

Community report

Redland (C)

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

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Redland (C)

COMPARISON

Greater Brisbane

POPULATION

Persons

GENERATED

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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 Redland (C) were English, Australian and Scottish.

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

Redland (C) - Total persons (Usual residence)

Category	2021			2016			Change	
	Count	%	Greater Brisbane %	Count	%	Greater Brisbane %	Count	pp
Inadequately described	319	0.2%	0.3%	305	0.2%	0.3%	+14	0.0
Eurasian, so described	12	0.0%	0.0%	11	0.0%	0.0%	+1	0.0
Asian, so described	48	0.0%	0.1%	51	0.0%	0.1%	-3	0.0
African, so described	139	0.1%	0.3%	124	0.1%	0.2%	+15	0.0
European, so described	202	0.1%	0.1%	138	0.1%	0.1%	+64	0.0
Caucasian, so described	5	0.0%	0.0%	3	0.0%	0.0%	+2	0.0
Creole, so described	3	0.0%	0.0%	–	–	0.0%	–	–
Oceanian, nfd	48	0.0%	0.1%	58	0.0%	0.1%	-10	0.0
Australian Peoples, nfd	–	–	–	–	–	0.0%	–	–
Australian	56,537	35.5%	31.6%	52,526	35.7%	32.3%	+4,011	-0.2
Australian Aboriginal	4,399	2.8%	2.8%	461	0.3%	0.3%	+3,938	+2.5
Australian South Sea Islander	82	0.1%	0.1%	115	0.1%	0.1%	-33	0.0

Category	2021			2016		
	Count	%	Greater Brisbane %	Count	%	Greater Bris
Torres Strait Islander	369	0.2%	0.3%	41	0.0%	
Norfolk Islander	8	0.0%	0.0%	–	–	
New Zealand Peoples, nfd	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Maori	2,330	1.5%	1.5%	1,949	1.3%	
New Zealander	2,702	1.7%	1.4%	2,823	1.9%	
Melanesian and Papuan, nfd	13	0.0%	0.0%	3	0.0%	
New Caledonian	4	0.0%	0.0%	–	–	
Ni-Vanuatu	10	0.0%	0.0%	15	0.0%	
Papua New Guinean	331	0.2%	0.3%	247	0.2%	
Solomon Islander	39	0.0%	0.0%	28	0.0%	
Melanesian and Papuan, nec	–	–	0.0%	3	0.0%	
Micronesian, nfd	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
I-Kiribati	–	–	0.0%	4	0.0%	
Nauruan	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Micronesian, nec	15	0.0%	0.0%	13	0.0%	
Polynesian, nfd	66	0.0%	0.0%	21	0.0%	
Cook Islander	178	0.1%	0.2%	160	0.1%	
Fijian	261	0.2%	0.3%	230	0.2%	
Niuean	35	0.0%	0.1%	34	0.0%	
Samoan	464	0.3%	1.2%	370	0.3%	
Tongan	247	0.2%	0.3%	209	0.1%	
Hawaiian	3	0.0%	0.0%	5	0.0%	
Tahitian	12	0.0%	0.0%	21	0.0%	
Tokelauan	5	0.0%	0.0%	12	0.0%	

Category	2021			2016		
	Count	%	Greater Brisbane %	Count	%	Greater Brisbane %
Tuvaluan	11	0.0%	0.0%	4	0.0%	
Pitcairn	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Polynesian, nec	3	0.0%	0.0%	–	–	
North–West European, nfd	4	0.0%	0.0%	5	0.0%	
British, nfd	58	0.0%	0.0%	49	0.0%	
English	71,780	45.1%	36.5%	66,729	45.4%	36.5%
Scottish	19,503	12.2%	10.1%	17,914	12.2%	10.1%
Welsh	1,386	0.9%	0.7%	1,290	0.9%	
Channel Islander	14	0.0%	0.0%	12	0.0%	
Manx	16	0.0%	0.0%	11	0.0%	
British, nec	20	0.0%	0.0%	10	0.0%	
Irish	19,229	12.1%	11.1%	18,658	12.7%	11.1%
Western European, nfd	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Austrian	293	0.2%	0.2%	255	0.2%	
Dutch	3,483	2.2%	1.6%	2,961	2.0%	
Flemish	15	0.0%	0.0%	6	0.0%	
French	1,127	0.7%	0.7%	984	0.7%	
German	9,596	6.0%	5.7%	9,274	6.3%	
Swiss	258	0.2%	0.1%	241	0.2%	
Belgian	81	0.1%	0.1%	85	0.1%	
Frisian	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Luxembourg	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Western European, nec	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Northern European, nfd	125	0.1%	0.1%	66	0.0%	

Category	2021			2016		
	Count	%	Greater Brisbane %	Count	%	Greater Bris
Danish	784	0.5%	0.5%	725	0.5%	
Finnish	606	0.4%	0.2%	576	0.4%	
Icelandic	11	0.0%	0.0%	17	0.0%	
Norwegian	287	0.2%	0.1%	216	0.1%	
Swedish	381	0.2%	0.2%	332	0.2%	
Northern European, nec	3	0.0%	0.0%	–	–	
Southern and Eastern European, nfd	7	0.0%	0.0%	13	0.0%	
Southern European, nfd	6	0.0%	0.0%	–	–	
Basque	–	–	0.0%	3	0.0%	
Catalan	4	0.0%	0.0%	–	–	
Italian	3,997	2.5%	2.7%	3,529	2.4%	
Maltese	652	0.4%	0.3%	553	0.4%	
Portuguese	348	0.2%	0.2%	259	0.2%	
Spanish	633	0.4%	0.5%	589	0.4%	
Gibraltarian	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Southern European, nec	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
South Eastern European, nfd	155	0.1%	0.1%	157	0.1%	
Albanian	18	0.0%	0.0%	17	0.0%	
Bosnian	113	0.1%	0.1%	101	0.1%	
Bulgarian	45	0.0%	0.0%	41	0.0%	
Croatian	668	0.4%	0.4%	550	0.4%	
Greek	1,150	0.7%	0.8%	1,016	0.7%	
Macedonian	78	0.0%	0.1%	67	0.0%	
Moldovan	–	–	0.0%	5	0.0%	

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	Count	%	Greater Brisbane %	Count	%	Greater Bris
Montenegrin	–	–	0.0%	3	0.0%	
Romanian	143	0.1%	0.1%	84	0.1%	
Roma Gypsy	5	0.0%	0.0%	4	0.0%	
Serbian	294	0.2%	0.3%	201	0.1%	
Slovene	85	0.1%	0.1%	58	0.0%	
Cypriot	137	0.1%	0.1%	83	0.1%	
Vlach	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
South Eastern European, nec	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Eastern European, nfd	69	0.0%	0.0%	48	0.0%	
Belarusan	14	0.0%	0.0%	9	0.0%	
Czech	170	0.1%	0.1%	170	0.1%	
Estonian	40	0.0%	0.0%	38	0.0%	
Hungarian	513	0.3%	0.3%	430	0.3%	
Latvian	149	0.1%	0.1%	135	0.1%	
Lithuanian	68	0.0%	0.0%	54	0.0%	
Polish	1,307	0.8%	0.7%	1,058	0.7%	
Russian	705	0.4%	0.4%	580	0.4%	
Slovak	57	0.0%	0.0%	54	0.0%	
Ukrainian	254	0.2%	0.2%	240	0.2%	
Sorb/Wend	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Eastern European, nec	–	–	0.0%	3	0.0%	
North African and Middle Eastern, nfd	31	0.0%	0.1%	13	0.0%	
Arab, nfd	47	0.0%	0.1%	31	0.0%	

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	Count	%	Greater Brisbane %	Count	%	Greater Bris
Algerian	3	0.0%	0.0%	–	–	
Egyptian	91	0.1%	0.1%	80	0.1%	
Iraqi	14	0.0%	0.1%	18	0.0%	
Jordanian	13	0.0%	0.0%	3	0.0%	
Kuwaiti	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Lebanese	309	0.2%	0.2%	250	0.2%	
Libyan	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Moroccan	3	0.0%	0.0%	6	0.0%	
Palestinian	11	0.0%	0.0%	16	0.0%	
Saudi Arabian	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Syrian	41	0.0%	0.1%	31	0.0%	
Tunisian	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Yemeni	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Bahraini	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Emirati	–	–	–	–	–	
Omani	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Qatari	–	–	–	–	–	
Arab, nec	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Jewish	70	0.0%	0.0%	43	0.0%	
Peoples of the Sudan, nfd	4	0.0%	0.0%	–	–	
Bari	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Darfur	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Dinka	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Nuer	–	–	0.0%	–	–	

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	Count	%	Greater Brisbane %	Count	%	Greater Brisbane %
South Sudanese	3	0.0%	0.1%	15	0.0%	
Sudanese	18	0.0%	0.1%	8	0.0%	
Peoples of the Sudan, nec	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Other North African and Middle Eastern, nfd	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Berber	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Coptic	10	0.0%	0.0%	–	–	
Iranian	165	0.1%	0.3%	111	0.1%	
Kurdish	–	–	0.0%	4	0.0%	
Turkish	156	0.1%	0.1%	95	0.1%	
Assyrian	24	0.0%	0.0%	16	0.0%	
Chaldean	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Mandaean	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Nubian	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Other North African and Middle Eastern, nec	29	0.0%	0.0%	32	0.0%	
South-East Asian, nfd	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Mainland South-East Asian, nfd	–	–	–	–	–	
Anglo-Burmese	–	–	0.0%	6	0.0%	
Burmese	66	0.0%	0.1%	60	0.0%	
Hmong	–	–	0.1%	–	–	
Khmer (Cambodian)	62	0.0%	0.1%	19	0.0%	
Lao	14	0.0%	0.1%	11	0.0%	
Thai	432	0.3%	0.3%	281	0.2%	
Vietnamese	274	0.2%	1.1%	225	0.2%	

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	Count	%	Greater Brisbane %	Count	%	Greater Brisbane %
Karen	–	–	0.1%	4	0.0%	–
Mon	–	–	0.0%	–	–	–
Chin	11	0.0%	0.0%	–	–	–
Rohingya	–	–	0.0%	–	–	–
Mainland South–East Asian, nec	–	–	0.0%	–	–	–
Filipino	1,636	1.0%	1.6%	1,056	0.7%	–
Indonesian	222	0.1%	0.2%	166	0.1%	–
Javanese	5	0.0%	0.0%	8	0.0%	–
Madurese	–	–	0.0%	–	–	–
Malay	154	0.1%	0.2%	125	0.1%	–
Sundanese	3	0.0%	0.0%	–	–	–
Timorese	11	0.0%	0.0%	12	0.0%	–
Acehnese	–	–	0.0%	–	–	–
Balinese	3	0.0%	0.0%	–	–	–
Bruneian	–	–	0.0%	–	–	–
Kadazan	6	0.0%	0.0%	3	0.0%	–
Singaporean	24	0.0%	0.0%	16	0.0%	–
Maritime South–East Asian, nec	52	0.0%	0.0%	5	0.0%	–
Chinese	2,365	1.5%	4.7%	1,834	1.2%	–
Taiwanese	115	0.1%	0.3%	78	0.1%	–
Chinese Asian, nec	–	–	0.0%	–	–	–
Japanese	314	0.2%	0.4%	223	0.2%	–
Korean	221	0.1%	0.7%	122	0.1%	–
Mongolian	10	0.0%	0.0%	7	0.0%	–

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	Count	%	Greater Brisbane %	Count	%	Greater Bris
Tibetan	–	–	0.0%	5	0.0%	
Southern and Central Asian, nfd	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Southern Asian, nfd	71	0.0%	0.1%	37	0.0%	
Anglo-Indian	41	0.0%	0.0%	42	0.0%	
Bengali	3	0.0%	0.0%	7	0.0%	
Burgher	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Gujarati	23	0.0%	0.0%	3	0.0%	
Indian	1,523	1.0%	2.7%	1,202	0.8%	
Malayali	28	0.0%	0.1%	–	–	
Nepalese	116	0.1%	0.3%	44	0.0%	
Pakistani	85	0.1%	0.2%	60	0.0%	
Punjabi	292	0.2%	0.4%	59	0.0%	
Sikh	154	0.1%	0.2%	50	0.0%	
Sinhalese	106	0.1%	0.2%	37	0.0%	
Maldivian	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Bangladeshi	8	0.0%	0.1%	5	0.0%	
Bhutanese	3	0.0%	0.0%	–	–	
Fijian Indian	61	0.0%	0.1%	54	0.0%	
Kashmiri	–	–	0.0%	8	0.0%	
Parsi	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Sindhi	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Sri Lankan	190	0.1%	0.3%	228	0.2%	
Sri Lankan Tamil	–	–	0.0%	3	0.0%	
Indian Tamil	6	0.0%	0.0%	4	0.0%	

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	Count	%	Greater Brisbane %	Count	%	Greater Bris
Tamil, nfd	73	0.0%	0.2%	16	0.0%	
Telugu	36	0.0%	0.1%	3	0.0%	
Southern Asian, nec	8	0.0%	0.0%	5	0.0%	
Central Asian, nfd	4	0.0%	0.0%	—	—	
Afghan	37	0.0%	0.2%	43	0.0%	
Armenian	14	0.0%	0.0%	8	0.0%	
Georgian	4	0.0%	0.0%	—	—	
Kazakh	—	—	0.0%	—	—	
Pathan	—	—	0.0%	—	—	
Uzbek	5	0.0%	0.0%	9	0.0%	
Azeri	9	0.0%	0.0%	3	0.0%	
Hazara	3	0.0%	0.1%	—	—	
Tajik	3	0.0%	0.0%	—	—	
Tatar	3	0.0%	0.0%	—	—	
Turkmen	—	—	0.0%	—	—	
Uighur	—	—	0.0%	—	—	
Kyrgyz	—	—	0.0%	—	—	
Central Asian, nec	—	—	0.0%	—	—	
Peoples of the Americas, nfd	44	0.0%	0.1%	41	0.0%	
North American, nfd	10	0.0%	0.0%	11	0.0%	
African American	21	0.0%	0.0%	7	0.0%	
American	510	0.3%	0.3%	464	0.3%	
Canadian	276	0.2%	0.2%	287	0.2%	
French Canadian	14	0.0%	0.0%	24	0.0%	

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	Count	%	Greater Brisbane %	Count	%	Greater Bris
Hispanic North American	20	0.0%	0.0%	11	0.0%	
Native North American Indian	70	0.0%	0.0%	41	0.0%	
Bermudan	7	0.0%	0.0%	9	0.0%	
North American, nec	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
South American, nfd	43	0.0%	0.0%	30	0.0%	
Argentinian	31	0.0%	0.0%	27	0.0%	
Bolivian	9	0.0%	0.0%	–	–	
Brazilian	125	0.1%	0.2%	63	0.0%	
Chilean	118	0.1%	0.1%	75	0.1%	
Colombian	159	0.1%	0.2%	69	0.0%	
Ecuadorian	8	0.0%	0.0%	–	–	
Guyanese	3	0.0%	0.0%	7	0.0%	
Peruvian	34	0.0%	0.0%	27	0.0%	
Uruguayan	36	0.0%	0.0%	28	0.0%	
Venezuelan	30	0.0%	0.0%	16	0.0%	
Paraguayan	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
South American, nec	6	0.0%	0.0%	5	0.0%	
Central American, nfd	–	–	0.0%	5	0.0%	
Mexican	46	0.0%	0.0%	26	0.0%	
Nicaraguan	3	0.0%	0.0%	–	–	
Salvadoran	70	0.0%	0.1%	42	0.0%	
Costa Rican	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Guatemalan	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Mayan	–	–	0.0%	5	0.0%	

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Central American, nec	3	0.0%	0.0%	3	0.0%	
Caribbean Islander, nfd	19	0.0%	0.0%	20	0.0%	
Cuban	11	0.0%	0.0%	11	0.0%	
Jamaican	30	0.0%	0.0%	33	0.0%	
Trinidadian Tobagonian	14	0.0%	0.0%	14	0.0%	
Barbadian	14	0.0%	0.0%	11	0.0%	
Puerto Rican	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Caribbean Islander, nec	15	0.0%	0.0%	3	0.0%	
Sub-Saharan African, nfd	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Central and West African, nfd	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Akan	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Fulani	–	–	–	–	–	
Ghanaian	11	0.0%	0.0%	18	0.0%	
Nigerian	19	0.0%	0.0%	19	0.0%	
Yoruba	8	0.0%	0.0%	–	–	
Ivorean	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Liberian	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Sierra Leonean	4	0.0%	0.0%	–	–	
Acholi	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Cameroonian	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Congolese	11	0.0%	0.1%	7	0.0%	
Igbo	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Krahn	–	–	–	–	–	
Mandinka	–	–	0.0%	–	–	

Category	2021			2016		
	Count	%	Greater Brisbane %	Count	%	Greater Bris
Senegalese	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Togolese	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Central and West African, nec	4	0.0%	0.0%	8	0.0%	
Southern and East African, nfd	–	–	0.0%	5	0.0%	
Afrikaner	69	0.0%	0.0%	79	0.1%	
Angolan	7	0.0%	0.0%	7	0.0%	
Eritrean	–	–	0.1%	–	–	
Ethiopian	9	0.0%	0.1%	7	0.0%	
Kenyan	13	0.0%	0.0%	8	0.0%	
Malawian	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Mauritian	88	0.1%	0.1%	76	0.1%	
Mozambican	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Namibian	–	–	0.0%	3	0.0%	
Oromo	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Seychellois	16	0.0%	0.0%	12	0.0%	
Somali	4	0.0%	0.1%	–	–	
South African	1,971	1.2%	0.8%	1,541	1.0%	
Tanzanian	10	0.0%	0.0%	4	0.0%	
Ugandan	3	0.0%	0.0%	6	0.0%	
Zambian	14	0.0%	0.0%	9	0.0%	
Zimbabwean	126	0.1%	0.1%	95	0.1%	
Amhara	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Batswana	4	0.0%	0.0%	–	–	
Hutu	–	–	–	–	–	

Category	2021			2016		
	Count	%	Greater Brisbane %	Count	%	Greater Bris
Masai	–	–	0.0%	–	–	–
Tigrayan	–	–	0.0%	–	–	–
Tigre	–	–	0.0%	–	–	–
Zulu	–	–	0.0%	–	–	–
Burundian	–	–	0.1%	–	–	–
Kunama	–	–	0.0%	–	–	–
Madi	–	–	0.0%	5	0.0%	–
Rwandan	–	–	0.0%	–	–	–
Shona	5	0.0%	0.0%	–	–	–
Swahili	–	–	0.0%	–	–	–
Swazilander	3	0.0%	0.0%	4	0.0%	–
Southern and East African, nec	7	0.0%	0.0%	6	0.0%	–

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

Data basis: usual residence.