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1981 CENSUS OF POPULATION AND HOUSING

PRELIMINARY COUNTS-AUSTRALIA, STATES AND TERRITORIES

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EXPLANATORY NOTES

This publication contains preliminary counts of the age, sex and marital status of persons enumerated at the Census on 30 June 1981. The data have been compiled on the basis of the State or Territory where each person was located on Census night.

The counts are derived from the first stage of the processing of the Census and are subject to revision at a later stage. Final counts will be published progressively for the Territories, States and Australia.

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TABLE 1. AGE, STATES, TERRITORIES AND AUSTRALIA

Age	N.S.W.	Vic.	Qld	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	N.T.	A.C.T.	Aust.
MALES									
0-4	196,575	146,295	92,301	46,385	52,557	17,078	6,536	10,447	568,174
5-9	221,397	167,302	103,212	52,984	57,330	18,878	7,036	11,771	639,910
10-14	222,260	178,814	104,577	57,603	60,871	20,158	6,138	11,186	661,607
15-19	220,063	172,441	100,618	57,780	57,172	19,407	4,966	9,829	642,276
20-29	420,424	316,978	194,011	106,367	112,408	34,706	13,703	18,977	1,217,574
30-39	385,517	283,746	169,985	93,085	100,730	30,075	6,911	12,328	1,095,811
40-49	282,849	210,034	119,695	67,234	70,401	21,831	4,488	20,345	808,406
50-59	271,412	199,673	113,199	69,620	59,993	20,937	4,488	9,084	748,406
60-69	194,478	133,773	90,051	50,021	40,060	15,498	2,374	4,465	530,720
70-79	99,313	72,079	47,625	25,757	23,338	8,063	796	1,663	278,634
80-89	24,876	19,075	12,688	6,731	5,685	2,043	161	363	71,622
90 and over	7,854	1,796	1,388	751	504	218	16	37	7,564
Invalid	10,035	940	5,768	2,494	3,484	188	18	54	22,981
Total	2,552,053	1,902,946	1,155,118	636,812	644,533	209,080	65,471	110,590	7,276,603
FEMALES									
0-4	186,932	138,933	86,620	44,068	49,073	16,328	6,308	10,002	538,264
5-9	210,800	158,768	97,946	49,703	54,255	17,952	6,534	11,211	607,169
10-14	211,441	171,294	99,248	54,473	56,980	19,124	5,875	10,500	628,935
15-19	208,257	164,118	96,824	55,713	54,489	18,968	4,803	9,557	612,729
20-29	417,131	318,653	185,890	106,828	109,622	34,825	12,772	20,311	1,206,032
30-39	374,955	282,216	161,914	92,948	94,481	29,345	10,119	20,482	1,066,460
40-49	268,089	200,487	112,009	65,894	65,003	20,819	5,040	11,740	749,081
50-59	267,136	194,691	110,882	68,292	56,299	20,172	3,296	8,660	729,428
60-69	218,524	150,755	97,131	55,494	44,053	16,880	2,126	5,001	589,964
70-79	135,569	99,652	58,179	34,725	28,755	10,405	774	2,461	370,520
80-89	55,064	42,513	23,088	14,727	10,637	4,285	169	897	151,380
90 and over	8,663	6,060	3,317	2,217	1,484	620	20	132	22,513
Invalid	11,069	1,014	6,380	2,949	3,756	153	26	63	25,410
Total	2,573,630	1,929,154	1,139,428	648,031	628,887	209,876	57,862	111,017	7,297,885
PERSONS									
0-4	383,507	285,225	178,921	90,453	101,630	33,406	12,844	20,449	1,106,438
5-9	432,197	326,070	201,158	102,687	111,585	36,830	13,570	22,982	1,247,079
10-14	433,701	350,108	203,825	112,076	117,851	39,282	12,013	21,686	1,290,542
15-19	428,320	336,559	197,442	113,493	111,661	38,375	9,769	19,386	1,255,005
20-29	837,555	635,631	379,901	213,195	222,030	69,531	26,475	39,288	2,423,606
30-39	760,472	565,962	331,899	186,033	195,211	59,420	22,447	40,827	2,162,271
40-49	550,938	410,521	231,704	133,128	135,404	42,650	11,951	24,109	1,540,405
50-59	538,548	394,364	224,081	137,912	116,292	41,109	7,764	17,744	1,477,834
60-69	413,002	284,528	187,182	105,515	84,113	32,378	4,500	9,466	1,120,684
70-79	234,882	171,731	105,804	60,482	52,093	18,468	1,570	4,124	649,154
80-89	79,940	61,588	35,776	21,458	16,322	6,328	330	1,260	223,002
90 and over	11,517	7,856	4,705	2,968	1,988	838	36	169	30,077
Invalid	21,104	1,954	12,148	5,443	7,240	341	44	117	48,391
Total	5,125,683	3,832,100	2,294,546	1,284,843	1,273,420	418,956	123,333	221,607	14,574,688

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TABLE 2. MARITAL STATUS: STATES, TERRITORIES AND AUSTRALIA

Marital status	N.S.W.	Vic.	Qld	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	N.T.	A.C.T.	Aus.
MALES									
Never married—									
Under 15 years of age	640,232	492,411	300,090	156,972	170,758	56,114	19,710	33,404	1,869,691
15 years of age and over	592,614	436,221	263,025	139,219	147,129	45,090	16,296	24,003	1,663,597
Now married	1,149,472	867,597	516,435	300,620	284,924	95,267	24,817	47,903	3,287,035
Separated but not divorced	44,211	30,111	21,684	11,154	13,295	3,510	1,660	1,772	127,397
Divorced	68,401	40,180	28,055	15,724	16,171	4,923	2,157	2,561	178,172
Widowed	52,154	35,768	23,490	12,026	10,330	4,084	805	923	139,580
Invalid	4,969	658	2,339	1,097	1,926	92	26	24	11,131
Total	2,552,033	1,902,946	1,155,118	636,812	644,533	209,080	65,471	110,590	7,276,603
FEMALES									
Never married—									
Under 15 years of age	609,173	468,995	283,814	148,244	160,308	53,404	18,717	31,713	1,774,368
15 years of age and over	450,862	345,565	192,196	110,058	106,897	35,067	10,057	19,640	1,270,342
Now married	1,142,646	863,653	511,305	299,601	281,241	94,065	23,390	48,278	3,264,179
Separated but not divorced	52,256	36,169	23,807	13,066	14,708	4,124	1,467	2,428	148,025
Divorced	87,249	52,757	31,719	20,585	18,962	5,911	1,700	3,922	222,805
Widowed	226,752	161,263	94,276	55,376	44,972	17,250	2,521	5,008	607,418
Invalid	4,692	752	2,311	1,101	1,799	55	10	28	10,748
Total	2,573,630	1,929,154	1,139,428	648,031	628,887	209,876	57,862	111,017	7,297,885
PERSONS									
Never married—									
Under 15 years of age	1,249,405	961,406	583,904	305,216	331,066	109,518	38,427	65,117	3,644,039
15 years of age and over	1,043,476	781,786	455,221	249,277	254,026	80,157	26,353	43,643	2,933,939
Now married	2,292,118	1,731,250	1,027,740	600,221	566,165	189,332	48,207	96,181	6,551,214
Separated but not divorced	96,467	66,280	45,491	24,220	28,003	7,634	3,127	4,200	275,422
Divorced	153,650	92,937	59,774	36,309	35,133	10,834	3,857	6,483	400,977
Widowed	278,906	197,031	117,766	67,402	55,302	21,334	3,326	5,931	746,998
Invalid	9,661	1,410	4,650	2,198	3,725	147	36	52	21,879
Total	5,125,683	3,832,100	2,294,546	1,284,843	1,273,420	418,956	123,333	221,607	14,574,408