

The Saudi Arabia-Born Community in Victoria – 2016 Census (ranked 60)

Demographic characteristics

At the 2016 Census, there were 4,401 Saudi Arabia-born persons in Victoria (35.0% of Australia’s total), ranked 60th among the overseas-born communities in Victoria. The Saudi Arabia-born increased by 58.5% (1,624) from 2,777 persons in 2011. They are distributed throughout Metropolitan Melbourne, with major concentrations in the LGAs of Darebin (20.8%), Melbourne (11.5%), Whittlesea (9.1%), Kingston (6.4%) and Moreland (6.0%)

The Saudi Arabia-born reflected a very young to adult age profile: 51.2% were aged 25 years and under; 46.9% were aged 26-44; 1.7% were aged 45-64; and 0.3% were aged 65 years and over. The median age was 25 years, compared to 37 years for total Victoria. The gender ratio was 117 males to 100 females, compared to 96 males to 100 females for total Victoria.

There were 1,648 persons identified with Saudi Arabian ancestry. Most of them were born in Saudi Arabia (88.1%) and Australia (7.8%). Only 4.6% of the Saudi Arabia-born in Victoria had arrived in Australia prior to 1996; 2.9% arrived in 1996-2000; 4.7% arrived in 2001-2005; 16.7% arrived in 2006-2010; and 66.3% arrived in 2011-2016.

Most Saudi Arabia-born speak Saudi Arabian (87.7%), Urdu (6.4%) and Malayalam (4.4%); 7.9% speak English only. Of those who speak a language than English at home, 24.0% speak English not well or not at all. Four-fifths (82.3%) of the Saudi Arabia-born are Muslim and 6.0% are Catholic; 3.0% have no religion. One-fifth (21.9%) of Saudi Arabia-born have Australian citizenship, compared to 58.3% for the overseas-born in Victoria.

(See p.3 on economic characteristics).

Saudi Arabia-born in Victoria and Australia: 2016, 2011 and 2006 Census

| Location | 2016 Census | | 2011 Census | | 2006 Census | | Change 2011-2016 | | Change 2006-2011 | |
|---------------------------------|---------------|--------------|---------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|------------------|-------------|------------------|--------------|
| | Persons | % | Persons | % | Persons | % | Persons | % change | Persons | % change |
| Metro Melbourne ^(a) | 4,221 | 33.6 | 2,645 | 25.1 | 844 | 24.2 | 1,576 | 59.6 | 1,801 | 213.4 |
| Rest of Victoria ^(b) | 180 | 1.4 | 135 | 1.3 | 52 | 1.5 | 45 | 33.3 | 83 | 159.6 |
| Total Victoria | 4,401 | 35.0 | 2,777 | 26.4 | 895 | 25.7 | 1,624 | 58.5 | 1,882 | 210.3 |
| Total Australia | 12,580 | 100.0 | 10,517 | 100.0 | 3,482 | 100.0 | 2,063 | 19.6 | 7,035 | 202.0 |

^(a) Metro Melbourne is equivalent to ABS's Greater Capital Statistical Area.

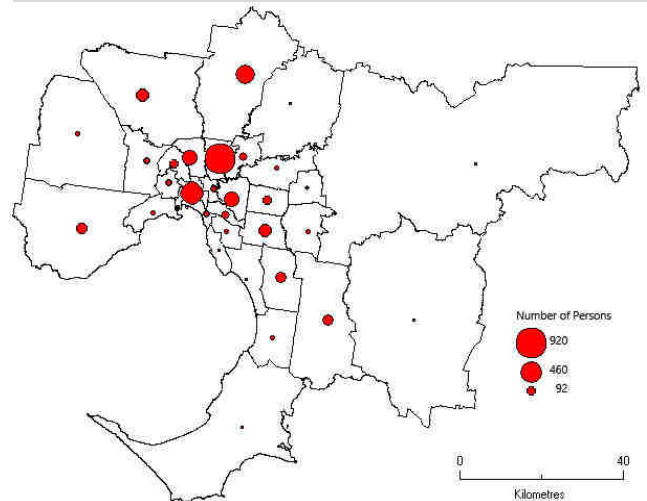
^(b) Includes "No Usual Address, Victoria" and "Offshore Areas and Migratory, Victoria".

Distribution of Saudi Arabia-born, Top 5 LGAs: 2016 Census

| Local Government Area (LGA) | 2016 Census | | 2011 Census | | Rank in 2011 |
|--------------------------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| | Persons | % | Persons | % | |
| Darebin (C) | 916 | 20.8 | 474 | 17.1 | 1 |
| Melbourne (C) | 505 | 11.5 | 448 | 16.1 | 2 |
| Whittlesea (C) | 399 | 9.1 | 181 | 6.5 | 4 |
| Kingston (C) | 281 | 6.4 | 113 | 4.1 | 6 |
| Moreland (C) | 265 | 6.0 | 315 | 11.3 | 3 |
| Rest of Melbourne | 1,863 | 42.3 | 1,099 | 39.6 | - |
| Rest of Reg Vic ^(a) | 190 | 4.3 | 122 | 4.4 | - |
| Total Victoria | 4,401 | 100.0 | 2,777 | 100.0 | - |

^(a) Includes "Unincorporated Vic" and "No Usual Address Vic".

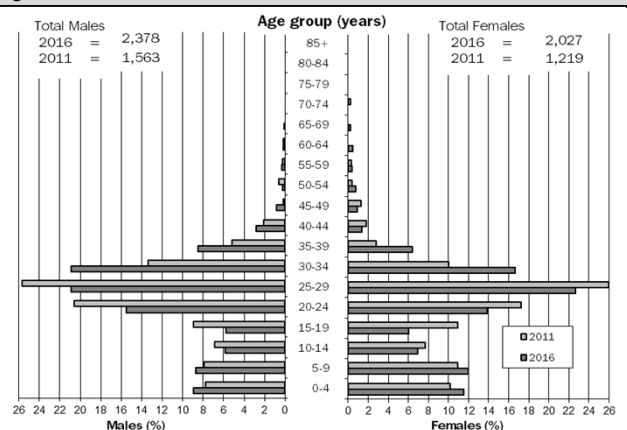
Distribution of Saudi Arabia-born in Metro Melbourne, 2016



Age Distribution of Saudi Arabia-born: 2016, 2011 Census

| Age group (years) | 2016 Census | | 2011 Census | | 2011-16 % change |
|-----------------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|-----------------------|
| | Persons | % | Persons | % | |
| 0-4 | 442 | 10.0 | 243 | 8.8 | 81.9 |
| 5-11 | 589 | 13.4 | 352 | 12.7 | 67.3 |
| 12-18 | 338 | 7.7 | 314 | 11.3 | 7.6 |
| 19-25 | 886 | 20.1 | 750 | 27.0 | 18.1 |
| 26-44 | 2,064 | 46.9 | 1,068 | 38.5 | 93.3 |
| 45-54 | 57 | 1.3 | 33 | 1.2 | 72.7 |
| 55-64 | 19 | 0.4 | 11 | 0.4 | 72.7 |
| 65-74 | 9 | 0.2 | 3 | 0.1 | 200.0 |
| 75+ | 3 | 0.1 | 3 | 0.1 | - |
| Total Victoria | 4,401 | 100.0 | 2,777 | 100.0 | 58.5 |
| Median Age | 25 | | 23 | | |
| Sex Ratio | 117 | | 128 | | males per 100 females |

Age and Gender Distribution of Saudi Arabia-born, Victoria, 2016



Top 5 Countries of Birth of Persons with Saudi Arabian Ancestry: 2016, 2011

| Country of birth | 2016 | | 2011 | | 2011-16 % change |
|--------------------------------------|--------------|--------------|------------|--------------|---------------------|
| | Persons | % | Persons | % | |
| Saudi Arabia | 1,452 | 88.1 | 873 | 90.9 | 66.3 |
| USA | 12 | 0.7 | 7 | 0.7 | 71.4 |
| England | 7 | 0.4 | - | - | - |
| Egypt | 7 | 0.4 | 4 | 0.4 | 75.0 |
| Sudan | 4 | 0.2 | - | - | - |
| Australia | 128 | 7.8 | 57 | 5.9 | 124.6 |
| Other ^(a) | 25 | 1.5 | 19 | 2.0 | 31.6 |
| Total responses^(b) | 1,648 | 100.0 | 960 | 100.0 | 71.7 |

^(a) Includes all other countries, and birthplace not stated.

^(b) Respondents have option of nominating several ancestries; only the 1st two responses were coded. This is the total of both 1st & 2nd responses.

This table is based on the ancestry with the most responses for Saudi Arabia-born persons.

Top 5 Languages Spoken at Home, Saudi Arabia-born: 2016, 2011

| Language other than English | 2016 | | 2011 | | 2011-16 % change |
|--------------------------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|---------------------|
| | Persons | % | Persons | % | |
| Arabic | 3,304 | 75.1 | 2,116 | 76.2 | 56.1 |
| Urdu | 280 | 6.4 | 90 | 3.2 | 211.1 |
| Malayalam | 193 | 4.4 | 128 | 4.6 | 50.8 |
| Tagalog | 41 | 0.9 | 22 | 0.8 | 86.4 |
| Hindi | 26 | 0.6 | 13 | 0.5 | 100.0 |
| Other languages ^(a) | 178 | 4.0 | 150 | 5.4 | 18.7 |
| English only | 346 | 7.9 | 238 | 8.6 | 45.4 |
| Not stated | 17 | 0.4 | 20 | 0.7 | -15.0 |
| Total Victoria | 4,401 | 100.0 | 2,777 | 100.0 | 58.5 |

^(a) Includes "Inadequately described" and "Non-verbal, so described".

Top 5 Religious affiliation, Saudi Arabia-born: 2016, 2011

| Religious affiliation ^(a) | 2016 | | 2011 | | 2011-16 % change |
|--------------------------------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|---------------------|
| | Persons | % | Persons | % | |
| Islam | 3,622 | 82.3 | 2,294 | 82.6 | 57.9 |
| Catholic | 263 | 6.0 | 211 | 7.6 | 24.6 |
| Oriental Orthodox | 58 | 1.3 | 23 | 0.8 | 152.2 |
| Pentecostal | 33 | 0.7 | 22 | 0.8 | 50.0 |
| Anglican | 31 | 0.7 | 19 | 0.7 | 63.2 |
| Other religions | 122 | 2.8 | 114 | 4.1 | 7.0 |
| No religion ^(b) | 131 | 3.0 | 58 | 2.1 | 125.9 |
| Not stated | 140 | 3.2 | 36 | 1.3 | 288.9 |
| Total Victoria | 4,401 | 100.0 | 2,777 | 100.0 | 58.5 |

^(a) Religion based on 3 digit level of classification.

^(b) No Religion, so described.

Year of Arrival of Saudi Arabia-born: 2016

| Year of arrival ^(a) | Saudi Arabia-born | | Total OSB, Vic ^(c) | |
|--------------------------------|-------------------|--------------|-------------------------------|--------------|
| | Persons | % | Persons | % |
| Before 1996 | 203 | 4.6 | 716,865 | 42.7 |
| 1996 - 2000 | 127 | 2.9 | 104,975 | 6.2 |
| 2001 - 2005 | 208 | 4.7 | 149,043 | 8.9 |
| 2006 - 2010 | 733 | 16.7 | 269,729 | 16.1 |
| 2011 - 2016 ^(b) | 2,919 | 66.3 | 381,130 | 22.7 |
| Not stated | 207 | 4.7 | 58,517 | 3.5 |
| Total Victoria | 4,401 | 100.0 | 1,680,256 | 100.0 |

^(a) Records the year of arrival in Australia for people born overseas

who intend staying in Australia for at least one year.

^(b) Arrivals up to 9 Aug 2016.

^(c) OSB stands for Overseas-born.

Proficiency in English of Saudi Arabia-born: 2016, 2011

| Proficiency in English | 2016 | | 2011 | | 2011-16 % change |
|--|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|---------------------|
| | Persons | % | Persons | % | |
| Speaks English only | 346 | 7.9 | 238 | 8.6 | 45.4 |
| <i>Speaks other languages and speaks English</i> | | | | | |
| Very well | 1,568 | 35.6 | 910 | 32.8 | 72.3 |
| Well | 1,400 | 31.8 | 1,007 | 36.3 | 39.0 |
| Not well | 729 | 16.6 | 407 | 14.7 | 79.1 |
| Not at all | 324 | 7.4 | 186 | 6.7 | 74.2 |
| Not stated ^(a) | 33 | 0.7 | 26 | 0.9 | 26.9 |
| Total Victoria | 4,401 | 100.0 | 2,777 | 100.0 | 58.5 |

^(a) Includes those who did not state a language and/or proficiency in English.

Saudi Arabia-born with Australian Citizenship by Age: 2016, 2011

| Age group (years) | 2016 | | 2011 | | 2011-16 % change |
|---|------------|--------------|------------|--------------|---------------------|
| | Persons | % | Persons | % | |
| 0-4 | 20 | 2.1 | 7 | 1.1 | 185.7 |
| 5-11 | 94 | 9.7 | 74 | 11.6 | 27.0 |
| 12-18 | 191 | 19.8 | 186 | 29.1 | 2.7 |
| 19-25 | 229 | 23.7 | 139 | 21.8 | 64.7 |
| 26-44 | 392 | 40.6 | 199 | 31.1 | 97.0 |
| 45-64 | 36 | 3.7 | 27 | 4.2 | 33.3 |
| 65-74 | 3 | 0.3 | 3 | 0.5 | - |
| 75+ | 3 | 0.3 | - | - | - |
| Total | 966 | 100.0 | 639 | 100.0 | 51.2 |
| % of Saudi Arabia-born with Australian citizenship, 2016: | | | | | 21.9% |
| % of Overseas-born with Australian citizenship, 2016: | | | | | 58.3% |

Economic characteristics

The education levels of the Saudi Arabia-born are higher than for total Victoria: 13.7% have a postgraduate degree; 35.9% have a bachelor degree; and 9.5% have an advanced diploma or diploma, compared to 5.4%, 16.5% and 9.2% for total Victoria.

The labour force participation rate of the Saudi Arabia-born at 26.8% is significantly lower than that of total Victoria at 60.5%. The unemployment rate for the Saudi Arabia-born at 21.1% is higher than total Victoria at 6.6%.

The occupational patterns of the Saudi Arabia-born are different from those for total Victoria. Less of the Saudi Arabia-born are managers (6.7%), technicians and trades workers (7.0%) and clerical & administrative workers (9.7%), compared to 13.5%, 13.1% and 13.3% for Victoria. More of them work as professionals (39.1%), community & personal service workers (12.0%) and sales workers (11.9%), compared to 23.3%, 10.6% and 9.7% for Victoria.

The industry of employment patterns of the Saudi Arabia-born are fairly similar to total Victoria, with some exceptions. More of them are employed in wholesale and retail trade (15.0%) and healthcare and social assistance (20.1%), compared to 13.4% and 12.5% for Victoria. Less of them are employed in manufacturing (4.8%) and construction (2.5%), compared to 7.8% and 8.3% for Victoria.

The weekly personal income distribution pattern for the Saudi Arabia-born is lower than for total Victoria. More of the Saudi Arabia-born receive nil income (19.6%), \$400-\$799 (31.0%) and \$1,250-\$1,999 (16.2%), compared to 9.7%, 20.1% and 13.6% for Victoria. Less of them receive \$1-\$399 (13.4%), \$800-\$1,249 (12.5%) and \$2,000 or more (3.7%), compared to 20.1%, 16.7% and 7.5% for Victoria.

Highest level of educational attainment, Saudi Arabia-born and Total Victoria: 2016, 2011

| Highest level of educational attainment ^(a) | Saudi Arabia-born | | | | | | Total Victoria | | | | | |
|--|-------------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|------------------|-------------|------------------|--------------|------------------|--------------|------------------|-------------|
| | 2016 | | 2011 | | Change 2011-2016 | | 2016 | | 2011 | | Change 2011-2016 | |
| | Persons | % | Persons | % | Persons | % change | Persons | % | Persons | % | Persons | % change |
| Postgraduate Degree | 440 | 13.7 | 220 | 10.6 | 220 | 100.0 | 260,039 | 5.4 | 170,382 | 3.9 | 89,657 | 52.6 |
| Grad Dip & Grad Cert | 35 | 1.1 | 14 | 0.7 | 21 | 150.0 | 119,226 | 2.5 | 95,352 | 2.2 | 23,874 | 25.0 |
| Bachelor Degree | 1,156 | 35.9 | 565 | 27.3 | 591 | 104.6 | 798,270 | 16.5 | 641,219 | 14.7 | 157,051 | 24.5 |
| Advanced Dip & Diploma | 305 | 9.5 | 208 | 10.0 | 97 | 46.6 | 447,023 | 9.2 | 364,758 | 8.4 | 82,265 | 22.6 |
| Certificate | 60 | 1.9 | 49 | 2.4 | 11 | 22.4 | 698,036 | 14.4 | 614,689 | 14.1 | 83,347 | 13.6 |
| School Education only ^(b) | 1,074 | 33.3 | 861 | 41.5 | 213 | 24.7 | 1,877,183 | 38.7 | 1,876,620 | 43.1 | 563 | 0.0 |
| No Educ Attainment ^(c) | 26 | 0.8 | 13 | 0.6 | 13 | 100.0 | 48,920 | 1.0 | 41,809 | 1.0 | 7,111 | 17.0 |
| Not stated etc ^(d) | 136 | 4.2 | 136 | 6.6 | - | - | 597,010 | 12.3 | 550,419 | 12.6 | 46,591 | 8.5 |
| Victoria | 3,222 | 100.0 | 2,073 | 100.0 | 1,149 | 55.4 | 4,845,710 | 100.0 | 4,355,243 | 100.0 | 490,467 | 11.3 |

^(a)This variable is applicable to persons aged 15 years and over.

^(b)Includes persons who completed school to between Year 8 or below, and Year 12 level.

^(c)Includes persons whose qualification is out of scope of this variable.

^(d)Includes "Inadequately described".

Labour force participation, Saudi Arabia-born and Total Victoria: 2016, 2011

| Labour force participation ^(a) | Saudi Arabia-born | | | | | | Total Victoria | | | | | |
|---|-------------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|------------------|-------------|------------------|--------------|------------------|--------------|------------------|-------------|
| | 2016 | | 2011 | | Change 2011-2016 | | 2016 | | 2011 | | Change 2011-2016 | |
| | Persons | % | Persons | % | Persons | % change | Persons | % | Persons | % | Persons | % change |
| <i>In the labour force</i> | 864 | 19.6 | 431 | 15.5 | 433 | 100.5 | 2,929,590 | 49.4 | 2,675,478 | 50.0 | 254,112 | 9.5 |
| Employed | 682 | 15.5 | 347 | 12.5 | 335 | 96.5 | 2,736,125 | 46.2 | 2,530,635 | 47.3 | 205,490 | 8.1 |
| Unemployed | 182 | 4.1 | 84 | 3.0 | 98 | 116.7 | 193,465 | 3.3 | 144,843 | 2.7 | 48,622 | 33.6 |
| <i>Not in the labour force</i> | 2,351 | 53.4 | 1,636 | 58.9 | 715 | 43.7 | 1,610,130 | 27.2 | 1,451,593 | 27.1 | 158,537 | 10.9 |
| <i>Not stated</i> | 9 | 0.2 | 16 | 0.6 | -7 | -43.8 | 305,978 | 5.2 | 228,176 | 4.3 | 77,802 | 34.1 |
| <i>Not applicable</i> ^(b) | 1,180 | 26.8 | 705 | 25.4 | 475 | 67.4 | 1,080,919 | 18.2 | 998,793 | 18.7 | 82,126 | 8.2 |
| Victoria | 4,401 | 100.0 | 2,777 | 100.0 | 1,624 | 58.5 | 5,926,624 | 100.0 | 5,354,039 | 100.0 | 572,585 | 10.7 |
| <i>Participation rate</i> ^(c) | 26.8% | | 20.8% | | | | 60.5% | | 61.4% | | | |
| <i>Unemployment rate</i> ^(d) | 21.1% | | 19.5% | | | | 6.6% | | 5.4% | | | |

^(a)This variable is applicable to persons 15 years and over.

^(b)Persons aged under 15 years.

^(c)The participation rate represents the labour force (total employed and unemployed who are actively looking for work) expressed as a % of the civilian population aged 15 years and over, in the same age group.

^(d)The unemployment rate represents the number of unemployed persons expressed as a % of the labour force.

Occupation, Saudi Arabia-born and Total Victoria: 2016, 2011

| Occupation ^(a) | Saudi Arabia-born | | | | | | Total Victoria | | | | | |
|-----------------------------------|-------------------|--------------|------------|--------------|------------------|-------------|------------------|--------------|------------------|--------------|------------------|------------|
| | 2016 | | 2011 | | Change 2011-2016 | | 2016 | | 2011 | | Change 2011-2016 | |
| | Persons | % | Persons | % | Persons | % | Persons | % | Persons | % | Persons | % |
| Managers | 46 | 6.7 | 28 | 8.1 | 18 | 64.3 | 369,921 | 13.5 | 332,931 | 13.2 | 36,990 | 11.1 |
| Professionals | 267 | 39.1 | 130 | 37.5 | 137 | 105.4 | 636,220 | 23.3 | 564,779 | 22.3 | 71,441 | 12.6 |
| Technicians and trades workers | 48 | 7.0 | 31 | 8.9 | 17 | 54.8 | 358,749 | 13.1 | 350,757 | 13.9 | 7,992 | 2.3 |
| Community&personal serv. wkrs | 82 | 12.0 | 32 | 9.2 | 50 | 156.3 | 289,348 | 10.6 | 234,380 | 9.3 | 54,968 | 23.5 |
| Clerical & administrative workers | 66 | 9.7 | 38 | 11.0 | 28 | 73.7 | 363,216 | 13.3 | 364,497 | 14.4 | -1,281 | -0.4 |
| Sales workers | 81 | 11.9 | 51 | 14.7 | 30 | 58.8 | 265,142 | 9.7 | 245,335 | 9.7 | 19,807 | 8.1 |
| Machinery operators & drivers | 28 | 4.1 | 3 | 0.9 | 25 | 833.3 | 159,193 | 5.8 | 154,542 | 6.1 | 4,651 | 3.0 |
| Labourers | 42 | 6.2 | 22 | 6.3 | 20 | 90.9 | 247,428 | 9.0 | 227,184 | 9.0 | 20,244 | 8.9 |
| Not stated ^(b) | 14 | 2.1 | 11 | 3.2 | 3 | 27.3 | 46,924 | 1.7 | 56,224 | 2.2 | -9,300 | -16.5 |
| Victoria | 682 | 100.0 | 347 | 100.0 | 335 | 96.5 | 2,736,125 | 100.0 | 2,530,635 | 100.0 | 205,490 | 8.1 |

^(a)This variable is applicable to employed persons aged 15 years and over.

^(b)Includes "Inadequately described".

Industry of Employment, Saudi Arabia-born and Total Victoria: 2016, 2011

| Industry of employment ^(a) | Saudi Arabia-born | | | | | | Total Victoria | | | | | |
|---------------------------------------|-------------------|--------------|------------|--------------|------------------|-------------|------------------|--------------|------------------|--------------|------------------|------------|
| | 2016 | | 2011 | | Change 2011-2016 | | 2016 | | 2011 | | Change 2011-2016 | |
| | Persons | % | Persons | % | Persons | % | Persons | % | Persons | % | Persons | % |
| Agri, forestry, fishing & mining | - | - | - | - | - | - | 70,052 | 2.6 | 66,176 | 2.6 | 3,876 | 5.9 |
| Manufacturing | 33 | 4.8 | 25 | 7.2 | 8 | 32.0 | 212,723 | 7.8 | 271,051 | 10.7 | -58,328 | -21.5 |
| Electr, gas, water & waste | 10 | 1.5 | 3 | 0.9 | 7 | 233.3 | 30,808 | 1.1 | 27,630 | 1.1 | 3,178 | 11.5 |
| Construction | 17 | 2.5 | 8 | 2.3 | 9 | 112.5 | 228,149 | 8.3 | 210,972 | 8.3 | 17,177 | 8.1 |
| Wholesale & retail trade | 102 | 15.0 | 53 | 15.3 | 49 | 92.5 | 367,953 | 13.4 | 387,813 | 15.3 | -19,860 | -5.1 |
| Accommod & Food services | 55 | 8.1 | 30 | 8.6 | 25 | 83.3 | 180,825 | 6.6 | 153,898 | 6.1 | 26,927 | 17.5 |
| Transp, postal & warehousing | 37 | 5.4 | 14 | 4.0 | 23 | 164.3 | 130,069 | 4.8 | 118,214 | 4.7 | 11,855 | 10.0 |
| Information, Media & Telecomm | 25 | 3.7 | 16 | 4.6 | 9 | 56.3 | 52,200 | 1.9 | 50,091 | 2.0 | 2,109 | 4.2 |
| Finance & Insurance | 35 | 5.1 | 15 | 4.3 | 20 | 133.3 | 106,669 | 3.9 | 104,701 | 4.1 | 1,968 | 1.9 |
| Rental, Hiring & Real Estate | 3 | 0.4 | - | - | 3 | - | 43,013 | 1.6 | 35,046 | 1.4 | 7,967 | 22.7 |
| Prof, Scientific, Tech & Admin | 88 | 12.9 | 66 | 19.0 | 22 | 33.3 | 310,711 | 11.4 | 279,422 | 11.0 | 31,289 | 11.2 |
| Public Admin & Safety | 21 | 3.1 | 8 | 2.3 | 13 | 162.5 | 144,321 | 5.3 | 134,949 | 5.3 | 9,372 | 6.9 |
| Education & Training | 62 | 9.1 | 28 | 8.1 | 34 | 121.4 | 236,276 | 8.6 | 202,317 | 8.0 | 33,959 | 16.8 |
| Health Care & Soc Assistance | 137 | 20.1 | 61 | 17.6 | 76 | 124.6 | 341,999 | 12.5 | 292,417 | 11.6 | 49,582 | 17.0 |
| Arts, Recreation & Other serv | 26 | 3.8 | 10 | 2.9 | 16 | 160.0 | 151,019 | 5.5 | 134,750 | 5.3 | 16,269 | 12.1 |
| Inadeq Described/Not Stated | 27 | 4.0 | 12 | 3.5 | 15 | 125.0 | 129,326 | 4.7 | 61,173 | 2.4 | 68,153 | 111.4 |
| Victoria | 682 | 100.0 | 347 | 100.0 | 335 | 96.5 | 2,736,125 | 100.0 | 2,530,635 | 100.0 | 205,490 | 8.1 |

^(a)This variable is applicable to employed persons aged 15 and over.

Total Personal Income (Weekly), Saudi Arabia-born and Total Victoria: 2016, 2011

| Total personal income, weekly ^(a) | Saudi Arabia-born | | | | | | Total Victoria | | | | | |
|--|-------------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|------------------|-------------|------------------|--------------|------------------|--------------|------------------|-------------|
| | 2016 | | 2011 | | Change 2011-2016 | | 2016 | | 2011 | | Change 2011-2016 | |
| | Persons | % | Persons | % | Persons | % | Persons | % | Persons | % | Persons | % |
| Negative income | 49 | 1.5 | 43 | 2.1 | 6 | 14.0 | 27,122 | 0.6 | 26,342 | 0.6 | 780 | 3.0 |
| Nil income | 632 | 19.6 | 394 | 19.0 | 238 | 60.4 | 467,934 | 9.7 | 351,430 | 8.1 | 116,504 | 33.2 |
| \$1-399 | 431 | 13.4 | 376 | 18.1 | 55 | 14.6 | 975,345 | 20.1 | 1,224,693 | 28.1 | -249,348 | -20.4 |
| \$400-\$799 | 998 | 31.0 | 622 | 30.0 | 376 | 60.5 | 1,118,244 | 23.1 | 964,124 | 22.1 | 154,120 | 16.0 |
| \$800-\$1,249 | 404 | 12.5 | 369 | 17.8 | 35 | 9.5 | 811,256 | 16.7 | 715,662 | 16.4 | 95,594 | 13.4 |
| \$1,250-\$1,999 | 521 | 16.2 | 162 | 7.8 | 359 | 221.6 | 658,020 | 13.6 | 491,972 | 11.3 | 166,048 | 33.8 |
| \$2,000 or more | 119 | 3.7 | 41 | 2.0 | 78 | 190.2 | 364,675 | 7.5 | 246,379 | 5.7 | 118,296 | 48.0 |
| Not stated | 73 | 2.3 | 74 | 3.6 | -1 | -1.4 | 423,108 | 8.7 | 334,649 | 7.7 | 88,459 | 26.4 |
| Victoria | 3,222 | 100.0 | 2,073 | 100.0 | 1,149 | 55.4 | 4,845,710 | 100.0 | 4,355,243 | 100.0 | 490,467 | 11.3 |

^(a)Applicable to persons aged 15 years and over.

This fact sheet is available for free download at www.multicultural.vic.gov.au, which also contains the Community Profiles series for birthplace groups, with more detailed tables on a wider range of demographic and socio-economic data.

Source of data: Australian Bureau of Statistics, *Census of Population and Housing, 2016, 2011, 2006*.