



## Population and dwellings

### Number of people counted

#### *Total population*

- 1,415,550 people usually live in Auckland Region. This is an increase of 110,589 people, or 8.5 percent, since the 2006 Census.
- Its population ranks 1st in size out of the 16 regions in New Zealand.
- Auckland Region has 33.4 percent of New Zealand's population.

#### Population of Auckland Region and New Zealand

2013 Census

Sex	Auckland Region	New Zealand
Male	687,492	2,064,015
Female	728,058	2,178,033
Total people	1,415,550	4,242,051

Source: Statistics New Zealand

#### *Māori population*

- 142,770 Māori usually live in Auckland Region. This is an increase of 5,466 people, or 4.0 percent, since the 2006 Census.
- Its Māori population ranks 1st in size out of the 16 regions in New Zealand.
- 23.9 percent of New Zealand's Māori population usually live in Auckland Region.

## Māori population of Auckland Region and New Zealand 2013 Census

Sex	Auckland Region	New Zealand
Male	68,097	288,639
Female	74,673	309,966
<b>Total people</b>	<b>142,770</b>	<b>598,602</b>

**Source:** Statistics New Zealand

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## Number of dwellings counted

- There are 473,448 occupied dwellings and 33,360 unoccupied dwellings in Auckland Region.
- For New Zealand as a whole, there are 1,570,695 occupied dwellings and 185,448 unoccupied dwellings.
- There are 2,817 dwellings under construction in Auckland Region, and 9,756 under construction in New Zealand.

## Dwellings in Auckland Region and New Zealand 2013 Census

Occupancy status	Auckland Region	New Zealand
Occupied		
Private dwelling	472,044	1,561,956
Non-private dwelling	1,407	8,739
<b>Total occupied dwellings</b>	<b>473,448</b>	<b>1,570,695</b>
Unoccupied	33,360	185,448
Under construction	2,817	9,756
<b>Total dwellings</b>	<b>509,625</b>	<b>1,765,896</b>

**Source:** Statistics New Zealand

Note: This time series is irregular. Because the 2011 Census was cancelled after the Canterbury earthquake on 22 February 2011, the gap between this census and the last one is seven years. The change in the data between 2006 and 2013 may be greater than in the usual five-year gap between censuses. Be careful when comparing trends.

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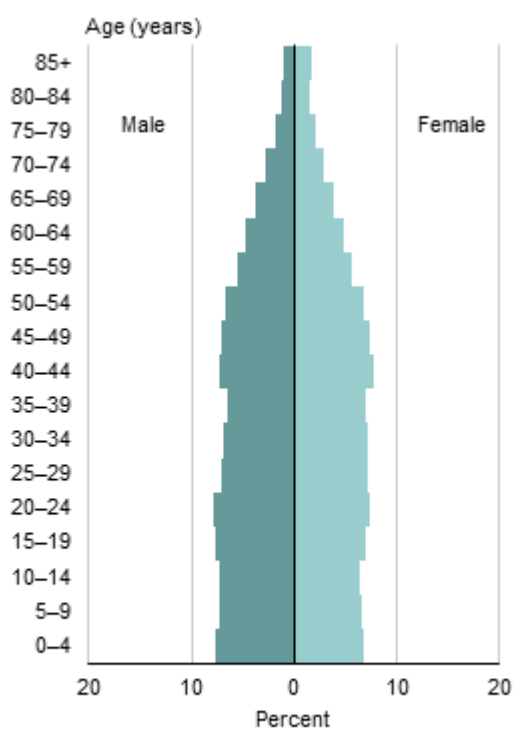
# Age and sex

## *Total population*

- The median age (half are younger, and half older, than this age) is 35.1 years for people in Auckland Region. For New Zealand as a whole, the median age is 38.0 years.
- 11.5 percent of people in Auckland Region are aged 65 years and over, compared with 14.3 percent of the total New Zealand population.
- 20.9 percent of people are aged under 15 years in Auckland Region, compared with 20.4 percent for all of New Zealand.

### Age and sex of people

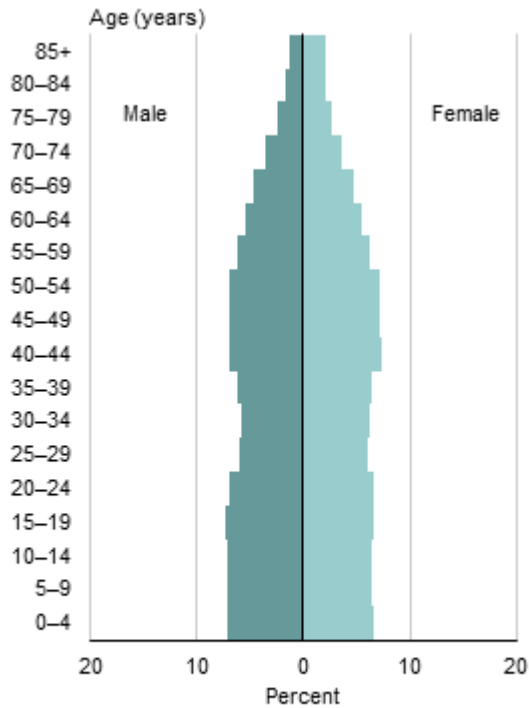
Auckland Region  
2013 Census



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## Age and sex of people

New Zealand  
2013 Census



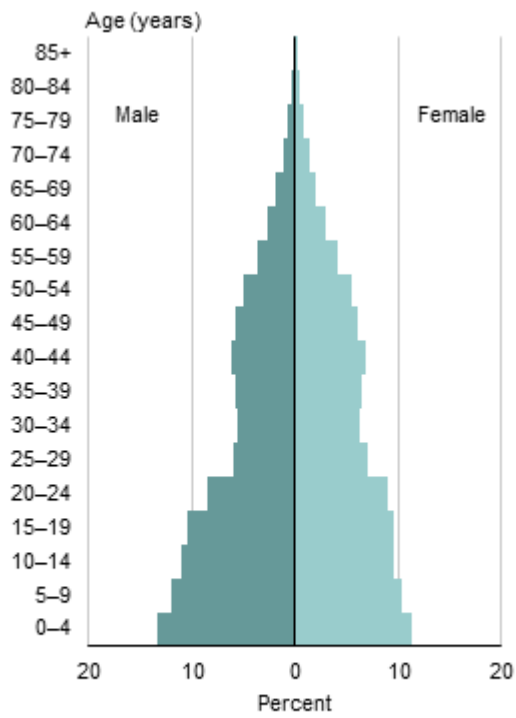
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## *Māori population*

- The median age of Māori (half are younger, and half older, than this age) is 23.5 years in Auckland Region, compared with a median of 23.9 years for all Māori in New Zealand.
- 4.4 percent of Māori in Auckland Region are aged 65 years and over, compared with 5.4 percent of New Zealand's Māori population.
- 33.6 percent of Māori are aged under 15 years in Auckland Region, compared with 33.8 percent for all Māori in New Zealand.

## Age and sex of Māori

Auckland Region  
2013 Census



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New Zealand  
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# Cultural diversity

## Ethnic groups

- 59.3 percent of people in Auckland Region belong to the European ethnic group, compared with 74.0 percent for New Zealand as a whole.
- 10.7 percent of people in Auckland Region belong to the Māori ethnic group, compared with 14.9 percent for all of New Zealand.

Ethnic groups in Auckland Region and New Zealand		
2013 Census		
Ethnic group <sup>(1)</sup>	Auckland Region (percent)	New Zealand (percent)
European	59.3	74.0
Māori	10.7	14.9
Pacific peoples	14.6	7.4
Asian	23.1	11.8
Middle Eastern, Latin American, African	1.9	1.2
Other ethnicity		
New Zealander	1.1	1.6
Other ethnicity nec	0.1	0.0
Total other ethnicity	1.2	1.7

1. Includes all people who stated each ethnic group, whether as their only ethnic group or as one of several. Where a person reported more than one ethnic group, they have been counted in each applicable group. As a result percentages do not add up to 100.

Note: nec = not elsewhere classified.

**Source:** Statistics New Zealand

## Birthplace

### *Total population*

- 39.1 percent of people in Auckland Region were born overseas, compared with 25.2 percent for New Zealand as a whole.
- For people born overseas who are now living in Auckland Region, the most common birthplace was England, and England is the most common overseas birthplace for all of New Zealand.

### *Māori population*

- 2.1 percent of Māori in Auckland Region were born overseas, compared with 1.8 percent for New Zealand as a whole.

# Languages spoken

## *Total population*

- After English, the next most common language spoken in Auckland Region is Samoan, which is spoken by 4.4 percent of people. For New Zealand as a whole, the most common language apart from English is te reo Māori, spoken by 3.7 percent of people.
- New Zealand Sign Language is used by less than one percent of people in Auckland Region, compared with less than one percent of people for all of New Zealand.
- 69.4 percent of people in Auckland Region speak only one language, compared with 79.8 percent of people for all of New Zealand.

## *Māori population*

- After English, the next most common language spoken by Māori in Auckland Region is te reo Māori, which is spoken by 17.9 percent of Māori.
- In New Zealand, the next most common language spoken by Māori is te reo Māori, which is spoken by 21.3 percent.
- New Zealand Sign Language is used by less than one percent of Māori in Auckland Region compared with less than one percent of Māori for all of New Zealand.
- 78.7 percent of Māori in Auckland Region speak only one language, compared with 76.5 percent of all Māori in New Zealand.

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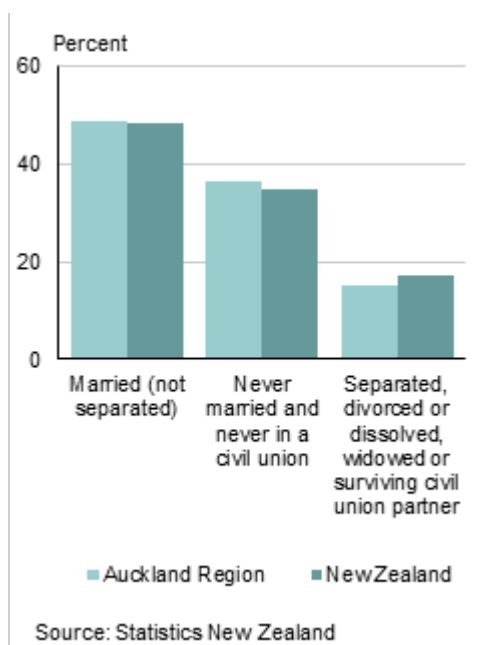
## Relationship status

### *Total population aged 15 years and over*

- 36.3 percent of people aged 15 years and over living in Auckland Region have never married, 48.8 percent are married, and 14.9 percent are separated, divorced or widowed.
- 24.6 percent of people aged 15 years and over in Auckland Region who have never been married, live with a partner.

#### Legally registered relationship status for people aged 15 years and over

Auckland Region and New Zealand  
2013 Census

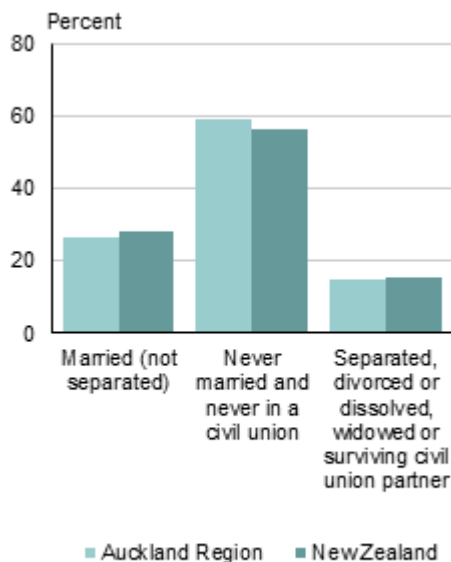


### *Māori population aged 15 years and over*

- For Māori aged 15 years and over living in Auckland Region, 59.1 have never married, 26.3 percent are married, and 14.6 percent are separated, divorced or widowed.
- 27.0 percent of Māori aged 15 years and over in Auckland Region who have never been married, live with a partner.

### Legally registered relationship status for Māori aged 15 years and over

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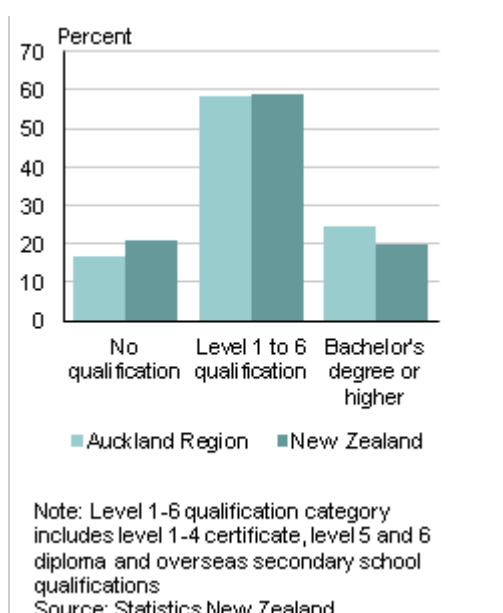
## Qualifications

### *Total population aged 15 years and over*

- 83.2 percent of people aged 15 years and over in Auckland Region have a formal qualification, compared with 79.1 percent of people in New Zealand.
- In Auckland Region, 24.7 percent of people aged 15 years and over held a bachelor's degree or higher as their highest qualification, compared with 20.0 percent for New Zealand as a whole.

#### Highest qualification for people aged 15 years and over

Auckland Region and New Zealand  
2013 Census

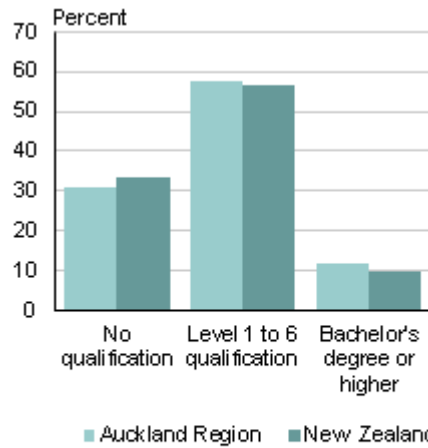


### *Māori population aged 15 years and over*

- In Auckland Region, 69.1 percent of Māori aged 15 years and over have a formal qualification, compared with 66.7 percent for Māori in New Zealand.
- 11.7 percent of Māori aged 15 years and over in Auckland Region held a bachelor's degree or higher as their highest qualification, compared with 10.0 percent of New Zealand's Māori population.

## Highest qualification for Māori aged 15 years and over

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Note: Level 1-6 qualification category includes level 1-4 certificate, level 5 and 6 diploma and overseas secondary school qualifications.  
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# Work

## *Total population aged 15 years and over*

- The unemployment rate in Auckland Region is 8.1 percent for people aged 15 years and over, compared with 7.1 percent for all of New Zealand.
- The most common occupational group in Auckland Region is 'professionals', and 'professionals' is the most common occupational group in New Zealand.



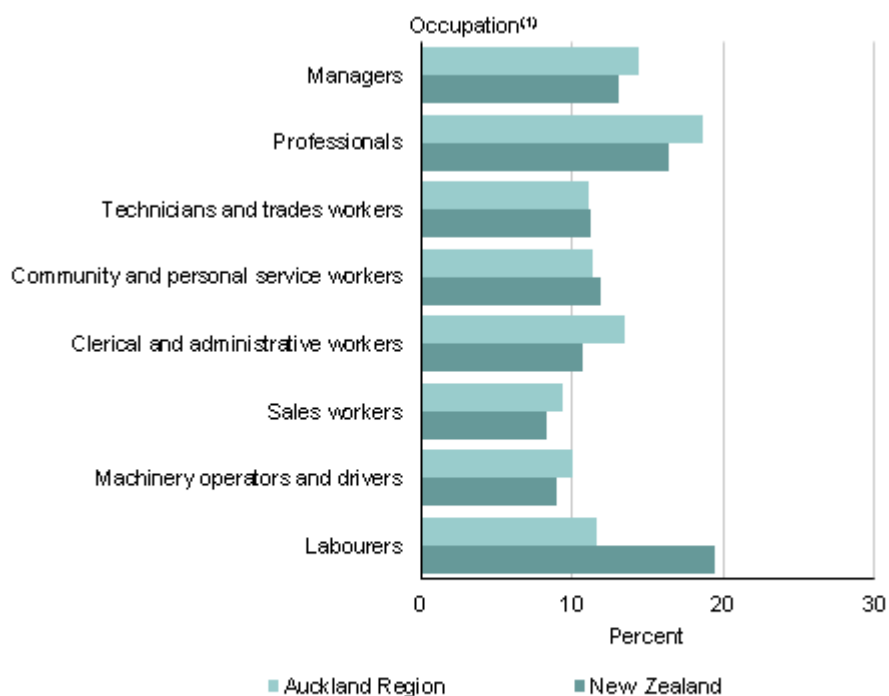
1. Australian and New Zealand Standard Classification of Occupations (ANZSCO V1.1)  
Source: Statistics New Zealand

## *Māori population aged 15 years and over*

- The unemployment rate of Māori aged 15 years and over in Auckland Region is 16.2 percent, compared with 15.6 percent for New Zealand's Māori population.
- The most common occupational group for Māori in Auckland Region is 'professionals', and 'labourers' is the most common occupational group for Māori in New Zealand.

## Occupation for employed Māori aged 15 years and over

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# Income

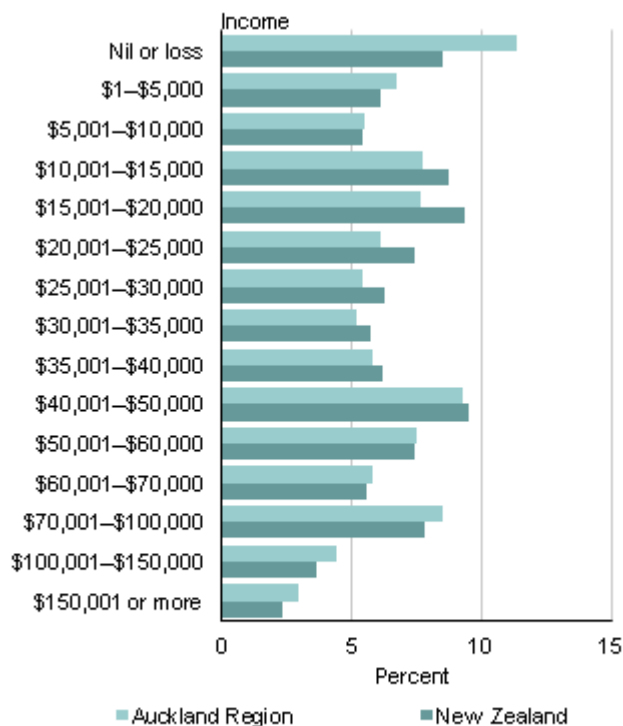
## *Total population aged 15 years and over*

- For people aged 15 years and over, the median income (half earn more, and half earn less, than this amount), in Auckland Region is \$29,600. This compares with a median of \$28,500 for all of New Zealand.
- 39.0 percent of people aged 15 years and over in Auckland Region have an annual income of \$20,000 or less, compared with 38.2 percent of people for New Zealand as a whole.
- In Auckland Region, 29.2 percent of people aged 15 years and over have an annual income of more than \$50,000, compared with 26.7 percent of people in New Zealand.

### **Total personal income for people aged 15 years and over**

Auckland Region and New Zealand

2013 Census



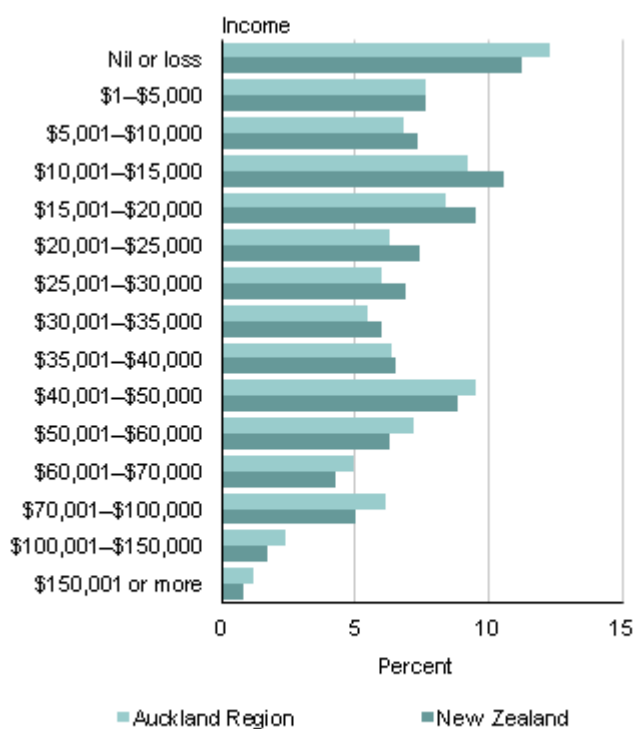
Source: Statistics New Zealand

## Māori population aged 15 years and over

- For Māori aged 15 years and over, the median income (half earn more, and half less than this amount) in Auckland Region is \$24,500, compared with a median of \$22,500 for all Māori in New Zealand.
- In Auckland Region, 44.4 percent of Māori aged 15 years and over have an annual income of \$20,000 or less, compared with 46.3 percent of Māori in New Zealand.
- 22.0 percent of Māori aged 15 years and over in Auckland Region have an annual income of more than \$50,000, compared with 18.1 percent of all Māori in New Zealand.

### Total personal income for Māori aged 15 years and over

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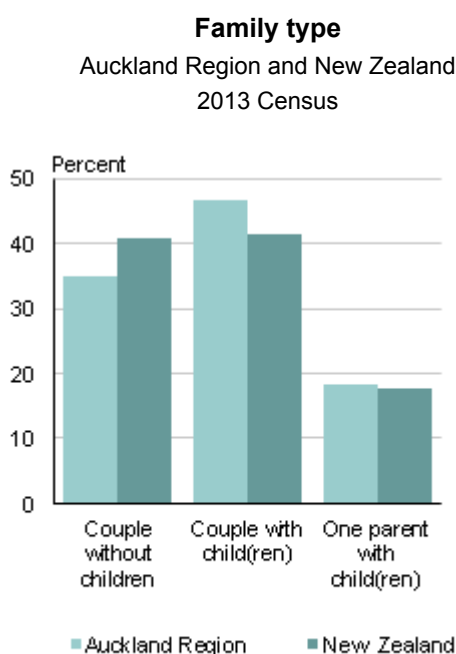
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# Families

## Family type

- Couples with children make up 46.5 percent of all families in Auckland Region, while couples without children make up 35.1 percent of all families.
- In New Zealand, couples with children make up 41.3 percent of all families, while couples without children make up 40.9 percent of all families.
- 18.4 percent of families in Auckland Region are one parent with children families, while one parent with children families make up 17.8 percent of families for New Zealand as a whole.



Source: Statistics New Zealand

Note: All figures are for families in occupied private dwellings.

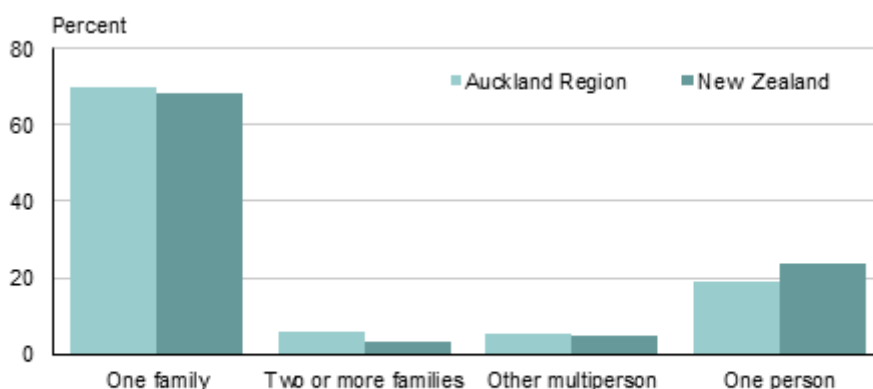
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# Households

## Household composition

- One-family households make up 69.8 percent of all households in Auckland Region. For New Zealand as a whole, one-family households make up 68.3 percent of all households.
- In Auckland Region, there are 86,547 one-person households making up 19.0 percent of all households. In New Zealand, one-person households make up 23.5 percent of all households.
- The average household size in Auckland Region is 3.0 people, compared with an average of 2.7 people for all of New Zealand.

**Household composition**  
Auckland Region and New Zealand  
2013 Census



Source: Statistics New Zealand

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# Phone, fax, and Internet

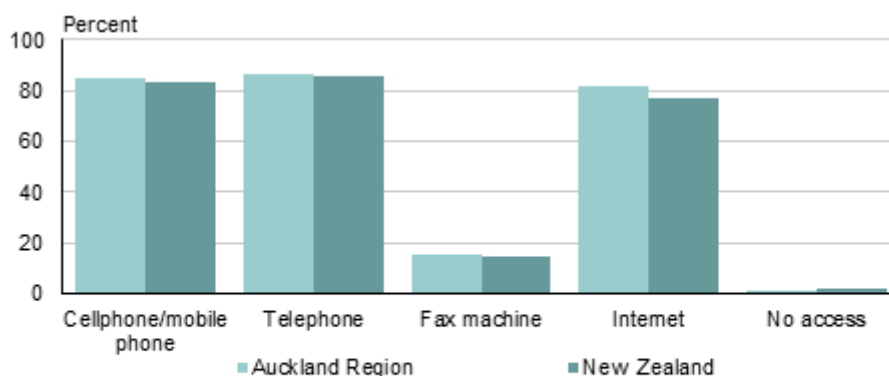
## Access to phones, fax machines, and Internet

- 81.6 percent of households in Auckland Region have access to the Internet, compared with 76.8 percent of households in New Zealand.
- In Auckland Region, 84.8 percent of households have access to a cellphone, compared with 83.7 percent of households for New Zealand as a whole.

### Access to phones, fax machines, and Internet

Auckland Region and New Zealand

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Note: Households can access more than one type of telecommunication device. Therefore percentages do not add up to 100.  
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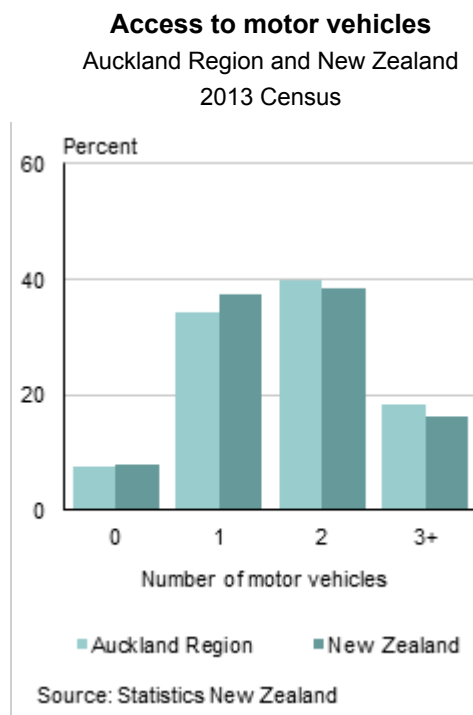
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# Transport

## Access to motor vehicles

- 18.4 percent of households in Auckland Region have access to three or more motor vehicles, compared with 16.1 percent of all households in New Zealand.



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## Main means of travel to work

- The most common means of travel to work on census day for people in Auckland Region was driving a private car, truck or van (65.4 percent of people who travelled to work used this form of transport).
- This was followed by driving a company car, truck or van (12.6 percent) and public bus (6.5 percent).
- For New Zealand as a whole, the most common means of travel to work was driving a private car, truck or van, followed by driving a company car, truck or van, and walking or jogging.

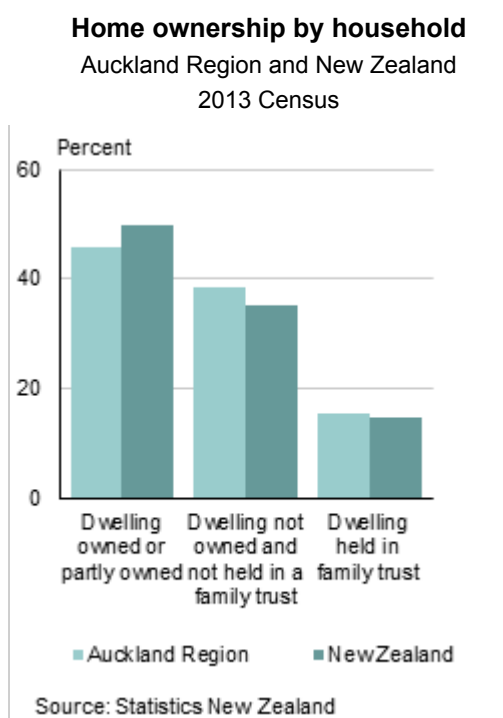
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# Housing

## Home ownership

- In Auckland Region, 61.5 percent of households in occupied private dwellings owned the dwelling or held it in a family trust.
- For New Zealand as a whole, 64.8 percent of households in occupied private dwellings owned the dwelling or held it in a family trust.
- For households in Auckland Region who rented the dwelling that they lived in, the median weekly rent paid was \$350. This compared with \$280 for New Zealand as a whole.



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## Building consents

Building consent data for the year ended December 2013 showed that:

- The total number of building consents issued for dwellings, including apartments, in Auckland Region was 6,309.
- The total number of building consents issued for apartments in Auckland Region was 1,380.
- The total value of residential building work in Auckland Region was \$2,499,854,498.
- The total value of non-residential building work in Auckland Region was \$1,372,475,305.

Note: Building consent data is obtained from all accredited building consent authorities (ie territorial authorities) and is compiled if the building consent issued is valued over \$5000. See data quality information on building consents.

# Business

## Business demographics

Business demographic data for the year ended February 2013 showed that:

- There were 163,582 business locations (geographic units) in Auckland Region compared with 507,908 for all of New Zealand. This is an increase of 5.9 percent from the year ended February 2006 for Auckland Region.
- There were 650,430 paid employees in Auckland Region compared with 1,941,040 for all New Zealand. This is an increase of 5.6 percent from the year ended February 2006 for Auckland Region.

### Top five industries in Auckland Region

By employee count

For year ended February 2013

Industry (ANZSIC06) <sup>(1)</sup>	Auckland Region		New Zealand	
	Employee count	Percent of total employee count	Employee count	Percent of total employee count
Manufacturing	71,020	10.9	211,710	10.9
Professional, scientific and technical services	69,060	10.6	153,120	7.9
Health care and social assistance	63,500	9.8	211,350	10.9
Retail trade	62,770	9.7	195,870	10.1
Education and training	54,170	8.3	167,240	8.6

1. Australian and New Zealand Standard Industrial Classification 2006 (ANZSIC06 V1.0).

Note: Some regions, territorial authorities, and local boards may have more than one industry with the same employee count but the table has been restricted to five industries.

**Source:** Statistics New Zealand

Note: Business demographic data is sourced from a register of economically significant businesses which is maintained by Statistics New Zealand. See data quality information on business demographics.

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