

# Community report

## Kingborough (M)

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

AREA

**Kingborough (M)**

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, 21.2% (8,494) of people in Kingborough (M) were born overseas, compared with 18.9% in Greater Hobart. A further 75.5% (30,251) 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

Kingborough (M) - Overseas born (Usual residence)

Category	2021			2016			Change	
	Count	%	Greater Hobart %	Count	%	Greater Hobart %	Count	pp
Inadequately described	23	0.1%	0.0%	24	0.1%	0.0%	-1	0.0
At sea	—	—	—	—	—	0.0%	—	—
Australia	30,251	75.5%	76.6%	28,086	78.5%	79.8%	+2,165	-3.0
New Zealand	464	1.2%	0.9%	434	1.2%	0.9%	+30	0.0
New Caledonia	—	—	0.0%	3	0.0%	0.0%	—	—
Papua New Guinea	41	0.1%	0.1%	33	0.1%	0.1%	+8	0.0
Solomon Islands	—	—	0.0%	—	—	0.0%	—	—
Vanuatu	—	—	0.0%	—	—	0.0%	—	—
Kiribati	—	—	—	—	—	0.0%	—	—
Nauru	—	—	0.0%	—	—	—	—	—
Cook Islands	3	0.0%	0.0%	4	0.0%	0.0%	-1	0.0
Fiji	25	0.1%	0.1%	11	0.0%	0.1%	+14	+0.1

Category	2021			2016		
	Count	%	Greater Hobart %	Count	%	Greater H
Niue	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Samoa	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Tonga	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
United Kingdom, Channel Islands and Isle of Man, nfd	12	0.0%	0.0%	16	0.0%	
England	2,169	5.4%	3.3%	2,171	6.1%	
Isle of Man	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Northern Ireland	46	0.1%	0.1%	38	0.1%	
Scotland	249	0.6%	0.4%	220	0.6%	
Wales	61	0.2%	0.1%	57	0.2%	
Guernsey	3	0.0%	0.0%	–	–	
Jersey	–	–	0.0%	4	0.0%	
Ireland	73	0.2%	0.2%	66	0.2%	
Austria	36	0.1%	0.0%	28	0.1%	
Belgium	11	0.0%	0.0%	7	0.0%	
France	61	0.2%	0.1%	37	0.1%	
Germany	239	0.6%	0.4%	228	0.6%	
Netherlands	312	0.8%	0.3%	325	0.9%	
Switzerland	47	0.1%	0.1%	36	0.1%	
Denmark	21	0.1%	0.0%	17	0.0%	
Finland	9	0.0%	0.0%	11	0.0%	
Iceland	–	–	–	–	–	
Norway	12	0.0%	0.0%	13	0.0%	
Sweden	31	0.1%	0.0%	20	0.1%	

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Gibraltar	3	0.0%	0.0%	—	—	
Italy	67	0.2%	0.2%	52	0.1%	
Malta	15	0.0%	0.0%	7	0.0%	
Portugal	12	0.0%	0.0%	5	0.0%	
Spain	16	0.0%	0.0%	7	0.0%	
South Eastern Europe, nfd	6	0.0%	0.0%	3	0.0%	
Albania	4	0.0%	0.0%	—	—	
Bosnia and Herzegovina	3	0.0%	0.0%	3	0.0%	
Bulgaria	6	0.0%	0.0%	9	0.0%	
Croatia	14	0.0%	0.1%	14	0.0%	
Cyprus	3	0.0%	0.0%	7	0.0%	
North Macedonia	6	0.0%	0.0%	3	0.0%	
Greece	16	0.0%	0.2%	22	0.1%	
Moldova	—	—	0.0%	—	—	
Romania	5	0.0%	0.0%	3	0.0%	
Slovenia	—	—	0.0%	—	—	
Serbia	10	0.0%	0.0%	3	0.0%	
Kosovo	—	—	0.0%	—	—	
Eastern Europe, nfd	6	0.0%	0.0%	9	0.0%	
Belarus	8	0.0%	0.0%	3	0.0%	
Czechia	15	0.0%	0.0%	15	0.0%	
Estonia	—	—	0.0%	—	—	
Hungary	15	0.0%	0.0%	12	0.0%	
Latvia	5	0.0%	0.0%	—	—	

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Lithuania	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Poland	45	0.1%	0.1%	43	0.1%	
Russian Federation	26	0.1%	0.0%	8	0.0%	
Slovakia	10	0.0%	0.0%	–	–	
Ukraine	14	0.0%	0.0%	10	0.0%	
Algeria	3	0.0%	0.0%	–	–	
Egypt	12	0.0%	0.0%	3	0.0%	
Libya	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Morocco	5	0.0%	0.0%	–	–	
Sudan	13	0.0%	0.1%	18	0.1%	
South Sudan	10	0.0%	0.0%	14	0.0%	
Bahrain	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Gaza Strip and West Bank	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Iran	55	0.1%	0.1%	32	0.1%	
Iraq	4	0.0%	0.0%	3	0.0%	
Israel	8	0.0%	0.0%	9	0.0%	
Jordan	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Kuwait	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Lebanon	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Oman	3	0.0%	0.0%	–	–	
Qatar	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Saudi Arabia	7	0.0%	0.0%	–	–	
Syria	5	0.0%	0.0%	–	–	
Turkey	19	0.0%	0.0%	6	0.0%	

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United Arab Emirates	13	0.0%	0.0%	6	0.0%	
Yemen	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Myanmar	7	0.0%	0.1%	5	0.0%	
Cambodia	4	0.0%	0.0%	–	–	
Laos	11	0.0%	0.0%	7	0.0%	
Thailand	75	0.2%	0.2%	52	0.1%	
Vietnam	83	0.2%	0.4%	9	0.0%	
Brunei Darussalam	5	0.0%	0.0%	3	0.0%	
Indonesia	54	0.1%	0.1%	32	0.1%	
Malaysia	157	0.4%	0.4%	114	0.3%	
Philippines	152	0.4%	0.5%	96	0.3%	
Singapore	62	0.2%	0.1%	29	0.1%	
Timor-Leste	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
China (excludes SARs and Taiwan)	1,123	2.8%	2.2%	245	0.7%	
Hong Kong (SAR of China)	112	0.3%	0.2%	24	0.1%	
Macau (SAR of China)	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Mongolia	–	–	0.0%	5	0.0%	
Taiwan	42	0.1%	0.2%	14	0.0%	
Japan	54	0.1%	0.1%	44	0.1%	
Korea, Republic of (South)	145	0.4%	0.2%	74	0.2%	
Southern Asia, nfd	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Bangladesh	36	0.1%	0.2%	10	0.0%	
Bhutan	–	–	0.1%	–	–	
India	277	0.7%	1.6%	126	0.4%	

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Maldives	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Nepal	266	0.7%	1.7%	6	0.0%	
Pakistan	68	0.2%	0.3%	13	0.0%	
Sri Lanka	86	0.2%	0.3%	30	0.1%	
Afghanistan	3	0.0%	0.0%	–	–	
Georgia	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Kazakhstan	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Uzbekistan	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Bermuda	5	0.0%	0.0%	–	–	
Canada	142	0.4%	0.2%	128	0.4%	
United States of America	271	0.7%	0.4%	204	0.6%	
Argentina	20	0.0%	0.0%	6	0.0%	
Bolivia	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Brazil	65	0.2%	0.1%	11	0.0%	
Chile	43	0.1%	0.1%	39	0.1%	
Colombia	41	0.1%	0.1%	10	0.0%	
Ecuador	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Falkland Islands	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Guyana	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Paraguay	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Peru	16	0.0%	0.0%	4	0.0%	
Uruguay	7	0.0%	0.0%	7	0.0%	
Venezuela	10	0.0%	0.0%	3	0.0%	
Belize	4	0.0%	–	–	–	

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El Salvador	20	0.0%	0.0%	11	0.0%	
Guatemala	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Honduras	3	0.0%	0.0%	–	–	
Mexico	4	0.0%	0.0%	3	0.0%	
Nicaragua	–	–	–	–	–	
Bahamas	4	0.0%	0.0%	3	0.0%	
Barbados	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Cayman Islands	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Dominican Republic	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Jamaica	6	0.0%	0.0%	–	–	
Trinidad and Tobago	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Cameroon	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Congo, Republic of	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Congo, Democratic Republic of	7	0.0%	0.0%	3	0.0%	
Ghana	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Guinea	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Liberia	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Nigeria	25	0.1%	0.1%	9	0.0%	
Sierra Leone	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Southern and East Africa, nfd	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Botswana	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Burundi	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Djibouti	–	–	–	–	–	
Eritrea	–	–	0.0%	–	–	

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Ethiopia	4	0.0%	0.1%	8	0.0%	
Kenya	30	0.1%	0.1%	21	0.1%	
Madagascar	5	0.0%	0.0%	3	0.0%	
Malawi	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Mauritius	13	0.0%	0.0%	4	0.0%	
Namibia	4	0.0%	0.0%	–	–	
Rwanda	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Seychelles	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Somalia	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
South Africa	416	1.0%	0.4%	279	0.8%	
Tanzania	7	0.0%	0.0%	3	0.0%	
Uganda	10	0.0%	0.0%	18	0.1%	
Zambia	15	0.0%	0.0%	12	0.0%	
Zimbabwe	40	0.1%	0.1%	36	0.1%	
Not stated	1,325	3.3%	4.5%	1,810	5.1%	
<b>Total</b>	<b>40,070</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>35,791</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>

Excludes countries of birth with fewer than 10 people.

Data basis: usual residence.