

Community report

Paroo (S)

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

AREA

Paroo (S)

COMPARISON

Regional Qld

POPULATION

Persons

GENERATED

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Included sections

1 selected topic will be included in this report.

01 Individual 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.

Individual income

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Key takeaway

In 2021, 400 To 499 was the most common category among residents aged 15 and over in Paroo (S), accounting for 15.6% (206 people). This share was higher than Regional Qld (8.4%).

About this topic

Individual income shows the gross amount of personal income usually received by people aged 15 years and over. It includes wages, salaries, government payments, and other income reported in the Census.

This topic is useful for understanding the distribution of personal incomes across an area, but it is a point-in-time snapshot rather than a measure of wealth. The dollar ranges are presented for the latest Census year only, so quartile-based income topics are better for comparing income profiles over time.

Interpretation notes

- Total personal income is weekly gross income usually received by people aged 15 years and over.
- Income is not the same as wealth, and fixed dollar ranges are less reliable for over-time comparison because prices and wages change.

Weekly individual income

Paroo (S) – Persons aged 15+ (Usual residence)

Category	2021 count	2021 %	Regional Qld %
Negative Nil Income	103	7.8%	7.3%
1 To 149	24	1.8%	3.3%
150 To 299	73	5.5%	5.0%
300 To 399	177	13.4%	8.4%
400 To 499	206	15.6%	8.4%
500 To 649	97	7.3%	8.1%
650 To 799	79	6.0%	7.6%
800 To 999	91	6.9%	8.7%
1000 To 1249	108	8.2%	9.0%
1250 To 1499	77	5.8%	6.3%
1500 To 1749	63	4.8%	5.4%
1750 To 1999	31	2.3%	3.9%
2000 To 2999	52	3.9%	6.1%
3000 To 3499	8	0.6%	1.3%
3500 Or More	17	1.3%	2.0%
Not Stated	117	8.8%	9.3%
Total	1,323	100.0%	100.0%

Data basis: enumerated.