

Community report

Walkerville (M)

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

AREA

Walkerville (M)

COMPARISON

Greater Adelaide

POPULATION

Persons

GENERATED

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Included sections

1 selected topic will be included in this report.

01 Household type

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.

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Key takeaway

In 2021, lone-person households was the most common household type among households in Walkerville (M), accounting for 28.8% (956 households). This share was higher than Greater Adelaide (26.8%). Since 2016, the biggest change was in couples without children, which increased by 128 households and 2.1 percentage points.

About this topic

Household type summarises the mix of household and family structures in an area, such as couples with children, lone person households, and one-parent families. It is one of the clearest indicators of how people live together and the residential role of an area.

This topic is useful for planning services, facilities, and housing because demand is closely tied to household structure. It is best read with households with children, households without children, household size, age structure, and dwelling type.

Interpretation notes

- This is a derived household-composition view built from relationships within dwellings, so it summarises household structure rather than a single Census question.

- It is dwelling-based, which means different household types can reflect both family structure and housing arrangements.

Household type

Walkerville (M) – Total households (Enumerated)

Category	2021			2016			Change	
	Count	%	Greater Adelaide %	Count	%	Greater Adelaide %	Count	pp
Couples with children	896	27.0%	28.6%	828	26.6%	28.7%	+68	+0.4
Couples without children	947	28.5%	25.3%	819	26.4%	24.8%	+128	+2.1
One parent families	231	7.0%	11.3%	215	6.9%	11.1%	+16	+0.1
Other families	33	1.0%	1.2%	30	1.0%	1.2%	+3	0.0
Group household	120	3.6%	3.6%	142	4.6%	3.8%	-22	-1.0
Lone person	956	28.8%	26.8%	914	29.4%	26.2%	+42	-0.6
Other not classifiable household	30	0.9%	1.4%	25	0.8%	1.1%	+5	+0.1
Visitor only households	110	3.3%	1.8%	138	4.4%	3.2%	-28	-1.1
Total households	3,323	100.0%	100.0%	3,107	100.0%	100.0%	+216	0.0

Data basis: usual residence.