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Community Explorer

COMMUNITY PROFILE REPORT

Community report
Circular Head (M)

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

AREA
Circular Head (M)

COMPARISON
Regional Tas.

POPULATION
Persons

GENERATED
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Included sections

1 selected topic will be included in this report.

01   Service age groups

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.

Service age groups

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Key takeaway

In 2021, Parents and homebuilders (35 to 49) was the most common category among residents in Circular Head (M), accounting for 16.7% (1,357 people). This share was lower than Regional Tas. (17%). Since 2016, the biggest change was in Empty nesters and retirees (60 to 69), which increased by 181 people and 1.9 percentage points.

About this topic

Service age groups divide the population into broad life-stage bands such as children, young adults, working-age adults, and older people. The groupings are designed to reflect typical demand for age-based services and facilities rather than exact five-year cohorts.

This view is useful for planning childcare, schools, recreation, aged services, and other community infrastructure. It works best alongside five year age groups, household type, and dwelling data, which add more detail about who is living in an area and how needs may change over time.

Interpretation notes

– This is a derived grouping rather than a direct Census question, so the age bands are planning-oriented summaries built from standard age data.

– Percentages relate to the total population; use five year age groups when exact cohort detail matters.

Age structure - Service age groups

Circular Head (M) – Total persons (Usual residence)

Category	2021			2016			Change	
	Count	%	Regional Tas. %	Count	%	Regional Tas. %	Count	pp
Babies and pre-schoolers (0 to 4)	501	6.2%	5.0%	495	6.2%	5.4%	+6	0.0
Primary schoolers (5 to 11)	720	8.9%	7.8%	821	10.4%	8.5%	-101	-1.5
Secondary schoolers (12 to 17)	617	7.6%	7.1%	619	7.8%	7.3%	-2	-0.2
Tertiary education and independence (18 to 24)	582	7.2%	7.2%	690	8.7%	7.8%	-108	-1.5
Young workforce (25 to 34)	1,014	12.5%	11.9%	868	11.0%	10.2%	+146	+1.5
Parents and homebuilders (35 to 49)	1,357	16.7%	17.0%	1,382	17.4%	18.1%	-25	-0.7
Older workers and pre-retirees (50 to 59)	1,112	13.7%	13.9%	1,215	15.3%	14.8%	-103	-1.6
Empty nesters and retirees (60 to 69)	1,164	14.3%	14.4%	983	12.4%	14.2%	+181	+1.9
Seniors (70 to 84)	903	11.1%	13.4%	743	9.4%	11.3%	+160	+1.7
Elderly aged (85 and over)	169	2.1%	2.4%	110	1.4%	2.3%	+59	+0.7

Category	2021			2016		
	Count	%	Regional Tas. %	Count	%	Regiona
Total	8,117	100.0%	**100.0%**	7,926	100.0%	**10**

Data basis: usual residence.