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Yarragon

Baw Baw (S) LGA

Defined in 2016 as: UCL 215095



The map above shows the location of Yarragon in Victoria.

Summary data	1981	1986	1991	1996	2001	2006	2011	2016
Total population*	587	670	725	695	721	721	969	1,112
Male: Female ratio*	107.7	109.9	108.9	96.1	108.5	98.1	95.0	94.9
Visitors on Census night*	8	9	39	19	36	16	34	44
Population in non-private dwellings*	0	2	20	9	18	12	18	6
Population at same address 5 years ago	279	338	411	434	414	404	416	541

*Includes local, interstate and overseas visitors.

Population growth	1981-91	1991-2001	2001-06	2006-11	2011-16
Net change	138	-3	0	248	143
Average annual change	2.1%	0.0%	0.0%	6.1%	2.8%

Area	
2006 Area (km ²):	2.52
2011 Area (km ²):	1.27

Location	
Location	41km west of Traralgon

Age structure	1981		1986		1991		1996		2001		2006		2011		2016	
	Number	%	Number	%	Number	%	Number	%	Number	%	Number	%	Number	%	Number	%
0-4	65	11%	79	12%	61	8%	71	10%	49	7%	44	6%	71	7%	90	8%
5-17	122	21%	144	22%	174	24%	170	25%	154	21%	144	20%	174	18%	145	13%
18-24	86	15%	58	9%	61	8%	46	7%	67	9%	50	7%	96	10%	82	7%
25-34	88	15%	147	22%	147	20%	106	15%	89	12%	91	13%	118	12%	167	15%
35-44	66	11%	73	11%	101	14%	123	18%	114	16%	82	11%	115	12%	120	11%
45-54	52	9%	44	7%	66	9%	56	8%	89	12%	106	15%	119	12%	137	12%
55-64	54	9%	57	9%	42	6%	40	6%	69	10%	87	12%	137	14%	165	15%
65-74	36	6%	46	7%	51	7%	39	6%	47	6%	54	8%	88	9%	130	12%
75+	17	3%	22	3%	20	3%	40	6%	40	6%	63	9%	47	5%	88	8%
TOTAL	587	100%	670	100%	722	100%	692	100%	718	100%	721	100%	965	100%	1,124	100%

Indigenous status	1986	1996	2001	2006	2011	2016
Indigenous	0	0	0	0	0	10
Non-Indigenous	646	666	691	689	934	1,032
Not stated	24	26	27	32	34	62
TOTAL	670	692	718	721	968	1,106

Education	1986	1996	2001	2006	2011	2016
Bachelor degree or higher	12	20	37	42	76	75
Diploma or certificate	89	108	105	153	244	332
No post school qualification	301	309	340	309	175	409
Not stated	71	57	66	61	79	95
TOTAL	472	494	549	565	771	911

*Applies to persons aged 15 and over

Language spoken at home	1986	1996	2001	2006	2011	2016
English only	614	641	654	674	906	1,020
Top 3 LOTES, 2016:						
- Italian:	24	11	10	10	3	0
- Polish:	5	0	3	5	6	0
- Dutch:	2	0	0	4	0	0
All languages other than English	45	25	22	22	26	28
Not stated	11	26	42	25	34	68
TOTAL	670	692	718	721	966	1,116

Birthplace	1986	1996	2001	2006	2011	2016
Australia	587	608	620	619	808	903
Top 3 overseas birthplaces, 2016						
- United Kingdom:	22	15	15	31	49	63
- New Zealand:	9	7	4	8	9	8
- Philippines:	0	0	0	5	0	4
All overseas birthplaces	76	57	59	76	110	93
Birthplace not-stated	6	27	40	26	51	81
TOTAL	670	692	718	721	969	1,077

English proficiency among overseas born	1986* **	1996**	2001	2006	2011	2016
Speaks English well or very well (%)	87%	68%	81%	100%	100%	105%
Speaks English not well or not at all (%)	13%	32%	19%	0%	0%	0%
English proficiency not stated (%)	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%

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

**Applies to persons aged 5 and over only

Family composition	1996	2001	2006	2011	2016
Couple family* with children	108	94	89	106	113
Couple family* without children	44	58	80	125	143
One parent family	26	30	24	37	40
Other family type	3	0	3	5	0
TOTAL	182	183	196	273	308

*Excludes same sex couple families in 1996 only

Labour force*	1986	1996	2001	2006	2011	2016
Employed	246	247	268	312	443	488
Unemployed	20	29	33	16	28	25
TOTAL LABOUR FORCE	267	276	301	328	471	513
Not in labour force	199	200	223	205	271	333
Labour force status not-stated	7	18	26	31	35	50
Unemployment rate	7.6%	10.4%	10.9%	4.9%	5.9%	4.9%
Participation rate	57.3%	58.0%	57.5%	61.6%	63.5%	60.6%

*Applies to persons aged 15 and over

Travel to work*	1996	2001	2006	2011	2016
Bicycle	0	3	0	0	0
Bus	6	0	0	0	0
Car as driver	143	180	217	303	335
Car as passenger	20	14	15	31	14
Motor bike/scooter	0	0	4	0	0
Taxi	0	0	0	0	0
Train	0	3	0	4	8
Tram or ferry	0	0	0	0	0
Walked only	13	13	10	11	8
Other modes	3	5	6	7	8
Multiple modes	7	0	6	3	0
Work from home	12	8	12	17	23
Did not go to work	33	36	39	52	68
Method of travel not stated	10	5	3	12	12
TOTAL	247	268	312	440	476

*Applies to persons aged 15 and over

Industry of employment*	1986	1996	2001	2006	2011	2016
Agriculture, Forestry and Fishing	11	16	14	18	18	25
Mining	10	3	3	6	8	8
Manufacturing	26	28	30	30	45	47
Electricity, Gas, Water and Waste Services	47	14	12	11	9	9
Construction	18	16	16	28	49	52
Wholesale Trade	8	7	12	12	11	11
Retail Trade	20	21	31	35	63	57
Accommodation and Food Services	9	9	13	24	40	35
Transport, Postal and Warehousing	18	20	13	19	15	21
Information Media and Telecommunications	3	8	7	3	3	6
Financial and Insurance Services	4	3	3	6	3	4
Rental, Hiring and Real Estate Services	3	6	6	0	3	0
Professional, Scientific and Tech. Services	5	9	10	15	7	31
Administrative and Support Services	3	6	6	12	13	15
Public Administration and Safety	12	15	13	15	22	29
Education and Training	26	19	21	30	42	33
Health Care and Social Assistance	11	19	30	30	64	67
Arts and Recreation Services	1	4	5	0	3	8
Other Services	8	14	17	12	18	29
Inadequately described/Not stated	4	12	6	6	6	19
TOTAL	246	247	268	312	442	506

*Applies to persons aged 15 and over

Vehicle ownership*	1986	1996	2001	2006	2011	2016
None	20	27	25	20	12	20
1 motor vehicle	98	83	93	104	152	161
2 motor vehicles	83	99	107	102	141	191
3 or more motor vehicles	23	26	32	47	63	72
Not stated	5	17	11	17	25	38
TOTAL	230	252	267	290	393	469

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

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Dwellings - Number	1981*		1986		1991		1996		2001		2006		2011		2016	
	Number	%	Number	%	Number	%	Number	%	Number	%	Number	%	Number	%	Number	%
Occupied private dwellings	202	93%	230	93%	239	90%	252	89%	267	92%	290	91%	394	91%	469	90%
Unoccupied private dwellings	15	7%	18	7%	26	10%	31	11%	23	8%	28	9%	39	9%	51	10%
TOTAL (private dwellings)	217	100%	249	100%	265	100%	283	100%	290	100%	318	100%	433	100%	520	100%

Dwellings - Type		1981*		1986		1991		1996		2001		2006		2011		2016	
Type		Number	%	Number	%	Number	%	Number	%	Number	%	Number	%	Number	%	Number	%
Separate house		207	95%	241	97%	261	98%	271	96%	275	95%	306	96%	430	99%	502	97%
Medium density**		0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	12	4%	12	4%	9	3%	3	1%	17	3%
Other dwelling		7	3%	5	2%	4	2%	0	0%	3	1%	3	1%	0	0%	0	0%
Structure not-stated		3	1%	3	1%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	5	1%
TOTAL (private dwellings)		217	100%	249	100%	265	100%	283	100%	290	100%	318	100%	433	100%	520	100%

Dwellings - Tenure		1981*		1986		1991		1996		2001		2006		2011		2016	
Tenure		Number	%	Number	%	Number	%	Number	%	Number	%	Number	%	Number	%	Number	%
Fully owned		94	47%	101	44%	118	49%	142	56%	138	51%	127	44%	146	37%	155	33%
Being purchased		65	32%	84	36%	75	31%	65	26%	73	27%	103	35%	160	41%	179	38%
Rented - government		0	0%	4	2%	3	1%	7	3%	8	3%	7	2%	7	2%	6	1%
Rented - other		31	16%	28	12%	25	10%	23	9%	24	9%	38	13%	58	15%	74	16%
Other and not stated		12	6%	14	6%	19	8%	14	6%	24	9%	16	5%	23	6%	42	9%
TOTAL (occ. private dwellings)		202	100%	230	100%	239	100%	252	100%	267	100%	290	100%	394	100%	469	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	20%	19%	20%	27%	27%	29%	26%	30%
2 persons	27%	30%	28%	26%	30%	35%	39%	37%
3 persons	17%	16%	14%	13%	13%	11%	12%	15%
4 persons	18%	16%	17%	19%	18%	15%	13%	12%
5 or more persons	18%	19%	20%	15%	12%	10%	9%	7%
TOTAL	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Av. household size (persons)	2.91	2.90	2.94	2.72	2.63	2.44	2.41	2.36

Household income	1981	1986	1991	1996	2001	2006	2011	2016
1st quartile (lowest)	27%	29%	33%	37%	32%	36%	32%	35%
2nd quartile	28%	33%	21%	25%	29%	27%	27%	27%
3rd quartile	27%	23%	32%	25%	26%	24%	25%	24%
4th quartile (highest)	17%	16%	13%	14%	13%	13%	16%	13%
Not stated (households)	18	34	36	33	32	34	37	31
TOTAL (households)	201	231	239	259	267	284	383	447

The map below shows the changes of boundary in Yarragon between 2006 and 2016.

