

Community report

Glenorchy (C)

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

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Glenorchy (C)

COMPARISON

Greater Hobart

POPULATION

Persons

GENERATED

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Included sections

1 selected topic will be included in this report.

01 Birthplace

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.

Birthplace

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Key takeaway

In 2021, 21.6% (10,910) of people in Glenorchy (C) were born overseas, compared with 18.9% in Greater Hobart. A further 73.4% (36,986) of people were born in Australia.

About this topic

Birthplace records the country in which a person was born. It is a core measure of migration history and cultural diversity and helps distinguish Australia-born and overseas-born populations.

This topic is useful for understanding settlement patterns and the likely language, service, and support needs of different communities. It should be interpreted together with ancestry, language used at home, and religion for a fuller view of cultural diversity.

Interpretation notes

- Country of birth measures birthplace only; it does not capture ancestry, ethnicity, or current citizenship on its own.
- Use birthplace with ancestry and language when interpreting cultural background, because many cultural groups include both Australia-born and overseas-born people.

Birthplace - Ranked by size

Glenorchy (C) - Overseas born (Usual residence)

Category	2021			2016			Change	
	Count	%	Greater Hobart %	Count	%	Greater Hobart %	Count	pp
Inadequately described	20	0.0%	0.0%	8	0.0%	0.0%	+12	0.0
At sea	—	—	—	—	—	0.0%	—	—
Australia	36,986	73.4%	76.6%	36,906	79.9%	79.8%	+80	-6.5
New Zealand	287	0.6%	0.9%	262	0.6%	0.9%	+25	0.0
New Caledonia	—	—	0.0%	—	—	0.0%	—	—
Papua New Guinea	22	0.0%	0.1%	16	0.0%	0.1%	+6	0.0
Solomon Islands	—	—	0.0%	—	—	0.0%	—	—
Vanuatu	3	0.0%	0.0%	5	0.0%	0.0%	-2	0.0
Kiribati	—	—	—	—	—	0.0%	—	—
Nauru	—	—	0.0%	—	—	—	—	—
Cook Islands	—	—	0.0%	—	—	0.0%	—	—
Fiji	41	0.1%	0.1%	30	0.1%	0.1%	+11	0.0

Category	2021			2016		
	Count	%	Greater Hobart %	Count	%	Greater H
Niue	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Samoa	11	0.0%	0.0%	5	0.0%	
Tonga	10	0.0%	0.0%	9	0.0%	
United Kingdom, Channel Islands and Isle of Man, nfd	13	0.0%	0.0%	7	0.0%	
England	1,013	2.0%	3.3%	1,057	2.3%	
Isle of Man	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Northern Ireland	15	0.0%	0.1%	5	0.0%	
Scotland	136	0.3%	0.4%	149	0.3%	
Wales	24	0.0%	0.1%	19	0.0%	
Guernsey	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Jersey	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Ireland	40	0.1%	0.2%	49	0.1%	
Austria	21	0.0%	0.0%	28	0.1%	
Belgium	16	0.0%	0.0%	13	0.0%	
France	38	0.1%	0.1%	25	0.1%	
Germany	174	0.3%	0.4%	168	0.4%	
Netherlands	82	0.2%	0.3%	74	0.2%	
Switzerland	22	0.0%	0.1%	14	0.0%	
Denmark	7	0.0%	0.0%	8	0.0%	
Finland	17	0.0%	0.0%	22	0.0%	
Iceland	–	–	–	5	0.0%	
Norway	7	0.0%	0.0%	7	0.0%	
Sweden	7	0.0%	0.0%	9	0.0%	

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Gibraltar	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Italy	123	0.2%	0.2%	120	0.3%	
Malta	7	0.0%	0.0%	3	0.0%	
Portugal	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Spain	4	0.0%	0.0%	8	0.0%	
South Eastern Europe, nfd	21	0.0%	0.0%	14	0.0%	
Albania	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Bosnia and Herzegovina	32	0.1%	0.0%	28	0.1%	
Bulgaria	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Croatia	53	0.1%	0.1%	66	0.1%	
Cyprus	3	0.0%	0.0%	8	0.0%	
North Macedonia	–	–	0.0%	4	0.0%	
Greece	93	0.2%	0.2%	80	0.2%	
Moldova	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Romania	15	0.0%	0.0%	17	0.0%	
Slovenia	4	0.0%	0.0%	10	0.0%	
Serbia	9	0.0%	0.0%	13	0.0%	
Kosovo	4	0.0%	0.0%	–	–	
Eastern Europe, nfd	9	0.0%	0.0%	12	0.0%	
Belarus	–	–	0.0%	3	0.0%	
Czechia	16	0.0%	0.0%	7	0.0%	
Estonia	3	0.0%	0.0%	4	0.0%	
Hungary	17	0.0%	0.0%	14	0.0%	
Latvia	11	0.0%	0.0%	9	0.0%	

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Lithuania	8	0.0%	0.0%	12	0.0%	
Poland	125	0.2%	0.1%	149	0.3%	
Russian Federation	15	0.0%	0.0%	9	0.0%	
Slovakia	3	0.0%	0.0%	3	0.0%	
Ukraine	7	0.0%	0.0%	7	0.0%	
Algeria	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Egypt	21	0.0%	0.0%	19	0.0%	
Libya	4	0.0%	0.0%	3	0.0%	
Morocco	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Sudan	111	0.2%	0.1%	110	0.2%	
South Sudan	26	0.1%	0.0%	19	0.0%	
Bahrain	6	0.0%	0.0%	–	–	
Gaza Strip and West Bank	3	0.0%	0.0%	5	0.0%	
Iran	75	0.1%	0.1%	111	0.2%	
Iraq	17	0.0%	0.0%	24	0.1%	
Israel	–	–	0.0%	3	0.0%	
Jordan	7	0.0%	0.0%	–	–	
Kuwait	7	0.0%	0.0%	–	–	
Lebanon	13	0.0%	0.0%	6	0.0%	
Oman	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Qatar	8	0.0%	0.0%	–	–	
Saudi Arabia	6	0.0%	0.0%	3	0.0%	
Syria	61	0.1%	0.0%	23	0.0%	
Turkey	–	–	0.0%	3	0.0%	

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United Arab Emirates	13	0.0%	0.0%	–	–	
Yemen	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Myanmar	79	0.2%	0.1%	98	0.2%	
Cambodia	16	0.0%	0.0%	6	0.0%	
Laos	7	0.0%	0.0%	4	0.0%	
Thailand	151	0.3%	0.2%	105	0.2%	
Vietnam	338	0.7%	0.4%	73	0.2%	
Brunei Darussalam	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Indonesia	55	0.1%	0.1%	25	0.1%	
Malaysia	110	0.2%	0.4%	61	0.1%	
Philippines	410	0.8%	0.5%	277	0.6%	
Singapore	41	0.1%	0.1%	31	0.1%	
Timor-Leste	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
China (excludes SARs and Taiwan)	589	1.2%	2.2%	194	0.4%	
Hong Kong (SAR of China)	56	0.1%	0.2%	24	0.1%	
Macau (SAR of China)	8	0.0%	0.0%	–	–	
Mongolia	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Taiwan	66	0.1%	0.2%	18	0.0%	
Japan	43	0.1%	0.1%	37	0.1%	
Korea, Republic of (South)	44	0.1%	0.2%	31	0.1%	
Southern Asia, nfd	6	0.0%	0.0%	–	–	
Bangladesh	153	0.3%	0.2%	9	0.0%	
Bhutan	236	0.5%	0.1%	271	0.6%	
India	1,751	3.5%	1.6%	368	0.8%	

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Maldives	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Nepal	2,147	4.3%	1.7%	262	0.6%	
Pakistan	395	0.8%	0.3%	87	0.2%	
Sri Lanka	254	0.5%	0.3%	55	0.1%	
Afghanistan	76	0.2%	0.0%	108	0.2%	
Georgia	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Kazakhstan	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Uzbekistan	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Bermuda	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Canada	41	0.1%	0.2%	34	0.1%	
United States of America	102	0.2%	0.4%	71	0.2%	
Argentina	8	0.0%	0.0%	–	–	
Bolivia	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Brazil	31	0.1%	0.1%	3	0.0%	
Chile	26	0.1%	0.1%	23	0.0%	
Colombia	42	0.1%	0.1%	6	0.0%	
Ecuador	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Falkland Islands	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Guyana	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Paraguay	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Peru	10	0.0%	0.0%	5	0.0%	
Uruguay	6	0.0%	0.0%	–	–	
Venezuela	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
El Salvador	67	0.1%	0.0%	62	0.1%	

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Guatemala	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Honduras	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Mexico	12	0.0%	0.0%	5	0.0%	
Nicaragua	–	–	–	–	–	
Bahamas	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Barbados	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Cayman Islands	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Dominican Republic	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Jamaica	4	0.0%	0.0%	–	–	
Trinidad and Tobago	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Cameroon	3	0.0%	0.0%	–	–	
Congo, Republic of	11	0.0%	0.0%	15	0.0%	
Congo, Democratic Republic of	19	0.0%	0.0%	57	0.1%	
Ghana	11	0.0%	0.0%	14	0.0%	
Guinea	–	–	0.0%	3	0.0%	
Liberia	3	0.0%	0.0%	3	0.0%	
Nigeria	37	0.1%	0.1%	12	0.0%	
Sierra Leone	9	0.0%	0.0%	14	0.0%	
Southern and East Africa, nfd	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Botswana	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Burundi	17	0.0%	0.0%	16	0.0%	
Djibouti	–	–	–	5	0.0%	
Eritrea	29	0.1%	0.0%	30	0.1%	
Ethiopia	131	0.3%	0.1%	112	0.2%	

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Kenya	76	0.2%	0.1%	40	0.1%	
Madagascar	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Malawi	3	0.0%	0.0%	4	0.0%	
Mauritius	15	0.0%	0.0%	–	–	
Namibia	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Rwanda	4	0.0%	0.0%	4	0.0%	
Seychelles	4	0.0%	0.0%	3	0.0%	
Somalia	–	–	0.0%	3	0.0%	
South Africa	108	0.2%	0.4%	82	0.2%	
Tanzania	9	0.0%	0.0%	5	0.0%	
Uganda	18	0.0%	0.0%	27	0.1%	
Zambia	11	0.0%	0.0%	12	0.0%	
Zimbabwe	26	0.1%	0.1%	21	0.0%	
Not stated	2,519	5.0%	4.5%	3,553	7.7%	
Total	50,415	100.0%	100.0%	46,217	100.0%	100.0%

Excludes countries of birth with fewer than 10 people.

Data basis: usual residence.