

Towns in Time 2016

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Garfield

Cardinia (S) LGA

Defined in 2016 as: UCL 215035



The map above shows the location of Garfield in Victoria.

Summary data	1981	1986	1991	1996	2001	2006	2011	2016
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Total population*	517	577	674	658	703	867	1,108	1,239
Male: Female ratio*	88.7	89.2	98.2	102.5	103.8	101.6	98.2	101.6
Visitors on Census night*	15	11	17	27	18	19	33	20
Population in non-private dwellings*	15	9	10	0	0	0	0	0
Population at same address 5 years ago	279	246	289	353	333	385	572	653

*Includes local, interstate and overseas visitors.

Population growth	1981-91	1991-2001	2001-06	2006-11	2011-16
Net change	157	29	164	241	131
Average annual change	2.7%	0.4%	4.3%	5.0%	2.3%

Area	
2006 Area (km ²):	2.25
2011 Area (km ²):	1.89

Location	
Location	69km SE of Melbourne

Age structure	1981		1986		1991		1996		2001		2006		2011		2016	
	Number	%	Number	%	Number	%	Number	%	Number	%	Number	%	Number	%	Number	%
0-4	38	7%	58	10%	68	10%	55	8%	59	8%	68	8%	91	8%	96	8%
5-17	116	22%	119	21%	156	23%	175	27%	180	26%	217	25%	233	21%	261	21%
18-24	57	11%	72	12%	45	7%	38	6%	51	7%	74	9%	86	8%	82	7%
25-34	58	11%	61	11%	119	18%	97	15%	87	12%	83	10%	118	11%	137	11%
35-44	53	10%	77	13%	88	13%	111	17%	124	18%	147	17%	167	15%	167	13%
45-54	58	11%	48	8%	70	10%	69	11%	82	12%	107	12%	140	13%	161	13%
55-64	55	11%	66	11%	54	8%	49	7%	57	8%	83	10%	117	11%	128	10%
65-74	52	10%	42	7%	35	5%	35	5%	34	5%	47	5%	106	10%	135	11%
75+	32	6%	34	6%	40	6%	40	6%	27	4%	41	5%	51	5%	71	6%
TOTAL	517	100%	577	100%	674	100%	658	100%	700	100%	867	100%	1,109	100%	1,238	100%

Indigenous status	1986	1996	2001	2006	2011	2016
Indigenous	0	3	6	6	6	6
Non-Indigenous	567	633	658	823	1,071	1,164
Not stated	10	22	36	38	36	66
TOTAL	577	658	700	867	1,113	1,239

Education	1986	1996	2001	2006	2011	2016
Bachelor degree or higher	9	23	26	41	75	109
Diploma or certificate	75	86	114	171	265	344
No post school qualification	277	276	290	331	396	409
Not stated	70	71	69	87	80	81
TOTAL	431	456	499	630	831	943

*Applies to persons aged 15 and over

Language spoken at home	1986	1996	2001	2006	2011	2016
English only	553	616	637	815	1,069	1,149
Top 3 LOTES, 2016:						
- Other:	13	0	3	4	6	0
- Spanish:	0	0	3	4	0	0
- Italian:	4	3	0	3	7	0
All languages other than English	20	16	15	18	19	31
Not stated	4	26	48	34	22	63
TOTAL	577	658	700	867	1,110	1,243

Birthplace	1986	1996	2001	2006	2011	2016
Australia	511	583	584	750	983	1,053
Top 3 overseas birthplaces, 2016						
- United Kingdom:	32	21	28	39	52	45
- Netherlands:	8	5	6	9	13	15
- Philippines:	0	6	3	0	7	11
All overseas birthplaces	61	44	60	71	98	109
Birthplace not-stated	5	31	56	46	28	69
TOTAL	577	658	700	867	1,109	1,231

English proficiency among overseas born	1986* **	1996**	2001	2006	2011	2016
Speaks English well or very well (%)	82%	67%	81%	79%	100%	73%
Speaks English not well or not at all (%)	18%	33%	19%	21%	0%	0%
English proficiency not stated (%)	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%

*Applies to those born in non-English speaking countries only

**Applies to persons aged 5 and over only

Family composition	1996	2001	2006	2011	2016
Couple family* with children	90	108	112	149	167
Couple family* without children	45	52	79	106	125
One parent family	29	21	31	46	37
Other family type	6	3	0	0	3
TOTAL	170	184	222	301	328

*Excludes same sex couple families in 1996 only

Labour force*	1986	1996	2001	2006	2011	2016
Employed	222	247	295	362	498	567
Unemployed	15	20	9	24	18	25
TOTAL LABOUR FORCE	237	268	304	386	516	592
Not in labour force	194	164	166	202	280	301
Labour force status not-stated	0	24	29	42	35	50
Unemployment rate	6.4%	7.6%	3.0%	6.2%	3.5%	4.2%
Participation rate	55.0%	62.0%	64.6%	65.7%	64.8%	66.3%

*Applies to persons aged 15 and over

Travel to work*	1996	2001	2006	2011	2016
Bicycle	0	0	3	0	0
Bus	0	0	3	0	0
Car as driver	145	193	242	343	396
Car as passenger	22	13	19	17	12
Motor bike/scooter	0	0	0	0	0
Taxi	0	0	0	0	0
Train	6	4	0	23	17
Tram or ferry	0	0	0	0	0
Walked only	0	0	5	3	4
Other modes	4	9	11	15	12
Multiple modes	9	11	9	15	21
Work from home	18	14	21	22	34
Did not go to work	32	43	38	54	53
Method of travel not stated	12	7	12	4	9
TOTAL	247	295	362	496	558

*Applies to persons aged 15 and over

Industry of employment*	1986	1996	2001	2006	2011	2016
Agriculture, Forestry and Fishing	12	24	20	15	16	14
Mining	0	9	0	3	5	3
Manufacturing	25	50	46	47	55	37
Electricity, Gas, Water and Waste Services	13	1	1	6	6	12
Construction	21	14	35	49	95	111
Wholesale Trade	8	24	24	18	27	15
Retail Trade	29	20	33	43	45	47
Accommodation and Food Services	6	3	10	12	9	17
Transport, Postal and Warehousing	21	9	15	30	30	27
Information Media and Telecommunications	4	4	6	3	3	4
Financial and Insurance Services	11	3	0	3	8	0
Rental, Hiring and Real Estate Services	3	3	4	6	5	3
Professional, Scientific and Tech. Services	5	5	6	12	20	24
Administrative and Support Services	5	4	5	14	14	31
Public Administration and Safety	10	15	14	20	16	24
Education and Training	10	11	13	19	39	59
Health Care and Social Assistance	12	15	24	36	49	62
Arts and Recreation Services	1	4	6	4	13	7
Other Services	14	15	17	8	23	34
Inadequately described/Not stated	13	15	15	15	18	31
TOTAL	222	247	295	362	496	562

*Applies to persons aged 15 and over

Vehicle ownership*	1986	1996	2001	2006	2011	2016
None	18	14	15	8	7	10
1 motor vehicle	81	88	75	87	137	132
2 motor vehicles	62	84	106	124	170	163
3 or more motor vehicles	24	36	40	68	88	118
Not stated	5	10	17	14	13	31
TOTAL	190	232	253	301	415	449

*Number of vehicles excluding motorbikes/scooters per occupied private dwelling

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Dwellings - Number	1981* Number %	1986 Number %	1991 Number %	1996 Number %	2001 Number %	2006 Number %	2011 Number %	2016 Number %
Occupied private dwellings	169 92%	190 92%	226 91%	232 93%	253 94%	301 96%	415 93%	449 91%
Unoccupied private dwellings	14 8%	16 8%	23 9%	18 7%	16 6%	14 4%	29 7%	45 9%
TOTAL (private dwellings)	183 100%	206 100%	249 100%	250 100%	269 100%	315 100%	444 100%	494 100%

Dwellings - Type	1981* Number %	1986 Number %	1991 Number %	1996 Number %	2001 Number %	2006 Number %	2011 Number %	2016 Number %
Separate house	157 86%	179 87%	231 93%	210 84%	240 89%	297 94%	419 94%	430 87%
Medium density**	5 3%	10 5%	3 1%	9 4%	15 6%	14 4%	25 6%	25 5%
Other dwelling	13 7%	14 7%	15 6%	12 5%	6 2%	4 1%	0 0%	0 0%
Structure not-stated	8 4%	3 1%	0 0%	19 8%	8 3%	0 0%	0 0%	44 9%
TOTAL (private dwellings)	183 100%	206 100%	249 100%	250 100%	269 100%	315 100%	444 100%	494 100%

Dwellings - Tenure	1981* Number %	1986 Number %	1991 Number %	1996 Number %	2001 Number %	2006 Number %	2011 Number %	2016 Number %
Fully owned	78 46%	92 48%	104 46%	95 41%	97 38%	106 35%	130 31%	148 33%
Being purchased	54 32%	66 35%	78 34%	81 35%	112 44%	141 47%	194 47%	210 47%
Rented - government	0 0%	2 1%	4 2%	3 1%	0 0%	0 0%	0 0%	0 0%
Rented - other	27 16%	24 13%	27 12%	36 15%	22 9%	30 10%	63 15%	41 9%
Other and not stated	10 6%	6 3%	13 6%	18 8%	22 9%	24 8%	30 7%	33 7%
TOTAL (occ. private dwellings)	169 100%	190 100%	226 100%	232 100%	253 100%	301 100%	417 100%	449 100%

*1981 data for dwellings excludes caravans in caravan parks (but includes other caravans). In all other years, all caravans are included.

**Medium density = semi-detached, row or terrace house, flat unit or apartment and other medium density dwellings

Household size	1981	1986	1991	1996	2001	2006	2011	2016
1 person	19%	19%	19%	23%	23%	24%	25%	21%
2 persons	31%	30%	28%	29%	27%	28%	33%	33%
3 persons	15%	16%	18%	16%	16%	14%	13%	15%
4 persons	19%	15%	16%	15%	19%	19%	14%	14%
5 or more persons	17%	21%	19%	18%	16%	14%	14%	16%
TOTAL	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Av. household size (persons)	2.97	2.99	2.94	2.84	2.78	2.88	2.67	2.76

Household income	1981	1986	1991	1996	2001	2006	2011	2016
1st quartile (lowest)	34%	33%	25%	28%	24%	20%	24%	24%
2nd quartile	31%	24%	28%	24%	31%	34%	31%	28%
3rd quartile	24%	26%	29%	31%	26%	29%	29%	28%
4th quartile (highest)	12%	16%	18%	18%	19%	16%	16%	21%
Not stated (households)	22	36	36	23	36	38	53	52
TOTAL (households)	168	189	219	222	243	289	411	428

The map below shows the changes of boundary in Garfield between 2006 and 2016.

