

Community report

Wyndham (C)

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

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Wyndham (C)

COMPARISON

Greater Melbourne

POPULATION

Persons

GENERATED

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Included sections

1 selected topic will be included in this report.

01 Birthplace

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.

Birthplace

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Key takeaway

In 2021, 48% (140,103) of people in Wyndham (C) were born overseas, compared with 35.7% in Greater Melbourne. A further 46.9% (136,855) of people were born in Australia.

About this topic

Birthplace records the country in which a person was born. It is a core measure of migration history and cultural diversity and helps distinguish Australia-born and overseas-born populations.

This topic is useful for understanding settlement patterns and the likely language, service, and support needs of different communities. It should be interpreted together with ancestry, language used at home, and religion for a fuller view of cultural diversity.

Interpretation notes

- Country of birth measures birthplace only; it does not capture ancestry, ethnicity, or current citizenship on its own.
- Use birthplace with ancestry and language when interpreting cultural background, because many cultural groups include both Australia-born and overseas-born people.

Birthplace - Ranked by size

Wyndham (C) - Overseas born (Usual residence)

Category	2021			2016			Change	
	Count	%	Greater Melbourne %	Count	%	Greater Melbourne %	Count	pp
Inadequately described	197	0.1%	0.1%	194	0.1%	0.1%	+3	0.0
At sea	–	–	0.0%	–	–	0.0%	–	–
Oceania and Antarctica, nfd	–	–	0.0%	–	–	0.0%	–	–
Australia	136,855	46.9%	59.9%	114,543	52.8%	59.8%	+22,312	-5.9
Norfolk Island	–	–	0.0%	–	–	0.0%	–	–
New Zealand	9,449	3.2%	1.7%	7,711	3.6%	1.8%	+1,738	-0.4
New Caledonia	–	–	0.0%	–	–	0.0%	–	–
Papua New Guinea	127	0.0%	0.0%	95	0.0%	0.0%	+32	0.0
Solomon Islands	4	0.0%	0.0%	8	0.0%	0.0%	-4	0.0
Vanuatu	12	0.0%	0.0%	4	0.0%	0.0%	+8	0.0
Micronesia, nfd	–	–	–	–	–	0.0%	–	–
Guam	–	–	0.0%	–	–	0.0%	–	–

Category	2021			2016		
	Count	%	Greater Melbourne %	Count	%	Greater Melbourne %
Kiribati	8	0.0%	0.0%	9	0.0%	
Marshall Islands	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Nauru	12	0.0%	0.0%	11	0.0%	
Northern Mariana Islands	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Palau	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Cook Islands	206	0.1%	0.0%	143	0.1%	
Fiji	1,260	0.4%	0.2%	979	0.5%	
French Polynesia	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Niue	35	0.0%	0.0%	13	0.0%	
Samoa	1,047	0.4%	0.1%	627	0.3%	
Samoa, American	18	0.0%	0.0%	16	0.0%	
Tokelau	6	0.0%	0.0%	–	–	
Tonga	401	0.1%	0.0%	297	0.1%	
Tuvalu	4	0.0%	0.0%	–	–	
Wallis and Futuna	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Antarctica, nfd	–	–	–	–	–	
Australian Antarctic Territory	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
United Kingdom, Channel Islands and Isle of Man, nfd	49	0.0%	0.0%	50	0.0%	
England	4,794	1.6%	2.7%	4,978	2.3%	
Isle of Man	3	0.0%	0.0%	7	0.0%	
Northern Ireland	202	0.1%	0.1%	218	0.1%	
Scotland	894	0.3%	0.4%	1,000	0.5%	
Wales	136	0.0%	0.1%	153	0.1%	

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	Count	%	Greater Melbourne %	Count	%	Greater Melbourne %
Guernsey	–	–	0.0%	–	–	–
Jersey	3	0.0%	0.0%	7	0.0%	–
Ireland	424	0.1%	0.3%	386	0.2%	–
Austria	90	0.0%	0.1%	107	0.0%	–
Belgium	44	0.0%	0.0%	47	0.0%	–
France	141	0.0%	0.1%	121	0.1%	–
Germany	569	0.2%	0.4%	590	0.3%	–
Liechtenstein	–	–	0.0%	–	–	–
Luxembourg	–	–	0.0%	–	–	–
Monaco	–	–	0.0%	–	–	–
Netherlands	256	0.1%	0.2%	284	0.1%	–
Switzerland	46	0.0%	0.0%	39	0.0%	–
Denmark	33	0.0%	0.0%	38	0.0%	–
Faroe Islands	–	–	0.0%	–	–	–
Finland	56	0.0%	0.0%	58	0.0%	–
Greenland	–	–	0.0%	–	–	–
Iceland	3	0.0%	0.0%	6	0.0%	–
Norway	12	0.0%	0.0%	13	0.0%	–
Sweden	48	0.0%	0.0%	32	0.0%	–
Aland Islands	–	–	–	–	–	–
Andorra	–	–	0.0%	–	–	–
Gibraltar	6	0.0%	0.0%	–	–	–
Italy	1,691	0.6%	1.2%	1,736	0.8%	–
Malta	982	0.3%	0.3%	1,114	0.5%	–

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	Count	%	Greater Melbourne %	Count	%	Greater Melbourne %
Portugal	206	0.1%	0.1%	172	0.1%	
Spain	127	0.0%	0.1%	112	0.1%	
South Eastern Europe, nfd	376	0.1%	0.1%	403	0.2%	
Albania	138	0.0%	0.0%	111	0.1%	
Bosnia and Herzegovina	399	0.1%	0.2%	403	0.2%	
Bulgaria	28	0.0%	0.0%	30	0.0%	
Croatia	460	0.2%	0.3%	462	0.2%	
Cyprus	128	0.0%	0.1%	123	0.1%	
North Macedonia	775	0.3%	0.4%	644	0.3%	
Greece	582	0.2%	0.9%	545	0.3%	
Moldova	12	0.0%	0.0%	10	0.0%	
Romania	279	0.1%	0.1%	305	0.1%	
Slovenia	42	0.0%	0.0%	45	0.0%	
Montenegro	35	0.0%	0.0%	31	0.0%	
Serbia	519	0.2%	0.2%	465	0.2%	
Kosovo	96	0.0%	0.0%	79	0.0%	
Eastern Europe, nfd	24	0.0%	0.0%	24	0.0%	
Belarus	27	0.0%	0.0%	31	0.0%	
Czechia	39	0.0%	0.0%	39	0.0%	
Estonia	3	0.0%	0.0%	6	0.0%	
Hungary	95	0.0%	0.1%	95	0.0%	
Latvia	16	0.0%	0.0%	21	0.0%	
Lithuania	23	0.0%	0.0%	13	0.0%	
Poland	533	0.2%	0.3%	550	0.3%	

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	Count	%	Greater Melbourne %	Count	%	Greater Melbourne %
Russian Federation	258	0.1%	0.1%	210	0.1%	
Slovakia	31	0.0%	0.0%	32	0.0%	
Ukraine	124	0.0%	0.1%	89	0.0%	
North Africa and the Middle East, nfd	–	–	0.0%	4	0.0%	
North Africa, nfd	6	0.0%	0.0%	8	0.0%	
Algeria	15	0.0%	0.0%	12	0.0%	
Egypt	532	0.2%	0.3%	422	0.2%	
Libya	108	0.0%	0.0%	98	0.0%	
Morocco	63	0.0%	0.0%	37	0.0%	
Sudan	899	0.3%	0.1%	690	0.3%	
Tunisia	21	0.0%	0.0%	6	0.0%	
South Sudan	675	0.2%	0.1%	489	0.2%	
Middle East, nfd	3	0.0%	0.0%	–	–	
Bahrain	42	0.0%	0.0%	28	0.0%	
Gaza Strip and West Bank	42	0.0%	0.0%	28	0.0%	
Iran	762	0.3%	0.4%	487	0.2%	
Iraq	368	0.1%	0.5%	282	0.1%	
Israel	47	0.0%	0.1%	47	0.0%	
Jordan	64	0.0%	0.0%	47	0.0%	
Kuwait	177	0.1%	0.0%	94	0.0%	
Lebanon	1,126	0.4%	0.4%	878	0.4%	
Oman	51	0.0%	0.0%	21	0.0%	
Qatar	61	0.0%	0.0%	30	0.0%	

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Saudi Arabia	355	0.1%	0.1%	151	0.1%	
Syria	102	0.0%	0.2%	77	0.0%	
Turkey	229	0.1%	0.4%	173	0.1%	
United Arab Emirates	466	0.2%	0.1%	222	0.1%	
Yemen	15	0.0%	0.0%	14	0.0%	
South-East Asia, nfd	–	–	–	4	0.0%	
Mainland South-East Asia, nfd	–	–	–	–	–	
Myanmar	2,652	0.9%	0.3%	2,018	0.9%	
Cambodia	220	0.1%	0.3%	204	0.1%	
Laos	122	0.0%	0.0%	127	0.1%	
Thailand	2,094	0.7%	0.4%	1,466	0.7%	
Vietnam	2,483	0.9%	1.8%	1,627	0.7%	
Maritime South-East Asia, nfd	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Brunei Darussalam	42	0.0%	0.0%	19	0.0%	
Indonesia	1,896	0.6%	0.4%	1,373	0.6%	
Malaysia	2,760	0.9%	1.2%	2,058	0.9%	
Philippines	7,645	2.6%	1.2%	5,727	2.6%	
Singapore	1,371	0.5%	0.3%	1,075	0.5%	
Timor-Leste	207	0.1%	0.1%	165	0.1%	
China (excludes SARs and Taiwan)	7,488	2.6%	3.4%	5,525	2.5%	
Hong Kong (SAR of China)	772	0.3%	0.5%	594	0.3%	
Macau (SAR of China)	24	0.0%	0.0%	22	0.0%	
Mongolia	3	0.0%	0.0%	3	0.0%	
Taiwan	322	0.1%	0.2%	239	0.1%	

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Japan	279	0.1%	0.2%	218	0.1%	
Korea, Democratic People's Republic of (North)	4	0.0%	0.0%	–	–	
Korea, Republic of (South)	837	0.3%	0.3%	717	0.3%	
Southern and Central Asia, nfd	–	–	0.0%	9	0.0%	
Southern Asia, nfd	141	0.0%	0.0%	20	0.0%	
Bangladesh	2,621	0.9%	0.2%	1,582	0.7%	
Bhutan	4	0.0%	0.0%	–	–	
India	50,435	17.3%	4.9%	22,395	10.3%	
Maldives	8	0.0%	0.0%	–	–	
Nepal	1,350	0.5%	0.4%	436	0.2%	
Pakistan	4,465	1.5%	0.6%	2,067	1.0%	
Sri Lanka	2,960	1.0%	1.3%	2,040	0.9%	
Central Asia, nfd	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Afghanistan	361	0.1%	0.5%	212	0.1%	
Armenia	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Azerbaijan	3	0.0%	0.0%	4	0.0%	
Georgia	5	0.0%	0.0%	–	–	
Kazakhstan	18	0.0%	0.0%	15	0.0%	
Kyrgyzstan	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Tajikistan	–	–	0.0%	5	0.0%	
Turkmenistan	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Uzbekistan	12	0.0%	0.0%	9	0.0%	
Northern America, nfd	4	0.0%	0.0%	–	–	

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Bermuda	–	–	0.0%	4	0.0%	
Canada	264	0.1%	0.2%	239	0.1%	
United States of America	724	0.2%	0.4%	558	0.3%	
South America, nfd	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Argentina	184	0.1%	0.1%	165	0.1%	
Bolivia	–	–	0.0%	4	0.0%	
Brazil	257	0.1%	0.1%	151	0.1%	
Chile	455	0.2%	0.2%	438	0.2%	
Colombia	451	0.2%	0.2%	217	0.1%	
Ecuador	3	0.0%	0.0%	7	0.0%	
Falkland Islands	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
French Guiana	–	–	–	–	–	
Guyana	22	0.0%	0.0%	22	0.0%	
Paraguay	9	0.0%	0.0%	5	0.0%	
Peru	93	0.0%	0.0%	66	0.0%	
Suriname	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Uruguay	93	0.0%	0.0%	92	0.0%	
Venezuela	93	0.0%	0.0%	50	0.0%	
Central America, nfd	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Belize	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Costa Rica	4	0.0%	0.0%	9	0.0%	
El Salvador	297	0.1%	0.1%	278	0.1%	
Guatemala	6	0.0%	0.0%	–	–	
Honduras	3	0.0%	0.0%	5	0.0%	

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	Count	%	Greater Melbourne %	Count	%	Greater Melbourne %
Mexico	64	0.0%	0.0%	52	0.0%	
Nicaragua	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Panama	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Caribbean, nfd	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Anguilla	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Antigua and Barbuda	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Aruba	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Bahamas	4	0.0%	0.0%	–	–	
Barbados	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Cayman Islands	3	0.0%	0.0%	–	–	
Cuba	9	0.0%	0.0%	11	0.0%	
Dominica	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Dominican Republic	3	0.0%	0.0%	3	0.0%	
Grenada	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Guadeloupe	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Haiti	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Jamaica	11	0.0%	0.0%	4	0.0%	
Montserrat	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Puerto Rico	3	0.0%	0.0%	–	–	
St Kitts and Nevis	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
St Lucia	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
St Vincent and the Grenadines	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Trinidad and Tobago	6	0.0%	0.0%	–	–	
Turks and Caicos Islands	–	–	0.0%	–	–	

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Curacao	4	0.0%	0.0%	—	—	—
Sint Maarten (Dutch part)	—	—	0.0%	—	—	—
Central and West Africa, nfd	5	0.0%	0.0%	5	0.0%	—
Benin	3	0.0%	0.0%	6	0.0%	—
Burkina Faso	—	—	0.0%	—	—	—
Cameroon	31	0.0%	0.0%	10	0.0%	—
Cabo Verde	—	—	0.0%	—	—	—
Central African Republic	—	—	0.0%	—	—	—
Chad	9	0.0%	0.0%	—	—	—
Congo, Republic of	139	0.0%	0.0%	66	0.0%	—
Congo, Democratic Republic of	484	0.2%	0.0%	180	0.1%	—
Cote d'Ivoire	30	0.0%	0.0%	6	0.0%	—
Equatorial Guinea	—	—	0.0%	—	—	—
Gabon	—	—	0.0%	—	—	—
Gambia	—	—	0.0%	—	—	—
Ghana	207	0.1%	0.0%	79	0.0%	—
Guinea	31	0.0%	0.0%	14	0.0%	—
Liberia	202	0.1%	0.0%	62	0.0%	—
Mali	—	—	0.0%	—	—	—
Mauritania	—	—	0.0%	—	—	—
Niger	3	0.0%	0.0%	—	—	—
Nigeria	416	0.1%	0.0%	209	0.1%	—
Sao Tome and Principe	—	—	0.0%	—	—	—
Senegal	11	0.0%	0.0%	13	0.0%	—

Category	2021			2016		
	Count	%	Greater Melbourne %	Count	%	Greater Melbourne %
Sierra Leone	114	0.0%	0.0%	43	0.0%	
Togo	10	0.0%	0.0%	5	0.0%	
Southern and East Africa, nfd	–	–	0.0%	4	0.0%	
Angola	14	0.0%	0.0%	18	0.0%	
Botswana	38	0.0%	0.0%	11	0.0%	
Burundi	62	0.0%	0.0%	41	0.0%	
Comoros	3	0.0%	0.0%	4	0.0%	
Djibouti	23	0.0%	0.0%	10	0.0%	
Eritrea	457	0.2%	0.1%	254	0.1%	
Ethiopia	2,041	0.7%	0.2%	1,279	0.6%	
Kenya	626	0.2%	0.1%	388	0.2%	
Lesotho	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Madagascar	–	–	0.0%	4	0.0%	
Malawi	69	0.0%	0.0%	23	0.0%	
Mauritius	661	0.2%	0.2%	572	0.3%	
Mozambique	10	0.0%	0.0%	20	0.0%	
Namibia	13	0.0%	0.0%	13	0.0%	
Reunion	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Rwanda	27	0.0%	0.0%	3	0.0%	
St Helena	–	–	0.0%	–	–	
Seychelles	18	0.0%	0.0%	19	0.0%	
Somalia	558	0.2%	0.1%	388	0.2%	
South Africa	1,564	0.5%	0.6%	1,171	0.5%	
Eswatini	3	0.0%	0.0%	5	0.0%	

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Tanzania	83	0.0%	0.0%	53	0.0%	
Uganda	108	0.0%	0.0%	86	0.0%	
Zambia	48	0.0%	0.0%	40	0.0%	
Zimbabwe	437	0.1%	0.1%	285	0.1%	
Not stated	15,033	5.1%	4.4%	12,329	5.7%	
Total	291,991	100.0%	100.0%	217,102	100.0%	100.0%

Excludes countries of birth with fewer than 10 people.

Data basis: usual residence.