

**Web Table 1 Comparison of 1986 and 2001 ancestry responses of Australian-born people aged 0-14 years in 1986 (15-29 in 2001)<sup>a</sup>**

Ancestry	Australian-born		
	Expected 2001 ancestry <sup>b</sup>	Actual 2001 Census count	Ratio of actual to expected ancestry
Serbian	1,730	12,982	7.50
Irish	142,460	353,651	2.48
South African	1,954	3,432	1.76
Croatian	11,540	19,687	1.71
German	87,660	137,979	1.57
Macedonian	10,212	16,050	1.57
Australian	1,010,071	1,436,804	1.42
Slovenian	1,276	1,815	1.42
Sinhalese	2,847	3,529	1.24
Italian	126,372	153,649	1.22
Chinese	28,929	34,787	1.20
Lebanese	28,387	32,871	1.16
Chilean	1,857	2,140	1.15
New Zealander	11,432	13,161	1.15
Canadian	2,430	2,787	1.15
Albanian	1,555	1,695	1.09
Maori	4,330	4,654	1.07
Dutch	50,105	53,851	1.07
Vietnamese	7,468	7,946	1.06
Russian	6,902	7,319	1.06
Ukrainian	4,950	5,242	1.06
Latvian	2,659	2,814	1.06
Hungarian	8,841	9,134	1.03
Austrian	5,181	5,298	1.02
Lithuanian	1,541	1,554	1.01
Maltese	29,667	29,879	1.01
Filipino	7,041	6,953	0.99
Greek	69,894	68,682	0.98
Polish	22,966	22,560	0.98
Portuguese	4,658	4,460	0.96
Finnish	3,357	3,210	0.96
English	1,163,984	1,080,397	0.93
Turkish	8,870	8,126	0.92
Norwegian	2,555	2,285	0.89
Swiss	3,262	2,826	0.87
Spanish	11,322	9,655	0.85
Scottish	103,213	85,132	0.82
Swedish	3,878	3,103	0.80
American	7,778	6,041	0.78
Armenian	2,528	1,908	0.75
Welsh	15,716	11,740	0.75
Indian	12,673	9,379	0.74
Danish	7,286	5,148	0.71
French	16,779	11,449	0.68
Czech	3,184	1,989	0.62
Torres Strait Islander	4,519	2,547	0.56
Jewish	5,316	2,065	0.39
Australian Aboriginal	71,156	26,092	0.37
British	58,174	1,742	0.03

a. Selected ancestry groups with more than 1000 in 1986 and 2001. Numbers include 1st and 2nd ancestries.

b. Based on survival of 1986 ancestry groups adjusted for emigration/non-enumeration in 2001.

**Web Table 2 Comparison of 1986 and 2001 ancestry responses of overseas-born people aged 0-14 years in 1986 (15-29 in 2001)<sup>a</sup>**

Ancestry	Overseas-born		
	Expected 2001 ancestry <sup>b</sup>	Actual 2001 Census count <sup>c</sup>	Ratio of actual to expected ancestry
Irish	4,692	10,584	2.26
German	3,180	4,815	1.51
Australian	9,761	14,770	1.51
Italian	2,203	3,006	1.36
South African	1,871	2,335	1.25
Lebanese	2,607	3,169	1.22
Chinese	14,250	16,610	1.17
Vietnamese	9,208	10,310	1.12
Welsh	1,005	1,121	1.12
Chilean	1,426	1,581	1.11
Polish	3,121	3,432	1.10
Dutch	2,451	2,684	1.10
Filipino	3,394	3,704	1.09
Sinhalese	1,589	1,700	1.07
Turkish	1,317	1,404	1.07
Scottish	5,012	5,244	1.05
English	41,117	42,251	1.03
Khmer	1,881	1,893	1.01
Portuguese	1,506	1,481	0.98
Maori	2,591	2,532	0.98
Korean	1,524	1,468	0.96
Greek	2,250	2,160	0.96
Indian	4,094	3,628	0.89
Spanish	2,781	2,409	0.87
French	1,429	1,127	0.79
New Zealander	5,596	3,757	0.67
British	3,470	243	0.07

a. Ancestry groups with more than 1000 in 1986 and 2001. Numbers include 1st and 2nd ancestries.

b. Based on survival of 1986 ancestry groups adjusted for emigration/non-enumeration in 2001.

c. Overseas-born who arrived before 1986.

**Web Table 3 Comparison of 1986 and 2001 ancestry responses of Australian-born people aged 15-29 years in 1986 (30-44 in 2001)<sup>a</sup>**

Ancestry	Australian-born		
	Expected 2001 ancestry <sup>b</sup>	Actual 2001 Census count	Ratio of actual to expected ancestry
Serbian	748	9,448	12.63
Croatian	6,038	13,107	2.17
Slovenian	1,491	3,124	2.10
Irish	211,709	390,388	1.84
Australian	814,612	1,364,106	1.67
Macedonian	4,189	5,812	1.39
Chinese	10,391	13,971	1.34
German	123,002	157,767	1.28
New Zealander	4,819	5,822	1.21
Estonian	1,319	1,516	1.15
Italian	147,227	168,149	1.14
Latvian	3,436	3,780	1.10
Ukrainian	4,409	4,813	1.09
Maori	1,424	1,545	1.08
Lithuanian	2,013	2,180	1.08
Dutch	51,224	54,681	1.07
Lebanese	9,504	10,110	1.06
Hungarian	9,537	10,046	1.05
Maltese	26,206	26,941	1.03
Greek	73,497	73,621	1.00
Russian	7,206	7,049	0.98
Polish	19,975	19,495	0.98
Turkish	1,181	1,150	0.97
Austrian	7,558	7,255	0.96
Canadian	1,428	1,364	0.96
Finnish	2,235	2,020	0.90
English	1,242,613	1,076,742	0.87
Swiss	3,628	2,562	0.71
Norwegian	4,209	2,853	0.68
Indian	4,139	2,770	0.67
Scottish	163,375	98,747	0.60
Danish	10,376	6,248	0.60
Czech	3,336	1,991	0.60
Spanish	9,643	5,547	0.58
Swedish	6,400	3,663	0.57
Torres Strait Islander	3,059	1,720	0.56
Welsh	25,629	13,265	0.52
American	4,898	2,474	0.51
French	24,211	10,929	0.45
Jewish	4,458	1,626	0.36
Australian Aboriginal	55,194	19,403	0.35
British	53,005	1,265	0.02

a. Selected ancestry groups with more than 1000 in 1986 and 2001. Numbers include 1st and 2nd ancestries.

b. Based on survival of 1986 ancestry groups adjusted for emigration/non-enumeration in 2001.

**Web Table 4 Comparison of 1986 and 2001 ancestry responses of overseas-born people aged 15-29 years in 1986 (30-44 in 2001)<sup>a</sup>**

Ancestry	Overseas-born		
	Expected 2001 ancestry <sup>b</sup>	Actual 2001 Census count <sup>c</sup>	Ratio of actual to expected ancestry
Serbian	792	6,967	8.80
Croatian	3,968	7,992	2.01
Macedonian	4,189	8,070	1.93
Australian	10,535	20,226	1.92
Irish	20,668	38,005	1.84
Mauritian	1,404	2,206	1.57
South African	2,809	3,623	1.29
German	12,767	15,729	1.23
Lebanese	12,175	14,261	1.17
Italian	21,970	25,546	1.16
Hungarian	2,723	3,118	1.15
Filipino	6,103	6,965	1.14
English	179,380	201,361	1.12
Finnish	1,612	1,725	1.07
Sinhalese	3,155	3,321	1.05
Welsh	5,449	5,732	1.05
Russian	2,069	2,164	1.05
Assyrian	1,399	1,460	1.04
Chilean	2,628	2,728	1.04
Dutch	9,499	9,815	1.03
Turkish	7,807	8,007	1.03
Egyptian	2,087	2,137	1.02
Greek	16,342	16,641	1.02
Burmese	1,171	1,185	1.01
Vietnamese	18,357	18,450	1.01
Maltese	5,416	5,425	1.00
Portuguese	4,522	4,502	1.00
Canadian	1,440	1,407	0.98
Polish	5,982	5,841	0.98
Khmer	2,321	2,236	0.96
Austrian	1,635	1,564	0.96
Armenian	1,721	1,646	0.96
Scottish	25,787	24,619	0.95
Tongan	1,189	1,134	0.95
Spanish	8,453	8,004	0.95
Iranian	1,206	1,138	0.94
Maori	6,082	5,640	0.93
Lao	1,720	1,592	0.93
Chinese	39,141	33,934	0.87
Thai	1,033	893	0.86
Danish	2,070	1,770	0.86
Fijian	1,313	1,086	0.83
Korean	1,978	1,636	0.83
French	6,958	5,526	0.79
Indian	11,723	9,009	0.77
Swiss	1,448	1,099	0.76
Indonesian	1,895	1,414	0.75
Swedish	1,455	1,012	0.70
New Zealander	15,885	10,927	0.69
Czech	1,499	1,004	0.67
American	4,484	2,090	0.47
Malayan	2,833	1,296	0.46
British	12,076	831	0.07

a. Ancestry groups with more than 1000 in 1986 and 2001. Numbers include 1st and 2nd ancestries.

b. Based on survival of 1986 ancestry groups adjusted for emigration/non-enumeration in 2001.

c. Overseas-born who arrived before 1986.

**Web Table 5 Comparison of 1986 and 2001 ancestry responses of Australian-born people aged 30-44 years in 1986 (45-59 in 2001)<sup>a</sup>**

Ancestry	Australian-born		
	Expected 2001 ancestry <sup>b</sup>	Actual 2001 Census count	Ratio of actual to expected ancestry
Serbian	164	3,311	20.19
Croatian	333	1,778	5.34
Irish	177,079	340,788	1.92
Australian	635,964	1,063,451	1.67
Chinese	5,207	7,328	1.41
German	86,221	113,008	1.31
Italian	37,229	43,735	1.17
Ukrainian	3,652	4,177	1.14
Lithuanian	1,312	1,442	1.10
New Zealander	2,614	2,862	1.09
Lebanese	2,424	2,643	1.09
Hungarian	2,473	2,677	1.08
Latvian	2,118	2,291	1.08
Greek	12,003	12,425	1.04
Polish	15,482	15,451	1.00
Austrian	2,089	2,064	0.99
Russian	4,834	4,758	0.98
Maltese	5,710	5,474	0.96
Dutch	11,527	10,918	0.95
English	1,088,192	961,932	0.88
Norwegian	3,511	2,443	0.70
Swiss	2,501	1,730	0.69
Torres Strait Islander	1,521	1,037	0.68
Danish	9,467	5,919	0.63
Swedish	5,456	3,402	0.62
American	3,913	2,351	0.60
Scottish	132,839	78,888	0.59
Welsh	21,730	10,698	0.49
French	18,221	8,041	0.44
Spanish	5,464	2,338	0.43
Jewish	3,681	1,495	0.41
Australian Aboriginal	24,373	9,319	0.38
British	64,988	1,187	0.02

a. Selected ancestry groups with more than 1000 in 1986 and 2001. Numbers include 1st and 2nd ancestries.

b. Based on survival of 1986 ancestry groups adjusted for emigration/non-enumeration in 2001.

**Web Table 6 Comparison of 1986 and 2001 ancestry responses of overseas-born people aged 30-44 years in 1986 (45-59 in 2001)<sup>a</sup>**

Ancestry	Overseas-born		
	Expected 2001 ancestry <sup>b</sup>	Actual 2001 Census count <sup>c</sup>	Ratio of actual to expected ancestry
Serbian	1819	11212	6.16
Australian	6009	11149	1.86
Irish	29016	49642	1.71
Croatian	9244	15512	1.68
Macedonian	8546	14145	1.66
Slovenian	1097	1698	1.55
Mauritian	1687	2212	1.31
German	30122	36128	1.20
Lithuanian	1058	1258	1.19
Ukrainian	3536	4188	1.18
South African	3882	4543	1.17
Lebanese	13781	15539	1.13
Welsh	7822	8705	1.11
English	252860	281237	1.11
Canadian	2163	2384	1.10
Hungarian	8004	8689	1.09
Latvian	1794	1941	1.08
Dutch	34216	36645	1.07
Italian	64884	68635	1.06
Austrian	5029	5260	1.05
Assyrian	1298	1342	1.03
Russian	6023	6177	1.03
Chinese	40698	41527	1.02
Polish	22353	22758	1.02
Scottish	38806	39463	1.02
Vietnamese	12618	12661	1.00
Finnish	3057	3034	0.99
Egyptian	3477	3443	0.99
Filipino	11300	11037	0.98
Maori	4595	4485	0.98
Maltese	21620	21048	0.97
Sinhalese	4830	4648	0.96
Swiss	2911	2797	0.96
Greek	47287	44787	0.95
Armenian	2513	2358	0.94
Chilean	3415	3202	0.94
Danish	3161	2957	0.94
Portuguese	5918	5457	0.92
Romanian	1775	1621	0.91
Lao	1265	1144	0.90
Iranian	1543	1384	0.90
Khmer	1748	1560	0.89
Swedish	1808	1611	0.89
Norwegian	1159	1020	0.88
Malayan	1700	1496	0.88
Spanish	11807	10297	0.87
Turkish	7429	6460	0.87
Tongan	1257	1093	0.87
Thai	1419	1223	0.86
French	10259	8668	0.84
Indonesian	2628	2163	0.82
Burmese	1372	1102	0.80
Fijian	1499	1168	0.78
New Zealander	14531	11209	0.77
American	7187	5408	0.75

Indian	15333	11123	0.73
Korean	2184	1580	0.72
Czech	4218	2974	0.71
Jewish	3512	2143	0.61
Japanese	3538	1615	0.46
British	21435	1732	0.08

a. Ancestry groups with more than 1000 in 1986 and 2001. Numbers include 1st and 2nd ancestries.

b. Based on survival of 1986 ancestry groups adjusted for emigration/non-enumeration in 2001.

c. Overseas-born who arrived before 1986.