

**SECTION ONE**  
**ALL MEMBERS OF THE NSW BAR**  
**ASSOCIATION**  
**(PRACTISING AND NON PRACTISING)**

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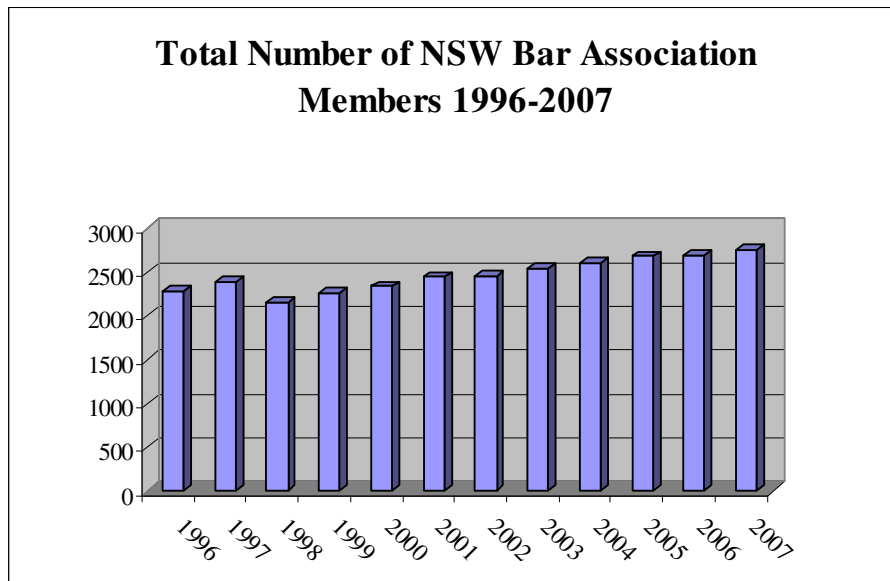
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# TOTAL NUMBER OF MEMBERS 1996-2007

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Year	Total	Annual % Change
1996	2290	
1997	2390	4.37%
1998	2161	-9.06%
1999	2265	4.81%
2000	2337	3.18%
2001	2443	4.53%
2002	2448	0.20%
2003	2537	3.60%
2004	2609	2.84%
2005	2680	2.72%
2006	2685	0.19%
2007	2764	2.94%



## MEMBERSHIP DISTRIBUTION BY GENDER

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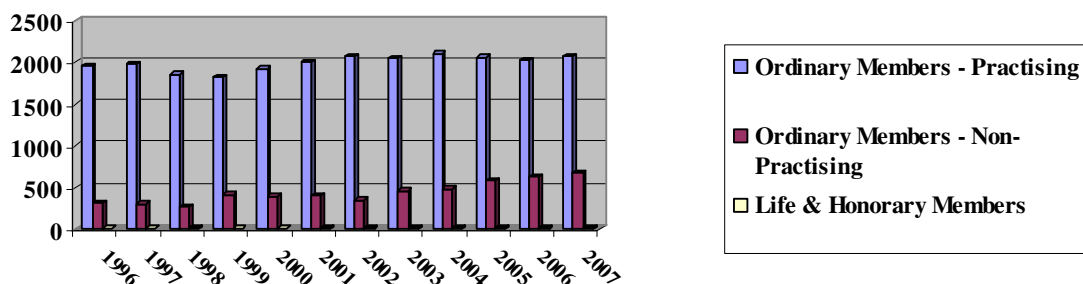
	2007	Percentage
Male	2288	83%
Female	476	17%
Total	2764	



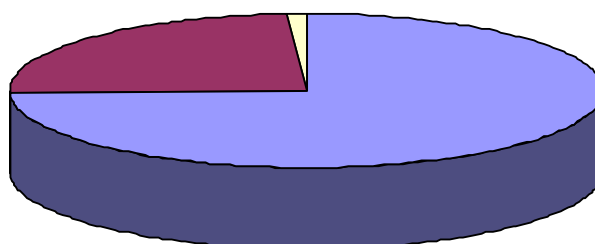
# MEMBERSHIP DISTRIBUTION BY CATEGORY 1996 - 2007

	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007
<b>Ordinary Members - Practising</b>	1951	1976	1854	1825	1919	1999	2066	2041	2099	2055	2020	2061
<b>Ordinary Members - Non-Practising</b>	320	313	282	420	397	416	353	466	486	595	634	672
<b>Life &amp; Honorary Members</b>	19	20	25	20	21	28	29	30	24	30	31	31
<b>Total Number of Members</b>	2290	2309	2161	2265	2337	2443	2448	2537	2609	2680	2685	2764

**Membership of the NSW Bar Association by Category  
1996-2007**



**Bar Association Membership by Category 2007**

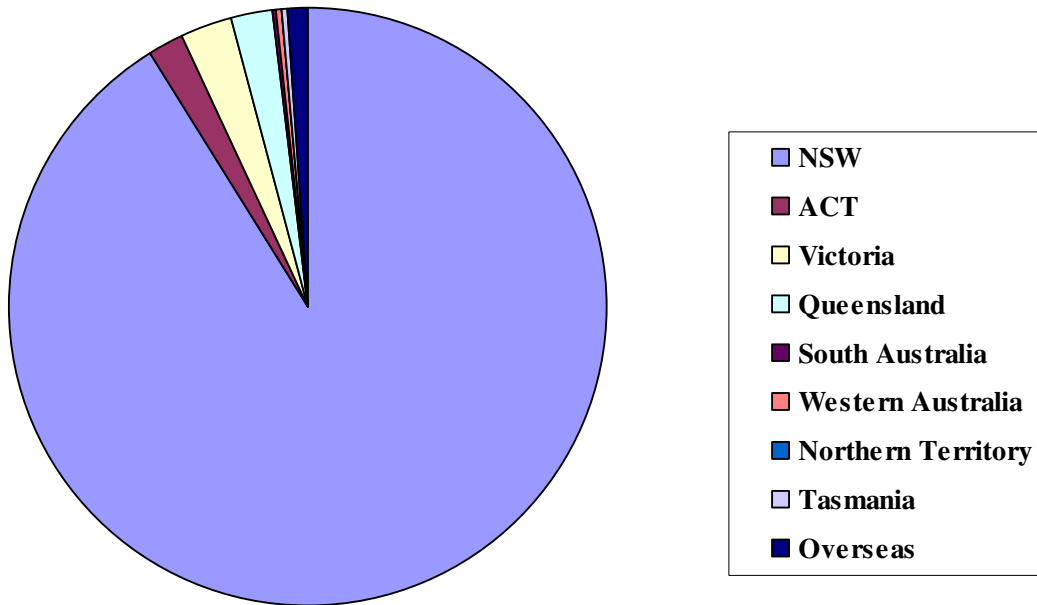


## GEOGRAPHICAL LOCATION OF MEMBERS

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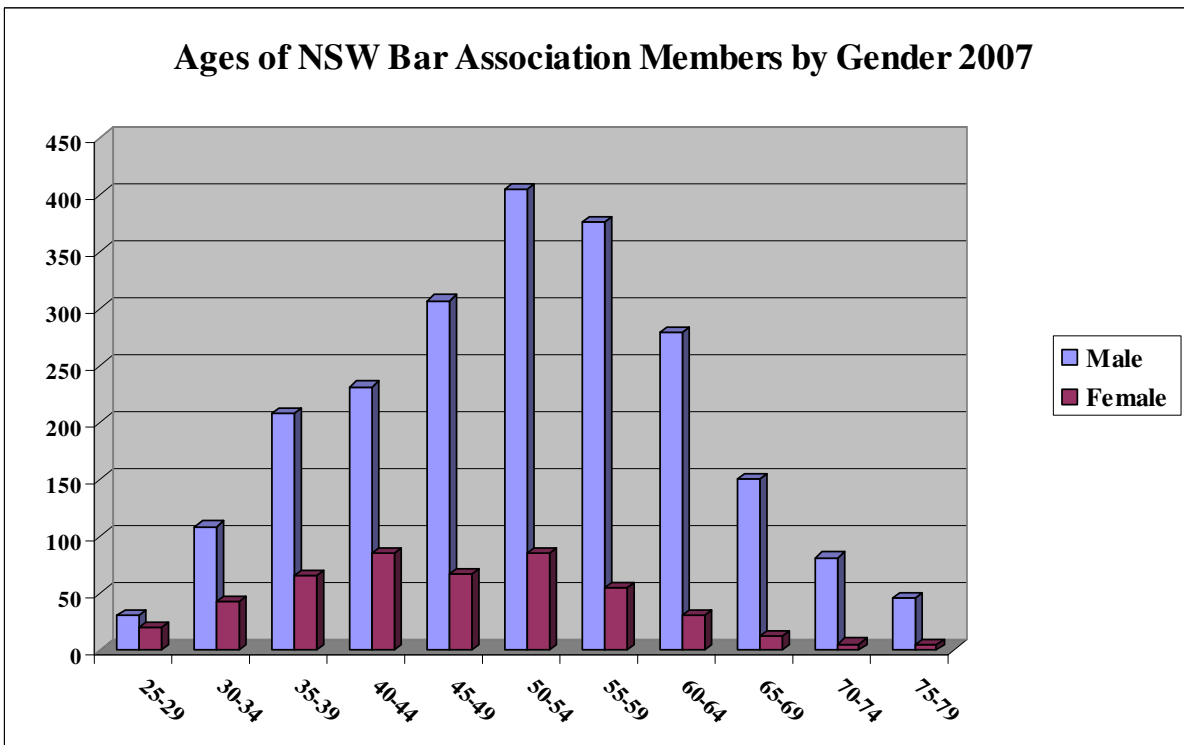
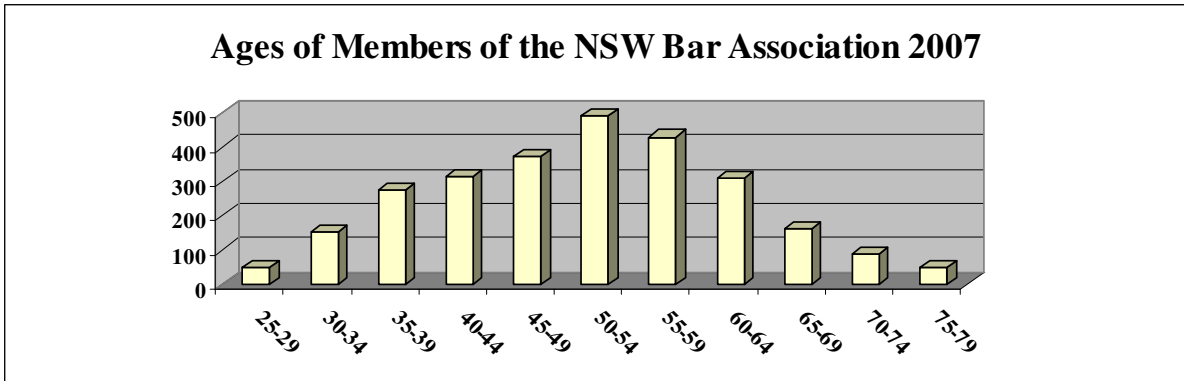
	2007 Male	2007 Female	Total	Percentage
NSW	2064	457	2521	91.21%
ACT	44	7	51	1.85%
Victoria	69	6	75	2.71%
Queensland	62	1	63	2.28%
South Australia	8	0	8	0.29%
Western Australia	9	1	10	0.36%
Northern Territory	0	0	0	0.00%
Tasmania	2	0	2	0.07%
Overseas	30	4	34	1.23%
<b>Total</b>	<b>2288</b>	<b>476</b>	<b>2764</b>	

**Location of NSW Bar Association  
Members 2007**



# AGES OF MEMBERS

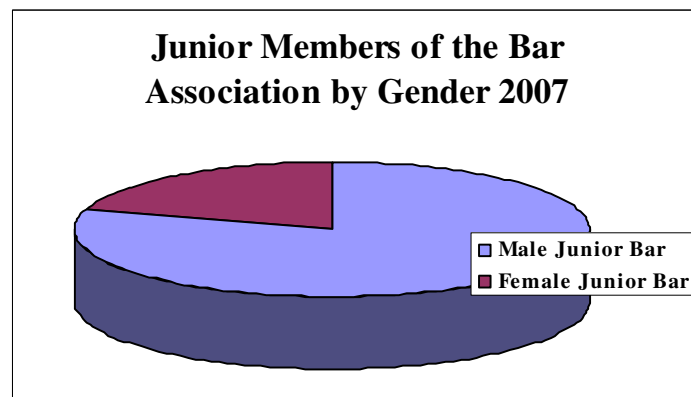
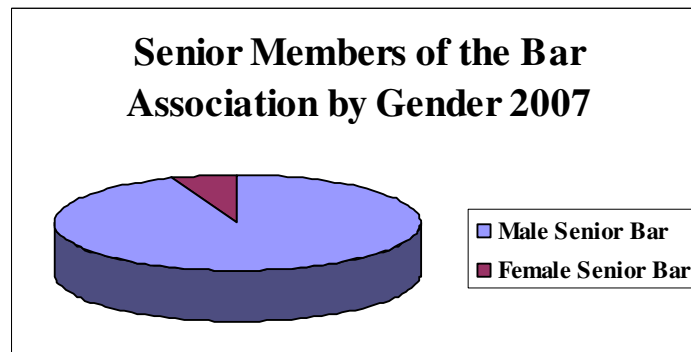
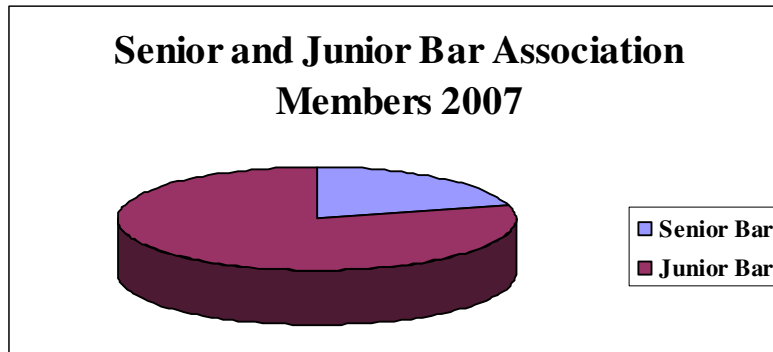
	20-25	25-29	30-34	35-39	40-44	45-49	50-54	55-59	60-64	65-69	70-74	75-79	80 Plus	Total
<b>Male</b>	0	30	108	208	231	307	405	376	279	150	81	45	42	2262
<b>Female</b>	2	20	42	65	85	66	85	54	30	12	5	4	2	472
<b>Total</b>	2	50	150	273	316	373	490	430	309	162	86	49	44	2734
<b>Percentage</b>	0.07%	1.83%	5.49%	9.99%	11.56%	13.64%	17.92%	15.73%	11.30%	5.93%	3.15%	1.79%	1.61%	



## SENIOR AND JUNIOR MEMBERS (INNER/OUTER BAR)

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	Total	Percentage
Male Senior Bar	536	19.39%
Female Senior Bar	33	1.19%
Male Junior Bar	1752	63.39%
Female Junior Bar	443	16.03%
<b>Total</b>	<b>2764</b>	



**NOTE:** Senior Counsel (QC and SC) are commonly called ‘silks’. SCs have been appointed since 1993 and replaced the appointment of Queen’s Counsel. The term ‘junior’ barrister means all barristers except those who have been appointed Senior Counsel (QC or SC). The term ‘junior barrister’ does not indicate the ability or number of years at the Bar; for example some ‘juniors’ have been practising for 30 years.



## E-MAIL ADDRESSES

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	No E-mail Address	E-mail Address	Total	% with E-mail
<b>Male</b>	88	2200	2288	96.15%
<b>Female</b>	10	466	476	97.90%
<b>Total</b>	98	2666	2764	

**E-Mail Addresses of NSW Bar Association Members  
2007**

