

Community report

North Burnett (R)

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North Burnett (R)

COMPARISON

Regional Qld

POPULATION

Persons

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Included sections

1 selected topic will be included in this report.

01 Ancestry

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.

Ancestry

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Key takeaway

In 2021, the largest ancestry groups among residents in North Burnett (R) were Australian, English and German.

About this topic

Ancestry describes a person's cultural association and ethnic background, and Census respondents can report more than one ancestry. It is a broader cultural measure than country of birth because it can reflect family heritage across generations.

This topic helps show the size and diversity of cultural groups in an area, including groups whose members were born in Australia. Because multiple ancestries can be reported, ancestry totals can exceed the total population, so it is best read with birthplace, language used at home, and religion.

Interpretation notes

- People can report up to two ancestries, so category counts represent responses rather than a single unduplicated person count, while percentages are shown against the total population.
- ABS advises that ancestry is best used with birthplace and language, because ancestry alone is a broad measure of ethnicity and cultural background.
- The 2021 form added separate Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander mark boxes, so those categories need caution in over-time comparison.

Ancestry - Ranked by size

North Burnett (R) - Total persons (Usual residence)

Category	2021			2016			Change	
	Count	%	Regional Qld %	Count	%	Regional Qld %	Count	pp
Inadequately described	19	0.2%	0.2%	23	0.2%	0.2%	-4	0.0
Eurasian, so described	–	–	0.0%	–	–	0.0%	–	–
Asian, so described	–	–	0.1%	–	–	0.0%	–	–
African, so described	4	0.0%	0.1%	9	0.1%	0.1%	-5	-0.1
European, so described	–	–	0.1%	5	0.0%	0.1%	–	–
Caucasian, so described	–	–	0.0%	–	–	0.0%	–	–
Creole, so described	–	–	0.0%	–	–	0.0%	–	–
Oceanian, nfd	11	0.1%	0.0%	12	0.1%	0.0%	-1	0.0
Australian Peoples, nfd	–	–	0.0%	–	–	0.0%	–	–
Australian	4,044	40.2%	35.3%	4,568	43.6%	37.7%	-524	-3.4
Australian Aboriginal	630	6.3%	5.1%	78	0.7%	1.2%	+552	+5.6
Australian South Sea Islander	6	0.1%	0.2%	8	0.1%	0.2%	-2	0.0

Category	2021			2016		
	Count	%	Regional Qld %	Count	%	Regional
Torres Strait Islander	66	0.7%	1.3%	3	0.0%	
Norfolk Islander	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
New Zealand Peoples, nfd	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Maori	15	0.1%	1.0%	29	0.3%	
New Zealander	45	0.4%	1.2%	36	0.3%	
Melanesian and Papuan, nfd	3	0.0%	0.0%	4	0.0%	
New Caledonian	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Ni-Vanuatu	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Papua New Guinean	14	0.1%	0.3%	11	0.1%	
Solomon Islander	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Melanesian and Papuan, nec	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Micronesian, nfd	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
I-Kiribati	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Nauruan	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Micronesian, nec	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Polynesian, nfd	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Cook Islander	3	0.0%	0.1%	–	–	
Fijian	–	–	0.1%	3	0.0%	
Niuean	8	0.1%	0.0%	7	0.1%	
Samoaan	9	0.1%	0.2%	3	0.0%	
Tongan	77	0.8%	0.1%	87	0.8%	
Hawaiian	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Tahitian	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Tokelauan	–	–	0.0%	–	–	

Category	2021			2016		
	Count	%	Regional Qld %	Count	%	Regional
Tuvaluan	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Pitcairn	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Polynesian, nec	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
North-West European, nfd	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
British, nfd	–	–	0.0%	3	0.0%	
English	3,846	38.2%	39.6%	3,800	36.3%	
Scottish	979	9.7%	10.4%	989	9.4%	
Welsh	35	0.3%	0.6%	37	0.4%	
Channel Islander	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Manx	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
British, nec	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Irish	928	9.2%	10.9%	929	8.9%	
Western European, nfd	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Austrian	3	0.0%	0.2%	8	0.1%	
Dutch	97	1.0%	1.5%	113	1.1%	
Flemish	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
French	34	0.3%	0.6%	55	0.5%	
German	1,016	10.1%	6.3%	1,176	11.2%	
Swiss	13	0.1%	0.2%	17	0.2%	
Belgian	3	0.0%	0.1%	6	0.1%	
Frisian	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Luxembourg	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Western European, nec	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Northern European, nfd	–	–	0.1%	3	0.0%	

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	Count	%	Regional Qld %	Count	%	Regional
Danish	44	0.4%	0.5%	50	0.5%	
Finnish	–	–	0.2%	4	0.0%	
Icelandic	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Norwegian	10	0.1%	0.2%	7	0.1%	
Swedish	12	0.1%	0.2%	9	0.1%	
Northern European, nec	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Southern and Eastern European, nfd	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Southern European, nfd	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Basque	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Catalan	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Italian	105	1.0%	3.2%	102	1.0%	
Maltese	3	0.0%	0.5%	3	0.0%	
Portuguese	3	0.0%	0.2%	6	0.1%	
Spanish	14	0.1%	0.5%	27	0.3%	
Gibraltarian	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Southern European, nec	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
South Eastern European, nfd	–	–	0.1%	–	–	
Albanian	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Bosnian	–	–	0.1%	–	–	
Bulgarian	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Croatian	–	–	0.3%	5	0.0%	
Greek	7	0.1%	0.5%	4	0.0%	
Macedonian	–	–	0.1%	–	–	
Moldovan	–	–	0.0%	–	–	

Category	2021			2016		
	Count	%	Regional Qld %	Count	%	Regional
Montenegrin	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Romanian	–	–	0.1%	–	–	
Roma Gypsy	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Serbian	–	–	0.1%	–	–	
Slovene	4	0.0%	0.1%	–	–	
Cypriot	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Vlach	–	–	–	–	–	
South Eastern European, nec	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Eastern European, nfd	3	0.0%	0.0%	–	–	
Belarusan	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Czech	–	–	0.1%	3	0.0%	
Estonian	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Hungarian	17	0.2%	0.3%	9	0.1%	
Latvian	–	–	0.1%	–	–	
Lithuanian	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Polish	32	0.3%	0.5%	29	0.3%	
Russian	10	0.1%	0.3%	10	0.1%	
Slovak	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Ukrainian	7	0.1%	0.1%	4	0.0%	
Sorb/Wend	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Eastern European, nec	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
North African and Middle Eastern, nfd	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Arab, nfd	–	–	0.0%	–	–	

Category	2021			2016		
	Count	%	Regional Qld %	Count	%	Regional
Algerian	–	–	0.0%	–	–	–
Egyptian	5	0.0%	0.1%	–	–	–
Iraqi	–	–	0.1%	–	–	–
Jordanian	–	–	0.0%	–	–	–
Kuwaiti	–	–	0.0%	–	–	–
Lebanese	6	0.1%	0.1%	7	0.1%	–
Libyan	–	–	0.0%	–	–	–
Moroccan	–	–	0.0%	–	–	–
Palestinian	–	–	0.0%	–	–	–
Saudi Arabian	–	–	0.0%	–	–	–
Syrian	–	–	0.0%	–	–	–
Tunisian	–	–	0.0%	–	–	–
Yemeni	–	–	0.0%	–	–	–
Emirati	–	–	–	–	–	–
Omani	–	–	0.0%	–	–	–
Arab, nec	–	–	0.0%	–	–	–
Jewish	–	–	0.0%	–	–	–
Peoples of the Sudan, nfd	6	0.1%	0.0%	–	–	–
Dinka	–	–	0.0%	–	–	–
Nuer	–	–	–	–	–	–
South Sudanese	–	–	0.0%	–	–	–
Sudanese	4	0.0%	0.0%	3	0.0%	–
Other North African and Middle Eastern, nfd	–	–	0.0%	–	–	–

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Berber	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Coptic	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Iranian	3	0.0%	0.1%	–	–	
Kurdish	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Turkish	–	–	0.1%	–	–	
Assyrian	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Chaldean	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Nubian	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Yezidi	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Other North African and Middle Eastern, nec	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
South-East Asian, nfd	–	–	0.0%	9	0.1%	
Mainland South-East Asian, nfd	–	–	–	–	–	
Anglo-Burmese	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Burmese	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Hmong	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Khmer (Cambodian)	3	0.0%	0.0%	–	–	
Lao	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Thai	22	0.2%	0.3%	3	0.0%	
Vietnamese	13	0.1%	0.2%	–	–	
Karen	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Mon	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Chin	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Rohingya	–	–	0.0%	–	–	

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	Count	%	Regional Qld %	Count	%	Regional
Mainland South-East Asian, nec	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Filipino	118	1.2%	1.3%	109	1.0%	
Indonesian	14	0.1%	0.2%	10	0.1%	
Javanese	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Malay	13	0.1%	0.1%	7	0.1%	
Sundanese	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Timorese	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Balinese	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Bruneian	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Kadazan	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Singaporean	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Maritime South-East Asian, nec	5	0.0%	0.0%	–	–	
Chinese	69	0.7%	1.6%	84	0.8%	
Taiwanese	4	0.0%	0.1%	13	0.1%	
Chinese Asian, nec	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Japanese	13	0.1%	0.5%	19	0.2%	
Korean	32	0.3%	0.3%	74	0.7%	
Mongolian	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Tibetan	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Other North-East Asian, nec	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Southern Asian, nfd	6	0.1%	0.0%	–	–	
Anglo-Indian	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Bengali	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Burgher	–	–	0.0%	–	–	

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Gujarati	3	0.0%	0.0%	—	—	
Indian	29	0.3%	1.0%	24	0.2%	
Malayali	—	—	0.0%	—	—	
Nepalese	94	0.9%	0.2%	34	0.3%	
Pakistani	13	0.1%	0.1%	—	—	
Punjabi	8	0.1%	0.2%	—	—	
Sikh	—	—	0.1%	—	—	
Sinhalese	—	—	0.1%	—	—	
Maldivian	—	—	0.0%	—	—	
Bangladeshi	—	—	0.0%	—	—	
Bhutanese	—	—	0.0%	—	—	
Fijian Indian	—	—	0.0%	—	—	
Kashmiri	—	—	0.0%	—	—	
Parsi	—	—	0.0%	—	—	
Sindhi	—	—	0.0%	—	—	
Sri Lankan	5	0.0%	0.1%	10	0.1%	
Sri Lankan Tamil	—	—	0.0%	—	—	
Indian Tamil	—	—	0.0%	—	—	
Tamil, nfd	—	—	0.0%	—	—	
Telugu	—	—	0.0%	—	—	
Southern Asian, nec	—	—	0.0%	—	—	
Central Asian, nfd	—	—	0.0%	—	—	
Afghan	—	—	0.0%	—	—	
Armenian	—	—	0.0%	—	—	

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	Count	%	Regional Qld %	Count	%	Regiona
Georgian	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Kazakh	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Pathan	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Uzbek	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Azeri	3	0.0%	0.0%	–	–	
Hazara	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Tajik	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Tatar	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Turkmen	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Uighur	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Kyrgyz	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Central Asian, nec	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Peoples of the Americas, nfd	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
North American, nfd	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
African American	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
American	12	0.1%	0.3%	16	0.2%	
Canadian	8	0.1%	0.2%	12	0.1%	
French Canadian	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Hispanic North American	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Native North American Indian	–	–	0.0%	8	0.1%	
Bermudan	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
North American, nec	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
South American, nfd	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Argentinian	4	0.0%	0.0%	–	–	

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Bolivian	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Brazilian	–	–	0.2%	–	–	
Chilean	–	–	0.1%	4	0.0%	
Colombian	–	–	0.1%	–	–	
Ecuadorian	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Guyanese	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Peruvian	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Uruguayan	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Venezuelan	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Paraguayan	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
South American, nec	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Central American, nfd	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Mexican	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Nicaraguan	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Salvadoran	5	0.0%	0.0%	–	–	
Costa Rican	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Guatemalan	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Mayan	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Central American, nec	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Caribbean Islander, nfd	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Cuban	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Jamaican	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Trinidadian Tobagonian	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Barbadian	–	–	0.0%	–	–	

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	Count	%	Regional Qld %	Count	%	Regional
Puerto Rican	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Caribbean Islander, nec	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Sub-Saharan African, nfd	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Central and West African, nfd	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Akan	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Fulani	–	–	–	–	–	
Ghanaian	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Nigerian	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Yoruba	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Ivorean	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Liberian	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Sierra Leonean	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Acholi	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Cameroonian	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Congolese	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Igbo	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Krahn	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Mandinka	–	–	–	–	–	
Senegalese	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Themne	–	–	–	–	–	
Togolese	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Central and West African, nec	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Southern and East African, nfd	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Afrikaner	–	–	0.0%	3	0.0%	

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	Count	%	Regional Qld %	Count	%	Regional
Angolan	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Eritrean	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Ethiopian	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Kenyan	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Malawian	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Mauritian	–	–	0.1%	–	–	
Mozambican	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Namibian	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Oromo	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Seychellois	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Somali	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
South African	32	0.3%	0.6%	11	0.1%	
Tanzanian	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Ugandan	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Zambian	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Zimbabwean	–	–	0.1%	–	–	
Amhara	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Batswana	–	–	0.0%	4	0.0%	
Masai	–	–	–	–	–	
Tigrayan	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Tigre	–	–	–	–	–	
Zulu	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Burundian	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Madi	–	–	0.0%	–	–	

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	Count	%	Regional Qld %	Count	%	Regional
Ogaden	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Rwandan	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Shona	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Swahili	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Swazilander	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Southern and East African, nec	–	–	0.0%	–	–	

Excludes ancestries with fewer than 10 responses (multi-response).

Data basis: usual residence.