

Table 2.8

Birthplace of Selected Language Groups - NSW: 2001 Census

Language	Birthplace	Persons	% of Language
Arabic	Australia	63,442	43.5
	Lebanon	48,703	33.4
	Egypt	9,244	6.3
	Iraq	6,249	4.3
	Syria	2,889	2.0
	Sudan	2,216	1.5
	Jordan	1,942	1.3
	Gaza Strip & West Bank	1,101	0.8
	Kuwait	1,051	0.7
	Israel	478	0.3
	Other	8,410	5.8
	Total		145,725
Armenian	Australia	2,197	29.2
	Iran	1,403	18.7
	Lebanon	844	11.2
	Egypt	609	8.1
	Syria	595	7.9
	Armenia	442	5.9
	Turkey	295	3.9
	Iraq	264	3.5
	Jordan	146	1.9
	Israel	132	1.8
	Other	588	7.8
	Total		7,515
Assyrian	Iraq	7,439	56.2
	Australia	2,877	21.7
	Iran	1,304	9.8
	Syria	440	3.3
	Turkey	234	1.8
	Lebanon	196	1.5
	New Zealand	76	0.6
	Greece	70	0.5
	Kuwait	67	0.5
	Jordan	43	0.3
	Other	498	3.8
	Total		13,244
Bengali	Bangladesh	5,584	72.7
	Australia	825	10.7
	India	776	10.1
	New Zealand	86	1.1
	England	43	0.6
	Saudi Arabia	22	0.3
	Iran	18	0.2
	Pakistan	18	0.2
	Malaysia	17	0.2
	Burma (Myanmar)	10	0.1
	Other	284	3.7
	Total		7,683

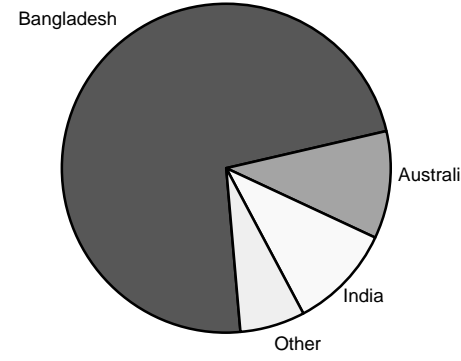
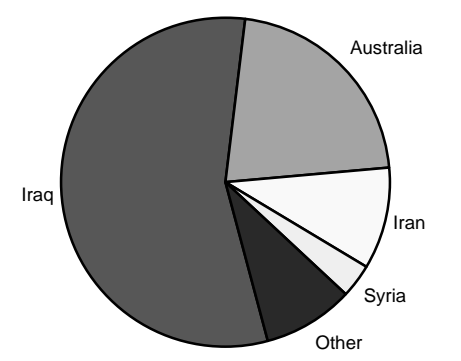
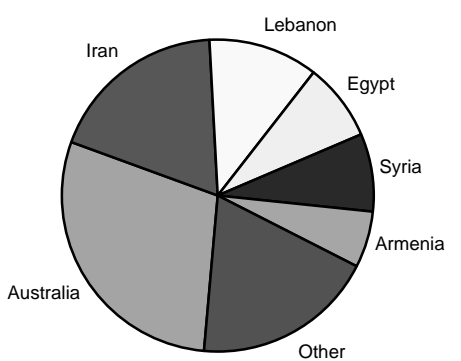
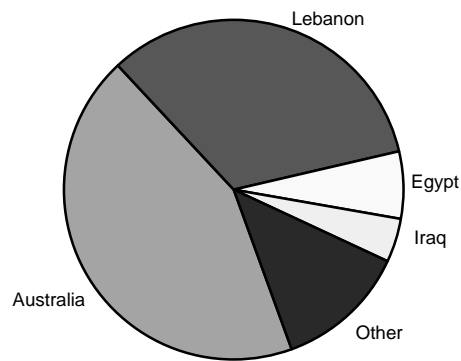


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Language	Birthplace	Persons	% of Language
Cantonese	China	33,618	27.8
	Hong Kong	33,446	27.7
	Australia	24,133	20.0
	Viet Nam	12,117	10.0
	Malaysia	6,637	5.5
	Cambodia	1,412	1.2
	Singapore	1,125	0.9
	Macau	915	0.8
	Papua New Guinea	710	0.6
	New Zealand	564	0.5
	Other	6,184	5.1
Total		120,861	100.0
Chinese languages (Total)	China	79,471	39.4
	Australia	34,647	17.2
	Hong Kong	33,934	16.8
	Viet Nam	13,697	6.8
	Malaysia	11,078	5.5
	Taiwan	7,451	3.7
	Singapore	3,061	1.5
	Cambodia	3,011	1.5
	Indonesia	1,946	1.0
	East Timor	1,190	0.6
	Other	12,339	6.1
Total		201,825	100.0
Croatian	Croatia	13,324	51.3
	Australia	9,023	34.7
	Bosnia & Herzegovina	1,824	7.0
	Yugoslavia, Fed Rep	471	1.8
	Germany	114	0.4
	Slovenia	101	0.4
	SE Europe, nfd	61	0.2
	Italy	46	0.2
	Austria	43	0.2
	Macedonia, FYR	34	0.1
	Other	951	3.7
Total		25,992	100.0
French	France	3,613	25.0
	Australia	3,399	23.5
	Mauritius	3,288	22.7
	Egypt	481	3.3
	Belgium	395	2.7
	England	365	2.5
	Canada	352	2.4
	Switzerland	294	2.0
	New Caledonia	286	2.0
	Algeria	100	0.7
	Other	1,902	13.1
Total		14,475	100.0

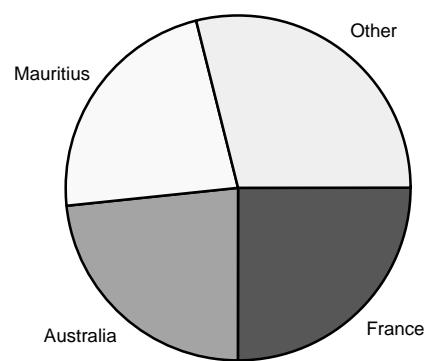
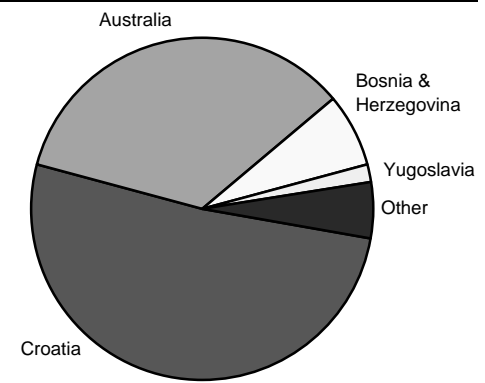
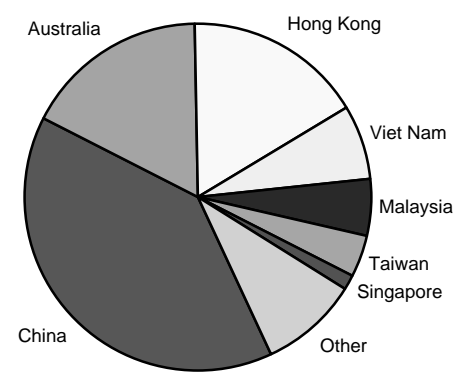
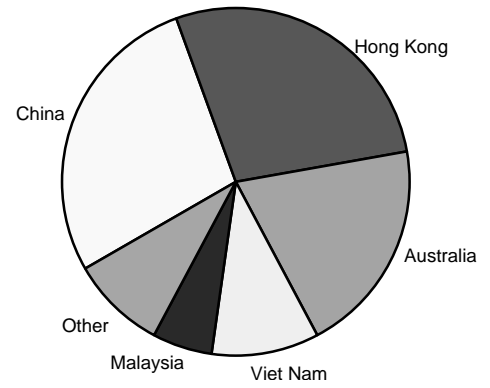


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Language	Birthplace	Persons	% of Language
German	Germany	11,469	51.6
	Australia	4,249	19.1
	Austria	2,384	10.7
	Switzerland	1,167	5.3
	Yugoslavia, Fed Rep	254	1.1
	Poland	211	0.9
	England	180	0.8
	Eastern Europe, nfd	164	0.7
	Hungary	136	0.6
	Romania	126	0.6
	Other	1,882	8.5
	Total	22,222	100.0
	Greek	Australia	45,353
Greece		33,517	37.2
Cyprus		5,134	5.7
Egypt		1,873	2.1
England		270	0.3
Turkey		266	0.3
New Zealand		198	0.2
Romania		142	0.2
South Africa		98	0.1
Germany		84	0.1
Other		3,272	3.6
Total	90,207	100.0	
Hindi	Fiji	15,331	54.4
	India	7,544	26.8
	Australia	3,908	13.9
	New Zealand	261	0.9
	Pakistan	71	0.3
	England	67	0.2
	Canada	45	0.2
	Singapore	33	0.1
	Nepal	25	0.1
	South Africa	23	0.1
	Other	861	3.1
	Total	28,169	100.0
Hokkien	Malaysia	1,240	50.4
	Taiwan	279	11.3
	Australia	242	9.8
	Singapore	166	6.8
	China	140	5.7
	Viet Nam	99	4.0
	Indonesia	95	3.9
	Philippines	74	3.0
	Cambodia	21	0.9
	Burma (Myanmar)	11	0.4
	Other	92	3.7
	Total	2,459	100.0

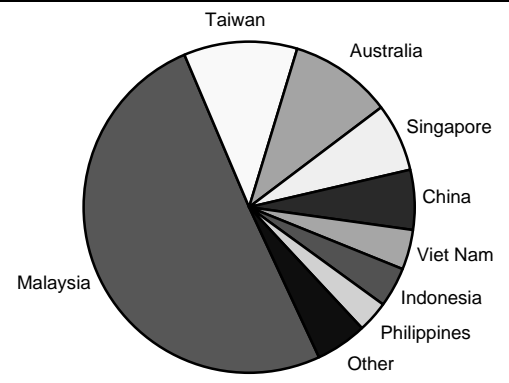
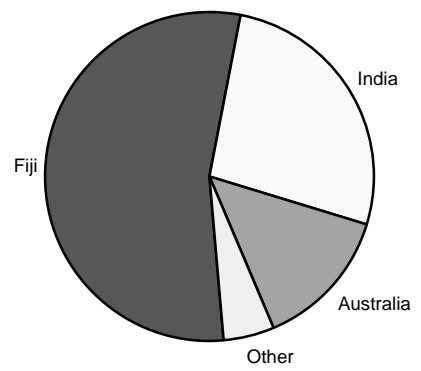
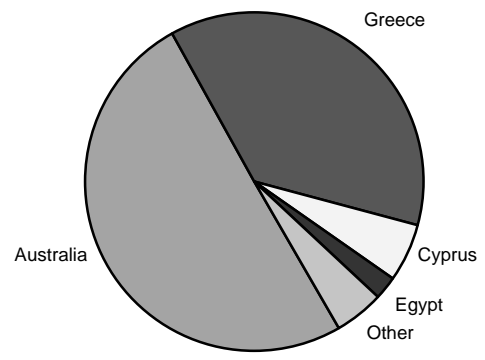
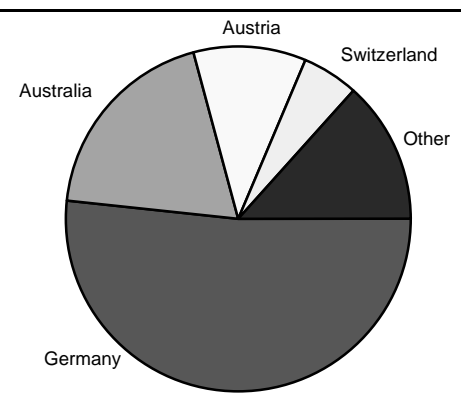


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Language	Birthplace	Persons	% of Language
Italian	Italy	49,598	51.2
	Australia	39,140	40.4
	Egypt	1,575	1.6
	Croatia	297	0.3
	England	277	0.3
	Argentina	197	0.2
	Yugoslavia, Fed Rep	190	0.2
	Greece	163	0.2
	France	156	0.2
	New Zealand	152	0.2
	Other	5,051	5.2
	Total	96,796	100.0
	Macedonian	Macedonia, FYR	17,604
Australia		11,414	37.2
Yugoslavia, Fed Rep		445	1.5
Greece		169	0.6
Croatia		28	0.1
Germany		22	0.1
Bosnia & Herzegovina		21	0.1
New Zealand		12	0.0
Slovenia		12	0.0
Austria		10	0.0
Other		921	3.0
Total		30,658	100.0
Malay	Malaysia	738	54.1
	Singapore	297	21.8
	Australia	162	11.9
	Sri Lanka	42	3.1
	Indonesia	38	2.8
	England	17	1.2
	Other	71	5.2
	Total	1,365	100.0
Mandarin	China	40,165	61.0
	Australia	7,845	11.9
	Taiwan	6,804	10.3
	Malaysia	2,696	4.1
	Singapore	1,675	2.5
	Indonesia	1,309	2.0
	Viet Nam	482	0.7
	Laos	476	0.7
	Cambodia	467	0.7
	New Zealand	377	0.6
	Other	3,592	5.5
	Total	65,888	100.0

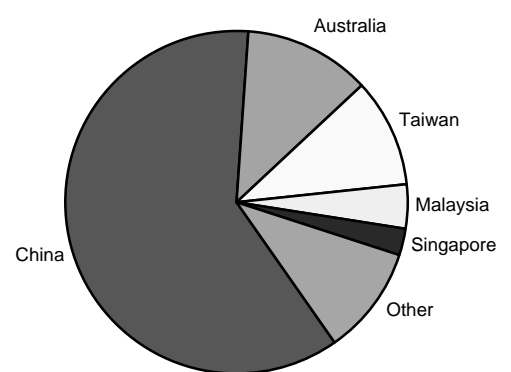
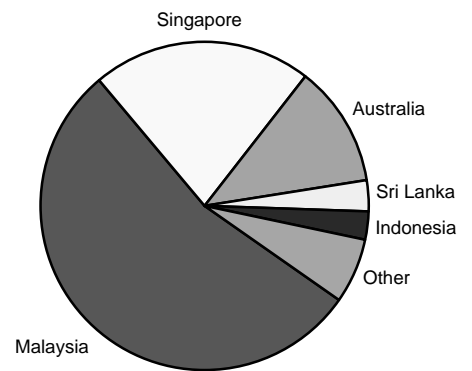
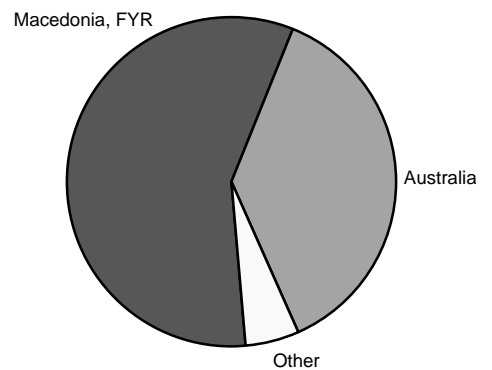
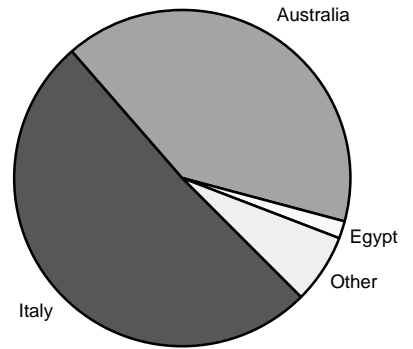


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Language	Birthplace	Persons	% of Language
Persian	Iran	5,826	47.5
	Afghanistan	3,961	32.3
	Australia	1,588	12.9
	Pakistan	195	1.6
	India	88	0.7
	England	39	0.3
	United States of America	35	0.3
	Iraq	31	0.3
	New Zealand	20	0.2
	United Arab Emirates	20	0.2
	Other	470	3.8
	Total		12,273
Polish	Poland	11,906	69.7
	Australia	3,296	19.3
	Germany	667	3.9
	Russian Federation	119	0.7
	Ukraine	75	0.4
	England	73	0.4
	Austria	58	0.3
	Italy	49	0.3
	New Zealand	41	0.2
	France	35	0.2
	Other	751	4.4
	Total		17,070
Portuguese	Portugal	7,042	53.9
	Australia	3,004	23.0
	Brazil	1,689	12.9
	East Timor	374	2.9
	Angola	107	0.8
	Mozambique	97	0.7
	France	48	0.4
	South Africa	43	0.3
	Italy	37	0.3
	Macau	34	0.3
	Other	592	4.5
	Total		13,067
Punjabi	India	4,936	63.6
	Australia	1,699	21.9
	Pakistan	223	2.9
	Malaysia	206	2.7
	England	160	2.1
	Kenya	93	1.2
	Singapore	76	1.0
	New Zealand	58	0.7
	Fiji	37	0.5
	Tanzania	13	0.2
	Other	259	3.3
	Total		7,760

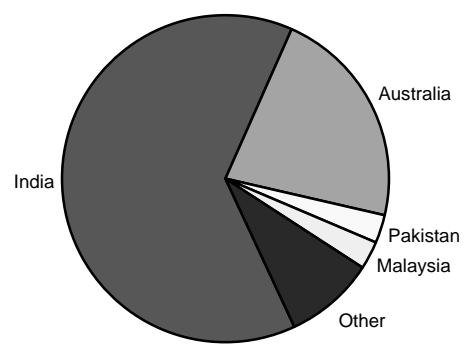
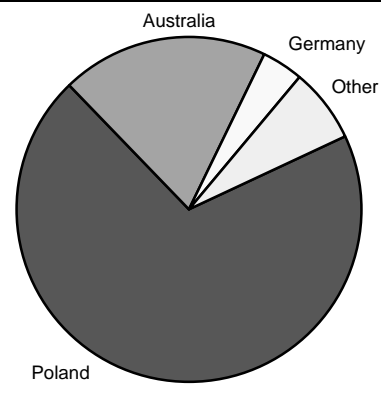
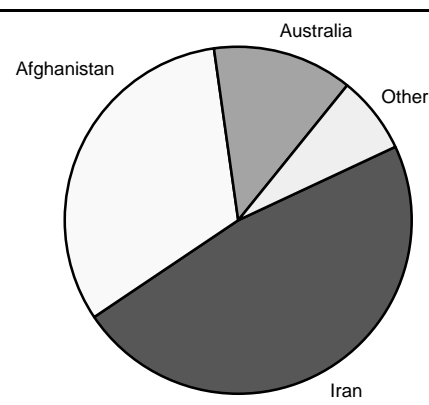
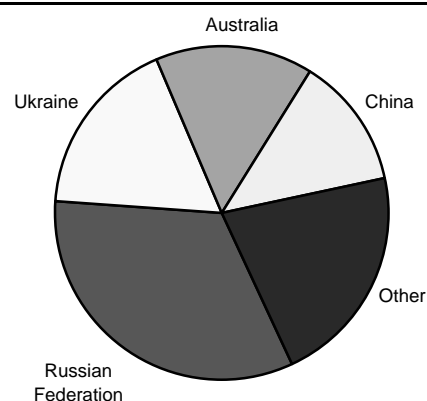


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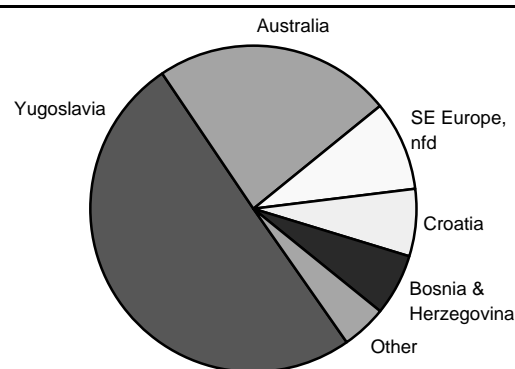
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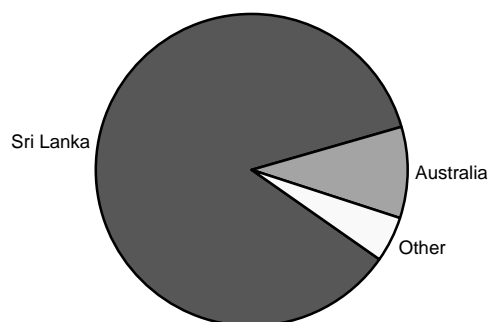
Language	Birthplace	Persons	% of Language
Russian	Russian Federation	4,563	33.0
	Ukraine	2,438	17.6
	Australia	2,111	15.2
	China	1,779	12.8
	Belarus	173	1.2
	Latvia	150	1.1
	Uzbekistan	133	1.0
	Poland	114	0.8
	Germany	111	0.8
	Kazakhstan	109	0.8
	Other	2,165	15.6
Total		13,846	100.0



Serbian	Yugoslavia, Fed Rep	10,280	50.2
	Australia	4,836	23.6
	SE Europe, nfd	1,847	9.0
	Croatia	1,376	6.7
	Bosnia & Herzegovina	1,219	6.0
	Germany	95	0.5
	Macedonia, FYR	67	0.3
	Austria	45	0.2
	France	29	0.1
	Romania	29	0.1
	Other	659	3.2
Total		20,482	100.0



Sinhalese	Sri Lanka	4,621	85.9
	Australia	499	9.3
	India	26	0.5
	England	24	0.4
	New Zealand	15	0.3
	Singapore	13	0.2
	Malaysia	11	0.2
	United Arab Emirates	11	0.2
	Other	158	2.9
Total		5,378	100.0



Spanish	Australia	11,011	22.3	
	Chile	10,952	22.2	
	Uruguay	5,958	12.1	
	Argentina	4,291	8.7	
	Spain	3,837	7.8	
	Peru	3,359	6.8	
	Colombia	1,960	4.0	
	El Salvador	1,768	3.6	
	Ecuador	939	1.9	
	Philippines	586	1.2	
	Other	4,718	9.6	
	Total		49,379	100.0

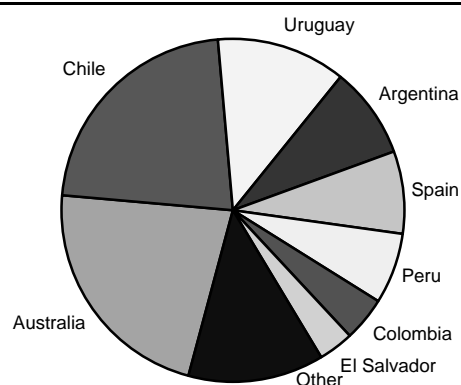
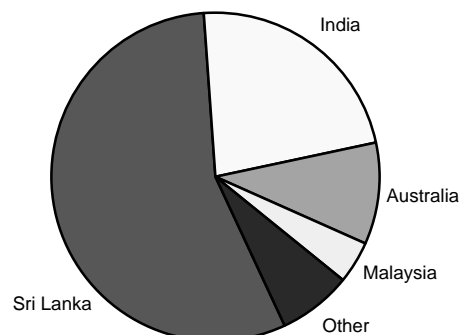


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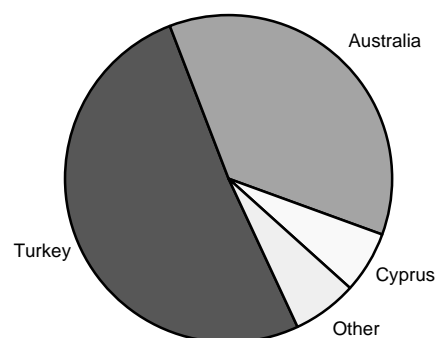
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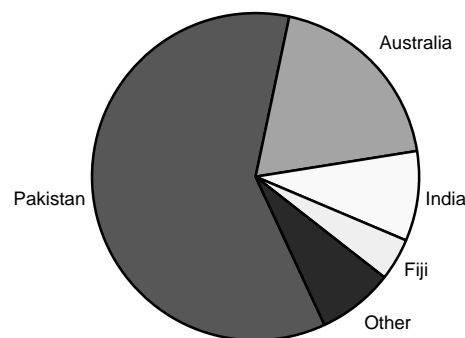
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Tamil	Sri Lanka	6,774	55.9
	India	2,749	22.7
	Australia	1,219	10.1
	Malaysia	491	4.1
	Singapore	199	1.6
	England	81	0.7
	New Zealand	63	0.5
	United Arab Emirates	32	0.3
	Fiji	24	0.2
	South Africa	23	0.2
	Other	454	3.7
Total		12,109	100.0



Turkish	Turkey	9,813	51.2
	Australia	6,963	36.4
	Cyprus	1,177	6.1
	Iraq	166	0.9
	Bulgaria	57	0.3
	England	57	0.3
	Germany	57	0.3
	Iran	37	0.2
	Yugoslavia, Fed Rep	18	0.1
	Macedonia, FYR	15	0.1
	Other	795	4.2
Total		19,155	100.0



Urdu	Pakistan	4,509	60.4
	Australia	1,428	19.1
	India	656	8.8
	Fiji	308	4.1
	Saudi Arabia	75	1.0
	New Zealand	48	0.6
	United Arab Emirates	36	0.5
	England	28	0.4
	Bangladesh	24	0.3
	United States of America	24	0.3
Other	329	4.4	
Total		7,465	100.0



Vietnamese	Viet Nam	46,915	69.1	
	Australia	16,294	24.0	
	Hong Kong	388	0.6	
	Cambodia	386	0.6	
	Laos	274	0.4	
	New Zealand	270	0.4	
	Malaysia	246	0.4	
	Thailand	236	0.3	
	Philippines	180	0.3	
	China	166	0.2	
	Other	2,543	3.7	
	Total		67,898	100.0

