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	Rank	PerCent	Number		
	93 SEDs		2001	1996	%change
Population					
Total population	67	-	64,260	65,665	-2.14%
Population growth	89	-	64,260	65,665	-2.14%
Population density (persons per sq. km)	76	-	10.6	10.9	-2.14%
Area (sq. kms)	18	-	6,049	6,049	-
Proportion of Australian citizens aged 18 and over	27	67.38%	-	67.28%	+0.15%
Number of Australian citizens aged 18 and over	54	-	43,297	44,178	-1.99%
Persons who changed address since 1996	49	37.63%	24,178	25,973	-2.73%
Persons Aged under 5	41	6.70%	4,308	4,803	-0.75%
Persons aged between 5 and 14	20	15.88%	10,204	10,751	-0.83%
Persons aged between 15 and 24	40	13.59%	8,734	9,807	-1.63%
Persons aged between 25 and 64 years	82	49.55%	31,843	31,839	+0.01%
Persons aged 65 years and over	45	13.72%	8,817	8,339	+0.73%
Religion					
Persons of Christian religion	59	71.20%	45,754	49,088	-5.08%
Persons of Catholic religion	63	25.75%	16,546	17,291	-1.13%
Persons of Anglican religion	56	23.30%	14,974	16,343	-2.08%
Persons of non-Christian religion	53	2.20%	1,415	970	+0.68%
Persons of Islamic religion	74	0.14%	91	55	+0.05%
Persons of Buddhist religion	48	0.99%	635	294	+0.52%
Persons of Jewish religion	38	0.10%	65	48	+0.03%
Persons of no religion	18	14.08%	9,045	9,756	-1.08%
Ethnicity					
Aboriginals and Torres Strait Islanders	8	4.04%	2,594	2,063	+0.81%
Persons born overseas	80	7.45%	4,789	4,977	-0.29%
Persons born in UK and Ireland	72	2.81%	1,806	1,913	-0.16%
Persons born in Southern Europe	75	0.67%	429	469	-0.06%
Persons born in South East Asia	76	0.43%	276	299	-0.04%
Persons born in the Middle East	83	0.06%	39	24	+0.02%
Persons born in North-East Asia	75	0.22%	140	157	-0.03%
Persons born in Southern Asia	75	0.16%	103	146	-0.07%
Persons born in non-English speaking countries	77	3.18%	2,042	2,045	-0.00%
Persons with both parents born overseas	78	9.78%	6,286	n.a.	n.a.
Persons with at least one parent born overseas	77	19.02%	12,223	n.a.	n.a.
Persons not fluent in English	78	0.22%	144	174	-0.05%
Persons aged 5 and over speaking a language other than English at home	74	2.90%	1,864	1,822	+0.06%
Families					
"Traditional Families"	62	36.46%	6,088	6,749	-3.91%
Single parent families	5	15.17%	2,534	2,248	+1.69%
Couple families (without children)	50	35.47%	5,924	5,631	+1.73%
Income					
Families with weekly income below \$500	10	30.38%	5,074	6,458	-8.18%
Families with weekly income from \$500 to \$999	4	32.08%	5,358	5,790	-2.55%
Families with weekly income from \$1000 to \$1499	74	15.63%	2,611	1,929	+4.03%
Families with weekly income \$1500 to \$1999	86	6.40%	1,069	475	+3.51%
Families with weekly income \$2000 and above	88	3.53%	590	295	+1.74%
Labour Force					
Employed persons aged 15 years and over	74	47.60%	23,667	24,393	-1.45%
Unemployment rate	8	12.5%	3,378	3,909	-1.3%
Labour Force	69	54.39%	27,045	28,302	-2.05%
Women in the labour force	36	45.03%	12,179	12,352	-0.61%
Employees (Government Admin Defence)	43	3.63%	859	866	-0.03%
Employees (Agriculture Fishing Forestry)	12	9.90%	2,344	2,424	-0.33%
Employees (Health and Community Services)	2	13.36%	3,162	3,195	-0.14%
Employees (Education)	6	9.66%	2,287	2,245	+0.17%
Employees (Manufacturing)	55	9.86%	2,333	2,809	-1.96%
Employees (Finance and Insurance, Property and Business Services)	80	8.93%	2,113	2,030	+0.34%
Persons employed in professional occupations	43	26.86%	6,356	6,444	-0.36%
Persons employed as tradespersons or labourers	45 45	23.25%	5,501	5,873	-1.53%
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Education					
Persons with tertiary education qualifications	51	14.84%	7,331	7,148	+0.37%
Persons with trade qualifications	59	15.88%	7,842	6,732	+2.22%
Persons with no qualifications	24	57.95%	28,622	30,552	-3.85%
Persons attending infant, primary or secondary school	27	18.20%	11,695	12,481	-1.20%
Infant, primary or secondary school students attending private schools	58	29.57%	3,458	3,327	+1.05%
Persons attending a tertiary education institution	29	7.36%	4,727	4,668	+0.09%
Persons with highest level of school completed Year 10 or below	29	42.31%	27,188	29,247	-3.14%
Transport					
Persons using public transport to travel to work	84	0.99%	182	235	-0.28%
Dwellings					
Tenant dwellings	36	27.19%	6,663	6,618	+0.19%
Owner or purchaser dwellings	55	65.40%	16,025	15,804	+0.93%
Dwellings with monthly home loan repayments over \$999	87	22.69%	1,252	1,091	+3.09%
Dwellings with weekly rent over \$299	91	1.23%	82	30	+0.75%
Households with two or more motor vehicles	52	40.24%	9,861	9,093	+3.23%
Flat or apartment dwellings with 3 storeys or more	66	0.34%	92	127	-0.15%
Flat or apartment dwellings	52	6.49%	1,740	1,839	-0.42%
Public Housing	54	3.42%	839	990	-0.63%
Dwellings which are caravans	22	1.41%	379	298	+0.34%
Internet					
Persons who use the Internet	67	28.89%	18,567	n.a.	n.a.

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY: SUMMARY OF TWO-PARTY RESULTS 1999								
Electoral District	2PP Votes		2PP Percent		Swing			
Lismore	ALP	Lib/Nat	ALP	Lib/Nat	to Labor			
	13,675	19,293	41.5	58.5	5.8			

