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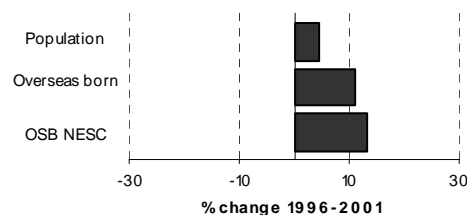
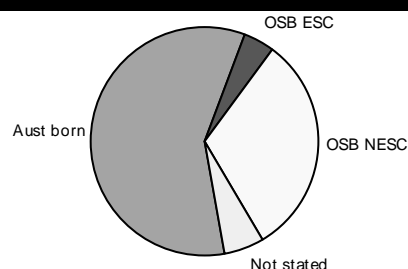


Table 3.4.1

Summary Indicators	2001 Census	% of population	1996 Census	Change 1996-2001	% change
Population	165,074	100.0	157,908	7,166	4.5
Australian born	96,976	58.7	99,978	-3,002	-3.0
Overseas born	58,267	35.3	52,417	5,850	11.2
Birthplace not stated	9,831	6.0	5,511	4,320	78.4
Overseas born - English speaking countries	6,728	4.1	6,898	-170	-2.5
Overseas born - non-English speaking countries	51,539	31.2	45,519	6,020	13.2
Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islanders	1,221	0.7	1,014	207	20.4
Language other than English spoken at home	76,112	46.1	64,398	11,714	18.2
Overseas born arrived since 1996	7,439	4.5			
Overseas born arrived since 1996 from NESC	6,325	3.8			

Table 3.4.2

Overseas Born: Birthplace by Gender, 2001 and 1996 Census

Birthplace	Males	Females	Persons	% of OSB	1996 Census	Change 1996-2001	% change
Lebanon	5,475	5,150	10,625	18.2	9,283	1,342	14.5
Viet Nam	4,700	5,025	9,725	16.7	8,571	1,154	13.5
China (excl. SARs and Taiwan)	1,864	1,956	3,820	6.6	2,139	1,681	78.6
England	1,410	1,355	2,765	4.7	3,464	-699	-20.2
Greece	1,237	1,197	2,434	4.2	2,627	-193	-7.3
New Zealand	1,183	1,140	2,323	4.0	1,477	846	57.3
Italy	1,186	1,117	2,303	4.0	2,623	-320	-12.2
Macedonia, FYR of	987	922	1,909	3.3	1,799	110	6.1
Egypt	567	551	1,118	1.9	1,008	110	10.9
Korea, Republic of (South)	537	559	1,096	1.9	885	211	23.8
Philippines	398	678	1,076	1.8	876	200	22.8
India	550	471	1,021	1.8	825	196	23.8
Fiji	463	515	978	1.7	880	98	11.1
Poland	396	513	909	1.6	1,143	-234	-20.5
Germany	353	431	784	1.3	877	-93	-10.6
Hong Kong (SAR of China)	379	381	760	1.3	885	-125	-14.1
Cyprus	335	339	674	1.2	700	-26	-3.7
Syria	330	296	626	1.1	458	168	36.7
Scotland	273	260	533	0.9	705	-172	-24.4
Indonesia	254	257	511	0.9	303	208	68.6
Yugoslavia, Federal Republic of	271	234	505	0.9	n.c.	n.c.	n.c.
Malta	232	265	497	0.9	592	-95	-16.0
Croatia	272	211	483	0.8	513	-30	-5.8
Malaysia	179	238	417	0.7	377	40	10.6
Samoa	190	220	410	0.7	298	112	37.6
Mauritius	173	235	408	0.7	451	-43	-9.5
Pakistan	229	150	379	0.7	111	268	241.4
Ireland	199	166	365	0.6	411	-46	-11.2
Iraq	215	147	362	0.6	115	247	214.8
Turkey	162	165	327	0.6	303	24	7.9
Other birthplaces	4,065	4,059	8,124	13.9	n.c.	n.c.	n.c.
Total overseas born	29,064	29,203	58,267	100.0	52,417	5,850	11.2

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Table 3.4.3

Birthplace by Age: Selected Birthplace Groups, 2001 Census

Percentage in age group of each birthplace - total expressed as a number

Birthplace	Age 0-12	Age 13-24	Age 25-54	Age 55-64	Age 65+	Total
Lebanon	2.2	9.7	69.3	11.2	7.5	10,625
Viet Nam	1.5	13.0	71.4	6.0	8.0	9,725
China (excl. SARs and Taiwan)	3.2	12.3	62.9	7.0	14.8	3,820
England	1.6	3.7	40.6	18.4	35.7	2,765
Greece	1.0	2.0	38.8	33.6	24.7	2,434
New Zealand	17.9	22.0	50.5	4.7	4.9	2,323
Italy	0.3	1.0	32.5	25.5	40.8	2,303
Macedonia, FYR of	2.4	5.6	62.9	16.8	12.4	1,909
Egypt	2.7	9.5	53.8	15.7	18.3	1,118
Korea, Republic of (South)	7.1	12.0	58.5	11.8	10.6	1,096

Table 3.4.4

Languages other than English Spoken at Home by Gender, 2001 and 1996 Census

Language	Males	Females	Persons	% of LOTE speakers	1996	Change	% change
					Census	1996-2001	
Arabic	13,606	13,077	26,683	35.1	20,629	6,054	29.3
Vietnamese	5,799	5,989	11,788	15.5	9,123	2,665	29.2
Greek	3,369	3,410	6,779	8.9	6,830	-51	-0.7
Cantonese	2,396	2,539	4,935	6.5	4,037	898	22.2
Italian	1,809	1,840	3,649	4.8	4,122	-473	-11.5
Macedonian	1,595	1,528	3,123	4.1	2,964	159	5.4
Mandarin	1,291	1,356	2,647	3.5	1,126	1,521	135.1
Korean	704	689	1,393	1.8	1,064	329	30.9
Spanish	604	653	1,257	1.7	1,254	3	0.2
Polish	441	546	987	1.3	1,206	-219	-18.2
Hindi	439	448	887	1.2	800	87	10.9
Tagalog (Filipino)	334	507	841	1.1	656	185	28.2
Samoan	384	416	800	1.1	509	291	57.2
Croatian	371	328	699	0.9	780	-81	-10.4
German	235	296	531	0.7	831	-300	-36.1
Urdu	275	221	496	0.7	157	339	215.9
Turkish	239	238	477	0.6	345	132	38.3
French	209	265	474	0.6	583	-109	-18.7
Indonesian	218	221	439	0.6	254	185	72.8
Serbian	181	176	357	0.5	414	-57	-13.8
Chinese, nfd	179	165	344	0.5	444	-100	-22.5
Maltese	162	177	339	0.4	411	-72	-17.5
Tongan	164	160	324	0.4	145	179	123.4
Portuguese	155	142	297	0.4	211	86	40.8
Russian	113	156	269	0.4	299	-30	-10.0
Hungarian	130	132	262	0.3	307	-45	-14.7
Ukrainian	103	151	254	0.3	301	-47	-15.6
Punjabi	101	95	196	0.3	100	96	96.0
Khmer	94	100	194	0.3	228	-34	-14.9
Tamil	105	88	193	0.3	151	42	27.8
Other languages	2,029	2,169	4,198	5.5	4,117	81	2.0
Total LOTE speakers	37,834	38,278	76,112	100.0	64,398	11,714	18.2

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Table 3.4.5

English Language Competency by Age: Selected Language Groups, 2001 Census

Language	Age 0-12	Age 13-24	Age 25-54	Age 55-64	Age 65+	Total
Arabic						
Speak English well/very well	5,729	6,205	8,935	876	373	22,118
Speak English not well/not at all	914	213	1,802	608	620	4,157
Total including not stated	6,865	6,484	10,834	1,497	1,003	26,683
<i>Percent not well/not at all</i>	<i>13.3</i>	<i>3.3</i>	<i>16.6</i>	<i>40.6</i>	<i>61.8</i>	<i>15.6</i>
Vietnamese						
Speak English well/very well	1,517	1,860	3,514	166	82	7,139
Speak English not well/not at all	755	176	2,518	354	621	4,424
Total including not stated	2,395	2,056	6,095	528	714	11,788
<i>Percent not well/not at all</i>	<i>31.5</i>	<i>8.6</i>	<i>41.3</i>	<i>67.0</i>	<i>87.0</i>	<i>37.5</i>
Greek						
Speak English well/very well	787	953	2,816	655	400	5,611
Speak English not well/not at all	105	23	217	346	387	1,078
Total including not stated	920	987	3,067	1,009	796	6,779
<i>Percent not well/not at all</i>	<i>11.4</i>	<i>2.3</i>	<i>7.1</i>	<i>34.3</i>	<i>48.6</i>	<i>15.9</i>
Cantonese						
Speak English well/very well	694	671	1,575	89	50	3,079
Speak English not well/not at all	279	30	883	170	420	1,782
Total including not stated	1,012	704	2,482	263	474	4,935
<i>Percent not well/not at all</i>	<i>27.6</i>	<i>4.3</i>	<i>35.6</i>	<i>64.6</i>	<i>88.6</i>	<i>36.1</i>
Italian						
Speak English well/very well	199	353	1,383	494	660	3,089
Speak English not well/not at all	17	10	59	103	319	508
Total including not stated	220	369	1,464	601	995	3,649
<i>Percent not well/not at all</i>	<i>7.7</i>	<i>2.7</i>	<i>4.0</i>	<i>17.1</i>	<i>32.1</i>	<i>13.9</i>
Macedonian						
Speak English well/very well	343	577	1,317	145	54	2,436
Speak English not well/not at all	62	10	203	170	183	628
Total including not stated	412	598	1,545	328	240	3,123
<i>Percent not well/not at all</i>	<i>15.0</i>	<i>1.7</i>	<i>13.1</i>	<i>51.8</i>	<i>76.3</i>	<i>20.1</i>
All speakers of languages other than English						
Speak English well/very well	11,394	13,247	26,903	3,622	3,394	58,560
Speak English not well/not at all	2,771	594	7,150	2,223	3,395	16,133
Total including not stated	14,859	14,017	34,426	5,932	6,887	76,121
<i>Percent not well/not at all</i>	<i>18.6</i>	<i>4.2</i>	<i>20.8</i>	<i>37.5</i>	<i>49.3</i>	<i>21.2</i>

Table 3.4.6

Ancestry by Birthplace of Parents: Selected Ancestry Groups, 2001 Census

Ancestry	Australian Born					Overseas born	Not stated birthplace	Total responses
	Both parents born in Australia	Mother Aust born/Father OSB	Father Aust born/Mother OSB	Both parents born overseas	Parent(s) birthplace not stated			
Australian	28,005	3,252	1,947	1,770	1,050	594	1,159	37,777
English	18,197	2,816	1,665	1,906	693	3,923	769	29,969
Lebanese	513	1,265	461	8,967	603	10,055	799	22,663
Vietnamese	15	15	43	2,367	166	7,623	322	10,551
Chinese	163	87	101	2,125	125	7,560	253	10,414
Irish	7,020	800	416	420	178	969	224	10,027
Greek	867	542	239	2,704	118	3,130	253	7,853
Italian	1,102	726	252	2,084	63	2,490	185	6,902
Macedonian	82	168	38	966	53	1,839	89	3,235
German	1,187	244	107	399	48	856	57	2,898

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Religious Affiliation by Gender, 2001 and 1996 Census**

Religion	Males	Females	Persons	% of population	1996 Census	Change 1996-2001	% change
Catholic	25,086	26,388	51,474	31.2	52,074	-600	-1.2
Anglican	12,149	13,523	25,672	15.6	30,084	-4,412	-14.7
Islam	9,956	9,543	19,499	11.8	12,792	6,707	52.4
Orthodox	7,282	7,135	14,417	8.7	13,683	734	5.4
No Religion	5,780	4,525	10,305	6.2	12,549	-2,244	-17.9
Buddhism	4,753	5,139	9,892	6.0	5,487	4,405	80.3
Uniting Church	2,063	2,492	4,555	2.8	5,171	-616	-11.9
Presbyterian & Reformed	1,790	1,921	3,711	2.2	3,913	-202	-5.2
Baptist	1,357	1,621	2,978	1.8	2,957	21	0.7
Pentecostal	674	758	1,432	0.9	1,176	256	21.8
Christian, nfd	626	711	1,337	0.8	782	555	71.0
Hinduism	626	562	1,188	0.7	982	206	21.0
Religious belief, nfd	618	522	1,140	0.7	265	875	330.2
Oriental Christian	523	494	1,017	0.6	706	311	44.1
Lutheran	398	447	845	0.5	1,049	-204	-19.4
Other Protestant	290	376	666	0.4	702	-36	-5.1
Jehovah's Witnesses	203	256	459	0.3	521	-62	-11.9
Salvation Army	180	266	446	0.3	520	-74	-14.2
Latter Day Saints	169	186	355	0.2	284	71	25.0
Other Christian	145	177	322	0.2	367	-45	-12.3
Seventh-day Adventist	134	157	291	0.2	220	71	32.3
Churches of Christ	119	141	260	0.2	320	-60	-18.8
Sikhism	104	98	202	0.1	113	89	78.8
Druse	88	88	176	0.1	127	49	38.6
Brethren	44	52	96	0.1	116	-20	-17.2
Nature Religions	37	44	81	0.0	18	63	350.0
Judaism	37	38	75	0.0	82	-7	-8.5
Baha'i	27	29	56	0.0	50	6	12.0
Chinese Religions	27	21	48	0.0	52	-4	-7.7
Spiritualism	7	17	24	0.0	32	-8	-25.0
Other religions	109	77	186	0.1	144	42	29.2
Inadequately described	279	180	459	0.3	199	260	130.7
Not stated	5,851	5,559	11,410	6.9	10,371	1,039	10.0
Total persons	81,531	83,543	165,074	100.0	157,908	7,166	4.5