11.9	np
1209	East Arnhem - Bal	6 030	6 464	6 558	1.7	94	1.5	31 310.5	0.2
1609	Groote Eylandt	1 809	1 755	1 764	-0.5	9	0.5	2 675.1	0.7
2340	Maingarr (CGC)	304	np	np	np	np	np	2.6	np
2409	Nhulunbuy	3 808	3 771	3 797	-0.1	26	0.7	6.9	554.2
2500	Numbulwar Numburindi (CGC)	749	np	np	np	np	np	4 427.6	np
	Total East Arnhem	13 602	13 986	14 115	0.7	129	0.9	38 434.6	0.4
30	Lower Top End NT								
0570	Binjari (CGC)	195	np	np	np	np	np	2.8	np
0600	Borrooloola (CGC)	747	np	np	np	np	np	12.6	np
0790	Daguragu (CGC)	624	np	np	np	np	np	50.2	np
1409	Elsey - Bal	426	425	428	0.1	3	0.7	56 910.3	np
1809	Gulf	904	1 006	1 017	2.4	11	1.1	71 563.3	np
2100	Jilkminggan (CGC)	249	np	np	np	np	np	6.1	np
2200	Katherine (T)	9 297	8 624	8 437	-1.9	-187	-2.2	582.1	14.5
2270	Lajamanu (CGC)	707	np	np	np	np	np	7 278.6	np
2360	Mataranka (CGC)	215	np	np	np	np	np	232.8	np
2530	Nyirranggulung Mardrulk Ngadberre (CGC)	1 287	np	np	np	np	np	28 620.0	np
4030	Timber Creek (CGC)	181	np	np	np	np	np	161.2	np
4409	Victoria	895	978	985	1.9	7	0.7	165 489.2	np
4600	Walangeri Ngumpinku (CGC)	318	np	np	np	np	np	394.0	np
5050	Yugul Mangi (CGC)	1 399	np	np	np	np	np	27 900.3	np
	Total Lower Top End NT	17 444	17 378	17 212	-0.3	-166	-1.0	359 203.4	np

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(b) Average annual growth rate.

		ERP AT 30 JUNE			CHANGE				Population density 2004
		1999	2003r	2004p	1999– 2004p(b)	2003–2004p...		Area	
ASGC code	SD, SSD and SLA(a)	no.	no.	no.	%	no.	%	km²	persons/ km²
.....									
10	NORTHERN TERRITORY - BAL cont.								
35	Barkly								
0300	Alpururulam (CGC)	384	np	np	np	np	np	10.0	np
1350	Elliott District (CGC)	505	np	np	np	np	np	5.4	np
3409	Tableland	537	518	519	-0.7	1	0.2	156 459.2	np
3800	Tennant Creek (T)	3 371	2 986	2 946	-2.7	-40	-1.3	42.3	69.6
4009	Tennant Creek - Bal	1 431	1 483	1 501	1.0	18	1.2	127 054.5	np
	Total Barkly	6 228	5 861	5 840	-1.3	-21	-0.4	283 571.4	np
40	Central NT								
0201	Alice Springs (T) - Charles	5 105	5 043	5 073	-0.1	30	0.6	57.2	88.8
0203	Alice Springs (T) - Heavitree	2 186	2 257	2 295	1.0	38	1.7	196.8	11.7
0205	Alice Springs (T) - Larapinta	9 126	9 124	9 006	-0.3	-118	-1.3	15.6	575.8
0207	Alice Springs (T) - Ross	7 558	7 636	7 478	-0.2	-158	-2.1	55.8	134.1
0208	Alice Springs (T) - Stuart	2 079	2 197	2 206	1.2	9	0.4	3.1	706.4
0360	Anmatjere (CGC)	956	np	np	np	np	np	3 593.0	np
0400	Aritarlpilta (CGC)	241	np	np	np	np	np	12.2	np
2320	Ltyentye Purte (CGC)	526	np	np	np	np	np	1 250.0	np
3009	Petermann	2 649	2 924	2 966	2.3	42	1.4	167 970.6	np
3209	Sandover - Bal	2 040	2 293	2 320	2.6	27	1.2	134 972.3	np
3609	Tanami	4 299	4 223	4 255	-0.2	32	0.8	215 288.7	np
3650	Tapatjatjaka (CGC)	210	np	np	np	np	np	13.9	np
4650	Wallace Rockhole (CGC)	153	np	np	np	np	np	5.0	np
4700	Watiyawanu (CGC)	219	np	np	np	np	np	77.7	np
5000	Yuendumu (CGC)	764	np	np	np	np	np	22 513.3	np
	Total Central NT	38 111	38 847	38 749	0.3	-98	-0.3	546 025.0	0.1
	Total Northern Territory - Bal	89 671	90 505	90 435	0.2	-70	-0.1	1 349 036.1	0.1
	TOTAL NORTHERN TERRITORY	192 735	198 544	199 913	0.7	1 369	0.7	1 352 158.0	0.1

np not available for publication but included in totals where applicable, unless otherwise indicated

(a) The ABS has been unable to estimate population change for June 2001 onwards for a number of new Community Government Councils introduced in the 2003 edition of the Australian Standard Geographical Classification. Population estimates for these areas for 30 June 2003 and 2004 are denoted 'np', while the latest available estimates, 30 June 2001, are published in the 2002–03 issue of this publication. For more information see paragraphs 16 to 25 of the Explanatory Notes and Appendices 2 and 5.

(b) Average annual growth rate.

ESTIMATED RESIDENT POPULATION, Statistical Local Area—ACT

		ERP AT 30 JUNE			CHANGE			Population density	
		1999	2003r	2004p	1999- 2004p(a)	2003-2004p		Area	2004
ASGC code	SD, SSD and SLA	no.	no.	no.	%	no.	%	km ²	persons/ km ²
.....									
05	CANBERRA								
05	North Canberra								
0089	Acton	1 467	1 496	1 527	0.8	31	2.1	9.4	163.2
0189	Ainslie	4 668	4 760	4 724	0.2	-36	-0.8	3.5	1 332.8
0639	Braddon	2 841	3 240	3 468	4.1	228	7.0	1.4	2 478.7
0909	Campbell	3 275	3 227	3 195	-0.5	-32	-1.0	3.1	1 021.9
1449	City	243	657	652	21.8	-5	-0.8	1.5	446.4
1889	Dickson	1 893	1 817	1 865	-0.3	48	2.6	1.6	1 183.2
1989	Downer	3 389	3 373	3 336	-0.3	-37	-1.1	1.6	2 041.2
2169	Duntroon	1 521	1 314	1 268	-3.6	-46	-3.5	2.4	519.1
3609	Hackett	2 982	2 856	2 821	-1.1	-35	-1.2	1.9	1 449.3
5049	Kowen	18	22	21	3.1	-1	-4.5	77.0	0.3
5229	Lyneham	4 035	4 311	4 355	1.5	44	1.0	5.5	795.0
5769	Majura	267	235	229	-3.0	-6	-2.6	86.9	2.6
6389	O'Connor	4 669	4 886	4 798	0.5	-88	-1.8	4.1	1 165.1
7209	Reid	1 570	1 552	1 508	-0.8	-44	-2.8	0.9	1 630.6
7479	Russell	—	—	—	—	—	—	0.5	—
8289	Turner	1 814	2 526	3 073	11.1	547	21.7	1.5	2 004.6
8559	Watson	3 385	3 870	3 925	3.0	55	1.4	3.7	1 067.9
	Total North Canberra	38 037	40 142	40 765	1.4	623	1.6	206.7	197.2
10	Belconnen								
0279	Aranda	2 563	2 435	2 390	-1.4	-45	-1.8	1.6	1 528.8
0459	Belconnen Town Centre	2 859	2 854	2 892	0.2	38	1.3	3.6	804.5
0549	Belconnen - SSD Bal	49	47	47	-0.8	—	—	65.7	0.7
0729	Bruce	2 536	3 341	3 285	5.3	-56	-1.7	6.6	497.1
1179	Charnwood	3 228	3 252	3 267	0.2	15	0.5	1.9	1 760.1
1629	Cook	2 966	2 907	2 855	-0.8	-52	-1.8	1.6	1 803.3
2139	Dunlop	1 691	4 165	4 897	23.7	732	17.6	3.7	1 332.9
2259	Evatt	6 113	5 890	5 746	-1.2	-144	-2.4	3.1	1 877.4
2619	Florey	5 537	5 450	5 410	-0.5	-40	-0.7	2.8	1 963.3
2709	Flynn	3 791	3 643	3 552	-1.3	-91	-2.5	2.1	1 694.8
2889	Fraser	2 247	2 220	2 139	-1.0	-81	-3.6	2.4	882.9
3249	Giralang	3 722	3 642	3 584	-0.8	-58	-1.6	2.4	1 468.1
3879	Hawker	2 948	2 944	2 880	-0.5	-64	-2.2	1.9	1 481.7
3969	Higgins	3 296	3 111	3 039	-1.6	-72	-2.3	1.7	1 815.2
4149	Holt	4 775	4 866	4 778	—	-88	-1.8	3.3	1 449.8
4779	Kaleen	8 312	8 115	7 971	-0.8	-144	-1.8	6.0	1 322.5
5139	Latham	3 892	3 799	3 724	-0.9	-75	-2.0	2.7	1 363.4
5409	McKellar	2 890	2 729	2 678	-1.5	-51	-1.9	4.3	621.0
5589	Macgregor	3 856	3 743	3 659	-1.0	-84	-2.2	2.5	1 490.1
5679	Macquarie	2 421	2 389	2 345	-0.6	-44	-1.8	1.7	1 378.9
5949	Melba	3 521	3 538	3 477	-0.3	-61	-1.7	2.3	1 507.0
6669	Page	2 705	2 783	2 784	0.6	1	—	1.3	2 104.9
7569	Scullin	2 996	2 955	2 906	-0.6	-49	-1.7	1.4	2 037.9
7659	Spence	2 840	2 716	2 662	-1.3	-54	-2.0	1.5	1 748.6
8649	Weetangera	2 725	2 655	2 595	-1.0	-60	-2.3	1.6	1 638.8
	Total Belconnen	84 479	86 189	85 562	0.3	-627	-0.7	129.6	660.0

— nil or rounded to zero (including null cells)

(a) Average annual growth rate.

ESTIMATED RESIDENT POPULATION, Statistical Local Area—ACT *continued*

		ERP AT 30 JUNE			CHANGE			Population density	
		1999	2003r	2004p	1999-2004p(a)	2003-2004p		Area	2004
ASGC code	SD, SSD and SLA	no.	no.	no.	%	no.	%	km ²	persons/km ²
05	CANBERRA <i>cont.</i>								
15	Woden Valley								
1269	Chifley	2 304	2 303	2 270	-0.3	-33	-1.4	1.6	1 428.7
1719	Curtin	5 377	5 308	5 178	-0.8	-130	-2.4	4.8	1 077.0
2439	Farrer	3 545	3 527	3 465	-0.5	-62	-1.8	2.1	1 674.9
3069	Garran	2 665	3 062	3 081	2.9	19	0.6	2.7	1 142.6
4239	Hughes	2 956	2 933	2 921	-0.2	-12	-0.4	1.8	1 632.3
4419	Isaacs	2 628	2 543	2 484	-1.1	-59	-2.3	3.1	804.6
5319	Lyons	2 654	2 362	2 312	-2.7	-50	-2.1	2.3	1 022.2
5859	Mawson	2 946	2 941	2 909	-0.3	-32	-1.1	2.1	1 376.8
6489	O'Malley	893	908	907	0.3	-1	-0.1	2.6	347.8
6849	Pearce	2 483	2 456	2 412	-0.6	-44	-1.8	1.7	1 416.1
6939	Phillip	1 707	1 715	1 697	-0.1	-18	-1.0	2.6	659.1
8109	Torrens	2 269	2 203	2 165	-0.9	-38	-1.7	1.3	1 664.0
	Total Woden Valley	32 427	32 261	31 801	-0.4	-460	-1.4	28.6	1 111.9
20	Weston Creek-Stromlo								
1089	Chapman	2 941	2 763	2 698	-1.7	-65	-2.4	1.9	1 453.8
2079	Duffy	3 300	2 886	2 973	-2.1	87	3.0	2.8	1 064.0
2529	Fisher	3 120	3 051	2 994	-0.8	-57	-1.9	1.6	1 892.1
4059	Holder	2 840	2 723	2 662	-1.3	-61	-2.2	1.9	1 407.6
7389	Rivett	3 367	3 213	3 142	-1.4	-71	-2.2	1.6	1 951.2
7749	Stirling	2 191	2 215	2 123	-0.6	-92	-4.2	1.3	1 605.2
7839	Stromlo	84	65	70	-3.6	5	7.7	80.5	0.9
8469	Waramanga	2 682	2 621	2 534	-1.1	-87	-3.3	1.7	1 481.9
8739	Weston	3 418	3 334	3 238	-1.1	-96	-2.9	3.1	1 060.3
8829	Weston Creek-Stromlo - SSD Bal	25	18	23	-1.7	5	27.8	8.0	2.9
	Total Weston Creek-Stromlo	23 968	22 889	22 457	-1.3	-432	-1.9	104.3	215.4
25	Tuggeranong								
0339	Banks	3 676	3 835	4 259	3.0	424	11.1	2.2	1 894.4
0609	Bonython	3 587	3 580	3 564	-0.1	-16	-0.4	2.9	1 227.3
0819	Calwell	6 200	6 259	6 179	-0.1	-80	-1.3	3.9	1 587.7
1359	Chisholm	5 951	5 841	5 767	-0.6	-74	-1.3	3.1	1 859.9
1549	Conder	4 449	5 037	5 088	2.7	51	1.0	4.5	1 121.9
2349	Fadden	3 562	3 480	3 439	-0.7	-41	-1.2	3.1	1 107.1
3159	Gilmore	3 154	3 077	3 054	-0.6	-23	-0.7	2.0	1 493.1
3289	Gordon	7 254	7 978	8 016	2.0	38	0.5	4.4	1 807.3
3339	Gowrie	3 533	3 450	3 399	-0.8	-51	-1.5	1.9	1 759.7
3379	Greenway	971	1 031	1 028	1.1	-3	-0.3	4.7	220.7
4509	Isabella Plains	4 468	4 529	4 513	0.2	-16	-0.4	2.5	1 808.9
4869	Kambah	17 261	16 520	16 234	-1.2	-286	-1.7	11.3	1 432.2
5489	Macarthur	1 685	1 629	1 596	-1.1	-33	-2.0	1.3	1 226.5
6129	Monash	5 955	5 960	5 850	-0.4	-110	-1.8	3.4	1 714.6
6579	Oxley	1 896	1 829	1 790	-1.1	-39	-2.1	1.1	1 647.6
7289	Richardson	3 596	3 487	3 435	-0.9	-52	-1.5	2.2	1 533.5
8019	Theodore	4 317	4 293	4 238	-0.4	-55	-1.3	3.1	1 351.8
8189	Tuggeranong - SSD Bal	63	63	63	—	—	—	96.7	0.7
8379	Wanniassa	8 752	8 532	8 292	-1.1	-240	-2.8	5.4	1 536.4
	Total Tuggeranong	90 330	90 410	89 804	-0.1	-606	-0.7	159.9	561.5

— nil or rounded to zero (including null cells)

(a) Average annual growth rate.

ESTIMATED RESIDENT POPULATION, Statistical Local Area—ACT *continued*

		ERP AT 30 JUNE			CHANGE			Area	Population density 2004 persons/ km ²
		1999	2003r	2004p	1999- 2004p(a)	2003-2004p			
ASGC code	SD, SSD and SLA	no.	no.	no.	%	no.	%	km ²	
05	CANBERRA <i>cont.</i>								
35	South Canberra								
0369	Barton	565	508	730	5.3	222	43.7	1.4	529.0
1809	Deakin	2 546	2 636	2 615	0.5	-21	-0.8	3.6	732.2
2789	Forrest	1 176	1 243	1 212	0.6	-31	-2.5	1.6	762.1
2979	Fyshwick	86	89	87	0.2	-2	-2.2	9.8	8.9
3429	Griffith	3 851	4 066	4 034	0.9	-32	-0.8	2.8	1 463.8
3789	Harman	182	184	182	—	-2	-1.1	0.9	207.7
4329	Hume	11	18	14	4.9	-4	-22.2	7.9	1.8
4589	Jerrabomberra	27	31	30	2.1	-1	-3.2	19.7	1.5
4959	Kingston	1 950	1 963	1 996	0.5	33	1.7	1.3	1 515.3
6219	Narrabundah	5 610	5 650	5 641	0.1	-9	-0.2	4.0	1 396.4
6309	Oaks Estate	316	313	315	-0.1	2	0.6	0.4	754.1
6759	Parkes	17	16	17	—	1	6.3	2.7	6.3
7029	Pialligo	110	125	119	1.6	-6	-4.8	8.4	14.1
7119	Red Hill	3 246	3 239	3 190	-0.3	-49	-1.5	4.8	658.0
7929	Symonston	438	442	484	2.0	42	9.5	9.9	49.1
8919	Yarralumla	2 941	3 013	2 973	0.2	-40	-1.3	7.2	414.6
	Total South Canberra	23 072	23 536	23 639	0.5	103	0.4	86.4	273.7
40	Gungahlin-Hall								
0239	Amaroo	1 947	4 794	5 423	22.7	629	13.1	2.3	2 355.1
3529	Gungahlin-Hall - SSD Bal	47	678	1 977	111.2	1 299	191.6	70.2	28.2
3689	Hall	392	392	376	-0.8	-16	-4.1	1.8	208.9
6039	Mitchell	5	3	3	-9.7	—	—	3.2	0.9
6249	Ngunnawal	7 695	8 952	8 853	2.8	-99	-1.1	4.1	2 159.4
6279	Nicholls	4 246	6 805	7 027	10.6	222	3.3	6.5	1 087.8
6719	Palmerston	5 322	5 953	5 958	2.3	5	0.1	1.9	3 057.7
	Total Gungahlin-Hall	19 654	27 577	29 617	8.5	2 040	7.4	90.1	328.9
	Total Canberra	311 967	323 004	323 645	0.7	641	0.2	805.6	401.8
10	AUSTRALIAN CAPITAL TERRITORY - BAL								
05	Australian Capital Territory - Bal								
9009	Remainder of ACT	359	359	376	0.9	17	4.7	1 543.8	0.2
	Total Australian Capital Territory - Bal	359	359	376	0.9	17	4.7	1 543.8	0.2
	Total Australian Capital Territory - Bal	359	359	376	0.9	17	4.7	1 543.8	0.2
	TOTAL AUSTRALIAN CAPITAL TERRITORY	312 326	323 363	324 021	0.7	658	0.2	2 349.4	137.9

— nil or rounded to zero (including null cells)

(a) Average annual growth rate.

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ESTIMATED RESIDENT POPULATION, Statistical Local Areas—Other Territories

		ERP AT 30 JUNE			CHANGE			Population density	
		1999	2003r	2004p	1999–2004p(a)	2003–2004p	Area	2004	
ASGC code	SD, SSD and SLA	no.	no.	no.	%	no.	%	km ²	persons/ km ²
10	OTHER TERRITORIES								
05	Other Territories								
1009	Jervis Bay Territory	549	551	556	0.3	5	0.9	67.3	8.3
2009	Territory of Christmas Island	1 528	1 519	1 516	–0.2	–3	–0.2	136.7	11.1
3009	Territory of Cocos (Keeling) Islands	542	598	598	2.0	—	—	14.1	42.3
	Total Other Territories	2 619	2 668	2 670	0.4	2	0.1	218.1	12.2
	Total Other Territories	2 619	2 668	2 670	0.4	2	0.1	218.1	12.2
	TOTAL OTHER TERRITORIES	2 619	2 668	2 670	0.4	2	0.1	218.1	12.2

— nil or rounded to zero (including null cells)

(a) Average annual growth rate.

ESTIMATED RESIDENT POPULATION, Statistical Districts

ASGC code	Statistical District	ERP AT 30 JUNE			CHANGE	
		1999	2003r	2004p	1999- 2004p(a)	2003-2004p
		no.	no.	no.	%	no. %
1003	Newcastle (NSW)	479 730	501 335	505 369	1.0	4 034 0.8
1006	Wollongong (NSW)	263 090	273 234	274 072	0.8	838 0.3
1008	Nowra-Bomaderry (NSW)	29 627	31 426	32 058	1.6	632 2.0
1012	Bathurst-Orange (NSW)	73 975	77 039	77 498	0.9	459 0.6
1015	Lismore (NSW)	30 982	30 739	30 954	—	215 0.7
1021	Coffs Harbour (NSW)	44 359	48 013	49 018	2.0	1 005 2.1
1024	Port Macquarie (NSW)	35 975	39 938	40 685	2.5	747 1.9
1027	Tamworth (NSW)	41 874	42 891	43 075	0.6	184 0.4
1030	Dubbo (NSW)	34 140	35 363	35 560	0.8	197 0.6
1033	Wagga Wagga (NSW)	52 158	52 651	53 008	0.3	357 0.7
1218	Albury-Wodonga (NSW/VIC)	95 223	100 182	101 782	1.3	1 600 1.6
2024	Geelong (VIC)	155 576	162 637	164 458	1.1	1 821 1.1
2025	Warrnambool (VIC)	28 651	30 317	30 708	1.4	391 1.3
2027	Ballarat (VIC)	81 392	85 851	87 148	1.4	1 297 1.5
2030	Bendigo (VIC)	77 114	81 906	83 224	1.5	1 318 1.6
2033	Shepparton (VIC)	42 814	46 242	46 776	1.8	534 1.2
2039	La Trobe Valley (VIC)	75 408	74 479	74 695	-0.2	216 0.3
2042	Mildura (VIC)	43 566	46 387	47 080	1.6	693 1.5
3042	Sunshine Coast (QLD)	173 752	200 366	207 229	3.6	6 863 3.4
3045	Bundaberg (QLD)	55 556	58 562	59 518	1.4	956 1.6
3046	Hervey Bay (QLD)	38 160	42 971	45 506	3.6	2 535 5.9
3048	Rockhampton (QLD)	67 588	67 915	68 473	0.3	558 0.8
3051	Gladstone (QLD)	38 286	40 783	41 902	1.8	1 119 2.7
3054	Mackay (QLD)	62 939	66 880	68 381	1.7	1 501 2.2
3057	Townsville (QLD)	127 873	140 761	144 193	2.4	3 432 2.4
3061	Cairns (QLD)	111 246	117 531	120 296	1.6	2 765 2.4
3064	Toowoomba (QLD)	105 682	113 815	116 085	1.9	2 270 2.0
3139	Gold Coast-Tweed (QLD/NSW)	394 381	456 908	469 832	3.6	12 924 2.8
5071	Mandurah (WA)	55 380	65 834	70 418	4.9	4 584 7.0
5074	Bunbury (WA)	46 542	51 458	53 614	2.9	2 156 4.2
5080	Kalgoorlie/Boulder (WA)	30 078	29 389	29 197	-0.6	-192 -0.7
5083	Geraldton (WA)	30 564	31 050	30 804	0.2	-246 -0.8
6090	Launceston (TAS)	98 263	100 664	101 984	0.7	1 320 1.3
6093	Burnie-Devonport (TAS)	77 948	78 239	79 058	0.3	819 1.0
8196	Canberra-Queanbeyan (ACT/NSW)	351 549	368 136	369 365	1.0	1 229 0.3

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(a) Average annual growth rate.

EXPLANATORY NOTES

INTRODUCTION

1 For Australia, this publication contains estimates of the resident population of SLAs, LGAs, SSDs, SDs, Statistical Districts, states and territories, and Australia. For New Zealand, estimates of the resident population are provided for Regional Councils, Territorial Authorities and New Zealand.

2 To meet the conflicting demands for accuracy and timeliness there are three estimates of sub-state/territory populations. Preliminary estimates are normally available eight months after the reference date (i.e. February), revised estimates a year later and final estimates after the following census. The Australian estimates in this publication are final for 1999, based on results of the 2001 Census of Population and Housing. Estimates for 2003 have been revised, while estimates for 2004 are preliminary, based upon the final 2001 estimates.

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3 Estimated resident population (ERP) are official estimates of the Australian population, which links people to a place of usual residence within Australia. Usual residence is that place where each person has lived or intends to live for six months or more from the reference date for data collection.

4 Estimates of the resident population are based on census counts by place of usual residence (excluding overseas visitors in Australia), with an allowance for net census undercount, to which are added the number of Australian residents estimated to have been temporarily overseas at the time of the census.

5 Population estimates are updated by adding to the estimated population at the beginning of each period the components of natural increase (on a usual residence basis) and net overseas migration. For the states and territories, account is also taken of estimated interstate movements involving a change of usual residence.

6 After each census, estimates for the preceding intercensal period are revised by incorporating an additional adjustment (intercensal discrepancy) to ensure that the total intercensal change agrees with the difference between the ERPs at the two respective census dates.

Estimation of sub-state/territory populations

7 In census years the ERP as at 30 June for each SLA is calculated based on usual residence census counts, excluding overseas visitors in Australia, with an allowance for net census undercount and the number of residents temporarily overseas at the census date. As the census is held at a date other than 30 June (the 2001 census was held on 7 August), further adjustments taking into account births, deaths and migration for the intervening period are made to obtain the ERP at 30 June. The population estimates for LGAs and other regions are built up from the SLA estimates.

8 For post-censal years, the absence of migration data at the SLA level means that it is not possible to estimate SLA populations by taking into account natural increase and net migration. Instead, ERPs are calculated using a mathematical model. Local knowledge, including that advised by local governments, may be used to adjust the outcome of the model for a particular SLA.

9 In the mathematical model a relationship is established between changes in population and changes in other indicators between the two most recent censuses. The choice of indicators varies across the states and territories, depending on availability and indicative ability, and includes dwelling approvals, electricity connections, Medicare enrolments and drivers' licences. The choice of indicators also varies within states/territories, depending on aspects such as whether the SLA is urban or rural, is growing or declining, and has a high or low proportion of medium and high density dwellings. Changes in these indicators are then used to estimate changes in the population of each area since the last census.

EXPLANATORY NOTES *continued*

Accuracy of sub-state/territory population estimates

10 In census years, both preliminary estimates (derived from updating the ERPs from the previous census) and final estimates (based on the current census) are prepared. Differences between these two sets of estimates are referred to as intercensal errors. An indication of the accuracy of ERPs can be gauged by assessing the size and direction of the intercensal errors. For Australia, the preliminary June 2001 ERP under-estimated the final June 2001 ERP by 0.1% (-26,600 persons). For the states/territories, the 2001 intercensal errors ranged from -1.6% (Australian Capital Territory) to +0.5% (Victoria).

11 Summary statistics of the absolute values of these errors can be used to assess a number of population estimates. The average absolute value of the intercensal errors for the 2001 series of SLA estimates (excluding regions with an ERP less than 500) was 3.8%, a decrease on the 1996 average of 4.6%. For LGAs, the 2001 average absolute intercensal error (excluding regions with an ERP less than 500) was 3.6%, an increase on the 1996 average of 3.4%.

12 Average absolute intercensal errors for the 2001 series of LGA estimates decreased with increasing population size; that is, LGAs with large populations recorded the smallest percentage errors while small LGAs recorded the largest percentage errors.

AVERAGE ABSOLUTE INTERCENSAL ERROR, Australia—30 June 2001

Size of LGA (people)	Number of LGAs no.	Average absolute intercensal error %
Under 500	21	10.5
500 to 1,999	93	7.7
2,000 to 4,999	109	4.4
5,000 to 9,999	91	3.8
10,000 to 19,999	94	2.7
20,000 to 49,999	100	2.0
50,000 and over	116	1.5

13 In recognition of the inherent inaccuracy involved in population estimation, in general population figures less than 1,000 in the text and accompanying summary tables are rounded to the nearest ten, figures over 1,000 are rounded to the nearest hundred, and figures over 1 million are rounded to the nearest 100,000. While unrounded figures are provided in the main tables, accuracy to the last digit is not claimed and should not be assumed. Percentage change in population is based on unrounded numbers.

Interpretation of LGA rankings

14 In Tables 1 to 7 LGAs are ranked within states and territories according to both 'largest' and 'fastest' growth, identifying areas in Australia currently experiencing significant changes in population size. Largest growth is based on the absolute change in population between June 2003 and June 2004, while fastest growth is based on the rate of change in population (that is, the percentage change in population) for the same period. LGAs with populations of less than 2,000 people at June 2003 have been excluded from the fastest growth rankings.

15 Due to the inherent imprecision of small-area population estimates, rankings should be considered indicative of relative growth between LGAs within each state and territory, not definitive.

EXPLANATORY NOTES *continued*

Estimating ERPs for Northern
Territory Community
Government Councils and
Queensland Aboriginal and
Island Councils

16 The *Australian Standard Geographical Classification (ASGC), 2003* (cat. no. 1216.0) introduced 29 new LGAs and corresponding SLAs in Northern Territory. These geographic areas are based on Community Government Councils (CGCs) which are representative Indigenous bodies. Previously, the population of these areas were included within the former SLA (and LGA or unincorporated Northern Territory) boundaries defined in earlier versions of ASGC (see Appendices 2 and 5). Similarly in Queensland, new LGAs and corresponding SLAs were introduced in 2002 for Aboriginal Council (AC) and Island Council (IC) areas (see Appendices 1 and 4).

17 The 30 June 2001 ERPs for these areas are based on 2001 Census of Population and Housing usual residence census counts as at 7 August 2001, adjusted for net undercount (including demographic adjustments), residents temporarily overseas and backdated to 30 June based on estimates of natural increase and net migration. Population estimates for these areas which do not correspond to ASGC 2001-based SLAs are compiled by apportioning the 30 June 2001 ERP of the former SLA(s) to 2001 census based Collection Districts (CDs) within each SLA using 2001 census usual residence counts at the CD level. CDs, or aggregations of CDs which directly correspond to the SLAs are then used to aggregate apportioned CD level population estimates to derive an estimated population of each of the ASGC 2003-based SLAs. In some cases where SLA boundaries do not correspond directly to 2001 census CD boundaries, estimates are made as to the share of population to be allocated from the CD to each relevant SLA.

18 The SLA to CD level apportionment method for estimating census-year populations has some limitations. Estimates of net undercount are apportioned to SLAs based on age, sex, Indigenous status, state and territory, and (for the six states) capital city/balance of state. However, the SLA to CD level apportionment assumes that net undercount is distributed to component CDs in proportion to the census usual residence counts. It is quite possible that there may be local clustering and regional differences in net undercount which cannot be practically or efficiently measured. SLA level estimates of the number of residents temporarily overseas on census night are based on coding addresses of residence to SLA from a sample of incoming passenger cards. The apportionment process assumes these are distributed to CDs in proportion to the census usual counts. Data are not available retrospectively for the newly defined SLAs and LGAs for births and deaths between the 30 June and the census date. Similarly, no data are available on net migration for the new SLAs. Accordingly, the population estimates for new SLAs based on CD level apportionment are reasonable approximations in the absence of finer level components.

19 For the Queensland AC and IC areas, additional administrative and local knowledge was used to estimate for population change from 30 June 2001 to 30 June 2002 in the 2001–02 issue of this publication.

20 Unlike most SLAs and LGAs in Australia, the ABS has not been able to estimate population change for the new CGC LGAs and SLAs in the Northern Territory for June 2002 onwards, and the AC and IC LGAs and SLAs in Queensland for June 2003 onwards. At the present time the ABS has not been able to identify any data sources that can yield reliable and comprehensive information on annual population change for these small communities. For Queensland ACs and ICs a significant change occurred in a previously used data source limiting its suitability for estimating population change for these SLAs during 2002–03. Further, the small size and remoteness of some of these areas means that postcode address-based data sets are of limited use. The nature of postal delivery areas and the use of post box-based addresses which may not be a clear indication of place of residence also limits the utility of these data to estimate population change for these areas.

EXPLANATORY NOTES *continued*

Estimating ERPs for Northern Territory Community Government Councils and Queensland Aboriginal and Island Councils *continued*

21 Where ABS has not been able to estimate annual population change, estimates in this publication have been represented as "np". In the accompanying electronic releases, the most recently published estimates (June 2002 for Queensland ACs and ICs, and June 2001 for NT CGCs) have been held constant to June 2004 to ensure individual estimates sum to totals. Although these estimates indicate no change in population over this period, it should not be assumed that this is the case.

22 Small populations are relatively more sensitive to small population changes which may not be detectable or quantifiable. However, larger populations contain much of this variability within the larger population.

23 For the time being, and in the absence of other reliable data sources, the ABS may only be able to produce population estimates for these SLAs and LGAs in census years using data from the five-yearly Census of Population and Housing. The ABS will continue to monitor the availability of other data sources for population change estimation in consultation with state, territory and local governments. For example, the inclusion of these areas in the ASGC will mean that in future, other data such as births and deaths by place of usual residence can be coded to these new geographic levels for future use in small area population estimation.

24 Population estimates for these SLAs and LGAs for periods between 1996 and 2001 have been prepared using interpolation techniques between 1996 and 2001 census year-based estimates.

25 A more detailed explanation of the concept of ERP, as adopted by the ABS for official population estimates, is contained in *Demographic Estimates and Projections: Concepts, Sources and Methods*, Statistical Concepts Library, ABS web site <www.abs.gov.au>.

SERVICE POPULATIONS

26 Service population estimates are a different measure of population. They take into account seasonal itinerant populations which are not included in the ERP. Currently the ABS does not produce service population estimates but two working papers are available which investigate the concept and feasibility of such estimates. The working papers are available on the ABS web site <www.abs.gov.au> by selecting Themes, then Demography, then ABS Demography Working Papers (numbers 96/4 and 99/3).

CORRECTION OF PRISON DATA OF QUEENSLAND

27 For the 2001 Census of Population and Housing, most prison data was received for processing via electronic data files. During the post-processing evaluation cycle, it has been established that the male and female counts for Queensland prisons (only) were incorrectly captured. This has resulted in the publication of incorrect sex census counts for males and females for various Queensland geographical areas and as a consequence, the Australian population totals. For population estimates, revisions to Queensland have been applied over the financial year 2001–02. Revised estimates for 30 June 2002 by age and sex and SLA/LGA are currently available. Revision to population estimates for the 1996–2001 intercensal period are not planned. However, information on the SLAs and LGAs and other geographic areas affected are available in the 2001 Census Working Paper—*Fact Sheet: Correction of Prison Data of Queensland* on the ABS web site <www.abs.gov.au>.

ESTIMATED RESIDENT POPULATION — NEW ZEALAND

28 The estimated resident population of New Zealand, and any area of New Zealand, at 30 June in the year of the latest census is based on the latest census usually resident population counts updated for net census undercount, the number of residents temporarily overseas on census night, births, deaths and net migration between census night and 30 June, and reconciliation with demographic estimates at ages 0–9 years.

29 Subsequent national population estimates are produced by updating previous estimates using births, deaths and external migration data for the current quarter.

EXPLANATORY NOTES *continued*

Subnational population estimates

30 Subnational population estimates are produced annually, as at 30 June. The estimation of subnational resident population uses the same component method as is used for estimates of the total national population, but with the addition of an extra component — internal migration between the subnational areas of New Zealand.

31 As no data on current internal migration is available, internal migration is estimated indirectly, using 'symptomatic' data, including building consents, occupancy rates, full-time equivalent employment, numbers of people in institutions (e.g. prisons), armed forces data, and past internal migration (from the most recent intercensal period). This information is supplemented by information from Territorial Authorities and universities. More details are available on request from Manager, Demography Division, Private Bag 4741, Christchurch, New Zealand.

AUSTRALIAN STATISTICAL AREAS

32 This publication contains data presented according to the Australian Standard Geographical Classification (ASGC) 2004 Edition, which refers to boundaries as defined at 1 July 2004. Under this classification, statistical areas are defined as follows:

- **Local Government Areas (LGAs).** These areas are the spatial units which represent the geographical areas of incorporated local government councils, an Aboriginal or Island Council in Queensland, or a Community Government Councils in the Northern Territory. The various types of LGAs are Aboriginal Councils (AC), Areas (A), Boroughs (B), Cities (C), Community Government Councils (CGCs), District Councils (DC), Island Councils (IC), Municipalities (M), Regional Councils (RegC), Rural Cities (RC), Shires (S), and Towns (T).
- **Statistical Local Areas (SLAs).** These geographical areas are, in most cases, identical with, or have been formed from a division of, whole LGAs. In other cases they represent unincorporated areas. In aggregate, SLAs cover the whole of a state or territory without gaps or overlaps. In some cases legal LGAs overlap Statistical Subdivision boundaries and therefore comprise two or three SLAs (Part A, Part B and, if necessary, Part C).
- **Statistical Subdivisions (SSDs).** These are of intermediate size, between SLAs and SDs. In aggregate, they cover the whole of Australia without gaps or overlaps. They are defined as socially and economically homogeneous regions characterised by identifiable links between the inhabitants. In the non-urban areas an SSD is characterised by identifiable links between the economic units within the region, under the unifying influence of one or more major towns or cities.
- **Statistical Divisions (SDs).** These consist of one or more SSDs. The divisions are designed to be relatively homogeneous regions characterised by identifiable social and economic units within the region, under the unifying influence of one or more major towns or cities.
- **Statistical Districts.** These consist of selected, significant, predominantly urban areas in Australia which are not located within a Capital City SD. Statistical Districts enable comparable statistics to be produced about these selected urban areas.

33 LGAs are proclaimed by various state and territory government authorities and changes are gazetted throughout the year. Presently, LGAs are used as the base on which SLAs are defined for the ASGC. Because this definition process takes time, some LGAs gazetted during the year leading up to an ASGC edition are not always processed in time for inclusion in that edition, and are instead included in a later edition.

34 Further information concerning statistical areas is contained in *Australian Standard Geographical Classification, 2004* (cat. no. 1216.0).

MAPS

35 A complete series of maps showing the SLAs mentioned in this publication is available in *Australian Standard Geographical Classification, 2004* (cat. no. 1216.0).

EXPLANATORY NOTES *continued*

MAPS *continued*

36 The centre of population is one measure used to describe the spatial distribution of a population. The method of calculation used in this publication for the map on page 10 is based on the 'centroid' (i.e. centre) and population of each SLA in Australia. Latitude and longitude coordinates of the centroid of each SLA are multiplied by the SLA's estimated resident population to obtain weighted latitudes and longitudes. These are summed to obtain a weighted latitude and longitude coordinate for all Australia, then divided by the total population of Australia to obtain a single latitude and longitude coordinate, the centre of population.

37 Due to the inherent imprecision in small-area estimates, and the choice of SLA-level estimates in the above calculation (rather than estimates at a different geographical level, for example, the Census Collection District or Local Government Area level), the centre of population should be considered indicative only of the distribution of population, and cannot be ascribed to an exact location. Use of different geographical level data would result in a slightly different centre of population.

AVERAGE ANNUAL RATE OF GROWTH

38 The average annual growth rate is calculated as a percentage using the formula below, where P_0 is the population at the start of the period, P_n is the population at the end of the period and n is the length of the period between P_n and P_0 in years.

$$\left[\left(\frac{P_n}{P_0} \right)^{\frac{1}{n}} - 1 \right] \times 100$$

CALCULATION OF AREAS

39 The area figures quoted in this issue are based upon the SLA level of the *Australian Standard Geographical Classification, 2004* (cat. no. 1216.0). The areas of the SLAs were calculated using ABS standard Geographic Information Systems software from the digital boundaries of the ASGC 2004. Higher level spatial unit area figures are subtotals of the SLA areas.

ELECTRONIC DATA

40 Annual population estimates at 30 June for all SLAs in Australia are available electronically. This information can be customised to provide data for any choice of years and any combination of states and territories. Electronic copies of this publication (in .pdf format), plus current and earlier year estimates for all SLAs in Australia, are available from the ABS web site <www.abs.gov.au>. These and other downloadable products are available for purchase online using a credit card. They can be downloaded (with no credit card needed) by AusStats and ABS@ subscribers, Australian universities and at some public libraries. If you are not an AusStats subscriber inquiries can be made to Information Services (see the back cover of this publication for contact details). Inquiries for New Zealand data should be directed to Statistics New Zealand (email <info@stats.govt.nz>).

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41 ABS publications draw extensively on information provided freely by individuals, businesses, governments and other organisations. Their continued cooperation is very much appreciated; without it, the wide range of statistics published by the ABS would not be available. Information received by the ABS is treated in strict confidence as required by the Census and Statistics Act 1905.

RELATED RELEASES

42 Other ABS releases that may be of interest to users of this publication include:
Census of Population and Housing: Population Growth and Distribution, Australia, 2001, cat. no. 2035.0
Australian Demographic Statistics, cat. no. 3101.0
Australian Historical Population Statistics, cat. no. 3105.0.65.001, available on <www.abs.gov.au>. From the navigation bar select Statistics, then Companion Data; 31. Demography—general
Integrated Regional Data Base (IRDB), Australia, cat. no. 1353.0
Population by Age and Sex, Australian States and Territories, cat. no. 3201.0

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RELATED RELEASES *continued*

Population by Age and Sex, cat. no. 3235.0–8.55.001—state and territory-specific datasets, available on <www.abs.gov.au>. From the navigation bar select Statistics, then Data Cubes, then 32. Population trends and estimates.

Regional Statistics, cat. no. 1362.1–4,1362.6–8—state and territory-specific publications

Australian Standard Geographical Classification (ASGC), 2004, cat. no. 1216.0

43 Further statistics relating to New Zealand population are available from the Statistics New Zealand web site <www.stats.govt.nz>.

44 Current publications and other products released by the ABS are listed in the *Catalogue of Publications and Products* (cat. no. 1101.0). The Catalogue is available from any ABS office or the ABS web site <www.abs.gov.au>. The ABS also issues a daily Release Advice on the web site which details products to be released in the week ahead.

45 As well as the statistics included in this and related publications, additional information is available from the ABS web site <www.abs.gov.au> by selecting Themes then Demography.

APPENDIX 1 LGA CHANGES IN ASGC 2002

	Date of gazettal	Nature of changes involving population only	Approximate change in ERP at 30 Jun 2002
New South Wales			
Canada Bay (A)	1 Dec 2000	Created from Concord (A) and Drummoyne (A)	63 631
Concord (A)	1 Dec 2000	Abolished. Included in Canada Bay (A)	-28 572
Drummoyne (A)	1 Dec 2000	Abolished. Included in Canada Bay (A)	-35 059
Conargo (A)	1 Jul 2001	Gained from Windouran (A)	415
Windouran (A)	1 Jul 2001	Abolished. Included in Conargo (A)	-415
Greater Lithgow (C)	1 Feb 1998	Abolished. Included in Lithgow (C)	-20 381
Lithgow (C)	1 Feb 1998	Created from Greater Lithgow (C)	20 381
Queensland			
Cambooya (S)	1 Dec 2000	Gained from Gatton (S)	7
Gatton (S)	1 Dec 2000	Lost to Cambooya (S)	-7
Burke (S)	2002	Lost to Doomadgee (AC)	-1 235
Doomadgee (AC)	2002	Created from part of Burke (S)	1 235
Cairns (C)	2002	Lost to Yarrabah (AC)	-2 320
Yarrabah (AC)	2002	Created from part of Cairns (C)	2 320
Carpentaria (S)	2002	Lost to Kowanyama (AC) and Pomppuraaw (AC)	-1 683
Kowanyama (AC)	2002	Created from part of Carpentaria (S)	1 053
Pomppuraaw (AC)	2002	Created from part of Carpentaria (S)	630
Cook (S)	2002	Lost to Hope Vale (AC), Lockhart River (AC), Mapoon (AC) and Napranum (AC)	-2 580
Hope Vale (AC)	2002	Created from part of Cook (S)	913
Lockhart River (AC)	2002	Created from part of Cook (S)	641
Mapoon (AC)	2002	Created from part of Cook (S)	214
Napranum (AC)	2002	Created from part of Cook (S)	812
Douglas (S)	2002	Lost to Wujal Wujal (AC)	-379
Wujal Wujal (AC)	2002	Created from part of Douglas (S)	379
Duarina (S)	2002	Lost to Woorabinda (AC)	-1 034
Woorabinda (AC)	2002	Created from part of Duaringa (S)	1 034
Murgon (S)	2002	Lost to Cherbourg (AC)	-1 249
Cherbourg (AC)	2002	Created from part of Murgon (S)	1 249
Torres (S)	2002	Lost to Badu (IC), Bamaga (IC), Boigu (IC), Dauan (IC), Erub (IC), Hammond (IC), Iama (IC), Injinoo (AC), Kubin (IC), Mabuiag (IC), Mer (IC), New Mapoon (AC), Poruma (IC), Saibai (IC), Seisia (IC), St Pauls (IC), Ugar (IC), Umagico (AC), Warraber (IC) and Yorke (IC)	-6 607
Badu (IC)	2002	Created from part of Torres (S)	785
Bamaga (IC)	2002	Created from part of Torres (S)	936
Boigu (IC)	2002	Created from part of Torres (S)	295
Dauan (IC)	2002	Created from part of Torres (S)	120
Erub (IC)	2002	Created from part of Torres (S)	320
Hammond (IC)	2002	Created from part of Torres (S)	208
Iama (IC)	2002	Created from part of Torres (S)	363
Injinoo (AC)	2002	Created from part of Torres (S)	446
Kubin (IC)	2002	Created from part of Torres (S)	226
Mabuiag (IC)	2002	Created from part of Torres (S)	240
Mer (IC)	2002	Created from part of Torres (S)	462
New Mapoon (AC)	2002	Created from part of Torres (S)	360
Poruma (IC)	2002	Created from part of Torres (S)	175
Saibai (IC)	2002	Created from part of Torres (S)	368
Seisia (IC)	2002	Created from part of Torres (S)	144
St Pauls (IC)	2002	Created from part of Torres (S)	239
Ugar (IC)	2002	Created from part of Torres (S)	57

APPENDIX 1 LGA CHANGES IN ASGC 2002 *continued*

	<i>Date of gazettal</i>	<i>Nature of changes involving population only</i>	<i>Approximate change in ERP at 30 Jun 2002</i>
Queensland <i>cont.</i>			
Umagico (AC)	2002	Created from part of Torres (S)	288
Warraber (IC)	2002	Created from part of Torres (S)	239
Yorke (IC)	2002	Created from part of Torres (S)	336
Hinchinbrook (S)	2002	Lost to Palm Island (AC)	-2 376
Palm Island (AC)	2002	Created from part of Hinchinbrook (S)	2 376
Northern Territory			
Tiwi Islands (CGC)	12 Jul 2001	Created from part of Unincorporated NT (Bathurst-Melville)	2 453

APPENDIX 2 LGA CHANGES IN ASGC 2003

	Date of gazettal	Nature of changes involving population only	Approximate change in ERP at 30 Jun 2003(a)
New South Wales			
Leichhardt (A)	8 May 2003	Lost to Sydney (C)	-13 742
South Sydney (C)	8 May 2003	Lost to Sydney (C)	-33 243
Sydney (C)	8 May 2003	Gained from Leichhardt (A) and South Sydney (C)	46 985
Waverley (A)	13 Feb 2003	Gained from Woollahra (A)	696
Woollahra (A)	13 Feb 2003	Lost to Waverley (A)	-696
Victoria			
Delatite (S)	..	Lost to Unincorporated Vic. (Mount Buller Alpine Resort and Mount Stirling Alpine Resort)	-198
Alpine (S)	..	Lost to Unincorporated Vic. (Falls Creek Alpine Resort and Mount Hotham Alpine Resort)	-163
Baw Baw (S)	..	Lost to Unincorporated Vic. (Mount Baw Baw Alpine Resort)	-5
Delatite (S)	28 Oct 2002	Abolished. Split into Benalla (RC) and Mansfield (S)	-20 881
Benalla (RC)	28 Oct 2002	Created from Delatite (S)	14 066
Mansfield (S)	28 Oct 2002	Created from Delatite (S)	6 815
Queensland			
Cook (S)	..	Lost to Weipa (T)	-270
Weipa (T)	..	Created from Cook (S)	270
Western Australia			
Cambridge (T)	1 Jul 2002	Gained from Stirling (C)	103
Stirling (C)	1 Jul 2002	Lost to Cambridge (T)	-103
Northern Territory			
Alpurrulam (CGC)	..	Created from part of Unincorporated NT (Tennant Creek - Bal)	397
Angurugu (CGC)	..	Created from part of Unincorporated NT (Groote Eylandt)	882
Anmatjere (CGC)	..	Created from part of Unincorporated NT (Sandover - Bal and Tanami)	945
Aritarlpitta (CGC)	..	Created from part of Unincorporated NT (Sandover - Bal)	270
Barunga Manyallaluk (CGC)	..	Created from part of Unincorporated NT (Elsey - Bal)	460
Belyuen (CGC)	..	Created from part of Unincorporated NT (Cox-Finiss)	221
Binjari (CGC)	..	Created from part of Unincorporated NT (Elsey - Bal)	195
Borrooloola (CGC)	..	Created from part of Unincorporated NT (Gulf)	824
Cox Peninsula (CGC)	..	Created from part of Unincorporated NT (Cox-Finiss)	238
Daguragu (CGC)	..	Created from part of Unincorporated NT (Victoria)	681
Elliott District (CGC)	..	Created from part of Unincorporated NT (Tableland)	477
Jilkminggan (CGC)	..	Created from part of Unincorporated NT (Elsey - Bal)	249
Kunbarlanjinja (CGC)	..	Created from part of Unincorporated NT (West Arnhem)	940
Lajamanu (CGC)	..	Created from part of Unincorporated NT (Victoria)	772
Ltyentye Purte (CGC)	..	Created from part of Unincorporated NT (Sandover - Bal)	588
Marngarr (CGC)	..	Created from part of Unincorporated NT (East Arnhem - Bal)	322
Mataranka (CGC)	..	Created from part of Unincorporated NT (Elsey - Bal)	215
Nauiyu Nambiyu (CGC)	..	Created from part of Unincorporated NT (Daly)	404
Numbulwar Numburindi (CGC)	..	Created from part of Unincorporated NT (East Arnhem - Bal)	792
Pine Creek (CGC)	..	Created from part of Unincorporated NT (Daly)	534
Tapatjatjaka (CGC)	..	Created from part of Unincorporated NT (Sandover - Bal)	235
Thamarrur (CGC)	..	Created from part of Unincorporated NT (Daly)	1 665
Timber Creek (CGC)	..	Created from part of Unincorporated NT (Victoria)	198
Walangeri Ngumpinku (CGC)	..	Created from part of Unincorporated NT (Victoria)	347
Wallace Rockhole (CGC)	..	Created from part of Unincorporated NT (Tanami)	151
Watiyawanu (CGC)	..	Created from part of Unincorporated NT (Tanami)	214

(a) For CGCs in the Northern Territory, approximate change in ERP are 30 June 2001 estimates.

APPENDIX 2 LGA CHANGES IN ASGC 2003 *continued*

	<i>Date of gazettal</i>	<i>Nature of changes involving population only</i>	<i>Approximate change in ERP at 30 Jun 2003(a)</i>
Northern Territory <i>cont.</i>			
Wugularr (CGC)	..	Created from part of Unincorporated NT (Elsey - Bal)	387
Yuendumu (CGC)	..	Created from part of Unincorporated NT (Tanami)	747
Yugul Mangi (CGC)	..	Created from part of Unincorporated NT (Gulf)	1 533

(a) For CGCs in the Northern Territory, approximate change in ERP are 30 June 2001 estimates.

APPENDIX 3 LGA CHANGES IN ASGC 2004

	<i>Date of gazettal</i>	<i>Nature of changes involving population only</i>	<i>Approximate change in ERP at 30 June 2004</i>
New South Wales			
Clarence Valley (A)	25 Feb 2004	Created from all of Grafton (C) and Maclean (A) and parts of Copmanhurst (A), Richmond Valley (A) and Pristine Waters (A)	49 422
Coffs Harbour (C)	25 Feb 2004	Gained from part of Pristine Waters (A)	1 424
Richmond Valley (A)	25 Feb 2004	Lost to Clarence Valley (A) and gained from part of Copmanhurst (A)	88
Copmanhurst (A)	25 Feb 2004	Abolished. Included in Clarence Valley (A) and Richmond Valley (A)	-4 667
Grafton (C)	25 Feb 2004	Abolished. Included in Clarence Valley (A)	-17 131
Maclean (A)	25 Feb 2004	Abolished. Included in Clarence Valley (A)	-17 874
Pristine Waters (A)	25 Feb 2004	Abolished. Included in Clarence Valley (A) and Coffs Harbour (C)	-11 262
Cooma-Monaro (A)	11 Feb 2004	Gained from part of Yarrawlumla (A)	314
Eastern Capital City Regional (A)	11 Feb 2004	Created from all of Tallaganda (A) and parts of Gunning (A), Mulwaree (A) and Yarrawlumla (A)	11 325
Greater Argyle (A)	11 Feb 2004	Created from all of Goulburn (C) and part of Mulwaree (A)	27 003
Greater Queanbeyan (C)	11 Feb 2004	Created from all of Queanbeyan (C) and part of Yarrawlumla (A)	36 331
Upper Lachlan (A)	11 Feb 2004	Created from all of Crookwell (A) and parts of Gunning (A), Mulwaree (A) and Yass (A)	7 621
Yass Valley (A)	11 Feb 2004	Created from parts of Gunning (A), Yarrawlumla (A) and Yass (A)	12 549
Crookwell (A)	11 Feb 2004	Abolished. Included in Upper Lachlan (A)	-4 374
Goulburn (C)	11 Feb 2004	Abolished. Included in Greater Argyle (A)	-21 278
Gunning (A)	11 Feb 2004	Abolished. Included in Eastern Capital City Regional (A), Upper Lachlan (A) and Yass Valley (A)	-2 356
Mulwaree (A)	11 Feb 2004	Abolished. Included in Eastern Capital City Regional (A), Greater Argyle (A) and Upper Lachlan (A)	-7 323
Queanbeyan (C)	11 Feb 2004	Abolished. Included in Greater Queanbeyan (C)	-34 804
Tallaganda (A)	11 Feb 2004	Abolished. Included in Eastern Capital City Regional (A)	-2 847
Yarrawlumla (A)	11 Feb 2004	Abolished. Included in Cooma-Monaro (A), Eastern Capital City Regional (A), Greater Queanbeyan (C) and Yass Valley (A)	-11 190
Yass (A)	11 Feb 2004	Abolished. Included in Upper Lachlan (A) and Yass Valley (A)	-10 971
Sydney (C)	6 Feb 2004	Gained from all of South Sydney (C)	64 024
South Sydney (C)	6 Feb 2004	Abolished. Included in Sydney (C)	-64 024
South Australia			
Kingston (DC)	14 August 2003	Renamed from Lacepede (DC)	—
Lacepede (DC)	14 August 2003	Renamed to Kingston (DC)	—
Western Australia			
Melville (C)	1 Jul 2003	Gained from part of Cockburn (C)	138
Cockburn (C)	1 Jul 2003	Lost to Melville (C)	-138
Port Hedland (T)	1 Jul 2004	Gained from part of East Pilbara (S)	200
East Pilbara (S)	1 Jul 2004	Lost to Port Hedland (T)	-200
Northern Territory			
Katherine (T)	14 Dec 2003	Gained from part of Unincorporated NT (Elsay - Bal) and lost to Nyirranggulong Mardruk Ngadberre (CGC)	5
Nyirranggulong Mardruk Ngadberre (CGC)	30 Jun 2003	Created from all of Barunga Manyallaluk (CGC) and Wugularr (CGC) and parts of Katherine (T) and Unincorporated NT (Elsay - Bal and West Arnhem)	1 321
Barunga Manyallaluk (CGC)	30 Jun 2003	Abolished. Included in Nyirranggulong Mardruk Ngadberre (CGC)	-460
Wugularr (CGC)	30 Jun 2003	Abolished. Included in Nyirranggulong Mardruk Ngadberre (CGC)	-387
Yugul Mangi (CGC)	13 Nov 2003	Gained from part of Unincorporated NT (Gulf)	10

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APPENDIX 4 SLA CHANGES IN ASGC 2002

	<i>Nature of changes involving population only</i>	<i>Approximate change in ERP at 30 Jun 2002</i>
New South Wales		
Canada Bay (A) - Concord	Created from Concord (A)	28 572
Canada Bay (A) - Drummoyne	Created from Drummoyne (A)	35 059
Concord (A)	Abolished. Included in Canada Bay (A) - Concord	-28 572
Drummoyne (A)	Abolished. Included in Canada Bay (A) - Drummoyne	-35 059
Conargo (A)	Gained from Windouran (A)	415
Windouran (A)	Abolished. Included in Conargo (A)	-415
Greater Lithgow (C)	Abolished. Included in Lithgow (C)	-20 381
Lithgow (C)	Created from Greater Lithgow (C)	20 381
Queensland		
Cambooya (S) - Pt B	Gained from Gatton (S)	7
Gatton (S)	Lost to Cambooya (S) - Pt B	-7
Burke (S)	Lost to Doomadgee (AC)	-1 235
Doomadgee (AC)	Created from part of Burke (S)	1 235
Cairns (C) - Pt B	Lost to Yarrabah (AC)	-2 320
Yarrabah (AC)	Created from part of Cairns (C) - Pt B	2 320
Carpentaria (S)	Lost to Kowanyama (AC) and Pomppuraaw (AC)	-1 683
Kowanyama (AC)	Created from part of Carpentaria (S)	1 053
Pomppuraaw (AC)	Created from part of Carpentaria (S)	630
Cook (S) - (excl. Weipa)	Lost to Hope Vale (AC), Lockhart River (AC), Mapoon (AC) and Napranum (AC)	-2 580
Hope Vale (AC)	Created from part of Cook (S) (excl. Weipa)	913
Lockhart River (AC)	Created from part of Cook (S) (excl. Weipa)	641
Mapoon (AC)	Created from part of Cook (S) (excl. Weipa)	214
Napranum (AC)	Created from part of Cook (S) (excl. Weipa)	812
Douglas (S)	Lost to Wujal Wujal (AC)	-379
Wujal Wujal (AC)	Created from part of Douglas (S)	379
Duaringa (S)	Lost to Woorabinda (AC)	-1 034
Woorabinda (AC)	Created from part of Duaringa (S)	1 034
Murgon (S)	Lost to Cherbourg (AC)	-1 249
Cherbourg (AC)	Created from part of Murgon (S)	1 249
Torres (S)	Lost to Badu (IC), Bamaga (IC), Boigu (IC), Dauan (IC), Erub (IC), Hammond (IC), lama (IC), Injinoo (AC), Kubin (IC), Mabuiag (IC), Mer (IC), New Mapoon (AC), Poruma (IC), Saibai (IC), Seisia (IC), St Pauls (IC), Ugar (IC), Umagico (AC), Warraber (IC) and Yorke (IC)	-6 607
Badu (IC)	Created from part of Torres (S)	785
Bamaga (IC)	Created from part of Torres (S)	936
Boigu (IC)	Created from part of Torres (S)	295
Dauan (IC)	Created from part of Torres (S)	120
Erub (IC)	Created from part of Torres (S)	320
Hammond (IC)	Created from part of Torres (S)	208
lama (IC)	Created from part of Torres (S)	363
Injinoo (AC)	Created from part of Torres (S)	446
Kubin (IC)	Created from part of Torres (S)	226
Mabuiag (IC)	Created from part of Torres (S)	240
Mer (IC)	Created from part of Torres (S)	462
New Mapoon (AC)	Created from part of Torres (S)	360
Poruma (IC)	Created from part of Torres (S)	175

APPENDIX 4 SLA CHANGES IN ASGC 2002 *continued*

	Nature of changes involving population only	Approximate change in ERP at 30 Jun 2002
Queensland <i>cont.</i>		
Saibai (IC)	Created from part of Torres (S)	368
Seisia (IC)	Created from part of Torres (S)	144
St Pauls (IC)	Created from part of Torres (S)	239
Ugar (IC)	Created from part of Torres (S)	57
Umagico (AC)	Created from part of Torres (S)	288
Warraber (IC)	Created from part of Torres (S)	239
Yorke (IC)	Created from part of Torres (S)	336
Hinchinbrook (S) excl. Palm I.	Abolished. Included in Hinchinbrook (S)	-12 326
Hinchinbrook (S)	Created from Hinchinbrook (S) excl. Palm I.	12 326
Hinchinbrook (S) - Palm Island	Abolished. Included in Palm Island (AC)	-2 376
Palm Island (AC)	Created from Hinchinbrook (S) - Palm Island	2 376
Northern Territory		
Bathurst-Melville	Abolished. Included in Tiwi Islands (CGC)	-2 453
Tiwi Islands (CGC)	Created from Bathurst-Melville	2 453

APPENDIX 5 SLA CHANGES IN ASGC 2003

		Approximate change in ERP at 30 Jun 2003(a)
<i>Nature of changes involving population only</i>		
New South Wales		
Leichhardt (A)	Lost to Sydney (C) - Remainder	-13 742
South Sydney (C)	Lost to Sydney (C) - Remainder	-33 243
Sydney (C) - Inner	Lost to Sydney (C) - Remainder	-700
Sydney (C) - Remainder	Gained from Leichhardt (A), South Sydney (C) and Sydney (C) - Inner	47 685
Waverley (A)	Gained from Woollahra (A)	696
Woollahra (A)	Lost to Waverley (A)	-696
Victoria		
Delatite (S) - South	Lost to Mount Buller Alpine Resort and Mount Stirling Alpine Resort	-198
Alpine (S) - East	Lost to Falls Creek Alpine Resort and Mount Hotham Alpine Resort	-163
Baw Baw (S) - Pt B East	Lost to Mount Baw Baw Alpine Resort	-5
Falls Creek Alpine Resort	Created from part of Alpine (S) - East	121
Mount Baw Baw Alpine Resort	Created from part of Baw Baw (S) - Pt B East	5
Mount Buller Alpine Resort	Created from part of Delatite (S) - South	198
Mount Hotham Alpine Resort	Created from part of Alpine (S) - East	42
Queensland		
Cook (S) - Weipa only	Abolished. Included in Weipa (T)	-1 901
Cook (S)	Created from part of Cook (S) (excl. Weipa)	3 892
Weipa (T)	Created from Cook (S) - Weipa only and part of Cook (S) (excl. Weipa)	2 171
Fitzroy (S) - Pt A	Gained from Fitzroy (S) - Pt B	285
Fitzroy (S) - Pt B	Lost to Fitzroy (S) - Pt A	-285
Livingstone (S)	Abolished. Split into Livingstone (S) - Pt A and Livingstone (S) - Pt B	-27 577
Livingstone (S) - Pt A	Created from part of Livingstone (S)	3 520
Livingstone (S) - Pt B	Created from part of Livingstone (S)	24 057
Western Australia		
Cambridge (T)	Gained from Stirling (C) - Central	103
Stirling (C) - Central	Lost to Cambridge (T)	-103
Northern Territory		
Belyuen (CGC)	Created from part of Cox-Finniss	221
Cox Peninsula (CGC)	Created from part of Cox-Finniss	238
Cox-Finniss	Lost to Belyuen (CGC), Cox Peninsula (CGC)	-459
Nauyiu Nambiyu (CGC)	Created from part of Daly	404
Pine Creek (CGC)	Created from part of Daly	534
Thamarrurr (CGC)	Created from part of Daly	1 665
Daly	Lost to Nauyiu Nambiyu (CGC), Pine Creek (CGC) and Thamarrurr (CGC)	-2 603
Marrngarr (CGC)	Created from part of East Arnhem - Bal	322
Numbulwar Numburindi (CGC)	Created from part of East Arnhem - Bal	792
East Arnhem - Bal	Lost to Marrngarr (CGC) and Numbulwar Numburindi (CGC)	-1 114
Barunga Manyallaluk (CGC)	Created from part of Elsey - Bal	460
Binjari (CGC)	Created from part of Elsey - Bal	195
Jilkminggan (CGC)	Created from part of Elsey - Bal	249
Mataranka (CGC)	Created from part of Elsey - Bal	215
Wugularr (CGC)	Created from part of Elsey - Bal	387
Elsey - Bal	Lost to Barunga Manyallaluk (CGC), Binjari (CGC), Jilkminggan (CGC), Mataranka (CGC) and Wugularr (CGC)	-1 506
Angurugu (CGC)	Created from part of Groote Eylandt	882
Groote Eylandt	Lost to Angurugu (CGC)	-882
Boroloola (CGC)	Created from part of Gulf	824

APPENDIX 5 SLA CHANGES IN ASGC 2003 *continued*

		Approximate change in ERP at 30 Jun 2003(a)
<i>Nature of changes involving population only</i>		
Northern Territory <i>cont.</i>		
Yugul Mangi (CGC)	Created from part of Gulf	1 533
Gulf	Lost to Borroloola (CGC) and Yugul Mangi (CGC)	-2 357
Anmatjere (CGC)	Created from parts of Sandover - Bal and Tanami	945
Aritaripilta (CGC)	Created from part of Sandover - Bal	270
Ltyentye Purte (CGC)	Created from part of Sandover - Bal	588
Tapatjatjaka (CGC)	Created from part of Sandover - Bal	235

APPENDIX 6 SLA CHANGES IN ASGC 2004

		Approximate change in ERP at 30 June 2004
<i>Nature of changes involving population only</i>		
New South Wales		
Clarence Valley (A) - Copmanhurst	Created from part of Copmanhurst (A)	4 443
Clarence Valley (A) - Grafton	Renamed from Grafton (C)	—
Clarence Valley (A) - Maclean	Created from all of Maclean (A) and part of Richmond Valley (A) Bal	18 010
Clarence Valley (A) - Nymboida	Renamed from Pristine Waters (A) - Nymboida	—
Clarence Valley (A) - Ulmarra	Created from part of Pristine Waters (A) - Ulmarra	5 377
Coffs Harbour (C) - Pt B	Gained from part of Pristine Waters (A) - Ulmarra	1 424
Richmond Valley (A) Bal	Lost to Clarence Valley (A) - Maclean and gained from part of Copmanhurst (A)	88
Copmanhurst (A)	Abolished. Included in Clarence Valley (A) - Copmanhurst and Richmond Valley (A) Bal	-4 667
Grafton (C)	Renamed to Clarence Valley (A) - Grafton	—
Maclean (A)	Abolished. Included in Clarence Valley (A) - Maclean	-17 874
Pristine Waters (A) - Nymboida	Renamed to Clarence Valley (A) - Nymboida	—
Pristine Waters (A) - Ulmarra	Abolished. Included in Clarence Valley (A) - Ulmarra and Coffs Harbour (C) - Pt B	-6 801
Cooma-Monaro (A) - Pt A	Created from part of Yarrowlumla (A) - Pt A	314
Cooma-Monaro (A) - Pt B	Renamed from Cooma-Monaro (A)	—
Eastern Capital City Regional (A) - Pt A	Created from part of Yarrowlumla (A) - Pt A	8 151
Eastern Capital City Regional (A) - Pt B	Created from all of Tallaganda (A) and parts of Gunning (A) and Mulwaree (A)	3 174
Greater Argyle (A) - Goulburn	Renamed from Goulburn (C)	—
Greater Argyle (A) Bal	Created from part of Mulwaree (A)	5 725
Greater Queanbeyan (C)	Created from all of Queanbeyan (C) and part of Yarrowlumla (A) - Pt A	36 331
Upper Lachlan (A)	Created from all of Crookwell (A) and parts of Gunning (A), Mulwaree (A) and Yass (A)	7 621
Yass Valley (A) - Pt A	Created from part of Yarrowlumla (A) - Pt A	924
Yass Valley (A) - Pt B	Created from all of Yarrowlumla (A) - Pt B and parts of Gunning (A) and Yass (A)	11 625
Cooma-Monaro (A)	Renamed to Cooma-Monaro (A) - Pt B	—
Crookwell (A)	Abolished. Included in Upper Lachlan (A)	-4 374
Goulburn (C)	Renamed to Greater Argyle (A) - Goulburn	—
Gunning (A)	Abolished. Included in Eastern Capital City Regional (A) - Pt B, Upper Lachlan (A) and Yass Valley (A) - Pt B	-2 356
Mulwaree (A)	Abolished. Included in Eastern Capital City Regional (A) - Pt B, Greater Argyle (A) Bal and Upper Lachlan (A)	-7 323
Queanbeyan (C)	Abolished. Included in Greater Queanbeyan (C)	-34 804
Tallaganda (A)	Abolished. Included in Eastern Capital City Regional (A) - Pt B	-2 847
Yarrowlumla (A) - Pt A	Abolished. Included in Cooma-Monaro (A) - Pt A, Eastern Capital City Regional (A) - Pt A, Greater Queanbeyan (C) and Yass Valley (A) - Pt A	-10 916
Yarrowlumla (A) - Pt B	Abolished. Included in Yass Valley (A) - Pt B	-274
Yass (A)	Abolished. Included in Upper Lachlan (A) and Yass Valley (A) - Pt B	-10 971
Sydney (C) - Central	Renamed from Sydney (C) - Remainder	—
Sydney (C) - South	Renamed from South Sydney (C)	—
South Sydney (C)	Renamed to Sydney (C) - South	—
Sydney (C) - Remainder	Renamed to Sydney (C) - Central	—
Victoria		
Baw Baw (S) - Pt A	Gained from part of Baw Baw (S) - Pt B East	18
Baw Baw (S) - Pt B East	Lost to Baw Baw (S) - Pt A	-18
Benalla (RC) - Benalla	Gained from part of Benalla (RC) Bal	368
Benalla (RC) Bal	Lost to Benalla (RC) - Benalla	-368
E. Gippsland (S) Bal	Gained from part of E. Gippsland (S) - Orbest	35
E. Gippsland (S) - Orbest	Lost to E. Gippsland (S) Bal	-35

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APPENDIX 6 SLA CHANGES IN ASGC 2004 *continued*

	<i>Nature of changes involving population only</i>	<i>Approximate change in ERP at 30 June 2004</i>
Queensland		
Brookfield (incl. Brisbane Forest Park)	Created from Brookfield (incl. Mt C'tha) and Upper Brookfield	4 412
Brookfield (incl. Mt C'tha)	Abolished. Included in Brookfield (incl. Brisbane Forest Park)	-3 805
Upper Brookfield	Abolished. Included in Brookfield (incl. Brisbane Forest Park)	-607
Chandler-Capalaba West	Created from Capalaba West and Chandler	1 469
Capalaba West	Abolished. Included in Chandler-Capalaba West	-367
Chandler	Abolished. Included in Chandler-Capalaba West	-1 102
Fortitude Valley	Created from Fortitude Valley - Inner and Fortitude Valley - Remainder	4 462
Fortitude Valley - Inner	Abolished. Included in Fortitude Valley	-1 258
Fortitude Valley - Remainder	Abolished. Included in Fortitude Valley	-3 204
Gumdale-Ransome	Created from Gumdale and Ransome	1 553
Gumdale	Abolished. Included in Gumdale-Ransome	-1 091
Ransome	Abolished. Included in Gumdale-Ransome	-462
Nudgee	Created from Nudgee and Nudgee Beach	2 397
Nudgee	Abolished. Included in Nudgee	-2 052
Nudgee Beach	Abolished. Included in Nudgee	-345
The Gap	Renamed from The Gap (incl. Enoggera Res.)	—
The Gap (incl. Enoggera Res.)	Renamed to The Gap	—
South Australia		
Kingston (DC)	Renamed from Lacepede (DC)	—
Lacepede (DC)	Renamed to Kingston (DC)	—
Western Australia		
Melville (C)	Gained from part of Cockburn (C)	138
Cockburn (C)	Lost to Melville (C)	-138
Port Hedland (T)	Gained from part of East Pilbara (S)	200
East Pilbara (S)	Lost to Port Hedland (T)	-200
Northern Territory		
Katherine (T)	Gained from part of Elsey - Bal and lost to Nyiranggulung Mardrulk Ngadberre (CGC)	5
Nyiranggulung Mardrulk Ngadberre (CGC)	Created from all of Barunga Manyallaluk (CGC) and Wugularr (CGC) and parts of Elsey - Bal, Katherine (T) and West Arnhem	1 321
Barunga Manyallaluk (CGC)	Abolished. Included in Nyiranggulung Mardrulk Ngadberre (CGC)	-460
Elsey - Bal	Lost to Katherine (T) and Nyiranggulung Mardrulk Ngadberre (CGC)	-203
West Arnhem	Lost to Nyiranggulung Mardrulk Ngadberre (CGC)	-276
Wugularr (CGC)	Abolished. Included in Nyiranggulung Mardrulk Ngadberre (CGC)	-387
Yugul Mangi (CGC)	Gained from part of Gulf	10
Gulf	Lost to Yugul Mangi (CGC)	-10

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