

# Community report

## No usual address (Vic.)

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

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**No usual address (Vic.)**

COMPARISON

**Victoria**

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, 15.4% (1,399) of people in No usual address (Vic.) were born overseas, compared with 30% in Victoria. A further 47.1% (4,283) 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

No usual address (Vic.) - Overseas born (Usual residence)

Category	2021			2016			Change	
	Count	%	Victoria %	Count	%	Victoria %	Count	pp
Inadequately described	13	0.1%	0.1%	20	0.3%	0.1%	-7	-0.2
At sea	–	–	0.0%	–	–	0.0%	–	–
Oceania and Antarctica, nfd	–	–	0.0%	–	–	0.0%	–	–
Australia	4,283	47.1%	65.1%	4,387	58.2%	64.9%	-104	-11.1
Norfolk Island	–	–	0.0%	–	–	0.0%	–	–
New Zealand	157	1.7%	1.5%	214	2.8%	1.6%	-57	-1.1
New Caledonia	–	–	0.0%	–	–	0.0%	–	–
Papua New Guinea	4	0.0%	0.0%	9	0.1%	0.0%	-5	-0.1
Solomon Islands	–	–	0.0%	–	–	0.0%	–	–
Vanuatu	–	–	0.0%	–	–	0.0%	–	–
Guam	–	–	0.0%	–	–	0.0%	–	–
Kiribati	–	–	0.0%	–	–	0.0%	–	–

Category	2021			2016		
	Count	%	Victoria %	Count	%	Vic
Marshall Islands	–	–	–	–	–	
Micronesia, Federated States of	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Nauru	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Northern Mariana Islands	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Cook Islands	3	0.0%	0.0%	–	–	
Fiji	4	0.0%	0.2%	3	0.0%	
French Polynesia	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Niue	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Samoa	6	0.1%	0.1%	10	0.1%	
Samoa, American	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Tokelau	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Tonga	4	0.0%	0.0%	4	0.1%	
Tuvalu	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Wallis and Futuna	–	–	–	–	–	
Australian Antarctic Territory	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
United Kingdom, Channel Islands and Isle of Man, nfd	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
England	170	1.9%	2.7%	256	3.4%	
Isle of Man	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Northern Ireland	3	0.0%	0.1%	10	0.1%	
Scotland	26	0.3%	0.4%	23	0.3%	
Wales	6	0.1%	0.1%	12	0.2%	
Guernsey	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Jersey	–	–	0.0%	–	–	

Category	2021			2016		
	Count	%	Victoria %	Count	%	Vic
Ireland	27	0.3%	0.3%	24	0.3%	
Austria	3	0.0%	0.1%	3	0.0%	
Belgium	8	0.1%	0.0%	–	–	
France	12	0.1%	0.1%	23	0.3%	
Germany	33	0.4%	0.4%	34	0.5%	
Liechtenstein	–	–	–	–	–	
Luxembourg	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Monaco	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Netherlands	22	0.2%	0.3%	28	0.4%	
Switzerland	9	0.1%	0.0%	5	0.1%	
Denmark	–	–	0.0%	10	0.1%	
Finland	6	0.1%	0.0%	9	0.1%	
Greenland	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Iceland	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Norway	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Sweden	–	–	0.0%	3	0.0%	
Gibraltar	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Italy	13	0.1%	1.0%	57	0.8%	
Malta	5	0.1%	0.3%	9	0.1%	
Portugal	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Spain	5	0.1%	0.1%	6	0.1%	
South Eastern Europe, nfd	3	0.0%	0.1%	4	0.1%	
Albania	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Bosnia and Herzegovina	–	–	0.1%	–	–	

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	Count	%	Victoria %	Count	%	Vic
Bulgaria	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Croatia	12	0.1%	0.2%	5	0.1%	
Cyprus	–	–	0.1%	3	0.0%	
North Macedonia	3	0.0%	0.3%	5	0.1%	
Greece	10	0.1%	0.7%	8	0.1%	
Moldova	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Romania	8	0.1%	0.1%	9	0.1%	
Slovenia	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Montenegro	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Serbia	10	0.1%	0.1%	7	0.1%	
Kosovo	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Eastern Europe, nfd	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Belarus	–	–	0.0%	5	0.1%	
Czechia	4	0.0%	0.0%	4	0.1%	
Estonia	–	–	0.0%	12	0.2%	
Hungary	3	0.0%	0.1%	6	0.1%	
Latvia	–	–	0.0%	4	0.1%	
Lithuania	–	–	0.0%	4	0.1%	
Poland	10	0.1%	0.2%	10	0.1%	
Russian Federation	5	0.1%	0.1%	16	0.2%	
Slovakia	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Ukraine	–	–	0.1%	–	–	
North Africa and the Middle East, nfd	–	–	0.0%	–	–	

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North Africa, nfd	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Algeria	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Egypt	5	0.1%	0.2%	13	0.2%	
Libya	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Morocco	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Sudan	9	0.1%	0.1%	21	0.3%	
Tunisia	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
South Sudan	11	0.1%	0.0%	7	0.1%	
Middle East, nfd	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Bahrain	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Gaza Strip and West Bank	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Iran	24	0.3%	0.3%	21	0.3%	
Iraq	11	0.1%	0.4%	30	0.4%	
Israel	7	0.1%	0.1%	3	0.0%	
Jordan	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Kuwait	–	–	0.0%	5	0.1%	
Lebanon	14	0.2%	0.3%	12	0.2%	
Oman	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Qatar	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Saudi Arabia	4	0.0%	0.1%	15	0.2%	
Syria	8	0.1%	0.1%	17	0.2%	
Turkey	25	0.3%	0.3%	22	0.3%	
United Arab Emirates	–	–	0.1%	3	0.0%	
Yemen	–	–	0.0%	–	–	

Category	2021			2016		
	Count	%	Victoria %	Count	%	Vic
South-East Asia, nfd	–	–	–	–	–	
Myanmar	4	0.0%	0.2%	4	0.1%	
Cambodia	6	0.1%	0.3%	11	0.1%	
Laos	3	0.0%	0.0%	–	–	
Thailand	13	0.1%	0.3%	14	0.2%	
Vietnam	38	0.4%	1.4%	76	1.0%	
Maritime South-East Asia, nfd	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Brunei Darussalam	–	–	0.0%	3	0.0%	
Indonesia	15	0.2%	0.3%	10	0.1%	
Malaysia	74	0.8%	1.0%	42	0.6%	
Philippines	46	0.5%	1.1%	42	0.6%	
Singapore	12	0.1%	0.3%	18	0.2%	
Timor-Leste	–	–	0.1%	–	–	
Chinese Asia (includes Mongolia), nfd	–	–	–	–	–	
China (excludes SARs and Taiwan)	57	0.6%	2.6%	140	1.9%	
Hong Kong (SAR of China)	9	0.1%	0.4%	32	0.4%	
Macau (SAR of China)	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Mongolia	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Taiwan	15	0.2%	0.2%	63	0.8%	
Japan	6	0.1%	0.1%	11	0.1%	
Korea, Democratic People's Republic of (North)	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Korea, Republic of (South)	10	0.1%	0.2%	36	0.5%	
Southern and Central Asia, nfd	–	–	0.0%	–	–	

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Southern Asia, nfd	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Bangladesh	–	–	0.2%	5	0.1%	
Bhutan	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
India	90	1.0%	4.0%	131	1.7%	
Maldives	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Nepal	8	0.1%	0.3%	14	0.2%	
Pakistan	22	0.2%	0.5%	12	0.2%	
Sri Lanka	33	0.4%	1.0%	26	0.3%	
Afghanistan	8	0.1%	0.4%	5	0.1%	
Armenia	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Azerbaijan	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Georgia	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Kazakhstan	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Kyrgyzstan	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Tajikistan	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Turkmenistan	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Uzbekistan	3	0.0%	0.0%	–	–	
Northern America, nfd	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Bermuda	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Canada	21	0.2%	0.2%	27	0.4%	
United States of America	36	0.4%	0.4%	41	0.5%	
South America, nfd	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Argentina	9	0.1%	0.1%	4	0.1%	
Bolivia	–	–	0.0%	–	–	

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	Count	%	Victoria %	Count	%	Vic
Brazil	7	0.1%	0.1%	10	0.1%	
Chile	18	0.2%	0.1%	17	0.2%	
Colombia	8	0.1%	0.2%	16	0.2%	
Ecuador	—	—	0.0%	—	—	
Falkland Islands	—	—	0.0%	—	—	
Guyana	—	—	0.0%	—	—	
Paraguay	—	—	0.0%	—	—	
Peru	3	0.0%	0.0%	—	—	
Suriname	—	—	0.0%	—	—	
Uruguay	—	—	0.0%	—	—	
Venezuela	—	—	0.0%	6	0.1%	
Belize	—	—	0.0%	—	—	
Costa Rica	—	—	0.0%	—	—	
El Salvador	3	0.0%	0.1%	9	0.1%	
Guatemala	—	—	0.0%	—	—	
Honduras	—	—	0.0%	—	—	
Mexico	—	—	0.0%	4	0.1%	
Nicaragua	—	—	0.0%	—	—	
Panama	—	—	0.0%	—	—	
Caribbean, nfd	—	—	0.0%	—	—	
Antigua and Barbuda	—	—	0.0%	—	—	
Aruba	—	—	0.0%	—	—	
Bahamas	—	—	0.0%	—	—	
Barbados	—	—	0.0%	—	—	

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Cayman Islands	—	—	0.0%	—	—	
Cuba	—	—	0.0%	—	—	
Dominica	—	—	—	—	—	
Dominican Republic	—	—	0.0%	—	—	
Haiti	—	—	0.0%	—	—	
Jamaica	—	—	0.0%	—	—	
Puerto Rico	—	—	0.0%	—	—	
St Lucia	—	—	0.0%	—	—	
St Vincent and the Grenadines	—	—	0.0%	—	—	
Trinidad and Tobago	—	—	0.0%	—	—	
Curacao	—	—	0.0%	—	—	
Central and West Africa, nfd	—	—	0.0%	—	—	
Benin	—	—	0.0%	—	—	
Burkina Faso	—	—	0.0%	—	—	
Cameroon	—	—	0.0%	—	—	
Cabo Verde	—	—	0.0%	—	—	
Chad	—	—	0.0%	—	—	
Congo, Republic of	—	—	0.0%	—	—	
Congo, Democratic Republic of	—	—	0.0%	—	—	
Cote d'Ivoire	5	0.1%	0.0%	—	—	
Gabon	—	—	—	—	—	
Gambia	3	0.0%	0.0%	—	—	
Ghana	—	—	0.0%	3	0.0%	
Guinea	—	—	0.0%	—	—	

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Liberia	6	0.1%	0.0%	4	0.1%	
Mali	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Niger	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Nigeria	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Sao Tome and Principe	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Senegal	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Sierra Leone	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Togo	–	–	0.0%	3	0.0%	
Southern and East Africa, nfd	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Angola	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Botswana	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Burundi	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Comoros	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Djibouti	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Eritrea	4	0.0%	0.0%	4	0.1%	
Ethiopia	25	0.3%	0.1%	30	0.4%	
Kenya	6	0.1%	0.1%	7	0.1%	
Lesotho	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Madagascar	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Malawi	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Mauritius	3	0.0%	0.2%	8	0.1%	
Mozambique	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Namibia	4	0.0%	0.0%	–	–	
Reunion	–	–	0.0%	–	–	

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	Count	%	Victoria %	Count	%	Vic
Rwanda	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Seychelles	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Somalia	5	0.1%	0.1%	24	0.3%	
South Africa	28	0.3%	0.5%	27	0.4%	
Eswatini	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Tanzania	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Uganda	3	0.0%	0.0%	–	–	
Zambia	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Zimbabwe	5	0.1%	0.1%	4	0.1%	
Not stated	3,416	37.5%	4.9%	1,166	15.5%	
<b>Total</b>	<b>9,098</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>7,539</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>

Excludes countries of birth with fewer than 10 people.

Data basis: usual residence.