

# The People of Australia

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## About this Publication

*The People of Australia* is a major compilation of statistics on birthplace, language, religion and ancestry from the 2011 Census of Population and Housing. This publication has gone to considerable lengths to create a data source which is unique, accurate, detailed and comprehensive. Some of the features of this publication include:

- Age-gender profiles for the most common birthplace, language and ancestry groups in Australia show the diverse structure of our population.
- Detailed ancestry data by birthplace of parents, gives a clear picture of the extent of our migrant communities.
- English language competency by age, presenting the differing levels of competency amongst the various language and age groups.

## How to use this Publication

This publication presents data in four main areas: birthplace, language, religion and ancestry. Along with a table showing all categories in each area, further information such as age profiles, English language proficiency and birthplace of religious groups are presented. The series of tables and graphics presented include:

- A full listing of birthplace, language, religion and ancestry data from the 2011 Census with comparisons to 2006 where appropriate.
- Graphics on the residential patterns of the major birthplace groups.
- Special cross-tabulations of language with birthplace, religion with birthplace and ancestry with birthplace of parents which reveal richer information on the make-up of the ethnic and religious communities.
- Data on English language proficiency by age.
- Age-sex histograms on major birthplace, language and ancestry groups.

## Notes on the Data

The figures in this publication are based on data from the 2011, 2006 and 2001 Census of Population and Housing conducted by the Australian Bureau of Statistics (ABS), and are based on usual resident counts, i.e. counts of where people usually lived at the time of the Census.

### Introduced Random Error

Data released by the ABS is subject to randomisation of small cells to maintain confidentiality of respondents. The following selected text is taken from the ABS 2011 Census Dictionary (further details as to how and when the introduced random error is used can be found in the glossary of ABS 2011 Census Dictionary Cat 2901.0):

*Care is taken in the specification of tables to minimise the risk of identifying individuals. In addition, a technique has been developed to randomly adjust cell values. Random adjustment of the data is considered to be the most satisfactory technique for avoiding the release of identifiable Census data. When the technique is applied, all cells are slightly adjusted to prevent any identifiable data being exposed... No reliance should be placed on small cells as they are impacted by random adjustment, respondent and processing errors.*

(Source: ABS 2011 Census dictionary Cat 2901.0)

The effect of this randomisation is that there are small discrepancies in totals throughout the publication. For example, the total number of Australian born people in Australia in table 3 is 1 person less than the figure shown in table 5. This is because table 5 is derived from a different ABS source which cross tabulates birthplace by birthplace of parents, each cell of which is subject to different levels of introduced random error.

Due to this randomisation of small numbers, it would be misleading to present numbers with a value of less than 10 in these publications. Therefore such values are suppressed and presented in the tables as “..”. It should be noted however, that even though these small values are not presented in the table, their values do contribute to the totals presented for each table.

### **Birthplace Data**

In the 2011 Census the ABS coded the response to the birthplace question into 292 categories; these are based on the Standard Australian Classification of Countries (SACC) 2<sup>nd</sup> Edition, Revision 1. In the 2006 Census there were 285 categories.

The major differences between the 2011 and 2006 categories relate to new birthplaces categories being introduced or birthplaces used in 2006 being discontinued. As a result, 2011 data is reported for newly defined categories while 2006 data is not reported for discontinued categories. In order to maintain accurate totals, the data for discontinued 2006 categories is added to the *not elsewhere classified* category for 2006.

### **Language Data**

In the 2011 Census, the ABS coded the response to the language question into 501 language categories based on the Australian Standard Classification of Languages (ASCL) 2<sup>nd</sup> Edition, Revision 1. In the 2006 Census there were 430 language categories based on the ASCL 2<sup>nd</sup> Edition, while the 2001 Census used 240 language categories based on the ASCL 1<sup>st</sup> Edition.

The major difference between the 2<sup>nd</sup> Edition, Revision 1 and 2<sup>nd</sup> edition ASCL results from the disaggregation of languages. This has resulted in the 2011 census reporting newly defined languages categories as well as making some 2006 language categories incomparable with 2011 data due to some elements being reassigned to different categories. Amalgamation of 2006 language categories and language name changes also occur.

In cases where it is not possible to provide comparable 2006 data, an entry of “..” along with a footnote will be presented and the counts from these categories will be incorporated into a *not elsewhere classified* category for 2006.

A selection of classification changes are listed below:

- The 2006 categories of Hokkien and Teochew have been amalgamated into the 2011 category Min Nan
- The 2006 category of Assyrian has been disaggregated into the 2011 categories Assyrian Neo-Aramaic, Chaldean Neo-Aramaic and Mandaean (Mandaic)

### **Religion Data**

In the 2011 census there are 136 religion categories based on the Australian Standard Classification of Religious Groups (ASCRG) 2<sup>nd</sup> Edition, Revision 1. The 2006 also had 136 religion categories. The only difference in classification is the renaming of Latter Day Saints, nfd to Latter-day Saints, nfd.

### **Ancestry Data**

In the 2011 census there are 319 categories based on the Australian Standard Classification of Cultural and Ethnic Groups (ASCCEG) 2<sup>nd</sup> Edition, Revision 1. The 2006 census used 275 categories.

The major differences between the 2<sup>nd</sup> Edition, Revision 1 and 2<sup>nd</sup> Edition ACCEG are due to the disaggregation of ancestries to produce increased classification detail.

Many categories have retained the same name between 2006 and 2011 but still have changes in their underlying census classification. A footnote is included for cases in which a category should not be compared to a 2006 value due to some elements having been reassigned to new or existing categories.

In cases where it is not possible to provide comparable 2006 data, an entry of “..” along with a footnote will be presented and the counts from these categories will be incorporated into a *not elsewhere classified* category for 2006.

For both the 2006 and 2011 census, respondents were asked to mark the ancestries that they most closely identified with and to consider their ancestry back as far as three generations. Respondents had the option of reporting more than one ancestry but only the first two ancestries reported were coded for the census. Respondents did not have the option of ranking their answers to the ancestry question, so where a respondent reports two ancestries, those two ancestries have equal standing.

All ancestry data presented in the publication is based on a count of all responses (which can be up to two per person), meaning that double counting can occur. Where appropriate, the proportion of responses as well as the proportion of all persons in an area is presented along with the counts.

# Abbreviations and Acronyms

<b>ABS</b>	Australian Bureau of Statistics
<b>ASCCEG</b>	Australian Standard Classification of Cultural and Ethnic Groups
<b>ASCL</b>	Australian Standard Classification of Languages
<b>ASCRG</b>	Australian Standard Classification of Religious Groups
<b>LGA</b>	Local Government Area
<b>LOTE</b>	Language Other than English
<b>MESC</b>	Main English Speaking Countries
<b>nec</b>	Not elsewhere classified
<b>nfd</b>	Not further defined
<b>NMESC</b>	Non-Main English Speaking Countries
<b>OSB</b>	Overseas born
<b>SACC</b>	Standard Australian Classification of Countries
<b>SAR</b>	Special Administrative Region
<b>SD</b>	Statistical Division
<b>SSD</b>	Statistical Sub-Division



**Table 1****Australia****2001, 2006 and 2011 Census**

Key Facts	Australia		
	2001	2006	2011
<b>Population</b>	18,769,271	19,855,287	21,507,719
<b>Overseas Born (OSB)</b>			
Total	4,105,670	4,416,020	5,290,436
As a % of population	21.9	22.2	24.6
Born in a non-main English speaking country (NMESC)	2,503,018	2,740,667	3,377,070
Born in a NMESC as a % of population	13.3	13.8	15.7
Born in a NMESC as a % of OSB	61.0	62.1	63.8
<b>Australian Born</b>			
Total	13,629,481	14,072,958	15,021,553
As a % of population	72.6	70.9	69.8
with both parents born overseas	1,503,689	1,586,394	1,807,091
with both parents OSB as a % of population	8.0	8.0	8.4
with only one parent born overseas	1,973,500	2,056,639	2,265,288
with one parent OSB as a % of population	10.5	10.4	10.5
<b>Aboriginal / Torres Strait Islanders</b>			
Total	410,003	455,028	548,368
As a % of population	2.2	2.3	2.5
<b>Language other than English (LOTE) Speakers</b>			
Speak a language other than English at home	2,853,829	3,146,191	3,912,936
LOTE speakers as a % of population	15.2	15.8	18.2
<b>English Proficiency</b>			
Speak English not well or not at all	531,835	561,420	655,379
Poor English speakers as % of population	2.8	2.8	3.0

Note: The total population includes persons for whom a birthplace is not stated. Percentage calculations are based on the total population.

1. NMESC excludes people born in Canada, Ireland, New Zealand, South Africa, United Kingdom and United States of America
2. Includes people who had one parent born overseas and one parent with a not stated birthplace

**Table 2**

**All States and Territories Compared**

**2011 Census**

Key Facts	New South Wales						Australian Capital Territory			
	Australia	Wales	Victoria	Queensland	South Australia	Western Australia	Tasmania	Northern Territory	Capital Territory	
<b>Population</b>	21,507,719	6,917,655	5,354,039	4,332,738	1,596,571	2,239,172	495,352	211,943	357,219	
<b>Overseas Born (OSB)</b>										
Total	5,290,436	1,778,544	1,405,332	888,636	353,004	684,510	57,652	35,174	86,324	
As a % of population	24.6	25.7	26.2	20.5	22.1	30.6	11.6	16.6	24.2	
Born in a non-main English speaking country (NMEESC)	3,377,070	1,288,847	1,048,073	410,349	202,003	319,725	25,054	22,008	59,856	
Born in a NMEESC as a % of population	15.7	18.6	19.6	9.5	12.7	14.3	5.1	10.4	16.8	
Born in a NMEESC as a % of OSB	63.8	72.5	74.6	46.2	57.2	46.7	43.5	62.6	69.3	
Born in mainly English speaking country (MESC)	1,913,366	489,697	357,259	478,287	151,001	364,785	32,598	13,166	26,468	
Born in a MESC as a % of population	8.9	7.1	6.7	11.0	9.5	16.3	6.6	6.2	7.4	
Born in a MESC as a % of OSB	36.2	27.5	25.4	53.8	42.8	53.3	56.5	37.4	30.7	
<b>Australian Born</b>										
Total	15,021,553	4,747,374	3,670,935	3,192,114	1,170,790	1,411,516	414,261	158,034	255,053	
As a % of population	69.8	68.6	68.6	73.7	73.3	63.0	83.6	74.6	71.4	
with both parents born overseas	1,807,091	653,631	549,581	224,800	126,966	197,348	15,349	10,291	28,921	
with both parents OSB as a % of population	8.4	9.4	10.3	5.2	8.0	8.8	3.1	4.9	8.1	
with only one parent born overseas	2,265,288	689,322	548,209	457,636	174,997	289,279	42,053	18,633	44,896	
with one parent OSB as a % of population	10.5	10.0	10.2	10.6	11.0	12.9	8.5	8.8	12.6	
<b>Aboriginal / Torres Strait Islanders</b>										
Total	548,368	172,624	37,990	155,824	30,431	69,665	19,625	56,778	5,185	
As a % of population	2.5	2.5	0.7	3.6	1.9	3.1	4.0	26.8	1.5	
<b>Language other than English (LOTE) Speakers</b>										
Speak a language other than english at home	3,912,936	1,554,332	1,235,436	423,840	229,551	325,055	22,149	56,680	64,669	
LOTE speakers as a % of population	18.2	22.5	23.1	9.8	14.4	14.5	4.5	26.7	18.1	
<b>English Proficiency</b>										
Speak English not well or not at all	655,379	271,683	212,632	62,411	39,929	46,840	3,241	10,396	7,825	
Poor English speakers as % of population	3.0	3.9	4.0	1.4	2.5	2.1	0.7	4.9	2.2	

Note: The total population includes persons for whom a birthplace is not stated. Percentage calculations are based on the total population

1. NMEESC excludes people born in Canada, Ireland, New Zealand, South Africa, United Kingdom and United States of America

2. Includes people who had one parent born overseas and one parent with a not stated birthplace

**Table 3****Birthplaces****Australia: 2011 and 2006 Census**

Rank	Birthplace	2011 Census	% of Population	2006 Census	Change 2006-2011	% change 2006-2011
39	Afghanistan	28,598	0.1	16,752	11,846	70.7
223	Aland Islands <sup>1</sup>	33	0.0	..	..	..
111	Albania	2,398	0.0	2,016	382	18.9
125	Algeria	1,171	0.0	1,004	167	16.6
245	Americas, nfd	14	0.0	..	..	..
160	Angola	440	0.0	396	44	11.1
240	Antarctica, nfd	17	0.0	12	5	41.7
224	Antigua and Barbuda	33	0.0	27	6	22.2
64	Argentina	11,986	0.1	11,368	618	5.4
131	Armenia	1,042	0.0	973	69	7.1
215	Aruba	49	0.0	38	11	28.9
1	Australia	15,021,553	69.8	14,072,958	948,595	6.7
57	Austria	17,010	0.1	17,927	-917	-5.1
165	Azerbaijan	389	0.0	215	174	80.9
176	Bahamas	241	0.0	207	34	16.4
121	Bahrain	1,247	0.0	962	285	29.6
41	Bangladesh	27,809	0.1	16,096	11,713	72.8
169	Barbados	359	0.0	343	16	4.7
118	Belarus	1,604	0.0	1,244	360	28.9
83	Belgium	5,762	0.0	5,060	702	13.9
210	Belize	60	0.0	60	0	0.0
206	Benin	78	0.0	18	60	333.3
158	Bermuda	446	0.0	387	59	15.2
110	Bhutan	2,455	0.0	139	2,316	1,666.2
138	Bolivia, Plurinational State of <sup>2</sup>	770	0.0	693	77	11.1
43	Bosnia and Herzegovina	25,683	0.1	24,633	1,050	4.3
134	Botswana	969	0.0	864	105	12.2
59	Brazil	14,510	0.1	7,492	7,018	93.7
106	Brunei Darussalam	2,626	0.0	2,392	234	9.8
100	Bulgaria	2,915	0.0	2,677	238	8.9
220	Burkina Faso	39	0.0	25	14	56.0
117	Burundi	1,730	0.0	755	975	129.1
40	Cambodia	28,330	0.1	24,529	3,801	15.5
174	Cameroon	277	0.0	125	152	121.6
30	Canada	38,871	0.2	31,614	7,257	23.0
235	Cape Verde	23	0.0	22	1	4.5
177	Caribbean, nfd	239	0.0	207	32	15.5
205	Cayman Islands	79	0.0	24	55	229.2
241	Central African Republic	17	0.0	..	..	..
225	Central America, nfd	32	0.0	18	14	77.8
190	Central and West Africa, nfd	130	0.0	200	-70	-35.0
226	Central Asia, nfd	32	0.0	115	-83	-72.2
211	Chad	56	0.0	27	29	107.4
45	Chile	24,936	0.1	23,305	1,631	7.0
4	China (excludes SARs and Taiwan) <sup>3</sup>	318,969	1.5	206,588	112,381	54.4
66	Colombia	11,318	0.1	5,709	5,609	98.2
242	Comoros	17	0.0	12	5	41.7
108	Congo, Democratic Republic of	2,575	0.0	618	1,957	316.7

**Table 3 (continued)**

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Australia: 2011 and 2006 Census

Rank	Birthplace	2011 Census	% of Population	2006 Census	Change 2006-2011	% change 2006-2011
133	Congo, Republic of <sup>4</sup>	982	0.0	521	461	88.5
82	Cook Islands	6,092	0.0	5,028	1,064	21.2
166	Costa Rica	388	0.0	314	74	23.6
159	Cote d'Ivoire <sup>5</sup>	445	0.0	255	190	74.5
23	Croatia	48,828	0.2	50,997	-2,169	-4.3
146	Cuba	636	0.0	494	142	28.7
198	Curacao <sup>1</sup>	95	0.0	..	..	..
56	Cyprus	18,070	0.1	18,383	-313	-1.7
80	Czech Republic	7,437	0.0	7,180	257	3.6
74	Denmark	9,025	0.0	8,967	58	0.6
189	Djibouti	135	0.0	97	38	39.2
231	Dominica	26	0.0	18	8	44.4
192	Dominican Republic	121	0.0	80	41	51.3
87	Eastern Europe, nfd	4,768	0.0	5,627	-859	-15.3
116	Ecuador	1,736	0.0	1,513	223	14.7
31	Egypt	36,533	0.2	33,495	3,038	9.1
69	El Salvador	9,652	0.0	9,397	255	2.7
2	England	911,592	4.2	856,940	54,652	6.4
248	Equatorial Guinea	13	0.0	10	3	30.0
101	Eritrea	2,841	0.0	2,015	826	41.0
114	Estonia	1,928	0.0	1,935	-7	-0.4
75	Ethiopia	8,452	0.0	5,634	2,818	50.0
195	Falkland Islands	110	0.0	101	9	8.9
222	Faroe Islands <sup>6</sup>	37	0.0	24	13	54.2
22	Fiji	56,979	0.3	48,142	8,837	18.4
79	Finland	7,938	0.0	7,948	-10	-0.1
29	Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia (FYROM)	40,221	0.2	40,657	-436	-1.1
46	France	24,674	0.1	19,186	5,488	28.6
163	French Polynesia	398	0.0	340	58	17.1
236	Gabon	23	0.0	25	-2	-8.0
202	Gambia	93	0.0	129	-36	-27.9
102	Gaza Strip and West Bank	2,696	0.0	2,635	61	2.3
161	Georgia	428	0.0	337	91	27.0
12	Germany	108,003	0.5	106,524	1,479	1.4
93	Ghana	3,866	0.0	2,769	1,097	39.6
162	Gibraltar	421	0.0	382	39	10.2
13	Greece	99,938	0.5	109,991	-10,053	-9.1
229	Greenland	31	0.0	38	-7	-18.4
199	Grenada	95	0.0	110	-15	-13.6
239	Guadeloupe	19	0.0	10	9	90.0
204	Guam	83	0.0	77	6	7.8
167	Guatemala	375	0.0	308	67	21.8
150	Guernsey <sup>1</sup>	604	0.0	..	..	..
144	Guinea	649	0.0	335	314	93.7
246	Guinea-Bissau	14	0.0	..	..	..
152	Guyana	525	0.0	498	27	5.4
203	Haiti	91	0.0	81	10	12.3

**Table 3 (continued)**

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Australia: 2011 and 2006 Census

Rank	Birthplace	2011 Census	% of Population	2006 Census	Change 2006-2011	% change 2006-2011
181	Honduras	210	0.0	198	12	6.1
18	Hong Kong (SAR of China)	74,955	0.3	71,800	3,155	4.4
54	Hungary	19,092	0.1	20,162	-1,070	-5.3
148	Iceland	615	0.0	504	111	22.0
5	India	295,363	1.4	147,105	148,258	100.8
21	Indonesia	63,159	0.3	50,975	12,184	23.9
33	Iran	34,454	0.2	22,548	11,906	52.8
26	Iraq	48,171	0.2	32,519	15,652	48.1
20	Ireland	67,318	0.3	50,255	17,063	34.0
139	Isle of Man	755	0.0	689	66	9.6
71	Israel	9,229	0.0	7,788	1,441	18.5
6	Italy	185,401	0.9	199,124	-13,723	-6.9
136	Jamaica	943	0.0	787	156	19.8
32	Japan	35,377	0.2	30,779	4,598	14.9
129	Jersey <sup>1</sup>	1,056	0.0	..	..	..
89	Jordan	4,620	0.0	3,719	901	24.2
127	Kazakhstan	1,106	0.0	651	455	69.9
62	Kenya	13,832	0.1	9,935	3,897	39.2
155	Kiribati	499	0.0	396	103	26.0
208	Korea, Democratic People's Republic of (North)	69	0.0	56	13	23.2
19	Korea, Republic of (South)	74,538	0.3	52,762	21,776	41.3
130	Kosovo <sup>1</sup>	1,050	0.0	..	..	..
91	Kuwait	4,061	0.0	2,877	1,184	41.2
171	Kyrgyzstan <sup>7</sup>	326	0.0	206	120	58.3
68	Laos	9,932	0.0	9,376	556	5.9
88	Latvia	4,675	0.0	5,610	-935	-16.7
16	Lebanon	76,451	0.4	74,849	1,602	2.1
197	Lesotho	100	0.0	79	21	26.6
104	Liberia	2,673	0.0	1,523	1,150	75.5
109	Libya	2,557	0.0	1,517	1,040	68.6
234	Liechtenstein	24	0.0	..	..	..
105	Lithuania	2,639	0.0	3,071	-432	-14.1
182	Luxembourg	203	0.0	167	36	21.6
113	Macau (SAR of China)	2,268	0.0	2,015	253	12.6
180	Madagascar	223	0.0	189	34	18.0
213	Mainland South-East Asia, nfd	52	0.0	36	16	44.4
135	Malawi	960	0.0	686	274	39.9
11	Malaysia	116,196	0.5	92,334	23,862	25.8
168	Maldives	372	0.0	273	99	36.3
214	Mali	51	0.0	47	4	8.5
28	Malta	41,274	0.2	43,701	-2,427	-5.6
184	Maritime South-East Asia, nfd	180	0.0	194	-14	-7.2
227	Marshall Islands	32	0.0	32	0	0.0
217	Martinique	41	0.0	23	18	78.3
221	Mauritania	39	0.0	16	23	143.8
48	Mauritius	23,280	0.1	18,173	5,107	28.1
98	Mexico	3,255	0.0	1,802	1,453	80.6

**Table 3 (continued)**

## Birthplaces

Australia: 2011 and 2006 Census

Rank	Birthplace	2011 Census	% of Population	2006 Census	Change 2006-2011	% change 2006-2011
243	Micronesia, Federated States of	17	0.0	12	5	41.7
228	Micronesia, nfd	32	0.0	24	8	33.3
147	Middle East, nfd	634	0.0	109	525	481.7
137	Moldova	898	0.0	637	261	41.0
212	Monaco	55	0.0	50	5	10.0
143	Mongolia	668	0.0	242	426	176.0
123	Montenegro	1,179	0.0	846	333	39.4
119	Morocco	1,564	0.0	1,294	270	20.9
140	Mozambique	752	0.0	633	119	18.8
50	Myanmar	21,760	0.1	12,377	9,383	75.8
132	Namibia	1,019	0.0	702	317	45.2
154	Nauru	515	0.0	487	28	5.7
47	Nepal	24,635	0.1	4,567	20,068	439.4
17	Netherlands	76,047	0.4	78,923	-2,876	-3.6
122	New Caledonia	1,220	0.0	1,103	117	10.6
3	New Zealand	483,396	2.2	389,464	93,932	24.1
141	Nicaragua	716	0.0	668	48	7.2
232	Niger	26	0.0	11	15	136.4
90	Nigeria	4,519	0.0	2,501	2,018	80.7
142	Niue	704	0.0	576	128	22.2
178	Norfolk Island	236	0.0	202	34	16.8
191	North Africa and the Middle East, nfd	127	0.0	52	75	144.2
188	North Africa, nfd	141	0.0	33	108	327.3
201	Northern America, nfd	94	0.0	108	-14	-13.0
238	Northern Europe, nfd	21	0.0	49	-28	-57.1
49	Northern Ireland	22,596	0.1	21,295	1,301	6.1
249	Northern Mariana Islands	13	0.0	..	..	..
94	Norway	3,710	0.0	3,629	81	2.2
179	Oceania and Antarctica, nfd	234	0.0	393	-159	-40.5
128	Oman	1,096	0.0	826	270	32.7
36	Pakistan	30,221	0.1	16,993	13,228	77.8
237	Palau	22	0.0	13	9	69.2
183	Panama	197	0.0	180	17	9.4
42	Papua New Guinea	26,787	0.1	24,022	2,765	11.5
164	Paraguay	395	0.0	337	58	17.2
76	Peru	8,440	0.0	6,322	2,118	33.5
8	Philippines	171,233	0.8	120,540	50,693	42.1
24	Poland	48,678	0.2	52,254	-3,576	-6.8
58	Portugal	15,327	0.1	15,194	133	0.9
194	Puerto Rico	118	0.0	80	38	47.5
149	Qatar	607	0.0	427	180	42.2
186	Reunion <sup>8</sup>	174	0.0	127	47	37.0
60	Romania	14,051	0.1	13,879	172	1.2
55	Russian Federation	18,278	0.1	15,355	2,923	19.0
145	Rwanda	640	0.0	202	438	216.8
53	Samoa	19,093	0.1	15,242	3,851	25.3
175	Samoa, American	256	0.0	196	60	30.6

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## Birthplaces

Australia: 2011 and 2006 Census

Rank	Birthplace	2011 Census	% of Population	2006 Census	Change 2006-2011	% change 2006-2011
252	Sao Tome and Principe <sup>9</sup>	11	0.0	..	..	..
67	Saudi Arabia	10,517	0.0	3,481	7,036	202.1
10	Scotland	133,432	0.6	130,205	3,227	2.5
170	Senegal	337	0.0	198	139	70.2
51	Serbia	20,267	0.1	17,329	2,938	17.0
107	Seychelles	2,592	0.0	2,508	84	3.3
99	Sierra Leone	3,044	0.0	1,810	1,234	68.2
25	Singapore	48,646	0.2	39,972	8,674	21.7
92	Slovakia	3,939	0.0	3,323	616	18.5
81	Slovenia	6,099	0.0	6,221	-122	-2.0
115	Solomon Islands	1,758	0.0	1,497	261	17.4
84	Somalia	5,687	0.0	4,314	1,373	31.8
9	South Africa	145,683	0.7	104,133	41,550	39.9
185	South America, nfd	180	0.0	..	..	..
44	South Eastern Europe, nfd	25,070	0.1	33,357	-8,287	-24.8
95	South Sudan <sup>1</sup>	3,486	0.0	..	..	..
233	South-East Asia, nfd	26	0.0	159	-133	-83.6
209	Southern and Central Asia, nfd	68	0.0	..	..	..
244	Southern and East Africa, nec	15	0.0	10	5	50.0
156	Southern and East Africa, nfd	490	0.0	598	-108	-18.1
187	Southern Asia, nfd	142	0.0	55	87	158.2
63	Spain	13,057	0.1	12,277	780	6.4
14	Sri Lanka	86,413	0.4	62,257	24,156	38.8
216	St Helena	42	0.0	36	6	16.7
230	St Kitts and Nevis	30	0.0	23	7	30.4
218	St Lucia	41	0.0	25	16	64.0
219	St Vincent and the Grenadines	41	0.0	37	4	10.8
52	Sudan	19,369	0.1	19,050	319	1.7
196	Suriname	109	0.0	86	23	26.7
172	Swaziland	300	0.0	233	67	28.8
78	Sweden	8,354	0.0	7,499	855	11.4
65	Switzerland	11,943	0.1	11,262	681	6.0
77	Syria	8,392	0.0	6,969	1,423	20.4
38	Taiwan	28,628	0.1	24,370	4,258	17.5
200	Tajikistan	95	0.0	46	49	106.5
96	Tanzania	3,437	0.0	2,300	1,137	49.4
27	Thailand	45,466	0.2	30,554	14,912	48.8
72	Timor-Leste <sup>10</sup>	9,225	0.0	9,317	-92	-1.0
173	Togo	279	0.0	34	245	720.6
153	Tokelau	524	0.0	355	169	47.6
73	Tonga	9,208	0.0	7,581	1,627	21.5
120	Trinidad and Tobago	1,406	0.0	1,263	143	11.3
157	Tunisia	481	0.0	444	37	8.3
34	Turkey	32,845	0.2	30,490	2,355	7.7
207	Turkmenistan	74	0.0	46	28	60.9
193	Tuvalu	120	0.0	117	3	2.6
103	Uganda	2,675	0.0	1,713	962	56.2
61	Ukraine	13,990	0.1	13,666	324	2.4

**Table 3 (continued)****Birthplaces****Australia: 2011 and 2006 Census**

Rank	Birthplace	2011 Census	% of Population	2006 Census	Change 2006-2011	% change 2006-2011
86	United Arab Emirates	4,899	0.0	2,975	1,924	64.7
112	United Kingdom, Channel Islands and Isle of Man, nfd	2,372	0.0	..	..	..
15	United States of America	77,010	0.4	61,721	15,289	24.8
70	Uruguay	9,237	0.0	9,380	-143	-1.5
124	Uzbekistan	1,175	0.0	697	478	68.6
126	Vanuatu	1,108	0.0	987	121	12.3
97	Venezuela, Bolivarian Republic of <sup>11</sup>	3,403	0.0	1,540	1,863	121.0
7	Vietnam <sup>12</sup>	185,039	0.9	159,850	25,189	15.8
250	Virgin Islands, British	13	0.0	..	..	..
251	Virgin Islands, United States	12	0.0	12	0	0.0
37	Wales	28,675	0.1	25,314	3,361	13.3
247	Wallis and Futuna	14	0.0	16	-2	-12.5
151	Yemen	531	0.0	450	81	18.0
85	Zambia	5,538	0.0	4,079	1,459	35.8
35	Zimbabwe	30,252	0.1	20,154	10,098	50.1
	Inadequately described	9,642	0.0	10,483	-841	-8.0
	At sea	118	0.0	118	0	0.0
	Not elsewhere classified <sup>13</sup>	58	0.0	4,811	-4,753	-98.8
	Not stated	1,195,730	5.6	1,366,309	-170,579	-12.5
	<b>Total Population</b>	<b>21,507,719</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>19,855,287</b>	<b>1,652,432</b>	<b>8.3</b>

1. Newly defined countries in 2011 census
2. Reported as Bolivia in 2006
3. Reported as China (excludes SARs and Taiwan Province) in 2006
4. Reported as Congo in 2006
5. Reported as Côte d'Ivoire in 2006
6. Reported as Faeroe Islands in 2006
7. Reported as Kyrgyz Republic in 2006
8. Reported as Réunion in 2006
9. Reported as Sao Tomé and Príncipe in 2006
10. Reported as East Timor in 2006
11. Reported as Venezuela in 2006
12. Reported as Viet Nam in 2006
13. Countries reported in 2006 which have no 2011 definition are incorporated into an overall NEC category



**Table 4****Birthplace by birthplace of parents****Australia: 2011 Census**

Rank	Birthplace	Both parents Australian born	Both parents overseas born	One parent OS born/ one parent Aust born	One parent OS born/ one parent not stated	Other <sup>1</sup>	Total	% both parents Australian born
39	Afghanistan	41	26,194	64	369	1,928	28,596	0.1
224	Aland Islands	..	30	..	..	..	33	..
111	Albania	..	2,286	..	42	60	2,395	..
124	Algeria	..	1,127	..	13	24	1,171	..
244	Americas, nfd	..	13	..	..	..	13	..
160	Angola	..	427	..	..	..	443	..
240	Antarctica, nfd	..	..	..	..	..	18	..
227	Antigua and Barbuda	..	28	..	..	..	32	..
64	Argentina	25	11,624	130	109	101	11,989	0.2
131	Armenia	..	1,018	..	..	15	1,041	..
215	Aruba	..	46	..	..	..	46	..
1	Australia	10,590,661	1,807,091	2,236,554	28,734	358,516	15,021,556	70.5
57	Austria	63	16,289	343	121	194	17,010	0.4
165	Azerbaijan	..	383	..	..	..	388	..
176	Bahamas	11	203	23	..	..	237	4.6
121	Bahrain	59	1,083	83	10	13	1,248	4.7
41	Bangladesh	61	27,183	63	294	209	27,810	0.2
169	Barbados	..	337	13	..	..	358	..
118	Belarus	..	1,575	..	11	16	1,602	..
83	Belgium	102	5,315	258	35	54	5,764	1.8
210	Belize	..	52	..	..	..	57	..
205	Benin	..	69	..	..	..	77	..
158	Bermuda	12	388	39	..	..	448	2.7
110	Bhutan	..	2,409	..	25	19	2,453	..
138	Bolivia, Plurinational State of	41	692	27	..	..	771	5.3
43	Bosnia and Herzegovina	13	25,176	84	191	218	25,682	0.1
134	Botswana	14	912	29	11	..	970	1.4
59	Brazil	66	14,001	246	106	93	14,512	0.5
106	Brunei Darussalam	98	2,378	112	29	12	2,629	3.7
100	Bulgaria	..	2,853	18	17	29	2,917	..
221	Burkina Faso	..	36	..	..	..	36	..
50	Myanmar	31	21,144	58	261	265	21,759	0.1
117	Burundi	..	1,657	..	36	30	1,730	..
40	Cambodia	40	27,349	121	428	393	28,331	0.1
174	Cameroon	..	272	..	..	..	275	..
30	Canada	1,911	31,778	4,744	216	222	38,871	4.9
233	Cape Verde	..	23	..	..	..	23	..
177	Caribbean, nfd	..	222	..	..	..	237	..
206	Cayman Islands	..	53	13	..	..	75	..
241	Central African Republic	..	17	..	..	..	17	..
225	Central America, nfd	..	29	..	..	..	33	..
190	Central and West Africa, nfd	..	124	..	..	..	130	..
228	Central Asia, nfd	..	32	..	..	..	32	..
212	Chad	..	48	..	..	..	54	..

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## Birthplace by birthplace of parents

Australia: 2011 Census

Rank	Birthplace	Both parents Australian born	Both parents overseas born	One parent OS born/ one parent Aust born	One parent OS born/ one parent not stated	Other <sup>1</sup>	Total	% both parents Australian born
45	Chile	99	24,082	246	285	228	24,940	0.4
4	China (excludes SARs and Taiwan)	472	311,922	1,034	3,011	2,534	318,973	0.1
66	Colombia	118	10,843	155	93	109	11,318	1.0
242	Comoros	..	17	..	..	..	17	..
108	Congo, Democratic Republic of	..	2,477	19	41	32	2,576	..
133	Congo, Republic of	..	931	..	14	31	982	..
82	Cook Islands	17	5,754	67	119	135	6,092	0.3
166	Costa Rica	..	359	18	..	..	386	..
159	Cote d'Ivoire	..	414	..	10	..	445	..
23	Croatia	37	47,527	265	467	535	48,831	0.1
146	Cuba	..	614	..	..	13	636	..
198	Curacao	..	95	..	..	..	95	..
56	Cyprus	26	17,466	192	204	185	18,073	0.1
80	Czech Republic	21	7,216	57	33	110	7,437	0.3
74	Denmark	63	8,473	388	57	43	9,024	0.7
189	Djibouti	..	126	..	..	..	134	..
230	Dominica	..	26	..	..	..	26	..
192	Dominican Republic	..	109	..	..	..	121	..
87	Eastern Europe, nfd	..	4,664	10	42	47	4,766	..
116	Ecuador	..	1,644	46	13	26	1,736	..
31	Egypt	41	35,513	209	361	410	36,534	0.1
69	El Salvador	10	9,361	16	165	100	9,652	0.1
2	England	11,646	850,861	35,104	6,218	7,767	911,596	1.3
245	Equatorial Guinea	..	13	..	..	..	13	..
101	Eritrea	..	2,728	12	52	48	2,844	..
114	Estonia	..	1,884	18	..	25	1,930	..
75	Ethiopia	218	7,776	134	172	158	8,458	2.6
195	Falkland Islands	..	99	..	..	..	112	..
222	Faroe Islands	..	34	..	..	..	34	..
22	Fiji	937	53,303	1,355	683	705	56,983	1.6
79	Finland	..	7,686	124	42	81	7,941	..
29	Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia (FYROM)	41	38,831	340	480	527	40,219	0.1
46	France	271	22,974	1,029	180	221	24,675	1.1
163	French Polynesia	..	356	24	..	..	395	..
234	Gabon	..	20	..	..	..	23	..
202	Gambia	..	87	..	..	..	90	..
102	Gaza Strip and West Bank	..	2,571	26	22	70	2,696	..
161	Georgia	..	418	..	..	..	422	..
12	Germany	409	103,554	2,386	681	975	108,005	0.4
93	Ghana	23	3,629	74	81	61	3,868	0.6
162	Gibraltar	..	392	20	..	..	418	..
13	Greece	212	96,127	1,208	1,082	1,308	99,937	0.2
231	Greenland	..	26	..	..	..	26	..

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## Birthplace by birthplace of parents

Australia: 2011 Census

Rank	Birthplace	Both parents Australian born	Both parents overseas born	One parent OS born/ one parent Aust born	One parent OS born/ one parent not stated	Other <sup>1</sup>	Total	% both parents Australian born
199	Grenada	..	92	..	..	..	95	..
239	Guadeloupe	..	19	..	..	..	19	..
204	Guam	19	40	24	..	..	83	22.9
167	Guatemala	20	326	26	..	..	372	5.4
150	Guernsey	..	577	15	..	..	602	..
144	Guinea	..	606	..	14	24	644	..
246	Guinea-Bissau	..	13	..	..	..	13	..
153	Guyana	..	510	..	..	..	520	..
203	Haiti	..	78	..	..	..	89	..
181	Honduras	..	187	11	..	..	206	..
18	Hong Kong (SAR of China)	1,442	70,592	1,864	662	398	74,958	1.9
53	Hungary	12	18,597	106	148	233	19,096	0.1
148	Iceland	..	562	44	..	..	610	..
5	India	805	287,921	1,344	3,119	2,172	295,361	0.3
21	Indonesia	273	59,894	1,435	657	905	63,164	0.4
33	Iran	34	32,733	92	277	1,316	34,452	0.1
26	Iraq	54	46,608	106	580	824	48,172	0.1
20	Ireland	204	64,334	1,519	559	705	67,321	0.3
139	Isle of Man	..	705	35	..	..	758	..
71	Israel	141	8,342	590	76	83	9,232	1.5
6	Italy	346	178,141	1,813	2,176	2,928	185,404	0.2
136	Jamaica	18	864	45	..	14	941	1.9
32	Japan	473	32,127	2,258	304	219	35,381	1.3
129	Jersey	..	1,004	45	..	..	1,058	..
89	Jordan	18	4,446	59	48	48	4,619	0.4
127	Kazakhstan	..	1,073	15	..	..	1,103	..
62	Kenya	137	13,097	313	162	125	13,834	1.0
155	Kiribati	49	366	67	12	..	500	9.8
208	Korea, Democratic People's Republic of (North)	..	62	..	..	..	67	..
19	Korea, Republic of (South)	1,176	71,263	659	896	548	74,542	1.6
130	Kosovo	..	1,026	..	..	..	1,050	..
91	Kuwait	27	3,900	43	56	37	4,063	0.7
171	Kyrgyzstan	..	324	..	..	..	324	..
68	Laos	19	9,603	29	137	144	9,932	0.2
88	Latvia	..	4,535	30	31	71	4,674	..
16	Lebanon	124	73,166	939	1,053	1,171	76,453	0.2
197	Lesotho	..	98	..	..	..	102	..
104	Liberia	..	2,495	11	89	68	2,671	..
109	Libya	25	2,439	15	32	43	2,554	1.0
232	Liechtenstein	..	20	..	..	..	24	..
105	Lithuania	..	2,562	14	..	48	2,636	..
182	Luxembourg	16	172	11	..	..	199	8.0
113	Macau (SAR of China)	..	2,208	22	19	20	2,272	..
180	Madagascar	..	210	..	..	..	222	..

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## Birthplace by birthplace of parents

Australia: 2011 Census

Rank	Birthplace	Both parents Australian born	Both parents overseas born	One parent OS born/ one parent Aust born	One parent OS born/ one parent not stated	Other <sup>1</sup>	Total	% both parents Australian born
213	Mainland South-East Asia, nfd	..	51	..	..	..	54	..
135	Malawi	11	902	21	13	..	954	1.2
11	Malaysia	4,181	107,839	2,596	979	605	116,200	3.6
168	Maldives	..	369	..	..	..	369	..
214	Mali	..	48	..	..	..	51	..
28	Malta	88	39,791	455	443	500	41,277	0.2
184	Maritime South-East Asia, nfd	27	121	32	..	..	180	15.0
223	Marshall Islands	..	22	12	..	..	34	..
220	Martinique	..	35	..	..	..	38	..
219	Mauritania	..	39	..	..	..	39	..
48	Mauritius	40	22,674	99	237	231	23,281	0.2
98	Mexico	31	3,017	162	17	30	3,257	1.0
247	Micronesia, Federated States of	..	13	..	..	..	13	..
226	Micronesia, nfd	..	23	10	..	..	33	..
147	Middle East, nfd	..	619	..	..	..	634	..
137	Moldova	..	884	..	10	..	897	..
211	Monaco	13	40	..	..	..	56	23.2
143	Mongolia	..	646	..	..	16	662	..
123	Montenegro	..	1,124	26	..	17	1,176	..
119	Morocco	..	1,504	35	10	10	1,563	..
140	Mozambique	..	730	..	..	..	750	..
132	Namibia	..	976	36	..	..	1,018	..
154	Nauru	100	292	115	..	13	520	19.2
47	Nepal	53	23,999	59	305	223	24,639	0.2
17	Netherlands	361	73,039	1,554	412	684	76,050	0.5
122	New Caledonia	28	1,076	94	..	13	1,220	2.3
3	New Zealand	5,602	436,963	29,605	4,679	6,549	483,398	1.2
141	Nicaragua	..	690	..	11	..	716	..
236	Niger	..	19	..	..	..	22	..
90	Nigeria	55	4,241	80	50	93	4,519	1.2
142	Niue	..	679	..	14	10	706	..
178	Norfolk Island	48	94	82	..	11	235	20.4
191	North Africa and the Middle East, nfd	..	116	..	..	..	124	..
187	North Africa, nfd	..	136	..	..	..	140	..
201	Northern America, nfd	..	76	10	..	..	91	..
237	Northern Europe, nfd	..	21	..	..	..	21	..
49	Northern Ireland	52	21,945	358	133	109	22,597	0.2
250	Northern Mariana Islands	..	..	..	..	..	12	..
94	Norway	36	3,377	253	10	31	3,707	1.0
179	Oceania and Antarctica, nfd	..	15	..	..	219	234	..
128	Oman	31	1,000	42	..	16	1,096	2.8
36	Pakistan	51	29,300	192	328	353	30,224	0.2

**Table 4 (continued)**

## Birthplace by birthplace of parents

Australia: 2011 Census

Rank	Birthplace	Both parents Australian born	Both parents overseas born	One parent OS born/ one parent Aust born	One parent OS born/ one parent not stated	Other <sup>1</sup>	Total	% both parents Australian born
238	Palau	..	15	..	..	..	21	..
183	Panama	..	165	25	..	..	195	..
42	Papua New Guinea	7,846	12,953	5,491	193	306	26,789	29.3
164	Paraguay	..	375	..	..	..	393	..
76	Peru	35	8,132	105	85	82	8,439	0.4
8	Philippines	512	163,550	3,206	2,163	1,804	171,235	0.3
24	Poland	40	47,506	160	371	605	48,682	0.1
58	Portugal	20	14,844	117	163	184	15,328	0.1
194	Puerto Rico	..	96	19	..	..	115	..
149	Qatar	24	540	43	..	..	607	4.0
186	Reunion	..	162	..	..	..	173	..
60	Romania	38	13,618	72	137	187	14,052	0.3
55	Russian Federation	17	17,811	146	141	163	18,278	0.1
145	Rwanda	..	613	..	13	12	638	..
54	Samoa	56	18,015	203	366	454	19,094	0.3
175	Samoa, American	..	231	14	..	..	254	..
251	Sao Tome and Principe	..	11	..	..	..	11	..
67	Saudi Arabia	112	9,956	228	147	75	10,518	1.1
10	Scotland	792	127,174	3,296	941	1,227	133,430	0.6
170	Senegal	..	316	..	..	11	336	..
51	Serbia	..	19,677	173	230	178	20,266	..
107	Seychelles	..	2,513	23	33	28	2,597	..
99	Sierra Leone	11	2,871	..	81	71	3,042	0.4
25	Singapore	2,286	43,524	2,162	419	259	48,650	4.7
92	Slovakia	..	3,872	18	19	25	3,938	..
81	Slovenia	..	5,921	30	70	70	6,096	..
115	Solomon Islands	177	1,287	260	19	18	1,761	10.1
84	Somalia	..	5,320	31	159	166	5,684	..
9	South Africa	559	140,607	2,769	1,031	721	145,687	0.4
185	South America, nfd	..	174	..	..	..	177	..
44	South Eastern Europe, nfd	22	24,406	93	270	283	25,074	0.1
95	South Sudan	13	3,323	16	82	49	3,483	0.4
235	South-East Asia, nfd	..	23	..	..	..	23	..
209	Southern and Central Asia, nfd	..	67	..	..	..	67	..
243	Southern and East Africa, nec	..	..	..	..	..	15	..
156	Southern and East Africa, nfd	11	460	..	..	..	488	2.3
188	Southern Asia, nfd	..	137	..	..	..	137	..
63	Spain	95	12,296	361	133	174	13,059	0.7
14	Sri Lanka	334	83,689	409	783	1,201	86,416	0.4
216	St Helena	..	37	..	..	..	43	..
229	St Kitts and Nevis	..	30	..	..	..	30	..
217	St Lucia	..	43	..	..	..	43	..

**Table 4 (continued)**

## Birthplace by birthplace of parents

Australia: 2011 Census

Rank	Birthplace	Both parents Australian born	Both parents overseas born	One parent OS born/ one parent Aust born	One parent OS born/ one parent not stated	Other <sup>1</sup>	Total	% both parents Australian born
218	St Vincent and the Grenadines	..	41	..	..	..	41	..
52	Sudan	59	18,270	79	458	505	19,371	0.3
196	Suriname	..	106	..	..	..	106	..
172	Swaziland	..	278	14	..	..	296	..
78	Sweden	95	7,544	608	58	49	8,354	1.1
65	Switzerland	260	10,603	949	66	67	11,945	2.2
77	Syria	..	8,072	53	128	134	8,393	..
38	Taiwan	170	27,837	237	277	110	28,631	0.6
200	Tajikistan	..	95	..	..	..	95	..
96	Tanzania	77	3,173	104	43	41	3,438	2.2
27	Thailand	569	42,220	1,717	470	491	45,467	1.3
72	Timor-Leste	..	8,942	45	117	113	9,226	..
173	Togo	..	268	..	..	..	279	..
152	Tokelau	..	496	..	18	..	526	..
73	Tonga	62	8,649	145	150	203	9,209	0.7
120	Trinidad and Tobago	..	1,333	49	14	..	1,407	..
157	Tunisia	..	473	..	..	..	483	..
34	Turkey	41	31,620	360	414	415	32,850	0.1
207	Turkmenistan	..	72	..	..	..	72	..
193	Tuvalu	..	111	..	..	..	117	..
103	Uganda	19	2,492	51	56	57	2,675	0.7
61	Ukraine	17	13,639	43	99	192	13,990	0.1
86	United Arab Emirates	229	4,289	308	41	35	4,902	4.7
112	United Kingdom, Channel Islands and Isle of Man, nfd	53	1,909	103	25	280	2,370	2.2
15	United States of America	5,048	60,222	10,807	471	464	77,012	6.6
70	Uruguay	..	8,991	57	87	97	9,238	..
125	Uzbekistan	..	1,143	..	16	..	1,171	..
126	Vanuatu	175	730	193	..	..	1,107	15.8
97	Venezuela, Bolivarian Republic of	24	3,263	60	39	22	3,408	0.7
7	Vietnam	413	177,967	812	2,490	3,356	185,038	0.2
248	Virgin Islands, British	..	13	..	..	..	13	..
37	Wales	96	27,484	741	173	184	28,678	0.3
249	Wallis and Futuna	..	13	..	..	..	13	..
151	Yemen	..	494	21	..	..	534	..
85	Zambia	84	5,191	177	40	48	5,540	1.5
35	Zimbabwe	94	29,164	565	228	204	30,255	0.3
	Inadequately described	319	8,302	246	159	619	9,645	3.3
	At sea	..	91	23	..	..	118	..
	Not elsewhere classified <sup>2</sup>	..	53	..	..	..	67	..
	Not stated	111,755	81,093	21,136	4,227	977,517	1,195,728	9.3
	Total	10,757,093	6,876,580	2,396,482	83,004	1,394,560	21,507,719	50.0

**Table 4 (continued)**

Birthplace by birthplace of parents

Australia: 2011 Census

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1. One parent Australian born and one parent with a not stated birthplace or both parents with a not stated birthplace
  2. Birthplaces with totals less than 10 are incorporated into an NEC category

**Table 5****Generational components of the Australian population****Australia : 2011 and 2006 Census**

	2011 Census	% of population	2006 Census	% of population	Change 2006-2011	% Change 2006-2011
Australian born with both parents Australian born	10,590,661	49.2	10,057,874	50.7	532,787	5.3
Australian born with one parent overseas born <sup>1</sup>	2,265,288	10.5	2,056,639	10.4	208,649	10.1
Australian born with both parents overseas born	1,807,091	8.4	1,586,394	8.0	220,697	13.9
Australian born with one or both parents birthplace not stated	358,516	1.7	372,047	1.9	-13,531	-3.6
<i>Total Australian born</i>	<i>15,021,556</i>	<i>69.8</i>	<i>14,072,954</i>	<i>70.9</i>	<i>948,602</i>	<i>6.7</i>
<i>Total overseas born</i>	<i>5,290,435</i>	<i>24.6</i>	<i>4,416,020</i>	<i>22.2</i>	<i>874,415</i>	<i>19.8</i>
<i>Not stated birthplace</i>	<i>1,195,728</i>	<i>5.6</i>	<i>1,366,309</i>	<i>6.9</i>	<i>-170,581</i>	<i>-12.5</i>
<b>Total</b>	<b>21,507,719</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>19,855,287</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>1,652,432</b>	<b>8.3</b>

1. Includes people who had one parent born overseas and one parent with a not stated birthplace



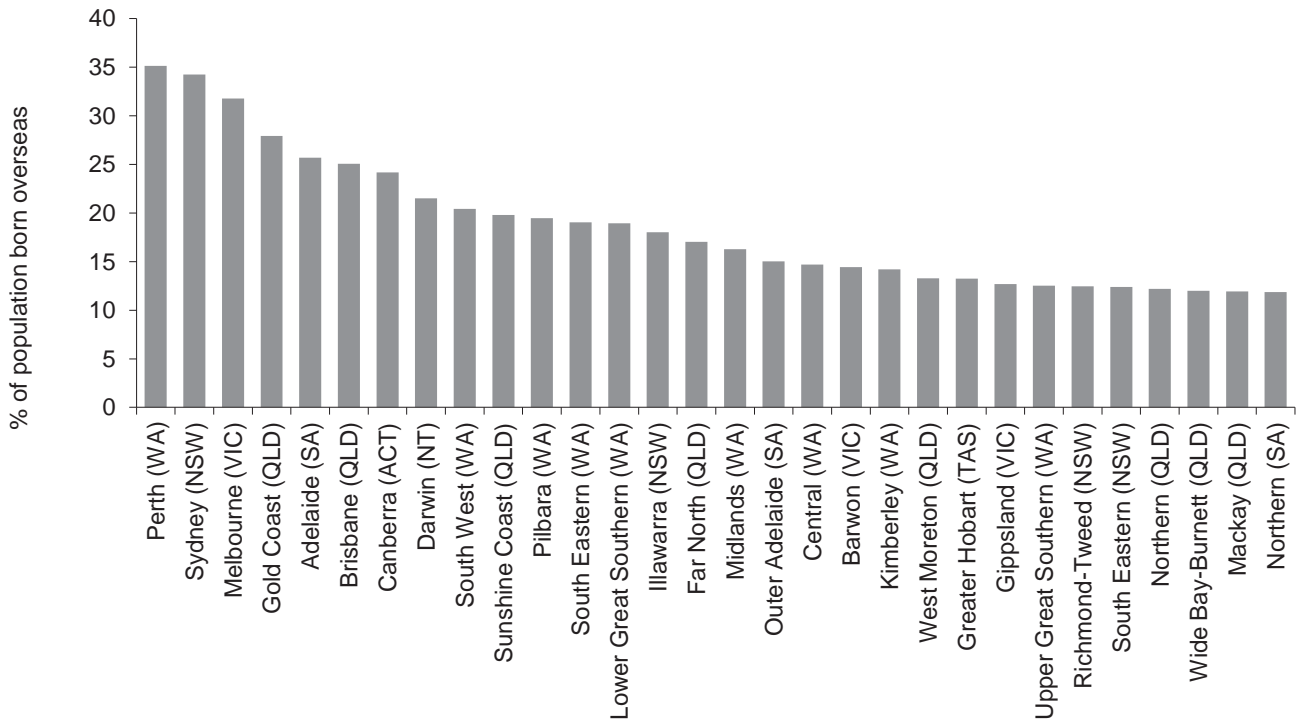
**Table 6****Birthplace by year of arrival****Australia: 2011 Census**

Birthplace	Before 1981	1981-1990	1991-2000	2001-2005	2006-2010	2011	Not stated	Total
England	493,749	105,386	76,834	71,293	110,656	10,934	42,750	911,602
New Zealand	89,981	91,673	93,837	61,856	101,575	16,852	27,630	483,404
China (excludes SARs and Taiwan)	14,874	44,151	62,975	58,775	114,192	9,865	14,144	318,976
India	25,813	17,661	36,766	48,950	146,290	10,034	9,859	295,373
Italy	159,572	3,870	2,881	1,955	3,794	597	12,740	185,409
Vietnam	29,480	68,013	40,417	11,272	23,323	2,340	10,204	185,049
Philippines	10,949	45,103	36,486	19,051	48,565	5,196	5,891	171,241
South Africa	17,479	20,709	28,908	27,980	43,480	3,450	3,688	145,694
Scotland	77,000	17,208	10,186	8,251	12,856	1,592	6,346	133,439
Malaysia	21,498	29,109	14,828	14,758	27,794	4,482	3,732	116,201
Germany	68,544	10,842	7,689	5,961	9,495	1,386	4,093	108,010
Greece	88,111	3,166	1,785	694	1,003	250	4,935	99,944
Sri Lanka	11,160	16,477	18,568	11,020	23,895	2,325	2,975	86,420
United States of America	16,499	9,568	13,069	11,102	19,711	3,936	3,131	77,016
Lebanon	34,803	15,600	10,658	5,550	5,241	452	4,153	76,457
Netherlands	57,686	5,234	3,377	2,641	4,096	490	2,533	76,057
Hong Kong (SAR of China)	10,811	20,451	21,911	7,642	10,589	1,098	2,460	74,962
Korea, Republic of (South)	2,878	9,997	14,001	13,903	25,310	3,554	4,904	74,547
Ireland	21,461	11,377	6,461	5,313	16,000	3,954	2,761	67,327
Indonesia	7,303	7,740	15,746	10,543	16,810	2,424	2,600	63,166
Fiji	6,418	16,127	15,218	7,767	8,486	827	2,142	56,985
Croatia	33,658	2,599	8,072	2,231	589	56	1,629	48,834
Poland	18,756	17,373	5,578	2,213	2,594	223	1,949	48,686
Singapore	8,583	7,906	7,468	8,505	12,226	2,215	1,752	48,655
Iraq	2,389	1,643	16,979	9,938	13,557	1,771	1,899	48,176
Thailand	2,104	7,043	8,268	7,867	16,055	1,511	2,619	45,467
Malta	36,245	2,060	443	295	409	29	1,799	41,280
Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia (FYROM)	25,265	5,914	4,389	1,514	1,449	117	1,582	40,230
Canada	9,737	5,373	6,587	5,147	8,987	1,633	1,415	38,879
Egypt	17,936	5,044	4,767	2,854	4,223	363	1,352	36,539
Japan	2,473	4,044	8,385	7,146	9,496	1,568	2,273	35,385
Iran	2,295	6,872	6,698	4,462	10,130	1,743	2,262	34,462
Turkey	13,794	6,194	5,478	2,716	2,825	350	1,493	32,850
Zimbabwe	2,574	4,258	3,266	8,098	10,775	711	579	30,261
Pakistan	1,379	2,830	5,612	5,467	11,924	1,794	1,220	30,226
Wales	14,734	4,004	2,671	2,375	3,727	396	777	28,684
Taiwan	534	5,355	9,221	4,499	6,361	1,218	1,446	28,634
Afghanistan	162	1,784	6,639	6,775	9,227	1,336	2,682	28,605
Cambodia	2,241	11,524	6,668	2,580	3,652	372	1,297	28,334
Inadequately described	2,644	1,204	1,905	970	1,346	153	1,427	9,649
At sea	70	..	..	..	..	..	35	105
Not elsewhere classified	248,942	110,444	135,071	89,677	164,887	19,127	34,785	802,933
Not stated	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
<b>Total</b>	<b>1,712,584</b>	<b>782,930</b>	<b>786,766</b>	<b>581,606</b>	<b>1,067,600</b>	<b>122,724</b>	<b>239,943</b>	<b>5,294,153</b>

# Chart 1

## Proportion of overseas born by statistical division

Australia: 2011 Census



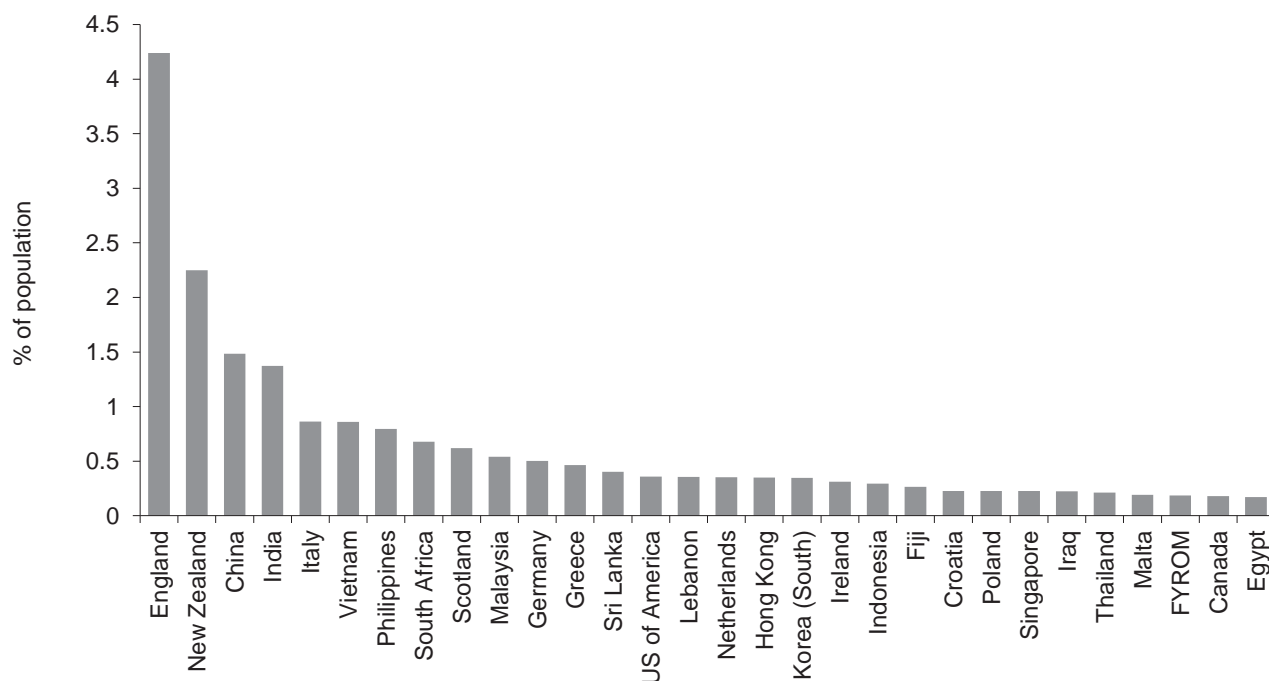
Rank	Division	Born overseas	% born overseas
1	Perth (WA)	577,767	35.1
2	Sydney (NSW)	1,503,633	34.2
3	Melbourne (VIC)	1,252,531	31.8
4	Gold Coast (QLD)	138,039	27.9
5	Adelaide (SA)	305,331	25.7
6	Brisbane (QLD)	502,190	25.1
7	Canberra (ACT)	86,163	24.2
8	Darwin (NT)	27,448	21.5
9	South West (WA)	49,909	20.4
10	Sunshine Coast (QLD)	60,780	19.8
11	Pilbara (WA)	11,661	19.5
12	South Eastern (WA)	10,938	19.1
13	Lower Great Southern (WA)	10,484	18.9
14	Illawarra (NSW)	74,504	18.0
15	Far North (QLD)	43,287	17.0

Rank	Division	Born overseas	% born overseas
16	Midlands (WA)	8,683	16.3
17	Outer Adelaide (SA)	18,068	15.0
18	Central (WA)	9,239	14.7
19	Barwon (VIC)	40,268	14.4
20	Kimberley (WA)	4,936	14.2
21	West Moreton (QLD)	12,351	13.3
22	Greater Hobart (TAS)	28,786	13.2
23	Gippsland (VIC)	21,853	12.7
24	Upper Great Southern (WA)	2,227	12.5
25	Richmond-Tweed (NSW)	28,385	12.5
26	South Eastern (NSW)	25,703	12.4
27	Northern (QLD)	26,583	12.2
28	Wide Bay-Burnett (QLD)	32,801	12.0
29	Mackay (QLD)	19,914	11.9
30	Northern (SA)	8,783	11.9

## Chart 2

### Main overseas birthplaces

Australia: 2011 Census



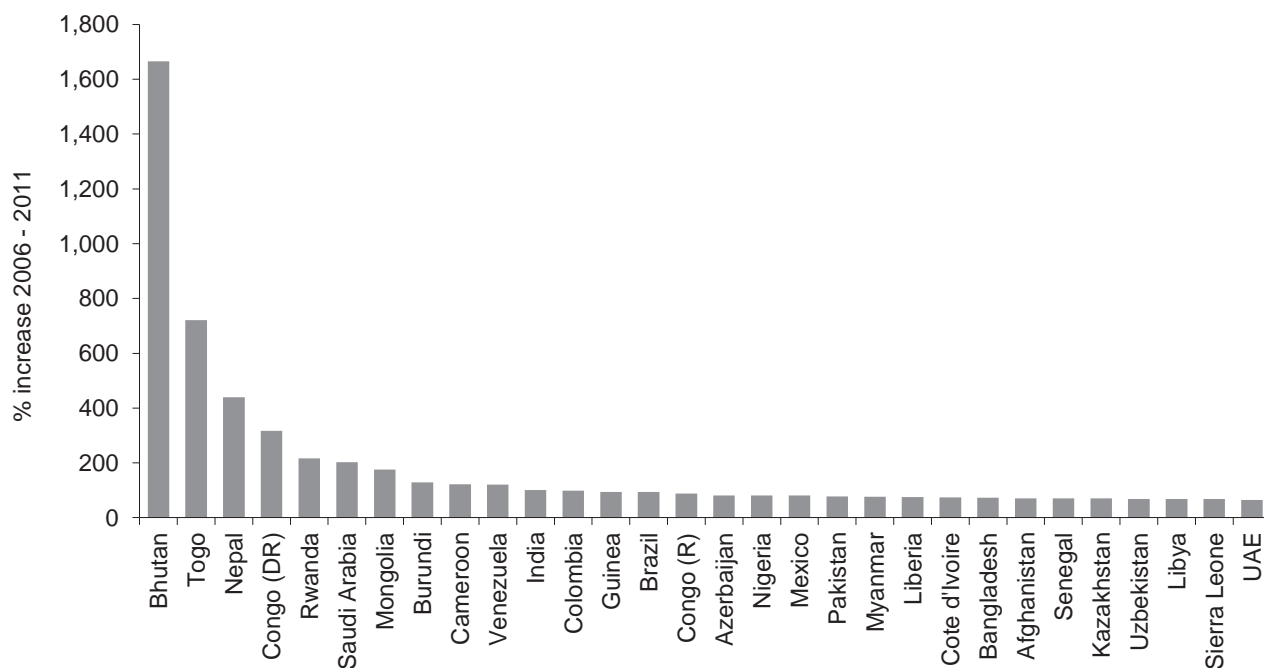
Rank	Birthplace	2011 Census	% of population
1	England	911,592	4.2
2	New Zealand	483,396	2.2
3	China (exc. SARs and Taiwan)	318,969	1.5
4	India	295,363	1.4
5	Italy	185,401	0.9
6	Vietnam	185,039	0.9
7	Philippines	171,233	0.8
8	South Africa	145,683	0.7
9	Scotland	133,432	0.6
10	Malaysia	116,196	0.5
11	Germany	108,003	0.5
12	Greece	99,938	0.5
13	Sri Lanka	86,413	0.4
14	United States of America	77,010	0.4
15	Lebanon	76,451	0.4

Rank	Birthplace	2011 Census	% of population
16	Netherlands	76,047	0.4
17	Hong Kong (SAR of China)	74,955	0.3
18	Korea, Republic of (South)	74,538	0.3
19	Ireland	67,318	0.3
20	Indonesia	63,159	0.3
21	Fiji	56,979	0.3
22	Croatia	48,828	0.2
23	Poland	48,678	0.2
24	Singapore	48,646	0.2
25	Iraq	48,171	0.2
26	Thailand	45,466	0.2
27	Malta	41,274	0.2
28	Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia (FYROM)	40,221	0.2
29	Canada	38,871	0.2
30	Egypt	36,533	0.2

### Chart 3

## Fastest growing overseas birthplaces

Australia: 2011 and 2006 Census



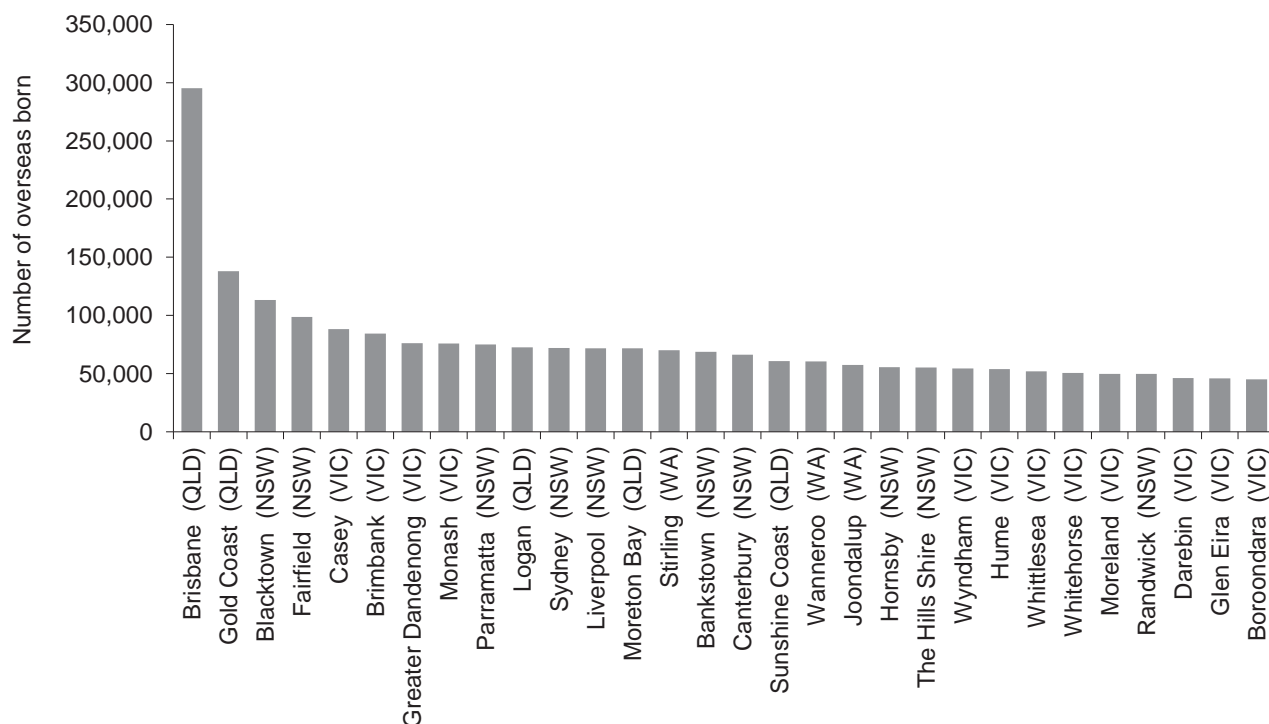
Rank	Birthplace	2011 Census	% change 2006-11
1	Bhutan	2,455	1666.2
2	Togo	279	720.6
3	Nepal	24,635	439.4
4	Congo, Democratic Republic of	2,575	316.7
5	Rwanda	640	216.8
6	Saudi Arabia	10,517	202.1
7	Mongolia	668	176.0
8	Burundi	1,730	129.1
9	Cameroon	277	121.6
10	Venezuela, Bolivarian Republic of	3,403	121.0
11	India	295,363	100.8
12	Colombia	11,318	98.2
13	Guinea	649	93.7
14	Brazil	14,510	93.7
15	Congo, Republic of	982	88.5

Rank	Birthplace	2011 Census	% change 2006-11
16	Azerbaijan	389	80.9
17	Nigeria	4,519	80.7
18	Mexico	3,255	80.6
19	Pakistan	30,221	77.8
20	Myanmar	21,760	75.8
21	Liberia	2,673	75.5
22	Cote d'Ivoire	445	74.5
23	Bangladesh	27,809	72.8
24	Afghanistan	28,598	70.7
25	Senegal	337	70.2
26	Kazakhstan	1,106	69.9
27	Uzbekistan	1,175	68.6
28	Libya	2,557	68.6
29	Sierra Leone	3,044	68.2
30	United Arab Emirates	4,899	64.7

## Chart 4

### Local government areas with highest number of overseas born

Australia: 2011 Census

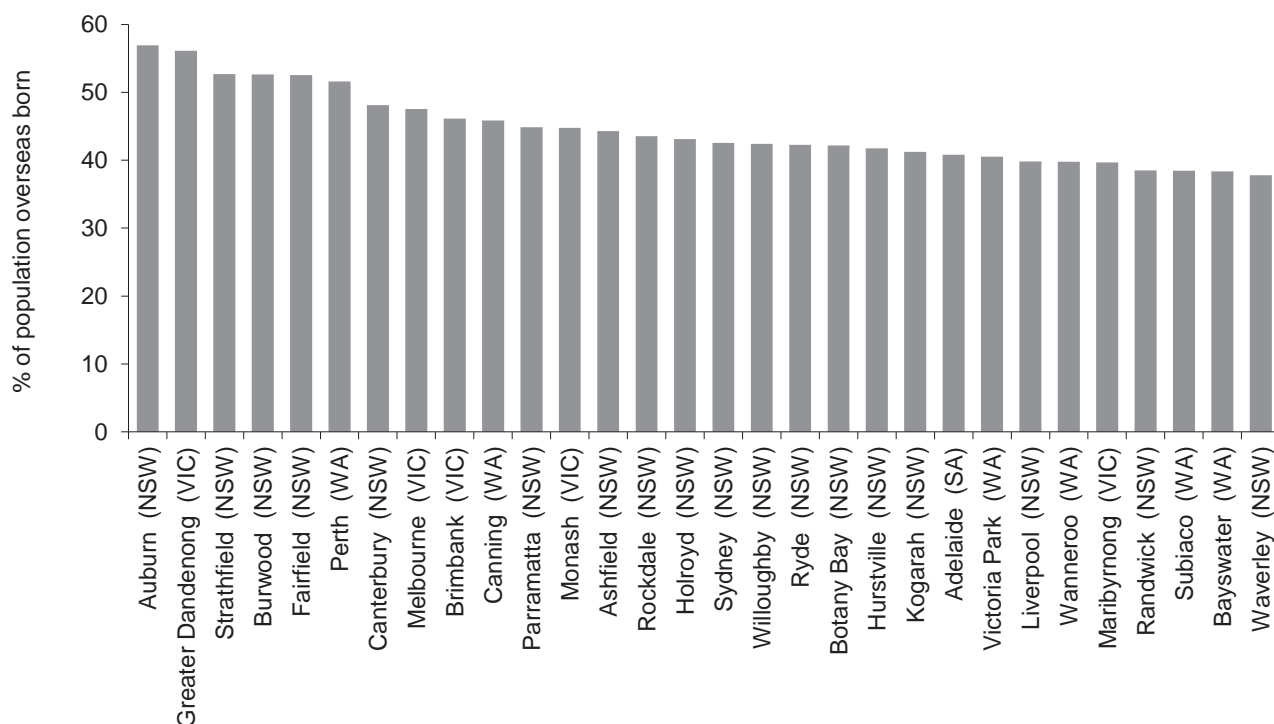


Rank	LGA	Born overseas	% of LGA
1	Brisbane (QLD)	295,195	28.3
2	Gold Coast (QLD)	138,040	27.9
3	Blacktown (NSW)	113,217	37.6
4	Fairfield (NSW)	98,655	52.5
5	Casey (VIC)	88,108	34.9
6	Brimbank (VIC)	84,291	46.1
7	Greater Dandenong (VIC)	76,130	56.1
8	Monash (VIC)	75,806	44.8
9	Parramatta (NSW)	74,898	44.9
10	Logan (QLD)	72,611	26.1
11	Sydney (NSW)	72,137	42.6
12	Liverpool (NSW)	71,714	39.8
13	Moreton Bay (QLD)	71,709	19.0
14	Stirling (WA)	70,004	35.8
15	Bankstown (NSW)	68,722	37.7

Rank	LGA	Born overseas	% of LGA
16	Canterbury (NSW)	66,129	48.1
17	Sunshine Coast (QLD)	60,780	19.8
18	Wanneroo (WA)	60,458	39.8
19	Joondalup (WA)	57,425	37.7
20	Hornsby (NSW)	55,496	35.4
21	The Hills Shire (NSW)	55,353	32.6
22	Wyndham (VIC)	54,404	33.7
23	Hume (VIC)	53,970	32.2
24	Whittlesea (VIC)	52,007	33.6
25	Whitehorse (VIC)	50,637	33.5
26	Moreland (VIC)	49,754	33.8
27	Randwick (NSW)	49,646	38.5
28	Darebin (VIC)	46,081	33.8
29	Glen Eira (VIC)	45,927	35.1
30	Boroondara (VIC)	45,028	28.3

## Chart 5

### Local government areas with the highest proportion of overseas born Australia: 2011 Census



Rank	LGA	Born overseas	% of LGA
1	Auburn (NSW)	41,982	56.9
2	Greater Dandenong (VIC)	76,130	56.1
3	Strathfield (NSW)	18,532	52.7
4	Burwood (NSW)	17,066	52.6
5	Fairfield (NSW)	98,655	52.5
6	Perth (WA)	8,627	51.6
7	Canterbury (NSW)	66,129	48.1
8	Melbourne (VIC)	44,533	47.6
9	Brimbank (VIC)	84,291	46.1
10	Canning (WA)	39,221	45.9
11	Parramatta (NSW)	74,898	44.9
12	Monash (VIC)	75,806	44.8
13	Ashfield (NSW)	18,248	44.3
14	Rockdale (NSW)	42,398	43.6
15	Holroyd (NSW)	42,739	43.1

Rank	LGA	Born overseas	% of LGA
16	Sydney (NSW)	72,137	42.6
17	Willoughby (NSW)	28,553	42.4
18	Ryde (NSW)	43,544	42.3
19	Botany Bay (NSW)	16,604	42.2
20	Hurstville (NSW)	32,931	41.8
21	Kogarah (NSW)	23,016	41.2
22	Adelaide (SA)	8,017	40.8
23	Victoria Park (WA)	13,151	40.5
24	Liverpool (NSW)	71,714	39.8
25	Wanneroo (WA)	60,458	39.8
26	Maribyrnong (VIC)	28,423	39.7
27	Randwick (NSW)	49,646	38.5
28	Subiaco (WA)	6,758	38.5
29	Bayswater (WA)	23,490	38.3
30	Waverley (NSW)	24,003	37.8

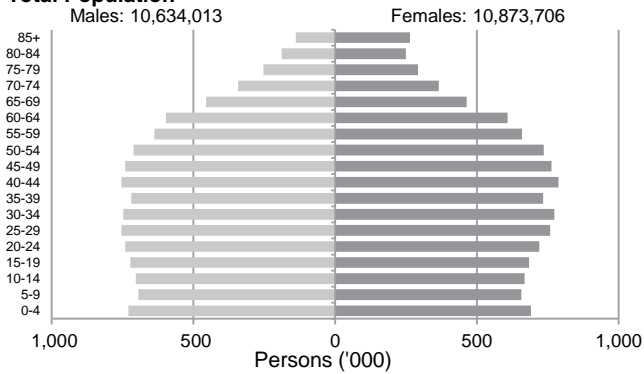
# Chart 6

## Age-Gender profiles for selected birthplaces

Australia: 2011 Census

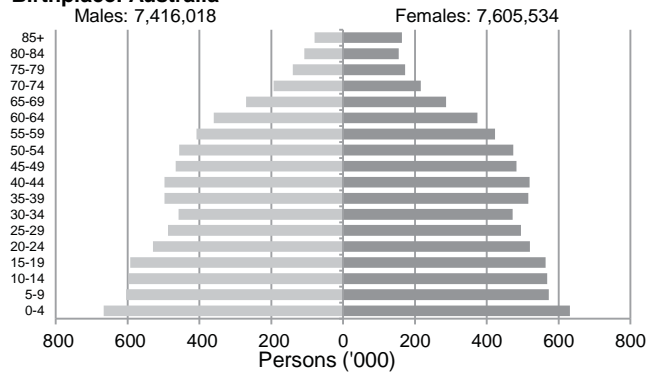
**Chart 6.1**

**Total Population**



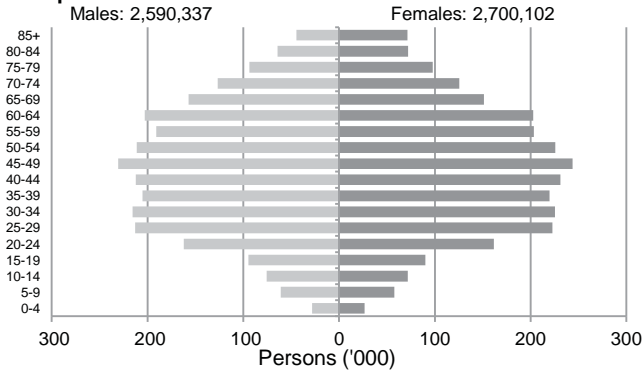
**Chart 6.2**

**Birthplace: Australia**



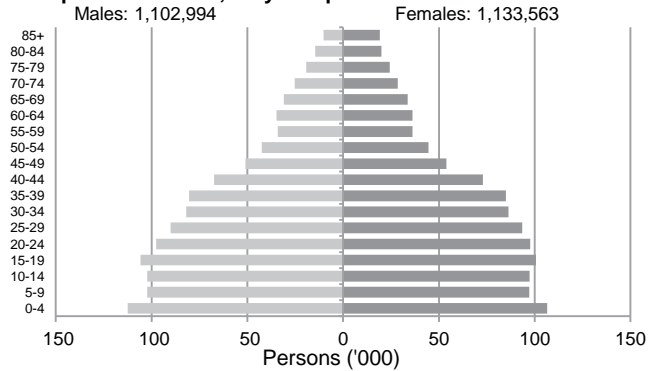
**Chart 6.3**

**Birthplace: Overseas**



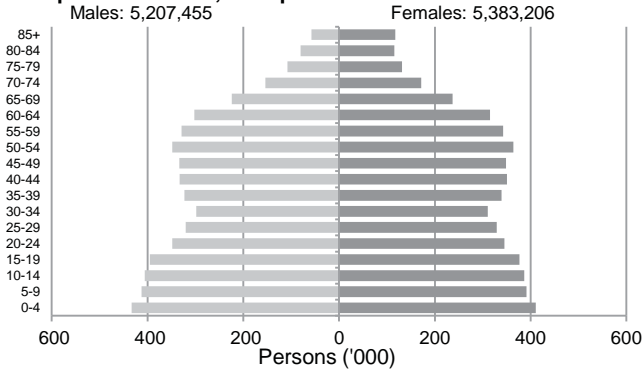
**Chart 6.4**

**Birthplace: Australia, only one parent born overseas**



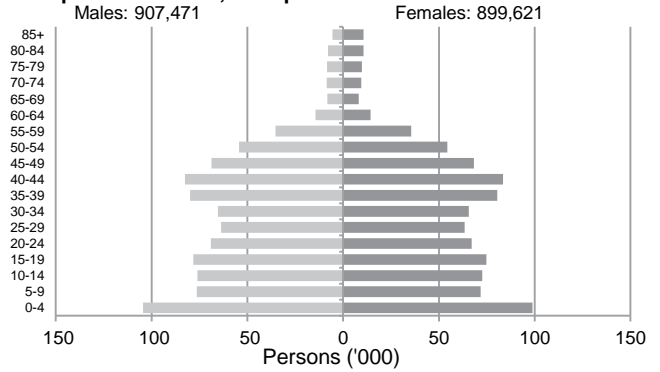
**Chart 6.5**

**Birthplace: Australia, both parents born in Australia**



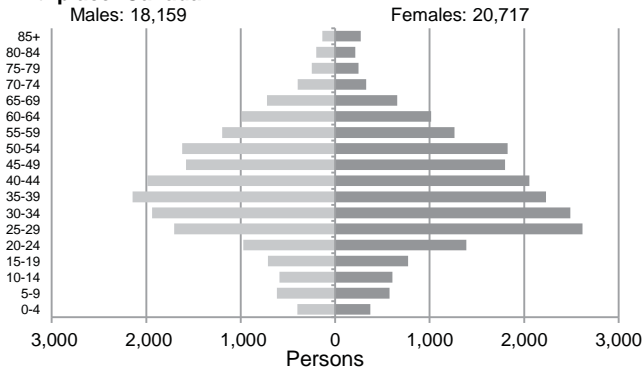
**Chart 6.6**

**Birthplace: Australia, both parents born overseas**



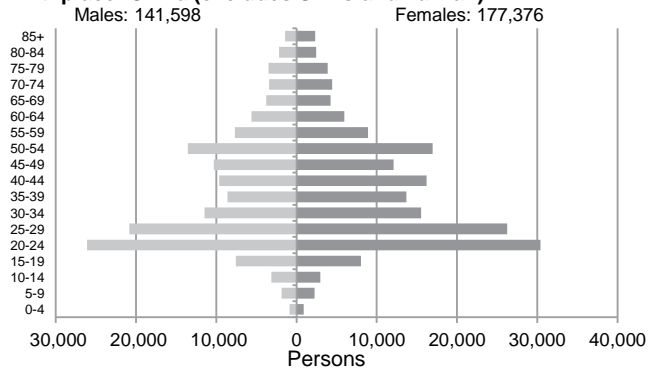
**Chart 6.7**

**Birthplace: Canada**



**Chart 6.8**

**Birthplace: China (excludes SARs and Taiwan)**



## Chart 6 (continued)

### Age-Gender profiles for selected birthplaces

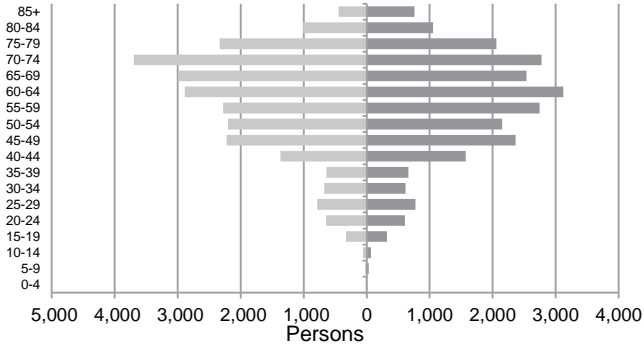
Australia: 2011 Census

**Chart 6.9**

**Birthplace: Croatia**

Males: 24,603

Females: 24,231

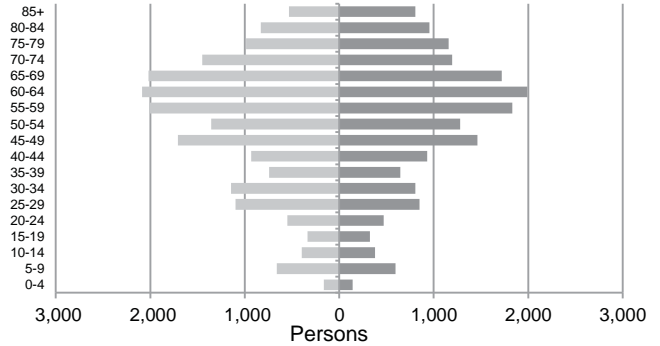


**Chart 6.10**

**Birthplace: Egypt**

Males: 19,002

Females: 17,535

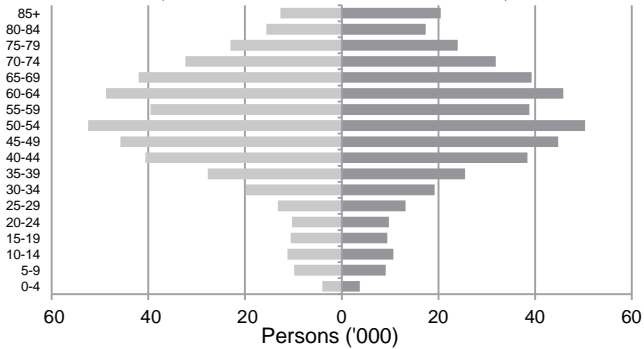


**Chart 6.11**

**Birthplace: England**

Males: 459,571

Females: 452,026

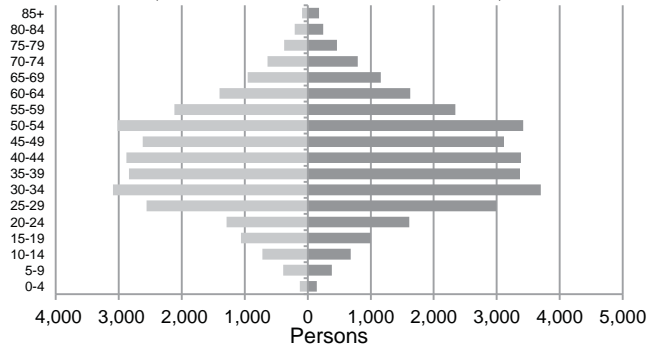


**Chart 6.12**

**Birthplace: Fiji**

Males: 26,380

Females: 30,606

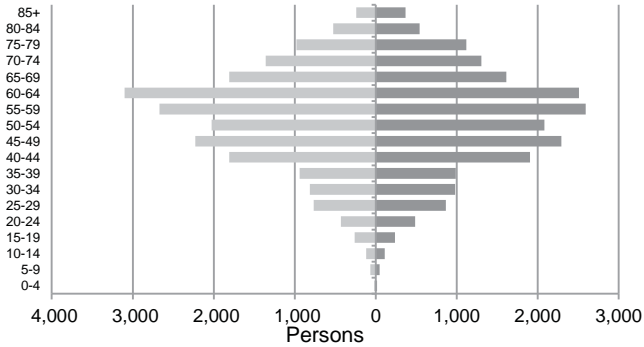


**Chart 6.13**

**Birthplace: Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia**

Males: 20,154

Females: 20,071

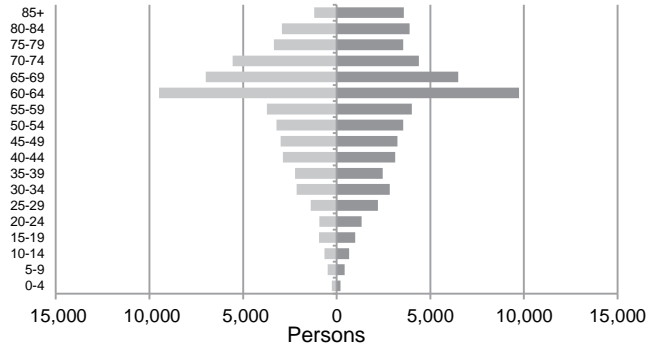


**Chart 6.14**

**Birthplace: Germany**

Males: 51,331

Females: 56,676

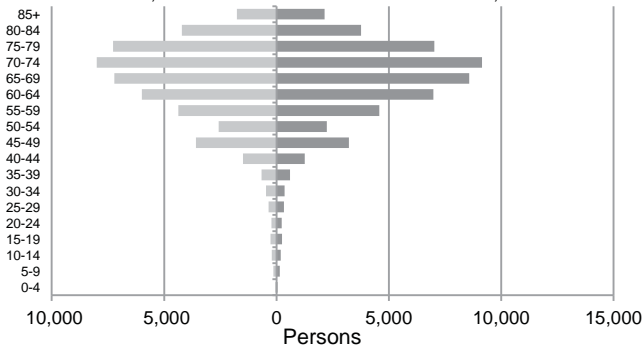


**Chart 6.15**

**Birthplace: Greece**

Males: 48,815

Females: 51,128

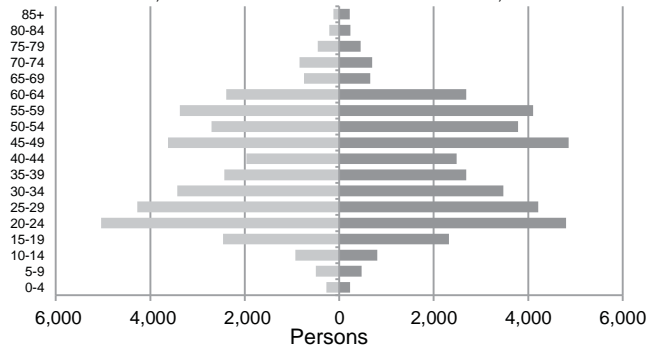


**Chart 6.16**

**Birthplace: Hong Kong (SAR of China)**

Males: 35,781

Females: 39,180





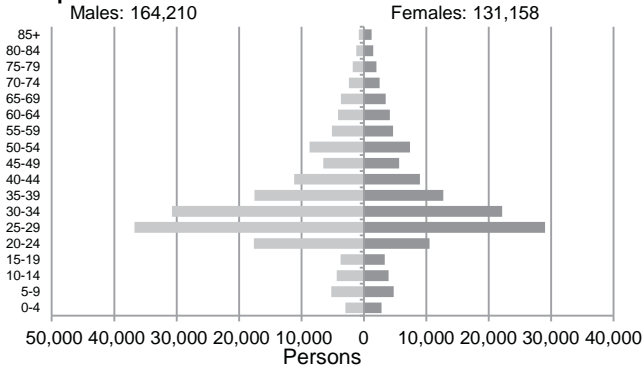
## Chart 6 (continued)

### Age-Gender profiles for selected birthplaces

Australia: 2011 Census

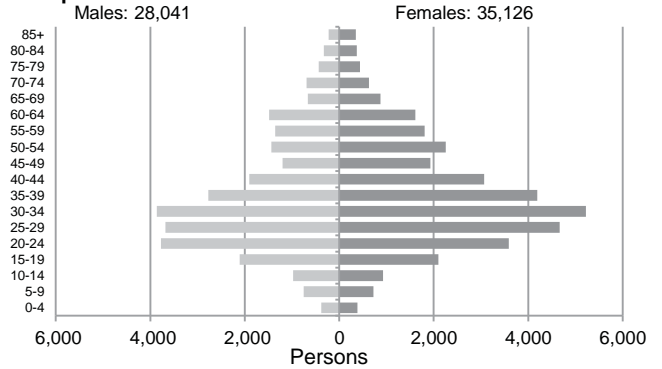
**Chart 6.17**

**Birthplace: India**



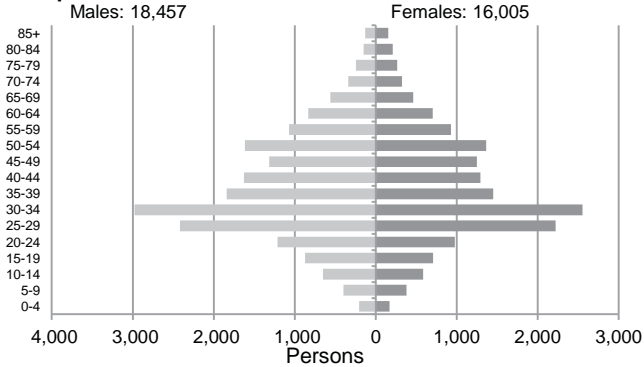
**Chart 6.18**

**Birthplace: Indonesia**



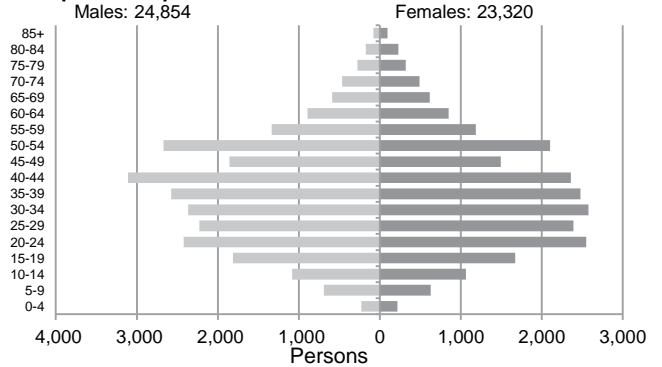
**Chart 6.19**

**Birthplace: Iran**



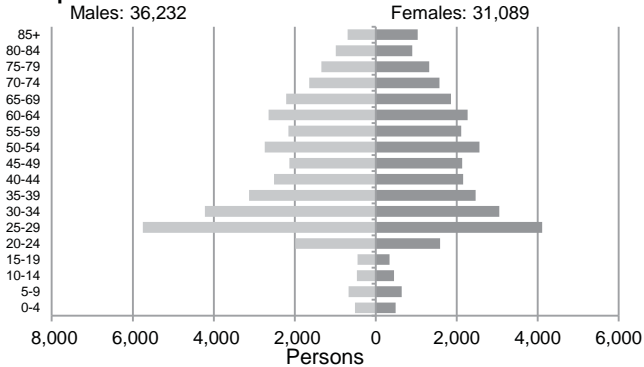
**Chart 6.20**

**Birthplace: Iraq**



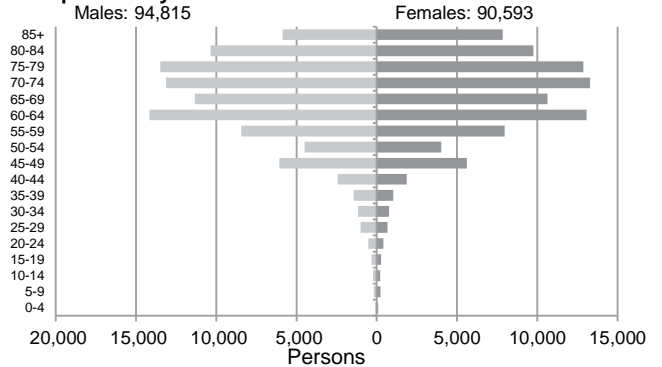
**Chart 6.21**

**Birthplace: Ireland**



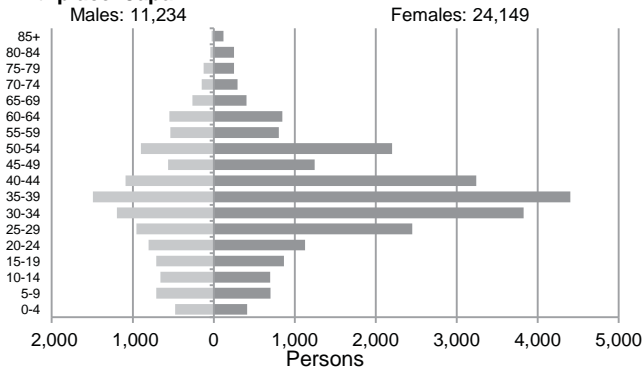
**Chart 6.22**

**Birthplace: Italy**



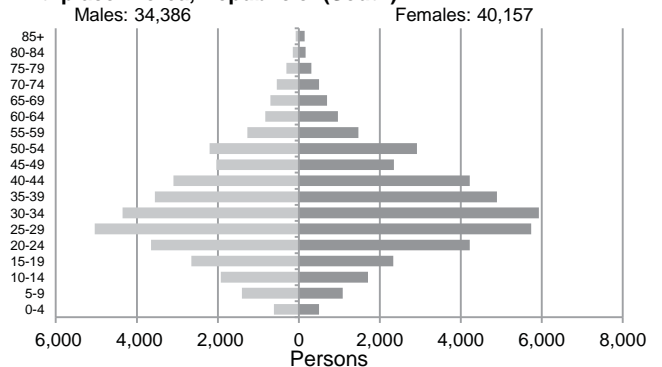
**Chart 6.23**

**Birthplace: Japan**



**Chart 6.24**

**Birthplace: Korea, Republic of (South)**



## Chart 6 (continued)

### Age-Gender profiles for selected birthplaces

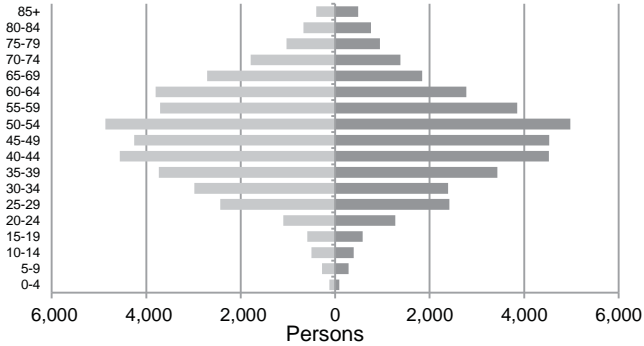
Australia: 2011 Census

**Chart 6.25**

**Birthplace: Lebanon**

Males: 39,540

Females: 36,914

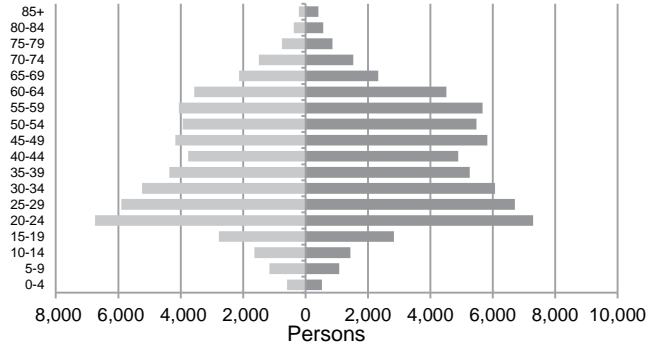


**Chart 6.26**

**Birthplace: Malaysia**

Males: 52,869

Females: 63,333

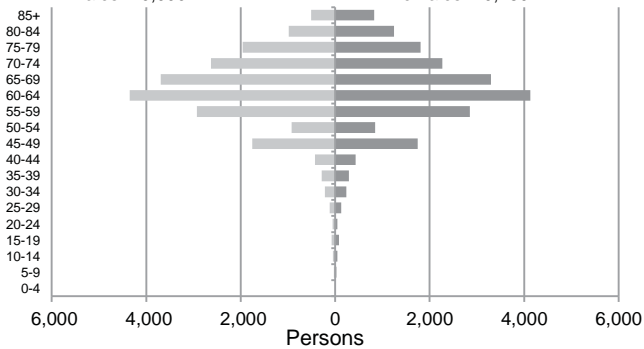


**Chart 6.27**

**Birthplace: Malta**

Males: 20,990

Females: 20,289

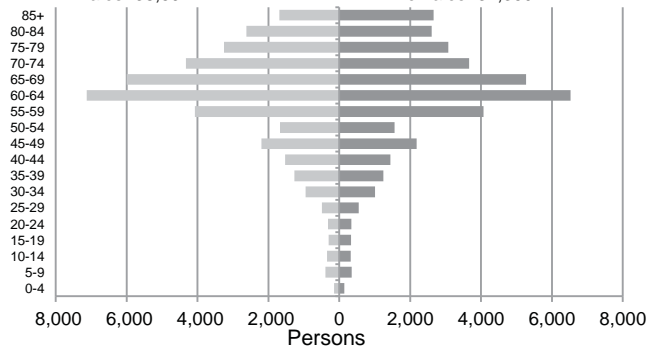


**Chart 6.28**

**Birthplace: Netherlands**

Males: 38,694

Females: 37,360

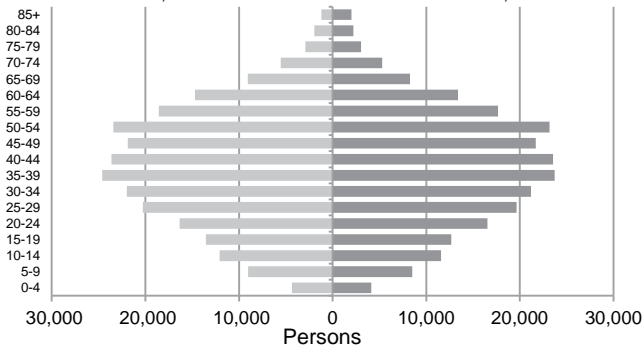


**Chart 6.29**

**Birthplace: New Zealand**

Males: 245,093

Females: 238,309

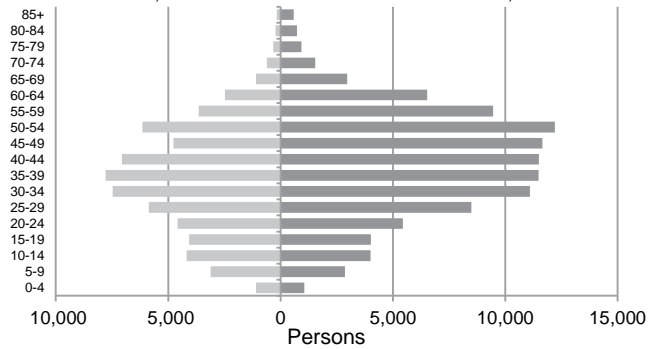


**Chart 6.30**

**Birthplace: Philippines**

Males: 64,623

Females: 106,617

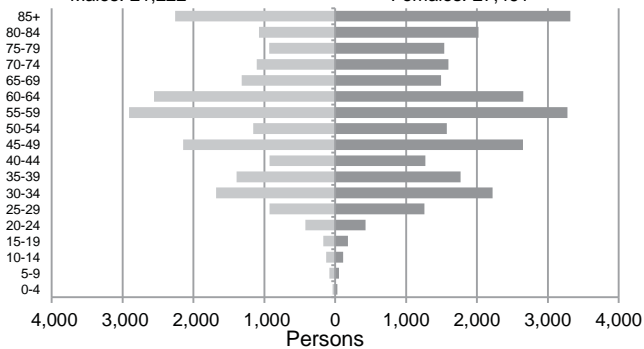


**Chart 6.31**

**Birthplace: Poland**

Males: 21,222

Females: 27,461

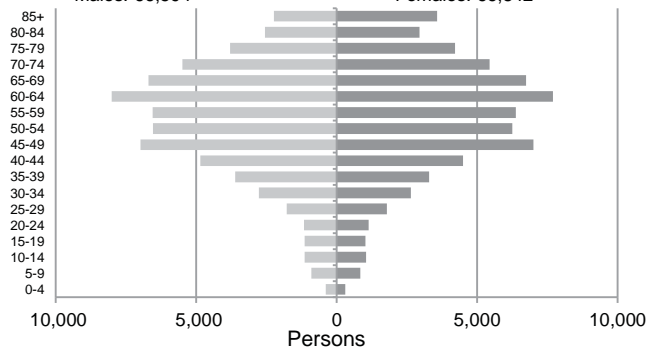


**Chart 6.32**

**Birthplace: Scotland**

Males: 66,594

Females: 66,842



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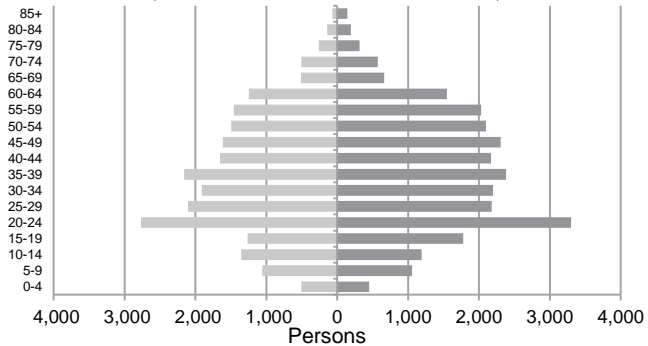
### Age-Gender profiles for selected birthplaces

Australia: 2011 Census

**Chart 6.33**

**Birthplace: Singapore**

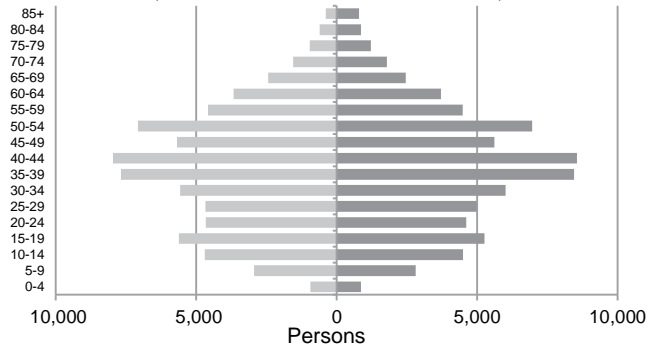
Males: 22,082 Females: 26,570



**Chart 6.34**

**Birthplace: South Africa**

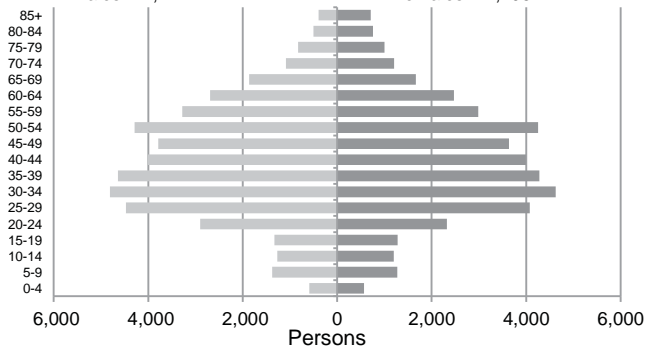
Males: 71,716 Females: 73,972



**Chart 6.35**

**Birthplace: Sri Lanka**

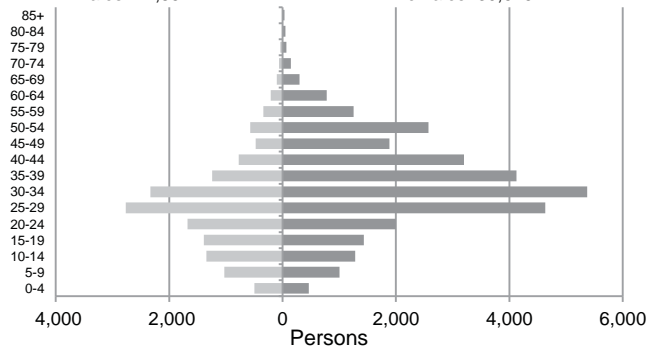
Males: 44,122 Females: 42,296



**Chart 6.36**

**Birthplace: Thailand**

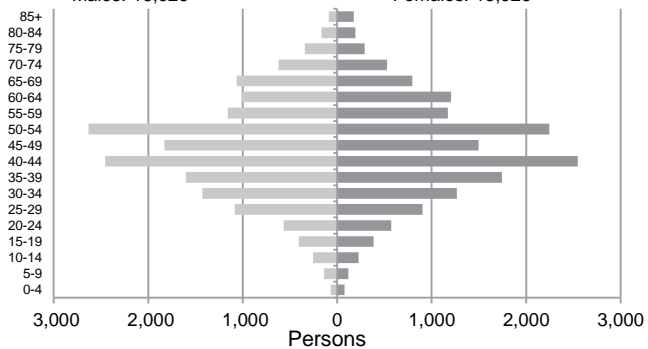
Males: 14,854 Females: 30,616



**Chart 6.37**

**Birthplace: Turkey**

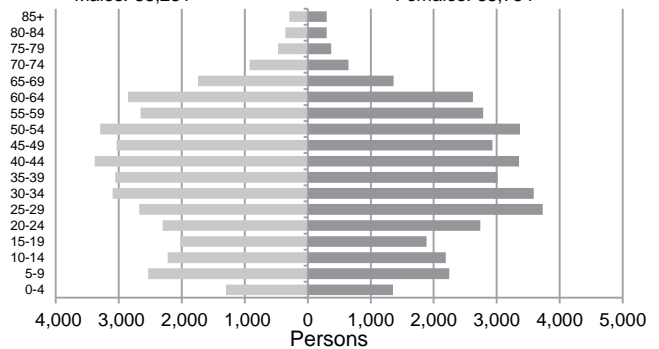
Males: 16,926 Females: 15,926



**Chart 6.38**

**Birthplace: United States of America**

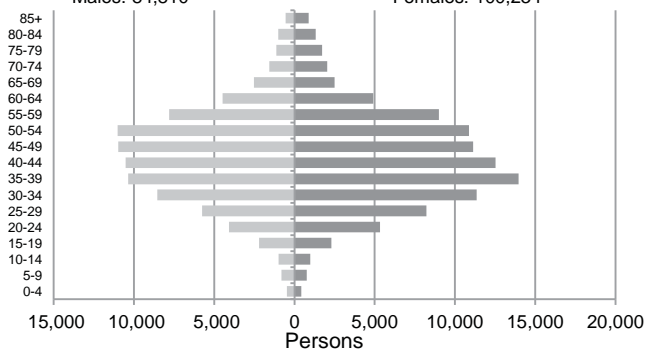
Males: 38,231 Females: 38,784



**Chart 6.39**

**Birthplace: Vietnam**

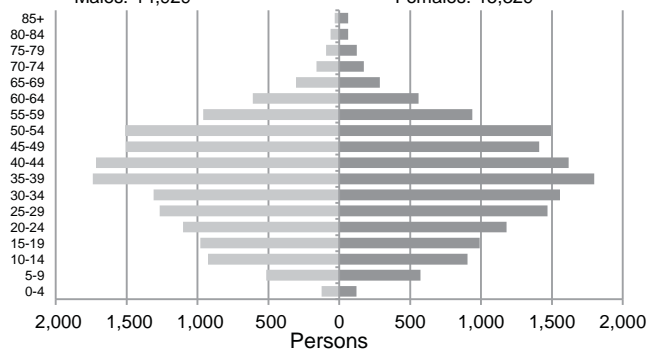
Males: 84,810 Females: 100,234



**Chart 6.40**

**Birthplace: Zimbabwe**

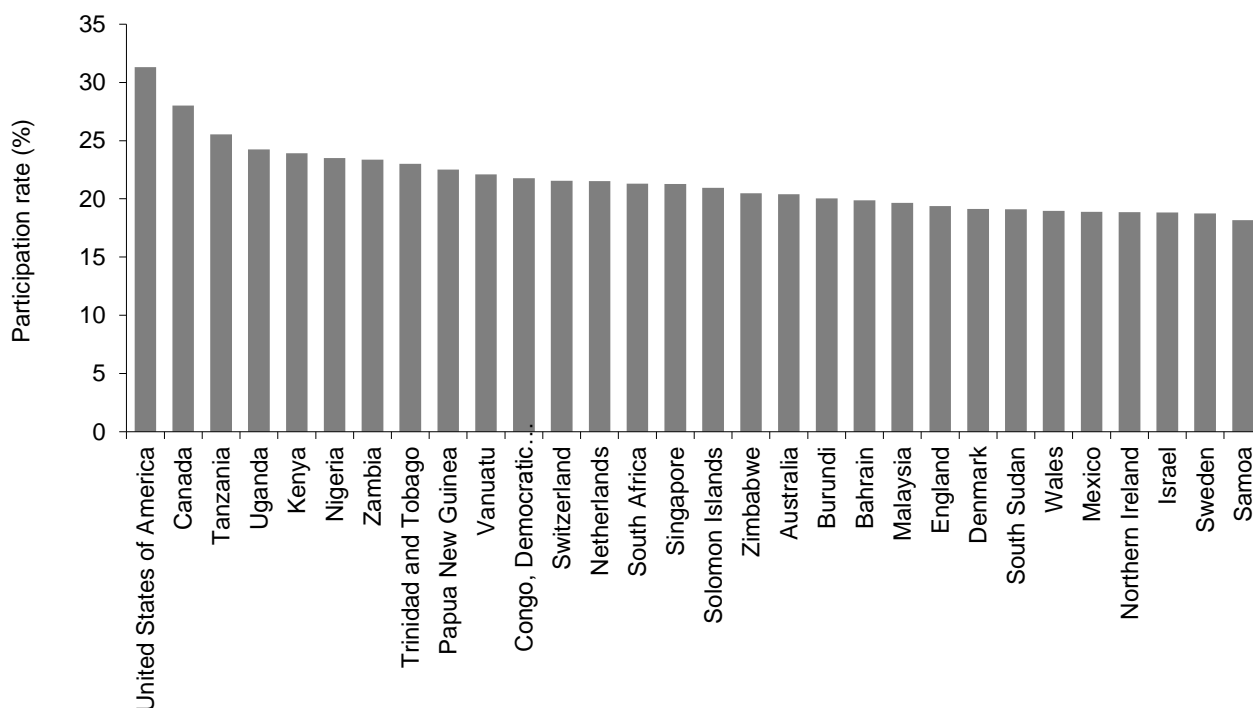
Males: 14,929 Females: 15,329



**Chart 7**

**Highest participation rates in voluntary activities by birthplace**

Australia: 2011 Census



Rank	Birthplace	Participated in last 12 months	participation rate (%)
1	United States of America	20,403	31.3
2	Canada	10,009	28.0
3	Tanzania	583	25.5
4	Uganda	470	24.3
5	Kenya	2,734	23.9
6	Nigeria	937	23.5
7	Zambia	1,212	23.4
8	Trinidad and Tobago	313	23.0
9	Papua New Guinea	5,619	22.5
10	Vanuatu	226	22.1
11	Congo (DR)	445	21.8
12	Switzerland	2,376	21.5
13	Netherlands	16,000	21.5
14	South Africa	27,462	21.3
15	Singapore	9,155	21.3

Rank	Birthplace	Participated in last 12 months	participation rate (%)
16	Solomon Islands	329	21.0
17	Zimbabwe	5,546	20.5
18	Australia	2,321,103	20.4
19	Burundi	313	20.1
20	Bahrain	205	19.9
21	Malaysia	21,581	19.7
22	England	167,199	19.4
23	Denmark	1,657	19.1
24	South Sudan	563	19.1
25	Wales	5,214	19.0
26	Mexico	556	18.9
27	Northern Ireland	4,155	18.9
28	Israel	1,528	18.8
29	Sweden	1,451	18.7
30	Samoa	3,311	18.2

**Table 7****Languages spoken at home****Australia: 2011 and 2006 Census**

Rank	Language	2011 Census	% of Population	2006 Census	Change 2006-2011	% change 2006-2011
200	Acehnese	79	0.0	80	-1	-1.3
114	Acholi	993	0.0	528	465	88.1
84	African Languages, nec <sup>1</sup>	3,262	0.0	3,790	-528	-13.9
103	African Languages, nfd	1,624	0.0	1,609	15	0.9
32	Afrikaans	35,031	0.2	16,809	18,222	108.4
94	Akan	2,136	0.0	1,358	778	57.3
58	Albanian	8,945	0.0	7,858	1,087	13.8
191	American Languages	120	0.0	88	32	36.4
79	Amharic	4,515	0.0	2,854	1,661	58.2
168	Anuak <sup>2</sup>	209	0.0	..	..	..
4	Arabic	287,175	1.3	243,665	43,510	17.9
54	Armenian	9,707	0.0	9,621	86	0.9
207	Aromunian (Macedo-Romanian)	62	0.0	62	0	0.0
172	Assamese	193	0.0	103	90	87.4
41	Assyrian Neo-Aramaic <sup>2</sup>	21,477	0.1	..	..	..
61	Auslan	8,406	0.0	5,537	2,869	51.8
15	Australian Indigenous Languages	61,798	0.3	55,700	6,098	10.9
165	Azeri	226	0.0	173	53	30.6
176	Balinese	162	0.0	124	38	30.6
177	Balochi	155	0.0	117	38	32.5
139	Bari <sup>2</sup>	408	0.0	..	..	..
203	Basque	71	0.0	75	-4	-5.3
209	Bassa <sup>2</sup>	57	0.0	..	..	..
186	Belorussian	140	0.0	442	-302	-68.3
129	Bemba	628	0.0	253	375	148.2
31	Bengali	35,645	0.2	20,221	15,424	76.3
206	Bikol	64	0.0	40	24	60.0
93	Bisaya	2,241	0.0	1,208	1,033	85.5
163	Bislama	232	0.0	156	76	48.7
47	Bosnian	16,269	0.1	15,740	529	3.4
92	Bulgarian	2,317	0.0	1,983	334	16.8
49	Burmese	12,339	0.1	7,458	4,881	65.4
111	Burmese and Related Languages, nec	1,103	0.0	75	1,028	1,370.7
112	Burmese and Related Languages, nfd	1,066	0.0	..	..	..
5	Cantonese	263,674	1.2	244,557	19,117	7.8
167	Catalan	211	0.0	146	65	44.5
106	Cebuano	1,419	0.0	971	448	46.1
218	Celtic, nec	34	0.0	31	3	9.7
228	Celtic, nfd	10	0.0	36	-26	-72.2
56	Chaldean Neo-Aramaic <sup>2</sup>	9,560	0.0	..	..	..
120	Chin Haka <sup>3</sup>	831	0.0	393	438	111.5
198	Chinese, nec	90	0.0	23	67	291.3
40	Chinese, nfd	23,798	0.1	11,668	12,130	104.0
82	Creole, nfd	3,979	0.0	4,095	-116	-2.8
16	Croatian	61,547	0.3	63,616	-2,069	-3.3
183	Cypriot, so described	148	0.0	242	-94	-38.8
67	Czech	7,263	0.0	6,902	361	5.2

**Table 7 (continued)**  
**Languages spoken at home**

Australia: 2011 and 2006 Census

Rank	Language	2011 Census	% of Population	2006 Census	Change 2006-2011	% change 2006-2011
173	Czechoslovakian, so described <sup>2</sup>	182	0.0	..	..	..
170	Dan (Gio-Dan) <sup>2</sup>	196	0.0	..	..	..
74	Danish	5,754	0.0	5,444	310	5.7
43	Dari	20,179	0.1	14,310	5,869	41.0
143	Dhivehi	364	0.0	246	118	48.0
53	Dinka	9,807	0.0	6,596	3,211	48.7
201	Dravidian, nec	75	0.0	24	51	212.5
27	Dutch	37,247	0.2	36,184	1,063	2.9
223	Eastern Asian Languages, nfd	18	0.0	16	2	12.5
185	Eastern European Languages, nfd	143	0.0	159	-16	-10.1
1	English	16,509,292	76.8	15,581,333	927,959	6.0
107	Estonian	1,417	0.0	1,252	165	13.2
140	Ewe	405	0.0	85	320	376.5
69	Fijian	6,828	0.0	5,255	1,573	29.9
108	Fijian Hindustani <sup>2</sup>	1,408	0.0	..	..	..
20	Filipino	55,401	0.3	39,044	16,357	41.9
72	Finnish	5,973	0.0	5,873	100	1.7
18	French	57,739	0.3	43,217	14,522	33.6
90	French Creole, nfd	2,396	0.0	1,897	499	26.3
199	Frisian	80	0.0	91	-11	-12.1
141	Fulfulde <sup>2</sup>	396	0.0	..	..	..
179	Ga	153	0.0	95	58	61.1
121	Gaelic (Scotland)	804	0.0	659	145	22.0
180	Georgian	152	0.0	126	26	20.6
11	German	80,370	0.4	75,635	4,735	6.3
144	Gilbertese	350	0.0	194	156	80.4
6	Greek	252,217	1.2	252,227	-10	0.0
35	Gujarati	34,211	0.2	11,875	22,336	188.1
59	Hakka	8,922	0.0	7,964	958	12.0
133	Harari	519	0.0	374	145	38.8
194	Hausa	108	0.0	82	26	31.7
65	Hazaraghi <sup>2</sup>	7,606	0.0	..	..	..
55	Hebrew	9,667	0.0	7,568	2,099	27.7
9	Hindi	111,351	0.5	70,008	41,343	59.1
97	Hmong	2,024	0.0	2,013	11	0.5
42	Hungarian	20,883	0.1	21,561	-678	-3.1
213	Iban	49	0.0	24	25	104.2
226	Iberian Romance, nec	15	0.0	22	-7	-31.8
216	Iberian Romance, nfd	40	0.0	35	5	14.3
153	Icelandic	289	0.0	234	55	23.5
116	Igbo	885	0.0	372	513	137.9
146	Ilokano	343	0.0	322	21	6.5
147	Ilonggo (Hiligaynon)	325	0.0	186	139	74.7
137	Indo-Aryan, nec <sup>1</sup>	442	0.0	67	375	559.7
80	Indo-Aryan, nfd	4,230	0.0	5,091	-861	-16.9
19	Indonesian	55,870	0.3	42,037	13,833	32.9
190	Invented Languages	121	0.0	107	14	13.1
220	Iranic, nec <sup>1</sup>	23	0.0	324	-301	-92.9

**Table 7 (continued)**  
**Languages spoken at home**

Australia: 2011 and 2006 Census

Rank	Language	2011 Census	% of Population	2006 Census	Change 2006-2011	% change 2006-2011
221	Iranic, nfd	20	0.0	10	10	100.0
99	Irish	1,896	0.0	915	981	107.2
3	Italian	299,833	1.4	316,893	-17,060	-5.4
26	Japanese	43,692	0.2	35,112	8,580	24.4
210	Javanese	56	0.0	49	7	14.3
73	Kannada	5,924	0.0	3,251	2,673	82.2
71	Karen	6,400	0.0	783	5,617	717.4
178	Kashmiri	155	0.0	85	70	82.4
37	Khmer	29,519	0.1	24,708	4,811	19.5
189	Kikuyu	125	0.0	93	32	34.4
135	Kinyarwanda (Rwanda) <sup>2</sup>	501	0.0	..	..	..
87	Kirundi (Rundi) <sup>2</sup>	2,737	0.0	..	..	..
225	Kiwai	16	0.0	66	-50	-75.8
102	Konkani	1,677	0.0	867	810	93.4
12	Korean	79,786	0.4	54,623	25,163	46.1
219	Kpelle <sup>2</sup>	25	0.0	..	..	..
197	Krahn <sup>2</sup>	96	0.0	..	..	..
91	Krio	2,364	0.0	792	1,572	198.5
78	Kurdish	4,586	0.0	3,597	989	27.5
57	Lao	9,539	0.0	9,373	166	1.8
158	Latin	250	0.0	205	45	22.0
83	Latvian	3,625	0.0	4,179	-554	-13.3
217	Letzeburgish	40	0.0	28	12	42.9
175	Liberian (Liberian English) <sup>2</sup>	163	0.0	..	..	..
98	Lithuanian	1,900	0.0	2,005	-105	-5.2
208	Loma (Lorma) <sup>2</sup>	59	0.0	..	..	..
156	Luganda	256	0.0	130	126	96.9
196	Luo	97	0.0	85	12	14.1
14	Macedonian	68,848	0.3	67,832	1,016	1.5
122	Madi <sup>2</sup>	765	0.0	..	..	..
166	Makaton	214	0.0	205	9	4.4
45	Malay	16,564	0.1	11,360	5,204	45.8
39	Malayalam	25,111	0.1	7,090	18,021	254.2
34	Maltese	34,396	0.2	36,517	-2,121	-5.8
154	Mandaean (Mandaic) <sup>2</sup>	282	0.0	..	..	..
2	Mandarin	336,409	1.6	220,603	115,806	52.5
134	Mandinka <sup>2</sup>	506	0.0	..	..	..
195	Mann <sup>2</sup>	99	0.0	..	..	..
77	Maori (Cook Island)	4,636	0.0	3,646	990	27.2
51	Maori (New Zealand)	9,977	0.0	6,617	3,360	50.8
60	Marathi	8,572	0.0	4,047	4,525	111.8
85	Mauritian Creole	3,256	0.0	726	2,530	348.5
215	Middle Eastern Semitic Languages, nec	47	0.0	..	..	..
46	Min Nan <sup>4</sup>	16,372	0.1	14,135	2,237	15.8
164	Mon	230	0.0	135	95	70.4
128	Mongolian	634	0.0	208	426	204.8
127	Mon-Khmer, nec	651	0.0	49	602	1,228.6

**Table 7 (continued)**  
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Australia: 2011 and 2006 Census

Rank	Language	2011 Census	% of Population	2006 Census	Change 2006-2011	% change 2006-2011
182	Moro (Nuba Moro) <sup>2</sup>	150	0.0	..	..	..
130	Motu (HiriMotu) <sup>5</sup>	569	0.0	411	158	38.4
155	Nauruan	281	0.0	247	34	13.8
113	Ndebele	1,064	0.0	394	670	170.1
38	Nepali	27,154	0.1	4,655	22,499	483.3
124	Niue	711	0.0	531	180	33.9
88	Norwegian	2,673	0.0	2,296	377	16.4
101	Nuer	1,702	0.0	1,198	504	42.1
148	Nyanja (Chichewa)	321	0.0	201	120	59.7
192	Oceanian Pidgins and Creoles, nec	117	0.0	74	43	58.1
222	Oceanian Pidgins and Creoles, nfd	19	0.0	17	2	11.8
149	Oriya	318	0.0	180	138	76.7
96	Oromo	2,030	0.0	996	1,034	103.8
160	Pacific Austronesian Languages, nec	240	0.0	197	43	21.8
188	Pacific Austronesian Languages, nfd	127	0.0	140	-13	-9.3
181	Pampangan	151	0.0	113	38	33.6
162	Papua New Guinea Languages, nec	235	0.0	116	119	102.6
136	Papua New Guinea Languages, nfd	466	0.0	43	423	983.7
76	Pashto	4,801	0.0	2,570	2,231	86.8
33	Persian (excluding Dari)	34,562	0.2	22,843	11,719	51.3
104	Pidgin, nfd	1,583	0.0	1,452	131	9.0
202	Pitcairnese	75	0.0	62	13	21.0
22	Polish	50,695	0.2	53,390	-2,695	-5.0
36	Portuguese	33,351	0.2	25,776	7,575	29.4
13	Punjabi	71,230	0.3	23,162	48,068	207.5
151	Rohingya <sup>2</sup>	298	0.0	..	..	..
50	Romanian	12,246	0.1	10,896	1,350	12.4
184	Romany	148	0.0	150	-2	-1.3
145	Rotuman	348	0.0	249	99	39.8
25	Russian	44,059	0.2	36,504	7,555	20.7
30	Samoan	36,571	0.2	28,527	8,044	28.2
224	Scandinavian, nec	17	0.0	16	1	6.3
227	Scandinavian, nfd	11	0.0	..	..	..
21	Serbian	55,114	0.3	52,529	2,585	4.9
70	Serbo-Croatian/Yugoslavian, so described	6,687	0.0	9,315	-2,628	-28.2
125	Seychelles Creole	702	0.0	18	684	3,800.0
169	Shilluk	202	0.0	59	143	242.4
63	Shona	8,006	0.0	2,796	5,210	186.3
205	Sign Languages, nec	66	0.0	30	36	120.0
110	Sign Languages, nfd	1,250	0.0	1,378	-128	-9.3
118	Sindhi	867	0.0	450	417	92.7
24	Sinhalese	48,191	0.2	29,055	19,136	65.9
75	Slovak	4,991	0.0	4,578	413	9.0
81	Slovene	4,183	0.0	4,312	-129	-3.0
161	Solomon Islands Pijin	237	0.0	116	121	104.3
52	Somali	9,913	0.0	6,650	3,263	49.1



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Australia: 2011 and 2006 Census

Rank	Language	2011 Census	% of Population	2006 Census	Change 2006-2011	% change 2006-2011
159	Southeast Asian Austronesian Languages, nec	247	0.0	138	109	79.0
157	Southeast Asian Austronesian Languages, nfd	254	0.0	503	-249	-49.5
62	Southern Asian Languages, nfd	8,151	0.0	6,869	1,282	18.7
8	Spanish	117,498	0.5	98,003	19,495	19.9
214	Spanish Creole, nfd	48	0.0	226	-178	-78.8
68	Swahili	6,886	0.0	3,052	3,834	125.6
66	Swedish	7,332	0.0	5,904	1,428	24.2
126	Swiss, so described	658	0.0	733	-75	-10.2
10	Tagalog	81,457	0.4	53,286	28,171	52.9
204	Tai, nec	71	0.0	59	12	20.3
23	Tamil	50,152	0.2	32,703	17,449	53.4
193	Tatar	112	0.0	115	-3	-2.6
44	Telugu	18,721	0.1	8,278	10,443	126.2
115	Tetum	955	0.0	844	111	13.2
29	Thai	36,683	0.2	23,643	13,040	55.2
211	Themne <sup>2</sup>	56	0.0	..	..	..
123	Tibetan	746	0.0	396	350	88.4
187	Tigre	131	0.0	132	-1	-0.8
86	Tigrinya	2,794	0.0	1,661	1,133	68.2
131	Timorese	553	0.0	623	-70	-11.2
89	Tok Pisin (Neomelanesian) <sup>6</sup>	2,645	0.0	1,602	1,043	65.1
119	Tokelauan	860	0.0	604	256	42.4
48	Tongan	16,008	0.1	12,726	3,282	25.8
138	Tswana	442	0.0	508	-66	-13.0
142	Tulu	392	0.0	207	185	89.4
212	Turkic, nec	53	0.0	17	36	211.8
229	Turkic, nfd	10	0.0	..	..	..
17	Turkish	59,623	0.3	53,858	5,765	10.7
150	Turkmen	302	0.0	218	84	38.5
174	Tuvaluan	182	0.0	147	35	23.8
64	Ukrainian	7,761	0.0	9,016	-1,255	-13.9
28	Urdu	36,836	0.2	19,288	17,548	91.0
117	Uygur	874	0.0	369	505	136.9
152	Uzbek	291	0.0	140	151	107.9
7	Vietnamese	233,390	1.1	194,852	38,538	19.8
105	Welsh	1,430	0.0	1,072	358	33.4
95	Wu	2,065	0.0	1,528	537	35.1
171	Xhosa	195	0.0	116	79	68.1
100	Yiddish	1,764	0.0	1,907	-143	-7.5
109	Yoruba	1,277	0.0	575	702	122.1
132	Zulu	544	0.0	285	259	90.9
	Other Eastern Asian Languages, nec	53	0.0	62	-9	-14.5
	Other Eastern European Languages, nec	16	0.0	18	-2	-11.1
	Other Southeast Asian Languages	43	0.0	46	-3	-6.5
	Other Southern Asian Languages	675	0.0	229	446	194.8

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Australia: 2011 and 2006 Census

Rank	Language	2011 Census	% of Population	2006 Census	Change 2006-2011	% change 2006-2011
	Other Southern European Languages, nec	89	0.0	71	18	25.4
	Other Southwest and Central Asian Languages, nec	13	0.0	..	10	333.3
	Inadequately described	8,603	0.0	9,067	-464	-5.1
	Non-verbal, so described	21,906	0.1	27,002	-5,096	-18.9
	Not elsewhere classified <sup>7</sup>	23,524	0.1	23,524	0	0.0
	Not stated	1,085,491	5.0	1,127,760	-42,269	-3.7
	<b>Total</b>	<b>21,507,719</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>19,855,294</b>	<b>1,652,425</b>	<b>8.3</b>

1. Language classification modified since 2006. Some elements have been moved into newly defined 2011 classifications
2. Newly defined language in 2011
3. Reported as Haka in 2006
4. Reported as two separate languages, Hokkien and Teochew, in 2006
5. Reported as Motu in 2006
6. Reported as Tok Pisin in 2006
7. Languages reported in 2006 which cannot be assigned a 2011 category are incorporated into this overall NEC category

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Rank	Language	2011 Census	% of Indigenous Language Speakers
15	Aboriginal English, so described	1,062	1.7
53	Adnymathanha	150	0.2
118	Alawa	17	0.0
169	Alngith	0	0.0
9	Alyawarr	1,860	3.0
169	Amurdak	0	0.0
12	Anindilyakwa	1,485	2.4
19	Anmatyerr, nec	934	1.5
169	Anmatyerr, nfd	0	0.0
169	Antekerrepenh	0	0.0
154	Antikarinya	5	0.0
141	Arabana	8	0.0
169	Arandic, nec	0	0.0
169	Arandic, nfd	0	0.0
129	Arnhem Land and Daly River Region Languages, nec	11	0.0
111	Arnhem Land and Daly River Region Languages, nfd	25	0.0
14	Arrernte, nec	1,322	2.1
45	Arrernte, nfd	232	0.4
169	Baanbay	0	0.0
169	Badimaya	0	0.0
57	Bandjalang	134	0.2
74	Banyjima	87	0.1
169	Barababaraba	0	0.0
48	Bardi	172	0.3
141	Batjala	8	0.0
140	Bidjara	9	0.0
83	Bilinarra	59	0.1
69	Bunuba	96	0.2
20	Burarra	932	1.5
169	Burarran, nfd	0	0.0
169	Burraran, nec	0	0.0
42	Cape York Peninsula Languages, nec	243	0.4
135	Cape York Peninsula Languages, nfd	10	0.0
141	Central Anmatyerr	8	0.0
141	Daatiwuy	8	0.0
169	Dadi Dadi	0	0.0
78	Dalabon	73	0.1
94	Dhalwangu	38	0.1
135	Dhanggatti	10	0.0
169	Dhangu, nec	0	0.0
103	Dhangu, nfd	29	0.0
121	Dharawal	16	0.0
169	Dhay'yi, nec	0	0.0
112	Dhay'yi, nfd	21	0.0
112	Dhuwal, nec	21	0.0
44	Dhuwal, nfd	235	0.4
169	Dhuwala, nec	0	0.0
71	Dhuwala, nfd	89	0.1
38	Dhuwaya	285	0.5

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Rank	Language	2011 Census	% of Indigenous Language Speakers
141	Diyari	8	0.0
106	Djabugay	27	0.0
118	Djabwurrung	17	0.0
4	Djambarrpuyngu	2,974	4.8
169	Djangu	0	0.0
108	Djapu	26	0.0
169	Djarrwark	0	0.0
141	Djinang, nec	8	0.0
65	Djinang, nfd	103	0.2
169	Djinba	0	0.0
169	Djinba, nec	0	0.0
135	Djinba, nfd	10	0.0
121	Dyirbal	16	0.0
156	Eastern Anmatyerr	4	0.0
25	Eastern Arrernte	527	0.9
54	Galpu	148	0.2
169	Gambera	0	0.0
74	Gamilaraay	87	0.1
96	Ganalbingu	32	0.1
76	Garrwa	86	0.1
169	Garuwali	0	0.0
80	Girramay	64	0.1
152	Githabul	7	0.0
161	Golumala	3	0.0
63	Gooniyandi	106	0.2
161	Gudanji	3	0.0
169	Gudjal	0	0.0
47	Gumatj	184	0.3
82	Gumbaynggir	60	0.1
103	Gundjeihmi	29	0.0
71	Gun-nartpa	89	0.1
51	Gupapuyngu	157	0.3
23	Gurindji	534	0.9
169	Gurindji Kriol	0	0.0
95	Gurr-goni	35	0.1
18	Guugu Yimidhirr	977	1.6
169	Guyamirrillili	0	0.0
56	Iwaidja	135	0.2
169	Jaminjung	0	0.0
22	Jaru	568	0.9
169	Jawi	0	0.0
100	Jawoyn	30	0.0
100	Jingulu	30	0.0
17	Kalaw Kawaw Ya/Kalaw Lagaw Ya	985	1.6
161	Kanai	3	0.0
93	Karajarri	39	0.1
154	Kariyarra	5	0.0
61	Kartujarra	119	0.2
84	Kurna	58	0.1
161	Kayardild	3	0.0
49	Kaytetye	171	0.3
169	Keeray-Woorroong	0	0.0

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Australia : 2011 Census

Rank	Language	2011 Census	% of Indigenous Language Speakers
50	Kija	169	0.3
118	Kimberley Area Languages, nec	17	0.0
156	Kimberley Area Languages, nfd	4	0.0
99	Koko-Bera	31	0.1
1	Kriol	6,780	11.0
169	Kugu Muminh	0	0.0
106	Kukatha	27	0.0
26	Kukatja	521	0.8
41	Kuku Yalanji	254	0.4
112	Kunbarlang	21	0.0
60	Kune	121	0.2
64	Kuninjku	104	0.2
10	Kunwinjku	1,645	2.7
169	Kunwinjkuan, nec	0	0.0
58	Kuuk Thayorre	129	0.2
129	Kuuku-Ya'u	11	0.0
169	Kuwema	0	0.0
169	Kuwinjkuan, nfd	0	0.0
169	Ladji Ladji	0	0.0
112	Lamalama	21	0.0
71	Lardil	89	0.1
141	Larrakiya	8	0.0
169	Light Warlpiri	0	0.0
161	Liyagalawumirr	3	0.0
169	Liyagawumirr	0	0.0
11	Luritja	1,505	2.4
161	Madarrpa	3	0.0
129	Malak Malak	11	0.0
169	Malngin	0	0.0
84	Mangala	58	0.1
169	Mangarrayi	0	0.0
169	Manggalili	0	0.0
169	Manyjalpingu	0	0.0
32	Manyjilyjarra	346	0.6
141	Maringarr	8	0.0
135	Marra	10	0.0
169	Marramaninyshi	0	0.0
126	Marrangu	14	0.0
169	Marridan (Maridan)	0	0.0
116	Marrithiyel	20	0.0
21	Martu Wangka	605	1.0
169	Matngala	0	0.0
31	Maung	367	0.6
79	Mayali	67	0.1
46	Meriam Mir	186	0.3
67	Miriwoong	99	0.2
169	Mirning	0	0.0
169	Morrobalama	0	0.0
61	Mudburra	119	0.2
7	Murrinh Patha	2,411	3.9
135	Muruwari	10	0.0
65	Na-kara	103	0.2

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Australia : 2011 Census

Rank	Language	2011 Census	% of Indigenous Language Speakers
89	Narungga	46	0.1
33	Ndjebbana (Gunavidji)	336	0.5
16	Ngaanyatjarra	1,041	1.7
169	Ngalakgan	0	0.0
169	Ngaliwurru	0	0.0
169	Ngandi	0	0.0
68	Ngan'gikurunggurr	98	0.2
169	Ngardi	0	0.0
91	Ngarinyin	41	0.1
34	Ngarinyman	310	0.5
90	Ngarluma	45	0.1
39	Ngarrindjeri	271	0.4
169	Ngatjumaya	0	0.0
169	Nhangu	0	0.0
156	Nhangu, nec	4	0.0
169	Northern Desert Fringe Area Languages, nec	0	0.0
169	Northern Desert Fringe Area Languages, nfd	0	0.0
129	Nungali	11	0.0
43	Nunggubuyu	239	0.4
96	Nyamal	32	0.1
40	Nyangumarta	262	0.4
81	Nyikina	63	0.1
30	Nyungar	369	0.6
156	Other Australian Indigenous Languages, nfd	4	0.0
169	Other Yolngu Matha, nec	0	0.0
88	Paakantyi	47	0.1
141	Palyku/Nyiyaparli	8	0.0
55	Pintupi	140	0.2
3	Pitjantjatjara	3,486	5.6
59	Rembarrnga	124	0.2
169	Rirratjingu	0	0.0
121	Ritharrngu	16	0.0
161	Thaynakwith	3	0.0
8	Tiwi	2,210	3.6
169	Tjungundji	0	0.0
169	Tjupany	0	0.0
29	Torres Strait Island Languages, nfd	406	0.7
92	Waanyi	40	0.1
161	Wagilak	3	0.0
100	Wagiman	30	0.0
70	Wajarri	92	0.1
24	Walmajarri	528	0.9
129	Waluwarra	11	0.0
86	Wambaya	56	0.1
126	Wangkajunga	14	0.0
169	Wangkangurru	0	0.0
35	Wangkatha	298	0.5
108	Wangurri	26	0.0
169	Wanyjirra	0	0.0
141	Wardaman	8	0.0
169	Wargamay	0	0.0
117	Warlmanpa	19	0.0

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Rank	Language	2011 Census	% of Indigenous Language Speakers
5	Warlpiri	2,554	4.1
125	Warnman	15	0.0
141	Warramiri	8	0.0
37	Warumungu	286	0.5
126	Wergaia	14	0.0
27	Western Arrarnta	487	0.8
121	Western Desert Language, nec	16	0.0
169	Western Desert Language, nfd	0	0.0
13	Wik Mungkan	1,358	2.2
156	Wik Ngathan	4	0.0
52	Wiradjuri	151	0.2
169	Worla	0	0.0
169	Worrorra	0	0.0
169	Wubulkarra	0	0.0
129	Wunambal	11	0.0
96	Wurlaki	32	0.1
169	Yakuy, nec	0	0.0
169	Yakuy, nfd	0	0.0
28	Yankunytjatjara	452	0.7
169	Yan-nhangu	0	0.0
77	Yanyuwa	77	0.1
108	Yawuru	26	0.0
169	Yidiny	0	0.0
36	Yindjibarndi	296	0.5
153	Yinhawangka	6	0.0
6	Yolngu Matha, nfd	2,446	4.0
103	Yorta Yorta	29	0.0
87	Yulparija	49	0.1
2	Yumplatok (Torres Strait Creole)	5,368	8.7
169	Yupangathi	0	0.0
	Other Australian Indigenous Languages, nec	575	0.9
	Australian Indigenous Languages, nfd	2,743	4.4
	<b>Total</b>	<b>61,798</b>	<b>100.0</b>

**Table 9**
**Languages spoken at home by persons who speak English not well or not at all  
Australia: 2011 Census**

Language	Age					Total
	0-14	15-24	25-44 <i>Persons</i>	45-64	65+	
Mandarin	12,104	8,163	18,929	27,119	12,027	78,342
Vietnamese	10,777	2,807	21,672	30,495	10,040	75,791
Cantonese	6,165	2,865	9,372	28,558	17,735	64,695
Arabic	11,888	2,824	11,467	11,573	8,280	46,032
Italian	1,630	581	1,499	3,803	34,895	42,408
Greek	3,448	630	1,089	6,515	29,828	41,510
Korean	4,630	2,057	9,759	6,781	2,700	25,927
Non-verbal, so described	14,589	521	744	391	180	16,425
Spanish	2,433	365	1,715	3,894	6,066	14,473
Turkish	1,830	310	2,822	4,265	2,688	11,915
Macedonian	873	108	514	3,693	6,266	11,454
Khmer	1,332	476	3,030	3,775	1,368	9,981
Serbian	1,029	57	873	4,117	3,781	9,857
Croatian	520	55	291	1,765	5,442	8,073
Russian	1,198	79	685	1,463	4,091	7,516
Japanese	2,419	582	2,621	1,095	556	7,273
Chinese, nfd	615	1,809	1,904	1,722	719	6,769
Thai	1,149	551	3,135	1,613	250	6,698
Punjabi	2,444	285	1,523	1,006	778	6,036
Persian (excluding Dari)	1,133	318	1,803	1,543	1,068	5,865
Dari	1,748	532	1,803	1,300	422	5,805
Hindi	2,927	133	799	785	1,071	5,715
Polish	530	40	276	1,581	3,140	5,567
Indonesian	1,863	289	1,121	1,218	497	4,988
Portuguese	628	177	835	1,483	1,840	4,963
Assyrian Neo-Aramaic	997	123	958	1,308	1,078	4,464
Karen	1,389	727	1,229	650	146	4,141
Tamil	1,624	126	869	756	591	3,966
Urdu	2,409	117	686	418	190	3,820
Bengali	1,773	178	765	264	105	3,085
Samoan	913	121	446	1,053	509	3,042
Bosnian	292	28	368	1,587	740	3,015
Min Nan	290	46	298	1,355	1,022	3,011
Hazaraghi	963	422	1,152	395	40	2,972
Burmese	580	260	1,180	707	239	2,966
Tagalog	1,167	138	462	530	645	2,942
Nepali	1,010	302	937	500	187	2,936
Chaldean Neo-Aramaic	728	177	802	812	343	2,862
Maltese	71	33	106	638	2,012	2,860
Gujarati	1,444	68	651	375	245	2,783
Sinhalese	1,365	43	570	462	256	2,696
French	1,166	179	360	329	657	2,691
Other LOTE Languages	7,190	434	991	1,063	1,700	11,378
Not stated	25,833	3,938	11,496	11,801	12,603	65,671
Number of LOTE speakers who speak English not well or not at all	141,106	34,074	124,607	176,556	179,036	655,379



**Table 9 (Continued)**

Languages spoken at home by persons who speak English not well or not at all  
Australia: 2011 Census

Language	Age:					Total
	0-14	15-24	25-44	45-64	65+	
	Percentage of language group					
Mandarin	15.5	10.4	24.2	34.6	15.4	100.0
Vietnamese	14.2	3.7	28.6	40.2	13.2	100.0
Cantonese	9.5	4.4	14.5	44.1	27.4	100.0
Arabic	25.8	6.1	24.9	25.1	18.0	100.0
Italian	3.8	1.4	3.5	9.0	82.3	100.0
Greek	8.3	1.5	2.6	15.7	71.9	100.0
Korean	17.9	7.9	37.6	26.2	10.4	100.0
Non-verbal, so described	88.8	3.2	4.5	2.4	1.1	100.0
Spanish	16.8	2.5	11.8	26.9	41.9	100.0
Turkish	15.4	2.6	23.7	35.8	22.6	100.0
Macedonian	7.6	0.9	4.5	32.2	54.7	100.0
Khmer	13.3	4.8	30.4	37.8	13.7	100.0
Serbian	10.4	0.6	8.9	41.8	38.4	100.0
Croatian	6.4	0.7	3.6	21.9	67.4	100.0
Russian	15.9	1.1	9.1	19.5	54.4	100.0
Japanese	33.3	8.0	36.0	15.1	7.6	100.0
Chinese, nfd	9.1	26.7	28.1	25.4	10.6	100.0
Thai	17.2	8.2	46.8	24.1	3.7	100.0
Punjabi	40.5	4.7	25.2	16.7	12.9	100.0
Persian (excluding Dari)	19.3	5.4	30.7	26.3	18.2	100.0
Dari	30.1	9.2	31.1	22.4	7.3	100.0
Hindi	51.2	2.3	14.0	13.7	18.7	100.0
Polish	9.5	0.7	5.0	28.4	56.4	100.0
Indonesian	37.3	5.8	22.5	24.4	10.0	100.0
Portuguese	12.7	3.6	16.8	29.9	37.1	100.0
Assyrian Neo-Aramaic	22.3	2.8	21.5	29.3	24.1	100.0
Karen	33.5	17.6	29.7	15.7	3.5	100.0
Tamil	40.9	3.2	21.9	19.1	14.9	100.0
Urdu	63.1	3.1	18.0	10.9	5.0	100.0
Bengali	57.5	5.8	24.8	8.6	3.4	100.0
Samoan	30.0	4.0	14.7	34.6	16.7	100.0
Bosnian	9.7	0.9	12.2	52.6	24.5	100.0
Min Nan	9.6	1.5	9.9	45.0	33.9	100.0
Hazaraghi	32.4	14.2	38.8	13.3	1.3	100.0
Burmese	19.6	8.8	39.8	23.8	8.1	100.0
Tagalog	39.7	4.7	15.7	18.0	21.9	100.0
Nepali	34.4	10.3	31.9	17.0	6.4	100.0
Chaldean Neo-Aramaic	25.4	6.2	28.0	28.4	12.0	100.0
Maltese	2.5	1.2	3.7	22.3	70.3	100.0
Gujarati	51.9	2.4	23.4	13.5	8.8	100.0
Sinhalese	50.6	1.6	21.1	17.1	9.5	100.0
French	43.3	6.7	13.4	12.2	24.4	100.0
Other LOTE Languages	63.2	3.8	8.7	9.3	14.9	100.0
Not stated	39.3	6.0	17.5	18.0	19.2	100.0
Proportion of LOTE speakers who speak English not well or not at all	21.5	5.2	19.0	26.9	27.3	100.0

**Table 10****Internet connection type by age and English proficiency****Australia: 2011 Census**

Type of Connection	Age					Total
	0-14	15-24	25-44	45-64	65+	
	<b>Speak English only</b>					
Broadband Connection	85.3	82.2	82.3	78.1	49.3	<b>12,391,113</b>
Dial-Up Connection	2.2	2.1	2.2	3.4	4.5	<b>448,604</b>
Other Connection	3.8	5.4	5.3	2.5	1.4	<b>603,972</b>
<b>Total per cent with internet access</b>	<b>91.3</b>	<b>89.7</b>	<b>89.9</b>	<b>84.1</b>	<b>55.2</b>	<b>83.9</b>
<b>Total persons without internet access</b>	<b>208,759</b>	<b>162,700</b>	<b>329,554</b>	<b>559,239</b>	<b>888,190</b>	<b>2,148,442</b>
<b>Total persons with not stated internet access</b>	<b>79,259</b>	<b>54,223</b>	<b>100,505</b>	<b>108,910</b>	<b>84,256</b>	<b>427,153</b>
	<b>Speak English very well or well</b>					
Broadband Connection	81.6	83.4	82.7	78.1	42.2	<b>2,492,757</b>
Dial-Up Connection	2.6	2.1	2.2	2.8	3.1	<b>78,861</b>
Other Connection	3.1	3.1	4.2	2.5	2.1	<b>105,613</b>
<b>Total per cent with internet access</b>	<b>87.4</b>	<b>88.6</b>	<b>89.1</b>	<b>83.4</b>	<b>47.4</b>	<b>83.5</b>
<b>Total persons without internet access</b>	<b>43,334</b>	<b>36,564</b>	<b>94,545</b>	<b>95,719</b>	<b>142,417</b>	<b>412,579</b>
<b>Total persons with not stated internet access</b>	<b>17,379</b>	<b>19,063</b>	<b>36,726</b>	<b>25,047</b>	<b>17,388</b>	<b>115,603</b>
	<b>Speak English not well or not at all</b>					
Broadband Connection	75.3	70.6	68.7	70.9	40.9	<b>404,551</b>
Dial-Up Connection	2.6	3.0	3.1	2.5	2.2	<b>16,522</b>
Other Connection	4.3	3.8	4.1	2.8	2.2	<b>20,778</b>
<b>Total per cent with internet access</b>	<b>82.2</b>	<b>77.4</b>	<b>75.9</b>	<b>76.3</b>	<b>45.3</b>	<b>69.5</b>
<b>Total persons without internet access</b>	<b>20,169</b>	<b>5,128</b>	<b>22,062</b>	<b>33,597</b>	<b>84,319</b>	<b>165,275</b>
<b>Total persons with not stated internet access</b>	<b>4,739</b>	<b>2,148</b>	<b>7,397</b>	<b>7,825</b>	<b>6,861</b>	<b>28,970</b>

1. Figures in this table are based on private dwellings only

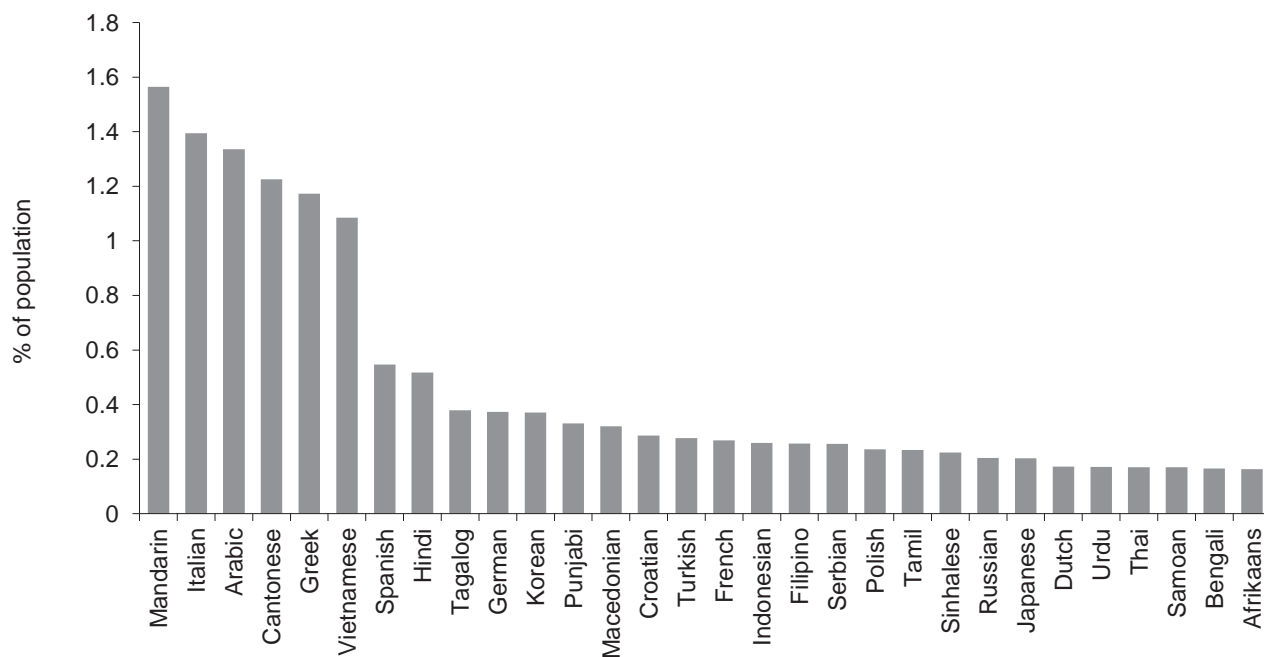
**Table 11****Citizenship rates by birthplace and English proficiency****Australia: 2011 Census**

Birthplace	Speaks English only	Speaks English Well/Very well	Speaks English not well/not at all	Total
England	67.9	60.3	44.0	911,594
New Zealand	32.8	30.6	15.9	483,397
China (excludes SARs and Taiwan)	69.2	46.6	46.8	318,973
India	74.5	37.6	18.9	295,367
Italy	88.4	79.8	68.6	185,404
Vietnam	83.8	83.3	80.8	185,037
Philippines	82.5	63.6	45.6	171,239
South Africa	70.6	46.1	20.8	145,686
Scotland	64.1	61.6	57.6	133,432
Malaysia	68.9	38.9	37.7	116,196
Germany	80.7	56.1	44.1	108,004
Greece	95.4	96.6	96.4	99,940
Sri Lanka	86.5	57.5	31.8	86,414
United States of America	54.5	49.3	36.3	77,015
Lebanon	94.9	91.6	83.5	76,451
Netherlands	83.9	59.3	49.4	76,046
Hong Kong (SAR of China)	85.9	79.4	76.0	74,956
Korea, Republic of (South)	64.2	40.4	29.4	74,541
Ireland	53.5	35.8	14.9	67,320
Indonesia	66.5	33.1	30.2	63,161
Fiji	78.8	75.0	67.7	56,982
Croatia	95.8	96.0	94.6	48,831
Poland	91.3	88.9	84.4	48,679
Singapore	68.0	41.1	54.3	48,647
Iraq	86.8	76.6	50.6	48,171
Thailand	70.3	50.6	27.6	45,467
Malta	85.9	83.5	75.8	41,277
Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia (FYROM)	94.7	94.2	91.5	40,220
Canada	58.0	46.6	30.5	38,869
Egypt	92.7	85.5	73.0	36,530
Japan	41.3	14.2	7.0	35,377
Iran	79.5	65.0	48.8	34,459
Turkey	83.4	86.9	79.5	32,848
Zimbabwe	73.7	32.9	15.7	30,254
Pakistan	77.0	53.7	35.2	30,223
Wales	66.9	52.7	65.0	28,677
Taiwan	68.1	67.2	60.0	28,629
Afghanistan	79.5	73.3	45.7	28,599
Cambodia	84.6	85.7	80.7	28,330
Bangladesh	64.7	54.0	27.7	27,811
Papua New Guinea	87.2	52.1	52.8	26,789
Bosnia and Herzegovina	94.4	95.2	93.2	25,682
South Eastern Europe, nfd	95.5	95.3	92.9	25,074
Chile	85.6	76.9	68.1	24,938
France	73.3	52.6	34.8	24,676
Nepal	33.3	13.8	5.5	24,638
Mauritius	86.5	64.7	67.3	23,281

## Chart 8

### Main languages excluding English and Indigenous

Australia: 2011 Census

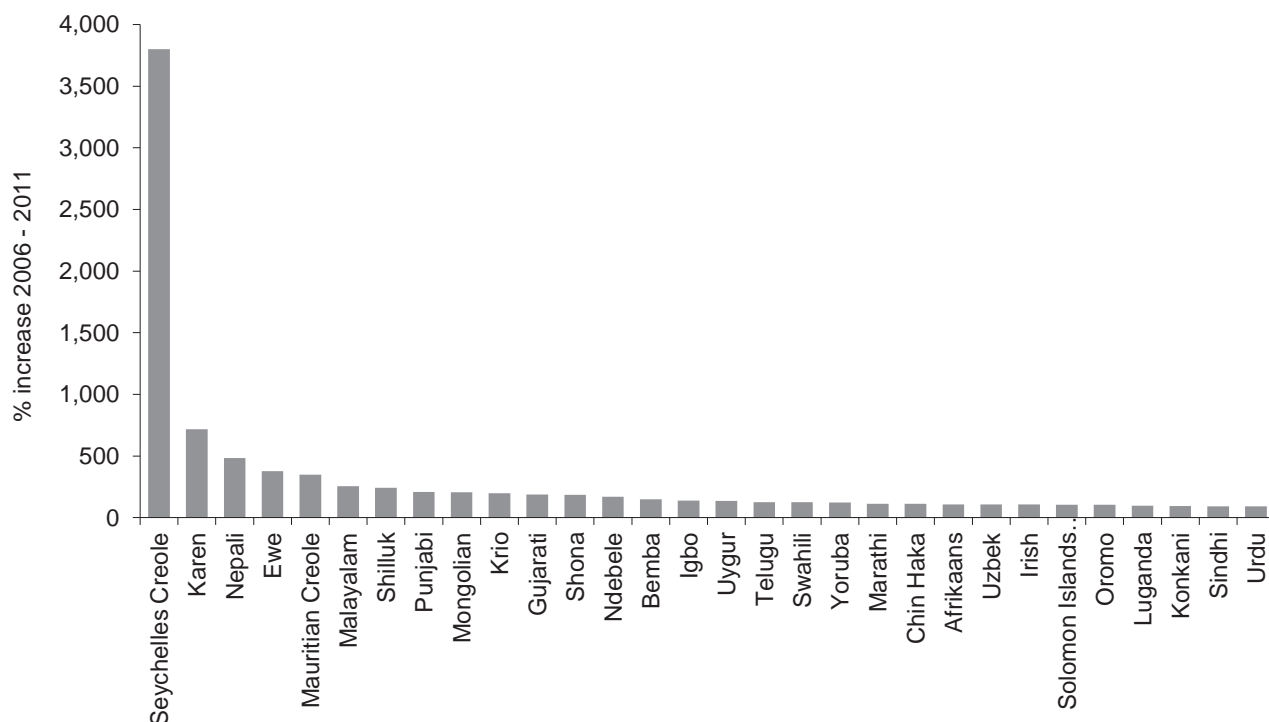


Rank	Language	2011 Census	% of population
1	Mandarin	336,409	1.6
2	Italian	299,833	1.4
3	Arabic	287,175	1.3
4	Cantonese	263,674	1.2
5	Greek	252,217	1.2
6	Vietnamese	233,390	1.1
7	Spanish	117,498	0.5
8	Hindi	111,351	0.5
9	Tagalog	81,457	0.4
10	German	80,370	0.4
11	Korean	79,786	0.4
12	Punjabi	71,230	0.3
13	Macedonian	68,848	0.3
14	Croatian	61,547	0.3
15	Turkish	59,623	0.3

Rank	Language	2011 Census	% of population
16	French	57,739	0.3
17	Indonesian	55,870	0.3
18	Filipino	55,401	0.3
19	Serbian	55,114	0.3
20	Polish	50,695	0.2
21	Tamil	50,152	0.2
22	Sinhalese	48,191	0.2
23	Russian	44,059	0.2
24	Japanese	43,692	0.2
25	Dutch	37,247	0.2
26	Urdu	36,836	0.2
27	Thai	36,683	0.2
28	Samoan	36,571	0.2
29	Bengali	35,645	0.2
30	Afrikaans	35,031	0.2

## Chart 9

### Fastest growing languages excluding English and Indigenous Australia: 2011 and 2006 Census

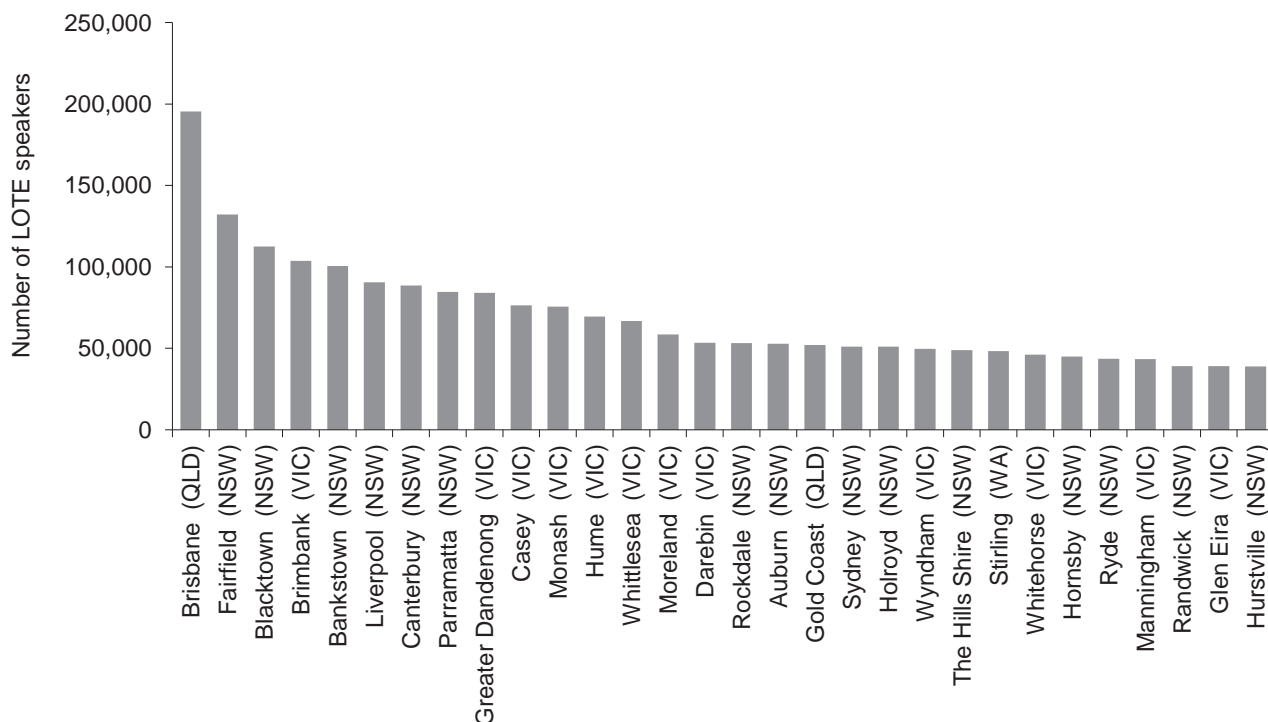


Rank	Language	2011 Census	% change 2006-11
1	Seychelles Creole	702	3800.0
2	Karen	6,400	717.4
3	Nepali	27,154	483.3
4	Ewe	405	376.5
5	Mauritian Creole	3,256	348.5
6	Malayalam	25,111	254.2
7	Shilluk	202	242.4
8	Punjabi	71,230	207.5
9	Mongolian	634	204.8
10	Krio	2,364	198.5
11	Gujarati	34,211	188.1
12	Shona	8,006	186.3
13	Ndebele	1,064	170.1
14	Bemba	628	148.2
15	Igbo	885	137.9

Rank	Language	2011 Census	% change 2006-11
16	Uyгур	874	136.9
17	Telugu	18,721	126.2
18	Swahili	6,886	125.6
19	Yoruba	1,277	122.1
20	Marathi	8,572	111.8
21	Chin Haka	831	111.5
22	Afrikaans	35,031	108.4
23	Uzbek	291	107.9
24	Irish	1,896	107.2
25	Solomon Islands Pijin	237	104.3
26	Oromo	2,030	103.8
27	Luganda	256	96.9
28	Konkani	1,677	93.4
29	Sindhi	867	92.7
30	Urdu	36,836	91.0

## Chart 10

### Local government areas with highest number of language other than English speakers Australia: 2011 Census

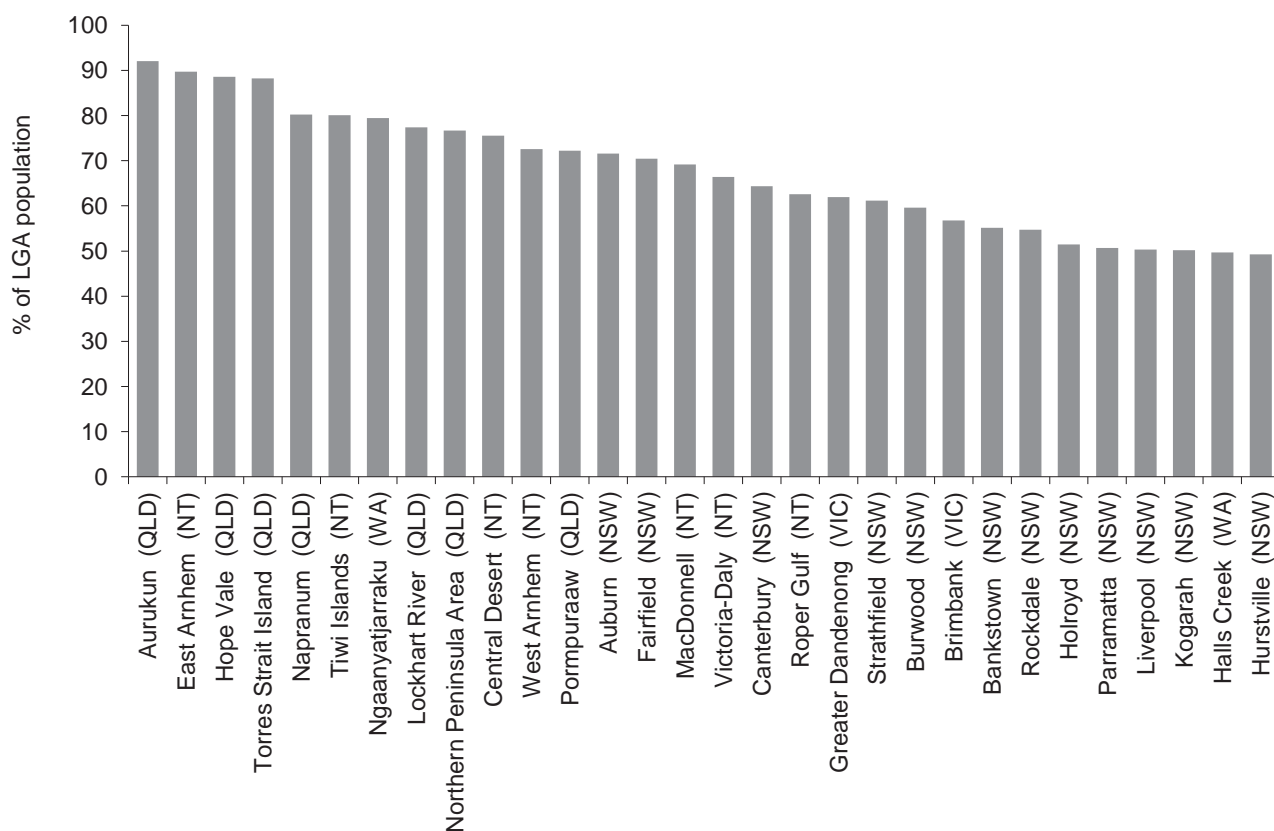


Rank	LGA	LOTE Speakers	% of LGA
1	Brisbane (QLD)	195,410	18.8
2	Fairfield (NSW)	132,248	70.4
3	Blacktown (NSW)	112,454	37.3
4	Brimbank (VIC)	103,686	56.7
5	Bankstown (NSW)	100,609	55.2
6	Liverpool (NSW)	90,603	50.3
7	Canterbury (NSW)	88,499	64.4
8	Parramatta (NSW)	84,551	50.7
9	Greater Dandenong (VIC)	84,033	62.0
10	Casey (VIC)	76,429	30.3
11	Monash (VIC)	75,677	44.7
12	Hume (VIC)	69,439	41.4
13	Whittlesea (VIC)	66,716	43.1
14	Moreland (VIC)	58,572	39.8
15	Darebin (VIC)	53,370	39.1

Rank	LGA	LOTE Speakers	% of LGA
16	Rockdale (NSW)	53,248	54.7
17	Auburn (NSW)	52,773	71.6
18	Gold Coast (QLD)	52,005	10.5
19	Sydney (NSW)	51,112	30.2
20	Holroyd (NSW)	51,026	51.5
21	Wyndham (VIC)	49,588	30.7
22	The Hills Shire (NSW)	48,805	28.7
23	Stirling (WA)	48,197	24.6
24	Whitehorse (VIC)	46,228	30.5
25	Hornsby (NSW)	44,960	28.7
26	Ryde (NSW)	43,605	42.3
27	Manningham (VIC)	43,471	39.1
28	Randwick (NSW)	39,131	30.3
29	Glen Eira (VIC)	38,989	29.8
30	Hurstville (NSW)	38,847	49.3

## Chart 11

### Local government areas<sup>1</sup> with the highest proportion of LOTE speakers Australia: 2011 Census



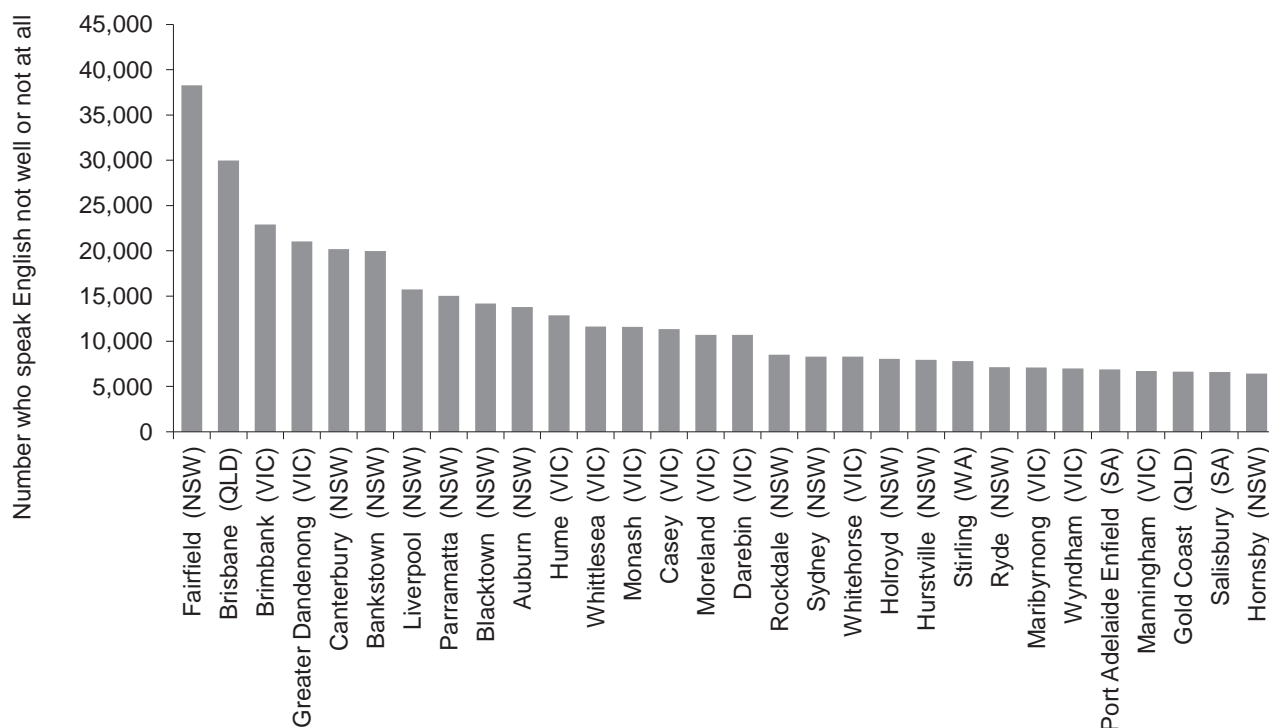
Rank	LGA	LOTE Speakers	% of LGA
1	Aurukun (QLD)	1,192	92.0
2	East Arnhem (NT)	8,164	89.7
3	Hope Vale (QLD)	871	88.6
4	Torres Strait Island (QLD)	3,750	88.2
5	Napranum (QLD)	687	80.3
6	Tiwi Islands (NT)	2,066	80.1
7	Ngaanyatjarraku (WA)	1,142	79.5
8	Lockhart River (QLD)	373	77.4
9	Northern Peninsula Area (QLD)	1,763	76.7
10	Central Desert (NT)	2,808	75.5
11	West Arnhem (NT)	4,521	72.5
12	Porpuraaw (QLD)	479	72.2
13	Auburn (NSW)	52,773	71.6
14	Fairfield (NSW)	132,248	70.4
15	MacDonnell (NT)	4,033	69.2

Rank	LGA	LOTE Speakers	% of LGA
16	Victoria-Daly (NT)	3,932	66.4
17	Canterbury (NSW)	88,499	64.4
18	Roper Gulf (NT)	3,830	62.6
19	Greater Dandenong (VIC)	84,033	62.0
20	Strathfield (NSW)	21,533	61.2
21	Burwood (NSW)	19,322	59.6
22	Brimbank (VIC)	103,686	56.7
23	Bankstown (NSW)	100,609	55.2
24	Rockdale (NSW)	53,248	54.7
25	Holroyd (NSW)	51,026	51.5
26	Parramatta (NSW)	84,551	50.7
27	Liverpool (NSW)	90,603	50.3
28	Kogarah (NSW)	27,990	50.2
29	Halls Creek (WA)	1,771	49.7
30	Hurstville (NSW)	38,847	49.3

1. Excludes Community Government Councils (CGC), Island Councils (IC) and Aboriginal Councils (AC)

## Chart 12

### Local government areas with highest number who speak English not well or not at all Australia: 2011 Census



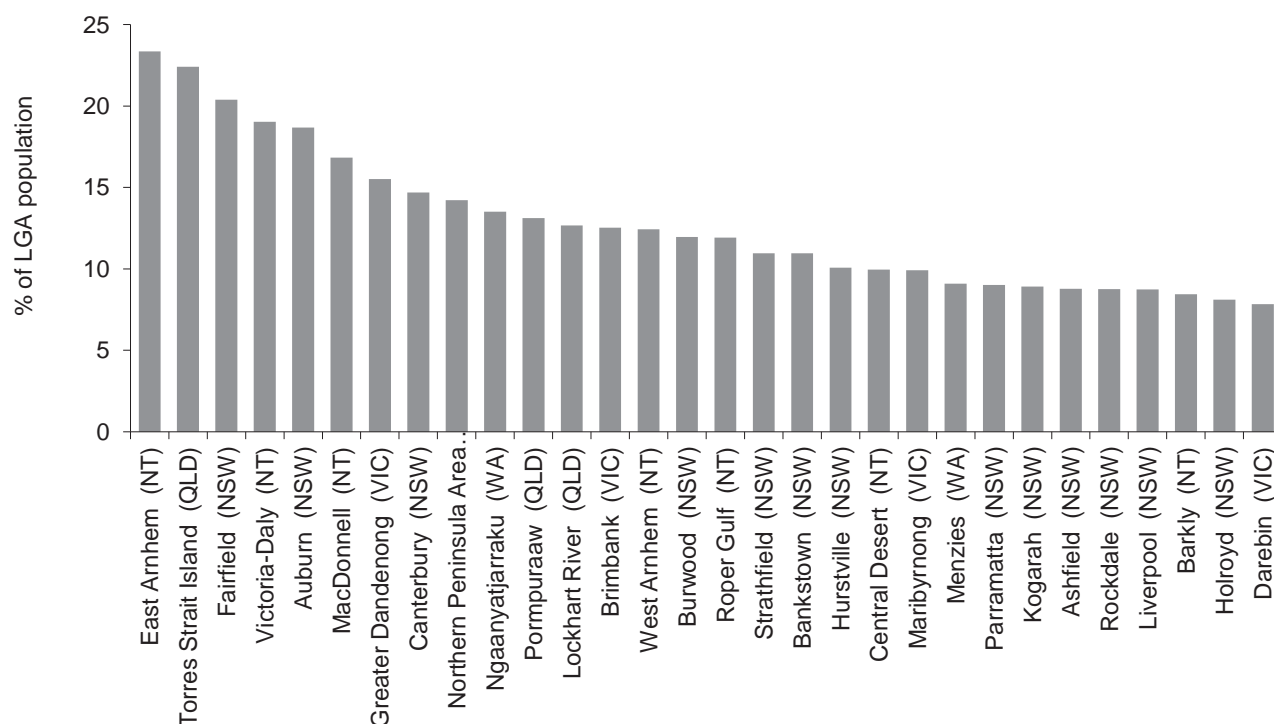
Rank	LGA	Poor English	% of LGA
1	Fairfield (NSW)	38,287	20.4
2	Brisbane (QLD)	29,980	2.9
3	Brimbank (VIC)	22,907	12.5
4	Greater Dandenong (VIC)	21,046	15.5
5	Canterbury (NSW)	20,182	14.7
6	Bankstown (NSW)	19,968	11.0
7	Liverpool (NSW)	15,723	8.7
8	Parramatta (NSW)	15,033	9.0
9	Blacktown (NSW)	14,169	4.7
10	Auburn (NSW)	13,776	18.7
11	Hume (VIC)	12,879	7.7
12	Whittlesea (VIC)	11,634	7.5
13	Monash (VIC)	11,592	6.8
14	Casey (VIC)	11,348	4.5
15	Moreland (VIC)	10,699	7.3

Rank	LGA	Poor English	% of LGA
16	Darebin (VIC)	10,693	7.8
17	Rockdale (NSW)	8,515	8.7
18	Sydney (NSW)	8,313	4.9
19	Whitehorse (VIC)	8,299	5.5
20	Holroyd (NSW)	8,040	8.1
21	Hurstville (NSW)	7,950	10.1
22	Stirling (WA)	7,825	4.0
23	Ryde (NSW)	7,145	6.9
24	Maribyrnong (VIC)	7,105	9.9
25	Wyndham (VIC)	6,987	4.3
26	Port Adelaide Enfield (SA)	6,891	6.1
27	Manningham (VIC)	6,730	6.0
28	Gold Coast (QLD)	6,647	1.3
29	Salisbury (SA)	6,593	5.1
30	Hornsby (NSW)	6,419	4.1



## Chart 13

Local government areas<sup>1</sup> with the highest proportion who speak English not well or not at all  
Australia: 2011 Census



Rank	LGA	Poor English	% of LGA
1	East Arnhem (NT)	2,125	23.4
2	Torres Strait Island (QLD)	952	22.4
3	Fairfield (NSW)	38,287	20.4
4	Victoria-Daly (NT)	1,127	19.0
5	Auburn (NSW)	13,776	18.7
6	MacDonnell (NT)	982	16.8
7	Greater Dandenong (VIC)	21,046	15.5
8	Canterbury (NSW)	20,182	14.7
9	Northern Peninsula Area (QLD)	327	14.2
10	Ngaanyatjarraku (WA)	194	13.5
11	Porpuraaw (QLD)	87	13.1
12	Lockhart River (QLD)	61	12.7
13	Brimbank (VIC)	22,907	12.5
14	West Arnhem (NT)	774	12.4
15	Burwood (NSW)	3,879	12.0

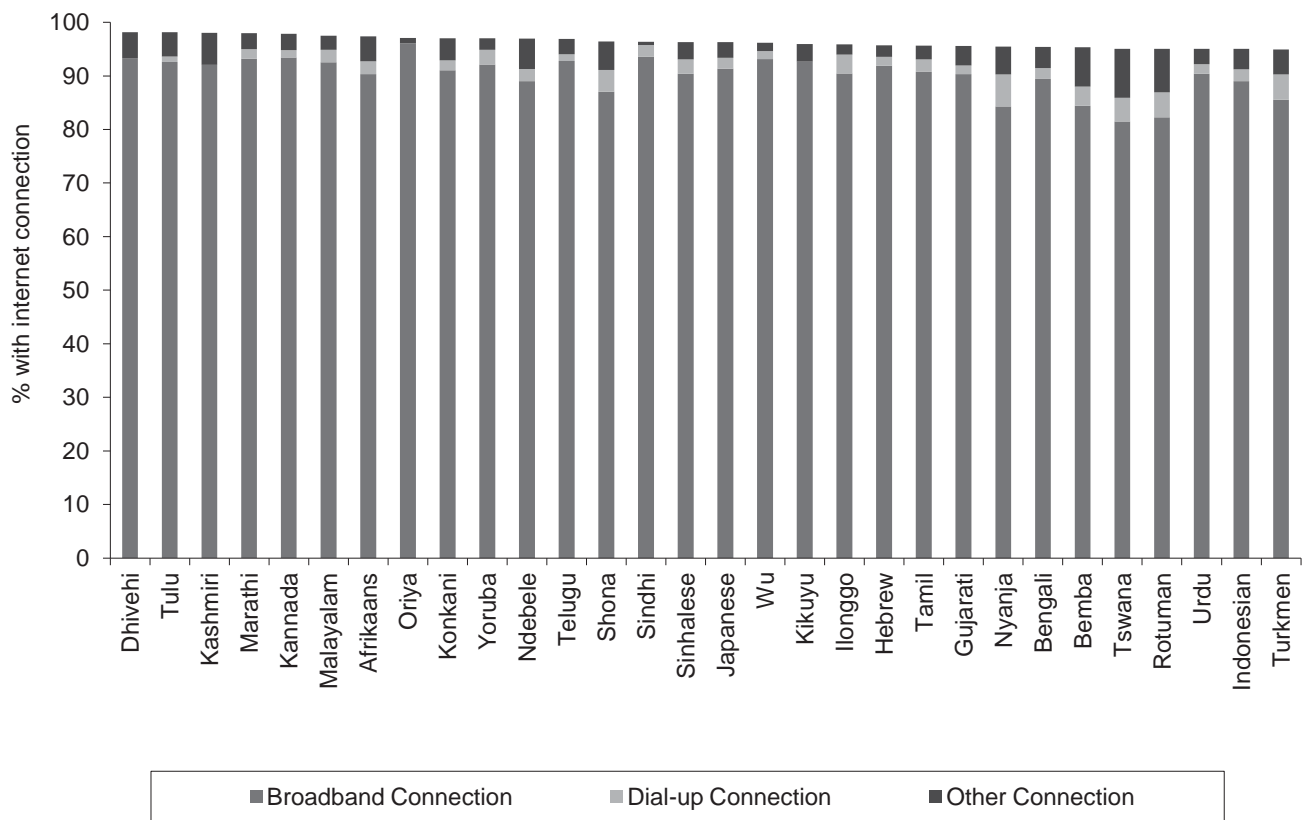
Rank	LGA	Poor English	% of LGA
16	Roper Gulf (NT)	730	11.9
17	Strathfield (NSW)	3,856	11.0
18	Bankstown (NSW)	19,968	11.0
19	Hurstville (NSW)	7,950	10.1
20	Central Desert (NT)	370	10.0
21	Maribyrnong (VIC)	7,105	9.9
22	Menzies (WA)	35	9.1
23	Parramatta (NSW)	15,033	9.0
24	Kogarah (NSW)	4,974	8.9
25	Ashfield (NSW)	3,616	8.8
26	Rockdale (NSW)	8,515	8.7
27	Liverpool (NSW)	15,723	8.7
28	Barkly (NT)	576	8.4
29	Holroyd (NSW)	8,040	8.1
30	Darebin (VIC)	10,693	7.8

1. Excludes Community Government Councils (CGC), Island Councils (IC) and Aboriginal Councils (AC)

**Chart 14**

**Highest internet connectivity by language spoken<sup>1</sup>**

Australia: 2011 Census



Rank	Language	Broadband connection (%)	Dial-up connection (%)	Other connection (%)
1	Dhivehi	93.3	0.0	4.8
2	Tulu	92.6	1.1	4.5
3	Kashmiri	92.1	0.0	6.0
4	Marathi	93.2	1.8	3.0
5	Kannada	93.4	1.4	3.0
6	Malayalam	92.5	2.4	2.6
7	Afrikaans	90.3	2.4	4.7
8	Oriya	96.1	0.0	1.0
9	Konkani	91.1	1.9	4.1
10	Yoruba	92.1	2.8	2.1
11	Ndebele	89.0	2.3	5.7
12	Telugu	92.8	1.3	2.9
13	Shona	87.0	4.1	5.3
14	Sindhi	93.6	2.2	0.6
15	Sinhalese	90.4	2.7	3.2

Rank	Language	Broadband connection (%)	Dial-up connection (%)	Other connection (%)
16	Japanese	91.3	2.0	2.9
17	Wu	93.2	1.4	1.5
18	Kikuyu	92.7	0.0	3.3
19	(Hiligaynon)	90.5	3.5	1.9
20	Hebrew	91.9	1.7	2.2
21	Tamil	90.7	2.3	2.6
22	Gujarati	90.3	1.6	3.7
23	(Chichewa)	84.3	5.9	5.2
24	Bengali	89.4	2.0	4.0
25	Bemba	84.4	3.6	7.4
26	Tswana	81.5	4.4	9.1
27	Rotuman	82.3	4.7	8.1
28	Urdu	90.4	1.8	2.8
29	Indonesian	89.0	2.2	3.8
30	Turkmen	85.6	4.7	4.7

1. Figures in this table are based on private dwellings only

**Table 12**
**Religion**
**Australia: 2011 and 2006 Census**

Religion	2011 Census	% of population	% of responses	2006	% change 2006-2011
<b>Buddhism</b>	528,976	2.5	2.7	418,757	26.3
<b>Christianity (total)</b>	13,150,672	61.1	66.9	12,685,827	3.7
Christian, nfd (total)	470,941	2.2	2.4	313,193	50.4
Christian, nfd	461,209	2.1	2.3	305,480	51.0
Apostolic Church, so described	5,108	0.0	0.0	5,232	-2.4
Church of God, so described	975	0.0	0.0	893	9.2
Australian Christian Churches, so described	3,640	0.0	0.0	1,584	129.8
Anglican (total)	3,679,906	17.1	18.7	3,718,248	-1.0
Anglican Church of Australia	3,678,003	17.1	18.7	3,716,378	-1.0
Anglican Catholic Church	1,902	0.0	0.0	1,866	1.9
Baptist	352,497	1.6	1.8	316,742	11.3
Brethren	21,732	0.1	0.1	24,227	-10.3
Catholic (total)	5,439,268	25.3	27.7	5,126,885	6.1
Western Catholic	5,397,393	25.1	27.4	5,087,115	6.1
Maronite Catholic	30,661	0.1	0.2	29,072	5.5
Melkite Catholic	2,499	0.0	0.0	1,980	26.2
Ukrainian Catholic	3,056	0.0	0.0	3,608	-15.3
Chaldean Catholic	4,972	0.0	0.0	4,499	10.5
Catholic, nec	682	0.0	0.0	613	11.3
Churches of Christ (total)	49,688	0.2	0.3	54,818	-9.4
Churches of Christ, nfd	7,187	0.0	0.0	6,639	8.3
Churches of Christ (Conference)	42,144	0.2	0.2	47,772	-11.8
Church of Christ (Non-denominational)	331	0.0	0.0	366	-9.6
International Church of Christ	30	0.0	0.0	43	-30.2
Jehovah's Witnesses	85,634	0.4	0.4	80,919	5.8
Latter-day Saints (total) <sup>1</sup>	59,770	0.3	0.3	53,199	12.4
Church of Jesus Christ of LDS (Mormons)	58,838	0.3	0.3	52,146	12.8
Community of Christ	935	0.0	0.0	1,042	-10.3
Lutheran	251,932	1.2	1.3	251,106	0.3
Oriental Orthodox (total)	41,263	0.2	0.2	32,708	26.2
Oriental Orthodox, nfd	49	0.0	0.0	84	-41.7
Armenian Apostolic	7,661	0.0	0.0	8,050	-4.8
Coptic Orthodox Church	24,693	0.1	0.1	19,924	23.9
Syrian Orthodox Church	5,822	0.0	0.0	2,882	102.0
Ethiopian Orthodox Church	2,846	0.0	0.0	1,707	66.7
Oriental Orthodox, nec	188	0.0	0.0	70	168.6
Assyrian Apostolic (total)	10,589	0.0	0.1	8,192	29.3
Assyrian Church of the East	8,497	0.0	0.0	5,956	42.7
Ancient Church of the East	2,095	0.0	0.0	2,227	-5.9
Eastern Orthodox (total)	563,073	2.6	2.9	544,162	3.5
Eastern Orthodox, nfd	49,577	0.2	0.3	48,157	2.9
Albanian Orthodox	48	0.0	0.0	73	-34.2
Antiochian Orthodox	8,264	0.0	0.0	7,829	5.6
Greek Orthodox	383,400	1.8	1.9	374,575	2.4
Macedonian Orthodox	52,052	0.2	0.3	48,082	8.3

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Romanian Orthodox	1,883	0.0	0.0	1,607	17.2
Russian Orthodox	22,251	0.1	0.1	19,970	11.4
Serbian Orthodox	41,833	0.2	0.2	39,969	4.7
Ukrainian Orthodox	2,714	0.0	0.0	2,979	-8.9
Eastern Orthodox, nec	1,065	0.0	0.0	917	16.1
Presbyterian and Reformed (total)	599,515	2.8	3.0	596,668	0.5
Presbyterian	584,816	2.7	3.0	583,396	0.2
Reformed	11,981	0.1	0.1	10,609	12.9
Free Reformed	2,717	0.0	0.0	2,653	2.4
Salvation Army	60,163	0.3	0.3	64,200	-6.3
Seventh-day Adventist	63,000	0.3	0.3	55,251	14.0
Uniting Church	1,065,795	5.0	5.4	1,135,426	-6.1
Pentecostal (total)	237,987	1.1	1.2	219,691	8.3
Pentecostal, nfd	192,181	0.9	1.0	88,535	117.1
Apostolic Church (Australia)	294	0.0	0.0	2,415	-87.8
Assemblies of God	28,299	0.1	0.1	94,892	-70.2
Bethesda Churches	49	0.0	0.0	91	-46.2
Christian City Church	619	0.0	0.0	5,114	-87.9
Christian Life Churches International	242	0.0	0.0	481	-49.7
Christian Outreach Centres	2,657	0.0	0.0	11,045	-75.9
Christian Revival Crusade	3,774	0.0	0.0	5,312	-29.0
Faith Churches	38	0.0	0.0	99	-61.6
Foursquare Gospel Church	549	0.0	0.0	744	-26.2
Full Gospel Church	1,467	0.0	0.0	1,355	8.3
Revival Centres	2,227	0.0	0.0	2,966	-24.9
Rhema Family Church	50	0.0	0.0	122	-59.0
United Pentecostal	848	0.0	0.0	794	6.8
Pentecostal, nec	4,685	0.0	0.0	5,726	-18.2
Other Protestant (total)	60,242	0.3	0.3	56,103	7.4
Other Protestant, nfd	22,706	0.1	0.1	18,803	20.8
Aboriginal Evangelical Missions	3,450	0.0	0.0	3,819	-9.7
Born Again Christian	11,885	0.1	0.1	11,775	0.9
Christian and Missionary Alliance	1,319	0.0	0.0	2,222	-40.6
Church of the Nazarene	1,356	0.0	0.0	1,405	-3.5
Congregational	4,359	0.0	0.0	4,689	-7.0
Ethnic Evangelical Churches	2,909	0.0	0.0	2,746	5.9
Independent Evangelical Churches	1,829	0.0	0.0	1,879	-2.7
Wesleyan Methodist Church	3,272	0.0	0.0	3,403	-3.8
Other Protestant, nec	7,159	0.0	0.0	5,359	33.6
Other Christian (total)	37,674	0.2	0.2	34,095	10.5
Other Christian, nfd	978	0.0	0.0	667	46.6
Apostolic Church of Queensland	3,034	0.0	0.0	3,104	-2.3
Christadelphians	10,653	0.0	0.1	10,211	4.3
Christian Science	1,358	0.0	0.0	1,471	-7.7
Gnostic Christians	1,033	0.0	0.0	1,102	-6.3
Liberal Catholic Church	304	0.0	0.0	387	-21.4
New Apostolic Church	2,888	0.0	0.0	2,729	5.8

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Australia: 2011 and 2006 Census

Religion	2011 Census	% of Population	% of responses	Change 2006-2011	% change 2006-2011
New Churches (Swedenborgian)	331	0.0	0.0	363	-8.8
Ratana (Maori)	4,626	0.0	0.0	3,303	40.1
Religious Science	292	0.0	0.0	339	-13.9
Religious Society of Friends (Quakers)	2,077	0.0	0.0	1,985	4.6
Temple Society	703	0.0	0.0	600	17.2
Unitarian	1,333	0.0	0.0	1,011	31.8
Worldwide Church of God	128	0.0	0.0	584	-78.1
Other Christian, nec	7,928	0.0	0.0	6,250	26.8
<b>Hinduism</b>	275,533	1.3	1.4	148,124	86.0
<b>Islam</b>	476,291	2.2	2.4	340,393	39.9
<b>Judaism</b>	97,335	0.5	0.5	88,831	9.6
<b>Other Religions (total)</b>	168,195	0.8	0.9	109,025	54.3
Australian Aboriginal Traditional Religions	7,362	0.0	0.0	5,377	36.9
Baha'i	13,707	0.1	0.1	12,332	11.1
Chinese Religions (total)	5,152	0.0	0.0	4,374	17.8
Chinese Religions, nfd	23	0.0	0.0	12	91.7
Ancestor Veneration	507	0.0	0.0	500	1.4
Confucianism	342	0.0	0.0	258	32.6
Taoism	4,247	0.0	0.0	3,579	18.7
Chinese Religions, nec	36	0.0	0.0	26	38.5
Druse	2,974	0.0	0.0	2,976	-0.1
Japanese Religions (total)	1,640	0.0	0.0	1,305	25.7
Shinto	1,107	0.0	0.0	734	50.8
Sukyo Mahikari	423	0.0	0.0	466	-9.2
Tenrikyo	99	0.0	0.0	80	23.8
Nature Religions (total)	32,083	0.1	0.2	29,391	9.2
Nature Religions, nfd	92	0.0	0.0	79	16.5
Animism	781	0.0	0.0	870	-10.2
Druidism	1,047	0.0	0.0	1,021	2.5
Paganism	16,850	0.1	0.1	15,515	8.6
Pantheism	1,396	0.0	0.0	1,035	34.9
Wiccan/Witchcraft	8,413	0.0	0.0	8,206	2.5
Nature Religions, nec	3,508	0.0	0.0	2,661	31.8
Sikhism	72,297	0.3	0.4	26,425	173.6
Spiritualism	11,551	0.1	0.1	9,845	17.3
Miscellaneous Religions (total)	21,428	0.1	0.1	16,994	26.1
Caodaism	681	0.0	0.0	652	4.4
Church of Scientology	2,162	0.0	0.0	2,507	-13.8
Eckankar	673	0.0	0.0	683	-1.5
Rastafarianism	1,392	0.0	0.0	978	42.3
Satanism	2,455	0.0	0.0	2,248	9.2
Theosophy	1,486	0.0	0.0	1,639	-9.3
Jainism	2,922	0.0	0.0	1,262	131.5
Zoroastrianism	2,544	0.0	0.0	2,113	20.4
Religious Groups, nec	7,126	0.0	0.0	4,916	45.0
<b>No Religion (total)</b>	4,796,786	22.3	24.4	3,706,554	29.4

**Table 12 (continued)**

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Australia: 2011 and 2006 Census

Religion	2011 Census	% of Population	% of responses	Change 2006-2011	% change 2006-2011
No Religion, nfd	4,693,162	21.8	23.9	3,643,817	28.8
Agnosticism	34,633	0.2	0.2	22,132	56.5
Atheism	58,898	0.3	0.3	31,304	88.1
Humanism	7,662	0.0	0.0	7,634	0.4
Rationalism	2,433	0.0	0.0	1,667	46.0
<b>Supplementary codes (total)</b>	174,281	0.8	0.9	133,819	30.2
Religious Belief, nfd	35,169	0.2	0.2	20,539	71.2
Not Defined	132,599	0.6	0.7	108,654	22.0
New Age, so described	2,627	0.0	0.0	2,016	30.3
Theism	3,883	0.0	0.0	2,613	48.6
Not elsewhere classified <sup>2</sup>	11	0.0	0.0	37	-70.3
Not stated	1,839,650	8.6	9.4	2,223,957	-17.3
Total responses	19,668,069	..	100.0	17,631,330	11.6
Total population	21,507,719	100.0	..	19,855,287	8.3

1. Reported as Latter Day Saints (total) in 2006

2. Religions with 2011 values lower than 10 are reported collectively in an overall NEC category

**Table 13****Ancestry****Australia: 2011 and 2006 Census**

Rank	Ancestry	2011 Census	% of population	% of responses	2006 Census	% change 2006-2011
280	Acehnese	118	0.0	0.0	75	57.3
276	Acholi <sup>1</sup>	135	0.0	0.0	..	..
49	Afghan	29,474	0.1	0.1	19,414	51.8
140	African American	2,245	0.0	0.0	1,803	24.5
56	African, so described	25,305	0.1	0.1	13,362	89.4
116	Afrikaner	5,079	0.0	0.0	3,029	67.7
268	Akan	169	0.0	0.0	172	-1.7
81	Albanian	13,142	0.1	0.0	11,313	16.2
164	Algerian	1,321	0.0	0.0	897	47.3
31	American	62,960	0.3	0.2	56,277	11.9
241	Amhara	251	0.0	0.0	144	74.3
188	Anglo-Burmese	658	0.0	0.0	712	-7.6
76	Anglo-Indian	14,306	0.1	0.1	13,077	9.4
263	Angolan	175	0.0	0.0	144	21.5
278	Arab, nec <sup>2</sup>	127	0.0	0.0	800	-84.1
47	Arab, nfd	30,375	0.1	0.1	19,966	52.1
93	Argentinian	9,879	0.0	0.0	8,960	10.3
72	Armenian	16,723	0.1	0.1	15,789	5.9
102	Asian, so described	7,743	0.0	0.0	4,012	93.0
65	Assyrian <sup>1</sup>	21,626	0.1	0.1	..	..
2	Australian	7,098,486	33.0	25.4	7,371,823	-3.7
18	Australian Aboriginal	127,668	0.6	0.5	115,278	10.7
203	Australian Peoples, nfd	534	0.0	0.0	57	836.8
123	Australian South Sea Islander	4,037	0.0	0.0	4,098	-1.5
38	Austrian	42,341	0.2	0.2	41,490	2.1
208	Azeri	450	0.0	0.0	294	53.1
281	Bahraini <sup>1</sup>	114	0.0	0.0	..	..
187	Balinese	672	0.0	0.0	517	30.0
57	Bangladeshi <sup>1</sup>	25,111	0.1	0.1	..	..
217	Barbadian	400	0.0	0.0	283	41.3
288	Bari <sup>1</sup>	82	0.0	0.0	..	..
194	Basque	612	0.0	0.0	541	13.1
213	Batswana	416	0.0	0.0	444	-6.3
152	Belarusan	1,664	0.0	0.0	1,560	6.7
92	Belgian	10,022	0.0	0.0	8,896	12.7
110	Bengali	6,335	0.0	0.0	17,308	-63.4
273	Berber	139	0.0	0.0	89	56.2
243	Bermudan	248	0.0	0.0	226	9.7
137	Bhutanese <sup>1</sup>	2,618	0.0	0.0	..	..
181	Bolivian	764	0.0	0.0	583	31.0
67	Bosnian	20,247	0.1	0.1	18,463	9.7
86	Brazilian	12,234	0.1	0.0	6,640	84.2
244	British, nec	248	0.0	0.0	94	163.8
111	British, nfd	6,262	0.0	0.0	5,681	10.2
228	Bruneian	324	0.0	0.0	236	37.3
114	Bulgarian	5,436	0.0	0.0	4,898	11.0
191	Burgher	630	0.0	0.0	1,031	-38.9
69	Burmese	20,112	0.1	0.1	13,821	45.5

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Rank	Ancestry	2011 Census	% of Population	% of responses	2006 Census	% change 2006-2011
136	Burundian <sup>1</sup>	2,624	0.0	0.0	..	..
254	Cameroonian <sup>1</sup>	210	0.0	0.0	..	..
44	Canadian	33,218	0.2	0.1	28,523	16.5
185	Caribbean Islander, nec	694	0.0	0.0	557	24.6
138	Caribbean Islander, nfd	2,426	0.0	0.0	1,995	21.6
265	Catalan	171	0.0	0.0	112	52.7
220	Caucasian, so described	380	0.0	0.0	183	107.7
223	Central American, nec	361	0.0	0.0	328	10.1
214	Central American, nfd	414	0.0	0.0	395	4.8
162	Central and West African, nec	1,392	0.0	0.0	2,656	-47.6
240	Central and West African, nfd	257	0.0	0.0	191	34.6
289	Central Asian, nec	72	0.0	0.0	406	-82.3
290	Central Asian, nfd	70	0.0	0.0	92	-23.9
96	Chaldean <sup>1</sup>	9,005	0.0	0.0	..	..
167	Channel Islander	1,127	0.0	0.0	1,160	-2.8
48	Chilean	30,020	0.1	0.1	25,433	18.0
149	Chin <sup>1</sup>	1,912	0.0	0.0	..	..
7	Chinese	866,208	4.0	3.1	669,901	29.3
224	Chinese Asian, nec	360	0.0	0.0	375	-4.0
89	Colombian	10,193	0.0	0.0	5,006	103.6
130	Congolese <sup>1</sup>	3,246	0.0	0.0	..	..
74	Cook Islander	16,193	0.1	0.1	11,404	42.0
144	Coptic	2,043	0.0	0.0	1,889	8.2
226	Costa Rican	343	0.0	0.0	241	42.3
199	Creole, so described	567	0.0	0.0	397	42.8
19	Croatian	126,270	0.6	0.5	118,049	7.0
176	Cuban	798	0.0	0.0	540	47.8
63	Cypriot	22,680	0.1	0.1	10,722	111.5
62	Czech	22,772	0.1	0.1	21,194	7.4
33	Danish	54,026	0.3	0.2	50,414	7.2
306	Darfu/Darfurian <sup>1</sup>	10	0.0	0.0	..	..
163	Dinka	1,364	0.0	0.0	1,330	2.6
10	Dutch	335,493	1.6	1.2	310,082	8.2
232	Eastern European, nec	309	0.0	0.0	114	171.1
108	Eastern European, nfd	6,524	0.0	0.0	6,616	-1.4
155	Ecuadorian	1,521	0.0	0.0	1,353	12.4
39	Egyptian	39,300	0.2	0.1	31,781	23.7
259	Emirati <sup>1</sup>	180	0.0	0.0	..	..
1	English	7,238,533	33.7	25.9	6,283,647	15.2
121	Eritrean	4,137	0.0	0.0	2,659	55.6
100	Estonian	8,551	0.0	0.0	8,234	3.8
99	Ethiopian	8,609	0.0	0.0	5,603	53.6
118	Eurasian, so described	4,839	0.0	0.0	3,836	26.1
84	European, so described	12,504	0.1	0.0	9,037	38.4
59	Fijian	23,770	0.1	0.1	19,172	24.0
73	Fijian Indian <sup>1</sup>	16,211	0.1	0.1	..	..
11	Filipino	224,725	1.0	0.8	160,375	40.1
64	Finnish	22,420	0.1	0.1	20,987	6.8



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195	Flemish	611	0.0	0.0	555	10.1
21	French	110,399	0.5	0.4	98,333	12.3
150	French Canadian	1,836	0.0	0.0	1,686	8.9
251	Frisian	222	0.0	0.0	244	-9.0
286	Fulani <sup>1</sup>	93	0.0	0.0	..	..
207	Georgian	489	0.0	0.0	383	27.7
6	German	898,674	4.2	3.2	811,543	10.7
128	Ghanaian	3,521	0.0	0.0	2,525	39.4
262	Gibraltarian	177	0.0	0.0	184	-3.8
296	Gio <sup>1</sup>	38	0.0	0.0	..	..
9	Greek	378,270	1.8	1.4	365,150	3.6
235	Guatemalan	295	0.0	0.0	234	26.1
158	Gujarati	1,442	0.0	0.0	424	240.1
200	Guyanese	563	0.0	0.0	371	51.8
227	Hawaiian	333	0.0	0.0	277	20.2
109	Hazara	6,432	0.0	0.0	928	593.1
145	Hispanic (North American)	2,028	0.0	0.0	3,899	-48.0
134	Hmong	2,747	0.0	0.0	2,189	25.5
29	Hungarian	69,160	0.3	0.2	67,623	2.3
173	Icelandic	929	0.0	0.0	759	22.4
225	Igbo <sup>1</sup>	345	0.0	0.0	..	..
186	I-Kiribati	677	0.0	0.0	480	41.0
8	Indian	390,894	1.8	1.4	234,720	66.5
205	Indian Tamil <sup>1</sup>	509	0.0	0.0	..	..
35	Indonesian	48,836	0.2	0.2	35,940	35.9
41	Iranian	36,168	0.2	0.1	23,575	53.4
52	Iraqi	28,001	0.1	0.1	16,763	67.0
3	Irish	2,087,758	9.7	7.5	1,803,736	15.7
5	Italian	916,121	4.3	3.3	852,421	7.5
292	Ivorean	58	0.0	0.0	112	-48.2
139	Jamaican	2,400	0.0	0.0	1,781	34.8
34	Japanese	50,761	0.2	0.2	40,968	23.9
175	Javanese	818	0.0	0.0	621	31.7
55	Jewish	25,778	0.1	0.1	15,638	64.8
120	Jordanian	4,218	0.0	0.0	3,395	24.2
245	Kadazan	246	0.0	0.0	183	34.4
113	Karen	6,132	0.0	0.0	887	591.3
238	Kashmiri <sup>1</sup>	260	0.0	0.0	..	..
236	Kazakh	279	0.0	0.0	131	113.0
125	Kenyan	3,786	0.0	0.0	2,162	75.1
45	Khmer (Cambodian) <sup>3</sup>	33,197	0.2	0.1	25,553	29.9
25	Korean	88,973	0.4	0.3	60,867	46.2
300	Krahn <sup>1</sup>	33	0.0	0.0	..	..
304	Kunama <sup>1</sup>	18	0.0	0.0	..	..
107	Kurdish	6,991	0.0	0.0	5,470	27.8
198	Kuwaiti	577	0.0	0.0	365	58.1
283	Kyrgyz <sup>1</sup>	107	0.0	0.0	..	..
85	Lao	12,372	0.1	0.0	10,768	14.9

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Australia: 2011 and 2006 Census

Rank	Ancestry	2011 Census	% of Population	% of responses	2006 Census	% change 2006-2011
68	Latvian	20,124	0.1	0.1	20,061	0.3
13	Lebanese	203,139	0.9	0.7	181,753	11.8
146	Liberian	1,986	0.0	0.0	1,144	73.6
170	Libyan	1,027	0.0	0.0	275	273.5
78	Lithuanian	13,594	0.1	0.0	13,275	2.4
253	Luxembourg	212	0.0	0.0	167	26.9
23	Macedonian	93,570	0.4	0.3	83,983	11.4
271	Madi (Ma'di) <sup>1</sup>	141	0.0	0.0	..	..
202	Mainland South-East Asian, nec <sup>2</sup>	547	0.0	0.0	615	-11.1
277	Mainland South-East Asian, nfd	130	0.0	0.0	..	..
237	Malawian	279	0.0	0.0	191	46.1
43	Malay	33,620	0.2	0.1	25,318	32.8
169	Malayali	1,030	0.0	0.0	230	347.8
209	Maldivian	446	0.0	0.0	303	47.2
16	Maltese	163,990	0.8	0.6	153,802	6.6
233	Mandaeen <sup>1</sup>	298	0.0	0.0	..	..
287	Mandinka <sup>1</sup>	87	0.0	0.0	..	..
147	Manx	1,983	0.0	0.0	1,853	7.0
17	Maori	128,430	0.6	0.5	92,917	38.2
135	Maritime South-East Asian, nec	2,677	0.0	0.0	659	306.2
302	Masai	27	0.0	0.0	32	-15.6
51	Mauritian	28,045	0.1	0.1	21,825	28.5
264	Mayan	175	0.0	0.0	127	37.8
204	Melanesian and Papuan, nec	530	0.0	0.0	362	46.4
190	Melanesian and Papuan, nfd	643	0.0	0.0	459	40.1
117	Mexican	4,862	0.0	0.0	2,776	75.1
274	Micronesian, nec	138	0.0	0.0	154	-10.4
285	Micronesian, nfd	99	0.0	0.0	100	-1.0
221	Moldovan	374	0.0	0.0	231	61.9
250	Mon	229	0.0	0.0	159	44.0
165	Mongolian	1,235	0.0	0.0	630	96.0
154	Montenegrin	1,554	0.0	0.0	1,168	33.0
143	Moroccan	2,119	0.0	0.0	1,516	39.8
266	Mozambican	171	0.0	0.0	135	26.7
252	Namibian <sup>1</sup>	218	0.0	0.0	..	..
132	Native North American Indian	3,140	0.0	0.0	3,933	-20.2
216	Nauruan	409	0.0	0.0	373	9.7
54	Nepalese	26,575	0.1	0.1	5,305	400.9
255	New Caledonian	204	0.0	0.0	246	-17.1
14	New Zealander	187,212	0.9	0.7	160,683	16.5
201	Nicaraguan	551	0.0	0.0	454	21.4
129	Nigerian	3,467	0.0	0.0	1,929	79.7
131	Niuean	3,143	0.0	0.0	2,180	44.2
184	Ni-Vanuatu	705	0.0	0.0	509	38.5
122	North African and Middle Eastern, nfd	4,111	0.0	0.0	2,067	98.9
272	North American, nec	140	0.0	0.0	134	4.5
174	North American, nfd	862	0.0	0.0	..	..
260	Northern European, nec	180	0.0	0.0	163	10.4

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Australia: 2011 and 2006 Census

Rank	Ancestry	2011 Census	% of Population	% of responses	2006 Census	% change 2006-2011
126	Northern European, nfd	3,728	0.0	0.0	2,962	25.9
168	North-West European, nfd	1,043	0.0	0.0	2,000	-47.9
60	Norwegian	23,037	0.1	0.1	20,442	12.7
295	Nubian <sup>1</sup>	43	0.0	0.0	..	..
249	Nuer	233	0.0	0.0	285	-18.2
83	Oceanian, nfd	12,541	0.1	0.0	9,740	28.8
305	Ogaden <sup>1</sup>	13	0.0	0.0	..	..
246	Omani <sup>1</sup>	244	0.0	0.0	..	..
160	Oromo	1,410	0.0	0.0	526	168.1
97	Other North African and Middle Eastern, nec <sup>2</sup>	8,861	0.0	0.0	7,816	13.4
279	Other North African and Middle Eastern, nfd	119	0.0	0.0	..	..
46	Pakistani	33,049	0.2	0.1	18,497	78.7
95	Palestinian	9,107	0.0	0.0	7,665	18.8
75	Papua New Guinean	15,460	0.1	0.1	12,548	23.2
231	Paraguayan	311	0.0	0.0	290	7.2
275	Parsi <sup>1</sup>	136	0.0	0.0	..	..
182	Pathan	739	0.0	0.0	379	95.0
124	Peoples of the Americas, nfd	3,903	0.0	0.0	573	581.2
267	Peoples of the Sudan, nec <sup>1</sup>	170	0.0	0.0	..	..
159	Peoples of the Sudan, nfd <sup>1</sup>	1,414	0.0	0.0	..	..
98	Peruvian	8,630	0.0	0.0	6,425	34.3
15	Polish	170,354	0.8	0.6	163,802	4.0
211	Polynesian, nec	443	0.0	0.0	488	-9.2
142	Polynesian, nfd	2,164	0.0	0.0	1,697	27.5
36	Portuguese	46,519	0.2	0.2	41,226	12.8
230	Puerto Rican	318	0.0	0.0	225	41.3
88	Punjabi	11,722	0.1	0.0	4,855	141.4
239	Rohingya <sup>1</sup>	258	0.0	0.0	..	..
180	Roma/Gypsy	776	0.0	0.0	658	17.9
66	Romanian	20,998	0.1	0.1	18,325	14.6
27	Russian	74,317	0.3	0.3	67,056	10.8
189	Rwandan <sup>1</sup>	654	0.0	0.0	..	..
104	Salvadoran	7,484	0.0	0.0	6,871	8.9
32	Samoa	55,843	0.3	0.2	39,998	39.6
127	Saudi Arabian	3,696	0.0	0.0	751	392.1
4	Scottish	1,792,622	8.3	6.4	1,501,200	19.4
270	Senegalese <sup>1</sup>	144	0.0	0.0	..	..
28	Serbian	69,544	0.3	0.2	95,362	-27.1
133	Seychellois	3,086	0.0	0.0	2,713	13.7
197	Shona <sup>1</sup>	582	0.0	0.0	..	..
151	Sierra Leonean	1,749	0.0	0.0	875	99.9
103	Sikh	7,494	0.0	0.0	2,168	245.7
234	Sindhi <sup>1</sup>	296	0.0	0.0	..	..
112	Singaporean	6,149	0.0	0.0	4,623	33.0
61	Sinhalese	22,945	0.1	0.1	73,849	-68.9
91	Slovak	10,053	0.0	0.0	8,504	18.2

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Australia: 2011 and 2006 Census

Rank	Ancestry	2011 Census	% of Population	% of responses	2006 Census	% change 2006-2011
71	Slovene	17,150	0.1	0.1	16,085	6.6
161	Solomon Islander	1,405	0.0	0.0	1,114	26.1
90	Somali	10,131	0.0	0.0	6,404	58.2
256	Sorb/Wend	193	0.0	0.0	243	-20.6
22	South African	108,955	0.5	0.4	79,518	37.0
193	South American, nec	620	0.0	0.0	617	0.5
94	South American, nfd	9,353	0.0	0.0	8,292	12.8
303	South Eastern European, nec	25	0.0	0.0	12	108.3
53	South Eastern European, nfd	27,786	0.1	0.1	1,005	2,664.8
119	South Sudanese <sup>1</sup>	4,825	0.0	0.0	..	..
242	South-East Asian, nfd	251	0.0	0.0	119	110.9
301	Southern and Central Asian, nfd	30	0.0	0.0	..	..
156	Southern and East African, nec	1,513	0.0	0.0	2,865	-47.2
219	Southern and East African, nfd	383	0.0	0.0	383	0.0
148	Southern and Eastern European, nfd	1,917	0.0	0.0	1,894	1.2
166	Southern Asian, nec	1,216	0.0	0.0	1,452	-16.3
87	Southern Asian, nfd	12,160	0.1	0.0	5,771	110.7
297	Southern European, nec	37	0.0	0.0	28	32.1
298	Southern European, nfd	37	0.0	0.0	36	2.8
24	Spanish	92,952	0.4	0.3	84,327	10.2
26	Sri Lankan <sup>1</sup>	75,136	0.3	0.3	..	..
115	Sri Lankan Tamil <sup>1</sup>	5,182	0.0	0.0	..	..
282	Sub-Saharan African, nfd	113	0.0	0.0	61	85.2
70	Sudanese	17,186	0.1	0.1	17,844	-3.7
247	Sundanese	244	0.0	0.0	141	73.0
248	Swahili <sup>1</sup>	241	0.0	0.0	..	..
284	Swazilander <sup>1</sup>	100	0.0	0.0	..	..
42	Swedish	34,029	0.2	0.1	30,378	12.0
50	Swiss	28,947	0.1	0.1	26,512	9.2
79	Syrian	13,517	0.1	0.0	10,151	33.2
183	Tahitian	722	0.0	0.0	692	4.3
101	Taiwanese	8,210	0.0	0.0	5,839	40.6
257	Tajik	186	0.0	0.0	118	57.6
77	Tamil, nfd <sup>1</sup>	13,735	0.1	0.0	..	..
192	Tanzanian	623	0.0	0.0	380	63.9
215	Tatar	412	0.0	0.0	299	37.8
177	Telugu <sup>1</sup>	796	0.0	0.0	..	..
37	Thai	45,635	0.2	0.2	30,022	52.0
294	Themne <sup>1</sup>	47	0.0	0.0	..	..
171	Tibetan	955	0.0	0.0	532	79.5
261	Tigrayan	180	0.0	0.0	91	97.8
299	Tigre	37	0.0	0.0	23	60.9
106	Timorese	7,085	0.0	0.0	6,242	13.5
258	Togolese <sup>1</sup>	186	0.0	0.0	..	..
153	Tokelauan	1,655	0.0	0.0	1,133	46.1
58	Tongan	25,096	0.1	0.1	18,420	36.2
80	Torres Strait Islander	13,354	0.1	0.0	13,811	-3.3
179	Trinidadian (Tobagonian)	782	0.0	0.0	642	21.8

**Table 13 (continued)**

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## Australia: 2011 and 2006 Census

Rank	Ancestry	2011 Census	% of Population	% of responses	2006 Census	% change 2006-2011
210	Tunisian	445	0.0	0.0	324	37.3
30	Turkish	66,919	0.3	0.2	59,397	12.7
222	Turkmen	368	0.0	0.0	299	23.1
212	Tuvaluan	430	0.0	0.0	332	29.5
172	Ugandan	941	0.0	0.0	554	69.9
178	Uighur	791	0.0	0.0	300	163.7
40	Ukrainian	38,791	0.2	0.1	37,584	3.2
105	Uruguayan	7,221	0.0	0.0	6,483	11.4
196	Uzbek	588	0.0	0.0	272	116.2
141	Venezuelan	2,206	0.0	0.0	878	151.3
12	Vietnamese	221,114	1.0	0.8	173,666	27.3
293	Vlach	57	0.0	0.0	76	-25.0
20	Welsh	125,597	0.6	0.4	113,244	10.9
269	Western European, nec	149	0.0	0.0	252	-40.9
291	Western European, nfd	70	0.0	0.0	60	16.7
206	Yemeni	498	0.0	0.0	313	59.1
218	Yoruba	399	0.0	0.0	175	128.0
157	Zambian	1,479	0.0	0.0	953	55.2
82	Zimbabwean	13,027	0.1	0.0	7,658	70.1
229	Zulu	321	0.0	0.0	267	20.2
	Inadequately described	31,927	0.1	0.1	27,166	17.5
	Not elsewhere classified <sup>4</sup>	34	0.0	0.0	33,448	-99.9
	Not stated	1,475,230	6.9	5.3	1,609,441	-8.3
	Total responses	27,960,402	..	100.0	25,451,368	9.9
	Total population	21,507,719	100.0	..	19,855,287	8.3

Note: Census respondents may select one or more Ancestry categories. Where a respondent marks more than one category, only the first two are coded. This table presents a count of all coded responses along with a percentage of all responses and a percentage of all persons. Care should be taken if adding responses together to achieve subtotals as double counting could occur.

1. Newly defined ethnicity in 2011 census
2. Increased classification detail in 2011. Some elements which were included in 2006 have been redistributed into other classifications
3. Reported as Khmer in 2006
4. Ancestries reported in 2006 which have no 2011 definition are incorporated into an overall NEC category

**Table 14****Ancestry by birthplace of parents****Australia: 2011 Census**

Ancestry	Australian Born					Overseas Born	Birthplace not stated	% of Total responses
	Both parents Australian born	Both parents overseas born	One parent OS born/ one parent Aust born	One parent OS born/ one parent not stated	Other <sup>1</sup>			
English	4,318,269	392,636	1,015,051	7,574	105,977	1,299,416	99,425	25.9
Australian	5,485,168	103,004	1,156,018	4,352	121,475	139,318	88,942	25.4
Irish	1,489,170	68,649	212,158	1,107	27,598	262,632	25,835	7.5
Scottish	1,117,342	91,695	242,044	1,363	19,894	299,754	19,999	6.4
Italian	312,402	213,731	150,952	2,302	8,588	215,766	11,810	3.3
German	552,539	66,926	105,738	811	9,863	151,581	10,758	3.2
Chinese	37,303	147,050	33,550	1,441	2,890	634,293	9,195	3.1
Indian	5,962	56,533	14,865	478	809	308,600	3,254	1.4
Greek	89,592	111,479	52,108	1,203	3,335	113,889	6,024	1.4
Dutch	79,710	61,486	80,675	520	2,067	107,386	2,936	1.2
Filipino	2,409	35,000	21,426	321	1,020	160,952	3,049	0.8
Vietnamese	1,374	65,934	5,701	1,150	1,424	142,179	3,042	0.8
Lebanese	23,303	69,200	32,124	972	2,729	71,017	3,385	0.7
New Zealander	9,477	28,536	53,313	247	1,090	92,246	1,611	0.7
Polish	32,868	40,082	26,278	287	917	67,092	2,059	0.6
Maltese	42,305	43,210	31,436	389	1,273	42,453	2,374	0.6
Maori	5,659	17,017	18,557	271	807	83,824	1,633	0.5
Australian Aboriginal	119,506	116	3,851	12	1,998	261	1,344	0.5
Croatian	20,114	36,342	17,567	224	777	48,698	1,887	0.5
Welsh	47,753	10,961	21,696	79	699	42,817	974	0.4
French	38,319	10,283	13,886	55	789	45,461	1,090	0.4
South African	2,381	13,558	12,894	60	209	78,720	735	0.4
Macedonian	10,836	27,850	10,434	277	724	41,244	1,763	0.3
Spanish	15,976	14,787	10,387	167	542	49,279	1,171	0.3
Korean	211	11,741	1,749	90	116	73,984	842	0.3
Sri Lankan	2,107	13,029	6,395	64	144	52,288	757	0.3
Russian	11,168	14,344	9,333	60	311	37,537	867	0.3
Serbian	4,317	16,696	6,435	98	313	40,050	1,099	0.2
Hungarian	9,816	16,541	11,759	77	283	29,252	834	0.2
Turkish	2,585	21,567	7,338	274	558	32,945	1,299	0.2
American	5,463	6,256	18,844	27	245	31,105	383	0.2
Samoan	743	11,587	5,073	165	526	36,376	1,065	0.2
Inadequately described	14,251	1,629	2,176	47	2,099	9,032	719	0.1
Other ancestries	165,759	315,495	185,963	2,144	7,340	1,060,182	20,927	6.3
Not stated	245,286	44,629	38,521	2,241	100,394	121,649	922,095	5.3
<b>Total responses</b>	<b>14,321,443</b>	<b>2,200,798</b>	<b>3,636,295</b>	<b>30,949</b>	<b>429,823</b>	<b>6,023,278</b>	<b>1,255,182</b>	<b>100.0</b>

Note: Census respondents may select one or more Ancestry categories. Where a respondent marks more than one category, only the first two are coded. This table presents a count of all coded responses along with a percentage of all responses and a percentage of all persons. Care should be taken if adding responses together to achieve subtotals as double counting could occur.

1. One parent Australian born and one parent with a not stated birthplace or both parents with a not stated birthplace

**Table 15**

**Education, employment and income statistics for selected birthplaces**  
**Australia: 2011 Census**

	Birthplaces:				
	Australia	England	New Zealand	China (excludes SARs and Taiwan)	India
<b>Educational Attainment (% of population aged 15 and over)</b>					
Bachelor degree or higher	17.2	21.6	16.3	38.7	54.6
Advanced diploma/diploma	8.1	10.6	9.1	9.9	12.4
Certificate 1, 2, 3 or 4	17.9	18.5	18.6	3.8	7.4
Year 12 or equivalent	17.1	15.8	21.1	27.6	14.4
Less than 12 years of schooling	33.8	26.8	29.0	15.2	6.8
Educational attainment not stated	5.9	6.6	5.9	4.8	4.3
<b>Unemployment rate (%)</b>	5.2	4.0	5.8	10.8	6.2
<b>Participation rate (%)</b>	67.6	60.3	77.0	57.6	77.3
<b>Industry (% of those working)</b>					
Agriculture, Forestry & Fishing	3.0	1.1	1.6	0.6	1.1
Mining	1.9	1.8	3.3	0.5	0.7
Manufacturing	8.3	8.9	10.7	10.7	10.2
Electricity, Gas, Water & Waste Services	1.2	1.1	1.2	0.4	1.1
Construction	8.8	8.3	10.7	4.5	1.9
Wholesale Trade	3.8	3.9	4.7	7.3	4.1
Retail Trade	11.2	8.3	8.7	11.5	9.0
Accommodation & Food Services	6.0	4.0	6.3	16.4	8.8
Transport, Postal & Warehousing	4.6	4.3	6.5	3.5	8.5
Information Media & Telecommunications	1.7	2.1	1.8	1.8	2.7
Financial & Insurance Services	3.5	4.1	3.8	4.9	6.6
Rental, Hiring & Real Estate Services	1.7	1.6	1.8	1.6	0.7
Professional, Scientific & Technical Services	6.7	9.5	6.8	8.8	10.1
Administrative & Support Services	2.9	3.8	4.1	3.6	4.4
Public Administration & Safety	7.5	7.4	4.9	2.3	5.4
Education & Training	11.0	13.8	10.5	9.5	14.1
Healthcare & Social Assistance	8.6	8.8	5.0	5.0	4.7
Arts & Recreation Services	1.6	1.5	1.5	1.0	0.6
Other Services	3.9	3.7	3.4	2.4	2.3
Inadequately Described	1.1	1.2	1.6	1.6	1.4
Not Stated	0.9	0.7	1.1	2.0	1.6
<b>Occupation (% of those working)</b>					
Managers	13.2	15.5	12.3	11.9	9.3
Professionals	20.1	25.7	17.3	25.8	28.6
Technicians & Trades Workers	14.5	14.0	14.3	13.4	10.4
Community & Personal Service Workers	9.8	9.1	8.9	9.0	8.4
Clerical & Administrative Workers	15.2	15.6	14.6	11.3	13.0
Sales Workers	10.2	7.3	8.0	9.1	7.9
Machinery Operators & Drivers	6.4	4.8	11.1	5.0	9.0
Labourers	8.9	6.6	11.7	11.4	11.0
Not Stated	1.0	1.1	1.1	1.4	1.3
<b>Income (% of population aged 15 and over)</b>					
Nil or negative income	7.5	5.7	7.9	27.1	14.4
\$1 - \$399 per week	28.4	29.3	19.6	27.1	19.2
\$400 - \$799 per week	23.5	21.9	23.5	19.9	23.5
\$800 - \$999 per week	8.9	7.9	11.1	7.2	9.8
\$1,000 - \$1,499 per week	14.5	14.4	17.8	9.9	15.7
More than \$1,500 per week	13.5	17.5	17.0	6.3	14.7
Not Stated	3.8	3.3	3.1	2.5	2.7

**Table 15 (continued)**

Education, employment and income statistics for selected birthplaces

Australia: 2011 Census

	Birthplaces:				
	Italy	Vietnam	Philippines	South Africa	Scotland
<b>Educational Attainment (% of population aged 15 and over)</b>					
Bachelor degree or higher	5.3	17.7	40.5	35.9	19.6
Advanced diploma/diploma	3.9	6.2	7.7	15.3	9.8
Certificate 1, 2, 3 or 4	12.4	6.0	11.2	12.5	20.2
Year 12 or equivalent	6.9	27.4	19.7	22.0	13.3
Less than 12 years of schooling	59.9	36.4	14.4	10.8	29.4
Educational attainment not stated	11.5	6.3	6.5	3.4	7.7
<b>Unemployment rate (%)</b>	3.0	9.6	5.2	4.9	3.7
<b>Participation rate (%)</b>	35.2	61.7	75.2	76.2	57.4
<b>Industry (% of those working)</b>					
Agriculture, Forestry & Fishing	3.4	2.1	1.2	0.9	1.1
Mining	0.4	0.3	0.7	2.7	2.7
Manufacturing	11.3	25.8	15.4	9.0	9.7
Electricity, Gas, Water & Waste Services	0.8	0.5	0.9	1.2	1.3
Construction	13.5	3.2	2.9	6.2	8.5
Wholesale Trade	5.1	5.2	4.4	5.1	4.0
Retail Trade	11.6	10.8	7.6	8.3	7.7
Accommodation & Food Services	7.3	9.2	9.1	4.4	3.8
Transport, Postal & Warehousing	4.7	5.1	4.7	2.6	4.3
Information Media & Telecommunications	1.0	1.5	1.8	1.9	1.7
Financial & Insurance Services	2.6	4.2	5.6	5.6	3.9
Rental, Hiring & Real Estate Services	1.8	0.8	0.9	1.6	1.5
Professional, Scientific & Technical Services	5.4	5.3	6.0	13.9	8.5
Administrative & Support Services	2.9	2.0	3.8	2.9	3.3
Public Administration & Safety	4.2	3.3	4.6	4.3	7.6
Education & Training	8.0	7.5	21.1	13.4	15.3
Healthcare & Social Assistance	6.1	2.9	2.8	9.3	8.2
Arts & Recreation Services	0.8	0.8	1.3	1.2	1.3
Other Services	5.6	5.4	3.0	3.7	3.5
Inadequately Described	1.5	1.7	1.2	1.3	1.3
Not Stated	1.8	2.5	1.1	0.5	0.7
<b>Occupation (% of those working)</b>					
Managers	16.9	9.4	5.5	16.3	15.0
Professionals	12.8	16.7	20.2	34.5	25.0
Technicians & Trades Workers	19.1	14.6	13.0	12.2	14.3
Community & Personal Service Workers	6.8	8.4	12.4	7.1	9.0
Clerical & Administrative Workers	13.1	9.9	15.9	14.9	16.2
Sales Workers	9.4	7.1	6.7	7.3	6.6
Machinery Operators & Drivers	7.2	12.7	6.7	2.2	5.3
Labourers	11.9	17.8	17.9	4.2	6.9
Not Stated	1.4	1.6	0.9	0.9	1.1
<b>Income (% of population aged 15 and over)</b>					
Nil or negative income	5.5	13.5	11.4	12.3	5.6
\$1 - \$399 per week	50.0	35.6	20.8	17.6	30.3
\$400 - \$799 per week	19.8	22.8	25.6	15.6	21.3
\$800 - \$999 per week	5.3	7.9	12.3	8.0	7.7
\$1,000 - \$1,499 per week	7.6	9.6	17.3	17.0	14.0
More than \$1,500 per week	5.8	7.0	9.6	27.1	17.3
Not Stated	6.0	3.5	3.0	2.4	3.8



**Table 15 (continued)**

Education, employment and income statistics for selected birthplaces

Australia: 2011 Census

	Birthplaces:				
	Malaysia	Germany	Greece	Sri Lanka	United States of America
<b>Educational Attainment (% of population aged 15 and over)</b>					
Bachelor degree or higher	50.2	20.7	4.8	38.7	52.2
Advanced diploma/diploma	10.6	10.4	2.7	15.4	7.6
Certificate 1, 2, 3 or 4	4.8	23.3	7.9	8.5	7.0
Year 12 or equivalent	19.0	11.3	10.2	21.0	22.3
Less than 12 years of schooling	12.2	24.1	65.0	10.7	7.8
Educational attainment not stated	3.2	10.2	9.5	5.6	3.0
<b>Unemployment rate (%)</b>	6.7	4.5	4.2	6.7	6.2
<b>Participation rate (%)</b>	67.7	49.5	30.2	72.6	71.2
<b>Industry (% of those working)</b>					
Agriculture, Forestry & Fishing	0.4	2.0	1.4	0.3	1.0
Mining	1.5	1.4	0.2	0.5	2.2
Manufacturing	6.9	10.3	11.1	11.2	5.6
Electricity, Gas, Water & Waste Services	1.1	1.0	0.7	1.6	0.8
Construction	2.9	6.8	11.2	2.4	4.0
Wholesale Trade	4.4	4.5	5.1	4.1	3.8
Retail Trade	7.8	7.4	10.5	7.4	7.3
Accommodation & Food Services	8.5	5.6	9.0	6.0	5.4
Transport, Postal & Warehousing	2.9	4.7	6.8	5.0	2.8
Information Media & Telecommunications	2.1	1.5	1.2	2.4	3.0
Financial & Insurance Services	7.5	2.8	3.0	7.0	4.4
Rental, Hiring & Real Estate Services	1.6	1.5	2.1	0.9	1.5
Professional, Scientific & Technical Services	13.9	10.4	4.9	9.8	14.4
Administrative & Support Services	2.4	3.3	5.3	4.6	3.1
Public Administration & Safety	5.7	6.0	4.6	8.3	6.8
Education & Training	18.0	13.2	8.5	16.6	11.3
Healthcare & Social Assistance	7.2	9.9	6.0	6.0	14.4
Arts & Recreation Services	1.2	1.4	0.6	0.8	2.5
Other Services	2.4	3.5	4.6	2.7	3.6
Inadequately Described	1.1	1.6	1.5	1.2	1.4
Not Stated	0.7	1.0	1.8	1.3	0.7
<b>Occupation (% of those working)</b>					
Managers	11.5	14.5	15.6	10.1	15.9
Professionals	43.7	27.5	13.1	31.7	39.6
Technicians & Trades Workers	7.8	14.0	16.2	9.6	7.3
Community & Personal Service Workers	7.2	9.3	6.2	8.5	8.8
Clerical & Administrative Workers	14.8	13.9	11.9	16.5	12.7
Sales Workers	5.8	6.3	9.0	6.1	7.3
Machinery Operators & Drivers	2.3	4.9	9.0	4.9	2.5
Labourers	5.3	7.4	16.2	10.7	4.2
Not Stated	1.1	1.3	1.5	1.2	1.3
<b>Income (% of population aged 15 and over)</b>					
Nil or negative income	15.8	6.6	5.4	12.1	12.3
\$1 - \$399 per week	20.9	36.4	56.7	21.7	19.5
\$400 - \$799 per week	16.5	22.6	17.6	20.7	18.1
\$800 - \$999 per week	7.9	6.9	4.4	9.8	8.0
\$1,000 - \$1,499 per week	16.8	11.3	6.1	16.1	15.9
More than \$1,500 per week	20.5	11.8	4.8	16.4	24.1
Not Stated	1.6	4.3	5.0	3.2	2.1

**Table 15 (continued)**

Education, employment and income statistics for selected birthplaces

Australia: 2011 Census

	Birthplace:				
	Lebanon	Netherlands	Hong Kong (SAR of China)	Korea, Republic of (South)	Ireland
<b>Educational Attainment (% of population aged 15 and over)</b>					
Bachelor degree or higher	9.2	16.2	43.4	38.1	29.4
Advanced diploma/diploma	5.8	10.4	9.3	10.4	10.9
Certificate 1, 2, 3 or 4	9.7	19.1	4.7	4.8	19.9
Year 12 or equivalent	19.4	12.4	23.5	33.7	16.5
Less than 12 years of schooling	48.2	31.2	16.2	8.1	16.5
Educational attainment not stated	7.7	10.7	2.9	5.0	6.8
<b>Unemployment rate (%)</b>	8.6	3.6	6.5	9.1	3.6
<b>Participation rate (%)</b>	44.9	44.3	66.6	59.0	72.2
<b>Industry (% of those working)</b>					
Agriculture, Forestry & Fishing	0.7	3.4	0.5	2.1	1.6
Mining	0.1	1.5	0.4	0.3	1.9
Manufacturing	9.3	9.3	5.9	7.8	7.1
Electricity, Gas, Water & Waste Services	0.5	1.2	0.6	0.2	1.1
Construction	15.3	9.4	2.4	6.6	18.8
Wholesale Trade	4.9	4.2	5.4	4.5	3.2
Retail Trade	12.4	8.0	8.8	10.0	5.1
Accommodation & Food Services	8.2	4.0	12.5	17.1	4.1
Transport, Postal & Warehousing	9.1	4.9	3.5	2.4	3.0
Information Media & Telecommunications	1.3	1.5	2.7	1.5	1.8
Financial & Insurance Services	2.9	2.4	8.7	3.0	5.4
Rental, Hiring & Real Estate Services	1.3	1.7	1.7	0.9	1.5
Professional, Scientific & Technical Services	4.8	9.5	12.7	6.7	9.8
Administrative & Support Services	2.8	3.2	2.4	9.3	3.6
Public Administration & Safety	3.7	6.1	5.2	1.8	5.1
Education & Training	7.2	13.6	14.8	10.0	13.7
Healthcare & Social Assistance	4.7	8.7	6.1	5.4	6.4
Arts & Recreation Services	0.5	1.3	1.2	1.0	1.1
Other Services	6.2	3.7	2.7	5.1	3.2
Inadequately Described	1.6	1.5	1.0	1.8	1.5
Not Stated	2.5	0.9	0.8	2.5	1.0
<b>Occupation (% of those working)</b>					
Managers	16.0	16.8	11.0	12.4	13.6
Professionals	12.5	23.7	38.1	22.5	28.8
Technicians & Trades Workers	20.6	14.4	9.5	18.2	18.9
Community & Personal Service Workers	6.6	8.9	9.0	10.1	7.1
Clerical & Administrative Workers	10.6	13.5	15.4	7.7	13.0
Sales Workers	8.3	6.5	6.9	7.1	5.0
Machinery Operators & Drivers	10.8	6.2	2.9	2.2	4.6
Labourers	11.8	8.0	5.4	17.0	7.6
Not Stated	1.2	1.3	1.0	1.1	0.9
<b>Income (% of population aged 15 and over)</b>					
Nil or negative income	10.4	5.4	18.4	29.1	5.6
\$1 - \$399 per week	45.6	39.8	21.9	22.8	19.6
\$400 - \$799 per week	20.1	23.4	18.2	21.9	18.5
\$800 - \$999 per week	5.5	6.5	8.0	8.0	9.7
\$1,000 - \$1,499 per week	7.5	10.0	15.3	9.2	20.5
More than \$1,500 per week	5.5	10.4	16.8	6.1	22.4
Not Stated	5.5	4.5	1.4	2.9	3.7

**Table 16**

**Education, employment and income statistics for selected religions**  
**Australia: 2011 Census**

	Religions:				
	Western Catholic	No Religion, nfd	Anglican Church of Australia	Uniting Church	Presbyterian
<b>Educational Attainment (% of population aged 15 and over)</b>					
Bachelor degree or higher	17.9	25.5	14.3	16.8	14.6
Advanced diploma/diploma	8.1	8.5	8.3	9.0	8.2
Certificate 1, 2, 3 or 4	16.8	16.8	18.3	16.6	17.9
Year 12 or equivalent	18.0	19.7	14.6	13.9	14.0
Less than 12 years of schooling	32.5	25.9	37.3	37.0	37.2
Educational attainment not stated	6.7	3.6	7.2	6.6	8.1
<b>Unemployment rate (%)</b>	4.7	6.2	4.5	3.9	4.4
<b>Participation rate (%)</b>	66.9	73.2	61.0	59.4	56.9
<b>Industry (% of those working)</b>					
Agriculture, Forestry & Fishing	2.2	1.8	3.4	5.7	4.6
Mining	1.7	2.0	2.1	1.9	2.0
Manufacturing	8.9	8.7	8.8	8.3	9.4
Electricity, Gas, Water & Waste Services	1.1	1.2	1.3	1.3	1.3
Construction	9.2	8.4	8.5	6.9	8.1
Wholesale Trade	4.0	4.0	4.1	3.7	4.3
Retail Trade	10.8	10.3	10.6	10.3	9.7
Accommodation & Food Services	6.3	7.1	5.4	5.1	5.1
Transport, Postal & Warehousing	4.7	4.1	5.3	4.6	5.7
Information Media & Telecommunications	1.6	2.3	1.4	1.3	1.4
Financial & Insurance Services	4.0	3.6	3.6	3.4	3.5
Rental, Hiring & Real Estate Services	1.7	1.4	1.9	1.5	1.7
Professional, Scientific & Technical Services	6.5	8.9	6.3	6.3	6.3
Administrative & Support Services	3.1	3.2	3.1	2.8	3.3
Public Administration & Safety	6.8	7.5	7.2	7.1	6.7
Education & Training	8.0	8.0	8.0	9.9	7.6
Healthcare & Social Assistance	11.7	10.2	11.7	13.1	11.9
Arts & Recreation Services	1.5	1.9	1.4	1.3	1.2
Other Services	3.8	3.4	3.8	3.8	3.8
Inadequately Described	1.2	1.2	1.2	1.0	1.2
Not Stated	1.1	0.8	0.9	0.8	1.0
<b>Occupation (% of those working)</b>					
Managers	12.8	12.6	14.4	15.5	15.3
Professionals	19.6	24.4	18.3	20.8	18.3
Technicians & Trades Workers	14.5	15.2	13.8	12.6	13.4
Community & Personal Service Workers	9.8	9.3	9.7	9.6	8.9
Clerical & Administrative Workers	15.9	13.1	16.1	16.1	16.1
Sales Workers	10.0	9.0	9.6	9.0	8.5
Machinery Operators & Drivers	6.3	6.1	7.2	6.2	8.0
Labourers	9.2	8.8	9.2	8.6	9.8
Not Stated	1.1	1.1	1.0	0.9	1.0
<b>Income (% of population aged 15 and over)</b>					
Nil or negative income	8.2	9.3	6.3	6.4	6.7
\$1 - \$399 per week	28.7	24.1	30.8	31.5	32.2
\$400 - \$799 per week	22.6	22.2	24.1	25.1	24.4
\$800 - \$999 per week	8.8	9.4	8.4	8.3	8.1
\$1,000 - \$1,499 per week	14.6	16.3	13.3	13.0	12.6
More than \$1,500 per week	13.4	16.4	13.3	12.3	12.0
Not Stated	3.8	2.4	3.8	3.4	3.9

**Table 16 (continued)**

Education, employment and income statistics for selected religions

Australia: 2011 Census

	Religions:				
	Buddhism	Islam	Christian, nfd	Greek Orthodox	Baptist
<b>Educational Attainment (% of population aged 15 and over)</b>					
Bachelor degree or higher	27.2	23.9	22.7	15.5	22.7
Advanced diploma/diploma	9.2	7.4	10.6	7.4	9.9
Certificate 1, 2, 3 or 4	7.9	8.0	17.3	12.4	16.0
Year 12 or equivalent	24.1	25.0	17.8	19.8	15.6
Less than 12 years of schooling	26.5	28.7	26.8	37.3	30.0
Educational attainment not stated	5.1	6.9	4.9	7.5	5.8
<b>Unemployment rate (%)</b>	8.6	12.1	6.4	5.0	5.3
<b>Participation rate (%)</b>	64.0	53.0	67.7	58.7	62.7
<b>Industry (% of those working)</b>					
Agriculture, Forestry & Fishing	1.6	0.7	2.4	0.7	2.0
Mining	0.8	0.7	1.5	0.5	1.5
Manufacturing	14.1	9.7	8.0	8.6	8.5
Electricity, Gas, Water & Waste Services	0.7	0.7	1.0	0.8	1.2
Construction	3.9	7.5	7.7	9.2	6.7
Wholesale Trade	4.7	3.8	3.4	5.0	3.7
Retail Trade	10.2	11.6	9.9	12.8	9.3
Accommodation & Food Services	13.0	8.4	6.1	7.1	5.5
Transport, Postal & Warehousing	3.9	8.5	4.0	5.6	4.2
Information Media & Telecommunications	1.7	2.0	1.6	2.0	1.5
Financial & Insurance Services	4.3	4.1	3.0	5.4	3.3
Rental, Hiring & Real Estate Services	1.2	0.9	1.5	2.2	1.4
Professional, Scientific & Technical Services	7.2	6.5	7.3	7.4	7.3
Administrative & Support Services	3.4	3.9	3.3	3.4	3.0
Public Administration & Safety	4.4	5.4	6.4	5.3	6.7
Education & Training	5.3	5.8	10.2	6.7	10.9
Healthcare & Social Assistance	11.4	11.2	15.0	8.6	15.2
Arts & Recreation Services	1.4	0.6	1.4	1.1	1.1
Other Services	3.5	3.4	4.3	4.9	5.0
Inadequately Described	1.5	1.6	1.2	1.4	1.1
Not Stated	1.8	2.8	0.8	1.4	0.9
<b>Occupation (% of those working)</b>					
Managers	10.1	9.2	11.0	14.7	11.4
Professionals	22.6	20.3	24.6	19.4	26.0
Technicians & Trades Workers	13.2	14.5	13.3	14.0	12.8
Community & Personal Service Workers	10.4	9.5	11.4	7.4	11.0
Clerical & Administrative Workers	11.5	11.4	14.8	16.5	14.6
Sales Workers	8.1	9.8	9.0	11.6	8.4
Machinery Operators & Drivers	7.2	9.9	5.3	5.7	5.5
Labourers	14.2	12.1	9.0	8.4	8.8
Not Stated	1.4	1.4	1.0	1.3	0.9
<b>Income (% of population aged 15 and over)</b>					
Nil or negative income	16.4	16.3	9.6	8.5	8.5
\$1 - \$399 per week	30.2	36.0	29.5	35.5	31.9
\$400 - \$799 per week	22.5	20.9	23.2	20.1	22.8
\$800 - \$999 per week	8.2	6.6	8.7	7.8	8.1
\$1,000 - \$1,499 per week	11.4	8.7	14.1	12.4	13.4
More than \$1,500 per week	8.6	6.4	11.7	11.4	12.1
Not Stated	2.7	5.1	3.1	4.3	3.2

**Table 16 (continued)**

Education, employment and income statistics for selected religions

Australia: 2011 Census

	Religions:				
	Hinduism	Lutheran	Pentecostal, nfd	Not Defined	Judaism
<b>Educational Attainment (% of population aged 15 and over)</b>					
Bachelor degree or higher	54.5	16.2	24.7	19.6	44.9
Advanced diploma/diploma	11.5	8.1	12.5	8.6	10.8
Certificate 1, 2, 3 or 4	6.5	18.8	16.6	20.7	6.7
Year 12 or equivalent	15.6	14.6	18.2	23.5	18.7
Less than 12 years of schooling	8.5	34.9	23.9	22.4	13.2
Educational attainment not stated	3.4	7.4	4.1	5.2	5.6
<b>Unemployment rate (%)</b>	6.8	4.4	6.1	7.9	4.2
<b>Participation rate (%)</b>	78.2	62.4	70.7	78.6	65.8
<b>Industry (% of those working)</b>					
Agriculture, Forestry & Fishing	0.4	6.7	1.2	1.5	0.2
Mining	0.7	2.0	1.0	2.4	0.4
Manufacturing	10.0	9.4	7.0	9.6	5.0
Electricity, Gas, Water & Waste Services	1.3	1.2	0.9	1.3	0.5
Construction	2.0	7.5	6.9	9.8	3.4
Wholesale Trade	4.0	3.7	3.4	4.2	6.5
Retail Trade	10.2	10.1	9.5	10.5	9.7
Accommodation & Food Services	9.9	5.3	5.6	7.9	3.9
Transport, Postal & Warehousing	4.9	4.5	3.5	4.6	2.1
Information Media & Telecommunications	2.8	1.2	1.8	2.6	2.8
Financial & Insurance Services	7.3	2.8	3.8	3.1	6.2
Rental, Hiring & Real Estate Services	0.7	1.4	1.4	1.2	2.6
Professional, Scientific & Technical Services	11.3	6.0	7.6	7.8	15.8
Administrative & Support Services	4.5	2.8	3.5	3.2	3.0
Public Administration & Safety	5.2	7.0	5.8	7.4	3.7
Education & Training	4.9	9.3	10.7	5.7	11.1
Healthcare & Social Assistance	14.6	12.2	16.3	7.4	15.6
Arts & Recreation Services	0.7	1.2	1.2	2.2	1.8
Other Services	2.0	3.9	7.0	3.5	3.4
Inadequately Described	1.3	1.1	1.1	2.8	1.5
Not Stated	1.3	0.8	0.7	1.3	0.8
<b>Occupation (% of those working)</b>					
Managers	9.4	15.4	10.0	10.8	18.2
Professionals	31.6	19.8	27.5	20.1	41.4
Technicians & Trades Workers	10.8	14.0	11.4	19.1	5.3
Community & Personal Service Workers	8.6	9.9	12.3	9.7	6.7
Clerical & Administrative Workers	13.1	14.4	15.9	10.1	13.2
Sales Workers	8.7	8.6	9.1	8.9	9.1
Machinery Operators & Drivers	5.3	6.4	4.4	7.4	1.7
Labourers	10.4	9.9	8.0	10.0	2.1
Not Stated	1.2	1.0	0.9	2.6	1.6
<b>Income (% of population aged 15 and over)</b>					
Nil or negative income	15.5	6.5	9.8	9.3	8.7
\$1 - \$399 per week	18.5	32.8	29.6	23.9	21.7
\$400 - \$799 per week	22.3	23.9	23.0	22.3	17.2
\$800 - \$999 per week	9.7	8.3	9.0	10.1	7.2
\$1,000 - \$1,499 per week	15.6	13.3	14.9	15.9	14.6
More than \$1,500 per week	16.2	11.5	11.4	14.3	26.1
Not Stated	2.1	3.6	2.3	4.2	4.6

**Table 16 (continued)**

Education, employment and income statistics for selected religions

Australia: 2011 Census

	Religions:				
	Jehovah's Witnesses	Sikhism	Seventh-day Adventist	Salvation Army	Atheism
<b>Educational Attainment (% of population aged 15 and over)</b>					
Bachelor degree or higher	5.9	36.2	20.7	10.1	24.7
Advanced diploma/diploma	6.9	19.8	9.3	8.0	8.5
Certificate 1, 2, 3 or 4	22.5	9.5	15.7	16.8	19.1
Year 12 or equivalent	13.8	20.4	16.2	11.9	20.9
Less than 12 years of schooling	43.7	8.3	30.3	44.7	22.7
Educational attainment not stated	7.3	5.9	7.9	8.5	4.2
<b>Unemployment rate (%)</b>	5.2	5.7	6.9	5.6	7.1
<b>Participation rate (%)</b>	58.3	78.5	59.4	53.8	75.9
<b>Industry (% of those working)</b>					
Agriculture, Forestry & Fishing	1.6	3.9	2.5	1.9	1.4
Mining	1.0	0.2	1.2	1.5	2.0
Manufacturing	8.9	9.2	10.1	8.2	8.3
Electricity, Gas, Water & Waste Services	1.1	0.6	0.9	1.0	1.2
Construction	16.8	1.9	7.1	6.0	8.7
Wholesale Trade	3.6	3.7	3.2	3.3	3.8
Retail Trade	10.4	9.1	6.4	11.3	10.5
Accommodation & Food Services	4.1	13.1	4.0	5.6	7.5
Transport, Postal & Warehousing	4.1	17.7	4.4	5.2	4.5
Information Media & Telecommunications	1.3	1.3	1.2	1.1	2.5
Financial & Insurance Services	2.7	3.3	2.6	2.3	3.4
Rental, Hiring & Real Estate Services	1.3	0.5	0.9	1.3	1.5
Professional, Scientific & Technical Services	6.9	3.7	5.1	4.1	8.6
Administrative & Support Services	7.7	5.1	3.5	3.3	3.3
Public Administration & Safety	4.7	4.8	5.7	7.0	7.5
Education & Training	5.1	2.9	11.4	7.9	7.3
Healthcare & Social Assistance	11.2	10.6	22.3	18.1	10.0
Arts & Recreation Services	0.7	0.5	0.8	1.2	2.1
Other Services	4.5	3.1	4.4	7.8	3.4
Inadequately Described	1.3	1.8	1.3	1.1	1.5
Not Stated	0.9	3.0	1.2	0.8	0.9
<b>Occupation (% of those working)</b>					
Managers	7.8	7.8	9.1	10.4	11.0
Professionals	11.3	12.5	27.2	19.7	24.3
Technicians & Trades Workers	20.5	11.8	11.8	11.5	15.7
Community & Personal Service Workers	9.2	10.8	12.1	12.7	10.0
Clerical & Administrative Workers	19.2	8.0	13.3	15.1	13.2
Sales Workers	9.1	7.6	5.8	9.4	9.4
Machinery Operators & Drivers	5.7	19.6	7.2	7.7	6.4
Labourers	15.9	19.0	11.8	12.2	8.3
Not Stated	0.7	1.1	0.9	0.8	1.2
<b>Income (% of population aged 15 and over)</b>					
Nil or negative income	7.3	16.1	9.0	5.7	6.3
\$1 - \$399 per week	40.3	25.4	34.2	40.5	24.3
\$400 - \$799 per week	25.8	30.7	23.4	25.4	24.5
\$800 - \$999 per week	7.4	8.8	8.0	7.1	10.4
\$1,000 - \$1,499 per week	10.1	9.1	12.4	9.9	16.8
More than \$1,500 per week	5.9	6.2	8.8	7.2	15.0
Not Stated	3.1	3.7	4.2	4.2	2.7

**Table 17**

**Education, employment and income statistics for selected languages**  
**Australia: 2011 Census**

	Languages:				
	English	Mandarin	Italian	Arabic	Cantonese
<b>Educational Attainment (% of population aged 15 and over)</b>					
Bachelor degree or higher	18.2	44.7	10.6	18.0	31.9
Advanced diploma/diploma	8.4	9.9	6.4	7.7	8.1
Certificate 1, 2, 3 or 4	18.0	3.4	14.2	9.2	4.5
Year 12 or equivalent	16.8	27.2	12.3	25.2	25.2
Less than 12 years of schooling	32.7	10.8	47.0	32.6	26.2
Educational attainment not stated	5.8	4.0	9.5	7.4	4.0
<b>Unemployment rate (%)</b>	5.0	10.6	3.4	11.3	7.3
<b>Participation rate (%)</b>	67.0	60.4	51.2	48.8	61.2
<b>Industry (% of those working)</b>					
Agriculture, Forestry & Fishing	2.8	0.7	2.7	0.4	0.6
Mining	2.0	0.8	0.6	0.3	0.4
Manufacturing	8.5	10.1	9.3	8.0	9.6
Electricity, Gas, Water & Waste Services	1.2	0.6	0.8	0.6	0.6
Construction	8.7	4.2	11.9	11.8	2.6
Wholesale Trade	3.9	6.9	5.1	4.2	6.0
Retail Trade	10.6	11.6	12.6	13.4	10.3
Accommodation & Food Services	5.8	12.9	6.2	7.1	16.2
Transport, Postal & Warehousing	4.7	3.5	4.4	7.4	3.4
Information Media & Telecommunications	1.7	1.9	1.5	1.6	2.2
Financial & Insurance Services	3.5	5.4	3.9	4.3	7.5
Rental, Hiring & Real Estate Services	1.6	1.6	2.0	1.4	1.6
Professional, Scientific & Technical Services	7.1	10.3	6.5	5.8	10.4
Administrative & Support Services	3.1	3.4	2.8	3.1	2.4
Public Administration & Safety	7.3	2.7	5.0	4.6	3.8
Education & Training	8.5	6.1	7.2	5.4	4.6
Healthcare & Social Assistance	11.5	10.6	8.3	10.2	11.6
Arts & Recreation Services	1.6	1.1	1.0	0.6	1.2
Other Services	3.8	2.3	5.2	4.9	2.6
Inadequately Described	1.2	1.6	1.5	1.8	1.2
Not Stated	0.9	1.8	1.5	3.2	1.3
<b>Occupation (% of those working)</b>					
Managers	13.4	11.8	15.8	12.5	10.6
Professionals	20.9	30.8	16.6	18.4	29.8
Technicians & Trades Workers	14.3	10.7	16.0	16.2	12.6
Community & Personal Service Workers	9.7	8.4	7.2	8.1	8.5
Clerical & Administrative Workers	15.1	12.0	16.5	12.7	13.9
Sales Workers	9.6	9.2	10.8	10.4	8.3
Machinery Operators & Drivers	6.5	4.2	5.6	8.0	4.7
Labourers	8.8	10.0	8.9	10.2	9.3
Not Stated	1.0	1.4	1.3	1.5	1.2
<b>Income (% of population aged 15 and over)</b>					
Nil or negative income	7.1	28.2	6.3	12.8	18.2
\$1 - \$399 per week	28.2	24.0	40.1	40.6	29.5
\$400 - \$799 per week	23.4	18.5	20.9	20.5	19.3
\$800 - \$999 per week	8.9	7.4	7.1	6.0	7.5
\$1,000 - \$1,499 per week	14.7	11.4	11.2	8.3	12.1
More than \$1,500 per week	14.3	8.4	9.1	6.1	11.3
Not Stated	3.4	2.1	5.3	5.7	2.1

**Table 17 (continued)**

Education, employment and income statistics for selected languages

Australia: 2011 Census

	Languages:				
	Greek	Vietnamese	Spanish	Hindi	Tagalog
<b>Educational Attainment (% of population aged 15 and over)</b>					
Bachelor degree or higher	14.7	17.3	27.4	49.5	39.7
Advanced diploma/diploma	7.0	6.0	10.8	11.0	8.1
Certificate 1, 2, 3 or 4	11.6	5.9	14.9	8.1	12.5
Year 12 or equivalent	18.0	30.8	21.7	16.8	19.6
Less than 12 years of schooling	41.1	33.9	18.4	10.7	14.5
Educational attainment not stated	7.5	6.1	6.7	3.8	5.6
<b>Unemployment rate (%)</b>	4.6	10.7	7.1	6.7	5.1
<b>Participation rate (%)</b>	54.4	59.6	67.5	78.1	76.8
<b>Industry (% of those working)</b>					
Agriculture, Forestry & Fishing	0.7	2.1	0.4	0.3	0.9
Mining	0.3	0.3	1.1	0.6	0.7
Manufacturing	8.3	23.6	10.0	9.7	16.5
Electricity, Gas, Water & Waste Services	0.8	0.6	0.8	1.4	0.9
Construction	9.1	3.4	6.9	2.1	3.0
Wholesale Trade	5.0	4.6	3.7	4.4	4.4
Retail Trade	12.2	12.2	7.4	9.7	7.5
Accommodation & Food Services	7.1	8.5	6.6	8.1	9.3
Transport, Postal & Warehousing	5.7	4.9	4.8	6.3	5.3
Information Media & Telecommunications	2.1	1.7	2.1	3.2	1.7
Financial & Insurance Services	5.6	4.4	4.0	9.0	5.6
Rental, Hiring & Real Estate Services	2.3	0.8	1.2	0.9	0.8
Professional, Scientific & Technical Services	7.4	5.7	8.5	10.4	5.2
Administrative & Support Services	3.4	2.1	8.4	3.8	3.8
Public Administration & Safety	5.5	3.3	5.7	5.4	4.4
Education & Training	7.1	3.1	7.0	5.4	2.3
Healthcare & Social Assistance	8.7	7.8	13.8	14.0	21.3
Arts & Recreation Services	0.9	1.0	1.3	0.6	1.4
Other Services	4.9	5.6	3.4	2.4	3.1
Inadequately Described	1.4	1.7	1.5	1.3	1.2
Not Stated	1.5	2.7	1.2	1.2	0.9
<b>Occupation (% of those working)</b>					
Managers	15.2	8.6	9.1	10.7	4.7
Professionals	19.9	17.8	22.3	30.2	18.9
Technicians & Trades Workers	14.0	14.0	13.7	10.5	14.6
Community & Personal Service Workers	6.9	8.8	12.1	8.1	12.3
Clerical & Administrative Workers	16.8	10.4	14.1	15.6	16.0
Sales Workers	10.8	8.8	6.7	8.5	6.6
Machinery Operators & Drivers	5.5	11.7	5.9	6.2	7.7
Labourers	8.4	16.2	14.2	7.9	17.8
Not Stated	1.4	1.6	1.2	1.3	0.8
<b>Income (% of population aged 15 and over)</b>					
Nil or negative income	7.4	16.4	10.0	14.9	11.7
\$1 - \$399 per week	38.8	36.5	30.4	17.2	19.2
\$400 - \$799 per week	19.8	21.1	23.0	21.9	25.5
\$800 - \$999 per week	7.4	7.5	9.1	10.8	13.2
\$1,000 - \$1,499 per week	11.7	9.2	13.6	16.7	18.3
More than \$1,500 per week	10.7	5.8	10.6	16.1	9.4
Not Stated	4.3	3.4	3.3	2.4	2.7



**Table 17 (continued)**

Education, employment and income statistics for selected languages

Australia: 2011 Census

	Languages:				
	German	Korean	Punjabi	Macedonian	Australian Indigenous Languages
<b>Educational Attainment (% of population aged 15 and over)</b>					
Bachelor degree or higher	25.8	37.1	36.6	10.1	2.6
Advanced diploma/diploma	11.6	10.1	20.2	7.4	2.3
Certificate 1, 2, 3 or 4	23.7	4.5	9.6	11.8	7.9
Year 12 or equivalent	11.3	34.6	19.8	24.0	10.6
Less than 12 years of schooling	17.5	8.8	8.3	39.0	64.9
Educational attainment not stated	10.2	4.9	5.5	7.7	11.6
<b>Unemployment rate (%)</b>	4.9	9.4	5.7	5.2	19.2
<b>Participation rate (%)</b>	53.1	57.5	78.6	60.2	45.2
<b>Industry (% of those working)</b>					
Agriculture, Forestry & Fishing	2.1	2.1	3.6	0.6	2.1
Mining	1.4	0.2	0.2	0.5	2.3
Manufacturing	9.7	7.9	9.6	14.9	0.8
Electricity, Gas, Water & Waste Services	0.9	0.2	0.6	1.2	0.4
Construction	5.8	6.9	1.8	8.4	3.7
Wholesale Trade	4.6	4.6	3.8	4.0	0.2
Retail Trade	7.1	10.0	9.5	11.5	4.1
Accommodation & Food Services	6.6	17.0	13.2	4.4	1.5
Transport, Postal & Warehousing	3.5	2.3	18.1	8.6	1.1
Information Media & Telecommunications	1.7	1.4	1.3	1.8	0.3
Financial & Insurance Services	2.8	3.1	2.9	5.2	0.3
Rental, Hiring & Real Estate Services	1.3	0.8	0.5	1.4	0.2
Professional, Scientific & Technical Services	11.9	6.7	3.4	5.4	1.6
Administrative & Support Services	3.1	9.5	5.0	6.7	3.2
Public Administration & Safety	5.6	1.5	4.9	5.7	26.4
Education & Training	11.3	5.3	2.7	3.7	13.7
Healthcare & Social Assistance	13.1	9.8	10.5	8.7	13.3
Arts & Recreation Services	1.7	1.0	0.5	0.7	4.6
Other Services	3.4	5.2	3.2	3.3	14.3
Inadequately Described	1.7	1.8	1.8	1.6	0.7
Not Stated	0.9	2.6	3.0	1.7	5.2
<b>Occupation (% of those working)</b>					
Managers	15.4	12.5	7.4	9.3	4.7
Professionals	32.2	22.2	11.5	12.6	18.9
Technicians & Trades Workers	13.3	18.5	12.1	12.7	5.6
Community & Personal Service Workers	10.2	9.8	11.2	5.8	18.9
Clerical & Administrative Workers	12.3	7.4	8.0	16.1	8.7
Sales Workers	6.2	7.1	7.8	10.3	3.9
Machinery Operators & Drivers	2.9	2.2	20.2	11.8	4.3
Labourers	5.5	17.4	19.1	18.4	27.5
Not Stated	1.3	1.2	1.1	1.6	2.6
<b>Income (% of population aged 15 and over)</b>					
Nil or negative income	7.7	30.2	15.9	9.1	7.9
\$1 - \$399 per week	34.8	23.4	25.2	35.0	63.3
\$400 - \$799 per week	21.0	21.3	31.7	22.8	14.8
\$800 - \$999 per week	6.6	7.7	9.3	9.2	2.3
\$1,000 - \$1,499 per week	11.5	8.8	8.9	12.5	3.0
More than \$1,500 per week	13.8	5.8	5.4	7.6	1.7
Not Stated	4.6	2.9	3.6	3.8	6.9

**Table 17 (continued)**

Education, employment and income statistics for selected languages

Australia: 2011 Census

	Languages:				
	Croatian	Turkish	French	Indonesian	Filipino
<b>Educational Attainment (% of population aged 15 and over)</b>					
Bachelor degree or higher	11.9	12.8	34.9	45.6	47.5
Advanced diploma/diploma	7.4	6.3	13.3	10.8	6.6
Certificate 1, 2, 3 or 4	19.0	8.6	11.0	5.1	9.9
Year 12 or equivalent	17.1	25.9	18.7	26.2	17.4
Less than 12 years of schooling	35.7	39.4	15.3	8.8	12.3
Educational attainment not stated	8.9	7.0	6.8	3.5	6.4
<b>Unemployment rate (%)</b>	4.6	10.1	6.7	8.8	5.0
<b>Participation rate (%)</b>	53.4	53.0	67.5	69.1	75.3
<b>Industry (% of those working)</b>					
Agriculture, Forestry & Fishing	1.0	0.7	1.1	0.7	1.3
Mining	0.8	0.3	1.3	1.7	0.9
Manufacturing	12.2	11.8	8.3	9.3	16.4
Electricity, Gas, Water & Waste Services	0.9	0.6	0.8	0.7	0.9
Construction	19.4	8.9	4.0	2.6	3.1
Wholesale Trade	3.5	4.3	4.5	5.2	4.6
Retail Trade	8.8	10.5	7.5	10.5	6.8
Accommodation & Food Services	4.1	10.4	9.6	14.7	8.4
Transport, Postal & Warehousing	4.5	8.9	4.0	5.5	4.8
Information Media & Telecommunications	1.6	2.1	2.2	2.4	1.8
Financial & Insurance Services	4.0	4.7	4.7	7.2	5.4
Rental, Hiring & Real Estate Services	1.4	1.1	1.3	1.5	0.8
Professional, Scientific & Technical Services	6.5	5.1	11.7	10.9	6.4
Administrative & Support Services	3.9	4.1	4.0	4.0	3.6
Public Administration & Safety	5.8	4.6	6.0	3.4	4.4
Education & Training	4.6	6.3	10.9	6.0	2.6
Healthcare & Social Assistance	9.5	7.1	10.9	7.5	21.4
Arts & Recreation Services	1.0	0.7	1.8	1.2	1.2
Other Services	3.3	3.8	2.9	2.7	2.8
Inadequately Described	1.6	1.5	1.6	1.2	1.3
Not Stated	1.5	2.6	1.0	1.1	1.1
<b>Occupation (% of those working)</b>					
Managers	10.9	11.5	14.3	8.4	5.4
Professionals	15.9	15.0	31.4	26.1	21.9
Technicians & Trades Workers	20.9	16.0	10.0	9.1	13.4
Community & Personal Service Workers	7.0	8.3	10.7	8.6	11.6
Clerical & Administrative Workers	15.5	12.8	13.8	16.9	15.4
Sales Workers	8.0	9.8	7.1	9.6	6.0
Machinery Operators & Drivers	6.6	11.4	3.3	5.7	7.0
Labourers	12.9	12.1	7.2	13.6	17.5
Not Stated	1.2	1.4	1.3	1.1	1.0
<b>Income (% of population aged 15 and over)</b>					
Nil or negative income	7.3	12.7	11.4	19.8	11.7
\$1 - \$399 per week	40.1	40.3	25.4	22.4	20.1
\$400 - \$799 per week	18.6	21.0	20.5	22.9	24.4
\$800 - \$999 per week	7.5	6.9	8.3	9.5	12.2
\$1,000 - \$1,499 per week	12.5	9.0	14.6	13.6	18.0
More than \$1,500 per week	9.7	5.5	16.4	9.8	10.7
Not Stated	4.2	4.5	3.5	2.1	2.9

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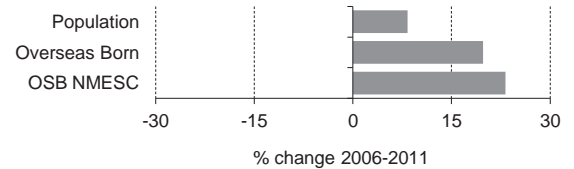
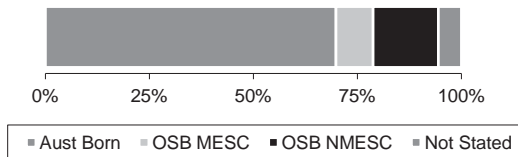


Table 18.1

Summary Indicators	2011 Census	% of population	2006 Census	Change 2011-2006	% change
Population	21,507,719	100.0	19,855,287	1,652,432	8.3
Australian born	15,021,553	69.8	14,072,958	948,595	6.7
Overseas born	5,290,436	24.6	4,416,020	874,416	19.8
Birthplace not stated	1,195,730	5.6	1,366,312	-170,582	-12.5
Overseas born - Main English speaking countries	1,913,360	8.9	1,675,351	238,009	14.2
Overseas born - Non-Main English speaking countries	3,377,076	15.7	2,740,678	636,398	23.2
Overseas born - Australian citizens	3,308,895	15.4	2,953,185	355,710	12.0
Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islanders	548,368	2.5	455,028	93,340	20.5
Language other than English spoken at home	3,912,939	18.2	3,146,200	766,739	24.4
Overseas born arrived since 2006	1,190,324	5.5	..	..	..
Overseas born arrived since 2006 from NMESC	827,129	3.8	..	..	..
Overseas born with Internet access	4,213,823	19.6	2,944,699	1,269,124	43.1
Australian born with Internet access	12,254,158	57.0	9,559,644	2,694,514	28.2
LOTE spoken at home with internet access	3,118,978	14.5	2,042,337	1,076,641	52.7

Table 18.2

## Overseas born: Birthplace by Gender, 2011, 2006 and 2001 Census

Birthplace	Males	Females	Persons	% of OSB	2006 Census	2001 Census	% change 2006-2011
England	459,568	452,024	911,592	17.2	856,938	847,365	6.4
New Zealand	245,090	238,307	483,397	9.1	389,467	355,765	24.1
China (excludes SARs and Taiwan)	141,595	177,374	318,969	6.0	206,590	142,780	54.4
India	164,208	131,154	295,362	5.6	147,105	95,452	100.8
Italy	94,812	90,591	185,403	3.5	199,123	218,718	-6.9
Vietnam	84,806	100,230	185,036	3.5	159,849	154,830	15.8
Philippines	64,620	106,614	171,234	3.2	120,540	103,942	42.1
South Africa	71,713	73,969	145,682	2.8	104,131	79,425	39.9
Scotland	66,592	66,840	133,432	2.5	130,204	137,252	2.5
Malaysia	52,866	63,329	116,195	2.2	92,335	78,858	25.8
Germany	51,327	56,675	108,002	2.0	106,524	108,219	1.4
Greece	48,812	51,125	99,937	1.9	109,989	116,430	-9.1
Sri Lanka	44,121	42,294	86,415	1.6	62,256	53,461	38.8
United States of America	38,228	38,781	77,009	1.5	61,719	53,694	24.8
Lebanon	39,538	36,912	76,450	1.4	74,849	71,349	2.1
Netherlands	38,691	37,357	76,048	1.4	78,923	83,324	-3.6
Hong Kong (SAR of China)	35,778	39,177	74,955	1.4	71,802	67,121	4.4
Korea, Republic of (South)	34,383	40,153	74,536	1.4	52,761	38,899	41.3
Ireland	36,231	31,085	67,316	1.3	50,256	50,234	33.9
Indonesia	28,038	35,122	63,160	1.2	50,974	47,158	23.9
Fiji	26,377	30,603	56,980	1.1	48,144	44,261	18.4
Croatia	24,599	24,230	48,829	0.9	50,995	51,909	-4.2
Poland	21,220	27,459	48,679	0.9	52,256	58,111	-6.8
Singapore	22,077	26,569	48,646	0.9	39,973	33,485	21.7
Iraq	24,851	23,317	48,168	0.9	32,521	24,832	48.1
Thailand	14,852	30,612	45,464	0.9	30,554	23,600	48.8
Malta	20,989	20,286	41,275	0.8	43,701	46,998	-5.6
Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia (FYROM)	20,152	20,071	40,223	0.8	40,656	43,527	-1.1
Canada	18,155	20,715	38,870	0.7	31,612	27,289	23.0
Egypt	18,997	17,533	36,530	0.7	33,494	33,432	9.1
Other birthplaces	540,472	549,884	1,090,356	20.6	885,794	813,950	23.1
<b>Total overseas born</b>	<b>2,590,340</b>	<b>2,700,102</b>	<b>5,290,442</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>4,416,024</b>	<b>4,105,670</b>	<b>19.9</b>

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Table 18.3

### Birthplace by Age: Selected birthplace Groups, 2011 Census

Percentage in age group for each birthplace - total expressed as a number

Birthplace	0-14	15-24	25-44	45-64	65+	Total
England	5.3	4.4	21.7	40.2	28.4	911,591
New Zealand	10.3	12.2	36.9	32.0	8.6	483,397
China (excl. SARs and Taiwan)	3.7	22.6	38.3	25.4	9.9	318,970
India	8.2	11.9	57.2	15.7	7.0	295,364
Italy	0.6	0.8	5.6	34.4	58.6	185,402
Vietnam	2.4	7.5	43.9	37.9	8.2	185,037
Philippines	9.5	10.6	41.3	33.2	5.4	171,234
South Africa	11.5	13.8	37.0	28.7	9.0	145,685
Scotland	3.5	3.3	18.9	41.5	32.8	133,431
Malaysia	5.5	16.9	36.3	32.0	9.2	116,195
<i>Australia</i>	24.2	14.7	26.2	22.9	11.9	15,017,846
<i>Mainly English speaking countries</i>	7.3	7.5	28.2	36.2	20.8	1,913,363
<i>Non-main English speaking countries</i>	5.4	10.8	35.7	30.1	18.0	3,380,780

Table 18.4

### Birthplace by Year of Arrival: Selected birthplace Groups, 2011 Census

Percentage in arrival group for each birthplace - total expressed as a number and includes 'not stated' category

Birthplace	Before						2011	Total
	1981	1981- 1990	1991- 2000	2001- 2005	2006- 2010			
England	54.2	11.6	8.4	7.8	12.1	1.2	911,594	
New Zealand	18.6	19.0	19.4	12.8	21.0	3.5	483,398	
China (excl. SARs and Taiwan)	4.7	13.8	19.7	18.4	35.8	3.1	318,969	
India	8.7	6.0	12.4	16.6	49.5	3.4	295,361	
Italy	86.1	2.1	1.6	1.1	2.0	0.3	185,402	
Vietnam	15.9	36.8	21.8	6.1	12.6	1.3	185,039	
Philippines	6.4	26.3	21.3	11.1	28.4	3.0	171,234	
South Africa	12.0	14.2	19.8	19.2	29.8	2.4	145,683	
Scotland	57.7	12.9	7.6	6.2	9.6	1.2	133,432	
Malaysia	18.5	25.1	12.8	12.7	23.9	3.9	116,196	

Table 18.5

### Languages other than English Spoken At Home by Gender, 2011, 2006, and 2001 Census

Language				% of LOTE speakers	2006 Census	2001 Census	% change 2006-11
	Males	Females	Persons				
Mandarin	154,260	182,149	336,409	8.6	220,605	139,286	52.5
Italian	144,429	155,404	299,833	7.7	316,895	353,603	-5.4
Arabic	147,232	139,944	287,176	7.3	243,662	209,372	17.9
Cantonese	123,791	139,883	263,674	6.7	244,557	225,307	7.8
Greek	123,464	128,753	252,217	6.4	252,228	263,718	0.0
Vietnamese	111,087	122,301	233,388	6.0	194,856	174,236	19.8
Spanish	55,838	61,659	117,497	3.0	98,001	93,595	19.9
Hindi	57,922	53,430	111,352	2.8	70,008	47,817	59.1
Tagalog	33,533	47,922	81,455	2.1	53,284	..	52.9
German	36,882	43,488	80,370	2.1	75,635	76,444	6.3
Korean	37,855	41,930	79,785	2.0	54,623	39,531	46.1
Punjabi	42,199	29,031	71,230	1.8	23,165	14,896	207.5
Macedonian	34,306	34,541	68,847	1.8	67,832	71,994	1.5
Australian Indigenous Languages	29,862	31,937	61,799	1.6	55,697	50,958	11.0
Croatian	29,870	31,676	61,546	1.6	63,616	69,851	-3.3
Turkish	29,899	29,724	59,623	1.5	53,860	50,693	10.7
French	27,669	30,071	57,740	1.5	43,215	39,643	33.6
Other languages	673,100	715,898	1,388,998	35.5	1,014,461	932,885	36.9
<b>Total LOTE speakers</b>	<b>1,893,198</b>	<b>2,019,741</b>	<b>3,912,939</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>3,146,200</b>	<b>2,853,829</b>	<b>24.4</b>

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Table 18.6

English Language Proficiency by Age: Selected Language Groups, 2011 Census

Language	0-14 Years	15-24 Years	25-44 Years	45-64 Years	65+ Years	Total
<b>Mandarin</b>						
Speak English well/very well	33,711	70,402	106,789	40,952	3,757	255,611
Speak English not well/not at all	12,104	8,163	18,928	27,119	12,026	78,340
Total including not stated	46,457	79,142	126,391	68,476	15,944	336,410
<i>Percent not well/not at all</i>	26%	10%	15%	40%	75%	23%
<b>Italian</b>						
Speak English well/very well	14,211	13,570	62,680	87,486	75,015	252,962
Speak English not well/not at all	1,631	580	1,498	3,801	34,897	42,407
Total including not stated	16,222	14,364	65,150	92,642	111,457	299,835
<i>Percent not well/not at all</i>	10%	4%	2%	4%	31%	14%
<b>Arabic</b>						
Speak English well/very well	55,313	44,624	82,950	43,891	10,898	237,676
Speak English not well/not at all	11,886	2,825	11,467	11,570	8,283	46,031
Total including not stated	68,924	47,905	95,113	55,876	19,357	287,175
<i>Percent not well/not at all</i>	17%	6%	12%	21%	43%	16%
<b>Cantonese</b>						
Speak English well/very well	25,248	43,782	64,167	53,617	10,463	197,277
Speak English not well/not at all	6,169	2,864	9,371	28,559	17,733	64,696
Total including not stated	31,801	46,912	73,941	82,618	28,403	263,675
<i>Percent not well/not at all</i>	19%	6%	13%	35%	62%	25%
<b>Greek</b>						
Speak English well/very well	26,416	18,299	68,303	56,746	38,391	208,155
Speak English not well/not at all	3,448	629	1,089	6,514	29,828	41,508
Total including not stated	30,386	19,089	70,053	63,833	68,858	252,219
<i>Percent not well/not at all</i>	11%	3%	2%	10%	43%	16%
<b>All Speakers of languages other than English</b>						
Speak English well/very well	472,255	500,495	1,210,411	728,510	307,223	3,218,894
Speak English not well/not at all	133,910	33,647	123,620	175,493	177,333	644,003
Total including not stated	623,695	540,041	1,345,967	912,336	490,896	3,912,935
<i>Percent not well/not at all</i>	21%	6%	9%	19%	36%	16%

Table 18.7

Ancestry by Birthplace of Parent(s): Selected Ancestry Groups, 2011 Census

Ancestry	Australia Born					Overseas Born	Not stated birthplace	Total responses
	Both parents born in Australia	Both parents born overseas	One parent Aust born	One parent OSB/one parent birthplace not stated	Other <sup>1</sup>			
English	4,318,277	392,629	1,015,069	7,710	106,043	1,299,413	99,428	7,238,569
Australian	5,485,168	103,050	1,156,106	4,536	121,417	139,286	88,925	7,098,488
Irish	1,489,150	68,761	212,235	1,332	27,736	262,684	25,852	2,087,750
Scottish	1,117,336	91,761	242,161	1,561	20,046	299,751	19,986	1,792,602
Italian	312,460	213,710	151,010	2,405	8,846	215,801	11,886	916,118
German	552,497	66,976	105,805	962	10,027	151,593	10,811	898,671
Chinese	37,313	147,115	33,705	1,465	3,034	634,323	9,253	866,208
Indian	6,004	56,585	14,967	546	920	308,631	3,262	390,915
Greek	89,650	111,482	52,277	1,322	3,431	113,997	6,106	378,265
Dutch	79,806	61,511	80,814	669	2,286	107,391	2,998	335,475

1. One parent Australian born / one or both parent(s) birthplace not stated

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**Table 18.8**  
**Religious Affiliation by Gender, 2011 and 2006 Census**

Religion	Males	Females	Persons	% of population	2006 Census	Change 2006-11	% change
Western Catholic	2,586,508	2,810,888	5,397,396	25.1	5,087,116	310,280	6.1
No Religion, nfd	2,495,971	2,197,190	4,693,161	21.8	3,643,819	1,049,342	28.8
Anglican Church of Australia	1,729,125	1,948,880	3,678,005	17.1	3,716,377	-38,372	-1.0
Uniting Church	476,640	589,155	1,065,795	5.0	1,135,427	-69,632	-6.1
Presbyterian	280,389	304,429	584,818	2.7	583,396	1,422	0.2
Buddhism	240,186	288,792	528,978	2.5	418,759	110,219	26.3
Islam	249,023	227,268	476,291	2.2	340,392	135,899	39.9
Christian, nfd	215,297	245,913	461,210	2.1	305,480	155,730	51.0
Greek Orthodox	190,967	192,433	383,400	1.8	374,575	8,825	2.4
Baptist	166,186	186,312	352,498	1.6	316,742	35,756	11.3
Hinduism	148,462	127,073	275,535	1.3	148,125	127,410	86.0
Lutheran	119,066	132,863	251,929	1.2	251,105	824	0.3
Pentecostal, nfd	88,766	103,414	192,180	0.9	88,534	103,646	117.1
Not Defined	90,178	42,419	132,597	0.6	108,654	23,943	22.0
Judaism	47,062	50,273	97,335	0.5	88,831	8,504	9.6
Jehovah's Witnesses	37,479	48,158	85,637	0.4	80,918	4,719	5.8
Sikhism	42,227	30,068	72,295	0.3	26,426	45,869	173.6
Seventh-day Adventist	28,744	34,258	63,002	0.3	55,253	7,749	14.0
Salvation Army	26,400	33,761	60,161	0.3	64,200	-4,039	-6.3
Atheism	34,583	24,315	58,898	0.3	31,305	27,593	88.1
Church of Jesus Christ of LDS (Mormons)	27,927	30,910	58,837	0.3	52,146	6,691	12.8
Macedonian Orthodox	26,416	25,632	52,048	0.2	48,084	3,964	8.2
Eastern Orthodox, nfd	24,255	25,322	49,577	0.2	48,158	1,419	2.9
Churches of Christ (Conference)	18,633	23,510	42,143	0.2	47,773	-5,630	-11.8
Serbian Orthodox	20,970	20,861	41,831	0.2	39,968	1,863	4.7
Religious Belief, nfd	16,138	19,032	35,170	0.2	20,539	14,631	71.2
Agnosticism	18,177	16,454	34,631	0.2	22,131	12,500	56.5
Maronite Catholic	15,297	15,363	30,660	0.1	29,071	1,589	5.5
Assemblies of God	12,849	15,452	28,301	0.1	94,891	-66,590	-70.2
Coptic Orthodox Church	12,599	12,096	24,695	0.1	19,923	4,772	24.0
Other religions	167,572	191,484	359,056	1.7	343,212	15,844	4.6
Not stated	979,921	859,728	1,839,649	8.6	2,223,957	-384,308	-17.3
<b>Total Persons</b>	<b>10,634,013</b>	<b>10,873,706</b>	<b>21,507,719</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>19,855,287</b>	<b>1,652,432</b>	<b>8.3</b>

**Table 18.9**  
**Religion by Birthplace and Age: Selected Religious Groups, 2011 Census**

Religion	Birthplace			Age				
	Australia	Overseas	Not Stated	0-14	15-24	25-44	45-64	65+
Western Catholic	4,042,488	1,266,757	88,150	1,105,614	721,391	1,438,386	1,368,031	763,971
No Religion, nfd	3,602,221	1,044,619	46,323	1,101,631	777,163	1,531,980	983,287	299,101
Anglican Church of Australia	2,982,367	632,086	63,550	543,317	351,862	845,294	1,132,308	805,223
Uniting Church	928,240	119,987	17,567	145,817	107,085	216,432	336,006	260,454
Presbyterian	425,983	146,947	11,887	53,702	41,649	111,277	211,806	166,384
Buddhism	159,282	361,738	7,958	78,228	77,987	190,936	146,219	35,609
Islam	179,083	286,160	11,045	138,921	82,413	168,112	70,801	16,043
Christian, nfd	328,421	127,307	5,481	107,242	71,166	130,998	110,994	40,809
Other religions	1,639,187	1,100,378	42,857	504,231	378,861	873,130	662,227	363,973
Not stated	734,517	204,223	900,910	365,323	256,893	523,491	433,229	260,712
<b>Total persons</b>	<b>15,021,789</b>	<b>5,290,202</b>	<b>1,195,728</b>	<b>4,144,026</b>	<b>2,866,470</b>	<b>6,030,036</b>	<b>5,454,908</b>	<b>3,012,279</b>