Population:
- Total: 25.8 million
- Population growth rate: 1.5%
- Total fertility rate: 1.8

Households:
- Total: 9.8 million
- Average household size: 2.6 people/household
- Median age: 38

Employment:
- Total employed: 13 million
- Unemployment rate: 5.2%
- Full-time: 8.9 million
- Part-time: 4.1 million
- Unemployed: 0.7 million

Population:
- Natural increase: 38%
- Net overseas migration: 62%
- Total population growth: 381,600 people/year

City by Population:
1. Sydney: 5.422
2. Melbourne: 5.212
3. Brisbane: 2.566
4. Adelaide: 2.103
5. Perth: 1.369
6. Gold Coast: 714
7. Newcastle: 499
8. ACT/Canberra: 439
9. Sunshine Coast: 351
10. Wollongong: 311
11. Geelong: 283
12. Hobart: 239
13. Townsville: 183
14. Cairns: 156
15. Darwin: 148
16. Toowoomba: 140
17. Ballarat: 109
18. Bendigo: 103
19. Albury - Wodonga: 96
20. Launceston: 89
21. Mackay: 80
22. Rockhampton: 79
23. Bunbury: 75
24. Coffs Harbour: 74
25. Bundaberg: 72
26. Waggi Waggi: 57
27. Hervey Bay: 57
28. Mildura: 53
29. Shepparton: 53
30. Port Macquarie: 50
Australia’s Generational Profile

**Population by Year of Birth**

- **1935 - 1945** (Builders)
  - Population: 1.8 million (7%)
  - % of workforce: Today 1% | 2028 0%
  - Uni degree: 1 in 10
  - Australian Prime Ministers: Lyons, Menzies, Chifley
  - Australian population: 6 million
  - War babies

- **1946 - 1955** (Baby Boomers)
  - Population: 5.0 million (19%)
  - % of workforce: Today 20% | 2028 5%
  - Uni degree: 1 in 5
  - Median age of parents (new births): 33.5
  - Australian Prime Ministers: Holt, Gorton, McMullan, Whitlam
  - Australian population: 10 million
  - Post WWII baby boom

- **1956 - 1965** (Generation X)
  - Population: 4.9 million (19%)
  - % of workforce: Today 31% | 2028 25%
  - Uni degree: 1 in 4
  - Median age first marriage: 30.7
  - Australian Prime Ministers: Fraser, Hawke, Keating, Howard
  - Australian population: 13 million
  - Record birth numbers

- **1966 - 1975** (Generation Y)
  - Population: 5.6 million (22%)
  - % of workforce: Today 35% | 2028 32%
  - Uni degree: 1 in 3
  - Median age first marriage: 29.2
  - Australian Prime Ministers: Howard, Rudd, Gillard, Abbott, Turnbull
  - Australian population: 16 million
  - The “echo boom” - reflected the fertility years of the Boomers

- **1976 - 1985** (Generation Z)
  - Population: 5.0 million (19%)
  - % of workforce: Today 14% | 2028 33%
  - Uni degree: 1 in 2
  - Australian Prime Ministers: Rudd, Gillard, Abbott, Turnbull
  - Australian population: 19 million
  - Total fertility rate: Australia: 1.6 | OECD: 1.7

**Life expectancy at birth**
- Male: 80.7
- Female: 84.9

**Median age of parents (new births)**
- Male: 33.5
- Female: 31.4