

# Community report

## Mitchell (S)

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

AREA

**Mitchell (S)**

COMPARISON

**Regional Vic.**

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, 14.6% (7,234) of people in Mitchell (S) were born overseas, compared with 12.4% in Regional Vic.. A further 79.2% (39,145) 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

Mitchell (S) - Overseas born (Usual residence)

Category	2021			2016			Change	
	Count	%	Regional Vic. %	Count	%	Regional Vic. %	Count	pp
Inadequately described	11	0.0%	0.0%	4	0.0%	0.0%	+7	0.0
At sea	—	—	—	—	—	0.0%	—	—
Australia	39,145	79.2%	81.0%	32,349	79.1%	80.7%	+6,796	+0.1
Norfolk Island	—	—	0.0%	—	—	0.0%	—	—
New Zealand	680	1.4%	1.0%	446	1.1%	1.0%	+234	+0.3
New Caledonia	—	—	0.0%	—	—	0.0%	—	—
Papua New Guinea	27	0.1%	0.0%	16	0.0%	0.0%	+11	+0.1
Solomon Islands	—	—	0.0%	—	—	0.0%	—	—
Vanuatu	—	—	0.0%	—	—	0.0%	—	—
Kiribati	—	—	0.0%	—	—	0.0%	—	—
Marshall Islands	—	—	—	—	—	0.0%	—	—
Micronesia, Federated States of	—	—	0.0%	—	—	—	—	—

Category	2021			2016		
	Count	%	Regional Vic. %	Count	%	Regiona
Nauru	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Cook Islands	3	0.0%	0.0%	–	–	
Fiji	77	0.2%	0.1%	37	0.1%	
French Polynesia	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Niue	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Samoa	59	0.1%	0.0%	32	0.1%	
Samoa, American	3	0.0%	0.0%	–	–	
Tokelau	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Tonga	9	0.0%	0.0%	–	–	
Tuvalu	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Australian Antarctic Territory	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
United Kingdom, Channel Islands and Isle of Man, nfd	16	0.0%	0.0%	3	0.0%	
England	1,225	2.5%	2.6%	1,083	2.6%	
Isle of Man	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Northern Ireland	28	0.1%	0.1%	34	0.1%	
Scotland	161	0.3%	0.4%	150	0.4%	
Wales	27	0.1%	0.1%	27	0.1%	
Guernsey	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Jersey	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Ireland	118	0.2%	0.2%	100	0.2%	
Austria	27	0.1%	0.1%	30	0.1%	
Belgium	5	0.0%	0.0%	9	0.0%	
France	23	0.0%	0.1%	17	0.0%	

Category	2021			2016		
	Count	%	Regional Vic. %	Count	%	Regiona
Germany	182	0.4%	0.4%	147	0.4%	
Liechtenstein	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Luxembourg	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Netherlands	107	0.2%	0.4%	112	0.3%	
Switzerland	13	0.0%	0.0%	4	0.0%	
Denmark	5	0.0%	0.0%	9	0.0%	
Finland	11	0.0%	0.0%	12	0.0%	
Greenland	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Iceland	–	–	0.0%	5	0.0%	
Norway	7	0.0%	0.0%	6	0.0%	
Sweden	10	0.0%	0.0%	11	0.0%	
Aland Islands	–	–	–	–	–	
Andorra	–	–	–	–	–	
Gibraltar	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Italy	264	0.5%	0.4%	246	0.6%	
Malta	135	0.3%	0.1%	143	0.3%	
Portugal	16	0.0%	0.0%	14	0.0%	
Spain	21	0.0%	0.0%	16	0.0%	
South Eastern Europe, nfd	15	0.0%	0.1%	15	0.0%	
Albania	5	0.0%	0.0%	–	–	
Bosnia and Herzegovina	4	0.0%	0.0%	–	–	
Bulgaria	4	0.0%	0.0%	4	0.0%	
Croatia	47	0.1%	0.1%	38	0.1%	
Cyprus	42	0.1%	0.0%	28	0.1%	

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	Count	%	Regional Vic. %	Count	%	Regiona
North Macedonia	79	0.2%	0.1%	43	0.1%	
Greece	79	0.2%	0.1%	54	0.1%	
Moldova	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Romania	21	0.0%	0.0%	16	0.0%	
Slovenia	14	0.0%	0.0%	3	0.0%	
Montenegro	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Serbia	10	0.0%	0.1%	3	0.0%	
Kosovo	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Eastern Europe, nfd	3	0.0%	0.0%	–	–	
Belarus	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Czechia	–	–	0.0%	6	0.0%	
Estonia	3	0.0%	0.0%	3	0.0%	
Hungary	19	0.0%	0.0%	17	0.0%	
Latvia	–	–	0.0%	3	0.0%	
Lithuania	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Poland	40	0.1%	0.1%	45	0.1%	
Russian Federation	8	0.0%	0.0%	5	0.0%	
Slovakia	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Ukraine	9	0.0%	0.0%	14	0.0%	
North Africa and the Middle East, nfd	–	–	–	–	–	
North Africa, nfd	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Algeria	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Egypt	33	0.1%	0.0%	19	0.0%	

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	Count	%	Regional Vic. %	Count	%	Regiona
Libya	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Morocco	3	0.0%	0.0%	3	0.0%	
Sudan	10	0.0%	0.0%	–	–	
Tunisia	3	0.0%	0.0%	–	–	
South Sudan	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Middle East, nfd	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Bahrain	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Gaza Strip and West Bank	4	0.0%	0.0%	3	0.0%	
Iran	19	0.0%	0.1%	6	0.0%	
Iraq	115	0.2%	0.1%	40	0.1%	
Israel	5	0.0%	0.0%	–	–	
Jordan	3	0.0%	0.0%	–	–	
Kuwait	12	0.0%	0.0%	6	0.0%	
Lebanon	52	0.1%	0.0%	26	0.1%	
Oman	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Qatar	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Saudi Arabia	6	0.0%	0.0%	–	–	
Syria	27	0.1%	0.0%	3	0.0%	
Turkey	61	0.1%	0.1%	37	0.1%	
United Arab Emirates	25	0.1%	0.0%	7	0.0%	
Yemen	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Myanmar	–	–	0.1%	4	0.0%	
Cambodia	14	0.0%	0.0%	17	0.0%	
Laos	70	0.1%	0.0%	26	0.1%	

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Thailand	107	0.2%	0.2%	57	0.1%	
Vietnam	60	0.1%	0.2%	19	0.0%	
Maritime South-East Asia, nfd	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Brunei Darussalam	3	0.0%	0.0%	–	–	
Indonesia	38	0.1%	0.1%	22	0.1%	
Malaysia	101	0.2%	0.3%	71	0.2%	
Philippines	282	0.6%	0.6%	200	0.5%	
Singapore	62	0.1%	0.1%	47	0.1%	
Timor-Leste	14	0.0%	0.0%	4	0.0%	
China (excludes SARs and Taiwan)	197	0.4%	0.3%	229	0.6%	
Hong Kong (SAR of China)	11	0.0%	0.1%	16	0.0%	
Macau (SAR of China)	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Mongolia	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Taiwan	18	0.0%	0.1%	19	0.0%	
Japan	20	0.0%	0.0%	24	0.1%	
Korea, Democratic People's Republic of (North)	–	–	–	–	–	
Korea, Republic of (South)	17	0.0%	0.0%	17	0.0%	
Southern and Central Asia, nfd	–	–	–	–	–	
Southern Asia, nfd	15	0.0%	0.0%	–	–	
Bangladesh	16	0.0%	0.0%	9	0.0%	
Bhutan	4	0.0%	0.0%	–	–	
India	1,232	2.5%	1.0%	282	0.7%	
Maldives	–	–	0.0%	–	–	

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Nepal	21	0.0%	0.1%	7	0.0%	
Pakistan	96	0.2%	0.1%	28	0.1%	
Sri Lanka	174	0.4%	0.2%	75	0.2%	
Afghanistan	6	0.0%	0.1%	5	0.0%	
Armenia	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Azerbaijan	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Georgia	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Kazakhstan	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Kyrgyzstan	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Uzbekistan	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Northern America, nfd	–	–	–	–	–	
Bermuda	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Canada	42	0.1%	0.1%	48	0.1%	
United States of America	75	0.2%	0.2%	67	0.2%	
South America, nfd	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Argentina	23	0.0%	0.0%	15	0.0%	
Bolivia	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Brazil	3	0.0%	0.0%	4	0.0%	
Chile	12	0.0%	0.0%	16	0.0%	
Colombia	11	0.0%	0.0%	–	–	
Ecuador	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Falkland Islands	–	–	–	–	–	
Guyana	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Paraguay	–	–	0.0%	–	–	

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Peru	3	0.0%	0.0%	—	—	
Suriname	—	—	0.0%	—	—	
Uruguay	8	0.0%	0.0%	9	0.0%	
Venezuela	5	0.0%	0.0%	—	—	
Costa Rica	—	—	0.0%	—	—	
El Salvador	9	0.0%	0.0%	6	0.0%	
Guatemala	—	—	0.0%	—	—	
Honduras	—	—	0.0%	—	—	
Mexico	4	0.0%	0.0%	—	—	
Nicaragua	—	—	0.0%	5	0.0%	
Panama	—	—	0.0%	—	—	
Caribbean, nfd	—	—	0.0%	—	—	
Bahamas	—	—	0.0%	—	—	
Barbados	—	—	0.0%	—	—	
Cayman Islands	—	—	0.0%	—	—	
Cuba	—	—	0.0%	—	—	
Dominican Republic	—	—	0.0%	—	—	
Haiti	—	—	0.0%	—	—	
Jamaica	—	—	0.0%	—	—	
Montserrat	—	—	—	—	—	
Puerto Rico	—	—	0.0%	—	—	
St Lucia	—	—	0.0%	—	—	
Trinidad and Tobago	—	—	0.0%	—	—	
Curacao	—	—	0.0%	—	—	

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Central and West Africa, nfd	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Benin	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Burkina Faso	–	–	–	–	–	
Cameroon	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Congo, Republic of	3	0.0%	0.0%	–	–	
Congo, Democratic Republic of	5	0.0%	0.0%	–	–	
Cote d'Ivoire	3	0.0%	0.0%	–	–	
Gambia	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Ghana	13	0.0%	0.0%	8	0.0%	
Guinea	3	0.0%	0.0%	–	–	
Liberia	10	0.0%	0.0%	–	–	
Mali	–	–	–	–	–	
Nigeria	26	0.1%	0.0%	6	0.0%	
Senegal	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Sierra Leone	4	0.0%	0.0%	–	–	
Togo	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Southern and East Africa, nfd	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Angola	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Botswana	–	–	0.0%	4	0.0%	
Burundi	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Djibouti	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Eritrea	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Ethiopia	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Kenya	21	0.0%	0.0%	6	0.0%	

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Lesotho	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Madagascar	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Malawi	3	0.0%	0.0%	–	–	
Mauritius	47	0.1%	0.0%	19	0.0%	
Mozambique	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Namibia	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Rwanda	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
St Helena	–	–	–	–	–	
Seychelles	4	0.0%	0.0%	5	0.0%	
Somalia	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
South Africa	173	0.3%	0.3%	106	0.3%	
Eswatini	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Tanzania	6	0.0%	0.0%	–	–	
Uganda	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Zambia	10	0.0%	0.0%	4	0.0%	
Zimbabwe	80	0.2%	0.1%	35	0.1%	
Not stated	3,072	6.2%	6.6%	3,844	9.4%	
<b>Total</b>	<b>49,451</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>40,894</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>

Excludes countries of birth with fewer than 10 people.

Data basis: usual residence.