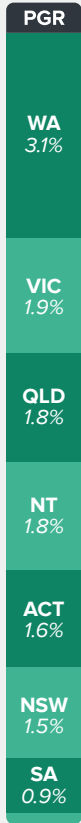
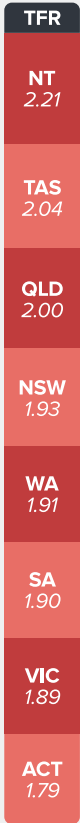


# AUSTRALIA'S POPULATION MAP



POPULATION GROWTH RATE BY STATE (NATIONAL: 1.8%)

TAS: 0.2%



TOTAL FERTILITY RATE BY STATE (NATIONAL: 1.9)

**EMPLOYMENT**

**FULL TIME UNEMPLOYMENT**  
 1984: 5.3 million Today: 8.1 million  
 1984: 8.6% Today: 5.8%

**PART TIME UNEMPLOYED**  
 1984: 1.1 million 1984: 0.60 million  
 Today: 3.5 million Today: 0.72 million

**TOTAL EMPLOYED**  
 1984: 6.4 million  
 Today: 11.6 million

**POPULATION**

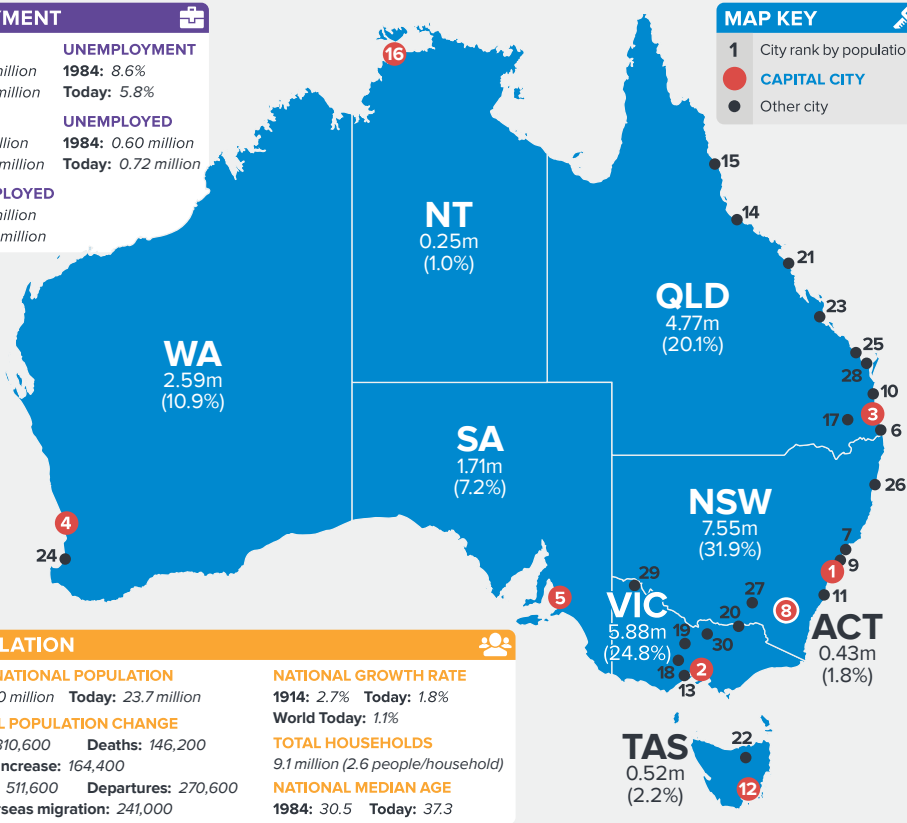
**TOTAL NATIONAL POPULATION**  
 1914: 5.0 million Today: 23.7 million

**ANNUAL POPULATION CHANGE**  
 Births: 310,600 Deaths: 146,200  
 Natural increase: 164,400  
 Arrivals: 511,600 Departures: 270,600  
 Net overseas migration: 241,000

**NATIONAL GROWTH RATE**  
 1914: 2.7% Today: 1.8%  
 World Today: 1.1%

**TOTAL HOUSEHOLDS**  
 9.1 million (2.6 people/household)

**NATIONAL MEDIAN AGE**  
 1984: 30.5 Today: 37.3



**MAP KEY**

1 City rank by population  
 ● CAPITAL CITY  
 ● Other city

**CITY BY POPULATION**

#	CITY	'000
1	SYDNEY	4,488
2	MELBOURNE	4,375
3	BRISBANE	2,207
4	PERTH	1,995
5	ADELAIDE	1,283
6	Gold Coast	623
7	Newcastle	433
8	ACT/CANBERRA	429
9	Central Coast	324
10	Sunshine Coast	301
11	Wollongong	291
12	HOBART	208
13	Geelong	186
14	Townsville	182
15	Cairns	149
16	DARWIN	124
17	Toowoomba	115
18	Ballarat	100
19	Bendigo	93
20	Albury/Wodonga	88
21	Mackay	87
22	Launceston	86
23	Rockhampton	82
24	Bunbury	76
25	Bundaberg	71
26	Coffs Harbour	69
27	Wagga Wagga	55
28	Hervey Bay	52
29	Mildura	50
30	Shepparton	49

# AUSTRALIA'S GENERATIONAL PROFILE

## LIFE EXPECTANCY AT BIRTH

**1984:** Male: 72.5 Female: 79.0  
**Today:** Male: 79.9 Female: 84.3

## MEDIAN AGE OF PARENTS (NEW BIRTHS)

**1984:** Fathers: 30.2 Mothers: 27.1  
**Today:** Fathers: 33.0 Mothers: 30.7

## MEDIAN AGE FIRST MARRIAGE

**1984:** Male: 25.1 Female: 22.9  
**Today:** Male: 29.8 Female: 28.1

## FERTILITY RATES (BABIES PER WOMAN)

**Australia:** 1984: 1.9 Today: 1.9  
 Current OECD Avg: 1.7 Current world Avg: 2.4

## POPULATION BY YEAR OF BIRTH

