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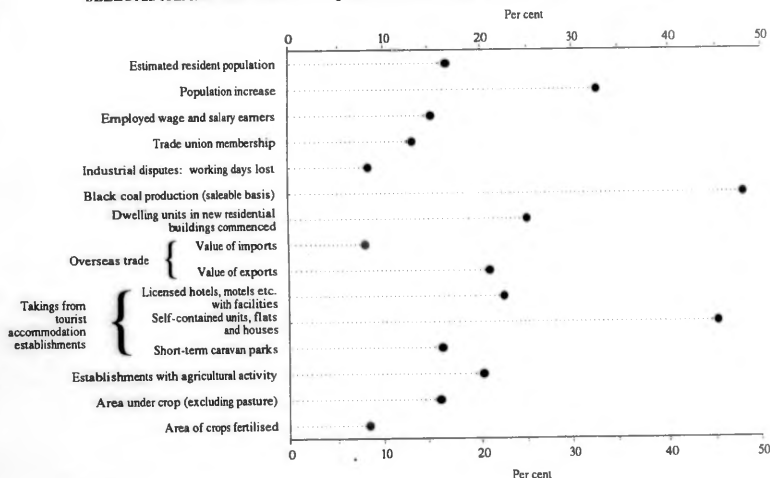
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QUEENSLAND IN RELATION TO AUSTRALIA, 1990

Particulars	Unit	Date or period	Queensland	Australia	Queensland proportion
					%
Area	square kilometres	..	1,727,000	7,682,000	22.5
Area having average annual rainfall					
Under 200 millimetres	per cent	..	10.2	29.6	..
200 millimetres and under 500 millimetres	per cent	..	38.8	41.7	..
500 millimetres and over	per cent	..	51.0	28.7	..
Demography					
Estimated resident population	'000	31 Dec. 1989	2,871.0	16,957.1	16.9
Population increase	'000	1989	85.3	260.1	32.8
Rate of population increase	per cent	1989	3.1	1.6	..
Births registered	number	1989	41,765	250,996	16.6
Deaths registered	number	1989	20,532	124,553	16.5
Marriages registered	number	1989	19,088	116,916	16.3
Divorce: Decrees absolute	number	1989	6,903	41,163	16.8
Employment and wages					
Labour force (a)	'000	May 1990	1,443.7	8,466.5	17.1
Unemployment rate	per cent	May 1990	7.8	6.5	..
Participation rate	per cent	May 1990	64.6	64.0	..
Employed wage and salary earners	'000	December 1989	970.5	6,305.3	15.4
Private	'000	December 1989	715.2	4,591.9	15.6
Government	'000	December 1989	255.3	1,713.4	14.9
Average weekly earnings	\$	November 1989	543.00	595.90	..
Full-time adult males	\$	November 1989	434.00	467.60	..
Full-time adult females	\$	November 1989	434.00	467.60	..
Industrial disputes: Working days lost	'000	1989	100.5	1,202.4	8.4
Trade union membership	'000	30 June 1989	458.0	3,410.3	13.4
Social					
Age pensioners (b)	number	30 June 1988	210,818	1,328,814	15.9
Invalid pensioners (b)	number	30 June 1988	44,313	296,913	14.9
Widow pensioners (b)	number	30 June 1988	22,744	143,451	15.9
Supporting parents beneficiaries (b)	number	30 June 1988	32,995	182,007	18.1
Family allowances: Children (b)	number	30 June 1988	666,638	3,806,237	17.5
Disability pensioners (c)	number	30 June 1988	68,196	367,680	18.5
Service pensioners (c)	number	30 June 1988	76,588	402,864	19.0
Persons on unemployment benefits (b)	number	30 June 1988	91,565	475,070	19.3
Hospitals (d)	beds	30 June 1989	16,262	87,080	18.7
Recognised	beds	30 June 1989	11,996	65,013	18.5
Private	beds	30 June 1989	4,266	22,067	19.3
Nursing homes (d)	beds	30 June 1989	11,889	72,716	16.3
Government	beds	30 June 1989	2,279	13,285	17.2
Private	beds	30 June 1989	9,610	59,431	16.2
Hostels (d)	beds	30 June 1989	8,166	42,421	19.2
Medicare services (d)	'000	1988-89	23,745	142,871	16.6
General practitioner	'000	1988-89	12,973	79,208	16.4
Specialist and other	'000	1988-89	10,772	63,663	16.9
Education					
Student enrolment					
Government schools (e)	number	1989	387,438	2,194,355	17.7
Non-government schools (e)	number	1989	126,418	837,032	15.1
Technical and further education (f) (g)	number	1988	118,785	951,598	12.5
Higher education (g)	number	1989	66,187	441,076	15.0
Mining					
Mining establishments					
Persons employed at 30 June	number	1987-88	18,523	76,753	24.1
Wages and salaries paid	\$m	1987-88	702	2,883	24.3
Turnover	\$m	1987-88	5,286	20,912	25.3
Value added	\$m	1987-88	2,970	13,606	21.8
Black coal production (saleable basis)	million tonnes	1987-88	(h) 66	136	48.2
Metallic content (based on assay)					
Copper	'000 tonnes	1987-88	(i) 158	n.p.	n.p.
Gold	'000 kilograms	1987-88	(i) 19	n.p.	n.p.
Lead	'000 tonnes	1987-88	202	n.p.	n.p.
Silver	'000 kilograms	1987-88	(i) 525	1,135	46.2
Zinc	'000 tonnes	1987-88	242	n.p.	n.p.

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Particulars	Unit	Date or period	Queensland	Australia	Queensland proportion %
Manufacturing (j)	number	1987-88	127,544	1,063,792	12.0
Persons employed (k)	\$m	1987-88	2,545.4	23,949.8	10.6
Wages and salaries paid	\$m	1986-87	5,052.9	45,685.8	11.1
Value added	million kilograms	1988-89	3.7	95.9	3.8
Butter production (l)	'000 tonnes	1988-89	33.3	125.2	26.6
Bacon and ham production	'000 tonnes	1988-89	666.8	2,343.0	28.5
Meat production (carcass weight)	'000 cu m	1986-87	436.8	3,065.1	14.3
Timber sawn (Australian grown)					
Building					
Dwelling units in new residential buildings	'000	1988-89	44.0	175.0	25.1
Commenced: Number	\$m	1988-89	3,297.0	13,095.3	25.2
Value	'000	1988-89	38.5	150.3	25.6
Completed: Number	\$m	1988-89	2,609.4	10,460.1	24.9
Value	'000	1988-89	5,872.6	30,189.4	19.5
Value of all building	\$m	1988-89	4,682.5	24,396.4	19.2
Commenced					
Completed					
Overseas trade	\$m	1988-89	(m) 3,788.4	47,064.2	8.0
Imports	\$m	1988-89	(n) 9,088.9	43,462.2	20.9
Exports	\$m	1988-89	1,069.8	2,249.3	47.6
Selected exports	\$m	1988-89	852.9	855.7	99.7
Meat	\$m	1988-89	323.6	5,779.2	5.6
Sugar	\$m	1988-89	2,742.8	4,645.7	59.0
Wool	\$m	1988-89	969.2	4,163.5	23.3
Coal	\$m	1988-89			
Nonferrous metals	\$m	1988-89			
Transport	'000 tonnes	1988-89	72,874	266,725	27.3
Overseas cargo: Loaded (gross weight)	'000 tonnes	1988-89	3,543	34,785	10.2
Discharged (gross weight)					
Government railways	kilometres	30 June 1989	(o) 10,094	(q) 37,865	26.7
Route kilometres open	'000 tonnes	1988-89	(o) 80,508	(q) 179,138	44.9
Goods and livestock carried	'000	30 June 1989	(s) 1,693.4	9,806.1	17.3
Motor vehicles on register	'000	1988-89	(s) 100.6	588.3	17.1
New motor vehicles registered	number	1988-89	(t) 478	2,870	16.7
Road traffic accidents: Persons killed					
Retail and selected services					
Turnover of retail and selected service establishments (excluding motor vehicles, parts, petrol etc.) (u)	\$m	1988-89	12,907.2	76,842.2	16.8
Persons employed in retail industries	number	30 June 1986	131,025	928,488	16.3
Total turnover in retail industries	\$m	1985-86	14,207.7	92,406.5	15.4
Tourist accommodation					
Licensed hotels, motels etc. with facilities	'000	Dec. qtr 1989	36.6	145.9	25.1
Rooms available	'000	1989	6,584	27,581	23.9
Room nights sold	\$m	1989	463.4	2,065.0	22.4
Takings from accommodation					
Self-contained units, flats and houses	'000	Dec. qtr 1989	15.1	32.1	47.2
Units available	'000	1989	2,853	5,933	48.1
Unit nights occupied	\$m	1989	134.4	297.1	45.2
Takings from accommodation					
Short-term caravan parks	'000	Dec. qtr 1989	23.5	189.0	12.4
Sites available	'000	1989	3,165	18,998	16.7
Site nights sold	\$m	1989	30.3	184.7	16.4
Takings from accommodation					
Finance	\$	1988-89	13,800	15,702	87.9
Household income per head	\$m	December 1989	10,609	75,263	12.3
Savings banks: Depositors' balances	\$m	December 1989	12,015	97,875	12.3
All trading banks: Deposits	\$m	December 1989	10,147	110,934	9.1
Advances etc.	\$m	December 1989	5,055.4	25,003.9	20.2
Finance companies: Loans outstanding	\$m	December 1989	2,642.6	22,079.4	12.0
Building societies: Assets	\$m	December 1989	1,018.2	7,902.6	12.9
Credit co-operatives: Assets	\$m	March 1990	322.3	1,977.0	16.3
Lending commitments	\$m	April 1990	273.4	1,736.5	15.9
Housing (to individuals for owner occupation)	\$m	January 1990	666.2	8,223.7	8.1
Personal finance	\$m	March 1990	109.3	648.2	16.9
Commercial finance					
Lease finance					

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Particulars	Unit	Date or period	Queensland	Australia	Queensland proportion %
New fixed capital expenditure (v)					
Type of asset					
New buildings and structures	\$m	1988-89	1,366	10,171	13.4
Other new capital equipment	\$m	1988-89	1,984	17,324	11.5
Expenditure by selected industry groups					
Mining	\$m	1988-89	465	3,888	12.0
Manufacturing	\$m	1988-89	747	7,605	9.8
Finance etc.	\$m	1988-89	898	7,853	11.4
Other selected industries	\$m	1988-89	1,240	8,149	15.2
Total expenditure	\$m	1988-89	3,350	27,495	12.2
Agriculture					
Establishments with agricultural activity	number	31 March 1989	25,734	127,547	20.2
Area under crop (excluding pastures)	'000 hectares	1988-89	2,842	17,527	16.2
Area of crops fertilised	'000 hectares	1988-89	1,058	12,537	8.4
Area of pastures fertilised	'000 hectares	1988-89	181	15,334	1.2
Sugar cane: Area cut for crushing	'000 hectares	1988-89	298	314	95.1
Production	'000 tonnes	1988-89	25,586	27,146	94.3
Wheat: Area	'000 hectares	1988-89	768	8,827	8.7
Production	'000 tonnes	1988-89	1,550	13,935	11.1
Grain sorghum: Area	'000 hectares	1988-89	468	625	74.9
Production	'000 tonnes	1988-89	934	1,244	75.1
Maize: Area	'000 hectares	1988-89	36	52	70.6
Production	'000 tonnes	1988-89	132	217	61.0
Tobacco: Area	'000 hectares	1988-89	3	5	58.3
Production	'000 kilograms	1988-89	6,979	11,397	61.2
Cotton: Area	'000 hectares	1988-89	53,280	194,116	27.4
Production (raw)	'000 kg	1988-89	55,717	278,131	20.0
Peanuts: Area	'000 hectares	1988-89	22	22	98.1
Production	'000 kilograms	1988-89	23,880	24,849	96.1
Pineapples: Area (bearing only)	'000 hectares	1988-89	4	4	100.0
Production	'000 tonnes	1988-89	154	154	100.0
Bananas: Area (bearing only)	'000 hectares	1988-89	4	8	46.3
Production	'000 tonnes	1988-89	105	196	53.5
Citrus fruit: Trees (6 years and over)	'000	1988-89	400	6,301	6.3
Production	'000 tonnes	1988-89	46	318	14.3
Apples: Trees (6 years and over)	'000	1988-89	583	3,307	17.6
Production	'000 tonnes	1988-89	34	323	10.5
Livestock					
Sheep and lambs	'000	31 March 1989	14,880	161,603	9.2
Cattle for milk production	'000	31 March 1989	312	2,546	12.2
Cattle for meat production	'000	31 March 1989	8,682	19,888	43.7
Pigs	'000	31 March 1989	611	2,671	22.9
Shorn wool production (greasy), year ended	million kilograms	31 March 1989	65	769	8.5
Total milk intake	million litres	1988-89	627	6,289	10.0
Gross value of agricultural commodities produced					
Crops	\$m	1988-89	4,520	23,092	19.6
Livestock disposals	\$m	1988-89	2,302	9,878	23.3
Livestock products	\$m	1988-89	1,503	(w) 5,292	28.4
				(x) 7,911	9.0

(a) Civilians aged 15 years and over. (b) Source: Department of Social Security Annual Report. (c) Source: Repatriation Commission and Department of Veterans' Affairs Annual Report. (d) Source: Commonwealth Department of Community Services and Health. (e) Full-time students only. (f) Excluding enrolments in recreational courses. (g) Source: Commonwealth Department of Employment, Education and Training. (h) Source: The Queensland Coal Board. (i) Source: Queensland Department of Resource Industries. (j) Excluding single-establishment manufacturing enterprises with fewer than four persons employed. (k) Employment at 30 June 1988, including working proprietors. (l) Source: Australian Dairy Corporation. (m) Excluding imports of goods of overseas origin which were landed at ports in other States. (n) Compiled on a State of origin basis. (o) Source: Queensland Department of Transport. (p) Source: National Freight Group, Railways of Australia. (q) Source: Queensland Department of Transport and the Commonwealth Department of Administrative Services. (r) From records provided by the Queensland Police Department. (s) Estimates derived from surveys using the 1985-86 census of retail establishments as a benchmark. (t) Actual expenditure of private enterprises in selected industries. Refer to the ABS publication *State Estimates of Private New Capital Expenditure* (Catalogue No. 5646.0) for details on State dislocations. (u) Excluding pigs and poultry in Northern Territory. (v) Excluding Northern Territory.

