

# Community report

## Hinchinbrook (S)

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

AREA

**Hinchinbrook (S)**

COMPARISON

**Regional Qld**

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 Hinchinbrook (S) were English, Australian and Italian.

## 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

Hinchinbrook (S) - Total persons (Usual residence)

Category	2021			2016			Change	
	Count	%	Regional Qld %	Count	%	Regional Qld %	Count	pp
Inadequately described	16	0.1%	0.2%	14	0.1%	0.2%	+2	0.0
Eurasian, so described	–	–	0.0%	–	–	0.0%	–	–
Asian, so described	–	–	0.1%	–	–	0.0%	–	–
African, so described	7	0.1%	0.1%	–	–	0.1%	–	–
European, so described	4	0.0%	0.1%	–	–	0.1%	–	–
Caucasian, so described	–	–	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	3,705	33.9%	35.3%	3,987	36.6%	37.7%	-282	-2.7
Australian Aboriginal	635	5.8%	5.1%	131	1.2%	1.2%	+504	+4.6
Australian South Sea Islander	27	0.2%	0.2%	29	0.3%	0.2%	-2	-0.1

Category	2021			2016		
	Count	%	Regional Qld %	Count	%	Regional
Torres Strait Islander	129	1.2%	1.3%	40	0.4%	
Norfolk Islander	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
New Zealand Peoples, nfd	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Maori	18	0.2%	1.0%	19	0.2%	
New Zealander	57	0.5%	1.2%	48	0.4%	
Melanesian and Papuan, nfd	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
New Caledonian	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Ni-Vanuatu	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Papua New Guinean	16	0.1%	0.3%	22	0.2%	
Solomon Islander	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Melanesian and Papuan, nec	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Micronesian, nfd	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
I-Kiribati	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Nauruan	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Micronesian, nec	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Polynesian, nfd	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Cook Islander	4	0.0%	0.1%	–	–	
Fijian	7	0.1%	0.1%	3	0.0%	
Niuean	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Samoan	–	–	0.2%	–	–	
Tongan	11	0.1%	0.1%	–	–	
Hawaiian	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Tahitian	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Tokelauan	–	–	0.0%	–	–	

Category	2021			2016		
	Count	%	Regional Qld %	Count	%	Regional
Tuvaluan	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Pitcairn	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Polynesian, nec	–	–	0.0%	3	0.0%	
North-West European, nfd	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
British, nfd	–	–	0.0%	10	0.1%	
English	3,760	34.4%	39.6%	3,459	31.8%	
Scottish	869	8.0%	10.4%	831	7.6%	
Welsh	31	0.3%	0.6%	28	0.3%	
Channel Islander	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Manx	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
British, nec	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Irish	1,108	10.1%	10.9%	1,057	9.7%	
Western European, nfd	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Austrian	9	0.1%	0.2%	19	0.2%	
Dutch	104	1.0%	1.5%	80	0.7%	
Flemish	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
French	39	0.4%	0.6%	39	0.4%	
German	405	3.7%	6.3%	453	4.2%	
Swiss	14	0.1%	0.2%	11	0.1%	
Belgian	–	–	0.1%	–	–	
Frisian	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Luxembourg	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Western European, nec	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Northern European, nfd	3	0.0%	0.1%	4	0.0%	

Category	2021			2016		
	Count	%	Regional Qld %	Count	%	Regional
Danish	50	0.5%	0.5%	58	0.5%	
Finnish	60	0.5%	0.2%	49	0.5%	
Icelandic	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Norwegian	–	–	0.2%	9	0.1%	
Swedish	12	0.1%	0.2%	12	0.1%	
Northern European, nec	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Southern and Eastern European, nfd	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Southern European, nfd	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Basque	13	0.1%	0.0%	12	0.1%	
Catalan	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Italian	3,009	27.6%	3.2%	3,107	28.5%	
Maltese	61	0.6%	0.5%	63	0.6%	
Portuguese	–	–	0.2%	–	–	
Spanish	106	1.0%	0.5%	87	0.8%	
Gibraltarian	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Southern European, nec	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
South Eastern European, nfd	7	0.1%	0.1%	9	0.1%	
Albanian	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Bosnian	–	–	0.1%	–	–	
Bulgarian	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Croatian	15	0.1%	0.3%	14	0.1%	
Greek	31	0.3%	0.5%	23	0.2%	
Macedonian	–	–	0.1%	–	–	
Moldovan	–	–	0.0%	–	–	

Category	2021			2016		
	Count	%	Regional Qld %	Count	%	Regional
Montenegrin	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Romanian	4	0.0%	0.1%	–	–	
Roma Gypsy	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Serbian	5	0.0%	0.1%	4	0.0%	
Slovene	–	–	0.1%	–	–	
Cypriot	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Vlach	–	–	–	–	–	
South Eastern European, nec	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Eastern European, nfd	–	–	0.0%	4	0.0%	
Belarusan	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Czech	–	–	0.1%	5	0.0%	
Estonian	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Hungarian	17	0.2%	0.3%	14	0.1%	
Latvian	9	0.1%	0.1%	–	–	
Lithuanian	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Polish	29	0.3%	0.5%	21	0.2%	
Russian	14	0.1%	0.3%	16	0.1%	
Slovak	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Ukrainian	17	0.2%	0.1%	15	0.1%	
Sorb/Wend	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Eastern European, nec	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
North African and Middle Eastern, nfd	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Arab, nfd	3	0.0%	0.0%	–	–	

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

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	Count	%	Regional Qld %	Count	%	Regional
Berber	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Coptic	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Iranian	–	–	0.1%	–	–	
Kurdish	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Turkish	3	0.0%	0.1%	–	–	
Assyrian	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Chaldean	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Nubian	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Yezidi	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Other North African and Middle Eastern, nec	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
South-East Asian, nfd	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Mainland South-East Asian, nfd	–	–	–	–	–	
Anglo-Burmese	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Burmese	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Hmong	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Khmer (Cambodian)	–	–	0.0%	3	0.0%	
Lao	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Thai	16	0.1%	0.3%	14	0.1%	
Vietnamese	14	0.1%	0.2%	4	0.0%	
Karen	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Mon	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Chin	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Rohingya	–	–	0.0%	–	–	

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	Count	%	Regional Qld %	Count	%	Regional
Mainland South-East Asian, nec	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Filipino	114	1.0%	1.3%	79	0.7%	
Indonesian	11	0.1%	0.2%	9	0.1%	
Javanese	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Malay	4	0.0%	0.1%	8	0.1%	
Sundanese	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Timorese	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Balinese	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Bruneian	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Kadazan	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Singaporean	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Maritime South-East Asian, nec	3	0.0%	0.0%	–	–	
Chinese	79	0.7%	1.6%	78	0.7%	
Taiwanese	–	–	0.1%	–	–	
Chinese Asian, nec	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Japanese	3	0.0%	0.5%	3	0.0%	
Korean	3	0.0%	0.3%	–	–	
Mongolian	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Tibetan	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Other North-East Asian, nec	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Southern Asian, nfd	3	0.0%	0.0%	–	–	
Anglo-Indian	3	0.0%	0.0%	–	–	
Bengali	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Burgher	–	–	0.0%	–	–	

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Gujarati	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Indian	24	0.2%	1.0%	29	0.3%	
Malayali	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Nepalese	12	0.1%	0.2%	–	–	
Pakistani	–	–	0.1%	–	–	
Punjabi	–	–	0.2%	8	0.1%	
Sikh	–	–	0.1%	4	0.0%	
Sinhalese	4	0.0%	0.1%	–	–	
Maldivian	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Bangladeshi	–	–	0.0%	3	0.0%	
Bhutanese	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Fijian Indian	–	–	0.0%	5	0.0%	
Kashmiri	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Parsi	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Sindhi	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Sri Lankan	4	0.0%	0.1%	6	0.1%	
Sri Lankan Tamil	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Indian Tamil	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Tamil, nfd	–	–	0.0%	3	0.0%	
Telugu	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Southern Asian, nec	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Central Asian, nfd	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Afghan	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Armenian	–	–	0.0%	–	–	

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	Count	%	Regional Qld %	Count	%	Regional
Georgian	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Kazakh	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Pathan	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Uzbek	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Azeri	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Hazara	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
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	3	0.0%	0.0%	–	–	
North American, nfd	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
African American	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
American	11	0.1%	0.3%	21	0.2%	
Canadian	17	0.2%	0.2%	12	0.1%	
French Canadian	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Hispanic North American	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Native North American Indian	3	0.0%	0.0%	–	–	
Bermudan	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
North American, nec	4	0.0%	0.0%	6	0.1%	
South American, nfd	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Argentinian	–	–	0.0%	–	–	

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	Count	%	Regional Qld %	Count	%	Regional
Bolivian	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Brazilian	4	0.0%	0.2%	–	–	
Chilean	–	–	0.1%	–	–	
Colombian	–	–	0.1%	–	–	
Ecuadorian	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Guyanese	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Peruvian	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Uruguayan	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Venezuelan	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Paraguayan	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
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%	–	–	

Category	2021			2016		
	Count	%	Regional Qld %	Count	%	Regional
Puerto Rican	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Caribbean Islander, nec	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Sub-Saharan African, nfd	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Central and West African, nfd	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Akan	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Fulani	–	–	–	–	–	
Ghanaian	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Nigerian	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Yoruba	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Ivorean	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Liberian	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Sierra Leonean	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Acholi	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Cameroonian	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Congolese	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Igbo	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Krahn	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Mandinka	–	–	–	–	–	
Senegalese	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Themne	–	–	–	–	–	
Togolese	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Central and West African, nec	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Southern and East African, nfd	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Afrikaner	–	–	0.0%	–	–	

Category	2021			2016		
	Count	%	Regional Qld %	Count	%	Regional
Angolan	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Eritrean	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Ethiopian	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Kenyan	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Malawian	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Mauritian	8	0.1%	0.1%	6	0.1%	
Mozambican	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Namibian	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Oromo	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Seychellois	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Somali	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
South African	12	0.1%	0.6%	7	0.1%	
Tanzanian	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Ugandan	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Zambian	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Zimbabwean	8	0.1%	0.1%	3	0.0%	
Amhara	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Batswana	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Masai	–	–	–	–	–	
Tigrayan	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Tigre	–	–	–	–	–	
Zulu	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Burundian	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Madi	–	–	0.0%	–	–	

Category	2021			2016		
	Count	%	Regional Qld %	Count	%	Regiona
Ogaden	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Rwandan	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Shona	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Swahili	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Swazilander	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Southern and East African, nec	–	–	0.0%	–	–	

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

Data basis: usual residence.