

Governments in Office 1964 – 2011

Fact Sheet 6

	1964	1965	1966	1967	1968
Federal	LIB & CP	LIB & CP	LIB & CP	LIB & CP	LIB & CP
NSW	ALP	LIB (Mar)	LIB	LIB	LIB
Vic	LIB & CP	LIB & CP	LIB & CP	LIB & CP	LIB & CP
Qld	CP	CP	CP	CP	CP
Tas	ALP	ALP	ALP	ALP	ALP
SA	LCL	ALP (Mar)	ALP	ALP	LCL (Apr)
WA	LCL & CP	LCL & CP	LCL & CP	LCL & CP	LCL & CP
	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973
Federal	LIB & CP	LIB & CP	LIB & CP	ALP (Dec)	ALP
NSW	LIB	LIB	LIB	LIB	LIB
Vic	LIB & CP	LIB & CP	LIB & CP	LIB (Aug)	LIB
Qld	CP	CP	CP	CP	CP
Tas	ALP	ALP	ALP	ALP	ALP
SA	LCL	ALP (Jun)	ALP	ALP	ALP
WA	LCL & CP	LCL & CP	ALP (Mar)	ALP	ALP
	1974	1975	1976	1977	1978
Federal	ALP (Mar)	LIB & NCP (Dec)	LIB & NCP	LIB & NCP	LIB & NCP
NSW	LIB	LIB	ALP (May)	ALP	ALP
Vic	LIB	LIB	LIB	LIB	LIB
Qld	CP	CP	CP	CP	CP
Tas	ALP	ALP	ALP	ALP	ALP
SA	ALP	ALP	ALP	ALP	ALP
WA	LIB & NCP (Apr)	LIB & NCP	LIB & NCP	LIB & NCP	LIB & NCP
NT¹					CLP
	1979	1980	1981	1982	1983
Federal	LIB & NCP	LIB & NCP	LIB & NCP	LIB & NCP	ALP (Mar)
NSW	ALP	ALP	ALP	ALP	ALP
Vic	LIB	LIB	LIB	ALP (Apr)	ALP
Qld	CP	CP	CP	CP	CP
Tas	ALP	ALP	ALP	LIB (May)	LIB
SA	LIB (Sep)	LIB	LIB	ALP (Nov)	ALP
WA	LIB & NCP	LIB & NCP	LIB & NCP	LIB & NCP	ALP (Feb)
NT	CLP	CLP	CLP	CLP	CLP

	1984	1985	1986	1987	1988
Federal	ALP	ALP	ALP	ALP	ALP
NSW	ALP	ALP	ALP	ALP	LIB (Mar)
Vic	ALP	ALP	ALP	ALP	ALP
Qld	CP	CP	CP	NP (Dec)	NP
Tas	LIB	LIB	LIB	LIB	LIB
SA	ALP	ALP	ALP	ALP	ALP
WA	ALP	ALP	ALP	ALP	ALP
NT	CLP	CLP	CLP	CLP	CLP
	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993
Federal	ALP	ALP	ALP	ALP	ALP
NSW	LIB	LIB	LIB	LIB	LIB
Vic	ALP	ALP	ALP	LIB (Oct)	LIB
Qld	ALP (Dec)	ALP	ALP	ALP	ALP
Tas	ALP (July)	ALP	ALP	LIB (Feb)	LIB
SA	ALP	ALP	ALP	ALP	LIB (Dec)
WA	ALP	ALP	ALP	ALP	LIB (Feb)
NT	CLP	CLP	CLP	CLP	CLP
ACT²	ALP, LIB (Dec)	LIB	ALP (June)	ALP	ALP
	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998
Federal	ALP	ALP	LIB & NPA (Mar)	LIB & NPA	LIB & NPA
NSW	LIB	ALP (Mar)	ALP	ALP	ALP
Vic	LIB	LIB	LIB	LIB	LIB
Qld	ALP	ALP	LIB (Feb)	LIB	ALP (June)
Tas	LIB	LIB	LIB	LIB	ALP (Sep)
SA	LIB	LIB	LIB	LIB	LIB
WA	LIB	LIB	LIB	LIB	LIB
NT	CLP	CLP	CLP	CLP	CLP
ACT	ALP	LIB (Feb)	LIB	LIB	LIB
	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003
Federal	LIB & NPA	LIB & NPA	LIB & NPA	LIB & NPA	LIB & NPA
NSW	ALP	ALP	ALP	ALP	ALP
Vic	ALP (Oct)	ALP	ALP	ALP	ALP
Qld	ALP	ALP	ALP	ALP	ALP
Tas	ALP	ALP	ALP	ALP	ALP
SA	LIB	LIB	LIB	ALP (Feb)	ALP
WA	LIB	LIB	ALP (Feb)	ALP	ALP
NT	CLP	CLP	ALP (Aug)	ALP	ALP
ACT	LIB	LIB	ALP (Nov)	ALP	ALP
	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008
Federal	LIB & NPA	LIB & NPA	LIB & NPA	ALP (Nov)	ALP
NSW	ALP	ALP	ALP	ALP	ALP
Vic	ALP	ALP	ALP	ALP	ALP
Qld	ALP	ALP	ALP	ALP	ALP
Tas	ALP	ALP	ALP	ALP	ALP
SA	ALP	ALP	ALP	ALP	ALP
WA	ALP	ALP	ALP	ALP	LIB & NP (Sept)
NT	ALP	ALP	ALP	ALP	ALP (Aug)
ACT	ALP	ALP	ALP	ALP	ALP & GRN(Oct)

	2009	2010	2011
Federal	ALP	ALP	ALP
NSW	ALP	ALP	LIB & NP (Mar)
Vic	ALP	LIB & NP (Nov)	LIB & NP
Qld	ALP (Mar)	ALP	ALP
Tas	ALP	ALP & GRN (Mar)	ALP & GRN
SA	ALP	ALP (Mar)	ALP
WA	LIB & NP	LIB & NP	LIB & NP
NT	ALP	ALP	ALP
ACT	ALP & GRN	ALP & GRN	ALP & GRN

Footnotes

- 1 Self government from 1 July 1978. Prior to this the Northern Territory was under Commonwealth Government control.
- 2 Self government from 11 May 1989. Prior to this the Australian Capital Territory was administered by the Commonwealth Government.
- 3 This list has been compiled to provide a companion to the list of Governments in Office 1890-1964 which appears in Hughes, Colin & B.D. Graham. *A Handbook of Australian Government and Politics 1890 – 1964*. Canberra, ACT : ANU Press, 1968, pp. 611-2.

Abbreviations

ALP	Australian Labor Party
CLP	Country Liberal Party
CP	Country Party
GRN	Greens
LCL	Liberal Country League
LIB	Liberal Party
NCP	National Country Party
NP	National Party

Source

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