

# Community report

## Campaspe (S)

Prepared from Community Explorer topic selections for briefing, planning and reporting use.

AREA

**Campaspe (S)**

COMPARISON

**Regional Vic.**

POPULATION

**Persons**

GENERATED

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### Included sections

1 selected topic will be included in this report.

**01** Ancestry

### Sources and method

- Source: Australian Bureau of Statistics, Census of Population and Housing, 2021 and, where available, 2016 comparison data.
- Percentages are calculated from the denominator supplied for each topic. Change (pp) is the 2021 percentage minus the 2016 percentage when the topic is comparable across years.
- Usual residence topics describe where people usually live, rather than where they were counted on Census night.

# Ancestry

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## Key takeaway

In 2021, the largest ancestry groups among residents in Campaspe (S) were Australian, English and Irish.

## About this topic

Ancestry describes a person's cultural association and ethnic background, and Census respondents can report more than one ancestry. It is a broader cultural measure than country of birth because it can reflect family heritage across generations.

This topic helps show the size and diversity of cultural groups in an area, including groups whose members were born in Australia. Because multiple ancestries can be reported, ancestry totals can exceed the total population, so it is best read with birthplace, language used at home, and religion.

## Interpretation notes

- People can report up to two ancestries, so category counts represent responses rather than a single unduplicated person count, while percentages are shown against the total population.
- ABS advises that ancestry is best used with birthplace and language, because ancestry alone is a broad measure of ethnicity and cultural background.
- The 2021 form added separate Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander mark boxes, so those categories need caution in over-time comparison.

## Ancestry - Ranked by size

Campaspe (S) - Total persons (Usual residence)

Category	2021			2016			Change	
	Count	%	Regional Vic. %	Count	%	Regional Vic. %	Count	pp
Inadequately described	65	0.2%	0.2%	65	0.2%	0.2%	0	0.0
Eurasian, so described	–	–	0.0%	3	0.0%	0.0%	–	–
Asian, so described	15	0.0%	0.0%	3	0.0%	0.0%	+12	0.0
African, so described	25	0.1%	0.1%	14	0.0%	0.1%	+11	+0.1
European, so described	17	0.0%	0.1%	13	0.0%	0.0%	+4	0.0
Caucasian, so described	–	–	0.0%	3	0.0%	0.0%	–	–
Creole, so described	–	–	0.0%	–	–	0.0%	–	–
Oceanian, nfd	–	–	0.0%	4	0.0%	0.0%	–	–
Australian Peoples, nfd	–	–	0.0%	–	–	0.0%	–	–
Australian	16,889	43.6%	39.2%	16,634	44.9%	40.0%	+255	-1.3
Australian Aboriginal	1,102	2.8%	1.9%	111	0.3%	0.2%	+991	+2.5
Australian South Sea Islander	–	–	0.0%	5	0.0%	0.0%	–	–

Category	2021			2016		
	Count	%	Regional Vic. %	Count	%	Regiona
Torres Strait Islander	36	0.1%	0.1%	–	–	
Norfolk Islander	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
New Zealand Peoples, nfd	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Maori	111	0.3%	0.3%	80	0.2%	
New Zealander	176	0.5%	0.5%	167	0.5%	
Melanesian and Papuan, nfd	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
New Caledonian	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Ni-Vanuatu	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Papua New Guinean	–	–	0.0%	6	0.0%	
Solomon Islander	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Melanesian and Papuan, nec	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Micronesian, nfd	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
I-Kiribati	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Nauruan	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Micronesian, nec	–	–	–	–	–	
Polynesian, nfd	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Cook Islander	13	0.0%	0.0%	4	0.0%	
Fijian	16	0.0%	0.1%	18	0.0%	
Niuean	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Samoan	5	0.0%	0.1%	–	–	
Tongan	9	0.0%	0.1%	31	0.1%	
Hawaiian	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Tahitian	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Tokelauan	–	–	0.0%	–	–	

Category	2021			2016		
	Count	%	Regional Vic. %	Count	%	Regiona
Tuvaluan	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Pitcairn	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Polynesian, nec	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
North-West European, nfd	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
British, nfd	12	0.0%	0.0%	5	0.0%	
English	16,262	42.0%	40.6%	15,207	41.0%	4
Scottish	4,200	10.8%	11.7%	3,979	10.7%	1
Welsh	165	0.4%	0.6%	159	0.4%	
Channel Islander	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Manx	3	0.0%	0.0%	4	0.0%	
British, nec	3	0.0%	0.0%	–	–	
Irish	4,633	12.0%	12.9%	4,444	12.0%	1
Western European, nfd	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Austrian	37	0.1%	0.2%	33	0.1%	
Dutch	530	1.4%	2.3%	481	1.3%	
Flemish	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
French	129	0.3%	0.4%	114	0.3%	
German	1,542	4.0%	4.6%	1,426	3.8%	
Swiss	43	0.1%	0.2%	39	0.1%	
Belgian	7	0.0%	0.0%	8	0.0%	
Frisian	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Luxembourg	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Western European, nec	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Northern European, nfd	8	0.0%	0.0%	12	0.0%	

Category	2021			2016		
	Count	%	Regional Vic. %	Count	%	Regiona
Danish	57	0.1%	0.2%	47	0.1%	
Finnish	26	0.1%	0.1%	27	0.1%	
Icelandic	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Norwegian	41	0.1%	0.1%	48	0.1%	
Swedish	53	0.1%	0.2%	56	0.2%	
Northern European, nec	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Southern and Eastern European, nfd	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Southern European, nfd	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Basque	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Catalan	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Italian	1,301	3.4%	3.9%	1,233	3.3%	
Maltese	162	0.4%	0.7%	100	0.3%	
Portuguese	18	0.0%	0.1%	17	0.0%	
Spanish	75	0.2%	0.3%	84	0.2%	
Gibraltarian	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
South Eastern European, nfd	18	0.0%	0.1%	29	0.1%	
Albanian	50	0.1%	0.1%	61	0.2%	
Bosnian	3	0.0%	0.0%	5	0.0%	
Bulgarian	13	0.0%	0.0%	8	0.0%	
Croatian	74	0.2%	0.6%	45	0.1%	
Greek	122	0.3%	0.6%	107	0.3%	
Macedonian	35	0.1%	0.2%	34	0.1%	
Moldovan	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Montenegrin	–	–	0.0%	–	–	

Category	2021			2016		
	Count	%	Regional Vic. %	Count	%	Regiona
Romanian	7	0.0%	0.1%	6	0.0%	
Roma Gypsy	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Serbian	29	0.1%	0.2%	11	0.0%	
Slovene	18	0.0%	0.1%	6	0.0%	
Cypriot	10	0.0%	0.1%	4	0.0%	
Vlach	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Eastern European, nfd	3	0.0%	0.0%	3	0.0%	
Belarusan	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Czech	8	0.0%	0.1%	13	0.0%	
Estonian	4	0.0%	0.0%	5	0.0%	
Hungarian	62	0.2%	0.3%	60	0.2%	
Latvian	20	0.1%	0.1%	19	0.1%	
Lithuanian	19	0.0%	0.1%	9	0.0%	
Polish	123	0.3%	0.6%	111	0.3%	
Russian	31	0.1%	0.2%	17	0.0%	
Slovak	7	0.0%	0.0%	–	–	
Ukrainian	18	0.0%	0.2%	14	0.0%	
Sorb/Wend	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Eastern European, nec	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
North African and Middle Eastern, nfd	4	0.0%	0.0%	–	–	
Arab, nfd	8	0.0%	0.1%	6	0.0%	
Algerian	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Egyptian	17	0.0%	0.1%	7	0.0%	

Category	2021			2016		
	Count	%	Regional Vic. %	Count	%	Regiona
Iraqi	5	0.0%	0.1%	4	0.0%	
Jordanian	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Kuwaiti	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Lebanese	28	0.1%	0.1%	25	0.1%	
Libyan	–	–	0.0%	3	0.0%	
Moroccan	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Palestinian	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Saudi Arabian	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Syrian	–	–	0.0%	3	0.0%	
Tunisian	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Yemeni	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Emirati	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Omani	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Arab, nec	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Jewish	9	0.0%	0.0%	5	0.0%	
Peoples of the Sudan, nfd	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Darfur	–	–	–	–	–	
Dinka	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Nuer	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
South Sudanese	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Sudanese	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Peoples of the Sudan, nec	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Other North African and Middle Eastern, nfd	–	–	0.0%	–	–	

Category	2021			2016		
	Count	%	Regional Vic. %	Count	%	Regiona
Berber	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Coptic	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Iranian	3	0.0%	0.1%	3	0.0%	
Kurdish	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Turkish	9	0.0%	0.1%	16	0.0%	
Assyrian	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Chaldean	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Mandaean	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Nubian	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Other North African and Middle Eastern, nec	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
South-East Asian, nfd	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Anglo-Burmese	–	–	–	–	–	
Burmese	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Hmong	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Khmer (Cambodian)	12	0.0%	0.0%	–	–	
Lao	16	0.0%	0.0%	4	0.0%	
Thai	61	0.2%	0.2%	29	0.1%	
Vietnamese	44	0.1%	0.2%	12	0.0%	
Karen	–	–	0.2%	–	–	
Mon	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Chin	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Rohingya	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Mainland South-East Asian, nec	–	–	0.0%	–	–	

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	Count	%	Regional Vic. %	Count	%	Regiona
Filipino	403	1.0%	0.8%	224	0.6%	
Indonesian	18	0.0%	0.1%	13	0.0%	
Javanese	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Malay	31	0.1%	0.1%	5	0.0%	
Sundanese	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Timorese	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Acehnese	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Balinese	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Bruneian	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Kadazan	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Singaporean	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Maritime South–East Asian, nec	–	–	0.0%	3	0.0%	
Chinese	237	0.6%	1.1%	188	0.5%	
Taiwanese	13	0.0%	0.0%	–	–	
Chinese Asian, nec	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Japanese	13	0.0%	0.1%	16	0.0%	
Korean	15	0.0%	0.1%	32	0.1%	
Mongolian	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Tibetan	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Southern Asian, nfd	4	0.0%	0.1%	–	–	
Anglo–Indian	3	0.0%	0.0%	–	–	
Bengali	3	0.0%	0.0%	–	–	
Burgher	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Gujarati	–	–	0.0%	–	–	

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Indian	174	0.4%	1.0%	106	0.3%	
Malayali	9	0.0%	0.0%	–	–	
Nepalese	35	0.1%	0.1%	9	0.0%	
Pakistani	19	0.0%	0.1%	6	0.0%	
Punjabi	23	0.1%	0.2%	–	–	
Sikh	15	0.0%	0.1%	–	–	
Sinhalese	32	0.1%	0.1%	6	0.0%	
Maldivian	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Bangladeshi	14	0.0%	0.0%	–	–	
Bhutanese	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Fijian Indian	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Kashmiri	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Sindhi	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Sri Lankan	58	0.1%	0.1%	35	0.1%	
Sri Lankan Tamil	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Indian Tamil	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Tamil, nfd	5	0.0%	0.1%	–	–	
Telugu	5	0.0%	0.0%	–	–	
Southern Asian, nec	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Afghan	–	–	0.1%	–	–	
Armenian	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Georgian	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Kazakh	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Pathan	–	–	0.0%	–	–	

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	Count	%	Regional Vic. %	Count	%	Regiona
Uzbek	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Azeri	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Hazara	–	–	0.1%	–	–	
Tajik	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Tatar	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Turkmen	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Uighur	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Kyrgyz	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Central Asian, nec	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Peoples of the Americas, nfd	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
North American, nfd	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
African American	5	0.0%	0.0%	7	0.0%	
American	62	0.2%	0.2%	49	0.1%	
Canadian	28	0.1%	0.1%	26	0.1%	
French Canadian	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Hispanic North American	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Native North American Indian	12	0.0%	0.0%	7	0.0%	
Bermudan	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
North American, nec	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
South American, nfd	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Argentinian	3	0.0%	0.0%	4	0.0%	
Bolivian	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Brazilian	3	0.0%	0.0%	4	0.0%	
Chilean	6	0.0%	0.0%	–	–	

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	Count	%	Regional Vic. %	Count	%	Regiona
Colombian	7	0.0%	0.0%	—	—	
Ecuadorian	—	—	0.0%	—	—	
Guyanese	—	—	0.0%	—	—	
Peruvian	6	0.0%	0.0%	3	0.0%	
Uruguayan	—	—	0.0%	—	—	
Venezuelan	—	—	0.0%	5	0.0%	
Paraguayan	—	—	—	—	—	
South American, nec	—	—	0.0%	—	—	
Central American, nfd	—	—	0.0%	—	—	
Mexican	—	—	0.0%	—	—	
Nicaraguan	—	—	0.0%	—	—	
Salvadoran	—	—	0.0%	—	—	
Costa Rican	—	—	0.0%	—	—	
Guatemalan	—	—	0.0%	—	—	
Mayan	—	—	0.0%	—	—	
Central American, nec	—	—	0.0%	—	—	
Caribbean Islander, nfd	—	—	0.0%	—	—	
Cuban	—	—	0.0%	—	—	
Jamaican	—	—	0.0%	—	—	
Trinidadian Tobagonian	—	—	0.0%	—	—	
Barbadian	—	—	0.0%	—	—	
Puerto Rican	—	—	0.0%	—	—	
Caribbean Islander, nec	—	—	0.0%	—	—	
Sub-Saharan African, nfd	—	—	0.0%	—	—	

Category	2021			2016		
	Count	%	Regional Vic. %	Count	%	Regiona
Central and West African, nfd	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Akan	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Ghanaian	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Nigerian	7	0.0%	0.0%	–	–	
Yoruba	–	–	0.0%	4	0.0%	
Ivorean	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Liberian	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Sierra Leonean	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Acholi	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Cameroonian	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Congolese	4	0.0%	0.1%	–	–	
Igbo	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Senegalese	–	–	–	–	–	
Themne	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Togolese	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Central and West African, nec	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Southern and East African, nfd	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Afrikaner	8	0.0%	0.0%	5	0.0%	
Angolan	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Eritrean	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Ethiopian	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Kenyan	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Malawian	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Mauritian	13	0.0%	0.1%	–	–	

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Mozambican	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Namibian	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Oromo	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Seychellois	3	0.0%	0.0%	–	–	
Somali	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
South African	33	0.1%	0.2%	18	0.0%	
Tanzanian	–	–	0.0%	8	0.0%	
Ugandan	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Zambian	3	0.0%	0.0%	–	–	
Zimbabwean	7	0.0%	0.0%	–	–	
Amhara	–	–	–	–	–	
Batswana	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Masai	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Zulu	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Burundian	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Madi	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Rwandan	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Shona	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Swahili	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Swazilander	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Southern and East African, nec	–	–	0.0%	5	0.0%	

Excludes ancestries with fewer than 10 responses (multi-response).

Data basis: usual residence.