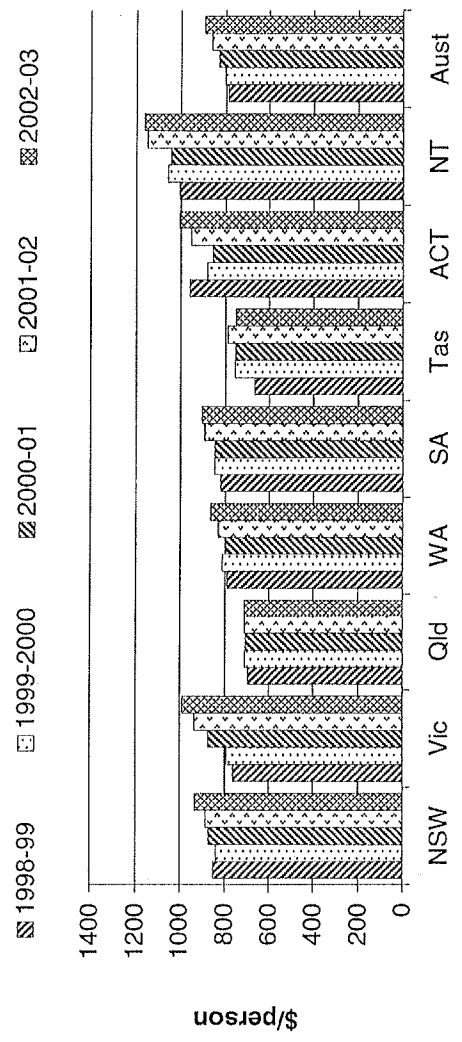


Figure 9.2 Real recurrent expenditure per person, public hospitals (including psychiatric) (2001-02 dollars)^{a, b, c}



^a Expenditure excludes depreciation and interest payments. ^b Data for 2002-03 for NSW are preliminary. NSW hospital expenditure recorded against special purposes and trust funds is excluded. NSW expenditure against primary and community care programs is included from 2000-01. ^c For 2001-02, Tasmanian data for two small hospitals are not supplied and data for one small hospital are incomplete. For 2000-01, data for six small Tasmanian hospitals are incomplete. For 2002-03, Tasmanian data for one small hospital were not supplied and data for five other small hospitals were incomplete.

Source: AIHW (2004a and various years); ABS (unpublished); tables 9A.2 and A.2.