

Table 2.3**Birthplaces -Western Australia: 2001 and 2006 Census**

Rank	Birthplace	2006 Census	% of population	2001 Census	Change 2001-2006	% change 2001-2006
43	Afghanistan	1,463	0.1	1,653	-190	-11.5
121	Albania	116	0.0	88	28	31.8
126	Algeria	94	0.0	102	-8	-7.8
136	Angola	69	0.0	50	19	38.0
76	Argentina	498	0.0	479	19	4.0
165	Armenia	25	0.0	10	15	150.0
1	Australia	1,279,206	65.3	1,237,683	41,523	3.4
46	Austria	1,396	0.1	1,528	-132	-8.6
141	Bahamas	58	0.0	61	-3	-4.9
116	Bahrain	129	0.0	93	36	38.7
65	Bangladesh	678	0.0	465	213	45.8
155	Barbados	34	0.0	35	-1	-2.9
146	Belarus	48	0.0	26	22	84.6
70	Belgium	597	0.0	602	-5	-0.8
134	Bermuda	77	0.0	96	-19	-19.8
167	Bhutan	23	0.0	..	..	..
166	Bolivia	24	0.0	13	11	84.6
33	Bosnia and Herzegovina	2,570	0.1	2,610	-40	-1.5
103	Botswana	181	0.0	135	46	34.1
64	Brazil	689	0.0	398	291	73.1
56	Brunei Darussalam	949	0.0	947	2	0.2
96	Bulgaria	245	0.0	208	37	17.8
20	Burma (Myanmar)	5,558	0.3	5,503	55	1.0
124	Burundi	108	0.0	..	..	..
62	Cambodia	720	0.0	669	51	7.6
172	Cameroon	18	0.0	..	..	..
23	Canada	4,098	0.2	3,481	617	17.7
147	Caribbean, nfd	47	0.0	37	10	27.0
157	Central and West Africa, nfd	33	0.0	30	3	10.0
73	Channel Islands	554	0.0	526	28	5.3
48	Chile	1,276	0.1	1,231	45	3.7
14	China (excl. SARS and Taiwan)	7,991	0.4	5,246	2,745	52.3
90	Colombia	299	0.0	205	94	45.9
112	Congo	140	0.0	26	114	438.5
105	Congo, Democratic Republic of	176	0.0	48	128	266.7
127	Cook Islands	94	0.0	114	-20	-17.5
158	Costa Rica	33	0.0	35	-2	-5.7
160	Côte D'Ivoire	31	0.0	..	..	..
22	Croatia	5,171	0.3	5,197	-26	-0.5
169	Cuba	21	0.0	13	8	61.5
79	Cyprus	433	0.0	400	33	8.3
74	Czech Republic	539	0.0	558	-19	-3.4
53	Denmark	1,125	0.1	1,090	35	3.2
82	East Timor	382	0.0	370	12	3.2
85	Eastern Europe, nfd	366	0.0	460	-94	-20.4
137	Ecuador	68	0.0	42	26	61.9
42	Egypt	1,474	0.1	1,509	-35	-2.3
52	El Salvador	1,138	0.1	1,169	-31	-2.7
2	England	174,194	8.9	167,921	6,273	3.7
88	Eritrea	319	0.0	236	83	35.2

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113	Estonia	138	0.0	157	-19	-12.1
67	Ethiopia	650	0.0	412	238	57.8
185	Falkland Islands	10	0.0	13	-3	-23.1
66	Fiji	654	0.0	635	19	3.0
75	Finland	520	0.0	542	-22	-4.1
31	Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia (FYROM)	3,001	0.2	3,250	-249	-7.7
39	France	1,927	0.1	1,645	282	17.1
186	French Polynesia	10	0.0	13	-3	-23.1
148	Gambia	44	0.0	..	..	..
102	Gaza Strip and West Bank	183	0.0	173	10	5.8
180	Georgia	12	0.0	..	..	..
12	Germany	9,879	0.5	9,940	-61	-0.6
98	Ghana	228	0.0	121	107	88.4
129	Gibraltar	93	0.0	98	-5	-5.1
30	Greece	3,003	0.2	3,164	-161	-5.1
163	Guatemala	26	0.0	28	-2	-7.1
144	Guinea	55	0.0	..	..	..
139	Guyana	62	0.0	57	5	8.8
170	Honduras	21	0.0	16	5	31.3
24	Hong Kong (SAR of China)	4,064	0.2	3,558	506	14.2
51	Hungary	1,142	0.1	1,284	-142	-11.1
120	Iceland	120	0.0	120	..	..
8	India	15,153	0.8	13,127	2,026	15.4
15	Indonesia	7,889	0.4	7,678	211	2.7
36	Iran	2,197	0.1	1,955	242	12.4
41	Iraq	1,686	0.1	1,477	209	14.2
13	Ireland	9,032	0.5	8,960	72	0.8
104	Isle of Man	181	0.0	180	1	0.6
71	Israel	566	0.0	532	34	6.4
6	Italy	20,928	1.1	23,062	-2,134	-9.3
122	Jamaica	110	0.0	120	-10	-8.3
28	Japan	3,046	0.2	2,284	762	33.4
94	Jordan	262	0.0	244	18	7.4
140	Kazakhstan	61	0.0	41	20	48.8
29	Kenya	3,032	0.2	2,119	913	43.1
168	Kiribati	22	0.0	18	4	22.2
37	Korea, Republic of (South)	2,187	0.1	1,401	786	56.1
95	Kuwait	253	0.0	235	18	7.7
154	Kyrgyz Republic	37	0.0	..	..	..
114	Laos	137	0.0	154	-17	-11.0
80	Latvia	415	0.0	517	-102	-19.7
58	Lebanon	896	0.0	855	41	4.8
178	Lesotho	15	0.0	..	..	..
93	Liberia	267	0.0	23	244	1,060.9
117	Libya	126	0.0	101	25	24.8
99	Lithuania	221	0.0	248	-27	-10.9
156	Luxembourg	34	0.0	32	2	6.3
123	Macau (SAR of China)	110	0.0	98	12	12.2
173	Madagascar	18	0.0	19	-1	-5.3
107	Malawi	168	0.0	107	61	57.0

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7	Malaysia	19,720	1.0	17,414	2,306	13.2
145	Maldives	52	0.0	28	24	85.7
55	Malta	993	0.1	1,006	-13	-1.3
143	Maritime South-East Asia, nfd	57	0.0	45	12	26.7
34	Mauritius	2,384	0.1	2,079	305	14.7
133	Mexico	78	0.0	83	-5	-6.0
187	Middle East, nfd	10	0.0	19	-9	-47.4
174	Moldova	18	0.0	..	..	..
164	Mongolia	26	0.0	10	16	160.0
132	Montenegro ²	82	0.0	..	..	..
119	Morocco	122	0.0	116	6	5.2
110	Mozambique	149	0.0	140	9	6.4
101	Namibia	199	0.0	118	81	68.6
159	Nauru	32	0.0	28	4	14.3
118	Nepal	123	0.0	92	31	33.7
11	Netherlands	10,123	0.5	10,497	-374	-3.6
177	Netherlands Antilles	16	0.0	22	-6	-27.3
161	New Caledonia	31	0.0	30	1	3.3
3	New Zealand	47,333	2.4	45,004	2,329	5.2
152	Nicaragua	41	0.0	38	3	7.9
87	Nigeria	324	0.0	165	159	96.4
153	Niue	41	0.0	25	16	64.0
183	North Africa, nec	11	0.0	..	..	..
181	Northern Europe, nfd	12	0.0	..	..	..
26	Northern Ireland	3,306	0.2	3,260	46	1.4
72	Norway	556	0.0	620	-64	-10.3
115	Oman	137	0.0	61	76	124.6
49	Pakistan	1,167	0.1	937	230	24.5
171	Panama	21	0.0	16	5	31.3
47	Papua New Guinea	1,294	0.1	1,154	140	12.1
176	Paraguay	17	0.0	20	-3	-15.0
91	Peru	282	0.0	217	65	30.0
16	Philippines	6,820	0.3	5,384	1,436	26.7
19	Poland	5,725	0.3	6,417	-692	-10.8
35	Portugal	2,330	0.1	2,434	-104	-4.3
130	Qatar	85	0.0	53	32	60.4
151	Réunion	42	0.0	..	..	..
45	Romania	1,403	0.1	1,299	104	8.0
59	Russian Federation	872	0.0	683	189	27.7
142	Rwanda	58	0.0	15	43	286.7
100	Samoa	206	0.0	171	35	20.5
77	Saudi Arabia	454	0.0	220	234	106.4
4	Scotland	24,409	1.2	24,349	60	0.2
50	Serbia ²	1,157	0.1	..	..	..
63	Seychelles	694	0.0	641	53	8.3
92	Sierra Leone	278	0.0	63	215	341.3
9	Singapore	11,791	0.6	10,255	1,536	15.0
97	Slovakia	238	0.0	241	-3	-1.2
89	Slovenia	314	0.0	321	-7	-2.2
135	Solomon Islands	72	0.0	39	33	84.6

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68	Somalia	618	0.0	475	143	30.1
5	South Africa	22,058	1.1	15,433	6,625	42.9
125	South America, nec	97	0.0	74	23	31.1
32	South Eastern Europe, nfd	2,919	0.1	384	2,535	660.2
108	Southern and East Africa, nfd	166	0.0	197	-31	-15.7
182	Southern Asia, nfd	12	0.0	..	..	..
54	Spain	1,052	0.1	1,064	-12	-1.1
27	Sri Lanka	3,284	0.2	2,958	326	11.0
188	St Helena	10	0.0	..	..	..
38	Sudan	2,010	0.1	423	1,587	375.2
175	Suriname	18	0.0	..	..	..
138	Swaziland	63	0.0	67	-4	-6.0
60	Sweden	782	0.0	720	62	8.6
40	Switzerland	1,699	0.1	1,532	167	10.9
109	Syria	158	0.0	258	-100	-38.8
57	Taiwan	939	0.0	904	35	3.9
184	Tajikistan	11	0.0	..	..	..
78	Tanzania	450	0.0	350	100	28.6
25	Thailand	3,408	0.2	2,582	826	32.0
128	Tonga	94	0.0	80	14	17.5
84	Trinidad and Tobago	373	0.0	343	30	8.7
162	Tunisia	29	0.0	29	..	..
61	Turkey	748	0.0	730	18	2.5
179	Tuvalu	14	0.0	..	..	..
86	Uganda	346	0.0	261	85	32.6
69	Ukraine	613	0.0	633	-20	-3.2
81	United Arab Emirates	405	0.0	219	186	84.9
83	United Kingdom, nfd	377	0.0	312	65	20.8
17	United States of America	6,759	0.3	6,059	700	11.6
106	Uruguay	170	0.0	165	5	3.0
149	Uzbekistan	44	0.0	26	18	69.2
150	Vanuatu	43	0.0	35	8	22.9
111	Venezuela	143	0.0	103	40	38.8
10	Viet Nam	10,495	0.5	10,124	371	3.7
21	Wales	5,355	0.3	5,384	-29	-0.5
131	Yemen	84	0.0	71	13	18.3
44	Zambia	1,446	0.1	941	505	53.7
18	Zimbabwe	6,168	0.3	3,881	2,287	58.9
	Not elsewhere classified ¹	185	0.0	4,849	-4,664	n.c.
	Inadequately described	1,172	0.1	1,657	-485	-29.3
	At sea	6	0.0	..	..	..
	Not stated	148,101	7.6	94,821	53,280	56.2
	Total	1,959,095	100.0	1,828,284	130,811	7.2

1. 2001 figure included Federal Republic of Yugoslavia

2. Reported as part of Federal Republic of Yugoslavia in 2001