

Community report

MacDonnell (R)

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

AREA

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COMPARISON

Regional NT

POPULATION

Persons

GENERATED

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Included sections

1 selected topic will be included in this report.

01 Household income

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.
- Enumerated topics describe where people or dwellings were counted on Census night.

Household income

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Key takeaway

In 2021, \$1,000 to \$1,249 was the most common household-income band among households in MacDonnell (R), accounting for 8.5% (145 households). This share was higher than Regional NT (7.2%).

About this topic

Household income shows the combined gross income reported for households. Because households are the common economic unit for sharing housing and living costs, this topic is widely used in socio-economic analysis.

This topic helps indicate economic resources, but income is not the same as wealth and can be strongly affected by household composition, retirement, and labour force participation. The dollar ranges are shown for the latest Census year only, so household income quartiles are more suitable for comparisons over time.

Interpretation notes

- Total household income combines gross weekly income reported for the household and is affected by how many people contribute income.
- Because it is not adjusted for household size or composition, it should not be treated as a direct measure of living standards.

Weekly household income

MacDonnell (R) - Total households (Enumerated)

Category	2021 count	2021 %	Regional NT %
Negative Nil Income	17	1.0%	1.3%
1 To 149	21	1.2%	1.1%
150 To 299	46	2.7%	2.1%
300 To 399	44	2.6%	2.0%
400 To 499	97	5.7%	4.5%
500 To 649	77	4.5%	3.0%
650 To 799	126	7.4%	5.2%
800 To 999	126	7.4%	5.8%
1000 To 1249	145	8.5%	7.2%
1250 To 1499	140	8.2%	7.3%
1500 To 1749	118	6.9%	5.9%
1750 To 1999	105	6.1%	5.5%
2000 To 2499	142	8.3%	11.1%
2500 To 2999	63	3.7%	6.3%
3000 To 3499	62	3.6%	6.1%
3500 To 3999	30	1.8%	3.5%
4000 To 4499	10	0.6%	1.8%
4500 To 4999	42	2.5%	3.5%
5000 To 5999	14	0.8%	1.9%
6000 To 7999	8	0.5%	1.6%
8000 Or More	5	0.3%	0.6%
Not stated	276	16.1%	12.7%

Category	2021 count	2021 %	Regional NT %
Total	1,714	100.0%	100.0%

Data basis: enumerated.