

AUSTRALIA

TIME-SERIES INDICATORS		1970	1975	1980	1985	1990	1995	2000	2005
POPULATION									
Total population (thousands)	v1	12 728	13 625	14 638	15 669	16 873	17 941	19 071	20 155
Males (thousands)	v14	6 414	6 838	7 310	7 816	8 426	8 868	9 410	9 953
Females (thousands)	v13	6 315	6 787	7 329	7 853	8 448	9 072	9 662	10 202
Proportion of pop below 15 (%)	v8	28.8	27.6	25.3	23.6	21.9	21.9	21.2	19.6
Proportion of pop aged 15 - 59 (%)	v9	58.9	59.6	61.0	61.9	62.6	62.7	62.6	63.0
Proportion of pop aged 60 or over (%)	v10	12.3	12.8	13.7	14.5	15.5	15.4	16.2	17.3
Proportion of pop aged 80 or over (%)	v11	1.4	1.5	1.7	1.7	2.2	2.4	2.8	3.4
Median age	v12	27.6	28.0	29.4	30.6	32.2	33.4	35.1	36.6
Population density (per hectare)	v3	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Child dependency ratio (per 100)	v17	49.0	46.3	41.5	38.1	35.0	35.0	33.9	31.1
Old age dependency ratio (per 100)	v18	20.8	21.4	22.5	23.4	24.7	24.6	25.9	27.5
Percentage urban	v2	85.2	85.9	85.8	85.5	85.1	87.8	90.7	92.7
Econ. active pop. (% of 15+)	v85	60.7	..	61.4	..	63.7	64.4	64.6	..
Women as % of labour force	v89	31.4	..	36.8	..	41.3	42.8	43.9	..
Econ. active pop.-agriculture (%)	v90	8.1	..	6.5	..	5.5	..	..	..
Econ. active pop.-industry (%)	v91	36.5	..	32.2	..	26.3	..	..	..
Econ. active pop.-services (%)	v92	55.4	..	61.4	..	68.2	..	..	..
International migrant stock	v31	2 486 215	..	3 087 767	..	3 983 889	..	4 705 010	..
% female of international migrant stock	v32	46.5	..	48.0	..	49.3	..	50.8	..
LAND USE									
Population per cropland (per hectare)	v43	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4 *
Agric. workers/cropland (per hectare)	v88	0.0	..	0.0	..	0.0	..	0.0	..
Cropland as percentage of land area	v44	5.4	5.5	5.8	6.2	6.3	6.0	6.6	6.6 *
FOOD									
Cereal production (1,000 metric tons)	v55	13 998 314	17 194 471	21 149 949	25 848 693	21 389 519	26 101 310	36 393 179	30 350 833†
Cereal yield (kg/hectare)	v56	1 201	1 384	1 321	1 528	1 665	1 754	2 109	1 758†
Cereal imports (metric tons)	v58	2 130	4 003	4 912	24 961	40 438	287 529	54 331	64 745†
Cereal exports (metric tons)	v59	8 357 128	11 284 620	19 466 770	23 450 360	15 013 190	10 694 220	21 825 520	19 343 560†
Food aid in cereals (metric tons)	v57	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Roots and tubers (metric tons)	v60	783 889	698 537	842 829	995 431	1 126 844	1 212 738	1 264 794	1 266 000†
DEVELOPMENT									
Social development									
Calorie supply (kcal./day)	v97	3 244	3 119	3 058	3 175	3 213	3 097	3 110	3 126 *
Adult literacy, total (%)	v106	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Adult literacy, F (%)	v107	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Adult literacy, M (%)	v108	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Young adult literacy, total (%)	v109	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Young adult literacy, F (%)	v110	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Young adult literacy, M (%)	v111	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Gross enrolment, primary, total (%)	v112	114.8	106.8	112.0	106.8	107.7	101.0	102.0	..
Gross enrolment, primary, F (%)	v113	114.8	106.3	111.4	106.2	107.4	100.8	102.1	..
Gross enrolment, primary, M (%)	v114	114.8	107.2	112.6	107.3	108.0	101.2	102.0	..
Net enrolment, primary, total (%)	v115	..	96.0	100.0	98.1	99.2	94.7	95.6	..
Net enrolment, primary, F (%)	v116	..	96.1	100.0	98.1	99.3	95.0	96.1	..
Net enrolment, primary, M (%)	v117	..	96.0	100.0	98.1	99.0	94.4	95.2	..
Gross enrolment, secondary, total (%)	v118	82.1	71.7	71.2	80.1	81.7	142.5	160.7	..
Gross enrolment, secondary, F (%)	v119	75.7	71.7	72.3	81.0	83.4	142.1	161.3	..
Gross enrolment, secondary, M (%)	v120	88.3	71.7	70.1	79.2	80.1	142.9	160.2	..
Economic development									
GDP (millions 1990 US \$)	v77	..	199 185	230 535	265 391	310 965	364 006	443 397	..
GDP per capita (1990 US \$)	v78	..	14 620	15 749	16 937	18 429	20 289	23 249	..
GDP per capita PPP (1995 internat. \$)	v79	..	14 677	16 161	17 678	19 367	21 334	24 013	25 032†
Agricultural share of GDP (%)	v80	..	6.4	6.8	5.2	3.8	3.7	3.5	..
Industrial share of GDP (%)	v81	..	37.2	37.1	35.1	29.0	27.8	25.8	..
Services share of GDP (%)	v82	..	56.4	56.1	59.7	67.2	68.5	70.6	..
Expenditures									
Expend. on pop. activities (1,000 US \$)	v124	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Public spending on education (% GDP)	v125	3.7	5.7	5.2	5.2	4.9	5.2	4.7	..
Public spending on health (% GDP)	v126	5.3	5.5	6.0	..

Notes:

* For 2001. † For 2002.

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POPULATION

Total population - annual growth rate (%)	v35	1.4	1.4	1.4	1.5	1.2	1.2	1.1
Growth rate pop. under age 15 (% / year)	v38	0.5	-0.3	0.0	0.0	1.2	0.6	-0.4
Growth rate pop. aged 15-59 (% / year)	v39	1.6	1.9	1.7	1.7	1.2	1.2	1.2
Growth rate pop. 60 or over (% / year)	v40	2.2	2.8	2.5	2.8	1.2	2.2	2.5
Urban growth rate (% / year)	v36	2.2	0.9	1.3	1.4	2.0	1.8	1.4
Rural growth rate (% / year)	v37	1.0	1.2	1.8	2.0	-2.7	-4.3	-3.8
Total fertility rate (births/woman)	v20	2.5	2.1	1.9	1.9	1.9	1.8	1.7
Life expectancy at birth, total (years)	v24	71.7	73.5	75.2	76.1	77.6	78.7	80.2
Life expectancy at birth, F (years)	v25	75.2	77.0	78.7	79.4	80.6	81.5	82.8
Life expectancy at birth, M (years)	v26	68.4	70.1	71.9	73.0	74.7	75.9	77.6
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	v27	17	13	10	9	7	6	5

DEVELOPMENT

GDP annual growth rate (%)	v83	..	2.9	2.8	3.2	3.1	3.9	..
GDP per capita annual growth rate (%)	v84	..	1.5	1.5	1.7	1.9	2.7	..

OTHER INDICATORS: latest available data

Year Value

Population and Health

Singulate mean age at marriage, F (years)	v33	2000	28.7
Singulate mean age at marriage, M (years)	v34	2000	30.9
Contraceptive prevalence (%)	v21	1986	76.1
Maternal mortality ratio (per 100,000 live births)	v29	2000	8
Under-five mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	v28	1995-2000	8
Under-five mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	v28	2000-2005	6
Adult HIV prevalence (%)	v30	2003	0
Population undernourishment (%)	v98	..	..
Low birth weight infants (%)	v99	1998-2003	7
Children underweight (%)	v96	..	..

Land and Land use

Total area (km2)	v41	2002	7 741 220
Land area (km2)	v42	2002	7 682 300
Rainfed potential/area (%)	v48	1994-1996	15.5
Crop production potential area (%)	v47	1994-1996	15.5
Irrigated land as percentage of cropland	v46	2001	4.7
Cropland/ potential area (%)	v49	1994-1996	41.0
Forest as percentage of land area	v45	1990	21.9
Forest as percentage of land area	v45	2005	21.3
Nationally protected area (% of total land)	v61	2003	7.5
Level of land degradation (% of land area, total)	v62	1988-1989	12.7
Lightly degraded (%)	v63	1988-1989	12.0
Moderately degraded (%)	v64	1988-1989	0.4
Strongly or extremely degraded (%)	v65	1988-1989	0.3

Water and Sanitation

Fresh water resources (km3)	v51	2000	352
Fresh water withdrawal (% of resources, annual)	v50	1995	4.3
Access to safe water, total (%)	v100	2002	100
Access to safe water, urban (%)	v102	2002	100
Access to safe water, rural (%)	v104	2002	100
Access to sanitation, total (%)	v101	2002	100
Access to sanitation, urban (%)	v103	2002	100
Access to sanitation, rural (%)	v105	2002	100

Energy

Commercial energy use/capita (US\$ / Kg oil)	v52	2001	6 056
Traditional energy use (% of energy use)	v53	2001	7.9
Energy use efficiency (US\$ / Mt oil equiv.)	v54	2001	3 166

Income

Pop. with income < 1 US\$ per day (%)	v93	..	..
Income share of the lowest 20 per cent (%)	v94	1994	5.9
Income share of the highest 20 per cent (%)	v95	1994	41.3

Emissions

Carbon dioxide emissions (1,000 metric tons)	v75	2000	344 760
Carbon dioxide emissions p/capita (metric tons)	v76	2000	18.0

Government Views on Population, 2003

Population growth	v127	Satisfactory
Fertility level	v129	Satisfactory
Mortality level	v131	Acceptable
Immigration level	v132	Satisfactory
Emigration level	v134	Satisfactory

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