

Community report

Darwin Waterfront Precinct

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

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Darwin Waterfront Precinct

COMPARISON

Greater Darwin

POPULATION

Persons

GENERATED

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Included sections

1 selected topic will be included in this report.

01 Religion

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.

Religion

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Key takeaway

In 2021, No religion was the most common religious affiliation among residents in Darwin Waterfront Precinct, accounting for 53.7% (167 people). This share was higher than Greater Darwin (41.7%).

About this topic

Religion records a person's stated religious affiliation, including no religion and not stated responses. It is a measure of cultural identity and belief rather than practice or participation.

This topic helps show the religious diversity of an area and can support planning for community facilities, faith-based services, and inclusive engagement. It is best interpreted with ancestry, birthplace, and language, which together provide a broader picture of cultural composition.

Interpretation notes

- This records stated religious affiliation, not attendance or level of religious practice.
- No religion and not stated are part of the overall picture, so interpretation should consider both affiliation and non-response.

Religion - Ranked by size

Darwin Waterfront Precinct - Total persons (Usual residence)

Category	2021			2016			Change	
	Count	%	Greater Darwin %	Count	%	Greater Darwin %	Count	pp
Inadequately described	8	2.6%	0.5%	–	–	0.7%	–	–
Buddhism	13	4.2%	3.0%	–	–	2.8%	–	–
Christianity, nfd	–	–	2.1%	–	–	2.2%	–	–
Anglican Church of Australia	27	8.7%	5.8%	–	–	8.7%	–	–
Baptist	–	–	1.3%	–	–	1.3%	–	–
Brethren	–	–	0.0%	–	–	0.0%	–	–
Western Catholic	37	11.9%	18.1%	–	–	21.4%	–	–
Maronite Catholic	–	–	0.0%	–	–	–	–	–
Syro Malabar Catholic	–	–	0.1%	–	–	0.1%	–	–
Catholic, nec	–	–	0.0%	–	–	–	–	–
Churches of Christ, nfd	–	–	0.0%	–	–	0.0%	–	–
Churches of Christ (Conference)	–	–	0.1%	–	–	0.1%	–	–

Category	2021			2016		
	Count	%	Greater Darwin %	Count	%	Greater Darwin %
Jehovah's Witnesses	–	–	0.3%	–	–	–
The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints	–	–	0.2%	–	–	–
Lutheran	6	1.9%	0.5%	–	–	–
Coptic Orthodox Church	–	–	0.0%	–	–	–
Syrian Orthodox Church	–	–	0.1%	–	–	–
Ethiopian Orthodox Church	–	–	0.0%	–	–	–
Eastern Orthodox, nfd	–	–	–	–	–	–
Greek Orthodox	–	–	2.9%	–	–	–
Macedonian Orthodox	–	–	0.0%	–	–	–
Romanian Orthodox	–	–	0.0%	–	–	–
Russian Orthodox	–	–	0.0%	–	–	–
Serbian Orthodox	–	–	0.0%	–	–	–
Ukrainian Orthodox	–	–	0.0%	–	–	–
Eastern Orthodox, nec	–	–	0.0%	–	–	–
Presbyterian	10	3.2%	0.9%	–	–	–
Reformed	–	–	0.0%	–	–	–
Salvation Army	–	–	0.1%	–	–	–
Seventh-day Adventist	–	–	0.3%	–	–	–
Uniting Church	6	1.9%	2.2%	–	–	–
Pentecostal, nfd	5	1.6%	1.0%	–	–	–
Apostolic Church (Australia)	–	–	0.0%	–	–	–
Australian Christian Churches (Assemblies of God)	–	–	0.1%	–	–	–
C3 Church Global (Christian City Church)	–	–	0.0%	–	–	–

Category	2021			2016		
	Count	%	Greater Darwin %	Count	%	Greater Darwin %
International Network of Churches (Christian Outreach Centres)	–	–	0.0%	–	–	–
CRC International (Christian Revival Crusade)	–	–	0.0%	–	–	–
United Pentecostal	–	–	0.0%	–	–	–
Revival Fellowship	–	–	0.0%	–	–	–
Pentecostal, nec	–	–	0.0%	–	–	–
Other Protestant, nfd	–	–	0.2%	–	–	–
Aboriginal Evangelical Missions	–	–	0.0%	–	–	–
Born Again Christian	–	–	0.1%	–	–	–
Congregational	–	–	0.0%	–	–	–
Ethnic Evangelical Churches	–	–	0.0%	–	–	–
Independent Evangelical Churches	–	–	0.0%	–	–	–
Wesleyan Methodist Church	–	–	0.0%	–	–	–
Christian Community Churches of Australia	–	–	–	–	–	–
Methodist, so described	–	–	0.1%	–	–	–
United Methodist Church	–	–	0.0%	–	–	–
Other Protestant, nec	–	–	0.0%	–	–	–
Christadelphians	–	–	0.0%	–	–	–
Gnostic Christians	–	–	–	–	–	–
New Apostolic Church	–	–	0.0%	–	–	–
Ratana (Maori)	–	–	0.0%	–	–	–
Religious Society of Friends (Quakers)	–	–	0.0%	–	–	–
Other Christian, nec	–	–	0.0%	–	–	–

Category	2021			2016		
	Count	%	Greater Darwin %	Count	%	Greater D
Hinduism	9	2.9%	3.7%	–	–	
Islam	–	–	2.1%	–	–	
Judaism	–	–	0.1%	–	–	
Australian Aboriginal Traditional Religions	4	1.3%	0.1%	–	–	
Baha'i	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Ancestor Veneration	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Confucianism	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Taoism	–	–	0.1%	–	–	
Shinto	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Nature Religions, nfd	–	–	–	–	–	
Animism	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Druidism	–	–	–	–	–	
Paganism	–	–	0.1%	–	–	
Wiccan (Witchcraft)	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Nature Religions, nec	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Sikhism	–	–	0.7%	–	–	
Spiritualism	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Church of Scientology	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Eckankar	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Rastafari	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Satanism	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Theosophy	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Jainism	–	–	0.0%	–	–	

Category	2021			2016		
	Count	%	Greater Darwin %	Count	%	Greater Darwin %
Zoroastrianism	–	–	–	–	–	–
Religious Groups, nec	–	–	0.0%	–	–	–
No Religion, so described	167	53.7%	41.7%	–	–	–
Agnosticism	–	–	0.1%	–	–	–
Atheism	–	–	0.1%	–	–	–
Humanism	–	–	0.0%	–	–	–
Rationalism	–	–	0.0%	–	–	–
Secular Beliefs, nec	–	–	0.0%	–	–	–
Other Spiritual Beliefs, nfd	–	–	0.0%	–	–	–
Multi Faith	–	–	0.0%	–	–	–
New Age	–	–	–	–	–	–
Own Spiritual Beliefs	–	–	0.1%	–	–	–
Theism	–	–	0.0%	–	–	–
Unitarian Universalism	–	–	–	–	–	–
Other Spiritual Beliefs, nec	–	–	0.0%	–	–	–
Not stated	19	6.1%	10.5%	–	–	–
Total	311	100.0%	100.0%	–	–	–

Excludes religions with fewer than 10 adherents.

Data basis: usual residence.