

Activity 4: Acquiring and representing geographical information – Chinese cultural traditions in Australia

Collectively view and discuss the costumes, objects and music in **Source 3**: Chinese New Year Festival 2015 Highlights video by City of Sydney <https://youtu.be/yZ6OgU5fPXA>

Using Sources 2 to 9, students compare traditional Chinese costumes worn in the past and present. They represent the similarities and differences in a Venn diagram in Table 1.

Source 3: Chinese costumes, drawing, c.1880s



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Source 7: Chinese New Year Parade, Sydney, 2008, photographed by Brian Yap (cropped)



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Source 8: Chinese New Year Parade, Sydney, 2008, photographed by Brian Yap



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Source 9: Chinese New Year Parade, Sydney, 2008, photographed by Brian Yap



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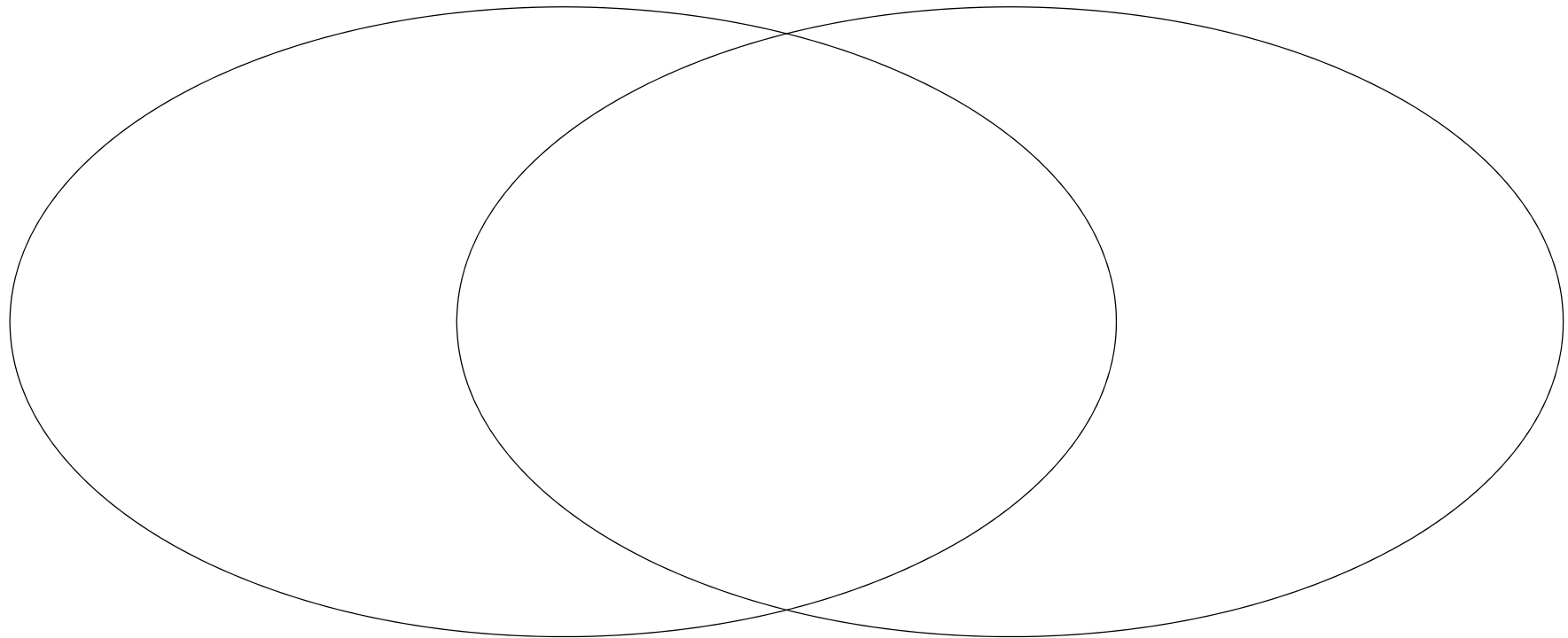
TABLE 1 – CHINESE TRADITIONAL COSTUMES PAST AND PRESENT

PAST

Chinese traditional costumes worn in the 1880s

PRESENT

Chinese traditional costumes worn in Chinese New Year Parade, Sydney



Analyse - What are some Chinese cultural traditions that occur in Australia? Why do people continue them?

