

Community report

No usual address (Vic.)

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COMPARISON

Victoria

POPULATION

Persons

GENERATED

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Included sections

1 selected topic will be included in this report.

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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 No usual address (Vic.), accounting for 31.7% (2,880 people). This share was lower than Victoria (38.8%). Since 2016, the biggest change was in No religion, which increased by 370 people, while its share fell by 1.6 percentage points.

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

No usual address (Vic.) - Total persons (Usual residence)

Category	2021			2016			Change	
	Count	%	Victoria %	Count	%	Victoria %	Count	pp
Inadequately described	72	0.8%	0.4%	76	1.0%	0.5%	-4	-0.2
Buddhism	128	1.4%	3.1%	152	2.0%	3.1%	-24	-0.6
Christianity, nfd	212	2.3%	2.5%	151	2.0%	2.5%	+61	+0.3
Anglican Church of Australia	322	3.5%	6.5%	423	5.6%	9.0%	-101	-2.1
Anglican Catholic Church	-	-	-	-	-	0.0%	-	-
Anglican, nec	-	-	0.0%	-	-	0.0%	-	-
Baptist	46	0.5%	1.3%	60	0.8%	1.3%	-14	-0.3
Brethren	-	-	0.1%	3	0.0%	0.1%	-	-
Catholic, nfd	-	-	-	-	-	0.0%	-	-
Western Catholic	768	8.5%	20.3%	942	12.5%	23.1%	-174	-4.0
Maronite Catholic	-	-	0.1%	-	-	0.0%	-	-
Melkite Catholic	-	-	0.0%	-	-	0.0%	-	-

Category	2021			2016		
	Count	%	Victoria %	Count	%	Vic
Ukrainian Catholic	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Chaldean Catholic	–	–	0.1%	4	0.1%	
Syro Malabar Catholic	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Catholic, nec	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Churches of Christ, nfd	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Churches of Christ (Conference)	12	0.1%	0.1%	8	0.1%	
Church of Christ (Non-denominational)	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
International Church of Christ	–	–	–	–	–	
Jehovah's Witnesses	17	0.2%	0.2%	12	0.2%	
Latter-day Saints, nfd	–	–	–	–	–	
The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints	22	0.2%	0.2%	23	0.3%	
Community of Christ	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Lutheran	16	0.2%	0.4%	26	0.3%	
Oriental Orthodox, nfd	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Armenian Apostolic	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Coptic Orthodox Church	–	–	0.1%	–	–	
Syrian Orthodox Church	–	–	0.1%	–	–	
Ethiopian Orthodox Church	4	0.0%	0.0%	–	–	
Oriental Orthodox, nec	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Assyrian Apostolic, nfd	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Assyrian Church of the East	–	–	0.0%	3	0.0%	
Ancient Church of the East	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Eastern Orthodox, nfd	–	–	0.0%	–	–	

Category	2021			2016		
	Count	%	Victoria %	Count	%	Vic
Albanian Orthodox	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Antiochian Orthodox	–	–	0.1%	–	–	
Greek Orthodox	52	0.6%	2.6%	68	0.9%	
Macedonian Orthodox	–	–	0.3%	–	–	
Romanian Orthodox	–	–	0.0%	3	0.0%	
Russian Orthodox	6	0.1%	0.1%	11	0.1%	
Serbian Orthodox	11	0.1%	0.2%	3	0.0%	
Ukrainian Orthodox	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Eastern Orthodox, nec	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Presbyterian and Reformed, nfd	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Presbyterian	68	0.7%	1.3%	115	1.5%	
Reformed	3	0.0%	0.0%	4	0.1%	
Salvation Army	21	0.2%	0.1%	12	0.2%	
Seventh-day Adventist	3	0.0%	0.2%	18	0.2%	
Uniting Church	129	1.4%	2.4%	123	1.6%	
Pentecostal, nfd	31	0.3%	0.8%	68	0.9%	
Apostolic Church (Australia)	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Australian Christian Churches (Assemblies of God)	–	–	0.0%	4	0.1%	
C3 Church Global (Christian City Church)	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
International Network of Churches (Christian Outreach Centres)	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
CRC International (Christian Revival Crusade)	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Foursquare Gospel Church	–	–	0.0%	–	–	

Category	2021			2016		
	Count	%	Victoria %	Count	%	Vic
Full Gospel Church of Australia (Full Gospel Church)	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Revival Centres	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Rhema Family Church	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
United Pentecostal	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Acts 2 Alliance	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Christian Church in Australia	–	–	–	–	–	
Pentecostal City Life Church	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Revival Fellowship	4	0.0%	0.0%	–	–	
Victory Worship Centre	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Worship Centre Network	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Pentecostal, nec	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Other Protestant, nfd	5	0.1%	0.1%	10	0.1%	
Aboriginal Evangelical Missions	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Born Again Christian	5	0.1%	0.0%	3	0.0%	
Christian and Missionary Alliance	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Church of the Nazarene	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Congregational	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Ethnic Evangelical Churches	6	0.1%	0.0%	–	–	
Independent Evangelical Churches	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Wesleyan Methodist Church	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Christian Community Churches of Australia	4	0.0%	0.0%	–	–	
Methodist, so described	13	0.1%	0.1%	10	0.1%	
United Methodist Church	–	–	0.0%	–	–	

Category	2021			2016		
	Count	%	Victoria %	Count	%	Vic
Other Protestant, nec	–	–	0.0%	–	–	–
Other Christian, nfd	–	–	0.0%	–	–	–
Apostolic Church of Queensland	–	–	–	–	–	–
Christadelphians	6	0.1%	0.0%	–	–	–
Christian Science	–	–	0.0%	–	–	–
Gnostic Christians	–	–	0.0%	–	–	–
Liberal Catholic Church	–	–	0.0%	–	–	–
New Apostolic Church	–	–	0.0%	–	–	–
New Churches (Swedenborgian)	–	–	0.0%	–	–	–
Ratana (Maori)	–	–	0.0%	–	–	–
Religious Science	–	–	0.0%	–	–	–
Religious Society of Friends (Quakers)	–	–	0.0%	–	–	–
Temple Society	–	–	0.0%	–	–	–
Grace Communion International (Worldwide Church of God)	–	–	0.0%	–	–	–
Other Christian, nec	4	0.0%	0.0%	–	–	–
Hinduism	78	0.9%	3.3%	95	1.3%	–
Islam	211	2.3%	4.2%	251	3.3%	–
Judaism	21	0.2%	0.7%	11	0.1%	–
Australian Aboriginal Traditional Religions	4	0.0%	0.0%	3	0.0%	–
Baha'i	6	0.1%	0.1%	–	–	–
Ancestor Veneration	–	–	0.0%	–	–	–
Confucianism	–	–	0.0%	–	–	–
Taoism	–	–	0.0%	–	–	–

Category	2021			2016		
	Count	%	Victoria %	Count	%	Vic
Chinese Religions, nec	–	–	0.0%	–	–	–
Druse	–	–	0.0%	–	–	–
Shinto	–	–	0.0%	–	–	–
Sukyo Mahikari	–	–	0.0%	–	–	–
Tenrikyo	–	–	0.0%	–	–	–
Japanese Religions, nec	–	–	0.0%	–	–	–
Nature Religions, nfd	–	–	0.0%	–	–	–
Animism	–	–	0.0%	–	–	–
Druidism	–	–	0.0%	–	–	–
Paganism	19	0.2%	0.1%	15	0.2%	–
Wiccan (Witchcraft)	6	0.1%	0.0%	6	0.1%	–
Nature Religions, nec	–	–	0.0%	–	–	–
Sikhism	15	0.2%	1.4%	21	0.3%	–
Spiritualism	–	–	0.0%	10	0.1%	–
Mandaean	–	–	0.0%	–	–	–
Yezidi	–	–	0.0%	–	–	–
Caodaism	–	–	0.0%	–	–	–
Church of Scientology	–	–	0.0%	–	–	–
Eckankar	–	–	0.0%	–	–	–
Rastafari	–	–	0.0%	–	–	–
Satanism	–	–	0.0%	–	–	–
Theosophy	–	–	0.0%	–	–	–
Jainism	–	–	0.0%	–	–	–
Zoroastrianism	–	–	0.0%	–	–	–

Category	2021			2016		
	Count	%	Victoria %	Count	%	Vic
Religious Groups, nec	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Secular Beliefs and Other Spiritual Beliefs and No Religious Affiliation, nfd	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
No Religion, so described	2,880	31.7%	38.8%	2,510	33.3%	
Secular Beliefs, nfd	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Agnosticism	16	0.2%	0.1%	29	0.4%	
Atheism	15	0.2%	0.1%	11	0.1%	
Humanism	–	–	0.0%	8	0.1%	
Rationalism	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Secular Beliefs, nec	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Other Spiritual Beliefs, nfd	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Multi Faith	–	–	0.0%	4	0.1%	
New Age	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Own Spiritual Beliefs	18	0.2%	0.1%	12	0.2%	
Theism	6	0.1%	0.0%	5	0.1%	
Unitarian Universalism	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Other Spiritual Beliefs, nec	3	0.0%	0.0%	9	0.1%	
Not stated	3,785	41.7%	6.3%	2,212	29.3%	
Total	9,073	100.0%	100.0%	7,547	100.0%	100.0%

Excludes religions with fewer than 10 adherents.

Data basis: usual residence.