

UPPER HUNTER (NP)

Enrolment Dec 2002 41,750

	Rank	PerCent	Number		
	93 SEDs		2001	1996	%change
Population					
Total population	86	-	62,133	62,873	-1.18%
Population growth	84	-	62,133	62,873	-1.18%
Population density (persons per sq. km)	90	-	1.8	1.8	-1.18%
Area (sq. kms)	4	-	34,870	34,870	-
Proportion of Australian citizens aged 18 and over	41	66.17%	-	66.60%	-0.64%
Number of Australian citizens aged 18 and over	87	-	41,116	41,873	-1.81%
Persons who changed address since 1996	65	36.12%	22,442	23,146	-1.12%
Persons Aged under 5	31	7.17%	4,453	5,034	-0.92%
Persons aged between 5 and 14	17	16.03%	9,957	10,342	-0.61%
Persons aged between 15 and 24	78	11.42%	7,095	7,389	-0.47%
Persons aged between 25 and 64 years	42	51.83%	32,201	32,504	-0.48%
Persons aged 65 years and over	48	13.31%	8,269	7,613	+1.04%
Religion					
Persons of Christian religion	8	81.45%	50,607	52,450	-2.93%
Persons of Catholic religion	52	26.78%	16,638	16,835	-0.31%
Persons of Anglican religion	2	39.10%	24,291	25,464	-1.87%
Persons of non-Christian religion	87	0.65%	405	249	+0.25%
Persons of Islamic religion	86	0.09%	54	56	-0.00%
Persons of Buddhist religion	84	0.29%	179	94	+0.14%
Persons of Jewish religion	86	0.02%	14	3	+0.02%
Persons of no religion	74	8.30%	5,157	5,155	+0.00%
Ethnicity					
Aboriginals and Torres Strait Islanders	11	3.75%	2,327	1,989	+0.54%
Persons born overseas	87	6.38%	3,966	3,983	-0.03%
Persons born in UK and Ireland	73	2.75%	1,711	1,873	-0.26%
Persons born in Southern Europe	81	0.52%	320	278	+0.07%
Persons born in South East Asia	87	0.34%	212	186	+0.04%
Persons born in the Middle East	75	0.07%	44	49	-0.01%
Persons born in North-East Asia	82	0.18%	112	95	+0.03%
Persons born in Southern Asia	85	0.12%	72	54	+0.03%
Persons born in non-English speaking countries	87	2.41%	1,499	1,410	+0.14%
Persons with both parents born overseas	87	7.85%	4,880	n.a.	n.a.
Persons with at least one parent born overseas	88	15.25%	9,475	n.a.	n.a.
Persons not fluent in English	81	0.21%	128	133	-0.01%
Persons aged 5 and over speaking a language other than English at home	86	1.76%	1,096	908	+0.30%
Families					
"Traditional Families"	45	38.82%	6,390	6,965	-3.45%
Single parent families	55	10.01%	1,648	1,477	+1.03%
Couple families (without children)	27	38.81%	6,389	5,959	+2.58%
Income					
Families with weekly income below \$500	26	25.09%	4,131	5,730	-9.59%
Families with weekly income from \$500 to \$999	16	29.73%	4,894	4,965	-0.43%
Families with weekly income from \$1000 to \$1499	69	16.30%	2,683	2,227	+2.73%
Families with weekly income \$1500 to \$1999	73	9.03%	1,487	620	+5.20%
Families with weekly income \$2000 and above	63	6.93%	1,141	758	+2.30%
Labour Force					
Employed persons aged 15 years and over	51	53.57%	25,550	25,094	+0.96%
Unemployment rate	40	7.5%	2,086	2,556	-1.7%
Labour Force	53	57.94%	27,636	27,650	-0.34%
Women in the labour force	85	41.52%	11,475	10,884	+2.14%
Employees (Government Admin Defence)	69	3.12%	797	823	-0.10%
Employees (Agriculture Fishing Forestry)	5	21.22%	5,424	5,109	+1.25%
Employees (Health and Community Services)	77	7.70%	1,968	1,901	+0.26%
Employees (Education)	59	6.26%	1,599	1,530	+0.27%
Employees (Manufacturing)	75	7.77%	1,985	2,008	-0.09%
Employees (Finance and Insurance, Property and Business Services)	91	6.30%	1,610	1,621	-0.04%
Persons employed in professional occupations	40	27.29%	6,973	6,738	+0.94%
Persons employed as tradespersons or labourers	4	28.90%	7,383	7,164	+0.87%

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Persons with tertiary education qualifications	82	10.90%	5,186	4,797	+0.82%
Persons with trade qualifications	42	17.71%	8,423	7,080	+2.83%
Persons with no qualifications	16	58.79%	27,964	29,517	-3.27%
Persons attending infant, primary or secondary school	23	18.26%	11,343	11,505	-0.26%
Infant, primary or secondary school students attending private schools	75	24.26%	2,752	2,518	+2.03%
Persons attending a tertiary education institution	82	4.10%	2,549	2,222	+0.52%
Persons with highest level of school completed Year 10 or below	13	45.02%	27,974	30,044	-3.29%
Transport					
Persons using public transport to travel to work	93	0.60%	116	134	-0.10%
Dwellings					
Tenant dwellings	55	24.35%	5,764	5,732	+0.14%
Owner or purchaser dwellings	59	64.44%	15,254	14,988	+1.16%
Dwellings with monthly home loan repayments over \$999	76	29.87%	1,447	1,185	+5.41%
Dwellings with weekly rent over \$299	77	1.87%	108	48	+0.89%
Households with two or more motor vehicles	32	45.84%	10,850	10,034	+3.56%
Flat or apartment dwellings with 3 storeys or more	85	0.06%	18	17	+0.00%
Flat or apartment dwellings	78	3.66%	1,014	984	+0.13%
Public Housing	48	3.76%	889	1,007	-0.52%
Dwellings which are caravans	18	1.66%	461	315	+0.64%
Internet					
Persons who use the Internet	82	25.27%	15,703	n.a.	n.a.

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY: SUMMARY OF TWO-PARTY RESULTS 1999					
Electoral District	2PP Votes		2PP Percent		Swing
	ALP	Lib/Nat	ALP	Lib/Nat	to Labor
Upper Hunter	13,880	21,250	39.5	60.5	8.1

