



Cultural and Language Diversity Fact Sheet



Townsville			Australia	
	186,808	Population	23.4 million	
	50.0 : 50.0	Male : Female %	49.3 : 50.7	
	34	Median Age	38	
	80,002	Private dwellings	9.9 million	
	2.6	People per household	2.6	
	47,656	Families	6.1 million	
				
Religion %				
No Religion	28.4		No Religion	29.6
Catholic	26.5		Catholic	22.6
Anglican	15.2		Anglican	13.3
Uniting Church	5.1		Uniting Church	3.7
Presbyterian and Reformed	3.1		Christianity, nfd	2.6
Ancestry %				
Australian	28.5		English	25.0
English	27.4		Australian	23.3
Irish	9.3		Irish	7.6
Scottish	7.5		Scottish	6.4
German	4.0		Chinese	3.9
Italian	0.4		Mandarin	2.5
Tagalog	0.4		Arabic	1.4
Mandarin	0.3		Cantonese	1.2
Malayalam	0.3		Vietnamese	1.2
German	0.3		Italian	1.2
Language other than English spoken at home %				
<i>Australia</i>	78.6		<i>Australia</i>	66.7
England	2.6		England	3.9
New Zealand	2.3		New Zealand	2.2
Philippines	0.9		China	2.2
India	0.7		India	1.9
South Africa	0.5		Philippines	1.0
Country of birth %				
Townsville		Australia		
\$1,424	Median weekly household income	\$1,438	Owned outright	22.8 % Townsville 31.0 % Australia
\$300	Median weekly rent	\$335	Owned with a mortgage	35.2 % Townsville 34.5 % Australia
\$1,733	Median monthly mortgage	\$1,755	Rented	38.6 % Townsville 30.9 % Australia
10.4%	Unpaid care to a person with a disability (last 2 weeks)	11.3%		
18.4%	Voluntary work (last 12 months)	19.0%		
83.4%	Internet accessed from dwelling	83.2%		
*People values are based on a person's place of usual residence.				