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EXPLANATORY NOTES

Introduction

This publication contains statistics of overseas arrivals in and departures from Australia during the quarter ended September 1978, together with statistics for earlier periods. Less detailed statistics are published each month in bulletin 3401.0.

Source of the statistics

Persons arriving in or departing from Australia are required to complete prescribed questionnaires in the form of Incoming and Outgoing Passenger Cards (see Appendix B). These cards provide information to the Department of Immigration and Ethnic Affairs for administrative purposes and serve as the source of statistics of overseas arrivals and departures. In accordance with the *Census and Statistics Act 1905*, information relating to individuals, individual flights or ships and individual carriers which is contained in these cards or other documents is treated as confidential by the Bureau.

Scope

3. The statistics exclude operational air crew and ships' crew, transit passengers who pass through Australia but are not cleared for entry, and passengers on pleasure cruises commencing and finishing in Australia aboard ships not then engaged on regular voyages. Estimates of movement of transit sea passengers and cruise passengers are, however, included in Appendix A.

Seasonally adjusted series

4. Seasonally adjusted figures of total and short-term arrivals and departures are shown in Tables 6 and 16. Details of the methods employed in seasonally adjusting these series are given in *Seasonally Adjusted Indicators* (1308.0).

Category of traveller

5. Category of traveller is primarily determined by the passenger's selection of his or her own category on the passenger card. This selection is accepted provided it is consistent with other information on the card. Assisted settlers are identified as such by the Department of Immigration and Ethnic Affairs, which also compiles statistics relating to assisted migration schemes and other matters within its administrative functions.

Permanent movement

Permanent movement consists of persons who, on arrival, state that they intend to settle in Australia (settlers) and of Australian residents, including former settlers, departing permanently, i.e. those who, on departure, state that they do not intend to return to Australia.

Long-term movement

Long-term movement is defined as comprising visitors arriving and Australian residents departing temporarily with the intention to stay, in Australia or

abroad, respectively, for twelve months or more, together with the departure of visitors and the return of Australian residents who had stayed, in Australia or abroad, for twelve months or more (see also paragraph 6 below).

Short-term movement

Travellers whose intended or actual period of stay is less than twelve months are classified as short-term (see also paragraph 6 below).

6. A significant number of travellers state exactly 12 months or one year as their intended period of stay. Many of them stay for less than that period and on their departure from, or return to, Australia are therefore classified as short-term. Accordingly, in an attempt to maintain consistency between arrivals and departures, travellers who report their actual or intended period of stay as being one year are randomly allocated to long-term or short-term in proportion to the number of returning travellers who report their actual length of stay as up to one month more or one month less than a year. A similar procedure is used for those travellers who fail to state their period of stay.

Country of embarkation or disembarkation

7. Country of embarkation or disembarkation refers to the country in which the traveller boards the actual flight or ship which brings him to Australia, or alights from the actual flight or ship which takes him from Australia. Travellers may answer this incorrectly, perhaps naming the country in which their journey commenced or will end, notwithstanding any changes of flight or ship en route.

State of clearance

8. State of clearance refers to the State in which a passenger is cleared by Customs and Immigration authorities. Embarkation or disembarkation and clearance are often in the same State but not necessarily so.

State or country of residence

9. State of residence or country of residence refers to the State or country in which the traveller regards himself as living or as last having lived. State of intended residence is derived from the intended address given by settlers and Australian residents returning after a journey abroad. Particularly in the case of the former, this information does not necessarily relate to the State in which a traveller will eventually establish a permanent residence.

Country of birth, residence or citizenship

10. Statistics on these items have certain limitations. For instance, it is not possible to make a distinction between Northern Ireland and the Republic of Ireland, nor to separately identify England, Scotland and Wales. Similarly "Korea" could refer to North or South Korea and "Germany" to the Federal Republic or to the Democratic Republic.

State of stay and country of stay for short-term travellers

11. Overseas visitors are asked on arrival for their intended address and on departure for the name of the State in which they spent most time. Australian residents travelling overseas are asked on departure for the name of the country in which they intend to spend most time, and on their return for the name of the country in which they spent most time.

Occupation

12. Statistics of the usual occupation of travellers are derived from the descriptions of occupations given by travellers. The descriptions given are necessarily brief and cannot be confirmed by reference to the industry in which they work or educational qualifications.

Estimation method

13. Overseas arrivals and departures statistics are derived from a combination of full enumeration and sampling, dependant on which strata travellers are classified to.

14. Fully enumerated strata cover all movements by sea regardless of duration of stay, all permanent movements and all movements with a duration of stay of more than one year or duration of stay not stated. All movements by air with a duration of stay equal to or less than one year are sampled, and statistics relating to these movements are therefore estimates which may differ from statistics which would have been obtained if details of all these movements had been processed. Details of the sampling method and comments on the sampling errors associated with the estimates are contained in the Technical Note on page 4.

Corrections and imputations

15. The imprecision due to sampling errors should not be confused with errors due to imperfections in reporting, which may occur in any data collection, whether sampled or not. Every effort is made to minimise such errors, both through careful design of the passenger cards and through checks on the information once it is received. During the edit process some items are corrected where they conflict with other known

information. Missing replies to certain items such as age, sex and country of birth are also imputed by reference to other related items.

16. Errors of this kind differ from discrepancies arising from the fact that certain information reflects the *passengers' intentions at the time the cards were completed*. These intentions are of course subject to change. The items particularly affected by such discrepancies are the distinction between permanent and temporary movement and, in the latter case, length of intended stay; country of intended stay; State of intended address; and reason for journey.

Related publications

17. Users may also wish to refer to the monthly and annual ABS publications on *Overseas Arrivals and Departures* (3401.0, 3404.0). Other ABS publications which may be of interest include: *Internal Migration* (3408.0) and *Population and Vital Statistics* (3212.0).

18. Related statistics are also published by the Department of Immigration and Ethnic Affairs and Department of Transport.

19. All publications produced by the ABS are listed in the *Catalogue of Publications* (1101.0) which is available free of charge from any ABS office.

20. The tables in this and other publications necessarily contain only a small part of the cross-classification of items which are or can be produced. Also, items such as country and occupation are necessarily summarised from more detailed classifications. Further details can be obtained by writing to the Bureau or ringing the number shown at the beginning of this bulletin.

Symbols and other usages

- Nil
- .. Not applicable

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

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TECHNICAL NOTE : METHOD OF SAMPLING AND RELIABILITY OF ESTIMATES

Method of sampling

All movements by air with a duration of stay equal to or less than one year are sampled using the following stratification:

Overseas visitors, according to country of citizenship –

Country of Citizenship	Sample
New Zealand or U.S.A.	1 in 30
U.K. or Australia	1 in 20
Canada or Japan	1 in 10
Other	1 in 4

Australian residents –

Departing	1 in 10
Returning	1 in 20

Reliability of estimates

Estimates based on a sample are subject to sampling variability, i.e. these may differ from those that would be obtained from a full enumeration.

The sampling error associated with any estimate can be estimated from the sample results and one

measure so derived is the standard error. Given an estimate and the standard error on that estimate, there are about two chances in three that the sample estimate will differ by less than one standard error from the figure that would have been obtained from full enumeration and about nineteen chances in twenty that the difference will be less than two standard errors. Another measure of the sampling error is the relative standard error which is obtained by expressing the standard error as a percentage of the estimate.

It would be impracticable to publish estimates of standard errors for all figures in individual tables. However, the following table of standard errors and relative standard errors give an indication of the magnitude of the sampling error associated with any estimate of a particular size for short-term and total movement. Long-term movement is subject to some sampling in that some movements of one year's duration (which are sampled) are allocated to the long-term category. The number involved, however, are small and resultant sampling errors associated with figures of long-term movement are negligible.

APPROXIMATE STANDARD ERRORS OF ESTIMATES FOR STRATIFIED SAMPLE

Estimated number of persons	Short-term movement				Total movement			
	Australian residents departing		Australian residents returning, overseas visitors arriving or departing		Arrivals		Departures	
	Standard error	Relative standard error	Standard error	Relative standard error	Standard error	Relative standard error	Standard error	Relative standard error
		%		%		%		%
10,000	400	4	300	3	300	3	400	4
5,000	300	6	200	4	200	4	250	5
2,000	200	10	140	7	140	7	160	8
1,000	140	14	90	9	90	9	110	11
750	120	16	83	11	83	11	97	13
500	95	19	65	13	65	13	80	16
400	88	22	60	15	60	15	72	18
300	75	25	51	17	51	17	60	20
200	62	31	42	21	42	21	50	25
100	44	44	30	30	30	30	35	35

An example of the use of this table is as follows : If the estimate of the number of Australian residents departing for a short-term visit is 500, then the standard error on this estimate is 95. So there are two chances in three that the actual number of Australians departing for a short-term visit will lie between 405 and 595, and nineteen chances in twenty that it will lie between 310 and 690.

As the table shows, the larger the size of an estimate the smaller the relative standard error. For any estimate of greater than 10,000 persons the relative

standard error will be less than 4% and so the sampling error can be assumed to be negligible for most practical purposes.

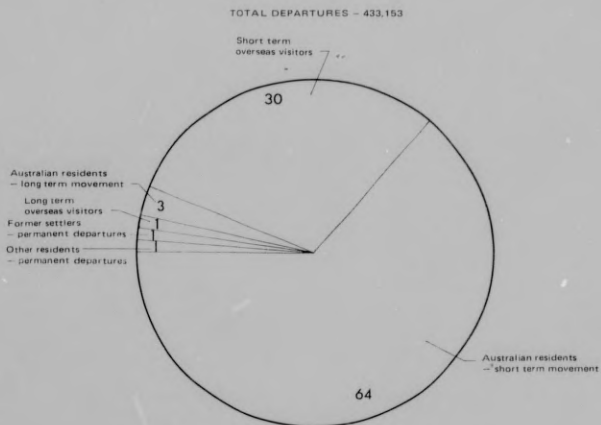
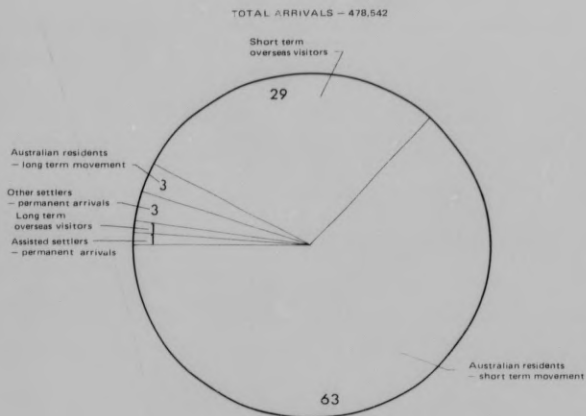
The estimate of the difference between an estimate of persons in two different periods or between estimates from the same period is also subject to sampling error. The standard error on the difference between any two estimates which are subject to sampling error can be approximated by using the larger standard error of the estimates inflated by a factor of 1.4. An example of the use of this procedure is as follows :

Assume the estimates of the number of persons visiting Australia who stated "attending convention" as the purpose of journey in July 1977 and 1978 are 1,214 and 811 respectively. The difference between the number of persons visiting Australia to attend a convention in 1978 and the number attending in 1977 is 403 and the standard errors on these estimates are approximately 90 and 84. The standard error on the difference is approximately $(1.4 \times 90) = 126$, and there

are nineteen chances in twenty that the estimate of the difference between the two years will lie between 151 and 655.

Some estimates in this bulletin have been combined where it is considered that the large sampling errors of the components would make them unreliable for most purposes.

CHARACTERISTICS OF TOTAL PASSENGER MOVEMENTS IN PERCENTAGES - SEPTEMBER QUARTER 1978



CHARACTERISTICS OF SHORT TERM PASSENGER MOVEMENTS
IN PERCENTAGES - SEPTEMBER QUARTER 1978

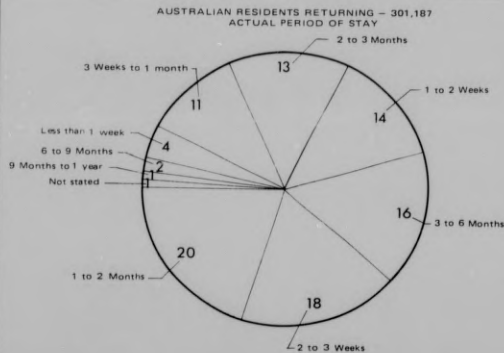
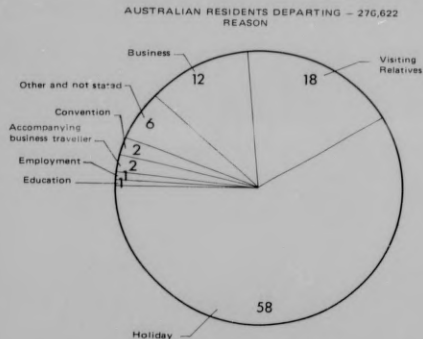
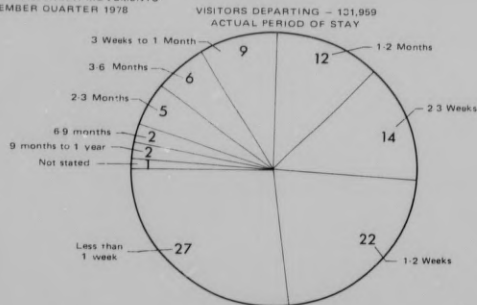
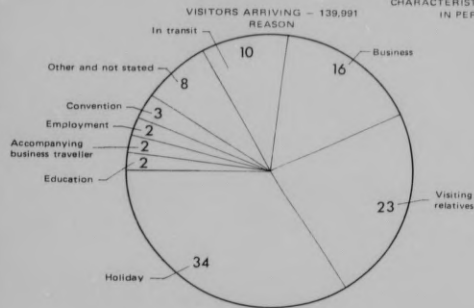


TABLE 1. ARRIVALS : CATEGORY OF MOVEMENT

Period	Permanent movement			Long-term movement		Total permanent and long-term	Short-term movement (a)		
	Assisted settlers	Other settlers	Total permanent	Australian residents	Overseas visitors		Australian residents	Overseas visitors	Total arrivals (a)
Year ended June -									
1976	18,518	34,230	52,748	60,225	21,687	134,660	931,725	529,656	1,596,040
1977	15,450	55,466	70,916	59,193	26,133	156,242	963,730	540,395	1,660,366
1978	20,178	52,993	73,171	57,312	28,043	158,527	989,025	580,883	1,728,435
Year ended December -									
1975	21,345	32,772	54,117	58,352	19,858	132,329	880,609	516,023	1,528,959
1976	15,840	42,477	58,317	59,875	23,312	141,504	968,265	531,868	1,641,636
1977	17,532	58,108	75,640	57,700	27,472	160,812	973,677	563,281	1,697,771
Quarter ended -									
1976 September	3,697	10,120	13,817	14,585	5,428	33,830	272,389	115,308	421,526
December	4,095	15,749	19,844	20,184	5,158	45,186	216,670	167,869	429,724
1977 March	3,832	15,513	19,345	14,046	9,527	42,918	283,384	147,639	473,941
June	3,826	14,084	17,910	10,378	6,020	34,308	191,287	109,579	335,174
September	4,164	12,401	16,565	13,763	6,399	36,727	280,644	121,067	438,438
December	5,710	16,110	21,820	19,513	5,526	46,859	218,362	184,996	450,217
1978 March	4,872	13,160	18,032	13,498	9,918	41,448	273,663	156,759	471,870
June	5,432	11,322	16,754	10,538	6,200	33,492	216,355	118,060	367,908
September	5,232	11,598	16,830	13,827	6,708	37,364	301,187	139,991	478,542

TABLE 2. DEPARTURES : CATEGORY OF MOVEMENT

Period	Permanent movement			Long-term movement		Total permanent and long-term	Short-term movement (a)		
	Former settlers	Other residents	Total permanent	Australian residents	Overseas visitors		Australian residents	Overseas visitors	Total departures (a)
Year ended June -									
1976	17,150	10,277	27,427	64,474	21,528	113,429	951,290	511,062	1,575,781
1977	15,447	9,141	24,588	68,792	19,724	113,103	965,659	525,256	1,604,019
1978	13,972	9,124	23,096	60,099	19,194	102,390	1,004,931	564,250	1,671,571
Year ended December -									
1975	18,315	10,769	29,084	66,405	23,327	118,816	911,815	506,454	1,537,084
1976	16,815	9,918	26,733	68,526	20,631	115,890	973,799	512,468	1,602,156
1977	14,171	8,591	22,762	64,091	19,182	106,034	971,253	540,943	1,618,230
Quarter ended -									
1976 September	3,996	2,264	6,260	16,051	4,287	26,598	243,492	110,036	380,125
December	4,231	2,281	6,512	16,066	6,792	29,370	254,358	127,651	411,379
1977 March	3,333	2,359	5,692	19,691	4,369	29,751	205,116	167,083	401,951
June	3,887	2,237	6,124	16,984	4,276	27,384	262,693	120,486	410,564
September	3,581	2,036	5,617	14,414	4,237	24,268	250,701	116,523	391,491
December	3,370	1,959	5,329	13,002	6,300	24,631	252,743	136,851	414,224
1978 March	2,981	2,161	5,142	17,870	4,649	27,661	207,089	184,957	419,706
June	4,040	2,968	7,008	14,813	4,009	25,830	294,399	125,920	446,149
September	3,500	2,903	6,403	13,812	4,356	24,572	276,622	131,959	433,153

(a) Figures in these tables relating to movement by air are partly based on a sample and are subject to sampling error. See paragraph 13 of the Explanatory Notes for more detail.

TABLE 3. EXCESS OF ARRIVALS OVER DEPARTURES (a)

Period	Permanent movement	Long-term movement		Total permanent and long-term	Short-term movement (b)		Total movement (b)
		Australian residents	Overseas visitors		Australian residents	Overseas visitors	
Year ended June —							
1976	25,321	-4,249	159	21,231	-19,565	18,594	20,259
1977	46,328	-9,599	6,409	43,139	-1,929	15,139	56,347
1978	50,075	-2,787	8,849	56,137	-15,906	16,633	56,864
Year ended December —							
1975	25,033	-8,053	-3,469	13,513	-31,206	9,569	-8,125
1976	31,584	-8,651	2,681	25,614	-5,534	19,400	39,480
1977	52,878	-6,391	8,290	54,778	2,424	22,338	79,541
Quarter ended —							
1976 September	7,557	-1,466	1,141	7,232	28,897	5,272	41,401
December	13,333	4,118	-1,634	15,817	-37,688	40,218	18,346
1977 March	13,653	-5,644	5,158	13,167	78,267	-19,444	71,999
June	11,786	-6,606	1,744	6,924	-71,406	-10,907	-75,390
September	10,948	-651	2,163	12,460	29,944	4,544	46,947
December	16,491	6,511	-774	22,228	-34,381	48,146	35,993
1978 March	12,890	-4,372	5,269	13,788	66,574	-28,198	52,164
June	9,746	-4,275	2,191	7,662	-78,044	-7,860	-82,741
September	10,427	15	2,351	12,793	24,565	8,032	45,390

(a) Minus sign (-) denotes excess of departures over arrivals. (b) Figures in this table relating to movement by air are partly based on a sample and are subject to sampling error. See paragraph 13 of the Explanatory Notes for more detail.

TABLE 4. TOTAL MOVEMENT : COUNTRY OF EMBARKATION
OR DISEMBARKATION AND MODE OF TRANSPORT
SEPTEMBER QUARTER 1978

Country of embarkation (arrivals) or disembarkation (departures)	Arrivals			Departures		
	By sea	By air (b)	Total (b)	By sea	By air (b)	Total (b)
AFRICA -						
Mauritius	-	947	947	2	949	951
South Africa	-	3,841	3,841	13	3,768	3,781
Other	-	286	286	12	332	344
<i>Total, Africa</i>	-	5,073	5,073	27	5,049	5,076
AMERICA -						
Canada	3	3,836	3,839	45	3,920	3,965
U.S. America	98	50,403	50,501	50	49,325	49,375
Other	5	126	131	2	152	154
<i>Total, America</i>	106	54,364	54,470	97	53,398	53,495
ASIA -						
Hong Kong	78	27,270	27,348	138	17,894	18,032
India	-	2,692	2,692	-	2,704	2,704
Indonesia	25	14,719	14,744	160	15,153	15,314
Japan	30	6,102	6,132	143	7,503	7,646
Lebanon	-	256	256	1	58	59
Malaysia	13	9,048	9,061	114	6,785	6,899
Philippines	9	8,767	8,776	3	7,865	7,868
Singapore	2,517	53,601	56,118	2,483	38,704	41,188
Thailand	9	5,322	5,331	3	3,401	3,404
Other & unspecified	21	2,567	2,588	20	1,987	2,143
<i>Total, Asia</i>	2,702	130,344	133,046	3,065	102,191	105,257
EUROPE -						
Austria	-	1,375	1,375	-	976	976
France	2	1,623	1,625	5	2,407	2,412
Germany (a)	1	9,571	9,572	2	8,559	8,561
Greece	1	14,383	14,384	1	12,441	12,442
Italy	-	15,488	15,488	3	15,245	15,248
Netherlands	-	5,926	5,926	1	5,302	5,303
Switzerland	-	507	507	-	590	590
U.K. & Ireland (a)	25	60,500	60,525	120	53,606	53,726
Yugoslavia	-	5,458	5,458	-	5,127	5,127
Other & unspecified	11	580	591	7	699	706
<i>Total, Europe</i>	40	115,410	115,450	139	104,952	105,091
OCEANIA -						
Fiji	255	23,165	23,420	231	23,425	23,656
New Caledonia	49	9,660	9,709	21	9,751	9,772
New Zealand	236	111,599	111,835	566	103,812	104,378
Norfolk Island	-	2,846	2,846	49	2,593	2,642
Papua New Guinea	114	14,828	14,942	67	14,375	14,442
Tahiti	4	1,968	1,972	2	2,000	2,002
Other	35	2,618	2,653	74	2,604	2,678
<i>Total, Oceania</i>	693	166,683	167,376	1,010	158,561	159,571
Not stated	216	2,911	3,127	440	4,224	4,664
Total	3,757	474,785	478,542	4,778	428,374	433,153

(a) See paragraph 10 of the Explanatory Notes. (b) Figures in this Table relating to movement by air are partly based on a sample and are subject to sampling error. See paragraph 13 of the Explanatory Notes for more detail.

TABLE 5. TOTAL MOVEMENT: STATE OR TERRITORY OF CLEARANCE AND MODE OF TRANSPORT

Period	New South Wales	Victoria	Queensland	South Australia	Western Australia	Tasmania	Northern Territory	Australian Capital Territory	Australia
ARRIVALS									
By sea									
Quarter ended -									
1976 September	1,649	141	201	-	5,560	-	130	-	7,681
December	4,442	123	651	-	7,789	146	194	-	13,345
1977 March	2,942	405	163	-	5,818	-	18	-	9,343
June	1,478	97	594	-	6,087	17	37	-	8,260
September	1,034	58	176	-	6,213	-	54	-	7,535
1978 December	4,071	223	170	1	7,154	-	727	-	12,346
March	2,405	614	85	1	3,789	370	179	-	7,443
June	1,631	64	477	1	3,146	-	526	-	5,839
September	586	25	286	-	2,727	-	133	-	3,757
By air (a)									
Quarter ended -									
1976 September	250,150	92,087	38,248	-	29,587	-	3,708	65	413,845
December	247,676	97,709	37,700	-	30,516	20	2,722	35	416,379
1977 March	279,934	110,321	38,781	382	31,417	-	3,704	59	464,595
June	201,520	69,445	32,133	304	20,943	-	2,391	178	326,914
September	253,714	103,545	37,770	374	31,811	-	3,648	41	430,903
1978 December	257,621	106,690	39,157	362	31,309	-	2,536	196	437,871
March	272,386	115,973	40,782	62	32,011	-	3,095	117	464,427
June	221,194	78,842	35,274	331	23,790	-	2,503	134	362,069
September	280,161	113,125	44,420	152	33,532	-	3,343	52	474,785
Total (a)									
Quarter ended -									
1976 September	251,799	92,228	38,449	-	35,147	-	3,838	65	421,526
December	252,118	97,832	38,352	-	38,305	166	2,916	35	429,724
1977 March	282,876	110,726	38,944	382	37,235	-	3,719	59	473,941
June	202,998	69,492	32,727	304	27,030	17	2,428	178	335,174
September	254,748	103,603	37,946	374	38,024	-	3,702	41	438,438
1978 December	261,692	106,913	39,327	363	38,463	-	3,263	196	450,217
March	274,791	116,587	40,867	63	35,800	370	3,274	117	471,870
June	222,825	78,906	35,751	332	26,936	-	3,023	134	367,908
September	280,747	113,150	44,706	152	36,259	-	3,476	52	478,542
DEPARTURES									
By sea									
Quarter ended -									
1976 September	2,654	1,062	301	4	3,261	3	229	-	7,514
December	3,142	949	457	40	3,368	63	150	-	8,169
1977 March	5,087	1,797	149	17	3,784	-	1	-	10,835
June	5,121	1,752	186	1	5,509	-	46	-	12,705
September	1,336	503	312	-	3,278	-	167	-	5,599
1978 December	2,760	599	381	-	3,051	49	2	-	8,810
March	4,362	397	255	81	3,694	19	26	-	8,666
June	3,469	777	157	2	4,375	-	54	-	8,834
September	1,231	21	234	-	3,083	-	209	-	4,778
By air (a)									
Quarter ended -									
1976 September	227,540	76,931	37,228	154	26,881	-	3,782	94	372,611
December	244,723	88,213	39,937	61	26,186	-	3,994	96	403,210
1977 March	238,127	87,267	35,206	610	26,774	-	2,974	156	391,116
June	237,765	94,690	31,741	226	29,961	-	3,303	173	397,859
September	231,862	86,228	36,297	395	27,524	-	3,514	75	385,895
1978 December	244,509	90,451	39,801	381	28,275	10	3,776	125	407,358
March	246,033	95,892	37,041	242	29,164	-	2,441	84	410,896
June	260,843	106,609	35,355	198	31,167	-	3,040	101	437,314
September	262,417	91,116	40,177	317	30,457	-	3,788	103	428,374
Total (a)									
Quarter ended -									
1976 September	230,195	77,993	37,529	158	30,142	3	4,011	94	380,125
December	247,875	89,152	40,394	101	29,554	63	4,144	96	411,379
1977 March	243,214	89,064	35,355	627	30,558	-	2,975	156	401,951
June	242,886	96,447	31,927	227	35,560	-	3,349	173	410,564
September	233,198	86,731	36,609	395	30,802	-	3,681	75	391,491
1978 December	247,269	91,080	40,182	381	31,326	59	3,802	125	414,224
March	250,395	96,289	37,296	323	32,858	19	2,443	84	419,706
June	264,312	107,386	35,512	200	35,542	-	3,094	101	446,149
September	263,648	91,137	40,411	317	33,540	-	3,998	103	433,153

(a) Figures in this table relating to movement by air are partly based on a sample and are subject to sampling error. See paragraph 13 of the Explanatory Notes for more detail.

TABLE 6. TOTAL MOVEMENT :
MONTH OF ARRIVAL OR DEPARTURE AND MODE OF TRANSPORT

Period	Arrivals				Departures			
	By sea	By air (a)	Total (a)		By sea	By air (a)	Total (a)	
			Number recorded	Seasonally adjusted			Number recorded	Seasonally adjusted
1976 -								
July	3,250	113,482	116,732	136,245	1,954	114,103	116,057	134,701
August	2,981	141,200	144,181	140,745	3,923	151,112	155,035	137,500
September	1,450	159,163	160,613	143,457	1,637	107,396	109,033	134,315
September quarter	7,681	413,845	421,526	420,447	7,514	372,611	380,125	406,516
October	4,685	153,040	157,725	142,704	3,230	104,021	107,250	131,180
November	1,832	130,221	132,053	135,303	2,744	111,672	114,416	130,512
December	6,828	133,118	139,947	136,965	2,195	187,517	189,712	138,110
December quarter	13,345	416,379	429,724	414,972	8,169	403,210	411,379	399,802
Year 1976	39,442	1,602,194	1,641,636	..	39,304	1,562,852	1,602,156	..
1977 -								
January	3,093	216,541	219,634	142,118	3,952	158,742	162,694	137,700
February	2,932	130,555	133,487	136,480	3,675	99,132	102,807	122,006
March	3,318	117,501	120,819	137,457	3,208	133,242	136,450	131,409
March quarter	9,343	464,598	473,941	416,055	10,835	391,116	401,951	391,115
April	2,869	107,452	110,321	138,197	5,138	133,061	138,199	135,260
May	3,706	112,159	115,865	127,341	5,574	140,927	146,501	127,460
June	1,685	107,303	108,988	139,180	1,993	123,871	125,864	138,495
June quarter	8,260	326,914	335,174	404,718	12,705	397,859	410,564	401,215
July	3,434	127,948	131,382	153,128	2,042	125,495	127,537	149,504
August	1,718	138,478	140,196	136,837	2,539	152,153	154,692	137,200
September	2,383	164,478	166,861	149,800	1,015	108,248	109,263	134,112
September quarter	7,535	430,903	438,438	439,765	5,596	385,895	391,491	420,816
October	3,145	147,397	150,542	134,393	2,913	110,270	113,183	135,659
November	2,192	150,382	152,574	157,502	1,923	113,945	115,868	136,101
December	7,009	140,092	147,101	143,103	2,030	183,143	185,173	131,959
December quarter	12,346	437,871	450,217	434,998	6,866	407,358	414,224	403,719
Year 1977	37,484	1,660,287	1,697,771	..	36,002	1,582,228	1,618,230	..
1978 -								
January	2,178	206,362	208,540	137,068	2,676	155,224	157,900	134,813
February	2,819	131,908	134,727	137,663	3,449	119,915	123,364	146,702
March	2,446	126,158	128,604	141,120	2,685	135,757	138,442	134,148
March quarter	7,443	464,427	471,870	415,851	8,810	410,896	419,706	415,663
April	1,851	113,907	115,758	150,656	3,818	140,995	144,813	140,568
May	2,797	133,192	135,989	148,968	2,597	162,182	165,180	145,468
June	1,191	114,970	116,161	150,495	2,019	134,137	136,156	148,622
June quarter	5,839	362,069	367,908	450,119	8,834	437,314	446,149	434,658
July	1,199	140,515	141,714	163,101	1,843	134,960	136,803	156,678
August	1,650	151,133	152,783	150,770	1,647	165,475	167,122	149,401
September	908	183,138	184,046	160,048	1,288	127,939	129,227	157,725
September quarter	3,757	474,785	478,542	473,919	4,778	428,374	433,153	463,804

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TABLE 7. PERMANENT MOVEMENT:
CATEGORY OF TRAVELLER AND STATE OR TERRITORY OF INTENDED/LAST RESIDENCE

Period	State or Territory of intended address (arrivals) or last residence (departures)									
	New South Wales	Victoria	Queensland	South Australia	Western Australia	Tasmania	Northern Territory	Australian Capital Territory	Not stated	Australia
SETTLERS ARRIVING										
Assisted settlers										
Quarter ended -										
1976 September	1,428	873	235	292	822	12	-	21	14	3,697
December	1,295	1,200	351	306	814	44	17	24	14	4,095
1977 March	884	1,265	291	525	701	127	1	28	10	3,832
June	1,154	1,371	234	444	552	42	6	21	2	3,826
September	1,169	1,481	410	437	578	30	22	28	9	4,164
1978 March	1,687	2,084	500	504	845	50	1	38	1	5,710
June	2,223	1,402	289	310	570	37	4	14	3	4,872
September	2,773	1,670	403	163	356	47	-	17	3	5,432
December	2,106	1,790	362	336	598	28	-	11	1	5,232
Other settlers										
Quarter ended -										
1976 September	3,964	2,814	879	628	1,251	107	106	146	225	10,120
December	6,886	4,461	1,116	862	1,538	177	136	190	383	15,749
1977 March	6,930	4,292	1,106	825	1,549	149	146	204	312	15,513
June	6,558	3,493	1,108	730	1,428	122	119	141	385	14,084
September	5,038	2,986	1,253	751	1,699	147	131	177	219	12,401
1978 March	5,772	4,035	1,615	1,005	2,126	219	739	193	406	16,110
June	4,859	3,361	1,373	807	1,887	160	287	168	258	13,160
September	4,143	2,653	1,315	714	1,361	147	464	140	385	11,322
December	4,624	2,905	1,372	680	1,373	119	85	162	278	11,598
Total settlers arriving										
Quarter ended -										
1976 September	5,392	3,687	1,114	920	2,073	119	106	167	239	13,817
December	8,181	5,661	1,467	1,168	2,382	221	153	214	397	19,844
1977 March	7,814	5,557	1,397	1,350	2,250	276	147	232	322	19,345
June	7,712	4,864	1,342	1,174	1,980	164	125	162	387	17,910
September	6,207	4,467	1,663	1,188	2,277	177	153	205	228	16,565
1978 March	7,459	6,119	2,115	1,509	2,971	269	740	231	407	21,820
June	7,082	4,763	1,662	1,117	2,477	197	291	182	261	18,032
September	6,916	4,323	1,718	877	1,717	194	464	157	388	16,754
December	6,730	4,695	1,734	1,016	1,971	147	85	173	279	16,830
AUSTRALIAN RESIDENTS DEPARTING PERMANENTLY										
Former settlers										
Quarter ended -										
1976 September	1,247	955	409	495	654	55	21	50	110	3,996
December	1,329	925	467	529	739	38	32	65	107	4,231
1977 March	1,001	791	396	380	557	52	20	40	96	3,333
June	1,175	884	362	511	664	84	26	72	109	3,889
September	1,074	836	401	442	569	68	24	53	114	3,581
1978 March	1,043	771	429	334	543	54	26	70	100	3,370
June	855	604	363	364	557	66	29	52	91	2,981
September	1,185	937	434	519	712	70	15	54	114	4,040
December	1,066	767	372	431	661	30	23	61	89	3,500
Other Australian residents										
Quarter ended -										
1976 September	865	534	297	198	189	53	15	45	67	2,264
December	861	516	356	145	230	32	11	51	79	2,281
1977 March	934	516	343	181	198	55	12	41	79	2,359
June	878	489	263	186	222	43	18	71	67	2,237
September	743	445	295	194	185	54	21	37	59	2,036
1978 March	707	445	298	134	205	51	17	45	57	1,959
June	799	465	302	172	200	66	20	50	87	2,161
September	1,055	684	379	252	325	33	41	103	96	2,968
December	992	673	365	262	321	27	32	127	104	2,903
Total Australian residents departing permanently										
Quarter ended -										
1976 September	2,113	1,489	706	693	843	108	36	95	177	6,260
December	2,190	1,441	823	674	969	70	43	116	186	6,512
1977 March	1,935	1,307	739	561	755	107	32	81	175	5,692
June	2,053	1,373	625	697	886	127	44	143	176	6,124
September	1,817	1,284	696	636	754	122	45	90	173	5,617
1978 March	1,750	1,216	727	468	748	105	43	115	157	5,329
June	1,654	1,069	665	536	757	132	49	102	178	5,143
September	2,240	1,621	813	771	1,037	103	56	157	210	7,008
December	2,058	1,440	737	693	982	57	55	188	193	6,403

TABLE 8. LONG-TERM MOVEMENT:
CATEGORY OF TRAVELLER AND STATE OR TERRITORY OF INTENDED/LAST RESIDENCE

Period	State or Territory of intended address (arrivals) or last residence (departures)									
	New South Wales	Victoria	Queensland	South Australia	Western Australia	Tasmania	Northern Territory	Australian Capital Territory	Not stated	Australia
LONG-TERM MOVEMENT - ARRIVALS										
Australian residents returning										
Quarter ended -										
1976 September	5,218	3,669	2,050	1,166	1,508	195	88	567	124	14,585
December	7,237	5,233	2,554	1,547	2,134	381	98	881	118	20,184
1977 March	5,062	3,655	1,690	942	1,540	251	89	720	98	14,046
June	3,677	2,413	1,516	864	1,155	144	118	431	60	10,378
September	5,005	3,356	1,865	1,122	1,468	228	77	540	102	13,763
December	7,313	4,957	2,499	1,511	1,941	351	98	726	116	19,513
1978 March	4,802	3,385	1,774	1,024	1,518	182	76	623	116	13,498
June	4,033	2,616	1,474	729	1,045	117	86	359	80	10,538
September	5,213	3,460	1,907	968	1,322	187	108	580	83	13,827
Overseas visitors arriving										
Quarter ended -										
1976 September	1,980	1,077	716	359	538	18	150	312	278	5,428
December	1,839	1,031	628	298	552	32	199	250	328	5,158
1977 March	3,384	2,363	1,184	440	966	131	195	400	464	9,527
June	2,322	1,106	839	286	651	35	157	239	384	6,020
September	2,312	1,276	849	291	726	43	257	367	279	6,399
December	2,026	1,125	848	258	600	39	112	274	244	5,526
1978 March	3,785	2,344	1,333	346	974	86	199	508	343	9,918
June	2,498	1,196	892	219	706	39	151	261	239	6,200
September	2,682	1,381	932	246	688	36	153	354	236	6,708
Total										
Quarter ended -										
1976 September	7,198	4,746	2,766	1,525	2,046	213	238	879	402	20,013
December	9,076	6,264	3,182	1,845	2,686	413	297	1,131	446	25,342
1977 March	8,446	6,018	2,874	1,382	2,506	382	284	1,120	562	23,573
June	5,999	3,519	2,355	1,150	1,806	179	275	670	444	16,398
September	7,317	4,632	2,714	1,413	2,194	271	334	907	381	20,162
December	9,339	6,082	3,347	1,769	2,541	390	210	1,000	360	25,039
1978 March	8,587	5,727	3,107	1,370	2,492	268	275	1,131	459	23,416
June	6,531	3,812	2,366	948	1,751	156	237	620	319	16,738
September	7,895	4,841	2,839	1,214	2,010	223	261	934	319	20,535
LONG-TERM MOVEMENT - DEPARTURES										
Australian residents departing										
Quarter ended -										
1976 September	5,899	3,769	1,947	1,234	1,845	250	168	842	96	16,051
December	6,001	3,675	2,344	1,068	1,712	232	197	722	115	16,066
1977 March	7,051	4,976	2,626	1,505	2,042	355	167	813	156	19,691
June	6,441	4,216	2,145	1,171	1,820	244	181	656	110	16,984
September	5,407	3,315	1,972	1,051	1,505	214	167	717	67	14,414
December	4,586	2,988	1,934	951	1,477	148	140	700	79	13,002
1978 March	6,640	4,251	2,271	1,427	1,820	327	180	848	105	17,870
June	5,553	3,672	1,828	1,113	1,682	235	95	551	84	14,813
September	4,872	3,215	1,927	1,023	1,622	258	88	747	59	13,812
Overseas visitors departing										
Quarter ended -										
1976 September	1,649	819	447	229	416	30	158	401	138	4,287
December	2,522	1,519	827	317	766	42	129	405	265	6,792
1977 March	1,530	1,085	435	304	455	51	94	234	180	4,369
June	1,502	943	511	270	451	45	137	264	154	4,276
September	1,490	861	445	309	456	38	155	301	182	4,237
December	2,157	1,602	606	325	743	65	229	381	192	6,300
1978 March	1,658	1,119	427	268	551	59	112	246	209	4,649
June	1,517	866	351	214	469	42	149	284	116	4,009
September	1,586	908	449	275	511	43	108	333	144	4,356
Total										
Quarter ended -										
1976 September	7,548	4,588	2,394	1,463	2,261	280	326	1,243	234	20,338
December	8,523	5,194	3,071	1,385	2,478	274	326	1,127	380	22,858
1977 March	8,581	6,061	3,061	1,409	2,497	406	261	1,047	336	24,660
June	7,943	5,159	2,656	1,441	2,271	289	318	920	264	21,260
September	6,897	4,176	2,417	1,360	1,961	252	322	1,018	249	18,651
December	6,743	4,590	2,540	1,276	2,220	213	296	1,081	271	19,302
1978 March	8,298	5,370	2,698	1,695	2,371	386	292	1,094	314	22,519
June	7,070	4,538	2,179	1,327	2,151	277	244	835	200	18,822
September	6,458	4,123	2,376	1,298	2,133	301	196	1,080	203	18,168

TABLE 9. PERMANENT AND LONG-TERM MOVEMENT :
STATE OR TERRITORY OF INTENDED/LAST RESIDENCE

Period	State or Territory of intended address (arrivals) or last residence (departures)								
	New South Wales	Victoria	Queensland	South Australia	Western Australia	Tasmania	Northern Territory	Australian Capital Territory	Not stated
ARRIVALS									
Quarter ended -									
1976 September	12,590	8,433	3,880	2,445	4,120	332	344	1,046	641
December	17,256	11,926	4,648	3,013	5,069	634	450	1,346	844
1977 March	16,260	11,575	4,271	2,732	4,756	658	431	1,352	884
June	13,712	8,383	3,697	2,324	3,786	343	400	832	831
September	13,524	9,099	4,377	2,601	4,471	448	487	1,112	609
December	16,798	12,201	5,463	3,279	5,512	659	950	1,231	767
1978 March	15,669	10,490	4,769	2,488	4,969	465	566	1,313	720
June	13,446	8,135	4,084	1,825	3,468	350	701	777	707
September	14,625	9,535	4,572	2,230	3,981	370	346	1,107	598
DEPARTURES									
Quarter ended -									
1976 September	9,661	6,077	3,101	2,156	3,104	388	362	1,338	411
December	10,713	6,636	3,993	2,059	3,447	344	369	1,243	566
1977 March	10,516	7,367	3,800	2,371	3,252	513	293	1,128	511
June	9,995	6,532	3,281	2,138	3,157	416	362	1,063	440
September	8,714	5,460	3,113	1,996	2,715	374	367	1,108	422
December	8,493	5,806	3,267	1,744	2,968	318	412	1,196	428
1978 March	9,952	6,439	3,363	2,231	3,129	518	341	1,196	492
June	9,310	6,159	2,992	2,098	3,189	380	300	992	410
September	8,516	5,563	3,113	1,991	3,115	358	251	1,268	396
EXCESS OF ARRIVALS OVER DEPARTURES (a)									
Quarter ended -									
1976 September	2,928	2,356	779	288	1,016	-56	-18	-292	230
December	6,543	5,290	655	954	1,622	290	81	103	278
1977 March	5,744	4,207	471	361	1,504	145	138	224	373
June	3,717	1,851	416	186	629	-73	38	-231	391
September	4,810	3,639	1,264	605	1,756	74	120	4	187
December	8,305	6,395	2,196	1,535	2,544	341	538	36	339
1978 March	5,717	4,051	1,405	256	1,840	-53	118	225	228
June	4,136	1,976	1,092	-273	279	-30	401	-215	297
September	6,108	3,973	1,459	239	866	12	95	-161	202

(a) Minus sign (-) denotes excess of Departures over Arrivals.

TABLE 10. PERMANENT MOVEMENT :
COUNTRY OF LAST/INTENDED RESIDENCE, SEPTEMBER QUARTER 1978

Country of last residence (arrivals) or country of intended future residence (departures)	Settlers arriving			Australian residents departing permanently			Excess of arrivals over departures (b)	
	Assisted settlers	Other settlers	All settlers	Former settlers	Other Australian residents	Total	Settlers	Total
AFRICA -								
Arab Republic of Egypt	3	44	47	3	4	7	44	40
Mauritius	-	54	54	-	-	-	54	54
Rhodesia	18	97	115	3	1	4	112	111
South Africa	41	550	591	14	21	35	577	556
Other	1	103	104	2	19	21	102	83
<i>Total, Africa</i>	<i>63</i>	<i>848</i>	<i>911</i>	<i>22</i>	<i>45</i>	<i>67</i>	<i>889</i>	<i>844</i>
AMERICA -								
Argentina	171	55	226	10	2	12	216	214
Brazil	27	15	42	5	6	11	37	31
Canada	-	218	218	98	165	263	120	-45
Chile	158	41	199	6	4	10	193	189
United States of America	9	320	329	200	381	581	129	-252
Uruguay	69	61	130	3	-	3	127	127
Other	26	27	53	14	16	30	39	23
<i>Total, America</i>	<i>460</i>	<i>737</i>	<i>1,197</i>	<i>336</i>	<i>574</i>	<i>910</i>	<i>861</i>	<i>287</i>
ASIA -								
Cyprus	-	107	107	-	-	-	107	107
Hong Kong	-	622	622	26	75	101	596	521
India	-	132	132	3	1	4	129	128
Kampuchea	99	-	99	-	-	-	99	99
Korea	-	98	98	4	3	7	94	91
Laos	233	233	233	-	-	-	233	233
Lebanon	1	354	355	4	1	5	351	350
Malaysia	1,979	317	2,296	4	16	20	2,292	2,276
Philippines	36	220	256	3	8	11	253	245
Singapore	1	148	149	3	41	44	146	105
Sri Lanka	8	80	88	1	-	1	87	87
Thailand	31	39	70	1	3	4	69	66
Turkey (in Asia & Europe)	-	227	227	4	7	11	223	216
Vietnam	428	57	485	-	-	-	485	485
Other & unspecified	5	305	310	25	79	104	285	206
<i>Total, Asia</i>	<i>2,821</i>	<i>2,706</i>	<i>5,527</i>	<i>78</i>	<i>234</i>	<i>312</i>	<i>5,449</i>	<i>5,215</i>
EUROPE -								
Austria	71	25	96	10	8	18	86	78
Denmark	38	19	57	11	12	23	46	34
Finland	35	18	53	6	6	12	47	41
France	22	45	67	22	24	46	45	21
Germany (a)	106	165	271	66	55	121	205	150
Greece	-	277	277	33	31	64	244	213
Italy	81	451	532	87	54	141	445	391
Malta	30	123	153	17	4	21	136	132
Netherlands	25	123	148	71	48	119	77	29
Poland	3	37	40	9	5	14	31	26
Portugal	22	134	156	4	8	12	148	148
Spain	7	22	29	9	17	26	20	3
Sweden	15	24	39	10	9	19	29	20
Switzerland	8	46	54	31	23	54	23	-
U.K. & Ireland (a)	1,401	2,487	3,888	2,118	956	3,074	1,770	814
Yugoslavia	12	306	318	69	42	111	249	207
Other & unspecified	9	55	64	12	6	18	52	46
<i>Total, Europe</i>	<i>1,885</i>	<i>4,357</i>	<i>6,242</i>	<i>2,585</i>	<i>1,304</i>	<i>3,889</i>	<i>3,657</i>	<i>2,353</i>
OCEANIA -								
Fiji	-	104	104	7	23	30	97	74
New Zealand	-	2,656	2,656	372	572	944	2,284	1,712
Papua New Guinea	-	106	106	15	47	62	91	44
Other	-	80	80	8	32	40	72	40
<i>Total, Oceania</i>	<i>-</i>	<i>2,946</i>	<i>2,946</i>	<i>402</i>	<i>674</i>	<i>1,076</i>	<i>2,544</i>	<i>1,870</i>
Not stated	3	4	7	77	72	149	-70	-142
Total	5,232	11,598	16,830	3,500	2,903	6,403	13,330	10,427

(a) See paragraph 10 of the explanatory notes. (b) Minus sign (-) denotes excess of Departures over Arrivals.

TABLE 11. PERMANENT MOVEMENT :
COUNTRY OF CITIZENSHIP, SEPTEMBER QUARTER 1978

Country of citizenship	Settlers arriving			Australian residents departing permanently			Excess of arrivals over departures (b)	
	Assisted settlers	Other settlers	All settlers	Former settlers	Other Australian residents	Total	Settlers	Total
Arab Republic of Egypt	4	49	53	3	—	3	50	50
Argentina	144	44	188	8	1	9	180	179
Australia	12	483	495	414	1,519	1,933	81	-1,438
Austria	9	29	38	5	7	12	33	26
Brazil	27	10	37	4	1	5	33	32
Canada	2	151	153	63	55	118	90	35
Chile	169	40	209	5	2	7	204	202
China (People's Rep.)	1	104	105	—	—	—	105	105
Colombia	17	5	22	—	1	1	22	21
Cyprus	1	104	105	—	—	—	105	105
Denmark	32	22	54	8	7	15	46	39
Finland	34	22	56	7	6	13	49	43
Fiji	—	99	99	1	2	3	98	96
France	19	48	67	21	23	44	46	23
Germany (a)	72	150	222	50	30	80	172	142
Greece	—	242	242	16	9	25	226	217
Hong Kong	—	378	378	2	—	2	376	376
India	11	160	171	—	1	1	171	170
Indonesia	—	43	43	7	7	14	36	29
Israel	8	38	46	1	1	2	45	44
Italy	75	349	424	75	24	99	349	325
Japan	—	17	17	7	22	29	10	-12
Kampuchea	99	—	99	—	—	—	99	99
Korea	3	90	93	—	—	—	93	93
Laos	243	—	243	—	—	—	243	243
Lebanon	10	305	315	3	—	3	312	312
Malaysia	15	319	334	3	9	12	331	322
Malta	24	126	150	17	4	21	133	129
Mauritius	—	54	54	1	—	1	53	53
Netherlands	25	140	165	60	40	100	105	65
New Zealand	—	2,426	2,426	283	165	448	2,143	1,978
Papua New Guinea	—	17	17	—	2	2	17	15
Philippines	34	237	271	3	5	8	268	266
Poland	16	40	56	5	5	10	51	46
Portugal	22	147	169	6	3	9	163	160
Republic of Ireland	34	117	151	53	47	100	98	51
Rhodesia	10	23	33	1	—	1	32	32
Singapore	3	108	111	1	1	2	110	109
South Africa	38	440	478	5	3	8	473	470
Spain	10	10	20	8	13	21	12	-1
Sri Lanka	19	98	117	—	—	—	117	117
Sweden	14	22	36	11	9	20	25	16
Switzerland	5	46	51	20	10	30	31	21
Thailand	1	32	33	1	2	3	32	30
Turkey	1	233	234	4	6	10	230	224
United Kingdom	1,328	2,827	4,155	2,121	632	2,753	2,034	1,402
United States of America	9	242	251	123	190	313	128	-62
Uruguay	75	61	136	3	—	3	133	133
U.S.S.R.	—	25	25	2	—	2	23	23
Vietnam	2,437	55	2,492	—	—	—	2,492	2,492
Yugoslavia	21	311	332	48	21	69	284	263
Other countries	55	270	325	18	21	39	307	286
Stateless	44	190	234	3	—	3	231	231
Total	5,232	11,598	16,830	3,500	2,903	6,403	13,330	10,427

(a) See paragraph 10 of the explanatory notes. (b) Minus sign (—) denotes excess of Departures over Arrivals.

TABLE 12. PERMANENT MOVEMENT : OCCUPATION AND SEX
SEPTEMBER QUARTER 1978

Occupation group	Australian residents departing permanently											
	Settlers arriving			Former settlers			Other Australian residents			Total		
	Males	Females	Persons	Males	Females	Persons	Males	Females	Persons	Males	Females	Persons
Professional, technical and related workers	892	701	1,593	186	127	313	208	165	373	394	292	686
Administrative, executive and managerial workers	401	88	489	111	20	131	106	24	130	217	44	261
Clerical workers	186	752	938	40	180	220	27	123	150	67	303	370
Sales workers	169	105	274	65	42	107	27	21	48	92	63	155
Farmers, fishermen, hunters, timber getters and related workers	173	23	196	16	1	17	11	2	13	27	3	30
Miners, quarrymen and related workers	4	—	4	8	—	8	2	—	2	10	—	10
Workers in transport and communication	236	34	270	81	10	91	29	4	33	110	14	124
Craftsmen and production-process workers	1,709	287	1,996	433	67	500	156	15	171	589	82	671
Labourers (a)	411	117	528	97	6	103	35	4	39	132	10	142
Service (protective and other), sport and recreation workers	232	250	482	64	66	130	30	33	63	94	99	193
Occupation inadequately described or not stated	399	356	755	50	36	86	29	29	58	79	65	144
Persons not in labour force —												
Children and students	3,379	2,783	6,162	394	391	785	751	679	1,430	1,145	1,070	2,215
Others	394	2,749	3,143	169	840	1,009	30	363	393	199	1,203	1,402
Total	8,585	8,245	16,830	1,714	1,786	3,500	1,441	1,462	2,903	3,155	3,248	6,403

(a) Labourers not elsewhere classified, and freight handlers, including waterside workers.

TABLE 13. PERMANENT MOVEMENT:
STATE OR TERRITORY OF INTENDED/LAST RESIDENCE AND OCCUPATION
SEPTEMBER QUARTER 1978

Occupation group	State of intended address (arrivals) or last residence (departures)									
	New South Wales	Victoria	Queensland	South Australia	Western Australia	Tasmania	Northern Territory	Australian Capital Territory	Not stated	Australia
SETTLERS ARRIVING										
Professional, technical and related workers	640	428	166	91	196	27	4	25	16	1,593
Administrative, executive and managerial workers	193	117	67	24	66	4	7	5	6	489
Clerical workers	392	237	88	39	143	2	3	13	21	938
Sales workers	106	69	47	11	29	3	1	2	6	274
Farmers, fishermen, hunters, timber getters and related workers	76	58	13	18	24	1	2	3	1	196
Miners, quarrymen and related workers	2	—	1	—	1	—	—	—	—	4
Workers in transport and communication	103	74	32	4	36	3	1	1	16	270
Craftsmen and production-process workers	750	628	208	121	213	11	10	8	47	1,996
Labourers (a)	167	196	69	36	53	1	—	—	6	528
Service (protective and other), sport and recreation workers	239	99	44	32	40	4	5	7	12	482
Occupation inadequately described or not stated	378	213	41	26	59	4	10	9	15	755
Persons not in labour force —										
Children and students	2,468	1,704	676	360	719	54	18	72	91	6,162
Others	1,216	872	282	254	392	33	24	28	42	3,143
Total	6,730	4,695	1,734	1,016	1,971	147	85	173	279	16,830
AUSTRALIAN RESIDENTS DEPARTING PERMANENTLY										
Professional, technical and related workers	228	168	102	57	86	5	6	19	15	686
Administrative, executive and managerial workers	104	54	31	21	16	4	3	19	9	261
Clerical workers	153	80	27	28	52	4	3	11	12	370
Sales workers	48	34	21	20	22	3	2	2	3	155
Farmers, fishermen, hunters, timber getters and related workers	8	6	6	2	6	1	—	—	1	30
Miners, quarrymen and related workers	5	—	1	1	3	—	—	—	—	10
Workers in transport and communication	37	24	14	12	27	—	4	3	3	124
Craftsmen and production-process workers	219	140	66	86	128	7	3	9	13	671
Labourers (a)	48	35	19	9	22	1	1	1	6	142
Service (protective and other), sport and recreation workers	58	28	33	18	37	2	1	5	11	193
Occupation inadequately described or not stated	59	24	14	13	19	1	3	8	3	144
Persons not in labour force —										
Children and students	654	511	269	259	329	19	19	81	74	2,215
Others	437	336	134	167	235	10	10	30	43	1,402
Total	2,058	1,440	737	693	982	57	55	188	193	6,403

(a) Labourers not elsewhere classified, and freight handlers, including waterside workers.

TABLE 14. LONG-TERM MOVEMENT :
CATEGORY OF TRAVELLER, OCCUPATION AND SEX
SEPTEMBER QUARTER 1978

Occupation group	Australian residents						Overseas visitors						Total long-term movement					
	Residents returning from overseas			Residents departing			Overseas visitors arriving			Overseas visitors departing			Arrivals			Departures		
	Males	Females	Persons	Males	Females	Persons	Males	Females	Persons	Males	Females	Persons	Males	Females	Persons	Males	Females	Persons
Professional, technical and related workers	1,603	1,186	2,790	1,743	1,176	2,919	502	387	890	410	278	688	2,105	1,573	3,680	2,153	1,454	3,607
Administrative, executive and managerial workers	723	124	847	788	168	956	588	41	629	409	33	442	1,311	165	1,476	1,197	201	1,398
Clerical workers	280	819	1,099	293	701	994	149	359	508	113	216	329	429	1,178	1,607	406	917	1,323
Sales workers	208	91	299	191	123	314	110	65	175	89	35	124	318	156	474	280	158	438
Farmers, fishermen, hunters, timber getters and related workers	83	4	87	89	21	110	87	6	93	59	6	65	170	10	180	148	27	175
Miners, quarrymen and related workers	15	—	15	23	—	23	7	—	7	6	—	6	22	—	22	29	—	29
Workers in transport and communication	205	35	240	210	34	244	150	21	171	72	18	90	355	56	411	282	52	334
Craftsmen and production-process workers	994	92	1,086	900	49	949	964	85	1,049	342	32	374	1,958	177	2,135	1,242	81	1,323
Labourers (a)	257	27	284	301	26	327	184	5	189	125	5	130	441	32	473	426	31	457
Service (protective and other), sport and recreation workers	437	168	605	400	189	589	261	169	430	234	145	379	698	337	1,035	634	334	968
Occupation inadequately described or not stated	242	157	399	180	112	292	133	115	248	124	107	231	375	272	647	304	219	523
Persons not in labour force —																		
Children and students	1,992	1,713	3,705	2,125	1,791	3,916	918	697	1,615	545	386	931	2,910	2,410	5,320	2,670	2,177	4,847
Others	288	2,082	2,370	221	1,959	2,180	18	684	702	30	535	565	306	2,766	3,072	251	2,494	2,745
Total	7,328	6,499	13,827	7,464	6,348	13,812	4,073	2,635	6,708	2,559	1,798	4,356	11,401	9,134	20,535	10,023	8,146	18,168

(a) Labourers not elsewhere classified, and freight handlers, including waterside workers.

TABLE 15. LONG-TERM MOVEMENT: OVERSEAS VISITORS ARRIVING AND AUSTRALIAN RESIDENTS DEPARTING,
PURPOSE OF JOURNEY AND INTENDED LENGTH OF STAY, SEPTEMBER QUARTER 1978

Intended length of stay	Purpose of journey						Total	
	Business	Accompanying business traveller	Visiting relatives	Holiday	Employment	Education		Other and not stated
OVERSEAS VISITORS ARRIVING								
1 year and under 2 years	154	117	156	201	628	76	358	1,691
2 years and under 3 years	270	328	180	242	1,411	98	935	3,464
3 years and under 4 years	149	159	26	36	235	57	263	925
4 years and under 5 years	41	41	14	5	66	16	76	259
5 years and over	12	13	29	12	127	16	87	296
Not stated	11	5	14	21	7	1	13	72
Males	587	258	203	308	1,658	137	922	4,073
Females	51	405	217	208	816	127	810	2,635
Total	638	663	419	517	2,474	264	1,732	6,708
AUSTRALIAN RESIDENTS DEPARTING								
1 year and under 2 years	349	464	841	1,716	633	279	1,046	5,327
2 years and under 3 years	384	740	671	1,000	1,437	315	1,407	5,954
3 years and under 4 years	104	228	201	171	387	168	421	1,680
4 years and under 5 years	13	28	5	27	55	66	79	273
5 years and over	23	26	21	70	78	33	81	332
Not stated	19	9	36	128	4	5	45	246
Males	728	493	787	1,676	1,883	503	1,394	7,464
Females	164	1,002	988	1,436	711	363	1,685	6,348
Total	892	1,495	1,775	3,112	2,594	866	3,079	13,812

TABLE 16. SHORT-TERM MOVEMENT : OVERSEAS VISITORS ARRIVING AND AUSTRALIAN RESIDENTS DEPARTING, MONTH OF ARRIVAL OR DEPARTURE AND MODE OF TRANSPORT

Period	Overseas visitors arriving				Australian residents departing			
	By sea	By air (a)	Total (a)		By sea	By air (a)	Total (a)	
			Number recorded	Seasonally adjusted			Number recorded	Seasonally adjusted
1976 -								
July	495	34,626	35,121	43,249	1,257	75,749	77,006	83,062
August	558	43,576	44,134	44,206	2,017	101,592	103,609	81,600
September	414	35,639	36,053	44,577	995	61,882	62,877	82,966
September quarter	1,467	113,841	115,308	132,032	4,269	239,223	243,492	247,628
October	1,253	45,562	46,815	44,496	1,700	58,992	60,692	83,665
November	569	53,114	53,683	45,852	1,285	57,534	58,819	81,526
December	2,166	65,205	67,371	44,451	1,300	133,547	134,847	81,125
December quarter	3,988	163,881	167,869	134,799	4,285	250,073	254,358	246,316
Year 1976	9,637	522,231	531,868	..	23,341	950,458	973,799	..
1977 -								
January	720	47,885	48,605	45,596	1,830	79,333	81,163	83,734
February	951	47,442	48,393	45,632	2,611	45,111	47,722	75,342
March	824	49,817	50,641	47,545	1,845	74,387	76,232	72,700
March quarter	2,495	145,144	147,639	138,773	6,286	198,830	205,116	231,776
April	633	41,051	41,684	47,596	3,270	78,627	81,897	76,695
May	721	35,484	36,205	41,549	3,787	91,599	95,386	77,940
June	328	31,332	31,690	46,555	1,394	84,016	85,410	83,857
June quarter	1,712	107,867	109,579	135,700	8,451	254,242	262,693	238,492
July	421	40,411	40,832	49,384	1,265	83,103	84,368	90,055
August	386	42,377	42,763	43,598	1,427	101,933	103,360	86,636
September	259	37,212	37,471	46,135	655	62,317	62,972	81,262
September quarter	1,066	120,001	121,067	139,117	3,347	247,354	250,701	254,953
October	451	45,424	45,875	43,539	1,664	63,876	65,540	91,557
November	776	64,319	65,095	55,980	1,034	58,161	59,195	82,328
December	1,986	72,040	74,026	48,298	1,290	126,718	128,008	75,186
December quarter	3,213	181,784	184,996	147,817	3,988	248,755	252,743	249,071
Year 1977	8,486	554,796	563,281	..	22,072	949,181	971,253	..
1978 -								
January	528	49,370	49,898	46,946	1,428	72,989	74,417	78,390
February	1,093	50,790	51,883	49,044	2,236	54,848	57,084	88,299
March	689	54,289	54,978	51,078	1,808	73,781	75,589	74,548
March quarter	2,310	154,449	156,759	147,068	5,472	201,617	207,089	241,237
April	279	41,598	41,877	46,339	2,370	85,911	88,281	84,118
May	357	41,012	41,369	48,568	2,087	109,009	111,096	94,325
June	346	34,467	34,813	50,726	1,219	93,803	95,022	91,317
June quarter	982	117,078	118,060	145,633	5,676	288,723	294,399	269,760
July	171	44,164	44,335	52,577	1,250	90,218	91,468	96,908
August	220	49,527	49,747	51,320	1,074	110,335	111,409	88,373
September	151	45,759	45,910	56,287	728	73,018	73,746	93,921
September quarter	542	139,449	139,991	160,184	3,052	273,570	276,622	279,202

(a) Figures in this table relating to movement by air are based on a sample and are subject to sampling error. See paragraph 13 of the Explanatory Notes for more detail.

TABLE 17. SHORT-TERM MOVEMENT : OVERSEAS VISITORS ARRIVING AND AUSTRALIAN RESIDENTS DEPARTING,
STATE OR TERRITORY OF INTENDED/LAST RESIDENCE AND PURPOSE OF JOURNEY
SEPTEMBER QUARTER 1978

STATEMENT OF VISITORS TO AUSTRALIA - JANUARY QUARTER 1978											
Purpose of journey	State or Territory of intended address (arrivals) or last residence (departures)										
	New South Wales	Victoria	Queensland	South Australia	Western Australia	Tasmania	Northern Territory	Australian Capital Territory	Not stated	Australia	
OVERSEAS VISITORS ARRIVING											
In transit	6,079	541	1,412		598				5,578	14,209	
Visiting relatives	13,392	6,616	5,886	2,041	3,296	345	190	598	512	32,876	
Holiday,	}	25,160	6,875	10,033	980	1,978	102	317	556	3,385	49,385
Accompanying business traveller											
Attending convention,											
Business, Employment	17,222	6,615	1,968	837	1,598	255		1,032	866	30,393	
Other and not stated	5,730	1,860	2,121	566	512	113	165	373	1,689	13,128	
Males	39,496	12,682	11,774	2,367	4,763	381	544	1,747	7,617	81,371	
Females	28,087	9,825	9,607	2,094	3,142	291	293	866	4,415	58,620	
Total	67,583	22,507	21,381	4,461	7,906	671	837	2,613	12,032	139,991	
AUSTRALIAN RESIDENTS DEPARTING											
Visiting relatives	19,721	15,212	5,032	4,018	4,920	830	282	1,192	152	51,360	
Holiday,	}	70,938	42,391	17,582	10,996	15,076	2,515	1,595	3,255	582	164,930
Accompanying business traveller											
Attending convention,											
Business, Employment	19,155	11,083	4,092	2,161	2,643	577		1,395	179	41,284	
Other and not stated	8,499	4,183	2,314	1,112	1,584	345	199	602	210	19,048	
Males	63,918	37,931	15,045	8,973	12,022	2,160	1,337	3,934	641	145,961	
Females	54,396	34,938	13,976	9,315	12,201	1,952	893	2,509	482	130,662	
Total	118,313	72,869	29,021	18,288	24,223	4,112	2,230	6,443	1,123	276,622	

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TABLE 18. SHORT-TERM MOVEMENT : OVERSEAS VISITORS ARRIVING AND AUSTRALIAN RESIDENTS DEPARTING,
INTENDED LENGTH OF STAY AND PURPOSE OF JOURNEY
SEPTEMBER QUARTER 1978

Intended length of stay	Purpose of journey					Total
	In transit	Visiting relatives	Holiday, Accompanying Business Traveller	Attending Convention, Business, Employment	Other and not stated	
OVERSEAS VISITORS ARRIVING						
Under 1 week	13,259	1,435	7,352	7,934	2,049	32,029
1 week and under 2 weeks	670	2,960	13,105	9,048	2,057	27,839
2 weeks and under 3 weeks	280	4,652	10,328	4,321	1,668	21,181
3 weeks and under 1 month		5,540	5,213	1,150	628	12,599
1 month and under 2 months	—	8,456	6,835	2,440	1,576	19,307
2 months and under 3 months	—	3,835	2,095	934	808	7,672
3 months and under 6 months	—	3,386	2,168	1,346	1,913	8,813
6 months and under 9 months	—	1,854	1,126	1,262	851	5,094
9 months and under 12 months	—	340	532	1,531	1,067	3,471
Not definite, not stated, etc.	—	418	632	425	509	1,984
Males	9,882	13,857	24,326	25,461	7,843	81,371
Females	4,327	19,018	25,059	4,931	5,284	58,620
Total	14,209	32,876	49,385	30,393	13,128	139,991
AUSTRALIAN RESIDENTS DEPARTING						
Intended length of stay	Student Vacation	Visiting Relatives	Holiday, Accompanying Business Traveller	Attending Convention, Business, Employment	Other and not stated	Total
Under 1 week	1,701	791	3,017	5,521	1,017	10,396
1 week and under 2 weeks		1,840	26,099	8,814	2,863	41,266
2 weeks and under 3 weeks	1,512	3,423	41,425	6,927	3,257	56,544
3 weeks and under 1 month	872	4,842	19,912	4,373	1,792	31,791
1 month and under 2 months	733	12,827	27,365	7,881	2,773	51,578
2 months and under 3 months	407	10,016	14,270	2,942	1,579	29,052
3 months and under 6 months		9,972	13,670	2,191	1,976	27,970
6 months and under 9 months	214	4,967	8,177	995	1,245	15,495
9 months and under 12 months		2,007	3,215	1,228	1,753	8,304
Not definite, not stated, etc.	—	676	2,342	416	794	4,228
Males	2,901	23,698	74,494	34,548	10,320	145,961
Females	2,537	27,663	84,999	6,736	8,727	130,662
Total	5,438	51,360	159,492	41,284	19,048	276,622

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TABLE 19. SHORT-TERM MOVEMENT : OVERSEAS VISITORS ARRIVING,
COUNTRY OF LAST RESIDENCE AND PURPOSE OF JOURNEY, SEPTEMBER QUARTER 1978

Country of last residence	Purpose of journey of visitors arriving					Total
	In transit	Visiting relatives	Holiday, Accompanying business traveller	Attending convention, Business, Employment	Other and not stated	
AFRICA -	186	814	606	426	174	2,206
AMERICA -						
Canada	153	887	1,020	693	402	3,155
U.S. America	1,816	2,367	5,178	5,571	1,230	16,162
Other	56	191	689	152	138	1,228
Total, America	2,025	3,445	6,887	6,416	1,770	20,545
ASIA -						
Hong Kong	249	747	661	582	} 259	2,418
India	99	110	113	237		639
Indonesia	787	214	554	296	243	2,093
Japan	981	241	2,860	2,206	522	6,811
Malaysia	129	451	593	348	351	1,872
Philippines	146	93	130	272	133	774
Singapore	} 348	} 417	527	583	} 320	1,964
Thailand			170	264		663
Other & unspecified	277	660	784	671	356	2,751
Total, Asia	3,016	2,933	6,392	5,459	2,184	19,985
EUROPE -						
France	326	315	423	342	123	1,529
Germany (a)	309	930	1,443	756	325	3,762
Greece	} 172	355	116	} 346	110	698
Italy		707	622		160	1,890
Netherlands	132	1,212	449	365	} 212	2,281
Switzerland	124	165	432	194		1,004
U.K. & Ireland (a)	976	6,709	2,566	3,373	1,015	14,639
Yugoslavia	} 287	279	128	} 1,076	} 365	511
Other & unspecified		816	770			3,212
Total, Europe	2,326	11,488	6,949	6,452	2,310	29,526
OCEANIA -						
Fiji	352	} 242	482	187	211	1,395
New Caledonia	433		641	108	242	1,501
New Zealand	4,290	11,751	24,395	10,115	4,154	54,706
Papua New Guinea	866	1,205	1,766	715	1,535	6,087
Other	434	367	475	140	170	1,586
Total, Oceania	6,375	13,565	27,759	11,265	6,312	65,275
Other & not stated	281	631	793	372	377	2,455
Total	14,209	32,876	49,385	30,393	13,128	139,991

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TABLE 20. SHORT-TERM MOVEMENT : OVERSEAS VISITORS ARRIVING, COUNTRY OF LAST RESIDENCE, INTENDED LENGTH OF STAY AND MODE OF TRANSPORT, SEPTEMBER QUARTER 1978

Country of last residence	Intended length of stay of visitors arriving					Not definite, not stated, etc.	Mode of transport		
	Under 1 week	1 week and under 1 month	1 and under 3 months	3 and under 6 months	6 and under 12 months		By sea	By air	Total
AFRICA -	330	780	770	296		30	-	2,206	2,206
AMERICA -									
Canada	327	1,259	1,079	158	307	26	15	3,140	3,155
U.S. America	5,405	7,134	2,155	417	906	146	76	16,086	16,162
Other	515	365	175	112		60	3	1,225	1,228
Total, America	6,247	8,758	3,409	641	1,259	232	94	20,451	20,545
ASIA -									
Hong Kong	623	988	622		160	24	13	2,405	2,418
India	147	246	228			19	-	639	639
Indonesia	1,008	678	192	183		32	-	2,093	2,093
Japan	3,129	2,574	613	218	167	109	8	6,803	6,811
Malaysia	213	762	505	184	164	43	1	1,871	1,872
Philippines	286	234	237			18	-	774	774
Singapore	675	765	404	103		18	15	1,949	1,964
Thailand	130	229	187	110		7	-	663	663
Other & unspecified	654	856	754	252	147	88	2	2,749	2,751
Total, Asia	6,865	7,332	3,583	1,116	731	358	39	19,946	19,985
EUROPE -									
France	509	452	342	194		32	7	1,522	1,529
Germany (a)	736	1,168	1,075	480	243	60	6	3,756	3,762
Greece	133		155	224	132	35	1	697	698
Italy	323	322	649	264	268	65	1	1,889	1,890
Netherlands	216	597	934	308		26	5	2,276	2,281
Switzerland	256	369	229	136		14	7	997	1,004
U.K. & Ireland (a)	1,619	3,504	5,818	2,021	1,545	132	126	14,513	14,639
Yugoslavia	204		183	108	16	-	-	511	511
Other & unspecified	728	1,090	622	377	335	57	10	3,202	3,212
Total, Europe	4,512	7,618	9,940	4,059	2,961	437	163	29,363	29,526
OCEANIA -									
Fiji	492	410	247	235		11	7	1,388	1,395
New Caledonia	703	420	345			34	8	1,493	1,501
New Zealand	10,108	32,907	6,514	1,404	3,107	665	157	54,549	54,706
Papua New Guinea	1,516	2,047	1,504	743	193	84	43	6,044	6,087
Other	487	533	290	256		21	1	1,585	1,586
Total, Oceania	13,306	36,317	8,811	2,609	3,418	815	216	65,059	65,275
Other & not stated	770	816	466	129	161	112	30	2,425	2,455
Total	32,029	61,619	26,979	8,813	8,565	1,984	542	139,449	139,991

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TABLE 21. SHORT-TERM MOVEMENT : AUSTRALIAN RESIDENTS DEPARTING,
COUNTRY OF INTENDED STAY AND PURPOSE OF JOURNEY, SEPTEMBER QUARTER 1978

Country of intended stay (a)	Purpose of journey				Total
	Visiting relatives	Holiday, Accompanying business traveller	Attending Convention, Business, Employment	Other and not stated	
AFRICA -	687	1,108	478	184	2,457
AMERICA -					
Canada	1,305	1,918	669	413	4,305
U.S. America	2,896	21,653	7,630	2,680	34,858
Other	247	613	267	145	1,272
Total, America	4,448	24,184	8,566	3,238	40,435
ASIA -					
China (People's Rep.)	1,316		233	370	1,918
Hong Kong	577	6,904	1,715	454	9,634
India	875		273	85	1,232
Indonesia	283	7,024	1,113	561	8,981
Japan	1,622		1,374	195	3,191
Malaysia	712	2,462	1,047	406	4,626
Philippines	2,482		1,040	417	3,938
Singapore	361	6,291	2,471	559	9,681
Thailand	1,835		365	134	2,334
Other & unspecified	1,762	3,070	1,122	411	6,371
Total, Asia	4,307	33,269	10,757	3,572	51,906
EUROPE -					
France	399	883	448	232	1,961
Germany (b)	1,970	1,409	928	401	4,708
Greece	2,517	5,824	301	472	9,114
Italy	5,657	4,432	741	852	11,682
Netherlands	1,508	986	191	193	2,878
Switzerland	231	363	205	75	874
U.K. & Ireland (b)	14,879	27,894	5,213	2,639	50,624
Yugoslavia	2,145		2,925	304	5,375
Other & unspecified	2,833	4,435	1,063	576	8,907
Total, Europe	32,139	49,130	9,111	5,744	96,123
OCEANIA -					
Fiji	422	16,322	1,396	658	18,798
New Caledonia	4,607		390	873	5,870
New Zealand	6,578	23,573	6,386	2,783	39,319
Papua New Guinea	1,483	2,799	2,255	834	7,371
Other	339	5,601	966	436	7,344
Total, Oceania	8,866	52,859	11,393	5,584	78,702
Not stated	913	4,381	980	725	7,000
Total	51,360	164,930	41,284	19,048	276,622

(a) Country in which most time would be spent. (b) See paragraph 10 of the explanatory notes.

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TABLE 22. SHORT-TERM MOVEMENT: AUSTRALIAN RESIDENTS DEPARTING, COUNTRY OF INTENDED STAY, INTENDED LENGTH OF STAY AND MODE OF TRANSPORT, SEPTEMBER QUARTER 1978

Country of intended stay (a)	Intended length of stay						Mode of transport		
	Under 1 week	1 week and under 1 month	1 and under 3 months	3 and under 6 months	6 and under 12 months	Not definite, not stated, etc.	By sea	By air	Total
AFRICA —	—	718	1,036	350	323	31	14	2,443	2,457
AMERICA —									
Canada	1,338		2,344	262	296	64	10	4,295	4,305
U.S. America	379	18,235	12,311	1,763	1,664	507	46	34,812	34,858
Other	316		566	370		22	—	1,272	1,272
Total, America	393	19,875	15,221	2,225	2,130	593	56	40,379	40,435
ASIA —									
China (People's Rep.)	—	1,568		324		26	—	1,918	1,918
Hong Kong	680	7,362	915	261	283	133	77	9,557	9,634
India	480		502	229		22	9	1,223	1,232
Indonesia	262	6,724	1,294	307	293	100	93	8,888	8,981
Japan	2,287			856		49	84	3,107	3,191
Malaysia	3,343		741	233	250	58	103	4,523	4,626
Philippines	310	2,870		689		69	9	3,929	3,938
Singapore	742	7,478	903	431		127	825	8,856	9,681
Thailand	1,875			425		34	9	2,325	2,334
Other & unspecified	2,024		1,736	836	1,650	125	113	6,258	6,371
Total, Asia	2,474	35,531	7,947	2,025	3,186	743	1,322	50,584	51,906
EUROPE —									
France	380		991	310	245	36	7	1,954	1,961
Germany (b)	629		2,682	906	423	68	9	4,699	4,708
Greece	490		2,324	1,970	4,161	168	8	9,106	9,114
Italy	611		4,704	3,939	2,270	159	6	11,676	11,682
Netherlands	—	300	1,806	437	305	29	29	2,849	2,878
Switzerland	—	610		250		13	—	874	874
U.K. & Ireland (b)	292	4,784	29,546	9,936	5,411	654	750	49,874	50,624
Yugoslavia	—	1,703		1,883	1,679	110	3	5,372	5,375
Other & unspecified	742		4,615	1,971	1,419	162	60	8,847	8,907
Total, Europe	383	8,095	48,731	21,492	16,023	1,399	872	95,251	96,123
OCEANIA —									
Fiji	584	17,366		545		304	180	18,618	18,798
New Caledonia	502		5,277			91	12	5,858	5,870
New Zealand	4,457	29,230	3,612	680	804	535	177	39,142	39,319
Papua New Guinea	871	4,157	1,315	275	637	117	27	7,344	7,371
Other	456	6,140	360	271		117	107	7,237	7,344
Total, Oceania	6,870	62,054	5,745	1,208	1,662	1,164	503	78,199	78,702
Other & not stated	276	3,331	1,949	669	477	298	285	6,715	7,000
Total	10,396	129,601	80,630	27,970	23,799	4,228	3,052	273,570	276,622

(a) Country in which most time would be spent. (b) See paragraph 10 of the explanatory notes.

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TABLE 23. SHORT-TERM MOVEMENT : OVERSEAS VISITORS DEPARTING,
LENGTH OF STAY AND STATE OR TERRITORY OF STAY, SEPTEMBER QUARTER 1978

	State or Territory in which most time was spent									
Length of stay	New South Wales	Victoria	Queensland	South Australia	Western Australia	Tasmania	Northern Territory	Australian Capital Territory	Not stated	Australia
Under 1 week	25,455	3,628	2,871	145	1,075	} 171	} 301	214	1,803	35,445
1 week and under 2 weeks	18,554	4,039	3,371	437	739			719	1,414	29,491
2 weeks and under 3 weeks	8,496	2,494	4,677	376	865	184	} 252	} 223	1,337	18,745
3 weeks and under 1 month	4,589	1,591	2,910	451	737	104			679	11,219
1 month and under 2 months	5,724	2,835	3,749	657	1,368	} 199	} 263	214	805	15,695
2 months and under 3 months	2,286	1,264	1,229	266	716			163	362	6,365
3 months and under 6 months	2,609	1,515	1,450	377	804	} 131	} 243	201	249	7,421
6 months and under 9 months	1,188	719	387	156	244			} 205	45	2,962
9 months and under 12 months	1,070	467	367	150	544	} 16	} 13		29	2,810
Not stated, etc.	983	149	135	34	65		30	381	1,806	
Males	42,217	11,107	10,503	1,729	4,391	444	576	1,221	4,441	76,631
Females	28,736	7,594	10,643	1,320	2,765	362	497	748	2,664	55,327
Total	70,953	18,702	21,146	3,048	7,156	806	1,073	1,969	7,105	131,959

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TABLE 24. SHORT-TERM MOVEMENT : AUSTRALIAN RESIDENTS RETURNING, COUNTRY OF STAY, LENGTH OF STAY AND MODE OF TRANSPORT, SEPTEMBER QUARTER 1978

Country of stay (a)	Length of stay abroad of Australian residents returning						Mode of transport		
	Under 1 week	1 week and under 1 month	1 and under 3 months	3 and under 6 months	6 and under 12 months	Not definite, not stated, etc.	By sea	By air	Total
AFRICA -	743		879	341	142	33	3	2,136	2,139
AMERICA -									
Canada	1,397		2,635	578	181	19	2	4,808	4,810
U.S. America	601	17,987	13,108	2,374	1,082	127	33	35,247	35,280
Other	300		657	162	141	10	4	1,265	1,269
Total, America	661	19,624	16,400	3,114	1,404	156	39	41,320	41,359
ASIA -									
China (People's Rep.)	-	1,578	340		-	5	-	1,922	1,922
Hong Kong	698	8,017	336	200		46	52	9,244	9,296
India	320		440	266		6	6	1,025	1,031
Indonesia	300	6,468	1,619	583	259	47	37	9,239	9,276
Japan	160	2,306	459	181		12	87	3,029	3,116
Malaysia	139	2,957	678	231	139	22	57	4,110	4,167
Philippines	280	2,536	441	181		14	2	3,450	3,452
Singapore	1,019	7,621	751	288		46	1,137	8,587	9,724
Thailand	2,315		303	206		13	8	2,828	2,836
Other & unspecified	120	1,765	1,960	1,581	758	77	22	6,246	6,268
Total, Asia	2,816	35,783	7,307	3,003	1,890	288	1,408	49,680	51,088
EUROPE -									
France	-	499	1,140	401	121	14	3	2,172	2,175
Germany (b)	-	720	3,654	1,496	221	26	3	6,114	6,117
Greece	977		4,515	5,439	902	131	4	11,960	11,964
Italy	-	960	6,432	4,658	420	140	3	12,608	12,611
Netherlands	-	460	2,675	1,178	221	12	3	4,543	4,546
Switzerland	-	199	658	260		9	-	1,126	1,126
U.K. & Ireland (b)	201	6,094	40,381	19,771	3,699	313	538	69,921	70,459
Yugoslavia	-	180	3,553	2,359	260	75	4	6,423	6,427
Other & unspecified	1,134		6,428	3,945	545	130	21	12,160	12,181
Total, Europe	281	11,143	69,436	39,427	6,469	850	579	127,027	127,606
OCEANIA -									
Fiji	723	17,246	444	105		124	230	18,412	18,642
New Caledonia	517	4,537		-	-	35	19	5,070	5,089
New Zealand	4,715	28,475	2,747	905	540	171	55	37,499	37,554
Papua New Guinea	1,057	4,306	825	105	506	37	35	6,800	6,835
Other	560	6,254	435	128	146	41	40	7,524	7,564
Total, Oceania	7,572	60,732	4,475	1,264	1,233	408	379	75,305	75,684
Other & not stated	140	1,434	960	504	162	111	49	3,263	3,312
Total	11,510	129,420	99,457	47,653	11,302	1,846	2,457	298,730	301,187

(a) Country in which most time was spent. (b) See paragraph 11 of the explanatory notes.

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APPENDIX A

The following two tables relate, respectively, to transit sea passengers, and passengers on pleasure cruises by sea commencing and finishing in Australia. These passengers are not included amongst the arrivals and departures statistics shown in other tables of this bulletin.

TABLE 1. ESTIMATES OF TRANSIT SEA PASSENGERS PASSING THROUGH AUSTRALIA (a)

TABLE 1. ESTIMATES OF THROUGH AND NON-THROUGH PASSENGERS THROUGH AUSTRALIAN PORTS							
	Number of days from first to last Australian port						
	less than 3	3 & less than 5	5 & less than 7	7 & less than 9	9 & less than 11	11 and more	Total
PASSENGERS DEPARTING							
Year ended June -							
1976	8,519	1,257	3,955	2,455	256	38	16,480
1977	6,604	715	3,354	2,431	3	48	13,155
1978	5,836	757	3,095	433	20	23	10,164
Year ended December -							
1975	9,529	2,621	2,977	3,528	376	326	19,357
1976	7,677	1,402	3,480	1,949	13	49	14,570
1977	7,030	620	3,161	1,241	3	40	12,095
Quarter ended -							
1976 September	1,259	159	283	836	1	11	2,549
December	725	340	1,362	369	-	13	2,809
1977 March	3,326	95	1,262	574	2	4	5,263
June	1,294	121	447	652	-	20	2,534
September	1,268	161	472	10	1	13	1,925
December	1,142	243	980	5	-	3	2,373
1978 March	2,731	145	1,397	252	19	2	4,546
June	695	208	246	166	-	5	1,320
September	884	74	223	1	3	29	1,214
PASSENGER DAYS IN TRANSIT							
Year ended June -							
1976	13,188	4,104	23,576	17,579	2,555	860	61,862
1977	10,534	2,502	19,226	17,117	27	996	50,402
1978	9,031	2,362	17,378	3,149	199	585	32,704
Year ended December -							
1975	15,194	8,746	17,304	25,655	3,741	4,594	75,234
1976	11,956	4,830	20,485	13,652	129	1,021	52,073
1977	10,781	1,938	18,262	8,792	27	931	40,731
Quarter ended -							
1976 September	1,899	488	1,695	5,852	9	194	10,137
December	1,143	1,304	7,832	2,584	-	209	13,072
1977 March	5,489	337	7,019	4,031	18	80	16,974
June	2,003	373	2,680	4,650	-	513	10,219
September	1,790	499	2,686	72	9	263	5,319
December	1,499	729	5,877	39	-	75	8,219
1978 March	4,983	302	7,349	1,764	190	22	14,610
June	759	832	1,466	1,274	-	225	4,556
September	1,050	222	1,115	8	28	933	3,356

(a) Includes 'through' passengers on regular ships' voyages and also passengers on cruises from overseas which visit Australian ports.

APPENDIX A — continued

TABLE 2. ESTIMATES OF PLEASURE CRUISES BY SEA COMMENCING AND FINISHING IN AUSTRALIA

CRUISES IN PROGRESS								
	Duration of cruise in days (a)							
	9 or less	10-12	13-15	16-18	19-21	22-30	31 or more	Total
CRUISES COMPLETED								
Year ended June —								
1976	3	10	38	27	12	9	8	107
1977	5	14	36	26	10	9	12	112
1978	6	23	34	16	4	5	11	99
Year ended December —								
1975	3	12	42	22	11	8	8	106
1976	6	10	37	33	15	8	8	117
1977	1	20	28	22	8	9	13	101
Quarter ended —								
1976 September	1	—	11	7	2	1	2	24
December	3	3	8	3	3	—	3	23
1977 March	1	7	12	10	2	5	2	39
June	—	4	5	6	3	3	5	26
September	—	3	6	4	2	1	2	18
December	—	6	5	2	1	—	4	18
1978 March	5	9	13	7	1	3	2	40
June	1	5	10	3	—	1	3	23
September	—	3	6	5	1	—	1	16
CRUISE PASSENGERS RETURNING								
Year ended June —								
1976	3,744	8,419	33,255	19,165	10,537	5,244	3,166	83,530
1977	1,409	14,149	31,409	18,539	7,492	5,200	5,654	83,852
1978	3,151	19,858	29,958	12,767	3,759	4,213	4,264	77,970
Year ended December —								
1975	1,235	8,499	36,664	18,238	8,422	6,355	3,324	82,737
1976	4,498	8,536	29,835	22,456	12,128	5,701	3,814	86,968
1977	45	19,554	25,212	16,230	6,387	4,417	4,841	76,666
Quarter ended —								
1976 September	51	—	10,155	4,226	1,177	1,798	1,329	18,736
December	1,313	2,862	5,898	2,959	2,478	—	1,307	16,817
1977 March	45	7,062	11,387	6,924	1,610	1,928	703	29,659
June	—	4,225	3,969	4,430	2,227	1,474	2,315	18,640
September	—	3,462	5,084	3,194	1,571	1,015	325	14,651
December	—	4,805	4,772	1,682	979	—	1,498	13,736
1978 March	2,958	8,507	11,665	5,174	1,209	2,602	136	32,251
June	193	3,084	8,437	2,717	—	596	2,305	17,332
September	—	3,604	5,586	3,884	1,002	—	171	14,247

(a) The duration of a cruise is the period between the ship's departure from its final port of call in Australia at the beginning of the cruise and its arrival at its first port of call in Australia on completion of the cruise.

APPENDIX B

FACSIMILE OF INCOMING AND OUTGOING PASSENGER CARDS

INCOMING PASSENGER CARD

 **MIGRATION ACT 1958-1973**
INCOMING PASSENGER CARD

The information set out on the back of this card must be given by, or for, every passenger arriving in Australia.

A separate card must be completed by, or on behalf of, each incoming passenger and must be surrendered to an Immigration Officer at port of entry into Australia. The card must be completed in the English language. (See over)

(Official use only) Visa Endor.

1. STAMP No.

2. VISA/ENDOR. No.

3. TYPE ☐ Return Res. ☐ Visit ☐ T/R ☐
☐ Mg. F.F. ☐ In Tran. ☐ Di/OH ☐
☐ Assn. Mg.

4. ENTRIES ☐ Single ☐ Multiple ☐ SCHEME

5. CONDITIONS

Form M 13126-7613

PLEASE PRINT

1. FAMILY NAME

2. GIVEN NAMES

3. COUNTRY OF CITIZENSHIP

4. PASSPORT NUMBER

5. DATE OF BIRTH Day Month Year

7. Male ☐ Female ☐ 8. Never Married ☐ Now Married ☐ Widowed ☐ Divorced ☐

9. Please answer ONE of A OR B OR C

A Migrating to Australia
1. Country of last residence
2. Main reason for coming to Australia (Please mark ONE Y OR ONE D only)
In transit ☐ 1 Visiting relatives ☐ 8
Convention ☐ 2 Holiday ☐ 9
Business ☐ 3 Employment ☐ 7
Accompanying business visitor ☐ 4 Other ☐ 6
3. Country of residence

B Visitor or temporary entrant
1. I intend to stay in Australia for
Years Months Days
OR
2. I have been absent from Australia for
Years
Months
OR
Days
2. Country in which I spent most time while abroad

C Resident returning to Australia
1. I have been absent from Australia for
Years
Months
OR
Days
2. Country in which I spent most time while abroad

10. USUAL OCCUPATION

11. INTENDED ADDRESS IN AUSTRALIA

STATE/TERRITORY

12. FLIGHT NUMBER OR NAME OF SHIP

13. COUNTRY IN WHICH BOARDED THIS FLIGHT OR SHIP

SIGNATURE DATE

OUTGOING PASSENGER CARD

 **MIGRATION ACT 1958-1973**
OUTGOING PASSENGER CARD

The information set out on the back of this card must be given by, or for, every passenger departing from Australia.

A separate card must be completed by, or on behalf of, each outgoing passenger and must be surrendered to an Immigration Officer at port of embarkation on departure from Australia. The card must be completed in the English language. (See over)

(Official use only)

1. I have been in Australia this visit for a period of
Years Months Days
OR
2. In Australia I spent most time in
(State or City)
3. Country of residence

Form M 1313-(473)

PLEASE PRINT

1. FAMILY NAME

2. GIVEN NAMES

3. COUNTRY OF CITIZENSHIP

4. PASSPORT NUMBER

5. DATE OF BIRTH Day Month Year

7. Male ☐ Female ☐ 8. Never Married ☐ Now Married ☐ Widowed ☐ Divorced ☐

9. Please answer ONE of D OR E OR F

D Visitor or temporary entrant departing
1. I intend to stay abroad for a period of
Years Months Days
OR
2. Main reason for going abroad (Please mark ONE Y OR ONE D only)
Student ☐ 1 Visiting relatives ☐ 6
Convention ☐ 2 Holiday ☐ 9
Business ☐ 3 Employment ☐ 7
Accompanying business ☐ 4 Education ☐ 8
traveler ☐ 5 Other ☐ 6
3. Country in which I shall spend most time
(State or City)

E Resident departing temporarily
1. I intend to stay abroad for a period of
Years Months Days
OR
2. In Australia I lived in
(State or Territory)
3. If not born in Australia how long ago did you come to live in Australia? Years Months
4. Did you then intend to SETTLE permanently? Yes ☐ No ☐

F Resident departing permanently
1. Country of future residence
(State or Territory)

10. USUAL OCCUPATION

11. DEPARTURE DETAILS
Date Flight No./Name of Ship Airport/Port
day month year

12. COUNTRY IN WHICH I SHALL GET OFF THIS FLIGHT OR SHIP (ABROAD)

SIGNATURE / 19