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Have you searched the [Genealogy SA Online Database](#) lately? Our collection of records has grown substantially in the last year, with updates to:

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BDM Marriage Registrations

Our volunteers have added more than 37,000 new marriages, with two updates over the past year. This extends the coverage of marriage records up to 28 February 1949. The update also includes records from years that were previously omitted (1938, 1939, 1940), with more work ongoing to continue to fill gaps in the dataset.

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BDM Death Registrations

This update of 6600+ records includes the latest available Death Registration records from the SA BDM Registrar, covering the period 1 January 1993 to 8 February 1994. As well as having all Spouses listed in order, these are the first records to formally list the decedent's parents names. In addition, early death records from 1 June 1842 to 31 December 1844, previously only available in paper form, have been added.

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BISA Supplemental Dataset

The Biographical Index of South Australians (BISA) 1836-1885 is undoubtedly one of the key resources for historians to consult when researching those in South Australia prior to 1885. The original publications have been included in the online databases for some time. The supplementary dataset, just added, consists of more than 7000 records, updating information about some people listed in the original BISA, as well as adding new people who were not included in the original publication due to late submissions.

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School Admission Records

This update adds more than 36,000 records our School Admissions database; we now hold records from nearly 200 South Australian schools, during the years 1847 to 1996.

This dataset holds valuable information helping build a timeline of location, and also changes to the family's circumstances, at the various time points of admission. Most records contain the child's name and date of birth and usually the Parent or Guardian's name and their occupation. The Address/Town, previous school and next school may also be recorded. Most records contain the child's name and date of birth and usually the Parent or Guardian's name and their occupation. The Address/Town, previous school and next school may also be recorded.

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Hospital Admission Records

This update of 75,000+ records fills the gaps of missing Adelaide Hospital records from 1923 and early 1924. It also extends the coverage of the Adelaide Hospital/Royal Adelaide Hospital admission records from 1927 to 1934.

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Newspaper Deaths Notices

Extending our period of coverage to December 2020, this update contains 40,000+ records, adding to our extensive database of over 1.8 million Death, Funeral, Tributes and Condolences notices.

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Newspaper Deceased Estate and Public Trustees Notices

This update of 900+ records extends the Public Trustee and Non-Public Trustee Notices appearing in SA Newspapers to the period to December 2023.

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To learn more about searching our databases, read the [Hints & Tips](#) guide.

To learn more about each dataset (including information about the records, the source and the coverage periods) head to the [Online Database Search](#) and look for the link to the PDF data sheets in the right hand column.

Online Database Search Tips

These additions are not possible without the

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