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Key Points

Introduction

Small Area Labour Markets (SALM) presents regional estimates of unemployment and the unemployment rate at two small area levels:

- For approximately 2,200 Australian Bureau of Statistics (ABS) Statistical Areas Level 2 (SA2s), on a state/territory and capital city/rest of state basis, provided in Table 1. For the states and the Northern Territory, estimates for the capital city and the rest of state are also provided; and
- For approximately 540 Australian Local Government Areas (LGAs), provided in Table 2.

The estimates in Tables 1 and 2 are *smoothed* using a four-quarter average to minimise the variability inherent in small area estimates. A description of the methodology used to prepare the estimates in this publication is presented on page 49.

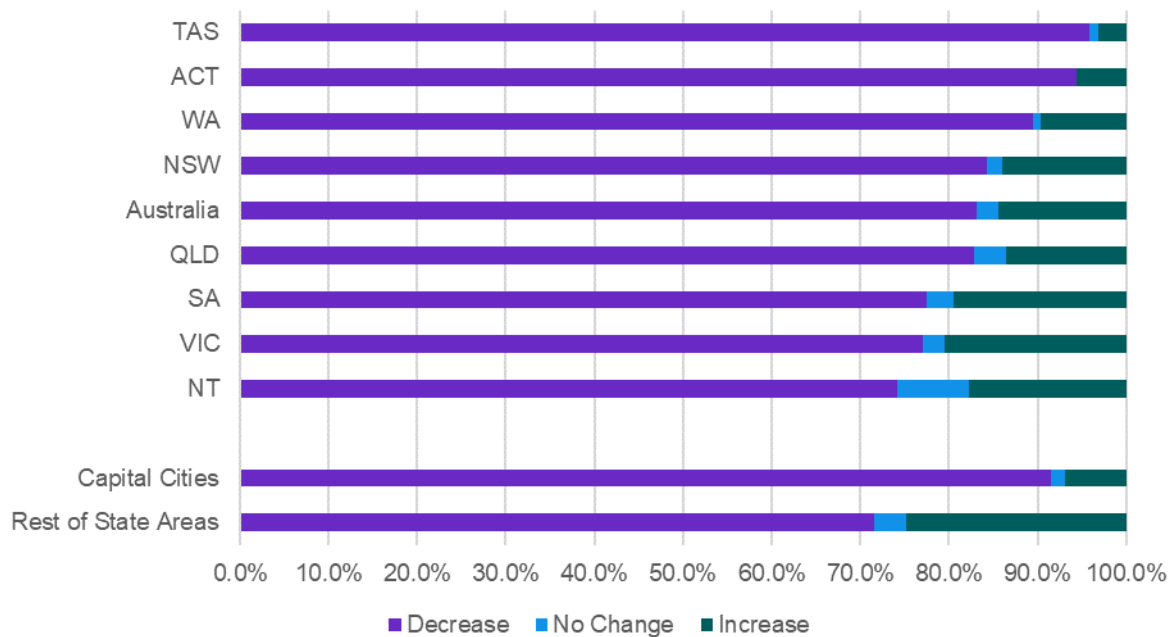
Caution: Highly disaggregated estimates of unemployment and the unemployment rate at the SA2 and LGA level can display significant variability and should be viewed with caution, particularly in regions where the ABS Statistical Area Level 4 unemployment data that underpin the SALM estimates have been exhibiting considerable volatility. As a result, quarter-to-quarter comparisons may not be indicative of actual movements in the labour market. It is therefore recommended that year-on-year comparisons be used and that large movements in the SA2 and LGA data be viewed with caution.

Further, where large movements in the SA2 and LGA estimates are encountered, or for SA2s and LGAs with a small labour force, users are advised to examine Census labour force data in addition to the SALM estimates.

Labour market developments at the Statistical Area Level 2

More than 8 in 10 Statistical Areas Level 2 (SA2s) (83.2%) recorded a decrease in their *smoothed* unemployment rate over the year to the March quarter 2023, below the 90.9% recorded over the year to the March quarter 2022.

Chart 1: Annual change in unemployment rate by state/territory (% of SA2s)

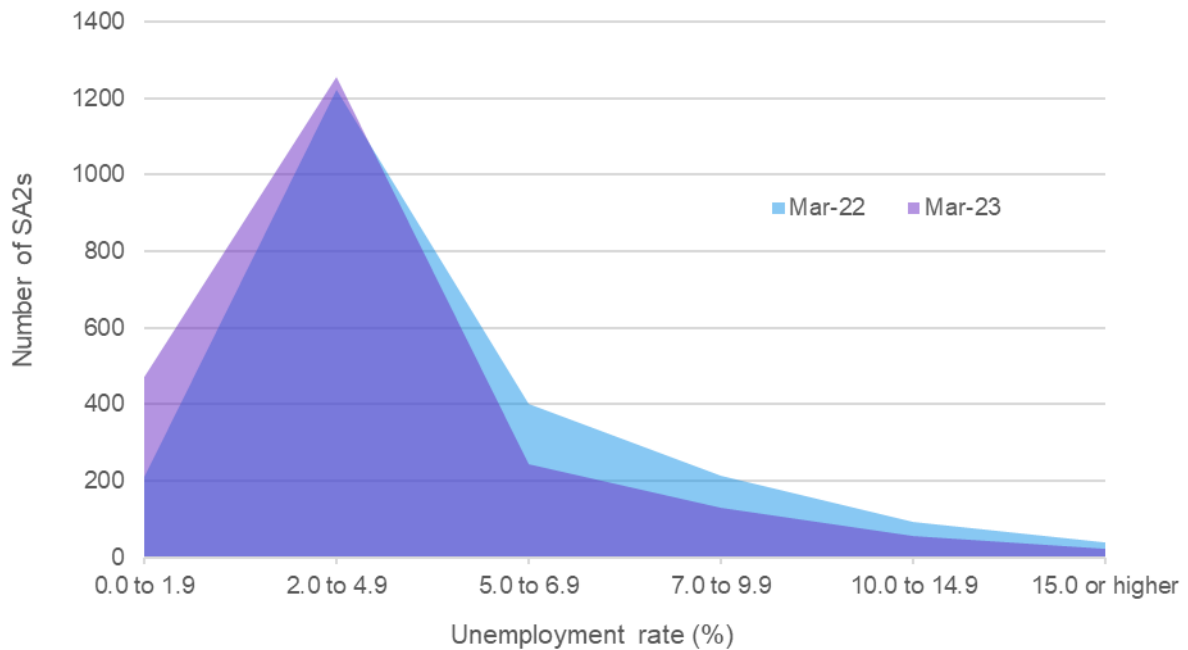


As shown in Chart 1, above, almost all (95.8%) SA2s in Tasmania recorded a fall in their unemployment rate over the year to the March quarter 2023. On the other hand, Victoria had the largest proportion (20.4%) of SA2s recording an *increase* in their unemployment rate over the period.

- A higher proportion (91.5%) of SA2s in Capital Cities recorded a decrease in their unemployment rate, compared with those in Rest of State areas (71.5%).

In the March quarter 2023, more than three-quarters (79.3%) of SA2s recorded an unemployment rate of less than 5% while just 3.6% of SA2s recorded an unemployment rate of 10% or more.

Chart 2: Distribution of SA2s by unemployment rate















Reflecting the strong recovery in labour market conditions following the end of the COVID-19 lockdowns, there has been a significant increase in the number of SA2s with an unemployment rate of less than 5% over the past year (up from 1,433 to 1,726) – see Chart 2, above. On the other hand, the number of SA2s with an unemployment rate of 10% or higher has fallen considerably (from 131 to 78).

Local Government Area level labour market developments

Note: When interpreting the Local Government Area (LGA) data, below, it is important to bear in mind that the size of LGAs can vary considerably. Accordingly, movements in labour market indicators at the LGA level may differ from those at the SA2 level.

More than two-thirds of LGAs (67.6%) recorded a fall in their *smoothed* unemployment rate over the year to the March quarter 2023, well below the 81.4% recorded over the previous year. Around three-quarters (76.6%) of LGAs recorded an unemployment rate of less than 5%, while 5.9% of LGAs recorded an unemployment rate of 10% or more (see table, overleaf).

Table: Distribution of LGAs by state/territory (%), change over the year to the March quarter 2023

State/ territory	Increase 	Decrease 	Steady 	Less than 5%	10% or more
NSW 	27.9	69.0	3.1	83.7	2.3
VIC 	33.8	62.5	3.8	91.3	0.0
QLD 	37.7	54.5	7.8	55.8	22.1
SA 	36.6	56.3	7.0	69.0	4.2
WA 	19.7	74.5	5.8	81.0	4.4
TAS 	0.0	100.0	0.0	72.4	0.0
NT 	26.3	73.7	0.0	52.6	15.8
ACT* 	0.0	100.0	0.0	100.0	0.0
Australia 	27.6	67.6	4.8	76.6	5.9

*The ACT is comprised of a single LGA.

Main issues

Impact of COVID-19 on Small Area Labour Markets estimates

The COVID-19 pandemic began to have a significant negative impact on the Australian labour market from March 2020, when Australia recorded its 100th COVID-19 case and the initial shutdown of non-essential services and trading restrictions took effect. Similarly, the Delta lockdowns that commenced in mid-2021 also restricted labour demand and supply.

Unlike during the initial COVID-19 lockdown and the Delta wave, however, the high rates of infection during the Omicron outbreak in first months of 2022 did not result in any lockdowns or travel restrictions (with the exception of Western Australia), while trading restrictions were eased. Clearly, however, workplace absences, due to illness during the Omicron wave, also affected labour supply.

It is worth bearing in mind that the *smoothed* Small Area Labour Markets (SALM) series, which is created by averaging four quarters of *unsmoothed* SALM data, lags actual changes in labour market conditions. It is also important to note that if labour market conditions in a region have varied significantly over the four quarters, the *smoothed* estimate will be an average of those different prevailing labour market conditions, rather than reflecting conditions from any particular quarter.

It is also worth noting that the labour market's adjustment to COVID-19 has not been fully reflected in changes to the level of unemployment and the unemployment rate. At various times since March 2020, lockdowns implemented to control the spread of COVID-19 tended to result in a large number of people leaving the labour force. As these people were no longer participating in the labour force, they were not counted as unemployed by the Australian Bureau of Statistics, leading to a much smaller increase in the unemployment rate than would have otherwise been expected, given the significant fall in employment that occurred during the lockdowns.

Given both the large number of people who left the labour force at different times during the pandemic, and the lag from the smoothing process, care should be exercised when interpreting SALM data from the June quarter 2020 onwards.

Recent changes to mutual obligation requirements in some areas

Mutual obligation requirements are tasks and activities that people agree to do while they are receiving certain types of income support, including the JobSeeker Payment and Youth Allowance (other) payment. From time-to-time, and for a range of reasons, these requirements can be suspended. During the September quarter 2021, for example, mutual obligation requirements were temporarily paused in areas affected by the Delta COVID-19 variant and associated lockdowns. More recently, mutual obligation requirements were suspended in various regions affected by flooding.

The suspension of mutual obligation requirements can have an impact on the Small Area Labour Markets (SALM) data. This is because the Australian Bureau of Statistics only considers someone to be unemployed if they are *actively looking* for work. When mutual obligation requirements are suspended, it is possible that some job seekers may not have undertaken the job search that they normally would have, in which case they would be considered to be not in the labour force rather than unemployed.

For more information on mutual obligation requirements, please see the [Services Australia website](#).

Using unsmoothed Small Area Labour Markets data during the COVID-19 pandemic

Jobs and Skills Australia continues to recommend that Small Area Labour Markets (SALM) users analyse the *smoothed* SALM data, given the high degree of volatility that is inherent in small area estimates. That said, it is clear that some users, seeking to understand better the impact of COVID-19 on conditions at the small area level, may prefer to analyse data in the *unsmoothed* SALM series. While the *unsmoothed* data are likely to better reflect changes in labour market conditions during a period of considerable flux, the data are also subject to high levels of statistical variability which may have been exacerbated during the COVID-19 pandemic. Accordingly, analysis conducted on the *unsmoothed* SALM series should be undertaken with a high degree of caution, as any movements could reflect statistical variability, rather than actual changes in labour market conditions.

Next issue

It is anticipated that the June quarter 2023 issue of Small Area Labour Markets will be released in September 2023.

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Table 1: Estimates of unemployment and unemployment rates by Statistical Area Level 2, March quarter 2022 to March quarter 2023, smoothed series

Statistical Area Level 2 (2016 ASGS)	Unemployment					Unemployment Rate (%)					Labour Force
	Mar-22	Jun-22	Sep-22	Dec-22	Mar-23	Mar-22	Jun-22	Sep-22	Dec-22	Mar-23	Mar-23
AUSTRALIA	635,500	591,600	557,800	523,000	510,000	4.6	4.3	4.0	3.7	3.6	14,219,900
New South Wales	195,200	179,200	168,400	154,500	147,500	4.6	4.2	3.9	3.5	3.3	4,423,000
<i>Greater Sydney</i>	<i>135,300</i>	<i>120,900</i>	<i>113,700</i>	<i>103,200</i>	<i>99,600</i>	<i>4.8</i>	<i>4.3</i>	<i>3.9</i>	<i>3.5</i>	<i>3.4</i>	<i>2,947,900</i>
Acacia Gardens	69	57	47	43	38	2.9	2.4	2.0	1.8	1.5	2,482
Arncliffe - Bardwell Valley	642	565	518	450	382	3.9	3.4	3.0	2.6	2.2	17,453
Ashcroft - Busby - Miller	1,252	1,180	1,159	1,052	951	20.8	19.2	18.3	16.2	14.4	6,584
Ashfield	770	593	606	608	603	5.4	4.1	4.1	4.1	4.0	15,055
Asquith - Mount Colah	507	469	481	443	468	4.2	3.9	3.9	3.6	3.7	12,511
Auburn - Central	782	726	694	596	564	8.4	7.9	7.4	6.2	5.8	9,791
Auburn - North	338	310	296	260	242	5.8	5.3	5.0	4.3	3.9	6,195
Auburn - South	402	357	331	277	263	10.6	9.5	8.6	7.1	6.6	4,004
Austral - Greendale	308	290	281	247	217	5.2	4.8	4.6	3.9	3.4	6,411
Avalon - Palm Beach	250	235	215	148	141	3.6	3.3	3.0	2.0	1.9	7,458
Avoca Beach - Copacabana	67	51	49	43	38	1.7	1.3	1.3	1.1	1.0	3,970
Balgowlah - Clontarf - Seaforth	323	320	297	227	207	2.9	2.8	2.6	1.9	1.7	11,973
Balmain	254	190	189	199	199	2.6	1.9	1.9	1.9	1.9	10,278
Banksmeadow*	13	13	13	11	9	2.7	2.8	2.7	2.3	1.9	462
Bankstown - North	934	858	840	774	702	12.2	11.1	10.6	9.5	8.6	8,163
Bankstown - South	962	891	878	801	725	11.7	10.8	10.4	9.2	8.3	8,707
Bargo	108	106	101	94	86	3.4	3.3	3.1	2.8	2.5	3,377
Bass Hill - Georges Hall	1,195	1,108	1,093	994	891	12.4	11.4	10.9	9.7	8.7	10,280
Bateau Bay - Killarney Vale	420	345	333	305	289	4.1	3.4	3.3	3.0	2.8	10,484
Baulkham Hills (East)	601	422	344	322	382	4.7	3.3	2.7	2.5	2.9	13,204
Baulkham Hills (West) - Bella Vista	362	277	234	249	281	3.0	2.3	1.9	2.0	2.2	12,573
Bayview - Elanora Heights	195	184	169	128	123	3.4	3.2	2.8	2.1	2.0	6,149
Beacon Hill - Narraweena	389	392	377	317	301	5.1	5.1	4.8	4.0	3.7	8,080
Belmore - Belfield	722	647	619	565	502	7.3	6.5	6.0	5.3	4.7	10,586
Berala	339	301	287	252	238	7.7	6.9	6.4	5.5	5.1	4,648
Berowra - Brooklyn - Cowan	193	169	172	159	154	3.0	2.6	2.6	2.4	2.3	6,741
Bexley	750	684	647	567	492	5.4	4.9	4.5	3.8	3.3	14,759
Bidwill - Hebersham - Emerton	1,462	1,326	1,198	1,158	1,142	18.5	16.9	15.1	14.3	13.8	8,264
Bilpin - Colo - St Albans	95	70	61	65	79	6.1	4.5	3.9	4.1	4.9	1,606
Blackheath - Megalong Valley	120	110	109	104	119	4.2	3.9	3.8	3.6	4.1	2,922
Blacktown (East) - Kings Park	541	495	436	412	405	5.4	4.9	4.3	4.0	3.8	10,527
Blacktown (North) - Marayong	646	588	523	506	502	5.8	5.3	4.6	4.4	4.3	11,703
Blacktown (South)	490	448	402	384	358	7.1	6.5	5.8	5.4	4.9	7,262
Blacktown (West)	544	481	432	423	414	5.7	5.1	4.5	4.3	4.1	10,002
Blaxland - Warrimoo - Lapstone	198	178	169	146	157	1.9	1.7	1.6	1.3	1.4	10,838
Blue Haven - San Remo	376	317	310	282	263	7.3	6.3	6.1	5.5	5.0	5,208
Bondi - Tamarama - Bronte	289	249	220	207	245	2.2	2.0	1.8	1.7	2.0	12,343
Bondi Beach - North Bondi	336	304	284	279	328	2.3	2.1	2.0	2.0	2.3	13,966
Bondi Junction - Waverly	277	257	252	250	284	2.5	2.4	2.4	2.4	2.7	10,631
Bonnyrigg Heights - Bonnyrigg	732	690	663	589	510	9.7	9.0	8.4	7.2	6.2	8,259
Bossley Park - Abbotsbury	653	609	584	535	492	7.1	6.5	6.0	5.4	4.9	10,090
Botany	278	253	220	197	202	3.4	3.1	2.7	2.5	2.6	7,889
Box Head - MacMasters Beach	113	94	92	81	75	2.2	1.9	1.8	1.6	1.5	5,144
Bradbury - Wedderburn	823	781	748	719	662	8.6	8.1	7.6	7.2	6.5	10,168
Budgewoi - Buff Point - Halekulani	258	220	220	208	199	6.3	5.5	5.4	5.1	4.8	4,160
Burwood - Croydon	682	510	500	493	470	4.7	3.5	3.3	3.2	3.0	15,476
Cabramatta - Lansvale	1,153	1,067	1,007	891	773	11.1	10.1	9.2	8.0	6.8	11,363
Cabramatta West - Mount Pritchard	824	761	717	634	571	10.6	9.6	8.8	7.6	6.7	8,516
Calga - Kulnura	66	55	55	50	46	2.7	2.3	2.2	2.0	1.8	2,529
Cambridge Park	409	383	378	341	368	4.6	4.3	4.1	3.7	4.0	9,224
Camden - Ellis Lane	138	129	134	128	114	2.0	1.8	1.8	1.7	1.5	7,518
Campbelltown - Woodbine	821	792	776	738	665	7.4	7.0	6.8	6.3	5.6	11,896
Canley Vale - Canley Heights	1,048	955	899	804	719	11.0	9.8	9.0	7.9	6.9	10,397
Canterbury (North) - Ashbury	286	208	221	228	230	4.1	2.9	3.1	3.1	3.1	7,443
Canterbury (South) - Campsie	1,007	911	878	795	709	5.6	5.1	4.8	4.2	3.7	18,958
Caringbah	333	295	259	248	258	4.5	3.9	3.4	3.2	3.3	7,753
Caringbah South	96	84	73	70	77	1.4	1.2	1.0	1.0	1.1	7,309
Carlingford	500	442	408	343	312	3.2	2.8	2.6	2.1	1.9	16,613
Castle Hill - Central	181	127	105	99	106	4.5	3.1	2.6	2.4	2.5	4,159
Castle Hill - East	50	31	25	23	24	1.9	1.2	1.0	0.9	0.9	2,658
Castle Hill - North	223	160	132	129	150	3.4	2.5	2.0	2.0	2.3	6,665
Castle Hill - South	256	178	140	142	166	4.6	3.2	2.5	2.5	2.9	5,733
Castle Hill - West	95	67	56	55	69	3.2	2.3	1.9	1.8	2.3	3,045
Castlereagh - Cranebrook	638	587	581	512	540	3.7	3.4	3.3	2.9	3.0	17,822
Casula	558	524	498	441	376	7.0	6.5	6.0	5.2	4.3	8,702
Cecil Hills	141	126	114	96	84	3.8	3.3	2.9	2.4	2.1	4,047
Chatswood (East) - Artarmon	613	546	524	473	469	4.1	3.6	3.4	3.1	3	15,590

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	Mar-22	Jun-22	Sep-22	Dec-22	Mar-23	Mar-22	Jun-22	Sep-22	Dec-22	Mar-23	Mar-23	
Chatswood (West) - Lane Cove North	430	375	350	303	300	3.5	3.1	2.8	2.4	2.4	12,700	
Cherrybrook	264	188	156	158	186	2.6	1.9	1.5	1.5	1.8	10,327	
Chester Hill - Sefton	994	925	890	770	720	11.4	10.7	10.0	8.5	7.8	9,237	
Chipping Norton - Moorebank	389	344	316	273	242	3.7	3.2	2.9	2.4	2.1	11,404	
Chittaway Bay - Tumby Umbi	237	201	201	188	182	3.0	2.6	2.6	2.4	2.3	8,042	
Chullora*	36	35	37	34	30	4.5	4.3	4.5	4.0	3.5	853	
Claymore - Eagle Vale - Raby	689	628	588	548	494	6.4	5.8	5.3	4.9	4.3	11,434	
Cobbitty - Leppington	795	736	694	596	515	3.1	2.8	2.6	2.2	1.9	27,813	
Colyton - Oxley Park	492	447	437	393	414	7.6	6.9	6.6	5.9	6.2	6,654	
Concord - Mortlake - Cabarita	338	242	234	230	233	2.6	1.9	1.8	1.7	1.7	13,657	
Concord West - North Strathfield	403	294	287	271	263	2.8	2.1	2.0	1.8	1.8	15,019	
Condell Park	585	539	527	474	422	10.4	9.6	9.1	8.0	7.1	5,953	
Coogee - Clovelly	440	421	418	417	498	2.7	2.6	2.6	2.7	3.2	15,716	
Cremorne - Cammeray	286	257	243	211	199	2.5	2.2	2.1	1.8	1.7	12,015	
Cromer	138	137	139	132	138	3.3	3.2	3.2	3.0	3.1	4,512	
Cronulla - Kurnell - Bundeena	426	349	303	281	310	2.7	2.2	1.9	1.8	1.9	16,102	
Crows Nest - Waverton	304	276	268	248	250	2.6	2.3	2.2	2.0	2.0	12,321	
Croydon Park - Enfield	419	315	325	327	330	4.4	3.3	3.3	3.3	3.3	10,003	
Darlinghurst	388	342	286	251	256	4.4	3.9	3.3	2.9	3.0	8,482	
Dee Why - North Curl Curl	770	770	732	591	595	4.6	4.5	4.2	3.3	3.3	18,029	
Doonside - Woodcroft	861	774	681	650	634	6.6	5.9	5.2	4.8	4.6	13,753	
Double Bay - Bellevue Hill	291	259	234	221	272	2.0	1.8	1.6	1.6	1.9	14,215	
Douglas Park - Appin	96	82	74	68	59	1.6	1.3	1.2	1.1	0.9	6,523	
Dover Heights	140	130	125	122	151	2.2	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.4	6,199	
Drummoyne - Rodd Point	222	160	152	151	150	2.1	1.5	1.4	1.3	1.3	11,496	
Dulwich Hill - Lewisham	610	452	454	469	473	5.3	3.9	3.8	3.9	3.9	12,219	
Dural - Kenthurst - Wisemans Ferry	418	297	237	244	306	3.4	2.4	1.9	2.0	2.4	12,505	
Eastwood - Denistone	749	685	620	474	396	5.3	4.8	4.2	3.2	2.7	14,843	
Edensor Park	346	326	317	293	271	7.1	6.6	6.2	5.6	5.1	5,296	
Elderslie - Harrington Park	313	288	274	260	236	2.2	2.0	1.9	1.7	1.5	15,248	
Emu Plains - Leonay	177	156	144	126	132	2.3	2.0	1.9	1.6	1.7	7,845	
Engadine	255	221	190	172	179	2.7	2.3	2.0	1.8	1.8	9,905	
Epping - North Epping	670	609	557	436	393	3.7	3.3	2.9	2.3	2.1	19,135	
Erina - Green Point	142	114	108	97	88	2.3	1.8	1.7	1.5	1.4	6,417	
Ermington - Rydalmere	718	625	585	496	450	5.5	4.8	4.4	3.6	3.2	13,883	
Erskine Park	122	106	97	80	82	2.9	2.5	2.3	1.9	1.9	4,272	
Erskineville - Alexandria	380	327	272	256	265	2.5	2.1	1.8	1.7	1.8	15,053	
Fairfield	1,240	1,176	1,149	1,061	983	18.9	17.6	16.7	15.0	13.7	7,173	
Fairfield - East	1,034	966	945	829	782	16.4	15.4	14.7	12.7	11.7	6,675	
Fairfield - West	1,126	1,067	1,035	956	898	13.8	12.8	12.1	10.9	10.1	8,914	
Five Dock - Abbotsford	397	290	281	271	255	3.3	2.4	2.3	2.1	2.0	12,739	
Forestville - Killarney Heights	207	205	192	160	155	3.2	3.1	2.8	2.3	2.2	6,950	
Frenchs Forest - Belrose	367	369	350	288	268	2.7	2.7	2.5	2.0	1.9	14,285	
Freshwater - Brookvale	397	400	387	324	320	2.9	2.9	2.7	2.3	2.2	14,527	
Galston - Laughtondale	98	63	48	50	63	3.4	2.2	1.7	1.7	2.1	2,953	
Gladesville - Huntleys Point	314	291	268	212	195	3.4	3.1	2.8	2.2	2.0	9,744	
Glebe - Forest Lodge	820	755	655	617	640	6.0	5.6	4.8	4.6	4.8	13,261	
Glendenning - Dean Park	229	208	185	175	163	4.8	4.3	3.8	3.5	3.2	5,054	
Glenhaven	57	39	31	31	40	1.8	1.2	1.0	0.9	1.2	3,324	
Glenmore Park - Regentville	247	214	205	186	204	1.9	1.6	1.5	1.4	1.5	13,371	
Glenwood	203	164	132	122	124	2.1	1.7	1.3	1.2	1.2	10,335	
Gordon - Killara	342	302	281	248	240	3.1	2.7	2.5	2.2	2.1	11,445	
Gorokan - Kanwal - Charmhaven	676	570	571	531	507	7.1	6.1	6.0	5.5	5.2	9,726	
Gosford - Springfield	510	444	453	429	402	4.8	4.2	4.3	4.0	3.7	10,870	
Granville - Clyde	1,003	938	911	785	732	8.5	8.0	7.6	6.4	5.9	12,501	
Green Valley	456	426	406	353	309	7.4	6.8	6.3	5.3	4.6	6,709	
Greenacre - Mount Lewis	1,301	1,190	1,148	1,046	957	11.7	10.6	10.0	8.8	8.1	11,843	
Greenfield Park - Prairiewood	339	319	304	274	254	9.0	8.4	7.7	6.8	6.2	4,092	
Greystanes - Pemulwuy	676	594	562	482	446	4.7	4.2	3.9	3.2	2.9	15,162	
Guildford - South Granville	1,407	1,310	1,270	1,092	1,020	16.2	15.2	14.3	12.1	11.1	9,218	
Guildford West - Merrylands West	1,174	1,087	1,059	914	867	11.1	10.4	9.8	8.3	7.7	11,200	
GyMEA - Grays Point	233	195	160	148	168	2.2	1.8	1.5	1.4	1.5	10,980	
Haberfield - Summer Hill	281	216	219	214	213	3.5	2.6	2.6	2.5	2.5	8,588	
Hassall Grove - Plumpton	629	550	464	433	425	5.0	4.4	3.7	3.4	3.3	13,069	
Heathcote - Waterfall	88	78	73	73	77	2.4	2.1	2.0	2.0	2.0	3,760	
Hinchinbrook	382	345	321	284	261	5.9	5.2	4.7	4.1	3.7	7,100	
Holsworthy - Wattle Grove	252	232	213	178	151	2.1	1.9	1.7	1.4	1.2	13,097	
Homebush	512	386	394	390	392	4.0	3.0	3.0	2.9	2.9	13,564	
Homebush Bay - Silverwater	526	454	423	360	329	3.0	2.6	2.4	2.0	1.8	18,454	
Hornsby - East	451	418	469	465	487	6.5	6.0	6.6	6.5	6.8	7,213	
Hornsby - West	338	307	332	335	353	6.2	5.6	6.0	6.0	6.2	5,672	
Horsley Park - Kemps Creek	68	65	62	54	47	3.0	2.8	2.6	2.2	1.9	2,498	
Hoxton Park - Carnes Hill - Horningsea Park	332	304	288	259	232	4.9	4.4	4.1	3.6	3.1	7,389	

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Hunters Hill - Woolwich	135	125	113	92	84	2.7	2.5	2.2	1.7	1.6	5,219	
Hurstville	662	601	565	500	442	5.2	4.7	4.3	3.7	3.3	13,487	
Illawong - Alford's Point	140	127	116	114	115	2.2	2.0	1.8	1.7	1.7	6,602	
Ingleburn - Denham Court	665	612	573	536	480	4.0	3.7	3.4	3.1	2.7	17,528	
Jamison town - South Penrith	421	390	380	339	359	4.4	4.1	3.9	3.5	3.7	9,763	
Jilliby - Yarramalong	55	46	48	48	49	3.1	2.6	2.7	2.7	2.7	1,828	
Kariong	102	84	80	69	67	3.0	2.5	2.4	2.0	2.0	3,426	
Katoomba - Leura	411	372	356	313	335	6.2	5.6	5.2	4.6	4.9	6,869	
Kellyville	634	430	343	333	396	3.8	2.6	2.1	2.0	2.3	16,902	
Kensington (NSW)	223	202	193	199	246	3.5	3.3	3.2	3.3	4.1	6,021	
Kincumber - Picketts Valley	88	71	70	63	60	2.8	2.3	2.2	2.0	1.9	3,229	
Kingsford	307	274	259	253	306	4.7	4.3	4.1	4.0	4.9	6,268	
Kingsgrove (North) - Earlwood	506	455	436	385	337	4.1	3.7	3.4	2.9	2.6	13,136	
Kingsgrove (South) - Bardwell Park	275	248	239	209	185	4.1	3.7	3.5	3.0	2.6	7,065	
Kingswood - Werrington	768	708	694	643	714	5.8	5.3	5.1	4.7	5.2	13,694	
Kogarah	270	253	244	217	189	3.5	3.3	3.1	2.7	2.3	8,138	
Kogarah Bay - Carlton - Allawah	346	305	279	236	202	3.8	3.3	2.9	2.4	2.1	9,744	
Kurrajong Heights - Ebenezer	677	496	420	421	474	5.3	3.9	3.3	3.3	3.6	13,002	
Lake Munmorah - Mannering Park	205	171	168	155	152	4.7	4.0	3.9	3.5	3.4	4,479	
Lakemba	780	697	644	550	473	10.9	9.7	8.7	7.2	6.2	7,601	
Lalor Park - Kings Langley	732	655	576	546	517	5.1	4.5	3.9	3.7	3.4	15,179	
Lane Cove - Greenwich	399	346	333	301	295	2.6	2.2	2.1	1.9	1.8	16,275	
Lawson - Hazelbrook - Linden	222	206	200	180	195	3.6	3.3	3.1	2.8	3.0	6,424	
Leichhardt - Annandale	678	505	489	498	484	4.0	2.9	2.8	2.8	2.7	18,061	
Lethbridge Park - Tregear	1,517	1,381	1,243	1,193	1,170	15.5	14.2	12.6	11.9	11.4	10,249	
Leumeah - Minto Heights	531	493	465	438	390	6.1	5.6	5.2	4.8	4.2	9,231	
Lidcombe	563	490	448	372	338	4.7	4.1	3.7	3.0	2.7	12,634	
Lilli Pilli - Port Hacking - Dolans Bay	29	19	14	12	12	1.5	1.0	0.7	0.6	0.6	2,004	
Lilyfield - Rozelle	332	251	256	265	276	3.8	2.9	2.8	2.9	3.0	9,255	
Lindfield - Roseville	313	272	248	222	220	2.6	2.2	2.0	1.7	1.7	12,815	
Liverpool	1,726	1,657	1,645	1,513	1,415	13.6	12.8	12.3	11.1	10.2	13,890	
Loftus - Yarrawarrah	89	79	68	63	61	2.1	1.9	1.6	1.5	1.4	4,307	
Lurnea - Cartwright	679	642	634	576	529	15.1	14.0	13.5	11.9	10.8	4,901	
Macquarie Fields - Glenfield	861	799	754	705	630	7.1	6.5	6.1	5.6	4.9	12,909	
Macquarie Park - Marsfield	564	519	477	366	322	4.2	3.8	3.3	2.5	2.3	14,253	
Malabar - La Perouse - Chifley	604	573	587	595	729	5.1	5.0	5.2	5.3	6.5	11,228	
Manly - Fairlight	417	414	404	332	328	2.9	2.9	2.7	2.2	2.1	15,259	
Manly Vale - Allambie Heights	324	313	295	230	216	3.4	3.2	3.0	2.3	2.1	10,287	
Maroubra - North	116	100	90	87	107	2.1	1.9	1.7	1.7	2.1	5,177	
Maroubra - South	417	390	388	384	467	7.0	6.7	6.8	6.7	8.2	5,707	
Maroubra - West	161	147	139	144	182	3.0	2.8	2.7	2.8	3.6	5,093	
Marrickville	1,133	1,014	861	795	802	6.8	6.1	5.1	4.8	4.9	16,337	
Mascot - Eastlakes	847	743	629	575	573	4.5	4.0	3.4	3.1	3.2	18,166	
Menai - Lucas Heights - Woronora	317	275	240	223	226	2.5	2.2	1.9	1.7	1.7	13,247	
Merrylands - Holroyd	1,429	1,319	1,284	1,138	1,105	9.4	8.8	8.3	7.2	6.9	16,032	
Minto - St Andrews	633	592	565	539	474	5.9	5.4	5.1	4.8	4.1	11,520	
Miranda - Yowie Bay	469	405	362	344	352	4.1	3.6	3.1	2.9	3.0	11,772	
Monterey - Brighton-le-Sands - Kyeemagh	348	309	299	268	235	4.6	4.0	3.8	3.3	2.9	8,085	
Mortdale - Penshurst	505	457	442	395	346	3.7	3.3	3.1	2.7	2.4	14,626	
Mosman	369	315	296	262	252	2.4	2.1	1.9	1.7	1.6	15,888	
Mount Annan - Currans Hill	511	473	447	415	373	2.5	2.3	2.1	1.9	1.7	21,853	
Mount Druitt - Whalan	1,373	1,249	1,099	1,035	981	13.0	11.9	10.3	9.5	8.9	11,075	
Mulgoa - Luddenham - Orchard Hills	108	95	89	78	83	1.6	1.4	1.3	1.1	1.2	7,141	
Narara	124	104	104	92	84	3.4	2.9	2.9	2.5	2.3	3,700	
Narrabeen - Collaroy	507	481	449	358	353	3.6	3.3	3.0	2.4	2.3	15,189	
Narwee - Beverly Hills	369	330	316	288	258	5.4	4.8	4.5	4.0	3.5	7,277	
Neutral Bay - Kirribilli	378	349	358	338	338	3.4	3.1	3.1	2.9	2.9	11,706	
Newport - Bilgola	240	229	210	159	148	3.1	2.9	2.6	1.9	1.8	8,303	
Newtown - Camperdown - Darlington	732	647	535	481	473	4.4	3.9	3.2	2.9	2.9	16,169	
Niagara Park - Lisarow	107	92	93	85	81	2.6	2.3	2.3	2.0	1.9	4,220	
Normanhurst - Thornleigh - Westleigh	403	355	348	316	310	4.1	3.6	3.5	3.1	3.1	10,148	
North Parramatta	736	674	658	581	527	5.5	5.1	4.8	4.2	3.7	14,150	
North Rocks	78	69	64	57	49	1.8	1.6	1.4	1.2	1.0	4,734	
North Ryde - East Ryde	319	282	246	192	169	3.7	3.2	2.7	2.1	1.9	9,107	
North Sydney - Lavender Bay	198	171	174	167	173	2.4	2.1	2.0	1.9	2.0	8,689	
Northmead	394	352	332	287	259	3.3	3.0	2.7	2.3	2.0	12,692	
Oatlands - Dundas Valley	492	432	411	355	325	5.1	4.5	4.2	3.5	3.2	10,268	
Oatley - Hurstville Grove	146	133	131	119	105	2.1	1.9	1.9	1.6	1.5	7,237	
Ourimbah - Fountaindale	56	49	51	49	45	2.1	1.9	2.0	1.9	1.7	2,662	
Oyster Bay - Como - Jannali	315	261	223	205	217	2.5	2.1	1.8	1.6	1.7	12,857	
Paddington - Moore Park	233	201	184	175	205	2.2	2.0	1.8	1.8	2.1	9,921	
Padstow	455	413	396	355	314	5.1	4.6	4.3	3.8	3.3	9,411	
Pagewood - Hillsdale - Daceyville	501	450	385	358	366	6.2	5.6	4.8	4.5	4.7	7,824	

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Panania - Milperra - Picnic Point	564	508	482	429	370	3.9	3.5	3.2	2.8	2.4	15,235	
Parklea - Kellyville Ridge	347	296	248	237	235	1.7	1.5	1.2	1.1	1.1	21,309	
Parramatta - Rosehill	820	739	705	601	555	4.2	3.8	3.6	3.0	2.7	20,635	
Peakhurst - Lugarno	381	347	336	306	275	3.8	3.4	3.2	2.8	2.6	10,777	
Pendle Hill - Girraween	320	281	271	236	218	4.6	4.1	3.8	3.3	3.0	7,338	
Pennant Hills - Cheltenham	370	331	300	239	231	3.0	2.7	2.3	1.8	1.8	12,924	
Penrith	758	693	678	622	682	7.9	7.2	6.9	6.3	6.9	9,929	
Petersham - Stanmore	762	678	578	531	531	5.4	4.8	4.1	3.8	3.8	13,798	
Picton - Tahmoor - Buxton	382	359	339	309	272	3.8	3.5	3.2	2.9	2.5	10,848	
Pitt Town - McGraths Hill	327	231	199	209	240	5.0	3.5	3.0	3.1	3.6	6,740	
Point Clare - Koolewong	94	76	74	64	56	3.0	2.5	2.4	2.1	1.8	3,171	
Potts Point - Woolloomooloo	626	566	484	446	435	4.3	3.9	3.3	3.1	3.0	14,298	
Prestons - Edmondson Park	572	525	490	428	376	4.2	3.8	3.4	2.9	2.5	14,905	
Punchbowl	1,064	978	966	887	801	11.6	10.6	10.2	9.1	8.2	9,766	
Putney	92	79	75	54	42	3.8	3.2	2.9	2.1	1.6	2,558	
Pymble	210	193	189	184	181	2.4	2.2	2.1	2.0	2.0	9,196	
Pymont - Ultimo	518	479	413	388	399	3.9	3.6	3.1	2.9	3.1	12,988	
Quakers Hill	472	415	356	336	320	3.1	2.7	2.3	2.1	2.0	15,970	
Randwick - North	250	230	218	214	252	2.4	2.2	2.1	2.1	2.5	10,107	
Randwick - South	216	202	205	203	257	2.6	2.5	2.6	2.6	3.3	7,842	
Redfern - Chippendale	963	891	792	765	818	6.7	6.3	5.5	5.4	5.9	13,910	
Regents Park	210	184	172	152	140	8.5	7.5	6.8	5.9	5.3	2,621	
Revesby	556	523	519	480	432	6.2	5.8	5.6	5.0	4.5	9,535	
Richmond - Clarendon	348	316	318	292	313	4.3	3.9	3.8	3.5	3.7	8,420	
Riverstone - Marsden Park	1,075	965	851	804	778	3.0	2.7	2.4	2.2	2.1	37,438	
Riverwood	557	507	489	434	385	10.2	9.2	8.6	7.5	6.6	5,831	
Rockdale - Banksia	507	449	428	379	327	4.3	3.8	3.5	3.0	2.6	12,513	
Rooty Hill - Minchinbury	644	544	451	420	413	5.0	4.2	3.5	3.2	3.1	13,476	
Rose Bay - Vaucluse - Watsons Bay	115	105	88	80	92	1.8	1.7	1.4	1.3	1.5	6,173	
Roselands	498	457	445	402	358	7.1	6.5	6.2	5.4	4.8	7,422	
Rosemeadow - Glen Alpine	721	679	650	613	542	6.6	6.1	5.7	5.3	4.6	11,729	
Rouse Hill - Beaumont Hills	808	588	482	495	601	3.3	2.4	1.9	2.0	2.4	25,462	
Ryde	1,061	969	868	634	516	5.6	5.1	4.4	3.2	2.6	19,891	
Sans Souci - Ramsgate	303	272	258	234	211	3.5	3.1	2.8	2.5	2.3	9,325	
Saratoga - Davistown	73	62	62	57	53	2.1	1.8	1.8	1.7	1.5	3,486	
Seven Hills - Toongabbie	693	628	556	522	492	4.6	4.2	3.7	3.4	3.1	15,637	
Smithfield - Wetherill Park	847	798	774	703	648	10.5	9.7	9.1	8.1	7.4	8,814	
South Hurstville - Blakehurst	453	414	393	354	308	3.4	3.1	2.8	2.5	2.1	14,331	
Springwood - Winmalee	259	235	223	192	199	2.2	2.0	1.8	1.6	1.6	12,196	
St Clair	417	381	370	330	356	3.6	3.3	3.1	2.8	3.0	11,988	
St Ives	240	212	204	184	184	2.3	2.0	1.9	1.7	1.7	10,924	
St Johns Park - Wakeley	392	365	347	315	278	8.0	7.4	6.8	6.0	5.2	5,320	
St Leonards - Naremburn	186	163	160	147	144	2.4	2.1	2.0	1.8	1.8	8,077	
St Marys - North St Marys	792	735	734	683	758	9.2	8.5	8.4	7.7	8.6	8,840	
Strathfield	475	356	346	337	321	3.1	2.3	2.2	2.1	2.0	16,163	
Strathfield South	88	72	82	81	79	4.4	3.5	3.9	3.8	3.7	2,143	
Summerland Point - Gwandalan	123	100	96	86	80	4.4	3.6	3.5	3.0	2.8	2,867	
Surry Hills	624	557	473	444	467	5.0	4.5	3.8	3.6	3.9	12,007	
Sutherland - Kirrawee	516	445	397	392	438	3.8	3.2	2.8	2.8	3.1	14,299	
Sydenham - Tempe - St Peters	279	248	205	183	182	5.0	4.5	3.7	3.3	3.3	5,452	
Sydney - Haymarket - The Rocks	541	471	385	331	325	2.7	2.3	1.9	1.6	1.6	19,792	
Sylvania - Taren Point	281	235	197	179	186	3.4	2.8	2.3	2.1	2.2	8,631	
Terrey Hills - Duffys Forest	64	65	62	49	43	3.1	3.1	2.9	2.3	2.0	2,198	
Terrigal - North Avoca	139	108	101	89	80	1.9	1.5	1.4	1.2	1.0	7,639	
The Entrance	474	396	389	356	333	6.8	5.8	5.6	5.1	4.7	7,116	
The Oaks - Oakdale	113	106	103	92	75	2.0	1.9	1.8	1.6	1.3	5,901	
Toongabbie - Constitution Hill	542	480	461	402	357	4.5	4.0	3.7	3.2	2.8	12,848	
Toukley - Norah Head	256	217	212	195	185	6.6	5.7	5.5	5.0	4.7	3,976	
Tuggerah - Kangy Angy	112	94	90	76	65	4.3	3.7	3.5	2.9	2.4	2,655	
Turramurra	257	239	232	207	191	2.7	2.5	2.3	2.1	1.9	10,095	
Umina - Booker Bay - Patonga	582	489	473	424	393	5.5	4.7	4.6	4.0	3.7	10,697	
Wahroonga (East) - Warrawee	213	190	184	168	156	2.4	2.1	2.0	1.8	1.7	9,364	
Waitara - Wahroonga (West)	267	242	252	239	253	4.5	4.0	4.1	3.9	4.1	6,231	
Wamberal - Forresters Beach	79	64	59	54	52	1.5	1.2	1.1	1.0	1.0	5,417	
Warnervale - Wadalba	317	272	276	264	248	3.4	3.0	3.0	2.8	2.6	9,561	
Warragamba - Silverdale	81	76	71	63	63	2.3	2.2	2.0	1.7	1.7	3,613	
Warriewood - Mona Vale	475	463	429	321	299	3.4	3.3	2.9	2.2	2.0	15,007	
Warwick Farm	333	315	310	279	257	12.6	11.7	11.2	9.8	8.9	2,890	
Waterloo - Beaconsfield	1,145	1,024	879	817	837	4.3	3.9	3.3	3.1	3.2	25,989	
Wentworth Falls	107	99	94	81	84	3.6	3.3	3.1	2.6	2.7	3,088	
Wentworthville - Westmead	541	487	469	406	370	4.7	4.3	4.0	3.4	3.1	12,107	
West Hoxton - Middleton Grange	381	345	327	286	250	4.2	3.8	3.5	3.0	2.5	9,823	
West Pennant Hills	186	119	88	81	95	2.7	1.7	1.3	1.2	1.3	7,050	

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West Ryde - Meadowbank	697	648	583	432	361	5.5	5.0	4.4	3.2	2.7	13,318	
Wiley Park	488	447	437	392	351	10.7	9.8	9.3	8.1	7.3	4,824	
Willoughby - Castle Cove - Northbridge	350	319	313	283	275	2.6	2.4	2.3	2.1	2.0	13,850	
Windsor - Bligh Park	409	380	401	377	407	4.7	4.3	4.5	4.2	4.5	8,981	
Winston Hills	127	107	96	77	66	2.1	1.8	1.6	1.2	1.0	6,415	
Woolaware - Burraneer	99	88	76	74	74	1.9	1.6	1.4	1.3	1.3	5,561	
Woollahra	89	82	74	69	82	2.0	1.9	1.7	1.6	1.9	4,280	
Woronora Heights	46	41	37	34	30	2.0	1.8	1.6	1.4	1.3	2,381	
Woy Woy - Blackwall	371	309	302	277	263	6.2	5.3	5.1	4.6	4.3	6,086	
Wyoming	262	216	207	189	177	5.2	4.4	4.1	3.7	3.4	5,147	
Wyong	354	312	332	317	308	9.0	8.1	8.6	8.1	7.7	3,996	
Yagoona - Birrong	1,145	1,059	1,033	927	830	11.8	10.9	10.3	9.0	8.1	10,292	
Yarramundi - Londonderry	130	116	110	101	107	3.4	3.1	2.9	2.6	2.8	3,888	
<i>Rest of New South Wales</i>	<i>59,900</i>	<i>58,300</i>	<i>54,700</i>	<i>51,300</i>	<i>47,900</i>	<i>4.2</i>	<i>4.1</i>	<i>3.8</i>	<i>3.5</i>	<i>3.2</i>	<i>1,475,100</i>	
Adamstown - Kotara	251	265	258	262	241	2.7	2.8	2.7	2.6	2.4	10,202	
Albion Park - Macquarie Pass	309	265	219	174	166	2.9	2.5	2.0	1.6	1.5	11,101	
Albion Park Rail	230	202	177	149	151	6.4	5.6	4.7	3.9	3.9	3,826	
Albury - East	239	209	196	212	231	2.5	2.2	2.0	2.0	2.1	11,175	
Albury - North	351	318	287	301	336	6.6	6.0	5.2	5.1	5.4	6,171	
Albury - South	310	267	239	245	262	5.6	4.8	4.2	4.0	4.1	6,460	
Albury Region	166	145	124	127	136	2.6	2.3	1.9	1.8	1.8	7,413	
Anna Bay	103	98	93	84	92	3.3	3.2	3.0	2.6	2.8	3,294	
Armidale	746	830	825	735	587	6.3	7.0	7.0	6.2	4.9	11,994	
Armidale Region - North	108	121	118	108	88	4.5	5.0	4.9	4.4	3.6	2,454	
Armidale Region - South	112	118	114	100	77	3.7	3.8	3.7	3.2	2.5	3,118	
Balgownie - Fairy Meadow	439	378	325	265	262	4.0	3.5	2.9	2.3	2.3	11,514	
Ballina	332	346	318	300	286	3.8	3.9	3.5	3.3	3.1	9,226	
Ballina Region	241	245	219	206	193	2.5	2.5	2.1	2.0	1.9	10,269	
Bangalow	113	111	94	86	80	2.8	2.7	2.2	2.0	1.9	4,261	
Banora Point	225	229	203	191	182	2.9	2.9	2.5	2.3	2.2	8,206	
Batemans Bay	411	364	314	288	211	12.8	11.0	9.2	8.3	6.1	3,483	
Batemans Bay - South	339	297	250	224	156	9.7	8.3	6.8	6.0	4.1	3,769	
Bathurst	344	350	323	247	241	2.4	2.5	2.3	1.8	1.7	13,877	
Bathurst - East	153	158	150	114	112	2.2	2.3	2.2	1.7	1.6	6,842	
Bathurst Region	43	45	41	32	30	1.1	1.1	1.0	0.8	0.8	3,907	
Bega - Tathra	350	320	277	249	175	8.8	7.8	6.6	5.8	4.1	4,308	
Bega-Eden Hinterland	347	300	249	234	169	7.9	6.6	5.3	4.9	3.5	4,771	
Bellingen	124	117	144	158	143	4.3	4.0	4.9	5.3	4.8	2,982	
Belmont - Bennetts Green	342	334	306	308	289	3.7	3.6	3.2	3.1	2.9	10,120	
Belmont South - Blacksmiths	151	153	137	136	123	5.6	5.5	4.9	4.7	4.1	2,985	
Beresfield - Hexham	344	357	335	333	305	8.5	8.6	7.9	7.6	6.8	4,473	
Berkeley - Lake Heights - Cringila	587	529	457	366	359	9.3	8.4	7.0	5.5	5.4	6,644	
Berry - Kangaroo Valley	134	111	79	42	32	3.0	2.5	1.8	1.0	0.7	4,358	
Blayney	81	82	73	54	52	1.9	1.9	1.7	1.3	1.2	4,180	
Bolton Point - Teralba	302	312	296	299	277	6.1	6.2	5.8	5.7	5.1	5,412	
Bombala	66	62	55	59	45	5.6	5.1	4.4	4.7	3.5	1,271	
Bonnells Bay - Silverwater	231	236	220	223	210	4.9	4.9	4.5	4.4	4.0	5,189	
Bourke - Brewarrina	141	170	186	208	207	8.0	9.5	10.0	11.0	11.0	1,886	
Bowral	145	123	85	46	37	2.3	2.0	1.4	0.8	0.6	6,128	
Braidwood	111	102	89	80	59	5.4	4.8	4.1	3.6	2.6	2,242	
Branxton - Greta - Pokolbin	134	131	134	123	137	2.0	2.0	2.0	1.8	1.9	7,123	
Broken Hill	407	467	481	534	512	4.9	5.5	5.4	5.9	5.7	8,959	
Broulee - Tomakin	88	79	65	56	37	5.8	5.0	4.0	3.4	2.3	1,643	
Brunswick Heads - Ocean Shores	239	250	222	207	184	4.8	4.9	4.3	3.9	3.5	5,237	
Bulahdelah - Stroud	68	62	59	64	67	2.9	2.6	2.6	2.9	3.1	2,131	
Byron Bay	236	237	209	192	176	3.5	3.4	2.9	2.7	2.5	7,147	
Callala Bay - Currarong	100	83	59	31	21	6.3	5.3	3.8	2.0	1.3	1,558	
Casino	360	389	358	336	322	6.6	7.0	6.3	5.8	5.6	5,755	
Casino Region	182	194	179	172	168	5.0	5.2	4.7	4.5	4.4	3,840	
Cessnock	712	713	738	685	769	7.2	7.2	7.4	6.7	7.3	10,544	
Cessnock Region	143	144	152	145	168	3.2	3.3	3.4	3.2	3.6	4,723	
Charlestown - Dudley	466	472	439	447	424	3.5	3.4	3.1	3.1	2.9	14,821	
Cobar	50	59	60	69	67	2.2	2.6	2.5	2.8	2.7	2,451	
Coffs Harbour - North	390	356	432	464	427	4.5	4.0	4.8	5.1	4.8	8,979	
Coffs Harbour - South	250	241	305	344	329	4.5	4.3	5.4	6.0	5.8	5,676	
Condobolin	113	117	110	89	87	3.2	3.4	3.2	2.6	2.6	3,382	
Cooma	247	216	184	160	113	7.8	6.6	5.5	4.7	3.3	3,407	
Cooma Region	75	64	51	48	36	4.1	3.4	2.7	2.5	1.8	1,962	
Coonabarabran	160	183	192	214	204	4.5	5.1	5.1	5.6	5.3	3,829	
Coonamble	106	124	135	151	148	5.4	6.2	6.5	7.1	7.0	2,119	
Cootamundra	103	115	129	138	118	3.0	3.4	3.8	4.1	3.4	3,454	
Coramba - Nana Glen - Bucca	62	55	65	69	62	2.9	2.5	2.9	3.1	2.8	2,229	

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Corowa	117	100	87	93	101	4.5	3.8	3.2	3.2	3.3	3,030	
Corowa Region	114	95	81	85	92	3.3	2.8	2.3	2.3	2.3	3,923	
Corrimal - Tarrawanna - Bellambi	478	419	362	299	300	5.9	5.2	4.3	3.5	3.5	8,584	
Cowra	180	188	179	142	138	4.0	4.2	4.1	3.2	3.2	4,365	
Cowra Region	79	83	75	59	56	2.5	2.7	2.5	2.0	1.9	3,005	
Culburra Beach	162	135	97	53	33	7.2	6.1	4.5	2.5	1.5	2,188	
Dapto - Avondale	716	636	545	441	429	6.0	5.3	4.4	3.5	3.4	12,587	
Deniliquin	189	162	146	152	167	5.5	4.8	4.2	4.1	4.2	3,950	
Deniliquin Region	80	69	62	69	80	2.3	2.0	1.7	1.8	2.0	4,011	
Dorrigo	60	53	63	70	64	4.1	3.5	4.2	4.6	4.2	1,516	
Dubbo - East	193	225	231	256	248	3.3	3.8	3.8	4.1	4.0	6,225	
Dubbo - South	228	274	289	331	321	2.1	2.5	2.5	2.8	2.7	11,687	
Dubbo - West	158	188	199	229	235	2.9	3.4	3.5	3.9	4.0	5,839	
Dubbo Region	35	40	40	46	46	1.0	1.1	1.1	1.2	1.2	3,718	
Dungog	147	148	152	141	155	3.2	3.2	3.3	3.0	3.2	4,914	
Eden	192	179	155	141	103	14.1	12.7	10.7	9.6	7.0	1,478	
Edgeworth - Cameron Park	303	300	276	275	256	3.3	3.2	2.9	2.8	2.6	10,000	
Eurobodalla Hinterland	124	116	101	100	77	7.5	6.8	5.8	5.6	4.3	1,786	
Evans Head	106	116	110	106	98	3.9	4.3	3.9	3.8	3.5	2,823	
Far West	79	91	94	103	104	6.9	7.8	7.7	8.3	8.4	1,234	
Figtree - Keiraville	422	374	329	265	258	3.6	3.1	2.7	2.1	2.1	12,539	
Forbes	134	138	128	101	101	2.5	2.6	2.4	1.9	1.9	5,226	
Forster	230	202	193	202	208	4.1	3.6	3.6	3.9	4.1	5,028	
Forster-Tuncurry Region	99	85	78	84	89	3.6	3.1	2.9	3.2	3.5	2,522	
Gilgandra	83	98	103	114	111	3.7	4.3	4.4	4.8	4.7	2,387	
Glen Innes	312	358	365	331	265	7.8	9.0	9.1	8.2	6.5	4,056	
Glendale - Cardiff - Hillsborough	510	519	485	505	475	3.8	3.8	3.5	3.5	3.2	14,783	
Gloucester	61	57	57	65	72	2.7	2.5	2.6	3.1	3.5	2,044	
Goonellabah	310	337	313	298	283	4.4	4.7	4.2	4.0	3.8	7,465	
Goulburn	978	908	789	713	512	8.5	7.7	6.5	5.8	4.1	12,372	
Goulburn Region	287	260	225	213	157	4.2	3.7	3.1	2.9	2.1	7,352	
Grafton	438	408	508	560	528	5.3	4.9	6.0	6.6	6.2	8,461	
Grafton Region	278	248	298	328	304	3.5	3.1	3.7	4.0	3.8	8,078	
Grenfell	36	39	37	32	32	1.9	2.1	2.0	1.8	1.8	1,793	
Griffith (NSW)	229	259	294	316	271	2.0	2.3	2.6	2.8	2.3	11,588	
Griffith Region	126	139	152	160	133	1.7	1.8	2.0	2.1	1.7	7,761	
Gundagai	38	45	51	56	48	1.9	2.3	2.6	2.8	2.4	2,009	
Gunnedah	257	278	269	235	183	5.5	5.9	5.7	4.9	3.8	4,793	
Gunnedah Region	111	120	115	97	73	4.8	5.1	4.9	4.1	3.1	2,372	
Hamilton - Broadmeadow	392	412	393	398	363	5.2	5.4	5.1	5.0	4.4	8,232	
Hay	58	55	50	52	55	3.8	3.6	3.2	3.1	3.1	1,773	
Helensburgh	86	73	60	45	42	1.6	1.3	1.1	0.8	0.7	5,793	
Hill Top - Colo Vale	116	94	66	36	26	3.1	2.6	1.8	1.0	0.7	3,638	
Horsley - Kembbla Grange	160	141	121	93	92	2.4	2.1	1.7	1.3	1.3	7,128	
Huskisson - Vincentia	78	64	45	24	17	3.4	2.8	2.0	1.1	0.8	2,247	
Inverell	438	492	496	438	347	7.9	8.9	8.9	7.8	6.2	5,615	
Inverell Region - East	173	190	184	165	130	7.5	8.2	7.9	7.1	5.5	2,347	
Inverell Region - West	130	139	137	123	98	4.8	5.1	5.0	4.5	3.6	2,750	
Jindabyne - Berridale	180	151	120	102	69	3.7	3.0	2.3	1.9	1.3	5,273	
Junee	66	74	82	87	75	2.3	2.6	2.9	3.1	2.6	2,877	
Karabar	272	238	205	191	141	5.9	5.0	4.2	3.9	2.8	4,979	
Kempsey	391	355	344	372	405	6.6	6.0	6.0	6.7	7.5	5,390	
Kempsey Region	163	139	130	142	156	3.9	3.3	3.2	3.6	4.1	3,805	
Kiama	109	96	82	66	63	2.5	2.2	1.8	1.5	1.4	4,535	
Kiama Downs - Minnamurra	72	58	47	35	33	2.2	1.8	1.4	1.0	1.0	3,425	
Kiama Hinterland - Gerringong	66	54	46	35	32	1.5	1.3	1.0	0.8	0.7	4,522	
Kingscliff - Fingal Head	197	197	168	155	143	2.5	2.5	2.1	1.9	1.8	8,139	
Korora - Emerald Beach	87	77	91	94	82	1.6	1.4	1.6	1.7	1.5	5,592	
Kurri Kurri - Abermain	541	535	543	508	578	5.8	5.8	5.8	5.3	5.8	9,889	
Kyogle	211	225	209	201	193	5.9	6.2	5.6	5.3	5.1	3,765	
Lambton - New Lambton	259	262	246	253	235	2.6	2.6	2.4	2.4	2.2	10,772	
Laurieton - Bonny Hills	207	177	167	181	191	2.9	2.5	2.5	2.8	3.0	6,384	
Lavington	550	480	425	443	493	7.4	6.5	5.6	5.5	5.8	8,532	
Leeton	149	166	190	206	179	2.9	3.2	3.6	3.9	3.4	5,306	
Lemon Tree Passage - Tanilba Bay	167	162	160	149	171	6.0	5.9	5.8	5.2	5.8	2,934	
Lennox Head - Skennars Head	79	78	67	61	54	1.5	1.4	1.2	1.1	1.0	5,668	
Lismore	613	709	658	615	522	7.7	8.7	7.9	7.3	6.2	8,388	
Lismore Region	346	369	340	326	307	3.8	4.0	3.6	3.4	3.2	9,538	
Lithgow	216	221	209	164	161	3.7	3.8	3.6	2.9	2.8	5,688	
Lithgow Region	94	96	90	71	70	2.0	2.1	2.0	1.6	1.6	4,438	
Lord Howe Island*	1	1	1	2	2	0.3	0.3	0.4	0.7	0.8	260	
Macksville - Scotts Head	100	89	87	98	109	4.9	4.3	4.4	5.1	5.8	1,868	
Maclean - Yamba - Iluka	231	209	256	279	253	3.4	3.0	3.7	3.9	3.6	7,031	

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Maitland	191	185	188	178	209	4.4	4.3	4.3	4.0	4.5	4,616	
Maitland - East	567	556	561	519	574	3.9	3.8	3.8	3.5	3.7	15,487	
Maitland - North	65	64	68	63	68	1.4	1.4	1.5	1.3	1.4	4,825	
Maitland - West	478	466	476	449	526	3.7	3.7	3.7	3.4	3.9	13,599	
Maryland - Fletcher - Minmi	275	289	274	277	263	2.9	3.0	2.8	2.7	2.5	10,353	
Mayfield - Warabrook	564	571	529	530	485	6.4	6.3	5.7	5.6	5.0	9,758	
Merewether - The Junction	157	154	143	148	143	1.8	1.7	1.6	1.6	1.5	9,673	
Merimbula - Tura Beach	309	264	212	192	136	6.5	5.4	4.2	3.8	2.6	5,139	
Mittagong	156	127	88	50	39	2.7	2.2	1.6	0.9	0.7	5,644	
Moama	81	65	54	57	66	2.5	2.0	1.6	1.6	1.8	3,732	
Moree	350	381	377	335	279	8.8	9.5	9.4	8.3	6.9	4,070	
Moree Region	134	141	141	127	110	4.5	4.7	4.7	4.2	3.6	3,060	
Morisset - Cooranbong	404	413	382	393	365	5.0	5.0	4.6	4.5	4.1	8,873	
Moruya - Tuross Head	322	285	241	228	162	9.5	8.1	6.7	6.3	4.4	3,668	
Moss Vale - Berrima	206	178	131	73	53	3.7	3.3	2.4	1.4	1.0	5,418	
Mount Hutton - Windale	369	390	378	386	363	8.6	8.9	8.5	8.4	7.7	4,722	
Mudgee	160	162	150	112	107	2.2	2.3	2.2	1.6	1.6	6,872	
Mudgee Region - East	60	65	59	48	47	3.9	4.3	4.0	3.2	3.2	1,470	
Mudgee Region - West	120	126	116	90	84	2.0	2.2	2.0	1.6	1.5	5,754	
Mullumbimby	306	320	287	267	240	6.5	6.7	5.8	5.4	4.8	4,958	
Murwillumbah	257	272	248	231	212	5.8	6.0	5.4	5.0	4.5	4,664	
Murwillumbah Region	288	303	273	256	239	5.3	5.4	4.8	4.4	4.2	5,759	
Muswellbrook	354	359	374	351	397	6.1	6.2	6.4	5.9	6.4	6,188	
Muswellbrook Region	46	45	46	44	53	2.1	2.1	2.1	2.0	2.3	2,322	
Nambucca Heads	166	148	144	157	172	7.0	6.2	6.3	7.1	8.0	2,153	
Nambucca Heads Region	160	141	133	142	152	4.5	4.0	3.9	4.3	4.8	3,197	
Narooma - Bermagui	381	343	291	266	188	11.1	9.7	8.0	7.2	5.1	3,702	
Narrabri	187	201	200	178	142	5.1	5.5	5.4	4.8	3.8	3,728	
Narrabri Region	121	132	130	117	97	4.9	5.3	5.2	4.6	3.8	2,533	
Narrandera	110	126	143	151	126	3.8	4.4	5.0	5.2	4.3	2,939	
Narromine	114	126	129	146	145	3.5	3.8	3.8	4.2	4.2	3,487	
Nelson Bay Peninsula	385	371	358	316	340	4.1	3.9	3.8	3.3	3.4	10,017	
Newcastle - Cooks Hill	318	319	297	299	269	3.7	3.6	3.3	3.2	2.8	9,536	
North Nowra - Bomaderry	504	421	305	170	128	6.2	5.3	3.9	2.2	1.6	7,893	
Nowra	1,166	1,005	729	405	299	11.0	9.7	7.2	4.0	2.9	10,288	
Nyngan - Warren	87	108	117	131	133	3.6	4.4	4.6	5.0	5.1	2,612	
Oberon	48	47	42	31	30	1.8	1.8	1.6	1.2	1.2	2,589	
Old Bar - Manning Point - Red Head	130	113	106	116	123	2.5	2.1	2.1	2.4	2.6	4,779	
Orange	331	335	307	234	234	3.3	3.4	3.1	2.4	2.4	9,743	
Orange - North	218	221	203	156	151	1.6	1.6	1.5	1.2	1.1	13,201	
Orange Region	61	62	58	46	46	0.9	0.9	0.8	0.7	0.7	6,892	
Parkes (NSW)	175	183	170	133	128	3.0	3.2	3.0	2.3	2.3	5,679	
Parkes Region	61	65	60	48	46	3.5	3.8	3.5	2.8	2.7	1,699	
Port Kembla - Warrawong	506	456	400	322	323	12.9	11.6	9.9	7.8	7.8	4,138	
Port Macquarie - East	305	266	248	267	286	2.3	2.0	1.9	2.1	2.3	12,183	
Port Macquarie - West	282	254	243	251	262	3.3	3.0	2.9	3.1	3.4	7,780	
Port Macquarie Region	70	60	55	58	59	2.6	2.2	2.1	2.3	2.4	2,431	
Pottsville	237	238	204	187	169	3.2	3.2	2.7	2.4	2.2	7,698	
Queanbeyan	330	292	247	222	157	5.2	4.4	3.7	3.2	2.3	6,907	
Queanbeyan - East	121	109	93	81	57	4.0	3.5	2.9	2.5	1.7	3,282	
Queanbeyan Region	168	148	124	112	81	1.3	1.1	0.9	0.8	0.6	13,538	
Queanbeyan West - Jerrabomberra	156	135	112	101	71	2.1	1.7	1.4	1.3	0.9	8,101	
Quirindi	207	226	222	198	156	5.8	6.3	6.1	5.4	4.3	3,655	
Raymond Terrace	503	510	530	495	562	7.5	7.7	7.9	7.2	7.9	7,078	
Redhead	46	43	38	37	33	2.4	2.2	1.9	1.8	1.6	2,105	
Robertson - Fitzroy Falls	47	38	26	16	13	2.1	1.7	1.2	0.8	0.6	2,160	
Sawtell - Boambee	318	293	353	376	340	3.2	2.9	3.5	3.7	3.4	10,138	
Scone	74	75	77	74	86	2.4	2.4	2.5	2.3	2.6	3,275	
Scone Region	114	114	116	112	132	2.7	2.7	2.7	2.5	2.9	4,540	
Seaham - Woodville	41	37	37	34	40	1.3	1.2	1.2	1.0	1.2	3,350	
Shellharbour - Flinders	319	271	226	173	168	2.9	2.4	2.0	1.5	1.4	11,690	
Shellharbour - Oak Flats	288	253	216	173	174	5.2	4.5	3.8	2.9	3.0	5,882	
Shortland - Jesmond	477	489	465	479	448	7.7	7.8	7.3	7.3	6.6	6,775	
Singleton	267	267	280	275	329	2.9	3.0	3.1	2.9	3.4	9,639	
Singleton Region	54	55	55	53	62	1.9	2.0	1.9	1.8	2.1	3,007	
South West Rocks	79	67	61	65	70	4.0	3.4	3.2	3.5	3.9	1,804	
Southern Highlands	74	61	43	24	18	1.9	1.6	1.2	0.7	0.5	3,740	
St Georges Basin - Erowal Bay	567	469	332	183	138	9.0	7.6	5.5	3.1	2.2	6,137	
Stockton - Fullerton Cove	155	150	136	136	127	3.9	3.7	3.3	3.2	2.9	4,364	
Sussex Inlet - Berrara	167	141	99	52	33	10.2	8.8	6.3	3.3	2.1	1,596	
Swansea - Caves Beach	226	225	212	215	201	3.9	3.8	3.5	3.4	3.1	6,447	
Tamworth - East	597	657	656	574	457	5.4	5.9	5.9	5.1	4.1	11,266	
Tamworth - North	334	376	382	340	273	4.0	4.5	4.6	4.1	3.2	8,425	

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Tamworth - West	365	414	412	363	283	13.3	15.1	15.0	13.1	10.2	2,788	
Tamworth Region	324	357	362	320	245	3.3	3.6	3.7	3.2	2.5	9,956	
Taree	489	446	440	480	526	5.9	5.4	5.5	6.2	7.0	7,514	
Taree Region	181	156	147	164	178	3.3	2.9	2.8	3.2	3.6	4,920	
Tea Gardens - Hawks Nest	93	93	91	85	97	5.0	5.0	4.9	4.4	4.9	1,987	
Temora	79	86	94	103	88	2.5	2.7	3.0	3.3	2.8	3,192	
Tenterfield	263	297	299	268	213	8.7	9.8	9.9	8.8	6.9	3,066	
Terranora - North Tumblegum	30	25	21	19	18	1.6	1.3	1.1	1.0	0.9	1,988	
Thirroul - Austinmer - Coalcliff	134	112	93	72	72	2.0	1.7	1.3	1.0	1.0	7,084	
Thornton - Millers Forest	168	165	165	148	161	2.1	2.1	2.0	1.8	1.9	8,533	
Tocumwal - Finley - Jerilderie	157	139	126	134	148	3.4	3.1	2.7	2.7	2.8	5,271	
Tomerong - Wandandian - Woollamia	80	63	41	20	16	3.9	3.1	2.1	1.0	0.8	2,023	
Toronto - Awaba	364	381	363	375	353	5.5	5.6	5.3	5.3	4.9	7,272	
Tumbarumba	41	47	49	51	43	2.4	2.7	2.8	2.9	2.4	1,770	
Tumut	93	108	122	133	114	2.8	3.3	3.7	4.0	3.4	3,334	
Tumut Region	54	64	70	75	62	2.2	2.6	2.8	3.0	2.5	2,520	
Tuncurry	99	88	82	87	95	4.9	4.4	4.2	4.6	5.2	1,830	
Tweed Heads	410	420	372	349	337	4.1	4.2	3.6	3.3	3.2	10,422	
Tweed Heads South	194	196	173	163	160	5.8	5.7	4.9	4.6	4.5	3,528	
Ulladulla	471	392	280	151	112	6.4	5.4	3.9	2.2	1.6	7,185	
Ulladulla Region	171	137	91	45	28	6.3	5.1	3.5	1.7	1.1	2,654	
Unanderra - Mount Kembla	303	277	247	203	198	3.6	3.3	2.9	2.3	2.2	8,801	
Urunga	70	62	76	87	84	3.1	2.7	3.3	3.8	3.7	2,285	
Valentine - Eleebana	87	85	77	79	72	1.3	1.3	1.1	1.1	1.0	7,258	
Wagga Wagga - East	181	199	227	241	206	2.0	2.2	2.5	2.6	2.2	9,368	
Wagga Wagga - North	38	43	47	51	42	1.2	1.3	1.5	1.6	1.3	3,258	
Wagga Wagga - South	368	412	465	501	429	3.0	3.3	3.8	4.1	3.4	12,549	
Wagga Wagga - West	283	312	340	362	308	4.2	4.6	5.0	5.3	4.5	6,898	
Wagga Wagga Region	129	147	159	176	150	1.3	1.5	1.6	1.8	1.5	10,121	
Walcha	65	67	64	53	41	3.9	4.0	3.8	3.1	2.4	1,718	
Walgett - Lightning Ridge	263	309	317	353	342	9.8	11.4	11.2	12.3	11.9	2,863	
Wallsend - Elernmore Vale	572	596	564	575	539	5.3	5.4	5.1	5.0	4.6	11,793	
Wangi Wangi - Rathmines	168	168	154	148	129	3.6	3.5	3.2	3.0	2.5	5,123	
Waratah - North Lambton	353	357	344	354	337	4.7	4.7	4.4	4.4	4.1	8,196	
Warilla	921	822	714	579	568	10.0	8.9	7.5	5.9	5.8	9,762	
Warners Bay - Boolaroo	243	228	204	199	182	3.1	2.9	2.5	2.4	2.1	8,562	
Wauchope	168	148	142	154	166	3.0	2.6	2.6	3.0	3.3	5,078	
Wellington	203	235	244	268	261	5.5	6.3	6.3	6.8	6.6	3,947	
Wentworth - Buronga	182	160	140	144	158	5.9	5.2	4.4	4.3	4.4	3,557	
Wentworth-Balranald Region	42	34	29	30	33	2.1	1.7	1.4	1.4	1.5	2,245	
West Wallsend - Barnsley - Killingworth	157	165	157	156	143	3.9	4.1	3.8	3.7	3.3	4,388	
West Wyalong	47	49	45	37	35	1.5	1.6	1.5	1.2	1.2	3,022	
Wickham - Carrington - Tighes Hill	252	271	264	274	259	4.3	4.5	4.3	4.3	4.0	6,491	
Williamtown - Medowie - Karuah	234	240	256	252	294	3.1	3.2	3.4	3.2	3.7	8,006	
Windang - Primbee	136	121	104	85	83	7.3	6.5	5.4	4.3	4.2	1,975	
Wingham	94	90	89	99	108	4.3	4.1	4.2	4.9	5.4	1,987	
Wollongong - East	498	436	383	316	311	5.4	4.7	4.0	3.2	3.2	9,812	
Wollongong - West	571	502	436	366	369	6.4	5.6	4.7	3.9	3.9	9,409	
Woolgoolga - Arrawarra	217	194	232	253	235	3.2	2.8	3.3	3.6	3.3	7,018	
Woonona - Bulli - Russell Vale	321	277	236	185	179	2.9	2.5	2.1	1.6	1.5	11,656	
Yass	167	152	132	126	92	5.0	4.4	3.7	3.5	2.5	3,637	
Yass Region	173	160	134	120	85	2.5	2.2	1.8	1.6	1.1	7,508	
Young	446	406	350	332	244	9.3	8.2	6.9	6.5	4.7	5,166	
Young Region	250	228	194	177	130	7.1	6.3	5.2	4.7	3.4	3,801	
Victoria	161,200	152,200	145,000	136,000	134,500	4.5	4.3	4.0	3.7	3.7	3,662,200	
<i>Greater Melbourne</i>	<i>134,000</i>	<i>126,000</i>	<i>119,100</i>	<i>110,900</i>	<i>108,100</i>	<i>4.9</i>	<i>4.6</i>	<i>4.3</i>	<i>3.9</i>	<i>3.8</i>	<i>2,821,900</i>	
Abbotsford	278	246	211	169	161	4.0	3.6	3.1	2.5	2.4	6,667	
Airport West	181	182	163	143	116	4.1	4.1	3.6	3.1	2.5	4,645	
Albert Park	227	192	164	136	133	2.3	2.0	1.7	1.4	1.4	9,543	
Alphington - Fairfield	255	220	192	170	170	4.5	3.9	3.5	3.1	3.1	5,502	
Altona	227	208	213	198	195	3.0	2.8	2.8	2.5	2.4	8,073	
Altona Meadows	570	527	547	518	520	5.5	5.0	5.1	4.7	4.7	11,176	
Altona North	389	356	361	336	342	5.4	4.9	4.9	4.4	4.4	7,745	
Ardeer - Albion	319	305	328	313	318	7.7	7.3	7.7	7.1	7.1	4,481	
Armadale	153	126	105	86	76	2.6	2.2	1.8	1.5	1.3	5,683	
Ascot Vale	594	519	439	374	376	6.4	5.7	4.9	4.2	4.2	8,937	
Ashburton (Vic.)	191	160	153	146	163	4.2	3.6	3.4	3.3	3.7	4,427	
Ashwood - Chadstone	609	621	577	501	412	5.3	5.4	5.0	4.4	3.6	11,354	
Aspendale Gardens - Waterways	131	117	108	125	135	2.6	2.3	2.1	2.4	2.5	5,330	
Bacchus Marsh	671	650	681	655	659	5.0	4.8	4.9	4.6	4.5	14,495	
Balwyn	326	264	236	189	200	3.8	3.1	2.8	2.2	2.4	8,395	

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Balwyn North	400	335	319	261	268	3.4	2.9	2.8	2.3	2.4	11,340	
Bayswater	350	337	328	332	350	5.2	5.0	4.8	4.8	5.0	7,051	
Bayswater North	300	280	260	247	240	4.4	4.1	3.7	3.5	3.3	7,201	
Beaconsfield - Officer	617	624	569	490	425	4.1	4.1	3.8	3.3	2.8	14,942	
Beaumaris	106	90	80	90	101	1.4	1.2	1.1	1.2	1.3	7,757	
Belgrave - Selby	206	194	188	194	203	3.6	3.4	3.2	3.3	3.4	6,023	
Bentleigh - McKinnon	338	312	297	352	427	2.5	2.3	2.2	2.5	3.0	14,104	
Bentleigh East (North)	267	255	236	264	307	3.0	2.9	2.6	2.9	3.3	9,269	
Bentleigh East (South)	234	223	213	251	277	3.1	3.0	2.8	3.3	3.6	7,779	
Berwick - North	555	543	487	411	349	4.2	4.1	3.6	3.1	2.6	13,173	
Berwick - South	813	810	736	650	568	4.6	4.6	4.2	3.7	3.3	17,461	
Blackburn	643	525	478	394	413	5.1	4.2	3.8	3.2	3.3	12,369	
Blackburn South	370	311	286	228	225	6.4	5.4	5.0	4.0	4.0	5,648	
Boronia	667	622	592	601	617	5.3	4.9	4.6	4.6	4.6	13,273	
Box Hill	990	838	774	635	680	7.5	6.4	6.0	4.9	5.3	12,844	
Box Hill North	519	411	363	280	290	5.1	4.1	3.6	2.8	2.9	9,951	
Braybrook	811	745	761	716	736	7.6	6.9	6.9	6.4	6.4	11,522	
Brighton (Vic.)	193	171	153	163	175	1.6	1.4	1.2	1.3	1.4	12,515	
Brighton East	173	143	125	146	167	2.0	1.6	1.4	1.6	1.8	9,052	
Broadmeadows	981	1,050	990	918	843	18.1	18.9	17.6	16.0	14.5	5,796	
Brunswick	1,018	873	736	609	593	5.6	4.9	4.2	3.5	3.4	17,479	
Brunswick East	437	364	303	252	248	4.8	4.0	3.4	2.8	2.8	8,866	
Brunswick West	576	511	446	378	361	6.3	5.7	5.0	4.3	4.1	8,825	
Bulleen	382	322	293	241	245	6.3	5.3	4.9	4.0	4.1	5,917	
Bundoora - East	213	194	189	184	169	4.2	3.8	3.6	3.5	3.2	5,277	
Bundoora - North	158	146	152	149	133	3.9	3.6	3.6	3.5	3.1	4,230	
Bundoora - West	157	144	144	146	132	4.9	4.4	4.4	4.4	4.0	3,340	
Bunyip - Garfield	225	225	205	177	158	3.9	3.9	3.5	3.1	2.8	5,722	
Burnside	163	155	167	157	158	5.5	5.1	5.4	5.0	4.9	3,226	
Burnside Heights	152	138	150	146	156	4.4	4.0	4.2	4.0	4.2	3,711	
Burwood	616	523	481	394	407	9.6	8.2	7.6	6.2	6.5	6,280	
Burwood East	361	294	260	216	214	6.4	5.2	4.7	3.9	3.9	5,518	
Cairnlea	302	279	287	270	268	5.3	4.9	4.9	4.5	4.4	6,112	
Camberwell	377	294	238	174	182	3.1	2.4	2.0	1.4	1.5	11,938	
Campbellfield - Coolaroo	1,060	1,124	1,041	955	858	19.4	20.1	18.3	16.5	14.7	5,838	
Carlton	813	761	675	578	573	9.9	9.4	8.4	7.2	7.2	7,957	
Carlton North - Princes Hill	273	231	197	160	146	4.9	4.2	3.6	2.9	2.7	5,443	
Carnegie	313	298	286	358	433	2.9	2.7	2.6	3.2	3.8	11,258	
Caroline Springs	508	469	489	465	482	4.2	3.8	3.9	3.6	3.7	13,092	
Carrum - Patterson Lakes	269	261	248	287	335	4.0	3.8	3.6	4.1	4.7	7,104	
Carrum Downs	612	549	469	446	418	4.8	4.3	3.7	3.5	3.2	12,901	
Caulfield - North	341	310	291	349	428	2.7	2.5	2.3	2.7	3.3	12,980	
Caulfield - South	264	253	249	309	359	2.7	2.5	2.5	3.0	3.5	10,277	
Chelsea - Bonbeach	337	320	309	383	456	4.0	3.7	3.6	4.4	5.2	8,846	
Chelsea Heights	136	136	134	183	230	4.7	4.7	4.5	6.1	7.6	3,020	
Cheltenham - Highett (East)	500	479	460	544	598	3.8	3.6	3.4	4.0	4.3	13,788	
Cheltenham - Highett (West)	233	223	214	261	309	3.4	3.2	3.1	3.7	4.3	7,170	
Chirnside Park	189	177	170	175	182	3.0	2.8	2.7	2.7	2.8	6,580	
Clarinda - Oakleigh South	287	285	264	231	204	4.5	4.5	4.1	3.7	3.2	6,286	
Clayton	534	533	483	400	328	4.9	4.9	4.4	3.7	3.0	10,822	
Clayton South	348	349	324	282	243	4.7	4.7	4.4	3.8	3.3	7,348	
Coburg	1,023	875	748	650	642	6.5	5.6	4.8	4.2	4.2	15,279	
Coburg North	221	217	192	170	153	4.9	4.7	4.1	3.5	3.2	4,835	
Collingwood	566	508	451	398	395	8.6	7.8	7.0	6.2	6.2	6,387	
Craigieburn - Central	367	377	354	335	319	8.8	8.8	8.1	7.6	7.1	4,468	
Craigieburn - North	414	446	421	389	353	6.3	6.6	6.1	5.6	5.0	7,048	
Craigieburn - South	901	984	926	857	778	8.1	8.7	8.0	7.3	6.6	11,816	
Craigieburn - West	957	1,072	1,031	974	896	8.4	9.2	8.7	8.1	7.4	12,185	
Cranbourne	1,278	1,274	1,170	1,017	893	10.8	10.7	9.8	8.6	7.6	11,753	
Cranbourne East	1,654	1,630	1,460	1,259	1,140	4.9	4.8	4.3	3.7	3.4	33,777	
Cranbourne North	956	946	854	738	652	6.8	6.7	6.0	5.2	4.7	13,986	
Cranbourne South	324	314	278	243	222	3.2	3.0	2.7	2.4	2.2	10,168	
Cranbourne West	756	760	700	603	521	6.1	6.1	5.6	4.9	4.2	12,360	
Croydon - East	385	354	333	346	365	4.5	4.1	3.8	3.9	4.1	9,002	
Croydon - West	297	278	270	277	288	4.2	3.9	3.8	3.8	3.9	7,398	
Croydon Hills - Warranwood	214	195	185	184	201	2.0	1.8	1.7	1.7	1.8	11,135	
Croydon South	97	89	86	92	98	3.8	3.4	3.3	3.4	3.6	2,720	
Dandenong	2,029	2,102	2,056	1,925	1,861	13.8	14.1	13.8	13.0	12.6	14,747	
Dandenong North	937	928	853	758	661	8.3	8.1	7.5	6.7	5.9	11,263	
Deer Park - Derrimut	947	870	898	836	867	6.8	6.2	6.3	5.7	5.8	15,027	
Delahey	366	339	343	314	311	8.3	7.6	7.6	6.8	6.5	4,749	
Dingley Village	185	178	153	124	96	3.0	2.9	2.5	2.0	1.6	6,110	
Docklands	303	276	240	197	183	2.8	2.6	2.3	1.9	1.8	10,390	

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Doncaster	918	737	655	526	517	7.0	5.7	5.1	4.1	4.1	12,723	
Doncaster East (North)	426	354	330	280	285	5.0	4.2	3.9	3.3	3.4	8,349	
Doncaster East (South)	496	395	369	314	322	6.4	5.2	4.8	4.1	4.3	7,524	
Donvale - Park Orchards	161	146	134	134	128	1.9	1.7	1.6	1.5	1.5	8,824	
Doreen	530	487	495	502	460	3.5	3.1	3.1	3.1	2.9	16,019	
Doveton	764	769	728	665	636	14.2	14.1	13.4	12.3	11.8	5,391	
Dromana	229	203	175	169	161	3.5	3.0	2.6	2.5	2.4	6,731	
East Melbourne	104	89	75	64	64	2.9	2.5	2.1	1.8	1.8	3,485	
Edithvale - Aspendale	236	220	209	254	307	3.1	2.9	2.7	3.2	3.9	7,899	
Elsterwick	173	156	145	184	240	2.5	2.2	2.0	2.5	3.3	7,342	
Eltham	273	239	229	200	180	2.0	1.7	1.6	1.4	1.2	14,588	
Elwood	374	325	281	237	231	3.5	3.1	2.7	2.2	2.2	10,458	
Emerald - Cockatoo	351	349	323	279	248	3.1	3.0	2.8	2.5	2.2	11,292	
Endeavour Hills - North	464	465	424	366	318	6.8	6.7	6.2	5.4	4.7	6,800	
Endeavour Hills - South	453	451	415	370	347	6.1	6.0	5.5	5.0	4.7	7,412	
Epping - East	443	408	407	407	365	6.4	5.8	5.7	5.6	5.0	7,299	
Epping - South	327	293	288	287	261	7.7	6.8	6.5	6.4	5.8	4,471	
Epping - West	311	286	288	287	266	4.7	4.3	4.2	4.1	3.8	6,911	
Essendon - Aberfeldie	627	555	485	426	415	3.6	3.2	2.8	2.5	2.4	16,985	
Fawkner	461	484	455	421	377	7.7	7.9	7.3	6.7	5.9	6,375	
Ferntree Gully (North)	333	315	310	318	332	4.5	4.2	4.1	4.1	4.2	7,819	
Ferntree Gully (South) - Upper Ferntree Gully	315	293	280	291	306	3.7	3.4	3.2	3.3	3.4	9,062	
Fitzroy	522	454	392	342	349	7.4	6.5	5.7	5.0	5.1	6,818	
Fitzroy North	360	314	279	236	229	4.2	3.7	3.3	2.8	2.7	8,358	
Flemington	599	536	468	408	401	11.1	10.0	8.8	7.7	7.7	5,240	
Flinders	38	33	27	24	19	1.2	1.0	0.8	0.7	0.6	3,256	
Footscray	750	721	763	744	768	6.6	6.3	6.6	6.2	6.3	12,212	
Forest Hill	196	185	178	182	186	3.7	3.5	3.3	3.3	3.3	5,614	
Frankston	939	841	733	711	683	7.3	6.5	5.7	5.5	5.2	13,027	
Frankston North	935	879	780	757	720	10.0	9.3	8.2	7.9	7.6	9,526	
Frankston South	232	198	166	156	147	2.3	1.9	1.6	1.5	1.4	10,249	
Gisborne	134	131	121	112	104	1.7	1.7	1.5	1.4	1.3	8,178	
Gladstone Park - Westmeadows	607	627	574	516	458	6.4	6.5	5.8	5.2	4.5	10,085	
Glen Iris - East	217	171	156	126	143	2.1	1.7	1.6	1.3	1.4	9,909	
Glen Waverley - East	341	336	302	257	220	3.1	3.0	2.7	2.3	2.0	11,025	
Glen Waverley - West	360	354	318	280	249	3.2	3.1	2.8	2.5	2.2	11,131	
Glenroy	732	771	729	662	594	6.2	6.4	5.9	5.3	4.7	12,661	
Gowanbrae	48	45	44	42	45	2.7	2.5	2.4	2.2	2.4	1,885	
Greensborough	307	271	261	257	232	2.6	2.3	2.1	2.1	1.9	12,424	
Greenvale - Bulla	516	543	501	462	412	4.2	4.4	4.0	3.6	3.2	13,000	
Hadfield	174	181	162	152	146	6.3	6.4	5.7	5.2	5.0	2,935	
Hallam	582	582	543	487	466	9.9	9.8	9.2	8.3	8.0	5,849	
Hampton	301	286	272	326	377	3.0	2.8	2.6	3.1	3.6	10,488	
Hampton Park - Lynbrook	1,390	1,388	1,285	1,144	1,029	9.9	9.8	9.1	8.1	7.3	14,017	
Hastings - Somers	598	556	489	463	426	4.8	4.4	3.9	3.6	3.3	12,719	
Hawthorn	680	559	507	392	413	4.5	3.8	3.4	2.7	2.8	14,654	
Hawthorn East	373	287	235	178	189	3.6	2.8	2.3	1.8	1.9	9,977	
Healesville - Yarra Glen	313	288	281	294	315	4.3	4.0	3.8	3.9	4.1	7,609	
Heidelberg - Rosanna	217	199	198	202	183	2.4	2.2	2.2	2.2	2.0	9,318	
Heidelberg West	533	495	507	517	465	6.8	6.2	6.2	6.3	5.6	8,236	
Hillside	570	553	608	598	625	3.6	3.4	3.7	3.5	3.6	17,265	
Hoppers Crossing - North	582	544	565	547	561	5.4	5.0	5.1	4.8	4.8	11,714	
Hoppers Crossing - South	703	680	751	747	807	7.1	6.8	7.4	7.2	7.6	10,664	
Hughesdale	137	128	121	143	168	3.1	2.9	2.7	3.2	3.7	4,573	
Hurstbridge	59	52	51	46	39	2.8	2.4	2.3	2.1	1.8	2,217	
Ivanhoe	136	121	119	124	111	1.8	1.6	1.5	1.6	1.4	7,839	
Ivanhoe East - Eaglemont	55	48	47	46	39	1.2	1.1	1.0	1.0	0.8	4,708	
Keilor	137	140	128	113	93	3.1	3.1	2.8	2.4	2.0	4,696	
Keilor Downs	432	399	406	377	376	6.2	5.7	5.7	5.1	5.0	7,530	
Keilor East	493	503	452	398	337	3.7	3.7	3.3	2.8	2.4	14,251	
Kensington (Vic.)	321	282	244	211	223	4.4	3.9	3.4	3.0	3.2	7,018	
Kew	554	427	356	268	270	3.7	2.9	2.4	1.8	1.9	14,551	
Kew East	166	139	119	84	77	4.3	3.6	3.1	2.2	2.0	3,761	
Keysborough	818	799	706	601	506	4.9	4.7	4.2	3.6	3.0	16,608	
Kilsyth	224	208	203	206	213	4.5	4.2	4.0	4.0	4.1	5,194	
Kinglake	92	81	81	81	74	3.8	3.3	3.2	3.2	2.9	2,531	
Kings Park (Vic.)	676	632	656	616	629	10.6	9.8	10.0	9.1	9.1	6,902	
Kingsbury	217	201	205	208	191	3.8	3.4	3.4	3.4	3.2	6,057	
Knoxfield - Scoresby	306	285	273	260	259	3.5	3.2	3.0	2.8	2.8	9,293	
Koo Wee Rup	276	285	271	249	217	4.8	4.9	4.7	4.3	3.8	5,732	
Lalor	856	812	844	874	799	8.4	7.8	8.0	8.1	7.4	10,733	
Langwarrin	436	387	334	314	280	2.9	2.6	2.2	2.1	1.8	15,147	
Laverton	361	341	356	337	344	5.4	5.0	5.2	4.8	4.7	7,243	

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	Mar-22	Jun-22	Sep-22	Dec-22	Mar-23	Mar-22	Jun-22	Sep-22	Dec-22	Mar-23	Mar-23	
Lilydale - Coldstream	395	381	385	398	427	3.7	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.8	11,215	
Lynbrook - Lyndhurst	437	430	390	351	320	4.1	4.0	3.6	3.3	3.0	10,544	
Lysterfield	59	55	50	46	46	1.4	1.3	1.2	1.1	1.1	4,313	
Macedon	27	26	25	26	24	1.4	1.4	1.3	1.3	1.2	1,987	
Malvern - Glen Iris	231	213	197	231	265	1.9	1.8	1.6	1.9	2.1	12,441	
Malvern East	303	267	246	279	317	2.5	2.2	2.0	2.2	2.5	12,652	
Maribyrnong	295	263	267	337	398	3.5	3.1	3.1	3.8	4.4	9,056	
Meadow Heights	1,011	1,065	995	909	812	18.1	18.7	17.2	15.4	13.6	5,951	
Melbourne	1,813	1,671	1,455	1,178	1,099	7.2	6.7	5.9	4.8	4.5	24,337	
Melton	942	862	882	839	898	9.6	8.7	8.7	8.1	8.5	10,623	
Melton South	1,498	1,433	1,514	1,451	1,547	8.3	7.9	8.2	7.6	8.0	19,448	
Melton West	872	838	892	860	907	7.8	7.4	7.7	7.3	7.5	12,094	
Mentone	220	204	197	240	277	2.9	2.7	2.6	3.1	3.5	7,849	
Mernda	592	530	519	501	447	4.6	4.0	3.9	3.7	3.3	13,562	
Mickleham - Yuroke	630	688	652	626	619	5.2	5.5	5.2	4.9	4.8	12,918	
Mill Park - North	479	437	440	433	382	4.7	4.2	4.2	4.1	3.6	10,637	
Mill Park - South	358	332	335	323	277	5.6	5.2	5.1	4.8	4.2	6,650	
Mitcham (Vic.)	256	229	213	210	217	2.8	2.4	2.3	2.2	2.2	9,801	
Monbulk - Silvan	89	84	79	70	66	2.9	2.7	2.5	2.2	2.0	3,233	
Montmorency - Briar Hill	237	211	209	207	185	2.6	2.3	2.2	2.2	1.9	9,534	
Montrose	105	95	88	82	82	2.9	2.6	2.4	2.2	2.1	3,847	
Moonee Ponds	362	322	284	248	246	3.6	3.2	2.9	2.5	2.5	9,827	
Moorabbin - Heatherton	235	203	187	216	261	4.7	4.0	3.6	4.2	5.0	5,238	
Mooroolbark	463	437	422	426	454	3.6	3.4	3.3	3.2	3.4	13,407	
Mordialloc - Parkdale	339	304	286	337	394	2.8	2.5	2.3	2.7	3.1	12,699	
Mornington	431	397	352	341	320	3.4	3.1	2.8	2.7	2.5	12,777	
Mount Dandenong - Olinda	134	121	116	121	131	2.5	2.2	2.1	2.2	2.3	5,688	
Mount Eliza	125	108	92	87	84	1.3	1.1	0.9	0.9	0.8	9,944	
Mount Evelyn	169	154	145	135	132	3.1	2.8	2.6	2.4	2.3	5,727	
Mount Martha	187	167	143	131	121	1.8	1.6	1.3	1.2	1.1	10,689	
Mount Waverley - North	248	244	218	182	145	2.9	2.8	2.5	2.1	1.7	8,622	
Mount Waverley - South	270	268	244	210	169	2.5	2.5	2.3	2.0	1.6	10,559	
Mulgrave	430	431	392	343	301	3.9	3.9	3.6	3.1	2.8	10,890	
Murrumbeena	133	124	117	144	170	2.4	2.2	2.1	2.5	2.9	5,794	
Narre Warren - North East	470	475	440	393	357	5.8	5.8	5.3	4.8	4.4	8,132	
Narre Warren - South West	726	725	656	578	517	8.8	8.7	7.9	7.0	6.3	8,247	
Narre Warren North	126	129	119	101	92	2.6	2.6	2.4	2.0	1.9	4,912	
Narre Warren South (East)	380	377	337	285	241	4.7	4.6	4.1	3.5	3.0	8,102	
Narre Warren South (West)	742	745	689	605	535	7.7	7.7	7.1	6.3	5.6	9,561	
Newport	294	268	272	255	263	2.6	2.3	2.3	2.1	2.1	12,438	
Niddrie - Essendon West	109	110	96	87	75	2.5	2.5	2.2	1.9	1.6	4,553	
Noble Park - East	574	573	528	460	402	8.2	8.1	7.5	6.5	5.7	7,002	
Noble Park - West	852	870	818	730	660	8.6	8.7	8.2	7.3	6.7	9,885	
Noble Park North	305	311	292	252	214	8.1	8.2	7.7	6.7	5.7	3,751	
North Melbourne	1,041	956	839	716	715	7.2	6.7	6.0	5.1	5.1	13,952	
Northcote	668	566	482	411	402	4.1	3.5	3.0	2.6	2.5	15,789	
Nunawading	174	159	151	155	164	2.7	2.4	2.3	2.3	2.4	6,835	
Oakleigh - Huntingdale	467	460	424	376	326	3.5	3.4	3.1	2.8	2.4	13,395	
Ormond - Glen Huntly	269	261	259	302	342	3.4	3.3	3.2	3.7	4.2	8,233	
Pakenham - North	987	1,004	932	818	724	7.6	7.6	7.1	6.3	5.6	12,926	
Pakenham - South	1,460	1,469	1,333	1,138	971	8.0	7.9	7.2	6.2	5.3	18,249	
Panton Hill - St Andrews	73	65	67	65	56	2.4	2.1	2.1	2.0	1.7	3,232	
Parkville	186	163	141	120	123	4.0	3.6	3.1	2.7	2.8	4,464	
Pascoe Vale	498	512	473	418	375	3.5	3.5	3.2	2.8	2.5	15,177	
Pascoe Vale South	262	231	204	176	164	4.4	4.0	3.5	3.0	2.9	5,731	
Pearcedale - Tooradin	219	215	200	176	161	4.4	4.3	4.0	3.5	3.3	4,939	
Plenty - Yarrambat	87	80	80	79	65	1.5	1.4	1.4	1.3	1.1	5,989	
Point Cook - East	365	339	348	331	337	3.3	3.0	3.1	2.8	2.8	11,906	
Point Cook - North	453	423	426	390	375	3.2	3.0	3.0	2.6	2.5	15,121	
Point Cook - South	280	248	250	228	231	2.7	2.3	2.3	2.1	2.0	11,358	
Point Nepean	355	309	262	245	229	3.8	3.3	2.8	2.6	2.4	9,471	
Port Melbourne	419	375	333	291	275	4.0	3.7	3.3	2.9	2.7	10,065	
Port Melbourne Industrial	30	23	18	15	15	2.2	1.7	1.4	1.1	1.1	1,307	
Prahran - Windsor	479	401	337	283	284	3.4	2.9	2.4	2.0	2.1	13,794	
Preston - East	757	699	708	701	629	6.2	5.7	5.6	5.5	4.9	12,745	
Preston - West	318	289	289	286	250	4.4	3.9	3.8	3.7	3.3	7,665	
Research - North Warrandyte	66	59	59	58	53	1.6	1.4	1.4	1.4	1.2	4,287	
Reservoir - East	899	827	835	828	753	6.2	5.6	5.5	5.4	4.9	15,267	
Reservoir - West	676	621	616	617	544	5.6	5.0	4.9	4.8	4.3	12,713	
Richmond (Vic.)	956	827	707	590	591	4.2	3.6	3.1	2.6	2.6	22,328	
Riddells Creek	67	68	63	57	54	2.6	2.6	2.4	2.1	2.0	2,738	
Ringwood	485	446	425	437	473	4.9	4.5	4.2	4.3	4.5	10,432	
Ringwood East	406	365	332	327	342	3.6	3.3	2.9	2.8	2.9	11,766	

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Ringwood North	123	113	105	95	90	2.4	2.1	2.0	1.8	1.6	5,508	
Rockbank - Mount Cottrell	317	300	331	339	384	7.0	6.6	7.1	7.1	7.9	4,860	
Romsey	181	187	174	164	144	3.1	3.1	2.9	2.7	2.3	6,223	
Rosebud - McCrae	614	565	495	483	465	6.3	5.7	5.0	4.9	4.7	9,888	
Rowville - Central	282	253	230	220	226	3.2	2.8	2.5	2.4	2.4	9,382	
Rowville - North	126	115	107	99	97	2.8	2.6	2.4	2.1	2.1	4,711	
Rowville - South	127	109	104	107	115	2.1	1.8	1.7	1.7	1.8	6,425	
Roxburgh Park - Somerton	1,407	1,512	1,396	1,288	1,186	13.7	14.4	13.1	11.8	10.8	10,974	
Sandringham - Black Rock	192	166	149	168	192	2.0	1.8	1.6	1.7	2.0	9,811	
Seabrook	122	108	113	105	101	4.2	3.7	3.8	3.5	3.2	3,114	
Seaford (Vic.)	582	538	473	444	406	6.2	5.6	5.0	4.6	4.2	9,567	
Seddon - Kingsville	217	199	210	197	202	3.6	3.3	3.4	3.1	3.1	6,444	
Skye - Sandhurst	249	213	176	164	163	3.1	2.6	2.2	2.0	2.0	8,184	
Somerville	321	284	242	231	221	3.0	2.6	2.2	2.1	2.0	11,053	
South Melbourne	439	389	343	296	298	5.6	5.0	4.5	3.9	3.9	7,571	
South Morang (North)	256	233	233	223	197	3.4	3.1	3.0	2.9	2.5	7,809	
South Morang (South)	276	258	272	287	263	3.9	3.6	3.8	3.9	3.6	7,345	
South Yarra - East	605	520	434	360	354	3.9	3.4	2.8	2.4	2.3	15,106	
South Yarra - West	107	86	71	55	55	2.5	2.0	1.7	1.3	1.3	4,201	
Southbank	543	474	407	342	331	3.3	2.9	2.5	2.1	2.1	16,077	
Springvale	875	878	800	696	611	7.9	7.9	7.2	6.3	5.6	10,974	
Springvale South	562	552	491	410	345	8.6	8.3	7.4	6.3	5.3	6,522	
St Albans - North	979	934	991	952	986	10.3	9.7	10.1	9.5	9.6	10,241	
St Albans - South	825	784	828	784	803	10.0	9.4	9.7	9.0	9.0	8,918	
St Kilda	1,075	971	864	766	754	5.6	5.1	4.6	4.1	4.0	18,712	
St Kilda East	530	458	403	348	333	4.6	4.0	3.6	3.1	3.0	11,140	
Strathmore	100	95	85	75	69	1.8	1.6	1.4	1.2	1.1	6,063	
Sunbury	322	319	288	258	240	4.1	4.0	3.6	3.1	2.9	8,287	
Sunbury - South	817	845	784	703	627	4.6	4.7	4.3	3.8	3.3	18,839	
Sunshine	355	335	371	368	399	6.8	6.4	7.0	6.7	7.1	5,590	
Sunshine North	526	488	520	507	525	8.9	8.2	8.6	8.1	8.2	6,369	
Sunshine West	806	760	788	724	725	8.9	8.3	8.5	7.6	7.4	9,759	
Surrey Hills (East) - Mont Albert	224	179	168	138	140	3.6	2.9	2.8	2.3	2.3	6,042	
Surrey Hills (West) - Canterbury	241	196	188	168	189	2.6	2.2	2.1	1.9	2.1	8,955	
Sydenham	368	325	321	291	292	5.2	4.6	4.4	3.9	3.8	7,625	
Tarneit	1,103	1,024	1,061	994	1,036	3.5	3.3	3.3	3.0	3.1	33,547	
Taylors Hill	411	380	389	370	383	3.7	3.4	3.4	3.2	3.2	11,945	
Taylors Lakes	307	271	272	251	252	2.9	2.6	2.5	2.3	2.2	11,366	
Templestowe	462	365	322	261	272	5.0	4.0	3.5	2.9	3.0	8,980	
Templestowe Lower	404	313	273	227	245	5.5	4.3	3.8	3.1	3.4	7,196	
The Basin	89	84	77	75	83	3.6	3.4	3.1	2.9	3.2	2,593	
Thomastown	708	664	689	730	695	8.1	7.5	7.6	8.0	7.6	9,160	
Thornbury	679	608	539	464	435	5.7	5.2	4.6	4.0	3.8	11,493	
Toorak	168	144	120	95	94	2.2	1.9	1.6	1.3	1.3	7,292	
Truganina	640	581	596	546	549	3.2	2.9	2.9	2.6	2.6	21,391	
Tullamarine	264	269	248	226	201	7.5	7.4	6.7	6.0	5.3	3,776	
Upwey - Tecoma	206	187	176	168	175	3.6	3.3	3.0	2.8	2.9	6,006	
Vermont	143	132	126	131	135	2.6	2.4	2.3	2.3	2.3	5,780	
Vermont South	151	138	130	120	118	2.6	2.3	2.2	2.0	1.9	6,190	
Viewbank - Yallambie	247	230	232	233	207	2.5	2.2	2.2	2.2	2.0	10,575	
Wallan	572	527	529	534	488	4.6	4.1	4.1	4.1	3.7	13,108	
Wandin - Seville	111	108	108	111	113	2.5	2.4	2.4	2.4	2.4	4,744	
Wantirna	240	222	214	218	233	3.3	3.0	2.9	2.9	3.0	7,673	
Wantirna South	293	265	244	238	237	3.1	2.8	2.6	2.5	2.4	9,839	
Warrandyte - Wonga Park	89	80	73	78	85	1.5	1.4	1.2	1.3	1.4	6,076	
Watsonia	170	156	155	151	137	3.4	3.1	3.0	2.9	2.6	5,219	
Wattle Glen - Diamond Creek	166	137	126	114	99	1.9	1.5	1.4	1.2	1.1	9,243	
Werribee - East	987	964	1,037	1,017	1,080	10.1	9.7	10.3	9.8	10.2	10,599	
Werribee - South	470	450	492	520	563	5.2	5.0	5.3	5.5	5.8	9,701	
Werribee - West	746	713	750	743	806	6.0	5.7	5.8	5.6	6.0	13,469	
West Footscray - Tottenham	382	362	372	348	348	5.2	4.9	4.9	4.5	4.4	7,954	
Wheelers Hill	270	256	233	199	171	2.5	2.3	2.1	1.8	1.6	10,944	
Whittlesea	217	208	216	224	207	3.9	3.7	3.8	3.8	3.6	5,826	
Williamstown	230	210	220	212	214	2.5	2.2	2.3	2.2	2.1	10,039	
Wollert	538	516	545	561	503	4.1	3.9	4.1	4.1	3.7	13,593	
Wyndham Vale	1,199	1,105	1,150	1,107	1,200	6.6	6.0	6.2	5.8	6.1	19,601	
Yarra - North	198	168	145	125	114	3.1	2.6	2.3	2.0	1.8	6,255	
Yarra Valley	488	466	455	481	498	5.8	5.5	5.3	5.5	5.6	8,909	
Yarraville	286	257	257	238	239	2.9	2.6	2.5	2.3	2.2	10,700	
<i>Rest of Victoria</i>	<i>27,200</i>	<i>26,200</i>	<i>25,900</i>	<i>25,100</i>	<i>26,400</i>	<i>3.4</i>	<i>3.2</i>	<i>3.2</i>	<i>3.0</i>	<i>3.1</i>	<i>840,200</i>	
Alexandra	78	75	90	97	98	2.2	2.2	2.6	2.8	2.8	3,499	
Alfredton	155	184	174	153	164	1.7	2.0	1.9	1.6	1.8	9,238	

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	Mar-22	Jun-22	Sep-22	Dec-22	Mar-23	Mar-22	Jun-22	Sep-22	Dec-22	Mar-23	Mar-23	
Ararat	149	173	215	232	236	4.0	4.4	5.3	5.6	5.7	4,161	
Ararat Region	33	37	43	46	49	1.9	2.0	2.3	2.4	2.5	1,925	
Avoca	65	77	76	69	77	4.2	4.9	4.8	4.4	4.9	1,556	
Bacchus Marsh Region	75	82	75	64	64	2.1	2.3	2.1	1.8	1.8	3,510	
Bairnsdale	465	387	351	339	378	6.5	5.5	4.9	4.7	5.1	7,446	
Ballarat	170	188	172	145	151	2.6	2.8	2.6	2.2	2.3	6,562	
Ballarat - North	400	466	442	387	407	3.1	3.5	3.3	2.9	3.1	13,042	
Ballarat - South	666	774	732	622	648	5.2	6.0	5.7	4.8	5.1	12,744	
Bannockburn	70	65	56	47	55	1.6	1.5	1.3	1.1	1.2	4,426	
Beaufort	72	81	77	67	74	3.5	3.9	3.7	3.3	3.6	2,036	
Beechworth	38	38	47	49	46	1.5	1.5	1.8	1.9	1.8	2,606	
Belmont	222	213	206	188	215	2.6	2.5	2.4	2.2	2.5	8,477	
Benalla	178	188	231	259	261	3.4	3.6	4.5	5.0	5.0	5,209	
Benalla Region	43	43	49	51	50	1.9	2.0	2.2	2.3	2.2	2,230	
Bendigo	477	519	451	419	489	5.9	6.5	5.6	5.1	5.8	8,441	
Bendigo Region - North	86	98	87	86	98	3.2	3.7	3.3	3.2	3.5	2,801	
Bendigo Region - South	75	80	68	63	73	1.5	1.7	1.4	1.3	1.4	5,098	
Bright - Mount Beauty	81	78	88	89	81	1.6	1.6	1.8	1.8	1.6	4,958	
Bruthen - Omeo	139	119	114	114	134	3.3	2.9	2.8	2.7	3.1	4,346	
Buloke	75	86	108	123	129	2.5	2.8	3.4	3.8	4.0	3,265	
Buninyong	68	76	72	62	67	1.8	2.0	1.9	1.6	1.7	3,835	
California Gully - Eaglehawk	380	433	383	365	425	5.8	6.7	5.9	5.5	6.3	6,787	
Camperdown	55	43	34	29	29	3.3	2.6	2.0	1.7	1.7	1,707	
Castlemaine	152	152	130	120	145	2.8	2.9	2.4	2.2	2.6	5,593	
Castlemaine Region	122	128	113	108	136	2.5	2.7	2.4	2.2	2.7	5,014	
Chiltern - Indigo Valley	38	37	49	55	59	2.0	1.9	2.6	2.9	3.0	1,951	
Churchill	320	265	242	233	253	5.4	4.6	4.2	3.9	4.1	6,110	
Clifton Springs	244	230	212	186	219	2.8	2.6	2.4	2.1	2.5	8,786	
Cobram	64	57	82	95	75	2.4	2.1	2.8	3.2	2.5	3,027	
Colac	252	206	160	125	132	3.9	3.2	2.5	1.9	2.0	6,712	
Colac Region	64	52	40	33	33	2.0	1.6	1.2	1.0	1.0	3,374	
Corangamite - North	102	83	66	53	55	3.7	3.0	2.4	1.9	1.9	2,879	
Corangamite - South	83	66	50	40	42	2.0	1.6	1.2	1.0	1.0	4,236	
Corio - Norlane	1,148	1,114	1,071	953	1,086	9.0	8.6	8.4	7.5	8.5	12,834	
Creswick - Clunes	117	132	124	109	119	3.0	3.3	3.1	2.8	3.0	3,914	
Daylesford	121	132	125	107	113	2.3	2.5	2.4	2.1	2.2	5,129	
Delacombe	176	209	197	169	181	3.1	3.7	3.5	3.0	3.2	5,575	
Drouin	383	314	285	268	285	4.1	3.4	3.1	2.9	2.9	9,687	
East Bendigo - Kennington	252	277	240	220	247	3.4	3.8	3.3	2.9	3.2	7,742	
Echuca	161	148	194	233	179	2.2	2.0	2.4	2.8	2.1	8,416	
Euroa	87	87	105	113	116	2.5	2.5	3.0	3.2	3.3	3,532	
Flora Hill - Spring Gully	204	218	187	172	179	3.8	4.1	3.5	3.2	3.2	5,611	
Foster	152	120	113	117	138	3.5	2.8	2.6	2.7	3.1	4,512	
Gannawarra	76	84	98	109	112	2.3	2.4	2.7	3.0	3.1	3,660	
Geelong	265	258	247	219	242	3.2	3.1	2.9	2.6	2.9	8,451	
Geelong West - Hamlyn Heights	309	296	274	241	267	2.4	2.3	2.1	1.9	2.1	12,942	
Glennelg (Vic.)	150	123	99	81	87	3.2	2.6	2.1	1.7	1.8	4,860	
Golden Plains - North	77	84	78	69	76	3.1	3.4	3.1	2.8	3.1	2,450	
Golden Plains - South	90	82	75	66	79	1.9	1.7	1.6	1.4	1.7	4,682	
Gordon (Vic.)	54	59	57	53	64	1.5	1.7	1.6	1.5	1.8	3,527	
Grovedale	416	394	361	318	351	2.1	2.0	1.8	1.6	1.7	20,175	
Hamilton (Vic.)	241	202	164	127	131	4.6	3.8	3.1	2.4	2.4	5,437	
Heathcote	115	132	118	113	133	5.2	6.0	5.4	5.1	5.8	2,307	
Highton	186	174	159	137	153	1.3	1.2	1.1	1.0	1.1	14,095	
Horsham	237	264	304	329	334	2.7	2.9	3.2	3.4	3.4	9,726	
Horsham Region	34	39	47	50	48	1.7	1.9	2.1	2.3	2.1	2,240	
Irymple	68	75	88	94	98	1.6	1.7	1.9	2.1	2.1	4,615	
Kangaroo Flat - Golden Square	465	517	449	427	479	4.3	4.8	4.1	3.9	4.2	11,396	
Kerang	61	66	79	92	97	3.4	3.5	4.0	4.6	4.8	2,007	
Kilmore - Broadford	221	218	255	268	260	2.7	2.6	3.1	3.2	3.1	8,392	
Korumburra	160	132	122	118	132	3.3	2.7	2.5	2.4	2.6	5,057	
Kyabram	112	102	140	162	126	2.2	2.0	2.6	2.9	2.2	5,664	
Kyneton	118	125	106	99	112	2.1	2.2	1.9	1.7	1.9	5,857	
Lakes Entrance	324	274	249	240	263	7.1	6.1	5.5	5.2	5.5	4,751	
Lara	259	247	232	208	241	2.2	2.1	2.0	1.8	2.1	11,581	
Leongatha	153	123	113	112	121	2.7	2.2	2.0	2.0	2.1	5,807	
Leopold	165	158	147	132	148	2.2	2.1	1.9	1.8	1.9	7,603	
Lockington - Gunbower	34	30	40	44	33	1.7	1.5	1.8	1.9	1.4	2,293	
Loddon	175	200	180	176	208	5.1	5.9	5.3	5.1	5.8	3,585	
Longford - Loch Sport	125	104	100	100	108	5.4	4.6	4.4	4.3	4.5	2,391	
Lorne - Anglesea	46	40	37	31	32	1.3	1.1	1.1	0.9	0.9	3,503	
Maffra	288	236	218	209	227	4.0	3.3	3.0	2.9	3.0	7,556	
Maiden Gully	42	45	40	37	36	1.3	1.4	1.2	1.1	1.1	3,377	

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Mansfield (Vic.)	86	84	101	105	104	1.5	1.5	1.8	1.9	1.8	5,656	
Maryborough (Vic.)	222	262	251	219	244	6.9	8.1	7.8	6.8	7.6	3,195	
Maryborough Region	138	158	150	135	157	5.8	6.6	6.3	5.7	6.7	2,353	
Merbein	73	82	102	112	121	3.0	3.2	3.9	4.2	4.5	2,698	
Mildura - North	469	528	619	666	674	5.3	5.7	6.5	6.9	6.9	9,784	
Mildura - South	267	294	344	378	403	3.3	3.5	3.9	4.2	4.5	9,025	
Mildura Region	44	50	61	64	69	2.2	2.4	2.8	2.9	3.1	2,260	
Moe - Newborough	729	614	554	532	573	9.4	8.0	7.3	6.8	7.1	8,024	
Moira	29	23	31	34	25	2.1	1.6	2.1	2.2	1.6	1,574	
Mooroopna	141	126	176	204	160	3.7	3.3	4.3	4.9	3.8	4,251	
Morwell	897	763	689	660	712	15.1	13.0	11.7	11.0	11.5	6,186	
Mount Baw Baw Region	109	85	74	68	71	3.2	2.5	2.2	2.0	2.0	3,511	
Moyne - East	115	95	76	57	56	2.9	2.4	1.9	1.4	1.4	4,071	
Moyne - West	116	95	74	57	57	2.1	1.8	1.4	1.0	1.0	5,618	
Myrtleford	54	58	73	80	80	2.1	2.3	2.9	3.2	3.1	2,558	
Nagambie	57	58	69	73	72	2.3	2.4	2.9	3.0	2.9	2,462	
Newcomb - Moolap	402	393	382	342	395	5.0	4.9	4.7	4.3	4.9	8,073	
Newtown (Vic.)	74	73	70	66	76	1.2	1.2	1.1	1.1	1.2	6,137	
Nhill Region	100	115	140	150	155	3.0	3.3	3.9	4.1	4.2	3,652	
North Geelong - Bell Park	320	318	313	292	347	3.8	3.7	3.7	3.4	4.1	8,553	
Numurkah	125	108	147	166	125	2.1	1.8	2.3	2.5	1.9	6,662	
Ocean Grove - Barwon Heads	228	213	201	173	202	1.3	1.2	1.2	1.0	1.2	17,454	
Orbost	238	194	177	169	184	8.2	6.8	6.2	5.8	6.1	3,004	
Otway	61	46	34	27	28	2.7	2.1	1.5	1.2	1.2	2,304	
Paynesville	145	112	95	87	93	5.5	4.3	3.7	3.3	3.4	2,717	
Phillip Island	261	208	191	183	197	4.3	3.4	3.1	3.0	3.1	6,375	
Point Lonsdale - Queenscliff	27	25	24	23	27	1.1	1.0	1.0	0.9	1.1	2,450	
Portarlington	162	148	140	125	148	4.1	3.7	3.5	3.1	3.7	4,016	
Portland	341	283	224	174	182	6.1	5.0	3.9	3.1	3.1	5,835	
Red Cliffs	111	129	159	172	176	3.5	4.0	4.7	5.0	5.1	3,470	
Robinvale	53	58	67	70	68	2.8	3.0	3.3	3.4	3.3	2,066	
Rochester	33	32	41	58	49	1.9	1.8	2.1	2.9	2.4	2,006	
Rosedale	79	67	60	56	57	3.6	3.1	2.8	2.5	2.5	2,268	
Rushworth	55	47	71	80	66	3.0	2.6	3.6	4.0	3.2	2,043	
Rutherglen	47	48	57	61	59	2.1	2.2	2.6	2.8	2.7	2,209	
Sale	440	377	348	325	352	5.9	5.1	4.7	4.3	4.6	7,726	
Seymour	185	190	221	241	236	5.6	5.7	6.7	7.3	7.1	3,343	
Seymour Region	31	31	36	40	41	1.1	1.1	1.3	1.4	1.4	2,852	
Shepparton - North	239	225	313	376	297	2.5	2.3	3.0	3.5	2.7	10,863	
Shepparton - South	377	333	473	563	463	3.3	2.9	3.9	4.4	3.6	12,832	
Shepparton Region - East	32	28	41	48	37	1.4	1.3	1.7	2.0	1.5	2,488	
Shepparton Region - West	105	90	133	152	123	2.1	1.8	2.5	2.8	2.2	5,520	
Smythes Creek	34	39	37	33	40	1.4	1.6	1.5	1.4	1.7	2,371	
Southern Grampians	81	66	52	42	45	2.3	1.9	1.5	1.2	1.2	3,629	
St Arnaud	48	59	78	86	91	2.9	3.4	4.3	4.7	4.9	1,860	
Stawell	120	132	159	174	180	2.9	3.1	3.5	3.8	3.9	4,592	
Strathfieldsaye	83	92	78	72	77	1.4	1.5	1.3	1.2	1.2	6,386	
Swan Hill	158	173	199	216	216	2.8	2.9	3.2	3.5	3.4	6,261	
Swan Hill Region	73	81	101	115	121	2.1	2.3	2.7	3.1	3.2	3,755	
Torquay	164	148	134	115	123	1.1	1.0	0.9	0.8	0.9	14,403	
Towong	72	74	94	100	104	2.2	2.2	2.9	3.0	3.1	3,345	
Trafalgar (Vic.)	139	112	98	95	112	3.3	2.7	2.3	2.2	2.6	4,391	
Traralgon	755	628	552	520	543	5.0	4.2	3.7	3.4	3.5	15,632	
Wangaratta	334	341	409	431	419	3.2	3.3	4.0	4.2	4.0	10,403	
Wangaratta Region	80	77	99	107	106	1.4	1.3	1.7	1.8	1.8	5,875	
Warragul	364	300	266	251	266	3.2	2.6	2.3	2.2	2.2	11,969	
Warrnambool - North	416	336	263	199	198	3.4	2.7	2.1	1.6	1.5	12,854	
Warrnambool - South	257	207	162	128	138	3.5	2.8	2.2	1.7	1.8	7,597	
Wendouree - Miners Rest	381	452	430	376	408	5.4	6.4	6.1	5.3	5.8	6,980	
West Wimmera	20	23	30	36	39	1.4	1.5	1.9	2.2	2.4	1,635	
West Wodonga	252	263	311	334	328	2.9	3.0	3.6	3.9	3.7	8,778	
White Hills - Ascot	257	280	238	216	240	3.2	3.5	3.0	2.6	2.8	8,492	
Winchelsea	69	64	62	55	64	1.8	1.6	1.6	1.4	1.6	3,894	
Wodonga	493	514	610	644	636	3.2	3.3	4.0	4.2	4.1	15,691	
Wonthaggi - Inverloch	616	496	436	419	464	5.2	4.3	3.8	3.5	3.8	12,200	
Woodend	48	53	45	44	46	1.1	1.2	1.0	1.0	1.0	4,702	
Yackandandah	27	27	34	36	36	0.9	0.9	1.2	1.2	1.2	3,005	
Yallourn North - Glengarry	91	76	69	70	78	3.7	3.1	2.8	2.8	3.0	2,580	
Yarram	132	108	101	100	108	5.1	4.2	3.9	3.8	4.0	2,700	
Yarrawonga	72	60	79	86	63	2.1	1.7	2.1	2.2	1.6	3,914	
Yarriambiack	95	108	132	148	160	3.2	3.5	4.1	4.5	4.9	3,289	
Yea	61	59	73	75	74	2.8	2.7	3.4	3.4	3.3	2,209	

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Queensland	138,000	129,200	119,600	111,200	109,100	4.9	4.5	4.2	3.9	3.8	2,893,100	
<i>Greater Brisbane</i>	<i>72,200</i>	<i>66,800</i>	<i>61,800</i>	<i>59,400</i>	<i>59,100</i>	<i>5.1</i>	<i>4.7</i>	<i>4.3</i>	<i>4.1</i>	<i>4.0</i>	<i>1,459,400</i>	
Albany Creek	216	190	147	116	108	2.3	2.0	1.5	1.2	1.1	9,939	
Albion	94	83	79	88	87	3.0	2.6	2.5	2.8	2.7	3,211	
Alderley	102	97	101	119	133	2.3	2.2	2.2	2.6	2.9	4,564	
Alexandra Hills	331	282	240	234	219	3.4	2.9	2.5	2.4	2.3	9,710	
Algester	332	274	219	208	198	6.8	5.6	4.5	4.2	4.0	4,933	
Annerley	529	436	347	321	300	6.6	5.4	4.3	4.0	3.7	8,144	
Ascot	96	85	83	90	96	2.6	2.3	2.2	2.4	2.5	3,805	
Ashgrove	172	150	147	164	177	2.0	1.8	1.7	1.9	2.0	8,745	
Aspley	254	245	199	159	158	3.4	3.3	2.7	2.2	2.2	7,105	
Auchenflower	104	91	89	98	110	2.6	2.2	2.2	2.4	2.6	4,162	
Bald Hills	235	239	197	155	148	5.0	5.1	4.2	3.4	3.3	4,499	
Balmoral	67	56	54	60	63	2.3	1.9	1.8	2.0	2.1	3,039	
Bardon	84	75	73	77	84	1.4	1.2	1.2	1.2	1.3	6,353	
Beachmere - Sandstone Point	320	374	358	353	338	4.8	5.5	5.1	5.0	4.7	7,198	
Beaudesert	715	682	640	595	559	10.2	9.6	8.9	8.3	7.8	7,172	
Beenleigh	588	556	533	498	478	13.9	12.9	12.3	11.5	11.0	4,343	
Bellbird Park - Brookwater	415	396	409	407	412	3.8	3.6	3.7	3.7	3.7	11,214	
Bellbowrie - Moggill	234	187	191	187	186	4.0	3.2	3.2	3.1	3.0	6,212	
Belmont - Gumdale	75	64	54	52	46	1.7	1.4	1.2	1.2	1.0	4,464	
Bethania - Waterford	431	394	368	343	329	7.5	6.7	6.2	5.8	5.5	5,941	
Birkdale	192	163	139	141	135	2.2	1.9	1.6	1.6	1.5	8,769	
Boonah	259	249	261	259	262	3.9	3.7	3.8	3.8	3.8	6,944	
Boondall	227	222	183	143	141	4.0	3.9	3.3	2.6	2.6	5,389	
Boronia Heights - Park Ridge	722	686	663	629	633	7.9	7.3	7.1	6.7	6.7	9,404	
Bracken Ridge	472	474	396	320	305	4.5	4.5	3.8	3.1	3.0	10,046	
Brassall	537	501	508	518	541	8.5	7.9	8.0	8.1	8.3	6,483	
Bray Park	415	380	301	254	263	7.6	6.9	5.4	4.4	4.5	5,890	
Bribie Island	352	400	385	379	368	5.2	5.7	5.4	5.2	5.0	7,382	
Bridgeman Downs	94	91	76	57	47	1.5	1.5	1.2	0.9	0.8	5,929	
Brighton (Qld)	207	199	159	123	119	3.6	3.5	2.8	2.2	2.2	5,467	
Brisbane City	415	389	385	448	480	4.4	4.2	4.1	4.7	5.0	9,558	
Brookfield - Kenmore Hills	85	67	67	62	63	2.3	1.8	1.8	1.6	1.6	3,929	
Browns Plains	387	358	341	327	326	9.1	8.3	7.9	7.5	7.5	4,354	
Bulimba	70	66	69	80	86	1.4	1.4	1.4	1.6	1.7	4,994	
Bundamba	517	476	475	467	470	10.7	9.8	9.7	9.4	9.4	4,998	
Burpengary	324	376	360	359	368	3.9	4.4	4.1	4.0	4.1	9,054	
Burpengary - East	78	85	82	82	86	2.3	2.4	2.3	2.2	2.3	3,750	
Caboolture	1,102	1,294	1,242	1,225	1,226	8.2	9.4	8.8	8.5	8.4	14,531	
Caboolture - South	865	1,018	974	976	1,006	8.3	9.5	8.8	8.7	8.8	11,370	
Calamvale - Stretton	696	572	461	421	376	5.6	4.5	3.7	3.3	3.0	12,702	
Camira - Gailes	324	305	310	311	319	6.1	5.7	5.8	5.7	5.8	5,490	
Camp Hill	204	161	125	112	104	2.7	2.1	1.7	1.5	1.4	7,574	
Cannon Hill	179	147	121	111	97	4.1	3.3	2.7	2.5	2.2	4,467	
Capalaba	396	338	291	290	279	3.7	3.2	2.7	2.7	2.6	10,684	
Carina	286	236	193	174	149	4.1	3.4	2.8	2.5	2.1	7,026	
Carina Heights	239	196	154	137	126	5.6	4.6	3.6	3.2	2.9	4,323	
Carindale	228	183	141	123	105	2.4	1.9	1.5	1.3	1.1	9,570	
Carseldine	144	142	117	92	79	2.6	2.5	2.1	1.7	1.5	5,348	
Cashmere	306	276	214	173	172	2.6	2.3	1.8	1.4	1.4	12,545	
Chambers Flat - Logan Reserve	287	276	278	279	287	5.8	5.5	5.5	5.5	5.7	5,042	
Chapel Hill	182	141	134	127	123	3.2	2.5	2.3	2.2	2.0	6,017	
Chelmer - Graceville	126	97	97	90	80	3.0	2.3	2.2	2.0	1.8	4,558	
Chermside	417	421	355	283	279	5.9	6.0	5.0	4.1	4.1	6,750	
Chermside West	117	120	99	81	77	3.0	3.1	2.6	2.1	2.1	3,693	
Churchill - Yamanto	244	234	239	241	240	6.2	5.9	6.0	6.0	5.9	4,034	
Clayfield	187	152	146	166	173	2.6	2.1	2.0	2.3	2.4	7,246	
Cleveland	265	219	184	184	183	3.2	2.7	2.2	2.2	2.2	8,289	
Clontarf	199	221	204	202	208	4.9	5.3	4.8	4.6	4.7	4,425	
Collingwood Park - Redbank	405	375	386	385	392	6.4	5.9	6.1	6.0	6.0	6,491	
Coopers Plains	261	221	181	165	150	8.3	6.9	5.7	5.2	4.7	3,201	
Coorparoo	410	333	266	237	210	3.4	2.8	2.2	2.0	1.7	12,164	
Corinda	161	131	123	119	122	5.5	4.5	4.2	3.9	3.9	3,121	
Cornubia - Carbrook	154	145	137	125	115	2.8	2.6	2.4	2.2	2.0	5,636	
Crestmead	685	641	615	586	589	11.4	10.4	10.0	9.5	9.5	6,177	
Daisy Hill	142	130	125	122	124	3.6	3.2	3.1	3.0	3.1	4,057	
Dakabin - Kallangur	1,339	1,218	982	825	858	9.2	8.3	6.6	5.4	5.5	15,691	
Darra - Sumner	174	162	173	180	177	6.6	6.1	6.5	6.7	6.5	2,726	
Dayboro	139	124	101	88	93	2.8	2.4	2.0	1.7	1.7	5,379	
Deagon	149	150	126	99	92	6.7	6.7	5.7	4.5	4.3	2,133	

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	Mar-22	Jun-22	Sep-22	Dec-22	Mar-23	Mar-22	Jun-22	Sep-22	Dec-22	Mar-23	Mar-23	
Deception Bay	742	853	822	815	826	7.5	8.4	7.9	7.6	7.6	10,803	
Durack	314	285	287	285	285	7.7	6.9	6.9	6.8	6.8	4,221	
Eagle Farm - Pinkenba	20	20	17	14	16	1.2	1.2	1.1	0.9	1.0	1,543	
Eagleby	814	748	704	658	644	13.9	12.6	11.8	11.0	10.8	5,977	
East Brisbane	212	191	186	211	228	4.9	4.4	4.2	4.7	5.1	4,470	
Eatons Hill	78	66	50	41	44	1.7	1.4	1.0	0.8	0.9	4,985	
Edens Landing - Holmview	320	304	296	285	286	6.1	5.7	5.6	5.3	5.4	5,340	
Eight Mile Plains	380	320	256	229	197	4.5	3.8	3.0	2.7	2.3	8,495	
Elimbah	57	65	62	60	61	2.5	2.8	2.6	2.5	2.5	2,435	
Enoggera	334	277	290	297	303	5.8	4.8	5.0	4.9	4.9	6,135	
Esk	168	161	171	173	174	8.0	7.6	8.0	8.0	8.0	2,173	
Everton Park	198	200	167	135	132	3.1	3.1	2.6	2.2	2.2	6,084	
Fairfield - Dutton Park	230	192	152	137	120	7.3	6.1	4.8	4.3	3.8	3,183	
Fig Tree Pocket	59	47	46	44	42	2.6	2.1	2.0	1.8	1.7	2,435	
Forest Lake - Doolandella	798	731	744	726	732	4.3	3.9	4.0	3.8	3.8	19,060	
Fortitude Valley	390	342	334	380	412	4.9	4.3	4.1	4.6	5.0	8,197	
Geebung	90	84	68	53	48	3.3	3.1	2.5	2.0	1.8	2,614	
Goodna	609	568	594	610	630	11.5	10.7	11.1	11.3	11.6	5,449	
Grange	45	38	34	34	33	1.6	1.3	1.2	1.2	1.1	2,911	
Greenbank	377	357	337	312	299	3.8	3.5	3.3	3.0	2.9	10,290	
Greenslopes	358	295	234	209	182	4.8	4.0	3.2	2.8	2.4	7,481	
Hamilton (Qld)	115	99	94	105	108	2.4	2.0	1.9	2.1	2.2	4,984	
Hawthorne	56	48	42	47	52	1.7	1.4	1.2	1.4	1.5	3,457	
Hendra	57	48	45	50	49	1.9	1.6	1.5	1.6	1.6	3,135	
Highgate Hill	200	175	168	190	208	4.7	4.1	3.9	4.4	4.8	4,332	
Hillcrest	279	258	239	220	218	5.5	4.9	4.6	4.2	4.2	5,247	
Holland Park	282	242	194	179	168	5.5	4.7	3.8	3.5	3.2	5,179	
Holland Park West	188	153	122	111	101	4.8	3.9	3.1	2.8	2.6	3,937	
Inala - Richlands	1,293	1,214	1,269	1,283	1,293	15.5	14.5	15.0	15.0	15.0	8,620	
Indooroopilly	441	372	376	359	365	6.0	5.1	5.1	4.7	4.7	7,823	
Ipswich - Central	417	393	403	403	416	11.8	11.1	11.3	11.2	11.4	3,645	
Ipswich - East	869	815	848	846	843	9.5	8.8	9.1	9.0	8.9	9,486	
Ipswich - North	87	77	78	79	83	3.2	2.8	2.8	2.8	2.9	2,850	
Jimboomba	1,046	975	933	879	864	5.4	4.9	4.7	4.4	4.3	20,068	
Jindalee - Mount Ommaney	190	154	155	154	150	4.6	3.7	3.7	3.5	3.4	4,457	
Kangaroo Point	238	216	217	247	267	3.3	3.0	3.0	3.3	3.6	7,442	
Karalee - Barellan Point	76	67	66	65	64	1.9	1.7	1.6	1.6	1.5	4,133	
Karana Downs	70	62	65	69	72	1.9	1.6	1.7	1.8	1.9	3,859	
Kedron - Gordon Park	272	258	208	158	149	2.7	2.6	2.1	1.6	1.6	9,540	
Kelvin Grove - Herston	266	244	240	273	295	4.4	4.1	4.0	4.5	4.8	6,145	
Kenmore	227	188	181	161	150	4.6	3.8	3.6	3.1	2.9	5,263	
Keperra	469	400	409	411	414	13.2	11.3	11.4	11.1	10.9	3,790	
Kilcoy	91	108	108	111	110	3.4	4.0	3.9	3.9	3.8	2,892	
Kingston (Qld.)	863	816	792	763	782	18.6	17.3	16.7	16.1	16.5	4,749	
Kuraby	271	227	184	166	158	5.9	4.9	4.0	3.6	3.4	4,617	
Lawnton	328	297	240	210	229	8.9	8.0	6.4	5.4	5.8	3,954	
Leichhardt - One Mile	609	586	617	630	662	15.9	15.2	16.0	16.1	16.8	3,944	
Lockyer Valley - East	790	754	770	778	784	7.7	7.3	7.4	7.4	7.4	10,638	
Logan Central	623	599	589	556	555	26.0	24.7	24.2	22.9	22.7	2,440	
Logan Village	191	172	165	157	157	3.9	3.5	3.3	3.2	3.2	4,984	
Loganholme - Tanah Merah	335	310	287	267	256	5.0	4.5	4.2	3.9	3.7	6,907	
Loganlea	838	799	774	731	710	13.7	12.9	12.4	11.7	11.3	6,257	
Lowood	577	538	542	538	545	8.3	7.7	7.7	7.5	7.6	7,200	
Macgregor (Qld)	235	197	163	146	132	7.8	6.5	5.4	4.8	4.3	3,049	
Manly - Lota	110	91	77	75	74	2.5	2.1	1.8	1.7	1.7	4,368	
Manly West	158	133	114	111	105	2.4	2.0	1.7	1.7	1.6	6,663	
Mansfield (Qld)	251	205	160	144	135	5.3	4.3	3.4	3.0	2.8	4,772	
Margate - Woody Point	320	369	354	351	343	5.6	6.3	5.9	5.7	5.5	6,219	
Marsden	912	852	815	786	789	11.8	10.8	10.3	9.9	10.0	7,924	
McDowall	85	83	69	56	52	1.7	1.7	1.4	1.1	1.1	4,768	
Middle Park - Jamboree Heights	204	169	171	165	154	5.2	4.3	4.3	4.0	3.7	4,182	
Mitchelton	299	240	243	229	208	6.0	4.8	4.8	4.4	3.9	5,318	
Moorooka	407	337	273	251	224	6.2	5.1	4.1	3.8	3.3	6,691	
Morayfield	105	123	122	121	128	3.4	3.8	3.7	3.6	3.8	3,403	
Morayfield - East	315	376	367	372	388	5.9	6.8	6.5	6.5	6.7	5,819	
Morningside - Seven Hills	275	239	225	247	260	2.8	2.4	2.3	2.5	2.6	10,083	
Mount Gravatt	563	477	387	352	318	6.0	5.1	4.1	3.7	3.4	9,487	
Mount Warren Park	211	197	180	162	154	6.9	6.3	5.7	5.2	4.9	3,139	
Munruben - Park Ridge South	95	90	88	84	86	3.6	3.3	3.3	3.1	3.2	2,711	
Murarie	71	56	46	44	48	2.3	1.8	1.5	1.4	1.6	3,074	
Murrumba Downs - Griffin	555	491	387	331	355	4.3	3.8	3.0	2.5	2.6	13,695	
Narangba	298	346	320	314	312	2.7	3.0	2.7	2.6	2.6	12,160	
New Farm	316	275	263	282	285	3.5	3.0	2.9	3.1	3.1	9,245	

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Newmarket	111	104	107	127	140	3.2	3.0	3.1	3.6	3.9	3,565	
Newstead - Bowen Hills	282	243	237	266	290	1.9	1.6	1.6	1.7	1.9	15,300	
Norman Park	96	82	73	77	80	2.0	1.7	1.5	1.6	1.7	4,809	
North Ipswich - Tivoli	300	281	289	294	305	9.4	8.8	9.0	9.0	9.3	3,287	
North Lakes - Mango Hill	872	773	602	501	510	4.1	3.6	2.8	2.3	2.3	22,657	
Northgate - Virginia	196	193	160	126	120	4.1	4.1	3.4	2.7	2.6	4,530	
Nudgee - Banyo	225	216	173	136	130	3.4	3.2	2.6	2.1	2.0	6,355	
Nundah	358	365	312	254	259	3.6	3.7	3.1	2.6	2.7	9,533	
Ormiston	73	60	52	52	50	2.1	1.8	1.5	1.5	1.5	3,420	
Oxley (Qld)	149	137	147	147	148	3.0	2.7	2.9	2.8	2.8	5,212	
Paddington - Milton	189	164	159	170	175	2.2	1.9	1.8	1.9	2.0	8,968	
Pallara - Willawong	229	193	158	148	137	3.8	3.2	2.6	2.4	2.2	6,101	
Parkinson - Drewvale	389	324	253	226	201	4.2	3.5	2.7	2.4	2.1	9,403	
Petrie	344	307	248	218	237	6.9	6.1	4.8	4.2	4.4	5,360	
Pinjarra Hills - Pullenvale	73	59	64	63	59	2.3	1.9	2.0	1.9	1.7	3,373	
Raceview	490	472	485	492	509	6.0	5.8	5.9	5.9	6.1	8,371	
Red Hill (Qld)	172	148	143	159	179	4.1	3.6	3.4	3.7	4.2	4,259	
Redbank Plains	1,127	1,035	1,066	1,089	1,116	9.0	8.2	8.4	8.5	8.6	12,961	
Redcliffe	273	320	309	308	303	5.8	6.6	6.2	6.1	5.9	5,149	
Redland Bay	259	223	193	194	189	2.6	2.2	1.9	1.9	1.9	9,981	
Redland Islands	509	441	386	390	362	13.2	11.4	10.0	10.1	9.3	3,877	
Regents Park - Heritage Park	488	451	427	402	391	5.2	4.7	4.5	4.2	4.1	9,572	
Ripley	249	244	257	260	276	3.2	3.1	3.2	3.3	3.4	8,067	
Riverhills	148	128	127	123	112	6.1	5.2	5.1	4.8	4.3	2,609	
Riverview	244	236	255	261	268	20.7	19.9	21.4	21.7	22.0	1,216	
Robertson	153	131	107	99	91	6.2	5.3	4.3	4.0	3.7	2,488	
Rochedale - Burbank	154	125	101	92	82	2.5	2.0	1.7	1.5	1.3	6,148	
Rochedale South - Priestdale	306	285	279	269	266	3.5	3.2	3.1	3.0	2.9	9,040	
Rocklea - Acacia Ridge	799	692	564	503	451	16.1	13.8	11.3	10.0	9.0	5,031	
Rosewood	387	357	371	377	383	5.0	4.5	4.7	4.7	4.7	8,080	
Rothwell - Kippa-Ring	421	501	479	488	505	5.5	6.3	5.9	5.9	6.0	8,363	
Runcorn	523	439	364	337	307	6.6	5.5	4.6	4.2	3.8	8,007	
Salisbury - Nathan	269	230	188	164	139	6.2	5.2	4.3	3.7	3.1	4,415	
Samford Valley	115	100	80	70	74	1.7	1.5	1.1	1.0	1.0	7,318	
Sandgate - Shorncliffe	149	151	128	103	101	4.0	4.0	3.4	2.8	2.8	3,588	
Scarborough - Newport - Moreton Island	185	205	187	185	184	2.5	2.7	2.4	2.3	2.3	8,021	
Seventeen Mile Rocks - Sinnamon Park	175	149	145	140	136	3.1	2.6	2.5	2.4	2.2	6,073	
Shailer Park	216	192	174	159	150	2.9	2.5	2.3	2.1	2.0	7,595	
Sheldon - Mount Cotton	77	63	53	52	51	1.5	1.2	1.0	1.0	1.0	5,085	
Sherwood	181	143	133	124	117	4.8	3.8	3.5	3.2	2.9	4,011	
Slacks Creek	630	585	561	534	539	12.5	11.4	10.9	10.4	10.4	5,167	
South Brisbane	318	292	296	341	375	3.3	3.0	3.1	3.5	3.8	9,859	
Spring Hill	249	230	235	278	302	4.9	4.5	4.6	5.4	5.8	5,188	
Springfield	162	153	155	153	156	3.6	3.4	3.4	3.4	3.4	4,610	
Springfield Lakes	413	370	372	372	381	2.8	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.5	15,015	
Springwood	234	220	210	198	190	4.1	3.7	3.6	3.3	3.2	5,924	
St Lucia	381	319	324	306	290	6.8	5.7	5.7	5.2	4.8	5,986	
Stafford	233	219	179	137	130	5.3	4.9	4.0	3.2	3.1	4,253	
Stafford Heights	177	178	150	118	115	4.3	4.3	3.6	2.9	2.9	3,968	
Strathpine - Brendale	751	685	543	448	477	10.4	9.4	7.3	5.9	6.1	7,762	
Sunnybank	471	397	319	288	251	10.2	8.5	6.9	6.2	5.4	4,675	
Sunnybank Hills	700	585	475	435	405	7.6	6.3	5.1	4.6	4.3	9,391	
Taigum - Fitzgibbon	335	324	263	207	200	4.0	3.9	3.1	2.5	2.5	8,016	
Taringa	360	304	301	291	287	6.6	5.6	5.4	5.1	4.9	5,832	
Tarragindi	186	156	127	115	101	3.0	2.5	2.0	1.8	1.6	6,374	
The Gap	335	274	280	274	258	3.6	3.0	3.0	2.8	2.6	9,898	
The Hills District	399	352	277	233	253	2.9	2.5	1.9	1.6	1.7	14,933	
Thorneside	74	61	53	53	50	3.5	2.8	2.5	2.5	2.3	2,155	
Thornlands	213	169	141	134	133	1.9	1.5	1.3	1.2	1.2	11,029	
Tingalpa	139	117	101	99	95	2.6	2.2	1.9	1.9	1.8	5,298	
Toowong	234	206	197	224	256	2.9	2.5	2.4	2.7	3.1	8,370	
Underwood	173	166	164	153	147	4.5	4.3	4.2	3.9	3.8	3,912	
Upper Caboolture	44	47	42	39	40	2.5	2.6	2.3	2.1	2.1	1,908	
Upper Kedron - Ferny Grove	258	216	215	203	196	4.0	3.4	3.3	3.0	2.9	6,827	
Upper Mount Gravatt	469	406	327	302	276	8.0	6.9	5.5	5.1	4.6	5,938	
Victoria Point	229	187	157	164	169	3.0	2.4	2.0	2.1	2.2	7,784	
Wacol	232	225	234	233	233	19.3	18.6	19.3	18.9	18.7	1,246	
Wakerley	54	44	38	37	36	1.0	0.8	0.7	0.7	0.6	5,586	
Wamuran	59	74	78	80	77	2.6	3.2	3.3	3.3	3.2	2,442	
Waterford West	380	358	352	344	347	10.5	9.7	9.5	9.3	9.4	3,699	
Wavell Heights	153	153	128	99	92	2.4	2.4	2.0	1.6	1.5	6,167	
Wellington Point	131	110	94	92	93	1.9	1.6	1.4	1.3	1.3	6,970	
West End	339	296	291	331	345	3.3	2.9	2.8	3.1	3.3	10,552	

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	Mar-22	Jun-22	Sep-22	Dec-22	Mar-23	Mar-22	Jun-22	Sep-22	Dec-22	Mar-23	Mar-23	
Westlake	79	62	59	56	52	3.1	2.5	2.3	2.1	1.9	2,685	
Wilston	46	39	39	46	53	1.7	1.5	1.5	1.7	2.0	2,700	
Windsor	175	157	148	163	170	3.1	2.7	2.6	2.8	2.9	5,851	
Wishart	258	211	167	151	137	4.3	3.5	2.8	2.5	2.2	6,104	
Wolffdene - Bahrs Scrub	200	185	173	160	161	3.9	3.5	3.3	3.0	3.0	5,326	
Woodford - D'Aguiar	137	159	155	154	155	3.7	4.1	3.9	3.8	3.8	4,066	
Woodridge	1,168	1,123	1,110	1,064	1,071	21.1	19.9	19.7	18.9	18.9	5,654	
Woolloongabba	391	362	319	328	312	6.6	6.0	5.3	5.4	5.2	6,046	
Wooloowin - Lutwyche	217	188	186	217	244	2.9	2.5	2.5	2.8	3.2	7,680	
Wynnum	255	214	177	178	177	3.1	2.6	2.2	2.2	2.2	8,215	
Wynnum West - Hemmant	341	290	238	234	216	3.9	3.3	2.7	2.7	2.5	8,812	
Yeronga	286	232	180	168	159	4.6	3.7	2.8	2.6	2.5	6,364	
Zillmere	430	425	348	271	264	7.7	7.6	6.2	5.0	4.9	5,352	
<i>Rest of Queensland</i>	<i>65,800</i>	<i>62,500</i>	<i>57,800</i>	<i>51,800</i>	<i>50,000</i>	<i>4.7</i>	<i>4.4</i>	<i>4.1</i>	<i>3.6</i>	<i>3.5</i>	<i>1,433,700</i>	
Agnes Water - Miriam Vale	301	266	239	198	211	9.6	8.5	7.6	6.1	6.3	3,352	
Airlie - Whitsundays	201	207	201	178	196	2.0	2.0	1.9	1.7	1.9	10,473	
Aitkenvale	123	110	99	90	84	5.2	4.5	4.0	3.6	3.3	2,533	
Andergrove - Beaconsfield	223	257	266	245	278	2.5	2.8	2.8	2.6	3.0	9,398	
Annandale	76	70	64	57	52	1.2	1.1	1.0	0.9	0.8	6,615	
Aroona - Currimundi	189	165	144	132	145	3.8	3.3	2.9	2.6	2.8	5,154	
Arundel	297	264	229	195	159	4.7	4.1	3.6	3.1	2.6	6,229	
Ashfield - Kepnock	132	127	125	114	118	5.3	5.1	4.9	4.4	4.5	2,641	
Ashmore	301	267	229	192	156	4.2	3.7	3.2	2.7	2.2	6,951	
Atherton	212	232	234	215	224	3.7	3.9	3.9	3.6	3.8	5,954	
Ayr	165	145	132	121	114	3.6	3.1	2.8	2.5	2.3	4,864	
Babinda	70	74	79	76	81	2.8	2.9	3.0	2.9	3.1	2,583	
Balonne	157	142	122	106	91	5.9	5.3	4.6	4.1	3.5	2,586	
Banana	125	114	106	85	91	2.4	2.2	2.0	1.6	1.6	5,549	
Barcaldine - Blackall	70	73	69	64	62	2.6	2.8	2.7	2.5	2.5	2,473	
Bargara - Burnett Heads	298	284	281	261	272	3.5	3.3	3.3	2.9	3.0	9,027	
Beerwah	247	220	191	174	183	5.4	4.8	4.1	3.7	3.8	4,772	
Belgian Gardens - Pallarenda	37	31	27	24	22	2.3	1.9	1.6	1.4	1.3	1,690	
Benowa	164	144	120	100	81	3.0	2.6	2.2	1.8	1.5	5,419	
Bentley Park	201	210	213	192	199	4.2	4.3	4.3	3.9	4.0	4,918	
Berserker	366	326	300	239	253	10.3	9.2	8.4	6.5	6.7	3,801	
Biggera Waters	367	326	279	241	195	6.0	5.3	4.6	4.0	3.3	5,984	
Biloela	148	129	120	97	103	4.5	3.9	3.6	2.8	2.9	3,540	
Bli Bli	187	171	155	149	160	3.5	3.2	2.8	2.7	2.9	5,582	
Bohle Plains	47	39	35	32	30	0.9	0.8	0.7	0.6	0.6	5,269	
Booral - River Heads	120	123	125	120	127	4.6	4.7	4.7	4.4	4.6	2,775	
Bouldercombe	39	31	27	20	20	3.9	3.1	2.7	1.9	1.9	1,080	
Bowen	204	216	221	202	225	3.9	4.0	4.0	3.7	4.1	5,458	
Boyne Island - Tannum Sands	208	179	162	136	153	3.7	3.2	2.9	2.3	2.6	5,984	
Branyan - Kensington	111	111	107	98	94	4.3	4.3	4.1	3.6	3.4	2,735	
Brinsmead	62	59	58	51	53	1.8	1.7	1.6	1.4	1.5	3,533	
Broadbeach Waters	133	113	95	82	71	2.7	2.3	1.9	1.7	1.5	4,801	
Broadsound - Nebo	55	65	71	67	79	0.9	1.1	1.2	1.1	1.3	5,995	
Buddina - Minyama	109	94	81	74	78	3.0	2.6	2.2	2.0	2.1	3,753	
Buderim - North	233	195	166	158	171	2.8	2.3	1.9	1.8	1.9	8,867	
Buderim - South	220	182	159	147	160	2.3	1.9	1.6	1.5	1.6	9,910	
Bundaberg	330	327	330	304	307	11.7	11.5	11.4	10.3	10.2	3,012	
Bundaberg East - Kalkie	142	140	140	130	135	5.2	5.1	5.0	4.6	4.7	2,898	
Bundaberg North - Gooburru	213	205	206	193	193	6.9	6.6	6.5	5.9	5.8	3,310	
Bundaberg Region - North	235	225	221	207	211	5.5	5.2	5.1	4.6	4.6	4,539	
Bundaberg Region - South	271	269	267	249	254	6.0	5.9	5.7	5.2	5.2	4,842	
Bundall	96	83	71	61	50	3.3	2.8	2.4	2.1	1.7	2,879	
Burdekin	98	88	82	78	76	2.4	2.1	1.9	1.8	1.7	4,417	
Burleigh Heads	275	239	203	170	132	4.7	4.1	3.5	3.0	2.3	5,651	
Burleigh Waters	239	207	179	154	124	2.9	2.5	2.2	1.9	1.6	7,955	
Burrum - Fraser	273	274	264	243	247	7.3	7.3	6.9	6.2	6.2	3,972	
Cairns City	486	507	507	454	449	5.8	5.9	5.8	5.2	5.2	8,676	
Caloundra - Kings Beach	215	187	167	158	169	6.8	5.9	5.2	4.9	5.1	3,310	
Caloundra - West	539	464	406	372	401	3.7	3.2	2.7	2.5	2.6	15,203	
Caloundra Hinterland	209	182	160	152	165	5.2	4.5	3.9	3.7	4.0	4,177	
Cambooya - Wyreema	114	124	114	104	103	2.8	3.1	2.8	2.5	2.4	4,291	
Cape York	664	766	779	777	750	18.7	21.8	22.4	22.9	22.6	3,321	
Carpentaria	507	596	597	606	603	23.0	27.3	27.7	28.8	29.2	2,064	
Carrara	353	309	261	221	171	4.4	3.8	3.3	2.8	2.2	7,842	
Central Highlands - East	349	311	283	221	239	8.4	7.5	6.7	5.1	5.4	4,455	
Central Highlands - West	119	106	99	87	107	2.8	2.4	2.3	1.9	2.3	4,634	
Charleville	111	119	116	107	102	4.9	5.3	5.3	5.0	4.9	2,099	
Charters Towers	178	161	150	139	133	5.0	4.4	4.0	3.7	3.5	3,815	

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Chinchilla	292	249	218	183	145	5.9	5.0	4.4	3.8	3.0	4,803	
Clear Island Waters	55	48	42	36	32	2.4	2.1	1.8	1.6	1.4	2,231	
Clermont	27	29	30	27	29	1.2	1.2	1.2	1.1	1.2	2,421	
Clifton - Greenmount	126	110	97	85	70	4.6	4.0	3.5	3.2	2.6	2,675	
Clifton Beach - Kewarra Beach	148	154	149	134	133	2.1	2.2	2.1	1.8	1.8	7,190	
Clinton - New Auckland	453	398	363	297	319	5.8	5.1	4.6	3.6	3.8	8,430	
Collinsville	76	85	88	84	94	3.5	3.8	3.9	3.7	4.2	2,260	
Condon - Rasmussen	299	264	236	215	201	5.8	5.0	4.4	3.9	3.7	5,497	
Coolangatta	201	173	146	123	99	5.5	4.7	4.0	3.4	2.8	3,596	
Coooloola	168	160	150	135	133	8.4	8.0	7.3	6.5	6.3	2,124	
Coolum Beach	286	236	203	198	213	3.3	2.7	2.3	2.2	2.4	9,033	
Coombabah	272	245	212	178	143	5.3	4.8	4.1	3.5	2.9	4,996	
Coomera	664	593	513	428	338	5.3	4.7	4.1	3.4	2.7	12,311	
Craignish - Dundowran Beach	90	89	87	80	81	3.6	3.5	3.4	3.0	3.0	2,687	
Cranbrook	151	131	114	100	92	5.2	4.4	3.8	3.3	3.0	3,068	
Crows Nest - Rosalie	294	279	255	230	200	6.4	6.1	5.6	5.2	4.5	4,431	
Croydon - Etheridge*	25	25	23	21	19	4.6	4.6	4.3	4.0	3.7	514	
Currumbin - Tugun	312	274	232	192	145	4.2	3.7	3.1	2.6	2.0	7,217	
Currumbin Valley - Tallebudgera	156	137	116	100	78	3.5	3.1	2.6	2.3	1.8	4,322	
Currumbin Waters	222	199	175	150	117	4.1	3.7	3.2	2.8	2.2	5,286	
Daintree	209	224	234	218	223	5.8	6.1	6.2	5.8	6.0	3,732	
Dalrymple	28	25	24	23	24	1.4	1.2	1.1	1.1	1.1	2,135	
Darling Heights	407	450	418	397	400	6.2	6.9	6.3	5.9	5.8	6,923	
Deeragun	272	234	203	179	162	1.9	1.6	1.4	1.2	1.1	15,341	
Didillibah - Rosemount	62	52	44	42	50	2.9	2.4	2.0	1.9	2.2	2,264	
Douglas	76	69	62	53	49	1.6	1.4	1.3	1.1	1.0	4,939	
Drayton - Harristown	393	439	414	388	402	8.4	9.4	8.7	8.0	8.1	4,968	
Earlville - Bayview Heights	184	198	195	174	175	4.0	4.2	4.1	3.6	3.7	4,786	
East Mackay	55	59	58	51	55	2.6	2.8	2.7	2.3	2.5	2,171	
Edmonton	278	303	309	281	286	4.5	4.7	4.8	4.3	4.4	6,462	
Eimeo - Rural View	153	169	167	152	172	1.9	2.0	2.0	1.8	2.0	8,497	
Elanora	301	264	225	181	135	4.3	3.8	3.2	2.6	2.0	6,807	
Emerald	244	214	195	166	183	2.8	2.5	2.2	1.8	2.0	9,270	
Emu Park	158	128	111	89	94	5.9	4.7	4.1	3.2	3.3	2,889	
Eumundi - Yandina	283	243	210	199	211	4.5	3.8	3.3	3.1	3.2	6,611	
Far Central West	39	42	40	37	36	3.0	3.2	3.1	2.9	2.9	1,233	
Far South West	110	122	120	111	105	7.3	8.2	8.1	7.7	7.5	1,409	
Frenchville - Mount Archer	180	159	143	117	122	3.6	3.2	2.8	2.2	2.3	5,362	
Freshwater - Stratford	49	52	52	47	46	2.1	2.2	2.1	1.9	1.9	2,411	
Garbutt - West End	214	183	159	138	128	6.1	5.1	4.3	3.7	3.4	3,742	
Gatton	221	242	228	224	231	6.3	6.9	6.4	6.2	6.2	3,715	
Gayndah - Mundubbera	168	172	176	169	173	5.2	5.3	5.4	5.0	5.1	3,415	
Gin Gin	192	196	200	192	198	9.3	9.4	9.5	8.9	9.0	2,195	
Gladstone	472	419	381	308	339	13.3	11.8	10.6	8.3	8.9	3,810	
Gladstone Hinterland	253	228	212	171	175	4.1	3.7	3.4	2.6	2.6	6,646	
Glass House Mountains	124	105	93	84	86	3.8	3.2	2.8	2.5	2.5	3,432	
Glenlee - Rockyview	37	32	29	24	28	1.3	1.2	1.0	0.8	0.9	2,959	
Golden Beach - Pelican Waters	187	160	136	123	132	3.4	2.9	2.4	2.2	2.3	5,781	
Goondiwindi	208	196	171	144	115	5.6	5.3	4.6	4.0	3.2	3,590	
Gordonvale - Trinity	168	183	184	169	176	3.1	3.3	3.2	2.9	3.1	5,666	
Gowrie (Qld)	84	92	89	88	95	2.5	2.7	2.6	2.5	2.6	3,601	
Gracemere	369	323	293	240	267	5.6	4.9	4.4	3.5	3.8	7,039	
Granville	115	116	119	114	121	9.9	9.9	10.0	9.3	9.8	1,240	
Guanaba - Springbrook	129	115	100	87	69	4.9	4.3	3.8	3.3	2.7	2,581	
Gulliver - Currajong - Vincent	231	203	181	162	153	6.0	5.2	4.5	4.0	3.7	4,082	
Gympie - North	524	523	519	479	474	8.3	8.2	8.0	7.2	7.0	6,731	
Gympie - South	163	162	161	146	148	4.9	4.8	4.7	4.2	4.2	3,556	
Gympie Region	486	486	481	439	430	5.3	5.2	5.1	4.5	4.4	9,851	
Heatley	124	108	96	88	85	6.8	5.8	5.1	4.6	4.4	1,930	
Helensvale	404	358	305	256	211	3.6	3.2	2.7	2.3	1.9	10,991	
Herberton	180	190	196	187	205	7.6	7.9	8.0	7.6	8.4	2,443	
Hermit Park - Rosslea	143	122	106	94	90	4.5	3.8	3.2	2.8	2.7	3,333	
Highfields	109	124	116	115	114	1.5	1.7	1.6	1.5	1.5	7,610	
Highland Park	225	198	170	146	126	4.5	3.9	3.4	2.9	2.6	4,912	
Hope Island	219	187	156	134	111	2.6	2.2	1.8	1.6	1.3	8,272	
Hyde Park - Pimlico	138	116	99	87	81	5.3	4.3	3.6	3.1	2.9	2,787	
Ingham	111	100	92	87	84	5.6	4.9	4.4	4.1	3.9	2,138	
Ingham Region	68	62	57	54	50	2.1	1.9	1.7	1.6	1.5	3,408	
Inglewood - Waggamba	115	107	97	89	76	5.3	4.9	4.5	4.2	3.6	2,108	
Innisfail	309	325	330	299	321	6.8	7.0	6.9	6.2	6.8	4,728	
Jacobs Well - Alberton	93	84	72	63	54	3.4	3.1	2.7	2.4	2.1	2,627	
Johnstone	147	147	149	136	144	3.3	3.3	3.2	2.9	3.2	4,571	
Jondaryan	291	268	243	220	184	6.7	6.2	5.6	5.2	4.4	4,211	

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Kanimbla - Mooroolbool	245	265	265	239	238	4.3	4.5	4.5	4.0	4.0	5,914
Kelso	264	229	205	185	174	4.9	4.1	3.6	3.2	3.0	5,766
Kilkivan	77	79	79	76	77	4.7	4.8	4.7	4.4	4.4	1,755
Kin Kora - Sun Valley	124	112	102	86	92	6.0	5.4	4.9	4.0	4.2	2,201
Kingaroy	288	291	291	263	271	5.9	5.9	5.8	5.1	5.2	5,238
Kingaroy Region - North	389	395	396	364	371	10.5	10.6	10.5	9.4	9.4	3,931
Kingaroy Region - South	63	62	65	62	69	3.0	2.9	3.0	2.8	3.1	2,238
Kirwan - East	222	202	182	167	155	6.0	5.3	4.7	4.3	3.9	3,930
Kirwan - West	198	174	157	139	128	2.3	1.9	1.7	1.5	1.4	9,309
Kowanyama - Pormpuraaw*	346	390	378	364	349	51.6	58.7	57.6	56.9	55.7	627
Kuranda	180	203	201	183	185	7.2	7.9	7.7	6.9	7.1	2,603
Labrador	894	794	687	582	473	8.3	7.4	6.4	5.5	4.5	10,502
Lakes Creek	215	193	179	146	154	8.4	7.5	6.9	5.4	5.6	2,755
Landsborough	319	281	242	216	229	3.9	3.4	2.9	2.6	2.7	8,483
Lockyer Valley - West	245	272	260	247	240	4.2	4.7	4.4	4.1	3.9	6,161
Longreach	51	57	59	57	56	2.3	2.6	2.7	2.7	2.7	2,050
Mackay	173	186	193	178	210	7.2	7.6	7.7	7.1	8.4	2,503
Mackay Harbour*	4	5	5	4	5	0.9	1.1	1.1	0.9	1.1	446
Magnetic Island	53	46	41	37	33	4.3	3.6	3.2	2.8	2.5	1,322
Main Beach	67	58	48	38	28	2.6	2.2	1.9	1.5	1.1	2,522
Malanda - Yungaburra	122	129	130	120	127	2.7	2.8	2.7	2.5	2.7	4,736
Manoora	318	341	342	314	323	10.0	10.5	10.3	9.4	9.8	3,294
Manunda	258	264	262	236	240	9.5	9.5	9.2	8.2	8.5	2,827
Marcoola - Mudjimba	223	189	164	150	159	3.5	2.9	2.5	2.3	2.4	6,761
Mareeba	326	345	351	321	347	5.5	5.7	5.7	5.2	5.7	6,126
Maroochy Hinterland	145	131	119	118	126	4.5	4.1	3.6	3.6	3.8	3,346
Maroochydhore - Kuluin	566	487	422	386	404	4.6	3.9	3.4	3.0	3.1	12,909
Maryborough (Qld)	770	758	748	679	674	11.0	10.7	10.4	9.2	9.0	7,494
Maryborough Region - South	272	277	276	258	262	7.5	7.6	7.5	6.8	6.8	3,846
Mermaid Beach - Broadbeach	348	299	253	219	173	3.4	3.0	2.5	2.2	1.8	9,843
Mermaid Waters	288	247	211	177	139	3.7	3.2	2.7	2.3	1.8	7,589
Merrimac	202	175	144	121	91	4.6	4.0	3.3	2.8	2.1	4,289
Miami	196	170	147	125	98	3.9	3.4	3.0	2.6	2.0	4,859
Middle Ridge	58	63	57	55	59	1.6	1.7	1.5	1.4	1.5	3,898
Miles - Wandoan	159	146	128	112	92	6.0	5.6	4.9	4.4	3.6	2,549
Millbank - Avoca	168	158	155	143	147	5.5	5.1	4.9	4.4	4.5	3,275
Millmerran	128	126	112	95	79	6.9	6.9	6.1	5.3	4.4	1,784
Moffat Beach - Battery Hill	167	147	129	117	123	4.2	3.7	3.2	2.8	2.9	4,189
Molendinar	221	197	167	142	115	5.6	5.0	4.3	3.7	3.0	3,826
Monto - Eidsvold	95	93	97	93	98	5.4	5.2	5.4	5.0	5.2	1,876
Mooloolaba - Alexandra Headland	242	202	174	162	169	3.4	2.8	2.4	2.2	2.2	7,561
Moranbah	43	49	50	49	56	0.7	0.8	0.8	0.7	0.9	6,503
Mount Isa	719	789	795	761	725	6.6	7.3	7.4	7.3	7.1	10,268
Mount Isa Region	113	132	133	129	122	4.3	5.1	5.2	5.2	5.0	2,442
Mount Louisa	133	117	103	91	84	2.3	1.9	1.7	1.5	1.3	6,290
Mount Morgan	186	172	159	130	141	17.1	15.8	14.5	11.5	12.1	1,166
Mount Pleasant - Glenella	75	80	82	75	82	1.1	1.2	1.2	1.1	1.2	6,844
Mount Sheridan	137	146	150	135	135	2.6	2.8	2.8	2.5	2.5	5,357
Mountain Creek	223	190	165	148	151	3.2	2.7	2.3	2.1	2.1	7,241
Mudgeeraba - Bonogin	402	355	307	262	213	3.4	3.0	2.6	2.3	1.9	11,411
Mundingburra	57	50	44	39	36	3.3	2.9	2.5	2.2	2.0	1,815
Nambour	692	615	547	515	541	6.3	5.6	4.9	4.5	4.7	11,527
Nanango	316	316	312	295	303	9.3	9.2	8.9	8.2	8.3	3,638
Nerang - Mount Nathan	703	632	553	470	392	5.7	5.2	4.5	3.9	3.3	11,925
Newtown (Qld)	443	478	436	402	404	9.3	10.0	9.0	8.1	8.0	5,041
Noosa Heads	57	47	40	37	38	2.4	1.9	1.6	1.5	1.5	2,525
Noosa Hinterland	523	459	407	380	398	4.4	3.8	3.3	3.1	3.2	12,477
Noosaville	149	123	103	94	97	3.5	2.8	2.3	2.1	2.2	4,498
Norman Gardens	214	190	172	140	145	3.6	3.2	2.9	2.3	2.3	6,374
North Mackay	153	170	171	155	173	4.5	5.0	4.8	4.4	4.9	3,508
North Toowoomba - Harlaxton	287	324	306	287	289	9.5	10.7	10.0	9.1	9.0	3,206
Northern Beaches	95	80	72	68	67	2.9	2.4	2.1	2.0	1.9	3,449
Northern Highlands	57	65	62	55	52	3.0	3.5	3.4	3.1	3.0	1,762
Northern Peninsula	221	261	264	249	228	20.3	24.2	24.8	24.0	22.5	1,015
Ooonoona	80	65	56	47	42	1.8	1.4	1.2	1.0	0.9	4,781
Ooralea - Bakers Creek	51	55	58	52	57	1.4	1.5	1.5	1.4	1.5	3,754
Ormeau - Yatala	406	365	321	282	232	3.0	2.7	2.4	2.1	1.7	13,272
Oxenford - Maudsland	425	383	335	286	222	3.8	3.4	3.0	2.6	2.0	10,834
Pacific Pines - Gaven	451	401	352	307	257	3.9	3.4	3.0	2.7	2.3	11,307
Palm Beach	413	367	320	272	221	4.1	3.7	3.2	2.8	2.3	9,738
Palm Island*	206	203	190	178	166	33.4	32.2	29.6	27.4	25.3	655
Palmwoods	217	188	165	152	161	3.6	3.1	2.7	2.4	2.5	6,326
Paradise Point - Hollywell	142	118	99	82	65	2.5	2.1	1.8	1.5	1.2	5,510

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	Mar-22	Jun-22	Sep-22	Dec-22	Mar-23	Mar-22	Jun-22	Sep-22	Dec-22	Mar-23	Mar-23	
Park Avenue	178	163	152	127	137	6.7	6.2	5.7	4.6	4.8	2,834	
Parkhurst - Kawana	216	188	169	135	150	5.4	4.7	4.2	3.2	3.5	4,301	
Parkwood	263	230	192	157	128	4.7	4.1	3.4	2.8	2.3	5,476	
Parrearra - Warana	155	131	111	101	107	3.0	2.5	2.1	1.9	2.0	5,405	
Peregian Beach - Marcus Beach	61	51	45	47	52	2.8	2.3	2.0	2.1	2.3	2,266	
Peregian Springs	141	123	108	95	93	2.8	2.4	2.1	1.8	1.8	5,274	
Pialba - Eli Waters	402	389	383	348	347	7.3	7.0	6.8	6.0	5.9	5,878	
Pimpama	765	675	580	492	397	5.3	4.7	4.0	3.5	2.8	14,045	
Pioneer Valley	89	95	96	87	102	1.8	1.9	1.9	1.7	2.0	4,999	
Pittsworth	135	120	105	89	72	4.2	3.7	3.3	2.8	2.3	3,122	
Point Vernon	166	158	152	137	135	7.9	7.5	7.1	6.2	6.0	2,248	
Port Douglas	92	85	81	70	65	2.4	2.2	2.0	1.7	1.6	3,976	
Proserpine	137	142	144	129	143	2.8	2.9	2.8	2.5	2.8	5,089	
Rangeville	113	122	113	105	97	2.8	3.0	2.7	2.5	2.2	4,337	
Redlynch	116	122	120	110	113	1.4	1.4	1.4	1.2	1.3	8,740	
Reedy Creek - Andrews	154	134	113	93	73	2.8	2.5	2.1	1.7	1.4	5,283	
Robina	531	479	423	358	282	3.5	3.1	2.8	2.4	1.9	14,897	
Rockhampton - West	166	147	135	111	122	5.2	4.6	4.2	3.3	3.6	3,410	
Rockhampton City	300	276	254	210	220	18.0	16.5	15.1	12.1	12.3	1,786	
Rockhampton Region - East	67	62	56	44	47	3.7	3.4	3.0	2.3	2.4	1,954	
Rockhampton Region - North	75	65	58	50	60	3.1	2.7	2.4	2.0	2.3	2,621	
Rockhampton Region - West	36	32	31	27	33	2.0	1.8	1.7	1.5	1.7	1,912	
Roma	261	231	201	166	132	6.0	5.4	4.7	4.0	3.2	4,184	
Roma Region	119	114	104	90	75	3.2	3.1	2.8	2.5	2.1	3,611	
Runaway Bay	192	174	155	133	111	3.9	3.5	3.2	2.8	2.3	4,792	
Sarina	195	207	207	188	205	3.1	3.2	3.1	2.8	3.1	6,554	
Seaforth - Calen	96	108	112	104	119	2.1	2.3	2.3	2.2	2.5	4,757	
Shoal Point - Bucasia	71	77	78	70	81	2.0	2.1	2.1	1.9	2.2	3,698	
Sippy Downs	286	249	215	189	192	5.0	4.3	3.7	3.2	3.2	6,004	
Slade Point	80	85	86	77	82	4.2	4.5	4.4	3.9	4.2	1,955	
South Mackay	129	143	145	130	145	3.3	3.7	3.6	3.2	3.6	3,998	
South Townsville - Railway Estate	129	116	104	94	88	4.0	3.5	3.1	2.8	2.6	3,431	
Southern Downs - East	129	118	103	90	77	5.3	4.9	4.2	3.8	3.3	2,353	
Southern Downs - West	162	155	144	134	117	6.3	6.1	5.7	5.4	4.7	2,469	
Southport - North	811	715	617	514	411	7.8	6.9	6.0	5.0	4.1	10,114	
Southport - South	815	724	624	499	383	7.5	6.6	5.7	4.7	3.6	10,616	
Stanthorpe	251	224	193	164	135	10.4	9.3	8.0	7.0	5.8	2,327	
Stanthorpe Region	217	197	173	156	132	6.9	6.3	5.5	5.1	4.4	3,033	
Sunshine Beach	116	93	77	70	76	3.0	2.4	2.0	1.8	1.9	4,015	
Surfers Paradise	978	856	730	608	472	5.5	4.8	4.1	3.5	2.7	17,324	
Svensson Heights - Norville	184	179	178	164	169	7.5	7.2	7.0	6.3	6.4	2,633	
Tablelands	161	176	174	173	166	5.9	6.6	6.6	6.7	6.5	2,535	
Tamborine - Canungra	334	298	261	230	202	3.8	3.4	3.0	2.7	2.3	8,599	
Tara	300	281	258	243	210	15.9	14.9	13.7	13.3	11.5	1,826	
Telina - Toolooa	199	179	164	136	149	5.5	5.0	4.5	3.6	3.8	3,873	
Tewantin	220	188	166	151	160	4.6	3.9	3.4	3.0	3.2	5,071	
The Range - Allenstown	184	161	147	125	136	4.6	4.0	3.6	3.0	3.1	4,319	
Tinana	133	132	131	124	125	5.1	5.0	4.9	4.5	4.5	2,773	
Toowoomba - Central	536	583	539	497	497	8.1	8.8	8.0	7.2	7.0	7,055	
Toowoomba - East	212	218	196	181	177	4.1	4.2	3.7	3.3	3.2	5,550	
Toowoomba - West	241	258	239	222	231	2.9	3.1	2.8	2.6	2.6	8,852	
Torquay - Scarness - Kawungan	483	470	458	419	430	7.9	7.6	7.3	6.5	6.5	6,583	
Torres	165	181	183	179	174	9.4	10.4	10.6	10.7	10.6	1,638	
Torres Strait Islands	410	474	483	497	481	32.9	38.4	39.6	41.7	41.2	1,168	
Townsville - South	44	40	37	34	32	1.7	1.5	1.4	1.2	1.2	2,776	
Townsville City - North Ward	200	173	152	137	129	3.4	2.9	2.5	2.2	2.1	6,233	
Trinity Beach - Smithfield	216	225	219	203	218	2.1	2.1	2.0	1.9	2.0	10,652	
Tully	218	234	243	225	234	3.7	3.9	4.0	3.6	3.8	6,110	
Upper Coomera - Willow Vale	846	747	652	555	447	4.0	3.5	3.1	2.6	2.1	20,801	
Urangan - Wondunna	374	368	362	334	338	6.1	6.0	5.8	5.2	5.2	6,535	
Varsity Lakes	464	413	359	300	237	4.5	4.0	3.5	3.0	2.4	9,986	
Walkerston - Eton	62	66	66	61	76	1.2	1.3	1.3	1.2	1.5	5,152	
Walkervale - Avenell Heights	376	370	366	327	323	8.1	7.9	7.7	6.7	6.5	4,959	
Wambo	696	652	579	507	424	7.2	6.8	6.0	5.4	4.5	9,329	
Warwick	698	632	552	485	398	8.9	8.1	7.1	6.4	5.3	7,568	
Weipa	46	53	55	55	53	1.8	2.1	2.2	2.2	2.2	2,447	
West Gladstone	257	228	206	169	183	9.8	8.7	7.8	6.2	6.5	2,810	
West Mackay	92	96	96	86	98	2.6	2.7	2.6	2.4	2.7	3,609	
Westcourt - Bungalow	296	304	306	274	273	8.3	8.3	8.2	7.3	7.4	3,708	
White Rock	180	185	185	163	165	7.0	7.1	6.9	6.1	6.2	2,651	
Whitfield - Edge Hill	125	131	125	112	110	2.5	2.6	2.4	2.1	2.1	5,184	
Wilsonton	572	630	589	558	556	9.4	10.4	9.6	8.9	8.6	6,432	
Woree	209	223	219	194	190	7.6	7.9	7.7	6.7	6.7	2,843	

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Worongary - Tallai	187	160	135	111	91	3.7	3.2	2.7	2.2	1.9	4,917	
Wulguru - Roseneath	104	89	79	74	71	3.9	3.3	2.9	2.6	2.5	2,827	
Wurtulla - Birtinya	185	163	140	129	136	3.2	2.8	2.4	2.2	2.2	6,074	
Yarrabah*	361	404	412	372	384	51.1	55.9	56.0	50.1	52.5	732	
Yeppoon	382	326	295	247	270	3.6	3.1	2.8	2.2	2.4	11,359	
Yorkeys Knob - Machans Beach	137	142	138	125	127	3.7	3.7	3.5	3.2	3.3	3,887	
South Australia	47,000	44,600	43,100	42,000	39,900	5.0	4.7	4.5	4.4	4.1	961,800	
<i>Greater Adelaide</i>	<i>37,700</i>	<i>35,600</i>	<i>34,500</i>	<i>32,700</i>	<i>30,800</i>	<i>5.1</i>	<i>4.8</i>	<i>4.6</i>	<i>4.3</i>	<i>4.0</i>	<i>766,200</i>	
Aberfoyle Park	239	227	214	207	179	3.5	3.3	3.1	3.0	2.6	6,903	
Adelaide	968	978	969	928	885	10.0	9.9	9.7	9.1	8.6	10,243	
Adelaide Hills	115	113	107	100	95	2.7	2.7	2.5	2.3	2.1	4,428	
Aldgate - Stirling	223	208	193	179	172	2.1	2.0	1.8	1.6	1.6	10,996	
Aldinga	665	614	570	535	461	8.1	7.6	7.0	6.6	5.6	8,183	
Athelstone	188	182	174	161	148	3.4	3.2	3.0	2.8	2.5	5,860	
Belair	45	38	32	28	25	1.7	1.4	1.2	1.0	0.9	2,703	
Bellevue Heights	153	145	134	122	104	4.0	3.8	3.6	3.2	2.7	3,805	
Beverley	203	185	176	160	152	4.0	3.6	3.4	3.1	2.9	5,254	
Blackwood	164	149	134	124	103	2.3	2.1	1.9	1.7	1.4	7,180	
Brighton (SA)	207	189	171	161	138	2.6	2.4	2.2	2.0	1.7	7,927	
Burnside - Wattle Park	260	246	232	211	195	2.5	2.3	2.2	1.9	1.8	10,932	
Christie Downs	738	696	648	612	536	17.4	16.5	15.4	14.5	12.6	4,247	
Christies Beach	568	534	497	465	404	10.1	9.6	8.9	8.3	7.2	5,617	
Clarendon	41	39	36	34	30	2.5	2.4	2.2	2.1	1.8	1,636	
Colonel Light Gardens	228	211	197	182	155	2.5	2.3	2.2	2.0	1.7	9,085	
Coromandel Valley	54	50	46	42	33	2.1	1.9	1.8	1.6	1.3	2,626	
Craigmore - Blakeview	594	570	588	583	592	5.5	5.2	5.3	5.2	5.2	11,342	
Davoren Park	1,127	1,080	1,107	1,074	1,076	14.3	13.5	13.7	13.2	13.1	8,211	
Edwardstown	483	456	424	403	349	5.8	5.5	5.2	4.9	4.2	8,304	
Elizabeth	928	904	951	958	972	25.1	24.2	25.2	25.2	25.3	3,846	
Elizabeth East	740	703	727	727	742	11.8	11.1	11.4	11.3	11.4	6,517	
Enfield - Blair Athol	838	795	798	772	762	6.6	6.2	6.1	5.9	5.7	13,260	
Flagstaff Hill	181	165	147	136	116	2.9	2.7	2.4	2.2	1.9	6,253	
Flinders Park	331	299	279	252	241	3.7	3.4	3.1	2.8	2.7	9,043	
Fulham	41	36	32	27	23	2.7	2.4	2.1	1.8	1.5	1,532	
Gawler - North	172	156	155	146	143	3.1	2.8	2.8	2.6	2.5	5,716	
Gawler - South	628	594	609	591	574	5.7	5.3	5.4	5.2	5.0	11,506	
Glenside (SA)	362	331	305	283	243	3.0	2.8	2.6	2.4	2.0	11,889	
Glenside - Beaumont	105	96	93	89	83	2.0	1.8	1.7	1.6	1.5	5,603	
Golden Grove	141	135	135	130	123	2.3	2.2	2.2	2.1	2.0	6,293	
Goodwood - Millswood	312	293	276	253	239	3.0	2.8	2.6	2.3	2.2	11,003	
Greenwith	140	132	131	126	124	2.5	2.4	2.3	2.2	2.2	5,719	
Hackham - Onkaparinga Hills	251	228	210	206	194	7.0	6.4	5.9	5.8	5.4	3,605	
Hackham West - Huntfield Heights	614	586	545	505	440	17.2	16.6	15.4	14.3	12.3	3,563	
Hahndorf - Echunga	62	59	59	57	57	2.4	2.2	2.2	2.1	2.1	2,750	
Hallett Cove	267	246	223	200	168	3.6	3.3	3.0	2.7	2.2	7,480	
Happy Valley	276	256	233	214	185	3.5	3.3	3.0	2.8	2.4	7,802	
Henley Beach	196	180	170	155	145	2.2	2.0	1.9	1.7	1.6	9,080	
Highbury - Dernancourt	133	125	126	119	111	2.2	2.0	2.0	1.9	1.7	6,408	
Hindmarsh - Brompton	468	429	397	360	339	4.2	3.8	3.5	3.2	2.9	11,502	
Hope Valley - Modbury	415	385	378	358	339	4.8	4.4	4.3	4.1	3.8	8,919	
Ingle Farm	460	427	432	418	416	6.0	5.5	5.6	5.3	5.3	7,916	
Largs Bay - Semaphore	367	343	318	282	259	4.1	3.8	3.5	3.1	2.8	9,129	
Lewiston - Two Wells	153	152	158	155	148	4.1	4.0	4.1	4.0	3.8	3,875	
Lobethal - Woodside	176	162	151	137	125	3.3	3.0	2.8	2.5	2.2	5,612	
Lockleys	234	214	197	175	164	3.0	2.8	2.5	2.2	2.1	7,873	
Marino - Seaview Downs	201	182	165	151	124	3.7	3.4	3.1	2.8	2.3	5,398	
Mawson Lakes - Globe Derby Park	236	222	219	211	209	2.8	2.6	2.5	2.4	2.3	8,905	
McLaren Vale	130	120	110	103	89	3.4	3.2	2.9	2.7	2.3	3,816	
Mitcham (SA)	168	150	136	126	107	1.8	1.7	1.5	1.4	1.2	9,142	
Mitchell Park	608	574	531	491	424	7.5	7.2	6.6	6.1	5.3	8,072	
Modbury Heights	329	309	315	307	311	3.0	2.8	2.8	2.7	2.7	11,503	
Morphett Vale - East	665	623	576	534	465	9.3	8.7	8.1	7.5	6.5	7,194	
Morphett Vale - West	530	505	468	442	387	10.8	10.3	9.6	9.0	7.9	4,928	
Morphettville	417	389	363	341	297	4.8	4.5	4.2	3.9	3.4	8,753	
Mount Barker	626	602	575	549	522	5.1	4.8	4.5	4.3	4.0	12,982	
Mount Barker Region	162	155	151	145	136	4.0	3.8	3.6	3.4	3.2	4,281	
Munno Para West - Angle Vale	467	439	445	437	432	5.3	4.9	4.9	4.8	4.7	9,233	
Nailsworth - Broadview	119	114	108	99	88	3.0	2.8	2.6	2.4	2.1	4,208	
Nairne	145	136	121	109	100	4.6	4.2	3.7	3.3	3.0	3,333	
North Adelaide	113	100	90	81	78	2.8	2.5	2.2	1.9	1.8	4,233	
North Haven	453	426	408	377	366	5.7	5.3	5.1	4.7	4.5	8,124	

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	Mar-22	Jun-22	Sep-22	Dec-22	Mar-23	Mar-22	Jun-22	Sep-22	Dec-22	Mar-23	Mar-23	
Northgate - Oakden - Gilles Plains	603	574	584	561	544	4.1	3.9	3.9	3.7	3.6	15,139	
Norwood (SA)	253	239	227	213	202	4.0	3.7	3.5	3.2	3.0	6,680	
One Tree Hill	23	22	23	21	20	1.6	1.5	1.5	1.4	1.3	1,519	
Panorama	153	141	134	126	108	3.6	3.3	3.2	3.0	2.5	4,248	
Para Hills	429	404	410	403	390	5.3	4.9	5.0	4.8	4.6	8,393	
Paradise - Newton	559	534	505	478	475	5.0	4.7	4.4	4.1	4.0	11,756	
Parafield Gardens	639	599	599	579	573	7.3	6.7	6.6	6.4	6.3	9,166	
Paralowie	717	674	667	633	604	7.5	7.0	6.8	6.4	6.1	9,942	
Payneham - Felixstow	270	262	250	236	223	4.0	3.8	3.6	3.3	3.1	7,196	
Plympton	453	425	404	373	355	2.9	2.7	2.6	2.4	2.2	15,783	
Pooraka - Cavan	251	240	234	220	209	6.3	5.9	5.7	5.4	5.0	4,144	
Port Adelaide	513	490	467	431	405	8.3	7.9	7.5	6.9	6.4	6,297	
Prospect	351	343	333	301	269	3.8	3.6	3.5	3.1	2.7	9,824	
Redwood Park	263	244	246	237	227	2.8	2.6	2.6	2.5	2.3	9,711	
Reynella	329	306	282	266	234	5.9	5.6	5.1	4.8	4.2	5,539	
Richmond (SA)	483	451	419	367	339	4.8	4.5	4.1	3.6	3.3	10,325	
Rostrevor - Magill	541	516	504	479	453	4.3	4.1	3.9	3.7	3.4	13,184	
Royal Park - Hendon - Albert Park	185	166	151	137	132	5.2	4.7	4.2	3.8	3.6	3,634	
Salisbury	942	895	910	886	886	11.7	11.0	11.0	10.7	10.6	8,391	
Salisbury East	555	533	541	526	517	5.9	5.6	5.6	5.4	5.3	9,835	
Salisbury North	836	804	822	806	791	9.4	8.9	9.0	8.8	8.5	9,303	
Seaford (SA)	840	790	730	695	615	6.3	6.0	5.6	5.3	4.6	13,271	
Seaton - Grange	399	373	346	314	297	4.3	4.0	3.7	3.4	3.2	9,408	
Sheidow Park - Trott Park	193	184	171	162	144	3.1	3.0	2.7	2.6	2.3	6,277	
Smithfield - Elizabeth North	968	955	997	985	968	19.7	19.2	19.8	19.5	18.9	5,114	
St Agnes - Ridgeway	225	205	201	192	187	3.2	2.9	2.8	2.7	2.6	7,245	
St Peters - Marden	272	259	250	229	209	3.5	3.3	3.1	2.8	2.5	8,269	
The Parks	745	704	671	623	591	8.0	7.5	7.1	6.6	6.2	9,558	
Toorak Gardens	211	198	187	173	161	2.5	2.3	2.1	1.9	1.8	9,050	
Unley - Parkside	329	310	290	262	233	2.8	2.6	2.4	2.2	1.9	12,196	
Uraidla - Summertown	96	92	87	79	76	2.8	2.6	2.4	2.2	2.1	3,672	
Virginia - Waterloo Corner	119	114	115	118	121	4.7	4.4	4.4	4.5	4.6	2,654	
Walkerville	146	137	127	115	101	3.5	3.2	3.0	2.6	2.3	4,399	
Warradale	520	491	465	451	401	6.3	5.9	5.6	5.5	4.8	8,312	
West Beach	59	55	52	47	41	2.0	1.8	1.7	1.5	1.3	3,084	
West Lakes	239	225	217	202	204	3.0	2.8	2.7	2.5	2.5	8,062	
Willunga	75	68	63	57	47	3.7	3.4	3.1	2.8	2.3	2,029	
Windsor Gardens	459	426	422	400	381	3.8	3.4	3.4	3.2	3.0	12,723	
Woodcroft	238	227	215	211	186	3.6	3.4	3.2	3.2	2.8	6,679	
Woodville - Cheltenham	570	527	493	455	443	5.4	4.9	4.6	4.2	4.1	10,878	
<i>Rest of South Australia</i>	<i>9,400</i>	<i>9,000</i>	<i>8,600</i>	<i>9,400</i>	<i>9,100</i>	<i>4.7</i>	<i>4.5</i>	<i>4.4</i>	<i>4.8</i>	<i>4.7</i>	<i>195,700</i>	
APY Lands*	236	254	242	268	294	23.6	24.9	24.2	27.3	30.9	950	
Barmera	132	127	125	153	169	4.1	3.9	3.8	4.7	5.1	3,332	
Barossa - Angaston	115	99	86	84	68	3.1	2.8	2.5	2.5	2.0	3,398	
Berri	122	117	113	131	136	6.5	6.2	5.9	6.8	7.0	1,948	
Ceduna	110	109	103	117	121	6.6	6.4	6.2	7.1	7.6	1,598	
Clare	72	61	57	59	48	3.2	2.8	2.7	2.8	2.3	2,082	
Coober Pedy*	124	125	120	133	135	13.5	13.4	13.1	14.7	15.3	881	
Eyre Peninsula	79	79	72	79	74	2.0	2.0	1.9	2.1	2.0	3,713	
Gilbert Valley	108	99	93	95	76	4.1	3.9	3.8	3.9	3.1	2,430	
Goolwa - Port Elliot	190	185	186	205	203	4.2	4.0	4.1	4.4	4.3	4,705	
Goyder	137	135	129	131	105	6.7	7.0	6.8	7.0	5.6	1,884	
Grant	56	53	52	60	61	1.8	1.7	1.7	1.9	1.9	3,159	
Jamestown	98	94	91	95	81	4.2	4.2	4.2	4.4	3.7	2,167	
Kadina	192	185	176	182	156	7.3	7.4	7.1	7.5	6.4	2,433	
Kangaroo Island	61	58	56	61	58	2.3	2.2	2.1	2.3	2.1	2,736	
Karoonda - Lameroo	37	37	38	43	44	2.3	2.3	2.4	2.7	2.7	1,629	
Kimba - Cleve - Franklin Harbour	44	42	40	42	40	1.8	1.7	1.6	1.7	1.7	2,396	
Kingston - Robe	34	31	30	32	32	1.6	1.5	1.4	1.5	1.5	2,132	
Le Hunte - Elliston	31	31	31	35	40	2.3	2.3	2.3	2.6	3.1	1,292	
Light	177	159	146	143	115	3.2	3.0	2.9	2.8	2.3	5,049	
Loxton	79	76	76	82	86	2.9	2.8	2.8	3.0	3.1	2,799	
Loxton Region*	28	27	25	29	29	3.0	2.9	2.7	3.1	3.0	954	
Lyndoch	96	82	76	79	66	2.6	2.3	2.2	2.3	1.9	3,460	
Mallala	111	102	95	97	77	6.3	6.0	5.7	5.9	4.7	1,642	
Mannum	152	143	135	149	159	5.1	4.8	4.5	4.9	5.2	3,049	
Millicent	105	101	98	112	117	4.3	4.1	4.0	4.5	4.6	2,537	
Moonta	172	165	158	160	128	8.1	8.1	7.9	8.2	6.5	1,971	
Mount Gambier - East	268	262	261	303	318	3.3	3.2	3.2	3.7	3.8	8,314	
Mount Gambier - West	273	264	263	304	326	3.7	3.5	3.5	4.0	4.2	7,679	
Murray Bridge	474	461	462	527	558	5.5	5.3	5.4	6.0	6.3	8,835	
Murray Bridge Region	57	56	55	66	72	2.7	2.7	2.6	3.1	3.4	2,138	

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Naracoorte	74	73	74	84	89	2.1	2.1	2.1	2.4	2.5	3,578	
Naracoorte Region	13	13	13	14	13	0.9	0.8	0.9	0.9	0.8	1,562	
Nuriootpa	138	122	111	116	102	3.6	3.4	3.1	3.3	2.9	3,506	
Outback	77	76	70	78	82	5.0	4.9	4.6	5.1	5.5	1,486	
Penola	48	44	42	48	50	2.8	2.5	2.4	2.7	2.8	1,768	
Peterborough - Mount Remarkable	198	181	168	162	132	7.8	7.4	7.0	6.9	5.6	2,356	
Port Augusta	585	571	542	610	633	8.0	7.7	7.4	8.5	9.1	6,993	
Port Lincoln	415	396	364	397	399	4.4	4.1	3.8	4.3	4.4	9,056	
Port Pirie	770	734	688	715	604	11.9	11.9	11.4	12.0	10.1	5,969	
Port Pirie Region	104	99	92	91	73	6.5	6.5	6.1	6.2	4.9	1,485	
Quorn - Lake Gilles	50	49	44	48	48	4.2	4.0	3.7	4.1	4.2	1,141	
Renmark	122	121	124	143	154	5.9	5.8	5.9	6.8	7.2	2,142	
Renmark Region	69	67	67	75	76	2.4	2.3	2.3	2.6	2.6	2,976	
Roxby Downs	23	22	20	23	21	0.8	0.7	0.7	0.8	0.7	2,866	
Strathalbyn	96	94	95	110	115	2.5	2.4	2.5	2.8	2.9	3,942	
Strathalbyn Region	116	110	109	124	127	2.6	2.5	2.5	2.8	2.8	4,511	
Tanunda	48	43	39	38	31	1.9	1.8	1.7	1.6	1.3	2,325	
Tatiara	45	43	45	53	54	1.1	1.0	1.1	1.3	1.3	4,237	
The Coorong	111	107	104	114	117	4.1	3.9	3.8	4.1	4.2	2,790	
Victor Harbor	227	220	219	249	257	4.0	3.8	3.8	4.3	4.4	5,878	
Waikerie	120	118	123	143	158	3.9	3.8	4.0	4.6	5.0	3,152	
Wakefield - Barunga West	302	275	262	264	214	6.7	6.4	6.2	6.4	5.1	4,165	
Walleroo	175	160	148	153	125	9.6	9.2	8.7	9.1	7.4	1,685	
Wattle Range	38	37	38	42	42	2.1	2.0	2.1	2.3	2.2	1,888	
West Coast (SA)	133	132	125	138	140	5.9	5.8	5.6	6.2	6.5	2,159	
Western (South Australia - Outback SA4)*	11	11	10	11	10	8.6	8.5	7.9	8.8	8.2	122	
Whyalla	867	853	796	888	926	7.5	7.3	6.9	7.8	8.4	11,026	
Yankalilla	90	87	87	96	96	3.1	3.0	3.0	3.2	3.2	3,010	
Yorke Peninsula - North	199	185	176	175	140	6.1	6.0	5.8	5.8	4.7	3,010	
Yorke Peninsula - South	127	119	113	109	85	7.4	7.2	7.0	6.9	5.3	1,598	
Western Australia	64,100	58,000	54,100	53,600	53,400	4.2	3.7	3.5	3.4	3.4	1,570,900	
<i>Greater Perth</i>	<i>52,100</i>	<i>47,000</i>	<i>43,600</i>	<i>43,200</i>	<i>43,400</i>	<i>4.2</i>	<i>3.8</i>	<i>3.5</i>	<i>3.5</i>	<i>3.5</i>	<i>1,252,500</i>	
Alexander Heights - Koondoola	526	459	419	405	399	8.4	7.3	6.6	6.4	6.3	6,343	
Alkimos - Eglinton	324	284	258	239	231	3.7	3.2	2.9	2.7	2.6	8,843	
Applecross - Ardross	108	97	88	82	79	1.6	1.5	1.3	1.2	1.2	6,662	
Armadale - Wungong - Brookdale	1,546	1,415	1,333	1,434	1,507	13.0	11.8	11.0	11.8	12.3	12,268	
Balcatta - Hamersley	309	265	246	241	244	3.4	2.9	2.7	2.6	2.7	9,121	
Baldivis	855	814	775	750	703	3.7	3.5	3.3	3.2	3.0	23,558	
Balga - Mirrabooka	1,190	1,055	1,003	979	1,001	11.1	9.8	9.2	9.0	9.2	10,885	
Ballajura	497	469	425	436	472	4.7	4.4	3.9	4.0	4.2	11,106	
Banjup	319	299	277	262	244	2.3	2.2	2.0	1.9	1.7	13,976	
Bassendean - Eden Hill - Ashfield	342	330	303	313	340	3.8	3.6	3.3	3.3	3.6	9,490	
Bateman	52	46	42	38	37	2.4	2.1	1.9	1.7	1.7	2,217	
Bayswater - Embleton - Bedford	427	399	360	368	398	2.9	2.7	2.4	2.4	2.6	15,274	
Beckenham - Kenwick - Langford	802	718	684	749	793	7.0	6.2	5.9	6.4	6.7	11,808	
Beechboro	562	537	483	488	530	4.9	4.6	4.1	4.1	4.4	12,113	
Beeliam - Wattleup	219	210	196	185	174	3.4	3.3	3.0	2.9	2.7	6,478	
Belmont - Ascot - Redcliffe	498	455	430	459	472	5.2	4.7	4.5	4.7	4.8	9,812	
Bentley - Wilson - St James	647	582	551	580	607	5.6	5.0	4.7	4.9	5.1	11,941	
Bertram - Wellard (West)	453	438	429	408	380	4.1	4.0	3.9	3.7	3.4	11,109	
Bicton - Palmyra	223	207	193	186	174	2.5	2.3	2.2	2.1	1.9	8,942	
Booragoon	191	185	180	169	158	2.2	2.1	2.1	1.9	1.8	8,773	
Bull Creek	81	73	63	58	51	2.0	1.8	1.5	1.4	1.2	4,116	
Bullsbrook	99	92	81	83	96	3.0	2.8	2.4	2.4	2.8	3,452	
Butler - Merriwa - Ridgewood	909	789	738	709	708	7.0	6.0	5.6	5.3	5.3	13,269	
Byford	406	355	327	336	352	3.4	2.9	2.7	2.7	2.8	12,391	
Calista	521	508	494	485	465	13.9	13.4	13.0	12.7	12.2	3,812	
Camillo - Champion Lakes	350	326	320	354	372	10.9	10.1	9.8	10.8	11.2	3,319	
Canning Vale - East	341	299	283	301	312	2.3	2.0	1.9	2.0	2.1	14,990	
Canning Vale - West	135	119	114	119	123	2.1	1.8	1.7	1.8	1.8	6,678	
Cannington - Queens Park	658	590	566	602	633	5.2	4.6	4.4	4.7	4.9	13,022	
Carabooda - Pinjar*	19	17	17	17	19	4.3	3.8	3.8	3.7	4.2	453	
Carramar	436	388	366	353	350	3.8	3.4	3.2	3.0	3.0	11,537	
Casuarina - Wandii	154	152	144	137	129	3.2	3.1	2.9	2.8	2.6	4,889	
Chidlow	38	35	33	37	45	2.3	2.1	2.0	2.2	2.6	1,724	
City Beach	43	26	20	21	22	1.2	0.7	0.6	0.6	0.6	3,586	
Claremont (WA)	151	109	84	83	78	3.0	2.2	1.7	1.7	1.6	5,003	
Clarkson	530	457	426	406	395	6.2	5.3	4.9	4.7	4.5	8,683	
Como	238	205	189	200	210	2.5	2.1	2.0	2.1	2.1	9,816	
Coogee	124	118	117	114	110	2.1	2.0	2.0	1.9	1.8	5,978	
Coolbellup	298	286	278	272	267	5.9	5.6	5.4	5.3	5.2	5,127	

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Cooloongup	490	479	459	424	391	11.2	10.9	10.4	9.6	8.8	4,425	
Cottesloe	64	45	36	43	45	1.4	1.0	0.8	0.9	1.0	4,638	
Craigie - Beldon	265	227	215	206	204	4.2	3.6	3.3	3.2	3.2	6,446	
Currambine - Kinross	237	211	198	183	170	2.7	2.4	2.2	2.0	1.9	8,967	
Dawesville - Bouvard	147	148	124	98	96	3.9	3.9	3.3	2.7	2.7	3,497	
Dianella	484	421	385	365	356	3.5	3.0	2.7	2.6	2.5	14,198	
Duncraig	134	111	102	102	106	1.5	1.2	1.1	1.1	1.2	9,029	
East Fremantle	97	93	92	90	87	2.0	1.9	1.9	1.9	1.8	4,846	
East Victoria Park - Carlisle	509	449	418	447	466	4.4	3.9	3.6	3.8	3.9	11,872	
Ellenbrook	864	831	764	767	819	3.3	3.1	2.8	2.8	2.9	27,780	
Falcon - Wannanup	171	170	151	130	122	3.9	3.9	3.5	3.1	3.0	4,059	
Floreat	63	47	35	31	29	1.3	0.9	0.7	0.6	0.6	4,979	
Forrestdale - Harrisdale - Piara Waters	310	272	248	259	259	1.8	1.6	1.4	1.5	1.5	17,628	
Forrestfield - Wattle Grove	473	419	383	388	396	4.0	3.5	3.2	3.2	3.2	12,247	
Fremantle	560	535	519	504	489	5.3	5.0	4.8	4.7	4.5	10,794	
Fremantle - South	441	424	416	404	387	4.9	4.7	4.6	4.5	4.3	9,068	
Gidgegannup	27	24	22	21	22	1.6	1.4	1.3	1.2	1.2	1,791	
Girrawheen	544	476	449	433	449	12.2	10.6	9.9	9.5	9.9	4,528	
Glen Forrest - Darlington	68	65	60	58	57	1.7	1.6	1.5	1.4	1.4	4,161	
Gosnells	1,188	1,094	1,063	1,162	1,234	10.8	9.8	9.5	10.3	10.8	11,387	
Greenfields	355	350	287	228	214	9.2	8.9	7.5	6.1	5.9	3,606	
Greenwood - Warwick	271	233	213	200	206	3.5	3.0	2.7	2.5	2.6	7,919	
Halls Head - Erskine	294	292	256	213	205	3.3	3.2	2.9	2.5	2.5	8,321	
Hamilton Hill	489	469	451	437	422	7.6	7.2	6.9	6.7	6.5	6,519	
Hazelmere - Guildford	73	73	72	76	86	2.3	2.3	2.3	2.4	2.6	3,263	
Heathridge - Connolly	230	196	174	167	169	3.5	3.0	2.6	2.5	2.6	6,619	
Helena Valley - Koongamia	102	98	91	91	95	3.1	2.9	2.7	2.6	2.7	3,499	
High Wycombe	334	295	277	298	309	4.4	3.9	3.6	3.9	4.0	7,791	
Hillarys	114	99	96	93	91	1.7	1.5	1.4	1.4	1.3	6,764	
Huntingdale - Southern River	496	443	418	447	474	3.8	3.3	3.1	3.3	3.5	13,560	
Iluka - Burns Beach	74	59	52	48	44	1.2	0.9	0.8	0.7	0.7	6,485	
Innaloo - Doubleview	362	315	302	297	295	3.1	2.7	2.5	2.5	2.5	11,878	
Jandakot	41	38	37	35	32	2.8	2.6	2.5	2.4	2.1	1,489	
Joondalup - Edgewater	385	337	307	280	266	4.4	3.9	3.5	3.2	3.0	8,806	
Kalamunda - Maida Vale - Gooseberry Hill	208	179	168	175	181	2.4	2.1	1.9	2.0	2.1	8,815	
Karrinyup - Gwelup - Carine	185	160	149	142	132	1.5	1.3	1.2	1.1	1.0	12,872	
Kelmscott	556	512	485	507	515	9.3	8.5	8.0	8.3	8.4	6,153	
Kingsley	139	122	111	106	110	1.9	1.6	1.5	1.4	1.5	7,562	
Leeming	104	98	89	81	75	1.6	1.5	1.3	1.2	1.1	6,643	
Lesmurdie - Bickley - Carmel	140	125	122	133	136	2.2	1.9	1.9	2.0	2.1	6,634	
Lockridge - Kiara	334	324	299	308	342	4.8	4.6	4.2	4.3	4.7	7,282	
Maddington - Orange Grove - Martin	637	575	547	579	594	7.9	7.1	6.7	7.1	7.2	8,270	
Madeley - Darch - Landsdale	490	427	392	374	361	2.8	2.4	2.2	2.1	2.0	17,853	
Mandurah	521	521	453	383	367	11.9	11.8	10.4	9.1	9.0	4,073	
Mandurah - East	148	144	110	85	84	5.2	5.0	3.9	3.1	3.2	2,648	
Mandurah - North	297	297	259	217	210	2.9	2.9	2.5	2.2	2.2	9,535	
Mandurah - South	351	348	295	244	231	7.9	7.8	6.7	5.7	5.6	4,114	
Manning - Waterford	224	201	194	209	219	3.5	3.1	3.0	3.2	3.3	6,558	
Marangaroo	376	327	301	285	279	6.5	5.6	5.2	4.9	4.8	5,850	
Maylands	299	280	257	262	284	3.3	3.1	2.8	2.8	3.0	9,444	
Melville	162	148	136	126	115	1.6	1.5	1.3	1.2	1.1	10,095	
Middle Swan - Herne Hill	195	187	172	173	191	6.3	5.9	5.4	5.4	5.9	3,255	
Midland - Guildford	499	493	470	482	518	7.9	7.7	7.3	7.4	7.8	6,613	
Mindarie - Quinns Rocks - Jindalee	382	328	303	284	273	2.9	2.5	2.3	2.1	2.1	13,245	
Morley	490	466	431	446	492	3.8	3.6	3.3	3.4	3.7	13,395	
Mosman Park - Peppermint Grove	240	176	132	124	122	3.9	2.9	2.2	2.0	2.0	6,092	
Mount Hawthorn - Leederville	263	200	178	186	185	3.3	2.5	2.3	2.4	2.4	7,843	
Mount Lawley - Inglewood	462	339	276	274	254	4.1	3.0	2.5	2.4	2.3	11,193	
Mount Nasura - Mount Richon - Bedfordale	166	146	136	145	147	3.4	3.0	2.8	2.9	3.0	4,965	
Mullaloo - Kallaroo	124	108	103	102	100	1.8	1.6	1.5	1.5	1.5	6,894	
Mundaring	167	159	142	145	157	2.2	2.1	1.9	1.9	2.0	7,800	
Mundijong	133	117	107	117	126	3.0	2.7	2.4	2.6	2.8	4,501	
Murdoch - Kardinya	223	217	216	208	192	3.1	3.0	3.0	2.9	2.6	7,265	
Nedlands - Dalkeith - Crawley	261	190	150	142	129	2.6	1.9	1.5	1.4	1.3	9,995	
Nollamara - Westminster	778	684	638	617	615	6.6	5.7	5.3	5.1	5.1	12,048	
Noranda	115	106	92	90	100	2.6	2.4	2.1	2.0	2.2	4,565	
North Coogee	29	30	29	27	23	1.1	1.1	1.1	1.0	0.9	2,689	
North Perth	223	161	130	133	127	3.6	2.6	2.1	2.1	2.0	6,270	
Ocean Reef	83	68	59	58	59	1.7	1.4	1.2	1.1	1.2	5,055	
Osborne Park Industrial*	6	4	3	4	6	3.1	2.0	1.5	2.0	3.0	199	
Padbury	144	127	119	114	108	2.9	2.5	2.3	2.2	2.1	5,122	
Parkwood - Ferndale - Lynwood	336	305	290	304	314	4.1	3.7	3.5	3.6	3.7	8,453	
Parmelia - Orelia	818	807	797	778	731	13.7	13.4	13.2	12.9	12.1	6,045	

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	Mar-22	Jun-22	Sep-22	Dec-22	Mar-23	Mar-22	Jun-22	Sep-22	Dec-22	Mar-23	Mar-23	
Perth City	1,732	1,302	1,085	1,105	1,046	6.5	4.9	4.1	4.1	3.9	26,651	
Pinjarra	237	238	201	170	166	5.3	5.3	4.6	4.0	4.0	4,133	
Port Kennedy	467	444	419	390	367	6.0	5.6	5.3	4.9	4.6	7,942	
Riverton - Shelley - Rossmoyne	158	132	116	115	117	2.0	1.7	1.5	1.4	1.5	8,041	
Rivervale - Kewdale - Cloverdale	903	805	761	808	847	5.4	4.7	4.5	4.7	4.9	17,367	
Rockingham	762	736	704	681	642	8.6	8.3	7.8	7.6	7.1	8,982	
Roleystone	105	94	85	87	89	2.4	2.1	1.9	1.9	1.9	4,593	
Safety Bay - Shoalwater	372	353	332	322	308	6.1	5.8	5.4	5.2	5.0	6,161	
Scarborough	267	228	210	202	200	2.2	1.8	1.7	1.6	1.6	12,495	
Serpentine - Jarrahdale	84	71	68	73	79	3.4	2.9	2.7	2.9	3.1	2,519	
Seville Grove	527	472	434	446	439	8.2	7.3	6.6	6.8	6.6	6,659	
Singleton - Golden Bay - Secret Harbour	502	473	442	414	385	3.7	3.5	3.2	3.0	2.8	13,604	
Sorrento - Marmion	66	58	57	55	55	1.1	1.0	1.0	0.9	0.9	5,863	
South Lake - Cockburn Central	372	366	357	354	346	5.1	4.9	4.8	4.7	4.6	7,459	
South Perth - Kensington	262	231	212	219	218	2.4	2.1	1.9	1.9	1.9	11,466	
Spearwood	354	346	339	326	310	5.6	5.4	5.3	5.1	4.8	6,398	
Stirling - Osborne Park	220	188	175	166	163	2.4	2.1	1.9	1.8	1.8	9,148	
Stratton - Jane Brook	205	202	187	185	188	5.0	4.8	4.4	4.3	4.3	4,332	
Subiaco - Shenton Park	327	229	183	179	169	3.1	2.1	1.7	1.7	1.6	10,693	
Success - Hammond Park	294	279	265	256	251	2.7	2.5	2.4	2.3	2.2	11,185	
Swan View - Greenmount - Midvale	356	341	314	321	348	5.2	4.9	4.4	4.5	4.8	7,223	
Swanbourne - Mount Claremont	89	61	49	50	52	1.7	1.2	0.9	1.0	1.0	5,166	
Tapping - Ashby - Sinagra	176	149	138	135	134	2.2	1.8	1.7	1.6	1.6	8,184	
The Vines	159	151	139	140	149	2.2	2.1	1.9	1.9	2.0	7,562	
Thornlie	787	712	680	724	756	5.8	5.2	4.9	5.2	5.4	14,085	
Trigg - North Beach - Watermans Bay	80	67	58	55	55	1.8	1.5	1.3	1.2	1.2	4,638	
Tuart Hill - Joondanna	317	275	253	238	225	3.8	3.3	3.0	2.8	2.6	8,538	
Two Rocks	121	104	98	95	98	6.3	5.4	5.1	4.9	5.0	1,943	
Victoria Park - Lathlain - Burswood	353	310	289	305	317	3.2	2.8	2.6	2.7	2.8	11,506	
Waikiki	482	466	440	427	415	6.9	6.6	6.2	6.0	5.9	7,081	
Wanneroo	633	556	518	499	494	3.9	3.4	3.1	3.0	3.0	16,626	
Warnbro	548	542	524	501	464	9.3	9.1	8.7	8.3	7.7	6,006	
Wembley - West Leederville - Glendalough	462	332	264	255	241	3.8	2.7	2.2	2.1	2.0	12,163	
Wembley Downs - Churchlands - Woodlands	130	104	89	81	78	1.6	1.3	1.1	1.0	0.9	8,245	
Willagee	197	192	183	180	175	6.8	6.6	6.3	6.2	6.0	2,925	
Willetton	205	169	150	153	151	1.9	1.6	1.4	1.4	1.4	11,024	
Winthrop	49	47	49	51	51	1.4	1.3	1.4	1.5	1.5	3,516	
Woodvale	111	91	85	81	77	1.9	1.6	1.4	1.4	1.3	5,926	
Yanchep	329	284	267	256	255	5.6	4.8	4.4	4.2	4.2	6,019	
Yangebup	266	255	242	231	215	5.7	5.4	5.1	4.9	4.5	4,741	
Yokine - Coolbinia - Menora	302	262	246	239	235	3.0	2.6	2.4	2.3	2.3	10,175	
<i>Rest of Western Australia</i>	<i>12,000</i>	<i>11,000</i>	<i>10,600</i>	<i>10,400</i>	<i>10,100</i>	<i>3.9</i>	<i>3.5</i>	<i>3.4</i>	<i>3.3</i>	<i>3.2</i>	<i>318,400</i>	
Albany	302	285	267	225	255	4.0	3.7	3.5	2.9	3.3	7,766	
Albany Region	44	40	37	32	36	2.1	1.9	1.7	1.5	1.7	2,159	
Ashburton (WA)	43	41	42	43	44	0.8	0.7	0.8	0.8	0.8	5,568	
Augusta	128	115	100	109	91	3.5	3.1	2.7	2.9	2.4	3,863	
Australind - Leschenault	348	314	274	281	238	3.2	2.8	2.4	2.5	2.0	11,634	
Bayonet Head - Lower King	81	79	73	58	62	2.9	2.8	2.6	2.0	2.2	2,860	
Boulder	112	94	95	95	95	2.5	2.1	2.1	2.1	2.1	4,449	
Bridgetown - Boyup Brook	144	136	124	126	111	3.9	3.7	3.3	3.3	2.8	3,901	
Brookton	89	92	90	78	86	4.7	4.8	4.7	4.0	4.4	1,959	
Broome	344	297	306	301	299	3.6	3.1	3.2	3.1	3.1	9,509	
Busselton	753	658	568	570	481	5.0	4.3	3.6	3.6	3.0	16,149	
Busselton Region	136	118	101	108	95	1.9	1.7	1.4	1.5	1.3	7,491	
Capel	131	122	114	121	100	4.2	3.9	3.6	3.7	3.0	3,316	
Carnarvon	165	167	176	177	173	5.7	5.8	6.1	6.1	6.0	2,876	
Chittering	49	46	42	35	39	1.5	1.4	1.2	1.0	1.1	3,440	
College Grove - Carey Park	384	344	297	299	247	10.8	9.5	8.1	8.0	6.5	3,810	
Collie	417	381	343	360	302	9.6	8.6	7.6	7.9	6.5	4,650	
Cunderdin	105	106	103	90	104	5.5	5.5	5.3	4.6	5.2	1,985	
Dalyellup	227	199	175	171	140	3.9	3.4	2.9	2.8	2.3	6,195	
Dardanup	61	52	42	43	37	3.1	2.6	2.1	2.1	1.8	2,113	
Denmark	98	89	84	77	87	3.2	2.9	2.7	2.5	2.8	3,156	
Derby - West Kimberley	483	473	531	536	549	13.6	13.2	14.8	14.9	15.4	3,567	
Donnybrook - Balingup	150	132	113	121	106	4.5	3.9	3.3	3.5	3.0	3,530	
Dowerin	73	75	77	70	81	3.5	3.5	3.6	3.2	3.7	2,182	
East Bunbury - Glen Iris	242	216	199	199	157	6.0	5.3	4.8	4.7	3.6	4,302	
East Pilbara	72	64	67	66	64	1.4	1.3	1.3	1.3	1.2	5,138	
Eaton - Pelican Point	278	254	231	230	182	4.0	3.6	3.2	3.2	2.5	7,401	
Esperance	131	110	108	105	104	1.9	1.6	1.5	1.5	1.5	6,962	
Esperance Region	29	27	28	29	32	1.2	1.1	1.2	1.2	1.3	2,388	
Exmouth	49	44	43	44	45	1.6	1.5	1.4	1.5	1.5	2,995	

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Gelorup - Stratham	32	29	25	25	20	1.8	1.6	1.4	1.4	1.1	1,877	
Geraldton	299	249	254	253	254	4.6	3.8	3.9	3.9	3.9	6,448	
Geraldton - East	206	171	176	175	179	4.9	4.1	4.2	4.1	4.3	4,202	
Geraldton - North	96	81	84	85	87	1.9	1.6	1.7	1.7	1.8	4,966	
Geraldton - South	104	85	86	85	84	1.6	1.3	1.3	1.3	1.3	6,411	
Gingin - Dandaragan	122	114	109	95	108	2.6	2.3	2.2	1.9	2.2	4,969	
Gnowangerup	38	35	32	28	31	2.2	2.0	1.8	1.6	1.7	1,809	
Halls Creek	262	254	280	269	268	17.3	16.7	18.4	17.6	17.7	1,517	
Harvey	291	261	235	254	211	5.7	5.0	4.5	4.8	3.9	5,439	
Irwin	41	40	40	41	39	2.2	2.1	2.1	2.2	2.1	1,857	
Kalgoorlie	152	132	131	132	137	1.8	1.5	1.5	1.5	1.6	8,633	
Kalgoorlie - North	58	49	48	48	50	1.0	0.9	0.8	0.8	0.9	5,742	
Kambalda - Coolgardie - Norseman	75	71	73	73	78	2.8	2.7	2.7	2.7	2.9	2,655	
Karratha	170	163	171	175	178	1.5	1.4	1.5	1.5	1.6	11,436	
Katanning	137	132	127	109	122	5.5	5.2	5.0	4.2	4.7	2,603	
Kojonup	76	73	71	61	70	3.3	3.1	3.0	2.6	2.9	2,411	
Kulin	46	48	47	44	49	1.7	1.8	1.7	1.6	1.8	2,779	
Kununurra	250	240	256	259	264	5.3	5.1	5.4	5.5	5.6	4,684	
Leinster - Leonora	195	188	224	252	317	6.3	6.0	7.2	8.0	10.1	3,137	
Little Grove - Elleker	40	35	33	29	32	2.2	1.9	1.8	1.6	1.7	1,861	
Manjimup	163	150	132	129	98	5.3	4.8	4.2	4.0	3.0	3,288	
Margaret River	207	183	149	157	137	3.3	2.8	2.3	2.4	2.0	6,765	
McKail - Willyung	263	244	225	180	194	4.3	3.9	3.6	2.9	3.1	6,311	
Meekatharra	138	128	135	139	136	6.5	6.0	6.3	6.4	6.3	2,150	
Merredin	105	103	102	91	105	4.0	3.8	3.7	3.3	3.8	2,764	
Moora	92	89	85	73	83	3.5	3.3	3.1	2.7	3.0	2,744	
Morawa	60	58	60	60	62	2.6	2.5	2.6	2.6	2.7	2,320	
Mukinbudin	40	41	41	38	45	2.1	2.1	2.1	1.9	2.3	1,987	
Murray	42	40	39	37	45	3.2	3.0	2.9	2.7	3.3	1,375	
Narrogin	134	125	115	89	96	5.9	5.4	4.9	3.8	4.0	2,375	
Newman	89	86	92	89	92	3.1	3.0	3.2	3.0	3.2	2,910	
Northam	367	344	325	272	293	6.6	6.1	5.7	4.7	5.1	5,791	
Northampton - Mullewa - Greenough	94	88	88	88	91	2.9	2.7	2.7	2.7	2.8	3,240	
Pemberton	133	118	104	114	103	4.6	4.0	3.5	3.8	3.3	3,086	
Plantagenet	115	109	104	88	99	4.2	3.9	3.7	3.1	3.4	2,879	
Port Hedland	29	28	31	34	34	1.0	0.9	1.0	1.1	1.1	3,035	
Roebourne	67	65	71	72	76	2.0	1.9	2.1	2.1	2.2	3,411	
Roebuck	80	76	86	86	85	7.5	7.1	8.1	8.0	8.0	1,064	
South Bunbury - Bunbury	403	361	320	342	290	5.5	4.8	4.2	4.4	3.7	7,858	
South Hedland	216	203	214	222	226	3.0	2.8	3.0	3.0	3.1	7,214	
Toodyay	87	87	83	72	80	3.6	3.5	3.3	2.9	3.2	2,514	
Wagin	79	75	72	66	76	2.9	2.7	2.6	2.4	2.7	2,817	
Waroona	151	136	129	153	134	6.8	6.1	5.7	6.6	5.7	2,361	
Withers - Usher	406	367	323	336	284	15.6	13.9	12.0	12.3	10.2	2,782	
York - Beverley	119	118	115	100	110	4.7	4.5	4.4	3.8	4.1	2,655	
Tasmania	13,900	13,000	12,600	11,900	11,900	4.8	4.4	4.3	4.0	4.0	297,700	
<i>Greater Hobart</i>	<i>6,200</i>	<i>5,800</i>	<i>5,700</i>	<i>5,800</i>	<i>5,600</i>	<i>4.6</i>	<i>4.3</i>	<i>4.3</i>	<i>4.3</i>	<i>4.1</i>	<i>135,300</i>	
Austins Ferry - Granton	89	81	79	80	77	3.5	3.2	3.1	3.2	3.0	2,545	
Bellerive - Rosny	109	99	95	92	86	3.1	2.9	2.8	2.7	2.5	3,457	
Berriedale - Chigwell	204	190	189	191	187	6.7	6.3	6.3	6.3	6.2	3,036	
Bridgewater - Gagebrook	613	576	578	593	586	19.8	18.7	18.9	19.4	19.0	3,081	
Brighton - Pontville	125	126	131	133	130	3.3	3.3	3.5	3.5	3.4	3,782	
Cambridge	102	92	87	86	80	2.0	1.8	1.7	1.7	1.6	5,151	
Claremont (Tas.)	321	300	297	301	289	7.3	6.9	6.8	6.9	6.6	4,372	
Derwent Park - Lutana	182	169	167	174	170	7.2	6.7	6.7	6.9	6.7	2,521	
Dodges Ferry - Lewisham	238	223	223	220	210	5.1	4.8	4.8	4.7	4.5	4,675	
Geilston Bay - Risdon	63	55	55	58	57	3.1	2.7	2.7	2.9	2.8	2,027	
Glenorchy	507	473	477	492	479	8.4	7.9	8.0	8.2	8.0	6,005	
Hobart	304	289	288	288	269	5.1	4.9	4.9	4.9	4.6	5,897	
Howrah - Tranmere	135	133	137	135	127	2.1	2.1	2.2	2.1	2.0	6,389	
Kingston - Huntingfield	235	221	234	239	240	3.1	2.9	3.1	3.2	3.2	7,513	
Kingston Beach - Blackmans Bay	167	145	139	138	132	2.7	2.3	2.2	2.2	2.1	6,260	
Lenah Valley - Mount Stuart	142	127	125	124	118	2.6	2.3	2.3	2.3	2.1	5,544	
Lindisfarne - Rose Bay	99	93	90	87	79	2.4	2.3	2.2	2.2	2.0	4,034	
Margate - Snug	124	115	111	113	108	2.6	2.4	2.3	2.4	2.3	4,760	
Montrose - Rosetta	137	121	118	118	111	4.9	4.3	4.2	4.2	4.0	2,799	
Moonah	183	162	160	165	166	5.7	5.1	5.0	5.2	5.2	3,198	
Mornington - Warrane	218	207	207	207	195	8.6	8.2	8.2	8.2	7.7	2,531	
Mount Nelson - Dynnyrne	73	64	61	60	54	2.6	2.3	2.2	2.1	1.9	2,836	
New Norfolk	325	306	304	312	303	9.5	9.0	9.0	9.2	8.9	3,402	
New Town	163	149	144	149	144	4.3	3.9	3.8	4.0	3.8	3,795	

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Old Beach - Otago	71	66	63	61	55	2.3	2.2	2.1	2.0	1.8	3,040	
Risdon Vale	140	120	117	121	120	10.7	9.2	9.0	9.3	9.2	1,308	
Rokeby	387	372	366	374	361	10.0	9.6	9.5	9.7	9.3	3,872	
Sandy Bay	129	112	105	104	102	1.9	1.6	1.6	1.5	1.5	6,799	
Sorell - Richmond	190	177	174	173	164	3.5	3.2	3.2	3.2	3.0	5,460	
South Arm	55	52	52	54	56	2.0	1.9	1.9	2.0	2.0	2,743	
South Hobart - Fern Tree	130	116	111	115	113	3.3	3.0	2.8	2.9	2.9	3,924	
Taroona - Bonnet Hill	36	32	31	32	31	1.8	1.6	1.6	1.6	1.6	1,965	
West Hobart	105	89	84	88	86	2.5	2.1	2.0	2.1	2.1	4,144	
West Moonah	152	138	131	127	117	6.2	5.6	5.4	5.2	4.8	2,445	
<i>Rest of Tasmania</i>	<i>7,700</i>	<i>7,200</i>	<i>6,800</i>	<i>6,100</i>	<i>6,300</i>	<i>4.9</i>	<i>4.6</i>	<i>4.3</i>	<i>3.8</i>	<i>3.9</i>	<i>162,400</i>	
Acton - Upper Burnie	142	128	119	116	121	9.6	8.6	7.9	7.6	8.0	1,515	
Beauty Point - Beaconsfield	113	112	108	92	100	6.4	6.3	6.0	5.1	5.5	1,823	
Bruny Island - Kettering	42	39	41	41	40	2.6	2.4	2.5	2.5	2.4	1,687	
Burnie - Ulverstone Region	92	84	76	69	68	3.2	2.9	2.6	2.3	2.3	2,967	
Burnie - Wivenhoe	200	182	167	152	156	10.8	9.7	8.9	8.0	8.2	1,902	
Central Highlands	49	47	51	50	50	4.2	4.0	4.3	4.1	4.0	1,248	
Cygnat	109	103	111	111	109	5.0	4.7	5.0	5.0	4.7	2,304	
Deloraine	118	117	111	98	108	3.8	3.8	3.6	3.1	3.4	3,147	
Derwent Valley	73	75	82	82	80	4.3	4.4	4.8	4.7	4.5	1,795	
Devonport	564	513	469	440	440	8.4	7.6	6.9	6.4	6.4	6,899	
Dilston - Lilydale	72	70	66	56	58	2.8	2.8	2.6	2.2	2.2	2,593	
East Devonport	203	187	179	168	169	9.6	8.7	8.3	7.7	7.7	2,181	
Flinders and Cape Barren Islands*	18	18	18	15	16	3.2	3.2	3.2	2.6	2.8	578	
Forestier - Tasman	57	56	60	60	57	5.0	4.9	5.2	5.1	4.7	1,213	
Geeveston - Dover	92	87	94	92	86	5.2	4.8	5.2	5.0	4.6	1,890	
George Town	258	257	245	209	215	8.0	8.0	7.5	6.4	6.5	3,308	
Grindelwald - Lanena	85	82	75	63	67	2.6	2.5	2.3	1.9	2.0	3,362	
Hadspen - Carrick	55	52	47	38	42	2.5	2.4	2.1	1.7	1.9	2,242	
Huonville - Franklin	176	167	181	181	177	3.6	3.4	3.7	3.6	3.5	5,126	
Invermay	161	150	137	113	115	8.1	7.5	6.8	5.6	5.6	2,040	
King Island*	15	12	10	8	6	1.6	1.3	1.1	0.8	0.6	954	
Kings Meadows - Punchbowl	121	114	105	87	92	4.6	4.4	4.0	3.3	3.4	2,688	
Latrobe	105	95	90	86	91	4.0	3.6	3.3	3.2	3.4	2,715	
Launceston	184	178	163	134	141	5.3	5.2	4.7	3.8	4.0	3,534	
Legana	49	46	42	34	34	1.9	1.7	1.6	1.3	1.3	2,711	
Longford	90	86	79	65	68	4.0	3.8	3.5	2.8	2.9	2,321	
Miandetta - Don	66	56	48	45	45	3.4	2.8	2.4	2.2	2.2	2,010	
Mowbray	188	186	176	151	161	9.4	9.3	8.7	7.4	7.8	2,054	
Newnham - Mayfield	391	385	364	319	346	8.4	8.3	7.8	6.7	7.3	4,757	
Newstead	80	76	70	58	61	2.8	2.6	2.4	2.0	2.1	2,974	
North West (West and North West SA4)	77	69	64	61	61	3.3	3.0	2.7	2.6	2.6	2,374	
Northern Midlands	83	84	80	70	76	4.2	4.3	4.1	3.5	3.8	2,005	
Norwood (Tas.)	50	50	49	43	44	2.3	2.3	2.3	2.0	2.0	2,187	
Parklands - Camdale	227	213	198	183	185	7.3	6.8	6.2	5.7	5.8	3,193	
Penguin - Sulphur Creek	118	105	93	83	83	4.3	3.8	3.3	2.9	2.9	2,816	
Perth - Evandale	89	85	77	61	59	2.8	2.7	2.4	1.9	1.8	3,211	
Port Sorell	101	86	76	69	71	3.2	2.7	2.3	2.1	2.2	3,277	
Prospect Vale - Blackstone	98	92	88	75	79	2.5	2.4	2.3	1.9	2.0	3,974	
Quoiba - Spreyton	61	53	49	49	51	3.5	3.0	2.7	2.7	2.8	1,807	
Ravenswood	233	228	219	188	199	14.2	13.9	13.3	11.3	11.9	1,678	
Riverside	107	103	101	87	90	2.6	2.5	2.4	2.1	2.1	4,263	
Romaine - Havenview	85	76	72	68	73	4.6	4.1	3.9	3.6	3.9	1,876	
Scottsdale - Bridport	163	159	153	133	140	4.8	4.7	4.5	3.8	4.0	3,493	
Sheffield - Railton	150	133	119	107	112	4.7	4.1	3.7	3.3	3.4	3,270	
Smithton	106	95	84	75	77	5.1	4.5	4.0	3.5	3.6	2,131	
Somerset	104	93	86	82	82	5.4	4.7	4.4	4.1	4.1	1,989	
South Launceston	123	120	115	97	102	4.4	4.3	4.1	3.4	3.6	2,857	
Southern Midlands	124	114	125	122	117	3.5	3.2	3.5	3.4	3.1	3,724	
St Helens - Scamander	224	224	213	180	187	7.8	7.8	7.3	6.1	6.3	2,962	
Summerhill - Prospect	87	82	79	65	70	3.1	2.9	2.8	2.3	2.4	2,895	
Trevallyn	72	70	67	56	59	2.5	2.4	2.3	1.9	2.0	2,983	
Triabunna - Bicheno	78	67	69	67	65	3.3	2.8	2.9	2.8	2.6	2,482	
Turners Beach - Forth	39	36	31	26	26	2.1	1.9	1.6	1.3	1.3	1,940	
Ulverstone	185	164	150	141	145	5.7	5.0	4.5	4.2	4.3	3,358	
Waratah	92	87	83	77	75	4.7	4.4	4.2	3.9	3.8	1,995	
Waverley - St Leonards	119	113	106	87	93	5.7	5.5	5.1	4.1	4.4	2,124	
West Coast (Tas.)	206	184	164	145	147	9.9	8.8	7.8	6.8	6.9	2,128	
West Launceston	84	81	78	66	69	3.1	3.0	2.9	2.4	2.5	2,779	
West Ulverstone	120	111	105	98	100	6.0	5.5	5.1	4.8	4.9	2,060	
Westbury	72	68	66	56	60	3.2	3.0	2.9	2.4	2.6	2,321	
Wynyard	179	163	150	138	138	6.4	5.8	5.3	4.8	4.8	2,873	

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	Mar-22	Jun-22	Sep-22	Dec-22	Mar-23	Mar-22	Jun-22	Sep-22	Dec-22	Mar-23	Mar-23	
Youngtown - Relbia	82	75	66	52	54	2.9	2.7	2.3	1.8	1.9	2,865	
Northern Territory	5,700	5,600	5,600	5,500	5,600	4.1	4.0	4.0	3.9	3.9	143,900	
<i>Greater Darwin</i>	<i>3,000</i>	<i>3,100</i>	<i>3,000</i>	<i>2,900</i>	<i>2,900</i>	<i>3.5</i>	<i>3.6</i>	<i>3.4</i>	<i>3.3</i>	<i>3.3</i>	<i>88,200</i>	
Alawa	48	50	46	44	45	4.1	4.3	3.9	3.7	3.7	1,206	
Anula	41	43	43	44	46	3.0	3.1	3.1	3.2	3.3	1,413	
Bakewell	62	61	53	48	47	3.2	3.2	2.7	2.5	2.4	1,976	
Berrimah*	80	90	89	90	94	9.4	10.7	10.5	10.5	10.8	869	
Brinkin - Nakara	65	68	65	66	66	3.1	3.2	3.1	3.1	3.1	2,163	
Coconut Grove	104	107	103	101	101	5.8	6.0	5.7	5.5	5.5	1,848	
Darwin City	158	165	158	151	146	2.8	3.0	2.8	2.7	2.6	5,721	
Driver	91	88	79	75	78	5.5	5.4	4.8	4.5	4.6	1,690	
Durack - Marlow Lagoon	38	38	35	34	35	1.3	1.4	1.2	1.2	1.2	2,892	
Fannie Bay - The Gardens	27	26	24	23	22	1.2	1.2	1.1	1.0	1.0	2,311	
Gray	234	255	246	237	236	13.7	15.0	14.4	13.7	13.5	1,751	
Howard Springs	50	49	44	41	39	1.6	1.6	1.4	1.3	1.2	3,179	
Humpty Doo	150	157	149	144	137	2.9	3.0	2.9	2.7	2.6	5,348	
Jingili	41	42	40	38	41	4.0	4.1	3.9	3.7	3.9	1,051	
Karama	169	175	166	163	165	6.2	6.5	6.1	5.9	5.9	2,786	
Larrakeyah	32	30	29	28	28	1.2	1.1	1.0	1.0	1.0	2,841	
Leanyer	69	70	63	57	59	2.5	2.5	2.2	2.0	2.1	2,874	
Ludmilla - The Narrows	96	105	102	98	95	6.8	7.4	7.2	6.8	6.5	1,453	
Lyons (NT)	20	22	21	20	21	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.6	3,616	
Malak - Marrara	185	200	197	195	207	7.4	8.0	7.8	7.7	8.0	2,576	
Millner	59	61	57	54	53	3.7	3.9	3.6	3.4	3.3	1,626	
Moil	44	46	45	45	47	4.0	4.2	4.1	4.0	4.2	1,130	
Moulden	197	208	198	188	184	13.0	13.7	13.0	12.2	11.8	1,559	
Nightcliff	58	61	59	55	51	2.3	2.5	2.4	2.2	2.0	2,557	
Palmerston - North	50	50	44	43	47	1.8	1.8	1.6	1.5	1.7	2,831	
Palmerston - South	55	58	57	56	56	1.4	1.5	1.4	1.4	1.4	4,107	
Parap	40	39	37	34	33	2.2	2.1	2.0	1.8	1.8	1,871	
Rapid Creek	44	46	43	40	40	2.1	2.2	2.0	1.9	1.9	2,152	
Rosebery - Bellamack	92	92	82	74	73	2.4	2.4	2.1	1.9	1.8	4,012	
Stuart Park	70	68	61	57	55	2.4	2.3	2.0	1.9	1.8	3,053	
Tiwi	42	41	39	40	39	3.1	3.0	2.8	2.9	2.8	1,403	
Virginia	55	55	51	49	46	2.7	2.7	2.5	2.4	2.2	2,060	
Wagaman	52	53	48	47	46	4.6	4.7	4.2	4.1	3.9	1,170	
Wanguri	39	39	37	35	36	3.9	3.9	3.7	3.4	3.5	1,037	
Weddell	130	129	121	118	113	5.2	5.1	4.8	4.6	4.4	2,582	
Woodroffe	124	126	117	113	118	6.8	6.9	6.4	6.1	6.3	1,876	
Woolner - Bayview - Winnellie	45	48	45	43	39	2.2	2.4	2.2	2.1	1.9	2,092	
Wulagi	56	56	53	52	53	4.0	4.0	3.8	3.7	3.7	1,433	
<i>Rest of Northern Territory</i>	<i>2,700</i>	<i>2,500</i>	<i>2,700</i>	<i>2,600</i>	<i>2,700</i>	<i>5.1</i>	<i>4.6</i>	<i>4.8</i>	<i>4.7</i>	<i>4.8</i>	<i>55,800</i>	
Alligator	80	70	75	75	74	2.8	2.4	2.5	2.5	2.5	3,007	
Anindilyakwa	81	78	85	85	92	5.7	5.4	5.8	5.7	6.2	1,491	
Barkly	81	76	82	83	89	7.9	7.2	7.7	7.7	8.2	1,090	
Charles	230	208	209	182	164	7.5	6.6	6.6	5.7	5.1	3,238	
Daly	79	72	76	77	82	7.7	6.9	7.1	7.1	7.6	1,086	
East Arnhem	316	296	335	344	359	13.3	12.2	13.6	13.9	14.3	2,502	
East Side	60	52	57	57	62	1.4	1.2	1.3	1.3	1.4	4,391	
Elsley	79	75	83	84	89	8.1	7.5	8.2	8.2	8.7	1,028	
Flynn (NT)	49	45	48	47	47	1.4	1.3	1.3	1.3	1.3	3,623	
Gulf	189	174	187	188	199	10.9	9.8	10.4	10.3	10.8	1,835	
Katherine	205	189	202	197	199	3.0	2.7	2.8	2.7	2.8	7,235	
Larapinta	51	44	46	45	46	1.3	1.1	1.2	1.1	1.2	3,986	
Mount Johns	25	23	25	26	25	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.7	3,587	
Nhulunbuy	34	29	24	23	22	1.3	1.1	0.9	0.9	0.8	2,701	
Petermann - Simpson	49	44	46	45	45	3.2	2.8	2.9	2.8	2.8	1,610	
Ross	22	19	20	21	21	1.2	1.0	1.1	1.1	1.1	1,883	
Sandover - Plenty	110	102	113	119	120	6.6	6.0	6.5	6.8	6.8	1,763	
Tanami	146	134	143	139	142	11.3	10.1	10.6	10.3	10.4	1,367	
Tennant Creek	118	111	118	112	111	6.3	5.8	6.1	5.7	5.6	1,976	
Thamarrurr*	126	124	135	134	138	15.0	14.4	15.5	15.3	15.6	885	
Tiwi Islands*	120	112	119	117	116	12.7	11.6	12.1	11.8	11.6	998	
Victoria River	82	77	84	83	91	6.7	6.1	6.6	6.5	7.0	1,292	
West Arnhem	260	248	267	263	271	13.1	12.2	13.0	12.7	13.0	2,090	
Yuendumu - Anmatjere	88	79	83	84	88	8.3	7.2	7.5	7.5	7.8	1,124	
Australian Capital Territory	10,300	9,800	9,300	8,100	8,100	4.0	3.8	3.6	3.1	3.0	267,200	
ACT - South West*	9	10	10	10	9	2.7	2.9	2.9	2.9	2.6	350	
Acton	31	28	23	12	12	2.2	2.0	1.6	0.8	0.8	1,457	

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Ainslie	140	134	129	121	122	5.0	4.8	4.6	4.2	4.2	2,898	
Amaroo	138	125	111	90	97	3.8	3.5	3.1	2.4	2.6	3,726	
Aranda	34	30	28	25	24	2.6	2.3	2.1	1.9	1.8	1,346	
Banks	127	127	122	106	102	4.2	4.1	4.0	3.4	3.2	3,169	
Barton	7	7	7	7	6	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.4	1,461	
Belconnen	287	276	263	215	209	5.3	5.1	4.8	3.9	3.7	5,586	
Bonner	145	138	141	129	138	3.4	3.3	3.3	3.0	3.2	4,375	
Bonython	98	88	84	77	81	4.3	3.9	3.7	3.3	3.5	2,333	
Braddon	150	146	138	119	122	3.2	3.2	3.0	2.5	2.5	4,792	
Bruce	159	143	131	109	104	3.4	3.1	2.8	2.3	2.2	4,796	
Calwell	126	125	116	91	78	3.7	3.7	3.4	2.6	2.2	3,501	
Campbell	71	68	64	60	57	2.8	2.6	2.5	2.3	2.1	2,670	
Canberra East*	95	98	92	90	91	16.5	17.0	15.8	15.3	15.3	596	
Casey	112	104	95	82	81	2.8	2.6	2.3	2.0	1.9	4,158	
Chapman	20	21	22	21	22	1.4	1.5	1.5	1.4	1.5	1,497	
Charnwood	190	181	169	134	131	12.0	11.4	10.5	8.2	8.0	1,645	
Chifley	53	48	44	36	34	3.5	3.2	2.9	2.3	2.2	1,559	
Chisholm	173	160	149	124	126	5.8	5.4	5.0	4.1	4.1	3,083	
Civic	96	92	89	81	80	3.5	3.3	3.2	2.8	2.8	2,874	
Conder	125	114	102	88	87	4.2	3.8	3.4	2.9	2.8	3,080	
Cook	47	44	41	38	41	3.0	2.8	2.6	2.4	2.6	1,603	
Coombs	77	75	75	69	70	2.6	2.5	2.5	2.2	2.2	3,123	
Crace	52	45	39	34	34	1.8	1.6	1.3	1.2	1.1	2,983	
Curtin	68	66	64	56	57	2.4	2.3	2.2	1.9	1.9	2,939	
Deakin	27	23	20	19	20	1.7	1.5	1.3	1.2	1.2	1,617	
Denman Prospect	25	26	24	21	20	1.5	1.5	1.4	1.2	1.1	1,762	
Dickson	69	65	57	49	45	3.5	3.3	2.8	2.4	2.2	2,058	
Downer	141	136	127	110	105	6.1	5.8	5.4	4.6	4.4	2,413	
Duffy	69	63	58	54	57	3.9	3.5	3.2	2.9	3.1	1,854	
Dunlop	209	191	173	136	128	5.0	4.6	4.1	3.2	3.0	4,334	
Duntroon	0	1	1	2	2	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	1,783	
Evatt	164	168	166	151	142	5.4	5.5	5.4	4.9	4.5	3,144	
Fadden	18	15	16	15	13	1.1	0.9	1.0	0.9	0.8	1,724	
Farrer	37	35	31	29	28	1.9	1.8	1.6	1.4	1.4	2,052	
Fisher	60	60	61	62	60	3.7	3.7	3.7	3.7	3.6	1,679	
Florey	191	195	198	191	184	7.5	7.6	7.7	7.3	6.9	2,649	
Flynn (ACT)	84	76	65	50	47	4.4	3.9	3.3	2.5	2.4	1,999	
Forde	44	40	35	29	33	1.7	1.5	1.3	1.1	1.2	2,700	
Forrest	12	10	9	8	7	1.0	0.9	0.8	0.7	0.6	1,192	
Franklin	128	117	110	99	98	2.7	2.5	2.3	2.1	2.0	4,838	
Fraser	32	30	30	28	29	2.9	2.7	2.7	2.5	2.5	1,150	
Garran	35	34	33	31	28	2.0	1.9	1.8	1.7	1.5	1,839	
Gilmore	85	87	82	66	67	5.5	5.6	5.2	4.1	4.2	1,609	
Giralang	85	77	72	61	58	4.7	4.3	4.0	3.3	3.1	1,868	
Gordon (ACT)	209	198	191	170	168	4.5	4.3	4.1	3.6	3.5	4,813	
Gowrie (ACT)	78	78	77	69	71	4.7	4.7	4.6	4.1	4.1	1,719	
Greenway	80	74	68	60	66	3.2	3.0	2.7	2.4	2.6	2,554	
Griffith (ACT)	79	79	83	75	68	2.4	2.4	2.5	2.3	2.0	3,351	
Gungahlin	210	202	195	169	164	3.9	3.7	3.6	3.0	2.9	5,629	
Hackett	87	85	76	59	54	5.2	5.1	4.5	3.4	3.1	1,736	
Hall*	4	4	3	2	2	2.7	2.7	2.0	1.3	1.3	152	
Harrison	124	117	110	98	95	2.5	2.3	2.2	1.9	1.8	5,210	
Hawker	78	75	72	60	59	5.0	4.8	4.6	3.8	3.7	1,605	
Higgins	103	100	98	85	90	6.0	5.8	5.7	4.8	5.1	1,774	
Holder	32	31	32	34	39	2.2	2.1	2.1	2.2	2.5	1,536	
Holt	196	183	173	154	149	6.9	6.5	6.1	5.3	5.1	2,934	
Hughes	48	46	43	38	37	3.1	3.0	2.8	2.4	2.3	1,603	
Isaacs	22	19	17	16	15	1.9	1.6	1.4	1.3	1.2	1,209	
Isabella Plains	113	101	96	89	95	4.7	4.2	4.0	3.6	3.8	2,479	
Jacka*	24	23	24	22	21	6.1	5.9	6.1	5.5	5.2	406	
Kaleen	189	185	182	168	174	4.6	4.5	4.4	4.0	4.1	4,258	
Kambah	460	440	429	372	364	5.6	5.3	5.1	4.4	4.3	8,553	
Kingston (ACT)	68	64	59	52	50	1.4	1.3	1.2	1.0	1.0	5,056	
Latham	123	119	115	103	103	6.1	5.9	5.7	5.0	5.0	2,080	
Lawson	31	24	23	22	22	2.1	1.6	1.5	1.4	1.4	1,564	
Lyneham	168	159	144	122	116	5.0	4.8	4.3	3.6	3.4	3,450	
Lyons (ACT)	66	68	62	55	55	3.9	4.1	3.7	3.2	3.2	1,733	
Macarthur*	19	16	15	11	8	2.3	2.0	1.8	1.3	0.9	844	
Macgregor (ACT)	207	196	180	149	146	5.2	4.9	4.5	3.6	3.5	4,151	
Macquarie	101	100	102	99	101	6.1	6.1	6.1	5.9	5.9	1,707	
Majura*	2	2	2	3	3	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.4	1.4	211	
Mawson	79	73	71	65	69	4.3	4.0	3.8	3.5	3.6	1,893	
McKellar	85	81	76	56	48	5.6	5.4	5.0	3.6	3.1	1,561	

Table 1: Estimates of unemployment and unemployment rates by Statistical Area Level 2, March quarter 2022 to March quarter 2023, smoothed series

Statistical Area Level 2 (2016 ASGS)	Unemployment					Unemployment Rate (%)				Labour Force	
	Mar-22	Jun-22	Sep-22	Dec-22	Mar-23	Mar-22	Jun-22	Sep-22	Dec-22	Mar-23	Mar-23
Melba	84	77	72	61	58	5.1	4.7	4.3	3.6	3.4	1,703
Monash	133	128	119	106	106	4.5	4.3	4.0	3.5	3.4	3,086
Moncrieff	117	113	112	100	105	3.8	3.7	3.6	3.2	3.3	3,167
Narrabundah	155	148	142	129	132	4.4	4.1	3.9	3.5	3.6	3,690
Ngunnawal	265	253	240	205	206	4.1	3.9	3.6	3.1	3.0	6,768
Nicholls	82	77	71	59	57	2.1	2.0	1.8	1.5	1.4	4,011
O'Connor (ACT)	150	140	128	110	107	4.3	4.1	3.7	3.1	3.0	3,574
O'Malley*	6	6	6	4	3	1.2	1.2	1.2	0.8	0.6	505
Oxley (ACT)*	76	74	74	64	62	8.0	7.8	7.7	6.6	6.3	984
Page	103	100	92	74	68	7.3	7.1	6.5	5.1	4.7	1,458
Palmerston	125	118	109	96	93	4.0	3.7	3.4	3.0	2.8	3,268
Pearce	35	37	38	34	37	2.5	2.7	2.7	2.4	2.6	1,439
Phillip	117	111	104	90	90	3.3	3.1	2.9	2.4	2.4	3,729
Red Hill (ACT)	25	21	18	16	15	1.6	1.3	1.1	1.0	0.9	1,667
Reid*	62	63	63	62	64	6.8	6.9	6.8	6.6	6.7	950
Richardson	120	113	105	92	92	6.9	6.5	6.0	5.2	5.1	1,794
Rivett	88	85	82	72	77	5.3	5.1	4.9	4.2	4.5	1,723
Scullin	104	98	93	82	87	6.6	6.2	5.9	5.1	5.3	1,627
Spence	113	114	114	101	99	8.3	8.3	8.3	7.2	7.0	1,416
Stirling	45	42	41	41	38	4.5	4.2	4.1	4.0	3.7	1,035
Taylor	56	56	57	52	63	4.7	4.7	4.7	4.3	5.1	1,235
Theodore	141	140	135	110	103	6.1	6.0	5.8	4.6	4.3	2,406
Throsby	27	26	26	25	26	2.1	2.0	2.0	1.9	2.0	1,317
Torrens	50	45	39	34	33	3.9	3.5	3.0	2.6	2.5	1,318
Turner	114	112	107	94	83	3.8	3.8	3.6	3.1	2.7	3,072
Wanniassa	225	218	203	182	186	5.3	5.2	4.8	4.2	4.3	4,357
Waramanga	54	49	45	37	37	3.8	3.5	3.2	2.6	2.5	1,452
Watson	137	130	118	102	101	3.5	3.3	3.0	2.5	2.5	4,085
Weetangera	30	26	20	18	16	2.1	1.8	1.4	1.2	1.1	1,470
West Belconnen*	44	45	44	37	34	8.5	8.7	8.4	7.0	6.3	537
Weston	60	58	52	45	45	2.9	2.8	2.5	2.1	2.1	2,118
Wright	52	48	47	43	47	2.0	1.8	1.8	1.6	1.7	2,715
Yarralumla	42	41	39	30	28	2.7	2.6	2.5	1.9	1.7	1,617

Source: Data for Australia, the States, Territories and the Greater Capital City Statistical Areas are from ABS, *Labour Force, Australia, Detailed*. Data are 12-month averages of *original* estimates so as to be comparable with SALM data.

* Due to the small size of the labour force, particular care should be exercised when interpreting these estimates.

Table 2: Estimates of unemployment and unemployment rates by Local Government Area, March quarter 2022 to March quarter 2023, smoothed series

Local Government Area	Unemployment					Unemployment Rate (%)					Labour Force	
	Mar-22	Jun-22	Sep-22	Dec-22	Mar-23	Mar-22	Jun-22	Sep-22	Dec-22	Mar-23	Mar-23	
AUSTRALIA	635,500	591,600	557,800	523,000	510,000	4.6	4.3	4.0	3.7	3.6	14,219,900	
New South Wales	195,200	179,200	168,400	154,500	147,500	4.6	4.2	3.9	3.5	3.3	4,423,000	
Albury	1,469	1,292	1,162	1,216	1,339	5.1	4.5	3.9	3.9	4.0	33,244	
Armidale	867	965	957	855	684	6.0	6.6	6.6	5.8	4.6	14,759	
Ballina	655	671	605	568	535	2.7	2.7	2.4	2.3	2.1	25,228	
Balranald †	27	22	19	19	21	2.2	1.8	1.5	1.4	1.5	1,420	
Bathurst	536	549	510	389	380	2.1	2.2	2.1	1.6	1.6	24,271	
Bayside (NSW)	4,458	3,984	3,634	3,245	2,979	4.4	4.0	3.5	3.1	2.9	103,676	
Bega Valley	1,291	1,148	965	881	629	8.4	7.2	5.9	5.3	3.8	16,606	
Bellingen	234	214	262	291	270	3.8	3.4	4.2	4.6	4.3	6,287	
Berrigan	137	121	110	117	129	3.4	3.1	2.7	2.7	2.8	4,585	
Blacktown	12,451	11,155	9,818	9,340	9,056	5.6	5.1	4.4	4.1	3.9	231,091	
Bland	48	50	46	37	36	1.5	1.6	1.5	1.2	1.2	3,039	
Blayney	81	82	73	54	52	1.9	1.9	1.7	1.3	1.2	4,174	
Blue Mountains	1,328	1,207	1,156	1,022	1,094	3.2	2.9	2.7	2.4	2.6	42,464	
Bogan †	47	58	63	71	72	3.6	4.4	4.5	5.0	5.1	1,411	
Bourke †	93	112	122	137	136	8.0	9.5	10.0	11.0	11.0	1,242	
Brewarrina* †	60	72	78	87	86	8.3	9.8	10.2	11.2	11.1	773	
Broken Hill	407	467	481	534	512	4.9	5.5	5.4	5.9	5.7	8,959	
Burwood †	941	705	701	695	674	4.4	3.3	3.2	3.1	3.0	22,706	
Byron	898	923	815	756	683	4.3	4.4	3.8	3.5	3.1	21,719	
Cabonne †	105	110	102	85	83	1.3	1.4	1.3	1.1	1.1	7,755	
Camden	1,736	1,606	1,528	1,380	1,220	2.6	2.4	2.2	2.0	1.7	71,109	
Campbelltown (NSW)	5,695	5,329	5,077	4,797	4,300	6.4	5.9	5.5	5.1	4.5	95,174	
Canada Bay	1,410	1,023	989	958	934	2.7	2.0	1.9	1.8	1.7	54,628	
Canterbury-Bankstown	14,435	13,153	12,789	11,562	10,409	8.3	7.5	7.1	6.3	5.6	185,163	
Carrathool †	27	30	33	35	29	1.7	1.9	2.0	2.1	1.8	1,654	
Central Coast (NSW)	6,835	5,739	5,676	5,220	4,915	4.3	3.7	3.6	3.3	3.0	161,903	
Central Darling* †	58	67	69	76	77	6.8	7.8	7.7	8.3	8.5	910	
Cessnock	1,502	1,496	1,539	1,436	1,623	5.2	5.2	5.3	4.8	5.3	30,789	
Clarence Valley	954	872	1,070	1,175	1,093	4.1	3.7	4.5	4.9	4.6	23,760	
Cobar	49	58	59	68	66	2.2	2.6	2.5	2.8	2.8	2,399	
Coffs Harbour	1,335	1,226	1,490	1,614	1,488	3.4	3.1	3.8	4.0	3.7	39,937	
Coolamon †	40	45	49	54	46	1.4	1.6	1.8	1.9	1.6	2,818	
Coonamble	101	118	129	144	141	5.4	6.2	6.5	7.1	7.0	2,016	
Cootamundra-Gundagai	140	159	180	193	165	2.6	3.0	3.4	3.6	3.0	5,451	
Cowra	228	238	225	177	172	3.6	3.8	3.6	2.8	2.8	6,188	
Cumberland	9,131	8,337	8,005	6,920	6,506	7.9	7.2	6.8	5.7	5.3	123,178	
Dubbo	807	950	991	1,116	1,097	2.8	3.2	3.2	3.6	3.5	31,191	
Dungog	147	148	152	141	155	3.2	3.2	3.3	3.0	3.2	4,914	
Edward River	206	177	159	166	184	5.0	4.3	3.7	3.7	3.8	4,783	
Eurobodalla	1,566	1,393	1,186	1,092	782	9.9	8.5	7.1	6.4	4.6	17,071	
Fairfield	9,739	9,108	8,749	7,890	7,184	11.0	10.2	9.5	8.3	7.5	96,076	
Federation	232	197	171	181	195	3.8	3.3	2.8	2.7	2.8	6,967	
Forbes	127	131	122	96	96	2.5	2.6	2.5	1.9	1.9	4,925	
Georges River	3,342	3,028	2,887	2,575	2,266	4.1	3.7	3.4	3.0	2.6	86,857	
Gilgandra	80	94	99	110	108	3.7	4.3	4.3	4.7	4.7	2,313	
Glen Innes Severn	312	358	365	331	265	7.8	9.0	9.1	8.2	6.5	4,056	
Goulburn Mulwaree	1,127	1,043	906	823	593	7.5	6.7	5.7	5.1	3.6	16,360	
Greater Hume	149	130	111	113	121	2.6	2.3	1.9	1.8	1.8	6,596	
Griffith	292	329	371	397	338	1.9	2.2	2.4	2.6	2.2	15,513	
Gunnedah	339	365	353	306	236	5.3	5.7	5.5	4.7	3.6	6,531	
Gwydir †	116	124	122	109	87	4.8	5.1	5.0	4.5	3.5	2,459	
Hawkesbury	1,852	1,494	1,400	1,363	1,511	4.9	3.9	3.7	3.5	3.9	38,864	
Hay	58	54	50	52	55	3.8	3.5	3.2	3.1	3.1	1,756	
Hilltops	704	642	550	515	378	8.2	7.2	6.0	5.6	4.0	9,336	
Hornsby	3,196	2,775	2,755	2,582	2,699	3.9	3.4	3.3	3.1	3.2	84,993	
Hunters Hill	214	199	181	146	133	2.9	2.7	2.4	1.9	1.7	7,696	
Inner West	5,571	4,543	4,202	4,084	4,078	4.8	3.9	3.5	3.4	3.4	119,604	
Inverell	615	686	685	607	481	7.6	8.5	8.4	7.4	5.8	8,237	
Junee	67	75	83	88	76	2.3	2.6	2.9	3.1	2.6	2,912	
Kempsey	633	560	534	578	630	5.2	4.6	4.6	5.1	5.7	10,984	
Kiama	248	209	175	136	128	2.1	1.8	1.4	1.1	1.0	12,535	
Ku-ring-gai	1,572	1,406	1,337	1,210	1,172	2.6	2.3	2.1	1.9	1.8	63,677	
Kyogle	253	271	251	241	233	5.7	6.0	5.4	5.2	5.0	4,675	
Lachlan	107	110	104	84	83	3.2	3.4	3.2	2.6	2.6	3,208	
Lake Macquarie	4,399	4,459	4,157	4,214	3,926	4.0	4.0	3.7	3.6	3.3	119,441	
Lane Cove	589	513	489	435	428	2.8	2.4	2.3	2.0	1.9	21,992	
Leeton	160	178	203	219	191	2.7	3.1	3.5	3.7	3.2	5,936	
Lismore	1,262	1,407	1,304	1,232	1,105	5.3	5.8	5.2	4.9	4.4	25,185	
Lithgow	310	317	299	236	231	3.0	3.1	2.9	2.3	2.3	10,133	

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Local Government Area	Unemployment					Unemployment Rate (%)					Labour Force	
	Mar-22	Jun-22	Sep-22	Dec-22	Mar-23	Mar-22	Jun-22	Sep-22	Dec-22	Mar-23	Mar-23	
Liverpool	7,833	7,322	7,064	6,321	5,702	7.1	6.6	6.2	5.4	4.8	119,587	
Liverpool Plains	207	226	222	198	156	5.8	6.3	6.1	5.4	4.3	3,655	
Lockhart †	27	31	34	37	32	1.3	1.5	1.6	1.8	1.5	2,139	
Maitland	1,593	1,564	1,579	1,477	1,649	3.5	3.4	3.4	3.1	3.4	48,772	
Mid-Coast	1,546	1,393	1,342	1,447	1,565	4.1	3.7	3.7	4.1	4.5	34,818	
Mid-Western	323	335	308	237	226	2.3	2.5	2.3	1.8	1.7	13,291	
Moree Plains	472	509	505	450	379	7.0	7.5	7.5	6.6	5.5	6,852	
Mosman	369	315	296	262	252	2.4	2.1	1.9	1.7	1.6	15,888	
Murray River	150	124	107	116	134	2.4	2.0	1.7	1.7	1.9	7,217	
Murrumbidgee †	45	46	47	49	46	2.1	2.2	2.2	2.3	2.1	2,225	
Muswellbrook	399	404	420	394	449	5.0	5.1	5.2	4.8	5.3	8,510	
Nambucca Valley	425	377	363	396	434	5.4	4.7	4.8	5.3	6.0	7,218	
Narrabri	338	365	361	321	257	5.0	5.4	5.3	4.7	3.7	6,896	
Narrandera	106	122	138	145	122	3.8	4.3	4.9	5.1	4.3	2,865	
Narromine	112	124	127	144	143	3.5	3.8	3.8	4.2	4.2	3,441	
Newcastle	4,142	4,260	4,030	4,102	3,813	4.3	4.3	4.0	4.0	3.6	105,716	
North Sydney	1,202	1,084	1,074	992	987	2.7	2.4	2.4	2.2	2.1	46,263	
Northern Beaches	5,060	4,975	4,705	3,761	3,633	3.4	3.3	3.1	2.4	2.3	158,205	
Oberon	52	52	46	34	32	1.7	1.7	1.5	1.1	1.1	2,944	
Orange	556	564	517	396	391	2.2	2.3	2.1	1.6	1.6	23,891	
Parkes	240	252	235	184	177	3.1	3.3	3.1	2.4	2.4	7,501	
Parramatta	5,706	5,078	4,791	4,070	3,686	4.0	3.6	3.3	2.8	2.5	150,155	
Penrith	5,483	5,015	4,901	4,438	4,797	4.5	4.1	4.0	3.6	3.9	124,432	
Port Macquarie-Hastings	1,030	905	855	910	964	2.8	2.4	2.4	2.6	2.8	33,844	
Port Stephens	1,500	1,483	1,490	1,388	1,552	4.4	4.3	4.3	3.9	4.2	36,553	
Queanbeyan-Palerang	1,143	1,010	858	777	558	3.3	2.8	2.3	2.1	1.5	38,016	
Randwick	2,741	2,545	2,503	2,500	3,043	3.6	3.4	3.4	3.4	4.2	73,164	
Richmond Valley	605	654	605	573	548	5.5	5.9	5.3	5.0	4.8	11,529	
Ryde	3,585	3,279	2,961	2,228	1,884	4.8	4.3	3.8	2.8	2.4	78,744	
Shellharbour	2,067	1,812	1,553	1,249	1,227	5.2	4.5	3.8	3.0	2.9	42,261	
Shoalhaven	3,609	3,028	2,161	1,181	861	7.3	6.2	4.5	2.5	1.8	48,250	
Singleton	347	347	361	352	417	2.6	2.6	2.7	2.6	3.0	14,026	
Snowy Monaro	576	501	416	373	267	4.9	4.2	3.4	3.0	2.1	12,592	
Snowy Valleys	187	218	240	258	218	2.5	2.9	3.2	3.4	2.9	7,602	
Strathfield	1,066	828	834	812	790	4.0	3.0	3.0	2.9	2.8	28,546	
Sutherland	3,737	3,202	2,792	2,636	2,781	2.8	2.4	2.1	1.9	2.0	137,874	
Sydney	6,489	5,837	4,995	4,641	4,771	4.3	3.9	3.3	3.1	3.2	148,159	
Tamworth	1,623	1,807	1,815	1,599	1,259	5.1	5.6	5.6	4.9	3.9	32,526	
Temora	72	78	86	94	80	2.5	2.7	3.0	3.3	2.8	2,903	
Tenterfield	263	297	299	268	213	8.7	9.8	9.9	8.8	6.9	3,066	
The Hills	3,715	2,635	2,139	2,122	2,513	3.6	2.5	2.0	2.0	2.3	107,216	
Tweed	1,836	1,878	1,662	1,551	1,460	3.8	3.8	3.3	3.1	2.9	50,403	
Upper Hunter	187	189	194	185	218	2.5	2.6	2.6	2.4	2.8	7,815	
Upper Lachlan †	164	149	128	121	88	3.9	3.4	2.9	2.7	1.9	4,556	
Uralla	120	127	123	108	84	3.9	4.2	4.0	3.5	2.7	3,096	
Wagga Wagga	940	1,045	1,165	1,250	1,066	2.5	2.8	3.2	3.4	2.8	37,508	
Walcha	62	64	62	51	39	3.8	3.9	3.8	3.1	2.4	1,648	
Walgett	250	294	302	337	326	9.8	11.4	11.2	12.3	12.0	2,725	
Warren †	50	61	66	74	75	3.7	4.5	4.7	5.1	5.2	1,439	
Warrumbungle	176	200	208	227	215	4.0	4.5	4.5	4.9	4.7	4,622	
Waverley	1,042	939	881	858	1,006	2.3	2.1	2.0	2.0	2.3	43,139	
Weddin	36	39	37	32	32	1.9	2.1	2.0	1.8	1.8	1,798	
Wentworth	191	167	147	151	166	5.4	4.7	4.0	3.9	4.1	4,074	
Willoughby	1,352	1,205	1,160	1,042	1,026	3.3	2.9	2.8	2.4	2.4	43,008	
Wingecarribee	743	621	440	247	187	2.7	2.3	1.7	0.9	0.7	26,735	
Wollondilly	801	750	710	647	574	2.7	2.5	2.3	2.1	1.8	31,521	
Wollongong	5,362	4,734	4,101	3,323	3,280	4.8	4.2	3.6	2.8	2.8	117,648	
Woollahra	647	577	516	485	579	2.0	1.8	1.7	1.6	1.9	31,102	
Yass Valley	312	286	245	227	163	3.4	3.0	2.5	2.3	1.6	9,935	
Unincorporated NSW* †	22	25	26	29	29	3.7	4.2	4.4	4.9	5.0	584	
Victoria	161,200	152,200	145,000	136,000	134,500	4.5	4.3	4.0	3.7	3.7	3,662,200	
Alpine	131	132	156	163	156	1.8	1.8	2.2	2.3	2.2	7,246	
Ararat	185	214	261	281	289	3.3	3.7	4.3	4.6	4.7	6,156	
Ballarat	2,041	2,378	2,245	1,938	2,053	3.4	4.0	3.8	3.3	3.5	58,921	
Banyule	2,113	1,922	1,917	1,919	1,726	3.0	2.7	2.7	2.6	2.4	73,128	
Bass Coast	880	706	629	604	664	4.9	4.0	3.5	3.3	3.6	18,686	
Baw Baw	992	808	721	680	732	3.5	2.9	2.6	2.4	2.5	29,464	
Bayside (Vic.)	1,197	1,078	993	1,153	1,321	2.2	2.0	1.8	2.0	2.3	56,791	
Benalla	220	230	279	309	310	3.0	3.1	3.8	4.2	4.2	7,403	
Boroondara	3,524	2,830	2,505	1,984	2,092	3.5	2.8	2.5	2.0	2.1	97,904	
Brimbank	7,342	6,859	7,136	6,716	6,841	7.2	6.7	6.8	6.3	6.3	109,364	
Buloke	75	86	108	123	129	2.5	2.8	3.4	3.8	4.0	3,265	

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Campaspe	393	357	485	573	450	2.2	2.0	2.5	2.8	2.2	20,341	
Cardinia	3,913	3,951	3,629	3,148	2,741	5.7	5.7	5.2	4.6	4.0	68,764	
Casey	13,084	13,024	11,907	10,441	9,364	6.3	6.2	5.7	5.0	4.5	206,582	
Central Goldfields	355	414	395	349	395	6.5	7.5	7.1	6.3	7.2	5,463	
Colac Otway	377	304	235	184	192	3.2	2.5	2.0	1.5	1.6	12,375	
Corangamite	241	193	151	122	126	2.8	2.3	1.8	1.4	1.4	8,829	
Darebin	4,469	4,032	3,865	3,685	3,373	5.2	4.7	4.5	4.2	3.9	87,230	
East Gippsland	1,309	1,084	984	947	1,052	6.1	5.1	4.7	4.4	4.7	22,199	
Frankston	3,983	3,604	3,130	2,991	2,817	5.2	4.6	4.0	3.8	3.6	78,601	
Gannawarra	137	149	176	201	209	2.7	2.8	3.2	3.6	3.7	5,671	
Glen Eira	2,331	2,192	2,093	2,512	2,982	2.8	2.6	2.5	2.9	3.4	87,036	
Glennelg	491	405	323	255	269	4.8	3.9	3.1	2.4	2.5	10,719	
Golden Plains	269	268	245	214	250	1.9	1.9	1.8	1.5	1.8	13,929	
Greater Bendigo	2,435	2,691	2,338	2,189	2,475	3.7	4.1	3.6	3.3	3.6	68,446	
Greater Dandenong	6,950	7,012	6,543	5,832	5,259	8.6	8.6	8.0	7.2	6.5	80,752	
Greater Geelong	4,404	4,233	4,019	3,584	4,096	3.0	2.8	2.7	2.4	2.7	149,776	
Greater Shepparton	895	803	1,139	1,344	1,081	2.8	2.5	3.3	3.8	3.0	36,055	
Hepburn	216	240	226	196	210	2.6	2.9	2.7	2.3	2.5	8,300	
Hindmarsh	83	96	116	125	129	3.0	3.4	3.9	4.2	4.2	3,036	
Hobsons Bay	2,024	1,860	1,916	1,803	1,818	3.9	3.5	3.6	3.3	3.2	56,467	
Horsham	271	302	352	379	382	2.5	2.7	3.0	3.2	3.2	11,952	
Hume	10,185	10,850	10,135	9,360	8,549	8.4	8.7	8.0	7.3	6.6	129,412	
Indigo	150	151	186	200	200	1.6	1.6	2.0	2.1	2.1	9,721	
Kingston (Vic.)	3,228	3,061	2,885	3,211	3,540	3.6	3.4	3.2	3.5	3.9	91,550	
Knox	3,186	2,952	2,807	2,803	2,900	3.7	3.4	3.2	3.1	3.2	91,406	
Latrobe (Vic.)	2,792	2,345	2,107	2,015	2,160	7.5	6.4	5.7	5.4	5.6	38,620	
Loddon	185	211	190	185	219	5.0	5.8	5.2	5.0	5.7	3,849	
Macedon Ranges	573	590	534	500	483	2.0	2.1	1.9	1.7	1.6	29,672	
Manningham	3,337	2,713	2,450	2,062	2,100	5.0	4.1	3.7	3.1	3.2	65,516	
Mansfield	84	81	98	102	101	1.5	1.5	1.8	1.9	1.8	5,488	
Maribyrnong	2,739	2,546	2,628	2,577	2,690	5.1	4.7	4.8	4.6	4.6	57,887	
Maroondah	2,311	2,125	2,001	2,009	2,102	3.7	3.4	3.2	3.1	3.2	65,403	
Melbourne	5,242	4,767	4,155	3,466	3,372	5.5	5.1	4.5	3.7	3.7	92,355	
Melton	5,504	5,200	5,491	5,286	5,595	6.1	5.7	5.9	5.5	5.7	97,928	
Mildura	1,031	1,158	1,371	1,486	1,541	3.6	3.9	4.4	4.7	4.8	31,850	
Mitchell	1,010	967	1,042	1,084	1,026	3.7	3.6	3.8	3.9	3.7	27,731	
Moira	289	248	339	381	288	2.1	1.8	2.3	2.5	1.9	15,177	
Monash	3,663	3,629	3,310	2,890	2,485	3.5	3.5	3.2	2.8	2.4	103,315	
Moonee Valley	3,064	2,821	2,472	2,159	2,033	4.4	4.0	3.5	3.1	2.9	70,519	
Moorabool	801	792	814	773	787	3.9	3.8	3.9	3.6	3.7	21,462	
Moreland	5,472	5,083	4,511	3,943	3,711	5.5	5.1	4.5	3.9	3.7	100,590	
Mornington Peninsula	2,897	2,622	2,277	2,175	2,046	3.4	3.0	2.6	2.5	2.4	86,527	
Mount Alexander	269	275	238	224	276	2.7	2.8	2.4	2.2	2.6	10,431	
Moyne	239	196	155	117	117	2.5	2.0	1.6	1.2	1.2	9,933	
Murrindindi	231	215	244	252	245	2.9	2.7	3.0	3.1	3.0	8,230	
Nillumbik	723	632	610	562	490	1.9	1.6	1.6	1.4	1.2	39,555	
Northern Grampians	168	190	236	260	271	2.9	3.1	3.7	4.1	4.2	6,447	
Port Phillip	3,084	2,726	2,399	2,084	2,033	4.4	3.9	3.5	3.0	3.0	68,384	
Pyrenees	128	148	143	127	142	3.8	4.3	4.2	3.7	4.2	3,388	
Queenscliffe †	18	17	16	16	19	1.1	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.1	1,685	
South Gippsland	462	373	346	345	389	3.1	2.6	2.4	2.3	2.5	15,265	
Southern Grampians	321	267	215	168	175	3.7	3.1	2.5	1.9	1.9	9,007	
Stonnington	1,938	1,670	1,439	1,334	1,389	2.9	2.5	2.2	2.0	2.1	66,967	
Strathbogie	144	145	173	185	187	2.4	2.4	2.9	3.1	3.1	5,990	
Surf Coast	281	254	235	202	221	1.3	1.2	1.1	0.9	1.0	21,978	
Swan Hill	283	312	366	401	406	2.6	2.7	3.1	3.4	3.4	12,076	
Towong	72	74	94	101	104	2.2	2.2	2.8	3.0	3.1	3,367	
Wangaratta	413	418	507	538	524	2.6	2.6	3.2	3.4	3.2	16,279	
Warrnambool	665	537	419	322	332	3.4	2.7	2.1	1.6	1.6	20,236	
Wellington	1,066	893	828	791	854	4.9	4.1	3.8	3.6	3.8	22,722	
West Wimmera	37	42	53	61	65	1.8	2.0	2.4	2.7	2.9	2,242	
Whitehorse	4,631	3,913	3,600	3,074	3,180	5.0	4.3	3.9	3.3	3.4	92,461	
Whittlesea	6,203	5,753	5,865	5,932	5,386	5.1	4.7	4.7	4.6	4.2	127,585	
Wodonga	746	777	920	978	963	3.1	3.2	3.8	4.1	3.9	24,468	
Wyndham	7,696	7,228	7,588	7,325	7,702	4.8	4.5	4.6	4.3	4.5	172,431	
Yarra	3,129	2,727	2,364	2,006	1,970	4.9	4.3	3.8	3.2	3.2	61,710	
Yarra Ranges	3,106	2,911	2,830	2,873	3,005	3.7	3.4	3.3	3.3	3.4	88,646	
Yarriambiack	95	108	133	148	161	3.2	3.5	4.1	4.5	4.9	3,316	
Unincorporated Vic* †	12	10	11	11	11	2.2	1.9	2.1	2.1	2.0	544	
Queensland	138,000	129,200	119,600	111,200	109,100	4.9	4.5	4.2	3.9	3.8	2,893,100	
Balonne	157	142	122	106	91	5.9	5.3	4.6	4.1	3.5	2,586	
Banana	273	243	227	183	195	3.2	2.9	2.7	2.1	2.1	9,089	

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Barcardine †	42	44	42	38	37	2.7	2.8	2.7	2.5	2.5	1,479
Barcoo* †	5	6	5	5	5	3.0	3.6	3.0	3.1	3.2	157
Blackall Tambo* †	28	29	28	26	25	2.6	2.8	2.7	2.6	2.5	994
Boulia* †	8	9	8	8	8	3.0	3.4	3.0	3.1	3.2	251
Brisbane	32,266	28,325	25,336	24,257	23,744	4.3	3.8	3.4	3.2	3.1	759,661
Bulloo* †	14	16	16	15	14	7.1	8.2	8.3	8.0	7.7	183
Bundaberg	2,650	2,590	2,575	2,381	2,422	6.1	6.0	5.8	5.3	5.3	46,070
Burdekin	263	233	214	200	191	3.0	2.6	2.4	2.2	2.1	9,317
Burke* †	36	42	42	42	42	23.4	27.6	28.0	28.6	29.2	144
Cairns	3,867	4,073	4,061	3,664	3,714	4.0	4.1	4.0	3.6	3.7	100,803
Carpentaria* †	205	241	241	245	243	23.0	27.4	27.7	28.8	29.2	833
Cassowary Coast	687	720	736	674	715	4.5	4.6	4.6	4.2	4.5	15,891
Central Highlands (Qld)	665	589	538	444	497	4.0	3.5	3.2	2.6	2.8	17,768
Charters Towers	206	186	173	162	157	3.7	3.3	3.0	2.7	2.6	5,949
Cherbourg* †	52	52	52	48	49	10.6	10.5	10.4	9.3	9.4	522
Cloncurry	102	119	120	116	110	4.4	5.1	5.2	5.2	5.0	2,200
Cook †	369	426	433	432	417	18.7	21.9	22.5	23.0	22.6	1,845
Croydon* †	7	7	6	6	5	4.8	4.9	4.2	4.3	3.6	137
Diamantina* †	5	6	5	5	5	2.8	3.4	2.8	2.9	3.0	168
Doomadgee* †	147	173	173	176	175	23.0	27.3	27.6	28.8	29.2	599
Douglas	310	320	327	299	299	4.1	4.2	4.2	3.8	3.9	7,756
Etheridge* †	19	19	17	15	14	4.7	4.8	4.3	3.9	3.7	378
Flinders (Qld)* †	28	32	31	27	26	3.0	3.5	3.4	3.0	3.0	868
Fraser Coast	3,193	3,150	3,101	2,851	2,884	7.4	7.3	7.0	6.3	6.3	46,003
Gladstone	2,266	2,007	1,829	1,501	1,621	6.5	5.8	5.2	4.2	4.4	37,127
Gold Coast	16,638	14,690	12,648	10,670	8,538	4.4	3.9	3.4	2.9	2.3	365,534
Goondiwindi	325	305	270	234	192	5.5	5.2	4.6	4.1	3.4	5,709
Gympie	1,421	1,413	1,393	1,277	1,263	6.3	6.2	6.0	5.4	5.3	24,050
Hinchinbrook	178	162	149	140	133	3.4	3.1	2.7	2.5	2.4	5,546
Hope Vale* †	86	99	101	100	97	18.8	21.9	22.5	22.8	22.6	429
Ipswich	8,479	7,940	8,180	8,258	8,463	6.7	6.3	6.4	6.4	6.5	129,769
Isaac	124	143	150	142	164	0.9	1.0	1.0	0.9	1.1	14,919
Kowanyama* †	193	217	210	203	194	51.7	58.8	57.5	57.0	55.6	349
Livingstone	718	613	549	453	500	3.5	3.0	2.7	2.1	2.3	21,792
Lockhart River* †	63	73	74	74	72	18.6	21.8	22.4	22.9	22.7	317
Lockyer Valley	1,255	1,267	1,258	1,249	1,255	6.4	6.4	6.3	6.2	6.1	20,512
Logan	14,093	13,224	12,705	12,049	11,938	7.7	7.1	6.8	6.5	6.4	186,870
Longreach	51	57	59	57	56	2.3	2.6	2.7	2.7	2.7	2,050
Mackay	1,699	1,856	1,883	1,714	1,939	2.5	2.6	2.6	2.4	2.7	71,847
McKinlay* †	15	17	16	14	13	3.1	3.6	3.4	3.1	2.9	447
Mapoon* †	27	32	32	32	31	18.6	22.2	22.5	23.0	22.8	136
Maranoa	380	344	305	256	207	4.7	4.3	3.8	3.3	2.7	7,794
Mareeba	668	724	726	676	698	6.0	6.4	6.4	5.9	6.2	11,264
Moreton Bay	12,042	12,456	11,064	10,362	10,585	5.0	5.1	4.5	4.1	4.1	258,364
Mornington* †	120	141	141	143	142	23.1	27.4	27.7	28.8	29.2	487
Mount Isa	731	802	808	774	737	6.5	7.2	7.4	7.2	7.0	10,511
Murweh	111	119	116	107	102	4.9	5.3	5.3	5.0	4.9	2,099
Napranum* †	84	97	99	99	95	18.6	21.7	22.4	23.0	22.5	422
Noosa	1,041	885	772	717	757	3.8	3.2	2.7	2.5	2.6	28,837
North Burnett	262	265	273	262	270	5.3	5.3	5.4	5.0	5.1	5,292
Northern Peninsula Area	221	261	264	249	228	20.3	24.2	24.8	24.0	22.5	1,015
Palm Island*	206	203	190	178	166	33.4	32.2	29.6	27.4	25.3	655
Paroo* †	64	71	70	65	61	7.3	8.2	8.2	7.8	7.4	820
Porpuraaw* †	154	173	168	162	155	51.7	58.6	57.5	57.0	55.6	279
Quilpie* †	32	36	35	32	30	7.4	8.4	8.2	7.7	7.4	406
Redland	2,745	2,315	1,981	1,977	1,911	3.1	2.7	2.3	2.3	2.2	87,751
Richmond* †	15	17	16	14	13	3.1	3.6	3.4	3.1	2.9	447
Rockhampton	2,649	2,360	2,159	1,766	1,897	6.2	5.5	5.0	3.9	4.1	46,140
Scenic Rim	1,308	1,229	1,162	1,085	1,024	5.8	5.4	5.1	4.8	4.5	22,714
Somerset	836	807	821	821	828	7.1	6.8	6.8	6.8	6.7	12,267
South Burnett	1,004	1,011	1,011	935	964	7.4	7.4	7.3	6.5	6.6	14,520
Southern Downs	1,453	1,322	1,161	1,025	855	7.9	7.2	6.4	5.8	4.8	17,702
Sunshine Coast	6,733	5,823	5,078	4,697	4,977	3.9	3.4	2.9	2.6	2.8	180,960
Tablelands	513	551	559	522	556	4.0	4.2	4.2	3.9	4.2	13,133
Toowoomba	4,543	4,809	4,440	4,119	4,028	5.4	5.7	5.2	4.8	4.6	88,016
Torres	165	181	183	179	174	9.4	10.4	10.6	10.7	10.6	1,638
Torres Strait Island	410	474	483	497	481	32.9	38.4	39.6	41.7	41.2	1,168
Townsville	3,504	3,059	2,709	2,426	2,260	3.3	2.8	2.5	2.2	2.0	112,719
Weipa	46	53	55	55	53	1.8	2.1	2.2	2.2	2.2	2,447
Western Downs	1,446	1,327	1,183	1,044	870	7.6	7.0	6.2	5.6	4.7	18,511
Whitsunday	618	650	654	593	658	2.8	2.9	2.8	2.5	2.8	23,279
Winton* †	21	23	22	20	20	3.0	3.3	3.2	3.0	3.0	656
Woorabinda* †	47	41	38	29	32	8.5	7.4	6.8	5.0	5.4	591

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Wujal Wujal* †	25	29	29	29	28	18.8	22.0	22.3	22.8	22.4	125	
Yarrabah*	361	404	412	372	384	51.1	55.9	56.0	50.1	52.5	732	
South Australia	47,000	44,600	43,100	42,000	39,900	5.0	4.7	4.5	4.4	4.1	961,800	
Adelaide	1,081	1,078	1,059	1,009	963	7.9	7.7	7.5	7.0	6.7	14,476	
Adelaide Hills	615	580	544	500	472	2.6	2.4	2.2	2.0	1.9	24,781	
Adelaide Plains	264	254	254	252	224	4.8	4.6	4.6	4.6	4.1	5,517	
Alexandrina	406	393	394	443	450	3.2	3.0	3.0	3.4	3.4	13,264	
Anangu Pitjantjatjara Yunkunytjatjara*	236	254	242	268	294	23.6	24.9	24.2	27.3	30.9	950	
Barossa	407	355	323	327	277	2.9	2.7	2.5	2.6	2.2	12,822	
Barunga West †	82	74	71	72	58	6.7	6.4	6.2	6.4	5.1	1,127	
Berri Barmera	253	243	238	283	304	5.0	4.7	4.6	5.5	5.8	5,258	
Burnside	575	538	510	472	439	2.4	2.2	2.0	1.9	1.7	25,584	
Campbelltown (SA)	1,278	1,223	1,175	1,110	1,069	4.4	4.2	3.9	3.7	3.5	30,582	
Ceduna	142	141	132	150	154	6.4	6.3	6.0	6.9	7.3	2,114	
Charles Sturt	2,628	2,420	2,262	2,066	1,979	3.9	3.6	3.3	3.0	2.9	68,754	
Clare and Gilbert Valleys	183	162	152	156	125	3.7	3.4	3.3	3.4	2.7	4,550	
Cleve †	18	18	17	18	17	1.7	1.7	1.6	1.8	1.7	1,001	
Coober Pedy*	124	125	120	133	135	13.5	13.4	13.1	14.7	15.3	881	
Copper Coast	538	510	482	495	409	8.2	8.1	7.8	8.2	6.7	6,087	
Elliston* †	14	14	14	16	18	2.2	2.2	2.2	2.6	3.0	600	
Flinders Ranges*	38	37	34	37	37	4.1	4.0	3.7	4.1	4.2	879	
Franklin Harbour* †	13	13	12	13	12	1.7	1.7	1.6	1.7	1.6	736	
Gawler	681	642	656	634	617	5.2	4.9	4.9	4.7	4.6	13,540	
Goyder	136	134	128	130	104	6.7	6.9	6.8	7.0	5.6	1,873	
Grant †	101	97	96	111	115	2.3	2.2	2.2	2.5	2.6	4,476	
Holdfast Bay	604	552	505	471	403	2.9	2.7	2.5	2.3	1.9	20,791	
Kangaroo Island	61	58	56	61	58	2.3	2.2	2.1	2.3	2.1	2,736	
Karoonda East Murray* †	15	15	15	16	17	2.6	2.6	2.6	2.8	2.9	584	
Kimba* †	11	10	10	11	10	1.8	1.6	1.6	1.8	1.7	591	
Kingston (SA) †	22	20	19	20	20	1.7	1.5	1.4	1.5	1.5	1,358	
Light	285	257	243	235	205	3.2	3.0	2.8	2.8	2.4	8,599	
Lower Eyre Peninsula †	90	88	81	89	86	2.7	2.6	2.5	2.7	2.7	3,166	
Loxton Waikerie	187	181	183	206	221	3.3	3.2	3.2	3.6	3.8	5,857	
Maralinga Tjarutja*	8	8	7	8	7	8.2	8.1	7.2	8.3	7.4	94	
Marion	2,658	2,493	2,316	2,176	1,887	5.1	4.8	4.5	4.2	3.6	51,756	
Mid Murray	195	186	179	201	217	4.7	4.5	4.3	4.8	5.1	4,259	
Mitcham	926	848	780	719	612	2.5	2.3	2.1	2.0	1.7	36,942	
Mount Barker	998	955	908	861	817	4.5	4.2	4.0	3.7	3.5	23,490	
Mount Gambier	495	481	480	556	590	3.5	3.4	3.4	3.8	4.0	14,655	
Mount Remarkable †	104	96	88	86	70	7.7	7.5	7.0	6.9	5.6	1,245	
Murray Bridge	526	512	512	587	624	5.0	4.9	4.9	5.5	5.8	10,773	
Naracoorte Lucindale	87	85	86	98	101	1.7	1.7	1.7	1.9	2.0	5,140	
Northern Areas	97	94	91	94	80	4.2	4.2	4.2	4.4	3.7	2,150	
Norwood Payneham and St Peters	795	761	727	678	634	3.8	3.6	3.4	3.1	2.9	22,145	
Onkaparinga	6,427	6,025	5,582	5,254	4,594	6.9	6.5	6.0	5.7	4.9	93,123	
Orroroo Carrieton* †	33	30	28	27	22	7.7	7.3	7.0	6.9	5.6	396	
Peterborough* †	62	57	52	51	41	7.8	7.5	7.0	7.0	5.6	733	
Playford	4,916	4,738	4,902	4,851	4,870	10.6	10.1	10.4	10.2	10.1	48,054	
Port Adelaide Enfield	3,855	3,639	3,548	3,331	3,196	5.6	5.2	5.1	4.7	4.5	71,237	
Port Augusta	591	578	548	617	640	7.9	7.6	7.3	8.4	9.0	7,148	
Port Lincoln	372	354	326	356	358	4.4	4.1	3.8	4.3	4.4	8,115	
Port Pirie	876	834	782	808	677	10.8	10.8	10.3	10.9	9.1	7,477	
Prospect	470	457	441	401	358	3.5	3.4	3.2	2.9	2.6	14,032	
Renmark Paringa	190	188	191	219	230	3.8	3.8	3.8	4.3	4.5	5,118	
Robe* †	12	11	11	12	12	1.6	1.5	1.5	1.6	1.6	774	
Roxby Downs	23	22	20	23	21	0.8	0.7	0.7	0.8	0.7	2,863	
Salisbury	5,117	4,849	4,887	4,735	4,648	6.9	6.5	6.5	6.2	6.0	76,835	
Southern Mallee †	25	25	25	29	29	2.4	2.4	2.4	2.7	2.7	1,085	
Streaky Bay †	78	78	73	82	83	5.8	5.8	5.5	6.3	6.5	1,278	
Tatiara	45	43	45	53	54	1.1	1.0	1.1	1.3	1.3	4,237	
Tea Tree Gully	1,761	1,645	1,644	1,578	1,530	3.1	2.9	2.9	2.7	2.6	58,285	
Coorong	111	107	104	114	117	4.1	3.9	3.8	4.1	4.2	2,786	
Tumby Bay †	31	31	29	32	30	2.0	2.0	1.9	2.1	2.0	1,485	
Unley	642	604	567	515	471	2.9	2.7	2.5	2.2	2.0	23,198	
Victor Harbor	232	224	224	253	262	3.9	3.8	3.8	4.2	4.3	6,070	
Wakefield †	217	198	188	189	154	6.7	6.4	6.2	6.4	5.2	2,989	
Walkerville	146	137	127	115	101	3.5	3.2	3.0	2.6	2.3	4,399	
Wattle Range	190	183	178	202	210	3.1	3.0	2.9	3.3	3.4	6,213	
West Torrens	1,229	1,143	1,069	957	894	3.4	3.2	3.0	2.6	2.4	36,616	
Whyalla	868	854	797	889	927	7.5	7.3	6.9	7.8	8.4	11,069	
Wudinna* †	17	17	17	19	21	2.3	2.3	2.3	2.6	3.0	710	
Yankalilla	81	78	78	86	86	3.1	2.9	3.0	3.2	3.2	2,711	

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	Mar-22	Jun-22	Sep-22	Dec-22	Mar-23	Mar-22	Jun-22	Sep-22	Dec-22	Mar-23	Mar-23	
Yorke Peninsula	326	305	289	283	225	6.6	6.4	6.2	6.2	4.9	4,607	
Unincorporated SA	109	107	100	111	115	5.2	5.0	4.8	5.4	5.7	2,027	
Western Australia	64,100	58,000	54,100	53,600	53,400	4.2	3.7	3.5	3.4	3.4	1,570,900	
Albany	729	682	634	523	579	3.6	3.3	3.1	2.5	2.8	20,958	
Armadale	3,560	3,238	3,041	3,230	3,327	6.6	6.0	5.6	5.9	6.0	55,589	
Ashburton	43	41	42	43	44	0.8	0.7	0.8	0.8	0.8	5,568	
Augusta Margaret River	335	298	250	265	227	3.4	3.0	2.4	2.5	2.1	10,628	
Bassendean	342	330	303	313	340	3.8	3.6	3.3	3.3	3.6	9,490	
Bayswater	1,351	1,266	1,151	1,178	1,285	3.3	3.0	2.7	2.8	3.0	43,173	
Belmont	1,403	1,262	1,192	1,267	1,320	5.3	4.7	4.5	4.7	4.9	27,196	
Beverley* †	39	39	38	33	36	4.7	4.6	4.5	3.9	4.2	865	
Boddington* †	30	29	28	26	32	3.2	3.0	2.9	2.7	3.2	986	
Boyup Brook †	39	37	34	34	30	4.0	3.7	3.3	3.3	2.8	1,054	
Bridgetown-Greenbushes †	105	99	91	92	81	3.9	3.7	3.3	3.3	2.8	2,847	
Brookton* †	23	24	23	20	23	4.7	4.8	4.6	4.0	4.5	511	
Broome	423	373	391	386	383	4.0	3.5	3.7	3.6	3.6	10,565	
Broomehill-Tambellup* †	21	20	19	17	19	3.4	3.1	3.0	2.6	2.9	652	
Bruce Rock* †	19	19	18	16	19	4.0	3.9	3.7	3.3	3.9	493	
Bunbury	1,454	1,307	1,156	1,191	991	8.1	7.1	6.2	6.3	5.1	19,310	
Busselton	892	778	671	680	577	4.0	3.5	2.9	2.9	2.4	23,688	
Cambridge	434	308	242	234	223	2.6	1.8	1.4	1.4	1.3	16,887	
Canning	2,020	1,790	1,685	1,766	1,837	3.6	3.2	3.0	3.1	3.2	57,166	
Capel	388	348	311	315	258	3.7	3.2	2.8	2.8	2.3	11,340	
Carnamah* †	8	8	8	8	9	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.8	321	
Carnarvon	169	170	179	180	176	5.4	5.4	5.7	5.7	5.6	3,127	
Chapman Valley* †	20	18	18	18	19	2.4	2.1	2.1	2.1	2.3	843	
Chittering	49	46	42	35	39	1.5	1.4	1.2	1.0	1.1	3,440	
Claremont	168	120	93	92	88	2.7	1.9	1.5	1.5	1.4	6,138	
Cockburn	2,844	2,734	2,624	2,534	2,427	3.9	3.7	3.6	3.4	3.3	73,606	
Collie	417	381	343	360	302	9.6	8.6	7.6	7.9	6.5	4,650	
Coolgardie	60	57	58	58	62	2.8	2.7	2.7	2.7	2.9	2,118	
Coorow* †	16	15	16	16	16	2.7	2.5	2.6	2.6	2.6	605	
Corrigin* †	28	29	28	24	27	4.8	4.9	4.7	4.0	4.5	604	
Cottesloe	69	48	38	45	47	1.4	1.0	0.8	0.9	1.0	4,779	
Cranbrook* †	20	19	19	16	18	3.3	3.1	3.1	2.6	2.9	628	
Cuballing* †	14	13	13	12	14	2.9	2.7	2.7	2.4	2.8	496	
Cue* †	8	8	8	8	8	6.5	6.5	6.5	6.4	6.5	124	
Cunderdin* †	37	38	37	32	37	5.5	5.5	5.4	4.6	5.3	702	
Dalwallinu* †	28	27	26	22	25	3.5	3.3	3.2	2.7	3.0	826	
Dandaragan †	46	43	41	36	41	2.5	2.3	2.2	1.9	2.2	1,883	
Dardanup	317	287	255	255	205	3.8	3.4	2.9	2.9	2.3	8,968	
Denmark	98	89	84	77	87	3.2	2.9	2.7	2.5	2.8	3,156	
Derby-West Kimberley	484	474	532	537	550	13.5	13.2	14.8	14.9	15.4	3,578	
Donnybrook-Balingup	150	132	113	121	106	4.5	3.9	3.3	3.5	3.0	3,530	
Dowerin* †	12	13	13	12	14	3.4	3.6	3.6	3.3	3.8	370	
Dumbleyung* †	7	8	8	7	8	1.7	1.9	1.8	1.6	1.8	441	
Dundas* †	12	12	12	12	13	2.8	2.8	2.8	2.7	3.0	434	
East Fremantle	97	93	92	90	87	2.0	1.9	1.9	1.9	1.8	4,846	
East Pilbara	155	143	153	149	149	2.1	1.9	2.0	2.0	2.0	7,563	
Esperance	147	126	124	121	121	1.8	1.5	1.5	1.4	1.5	8,287	
Exmouth †	31	28	27	28	29	1.6	1.5	1.4	1.5	1.5	1,887	
Fremantle	991	950	926	899	867	5.1	4.9	4.7	4.6	4.4	19,623	
Gingin †	76	71	67	59	67	2.6	2.4	2.2	1.9	2.2	3,086	
Gnowangerup* †	16	15	14	12	13	2.2	2.0	1.9	1.6	1.7	756	
Goomalling* †	19	19	20	18	21	3.5	3.4	3.6	3.2	3.7	566	
Gosnells	4,249	3,841	3,674	3,960	4,162	5.9	5.3	5.0	5.4	5.6	74,100	
Greater Geraldton	726	607	620	619	625	3.2	2.7	2.7	2.7	2.8	22,611	
Halls Creek	262	254	280	269	268	17.3	16.7	18.4	17.6	17.7	1,516	
Harvey	640	575	509	536	449	4.0	3.5	3.1	3.2	2.6	17,072	
Irwin	41	40	40	41	39	2.2	2.1	2.1	2.2	2.1	1,857	
Jerramungup* †	14	13	12	11	12	2.1	1.9	1.7	1.6	1.7	700	
Joondalup	2,371	2,040	1,889	1,791	1,761	2.5	2.1	1.9	1.8	1.8	97,269	
Kalamunda	1,154	1,018	949	994	1,022	3.4	2.9	2.7	2.8	2.9	35,488	
Kalgoorlie-Boulder	324	277	276	277	286	1.7	1.5	1.5	1.5	1.5	18,927	
Karratha	237	228	241	247	253	1.6	1.5	1.6	1.6	1.7	14,847	
Katanning	125	120	116	100	111	5.5	5.2	5.0	4.3	4.7	2,371	
Kellerberrin* †	31	32	31	27	31	5.5	5.6	5.4	4.7	5.3	586	
Kent* †	7	7	6	6	6	2.1	2.0	1.7	1.7	1.7	353	
Kojonup †	36	34	33	29	33	3.3	3.1	3.0	2.6	2.9	1,131	
Kondinin* †	9	10	10	9	10	1.7	1.8	1.8	1.6	1.8	561	
Koorda* †	8	8	8	7	9	3.7	3.6	3.6	3.1	3.9	228	
Kulin* †	8	9	8	8	8	1.7	1.9	1.7	1.6	1.6	491	

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Kwinana	1,956	1,915	1,872	1,815	1,710	7.7	7.4	7.2	7.0	6.6	25,917	
Lake Grace* †	14	14	14	13	14	1.8	1.7	1.7	1.6	1.7	822	
Laverton* †	48	46	55	62	78	6.3	6.0	7.1	8.0	10.1	774	
Leonora* †	59	57	68	77	96	6.3	6.0	7.2	8.0	10.1	952	
Mandurah	2,126	2,116	1,817	1,506	1,438	5.4	5.3	4.6	3.9	3.9	36,946	
Manjimup	260	237	208	213	173	5.0	4.5	3.9	3.9	3.1	5,560	
Meekatharra* †	49	45	48	49	48	6.5	5.9	6.3	6.4	6.3	759	
Melville	1,363	1,285	1,217	1,158	1,087	2.3	2.2	2.0	1.9	1.8	59,551	
Menzies* †	20	20	23	26	33	6.2	6.2	7.1	8.0	10.2	325	
Merredin †	69	68	67	60	69	3.9	3.8	3.7	3.3	3.8	1,829	
Mingenew* †	7	7	7	7	7	2.7	2.7	2.7	2.6	2.7	264	
Moora †	47	45	44	38	43	3.5	3.3	3.2	2.7	3.1	1,402	
Morawa* †	11	11	11	11	11	2.6	2.6	2.6	2.5	2.6	428	
Mosman Park	202	148	111	104	103	3.9	2.9	2.2	2.0	2.0	5,124	
Mount Magnet* †	21	20	21	22	21	6.4	6.0	6.3	6.6	6.3	332	
Mount Marshall* †	7	7	7	6	7	2.3	2.2	2.2	1.9	2.2	320	
Mukinbudin* †	7	7	7	7	8	2.1	2.1	2.1	2.1	2.3	341	
Mundaring	638	610	559	569	614	3.0	2.9	2.6	2.6	2.8	22,057	
Murchison* †	7	7	7	7	7	6.4	6.4	6.4	6.3	6.4	110	
Murray	406	401	330	272	269	5.1	5.0	4.2	3.5	3.6	7,452	
Nannup* †	35	31	27	30	27	4.6	4.0	3.4	3.8	3.3	814	
Narembeen* †	17	17	16	15	17	4.0	3.9	3.7	3.4	3.8	442	
Narrogin	141	131	121	95	102	5.6	5.1	4.7	3.7	3.9	2,628	
Nedlands †	268	193	153	147	138	2.3	1.6	1.3	1.2	1.2	11,814	
Ngaanyatjarraku †	68	65	78	88	110	6.3	6.0	7.2	8.0	10.1	1,088	
Northam	367	344	325	272	293	6.6	6.1	5.7	4.7	5.1	5,791	
Northampton †	53	49	49	49	51	2.9	2.7	2.7	2.7	2.8	1,813	
Nungarin* †	4	4	4	3	4	2.6	2.5	2.5	1.9	2.5	163	
Peppermint Grove* †	38	28	21	20	20	3.9	2.9	2.2	2.1	2.1	968	
Perenjori* †	9	9	9	9	10	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.8	357	
Perth †	1,184	888	738	749	708	6.0	4.5	3.7	3.8	3.6	19,801	
Pingelly* †	28	29	28	24	27	4.8	4.9	4.7	4.0	4.5	605	
Plantagenet	115	109	104	88	99	4.2	3.9	3.7	3.1	3.4	2,879	
Port Hedland	252	237	252	261	266	2.4	2.2	2.3	2.4	2.5	10,734	
Quairading* †	26	27	26	23	26	5.5	5.6	5.3	4.7	5.3	494	
Ravensthorpe †	13	12	12	13	14	1.2	1.1	1.1	1.2	1.3	1,063	
Rockingham	4,481	4,309	4,097	3,912	3,677	5.9	5.6	5.3	5.0	4.7	77,758	
Sandstone* †	4	4	4	4	4	6.3	6.2	6.2	6.2	6.2	65	
Serpentine-Jarrahdale	622	542	501	524	557	3.3	2.9	2.6	2.7	2.9	19,387	
Shark Bay* †	11	10	10	10	10	1.6	1.5	1.5	1.5	1.5	667	
South Perth	722	636	594	627	646	2.7	2.3	2.2	2.3	2.3	27,803	
Stirling	5,116	4,381	4,043	3,907	3,866	3.8	3.2	3.0	2.9	2.8	136,508	
Subiaco	323	227	181	177	167	3.1	2.1	1.7	1.7	1.6	10,562	
Swan	3,605	3,471	3,196	3,241	3,500	4.2	4.0	3.6	3.6	3.8	90,949	
Tammin* †	11	11	11	9	11	5.6	5.5	5.5	4.5	5.4	203	
Three Springs* †	9	9	9	9	9	2.6	2.6	2.6	2.6	2.6	345	
Toodyay	87	87	83	72	80	3.6	3.5	3.3	2.9	3.2	2,514	
Trayning* †	4	5	5	4	5	2.0	2.4	2.4	1.9	2.3	214	
Upper Gascoyne* †	3	3	3	3	3	1.6	1.6	1.6	1.6	1.6	189	
Victoria Park	989	874	815	865	902	4.0	3.5	3.2	3.4	3.5	25,726	
Victoria Plains* †	17	17	16	14	16	3.4	3.4	3.1	2.7	3.1	516	
Vincent †	1,188	887	746	763	733	4.6	3.4	2.9	3.0	2.9	25,676	
Wagin †	30	28	27	25	29	3.0	2.7	2.6	2.4	2.8	1,053	
Wandering* †	11	11	11	10	11	4.8	4.7	4.7	4.2	4.6	239	
Wanneroo	5,798	5,046	4,691	4,490	4,445	4.8	4.1	3.8	3.6	3.6	123,545	
Waroona	151	136	129	153	134	6.8	6.1	5.7	6.6	5.7	2,361	
West Arthur* †	13	12	12	11	13	2.9	2.6	2.6	2.4	2.8	464	
Westonia* †	4	4	4	4	5	2.1	2.1	2.0	2.0	2.5	198	
Wickepin* †	7	8	8	7	8	1.6	1.8	1.8	1.5	1.7	464	
Williams* †	16	15	14	13	15	3.0	2.8	2.6	2.4	2.7	552	
Wiluna* †	34	31	33	34	33	6.6	6.0	6.3	6.5	6.3	522	
Wongan-Ballidu* †	25	26	26	24	28	3.5	3.6	3.6	3.3	3.8	741	
Woodanilling* †	12	12	11	10	11	5.4	5.3	4.8	4.4	4.8	231	
Wyalkatchem* †	9	9	10	9	10	3.4	3.3	3.7	3.3	3.6	277	
Wyndham-East Kimberley	250	240	256	259	264	5.3	5.1	5.4	5.5	5.6	4,682	
Yalgoo* †	16	14	15	15	15	6.8	5.9	6.3	6.3	6.3	239	
Yilgarn* †	15	15	15	15	17	2.1	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.3	751	
York †	80	80	78	68	75	4.6	4.6	4.4	3.8	4.2	1,791	
Tasmania	13,900	13,000	12,600	11,900	11,900	4.8	4.4	4.3	4.0	4.0	297,700	
Break O'Day	224	224	213	180	187	7.7	7.7	7.3	6.1	6.3	2,973	
Brighton	800	759	762	779	764	8.4	8.0	8.1	8.2	8.0	9,512	
Burnie	697	638	592	552	566	7.2	6.5	6.0	5.6	5.7	9,919	

Table 2: Estimates of unemployment and unemployment rates by Local Government Area, March quarter 2022 to March quarter 2023, smoothed series

Local Government Area	Unemployment					Unemployment Rate (%)				Labour Force	
	Mar-22	Jun-22	Sep-22	Dec-22	Mar-23	Mar-22	Jun-22	Sep-22	Dec-22	Mar-23	Mar-23
Central Coast (Tas.)	504	454	413	379	385	4.5	4.0	3.6	3.3	3.4	11,471
Central Highlands (Tas.)	51	49	53	53	52	4.2	4.0	4.3	4.2	4.0	1,300
Circular Head	184	164	148	136	138	4.2	3.7	3.3	3.0	3.1	4,505
Clarence	1,353	1,266	1,247	1,254	1,198	4.1	3.8	3.8	3.8	3.6	32,957
Derwent Valley	404	387	392	399	387	7.6	7.3	7.4	7.5	7.2	5,397
Devonport	886	803	738	695	698	7.1	6.4	5.8	5.4	5.5	12,794
Dorset	163	159	152	133	140	4.8	4.7	4.4	3.8	4.0	3,497
Flinders (Tas.)*	18	18	18	15	16	3.2	3.2	3.2	2.6	2.8	578
George Town	255	254	242	206	212	8.0	8.0	7.5	6.3	6.5	3,268
Glamorgan-Spring Bay	78	67	70	68	65	3.3	2.8	2.9	2.8	2.6	2,496
Glenorchy	1,769	1,627	1,612	1,640	1,589	6.6	6.1	6.1	6.2	5.9	26,736
Hobart	1,043	944	915	924	884	3.2	2.9	2.8	2.8	2.7	32,857
Huon Valley	376	356	384	384	372	4.3	4.0	4.3	4.2	4.0	9,319
Kentish	150	132	119	106	112	4.7	4.1	3.7	3.2	3.4	3,264
King Island*	15	12	10	8	6	1.6	1.3	1.1	0.8	0.6	954
Kingborough	603	552	556	563	551	2.7	2.5	2.5	2.6	2.5	22,201
Latrobe (Tas.)	219	192	175	165	172	3.5	3.1	2.8	2.6	2.7	6,338
Launceston	2,004	1,937	1,821	1,540	1,628	5.2	5.1	4.7	3.9	4.1	39,237
Meander Valley	341	326	309	266	287	3.0	2.9	2.7	2.3	2.5	11,614
Northern Midlands	265	257	237	197	204	3.6	3.5	3.2	2.6	2.7	7,605
Sorell	390	365	363	359	342	4.3	4.0	4.0	4.0	3.8	9,073
Southern Midlands	124	114	124	122	117	3.5	3.2	3.5	3.4	3.1	3,718
Tasman	57	56	60	60	57	5.0	4.9	5.2	5.1	4.7	1,213
Waratah-Wynyard	375	343	319	297	295	5.6	5.1	4.7	4.3	4.3	6,858
West Coast	206	184	164	145	147	9.9	8.8	7.8	6.8	6.9	2,128
West Tamar	397	385	366	310	326	2.9	2.8	2.7	2.2	2.3	13,956
Northern Territory	5,700	5,600	5,600	5,500	5,600	4.1	4.0	4.0	3.9	3.9	143,900
Alice Springs	436	390	404	377	364	2.2	1.9	2.0	1.8	1.8	20,707
Barkly	229	216	232	229	234	6.8	6.3	6.6	6.5	6.6	3,555
Belyuen* †	3	3	3	3	3	2.9	2.9	2.8	2.8	2.8	109
Central Desert †	144	131	140	141	147	8.0	7.1	7.5	7.5	7.7	1,899
Coomalie* †	23	21	22	22	21	2.8	2.5	2.6	2.5	2.4	870
Darwin	1,646	1,709	1,629	1,580	1,585	3.3	3.4	3.2	3.1	3.1	51,667
Darwin Waterfront Precinct* †	9	9	8	8	8	3.1	3.1	2.7	2.7	2.7	300
East Arnhem	368	346	389	398	417	11.2	10.3	11.4	11.6	12.1	3,460
Katherine	203	187	201	196	198	3.0	2.7	2.8	2.7	2.8	7,192
Litchfield	412	420	395	383	367	3.1	3.2	3.0	2.9	2.7	13,415
MacDonnell †	216	199	214	213	217	7.4	6.7	7.1	7.0	7.1	3,071
Palmerston	943	978	912	869	876	4.3	4.4	4.1	3.9	3.8	22,756
Roper Gulf	270	250	271	273	289	9.8	8.9	9.5	9.5	9.9	2,905
Tiwi Islands*	120	112	119	117	116	12.7	11.6	12.1	11.8	11.6	998
Victoria Daly †	102	94	101	101	110	7.1	6.4	6.8	6.7	7.2	1,522
Wagait* †	8	7	8	8	8	2.8	2.4	2.7	2.6	2.6	304
West Arnhem	285	270	291	287	294	10.0	9.2	9.8	9.6	9.8	3,015
West Daly	156	151	164	163	169	12.7	12.0	12.9	12.7	13.1	1,294
Unincorporated NT †	117	105	110	129	188	2.5	2.2	2.3	2.7	3.8	4,900
Australian Capital Territory **	10,300	9,800	9,300	8,100	8,100	4.0	3.8	3.6	3.1	3.0	267,200

Source: Data for Australia, the States and Territories are from ABS, *Labour Force, Australia, Detailed*. Data are 12-month averages of *original* estimates so as to be comparable with the SALM data.

* Due to the small size of the labour force, particular care should be exercised when interpreting these estimates.

** The ACT is not divided into separate LGAs. The total for the Territory has been included for comparative purposes.

† The ABS notes that the quality of the correspondence used to produce this LGA is poor. Accordingly, please use these figures with caution, as concordance error may limit how much they reflect actual labour market conditions in the LGA.

Explanatory notes

Structure of regional estimates in Tables 1 and 2

State/Territory data by Statistical Area Level 2 (SA2) and Local Government Area (LGA) are presented in Tables 1 and 2, respectively. For the states and the Northern Territory, estimates for the capital city and the rest of state area are also presented in Table 1.

There are around 2,300 SA2s (approximately 2,200 of which have published estimates) and 540 LGAs in Australia. The SA2s are a geographical unit that aggregate to the Statistical Areas Level 4 in the Australian Bureau of Statistics' (ABS) *2016 Australian Statistical Geography Standard (ASGS)*, upon which the ABS *Labour Force Survey* data are based. The SA2 estimates are then concorded to the LGA level in Table 2 using population weights, based on the latest available SA2 to LGA correspondence from the ABS.

Methodology

The estimates in Tables 1 and 2 are based on the Structure Preserving Estimation (SPREE) methodology, which enables the generation of small area unemployment, unemployment rate and labour force estimates. Given the level of disaggregation involved, the data are *smoothed* (i.e. averaged) over four quarters to dampen the variability inherent in the small area estimates.

The estimates presented in Table 1 and 2 are derived from three primary data sources:

1. Current recipients of Youth Allowance (other), and current recipients of JobSeeker Payment who are not on a zero rate of payment, by Statistical Area Level 2 (SA2);
2. Australian Bureau of Statistics (ABS) *Labour Force Survey* data by ABS Statistical Area Level 4 (SA4). The ABS *Labour Force Survey* samples private and non-private dwellings (approximately 26,000 households) across Australia and covers about 0.32 per cent of the population. More details about the methodology underpinning this survey are included in the ABS publication, [Labour Force, Australia](#); and
3. Participation rate data at the SA2 level from the Census of Population and Housing (the latest Small Area Labour Markets (SALM) data use the 2016 Census but estimates prior to the March quarter 2014 use 2011 Census benchmarks).

The purpose of SPREE is to produce small area labour market estimates that reflect the regional disparities of the Centrelink data, while being consistent with *ABS Labour Force Survey* estimates.

Unemployment estimates are produced by apportioning the level of unemployment at the SA4 level, as published by the ABS, across each of the SA2s within that region. This apportioning is based on the distribution of Centrelink JobSeeker and Youth Allowance (other) beneficiaries at the SA2 level, benchmarked by ABS unemployment estimates by age, sex and marital status at the Greater Capital City Statistical Area (GCCSA) level.

Labour force estimates are produced by:

- taking the participation rate for each SA2 from the Census (in instances where an SA2 does not have a participation rate, the participation rate for the SA3 is used as a proxy);
- applying this to the latest available ABS estimated resident population (ERP) data for persons aged 15 and over for the SA2, to produce a labour force weighting for the SA2 within the SA4; and then
- allocating the total labour force for each ABS SA4 to the SA2s within that region according to the labour force weighting.

By using Census participation rates and the latest available ERP, the SA2 labour force estimates are able to adjust to changes in the distribution of population within an SA4 that have occurred since the last Census.

Unemployment rate estimates are produced by calculating the level of unemployment as a proportion of the labour force (consistent with ABS methodology).

As the reliability of estimates at the SA2 level are related to the size of the SA2, estimates are only published for SA2s that have a labour force of 100 or more, as at the June quarter 2021. In addition, higher levels of caution should still be exercised when interpreting movements in the estimates for SA2s or Local Government Areas (LGAs) with a labour force of less than 1,000.

- While the underlying methodology used to produce the small area estimates in SALM is robust for the vast majority of areas, in a small number of cases it can result in figures that do not accurately reflect labour market conditions within the region. As this is the case for the SA2 and LGA of Aurukun, these figures are not published.

Due to both the methodology used and the significantly higher variability of the data disaggregated below the SA2 or LGA level, it is not possible to derive reliable unemployment and unemployment rate estimates for particular groups (i.e. males, females, youth) within an SA2 or LGA.

The geographical structure used for Small Area Labour Markets

As of the June quarter 2019 edition of Small Area Labour Markets (SALM), the Statistical Area Level 2 (SA2) estimates are based on the Australian Bureau of Statistics (ABS) 2016 *Australian Statistical Geography Standard* (ASGS).

Due to changes in the ASGS between the 2011 and 2016 editions, there were a number of breaks in series at the SA2 level. As the production of *smoothed* SALM data requires four consecutive quarters of *unsmoothed* estimates, *smoothed* data for those SA2s and Local Government Areas that experienced a break in the *unsmoothed* series (between the March and June quarter 2019) are only available starting from the March quarter 2020. Between the June and December quarters 2019, the only available estimates for these SA2s are from the *unsmoothed* series.

- For more information on the ASGS changeover, please see the *SALM 2016 Changeover User Guide – 2022 Update* available on the SALM Methodology page on the [Jobs and Skills Australia website](#). Similarly, the *unsmoothed* SALM estimates can also be downloaded from the SALM Methodology page.

Looking ahead, while the ABS released the 2021 (Edition 3) ASGS in July 2021, Jobs and Skills Australia will continue to produce SALM estimates based on the 2016 ASGS until such time as the data used to produce SALM are available on the updated 2021 geographic structure. Accordingly, it is likely that SALM will remain on the 2016 ASGS until later in 2023.

Smoothed estimates not available for all regions

While most Statistical Areas Level 2 (SA2s) and Local Government Areas (LGAs) have a complete time series of data, with *smoothed* Small Area Labour Markets (SALM) estimates available from the December quarter 2010 onwards, some regions have a shorter time series, while others have no estimates at all.

There are three reasons why data are not available for every SA2 and LGA:

- 1) A 'break in series': some regions have a break in series such that only a partial time series is available. Most of the series breaks were a result of SALM moving from the 2011 to the 2016 version of the *Australian Statistical Geography Standard (ASGS)*, as detailed above.
- 2) The SA2 is considered too small: there are around 100 SA2s which Jobs and Skills Australia considers have too small a population to produce estimates of a reasonable quality.
- 3) Other factors: rarely, even though the region has a sufficiently large population, the methodology used in SALM will not produce estimates considered appropriate for publishing. This is why no estimates have been published for the SA2 and LGA of Aurukun since the June quarter 2017.

Derivation of employment estimates

The data in Tables 1 and 2 in this publication are synthetic estimates, based on Australian Bureau of Statistics unemployment and Centrelink JobSeeker and Youth Allowance (other) beneficiary numbers and labour force data from the *Labour Force Survey* and the Census. As the production of Small Area Labour Markets (SALM) does not involve the use of any sources of, or attempt to estimate, the level of employment in a Statistical Area Level 2 or Local Government Area, employment estimates should not be derived from these statistics. For more information, please email the SALM inbox at SALM@jobsandskills.gov.au.

Other sources of information

This publication, as well as data files in Excel format containing estimates back to the December quarter 2010, can be downloaded from the Small Area Labour Markets page on the [Jobs and Skills Australia website](#).

Unsmoothed series

The *smoothed* estimates presented in Tables 1 and 2 are Jobs and Skills Australia's official estimates of unemployment and the unemployment rate at the Statistical Area Level 2 and Local Government Area level. It is recognised, however, that some advanced users may

need access to the *unsmoothed* estimates, which are used to produce the official figures. They are available on the Small Area Labour Markets Methodology page on the [Jobs and Skills Australia website](#).

Estimates on the 2011 Australian Statistical Geography Standard

Due to the 2021 Census-related population rebenchmarking, 2011 *Australian Statistical Geography Standard* (ASGS) Statistical Area Level 2 (SA2) estimates from the September quarter 2016 up to the March quarter 2019 were revised in the December quarter 2022 publication. If users need to obtain the latest available 2011 ASGS SA2 or Local Government Areas estimates for areas that have had a break in series, please email the Small Area Labour Markets inbox at SALM@jobsandskills.gov.au.

Glossary of useful Small Area Labour Markets (SALM) terms and acronyms

ABS – see Australian Bureau of Statistics

ASGS – see Australian Statistical Geography Standard

Australian Bureau of Statistics (ABS)

Australia's national statistical agency. For more information, see the [ABS website](#).

Australian Statistical Geography Standard (ASGS)

The ABS' set of geographical classifications for Australia - SALM uses the ASGS Main Structure. The ASGS is updated every 5 years. While the latest available ASGS is Edition 3 ('2021 ASGS'), the SALM publication is based on Edition 2 ('2016 ASGS'). For more information on ASGS 2016, see the [ASGS publication page](#).

Broken series

A series is "broken" when changes to the geography of a region (or, in some cases, other factors) mean figures for one period are not strictly comparable with figures for an earlier or later period (this can happen when SA2 boundaries are changed due to ASGS revisions, for example). In SALM, most [Statistical Area Level 2](#) and [Local Government Areas](#) have a complete [smoothed](#) time series back to the December quarter 2010.

SALM figures are also available prior to 2010 based on the [Australian Standard Geographical Classification \(ASGC\)](#). However, even if a region maintained consistent geographic boundaries across the change from the ASGC to the ASGS, methodological issues mean that data from 2010 onwards are not strictly comparable with the ASGC estimates for earlier years.

For more information on SALM breaks in series, see the [SALM Methodology page](#).

Capital Cities – see Greater Capital City Statistical Area

Centrelink Data

For the purposes of the SALM publication, 'Centrelink data' refers to the following income support payments:

- Youth Allowance (other)
- JobSeeker Payment
- Newstart Allowance (replaced by the JobSeeker Payment in March 2020)

These payments are an important component of SALM, the purpose of which is to present small area estimates of unemployment that reflect the regional disparities of these Centrelink data. For more information on these payments, see the [JobSeeker Payment](#) and [Youth Allowance](#) pages on the Services Australia website.

Correspondence – see Geographic correspondence

COVID-19

Australia recorded its 100th case of COVID-19 in March 2020. This was also when the shutdown of non-essential services and trading restrictions took effect.

The 'Delta' wave began in mid-2021, leading to prolonged lockdowns, particularly in south-eastern Australia.

The 'Omicron' outbreak, in the first months of 2022, did not result in any lockdowns or travel restrictions, with the exception of Western Australia.

Delta outbreak – see COVID-19

Employment

For the purposes of SALM, the term 'employment' refers to the ABS definition: people aged 15 years and over who worked for an hour or more during the survey reference week or for some cases where people had a job but were away from work (e.g., because they were unwell or were on leave). For a more comprehensive definition, see the Glossary on the [latest Labour Force Survey methodology page](#).

ERP – see Estimated Residential Population

Estimated Residential Population (ERP)

The official ABS estimate of Australia's usually resident civilian population. SALM uses ERP estimates from the ABS' [Regional Population by Age and Sex](#).

GCCSA – see Greater Capital City Statistical Area

Geographic correspondence

Geographic correspondences are used to mathematically apportion data from one geographic area to another. A population-weighted geographic correspondence is used to apportion SALM data from the [Statistical Area 2](#) level to the [Local Government Area](#) level. For more information about geographic correspondences, see the ABS' [Information Paper](#) on converting data to the ASGS.

Greater Capital City Statistical Area (GCCSA)

The GCCSAs form part of the ABS' Australian Statistical Geography Standard (ASGS) Main Structure. GCCSAs can be divided into two groups: Capital Cities and Rest of State areas. The Capital Cities are designed to represent the functional extent of each of the 8 capital cities, while the Rest of State areas represent the remainder (the area not covered by the capital cities). See the [2016 ASGS page](#) for more information.

Jobs and Skills Australia (JSA)

The agency responsible for producing the SALM publication. Please see the [JSA website](#) for more information about the agency and its work.

JobSeeker Payment – see Centrelink Data

JSA – see Jobs and Skills Australia

Labour force

In labour statistics, labour force refers to those people who are either [employed](#) or [unemployed](#).

Labour Force Survey (LFS)

A monthly survey carried out by the [ABS](#) that provides information about the labour market activity of Australia's resident civilian population. [Unemployment](#) and [labour force](#) estimates from the LFS are important inputs into the process used to produce the SALM data. For more information about the LFS methodology, see the [latest LFS methodology page](#).

LFS – see Labour Force Survey

LGA – see Local Government Area

Local Government Area (LGA)

LGAs represent the ABS' approximation of gazetted local government boundaries as defined by each state and territory. The ABS reviews the LGA boundaries annually. Jobs and Skills Australia tries to publish SALM LGA data on the latest available LGA boundary structure in the ASGS. For more information on LGAs, see the [LGA page](#) within the ABS' ASGS publication page.

Mutual obligation requirements

Mutual obligation requirements are tasks and activities that people agree to do while they are receiving certain types of income support, including the [JobSeeker Payment](#) and [Youth Allowance \(other\)](#) payment. For more information about mutual obligation requirements, see the [Services Australia website](#).

Newstart Allowance – see Centrelink Data

Omicron outbreak – see COVID-19

Rebenchmarking

The [Labour Force Survey](#) (LFS) data upon which the SALM figures rely are based upon population estimates which are provisional and are revised as further relevant data become available. In the context of SALM data, earlier SALM estimates are revised periodically when the ABS rebenchmarks the LFS or [Estimated Residential Population](#) (ERP) data which are used to produce SALM.

ABS LFS estimates are rebenchmarked on a quarterly basis so that they remain consistent with the latest available ERP data. As a result, earlier SALM estimates are also revised to reflect the latest available LFS data. For more information on rebenchmarking and its affect on SALM data, see the [SALM page](#).

Rest of State areas – see Greater Capital City Statistical Areas

SA2 – see Statistical Area Level 2

SA4 – see Statistical Area Level 4

SALM – see Small Area Labour Markets

Series break – see Broken series

Small Area Labour Markets (SALM)

Quarterly estimates of [unemployment](#) and the [unemployment rates](#), produced by Jobs and Skills Australia, using the Structure Preserving Estimation (SPREE) methodology. See the [SALM page](#) for more information.

Smoothed estimates

In SALM, ‘smoothing’ refers to the process of applying a 4-quarter rolling average to [unsmoothed](#) SALM estimates to dampen some of the variability that is inherent in the figures. For more information on smoothed SALM estimates, see the [Using SALM data – with caution](#) section on the SALM page.

SPREE – see Structure Preserving Estimation

Statistical Area Level 2 (SA2)

Relatively small (in terms of population size) general purpose areas that represent a community which interacts together socially and economically. The SA2 is the smallest area for which the ABS releases non-Census data. For more information, see the [SA2 section](#) of the 2016 ASGS publication page.

Statistical Area Level 4 (SA4)

Areas that were primarily designed for the output of ABS [Labour Force Survey](#) (LFS) data. There are 87 SA4s for which LFS estimates are available. For more information, see the [SA4 section](#) of the 2016 Australian Statistical Geography Standard publication page, noting that the ABS combines the two Western Australia - Outback SA4s (North and South) into a single region for the purpose of LFS estimates.

Structure Preserving Estimation (SPREE)

The methodology used to produce the SALM estimates. In the context of SALM, SPREE seeks to produce reliable estimates of [unemployment](#), [labour force](#) and the [unemployment rate](#) that are consistent with the corresponding ABS [Labour Force Survey](#) figures.

Synthetic estimates

Estimates based on data that has been modelled, rather than collected directly from a census, survey or through administrative processes. SALM estimates are synthetic because they are generated using data from a combination of sources (census, survey and administrative) in a model (the SPREE methodology). Synthetic estimates are subject to modelling error, as well as the sources of error affecting their inputs.

Unemployment

For the purposes of the SALM publication, 'unemployment' refers to the ABS definition of unemployment: people aged 15 and over who were not employed during the survey reference week and were actively looking for work and available to start work. For a more comprehensive definition, see the Glossary on the [latest Labour Force Survey methodology page](#).

Unemployment rate

The level of [unemployment](#) expressed as a percentage of the labour force.

Unsmoothed estimates

In the SALM publication, quarterly data are unsmoothed if they are not averaged (i.e., smoothed) over four quarters. Jobs and Skills Australia recommends that users use [smoothed](#) SALM data, where possible. Users should take care when interpreting unsmoothed SALM data as they can be highly volatile. More information on unsmoothed SALM data can be found on the [SALM – Methodology page](#).

Youth Allowance (other) payment – see Centrelink Data