

Horsham Rural City Council

2016 Census Results
Horsham North Planning area

Comparison year: 2011
Benchmark area: Regional Victoria



community profile

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Welcome to Horsham Rural City Council Community Profile

The Horsham Rural City Council Community Profile provides demographic analysis for the City and smaller areas within it based on results from the 2016, 2011, 2006 and 2001 Censuses of Population and Housing. The profile is updated with population estimates when the Australian Bureau of Statistics (ABS) releases new figures.

Population

20,018

ABS ERP 2020

Land area

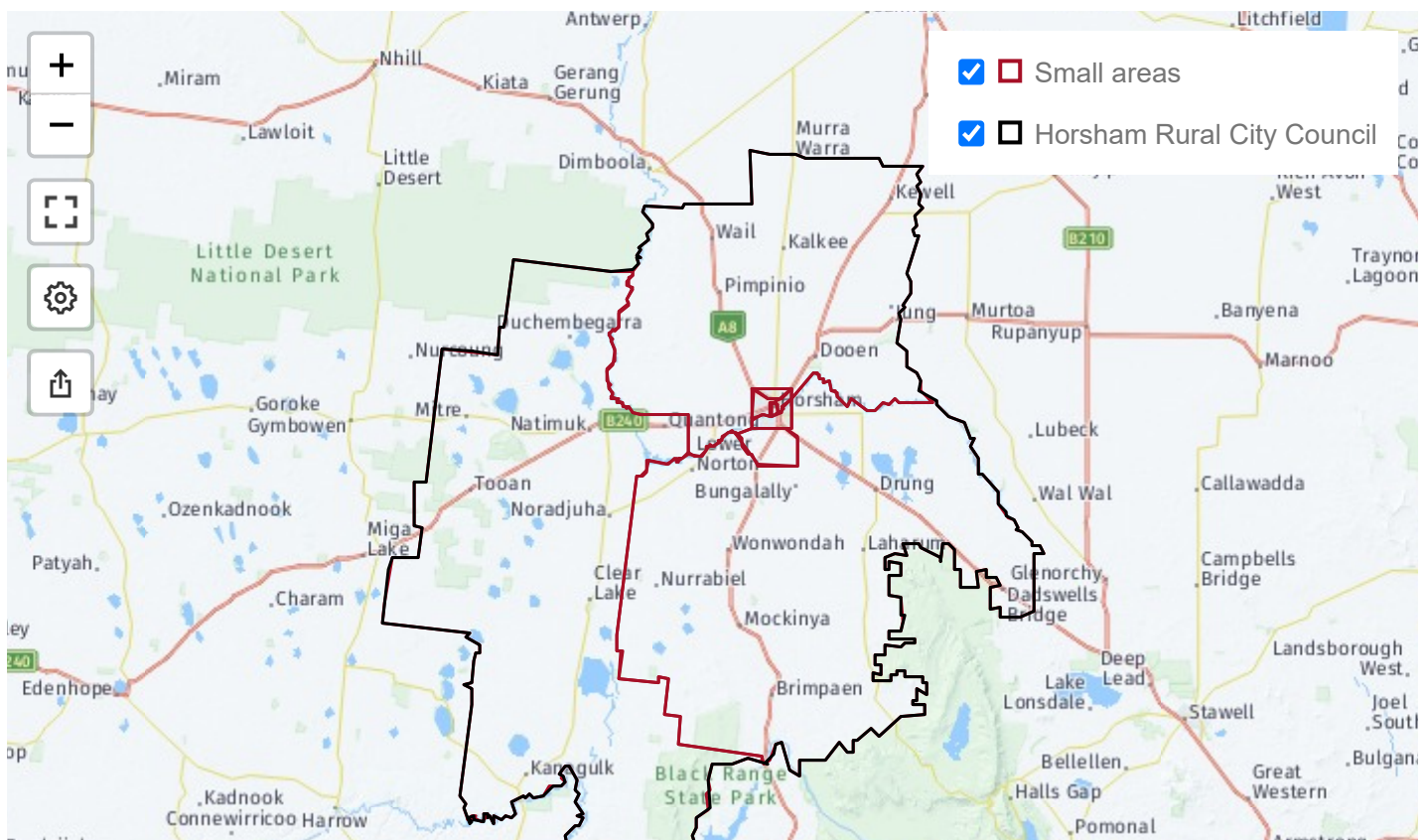
4,265

square km

Population density

4.69

persons per square km





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Population highlights

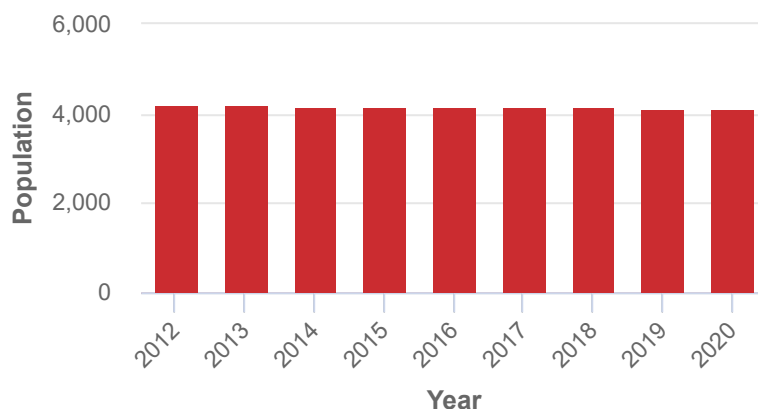
Population

4,131

ERP, 2020

▼ Declined by 10 from the previous year.

Estimated Resident Population Horsham North Planning area



Source: Australian Bureau of Statistics, Regional Population Growth, Australia (3218.0).
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Horsham North Planning area 2016

◀ No significant change since previous Census (less than +/-0.5%) ▲ Increased since previous Census
▼ Decreased since previous Census

Median age

36 ▲ (1)

Horsham Rural City Council	42 ▲
Regional Victoria	43 ▲
Victoria	37 ◀

Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Population

3.2% ◀ (0.3%)

Horsham Rural City Council	1.5% ◀
Regional Victoria	1.6% ◀
Victoria	0.8% ◀

Couples with children

20% ▼ (-1.3%)

Horsham Rural City Council	25% ▼
Regional Victoria	25% ▼
Victoria	31% ◀▶

Older couples without children

9% ◀▶ (0.1%)

Horsham Rural City Council	12% ▲
Regional Victoria	12% ▲
Victoria	9% ◀▶

Lone person households

35% ▲ (3.3%)

Horsham Rural City Council	30% ▲
Regional Victoria	27% ◀▶
Victoria	23% ◀▶

Medium and high density Housing

14% ▲ (0.5%)

Horsham Rural City Council	12% ◀▶
Regional Victoria	10% ◀▶
Victoria	27% ▲

Median weekly household income

\$880 ▲ (\$107)

Horsham Rural City Council	\$1,110 ▲
Regional Victoria	\$1,124 ▲
Victoria	\$1,416 ▲

Median weekly mortgage repayment

\$212

Horsham Rural City Council	\$275 ▲
Regional Victoria	\$309 ▲
Victoria	\$391 ▲

Median weekly rent

\$191

Horsham Rural City Council	\$207 ▲
Regional Victoria	\$238 ▲
Victoria	\$330 ▲

Households renting

35% ◀▶ (0.1%)

Horsham Rural City Council	25% ▼
Regional Victoria	24% ◀▶
Victoria	28% ▲

Households with a mortgage

29% ▼ (-1%)

Horsham Rural City Council	32% ▼
Regional Victoria	31% ▼
Victoria	33% ▼

Overseas born

5% ▲ (0.5%)

Horsham Rural City Council	6% ▼
Regional Victoria	11% ▼
Victoria	28% ▲

Language at home other than English

3% ◀▶ (0.3%)

Horsham Rural City Council	4% ▲
Regional Victoria	6% ▲
Victoria	26% ▲

University attendance

1% ◀▶ (-0.3%)

Horsham Rural City Council	2% ▼
Regional Victoria	3% ▼
Victoria	5% ▲

University qualification

7% ▲ (1%)

Horsham Rural City Council	13% ▲
Regional Victoria	15% ▲
Victoria	24% ▲

Trade qualification (certificate)

24% ▲ (2.5%)

Horsham Rural City Council	22% ▲
Regional Victoria	22% ▲
Victoria	17% ▲

Unemployment rate

10.3% ▲ (3%)

Horsham Rural City Council	5.0% ▲
Regional Victoria	6.0% ▲
Victoria	6.6% ▲

Participation rate (population in labour force)

54% ▼ (-3.6%)

Horsham Rural City Council	60% ▼
Regional Victoria	56% ▼
Victoria	60% ▼

Public transport (to work)

0% ▼ (-0.8%)

Horsham Rural City Council	1% ◀
Regional Victoria	2% ◀
Victoria	12% ▲

SEIFA index of disadvantage 2016

859

Horsham Rural City Council	980 ▲
Regional Victoria	977 ▲
Victoria	1010 ▲

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About the profile areas

Important Statistics

Population

4,131

2020 ABS ERP

Land area

5.04

square km

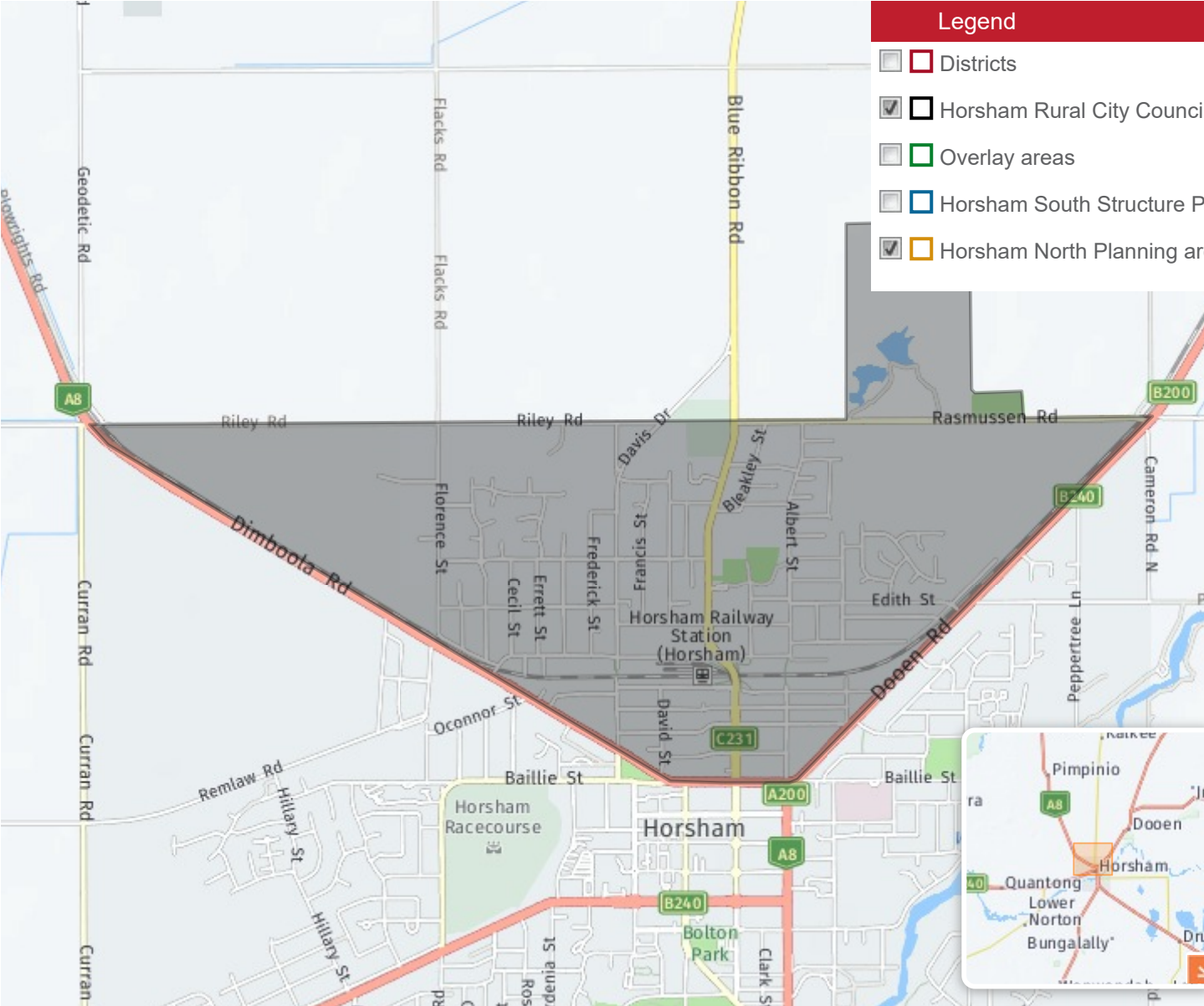
Population density

819.9

persons per square km

Profile areas

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Population and dwellings

There are a number of different ways of measuring the population of an area, all of which give an insight into the size of the place and its rate of growth over different time periods. The Census counts people where they are on the night of the Census (enumerated population) and also by where they usually live (usual residence). Both these populations are useful and form the basis for a range of characteristics collected in the Census.

However, the most accurate count of the total population is Estimated Resident Population, which factors in an estimate of those missed in the Census and those who were overseas on Census night. It is usually higher than either Census count, and is also updated annually after the Census, providing preliminary estimates for up to 5 years.

This page provides the three population counts for Horsham North Planning area at the last Census, with comparisons to previous Census years for the Census counts only. The current estimate for Horsham North Planning area at the most recent year available is shown at the top of the page. This figure is a preliminary estimate only and is subject to review after the next Census data are released. Please use with caution.

Also included are a range of sub-population groups and key statistics from the Census (usual resident) population, such as citizens, employed persons and Indigenous population.

These figures all provide the context for the size of the population and growth rate within Horsham North Planning area and should be looked at in conjunction with other basic demographic information, such as **Age Structure**, **Dwelling Type** and **Household Size**.

The data on this page are sourced from a variety of different tables and designed to give a range of population and dwelling numbers for the area.

Population

Horsham North Planning area - Total persons	2016			2011			Change
Population	Number	%	Regional Victoria %	Number	%	Regional Victoria %	2011 to 2016
Estimated Resident Population	4,169	--	--	--	--	--	--
Enumerated Population	4,060	--	--	4,159	--	--	-99
Usual Resident Population	4,112	--	--	4,192	--	--	-80

Source: Australian Bureau of Statistics, [Census of Population and Housing](#) 2011 and 2016. Compiled and presented in profile.id by [.id](#) (informed decisions).

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Selected subpopulation categories

Horsham North Planning area - Total people (Usual residence)	2016			2011			Change
Population group	Number	%	Regional Victoria %	Number	%	Regional Victoria %	2011 to 2016
Males	2,005	48.8	49.1	2,057	49.1	49.1	-52
Females	2,108	51.2	50.9	2,135	50.9	50.9	-27
Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander population	130	3.2	1.6	121	2.9	1.5	+9
Australian citizens	3,751	91.2	88.2	3,869	92.3	90.9	-118
Eligible voters (citizens aged 18+)	2,829	68.8	68.1	2,917	69.6	69.3	-89
Population over 15	3,304	80.3	81.8	3,318	79.2	80.8	-14
Employed Population	1,605	89.7	94.0	1,778	92.7	94.8	-173
Overseas visitors (enumerated)	18	--	--	15	--	--	+3

Source: Australian Bureau of Statistics, Census of Population and Housing 2011 and 2016 (Usual residence). Compiled and presented in profile.id by .id (informed decisions).

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Dwellings

Horsham North Planning area - Households (Enumerated)	2016			2011			Change
Dwellings	Number	%	Regional Victoria %	Number	%	Regional Victoria %	2011 to 2016
Total dwellings	2,045	100.0	100.0	1,988	100.0	100.0	+57
Occupied private dwellings	1,801	88.1	83.6	1,807	90.9	83.3	-6
Population in non-private dwellings	100	--	--	69	--	--	+31
Average household size (persons per dwelling)	2.19	--	2.36	2.27	--	2.40	-0.07

Source: Australian Bureau of Statistics, Census of Population and Housing 2011 and 2016 (Enumerated). Compiled and presented in profile.id by .id (informed decisions).

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*Note that this is an estimate based on ERP at the SA1 level. It is subject to review after the next Census data release and may not match .id's population forecasts.

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Estimated Resident Population (ERP)

The Estimated Resident Population (ERP) is the Australian Bureau of Statistics' official 2020 population figure for all Local Government Areas (LGAs) - but is subject to review after the next Census release. For areas smaller than LGAs, the ERP is derived from SA1 geographies based on population distribution from the previous Census. As such, these smaller geographies are subject to a greater level of revision each Census due to the change in actual numbers and in population distributions.

Populations are counted and estimated in various ways. The most comprehensive population count available in Australia is derived from the Census of Population and Housing conducted by the Australian Bureau of Statistics every five years. However the Census count is generally an under-estimate of the actual population, due to people missed in the Census and people overseas on Census night. To provide a more accurate population figure more frequently, the ABS also produces ERP numbers.

See [data notes](#) for a detailed explanation of different population types, how they are calculated and when to use each one.

Estimated Resident Population (ERP)

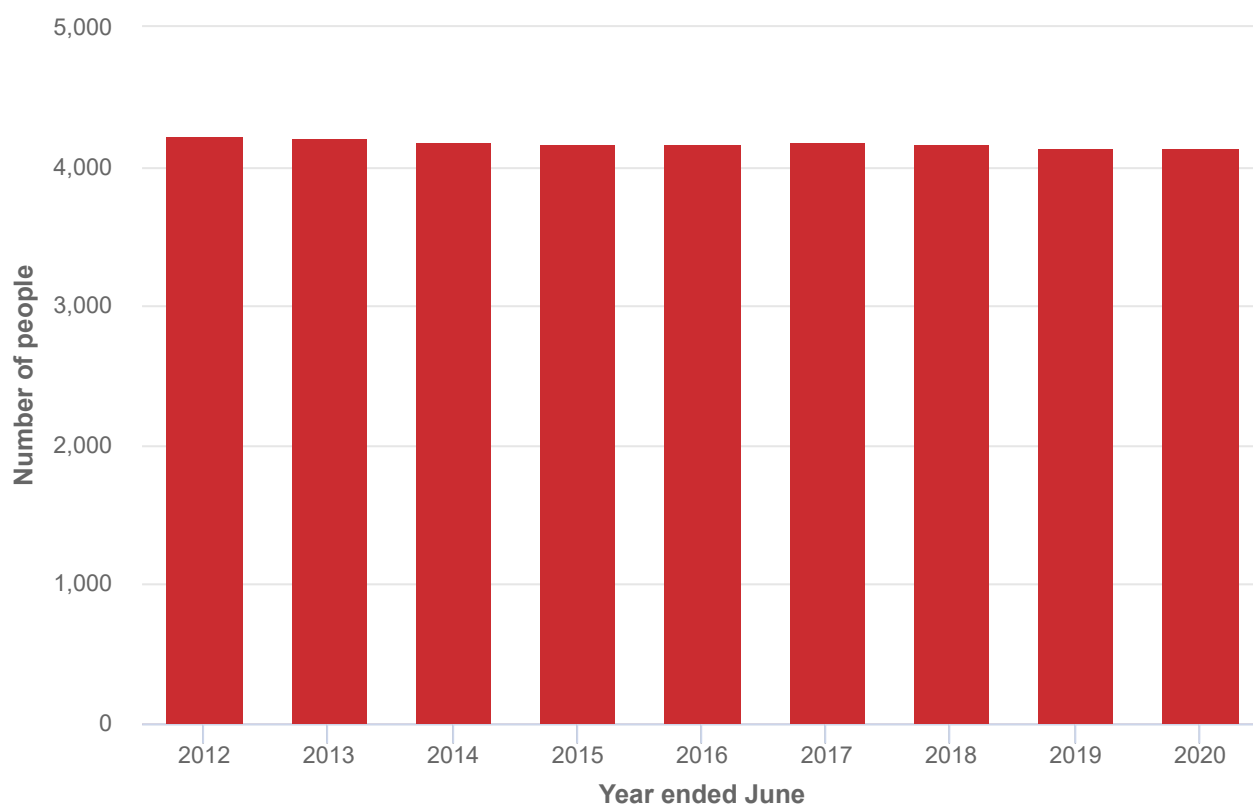
Year (ending June 30)	Number	Change in number	Change in percent	Regional Victoria change in percent
2012	4,230	--	--	--
2013	4,217	-14	-0.32	+1.18
2014	4,178	-39	-0.92	+1.14
2015	4,170	-8	-0.18	+1.20
2016	4,169	-1	-0.03	+1.74
2017	4,178	+9	+0.22	+1.30
2018	4,170	-9	-0.21	+1.33
2019	4,141	-29	-0.70	+1.37
2020	4,131	-10	-0.23	+1.30

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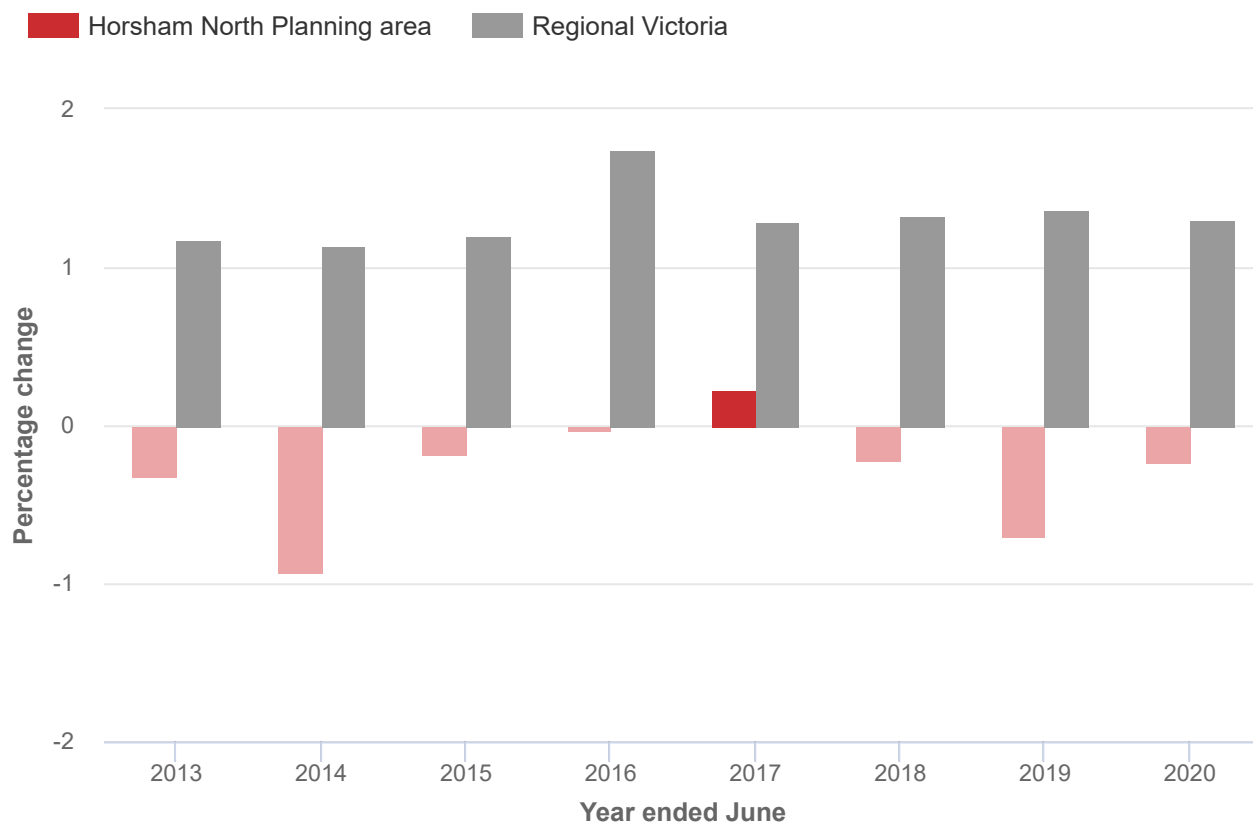
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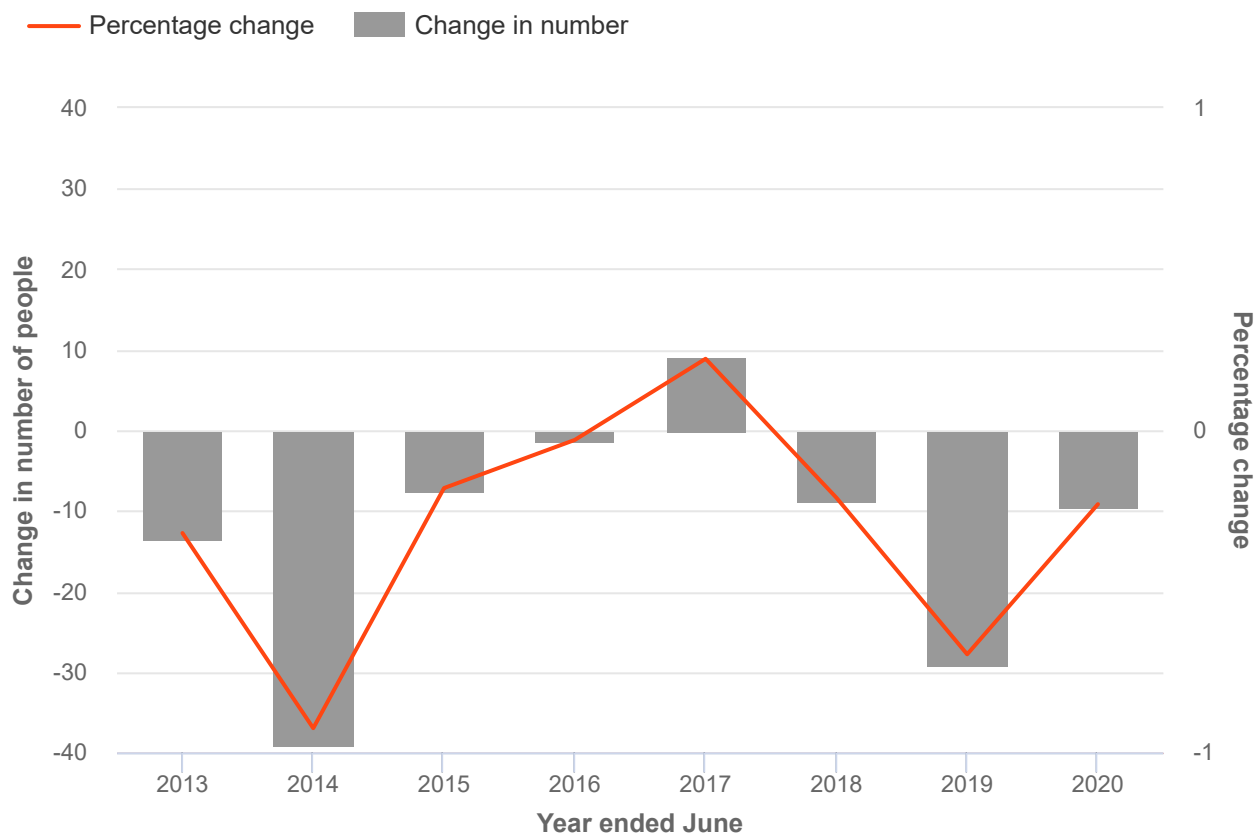
Percentage change in ERP - Horsham North Planning area compared to Regional Victoria



Source: Australian Bureau of Statistics, Regional Population Growth, Australia (3218.0). Compiled and presented by [.id](#) (informed decisions)

Annual change in Estimated Resident Population (ERP)

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Service age groups

The Age Structure of Horsham North Planning area provides key insights into the level of demand for age based services and facilities such as child care. It is an indicator of Horsham North Planning area's residential role and function and how it is likely to change in the future.

Service age groups divide the population into age categories that reflect typical life-stages. They indicate the level of demand for services that target people at different stages in life and how that demand is changing.

To get a more complete picture Horsham North Planning area's Age Structure should be viewed in conjunction with Household Types and Dwelling Types.

Age structure - Service age groups

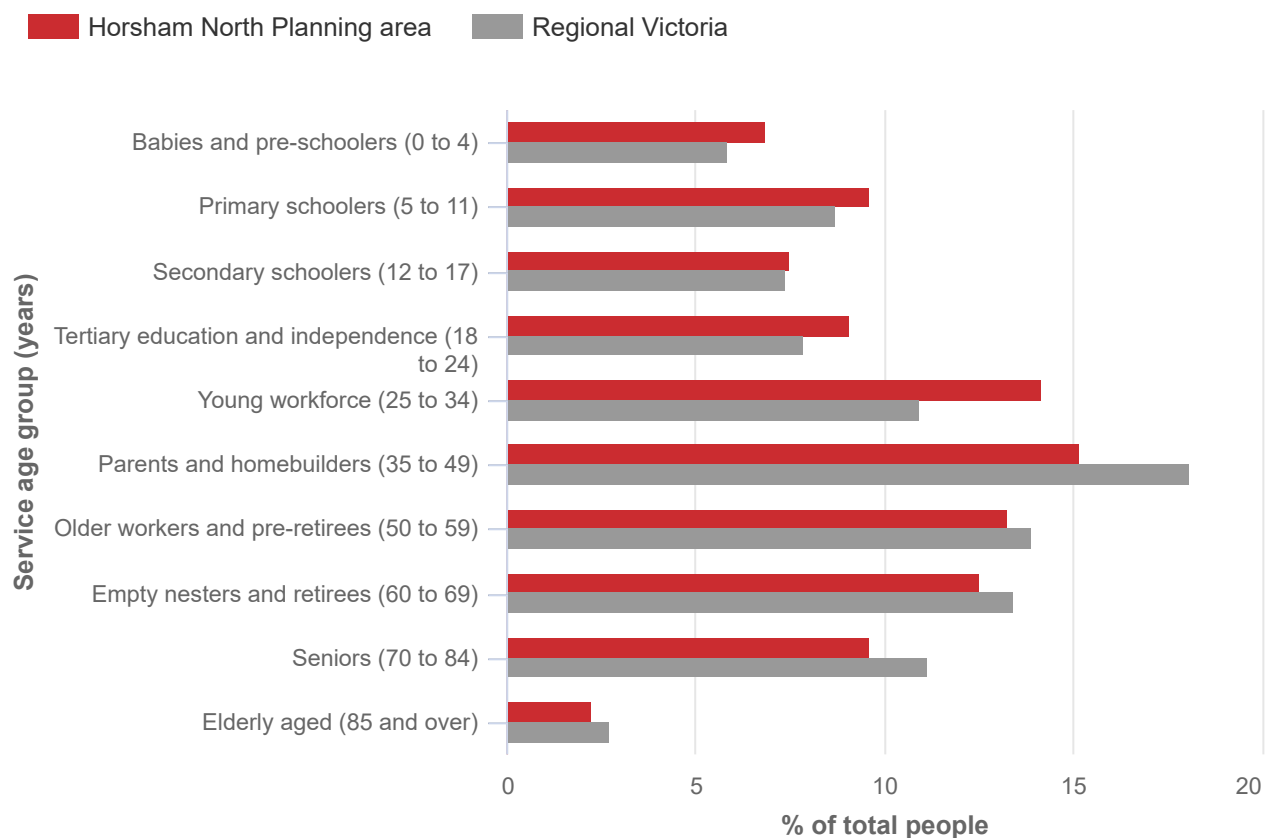
Horsham North Planning area - Total persons (Usual residence)	2016			2011			Change
Service age group (years)	Number	%	Regional Victoria %	Number	%	Regional Victoria %	2011 to 2016
Babies and pre-schoolers (0 to 4)	284	6.9	5.8	326	7.8	6.3	-43
Primary schoolers (5 to 11)	396	9.6	8.7	385	9.2	8.8	+12
Secondary schoolers (12 to 17)	309	7.5	7.4	311	7.4	8.4	-3
Tertiary education and independence (18 to 24)	374	9.1	7.9	466	11.1	8.1	-92
Young workforce (25 to 34)	587	14.2	10.9	558	13.3	10.5	+29
Parents and homebuilders (35 to 49)	629	15.2	18.1	726	17.3	19.8	-97
Older workers and pre-retirees (50 to 59)	550	13.3	13.9	552	13.2	14.0	-3
Empty nesters and retirees (60 to 69)	519	12.5	13.4	378	9.0	11.9	+141
Seniors (70 to 84)	398	9.6	11.1	424	10.1	10.0	-26
Elderly aged (85 and over)	91	2.2	2.7	62	1.5	2.3	+30
Total	4,140	100.0	100.0	4,192	100.0	100.0	-52

Source: Australian Bureau of Statistics, Census of Population and Housing 2011 and 2016. Compiled and presented by .id (informed decisions).

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Age structure - service age groups, 2016

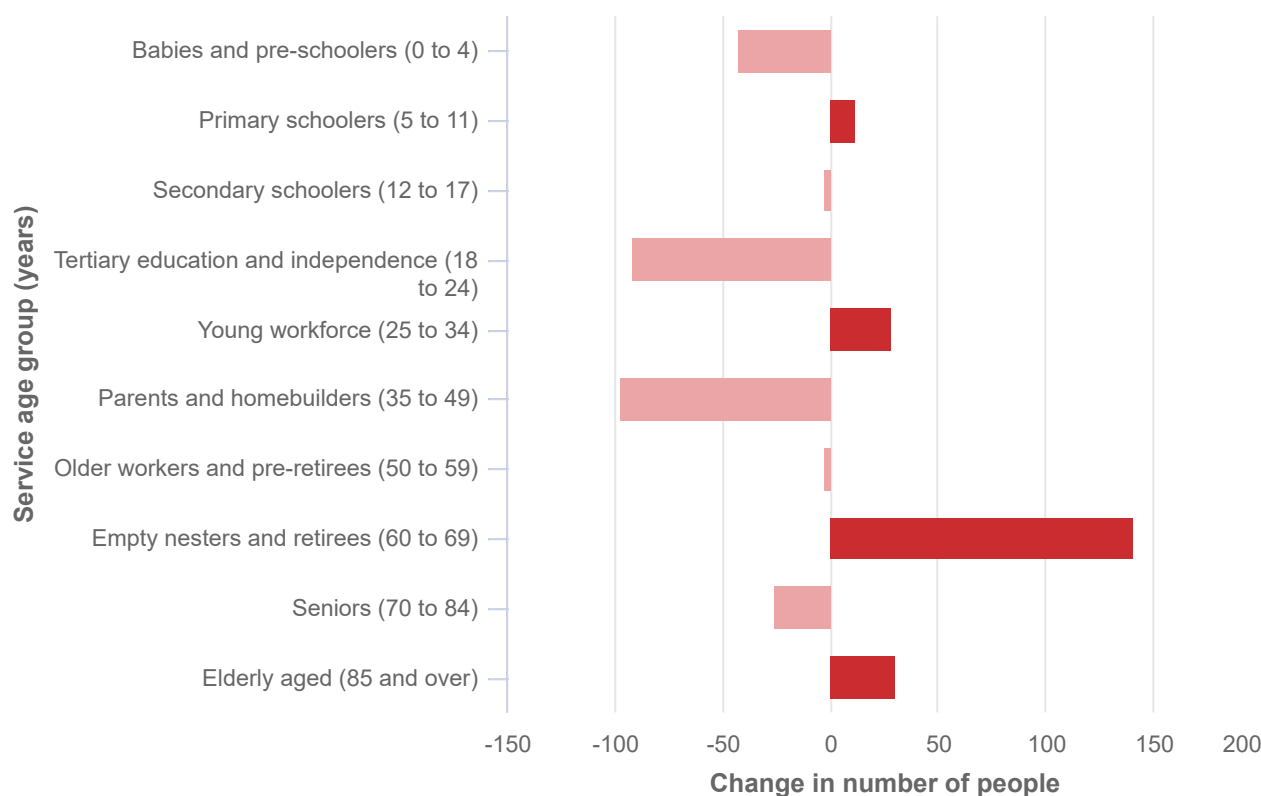
Total persons



Source: Australian Bureau of Statistics, [Census of Population and Housing](#), 2016 (Usual residence data). Compiled and presented in profile.id by [.id](#) (informed decisions).

Change in age structure - service age groups, 2011 to 2016

Horsham North Planning area - Total persons



Source: Australian Bureau of Statistics, [Census of Population and Housing](#), 2011 and 2016 (Usual residence data). Compiled and presented in profile.id by [.id](#) (informed decisions).

Dominant groups

Analysis of the service age groups of Horsham North Planning area in 2016 compared to Regional Victoria shows that there was a higher proportion of people in the younger age groups (0 to 17 years) and a lower proportion of people in the older age groups (60+ years).

Overall, 23.9% of the population was aged between 0 and 17, and 24.4% were aged 60 years and over, compared with 21.9% and 27.3% respectively for Regional Victoria.

The major differences between the age structure of Horsham North Planning area and Regional Victoria were:

- A *larger* percentage of 'Young workforce' (14.2% compared to 10.9%)
- A *larger* percentage of 'Tertiary education & independence' (9.1% compared to 7.9%)
- A *smaller* percentage of 'Parents and homebuilders' (15.2% compared to 18.1%)
- A *smaller* percentage of 'Seniors' (9.6% compared to 11.1%)

Emerging groups

From 2011 to 2016, Horsham North Planning area's population decreased by 52 people (1.2%). This represents an average annual population change of -0.25% per year over the period.

The largest changes in the age structure in this area between 2011 and 2016 were in the age groups:

- Empty nesters and retirees (60 to 69) (+141 people)
- Parents and homebuilders (35 to 49) (-97 people)
- Tertiary education and independence (18 to 24) (-92 people)

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Five year age groups

The Age Structure of Horsham North Planning area provides key insights into the level of demand for age based services and facilities such as child care. It is also an indicator of Horsham North Planning area's residential role and function and how it is likely to change in the future.

Five year age groups present a classic age profile of the population. Each age group covers exactly five years, which enables direct comparison between each group.

To get a more complete picture Horsham North Planning area's Age Structure should be viewed in conjunction with Household Types and Dwelling Types.

Age structure - Five year age groups

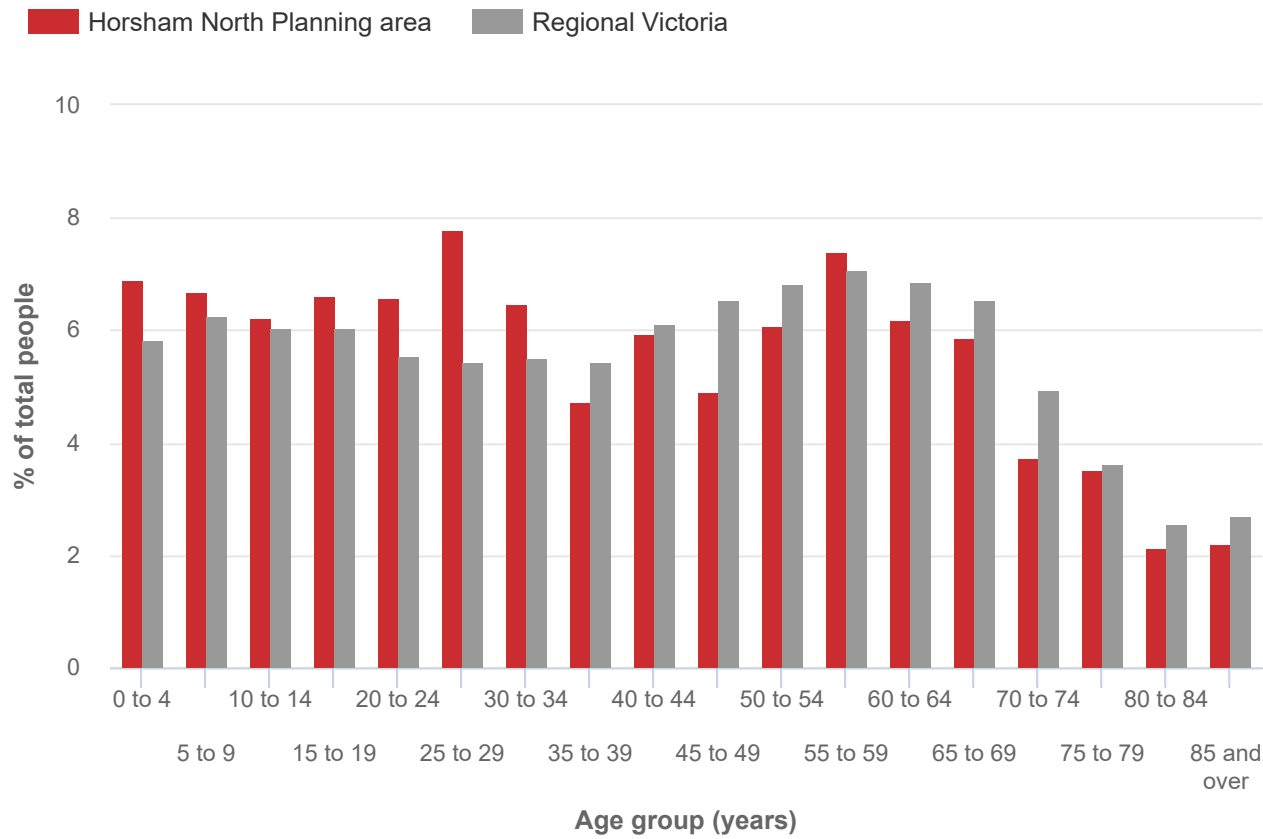
Horsham North Planning area - Total persons (Usual residence)	2016			2011			Change
Five year age groups (years)	Number	%	Regional Victoria %	Number	%	Regional Victoria %	2011 to 2016
0 to 4	284	6.9	5.8	326	7.8	6.3	-43
5 to 9	275	6.7	6.3	261	6.2	6.2	+14
10 to 14	257	6.2	6.1	271	6.5	6.7	-14
15 to 19	273	6.6	6.1	284	6.8	6.8	-12
20 to 24	271	6.6	5.5	345	8.2	5.5	-74
25 to 29	322	7.8	5.4	318	7.6	5.2	+4
30 to 34	267	6.5	5.5	240	5.7	5.2	+27
35 to 39	195	4.7	5.4	288	6.9	6.1	-93
40 to 44	245	5.9	6.1	215	5.1	6.7	+30
45 to 49	202	4.9	6.6	222	5.3	7.0	-21
50 to 54	251	6.1	6.8	307	7.3	7.1	-56
55 to 59	305	7.4	7.1	245	5.9	6.9	+60
60 to 64	255	6.2	6.9	240	5.7	6.6	+15
65 to 69	242	5.9	6.6	137	3.3	5.2	+104
70 to 74	153	3.7	4.9	158	3.8	4.1	-4
75 to 79	145	3.5	3.6	127	3.0	3.2	+18
80 to 84	87	2.1	2.6	138	3.3	2.6	-51
85 and over	91	2.2	2.7	62	1.5	2.3	+30
Total population	4,127	100.0	100.0	4,192	100.0	100.0	-65

Source: Australian Bureau of Statistics, Census of Population and Housing 2011 and 2016. Compiled and presented by .id (informed decisions).

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Age structure - five year age groups, 2016

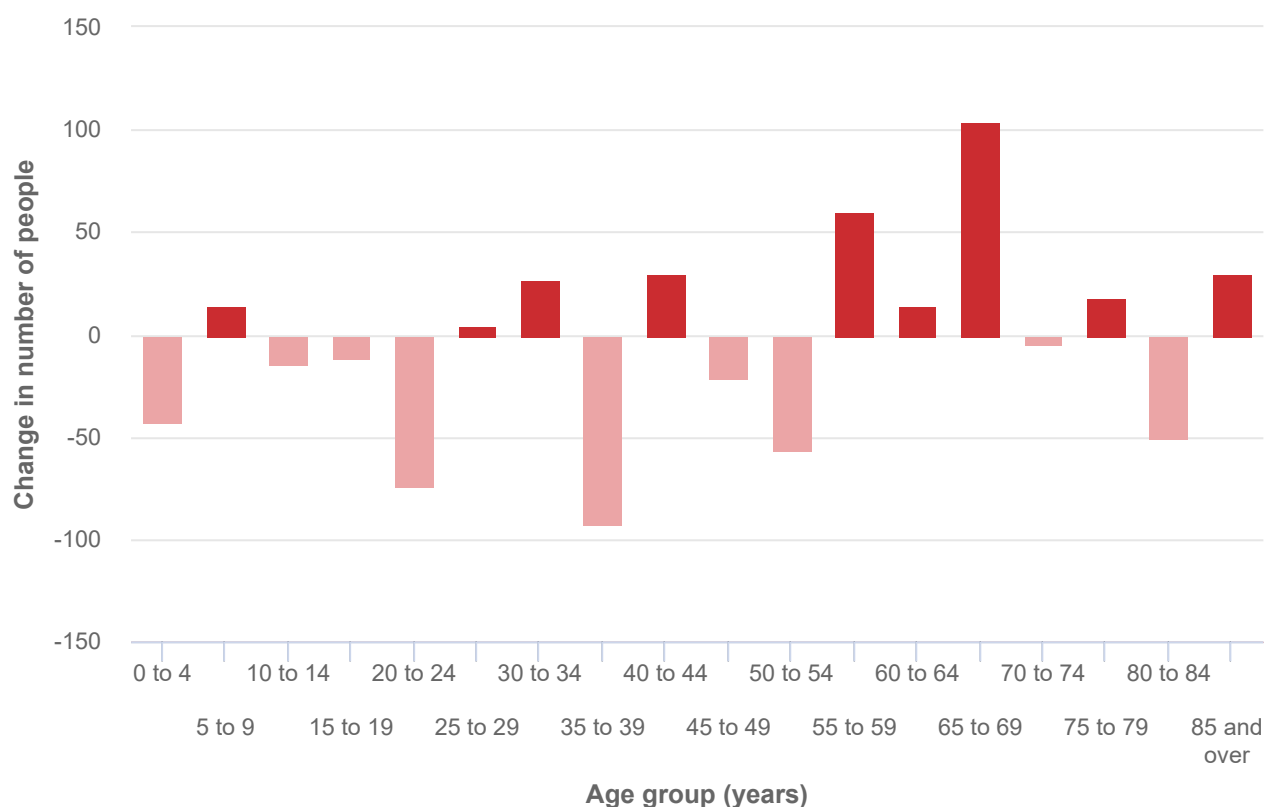
Total persons



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Change in age structure - five year age groups, 2011 to 2016

Horsham North Planning area - Total persons



Source: Australian Bureau of Statistics, [Census of Population and Housing](#), 2011 and 2016 (Usual residence data). Compiled and presented in profile.id by [.id](#) (informed decisions).

Dominant groups

Analysis of the five year age groups of Horsham North Planning area in 2016 compared to Regional Victoria shows that there was a higher proportion of people in the younger age groups (under 15) and a lower proportion of people in the older age groups (65+).

Overall, 19.8% of the population was aged between 0 and 15, and 17.5% were aged 65 years and over, compared with 18.2% and 20.4% respectively for Regional Victoria.

The major differences between the age structure of Horsham North Planning area and Regional Victoria were:

- A *larger* percentage of persons aged 25 to 29 (7.8% compared to 5.4%)
- A *larger* percentage of persons aged 0 to 4 (6.9% compared to 5.8%)
- A *smaller* percentage of persons aged 45 to 49 (4.9% compared to 6.6%)
- A *smaller* percentage of persons aged 70 to 74 (3.7% compared to 4.9%)

Emerging groups

From 2011 to 2016, Horsham North Planning area's population decreased by 65 people (1.6%). This represents an average annual population change of -0.31% per year over the period.

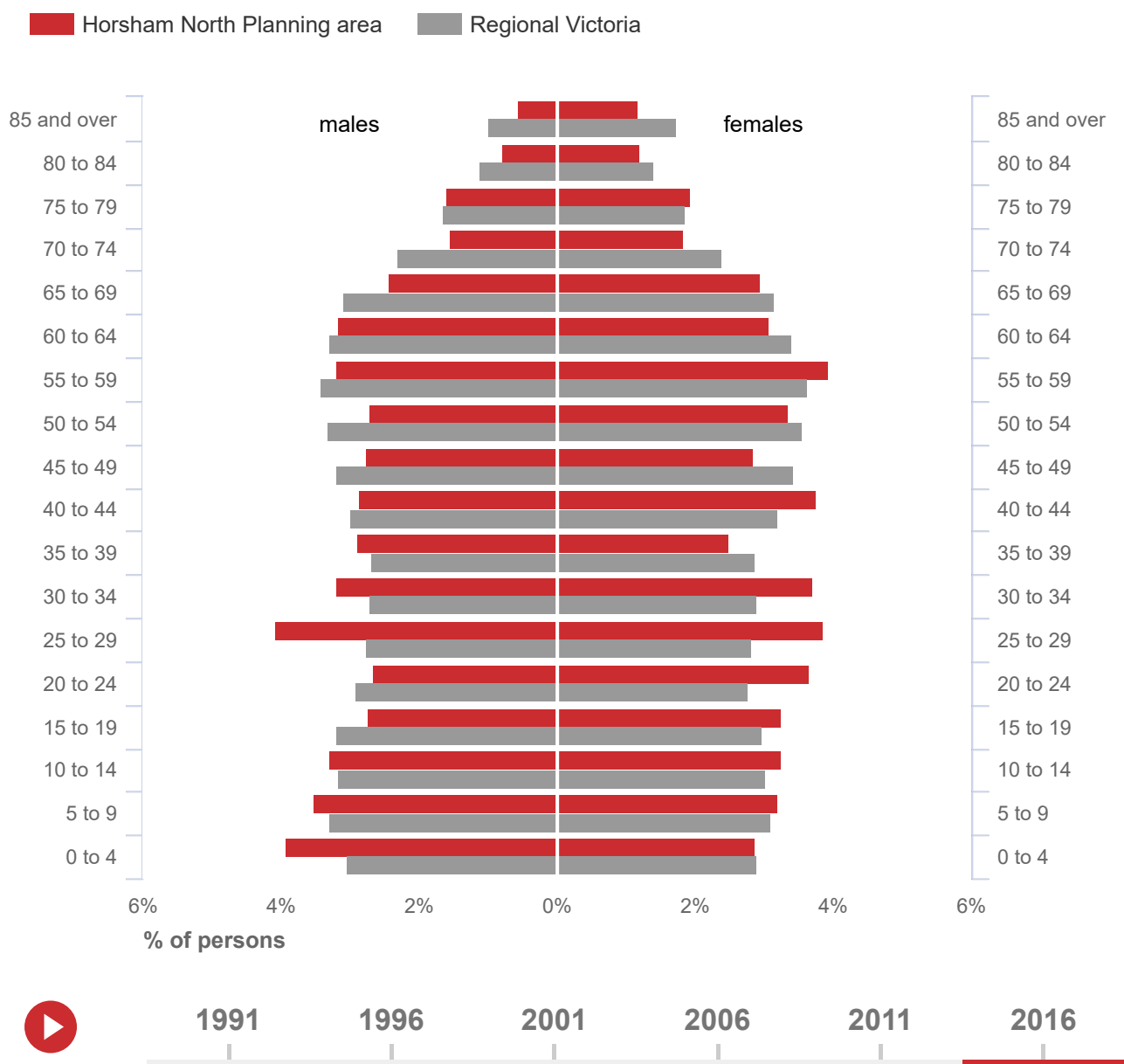
The largest changes in age structure in this area between 2011 and 2016 were in the age groups:

- 65 to 69 (+104 persons)
- 35 to 39 (-93 persons)
- 20 to 24 (-74 persons)
- 55 to 59 (+60 persons)

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Age-sex pyramid

Age-sex pyramid, 2016



Source: Australian Bureau of Statistics, [Census of Population and Housing](#), selected years between 1991-2016 (Enumerated data).
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The age-sex pyramid is a demographic tool which shows patterns of change in the age structure and sex ratio of an area over time. Its name comes from the traditional pyramid shape of an area which indicates a lot of children in large families, with a lower life expectancy and relatively few elderly. This shape is quite rare in developed nations like Australia. As nations and areas transition over time this shape turns into a column where there are less children a mix of ages including many elderly. Older areas with a lot of retirees or relatively few births may have a "reverse" pyramid formation where the largest proportion of the population is at the top of the chart. The sex ratio of males to females can also be seen - young areas are likely to have more males, while elderly areas generally have more females due to longer life expectancy.

The age-sex pyramid should be used in conjunction with Household Types and Dwelling Types information to build up a picture of who is living in the area and how it is changing over time.

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Ancestry

Ancestry defines the cultural association and ethnic background of an individual going back three generations. Ancestry is a good measure of the total size of cultural groups in Horsham North Planning area regardless of where they were born or what language they speak.

Ancestry data, should be combined with data on **Birthplace**, **Language Spoken at Home** and **Religion** for a more complete picture of Horsham North Planning area's ethnic characteristics.

Please note that the "Australian Aboriginal" and "Torres Strait Islander" categories in this topic are not considered to be a reliable estimate of the indigenous peoples of Australia. For information on this group, please use the "Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Population" found on the **Population** page.

Please note: Due to changes in ABS rules around perturbation and additivity of data to protect the confidentiality of individuals in 2016, counts of ancestry groups and totals derived from them may differ slightly from those published by the ABS. For more information see notes on data confidentiality.

Ancestry - Ranked by size

Horsham North Planning area - Total persons (Usual residence)				2016			2011			Change
				Regional Victoria			Regional Victoria			2011 to 2016
Ancestry	Number	%	%	Number	%	%	Number	%	%	
English	1,753	42.4	40.1	1,807	43.1	39.9				-54
Australian	1,704	41.2	40.0	1,733	41.3	40.9				-29
Scottish	453	11.0	11.3	422	10.1	10.9				+32
Irish	417	10.1	13.0	402	9.6	12.6				+15
German	412	10.0	4.6	459	10.9	4.6				-47
Italian	106	2.6	3.7	74	1.8	3.6				+32
Dutch	54	1.3	2.2	75	1.8	2.3				-22
Indian	24	0.6	0.7	21	0.5	0.5				+3
Australian Aboriginal	20	0.5	0.2	9	0.2	0.2				+11
Chinese	20	0.5	1.0	16	0.4	0.7				+4

Excludes ancestries with fewer than 10 responses (multi-response).

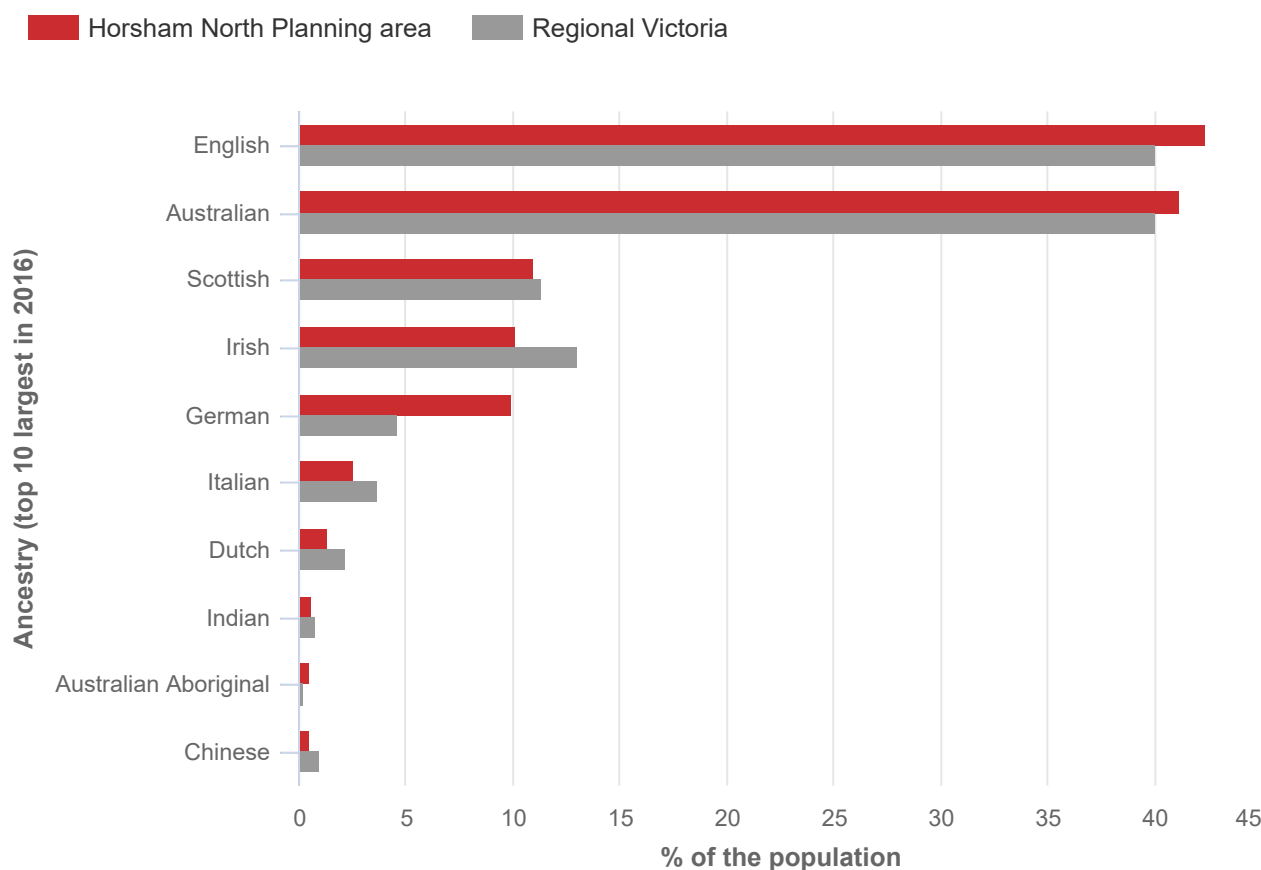
Ancestry - Totals

Horsham North Planning area - Total persons (Usual residence)	2016			2011			Change
Ancestry totals	Number	%	Regional Victoria %	Number	%	Regional Victoria %	2011 to 2016
Not stated	324	6.3	6.2	266	5.1	5.2	+59
Total responses	5,128	--	--	5,250	--	--	-122
Total people	4,140	--	--	4,192	--	--	-52

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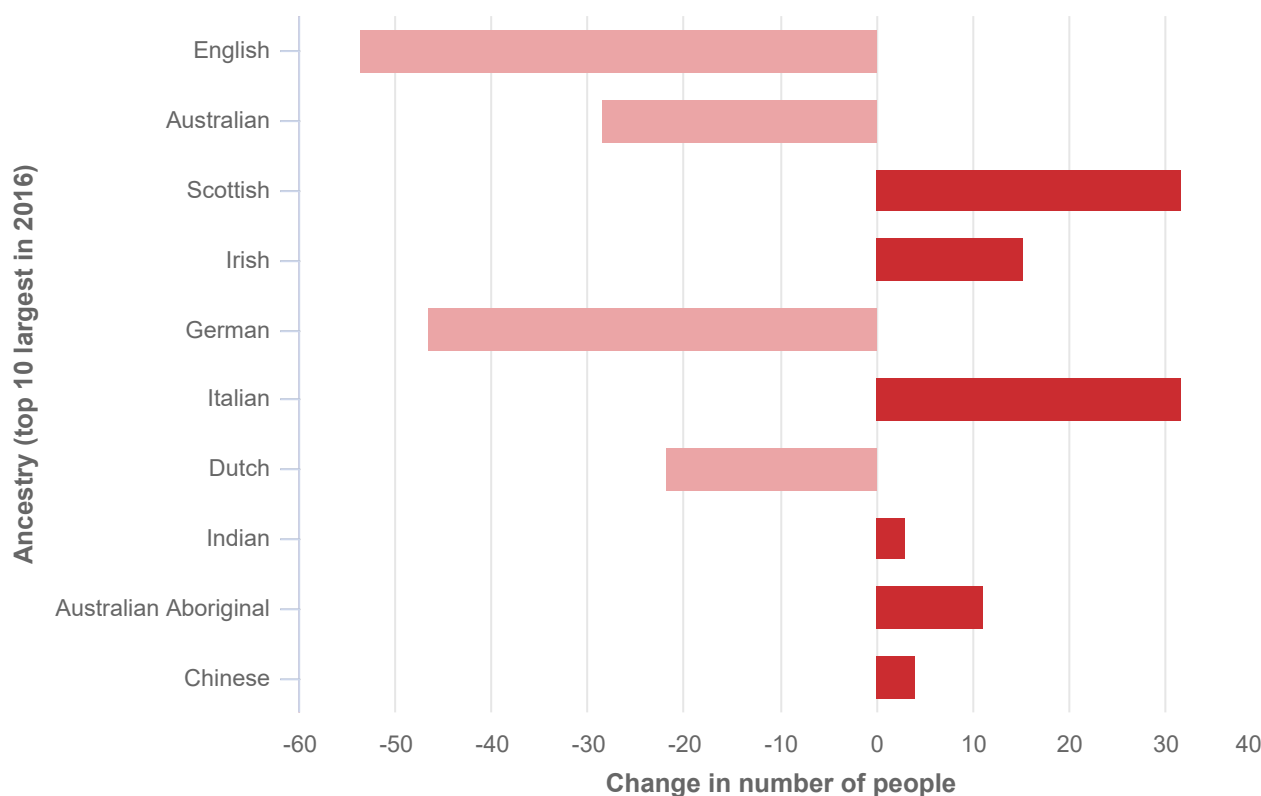
Ancestry, 2016



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Change in ancestry, 2011 to 2016

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Dominant groups

Analysis of the ancestry responses of the population in Horsham North Planning area in 2016 shows that the top five ancestries nominated were:

- English (1,753 people or 42.4%)
- Australian (1,704 people or 41.2%)
- Scottish (453 people or 11.0%)
- Irish (417 people or 10.1%)
- German (412 people or 10.0%)

In combination these five ancestries account for 4,739 responses in total, or 114.52% of all responses.

The major differences between the ancestries of the population in Horsham North Planning area and Regional Victoria were:

- A *larger* percentage of people with German ancestry (10.0% compared to 4.6%)
- A *larger* percentage of people with English ancestry (42.4% compared to 40.1%)
- A *larger* percentage of people with Australian ancestry (41.2% compared to 40.0%)
- A *smaller* percentage of people with Irish ancestry (10.1% compared to 13.0%)

Emerging groups

The largest change in the reported ancestries of the population in this area between 2011 and 2016 was:

- English (-54 persons)

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Birthplace

Country of Birth data identifies where people were born and is indicative of the level of cultural diversity in Horsham North Planning area. The mix of Country of Birth groups is also indicative of historical settlement patterns, as source countries for Australia's immigration program have varied significantly over time.

To get a more complete picture of cultural and ethnic characteristics, Horsham North Planning area's Country of Birth data should be viewed together with **Ancestry**, **Language Spoken at Home** and **Religion**.

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Birthplace - Summary

Horsham North Planning area - Total persons (Usual residence)	2016			2011			Change
Birthplace	Number	%	Regional Victoria %	Number	%	Regional Victoria %	2011 to 2016
Total overseas born	215	5.2	11.0	197	4.7	10.6	+18
Australia	3,566	86.8	80.7	3,782	90.0	84.3	-216
Not stated	326	7.9	8.3	222	5.3	5.0	+105
Total Population	4,108	100.0	100.0	4,201	100.0	100.0	-94

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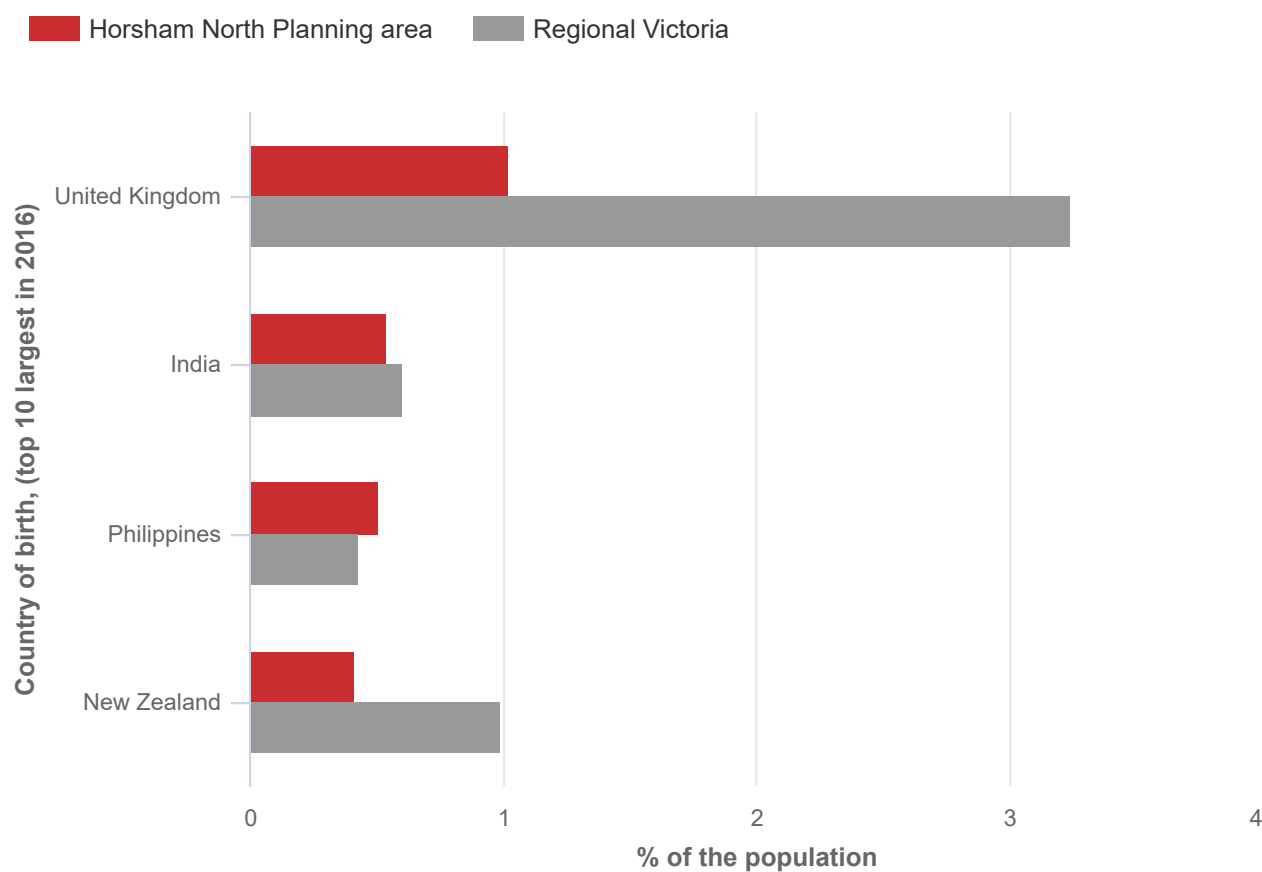
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Birthplace - Ranked by size

Horsham North Planning area - Overseas born (Usual residence)	2016			2011			Change
Birthplace	Number	%	Regional Victoria %	Number	%	Regional Victoria %	2011 to 2016
United Kingdom	42	1.0	3.2	41	1.0	3.5	0
India	22	0.5	0.6	18	0.4	0.4	+3
Philippines	20	0.5	0.4	13	0.3	0.3	+8
New Zealand	17	0.4	1.0	21	0.5	1.0	-4

Excludes countries of birth with fewer than 10 people.

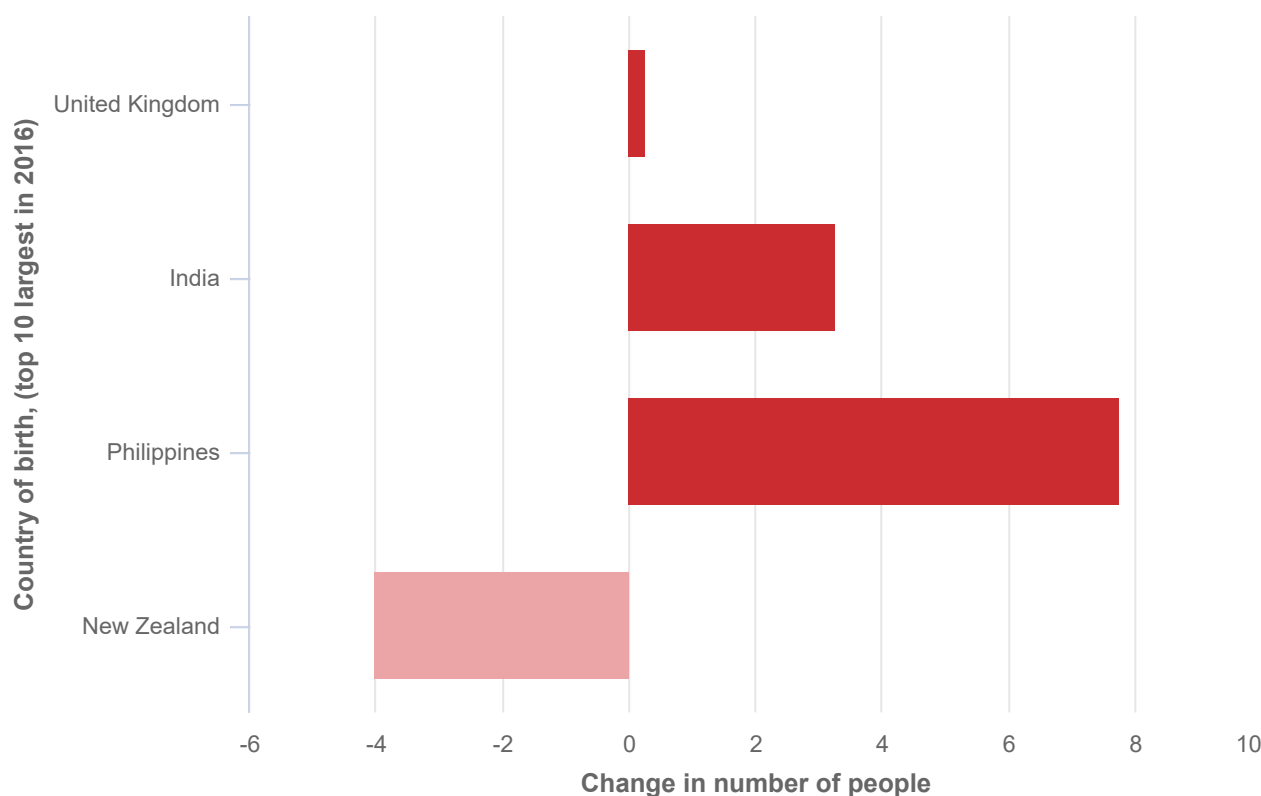
Birthplace, 2016



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Change in birthplace, 2011 to 2016

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Dominant groups

Analysis of the country of birth of the population in Horsham North Planning area in 2016 compared to Regional Victoria shows that there was a smaller proportion of people born overseas.

Overall, 5.2% of the population was born overseas, compared with 11.0% for Regional Victoria.

The major difference between the countries of birth of the population in Horsham North Planning area and Regional Victoria was:

- A *smaller* percentage of people born in United Kingdom (1.0% compared to 3.2%)

Emerging groups

Between 2011 and 2016, the number of people born overseas increased by 18 or 9.1%.

There were no major differences in Horsham North Planning area between 2011 and 2016.

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Overseas arrivals

The Year of Arrival data records when the overseas born population arrived in Australia. The data shows the degree to which areas are 'ports' for new overseas arrivals and reveals the role of Horsham North Planning area in housing the overseas-born. The number of recent overseas arrivals in an area is often determined by housing affordability, employment opportunities and pre-existing communities located in the area.

Horsham North Planning area's Year of Arrival data, when used with Birthplace, Religion and Language Spoken at Home data, is a good indicator of the likely need for services in migrant communities.

Overseas arrivals

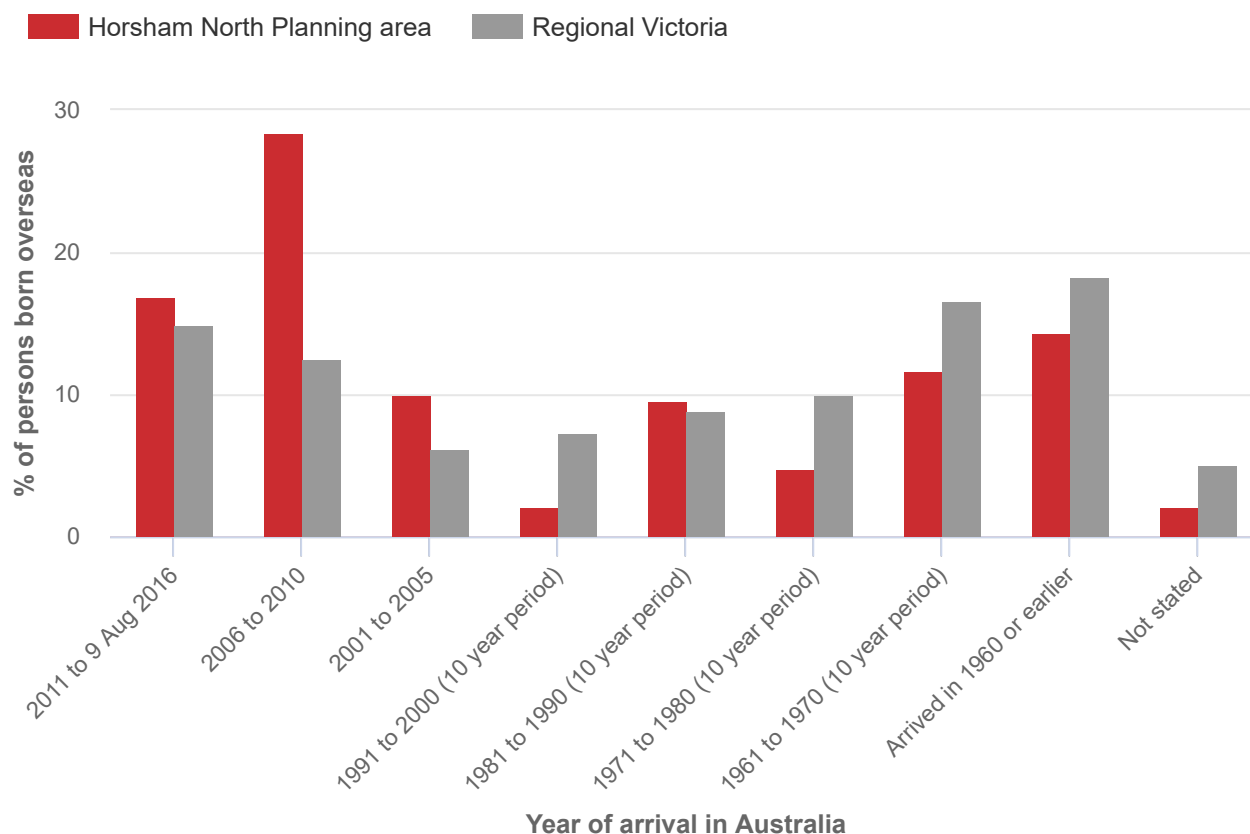
Horsham North Planning area - Overseas born (Usual residence)	2016		
Year of arrival in Australia	Number	%	Regional Victoria %
2011 to 9 Aug 2016	32	16.9	14.9
2006 to 2010	53	28.4	12.5
2001 to 2005	19	10.1	6.3
1991 to 2000 (10 year period)	4	2.1	7.3
1981 to 1990 (10 year period)	18	9.5	8.9
1971 to 1980 (10 year period)	9	4.8	10.1
1961 to 1970 (10 year period)	22	11.6	16.6
Arrived in 1960 or earlier	27	14.4	18.4
Not stated	4	2.1	5.1
Total	189	100.0	100.0

Source: Australian Bureau of Statistics, Census of Population and Housing 2016. Compiled and presented by .id (informed decisions).

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Overseas arrivals, 2016

Total persons



Source: Australian Bureau of Statistics, Census of Population and Housing, 2016 (Usual residence data). Compiled and presented in profile.id by .id (informed decisions).

Dominant groups

Analysis of the year of arrival for the overseas born population of Horsham North Planning area in 2016 compared to Regional Victoria shows that there was a smaller proportion of people who arrived before 2001, and a larger proportion of recent overseas arrivals (those who arrived between 2011 to 9 Aug 2016).

Overall, 42.5% of the overseas born population arrived before 2001, and 17% arrived during or after 2011, compared with 61.2% and 14.9% respectively for Regional Victoria.

The major differences in year of arrival data in the population between Horsham North Planning area and Regional Victoria are:

- A *larger* percentage of arrivals between 2006 and 9 Aug 2011 (28.4% compared to 12.5%)
- A *smaller* percentage of arrivals between 1971 and 1980 (4.8% compared to 10.1%)
- A *smaller* percentage of arrivals between 1991 and 2000 (2.1% compared to 7.3%)
- A *smaller* percentage of arrivals between 1961 and 1970 (11.6% compared to 16.6%)

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Proficiency in English

Proficiency in English measures the self-assessed proficiency in spoken English of people who speak a language other than English at home. The data, when viewed with other ethnic and cultural indicators, such as **Ancestry**, **Country of Birth**, **Language Spoken at Home** and **Religion**, reflects Horsham North Planning area's ethnic composition and how long the overseas born have been in Australia. This helps service providers determine whether they need to communicate with the local population in languages other than English.

Proficiency in English

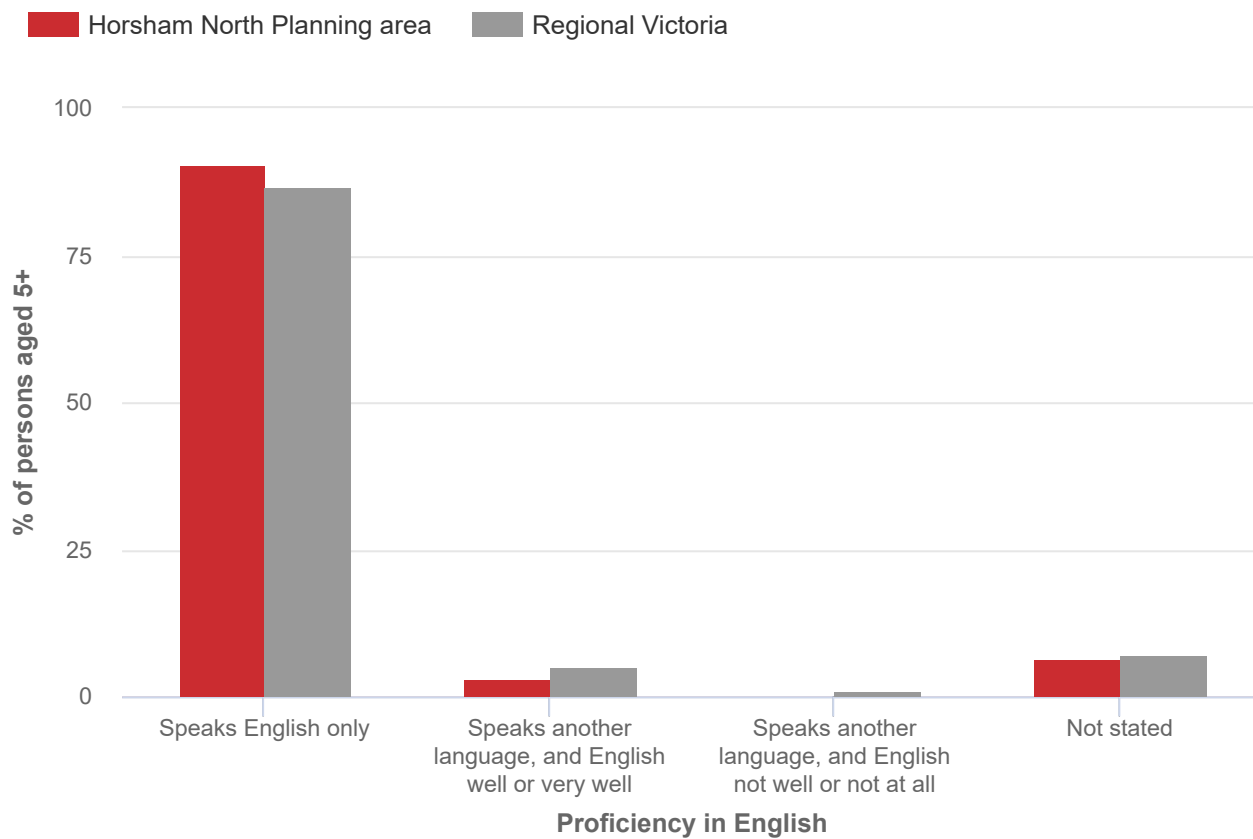
Horsham North Planning area - Total persons (Usual residence)	2016			2011			Change
English proficiency	Number	%	Regional Victoria %	Number	%	Regional Victoria %	2011 to 2016
Speaks English only	3,716	90.6	86.6	3,948	94.2	90.4	-232
Speaks another language, and English well or very well	119	2.9	5.2	92	2.2	4.6	+27
Speaks another language, and English not well or not at all	4	0.1	1.0	17	0.4	0.8	-14
Not stated	262	6.4	7.2	133	3.2	4.1	+129
Total population	4,101	100.0	100.0	4,191	100.0	100.0	-90

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Proficiency in English, 2016

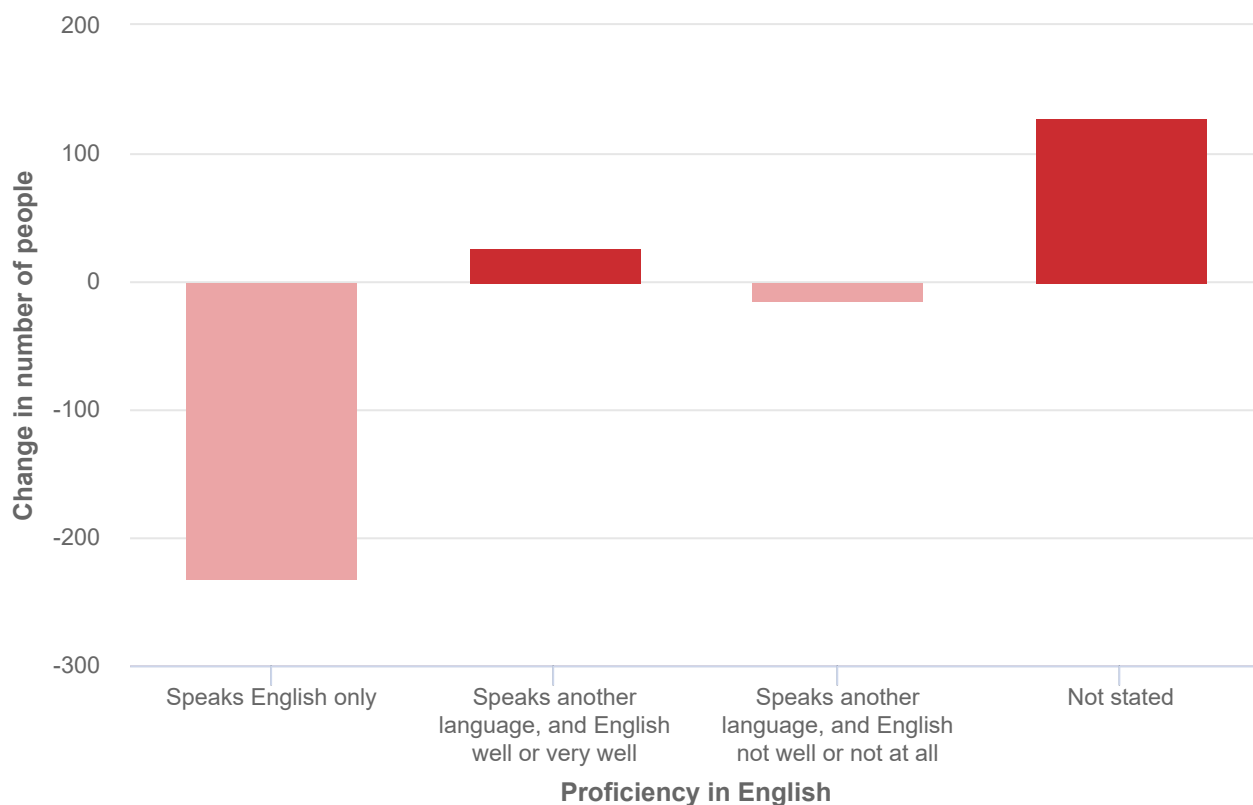
Total persons



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Change in Proficiency in English, 2011 to 2016

Horsham North Planning area - Total persons



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Dominant groups

Analysis of the proficiency in English data of the population in Horsham North Planning area in 2016 compared to Regional Victoria shows that there was a higher proportion of people who spoke English only, and a lower proportion of people who spoke another language and English not well or not at all.

Overall, 90.6% of people spoke English only, and 0.1% spoke another language and English not well or not at all, compared with 86.6% and 1.0% respectively for Regional Victoria.

Emerging groups

The most significant change in the proficiency in English of the population in this area between 2011 and 2016 was in those speaking:

- Speaks English only (-232 persons)

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Language spoken at home

Horsham North Planning area's language statistics show the proportion of the population who speak a language at home other than English. They indicate how culturally diverse a population is and the degree to which different ethnic groups and nationalities are retaining their language.

Horsham North Planning area's language statistics should be analysed in conjunction with **Country of Birth** and **Proficiency in English** to assist in identifying specific cultural and ethnic groups in the area and the services required by the multicultural community.

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Language spoken at home - Summary

Horsham North Planning area - Total persons (Usual residence)	2016			2011			Change
Language summary	Number	%	Regional Victoria %	Number	%	Regional Victoria %	2011 to 2016
Speaks English only	3,716	90.4	86.6	3,949	94.1	90.4	-234
Non-English total	114	2.8	6.0	102	2.4	5.3	+12
Not stated	282	6.9	7.4	143	3.4	4.3	+139
Total Population	4,112	100.0	100.0	4,195	100.0	100.0	-83

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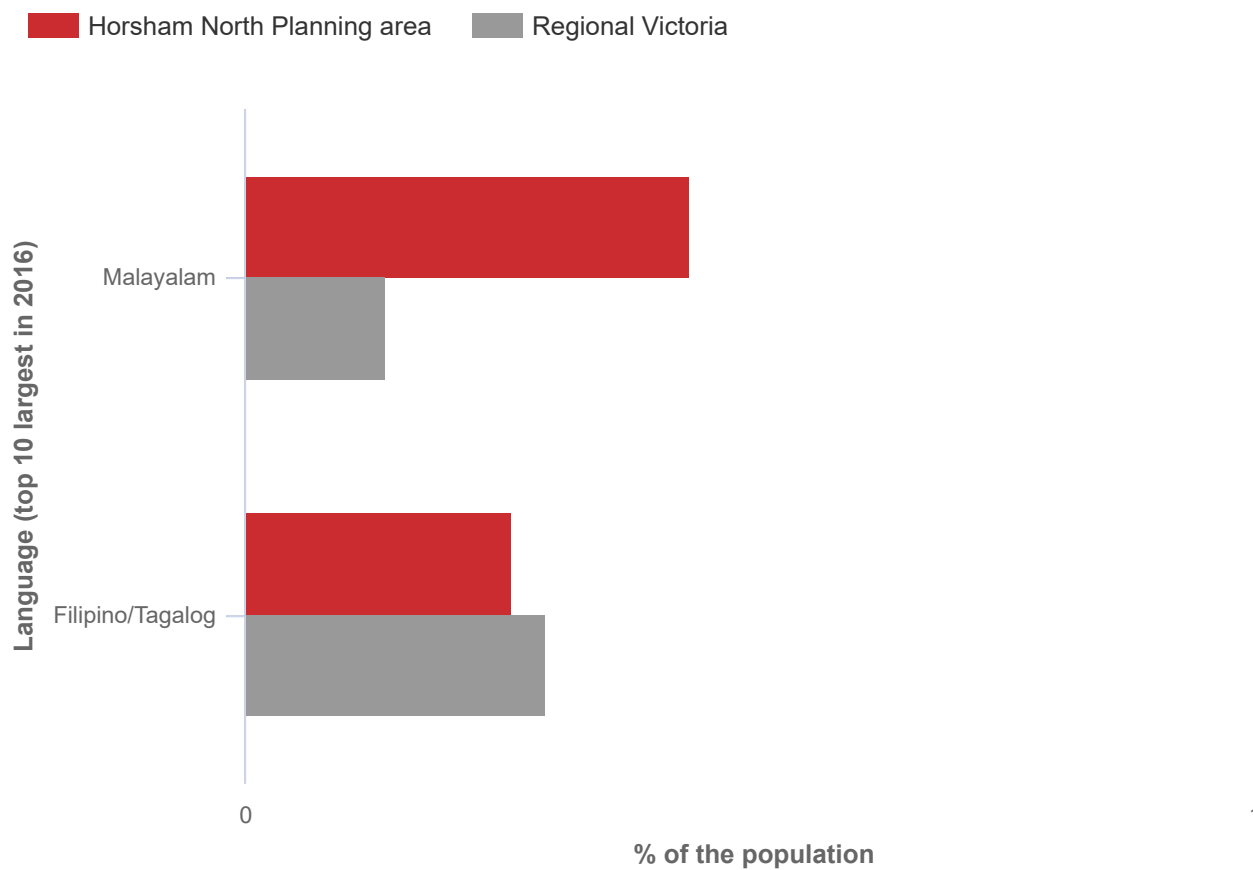
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Language spoken at home - Ranked by size

Horsham North Planning area - Total persons (Usual residence)	2016			2011			Change
Language (excludes English)	Number	%	Regional Victoria %	Number	%	Regional Victoria %	2011 to 2016
Malayalam	18	0.4	0.1	11	0.3	0.1	+6
Filipino/Tagalog	10	0.3	0.3	11	0.3	0.2	0

Excludes languages spoken at home by fewer than 10 people.

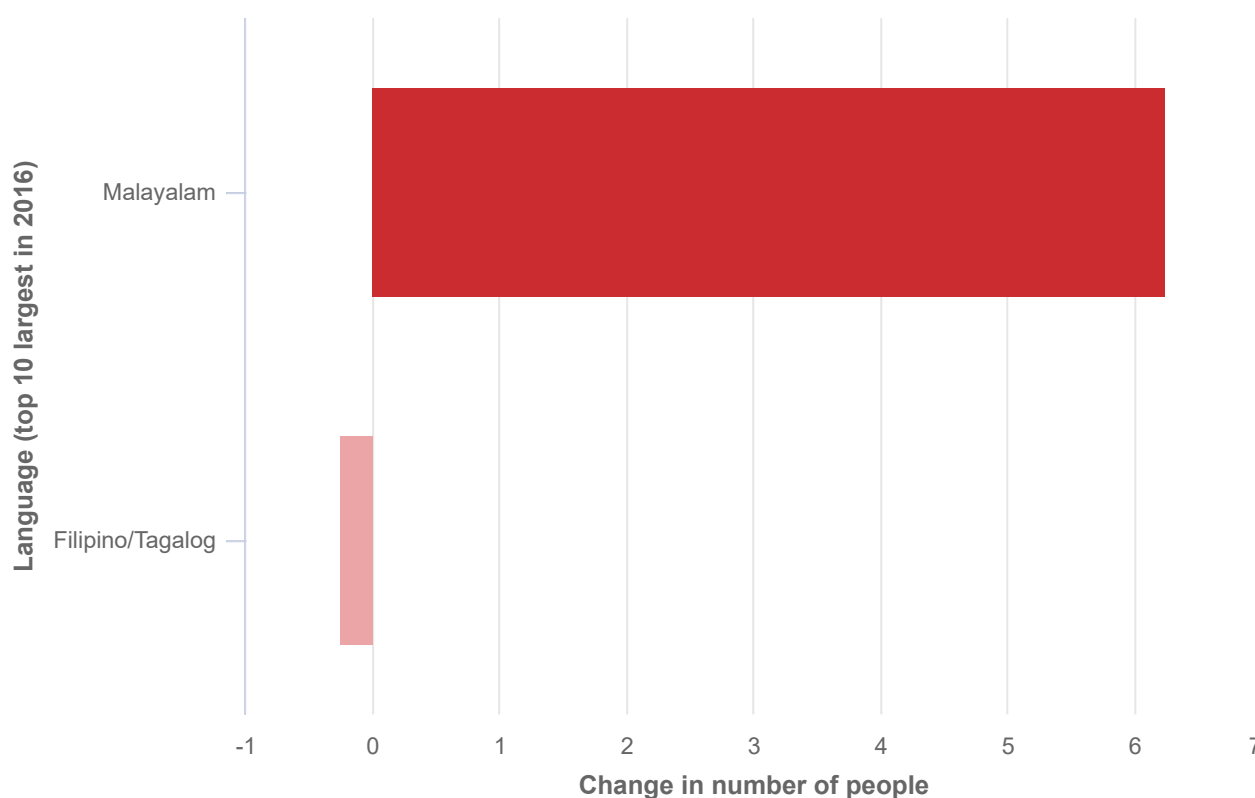
Language spoken at home, 2016



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Change in language spoken at home, 2011 to 2016

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Dominant groups

Analysis of the language spoken at home by the population of Horsham North Planning area in 2016 compared to Regional Victoria shows that there was a larger proportion of people who spoke English only, and a smaller proportion of those speaking a non-English language (either exclusively, or in addition to English).

Overall, 90.4% of the population spoke English only, and 2.8% spoke a non-English language, compared with 86.6% and 6.0% respectively for Regional Victoria.

The dominant language spoken at home, other than English, in Horsham North Planning area was Malayalam, with 0.4% of the population, or 18 people speaking this language at home.

There were no major differences between Horsham North Planning area and Regional Victoria in 2016.

Emerging groups

Between 2011 and 2016, the number of people who spoke a language other than English at home increased by 12 or 11.8%, and the number of people who spoke English only decreased by 233 or 5.9%.

There were no major differences in Horsham North Planning area between 2011 and 2016.

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Religion

Horsham North Planning area's religion statistics provide an indicator of cultural identity and ethnicity when observed in conjunction with other key variables. Religion data reveal the major concentrations of religions as well as revealing the proportion of people with no religious affiliation. There are a number of reasons for different religious compositions across areas including the country of birth and ethnic background of the population, the age of the population (belief in religion is generally stronger, the older the population) and changes in values and belief systems.

Horsham North Planning area's religion statistics should be analysed in conjunction with other ethnicity statistics such as **Country of Birth** data and **Language Spoken** data to assist in identifying specific cultural and ethnic groups.

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Religion - Summary

Horsham North Planning area - Total persons (Usual residence)	2016			2011			Change
Religion totals	Number	%	Regional Victoria %	Number	%	Regional Victoria %	2011 to 2016
Christian total	2,201	53.6	53.1	2,666	63.5	62.7	-465
Non Christian total	66	1.6	2.4	54	1.3	2.0	+11
Non-classifiable religious belief	31	0.8	0.6	48	1.2	0.8	-18
No religion	1,435	35.0	34.0	1,064	25.4	25.4	+371
Not stated	370	9.0	9.8	362	8.6	9.0	+9
Total Population	4,104	100.0	100.0	4,195	100.0	100.0	-91

Source: Australian Bureau of Statistics, Census of Population and Housing 2011 and 2016. Compiled and presented by .id (informed decisions).

Please refer to specific data notes for more information

Religion - Ranked by size

Horsham North Planning area - Total persons (Usual residence)	2016			2011			Change
Religion	Number	%	Regional Victoria %	Number	%	Regional Victoria %	2011 to 2016
Western (Roman) Catholic	635	15.4	22.7	724	17.3	25.1	-90
Uniting Church	440	10.7	6.5	554	13.2	8.6	-114
Anglican	426	10.4	13.3	553	13.2	16.7	-127
Lutheran	302	7.3	0.9	422	10.1	1.3	-120
Presbyterian and Reformed	99	2.4	3.3	110	2.6	4.2	-12
Pentecostal	84	2.0	0.7	39	0.9	0.8	+45
Christian,nfd	55	1.4	2.1	59	1.4	1.9	-3
Churches of Christ	50	1.2	0.3	73	1.8	0.4	-24
Salvation Army	31	0.8	0.3	73	1.7	0.4	-42
Buddhism	28	0.7	0.8	33	0.8	0.7	-5

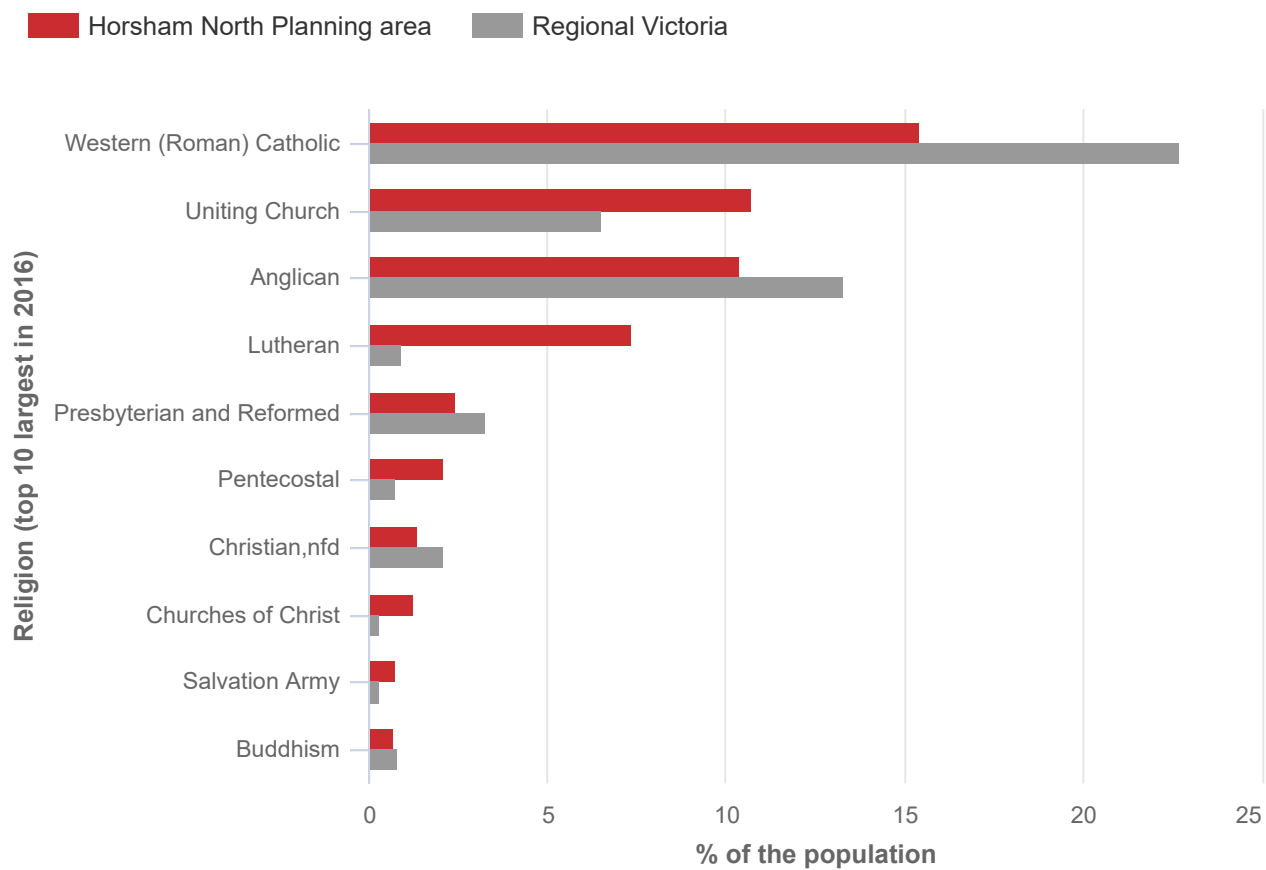
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Excludes religions with fewer than 10 adherents.

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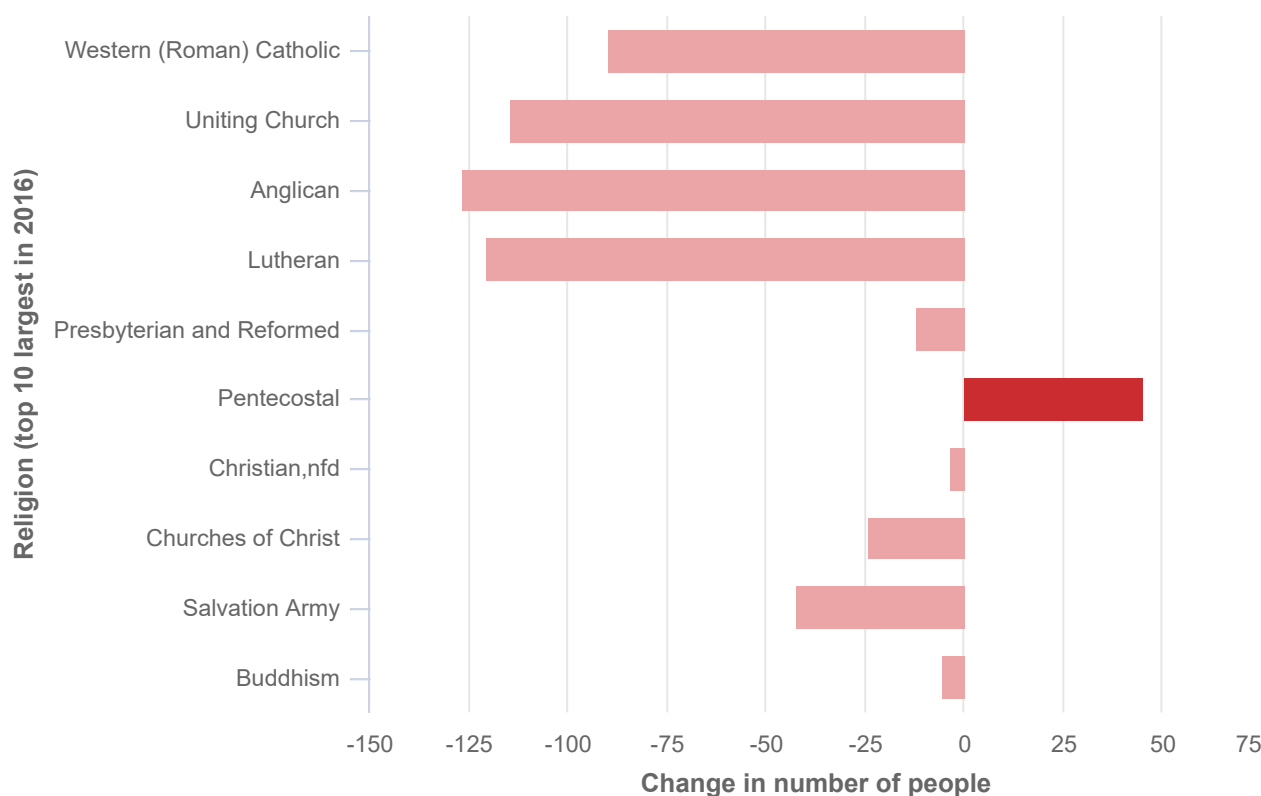
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Change in religion, 2011 to 2016

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Dominant groups

Analysis of the religious affiliation of the population of Horsham North Planning area in 2016 compared to Regional Victoria shows that there was a similar proportion of people who professed a religion and a higher proportion who stated they had no religion.

Overall, 55.2% of the population nominated a religion, and 35.0% said they had no religion, compared with 55.6% and 34.0% respectively for Regional Victoria.

The largest single religion in Horsham North Planning area was Western (Roman) Catholic, with 15.4% of the population or 635 people as adherents.

The major differences between the religious affiliation for the population of Horsham North Planning area and Regional Victoria were:

- A *larger* percentage who nominated Lutheran (7.3% compared to 0.9%)
- A *larger* percentage who nominated Uniting Church (10.7% compared to 6.5%)
- A *smaller* percentage who nominated Western (Roman) Catholic (15.4% compared to 22.7%)
- A *smaller* percentage who nominated Anglican (10.4% compared to 13.3%)

Emerging groups

The largest changes in the religious affiliation of the population in Horsham North Planning area between 2011 and 2016 were for those who nominated:

- Anglican (-127 persons)
- Lutheran (-120 persons)
- Uniting Church (-114 persons)
- Western (Roman) Catholic (-90 persons)

Horsham North Planning area

Qualifications

Educational Qualifications relate to education outside of primary and secondary school and are one of the most important indicators of socio-economic status. With other data sources, such as **Employment Status**, **Income** and **Occupation**, Horsham North Planning area's Educational Qualifications help to evaluate the economic opportunities and socio-economic status of the area and identify skill gaps in the labour market.

Learn more about planning education provision [here](#).

Highest qualification achieved

Horsham North Planning area - Persons aged 15+ (Usual residence)	2016			2011			Change
Qualification level	Number	%	Regional Victoria %	Number	%	Regional Victoria %	2011 to 2016
Bachelor or Higher degree	228	6.9	14.5	193	5.8	12.5	+36
Advanced Diploma or Diploma	241	7.3	8.5	185	5.6	7.2	+56
Vocational	789	23.8	22.0	705	21.3	20.7	+84
No qualification	1,655	49.9	42.8	1,868	56.5	48.4	-213
Not stated	404	12.2	12.2	356	10.8	11.1	+48
Total persons aged 15+	3,320	100.0	100.0	3,309	100.0	100.0	+11

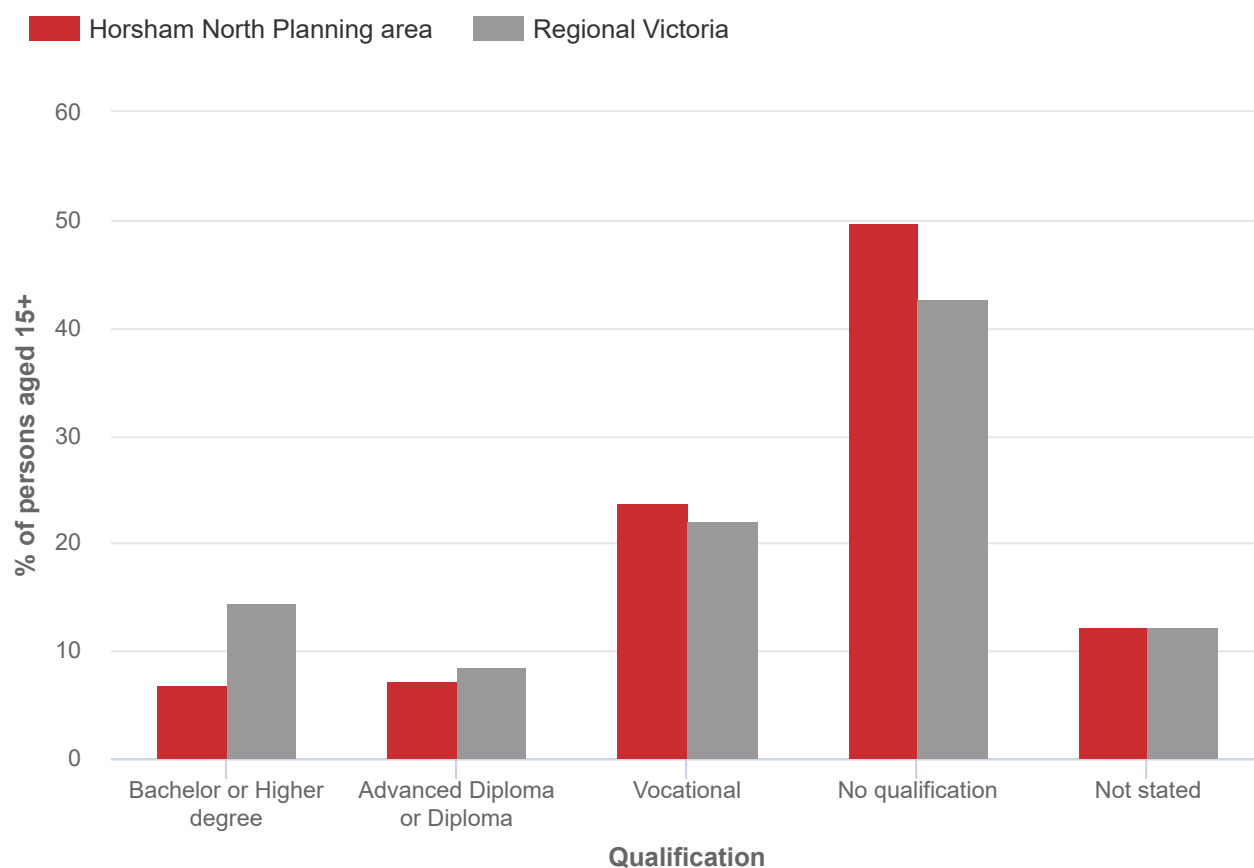
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[a People with university qualifications](#)

[a People with trade qualifications \(Certificate\)](#)

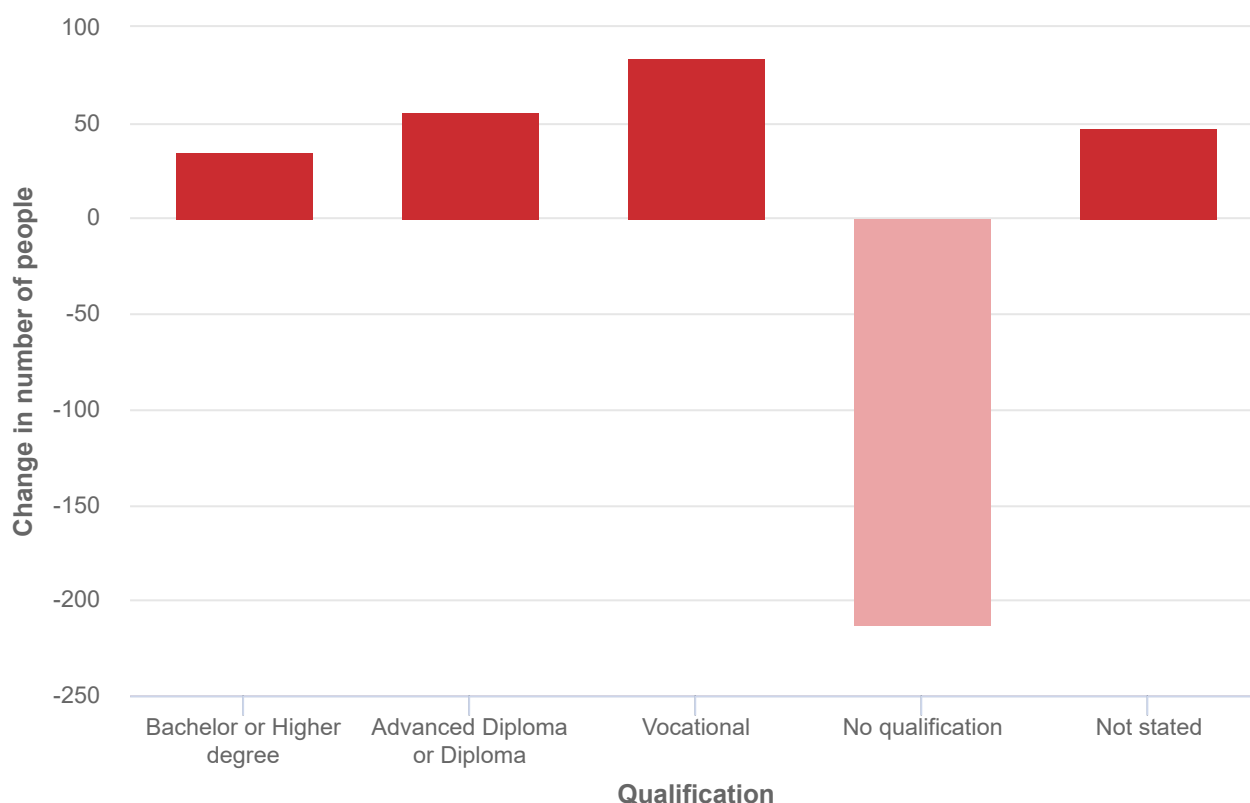
Highest qualification achieved, 2016



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Change in highest qualification achieved, 2011 to 2016

Horsham North Planning area - Total persons



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Dominant groups

Analysis of the qualifications of the population in Horsham North Planning area in 2016 compared to Regional Victoria shows that there was a lower proportion of people holding formal qualifications (Bachelor or higher degree; Advanced Diploma or Diploma; or Vocational qualifications), and a higher proportion of people with no formal qualifications.

Overall, 37.9% of the population aged 15 and over held educational qualifications, and 49.9% had no qualifications, compared with 45.0% and 42.8% respectively for Regional Victoria.

The major differences between qualifications held by the population of Horsham North Planning area and Regional Victoria were:

- A *larger* percentage of persons with No qualifications (49.9% compared to 42.8%)
- A *larger* percentage of persons with Vocational qualifications (23.8% compared to 22.0%)
- A *smaller* percentage of persons with Bachelor or Higher degrees (6.9% compared to 14.5%)
- A *smaller* percentage of persons with Advanced Diploma or Diplomas (7.3% compared to 8.5%)

Emerging groups

The largest changes in the qualifications of the population in Horsham North Planning area between 2011 and 2016 were in those with:

- No qualifications (-213 persons)
- Vocational qualifications (+84 persons)
- Advanced Diploma or Diplomas (+56 persons)

Horsham North Planning area

Highest level of schooling

Horsham North Planning area's school completion data is a useful indicator of socio-economic status. With other indicators, such as Proficiency in English, the data informs planners and decision-makers about people's ability to access services. Combined with Educational Qualifications it also allows assessment of the skill base of the population.

Learn more about planning education provision [here](#).

Highest level of secondary schooling completed

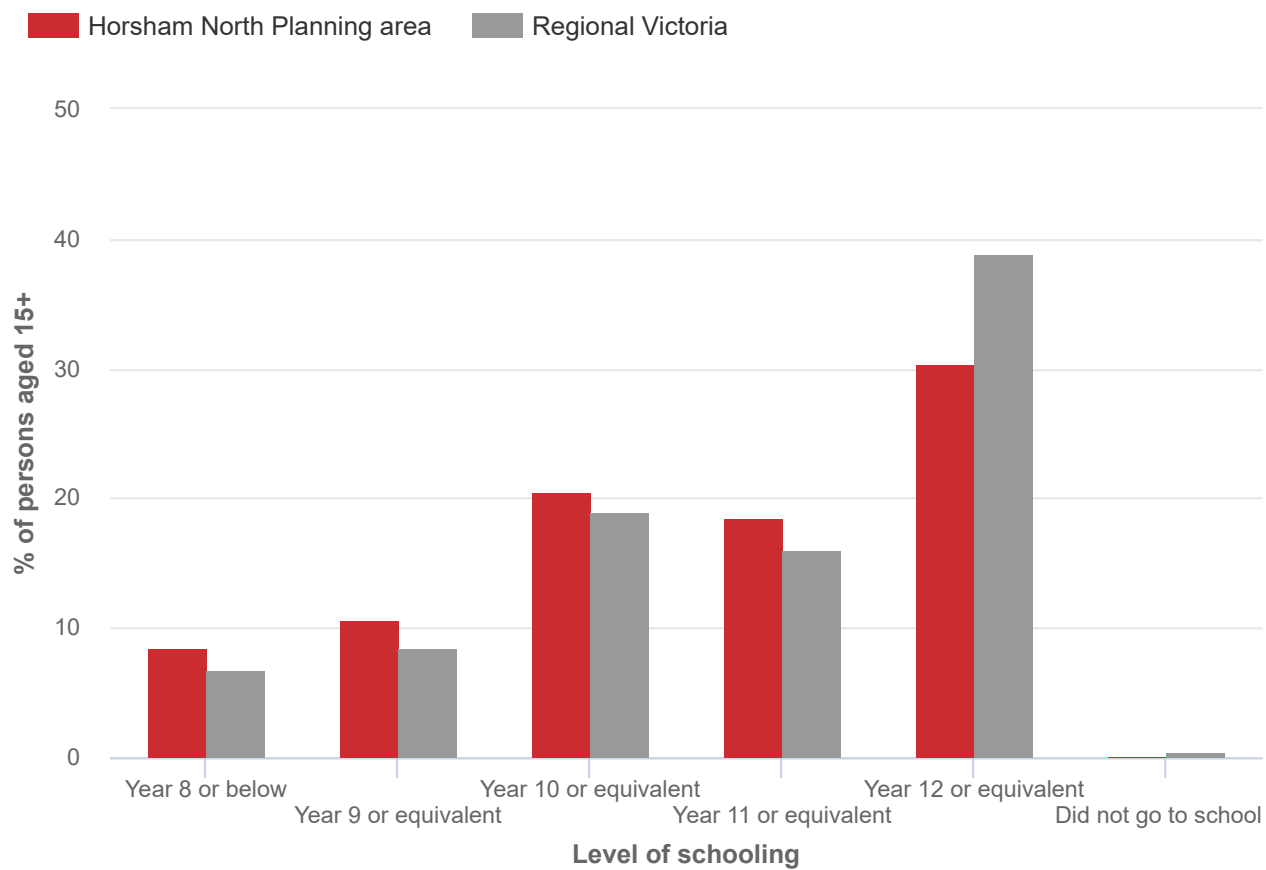
Horsham North Planning area - Total persons (Usual residence)	2016			2011			Change
Level of schooling	Number	%	Regional Victoria %	Number	%	Regional Victoria %	2011 to 2016
Year 8 or below	276	8.5	6.7	383	11.6	8.5	-107
Year 9 or equivalent	350	10.7	8.5	376	11.4	9.6	-27
Year 10 or equivalent	672	20.6	19.0	734	22.2	20.4	-63
Year 11 or equivalent	606	18.6	16.0	570	17.2	16.9	+36
Year 12 or equivalent	993	30.4	38.9	943	28.5	35.6	+50
Did not go to school	5	0.2	0.5	12	0.4	0.5	-7
Not stated	363	11.1	10.4	290	8.8	8.6	+73
Total persons aged 15+	3,267	100.0	100.0	3,311	100.0	100.0	-44

Source: Australian Bureau of Statistics, [Census of Population and Housing](#) 2011 and 2016. Compiled and presented by [.id](#) (informed decisions).

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a [People with below Year 11 schooling](#)

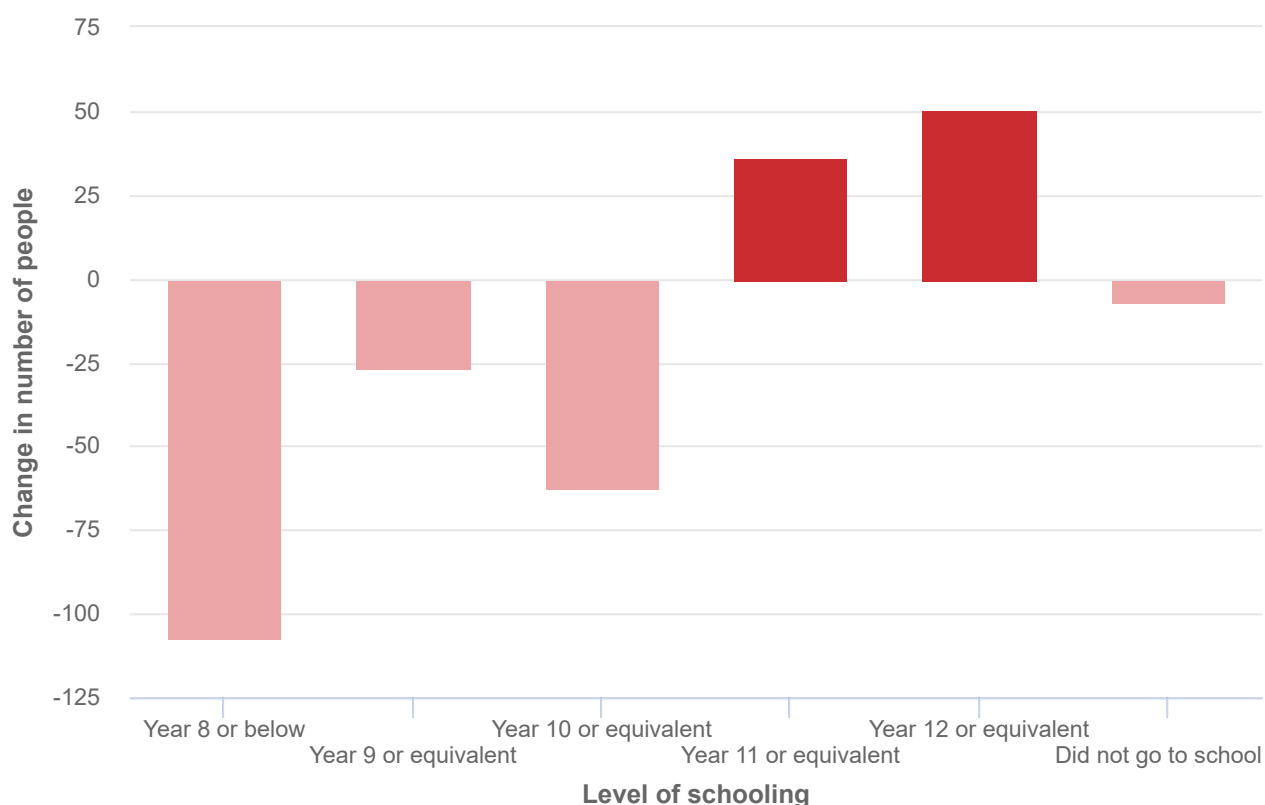
Highest level of schooling completed, 2016



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Change in highest level of schooling completed, 2011 to 2016

Horsham North Planning area - Total persons



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Dominant groups

Analysis of the highest level of schooling attained by the population in Horsham North Planning area in 2016 compared to Regional Victoria shows that there was a higher proportion of people who had left school at an early level (Year 10 or less) and a lower proportion of people who completed Year 12 or equivalent.

Overall, 39.9% of the population left school at Year 10 or below, and 30.4% went on to complete Year 12 or equivalent, compared with 34.7% and 38.9% respectively for Regional Victoria.

The major differences between the level of schooling attained by the population in Horsham North Planning area and Regional Victoria were:

- A *larger* percentage of persons who completed year 11 or equivalent (18.6% compared to 16.0%)
- A *larger* percentage of persons who completed year 9 or equivalent (10.7% compared to 8.5%)
- A *larger* percentage of persons who completed year 8 or below (8.5% compared to 6.7%)
- A *smaller* percentage of persons who completed year 12 or equivalent (30.4% compared to 38.9%)

Emerging groups

The largest changes in the level of schooling attained by the population in Horsham North Planning area, between 2011 and 2016 were:

- Year 8 or below (-107 persons)
- Year 10 or equivalent (-63 persons)
- Year 12 or equivalent (+50 persons)

Horsham North Planning area

Education institution attending

The share of Horsham North Planning area's population attending educational institutions reflects the age structure of the population, as it is influenced by the number of children attending school; proximity to tertiary education, which can mean young adults leaving home to be nearer to educational facilities and; the degree to which people are seeking out educational opportunities in adulthood, especially in their late teens and early twenties.

This data is often combined with **Age Structure** to identify areas with significant university student populations.

Learn more about planning education provision [here](#).

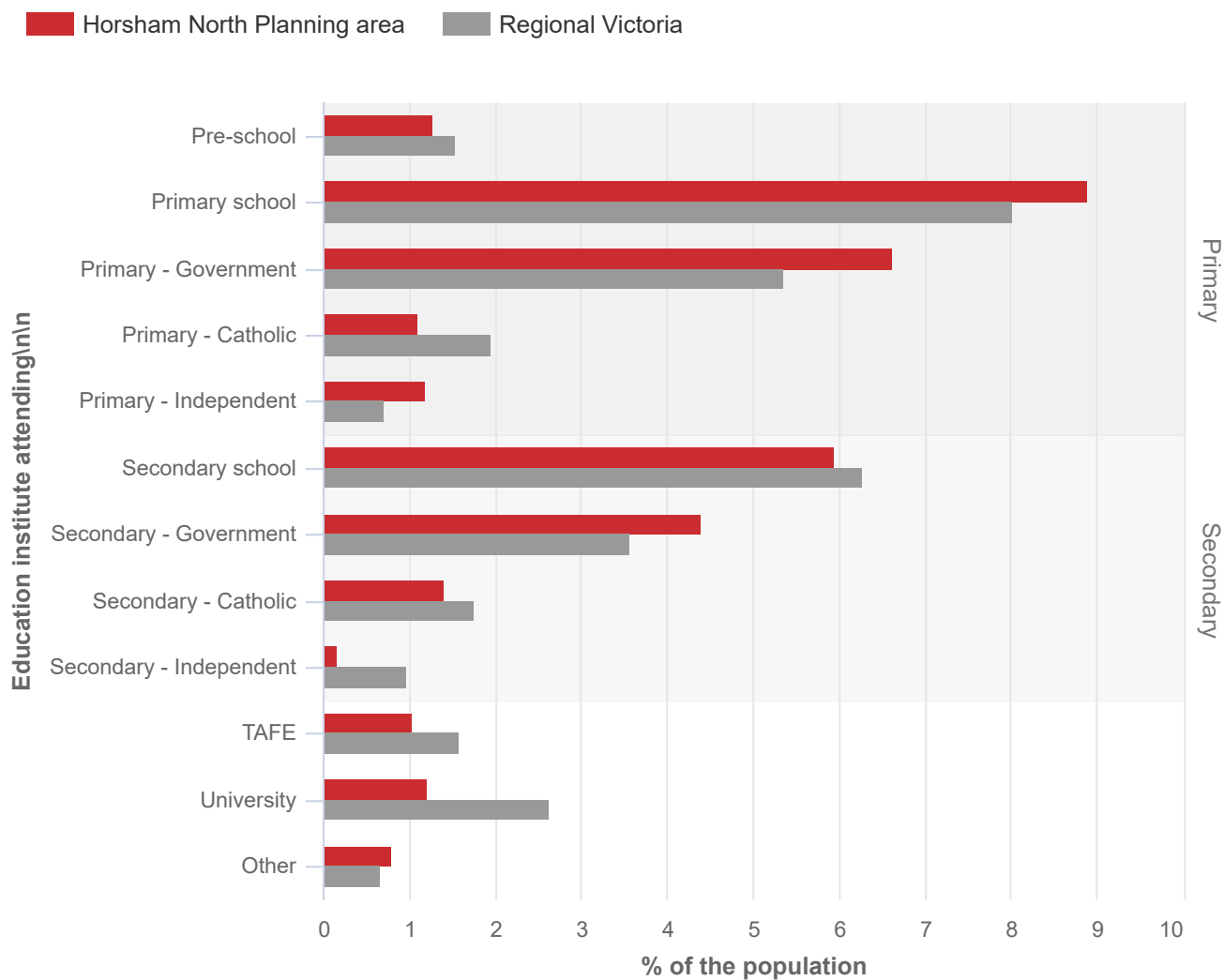
Education institution attending

Horsham North Planning area - Total persons (Usual residence)	2016			2011			Change
Type of institution	Number	%	Regional Victoria %	Number	%	Regional Victoria %	2011 to 2016
Pre-school	52	1.3	1.5	79	1.9	1.6	-27
Primary school	366	8.9	8.0	335	8.0	8.1	+31
Primary - Government	272	6.6	5.3	250	6.0	5.5	+23
Primary - Catholic	45	1.1	2.0	39	0.9	1.9	+5
Primary - Independent	48	1.2	0.7	45	1.1	0.7	+3
Secondary school	244	5.9	6.3	228	5.5	6.9	+16
Secondary - Government	181	4.4	3.6	180	4.3	4.2	+1
Secondary - Catholic	57	1.4	1.7	41	1.0	1.8	+16
Secondary - Independent	6	0.1	1.0	7	0.2	1.0	-1
TAFE	42	1.0	1.6	81	1.9	2.2	-39
University	49	1.2	2.6	64	1.5	2.4	-14
Other	32	0.8	0.7	26	0.6	0.7	+6
Not attending	2,963	72.0	70.8	3,113	74.3	71.5	-149
Not stated	366	8.9	8.5	264	6.3	6.6	+102
Total	4,117	100.0	100.0	4,192	100.0	100.0	-75

Source: Australian Bureau of Statistics, Census of Population and Housing 2011 and 2016. Compiled and presented by .id (informed decisions).

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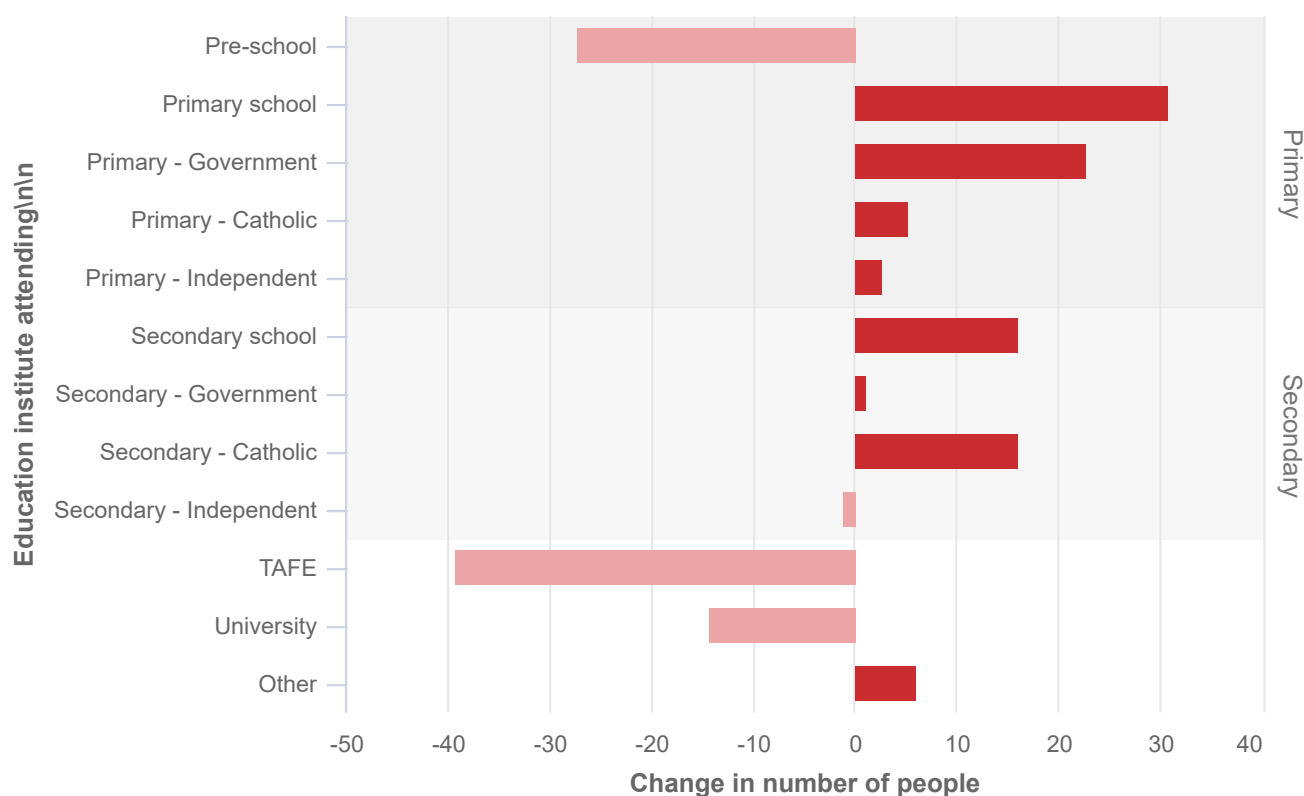
Education institution attending, 2016



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Change in education institution attending, 2011 to 2016

Horsham North Planning area - Total persons



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Dominant groups

Analysis of the share of the population attending educational institutions in Horsham North Planning area in 2016 compared to Regional Victoria shows that there was a higher proportion attending primary school, a similar proportion attending secondary school, and a lower proportion engaged in tertiary level education.

Overall, 8.9% of the population were attending primary school, 5.9% of the population were attending secondary institutions, and 2.2% were learning at a tertiary level, compared with 8.0%, 6.3% and 4.2% respectively for Regional Victoria.

The major differences between the share of the population attending learning institutions in Horsham North Planning area and Regional Victoria were:

- A *larger* percentage of persons attending a Catholic primary school (6.6% compared to 5.3%)
- A *larger* percentage of persons not attending (72.0% compared to 70.8%)
- A *smaller* percentage of persons attending University (1.2% compared to 2.6%)

Emerging groups

From 2011 to 2016, Horsham North Planning area's population decreased by 76 people (+1.8%). This represents an average annual change of -0.37% per year over the period.

There were no major differences in Horsham North Planning area between 2011 and 2016.

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Need for assistance

Horsham North Planning area's disability statistics relate directly to need for assistance due to a severe or profound disability. The information may be used in the planning of local facilities, services such as day-care and occasional care and in the provision of information and support to carers. Horsham North Planning area's disability statistics help in understanding the prevalence of people who need support in the community, and along with information on **Unpaid Care** to a person with a disability, how that support is provided.

*Please note: A person's reported need for assistance is based on a subjective assessment and should therefore be treated with caution. See the **specific data notes** for further detail.*

Due to changes in ABS rules concerning perturbation and additivity of data to protect the confidentiality of individuals in 2016, counts of individual age groups with a need for assistance in 2016 may not add up to the table total. The table total is independently calculated and will be closer to the true population requiring assistance. Due to ABS adjustments of small numbers, no reliability can be placed on small data cells in 2016. For more information please see the data notes on Data Confidentiality.

Need for assistance with core activities by age

Horsham North Planning area - Persons (Usual residence)	2016			2011			Change
Assistance needed by age group (years)	Number	% of total age group	Regional Victoria %	Number	% of total age group	Regional Victoria %	2011 to 2016
0 to 4	6	2.1	1.2	15	4.4	1.1	-9
5 to 9	11	4.0	3.8	21	7.8	3.2	-10
10 to 19	24	4.8	3.7	23	4.0	2.8	+1
20 to 59	63	3.2	3.5	85	3.9	3.2	-22
60 to 64	10	3.8	6.3	23	10.4	6.7	-14
65 to 69	22	9.7	7.3	15	10.0	7.3	+7
70 to 74	14	9.2	9.2	17	10.8	9.4	-3
75 to 79	19	13.7	13.3	24	20.1	14.6	-6
80 to 84	7	8.2	22.3	24	21.1	23.6	-18
85 and over	22	40.8	42.3	17	28.3	47.0	+5
Total persons needing assistance	272	6.6	6.0	267	6.4	5.7	+5

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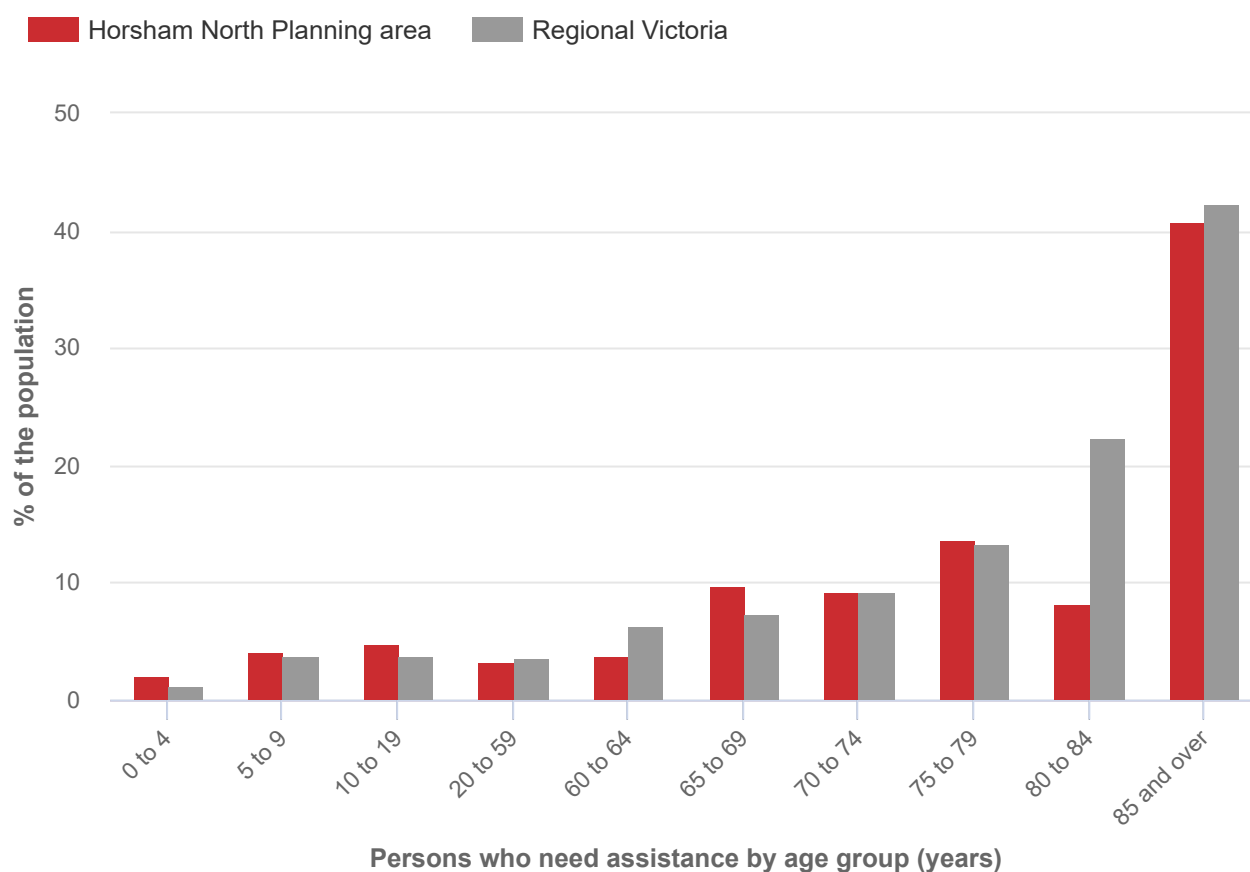
Need for assistance with core activities summary

Horsham North Planning area - Total persons (Usual residence)	2016			2011			Change
Assistance needed by age group (years)	Number	%	Regional Victoria %	Number	%	Regional Victoria %	2011 to 2016
Total persons needing assistance	272	6.6	6.0	267	6.4	5.7	+5
Total persons not needing assistance	3,548	86.3	85.9	3,768	89.9	89.4	-221
Not stated	293	7.1	8.0	154	3.7	4.9	+139
Total Population	4,113	100.0	100.0	4,190	100.0	100.0	-77

Source: Australian Bureau of Statistics, Census of Population and Housing 2011 and 2016. Compiled and presented by .id (informed decisions).

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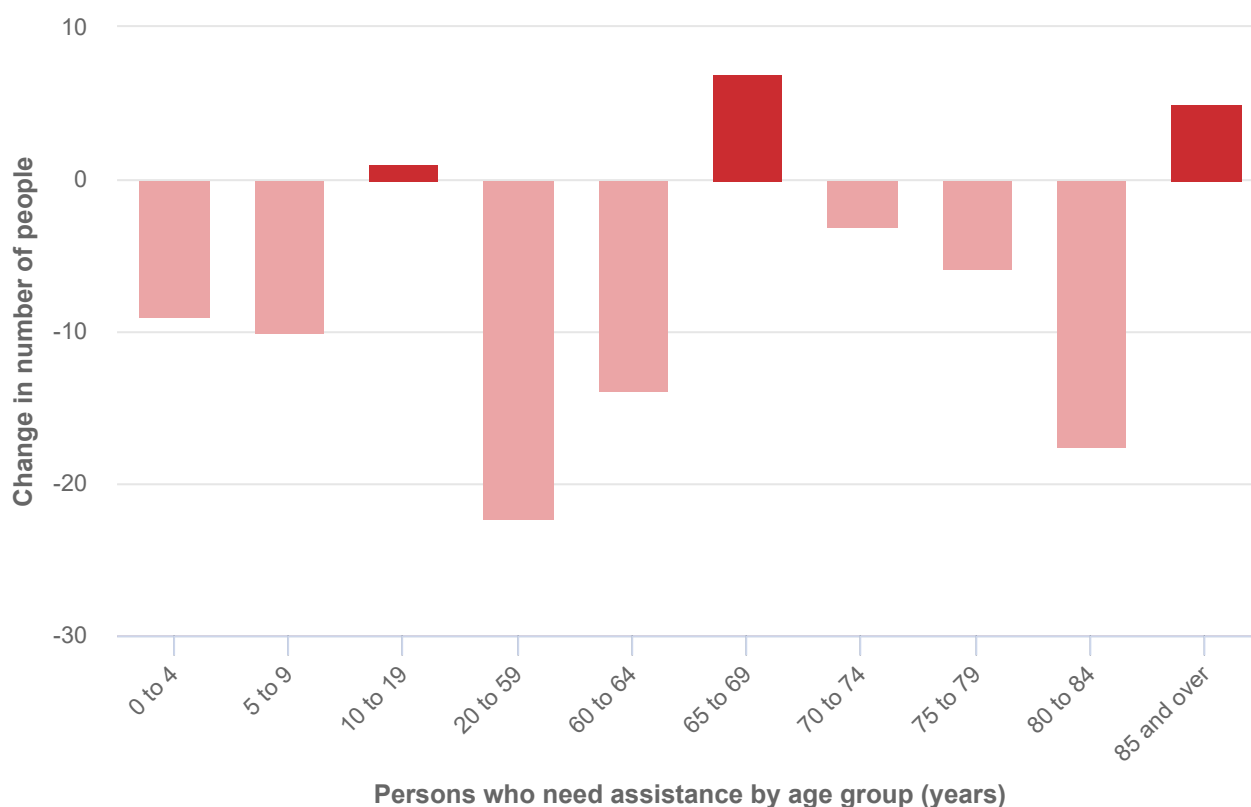
Need for assistance with core activities, 2016



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Change in need for assistance with core activities, 2011 to 2016

Horsham North Planning area - Total persons



Source: Australian Bureau of Statistics, Census of Population and Housing, 2011 and 2016 (Usual residence data). Compiled and presented in profile.id by .id (informed decisions).

Dominant groups

Analysis of the need for assistance of people in Horsham North Planning area compared to Regional Victoria shows that there was a higher proportion of people who reported needing assistance with core activities.

Overall, 6.6180% of the population reported needing assistance with core activities, compared with 6.0302% for Regional Victoria.

The major differences in the age groups reporting a need for assistance in Horsham North Planning area and Regional Victoria were:

- A *larger* percentage of persons aged 65 to 69 (9.7% compared to 7.3%)
- A *smaller* percentage of persons aged 80 to 84 (8.2% compared to 22.3%)
- A *smaller* percentage of persons aged 60 to 64 (3.8% compared to 6.3%)
- A *smaller* percentage of persons aged 85 and over (40.8% compared to 42.3%)

Emerging groups

There were no major differences in Horsham North Planning area between 2011 and 2016.

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Employment status

Horsham North Planning area's employment statistics are an important indicator of socio-economic status. The levels of full or part-time employment, unemployment and labour force participation indicate the strength of the local economy and social characteristics of the population. Employment status is linked to a number of factors including **Age Structure**, which influences the number of people in the workforce; the economic base and employment opportunities available in the area and; the education and skill base of the population (**Occupations, Industries, Qualifications**).

The two most important measures are:

- Unemployment rate - the number of people looking for work, as a percentage of the labour force (employed and unemployed over 15)
- Participation rate - the labour force expressed as a percentage of the total population over 15

Employment status

Horsham North Planning area - Persons (Usual residence)	2016			2011			Change
Employment status	Number	%	Regional Victoria %	Number	%	Regional Victoria %	2011 to 2016
Employed	1,604	89.7	94.0	1,777	92.7	94.8	-173
Employed full-time	881	49.3	53.8	1,083	56.5	56.2	-202
Employed part-time	698	39.0	38.3	640	33.4	36.5	+58
Hours worked not stated	25	1.4	1.9	54	2.8	2.1	-29
Unemployed (Unemployment rate)	185	10.3	6.0	140	7.3	5.2	+45
Looking for full-time work	115	6.5	3.5	101	5.3	3.1	+15
Looking for part-time work	69	3.9	2.5	39	2.0	2.0	+30
Total labour force	1,789	100.0	100.0	1,917	100.0	100.0	-128

Source: Australian Bureau of Statistics, Census of Population and Housing 2011 and 2016. Compiled and presented by .id (informed decisions).

Please refer to specific data notes for more information

Labour force status

Horsham North Planning area - Persons aged 15+ (Usual residence)	2016			2011			Change
Labour force status	Number	%	Regional Victoria %	Number	%	Regional Victoria %	2011 to 2016
Total labour force (Participation rate)	1,789	54.2	56.1	1,917	57.8	58.2	-128
Not in the labour force	1,213	36.7	36.5	1,259	37.9	36.8	-46
Labour force status not stated	252	7.6	7.4	141	4.3	5.0	+111
Total persons aged 15+	3,304	100.0	100.0	3,318	100.0	100.0	-14

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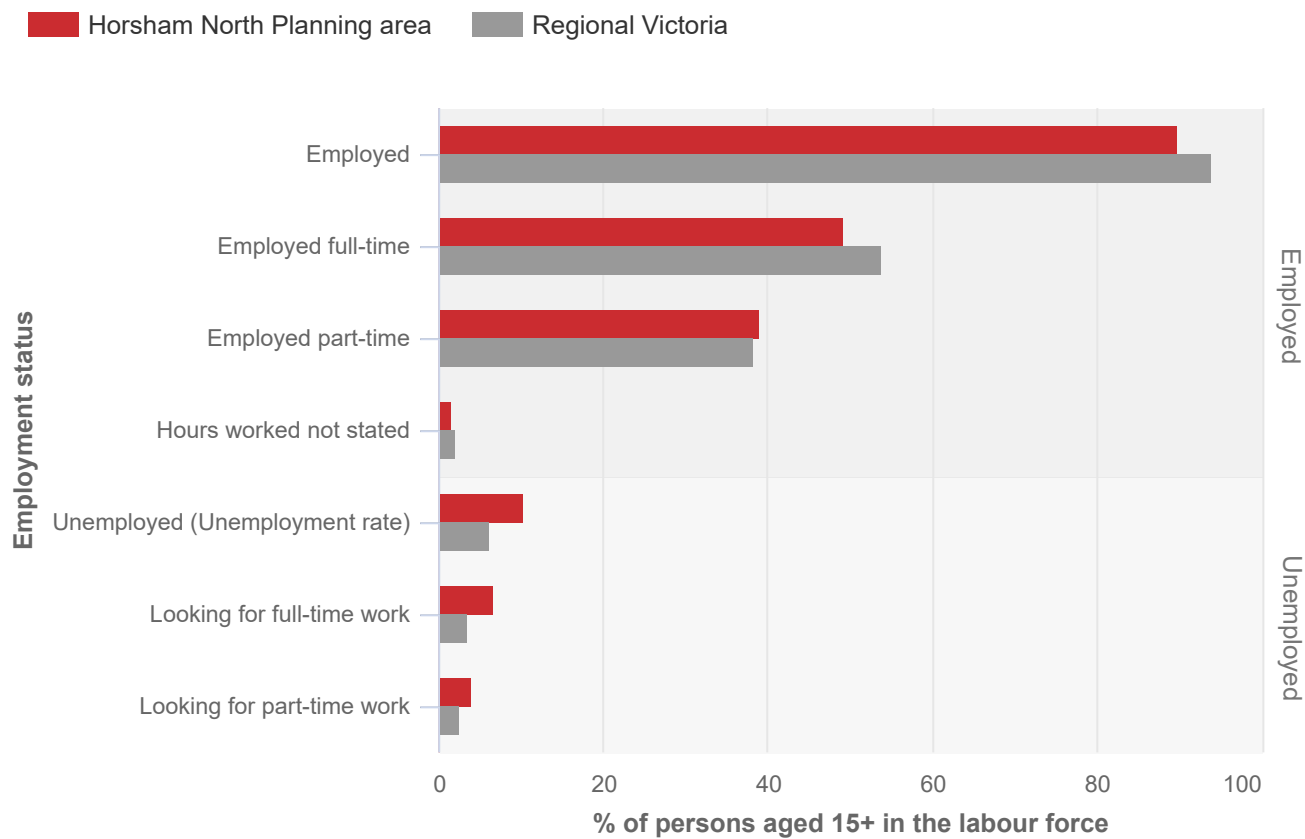
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- a Youth unemployment rate (persons aged 15-24)
- a Seniors unemployment rate (persons aged 55 or more)
- a Disengaged youth (aged 15-24 not employed or in education)
- a People employed part-time

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Employment status, 2016

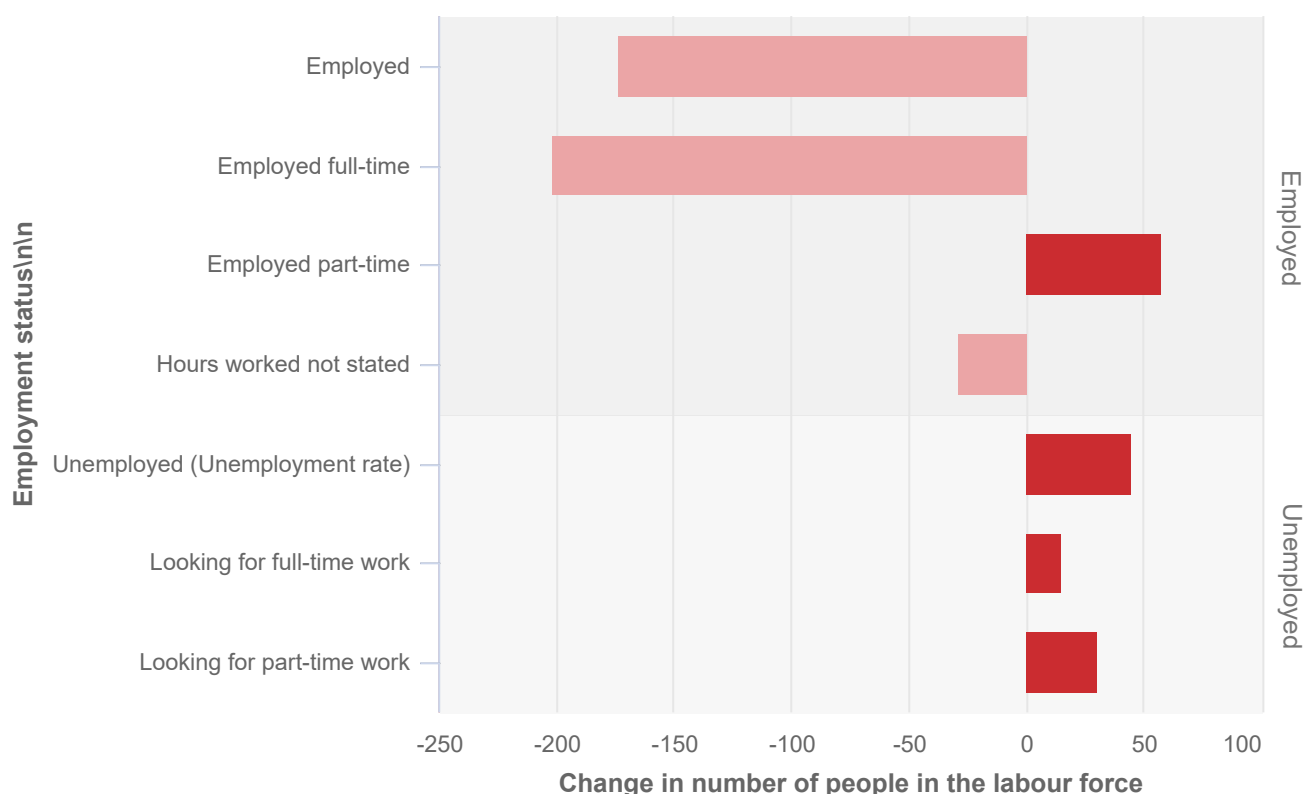
Total persons in the labour force



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Change in employment status, 2011 to 2016

Horsham North Planning area - Total persons in the labour force



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Dominant groups

The size of Horsham North Planning area's labour force in 2016 was 1,789, of which 698 were employed part-time and 881 were full time workers.

Analysis of the employment status (as a percentage of the labour force) in Horsham North Planning area in 2016 compared to Regional Victoria shows that there was a lower proportion in employment, and a higher proportion unemployed. Overall, 89.7% of the labour force was employed (0.0% of the population aged 15+), and 10.3% unemployed (0.0% of the population aged 15+), compared with 94.0% and 6.0% respectively for Regional Victoria.

The labour force participation rate refers to the proportion of the population aged 15 years and over that was employed or actively looking for work. *"The labour force is a fundamental input to domestic production. Its size and composition are therefore crucial factors in economic growth. From the viewpoint of social development, earnings from paid work are a major influence on levels of economic well-being."* (Australian Social Trends 1995).

Analysis of the labour force participation rate of the population in Horsham North Planning area in 2016 shows that there was a lower proportion in the labour force (54.2%) compared with Regional Victoria (56.1%).

Emerging groups

Between 2011 and 2016, the number of people employed in Horsham North Planning area showed a decrease of 173, and the number unemployed showed an increase of 45. In the same period, the number of people in the labour force showed a decrease of 128 or 6.7%.

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Industry sector of employment

Horsham North Planning area's industry statistics identify the industry sectors in which the residents work (which may be within the residing area or elsewhere). This will be influenced by the skill base and socio-economic status of the residents as well as the industries and employment opportunities present in the region.

When viewed in conjunction with **Residents Place of Work** data and **Method of Travel to Work**, industry sector statistics provide insights into the relationship between the economic and residential role of the area.

Industry sector of employment

Horsham North Planning area - Employed persons (Usual residence)	2016			2011			Change
Industry sector	Number	%	Regional Victoria %	Number	%	Regional Victoria %	2011 to 2016
Agriculture, Forestry and Fishing	55	3.4	7.7	60	3.5	7.8	-5
Mining	0	--	0.7	8	0.5	0.8	-8
Manufacturing	65	4.0	8.1	118	6.8	10.4	-54
Electricity, Gas, Water and Waste Services	43	2.7	1.5	43	2.5	1.5	-1
Construction	121	7.5	8.8	161	9.2	8.9	-40
Wholesale trade	53	3.3	2.2	87	5.0	3.1	-33
Retail Trade	284	17.6	10.6	288	16.5	11.6	-5
Accommodation and Food Services	150	9.3	7.0	167	9.5	6.8	-17
Transport, Postal and Warehousing	80	5.0	3.9	103	5.9	4.1	-22
Information Media and Telecommunications	15	1.0	1.0	16	0.9	1.1	-1
Financial and Insurance Services	8	0.5	1.9	23	1.3	2.0	-14
Rental, Hiring and Real Estate Services	7	0.4	1.1	9	0.5	1.0	-2
Professional, Scientific and Technical Services	47	2.9	4.2	35	2.0	4.0	+11
Administrative and Support Services	67	4.1	2.8	38	2.2	2.6	+29
Public Administration and Safety	80	5.0	6.1	100	5.7	6.1	-20
Education and Training	82	5.1	8.7	91	5.2	8.2	-9
Health Care and Social Assistance	260	16.1	14.3	271	15.5	13.1	-11
Arts and Recreation Services	26	1.6	1.5	13	0.7	1.3	+13
Other Services	103	6.4	3.6	88	5.0	3.6	+15
Inadequately described or not stated	65	4.0	4.0	27	1.5	2.1	+38
Total employed persons aged 15+	1,617	100.0	100.0	1,751	100.0	100.0	-134

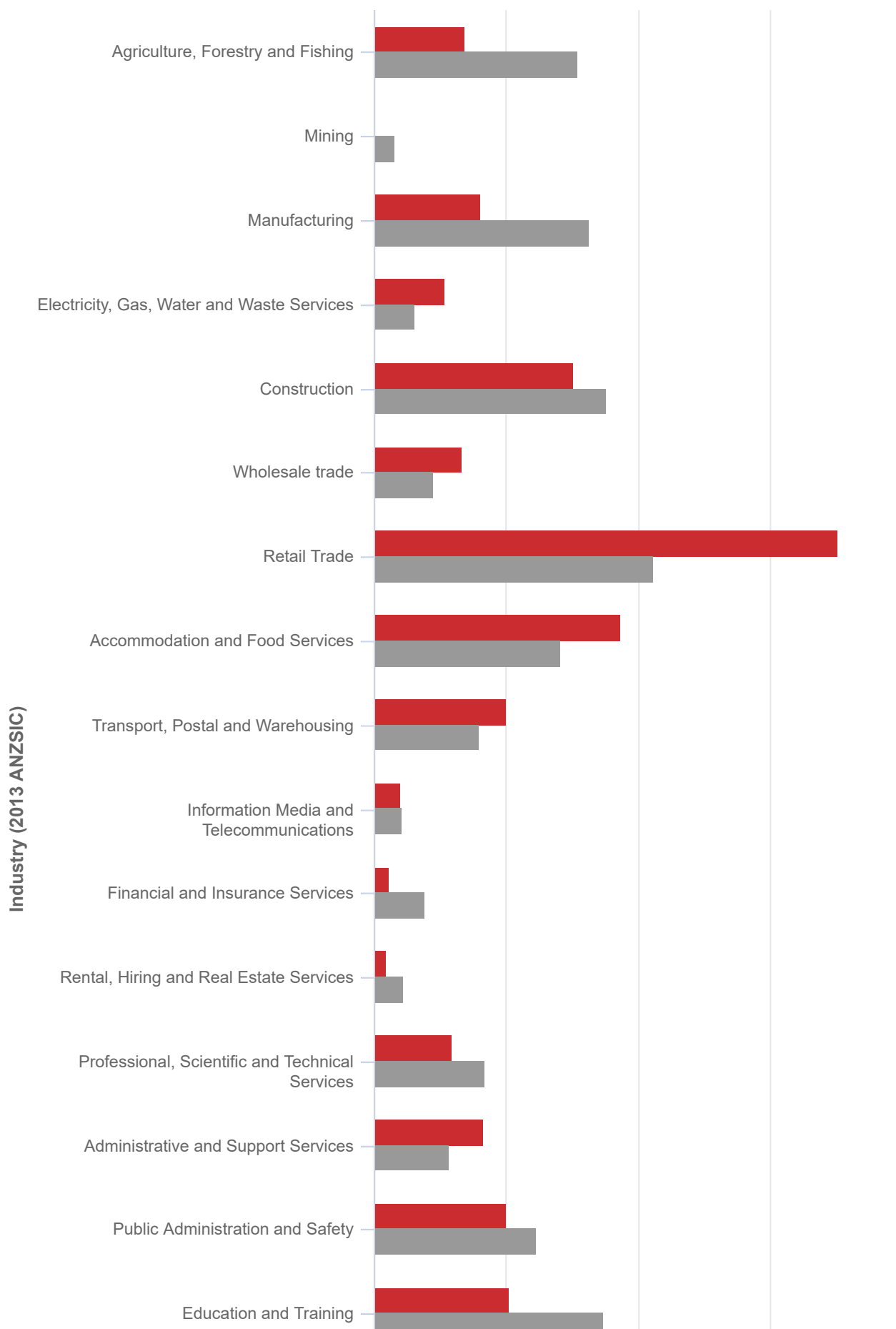
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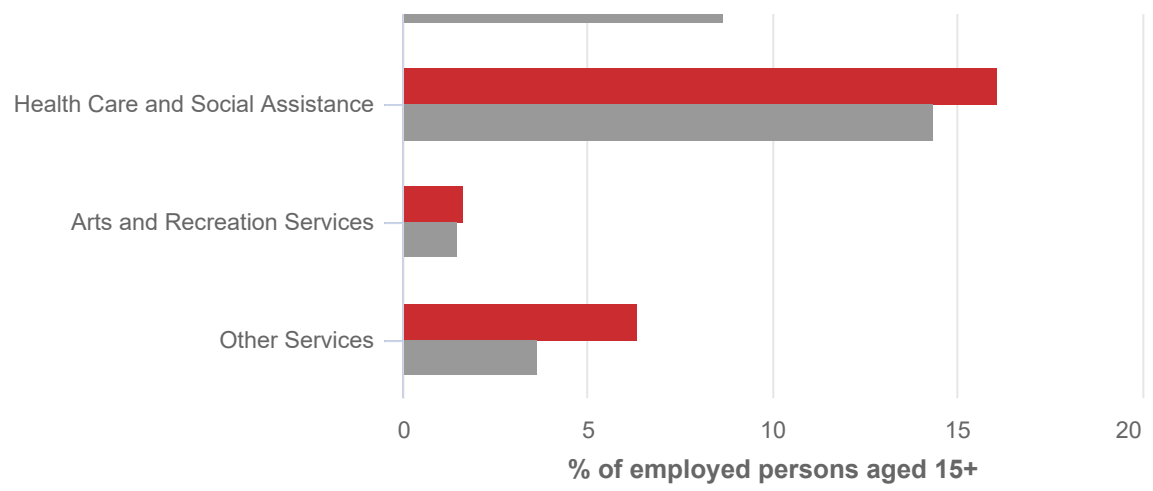
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Industry sector of employment, 2016

Total employed persons

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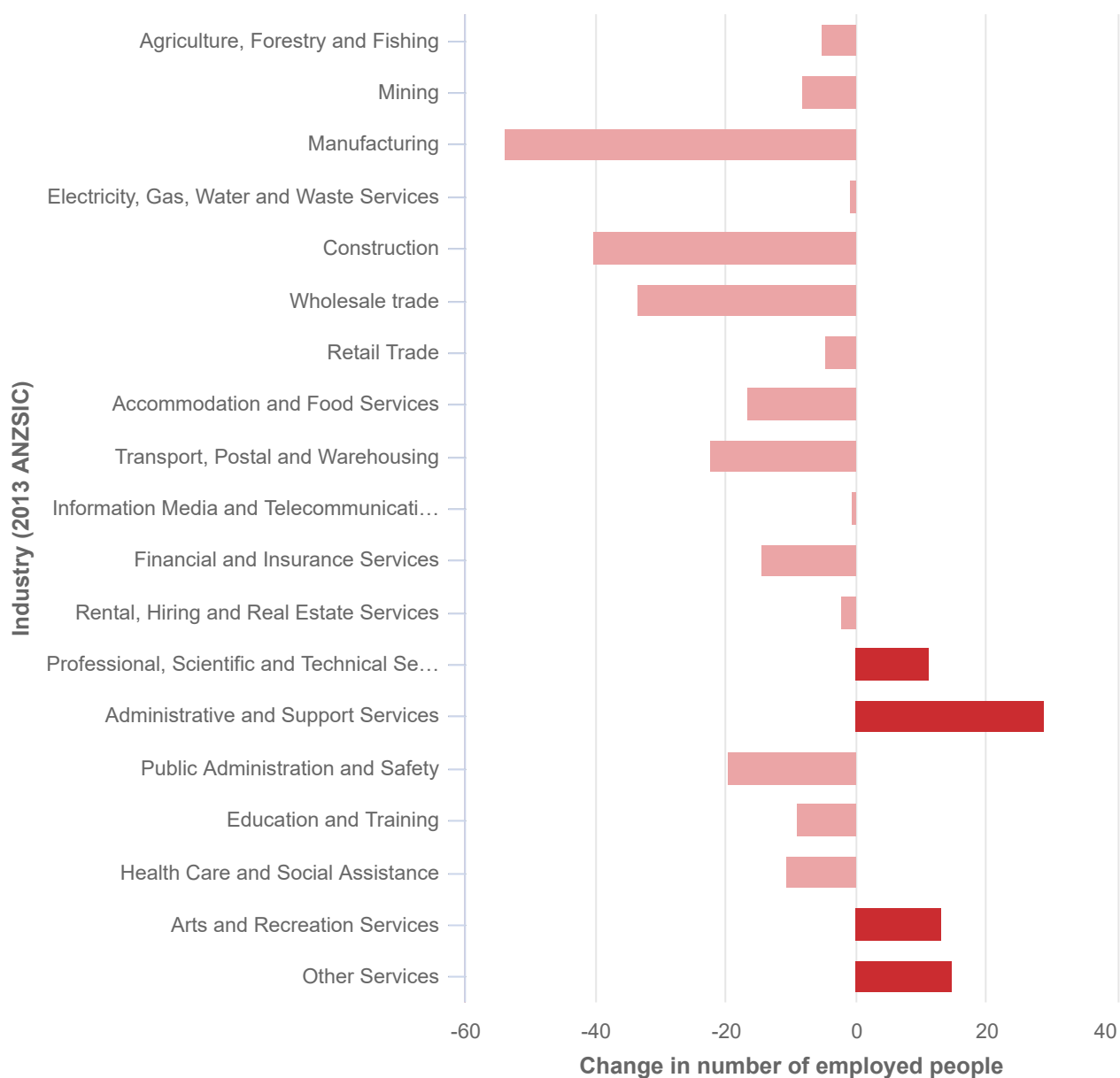




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Change in industry sector of employment, 2011 to 2016

Horsham North Planning area - Total employed persons



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Dominant groups

An analysis of the jobs held by the resident population in Horsham North Planning area in 2016 shows the three most popular industry sectors were:

- Retail Trade (284 people or 17.6%)
- Health Care and Social Assistance (260 people or 16.1%)
- Accommodation and Food Services (150 people or 9.3%)

In combination, these three industries employed 694 people in total or 43.0% of the total employed resident population.

In comparison, Regional Victoria employed 10.6% in Retail Trade; 14.3% in Health Care and Social Assistance; and 7.0% in Accommodation and Food Services.

The major differences between the jobs held by the population of Horsham North Planning area and Regional Victoria were:

- A *larger* percentage of persons employed in retail trade (17.6% compared to 10.6%)
- A *smaller* percentage of persons employed in agriculture, forestry and fishing (3.4% compared to 7.7%)
- A *smaller* percentage of persons employed in manufacturing (4.0% compared to 8.1%)
- A *smaller* percentage of persons employed in education and training (5.1% compared to 8.7%)

Emerging groups

The number of employed people in Horsham North Planning area decreased by 134 between 2011 and 2016.

The largest change in the jobs held by the resident population between 2011 and 2016 in Horsham North Planning area was for those employed in:

- Manufacturing (-54 persons)

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Occupation of employment

Horsham North Planning area's occupation statistics quantify the occupations in which the residents work (which may be within the residing area or elsewhere). This will be influenced by the economic base and employment opportunities available in the area, education levels, and the working and social aspirations of the population. When viewed with other indicators, such as **Educational Qualifications** and **Individual Income**, Occupation is a key measure for evaluating Horsham North Planning area's socio-economic status and skill base.

Occupation of employment

Horsham North Planning area - Employed persons (Usual residence)	2016			2011			Change
Occupation	Number	%	Regional Victoria %	Number	%	Regional Victoria %	2011 to 2016
Managers	144	8.8	14.6	187	10.6	15.2	-43
Professionals	186	11.3	17.4	208	11.8	16.7	-22
Technicians and Trades Workers	254	15.5	14.8	312	17.7	15.4	-57
Community and Personal Service Workers	221	13.4	11.7	183	10.4	10.3	+38
Clerical and Administrative Workers	202	12.3	11.3	193	10.9	11.7	+10
Sales Workers	247	15.0	9.7	225	12.8	9.7	+22
Machinery Operators And Drivers	126	7.7	6.5	156	8.9	6.9	-30
Labourers	254	15.5	12.4	262	14.9	12.3	-8
Not stated or inadequately described	9	0.5	1.7	34	1.9	2.0	-25
Total employed persons aged 15+	1,647	100.0	100.0	1,763	100.0	100.0	-116

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a People employed as Managers or Professionals

Occupation of employment, 2016

Total employed persons



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Change in occupation of employment, 2011 to 2016

Horsham North Planning area - Total employed persons



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Dominant groups

An analysis of the jobs held by the resident population in Horsham North Planning area in 2016 shows the three most popular occupations were:

- Technicians and Trades Workers (254 people or 15.5%)
- Labourers (254 people or 15.5%)
- Sales Workers (247 people or 15.0%)

In combination these three occupations accounted for 755 people in total or 46.0% of the employed resident population.

In comparison, Regional Victoria employed 14.8% in Technicians and Trades Workers; 12.4% in Labourers; and 9.7% in Sales Workers.

The major differences between the jobs held by the population of Horsham North Planning area and Regional Victoria were:

- A *larger* percentage of persons employed as Sales Workers (15.0% compared to 9.7%)
- A *larger* percentage of persons employed as Labourers (15.5% compared to 12.4%)
- A *smaller* percentage of persons employed as Professionals (11.3% compared to 17.4%)
- A *smaller* percentage of persons employed as Managers (8.8% compared to 14.6%)

Emerging groups

The number of employed people in Horsham North Planning area decreased by 116 between 2011 and 2016.

The largest change in the occupations of residents between 2011 and 2016 in Horsham North Planning area was for those employed as:

- Technicians and Trades Workers (-57 persons)

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Method of travel to work

Horsham North Planning area's commuting statistics reveal the main modes of transport by which residents get to work. There are a number of reasons why people use different modes of transport to get to work including the availability of affordable and effective public transport options, the number of motor vehicles available within a household, and the distance travelled to work.

Commuting data is very useful in transport planning as it informs decision-makers about the availability, effectiveness and utilisation of local transport options, particularly when analysed with Residents Place of Work data and Car Ownership.

Method of travel to work

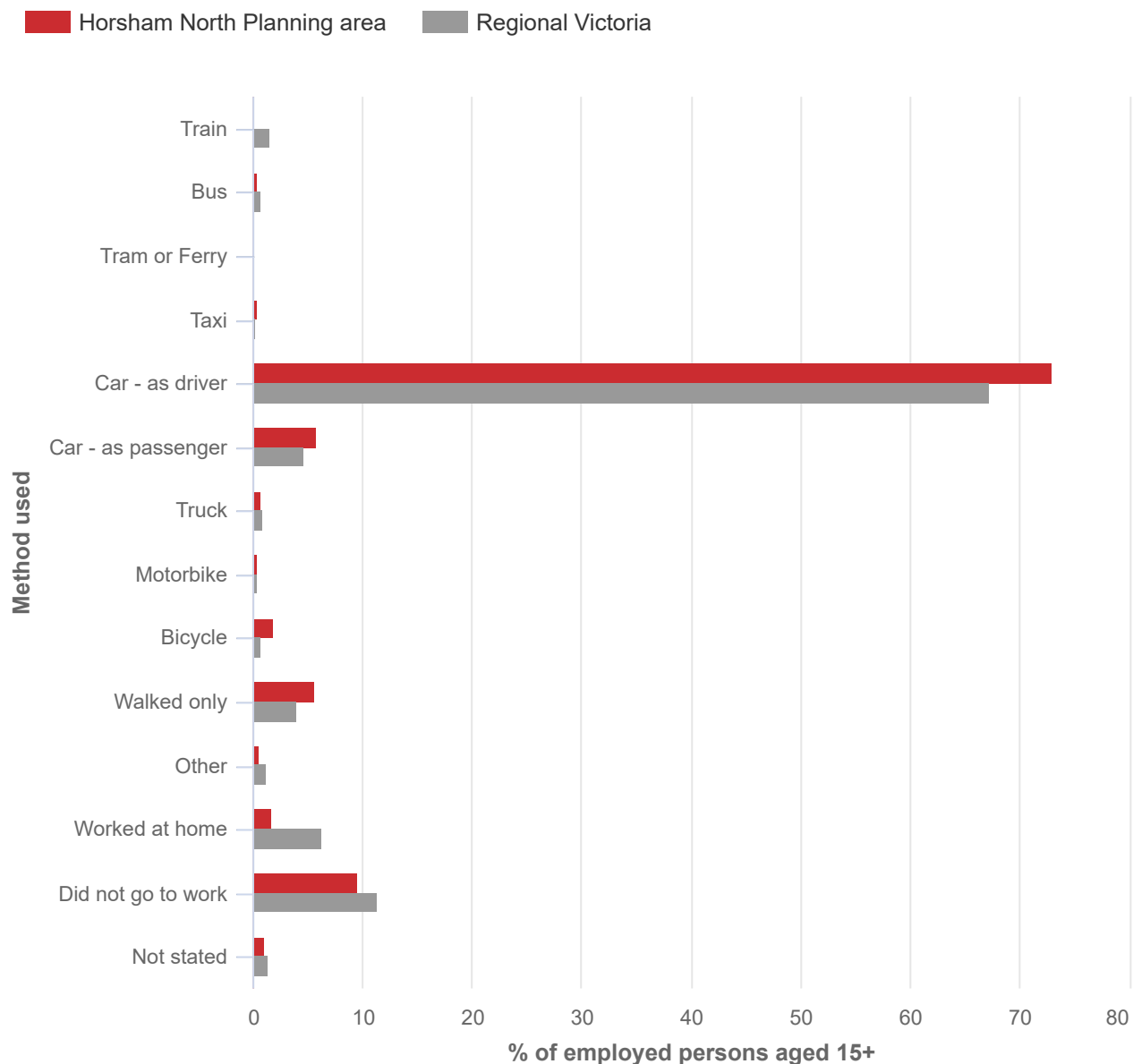
Horsham North Planning area - Employed persons (Usual residence)	2016			2011			Change
Main method of travel	Number	%	Regional Victoria %	Number	%	Regional Victoria %	2011 to 2016
Train	0	--	1.4	0	--	1.3	0
Bus	4	0.2	0.7	14	0.8	0.8	-10
Tram or Ferry	0	--	0.1	4	0.2	0.1	-4
Taxi	4	0.2	0.1	0	--	0.1	+4
Car - as driver	1,173	73.0	67.3	1,197	67.6	64.6	-24
Car - as passenger	92	5.8	4.6	130	7.4	5.4	-38
Truck	10	0.6	0.8	17	1.0	1.0	-7
Motorbike	4	0.2	0.4	5	0.3	0.5	-1
Bicycle	28	1.7	0.7	31	1.8	0.9	-4
Walked only	89	5.6	3.9	84	4.7	4.5	+5
Other	8	0.5	1.2	22	1.2	1.3	-14
Worked at home	25	1.6	6.2	40	2.3	6.3	-15
Did not go to work	151	9.4	11.4	198	11.2	11.6	-47
Not stated	16	1.0	1.3	26	1.5	1.7	-10
Total employed persons aged 15+	1,606	100.0	100.0	1,770	100.0	100.0	-164

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Method of travel to work, 2016

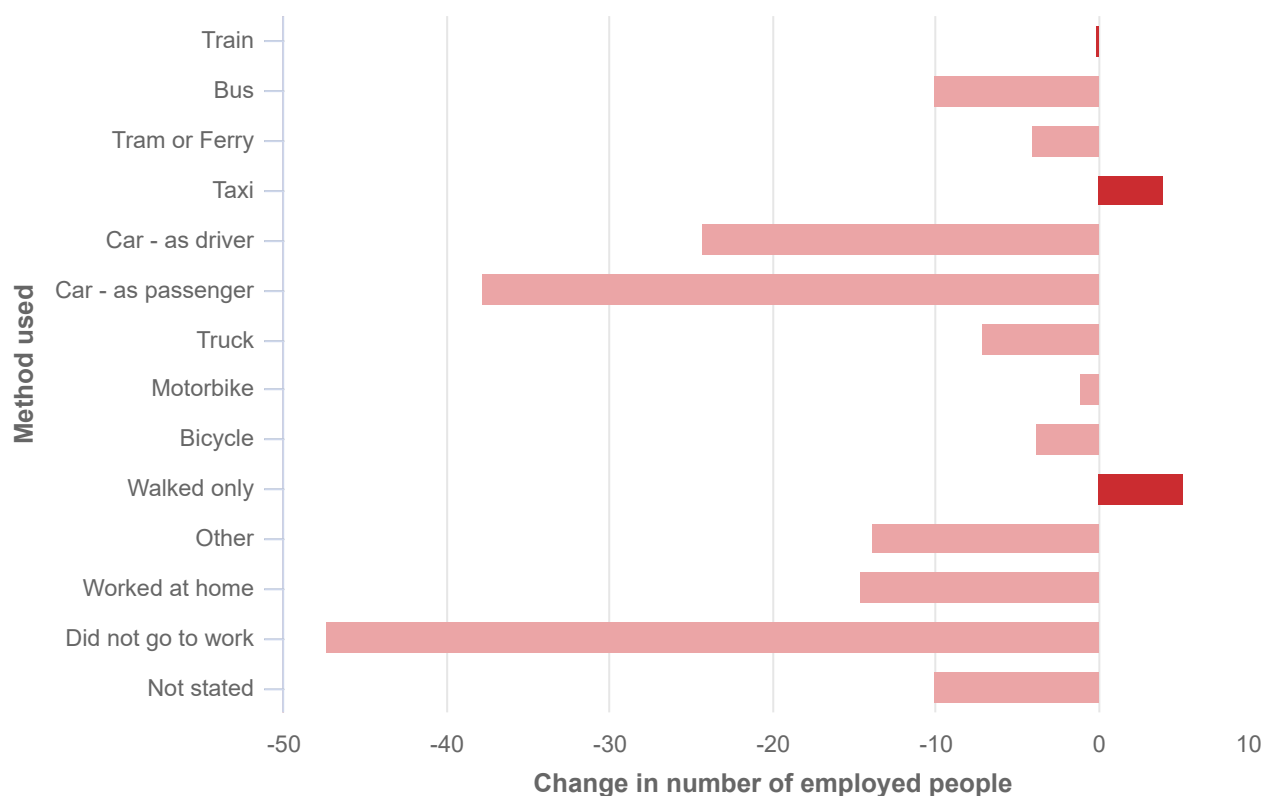
Total employed persons



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Change in method of travel to work, 2011 to 2016

Horsham North Planning area - Total employed persons



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Dominant groups

In 2016, there were 4 people who caught public transport to work (train, bus, tram or ferry) in Horsham North Planning area, compared with 1,279 who drove in private vehicles (car – as driver, car – as passenger, motorbike, or truck).

Analysis of the method of travel to work of the residents in Horsham North Planning area in 2016, compared to Regional Victoria, shows that 0.2% used public transport, while 78.8% used a private vehicle, compared with 2.2% and 71.9% respectively in Regional Victoria.

The major differences in persons between the method of travel to work of Horsham North Planning area and Regional Victoria were:

- A *larger* percentage of persons who travelled by car (as driver) (73.0% compared to 67.3%)
- A *larger* percentage of persons who walked only (5.6% compared to 3.9%)
- A *smaller* percentage of persons who worked at home (1.6% compared to 6.2%)
- A *smaller* percentage of persons who did not go to work (9.4% compared to 11.4%)

Emerging groups

The number of employed people in Horsham North Planning area decreased by 164 between 2011 and 2016.

There were no major differences in Horsham North Planning area between 2011 and 2016.

Horsham North Planning area

Disengagement by age

Engagement in employment and education looks at the level of participation by age and sex of the population in the labour market, or full or part-time education. A full time employed or full-time student would be "Fully engaged", while part-time students may be fully engaged if they are also employed, or partly engaged if they are not working. Engagement in the labour and education market is highly dependent on age. Retirees are generally disengaged, while stay-at-home parents are also likely to be disengaged. The rate of engagement, particularly in the younger and working age groups can be affected by access to strong employment and education markets and is a measure of socio-economic status and the level of welfare dependency in an area. For more detail on employment and educational characteristics associated with disengagement, please look at [Employment Status](#), [Qualifications](#) and [Educational Institution Attending](#).

Workforce and educational engagement by age

Horsham North Planning area - Persons aged 15+ (Usual residence)		2016			2011			Change
Age group	Engagement status	Number	%	Regional Victoria %	Number	%	Regional Victoria %	2011 to 2016
15 to 24 years	Fully engaged	302	56.3	69.2	359	59.8	72.9	-57
15 to 24 years	Partially engaged	97	18.1	13.6	81	13.5	12.2	+16
15 to 24 years	Disengaged	106	19.7	10.6	135	22.6	10.4	-30
15 to 24 years	Undetermined/Not stated	31	5.9	6.6	24	4.1	4.6	+7
15 to 24 years	Total	537	100.0	100.0	600	100.0	100.0	-64
25 to 54 years	Fully engaged	602	41.2	49.6	750	47.6	51.8	-148
25 to 54 years	Partially engaged	368	25.2	25.7	380	24.2	25.6	-13
25 to 54 years	Disengaged	382	26.2	17.3	390	24.8	17.8	-8
25 to 54 years	Undetermined/Not stated	108	7.4	7.5	54	3.4	4.9	+54
25 to 54 years	Total	1,461	100.0	100.0	1,575	100.0	100.0	-115
55 to 64 years	Fully engaged	174	30.0	33.1	163	33.2	33.0	+11
55 to 64 years	Partially engaged	159	27.4	25.6	107	21.8	24.5	+52
55 to 64 years	Disengaged	199	34.3	33.4	201	41.1	37.3	-3
55 to 64 years	Undetermined/Not stated	48	8.3	7.8	19	3.9	5.1	+29
55 to 64 years	Total	580	100.0	100.0	490	100.0	100.0	+90
65 years and over	Fully engaged	26	3.7	4.9	13	2.3	4.6	+12
65 years and over	Partially engaged	46	6.6	7.7	30	4.9	6.8	+16
65 years and over	Disengaged	542	77.3	74.8	485	79.4	76.9	+58
65 years and over	Undetermined/Not stated	87	12.4	12.6	81	13.4	11.7	+5
65 years and over	Total	701	100.0	100.0	610	100.0	100.0	+91
Total aged 15+	Fully engaged	1,105	33.7	38.4	1,286	39.2	41.6	-181
Total aged 15+	Partially engaged	670	20.4	19.5	599	18.3	19.3	+71

Workforce and educational engagement by age

Horsham North Planning area - Persons aged 15+ (Usual residence)		2016			2011			Change
Age group	Engagement status	Number	%	Regional Victoria %	Number	%	Regional Victoria %	2011 to 2016
Total aged 15+	Disengaged	1,230	37.5	33.4	1,212	37.0	32.8	+17
Total aged 15+	Undetermined/Not stated	275	8.4	8.7	179	5.5	6.3	+96
Total aged 15+	Total	3,280	100.0	100.0	3,277	100.0	100.0	+3

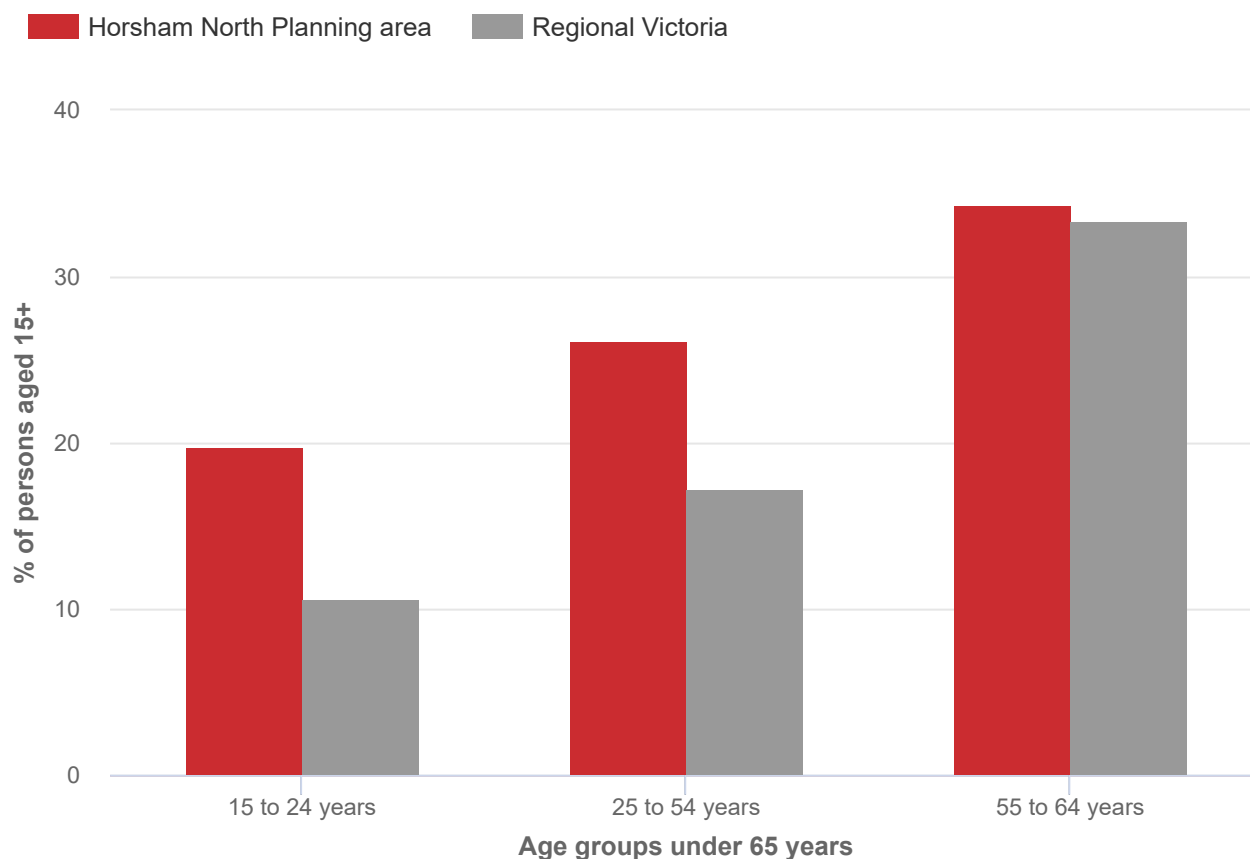
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a Disengaged youth (aged 15-24 not employed or in education)

Disengaged persons by age, 2016

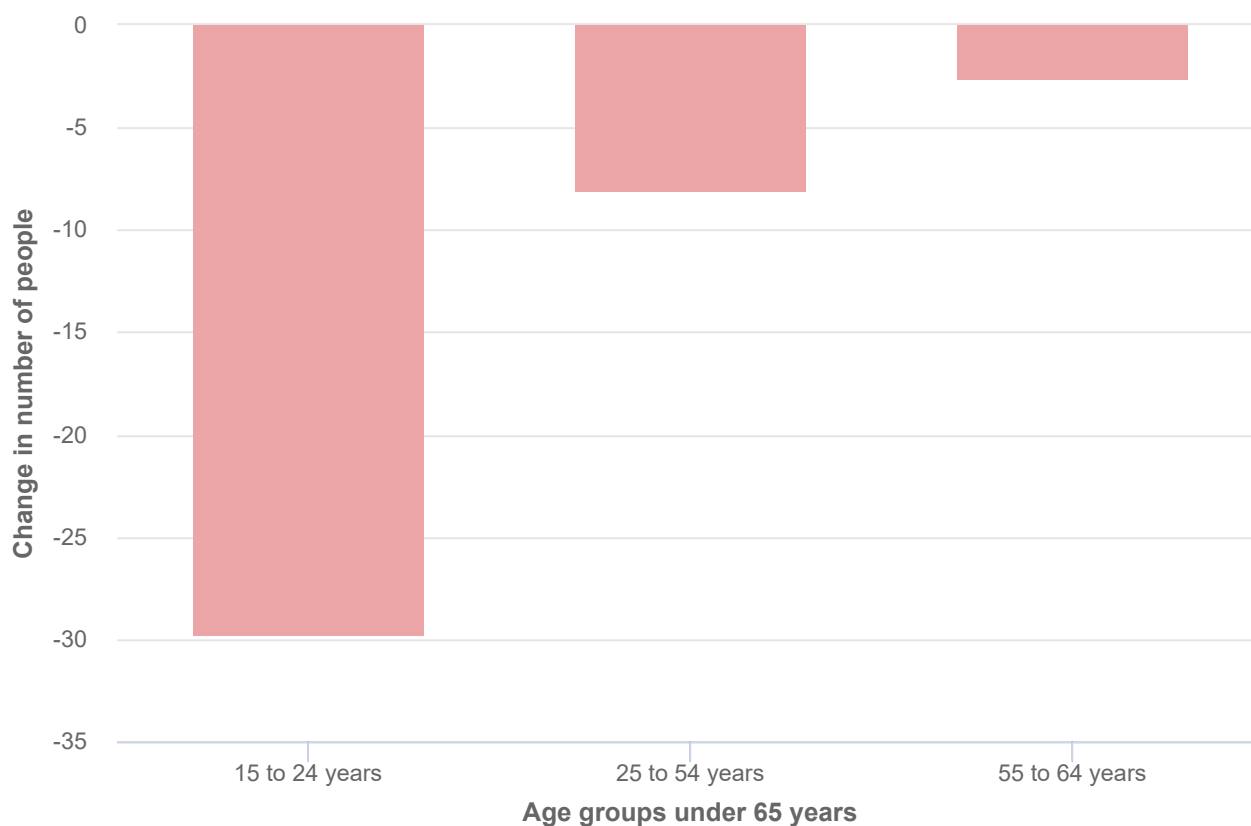
Total disengaged persons under 65 years



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Change in disengaged persons by age, 2011 to 2016

Horsham North Planning area - Total disengaged persons under 65 years



Source: Australian Bureau of Statistics, Census of Population and Housing, 2011 and 2016 (Usual residence data). Compiled and presented in profile.id by .id (informed decisions).

Dominant groups

The number of people aged 15 to 24 years in Horsham North Planning area in 2016 was 537, of this, 19.7% were disengaged and 18.1% were partially engaged, compared to 10.6% and 13.6% respectively for Regional Victoria.

Emerging groups

Between 2011 and 2016, the number of people 15 to 24 years in Horsham North Planning area showed a decrease of -64.

The number of disengaged people aged 15 to 24 years showed a decrease of 29 or 21.5%.

Horsham North Planning area

Volunteer work

The voluntary work sector is an important part of Australia's economy. The level of volunteering can indicate the cohesiveness of the community and how readily individuals are able to contribute to that community. Factors impacting on the level of volunteering in Horsham North Planning area include the **Age Structure** of the population, the level of **Proficiency in English**, **Income** and **Education** levels.

Volunteer work

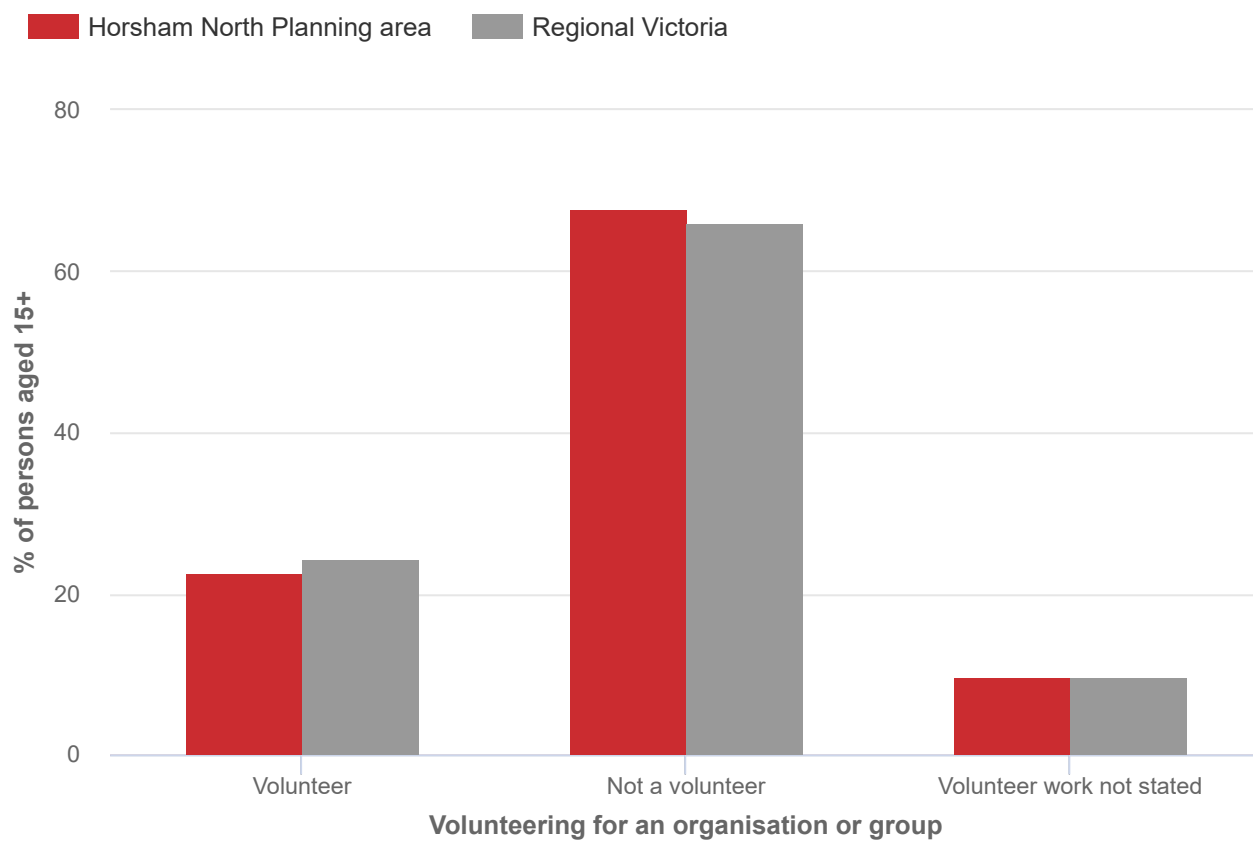
Horsham North Planning area - Persons aged 15+ (Usual residence)	2016			2011			Change
Volunteer status	Number	%	Regional Victoria %	Number	%	Regional Victoria %	2011 to 2016
Volunteer	745	22.6	24.3	713	21.5	23.4	+32
Not a volunteer	2,236	67.8	66.1	2,351	70.9	68.4	-114
Volunteer work not stated	319	9.7	9.6	251	7.6	8.1	+68
Total persons aged 15+	3,300	100.0	100.0	3,314	100.0	100.0	-14

Source: Australian Bureau of Statistics, Census of Population and Housing 2011 and 2016. Compiled and presented by .id (informed decisions).

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Volunteer work, 2016

Total persons



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Change in volunteer work, 2011 to 2016

Horsham North Planning area - Total persons



Source: Australian Bureau of Statistics, Census of Population and Housing, 2011 and 2016 (Usual residence data). Compiled and presented in profile.id by .id (informed decisions).

Dominant groups

Analysis of the voluntary work performed by the population in Horsham North Planning area in 2016 compared to Regional Victoria shows that there was a lower proportion of people who volunteered for an organisation or group. Overall, 22.6% of the population reported performing voluntary work, compared with 24.3% for Regional Victoria.

Emerging groups

The number of volunteers in Horsham North Planning area increased by 32 people between 2011 and 2016.

Horsham North Planning area

Unpaid domestic work

There has been increased interest in identifying, acknowledging and valuing the unpaid work that supports home and community life. The changing amount of time spent on unpaid housework in different **Household Types** and, particularly the distribution of this work within the household, can indicate the changing roles of males, females and older children in society. The level of unpaid domestic work in Horsham North Planning area may also be related to **Household Income**, as higher income households are able to outsource some of these tasks.

Unpaid domestic work

Horsham North Planning area - Persons aged 15+ (Usual residence)	2016			2011			Change
Hours spent on unpaid domestic work	Number	%	Regional Victoria %	Number	%	Regional Victoria %	2011 to 2016
Did unpaid domestic work	2,159	65.3	69.2	2,336	70.6	70.9	-177
Less than 5 hours	667	20.2	19.9	685	20.7	20.0	-18
Between 5 and 14 hours	788	23.8	25.8	787	23.8	25.1	+1
Between 15 and 29 hours	376	11.4	12.9	430	13.0	13.4	-54
30 hours or more	327	9.9	10.7	433	13.1	12.3	-106
Did no unpaid domestic work	796	24.1	20.3	710	21.5	20.6	+87
Not stated	351	10.6	10.5	260	7.9	8.6	+91
Total persons aged 15+	3,307	100.0	100.0	3,307	100.0	100.0	0

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Unpaid domestic work, 2016

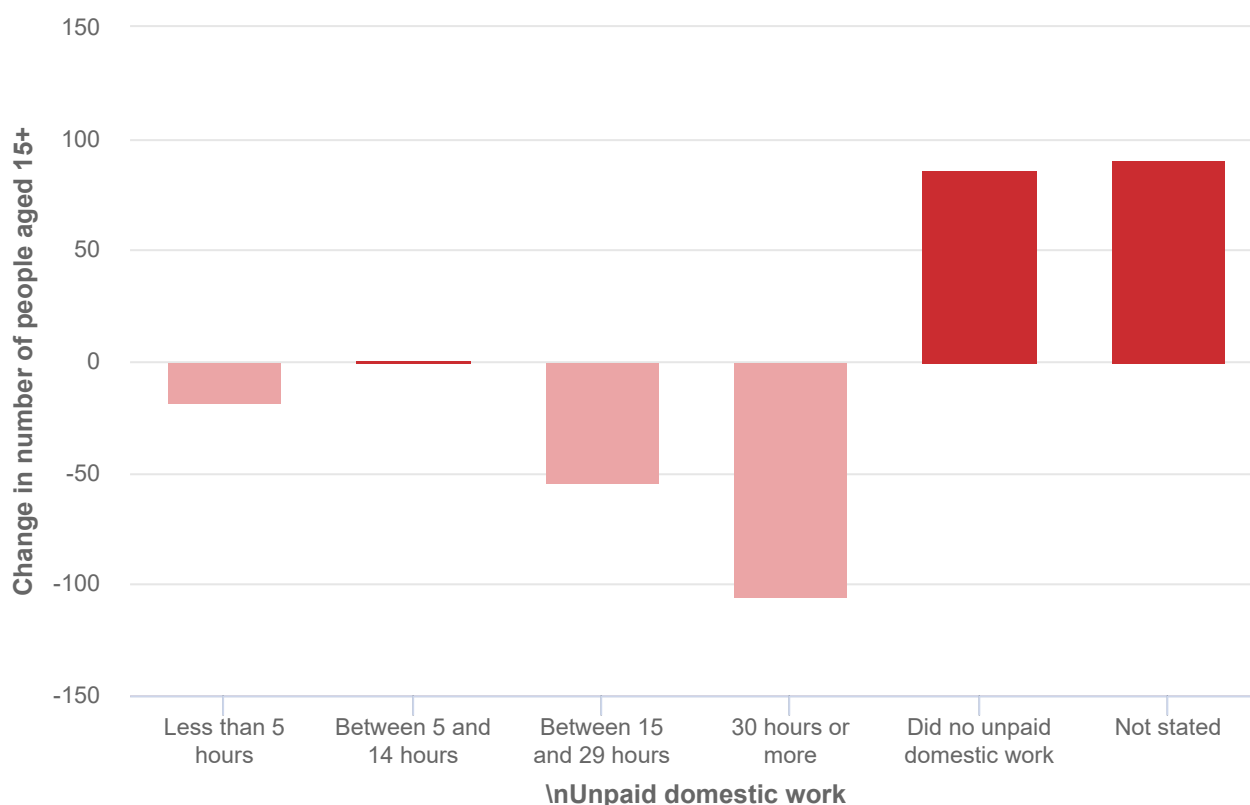
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Change in unpaid domestic work, 2011 to 2016

Horsham North Planning area - Total persons



Source: Australian Bureau of Statistics, [Census of Population and Housing](#), 2011 and 2016 (Usual residence data). Compiled and presented in profile.id by [.id](#) (informed decisions).

Dominant groups

Analysis of the unpaid domestic work performed by the population in Horsham North Planning area in 2016 compared to Regional Victoria shows that there was a lower proportion of persons who performed 15 hours or more of unpaid domestic work per week.

Overall, 21% of the population reported performing 15 hours or more of unpaid domestic work, compared with 23.5% for Regional Victoria.

The major differences between the share of the population performing unpaid domestic work in Horsham North Planning area and Regional Victoria were:

- A *larger* percentage of persons who did no unpaid domestic work (24.1% compared to 20.3%)
- A *smaller* percentage of persons who did domestic work (65.3% compared to 69.2%)
- A *smaller* percentage of persons who did between 15 and 29 hours of domestic work (23.8% compared to 25.8%)
- A *smaller* percentage of persons who did 30 hours or more of domestic work (11.4% compared to 12.9%)

Emerging groups

The largest changes in the number of people performing unpaid domestic work in Horsham North Planning area, between 2011 and 2016 were those who:

- Did unpaid domestic work (-177 persons)
- 30 hours or more (-106 persons)
- Did no unpaid domestic work (+87 persons)
- Between 15 and 29 hours (-54 persons)

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Unpaid care

The proportion of people providing unpaid care for the aged and disabled in Horsham North Planning area can be an important indicator of the level of demand for aged care services and facilities by local and state governments. An increasing proportion of carers among the population may indicate inadequate aged care provision, or the need for in-home support, or support for the carers themselves. The level of care provided by individuals is likely to be affected by Household Income, Age Structure and the ethnic makeup of the community (Language Spoken), as well as the sense of community cohesiveness.

Unpaid care

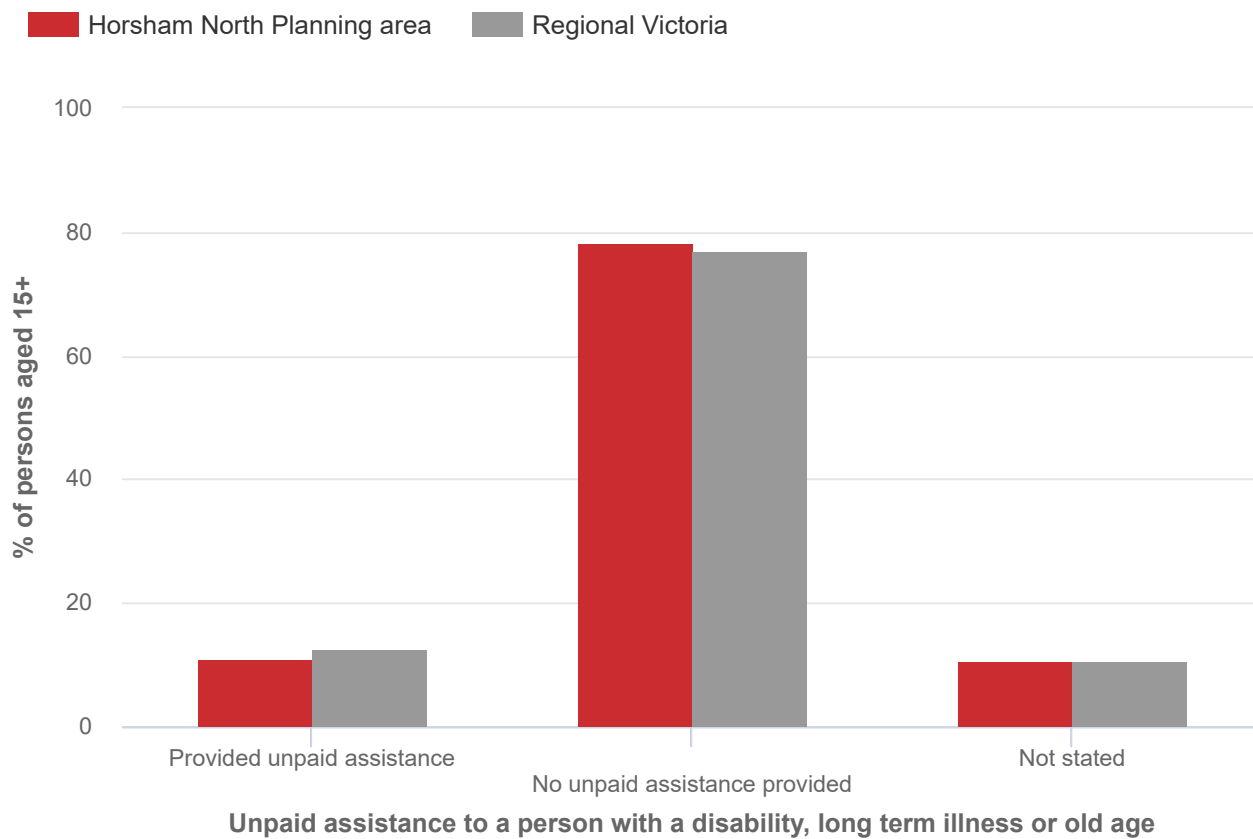
Horsham North Planning area - Persons aged 15+ (Usual residence)	2016			2011			Change
Assistance to a person with a disability, long term illness or old age	Number	%	Regional Victoria %	Number	%	Regional Victoria %	2011 to 2016
Provided unpaid assistance	361	11.0	12.5	379	11.4	12.4	-18
No unpaid assistance provided	2,571	78.2	76.9	2,667	80.5	79.1	-96
Not stated	354	10.8	10.6	265	8.0	8.5	+89
Total persons aged 15+	3,286	100.0	100.0	3,311	100.0	100.0	-25

Source: Australian Bureau of Statistics, Census of Population and Housing 2011 and 2016. Compiled and presented by .id (informed decisions).

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Unpaid care, 2016

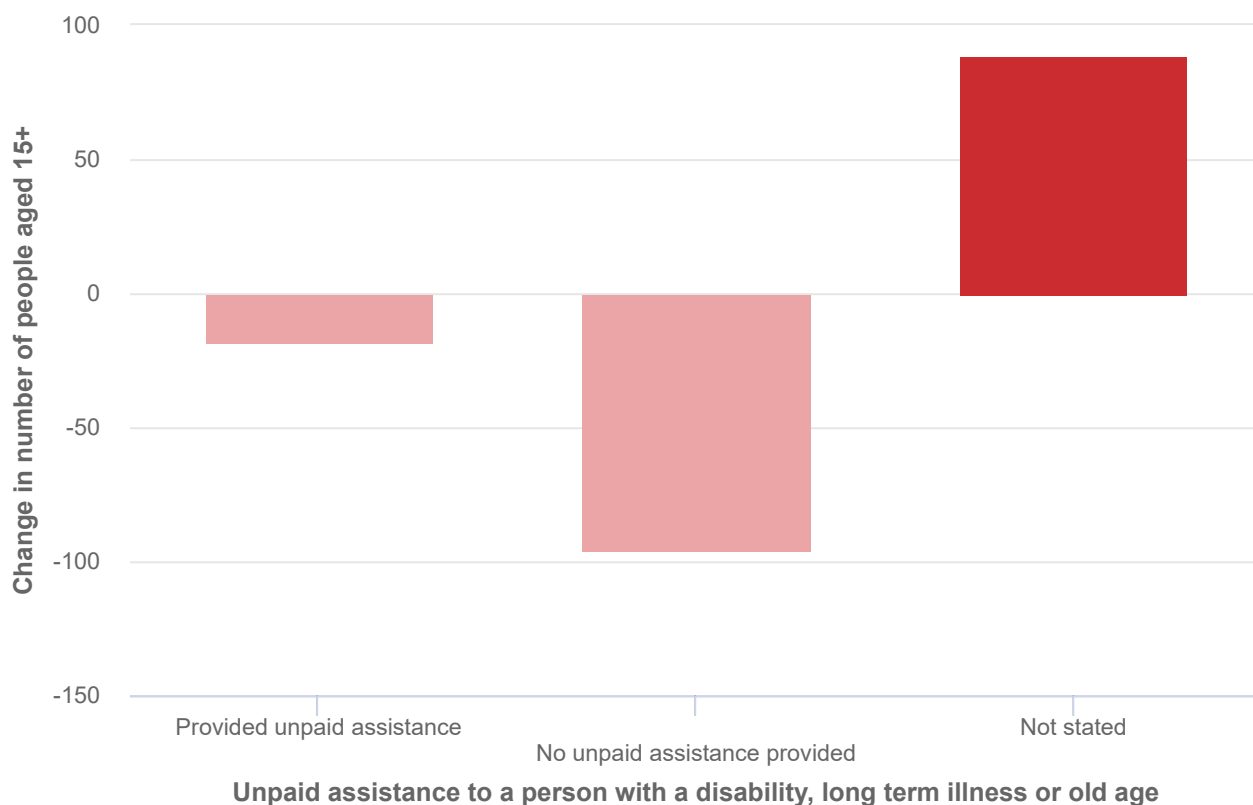
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Change in unpaid care, 2011 to 2016

Horsham North Planning area - Total persons



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Dominant groups

Analysis of the unpaid care provided by the population in Horsham North Planning area in 2016 compared to Regional Victoria shows that there was a lower proportion of people who provided unpaid care either to family members or others.

Overall, 11.0% of the population provided unpaid care, compared with 12.5% for Regional Victoria.

Emerging groups

The number of people who provided unpaid assistance to a person with a disability, long term illness or old age in Horsham North Planning area decreased by 18 between 2011 and 2016.

Horsham North Planning area

Unpaid childcare

The role of unpaid childcare in Horsham North Planning area is determined by many different factors. For example areas with high levels of unpaid child care may have a dominance of single income families with one significant earner, or there could be a lack of provision of paid child care in the area. The level to which people care for others children can also indicate the role of extended family (eg. grandparents caring for grandchildren, family day care).

The role of unpaid child care is a complex one so this topic should be viewed in conjunction with several others, including Household Type, Employment, Household Income and Educational Attendance.

Unpaid childcare

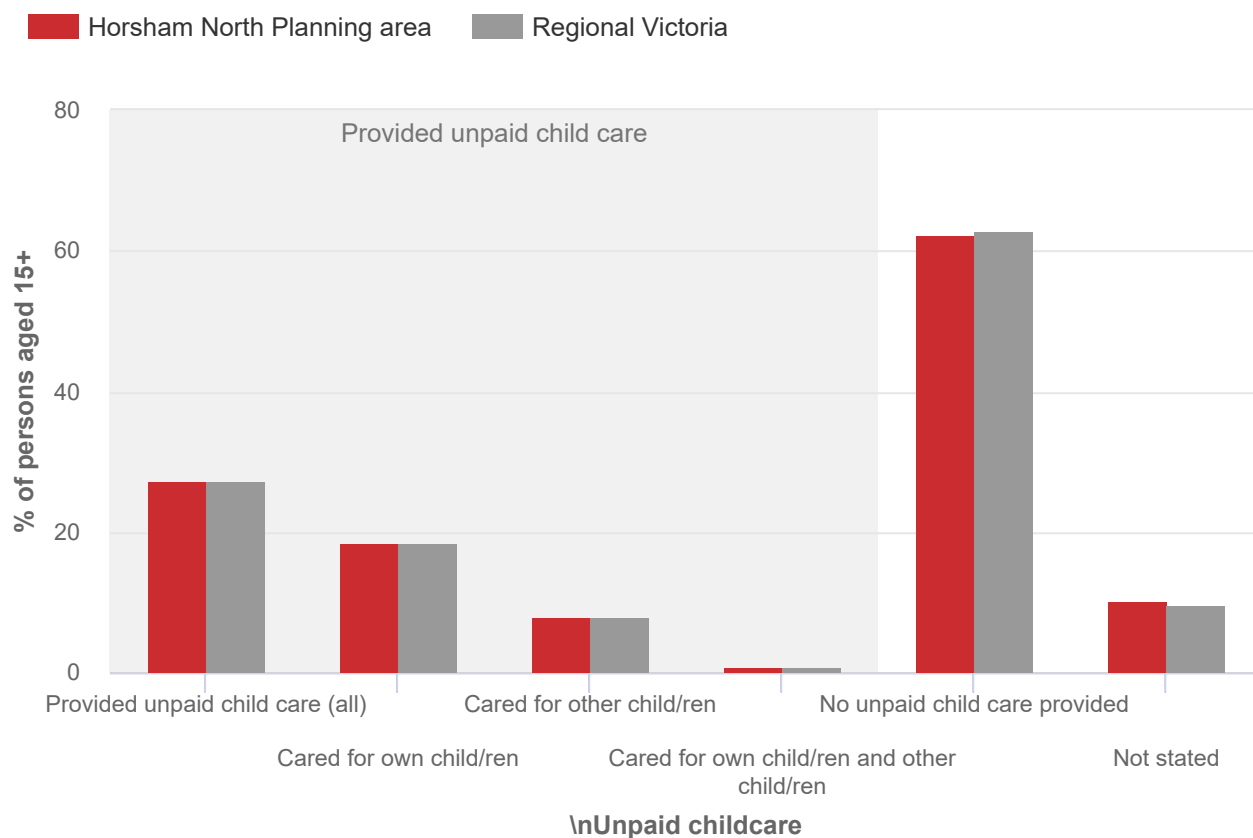
Horsham North Planning area - Persons aged 15+ (Usual residence)	2016			2011			Change
Unpaid child care	Number	%	Regional Victoria %	Number	%	Regional Victoria %	2011 to 2016
Provided unpaid child care (all)	906	27.4	27.2	984	29.7	28.0	-78
Cared for own child/ren	614	18.6	18.4	677	20.4	19.2	-63
Cared for other child/ren	260	7.9	7.9	258	7.8	7.8	+2
Cared for own child/ren and other child/ren	32	1.0	0.9	49	1.5	1.1	-17
No unpaid child care provided	2,067	62.4	63.0	2,081	62.8	64.2	-14
Not stated	337	10.2	9.8	247	7.5	7.7	+89
Total persons aged 15+	3,310	100.0	100.0	3,313	100.0	100.0	-3

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Unpaid childcare, 2016

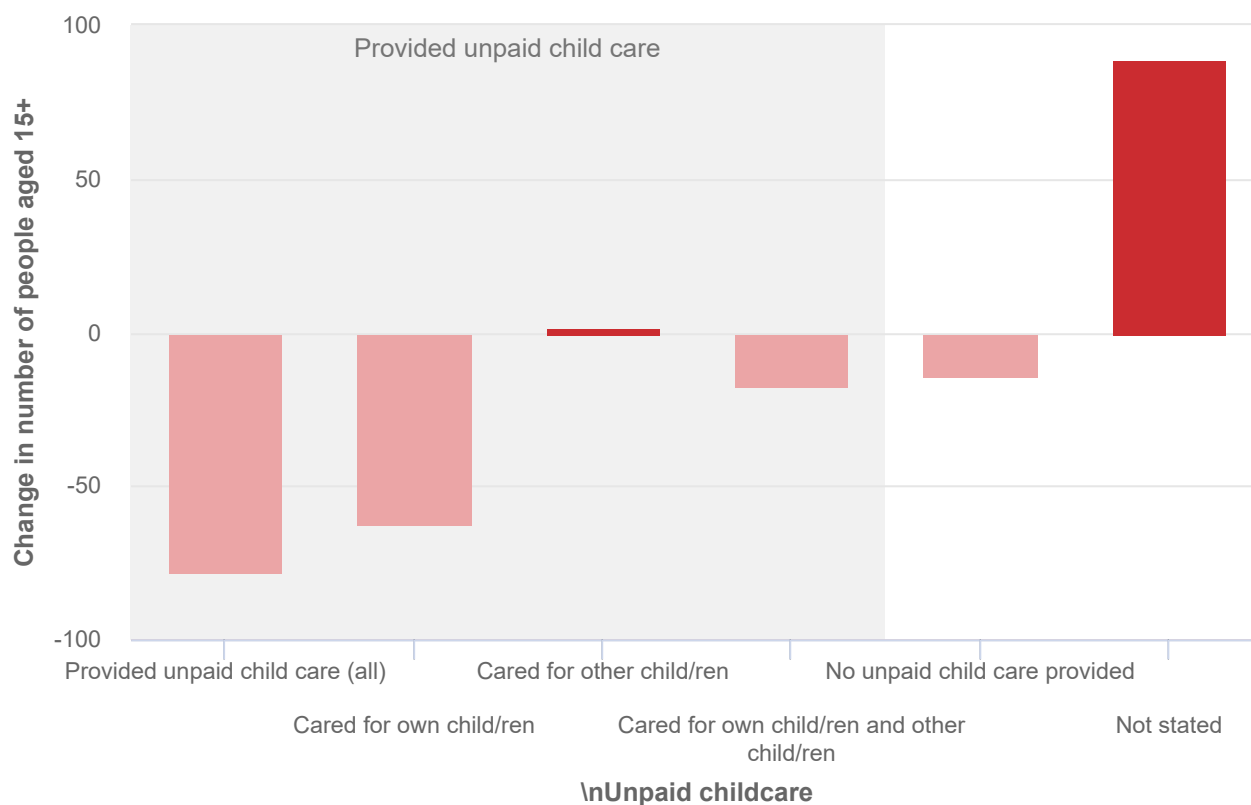
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Change in unpaid childcare, 2011 to 2016

Horsham North Planning area - Total persons



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Dominant groups

Analysis of the unpaid child care provided by the population in Horsham North Planning area in 2016 compared to Regional Victoria shows that there was a similar proportion of people who provided unpaid child care either to their own or to other children. Overall, 27.4% of the population provided unpaid child care, compared with 27.2% for Regional Victoria.

There were no major differences between Horsham North Planning area and Regional Victoria in 2016.

Emerging groups

The number of people who provided unpaid child care for their own and/or other people's children in Horsham North Planning area decreased by 78 between 2011 and 2016.

The largest change in the number of people performing unpaid child care in Horsham North Planning area, between 2011 and 2016 was those who:

- Cared for own child/ren (-63 persons)

Horsham North Planning area

Individual income

Individual Income statistics are an indicator of socio-economic status. With other data sources, such as **Household Income**, **Qualifications** and **Occupation**, they help tell the story of the economic opportunities and socio-economic status of Horsham North Planning area. The amount of income an individual receives is linked to a number of factors including **employment status**, **age** (as for instance students and retirees often receive a lower income), **qualifications** and **type of employment**.

The incomes presented on this page are for the latest Census year only. For comparison of incomes over time, go to **Individual Income Quartiles**.

Weekly individual income

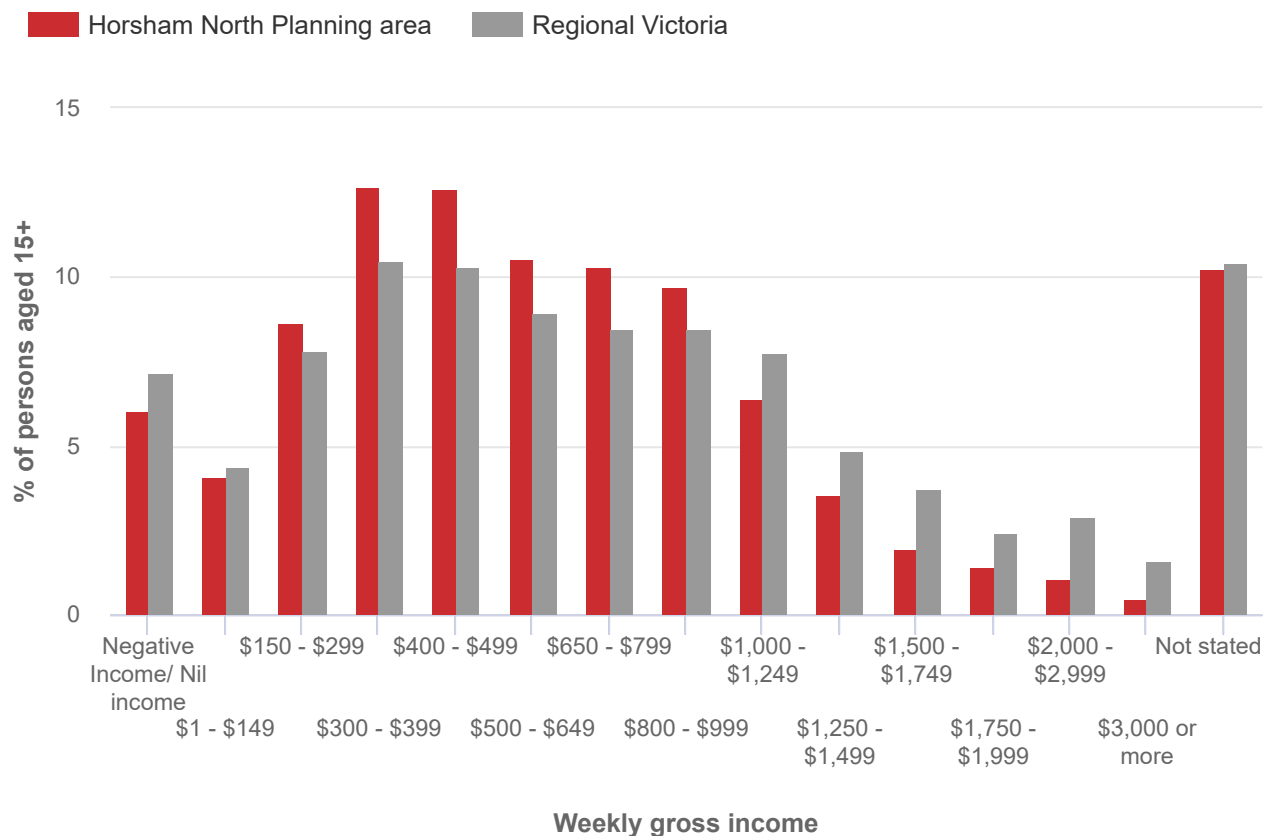
Horsham North Planning area - Persons aged 15+ (Usual residence)	2016		
Weekly gross income	Number	%	Regional Victoria %
Negative Income/ Nil income	198	6.1	7.2
\$1 - \$149	134	4.1	4.4
\$150 - \$299	284	8.7	7.8
\$300 - \$399	415	12.7	10.5
\$400 - \$499	413	12.7	10.3
\$500 - \$649	345	10.6	9.0
\$650 - \$799	337	10.3	8.5
\$800 - \$999	318	9.7	8.5
\$1,000 - \$1,249	209	6.4	7.8
\$1,250 - \$1,499	116	3.6	4.9
\$1,500 - \$1,749	64	2.0	3.8
\$1,750 - \$1,999	46	1.4	2.4
\$2,000 - \$2,999	35	1.1	2.9
\$3,000 or more	16	0.5	1.6
Not stated	335	10.3	10.4
Total persons aged 15+	3,270	100.0	100.0

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Weekly individual income, 2016

Total persons



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Dominant groups

Analysis of individual income levels in Horsham North Planning area in 2016 compared to Regional Victoria shows that there was a lower proportion of people earning a high income (those earning \$1,750 per week or more) and a higher proportion of low income people (those earning less than \$500 per week).

Overall, 3.0% of the population earned a high income, and 44.2% earned a low income, compared with 6.9% and 40.2% respectively for Regional Victoria.

The major differences between Horsham North Planning area's individual incomes and Regional Victoria's individual incomes were:

- A *larger* percentage of persons who earned \$400 - \$499 (12.7% compared to 10.3%)
- A *larger* percentage of persons who earned \$300 - \$399 (12.7% compared to 10.5%)
- A *larger* percentage of persons who earned \$650 - \$799 (10.3% compared to 8.5%)
- A *smaller* percentage of persons who earned \$2,000 - \$2,999 (1.1% compared to 2.9%)

Horsham North Planning area

Individual income quartiles

Horsham North Planning area's income statistics are an indicator of socio-economic status. With other data sources, such as Household Income, Qualifications and Occupation, they help tell the story of the area's economic opportunities and socio-economic status. Individual income levels are not comparable over time because of the influences of economic change such as wage level fluctuations and inflation. The income quartile method is the most objective method of comparing change in the income profile of a community over time.

A detailed explanation of how Individual Income quartiles are calculated and interpreted is available in [specific data notes](#).

Individual income quartiles

Horsham North Planning area - Persons aged 15+ (Usual residence)	2016			2011			Change
Quartile group	Number	%	Regional Victoria %	Number	%	Regional Victoria %	2011 to 2016
Lowest group	659	22.5	22.9	719	23.4	24.3	-60
Medium lowest	1,120	38.2	31.7	1,074	34.9	30.9	+46
Medium highest	833	28.4	26.2	927	30.1	26.1	-94
Highest group	321	11.0	19.2	355	11.6	18.8	-34
Total persons aged 15+	2,934	100.0	100.0	3,077	100.0	100.0	-143

Source: Australian Bureau of Statistics, [Census of Population and Housing](#) 2011 and 2016. Compiled and presented by [.id](#) (informed decisions).

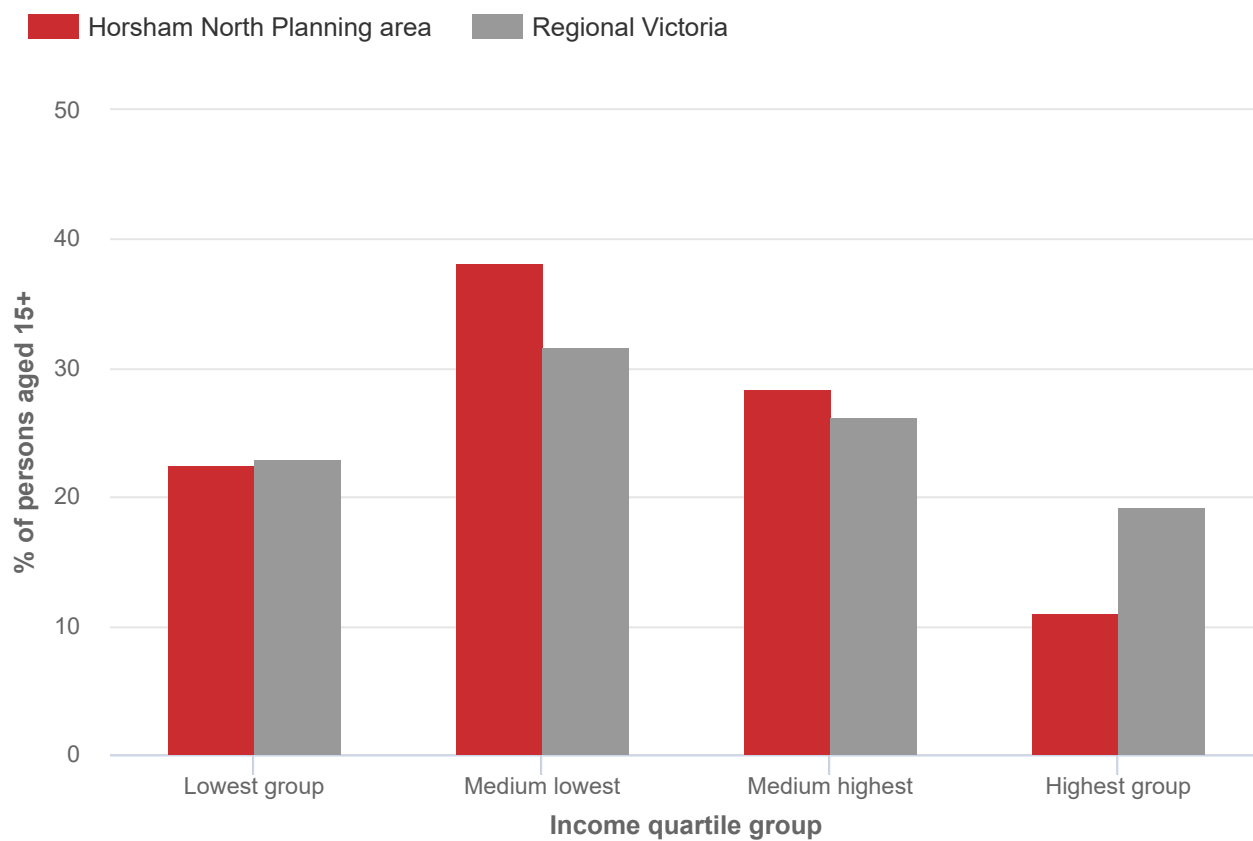
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Individual income - Quartile group dollar ranges

Calculated from income data for Victoria - Total persons aged 15+	Weekly income by Census year			
Individual quartile ranges	2016	2011	2006	2001
Lowest group	\$0 to \$310	\$0 to \$261	\$0 to \$204	\$0 to \$180
Medium lowest	\$311 to \$644	\$262 to \$560	\$205 to \$455	\$181 to \$378
Medium highest	\$645 to \$1,198	\$561 to \$1,057	\$456 to \$859	\$379 to \$688
Highest group	\$1,199 and over	\$1,058 and over	\$860 and over	\$689 and over

Individual income quartiles, 2016

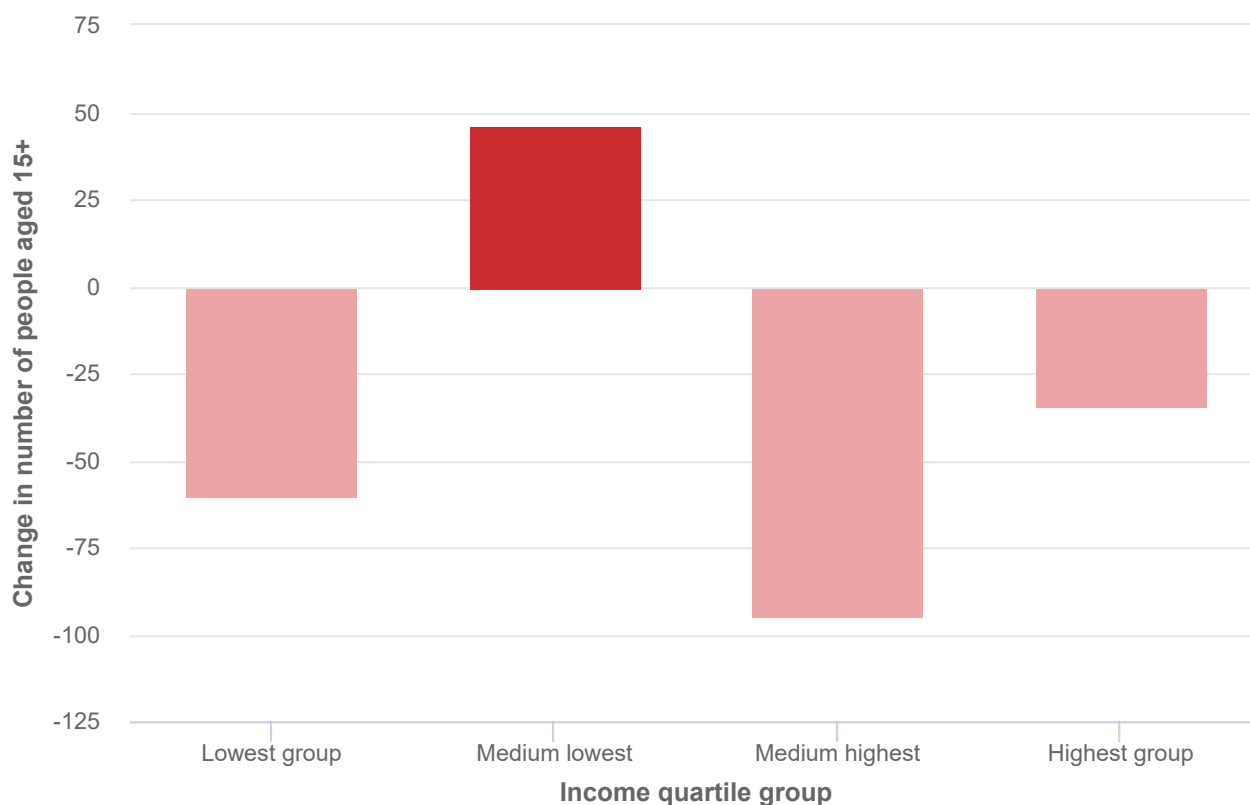
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Change in individual income quartiles, 2011 to 2016

Horsham North Planning area



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Dominant groups

Income quartiles allow us to compare relative income-earning capabilities across time. Analysis of the distribution of the population by income quartile in Horsham North Planning area compared to Regional Victoria shows that there was lesser proportion of persons in the highest income quartile and a similar proportion in the lowest income quartile.

Emerging groups

The most significant change in Horsham North Planning area in persons between 2011 and 2016 was in the medium highest quartile which showed a slight decrease of -94 persons.

Horsham North Planning area

Household income

Households form the common 'economic unit' in our society. Horsham North Planning area's Household Income is one of the most important indicators of socio-economic status. With other data sources, such as **Qualifications** and **Occupation**, it helps to reveal the economic opportunities and socio-economic status of Horsham North Planning area. It is important to note that income data is not necessarily a measure of wealth. For example, if an area has a large number of retirees this will produce a higher proportion of households with low income but the retirees may have large capital wealth. For this reason, household income should be viewed in conjunction with **Age** and **Household Composition**.

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[Learn more about the characteristics of low-income households here.](#)

Weekly household income

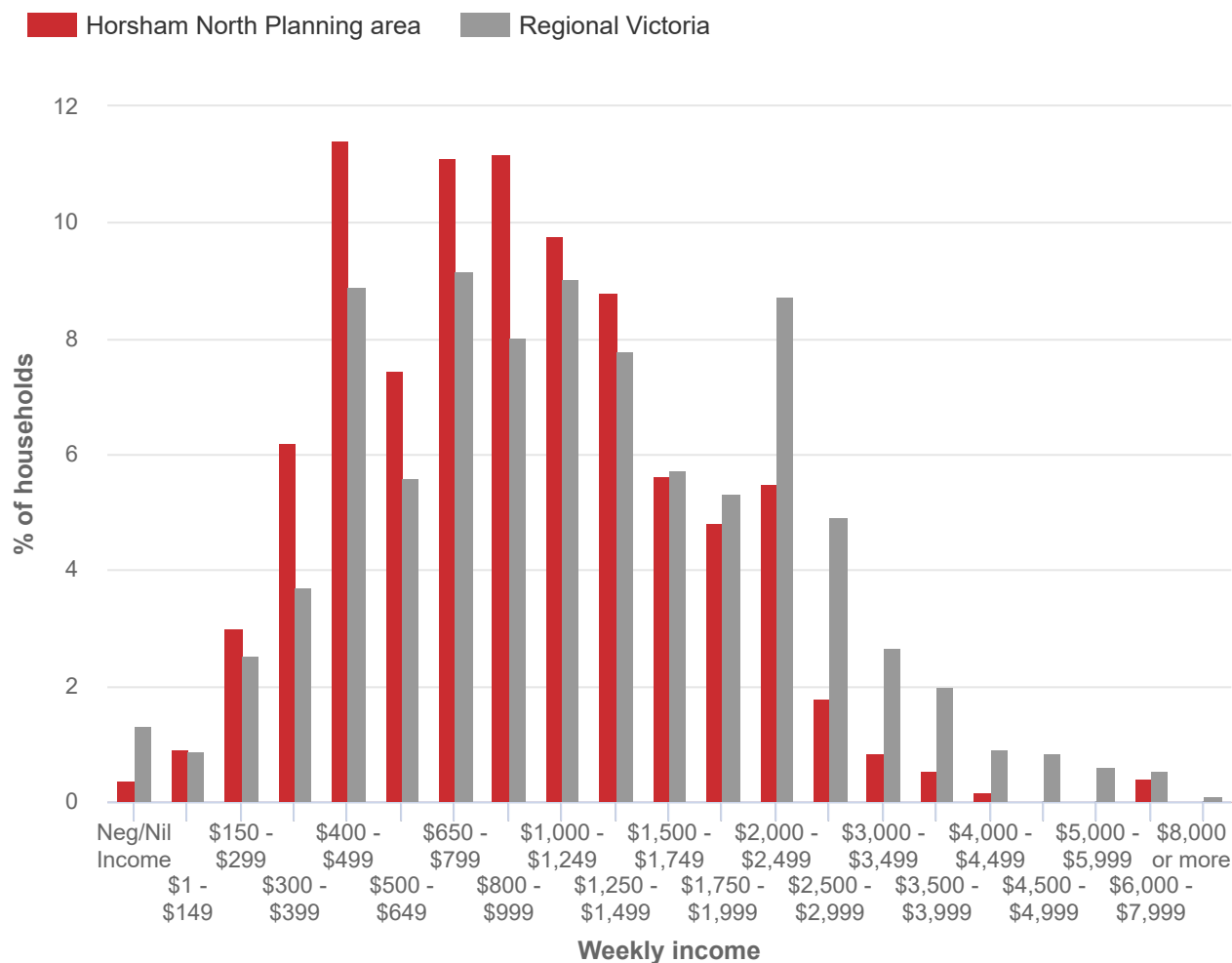
Horsham North Planning area - Total households (Enumerated)		2016	
Weekly income	Number	%	Regional Victoria %
Neg/Nil Income	6	0.4	1.3
\$1 - \$149	15	0.9	0.9
\$150 - \$299	50	3.0	2.5
\$300 - \$399	103	6.2	3.7
\$400 - \$499	190	11.4	8.9
\$500 - \$649	124	7.5	5.6
\$650 - \$799	185	11.1	9.2
\$800 - \$999	187	11.2	8.0
\$1,000 - \$1,249	163	9.8	9.0
\$1,250 - \$1,499	147	8.8	7.8
\$1,500 - \$1,749	94	5.6	5.7
\$1,750 - \$1,999	80	4.8	5.3
\$2,000 - \$2,499	91	5.5	8.7
\$2,500 - \$2,999	29	1.8	4.9
\$3,000 - \$3,499	14	0.8	2.7
\$3,500 - \$3,999	9	0.5	2.0
\$4,000 - \$4,499	3	0.2	0.9
\$4,500 - \$4,999	0	0.0	0.8
\$5,000 - \$5,999	0	0.0	0.6
\$6,000 - \$7,999	7	0.4	0.5
\$8,000 or more	0	0.0	0.1
Not stated	168	10.1	10.7
Total households	1,671	100.0	100.0

Source: Australian Bureau of Statistics, Census of Population and Housing 2016. Compiled and presented in profile.id by .id (informed decisions).

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- a** Low income households (less than \$650 per week)
- a** High income households (more than \$2,500 per week)
- a** Median household income

Weekly household income, 2016



Source: Australian Bureau of Statistics, Census of Population and Housing, 2016 (Enumerated data). Compiled and presented in profile.id by .id (informed decisions).

Dominant groups

Analysis of household income levels in Horsham North Planning area in 2016 compared to Regional Victoria shows that there was a smaller proportion of high income households (those earning \$2,500 per week or more) and a higher proportion of low income households (those earning less than \$650 per week).

Overall, 3.8% of the households earned a high income and 29.3% were low income households, compared with 12.5% and 22.9% respectively for Regional Victoria.

The major differences between the household incomes of Horsham North Planning area and Regional Victoria were:

- A *larger* percentage of households who earned \$800 - \$999 (11.2% compared to 8.0%)
- A *larger* percentage of households who earned \$400 - \$499 (11.4% compared to 8.9%)
- A *smaller* percentage of households who earned \$2,000 - \$2,499 (5.5% compared to 8.7%)
- A *smaller* percentage of households who earned \$2,500 - \$2,999 (1.8% compared to 4.9%)

Horsham North Planning area

Household income quartiles

Households form the common 'economic unit' in our society. Household Income is one of the most important indicators of socio-economic status. With other data sources, such as **Qualifications** and **Occupation**, it helps to reveal Horsham North Planning area's socio-economic status and economic opportunities. Household income levels are not comparable over time because of the influences of economic change such as wage level fluctuations and inflation. The income quartile method is a powerful and objective way of looking at income data and in particular, how it is changing.

A detailed explanation of how Household Income quartiles are calculated and interpreted is available in **specific data notes**.

Learn more about the characteristics of low-income households [here](#).

Household income quartiles

Horsham North Planning area - Households (Enumerated)	2016			2011			Change
Quartile group	Number	%	Regional Victoria %	Number	%	Regional Victoria %	2011 to 2016
Lowest group	602	40.1	31.9	602	37.9	32.0	0
Medium lowest	522	34.7	29.0	544	34.3	29.0	-23
Medium highest	295	19.7	23.0	319	20.1	23.5	-24
Highest group	81	5.5	16.1	122	7.7	15.6	-40
Total Households	1,502	100.0	100.0	1,589	100.0	100.0	-87

Source: Australian Bureau of Statistics, Census of Population and Housing 2011 and 2016. Compiled and presented by .id (informed decisions).

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Household income - Quartile group dollar ranges

Calculated from income data for
Victoria

Weekly income by Census year

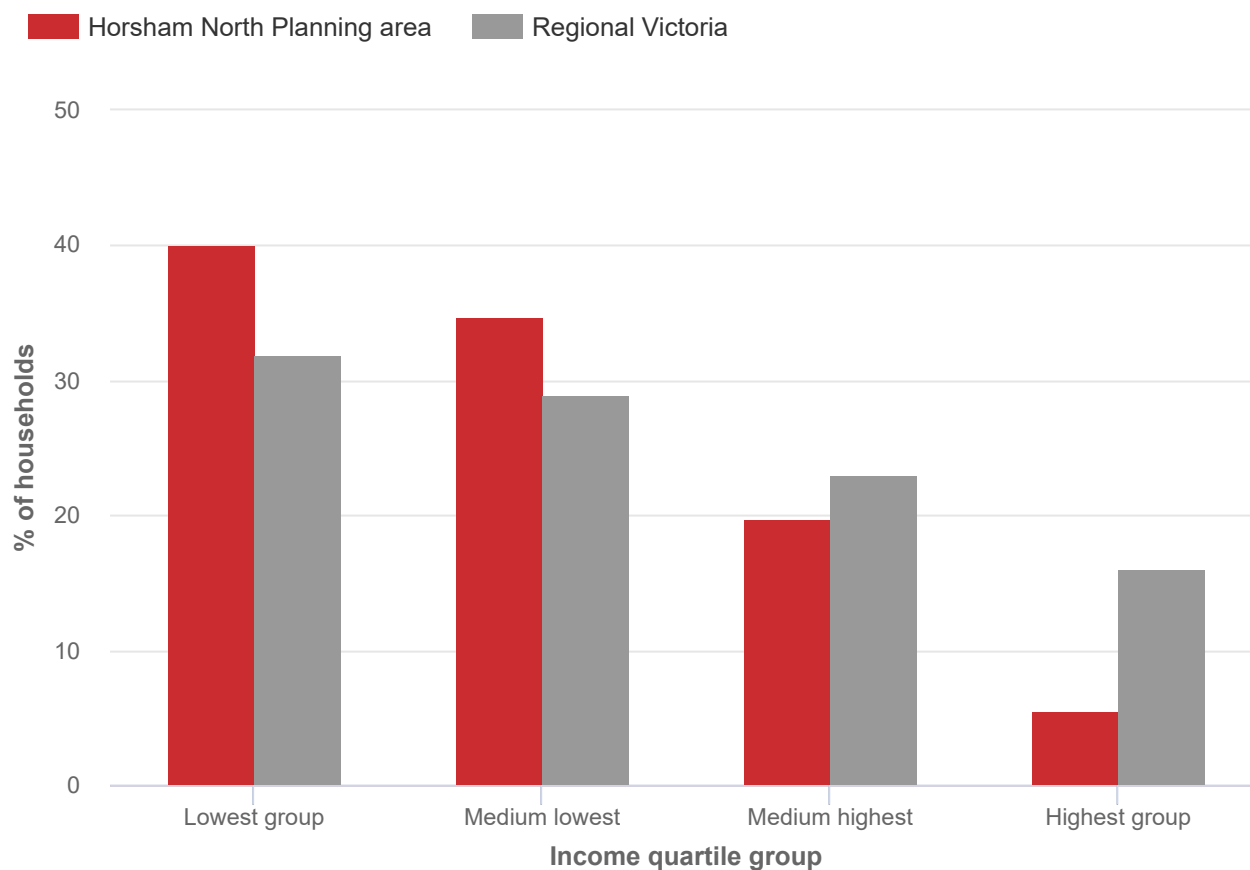
Household income ranges	2016	2011	2006	2001	1996	1991
Lowest group	\$0 to \$740	\$0 to \$624	\$0 to \$539	\$0 to \$426	\$0 to \$340	\$0 to \$309
Medium lowest	\$741 to \$1,416	\$625 to \$1,213	\$540 to \$1,021	\$427 to \$812	\$341 to \$640	\$310 to \$575
Medium highest	\$1,417 to \$2,394	\$1,214 to \$2,148	\$1,022 to \$1,682	\$813 to \$1,379	\$641 to \$1,075	\$576 to \$936
Highest group	\$2,395 and over	\$2,149 and over	\$1,683 and over	\$1,380 and over	\$1,076 and over	\$937 and over

a Low income households (less than \$650 per week)

a High income households (more than \$2,500 per week)

a Median household income

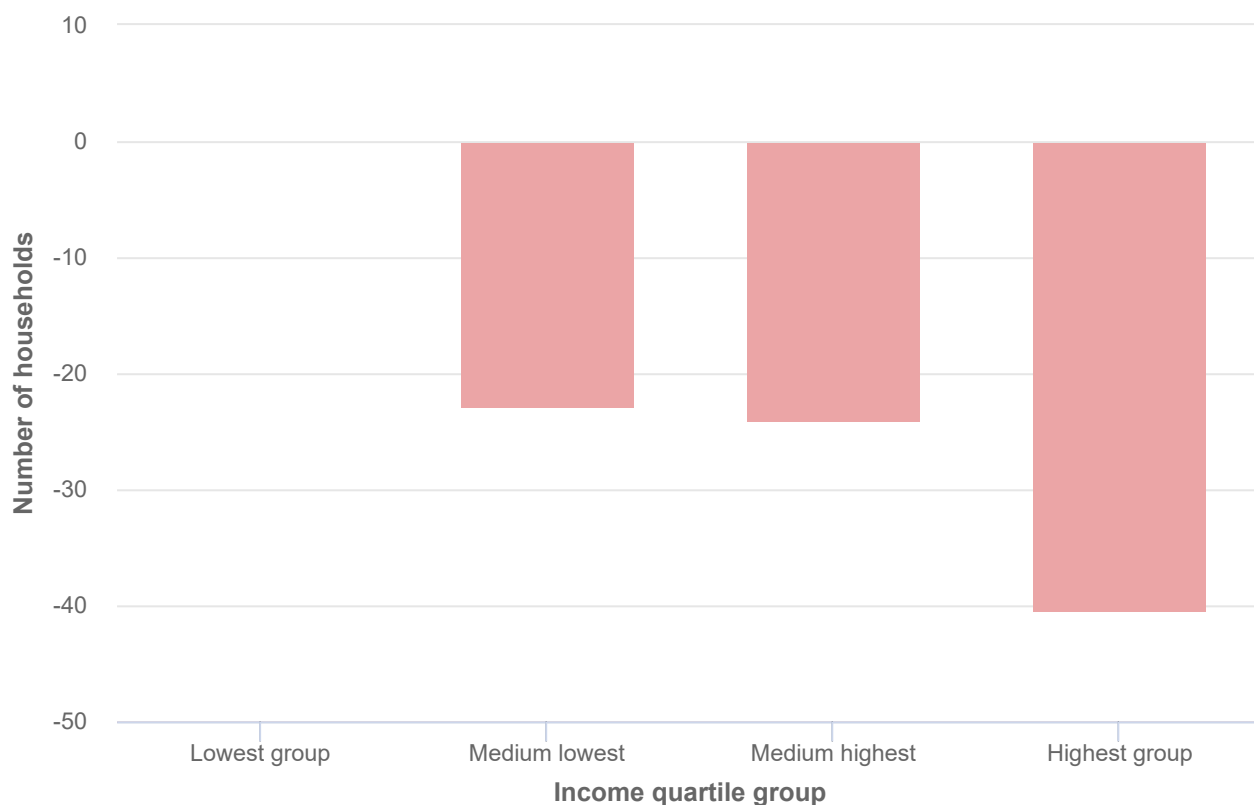
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Change in household income quartile, 2011 to 2016

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Dominant groups

Income quartiles allow us to compare relative income-earning capabilities across time. Analysis of the distribution of households by income quartile in Horsham North Planning area compared to Regional Victoria shows that there was lesser proportion of households in the highest income quartile and a greater proportion in the lowest income quartile.

Emerging groups

The most significant change in Horsham North Planning area between 2011 and 2016 was in the highest quartile which showed a slight decrease of -40 households.

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Equivalised household income

While Household Income is a useful measure, it is difficult to tell if changes over time and between geographic areas are due to actual changes in income levels, or due to changes in household size and composition. For example, an increase in lower income households could be due to job losses in key economic sectors, or simply due to decreasing household size as adult children leave home.

Equivalised Household Income puts all households on an equal footing independent of household size and composition to enable a true comparison between areas and over time. It is an indicator of the income resource available to a household of standard size and is the best measure of the changing economic fortunes of households living in Horsham North Planning area.

A detailed explanation of how Equivalised Household Income quartiles are calculated and interpreted is available in [specific data notes](#).

Learn more about the characteristics of low-income households [here](#).

Equivalised household income quartiles

Horsham North Planning area - Households (Enumerated)	2016			2011			Change
Quartile group	Number	%	Regional Victoria %	Number	%	Regional Victoria %	2011 to 2016
Lowest group	606	41.1	30.7	599	38.3	31.0	+7
Medium lowest	469	31.8	29.2	489	31.3	29.5	-20
Medium highest	294	20.0	23.9	345	22.1	23.7	-51
Highest group	104	7.1	16.2	130	8.4	15.8	-27
Total Households	1,475	100.0	100.0	1,565	100.0	100.0	-90

Source: Australian Bureau of Statistics, [Census of Population and Housing](#) 2011 and 2016. Compiled and presented by [.id](#) (informed decisions).

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Equivalised household income - Quartile group dollar ranges

Calculated from income data for Victoria

Weekly income by Census year

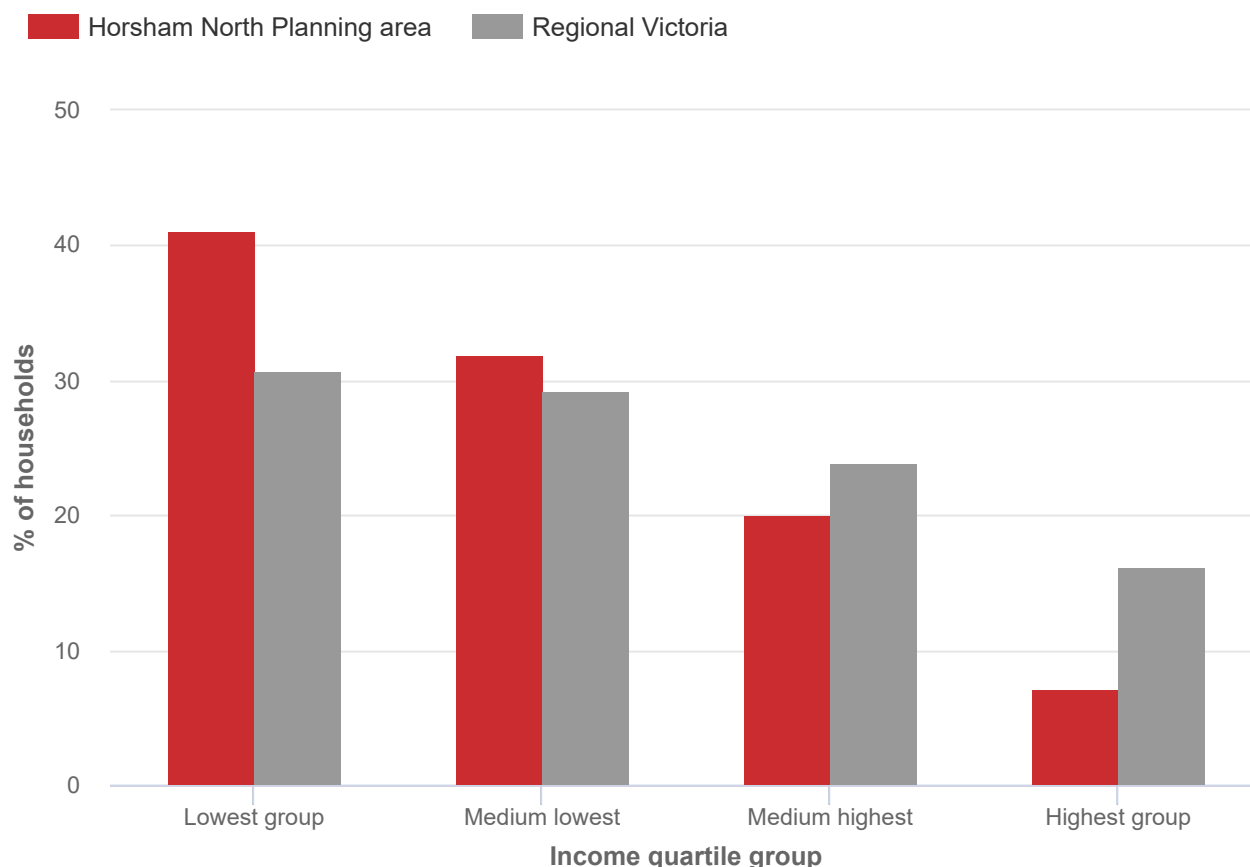
Equivalised household income ranges	2016	2011	2006	2001
Lowest group	\$0 to \$494	\$0 to \$430	\$0 to \$352	\$0 to \$288
Medium lowest	\$495 to \$864	\$431 to \$751	\$353 to \$601	\$289 to \$492
Medium highest	\$865 to \$1,392	\$752 to \$1,203	\$602 to \$969	\$493 to \$782
Highest group	\$1,393 and over	\$1,204 and over	\$970 and over	\$783 and over

a Low income households (less than \$650 per week)

a High income households (more than \$2,500 per week)

a Median household income

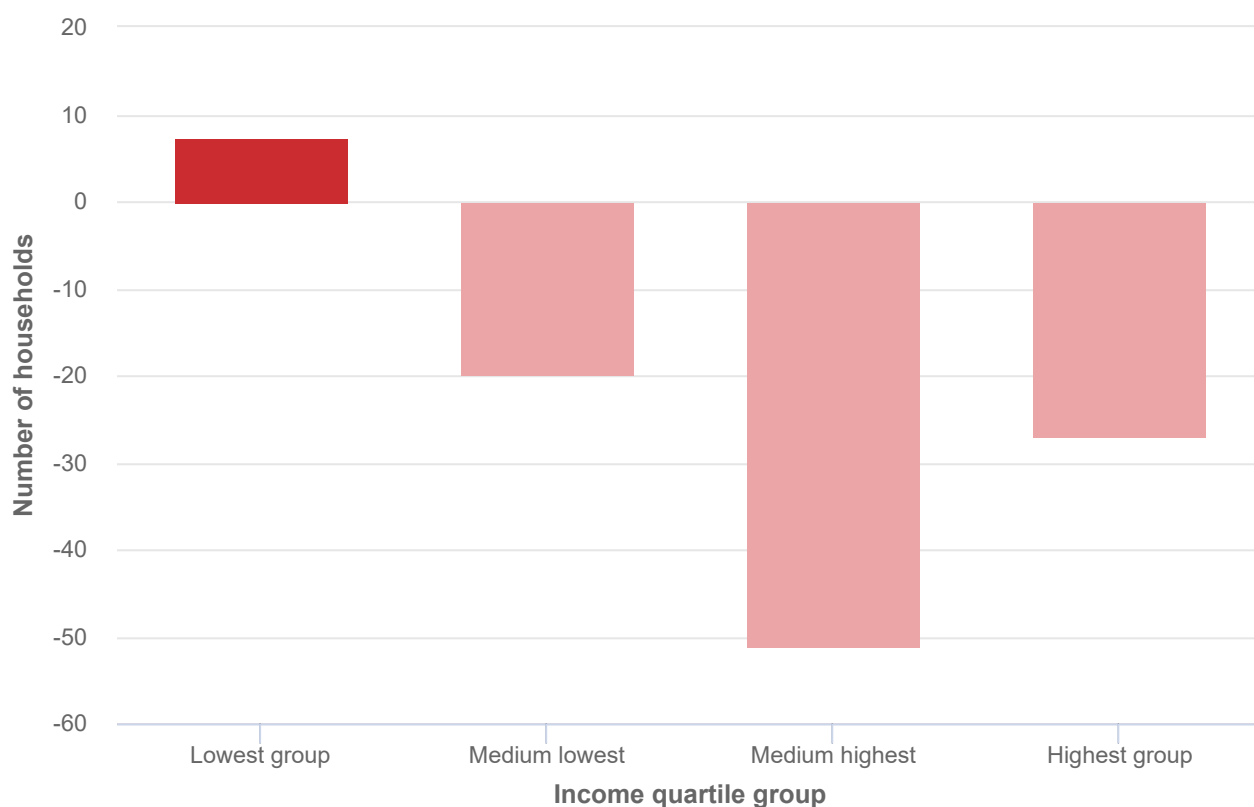
Equivalised household income quartiles, 2016



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Change in equivalised household income quartiles, 2011 to 2016

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Dominant groups

Equivalised income quartiles allow us to compare relative income-earning capabilities across time. Because the data is equivalised, households of different size and composition are placed on an equal footing.

Analysis of the distribution of households by income quartile in Horsham North Planning area compared to Regional Victoria shows that there was a lesser proportion of households in the highest equivalised income quartile, and a greater proportion in the lowest equivalised income quartile.

Emerging groups

The most significant change in Horsham North Planning area between 2011 and 2016 was in the medium highest quartile which showed a slight decrease of -51 households.

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Household type

Horsham North Planning area's household and family structure is one of the most important demographic indicators. It reveals the area's residential role and function, era of settlement and provides key insights into the level of demand for services and facilities as most are related to age and household types.

To continue building the story, Horsham North Planning area's Household Summary should be viewed in conjunction with Households with Children, Households without Children, Household Size, Age Structure and Dwelling Type.

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Household type

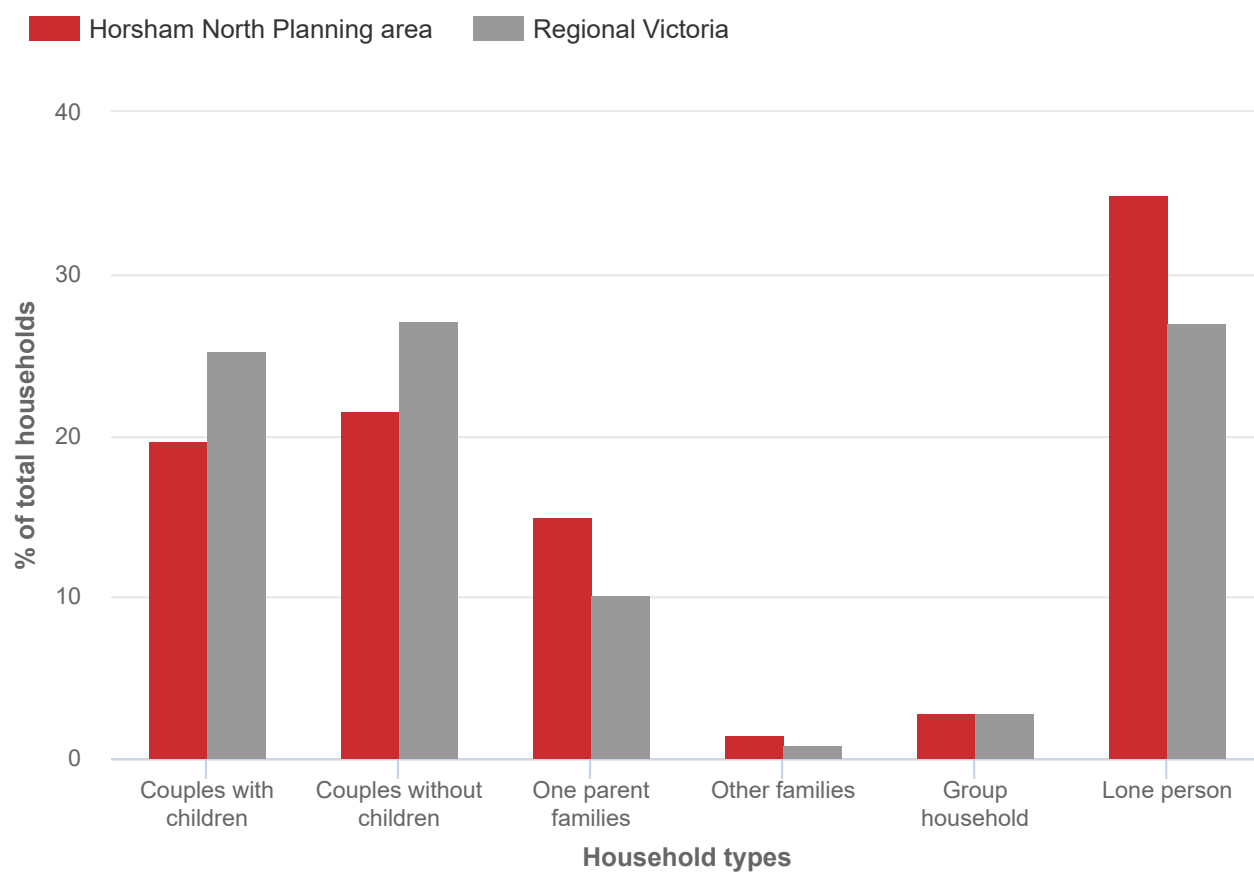
Horsham North Planning area - Total households (Enumerated)	2016			2011			Change
Households by type	Number	%	Regional Victoria %	Number	%	Regional Victoria %	2011 to 2016
Couples with children	352	19.7	25.3	379	20.9	26.9	-26
Couples without children	386	21.6	27.1	460	25.4	27.8	-75
One parent families	267	15.0	10.1	271	15.0	10.5	-4
Other families	27	1.5	0.8	19	1.1	0.8	+7
Group household	50	2.8	2.9	64	3.6	2.9	-14
Lone person	625	34.9	27.0	572	31.6	26.8	+53
Other not classifiable household	74	4.1	5.2	24	1.3	2.6	+50
Visitor only households	7	0.4	1.6	19	1.0	1.6	-12
Total households	1,790	100.0	100.0	1,811	100.0	100.0	-20

Source: Australian Bureau of Statistics, Census of Population and Housing 2011 and 2016. Compiled and presented by .id (informed decisions).

Please refer to specific data notes for more information

- [a One parent families with dependent children](#)
- [a Couple families with dependent children](#)
- [a Young couples \(aged 15-44 years\) without children](#)
- [a Older couples \(65 years and over\) without children](#)
- [a Young lone person households \(aged 15-44 years\)](#)
- [a Older lone person households \(aged 65 years and over\)](#)
- [a Average household size](#)

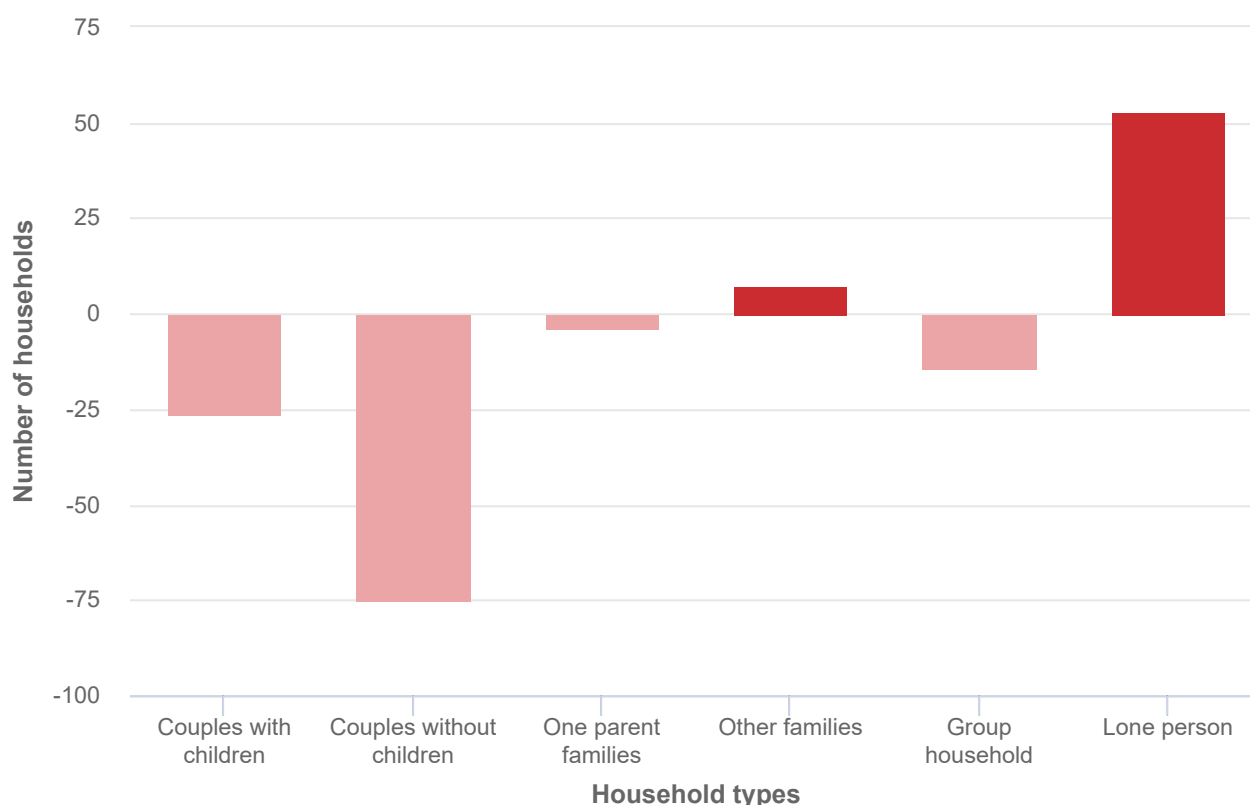
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Change in household type, 2011 to 2016

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Dominant groups

Analysis of the household/family types in Horsham North Planning area in 2016 compared to Regional Victoria shows that there was a lower proportion of couple families with child(ren) as well as a higher proportion of one-parent families. Overall, 19.7% of total families were couple families with child(ren), and 15.0% were one-parent families, compared with 25.3% and 10.1% respectively for Regional Victoria.

There were a higher proportion of lone person households and a lower proportion of couples without children. Overall, the proportion of lone person households was 34.9% compared to 27.0% in Regional Victoria while the proportion of couples without children was 21.6% compared to 27.1% in Regional Victoria.

Emerging groups

The number of households in Horsham North Planning area decreased by 21 between 2011 and 2016.

The largest changes in family/household types in Horsham North Planning area between 2011 and 2016 were:

- Couples without children (-75 households)
- Lone person (+53 households)

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Households with children

Households with Children require different services and facilities than other household types, and their needs change as both adults and children age. When many families in an area are at the same stage in their individual lifecycles, it creates a suburb lifecycle. Knowing where a suburb is in a cycle of change helps planners make evidence-based decisions about the demand for services both now and in the future.

For Households with Children in Horsham North Planning area, life stage is based on the age of children in the household. The age of the parent(s) is not taken into account.

- **Young children:** Children aged under 15 only
- **Mixed age children:** One or more children under 15 and one or more children over 15 (must have 2 or more children)
- **Older children:** Children aged 15 and over only

To continue building the story, Horsham North Planning area's Household data should be viewed in conjunction with Household Size, Age Structure and Dwelling Type.

Households with children by life stage

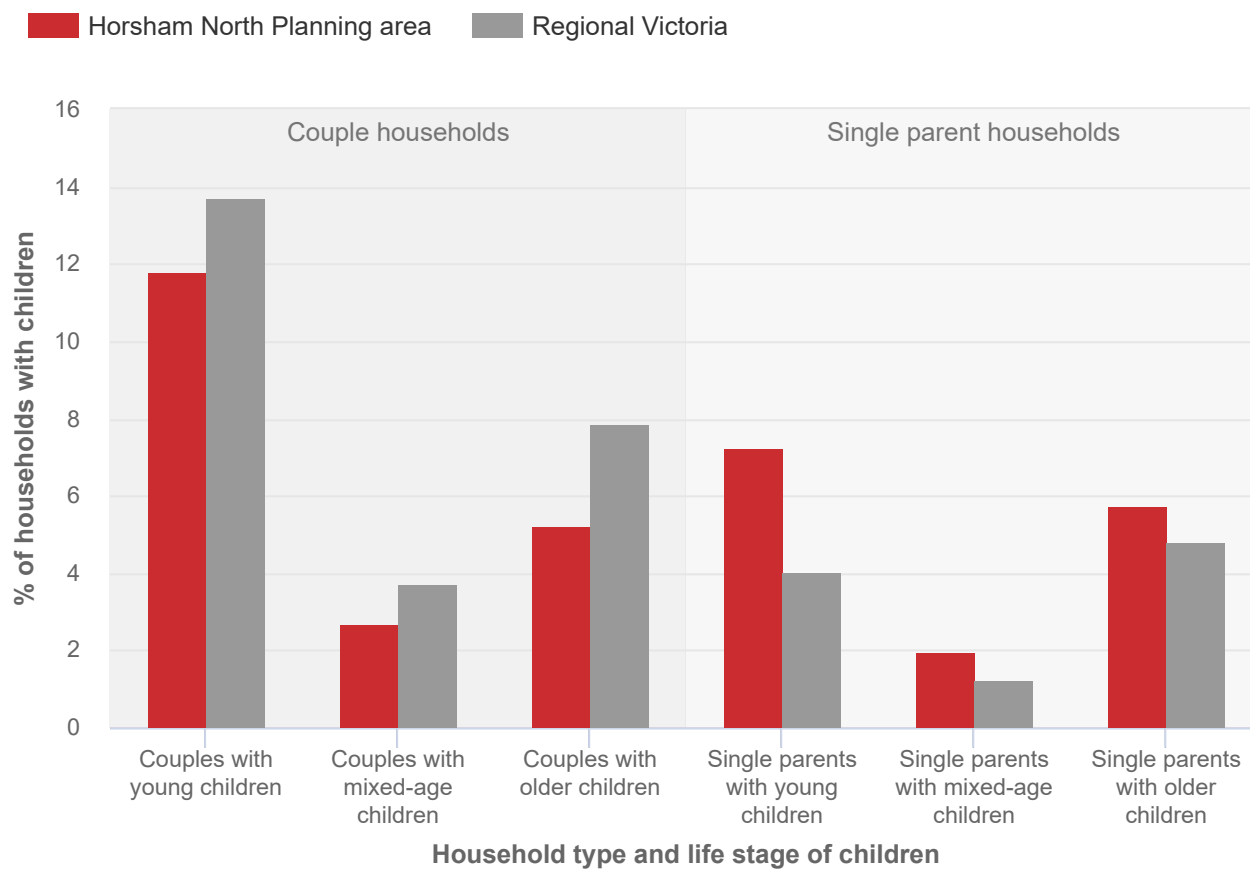
Horsham North Planning area - Households (Enumerated)	2016			2011			Change
Households with children	Number	%	Regional Victoria %	Number	%	Regional Victoria %	2011 to 2016
Couples with children	352	19.7	25.3	379	20.9	26.9	-26
Couples with young children	211	11.8	13.7	231	12.8	14.5	-21
Couples with mixed-age children	48	2.7	3.7	51	2.8	4.3	-3
Couples with older children	93	5.2	7.9	96	5.3	8.1	-3
Single parents with children	267	15.0	10.1	271	15.0	10.5	-4
Single parents with young children	129	7.2	4.0	140	7.7	4.6	-11
Single parents with mixed-age children	35	2.0	1.2	44	2.4	1.4	-9
Single parents with older children	103	5.8	4.8	87	4.8	4.6	+16
Total households with children	620	34.7	35.4	650	35.9	37.5	-30
Total households	1,790	100.0	100.0	1,811	100.0	100.0	-20

Source: Australian Bureau of Statistics, [Census of Population and Housing](#) 2011 and 2016. Compiled and presented by [.id](#) (informed decisions).

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- a One parent families with dependent children
- a Couple families with dependent children

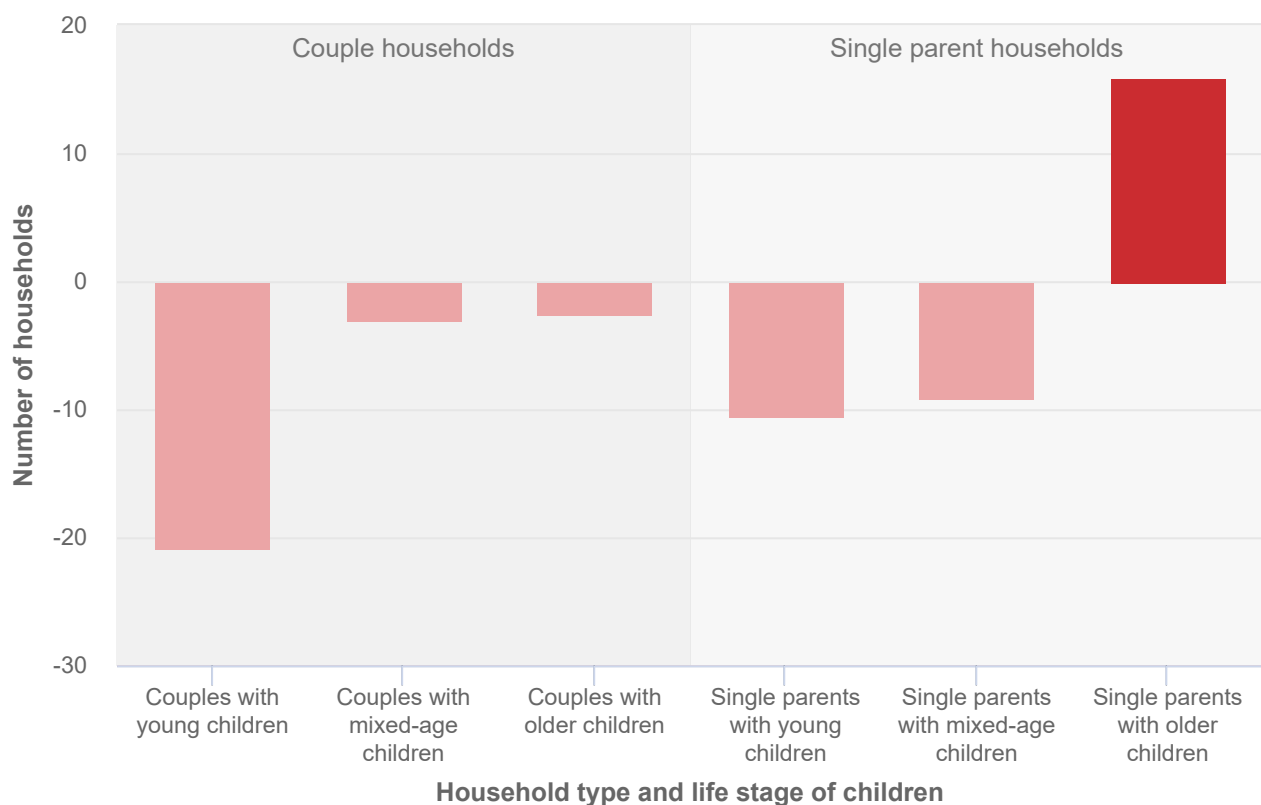
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Change in households with children, 2011 to 2016

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Dominant groups

Analysis of the families with children in Horsham North Planning area in 2016 compared to Regional Victoria shows that there was a smaller proportion of couples with young children, as well as a smaller proportion of couples with older children.

Overall, 11.8% of total households with children were couple with young children, and 5.2% were couples with older children, compared with 13.7% and 7.9% respectively for Regional Victoria.

There were a larger proportion of single parent households with young children and a larger proportion of single parent households with older children. Overall, the proportion of single parent households with young children was 7.2% compared to 4.0% in Regional Victoria while the proportion of single parent households with older children was 5.8% compared to 4.8% in Regional Victoria.

Emerging groups

Between 2011 and 2016, the number of households with children decreased by 30 households or 4.6%.

There were no major differences between 2011 and 2016 in Horsham North Planning area.

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Households without children

Households without Children include couples without children and lone person households. They require different services depending on the age of the people in the households. For example young couples who have not had children (yet) compared to older "empty nester" couples whose children may have left home.

For Households without Children in Horsham North Planning area, life stage is based on the age of the household reference person (usually person 1 on the Census form):

- **Young:** Aged 15-44
- **Middle-aged:** Aged 45-64
- **Older:** Aged 65 and over

To continue building the story, Horsham North Planning area's Household data should be viewed in conjunction with Household Size, Age Structure and Dwelling Type.

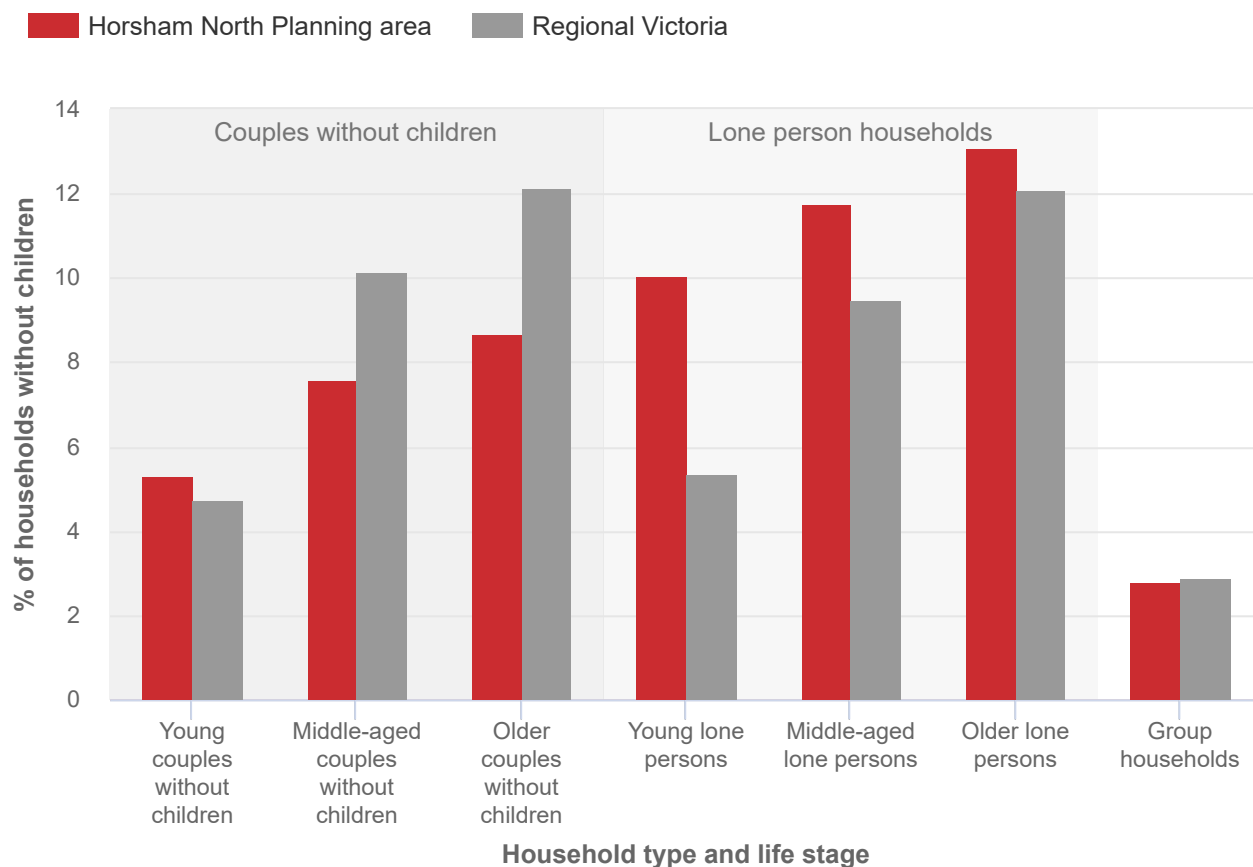
Households without children by life stage

Horsham North Planning area - Households (Enumerated)	2016			2011			Change
Households without children	Number	%	Regional Victoria %	Number	%	Regional Victoria %	2011 to 2016
Couples without children	386	21.6	27.1	460	25.4	27.8	-75
Young couples without children	95	5.3	4.8	128	7.1	5.0	-33
Middle-aged couples without children	135	7.6	10.2	177	9.8	11.8	-41
Older couples without children	155	8.7	12.1	155	8.6	11.0	0
Lone person households	625	34.9	27.0	572	31.6	26.8	+53
Young lone persons	179	10.0	5.4	149	8.3	6.0	+30
Middle-aged lone persons	211	11.8	9.5	217	12.0	9.5	-7
Older lone persons	234	13.1	12.1	205	11.3	11.3	+30
Group households	50	2.8	2.9	64	3.6	2.9	-14
Total households without children	1,062	59.3	56.9	1,098	60.6	57.5	-36
Total households	1,790	100.0	100.0	1,811	100.0	100.0	-20

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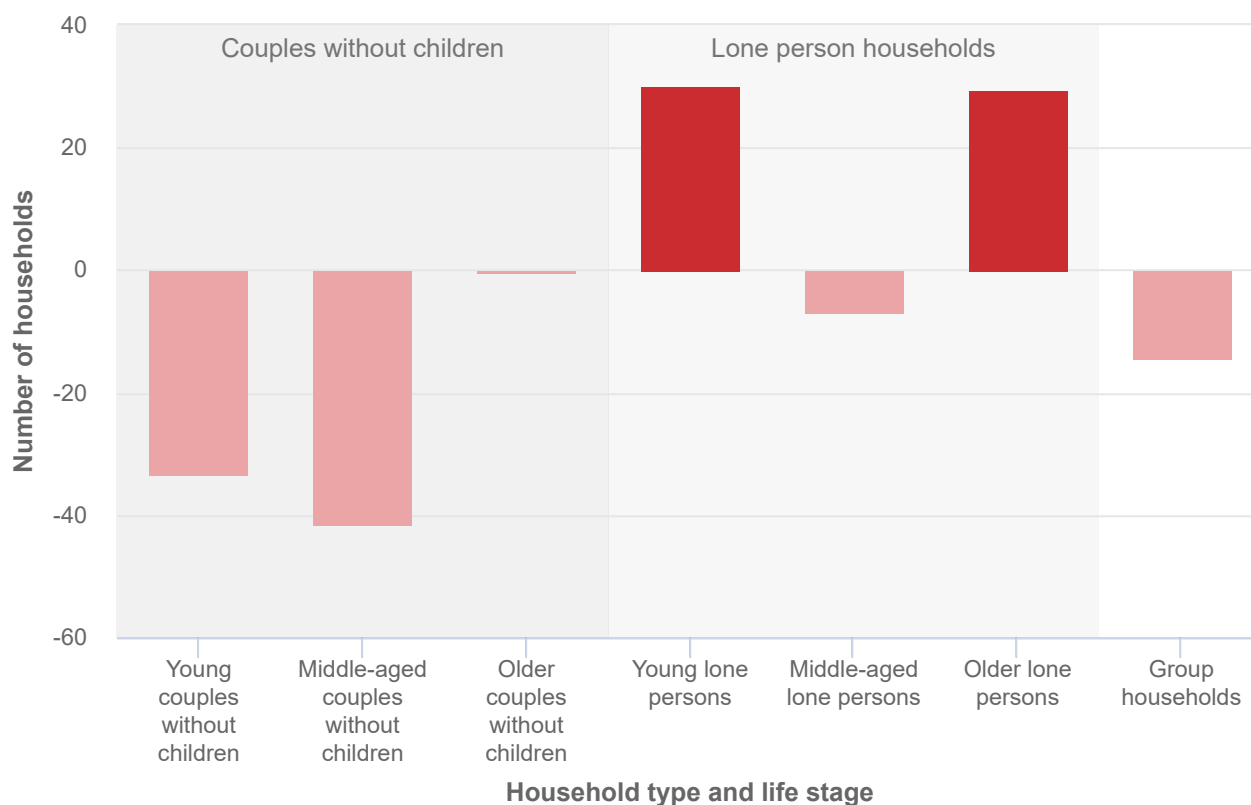
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Change in households without children, 2011 to 2016

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Dominant groups

Analysis of the households without children in Horsham North Planning area in 2016 compared to Regional Victoria shows that there was a larger proportion of young couples without children, a smaller proportion of middle-aged couples without children, and a smaller proportion of older couples without children.

In addition, there were a larger proportion of young lone person households, a larger proportion of middle-aged lone person households, and a larger proportion of older lone person households.

Emerging groups

Between 2011 and 2016, the number of households without children decreased by 36.

There were no major differences in Horsham North Planning area between 2011 and 2016.

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Household size

The size of households in general follows the life-cycle of families. Households are usually small at the stage of relationship formation (early marriage), and then increase in size with the advent of children. They later reduce in size again as these children reach adulthood and leave home. Household size can also be influenced by a lack (or abundance) of affordable housing. Overseas migrants and indigenous persons often have a tradition of living with extended family members which significantly affects household size.

Household size in Australia has declined since the 1970s but between 2006 and 2016, the average household size remained stable for the nation as a whole.

An increasing household size in an area may indicate a lack of affordable housing opportunities for young people, an increase in the birth rate or an increase in family formation in the area. A declining household size may indicate children leaving the area when they leave home, an increase in retirees settling in the area, or an attraction of young singles and couples to the area.

For greater insight, Horsham North Planning area's Household Size data should be viewed in conjunction with Household Summary, Age Structure, Dwelling Type, Household Income and Language Spoken at Home.

Household size

Horsham North Planning area - Households (Enumerated)	2016			2011			Change
Number of persons usually resident	Number	%	Regional Victoria %	Number	%	Regional Victoria %	2011 to 2016
1 person	612	36.0	29.0	582	33.2	27.9	+30
2 persons	552	32.5	36.2	638	36.4	36.3	-86
3 persons	225	13.2	13.6	211	12.0	13.9	+14
4 persons	188	11.1	12.9	195	11.1	13.1	-7
5 persons	90	5.3	5.9	91	5.2	6.2	-1
6 or more persons	31	1.9	2.4	38	2.2	2.6	-7
Total classifiable households	1,700	100.0	100.0	1,756	100.0	100.0	-57

Source: Australian Bureau of Statistics, Census of Population and Housing 2011 and 2016. Compiled and presented by .id (informed decisions).

Please refer to specific data notes for more information

Household size - Summary

Horsham North Planning area - Enumerated	2016			2011			Change
Dwellings	Number	%	Regional Victoria %	Number	%	Regional Victoria %	2011 to 2016
Occupied private dwellings	1,801	--	--	1,807	--	--	-6
Persons in occupied private dwellings	3,952	--	--	4,099	--	--	-147
Average household size (persons per dwelling)	2.19	--	2.36	2.27	--	2.40	-0.07

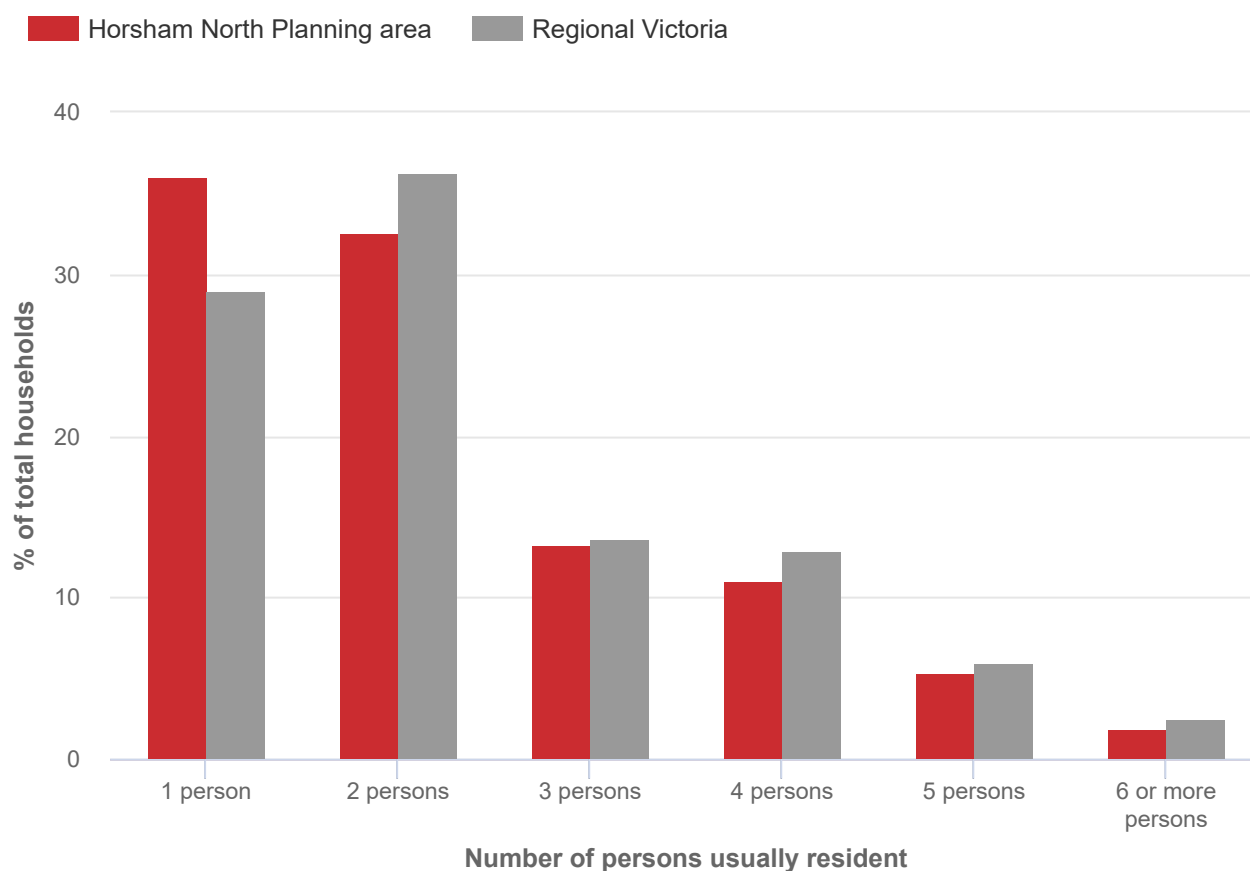
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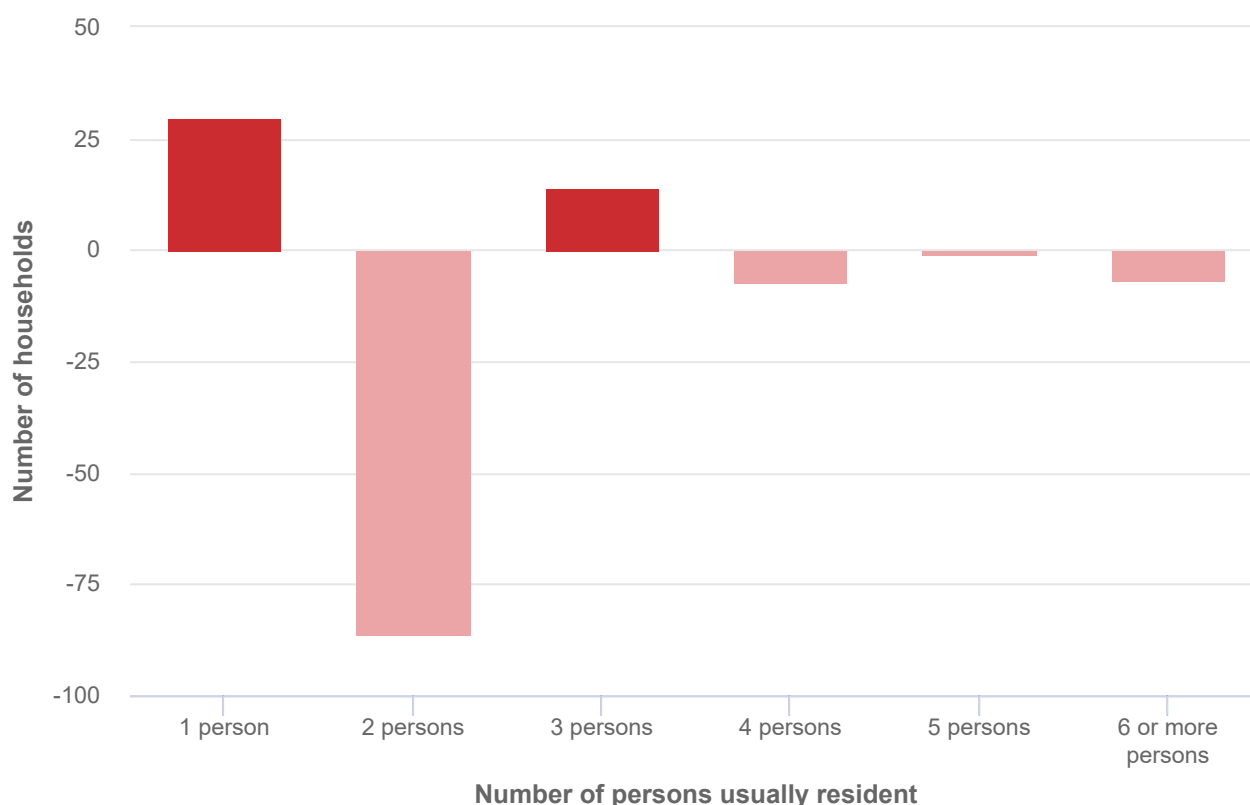
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Change in household size, 2011 to 2016

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Dominant groups

Analysis of the number of persons usually resident in a household in Horsham North Planning area compared with Regional Victoria shows that there were a higher proportion of lone person households, and a lower proportion of larger households (those with 4 persons or more). Overall there were 36.0% of lone person households, and 18.2% of larger households, compared with 29.0% and 21.2% respectively for Regional Victoria.

The major differences in the household size for Horsham North Planning area and Regional Victoria were:

- A *larger* percentage of households with 1 person usually resident (36.0% compared to 29.0%)
- A *smaller* percentage of households with 2 persons usually resident (32.5% compared to 36.2%)
- A *smaller* percentage of households with 4 persons usually resident (11.1% compared to 12.9%)

Emerging groups

The number of households in Horsham North Planning area decreased by 56 between 2011 and 2016.

The largest change in the number of persons usually resident in a household in Horsham North Planning area between 2011 and 2016 was:

- 2 persons (-86 households)

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Family blending

Information on blended and intact families can be an indicator of the level of family breakup and repartnering within the area, and a potential indicator of socio-economic disadvantage. Family blending only applies to couple families with children. For information more broadly about household and family types, including single-parent families, please see Household Type, Households with Children, and Households without Children.

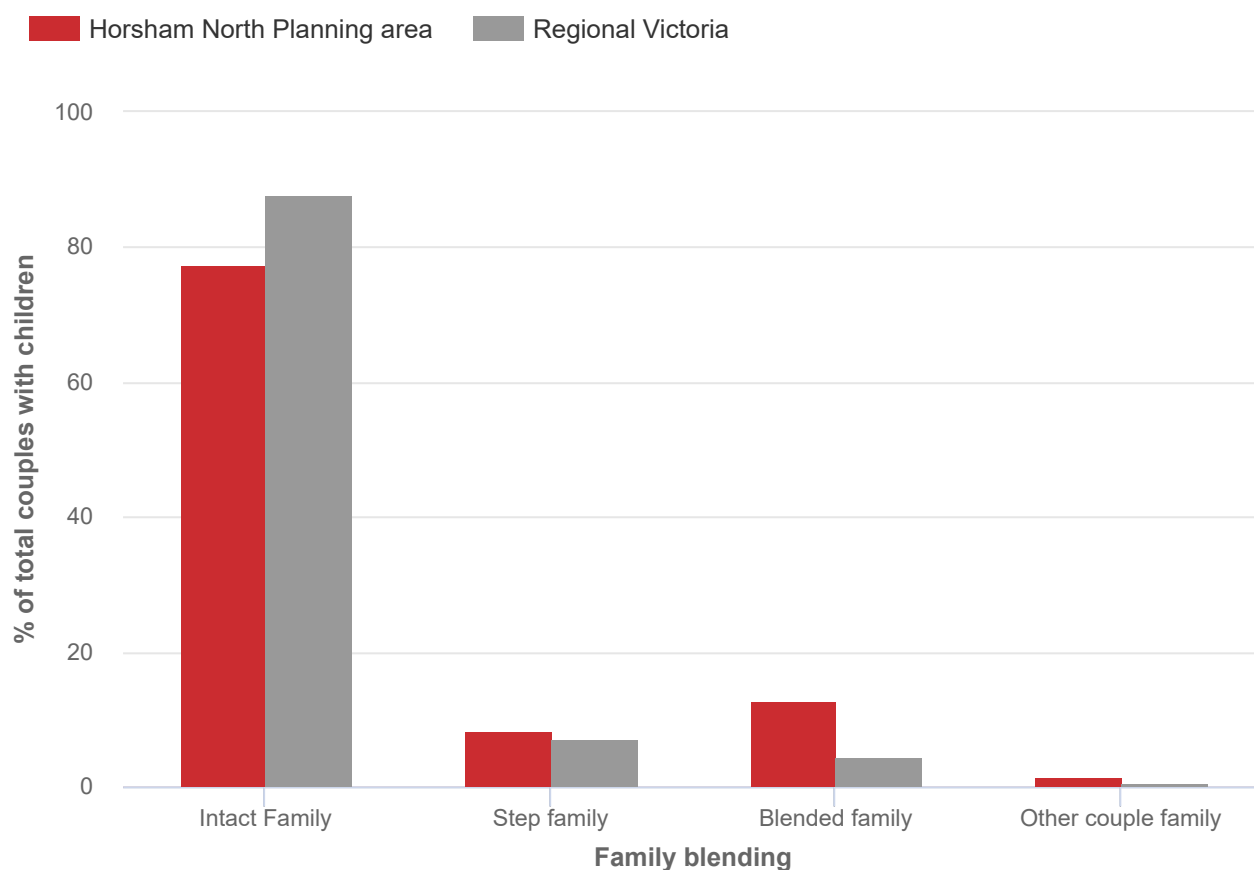
Family blending

Horsham North Planning area - Total couples with children (Enumerated)	2016			2011			Change
Family blending by type	Number	%	Regional Victoria %	Number	%	Regional Victoria %	2011 to 2016
Intact Family	268	77.5	87.7	305	80.7	87.4	-37
Step family	28	8.3	7.1	44	11.6	7.4	-15
Blended family	44	12.7	4.5	26	6.9	4.7	+18
Other couple family	5	1.4	0.6	3	0.8	0.5	+2
Total couples with children	346	100.0	100.0	378	100.0	100.0	-33

Source: Australian Bureau of Statistics, Census of Population and Housing 2011 and 2016. Compiled and presented by .id (informed decisions).

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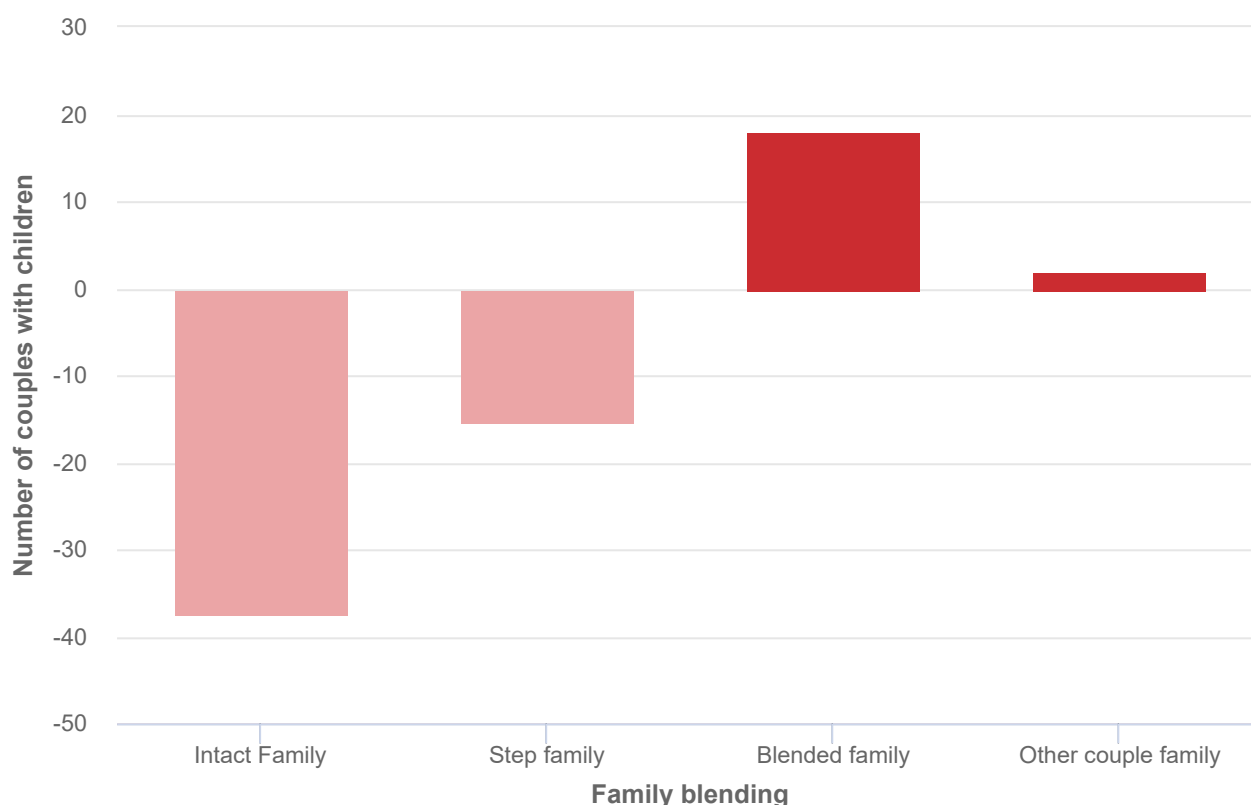
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Change in family blending, 2011 to 2016

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Dominant groups

Analysis of the family blending in Horsham North Planning area in 2016 compared to Regional Victoria shows that there was a higher proportion of step families as well as a higher proportion of blended families. Overall, 8.3% of total couple families with children were step families, and 12.7% were blended families, compared with 7.1% and 4.5% respectively for Regional Victoria.

There were a higher proportion of other families and a lower proportion of couples without children. Overall, the proportion of other families was 1.4% compared to 0.6% in Regional Victoria while the proportion of intact families was 77.5% compared to 87.7% in Regional Victoria.

Emerging groups

The number of couple families with children in Horsham North Planning area decreased by 32 between 2011 and 2016.

There were no major differences in Horsham North Planning area between 2011 and 2016.

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Dwelling type

Dwelling Type is an important determinant of Horsham North Planning area's residential role and function. A greater concentration of higher density dwellings is likely to attract more young adults and smaller households, often renting. Larger, detached or separate dwellings are more likely to attract families and prospective families. The residential built form often reflects market opportunities or planning policy, such as building denser forms of housing around public transport nodes or employment centres.

Dwelling Type statistics should be viewed in conjunction with **Household Size**, **Household Types**, **Housing Tenure** and **Age Structure** for a more complete picture of the housing market in Horsham North Planning area.

If you're looking at this data to prepare a housing strategy, [learn more here](#).

Dwelling structure

Horsham North Planning area - Dwellings (Enumerated)	2016			2011			Change
Dwelling type	Number	%	Regional Victoria %	Number	%	Regional Victoria %	2011 to 2016
Separate house	1,756	85.9	87.9	1,718	86.7	87.8	+39
Medium density	279	13.7	9.9	260	13.1	10.4	+19
High density	0	--	0.3	0	--	0.3	0
Caravans, cabin, houseboat	0	--	0.9	0	--	1.0	0
Other	3	0.1	0.5	3	0.2	0.4	0
Not stated	6	0.3	0.5	0	--	0.1	+6
Total Private Dwellings	2,044	100.0	100.0	1,981	100.0	100.0	+64

Source: Australian Bureau of Statistics, Census of Population and Housing 2011 and 2016. Compiled and presented by .id (informed decisions).

Please refer to specific data notes for more information

Dwelling type

Horsham North Planning area	2016			2011			Change
Dwelling type	Number	%	Regional Victoria %	Number	%	Regional Victoria %	2011 to 2016
Occupied private dwellings	1,801	88.5	83.6	1,807	90.5	83.3	-6
Unoccupied private dwellings	231	11.4	16.1	184	9.2	16.3	+47
Non private dwellings	3	0.1	0.3	6	0.3	0.4	-3
Total dwellings	2,035	100.0	100.0	1,997	100.0	100.0	+38

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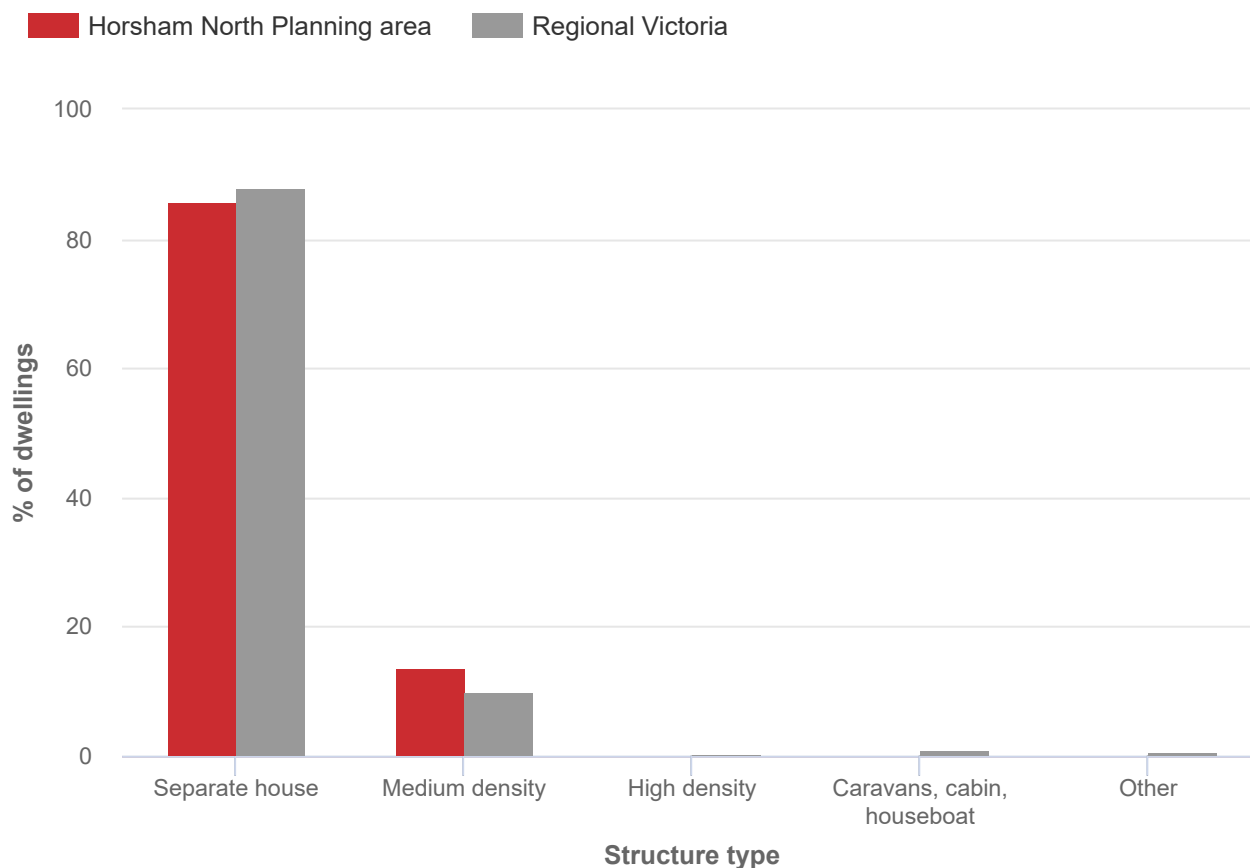
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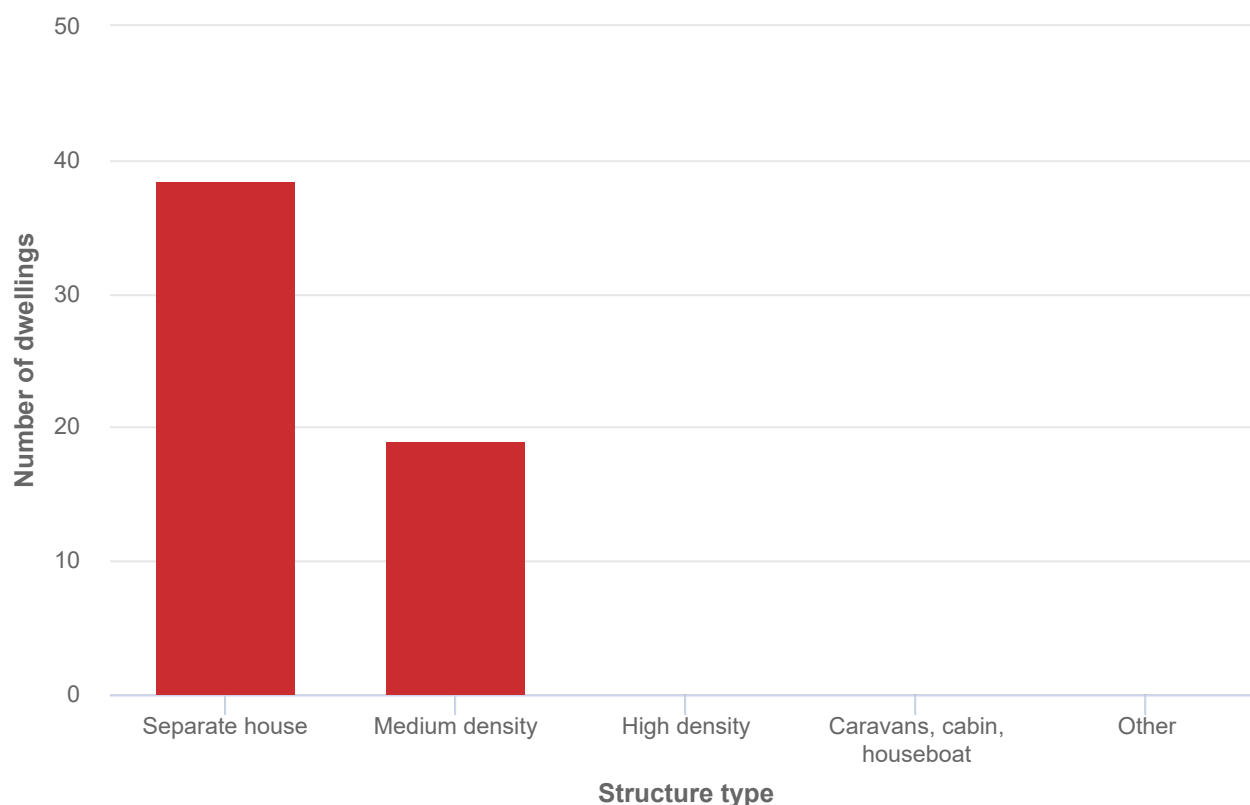
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Change in dwelling structure, 2011 to 2016

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Dominant groups

In 2016, there were 1,756 separate houses in the area, 279 medium density dwellings, and no high density dwellings.

Analysis of the types of dwellings in Horsham North Planning area in 2016 shows that 85.9% of all dwellings were separate houses; 13.7% were medium density dwellings, and 0% were in high density dwellings, compared with 87.9%, 9.9%, and 0.3% in the Regional Victoria respectively.

In 2016, a total of 88.5% of the dwellings in Horsham North Planning area were occupied on Census night, compared to 83.6% in Regional Victoria. The proportion of unoccupied dwellings was 11.4%, which is smaller compared to that found in Regional Victoria (16.1%).

Emerging groups

The total number of dwellings in Horsham North Planning area increased by 38 between 2011 and 2016.

There were no major differences in Horsham North Planning area between 2011 and 2016.

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Number of bedrooms per dwelling

The Number of Bedrooms in a dwelling is an indicator of the size of dwellings, and when combined with Dwelling Type information, provides insight into the role Horsham North Planning area plays in the housing market. For example, an area of high density dwellings that are predominantly 1-2 bedroom are likely to attract students, single workers and young couples, whereas a high density area with dwellings that are predominantly 2-3 bedroom may attract more empty nesters and some families.

In combination with Household Type and Household Size, the Number of Bedrooms can also indicate issues around housing affordability, overcrowding and other socio-economic factors.

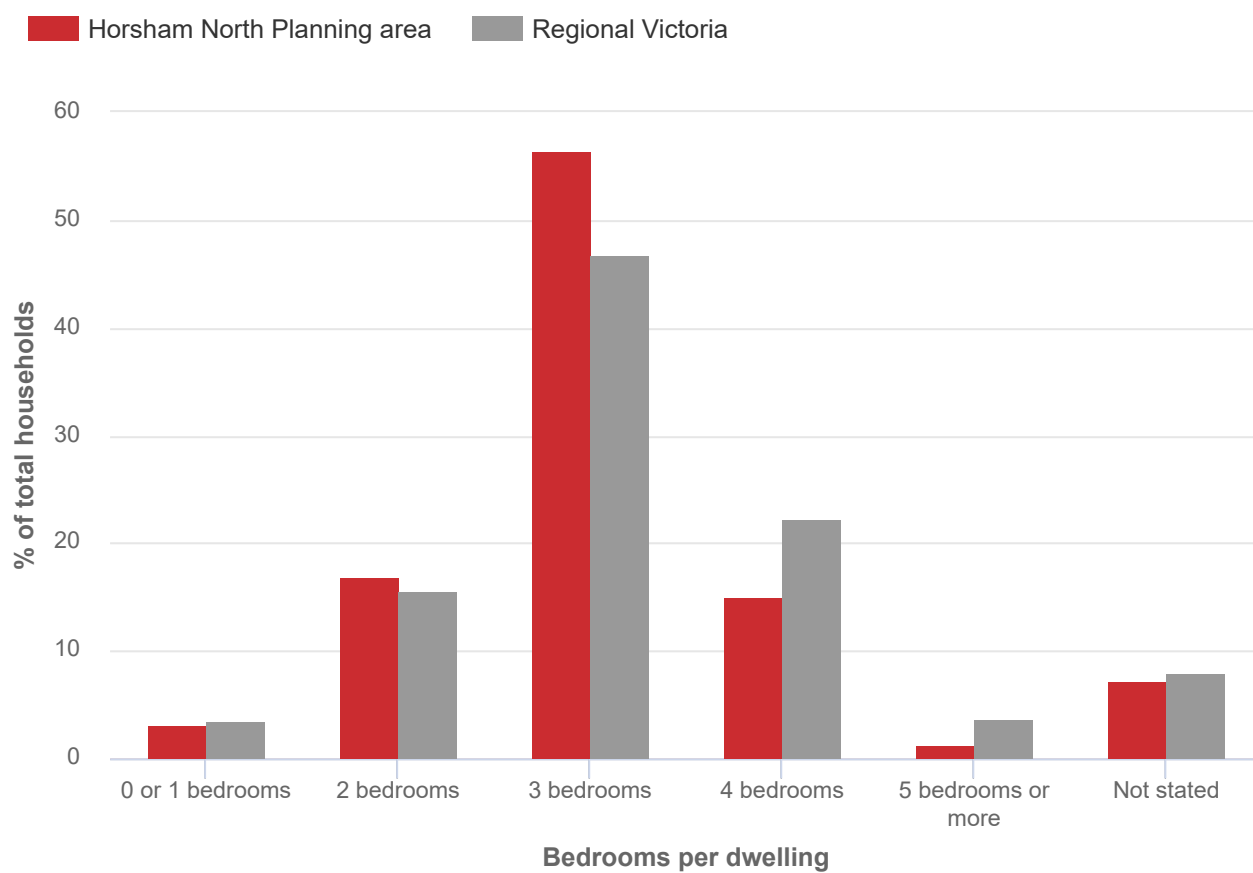
Number of bedrooms per dwelling

Horsham North Planning area - Households (Enumerated)	2016			2011			Change
Number of bedrooms	Number	%	Regional Victoria %	Number	%	Regional Victoria %	2011 to 2016
0 or 1 bedrooms	58	3.2	3.5	55	3.0	3.9	+3
2 bedrooms	301	16.8	15.5	322	17.8	16.5	-21
3 bedrooms	1,010	56.4	46.8	1,074	59.5	50.4	-64
4 bedrooms	269	15.0	22.3	266	14.7	21.0	+3
5 bedrooms or more	23	1.3	3.7	17	0.9	3.5	+7
Not stated	128	7.2	8.1	72	4.0	4.8	+57
Total households	1,791	100.0	100.0	1,807	100.0	100.0	-16

Source: Australian Bureau of Statistics, Census of Population and Housing 2011 and 2016. Compiled and presented by .id (informed decisions).

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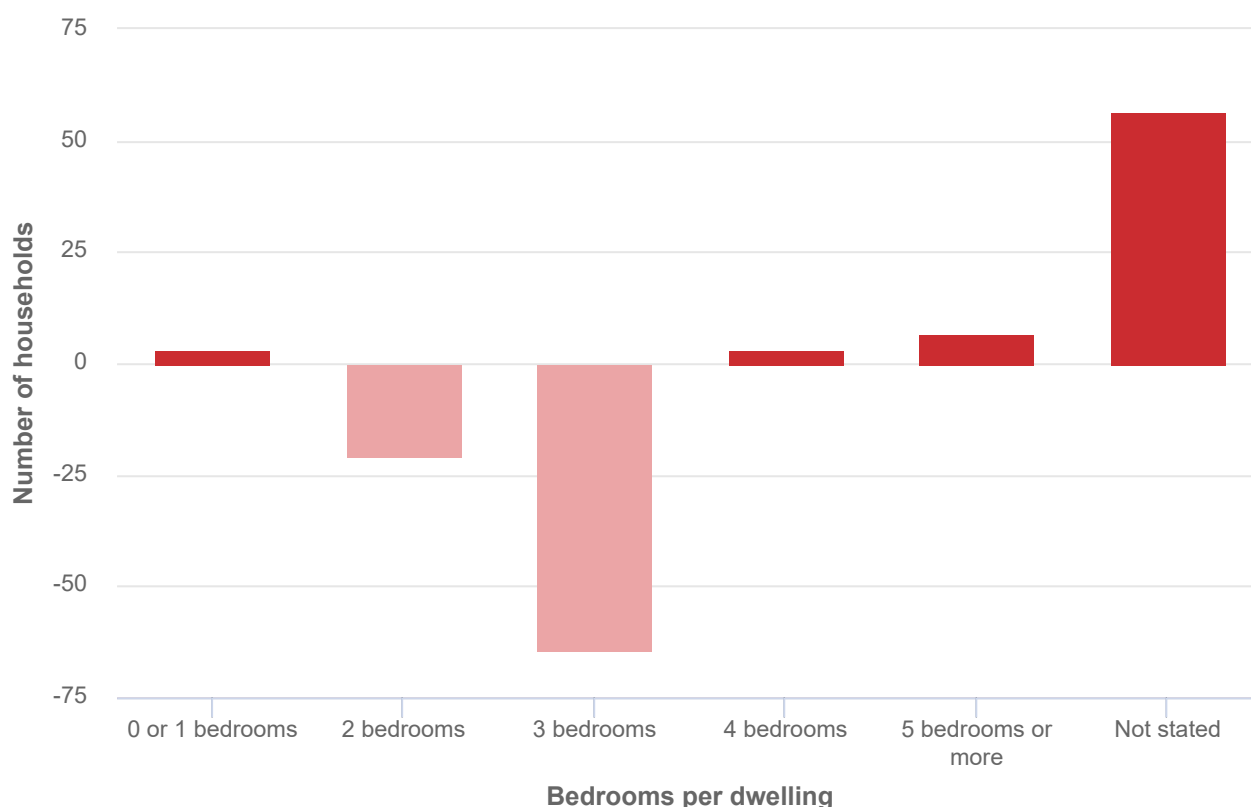
Number of bedrooms per dwelling, 2016



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Change in number of bedrooms per dwelling, 2011 to 2016

Horsham North Planning area



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Dominant groups

Analysis of the number of bedrooms in dwellings in Horsham North Planning area in 2016 compared to Regional Victoria shows that there was a higher proportion of dwellings with 2 bedrooms or less, and a lower proportion of dwellings with 4 or more bedrooms.

Overall, 20.1% of households were in dwellings with 2 bedrooms or less, and 16.4% of 4 or more bedroom dwellings, compared with 19.1% and 26.1% for Regional Victoria respectively.

The major differences between the number of bedrooms per dwelling of Horsham North Planning area and Regional Victoria were:

- A *larger* percentage of 3 bedroom dwellings (56.4% compared to 46.8%)
- A *larger* percentage of 2 bedroom dwellings (16.8% compared to 15.5%)
- A *smaller* percentage of 4 bedroom dwellings (15.0% compared to 22.3%)
- A *smaller* percentage of 5 or more bedroom dwellings (1.3% compared to 3.7%)

Emerging groups

The largest change in the number of bedrooms per dwelling in Horsham North Planning area between 2011 and 2016 was:

- 3 bedrooms (-64 dwellings)

Horsham North Planning area

Internet connection

An internet connection is now an important utility for most households in Australia. It is increasingly required for accessing essential information and taking part in the digital economy. Australia-wide in 2016, nearly 80% of all households had internet access. However, this decreases with age – seniors are less likely to have internet access at home. The lack of internet access is likely to indicate a level of disadvantage and could be related to socio-economic factors, age, or geographical isolation.

Internet connectivity in Horsham North Planning area should be looked at in conjunction with **Household Type** and **Age Structure**, as well as **Education Levels**.

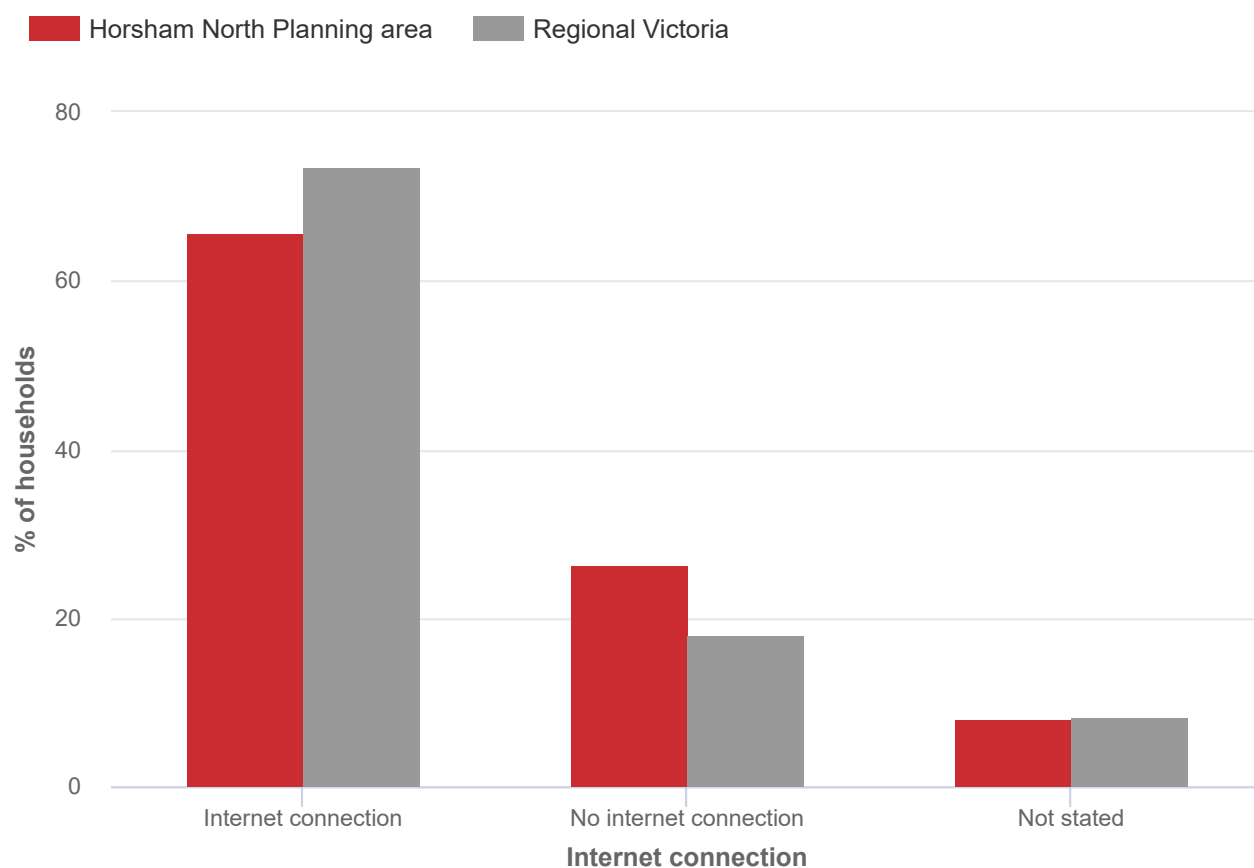
Type of internet connection

Horsham North Planning area - Households	2016			2011			Change
Connection type	Number	%	Regional Victoria %	Number	%	Regional Victoria %	2011 to 2016
Internet connection	1,198	65.7	73.5	1,095	60.6	68.4	+104
No internet connection	479	26.3	18.1	616	34.1	25.3	-137
Not stated	147	8.1	8.4	96	5.3	6.4	+51
Total households	1,825	100.0	100.0	1,808	100.0	100.0	+17

Source: Australian Bureau of Statistics, Census of Population and Housing 2011 and 2016. Compiled and presented by .id (informed decisions).

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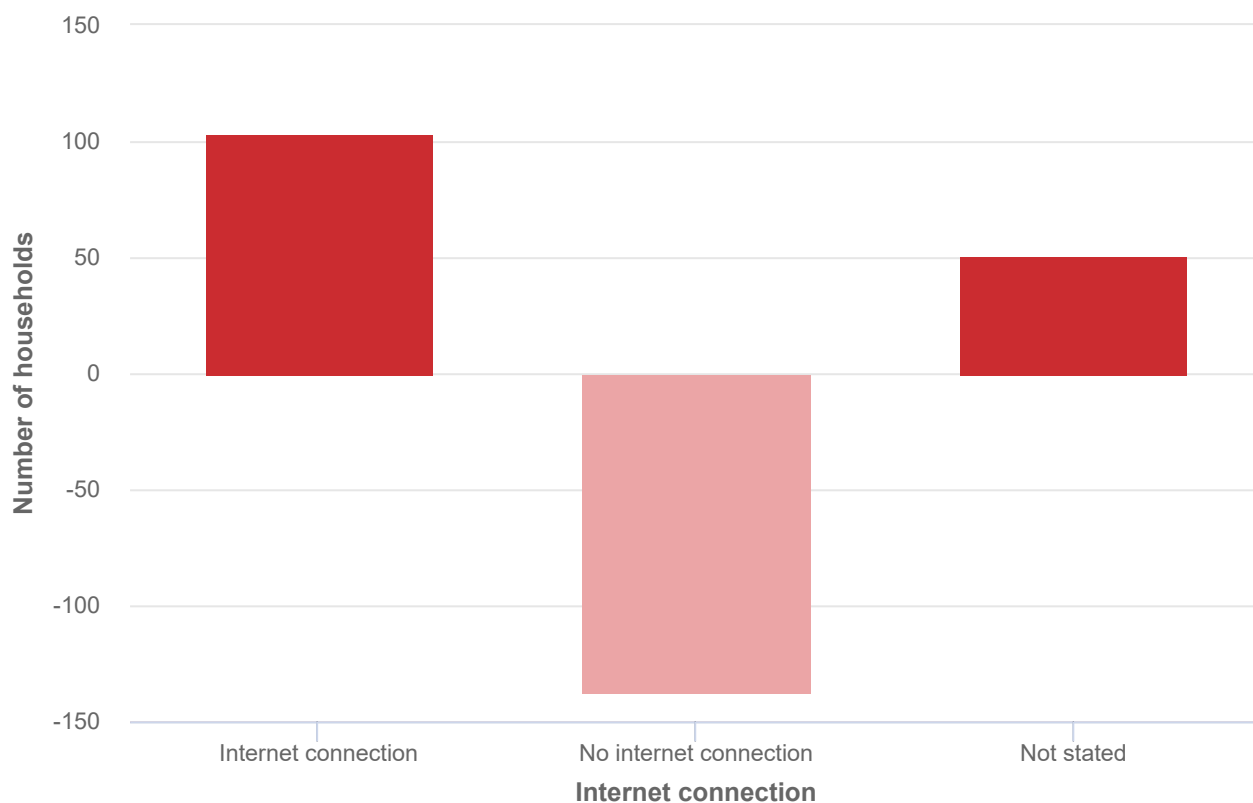
Type of internet connection, 2016



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Change in type of internet connection, 2011 to 2016

Horsham North Planning area



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Dominant groups

Analysis of the type of internet connection of households in Horsham North Planning area compared to Regional Victoria shows that there was a lower proportion of households with an internet connection

Overall 65.7% of households had an internet connection, compared with 73.5% in Regional Victoria.

Emerging groups

Between 2011 and 2016 the number of households with an internet connection increased by 103.

Horsham North Planning area

Number of cars per household

The ability of the population to access services and employment is strongly influenced by access to transport. The number of motor vehicles per household in Horsham North Planning area quantifies access to private transport and will be influenced by **Age Structure** and **Household Type**, which determine the number of adults present; access to **Public Transport**; distance to shops, services, employment and education; and **Household Income**. Depending on these factors, car ownership can be seen as a measure of advantage or disadvantage, or a neutral socio-economic measure, which impacts on the environment and quality of life.

Car ownership

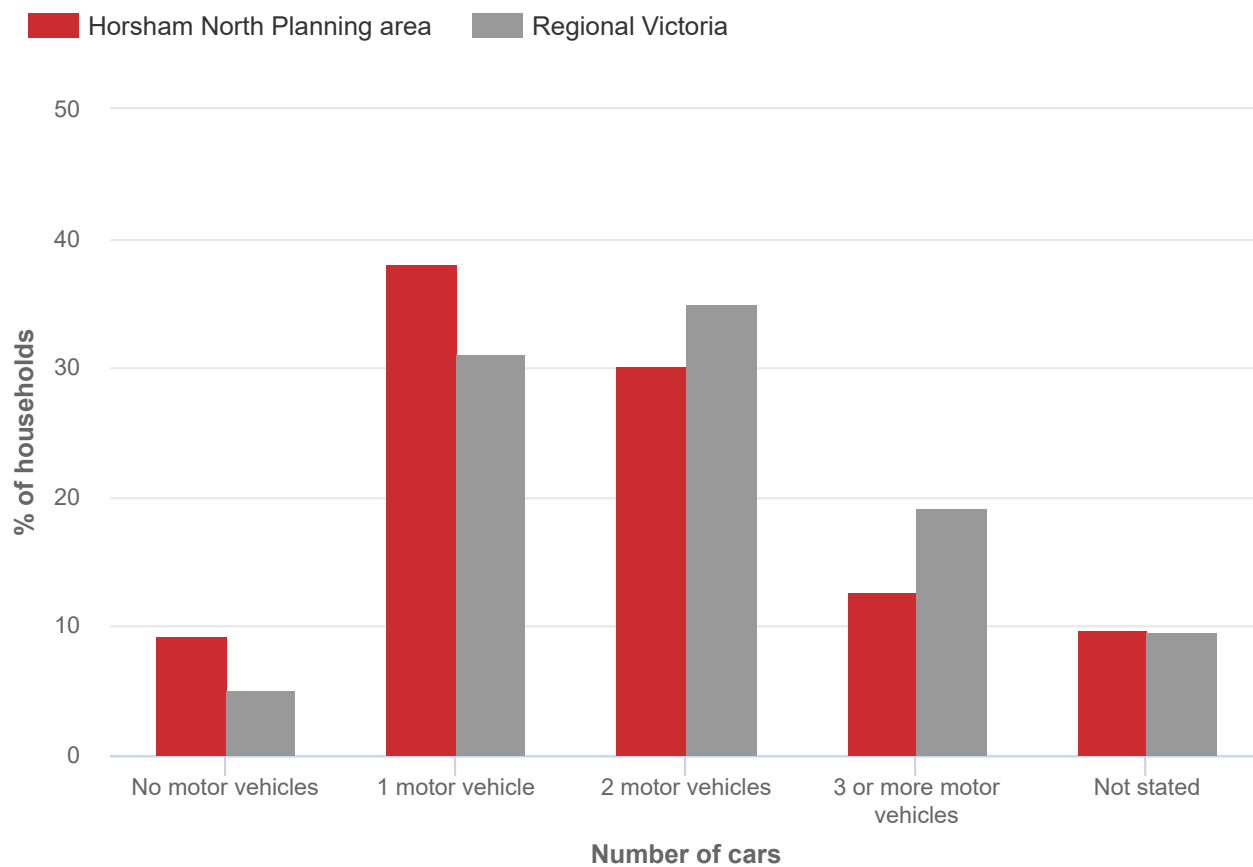
Horsham North Planning area - Households (Enumerated)	2016			2011			Change
Number of cars	Number	%	Regional Victoria %	Number	%	Regional Victoria %	2011 to 2016
No motor vehicles	166	9.2	5.1	202	11.1	6.4	-35
1 motor vehicle	687	38.1	31.1	742	40.9	33.0	-55
2 motor vehicles	544	30.2	34.9	556	30.6	36.1	-12
3 or more motor vehicles	229	12.7	19.2	223	12.3	18.4	+7
Not stated	175	9.7	9.6	92	5.1	6.1	+82
Total households	1,802	100.0	100.0	1,816	100.0	100.0	-14

Source: Australian Bureau of Statistics, Census of Population and Housing 2011 and 2016. Compiled and presented by .id (informed decisions).

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a People who travelled to work by car

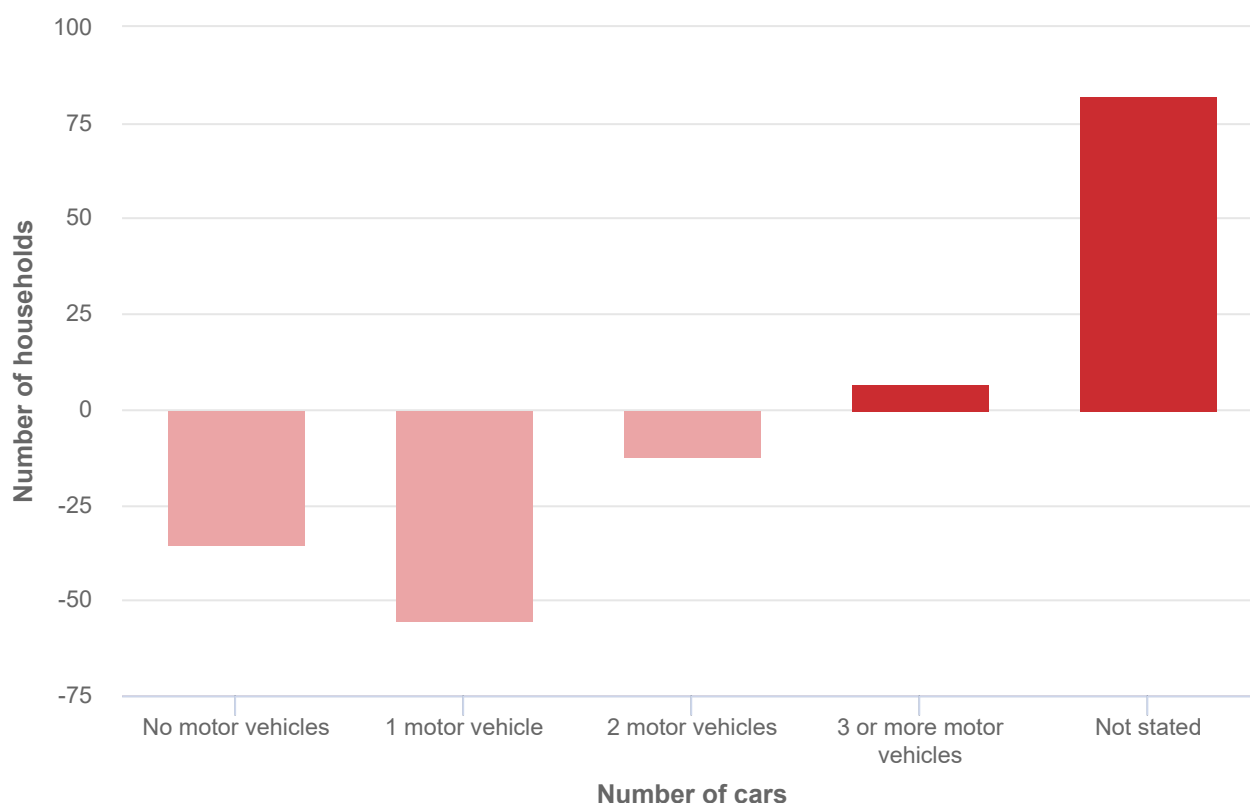
Car ownership, 2016



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Change in car ownership, 2011 to 2016

Horsham North Planning area



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Dominant groups

Analysis of the car ownership of the households in Horsham North Planning area in 2016 compared to Regional Victoria shows that 81.0% of the households owned at least one car, while 9.2% did not, compared with 85.3% and 5.1% respectively in Regional Victoria.

Of those that owned at least one vehicle, there was a larger proportion who owned just one car; a smaller proportion who owned two cars; and a smaller proportion who owned three cars or more.

Overall, 38.1% of the households owned one car; 30.2% owned two cars; and 12.7% owned three cars or more, compared with 31.1%; 34.9% and 19.2% respectively for Regional Victoria.

Emerging groups

The largest change in the household car ownership in Horsham North Planning area between 2011 and 2016 was:

- 1 motor vehicle (-55 households)

Horsham Rural City Council

Locality snapshots

Locality snapshots are summary profiles of all populated localities in Horsham Rural City Council for the latest Census year only. These are based on ABS "State Suburb" boundaries, which are close approximations to official gazetted locality boundaries in 2016. The snapshots are designed to give summary population details and characteristics for much smaller geographies than the main Community Profile areas.

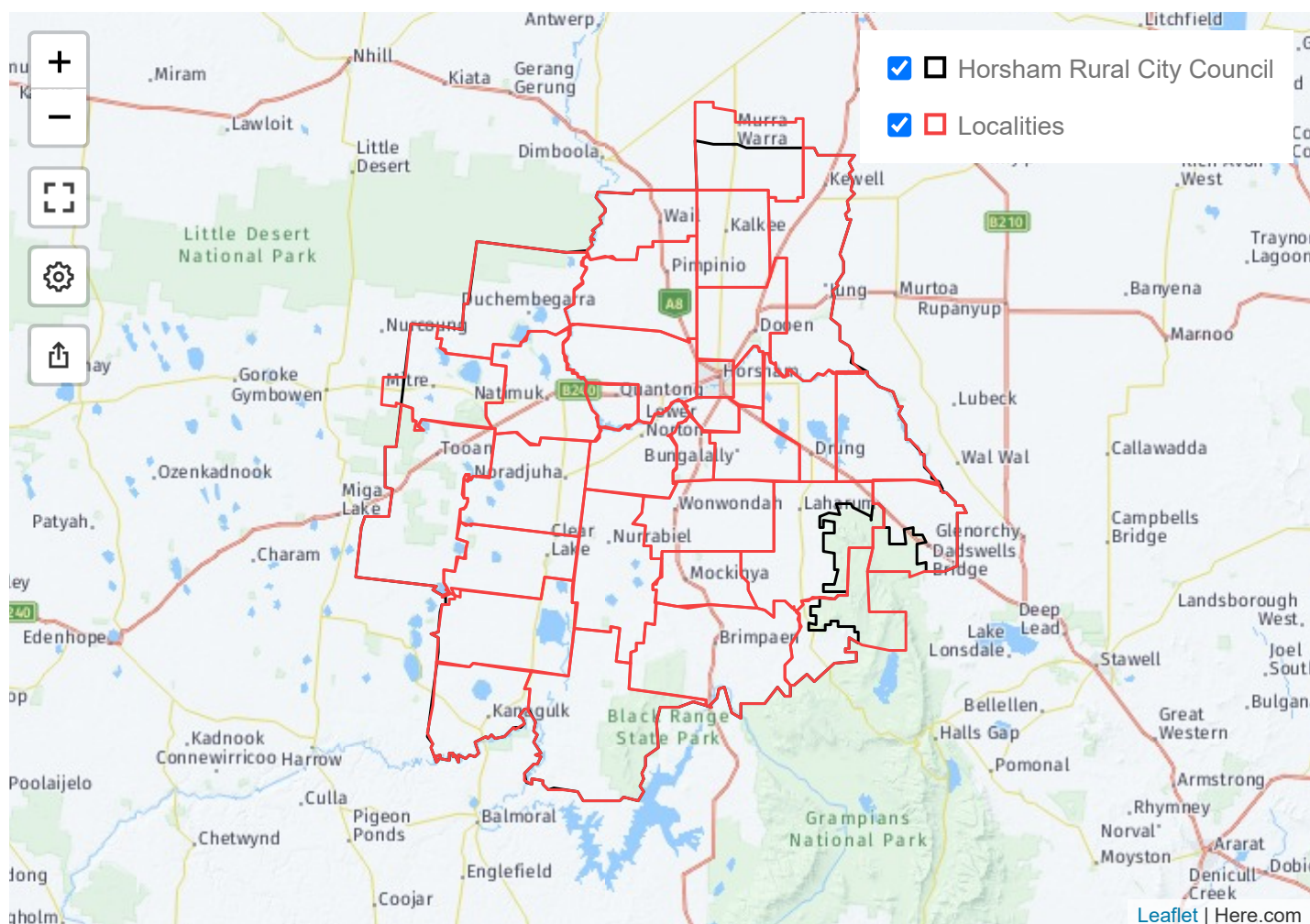
The main Community Profile areas are listed in the **profile areas** section, and available as an "Area" drop-down on most pages. These areas offer much more detailed information; they tend to be larger geographies than locality snapshots to allow meaningful change-over-time comparison.

Localities shown on this page may extend outside the boundaries of Horsham Rural City Council; the data given relates to the whole locality, not just the area inside Horsham Rural City Council. The full range of characteristics are available for localities with more than 50 people. Localities with less than 50 people are too small to provide this detail, so just show population (total, males, females) and total dwellings.

How do the locality boundaries differ from the main small areas used in profile.id? See our **data notes** for more information.

Summary profile area

Horsham Rural City Council, 2016



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Horsham Rural City Council summary profile, 2016

Place of usual residence	Number	%	Regional Victoria %
Population Summary	--	--	--
Total population	19,642	100.0	100.0
Males	9,576	48.8	49.1
Females	10,067	51.3	50.9
Total dwellings	9,237	100.0	100.0
Indigenous population	295	1.5	1.6
Australian citizens	18,093	92.1	88.2
Eligible voters (citizens 18+)	13,901	70.8	68.1
Australian-born	17,213	87.6	80.7
Speaks language other than English at home	735	3.7	6.0
Overseas-born	1,183	6.0	11.0
Needs assistance due to age or disability	1,175	6.0	6.0
Age Structure	--	--	--
Babies and pre-schoolers (0 to 4)	1,218	6.2	5.8
Primary schoolers (5 to 11)	1,807	9.2	8.7
Secondary schoolers (12 to 17)	1,413	7.2	7.4
Tertiary education/independence (18 to 24)	1,574	8.0	7.9
Young workforce (25 to 34)	2,291	11.7	10.9
Parents and homebuilders (35 to 49)	3,387	17.2	18.1
Older workers & pre-retirees (50 to 59)	2,710	13.8	13.9
Empty nesters and retirees (60 to 69)	2,409	12.3	13.4
Seniors (70 to 84)	2,207	11.2	11.1
Frail aged (85 and over)	613	3.1	2.7
Household Types	--	--	--
Couples with children	2,038	25.2	25.3
Couples without children	2,210	27.3	27.1
One parent families	793	9.8	10.1
Lone person households	2,421	29.9	27.0
Group households	186	2.3	2.9
Education	--	--	--
Attending pre-school or primary school	1,985	10.1	9.5
Attending secondary school	1,224	6.2	6.3

Horsham Rural City Council summary profile, 2016

Place of usual residence	Number	%	Regional Victoria %
Attending university or TAFE institution	551	2.8	4.2
Labour Force	--	--	--
Employed	9,112	95.0	94.0
Unemployed	475	5.0	6.0
Total labour force	9,587	60.3	56.1
Not in the labour force	5,419	34.1	36.5
Dwelling Summary	--	--	--
Separate houses	8,010	87.2	87.9
Medium and high density	1,094	11.9	10.2
Other dwellings (inc. Caravans, houseboats)	39	0.4	1.4
Occupied private dwellings	8,084	87.5	83.6
Unoccupied dwellings	1,110	12.0	16.1
Non private dwellings	43	0.5	0.3
Housing Tenure	--	--	--
Owned	2,958	36.6	35.7
Purchasing	2,562	31.7	31.2
Renting	1,982	24.5	23.9
Household Income	--	--	--
Less than \$650 (low)	1,831	23.5	22.9
\$650 to \$1,449 (lower middle)	2,746	35.3	34.0
\$1,449 to \$2,499 (upper middle)	1,584	20.3	19.8
\$2,500 or more (high)	829	10.6	12.5
Incomes not stated	796	10.2	10.7
Internet Connection	--	--	--
Internet connection	5,862	72.5	73.5
No internet connection	1,713	21.2	18.1
Not stated	510	6.3	8.4

Source: Australian Bureau of Statistics, Census of Population and Housing 2016. Compiled and presented in profile.id by .id (informed decisions).

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Horsham North Planning area

Housing tenure

Horsham North Planning area's Housing Tenure data provides insights into its socio-economic status as well as the role it plays in the housing market. For example, a high concentration of private renters may indicate a transient area attractive to young singles and couples, while a concentration of home owners indicates a more settled area with mature families and empty-nesters (**Household Summary**). Tenure can also reflect built form (**Dwelling Type**), with a significantly higher share of renters in high density housing and a substantially larger proportion of home-owners in separate houses, although this is not always the case.

In conjunction with other socio-economic status indicators in Horsham North Planning area, Tenure data is useful for analysing housing markets, housing affordability and identifying public housing areas.

Housing tenure

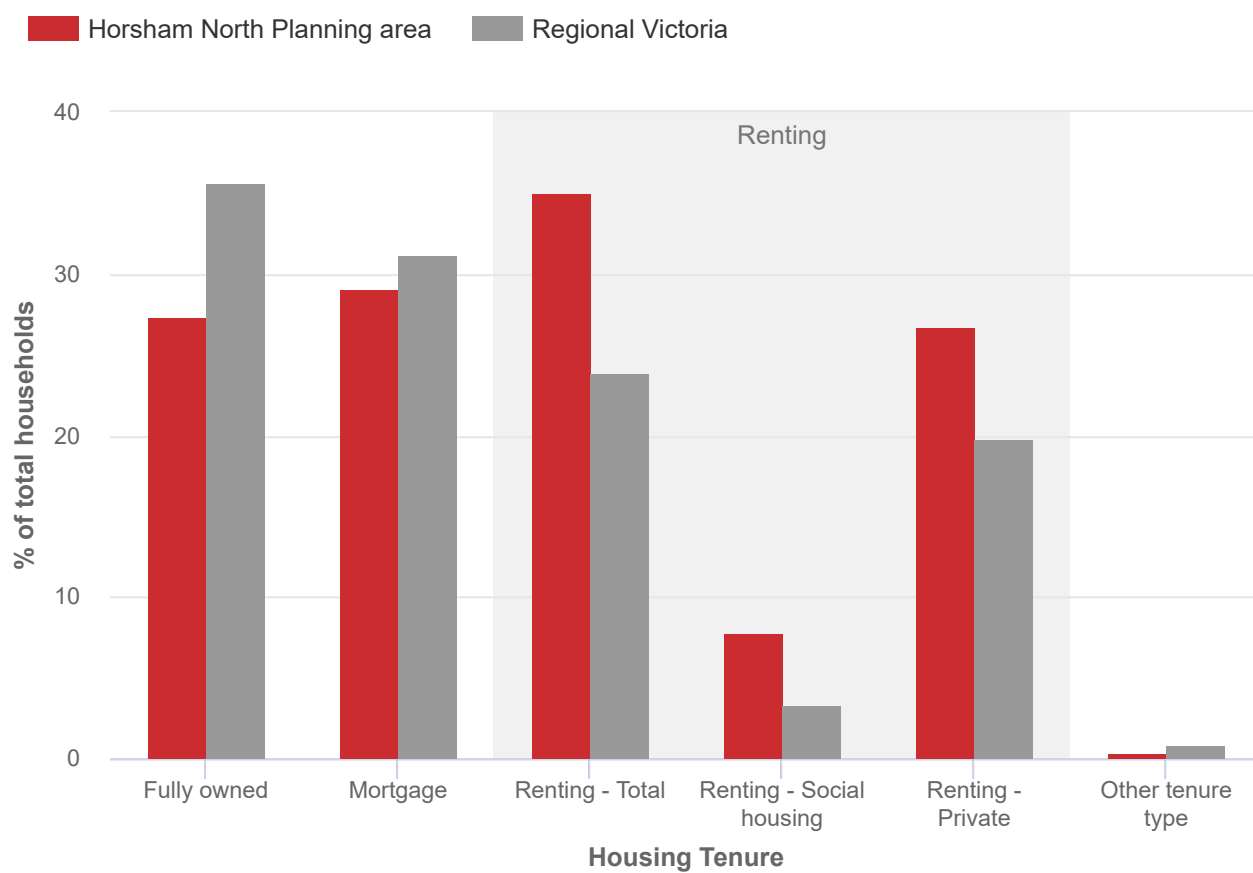
Horsham North Planning area - Households (Enumerated)	2016			2011			Change
Tenure type	Number	%	Regional Victoria %	Number	%	Regional Victoria %	2011 to 2016
Fully owned	491	27.4	35.7	537	29.7	37.3	-47
Mortgage	522	29.1	31.2	546	30.1	32.1	-24
Renting - Total	628	35.1	23.9	632	34.9	24.1	-4
Renting - Social housing	140	7.8	3.3	122	6.8	4.0	+18
Renting - Private	479	26.8	19.8	498	27.5	19.3	-19
Renting - Not stated	9	0.5	0.7	12	0.7	0.8	-3
Other tenure type	6	0.3	0.8	4	0.3	0.8	+1
Not stated	144	8.0	8.4	90	5.0	5.6	+54
Total households	1,792	100.0	100.0	1,811	100.0	100.0	-19

Source: Australian Bureau of Statistics, Census of Population and Housing 2011 and 2016. Compiled and presented by .id (informed decisions).

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a Dominant tenure type

Housing tenure, 2016



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Change in housing tenure, 2011 to 2016

Horsham North Planning area



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Dominant groups

Analysis of the housing tenure of households of Horsham North Planning area in 2016 compared to Regional Victoria shows that there was a smaller proportion of households who owned their dwelling; a smaller proportion purchasing their dwelling; and a larger proportion who were renters.

Overall, 27.4% of households owned their dwelling; 29.1% were purchasing, and 35.1% were renting, compared with 35.7%, 31.2% and 23.9% respectively for Regional Victoria.

Emerging groups

There were no major differences in Horsham North Planning area between 2011 and 2016.

The total number of households in Horsham North Planning area decreased by 19 between 2011 and 2016.

Horsham North Planning area

Housing loan repayments

Mortgage repayments are directly related to house prices in Horsham North Planning area, length of occupancy and the level of equity of home owners. When viewed with **Household Income** data it may also indicate the level of housing stress households in the community are under. In mortgage belt areas it is expected that households will be paying a higher proportion of their income on their housing compared to well-established areas. First home buyer areas are also likely to have larger mortgages than upgrader areas where households move in with equity from elsewhere.

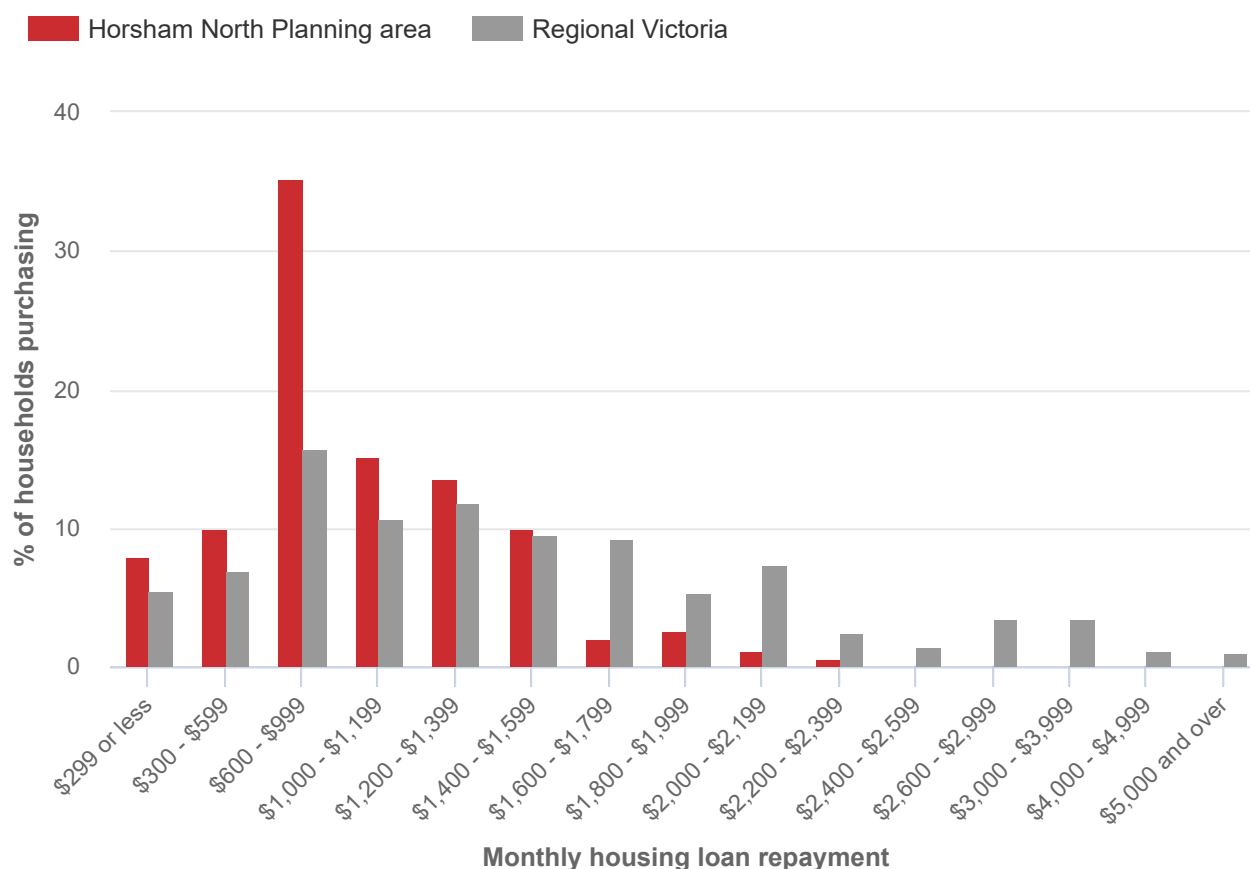
Mortgage payment levels are not directly comparable over time because of inflation. For comparison of mortgage payments over time, go to **Housing Loan Quartiles**.

Monthly housing loan repayments

Horsham North Planning area - Households (Enumerated)	2016		
Monthly repayment amount	Number	%	Regional Victoria %
\$299 or less	42	7.9	5.4
\$300 - \$599	52	9.9	6.9
\$600 - \$999	187	35.2	15.8
\$1,000 - \$1,199	81	15.2	10.7
\$1,200 - \$1,399	72	13.6	11.8
\$1,400 - \$1,599	53	10.0	9.5
\$1,600 - \$1,799	10	2.0	9.3
\$1,800 - \$1,999	14	2.6	5.4
\$2,000 - \$2,199	6	1.1	7.4
\$2,200 - \$2,399	3	0.6	2.4
\$2,400 - \$2,599	0	--	1.5
\$2,600 - \$2,999	0	--	3.4
\$3,000 - \$3,999	0	--	3.5
\$4,000 - \$4,999	0	--	1.1
\$5,000 and over	0	--	1.0
Not stated	10	1.9	4.9
Total	532	100.0	100.0

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Monthly housing loan repayments, 2016



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Dominant groups

Analysis of the monthly housing loan repayments of households in Horsham North Planning area compared to Regional Victoria shows that there was a smaller proportion of households paying high mortgage repayments (\$2,600 per month or more), and a larger proportion of households with low mortgage repayments (less than \$1,200 per month).

Overall, 0.0% of households were paying high mortgage repayments, and 68.2% were paying low repayments, compared with 9.0% and 38.8% respectively in Regional Victoria.

The major differences between the household loan repayments of Horsham North Planning area and Regional Victoria were:

- A *larger* percentage of \$600 - \$999 (35.2% compared to 15.8%)
- A *larger* percentage of \$1,000 - \$1,199 (15.2% compared to 10.7%)
- A *smaller* percentage of \$1,600 - \$1,799 (2.0% compared to 9.3%)
- A *smaller* percentage of \$2,000 - \$2,199 (1.1% compared to 7.4%)

Horsham North Planning area

Housing loan quartiles

Mortgage repayments in Horsham North Planning area are directly related to house prices, length of occupancy and the level of equity of home owners. When viewed with **Household Income** data it may also indicate the level of housing stress in the community.

The quartile method is the most objective method of comparing change in the mortgage payment profile of a community over time.

A detailed explanation of how Housing Loan Repayment quartiles are calculated and interpreted is available in [specific data notes](#).

Housing loan quartiles

Horsham North Planning area - Households (Enumerated)	2016			2011			Change
Loan repayment quartile group	Number	%	Regional Victoria %	Number	%	Regional Victoria %	2011 to 2016
Lowest group	336	64.4	37.1	308	58.6	37.5	+28
Medium lowest	157	30.2	31.2	162	30.9	31.2	-5
Medium highest	27	5.2	19.9	44	8.4	19.9	-17
Highest group	0	0.2	11.9	11	2.2	11.5	-10
Total households with stated mortgage repayments	522	100.0	100.0	526	100.0	100.0	-5

Source: Australian Bureau of Statistics, [Census of Population and Housing](#) 2011 and 2016. Compiled and presented by [.id](#) (informed decisions).

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Housing loan - Quartile group dollar ranges

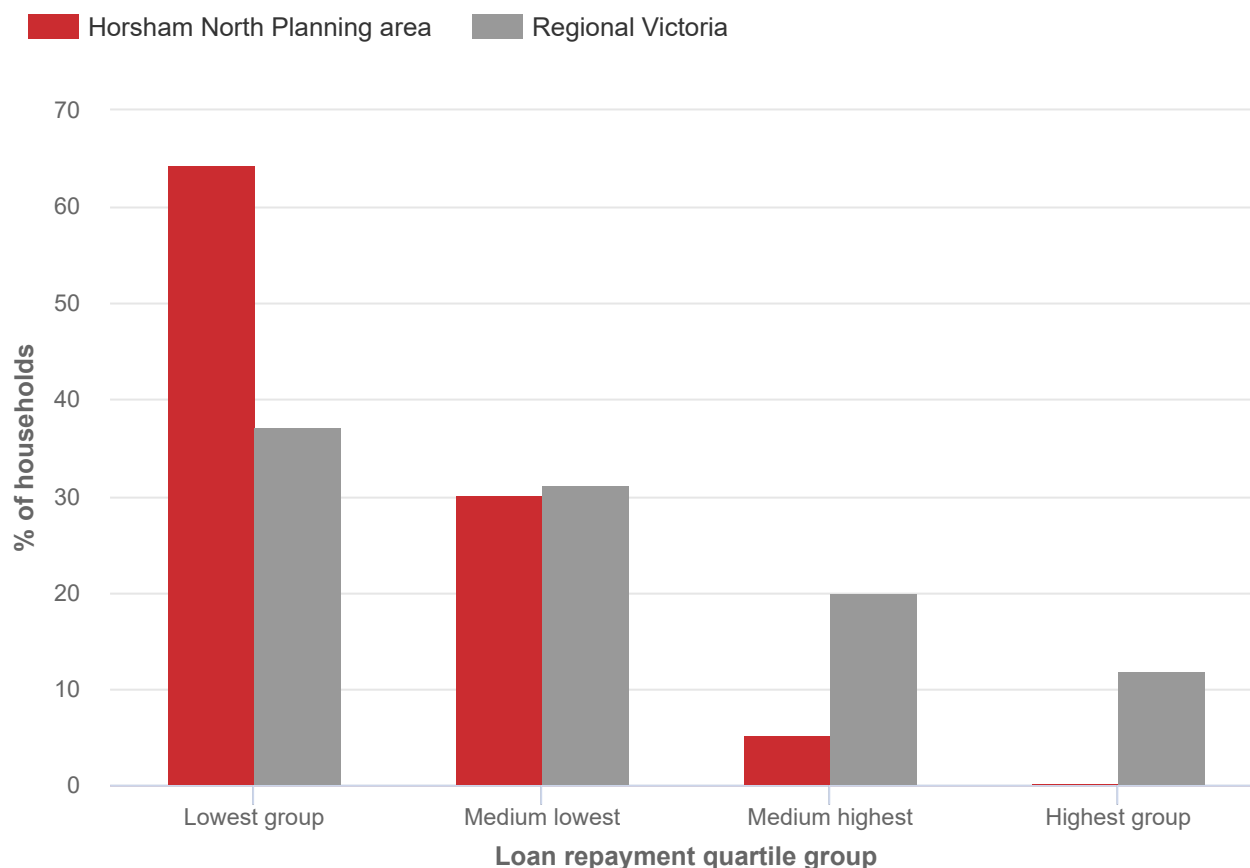
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Monthly housing loan repayments by Census year

Housing loan repayment ranges	2016	2011	2006	2001	1996
Lowest group	\$0 to \$1,133	\$0 to \$1,103	\$0 to \$831	\$0 to \$596	\$0 to \$502
Medium lowest	\$1,134 to \$1,702	\$1,104 to \$1,695	\$832 to \$1,261	\$597 to \$866	\$503 to \$750
Medium highest	\$1,703 to \$2,336	\$1,696 to \$2,351	\$1,262 to \$1,823	\$867 to \$1,208	\$751 to \$1,034
Highest group	\$2,337 and over	\$2,352 and over	\$1,824 and over	\$1,209 and over	\$1,035 and over

- a Home owners (households who fully own their dwelling)
- a Households with a mortgage
- a Median weekly mortgage repayments
- a Households paying high mortgage repayments (\$2600 or more)
- a Mortgage Stress

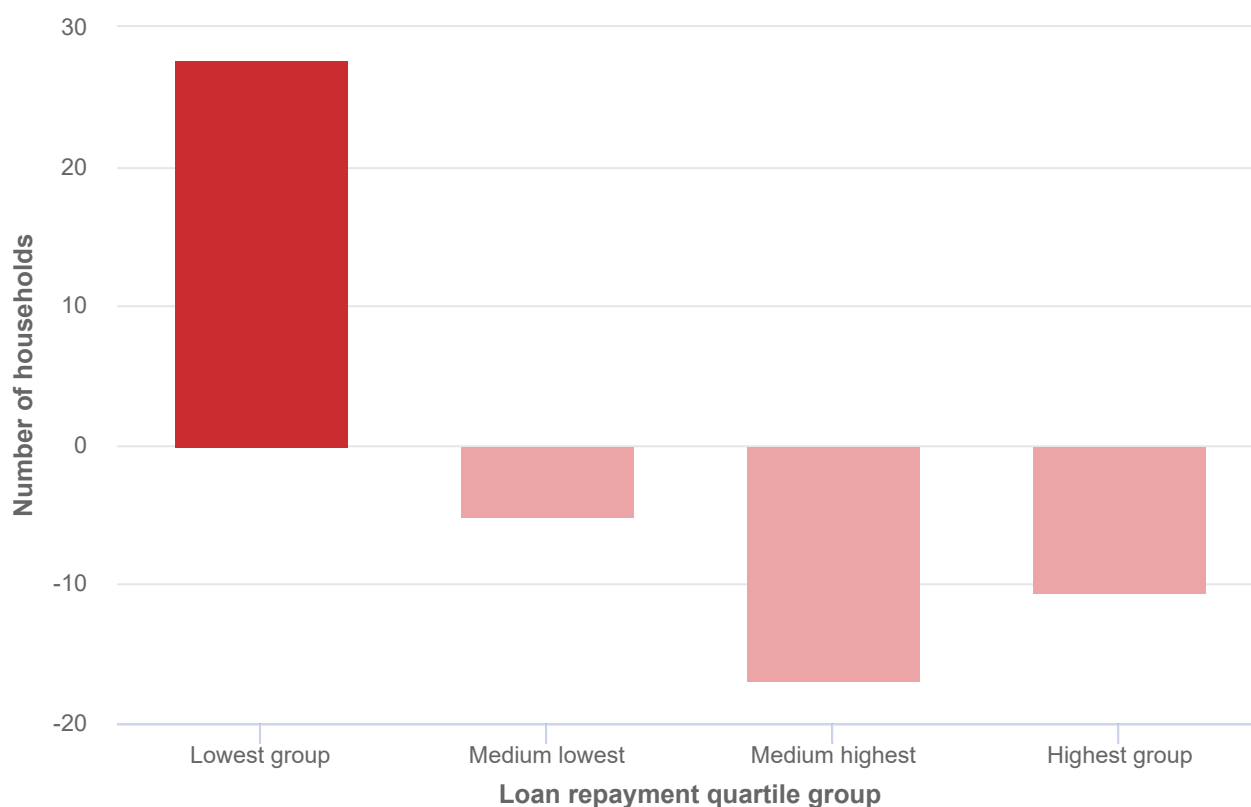
Housing loan quartiles, 2016



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Change in housing loan quartiles, 2011 to 2016

Horsham North Planning area



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Dominant groups

Housing loan repayment quartiles allow us to compare relative repayment liabilities across time. Analysis of the distribution of households by housing loan repayment quartiles in Horsham North Planning area compared to Regional Victoria shows that there was a smaller proportion of households in the highest repayment quartile, and a larger proportion in the lowest repayment quartile.

Emerging groups

The total number of households with a mortgage in Horsham North Planning area decreased by 526 between 2011 and 2016. The most significant change in Horsham North Planning area during this period was in the lowest quartile which showed an increase of 28 households.

Horsham North Planning area

Housing rental payments

Rental payments can be a better measure of the cost of housing in Horsham North Planning area than mortgage repayments because they are not contingent on length of occupancy or equity in the dwelling.

High rental payments may indicate desirable areas with mobile populations who prefer to rent, or a housing shortage, or gentrification. Low rental payments may indicate public housing (check **Tenure Type**), or areas where low income households move by necessity for a lower cost of living.

Rental payments are not directly comparable over time because of inflation. For comparison of rental payments over time, go to **Housing Rental Quartiles**.

Weekly housing rental payments

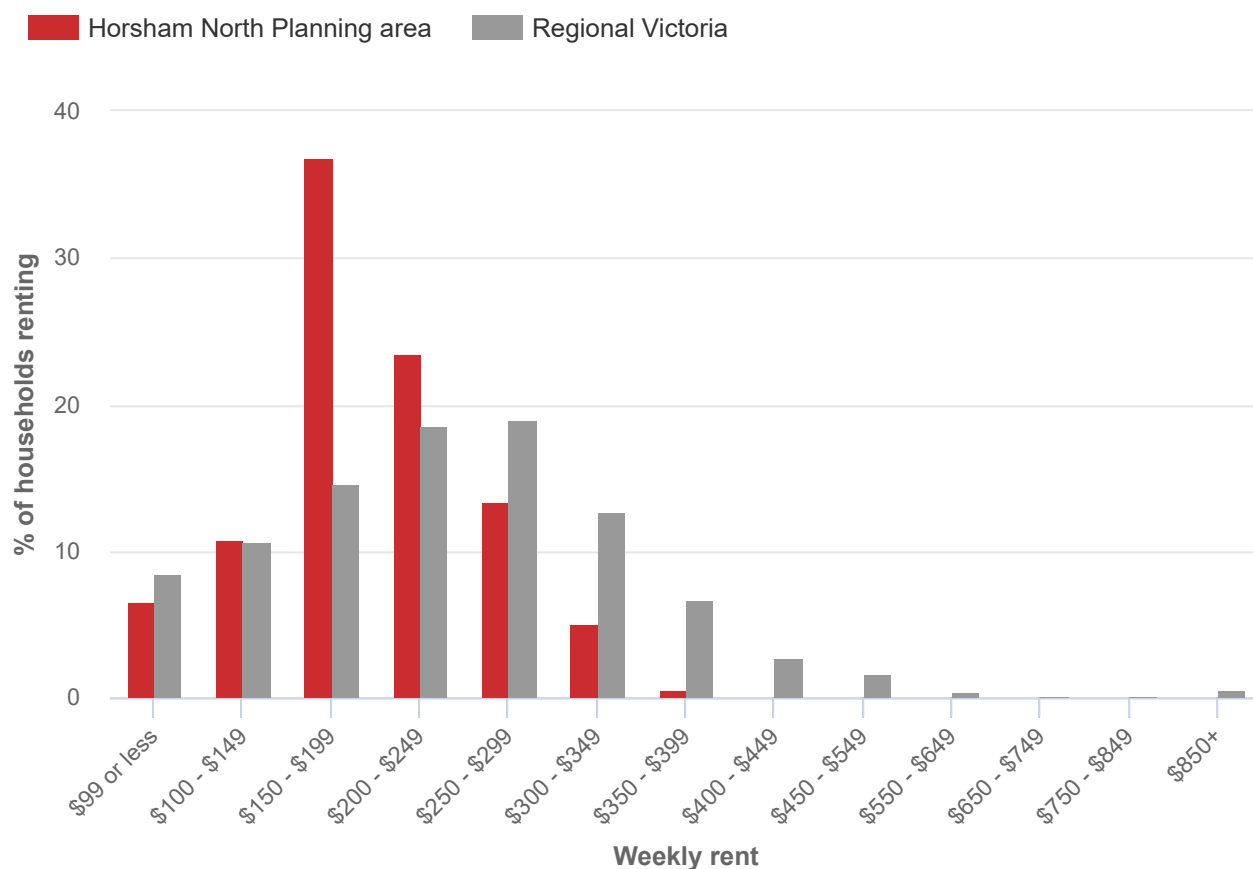
Horsham North Planning area - Households (Enumerated)		2016	
Weekly rental amount	Number	%	Regional Victoria %
\$99 or less	40	6.6	8.5
\$100 - \$149	66	10.8	10.7
\$150 - \$199	225	36.9	14.6
\$200 - \$249	143	23.5	18.5
\$250 - \$299	81	13.4	19.0
\$300 - \$349	31	5.1	12.7
\$350 - \$399	3	0.5	6.7
\$400 - \$449	0	--	2.7
\$450 - \$549	0	--	1.7
\$550 - \$649	0	--	0.4
\$650 - \$749	0	--	0.2
\$750 - \$849	0	--	0.1
\$850+	0	--	0.5
Not stated	19	3.2	3.7
Total households renting	609	100.0	100.0

Source: Australian Bureau of Statistics, Census of Population and Housing 2016. Compiled and presented in profile.id by .id (informed decisions).

Please refer to specific data notes for more information

- a Households renting privately.
- a Median weekly rental payments
- a High rental payments (more than \$450 per week).
- a Rental stress

Weekly housing rental payments, 2016



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Dominant groups

Analysis of the weekly housing rental payments of households in Horsham North Planning area compared to Regional Victoria shows that there was a smaller proportion of households paying high rental payments (\$450 per week or more), and a larger proportion of households with low rental payments (less than \$250 per week).

Overall, 0.0% of households were paying high rental payments, and 77.8% were paying low payments, compared with 2.9% and 52.2% respectively in Regional Victoria.

The major differences between the housing rental payments of Horsham North Planning area and Regional Victoria were:

- A *larger* percentage of \$150 - \$199 (36.9% compared to 14.6%)
- A *smaller* percentage of \$300 - \$349 (5.1% compared to 12.7%)
- A *smaller* percentage of \$350 - \$399 (0.5% compared to 6.7%)
- A *smaller* percentage of \$250 - \$299 (13.4% compared to 19.0%)

Horsham North Planning area

Housing rental quartiles

Rental payments in Horsham North Planning area are indicative of its residential role and function and are directly related to the value of residential property. When viewed with **Household Income** data they may also indicate the level of 'housing stress' in the community.

The quartile method is the most objective method of comparing change in the rental costs of a community over time.

A detailed explanation of how Housing Rental Payment quartiles are calculated and interpreted is available in [specific data notes](#).

Housing rental quartiles

Horsham North Planning area - Households (Enumerated)	2016			2011			Change
Quartile group	Number	%	Regional Victoria %	Number	%	Regional Victoria %	2011 to 2016
Lowest group	462	78.4	52.7	470	73.9	49.4	-8
Medium lowest	112	19.1	29.5	136	21.5	33.2	-24
Medium highest	14	2.5	12.9	20	3.2	11.7	-6
Highest group	0	--	4.9	9	1.4	5.7	-9
Total households with stated rent	590	100.0	100.0	636	100.0	100.0	-47

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Housing rental - Quartile group dollar ranges

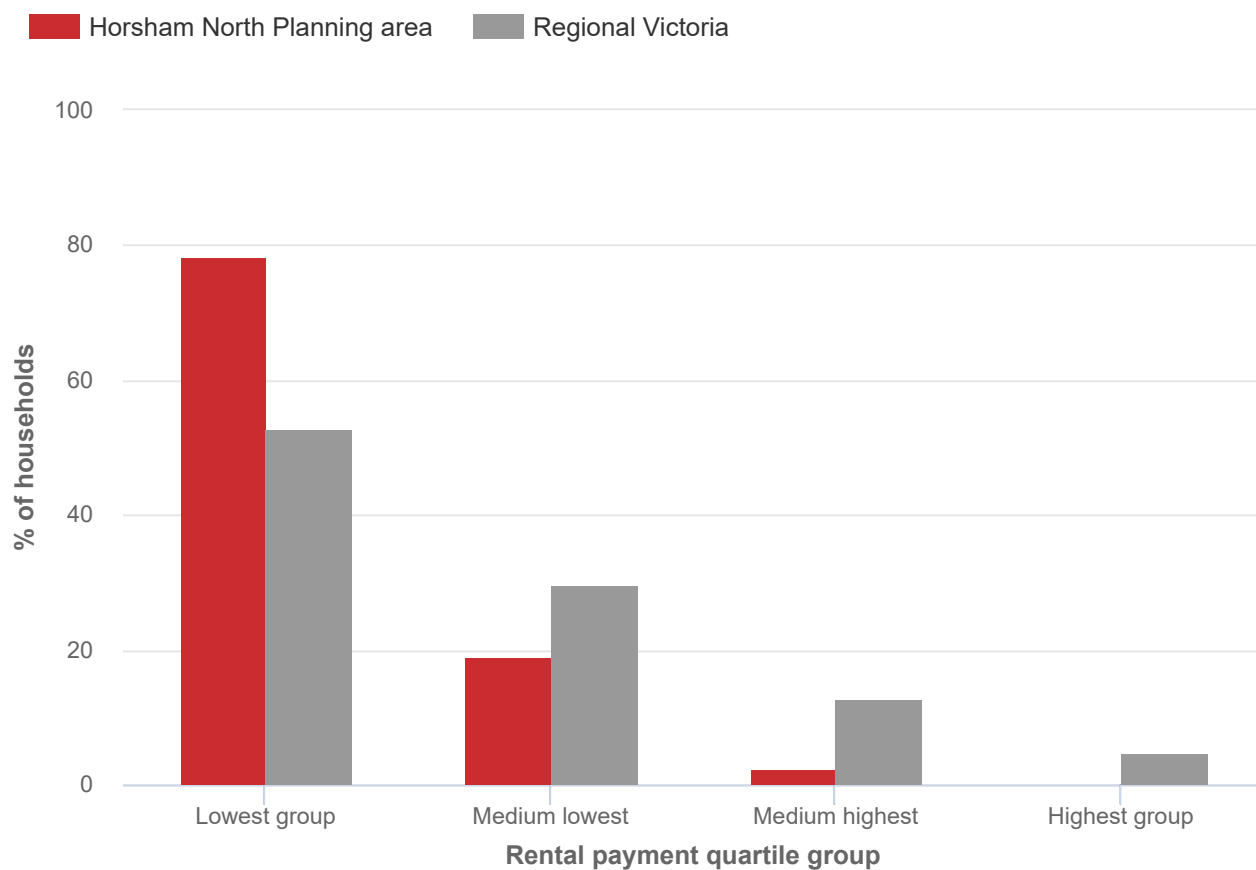
Calculated from rental payment data for Victoria

Weekly housing rental payments by Census year

Rental payment ranges	2016	2011	2006	2001
Lowest group	\$0 to \$245	\$0 to \$190	\$0 to \$133	\$0 to \$109
Medium lowest	\$246 to \$330	\$191 to \$279	\$134 to \$190	\$110 to \$156
Medium highest	\$331 to \$416	\$280 to \$362	\$191 to \$252	\$157 to \$205
Highest group	\$417 and over	\$363 and over	\$253 and over	\$206 and over

- a [Households renting social housing](#)
- a [Households renting privately](#)
- a [Median weekly rental payments](#)
- a [High rental payments \(more than \\$450 per week\)](#)
- a [Rental stress](#)

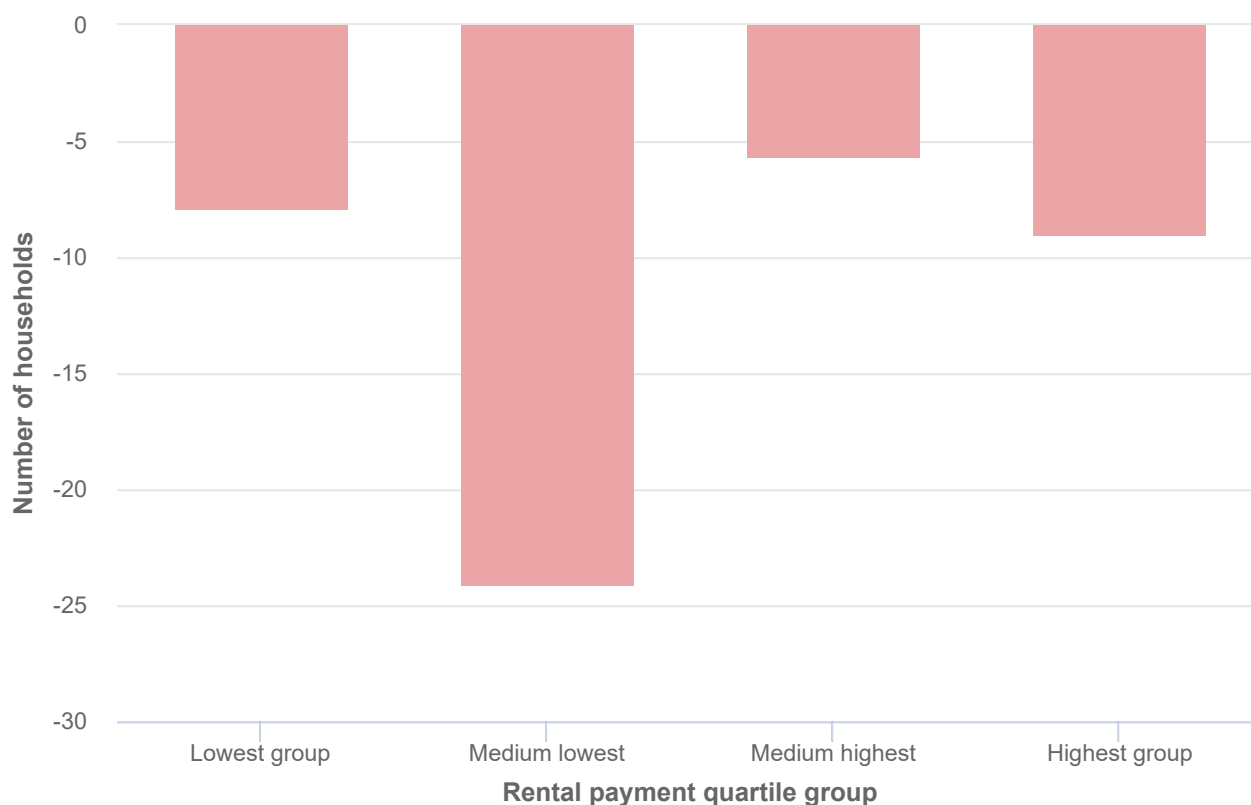
Housing rental quartiles for 2016



Source: Australian Bureau of Statistics, [Census of Population and Housing](#), 2016 (Enumerated data). Compiled and presented in profile.id by [.id](#) (informed decisions).

Change in housing rental quartiles, 2011 to 2016

Horsham North Planning area



Source: Australian Bureau of Statistics, [Census of Population and Housing](#), 2011 and 2016 (Enumerated data). Compiled and presented in profile.id by [.id](#) (informed decisions).

Dominant groups

Rental payment quartiles allow us to compare relative rental liabilities across time. Analysis of the distribution of households by rental payment quartiles in Horsham North Planning area compared to Regional Victoria shows that there was a smaller proportion of households in the highest payment quartile, and a larger proportion in the lowest payment quartile.

Emerging groups

The total number of households renting their dwelling in Horsham North Planning area decreased by 46 between 2011 and 2016. The most significant change during this period was in the medium lowest quartile which showed a slight decrease of -24 households.

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Migration summary

In Horsham Rural City Council, a higher rate of people did not change address (59.0%), while a lower rate (33.3%) moved from elsewhere in Australia, and a lower rate (1.2%) moved from overseas. A total of 3,658 people, or 59.7% of those who moved within Australia, moved within Horsham Rural City Council.

Migration, or residential mobility, together with births and deaths are significant components of population change in Australia. Migration is the most volatile component of population change and can be affected by changing housing and economic opportunities such as housing affordability issues or the mining boom. The three main types of migration are overseas migration, interstate migration and within-state migration, of which within-state is the most common and largely involves moves between neighbouring areas within an urban or regional setting.

Looking at the level and type of migration in Horsham Rural City Council can indicate whether the population is sedentary and likely to be in the area for a long time (and perhaps have significant ties to the community), or transient, and likely to move on. Related topics which can be viewed to get a clearer picture of population mobility include **Age Structure** (young adults are likely to move more often) and **Housing Tenure** (generally renters move more often while home ownership indicates a more stable population).

This table shows the broad trends of movement between Horsham Rural City Council and the states/territories of Australia, and from overseas over the 5 years from 2011-2016. For more detail on local movements within the state, please refer to the [Migration by age by location](#) page.

Migration between the area and other States/Territories

Horsham Rural City Council

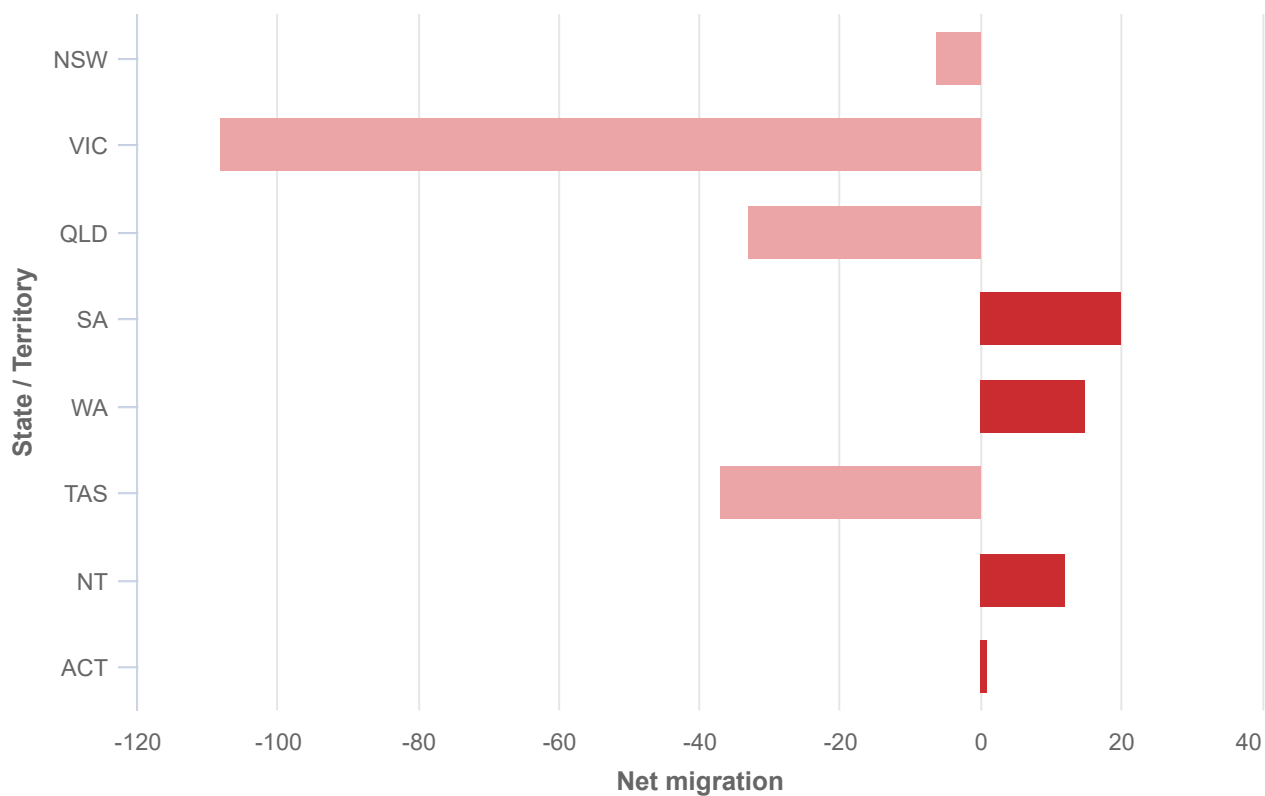
State / Territory	In migration	Out migration	Net migration
New South Wales	84	90	-6
Victoria	1,810	1,918	-108
Queensland	134	167	-33
South Australia	188	168	20
Western Australia	64	49	15
Tasmania	6	43	-37
Northern Territory	39	27	12
Australian Capital Territory	5	4	1
From Overseas	225	--	--

Source: Australian Bureau of Statistics, [Census of Population and Housing](#), 2016 (Usual Residence Data). Compiled and presented in profile.id by [.id](#) (informed decisions).

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Population movement by State/Territory

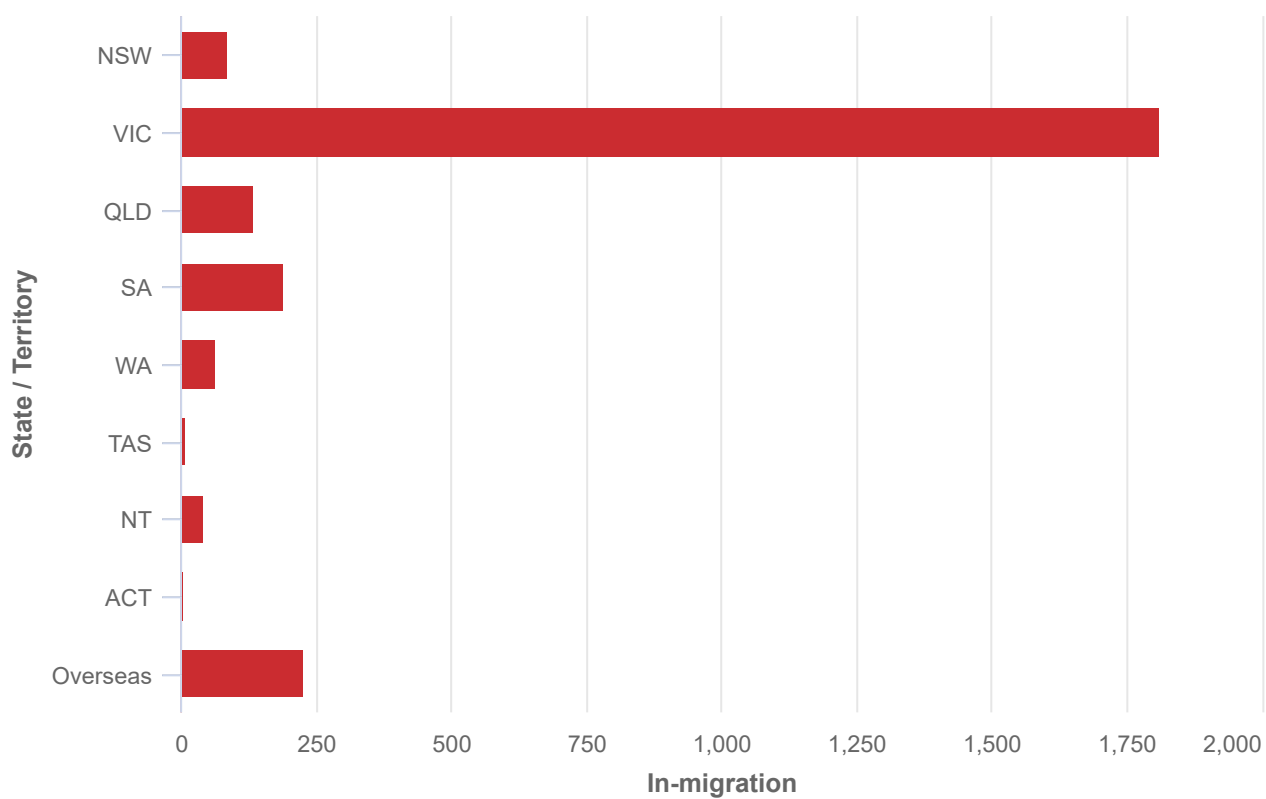
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In-migration by State/Territory

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Migration by age

The age structure of people who move into and out of Horsham Rural City Council is strongly influenced by the residential role and function of the area and can influence demand for particular services. For instance, inner city areas near employment, education and entertainment tend to attract many young people in their late teens and early twenties, who move out in their late twenties and thirties to start families in suburban areas. Rural areas tend to lose young people and gain older families and retirees.

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Migration by age group 2016

Horsham Rural City Council

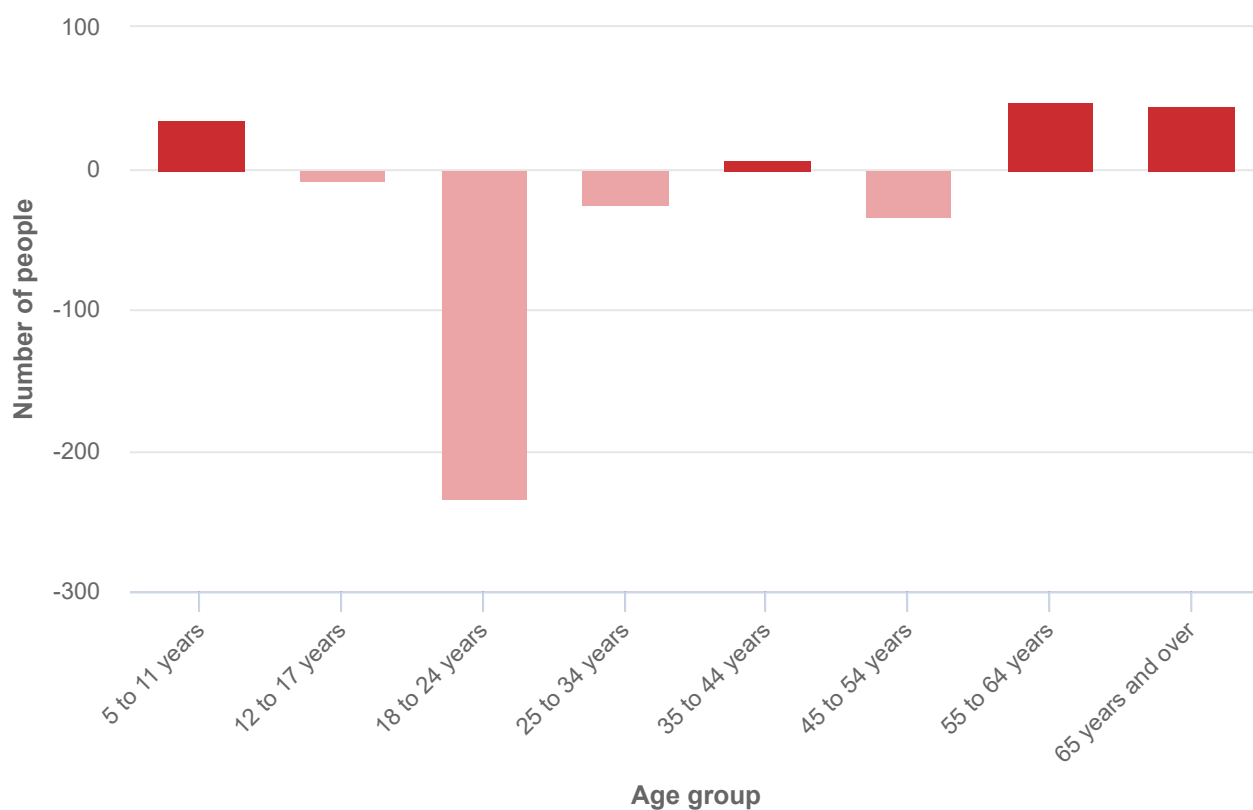
Age group	In migration	Out migration	Net migration
5 to 11 years	+204	-169	+35
12 to 17 years	+132	-140	-8
18 to 24 years	+293	-526	-233
25 to 34 years	+433	-458	-25
35 to 44 years	+258	-252	+6
45 to 54 years	+202	-236	-34
55 to 64 years	+198	-151	+47
65 years and over	+258	-214	+44
Total population	+2,330	-2,466	-136

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Net migration by age group 2016

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Migration by age and location

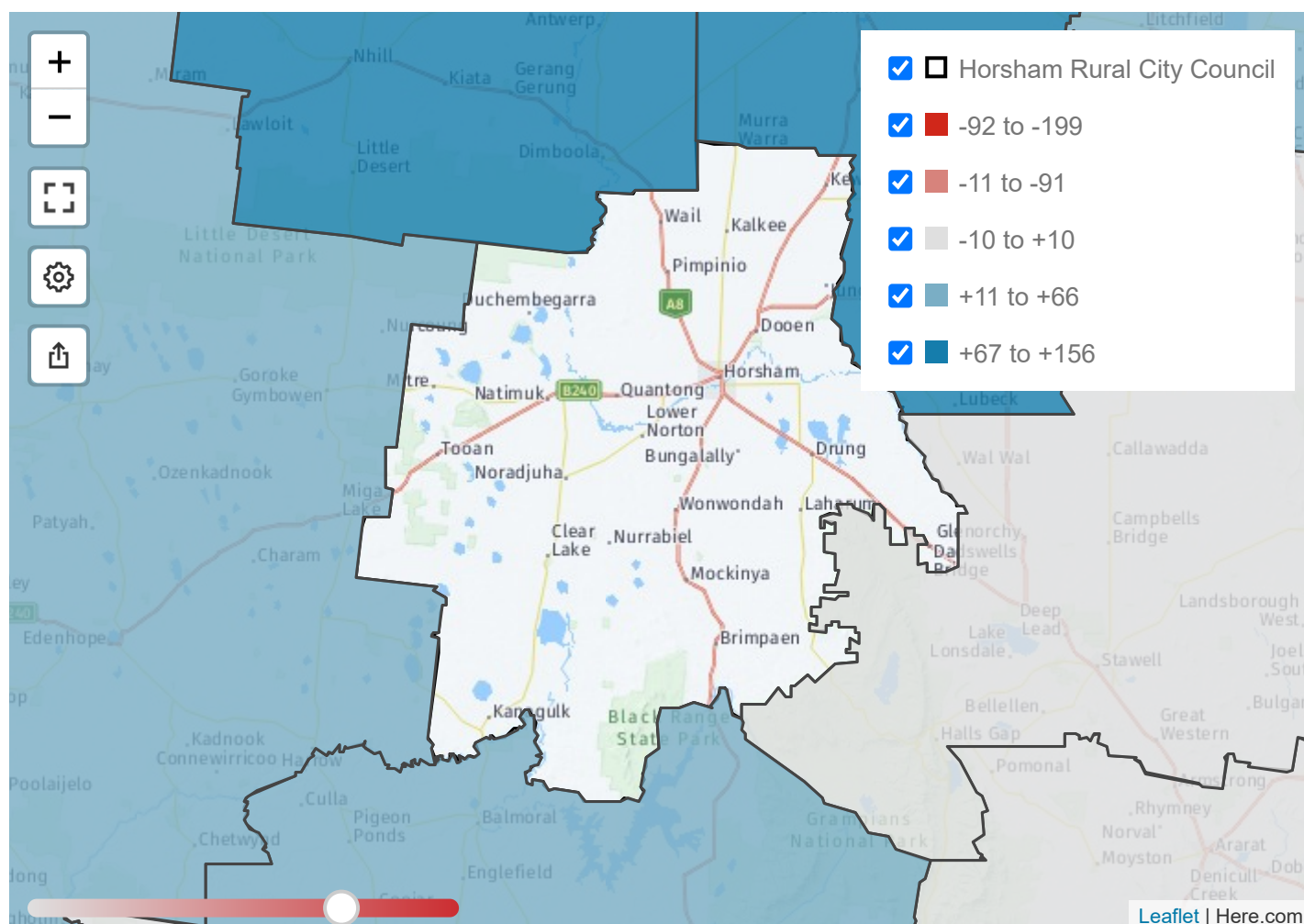
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To see annual migration patterns (outside the Census), please refer to the [Annual migration by location](#) page.

Map of net gains and losses by LGA

Horsham Rural City Council - between 2011 and 2016



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Net gains and losses by LGA

Horsham Rural City Council - between 2011 and 2016

LGA	In migration	Out migration	Net migration
Yarriambiack (S)	260	104	+156
Hindmarsh (S)	211	106	+105
West Wimmera (S)	103	37	+66
Wyndham (C)	54	23	+31
Buloke (S)	43	15	+28
Playford (C)	31	5	+26
Maroondah (C)	28	3	+25
Swan Hill (RC)	35	16	+19
Yarra Ranges (S)	22	6	+16
Southern Grampians (S)	53	38	+15

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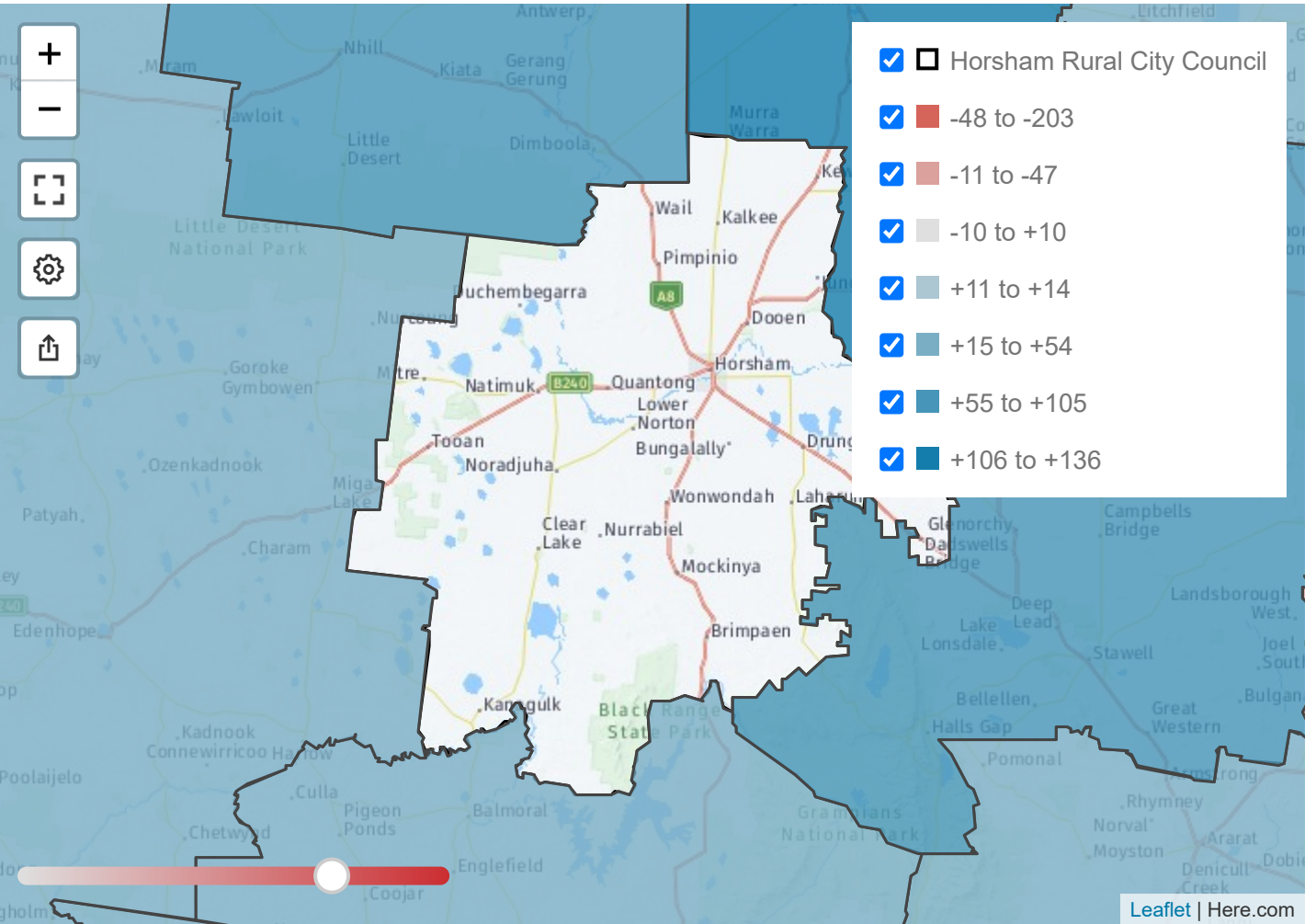
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This page looks specifically at internal migration, and includes annual data collected since the last Census to look at migration patterns in the most recent time periods. This is helpful to see likely affects on future population growth and where people are moving with the wider region. The data is sourced from the ABS - "Regional Internal Migration Estimates" collection, which is a part of the annual Estimated Resident Population update, and shows movement between all LGAs in Australia. The table shows in and out movements, while the map shows the net total movement between the area of interest and each LGA in the specified time period.

Migration data should be viewed in conjunction with age structure, occupation and household type information to get an appreciation of why people are moving as well as where. Cultural diversity is also an important related topic, as some areas function as first settlement locations of migrants, while others get secondary overseas migration.

Map of net gains and losses by LGA

Horsham Rural City Council: Total: July 2016 - June 2020



Source: ABS, Regional Internal Migration Estimates (RIME) by LGA, unpublished data, 2016-2020

Net gains and losses by LGA

Horsham Rural City Council: Total: July 2016 - June 2020

LGA	In migration	Out migration	Net migration
Yarriambiack (S)	324	188	+136
Hindmarsh (S)	289	184	+105
Northern Grampians (S)	162	93	+69
West Wimmera (S)	118	64	+54
Ararat (RC)	71	38	+33
Buloke (S)	43	14	+29
Wyndham (C)	132	108	+24
Southern Grampians (S)	100	78	+22
Playford (C)	27	6	+21
Wattle Range (DC)	27	7	+20
Total all LGAs	4,153	4,491	-338

Source: ABS, Regional Internal Migration Estimates (RIME) by LGA, unpublished data, 2016-2020

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Residential building approvals

Horsham Rural City Council's building approvals are used as a leading indicator of the general level of residential development, economic activity, employment and investment. Residential building activity depends on many factors that vary with the state of the economy including interest rates, availability of mortgage funds, government spending, and business investment. Large financial changes or shocks, such as the Global Financial Crisis of 2008/09 can be observed in the data. However, the number of building approvals can fluctuate substantially from year to year simply as a result of the short-term nature of many construction projects, and the cyclical nature of the industry.

Residential building approvals

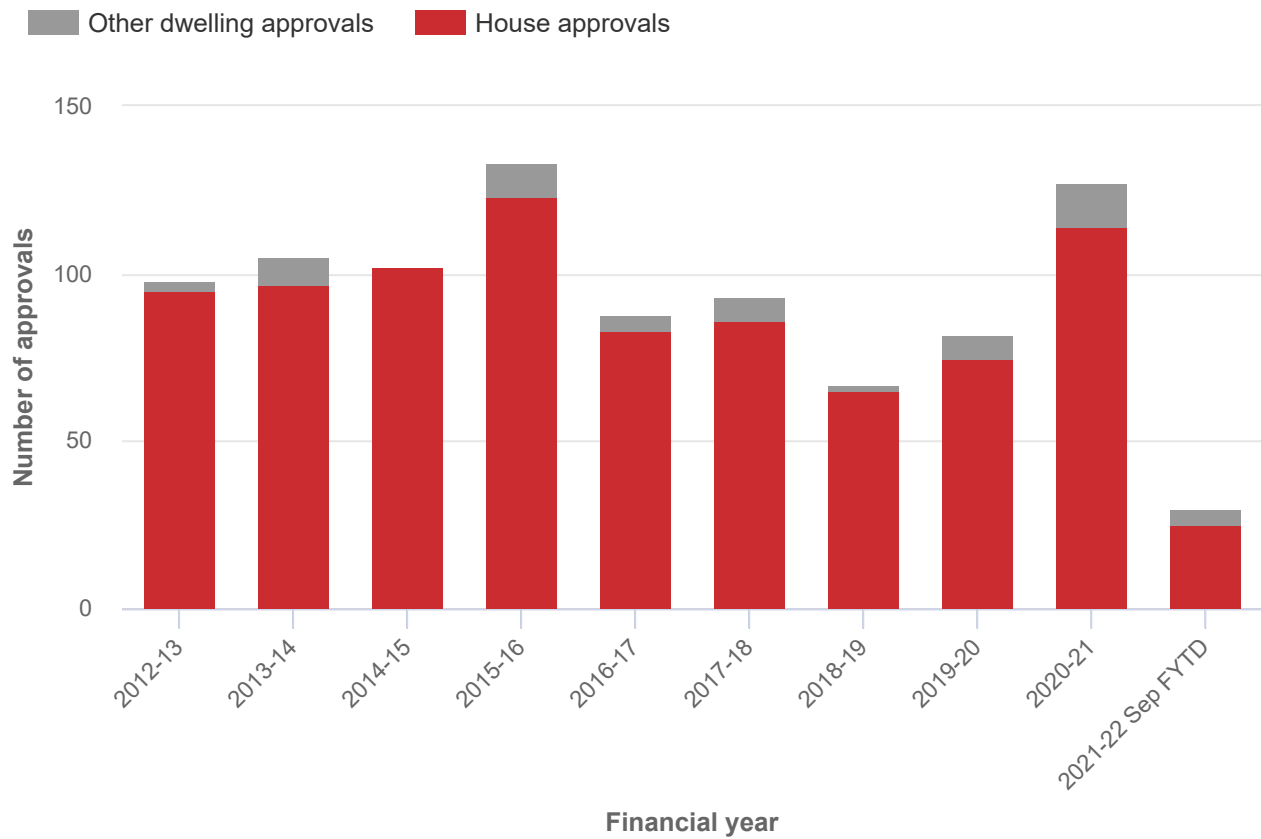
Horsham Rural City Council	Number			Annual change		
Year (ending June 30)	Houses	Other	Total	Houses	Other	Total
2021-22 Sep FYTD	25	5	30	--	--	--
2020-21	114	13	127	+39	+6	+45
2019-20	75	7	82	+10	+5	+15
2018-19	65	2	67	-21	-5	-26
2017-18	86	7	93	+3	+2	+5
2016-17	83	5	88	-40	-5	-45
2015-16	123	10	133	+21	+10	+31
2014-15	102	0	102	+5	-8	-3
2013-14	97	8	105	+2	+5	+7
2012-13	95	3	98	--	--	--

Source: Australian Bureau of Statistics, Building Approvals, Australia (8731.0). Compiled and presented in profile.id by [.id](#) (informed decisions)

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Residential building approvals

Horsham Rural City Council



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JobSeeker

This new dataset released by the Department of Social Services is updated monthly. This represents the number of people who are eligible recipients of JobSeeker allowance (generally aged 22+) and youth allowance (excluding students, generally aged 21 and under). To be eligible for JobSeeker, which replaced Newstart allowance in March 2020, participants must be unemployed and looking for work, though certain activity criteria have been relaxed during the COVID-19 period.

JobSeeker rates are a good updated measure of socio-economic disadvantage in an area, and should be looked at in conjunction with 2016 Census SEIFA indexes, employment status, income and education levels. They can also provide an indication of which areas within your region are most affected by the impacts of COVID-19 containment measures.

JobSeeker data are shown for Local Government Areas, and SA2s which have a significant population within the LGA or region.

JobSeeker

Current month	October 2021		March 2020		
Region - LGA/SA2	JobSeeker and youth allowance recipients	% of 15-64 age population	JobSeeker and Youth allowance recipients	% of 15-64 age population	Change
Horsham Rural City Council	804	6.7	739	6.2	+65
Horsham	700	7.1	658	6.7	+42
Horsham Region	105	5.0	82	3.9	+23
Regional Victoria	69,080	7.4	62,938	6.7	+6,142
Victoria	249,137	5.6	193,591	4.4	+55,546

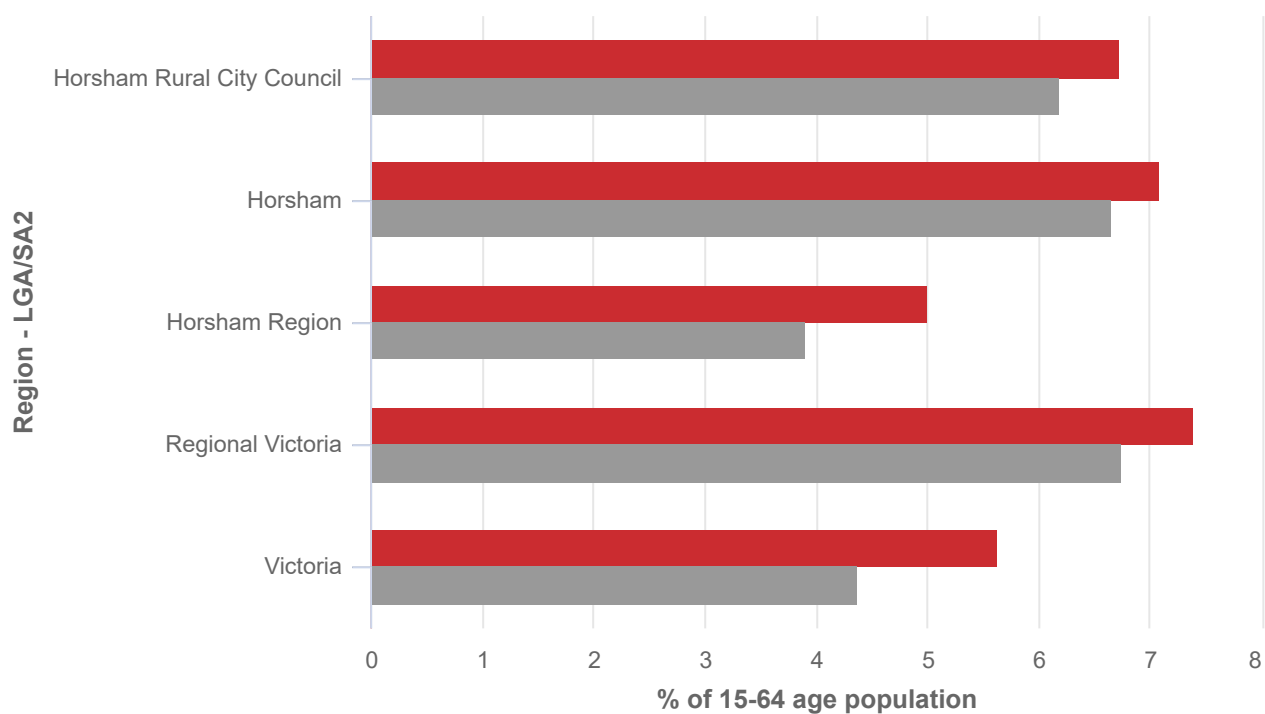
Source: Department of Social Services - JobSeeker and Youth Allowance recipients - monthly profile via data.gov.au. Compiled and presented by .id - informed decisions

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JobSeeker March 2020 to October 2021, Horsham Rural City Council and benchmarks

Total JobSeeker

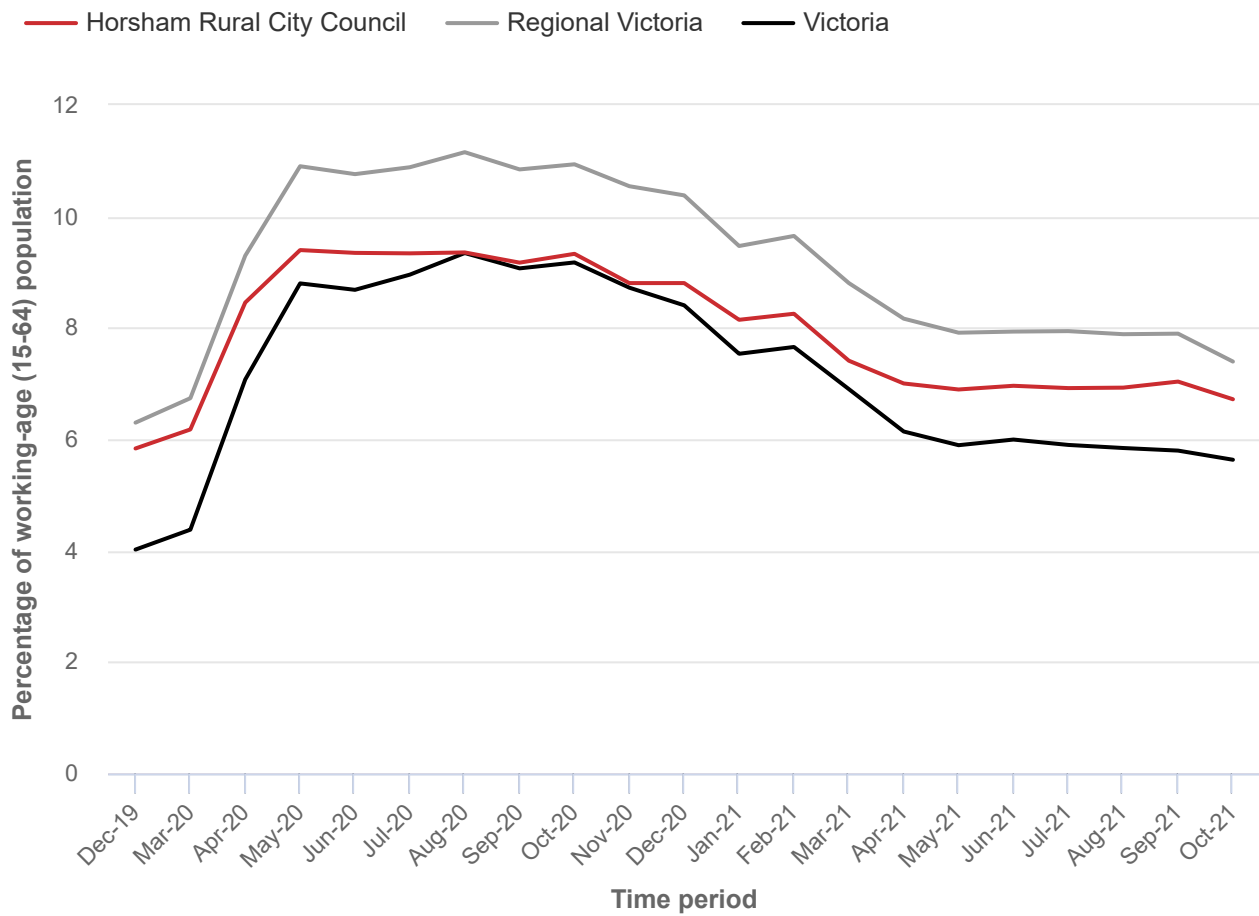
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JobSeeker rate over time, Horsham Rural City Council and benchmarks

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Horsham Rural City Council

Workers' place of residence

Where does Horsham Rural City Council's workforce come from? Journey to Work data sheds light on how many workers live locally, how many commute from other areas and which areas they commute from. Some areas attract a large external workforce because they have major employment centres or because local residents have a different set of skills or aspirations than the local jobs require. Understanding where workers reside assists in planning and advocacy for roads and public transport provision. It also helps to clarify economic and employment drivers across areas and assists in understanding the degree to which Horsham Rural City Council provides local employment.

Overview

Residential location of local workers

Horsham Rural City Council	2016	
Location	Number	%
Live and work in the area	8,076	91.4
Work in the area, but live outside	760	8.6
Total	8,836	100.0

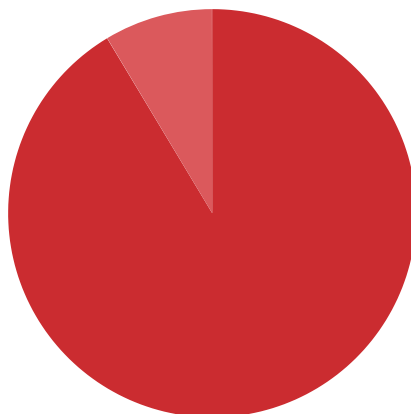
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Residential location of local workers, 2016

Horsham Rural City Council

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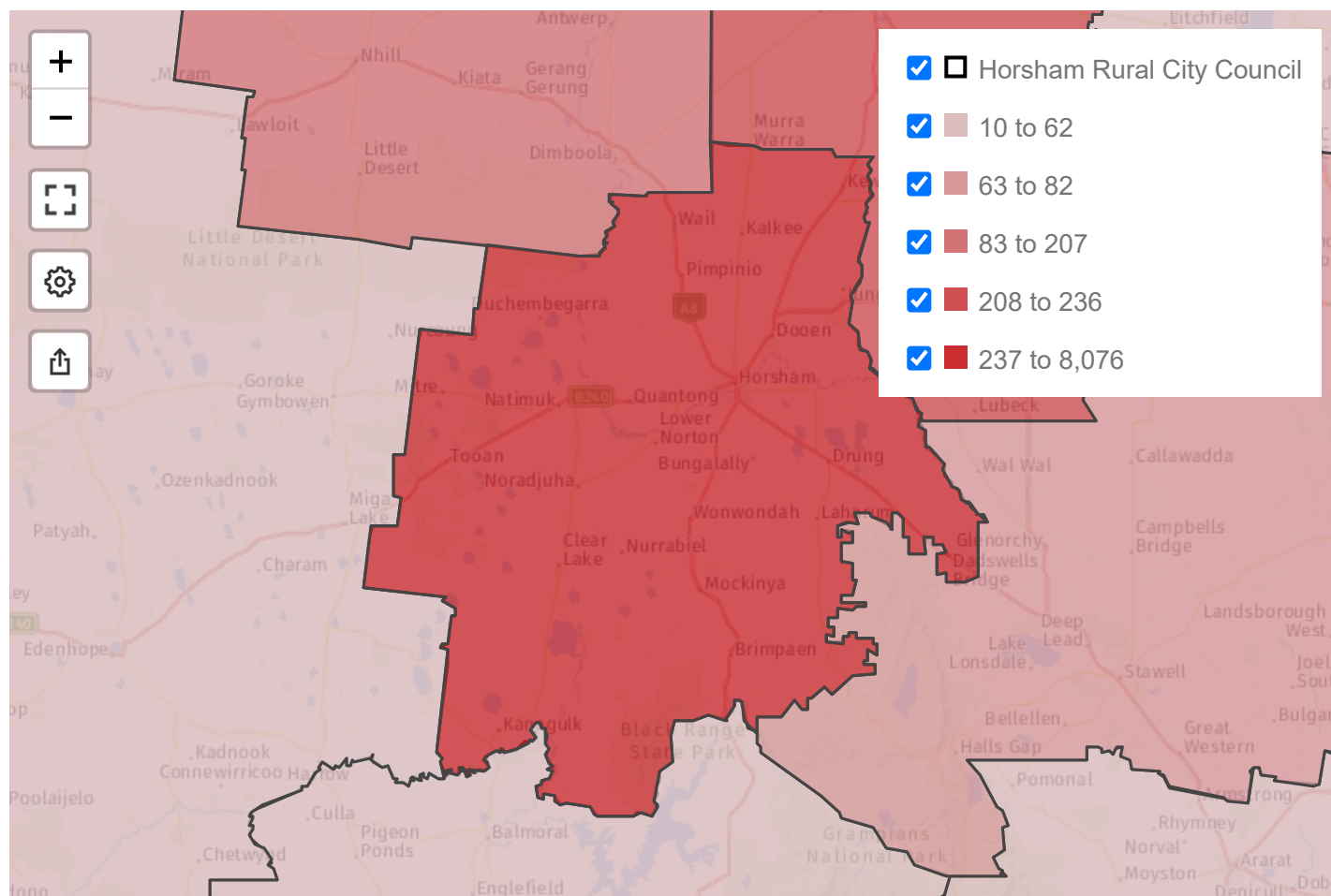


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Detailed breakdown by LGA

Residential locations of workers by LGA, 2016

Horsham Rural City Council



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Residential location of local workers by LGA

Horsham Rural City Council		2016	
LGA		Number	Percentage
Horsham (RC)		8,076	91.4
Yarriambiack (S)		236	2.7
Hindmarsh (S)		207	2.3
Northern Grampians (S)		82	0.9
West Wimmera (S)		62	0.7
Southern Grampians (S)		26	0.3
Ballarat (C)		16	0.2
Buloke (S)		14	0.2
Ararat (RC)		14	0.2
Mildura (RC)		10	0.1

Source: Australian Bureau of Statistics, [Census of Population and Housing](#) 2016. Compiled and presented in profile.id by [.id](#) (informed decisions).

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Excludes residential locations with fewer than 10 people.

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Horsham Rural City Council

Residents' place of work

Where do Horsham Rural City Council's residents go to work? Journey to Work data shows how many residents work locally, and how many commute out of the area and where they commute to. Some areas consist mainly of dormitory' suburbs and the majority of the residents commute out to work. Other areas have large employment centres which attract a local workforce. Understanding where Horsham Rural City Council's residents go to work assists in planning and advocacy for roads and public transport provision. It also helps to clarify the economic and employment drivers across areas and assists in understanding the degree of employment self-containment within Horsham Rural City Council.

Overview

Employment location of resident workers

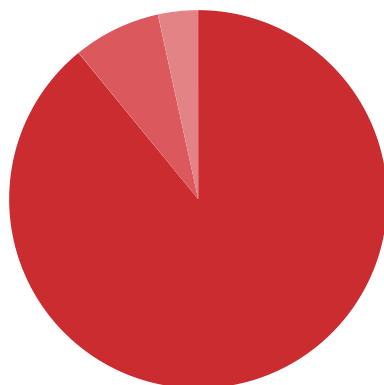
Horsham Rural City Council	2016	
Location	Number	%
Live and work in the area	8,076	89.1
Live in the area, but work outside	679	7.5
No fixed place of work	310	3.4
Total	9,065	100.0

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Employment location of resident workers, 2016

Horsham Rural City Council

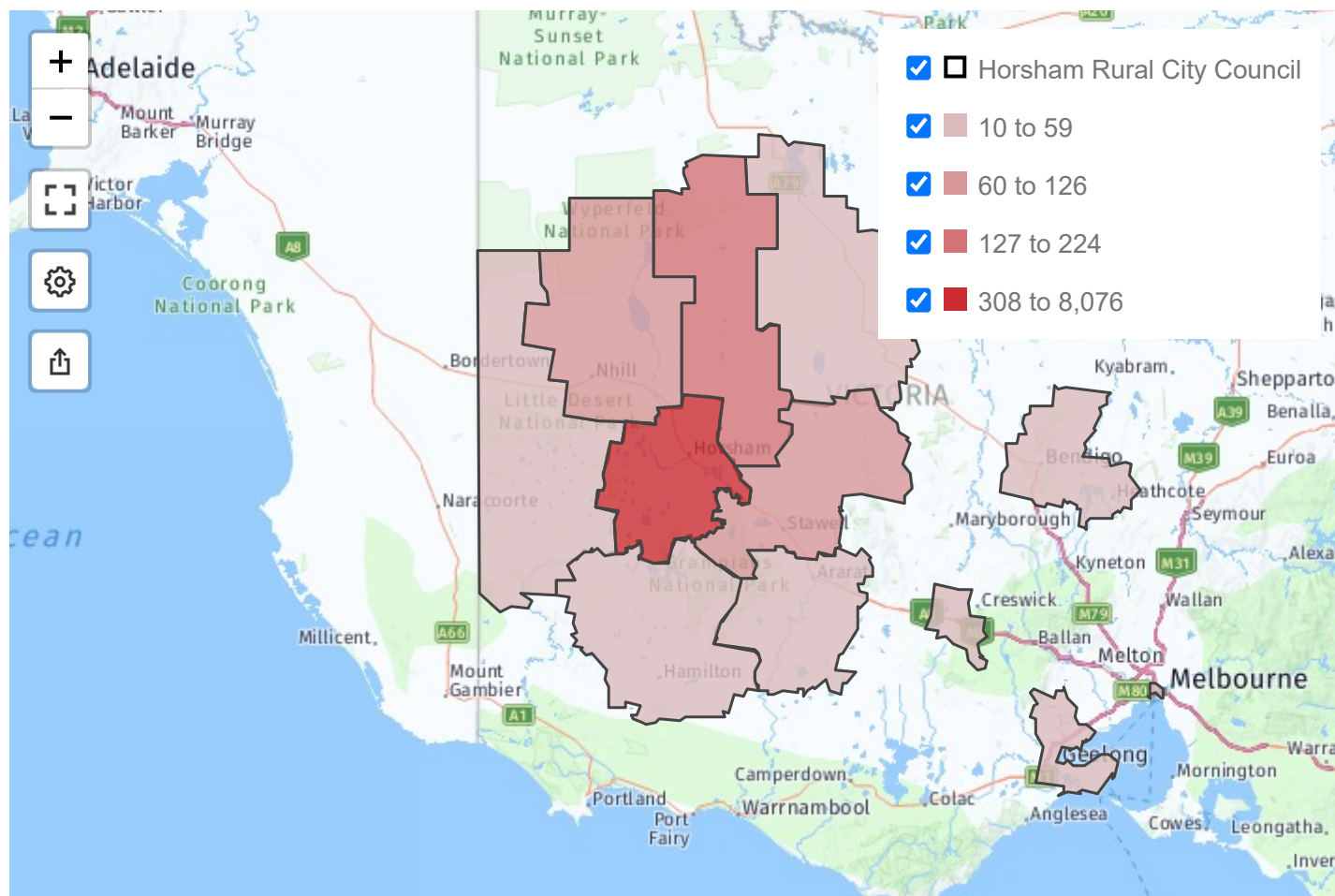


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Employment location of resident workers by LGA

Horsham Rural City Council		2016	
LGA		Number	%
Horsham (RC)		8,076	89.1
No Fixed Address (Vic.)		307	3.4
Yarriambiack (S)		224	2.5
Hindmarsh (S)		126	1.4
Northern Grampians (S)		69	0.8
West Wimmera (S)		59	0.7
Ballarat (C)		19	0.2
Southern Grampians (S)		16	0.2
Port Adelaide Enfield (C)		14	0.2
Melbourne (C)		14	0.2
Greater Geelong (C)		13	0.1
Greater Bendigo (C)		12	0.1
Ararat (RC)		11	0.1
Buloke (S)		10	0.1

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SEIFA by Local Government Area

The Horsham Rural City Council Socio-Economic Indexes for Areas (SEIFA) measure the relative level of socio-economic disadvantage and/or advantage based on a range of Census characteristics. Two of the SEIFA indexes: the Index of Relative Socio-Economic Disadvantage (IRSD) and the Index of Relative Socio-Economic Advantage and Disadvantage (IRSAD) can be selected below.

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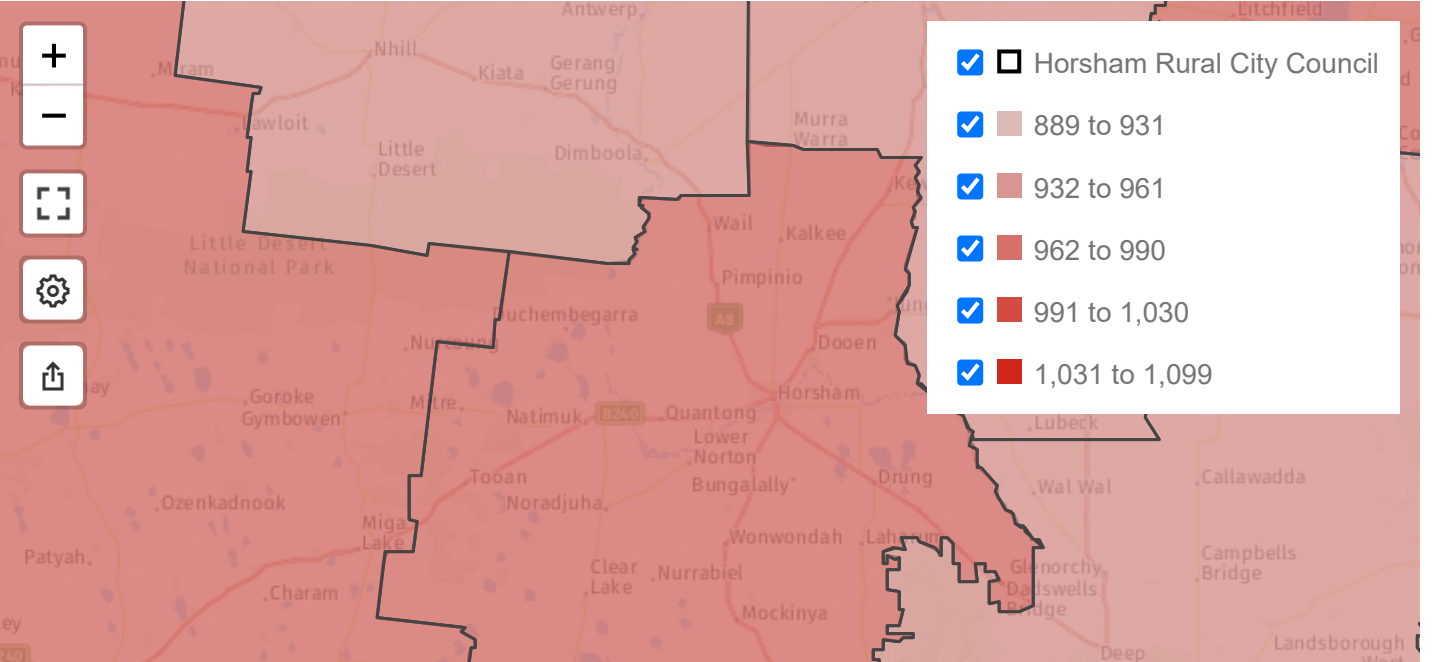
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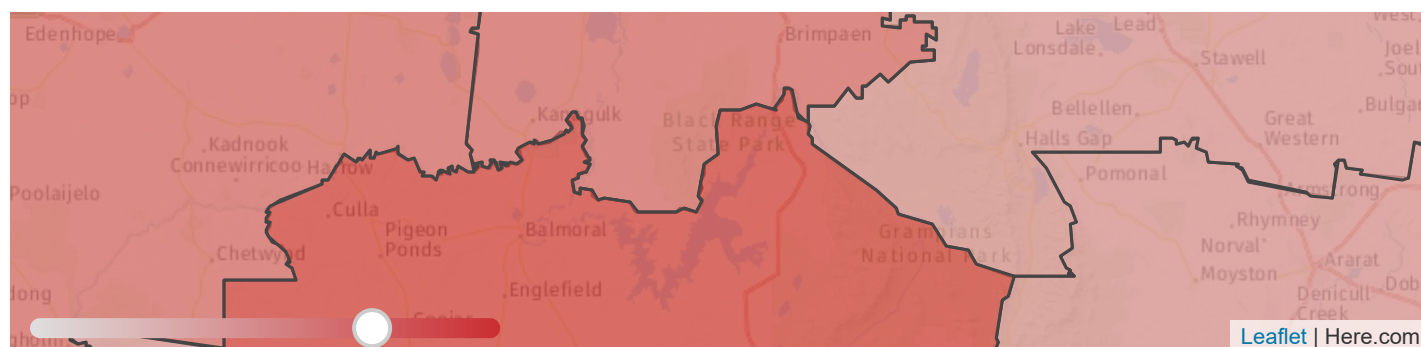
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Please note that the LGAs listed here relate to the boundary which was current at the 2016 Census. Boundary changes since that time will not be reflected in the list. For recent boundary changes in the local area please see the SEIFA by profile area.

Index of Relative Socio-economic Disadvantage

2016 Local Government Areas





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Index of Relative Socio-economic Disadvantage

Local Government Areas in Victoria

2016 Local Government Area	2016 Index
Nillumbik	1,099
Bayside	1,097
Boroondara	1,097
Stonnington	1,087
Surf Coast	1,077
Queenscliffe	1,075
Glen Eira	1,074
Port Phillip	1,069
Manningham	1,066
Macedon Ranges	1,060
Banyule	1,055
Whitehorse	1,049
Knox	1,048
Maroondah	1,045
Monash	1,045
Kingston	1,044
Yarra Ranges	1,040
Yarra	1,035
Moonee Valley	1,035
Golden Plains	1,035

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The percentile column indicates the approximate position of this small area in a ranked list of Australia's suburbs and localities. It's meant to give an indication of where the area sits within the whole nation. A higher number indicates a higher socio-economic status. For instance, a percentile of 72 indicates that approximately 72% of Australia's suburbs have a SEIFA index lower than this area (more disadvantaged), while 28% are higher.

Learn more about SEIFA and how it is used for funding and advocacy [here](#).

Index of Relative Socio-economic Disadvantage

Horsham Rural City Council's small areas and benchmark areas

Area	2016 index	Percentile
Haven	1,076.6	90
Horsham - South	1,053.1	78
Horsham South Structure Plan	1,048.9	75
Rural South	1,046.9	74
Jung - Rural North	1,028.9	63
Natimuk - Rural West	1,013.7	53
Victoria	1,010.0	51
Australia	1,001.9	46
Horsham - East	981.2	35
Horsham Rural City Council	980.0	34
Horsham - West	977.3	33
Regional Victoria	977.0	32
Horsham Total	958.7	25
North West Victoria (SA4)	947.0	20
Horsham - CAD	902.2	10
Horsham North Planning area	859.1	6
Horsham - North	848.2	5

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About the community profile

Demographic change across Australia is recorded by the Australian Bureau of Statistics (ABS) in the Census collections every five years. Population experts [.id \(informed decisions\)](#) analyse and convert these raw figures into stories of place to inform council staff, community groups, investors, business, students and the general public. Horsham Rural City Council Community Profile provides demographic analysis for the City and its suburbs based on results from the 2016, 2011, 2006, 2001, 1996 and 1991 Censuses of Population and Housing. The profile is updated with population estimates when the Australian Bureau of Statistics (ABS) releases new figures such as the annual Estimated Resident Population (ERP).

Suburb boundaries and Census questions change over time, but .id manages the data to ensure that there is an accurate time series provided for the current geographic boundaries. You can read more about this in the [Geography Notes](#) section.

Results for Horsham Rural City Council include population, age structure, ethnicity, ancestry, religion, income, qualifications, occupations, employment, unemployment, disability, disadvantage, volunteering, childcare, family structure, household structure, housing tenure, mortgage and rental payments, and the size and type of the dwellings people live in.

The Community Profile presents this information in clear maps, tables and charts with concise factual commentary to answer three important questions:

1. What are the characteristics of the people who live here?
2. How are they changing?
3. How do they compare to other areas?

This provides the basis for making evidence-based decisions about how to provide services for the community as it changes.

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