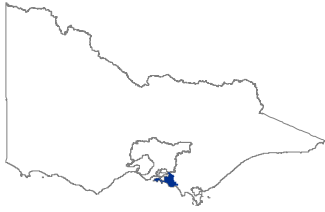


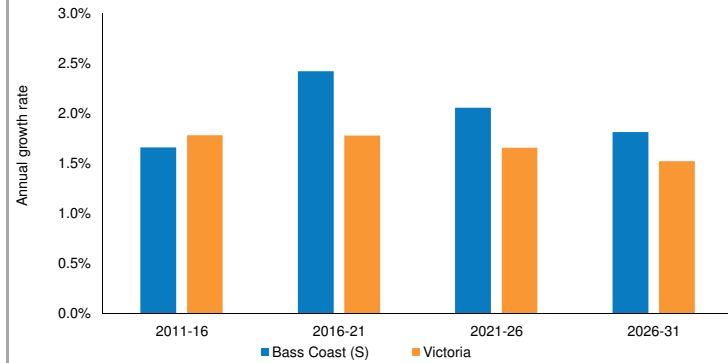
Bass Coast (S)



Location: 120 km south-east of Melbourne
 Area (2011): 865 km²
 Pop. Density (2011): 35.0 persons per km²
 Major Centres: Wonthaggi, Cowes, Inverloch

Population change

Average annual population growth rate, 2011 to 2031



Population and households

	2011	2016	2021	2026	2031
Total Population	30,232	32,825	36,990	40,952	44,798
Pop. in private dwellings	29,778	32,327	36,429	40,299	44,013
Households	13,610	14,866	16,760	18,531	20,282
Average household size	2.19	2.17	2.17	2.17	2.17

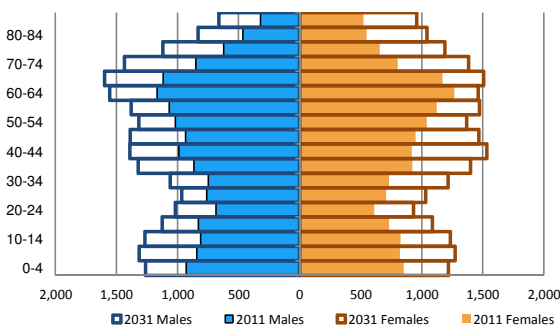
	2011-2031	2011-16	2016-21	2021-26	2026-31
Change in population					
Net change	14,566	2,593	4,165	3,962	3,846
Average annual change	2.0%	1.7%	2.4%	2.1%	1.8%
Change in households					
Net change	6,671	1,256	1,893	1,771	1,750
Average annual change	2.0%	1.8%	2.4%	2.0%	1.8%

Household types

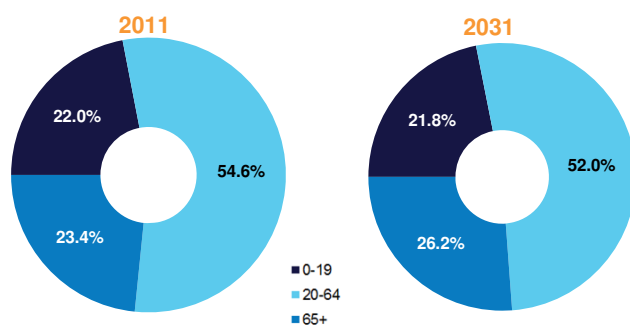
	2011	2016	2021	2026	2031
Couple-only	4,372	4,820	5,408	5,925	6,429
Family with children	4,344	4,706	5,319	5,896	6,438
One person	4,350	4,761	5,381	5,997	6,627
Other	544	579	652	713	787

Age distribution

Population by five-year age group and sex, 2011 and 2031

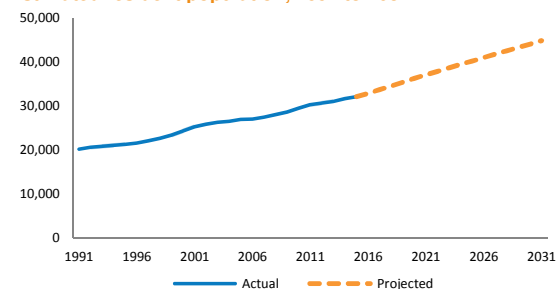


Population by broad age groups, 2011 and 2031



Population

Estimated resident population, 1991 to 2031



Population characteristics

2011 Census

	Bass Coast		Victoria	
	No.	%	No.	%
Dwellings				
Separate houses	21,771	90.3	1,727,097	75.9
Other	2,342	9.7	549,858	24.1
Labour force				
Participation rate		55.5		64.8
Unemployment rate		4.7		5.4
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Born overseas	4,419	15.8	1,405,334	27.7
of which				
LOTE countries ²	1,745	6.3	1,046,719	20.6

1. All persons born O/S, excl those born in Canada, Ireland, NZ, South Africa, UK and USA.