

Towns in Time 2016

Timeseries data from 1981-2006 Censuses - Enumerated population from Census 2011 and 2016

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Mildura, Irymple

Mildura (RC) LGA

Defined in 2016 as: UCL 212001



The map above shows the location of Mildura, Irymple in Victoria.

Summary data	1981	1986	1991	1996	2001	2006	2011	2016
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Total population*	18,838	21,616	24,362	25,484	28,126	30,772	31,974	34,188
Male: Female ratio*	95.4	95.5	92.9	92.6	92.0	92.3	91.2	93.4
Visitors on Census night*	1,353	1,768	2,129	1,928	2,237	2,383	2,346	2,752
Population in non-private dwellings*	1,763	1,313	1,489	1,048	1,112	1,587	1,313	1,700
Population at same address 5 years ago	8,804	9,055	9,631	10,996	12,351	13,615	15,126	15,491

*Includes local, interstate and overseas visitors.

Population growth	1981-91	1991-2001	2001-06	2006-11	2011-16
Net change	5,524	3,764	2,646	1,202	2,214
Average annual change	2.6%	1.4%	1.8%	0.8%	1.3%

Area	
2006 Area (km ²):	41.80
2011 Area (km ²):	41.20

Location	
Location	471km NW of Melbourne

Age structure	1981		1986		1991		1996		2001		2006		2011		2016	
	Number	%	Number	%	Number	%	Number	%	Number	%	Number	%	Number	%	Number	%
0-4	1,423	8%	1,548	7%	2,011	8%	2,082	8%	2,235	8%	2,136	7%	2,261	7%	2,201	7%
5-17	4,036	21%	4,482	21%	4,516	19%	4,600	18%	5,304	19%	5,801	19%	5,643	18%	5,341	16%
18-24	2,376	13%	2,477	11%	2,596	11%	2,337	9%	2,296	8%	2,623	9%	2,906	9%	3,007	9%
25-34	2,787	15%	3,358	16%	3,792	16%	3,791	15%	4,061	15%	3,976	13%	3,906	12%	4,628	14%
35-44	2,042	11%	2,738	13%	3,356	14%	3,458	14%	3,924	14%	4,076	13%	4,045	13%	3,899	12%
45-54	1,966	10%	1,976	9%	2,374	10%	2,964	12%	3,376	12%	3,811	13%	3,943	12%	4,086	12%
55-64	1,788	10%	2,148	10%	2,229	9%	2,375	9%	2,561	9%	3,219	11%	3,565	11%	4,011	12%
65-74	1,446	8%	1,726	8%	2,036	8%	2,281	9%	2,294	8%	2,420	8%	2,722	9%	3,380	10%
75+	948	5%	1,129	5%	1,397	6%	1,557	6%	1,950	7%	2,420	8%	2,680	8%	2,930	9%
TOTAL	18,812	100%	21,583	100%	24,307	100%	25,445	100%	28,000	100%	30,481	100%	31,671	100%	33,483	100%

Indigenous status	1986	1996	2001	2006	2011	2016
Indigenous	314	611	858	1,073	1,402	1,555
Non-Indigenous	20,843	24,051	26,141	27,909	28,481	29,302
Not stated	426	782	1,000	1,499	1,827	2,735
TOTAL	21,583	25,445	28,000	30,481	31,710	33,572

Language spoken at home	1986	1996	2001	2006	2011	2016
English only	19,810	22,382	24,288	26,278	26,405	26,778
Top 3 LOTES, 2016:						
- Other:	452	308	393	512	707	0
- Italian:	715	782	706	643	644	56
- Greek:	313	323	326	289	246	220
All languages other than English	1,676	2,276	2,422	2,844	3,494	3,938
Not stated	97	787	1,289	1,360	1,789	2,847
TOTAL	21,583	25,445	28,000	30,481	31,688	33,563

English proficiency among overseas born	1986* **	1996**	2001	2006	2011	2016
Speaks English well or very well (%)	71%	72%	70%	72%	72%	71%
Speaks English not well or not at all (%)	29%	27%	28%	27%	27%	29%
English proficiency not stated (%)	1%	1%	2%	1%	1%	0%

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

**Applies to persons aged 5 and over only

Labour force*	1986	1996	2001	2006	2011	2016
Employed	8,548	9,757	11,382	12,600	12,619	13,512
Unemployed	978	1,221	952	891	1,052	1,256
TOTAL LABOUR FORCE	9,526	10,978	12,334	13,491	13,671	14,768
Not in labour force	6,841	8,361	8,296	8,957	9,731	10,058
Labour force status not-stated	368	430	961	1,441	1,662	2,541
Unemployment rate	10.3%	11.1%	7.7%	6.6%	7.7%	8.5%
Participation rate	58.2%	56.8%	59.8%	60.1%	58.4%	59.5%

*Applies to persons aged 15 and over

Industry of employment*	1986	1996	2001	2006	2011	2016
Agriculture, Forestry and Fishing	623	686	792	694	684	790
Mining	16	15	47	41	87	61
Manufacturing	551	814	1,094	1,292	950	792
Electricity, Gas, Water and Waste Services	171	149	175	156	181	144
Construction	538	588	712	860	810	813
Wholesale Trade	625	838	716	458	453	404
Retail Trade	1,146	1,248	1,501	1,890	1,859	1,775
Accommodation and Food Services	467	486	620	964	1,094	1,131
Transport, Postal and Warehousing	449	411	460	557	518	591
Information Media and Telecommunications	151	210	265	158	151	142
Financial and Insurance Services	254	260	240	282	220	191
Rental, Hiring and Real Estate Services	153	224	311	179	135	132
Professional, Scientific and Tech. Services	216	362	496	561	524	502
Administrative and Support Services	148	232	303	506	452	627
Public Administration and Safety	501	472	456	757	758	764
Education and Training	684	767	915	974	1,141	1,237
Health Care and Social Assistance	899	963	1,101	1,395	1,719	1,995
Arts and Recreation Services	111	169	206	118	112	113
Other Services	485	574	719	413	500	460
Inadequately described/Not stated	360	291	252	345	300	574
TOTAL	8,548	9,757	11,382	12,600	12,648	13,238

*Applies to persons aged 15 and over

Education	1986	1996	2001	2006	2011	2016
Bachelor degree or higher	523	1,146	1,795	2,226	2,592	3,099
Diploma or certificate	3,053	3,286	4,095	5,189	6,139	7,434
No post school qualification	10,681	13,096	13,232	13,307	13,461	12,920
Not stated	2,477	2,241	2,469	3,167	3,149	3,791
TOTAL	16,734	19,769	21,591	23,889	25,093	27,244

*Applies to persons aged 15 and over

Birthplace	1986	1996	2001	2006	2011	2016
Australia	19,162	21,998	23,665	25,172	25,710	25,864
Top 3 overseas birthplaces, 2016						
- United Kingdom:	634	629	597	637	670	641
- Italy:	392	428	448	423	417	380
- New Zealand:	140	147	260	346	313	310
All overseas birthplaces	2,091	2,483	2,823	3,318	3,875	4,048
Birthplace not-stated	329	963	1,511	1,992	2,093	3,265
TOTAL	21,583	25,445	28,000	30,481	31,678	33,177

Family composition	1996	2001	2006	2011	2016
Couple family* with children	2,971	3,077	3,155	3,032	3,081
Couple family* without children	2,481	2,794	3,079	3,249	3,489
One parent family	1,145	1,324	1,556	1,716	1,767
Other family type	91	102	102	133	119
TOTAL	6,688	7,296	7,892	8,130	8,422

*Excludes same sex couple families in 1996 only

Travel to work*	1996	2001	2006	2011	2016
Bicycle	174	153	147	127	86
Bus	62	47	66	46	18
Car as driver	6,107	7,576	8,712	8,710	9,828
Car as passenger	739	832	913	928	972
Motor bike/scooter	76	66	68	94	12
Taxi	22	24	37	21	9
Train	0	3	0	0	0
Tram or ferry	3	6	9	0	0
Walked only	634	493	545	541	429
Other modes	74	196	166	157	75
Multiple modes	99	102	67	64	78
Work from home	458	448	383	375	398
Did not go to work	1,085	1,238	1,238	1,328	1,252
Method of travel not stated	225	200	249	227	187
TOTAL	9,757	11,382	12,600	12,618	13,344

*Applies to persons aged 15 and over

Vehicle ownership*	1986	1996	2001	2006	2011	2016
None	829	1,182	1,095	1,210	1,295	1,039
1 motor vehicle	3,228	4,146	4,292	4,428	4,784	4,896
2 motor vehicles	2,288	3,128	3,689	4,264	4,322	4,519
3 or more motor vehicles	744	785	1,159	1,292	1,426	1,786
Not stated	270	506	620	830	1,131	1,606
TOTAL	7,359	9,747	10,855	12,024	12,958	13,846

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

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	1981*	1986	1991	1996	2001	2006	2011	2016
Dwellings - Number	Number %	Number %	Number %	Number %	Number %	Number %	Number %	Number %
Occupied private dwellings	5,845 94%	7,359 94%	8,712 93%	9,747 92%	10,855 93%	12,024 92%	12,977 91%	13,846 90%
Unoccupied private dwellings	395 6%	470 6%	628 7%	879 8%	853 7%	1,033 8%	1,358 9%	1,462 10%
TOTAL (private dwellings)	6,240 100%	7,829 100%	9,340 100%	10,627 100%	11,708 100%	13,057 100%	14,335 100%	15,308 100%
Dwellings - Type								
Separate house	5,263 84%	6,068 78%	7,236 77%	7,925 75%	8,802 75%	9,890 76%	11,177 78%	12,154 79%
Medium density**	740 12%	1,153 15%	1,578 17%	2,057 19%	2,337 20%	2,807 21%	2,832 20%	3,167 21%
Other dwelling	100 2%	512 7%	467 5%	423 4%	431 4%	360 3%	320 2%	230 2%
Structure not-stated	138 2%	96 1%	59 1%	222 2%	139 1%	0 0%	6 0%	-257 -2%
TOTAL (private dwellings)	6,240 100%	7,829 100%	9,340 100%	10,627 100%	11,708 100%	13,057 100%	14,335 100%	15,308 100%
Dwellings - Tenure								
Fully owned	2,121 36%	2,699 37%	3,297 38%	3,824 39%	4,031 37%	3,637 30%	3,616 28%	3,724 27%
Being purchased	1,818 31%	2,054 28%	1,998 23%	2,215 23%	2,628 24%	3,660 30%	3,754 29%	3,735 27%
Rented - government	288 5%	667 9%	756 9%	651 7%	801 7%	815 7%	780 6%	691 5%
Rented - other	1,216 21%	1,583 22%	2,177 25%	2,614 27%	2,666 25%	3,122 26%	3,663 28%	4,028 29%
Other and not stated	402 7%	356 5%	484 6%	443 5%	730 7%	790 7%	1,144 9%	1,558 11%
TOTAL (occ. private dwellings)	5,845 100%	7,359 100%	8,712 100%	9,747 100%	10,855 100%	12,024 100%	12,957 100%	13,846 100%

*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%	20%	22%	25%	27%	29%	31%	31%
2 persons	30%	33%	34%	35%	35%	35%	34%	35%
3 persons	17%	16%	17%	16%	15%	14%	14%	14%
4 persons	18%	17%	16%	14%	14%	13%	12%	12%
5 or more persons	16%	13%	11%	10%	9%	9%	9%	8%
TOTAL	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Av. household size (persons)	2.92	2.76	2.63	2.51	2.49	2.43	2.36	2.35

Household income	1981	1986	1991	1996	2001	2006	2011	2016
1st quartile (lowest)	32%	32%	34%	33%	32%	33%	36%	35%
2nd quartile	27%	28%	30%	31%	30%	30%	30%	31%
3rd quartile	23%	23%	22%	23%	24%	24%	23%	22%
4th quartile (highest)	18%	16%	14%	14%	14%	13%	11%	12%
Not stated (households)	499	852	1,297	937	1,076	1,188	1,437	1,410
TOTAL (households)	5,567	6,910	8,142	9,050	9,735	10,818	12,440	13,000

The map below shows the changes of boundary in Mildura, Irymple between 2006 and 2016.

