

URBAN CENTRES RANKED BY POPULATION & REGION



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	1981	1986	1991	1996	2001	2001 Usual Residence	2006 Usual Residence
PERTH METRO AREA							
Baldivis (L)	*	*	*	*	984	1,008	3,731
Chidlow	388	448	630	672	668	662	694
East Bullsbrook	*	*	636	1,135	1,186	1,127	1,204
Ellenbrook	*	*	*	*	5,473	5,476	11,822
Herne Hill (Swan)	*	*	*	*	*	*	452
Hovea (L)	*	*	*	*	*	*	642
Golden Bay-Singleton	556	1,012	1,650	3,671	6,072	6,109	*
Kwinana	12,355	11,798	13,517	15,674	17,375	17,507	19,905
Mahogany Creek	*	*	757	824	793	803	1,165
Mount Helena	311	278	1,750	1,825	1,813	1,800	2,156
Mundaring	823	951	1,542	1,912	2,664	2,657	3,002
Parkerville	*	*	1,184	1,380	1,552	1,561	1,640
Perth	809,035	895,710	1,018,702	1,096,829	1,176,542	1,167,743	1,256,037
Rockingham	24,932	30,635	36,675	49,917	60,767	61,831	67,522
Rottnest Island	*	1,297	508	412	475	173	132
Sawyers Valley	*	*	409	409	429	428	960
Stoneville	*	*	1,614	1,831	1,604	1,593	1,847
The Vines	*	*	*	*	1,428	1,384	1,970
Tuart Rise (Rockingham/Baldivis)	*	*	*	*	*	*	234
Two Rocks	716	889	1,264	1,373	1,511	1,571	1,622
Wooroloo	*	*	220	244	239	242	257
Yanchep	486	775	1,577	1,790	1,967	2,038	2,483
Gascoyne							
Carnarvon	5,053	6,847	6,901	6,357	7,273	5,699	5,284
Coral Bay	*	*	726	936	1,095	259	192
Denham	402	1,118	943	1,140	1,428	689	609
Exmouth	2,583	3,514	3,128	3,058	3,137	1,901	1,846
Monkey Mia (L)	*	*	*	*	301	60	24
Goldfields-Esperance							
Coolgardie	891	989	1,063	1,258	1,082	986	801
Esperance	6,375	6,440	7,066	8,647	9,420	9,056	9,534
Hopetoun	*	271	206	319	365	392	583
Kalgoorlie-Boulder	19,848	22,232	25,016	28,087	28,281	26,936	28,242
Kambalda (East)	*	*	*	1,200	*	*	*
Kambalda West	4,463	3,519	4,259	2,398	2,846	2,808	2,703
Laverton	872	1,140	1,197	644	440	446	313
Leinster	997	842	994	1,440	1,099	718	728
Leonora	524	1,004	1,196	1,143	1,077	911	401
Norseman	1,895	1,775	1,398	1,516	1,061	938	860
Ravensthorpe	327	299	392	354	348	386	438
Warburton	360	392	345	457	471	494	569
Great Southern							
Albany	15,222	16,316	18,826	20,493	22,415	21,934	25,197
Bremer Bay	*	*	*	221	241	211	238

Cranbrook	316	351	306	283	270	259	277
Denmark	985	1,217	1,586	1,978	2,447	2,454	2,733
Frenchman Bay (L)	*	*	*	*	329	319	330
Gnowangerup	872	823	762	737	673	682	624
Jerramungup	294	305	334	332	273	266	269
Katanning	4,413	3,771	4,139	4,035	3,685	3,668	3,806
Kojonup	1,102	986	1,023	1,035	1,131	1,142	1,122
Little Grove	*	723	1,033	1,185	1,283	1,291	1,364
Mount Barker (WA)	1,519	1,390	1,520	1,648	1,725	1,740	1,762
Tambellup	412	405	356	325	299	322	300
Kimberley							
Balgo (L)	*	*	*	*	449	417	462
Bardi (One Arm Point)	*		338	312	310	307	208
Bayulu (L)	*	*	*	*	245	257	260
Beagle Bay	*	*	301	285	300	308	197
Broome	3,666	5,778	8,906	11,368	15,906	10,487	11,548
Derby	2,933	3,258	3,022	3,236	3,688	3,224	3,092
Fitzroy Crossing	428	1,028	1,119	1,147	1,507	1,136	924
Halls Creek	966	1,182	1,305	1,263	1,289	1,083	1,208
Kalumburu	*	*	351	368	339	339	416
Kununurra	2,081	3,137	4,061	4,884	5,485	3,678	3,747
La Grange	372	412	411	557	511	523	430
Looma (L)	*	*	*	*	287	284	395
Mindibungu (L)	*	*	*	*	213	215	146
Oombulgurri	*	*	*	304	*	*	*
Turkey Creek (Warmun)	212	338	311	306	319	327	214
Wyndham	1,509	1,329	860	868	787	806	670
Yungngora (L)	*	*	*	*	256	257	290
Mid West							
Carnamah	422	398	367	338	359	371	359
Cue	320	399	394	374	290	270	274
Dongara	1,155	1,496	1,677	1,874	2,221	2,180	2,343
Drummond Cove	*	*	*	370	548	546	762
Eneabba	364	511	410	389	263	212	206
Geraldton	20,895	21,726	24,361	25,243	25,436	24,681	27,420
Green Head	*	*	*	245	244	246	247
Kalbarri	820	2,898	1,521	1,788	2,256	1,233	1,328
Leeman	385	501	573	531	539	532	396
Meekatharra	989	1,018	1,414	1,270	962	863	797
Mingenew	368	353	357	313	306	324	281
Morawa	694	595	624	692	629	607	595
Mount Magnet	618	1,000	1,076	747	893	712	422
Mullewa	918	758	739	591	532	539	421
Northampton	750	827	786	842	805	790	815
Perenjori	*	*	*	*	*	*	209
Three Springs	638	572	473	411	473	439	391
Wiluna	221	279	236	262	210	200	201
Peel							
Boddington	367	483	885	1,043	962	959	926
Bouvard (L)	*	*	*	*	286	316	*
Byford	1,031	1,158	1,308	2,102	2,227	2,221	2,268
Dwellingup	453	344	383	399	345	351	345
Furnissdale	*	*	*	997	*	*	*
Jarrahdale	315	335	393	373	440	441	599

Mandurah	10,978	18,016	23,343	35,945	46,697	47,229	67,812
Mundijong	356	633	725	774	811	816	876
North Dandalup (L)	*	*	*	*	254	252	341
North Pinjarra	1,128	953	1,005	1,011	945	958	*
Pinjarra	1,336	1,589	1,779	1,892	1,867	1,861	3,285
Serpentine	*	*	207	299	321	321	759
Waroona	1,462	1,567	1,831	1,833	1,773	1,771	1,861
Yunderup	*	*	*	1,751	*	*	*
Pilbara							
Allanson	*	383	480	572	574	575	606
Dampier	2,471	2,201	1,810	1,424	1,490	1,290	1,367
Jigalong (L)	*	*	*	*	299	293	271
Karratha	8,341	9,533	11,325	10,057	10,796	9,897	11,727
Marble Bar	357	332	383	318	241	198	194
Newman	5,466	4,899	5,627	4,790	3,535	3,345	4,249
Onslow	594	750	881	588	795	531	573
Pannawonica	1,170	1,098	815	779	632	554	682
Paraburdoo	2,357	2,292	2,218	1,980	1,207	1,203	1,609
Point Samson	*	*	*	255	314	252	271
Port Hedland	12,948	13,069	11,344	12,846	12,776	11,586	11,556
Roebourne	1,688	1,269	1,213	958	946	842	853
Tom Price	3,540	3,435	3,634	3,872	3,156	2,834	2,722
Wickham	2,387	2,445	1,973	1,649	1,731	1,574	1,822
Yandeyarra (L)	*	*	*	*	210	199	110
South West							
Augusta	588	933	838	1,087	1,128	1,065	1,073
Australind	1,681	2,864	4,407	5,694	*	*	*
Binningup	*	292	760	859	749	788	947
Boyanup	365	430	523	575	619	622	613
Boyup Brook	648	503	584	553	548	566	532
Bridgetown	1,521	1,478	2,017	2,123	2,094	2,054	2,321
Brunswick Junction	889	823	829	752	836	848	796
Bunbury	21,749	23,031	24,003	24,945	45,299	45,078	54,483
Burekup	*	*	*	265	282	272	256
Busselton	6,463	7,784	8,936	10,642	13,963	13,622	15,386
Capel	680	869	1,097	1,258	1,418	1,442	1,460
Collie	7,667	7,829	7,684	7,194	6,955	6,949	7,083
Cookernup (L)	*	*	*	*	270	264	297
Cowaramup (L)	*	*	*	*	372	389	567
Dardanup	*	*	291	314	355	364	371
Donnybrook	1,197	1,352	1,570	1,635	1,616	1,614	1,931
Dunsborough	392	817	656	1,154	1,634	1,583	3,372
Eaton	2,226	2,747	3,141	4,070	*	*	*
Gelorup	*	*	1,244	1,728	*	*	*
Gnarabup (Prevelly)	*	*	*	*	601	523	490
Greenbushes	321	334	395	403	380	357	342
Harvey	2,479	2,498	2,597	2,570	2,551	2,523	2,603
Leschenault	*	*	*	1,909	*	*	*
Manjimup	4,150	3,960	4,353	4,390	4,402	4,333	4,237
Margaret River	798	1,276	1,725	2,846	3,717	3,489	4,412
Nannup	552	505	472	521	531	510	502
Northcliffe	*	*	*	239	*	*	*
Pemberton	871	802	934	994	948	796	760
Quindalup	*	327	294	365	496	484	*
Stratham	*	*	*	396	747	743	*
Walpole	291	290	290	337	311	279	321

Yarloop	508	513	587	619	632	623	549
Peppermint Grove	*	*	*	245	350	358	374
Wheatbelt							
Bakers Hill (L)	*	*	*	*	437	423	635
Beverley	756	725	818	787	815	834	852
Bindoon (Toodyay)	*	*	*	*	*	*	739
Brookton	595	592	576	526	576	557	575
Bruce Rock	565	564	562	579	526	536	514
Cervantes	242	532	532	480	622	531	505
Corrigin	841	694	725	703	725	737	687
Cuballing	*	*	204	241	238	249	337
Cunderdin	731	696	689	715	716	719	684
Dalwallinu	639	571	602	697	694	688	596
Darkan	*	*	201	265	202	206	206
Dowerin	410	377	373	378	358	357	348
Dumbleyung	274	284	292	264	269	263	224
Gingin	382	420	473	549	551	560	528
Goomalling	600	569	534	482	443	448	501
Jurien	449	730	603	636	1,153	1,130	1,170
Kellerberrin	1,091	906	920	855	820	798	868
Kondinin	326	329	312	322	295	296	309
Koorda	378	331	341	348	259	270	263
Kulin	346	296	321	271	288	331	355
Lake Grace	575	625	596	575	531	505	504
Lancelin	399	724	531	597	678	713	661
Lower Chittering Valley (L)	*	*	*	*	*	*	616
Marvel Loch	*	*	*	494	250	175	94
Merredin	3,520	3,001	3,068	2,911	2,807	2,712	2,556
Moora	1,677	1,469	1,687	1,664	1,730	1,675	1,607
Muchea (Chittering)	*	*	*	*	*	*	490
Mukinbudin	370	322	338	347	318	336	283
Narembeen	500	475	452	459	390	396	468
Narrogin	4,969	4,266	4,638	4,491	4,435	4,326	4,238
Northam	6,791	6,377	6,560	6,300	6,153	6,004	6,006
Pingelly	937	794	763	756	729	740	819
Quairading	741	654	701	706	589	606	595
Southern Cross	798	898	982	1,147	897	823	711
Sovereign Hill (L)	*	*	*	*	*	*	291
Tammin	254	265	222	236	*	*	171
Toodyay	560	557	604	674	674	687	1,068
Wagin	1,488	1,372	1,293	1,337	1,282	1,306	1,425
Wickepin	267	239	245	249	216	227	246
Williams	453	343	371	384	329	337	340
Wongan Hills	947	826	881	813	783	771	742
Woodridge Estate (Gingin)	*	*	*	*	*	*	568
Wundowie	720	685	711	613	897	902	939
Wyalkatchem	453	429	411	349	369	360	343
York	1,136	1,122	1,562	1,923	2,022	2,013	2,092
* Data not available or population less than 200 people							