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GOVERNMENT

## GOVERNORS-GENERAL OF THE COMMONWEALTH OF AUSTRALIA

Administrators appointed between Governor-Generalships are included.

- 1 Jan 1901–** Earl of Hopetoun (John Adrian Louis Hope), PC, KT, GCMG, GCVO, Governor-General and Commander-in-Chief of the Commonwealth of Australia.
- 17 July 1902–** Lord Tennyson (Hallam Tennyson), Governor-General (Acting).
- 9 Jan 1903–** Lord Tennyson (Hallam Tennyson), GCMG, Governor-General.
- 21 Jan 1904–** Lord Northcote (Henry Stafford Northcote), PC, GCMG, GCIE, CB, Governor-General.
- 9 Sept 1908–** Earl of Dudley (William Humble Ward), PC, GCMG, GCVO, Governor-General.
- 31 July 1911–** Lord Denman (Thomas Denman), PC, GCMG, GCVO, Governor-General.
- 18 May 1914–** The Rt Hon Sir Ronald Craufurd Munro-Ferguson, GCMG, Governor-General.
- 6 Oct 1920–** Lord Forster (Henry William Forster), PC, GCMG, Governor-General.
- 8 Oct 1925–** Lord Stonehaven (Sir John Lawrence Baird), PC, GCMG, DSO, Governor-General.
- 3 Oct 1930–** Lord Somers (Arthur Herbert Tennyson Somers Cocks), KCMG, DSO, MC, officer administering the Government of the Commonwealth of Australia.
- 22 Jan 1931–** The Rt Hon Sir Isaac Alfred Isaacs, GCMG, Governor-General.
- 23 Jan 1936–** Lord Gowrie (Brigadier-General Alexander Gore Arkwright Hore-Ruthven), VC, PC, GCMG, CB, DSO, Governor-General.
- 30 Jan 1945–** Major-General Sir Winston Dugan, GCMG, CB, DSO, officer administering the Government of the Commonwealth of Australia.
- 30 Jan 1945–** His Royal Highness Prince Henry William Frederick Albert, Duke of Gloucester, Earl of Ulster and Baron Culloden, KG, PC, KT, KP, GCB, GCMG, GCVO, Governor-General.
- 19 Jan 1947–** Major-General Sir Winston Dugan, GCMG, CB, DSO, officer administering the Government of the Commonwealth of Australia.
- 11 Mar 1947–** Sir William John McKell, GCMG, Governor-General.
- 8 May 1953–** Field Marshal Sir William Joseph Slim, KG, GCB, GCMG, GCVO, GBE, DSO, MC, Governor-General.
- 2 Feb 1960–** Viscount Dunrossil (William Shepherd Morrison), PC, GCMG, MC, KStJ, Governor-General.

## GOVERNORS-GENERAL continued

- 4 Feb 1961–** General Sir Reginald Alexander Dallas Brooks, KCB, KCMG, KCVO, DSO, KStJ, officer administering the Government of the Commonwealth of Australia.
- 3 Aug 1961–** Viscount De L'Isle (William Philip Sidney), VC, PC, GCMG, GCVO, KStJ, Governor-General.
- 7 May 1965–** Colonel Sir Henry Abel Smith, KCMG, KCVO, DSO, KStJ, officer administering the Government of the Commonwealth of Australia.
- 22 Sept 1965–** Lord Casey (Richard Gardiner Casey), KG, PC, GCMG, CH, DSO, MC, KStJ, Governor-General.
- 30 Apr 1969–** The Rt Hon Sir Paul Meernaa Caedwalla Hasluck, GCMG, GCVO, KStJ, Governor-General.
- 11 July 1974–** The Rt Hon Sir John Robert Kerr, AK, GCMG, GCVO, KStJ, Governor-General.
- 8 Dec 1977–** The Rt Hon Sir Zelman Cowen, AK, GCMG, KStJ, QC, Governor-General.
- 20 July 1982–** The Rt Hon Sir Ninian Martin Stephen, PC, KBE, Governor-General.

## GOVERNORS OF NEW SOUTH WALES

- 26 Jan 1788–** Captain Arthur Phillip, RN, Captain-General and Governor-in-Chief in and over the Territory called New South Wales and its Dependencies.
- 10 Dec 1792–** Major Francis Grouse administered the settlement.
- 12 Dec 1794–** Captain William Patterson administered the settlement.
- 11 Sept 1795–** Captain John Hunter, RN, Governor.
- 27 Sept 1800–** Captain Philip Gidley King, RN, Governor.
- 12 Aug 1806–** Captain William Bligh, RN, Governor.
- 13 Aug 1806–** Captain William Bligh, RN, Governor.
- 26 Jan 1808–** Major George Johnston administered the colony.
- 28 July 1808–** Lieutenant-Colonel Joseph Foveaux administered the colony.
- 9 Jan 1809–** Colonel William Paterson administered the colony.
- 31 Dec 1809–** Major-General Lachlan Macquarie, Governor.
- 1 Dec 1821–** Major-General Sir Thomas Makdougall Brisbane, KCB, Governor.
- 1 Dec 1825–** Lieutenant-Colonel William Stewart administered the colony.
- 19 Dec 1825–** Lieutenant-General Ralph Darling, Governor.

## GOVERNORS OF NEW SOUTH WALES continued

22 Oct 1831– Colonel Patrick Lindesay administered the colony.  
 2 Dec 1831  
 3 Dec 1831– Major-General Sir Richard Bourke, KCB, Governor.  
 3 Dec 1837  
 6 Dec 1837– Lieutenant-Colonel Kenneth Snodgrass administered the colony.  
 23 Feb 1838  
 24 Feb 1838– Sir George Gipps, Governor.  
 11 July 1846  
 12 July 1846– Sir Maurice Charles Philip O'Connell, KCH, administered the colony.  
 2 Aug 1846  
 3 Aug 1846– Sir Charles Augustus Fitz Roy, KCH, Governor.  
 1 Jan 1851  
 2 Jan 1851– Sir Charles Augustus Fitz Roy, KCB, KCH, Captain-General of New South Wales, Victoria, Van Diemen's Land and South Australia and Governor-General of the said colonies and Western Australia.  
 17 Jan 1855  
 20 Jan 1855– Sir William Thomas Denison, KCB, Governor-General of Her Majesty's Colonies of New South Wales, Tasmania, Victoria, South Australia and Western Australia.  
 19 Dec 1855  
 22 Jan 1861– Sir William Thomas Denison, KCB, Captain-General and Governor-in-Chief of New South Wales and its Dependencies and Vice-Admiral of the same [additional commission].  
 22 Jan 1861– Lieutenant-Colonel John Francis Kempt administered the colony.  
 22 Mar 1861  
 22 Mar 1861– The Rt Hon Sir John Young, Bt, GCMG, KCB, Captain-General, Governor-in-Chief and Vice-Admiral of New South Wales and its Dependencies.  
 24 Dec 1867  
 25 Dec 1867– Major-General Sir Trevor Chute, KCB, administered the colony.  
 7 Jan 1868  
 8 Jan 1868– Earl of Belmore (Sir Somerset Richard Lowry-Corry), PC Ireland, GCMG, Governor and Commander-in-Chief of the Colony of New South Wales and Vice-Admiral of the same.  
 22 Feb 1872  
 22 Feb 1872– Sir Alfred Stephen, CB, administered the colony.  
 2 June 1872  
 23 Feb 1872– Sir Hercules George Robert Robinson, GCMG, Governor.  
 19 Mar 1879  
 20 Mar 1879– Sir Alfred Stephen, KCMG, CB, administered the colony.  
 3 Aug 1879  
 4 Aug 1879– Lord Augustus William Frederick Spencer Loftus, PC, GCB, Governor and Commander-in-Chief of New South Wales and its Dependencies.  
 9 Nov 1885  
 10 Nov 1885– Sir Alfred Stephen, GCMG, CB, administered the colony.  
 11 Dec 1885  
 12 Dec 1885– Lord Carrington (Charles Robert Wynn-Carrington), PC, GCMG, Governor.

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3 Nov 1890– Sir Alfred Stephen, GCMG, CB, administered the colony.  
 15 Jan 1891  
 15 Jan 1891– Earl of Jersey (Victor Albert George Child Villiers), PC, GCMG, Governor.  
 2 Mar 1893  
 3 Mar 1893– Sir Frederick Darley administered the colony.  
 29 May 1893– The Rt Hon Sir Robert William Duff, GCMG, Governor.  
 15 Mar 1895  
 16 Mar 1895– Sir Frederick Darley administered the colony.  
 22 Nov 1895  
 22 Nov 1895– Viscount Hampden (Henry Robert Brand), GCMG, Governor.  
 5 Mar 1899  
 18 May 1899– Sir Frederick Darley, KCMG, administered the colony.  
 18 May 1899  
 18 May 1899– Earl Beauchamp (William Lygon), KCMG, Governor.  
 31 Dec 1900  
 1 Jan 1901– Earl Beauchamp (William Lygon), KCMG, Governor in and over the State of New South Wales and its Dependencies.  
 30 Apr 1901  
 1 Nov 1900– Sir Frederick Darley, GCMG, administered the state in the absence of Lord Beauchamp.  
 27 May 1902  
 27 May 1902– Admiral Sir Harry Holdsworth Rawson, KCB, Governor.  
 24 Mar 1909  
 24 Mar 1909– Sir George Bowen Simpson, the Acting Chief Justice, administered the state.  
 27 May 1909  
 28 May 1909– Lord Chelmsford (Frederic John Napier Thesiger), GCMG, Governor.  
 11 Mar 1913  
 11 Mar 1913– Sir William Cullen, KCMG, administered the state.  
 14 Mar 1913  
 14 Mar 1913– Sir Gerald Strickland, KCMG, Governor.  
 27 Oct 1917  
 28 Oct 1917– Sir William Cullen, KCMG, administered the state.  
 17 Feb 1918  
 18 Feb 1918– Sir Walter Edward Davidson, KCMG, Governor.  
 16 Sept 1923  
 16 Sept 1923– Sir William Cullen, KCMG, administered the state.  
 27 Feb 1924  
 16 Sept 1923– Sir William Cullen, KCMG, administered the state.  
 28 Feb 1924– Admiral Sir Dudley Rawson Stratford De Chair, KCB, MVO, Governor.  
 8 Apr 1930  
 9 Apr 1930– Sir William Cullen, KCMG, administered the state.  
 28 May 1930  
 29 May 1930– Air Vice-Marshal Sir Philip Woolcott Game, GBE, KCB, DSO, Governor.  
 15 Jan 1935  
 15 Jan 1935– Sir Philip Whistler Street administered the state.  
 20 Feb 1935  
 21 Feb 1935– Brigadier-General the Honourable Sir Alexander Gore Arkwright Hore-Ruthven, VC, GCMG, CB, DSO, Governor.  
 22 Jan 1936  
 22 Jan 1936– Sir Philip Whistler Street, KCMG, administered the state.  
 6 Aug 1936  
 6 Aug 1936– Admiral Sir David Murray Anderson, KCB, KCMG, MVO, Governor.  
 29 Oct 1936

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- 29 Oct 1936– Sir Philip Whistler Street, KCMG, administered the state.  
 8 Apr 1937–  
 8 Apr 1937– Lord Wakehurst (The Honourable John de Vere Loder), KCMG, Governor.  
 6 June 1945–  
 6 June 1945– Sir Frederick Jordan, KCMG, administered the state.  
 1 Aug 1946–  
 1 Aug 1946– General Sir John Northcott, KCMG, KCVO, CB, Governor.  
 31 July 1957–  
 1 Aug 1957– Lieutenant-General Sir Eric Winslow Woodward, KCMG, KCVO, CB, CBE, DSO, Governor.  
 31 July 1965–  
 3 Aug 1965– Sir Kenneth Whistler Street administered the state.  
 20 Jan 1966–  
 20 Jan 1966– Sir Arthur Roden Cutler, VC, KCMG, KCVO, CBE, KStJ, Governor.  
 20 Jan 1981– Air Marshal Sir James Rowland, KBE, DFC, AFC, KStJ, BE (Aero), FRAeS, C Eng, Governor.

## GOVERNORS OF VICTORIA

- 30 Sept 1839– Charles Joseph La Trobe, Superintendent of the District of Port Phillip.  
 15 July 1851–  
 15 July 1851– Charles Joseph La Trobe, Lieutenant-Governor of the colony of Victoria.  
 5 May 1854–  
 6 May 1854– John Vesey Fitzgerald administered the colony.  
 22 June 1854–  
 22 June 1854– Captain Sir Charles Hotham, RN, KCB, Lieutenant-Governor.  
 22 June 1854–  
 22 May 1855– Captain Sir Charles Hotham, RN, KCB, Captain-General and Governor-in-Chief of the Colony of Victoria, also Vice-Admiral, Commissary, and Deputy in the office of Vice-Admiralty in the said colony.  
 31 Dec 1855–  
 1 Jan 1856– Major-General Edward Macarthur administered the colony.  
 26 Dec 1856–  
 26 Dec 1856– Sir Henry Barkly, KCB, Captain-General and Governor-in-Chief of the Colony of Victoria, and Vice-Admiral of the same.  
 10 Sept 1863–  
 11 Sept 1863– Sir Charles Henry Darling, KCB, Governor and Commander-in-Chief.  
 7 May 1866–  
 7 May 1866– Brigadier-General George Jackson Carey administered the colony.  
 15 Aug 1866–  
 15 Aug 1866– Sir John Henry Thomas Manners-Sutton, KCB, Governor and Commander-in-Chief.  
 15 Aug 1866–  
 3 Mar 1873 Sir George Ferguson Bowen administered the colony.  
 30 July 1873–  
 30 July 1873– Sir George Ferguson Bowen, GCMG, Governor and Commander-in-Chief of the Colony of Victoria and its Dependencies, and Vice-Admiral of the same.  
 22 Feb 1879–

## GOVERNORS OF VICTORIA continued

- 27 Feb 1879– Marquess of Normanby administered the colony.  
 29 Apr 1879–  
 29 Apr 1879– Marquess of Normanby (George Augustus Constantine Phipps), PC, GCMG, Governor and Commander-in-Chief.  
 18 Apr 1884–  
 18 Apr 1884– Sir William Foster Stawell administered the colony.  
 15 July 1884–  
 15 July 1884– Sir Henry Brougham Loch, GCMG, KCB, Governor and Commander-in-Chief.  
 15 Nov 1889–  
 16 Nov 1889– Sir William Cleaver Francis Robinson administered the colony.  
 27 Nov 1889–  
 28 Nov 1889– Earl of Hopetoun (John Adrian Louis Hope), GCMG, Governor and Commander-in-Chief.  
 12 July 1895–  
 27 Mar 1895– Sir John Madden administered the colony.  
 24 Oct 1895–  
 25 Oct 1895– Lord Brassey (Thomas Brassey), KCB, Governor and Commander-in-Chief.  
 31 Mar 1900–  
 15 Jan 1900– Sir John Madden administered the Colony of Victoria.  
 2 Jan 1901–  
 2 Jan 1901– Sir John Madden administered the State of Victoria.  
 10 Dec 1901–  
 10 Dec 1901– Sir George Sydenham Clarke, KCMG, Governor of the State of Victoria.  
 24 Nov 1903–  
 24 Nov 1903– Sir John Madden administered the state.  
 25 Apr 1904–  
 25 Apr 1904– Major-General Sir Reginald Arthur James Talbot, KCB, Governor.  
 6 July 1908–  
 6 July 1908– Sir John Madden administered the state.  
 26 July 1908–  
 27 July 1908– Sir Thomas David Gibson Carmichael, Bt, KCMG, Governor.  
 19 May 1911–  
 19 May 1911– Sir John Madden administered the state.  
 24 May 1911–  
 24 May 1911– Sir John Michael Fleetwood Fuller, Bt, KCMG, Governor.  
 31 Jan 1914–  
 28 Aug 1913– Sir John Madden administered the state.  
 23 Feb 1914–  
 23 Feb 1914–  
 23 Feb 1914– Sir Arthur Lyulph Stanley, KCMG, Governor.  
 30 Jan 1920–  
 31 Jan 1920– Sir William Hill Irvine administered the state.  
 24 Feb 1921–  
 24 Feb 1921– Earl of Stradbroke (Colonel George Edward John Mowbray Rous), KCMG, CB, CVO, CBE, Governor.  
 7 Apr 1926–  
 7 Apr 1926– Sir William Hill Irvine administered the state.  
 27 June 1926–  
 28 June 1926– Lord Somers (Lieutenant-Colonel Arthur Herbert Tennyson Somers Cocks), KCMG, MC, Governor.  
 23 June 1931–  
 24 June 1931– Sir William Hill Irvine administered the state.  
 13 May 1934–

## GOVERNORS OF VICTORIA continued

- 14 May 1934– Lord Huntingfield (Captain William Charles Arcedeckne Vanneck), KCMG, Governor.  
 4 Apr 1939– Sir Frederick Wollaston Mann administered the state.  
 16 July 1939– Major-General Sir Winston Joseph Dugan, GCMB, CB, DSO, Governor.  
 17 July 1939– 20 Feb 1949 Lieutenant-General Sir Edmund Francis Herring administered the state.  
 21 Feb 1949– 17 Oct 1949 General Sir Reginald Alexander Dallas Brooks, KCB, CMG, DSO, Governor.  
 8 July 1953– 23 Nov 1953 Sir Charles Lowe administered the state.  
 24 Nov 1953– 7 May 1963 General Sir Reginald Alexander Dallas Brooks, KCB, KCMG, KCVO, DSO, Governor.  
 8 May 1963– 31 May 1974 Major-General Sir Rohan Delacombe, KCMG, KCVO, KBE, CB, DSO, Governor.  
 24 May 1974– 2 June 1974 Sir Henry Winneke administered the state.  
 3 June 1974– 1 Mar 1982 Sir Henry Winneke, KCMG, KCVO, OBE, KStJ, QC, Governor.  
 1 Mar 1982– 3 Oct 1985 Rear-Admiral Sir Brian Murray, KCMG, AO, KStJ, Governor.  
 4 Oct 1985– 17 Feb 1986 Sir John Young, KCMG, AO, Lieutenant-Governor and Chief Justice administered the state.  
 18 Feb 1986– Rev Dr John Davis McCaughey, Governor.

## GOVERNORS OF QUEENSLAND

- 10 Dec 1859– Sir George Ferguson Bowen, GCMG, Captain-General and Governor-in-Chief of the Colony of Queensland and its Dependencies, and Vice-Admiral.  
 4 Jan 1868– 14 Aug 1868 Sir Maurice Charles O'Connell administered the colony.  
 14 Aug 1868– 2 Jan 1871 Colonel Samuel Wensley Blackall, Governor and Commander-in-Chief of the colony and its Dependencies.  
 2 Jan 1871– 12 Aug 1871 Sir Maurice Charles O'Connell administered the colony.  
 12 Aug 1871– 12 Nov 1874 Marquess of Normanby (George Augustus Constantine Phipps), PC, Governor.  
 12 Nov 1874– 23 Jan 1875 Sir Maurice Charles O'Connell administered the colony.  
 23 Jan 1875– 14 Mar 1877 William Wellington Cairns, CMG, Governor.  
 14 Mar 1877– 10 Apr 1877 Sir Maurice Charles O'Connell administered the colony.  
 11 Apr 1877– 20 July 1877 Sir Arthur Edward Kennedy administered the colony.

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- 20 July 1877– 2 May 1883 Sir Arthur Edward Kennedy, GCMG, CB, Governor.  
 2 May 1883– 6 Nov 1883 Sir Arthur Hunter Palmer administered the colony.  
 6 Nov 1883– 9 Oct 1888 Sir Anthony Musgrave, KCMG, Governor.  
 9 Oct 1888– 1 May 1889 Sir Arthur Hunter Palmer administered the colony.  
 1 May 1889– 31 Dec 1895 General Sir Henry Wylie Norman, GCB, GCMG, CIE, Governor.  
 15 Nov 1895– 9 Apr 1896 Sir Arthur Hunter Palmer administered the colony.  
 9 Apr 1896– 31 Dec 1900 Lord Lamington (Charles Wallace Alexander Napier Cochrane Baillie), KCMG, Governor.  
 1 Jan 1901– 19 Dec 1901 Lord Lamington (Charles Wallace Alexander Napier Cochrane Baillie), KCMG, Governor in and over the State of Queensland and its Dependencies.  
 21 June 1901– 24 Mar 1902 Sir Samuel Griffith administered the state.  
 24 Mar 1902– 10 Oct 1904 Major-General Sir Herbert Charles Chermside, GCMG, CB, Governor.  
 10 Oct 1904– 30 Nov 1905 Sir Hugh Muir Nelson administered the state.  
 20 Nov 1905– 26 May 1909 Lord Chelmsford (Frederic John Napier Thesiger), KCMG, Governor.  
 27 May 1909– 2 Dec 1909 Sir Arthur Morgan administered the state.  
 2 Dec 1909– 16 July 1914 Sir William Macgregor, GCMG, CB, Governor.  
 16 July 1914– 15 Mar 1915 Sir Arthur Morgan administered the state.  
 15 Mar 1915– 3 Feb 1920 Major Sir Hamilton John Goold-Adams, GCMG, CG, Governor.  
 3 Feb 1920– 3 Dec 1920 William Lennon administered the state.  
 3 Dec 1920– 27 Oct 1925 The Rt Hon Lieutenant-Colonel Sir Matthew Nathan, GCMG, Governor.  
 27 Oct 1925– 13 June 1927 William Lennon administered the state.  
 13 June 1927– 7 Apr 1932 Lieutenant-General Sir Thomas Herbert John Chapman Goodwin, KCB, CMG, DSO, Governor.  
 8 Apr 1932– 1 June 1932 Sir James William Blair, Chief Justice, administered the state.  
 13 June 1932– 16 May 1937 Colonel Sir Leslie Orme Wilson, GCSI, GCIE, CMG, DSO, Governor.  
 17 May 1937– 21 Nov 1937 Sir James William Blair administered the state.  
 22 Nov 1937– 23 Apr 1946 Colonel Sir Leslie Orme Wilson, GCSI, GCMG, GCIE, DSO, Governor.

## GOVERNORS OF QUEENSLAND continued

24 Apr 1946– Frank Arthur Cooper administered the state.  
 30 Sept 1946  
 1 Oct 1946– Lieutenant-General Sir John Dudley Lavarack, KCVO, KBE, CB, CMG, DSO, Governor.  
 4 Dec 1957  
 4 Dec 1957– Sir Alan Mansfield administered the state.  
 18 Mar 1958  
 18 Mar 1958– Colonel Sir Henry Abel Smith, KCMG, KCVO, Governor.  
 20 Mar 1966  
 21 Mar 1966– Sir Alan Mansfield, KCMG, KCVO, Governor.  
 20 Mar 1972  
 21 Mar 1972– Air Marshal Sir Colin Hannah, KCMG, KBE, CB, Governor.  
 20 Mar 1977  
 21 Mar 1977– Sir Mostyn Hanger, KBE, Chief Justice, administered the state.  
 21 Apr 1977  
 22 Apr 1977– Commodore Sir James Maxwell Ramsay, KCMG, KCVO, CBE, DSC, KStJ, Governor.  
 21 July 1985  
 22 July 1985– Sir Walter Benjamin Campbell, QC, Governor.

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28 Dec 1836– Captain John Hindmarsh, RN, KH, Governor and Commander-in-Chief of the Province of South Australia.  
 16 July 1838  
 16 July 1838– George Milner Stephen administered the colony.  
 17 Oct 1838  
 17 Oct 1838– Lieutenant-Colonel George Gawler, KH, Resident Commissioner.  
 15 May 1841  
 15 May 1841– Captain George Grey, Governor and Commander-in-Chief of the Province of South Australia.  
 25 Oct 1845  
 25 Oct 1845– Lieutenant-Colonel Frederick Holt Robe, Lieutenant-Governor.  
 2 Aug 1848  
 2 Aug 1848– Sir Henry Edward Fox Young, Lieutenant-Governor.  
 20 Dec 1854  
 20 Dec 1854– Boyle Travers Finniss administered the colony.  
 8 June 1855  
 8 June 1855– Sir Richard Graves MacDonnell, CB, Captain-General and Governor-in-Chief of the Province of South Australia and Vice-Admiral of the same.  
 4 Mar 1862  
 4 Mar 1862– Sir Dominick Daly, Governor.  
 19 Feb 1868  
 20 Feb 1868– Lieutenant-Colonel Francis Gilbert Hamley administered the colony.  
 15 Feb 1869  
 16 Feb 1869– The Rt Hon Sir James Fergusson, Bt, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the Colony of South Australia and its Dependencies.  
 18 Apr 1873  
 7 Dec 1872– Sir Richard Davies Hanson administered the colony.  
 8 June 1873

## GOVERNORS OF SOUTH AUSTRALIA continued

9 June 1873– Sir Anthony Musgrave, KCMG, Governor.  
 29 Jan 1877  
 29 Jan 1877– Chief Justice S.J. Way administered the colony.  
 24 Mar 1877  
 24 Mar 1877– Sir W. W. Cairns administered the colony.  
 17 May 1877  
 17 May 1877– Chief Justice S.J. Way administered the colony.  
 2 Oct 1877  
 2 Oct 1877– Sir William Francis Drummond Jervois, GCMG, CB, Governor.  
 9 Jan 1883  
 9 Jan 1883– Chief Justice S.J. Way administered the colony.  
 19 Feb 1883  
 19 Feb 1883– Sir William Cleaver Francis Robinson, GCMG, Governor.  
 5 Mar 1889  
 6 Mar 1889– Chief Justice S.J. Way administered the colony.  
 11 Apr 1889  
 11 Apr 1889– Earl of Kintore (Algernon Hawkins Thomond Keith-Falconer), PC, GCMG, Governor.  
 10 Apr 1895  
 17 Jan 1895– Chief Justice S.J. Way administered the colony.  
 29 Oct 1895  
 29 Oct 1895– Sir Thomas Fowell Buxton, Bt, GCMG, Governor.  
 30 Sept 1898– Chief Justice S.J. Way administered the colony.  
 10 Apr 1899  
 10 Apr 1899– Lord Tennyson (Hallam Tennyson), KCMG, Governor.  
 31 Dec 1900  
 1 Jan 1901– Lord Tennyson (Hallam Tennyson), KCMG, Governor in and over the State of South Australia and its Dependencies.  
 17 July 1902  
 17 July 1902– Sir Samuel Way administered the state.  
 1 July 1903  
 1 July 1903– Sir George Ruthven Le Hunte, KCMG, Governor.  
 18 Feb 1909  
 2 Jan 1909– Sir Samuel Way administered the state.  
 29 Mar 1909  
 29 Mar 1909– Admiral Sir Day Hort Bosanquet, GCVO, KCB, Governor.  
 2 Feb 1914– Sir Samuel Way administered the state.  
 18 Apr 1914  
 18 Apr 1914– Lieutenant-Colonel Sir Henry Lionel Galway, KCMG, DSO, Governor.  
 30 Apr 1920  
 10 Feb 1920– Sir George Murray administered the state.  
 9 June 1920  
 9 June 1920– Lieutenant-Colonel Sir William Ernest George Archibald Weigall, KCMG, Governor.  
 30 May 1922  
 24 Apr 1922– Sir George Murray administered the state.  
 4 Dec 1922  
 4 Dec 1922– Lieutenant-General Sir George Tom Molesworth Bridges, KCB, KCMG, DSO, Governor.  
 4 Dec 1927

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6 Dec 1927– Sir George Murray administered the state.  
 13 May 1928  
 14 May 1928– Brigadier-General Sir Alexander Gore  
 26 Apr 1934 Arkwright Hore-Ruthven, VC, KCMG, CB, DSO, Governor.  
 27 Apr 1934– Sir George Murray administered the state.  
 27 July 1934  
 28 July 1934– Major-General Sir Winston Joseph Dugan, KCMG, CB, DSO, Governor.  
 23 Feb 1939  
 24 Feb 1939– Sir George Murray administered the state.  
 11 Aug 1939  
 12 Aug 1939– Sir Charles Malcolm Barclay-Harvey, KCMG, Governor.  
 26 Apr 1944  
 19 Dec 1944– Lieutenant-General Sir Charles Willoughby Moke Norrie, KCMG, CB, DSO, MC, Governor.  
 18 June 1952  
 23 Feb 1953– Air Vice-Marshal Sir Robert Allingham George, KCVO, KBE, CB, MC, Governor.  
 7 Mar 1960  
 5 Apr 1961– Lieutenant-General Sir Edric Montague Bastyan, KCMG, KBE, CB, Governor.  
 1 June 1968  
 1 June 1968– Sir John Mellis Napier administered the state.  
 4 Dec 1968  
 4 Dec 1968– Major-General Sir James William Harrison, KCMG, CB, CBE, Governor.  
 15 Sept 1971– 1 Dec 1971  
 15 Sept 1971– Sir John Mellis Napier administered the state.  
 1 Dec 1971  
 1 Dec 1971– Sir Mark (Marcus Laurence Elwin) Oiphant, AC, KBE, KStJ, Governor.  
 30 Nov 1976  
 1 Dec 1976– Sir Douglas (Ralph) Nicholls, KCVO, OBE, KStJ, Governor.  
 30 Apr 1977  
 30 Apr 1977– Walter R. Crocker, KBE, administered the state.  
 1 Sept 1977  
 1 Sept 1977– Sir Keith Douglas Seaman, KCVO, OBE, KStJ, Governor.  
 28 Mar 1982  
 23 Apr 1982– Lieutenant-General Sir Donald Dunstan, KBE, GB, KStJ, Governor.

## GOVERNORS OF WESTERN AUSTRALIA

30 Dec 1828– Captain James Stirling, RN, Lieutenant-Governor, Commander-in-Chief, and Vice-Admiral of the Colony of Western Australia.  
 5 Feb 1832  
 6 Feb 1832– Captain James Stirling, RN, Governor, Commander-in-Chief, and Vice-Admiral of the Colony of Western Australia.  
 11 Aug 1832  
 12 Aug 1832– Captain Frederick Chidley Irwin administered the colony.  
 13 Sept 1833  
 14 Sept 1833– Captain Richard Daniell administered the colony.  
 10 May 1834  
 11 May 1834– Captain Picton Beete administered the colony.  
 23 May 1834

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24 May 1834– 18 Aug 1834 Captain Richard Daniell administered the colony.  
 19 Aug 1834– Captain Sir James Stirling, RN, Governor.  
 2 Jan 1839  
 3 Jan 1839– John Hutt, Governor.  
 26 Jan 1846  
 27 Jan 1846– Lieutenant-Colonel Andrew Clarke, KH, Governor.  
 11 Feb 1847  
 12 Feb 1847– Lieutenant-Colonel Frederick Chidley Irwin, Governor.  
 11 Aug 1848  
 12 Aug 1848– Captain Charles Fitzgerald, RN, Governor.  
 22 July 1855  
 23 July 1855– Arthur Edward Kennedy, Governor.  
 19 Feb 1862  
 20 Feb 1862– Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel John Bruce administered the colony.  
 27 Feb 1862  
 28 Feb 1862– John Stephen Hampton, Governor.  
 1 Nov 1868  
 2 Nov 1868– Lieutenant-Colonel John Bruce administered the colony.  
 29 Sept 1869  
 30 Sept 1869– Frederick Aloysius Weld, Governor and Commander-in-Chief of Western Australia and its Dependencies.  
 3 Jan 1875  
 4 Jan 1875– Lieutenant-Colonel E. D. Harvest administered the colony.  
 10 Jan 1875  
 11 Jan 1875– William Cleaver Francis Robinson, CMG, Governor.  
 6 Sept 1877  
 7 Sept 1877– Lieutenant-Colonel E. D. Harvest administered the colony.  
 11 Nov 1877  
 12 Nov 1877– Major-General Sir Harry St George Ord, KCMG, CB, Lieutenant-Governor.  
 29 Jan 1878  
 30 Jan 1878– Major-General Sir Harry St George Ord, KCMG, CB, Governor.  
 9 Apr 1880  
 10 Apr 1880– Sir William Cleaver Francis Robinson, KCMG, Governor.  
 13 Feb 1883  
 14 Feb 1883– Henry (later Sir Henry) Thomas Wrenfordsley administered the colony.  
 1 June 1883  
 2 June 1883– Sir Frederick Napier Broome, KCMG, Governor.  
 20 Dec 1889  
 21 Dec 1889– Sir Malcolm Fraser administered the colony.  
 19 Oct 1890  
 20 Oct 1890– Sir William Cleaver Francis Robinson, GCMG, Governor.  
 17 Mar 1895  
 18 Mar 1895– Sir Alexander Campbell Onslow administered the colony.  
 22 Dec 1895  
 23 Dec 1895– Lieutenant-Colonel Sir Gerard Smith, KCMG, Governor.  
 29 June 1900  
 30 June 1900– Sir Alexander Campbell Onslow administered the colony.  
 3 Mar 1901  
 4 Mar 1901– Edward Albert Stone administered the state.  
 30 Apr 1901

## GOVERNORS OF WESTERN AUSTRALIA continued

1 May 1901– Captain Sir Arthur Lawley, KCMG, Governor of the State of Western Australia and its Dependencies.  
 13 Aug 1902  
 14 Aug 1902– Sir Edward Stone administered the state.  
 23 Mar 1903  
 24 Mar 1903– Admiral Sir Frederick George Denham Bedford, GCB, Governor.  
 22 Apr 1909  
 23 Apr 1909– Sir Edward Stone administered the state.  
 30 May 1909  
 31 May 1909– Sir Gerald Strickland, KCMG, Governor.  
 3 Mar 1913  
 4 Mar 1913– Sir Edward Stone administered the state.  
 16 Mar 1913  
 17 Mar 1913– Major-General Sir Harry Barron, KCMG, CVO, Governor.  
 26 Feb 1917  
 27 Feb 1917– Sir Edward Stone, KCMG, administered the state.  
 8 Apr 1917  
 9 Apr 1917– The Rt Hon Sir William Grey Ellison-Macartney, KCMG, Governor.  
 8 Apr 1920  
 9 Apr 1920– Sir Francis Alexander Newdigate Newdegate, KCMG, Governor.  
 16 June 1924  
 17 June 1924– Sir Robert Furs McMillan administered the state.  
 27 Oct 1924  
 28 Oct 1924– Colonel Sir William Robert Campion, KCMG, DSO, Governor.  
 8 June 1931  
 9 June 1931– Sir John Alfred Northmore, KCMG, administered the state.  
 29 June 1932  
 30 June 1932– Sir John Alfred Northmore, KCMG, Lieutenant-Governor, administered the state.  
 10 July 1933  
 11 July 1933– Sir James Mitchell, GCMG, Lieutenant-Governor, administered the state.  
 4 Oct 1948  
 5 Oct 1948– Sir James Mitchell, GCMG, Governor.  
 30 June 1951  
 1 July 1951– Sir John Patrick Dwyer, KCMG, administered the state.  
 6 Aug 1951  
 7 Aug 1951– Albert Asher Wolff administered the state.  
 27 Aug 1951  
 28 Aug 1951– Sir John Patrick Dwyer, KCMG, administered the state.  
 5 Nov 1951  
 6 Nov 1951– Lieutenant-General Sir Charles Henry Gairdner, KCMG, KCVO, KBE, CB, Governor.  
 26 June 1963  
 26 June 1963– Sir John Patrick Dwyer, KCMG, Lieutenant-Governor, administered the state.  
 25 Oct 1963  
 25 Oct 1963– Major-General Sir Douglas Anthony Ken-drew, KCMG, CB, CBE, DSO, Governor.  
 28 Aug 1973  
 28 Aug 1973– Sir Albert Asher Wolff, KCMG, Lieutenant-Governor, administered the state.  
 7 Jan 1974  
 7 Jan 1974– Air Commodore Hughie (later Sir Hughie) Idwal Edwards, VC, CB, DSO, OBE, DFC, Governor.  
 3 Apr 1975

## GOVERNORS OF WESTERN AUSTRALIA continued

3 Apr 1975– Commodore James Maxwell Ramsay, CBE, DSC, Lieutenant-Governor, administered the state.  
 24 Nov 1975  
 24 Nov 1975– Air Chief Marshal Sir Wallace Kyle, GCB, KCVO, CBE, DSO, DFC, KStJ, Governor.  
 25 Nov 1980– Rear Admiral Sir Richard Trowbridge, KCVO, KStJ, Governor.  
 25 Nov 1983  
 26 Nov 1983– Francis Theodore Page Burt, KCMG, Lieutenant-Governor, administered the state.  
 1 July 1984  
 2 July 1984– Professor Gordon Reid, Governor.

## GOVERNORS OF TASMANIA

16 Feb 1804– Colonel David Collins Lieutenant-Governor.  
 24 Mar 1810  
 24 Mar 1810– Lieutenant Edward Lord and Captain John Murray, as commandants, administered the colony.  
 20 Feb 1812– Major Andrew Geils, as commandant, administered the colony.  
 4 Feb 1813  
 4 Feb 1813– Colonel Thomas Davey, Lieutenant-Governor.  
 9 Apr 1817  
 9 Apr 1817– Colonel William Sorell, Lieutenant-Governor.  
 14 May 1824  
 14 May 1824– Colonel George Arthur, Lieutenant-Governor.  
 30 Oct 1836  
 31 Oct 1836– Lieutenant-Colonel Kenneth Snodgrass administered the colony.  
 5 Jan 1837  
 6 Jan 1837– Sir John Franklin, RN, KCH, Lieutenant-Governor.  
 21 Aug 1843  
 21 Aug 1843– Sir John Eardley-Wilmot, Bt, Lieutenant-Governor.  
 13 Oct 1846  
 13 Oct 1846– Charles Joseph La Trobe administered the colony.  
 25 Jan 1847  
 26 Jan 1847– Sir William Thomas Dennison, Lieutenant-Governor.  
 8 Jan 1855  
 8 Jan 1855– Sir Henry Edward Fox Young, CB, Governor-in-Chief.  
 10 Dec 1861  
 11 Dec 1861– Colonel Thomas Gore Browne administered the colony.  
 16 June 1862  
 16 June 1862– Colonel Thomas Gore Browne, CB, Governor.  
 30 Dec 1868  
 30 Dec 1868– Lieutenant-Colonel W. C. Trevor administered the colony.  
 15 Jan 1869  
 15 Jan 1869– Charles Du Cane, Governor and Commander-in-Chief.  
 28 Nov 1874  
 30 Nov 1874– Sir Francis Smith administered the colony.  
 13 Jan 1875  
 13 Jan 1875– Frederick Aloysius Weld, CMG, Governor.  
 5 Apr 1880  
 6 Apr 1880– Sir Francis Smith administered the colony.  
 21 Oct 1880

## GOVERNORS OF TASMANIA continued

21 Oct 1880– Sir John Henry Lefroy administered the colony.  
 6 Dec 1881

7 Dec 1881– Major Sir George Cumine Strahan, KCMG,  
 28 Oct 1886 Governor.

29 Oct 1886– Chief Justice W. R. Giblin administered the colony.  
 18 Nov 1886

18 Nov 1886– Sir William Dobson administered the colony.  
 11 Mar 1887

11 Mar 1887– Sir Robert George Crookshank Hamilton,  
 30 Nov 1892 KCB, Governor and Commander-in-Chief of Tasmania and its Dependencies.

30 Nov 1892– Sir William Dobson administered the colony.  
 8 Aug 1893

8 Aug 1893– Viscount Gormanston (Jenico William Joseph Preston), KCMG, Governor and Commander-in-Chief.

14 Aug 1900– Sir John Dodds administered the state.  
 8 Nov 1901

8 Nov 1901– Captain Sir Arthur Elibank Havelock,  
 16 Apr 1904 GCMG, GCIE, Governor in and over the State of Tasmania and its Dependencies.

16 Apr 1904– Sir John Dodds administered the state.  
 28 Oct 1904

28 Oct 1904– Sir Gerald Strickland, KCMG, Governor.  
 20 May 1909

21 May 1909– Sir John Dodds administered the state.  
 29 Sept 1909

29 Sept 1909– Major-General Sir Harry Barron, KCMG,  
 10 Mar 1913 CVO, Governor.

10 Mar 1913– Sir John Dodds administered the state.  
 4 June 1913

4 June 1913– The Rt Hon Sir William Grey Ellison-Macartney, KCMG, Governor.  
 31 Mar 1917

31 Mar 1917– Sir Herbert Nicholls administered the state.  
 6 July 1917

6 July 1917– Sir Francis Alexander Newdigate Newdegate, KCMG, Governor.  
 9 Feb 1920

9 Feb 1920– Sir Herbert Nicholls administered the state.  
 16 Apr 1920

16 Apr 1920– Sir William Lamond Allardyce, KCMG,  
 27 Jan 1922 Governor.

28 Jan 1922– Sir Herbert Nicholls and, during his illness,  
 22 Dec 1924 Mr Justice Ewing administered the state.

23 Dec 1924– Captain Sir James O'Grady, KCMG, OBE,  
 23 Dec 1930 Governor.

23 Dec 1930– Sir Herbert Nicholls administered the state.  
 4 Aug 1933

4 Aug 1933– Sir Ernest Clark, GCMG, KCB, CBE,  
 4 Aug 1945 Governor.

4 Aug 1945– Sir John Morris administered the state.  
 24 Dec 1945

24 Dec 1945– Sir Hugh Binney, KCB, DSO, Governor.  
 8 May 1951

## GOVERNORS OF TASMANIA continued

23 Aug 1951– The Rt Hon Sir Ronald Hibbert Cross, Bt,  
 4 June 1958 KCVO, Governor.

4 June 1958– Sir Stanley Charles Burbury administered the state.  
 21 Oct 1959

21 Oct 1959– Lord Rowallan (Thomas Godfrey Polson Corbett), KT, KBE, MC, Governor.

26 Mar 1963– Sir Stanley Charles Burbury administered the state.  
 24 Sept 1963

24 Sept 1963– Lieutenant-General Sir Charles Henry Gairdner, GBE, KCMG, KCVO, CB, Governor.  
 11 July 1968

12 July 1968– Sir Stanley Charles Burbury administered the state.  
 1 Dec 1968

2 Dec 1968– Lieutenant-General Sir Edric Montague Bastyan, KCMG, KCVO, KBE, CB, Governor.  
 1 Dec 1973

30 Nov 1973– Mr Justice Green, Chief Justice, administered the state.  
 4 Dec 1973

5 Dec 1973– Sir Stanley Charles Burbury, KCVO, KBE,  
 1 Oct 1982 KStJ, Governor.

1 Oct 1982– Sir James Plimsoll, AC, CBE, Governor.  
 8 May 1987

8 May 1987– Sir Guy Green, KBE, administered the state.  
 19 Oct 1987

19 Oct 1987– His Excellency General Sir Phillip Bennett, AC, KBE, DSO, Governor.



## PRIME MINISTERS OF AUSTRALIA

PRIME NO MINISTER	PARTY	PERIOD OF OFFICE
1 Edmund Barton	Protectionist	1 Jan 1901– 24 Sept 1903
2 Alfred Deakin	Protectionist	24 Sept 1903–27 Apr 1904
3 J. C. Watson	Labor*	27 Apr 1904–17 Aug 1904
4 G. H. Reid	Free Trade/ Protectionist Coalition	18 Aug 1904– 5 July 1905
5 Alfred Deakin	Protectionist	5 July 1905–13 Nov 1908
6 Andrew Fisher	Labor	13 Nov 1908– 2 June 1909
7 Alfred Deakin	Fusion†	2 June 1909–28 Apr 1910
8 Andrew Fisher	Labor	29 Apr 1910– 24 June 1913
9 Joseph Cook	Liberal	24 June 1913– 17 Sept 1914
10 Andrew Fisher	Labor	17 Sept 1914– 27 Oct 1915
11 W. M. Hughes	Labor	27 Oct 1915– 14 Nov 1916
12 W. M. Hughes	National Labor	14 Nov 1916– 17 Feb 1917
13 W. M. Hughes	Nationalist	17 Feb 1917– 10 Jan 1918
14 W. M. Hughes	Nationalist	10 Jan 1918– 9 Feb 1923

\*Until 1918, when the name Australian Labor Party was adopted throughout Australia, the Labor Party (until 1906 spelt Labour) was variously named. For this reason Labor rather than ALP has been used here.

†The 'fusion' of Free Traders and ex-Protectionist Tariff Reformers, and of Deakin's Protectionist followers.

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18	J. A. Lyons	UAP-Country Coalition	7 Nov 1938– 7 Apr 1939
19	Sir Earl Page	Country-UAP Coalition	7 Apr 1939–26 Apr 1939
20	R. G. Menzies	UAP	26 Apr 1939–14 Mar 1940
21	R. G. Menzies	UAP-Country Coalition	14 Mar 1940–28 Oct 1940
22	R. G. Menzies	UAP-Country Coalition	28 Oct 1940–29 Aug 1941
23	A. W. Fadden	Country-UAP Coalition	29 Aug 1941– 7 Oct 1941
24	J. Curtin	Labor	7 Oct 1941–21 Sept 1943
25	J. Curtin	Labor	21 Sept 1943– 6 July 1945
26	F. M. Forde	Labor	6 July 1945–13 July 1945
27	J. B. Chifley	Labor	13 July 1945– 1 Nov 1946
28	J. B. Chifley	Labor	1 Nov 1946–19 Dec 1949
29	R. G. Menzies	Liberal-Country Coalition	19 Dec 1949–11 May 1951
30	R. G. Menzies	Liberal-Country Coalition	11 May 1951–11 Jan 1956
31	R. G. Menzies	Liberal-Country Coalition	11 Jan 1956–10 Dec 1958
32	R. G. Menzies	Liberal-Country Coalition	10 Dec 1958–18 Dec 1963
33	Sir Robert Menzies	Liberal-Country Coalition	18 Dec 1963–26 Jan 1966
34	H. E. Holt	Liberal-Country Coalition	26 Jan 1966–14 Dec 1966
35	H. E. Holt	Liberal-Country Coalition	14 Dec 1966–19 Dec 1967
36	J. McEwen	Liberal-Country Coalition	19 Dec 1967–10 Jan 1968
37	J. G. Gorton	Liberal-Country Coalition	10 Jan 1968–28 Feb 1968
38	J. G. Gorton	Liberal-Country Coalition	28 Feb 1968–12 Nov 1969
39	J. G. Gorton	Liberal-Country Coalition	12 Nov 1969–10 Mar 1971
40	W. McMahon	Liberal-Country Coalition	10 Mar 1971– 5 Dec 1972
41	E. G. Whitlam	Labor	5 Dec 1972–19 Dec 1972
42	E. G. Whitlam	Labor	19 Dec 1972–11 Nov 1975
43	J. M. Fraser	Liberal-National Country	11 Nov 1975–22 Dec 1975

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PREMIERS OF NEW SOUTH WALES

Since responsible government.

PREMIER	PARTY	APPOINTED
S. A. Donaldson		6 June 1856
C. Cowper		26 Aug 1856
H. W. Parker		3 Oct 1856
C. Cowper		7 Sept 1857
W. Forster		27 Oct 1859
J. Robertson		9 Mar 1860
C. Cowper		10 Jan 1861
J. Martin		16 Oct 1863
C. Cowper		3 Feb 1865
J. Martin		22 Jan 1866
J. Robertson		27 Oct 1868
C. Cowper		13 Jan 1870
(Sir) J. Martin		16 Dec 1870
H. Parkes		14 May 1872
J. Robertson		9 Feb 1875
H. Parkes		22 Mar 1877
(Sir) J. Robertson		17 Aug 1877
J. S. Farnell		18 Dec 1877
(Sir) H. Parkes		21 Dec 1878
A. Stuart		5 Jan 1883
G. R. Dibbs		7 Oct 1885
(Sir) J. Robertson		22 Dec 1885
(Sir) P. A. Jennings		26 Feb 1886
(Sir) H. Parkes		20 Jan 1887
G. R. Dibbs		17 Jan 1889
(Sir) H. Parkes		8 Mar 1889
G. R. Dibbs		23 Oct 1891
G. H. Reid		3 Aug 1894
W. J. Lyne		14 Sept 1899
J. See	Progressive	28 Mar 1901
T. Waddell	Ministerialist	15 June 1904
J. H. Carruthers	Liberal Reform	29 Aug 1904
G. C. Wade	Liberal	2 Oct 1907
J. S. T. McGowen	Labor	21 Oct 1910
W. A. Holman	{ Labor	30 June 1913
	Nationalist	15 Nov 1916
J. Storey	Labor	12 Apr 1920
J. Dooley	Labor	10 Oct 1921
(Sir) G. W. Fuller	Nationalist	20 Dec 1921
J. T. Lang	Labor	17 June 1925

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PREMIERS OF NEW SOUTH WALES continued

T. R. Bavin	Nationalist	18 Oct	1927
J. T. Lang	Labor	4 Nov	1930
B. S. B. Stevens	UAP	16 May	1932
A. Mair	UAP	5 Aug	1939
W. J. McKell	Labor	16 May	1941
J. McGirr	Labor	6 Feb	1947
J. J. Cahill	Labor	3 Apr	1952
R. J. Heffron	Labor	28 Oct	1959
J. B. Renshaw	Labor	30 Apr	1964
(Sir) R. W. Askin	Liberal	13 May	1965
T. L. Lewis	Liberal	3 Jan	1975
(Sir) E. A. Willis	Liberal	23 Jan	1976
N. K. Wran	Labor	14 May	1976
B. J. Unsworth	Labor	4 July	1986

PREMIERS OF VICTORIA

Since responsible government.

PREMIER	PARTY	APPOINTED	
W. C. Haines		28 Nov	1855
J. O'Shanassy		11 Mar	1857
W. C. Haines		29 Apr	1857
J. O'Shanassy		10 Mar	1858
W. Nicholson		27 Oct	1859
R. Heales		26 Nov	1860
J. O'Shanassy		14 Nov	1861
J. McCulloch		27 June	1863
C. Sladen		6 May	1868
J. McCulloch		11 July	1868
J. A. MacPherson		20 Sept	1869
J. McCulloch		9 Apr	1870
C. G. Duffy		19 June	1871
J. G. Francis		10 June	1872
G. B. Kerferd		31 July	1874
G. Berry		7 Aug	1875
(Sir) J. McCulloch		20 Oct	1875
G. Berry		21 May	1877
J. Service		5 Mar	1880
G. Berry		3 Aug	1880
(Sir) B. O'Loghlen		9 July	1881
J. Service		8 Mar	1883
D. Gillies	Conservative— Liberal Co	18 Feb	1886
J. Munro	National-Liberal	5 Nov	1890
W. Shiels	Liberal	16 Feb	1892
J. B. Patterson	Conservative	23 Jan	1893
G. Turner	Liberal	27 Sept	1894
A. Mclean	Liberal	5 Dec	1899
(Sir) G. Turner	Liberal	19 Nov	1900
A. J. Peacock	Liberal	12 Feb	1901
W. H. Irvine	Reform	10 June	1902
T. Bent	Reform	16 Feb	1904
J. Murray	Liberal	8 Jan	1909
W. A. Watt	Liberal	18 May	1912
G. A. Elmslie	Labour	9 Dec	1913
W. A. Watt	Liberal	22 Dec	1913
(Sir) A. J. Peacock	Liberal	18 June	1914
J. Bowser	National	29 Nov	1917
H. S. W. Lawson	National	21 Mar	1918

PREMIERS OF VICTORIA continued

N. Lawson	Allan Ministry/ National Country Coalition	7 Sept 1923–	19 Mar	1924
N. Lawson	National	19 Mar–	28 Apr	1924
(Sir) A. J. Peacock	National		28 Apr	1924
G. M. Prendergast	Labor		18 July	1924
J. Allan	Country-National Co		18 Nov	1924
E. J. Hogan	Labor		20 May	1927
(Sir) W. M. McPherson	National		22 Nov	1928
E. J. Hogan	Labor		12 Dec	1929
(Sir) S. S. Argyle	UAP-Country Co		19 May	1932
A. A. Dunstan	Country		2 Apr	1935
J. Cain	Labor		14 Sept	1943
A. A. Dunstan	Country-UAP Co		18 Sept	1943
I. Macfarlan	Liberal		2 Oct	1945
J. Cain	Labor		21 Nov	1945
T. T. Holloway	Liberal-Country Co		20 Nov	1947
T. T. Holloway	Liberal		3 Dec	1948
J. G. B. McDonald	Country		27 June	1950
T. T. Holloway	Electoral Reform		27 Oct	1952
J. G. B. McDonald	Country		31 Oct	1952
J. Cain	Labor		17 Dec	1952
(Sir) H. E. Bolte	Liberal and Country		8 June	1955
R. J. Hamer	Liberal		23 Aug	1973
L. H. S. Thompson	Liberal		5 Aug	1981
J. Cain	Labor		8 Apr	1982

PREMIERS OF QUEENSLAND

Since responsible government.

PREMIER	PARTY	APPOINTED	
R. G. W. Herbert		10 Dec	1859
A. Macalister		1 Feb	1866
R. G. W. Herbert		20 July	1866
A. Macalister		7 Aug	1866
R. R. Mackenzie		15 Aug	1867
C. Lilley		25 Nov	1868
A. H. Palmer		3 May	1870
A. Macalister		8 Jan	1874
G. Thorn		5 June	1876
J. Douglas		8 Mar	1877
T. McIlwraith		21 Jan	1879
S. W. Griffith		13 Nov	1883
(Sir) T. McIlwraith		13 June	1888
B. D. Morehead		30 Nov	1888
(Sir) S. W. Griffith		12 Aug	1890
(Sir) T. McIlwraith		27 Mar	1893
H. M. Nelson		27 Oct	1893
T. J. Byrnes		13 Apr	1898
J. R. Dickson		1 Oct	1898
A. Dawson		1 Dec	1899
R. Philp		7 Dec	1899
A. Morgan		17 Sept	1903
W. Kidston		19 Jan	1906
R. Philp		19 Nov	1907
W. Kidston		18 Feb	1908

## PREMIERS OF QUEENSLAND continued

D. F. Denham	Liberal	7 Feb	1911
T. J. Ryan	Labor	1 June	1915
E. G. Theodore	Labor	22 Oct	1919
W. N. Gillies	Labor	26 Feb	1925
W. McCormack	Labor	22 Oct	1925
A. E. Moore	Labor	21 May	1929
W. Forgan Smith	Labor	17 June	1932
F. A. Cooper	Labor	16 Sept	1942
E. M. Hanlon	Labor	7 Mar	1946
V. C. Gair	Labor	17 Jan	1952
G. F. R. Nicklin	Country-Liberal	12 Aug	1957
J. C. A. Pizzey	Country-Liberal	17 Jan	1968
G. W. W. Chalk	Country-Liberal	1 Aug	1968
J. Bjelke-Petersen	Country-Liberal	8 Aug	1968

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Since responsible government.

PREMIER	PARTY	APPOINTED
B. T. Finniss		24 Oct 1856
J. Baker		21 Aug 1857
R. R. Torrens		1 Sept 1857
R. D. Hanson		30 Sept 1857
T. Reynolds		9 May 1860
G. M. Waterhouse		8 Oct 1861
F. S. Dutton		4 July 1863
H. Ayers		15 July 1863
A. Blyth		4 Aug 1864
F. S. Dutton		22 Mar 1865
H. Ayers		20 Sept 1865
J. Hart		23 Oct 1865
J. P. Boucaut		28 Mar 1866
H. Ayers		3 May 1867
J. Hart		24 Sept 1868
H. Ayers		13 Oct 1868
H. B. T. Strangways		3 Nov 1868
J. Hart		30 May 1870
A. Blyth		10 Nov 1871
(Sir) H. Ayers		22 Jan 1872
A. Blyth		22 July 1873
J. P. Boucaut		3 June 1875
J. Colton		6 June 1876
J. P. Boucaut		26 Oct 1877
W. Morgan		27 Sept 1878
J. C. Bray		24 June 1881
J. Colton		16 June 1884
J. W. Downer		16 June 1885
T. Playford		11 June 1887
J. A. Cockburn		27 June 1889
T. Playford		19 Aug 1890
F. W. Holder		21 June 1892
(Sir) J. W. Downer		15 Oct 1892
C. C. Kingston	Liberal	16 June 1893
V. L. Solomon	Conservative	1 Dec 1899
F. W. Holder	Liberal	8 Dec 1899
J. G. Jenkins	Liberal;	
	Liberal-	
	Conservative	15 May 1901
R. Butler	Conservative	1 Mar 1905

## PREMIERS OF SOUTH AUSTRALIA continued

T. Price	Labor-Liberal Coalition	26 July 1905
A. H. Peake	Liberal	5 June 1909
J. Verran	Labor	3 June 1910
A. H. Peake	Liberal	17 Feb 1912
C. Vaughan	Labor	3 Apr 1915
A. H. Peake	Liberal-National Co	14 Jul 1917
H. N. Barwell	Liberal	8 Apr 1920
J. Gunn	Labor	16 Apr 1924
L. L. Hill	Labor	28 Aug 1926
R. L. Butler	Liberal-Country Co	8 Apr 1927
L. L. Hill	Labor	17 Apr 1930
R. S. Richards	Labor	13 Feb 1933
R. L. Butler	Liberal Country League	18 Apr 1933
(Sir) T. Playford	Liberal Country League	5 Nov 1938
F. H. Walsh	Labor	10 Mar 1965
D. A. Dunstan	Labor	1 June 1867
R. S. Hall	Liberal-Country League	17 Apr 1968
D. A. Dunstan	Labor	2 June 1970
J. D. Corcoran	Labor	15 Feb 1979
D. O. Tonkin	Liberal	18 Sept 1979
J. C. Bannon	Labor	10 Nov 1982

## PREMIERS OF WESTERN AUSTRALIA

Since responsible government.

PREMIER	PARTY	APPOINTED
(Sir) J. Forrest		29 Dec 1890
G. Throssell		15 Feb 1901
G. Leake		27 May 1901
A. E. Morgans		21 Nov 1901
G. Leake		23 Dec 1901
(Sir) W. H. James		1 July 1902
H. Daglish	Labor	10 Aug 1904
(Sir) C. H. Rason	Liberal	25 Aug 1905
(Sir) N. J. Moore	Liberal	7 May 1906
F. Wilson	Liberal	16 Sept 1910
J. Scadden	Labor	7 Oct 1911
F. Wilson	Liberal	27 July 1916
(Sir) H. B. Lefroy	Liberal	28 June 1917
(Sir) H. P. Colebatch	Liberal	17 Apr 1919
(Sir) J. Mitchell	National and Country Party	17 May 1919
P. Collier	Labor	16 Apr 1924
(Sir) J. Mitchell	National and Country Party	24 Apr 1930
P. Collier	Labor	24 Apr 1933
J. C. Willcock	Labor	20 Aug 1936
F. J. S. Wise	Labor	31 July 1945
(Sir) D. R. McLarty	Liberal-Country League and Country Party	1 Apr 1947
A. R. G. Hawke	Party	23 Feb 1953
(Sir) D. Brand	Liberal-Country League and Country Party	2 Apr 1959

## PREMIERS OF WESTERN AUSTRALIA continued

J. T. Tonkin (Sir) C. W. M. Court	Labor Liberal-National Country Party	3 Mar 8 Apr	1971 1974
R. J. O'Connor	Liberal-National Country Party	25 Jan	1982
B. T. Burke	Labor	19 Feb	1983

## PREMIERS OF TASMANIA

Since responsible government.

PREMIER	PARTY	APPOINTED	
W. T. N. Champ		1 Nov	1856
T. G. Gregson		26 Feb	1857
W. P. Weston		25 Apr	1857
F. Smith		12 May	1857
W. P. Weston		1 Nov	1860
T. D. Chapman		2 Aug	1861
J. Whyte		20 Jan	1863
(Sir) R. Dry		24 Nov	1866
J. M. Wilson		4 Aug	1869
F. M. Innes		4 Nov	1872
A. Kennerley		4 Aug	1873
T. Reibey		20 July	1876
P. O. Fysh		9 Aug	1877
W. R. Giblin		5 Mar	1878
W. L. Crowther		20 Dec	1878
W. R. Giblin		30 Oct	1879
A. Douglas		15 Aug	1884
J. W. Agnew		8 Mar	1886
P. O. Fysh	Liberal	29 Mar	1887
H. Dobson	Conservative	17 Aug	1892
(Sir) E. Braddon	Liberal	14 Apr	1894
N. E. Lewis	Conservative	12 Oct	1899
W. B. Propsting	Liberal-Democrat	9 Apr	1903
J. W. Evans	Liberal	11 July	1904
(Sir) N. E. Lewis	Liberal Fusion	19 June	1909
J. Earle	Labor	20 Oct	1909
(Sir) N. E. Lewis	Liberal	27 Oct	1909
A. E. Solomon	Liberal	14 June	1912
J. Earle	Labor	6 Apr	1914
(Sir) W. Lee	Liberal; Nationalist	15 Apr	1916
J. B. Hayes	Nationalist-Country		
(Sir) W. Lee	Co	12 Aug	1922
J. A. Lyons	Nationalist	14 Aug	1923
J. C. McPhee	Labor	25 Oct	1923
(Sir) W. Lee	Nationalist	15 June	1928
A. G. Ogilvie	Nationalist	15 Mar	1934
E. Dwyer-Gray	Labor	22 June	1934
R. Cosgrove	Labor	11 Jun	1939
E. Brooker	Labor	18 Dec	1939
(Sir) R. Cosgrove	Labor	18 Dec	1947
E. E. Reece	Labor	25 Feb	1948
W. A. Bethune	Labor	26 Aug	1969
E. E. Reece	Liberal	26 May	1969
W. A. Neilson	Labor	3 May	1972
D. A. Lowe	Labor	31 Mar	1975
H. N. Holgate	Labor	1 Dec	1977
R. T. Gray	Liberal	11 Nov	1981
		26 May	1982

NORTHERN TERRITORY  
ADMINISTRATORS

Under South Australia

GOVERNMENT RESIDENT, ESCAPE CLIFFS	PERIOD OF OFFICE
B. T. Finniss	1864-88
J. T. Manton (acting)	1866-67

GOVERNMENT RESIDENT, PALMERSTON	PERIOD OF OFFICE
G. W. Goyder	1869-70
Dr. J. S. Millner (acting)	1870
Captain B. Douglas	1870-73
Dr. J. S. Millner (acting)	1873
G. B. Scott	1873-76
E. W. Price	1876-83
G. R. McMinn (acting)	1883-84
J. L. Parsons	1884-90
J. G. Knight	1890-92
C. J. Dashwood	1892-1905
C. E. Herbert	1905-10
S. J. Mitchell	1910

Under the Commonwealth

ADMINISTRATOR, DARWIN	PERIOD OF OFFICE
S. J. Mitchell (acting)	1911-12
J. A. Gilruth	1912-19
H. E. Carey (Director)	1919
M. S. C. Smith (acting)	1919-21
E. T. Leane (acting)	1921
F. C. Urquhart	1921-26
E. C. Playford (acting)	1926-27
R. H. Weddell (Govt Resident, North Australia)	1927-31
C. A. Cawood (Govt Resident, Central Australia)	1927-29
V. G. Carrington (Govt Resident, Central Australia)	1929-31
R. H. Weddell (Administrator, Northern Territory)	1931-37
C. L. A. Abbott	1937-46
L. H. A. Giles (acting)	1946
A. R. Driver	1946-51
F. J. S. Wise	1951-56
J. C. Archer	1956-61
R. B. Nott	1961-64
R. L. Dean	1964-70
F. C. Chaney	1970-73
T. A. O'Brien (acting)	1973
J. N. Nelson	1973-75
E. F. Dwyer (acting)	1975-76
J. A. England	1976-80
E. E. Johnston	1981

## CHIEF MINISTERS OF THE NORTHERN TERRITORY

Since self-government

CHIEF MINISTER	APPOINTED
P. Everingham	1978
I. Tuxworth	1984
S. Hatton	1986