

Community report

Wattle Range (DC)

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

AREA

Wattle Range (DC)

COMPARISON

Regional SA

POPULATION

Persons

GENERATED

1 April 2026

Included sections

1 selected topic will be included in this report.

01 Housing tenure

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.

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Key takeaway

In 2021, 71.7% of households in Wattle Range (DC) were purchasing or had fully paid off their home, while 19% were renting. The mortgage share was higher than Regional SA (28.4%).

About this topic

Housing tenure shows whether households own their dwelling outright, are purchasing it, rent privately, rent from a social landlord, or occupy it under another arrangement. It describes how households hold or access housing, not the type of dwelling itself.

This topic is useful for analysing housing markets, affordability, stability, and the mix of owners and renters. It works best alongside dwelling type, household composition, and housing cost topics such as mortgage repayments and rent.

Interpretation notes

- Tenure type describes how the dwelling is occupied, including ownership, mortgage, rental, or other arrangements.

- It applies to occupied private dwellings and should not be confused with dwelling structure or housing cost measures.

Housing tenure

Wattle Range (DC) – Households (Enumerated)

Category	2021			2016			Change	
	Count	%	Regional SA %	Count	%	Regional SA %	Count	pp
Fully owned	2,082	41.4%	37.6%	1,851	38.5%	35.5%	+231	+2.9
Mortgage	1,524	30.3%	28.4%	1,518	31.6%	29.3%	+6	-1.3
Renting – Total	959	19.0%	23.8%	1,061	22.1%	26.0%	-102	-3.1
Renting – Social housing	169	3.4%	5.0%	182	3.8%	5.7%	-13	-0.4
Renting – Private	778	15.5%	18.5%	834	17.4%	19.3%	-56	-1.9
Renting – Not stated	18	0.4%	0.2%	49	1.0%	1.0%	-31	-0.6
Other tenure type	143	2.8%	3.4%	33	0.7%	1.4%	+110	+2.1
Not stated	329	6.5%	6.8%	330	6.9%	7.8%	-1	-0.4
Total households	5,035	100.0%	100.0%	4,802	100.0%	100.0%	+233	0.0

Data basis: enumerated.