

Community report

West Coast (M)

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

AREA

West Coast (M)

COMPARISON

Regional Tas.

POPULATION

Persons

GENERATED

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Included sections

1 selected topic will be included in this report.

01 Number of bedrooms per dwelling

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, 3-bedroom dwellings was the most common bedroom count among occupied private dwellings in West Coast (M), accounting for 52.6% (1,166 dwellings). This share was higher than Regional Tas. (48.8%). Since 2016, the biggest change was in 3-bedroom dwellings, which increased by 100 dwellings, while its share fell by 1 percentage point.

About this topic

Number of bedrooms per dwelling records the bedroom count of occupied private dwellings. It is a simple but useful indicator of dwelling size and housing capacity.

This topic is most informative when read with dwelling type, household size, and household type. Together, these measures can help identify whether housing stock is suited to local household needs and can signal issues such as crowding or affordability pressure.

Interpretation notes

- The count refers to bedrooms in occupied private dwellings, not the total number of rooms.

- Bedroom count can suggest dwelling capacity, but it should be read with household size before drawing conclusions about crowding.

Number of bedrooms per dwelling

West Coast (M) – Households (Enumerated)

Category	2021			2016			Change	
	Count	%	Regional Tas. %	Count	%	Regional Tas. %	Count	pp
0 or 1 bedrooms	126	5.7%	5.1%	91	4.6%	4.8%	+35	+1.1
2 bedrooms	398	18.0%	19.1%	380	19.1%	19.0%	+18	-1.1
3 bedrooms	1,166	52.6%	48.8%	1,066	53.6%	49.0%	+100	-1.0
4 bedrooms	244	11.0%	17.4%	247	12.4%	16.5%	-3	-1.4
5 bedrooms or more	42	1.9%	4.1%	33	1.7%	3.6%	+9	+0.2
Not stated	233	10.5%	5.5%	173	8.7%	7.1%	+60	+1.8
Total households	2,217	100.0%	100.0%	1,988	100.0%	100.0%	+229	0.0

Data basis: enumerated.