

# Community report

## Northern Beaches (A)

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AREA

**Northern Beaches (A)**

COMPARISON

**Greater Sydney**

POPULATION

**Persons**

GENERATED

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### Included sections

1 selected topic will be included in this report.

**01** Language used at home

### 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.

# Language used at home

Northern Beaches (A) | Greater Sydney comparison | Persons

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## Key takeaway

In 2021, English was the most common language used at home among residents in Northern Beaches (A), accounting for 81% (213,359 people). This share was higher than Greater Sydney (57.3%). Since 2016, the biggest change was in English, which increased by 11,586 people and 1.2 percentage points.

## About this topic

Language used at home shows which languages people speak in their home life and whether English or another language is used most often. It is a key indicator of cultural diversity and language retention within communities.

This topic is useful for planning communication, multicultural services, and local engagement. It should be analysed together with proficiency in English and birthplace, because language alone does not show migration history or support needs.

## Interpretation notes

- The Census records the language used most often at home, so it does not capture every language a person can speak.
- Language used at home is not a measure of English proficiency, literacy, or migration history on its own.

## Language used at home - Ranked by size

Northern Beaches (A) - Total persons (Usual residence)

| Category                 | 2021  |      |                  | 2016  |      |                  | Change |     |
|--------------------------|-------|------|------------------|-------|------|------------------|--------|-----|
|                          | Count | %    | Greater Sydney % | Count | %    | Greater Sydney % | Count  | pp  |
| Inadequately described   | 106   | 0.0% | 0.1%             | 87    | 0.0% | 0.0%             | +19    | 0.0 |
| Non-verbal, so described | 180   | 0.1% | 0.1%             | 249   | 0.1% | 0.2%             | -69    | 0.0 |
| Swiss, so described      | 14    | 0.0% | 0.0%             | 26    | 0.0% | 0.0%             | -12    | 0.0 |
| Cypriot, so described    | –     | –    | 0.0%             | –     | –    | 0.0%             | –      | –   |
| Creole, nfd              | 13    | 0.0% | 0.0%             | –     | –    | 0.0%             | –      | –   |
| French Creole, nfd       | 3     | 0.0% | 0.0%             | 3     | 0.0% | 0.0%             | 0      | 0.0 |
| Spanish Creole, nfd      | –     | –    | 0.0%             | –     | –    | –                | –      | –   |
| Portuguese Creole, nfd   | –     | –    | 0.0%             | –     | –    | 0.0%             | –      | –   |
| Pidgin, nfd              | 5     | 0.0% | 0.0%             | 6     | 0.0% | 0.0%             | -1     | 0.0 |
| Celtic, nfd              | –     | –    | 0.0%             | –     | –    | 0.0%             | –      | –   |
| Gaelic (Scotland)        | 23    | 0.0% | 0.0%             | 16    | 0.0% | 0.0%             | +7     | 0.0 |
| Irish                    | 34    | 0.0% | 0.0%             | 29    | 0.0% | 0.0%             | +5     | 0.0 |

| Category                           | 2021    |       |                  | 2016    |       |                  |
|------------------------------------|---------|-------|------------------|---------|-------|------------------|
|                                    | Count   | %     | Greater Sydney % | Count   | %     | Greater Sydney % |
| Welsh                              | 31      | 0.0%  | 0.0%             | 38      | 0.0%  |                  |
| Celtic, nec                        | –       | –     | 0.0%             | –       | –     |                  |
| English                            | 213,359 | 81.0% | 57.3%            | 201,773 | 79.8% |                  |
| German                             | 2,256   | 0.9%  | 0.3%             | 2,276   | 0.9%  |                  |
| Letzeburgish                       | 3       | 0.0%  | 0.0%             | –       | –     |                  |
| Yiddish                            | –       | –     | 0.0%             | –       | –     |                  |
| Dutch                              | 893     | 0.3%  | 0.1%             | 970     | 0.4%  |                  |
| Frisian                            | –       | –     | 0.0%             | –       | –     |                  |
| Afrikaans                          | 548     | 0.2%  | 0.1%             | 525     | 0.2%  |                  |
| Scandinavian, nfd                  | –       | –     | 0.0%             | –       | –     |                  |
| Danish                             | 189     | 0.1%  | 0.0%             | 227     | 0.1%  |                  |
| Icelandic                          | 4       | 0.0%  | 0.0%             | –       | –     |                  |
| Norwegian                          | 108     | 0.0%  | 0.0%             | 133     | 0.1%  |                  |
| Swedish                            | 594     | 0.2%  | 0.1%             | 562     | 0.2%  |                  |
| Scandinavian, nec                  | –       | –     | 0.0%             | –       | –     |                  |
| Finnish and Related Languages, nfd | –       | –     | –                | 5       | 0.0%  |                  |
| Estonian                           | 50      | 0.0%  | 0.0%             | 36      | 0.0%  |                  |
| Finnish                            | 128     | 0.0%  | 0.0%             | 113     | 0.0%  |                  |
| Southern European Languages, nfd   | –       | –     | –                | –       | –     |                  |
| French                             | 2,521   | 1.0%  | 0.4%             | 2,275   | 0.9%  |                  |
| Greek                              | 950     | 0.4%  | 1.4%             | 966     | 0.4%  |                  |
| Iberian Romance, nfd               | –       | –     | 0.0%             | –       | –     |                  |
| Catalan                            | 17      | 0.0%  | 0.0%             | 13      | 0.0%  |                  |
| Portuguese                         | 3,492   | 1.3%  | 0.5%             | 2,652   | 1.0%  |                  |

| Category                                 | 2021  |      |                  | 2016  |      |                  |
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|  | Count | %    | Greater Sydney % | Count | %    | Greater Sydney % |
| Spanish                                  | 3,128 | 1.2% | 1.2%             | 2,220 | 0.9% |                  |
| Iberian Romance, nec                     | –     | –    | 0.0%             | –     | –    |                  |
| Italian                                  | 3,176 | 1.2% | 1.0%             | 3,396 | 1.3% |                  |
| Maltese                                  | 36    | 0.0% | 0.2%             | 41    | 0.0% |                  |
| Basque                                   | –     | –    | 0.0%             | 3     | 0.0% |                  |
| Latin                                    | –     | –    | 0.0%             | 7     | 0.0% |                  |
| Other Southern European Languages, nec   | –     | –    | 0.0%             | 4     | 0.0% |                  |
| Eastern European Languages, nfd          | –     | –    | 0.0%             | 3     | 0.0% |                  |
| Baltic, nfd                              | –     | –    | –                | –     | –    |                  |
| Latvian                                  | 39    | 0.0% | 0.0%             | 45    | 0.0% |                  |
| Lithuanian                               | 35    | 0.0% | 0.0%             | 17    | 0.0% |                  |
| Hungarian                                | 260   | 0.1% | 0.1%             | 262   | 0.1% |                  |
| Belorussian                              | 3     | 0.0% | 0.0%             | –     | –    |                  |
| Russian                                  | 737   | 0.3% | 0.4%             | 597   | 0.2% |                  |
| Ukrainian                                | 57    | 0.0% | 0.0%             | 58    | 0.0% |                  |
| South Slavic, nfd                        | –     | –    | –                | –     | –    |                  |
| Bosnian                                  | 70    | 0.0% | 0.1%             | 69    | 0.0% |                  |
| Bulgarian                                | 48    | 0.0% | 0.0%             | 31    | 0.0% |                  |
| Croatian                                 | 751   | 0.3% | 0.3%             | 736   | 0.3% |                  |
| Macedonian                               | 132   | 0.1% | 0.4%             | 138   | 0.1% |                  |
| Serbian                                  | 1,220 | 0.5% | 0.4%             | 1,157 | 0.5% |                  |
| Slovene                                  | 46    | 0.0% | 0.0%             | 52    | 0.0% |                  |
| Serbo-Croatian/Yugoslavian, so described | 91    | 0.0% | 0.0%             | 104   | 0.0% |                  |

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|  | Count | %    | Greater Sydney % | Count | %    | Greater Sy |
| Czech                                      | 442   | 0.2% | 0.1%             | 451   | 0.2% |            |
| Polish                                     | 530   | 0.2% | 0.2%             | 478   | 0.2% |            |
| Slovak                                     | 268   | 0.1% | 0.0%             | 245   | 0.1% |            |
| Czechoslovakian, so described              | —     | —    | 0.0%             | 3     | 0.0% |            |
| Albanian                                   | 7     | 0.0% | 0.0%             | 11    | 0.0% |            |
| Aromunian (Macedo-Romanian)                | —     | —    | —                | —     | —    |            |
| Romanian                                   | 56    | 0.0% | 0.0%             | 66    | 0.0% |            |
| Romany                                     | —     | —    | 0.0%             | —     | —    |            |
| Other Eastern European Languages, nec      | —     | —    | —                | —     | —    |            |
| Southwest and Central Asian Languages, nfd | —     | —    | —                | —     | —    |            |
| Iranic, nfd                                | —     | —    | 0.0%             | 6     | 0.0% |            |
| Kurdish                                    | 28    | 0.0% | 0.1%             | 33    | 0.0% |            |
| Pashto                                     | 14    | 0.0% | 0.1%             | 9     | 0.0% |            |
| Balochi                                    | —     | —    | 0.0%             | —     | —    |            |
| Dari                                       | 34    | 0.0% | 0.2%             | 43    | 0.0% |            |
| Persian (excluding Dari)                   | 635   | 0.2% | 0.5%             | 624   | 0.2% |            |
| Hazaraghi                                  | —     | —    | 0.1%             | —     | —    |            |
| Iranic, nec                                | 6     | 0.0% | 0.0%             | —     | —    |            |
| Middle Eastern Semitic Languages, nfd      | —     | —    | 0.0%             | —     | —    |            |
| Arabic                                     | 511   | 0.2% | 4.2%             | 478   | 0.2% |            |
| Hebrew                                     | 101   | 0.0% | 0.1%             | 100   | 0.0% |            |
| Assyrian Neo-Aramaic                       | 18    | 0.0% | 0.5%             | 23    | 0.0% |            |
| Chaldean Neo-Aramaic                       | —     | —    | 0.2%             | —     | —    |            |

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|  | Count | %    | Greater Sydney % | Count | %    | Greater Sydney % |
| Mandaean (Mandaic)                               | –     | –    | 0.0%             | –     | –    | –                |
| Middle Eastern Semitic Languages, nec            | –     | –    | 0.0%             | –     | –    | –                |
| Turkish  | 203   | 0.1% | 0.4%             | 164   | 0.1% | –                |
| Azeri  | –     | –    | 0.0%             | –     | –    | –                |
| Tatar  | –     | –    | 0.0%             | –     | –    | –                |
| Turkmen  | –     | –    | 0.0%             | –     | –    | –                |
| Uygur  | –     | –    | 0.0%             | –     | –    | –                |
| Uzbek  | –     | –    | 0.0%             | –     | –    | –                |
| Turkic, nec                                      | –     | –    | 0.0%             | –     | –    | –                |
| Armenian   | 1,277 | 0.5% | 0.2%             | 1,211 | 0.5% | –                |
| Georgian   | –     | –    | 0.0%             | –     | –    | –                |
| Other Southwest and Central Asian Languages, nec | –     | –    | 0.0%             | –     | –    | –                |
| Southern Asian Languages, nfd                    | 17    | 0.0% | 0.0%             | 32    | 0.0% | –                |
| Kannada  | 29    | 0.0% | 0.1%             | 27    | 0.0% | –                |
| Malayalam  | 94    | 0.0% | 0.3%             | 135   | 0.1% | –                |
| Tamil  | 103   | 0.0% | 0.7%             | 82    | 0.0% | –                |
| Telugu   | 73    | 0.0% | 0.4%             | 54    | 0.0% | –                |
| Tulu   | 3     | 0.0% | 0.0%             | –     | –    | –                |
| Dravidian, nec                                   | –     | –    | 0.0%             | –     | –    | –                |
| Indo-Aryan, nfd                                  | –     | –    | 0.0%             | 3     | 0.0% | –                |
| Bengali  | 125   | 0.0% | 0.7%             | 119   | 0.0% | –                |
| Gujarati   | 82    | 0.0% | 0.5%             | 89    | 0.0% | –                |
| Hindi  | 521   | 0.2% | 1.5%             | 486   | 0.2% | –                |

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|                                    | Count | %    | Greater Sydney % | Count | %    | Greater Sydney % |
| Konkani                            | –     | –    | 0.0%             | –     | –    | –                |
| Marathi                            | 19    | 0.0% | 0.2%             | 17    | 0.0% | –                |
| Nepali                             | 999   | 0.4% | 1.2%             | 589   | 0.2% | –                |
| Punjabi                            | 625   | 0.2% | 0.8%             | 593   | 0.2% | –                |
| Sindhi                             | 3     | 0.0% | 0.0%             | –     | –    | –                |
| Sinhalese                          | 45    | 0.0% | 0.2%             | 57    | 0.0% | –                |
| Urdu                               | 88    | 0.0% | 0.8%             | 78    | 0.0% | –                |
| Assamese                           | –     | –    | 0.0%             | –     | –    | –                |
| Dhivehi                            | –     | –    | 0.0%             | –     | –    | –                |
| Kashmiri                           | 4     | 0.0% | 0.0%             | –     | –    | –                |
| Oriya                              | 5     | 0.0% | 0.0%             | 11    | 0.0% | –                |
| Fijian Hindustani                  | 3     | 0.0% | 0.0%             | 4     | 0.0% | –                |
| Indo-Aryan, nec                    | –     | –    | 0.0%             | –     | –    | –                |
| Other Southern Asian Languages     | 11    | 0.0% | 0.0%             | –     | –    | –                |
| Burmese and Related Languages, nfd | –     | –    | 0.0%             | –     | –    | –                |
| Burmese                            | 18    | 0.0% | 0.1%             | 19    | 0.0% | –                |
| Chin Haka                          | –     | –    | 0.0%             | –     | –    | –                |
| Karen                              | –     | –    | 0.0%             | –     | –    | –                |
| Rohingya                           | –     | –    | 0.0%             | –     | –    | –                |
| Burmese and Related Languages, nec | 3     | 0.0% | 0.0%             | –     | –    | –                |
| Hmong                              | –     | –    | 0.0%             | –     | –    | –                |
| Khmer                              | 67    | 0.0% | 0.2%             | 61    | 0.0% | –                |
| Vietnamese                         | 534   | 0.2% | 2.2%             | 473   | 0.2% | –                |

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|   | Count | %    | Greater Sydney % | Count | %    | Greater Sy |
| Mon   | –     | –    | 0.0%             | –     | –    |            |
| Mon–Khmer, nec                              | –     | –    | 0.0%             | –     | –    |            |
| Tai, nfd                                    | –     | –    | –                | –     | –    |            |
| Lao   | 13    | 0.0% | 0.1%             | 15    | 0.0% |            |
| Thai  | 706   | 0.3% | 0.4%             | 655   | 0.3% |            |
| Tai, nec                                    | –     | –    | 0.0%             | –     | –    |            |
| Southeast Asian Austronesian Languages, nfd | 13    | 0.0% | 0.0%             | 3     | 0.0% |            |
| Bisaya                                      | 16    | 0.0% | 0.0%             | 17    | 0.0% |            |
| Cebuano                                     | 22    | 0.0% | 0.0%             | 11    | 0.0% |            |
| Ilokano                                     | 11    | 0.0% | 0.0%             | 10    | 0.0% |            |
| Indonesian                                  | 418   | 0.2% | 0.6%             | 447   | 0.2% |            |
| Malay                                       | 30    | 0.0% | 0.1%             | 41    | 0.0% |            |
| Tetum                                       | –     | –    | 0.0%             | –     | –    |            |
| Timorese                                    | –     | –    | 0.0%             | –     | –    |            |
| Tagalog                                     | 782   | 0.3% | 0.9%             | 833   | 0.3% |            |
| Filipino                                    | 459   | 0.2% | 0.5%             | 384   | 0.2% |            |
| Acehnese                                    | 7     | 0.0% | 0.0%             | –     | –    |            |
| Balinese                                    | 4     | 0.0% | 0.0%             | –     | –    |            |
| Bikol                                       | –     | –    | 0.0%             | –     | –    |            |
| Iban  | –     | –    | 0.0%             | –     | –    |            |
| Ilonggo (Hiligaynon)                        | 3     | 0.0% | 0.0%             | 5     | 0.0% |            |
| Javanese                                    | –     | –    | 0.0%             | –     | –    |            |
| Pampangan                                   | 16    | 0.0% | 0.0%             | 3     | 0.0% |            |

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|   | Count | %    | Greater Sydney % | Count | %    | Greater Sydney % |
| Southeast Asian Austronesian Languages, nec | –     | –    | 0.0%             | –     | –    | –                |
| Other Southeast Asian Languages             | –     | –    | 0.0%             | –     | –    | –                |
| Eastern Asian Languages, nfd                | –     | –    | 0.0%             | –     | –    | –                |
| Chinese, nfd                                | 34    | 0.0% | 0.1%             | 67    | 0.0% | –                |
| Cantonese                                   | 1,788 | 0.7% | 2.8%             | 1,804 | 0.7% | –                |
| Hakka                                       | 13    | 0.0% | 0.0%             | 10    | 0.0% | –                |
| Mandarin                                    | 3,536 | 1.3% | 5.0%             | 3,304 | 1.3% | –                |
| Wu  | 50    | 0.0% | 0.1%             | 34    | 0.0% | –                |
| Min Nan                                     | 58    | 0.0% | 0.1%             | 49    | 0.0% | –                |
| Chinese, nec                                | –     | –    | –                | –     | –    | –                |
| Japanese                                    | 1,139 | 0.4% | 0.3%             | 1,135 | 0.4% | –                |
| Korean                                      | 742   | 0.3% | 1.1%             | 834   | 0.3% | –                |
| Other Eastern Asian Languages, nfd          | –     | –    | –                | –     | –    | –                |
| Tibetan                                     | 794   | 0.3% | 0.0%             | 651   | 0.3% | –                |
| Mongolian                                   | 6     | 0.0% | 0.1%             | –     | –    | –                |
| Other Eastern Asian Languages, nec          | –     | –    | 0.0%             | –     | –    | –                |
| Australian Indigenous Languages, nfd        | –     | –    | 0.0%             | 4     | 0.0% | –                |
| Tiwi  | –     | –    | –                | –     | –    | –                |
| Jawoyn                                      | –     | –    | 0.0%             | –     | –    | –                |
| Yolngu Matha, nfd                           | –     | –    | 0.0%             | –     | –    | –                |
| Kuku Yalanji                                | –     | –    | 0.0%             | –     | –    | –                |
| Guugu Yimidhirr                             | –     | –    | 0.0%             | –     | –    | –                |
| Wik Mungkan                                 | –     | –    | 0.0%             | –     | –    | –                |

| Category                                   | 2021  |      |                  | 2016  |   |            |
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|  | Count | %    | Greater Sydney % | Count | % | Greater Sy |
| Djabugay                                   | –     | –    | 0.0%             | –     | – |            |
| Yidiny                                     | –     | –    | 0.0%             | –     | – |            |
| Torres Strait Island Languages, nfd        | –     | –    | 0.0%             | –     | – |            |
| Kalaw Kawaw Ya/Kalaw Lagaw Ya              | –     | –    | 0.0%             | –     | – |            |
| Meriam Mir                                 | –     | –    | 0.0%             | –     | – |            |
| Yumplatok (Torres Strait Creole)           | –     | –    | 0.0%             | –     | – |            |
| Gurindji                                   | –     | –    | –                | –     | – |            |
| Warlpiri                                   | –     | –    | 0.0%             | –     | – |            |
| Warumungu                                  | –     | –    | 0.0%             | –     | – |            |
| Anmatyerr, nfd                             | –     | –    | 0.0%             | –     | – |            |
| Arrente, nfd                               | –     | –    | 0.0%             | –     | – |            |
| Arrente, nec                               | –     | –    | –                | –     | – |            |
| Pitjantjatjara                             | –     | –    | 0.0%             | –     | – |            |
| Wangkatha                                  | –     | –    | 0.0%             | –     | – |            |
| Bardi                                      | –     | –    | 0.0%             | –     | – |            |
| Yawuru                                     | –     | –    | 0.0%             | –     | – |            |
| Other Australian Indigenous Languages, nfd | –     | –    | –                | –     | – |            |
| Adnymathanha                               | –     | –    | 0.0%             | –     | – |            |
| Bandjalang                                 | 3     | 0.0% | 0.0%             | –     | – |            |
| Batjala                                    | –     | –    | 0.0%             | –     | – |            |
| Dhanggatti                                 | –     | –    | 0.0%             | –     | – |            |
| Gamilaraay                                 | 6     | 0.0% | 0.0%             | –     | – |            |
| Gumbaynggir                                | –     | –    | 0.0%             | –     | – |            |

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|  | Count | %    | Greater Sydney % | Count | %    | Greater Sy |
| Kaurna                                     | –     | –    | 0.0%             | –     | –    |            |
| Kriol                                      | –     | –    | 0.0%             | –     | –    |            |
| Mangala                                    | –     | –    | 0.0%             | –     | –    |            |
| Muruwari                                   | –     | –    | –                | –     | –    |            |
| Ngarrindjeri                               | –     | –    | 0.0%             | –     | –    |            |
| Nyamal                                     | –     | –    | 0.0%             | –     | –    |            |
| Nyungar                                    | 3     | 0.0% | 0.0%             | –     | –    |            |
| Paakantyi                                  | –     | –    | 0.0%             | –     | –    |            |
| Wajarri                                    | –     | –    | 0.0%             | –     | –    |            |
| Wiradjuri                                  | –     | –    | 0.0%             | –     | –    |            |
| Yorta Yorta                                | –     | –    | 0.0%             | –     | –    |            |
| Dharawal                                   | –     | –    | 0.0%             | –     | –    |            |
| Yugambah                                   | –     | –    | 0.0%             | –     | –    |            |
| Aboriginal English, so described           | 5     | 0.0% | 0.0%             | –     | –    |            |
| Other Australian Indigenous Languages, nec | 18    | 0.0% | 0.0%             | 3     | 0.0% |            |
| American Languages                         | –     | –    | 0.0%             | –     | –    |            |
| African Languages, nfd                     | 7     | 0.0% | 0.0%             | 5     | 0.0% |            |
| Acholi                                     | –     | –    | 0.0%             | –     | –    |            |
| Akan                                       | 10    | 0.0% | 0.0%             | 5     | 0.0% |            |
| Mauritian Creole                           | –     | –    | 0.0%             | 9     | 0.0% |            |
| Oromo                                      | –     | –    | 0.0%             | –     | –    |            |
| Shona                                      | 6     | 0.0% | 0.0%             | 17    | 0.0% |            |
| Somali                                     | –     | –    | 0.0%             | –     | –    |            |

| Category          | 2021  |      |                  | 2016  |      |                  |
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|                   | Count | %    | Greater Sydney % | Count | %    | Greater Sydney % |
| Swahili           | 13    | 0.0% | 0.0%             | 17    | 0.0% |                  |
| Yoruba            | –     | –    | 0.0%             | –     | –    |                  |
| Zulu              | –     | –    | 0.0%             | 4     | 0.0% |                  |
| Amharic           | 4     | 0.0% | 0.0%             | 6     | 0.0% |                  |
| Bemba             | –     | –    | 0.0%             | –     | –    |                  |
| Dinka             | –     | –    | 0.0%             | –     | –    |                  |
| Ewe               | –     | –    | 0.0%             | –     | –    |                  |
| Ga                | –     | –    | 0.0%             | –     | –    |                  |
| Harari            | –     | –    | 0.0%             | –     | –    |                  |
| Hausa             | –     | –    | 0.0%             | –     | –    |                  |
| Igbo              | 3     | 0.0% | 0.0%             | –     | –    |                  |
| Kikuyu            | –     | –    | 0.0%             | –     | –    |                  |
| Krio              | 3     | 0.0% | 0.0%             | 4     | 0.0% |                  |
| Luganda           | 6     | 0.0% | 0.0%             | 3     | 0.0% |                  |
| Luo               | –     | –    | 0.0%             | –     | –    |                  |
| Ndebele           | 8     | 0.0% | 0.0%             | –     | –    |                  |
| Nuer              | –     | –    | 0.0%             | –     | –    |                  |
| Nyanja (Chichewa) | –     | –    | 0.0%             | –     | –    |                  |
| Shilluk           | –     | –    | –                | –     | –    |                  |
| Tigre             | –     | –    | 0.0%             | –     | –    |                  |
| Tigrinya          | 4     | 0.0% | 0.0%             | 7     | 0.0% |                  |
| Tswana            | –     | –    | 0.0%             | –     | –    |                  |
| Xhosa             | –     | –    | 0.0%             | –     | –    |                  |
| Seychelles Creole | –     | –    | 0.0%             | –     | –    |                  |

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|                                     | Count | %    | Greater Sydney % | Count | %    | Greater Sy |
| Anuak                               | –     | –    | 0.0%             | –     | –    |            |
| Bari                                | –     | –    | 0.0%             | –     | –    |            |
| Bassa                               | –     | –    | 0.0%             | –     | –    |            |
| Dan (Gio-Dan)                       | –     | –    | 0.0%             | –     | –    |            |
| Fulfulde                            | –     | –    | 0.0%             | –     | –    |            |
| Kinyarwanda (Rwanda)                | –     | –    | 0.0%             | –     | –    |            |
| Kirundi (Rundi)                     | –     | –    | 0.0%             | 4     | 0.0% |            |
| Kpelle                              | –     | –    | –                | –     | –    |            |
| Krahn                               | –     | –    | –                | –     | –    |            |
| Liberian (Liberian English)         | –     | –    | 0.0%             | –     | –    |            |
| Madi                                | –     | –    | 0.0%             | –     | –    |            |
| Mandinka                            | –     | –    | 0.0%             | –     | –    |            |
| Mann                                | –     | –    | 0.0%             | –     | –    |            |
| Moro (Nuba Moro)                    | –     | –    | 0.0%             | –     | –    |            |
| Themne                              | –     | –    | 0.0%             | –     | –    |            |
| Lingala                             | –     | –    | 0.0%             | –     | –    |            |
| African Languages, nec              | 14    | 0.0% | 0.0%             | 19    | 0.0% |            |
| Pacific Austronesian Languages, nfd | –     | –    | 0.0%             | –     | –    |            |
| Fijian                              | 82    | 0.0% | 0.1%             | 78    | 0.0% |            |
| Gilbertese                          | –     | –    | 0.0%             | –     | –    |            |
| Maori (Cook Island)                 | 6     | 0.0% | 0.0%             | 6     | 0.0% |            |
| Maori (New Zealand)                 | 102   | 0.0% | 0.0%             | 70    | 0.0% |            |
| Nauruan                             | –     | –    | 0.0%             | –     | –    |            |
| Niue                                | 4     | 0.0% | 0.0%             | 5     | 0.0% |            |

| Category                            | 2021           |               |                  | 2016           |               |               |
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|                                     | Count          | %             | Greater Sydney % | Count          | %             | Greater Sy    |
| Samoaan                             | 74             | 0.0%          | 0.3%             | 74             | 0.0%          |               |
| Tongan                              | 293            | 0.1%          | 0.2%             | 354            | 0.1%          |               |
| Rotuman                             | –              | –             | 0.0%             | –              | –             |               |
| Tokelauan                           | –              | –             | 0.0%             | 5              | 0.0%          |               |
| Tuvaluan                            | –              | –             | 0.0%             | –              | –             |               |
| Yapese                              | –              | –             | 0.0%             | –              | –             |               |
| Pacific Austronesian Languages, nec | 5              | 0.0%          | 0.0%             | –              | –             |               |
| Bislama                             | 6              | 0.0%          | 0.0%             | –              | –             |               |
| Norfolk-Pitcairn                    | 4              | 0.0%          | 0.0%             | 10             | 0.0%          |               |
| Solomon Islands Pijin               | –              | –             | 0.0%             | –              | –             |               |
| Oceanian Pidgins and Creoles, nec   | –              | –             | 0.0%             | –              | –             |               |
| Papua New Guinea Languages, nfd     | –              | –             | 0.0%             | 3              | 0.0%          |               |
| Motu (HiriMotu)                     | –              | –             | 0.0%             | –              | –             |               |
| Tok Pisin (Neomelanesian)           | 13             | 0.0%          | 0.0%             | 15             | 0.0%          |               |
| Papua New Guinea Languages, nec     | –              | –             | 0.0%             | –              | –             |               |
| Invented Languages                  | 3              | 0.0%          | 0.0%             | 6              | 0.0%          |               |
| Sign Languages, nfd                 | 17             | 0.0%          | 0.0%             | 9              | 0.0%          |               |
| Auslan                              | 78             | 0.0%          | 0.0%             | 55             | 0.0%          |               |
| Key Word Sign Australia             | –              | –             | 0.0%             | –              | –             |               |
| Sign Languages, nec                 | –              | –             | 0.0%             | –              | –             |               |
| Not stated                          | 9,150          | 3.5%          | 5.3%             | 12,894         | 5.1%          |               |
| <b>Total</b>                        | <b>263,561</b> | <b>100.0%</b> | <b>100.0%</b>    | <b>252,797</b> | <b>100.0%</b> | <b>100.0%</b> |

Excludes languages spoken at home by fewer than 10 people.

Data basis: usual residence.