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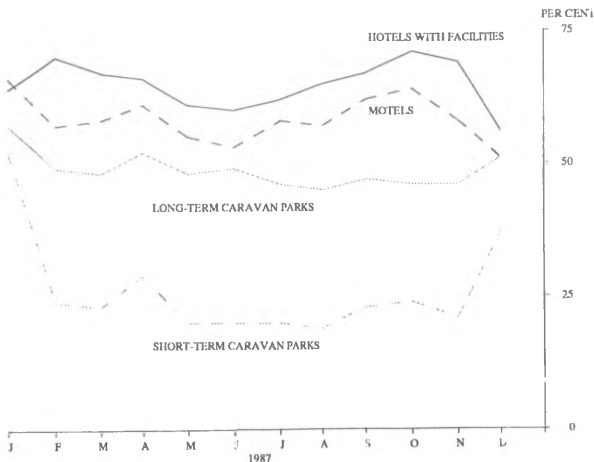
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MAIN FEATURES

1. In New South Wales the room occupancy rate for licensed hotels with facilities for the December quarter 1987 (65%) has not changed from the December quarter 1986 (65%).
2. The room occupancy rate in New South Wales for motels etc. with facilities in December quarter 1987 (58%) has not changed from the December quarter 1986 (58%).
3. The New South Wales site occupancy rate for long-term caravan parks for December quarter 1987 (48%) has decreased marginally from the December quarter 1986 (49%). The site occupancy rate for short-term caravan parks in December quarter 1987 (27%) increased slightly over the December quarter 1986 (26%). Refer to explanatory note 3(c).

OCCUPANCY RATES



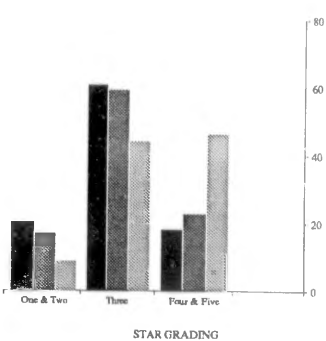
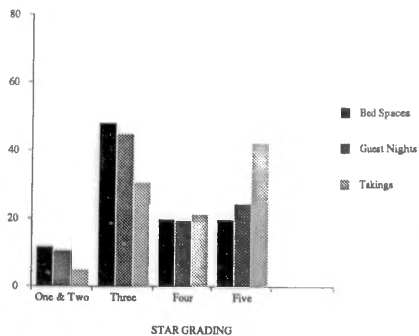
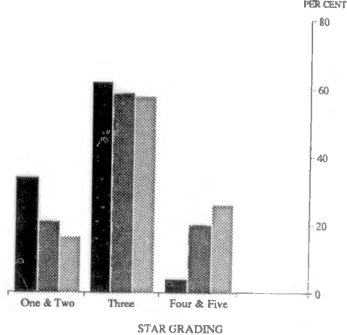
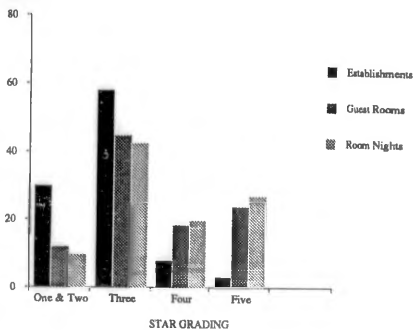
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BY STAR GRADING (a)

SYDNEY STATISTICAL DIVISION

NEW SOUTH WALES

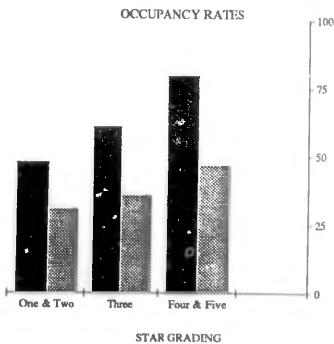
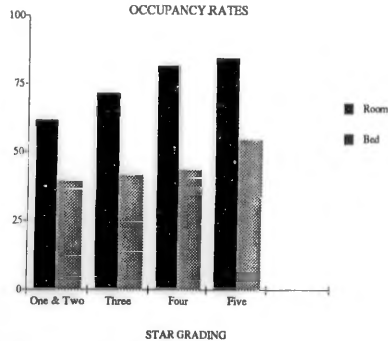
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(a) Refer to Explanatory Note 19. Excludes establishments not classified to any Star Grading.

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EXPLANATORY NOTES

Introduction

This publication contains results for New South Wales of the quarterly surveys of tourist accommodation establishments. The period covered by the latest survey is the three months ended December 1987.

Scope and coverage

2. Up to the June quarter 1986 survey, a tourist accommodation establishment was defined, for the purpose of the survey, as an establishment which predominantly provides short-term accommodation (ie. for periods of less than 2 months) available to the general public. Commencing with the September quarter 1986 survey, the definition was extended to include all caravan parks (whether predominantly providing short-term or long-term accommodation). This change was made because predominantly long-term caravan parks also provide a significant number of sites for short-term accommodation.

3. Tourist accommodation establishments currently included in the survey are:

(a) *Licensed hotel with facilities.* An accommodation establishment which is licensed to operate a public bar, provides a bath or shower and toilet in most guest rooms, and has breakfast available for guests.

(b) *Motel, private hotel or guest house with facilities.* An accommodation establishment which provides a bath or shower and toilet in most guest rooms and has breakfast available for guests but is not licensed to operate a public bar. This category includes motels that are licensed to serve liquor with meals.

(c) *Caravan park.* An accommodation establishment which provides powered sites for caravans and toilet, shower and laundry facilities for guests. A *short-term caravan park* is one which is predominantly occupied by short-term guests (ie. guests staying for less than 2 months). A *long-term caravan park* is one predominantly occupied by long-term guests (ie. guests staying for 2 months or more).

The classification of caravan parks as either *short-term* or *long-term* has been reviewed on the basis of the information available for all caravan parks for 1986-87. As a result, there has been a change in classification for some parks for September quarter 1987. Significant changes in the number of each type of caravan park between June quarter and September quarter 1987 are attributable to these classification changes.

Note that data collected and published for each type of establishment include both long-term and short-term guests at these establishments.

4. *Number of establishments* refers to the number of accommodation establishments within the scope of the survey which operated during the survey period. Included are those establishments which operated for any part of the quarter or which closed temporarily for the quarter for seasonal reasons. An establishment comprising more than one type of accommodation activity referred to in paragraph 3 above (e.g. a motel with attached caravan park) is treated as more than one separate establishment.

5. *Guest rooms* refers to the maximum number of rooms, units, suites, etc. available for accommodating paying guests at hotels and motels with facilities during the survey period.

6. *Bed spaces* refers to the maximum number of bed spaces (excluding cots) available to accommodate paying guests at hotels and motels with facilities during the survey period. Three-quarter beds are classified as single beds; double beds are counted as two bed spaces.

7. *Guest arrivals* refers to the total number of paying guests counted on the first night they stayed at the accommodation establishment.

8. *Guest nights* refers to the total number of nights each paying guest stayed during the survey period.

9. *Room occupancy rate* refers to the proportion of guest rooms occupied to the number of guest rooms available during the survey period expressed as a percentage.

10. *Bed occupancy rate* refers to the proportion of bed spaces occupied to the number of bed spaces available during the survey period expressed as a percentage.

11. *Average length of stay* refers to the proportion of guest nights to guest arrivals. This gives only an approximation of the actual average length of stay because some of the guest nights counted in a particular month or quarter may relate to guest arrivals in previous months or quarters.

12. *Powered sites* refers to the maximum number of sites, with provision for connection to electric power supply, which are available at caravan parks for accommodating paying guests during the survey period. Included are powered sites occupied by on-site vans.

13. *Unpowered sites* refers to the maximum number of sites, with no provision for connection to electric power supply, which are available at caravan parks for accommodating paying guests during the survey period.

14. *Cabins, flats, etc.* refers to the maximum number of cabins, flats, units and villas available at caravan parks for accommodating paying guests during the survey period.

15. *Site nights* refers to the total number of nights each powered or unpowered site, cabin, flat etc. is occupied during the survey period.

16. *Sites occupied by long-term guests* refers to the total number of sites occupied by long-term guests (i.e. guests who have stayed continuously for 2 months or more) at the end of the survey period.

17. *Site occupancy rate* refers to the proportion of site nights to the total caravan park capacity available during the survey period expressed as a percentage. Unoccupied vans are treated as vacant sites.

18. *Takings from accommodation* refers to revenue received from the provision of short-term and long-term accommodation at the accommodation establishment. Takings from meals are excluded. Takings from accommodation for each month represent the takings received during that month. In the case of some establishments where payments are received in advance of, or after, the provision of accommodation to guests, the monthly figure for takings from accommodation may not

necessarily bear a direct relationship to the number of guests accommodated during the month. Rental and storage fees paid to caravan parks for the keeping of private vans in parks are included in the takings of the month they are received.

19. *Star grading* refers to the grading of hotels and motels by the National Roads and Motorists Association (NRMA). The gradings are intended to indicate in a general sense the type of accommodation offered, taking into account the amenities and facilities provided. Details of the grading scheme are contained in the NRMA Accommodation Guide. For the purpose of classification establishments to a star grading in this publication, 'half' gradings are ignored (e.g. a two and a half star grading has been shown as two).

20. *Employment.* Details of the numbers of persons working at accommodation establishments (including those working on other than accommodation activities) have not been included in this publication. However, data are available upon request from the ABS.

School vacations

21. The occupancy of accommodation establishments is affected by school vacations. Public school vacations in New South Wales for the quarterly and monthly periods covered in this publication are:

25 September 1987 to 12 October 1987
18 December 1987 to 2 February 1988

Statistical Areas of New South Wales

22. This bulletin contains data presented according to the Australian Standard Geographical Classification (ASGC), Edition 4. Under this classification, statistical areas are defined as follows:

STATISTICAL LOCAL AREAS (SLA's). These geographic areas are in most cases either identical with, or have been aggregated to, the previously published whole or part legal Local Government Areas (LGA's) as defined under the (State) Local Government Act 1919 and comprising cities (C), municipalities (M) and shires (S). In other cases, they are identical to each previously published unincorporated area. In aggregate, SLA's cover the whole of the State without gaps or overlaps. In some cases legal LGA's overlap Statistical Subdivision boundaries and therefore comprise 2 SLA's (Part A and Part B) or 3 SLA's in the case of Cabonne (S) (Part A, Part B and Part C).

STATISTICAL SUBDIVISIONS (SSD's). These consist of one or more SLA's and form the intermediate size spatial unit for the presentation of regional data.

STATISTICAL DIVISIONS (SD's). These consist of one or more Statistical Subdivisions (SSD's). Where SSD's are not shown for statistical purposes, statistical local areas are shown ordered alphabetically within statistical divisions. 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. To provide comparable statistics over a period of time, statistical districts have been

defined around selected urban centres, with a population of 25,000 or more, experiencing urban growth beyond the legal local government area boundaries. Those districts are intended to contain the anticipated urban spread over the next 20 years.

Further information concerning statistical areas is contained in the publication *Regional Statistics, New South Wales, 1987 issue* (1304.1) and in the publication *Australian Standard Geographical Classification* (1216.0).

Related publications

23. Detailed statistics for hotels and accommodation establishments are contained in:

Census of Retail Establishments and Selected Service Establishments, Hotels and Accommodation Establishments, New South Wales, 1979-80 (8624.1)

Selected Accommodation Establishments, Australia 1984-85 (8636.0)

24. A list of the complete range of publications available from the ABS can be obtained from any ABS Office. Access to a wide range of ABS statistics is also available through the VIATEL videotex system and on AUSSTATS, ABS' on-line service through CSIRONET. Further information about these services can be obtained from the Sydney ABS Information Service on (02) 268 4611, or from any ABS Office.

Symbols and other usages

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Where figures have been rounded, discrepancies may occur between the sums of the component items and the totals shown.

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TABLE 1. HOTELS AND MOTELS, ETC WITH FACILITIES: STATISTICAL DIVISIONS AND SELECTED STATISTICAL DISTRICTS, N.S.W.

	Sydney Statistical Division			Hunter Statistical Division			Illawarra Statistical Division			Richmond Tweed Statistical Division			Mid-North Coast Statistical Division		
	Licensed hotels	Motels etc.	Total	Licensed hotels	Motels etc.	Total	Licensed hotels	Motels etc.	Total	Licensed hotels	Motels etc.	Total	Licensed hotels	Motels etc.	Total
	ESTABLISHMENTS AND CAPACITY (number)														
December quarter 1987 -															
Establishments	77	201	278	29	115	144	16	91	107	10	93	103	15	182	197
Guest rooms	6,784	8,732	15,516	570	2,781	3,351	304	1,774	2,078	155	1,585	1,740	254	3,561	3,815
Bed spaces	16,591	25,776	42,367	1,598	8,566	10,164	800	5,338	6,138	390	5,028	5,418	603	11,250	11,853
GUEST ARRIVALS (number)															
1987 - October	99,219	156,207	255,426	7,545	60,715	68,260	4,867	34,902	39,769	1,505	36,879	38,384	2,952	91,718	94,670
November	96,379	145,634	242,013	6,180	53,578	59,758	4,062	27,640	31,702	1,188	30,109	31,297	2,167	66,469	68,636
December	87,163	133,690	220,853	5,892	48,753	54,645	3,801	28,386	32,187	762	29,280	30,042	2,111	75,017	77,128
December quarter 1987	282,761	435,531	718,292	19,617	163,046	182,663	12,730	90,928	103,658	3,465	96,268	99,723	7,230	233,204	240,434
ROOM OCCUPANCY RATES (per cent)															
1986 - October	81	72	76	51	61	60	58	57	57	36	65	63	41	63	61
November	85	72	78	55	58	58	49	51	51	31	56	54	33	54	53
December	71	63	66	47	50	49	43	48	48	27	51	49	31	51	49
December quarter 1986	79	69	73	51	57	56	50	52	52	31	57	55	35	56	54
1987 - October	83	76	79	49	63	61	63	56	57	44	63	61	43	67	65
November	84	77	80	48	62	60	51	48	49	37	54	52	39	56	55
December	67	63	65	42	53	51	44	46	46	23	50	48	34	54	52
December quarter 1987	78	72	75	46	59	57	53	50	51	34	56	54	39	59	58
BED OCCUPANCY RATES (per cent)															
1987 - October	50	44	47	31	38	36	42	36	36	29	39	38	32	45	44
November	51	43	46	29	34	33	30	28	28	23	32	32	28	34	34
December	42	39	40	27	32	31	29	30	30	14	33	31	26	37	37
December quarter 1987	48	42	44	29	35	34	34	31	32	22	35	34	29	39	38
TAKINGS FROM ACCOMMODATION (\$'000)															
1987 - October	21,855	15,006	36,861	336	2,627	2,964	205	1,648	1,854	468	1,119	1,587	84	3,127	3,211
November	21,469	15,139	36,608	338	2,503	2,842	172	1,364	1,535	56	904	960	69	2,294	2,362
December	17,317	13,058	30,375	300	2,247	2,546	157	1,318	1,475	42	977	1,018	76	3,554	3,630
December quarter 1987	60,641	43,204	103,844	974	7,377	8,351	534	4,330	4,864	566	3,000	3,566	229	8,975	9,204

TABLE 1. HOTELS AND MOTELS, ETC WITH FACILITIES: STATISTICAL DIVISIONS AND SELECTED STATISTICAL DISTRICTS, N.S.W. (continued)

	Northern Statistical Division			North Western and Far West Statistical Divisions			Central West Statistical Division			South Eastern Statistical Division			Murrumbidgee Statistical Division		
	Licensed hotels	Motels etc.	Total	Licensed hotels	Motels etc.	Total	Licensed hotels	Motels etc.	Total	Licensed hotels	Motels etc.	Total	Licensed hotels	Motels etc.	Total
ESTABLISHMENTS AND CAPACITY (number)															
December quarter 1987 -															
Establishments	12	102	114	16	90	106	12	67	79	22	170	192	13	66	79
Guest rooms	194	2,260	2,454	220	2,006	2,226	306	1,517	1,823	639	3,951	4,590	186	1,619	1,805
Bed spaces	457	7,012	7,469	570	6,165	6,735	728	4,717	5,445	2,088	13,421	15,509	433	4,873	5,306
GUEST ARRIVALS (number)															
1987 - October	1,924	58,333	60,257	3,942	61,309	65,251	4,847	40,191	45,038	3,535	63,807	67,342	2,818	37,367	40,185
November	1,883	41,365	43,248	2,503	36,976	39,479	3,684	29,642	33,326	2,682	53,502	56,184	2,430	28,547	30,977
December	1,742	48,323	50,065	2,553	43,793	46,346	2,720	28,048	30,768	3,679	49,921	53,600	2,007	26,952	28,959
December quarter 1987	5,549	148,021	153,570	8,998	142,078	151,076	11,251	97,881	109,132	9,896	167,230	177,126	7,255	92,866	100,121
ROOM OCCUPANCY RATES (per cent)															
1986 - October	32	65	62	50	63	62	62	66	65	21	44	40	48	58	57
November	28	50	48	41	51	50	50	56	55	18	41	37	40	51	50
December	30	48	46	32	49	47	32	45	43	20	37	35	37	46	45
December quarter 1986	30	54	52	41	54	53	48	56	54	20	41	37	41	52	51
1987 - October	35	60	58	51	66	65	57	64	62	21	44	41	43	57	56
November	34	49	48	42	47	47	49	54	53	17	40	37	39	48	47
December	30	46	45	35	44	43	29	42	40	21	35	33	30	42	41
December quarter 1987	33	52	50	43	52	51	45	53	52	19	40	37	37	49	48
BED OCCUPANCY RATES (per cent)															
1987 - October	21	36	35	33	44	43	40	38	39	13	25	24	31	35	34
November	20	26	26	24	28	28	31	29	29	8	21	20	26	27	27
December	19	29	28	22	30	29	20	26	25	13	21	20	20	26	25
December quarter 1987	20	31	30	26	34	33	31	31	31	11	22	21	26	29	29
TAKINGS FROM ACCOMMODATION (\$'000)															
1987 - October	57	1,643	1,700	137	1,816	1,953	185	1,354	1,539	180	2,232	2,412	89	1,265	1,354
November	51	1,257	1,307	100	1,204	1,304	145	1,081	1,226	128	1,946	2,074	76	1,025	1,101
December	52	1,337	1,389	91	1,200	1,291	92	891	984	184	1,897	2,081	61	947	1,008
December quarter 1987	160	4,237	4,397	328	4,220	4,548	423	3,326	3,748	493	6,075	6,567	226	3,237	3,464

TABLE 1. HOTELS AND MOTELS, ETC WITH FACILITIES : STATISTICAL DIVISIONS AND SELECTED STATISTICAL DISTRICTS, N.S.W. (continued)

	Murray Statistical Division			Newcastle Statistical District			Wollongong Statistical District			Albury-Wodonga Statistical District			New South Wales		
	Licensed hotels	Motels etc.	Total	Licensed hotels	Motels etc.	Total	Licensed hotels	Motels etc.	Total	Licensed hotels	Motels etc.	Total	Licensed hotels	Motels etc.	Total
	ESTABLISHMENTS AND CAPACITY (number)														
December quarter 1987 -															
Establishments	22	105	127	20	68	88	9	21	30	n.p.	n.p.	53	244	1,282	1,526
Guest rooms	511	2,363	2,874	386	1,789	2,175	115	604	719	n.p.	n.p.	1,520	10,123	32,149	42,272
Bed spaces	1,341	7,732	9,073	1,036	5,440	6,476	300	1,859	2,159	n.p.	n.p.	4,643	25,599	99,878	125,477
GUEST ARRIVALS (number)															
1987 - October	11,421	56,794	68,215	5,024	38,674	43,698	1,601	11,674	13,275	n.p.	n.p.	39,588	144,575	698,222	842,797
November	9,588	47,373	56,961	4,156	35,933	40,089	1,569	9,418	10,987	n.p.	n.p.	33,590	132,746	560,835	693,581
December	8,264	42,581	50,845	3,878	31,755	35,633	1,477	9,531	11,008	n.p.	n.p.	30,532	120,694	554,744	675,438
December quarter 1987	29,273	146,748	176,021	13,058	106,362	119,420	4,647	30,623	35,270	n.p.	n.p.	103,710	398,015	1,813,801	2,211,816
ROOM OCCUPANCY RATES (per cent)															
1986 - October	52	68	64	50	62	60	57	65	63	61	76	72	68	63	65
November	52	63	60	52	61	59	56	64	63	53	69	64	69	58	61
December	40	51	48	48	49	49	48	58	56	43	58	55	58	52	53
December quarter 1986	48	60	58	50	57	56	54	62	61	52	68	64	65	58	60
1987 - October	57	65	63	49	66	63	58	58	58	n.p.	n.p.	68	71	64	66
November	52	58	57	50	67	64	58	58	58	n.p.	n.p.	62	69	58	61
December	43	48	47	43	54	52	53	51	51	n.p.	n.p.	53	56	51	52
December quarter 1987	51	57	56	47	62	60	57	56	56	n.p.	n.p.	61	65	58	59
BED OCCUPANCY RATES (per cent)															
1987 - October	37	39	38	33	37	37	30	34	33	n.p.	n.p.	40	43	39	40
November	32	34	34	32	35	35	30	30	30	n.p.	n.p.	36	41	33	34
December	27	29	29	30	32	32	28	30	30	n.p.	n.p.	32	32	35	32
December quarter 1987	32	34	34	32	35	34	30	31	31	n.p.	n.p.	36	40	34	35
TAKINGS FROM ACCOMMODATION (\$'000)															
1987 - October	337	2,127	2,464	229	1,895	2,123	43	632	675	n.p.	n.p.	1,456	23,933	33,966	57,899
November	284	1,888	2,172	245	1,892	2,137	42	592	634	n.p.	n.p.	1,267	22,888	30,604	53,492
December	249	1,606	1,855	218	1,598	1,816	40	566	607	n.p.	n.p.	1,134	18,622	29,031	47,653
December quarter 1987	870	5,621	6,491	692	5,384	6,076	125	1,790	1,916	n.p.	n.p.	3,857	65,443	93,601	159,044

TABLE 2. HOTELS AND MOTELS ETC WITH FACILITIES, BY STAR GRADING (a) :
 SYDNEY CITY (b), SYDNEY STATISTICAL DIVISION, AND N.S.W.

	Sydney City (b)				Sydney Statistical Division				New South Wales			
	One & two	Three	Four	Five	One & two	Three	Four	Five	One	Two	Three	Four & Five
ESTABLISHMENTS AND CAPACITY (number)												
December quarter 1987 -												
Establishments	7	24	9	8	71	137	19	8	16	413	782	54
Guest rooms	518	2,133	1,645	3,454	1,750	6,432	2,662	3,454	242	7,578	21,623	7,466
Bed spaces	1,299	6,111	4,631	7,833	4,671	18,836	7,824	7,833	797	21,636	66,358	20,049
ROOM OCCUPANCY RATES (per cent)												
1987 - October	76	80	90	92	64	76	84	92	44	54	68	85
November	79	84	91	93	64	76	87	93	37	48	62	85
December	67	67	82	71	57	63	74	71	34	43	53	69
December quarter 1987	74	77	88	85	62	72	82	85	38	49	61	80
BED OCCUPANCY RATES (per cent)												
1987 - October	51	48	52	58	42	44	45	58	25	36	41	49
November	52	50	53	60	41	42	46	60	18	30	35	48
December	47	41	48	47	38	39	41	47	19	29	33	42
December quarter 1987	50	46	51	55	40	42	44	55	21	32	36	47
GUEST ARRIVALS (number)												
1987 - October	7,653	35,311	25,456	47,840	29,498	118,650	39,887	47,840	3,246	144,922	506,180	120,501
November	7,339	35,853	24,639	47,904	28,026	109,664	38,816	47,904	2,551	115,708	405,971	111,307
December	7,807	28,828	24,405	40,722	26,389	99,175	37,514	40,722	2,351	113,557	401,406	102,258
December quarter 1987	22,799	99,992	74,500	136,466	83,913	327,489	116,217	136,466	8,148	374,187	1,313,557	334,066
AVERAGE LENGTH OF STAY (nights)												
1987 - October	2.7	2.6	2.9	2.9	2.0	2.2	2.7	2.9	1.9	1.7	1.7	2.5
November	2.8	2.5	3.0	2.9	2.1	2.2	2.8	2.9	1.7	1.7	1.7	2.6
December	2.4	2.7	2.8	2.8	2.1	2.3	2.7	2.8	2.0	1.7	1.7	2.6
December quarter 1987	2.6	2.6	2.9	2.9	2.1	2.2	2.7	2.9	1.9	1.7	1.7	2.6
TAKINGS FROM ACCOMMODATION (\$'000)												
1987 - October	741	3,795	4,825	15,776	1,752	10,571	7,351	15,776	85	4,910	23,888	25,123
November	741	4,341	4,823	15,148	1,706	10,825	7,500	15,148	64	4,226	21,707	24,237
December	674	3,663	4,409	11,573	1,609	9,321	6,638	11,573	68	4,058	20,639	19,907
December quarter 1987	2,156	11,798	14,057	42,497	5,067	30,717	21,489	42,497	216	13,195	66,233	69,267

(a) Refer to Explanatory Note 19. Excludes establishments not classified to any Star Grading. (b) Legal Local Government Area which comprises two Statistical Local Areas, Sydney (C) Inner and Sydney (C) Remainder.

TABLE 3. HOTELS AND MOTELS ETC. WITH FACILITIES:

	Establishments and capacity			Guest arrivals (number)				Average length of stay (nights)			
	Number	Guest rooms	Bed spaces	Guest arrivals (number)			Average length of stay (nights)				
				Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Dec. qr	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Dec. qr
SYDNEY STATISTICAL DIVISION											
Ashfield (M)	6	247	711	5,764	5,232	5,484	16,480	1.6	1.7	1.7	1.6
Auburn (M)	3	172	495	2,552	2,259	1,618	6,429	2.3	2.3	2.2	2.3
Bankstown (C)	7	124	397	2,409	2,174	2,086	6,669	1.7	1.6	1.6	1.7
Blacktown (C)	5	73	204	1,881	1,781	1,523	5,185	1.4	1.5	1.6	1.5
Blue Mountains (C)	21	704	2,040	15,797	11,172	10,865	37,834	1.7	1.8	1.7	1.8
Camden (M)	3	80	260	1,491	1,254	1,071	3,816	1.7	1.4	1.3	1.5
Gosford (C)	24	577	1,745	10,142	9,144	9,641	28,927	2.1	1.8	2.0	2.0
Hawkesbury (S)	8	135	404	3,509	2,852	2,786	9,147	1.5	1.6	1.7	1.6
Hornsby (S)	6	117	338	3,213	3,065	3,092	9,370	1.6	1.6	1.5	1.6
Lane Cove (M)	7	436	1,083	8,144	9,599	7,241	24,984	1.8	1.7	1.8	1.8
Liverpool (C)	6	200	560	5,207	4,039	4,544	13,790	1.8	1.7	1.9	1.8
Manly (M)	6	279	926	3,544	3,694	3,313	10,551	3.1	3.1	3.4	3.2
North Sydney (M)	6	614	1,758	5,895	5,881	5,940	17,716	3.8	3.8	3.6	3.7
Penrith (C)	9	197	657	5,100	4,174	4,591	13,865	1.5	1.6	1.6	1.6
Randwick (M)	13	600	1,699	11,991	10,667	9,964	32,622	1.7	1.8	1.7	1.7
Ryde (M)	3	94	284	1,302	1,305	987	3,594	3.0	2.7	3.2	2.9
Strathfield (M)	4	127	399	1,932	1,645	1,385	4,962	3.0	2.8	3.3	3.0
Sutherland (S)	9	209	672	3,656	3,577	3,457	10,690	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0
Sydney (C) - Inner	12	3,311	7,830	46,126	45,707	39,503	131,336	3.0	3.1	2.9	3.0
Sydney (C) - Remainder	41	4,723	12,747	77,290	76,323	68,470	222,083	2.5	2.6	2.5	2.5
Warringah (S)	14	246	710	3,002	3,133	3,114	9,249	2.3	2.2	2.2	2.2
Waverley (M)	8	344	971	3,465	3,425	2,257	9,147	3.3	3.3	4.6	3.6
Woollahra (M)	4	263	702	2,330	2,483	2,127	6,940	3.0	3.2	3.5	3.2
Wyong (S)	28	488	1,544	9,040	8,004	8,571	25,615	2.1	1.9	2.2	2.1
Balance of Sydney (SD)	25	1,156	3,231	20,644	19,424	17,223	57,291	1.9	1.9	2.0	1.9
SYDNEY (SD)	278	15,516	42,367	255,426	242,013	220,853	718,292	2.4	2.4	2.4	2.4
HUNTER STATISTICAL DIVISION											
Cessnock, (C)	12	251	745	5,329	4,386	4,122	13,837	1.6	1.7	1.6	1.6
Gloucester (S)	3	53	155	1,049	934	778	2,761	1.6	1.7	1.7	1.6
Great Lakes (S)	26	484	1,608	12,283	9,822	9,452	31,557	1.7	1.7	2.0	1.8
Lake Macquarie (C)	21	388	1,173	8,708	7,446	7,551	23,705	1.5	1.4	1.5	1.5
Maitland (C)	7	186	490	3,999	3,712	2,760	10,471	1.3	1.2	1.4	1.3
Muswellbrook (S)	10	241	745	4,157	3,259	3,331	10,747	1.7	1.7	1.7	1.7
Newcastle (C) - Inner & Remainder	20	722	2,093	11,528	12,517	8,897	32,942	1.7	1.7	1.7	1.7
Port Stephens (S)	28	628	1,975	14,134	12,028	12,303	38,465	1.9	2.0	2.1	2.0
Scone (S)	4	83	240	2,084	1,756	1,769	5,609	1.3	1.4	1.3	1.3
Singleton (S)	8	253	772	4,046	3,205	3,028	10,279	1.8	1.9	2.0	1.9
Balance of Hunter (SD)	5	62	168	943	693	654	2,290	1.9	1.7	1.8	1.8
HUNTER (SD)	144	3,351	10,164	68,260	59,758	54,645	182,663	1.7	1.7	1.8	1.7
ILLAWARRA STATISTICAL DIVISION											
Kiama (M)	7	145	496	2,794	2,331	2,565	7,690	1.7	1.7	1.9	1.8
Shellharbour (M)	4	67	177	505	499	558	1,562	2.0	2.0	2.1	2.0
Shoalhaven (C)	51	832	2,659	15,900	12,619	15,011	43,530	1.6	1.5	1.7	1.6
Wingecarbee (S)	26	527	1,320	10,594	8,096	6,168	24,858	2.1	1.8	1.8	1.9
Wollongong (C)	19	507	1,486	9,976	8,157	7,885	26,018	1.6	1.8	1.7	1.7
ILLAWARRA (SD)	107	2,078	6,138	39,769	31,702	32,187	103,658	1.7	1.7	1.8	1.7

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STATISTICAL DIVISIONS AND SELECTED STATISTICAL LOCAL AREAS (a), N.S.W.

Room occupancy rate (per cent)				Guest nights (number)				Takings from accommodation (\$'000)			
Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Dec. qr	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Dec. qr	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Dec. qr
SYDNEY STATISTICAL DIVISION											
72	76	70	73	9,002	8,635	9,133	26,770	772	273	263	808
79	76	46	67	5,850	5,230	3,608	14,688	31A	285	181	784
66	58	53	59	4,209	3,383	3,427	11,019	152	124	120	395
64	64	53	60	2,714	2,590	2,386	7,690	64	60	49	173
66	53	42	54	27,458	20,659	18,504	66,621	760	549	487	1,796
52	39	34	42	2,561	1,745	1,430	5,736	59	47	39	145
65	58	50	58	21,074	16,854	19,361	57,289	551	501	526	1,578
65	58	53	59	5,189	4,457	4,637	14,283	129	109	115	354
77	78	67	74	5,277	5,048	4,635	14,960	168	163	147	478
81	94	66	80	14,872	16,749	13,357	44,978	920	1,065	726	2,711
78	64	69	71	9,595	6,903	8,610	25,108	286	221	247	754
80	88	77	82	11,011	11,362	11,302	33,675	728	758	815	2,302
85	89	71	82	22,505	22,442	21,373	66,320	1,604	1,611	1,242	4,457
67	63	64	65	7,589	6,489	7,423	21,501	227	211	243	682
73	74	61	69	20,386	19,231	17,233	56,850	819	815	718	2,352
85	89	66	80	3,888	3,566	3,143	10,597	172	173	136	480
85	80	67	77	5,703	4,675	4,551	14,929	227	205	181	612
62	64	36	61	7,416	7,246	7,002	21,664	252	252	232	736
84	86	71	80	140,323	139,671	116,234	396,228	14,468	14,443	11,007	39,919
60	66	50	58	195,744	195,141	174,340	565,225	10,982	10,963	9,633	31,579
58	60	57	59	6,830	6,744	6,900	20,474	270	283	262	816
56	65	51	57	7,058	7,935	10,300	33,159	351	378	368	1,097
62	55	55	57	18,998	15,475	18,514	52,387	455	384	436	1,275
73	75	60	69	38,845	36,980	35,009	110,834	2,281	2,305	1,867	6,454
79	80	65	75	605,613	580,553	529,775	1,715,941	36,861	36,608	30,375	103,844
HUNTER STATISTICAL DIVISION											
61	56	44	54	8,650	7,484	6,617	22,751	323	288	246	857
62	57	46	55	1,673	1,545	1,304	4,522	36	31	26	94
61	55	54	56	20,841	16,473	18,825	56,139	354	293	351	997
63	58	53	58	13,024	10,754	11,333	35,111	374	344	319	1,037
59	60	48	56	5,249	4,610	3,749	13,608	145	143	104	392
55	52	49	52	7,037	5,524	5,775	18,336	167	140	145	452
59	69	48	59	19,620	20,749	15,290	55,659	682	813	563	2,058
68	65	61	65	27,242	23,929	26,371	77,542	599	549	584	1,732
55	60	44	53	2,726	2,413	2,246	7,385	56	53	46	155
53	47	43	48	7,163	6,166	6,011	19,340	195	164	141	500
47	37	31	38	1,773	1,188	1,168	4,129	33	24	21	78
61	60	51	57	114,998	100,835	98,689	314,522	2,964	2,842	2,546	8,351
ILLAWARRA STATISTICAL DIVISION											
51	45	51	49	4,807	3,850	4,895	13,552	111	91	115	317
28	31	31	30	998	987	1,145	3,130	21	21	23	65
48	39	47	45	25,248	18,948	25,540	69,736	513	385	512	1,410
71	50	37	53	21,736	14,245	11,092	47,073	666	517	356	1,536
64	66	54	61	16,408	14,446	13,759	44,613	543	522	469	1,534
57	49	46	51	69,197	52,476	56,431	178,104	1,854	1,535	1,475	4,864

TABLE 3. HOTELS AND MOTELS ETC. WITH FACILITIES :

	Establishments and capacity			Guest arrivals (number)			Average length of stay (nights)				
	Number	Guest rooms	Bed spaces	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Dec. qr	Average length of stay (nights)			
								Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Dec. qr
RICHMOND-TWEED STATISTICAL DIVISION											
Balina (S)	20	342	1,051	10,275	8,066	8,303	26,644	1.5	1.4	1.5	1.5
Byron (S)	19	267	946	5,654	5,169	5,261	16,084	2.0	2.0	2.1	2.0
Casino (M)	5	102	308	2,335	1,709	1,482	5,526	1.3	1.3	1.3	1.3
Lismore (C)	12	278	824	4,841	4,183	3,006	12,030	1.7	1.5	1.4	1.6
Tweed (S) Parts A & B	43	708	2,162	14,304	11,497	11,282	37,083	1.8	1.8	1.8	1.8
Balance of Richmond-Tweed (SD)	4	43	127	975	673	708	2,356	1.4	1.4	1.4	1.4
RICHMOND-TWEED (SD)	103	1,740	5,418	38,384	31,297	30,042	99,723	1.7	1.6	1.7	1.7
MID-NORTH COAST STATISTICAL DIVISION											
Coffs Harbour (S)	49	1,158	3,616	28,301	21,145	24,750	74,196	1.9	1.8	1.9	1.9
Grafton (C)	15	316	828	8,504	6,562	5,563	20,629	1.4	1.6	1.3	1.4
Hastings (M)	51	1,055	3,482	24,977	17,928	18,663	61,568	1.9	1.9	2.0	2.0
Kempsey (S)	15	314	925	8,290	5,659	7,845	21,794	1.3	1.3	1.2	1.3
Maclean (S)	13	157	498	2,982	2,555	2,397	7,934	1.9	2.0	2.0	1.9
Nambucca (S)	14	205	620	4,481	3,006	3,674	11,161	1.8	1.8	1.9	1.8
Taree, Greater (C)	31	495	1,547	14,918	10,255	12,706	37,879	1.3	1.3	1.3	1.3
Balance of Mid-North Coast (SD)	9	115	337	2,217	1,526	1,530	5,273	1.5	1.6	1.6	1.5
MID-NORTH COAST (SD)	197	3,815	11,853	94,670	68,636	77,128	240,434	1.7	1.7	1.7	1.7
NORTHERN STATISTICAL DIVISION											
Armidale (C)	15	369	1,184	9,461	6,844	8,496	24,801	1.3	1.3	1.3	1.3
Glen Innes (M)	10	201	585	5,574	3,682	5,144	14,400	1.2	1.1	1.1	1.1
Gunnedah (S)	6	130	409	3,670	2,369	3,005	9,044	1.2	1.2	1.1	1.2
Inverell (S) Parts A & B	6	130	359	2,783	1,993	1,833	6,609	1.4	1.4	1.3	1.4
Moree Plains (S)	13	384	1,122	9,129	5,736	7,918	22,783	1.6	1.6	1.4	1.5
Narrabri (S)	10	152	450	4,009	2,994	3,670	10,673	1.2	1.2	1.2	1.2
Tamworth (C)	26	683	2,196	15,974	11,857	11,788	39,599	1.4	1.4	1.5	1.4
Tenterfield (S)	8	147	429	3,977	3,063	3,622	10,662	1.1	1.2	1.2	1.2
Balance of Northern (SD)	20	258	735	5,680	4,730	4,589	14,999	1.3	1.3	1.3	1.3
NORTHERN (SD)	114	2,454	7,469	60,257	43,248	50,065	153,570	1.3	1.3	1.3	1.3
NORTH WESTERN AND FAR WEST STATISTICAL DIVISIONS											
Bourke (S)	5	66	180	885	817	774	2,476	1.7	1.8	1.5	1.7
Broken Hill (C)	13	314	887	7,821	4,755	4,076	16,652	1.8	1.9	1.6	1.8
Cobar (S)	5	126	337	2,975	2,301	2,463	7,739	1.3	1.5	1.5	1.4
Coonabarabran (S)	10	246	813	9,874	5,146	9,161	24,181	1.2	1.2	1.1	1.2
Cunnamble (S)	3	50	127	1,055	830	592	2,477	1.3	1.3	1.2	1.3
Dubbo (C)	27	660	2,137	24,953	14,070	18,137	57,160	1.3	1.3	1.3	1.3
Cilgandra (S)	5	84	258	2,940	1,319	2,479	6,738	1.1	1.1	1.1	1.1
Mudgee (S)	9	214	709	6,752	4,391	3,092	14,235	1.5	1.6	1.4	1.5
Narromine (S)	5	80	223	1,140	828	752	2,720	1.4	1.3	1.4	1.4
Walgett (S)	6	118	333	1,747	1,290	999	4,036	1.7	1.7	1.4	1.6
Wellington (S)	5	73	230	1,488	894	741	3,123	1.3	1.4	1.4	1.4
Balance of North Western and Far West (SD)'s	13	195	501	3,621	2,838	3,080	9,539	1.2	1.2	1.1	1.2
NORTH WESTERN (SD) and FAR WEST (SD)	106	2,226	6,735	65,251	39,479	46,346	151,076	1.4	1.4	1.3	1.4

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STATISTICAL DIVISIONS AND SELECTED STATISTICAL LOCAL AREAS (s), N.S.W. (continued)

Room occupancy rate (per cent)				Guest nights (number)				Takings from accommodation (\$'000)			
Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Dec. qr	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Dec. qr	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Dec. qr
RICHMOND-TWEED STATISTICAL DIVISION											
71	61	58	63	15,011	11,337	12,715	39,063	247	188	224	659
62	57	60	60	11,414	10,195	11,302	32,911	196	178	214	588
54	44	33	44	3,004	2,148	1,865	7,017	56	44	36	136
57	48	33	46	8,296	6,340	4,270	18,906	188	152	101	441
60	50	47	52	25,091	20,667	20,518	66,276	880	383	426	1,689
50	39	38	42	1,358	940	1,017	3,315	20	15	17	52
61	52	48	54	64,174	51,627	51,687	167,488	1,587	960	1,018	3,566
MID-NORTH COAST STATISTICAL DIVISION											
69	59	60	63	52,594	38,899	47,807	139,300	1,219	895	1,978	4,092
66	63	40	56	12,075	10,267	7,146	29,488	231	204	147	582
71	56	55	61	48,386	34,799	38,068	121,253	981	684	851	2,517
54	42	47	48	10,891	7,184	9,620	27,695	192	137	170	498
57	55	45	52	5,523	5,022	4,774	15,319	76	71	67	214
60	46	49	52	8,034	5,476	6,871	20,381	121	87	105	314
63	49	49	54	19,545	13,394	16,122	49,061	330	240	269	839
48	40	36	41	3,317	2,403	2,439	8,159	60	44	44	148
65	55	52	58	160,365	117,444	132,847	410,656	3,211	2,362	3,630	9,204
NORTHERN STATISTICAL DIVISION											
58	44	49	50	12,369	8,807	11,411	32,587	275	210	262	747
55	40	42	46	6,642	4,214	5,621	16,477	121	83	116	321
59	45	42	49	4,315	2,804	3,340	10,459	84	61	61	207
61	53	39	51	3,992	2,810	2,310	9,112	92	74	58	224
69	51	47	56	14,729	9,142	11,271	35,142	304	212	215	731
60	55	55	57	4,708	3,599	4,338	12,645	111	93	104	308
58	50	44	51	22,172	16,927	17,158	56,257	507	393	394	1,293
50	47	45	47	4,551	3,759	4,350	12,660	74	64	70	208
47	44	39	43	7,168	6,000	5,848	19,016	133	117	108	358
58	48	45	50	80,646	58,062	65,647	204,355	1,700	1,307	1,389	4,397
NORTH WESTERN AND FAR WEST STATISTICAL DIVISIONS											
40	44	32	38	1,513	1,458	1,172	4,143	28	29	22	79
83	60	38	60	14,448	8,969	6,649	30,066	361	241	166	768
63	45	53	54	3,917	3,388	3,738	11,043	87	69	70	225
65	39	52	52	11,811	5,974	10,431	28,216	244	131	198	573
58	54	32	48	1,360	1,069	738	3,167	29	27	16	72
73	50	54	59	32,269	18,607	23,640	74,516	727	454	522	1,703
59	39	48	49	3,248	1,493	2,678	7,419	69	41	59	170
73	55	37	55	10,263	7,131	4,336	21,730	203	148	103	454
36	30	25	31	1,601	1,105	1,024	3,730	32	23	22	77
43	33	23	34	2,916	2,193	1,393	6,502	51	43	26	121
42	29	22	31	1,912	1,288	1,067	4,267	36	26	20	82
43	38	34	38	4,265	3,317	3,486	11,068	87	71	66	224
65	47	43	51	89,523	55,992	60,352	205,867	1,953	1,304	1,291	4,548

TABLE 3. HOTELS AND MOTELS ETC. WITH FACILITIES :

	Establishments and capacity			Guest arrivals (number)				Average length of stay (nights)			
	Number	Guest rooms	Bed spaces	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Dec. ^a	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Dec. ^a
CENTRAL WEST STATISTICAL DIVISION											
Bathurst (C)	12	342	1,038	9,537	8,380	5,496	23,413	1.4	1.4	1.3	1.4
Bland (S)	12	246	837	7,131	3,927	5,793	16,851	1.1	1.2	1.1	1.1
Cowra (S)	7	147	416	4,677	3,873	3,074	11,624	1.3	1.2	1.2	1.3
Forbes (S)	6	138	380	2,855	2,464	3,263	9,581	1.2	1.2	1.2	1.2
Lachlan (S)	5	69	181	1,077	756	693	2,526	1.5	1.7	1.8	1.6
Lithgow, Greater (C)	6	114	336	1,746	1,559	1,661	4,966	1.7	1.6	1.5	1.6
Oberon (S)	4	39	139	805	643	262	1,710	1.8	1.7	4.1	2.1
Orange (C)	12	450	1,240	8,644	6,999	5,016	20,659	1.9	1.8	1.9	1.9
Parkes (S)	9	187	592	6,451	3,693	4,808	14,952	1.2	1.2	1.1	1.2
Balance of Central West (SD)	6	91	286	1,116	1,032	702	2,850	1.8	1.8	1.7	1.7
CENTRAL WEST (SD)	79	1,823	5,445	45,038	33,326	30,768	109,132	1.4	1.4	1.4	1.4
SOUTH EASTERN STATISTICAL DIVISION											
Bega Valley (S)	35	713	2,239	13,824	11,879	11,223	36,926	1.8	1.8	2.0	1.9
Cooma-Monaro (S)	16	409	1,329	6,187	4,958	4,711	15,856	1.4	1.4	1.4	1.4
Eurobodalla (S)	37	689	2,264	11,758	9,725	10,473	31,956	1.8	1.8	1.9	1.8
Goulburn (C)	12	293	822	9,471	7,436	7,767	24,674	1.3	1.3	1.2	1.2
Queanbeyan (C)	14	392	1,198	9,212	8,381	5,711	23,304	1.8	1.8	2.1	1.9
Snowy River (S)	52	1,559	6,143	42,39	2,887	4,462	11,588	2.7	2.1	2.8	2.6
Tallaganda (S)	3	28	97	625	458	376	1,459	1.4	1.4	1.7	1.5
Yass (S)	7	135	373	4,533	3,447	4,265	12,245	1.0	1.4	1.1	1.1
Young (M)	6	107	283	2,318	2,527	1,639	6,484	1.3	1.4	1.3	1.3
Balance of South Eastern (SD)	10	265	761	5,175	4,486	2,973	12,634	1.5	1.3	1.4	1.4
SOUTH EASTERN (SD)	192	4,590	15,509	67,342	56,184	53,600	177,126	1.6	1.6	1.7	1.7
MURRUMBIDGEE STATISTICAL DIVISION											
Cootamundra (S)	4	78	231	1,583	1,292	1,116	3,991	1.3	1.3	1.3	1.3
Griffith (S)	9	260	732	3,358	3,135	2,272	8,765	2.0	1.6	2.0	1.9
Gundagai (S)	6	113	364	4,557	3,398	4,210	12,165	1.1	1.0	1.0	1.0
Hay (S)	7	134	419	4,669	3,369	4,108	12,146	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0
Leeton (S)	3	87	240	1,095	962	912	2,969	1.5	1.3	1.3	1.4
Narrandera (S)	9	196	599	6,376	4,052	4,768	15,196	1.1	1.2	1.2	1.1
Temora (S)	4	50	139	829	704	626	2,159	1.2	1.2	1.3	1.2
Tumut (S)	7	168	517	2,968	2,472	1,973	7,413	1.5	1.4	1.4	1.4
Wagga Wagga (C)	22	643	1,857	13,782	10,950	8,420	33,152	1.6	1.6	1.8	1.6
Balance of Murrumbidgee (SD)	8	76	208	968	643	554	2,165	1.6	1.6	1.8	1.7
MURRUMBIDGEE (SD)	79	1,805	5,306	40,185	30,977	28,959	100,121	1.4	1.4	1.4	1.4
MURRAY STATISTICAL DIVISION											
Albury (C)	36	1,194	3,652	32,447	27,726	25,010	85,183	1.5	1.5	1.5	1.5
Balranald (S)	5	81	263	2,673	2,142	2,716	7,531	1.1	1.1	1.1	1.1
Berrigan (S)	17	332	1,042	6,579	5,439	3,827	15,845	1.7	1.8	1.7	1.7
Cowra (S)	18	326	1,054	6,333	4,997	4,206	15,556	2.0	2.2	2.3	2.1
Deniliquin (M)	9	169	522	3,577	3,270	2,480	9,327	1.3	1.3	1.3	1.3
Holbrook (S)	7	111	352	3,393	2,316	2,879	8,588	1.2	1.3	1.2	1.2
Jerilderie (S)	5	54	157	1,443	755	1,140	3,338	1.2	1.1	1.1	1.1
Murray (S)	10	265	1,011	4,700	4,179	3,453	12,332	2.2	2.3	2.3	2.3
Wakool (S)	8	131	376	3,225	2,871	2,263	8,359	1.7	1.6	1.6	1.6
Wentworth (S)	7	104	322	1,659	1,317	1,107	4,083	2.6	2.4	2.3	2.4
Balance of Murray (SD)	5	107	322	2,166	1,949	1,764	5,879	1.5	1.5	1.4	1.5
MURRAY (SD)	127	2,874	9,073	68,215	56,961	50,845	176,021	1.6	1.6	1.6	1.6
NEW SOUTH WALES											
NEW SOUTH WALES	1,526	42,272	125,477	842,797	693,581	675,438	2,211,816	1.8	1.9	1.9	1.8

(a) Statistical local areas are not shown in this table when data for them are confidential or nil. Data for these are aggregated and shown as the Balance of the particular Statistical Division.

STATISTICAL DIVISIONS AND SELECTED STATISTICAL LOCAL AREAS (a), N.S.W. (continued)

Room occupancy rate (per cent)				Guest nights (number)				Takings from accommodation (\$'000)			
Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Dec. qr	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Dec. qr	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Dec. qr
CENTRAL WEST STATISTICAL DIVISION											
67	67	38	57	13,311	11,385	7,291	31,987	327	298	182	806
52	37	39	43	8,132	4,775	6,430	19,337	170	111	133	414
71	62	42	58	5,985	4,824	3,724	14,533	124	104	77	305
53	41	45	46	4,627	3,074	4,009	11,710	103	73	90	267
51	44	36	44	1,655	1,287	1,224	4,166	37	30	27	94
54	49	48	50	3,017	2,532	2,556	8,105	80	72	71	223
62	58	52	58	1,431	1,120	1,067	3,618	40	28	28	96
71	59	38	56	16,854	12,707	9,306	38,867	444	363	239	1,046
68	45	43	52	8,062	4,413	5,395	17,870	163	99	106	368
41	42	28	37	1,968	1,826	1,191	4,985	49	47	31	127
62	53	40	52	65,042	47,943	42,193	155,178	1,539	1,226	984	3,748
SOUTH EASTERN STATISTICAL DIVISION											
65	55	49	56	24,833	21,421	22,734	68,988	482	430	467	1,378
34	31	28	31	8,767	6,775	6,384	21,926	187	142	143	472
49	44	45	46	20,586	17,141	19,903	57,630	409	356	425	1,189
72	64	52	62	12,066	9,426	8,960	30,452	255	220	197	672
79	77	54	70	16,616	15,362	11,778	43,756	451	422	314	1,187
10	7	12	10	11,505	6,094	12,309	29,908	265	154	267	686
44	50	36	43	854	632	642	2,128	14	11	11	36
53	46	47	49	4,717	3,710	4,526	12,953	106	87	101	295
53	61	39	51	3,046	3,439	2,104	8,589	74	79	50	202
46	45	28	40	7,592	5,752	4,188	17,532	170	174	106	450
41	37	33	37	110,582	89,752	93,528	293,862	2,412	2,074	2,081	6,567
MURRUMBIDGEE STATISTICAL DIVISION											
50	45	35	43	2,079	1,668	1,470	5,217	53	45	36	134
53	42	37	44	6,861	4,926	4,543	16,330	190	141	132	462
65	51	55	57	4,841	3,552	4,366	12,759	87	68	76	231
56	45	47	49	4,830	3,438	4,263	12,531	104	77	95	276
36	33	29	33	1,620	1,290	1,221	4,131	43	38	33	113
55	44	44	48	6,819	4,766	5,729	17,314	147	115	119	380
46	40	36	41	988	852	806	2,646	23	19	19	61
46	41	30	39	4,359	3,488	2,854	10,701	88	77	61	227
64	56	44	55	21,869	17,281	15,431	54,581	591	498	412	1,501
38	30	25	31	1,569	1,060	995	3,624	28	25	25	78
56	47	41	48	55,835	42,321	41,678	139,834	1,354	1,101	1,008	3,464
MURRAY STATISTICAL DIVISION											
71	66	55	64	47,083	40,602	37,463	125,148	1,225	1,072	953	3,251
61	55	52	56	2,884	2,390	2,905	8,179	58	52	55	166
54	48	36	46	11,395	9,623	6,642	27,660	222	194	142	558
61	55	43	53	12,522	10,840	9,486	32,848	252	228	180	659
53	49	36	46	4,824	4,284	3,263	12,371	108	95	75	279
58	43	48	50	4,220	2,950	3,524	10,694	74	53	60	188
49	27	33	37	1,725	813	1,244	3,782	30	16	21	67
57	57	45	53	10,197	9,727	8,016	27,940	256	248	204	707
67	62	48	59	5,331	4,730	3,631	13,692	103	95	68	266
70	56	44	57	4,314	3,095	2,550	9,959	67	55	43	165
47	42	36	42	3,355	2,841	2,504	8,700	69	64	53	185
63	57	47	56	107,850	91,895	81,228	280,973	2,464	2,172	1,855	6,491
NEW SOUTH WALES											
66	61	52	59	1,523,825	1,288,900	1,254,055	4,066,780	57,899	53,492	47,653	159,044

TABLE 4. CARAVAN PARKS(a): STATISTICAL DIVISIONS AND SELECTED STATISTICAL DISTRICTS, N.S.W.

	Sydney Statistical Division			Hunter Statistical Division			Illawarra Statistical Division			Richmond-Tweed Statistical Division			Mid-North Coast Statistical Division		
	Short-term	Long-term	Total	Short-term	Long-term	Total	Short-term	Long-term	Total	Short-term	Long-term	Total	Short-term	Long-term	Total
ESTABLISHMENTS AND CAPACITY (number)															
December quarter 1987 -															
Establishments	49	56	105	44	51	95	77	14	91	38	38	76	75	60	135
Powered sites	6,060	5,720	11,780	5,354	4,281	9,635	8,314	2,093	10,407	4,080	2,739	6,769	7,908	4,125	12,033
Unpowered sites	1,250	348	1,598	1,739	858	2,597	2,702	262	2,964	1,411	546	1,957	3,530	1,083	4,613
Cabins, flats etc.	39	46	85	85	72	157	305	19	324	74	21	95	212	108	320
Total capacity	7,349	6,114	13,463	7,178	5,211	12,389	11,321	2,374	13,695	5,515	3,306	8,821	11,650	5,316	16,966
SITE OCCUPANCY RATES (per cent)															
1986 - October	34	68	46	26	43	32	18	38	21	37	57	43	23	36	25
November	32	68	45	27	43	33	16	36	18	34	56	41	21	35	24
December	51	70	58	45	49	46	39	41	39	54	60	56	38	40	39
December quarter 1986	39	68	50	32	45	37	24	38	26	42	58	47	27	37	29
1987 - October	35	69	50	29	41	34	19	37	23	38	54	44	28	36	31
November	32	69	49	26	42	33	15	36	19	35	54	42	23	34	26
December	54	73	63	43	48	45	36	40	37	60	58	59	43	42	43
December quarter 1987	41	70	54	33	44	37	24	38	26	44	55	49	31	37	33
TAKINGS FROM ACCOMMODATION (\$'000)															
1987 - October	967	1,083	2,049	610	491	1,100	908	199	1,107	565	351	915	872	428	1,300
November	852	1,026	1,878	489	470	959	677	183	860	472	327	799	662	363	1,024
December	1,584	1,202	2,786	906	600	1,506	1,431	211	1,643	930	417	1,347	1,514	564	2,079
December quarter 1987	3,403	3,311	6,713	2,005	1,561	3,566	3,016	593	3,609	1,966	1,095	3,061	3,048	1,355	4,403
SITES OCCUPIED BY LONG-TERM GUESTS (number)															
At end of															
December quarter 1987	797	3,878	4,675	413	1,796	2,209	255	767	1,022	714	1,617	2,331	1,072	1,528	2,600

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TABLE 4. CARAVAN PARKS(a): STATISTICAL DIVISIONS AND SELECTED STATISTICAL DISTRICTS, N.S.W. (continued)

	Northern Statistical Division			North Western Statistical Division			Central West Statistical Division			South Eastern Statistical Division (b)			Murrumbidgee and Far West Statistical Divisions		
	Short-term	Long-term	Total	Short-term	Long-term	Total	Short-term	Long-term	Total	Short-term	Long-term	Total	Short-term	Long-term	Total
ESTABLISHMENTS AND CAPACITY (number)															
December quarter 1987 -															
Establishments	31	25	56	29	16	45	26	9	35	78	11	89	37	9	46
Powered sites	1,313	1,277	2,590	1,159	914	2,073	1,016	459	1,475	7,645	949	8,594	1,845	308	2,153
Unpowered sites	689	378	1,067	1,898	226	2,124	760	168	928	4,022	317	4,339	731	125	856
Cabins, flats etc.	30	39	69	74	25	99	57	2	59	280	13	293	109	-	109
Total capacity	2,032	1,694	3,726	3,131	1,165	4,296	1,833	629	2,462	11,947	1,279	13,226	2,685	433	3,118
SITE OCCUPANCY RATES (per cent)															
1986 - October	16	37	20	17	38	21	21	34	25	13	49	15	18	38	20
November	15	32	18	13	36	17	19	31	22	14	48	16	16	40	18
December	17	38	21	15	37	19	23	32	25	29	49	30	20	61	24
December quarter 1986	16	36	20	15	37	19	21	32	24	19	49	20	18	46	21
1987 - October	19	31	25	19	33	23	21	40	26	14	42	17	21	32	22
November	16	31	23	13	31	18	17	40	23	14	42	17	16	38	19
December	19	32	25	13	33	19	18	37	23	30	44	31	18	53	23
December quarter 1987	18	31	24	15	32	20	19	39	24	19	43	22	18	41	21
TAKINGS FROM ACCOMMODATION (\$'000)															
1987 - October	93	123	216	183	91	275	99	64	164	674	134	809	185	27	212
November	77	109	186	116	77	193	77	68	145	650	131	781	136	32	168
December	102	127	230	135	87	222	93	57	150	1,648	143	1,792	174	42	216
December quarter 1987	272	360	632	435	255	690	270	188	458	2,973	409	3,381	496	101	596
SITES OCCUPIED BY LONG-TERM GUESTS (number)															
At end of December quarter 1987	95	380	475	81	287	368	95	170	265	390	466	856	94	125	219

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TABLE 4. CARAVAN PARKS(a): STATISTICAL DIVISIONS AND SELECTED STATISTICAL DISTRICTS, N.S.W. (continued)

	Murray Statistical Division			Newcastle Statistical District			Wollongong Statistical District			Albury-Wodonga Statistical District			New South Wales		
	Short-term	Long-term	Total	Short-term	Long-term	Total	Short-term	Long-term	Total	Short-term	Long-term	Total	Short-term	Long-term	Total
ESTABLISHMENTS AND CAPACITY (number)															
December quarter 1987 -															
Establishments	43	13	56	15	33	48	12	6	18	n.p.	4	n.p.	527	302	829
Powered sites	3,495	626	4,121	2,273	3,206	5,479	2,375	1,282	3,657	n.p.	255	n.p.	48,139	23,491	71,630
Unpowered sites	954	160	1,114	368	750	1,118	676	155	831	n.p.	100	n.p.	19,686	4,471	24,157
Cabins, flats etc.	200	42	242	18	34	52	121	13	134	n.p.	17	n.p.	1,465	387	1,852
Total capacity	4,649	828	5,477	2,659	3,990	6,649	3,172	1,450	4,622	n.p.	372	n.p.	69,290	28,349	97,639
SITE OCCUPANCY RATES (per cent)															
1986 - October	14	38	17	33	44	39	20	41	26	n.p.	40	n.p.	22	48	28
November	15	37	18	32	44	38	17	39	24	n.p.	38	n.p.	21	47	27
December	23	37	24	51	52	51	49	45	48	n.p.	38	n.p.	36	52	40
December quarter 1986	17	38	20	39	46	43	29	42	33	n.p.	39	n.p.	26	49	31
1987 - October	16	41	20	36	44	41	23	39	28	n.p.	53	n.p.	24	46	30
November	15	42	19	33	45	40	18	39	25	n.p.	58	n.p.	21	46	28
December	22	42	25	55	52	53	47	43	45	n.p.	61	n.p.	37	51	41
December quarter 1987	18	42	21	41	47	45	29	40	33	n.p.	57	n.p.	27	48	33
TAKINGS FROM ACCOMMODATION (\$'000)															
1987 - October	276	75	351	256	403	659	307	131	438	n.y.a.	51	n.y.a.	5,433	3,065	8,498
November	352	75	427	218	392	610	266	124	390	n.y.a.	53	n.y.a.	4,559	2,861	7,420
December	374	77	451	402	502	904	465	139	604	n.y.a.	58	n.y.a.	8,893	3,529	12,422
December quarter 1987	1,002	228	1,229	875	1,297	2,173	1,037	394	1,432	n.y.a.	162	n.y.a.	18,885	9,454	28,339
SITES OCCUPIED BY LONG-TERM GUESTS (number)															
At end of															
December quarter 1987	210	225	435	178	1,477	1,655	53	497	550	n.y.a.	127	n.y.a.	4,216	11,239	15,455

(a) Refer to explanatory note 3(c). (b) Includes Australian Capital Territory.

TABLE 5. SHORT-TERM CARAVAN PARKS(a): SELECTED STATISTICAL LOCAL AREAS (b), N.S.W.

	Establishments and capacity				Site occupancy rates (per cent)				Takings from accommodation (\$'000)			Sites occupied by long-term Dec. guests at qr end of qr		
	Number	Powered sites	Unpowered sites	Cabins, flats etc.	Total capacity	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Dec. qr	Oct.	Nov.		Dec.	
Ballina (S)	6	710	155	8	873	30	25	47	34	70	52	103	225	116
Baulkham Hills (S)	7	473	310	2	785	11	7	15	11	29	27	36	92	14
Bega Valley (S)	22	2,763	1,327	60	4,150	13	12	38	21	199	191	742	1,133	126
Berrigan (S)	5	305	22	14	341	15	13	14	14	18	15	16	49	10
Blue Mountains (C)	4	224	56	-	280	43	36	41	40	49	40	44	132	8
Bourke (S)	3	96	76	8	180	12	11	13	12	5	4	5	15	12
Byron (S)	10	776	579	28	1,383	36	35	58	43	132	113	253	499	200
Coffs Harbour (S)	12	1,523	1,105	35	2,663	35	29	47	37	191	145	303	639	244
Coolah (S)	3	46	32	-	78	15	15	18	16	2	2	2	6	4
Corowa (S)	8	980	154	37	1,171	21	21	33	25	91	87	129	307	21
Dubbo (C)	3	237	21	14	272	78	60	64	68	75	56	65	196	33
Eurobodalla (S)	25	2,834	807	31	3,672	16	15	31	21	170	154	481	805	173
Forbes (S)	4	117	76	31	224	29	26	30	29	21	18	22	61	24
Glen Innes (M)	4	119	51	12	182	14	11	13	13	9	7	9	26	4
Gosford (C)	7	827	193	10	1,030	28	23	44	32	101	86	162	350	85
Great Lakes (S)	21	2,803	1,069	62	3,934	26	24	40	30	330	258	489	1,077	227
Hastings (M)	19	1,666	485	43	2,194	31	27	43	34	250	199	421	869	260
Kempsey (S)	9	892	410	8	1,310	27	21	38	29	81	64	186	332	92
Lismore (C)	3	257	45	-	302	54	49	47	50	46	36	40	122	60
Maclean (S)	12	1,041	446	33	1,520	30	23	48	34	102	83	166	351	167
Murray (S)	9	873	212	8	1,093	9	10	17	12	30	129	70	229	72
Nambucca (S)	6	883	149	64	1,096	27	21	42	30	121	80	179	381	123
Narrabri (S)	5	213	54	-	267	28	27	29	28	16	13	21	50	21
Parkes (S)	6	207	77	4	288	25	18	20	21	13	20	54	22	22
Port Stephens (S)	12	1,990	153	12	2,155	40	36	60	45	229	194	346	770	125
Shoalhaven (C)	63	5,902	2,020	184	8,106	18	14	33	22	600	411	966	1,977	202
Snowy River (S)	12	808	768	113	1,689	6	8	14	9	88	94	172	354	3
Taree, Greaters (C)	9	1,195	462	27	1,684	17	11	38	22	72	45	150	268	53
Tumut (S)	5	259	162	16	437	13	9	22	15	19	14	35	68	3
Tweed (S) Pts A & B	17	1,835	425	26	2,286	44	41	59	48	243	226	454	923	285
Ulmarra (S)	4	420	253	1	674	22	21	51	31	36	31	87	153	72
Wagga Wagga (C)	6	316	110	22	448	27	26	27	26	38	32	38	108	53
Walgett (S)	4	104	127	23	254	18	13	9	13	16	10	5	32	11
Wellington (S)	3	149	282	16	447	18	7	8	11	37	15	18	69	4
Wentworth (S)	3	218	116	3	337	27	21	27	25	26	18	26	70	33
Wyong (S)	20	3,356	296	27	3,679	36	34	65	45	485	433	1,026	1,944	361
Yass (S)	6	520	345	33	898	12	15	25	18	41	44	69	153	15

(a) Refer to explanatory note 3(c). (b) Statistical local areas are not shown in this table when data for them are confidential or nil.

SITE OCCUPANCY RATES FOR SHORT-TERM CARAVAN PARKS FOR SELECTED STATISTICAL DIVISIONS

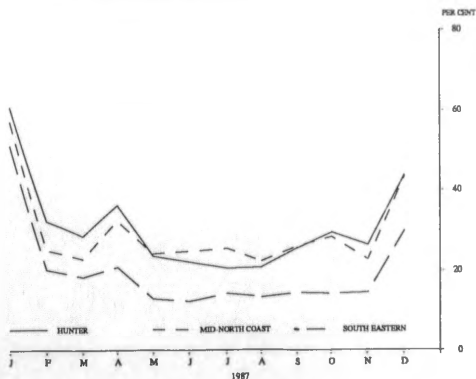


TABLE 6. LONG-TERM CARAVAN PARKS(a): SELECTED STATISTICAL LOCAL AREAS (b), N.S.W.

	Establishments and capacity				Site occupancy rates (per cent)				Takings from accommodation (\$'000)			Sites occupied by long- term Dec. guests at qr end of qr		
	Num- ber	Powered sites	Unpow- ered sites	Cabins, flats etc.	Total capacity	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Dec. qr	Takings from accommodation (\$'000)				
										Oct.	Nov.		Dec.	
Albury (C)	4	255	100	17	372	53	58	61	57	51	53	58	162	127
Ballina (S)	7	546	83	15	644	57	56	61	58	73	64	90	227	326
Bellingen (S)	8	535	112	28	675	25	23	28	25	42	31	49	122	130
Blacktown (C)	3	665	40	-	705	88	88	83	86	149	134	140	423	576
Camden (M)	3	380	30	-	410	81	81	82	81	68	65	69	201	331
Coffs Harbour (S)	11	944	260	14	1,218	46	42	50	46	128	104	166	398	463
Eurobodalla (S)	3	347	30	-	377	16	15	22	18	16	17	26	60	45
Gunsford (C)	10	1,201	62	7	1,270	67	69	73	69	187	172	209	568	809
Great Lakes (S)	6	470	50	29	549	29	28	40	33	31	29	46	105	139
Hastings (M)	13	961	192	22	1,175	38	37	45	40	106	96	152	355	355
Inverell (S) Pts A & B	3	112	8	4	124	37	34	33	35	10	8	7	25	33
Kempsey (S)	5	298	153	-	451	25	23	33	27	22	20	32	74	93
Lake Macquarie (C)	18	1,926	461	17	2,404	45	45	55	48	261	250	342	854	871
Moree Plains (S)	4	247	44	24	315	29	28	30	29	20	16	22	58	64
Mudgee (S)	4	330	75	6	411	37	37	36	37	38	32	34	103	129
Muswellbrook (S)	3	224	16	-	240	40	36	35	37	29	23	25	76	57
Orange (C)	3	172	54	2	228	41	43	46	43	17	19	20	56	74
Port Stephens (S)	8	934	157	10	1,101	44	46	50	47	94	99	115	308	453
Queanbeyan (C) (c)	4	513	160	10	683	64	63	61	63	108	104	101	314	379
Scone (S)	3	114	2	9	125	46	44	42	44	12	12	11	36	48
Singleton (S)	3	190	10	-	200	29	29	29	29	11	11	11	32	56
Sutherland (S)	4	288	7	-	295	90	90	93	91	81	80	86	247	200
Tamworth (C)	3	266	202	5	473	28	26	24	26	33	30	29	92	101
Taree, Greater (C)	7	424	53	3	480	46	41	48	45	44	37	53	134	155
Tweed (S) Pts A & B	17	1,589	281	3	1,873	61	60	64	62	222	206	253	681	1,054
Wollongong (C)	3	787	15	5	807	50	50	52	51	89	82	93	264	380
Wyong (S)	18	1,472	138	26	1,636	51	51	60	54	192	183	249	624	786

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