

3A Headline indicators — attachment

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Table 3A.1.1

Table 3A.1.1 Estimated life expectancies at birth (years) (a)

	<i>NSW and Vic</i>	<i>Qld</i>	<i>WA and SA</i>	<i>NT</i>	<i>Aust</i>
Indigenous (born 1996–2001)					
Male	60.0	58.9	58.5	57.6	59.4
Female	65.1	62.6	67.2	65.2	64.8
Total population (born 1998–2000)					
Male	..	..	..	..	76.6
Female	..	..	..	..	82.0

(a) Indigenous life expectancy data exclude Tasmania and the ACT. For Tasmanian and ACT estimates, use NSW/Victoria data.

.. Not applicable.

Source: ABS 2005, *Deaths Australia 2004*, Cat. no. 3302.0, Canberra; ABS 2004, *Experimental Estimates and Projections, Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Australians*, Cat. no. 3238.0, Canberra.

Table 3A.1.2

Table 3A.1.2 **Median age at death, NSW, Queensland, WA, SA, NT, 2000–2005 (a) (b) (c) (d) (e)**

	NSW	Qld	WA	SA	NT
<i>Indigenous males</i>					
2000	53.9	53.9	46.1	49.5	46.2
2001	56.3	50.4	51.0	51.0	45.1
2002	56.3	51.8	49.3	48.9	47.1
2003	56.8	51.2	49.8	48.8	46.3
2004	55.8	53.7	49.5	49.5	43.6
2005	54.3	51.1	52.8	42.4	45.8
<i>Non-Indigenous males</i>					
2000	75.5	75.3	75.1	76.3	61.1
2001	75.7	75.1	75.4	76.9	63.2
2002	76.5	75.9	75.8	77.3	63.0
2003	76.5	75.9	76.1	77.7	65.8
2004	77.0	76.2	76.3	77.6	63.0
2005	77.2	76.4	76.6	77.9	63.7
<i>Indigenous females</i>					
2000	59.4	61.3	56.0	56.3	54.0
2001	62.9	54.1	51.8	55.5	52.8
2002	61.9	58.8	51.6	55.0	49.5
2003	58.9	62.1	55.0	50.0	52.8
2004	62.7	57.9	63.6	53.5	54.0
2005	65.8	59.5	57.8	47.5	50.4

Table 3A.1.2

Table 3A.1.2	Median age at death, NSW, Queensland, WA, SA, NT, 2000–2005 (a) (b) (c) (d) (e)				
	NSW	Qld	WA	SA	NT
<i>Non-Indigenous females</i>					
2000	82.1	81.7	81.6	82.3	63.0
2001	81.9	81.7	81.9	82.4	71.5
2002	82.3	82.1	82.2	82.8	70.5
2003	82.7	82.2	82.4	83.2	74.5
2004	82.8	82.5	82.3	83.3	71.3
2005	83.1	82.6	83.2	83.7	70.5

(a) Median age at death does not adjust for the age structure of the populations involved.

(b) Based on deaths registered to 31 December 2005.

(c) Data for 2005 is incomplete due to delays between occurrence and registration of deaths.

(d) Victoria, Tasmania and the ACT are excluded due to poor coverage rates or small numbers.

(e) Care should be exercised when comparing median age at death of Indigenous and non-Indigenous people because of differential rates of Indigenous identification by age and different age structures in the two populations.

Source: ABS 2006, *Deaths Australia 2005*, Cat. no. 3302.0, Canberra.

Table 3A.1.3

Table 3A.1.3 Causes of death by Indigenous status, Qld, WA, SA and the NT, 2001–2005 (a)

	Indigenous		Non-Indigenous		Indigenous	Non-Indigenous	Ratio
	%		%		Age standardised rate per 100 000	Age standardised rate per 100 000	
Underlying cause of death							
Circulatory diseases	26.6		36.8		783.9	228.9	3.4
Accidents, poisonings and violence	16.2		6.3		123.5	39.3	3.1
Cancer	15.1		29.7		306.9	179.8	1.7
Lung cancer	3.6		5.7		79.3	34.9	2.3
Cervical cancer	0.4		0.2		5.8	1.1	5.3
Endocrine, metabolic & nutritional disorders	9.0		3.5		204.3	21.6	9.5
Diabetes	8.0		2.4		202.8	14.8	13.7
Respiratory diseases	8.7		8.7		243.2	54.1	4.5
Digestive diseases	5.7		3.3		131.0	20.6	6.4
Conditions originating in the perinatal period	2.8		0.4		7.9	2.9	2.7
Nervous system diseases	2.5		3.3		50.4	20.7	2.4
Infectious and parasitic diseases	2.3		1.2		39.1	7.3	5.4
Kidney diseases	2.0		1.5		64.0	9.6	6.7
Other causes	9.1		5.3		143.7	37.1	3.9
All causes	100.0		100.0		2043.7	621.7	3.3
Number of deaths	7 544		227 393				

(a) Calculations of rates for the Indigenous population are based on ABS Experimental Projections, Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Australians (low series, 2001 base). There are no comparable population data for the non-Indigenous population. Calculations of rates for the non-Indigenous population are based on data derived by subtracting Indigenous population projections from total population estimates and should be used with care.

Source: ABS Causes of Death 2005, Cat. no. 3303.0 (unpublished).

Table 3A.2.1

Table 3A.2.1 Age standardised rates of people with selected long term conditions, by type of condition and Indigenous status, Australia, 2001 and 2004-05 (a)

	Indigenous		Non-Indigenous		Rate ratio (b)
	Rate (%)	RSE (%)	Rate (%)	RSE (%)	
2001					
Arthritis (c)	16.2	11.9	13.8	2.1	1.2
Asthma	17.3	6.0	11.5	1.9	1.5
Back pain/problems, disc disorders (c)	21.8	8.2	20.9	1.4	1.0
Diabetes/high sugar levels	11.0	11.7	2.9	4.3	3.8
Ear/hearing problems (d)	na	na	na	na	na
Eye/sight problems	46.5	5.3	51.7	0.5	0.9
Heart and circulatory problems/diseases (c)	19.4	6.8	17.0	1.1	1.1
Kidney disease	1.6	24.1	0.3	14.5	5.3
Neoplasms/cancer (c)	1.2	61.6	1.7	5.0	0.7
Osteoporosis	0.7	38.9	1.6	7.6	0.4
Total persons with one or more long term conditions (c)	78.0	2.0	78.0	0.4	1.0
No long term conditions (c)	22.0	4.1	22.0	1.4	1.0
2004-05					
Arthritis	17.6	5.9	14.7	1.7	1.2
Asthma	16.1	4.3	10.2	2.4	1.6
Back pain/problems, disc disorders	18.4	4.8	15.9	1.7	1.2
Diabetes/high sugar levels	12.3	5.5	3.6	3.8	3.4
Ear/hearing problems (d)	na	na	na	na	na
Eye/sight problems (e)	46.9	2.2	50.9	0.6	0.7
Heart and circulatory problems/diseases	21.7	5.0	17.3	1.6	1.3
Kidney disease	3.0	11.7	0.3	15.0	10.0
Neoplasms/cancer	1.3	15.5	1.9	5.5	0.7
Osteoporosis	2.0	16.9	2.9	4.0	0.7
Total persons with one or more long term conditions	75.7	0.9	76.2	0.4	1.0
No long term conditions (e)	24.3	2.7	23.8	1.3	1.0

Table 3A.2.1

Table 3A.2.1 **Age standardised rates of people with selected long term conditions, by type of condition and Indigenous status, Australia, 2001 and 2004-05 (a)**

	Indigenous		Non-Indigenous		Rate ratio (b)
	Rate (%)	RSE (%)	Rate (%)	RSE (%)	
(a)	Selected long term conditions are based on ICD classifications. Estimates for long term conditions with an RSE of 25 per cent to 50 per cent should be interpreted with caution. Estimates for long term conditions with an RSE greater than 50 per cent are considered too unreliable for general use.				
(b)	The rate ratio is calculated by dividing the rate of Indigenous people with a particular condition by the rate of non-Indigenous people with the same condition.				
(c)	Difference between 2001 Indigenous and non-Indigenous data are not statistically significant.				
(d)	Statistical testing indicates that these data items are not suitable for age standardisation.				
(e)	Difference between 2004-05 Indigenous and non-Indigenous data are not statistically significant.				
na	Not available. RSE Relative standard error.				
Source : ABS National Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Health Survey 2004-05, Cat. no. 4715.55.005 (published Table 6).					

Table 3A.2.2

Table 3A.2.2 Rates of people with selected long term conditions, by age and Indigenous status, Australia, 2004-05 (a)

	<i>Indigenous</i>		<i>Non-Indigenous</i>	
	<i>Rate (%)</i>	<i>RSE (%)</i>	<i>Rate (%)</i>	<i>RSE (%)</i>
Arthritis				
0–14 years	0.2	40.0	0.1	44.4
15–24 years	2.4	24.6	1.2	14.9
25–34 years	7.7	12.4	4.2	8.6
35–44 years	15.7	10.0	9.7	5.5
45–54 years	29.0	7.9	19.9	4.3
55 years and over	44.1	6.9	44.4	1.9
Asthma				
0–14 years	13.9	7.0	11.4	5.9
15–24 years	15.1	9.4	12.5	6.5
25–34 years	15.8	8.3	10.6	5.4
35–44 years	12.4	9.5	8.7	6.3
45–54 years	19.4	10.0	9.1	6.8
55 years and over	19.4	10.4	9.1	4.6
Back pain/problems, disc disorders				
0–14 years	0.5	36.7	0.8	17.2
15–24 years	10.2	10.6	10.1	6.4
25–34 years	22.3	7.4	16.7	4.5
35–44 years	29.8	8.2	22.3	3.8
45–54 years	27.8	7.4	23.1	3.7
55 years and over	23.7	10.0	24.3	2.6
Diabetes/high sugar levels				
0–14 years	0.2	59.1	0.2	42.5
15–24 years	1.0	27.5	0.5	38.8
25–34 years	4.3	17.1	0.6	22.8
35–44 years	10.0	11.7	2.0	12.5
45–54 years	20.7	8.5	4.0	9.1
55 years and over	32.1	8.2	11.6	4.3
Diseases of the ear and mastoid				
0–14 years	9.5	8.0	3.0	10.5
15–24 years	7.7	12.8	3.8	13.6
25–34 years	12.1	8.8	7.1	8.0
35–44 years	14.5	9.5	10.7	5.4
45–54 years	19.6	12.1	13.6	4.8
55 years and over	27.0	8.3	29.8	2.5

Table 3A.2.2

Table 3A.2.2 Rates of people with selected long term conditions, by age and Indigenous status, Australia, 2004-05 (a)

	<i>Indigenous</i>		<i>Non-Indigenous</i>	
	<i>Rate (%)</i>	<i>RSE (%)</i>	<i>Rate (%)</i>	<i>RSE (%)</i>
Diseases of the eye and adnexa				
0–14 years	8.5	10.7	10.5	5.4
15–24 years	20.7	7.9	30.1	3.7
25–34 years	28.1	7.4	36.3	2.9
35–44 years	44.4	4.7	41.9	2.3
45–54 years	83.1	2.3	85.5	1.0
55 years and over	91.0	1.4	96.3	0.3
Diseases of the heart and circulatory system				
0–14 years	1.5	20.4	1.3	16.8
15–24 years	3.3	16.8	3.1	12.1
25–34 years	10.8	11.5	7.9	6.9
35–44 years	20.7	8.0	12.4	4.3
45–54 years	31.4	7.0	22.4	4.4
55 years and over	54.0	5.4	47.8	1.6
Kidney disease				
0–14 years	0.4	29.7	0.4	30.5
15–24 years	1.9	30.2	0.2	40.9
25–34 years	1.5	26.6	0.1	58.9
35–44 years	2.0	21.6	0.2	33.7
45–54 years	4.5	17.4	0.1	50.9
55 years and over	6.7	21.1	0.4	26.3
Neoplasms/cancer				
0–14 years	na	na	0.2	45.5
15–24 years	0.3	53.9	0.3	41.4
25–34 years	1.4	31.1	0.7	27.1
35–44 years	1.4	32.1	1.2	15.9
45–54 years	2.2	34.1	2.6	13.5
55 years and over	2.2	28.5	5.4	6.0
Osteoporosis				
0–14 years	na	na	na	na
15–24 years	0.3	60.6	–	66.0
25–34 years	0.5	54.3	0.5	32.8
35–44 years	1.0	40.5	0.9	21.0
45–54 years	3.0	24.0	2.2	11.4
55 years and over	6.0	21.8	10.6	4.4

Table 3A.2.2

Table 3A.2.2 **Rates of people with selected long term conditions, by age and Indigenous status, Australia, 2004-05 (a)**

	<i>Indigenous</i>		<i>Non-Indigenous</i>	
	<i>Rate (%)</i>	<i>RSE (%)</i>	<i>Rate (%)</i>	<i>RSE (%)</i>
Total persons with one or more long term conditions				
0–14 years	44.0	3.3	41.2	2.2
15–24 years	59.2	3.3	65.9	2.0
25–34 years	76.5	2.2	77.1	1.1
35–44 years	84.0	1.8	81.2	1.0
45–54 years	94.5	1.3	95.0	0.5
55 years and over	97.2	0.6	99.5	0.1
No long term conditions				
0–14 years	56.0	2.6	58.8	1.6
15–24 years	40.8	4.8	34.1	3.9
25–34 years	23.5	7.1	22.9	3.7
35–44 years	16.0	9.7	18.8	4.2
45–54 years	5.5	22.3	5.0	9.1
55 years and over	2.8	21.6	0.5	24.1

(a) Selected long term conditions are based on ICD classifications. Estimates for long term conditions with an RSE of 25 per cent to 50 per cent should be interpreted with caution. Estimates for long term conditions with an RSE greater than 50 per cent are considered too unreliable for general use.

– Nil or rounded to zero. **na** Not available. **RSE** Relative standard error.

Source: ABS National Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Health Survey 2004-05, Cat. no. 4715.55.005 (published Table 9).

Table 3A.2.3

Table 3A.2.3 Age standardised rates of people with selected long term conditions, by type and number of conditions, gender and Indigenous status, Australia, 2004-05 (a)

	Indigenous		Non-Indigenous		Rate ratio (b)
	Rate (%)	RSE (%)	Rate (%)	RSE (%)	
Males					
Arthritis	16.1	6.6	12.8	2.8	1.3
Asthma	12.2	7.7	9.0	3.7	1.4
Back pain/problems, disc disorders	19.0	6.2	16.4	2.6	1.2
Diabetes/high sugar levels	11.8	8.6	4.1	5.3	2.9
Diseases of the ear and mastoid					
Deafness (complete/partial) (c)	na	na	na	na	na
Otitis media	1.3	14.4	0.5	13.7	2.6
Other	2.8	19.0	2.8	6.9	1.0
Total (c)	na	na	na	na	na
Diseases of the eye and adnexa	41.1	2.5	47.6	0.8	0.9
Diseases of the heart and circulatory system	18.4	5.7	15.8	2.1	1.2
Kidney disease	3.5	18.8	0.2	27.1	17.5
Neoplasms/cancer	1.3	22.0	2.1	6.5	0.6
Osteoporosis	1.6	29.4	0.9	11.7	1.8
Number of conditions					
One	19.2	5.2	21.7	2.2	0.9
Two	16.0	5.7	16.3	2.3	1.0
Three or more	38.3	3.0	37.0	1.0	1.0
No long term condition	26.5	3.2	25.0	1.9	1.1
Total persons with one or more long term conditions (d)	73.5	1.1	75.0	0.6	1.0

Table 3A.2.3

Table 3A.2.3 Age standardised rates of people with selected long term conditions, by type and number of conditions, gender and Indigenous status, Australia, 2004-05 (a)

	Indigenous		Non-Indigenous		Rate ratio (b)
	Rate (%)	RSE (%)	Rate (%)	RSE (%)	
<i>Females</i>					
Arthritis	18.8	8.5	16.6	1.9	1.1
Asthma	19.6	4.9	11.4	3.1	1.7
Back pain/problems, disc disorders	17.8	6.1	15.5	2.5	1.1
Diabetes/high sugar levels	12.7	6.9	3.1	5.4	4.1
Diseases of the ear and mastoid					
Deafness (complete/partial) (c)	na	na	na	na	na
Otitis media	1.5	13.8	0.6	13.5	2.5
Other	2.0	16.4	2.0	7.8	1.0
Total (c)	na	na	na	na	na
Diseases of the eye and adnexa	51.5	3.0	54.3	0.8	1.0
Diseases of the heart and circulatory system	24.5	6.7	18.7	2.5	1.3
Kidney disease	2.5	14.1	0.3	18.4	8.3
Neoplasms/cancer	1.2	22.8	1.8	8.1	0.7
Osteoporosis	2.4	19.8	4.7	4.4	0.5
Number of conditions					
One	15.8	5.2	19.9	2.2	0.8
Two	14.6	6.1	15.9	2.3	0.9
Three or more	47.1	3.5	41.7	1.1	1.1
No long term condition	22.5	4.3	22.6	1.9	1.0
Total persons with one or more long term conditions (d)	77.5	1.2	77.4	0.6	1.0

Table 3A.2.3

Table 3A.2.3 Age standardised rates of people with selected long term conditions, by type and number of conditions, gender and Indigenous status, Australia, 2004-05 (a)

Persons	Indigenous		Non-Indigenous		Rate ratio (b)
	Rate (%)	RSE (%)	Rate (%)	RSE (%)	
Arthritis	17.6	5.9	14.7	1.7	1.2
Asthma	16.1	4.3	10.2	2.4	1.6
Back pain/problems, disc disorders	18.4	4.8	16.0	1.7	1.2
Diabetes/high sugar levels	12.3	5.5	3.6	3.8	3.4
Diseases of the ear and mastoid					
Deafness (complete/partial) (c)	na	na	na	na	na
Otitis media	1.4	11.2	0.5	9.6	2.8
Other	2.4	12.9	2.4	4.5	1.0
Total (c)	na	na	na	na	na
Diseases of the eye and adnexa	46.6	2.2	50.9	0.6	0.9
Diseases of the heart and circulatory system	21.7	5.0	17.3	1.6	1.3
Kidney disease	3.0	11.7	0.3	15.0	10.0
Neoplasms/cancer	1.3	15.5	1.9	5.5	0.7
Osteoporosis	2.0	16.9	2.8	4.0	0.7
Number of conditions					
One	17.4	4.0	20.8	1.8	0.8
Two	15.3	4.2	16.1	1.7	1.0
Three or more	43.0	2.6	39.4	0.8	1.1
No long term condition	24.3	2.7	23.8	1.3	1.0
Total persons with one or more long term conditions (d)	75.7	0.9	76.2	0.4	1.0

Table 3A.2.3

Table 3A.2.3 **Age standardised rates of people with selected long term conditions, by type and number of conditions, gender and Indigenous status, Australia, 2004-05 (a)**

	Indigenous		Non-Indigenous		Rate ratio (b)
	Rate (%)	RSE (%)	Rate (%)	RSE (%)	
(a)	Selected long term conditions are based on ICD classifications. Estimates for long term conditions with an RSE of 25 per cent to 50 per cent should be interpreted with caution. Estimates for long term conditions with an RSE greater than 50 per cent are considered too unreliable for general use.				
(b)	The rate ratio is calculated by dividing the rate of Indigenous people with a particular condition by the rate of non-Indigenous people with the same condition.				
(c)	Statistical testing indicates that this item is not suitable for age standardisation.				
(d)	Sum of components may be more than total as persons may have reported more than one type of condition.				
na	Not available. RSE Relative standard error.				
Source: ABS National Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Health Survey 2004-05, Cat. no. 4715.55.005 (published Table 13).					

Table 3A.2.4

Table 3A.2.4 **Age standardised rates of people with selected long term conditions, by type of condition, State/Territory and Indigenous status, 2004-05 (a)**

	<i>Indigenous</i>		<i>Non-Indigenous</i>	
	<i>Rate (%)</i>	<i>RSE (%)</i>	<i>Rate (%)</i>	<i>RSE (%)</i>
<i>NSW</i>				
Arthritis	22.0	12.3	14.3	3.5
Asthma	17.6	9.3	9.2	4.6
Back pain/problems, disc disorders	18.8	8.4	14.5	3.9
Diabetes/high sugar levels	9.7	14.0	3.6	7.1
Diseases of the ear/mastoid (b)	na	na	na	na
Diseases of the eye/adnexa	49.9	5.4	49.6	1.4
Diseases of the heart/circulatory system	22.1	13.5	16.4	3.3
Kidney disease	2.0	29.6	0.3	29.0
Neoplasms/cancer	1.8	28.2	1.6	11.1
Osteoporosis	1.6	42.3	3.0	6.1
Total persons with one or more long term conditions	79.2	1.8	74.1	0.9
No long term condition	20.8	6.8	25.9	2.9
<i>Vic</i>				
Arthritis	22.8	8.2	14.1	3.2
Asthma	21.0	11.0	10.3	5.1
Back pain/problems, disc disorders	20.1	13.8	15.0	3.7
Diabetes/high sugar levels	10.0	17.4	3.2	8.9
Diseases of the ear/mastoid (b)	na	na	na	na
Diseases of the eye/adnexa	48.4	6.7	51.6	1.2
Diseases of the heart/circulatory system	25.1	10.1	17.2	3.2
Kidney disease	3.6	29.0	0.2	38.0
Neoplasms/cancer	1.4	42.7	1.9	11.4
Osteoporosis	1.5	48.0	2.6	9.8
Total persons with one or more long term conditions	83.6	2.3	76.9	0.9
No long term condition	16.4	11.7	23.1	3.1
<i>Q/d</i>				
Arthritis	15.2	9.5	16.0	3.7
Asthma	14.7	8.3	10.8	5.2
Back pain/problems, disc disorders	18.3	9.0	17.9	3.8
Diabetes/high sugar levels	12.5	11.0	3.4	7.4
Diseases of the ear/mastoid (b)	na	na	na	na
Diseases of the eye/adnexa	49.2	2.3	51.7	1.2
Diseases of the heart/circulatory system	21.2	6.5	18.5	3.2
Kidney disease	2.6	21.7	0.2	31.6
Neoplasms/cancer	1.1	32.8	2.7	11.9
Osteoporosis	2.8	27.0	2.8	9.0
Total persons with one or more long term conditions	75.5	1.4	77.6	0.7
No long term condition	24.5	4.4	22.4	2.4

Table 3A.2.4

Table 3A.2.4 **Age standardised rates of people with selected long term conditions, by type of condition, State/Territory and Indigenous status, 2004-05 (a)**

	<i>Indigenous</i>		<i>Non-Indigenous</i>	
	<i>Rate (%)</i>	<i>RSE (%)</i>	<i>Rate (%)</i>	<i>RSE (%)</i>
<i>WA</i>				
Arthritis	15.5	9.5	13.5	4.3
Asthma	17.3	9.7	11.0	6.9
Back pain/problems, disc disorders	20.4	13.0	17.5	3.9
Diabetes/high sugar levels	17.3	9.6	4.6	8.9
Diseases of the ear/mastoid (b)	na	na	na	na
Diseases of the eye/adnexa	45.6	3.7	52.5	1.4
Diseases of the heart/circulatory system	20.5	8.6	16.8	5.1
Kidney disease	5.2	17.7	0.4	33.6
Neoplasms/cancer	1.1	47.5	2.1	13.4
Osteoporosis	2.5	33.7	3.1	10.1
Total persons with one or more long term conditions	73.7	2.2	77.6	1.2
No long term condition	26.3	6.1	22.4	4.0
<i>SA</i>				
Arthritis	19.9	10.7	16.1	3.1
Asthma	16.6	12.4	11.3	4.4
Back pain/problems, disc disorders	18.2	12.2	18.4	3.5
Diabetes/high sugar levels	15.6	16.4	3.8	7.0
Diseases of the ear/mastoid (b)	na	na	na	na
Diseases of the eye/adnexa	45.6	4.1	49.9	1.4
Diseases of the heart/circulatory system	22.7	8.0	18.0	2.8
Kidney disease	1.5	37.0	0.2	27.7
Neoplasms/cancer	na	na	1.6	10.3
Osteoporosis	2.4	46.1	3.0	7.0
Total persons with one or more long term conditions	75.0	1.9	77.1	1.1
No long term condition	25.0	5.6	22.9	3.6
<i>Tas</i>				
Arthritis	26.1	9.0	18.6	3.6
Asthma	18.4	14.3	12.6	6.1
Back pain/problems, disc disorders	22.4	11.1	16.2	4.1
Diabetes/high sugar levels	3.1	29.7	3.1	10.9
Diseases of the ear/mastoid (b)	na	na	na	na
Diseases of the eye/adnexa	49.4	3.5	49.7	1.8
Diseases of the heart/circulatory system	20.1	8.8	20.6	3.8
Kidney disease	0.9	44.4	0.4	30.6
Neoplasms/cancer	2.6	29.6	1.6	15.6
Osteoporosis	3.8	38.0	2.4	12.8
Total persons with one or more long term conditions	81.7	1.6	77.8	1.2
No long term condition	18.3	7.0	22.2	4.2

Table 3A.2.4

Table 3A.2.4 **Age standardised rates of people with selected long term conditions, by type of condition, State/Territory and Indigenous status, 2004-05 (a)**

	<i>Indigenous</i>		<i>Non-Indigenous</i>	
	<i>Rate (%)</i>	<i>RSE (%)</i>	<i>Rate (%)</i>	<i>RSE (%)</i>
<i>ACT</i>				
Arthritis	16.7	20.7	13.7	4.9
Asthma	19.9	17.4	10.1	8.1
Back pain/problems, disc disorders	21.8	14.4	15.3	6.0
Diabetes/high sugar levels	11.5	25.5	3.7	13.0
Diseases of the ear/mastoid (b)	na	na	na	na
Diseases of the eye/adnexa	56.8	3.4	55.8	2.0
Diseases of the heart/circulatory system	20.7	16.8	19.7	4.3
Kidney disease	2.3	67.4	0.3	55.6
Neoplasms/cancer	na	na	2.1	16.3
Osteoporosis	0.8	64.6	3.2	10.9
Total persons with one or more long term conditions	82.3	1.9	79.4	1.1
No long term condition	17.7	8.7	20.6	4.3
<i>NT (c)</i>				
Arthritis	7.7	15.7	na	na
Asthma	10.6	13.9	na	na
Back pain/problems, disc disorders	12.8	14.5	na	na
Diabetes/high sugar levels	14.4	9.2	na	na
Diseases of the ear/mastoid (b)	na	na	na	na
Diseases of the eye/adnexa	35.4	4.7	na	na
Diseases of the heart/circulatory system	21.5	9.8	na	na
Kidney disease	4.7	24.8	na	na
Neoplasms/cancer	0.6	38.4	na	na
Osteoporosis	na	na	na	na
Total persons with one or more long term conditions	63.9	2.8	na	na
No long term condition	36.1	5.0	na	na
<i>Australia</i>				
Arthritis	17.5	5.7	14.7	1.7
Asthma	16.1	4.2	10.2	2.4
Back pain/problems, disc disorders	18.4	4.8	15.9	1.7
Diabetes/high sugar levels	12.3	5.5	3.6	3.8
Diseases of the ear/mastoid (b)	na	na	na	na
Diseases of the eye/adnexa (d)	47.0	2.1	50.9	0.6
Diseases of the heart/circulatory system	21.7	4.9	17.3	1.5
Kidney disease	3.0	11.6	0.3	14.9
Neoplasms/cancer	1.3	15.4	1.9	5.5
Osteoporosis	2.0	16.9	2.8	4.1
Total persons with one or more long term conditions	75.7	0.8	76.2	0.4
No long term condition (d)	24.3	2.6	23.8	1.3

Table 3A.2.4

Table 3A.2.4 **Age standardised rates of people with selected long term conditions, by type of condition, State/Territory and Indigenous status, 2004-05 (a)**

	<i>Indigenous</i>		<i>Non-Indigenous</i>	
	<i>Rate (%)</i>	<i>RSE (%)</i>	<i>Rate (%)</i>	<i>RSE (%)</i>

(a) Selected long term conditions are based on ICD classifications. Estimates for long term conditions with an RSE of 25 per cent to 50 per cent should be interpreted with caution. Estimates for long term conditions with an RSE greater than 50 per cent are considered too unreliable for general use.

(b) Statistical testing indicates that this data item is not suitable for age standardisation.

(c) Since 2000, the sample in the NT for some social surveys (including the 2004-05 National Health Survey) has been reduced to a level such that records contribute appropriately to national estimates but will not support reliable estimates for the NT. This reallocation of resources has enabled a larger NT sample to be used in the General Social Survey and the Indigenous Social Survey conducted periodically by the ABS. As a result, estimates for the NT are not shown separately in these tables.

(d) Difference between 2004-05 Indigenous and non-Indigenous data is not statistically significant.

na Not available. **RSE** Relative standard error.

Source: ABS National Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Health Survey 2004-05, Cat. no. 4715.55.005 (unpublished); ABS National Health Survey 2004-05: Summary of Results, Cat. no. 4362.0 (unpublished).

Table 3A.2.5

Table 3A.2.5 Rates of people with selected long term conditions, by type of condition, remoteness and Indigenous status, Australia, 2001 and 2004-05 (a) (b)

	Indigenous												Non-Indigenous				Rate ratio (c)
	Non-Remote				Remote				Total				Total - AS				
	Rate (%)	RSE (%)			Rate (%)	RSE (%)			Rate (%)	RSE (%)			Rate (%)	RSE (%)			
2001																	
Arthritis (d) (e)	9.5	11.4		4.5	15.4		8.1	9.7		16.2	11.9		13.8	2.1		1.2	
Asthma (d)	18.5	5.4		11.1	10.4		16.5	4.9		17.3	6.0		11.5	1.9		1.5	
Back pain/problems, disc disorders (d) (e)	16.5	8.3		11.7	10.8		15.2	6.7		21.8	8.2		20.9	1.4		1.0	
Diabetes/high sugar levels (d)	4.5	14.0		7.2	13.8		5.2	9.5		11.0	11.7		2.9	4.3		3.3	
Ear/hearing problems (f) (g)	14.1	8.6		15.9	8.7		14.6	6.4		na	na		na	na		na	
Eye/sight problems (d)	32.8	5.2		19.6	5.6		29.2	4.3		46.5	5.3		51.7	0.5		0.9	
Heart and circulatory problems/diseases (d) (e) (f)	9.8	10.1		12.3	9.9		10.5	5.5		19.4	6.8		17.0	1.1		1.1	
Kidney disease (f)	0.7	31.7		2.5	23.0		1.2	19.6		1.6	24.1		0.3	14.5		5.3	
Neoplasms/cancer (d) (e) (f)	0.9	56.9		–	56.9		0.8	50.2		1.2	61.6		1.7	5.0		0.7	
Osteoporosis	–	36.3		na	na		–	31.7		0.7	38.9		1.6	7.6		0.4	
Total persons with one or more long term conditions (d)	69.6	1.9		58.4	3.6		66.5	1.7		78.0	2.0		78.0	0.4		1.0	
No long term conditions (d) (e)	30.4	4.4		41.6	5.1		33.5	3.3		22.0	4.1		22.0	1.4		1.0	
2004-05																	
Arthritis (d)	10.4	5.7		5.6	9.7		9.1	5.1		17.8	5.9		14.7	1.7		1.2	
Asthma (d)	17.2	4.4		9.3	8.0		15.1	4.0		16.1	4.3		10.2	2.4		1.6	
Back pain/problems, disc disorders (d) (h)	13.4	4.7		12.4	9.7		13.1	4.3		18.4	4.7		15.9	1.7		1.2	
Diabetes/high sugar levels (d)	5.0	7.9		9.2	6.5		6.1	5.3		12.3	5.6		3.6	3.8		3.4	
Ear/hearing problems (g) (h)	11.8	5.1		13.4	6.8		12.0	4.1		na	na		na	na		na	
Eye/sight problems (d) (i)	32.0	3.0		25.4	4.1		30.2	2.4		47.1	2.2		50.9	0.6		0.7	
Heart and circulatory problems/diseases (d)	11.0	5.8		14.1	7.2		11.8	4.5		21.6	5.1		17.3	1.6		1.3	

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Table 3A.2.5

Table 3A.2.5 Rates of people with selected long term conditions, by type of condition, remoteness and Indigenous status, Australia, 2001 and 2004-05 (a) (b)

	Indigenous						Non-Indigenous						Rate ratio (c)		
	Non-Remote			Remote			Total			Total - AS					
	Rate (%)	RSE (%)		Rate (%)	RSE (%)		Rate (%)	RSE (%)		Rate (%)	RSE (%)				
Kidney disease	1.4	13.4		3.0	14.4		2.0	10.4		3.0	11.7		0.3	15.0	10.0
Neoplasms/cancer (d)	1.0	16.7		–	29.3		0.8	15.0		1.3	15.6		1.9	5.5	0.7
Osteoporosis	1.1	16.4		–	37.5		1.0	15.0		2.0	17.0		2.9	4.0	0.7
Total persons with one or more long term conditions	67.5	1.4		56.5	2.5		64.6	1.0		75.7	0.9		76.2	0.4	1.0
No long term conditions (d) (i)	32.5	2.9		43.5	3.3		35.4	2.1		24.3	2.6		23.8	1.3	1.0

(a) Selected long term conditions are based on ICD classifications. Estimates for long term conditions with an RSE of 25 per cent to 50 per cent should be interpreted with caution. Estimates for long term conditions with an RSE greater than 50 per cent are considered too unreliable for general use.

(b) Remoteness areas are derived from the Australian Standard Geographical Classification (ASGC) developed by the ABS. The ASGC Remoteness classification identifies a region in Australia as having a particular degree of remoteness. Remoteness areas comprise five categories, including major cities, inner regional, outer regional, remote, and very remote. In the table above, 'non-remote' includes major cities, inner regional and outer regional categories whereas 'remote' includes the remote and very remote categories of the ASGC. The degree of remoteness of each Collection District (CD) is determined using the Accessibility/Remoteness Index of Australia (ARIA). ABS generates an average ARIA score for each CD. The CDs are then aggregated by class to form the remoteness areas in each State and Territory. For more information on how ARIA is defined see the Information Papers ABS Views on Remoteness, 2001 (Cat. no. 1244.0) and Outcomes of ABS Views on Remoteness consultation, Australia (Cat. no. 1244.0.00.001).

(c) The rate ratio is calculated by dividing the rate of Indigenous people with a particular condition by the rate of non-Indigenous people with the same condition.

(d) Difference between Indigenous total 2001 and 2004-05 data is not statistically significant.

(e) Difference between 2001 Indigenous and non-Indigenous total AS data is not statistically significant.

(f) Difference between remote and non-remote 2001 data is not statistically significant.

(g) Statistical testing indicates that this data item is not suitable for age standardisation.

(h) Difference between remote and non-remote 2004-05 data is not statistically significant.

(i) Difference between 2004-05 Indigenous and non-Indigenous total AS data is not statistically significant.

na Not available. – Nil or rounded to zero. **RSE** Relative standard error. **AS** Age standardised.

Source: ABS National Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Health Survey 2004-05, Cat. no. 4715.55.005 (published, Table 1, 6 and 8).

Table 3A.2.6

Table 3A.2.6 Age standardised rates of people with diabetes/high sugar levels who find the condition interferes with their usual daily activities, by type of activity and Indigenous status, Australia, 2004-05 (a)

	<i>Indigenous</i>		<i>Non-Indigenous</i>	
	<i>Rate (%)</i>	<i>RSE (%)</i>	<i>Rate (%)</i>	<i>RSE (%)</i>
Work	2.9	22.0	3.2	24.9
Work and study	3.4	21.7	3.8	23.4
Other day to day activities	20.1	12.0	11.8	11.2
Total affected	20.9	11.6	13.7	10.5
Total with diabetes/high sugar levels	100.0	–	100.0	–

(a) Estimates with an RSE of 25 per cent to 50 per cent should be interpreted with caution. Estimates with an RSE greater than 50 per cent are considered too unreliable for general use.

RSE Relative standard error.

Source: ABS National Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Health Survey 2004-05, Cat. no. 4715.55.005 (unpublished).

Table 3A.2.7

Table 3A.2.7 Rates of Indigenous people aged 18 years and over with selected long term conditions, by type of personal stressor experienced by self, family or friends, Australia, 2004-05

	Arthritis	Asthma	Back pain/ problems	Diabetes	Ear problems/ diseases	Eye/sight problems	Heart and circulatory diseases	Kidney disease	Neoplasms/ cancer	Osteoporosis	Has long term condition	No long term condition	Total
Serious illness or disability	32	36	38	32	33	31	34	45	51	32	31	19	28
Other stressors													
Serious accident	8	12	12	10	12	9	10	10*	6*	10*	10	7	9
Death of family member or close friend	47	44	50	48	42	44	45	51	42	43	43	38	42
Member of family in jail	18	24	22	22	25	19	21	29	13*	8*	19	17	19
Overcrowding at home	15	17	19	21	20	15	17	22	17*	15*	17	17	17
Divorce or separation	10	11	13	9	14	11	12	14*	11*	18*	12	7	11
Not able to get a job	14	21	21	15	19	17	18	19	15*	20*	18	13	17
Involuntary loss of job	7	10	11	6*	10	7	8	8*	11*	5*	8	3	7
Alcohol and drug problems	26	29	30	26	32	24	29	34	32*	37*	27	19	25
Witness to violence	13	18	18	15	16	14	17	18	10*	14*	15	13	14
Abuse or violent crime	12	14	15	10	13	11	12	19	13*	14*	12	7	11
Trouble with the police	17	17	21	18	20	16	18	23	24*	15*	17	14	16
Gambling problem	12	15	16	14	15	13	15	13*	14*	4*	14	12	14
Discrimination or racism	10	14	16	12	16	12	13	15	17*	11*	13	6	12
Total (a)	74	74	77	75	75	71	74	81	73	74	72	65	71
Total experienced stressors (a)	80	81	83	82	80	79	81	87	88	79	79	68	77
No stressors reported	19	19	16	18	19	21	18	13*	12*	20*	20	31	22
Total (b)	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100

(a) Sum of components may be more than total as persons may have reported more than one type of stressor.

(b) Includes 'types of stressors experienced' not known.

* Estimate has a relative standard error of 25 per cent to 50 per cent and should be used with caution.

Source: ABS National Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Health Survey 2004-05, Cat. no. 4715.55.005 (published Table 10).

Table 3A.2.8

Table 3A.2.8 Male Indigenous hospitalisations, by chronic disease, per 1000 people, Queensland, WA, SA, and public hospitals in the NT, 2001-02 (a) (b) (c)

	Number of hospitalisations			Age standardised hospitalisation rate (d)		Rate ratio (f)
	Indigenous	Non-Indigenous	Not stated	Indigenous	Other (e)	
Cancer (C00–C96)	566	64 323	5 838	10.3	21.6	0.5
Lung cancer (C33–C34)	93	4 294	242	2.3	1.4	1.6
Cervical cancer (C53)	na	na	na	na	na	na
Mental and behavioural disorders (F00–F99)	2 835	42 224	2 096	24.6	12.6	1.9
Circulatory diseases (I00–I99)	2 383	82 982	5 329	38.6	27.0	1.4
Ischaemic heart diseases (I20–I25)	1 030	34 519	2 434	17.5	11.2	1.6
Stroke (I60–I69)	175	6 747	298	3.4	2.3	1.5
Hypertension (I10–I15)	105	848	34	1.4	0.3	5.4
Rheumatic heart diseases (I05–I09)	50	257	35	0.4	0.1	4.5
Other (g)						
Diabetes (E10–E14)	924	10 139	278	14.4	3.2	4.5
End stage renal diseases (N18–N19, Z49)	22 483	112 954	4 114	335.3	34.9	9.6
Chronic Obstructive Pulmonary Diseases (J41–J44)	529	10 299	334	12.7	3.4	3.7

(a) Data are based on state of usual residence.

(b) Indigenous data are reported for Queensland, WA, SA and the NT only. These four jurisdictions are considered to have the highest level of accuracy of Indigenous identification, although the level of accuracy varies by jurisdiction and hospital. Data for these four jurisdictions over-represent Indigenous populations in less urbanised and more remote locations. Hospitalisation data for four jurisdictions should not be assumed to represent the hospitalisation experience in the other jurisdictions.

(c) Hospitalisations were based on ICD-10-AM classifications. Principal diagnosis was used to select diseases.

(d) The rates per 1000 population were directly age standardised using the 2001 Australian population.

(e) Includes hospitalisations where Indigenous status was recorded as non-Indigenous or not stated.

(f) The rate ratio is calculated by dividing the Indigenous age standardised rate by the 'other' age standardised rate.

(g) Diseases in this part are sub-chapter level diseases in the ICD-10-AM classification.

na Not applicable.

Source : AIHW National Hospital Morbidity Database (unpublished)

Table 3A.2.9

Table 3A.2.9 Male Indigenous hospitalisations, by chronic disease, per 1000 people, Queensland, WA, SA, and public hospitals in the NT, 2002-03 (a) (b) (c)

	Number of hospitalisations			Age standardised hospitalisation rate (d)		Rate ratio (f)
	Indigenous	Non-Indigenous	Not stated	Indigenous	Other (e)	
Cancer (C00–C96)	732	68 431	6 057	13.8	22.1	0.6
Lung cancer (C33–C34)	66	4 232	261	1.7	1.3	1.3
Cervical cancer (C53)	na	na	na	na	na	na
Mental and behavioural disorders (F00–F99)	2 844	40 738	1 960	24.1	12.0	2.0
Circulatory diseases (I00–I99)	2 507	82 709	6 006	40.8	26.3	1.6
Ischaemic heart diseases (I20–I25)	1 130	33 829	2 820	18.5	10.7	1.7
Stroke (I60–I69)	173	6 505	292	3.8	2.1	1.8
Hypertension (I10–I15)	82	957	33	1.1	0.3	4.0
Rheumatic heart diseases (I05–I09)	52	281	64	0.4	0.1	4.1
Other (g)						
Diabetes (E10–E14)	1 015	10 714	331	14.3	3.3	4.4
End stage renal diseases (N18–N19, Z49)	24 828	128 588	5 500	363.6	39.0	9.3
Chronic Obstructive Pulmonary Diseases (J41–J44)	547	10 267	316	12.8	3.3	3.9

(a) Data are based on state of usual residence.

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(c) Hospitalisations were based on ICD-10-AM classifications. Principal diagnosis was used to select diseases.

(d) The rates per 1000 population were directly age standardised using the 2001 Australian population.

(e) Includes hospitalisations where Indigenous status was recorded as non-Indigenous or not stated.

(f) The rate ratio is calculated by dividing the Indigenous age standardised rate by the 'other' age standardised rate.

(g) Diseases in this part are sub-chapter level diseases in the ICD-10-AM classification.

na Not applicable.

Source: AIHW National Hospital Morbidity Database (unpublished).

Table 3A.2.10

Table 3A.2.10 Male Indigenous hospitalisations, by chronic disease, per 1000 people, Queensland, WA, SA, and public hospitals in the NT, 2003-04 (a) (b) (c)

	Number of hospitalisations			Age standardised hospitalisation rate (d)		Rate ratio (f)
	Indigenous	Non-Indigenous	Not stated	Indigenous	Other (e)	
Cancer (C00–C96)	701	69 421	7 299	13.0	22.0	0.6
Lung cancer (C33–C34)	80	4 228	288	1.9	1.3	1.4
Cervical cancer (C53)	na	na	na	na	na	na
Mental and behavioural disorders (F00–F99)	2 838	41 250	1 391	23.7	11.7	2.0
Circulatory diseases (I00–I99)	2 678	81 615	7 797	43.5	25.7	1.7
Ischaemic heart diseases (I20–I25)	1 285	33 549	3 560	20.5	10.5	2.0
Stroke (I60–I69)	210	6 495	353	4.4	2.0	2.2
Hypertension (I10–I15)	84	1 024	61	1.2	0.3	4.0
Rheumatic heart diseases (I05–I09)	45	215	89	0.4	0.1	4.7
Other (g)						
Diabetes (E10–E14)	1 130	11 596	389	17.0	3.5	4.9
End stage renal diseases (N18–N19, Z49)	28 791	139 128	7 440	417.5	41.7	10.0
Chronic Obstructive Pulmonary Diseases (J41–J44)	606	10 512	455	14.4	3.3	4.3

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(b) Indigenous data are reported for Queensland, WA, SA and the NT only. These four jurisdictions are considered to have the highest level of accuracy of Indigenous identification, although the level of accuracy varies by jurisdiction and hospital. Data for these four jurisdictions over-represent Indigenous populations in less urbanised and more remote locations. Hospitalisation data for four jurisdictions should not be assumed to represent the hospitalisation experience in the other jurisdictions.

(c) Hospitalisations were based on ICD-10-AM classifications. Principal diagnosis was used to select diseases.

(d) The rates per 1000 population were directly age standardised using the 2001 Australian population.

(e) Includes hospitalisations where Indigenous status was recorded as non-Indigenous or not stated.

(f) The rate ratio is calculated by dividing the Indigenous age standardised rate by the 'other' age standardised rate.

(g) Diseases in this part are sub-chapter level diseases in the ICD-10-AM classification.

na Not applicable.

Source: AIHW National Hospital Morbidity Database (unpublished).

Table 3A.2.11

Table 3A.2.11 **Male Indigenous hospitalisations, by chronic disease, per 1000 people, Queensland, WA, SA, and public hospitals in the NT, 2004-05 (a) (b) (c)**

	Number of hospitalisations			Age standardised hospitalisation rate (d)		Rate ratio (f)
	Indigenous	Non-Indigenous	Not stated	Indigenous	Other (e)	
Cancer (C00–C96)	663	70 478	7 033	12.1	21.6	0.6
Lung cancer (C33–C34)	107	4 440	299	2.2	1.3	1.6
Cervical cancer (C53)	na	na	na	na	na	na
Mental and behavioural disorders (F00–F99)	2 819	40 688	1 352	23.3	11.3	2.1
Circulatory diseases (I00–I99)	2 687	83 156	7 887	39.8	25.3	1.6
Ischaemic heart diseases (I20–I25)	1 250	33 619	3 601	18.4	10.2	1.8
Stroke (I60–I69)	198	6 808	399	3.3	2.1	1.6
Hypertension (I10–I15)	79	924	66	1.0	0.3	3.6
Rheumatic heart diseases (I05–I09)	63	272	104	0.4	0.1	3.9
Other (g)						
Diabetes (E10–E14)	1 078	12 628	366	15.2	3.6	4.2
End stage renal diseases (N18–N19, Z49)	33 750	153 255	7 395	484.6	44.6	10.9
Chronic Obstructive Pulmonary Diseases (J41–J44)	640	10 540	401	15.7	3.2	4.9

(a) Data are based on state of usual residence.

(b) Indigenous data are reported for Queensland, WA, SA and the NT only. These four jurisdictions are considered to have the highest level of accuracy of Indigenous identification, although the level of accuracy varies by jurisdiction and hospital. Data for these four jurisdictions over-represent Indigenous populations in less urbanised and more remote locations. Hospitalisation data for four jurisdictions should not be assumed to represent the hospitalisation experience in the other jurisdictions.

(c) Hospitalisations were based on ICD-10-AM classifications. Principal diagnosis was used to select diseases.

(d) The rates per 1000 population were directly age standardised using the 2001 Australian population.

(e) Includes hospitalisations where Indigenous status was recorded as non-Indigenous or not stated.

(f) The rate ratio is calculated by dividing the Indigenous age standardised rate by the 'other' age standardised rate.

(g) Diseases in this part are sub-chapter level diseases in the ICD-10-AM classification.

na Not applicable.

Source : AIHW National Hospital Morbidity Database (unpublished).

Table 3A.2.12

Table 3A.2.12 Female Indigenous hospitalisations, by chronic disease, per 1000 people, Queensland, WA, SA, and public hospitals in the NT, 2001-02 (a) (b) (c)

	Number of hospitalisations			Age standardised hospitalisation rate (d)		Rate ratio (f)
	Indigenous	Non-Indigenous	Not stated	Indigenous	Other (e)	
Cancer (C00–C96)	539	49 571	5 103	8.2	14.8	0.6
Lung cancer (C33–C34)	59	2 130	155	1.1	0.6	1.8
Cervical cancer (C53)	59	588	54	0.6	0.2	3.6
Mental and behavioural disorders (F00–F99)	2 424	47 877	2 250	19.4	14.1	1.4
Circulatory diseases (I00–I99)	2 359	63 155	3 788	34.4	17.7	1.9
Ischaemic heart diseases (I20–I25)	853	18 406	1 228	13.2	5.2	2.5
Stroke (I60–I69)	218	6 101	223	3.9	1.6	2.4
Hypertension (I10–I15)	154	1 589	52	2.0	0.4	4.7
Rheumatic heart diseases (I05–I09)	111	378	46	0.9	0.1	7.7
Other (g)						
Diabetes (E10–E14)	1 084	8416	238	15.7	2.3	6.7
End stage renal diseases (N18–N19, Z49)	30 824	79 855	3 954	433.1	23.0	18.8
Chronic Obstructive Pulmonary Diseases (J41–J44)	591	7 018	258	10.9	1.9	5.7

(a) Data are based on state of usual residence.

(b) Indigenous data are reported for Queensland, WA, SA and the NT only. These four jurisdictions are considered to have the highest level of accuracy of Indigenous identification, although the level of accuracy varies by jurisdiction and hospital. Data for these four jurisdictions over-represent Indigenous populations in less urbanised and more remote locations. Hospitalisation data for four jurisdictions should not be assumed to represent the hospitalisation experience in the other jurisdictions.

(c) Hospitalisations were based on ICD-10-AM classifications. Principal diagnosis was used to select diseases.

(d) The rates per 1000 population were directly age standardised using the 2001 Australian population.

(e) Includes hospitalisations where Indigenous status was recorded as non-Indigenous or not stated.

(f) The rate ratio is calculated by dividing the Indigenous age standardised rate by the 'other' age standardised rate.

(g) Diseases in this part are sub-chapter level diseases in the ICD-10-AM classification.

Source: AIHW National Hospital Morbidity Database (unpublished).

Table 3A.2.13

Table 3A.2.13 **Female Indigenous hospitalisations, by chronic disease, per 1000 people, Queensland, WA, SA, and public hospitals in the NT, 2002-03 (a) (b) (c)**

	Number of hospitalisations			Age standardised hospitalisation rate (d)		Rate ratio (f)
	Indigenous	Non-Indigenous	Not stated	Indigenous	Other (e)	
Cancer (C00–C96)	665	51 260	5 208	9.9	14.9	0.7
Lung cancer (C33–C34)	63	2 271	163	1.0	0.6	1.6
Cervical cancer (C53)	37	601	58	0.4	0.2	2.2
Mental and behavioural disorders (F00–F99)	2 583	50 245	2 199	20.3	14.5	1.4
Circulatory diseases (I00–I99)	2 276	61 997	4 090	34.3	17.0	2.0
Ischaemic heart diseases (I20–I25)	884	18 146	1 257	13.6	5.0	2.7
Stroke (I60–I69)	191	5 880	303	3.3	1.6	2.1
Hypertension (I10–I15)	128	1 545	61	1.8	0.4	4.3
Rheumatic heart diseases (I05–I09)	100	357	61	0.8	0.1	7.3
Other (g)						
Diabetes (E10–E14)	1 118	8 930	242	15.4	2.4	6.4
End stage renal diseases (N18–N19, Z49)	35 488	82 070	4 482	491.3	23.1	21.3
Chronic Obstructive Pulmonary Diseases (J41–J44)	583	7 308	313	11.1	2.0	5.7

(a) Data are based on state of usual residence.

(b) Indigenous data are reported for Queensland, WA, SA and the NT only. These four jurisdictions are considered to have the highest level of accuracy of Indigenous identification, although the level of accuracy varies by jurisdiction and hospital. Data for these four jurisdictions over-represent Indigenous populations in less urbanised and more remote locations. Hospitalisation data for four jurisdictions should not be assumed to represent the hospitalisation experience in the other jurisdictions.

(c) Hospitalisations were based on ICD-10-AM classifications. Principal diagnosis was used to select diseases.

(d) The rates per 1000 population were directly age standardised using the 2001 Australian population.

(e) Includes hospitalisations where Indigenous status was recorded as non-Indigenous or not stated.

(f) The rate ratio is calculated by dividing the Indigenous age standardised rate by the 'other' age standardised rate.

(g) Diseases in this part are sub-chapter level diseases in the ICD-10-AM classification.

Source: AIHW National Hospital Morbidity Database (unpublished).

Table 3A.2.14

Table 3A.2.14 Female Indigenous hospitalisations, by chronic disease, per 1000 people, Queensland, WA, SA, and public hospitals in the NT, 2003-04 (a) (b) (c)

	Number of hospitalisations			Age standardised hospitalisation rate (d)		Rate ratio (f)
	Indigenous	Non-Indigenous	Not stated	Indigenous	Other (e)	
Cancer (C00–C96)	751	51 673	6 164	11.1	14.8	0.7
Lung cancer (C33–C34)	59	2 306	169	1.0	0.6	1.6
Cervical cancer (C53)	54	571	69	0.6	0.2	3.7
Mental and behavioural disorders (F00–F99)	2 615	51 644	1 608	20.1	14.5	1.4
Circulatory diseases (I00–I99)	2 354	61 092	4 980	33.0	16.6	2.0
Ischaemic heart diseases (I20–I25)	963	17 764	1 617	14.2	4.8	2.9
Stroke (I60–I69)	194	6 092	326	3.4	1.6	2.2
Hypertension (I10–I15)	124	1 750	76	1.5	0.5	3.4
Rheumatic heart diseases (I05–I09)	105	352	86	0.9	0.1	8.2
Other (g)						
Diabetes (E10–E14)	1 245	9 596	330	17.3	2.6	6.8
End stage renal diseases (N18–N19, Z49)	39 925	92 283	4 435	532.9	25.0	21.3
Chronic Obstructive Pulmonary Diseases (J41–J44)	682	7 428	371	12.3	1.9	6.3

(a) Data are based on state of usual residence.

(b) Indigenous data are reported for Queensland, WA, SA and the NT only. These four jurisdictions are considered to have the highest level of accuracy of Indigenous identification, although the level of accuracy varies by jurisdiction and hospital. Data for these four jurisdictions over-represent Indigenous populations in less urbanised and more remote locations. Hospitalisation data for four jurisdictions should not be assumed to represent the hospitalisation experience in the other jurisdictions.

(c) Hospitalisations were based on ICD-10-AM classifications. Principal diagnosis was used to select diseases.

(d) The rates per 1000 population were directly age standardised using the 2001 Australian population.

(e) Includes hospitalisations where Indigenous status was recorded as non-Indigenous or not stated.

(f) The rate ratio is calculated by dividing the Indigenous age standardised rate by the 'other' age standardised rate.

(g) Diseases in this part are sub-chapter level diseases in the ICD-10-AM classification.

Source: AIHW National Hospital Morbidity Database (unpublished).

Table 3A.2.15

Table 3A.2.15 Female Indigenous hospitalisations, by chronic disease, per 1000 people, Queensland, WA, SA, and public hospitals in the NT, 2004-05 (a) (b) (c)

	Number of hospitalisations			Age standardised hospitalisation rate (d)		Rate ratio (f)
	Indigenous		Not stated	Indigenous	Other (e)	
	Indigenous	Non-Indigenous				
Cancer (C00–C96)	722	51 037	6 727	8.9	14.4	0.6
Lung cancer (C33–C34)	65	2 299	218	1.0	0.6	1.6
Cervical cancer (C53)	62	581	49	0.6	0.2	3.4
Mental and behavioural disorders (F00–F99)	2 699	52 527	1 536	20.2	14.5	1.4
Circulatory diseases (I00–I99)	2 635	62 554	5 188	36.4	16.6	2.2
Ischaemic heart diseases (I20–I25)	1 018	18 135	1 583	14.5	4.8	3.0
Stroke (I60–I69)	242	6 073	326	4.2	1.5	2.8
Hypertension (I10–I15)	130	1 624	108	1.8	0.4	4.2
Rheumatic heart diseases (I05–I09)	112	391	86	0.8	0.1	6.8
Other (g)						
Diabetes (E10–E14)	1 278	10 676	320	17.1	2.8	6.2
End stage renal diseases (N18–N19, Z49)	43 465	99 586	4 548	565.7	26.4	21.4
Chronic Obstructive Pulmonary Diseases (J41–J44)	670	7 310	370	11.0	1.9	5.9

(a) Data are based on state of usual residence.

(b) Indigenous data are reported for Queensland, WA, SA and the NT only. These four jurisdictions are considered to have the highest level of accuracy of Indigenous identification, although the level of accuracy varies by jurisdiction and hospital. Data for these four jurisdictions over-represent Indigenous populations in less urbanised and more remote locations. Hospitalisation data for four jurisdictions should not be assumed to represent the hospitalisation experience in the other jurisdictions.

(c) Hospitalisations were based on ICD-10-AM classifications. Principal diagnosis was used to select diseases.

(d) The rates per 1000 population were directly age standardised using the 2001 Australian population.

(e) Includes hospitalisations where Indigenous status was recorded as non-Indigenous or not stated.

(f) The rate ratio is calculated by dividing the Indigenous age standardised rate by the 'other' age standardised rate.

(g) Diseases in this part are sub-chapter level diseases in the ICD-10-AM classification.

Source: AIHW National Hospital Morbidity Database (unpublished).

Table 3A.3.1

Table 3A.3.1 Apparent retention rates of full time students (per cent) (a)

	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006
To Year 9									
Indigenous	95.0	93.9	95.5	96.5	97.8	96.8	97.2	99.2	98.4
Non-Indigenous	99.7	99.9	99.8	99.9	99.8	99.9	99.9	99.9	100.0
To Year 10									
Indigenous	83.1	82.0	83.0	85.7	86.4	87.2	85.5	88.3	91.4
Non-Indigenous	97.5	97.9	98.0	98.4	98.5	98.9	98.5	98.6	98.9
To year 11									
Indigenous	52.5	56.0	53.6	56.1	58.9	61.4	61.1	62.3	67.7
Non-Indigenous	85.4	86.4	86.2	87.6	88.7	89.5	89.0	88.3	88.8
To Year 12									
Indigenous	32.1	34.7	36.4	35.7	38.0	39.1	39.8	39.5	40.1
Non-Indigenous	72.7	73.2	73.3	74.5	76.3	76.5	76.9	76.6	75.9

(a) The apparent retention rate is the percentage of full time students who continued to year 9, 10, 11 and 12 from respective cohort groups at the commencement of their secondary schooling (year 7/8).

Source: ABS 2007, *Schools Australia 2006*, Cat. no. 4221.0.

Table 3A.3.2

Table 3A.3.2 School participation rates by Indigenous status of students, all schools, 2006 (per cent) (a)

	<i>NSW</i>	<i>Vic</i>	<i>Qld</i>	<i>WA</i>	<i>SA</i>	<i>Tas</i>	<i>ACT</i>	<i>NT</i>	<i>Aust</i>
Participation age 12–19 years									
Indigenous	60.2	57.8	63.0	62.7	60.8	64.9	63.7	52.1	60.5
Non-Indigenous	69.5	73.9	66.0	64.7	70.1	72.8	81.7	69.4	69.7
All students	69.1	73.7	65.9	64.6	69.8	72.3	81.4	61.9	69.3
Participation age 12 years									
Indigenous	98.1	91.5	99.9	110.0	96.1	94.6	87.5	89.9	98.6
Non-Indigenous	98.5	100.0	99.4	99.7	100.2	100.9	113.0	95.4	99.6
All students	98.5	99.9	99.4	100.3	100.0	100.5	112.4	93.0	99.5
Participation age 13 years									
Indigenous	100.4	95.0	98.4	103.1	92.2	93.8	109.6	84.4	97.4
Non-Indigenous	98.6	100.2	99.2	98.7	99.3	99.8	113.7	100.1	99.4
All students	98.7	100.1	99.2	98.9	99.1	99.4	113.6	93.2	99.3
Participation age 14 years									
Indigenous	95.7	80.7	92.8	100.6	90.7	98.4	91.2	78.1	92.3
Non-Indigenous	96.9	99.8	98.1	99.4	99.7	99.7	112.1	94.7	98.6
All students	96.9	99.5	97.8	99.5	99.4	99.7	111.7	87.6	98.3
Participation age 15 years									
Indigenous	76.3	74.8	82.1	91.3	83.8	96.5	88.6	60.7	79.4
Non-Indigenous	93.8	97.2	92.4	95.4	97.6	99.0	110.8	95.0	95.2
All students	93.1	97.0	91.8	95.1	97.1	98.8	110.4	80.0	94.5
Participation age 16 years									
Indigenous	52.9	55.7	65.9	58.2	60.2	70.6	74.7	49.4	58.4
Non-Indigenous	81.2	91.8	82.5	82.1	87.8	87.1	106.4	87.6	85.2
All students	80.2	91.4	81.5	80.7	87.0	85.9	105.8	71.5	84.1
Participation age 17 years									
Indigenous	30.8	36.1	34.5	22.2	36.8	41.5	50.6	30.4	31.8
Non-Indigenous	68.9	79.4	48.4	41.9	66.0	64.1	94.7	61.2	64.7
All students	67.5	78.9	47.7	40.8	65.1	62.6	93.9	47.7	63.4
Participation age 18 years									
Indigenous	7.4	7.1	4.2	4.3	7.9	13.9	16.2	9.5	6.7
Non-Indigenous	15.2	22.9	4.9	3.6	10.9	25.6	25.1	11.1	14.0
All students	14.9	22.7	4.9	3.6	10.8	24.8	24.9	10.4	13.7
Participation age 19 years									
Indigenous	0.6	1.0	0.3	1.3	2.7	1.6	3.7	5.3	1.4
Non-Indigenous	1.6	2.1	0.8	0.7	2.3	2.7	2.2	1.4	1.6
All students	1.6	2.1	0.8	0.7	2.3	2.6	2.2	3.1	1.6

(a) This is the number of full time school students of a particular age, expressed as a proportion of the estimated resident population of the same age at June in each year.

(b) Some ACT rates exceed 100 per cent, largely as a result of NSW residents from surrounding areas enrolling in ACT schools.

Source: ABS 2007, *Schools Australia 2006*, Cat. no. 4221.0 (unpublished).

Table 3A.3.3

Table 3A.3.3 Apparent retention rates of full time Indigenous and non-Indigenous students, all schools, 2006 (per cent) (a) (b) (c)

	<i>NSW</i>	<i>Vic</i>	<i>Q/d</i>	<i>WA</i>	<i>SA</i>	<i>Tas</i>	<i>ACT</i>	<i>NT</i>	<i>Aust</i>
<i>Indigenous students (d)</i>									
To year 9									
Male	96.0	100.0	100.4	100.1	90.5	101.8	109.5	89.6	97.6
Female	99.3	105.6	99.9	100.0	90.6	107.1	97.5	94.2	99.2
Total	97.6	102.8	100.2	100.1	90.5	104.3	103.7	91.9	98.4
To year 10									
Male	83.3	84.8	93.5	95.7	80.9	100.0	97.2	93.2	90.1
Female	84.1	96.5	100.5	97.5	83.1	101.8	88.9	85.6	92.6
Total	83.7	91.1	96.9	96.6	82.0	100.9	92.6	89.4	91.4
To year 11									
Male	44.6	57.3	69.8	73.2	65.6	52.8	91.9	99.4	63.7
Female	52.3	74.7	79.3	78.9	71.6	67.2	77.8	99.0	71.8
Total	48.4	66.0	74.3	75.9	68.7	59.4	84.1	99.2	67.7
To year 12									
Male	26.8	28.9	52.2	34.9	31.7	24.7	80.0	45.0	37.9
Female	34.5	49.6	56.3	27.3	43.2	58.2	41.7	36.6	42.4
Total	30.6	38.4	54.2	31.3	37.5	39.9	59.1	40.5	40.1
<i>Non-Indigenous students</i>									
To year 9									
Male	99.0	99.6	100.7	101.5	100.1	100.9	98.3	96.5	99.9
Female	99.6	100.6	100.5	101.5	100.4	99.4	99.6	96.2	100.3
Total	99.3	100.1	100.6	101.5	100.2	100.2	98.9	96.4	100.0
To year 10									
Male	96.4	97.0	100.1	101.8	99.7	99.5	99.3	91.9	98.1
Female	97.3	99.7	101.4	103.0	101.6	100.2	98.2	89.8	99.6
Total	96.8	98.3	100.7	102.4	100.6	99.8	98.8	90.9	98.9
To year 11									
Male	77.1	89.0	87.9	91.5	92.4	72.6	97.2	92.5	85.2
Female	85.6	97.4	95.0	97.4	96.8	84.4	100.0	89.1	92.7
Total	81.3	93.1	91.4	94.4	94.5	78.3	98.6	90.8	88.8
To year 12									
Male	66.5	73.2	74.9	68.1	65.5	58.6	89.4	62.1	70.1
Female	77.3	87.5	85.1	80.6	79.9	74.2	88.9	70.1	82.0
Total	71.8	80.2	79.9	74.2	72.4	66.3	89.2	66.0	75.9

Table 3A.3.3

Table 3A.3.3 Apparent retention rates of full time Indigenous and non-Indigenous students, all schools, 2006 (per cent) (a) (b) (c)

	<i>NSW</i>	<i>Vic</i>	<i>Q/d</i>	<i>WA</i>	<i>SA</i>	<i>Tas</i>	<i>ACT</i>	<i>NT</i>	<i>Aust</i>
<i>All students</i>									
To year 9									
Male	98.9	99.6	100.7	101.4	99.7	101.0	98.4	94.1	99.8
Female	99.6	100.6	100.5	101.4	100.0	99.9	99.6	95.5	100.2
Total	99.3	100.1	100.6	101.4	99.9	100.4	99.0	94.7	100.0
To year 10									
Male	95.9	96.9	99.7	101.4	99.1	99.6	99.3	92.3	97.8
Female	96.8	99.6	101.3	102.6	101.0	100.3	98.0	88.4	99.4
Total	96.4	98.2	100.5	102.0	100.1	99.9	98.7	90.4	98.6
To year 11									
Male	76.1	88.8	86.9	90.4	91.7	71.3	97.2	94.4	84.4
Female	84.5	97.2	94.2	96.3	96.0	83.4	99.6	92.2	91.9
Total	80.2	92.9	90.4	93.2	93.8	77.2	98.3	93.3	88.0
To year 12									
Male	65.3	72.9	73.7	66.2	64.6	56.4	89.3	57.3	69.0
Female	75.9	87.2	83.6	77.6	78.8	73.3	88.2	59.5	80.6
Total	70.5	79.9	78.5	71.8	71.5	64.8	88.7	58.4	74.7

(a) The apparent retention rate is the percentage of full time students who continued to year 9, 10, 11 and 12 from respective cohort groups at the commencement of their secondary schooling (year 7/8).

(b) Retention rates are affected by factors that vary across jurisdictions, so variations in apparent retention rates over time within jurisdictions may be more useful than comparisons across jurisdictions. Retention rates can exceed 100 per cent for a variety of reasons, including student transfers between government and non-government schools occurring after the base year.

(c) The exclusion of part time students from standard apparent retention rate calculations has particular implications for the interpretation of results for SA, Tasmania and the NT.

(d) The small number of Indigenous students in some jurisdictions (the ACT and Tasmania) can result in large fluctuations in the apparent retention rates when disaggregated by gender.

Source: ABS 2007, *Schools Australia 2006*, Cat. no. 4221.0 (unpublished).

Table 3A.3.4

Table 3A.3.4 Apparent retention rates of full time Indigenous and non-Indigenous students, all schools, 2005 (per cent) (a) (b) (c)

	<i>NSW</i>	<i>Vic</i>	<i>Qld</i>	<i>WA</i>	<i>SA</i>	<i>Tas</i>	<i>ACT</i>	<i>NT</i>	<i>Aust</i>
<i>Indigenous students (d)</i>									
To year 9									
Male	97.9	106.8	98.1	93.6	93.1	104.7	88.9	100.7	97.8
Female	98.5	106.2	99.9	97.4	93.9	106.2	93.3	116.9	100.7
Total	98.2	106.5	99.0	95.4	93.5	105.5	91.4	108.6	99.2
To year 10									
Male	77.3	75.0	87.7	90.5	84.4	103.2	100.0	95.9	85.7
Female	83.1	87.4	96.2	95.4	88.8	103.2	102.2	87.2	90.9
Total	80.2	81.2	91.8	92.8	86.7	103.2	101.2	91.2	88.3
To year 11									
Male	39.9	47.4	69.0	62.8	64.2	43.4	103.3	99.4	59.3
Female	50.5	79.7	74.2	60.1	66.1	74.2	63.9	83.3	65.5
Total	45.1	62.4	71.6	61.5	65.1	57.4	81.8	90.8	62.3
To year 12									
Male	26.6	30.5	48.6	24.7	31.5	37.3	77.1	40.0	35.1
Female	35.5	52.0	59.9	33.2	35.1	58.9	42.4	35.9	44.0
Total	31.1	41.4	54.1	28.8	33.3	47.8	60.3	37.9	39.5
<i>Non-Indigenous students</i>									
To year 9									
Male	98.6	99.4	100.6	101.3	100.1	101.0	99.8	96.5	99.7
Female	99.3	100.1	101.1	101.4	100.1	99.9	98.9	93.4	100.0
Total	98.9	99.7	100.8	101.3	100.1	100.5	99.4	95.0	99.9
To year 10									
Male	96.4	96.6	99.5	101.3	99.2	99.4	98.0	99.0	97.9
Female	97.2	99.7	101.2	101.8	99.9	100.5	100.3	92.0	99.4
Total	96.8	98.1	100.4	101.6	99.5	100.0	99.1	95.5	98.6
To year 11									
Male	76.8	88.2	87.8	88.6	90.4	73.3	99.6	82.3	84.4
Female	86.0	97.4	94.7	94.6	95.1	83.1	102.2	87.9	92.4
Total	81.3	92.7	91.2	91.5	92.7	78.2	100.9	85.0	88.3
To year 12									
Male	67.2	74.2	76.7	69.8	65.1	59.6	87.3	62.5	71.1
Female	77.6	87.9	86.0	80.6	78.8	77.5	88.5	71.2	82.3
Total	72.3	80.9	81.3	75.1	71.8	68.2	87.9	66.7	76.6

Table 3A.3.4

Table 3A.3.4 Apparent retention rates of full time Indigenous and non-Indigenous students, all schools, 2005 (per cent) (a) (b) (c)

	<i>NSW</i>	<i>Vic</i>	<i>Qld</i>	<i>WA</i>	<i>SA</i>	<i>Tas</i>	<i>ACT</i>	<i>NT</i>	<i>Aust</i>
<i>All students</i>									
To year 9									
Male	98.6	99.5	100.4	100.8	99.9	101.3	99.7	97.8	99.6
Female	99.2	100.1	101.0	101.1	99.9	100.3	98.8	100.9	100.1
Total	98.9	99.8	100.7	101.0	99.9	100.8	99.3	99.3	99.8
To year 10									
Male	95.8	96.4	98.8	100.7	98.8	99.7	98.0	98.1	97.5
Female	96.7	99.6	101.0	101.4	99.5	100.7	100.4	90.5	99.1
Total	96.3	98.0	99.9	101.0	99.1	100.2	99.2	94.2	98.3
To year 11									
Male	75.7	87.9	86.8	87.1	89.7	71.4	99.6	87.0	83.5
Female	84.9	97.3	93.6	92.6	94.2	82.6	101.6	86.4	91.4
Total	80.2	92.5	90.1	89.8	91.9	76.9	100.6	86.7	87.4
To year 12									
Male	66.0	73.9	75.3	67.2	64.3	58.4	87.2	56.8	69.9
Female	76.3	87.6	84.7	78.0	77.6	76.5	87.9	61.5	81.0
Total	71.1	80.6	79.9	72.5	70.7	67.1	87.5	59.1	75.3

- (a) The apparent retention rate is the percentage of full time students who continued to year 9, 10, 11 and 12 from respective cohort groups at the commencement of their secondary schooling (year 7/8).
- (b) Retention rates are affected by factors that vary across jurisdictions, so variations in apparent retention rates over time within jurisdictions may be more useful than comparisons across jurisdictions. Retention rates can exceed 100 per cent for a variety of reasons, including student transfers between government and non-government schools occurring after the base year.
- (c) The exclusion of part time students from standard apparent retention rate calculations has particular implications for the interpretation of results for SA, Tasmania and the NT.
- (d) The small number of Indigenous students in some jurisdictions (the ACT and Tasmania) can result in large fluctuations in the apparent retention rates when disaggregated by gender.

Source: ABS 2006, *Schools Australia 2005*, Cat. no. 4221.0 (unpublished).

Table 3A.3.5

Table 3A.3.5 Apparent retention rates of full time Indigenous and non-Indigenous students, all schools, 2004 (per cent) (a) (b) (c)

	<i>NSW</i>	<i>Vic</i>	<i>Qld</i>	<i>WA</i>	<i>SA</i>	<i>Tas</i>	<i>ACT</i>	<i>NT</i>	<i>Aust</i>
<i>Indigenous students (d)</i>									
To year 9									
Male	93.4	88.5	95.7	95.2	92.4	105.5	110.8	91.5	94.6
Female	100.7	99.6	100.7	101.2	101.0	105.9	106.7	85.4	99.8
Total	97.0	94.0	98.1	98.0	96.9	105.7	108.5	88.2	97.2
To year 10									
Male	76.7	72.6	88.6	90.0	85.6	100.9	110.0	77.7	84.3
Female	85.9	90.9	91.9	90.5	78.2	114.3	88.9	61.3	87.4
Total	81.2	81.1	90.2	90.2	81.9	107.0	98.5	68.9	85.8
To year 11									
Male	44.2	53.6	63.8	53.0	57.4	59.3	82.9	94.8	57.4
Female	49.9	79.0	76.1	57.0	63.1	67.9	51.5	86.6	64.5
Total	47.1	66.6	69.8	55.0	60.3	63.5	67.6	90.6	61.0
To year 12									
Male	28.4	27.6	51.2	24.4	28.0	41.3	96.8	27.2	35.2
Female	34.9	44.9	62.6	29.8	40.4	65.5	79.3	33.3	44.0
Total	31.7	36.5	56.7	27.0	34.1	51.0	88.3	30.2	39.5
<i>Non-Indigenous students</i>									
To year 9									
Male	98.9	99.1	100.8	100.9	99.5	101.0	98.1	104.1	99.7
Female	99.4	100.5	101.0	100.8	99.4	101.1	99.6	95.3	100.2
Total	99.2	99.8	100.9	100.8	99.4	101.1	98.8	99.7	99.9
To year 10									
Male	96.4	95.8	100.1	100.9	98.1	99.0	98.8	95.5	97.7
Female	97.8	99.2	101.7	101.4	99.3	99.2	100.9	90.6	99.5
Total	97.1	97.5	100.9	101.2	98.7	99.1	99.8	93.1	98.5
To year 11									
Male	78.0	89.4	89.5	88.9	89.6	72.2	100.9	88.0	84.5
Female	86.5	97.7	95.7	93.4	95.0	81.4	100.9	90.1	92.6
Total	82.2	93.5	92.5	91.1	92.2	76.6	100.9	89.0	89.5
To year 12									
Male	67.3	74.7	78.2	70.3	62.1	65.6	89.5	65.1	70.4
Female	77.5	88.5	86.9	80.1	76.1	82.8	87.4	73.4	82.4
Total	72.3	81.4	82.4	75.1	69.0	73.9	88.5	69.3	76.8

Table 3A.3.5

Table 3A.3.5 Apparent retention rates of full time Indigenous and non-Indigenous students, all schools, 2004 (per cent) (a) (b) (c)

	<i>NSW</i>	<i>Vic</i>	<i>Qld</i>	<i>WA</i>	<i>SA</i>	<i>Tas</i>	<i>ACT</i>	<i>NT</i>	<i>Aust</i>
<i>All students</i>									
To year 9									
Male	98.7	99.0	100.5	100.5	99.3	101.3	98.3	100.6	99.5
Female	99.5	100.5	101.0	100.8	99.4	101.4	99.7	92.2	100.1
Total	99.1	99.7	100.7	100.7	99.4	101.3	99.0	96.3	99.8
To year 10									
Male	95.8	95.6	99.5	100.3	97.7	99.1	98.9	90.5	97.2
Female	97.4	99.2	101.2	100.8	98.7	100.1	100.7	81.3	99.0
Total	96.6	97.3	100.3	100.5	98.2	99.6	99.8	85.9	98.1
To year 11									
Male	77.0	89.1	88.2	86.9	88.8	71.5	100.6	89.8	84.5
Female	85.4	97.6	94.7	91.4	94.0	80.7	100.2	89.1	91.6
Total	81.1	93.3	91.4	89.1	91.3	75.9	100.4	89.4	88.0
To year 12									
Male	66.2	74.4	77.0	67.9	61.2	64.2	89.6	54.9	70.4
Female	76.2	88.2	85.7	77.5	75.1	82.0	87.3	63.1	81.2
Total	71.1	81.1	81.2	72.6	68.0	72.8	88.5	59.0	75.7

- (a) The apparent retention rate is the percentage of full time students who continued to year 9, 10, 11 and 12 from respective cohort groups at the commencement of their secondary schooling (year 7/8).
- (b) Retention rates are affected by factors that vary across jurisdictions, so variations in apparent retention rates over time within jurisdictions may be more useful than comparisons across jurisdictions. Retention rates can exceed 100 per cent for a variety of reasons, including student transfers between government and non-government schools occurring after the base year.
- (c) The exclusion of part time students from standard apparent retention rate calculations has particular implications for the interpretation of results for SA, Tasmania and the NT.
- (d) The small number of Indigenous students in some jurisdictions (the ACT and Tasmania) can result in large fluctuations in the apparent retention rates when disaggregated by gender.

Source: ABS 2005, *Schools Australia 2004*, Cat. no. 4221.0 (unpublished).

Table 3A.3.6

Table 3A.3.6 Apparent retention rates of full time Indigenous and non-Indigenous students, all schools, 2003 (per cent) (a) (b) (c)

	<i>NSW</i>	<i>Vic</i>	<i>Qld</i>	<i>WA</i>	<i>SA</i>	<i>Tas</i>	<i>ACT</i>	<i>NT</i>	<i>Aust</i>
<i>Indigenous students (d)</i>									
To year 9									
Male	94.8	87.0	100.1	97.8	90.4	105.9	103.3	84.7	96.1
Female	100.8	97.8	100.1	99.9	91.1	115.9	86.1	67.6	97.5
Total	97.8	92.0	100.1	98.8	90.8	110.5	93.9	75.6	96.8
To year 10									
Male	79.9	70.0	91.8	93.4	88.0	105.1	97.1	61.0	85.8
Female	84.2	79.5	98.2	94.7	79.3	106.5	84.8	60.9	88.6
Total	82.1	74.8	94.9	94.0	83.5	105.8	91.2	61.0	87.2
To year 11									
Male	47.0	57.1	70.0	54.5	54.1	59.3	112.9	63.1	58.2
Female	51.2	59.3	78.6	57.7	66.2	80.2	100.0	76.7	64.8
Total	49.1	58.3	74.2	56.1	60.0	67.7	106.7	69.7	61.4
To year 12									
Male	27.5	32.2	55.5	25.6	20.2	45.1	66.7	21.9	36.2
Female	36.0	42.1	56.2	27.0	35.8	66.1	67.4	29.0	41.8
Total	31.9	37.1	55.9	26.3	28.5	55.8	67.1	25.6	39.1
<i>Non-Indigenous students</i>									
To year 9									
Male	99.0	98.7	100.6	100.8	99.2	99.3	100.2	95.0	99.4
Female	99.8	100.4	101.4	100.8	99.1	99.7	100.7	94.8	100.3
Total	99.4	99.5	101.0	100.8	99.1	99.5	100.5	94.9	99.9
To year 10									
Male	97.1	96.6	100.7	100.4	97.8	98.2	99.4	91.1	98.1
Female	98.1	99.7	101.6	101.1	99.3	98.8	99.4	96.5	99.6
Total	97.6	98.2	101.1	100.7	98.5	98.5	99.4	93.7	98.9
To year 11									
Male	79.2	89.6	90.2	89.1	88.3	77.6	104.8	84.4	86.1
Female	87.5	97.9	95.8	93.2	93.9	88.3	101.6	86.2	93.0
Total	83.3	93.6	92.9	91.1	91.1	82.8	103.2	85.3	89.5
To year 12									
Male	67.7	75.0	78.6	69.2	61.7	67.8	87.4	65.4	71.3
Female	76.4	88.7	87.2	78.1	74.7	84.4	93.0	69.0	82.0
Total	71.5	81.7	82.8	73.5	68.1	76.0	90.1	67.1	76.5

Table 3A.3.6

Table 3A.3.6 Apparent retention rates of full time Indigenous and non-Indigenous students, all schools, 2003 (per cent) (a) (b) (c)

	<i>NSW</i>	<i>Vic</i>	<i>Qld</i>	<i>WA</i>	<i>SA</i>	<i>Tas</i>	<i>ACT</i>	<i>NT</i>	<i>Aust</i>
<i>All students</i>									
To year 9									
Male	98.8	98.6	100.6	100.6	99.0	99.8	100.3	92.2	99.3
Female	99.8	100.4	101.3	100.7	98.8	100.6	100.5	86.2	100.2
Total	99.3	99.5	101.0	100.7	98.9	100.2	100.4	89.2	99.7
To year 10									
Male	96.6	96.4	100.3	100.0	97.5	98.6	99.4	83.4	97.7
Female	97.7	99.6	101.4	100.8	98.7	99.2	99.2	86.7	99.3
Total	97.1	98.0	100.8	100.4	98.1	98.9	99.3	85.0	98.5
To year 11									
Male	78.3	89.4	89.2	87.3	87.4	76.5	104.9	78.7	85.2
Female	86.4	97.6	95.0	91.3	93.2	87.9	101.6	83.8	92.1
Total	82.3	93.4	92.0	89.3	90.2	82.0	103.3	81.2	88.6
To year 12									
Male	65.8	74.7	77.6	67.2	60.8	66.6	87.1	54.8	70.3
Female	75.3	88.4	85.7	75.3	73.7	83.4	92.5	58.0	80.7
Total	70.2	81.4	81.5	71.2	67.1	74.9	89.7	56.3	75.4

- (a) The apparent retention rate is the percentage of full time students who continued to year 9, 10, 11 and 12 from respective cohort groups at the commencement of their secondary schooling (year 7/8).
- (b) Retention rates are affected by factors that vary across jurisdictions, so variations in apparent retention rates over time within jurisdictions may be more useful than comparisons across jurisdictions. Retention rates can exceed 100 per cent for a variety of reasons, including student transfers between government and non-government schools occurring after the base year.
- (c) The exclusion of part time students from standard apparent retention rate calculations has particular implications for the interpretation of results for SA, Tasmania and the NT.
- (d) The small number of Indigenous students in some jurisdictions (the ACT and Tasmania) can result in large fluctuations in the apparent retention rates when disaggregated by gender.

Source: ABS 2002, *Schools Australia 2003*, Cat. no. 4221.0 (unpublished).

Table 3A.3.7

Table 3A.3.7 Apparent retention rates of full time Indigenous and non-Indigenous students, all schools, 2002 (per cent) (a)

	<i>NSW</i>	<i>Vic</i>	<i>Qld</i>	<i>WA</i>	<i>SA (b)</i>	<i>Tas</i>	<i>ACT</i>	<i>NT (b)</i>	<i>Aust</i>
<i>Indigenous students (c)</i>									
To year 9									
Male	99.8	89.1	96.1	98.9	97.2	105.6	102.9	84.3	97.0
Female	103.5	97.4	99.6	99.1	91.9	105.4	93.9	76.9	98.6
Total	101.6	93.3	97.8	99.0	94.4	105.5	98.5	80.5	97.8
To year 10									
Male	80.8	77.8	88.9	90.5	70.9	98.8	119.4	59.4	83.5
Female	86.6	85.0	97.9	89.1	83.5	122.4	117.2	63.3	89.5
Total	83.7	81.5	93.3	89.8	77.1	108.3	118.3	61.3	86.4
To year 11									
Male	43.2	50.0	72.1	55.5	52.9	65.3	79.5	49.3	56.8
Female	53.6	68.8	70.4	52.3	61.8	72.8	88.4	54.8	60.9
Total	48.6	59.3	71.2	53.8	57.7	69.1	84.1	52.2	58.9
To year 12									
Male	26.8	27.5	52.4	21.7	28.6	50.6	60.0	17.2	34.1
Female	34.6	43.6	59.6	28.1	35.7	62.1	83.3	22.6	42.0
Total	30.6	34.8	55.9	24.9	32.0	56.8	69.5	20.0	38.0
<i>Non-Indigenous students</i>									
To year 9									
Male	99.2	98.9	101.0	100.7	99.1	99.0	99.7	94.4	99.6
Female	99.8	100.1	100.7	100.2	99.9	98.3	100.6	100.1	100.1
Total	99.5	99.5	100.8	100.4	99.5	98.7	100.2	97.2	99.8
To year 10									
Male	97.0	96.5	100.0	100.7	94.8	98.9	101.6	84.7	97.7
Female	98.1	99.3	101.7	100.9	96.3	100.5	98.0	84.4	99.2
Total	97.6	97.9	100.8	100.8	95.5	99.7	99.9	84.6	98.5
To year 11									
Male	78.5	88.7	88.9	90.0	87.2	77.7	102.0	90.3	85.4
Female	85.9	97.1	95.5	93.1	91.9	84.3	105.3	89.5	92.1
Total	82.1	92.8	92.1	91.5	89.5	81.0	103.6	89.9	88.7
To year 12									
Male	65.9	73.7	78.5	71.7	61.9	66.8	87.5	60.0	70.9
Female	76.1	88.9	86.7	80.9	73.6	80.5	89.1	70.0	81.9
Total	70.9	81.2	82.5	76.2	67.7	73.5	88.3	65.0	76.3

Table 3A.3.7

Table 3A.3.7 Apparent retention rates of full time Indigenous and non-Indigenous students, all schools, 2002 (per cent) (a)

	<i>NSW</i>	<i>Vic</i>	<i>Qld</i>	<i>WA</i>	<i>SA (b)</i>	<i>Tas</i>	<i>ACT</i>	<i>NT (b)</i>	<i>Aust</i>
<i>All students</i>									
To year 9									
Male	99.2	98.8	100.7	100.6	99.1	99.4	99.7	91.8	99.5
Female	99.9	100.1	100.6	100.1	99.6	98.7	100.5	93.7	100.0
Total	99.5	99.4	100.7	100.4	99.3	99.1	100.1	92.8	99.8
To year 10									
Male	96.6	96.4	99.5	100.1	94.2	98.9	101.9	77.9	97.3
Female	97.8	99.2	101.5	100.3	96.0	101.5	98.3	79.0	98.9
Total	97.2	97.8	100.5	100.2	95.0	100.1	100.1	78.4	98.1
To year 11									
Male	77.6	88.5	88.2	88.4	86.5	77.1	101.7	80.3	84.6
Female	85.0	96.9	94.3	90.9	91.1	83.7	104.9	80.0	91.0
Total	81.3	92.6	91.2	89.6	88.8	80.3	103.3	80.1	87.7
To year 12									
Male	64.9	73.4	77.4	69.3	61.1	66.0	87.1	48.9	69.8
Female	75.1	88.7	85.5	78.3	72.6	79.4	89.1	57.1	80.7
Total	69.9	80.9	81.3	73.7	66.7	72.6	88.1	53.0	75.1

(a) The apparent retention rate is the percentage of full time students who continued to year 9, 10, 11 and 12 from respective cohort groups at the commencement of their secondary schooling (year 7/8). Retention rates are affected by factors that vary across jurisdictions. For this reason, variations in apparent retention rates over time within jurisdictions may be more useful than comparisons across jurisdictions. Retention rates can exceed 100 per cent for a variety of reasons, including student transfers between jurisdictions after the base year.

(b) The exclusion of part time students from standard apparent retention rate calculations has particular implications for the interpretation of results for SA. The exclusion of ungraded students from standard apparent retention rate calculations has particular implications for the NT. Ungraded students may have been graded at the year of commencement of secondary schooling and would have been included in the base year but not included in the current year. Apparent retention rates were higher than expected in Queensland because of a significant net gain in interstate migration compared with other states and territories.

(c) The small number of Indigenous students in some jurisdictions (the ACT and Tasmania) can result in large fluctuations in the apparent retention rates when disaggregated by gender.

Source: ABS 2003, *Schools Australia 2002*, Cat. no. 4221.0 (unpublished).

Table 3A.3.8

Table 3A.3.8 Apparent retention rates of full time secondary students from year 10 to year 12, 2006 (per cent) (a) (b) (c)

	<i>NSW</i>	<i>Vic</i>	<i>Qld</i>	<i>WA</i>	<i>SA</i>	<i>Tas</i>	<i>ACT</i>	<i>NT</i>	<i>Aust</i>
All students									
Government schools	68.2	75.8	72.2	66.0	64.6	64.4	101.1	79.0	70.8
Non-government schools	80.9	91.5	89.4	80.1	86.6	66.4	74.6	42.4	84.9
All schools	73.0	82.1	78.3	71.4	72.7	65.0	88.9	68.0	76.1
Indigenous students									
Government schools	35.9	45.0	57.3	32.7	43.1	37.4	66.0	56.1	44.3
Non-government schools	52.9	66.7	70.3	42.6	65.4	36.4	33.3	74.3	59.7
All schools	37.7	47.4	60.1	34.6	45.7	37.3	60.0	58.8	46.7
Non-Indigenous students									
Government schools	69.5	76.1	73.1	68.4	65.3	66.9	101.8	88.4	72.0
Non-government schools	81.1	91.5	90.0	81.1	86.7	67.1	74.8	38.2	85.2
All schools	73.9	82.3	79.2	73.4	73.4	66.9	89.3	70.9	77.0

(a) The apparent rate is the percentage of full time students who continued to year 12 from respective cohort groups in year 10.

(b) Retention rates are affected by factors that vary across jurisdictions, so variations in apparent retention rates over time within jurisdictions may be more useful than comparisons across jurisdictions. Retention rates can exceed 100 per cent for a variety of reasons, including student transfers between government and non-government schools occurring after the base year.

(c) The exclusion of part time students from standard apparent retention rate calculations has particular implications for the interpretation of results for SA, Tasmania and the NT.

Source: ABS 2007, *Schools Australia 2006*, Cat. no. 4221.0 (unpublished).

Table 3A.3.9

Table 3A.3.9 Apparent retention rates of full time secondary students from year 10 to year 12, 2005 (per cent) (a) (b) (c) (d)

	NSW	Vic	Qld	WA	SA	Tas	ACT	NT	Aust
Full time secondary students									
Government schools	68.5	77.0	72.7	64.4	66.3	67.2	76.2	99.5	71.3
Non-government schools	81.3	90.2	91.2	86.2	82.3	69.2	54.2	74.5	85.4
All schools	73.2	82.2	79.3	72.1	72.2	67.8	69.5	88.1	76.5
Full time Indigenous secondary students									
Government schools	36.3	51.0	55.0	37.5	26.1	43.7	54.9	71.4	42.3
Non-government schools	51.1	87.5	65.3	61.4	54.5	55.3	93.2	46.2	62.1
All schools	37.9	55.4	57.0	39.9	30.7	45.2	62.2	66.1	45.3
Non-Indigenous students									
Government schools	69.7	77.2	73.8	69.3	65.3	69.1	100.1	82.3	72.5
Non-government schools	81.6	90.2	91.9	83.0	86.3	69.5	74.6	49.0	85.7
All schools	74.1	82.4	80.3	74.5	72.8	69.2	88.4	71.2	77.5

(a) The apparent rate is the percentage of full time students who continued to year 12 from respective cohort groups in year 10.

(b) Retention rates are affected by factors that vary across jurisdictions, so variations in apparent retention rates over time within jurisdictions may be more useful than comparisons across jurisdictions. Retention rates can exceed 100 per cent for a variety of reasons, including student transfers between government and non-government schools occurring after the base year.

(c) The exclusion of part time students from standard apparent retention rate calculations has particular implications for the interpretation of results for SA, Tasmania and the NT.

(d) Some student number data for Tasmania have been revised by the Tasmanian Government, resulting in changes to some apparent retention rates, and these revisions may not be reflected in ABS, or other, publications.

Source: ABS 2006, *Schools Australia 2005*, Cat. no. 4221.0 (unpublished).

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Table 3A.3.10

Table 3A.3.10 Apparent retention rates of full time secondary students from year 10 to year 12, 2004 (per cent) (a) (b) (c)

	<i>NSW</i>	<i>Vic</i>	<i>Qld</i>	<i>WA</i>	<i>SA</i>	<i>Tas</i>	<i>ACT</i>	<i>NT</i>	<i>Aust</i>
All students									
Government schools	68.6	77.2	75.0	66.7	62.9	71.1	100.8	90.8	72.0
Non-government schools	81.3	91.9	91.5	87.7	82.4	75.9	43.1	72.6	86.1
All schools	73.2	83.0	80.8	71.6	72.4	72.7	75.2	88.4	77.1
Indigenous students									
Government schools	36.6	43.7	57.4	27.8	40.5	48.2	87.3	56.9	43.6
Non-government schools	48.1	51.1	72.5	40.1	81.1	40.0	31.3	32.2	55.5
All schools	37.8	44.7	60.8	30.1	44.2	47.1	74.6	49.2	45.7
Non-Indigenous students									
Government schools	69.8	77.5	76.0	69.2	63.6	72.9	101.1	99.8	73.1
Non-government schools	81.6	92.0	92.1	83.5	87.7	76.7	73.0	45.8	86.5
All schools	74.1	83.2	81.8	74.5	72.2	74.1	88.6	81.9	78.0

(a) The apparent rate is the percentage of full time students who continued to year 12 from respective cohort groups in year 10.

(b) Retention rates are affected by factors that vary across jurisdictions, so variations in apparent retention rates over time within jurisdictions may be more useful than comparisons across jurisdictions. Retention rates can exceed 100 per cent for a variety of reasons, including student transfers between government and non-government schools occurring after the base year.

(c) The exclusion of part time students from standard apparent retention rate calculations has particular implications for the interpretation of results for SA, Tasmania and the NT.

Source: ABS 2005, *Schools Australia 2004*, Cat. no. 4221.0 (unpublished).

Table 3A.3.11

Table 3A.3.11 Students achieving a year 12 certificate in 2005 (as a proportion of students who were enrolled in year 11 in the previous year), government and Catholic systems (a) (b) (c)

	Indigenous		Non-Indigenous	
	%	Number of year 12 certificates in 2005	%	Number of year 12 certificates in 2005
NSW	60.2	705	91.6	52 550
Victoria	55.1	158	95.4	44 674
Queensland	55.6	904	83.8	30 268
WA	35.7	274	72.9	13 524
SA	26.4	80	70.4	9 630
Tasmania	67.7	147	78.0	3 045
ACT	72.7	32	84.7	3 561
NT	18.9	94	52.4	709
Australia	48.7	2 394	86.8	157 961

(a) The requirements for the awarding of a year 12 certificate vary in each jurisdiction.

(b) Enrolled at the time of the annual national school census in August.

(c) Indigenous and non-Indigenous percentages are estimates. Data on year 11 enrolments and achievement of year 12 certificates are from different collections and in some jurisdictions these collections have different processes for identifying Indigenous students.

– Nil or rounded to zero. .. Not applicable. **na** Not available.

Source: Department of Education, Science and Training (unpublished).

Table 3A.3.12

Table 3A.3.12 Students achieving a year 12 certificate in 2004 (as a proportion of students who were enrolled in year 11 in the previous year), government and Catholic systems (a) (b) (c)

	<i>Indigenous</i>		Number of students in year 11 in 2003	<i>Non-Indigenous</i>	
	%	Number of year 12 certificates in 2004		%	Number of year 12 certificates in 2004
NSW	48.4	566	1 170	87.1	50 972
Victoria	47.8	110	230	90.7	10 987
Queensland	64.8	1 004	1 549	83.8	30 006
WA	33.6	235	699	68.7	13 331
SA	30.0	91	303	69.2	9 476
Tasmania	47.5	85	179	76.9	2 935
ACT	66.7	42	63	83.7	3 545
NT	18.6	72	388	53.9	692
Australia	48.1	2 205	4 581	81.9	121 944
					58 503
					12 108
					35 821
					19 401
					13 689
					3 816
					4 235
					1 285
					148 858

(a) The requirements for the awarding of a year 12 certificate vary in each jurisdiction.

(b) Enrolled at the time of the annual national school census in August.

(c) Indigenous and non-Indigenous percentages are estimates. Data on year 11 enrolments and achievement of year 12 certificates are from different collections and in some jurisdictions these collections have different processes for identifying Indigenous students.

– Nil or rounded to zero. .. Not applicable. **na** Not available.

Source: Department of Education, Science and Training (unpublished).

Table 3A.3.13

Table 3A.3.13 Students achieving a year 12 certificate in 2003 (as a proportion of students who were enrolled in year 11 in the previous year), government and Catholic systems (a) (b) (c)

	<i>Indigenous</i>		Number of students in year 11 in 2002	<i>Non-Indigenous</i>		
	%	Number of year 12 certificates in 2003		%	Number of year 12 certificates in 2003	Number of students in year 11 in 2002
NSW	46.1	480	1 042	90.3	52 449	58 060
Victoria	59.5	135	227	90.0	10 900	12 108
Queensland	68.4	1 021	1 493	84.5	30 236	35 772
WA	31.8	202	636	69.3	13 268	19 139
SA	20.9	53	254	65.4	9 094	13 896
Tasmania	47.5	115	242	79.1	3 551	4 489
ACT	70.3	45	64	84.8	3 713	4 380
NT	18.5	54	292	48.6	661	1 361
Australia	49.5	2 105	4 250	83.0	123 872	149 205

(a) The requirements for the awarding of a year 12 certificate vary in each jurisdiction.

(b) Enrolled at the time of the annual national school census in August.

(c) Indigenous and non-Indigenous percentages are estimates. Data on year 11 enrolments and achievement of year 12 certificates are from different collections and in some jurisdictions these collections have different processes for identifying Indigenous students.

– Nil or rounded to zero. .. Not applicable. **na** Not available.

Source: Department of Education, Science and Training (unpublished).

Table 3A.3.14

Table 3A.3.14 Students achieving a year 12 certificate in 2002 (as a proportion of students who were enrolled in year 11 in the previous year), government and Catholic systems (a) (b) (c)

	<i>Indigenous</i>		Number of students in year 11 in 2001	<i>Non-Indigenous</i>	
	%	Number of year 12 certificates in 2002		%	Number of year 12 certificates in 2002
NSW	68.2	555	993	90.6	38 251
Victoria	44.6	119	231	90.5	11 191
Queensland	68.7	926	1 424	86.2	30 744
WA	26.2	202	612	69.9	13 188
SA	54.6	60	280	65.4	9 119
Tasmania	78.9	148	262	74.1	3 598
ACT	78.9	36	49	85.2	3 693
NT	16.4	43	199	52.3	661
Australia	51.6	2 089	4 050	82.7	110 445

(a) The requirements for the awarding of a year 12 certificate vary in each jurisdiction.

(b) Enrolled at the time of the annual national school census in August.

(c) Indigenous and non-Indigenous percentages are estimates. Data on year 11 enrolments and achievement of year 12 certificates are from different collections and in some jurisdictions these collections have different processes for identifying Indigenous students.

– Nil or rounded to zero. .. Not applicable. **na** Not available.

Source: Department of Education, Science and Training (unpublished).

Table 3A.3.15 Students achieving a year 12 certificate in 2001 (as a proportion of students who were enrolled in year 11 in the previous year), government and Catholic systems (a) (b) (c)

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Table 3A.3.16

Table 3A.3.16 **Highest level of schooling completed by persons aged 15 years and over and not currently studying at secondary school, 2004-05 (a)**

	<i>Indigenous</i>			<i>Non-Indigenous</i>		
	Number ('000)	Proportion (%)	RSE (%)	Number ('000)	Proportion (%)	RSE (%)
<i>NSW</i>						
Year 12	18.8	23.8	10.9	2 379.8	47.7	2.7
Year 11	6.2	7.9	15.2	250.7	5.0	6.8
Year 10	25.2	(c) 31.9	6.8	1 381.5	(c) 27.7	3.4
Year 9	13.3	16.8	9.1	453.0	9.1	5.0
Year 8 or below (b)	15.5	19.6	10.2	529.0	10.6	6.3
Total	79.0	100.0	–	4 994.1	100.0	–
<i>Victoria</i>						
Year 12	4.6	27.4	17.9	1 821.3	48.4	2.1
Year 11	2.5	(c) 14.8	14.5	572.8	(c) 15.2	4.9
Year 10	4.7	27.6	12.9	599.9	15.9	4.4
Year 9	2.2	13.2	16.1	278.3	7.4	6.8
Year 8 or below (b)	2.9	17.1	10.8	490.4	13.0	4.4
Total	16.9	100.0	–	3 762.7	100.0	–
<i>Queensland</i>						
Year 12	20.7	28.2	8.2	1 274.8	45.2	2.3
Year 11	9.8	13.3	10.2	185.4	6.6	6.9
Year 10	21.2	(c) 28.8	6.9	880.4	(c) 31.2	3.0
Year 9	8.6	11.7	12.3	186.9	6.6	5.7
Year 8 or below (b)	13.1	17.9	8.1	291.8	10.3	5.7
Total	73.4	100.0	–	2 819.3	100.0	–
<i>WA</i>						
Year 12	4.6	11.8	12.4	655.6	45.7	2.7
Year 11	5.8	(c) 15.0	11.8	178.6	(c) 12.4	7.1
Year 10	14.4	37.2	5.7	397.7	27.7	4.1
Year 9	6.5	16.8	8.4	116.2	8.1	9.7
Year 8 or below (b)	7.4	19.2	10.0	87.6	6.1	9.0
Total	38.6	100.0	–	1 435.6	100.0	–

Table 3A.3.16

Table 3A.3.16 **Highest level of schooling completed by persons aged 15 years and over and not currently studying at secondary school, 2004-05**
(a)

	<i>Indigenous</i>			<i>Non-Indigenous</i>		
	Number ('000)	Proportion (%)	RSE (%)	Number ('000)	Proportion (%)	RSE (%)
SA						
Year 12	2.5	16.9	13.2	457.6	40.0	2.3
Year 11	3.1	(c) 20.7	10.8	248.9	(c) 21.7	4.0
Year 10	3.4	(c) 22.8	10.2	228.7	(c) 20.0	2.9
Year 9	2.2	15.0	11.9	84.3	7.4	7.4
Year 8 or below (b)	3.6	24.5	8.9	125.3	10.9	4.6
Total	14.8	100.0	–	1 144.8	100.0	–
Tasmania						
Year 12	2.2	22.4	18.3	114.7	32.9	3.8
Year 11	0.9	(c) 9.0	22.7	21.5	(c) 6.2	8.5
Year 10	4.3	(c) 43.6	7.2	130.5	(c) 37.5	3.0
Year 9	1.4	(c) 14.1	10.2	43.9	(c) 12.6	6.4
Year 8 or below (b)	1.1	(c) 10.8	14.5	37.7	(c) 10.8	6.8
Total	9.8	100.0	–	348.3	100.0	–
ACT						
Year 12	1.1	45.3	8.3	170.0	70.8	1.9
Year 11	0.2	10.5	23.7	8.1	3.4	13.1
Year 10	0.6	23.9	13.3	40.8	17.0	6.6
Year 9	0.3	11.1	23.9	10.4	4.3	14.6
Year 8 or below (b)	0.2	9.2	21.4	10.7	4.4	10.6
Total	2.3	100.0	–	240.0	100.0	–
NT (d)						
Year 12	5.0	14.3	15.5	np	np	np
Year 11	4.5	12.8	14.9	np	np	np
Year 10	9.0	25.6	14.1	np	np	np
Year 9	4.6	13.0	13.8	np	np	np
Year 8 or below (b)	11.8	33.8	9.2	np	np	np
Total	35.0	100.0	–	np	np	np

Table 3A.3.16

Table 3A.3.16 **Highest level of schooling completed by persons aged 15 years and over and not currently studying at secondary school, 2004-05**
(a)

	<i>Indigenous</i>			<i>Non-Indigenous</i>		
	Number (<i>'000</i>)	Proportion (%)	RSE (%)	Number (<i>'000</i>)	Proportion (%)	RSE (%)
<i>Australia</i>						
Year 12	59.5	22.1	5.1	6 910.7	46.6	1.3
Year 11	32.9	12.2	5.3	1 489.5	10.0	2.7
Year 10	82.6	30.6	3.2	3 674.2	24.8	1.9
Year 9	39.0	14.5	4.8	1 179.1	7.9	2.9
Year 8 or below (b)	55.7	20.6	4.0	1 581.2	10.7	2.9
Total	269.9	100.0	–	14 834.6	100.0	–

- (a) Estimates with a relative standard error (RSE) of 25 per cent to 50 per cent should be used with caution. Estimates with a RSE greater than 50 per cent are considered too unreliable for general use.
- (b) Includes persons who never attended school.
- (c) Difference between Indigenous and Non-Indigenous data is not statistically insignificant.
- (d) Since 2000, the sample in the NT for some social surveys (including the 2004–05 National Health Survey) has been reduced to a level such that NT records contribute appropriately to national estimates but will not support reliable estimates for the NT. This reallocation of resources has enabled a larger NT sample to be used in the General Social Survey and the Indigenous Social Survey conducted periodically by the ABS. As a result, estimates for the NT are not shown separately in these tables.
- Nil or rounded to zero. **np** Not published.

Source: ABS *National Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Health Survey 2004-05* (NATSIHS) (unpublished); *National Health Survey 2004-05* (NHS) (unpublished).

Table 3A.3.17

Table 3A.3.17 Highest level of schooling completed by persons aged 15 years and over and not currently studying at secondary school by remoteness areas, 2004-05 (a)

	<i>Indigenous</i>			<i>Non-Indigenous</i>		
	Number ('000)	Proportion (%)	RSE (%)	Number ('000)	Proportion (%)	RSE (%)
<i>Major cities</i>						
Year 12	23.5	28.6	8.3	5 267.5	51.8	1.4
Year 11	9.0	(c) 10.9	11.0	945.1	(c) 9.3	3.2
Year 10	25.5	31.1	6.4	2 262.3	22.3	2.3
Year 9	12.1	14.8	9.8	718.7	7.1	3.9
Year 8 or below (b)	12.0	14.6	9.2	970.0	9.5	3.4
Total	82.1	100.0	–	10 163.5	100.0	–
<i>Inner regional</i>						
Year 12	10.9	20.3	11.3	1 051.4	36.0	3.0
Year 11	5.8	(c) 10.9	14.9	327.7	(c) 11.2	6.0
Year 10	17.7	(c) 33.2	6.6	902.9	(c) 30.9	3.5
Year 9	8.4	15.6	10.4	285.7	9.8	5.9
Year 8 or below (b)	10.7	20.0	9.8	353.8	12.1	5.4
Total	53.5	100.0	–	2 921.5	100.0	–
<i>Outer regional</i>						
Year 12	14.8	25.2	11.6	530.6	33.8	4.2
Year 11	7.8	(c) 13.3	9.2	186.6	(c) 11.9	6.7
Year 10	16.1	(c) 27.4	7.7	453.5	(c) 28.9	3.9
Year 9	9.3	15.7	9.3	157.6	10.1	7.5
Year 8 or below (b)	10.8	(c) 18.4	9.1	239.4	(c) 15.3	6.2
Total	58.9	100.0	–	1 567.8	100.0	–
<i>Total non-remote</i>						
Year 12	49.2	25.3	5.8	6 849.5	46.7	1.3
Year 11	22.6	11.6	6.6	1 459.4	10.0	2.8
Year 10	59.4	30.6	3.7	3 618.7	24.7	1.9
Year 9	29.7	15.3	5.6	1 162.0	7.9	3.0
Year 8 or below (b)	33.5	17.2	5.1	1 563.1	10.7	2.9
Total	194.4	100.0	–	14 652.8	100.0	–

Table 3A.3.17

Table 3A.3.17 Highest level of schooling completed by persons aged 15 years and over and not currently studying at secondary school by remoteness areas, 2004-05 (a)

	<i>Indigenous</i>			<i>Non-Indigenous</i>		
	Number ('000)	Proportion (%)	RSE (%)	Number ('000)	Proportion (%)	RSE (%)
<i>Remote</i>						
Year 12	3.1	13.9	14.5	61.2	33.7	10.5
Year 11	3.3	(c) 14.6	14.3	30.0	(c) 16.5	22.1
Year 10	8.7	(c) 38.5	6.4	55.5	(c) 30.5	11.1
Year 9	2.8	(c) 12.3	17.4	17.1	(c) 9.4	17.5
Year 8 or below (b)	4.7	20.7	9.4	18.0	9.9	27.4
Total	22.6	100.0	–	181.9	100.0	–
<i>Very remote</i>						
Year 12	7.2	13.6	12.8	na	na	na
Year 11	7.0	13.3	10.8	na	na	na
Year 10	14.5	27.4	8.9	na	na	na
Year 9	6.5	12.3	10.8	na	na	na
Year 8 or below (b)	17.5	33.1	7.8	na	na	na
Total	52.9	100.0	–	na	na	na
<i>Total remote</i>						
Year 12	10.3	13.7	9.7	na	na	na
Year 11	10.3	13.7	8.4	na	na	na
Year 10	23.2	30.7	6.3	na	na	na
Year 9	9.3	12.3	9.1	na	na	na
Year 8 or below (b)	22.2	29.4	6.0	na	na	na
Total	75.4	100.0	–	na	na	na
<i>Total Australia</i>						
Year 12	59.5	22.1	5.1	6 910.7	46.6	1.3
Year 11	32.9	12.2	5.3	1 489.5	10.0	2.7
Year 10	82.6	30.6	3.2	3 674.2	24.8	1.9
Year 9	39.0	14.5	4.8	1 179.1	7.9	2.9
Year 8 or below (b)	55.7	20.6	4.0	1 581.2	10.7	2.9
Total	269.9	100.0	–	14 834.6	100.0	–

(a) Estimates with a relative standard error (RSE) of 25 per cent to 50 per cent should be used with caution. Estimates with a RSE greater than 50 per cent are considered too unreliable for general use.

(b) Includes persons who never attended school.

(c) Difference between Indigenous and Non-Indigenous data is not statistically insignificant.

– Nil or rounded to zero. .. Not applicable. **na** Not available.

Source: ABS 2004-05 NATSIHS (unpublished); ABS 2004-05 NHS (unpublished).

Table 3A.3.18

Table 3A.3.18 Highest level of schooling completed by persons aged 15 years and over and not currently studying at secondary school by age, 2004-05 (a)

	<i>Indigenous</i>			<i>Non-Indigenous</i>		
	Number ('000)	Proportion (%)	RSE (%)	Number ('000)	Proportion (%)	RSE (%)
15-24						
Year 12	21.6	31.5	7.4	1 403.4	72.2	1.9
Year 11	10.1	14.7	9.6	161.7	8.3	8.4
Year 10	20.1	29.4	7.7	271.6	14.0	7.3
Year 9	10.4	15.1	10.7	59.1	3.0	14.5
Year 8 or below (b)	6.4	9.3	12.5	47.6	2.4	17.2
Total	68.6	100.0	—	1 943.4	100.0	—
25-34						
Year 12	20.8	29.8	6.8	1 905.3	69.0	1.5
Year 11	11.1	15.9	8.3	273.2	9.9	5.9
Year 10	21.8	31.3	6.1	465.6	16.9	4.6
Year 9	10.1	14.4	9.5	77.3	2.8	12.4
Year 8 or below (b)	5.8	8.3	12.1	40.0	1.4	17.5
Total	69.6	100.0	—	2 761.4	100.0	—
35-44						
Year 12	9.9	16.7	10.8	1 427.2	49.3	2.4
Year 11	8.7	(c) 14.8	9.1	403.2	(c) 13.9	4.5
Year 10	23.5	39.9	4.8	844.1	29.1	3.2
Year 9	8.2	13.9	9.0	133.8	4.6	9.5
Year 8 or below (b)	8.7	14.7	10.4	87.9	3.0	10.8
Total	59.0	100.0	—	2 896.3	100.0	—
45-54						
Year 12	4.9	12.4	17.8	1 110.5	41.1	3.1
Year 11	2.2	5.5	17.7	316.1	11.7	5.2
Year 10	12.6	(c) 32.0	7.5	839.1	(c) 31.0	3.2
Year 9	6.6	16.8	9.9	257.8	9.5	7.0
Year 8 or below (b)	13.1	33.3	6.5	180.9	6.7	9.6
Total	39.4	100.0	—	2 704.4	100.0	—

Table 3A.3.18

Table 3A.3.18 Highest level of schooling completed by persons aged 15 years and over and not currently studying at secondary school by age, 2004-05 (a)

	<i>Indigenous</i>			<i>Non-Indigenous</i>		
	Number ('000)	Proportion (%)	RSE (%)	Number ('000)	Proportion (%)	RSE (%)
55+						
Year 12	2.4	7.1	31.9	1 064.3	23.5	3.4
Year 11	0.9	2.7	53.7	335.2	7.4	5.1
Year 10	4.5	13.6	12.7	1 253.8	27.7	2.7
Year 9	3.7	(c) 11.3	13.5	651.1	(c) 14.4	3.7
Year 8 or below (b)	21.7	65.4	4.6	1 224.8	27.0	2.8
Total	33.2	100.0	–	4 529.2	100.0	–
Total						
Year 12	59.5	22.1	5.1	6 910.7	46.6	1.3
Year 11	32.9	12.2	5.3	1 489.5	10.0	2.7
Year 10	82.6	30.6	3.2	3 674.2	24.8	1.9
Year 9	39.0	14.5	4.8	1 179.1	7.9	2.9
Year 8 or below (b)	55.7	20.6	4.0	1 581.2	10.7	2.9
Total	269.9	100.0	–	14 834.6	100.0	–

(a) Estimates with a relative standard error (RSE) of 25 per cent to 50 per cent should be used with caution. Estimates with a RSE greater than 50 per cent are considered too unreliable for general use.

(b) Includes persons who never attended school.

(c) Difference between Indigenous and Non-Indigenous data is not statistically insignificant.

– Nil or rounded to zero. .. Not applicable. **na** Not available.

Source: ABS 2004-05 NATSIHS (unpublished); ABS 2004-05 NHS (unpublished).

Table 3A.3.19

Table 3A.3.19 Educational attainment by selected characteristics (Indigenous persons aged 15 years and over), 2004-05 (a) (b)

	Does not have a non-school qualification						Has a non-school qualification						Indigenous persons 15 years and over					
	Completed year 9 or below (c)			Completed year 10 or year 11			Completed year 12			Total (e)								
	Number ('000)	Proportion (%)	RSE (%)	Number ('000)	Proportion (%)	RSE (%)	Number ('000)	Proportion (%)	RSE (%)	Number ('000)	Proportion (%)	RSE (%)						
EQ household income																		
Lowest quintile	38.5	41.8	4.2	27.0	29.3	5.5	6.2	6.7	11.5	71.7	77.9	1.9	20.4	22.1	6.7	92.1	100.0	-
2nd quintile	14.6	24.6	8.1	19.9	33.5	6.6	7.7	12.8	11.4	42.2	70.9	2.9	17.3	29.1	7.1	59.6	100.0	-
3rd quintile	5.1	14.0	12.1	10.1	27.5	9.0	5.6	15.2	13.9	20.9	56.7	5.9	15.9	43.3	7.8	36.8	100.0	-
4th quintile	3.9	16.0	17.6	5.9	23.9	12.9	2.8	11.5	23.4	12.6	51.4	6.8	12.0	48.6	7.1	24.6	100.0	-
Highest quintile	1.4	11.2	26.4	1.9	14.7	19.1	2.3	17.6	27.3	5.6	43.4	11.9	7.3	56.6	9.1	12.9	100.0	-
Total stated (d)	63.6	28.2	4.4	64.8	28.7	3.8	24.6	10.9	7.3	153.1	67.7	1.9	72.9	32.3	3.9	226.0	100.0	-
Family and culture																		
Main language spoken at home is an Indigenous language	16.7	44.7	6.9	9.3	24.9	9.1	3.6	9.7	21.0	29.6	79.2	2.5	7.7	20.7	9.4	37.3	100.0	-
Whether has long-term condition																		
Has a long-term condition	63.1	29.4	4.0	55.1	25.7	4.0	21.2	9.9	7.9	139.5	65.0	2.0	74.9	34.9	3.7	214.5	100.0	-
Does not have a long-term condition	14.6	26.4	8.7	20.1	36.4	6.8	8.6	15.5	12.1	43.4	78.4	2.3	12.0	21.6	8.4	55.3	100.0	-
Employment																		
Employed	22.0	15.8	6.6	36.7	26.4	4.8	19.2	13.8	8.1	77.8	56.1	2.7	60.9	43.9	3.5	138.8	100.0	-
Unemployed	5.7	24.3	15.3	9.1	38.7	9.4	2.2	9.5	23.2	17.0	72.4	4.5	6.5	27.6	11.9	23.5	100.0	-
Total	77.7	29.8	3.9	75.3	27.9	3.5	29.8	11.1	6.8	182.8	67.7	1.6	86.9	32.2	3.3	269.9	100.0	-

(a) Estimates with a relative standard error (RSE) of 25 per cent to 50 per cent should be used with caution. Estimates with a RSE greater than 50 per cent are considered too unreliable for general use.

(b) Excludes persons attending secondary school

(c) Includes persons who never attended school.

(d) Comprises persons living in households where household income was stated.

(e) Total includes 'not stated'.

– Nil or rounded to zero. ... Not applicable. **na** Not available.

Source : ABS 2004-05 NATSIHS (unpublished); ABS 2004-05 NHS (unpublished).

Table 3A.3.20

Table 3A.3.20 Educational attainment by selected characteristics (Indigenous persons aged 15 years and over), age standardised, 2004-05 (a) (b)

	Does not have a non-school qualification										Has a non-school qualification					Indigenous persons 15 years and over
	Completed year 9 or below (c)					Completed year 10 or year 11					Total (g)					
	Number ('000)	Proportion (%)	RSE (%)	Number ('000)	Proportion (%)	RSE (%)	Number ('000)	Proportion (%)	RSE (%)	Number ('000)	Proportion (%)	RSE (%)	Number ('000)	Proportion (%)	RSE (%)	
EQ household income																
Lowest quintile	38.5	41.8	4.2	27.0	29.3	5.5	6.2	6.7	11.5	71.7	77.9	1.9	20.4	22.1	6.7	100.0
2nd quintile	14.6	24.6	8.1	19.9	33.5	6.6	7.7	12.8	11.4	42.2	70.9	2.9	17.3	29.1	7.1	100.0
3rd quintile	5.1	14.0	12.1	10.1	27.5	9.0	5.6	15.2	13.9	20.9	56.7	5.9	15.9	43.3	7.8	100.0
4th quintile	3.9	16.0	17.6	5.9	23.9	12.9	2.8	11.5	23.4	12.6	51.4	6.8	12.0	48.6	7.1	100.0
Highest quintile	1.4	11.2	26.4	1.9	14.7	19.1	2.3	17.6	27.3	5.6	43.4	11.9	7.3	56.6	9.1	100.0
Total stated (d)	63.6	28.2	4.4	64.8	28.7	3.8	24.6	10.9	7.3	153.1	67.7	1.9	72.9	32.3	3.9	100.0
Family and culture																
Main language spoken at home is an Indigenous language	16.7	44.7	6.9	9.3	24.9	9.1	3.6	9.7	21.0	29.6	79.2	2.5	7.7	20.7	9.4	100.0
Whether has long-term condition (f)																
Has a long-term condition	na	35.2	4.2	na	23.0	4.2	na	8.5	8.4	na	66.7	2.1	na	33.3	3.9	100.0
Does not have a long-term condition	na	44.7	20.9	na	25.4	16.2	na	9.3	29.0	na	79.4	5.6	na	20.6	20.1	100.0
Employment (f)																
Employed	na	22.4	9.5	na	22.0	6.9	na	10.0	11.6	na	54.4	3.9	na	45.6	5.0	100.0
Unemployed	na	24.6	43.0	na	25.7	26.5	na	4.9	65.4	na	55.1	12.8	na	44.9	33.5	100.0
Total	na	36.1	4.4	na	23.9	3.9	na	8.5	7.6	na	68.5	1.8	na	31.5	3.7	100.0
(a) Estimates with a relative standard error (RSE) of 25 per cent to 50 per cent should be used with caution. Estimates with a RSE greater than 50 per cent are considered too unreliable for general use																

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(b) Excludes persons attending secondary school

(c) Includes persons who never attended school.

(d) Comprises persons living in households where household income was stated. Note that equivalised gross weekly household income quintiles are calculated as a proportion of households with stated household income.

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Table 3A.3.20

Table 3A.3.20 Educational attainment by selected characteristics (Indigenous persons aged 15 years and over), age standardised, 2004-05 (a) (b)

(f) These data are age standardised
(g) Total includes 'not stated'.
– Nil or rounded to zero. **na** Not available.
Source : ABS 2004-05 NATSIHS (unpublished); ABS 2004-05 NHS (unpublished).

Table 3A.3.21

Table 3A.3.21 Educational attainment by selected characteristics (non-Indigenous persons aged 15 years and over), age standardised, 2004-05 (a) (b)

	Does not have a non-school qualification										Has a non-school qualification						Non-Indigenous persons 15 years and over
	Completed year 9 or below (c)					Completed year 10 or year 11					Total (g)						
	Number ('000)	Proportion (%)	RSE (%)	Number ('000)	Proportion (%)	RSE (%)	Number ('000)	Proportion (%)	RSE (%)	Number ('000)	Proportion (%)	RSE (%)	Number ('000)	Proportion (%)	RSE (%)		
EQ household income																	
Lowest quintile	817.7	33.9	2.6	465.0	19.3	4	264.9	11.0	6.3	1 547.6	64.1	1.3	865.7	35.9	2.4	100.0	-
2nd quintile	459.8	20.2	4.9	538.9	23.7	4.2	292.2	12.9	5.3	1 290.9	56.8	2.2	980.0	43.2	3	100.0	-
3rd quintile	220.9	9.6	6.5	485.2	21.2	4.3	377.6	16.5	5.3	1 083.7	47.3	2.8	1 205.7	52.7	2.6	100.0	-
4th quintile	168.9	6.6	7.8	424.1	16.6	4.9	440.0	17.2	4.1	1 033.0	40.5	2.2	1 520.1	59.5	1.5	100.0	-
Highest quintile	97.7	3.5	10.4	296.2	10.7	5.9	411.3	14.8	5.6	805.2	29.0	3.4	1 974.8	71.0	1.4	100.0	-
Total stated (d)	1 765.0	14.3	2.3	2 209.4	18.0	2.2	1 786.0	14.5	2.4	5 760.4	46.8	1.1	6 546.3	53.2	0.9	100.0	-
Whether has long-term condition (f)																	
Has a long-term condition	na	13.0	2.6	na	17.5	2.2	na	16.0	2.9	na	46.6	1.1	na	53.4	0.9	100.0	-
Does not have a long-term condition	na	17.6	32.7	na	19.2	14.9	na	17.2	13.5	na	54.0	8.1	na	46.0	7.9	100.0	-
Employment (f)																	
Employed	na	7.2	4.4	na	17.1	2.8	na	16.0	2.8	na	40.3	1.6	na	59.7	1.0	100.0	-
Unemployed	na	11.0	15.6	na	18.7	12.4	na	15.9	14.2	na	45.6	6.2	na	54.4	6.8	100.0	-
Total	na	13.2	2.2	na	17.8	2.1	na	16.4	2.3	na	47.5	1.0	na	52.5	0.9	100.0	-

(a) Estimates with a relative standard error (RSE) of 25 per cent to 50 per cent should be used with caution. Estimates with a RSE greater than 50 per cent are considered too unreliable for general use.

(b) Excludes persons attending secondary school

(c) Includes persons who never attended school.

(d) Comprises persons living in households where household income was stated.

(f) These data are age standardised

(g) Total includes 'not stated'.

- Nil or rounded to zero. na Not available.

Source: ABS 2004-05 NATSIHS (unpublished); ABS 2004-05 NHS (unpublished).

Table 3A.4.1

Table 3A.4.1 Participation in post secondary education by persons aged 18 years and over (a) (b)

	University			Other (c)			Total post secondary (d)			Not studying			Total (e)		
	Number	Proportion	RSE	Number	Proportion	RSE	Number	Proportion	RSE	Number	Proportion	RSE	Number	Proportion	RSE
	'000	%	%	'000	%	%	'000	%	%	'000	%	%	'000	%	%
2002															
Indigenous	8.7	3.5	12.4	18.6	7.4	7.8	27.3	10.9	6.1	222.6	88.5	0.8	251.4	100.0	–
Non-Indigenous	901.6	6.3	4.3	812.7	5.7	4.3	1 714.4	11.9	2.6	12 577.7	87.6	0.4	14 353.8	100.0	–
2004-05															
Indigenous	9.1	3.5	11	20.1	7.8	7.9	29.2	11.3	6.2	227.8	88.2	0.8	258.3	100.0	–
Non-Indigenous	842.1	5.7	3.2	719.8	4.9	3.9	1 561.9	10.6	2.3	13 130.3	89.0	0.3	14 753.3	100.0	–

RSE Relative standard error

(a) Estimates with a relative standard error of 25 per cent to 50 per cent should be used with caution.

(b) Estimates with a relative standard error greater than 50 per cent are considered too unreliable for general use.

(c) Includes TAFE, technical college, business college, industry skills centre.

(d) Includes institution not stated.

(e) Includes people at secondary school.

– Nil or rounded to zero.

Source : ABS 2002 NATSISS; ABS 2002 GSS; ABS 2004-05 NHS and NATSIHS.

Table 3A.4.2

Table 3A.4.2 Participation in post secondary education by Indigenous persons aged 18 years and over (a)

	University				Other (b)				Total post secondary (c)				Total who have left school			
	Number		RSE		Number		RSE		Number		RSE		Number		RSE	
	'000	%	%	%	'000	%	%	%	'000	%	%	%	'000	%	%	%
1994																
Males	1.3	1.4	28.1		2.4	2.7	20.2		4.1	4.6	16.5		89.6	100.0		–
Females	2.5	2.5	27.3		2.8	2.8	14.2		5.5	5.5	15.6		100.4	100.0		–
Persons	3.8	2.0	20.9		5.2	2.7	13.2		9.6	5.0	11.5		190.0	100.0		–
2002																
Males	2.5	2.1	21.1		8.9	7.5	12.6		11.4	9.6	10.0		118.3	100.0		–
Females	6.3	4.8	13.6		9.7	7.4	9.7		16.0	12.1	7.5		131.6	100.0		–
Persons	8.7	3.5	12.4		18.6	7.4	7.8		27.3	10.9	6.1		249.9	100.0		–
2004-05																
Males	3.0	2.5	20.3		7.9	6.6	12		10.9	9.1	10.2		120.0	100.0		–
Females	6.1	4.4	12.1		12.2	8.9	9.7		18.2	13.3	7.2		136.9	100.0		–
Persons	9.1	3.5	11		20.1	7.8	7.9		29.2	11.4	6.2		257.0	100.0		–

RSE Relative standard error

(a) Data from 1994 are not comparable with 2002 or 2004-05 data due to differences in question content and significant changes in education classifications.

(b) 1994 data include TAFE, employers, Aboriginal & Torres Strait Islander organisations, business college, secretarial college and computer organisation, 2002 and 2004-05 data include TAFE, technical college, business college, industry skills centre.

(c) Includes institution not stated.

– Nil or rounded to zero.

Source: ABS 1994 NATSIS; ABS 2002 NATSISS; ABS 2004-05 NHS and NATSIHS.

Table 3A.4.3

Table 3A.4.3 Participation in post secondary education by persons aged 18 years and over, 2004-05 (a) (b)

	<i>Indigenous</i>			<i>Non-Indigenous</i>		
	<i>Number ('000)</i>	<i>Proportion (%)</i>	<i>RSE (%)</i>	<i>Number ('000)</i>	<i>Proportion (%)</i>	<i>RSE (%)</i>
<i>NSW</i>						
University or other higher education	2.9	3.8	22.8	241.6	4.9	8.6
Other (c)	6.4	8.6	16.4	245.2	4.9	6.6
Total post secondary	9.3	12.4	12.6	486.8	9.8	4.9
Not currently studying	65.4	87.1	1.8	4 457.5	89.7	0.5
Total (d)	75.0	100.0	—	4 970.2	100.0	—
<i>Victoria</i>						
University or other higher education	0.5	3.0	30.1	247.0	6.6	7.0
Other (c)	1.3	8.1	17.2	171.5	4.6	8.9
Total post secondary	1.8	11.2	14.9	418.5	11.1	4.7
Not currently studying	14.6	88.4	1.9	3 319.0	88.3	0.6
Total (d)	16.5	100.0	—	3 758.0	100.0	—
<i>Queensland</i>						
University or other higher education	2.1	2.9	23.1	172.1	6.2	8.0
Other (c)	5.4	7.6	16.0	129.2	4.6	8.5
Total post secondary	7.4	10.5	13.7	301.2	10.8	6.1
Not currently studying	63.1	89.3	1.6	2 485.4	89.1	0.7
Total (d)	70.6	100.0	—	2 790.8	100.0	—
<i>WA</i>						
University or other higher education	1.2	3.4	24.6	77.0	5.4	9.9
Other (c)	3.9	10.6	20.8	72.1	5.1	10.9
Total post secondary	5.1	14.0	15.6	149.1	10.5	7.0
Not currently studying	31.4	85.9	2.5	1 267.2	89.3	0.8
Total (d)	36.5	100.0	—	1 418.5	100.0	—
<i>SA</i>						
University or other higher education	0.4	2.7	27.1	52.9	4.6	9.5
Other (c)	1.3	8.6	15.5	66.4	5.8	7.6
Total post secondary	1.6	11.4	14.5	119.3	10.5	5.2
Not currently studying	12.6	86.8	2.3	1 014.9	89.1	0.6
Total (d)	14.5	100.0	—	1 138.9	100.0	—

Table 3A.4.3

Table 3A.4.3 Participation in post secondary education by persons aged 18 years and over, 2004-05 (a) (b)

	<i>Indigenous</i>			<i>Non-Indigenous</i>		
	<i>Number (<i>'000</i>)</i>	<i>Proportion (%)</i>	<i>RSE (%)</i>	<i>Number (<i>'000</i>)</i>	<i>Proportion (%)</i>	<i>RSE (%)</i>
<i>Tasmania</i>						
University or other higher education	0.6	6.0	58.9	17.7	5.1	11.6
Other (c)	0.5	5.8	17.8	18.1	5.2	11.9
Total post secondary	1.1	11.8	33.0	35.7	10.3	8.4
Not currently studying	8.3	87.1	4.4	309.1	89.1	1.0
Total (d)	9.5	100.0	–	347.1	100.0	–
<i>ACT</i>						
University or other higher education	0.2	10.5	25.5	27.6	11.5	8.9
Other (c)	0.3	14.1	20.7	14.7	6.1	11.9
Total post secondary	0.6	24.7	14.6	42.3	17.6	5.7
Not currently studying	1.7	75.3	4.8	196.3	81.8	1.3
Total (d)	2.3	100.0	–	239.9	100.0	–
<i>NT</i>						
University or other higher education	1.2	3.6	23.7	np	np	np
Other (c)	0.9	2.8	25.6	np	np	np
Total post secondary	2.1	6.4	18.7	np	np	np
Not currently studying	30.8	92.4	1.4	np	np	np
Total (d)	33.4	100.0	–	np	np	np
<i>Australia</i>						
University or other higher education	9.1	3.5	11.0	842.1	5.7	3.2
Other (c)	20.1	7.8	7.9	719.8	4.9	3.9
Total post secondary	29.2	11.3	6.2	1 561.9	10.6	2.3
Not currently studying	227.8	88.2	0.8	13 130.3	89.0	0.3
Total (d)	258.3	100.0	–	14 753.3	100.0	–

RSE Relative standard error

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(b) Estimates with a relative standard error greater than 50 per cent are considered too unreliable for

(c) Includes TAFE, technical college, business college, industry skills centre.

(d) Includes people at secondary school.

– Nil or rounded to zero. **np** Not published.

Source: ABS 2004-05 NHS and NATSIHS.

Table 3A.4.4

Table 3A.4.4 Participation in post secondary education by persons aged 18 years and over by remoteness, 2004-05 (a) (b)

	<i>Indigenous</i>			<i>Non-Indigenous</i>		
	<i>Number (<i>'000</i>)</i>	<i>Proportion (%)</i>	<i>RSE (%)</i>	<i>Number (<i>'000</i>)</i>	<i>Proportion (%)</i>	<i>RSE (%)</i>
<i>Major cities</i>						
University or other higher education	4.6	5.8	16.8	691.5	6.8	3.9
Other (c)	7.1	9.0	15.1	492.5	4.9	4.9
Total post secondary	11.7	14.8	10.7	1 184.0	11.7	2.7
Not currently studying	66.6	84.6	1.9	8 892.8	87.8	0.4
Total (d)	78.7	100.0	–	10 124.7	100.0	–
<i>Inner regional</i>						
University or other higher education	1.1	2.1	30.3	100.5	3.5	10.4
Other (c)	4.5	8.7	15.3	143.8	5.0	8.1
Total post secondary	5.6	10.8	13.7	244.3	8.4	5.6
Not currently studying	45.8	89.1	1.7	2 638.5	91.2	0.5
Total (d)	51.4	100.0	–	2 893.5	100.0	–
<i>Outer regional</i>						
University or other higher education	2.1	3.7	21.9	49.1	3.2	16.4
Other (c)	4.6	8.2	17.4	78.0	5.0	12.2
Total post secondary	6.6	12.0	14.2	127.1	8.2	9.4
Not currently studying	48.4	87.5	1.9	1 425.5	91.7	0.8
Total (d)	55.4	100.0	–	1 554.7	100.0	–
<i>Total non remote</i>						
University or other higher education	7.7	4.2	12.4	841.0	5.8	3.2
Other (c)	16.1	8.7	9.1	714.3	4.9	3.9
Total post secondary	23.8	12.9	7.2	1 555.3	10.7	2.3
Not currently studying	160.9	86.7	1.1	12 956.7	88.9	0.3
Total (d)	185.5	100.0	–	14 572.9	100.0	–
<i>Remote</i>						
University or other higher education	0.7	3.3	26.5	1.1	0.6	52.1
Other (c)	1.7	7.5	30.4	5.5	3.1	36.3
Total post secondary	2.4	10.8	22.5	6.6	3.7	29.6
Not currently studying	19.6	88.7	2.7	173.5	96.2	1.1
Total (d)	22.1	100.0	–	180.3	100.0	–

Table 3A.4.4

Table 3A.4.4 Participation in post secondary education by persons aged 18 years and over by remoteness, 2004-05 (a) (b)

	<i>Indigenous</i>			<i>Non-Indigenous</i>		
	<i>Number ('000)</i>	<i>Proportion (%)</i>	<i>RSE (%)</i>	<i>Number ('000)</i>	<i>Proportion (%)</i>	<i>RSE (%)</i>
<i>Very remote</i>						
University or other higher education	0.6	1.2	27.3	np	np	np
Other (c)	2.3	4.6	17.7	np	np	np
Total post secondary	2.9	5.8	15.1	np	np	np
Not currently studying	47.3	93.4	1.0	np	np	np
Total (d)	50.7	100.0	–	np	np	np
<i>Total remote</i>						
University or other higher education	1.4	1.9	18.9	np	np	np
Other (c)	4.0	5.4	15.6	np	np	np
Total post secondary	5.3	7.3	12.4	np	np	np
Not currently studying	66.9	91.9	1.0	np	np	np
Total (d)	72.8	100.0	–	np	np	np
<i>Australia</i>						
University or other higher education	9.1	3.5	11.0	842.1	5.7	3.2
Other (c)	20.1	7.8	7.9	719.8	4.9	3.9
Total post secondary	29.2	11.3	6.2	1 561.9	10.6	2.3
Not currently studying	227.8	88.2	0.8	13 130.3	89.0	0.3
Total (d)	258.3	100.0	–	14 753.3	100.0	–

RSE Relative standard error

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(c) Includes TAFE, technical college, business college, industry skills centre.

(d) Includes people at secondary school.

– Nil or rounded to zero. **np** Not available

Source: ABS 2004-05 NHS and NATSIHS.

Table 3A.4.5

Table 3A.4.5 **Participation in post secondary education by persons aged 18 years and over by age, 2004-05 (a) (b)**

	<i>Indigenous</i>			<i>Non-Indigenous</i>		
	<i>Number ('000)</i>	<i>Proportion (%)</i>	<i>RSE (%)</i>	<i>Number ('000)</i>	<i>Proportion (%)</i>	<i>RSE (%)</i>
18-24						
University or other higher education	3.6	6.4	20.5	448.1	24.1	5.0
Other (c)	7.8	13.7	13.0	293.9	15.8	7.1
Total post secondary	11.4	20.1	11.0	742.0	40.0	3.6
Not currently studying	44.3	78.1	2.9	1 058.9	57.0	2.5
Total (d)	56.7	100.0	—	1 857.1	100.0	—
25-34						
University or other higher education	2.8	4.1	18.2	200.3	7.3	8.0
Other (c)	5.2	7.4	14.3	162.4	5.9	7.3
Total post secondary	8.0	11.5	11.2	362.7	13.1	5.2
Not currently studying	61.6	88.3	1.5	2 398.7	86.9	0.8
Total (d)	69.8	100.0	—	2 761.4	100.0	—
35-44						
University or other higher education	1.7	2.8	18.2	109.7	3.8	9.0
Other (c)	5.1	8.6	17.0	136.4	4.7	8.1
Total post secondary	6.8	11.5	13.0	246.0	8.5	5.0
Not currently studying	52.3	88.5	1.7	2 650.2	91.4	0.5
Total (d)	59.1	100.0	—	2 899.6	100.0	—
45-54						
University or other higher education	0.9	2.2	25.9	62.4	2.3	12.1
Other (c)	1.4	3.5	22.0	96.3	3.6	11.0
Total post secondary	2.3	5.7	15.7	158.6	5.9	8.3
Not currently studying	37.2	94.0	1.0	2 545.8	94.1	0.5
Total (d)	39.6	100.0	—	2 705.6	100.0	—
55+						
University or other higher education	0.1	0.2	62.5	21.6	0.5	28.4
Other (c)	0.7	2.1	39.8	31.0	0.7	17.0
Total post secondary	0.7	2.2	37.2	52.6	1.2	15.0
Not currently studying	32.4	97.8	0.9	4 476.6	98.8	0.2
Total (d)	33.2	100.0	—	4 529.7	100.0	—
Total						
University or other higher education	9.1	3.5	11.0	842.1	5.7	3.2
Other (c)	20.1	7.8	7.9	719.8	4.9	3.9
Total post secondary	29.2	11.3	6.2	1 561.9	10.6	2.3
Not currently studying	227.8	88.2	0.8	13 130.3	89.0	0.3
Total (d)	258.3	100.0	—	14 753.3	100.0	—

Table 3A.4.5

Table 3A.4.5 Participation in post secondary education by persons aged 18 years and over by age, 2004-05 (a) (b)

RSE Relative standard error

- (a) Estimates with a relative standard error of 25 per cent to 50 per cent should be used with caution.
- (b) Estimates with a relative standard error greater than 50 per cent are considered too unreliable for general use.
- (c) Includes TAFE, technical college, business college, industry skills centre.
- (d) Includes people at secondary school.
- Nil or rounded to zero.

Source : ABS 2004-05 NHS and NATSIHS.

Table 3A.4.6

Table 3A.4.6 Participation in higher education, 2005 (per cent of all domestic students)

	Indigenous			Non-Indigenous			All Students		
	Males	Females	Persons	Males	Females	Persons	Males	Females	Persons
New South Wales									
Postgraduates	15.6	16.1	15.9	28.1	24.1	25.8	28.0	24.0	25.7
Undergraduates	77.2	80.1	79.1	69.3	73.1	71.4	69.3	73.1	71.5
Enabling/Non-award Courses	7.2	3.8	5.0	2.7	2.9	2.8	2.7	2.9	2.8
Total	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Victoria									
Postgraduates	26.7	27.1	27.0	28.3	27.9	28.1	28.3	27.9	28.0
Undergraduates	72.3	71.6	71.9	70.7	71.1	71.0	70.8	71.1	71.0
Enabling/Non-award Courses	0.9	1.3	1.1	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0
Total	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Queensland									
Postgraduates	12.5	10.4	11.1	20.4	17.9	18.9	20.3	17.8	18.8
Undergraduates	79.2	82.7	81.5	76.8	79.3	78.2	76.8	79.3	78.3
Enabling/Non-award Courses	8.3	6.9	7.4	2.8	2.9	2.8	2.9	2.9	2.9
Total	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Western Australia									
Postgraduates	12.1	12.6	12.4	22.4	21.2	21.7	22.2	21.0	21.5
Undergraduates	65.5	65.5	65.5	76.2	77.4	76.9	76.1	77.2	76.8
Enabling/Non-award Courses	22.4	21.9	22.1	1.4	1.4	1.4	1.7	1.8	1.7
Total	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
South Australia									
Postgraduates	10.1	10.9	10.6	21.1	21.0	21.0	21.0	20.8	20.9
Undergraduates	80.4	84.4	83.1	77.8	78.5	78.2	77.9	78.6	78.3
Enabling/Non-award Courses	9.5	4.8	6.2	1.0	0.5	0.7	1.1	0.6	0.8
Total	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0

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Tasmania										
Postgraduates	1.1	10.4	7.2	14.5	15.0	14.8	14.3	14.9	14.6	
Undergraduates	90.8	78.5	82.8	82.9	81.1	81.9	83.0	81.0	81.9	
Enabling/Non-award Courses	8.0	11.0	10.0	2.6	3.9	3.3	2.7	4.1	3.4	
Total	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	96.6	
Australian Capital Territory										
Postgraduates	28.9	24.3	26.3	31.7	28.7	30.1	31.7	28.6	30.1	
Undergraduates	62.7	64.9	63.9	66.5	70.7	68.7	66.5	70.6	68.6	
Enabling/Non-award Courses	8.4	10.8	9.8	1.8	0.7	1.2	1.8	0.8	1.3	
Total	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	
Northern Territory										
Postgraduates	4.7	5.9	5.5	20.1	17.5	18.4	17.7	15.9	16.5	
Undergraduates	57.9	63.8	61.7	68.2	73.9	72.0	66.6	72.5	70.5	
Enabling/Non-award Courses	37.4	30.3	32.8	11.8	8.6	9.6	15.7	11.7	13.0	
Total	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	
Multi-State										
Postgraduates	9.5	4.9	6.1	34.5	27.4	29.8	34.1	26.9	29.3	
Undergraduates	90.5	94.6	93.5	64.1	71.5	69.0	64.5	72.1	69.5	
Enabling/Non-award Courses	0.0	0.5	0.4	1.5	1.1	1.2	1.4	1.1	1.2	
Total	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	
Australia										
Postgraduates	14.1	13.7	13.8	25.6	23.3	24.3	25.5	23.1	24.1	
Undergraduates	74.0	76.7	75.8	72.4	74.7	73.7	72.4	74.7	73.7	
Enabling/Non-award Courses	11.9	9.6	10.4	2.1	2.1	2.1	2.1	2.2	2.1	
Total	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	

Source: DEST higher education statistics collection (unpublished).

Table 3A.4.7

Table 3A.4.7 Participation in higher education, 2004 (per cent of all domestic students)

	Indigenous			Non-Indigenous			All Students		
	Males	Females	Persons	Males	Females	Persons	Males	Females	Persons
New South Wales									
Postgraduates	19.8	15.2	16.9	28.6	23.7	25.8	28.5	23.6	25.7
Undergraduates	75.9	80.0	78.5	68.2	72.7	70.7	68.3	72.8	70.8
Enabling/Non-award Courses	4.3	4.8	4.6	3.2	3.6	3.4	3.2	3.6	3.4
Total	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Victoria									
Postgraduates	27.9	27.2	27.5	29.4	27.8	28.5	29.4	27.8	28.5
Undergraduates	71.5	72.4	72.1	69.5	71.3	70.5	69.5	71.3	70.5
Enabling/Non-award Courses	0.6	0.4	0.4	1.1	0.9	1.0	1.1	0.9	1.0
Total	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Queensland									
Postgraduates	12.6	10.0	11.0	20.9	18.0	19.3	20.8	17.9	19.1
Undergraduates	77.5	79.8	78.9	75.9	78.8	77.6	75.9	78.8	77.6
Enabling/Non-award Courses	9.8	10.2	10.1	3.2	3.1	3.2	3.3	3.2	3.3
Total	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Western Australia									
Postgraduates	8.7	10.5	9.9	22.7	20.6	21.5	22.5	20.4	21.3
Undergraduates	64.9	68.7	67.4	75.7	78.1	77.1	75.5	77.9	76.9
Enabling/Non-award Courses	26.4	20.8	22.8	1.7	1.3	1.4	2.0	1.7	1.8
Total	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0

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	Indigenous			Non-Indigenous			All Students		
	Males	Females	Persons	Males	Females	Persons	Males	Females	Persons
South Australia									
Postgraduates	14.0	11.1	12.1	21.1	20.4	20.7	21.1	20.3	20.6
Undergraduates	73.0	83.3	80.0	77.7	78.5	78.2	77.7	78.6	78.2
Enabling/Non-award Courses	12.9	5.6	7.9	1.2	1.1	1.1	1.3	1.1	1.2
Total	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Tasmania									
Postgraduates	0.0	10.6	6.9	12.3	13.7	13.0	12.2	13.6	12.9
Undergraduates	90.2	72.8	79.0	85.9	83.3	84.5	85.9	83.1	84.5
Enabling/Non-award Courses	9.8	16.6	14.2	1.8	3.1	2.5	1.9	3.3	2.6
Total	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Australian Capital Territory									
Postgraduates	30.4	21.6	25.8	31.9	27.9	29.8	31.9	27.8	29.8
Undergraduates	55.9	70.3	63.4	66.1	71.3	68.8	66.0	71.3	68.7
Enabling/Non-award Courses	13.7	8.1	10.8	2.0	0.9	1.4	2.1	0.9	1.5
Total	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Northern Territory									
Postgraduates	5.8	5.2	5.4	23.1	20.6	21.4	20.1	18.2	18.9
Undergraduates	54.2	64.2	60.6	65.2	71.5	69.4	63.3	70.4	68.0
Enabling/Non-award Courses	40.0	30.6	33.9	11.7	7.9	9.1	16.6	11.4	13.1
Total	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0

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Table 3A.4.7 Participation in higher education, 2004 (per cent of all domestic students)

	<i>Indigenous</i>			<i>Non-Indigenous</i>			<i>All Students</i>		
	<i>Males</i>	<i>Females</i>	<i>Persons</i>	<i>Males</i>	<i>Females</i>	<i>Persons</i>	<i>Males</i>	<i>Females</i>	<i>Persons</i>
Multi-State									
Postgraduates	8.7	6.8	7.3	30.7	25.6	27.1	30.2	25.1	26.6
Undergraduates	91.3	92.7	92.4	67.1	72.4	70.8	67.6	73.0	71.4
Enabling/Non-award Courses	0.0	0.5	0.3	2.3	2.0	2.1	2.2	2.0	2.0
Total	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Australia									
Postgraduates	15.3	12.9	13.8	26.0	23.0	24.3	25.9	22.8	24.2
Undergraduates	72.0	76.3	74.7	71.6	74.7	73.3	71.6	74.7	73.4
Enabling/Non-award Courses	12.7	10.8	11.5	2.4	2.4	2.4	2.5	2.5	2.5
Total	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0

Source: DEST higher education statistics collection (unpublished).

Table 3A.4.8

Table 3A.4.8 Participation in higher education, 2003 (per cent of all domestic students)

	Indigenous			Non-Indigenous			All Students		
	Males	Females	Persons	Males	Females	Persons	Males	Females	Persons
New South Wales									
Postgraduates	15.7	14.5	15.0	27.7	23.2	25.2	27.6	23.1	25.1
Undergraduates	74.5	77.1	76.1	68.5	72.8	70.9	68.5	72.8	70.9
Enabling/Non-award Courses	9.8	8.4	8.9	3.8	4.1	4.0	3.9	4.1	4.0
Total	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Victoria									
Postgraduates	21.4	27.8	25.3	29.5	27.1	28.2	29.5	27.1	28.2
Undergraduates	78.0	71.5	74.1	69.5	72.0	70.9	69.5	72.0	70.9
Enabling/Non-award Courses	0.5	0.7	0.6	1.0	0.9	0.9	1.0	0.9	0.9
Total	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Queensland									
Postgraduates	11.3	8.8	9.8	20.9	17.9	19.2	20.8	17.7	19.0
Undergraduates	74.9	78.3	77.0	75.7	78.9	77.5	75.7	78.9	77.5
Enabling/Non-award Courses	13.8	12.9	13.2	3.4	3.3	3.3	3.5	3.4	3.5
Total	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Western Australia									
Postgraduates	5.6	7.8	7.1	22.1	19.9	20.8	21.8	19.6	20.5
Undergraduates	66.5	69.6	68.5	75.6	78.3	77.2	75.5	78.1	77.0
Enabling/Non-award Courses	27.9	22.6	24.4	2.3	1.8	2.0	2.7	2.3	2.5
Total	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0

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	Indigenous			Non-Indigenous			All Students		
	Males	Females	Persons	Males	Females	Persons	Males	Females	Persons
South Australia									
Postgraduates	8.9	12.6	11.3	20.1	19.7	19.9	20.0	19.7	19.8
Undergraduates	74.3	82.5	79.6	78.9	79.3	79.1	78.9	79.4	79.1
Enabling/Non-award Courses	16.8	4.9	9.1	1.0	0.9	1.0	1.2	1.0	1.1
Total	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Tasmania									
Postgraduates	–	8.7	5.4	12.4	13.1	12.8	12.3	13.0	12.6
Undergraduates	81.0	68.8	73.4	86.0	84.7	85.3	85.9	84.3	85.1
Enabling/Non-award Courses	19.0	22.5	21.2	1.6	2.2	1.9	1.8	2.7	2.3
Total	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Australian Capital Territory									
Postgraduates	31.1	20.0	25.1	30.9	25.8	28.2	30.9	25.8	28.2
Undergraduates	58.9	69.5	64.6	67.6	73.2	70.6	67.5	73.2	70.5
Enabling/Non-award Courses	10.0	10.5	10.3	1.5	0.9	1.2	1.6	1.0	1.3
Total	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Northern Territory									
Postgraduates	3.9	5.4	4.8	23.3	21.2	21.9	20.1	18.6	19.1
Undergraduates	61.1	64.8	63.5	66.0	70.1	68.7	65.2	69.2	67.9
Enabling/Non-award Courses	35.0	29.9	31.6	10.6	8.8	9.4	14.7	12.2	13.1
Total	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0

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	Indigenous			Non-Indigenous			All Students		
	Males	Females	Persons	Males	Females	Persons	Males	Females	Persons
Multi-State									
Postgraduates	3.1	4.1	3.9	30.3	25.2	26.7	29.8	24.6	26.2
Undergraduates	95.3	95.4	95.4	66.7	72.7	70.9	67.2	73.3	71.5
Enabling/Non-award Courses	1.6	0.5	0.8	3.0	2.1	2.4	3.0	2.1	2.3
Total	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Australia									
Postgraduates	12.0	12.0	12.0	25.6	22.4	23.8	25.5	22.3	23.7
Undergraduates	72.7	74.8	74.0	71.8	75.0	73.6	71.8	75.0	73.6
Enabling/Non-award Courses	15.3	13.3	14.0	2.6	2.6	2.6	2.7	2.7	2.7
Total	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0

– Nil or rounded to zero.

Source: DEST higher education statistics collection (unpublished).

Table 3A.4.9

Table 3A.4.9 Participation in higher education, 2002 (per cent of all domestic students)

	Indigenous			Non-Indigenous			All Students		
	Males	Females	Persons	Males	Females	Persons	Males	Females	Persons
New South Wales									
Postgraduates	12.4	13.8	13.2	25.7	21.7	23.5	25.6	21.6	23.4
Undergraduates	75.7	78.3	77.3	69.5	74.2	72.1	69.5	74.3	72.2
Enabling/Non-award Courses	11.9	7.8	9.5	4.8	4.1	4.4	4.9	4.1	4.5
Total	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Victoria									
Postgraduates	23.7	25.0	24.5	29.1	26.1	27.4	29.0	26.1	27.4
Undergraduates	76.0	75.0	75.4	69.9	73.1	71.7	70.0	73.1	71.7
Enabling/Non-award Courses	0.3	–	0.1	1.0	0.8	0.9	1.0	0.8	0.9
Total	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Queensland									
Postgraduates	11.2	10.3	10.6	19.9	16.7	18.1	19.8	16.6	18.0
Undergraduates	77.8	81.5	80.1	76.8	80.2	78.7	76.8	80.2	78.7
Enabling/Non-award Courses	10.9	8.2	9.2	3.3	3.1	3.2	3.4	3.2	3.3
Total	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Western Australia									
Postgraduates	7.6	8.3	8.1	20.9	18.4	19.5	20.6	18.2	19.2
Undergraduates	55.4	62.8	60.1	77.1	79.9	78.7	76.7	79.5	78.3
Enabling/Non-award Courses	37.1	28.9	31.8	2.1	1.6	1.8	2.7	2.3	2.5
Total	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0

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	Indigenous			Non-Indigenous			All Students		
	Males	Females	Persons	Males	Females	Persons	Males	Females	Persons
South Australia									
Postgraduates	8.1	10.9	9.9	18.8	18.6	18.7	18.7	18.5	18.6
Undergraduates	77.8	82.5	80.9	80.2	80.8	80.5	80.2	80.8	80.6
Enabling/Non-award Courses	14.1	6.6	9.2	1.0	0.7	0.8	1.1	0.7	0.9
Total	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Tasmania									
Postgraduates	3.1	6.7	5.3	12.8	13.1	12.9	12.6	12.9	12.8
Undergraduates	83.7	81.2	82.2	86.4	85.3	85.8	86.3	85.2	85.8
Enabling/Non-award Courses	13.3	12.1	12.6	0.9	1.6	1.3	1.1	1.8	1.5
Total	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Australian Capital Territory									
Postgraduates	24.4	23.9	24.1	29.3	23.5	26.3	29.3	23.5	26.3
Undergraduates	64.0	58.7	61.0	69.7	76.0	72.9	69.6	75.8	72.8
Enabling/Non-award Courses	11.6	17.4	14.9	1.0	0.6	0.8	1.1	0.7	0.9
Total	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Northern Territory									
Postgraduates	6.6	5.3	5.7	25.9	21.3	22.9	22.8	18.4	19.9
Undergraduates	55.9	62.6	60.5	65.6	71.5	69.4	64.1	69.9	67.9
Enabling/Non-award Courses	37.5	32.1	33.8	8.5	7.3	7.7	13.1	11.8	12.2
Total	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0

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	Indigenous			Non-Indigenous			All Students		
	Males	Females	Persons	Males	Females	Persons	Males	Females	Persons
Multi-State									
Postgraduates	3.2	6.7	5.9	31.2	25.9	27.4	30.6	25.3	26.9
Undergraduates	96.8	93.3	94.1	66.5	72.1	70.4	67.1	72.7	71.0
Enabling/Non-award Courses	–	–	–	2.3	2.1	2.1	2.3	2.0	2.1
Total	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Australia									
Postgraduates	11.5	11.6	11.6	24.4	21.2	22.6	24.3	21.1	22.5
Undergraduates	71.2	74.4	73.2	72.7	76.3	74.7	72.7	76.3	74.7
Enabling/Non-award Courses	17.3	13.9	15.2	2.9	2.5	2.6	3.0	2.6	2.8
Total	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0

– Nil or rounded to zero.

Source: DEST higher education statistics collection (unpublished).

Table 3A.4.10

Table 3A.4.10 Post secondary attainment by persons aged 18 years and over (a) (b) (c)

	Certificate III and above			Other (d)			Total (e)		
	Number	Proportion	RSE	Number	Proportion	RSE	Number	Proportion	RSE
	'000	%	%	'000	%	%	'000	%	%
2002									
Indigenous	40.8	16.3	5.0	205.8	82.3	1.0	249.9	100.0	–
Non-Indigenous	5 806.7	40.6	1.4	8 398.1	58.8	1.1	14 292.1	100.0	–
2004-05									
Indigenous	53.4	20.8	4.3	201.0	78.2	1.5	257.0	100.0	–
Non-Indigenous	6 446.7	43.9	1.1	8 092.7	55.1	0.8	14 692.2	100.0	–

RSE Relative standard error

- (a) Estimates with a relative standard error of 25 per cent to 50 per cent should be used with caution.
- (b) Estimates with a relative standard error greater than 50 per cent are considered too unreliable for general use.
- (c) Excludes persons still at school.
- (d) Includes certificate I and II, certificate not further defined and no post school qualification.
- (e) Includes inadequately described and not stated
- Nil or rounded to zero.

Source: ABS 2002 NATSISS; ABS 2002 GSS; ABS 2004-05 NHS and NATSIHS.

Table 3A.4.11

Table 3A.4.11 Post secondary attainment by Indigenous persons aged 18 years and over (a) (b)

	Certificate III and above			Other (c)			Total (d)		
	Number	Proportion	RSE	Number	Proportion	RSE	Number	Proportion	RSE
	'000	%	%	'000	%	%	'000	%	%
1994									
Males	9.8	10.9	9.8	74.7	83.3	1.6	89.6	100.0	–
Females	5.9	5.9	11.0	89.4	89.1	2.5	100.4	100.0	–
Persons	15.7	8.3	8.1	164.2	86.4	1.1	190.0	100.0	–
2002									
Males	21.4	18.1	7.4	95.3	80.5	1.7	118.3	100.0	–
Females	19.4	14.8	6.5	110.5	84.0	1.2	131.6	100.0	–
Persons	40.8	16.3	5.0	205.8	82.3	1.0	249.9	100.0	–
2004-05									
Males	25.7	21.4	5.4	93.3	77.7	1.8	120.0	100.0	–
Females	27.7	20.2	6.1	107.7	78.7	2.0	136.9	100.0	–
Persons	53.4	20.8	1.5	201.0	78.2	1.5	257.0	100.0	–

RSE Relative standard error

(a) Care should be taken when analysing trends between 1994, 2002 and 2004-05 because education data was collected on a different basis.

(b) Excludes persons still at school.

(c) Includes Certificate I and II, Certificate not further defined and no post school qualification.

(d) Includes inadequately described and not stated.

– Nil or rounded to zero.

Source: ABS 1994 NATSIS; ABS 2002 NATSISS; ABS 2004-05 NHS and NATSIHS.

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Table 3A.4.12

Table 3A.4.12 Post secondary attainment by persons aged 18 years and over, 2004-05 (a)

	Certificate III and above			Other (b)			Total (c)		
	Number	Proportion	RSE	Number	Proportion	RSE	Number	Proportion	RSE
	'000	%	%	'000	%	%	'000	%	%
Indigenous									
Males	25.7	21.4	5.4	93.3	77.7	1.8	120.0	100.0	–
Females	27.7	20.2	6.1	107.7	78.7	2.0	136.9	100.0	–
Persons	53.4	20.8	1.5	201.0	78.2	1.5	257.0	100.0	–
Non-Indigenous									
Males	3 618.2	50.0	1.7	3 519.8	48.7	1.7	7 231.0	100.0	–
Females	2 828.6	37.9	1.3	4 572.9	61.3	0.8	7 461.2	100.0	–
Persons	6 446.7	43.9	1.1	8 092.7	55.1	0.8	14 692.2	100.0	–

RSE Relative standard error

(a) Excludes persons still at school.

(b) Includes certificate I and II, certificate not further defined and no post school qualification.

(c) Includes inadequately described and not stated.

– Nil or rounded to zero.

Source: ABS 2002 NATSISS; ABS 1994 NATSIS; ABS 2004-05 NHS and NATSIHS.

Table 3A.4.13

Table 3A.4.13 **Post secondary attainment by persons aged 18 years and over, 2004-05 (a) (b) (c)**

	<i>Indigenous</i>			<i>Non-Indigenous</i>		
	<i>Number ('000)</i>	<i>Proportion (%)</i>	<i>RSE</i>	<i>Number ('000)</i>	<i>Proportion (%)</i>	<i>RSE</i>
<i>NSW</i>						
Certificate III and above	16.8	22.5	8.7	2 197.7	44.4	2.2
Other (d)	57.3	76.8	3.8	2 687.6	54.4	1.8
Total (e)	74.7	100.0	–	4 944.4	100.0	–
<i>Victoria</i>						
Certificate III and above	4.4	26.7	14.7	1 660.8	44.4	1.9
Other (d)	12.0	72.7	5.9	2 044.3	54.7	1.6
Total (e)	16.4	100.0	–	3 737.4	100.0	–
<i>Queensland</i>						
Certificate III and above	18.7	26.5	7.8	1 215.9	43.6	2.1
Other (d)	51.4	72.9	2.8	1 546.5	55.5	1.6
Total (e)	70.5	100.0	–	2 786.6	100.0	–
<i>WA</i>						
Certificate III and above	4.6	12.6	12.2	601.9	42.5	3.3
Other (d)	31.6	86.7	2.9	800.9	56.6	2.6
Total (e)	36.5	100.0	–	1 416.3	100.0	–
<i>SA</i>						
Certificate III and above	2.8	19.6	10.4	462.8	40.8	2.4
Other (d)	11.3	79.2	3.2	660.3	58.2	1.8
Total (e)	14.2	100.0	–	1 134.2	100.0	–
<i>Tasmania</i>						
Certificate III and above	2.3	24.8	11.6	137.3	39.8	4.0
Other (d)	6.9	74.0	3.2	203.5	59.0	2.9
Total (e)	9.4	100.0	–	344.8	100.0	–
<i>ACT</i>						
Certificate III and above	0.9	38.8	11.9	130.3	54.6	2.8
Other (d)	1.4	61.2	7.6	105.1	44.1	3.6
Total (e)	2.3	100.0	–	238.6	100.0	–
<i>NT</i>						
Certificate III and above	3.0	9.0	11.6	np	np	np
Other (d)	29.1	88.2	2.1	np	np	np
Total (e)	33.0	100.0	–	np	np	np

Table 3A.4.13

Table 3A.4.13 Post secondary attainment by persons aged 18 years and over, 2004-05 (a) (b) (c)

	<i>Indigenous</i>			<i>Non-Indigenous</i>		
	<i>Number ('000)</i>	<i>Proportion (%)</i>	<i>RSE</i>	<i>Number ('000)</i>	<i>Proportion (%)</i>	<i>RSE</i>
<i>Australia</i>						
Certificate III and above	53.4	20.8	4.3	6 446.7	43.9	1.1
Other (d)	201.0	78.2	1.5	8 092.7	55.1	0.8
Total (e)	257.0	100.0	–	14 692.2	100.0	–

RSE Relative standard error

(a) Estimates with a relative standard error of 25 per cent to 50 per cent should be used with caution.

(b) Estimates with a relative standard error greater than 50 per cent are considered too unreliable for general use.

(c) Excludes persons still at school.

(d) Includes certificate I and II, certificate not further defined and no post school qualification.

(e) Includes inadequately described and not stated.

– Nil or rounded to zero. **np** Not available.

Source: ABS 2004-05 NHS and NATSIHS.

Table 3A.4.14

Table 3A.4.14 Post secondary attainment by persons aged 18 years and over by remoteness, 2004-05 (a) (b) (c)

	<i>Indigenous</i>			<i>Non-Indigenous</i>		
	<i>Number ('000)</i>	<i>Proportion (%)</i>	<i>RSE</i>	<i>Number ('000)</i>	<i>Proportion (%)</i>	<i>RSE</i>
<i>Major cities</i>						
Certificate III and above	22.0	28.1	8.2	4 656.4	46.2	1.3
Other (d)	55.8	71.3	3.2	5 317.6	52.8	1.3
Total (e)	78.3	100.0	–	10 076.7	100.0	–
<i>Inner regional</i>						
Certificate III and above	12.5	24.3	10.5	1 144.7	39.7	2.2
Other (d)	38.3	74.6	3.8	1 714.8	59.5	1.9
Total (e)	51.4	100.0	–	2 882.8	100.0	–
<i>Outer regional</i>						
Certificate III and above	11.6	21.1	9.3	583.9	37.6	2.9
Other (d)	43.0	78.0	2.5	944.1	60.8	2.1
Total (e)	55.1	100.0	–	1 552.6	100.0	–
<i>Total non-remote</i>						
Certificate III and above	46.1	25.0	4.8	6 385.0	44.0	1.1
Other (d)	137.1	74.2	1.9	7 976.5	55.0	0.8
Total (e)	184.7	100.0	–	14 512.1	100.0	–
<i>Remote</i>						
Certificate III and above	3.2	14.5	10.3	61.8	34.3	10.1
Other (d)	18.7	85.1	3.0	116.2	64.5	3.6
Total (e)	22.0	100.0	–	180.1	100.0	–
<i>Very remote</i>						
Certificate III and above	4.1	8.2	12.1	np	np	np
Other (d)	45.1	89.8	1.8	np	np	np
Total (e)	50.3	100.0	–	np	np	np
<i>Total remote</i>						
Certificate III and above	7.3	10.1	8.6	np	np	np
Other (d)	63.9	88.4	1.5	np	np	np
Total (e)	72.2	100.0	–	np	np	np
<i>Australia</i>						
Certificate III and above	53.4	20.8	4.3	6 446.7	43.9	1.1
Other (d)	201.0	78.2	1.5	8 092.7	55.1	0.8
Total (e)	257.0	100.0	–	14 692.2	100.0	–

Table 3A.4.14

Table 3A.4.14 Post secondary attainment by persons aged 18 years and over by remoteness, 2004-05 (a) (b) (c)

RSE Relative standard error

- (a) Estimates with a relative standard error of 25 per cent to 50 per cent should be used with caution.
- (b) Estimates with a relative standard error greater than 50 per cent are considered too unreliable for general use.
- (c) Excludes persons still at school.
- (d) Includes certificate I and II, certificate not further defined and no post school qualification.
- (e) Includes inadequately described and not stated

– Nil or rounded to zero. **np** Not available.

Source: ABS 2004-05 NHS and NATSIHS

Table 3A.4.15

Table 3A.4.15 Post secondary attainment by persons aged 18 years and over by age, 2004-05 (a) (b) (c)

	<i>Indigenous</i>			<i>Non-Indigenous</i>		
	<i>Number ('000)</i>	<i>Proportion (%)</i>	<i>RSE</i>	<i>Number ('000)</i>	<i>Proportion (%)</i>	<i>RSE</i>
18–24						
Certificate III and above	6.5	11.7	12.4	580.6	32.2	4.1
Other (d)	49.0	88.0	1.8	1 212.7	67.3	2.0
Total (e)	55.7	100.0	3.6	1 801.0	100.0	–
25–34						
Certificate III and above	15.5	22.3	7.9	1 577.3	57.1	2.0
Other (d)	53.5	76.8	2.3	1 157.4	41.9	2.8
Total (e)	69.6	100.0	–	2 761.4	100.0	–
35–44						
Certificate III and above	15.0	25.4	7.3	1 496.8	51.7	1.7
Other (d)	43.1	73.0	2.7	1 370.7	47.3	1.7
Total (e)	59.0	100.0	–	2 896.3	100.0	–
45–54						
Certificate III and above	10.1	25.6	10.3	1 292.2	47.8	2.4
Other (d)	28.8	73.1	3.6	1 375.0	50.8	2.2
Total (e)	39.4	100.0	–	2 704.4	100.0	–
55+						
Certificate III and above	6.3	19.1	14.8	1 499.7	33.1	2.2
Other (d)	26.6	80.2	3.5	2 977.0	65.7	1.1
Total (e)	33.2	100.0	–	4 529.2	100.0	–
Total						
Certificate III and above	53.4	20.8	4.3	6 446.7	43.9	1.1
Other (d)	201.0	78.2	1.5	8 092.7	55.1	0.8
Total (e)	257.0	100.0	–	14 692.2	100.0	–

RSE Relative standard error.

(a) Estimates with a relative standard error of 25 per cent to 50 per cent should be used with caution.

(b) Estimates with a relative standard error greater than 50 per cent are considered too unreliable for general use.

(c) Excludes persons still at school.

(d) Includes certificate I and II, certificate not further defined and no post school qualification.

(e) Includes inadequately described and not stated

– Nil or rounded to zero.

Source: ABS 2004-05 NHS and NATSIHS.

Table 3A.4.16

Table 3A.4.16 **Vocational education and training load pass rate**

	<i>Indigenous</i>	<i>Non-Indigenous</i>	<i>Unknown</i>	<i>Unknown and non-Indigenous</i>
2005				
Major cities	65.5	77.7	76.3	77.5
Inner regional	67.4	80.2	81.1	80.3
Outer regional	67.5	82.4	83.1	82.4
Remote	68.0	84.2	84.4	84.2
Very remote	64.8	85.3	76.6	83.9
Other	73.0	83.8	85.8	84.3
2004				
Major cities	62.3	77.2	78.6	77.4
Inner regional	64.6	79.7	81.3	79.9
Outer regional	66.6	81.3	83.9	81.6
Remote	62.8	83.8	87.1	84.1
Very remote	63.7	81.9	81.4	81.8
Other	68.3	82.9	82.9	82.9
2003				
Major cities	62.4	77.1	77.6	77.1
Inner regional	62.5	79.7	81.3	79.9
Outer regional	65.1	81.0	83.1	81.2
Remote	67.3	84.2	85.5	84.4
Very remote	64.8	82.0	77.9	81.4
Other	67.1	82.6	78.1	81.8
2002				
Major cities	62.9	76.4	76.6	76.4
Inner regional	62.9	78.9	79.5	79.0
Outer regional	64.8	79.2	82.3	79.6
Remote	64.2	81.3	86.9	82.2
Very remote	63.8	79.3	80.1	79.5
Other	68.0	82.7	81.9	82.6

Source: National 2002–2005 VET provider collections (unpublished).

Table 3A.4.17

Table 3A.4.17 Vocational education and training load pass rate (a)

	NSW	Vic	Q/d	WA	SA	Tas	ACT	NT	Aust
2005									
Indigenous	65.9	64.5	73.8	57.5	76.0	72.5	83.1	62.3	66.6
Non-Indigenous	78.8	77.4	81.8	75.8	87.2	80.1	79.9	79.5	79.2
Unknown	81.0	76.9	77.6	71.7	89.5	88.4	85.3	71.5	79.0
Unknown and non-Indigenous	79.1	77.4	81.4	75.0	87.4	80.2	80.2	79.4	79.2
2004									
Indigenous	65.4	61.7	69.3	56.2	73.8	71.3	70.1	58.0	64.3
Non-Indigenous	78.3	77.4	79.5	75.8	87.6	79.8	80.2	73.3	78.6
Unknown	81.6	79.5	78.6	73.2	89.2	85.2	80.7	79.6	80.1
Unknown and non-Indigenous	78.9	77.6	79.4	75.4	87.7	80.0	80.2	73.3	78.8
2003									
Indigenous	63.2	61.9	69.6	57.0	75.1	72.6	63.8	59.4	64.1
Non-Indigenous	77.9	78.2	78.3	74.3	87.9	80.5	79.4	77.2	78.5
Unknown	81.0	77.1	77.9	71.6	89.2	90.7	83.6	83.7	78.9
Unknown and non-Indigenous	78.4	78.1	78.3	73.8	88.0	80.9	79.5	77.5	78.6
2002									
Indigenous	61.5	64.4	71.9	50.1	74.3	70.7	75.9	62.4	63.8
Non-Indigenous	76.4	77.3	78.3	74.1	88.0	77.4	79.4	76.8	77.7
Unknown	79.7	76.9	76.5	74.4	89.1	86.0	93.6	79.3	78.2
Unknown and non-Indigenous	76.9	77.2	78.2	74.2	88.1	77.8	79.7	76.9	77.8

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Table 3A.4.17

Vocational education and training load pass rate (a)

(a) Government recurrent funded VET students. Excludes students participating in VET programs in schools. Not adjusted for recognition of prior learning, credit transfer and student enrolment no participation.

Source: National 2002–2005 VET provider collections (unpublished).

Table 3A.4.18

Table 3A.4.18 Vocational education and training load pass rate by course level

	<i>Indigenous</i>	<i>Non-Indigenous</i>	<i>Unknown</i>
2005			
<i>AQF qualifications</i>			
Diploma or higher	72.8	78.8	82.2
Certificate IV	67.7	76.0	78.7
Certificate III	72.9	84.3	81.8
Certificate II	66.7	77.9	76.0
Certificate I	54.7	66.9	66.5
<i>Non AQF qualifications</i>			
Other recognised courses (a)	62.6	74.4	77.1
Non-award courses	68.2	85.1	87.8
Subject only (no qualification)	76.2	87.5	90.8
2004			
<i>AQF qualifications</i>			
Diploma or higher	67.0	78.8	82.9
Certificate IV	68.7	75.5	83.2
Certificate III	71.3	83.4	81.5
Certificate II	63.2	77.4	75.6
Certificate I	52.9	66.0	66.7
<i>Non AQF qualifications</i>			
Other recognised courses (a)	59.1	74.4	79.3
Non-award courses	62.9	83.3	84.6
Subject only (no qualification)	65.9	79.3	79.8
2003			
<i>AQF qualifications</i>			
Diploma or higher	68.9	78.7	82.1
Certificate IV	65.0	75.6	78.4
Certificate III	69.9	83.3	81.6
Certificate II	63.9	77.9	74.3
Certificate I	53.1	66.3	66.3
<i>Non AQF qualifications</i>			
Other recognised courses (a)	63.7	73.8	80.3
Non-award courses	55.7	80.1	82.7
Subject only (no qualification)	59.9	77.9	77.8

Table 3A.4.18

Table 3A.4.18 Vocational education and training load pass rate by course level

<i>2002</i>			
<i>AQF qualifications</i>			
Diploma or higher	67.1	78.0	79.6
Certificate IV	65.2	75.6	77.9
Certificate III	71.7	82.5	81.5
Certificate II	62.6	76.4	76.5
Certificate I	51.0	66.2	69.0
<i>Non AQF qualifications</i>			
Other recognised courses (a)	60.7	72.5	77.0
Non-award courses	67.3	83.7	83.8
Subject only (no qualification)	69.4	85.2	68.2

(a) Includes senior secondary education and other education (bridging and enabling courses).

Source: National 2002–2005 VET provider collections (unpublished).

Table 3A.4.19

Table 3A.4.19 Success rate for higher education, 2004 (a)

	NSW	Vic	Qld	WA	SA	Tas	ACT	NT	Multi-state	Australia
<i>Indigenous</i>										
Males	70.4	74.1	66.7	57.5	60.9	76.9	77.5	30.1	64.5	63.5
Females	76.5	75.9	72.0	66.5	69.0	81.2	76.5	39.3	75.8	69.7
Total	74.3	75.2	70.1	63.4	66.0	79.7	77.0	36.0	73.1	67.5
<i>Non-Indigenous</i>										
Males	85.5	86.6	84.0	86.9	83.9	84.2	88.7	77.7	89.6	85.6
Females	90.4	91.5	89.4	92.2	89.6	89.7	92.2	81.2	94.5	90.6
Total	88.3	89.3	87.1	89.9	87.2	87.2	90.5	80.0	93.1	88.5
<i>Total</i>										
Males	85.4	86.5	83.8	86.5	83.7	84.1	88.6	68.1	89.0	85.4
Females	90.2	91.4	89.1	91.7	89.3	89.6	92.1	73.6	94.0	90.4
Total	88.1	89.3	86.9	89.5	87.0	87.1	90.4	71.7	92.6	88.2

(a) Success is defined as the student progress rate (SPR), which is the proportion of units passed within a year compared with the total units enrolled.

Source: DEST Selected Higher Education Statistics (unpublished).

Table 3A.4.20

Table 3A.4.20 Success rate for higher education, 2003 (a)

	NSW	Vic	Qld	WA	SA	Tas	ACT	NT	Multi-state	Australia
<i>Indigenous</i>										
Males	68.3	68.2	65.5	55.0	58.2	74.7	78.7	34.1	63.3	61.7
Females	76.0	76.8	69.5	64.7	64.7	79.4	81.8	42.0	75.7	68.6
Total	73.1	73.4	68.0	61.4	62.2	77.7	80.4	39.1	72.5	66.1
<i>Non-Indigenous</i>										
Males	85.4	86.4	83.6	86.2	83.1	85.0	87.5	74.9	88.5	85.3
Females	90.1	91.0	89.0	91.5	89.4	89.8	91.3	81.2	93.8	90.3
Total	88.1	89.0	86.8	89.3	86.8	87.5	89.5	79.1	92.3	88.1
<i>Total</i>										
Males	85.2	86.3	83.4	85.8	82.9	84.8	87.4	66.6	88.0	85.0
Females	90.0	91.0	88.7	91.0	89.1	89.6	91.2	74.0	93.3	90.0
Total	87.9	88.9	86.5	88.8	86.6	87.4	89.4	71.5	91.8	87.9

(a) Success is defined as the student progress rate (SPR), which is the proportion of units passed within a year compared with the total units enrolled.

Source: DEST Selected Higher Education Statistics (unpublished).

Table 3A.4.21

Table 3A.4.21 Success rate for higher education, 2002 (a)

	NSW	Vic	Qld	WA	SA	Tas	ACT	NT	Multi-state	Australia
<i>Indigenous</i>										
Males	68.2	68.5	63.3	57.1	51.4	76.8	75.1	37.7	61.8	61.5
Females	76.8	72.6	70.7	64.8	59.9	76.9	81.8	44.2	74.0	68.2
Total	73.4	71.0	68.1	62.1	56.5	76.9	78.6	42.0	71.2	65.7
<i>Non-Indigenous</i>										
Males	84.7	85.9	82.6	85.9	81.7	83.9	86.8	70.1	87.6	84.5
Females	89.6	90.5	88.0	91.2	88.3	89.0	91.0	79.3	92.8	89.6
Total	87.5	88.5	85.8	88.9	85.6	86.6	89.0	76.1	91.3	87.4
<i>Total</i>										
Males	84.5	85.8	82.4	85.4	81.5	83.8	86.7	64.3	87.1	84.3
Females	89.5	90.5	87.8	90.5	88.0	88.8	90.9	72.9	92.3	89.4
Total	87.3	88.4	85.5	88.3	85.3	86.5	88.9	70.0	90.8	87.2

(a) Success is defined as the student progress rate (SPR), which is the proportion of units passed within a year compared with the total units enrolled.

Source: DEST Selected Higher Education Statistics (unpublished).

Table 3A.4.22

Table 3A.4.22 **Success rate for higher education, 2001 (a) (b)**

	NSW	Vic	Qld	WA	SA	Tas	ACT	NT	Multi-state	Australia
<i>Indigenous</i>										
Males	66.2	66.5	64.4	53.2	65.5	72.7	35.6	67.8	73.0	61.0
Females	74.8	77.8	68.3	59.4	66.1	79.8	45.6	79.5	85.6	67.4
Total	71.5	73.6	66.9	57.3	65.8	77.1	42.6	73.9	83.4	65.1
<i>Non-Indigenous (a)</i>										
Males	84.1	85.3	83.1	85.4	84.4	84.7	71.2	87.2	87.4	84.4
Females	89.0	90.0	88.3	90.7	90.5	89.3	80.5	91.2	92.9	89.5
Total	86.9	87.9	86.1	88.4	87.9	87.2	77.2	89.3	91.4	87.3

(a) Includes Indigenous status unknown.

(b) Success is defined as the student progress rate (SPR), which is the proportion of units passed within a year compared with the total units enrolled.

Source: DEST Selected Higher Education Statistics (unpublished).

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Table 3A.5.1 Age standardised labour force participation and unemployment, people aged 15 to 64 years, by sex, age and State and Territory, 2004-05 (a)

Age	Indigenous				Non-Indigenous			
	Labour force participation		Unemployment		Labour force participation		Unemployment	
	Proportion of population (%)	RSE (%)	Proportion of labour force (%)	RSE (%)	Proportion of population (%)	RSE (%)	Proportion of labour force (%)	RSE (%)
Males								
15-24	61.3	5.1	30.8	10.6	75.1	2.0	9.2	11.1
25-34	83.3	2.6	12.4	17.7	94.7	0.7	4.3	17.6
35-44	80.7	2.8	8.6	20.3	93.5	0.9	2.6	17.5
45-54	68.5	4.8	7.4	40.2	90.1	1.0	2.2	18.3
55-64	30.9	14.0	4.5	84.1	66.9	2.6	3.3	22.6
Total 15 to 64	69.4	2.0	16.1	9.0	85.0	0.5	4.2	6.5
AS total 15 to 64	67.8	2.2	13.2	10.8	85.6	0.5	4.3	6.6
Females								
15-24	50.4	5.4	24.2	12.1	74.5	1.6	9.3	11.9
25-34	52.1	5.3	12.2	17.2	75.1	1.7	4.2	15.5
35-44	59.6	4.5	9.8	18.8	74.6	1.5	3.2	16.9
45-54	52.3	6.5	11.3	24.8	75.3	1.6	2.9	17.8
55-64	28.5	16.4	3.0	58.2	45.2	3.3	1.9	26.2
Total 15 to 64	51.4	3.0	14.8	8.4	70.1	0.9	4.5	6.4
AS total 15 to 64	50.2	3.2	12.6	9.6	70.7	0.9	4.4	6.5

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Table 3A.5.1 Age standardised labour force participation and unemployment, people aged 15 to 64 years, by sex, age and State and Territory, 2004-05 (a)

	Indigenous				Non-Indigenous			
	Labour force participation		Unemployment		Labour force participation		Unemployment	
	Proportion of population (%)	RSE (%)	Proportion of labour force (%)	RSE (%)	Proportion of population (%)	RSE (%)	Proportion of labour force (%)	RSE (%)
<i>Persons</i>								
15–24	55.8	3.6	27.8	8.3	74.8	1.2	9.2	8.8
25–34	66.7	2.7	12.3	13.6	84.8	0.9	4.3	12.7
35–44	69.3	2.7	9.2	14.8	84.0	0.9	2.9	12.3
45–54	60.0	4.0	9.1	22.5	82.7	1.0	2.5	13.5
55–64	29.6	11.1	3.8	54.5	56.1	1.9	2.7	18.7
Total 15 to 64	60.0	1.9	15.5	6.8	77.6	0.5	4.3	5.0
AS total 15 to 64	58.5	2.0	12.9	8.0	78.1	0.5	4.4	5.0
<i>State/Territory</i>								
<i>Males</i>								
NSW	66.9	4.7	11.2	21.1	86.5	1.0	4.8	13.6
Vic	71.7	5.6	15.8	27.6	83.8	1.3	3.9	14.3
Qld	75.4	3.3	16.5	25.5	86.3	1.3	4.4	17.8
WA	67.2	7.1	14.0	22.2	86.3	1.6	3.7	23.1
SA	61.4	6.5	11.3	33.4	85.0	1.4	4.4	16.6
Tas	67.8	5.4	11.5	26.3	80.9	1.6	5.9	22.6
NT (b)	55.7	10.5	11.7	25.8	na	na	na	na
ACT	76.3	9.4	5.0	68.6	90.3	1.2	3.5	23.6
Aust	67.8	2.2	13.2	10.8	85.6	0.5	4.3	6.6

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	Indigenous				Non-Indigenous			
	Labour force participation		Unemployment		Labour force participation		Unemployment	
	Proportion of population (%)	RSE (%)	Proportion of labour force (%)	RSE (%)	Proportion of population (%)	RSE (%)	Proportion of labour force (%)	RSE (%)
<i>Females</i>								
NSW	49.9	7.2	13.1	20.8	68.6	1.9	4.1	16.2
Vic	52.6	9.6	7.6	48.2	71.7	1.8	5.0	14.9
Qld	51.9	7.3	13.8	17.7	72.7	1.7	4.8	14.0
WA	49.2	6.2	14.4	34.9	68.5	2.6	3.7	20.6
SA	47.5	8.5	8.7	29.4	72.7	1.7	3.7	17.8
Tas	52.8	7.4	22.1	18.5	67.3	2.6	5.0	22.9
NT (b)	46.9	6.5	10.7	27.7	na	na	na	na
ACT	65.1	8.0	9.2	39.6	77.7	2.3	4.0	25.3
Aust	50.2	3.2	12.6	9.6	70.7	0.9	4.4	6.5
<i>Persons</i>								
NSW	57.9	4.4	11.9	16.0	77.6	1.0	4.5	10.3
Vic	61.9	5.8	11.8	23.7	77.7	1.2	4.5	11.1
Qld	62.8	4.0	14.9	17.2	79.4	1.0	4.6	11.4
WA	57.7	4.8	13.6	18.8	77.4	1.4	3.7	14.1
SA	53.8	5.8	10.3	21.2	78.8	1.2	4.1	12.2
Tas	60.0	4.9	16.1	16.8	74.0	1.3	5.5	16.9
NT (b)	51.1	6.8	11.4	21.7	na	na	na	na
ACT	70.7	6.8	7.2	34.1	84.0	1.3	3.8	15.4
Aust	58.5	2.0	12.9	8.0	78.1	0.5	4.4	5.0

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Indigenous				Non-Indigenous			
Labour force participation		Unemployment		Labour force participation		Unemployment	
Proportion of population (%)	RSE (%)	Proportion of labour force (%)	RSE (%)	Proportion of population (%)	RSE (%)	Proportion of labour force (%)	RSE (%)

AS=Age Standardised. RSE=Relative standard error.

(a) Estimates with a relative standard error of between 25 per cent to 50 per cent should be used with caution. Estimates with a relative standard error greater than 50 per cent are considered too unreliable for general use.

(b) The sample size in the NT was considered too small to produce reliable estimates for the NT in the ABS 2004-05 NHS, but NT records in the survey have been attributed appropriately to national estimates.

na Not available.

Source : ABS *National Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Health Survey 2004-05*, Cat. no. 4715.0.55.005 (unpublished); ABS *National Health Survey 2004-05*, Cat. no. 4362.0 (unpublished).

Table 3A.5.2

Table 3A.5.2 Age standardised labour force participation and unemployment, people aged 15 to 64 years, by sex and remoteness, 2004-05 (a)

	Indigenous				Non-Indigenous			
	Labour force participation		Unemployment		Labour force participation		Unemployment	
	Proportion of population (%)	RSE (%)	Proportion of labour force (%)	RSE (%)	Proportion of population (%)	RSE (%)	Proportion of labour force (%)	RSE (%)
Males								
Major cities	68.1	5.1	8.7	26.8	86.1	0.7	4.2	9.4
Inner regional	70.5	4.6	15.0	17.4	83.9	1.5	4.7	15.4
Outer regional	66.0	4.6	17.5	26.2	85.3	1.7	4.7	24.7
Total non-remote	68.3	2.7	13.2	13.0	85.5	0.5	4.4	6.6
Remote	69.7	5.6	12.4	26.7	87.1	3.8	2.6	62.7
Very remote (b)	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	na
Total remote	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	na
Australia	67.8	2.1	13.2	10.8	85.6	0.5	4.3	6.5
Females								
Major cities	50.9	6.3	11.1	18.8	71.3	1.1	4.2	9.1
Inner regional	49.7	7.5	15.9	20.4	70.3	2.0	4.4	19.7
Outer regional	48.5	7.9	14.0	22.1	65.8	2.9	6.0	23.1
Total non-remote	49.8	4.0	13.1	11.4	70.6	0.9	4.4	6.5
Remote	48.9	7.6	11.0	29.9	77.8	7.1	4.0	53.4
Very remote (b)	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	na
Total remote	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	na
Australia	50.2	3.2	12.6	9.6	70.7	0.9	4.4	6.5

Table 3A.5.2

Table 3A.5.2 Age standardised labour force participation and unemployment, people aged 15 to 64 years, by sex and remoteness, 2004-05 (a)

	Indigenous			Non-Indigenous		
	Labour force participation		Unemployment	Labour force participation		Unemployment
	Proportion of population (%)	RSE (%)	Proportion of labour force (%)	RSE (%)	Proportion of labour force (%)	RSE (%)
<i>Persons</i>						
Major cities	58.6	4.0	9.9	78.7	0.7	4.2
Inner regional	60.2	4.0	15.1	77.2	1.3	4.6
Outer regional	56.6	5.1	16.0	75.4	1.8	5.2
Total non-remote	58.5	2.5	13.2	78.0	0.5	4.4
Remote	58.7	5.6	11.9	82.4	4.1	3.3
Very remote (b)	na	na	na	na	na	na
Total remote	na	na	na	na	na	na
Australia	58.5	2.0	12.9	78.1	0.5	4.4
						5.0

RSE=Relative standard error.

(a) Estimates with a relative standard error of between 25 per cent to 50 per cent should be used with caution. Estimates with a relative standard error greater than 50 per cent are considered too unreliable for general use.

(b) Age standardised Indigenous data for the very remote area are not provide by the ABS as non-Indigenous data for the very remote area are not available (they were not collected in the 2004-05 NHS). The records for the very remote areas have been attributed appropriately to national estimates.

na Not available.

Source : ABS *National Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Health Survey 2004-05*, Cat. no. 4715.0.55.005 (unpublished); ABS *National Health Survey 2004-05*, Cat. no. 4362.0 (unpublished).

Table 3A.5.3

Table 3A.5.3 Labour force participation and unemployment, people aged 18 to 64 years (a)

1994 (b)	Indigenous						Non-Indigenous					
	Labour force participation			Unemployment			Labour force participation			Unemployment		
	Proportion of population (%)	RSE (%)		Proportion of labour force (%)	RSE (%)		Proportion of population (%)	RSE (%)		Proportion of labour force (%)	RSE (%)	
Males												
18–24	80.5	3.9		38.6	9.9		na	na		na	na	
25–34	82.7	2.9		36.4	11.7		na	na		na	na	
35–44	72.6	4.8		24.5	11.7		na	na		na	na	
45–54	65.3	6.2		25.1	24.5		na	na		na	na	
55–64	44.0	24.8		9.7	51.5		na	na		na	na	
Total 18 to 64	74.7	2.3		32.0	5.9		na	na		na	na	
Females												
18–24	47.9	7.5		41.7	13.0		na	na		na	na	
25–34	37.7	5.4		25.2	14.4		na	na		na	na	
35–44	48.8	7.2		23.2	25.8		na	na		na	na	
45–54	43.4	9.4		6.7	28.2		na	na		na	na	
55–64	11.2	22.4		8.9	72.0		na	na		na	na	
Total 18 to 64	41.5	3.5		26.8	10.2		na	na		na	na	
Persons												
18–24	63.6	3.9		39.8	7.4		na	na		na	na	
25–34	58.7	2.8		32.6	10.0		na	na		na	na	
35–44	60.1	4.0		23.9	13.4		na	na		na	na	
45–54	54.0	6.1		17.5	22.3		na	na		na	na	
55–64	26.8	20.3		9.5	40.3		na	na		na	na	
Total 18 to 64	57.3	2.1		30.0	5.1		na	na		na	na	

Table 3A.5.3

Table 3A.5.3 Labour force participation and unemployment, people aged 18 to 64 years (a)

	Indigenous				Non-Indigenous			
	Labour force participation		Unemployment		Labour force participation		Unemployment	
	Proportion of population (%)	RSE (%)	Proportion of labour force (%)	RSE (%)	Proportion of population (%)	RSE (%)	Proportion of labour force (%)	RSE (%)
2002 (c)								
<i>Males</i>								
18–24	81.9	4.4	28.4	10.1	83.9	2.5	13.1	17.3
25–34	82.7	2.3	21.7	12.5	94.0	1.4	4.6	18.4
35–44	80.2	2.7	19.6	15.9	92.9	0.9	4.6	25.3
45–54	70.1	4.6	12.5	25.4	88.2	1.6	4.2	20.4
55–64	39.5	11.9	10.4	46.1	68.4	2.9	3.3	25.3
Total 18 to 64	76.5	1.8	20.9	7.0	86.9	0.8	5.6	10.7
AS total 18 to 64	62.0	2.2	19.0	7.5	75.5	0.8	5.4	10.6
<i>Females</i>								
18–24	54.9	6.9	32.0	14.5	80.7	2.3	11.9	21.1
25–34	53.6	4.2	20.8	14.8	72.9	1.7	6.8	17.4
35–44	59.8	4.5	15.8	17.2	75.9	1.9	4.0	14.6
45–54	50.2	6.1	11.4	30.0	75.6	2.0	4.6	18.9
55–64	34.9	15.6	0.3	106.3	43.4	4.1	1.7	51.4
Total 18 to 64	53.3	2.8	19.4	9.3	70.8	0.9	6.0	8.3
AS total 18 to 64	43.2	3.3	16.9	9.4	59.1	0.9	5.8	8.1
<i>Persons</i>								
18–24	68.0	4.3	29.9	9.4	82.3	1.7	12.6	14.0
25–34	67.3	2.2	21.3	9.4	83.5	1.2	5.6	9.9
35–44	69.4	2.4	17.9	12.3	84.4	0.9	4.3	17.0
45–54	59.8	3.9	12.0	24.0	81.9	1.2	4.4	14.4
55–64	37.0	10.9	5.3	46.7	56.0	2.4	2.7	21.4
Total 18 to 64	64.3	1.7	20.3	6.0	78.9	0.6	5.8	6.5
AS total 18 to 64	52.1	2.1	18.1	6.3	67.2	0.6	5.6	6.4

Table 3A.5.3

Table 3A.5.3 Labour force participation and unemployment, people aged 18 to 64 years (a)

	Indigenous				Non-Indigenous			
	Labour force participation		Unemployment		Labour force participation		Unemployment	
	Proportion of population (%)	RSE (%)	Proportion of labour force (%)	RSE (%)	Proportion of population (%)	RSE (%)	Proportion of labour force (%)	RSE (%)
2004-05								
<i>Males</i>								
18-24	76.6	3.4	21.4	14.1	85.0	2.0	8.1	14.9
25-34	83.3	2.6	12.4	17.7	94.7	0.7	4.3	17.6
35-44	80.7	2.8	8.6	20.3	93.5	0.9	2.6	17.5
45-54	68.5	4.8	7.4	40.2	90.1	1.0	2.2	18.3
55-64	30.9	14.0	4.5	84.1	66.9	2.6	3.3	22.6
Total 18 to 64	74.3	1.7	12.6	9.7	87.2	0.5	3.8	7.6
AS total 18 to 64	67.7	2.2	10.9	10.9	87.5	0.5	3.8	7.7
<i>Females</i>								
18-24	54.9	6.0	21.6	15.6	82.7	1.7	6.7	15.2
25-34	52.1	5.3	12.2	17.2	75.1	1.7	4.2	15.5
35-44	59.6	4.5	9.8	18.8	74.6	1.5	3.2	16.9
45-54	52.3	6.5	11.3	24.8	75.3	1.6	2.9	17.8
55-64	28.5	16.4	3.0	58.2	45.2	3.3	1.9	26.2
Total 18 to 64	52.6	3.1	13.2	8.9	71.1	0.9	3.8	6.7
AS total 18 to 64	49.3	3.7	11.5	9.4	71.4	0.9	3.9	6.7
<i>Persons</i>								
18-24	65.1	3.3	21.5	11.7	83.9	1.1	7.4	11.8
25-34	66.7	2.7	12.3	13.6	84.8	0.9	4.3	12.7
35-44	69.3	2.7	9.2	14.8	84.0	0.9	2.9	12.3
45-54	60.0	4.0	9.1	22.5	82.7	1.0	2.5	13.5
55-64	29.6	11.1	3.8	54.5	56.1	1.9	2.7	18.7
Total 18 to 64	62.7	1.8	12.8	7.4	79.1	0.5	3.8	5.5
AS total 18 to 64	57.9	2.3	11.2	7.9	79.4	0.5	3.8	5.5

Table 3A.5.3

Table 3A.5.3 Labour force participation and unemployment, people aged 18 to 64 years (a)

Indigenous				Non-Indigenous			
Labour force participation		Unemployment		Labour force participation		Unemployment	
Proportion of population (%)	RSE (%)	Proportion of labour force (%)	RSE (%)	Proportion of population (%)	RSE (%)	Proportion of labour force (%)	RSE (%)

AS=Age standardised. RSE=Relative standard error.

(a) Estimates with a relative standard error of between 25 per cent to 50 per cent should be used with caution. Estimates with a relative standard error greater than 50 per cent are considered too unreliable for general use.

(b) Indigenous data are from the ABS National Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Survey (NATSIS) 1994. Non-Indigenous data for 1994 are not available on a comparable basis with those for 2002 and 2004-05.

(c) Data are from the ABS National Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Social Survey and the ABS General Social Survey 2002.

na Not available.

Source : ABS *National Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Social Survey 2002*, Cat. no. 4717.0 (unpublished); ABS *General Social Survey 2002*, Cat. no. 4159.0 (unpublished); ABS *National Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Health Survey 2004-05*, Cat. no. 4715.0.55.005 (unpublished); ABS *National Health Survey 2004-05*, Cat. no. 4362.0 (unpublished).

Table 3A.5.4

Table 3A.5.4 Community Development Employment Project (CDEP) participation, Indigenous people aged 15 to 64 years, by remoteness, 2004-05 (a)

	<i>Unit</i>	<i>CDEP</i>	<i>Non-CDEP employed</i>	<i>Unemployed</i>	<i>Not in the labour force</i>	<i>Total population</i>
Major cities						
Estimate	'000	1.9	43.7	7.0	33.3	85.8
Proportion of population	%	2.2	50.9	8.1	38.7	100.0
RSE	%	20.5	4.9	13.3	5.8	—
Inner regional						
Estimate	'000	1.6	26.9	6.7	21.3	56.5
Proportion of population	%	2.8	47.6	11.9	37.7	100.0
RSE	%	25.8	6.1	11.1	6.3	—
Outer regional						
Estimate	'000	5.3	24.2	7.2	26.5	63.2
Proportion of population	%	8.4	38.4	11.4	41.9	100.0
RSE	%	16.8	7.5	16.5	6.7	—
Total regional						
Estimate	'000	6.9	51.1	13.9	47.8	119.7
Proportion of population	%	5.7	42.7	11.6	39.9	100.0
RSE	%	13.9	4.8	10.0	4.6	—
Total non-remote						
Estimate	'000	8.7	94.9	20.9	81.0	205.5
Proportion of population	%	4.3	46.2	10.2	39.4	100.0
RSE	%	11.7	3.4	7.9	3.6	—

Table 3A.5.4

Table 3A.5.4 Community Development Employment Project (CDEP) participation, Indigenous people aged 15 to 64 years, by remoteness, 2004-05 (a)

	Unit	CDEP	Non-CDEP employed	Unemployed	Not in the labour force	Total population
Remote						
Estimate	'000	3.0	8.8	1.9	9.3	23.0
Proportion of population	%	13.0	38.4	8.1	40.5	100.0
RSE	%	23.3	11.8	19.5	7.7	—
Very remote						
Estimate	'000	18.8	8.4	3.4	22.3	52.9
Proportion of population	%	35.6	15.8	6.4	42.1	100.0
RSE	%	7.1	13.3	14.8	5.7	—
Total remote						
Estimate	'000	21.8	17.2	5.3	31.6	75.9
Proportion of population	%	28.8	22.7	6.9	41.6	100.0
RSE	%	6.9	8.7	11.6	4.3	—
Total						
Estimate	'000	30.6	112.1	26.2	112.6	281.4
Proportion of population	%	10.9	39.8	9.3	40.0	100.0
RSE	%	6.0	3.2	6.9	2.8	—

RSE=Relative standard error.

(a) Estimates with a RSE of between 25 per cent to 50 per cent should be used with caution. Estimates with a RSE greater than 50 per cent are considered too unreliable for general use.

— Nil or rounded to zero (including null cells).

Source: ABS National Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Health Survey 2004-05, Cat. no. 4715.0.55.005 (unpublished).

Table 3A.5.5

Table 3A.5.5 Community Development Employment Project (CDEP) participation, Indigenous people aged 15 to 64 years, by State and Territory, age and sex, 2004-05 (a)

	<i>Unit</i>	<i>CDEP</i>	<i>Non-CDEP employed</i>	<i>Unemployed</i>	<i>Not in the labour force</i>	<i>Total population</i>
State/Territory						
NSW						
Estimate	'000	3.9	37.3	7.4	33.7	82.3
Proportion of population	%	4.8	45.3	9.0	40.9	100.0
RSE	%	21.3	6.1	14.3	6.1	—
Vic						
Estimate	'000	0.6	8.9	1.7	6.4	17.6
Proportion of population	%	3.7	50.7	9.5	36.2	100.0
RSE	%	26.8	7.8	16.9	9.5	—
Qld						
Estimate	'000	6.9	34.4	8.5	25.8	75.5
Proportion of population	%	9.2	45.5	11.2	34.1	100.0
RSE	%	14.9	6.4	13.4	7.1	—
WA						
Estimate	'000	8.3	11.8	3.8	16.3	40.3
Proportion of population	%	20.7	29.4	9.5	40.5	100.0
RSE	%	10.4	10.8	15.8	6.6	—
SA						
Estimate	'000	2.0	5.7	1.1	7.2	15.9
Proportion of population	%	12.5	35.7	6.9	45.0	100.0
RSE	%	14.4	9.3	19.0	6.6	—
Tas						
Estimate	'000	-	5.2	1.3	4.2	10.8
Proportion of population	%	0.4	48.5	12.0	39.2	100.0
RSE	%	75.3	6.4	14.3	7.1	—
ACT						
Estimate	'000	-	1.6	0.1	0.7	2.6
Proportion of population	%	0.7	64.5	5.8	29.0	100.0
RSE	%	103.3	6.3	31.6	15.1	—
NT						
Estimate	'000	8.7	7.1	2.3	18.3	36.3
Proportion of population	%	23.9	19.4	6.3	50.4	100.0
RSE	%	10.6	10.2	21.5	6.2	—
Total						
Estimate	'000	30.6	112.1	26.2	112.6	281.4
Proportion of population	%	10.9	39.8	9.3	40.0	100.0
RSE	%	6.0	3.2	6.9	2.8	—

Table 3A.5.5

Table 3A.5.5 Community Development Employment Project (CDEP) participation, Indigenous people aged 15 to 64 years, by State and Territory, age and sex, 2004-05 (a)

	<i>Unit</i>	<i>CDEP</i>	<i>Non-CDEP employed</i>	<i>Unemployed</i>	<i>Not in the labour force</i>	<i>Total population</i>
Age						
15-24						
Estimate	'000	8.1	29.0	14.3	40.7	92.1
Proportion of population	%	8.8	31.5	15.5	44.2	100.0
RSE	%	11.4	6.1	8.7	4.5	—
25-34						
Estimate	'000	9.9	30.9	5.7	23.2	69.8
Proportion of population	%	14.2	44.2	8.2	33.3	100.0
RSE	%	9.0	4.6	13.6	5.5	—
35-44						
Estimate	'000	7.6	29.6	3.8	18.1	59.1
Proportion of population	%	12.8	50.1	6.4	30.7	100.0
RSE	%	10.4	4.6	14.6	6.1	—
45-54						
Estimate	'000	3.8	17.8	2.2	15.8	39.6
Proportion of population	%	9.6	44.9	5.5	40.0	100.0
RSE	%	12.9	5.5	23.1	5.9	—
55-64						
Estimate	'000	1.1	4.8	0.2	14.7	20.9
Proportion of population	%	5.4	23.0	1.1	70.4	100.0
RSE	%	23.0	12.7	54.9	4.7	—
Total 15-64						
Estimate	'000	30.6	112.1	26.2	112.6	281.4
Proportion of population	%	10.9	39.8	9.3	40.0	100.0
RSE	%	6.0	3.2	6.9	2.8	—
Sex						
Males						
Estimate	'000	17.0	61.1	15.0	41.1	134.2
Proportion of population	%	12.7	45.5	11.2	30.6	100.0
RSE	%	7.5	3.5	9.4	4.6	—
Females						
Estimate	'000	13.5	51.0	11.2	71.5	147.2
Proportion of population	%	9.2	34.6	7.6	48.6	100.0
RSE	%	7.6	4.6	8.3	3.2	—
Total						
Estimate	'000	30.6	112.1	26.2	112.6	281.4
Proportion of population	%	10.9	39.8	9.3	40.0	100.0
RSE	%	6.0	3.2	6.9	2.8	—

Table 3A.5.5 Community Development Employment Project (CDEP) participation, Indigenous people aged 15 to 64 years, by State and Territory, age and sex, 2004-05 (a)

	<i>Unit</i>	<i>CDEP</i>	<i>Non-CDEP employed</i>	<i>Unemployed</i>	<i>Not in the labour force</i>	<i>Total population</i>
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RSE=Relative standard error.

(a) Estimates with a relative standard error of between 25 per cent to 50 per cent should be used with caution. Estimates with a relative standard error greater than 50 per cent are considered too unreliable for general use.

– Nil or rounded to zero (including null cells).

Source: ABS *National Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Health Survey 2004-05*, Cat. no. 4715.0.55.005 (unpublished).

Table 3A.5.6

Table 3A.5.6 Long term unemployment, people aged 15 to 64 years, by age and sex, 2004-05 (a)

	Indigenous			Non-Indigenous		
	Proportion of labour force (%)	RSE (%)	Proportion of total unemployed (%)	RSE (%)	Proportion of labour force (%)	Proportion of total unemployed (%)
Age						
15-24	6.5	18.3	23.4	17.4	1.1	11.6
25-34	3.9	22.5	31.4	21.7	0.7	16.2
35-44	5.1	21.9	55.1	12.7	0.8	26.4
45-54	6.0	31.2	65.6	17.7	1.2	48.2
55-64	1.0	54.7	26.9	97.3	1.1	39.6
Total 15 to 64	5.2	11.9	33.3	9.6	0.9	21.7
Sex (AS)						
Males	4.6	18.5	42.4	23.4	1.0	31.8
Females	4.8	18.6	41.3	24.9	0.9	21.3
Total	4.7	13.9	41.6	17.8	0.9	27.4
State/Territory (AS)						
NSW	6.6	24.3	na	na	1.1	na
Vic	3.9	44.6	na	na	1.1	na
Qld	3.9	36.1	na	na	0.6	na
WA	4.3	33.6	na	na	0.9	na
SA	4.1	45.1	na	na	0.9	na
Tas	3.7	34.8	na	na	1.8	na
NT(b)	5.3	31.7	na	na	na	na
ACT	1.2	86.1	na	na	0.5	na
Aust	4.7	13.9	na	na	0.9	na

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Table 3A.5.6 **Long term unemployment, people aged 15 to 64 years, by age and sex, 2004-05 (a)**

AS=Age standardised. RSE=Relative standard error.

- (a) Estimates with a relative standard error of between 25 per cent to 50 per cent should be used with caution. Estimates with a relative standard error greater than 50 per cent are considered too unreliable for general use.
- (b) The sample size in the NT was considered too small to produce reliable estimates for the NT in the ABS 2004-05 NHS, but NT records in the survey have been attributed appropriately to national estimates.
 - Nil or rounded to zero (including null cells); **na** Not available.

Source: *ABS National Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Health Survey 2004-05*, Cat. no. 4715.0.55.005 (unpublished); *ABS National Health Survey 2004-05*, Cat. no. 4362.0 (unpublished).

Table 3A.5.7

Table 3A.5.7 Labour force participation and unemployment, Indigenous people aged 15 to 64 years, by sex and remoteness, 2004-05 (a)

	<i>Labour force participation</i>		<i>Unemployment</i>	
	<i>Proportion of population (%)</i>	<i>RSE (%)</i>	<i>Proportion of labour force (%)</i>	<i>RSE (%)</i>
<i>Males</i>				
Major cities	71.3	4.5	12.7	20.5
Inner regional	71.5	4.4	19.2	14.9
Outer regional	68.1	4.3	22.0	20.2
Total non-remote	70.4	2.5	17.4	10.4
Remote	71.7	5.2	14.5	21.7
Very remote	64.6	6.0	11.3	19.7
Total remote	66.7	4.2	12.3	14.2
Total 15 to 64 (Non AS)	69.4	2.0	16.1	9.0
<i>Females</i>				
Major cities	52.9	5.9	14.0	16.1
Inner regional	52.7	7.1	19.0	16.9
Outer regional	48.7	7.4	16.5	19.7
Total non-remote	51.6	3.8	16.0	9.8
Remote	48.9	7.3	12.4	26.8
Very remote	51.8	4.6	10.9	17.8
Total remote	50.9	3.6	11.4	14.6
Total 15 to 64 (Non AS)	51.4	3.0	14.8	8.4
<i>Persons</i>				
Major cities	61.3	3.7	13.3	13.6
Inner regional	62.3	3.8	19.1	12.0
Outer regional	58.1	4.8	19.6	16.1
Total non-remote	60.6	2.3	16.8	7.9
Remote	59.5	5.3	13.6	20.6
Very remote	57.9	4.1	11.1	14.4
Total remote	58.4	3.1	11.9	11.4
Total 15 to 64 (Non AS)	60.0	1.9	15.5	6.8

AS=Age standardised. RSE=Relative standard error.

(a) Estimates with a relative standard error of between 25 per cent to 50 per cent should be used with caution. Estimates with a relative standard error greater than 50 per cent are considered too unreliable for general use.

Source: ABS *National Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Health Survey 2004-05*, Cat. no. 4715.0.55.005 (unpublished).

Table 3A.5.8

Table 3A.5.8 **Long term unemployment, Indigenous people aged 18 to 64 years, by sex and remoteness (a)**

	<i>Proportion of labour force (%)</i>	<i>RSE (%)</i>	<i>Proportion of total unemployed (%)</i>	<i>RSE (%)</i>
1994				
<i>Remoteness</i>				
Major cities	15.6	17.5	56.6	12.2
Inner regional	19.4	18.7	49.7	13.4
Outer regional	13.8	14.7	41.3	11.9
Total non-remote	15.9	9.2	49.2	7.4
Remote	8.6	29.2	35.3	15.5
Very remote	10.7	23.0	43.2	15.8
Total remote	10.1	17.8	41.0	12.2
<i>Sex</i>				
Males	16.4	8.7	51.3	6.9
Females	10.5	15.4	39.3	10.8
Total	14.2	7.6	47.2	6.0
2002				
<i>Remoteness</i>				
Major cities	4.7	25.2	22.4	23.2
Inner regional	7.8	22.4	29.6	20.1
Outer regional	8.4	17.2	30.5	15
Total non-remote	6.6	12.7	27.1	11.2
Remote	5	19.8	33.5	12.3
Very remote	2.7	25.7	40.1	19.3
Total remote	3.4	18.2	36.9	12.0
<i>Sex</i>				
Males	6.6	14.0	31.5	11.3
Females	4.6	16.9	23.8	15.9
Total	5.7	11.0	28.3	9.6
2004-05				
<i>Remoteness</i>				
Major cities	3.8	25.0	38.1	19.0
Inner regional	5.2	22.2	33.6	20.9
Outer regional	7.8	28.5	47.6	16.8
Total non-remote	5.4	15.1	40.0	11.2
Remote	4.9	27.3	38.5	19.0
Very remote	4.2	24.2	39.3	19.2
Total remote	4.4	18.4	39.1	14.0
<i>Sex</i>				
Males	5.0	16.4	39.7	13.0
Females	5.3	17.1	39.8	13.8
Total	5.1	12.3	39.7	9.2

Table 3A.5.8 Long term unemployment, Indigenous people aged 18 to 64 years, by sex and remoteness (a)

RSE=Relative standard error.

(a) Estimates with a relative standard error of between 25 per cent to 50 per cent should be used with caution. Estimates with a relative standard error greater than 50 per cent are considered too unreliable for general use.

– Nil or rounded to zero (including null cells); **na** Not available; **np** Not available for publication but included in total where applicable, unless otherwise indicated.

Source: ABS *National Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Social Survey 2002*, Cat. no. 4717.0 (unpublished); ABS *National Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Health Survey 2004-05*, Cat. no. 4715.0.55.005 (unpublished); ABS *National Health Survey 2004-05*, Cat. no. 4362.0 (unpublished).

Table 3A.5.9

Table 3A.5.9 Community Development Employment Project (CDEP) participation and labour force status, Indigenous people aged 18 to 64 years (a) (b)

	Males			Females			Persons		
	Estimate ('000)	Proportion (%)	RSE (%)	Estimate ('000)	Proportion (%)	RSE (%)	Estimate ('000)	Proportion (%)	RSE (%)
1994									
<i>Total population 18-64 years</i>									
CDEP	11.2	12.9	11.2	5.2	5.4	15.8	16.4	9.0	11.8
Non-CDEP	33.0	37.9	4.9	24.0	25.0	6.2	57.0	31.1	4.1
Unemployed	25.3	29.1	5.0	17.9	18.6	7.4	43.3	23.6	4.2
Total labour force	69.6	79.9	1.9	47.1	49.0	3.1	116.7	63.7	1.7
Not in labour force	17.5	20.1	7.5	49.0	51.0	3.0	66.5	36.3	3.1
<i>Labour force population</i>									
CDEP	11.2	16.1	11.0	5.2	11.0	15.7	16.4	14.1	11.6
Non-CDEP	33.0	47.5	4.0	24.0	50.9	5.3	57.0	48.9	3.4
Unemployed	44.3	63.6	3.0	29.2	61.9	4.1	73.4	62.9	2.5
Total labour force	25.3	36.4	5.3	17.9	38.1	6.6	43.3	37.1	4.2
Not in labour force	69.6	100.0	—	47.1	100.0	0.0	116.7	100.0	0.0
2002									
<i>Total population 18-64 years</i>									
CDEP	20.0	17.7	6.6	12.2	9.7	10.5	32.2	13.5	7.1
Non-CDEP	48.5	42.8	3.7	41.6	33.3	4.4	90.1	37.8	3.2
Unemployed	18.2	16.0	7.1	12.9	10.3	9.4	31.1	13.0	5.9
Total labour force	86.7	76.5	1.6	66.7	53.3	2.7	153.4	64.3	1.6
Not in labour force	26.7	23.5	5.3	58.5	46.7	3.1	85.1	35.7	2.9

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Table 3A.5.9 Community Development Employment Project (CDEP) participation and labour force status, Indigenous people aged 18 to 64 years (a) (b)

	Males			Females			Persons		
	Estimate ('000)	Proportion (%)	RSE (%)	Estimate ('000)	Proportion (%)	RSE (%)	Estimate ('000)	Proportion (%)	RSE (%)
<i>Labour force population</i>									
CDEP	20.0	23.1	6.4	12.2	18.2	10.0	32.2	21.0	6.9
Non-CDEP	48.5	55.9	3.1	41.6	62.4	3.5	90.1	58.8	2.6
Unemployed	68.5	79.1	1.9	53.8	80.6	2.2	122.3	79.7	1.5
Total labour force	18.2	20.9	7.0	12.9	19.4	9.3	31.1	20.3	6.0
Not in labour force	86.7	100.0	—	66.7	100.0	0.0	153.4	100.0	0.0
2004-05									
<i>Total population 18-64 years</i>									
CDEP	16.2	14.1	7.8	13.2	10.1	7.7	29.4	11.9	6.0
Non-CDEP	58.5	50.9	3.2	46.6	35.6	4.7	105.1	42.7	3.1
Unemployed	10.7	9.3	9.7	9.1	6.9	8.8	19.8	8.1	7.3
Total labour force	85.4	74.3	1.7	68.9	52.6	3.1	154.3	62.7	1.8
Not in labour force	29.6	25.7	5.0	62.1	47.4	3.4	91.7	37.3	3.1
<i>Labour force population</i>									
CDEP	16.2	19.0	7.7	13.2	19.2	7.8	29.4	19.0	6.1
Non-CDEP	58.5	68.5	2.6	46.6	67.6	2.7	105.1	68.1	2.1
Unemployed	74.7	87.4	1.4	59.8	86.8	1.4	134.5	87.2	1.1
Total labour force	10.7	12.6	9.7	9.1	13.2	8.9	19.8	12.8	7.4
Not in labour force	85.4	100.0	—	68.9	100.0	0.0	154.3	100.0	0.0

(a) Data are not age standardised.

(b) The ABS advise that CDEP participation data for 1994 and 2002 are not directly comparable with 2004-05 data as different interview questions were used in the 2005 NATSIHS.

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Table 3A.5.9

Table 3A.5.9 **Community Development Employment Project (CDEP) participation and labour force status, Indigenous people aged 18 to 64 years (a) (b)**

Males			Females			Persons		
Estimate (‘000)	Proportion (%)	RSE (%)	Estimate (‘000)	Proportion (%)	RSE (%)	Estimate (‘000)	Proportion (%)	RSE (%)

– Nil or rounded to zero.

Source : ABS National Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Health Survey 2004-05 (NATSIHS), Cat. no. 4715.0.55.005 (unpublished); ABS National Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Social Survey 2002 (NATSISS) (unpublished); National and Torres Strait Islander Survey 1994 (NATSISS) (unpublished).

Table 3A.6.1

Table 3A.6.1 **Median equivalised gross weekly household cash income, people aged 18 years and over (a)**

	<i>Indigenous</i>		<i>Non-Indigenous</i>	
	<i>Estimate</i>	<i>RSE</i>	<i>Estimate</i>	<i>RSE</i>
	<i>\$/week</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>\$/week</i>	<i>%</i>
2002				
<i>State/Territory</i>				
NSW	300	5.8	579	2.0
Vic	335	6.6	537	1.6
Qld	295	4.7	501	3.3
WA	288	4.0	539	3.1
SA	295	3.8	489	1.8
Tas	319	5.3	424	2.6
ACT	551	10.0	777	2.4
NT	266	2.1	701	2.5
Aust	293	2.2	538	1.0
<i>Remoteness</i>				
Major cities	357	7.4	577	1.3
Regional	279	2.5	448	2.4
Remote	284	1.9	590	13.4
Australia	293	2.2	538	1.0
2004-05				
<i>State/Territory</i>				
NSW	360	7.4	643	2.1
Vic	371	12.9	592	1.7
Qld	385	4.8	610	2.1
WA	308	3.9	627	2.7
SA	313	5.6	575	2.0
Tas	348	5.7	516	3.0
ACT	642	11.6	895	3.2
NT	283	2.2	np	np
Aust	340	2.5	618	1.0
<i>Remoteness</i>				
Major cities	400	6.2	664	1.0
Regional	344	3.8	524	1.6
Remote	301	2.2	np	np
Australia	340	2.5	618	1.0

RSE=Relative standard error.

(a) Estimates with a relative standard error of between 25 per cent to 50 per cent should be used with caution. Estimates with a relative standard error greater than 50 per cent are considered too unreliable for general use.

np Not available for publication but included in total where applicable, unless otherwise indicated.

Source: ABS *National Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Health Survey 2004-05*, Cat. no. 4715.0.55.005 (unpublished); ABS *National Health Survey 2004-5; Summary of Results*, Cat. no. 4362.0 (unpublished).

Table 3A.6.2

Table 3A.6.2 Median and mean equivalised gross weekly household income, Indigenous people aged 18 years or over (2004-05 dollars) (a) (b)

	<i>Median</i>		<i>Mean</i>	
	<i>Estimate</i>	<i>RSE</i>	<i>Estimate</i>	<i>RSE</i>
	<i>\$/week</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>\$/week</i>	<i>%</i>
1994	321	16.0	393	2.2
2002	308	2.2	414	2.1
2004-05	340	2.5	454	2.4

RSE=Relative standard error.

(a) Estimates with a relative standard error of between 25 per cent to 50 per cent should be used with caution. Estimates with a relative standard error greater than 50 per cent are considered too unreliable for general use.

(b) Adjusted for inflation using the Consumer Price Index for the June quarter 1994 and the December quarter 2002 and 2004-05.

Source: ABS 1994 NATSIS (unpublished); ABS 2002 NATSISS (unpublished); ABS *National Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Health Survey 2004-05*, Cat. No. 4715.0.55.005 (unpublished).

Table 3A.6.3

Table 3A.6.3 **Equivalised gross weekly household income quintiles, people aged 18 years or over, by State and Territory, 2004-05 (a) (b)**

	<i>Indigenous</i>			<i>Non-Indigenous</i>		
	<i>Estimate</i>	<i>Proportion</i>	<i>RSE</i>	<i>Estimate</i>	<i>Proportion</i>	<i>RSE</i>
	'000	%	%	'000	%	%
NSW						
Lowest quintile	25.4	39.6	8.0	817.4	19.7	3.6
2nd quintile	14.8	23.0	10.2	729.4	17.6	3.6
3rd quintile	11.3	17.6	13.8	714.3	17.2	4.0
4th quintile	8.1	12.6	16.4	840.0	20.2	3.3
Highest quintile	4.6	7.1	23.2	1047.8	25.3	4.1
Total stated (c)	64.1	100.0	—	4149.0	100.0	—
Total stated (d)	64.1	85.5	2.5	4149.0	83.5	1.0
Not stated	10.6	14.2	15.0	801.8	16.1	5.0
Total (e)	75.0	100.0	—	4970.2	100.0	—
Vic						
Lowest quintile	5.3	38.4	12.8	623.5	20.8	3.2
2nd quintile	3.0	21.7	18.6	556.4	18.5	4.6
3rd quintile	3.0	22.0	28.2	580.0	19.3	4.5
4th quintile	1.5	11.0	26.1	599.9	20.0	4.3
Highest quintile	1.0	7.0	26.5	640.0	21.3	5.1
Total stated (c)	13.8	100.0	—	2999.8	100.0	—
Total stated (d)	13.8	83.6	2.9	2999.8	79.8	1.3
Not stated	2.7	16.3	14.5	740.6	19.7	5.5
Total (e)	16.5	100.0	—	3758.0	100.0	—
Qld						
Lowest quintile	21.3	35.0	8.3	462.3	19.6	4.3
2nd quintile	16.7	27.5	8.8	447.6	19.0	4.0
3rd quintile	12.0	19.8	10.0	461.4	19.6	4.0
4th quintile	6.8	11.2	17.0	503.9	21.4	4.2
Highest quintile	3.9	6.4	25.1	482.8	20.5	4.7
Total stated (c)	60.8	100.0	—	2358.0	100.0	—
Total stated (d)	60.8	86.0	2.6	2358.0	84.5	1.1
Not stated	9.8	13.9	15.8	421.2	15.1	6.0
Total (e)	70.6	100.0	—	2790.8	100.0	—

Table 3A.6.3

Table 3A.6.3 **Equivalised gross weekly household income quintiles, people aged 18 years or over, by State and Territory, 2004-05 (a) (b)**

	<i>Indigenous</i>			<i>Non-Indigenous</i>		
	<i>Estimate</i>	<i>Proportion</i>	<i>RSE</i>	<i>Estimate</i>	<i>Proportion</i>	<i>RSE</i>
WA						
Lowest quintile	14.0	45.0	9.3	215.1	18.3	6.5
2nd quintile	8.7	28.0	11.2	228.3	19.4	5.4
3rd quintile	4.4	14.1	16.5	226.1	19.2	5.3
4th quintile	2.7	8.8	31.3	256.0	21.7	4.4
Highest quintile	1.3	4.1	27.4	252.7	21.4	5.6
Total stated (c)	31.1	100.0	—	1178.3	100.0	—
Total stated (d)	31.1	85.0	2.4	1178.3	83.1	1.4
Not stated	5.4	14.8	13.7	231.6	16.3	7.2
Total (e)	36.5	100.0	—	1418.5	100.0	—
SA						
Lowest quintile	5.3	46.1	8.5	193.0	20.8	4.1
2nd quintile	2.6	22.9	11.6	187.9	20.3	4.5
3rd quintile	1.4	12.2	15.7	172.6	18.6	4.0
4th quintile	1.5	12.9	27.1	191.9	20.7	4.8
Highest quintile	0.7	5.9	33.6	181.8	19.6	4.9
Total stated (c)	11.4	100.0	—	927.2	100.0	—
Total stated (d)	11.4	78.9	4.0	927.2	81.4	1.1
Not stated	3.0	20.9	14.9	207.9	18.3	5.0
Total (e)	14.5	100.0	—	1138.9	100.0	—
Tas						
Lowest quintile	3.2	37.1	9.1	70.7	22.2	4.4
2nd quintile	2.8	31.7	10.1	76.6	24.1	5.6
3rd quintile	1.6	18.9	14.3	62.1	19.5	5.2
4th quintile	0.8	9.3	18.6	61.9	19.5	5.7
Highest quintile	0.3	3.0	31.7	47.0	14.8	7.8
Total stated (c)	8.7	100.0	—	318.2	100.0	—
Total stated (d)	8.7	92.3	2.1	318.2	91.7	0.8
Not stated	0.7	7.7	24.9	28.2	8.1	9.3
Total (e)	9.5	100.0	—	347.1	100.0	—
ACT						
Lowest quintile	0.5	20.9	22.9	21.2	9.9	9.5
2nd quintile	0.3	14.2	26.3	19.5	9.2	11.8
3rd quintile	0.4	17.5	22.9	31.6	14.8	7.4
4th quintile	0.4	18.2	21.6	50.4	23.6	7.0
Highest quintile	0.6	29.2	16.2	90.8	42.5	4.5
Total stated (c)	2.2	100.0	—	213.5	100.0	—
Total stated (d)	2.2	95.9	2.3	213.5	89.0	1.4
Not stated	0.1	4.1	53.9	25.6	10.7	11.6
Total (e)	2.3	100.0	—	239.9	100.0	—

Table 3A.6.3

Table 3A.6.3 **Equivalised gross weekly household income quintiles, people aged 18 years or over, by State and Territory, 2004-05 (a) (b)**

	<i>Indigenous</i>			<i>Non-Indigenous</i>		
	<i>Estimate</i>	<i>Proportion</i>	<i>RSE</i>	<i>Estimate</i>	<i>Proportion</i>	<i>RSE</i>
NT						
Lowest quintile	13.3	53.8	5.8	np	np	np
2nd quintile	7.4	30.0	9.4	np	np	np
3rd quintile	1.7	6.8	18.0	np	np	np
4th quintile	1.7	6.9	25.3	np	np	np
Highest quintile	0.6	2.5	27.8	np	np	np
Total stated (c)	24.7	100.0	–	np	np	np
Total stated (d)	24.7	74.0	5.3	np	np	np
Not stated	8.6	25.9	15.3	np	np	np
Total (e)	33.4	100.0	–	np	np	np
Australia						
Lowest quintile	88.2	40.7	3.4	2409.6	19.7	1.7
2nd quintile	56.3	26.0	4.3	2251.2	18.4	1.9
3rd quintile	35.8	16.5	6.6	2271.8	18.6	2.1
4th quintile	23.5	10.8	9.1	2527.3	20.7	1.7
Highest quintile	12.9	6.0	11.7	2764.6	22.6	2.3
Total stated (c)	216.8	100.0	–	12224.6	100.0	–
Total stated (d)	216.8	83.9	1.3	12224.6	82.9	0.5
Not stated	41.1	15.9	6.7	2466.2	16.7	2.6
Total (e)	258.3	100.0	–	14753.3	100.0	–

RSE=Relative standard error.

(a) Estimates with a relative standard error of between 25 per cent to 50 per cent should be used with caution. Estimates with a relative standard error greater than 50 per cent are considered too unreliable for general use.

(b) Equivalised household income quintile boundaries for the total population as derived from the 2004-05 NHS are: lowest quintile less than \$295 per week; second quintile \$295–\$478 per week; third quintile \$479–\$688 per week; fourth quintile \$689–\$996 per week; highest quintile \$997 or more per week. These have been applied to both the Indigenous and non-Indigenous populations.

(c) Comprises persons living in households where household income was stated. Note that equivalised gross weekly household income quintiles are calculated as a proportion of households with stated household income.

(d) Total with household income stated shown as a proportion of the total.

(e) Includes people who reported no source of income.

– Nil or rounded to zero (including null cells); **np** Not available for publication but included in total where applicable, unless otherwise indicated.

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Table 3A.6.4

Table 3A.6.4 **Equivalised gross weekly household income quintiles, people aged 18 years or over, by remoteness, 2004-05 (a) (b)**

	<i>Indigenous</i>			<i>Non-Indigenous</i>		
	<i>Estimate</i>	<i>Proportion</i>	<i>RSE</i>	<i>Estimate</i>	<i>Proportion</i>	<i>RSE</i>
	'000	%	%	'000	%	%
Major cities						
Lowest quintile	22.5	34.4	7.4	1467.0	17.9	2.5
2nd quintile	14.6	22.3	9.5	1363.9	16.6	2.8
3rd quintile	14.6	22.3	11.8	1475.3	18.0	2.7
4th quintile	9.0	13.7	13.8	1781.4	21.7	2.0
Highest quintile	4.8	7.3	16.6	2115.5	25.8	2.6
Total stated (c)	65.6	100.0	—	8203.2	100.0	—
Total stated (d)	65.6	83.3	2.4	8203.2	81.0	0.7
Not stated	12.8	16.3	12.4	1872.8	18.5	3.1
Total (e)	78.7	100.0	—	10124.7	100.0	—
Regional						
Lowest quintile	38.5	41.4	5.3	910.3	23.5	2.7
2nd quintile	22.6	24.3	7.2	862.5	22.3	2.6
3rd quintile	15.2	16.3	9.0	773.7	20.0	3.1
4th quintile	10.8	11.6	13.2	708.0	18.3	2.8
Highest quintile	5.9	6.4	20.1	612.9	15.8	4.4
Total stated (c)	93.0	100.0	—	3867.4	100.0	—
Total stated (d)	93.0	87.0	1.7	3867.4	86.9	0.8
Not stated	13.8	12.9	11.1	567.0	12.7	5.8
Total (e)	106.8	100.0	—	4448.2	100.0	—
Total non-remote						
Lowest quintile	61.0	38.5	4.4	2377.3	19.7	1.6
2nd quintile	37.2	23.5	5.8	2226.5	18.4	1.9
3rd quintile	29.8	18.8	7.4	2249.0	18.6	2.2
4th quintile	19.7	12.5	9.7	2489.5	20.6	1.7
Highest quintile	10.7	6.8	13.2	2728.4	22.6	2.3
Total stated (c)	158.5	100.0	—	12070.6	100.0	—
Total stated (d)	158.5	85.4	1.4	12070.6	82.8	0.5
Not stated	26.6	14.4	8.2	2439.8	16.7	2.6
Total (e)	185.5	100.0	—	14572.9	100.0	—

Table 3A.6.4

Table 3A.6.4 **Equivalised gross weekly household income quintiles, people aged 18 years or over, by remoteness, 2004-05 (a) (b)**

	<i>Indigenous</i>			<i>Non-Indigenous</i>		
	<i>Estimate</i>	<i>Proportion</i>	<i>RSE</i>	<i>Estimate</i>	<i>Proportion</i>	<i>RSE</i>
Remote						
Lowest quintile	7.6	40.5	11.1	32.3	21.0	17.4
2nd quintile	4.8	25.6	14.4	24.8	16.1	22.2
3rd quintile	2.4	12.9	19.1	22.8	14.8	15.4
4th quintile	2.5	13.0	32.6	37.9	24.6	17.3
Highest quintile	1.5	8.0	30.9	36.2	23.5	19.7
Total stated (c)	18.9	100.0	—	153.9	100.0	—
Total stated (d)	18.9	85.5	4.1	153.9	85.4	3.8
Not stated	3.2	14.3	24.5	26.4	14.6	22.4
Total (e)	22.1	100.0	—	180.3	100.0	—
Very remote						
Lowest quintile	19.5	49.6	5.8	na	na	na
2nd quintile	14	36.2	6.0	na	na	na
3rd quintile	3.6	9.1	15.8	na	na	na
4th quintile	1.3	3.3	24.9	na	na	na
Highest quintile	0.7	1.8	40.9	na	na	na
Total stated (c)	39.4	100.0	—	na	na	na
Total stated (d)	39.4	77.7	3.9	na	na	na
Not stated	11.3	22.3	13.5	na	na	na
Total (e)	50.7	100.0	—	na	na	na
Total remote						
Lowest quintile	27.2	46.6	5.4	..	..	..
2nd quintile	19.1	32.8	5.7	..	..	..
3rd quintile	6.0	10.3	11.7	..	..	..
4th quintile	3.8	6.5	25.6	..	..	..
Highest quintile	2.2	3.8	24.8	..	..	..
Total stated (c)	58.3	100.0	—	..	..	..
Total stated (d)	58.3	80.1	2.9	..	..	..
Not stated	14.4	19.8	11.9	..	..	..
Total (e)	72.8	100.0	—	..	..	..
Australia						
Lowest quintile	88.2	40.7	3.4	2409.6	19.7	1.7
2nd quintile	56.3	26.0	4.3	2251.2	18.4	1.9
3rd quintile	35.8	16.5	6.6	2271.8	18.6	2.1
4th quintile	23.5	10.8	9.1	2527.3	20.7	1.7
Highest quintile	12.9	6.0	11.7	2764.6	22.6	2.3
Total stated (c)	216.8	100.0	—	12224.6	100.0	—
Total stated (d)	216.8	83.9	1.3	12224.6	82.9	0.5
Not stated	41.1	15.9	6.7	2466.2	16.7	2.6
Total (e)	258.3	100.0	—	14753.3	100.0	—

Table 3A.6.4 Equivalised gross weekly household income quintiles, people aged 18 years or over, by remoteness, 2004-05 (a) (b)

	<i>Indigenous</i>			<i>Non-Indigenous</i>		
	<i>Estimate</i>	<i>Proportion</i>	<i>RSE</i>	<i>Estimate</i>	<i>Proportion</i>	<i>RSE</i>

RSE=Relative standard error.

- (a) Estimates with a relative standard error of between 25 per cent to 50 per cent should be used with caution. Estimates with a relative standard error greater than 50 per cent are considered too unreliable for general use.
- (b) Equivalised household Income quintile boundaries for the total population as derived from the 2004-05 NHS are: lowest quintile less than \$295 per week; second quintile \$295–\$478 per week; third quintile \$479–\$688 per week; fourth quintile \$689–\$996 per week; highest quintile \$997 or more per week. These have been applied to both the Indigenous and non-Indigenous populations.
- (c) Comprises persons living in households where household income was stated. Note that equivalised gross weekly household income quintiles are calculated as a proportion of households with stated household income.
- (d) Total with household income stated shown as a proportion of the total.
- (e) Includes people who reported no source of income.

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Table 3A.6.5

Table 3A.6.5 **Median of personal gross weekly income, people 18 years or over, 2004-05 (a)**

	Indigenous		Non-Indigenous	
	<i>Estimate</i>	<i>RSE</i>	<i>Estimate</i>	<i>RSE</i>
	<i>\$/week</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>\$/week</i>	<i>%</i>
Sex				
Males	345	8.5	690	1.1
Females	310	2.5	384	1.4
All persons	320	3.6	518	1.7
Age group (years)				
18-24	275	5.9	420	3.6
25-34	388	4.6	700	1.5
35-44	400	5.7	690	1.4
45-54	300	7.8	711	2.2
55-64	225	1.8	450	4.3
65+	215	3.0	235	0.2
18+	320	3.6	518	1.7
State/Territory				
NSW	350	7.3	541	3.2
Vic	354	7.2	500	2.9
Qld	350	6.3	500	2.2
WA	250	6.6	518	3.0
SA	300	8.5	497	2.0
Tas	331	6.7	400	4.8
ACT	641	10.6	767	2.8
NT	238	5.6	np	np
Aust	320	3.6	518	1.7
Remoteness				
Major cities	360	6.9	560	1.6
Regional	350	4.4	447	2.6
Remote	249	3.6	np	np
Australia	320	3.6	518	1.7

RSE=Relative standard error.

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Table 3A.6.6

Table 3A.6.6 **Personal gross weekly income quintiles, people aged 18 years and over, by remoteness, 2004-05 (a) (b)**

	<i>Indigenous</i>			<i>Non-Indigenous</i>		
	<i>Estimate</i>	<i>Proportion</i>	<i>RSE</i>	<i>Estimate</i>	<i>Proportion</i>	<i>RSE</i>
	'000	%	%	'000	%	%
Major cities						
Lowest quintile	14.2	19.3	9.3	1457.4	16.5	2.8
2nd quintile	21.4	29	6.9	1716.3	19.5	2.7
3rd quintile	18.2	24.6	8.8	1705.7	19.3	2.4
4th quintile	12.2	16.6	10.3	1777.5	20.2	2.6
Highest quintile	7.7	10.4	16.2	2159.6	24.5	2.4
Total stated (c)	73.6	100.0	—	8816.4	100.0	—
Total stated (d)	73.6	93.6	1.1	8816.4	87.1	0.5
Not stated	3.1	4.0	19.1	873.9	8.6	4.1
Total (e)	78.7	100.0	—	10124.7	100.0	—
Regional						
Lowest quintile	20.2	20.2	6.2	744.1	18.6	3.7
2nd quintile	32.6	32.6	5.2	980.4	24.5	2.6
3rd quintile	26.9	26.8	5.8	883.4	22.1	2.8
4th quintile	13.2	13.1	8.0	669.7	16.7	3.7
Highest quintile	7.3	7.3	14.8	725.6	18.1	3.0
Total stated (c)	100.1	100.0	—	4003.2	100.0	—
Total stated (d)	100.1	93.8	0.9	4003.2	90.0	0.6
Not stated	2.9	2.7	17.5	305.4	6.9	7.7
Total (e)	106.8	100.0	—	4448.2	100.0	—
Total non-remote						
Lowest quintile	34.5	19.8	5.2	2201.5	17.2	2.1
2nd quintile	54.0	31.1	4.0	2696.7	21.0	2.0
3rd quintile	45.0	25.9	4.9	2589.0	20.2	1.7
4th quintile	25.4	14.6	6.4	2447.2	19.1	2.0
Highest quintile	14.9	8.6	10.6	2885.2	22.5	1.9
Total stated (c)	173.8	100.0	—	12819.7	100.0	—
Total stated (d)	173.8	93.7	0.7	12819.7	88.0	0.3
Not stated	6.0	3.2	12.4	1179.2	8.1	3.3
Total (e)	185.5	100.0	—	14572.9	100.0	—

Table 3A.6.6

Table 3A.6.6 **Personal gross weekly income quintiles, people aged 18 years and over, by remoteness, 2004-05 (a) (b)**

	<i>Indigenous</i>			<i>Non-Indigenous</i>		
	<i>Estimate</i>	<i>Proportion</i>	<i>RSE</i>	<i>Estimate</i>	<i>Proportion</i>	<i>RSE</i>
	'000	%	%	'000	%	%
Remote						
Lowest quintile	4.8	23.3	9.1	33.2	20.3	15.3
2nd quintile	6.6	31.8	9.3	21.7	13.3	18.4
3rd quintile	4.7	22.4	11.9	39.6	24.2	12.9
4th quintile	2.5	12.2	18.4	35.6	21.7	16.5
Highest quintile	2.1	10.3	23.6	33.6	20.5	16.0
Total stated (c)	20.8	100.0	—	163.8	100.0	—
Total stated (d)	20.8	93.9	1.8	163.8	90.8	3.3
Not stated	0.8	3.8	43.6	11.5	6.4	39.2
Total (e)	22.1	100.0	—	180.3	100.0	—
Very remote						
Lowest quintile	13.1	27.7	7.6	na	na	na
2nd quintile	20.1	42.3	5.3	na	na	na
3rd quintile	10.2	21.5	8.2	na	na	na
4th quintile	2.8	5.9	13.7	na	na	na
Highest quintile	1.2	2.6	29.5	na	na	na
Total stated (c)	47.4	100.0	—	na	na	na
Total stated (d)	47.4	93.5	1.2	na	na	na
Not stated	1.9	3.8	20.5	na	na	na
Total (e)	50.7	100.0	—	na	na	na
Total remote						
Lowest quintile	18.0	26.3	6.0	..	..	..
2nd quintile	26.7	39.1	4.7	..	..	..
3rd quintile	14.9	21.8	6.7	..	..	..
4th quintile	5.3	7.8	11.3	..	..	..
Highest quintile	3.3	4.9	19.5	..	..	..
Total stated (c)	68.1	100.0	—	..	..	..
Total stated (d)	68.1	93.6	1.0	..	..	..
Not stated	2.8	3.8	19.8	..	..	..
Total (e)	72.8	100.0	—	..	..	..
Australia						
Lowest quintile	52.4	21.7	4.0	2234.7	17.2	2.1
2nd quintile	80.6	33.3	3.1	2718.4	20.9	2.1
3rd quintile	59.9	24.7	4.1	2628.7	20.2	1.7
4th quintile	30.7	12.7	5.7	2482.8	19.1	2.0
Highest quintile	18.3	7.5	9.9	2918.8	22.5	1.8
Total stated (c)	241.9	100.0	—	12983.5	100.0	—
Total stated (d)	241.9	93.7	0.5	12983.5	88.0	0.3
Not stated	8.8	3.4	10.0	1190.7	8.1	3.2
Total (e)	258.3	100.0	—	14753.3	100.0	—

Table 3A.6.6

Table 3A.6.6 **Personal gross weekly income quintiles, people aged 18 years and over, by remoteness, 2004-05 (a) (b)**

<i>Indigenous</i>			<i>Non-Indigenous</i>		
<i>Estimate</i>	<i>Proportion</i>	<i>RSE</i>	<i>Estimate</i>	<i>Proportion</i>	<i>RSE</i>
'000	%	%	'000	%	%

RSE=Relative standard error.

- (a) Estimates with a relative standard error of between 25 per cent to 50 per cent should be used with caution. Estimates with a relative standard error greater than 50 per cent are considered too unreliable for general use.
- (b) Equivalised household Income quintile boundaries for the total population as derived from the 2004-05 NHS are: lowest quintile less than \$295 per week; second quintile \$295–\$478 per week; third quintile \$479–\$688 per week; fourth quintile \$689–\$996 per week; highest quintile \$997 or more per week. These have been applied to both the Indigenous and non-Indigenous populations.
- (c) Comprises persons where personal income was stated. Note that gross weekly personal income quintiles are calculated as a proportion of persons with stated personal income.
- (d) Total with personal income stated shown as a proportion of the total.
- (e) Includes people who reported no source of income.
- Nil or rounded to zero (including null cells); .. Not applicable; **na** Not available.

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Table 3A.6.7

Table 3A.6.7 **Personal gross weekly income quintiles, people aged 18 years and over, by State and Territory, 2004-05 (a) (b)**

	<i>Indigenous</i>			<i>Non-Indigenous</i>		
	<i>Estimate</i>	<i>Proportion</i>	<i>RSE</i>	<i>Estimate</i>	<i>Proportion</i>	<i>RSE</i>
	'000	%	%	'000	%	%
NSW						
Lowest quintile	12.4	17.7	10.1	765.0	17.6	4.9
2nd quintile	23.5	33.5	7.6	863.0	19.9	4.3
3rd quintile	16.9	24.1	9.0	806.3	18.6	3.9
4th quintile	9.7	13.7	12.2	825.7	19.0	3.7
Highest quintile	7.7	11.0	18.2	1076.6	24.8	3.3
Total stated (c)	70.2	100.0	—	4336.6	100.0	—
Total stated (d)	70.2	93.6	1.2	4336.6	87.3	0.7
Not stated	2.5	3.3	25.5	412.1	8.3	6.1
Total (e)	75.0	100.0	—	4970.2	100.0	—
Vic						
Lowest quintile	3.2	20.7	15.2	607.8	18.5	4.2
2nd quintile	4.3	28.1	9.2	674.3	20.5	4.1
3rd quintile	4.9	31.9	16.2	685.8	20.9	3.9
4th quintile	2.1	13.6	16.1	638.2	19.4	3.9
Highest quintile	0.9	5.8	23.2	677.5	20.6	3.9
Total stated (c)	15.4	100.0	—	3283.7	100.0	—
Total stated (d)	15.4	93.0	1.6	3283.7	87.4	0.8
Not stated	0.9	5.6	24.7	337.9	9.0	6.7
Total (e)	16.5	100.0	—	3758.0	100.0	—
Qld						
Lowest quintile	14.7	22.0	8.0	403.8	16.2	4.5
2nd quintile	19.0	28.5	6.6	564.0	22.6	3.2
3rd quintile	18.8	28.2	6.7	537.3	21.5	3.9
4th quintile	9.5	14.2	11.1	473.8	19.0	4.0
Highest quintile	4.7	7.1	18.0	515.7	20.7	4.4
Total stated (c)	66.8	100.0	—	2494.6	100.0	—
Total stated (d)	66.8	94.6	1.1	2494.6	89.4	0.7
Not stated	1.5	2.1	28.2	202.2	7.2	7.5
Total (e)	70.6	100.0	—	2790.8	100.0	—

Table 3A.6.7

Table 3A.6.7 **Personal gross weekly income quintiles, people aged 18 years and over, by State and Territory, 2004-05 (a) (b)**

	<i>Indigenous</i>			<i>Non-Indigenous</i>		
	<i>Estimate</i>	<i>Proportion</i>	<i>RSE</i>	<i>Estimate</i>	<i>Proportion</i>	<i>RSE</i>
	'000	%	%	'000	%	%
WA						
Lowest quintile	6.8	20.1	8.6	204.0	16.6	6.9
2nd quintile	14.4	42.4	6.6	254.3	20.7	5.0
3rd quintile	7.7	22.6	10.6	263.0	21.4	5.0
4th quintile	3.4	9.9	15.6	217.4	17.7	5.9
Highest quintile	1.7	5.1	26.2	290.0	23.6	4.9
Total stated (c)	34.1	100.0	—	1228.8	100.0	—
Total stated (d)	34.1	93.2	1.5	1228.8	86.6	1.1
Not stated	1.2	3.4	24.2	116.3	8.2	8.0
Total (e)	36.5	100.0	—	1418.5	100.0	—
SA						
Lowest quintile	3.2	23.9	10.5	156.6	15.5	5.6
2nd quintile	4.7	34.7	7.3	243.6	24.1	3.2
3rd quintile	2.6	19.2	10.0	217.3	21.5	3.6
4th quintile	2.1	15.9	15.0	195.3	19.3	4.5
Highest quintile	0.8	6.3	27.1	198.7	19.6	4.4
Total stated (c)	13.4	100.0	—	1011.3	100.0	—
Total stated (d)	13.4	92.9	1.6	1011.3	88.8	0.9
Not stated	0.8	5.7	24.8	93.6	8.2	7.9
Total (e)	14.5	100.0	—	1138.9	100.0	—
Tas						
Lowest quintile	1.8	19.4	12.3	59.6	18.4	6.1
2nd quintile	3.1	34.1	9.2	85.4	26.3	4.8
3rd quintile	2.2	24.6	11.9	69.4	21.4	4.7
4th quintile	1.6	17.2	13.7	56.1	17.3	5.6
Highest quintile	0.4	4.7	23.5	53.7	16.6	6.8
Total stated (c)	9.1	100.0	—	324.2	100.0	—
Total stated (d)	9.1	95.9	1.1	324.2	93.4	0.7
Not stated	0.1	1.2	44.0	13.4	3.9	12.4
Total (e)	9.5	100.0	—	347.1	100.0	—

Table 3A.6.7

Table 3A.6.7 **Personal gross weekly income quintiles, people aged 18 years and over, by State and Territory, 2004-05 (a) (b)**

	<i>Indigenous</i>			<i>Non-Indigenous</i>		
	<i>Estimate</i>	<i>Proportion</i>	<i>RSE</i>	<i>Estimate</i>	<i>Proportion</i>	<i>RSE</i>
	'000	%	%	'000	%	%
ACT						
Lowest quintile	0.3	12.0	24.6	27.5	12.3	7.2
2nd quintile	0.4	18.9	18.2	30.1	13.4	8.2
3rd quintile	0.4	18.5	16.4	36.1	16.1	7.3
4th quintile	0.5	21.1	17.3	42.7	19.0	7.2
Highest quintile	0.7	29.5	12.1	88.0	39.2	3.7
Total stated (c)	2.2	100.0	—	224.4	100.0	—
Total stated (d)	2.2	97.0	1.5	224.4	93.5	0.7
Not stated	—	—	—	9.2	3.8	17.2
Total (e)	2.3	100.0	—	239.9	100.0	—
NT						
Lowest quintile	10.1	32.8	8.6	np	np	np
2nd quintile	11.2	36.3	7.5	np	np	np
3rd quintile	6.3	20.5	10.2	np	np	np
4th quintile	2.0	6.4	16.8	np	np	np
Highest quintile	1.2	4.1	18.0	np	np	np
Total stated (c)	30.7	100.0	—	np	np	np
Total stated (d)	30.7	92.1	1.6	np	np	np
Not stated	1.7	5.0	24.1	np	np	np
Total (e)	33.4	100.0	—	np	np	np
Australia						
Lowest quintile	52.4	21.7	4.0	2234.7	17.2	2.1
2nd quintile	80.6	33.3	3.1	2718.4	20.9	2.1
3rd quintile	59.9	24.7	4.1	2628.7	20.2	1.7
4th quintile	30.7	12.7	5.7	2482.8	19.1	2.0
Highest quintile	18.3	7.5	9.9	2918.8	22.5	1.8
Total stated (c)	241.9	100.0	—	12983.5	100.0	—
Total stated (d)	241.9	93.7	0.5	12983.5	88.0	0.3
Not stated	8.8	3.4	10.0	1190.7	8.1	3.2
Total (e)	258.3	100.0	—	14753.3	100.0	—

Table 3A.6.7

Table 3A.6.7 **Personal gross weekly income quintiles, people aged 18 years and over, by State and Territory, 2004-05 (a) (b)**

<i>Indigenous</i>			<i>Non-Indigenous</i>		
<i>Estimate</i>	<i>Proportion</i>	<i>RSE</i>	<i>Estimate</i>	<i>Proportion</i>	<i>RSE</i>
<i>'000</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>'000</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>%</i>

RSE=Relative standard error.

- (a) Estimates with a relative standard error of between 25 per cent to 50 per cent should be used with caution. Estimates with a relative standard error greater than 50 per cent are considered too unreliable for general use.
- (b) Equivalised household Income quintile boundaries for the total population as derived from the 2004-05 NHS are: lowest quintile less than \$295 per week; second quintile \$295–\$478 per week; third quintile \$479–\$688 per week; fourth quintile \$689–\$996 per week; highest quintile \$997 or more per week. These have been applied to both the Indigenous and non-Indigenous populations.
- (c) Comprises persons living in households where household income was stated. Note that equivalised gross weekly household income quintiles are calculated as a proportion of households with stated household income.
- (d) Total with household income stated shown as a proportion of the total.
- (e) Includes people who reported no source of income.
- Nil or rounded to zero (including null cells); **np** Not available for publication but included in total where applicable, unless otherwise indicated.

Source: ABS *National Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Health Survey 2004-05*, Cat. no. 4715.0.55.005 (unpublished); ABS *National Health Survey 2004-5; Summary of Results*, Cat. no. 4362.0 (unpublished).

Table 3A.6.8

Table 3A.6.8 **Main sources of personal gross weekly income, people aged 18 years or over, 2004-05 (a) (b)**

	<i>Indigenous</i>		<i>Non-Indigenous</i>	
	<i>Proportion</i>	<i>RSE</i>	<i>Proportion</i>	<i>RSE</i>
	%	%	%	%
Major cities				
CDEP	2.2	23.0	..	..
Salaries and wages	42.2	5.7	49.0	1.0
Government pensions/allowances	52.4	4.5	23.8	1.7
Other cash income	2.5	28.4	20.1	2.1
Not stated/not known	0.8	38.4	7.1	4.0
Total	100.0	—	100.0	—
Regional				
CDEP	5.5	14.6	..	..
Salaries and wages	36.3	5.7	42.5	1.7
Government pensions/allowances	54.1	3.9	31.8	2.5
Other cash income	3.4	19.3	20.7	3.3
Not stated/not known	0.6	35.8	5.1	7.5
Total	100.0	—	100.0	—
Total non-remote				
CDEP	4.1	12.3	..	..
Salaries and wages	38.8	4.1	47.0	0.9
Government pensions/allowances	53.4	3.0	26.2	1.3
Other cash income	3.0	16.2	20.2	2.0
Not stated/not known	0.7	26.1	6.5	3.7
Total	100.0	—	100	—
Remote				
CDEP	13.0	23.1	..	..
Salaries and wages	31.8	9.8	53.2	7.8
Government pensions/allowances	51.1	5.8	21.3	16.3
Other cash income	2.1	30.5	21.1	13.0
Not stated/not known	2.1	65.9	4.4	38.9
Total	100.0	—	100.0	—
Very remote				
CDEP	31.2	8.1	..	..
Salaries and wages	16.7	12.3	na	na
Government pensions/allowances	45.4	5.7	na	na
Other cash income	0.4	41.5	na	na
Not stated/not known	6.3	18.0	na	na
Total	100.0	—	na	na

Table 3A.6.8

Table 3A.6.8 **Main sources of personal gross weekly income, people aged 18 years or over, 2004-05 (a) (b)**

	<i>Indigenous</i>		<i>Non-Indigenous</i>	
	<i>Proportion</i>	<i>RSE</i>	<i>Proportion</i>	<i>RSE</i>
	%	%	%	%
Total remote				
CDEP	25.7	7.4	..	..
Salaries and wages	21.3	7.7	..	..
Government pensions/allowances	47.1	3.9	..	..
Other cash income	0.9	24.8	..	..
Not stated/not known	5.0	18.0	..	..
Total	100.0	—	..	..
Total				
CDEP	10.1	6.3	..	..
Salaries and wages	33.9	3.7	47.1	0.9
Government pensions/allowances	51.6	2.4	26.2	1.3
Other cash income	2.4	14.9	20.3	1.9
Not stated/not known	1.9	14.8	6.5	3.7
Total	100.0	—	100.0	—

RSE=Relative standard error.

(a) Estimates with a relative standard error of between 25 per cent to 50 per cent should be used with caution. Estimates with a relative standard error greater than 50 per cent are considered too unreliable for general use.

— Nil or rounded to zero (including null cells); .. Not applicable; **na** Not available.

Source: ABS *National Health Survey: Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Results 2001*, Cat. no. 4715.0 (unpublished); ABS *National Health Survey 2001*, Cat. no. 4364.0 (unpublished); ABS *National Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Health Survey 2004-05*, Cat. no. 4715.0.55.005 (unpublished); ABS *National Health Survey 2004-5; Summary of Results*, Cat. no. 4362.0 (unpublished).

Table 3A.7.1 Indigenous people aged 18 years or over living in homes someone in their household owned or was purchasing, or was renting, by State and Territory, 2004-05

	Owned or being purchased (a)				Renters (b)				Other tenure type				Total (c)			
	Estimate		RSE		Estimate		RSE		Estimate		RSE		Estimate		RSE	
	'000	%	Proportion	%	'000	%	Proportion	%	'000	%	Proportion	%	'000	%	Proportion	%
NSW	24.1	32.2		9.4	49.8	66.4		4.6	0.4	0.5		84.1	75.0		100.0	
Vic	6.4	39.0		11.2	10.0	60.4		7.3	0.1	0.3		72.5	16.5		100.0	
Qld	17.7	25.1		12.6	52.2	73.9		4.3	0.2	0.3		74.4	70.6		100.0	
WA	6.0	16.3		14.4	29.8	81.5		3.1	0.2	0.7		52.5	36.5		100.0	
SA	3.3	22.8		15.7	11.0	75.7		4.7	0.1	0.7		69.5	14.5		100.0	
Tas	4.5	47.6		10.6	4.9	51.8		9.7	0.0	0.5		81.8	9.5		100.0	
NT	2.5	7.6		18.7	30.5	91.5		1.6	0.2	0.5		54.4	33.4		100.0	
ACT	0.9	39.8		12.3	1.4	59.8		8.1	0.0	0.0		0.0	2.3		100.0	
Australia	65.6	25.4		5.2	189.5	73.4		1.8	1.1	0.4		32.3	258.3		100.0	

(a) 'Owned or being purchased' includes being purchased under a rent/buy scheme.

(b) Comprises those renting from a State/Territory housing authority, those renting from a housing organisation/community housing and housing co-operative or church group, also those renting from a real estate agent, persons not living in same dwelling, persons living in same dwelling, owner/manager of caravan park, employer, other landlord and landlord type 'don't know'. Also includes those occupying households rent-free.

(c) 'Total' includes tenure type 'not stated'.

– Nil or rounded to zero.

Source: ABS *National Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Health Survey 2004-05*, Cat. no. 4715.0.55.005 (unpublished); ABS *National Health Survey 2004-05 Summary of Results*, Cat. no. 4362.0 (unpublished).

Table 3A.7.2 People aged 18 years or over living in homes someone in their household owned or was purchasing, by State and Territory, 1994 and 2002

	Owned or being purchased (a)				Other tenure type				Total (b)			
	Estimate		RSE		Estimate		RSE		Estimate		RSE	
	'000	%	Proportion	%	'000	%	Proportion	%	'000	%	Proportion	%
State/Territory of usual residence 1994												
NSW	14.0	26.3	15.0		38.2	71.7	5.4		53.2	100.0	1.0	
Vic	4.2	36.6	15.8		7.2	63.2	9.1		11.4	100.0	1.4	
Qld	10.6	20.6	13.4		40.0	77.7	3.3		51.5	100.0	1.0	
WA	3.9	14.1	20.0		23.3	83.8	3.7		27.8	100.0	0.7	
SA	1.6	14.2	25.5		9.3	84.3	5.2		11.0	100.0	1.2	
Tas	4.1	55.4	9.6		3.3	44.5	12.3		7.4	100.0	1.3	
NT	2.4	8.8	38.7		23.8	88.6	4.2		26.9	100.0	1.0	
ACT	0.3	17.5	54.2		1.2	81.5	19.5		1.5	100.0	13.9	
Australia	41.0	21.5	6.7		146.4	76.7	1.9		190.8	100.0	0.5	
State/Territory of usual residence 2002												
NSW	24.9	33.4	9.7		49.7	66.6	5.2		74.7	100.0	1.0	
Vic	5.6	35.9	8.2		10.0	64.1	4.9		15.6	100.0	1.2	
Qld	18.0	26.6	12.0		49.5	73.4	4.2		67.5	100.0	0.8	
WA	7.5	21.3	13.9		27.7	78.7	3.8		35.2	100.0	1.2	
SA	3.8	26.7	9.9		10.3	73.3	4.0		14.1	100.0	1.1	
Tas	5.7	59.5	4.8		3.9	40.5	7.3		9.5	100.0	0.9	
NT	2.5	7.8	24.7		30.0	92.2	2.1		32.6	100.0	0.8	
ACT	0.9	41.6	10.6		1.3	58.4	7.9		2.3	100.0	1.1	
Australia	68.9	27.4	5.1		182.5	72.6	2.0		251.4	100.0	0.4	

Table 3A.7.2 People aged 18 years or over living in homes someone in their household owned or was purchasing, by State and Territory, 1994 and 2002

State/Territory of usual residence 2002	Owned or being purchased (a)			Other tenure type			Total (b)		
	Estimate	Proportion	RSE	Estimate	Proportion	RSE	Estimate	Proportion	RSE
	'000	%	%	'000	%	%	'000	%	%
Non-Indigenous									
NSW	3567.9	73.6	1.7	1281.4	26.4	4.7	4849.3	100.0	0.2
Vic	2824.4	77.3	1.6	831.1	22.7	5.5	3655.5	100.0	0.1
Qld	1814.3	68.3	2.3	840.2	31.7	5.1	2654.5	100.0	0.4
WA	1058.4	75.3	1.5	348.0	24.7	4.7	1406.4	100.0	0.4
SA	834.3	74.2	2.0	290.2	25.8	5.6	1124.5	100.0	0.3
Tas	260.9	77.4	2.1	76.2	22.6	6.2	337.1	100.0	0.5
NT	52.4	53.9	6.5	44.9	46.1	8.3	97.3	100.0	1.2
ACT	171.5	74.8	1.9	57.8	25.2	5.6	229.3	100.0	0.2
Australia	10584.1	73.7	0.9	3769.7	26.3	2.3	14353.8	100.0	0.1

(a) 'Owned or being purchased' includes being purchased under a rent/buy scheme.

(b) 'Total' includes tenure type 'not stated'.

Source: ABS *National Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Social Survey 2002*, Cat. no. 4714.0 (unpublished); ABS *General Social Survey 2002*, Cat. no. 4159.0 (unpublished).

Table 3A.7.3 Indigenous people aged 18 years or over living in homes someone in their household owned or was purchasing, or was renting, by remoteness area, 2004-05.

	Owned or being purchased (a)			Renters (b)			Other tenure type			Total		
	Estimate	Proportion	RSE	Estimate	Proportion	RSE	Estimate	Proportion	RSE	Estimate	Proportion	RSE
	'000	%	%	'000	%	%	'000	%	%	'000	%	%
Major cities	22.8	29.0	8.8	54.4	69.1	3.7	0.6	0.8	55.3	78.7	100.0	–
Inner regional	20.0	38.9	9.2	31.1	60.4	5.9	0.2	0.3	60.9	51.4	100.0	–
Outer regional	17.5	31.5	9.7	37.3	67.4	4.6	0.1	0.1	73.0	55.4	100.0	–
Total non-remote	60.3	32.5	5.4	122.7	66.1	2.6	0.8	0.5	41.5	185.5	100.0	–
Remote	3.9	17.6	25.5	17.9	81.1	5.6	0.0	0.2	79.2	22.1	100.0	–
Very remote	1.4	2.7	30.7	48.9	96.4	0.9	0.3	0.5	45.3	50.7	100.0	–
Total remote	5.3	7.2	20.6	66.8	91.8	1.7	0.3	0.4	40.4	72.8	100.0	–
Australia	65.6	25.4	5.2	189.5	73.4	1.8	1.1	0.4	32.3	258.3	100.0	–

(a) 'Owned or being purchased' includes being purchased under a rent/buy scheme.

(b) Comprises those renting from a State/Territory housing authority, those renting from a housing organisation/community housing and housing co-operative or church group, also those renting from a real estate agent, persons not living in same dwelling, persons living in same dwelling, owner/manager of caravan park, employer, other landlord and landlord type 'don't know'. Also includes those occupying households rent-free.

– Nil or rounded to zero.

Source: ABS *National Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Health Survey 2004-05*, Cat. no. 4715.0.55.005 (unpublished); ABS *National Health Survey 2004-05 Summary of Results*, Cat. no. 4362.0 (unpublished).

Table 3A.7.4 Indigenous people aged 18 years or over living in homes someone in their household owned or was purchasing, by remoteness area, 2002

	Owned or being purchased (a)			Other tenure type			Total		
	Estimate	Proportion	RSE	Estimate	Proportion	RSE	Estimate	Proportion	RSE
	'000	%	%	'000	%	%	'000	%	%
Major cities	27.2	35.8	9.9	48.8	64.2	5.8	76.0	100	1.2
Inner regional	17.3	35.7	9.4	31.2	64.3	4.9	48.5	100	1.6
Outer regional	18.3	31.8	8.5	39.2	68.2	4.3	57.5	100	1.2
Remote	4.2	19.6	14.7	17.1	80.4	4.2	21.2	100	1.9
Very remote	2.0	4.1	36.6	46.1	95.9	1.6	48.1	100	0.8
Australia	68.9	27.4	5.1	182.5	72.6	2.0	251.4	100	0.4

(a) 'Owned or being purchased' includes being purchased under a rent/buy scheme.

Source: ABS *National Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Social Survey 2002*, Cat. no. 4714.0 (unpublished).

Table 3A.7.5 Housing tenure of people aged 18 years or over, by Indigenous status, 2004-05.

	Torres Strait Islander (a)				Aboriginal				Total Indigenous			
	Estimate		Proportion		Estimate		Proportion		Estimate		Proportion	
	'000	%	%	RSE	'000	%	%	RSE	'000	%	%	RSE
Fully owned	2.5	9.4	29.5	29.5	16.4	7.1	10.3	10.3	18.9	7.3	9.8	9.8
Being purchased (b)	6.2	23.3	18.5	18.5	40.5	17.5	6.6	6.6	46.7	18.1	6.2	6.2
Renters (c)	17.6	66.2	6.9	6.9	171.9	74.2	1.8	1.8	189.5	73.4	1.8	1.8
Other tenure (d)	0.1	0.3	61.4	61.4	1.1	0.5	34.5	34.5	1.1	0.4	32.3	32.3
Total	26.6	100.0	—	—	231.7	100.0	—	—	258.3	100.0	—	—

(a) 'Torres Strait Islander' includes those identified as either of Torres Strait Islander origin, or as both Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander origin.

(b) 'Being purchased' includes being purchased under a rent/buy scheme.

(c) Comprises those renting from a State/Territory housing authority, those renting from a housing organisation/community housing and housing co-operative or church group, also those renting from a real estate agent, persons not living in same dwelling, persons living in same dwelling, owner/manager of caravan park, employer, other landlord and landlord type 'don't know'. Also includes those occupying households rent-free.

(d) Including other tenure and those under a life tenure scheme.

— Nil or rounded to zero.

Source: ABS *National Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Health Survey 2004-05*, Cat. no. 4715.0.55.005 (unpublished); ABS *National Health Survey 2004-05 Summary of Results*, Cat. no. 4362.0 (unpublished).

Table 3A.7.6 Housing tenure of people aged 18 years or over, by Indigenous status, 1994 and 2002

	Torres Strait Islander (a)						Aboriginal						Total Indigenous						Non-Indigenous					
	Estimate			Proportion			Estimate			Proportion			Estimate			Proportion			Estimate			Proportion		
	'000	%	RSE	%	RSE	%	'000	%	RSE	%	RSE	%	'000	%	RSE	%	RSE	%	'000	%	RSE	%	%	%
1994																								
Fully owned	1.0	9.0	25.6				20.0	11.0	10.7				20.8	10.9	10.4				na	na		na	na	na
Being purchased (b)	0.9	8.5	38.7				19.6	10.8	8.6				20.2	10.6	8.5				na	na		na	na	na
Renters																								
Renter - public (c)	3.0	27.9	22.7				61.1	33.6	5.1				63.6	33.3	5.1				na	na		na	na	na
Renter - community (d)	2.0	18.0	34.6				34.0	18.7	8.8				35.7	18.7	8.5				na	na		na	na	na
Renter - private (e)	2.3	21.0	34.5				35.2	19.4	7.9				37.1	19.4	7.8				na	na		na	na	na
Total renters (f)	7.3	66.8	18.5				130.3	71.8	2.5				136.4	71.5	2.5				na	na		na	na	na
Other tenure (g)	1.7	15.7	68.0				11.7	6.5	15.6				13.4	7.0	16.8				na	na		na	na	na
Total	10.9	100	11.2				181.6	100	0.7				190.8	100	0.5				na	na		na	na	na
2002																								
Fully owned	3.0	11.0	22.0				22.3	9.9	8.6				25.2	10.0	8.1				5527.3	38.5		38.5	1.3	1.3
Being purchased (b)	5.5	20.4	25.4				38.2	17.0	6.8				43.7	17.4	7.0				5056.8	35.2		35.2	1.5	1.5
Renters																								
Renter - public (c)	4.5	16.6	25.3				48.7	21.7	6.8				53.2	21.2	7.2				545.8	3.8		3.8	6.8	6.8
Renter - community (d)	5.9	22.0	27.5				54.8	24.4	5.0				60.8	24.2	6.1				57.4	0.4		0.4	19.1	19.1
Renter - private (e)	8.0	29.6	15.0				59.6	26.6	6.0				67.6	26.9	5.8				3093.5	21.6		21.6	11.6	11.6
Total renters (f)	18.4	68.3	6.7				163.1	72.7	2.0				181.6	72.2	2.0				3696.7	25.8		25.8	11.4	11.4
Other tenure (g)	0.1	0.3	79.3				0.8	0.4	45.2				0.9	0.3	41.6				73.0	0.5		0.5	13.8	13.8
Total	27.0	100	2.1				224.4	100	0.5				251.4	100	0.4				14353.8	100		100	0.1	0.1

Table 3A.7.6 Housing tenure of people aged 18 years or over, by Indigenous status, 1994 and 2002

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- (a) 'Torres Strait Islander' includes those identified as either of Torres Strait Islander origin, or as both Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander origin.
 - (b) 'Being purchased' includes being purchased under a rent/buy scheme.
 - (c) 'Renter - public' comprises those renting from a State/Territory Housing Authority.
 - (d) 'Renter - community' comprises those renting from an Housing Organisation/Community Housing and Housing Co-Operative or church group.
 - (e) 'Renter - private' comprises those renting from a real estate agent, persons not living in same dwelling, persons living in same dwelling, owner/manager of caravan park, employer, other landlord and landlord type 'don't know'. Also includes those occupying rent-free.
 - (f) Including those occupying households rent-free.
 - (g) Including other tenure and those under a life tenure scheme.

na Not available.

Source : ABS *National Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Social Survey 2002* , Cat. no. 4714.0 (unpublished); ABS *General Social Survey 2002* , Cat. no.4159.0 (unpublished).

Table 3A.7.7 Indigenous people aged 15 years or over living in homes someone in their household owned or was purchasing, or was renting, by State and Territory, 2002 and 2004-05

	Owned or being purchased (a)				Renters (b)				Other tenure type				Total (c)			
	Estimate		Proportion		Estimate		Proportion		Estimate		Proportion		Estimate		Proportion	
	'000	%	RSE	%	'000	%	RSE	%	'000	%	RSE	%	'000	%	RSE	%
2002																
NSW	27.9	33.3	9.6	9.6	55.3	66.0	4.9	4.9	0.6	0.7	57.5	57.5	83.8	100.0	—	—
Vic	6.2	35.8	8.2	8.2	11.1	63.9	4.6	4.6	0.1	0.3	63.3	63.3	17.4	100.0	—	—
Qld	20.2	26.6	12.3	12.3	55.7	73.3	4.5	4.5	0.1	0.1	103.4	103.4	76.0	100.0	—	—
WA	8.3	20.9	13.8	13.8	31.2	78.9	3.7	3.7	0.1	0.1	55.1	55.1	39.6	100.0	—	—
SA	4.4	27.8	10.0	10.0	11.4	72.1	3.9	3.9	0.0	0.1	101.7	101.7	15.8	100.0	—	—
Tas	6.4	59.2	5.1	5.1	4.4	40.5	7.3	7.3	0.0	0.3	80.0	80.0	10.9	100.0	—	—
NT	2.8	7.6	23.9	23.9	33.3	92.2	2.0	2.0	0.1	0.2	171.0	171.0	36.2	100.0	—	—
ACT	1.1	41.9	10.4	10.4	1.5	58.1	7.5	7.5	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	2.6	100.0	—	—
Australia	77.3	27.4	5.1	5.1	204.0	72.3	2.0	2.0	0.9	0.3	41.7	41.7	282.2	100.0	—	—
2004-05																
NSW	28.3	33.1	9.9	9.9	55.3	64.7	5.1	5.1	0.4	0.4	84.2	84.2	85.4	100.0	—	—
Vic	7.0	37.7	11.2	11.2	11.4	61.8	6.9	6.9	0.1	0.3	72.4	72.4	18.5	100.0	—	—
Qld	19.5	24.5	13.3	13.3	59.1	74.5	4.3	4.3	0.2	0.2	74.3	74.3	79.4	100.0	—	—
WA	7.1	16.9	15.0	15.0	33.8	80.5	3.4	3.4	0.3	0.8	48.9	48.9	42.0	100.0	—	—
SA	4.2	25.4	15.5	15.5	12.2	73.3	5.3	5.3	0.1	0.6	69.7	69.7	16.7	100.0	—	—
Tas	5.4	47.7	9.4	9.4	5.8	51.6	8.7	8.7	0.0	0.4	81.7	81.7	11.3	100.0	—	—
NT	3.1	8.2	17.9	17.9	34.4	91.0	1.7	1.7	0.2	0.5	54.6	54.6	37.8	100.0	—	—
ACT	1.0	39.4	12.5	12.5	1.6	60.3	8.1	8.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	2.6	100.0	—	—
Australia	75.6	25.7	5.4	5.4	213.7	72.8	1.9	1.9	1.2	0.4	31.0	31.0	293.6	100.0	—	—

(a) 'Owned or being purchased' includes being purchased under a rent/buy scheme.

(b) Comprises those renting from a State/Territory housing authority, those renting from a housing organisation/community housing and housing co-operative or church group, also those renting from a real estate agent, persons not living in same dwelling, persons living in same dwelling, owner/manager of caravan park, employer, other landlord and landlord type 'don't know'. Also includes those occupying households rent-free.

(c) 'Total' includes tenure type 'not stated'.

— Nil or rounded to zero.

Source : ABS *National Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Health Survey 2004-05*, Cat. no. 4715.0.55.005 (unpublished); ABS *National Health Survey 2004-05 Summary of Results*, Cat. no. 4362.0 (unpublished).

Table 3A.7.8 Indigenous people aged 15 years or over living in homes someone in their household owned or was purchasing, or was renting, by remoteness area, 2002 and 2004-05

	Owned or being purchased (a)				Renters (b)				Other tenure type				Total			
	Estimate		Proportion		Estimate		Proportion		Estimate		Proportion		Estimate		Proportion	
	'000	%	RSE	%	'000	%	RSE	%	'000	%	RSE	%	'000	%	RSE	%
2002																
Major cities	30.8	35.6	10.0		55.7	64.4	5.5		0.0	0.0	0.0		86.4	100.0		
Inner regional	19.0	34.6	9.1		35.5	64.4	5.1		0.6	1.0	1.0		55.1	100.0		
Outer regional	20.6	32.5	8.7		42.8	67.4	4.2		0.1	0.1	0.1		63.5	100.0		
Total non remote	70.4	34.4	5.5		134.0	65.3	2.9		0.6	0.3	0.3		205.1	100.0		
Remote	4.7	19.5	14.0		19.4	80.1	3.4		0.1	0.4	0.4		24.3	100.0		
Very remote	2.1	4.0	38.0		50.6	95.7	1.7		0.2	0.3	0.3		52.9	100.0		
Total remote	6.8	8.9	14.9		70.1	90.8	1.5		0.2	0.3	0.3		77.1	100.0		
Australia	77.3	27.4	5.1		204.0	72.3	2.0		0.9	0.3	0.3		282.2	100.0		
2004-05																
Major cities	25.9	29.0	9.0		61.6	69.0	3.8		0.6	0.7	0.7		89.3	100.0		
Inner regional	21.7	37.2	9.3		36.1	61.9	5.6		0.2	0.3	0.3		58.4	100.0		
Outer regional	22.1	33.6	10.8		42.3	64.4	5.5		0.1	0.1	0.1		65.7	100.0		
Total non remote	69.8	32.7	5.6		140.1	65.6	2.8		0.8	0.4	0.4		213.4	100.0		
Remote	4.3	17.8	25.2		19.8	80.9	5.6		0.1	0.3	0.3		24.5	100.0		
Very remote	1.5	2.6	30.2		53.8	96.5	0.9		0.3	0.6	0.6		55.8	100.0		
Total remote	5.8	7.2	20.4		73.6	91.7	1.7		0.4	0.5	0.5		80.2	100.0		
Australia	75.6	25.7	5.4		213.7	72.8	1.9		1.2	0.4	0.4		293.6	100.0		

(a) 'Owned or being purchased' includes being purchased under a rent/buy scheme.

(b) Comprises those renting from a State/Territory housing authority, those renting from a housing organisation/community housing and housing co-operative or church group, also those renting from a real estate agent, persons not living in same dwelling, persons living in same dwelling, owner/manager of caravan park, employer, other landlord and landlord type 'don't know'. Also includes those occupying households rent-free.

– Nil or rounded to zero.

Source: ABS *National Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Health Survey 2004-05*, Cat. no. 4715.0.55.005 (unpublished); ABS *National Health Survey 2004-05: Summary of Results*, Cat. no. 4362.0 (unpublished).

Table 3A.7.9 Housing tenure of people aged 15 years or over, by Indigenous status, 2002 and 2004-05

	Torres Strait Islander (a)						Aboriginal						Total Indigenous					
	Estimate		Proportion		RSE		Estimate		Proportion		RSE		Estimate		Proportion		RSE	
	'000	%	%		%		'000	%	%		%		'000	%	%		%	
2002																		
Fully owned	3.6		12.0		26.2		23.9		9.5		8.4		27.5		9.7		8.1	
Being purchased (b)	5.9		19.9		23.6		43.8		17.4		6.9		49.8		17.6		6.9	
Renters (c)	20.2		67.8		6.4		183.8		72.8		1.9		204.0		72.3		2.0	
Other tenure (d)	0.1		0.3		79.3		0.8		0.3		45.3		0.9		0.3		41.7	
Total	29.8		100.0		–		252.4		100.0		–		282.2		100.0		–	
2004-05																		
Fully owned	2.7		8.7		28.2		18.2		6.9		10.6		20.8		7.1		10.1	
Being purchased (b)	7.1		23.1		20.3		47.6		18.1		6.7		54.7		18.6		6.5	
Renters (c)	20.4		66.5		7.2		193.2		73.5		1.9		213.7		72.8		1.9	
Other tenure (d)	0.1		0.3		61.4		1.1		0.4		32.8		1.2		0.4		31.0	
Total (e)	30.7		100.0		–		263.0		100.0		–		293.6		100.0		–	

(a) 'Torres Strait Islander' includes those identified as either of Torres Strait Islander origin, or as both Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander origin.

(b) 'Being purchased' includes being purchased under a rent/buy scheme.

(c) Comprises those renting from a State/Territory housing authority, those renting from a housing organisation/community housing and housing co-operative or church group, also those renting from a real estate agent, persons not living in same dwelling, persons living in same dwelling, owner/manager of caravan park, employer, other landlord and landlord type 'don't know'. Also includes those occupying households rent-free.

(d) Including other tenure and those under a life tenure scheme.

(e) Includes not stated

– Nil or rounded to zero.

Source: ABS *National Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Health Survey 2004-05*, Cat. no. 4715.0.55.005 (unpublished); ABS *National Health Survey 2004-05 Summary of Results*, Cat. no. 4362.0 (unpublished).

Table 3A.8.1

Table 3A.8.1 Intentional self-harm death rates (per 100 000 population), age standardised, 2001–2005 (a), (b)

	Indigenous				Non-Indigenous			
	Q/d	WA	SA	NT	Q/d	WA	SA	NT
Males	50.5	32.3	69.1	84.9	19.7	17.0	18.7	25.8
Females	14.2	6.2	21.0	11.7	4.7	4.8	4.3	5.1
Persons	32.2	18.8	45.0	48.2	12.2	10.8	11.4	15.5

(a) Care should be exercised when using these data as the rates are based on a small number of deaths.

(b) Calculations of rates for the Indigenous population are based on ABS Experimental Projections, Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Australians (low series, 2001 base). There are no comparable population data for the non-Indigenous population. Calculations of rates for the non-Indigenous population are based on data derived by subtracting Indigenous population projections from total population estimates and should be used with care.

np Not published.

Source : ABS *Causes of Death 2005*, Cat. no. 3303.0 (unpublished).

Table 3A.8.2

Table 3A.8.2 Suicide deaths, by age and jurisdiction, 2001–2005 (a), (b)

	Unit	Indigenous					Non-Indigenous				
		Under 25	25–34	35–44	45 and over	All ages	Under 25	25–34	35–44	45 and over	All ages (c)
Death from suicide 2001–2005											
NSW	no.	23	38	19	8	88	377	659	683	1359	3078
Qld	no.	57	53	32	13	155	310	499	521	910	2240
WA	no.	21	18	7	3	49	152	250	234	398	1035
SA	no.	17	17	np	np	44	116	166	204	384	870
NT	no.	49	48	17	4	118	17	22	30	50	119
Population 2003											
NSW	no.	np	np	np	np	np	np	np	np	np	np
Qld	no.	73 442	19 431	14 755	16 845	124 473	np	np	np	np	np
WA	no.	36 490	10 108	8 163	8 897	63 658	np	np	np	np	np
SA	no.	14 568	3 992	3 115	3 554	25 229	np	np	np	np	np
NT	no.	32 170	10 372	7 149	8 405	58 096	np	np	np	np	np
Average annual suicide deaths per 100 000 population 2001–2005 (d)											
NSW	Per 100 000	np	np	np	np	np	np	np	np	np	np
Qld	Per 100 000	15.5	54.6	43.4	15.4	24.9	5.0	18.9	18.8	13.5	12.2
WA	Per 100 000	11.5	35.6	17.2	6.7	15.4	4.7	18.5	16.0	11.6	11.0
SA	Per 100 000	23.3	85.2	np	np	34.9	4.9	16.7	18.2	12.8	11.6
NT	Per 100 000	30.5	92.6	47.6	9.5	40.6	7.0	17.3	23.5	24.5	16.9

Table 3A.8.2

Table 3A.8.2 Suicide deaths, by age and jurisdiction, 2001–2005 (a), (b)

- (a) Care should be exercised when using these data as the rates are based on a small number of deaths.
- (b) Calculations of rates for the Indigenous population are based on ABS Experimental Projections, Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Australians (low series, 2001 base). There are no comparable population data for the non-Indigenous population. Calculations of rates for the non-Indigenous population are based on data derived by subtracting Indigenous population projections from total population estimates and should be used with care.
- (c) Includes age not stated.
- (d) Rates for all ages are crude rates.
 - Nil or rounded to zero. **np** Not published.

Source: ABS *Causes of Death 2005*, Cat. no. 3303.0 (unpublished).

Table 3A.8.3

Table 3A.8.3 Intentional self-harm deaths, by sex and jurisdiction 2001–2005 (a), (b), (c)

	Unit	Indigenous					Non-Indigenous				
		NSW	Qld	WA	SA	NT	NSW	Qld	WA	SA	NT
Death from Suicide 2001–2005											
Males	no.	72	120	41	33	104	2433	1806	809	705	102
Females	no.	16	35	8	11	14	645	434	226	165	17
Persons	no.	88	155	49	44	118	3078	2240	1035	870	119
Population 2003											
Males	no.	np	61 146	31 511	12 201	29 275	np	np	np	np	np
Females	no.	np	63 327	32 147	13 028	28 821	np	np	np	np	np
Persons	no.	np	124 473	63 658	25 229	58 096	np	np	np	np	np
Average annual suicide deaths per 100 000 population 2001–2005 (c)											
Males	Per 100 000	np	39.3	26.0	54.1	71.1	np	19.7	17.1	19.0	27.1
Females	Per 100 000	np	11.1	5.0	16.9	9.7	np	4.7	4.8	4.4	5.2
Persons	Per 100 000	np	24.9	15.4	34.9	40.6	np	12.2	11.0	11.6	16.9

(a) Data on deaths of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Australians are affected by differing levels of coverage of deaths identified as Indigenous across states and territories. Care should be exercised in analysing these data, particularly in making comparisons across states and territories and between the Indigenous and non-Indigenous data.

(b) Rates are crude rates.

(c) Calculations of rates for the Indigenous population are based on ABS Experimental Projections, Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Australians (low series, 2001 base). There are no comparable population data for the non-Indigenous population. Calculations of rates for the non-Indigenous population are based on data derived by subtracting Indigenous population projections from total population estimates and should be used with care.

np Not published.

Source: ABS Causes of Death 2005, Cat. no. 3303.0 (unpublished).

Table 3A.8.4

Table 3A.8.4 Intentional self-harm (X60–X84) deaths, 2001–2005

	NSW	Qld	WA	SA	NT
Indigenous					
Intentional self-harm (X60–X84)	88	155	49	44	118
All causes	2479	2822	1851	642	2229
Suicide as % of all causes	3.5	5.5	2.6	6.9	5.3
Non-Indigenous					
Intentional self-harm (X60–X84)	3078	2240	1035	np	np
All causes	221054	113971	53335	57817	2270
Suicide as % of all causes	1.4	2.0	1.9	np	np
Not stated					
Intentional self-harm (X60–X84)	87	19	50	np	np
All causes	4850	1626	711	1217	37
Suicide as % of all causes	1.8	1.2	7.0	np	np
Total					
Intentional self-harm (X60–X84)	3253	2414	1134	979	238
All causes	228383	118419	55897	59676	4536
Suicide as % of all causes	1.4	2.0	2.0	1.6	5.2

np Not published.

Source: ABS Causes of Death 2005, Cat. no. 3303.0 (unpublished).

Table 3A.8.5

Table 3A.8.5 Standardised non-fatal hospitalisations for intentional self-harm by sex and Indigenous status, Qld, SA, WA, and public hospitals in the NT (a), (b), (c)

	Number of hospitalisations			Total	Age standardised hospitalisation rate (d)	
	Indigenous	Non-Indigenous	Not stated		Indigenous	Non-Indigenous (e)
2001-02						
Males	376	4 320	118	4 814	2.9	1.3
Females	453	6 445	177	7 075	3.2	1.9
Persons	829	10 765	295	11 889	3.0	1.6
2002-03						
Males	446	4 190	97	4 733	3.2	1.2
Females	479	6 389	132	7 000	3.3	1.8
Persons	925	10 579	229	11 733	3.3	1.5
2003-04						
Males	388	4 223	104	4 715	2.8	1.2
Females	505	6 622	171	7 298	3.5	1.9
Persons	893	10 845	275	12 013	3.1	1.5
2004-05						
Males	382	4 287	125	4 794	2.7	1.2
Females	448	7 096	148	7 692	3.0	2.0
Persons	830	11 383	273	12 486	2.9	1.6

(a) Non-fatal refers to records where the end of hospitalisation was not equal to 'died'. Intentional self-harm refers to hospitalisations with at least one external cause in X60–X84, based on ICD-10-AM classification.

(b) The rates per 1000 population were directly age standardised using the 2001 Australian standard population.

(c) Data based on state of usual residence.

Table 3A.8.5

Table 3A.8.5 Standardised non-fatal hospitalisations for intentional self-harm by sex and Indigenous status, Qld, SA, WA, and public hospitals in the NT (a), (b), (c)

(d) Indigenous data are reported for Queensland, Western Australia, South Australia and the Northern Territory only. These four jurisdictions are considered to have the highest level of accuracy of Indigenous identification, although the level of accuracy varies

(e) Includes hospitalisations where Indigenous status was unknown.

Source: AIHW National Hospital Morbidity Database (unpublished).

Table 3A.9.1

Table 3A.9.1 **Children aged 0–16 years in substantiations (a)**

	1999-2000	2000-01	2001-02	2002-03	2003-04	2004-05	2005-06
<i>NSW (b), (c)</i>							
Number of children							
Indigenous	761	875	913	1 910	na	1 642	2 696
Non-Indigenous	5 054	5 655	6 361	9 524	na	7 556	9 931
All children	5 815	6 530	7 274	11 434	na	9 198	12 627
Rate per 1000 children aged 0–16 years							
Indigenous	13.2	14.9	15.4	31.9	na	27.1	44.2
Non-Indigenous	3.5	3.9	4.3	6.5	na	5.2	6.9
All children	3.9	4.3	4.8	7.5	na	6.1	8.4
<i>Victoria</i>							
Number of children							
Indigenous	568	602	579	667	700	770	834
Non-Indigenous	6 218	6 547	6 569	6 177	6 323	6 244	6 453
All children	6 786	7 149	7 148	6 844	7 023	7 014	7 287
Rate per 1000 children aged 0–16 years							
Indigenous	55.5	58.0	48.1	55.6	58.4	63.0	67.7
Non-Indigenous	5.8	6.1	6.1	5.7	5.9	5.8	6.0
All children	6.3	6.6	6.5	6.3	6.4	6.4	6.7
<i>Queensland</i>							
Number of children							
Indigenous	502	680	795	881	1 192	1 186	1 340
Non-Indigenous	4 303	5 690	6 553	8 104	11 481	11 700	8 737
All children	4 805	6 370	7 348	8 985	12 673	12 886	10 077
Rate per 1000 children aged 0–16 years							
Indigenous	9.3	12.4	14.3	15.6	20.8	20.4	23.0
Non-Indigenous	5.3	7.0	7.9	9.7	13.6	13.7	10.1
All children	5.6	7.3	8.3	10.1	14.0	14.1	10.9
<i>WA (d)</i>							
Number of children							
Indigenous	329	355	386	275	322	353	316
Non-Indigenous	724	760	718	571	599	682	603
All children	1 053	1 115	1 104	846	921	1 035	919
Rate per 1000 children aged 0–16 years							
Indigenous	11.9	12.6	13.6	9.6	11.2	12.2	10.9
Non-Indigenous	1.7	1.8	1.7	1.3	1.4	1.6	1.4
All children	2.3	2.4	2.4	1.9	2.0	2.3	2.0

Table 3A.9.1

Table 3A.9.1 **Children aged 0–16 years in substantiations (a)**

	1999-2000	2000-01	2001-02	2002-03	2003-04	2004-05	2005-06
SA							
Number of children							
Indigenous	337	317	346	351	441	481	360
Non-Indigenous	1 354	1 334	1 407	1 545	1 499	1 317	1 101
All children	1 691	1 651	1 753	1 896	1 940	1 798	1 461
Rate per 1000 children aged 0–16 years							
Indigenous	31.6	29.4	31.8	32.0	39.9	43.2	32.3
Non-Indigenous	4.2	4.1	4.4	4.8	4.7	4.2	3.5
All children	5.0	4.9	5.3	5.8	5.9	5.5	4.5
Tasmania (e), (f)							
Number of children							
Indigenous	4	2	2	19	12	37	34
Non-Indigenous	73	99	151	186	317	599	635
All children	77	101	153	205	329	636	669
Rate per 1000 children aged 0–16 years							
Indigenous	0.5	0.3	0.3	2.5	1.6	4.8	4.4
Non-Indigenous	0.7	0.9	1.4	1.8	3.1	5.8	6.2
All children	0.7	0.9	1.4	1.8	3.0	5.8	6.1
ACT							
Number of children							
Indigenous	6	20	11	33	44	99	99
Non-Indigenous	184	183	191	230	441	758	754
All children	190	203	202	263	485	857	853
Rate per 1000 children aged 0–16 years							
Indigenous	3.7	12.1	6.6	19.4	25.3	56.0	56.8
Non-Indigenous	2.5	2.5	2.6	3.2	6.2	10.9	10.9
All children	2.5	2.7	2.7	3.6	6.7	12.0	12.0
NT							
Number of children							
Indigenous	172	153	222	198	375	319	354
Non-Indigenous	179	177	109	113	116	128	108
All children	351	330	331	311	491	447	462
Rate per 1000 children aged 0–16 years							
Indigenous	7.7	6.8	9.7	8.6	16.2	13.7	15.2
Non-Indigenous	5.2	5.2	3.2	3.6	3.5	3.9	3.2
All children	6.2	5.8	5.8	5.7	8.7	7.9	8.1

Table 3A.9.1

Table 3A.9.1 **Children aged 0–16 years in substantiations (a)**

	1999-2000	2000-01	2001-02	2002-03	2003-04	2004-05	2005-06
<i>Australia</i>							
Number of children							
Indigenous	2679	3 004	3 254	4325	3086	4 887	6 033
Non-Indigenous	18089	20 445	22 059	26450	20776	28 984	28 322
All children	20768	23 449	25 313	30784	23862	33 871	34 355
Rate per 1000 children aged 0–16 years							
Indigenous	14.8	16.4	17.8	21.8	21.8	24.0	29.4
Non-Indigenous	4.2	4.8	5.2	6.1	7.2	6.7	6.5
All children	4.7	5.3	5.7	6.8	7.9	7.5	7.6

- (a) Rates of children in substantiations were calculated as the number of children aged 0–16 years in each category (including those whose age was not stated) divided by the estimated population of children aged 0–16 years at 31 December, multiplied by 1000. For Indigenous children, the June projections for two years were averaged to obtain a population figure for December of the relevant year.
- (b) Data from 2002-03 should not be compared previous years. NSW implemented a modification to the data system to support legislation and associated practice changes during 2002-03 which would make any comparison inaccurate.
- (c) In 2003-04, NSW was unable to provide data due to ongoing implementation of the new reporting system.
- (d) Implementation of the Children and Community Services Act 2004 in March 2006 required the legal status of children in care to be reviewed and Protection Orders were sought for a number of children already in care but not under care and protection orders.
- (e) Tasmania introduced new intake and assessment guidelines, based on the WA model, in July 1997. These new guidelines were likely to be the main reason for the decline in the number of notifications and substantiations between 1999-00 and 2000-01.
- (f) Care should be taken in interpreting the rates for Indigenous children due to the relatively small size of the Indigenous population.

– Nil or rounded to zero. .. Not applicable. **na** Not available.

Source: AIHW, *Child Protection Notifications, Investigations and Substantiations, Australia* data collection (unpublished).

Table 3A.9.2

Table 3A.9.2 Children (aged 0–16 years) who were the subject of a substantiation: type of abuse or neglect 2005-06 (a)

<i>Type of abuse or neglect</i>	<i>Unit</i>	NSW	Vic	Qld	WA	SA	Tas	ACT	NT	Aust
<i>Indigenous children</i>										
Physical abuse	no.	472	173	276	87	53	9	7	117	1 194
Sexual abuse	no.	249	47	53	51	21	1	–	15	437
Emotional abuse	no.	997	411	486	51	129	8	69	100	2 251
Neglect	no.	974	203	525	127	156	16	23	122	2 146
Total	no.	2 692	834	1 340	316	359	34	99	354	6 028
<i>Non-Indigenous children</i>										
Physical abuse	no.	2 140	1 617	1 932	173	285	119	71	34	6 371
Sexual abuse	no.	1 650	606	568	141	105	59	23	10	3 162
Emotional abuse	no.	3 778	2 781	3 716	108	354	141	540	40	11 458
Neglect	no.	2 343	1 449	2 521	181	352	204	121	24	7 195
Total	no.	9 911	6 453	8 737	603	1 096	523	755	108	28 186

Table 3A.9.2

Table 3A.9.2 Children (aged 0–16 years) who were the subject of a substantiation: type of abuse or neglect 2005-06 (a)

	Unit	NSW	Vic	Qld	WA	SA	Tas	ACT	NT	Aust
<i>Type of abuse or neglect</i>										
<i>Indigenous children</i>										
Physical abuse	%	17.5	20.7	20.6	27.5	14.8	26.5	7.1	33.1	19.8
Sexual abuse	%	9.2	5.6	4.0	16.1	5.8	2.9	–	4.2	7.2
Emotional abuse	%	37.0	49.3	36.3	16.1	35.9	23.5	69.7	28.2	37.3
Neglect	%	36.2	24.3	39.2	40.2	43.5	47.1	23.2	34.5	35.6
Total	%	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
<i>Non-Indigenous children</i>										
Physical abuse	%	21.6	25.1	22.1	28.7	26.0	22.8	9.4	31.5	22.6
Sexual abuse	%	16.6	9.4	6.5	23.4	9.6	11.3	3.0	9.3	11.2
Emotional abuse	%	38.1	43.1	42.5	17.9	32.3	27.0	71.5	37.0	40.7
Neglect	%	23.6	22.5	28.9	30.0	32.1	39.0	16.0	22.2	25.5
Total	%	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0

Table 3A.9.2

Table 3A.9.2 Children (aged 0–16 years) who were the subject of a substantiation: type of abuse or neglect 2005-06 (a)

	Unit	NSW	Vic	Qld	WA	SA	Tas	ACT	NT	Aust
<i>Type of abuse or neglect (b)</i>										
<i>Indigenous children</i>										
<i>Rate per 1000 children</i>										
Physical abuse		8	14	5	3	5	1	4	5	na
Sexual abuse		4	4	1	2	2	–	–	1	na
Emotional abuse		16	33	8	2	12	1	40	4	na
Neglect		16	16	9	4	14	2	13	5	na
Total		44	68	23	11	32	4	57	15	na
<i>Non-Indigenous children</i>										
<i>Rate per 1000 children</i>										
Physical abuse		1	1	2	–	1	1	1	1	na
Sexual abuse		1	1	1	–	–	1	–	–	na
Emotional abuse		3	3	4	–	1	1	8	1	na
Neglect		2	1	3	–	1	2	2	1	na
Total		7	6	10	1	4	5	11	3	na

(a) If a child was the subject of a substantiation for more than one type of abuse or neglect, then type of abuse and/or neglect is classified as the type most likely to be the most severe in the short term or most likely to place the child at risk in the short term, or if such an assessment is not possible, to the most obvious form of abuse.

(b) Based on population (aged 0–16 years) as at December 2005.

– Nil or rounded to zero. .. Not applicable. **na** Not available.

Source: AIHW, Child protection database (unpublished).

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Table 3A.9.3

Table 3A.9.3 Children (aged 0–16 years) who were the subject of a substantiation: type of abuse or neglect 2004-05 (a)

	Unit	NSW	Vic	Qld	WA	SA	Tas	ACT	NT	Aust
<i>Type of abuse or neglect</i>										
<i>Indigenous children</i>										
Physical abuse	no.	300	172	284	99	86	10	13	108	1 072
Sexual abuse	no.	175	29	45	68	8	11	3	19	358
Emotional abuse	no.	608	376	367	46	186	8	44	52	1 687
Neglect	no.	548	193	490	140	197	8	39	140	1 755
Total	no.	1 631	770	1 186	353	477	37	99	319	4 872
<i>Non-Indigenous children</i>										
Physical abuse	no.	1 808	1 541	2 675	197	315	148	104	62	6 850
Sexual abuse	no.	1 441	616	741	155	95	72	43	8	3 171
Emotional abuse	no.	2 700	2 682	4 593	97	461	104	411	25	11 073
Neglect	no.	1 572	1 404	3 691	233	440	185	200	33	7 758
Total	no.	7 521	6 243	11 700	682	1 311	509	758	128	28 852

Table 3A.9.3

Table 3A.9.3 Children (aged 0–16 years) who were the subject of a substantiation: type of abuse or neglect 2004-05 (a)

Type of abuse or neglect		Unit	NSW	Vic	Qld	WA	SA	Tas	ACT	NT	Aust
<i>Indigenous children</i>											
Physical abuse	%	18.4	22.3	23.9	28.0	18.0	27.0	13.1	33.9	22.0	
Sexual abuse	%	10.7	3.8	3.8	19.3	1.7	29.7	3.0	6.0	7.3	
Emotional abuse	%	37.3	48.8	30.9	13.0	39.0	21.6	44.4	16.3	34.6	
Neglect	%	33.6	25.1	41.3	39.7	41.3	21.6	39.4	43.9	36.0	
Total	%	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
<i>Non-Indigenous children</i>											
Physical abuse	%	24.0	24.7	22.9	28.9	24.0	29.1	13.7	48.4	23.7	
Sexual abuse	%	19.2	9.9	6.3	22.7	7.2	14.1	5.7	6.3	11.0	
Emotional abuse	%	35.9	43.0	39.3	14.2	35.2	20.4	54.2	19.5	38.4	
Neglect	%	20.9	22.5	31.5	34.2	33.6	36.3	26.4	25.8	26.9	
Total	%	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0

Table 3A.9.3

Table 3A.9.3 Children (aged 0–16 years) who were the subject of a substantiation: type of abuse or neglect 2004-05 (a)

<i>Type of abuse or neglect (b)</i>	<i>Unit</i>	<i>NSW</i>	<i>Vic</i>	<i>Qld</i>	<i>WA</i>	<i>SA</i>	<i>Tas</i>	<i>ACT</i>	<i>NT</i>	<i>Aust</i>
<i>Indigenous children</i>										
<i>Rate per 1000 children</i>										
Physical abuse		5	14	5	3	8	1	7	5	na
Sexual abuse		3	2	1	2	1	1	2	1	na
Emotional abuse		10	31	6	2	17	1	25	2	na
Neglect		9	16	8	5	18	1	22	6	na
Total		27	63	20	12	43	5	56	14	na
<i>Non-Indigenous children</i>										
<i>Rate per 1000 children</i>										
Physical abuse		1	1	3	–	1	1	1	2	na
Sexual abuse		1	1	1	–	–	1	1	–	na
Emotional abuse		2	2	5	–	1	1	6	1	na
Neglect		1	1	4	1	1	2	3	1	na
Total		5	6	14	2	4	5	11	4	na

(a) If a child was the subject of a substantiation for more than one type of abuse or neglect, then type of abuse and/or neglect is classified as the type most likely to be the most severe in the short term or most likely to place the child at risk in the short term, or if such an assessment is not possible, to the most obvious form of abuse.

(b) Based on population (aged 0–16 years) as at December 2004.

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Table 3A.9.4

Table 3A.9.4 Children (aged 0–16 years) who were the subject of a substantiation: type of abuse or neglect 2003-04 (a) (b)

<i>Type of abuse or neglect</i>	<i>Unit</i>	NSW	Vic	Qld	WA	SA	Tas	ACT	NT	Aust
<i>Indigenous children</i>										
Physical abuse	no.	na	169	306	103	74	5	7	135	799
Sexual abuse	no.	na	38	47	53	21	–	4	39	202
Emotional abuse	no.	na	321	314	25	149	1	22	50	882
Neglect	no.	na	172	525	141	197	6	11	151	1 203
Total	no.	na	700	1 192	322	441	12	44	375	3 086
<i>Non-Indigenous children</i>										
Physical abuse	no.	na	1 502	2 764	161	409	106	67	45	5 054
Sexual abuse	no.	na	573	765	172	118	58	31	30	1 747
Emotional abuse	no.	na	2 900	3 856	101	424	27	231	11	7 550
Neglect	no.	na	1 348	4 096	165	548	126	112	30	6 425
Total	no.	na	6 323	11 481	599	1 499	317	441	116	20 776

Table 3A.9.4

Table 3A.9.4 Children (aged 0–16 years) who were the subject of a substantiation: type of abuse or neglect 2003-04 (a) (b)

Type of abuse or neglect		Unit	NSW	Vic	Qld	WA	SA	Tas	ACT	NT	Aust
<i>Indigenous children</i>											
Physical abuse	%	na	24.1	25.7	32.0	16.8	41.7	15.9	36.0	25.9	
Sexual abuse	%	na	5.4	3.9	16.5	4.8	–	9.1	10.4	6.5	
Emotional abuse	%	na	45.9	26.3	7.8	33.8	8.3	50.0	13.3	28.6	
Neglect	%	na	24.6	44.0	43.8	44.7	50.0	25.0	40.3	39.0	
Total	%	na	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	
<i>Non-Indigenous children</i>											
Physical abuse	%	na	23.8	24.1	26.9	27.3	33.4	15.2	38.8	24.3	
Sexual abuse	%	na	9.1	6.7	28.7	7.9	18.3	7.0	25.9	8.4	
Emotional abuse	%	na	45.9	33.6	16.9	28.3	8.5	52.4	9.5	36.3	
Neglect	%	na	21.3	35.7	27.5	36.6	39.7	25.4	25.9	30.9	
Total	%	na	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	

Table 3A.9.4

Table 3A.9.4 Children (aged 0–16 years) who were the subject of a substantiation: type of abuse or neglect 2003-04 (a) (b)

<i>Type of abuse or neglect</i>	<i>Unit</i>	<i>NSW</i>	<i>Vic</i>	<i>Qld</i>	<i>WA</i>	<i>SA</i>	<i>Tas</i>	<i>ACT</i>	<i>NT</i>	<i>Aust</i>
<i>Indigenous children</i>										
<i>Rate per 1000 children</i>										
Physical abuse	na	13.9	5.3	3.6	6.7	0.6		4.0	5.8	na
Sexual abuse	na	3.1	0.8	1.8	1.9	–		2.3	1.7	na
Emotional abuse	na	26.4	5.5	0.9	13.5	0.1		12.7	2.2	na
Neglect	na	14.2	9.2	4.9	17.8	0.8		6.3	6.5	na
Total	na	57.7	20.8	11.2	39.9	1.6		25.3	13.2	na
<i>Non-Indigenous children</i>										
<i>Rate per 1000 children</i>										
Physical abuse	na	1.4	3.3	0.4	1.3	1.0		0.9	1.4	na
Sexual abuse	na	0.5	0.9	0.4	0.4	0.6		0.4	0.9	na
Emotional abuse	na	2.7	4.6	0.2	1.3	0.3		3.3	0.3	na
Neglect	na	1.2	4.8	0.4	1.7	1.2		1.6	0.9	na
Total	na	5.9	13.6	1.4	4.7	3.2		6.2	3.5	na

(a) If a child was the subject of a substantiation for more than one type of abuse or neglect, then type of abuse and/or neglect is classified as the type most likely to be the most severe in the short term or most likely to place the child at risk in the short term, or if such an assessment is not possible, to the most obvious form of abuse.

(b) NSW was unable to provide data due to the ongoing implementation of the data system.

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Table 3A.9.5

Table 3A.9.5 Children (aged 0–16 years) who were the subject of a substantiation: type of abuse or neglect 2002-03 (a)

<i>Type of abuse or neglect</i>	<i>Unit</i>	NSW	Vic	Qld	WA	SA	Tas	ACT	NT	Aust
<i>Indigenous children</i>										
Physical abuse	no.	620	118	227	65	100	10	6	78	1 224
Sexual abuse	no.	174	38	44	42	16	–	1	22	337
Emotional abuse	no.	623	296	224	30	89	–	16	20	1 298
Neglect	no.	485	215	386	138	146	9	10	78	1 467
Other (b)	no.	8	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	8
Total	no.	1 910	667	881	275	351	19	33	198	4 334
<i>Non-Indigenous children</i>										
Physical abuse	no.	3 096	1 591	1 939	170	511	79	63	55	7 504
Sexual abuse	no.	1 725	493	458	191	146	57	20	10	3 100
Emotional abuse	no.	3 031	2 687	2 794	67	365	10	84	14	9 052
Neglect	no.	1 635	1 406	2 913	143	523	40	63	34	6 757
Other (b)	no.	37	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	37
Total	no.	9 524	6 177	8 104	571	1 545	186	230	113	26 450

Table 3A.9.5

Table 3A.9.5 Children (aged 0–16 years) who were the subject of a substantiation: type of abuse or neglect 2002-03 (a)

	Unit	NSW	Vic	Qld	WA	SA	Tas	ACT	NT	Aust
<i>Type of abuse or neglect</i>										
<i>Indigenous children</i>										
Physical abuse	%	32.5	17.7	25.8	23.6	28.5	52.6	18.2	39.4	28.2
Sexual abuse	%	9.1	5.7	5.0	15.3	4.6	–	3.0	11.1	7.8
Emotional abuse	%	32.6	44.4	25.4	10.9	25.4	–	48.5	10.1	29.9
Neglect	%	25.4	32.2	43.8	50.2	41.6	47.4	30.3	39.4	33.8
Other (b)	%	–	0.2
Total	%	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
<i>Non-Indigenous children</i>										
Physical abuse	%	32.5	25.8	23.9	29.8	33.1	42.5	27.4	48.7	28.4
Sexual abuse	%	18.1	8.0	5.7	33.5	9.4	30.6	8.7	8.8	11.7
Emotional abuse	%	31.8	43.5	34.5	11.7	23.6	5.4	36.5	12.4	34.2
Neglect	%	17.2	22.8	35.9	25.0	33.9	21.5	27.4	30.1	25.5
Other (b)	%	–	0.1
Total	%	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0

Table 3A.9.5

Table 3A.9.5 Children (aged 0–16 years) who were the subject of a substantiation: type of abuse or neglect 2002-03 (a)

Type of abuse or neglect	Unit	NSW	Vic	Qld	WA	SA	Tas	ACT	NT	Aust
<i>Indigenous children</i>										
<i>Rate per 1000 children</i>										
Physical abuse		10.4	9.8	4.0	2.3	9.1	1.3	3.5	3.4	na
Sexual abuse		2.9	3.2	0.8	1.5	1.4	0.0	0.6	1.0	na
Emotional abuse		10.4	24.5	4.0	1.0	8.1	0.0	9.4	0.9	na
Neglect		8.1	17.8	6.8	4.8	13.3	1.2	5.9	3.4	na
Other (b)		–	na
Total		31.9	55.3	15.6	9.6	32.0	2.5	19.4	8.6	na
<i>Non-Indigenous children</i>										
<i>Rate per 1000 children</i>										
Physical abuse		2.1	1.5	2.3	0.4	1.6	0.7	0.8	1.8	na
Sexual abuse		1.2	0.5	0.5	0.4	0.5	0.6	0.3	0.3	na
Emotional abuse		2.0	2.5	3.3	0.2	1.1	0.1	1.8	0.4	na
Neglect		1.1	1.3	3.5	0.3	1.6	0.4	0.9	1.1	na
Other (b)		–	na
Total		6.5	5.7	9.7	1.3	4.8	1.8	3.2	3.6	na

(a) If a child was the subject of a substantiation for more than one type of abuse or neglect, then type of abuse and/or neglect is classified as the type most likely to be the most severe in the short term or most likely to place the child at risk in the short term, or if such an assessment is not possible, to the most obvious form of abuse.

(b) The category 'other' used for NSW comprises children identified as being at high risk but with no identifiable injury.

– Nil or rounded to zero. .. Not applicable. **na** Not available.

Source: AIHW, Child protection database (unpublished).

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Table 3A.9.6

Table 3A.9.6 Children (aged 0–16 years) who were the subject of a substantiation: type of abuse or neglect 2001-02 (a)

Type of abuse or neglect	Unit	NSW	Vic	Qld (c)	WA	SA	Tas (d)	ACT	NT	Aust
<i>Indigenous children</i>										
Physical abuse	no.	283	128	187	98	102	na	2	96	896
Sexual abuse	no.	151	24	42	59	14	na	1	18	309
Emotional abuse	no.	120	287	171	35	93	na	5	27	738
Neglect	no.	238	140	405	194	137	na	3	81	1 198
Other (b)	no.	121	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	121
Total	no.	913	579	805	386	346	na	11	222	3 262
<i>Non-Indigenous children</i>										
Physical abuse	no.	1 870	1 690	1 609	203	446	na	56	49	5 923
Sexual abuse	no.	1 864	511	403	264	141	na	9	10	3 202
Emotional abuse	no.	649	2 878	2 155	77	324	na	77	28	6 188
Neglect	no.	1 001	1 490	2 420	174	496	na	49	22	5 652
Other (b)	no.	977	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	977
Total	no.	6 361	6 569	6 587	718	1 407	na	191	109	21 942

Table 3A.9.6

Table 3A.9.6 Children (aged 0–16 years) who were the subject of a substantiation: type of abuse or neglect 2001-02 (a)

Type of abuse or neglect	Unit	NSW	Vic	Qld (c)	WA	SA	Tas (d)	ACT	NT	Aust
<i>Indigenous children</i>										
Physical abuse	%	31.0	22.1	23	25.4	29.5	na	18.2	43.2	27.5
Sexual abuse	%	16.5	4.1	5	15.3	4.0	na	9.1	8.1	9.5
Emotional abuse	%	13.1	49.6	21	9.1	26.9	na	45.5	12.2	22.6
Neglect	%	26.1	24.2	50	50.3	39.6	na	27.3	36.5	36.7
Other (b)	%	13.3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3.7
Total	%	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	na	100.0	100.0	100.0
<i>Non-Indigenous children</i>										
Physical abuse	%	29.4	25.7	24	28.3	31.7	na	29.3	45.0	27.0
Sexual abuse	%	29.3	7.8	6	36.8	10.0	na	4.7	9.2	14.6
Emotional abuse	%	10.2	43.8	33	10.7	23.0	na	40.3	25.7	28.2
Neglect	%	15.7	22.7	37	24.2	35.3	na	25.7	20.2	25.8
Other (b)	%	15.4	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	4.5
Total	%	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	na	100.0	100.0	100.0

(a) If a child was the subject of a substantiation for more than one type of abuse or neglect, then type of abuse and/or neglect is assigned to the category nearest the top of the list.

(b) The category 'other' used for NSW comprises children identified as being at high risk but with no identifiable injury.

(c) Queensland data relate to children aged 0–17 years.

(d) Data not shown for Tasmania due to the very small Indigenous numbers.

– Nil or rounded to zero. .. Not applicable. **na** Not available.

Source: AIHW, Child protection database (unpublished).

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Table 3A.10.1

Table 3A.10.1 Homicide death rate (per 100 000 population), age standardised, 2001–2005 (a), (b), (c), (d)

	Indigenous			Non-Indigenous			Total	
	Males	Females	Persons	Males	Females	Persons	Males	Females
Qld	7.3	4.1	5.7	1.4	0.8	1.1	1.6	0.9
WA	12.6	8.0	10.2	0.9	0.5	0.7	1.4	0.8
SA	14.8	3.0	8.4	1.2	0.8	1.0	1.6	1.0
NT	22.6	21.6	21.3	2.4	1.4	2.0	7.0	7.6

(a) Data on deaths of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Australians are affected by differing levels of coverage of deaths identified as Indigenous across states and territories. Care should be exercised in analysing these data, particularly in making comparisons across states and territories and between the Indigenous and non-Indigenous data.

(b) Data on Indigenous causes of death are not available separately from the ABS for NSW, Victoria, Tasmania and the ACT due to a combination of comparatively small numbers and relatively low coverage of Indigenous deaths.

(c) Deaths from homicide are defined as causes of death with ICD codes X85–Y09.

(d) Calculations of rates for the Indigenous population are based on ABS Experimental Projections, Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Australians (low series, 2001 base). There are no comparable population data for the non-Indigenous population. Calculations of rates for the non-Indigenous population are based on data derived by subtracting Indigenous population projections from total population estimates and should be used with care.

Source: ABS *Causes of Death 2005*, Cat. no. 3303.0 (unpublished).

Table 3A.10.2

Table 3A.10.2 Homicide deaths, by age and State/Territory, 2001–2005 (a), (b), (c), (d)

Unit	Indigenous					Non-Indigenous				
	Under 25	25–34	35–44	45 and over	All ages (e)	Under 25	25–34	35–44	45 and over	All ages (e)
Number of homicide deaths 2001–2005										
NSW	12	12	np	np	33	86	82	87	117	372
Qld	9	10	9	5	33	61	40	42	57	200
WA	6	11	10	4	31	20	14	18	19	71
SA	np	np	np	np	10	17	11	19	29	76
NT	16	22	17	4	60	5	np	np	5	15
Population 2003										
Qld	73 442	19 431	14 755	16 845	124 473	np	np	np	np	np
WA	36 490	10 108	8 163	8 897	63 658	np	np	np	np	np
SA	14 568	3 992	3 115	3 554	25 229	np	np	np	np	np
NT	32 170	10 372	7 149	8 405	58 096	np	np	np	np	np
Annual average homicide death rate 2001–2005										
Qld	2.5	10.3	np	np	5.3	1.0	1.5	1.5	0.8	1.1
WA	3.3	21.8	24.5	9.0	9.7	0.6	1.0	1.2	0.6	0.8
SA	np	np	np	np	7.9	0.7	1.1	1.7	1.0	1.0
NT	9.9	42.4	47.6	9.5	20.7	2.1	np	np	2.5	2.1

(a) Data on deaths of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Australians are affected by differing levels of coverage of deaths identified as Indigenous across states and territories. Care should be exercised in analysing these data, particularly in making comparisons across states and territories and between the Indigenous and non-Indigenous data.

(b) Data on Indigenous causes of death are not available separately from the ABS for NSW, Victoria, Tasmania and the ACT due to a combination of comparatively small numbers and relatively low coverage of Indigenous deaths.

(c) Deaths from homicide are defined as causes of death with ICD codes X85–Y09.

(d) Calculations of rates for the Indigenous population are based on ABS Experimental Projections, Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Australians (low series, 2001 base). There are no comparable population data for the non-Indigenous population. Calculations of rates for the non-Indigenous population are based on data derived by subtracting Indigenous population projections from total population estimates and should be used with care.

(e) Includes age not stated.

np Not published.

Source: ABS Causes of Death 2005, Cat. no. 3303.0 (unpublished).

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Table 3A.10.3

Table 3A.10.3 Homicide deaths, by sex and State/Territory, 2001–2005 (a), (b), (c), (d)

Unit	Indigenous			Non-Indigenous		
	Male	Female	Persons	Male	Female	Persons
Number of homicide deaths 2001–2005						
NSW						
no.	26	7	33	255	117	372
Qld						
no.	20	13	33	129	71	200
WA						
no.	18	13	31	45	26	71
SA						
no.	np	np	10	46	30	76
NT						
no.	28	32	60	10	5	15
Population 2003						
Qld						
no.	61 146	63 327	124 473	np	np	np
WA						
no.	31 511	32 147	63 658	np	np	np
SA						
no.	12 201	13 028	25 229	np	np	np
NT						
no.	29 275	28 821	58 096	np	np	np
Annual average homicide death rate 2001–2005						
Qld						
Per 100 000	6.5	4.1	5.3	1.4	0.8	1.1
WA						
Per 100 000	11.4	8.1	9.7	1.0	0.6	0.8
SA						
Per 100 000	np	np	7.9	1.2	0.8	1.0
NT						
Per 100 000	19.1	22.2	20.7	2.7	1.5	2.1

(a) Data on deaths of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Australians are affected by differing levels of coverage of deaths identified as Indigenous across states and territories. Care should be exercised in analysing these data, particularly in making comparisons across states and territories and between the Indigenous and non-Indigenous data.

(b) Data on Indigenous causes of death are not available separately from the ABS for NSW, Victoria, Tasmania and the ACT due to a combination of comparatively small numbers and relatively low coverage of Indigenous deaths.

(c) Deaths from homicide are defined as causes of death with ICD codes X85–Y09.

(d) Calculations of rates for the Indigenous population are based on ABS Experimental Projections, Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Australians (low series, 2001 base). There are no comparable population data for the non-Indigenous population. Calculations of rates for the non-Indigenous population are based on data derived by subtracting Indigenous population projections from total population estimates and should be used with care.

np Not published.

Source: ABS *Causes of Death 2005*, Cat. no. 3303.0 (unpublished).

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Table 3A.10.4

Table 3A.10.4 Indigenous and non-Indigenous homicide victims, by State/Territory, 2004-05 (a)

	Indigenous homicides (b)		Non-Indigenous homicides (c)		Total homicides (d)	
	n=35		n=203		n=245	
	no.	%	no.	%	no.	%
NSW	4	11.4	65	32.0	69	28.2
Vic	–	..	50	24.6	53	21.6
Qld	8	22.9	44	21.7	53	21.6
WA	11	31.4	16	7.9	27	11.0
SA	3	8.6	14	6.9	19	7.8
Tas	–	..	10	4.9	11	4.5
ACT	–	..	1	0.5	1	0.4
NT	9	25.7	2	1.0	11	4.5
Australia *	35	100.0	203	100.0	245	100.0

(a) Homicide includes murder and manslaughter, but excludes driving causing death.

(b) Both victims and offenders of homicide are either Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander.

(c) Both victims and offenders are not Indigenous. Includes victims and offenders who are Caucasian, Asian and Maori/Pacific Islanders.

(d) Includes inter-racial homicides where either the victim or the offender is Indigenous (including homicides involving an Indigenous offender and a non-Indigenous victim, and a non-Indigenous offender and an Indigenous victim).

– Nil or rounded to zero. .. Not applicable.

* Australian total includes one incident occurring in an external Australian territory (Norfolk Island).

Source: Australian Institute of Criminology, National Homicide Monitoring Program, 2004-2005 [computer file].

Table 3A.10.5

Table 3A.10.5 Indigenous and non-Indigenous homicide victims, by remoteness area (a) (b) (c)

	Indigenous victims (d)			Non-Indigenous victims (e)			Total homicide victims		
	no.	%	rate per 100 000 (f)	no.	%	rate per 100 000 (f)	no.	%	
1999-2000									
Major cities	9	20.5	6.7	178	61.0	1.4	187	55.7	
Inner regional	4	9.1	4.4	61	20.9	1.6	65	19.3	
Outer regional	19	43.2	18.5	49	16.8	2.6	68	20.2	
Remote	5	11.4	12.8	3	1.0	1.1	8	2.4	
Very remote	7	15.9	8.9	1	0.3	1.0	8	2.4	
Australia	44	100.0	9.9	292	100.0	1.6	336	100.0	
2000-01									
Major cities	8	17.8	5.8	177	66.0	1.4	185	59.1	
Inner regional	4	8.9	4.3	55	20.5	1.4	59	18.8	
Outer regional	14	31.1	13.3	29	10.8	1.5	43	13.7	
Remote	6	13.3	15.1	5	1.9	1.8	11	3.5	
Very remote	13	28.9	16.2	2	0.7	2.1	15	4.8	
Australia	45	100.0	9.9	268	100.0	1.4	313	100.0	
2001-02									
Major cities	9	16.4	6.4	219	68.0	1.7	228	60.5	
Inner regional	3	5.5	3.2	66	20.5	1.7	69	18.3	
Outer regional	19	34.5	17.8	29	9.0	1.5	48	12.7	
Remote	13	23.6	32.1	4	1.2	1.4	17	4.5	
Very remote	11	20.0	13.5	4	1.2	4.1	15	4.0	
Australia	55	100.0	11.9	322	100.0	1.7	377	100.0	

Table 3A.10.5

Indigenous and non-Indigenous homicide victims, by remoteness area (a) (b) (c)										
	Indigenous victims (d)			Non-Indigenous victims (e)			Total homicide victims			
	no.	%	rate per 100 000 (f)	no.	%	rate per 100 000 (f)	no.	%		
2002-03										
Major cities	3	6.8	2.1	175	63.2	1.3	178	55.5		
Inner regional	7	15.9	7.3	61	22.0	1.5	68	21.2		
Outer regional	12	27.3	11.0	34	12.3	1.8	46	14.3		
Remote	8	18.2	19.4	5	1.8	1.7	13	4.0		
Very remote	14	31.8	16.8	2	0.7	2.0	16	5.0		
Australia	44	100.0	9.3	277	100.0	1.4	321	100.0		
2003-04										
Major cities	3	8.8	2.1	190	71.7	1.4	193	64.5		
Inner regional	7	20.6	7.2	47	17.7	1.2	54	18.1		
Outer regional	12	35.3	10.8	18	6.8	0.9	30	10.0		
Remote	2	5.9	4.8	7	2.6	2.4	9	3.0		
Very remote	10	29.4	11.8	3	1.1	3.0	13	4.3		
Australia	34	100.0	7.1	265	100.0	1.4	299	100.0		
2004-05										
Major cities	7	18.9	4.7	139	62.9	1.0	146	56.6		
Inner regional	3	8.1	3.0	54	24.4	1.3	57	22.1		
Outer regional	10	27.0	8.7	23	10.4	1.1	33	12.8		
Remote	7	18.9	16.1	3	1.4	1.0	10	3.9		
Very remote	10	27.0	11.4	2	0.9	1.9	12	4.7		
Australia *	37	100.0	7.4	221	100.0	1.1	258	100.0		

Table 3A.10.5

Table 3A.10.5 Indigenous and non-Indigenous homicide victims, by remoteness area (a) (b) (c)

	Indigenous victims (d)			Non-Indigenous victims (e)			Total homicide victims	
	no.	%	rate per 100 000 (f)	no.	%	rate per 100 000 (f)	no.	%
1999-2000 – 2004-05								
Major cities	39	15.1	4.6	1078	65.5	1.4	1117	58.7
Inner regional	28	10.8	4.9	344	20.9	1.4	372	19.5
Outer regional	86	33.2	13.4	182	11.1	1.6	268	14.1
Remote	41	15.8	16.7	27	1.6	1.6	68	3.6
Very remote	65	25.1	13.1	14	0.9	2.4	79	4.1
Australia *	259	100.0	9.3	1645	100.0	1.4	1904	100.0

(a) Remoteness area of homicide based on ABS postal area to remoteness area concordance 2001 [ABS Cat. no. 9921.0]

(b) Homicide includes murder and manslaughter, but excludes driving causing death.

(c) Excludes cases where Indigenous status of victim is unknown or remoteness area of homicide incident is unknown.

(d) Indigenous includes either Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander.

(e) Non-Indigenous includes Caucasian, Asian and Maori/Pacific Islanders.

(f) Population denominators for remoteness areas have been derived by applying the proportions of Indigenous people living in each remoteness area in 2001 to experimental estimates and projections (low series) of the Indigenous population published by the ABS. Non-Indigenous denominators have been derived by applying proportions of non-Indigenous people in each remoteness area in 2001 to non-Indigenous population estimates derived by subtracting ABS Indigenous population projections from the ABS total Estimated Resident Population for each year. Therefore, data should be used with caution.

* Australian total includes one incident occurring in an external Australian territory (Norfolk Island). .. Not applicable.

Source : Australian Institute of Criminology, National Homicide Monitoring Program, 2004-2005 [computer file]; ABS 2004, *Experimental Estimates and Projections, Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Australians, 1991 to 2009*, Cat. no. 3238.0.

Table 3A.10.6

Table 3A.10.6 Distribution of homicides according to the Indigenous status of victims and offenders, 2004-05 (a)

	Indigenous offender on Indigenous victim		Indigenous offender on non-Indigenous victim		Non-Indigenous offender on Indigenous victim		Non-Indigenous offender on non-Indigenous victim		Total homicides (b)	
	no.	%	no.	%	no.	%	no.	%	no.	%
NSW	4	11.4	-	..	-	..	65	32.0	69	28.2
Vic	-	..	1	20.0	2	100.0	50	24.6	53	21.6
Qld	8	22.9	1	20.0	-	..	44	21.7	53	21.6
WA	11	31.4	-	..	-	..	16	7.9	27	11.0
SA	3	8.6	2	40.0	-	..	14	6.9	19	7.8
Tas	-	..	1	20.0	-	..	10	4.9	11	4.5
ACT	-	..	-	..	-	..	1	0.5	1	0.4
NT	9	25.7	-	..	-	..	2	1.0	11	4.5
Australia *	35	100.0	5	100.0	2	100.0	203	100.0	245	100.0

(a) Homicide includes murder and manslaughter, but excludes driving causing death. Discrepancies between this table and table 3A.10.4 were due to unresolved homicide.

(b) Where an offender has been identified. Excludes incidents where the Indigenous status of either the victim or the offender is unknown. Where there are multiple offenders, table includes the first offender only.

.. Not applicable – Nil or rounded to zero.

* Australian total includes one incident occurring in an external Australian territory (Norfolk Island).

Source: Australian Institute of Criminology, National Homicide Monitoring Program, 2004-2005 [computer file].

Table 3A.10.7

Table 3A.10.7 Selected comparative statistics on Indigenous and non-Indigenous homicides, 2004-2005 (a) (b)

	Indigenous homicides (c) (n=35)		Non-Indigenous homicides (d) (n=203)		Inter-racial homicides (e) (n=7)		Total homicides (n=245)	
	no.	%	no.	%	no.	%	no.	%
Gender (f)								
Male offender on male victim	14	40.0	114	56.4	6	85.7	134	54.9
Male offender on female victim	12	34.3	51	25.2	1	14.3	64	26.2
Female offender on male victim	7	20.0	25	12.4	–	..	32	13.1
Female offender on female victim	2	5.7	12	5.9	–	..	14	5.7
Total	35	100.0	202	100.0	7	100.0	244	100.0
Age								
Victim younger than offender	16	45.7	99	49.0	–	..	115	47.1
Victim same age as offender	3	8.6	5	2.5	–	..	8	3.3
Victim older than offender	16	45.7	99	49.0	7	100.0	122	50.0
Total	35	100.0	203	100.0	7	100.0	245	100.0
Employment status (g)								
Victim and offender working	1	5.0	25	20.7	1	16.7	27	18.4
Neither working	16	80.0	52	43.0	4	66.7	72	49.0
Victim working and offender not working	2	10.0	24	19.8	1	16.7	27	18.4
Victim not working and offender is working	1	5.0	20	16.5	–	..	21	14.3
Total	20	100.0	121	100.0	6	100.0	147	100.0

Table 3A.10.7

Table 3A.10.7 Selected comparative statistics on Indigenous and non-Indigenous homicides, 2004-2005 (a) (b)

	Indigenous homicides (c) (n=35)		Non-Indigenous homicides (d) (n=203)		Inter-racial homicides (e) (n=7)		Total homicides (n=245)	
	no.	%	no.	%	no.	%	no.	%
Motive of the killing (h)								
Domestic altercation	15	42.9	40	19.7	–	..	55	22.4
Alcohol-related argument	7	20.0	12	5.9	1	14.3	20	8.2
Other argument	6	17.1	86	42.4	3	42.9	95	38.8
No apparent motive/unknown	7	20.0	65	32.0	3	42.9	75	30.6
Total	35	100.0	203	100.0	7	100.0	245	100.0
Type of weapon used								
Knife and other sharp instrument	18	51.4	60	29.6	2	28.6	80	32.7
Hands/feet	6	17.1	49	24.1	2	28.6	57	23.3
Firearm	–	..	33	16.3	1	14.3	34	13.9
Other weapon (i)	11	31.4	56	27.6	2	28.6	69	28.2
Unknown	–	..	5	2.5	–	..	5	2.0
Total	35	100.0	203	100.0	7	100.0	245	100.0
Victim-offender relationship								
Intimate partners	16	45.7	51	25.1	–	..	67	27.3
Other family	11	31.4	30	14.8	–	..	41	16.7
Friends and acquaintances	7	20.0	60	29.6	3	42.9	70	28.6
Strangers	1	2.9	32	15.8	4	57.1	37	15.1
Other relationship	–	..	22	10.8	–	..	22	9.0
Unknown	–	..	8	3.9	–	..	8	3.3
Total	35	100.0	203	100.0	7	100.0	245	100.0

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Table 3A.10.7

Table 3A.10.7 Selected comparative statistics on Indigenous and non-Indigenous homicides, 2004-2005 (a) (b)

<i>Indigenous homicides (c)</i>		<i>Non-Indigenous homicides (d)</i>		<i>Inter-racial homicides (e)</i>		<i>Total homicides</i>	
<i>(n=35)</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>(n=203)</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>(n=7)</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>(n=245)</i>	<i>%</i>
<i>no.</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>no.</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>no.</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>no.</i>	<i>%</i>

(a) Homicide includes murder and manslaughter, but excludes driving causing death.

(b) Where an offender has been identified. Excludes cases where Indigenous status of victim or offender is unknown. Where there are multiple offenders, table includes the first offender only.

(c) Both victims and offenders of homicide are either Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islanders.

(d) Both victims and offenders are not Indigenous. Includes victims and offenders who are Caucasian, Asian and Maori/Pacific Islanders.

(e) Inter-racial homicides where either victim or the offender is Indigenous (including homicides involving an Indigenous offender and a non-Indigenous victim, and a non-Indigenous offender and an Indigenous victim.)

(f) Excludes one non-Indigenous victim whose gender was unknown.

(g) Excludes data where employment status of victim or offender was unknown.

(h) Domestic altercation includes jealousy, desertion/termination and argument of a domestic nature. Other argument includes other argument, revenge, envy, money, drugs, racial/sexual vilification & political/sexual gratification. No apparent motive/unknown.

(i) Other weapon includes blunt instrument, explosives, fire, poison, drugs and other weapon.

.. Not applicable – Nil or rounded to zero.

Source: Australian Institute of Criminology, National Homicide Monitoring Program, 2004-2005 [computer file].

Table 3A.10.8

Table 3A.10.8 **Key factors associated with Indigenous and non-Indigenous homicides, 1999-2000 to 2004-05 (a) (b)**

	Indigenous homicides (c)		Non-Indigenous homicides (d)		Inter-racial homicides (e)		Total homicides	
	no.	%	no.	%	no.	%	no.	%
Offender under the influence of alcohol (f)								
1999-2000	34	85.0	81	27.1	12	80.0	127	35.9
2000-01	44	89.8	74	27.4	5	22.7	123	36.1
2001-02	45	81.8	76	23.2	11	55.0	132	32.8
2002-03	27	79.4	96	35.8	12	42.86	135	40.9
2003-04	19	76.0	66	32.2	9	60.00	94	38.3
2004-05	23	67.6	57	36.3	2	50.00	82	45.8
Neither offender nor victim working (g)								
1999-2000	38	95.0	137	45.8	8	53.3	183	51.7
2000-01	35	71.4	142	52.6	15	68.2	192	56.3
2001-02	47	85.5	152	46.5	16	80.0	215	53.5
2002-03	31	91.2	120	44.8	14	50.0	165	50.0
2003-04	16	84.2	57	35.8	6	66.7	79	42.2
2004-05	16	80.0	52	43.0	4	66.7	72	49.0
Domestic altercation (h)								
1999-2000	17	42.5	70	23.4	5	33.3	92	26.0
2000-01	20	40.8	70	25.9	2	9.1	92	27.0
2001-02	21	38.2	102	31.2	2	10.0	125	31.1
2002-03	15	44.1	72	26.9	1	3.6	89	27.0
2003-04	14	51.9	61	28.1	5	33.3	80	30.9
2004-05	15	42.9	40	19.7	–	..	55	22.4

Table 3A.10.8

Table 3A.10.8 Key factors associated with Indigenous and non-Indigenous homicides, 1999-2000 to 2004-05 (a) (b)

- (a) Homicide includes murder and manslaughter, but excludes driving causing death.
- (b) Where an offender has been identified. Excludes cases where Indigenous status of victim or offender is unknown. Where there are multiple offenders, table includes the first offender only.
- (c) Both victims and offenders of homicide are either Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islanders.
- (d) Both victims and offenders are not Indigenous. Includes victims and offenders who are Caucasian, Asian and Maori/Pacific Islanders.
- (e) Inter-racial homicides where either victim or the offender is Indigenous (including homicides involving an Indigenous offender and a non-Indigenous victim, and non-Indigenous offender and an Indigenous victim.)
- (f) Offender under the influence of alcohol is made up of both victim and offender drinking alcohol and only offender drinking alcohol at the time of the homicide.
- (g) Excludes data where employment status of victim or offender was unknown.
- (h) Domestic altercation includes jealousy, desertion/termination and argument of a domestic nature.
 - Nil or rounded to zero. ... Not applicable.

Source: Australian Institute of Criminology, National Homicide Monitoring Program, 2000-2005 [computer file]

Table 3A.10.9

Table 3A.10.9 Non-fatal hospitalisations for assault, age standardised, by sex and Indigenous status, Qld, WA, SA and public hospitals in the NT, 2001-02 (a), (b), (c), (d)

	Indigenous		Non-Indigenous (e)		Total		Indigenous		Non-Indigenous		Indigenous to non-Indigenous ratio (f)
	no.		no.		no.		per 1000		per 1000		
Males											
Total assault (X85–Y09) (g)	2 254		5 595		7 849		18.09		1.58		11.42
X97–Y00: includes by smoke, fire, sharp/blunt objects	845		1 290		2 135		7.06		0.37		19.33
Y04: assault by bodily force	1 030		3 323		4 353		7.98		0.94		8.49
Y05: Sexual assault by bodily force	5		9		14		0.02		–		9.65
Y06: neglect and abandonment	30		17		47		0.37		–		76.12
Y06.1: by parent	24		13		37		0.09		–		23.42
Y07: Other maltreatment (f)	111		127		238		0.76		0.04		20.84
Y07.0: by spouse or partner	46		16		62		0.39		–		83.57
Y07.1: by parent	27		64		91		0.10		0.02		5.67
Y07.2: by friend	8		9		17		0.07		–		29.47
Y08–Y09: specified and unspecified means	233		790		1 023		1.89		0.22		8.45
Females											
Total assault (X85–Y09) (g)	2 587		1 573		4 160		18.36		0.45		40.65
X97–Y00: includes by smoke, fire, sharp/blunt objects	856		171		1 027		6.34		0.05		129.20
Y04: assault by bodily force	876		643		1 519		6.11		0.18		33.24
Y05: Sexual assault by bodily force	34		115		149		0.22		0.03		6.73
Y06: neglect and abandonment	36		15		51		0.17		–		38.77
Y06.1: by parent	27		11		38		0.10		–		30.53
Y07: Other maltreatment (f)	626		469		1 095		4.26		0.14		31.52
Y07.0: by spouse or partner	527		323		850		3.63		0.09		39.20
Y07.1: by parent	30		71		101		0.15		0.02		6.95
Y07.2: by friend	7		12		19		0.04		–		12.17
Y08–Y09: specified and unspecified means	229		146		375		1.71		0.04		41.19

Table 3A.10.9

Table 3A.10.9 Non-fatal hospitalisations for assault, age standardised, by sex and Indigenous status, Qld, WA, SA and public hospitals in the NT, 2001-02 (a), (b), (c), (d)

	Indigenous		Non-Indigenous (e)		Total		Indigenous		Non-Indigenous		Indigenous to non-Indigenous ratio
	no.		no.		no.		per 1000		per 1000		(f)
All persons											
Total assault (X85-Y09) (g)	4 841		7 168		12 009		18.19		1.02		17.78
X97-Y00: includes by smoke, fire, sharp/blunt objects	1 701		1 461		3 162		6.68		0.21		32.07
Y04: assault by bodily force	1 906		3 966		5 872		7.01		0.57		12.39
Y05: Sexual assault by bodily force	39		124		163		0.13		0.02		7.20
Y06: neglect and abandonment	66		32		98		0.25		-		53.04
Y06.1: by parent	51		24		75		0.09		-		26.72
Y07: Other maltreatment (f)	737		596		1 333		2.57		0.09		29.99
Y07.0: by spouse or partner	573		339		912		2.07		0.05		42.67
Y07.1: by parent	57		135		192		0.13		0.02		6.42
Y07.2: by friend	15		21		36		0.06		-		19.10
Y08-Y09: specified and unspecified means	462		936		1 398		1.79		0.13		13.46

(a) Non-fatal refers to records where the hospitalisation was not equal to 'died'. Separations were based on ICD-10-AM classification.

(b) State of usual residence.

(c) Rate per 1000 population was directly age standardised using 2001 Australian population.

(d) Indigenous data are reported for Queensland, Western Australia, South Australia and the Northern Territory only. These four jurisdictions are considered to have the highest level of accuracy of Indigenous identification, although the level of accuracy varies.

(e) Includes hospitalisations where Indigenous status was unknown.

(f) The ratio is equal to the hospitalisation rate for Indigenous persons divided by the hospitalisation rate for non-Indigenous people (which includes Indigenous status not reported).

(g) As more than one external cause can be reported for each hospitalisation, the totals are not the sum of the rows of the table.

- Nil or rounded to zero; np Not published.

Source : AIHW National Hospital Morbidity Database (unpublished).

Table 3A.10.10

Table 3A.10.10 Non-fatal hospitalisations for assault, age standardised, by sex and Indigenous status, Qld, WA, SA, and public hospitals in the NT, 2002-03 (a), (b), (c), (d)

	Indigenous		Non-Indigenous (e)		Total		Indigenous		Non-Indigenous		Indigenous to non-Indigenous ratio (f)
	no.		no.		no.		per 1000		per 1000		
Males											
Total assault (X85–Y09) (g)	2 071		5 434		7 505		16.52		1.52		10.90
X97–Y00: includes by smoke, fire, sharp/blunt objects	826		1 252		2 078		6.90		0.35		19.74
Y04: assault by bodily force	890		3 179		4 069		6.93		0.89		7.83
Y05: Sexual assault by bodily force	13		16		29		0.07		–		14.91
Y06: neglect and abandonment	33		21		54		0.20		0.01		34.22
Y06.1: by parent	24		16		40		0.09		–		19.09
Y07: Other maltreatment (f)	33		85		118		0.15		0.02		6.21
Y07.0: by spouse or partner	6		7		13		0.04		–		22.72
Y07.1: by parent	17		52		69		0.06		0.01		4.30
Y07.2: by friend	np		np		6		np		–		11.15
Y08–Y09: specified and unspecified means	272		789		1 061		2.24		0.22		10.16
Females											
Total assault (X85–Y09) (g)	2 515		1 518		4 033		17.68		0.43		41.04
X97–Y00: includes by smoke, fire, sharp/blunt objects	1 045		194		1 239		7.62		0.05		138.69
Y04: assault by bodily force	938		747		1 685		6.49		0.21		30.75
Y05: Sexual assault by bodily force	60		106		166		0.35		0.03		11.51
Y06: neglect and abandonment	34		21		55		0.21		0.01		34.38
Y06.1: by parent	21		14		35		0.08		–		18.78
Y07: Other maltreatment (f)	179		214		393		1.18		0.06		19.20
Y07.0: by spouse or partner	151		112		263		1.03		0.03		32.65
Y07.1: by parent	9		55		64		0.03		0.02		2.08
Y07.2: by friend	np		np		19		np		–		40.34
Y08–Y09: specified and unspecified means	304		185		489		2.12		0.05		40.70

Table 3A.10.10

Table 3A.10.10 Non-fatal hospitalisations for assault, age standardised, by sex and Indigenous status, Qld, WA, SA, and public hospitals in the NT, 2002-03 (a), (b), (c), (d)

	Indigenous		Non-Indigenous (e)		Total		Indigenous		Non-Indigenous		Indigenous to non-Indigenous ratio (f)
	no.		no.		no.		per 1000		per 1000		
All persons											
Total assault (X85–Y09) (g)	4 841		7 168		12 009		17.08		0.98		17.43
X97–Y00: includes by smoke, fire, sharp/blunt objects	1 701		1 461		3 162		7.26		0.20		35.62
Y04: assault by bodily force	1 906		3 966		5 872		6.69		0.55		12.10
Y05: Sexual assault by bodily force	39		124		163		0.21		0.02		12.30
Y06: neglect and abandonment	66		32		98		0.21		0.01		34.19
Y06.1: by parent	51		24		75		0.08		–		18.93
Y07: Other maltreatment (f)	737		596		1 333		0.68		0.04		15.98
Y07.0: by spouse or partner	573		339		912		0.55		0.02		33.05
Y07.1: by parent	57		135		192		0.05		0.02		3.14
Y07.2: by friend	15		21		36		0.05		–		30.96
Y08–Y09: specified and unspecified means	482		936		1 398		2.16		0.14		15.78

(a) Non-fatal refers to records where the hospitalisation was not equal to 'died'. Separations were based on ICD-10-AM classification.

(b) State of usual residence.

(c) Rate per 1000 population was directly age standardised using 2001 Australian population.

(d) Indigenous data are reported for Queensland, Western Australia, South Australia and the Northern Territory only. These four jurisdictions are considered to have the highest level of accuracy of Indigenous identification, although the level of accuracy varies.

(e) Includes hospitalisations where Indigenous status was unknown.

(f) The ratio is equal to the hospitalisation rate for Indigenous persons divided by the hospitalisation rate for non-Indigenous people (which includes Indigenous status not reported).

(g) As more than one external cause can be reported for each hospitalisation, the totals are not the sum of the rows of the table.

– Nil or rounded to zero; np Not published.

Source : AIHW National Hospital Morbidity Database (unpublished).

Table 3A.10.11

Table 3A.10.11 Non-fatal hospitalisations for assault, age standardised, by sex and Indigenous status, Qld, WA, SA, and public hospitals in the NT, 2003-04 (a), (b), (c), (d)

	Indigenous		Non-Indigenous (e)		Total		Indigenous		Non-Indigenous		Indigenous to non-Indigenous ratio (f)
	no.		no.		no.		per 1000		per 1000		
Males											
Total assault (X85–Y09) (g)	2 010		5 286		7 296		15.57		1.45		10.71
X97–Y00: includes by smoke, fire, sharp/blunt objects	786		1 140		1 926		6.35		0.31		20.22
Y04: assault by bodily force	907		3 313		4 220		6.80		0.91		7.47
Y05: Sexual assault by bodily force	8		8		16		0.04		–		16.15
Y06: neglect and abandonment	35		8		43		0.20		–		86.65
Y06.1: by parent	26		7		33		0.09		–		46.17
Y07: Other maltreatment (f)	21		47		68		0.19		0.01		14.04
Y07.0: by spouse or partner	np		np		np		np		np		np
Y07.1: by parent	14		29		43		0.16		0.01		18.50
Y07.2: by friend	np		np		np		np		np		np
Y08–Y09: specified and unspecified means	252		749		1 001		2.00		0.21		9.74
Females											
Total assault (X85–Y09) (g)	2 509		1 505		4 014		17.06		0.42		40.43
X97–Y00: includes by smoke, fire, sharp/blunt objects	1 016		208		1 224		7.06		0.06		121.10
Y04: assault by bodily force	1 047		852		1 899		7.12		0.24		29.84
Y05: Sexual assault by bodily force	59		111		170		0.34		0.03		10.92
Y06: neglect and abandonment	42		19		61		0.21		0.01		38.88
Y06.1: by parent	25		11		36		0.09		–		28.13
Y07: Other maltreatment (f)	61		149		210		0.33		0.04		7.73
Y07.0: by spouse or partner	np		np		np		np		np		np
Y07.1: by parent	8		29		37		0.03		0.01		3.55
Y07.2: by friend	np		np		np		np		np		np
Y08–Y09: specified and unspecified means	326		161		487		2.24		0.04		50.25

Table 3A.10.11

Table 3A.10.11 Non-fatal hospitalisations for assault, age standardised, by sex and Indigenous status, Qld, WA, SA, and public hospitals in the NT, 2003-04 (a), (b), (c), (d)

	Indigenous		Non-Indigenous (e)		Total		Indigenous		Non-Indigenous		Indigenous to non-Indigenous ratio (f)
	no.	no.	no.	no.	no.	no.	per 1000	per 1000	per 1000		
All persons											
Total assault (X85–Y09) (g)	4 519		6 791	11 310			16.31		0.95		17.26
X97–Y00: includes by smoke, fire, sharp/blunt objects	1 802		1 348	3 150			6.71		0.19		35.75
Y04: assault by bodily force	1 954		4 165	6 119			6.96		0.58		12.01
Y05: Sexual assault by bodily force	67		119	186			0.19		0.02		11.60
Y06: neglect and abandonment	77		27	104			0.20		–		51.73
Y06.1: by parent	51		18	69			0.09		–		35.14
Y07: Other maltreatment (f)	82		196	278			0.25		0.03		9.00
Y07.0: by spouse or partner	38		84	122			0.11		0.01		9.84
Y07.1: by parent	22		58	80			0.08		0.01		9.65
Y07.2: by friend	np		np	14			np		np		np
Y08–Y09: specified and unspecified means	578		910	1 488			2.12		0.13		16.84

(a) Non-fatal refers to records where the hospitalisation was not equal to 'died'. Separations were based on ICD-10-AM classification.

(b) State of usual residence.

(c) Rate per 1000 population was directly age standardised using 2001 Australian population.

(d) Indigenous data are reported for Queensland, Western Australia, South Australia and the Northern Territory only. These four jurisdictions are considered to have the highest level of accuracy of Indigenous identification, although the level of accuracy varies.

(e) Includes hospitalisations where Indigenous status was unknown.

(f) The ratio is equal to the hospitalisation rate for Indigenous persons divided by the hospitalisation rate for non-Indigenous people (which includes Indigenous status not reported).

(g) As more than one external cause can be reported for each hospitalisation, the totals are not the sum of the rows of the table.

– Nil or rounded to zero; np Not published.

Source : AIHW National Hospital Morbidity Database (unpublished).

Table 3A.10.12

Table 3A.10.12 Non-fatal hospitalisations for assault, age standardised, by sex and Indigenous status, Qld, WA, SA, and public hospitals in the NT, 2004-05 (a), (b), (c), (d)

	Indigenous		Non-Indigenous (e)		Total		Indigenous		Non-Indigenous		Indigenous to non-Indigenous ratio (f)
	no.		no.		no.		per 1000		per 1000		
Males											
Total assault (X85–Y09) (g)	2 107		5 719		7 826		15.89		1.55		10.27
X97–Y00: includes by smoke, fire, sharp/blunt objects	838		1 359		2 197		6.62		0.37		17.96
Y04: assault by bodily force	939		3 542		4 481		6.87		0.96		7.18
Y05: Sexual assault by bodily force	np		np		15		np		np		np
Y06: neglect and abandonment	47		19		66		0.25		0.01		45.41
Y06.1: by parent	41		16		57		0.15		–		32.20
Y07: Other maltreatment (f)	23		60		83		0.10		0.02		5.76
Y07.0: by spouse or partner	np		np		np		np		np		np
Y07.1: by parent	14		35		49		0.05		0.01		5.09
Y07.2: by friend	np		np		6		np		np		np
Y08–Y09: specified and unspecified means	264		736		1 000		2.08		0.20		10.48
Females											
Total assault (X85–Y09) (g)	2 652		1 490		4 142		18.21		0.41		44.13
X97–Y00: includes by smoke, fire, sharp/blunt objects	1 094		187		1 281		7.67		0.05		148.84
Y04: assault by bodily force	1 012		888		1 900		6.94		0.25		28.26
Y05: Sexual assault by bodily force	np		np		175		np		np		10.98
Y06: neglect and abandonment	45		8		53		0.22		–		96.68
Y06.1: by parent	39		5		44		0.15		–		96.94
Y07: Other maltreatment (f)	98		135		233		0.60		0.04		15.75
Y07.0: by spouse or partner	np		np		np		np		np		np
Y07.1: by parent	17		31		48		0.06		0.01		7.08
Y07.2: by friend	np		np		13		np		np		11.04
Y08–Y09: specified and unspecified means	395		153		548		2.77		0.04		65.84

Table 3A.10.12

Table 3A.10.12 Non-fatal hospitalisations for assault, age standardised, by sex and Indigenous status, Qld, WA, SA, and public hospitals in the NT, 2004-05 (a), (b), (c), (d)

	Indigenous		Non-Indigenous (e)		Total		Indigenous		Non-Indigenous		Indigenous to non-Indigenous ratio
	no.		no.		no.		per 1000		per 1000		(f)
All persons											
Total assault (X85–Y09) (g)	4 759		7 209		11 968		17.09		0.99		17.28
X97–Y00: includes by smoke, fire, sharp/blunt objects	1 932		1 546		3 478		7.16		0.21		33.73
Y04: assault by bodily force	1 951		4 430		6 381		6.91		0.61		11.39
Y05: Sexual assault by bodily force	61		129		190		0.18		0.02		10.30
Y06: neglect and abandonment	92		27		119		0.23		–		59.20
Y06.1: by parent	80		21		101		0.15		–		47.71
Y07: Other maltreatment (f)	121		195		316		0.36		0.03		13.05
Y07.0: by spouse or partner	60		71		131		0.22		0.01		22.08
Y07.1: by parent	31		66		97		0.06		0.01		6.01
Y07.2: by friend	6		13		19		0.01		–		7.59
Y08–Y09: specified and unspecified means	659		889		1 548		2.44		0.12		20.04

(a) Non-fatal refers to records where the hospitalisation was not equal to 'died'. Separations were based on ICD-10-AM classification.

(b) State of usual residence.

(c) Rate per 1000 population was directly age standardised using 2001 Australian population.

(d) Indigenous data are reported for Queensland, Western Australia, South Australia and the Northern Territory only. These four jurisdictions are considered to have the highest level of accuracy of Indigenous identification, although the level of accuracy varies.

(e) Includes hospitalisations where Indigenous status was unknown.

(f) The ratio is equal to the hospitalisation rate for Indigenous persons divided by the hospitalisation rate for non-Indigenous people (which includes Indigenous status not reported).

(g) As more than one external cause can be reported for each hospitalisation, the totals are not the sum of the rows of the table.

– Nil or rounded to zero; np Not published.

Source : AIHW National Hospital Morbidity Database (unpublished).

Table 3A.11.1
Table 3A.11.1 SAAP support periods: main reason clients sought support, Australia, by Indigenous status, 2005-06

	Indigenous		Non-Indigenous		Total (e)	
	no.	%	no.	%	no.	%
Accommodation difficulties (a)	3 700	14.6	24 100	19.1	27 700	18.3
Relationship / family breakdown (b)	5 400	21.6	26 300	20.9	31 800	21.0
Sexual/physical/emotional abuse	700	2.9	3 000	2.4	3 700	2.5
Domestic/family violence	7 900	31.4	26 900	21.3	34 800	23.0
Financial difficulty (c)	2 000	8.0	18 200	14.4	20 200	13.3
Gambling	–	0.1	500	0.4	500	0.4
Drug / alcohol / substance abuse	1 400	5.5	7 400	5.9	8 800	5.8
Recently left institution	300	1.3	1 800	1.4	2 100	1.4
Psychiatric illness / mental health issues	100	0.3	1 500	1.2	1 500	1.0
Other health issues	300	1.3	1 400	1.1	1 700	1.1
Recent arrival in area with no means of support	1 200	4.7	5 300	4.2	6 500	4.3
Itinerant	800	3.2	3 200	2.6	4 100	2.7
Other (d)	1 300	5.0	6 700	5.3	7 900	5.2
Total	25 200	100.0	126 200	100.0	151 400	100.0

(a) Includes overcrowding issues; eviction/asked to leave; emergency accommodation ended; and previous accommodation ended.

(b) Includes relationship/family breakdown; time out from family/other situation; and interpersonal conflict.

(c) Includes budgeting problems; rent too high; and other financial difficulty.

(d) Includes gay/lesbian/transgender issues and other.

(e) Sum of components may not add to total due to rounding.

– Nil or rounded to zero.

Source: Australian Institute of Health and Welfare (AIHW), Supported Accommodation Assistance Program (SAAP) National Data Collection Agency (NDCA) (unpublished).

Table 3A.11.2 **SAAP support periods: main reason female clients sought support, Australia, by Indigenous status, 2005-06**

	Indigenous female		Non-Indigenous female		Total (e)	
	no.	%	no.	%	no.	%
Accommodation difficulties (a)	2 300	12.4	11 600	16.5	13 900	15.6
Relationship / family breakdown (b)	3 800	20.4	13 300	18.9	17 200	19.2
Sexual/physical/emotional abuse	700	3.7	2 400	3.5	3 100	3.5
Domestic/family violence	7 700	41.4	26 000	36.9	33 700	37.8
Financial difficulty (c)	1 200	6.3	8 100	11.5	9 300	10.4
Gambling	–	0.1	100	0.1	100	0.1
Drug / alcohol / substance abuse	500	2.9	1 400	2.0	1 900	2.2
Recently left institution	100	0.6	400	0.6	500	0.6
Psychiatric illness / mental health issues	–	0.1	400	0.6	500	0.5
Other health issues	300	1.4	600	0.8	800	0.9
Recent arrival in area with no means of support	600	3.3	1 500	2.1	2 100	2.3
Itinerant	500	2.6	1 000	1.5	1 500	1.7
Other (d)	900	4.9	3 500	5.0	4 400	5.0
Total	18 700	100.0	70 400	100.0	89 100	100.0

(a) Includes overcrowding issues; eviction/asked to leave; emergency accommodation ended; and previous accommodation ended.

(b) Includes relationship/family breakdown; time out from family/other situation; and interpersonal conflict.

(c) Includes budgeting problems; rent too high; and other financial difficulty.

(d) Includes gay/lesbian/transgender issues and other.

(e) Sum of components may not add to total due to rounding.

– Nil or rounded to zero.

Source: AIHW, SAAP NDCA (unpublished).

Table 3A.11.3 **SAAP support periods: main reason clients with children sought support, Australia, by Indigenous status, 2005-06**

	Indigenous		Non-Indigenous		Total (e)	
	no.	%	no.	%	no.	%
Accommodation difficulties (a)	1 500	14.9	6 400	18.9	7 800	18.0
Relationship / family breakdown (b)	1 700	17.4	4 500	13.4	6 200	14.3
Sexual/physical/emotional abuse	300	3.3	1 000	2.9	1 300	3.0
Domestic/family violence	4 400	44.8	15 200	45.2	19 700	45.1
Financial difficulty (c)	700	7.3	3 200	9.6	4 000	9.1
Gambling	–	–	–	0.1	–	0.1
Drug / alcohol / substance abuse	100	1.2	300	0.9	400	1.0
Recently left institution	–	0.4	100	0.4	200	0.4
Psychiatric illness / mental health issues	–	0.1	100	0.2	100	0.2
Other health issues	100	0.8	200	0.5	300	0.6
Recent arrival in area with no means of support	300	3.3	900	2.6	1 200	2.7
Itinerant	200	2.4	400	1.3	700	1.6
Other (d)	400	4.3	1 300	4.0	1 800	4.0
Total	9 900	100.0	33 700	100.0	43 600	100.0

(a) Includes overcrowding issues; eviction/asked to leave; emergency accommodation ended; and previous accommodation ended.

(b) Includes relationship/family breakdown; time out from family/other situation; and interpersonal conflict.

(c) Includes budgeting problems; rent too high; and other financial difficulty.

(d) Includes gay/lesbian/transgender issues and other.

(e) Sum of components may not add to total due to rounding.

– Nil or rounded to zero.

Source: AIHW, SAAP NDCA (unpublished).

Table 3A.11.4

Table 3A.11.4 SAAP support periods: main reason clients sought support (broad groups), by Indigenous status, 2005-06 (a)

	Unit	NSW	Victoria	Queensland	WA	SA	Tasmania	ACT	NT	Australia
Indigenous										
Accommodation difficulties (b)	%	18.1	20.2	16.1	7.0	14.8	24.8	22.4	8.0	14.4
Relationship/family breakdown (c)	%	20.0	18.1	27.8	21.6	15.7	32.0	24.7	20.0	21.4
Sexual/physical/emotional abuse	%	2.1	2.1	1.4	5.4	2.7	4.0	2.7	3.5	2.9
Domestic/family violence	%	21.5	29.5	21.0	43.5	39.0	12.5	16.0	46.1	31.2
Financial difficulty (d)	%	8.7	11.5	8.9	6.9	3.0	6.2	5.7	9.2	8.0
Other (e)	%	29.6	18.6	24.9	15.6	24.8	20.6	28.5	13.2	22.1
Total	%	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Non-Indigenous										
Accommodation difficulties (b)	%	14.9	20.5	17.7	18.3	18.9	25.7	18.2	15.4	18.7
Relationship/family breakdown (c)	%	20.9	17.5	23.7	22.9	22.9	26.6	27.4	25.9	20.5
Sexual/physical/emotional abuse	%	2.4	1.7	2.4	2.7	3.5	4.7	2.2	3.0	2.3
Domestic/family violence	%	20.3	21.0	20.0	24.7	28.3	11.7	12.1	12.5	20.9
Financial difficulty (d)	%	11.0	20.6	13.2	6.8	3.6	9.9	8.0	17.0	14.5
Other (e)	%	30.6	18.7	22.9	24.8	22.8	21.5	32.1	26.1	23.1
Total	%	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0

(a) Number of support periods, by main reason, as a proportion of the total number of support periods.

(b) Includes overcrowding issues; eviction/asked to leave; emergency accommodation ended; and previous accommodation ended.

(c) Includes relationship/family breakdown; time out from family/other situation; and interpersonal conflict.

(d) Includes gambling; budgeting problems; rent too high; and other financial difficulty.

(e) Includes mental health issues; problematic drug/alcohol/substance use; psychiatric illness; other health issues; gay/lesbian/transgender issues; recently left institution; recent arrival to area with no means of support; itinerant; and other.

Source: AIHW, SAAP NDCA (unpublished).

Table 3A.11.5
**Table 3A.11.5 Victims recorded by NSW Police: selected offence types
 by Indigenous status, 2005 (a) (b) (c) (d)**

	<i>Indigenous</i>	<i>Non-Indigenous</i>	<i>Unknown</i>	<i>Total</i>
<i>Number</i>				
Murder	4	63	12	79
Non-DV related assault	2 484	47 234	2 343	52 061
DV related assault	3 161	24 392	1 325	28 878
Sexual assault	261	3 553	440	4 254
Sexual assault, victims aged 0-15	134	1 453	316	1 903
Robbery	66	9 490	1 624	11 180
<i>Rate per 100 000 population</i>				
Murder	2.8	1.0	na	1.2
Non-DV related assault	1 727.1	713.0	na	769.1
DV related assault	2 197.8	368.2	na	426.6
Sexual assault	181.5	53.6	na	62.8
Sexual assault, victims aged 0-15	231.6	107.7	na	135.2
Robbery	45.9	143.2	na	165.2

(a) Indigenous status is based on self-identification.

(b) Note that these data do not represent all victims of crime, just those that come to the attention of and whose details are recorded by NSW Police.

(c) Note that the tendency for persons to report criminal victimisation to police may differ between Indigenous and non-Indigenous persons.

(d) The category 'sexual assault against victims 0-15' is a subset of 'sexual assault'.

– Nil or rounded to zero. .. Not applicable. **na** Not available.

Source: NSW Bureau of Crime Statistics and Research (unpublished); ABS 2006, *Population by Age and Sex, Australian States and Territories*, Cat no. 3201.0; ABS Experimental Indigenous Projections by State, Age and Sex: Low Series (unpublished).

Table 3A.11.6
**Table 3A.11.6 Victims recorded by NSW Police: selected offence types
 by Indigenous status, 2004 (a) (b) (c) (d)**

	<i>Indigenous</i>	<i>Non-Indigenous</i>	<i>Unknown</i>	<i>Total</i>
<i>Number</i>				
Murder	3	59	4	66
Non-DV related assault	2 559	45 064	2 433	50 056
DV related assault	3 241	24 020	1 566	28 827
Sexual assault	248	3 658	570	4 476
Sexual assault, victims aged 0-15	134	1 491	393	2 018
Robbery	66	9 467	1 719	11 252
<i>Rate per 100 000 population</i>				
Murder	2.1	0.9	na	1.0
Non-DV related assault	1 808.1	684.9	na	744.8
DV related assault	2 289.9	365.1	na	428.9
Sexual assault	175.2	55.6	na	66.6
Sexual assault, victims aged 0-15	232.3	109.9	na	142.7
Robbery	46.6	143.9	na	167.4

(a) Indigenous status is based on self-identification.

(b) Note that these data do not represent all victims of crime, just those that come to the attention of and whose details are recorded by NSW Police.

(c) Note that the tendency for persons to report criminal victimisation to police may differ between Indigenous and non-Indigenous persons.

(d) The category 'sexual assault against victims 0-15' is a subset of 'sexual assault'.

– Nil or rounded to zero. .. Not applicable. **na** Not available.

Source: NSW Bureau of Crime Statistics and Research (unpublished); ABS 2006, *Population by Age and Sex, Australian States and Territories*, Cat no. 3201.0; ABS Experimental Indigenous Projections by State, Age and Sex: Low Series (unpublished).

Table 3A.11.7
Table 3A.11.7 Victims recorded by NSW Police: selected offence types by Indigenous status, 2003 (a) (b) (c) (d) (e) (f)

	<i>Indigenous</i>	<i>Non-Indigenous</i>	<i>Unknown</i>	<i>Total</i>
<i>Number</i>				
Murder	6	77	14	97
Assault	5 711	68 779	4 467	78 957
DV related assault	3 260	23 365	1 652	28 277
Sexual assault	243	3 318	472	4 033
Sexual assault, victims aged 0-15	127	1 329	309	1 765
Robbery	57	12 437	234	12 728
<i>Rate per 100 000 population</i>				
Murder	5.0	1.3	na	1.5
Assault	4 764.5	1 165.5	na	1 251.1
DV related assault	2 719.7	395.9	na	448.0
Sexual assault	202.7	56.2	na	63.9
Sexual assault, victims aged 0-15	249.7	103.5	na	125.9
Robbery	47.6	210.8	na	201.7

(a) Rates calculated using population data from the ABS 2001 Census Indigenous Population Profile. The NSW population figures used were: Indigenous persons = 119 865; Non-Indigenous persons = 5 901 295; total persons = 6 311 168. For sexual assault against children the following population figures for persons aged 0-15 were used: Indigenous = 50 857; Non-Indigenous = 1 283 507; total persons = 1 401 999. The sum of the Indigenous and non-Indigenous populations is less than the total as there are a sizeable proportion of persons whose Indigenous status is recorded as 'not stated' by ABS.

(b) Indigenous status is based on self-identification.

(c) Note that these data do not represent all victims of crime, just those that come to the attention of and whose details are recorded by NSW Police.

(d) The data in this table represent victims of violent criminal incidents where the violent incident was reported to or otherwise detected by NSW Police.

(e) Note that the tendency for persons to report criminal victimisation to police may differ between Indigenous and non-Indigenous persons.

(f) The category 'DV related assault' (DV means Domestic Violence) is a subset of 'Assault'. Similarly, the category 'sexual assault against victims 0-15' is a subset of 'sexual assault'.

– Nil or rounded to zero. .. Not applicable. **na** Not available.

Source: NSW Bureau of Crime Statistics and Research (unpublished).

Table 3A.11.8
**Table 3A.11.8 Victims recorded by NSW Police: selected offence types
 by Indigenous status, 2002 (a) (b) (c) (d) (e)**

	<i>Indigenous</i>	<i>Non-Indigenous</i>	<i>Unknown</i>	<i>Total</i>
<i>Number</i>				
Murder	5	86	6	97
Assault	5 454	69 916	3 418	78 788
DV related assault	3 071	22 937	994	27 002
Sexual assault	224	3 180	434	3 838
Sexual assault, victims aged 0-15	90	1 247	305	1 642
Robbery	62	11 706	1 997	13 765
<i>Rate per 100 000 population</i>				
Murder	3.7	1.3	na	1.5
Assault	4 043.4	1 085.6	na	1 198.3
DV related assault	2 276.7	356.1	na	410.7
Sexual assault	166.1	49.4	na	58.4
Sexual assault, victims aged 0-15	158.6	90.5	na	114.5
Robbery	46.0	181.8	na	209.3

- (a) Indigenous status is based on self-identification.
- (b) Note that these data do not represent all victims of crime, just those that come to the attention of and whose details are recorded by NSW Police.
- (c) The data in this table represent victims of violent criminal incidents where the violent incident was reported to or otherwise detected by NSW Police.
- (d) Note that the tendency for persons to report criminal victimisation to police may differ between Indigenous and non-Indigenous persons.
- (e) The category 'DV related assault' (DV means Domestic Violence) is a subset of 'Assault'. Similarly, the category 'sexual assault against victims 0-15' is a subset of 'sexual assault'.

– Nil or rounded to zero. .. Not applicable. **na** Not available.

Source: NSW Bureau of Crime Statistics and Research (unpublished).

Table 3A.11.9

Table 3A.11.9 Female victims recorded by NSW Police: selected offence types by Indigenous status, 2005 (a) (b) (c) (d)

	<i>Indigenous</i>	<i>Non-Indigenous</i>	<i>Unknown</i>	<i>Total</i>
<i>Number</i>				
Murder	–	21	4	25
Non-DV related assault	1 093	12 282	700	14 075
DV related assault	2 474	17 012	914	20 400
Sexual assault	218	2 970	367	3 555
Sexual assault, victims aged 0-15	104	1 194	262	1 560
Robbery	29	2 574	40	2 643
<i>Rate per 100 000 population</i>				
Murder	–	0.6	na	0.7
Non-DV related assault	1 519.0	369.0	na	413.9
DV related assault	3 438.2	511.1	na	600.0
Sexual assault	303.0	89.2	na	104.6
Sexual assault, victims aged 0-15	372.0	182.0	na	228.1
Robbery	40.3	77.3	na	77.7

(a) Indigenous status is based on self-identification.

(b) Note that these data do not represent all victims of crime, just those that come to the attention of and whose details are recorded by NSW Police.

(c) Note that the tendency for persons to report criminal victimisation to police may differ between Indigenous and non-Indigenous persons.

(d) The category 'sexual assault against victims 0-15' is a subset of 'sexual assault'.

– Nil or rounded to zero. .. Not applicable. **na** Not available.

Source: NSW Bureau of Crime Statistics and Research (unpublished); ABS 2006, *Population by Age and Sex, Australian States and Territories*, Cat no. 3201.0; ABS Experimental Indigenous Projections by State, Age and Sex: Low Series (unpublished).

Table 3A.11.10 Female victims recorded by NSW Police: selected offence types by Indigenous status, 2004 (a) (b) (c) (d)

	<i>Indigenous</i>	<i>Non-Indigenous</i>	<i>Unknown</i>	<i>Total</i>
<i>Number</i>				
Murder	–	22	–	22
Non-DV related assault	1 225	11 668	737	13 630
DV related assault	2 536	16 563	1 114	20 213
Sexual assault	217	3 074	468	3 759
Sexual assault, victims aged 0-15	117	1 219	322	1 658
Robbery	19	3 022	68	3 109
<i>Rate per 100 000 population</i>				
Murder	–	0.7	na	0.7
Non-DV related assault	1 730.2	352.8	na	403.5
DV related assault	3 581.9	500.9	na	598.4
Sexual assault	306.5	93.0	na	111.3
Sexual assault, victims aged 0-15	418.5	184.6	na	241.0
Robbery	26.8	91.4	na	92.0

(a) Indigenous status is based on self-identification.

(b) Note that these data do not represent all victims of crime, just those that come to the attention of and whose details are recorded by NSW Police.

(c) Note that the tendency for persons to report criminal victimisation to police may differ between Indigenous and non-Indigenous persons.

(d) The category 'sexual assault against victims 0-15' is a subset of 'sexual assault'.

– Nil or rounded to zero. .. Not applicable. **na** Not available.

Source: NSW Bureau of Crime Statistics and Research (unpublished); ABS 2006, *Population by Age and Sex, Australian States and Territories*, Cat no. 3201.0; ABS Experimental Indigenous Projections by State, Age and Sex: Low Series (unpublished).

Table 3A.11.11
**Table 3A.11.11 Female victims recorded by NSW Police: selected
offence types by Indigenous status, 2003 (a) (b) (c) (d)**

	<i>Indigenous</i>	<i>Non-Indigenous</i>	<i>Unknown</i>	<i>Total</i>
<i>Number</i>				
Murder	3	18	2	23
Assault	3 693	28 182	1 933	33 808
DV related assault	2 589	16 512	1 151	20 252
Sexual assault	209	2 780	379	3 368
Sexual assault, victims aged 0-15	103	1 089	247	1 439
Robbery	16	3 337	56	3 409
<i>Rate per 100 000 population</i>				
Murder	5.0	0.6	na	0.7
Assault	6 125.0	943.3	na	1 058.3
DV related assault	4 294.0	552.7	na	634.0
Sexual assault	346.6	93.0	na	105.4
Sexual assault, victims aged 0-15	416.2	174.2	na	210.9
Robbery	26.5	111.7	na	106.7

(a) Rates calculated using population data from the ABS 2001 Census Indigenous Population Profile. The NSW population figures used were: Indigenous persons = 119 865; non-Indigenous persons = 5 901 295; total persons = 6 311 168. For sexual assault against children the following population figures for persons aged 0-15 were used: Indigenous = 50 857; non-Indigenous = 1 283 507; total persons = 1 401 999. The sum of the Indigenous and non-Indigenous populations is less than the total as there are a sizeable proportion of persons whose Indigenous status is recorded as 'not stated' by ABS.

(b) Indigenous status is based on self-identification.

(c) Note that these data do not represent all victims of crime, just those that come to the attention of and whose details are recorded by NSW Police.

(d) The data in this table represent victims of violent criminal incidents where the violent incident was reported to or otherwise detected by NSW Police.

(e) Note that the tendency for persons to report criminal victimisation to police may differ between Indigenous and non-Indigenous persons.

(f) The category 'DV related assault' (DV means Domestic Violence) is a subset of 'Assault'. Similarly, the category 'sexual assault against victims 0-15' is a subset of 'sexual assault'.

– Nil or rounded to zero. .. Not applicable. **na** Not available.

Source: NSW Bureau of Crime Statistics and Research (unpublished).

Table 3A.11.12
**Table 3A.11.12 Female victims recorded by NSW Police: selected
offence types by Indigenous status, 2002 (a) (b) (c) (d)**

	<i>Indigenous</i>	<i>Non-Indigenous</i>	<i>Unknown</i>	<i>Total</i>
<i>Number</i>				
Murder	1	24	2	27
Assault	3 499	28 220	1 306	33 025
DV related assault	2 445	16 224	683	19 352
Sexual assault	185	2 635	340	3 160
Sexual assault, victims aged 0-15	70	994	239	1 303
Robbery	22	3 423	70	3 515
<i>Rate per 100 000 population</i>				
Murder	1.5	0.7	na	0.8
Assault	5 187.1	870.0	na	997.4
DV related assault	3 624.6	500.2	na	584.5
Sexual assault	274.3	81.2	na	95.4
Sexual assault, victims aged 0-15	254.0	148.1	na	186.5
Robbery	32.6	105.5	na	106.2

- (a) Indigenous status is based on self-identification.
- (b) Note that these data do not represent all victims of crime, just those that come to the attention of and whose details are recorded by NSW Police.
- (c) The data in this table represent victims of violent criminal incidents where the violent incident was reported to or otherwise detected by NSW Police.
- (d) Note that the tendency for persons to report criminal victimisation to police may differ between Indigenous and non-Indigenous persons.
- (e) The category 'DV related assault' (DV means Domestic Violence) is a subset of 'Assault'. Similarly, the category 'sexual assault against victims 0-15' is a subset of 'sexual assault'.

– Nil or rounded to zero. .. Not applicable. **na** Not available.

Source: NSW Bureau of Crime Statistics and Research (unpublished).

Table 3A.11.13

Table 3A.11.13 Victim-offender relationships recorded by NSW Police, for victims of offences against the person, 2005 (a) (b) (c) (d)

	Spouse/partner including ex		Parent/guardian		Child		Sibling		Other family		Carer		Boy/girlfriend including ex		Household member		Person in authority		Other known person		Not known to victim		Missing/unknown w/n/not recorded		Total	
	no.	%	no.	%	no.	%	no.	%	no.	%	no.	%	no.	%	no.	%	no.	%	no.	%	no.	%	no.	%	no.	%
Murder																										
Indigenous	1	25.0	-	-	1	25.0	-	-	1	25.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	25.0	-	-	4	100.0
Non-Indigenous	7	11.1	6	9.5	-	-	-	-	1	1.6	-	-	3	4.8	2	3.2	-	-	17	27.0	9	14.3	18	28.6	63	100.0
Unknown	1	8.3	3	25.0	-	-	-	-	1	8.3	-	-	1	8.3	-	-	-	-	1	8.3	1	8.3	4	33.3	12	100.0
Non-DV related assault																										
Indigenous	24	1.0	18	0.7	4	0.2	9	0.4	104	4.2	5	0.2	17	0.7	7	0.3	19	0.8	1 584	63.8	520	20.9	173	7.0	2 484	100.0
Non-Indigenous	103	0.2	181	0.4	33	0.1	38	0.1	185	0.4	311	0.7	145	0.3	145	0.3	578	1.2	16 868	35.7	23 951	50.7	4 696	9.9	47 234	100.0
Unknown	4	0.2	55	2.3	2	0.1	2	0.1	8	0.3	17	0.7	5	0.2	13	0.6	25	1.1	1 062	45.3	965	41.2	185	7.9	2 343	100.0
DV related assault																										
Indigenous	1 274	40.3	218	6.9	140	4.4	217	6.9	481	15.2	7	0.2	714	22.6	30	0.9	1	0.0	67	2.1	5	0.2	7	0.2	3 161	100.0
Non-Indigenous	9 474	38.8	2 502	10.3	1 604	6.6	1 266	5.2	2 017	8.3	112	0.5	5 248	21.5	799	3.3	20	0.1	1 042	4.3	128	0.5	180	0.7	24 392	100.0
Unknown	471	35.5	149	11.2	85	6.4	66	5.0	111	8.4	8	0.6	312	23.5	34	2.6	1	0.1	72	5.4	6	0.5	10	0.8	1 325	100.0
Sexual assault																										
Indigenous	24	9.2	25	9.6	5	1.9	4	1.5	44	16.9	1	0.4	28	10.7	1	0.4	5	2	78	30	24	9	22	8.4	261	100.0
Non-Indigenous	208	5.9	400	11.3	47	1.3	87	2.4	298	8.4	77	2.2	367	10.3	78	2.2	61	2	1 211	34	540	15	179	5.0	3 553	100.0
Unknown	8	1.8	89	20.2	4	0.9	15	3.4	52	11.8	6	1.4	55	12.5	6	1.4	7	2	109	25	37	8	52	11.8	440	100.0
Sexual assault, victims aged 0-15																										
Indigenous	1	0.7	17	12.7	4	3.0	2	1.5	26	19.4	1	0.7	19	14.2	1	0.7	2	1	39	29	11	8	11	8.2	134	100.0
Non-Indigenous	7	0.5	195	13.4	32	2.2	64	4.4	171	11.8	14	1.0	170	11.7	35	2.4	16	1	546	38	110	8	93	6.4	1 453	100.0
Unknown	-	-	62	19.6	3	0.9	15	4.7	42	13.3	2	0.6	47	14.9	3	0.9	5	2	79	25	16	5	42	13.3	316	100.0
Robbery																										
Indigenous	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	66	100.0
Non-Indigenous	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	9 489	100.0
Unknown	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1 624	100.0

(a) Indigenous status is based on self-identification.

(b) Note that these data do not represent all victims of crime, just those that come to the attention of and whose details are recorded by NSW Police.

(c) Note that the tendency for persons to report criminal victimisation to police may differ between Indigenous and non-Indigenous persons.

(d) The category 'sexual assault against victims 0-15' is a subset of 'sexual assault'.

- Nil or rounded to zero.

Source : NSW Bureau of Crime Statistics and Research (unpublished).

Table 3A.11.14 **Victims of offences against the person recorded by police by place of offence as recorded by NSW Police, 2005 (a) (b) (c) (d) (e)**

	Indigenous		Non-Indigenous		Unknown	
	no.	%	no.	%	no.	%
Residential - Dwellings	3 582	58.0	36 540	44.8	2 274	48.1
Residential - Non-Dwellings	162	2.6	1 304	1.6	66	1.4
Residential - Accommodation	46	0.7	1 148	1.4	77	1.6
Financial institutions/offices	18	0.3	388	0.5	9	0.2
Retail premises/personal services	119	1.9	4 861	6.0	223	4.7
Licensed premises	289	4.7	7 665	9.4	344	7.3
Other (b)	1 958	31.7	29 680	36.4	1 733	36.7
Total	6 174	100.0	81 586	100.0	4 726	100.0

(a) In this report 'offences against the person' includes the offences 'homicide', 'assault', 'sexual offences' and 'other offences against the person'.

(b) Other premises type includes adult entertainment, carpark, education, health, industrial, law enforcement, marine transport, outdoor/public place, recreation, religious, rural industry, transport, utilities, vehicle and 'unknown'.

(c). Indigenous status is based on self-identification.

(d) Note that these data do not represent all victims of crime, just those that come to the attention of and whose details are recorded by NSW Police.

(e) Note that the tendency for persons to report criminal victimisation to police may differ between Indigenous and non-Indigenous persons.

– Nil or rounded to zero. .. Not applicable. **na** Not available.

Source : NSW Bureau of Crime Statistics and Research (unpublished).

Table 3A.11.15 **Victims recorded by Victoria Police: selected offence types by Indigenous status, 2005-06 (a)**

<i>Number</i>	<i>Indigenous (b)</i>	<i>Non-Indigenous</i>	<i>Unknown</i>	<i>Total</i>
Homicide	3	186	25	214
Non-DV related assault	377	22 297	3934	26 608
DV related assault (c)	176	5 938	1015	7 129
Sexual assault (d)	49	3 527	1079	4 655
Sexual assault, victims aged 0-15 (e)	25	1 975	729	2 729
Robbery	6	2 082	332	2 420
<i>Rate per 100 000 population</i>				
Murder	9.8	3.7	na	4.2
Non-DV related assault	1 229.7	443.6	na	526.1
DV related assault (c)	574.1	118.1	na	141.0
Sexual assault (d)	159.8	70.2	na	92.0
Sexual assault, victims aged 0-15 (e)	214.6	194.3	na	265.4
Robbery	19.6	41.4	na	47.9

(a) Any police member receiving a report of an incident must make sufficient initial inquiries to satisfy themselves that a crime has been committed.

(b) Indigenous status is derived from the racial appearance of the victim which is a subjective assessment of the police officer.

(c) Defined as a family violence report and an assault occurring in the same incident.

(d) Combination of Victoria Police offences Rape and Sex (Non-Rape).

(e) The age of victims were at the time of the offence.

– Nil or rounded to zero. .. Not applicable. **na** Not available.

Source: Victoria Police (unpublished); ABS 2006, *Population by Age and Sex, Australian States and Territories*, Cat no. 3201.0; ABS Experimental Indigenous Projections by State, Age and Sex: Low Series (unpublished).

Table 3A.11.16 **Victims recorded by Victoria Police: selected offence types by Indigenous status, 2004-05 (a)**

<i>Number</i>	<i>Indigenous (b)</i>	<i>Non-Indigenous</i>	<i>Unknown</i>	<i>Total</i>
Homicide	3	162	24	189
Non-DV related assault	365	21 494	3745	25 604
DV related assault (c)	145	5 196	743	6 084
Sexual assault (d)	49	3 418	1152	4 619
Sexual assault, victims aged 0-15 (e)	35	1 985	768	2 788
Robbery	4	1 824	241	2 069
<i>Rate per 100 000 population</i>				
Murder	10.0	3.3	na	3.8
Non-DV related assault	1 216.4	433.1	na	512.8
DV related assault (c)	483.2	104.7	na	121.8
Sexual assault (d)	163.3	68.9	na	92.5
Sexual assault, victims aged 0-15 (e)	301.1	195.7	na	271.8
Robbery	13.3	36.8	na	41.4

(a) Any police member receiving a report of an incident must make sufficient initial inquiries to satisfy themselves that a crime has been committed.

(b) Indigenous status is derived from the racial appearance of the victim which is a subjective assessment of the police officer.

(c) Defined as a family violence report and an assault occurring in the same incident.

(d) Combination of Victoria Police offences Rape and Sex (Non-Rape).

(e) The age of victims were at the time of the offence.

– Nil or rounded to zero. ... Not applicable. **na** Not available.

Source: Victoria Police (unpublished); ABS 2006, *Population by Age and Sex, Australian States and Territories*, Cat no. 3201.0; ABS Experimental Indigenous Projections by State, Age and Sex: Low Series (unpublished).

Table 3A.11.17 **Victims recorded by Victoria Police: selected offence types by Indigenous status, 2003-04 (a)**

<i>Number</i>	<i>Indigenous (b)</i>	<i>Non-Indigenous</i>	<i>Unknown</i>	<i>Total</i>
Homicide	1	151	28	180
Non-DV related assault	279	18 739	3 491	22509
DV related assault (c)	101	3 027	460	3588
Sexual assault (d)	43	3 279	1 026	4348
Sexual assault, victims aged 0-15 (e)	29	1 853	689	2571
Robbery	5	1 975	292	2272
<i>Rate per 100 000 population</i>				
Murder	4.4	na	na	4.1
Non-DV related assault	1 233.1	na	na	517.5
DV related assault (c)	446.4	na	na	82.5
Sexual assault (d)	190.1	na	na	100.0
Sexual assault, victims aged 0-15 (e)	565.1	na	na	555.8
Robbery	22.1	na	na	52.2

(a) Any police member receiving a report of an incident must make sufficient initial inquiries to satisfy themselves that a crime has been committed.

(b) Indigenous status is derived from the racial appearance of the victim which is a subjective assessment of the police officer.

(c) Defined as a family violence report and an assault occurring in the same incident.

(d) Combination of Victoria Police offences Rape and Sex (Non-Rape).

(e) The age of victims were at the time of the offence.

– Nil or rounded to zero. ... Not applicable. **na** Not available.

Source: Victoria Police (unpublished).

Table 3A.11.18 **Victims recorded by Victoria Police: selected offence types by Indigenous status, 2002-03 (a)**

<i>Number</i>	<i>Indigenous (b)</i>	<i>Non-Indigenous</i>	<i>Unknown</i>	<i>Total</i>
Homicide	–	154	27	181
Non-DV related assault	298	19 286	3 602	23 186
DV related assault (c)	117	3 048	465	3 630
Sexual assault (d)	45	3 250	937	4 232
Sexual assault, victims aged 0-15 (e)	32	1 837	634	2 503
Robbery	7	2 493	362	2 862
<i>Rate per 100 000 population</i>				
Murder	–	na	na	4.2
Non-DV related assault	1 357.8	na	na	540.3
DV related assault (c)	533.1	na	na	84.6
Sexual assault (d)	205.0	na	na	98.6
Sexual assault, victims aged 0-15 (e)	645.6	na	na	545.3
Robbery	31.9	na	na	66.7

(a) Any police member receiving a report of an incident must make sufficient initial inquiries to satisfy themselves that a crime has been committed.

(b) Indigenous status is derived from the racial appearance of the victim which is a subjective assessment of the police officer.

(c) Defined as a family violence report and an assault occurring in the same incident.

(d) Combination of Victoria Police offences Rape and Sex (Non-Rape).

(e) The age of victims were at the time of the offence.

– Nil or rounded to zero. .. Not applicable. **na** Not available.

Source: Victoria Police (unpublished).

Table 3A.11.19 **Female victims recorded by Victoria Police: selected offence types by Indigenous status, 2005-06 (a)**

<i>Number</i>	<i>Indigenous (b)</i>	<i>Non-Indigenous</i>	<i>Unknown</i>	<i>Total</i>
Homicide	1	60	7	68
Non-DV related assault	264	9 357	1528	11 149
DV related assault (c)	157	4 524	655	5 336
Sexual assault (d)	44	2 921	857	3 822
Sexual assault, victims aged 0-15 (e)	23	1 529	558	2 110
Robbery	1	566	82	649
<i>Rate per 100 000 population</i>				
Murder	6.5	2.4	na	2.7
Non-DV related assault	1 711.1	367.8	na	435.5
DV related assault (c)	1 017.6	177.8	na	208.5
Sexual assault (d)	285.2	114.8	na	149.3
Sexual assault, victims aged 0-15 (e)	398.5	308.5	na	420.9
Robbery	6.5	22.2	na	25.4

(a) Any police member receiving a report of an incident must make sufficient initial inquiries to satisfy themselves that a crime has been committed.

(b) Indigenous status is derived from the racial appearance of the victim which is a subjective assessment of the police officer.

(c) Defined as a family violence report and an assault occurring in the same incident.

(d) Combination of Victoria Police offences Rape and Sex (Non-Rape).

(e) The age of victims were at the time of the offence.

– Nil or rounded to zero. ... Not applicable. **na** Not available.

Source: Victoria Police (unpublished); ABS 2006, *Population by Age and Sex, Australian States and Territories*, Cat no. 3201.0; ABS Experimental Indigenous Projections by State, Age and Sex: Low Series (unpublished).

Table 3A.11.20 **Female victims recorded by Victoria Police: selected offence types by Indigenous status, 2004-05 (a)**

<i>Number</i>	<i>Indigenous (b)</i>	<i>Non-Indigenous</i>	<i>Unknown</i>	<i>Total</i>
Homicide	–	46	9	55
Non-DV related assault	235	8 735	1356	10 326
DV related assault (c)	118	3 824	477	4 419
Sexual assault (d)	26	2 720	909	3 655
Sexual assault, victims aged 0-15 (e)	13	1 447	579	2 039
Robbery	3	558	62	623
<i>Rate per 100 000 population</i>				
Murder	–	1.8	na	2.2
Non-DV related assault	1 555.4	347.5	na	408.4
DV related assault (c)	781.0	152.1	na	174.8
Sexual assault (d)	172.1	108.2	na	144.6
Sexual assault, victims aged 0-15 (e)	225.4	292.6	na	407.5
Robbery	19.9	22.2	na	24.6

(a) Any police member receiving a report of an incident must make sufficient initial inquiries to satisfy themselves that a crime has been committed.

(b) Indigenous status is derived from the racial appearance of the victim which is a subjective assessment of the police officer.

(c) Defined as a family violence report and an assault occurring in the same incident.

(d) Combination of Victoria Police offences Rape and Sex (Non-Rape).

(e) The age of victims were at the time of the offence.

– Nil or rounded to zero. ... Not applicable. **na** Not available.

Source: Victoria Police (unpublished); ABS 2006, *Population by Age and Sex, Australian States and Territories*, Cat no. 3201.0; ABS Experimental Indigenous Projections by State, Age and Sex: Low Series (unpublished).

Table 3A.11.21 **Female victims recorded by Victoria Police: selected offence types by Indigenous status, 2003-04 (a)**

<i>Number</i>	<i>Indigenous (b)</i>	<i>Non-Indigenous</i>	<i>Unknown</i>	<i>Total</i>
Homicide	–	51	12	63
Non-DV related assault	177	6 893	1 165	8 235
DV related assault (c)	84	2 197	272	2 553
Sexual assault (d)	33	2 731	827	3 591
Sexual assault, victims aged 0-15 (e)	21	1 437	547	2 005
Robbery	1	638	77	716
<i>Rate per 100 000 population</i>				
Murder	–	na	na	2.8
Non-DV related assault	1 549.4	na	na	371.7
DV related assault (c)	735.3	na	na	115.2
Sexual assault (d)	288.9	na	na	162.1
Sexual assault, victims aged 0-15 (e)	832.7	na	na	886.7
Robbery	8.8	na	na	32.3

(a) Any police member receiving a report of an incident must make sufficient initial inquiries to satisfy themselves that a crime has been committed.

(b) Indigenous status is derived from the racial appearance of the victim which is a subjective assessment of the police officer.

(c) Defined as a family violence report and an assault occurring in the same incident.

(d) Combination of Victoria Police offences Rape and Sex (Non-Rape).

(e) The age of victims were at the time of the offence.

– Nil or rounded to zero. ... Not applicable. **na** Not available.

Source: Victoria Police (unpublished).

Table 3A.11.22 **Female victims recorded by Victoria Police: selected offence types by Indigenous status, 2002-03 (a)**

<i>Number</i>	<i>Indigenous (b)</i>	<i>Non-Indigenous</i>	<i>Unknown</i>	<i>Total</i>
Homicide	–	42	10	52
Non-DV related assault	189	6 961	1 065	8 215
DV related assault (c)	104	2 220	248	2 572
Sexual assault (d)	35	2 604	714	3 353
Sexual assault, victims aged 0-15 (e)	23	1 345	454	1 822
Robbery	1	711	98	810
<i>Rate per 100 000 population</i>				
Murder	–	na	na	2.4
Non-DV related assault	1 702.4	na	na	375.4
DV related assault (c)	936.8	na	na	117.5
Sexual assault (d)	315.3	na	na	153.2
Sexual assault, victims aged 0-15 (e)	939.5	na	na	811.2
Robbery	9.0	na	na	37.0

(a) Any police member receiving a report of an incident must make sufficient initial inquiries to satisfy themselves that a crime has been committed.

(b) Indigenous status is derived from the racial appearance of the victim which is a subjective assessment of the police officer.

(c) Defined as a family violence report and an assault occurring in the same incident.

(d) Combination of Victoria Police offences Rape and Sex (Non-Rape).

(e) The age of victims were at the time of the offence.

– Nil or rounded to zero. ... Not applicable. **na** Not available.

Source: Victoria Police (unpublished).

Table 3A.11.23 Juvenile (aged under 17 years) victims recorded by Victoria Police: selected offence types by Indigenous status, 2005-06 (a) (b)

Number	Indigenous (c)	Non-Indigenous	Unknown	Total
Homicide	–	22	2	24
Non-DV related assault	52	2 168	632	2 852
DV related assault (d)	13	476	216	705
Sexual assault (e)	30	2 161	781	2 972
Robbery	2	232	41	275
<i>Rate per 100 000 population</i>				
Murder	–	2.0	na	2.2
Non-DV related assault	420.2	200.3	na	260.5
DV related assault (d)	105.0	44.0	na	64.4
Sexual assault (e)	242.4	199.6	na	271.4
Robbery	16.2	21.4	na	25.1

(a) Any police member receiving a report of an incident must make sufficient initial inquiries to satisfy themselves that a crime has been committed.

(b) The age of victims were at the time of the offence.

(c) Indigenous status is derived from the racial appearance of the victim which is a subjective assessment of the police officer.

(d) Defined as a family violence report and an assault occurring in the same incident.

(e) Combination of Victoria Police offences Rape and Sex (Non-Rape).

– Nil or rounded to zero. ... Not applicable. **na** Not available.

Source: Victoria Police (unpublished); ABS 2006, *Population by Age and Sex, Australian States and Territories*, Cat no. 3201.0; ABS Experimental Indigenous Projections by State, Age and Sex: Low Series (unpublished).

Table 3A.11.24 Juvenile (aged under 17 years) victims recorded by Victoria Police: selected offence types by Indigenous status, 2004-05 (a) (b)

Number	Indigenous (c)	Non-Indigenous	Unknown	Total
Homicide	–	13	5	18
Non-DV related assault	60	2 193	564	2 817
DV related assault (d)	15	442	158	615
Sexual assault (e)	37	2 155	819	3 011
Robbery	0	251	34	285
<i>Rate per 100 000 population</i>				
Murder	–	1.2	na	1.6
Non-DV related assault	487.2	203.2	na	258.1
DV related assault (d)	121.8	41.0	na	56.3
Sexual assault (e)	300.4	199.7	na	275.8
Robbery	–	23.3	na	26.1

(a) Any police member receiving a report of an incident must make sufficient initial inquiries to satisfy themselves that a crime has been committed.

(b) The age of victims were at the time of the offence.

(c) Indigenous status is derived from the racial appearance of the victim which is a subjective assessment of the police officer.

(d) Defined as a family violence report and an assault occurring in the same incident.

(e) Combination of Victoria Police offences Rape and Sex (Non-Rape).

– Nil or rounded to zero. ... Not applicable. **na** Not available.

Source: Victoria Police (unpublished); ABS 2006, *Population by Age and Sex, Australian States and Territories*, Cat no. 3201.0; ABS Experimental Indigenous Projections by State, Age and Sex: Low Series (unpublished).

Table 3A.11.25 Juvenile (aged under 17 years) victims recorded by Victoria Police: selected offence types by Indigenous status, 2003-04 (a) (b)

<i>Number</i>	<i>Indigenous (c)</i>	<i>Non-Indigenous</i>	<i>Unknown</i>	<i>Total</i>
Homicide	–	10	4	14
Non-DV related assault	42	1 929	492	2 463
DV related assault (d)	8	243	87	338
Sexual assault (e)	30	1 981	731	2 742
Robbery	–	292	50	342
<i>Rate per 100 000 population</i>				
Murder	–	na	na	2.4
Non-DV related assault	659.4	na	na	415.5
DV related assault (d)	125.6	na	na	57.0
Sexual assault (e)	471.0	na	na	462.6
Robbery	–	na	na	57.7

(a) Any police member receiving a report of an incident must make sufficient initial inquiries to satisfy themselves that a crime has been committed.

(b) The age of victims were at the time of the offence.

(c) Indigenous status is derived from the racial appearance of the victim which is a subjective assessment of the police officer.

(d) Defined as a family violence report and an assault occurring in the same incident.

(e) Combination of Victoria Police offences Rape and Sex (Non-Rape).

– Nil or rounded to zero. ... Not applicable. **na** Not available.

Source: Victoria Police (unpublished).

Table 3A.11.26 Juvenile (aged under 17 years) victims recorded by Victoria Police: selected offence types by Indigenous status, 2002-03 (a) (b)

<i>Number</i>	<i>Indigenous (c)</i>	<i>Non-Indigenous</i>	<i>Unknown</i>	<i>Total</i>
Homicide	–	16	4	20
Non-DV related assault	51	2 111	533	2 695
DV related assault (d)	8	247	105	360
Sexual assault (e)	33	2 017	662	2 712
Robbery	2	415	73	490
<i>Rate per 100 000 population</i>				
Murder	–	na	na	3.4
Non-DV related assault	823.1	na	na	457.1
DV related assault (d)	129.1	na	na	61.1
Sexual assault (e)	532.6	na	na	460.0
Robbery	–	na	na	83.1

(a) Any police member receiving a report of an incident must make sufficient initial inquiries to satisfy themselves that a crime has been committed.

(b) The age of victims at the time of the offence.

(c) Indigenous status is derived from the racial appearance of the victim which is a subjective assessment of the police officer.

(d) Defined as a family violence report and an assault occurring in the same incident.

(e) Combination of Victoria Police offences Rape and Sex (Non-Rape).

– Nil or rounded to zero. ... Not applicable. **na** Not available.

Source: Victoria Police (unpublished).

Table 3A.11.27 **Victim-offender relationships recorded by Victoria Police, for victims of offences against the person, 2005-06 (a) (b)**

	Stranger		Family (f)		Other (g)		Unstated (h)		Total	
	no.	%	no.	%	no.	%	no.	%	no.	%
Homicide										
Indigenous	–	–	1	33.3	2	66.7	–	–	3	100.0
Non-Indigenous	52	28.0	37	19.9	61	32.8	36	19.4	186	100.0
Unknown	10	40.0	3	12.0	5	20.0	7	28.0	25	100.0
Non-DV related assault										
Indigenous	30	8.0	151	40.1	100	26.5	96	25.5	377	100.0
Non-Indigenous	4 802	21.5	4 643	20.8	6 292	28.2	6 560	29.4	22 297	100.0
Unknown	736	18.7	753	19.1	982	25.0	1 463	37.2	3 934	100.0
DV related assault (c)										
Indigenous	–	–	115	65.3	28	15.9	33	18.8	176	100.0
Non-Indigenous	67	1.1	3 703	62.4	976	16.4	1 192	20.1	5 938	100.0
Unknown	16	1.6	557	54.9	158	15.6	284	28.0	1 015	100.0
Sexual assault (d)										
Indigenous	3	6.1	19	38.8	23	46.9	4	8.2	49	100.0
Non-Indigenous	514	14.6	1 027	29.1	1 625	46.1	361	10.2	3 527	100.0
Unknown	110	10.2	327	30.3	457	42.4	185	17.1	1 079	100.0
Sexual assault, victims aged 0-15 (e)										
Indigenous	1	4.0	10	40.0	12	48.0	2	8.0	25	100.0
Non-Indigenous	165	8.4	748	37.9	937	47.4	125	6.3	1 975	100.0
Unknown	41	5.6	255	35.0	302	41.4	131	18.0	729	100.0
Robbery										
Indigenous	–	–	2	33.3	–	–	4	66.7	6	100.0
Non-Indigenous	961	46.2	15	0.7	120	5.8	986	47.4	2 082	100.0
Unknown	143	43.1	–	–	14	4.2	175	52.7	332	100.0

Table 3A.11.27 Victim-offender relationships recorded by Victoria Police, for victims of offences against the person, 2005-06 (a) (b)

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- (a) Any police member receiving a report of an incident must make sufficient initial inquiries to satisfy themselves that a crime has been committed.
- (b) Indigenous status is derived from the racial appearance of the victim which is a subjective assessment of the police officer.
- (c) Defined as a family violence report and an assault occurring in the same incident.
- (d) Combination of Victoria Police offences Rape and Sex (Non-Rape).
- (e) The age of victims at the time of the offence.
- (f) Family includes parent, child, step parent/child, spouse, defacto, former spouse or defacto, sibling and other lineal relationship.
- (g) Other includes boyfriend/girlfriend, employer/employee, co-resident, acquaintance, police on duty, police off duty, other law enforcement, other known, neighbour, former boyfriend/girlfriend, gay domestic partner and lesbian domestic partner.
- (h) Unstated includes cannot be determined and unspecified.
- Nil or rounded to zero. .. Not applicable. **na** Not available.
- Source: Victoria Police (unpublished).

Table 3A.11.28 **Victim-offender relationships recorded by Victoria Police, for victims of offences against the person, 2004-05 (a) (b)**

	Stranger		Family (f)		Other (g)		Unstated (h)		Total	
	no.	%	no.	%	no.	%	no.	%	no.	%
Homicide										
Indigenous	—	—	—	—	2	66.7	1	33.3	3	100.0
Non-Indigenous	45	27.8	30	18.5	62	38.3	25	15.4	162	100.0
Unknown	10	41.7	5	20.8	3	12.5	6	25.0	24	100.0
Non-DV related assault										
Indigenous	42	11.5	159	43.6	84	23.0	80	21.9	365	100.0
Non-Indigenous	4 615	21.5	4 368	20.3	6 351	29.5	6 160	28.7	21 494	100.0
Unknown	794	21.2	658	17.6	970	25.9	1 323	35.3	3 745	100.0
DV related assault (c)										
Indigenous	—	—	104	71.7	14	9.7	27	18.6	145	100.0
Non-Indigenous	45	0.9	3 428	66.0	938	18.1	785	15.1	5 196	100.0
Unknown	4	0.5	449	60.4	109	14.7	181	24.4	743	100.0
Sexual assault (d)										
Indigenous	2	4.1	7	14.3	38	77.6	2	4.1	49	100.0
Non-Indigenous	471	13.8	932	27.3	1 723	50.4	292	8.5	3 418	100.0
Unknown	119	10.3	395	34.3	564	49.0	74	6.4	1 152	100.0
Sexual assault, victims aged 0-15 (e)										
Indigenous	2	5.7	3	8.6	29	82.9	1	2.9	35	100.0
Non-Indigenous	141	7.1	729	36.7	1 010	50.9	105	5.3	1 985	100.0
Unknown	38	4.9	321	41.8	375	48.8	34	4.4	768	100.0
Robbery										
Indigenous	1	25.0	1	25.0	1	25.0	1	25.0	4	100.0
Non-Indigenous	813	44.6	18	1.0	111	6.1	882	48.4	1 824	100.0
Unknown	108	44.8	3	1.2	6	2.5	124	51.5	241	100.0

Table 3A.11.28	Victim-offender relationships recorded by Victoria Police, for victims of offences against the person, 2004-05 (a) (b)
(a)	Any police member receiving a report of an incident must make sufficient initial inquiries to satisfy themselves that a crime has been committed.
(b)	Indigenous status is derived from the racial appearance of the victim which is a subjective assessment of the police officer.
(c)	Defined as a family violence report and an assault occurring in the same incident.
(d)	Combination of Victoria Police offences Rape and Sex (Non-Rape).
(e)	The age of victims at the time of the offence.
(f)	Family includes parent, child, step parent/child, spouse, defacto, former spouse or defacto, sibling and other lineal relationship.
(g)	Other includes boyfriend/girlfriend, employer/employee, co-resident, acquaintance, police on duty, police off duty, other law enforcement, other known, neighbour, former boyfriend/girlfriend, gay domestic partner and lesbian domestic partner.
(h)	Unstated includes cannot be determined and unspecified.
– Nil or rounded to zero. .. Not applicable. na Not available.	
Source: Victoria Police (unpublished).	

Table 3A.11.29
**Offences against the person by place of offence as recorded by
Victoria Police, 2005-06 (a)**

	Indigenous (b)		Non-Indigenous		Unknown	
	no.	%	no.	%	no.	%
Dwelling (c)	258	58.9	12 503	44.0	2 397	44.1
Shop (d)	15	3.4	2 325	8.2	366	6.7
Non-residential (e)	140	32.0	10 886	38.3	2 111	38.9
Other (f)	25	5.7	2 692	9.5	557	10.3
Total	438	100.0	28 406	100.0	5 431	100.0

(a) Any police member receiving a report of an incident must make sufficient initial inquiries to satisfy themselves that a crime has been committed.

(b) Indigenous status is derived from the racial appearance of the victim which is a subjective assessment of the police officer.

(c) Dwelling includes flat/unit/apartment, house, bungalow, caravan/mobile home, ministry of housing, boarding house, holiday home, guest house, nursing home, hotel/motel, other dwelling, backyard, frontyard, garage, shed, premises under construction, other residential (not elsewhere).

(d) Shop includes business office, other admin/professional, bank, credit society, atm/efpos, other financial institution, chemist/pharmacy, service station, jeweller, second hand dealer, supermarket, department store, car sales yard, milkbar, 24hr convenience store, restaurant/fastfood, other retail, shopping complex and gaming venue.

(e) Non-residential includes school, school grounds, other educational, hospital, medical centre, dental, other health, church, other religious, train, train station, railway carpark, tram/tram stop, bus/bus stop, depot/terminal, freight yard, taxi, private car, airfield, boat, dock/wharf, carpark (single level), carpark (multi level), other transport type/area, police station, court, prison/detention centre, youth training centre, other justice facility, parkland/reserve, rural, vacant block, beach foreshore, other open space, street/lane/footpath, cemetery, civic centre, gallery and beach car park.

(f) Other includes any wholesale, any warehouse/storage, any manufacturing, farmland/agricultural, orchard, other agricultural, licensed premises, TAB, cinema, sports area/facility, other recreational/sports, brothel, other locations (not elsewhere), unspecified/unknown location, factory and construction site.

– Nil or rounded to zero. .. Not applicable. **na** Not available.

Source: Victoria Police (unpublished).

Table 3A.11.30
Offences against the person by place of offence as recorded by Victoria Police, 2004-05 (a)

	Indigenous		Non-Indigenous		Unknown	
	no.	%	no.	%	no.	%
Dwelling	242	57.1	11 515	42.3	2 266	43.2
Shop	10	2.4	2 123	7.8	377	7.2
Non-residential	151	35.6	10 710	39.4	2 039	38.9
Other (b)	21	5.0	2 862	10.5	564	10.8
Total	424	100.0	27 210	100.0	5 246	100.0

(a) Any police member receiving a report of an incident must make sufficient initial inquiries to satisfy themselves that a crime has been committed.

(b) Indigenous status is derived from the racial appearance of the victim which is a subjective assessment of the police officer.

(c) Dwelling includes flat/unit/apartment, house, bungalow, caravan/mobile home, ministry of housing, boarding house, holiday home, guest house, nursing home, hotel/motel, other dwelling, backyard, frontyard, garage, shed, premises under construction, other residential (not elsewhere).

(d) Shop includes business office, other admin/professional, bank, credit society, atm/efpos, other financial institution, chemist/pharmacy, service station, jeweller, second hand dealer, supermarket, department store, car sales yard, milkbar, 24hr convenience store, restaurant/fastfood, other retail, shopping complex and gaming venue.

(e) Non-residential includes school, school grounds, other educational, hospital, medical centre, dental, other health, church, other religious, train, train station, railway carpark, tram/tram stop, bus/bus stop, depot/terminal, freight yard, taxi, private car, airfield, boat, dock/wharf, carpark (single level), carpark (multi level), other transport type/area, police station, court, prison/detention centre, youth training centre, other justice facility, parkland/reserve, rural, vacant block, beach foreshore, other open space, street/lane/footpath, cemetery, civic centre, gallery and beach car park.

(f) Other includes any wholesale, any warehouse/storage, any manufacturing, farmland/agricultural, orchard, other agricultural, licensed premises, TAB, cinema, sports area/facility, other recreational/sports, brothel, other locations (not elsewhere), unspecified/unknown location, factory and construction site.

– Nil or rounded to zero. .. Not applicable. **na** Not available.

Source: Victoria Police (unpublished).

Table 3A.11.31 **Victims recorded by Queensland Police: selected offence types by Indigenous status, 2005-06 (a) (b) (c) (d) (e) (f)**

	Indigenous	Non-Indigenous	Unknown	Total
<i>Number</i>				
Murder	6	44	5	55
Assault	2 692	16 948	43	19 683
DV related assault	1 047	2 042	3	3 092
Sexual assault	582	4 495	37	5 114
Sexual assault, victims aged 0-15	375	2 443	25	2 843
Robbery	25	1 386	4	1 415
<i>Rate per 100 000 population</i>				
Murder	4.3	1.1	na	1.4
Assault	1948.7	437.1	na	490.2
DV related assault	757.9	52.7	na	77.0
Sexual assault	421.3	115.9	na	127.4
Sexual assault, victims aged 0-15	671.5	299.9	na	326.6
Robbery	18.1	35.7	na	35.2

(a) Rates were calculated using population data from ABS 2006, *Population by Age and Sex, Australian States and Territories*, Cat no. 3201.0 and ABS Experimental Indigenous Projections by State, Age and Sex: Low Series (unpublished).

(b) Indigenous status is based on self-identification.

(c) Note that these data do not represent all victims of crime, just those that come to the attention of and whose details are recorded by Queensland Police.

(d) Figures do not provide a unique victim count as one person may be counted several times if they were the victim of more than one offence.

(e) The age of the victims represents the age of the victim at the time of reporting the offence.

(f) The category 'DV related assault' (DV means Domestic Violence) is a subset of 'Assault'. Similarly, the category 'sexual assault against victims 0-15' is a subset of 'sexual assault'.

– Nil or rounded to zero... Not applicable. **na** Not available.

Source: Queensland Police (unpublished); ABS 2006, *Population by Age and Sex, Australian States and Territories*, Cat no. 3201.0; ABS Experimental Indigenous Projections by State, Age and Sex: Low Series (unpublished).

Table 3A.11.32

Table 3A.11.32 Victims recorded by Queensland Police: selected offence types by Indigenous status, 2004-05 (a) (b) (c) (d) (e) (f)

	Indigenous	Non-Indigenous	Unknown	Total
<i>Number</i>				
Murder	7	41	5	53
Assault	2 483	16 495	30	19 008
DV related assault	1 022	2 097	3	3 122
Sexual assault	490	4 186	20	4 696
Sexual assault, victims aged 0-15	294	2 314	11	2 619
Robbery	39	1 258	6	1 303
<i>Rate per 100 000 population</i>				
Murder	5.2	1.1	na	1.3
Assault	1834.0	434.4	na	483.3
DV related assault	754.9	55.2	na	79.4
Sexual assault	361.9	110.2	na	119.4
Sexual assault, victims aged 0-15	530.9	287.5	na	304.4
Robbery	28.8	33.1	na	33.1

(a) Rates were calculated using population data from ABS 2006, *Population by Age and Sex, Australian States and Territories*, Cat no. 3201.0 and ABS Experimental Indigenous Projections by State, Age and Sex: Low Series (unpublished).

(b) Indigenous status is based on self-identification.

(c) Note that these data do not represent all victims of crime, just those that come to the attention of and whose details are recorded by Queensland Police.

(d) Figures do not provide a unique victim count as one person may be counted several times if they were the victim of more than one offence.

(e) The age of the victims represents the age of the victim at the time of reporting the offence.

(f) The category 'DV related assault' (DV means Domestic Violence) is a subset of 'Assault'. Similarly, the category 'sexual assault against victims 0-15' is a subset of 'sexual assault'.

– Nil or rounded to zero... Not applicable. **na** Not available.

Source: Queensland Police (unpublished); ABS 2006, *Population by Age and Sex, Australian States and Territories*, Cat no. 3201.0; ABS Experimental Indigenous Projections by State, Age and Sex: Low Series (unpublished).

Table 3A.11.33

Table 3A.11.33 Female victims recorded by Queensland Police: selected offence types by Indigenous status, 2005-06 (a) (b) (c) (d) (e) (f)

<i>Number</i>	<i>Indigenous</i>	<i>Non-Indigenous</i>	<i>Unknown</i>	<i>Total</i>
Murder	2	19	4	25
Assault	1 793	5 741	15	7 549
DV related assault	898	1 397	2	2 297
Sexual assault	499	3 715	31	4 245
Sexual assault, victims aged 0-15	319	1 933	21	2 273
Robbery	12	371	1	384
<i>Rate per 100 000 population</i>				
Murder	2.8	1.0	na	1.2
Assault	2550.4	296.6	na	376.4
DV related assault	1277.3	72.2	na	114.5
Sexual assault	709.8	192.0	na	211.7
Sexual assault, victims aged 0-15	1168.3	487.7	na	536.5
Robbery	17.1	19.2	na	19.1

(a) Rates were calculated using population data from ABS 2006, *Population by Age and Sex, Australian States and Territories*, Cat no. 3201.0 and ABS Experimental Indigenous Projections by State, Age and Sex: Low Series (unpublished).

(b) Indigenous status is based on self-identification.

(c) Note that these data do not represent all victims of crime, just those that come to the attention of and whose details are recorded by Queensland Police.

(d) Figures do not provide a unique victim count as one person may be counted several times if they were the victim of more than one offence.

(e) The age of the victims represents the age of the victim at the time of reporting the offence.

(f) The category 'DV related assault' (DV means Domestic Violence) is a subset of 'Assault'. Similarly, the category 'sexual assault against victims 0-15' is a subset of 'sexual assault'.

– Nil or rounded to zero... Not applicable. **na** Not available.

Source: Queensland Police (unpublished); ABS 2006, *Population by Age and Sex, Australian States and Territories*, Cat no. 3201.0; ABS Experimental Indigenous Projections by State, Age and Sex: Low Series (unpublished).

Table 3A.11.34 **Female victims recorded by Queensland Police: selected offence types by Indigenous status, 2004-05 (a) (b) (c) (d) (e) (f)**

<i>Number</i>	<i>Indigenous</i>	<i>Non-Indigenous</i>	<i>Unknown</i>	<i>Total</i>
Murder	3	14	–	17
Assault	1 694	5 606	14	7 314
DV related assault	858	1 413	3	2 274
Sexual assault	369	3 501	16	3 886
Sexual assault, victims aged 0-15	221	1 892	9	2 122
Robbery	16	388	3	407
<i>Rate per 100 000 population</i>				
Murder	4.4	0.7	na	0.9
Assault	2456.4	295.5	na	372.0
DV related assault	1244.2	74.5	na	115.7
Sexual assault	535.1	184.5	na	197.7
Sexual assault, victims aged 0-15	816.1	483.0	na	506.7
Robbery	23.2	20.5	na	20.7

(a) Rates were calculated using population data from ABS 2006, *Population by Age and Sex, Australian States and Territories*, Cat no. 3201.0 and ABS Experimental Indigenous Projections by State, Age and Sex: Low Series (unpublished).

(b) Indigenous status is based on self-identification.

(c) Note that these data do not represent all victims of crime, just those that come to the attention of and whose details are recorded by Queensland Police.

(d) Figures do not provide a unique victim count as one person may be counted several times if they were the victim of more than one offence.

(e) The age of the victims represents the age of the victim at the time of reporting the offence.

(f) The category 'DV related assault' (DV means Domestic Violence) is a subset of 'Assault'. Similarly, the category 'sexual assault against victims 0-15' is a subset of 'sexual assault'.

– Nil or rounded to zero. ... Not applicable. **na** Not available.

Source: Queensland Police (unpublished); ABS 2006, *Population by Age and Sex, Australian States and Territories*, Cat no.

3201.0; ABS Experimental Indigenous Projections by State, Age and Sex: Low Series (unpublished).

Table 3A.11.35 **Victim-offender relationships recorded by Queensland Police, for victims of offences against the person, 2005-06 (a) (b) (c) (f)**

	Stranger		Family		Other		Unstated (g)		Not Applicable		Total	
	no.	%	no.	%	no.	%	no.	%	no.	%	no.	%
Murder												
Indigenous	1	17	2	33	3	50	—	—	—	—	6	100.0
Non-Indigenous	11	25	25	57	6	14	2	5	—	—	44	100.0
Unknown	1	20	3	60	1	20	—	—	—	—	5	100.0
Total	13	24	30	55	10	18	2	4	—	—	55	100.0
Assault												
Indigenous	162	6	1 181	44	681	25	668	25	—	—	2 692	100.0
Non-Indigenous	5 396	32	1 790	11	3 776	22	5 976	35	10	—	16 948	100.0
Unknown	10	23	10	23	7	16	16	37	—	—	43	100.0
Total	5 568	28	2 981	15	4 464	23	6 660	34	10	—	19 683	100.0
DV related assault (e)												
Indigenous	3	—	792	76	65	6	187	18	—	—	1 047	100.0
Non-Indigenous	225	11	1 001	49	205	10	611	30	—	—	2 042	100.0
Unknown	—	—	3	100	—	—	—	—	—	—	3	100.0
Total	228	7	1 796	58	270	9	798	26	—	—	3 092	100.0
Sexual assault												
Indigenous	14	2	187	32	200	34	181	31	—	—	582	100.0
Non-Indigenous	292	6	1 011	22	1 130	25	2 057	46	5	—	4 495	100.0
Unknown	—	—	10	27	8	22	19	51	—	—	37	100.0
Total	306	6	1 208	24	1 338	26	2 257	44	5	—	5 114	100.0

Table 3A.11.35 **Victim-offender relationships recorded by Queensland Police, for victims of offences against the person, 2005-06 (a) (b) (c) (f)**

	Stranger		Family		Other		Unstated (g)		Not Applicable		Total	
	no.	%	no.	%	no.	%	no.	%	no.	%	no.	%
Sexual assault, victims aged 0-15 (d)												
Indigenous	10	3	121	32	158	42	86	23	–	–	375	100.0
Non-Indigenous	98	4	674	28	728	30	941	39	2	–	2 443	100.0
Unknown	–	–	6	24	6	24	13	52	–	–	25	100.0
Total	108	4	801	28	892	31	1 040	37	2	–	2 843	100.0
Robbery												
Indigenous	7	28	3	12	2	8	13	52	–	–	25	100.0
Non-Indigenous	419	30	9	1	108	8	840	61	10	1	1 386	100.0
Unknown	1	25	–	–	–	–	3	75	–	–	4	100.0
Total	427	30	12	1	110	8	856	60	10	1	1 415	100.0

(a) Indigenous status is based on self-identification.

(b) Note that these data do not represent all victims of crime, just those that come to the attention of and whose details are recorded by Queensland Police.

(c) Figures do not provide a unique victim count as one person may be counted several times if they were the victim of more than one offence.

(d) The age of the victims represents the age of the victim at the time of reporting the offence.

(e) The category 'DV related assault' (DV means Domestic Violence) is a subset of 'Assault'. Similarly, the category 'sexual assault against victims 0-15' is a subset of 'sexual assault'.

(f) Percentages have been rounded to the nearest whole number.

(g) The relationship of 'Unstated' represents the victims where an offender has not yet been apprehended for the offence.

– Nil or rounded to zero. ... Not applicable. **na** Not available.

Source: Queensland Police (unpublished)

Table 3A.11.36 **Victim-offender relationships recorded by Queensland Police, for victims of offences against the person, 2004-05 (a) (b) (c)**
(f)

	Stranger		Family		Other		Unstated (g)		Not Applicable		Total	
	no.	%	no.	%	no.	%	no.	%	no.	%	no.	%
Murder												
Indigenous	1	14	5	71	1	14	—	—	—	—	7	100.0
Non-Indigenous	12	29	12	29	16	39	1	2	—	—	41	100.0
Unknown	1	20	—	—	4	80	—	—	—	—	5	100.0
Total	14	26	17	32	21	40	1	2	—	—	53	100.0
Assault												
Indigenous	173	7	1 056	43	651	26	603	24	—	—	2 483	100.0
Non-Indigenous	5 568	34	1 684	10	3 612	22	5 630	34	1	—	16 495	100.0
Unknown	8	27	8	27	4	13	10	33	—	—	30	100.0
Total	5 749	30	2 748	14	4 267	22	6 243	33	1	—	19 008	100.0
DV related Assault (e)												
Indigenous	4	—	751	73	92	9	175	17	—	—	1 022	100.0
Non-Indigenous	232	11	999	48	270	13	596	28	—	—	2 097	100.0
Unknown	—	—	2	67	1	33	—	—	—	—	3	100.0
Total	236	8	1 752	56	363	12	771	25	—	—	3 122	100.0
Sexual assault												
Indigenous	19	4	118	24	165	34	188	38	—	—	490	100.0
Non-Indigenous	256	6	910	22	1 059	25	1 960	47	1	—	4 186	100.0
Unknown	1	5	3	15	3	15	13	65	—	—	20	100.0
Total	276	6	1 031	22	1 227	26	2 161	46	1	—	4 696	100.0

Table 3A.11.36 **Victim-offender relationships recorded by Queensland Police, for victims of offences against the person, 2004-05 (a) (b) (c) (f)**

	Stranger		Family		Other		Unstated (g)		Not Applicable		Total	
	no.	%	no.	%	no.	%	no.	%	no.	%	no.	%
Sexual assault, victims aged 0-15 (d)												
Indigenous	10	3	82	28	104	35	98	33	-	-	294	100.0
Non-Indigenous	102	4	596	26	696	30	919	40	1	-	2 314	100.0
Unknown	-	-	3	27	1	9	7	64	-	-	11	100.0
Total	112	4	681	26	801	31	1 024	39	1	-	2 619	100.0
Robbery												
Indigenous	7	18	1	3	7	18	24	62	-	-	39	100.0
Non-Indigenous	332	26	13	1	96	8	812	65	5	-	1 258	100.0
Unknown	5	83	-	-	-	-	1	17	-	-	6	100.0
Total	344	26	14	1	103	8	837	64	5	-	1 303	100.0

(a) Indigenous status is based on self-identification.

(b) Note that these data do not represent all victims of crime, just those that come to the attention of and whose details are recorded by Queensland Police.

(c) Figures do not provide a unique victim count as one person may be counted several times if they were the victim of more than one offence.

(d) The age of the victims represents the age of the victim at the time of reporting the offence.

(e) The category 'DV related assault' (DV means Domestic Violence) is a subset of 'Assault'. Similarly, the category 'sexual assault against victims 0-15' is a subset of 'sexual assault'.

(f) Percentages have been rounded to the nearest whole number.

(g) The relationship of 'Unstated' represents the victims where an offender has not yet been apprehended for the offence.

- Nil or rounded to zero. ... Not applicable. **na** Not available.

Source : Queensland Police (unpublished)

Table 3A.11.37 **Offences against the person by place of offence as recorded by Queensland Police, 2005-06 (a) (b) (c) (e) (g)**

	Indigenous		Non-Indigenous		Unknown		Total	
	no.	%	no.	%	no.	%	no.	%
Dwelling	1 960	59	8 972	39	57	64	10 989	42
Shop	145	4	2 940	13	1	1	3 086	12
Non-residential	1 164	35	10 751	47	28	31	11 943	45
Other (d)	36	1	210	1	3	3	249	1
Total (f)	3 305	100.0	22 873	100.0	89	100.0	26 267	100.0

(a) Indigenous status is based on self-identification.

(b) Note that these data do not represent all victims of crime, just those that come to the attention of and whose details are recorded by Queensland Police.

(c) Figures do not provide a unique victim count as one person may be counted several times if they were the victim of more than one offence.

(d) Includes unknown place type.

(e) Percentages have been rounded to the nearest whole number.

(f) The total for offences against the person includes the offences of Murder, Assault, Sexual Assault and Robbery.

(g) The location of an offence is defined by a code that categorises locations on the basis of use or primary function.

– Nil or rounded to zero. .. Not applicable. **na** Not available.

Source: Queensland Police (unpublished)

Table 3A.11.38 **Offences against the person by place of offence as recorded by Queensland Police, 2004-05 (a) (b) (c) (e) (g)**

	Indigenous		Non-Indigenous		Unknown		Total	
	no.	%	no.	%	no.	%	no.	%
Dwelling	1 752	58	8 595	39	30	49	10 377	41
Shop	174	6	2 949	13	2	3	3 125	12
Non-residential	1 053	35	10 238	47	25	41	11 316	45
Other (d)	40	1	198	1	4	7	242	1
Total (f)	3 019	100.0	21 980	100.0	61	100.0	25 060	100.0

(a) Indigenous status is based on self-identification.

(b) Note that these data do not represent all victims of crime, just those that come to the attention of and whose details are recorded by Queensland Police.

(c) Figures do not provide a unique victim count as one person may be counted several times if they were the victim of more than one offence.

(d) Includes unknown place type.

(e) Percentages have been rounded to the nearest whole number.

(f) The total for offences against the person includes the offences of Murder, Assault, Sexual Assault and Robbery.

(g) The location of an offence is defined by a code that categorises locations on the basis of use or primary function.

– Nil or rounded to zero. .. Not applicable. **na** Not available.

Source: Queensland Police (unpublished)

Table 3A.11.39 **Reported offences against the person by victim sex and Indigenous status, Western Australia, 2001 (a) (b)**

	Indigenous		Non-Indigenous		Ratio Ind:Non-Ind
	Number	Rate per 100 000	Number	Rate per 100 000	
<i>Females</i>					
Homicide	5	0.2	18	—	8.2
Assault	1 982	63.8	4 886	5.3	12.0
Sex offences	229	7.4	2 530	2.8	2.6
Other	197	6.3	1 388	1.5	4.2
Robbery	11	0.4	490	0.5	0.8
Total	2 424	78.0	9 312	10.2	7.6
<i>Males</i>					
Homicide	11	0.4	37	—	9.1
Assault	805	26.5	8 034	8.6	3.1
Sex offences	35	1.2	590	0.6	2.0
Other	102	3.4	1 465	1.6	2.1
Robbery	16	0.5	948	1.0	0.5
Total	969	31.8	11 074	11.9	2.7
<i>Combined</i>					
Homicide	16	0.3	55	—	8.7
Assault	2 787	45.3	12 920	7.0	6.5
Sex offences	264	4.3	3 120	1.7	2.5
Other	299	4.9	2 853	1.5	3.3
Robbery	27	0.4	1 438	0.8	0.5
Total	3 393	55.2	20 386	11.0	5.0

Table 3A.11.39 **Reported offences against the person by victim sex and Indigenous status, Western Australia, 2001 (a) (b)**

- (a) Aboriginality is derived from the WA Police Identity Code field for ethnic appearance. The field is completed on the basis of the attending police officer's subjective assessment of the person's appearance and is recorded for operational purposes only. Care should be exercised in the interpretation of these statistics, as a subjective assessment means it is possible that a person attributed to a particular group does not belong to that group.
- (b) The ratio of Indigenous to non-Indigenous victims is calculated by dividing the Indigenous victimisation rate by the non-Indigenous victimisation rate. A ratio greater than one implies that Indigenous people are disadvantaged compared to non-Indigenous people.

Source : University of WA 2003, *Aboriginal involvement in the Western Australian criminal justice system: A statistical review, 2001* , Crime Research Centre, Perth.

Table 3A.11.40 **Reported offences against the person by victim sex and Indigenous status, Western Australia, 2000 (a) (b)**

	Indigenous		Non-Indigenous		Ratio Ind:Non-Ind
	Number	Rate per 100 000	Number	Rate per 100 000	
<i>Females</i>					
Homicide	7	0.2	32	—	6.5
Assault	1 871	61.3	4 393	4.9	12.6
Sex offences	269	8.8	2 382	2.6	3.3
Other	188	6.2	1 409	1.6	4.0
Robbery	16	0.5	652	0.7	0.7
Total	2 351	77.0	8 868	9.8	7.9
<i>Males</i>					
Homicide	10	0.3	42	—	7.3
Assault	805	26.9	7 573	8.2	3.3
Sex offences	39	1.3	483	0.5	2.5
Other	79	2.6	1 435	1.6	1.7
Robbery	12	0.4	806	0.9	0.5
Total	945	31.6	10 339	11.3	2.8
<i>Combined</i>					
Homicide	17	0.3	74	—	6.9
Assault	2 676	44.3	11 966	6.6	6.7
Sex offences	308	5.1	2 865	1.6	3.2
Other	267	4.4	2 844	1.6	2.8
Robbery	28	0.5	1 458	0.8	0.6
Total	3 296	54.5	19 207	10.5	5.2

Table 3A.11.40 **Reported offences against the person by victim sex and Indigenous status, Western Australia, 2000 (a) (b)**

- (a) Aboriginality is derived from the WA Police Identity Code field for ethnic appearance. The field is completed on the basis of the attending police officer's subjective assessment of the person's appearance and is recorded for operational purposes only. Care should be exercised in the interpretation of these statistics, as a subjective assessment means it is possible that a person attributed to a particular group does not belong to that group.
- (b) The ratio of Indigenous to non-Indigenous victims is calculated by dividing the Indigenous victimisation rate by the non-Indigenous victimisation rate. A ratio greater than one implies that Indigenous people are disadvantaged compared to non-Indigenous people.

Source : University of WA 2001, *Aboriginal involvement in the Western Australian criminal justice system: A statistical review, 2000*, Crime Research Centre, Perth.

Table 3A.11.41 **Indigenous victimisation rates, by gender, Western Australia, 2000–2001 (a)**

	Rate per 100 000		Ratio
	Female	Male	Female: Male
2001			
<i>Offence</i>			
Homicide	0.2	0.4	0.5
Assault	63.8	26.5	2.4
Sex offences	7.4	1.2	6.2
Other	6.3	3.4	1.9
Robbery	0.4	0.5	0.8
Total	78.0	31.8	2.5
2000			
<i>Offence</i>			
Homicide	0.2	0.3	0.7
Assault	61.3	26.9	2.3
Sex offences	8.8	1.3	6.8
Other	6.2	2.6	2.3
Robbery	0.5	0.4	1.3
Total	77.0	31.6	2.4

(a) Aboriginality is derived from the WA Police Identity Code field for ethnic appearance. The field is completed on the basis of the attending police officer's subjective assessment of the person's appearance and is recorded for operational purposes only. Care should be exercised in the interpretation of these statistics, as a subjective assessment means it is possible that a person attributed to a particular group does not belong to that group.

Source: University of WA 2001, *Aboriginal involvement in the Western Australian criminal justice system: A statistical review 2000*, Crime Research Centre, Perth; University of WA 2003, *Aboriginal involvement in the Western Australian criminal justice system: A statistical review 2001*, Crime Research Centre, Perth.

Table 3A.11.42 **Victimisation rates, by age, Western Australia, 2000–2001 (a), (b)**

	Rate per 100 000		Ratio
	Indigenous	Non-Indigenous	Ind:Non-Ind
2001			
<i>Age Group</i>			
<18	22.5	9.7	2.3
18-24	89.6	23.1	3.9
25-34	112.1	19.0	5.9
35 & over	58.4	6.8	8.6
Total	55.2	11.5	4.8
2000			
<i>Age Group</i>			
<18	24.3	9.7	2.5
18-24	101.5	21.5	4.7
25-34	104.8	17.1	6.1
35 & over	51.9	6.6	7.9
Total	54.5	10.5	5.2

- (a) Aboriginality is derived from the WA Police Identity Code field for ethnic appearance. The field is completed on the basis of the attending police officer's subjective assessment of the person's appearance and is recorded for operational purposes only. Care should be exercised in the interpretation of these statistics, as a subjective assessment means it is possible that a person attributed to a particular group does not belong to that group.
- (b) The ratio of Indigenous to non-Indigenous victims is calculated by dividing the Indigenous victimisation rate by the non-Indigenous victimisation rate. A ratio greater than one implies that Indigenous people are disadvantaged compared to non-Indigenous people.

Source: University of WA 2001, *Aboriginal involvement in the Western Australian criminal justice system: A statistical review 2000*, Crime Research Centre, Perth; University of WA 2003, *Aboriginal involvement in the Western Australian criminal justice system: A statistical review 2001*, Crime Research Centre, Perth.

Table 3A.11.43

Table 3A.11.43 **Rate of victimisation, per 100 000 people for domestic violence, by region, Western Australia, 2000–2001 (a) (b)**

	<i>Perth</i>	<i>Other</i>
<i>2001</i>		
Indigenous	852	2 406
Non-Indigenous	49	73
<i>2000</i>		
Indigenous	1 058	2 868
Non-Indigenous	60	72

(a) Aboriginality is derived from the WA Police Identity Code field for ethnic appearance. The field is completed on the basis of the attending police officer's subjective assessment of the person's appearance and is recorded for operational purposes only. Care should be exercised in the interpretation of these statistics, as a subjective assessment means it is possible that a person attributed to a particular group does not belong to that group.

(b) Domestic violence here refers to any 'against the person offence' committed by a spouse or partner.

Source: University of WA 2001, *Aboriginal involvement in the Western Australian criminal justice system: A statistical review 2000*, Crime Research Centre, Perth; University of WA 2003, *Aboriginal involvement in the Western Australian criminal justice system: A statistical review 2001*, Crime Research Centre, Perth.

Table 3A.11.44

Table 3A.11.44 Victims recorded by NT Police: selected offence types by Indigenous status, 2005 (a) (b) (c) (d) (e) (f)

	<i>Indigenous</i>	<i>Non-Indigenous</i>	<i>Unknown</i>	<i>Total</i>
<i>Number</i>				
Murder	11	1	1	13
Assault	2 284	1 307	429	4 020
DV related assault	1 736	289	142	2 167
Sexual assault	98	106	54	258
Sexual assault, victims aged 0-15	35	31	34	100
Robbery	6	58	10	74
<i>Rate per 100 000 population</i>				
Murder	18.2	0.7	na	6.4
Assault	3 783.1	913.8	na	1 976.4
DV related assault	2 875.5	202.1	na	1 065.4
Sexual assault	162.3	74.1	na	126.8
Sexual assault, victims aged 0-15	158.5	98.3	na	186.5
Robbery	9.9	40.6	na	36.4

- (a) Indigenous status is based on appearance.
- (b) Note that these data do not represent all victims of crime, just those that come to the attention of and whose details are recorded by NT Police.
- (c) An increase in 2005 is partly due to the introduction of domestic violence initiative.
- (d) Data are compiled on the basis of the date an offence is reported to police and recorded within a reference period.
- (e) The category 'DV related assault' (DV means Domestic Violence) is a subset of 'Assault'. Similarly, the category 'sexual assault against victims 0-15' is a subset of 'sexual assault'.
- (f) Police statistical databases are 'live' systems with records being updated or entered on a daily basis as a result of continuing investigations. Therefore crime statistics produced for a given period may change with the passage of time.
- Nil or rounded to zero. .. Not applicable. **na** Not available.

Source: NT Police Statistics (unpublished) as at Nov 2006; ABS 2006, *Population by Age and Sex, Australian States and Territories*, Cat no. 3201.0; ABS Experimental Indigenous Projections by State, Age and Sex: Low Series (unpublished).

Table 3A.11.45

Table 3A.11.45 Victims recorded by NT Police: selected offence types by Indigenous status, 2004 (a) (b) (c) (d) (e)

	<i>Indigenous</i>	<i>Non-Indigenous</i>	<i>Unknown</i>	<i>Total</i>
<i>Number</i>				
Murder	4	6	6	16
Assault	1 806	1 215	374	3 395
DV related assault	1 298	248	117	1 663
Sexual assault	116	157	71	344
Sexual assault, victims aged 0-15	64	60	38	162
Robbery	4	48	8	60
<i>Rate per 100 000 population</i>				
Murder	6.7	4.3	na	8.0
Assault	3 034.9	865.8	na	1 698.9
DV related assault	2 181.2	176.7	na	832.2
Sexual assault	194.9	111.9	na	172.1
Sexual assault, victims aged 0-15	291.5	191.5	na	304.0
Robbery	6.7	34.2	na	30.0

- (a) Indigenous status is based on appearance.
- (b) Note that these data do not represent all victims of crime, just those that come to the attention of and whose details are recorded by NT Police.
- (c) Data are compiled on the basis of the date an offence is reported to police and recorded within a reference period.
- (d) The category 'DV related assault' (DV means Domestic Violence) is a subset of 'Assault'. Similarly, the category 'sexual assault against victims 0-15' is a subset of 'sexual assault'.
- (e) Police statistical databases are 'live' systems with records being updated or entered on a daily basis as a result of continuing investigations. Therefore crime statistics produced for a given period may change with the passage of time.

– Nil or rounded to zero. .. Not applicable. **na** Not available.

Source: NT Police Statistics (unpublished) as at Nov 2006; ABS 2006, *Population by Age and Sex, Australian States and Territories*, Cat no. 3201.0; ABS Experimental Indigenous Projections by State, Age and Sex: Low Series (unpublished).

Table 3A.11.46

Table 3A.11.46 Female victims recorded by NT Police: selected offence types by Indigenous status, 2005 (a) (b) (c) (d)

	<i>Indigenous</i>	<i>Non-Indigenous</i>	<i>Unknown</i>	<i>Total</i>
<i>Number</i>				
Murder	6	–	1	7
Assault	1 875	515	208	2 598
DV related assault	1 573	206	97	1 876
Sexual assault	92	99	40	231
Sexual assault, victims aged 0-15	32	27	22	81
Robbery	2	12	2	16
<i>Rate per 100 000 population</i>				
Murder	19.9	–	na	7.3
Assault	6 211.3	780.2	na	2 700.7
DV related assault	5 210.9	312.1	na	1 950.1
Sexual assault	304.8	150.0	na	240.1
Sexual assault, victims aged 0-15	300.1	176.5	na	312.0
Robbery	6.6	18.2	na	16.6

- (a) Indigenous status is based on appearance.
- (b) Note that these data do not represent all victims of crime, just those that come to the attention of and whose details are recorded by NT Police.
- (c) An increase in 2005 is partly due to the introduction of domestic violence initiative.
- (d) Data are compiled on the basis of the date an offence is reported to police and recorded within a reference period.
- (e) The category 'DV related assault' (DV means Domestic Violence) is a subset of 'Assault'. Similarly, the category 'sexual assault against victims 0-15' is a subset of 'sexual assault'.
- (f) Police statistical databases are 'live' systems with records being updated or entered on a daily basis as a result of continuing investigations. Therefore crime statistics produced for a given period may change with the passage of time.
- Nil or rounded to zero. .. Not applicable. **na** Not available.

Source: NT Police Statistics (unpublished) as at Nov 2006; ABS 2006, *Population by Age and Sex, Australian States and Territories*, Cat no. 3201.0; ABS Experimental Indigenous Projections by State, Age and Sex: Low Series (unpublished).

Table 3A.11.47

Table 3A.11.47 Female victims recorded by NT Police: selected offence types by Indigenous status, 2004 (a) (b) (c) (d)

	<i>Indigenous</i>	<i>Non-Indigenous</i>	<i>Unknown</i>	<i>Total</i>
<i>Number</i>				
Murder	3	–	5	8
Assault	456	1 415	181	2 052
DV related assault	175	1 156	83	1 414
Sexual assault	133	96	60	289
Sexual assault, victims aged 0-15	48	48	31	127
Robbery	9	2	3	14
<i>Rate per 100 000 population</i>				
Murder	10.1	–	na	8.5
Assault	1 533.0	2 181.7	na	2 169.1
DV related assault	588.3	1 782.4	na	1 494.7
Sexual assault	447.1	148.0	na	305.5
Sexual assault, victims aged 0-15	453.6	317.5	na	494.2
Robbery	30.3	3.1	na	14.8

- (a) Indigenous status is based on appearance.
- (b) Note that these data do not represent all victims of crime, just those that come to the attention of and whose details are recorded by NT Police.
- (c) Data are compiled on the basis of the date an offence is reported to police and recorded within a reference period.
- (d) The category 'DV related assault' (DV means Domestic Violence) is a subset of 'Assault'. Similarly, the category 'sexual assault against victims 0-15' is a subset of 'sexual assault'.
- (e) Police statistical databases are 'live' systems with records being updated or entered on a daily basis as a result of continuing investigations. Therefore crime statistics produced for a given period may change with the passage of time.

– Nil or rounded to zero. .. Not applicable. **na** Not available.

Source: NT Police Statistics (unpublished) as at Nov 2006; ABS 2006, *Population by Age and Sex, Australian States and Territories*, Cat no. 3201.0; ABS Experimental Indigenous Projections by State, Age and Sex: Low Series (unpublished).

Table 3A.11.48 **Victim-offender relationships recorded by NT Police, for victims of offences against the person, 2005 (a)**

	Family		Other		Stranger		Unstated		Total	
	no.	%	no.	%	no.	%	no.	%	no.	%
Murder										
Indigenous	7	63.6	1	9.1	3	27.3	–	na	11	100.0
Non-Indigenous	–	na	1	100.0	–	na	–	na	1	100.0
Assault										
Indigenous	1 324	58.0	592	25.9	264	11.6	104	4.6	2 284	100.0
Non-Indigenous	177	13.5	477	36.5	590	45.1	63	4.8	1 307	100.0
DV related assault										
Indigenous	1 324	76.3	326	18.8	32	1.8	54	3.1	1 736	100.0
Non-Indigenous	177	61.2	92	31.8	12	4.2	8	2.8	289	100.0
Sexual assault										
Indigenous	12	12.2	39	39.8	38	38.8	9	9.2	98	100.0
Non-Indigenous	10	9.4	47	44.3	47	44.3	2	1.9	106	100.0
Sexual assault, victims aged 0-15										
Indigenous	8	22.9	17	48.6	8	22.9	2	5.7	35	100.0
Non-Indigenous	7	22.6	20	64.5	4	12.9	–	na	31	100.0
Robbery										
Indigenous	1	16.7	1	16.7	4	66.7	–	na	6	100.0
Non-Indigenous	–	na	5	8.6	48	82.8	5	8.6	58	100.0

(a) Family includes partner, spouse, siblings, parents and immediate family members. Other includes relatives, friends and acquaintances.

Stranger includes where victim/offender are relatively unknown to each other.

– Nil or rounded to zero. .. Not applicable. **na** Not available.

Source: NT Police Statistics (unpublished) as at Nov 2006.

Table 3A.11.49 **Victim-offender relationships recorded by NT Police, for victims of offences against the person, 2004 (a)**

	Family		Other		Stranger		Unstated		Total	
	no.	%	no.	%	no.	%	no.	%	no.	%
Murder										
Indigenous	1	25.0	3	75.0	–	na	–	na	4	100.0
Non-Indigenous	–	na	3	50.0	3	50.0	–	na	6	100.0
Assault										
Indigenous	963	53.3	530	29.3	217	12.0	96	5.3	1 806	100.0
Non-Indigenous	152	12.5	435	35.8	560	46.1	68	5.6	1 215	100.0
DV related assault										
Indigenous	963	74.2	274	21.1	18	1.4	43	3.3	1 298	100.0
Non-Indigenous	152	61.3	83	33.5	9	3.6	4	1.6	248	100.0
Sexual assault										
Indigenous	17	14.7	40	34.5	57	49.1	2	1.7	116	100.0
Non-Indigenous	23	14.6	63	40.1	62	39.5	9	5.7	157	100.0
Sexual assault, victims aged 0-15										
Indigenous	10	15.6	22	34.4	30	46.9	2	3.1	64	100.0
Non-Indigenous	10	16.7	28	46.7	21	35.0	1	1.7	60	100.0
Robbery										
Indigenous	–	na	1	25.0	3	75.0	–	na	4	100.0
Non-Indigenous	–	na	6	12.5	40	83.3	2	4.2	48	100.0

(a) Family includes partner, spouse, siblings, parents and immediate family members. Other includes relatives, friends and acquaintances. Stranger includes where victim/offender are relatively unknown to each other.

– Nil or rounded to zero. .. Not applicable. **na** Not available.

Source: NT Police Statistics (unpublished) as at Nov 2006.

Table 3A.12.1

Table 3A.12.1 Number of prisoners

	NSW (a)	Vic	Qld	WA	SA	Tas	ACT in ACT	ACT in NSW (a)	ACT Total	NT	Aust (b)
<i>Indigenous</i>											
2002	1 503	160	1 183	872	243	61	13	12	25	459	4 494
2003	1 563	174	1 192	1 017	244	53	4	12	16	571	4 818
2004	1 576	186	1 195	1 217	249	59	10	16	26	556	5 048
2005	1 682	220	1 331	1 408	265	70	17	9	26	663	5 656
2006	1 951	215	1 506	1 400	300	53	13	13	26	653	6 091
<i>Non-Indigenous</i>											
2002	7 167	3 345	3 538	1 928	1 050	366	104	109	213	208	17 706
2003	7 099	3 589	4 033	1 882	1 049	400	128	105	233	158	18 338
2004	7 629	3 438	3 989	1 952	1 069	388	150	102	252	161	18 776
2005	7 853	3 472	3 969	2 074	1 054	476	136	104	240	157	19 191
2006	7 667	3 690	4 056	2 126	1 244	459	89	99	188	139	19 470
<i>Unknown</i>											
2002	89	35	—	—	168	—	—	2	2	—	292
2003	219	—	18	—	162	—	—	—	—	—	399
2004	124	—	56	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	347
2005	284	—	54	—	154	5	9	—	9	—	506
2006	204	—	—	—	23	—	2	2	4	—	229
<i>All prisoners</i>											
2002	8 759	3 540	4 721	2 800	1 461	427	117	123	240	667	22 492
2003	8 881	3 763	5 243	2 899	1 455	453	132	117	249	729	23 555
2004	9 329	3 624	5 240	3 169	1 485	447	160	118	278	717	24 171
2005	9 819	3 692	5 354	3 482	1 473	551	162	113	275	820	25 353
2006	9 822	3 905	5 562	3 526	1 567	512	104	114	218	792	25 790

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Table 3A.12.1 **Number of prisoners**

(a)	The majority of full-time prisoners sentenced in the ACT are held in NSW prisons.
(b)	The ACT in NSW figures are a subset of the NSW figures and are not separately counted in the Australian totals.
–	Nil or rounded to zero.
	Source : ABS 2006, <i>Prisoners in Australia</i> , Cat. no. 4517.0.

Table 3A.12.2

Table 3A.12.2 Crude imprisonment rates per 100 000 adult population (a)

	NSW (b)	Vic	Qld	WA	SA	Tas	ACT (c)	NT	Aust
Indigenous									
2002	2 012.2	978.9	1 638.6	2 350.7	1 678.9	644.3	1 129.2	1 367.0	1 732.0
2003	2 047.8	1 029.3	1 632.6	2 671.5	1 638.4	548.4	698.1	1 663.5	1 818.0
2004	2 012.2	1 068.8	1 572.2	3 114.4	1 623.7	597.2	1 094.7	1 589.4	1 851.9
2005	2 106.3	1 223.7	1 706.1	3 502.6	1 680.6	691.8	1 059.9	1 855.9	2 021.2
2006	2 382.1	1 203.0	1 877.1	3 385.4	1 849.7	511.6	1 031.3	1 790.5	2 126.9
Non-Indigenous									
2002	142.5	89.2	128.6	137.5	91.1	106.2	88.5	197.3	120.4
2003	139.7	94.2	142.6	131.6	90.2	114.5	95.8	150.9	122.8
2004	149.1	89.2	138.3	134.5	91.4	109.4	103.0	153.5	124.3
2005	152.1	89.0	134.4	140.3	89.4	133.2	97.3	147.1	125.3
2006	147.0	94.7	134.0	140.7	104.5	127.1	75.3	126.8	125.6
All prisoners									
2002	171.8	94.0	167.2	194.5	125.2	120.6	98.8	479.8	150.3
2003	172.4	98.3	180.7	197.5	123.5	126.1	101.5	524.3	154.9
2004	179.7	93.6	177.0	212.6	125.3	122.9	112.6	512.6	157.1
2005	187.6	94.2	176.7	229.3	123.2	149.9	110.4	575.5	162.5
2006	185.6	99.7	179.0	227.2	129.8	137.9	86.4	542.1	163.4

(a) Crude means the rates have not been age standardised; thus, they do not take into account the different age structures of the Indigenous and non-Indigenous populations.

(b) Data for NSW exclude ACT prisoners held in NSW prisons.

(c) Data for the ACT include ACT prisoners held in the ACT as well as ACT prisoners held in NSW.

Source: ABS 2006, *Prisoners in Australia*, Cat. no. 4517.0.

Table 3A.12.3

Table 3A.12.3 Imprisonment rates per 100 000 adult population

	NSW (a)	Vic	Qld	WA	SA	Tas	ACT (b)	NT	Aust
2006									
Crude rate									
Indigenous	2 382.1	1 203.0	1 877.1	3 385.4	1 849.7	511.6	1 031.3	1 790.5	2 126.9
Non-Indigenous	147.0	94.7	134.0	140.7	104.5	127.1	75.3	126.8	125.6
Ratio of Indigenous to Non-In	16.2	12.7	14.0	24.1	17.7	4.0	13.7	14.1	16.9
Age Standardised rate (d)									
Indigenous	1 892.7	940.4	1 463.5	2 668.4	1 451.9	410.6	812.1	1 416.3	1 668.2
Non-Indigenous	153.5	96.5	137.8	144.8	116.1	143.3	72.6	115.1	129.8
Ratio of Indigenous to Non-In	12.3	9.7	10.6	18.4	12.5	2.9	11.2	12.3	12.9
All prisoners - crude rate	185.6	99.7	179.0	227.2	129.8	137.9	86.4	542.1	163.4
2005									
Crude rate									
Indigenous	2 106.3	1 223.7	1 706.1	3 502.6	1 680.6	691.8	1 059.9	1 855.9	2 021.2
Non-Indigenous	152.1	89.0	134.4	140.3	89.4	133.2	97.3	147.1	125.3
Ratio of Indigenous to Non-In	13.8	13.8	12.7	25.0	18.8	5.2	10.9	12.6	16.1
Age Standardised rate (d)									
Indigenous	1 652.0	983.2	1 303.8	2 697.0	1 296.5	559.2	821.1	1 440.9	1 560.9
Non-Indigenous	157.9	91.2	137.7	143.9	98.6	149.2	93.2	134.7	128.8
Ratio of Indigenous to Non-In	10.5	10.8	9.5	18.7	13.2	3.7	8.8	10.7	12.1
All prisoners - crude rate	187.6	94.2	176.7	229.3	123.2	149.9	110.4	575.5	162.5

(a) Data for NSW exclude ACT prisoners held in NSW prisons.

(b) Data for the ACT include ACT prisoners held in the ACT as well as ACT prisoners held in NSW.

(c) The ratio of Indigenous to non-Indigenous imprisonment is calculated by dividing the Indigenous imprisonment rate by the non-Indigenous imprisonment rate.

(d) Prisoners with unknown Indigenous status are excluded from the calculation of age standardised imprisonment rates.

Source: ABS 2005 and 2006, *Prisoners in Australia*, Cat. no. 4517.0.

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Table 3A.12.4

Table 3A.12.4 Age standardised imprisonment rates per 100 000 adult population

	NSW (a)	Vic (b)	Qld	WA	SA	Tas	ACT (c)	NT	Aust
<i>Indigenous (d)</i>									
2000	1 361.9	669.1	1 164.3	2 131.2	1 216.2	334.1	611.5	911.6	1 264.5
2001	1 355.2	701.7	1 204.4	2 145.2	1 168.5	321.3	783.0	1 027.4	1 287.8
2002	1 517.9	734.0	1 226.3	1 718.0	1 199.8	447.8	873.3	1 004.2	1 283.1
2003	1 571.7	786.6	1 234.0	1 972.0	1 190.6	407.2	599.9	1 255.2	1 368.4
2004	1 561.9	810.5	1 203.5	2 358.7	1 218.5	467.2	867.8	1 218.7	1 413.9
2005	1 652.0	983.2	1 303.8	2 697.0	1 296.5	559.2	821.1	1 440.9	1 560.9
2006	1 892.7	940.4	1 463.5	2 668.4	1 451.9	410.6	812.1	1 416.3	1 668.2
<i>Non-Indigenous</i>									
2000	256.9	85.8	134.8	160.8	96.3	116.1	90.1	226.0	128.0
2001	151.0	87.3	125.8	150.3	95.7	96.4	72.9	235.0	123.4
2002	145.3	89.7	129.8	137.5	98.1	116.4	81.5	179.2	121.8
2003	143.2	95.3	144.9	132.8	98.1	125.6	89.6	137.2	124.8
2004	153.6	90.7	140.9	136.6	100.1	121.3	88.9	141.0	126.7
2005	157.9	91.2	137.7	143.9	98.6	149.2	93.2	134.7	128.8
2006	153.5	96.5	137.8	144.8	116.1	143.3	72.6	115.1	129.8

(a) Data for NSW exclude ACT prisoners held in NSW prisons.

(b) Data prior to 2006 include persons 17 years of age.

(c) Data for ACT include ACT prisoners held in the ACT as well as ACT prisoners held in NSW. From 2006, excludes breaches of periodic detention orders greater than three months.

(d) Apparent increases in 2006 may be due to changes in collecting and recording Indigenous information, or in the willingness of Indigenous persons to self-identify.

Source: ABS 2006, *Prisoners in Australia*, Cat. no. 4517.0.

Table 3A.12.5

Table 3A.12.5 **Proportion of prisoners who are Indigenous**

	NSW (a)	Vic	Qld	WA	SA	Tas	ACT in ACT (b)	ACT in NSW(c)	ACT Total (b)	NT	Aust (a)
2002	17.2	4.5	25.1	31.1	16.6	14.3	11.1	9.8	10.4	68.8	20.0
2003	17.6	4.6	22.7	35.1	16.8	11.7	3.0	10.3	6.4	78.3	20.5
2004	16.9	5.1	22.8	38.4	16.8	13.2	6.3	13.6	9.4	77.5	20.9
2005	17.1	6.0	24.9	40.4	18.0	12.7	10.5	8.0	9.5	80.9	22.3
2006	19.9	5.5	27.1	39.7	19.1	10.4	12.5	11.4	11.9	82.4	23.6

(a) Includes ACT prisoners held in NSW prisons. The ACT in NSW figures are a subset of the NSW figures and are not separately counted in the Australian totals.

(b) From 2006, excludes breaches of periodic detention orders greater than three months.

(c) The majority of full-time prisoners sentenced in the ACT are held in NSW prisons.

Source : ABS 2006, *Prisoners in Australia* , Cat. no. 4517.0.

Table 3A.12.6

Table 3A.12.6 Number of prisoners, by gender

<i>Indigenous</i>	NSW (a)	Vic	Qld	WA	SA	Tas	ACT in ACT (b)	ACT in NSW (c)	ACT Total (b)	NT	Aust (a)
2002											
Males	1 346	145	1 099	802	222	53	12	10	22	448	4 127
Females	157	15	84	70	21	8	1	2	3	11	367
2003											
Males	1 403	161	1 107	930	217	51	4	11	15	555	4 428
Females	160	13	85	87	27	2	–	1	1	16	390
2004											
Males	1 420	176	1 097	1 087	234	53	10	16	26	547	4 624
Females	156	10	98	130	15	6	–	–	–	9	424
2005											
Males	1 504	199	1 235	1 267	240	66	14	9	23	641	5 166
Females	178	21	96	141	25	4	3	–	3	22	490
2006											
Males	1 726	201	1 387	1 265	276	46	9	6	15	633	5 543
Females	219	16	120	135	22	6	–	3	3	25	543

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	NSW (a)	Vic	Qld	WA	SA	Tas	ACT in ACT (b)	ACT in NSW (c)	ACT Total (b)	NT	Aust (a)
<i>Non-Indigenous</i>											
2002											
Males	6 723	3 111	3 334	1 804	1 001	344	97	104	201	198	16 612
Females	444	234	204	124	49	22	7	5	12	10	1 094
2003											
Males	6 678	3 321	3 773	1 751	988	378	122	100	222	152	17 163
Females	421	268	260	131	61	22	6	5	11	6	1 175
2004											
Males	7 138	3 204	3 740	1 813	1 003	371	138	95	233	154	17 561
Females	491	234	249	139	66	16	12	7	19	7	1 214
2005											
Males	7 347	3 236	3 718	1 947	996	452	129	99	228	153	17 978
Females	506	236	251	127	58	24	7	5	12	4	1 213
2006											
Males	7 173	3 460	3 778	2 000	1 174	425	86	91	177	129	18 225
Females	486	231	277	128	70	38	9	3	12	13	1 252

Table 3A.12.6

Table 3A.12.6 Number of prisoners, by gender

	NSW (a)	Vic	Qld	WA	SA	Tas	ACT in ACT (b)	ACT in NSW (c)	ACT Total (b)	NT	Aust (a)
<i>All prisoners (c)</i>											
2002											
Males	8 154	3 286	4 433	2 606	1 377	397	109	116	225	646	21 008
Females	605	254	288	194	84	30	8	7	15	21	1 484
2003											
Males	8 289	3 482	4 895	2 681	1 352	429	126	111	237	707	21 961
Females	592	281	348	218	103	24	6	6	12	22	1 594
2004											
Males	8 671	3 380	4 881	2 900	1 393	425	148	111	259	701	22 499
Females	658	244	359	269	92	22	12	7	19	16	1 672
2005											
Males	9 126	3 435	4 994	3 214	1 379	523	154	108	262	794	23 619
Females	693	257	360	268	94	28	8	5	13	26	1 734
2006											
Males	9 082	3 660	5 164	3 265	1 464	474	97	106	203	757	23 963
Females	740	245	398	261	103	38	7	8	15	35	1 827

(a) Includes ACT prisoners held in NSW prisons. The ACT in NSW figures are a subset of the NSW figures and are not separately counted in the Australian totals.

(b) From 2006, excludes breaches of periodic detention orders greater than three months.

(c) The majority of full-time prisoners sentenced in the ACT are held in NSW prisons.

– Nil or rounded to zero.

Source: ABS 2006, *Prisoners in Australia*, Cat. no. 4517.0.

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Table 3A.12.7

Table 3A.12.7 Rate of imprisonment per 100 000 adult population, by gender

	NSW (a)	Vic	Qld	WA	SA	Tas	ACT (b)	NT	Aust
<i>Indigenous</i>									
2002									
Males	3 699.8	1 810.2	3 224.0	4 463.2	3 162.8	1 150.2	1 978.4	2 735.9	3 293.9
Females	408.0	180.0	220.4	366.0	281.7	164.6	272.2	63.9	273.5
2003									
Males	3 773.6	1 940.9	3 197.6	5 046.1	3 006.4	1 085.6	1 311.2	3 313.2	3 457.2
Females	409.3	151.0	225.5	443.0	351.8	40.3	87.1	91.0	285.8
2004									
Males	3 722.5	2 058.2	3 040.7	5 756.5	3 157.0	1 101.6	2 210.9	3 206.0	3 511.3
Females	391.9	113.0	245.4	643.8	189.3	na	–	na	300.9
2005									
Males	3 868.7	2 247.8	3 328.7	6 531.9	3 156.2	1 330.9	2 059.3	3 672.1	3 821.7
Females	436.4	230.1	234.7	677.8	306.2	77.5	–	120.4	327.8
2006									
Males	4 351.2	2 268.9	3 623.7	6 339.3	3 519.3	943.6	1 926.2	3 543.4	4 006.4
Females	521.2	165.6	285.8	630.9	297.4	94.8	–	117.9	366.5

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	NSW (a)	Vic	Qld	WA	SA	Tas	ACT (b)	NT	Aust
<i>Non-Indigenous</i>									
2002									
Males	271.9	170.2	244.9	258.8	177.4	205.2	170.9	346.2	229.8
Females	17.4	12.2	14.7	17.6	8.3	12.4	9.7	20.7	14.6
2003									
Males	267.2	178.8	269.8	246.5	173.4	222.2	186.7	267.9	233.7
Females	16.3	13.7	18.2	18.2	10.3	12.3	8.9	12.5	15.5
2004									
Males	283.5	170.4	261.8	251.2	174.9	215.3	194.5	270.0	236.1
Females	18.9	11.9	17.1	19.0	11.1	8.8	15.2	14.6	15.8
2005									
Males	288.9	169.8	253.6	264.5	172.1	259.6	188.7	263.7	238.2
Females	19.4	11.8	16.9	17.1	9.7	13.1	9.5	8.2	15.6
2006									
Males	279.1	181.7	251.0	265.3	200.8	242.1	143.5	209.7	238.4
Females	18.6	11.5	18.3	16.6	11.5	17.8	9.4	26.2	15.9

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Table 3A.12.7 Rate of imprisonment per 100 000 adult population, by gender

	NSW (a)	Vic	Qld	WA	SA	Tas	ACT (b)	NT	Aust
<i>All prisoners (c)</i>									
2002									
Males	325.3	179.0	317.6	364.5	241.1	230.5	189.5	878.0	285.7
Females	23.4	13.1	20.2	26.8	14.1	16.5	12.1	32.1	19.5
2003									
Males	327.2	186.6	341.4	367.9	234.3	245.4	197.4	962.0	293.9
Females	22.7	14.3	23.7	29.5	17.1	13.0	9.6	33.6	20.6
2004									
Males	339.4	178.9	333.2	391.6	239.8	239.9	214.1	946.1	297.2
Females	25.0	12.3	24.0	35.9	15.2	11.8	15.1	24.3	21.4
2005									
Males	358.2	179.4	332.3	425.4	235.2	292.0	214.7	1 051.8	307.3
Females	26.4	12.8	23.6	35.1	15.4	14.9	10.2	38.8	21.9
2006									
Males	348.3	191.4	334.6	422.0	247.1	261.8	163.8	971.9	307.9
Females	27.6	12.2	25.5	33.5	16.8	20.0	11.7	51.3	22.8

(a) Data for NSW exclude ACT prisoners held in NSW prisons.

(b) Data for ACT include ACT prisoners held in the ACT as well as ACT prisoners held in NSW. Excludes breaches of periodic detention orders greater than three months.

(c) Includes those prisoners whose Indigenous status was unknown

– Nil or rounded to zero. **na** Not available.Source: ABS 2006, *Prisoners in Australia*, Cat. no. 4517.0; ABS *Prisoners in Australia* (unpublished).

Table 3A.12.8

Table 3A.12.8 Sentenced prisoners by most serious offence and expected time to serve, 30 June 2005

	<i>Total no.</i>	<i>Total %</i>	<i>Mean months</i>	<i>Median months</i>
Homicide and related offences				
Indigenous prisoners	295	6.5	111	96
Non-Indigenous prisoners	1 691	11.0	137	137
All prisoners (a)	2 037	10.1	133	131
Acts intended to cause injury				
Indigenous prisoners	1 302	28.8	20	12
Non-Indigenous prisoners	1 675	10.9	30	17
All prisoners (a)	3 006	14.9	25	12
Sexual assault and related offences				
Indigenous prisoners	467	10.3	68	57
Non-Indigenous prisoners	1 852	12.0	62	53
All prisoners (a)	2 361	11.7	64	54
Dangerous or negligent acts endangering persons				
Indigenous prisoners	147	3.3	12	9
Non-Indigenous prisoners	189	1.2	15	9
All prisoners (a)	341	1.7	13	9
Abduction and related offences				
Indigenous prisoners	19	0.4	39	30
Non-Indigenous prisoners	115	0.7	55	47
All prisoners (a)	137	0.7	51	42
Robbery, extortion and related offences				
Indigenous prisoners	411	9.1	53	42
Non-Indigenous prisoners	1 739	11.3	57	47
All prisoners (a)	2 175	10.8	56	45
UEWI				
Indigenous prisoners	662	14.7	25	18
Non-Indigenous prisoners	1 867	12.1	26	18
All prisoners (a)	2 543	12.6	26	18
Theft and related offences				
Indigenous prisoners	202	4.5	22	10
Non-Indigenous prisoners	981	6.4	16	9
All prisoners (a)	1 191	5.9	17	10
Deception and related offences				
Indigenous prisoners	37	0.8	14	10
Non-Indigenous prisoners	660	4.3	22	15
All prisoners (a)	714	3.5	22	15
Illicit drug offences				
Indigenous prisoners	52	1.2	26	17
Non-Indigenous prisoners	1 934	12.5	49	36
All prisoners (a)	2 020	10.0	48	36

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Table 3A.12.8 Sentenced prisoners by most serious offence and expected time to serve, 30 June 2005

	<i>Total no.</i>	<i>Total %</i>	<i>Mean months</i>	<i>Median months</i>
Weapons and explosive offences				
Indigenous prisoners	19	0.4	21	14
Non-Indigenous prisoners	125	0.8	28	21
All prisoners (a)	145	0.7	27	21
Property damage and environmental pollution				
Indigenous prisoners	52	1.2	17	12
Non-Indigenous prisoners	143	0.9	24	18
All prisoners (a)	198	1.0	22	16
Public order offences				
Indigenous prisoners	45	1.0	18	7
Non-Indigenous prisoners	178	1.2	35	18
All prisoners (a)	224	1.1	32	13
Road traffic and motor vehicle regulatory offences				
Indigenous prisoners	279	6.2	8	6
Non-Indigenous prisoners	938	6.1	8	6
All prisoners (a)	1 235	6.1	8	6
Offences against justice procedures, government security and government operations				
Indigenous prisoners	499	11.1	12	8
Non-Indigenous prisoners	1 234	8.0	13	9
All prisoners (a)	1 746	8.6	13	9
Miscellaneous offences				
Indigenous prisoners	27	0.6	23	12
Non-Indigenous prisoners	116	0.8	26	16
All prisoners (a)	147	0.7	25	16
Total				
Indigenous prisoners	4 515	100.0	31	15
Non-Indigenous prisoners	15 437	100.0	44	24
All prisoners (a)	20 220	100.0	41	23

UEWI = Unlawful entry with intent.

(a) Includes those prisoners whose Indigenous status was unknown.

Source: ABS 2005, *Prisoners in Australia*, Cat. no. 4517.0.

Table 3A.12.9

Table 3A.12.9 Sentenced prisoners by most serious offence and expected time to serve, 30 June 2006

	<i>Total no.</i>	<i>Total %</i>	<i>Mean months</i>	<i>Median months</i>
Homicide and related offences				
Indigenous prisoners	311	6.5	112.2	88.0
Non-Indigenous prisoners	1 744	11.4	140.6	142.5
All prisoners (a)	2 070	10.2	135.9	132.1
Acts intended to cause injury				
Indigenous prisoners	1 368	28.5	19.7	11.9
Non-Indigenous prisoners	1 639	10.7	29.6	17.5
All prisoners (a)	3 015	14.9	24.9	13.0
Sexual assault and related offences				
Indigenous prisoners	490	10.2	69.1	59.4
Non-Indigenous prisoners	2 019	13.2	62.6	53.9
All prisoners (a)	2 514	12.4	63.9	54.0
Dangerous or negligent acts endangering persons				
Indigenous prisoners	135	2.8	13.5	10.9
Non-Indigenous prisoners	164	1.1	15.0	9.3
All prisoners (a)	303	1.5	14.3	10.4
Abduction and related offences				
Indigenous prisoners	24	0.5	50.6	48.0
Non-Indigenous prisoners	119	0.8	55.8	42.0
All prisoners (a)	144	0.7	54.9	45.1
Robbery, extortion and related offences				
Indigenous prisoners	436	9.1	52.7	41.9
Non-Indigenous prisoners	1 602	10.5	56.1	45.0
All prisoners (a)	2 044	10.1	55.3	44.1
UEWI				
Indigenous prisoners	669	13.9	27.1	18.0
Non-Indigenous prisoners	1 750	11.4	26.3	18.4
All prisoners (a)	2 425	12.0	26.5	18.1
Theft and related offences				
Indigenous prisoners	219	4.6	20.0	9.0
Non-Indigenous prisoners	907	5.9	17.0	9.5
All prisoners (a)	1 132	5.6	17.6	9.3
Deception and related offences				
Indigenous prisoners	32	0.7	15.0	9.0
Non-Indigenous prisoners	589	3.8	23.7	17.8
All prisoners (a)	634	3.1	23	16.3
Illicit drug offences				
Indigenous prisoners	69	1.4	20.8	15.3
Non-Indigenous prisoners	1 980	12.9	49.9	36.0
All prisoners (a)	2 056	10.2	48.9	36.0

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Table 3A.12.9 Sentenced prisoners by most serious offence and expected time to serve, 30 June 2006

	<i>Total no.</i>	<i>Total %</i>	<i>Mean months</i>	<i>Median months</i>
Weapons and explosive offences				
Indigenous prisoners	22	0.5	19.9	14.7
Non-Indigenous prisoners	100	0.7	31.8	24.0
All prisoners (a)	121	0.6	29.9	23.7
Property damage and environmental pollution				
Indigenous prisoners	54	1.1	13.1	9.0
Non-Indigenous prisoners	159	1.0	24.1	14.9
All prisoners (a)	214	1.1	21.2	12.1
Public order offences				
Indigenous prisoners	35	0.7	13.7	6.0
Non-Indigenous prisoners	145	0.9	18.8	10.0
All prisoners (a)	182	0.9	17.7	9.0
Road traffic and motor vehicle regulatory offences				
Indigenous prisoners	329	6.9	7.8	6.0
Non-Indigenous prisoners	981	6.4	8.0	6.0
All prisoners (a)	1 314	6.5	7.9	6.0
Offences against justice procedures, government security and government operations				
Indigenous prisoners	591	12.3	11.8	8.2
Non-Indigenous prisoners	1 284	8.4	13.3	8.9
All prisoners (a)	1 885	9.3	12.8	8.8
Miscellaneous offences				
Indigenous prisoners	17	0.4	25.9	15.4
Non-Indigenous prisoners	130	0.8	22.3	12.0
All prisoners (a)	151	0.7	23.0	12.0
Total				
Indigenous prisoners	4 801	100.0	31.3	15.0
Non-Indigenous prisoners	15 312	100.0	44.8	24.4
All prisoners (a)	20 204	100.0	41.4	22.4

UEWI Unlawful entry with intent.

(a) Includes those prisoners whose Indigenous status was unknown.

Source: ABS 2006, *Prisoners in Australia*, Cat. no. 4517.0.

Table 3A.12.10

Table 3A.12.10 Prisoners, by age and gender, 30 June 2005

	Indigenous prisoners			Non-Indigenous prisoners			All prisoners (a)		
	No.	% (b)	Rate (c)	No.	% (b)	Rate (c)	No.	% (b)	Rate (c)
<i>Males</i>									
Under 18	19	0.4	1 041.7	18	0.1	30.0	37	0.2	59.9
18	90	1.7	1 667.0	111	0.6	81.2	218	0.9	153.4
19	166	3.2	3 254.9	287	1.6	205.5	469	2.0	324.0
20-24	1 159	22.4	5 229.4	2 854	15.9	402.4	4 083	17.3	558.2
25-29	1 134	21.9	6 411.9	3 406	18.9	507.7	4 607	19.5	669.1
30-34	1 051	20.3	5 899.9	3 369	18.7	458.7	4 488	19.0	596.5
35-39	738	14.3	4 799.4	2 676	14.9	374.3	3 475	14.7	475.8
40-44	452	8.7	3 286.6	1 899	10.6	252.4	2 418	10.2	315.6
45-49	212	4.1	1 906.9	1 316	7.3	185.2	1 571	6.7	217.6
50-54	82	1.6	938.5	811	4.5	124.2	914	3.9	138.2
55-59	39	0.8	622.2	599	3.3	97.5	665	2.8	107.2
60-64	13	0.3	315.2	353	2.0	75.5	373	1.6	79.0
65 and over	13	0.3	219.0	279	1.6	23.5	301	1.3	25.3
Total	5 168	100.0	3 819.6	17 978	100.0	238.2	23 619	100.0	307.4

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Table 3A.12.10 Prisoners, by age and gender, 30 June 2005

	Indigenous prisoners			Non-Indigenous prisoners			All prisoners (a)		
	No.	% (b)	Rate (c)	No.	% (b)	Rate (c)	No.	% (b)	Rate (c)
<i>Females</i>									
Under 18	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
18	4	0.8	78.9	5	0.4	3.9	9	0.5	6.7
19	17	3.5	338.8	13	1.1	9.8	31	1.8	22.5
20-24	117	24.0	534.8	155	12.8	23.0	276	15.9	39.6
25-29	90	18.4	490.2	240	19.8	36.6	338	19.5	50.2
30-34	114	23.4	587.9	226	18.6	30.5	345	19.9	45.4
35-39	68	13.9	392.1	192	15.8	26.6	265	15.3	35.9
40-44	45	9.2	293.5	153	12.6	20.2	202	11.6	26.2
45-49	23	4.7	191.4	96	7.9	13.4	119	6.9	16.3
50-54	10	2.0	106.2	67	5.5	10.1	81	4.7	12.1
55-59	—	—	—	39	3.2	6.4	41	2.4	6.7
60-64	—	—	—	16	1.3	3.5	16	0.9	3.5
65 and over	—	—	—	11	0.9	0.8	11	0.6	0.8
Total	488	100.0	337.6	1 213	100.0	15.6	1 734	100.0	21.9

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Table 3A.12.10 Prisoners, by age and gender, 30 June 2005

	Indigenous prisoners			Non-Indigenous prisoners			All prisoners (a)		
	No.	% (b)	Rate (c)	No.	% (b)	Rate (c)	No.	% (b)	Rate (c)
<i>All persons</i>									
Under 18	19	0.3	531.0	18	–	15.3	37	0.1	30.6
18	94	1.7	897.9	116	0.6	43.5	227	0.9	81.9
19	183	3.2	1 808.8	300	1.6	110.0	500	2.0	176.8
20-24	1 276	22.6	2 897.4	3 009	15.7	217.5	4 359	17.2	305.3
25-29	1 224	21.6	3 395.6	3 646	19.0	274.9	4 945	19.5	363.0
30-34	1 165	20.6	3 131.4	3 595	18.7	243.7	4 833	19.1	319.6
35-39	806	14.3	2 463.2	2 868	14.9	199.6	3 740	14.8	254.6
40-44	497	8.8	1 708.9	2 052	10.7	136.0	2 620	10.3	170.4
45-49	235	4.2	1 015.7	1 412	7.4	98.8	1 690	6.7	116.3
50-54	92	1.6	506.9	878	4.6	66.8	995	3.9	74.7
55-59	39	0.7	300.3	638	3.3	52.2	706	2.8	57.2
60-64	13	0.2	149.4	369	1.9	39.8	389	1.5	41.6
65 and over	13	0.2	95.6	290	1.5	11.0	312	1.2	11.8
Total	5 656	100.0	2 021.2	19 191	100.0	125.3	25 353	100.0	162.5

(a) Includes prisoners whose Indigenous status was unknown.

(b) Per cent of all prisoners.

(c) Rate per 100 000 adult population.

– Nil or rounded to zero.

Source: ABS 2005, *Prisoners in Australia*, Cat. no. 4517.0.

Table 3A.12.11

Table 3A.12.11 Prisoners, by age and gender, 30 June 2006

	Indigenous prisoners			Non-Indigenous prisoners			All prisoners (a)		
	No.	% (b)	Rate (c)	No.	% (b)	Rate (c)	No.	% (b)	Rate (c)
<i>Males</i>									
Under 18	10	0.2	620.3	19	0.1	70.1	29	0.1	101.0
18	112	2.0	2 040.8	126	0.7	91.7	247	1.0	172.9
19	192	3.5	3 568.1	283	1.6	202.6	488	2.0	336.4
20-24	1 182	21.3	5 113.6	2 780	15.3	384.8	4 008	16.7	537.5
25-29	1 168	21.0	6 432.1	3 443	18.9	502.0	4 647	19.4	660.1
30-34	1 120	20.2	6 398.5	3 294	18.1	454.1	4 434	18.5	596.8
35-39	812	14.6	5 106.3	2 726	15.0	371.7	3 556	14.8	474.6
40-44	503	9.1	3 638.9	2 009	11.0	268.7	2 530	10.6	332.3
45-49	277	5.0	2 396.2	1 391	7.6	191.7	1 679	7.0	227.7
50-54	102	1.8	1 137.3	843	4.6	127.6	954	4.0	142.5
55-59	42	0.8	632.3	632	3.5	100.1	679	2.8	106.4
60-64	14	0.3	331.8	333	1.8	68.1	351	1.5	71.2
65 and over	15	0.3	244.8	344	1.9	28.2	359	1.5	29.3
Total	5 549	100.0	4 006.4	18 223	100.0	238.4	23 961	100.0	307.9

Table 3A.12.11

Table 3A.12.11 Prisoners, by age and gender, 30 June 2006

	Indigenous prisoners			Non-Indigenous prisoners			All prisoners (a)		
	No.	% (b)	Rate (c)	No.	% (b)	Rate (c)	No.	% (b)	Rate (c)
<i>Females</i>									
Under 18	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
18	9	1.7	169.3	4	0.3	3.1	16	0.9	11.8
19	15	2.8	296.4	13	1.0	9.8	31	1.7	22.6
20-24	117	21.6	511.5	144	11.5	21.1	268	14.7	37.9
25-29	119	22.0	639.3	252	20.2	37.9	379	20.8	55.4
30-34	117	21.6	614.3	236	18.9	32.4	360	19.7	48.2
35-39	84	15.5	468.9	209	16.8	28.3	297	16.3	39.3
40-44	47	8.7	302.2	144	11.5	19.2	191	10.5	24.9
45-49	20	3.7	160.1	106	8.5	14.5	126	6.9	16.9
50-54	10	1.8	102.8	58	4.7	8.7	68	3.7	10.0
55-59	3	0.6	41.4	55	4.4	8.7	61	3.3	9.6
60-64	—	—	—	17	1.4	3.5	17	0.9	3.5
65 and over	—	—	—	9	0.7	0.6	9	0.5	0.6
Total	541	100.0	365.8	1 247	100.0	15.9	1 823	100.0	22.8

Table 3A.12.11

Table 3A.12.11 Prisoners, by age and gender, 30 June 2006

	Indigenous prisoners			Non-Indigenous prisoners			All prisoners (a)		
	No.	% (b)	Rate (c)	No.	% (b)	Rate (c)	No.	% (b)	Rate (c)
<i>All persons</i>									
Under 18	10	0.2	319.3	19	0.1	35.8	29	0.1	51.7
18	121	2.0	1 120.1	130	0.7	48.5	263	1.0	94.4
19	207	3.4	1 982.6	296	1.5	108.8	519	2.0	183.8
20-24	1 299	21.3	2 824.6	2 924	15.0	207.9	4 276	16.6	294.4
25-29	1 287	21.1	3 499.9	3 695	19.0	273.4	5 026	19.5	362.1
30-34	1 237	20.3	3 384.4	3 530	18.1	242.9	4 794	18.6	321.8
35-39	896	14.7	2 649.6	2 935	15.1	199.5	3 853	14.9	256.0
40-44	550	9.0	1 872.3	2 153	11.1	143.7	2 721	10.6	178.1
45-49	297	4.9	1 234.9	1 497	7.7	102.6	1 805	7.0	121.7
50-54	112	1.8	599.2	901	4.6	67.8	1 022	4.0	75.8
55-59	45	0.7	323.8	687	3.5	54.4	740	2.9	58.0
60-64	14	0.2	159.3	350	1.8	36.1	368	1.4	37.6
65 and over	15	0.2	106.6	353	1.8	13.1	368	1.4	13.5
Total	6 090	100.0	2 126.5	19 470	100.0	125.6	25 784	100.0	163.4

(a) Includes prisoners whose Indigenous status was unknown.

(b) Per cent of all prisoners.

(c) Rate per 100 000 adult population.

— Nil or rounded to zero.

Source: ABS 2006, *Prisoners in Australia*, Cat. no. 4517.0.

Table 3A.12.12

Table 3A.12.12 Mean and median age of prisoners, 30 June 2005

	NSW (a)	Vic	Qld	WA	SA	Tas	ACT in ACT	ACT in NSW (a)	ACT Total	NT	Aust (b)
<i>Indigenous</i>											
<i>Males</i>											
Mean (years)	30.7	31.0	30.0	31.0	31.1	29.7	27.5	29.6	28.2	31.9	30.7
Median (years)	29.0	30.0	28.0	30.0	31.0	27.0	26.5	26.0	26.0	31.0	30.0
<i>Females</i>											
Mean (years)	30.5	28.9	31.0	30.3	33.1	26.8	43.0	–	43.0	33.2	30.7
Median (years)	30.0	27.0	30.0	30.0	32.0	24.0	43.0	–	43.0	34.0	30.0
<i>Persons</i>											
Mean (years)	30.6	30.8	30.1	30.9	31.3	29.6	28.4	29.6	28.8	31.9	30.7
Median (years)	29.0	30.0	29.0	30.0	31.0	27.0	27.0	26.0	26.5	31.0	30.0
<i>Non-Indigenous</i>											
<i>Males</i>											
Mean (years)	34.4	35.8	35.4	34.8	34.8	34.8	32.4	32.8	32.6	35.7	34.9
Median (years)	33.0	34.0	33.0	33.0	33.0	32.0	31.0	31.0	31.0	36.0	33.0
<i>Females</i>											
Mean (years)	35.5	36.3	35.3	34.6	34.1	33.6	32.1	28.8	30.8	33.5	35.4
Median (years)	34.0	34.0	34.0	33.0	32.5	29.0	32.0	24.0	30.5	35.5	34.0
<i>Persons</i>											
Mean (years)	34.5	35.8	35.4	34.8	34.8	34.8	32.3	32.6	32.5	35.6	35.0
Median (years)	33.0	34.0	33.0	33.0	33.0	32.0	31.0	30.0	31.0	36.0	34.0

Table 3A.12.12

Table 3A.12.12 Mean and median age of prisoners, 30 June 2005

	NSW (a)	Vic	Qld	WA	SA	Tas	ACT in ACT	ACT in NSW (a)	ACT Total	NT	Aust (b)
<i>All prisoners (c)</i>											
Males											
Mean (years)	33.8	35.5	34.1	34.4	33.3	34.1	32.0	32.5	32.2	32.6	34.0
Median (years)	32.0	33.0	32.0	33.0	32.0	31.0	31.0	30.0	30.5	31.0	32.0
Females											
Mean (years)	34.2	35.7	34.1	34.0	32.3	32.3	33.5	28.8	31.7	33.2	34.1
Median (years)	32.0	33.0	33.0	32.5	31.0	27.0	32.5	24.0	32.0	34.0	32.0
Persons											
Mean (years)	33.9	35.5	34.1	34.4	33.2	34.1	32.1	32.4	32.2	32.6	34.0
Median (years)	32.0	33.0	32.0	33.0	32.0	31.0	31.0	30.0	31.0	31.0	32.0

(a) The majority of full-time prisoners sentenced in the ACT are held in NSW prisons.

(b) The ACT in NSW figures are a subset of the NSW figures and are not separately counted in the Australian totals.

(c) Includes prisoners whose Indigenous status was unknown.

— Nil or rounded to zero.

Source: ABS 2005, *Prisoners in Australia*, Cat. no. 4517.0; ABS *Prisoners in Australia* (unpublished).

Table 3A.12.13

Table 3A.12.13 Mean and median age of prisoners, 30 June 2006

	NSW (a)	Vic	Qld	WA	SA	Tas	ACT in ACT	ACT in NSW(a)	ACT Total	NT	Aust (b)
<i>Indigenous</i>											
<i>Males</i>											
Mean (years)	31.4	31.8	31.0	31.9	31.8	29.2	30.4	30.5	30.5	32.8	31.6
Median (years)	30.1	31.3	29.4	31.1	31.1	28.0	28.1	25.7	27.6	32.0	30.5
<i>Females</i>											
Mean (years)	30.3	28.6	31.6	32.2	34.4	36.5	40.9	41.9	41.4	32.7	31.4
Median (years)	29.3	27.5	31.4	31.2	34.3	35.8	40.9	41.9	41.4	32.6	30.3
<i>Persons</i>											
Mean (years)	31.3	31.6	31.1	31.9	32.1	29.9	31.2	31.4	31.3	32.8	31.6
Median (years)	30.0	31.0	29.6	31.1	31.2	28.8	28.2	27.2	28.1	32.1	30.5
<i>Non-Indigenous</i>											
<i>Males</i>											
Mean (years)	35.2	36.3	36.0	35.6	36.3	35.9	35.2	33.9	34.5	37.1	35.7
Median (years)	33.3	34.3	33.9	33.5	34.6	33.7	34.0	31.1	32.7	37.2	33.8
<i>Females</i>											
Mean (years)	36.2	37.1	36.4	35.4	35.5	30.2	31.2	31.1	31.2	38.2	36.1
Median (years)	34.5	35.2	35.3	34.3	34.1	29.5	29.3	26.9	26.9	39.3	34.6
<i>Persons</i>											
Mean (years)	35.2	36.4	36.1	35.6	36.3	35.5	34.9	33.7	34.3	37.2	35.8
Median (years)	33.3	34.4	34.0	33.5	34.5	33.2	34.0	30.9	32.0	37.3	33.8

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Table 3A.12.13 Mean and median age of prisoners, 30 June 2006

<i>All prisoners (c)</i>	NSW (a)	Vic	Qld	WA	SA	Tas	ACT in ACT	ACT in NSW(a)	ACT Total	NT	Aust (b)
Males											
Mean (years)	34.4	36.1	34.7	34.2	35.5	35.2	34.6	33.6	34.1	33.5	34.7
Median (years)	32.5	34.1	32.7	32.3	33.9	32.6	33.3	31.0	32.0	32.6	32.9
Females											
Mean (years)	34.3	36.6	34.9	33.8	34.6	31.0	32.6	31.2	31.8	34.7	34.6
Median (years)	32.4	34.8	33.5	33.2	33.6	30.4	34.7	26.9	27.5	34.0	33.3
Persons											
Mean (years)	34.4	36.1	34.7	34.1	35.4	34.9	34.5	33.4	33.9	33.6	34.7
Median (years)	32.5	34.2	32.8	32.4	33.8	32.5	33.4	30.8	31.9	32.6	32.9

(a) The majority of full-time prisoners sentenced in the ACT are held in NSW prisons.

(b) The ACT in NSW figures are a subset of the NSW figures and are not separately counted in the Australian totals.

(c) Includes prisoners whose Indigenous status was unknown.

Source: ABS 2006, *Prisoners in Australia*, Cat. no. 4517.0; ABS *Prisoners in Australia* (unpublished).

Table 3A.12.14

Table 3A.12.14 Prisoners by legal status, 30 June 2005

	NSW (a)	Vic	Qld	WA	SA	Tas	ACT in ACT	ACT in NSW(a)	ACT Total	NT	Aust (b)
<i>Indigenous</i>											
Number (no.)											
Unsentenced	373	50	263	209	111	23	11	–	11	101	1 141
Sentenced	1 309	170	1 068	1 199	154	47	6	9	15	562	4 515
Proportion (%)											
Unsentenced	22.2	22.7	19.8	14.8	41.9	32.9	64.7	–	42.3	15.2	20.2
Sentenced	77.8	77.3	80.2	85.2	58.1	67.1	35.3	100.0	57.7	84.8	79.8
<i>Non-Indigenous</i>											
Number (no.)											
Unsentenced	1 431	599	848	345	342	105	51	–	51	33	3 754
Sentenced	6 422	2 873	3 121	1 729	712	371	85	104	189	124	15 437
Proportion (%)											
Unsentenced	18.2	17.3	21.4	16.6	32.4	22.1	37.5	–	21.3	21.0	19.6
Sentenced	81.8	82.7	78.6	83.4	67.6	77.9	62.5	100.0	78.8	79.0	80.4

(a) The majority of full-time prisoners sentenced in the ACT are held in NSW prisons.

(b) The ACT in NSW figures are a subset of the NSW figures and are not separately counted in the Australian totals.

– Nil or rounded to zero.

Source : ABS *Prisoners in Australia* (unpublished).

Table 3A.12.15

Table 3A.12.15 Prisoners by legal status, 30 June 2006

	NSW (a)	Vic	Qld	WA	SA	Tas	ACT in ACT	ACT in NSW(a)	ACT Total	NT	Aust (b)
<i>Indigenous</i>											
Number (no.)											
Unsentenced	425	50	303	215	111	14	7	–	7	152	1 277
Sentenced	1 526	165	1 203	1 185	189	39	6	13	19	501	4 814
Proportion (%)											
Unsentenced	21.8	23.3	20.1	15.4	37.0	26.4	53.8	–	26.9	23.3	21.0
Sentenced	78.2	76.7	79.9	84.6	63.0	73.6	46.2	100.0	73.1	76.7	79.0
<i>Non-Indigenous</i>											
Number (no.)											
Unsentenced	1 551	687	930	373	429	113	37	–	37	25	4 145
Sentenced	6 116	3 003	3 126	1 753	815	346	52	99	151	114	15 325
Proportion (%)											
Unsentenced	20.2	18.6	22.9	17.5	34.5	24.6	41.6	–	19.7	18.0	21.3
Sentenced	79.8	81.4	77.1	82.5	65.5	75.4	58.4	100.0	80.3	82.0	78.7

(a) The majority of full-time prisoners sentenced in the ACT are held in NSW prisons.

(b) The ACT in NSW figures are a subset of the NSW figures and are not separately counted in the Australian totals.

– Nil or rounded to zero.

Source : ABS *Prisoners in Australia* (unpublished).

Table 3A.12.16

Table 3A.12.16 Number of people aged 10–17 years in juvenile detention (a)

	NSW	Vic	Qld	WA	SA	Tas	ACT	NT	Aust
<i>Indigenous</i>									
2001	98	9	56	78	8	na	6	6	261
2002	84	7	58	56	20	na	3	15	243
2003	96	10	62	78	32	5	3	16	302
2004	110	12	55	91	21	4	5	8	306
2005	112	20	54	79	26	8	3	15	317
<i>Non-Indigenous</i>									
2001	134	57	29	19	48	na	19	–	306
2002	119	50	39	23	27	na	12	6	276
2003	126	66	39	27	39	14	20	7	338
2004	88	50	36	27	30	14	11	2	258
2005	105	43	44	27	33	27	7	2	288
<i>All juveniles</i>									
2001	232	66	85	97	56	37	25	6	604
2002	203	57	97	79	47	26	15	21	545
2003	222	76	101	105	71	19	23	23	640
2004	198	62	91	118	51	18	16	10	564
2005	217	63	98	106	59	35	10	17	605

(a) All data are taken from the census count at 30 June of the relevant year.

– Nil or rounded to zero. na Not available.

Source: Taylor, N. 2006, *Juveniles in Detention in Australia, 1981-2005*, Technical and Background Paper, no. 22, Australian Institute of Criminology, Canberra.

Table 3A.12.17

Table 3A.12.17 Juvenile detention rate per 100 000 people aged 10–17 years (a) (b) (c)

	NSW	Vic	Qld	WA	SA	Tas	ACT	NT	Aust
<i>Indigenous</i>									
2001	384.9	175.0	240.2	623.2	165.6	na	851.1	59.6	318.1
2002	312.4	125.8	234.7	430.3	394.9	na	401.6	145.2	281.4
2003	339.2	169.1	237.4	578.4	610.0	133.2	384.6	152.5	320.9
2004	372.5	193.7	200.9	654.6	390.0	104.9	619.6	74.3	312.9
2005	364.6	303.8	188.1	555.3	470.6	205.9	352.9	136.6	312.3
<i>Non-Indigenous</i>									
2001	19.3	11.1	7.3	9.0	30.4	na	53.0	–	15.1
2002	17.0	9.6	9.7	10.8	17.2	na	33.8	40.8	13.5
2003	18.0	12.6	9.5	12.7	24.8	27.4	57.1	48.4	16.1
2004	12.6	9.5	8.7	12.6	19.2	27.3	31.7	13.9	12.2
2005	15.1	8.1	10.4	12.6	21.1	52.7	20.4	13.8	13.6
<i>All juveniles</i>									
2001	32.2	12.7	20.3	43.3	34.4	67.0	68.4	24.0	27.9
2002	28.0	10.9	22.7	35.1	28.9	47.3	41.4	83.8	25.0
2003	30.5	14.4	23.2	46.3	43.7	34.6	64.2	92.1	29.1
2004	27.2	11.7	20.6	51.9	31.5	32.7	45.1	39.8	25.5
2005	29.7	11.8	21.7	46.5	36.4	63.5	28.4	66.8	27.2

(a) All data are taken from the census count at 30 June of the relevant year.

(b) For 2001 and 2002, Australian rates were calculated using detainee totals excluding Tasmania and population estimates excluding Tasmania.

(c) Indigenous rates were calculated using high series population data provided by the ABS. Any variation in derived rates may be due to the assumptions and limitations of the base population data. Rates can be highly variable in states and territories with small populations of Indigenous people, small numbers of people in juvenile detention and/or small numbers of Indigenous people in juvenile detention. This particularly applies in Victoria, Tasmania, the ACT and the NT.

– Nil or rounded to zero. na Not available.

Source: Taylor, N. 2006, *Juveniles in Detention in Australia, 1981-2005*, Technical and Background Paper, no. 22, Australian Institute of Criminology, Canberra.OVERCOMING INDIGENOUS
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Table 3A.12.18

Table 3A.12.18 Number of people aged 10–17 years in juvenile detention, by gender (a)

	NSW	Vic	Qld	WA	SA	Tas	ACT	NT	Aust
Indigenous males									
2001	84	9	50	64	7	na	5	6	225
2002	77	7	50	49	16	na	2	15	216
2003	87	9	55	68	28	3	3	16	269
2004	101	10	53	78	19	4	4	8	277
2005	104	13	51	66	24	7	3	15	283
Indigenous females									
2001	14	–	6	14	1	na	1	–	36
2002	7	–	8	7	4	na	1	–	27
2003	9	1	7	10	4	2	–	–	33
2004	9	2	2	13	2	–	1	–	29
2005	8	7	3	13	2	1	–	–	34
Non-Indigenous males									
2001	126	50	28	17	42	na	17	–	280
2002	110	46	32	22	24	na	10	6	250
2003	119	62	35	27	33	14	17	7	314
2004	84	47	34	24	28	14	11	2	244
2005	102	39	41	25	28	25	5	2	267
Non-Indigenous females									
2001	8	7	1	2	6	na	2	–	26
2002	9	4	7	1	3	na	2	–	26
2003	7	4	4	–	6	–	3	–	24
2004	4	3	2	3	2	–	–	–	14
2005	3	4	3	2	5	2	2	–	21

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Table 3A.12.18

Table 3A.12.18 Number of people aged 10–17 years in juvenile detention, by gender (a)

	NSW	Vic	Qld	WA	SA	Tas	ACT	NT	Aust
Total male juveniles									
2001	210	59	78	81	49	36	22	6	541
2002	187	53	82	71	40	25	12	21	491
2003	206	71	90	95	61	17	20	23	583
2004	185	57	87	102	47	18	15	10	521
2005	206	52	92	91	52	32	8	17	550
Total female juveniles									
2001	22	7	7	16	7	1	3	–	63
2002	16	4	15	8	7	1	3	–	54
2003	16	5	11	10	10	2	3	–	57
2004	13	5	4	16	4	–	1	–	43
2005	11	11	6	15	7	3	2	–	55

(a) All data are taken from the census count at 30 June of the relevant year.

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Table 3A.12.19 Juvenile detention rate per 100 000 people aged 10–17 years, by gender (a) (b)

	NSW	Vic	Qld	WA	SA	Tas	ACT	NT	Aust
Indigenous males									
2001	556.3	363.6	377.8	965.7	261.6	na	1 070.7	110.5	488.9
2002	478.1	270.8	358.3	717.6	571.2	na	399.2	273.1	447.4
2003	595.9	302.7	410.0	977.2	1 059.8	151.5	777.2	290.8	555.0
2004	691.8	336.4	395.1	1 120.9	719.2	202.0	1 036.3	145.4	571.5
2005	654.0	393.1	346.2	894.8	855.9	347.1	674.2	260.6	540.6
Indigenous females									
2001	98.0	–	46.7	211.3	40.0	na	224.7	–	81.5
2002	45.7	–	58.8	102.6	156.0	na	209.6	–	58.2
2003	65.7	34.0	55.1	153.2	153.6	112.7	–	–	72.3
2004	63.0	65.1	15.0	193.9	75.2	–	253.2	–	63.5
2005	54.0	213.6	21.5	189.8	73.5	53.5	–	–	69.2
Non-Indigenous males									
2001	35.6	19.0	13.9	15.7	51.9	na	93.7	–	27.1
2002	30.9	17.3	15.6	20.2	29.7	na	55.3	78.9	24.0
2003	33.1	23.3	16.7	24.7	40.9	53.8	94.9	94.3	29.2
2004	23.4	17.5	16.0	21.9	34.8	53.3	62.2	27.1	21.7
2005	28.4	14.4	18.9	22.8	34.8	95.1	28.5	26.6	24.4
Non-Indigenous females									
2001	2.4	2.8	0.5	1.9	7.8	na	11.4	–	2.6
2002	2.7	1.6	3.6	1.0	3.9	na	11.5	–	2.6
2003	2.1	1.6	2.0	–	7.8	–	17.5	–	2.3
2004	1.2	1.2	1.0	2.9	2.6	–	–	–	1.4
2005	0.9	1.6	1.5	1.9	6.6	8.0	11.9	–	2.0

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Table 3A.12.19 Juvenile detention rate per 100 000 people aged 10–17 years, by gender (a) (b)

	NSW	Vic	Qld	WA	SA	Tas	ACT	NT	Aust
Total male juveniles									
2001	56.9	22.2	36.3	70.5	58.6	127.6	118.2	46.4	48.8
2002	50.3	19.8	37.5	61.6	48.0	89.1	65.1	160.9	44.0
2003	55.1	26.3	40.3	81.8	73.2	60.7	109.3	177.9	51.8
2004	49.5	21.0	38.3	87.5	56.5	63.7	82.8	76.6	46.0
2005	55.0	19.0	39.8	77.9	62.4	113.0	44.4	128.1	48.3
Total female juveniles									
2001	6.3	2.7	3.4	14.6	8.8	3.7	16.7	–	6.0
2002	4.5	1.6	7.2	7.3	8.8	3.7	16.8	–	5.1
2003	4.5	1.9	5.2	9.1	12.6	7.4	17.1	–	5.3
2004	3.7	1.9	1.9	14.4	5.1	–	5.8	–	4.0
2005	3.1	4.2	2.7	13.5	8.9	11.2	11.6	–	5.1

(a) All data are taken from the census count at 30 June of the relevant year.

(b) Indigenous rates were calculated using high series population data provided by the ABS. Any variation in derived rates may be due to the assumptions and limitations of the base population data. Rates can be highly variable in states and territories with small populations of Indigenous people, small numbers of people in juvenile detention and/or small numbers of Indigenous people in juvenile detention. This particularly applies in Victoria, Tasmania, the ACT and the NT.

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Table 3A.12.20

Table 3A.12.20 Number of people in juvenile detention, by age

	NSW	Vic	Q/d	WA	SA	Tas	ACT	NT	Aust
30 June 2005									
Indigenous juveniles									
10–14 years	28	–	18	17	4	2	–	3	72
15–17 years	84	20	36	62	22	6	3	12	245
18 years & over	29	6	1	9	1	1	–	–	47
Non-Indigenous juveniles									
10–14 years	7	2	5	3	10	4	–	–	31
15–17 years	98	41	39	24	23	23	7	2	257
18 years & over	82	83	2	3	7	3	1	–	181
Total juveniles									
10–14 years	35	2	23	20	14	6	–	3	103
15–17 years	182	61	75	86	45	29	10	14	502
18 years & over	111	89	3	12	8	4	1	–	228
30 June 2004									
Indigenous juveniles									
10–14 years	20	–	10	8	4	1	1	–	44
15–17 years	90	12	45	83	17	3	4	8	262
18 years & over	22	3	5	13	3	–	–	–	47
Non-Indigenous juveniles									
10–14 years	5	5	8	3	3	1	1	–	26
15–17 years	83	45	28	24	27	13	10	2	232
18 years & over	78	67	6	3	8	2	1	–	164

Table 3A.12.20

Table 3A.12.20 **Number of people in juvenile detention, by age**

	NSW	Vic	Q/d	WA	SA	Tas	ACT	NT	Aust
Total juveniles									
10–14 years	25	5	18	11	7	2	2	–	70
15–17 years	173	57	73	107	44	16	14	10	494
18 years & over	100	70	11	16	11	2	1	–	211

– Nil or rounded to zero.

Source: Veld, M. and Taylor, N. 2005, *Statistics on Juvenile Detention in Australia: 1981-2004*, Technical and Background Paper, no. 18, Australian Institute of Criminology, Canberra; Taylor, N. 2006, *Juveniles in Detention in Australia, 1981-2005*, Technical and Background Paper, no. 22, Australian Institute of Criminology, Canberra.

Table 3A.12.21

Table 3A.12.21 **Juvenile detention rate per 100 000, by age (a) (b)**

	NSW	Vic	Qld	WA	SA	Tas	ACT	NT	Aust
30 June 2005									
Indigenous juveniles									
10–14 years	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	109.4
15–17 years	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	685.8
10–17 years	364.6	303.8	188.1	555.3	470.6	205.9	352.9	136.6	312.3
Non-Indigenous juveniles									
10–14 years	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	2.3
15–17 years	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	32.4
10–17 years	15.1	8.1	10.4	12.6	21.1	52.7	20.4	13.8	13.6
Total juveniles									
10–14 years	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	7.4
15–17 years	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	60.5
10–17 years	29.7	11.8	21.7	46.5	36.4	63.5	28.4	66.8	27.2
30 June 2004									
Indigenous juveniles									
10–14 years	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	69.2
15–17 years	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	766.6
10–17 years	372.5	193.7	200.9	654.6	390.0	104.9	619.6	74.3	312.9
Non-Indigenous juveniles									
10–14 years	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	2.0
15–17 years	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	29.7
10–17 years	12.6	9.5	8.7	12.6	19.2	27.3	31.7	13.9	12.2

Table 3A.12.21

Table 3A.12.21 **Juvenile detention rate per 100 000, by age (a) (b)**

	NSW	Vic	Qld	WA	SA	Tas	ACT	NT	Aust
Total juveniles									
10–14 years	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	5.0
15–17 years	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	60.5
10–17 years	27.2	11.7	20.6	51.9	31.5	32.7	45.1	39.8	25.5

(a) Numbers of young people in juvenile detention by State and Territory are very small when broken down into the 10–14 years and 15–17 years age groups. It is potentially misleading to provide rates for these two separate age categories because rates fluctuate greatly even with a minimal change in numbers. Thus, the Australian Institute of Criminology (AIC) does not publish these rates in their juveniles in detention annual reports.

(b) Indigenous rates were calculated using high series population data provided by the ABS. Any variation in derived rates may be due to the assumptions and limitations of the base population data. Rates can be highly variable in states and territories with small populations of Indigenous people, small numbers of people in juvenile detention and/or small numbers of Indigenous people in juvenile detention. This particularly applies in Victoria, Tasmania, the ACT and the NT.

na Not available.

Source: Australian Institute of Criminology (unpublished).

Table 3A.12.22

Table 3A.12.22 Sentenced people aged 10–17 years as a percentage of total detainees

	NSW	Vic	Qld	WA	SA	Tas	ACT	NT	Aust
30 June 2005									
Indigenous	55.4	60.0	40.7	55.7	46.2	50.0	33.3	40.0	51.4
Non-Indigenous	52.4	69.8	31.8	40.7	57.6	25.9	71.4	50.0	49.0
Total	53.9	66.7	36.7	51.9	52.5	31.4	60.0	41.2	50.2
30 June 2004									
Indigenous	51.8	66.7	30.9	74.7	33.3	50.0	60.0	50.0	54.2
Non-Indigenous	38.6	64.0	27.8	59.3	60.0	57.1	72.7	–	48.8
Total	46.0	64.5	29.7	71.2	49.0	55.6	68.8	40.0	51.8

– Nil or rounded to zero.

Source: Veld, M. and Taylor, N. 2005, *Statistics on Juvenile Detention in Australia: 1981-2004*, Technical and Background Paper, no. 18, Australian Institute of Criminology, Canberra; Taylor, N. 2006, *Juveniles in Detention in Australia, 1981-2005*, Technical and Background Paper, no. 22, Australian Institute of Criminology, Canberra.

Table 3A.12.23

Table 3A.12.23 **Number of people in juvenile detention (all ages)**

	NSW	Vic (a)	Qld	WA	SA (b)	Tas	ACT	NT	Aust
30 June 2005									
Indigenous	141	26	55	88	27	9	3	15	364
Non-Indigenous	187	126	46	30	40	30	8	2	469
Total	328	152	101	118	67	39	11	17	833
30 June 2004									
Indigenous	132	15	60	104	24	4	5	8	352
Non-Indigenous	166	117	42	30	38	16	12	2	423
Total	298	132	102	134	62	20	17	10	775

(a) Victorian data may include persons aged 17–20 years.

(b) One person in SA was missing data on sex in 2005.

Source: Veld, M. and Taylor, N. 2005, *Statistics on Juvenile Detention in Australia: 1981-2004*, Technical and Background Paper, no. 18, Australian Institute of Criminology, Canberra; Taylor, N. 2006, *Juveniles in Detention in Australia, 1981-2005*, Technical and Background Paper, no. 22, Australian Institute of Criminology, Canberra.