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TATAURANGA AOTEAROA

QuickStats About

Arrowtown

Population/ Dwellings

Number of people counted

Total population

- 2,151 people usually live in Arrowtown. This is an increase of 459 people, or 27.1 percent, since the 2001 Census.
- Arrowtown has 1.1 percent of Otago Region's population.

Population of Arrowtown and Otago Region, 2006 Census

	Arrowtown	Otago Region
Male	1,062	94,737
Female	1,089	99,069
Total	2,151	193,800

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Number of occupied dwellings counted

- There are 894 occupied dwellings in Arrowtown.
- For Otago Region as a whole, there are 75,909 occupied dwellings.

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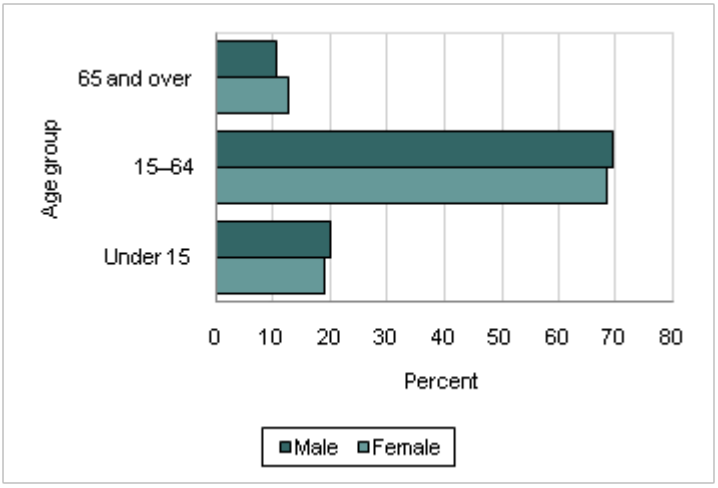
Age & sex

Total population

- 11.6 percent of people in Arrowtown are aged 65 years and over, compared with 13.8 percent of the total Otago Region population.
- 19.4 percent of people are aged under 15 years in Arrowtown, compared with 17.6 percent for all of Otago Region.

Age Group and Sex

Arrowtown, 2006 Census



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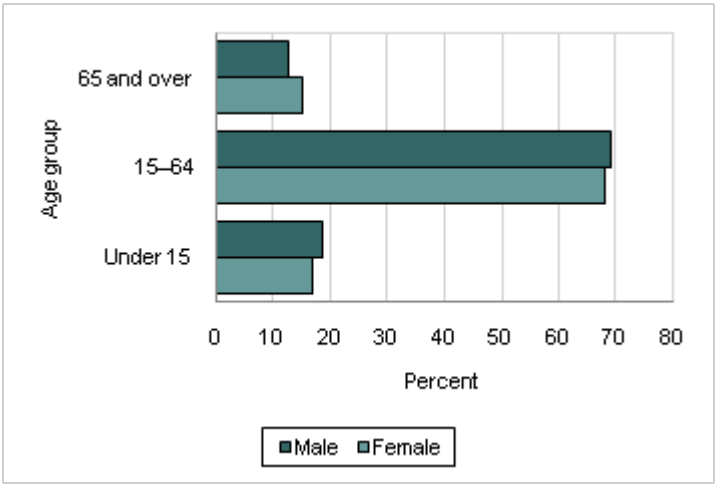

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Cultural diversity

Ethnic groups, birthplace and languages spoken

Total population

Ethnic groups

- The most common ethnic group in Arrowtown is European, compared with European for Otago Region as a whole.

Ethnic Groups in Arrowtown, 2006 Census

	Percent
European	82.0
Māori	5.8
Pacific peoples	0.6
Asian	2.3
Middle Eastern/Latin American/African	1.0
Other ethnicity	14.8

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Ethnic Groups in Otago Region, 2006 Census

	Percent
European	79.6
Māori	6.6
Pacific peoples	1.7
Asian	4.2
Middle Eastern/Latin American/African	0.7
Other ethnicity	14.1

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Birthplace

- 19.5 percent of people in Arrowtown were born overseas, compared with 15.6 percent for Otago Region as a whole.
- For people born overseas who are now living in Arrowtown, the most common birthplace was the UK and Ireland, compared with the UK and Ireland for all of Otago Region.

Languages spoken

- English is the most commonly spoken language in Arrowtown.
- 0.6 percent of people in Arrowtown speak Māori, compared with 1.8 percent of people for all of Otago Region.
- New Zealand Sign Language is used by 0.3 percent of people in Arrowtown, compared with 0.6 percent of people for all of Otago Region.
- 88.9 percent of people in Arrowtown speak only one language, compared with 88.3 percent of people for all of Otago Region.

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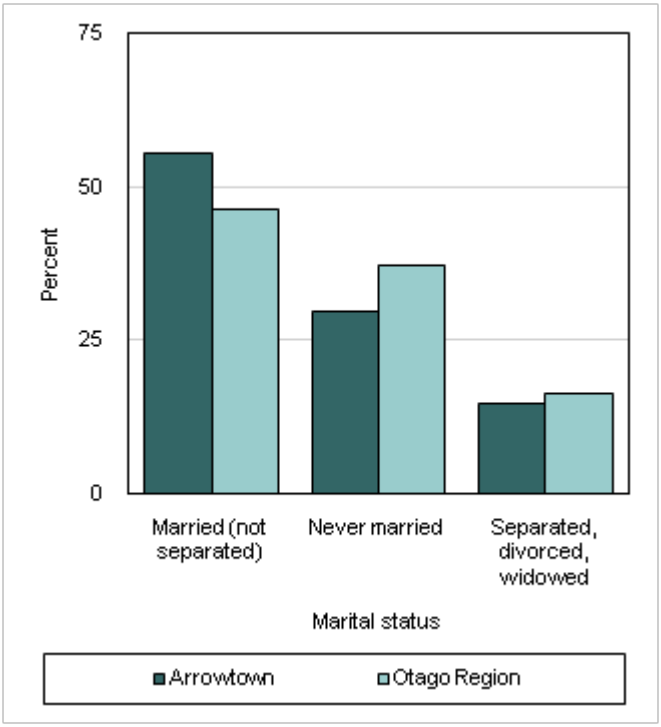
Marital status

Total population aged 15 years and over

- 29.5 percent of people aged 15 years and over living in Arrowtown have never married, 55.5 percent are married, and 14.8 percent are separated, divorced or widowed.
- 43.7 percent of people aged 15 years and over in Arrowtown who have never married, live with a partner.

Marital Status for People Aged 15 Years and Over

Arrowtown and Otago Region, 2006 Census



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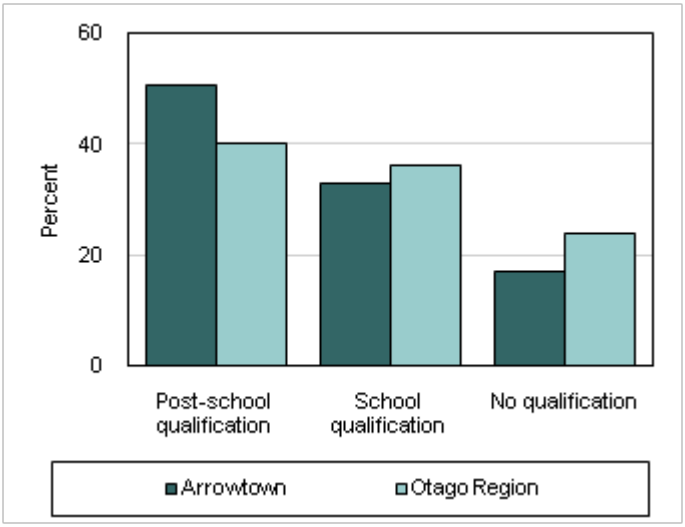
Education

Total population aged 15 years and over

- 50.6 percent of people aged 15 years and over in Arrowtown have a post-school qualification, compared with 40.2 percent of people throughout Otago Region.
- In Arrowtown, 16.9 percent of people aged 15 years and over have no formal qualifications, compared with 23.7 percent for Otago Region as a whole.

Highest Qualification for People Aged 15 Years and Over

Arrowtown and Otago Region, 2006 Census



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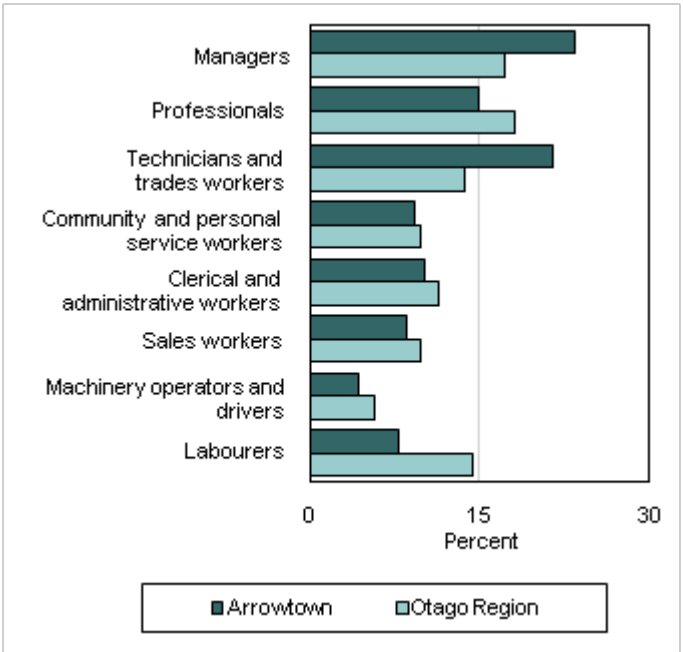
Work

Total population aged 15 years and over

- The unemployment rate in Arrowtown is 1.1 percent for people aged 15 years and over, compared with 4.5 percent for all of Otago Region.
- The most common occupational group in Arrowtown is 'Managers' and 'Professionals' is the most common occupational group in Otago Region.

Occupation(1) for Employed People Aged 15 Years and Over

Arrowtown and Otago Region, 2006 Census



(1) Australian and New Zealand Standard Classification of Occupations (ANZSCO V1.0).

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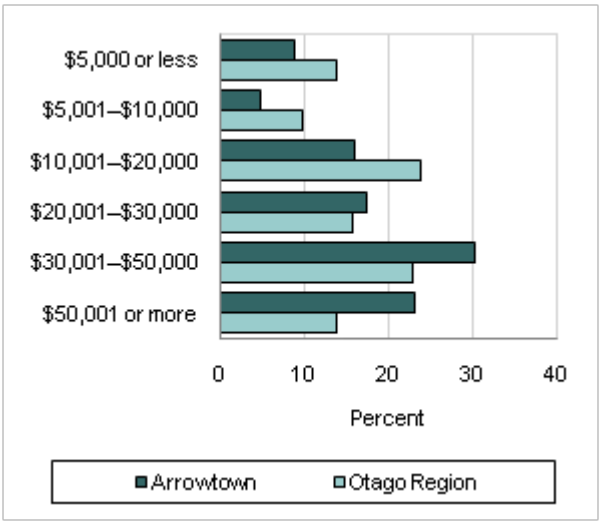
Income

Total population aged 15 years and over

- For people aged 15 years and over, the median income (half earn more, and half less, than this amount) in Arrowtown is $31,900. This compares with a median of $21,600 for all of Otago Region.
- 29.3 percent of people aged 15 years and over in Arrowtown have an annual income of $20,000 or less, compared with 47.4 percent of people for Otago Region as a whole.
- In Arrowtown, 23.1 percent of people aged 15 years and over have an annual income of more than $50,000, compared with 13.9 percent of people in Otago Region.

Income for People Aged 15 Years and Over

Arrowtown and Otago Region, 2006 Census



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Families

- Couples with children make up 41.0 percent of all families in Arrowtown, while couples without children make up 50.0 percent of all families.
- In Otago Region, couples with children make up 38.8 percent of all families, while couples without children make up 47.3 percent of all families.
- 9.0 percent of families in Arrowtown are one-parent-with-children families, compared with 13.9 percent of families for Otago Region as a whole.

Family Types in Arrowtown and Otago Region, 2006 Census

Family type	Arrowtown (%)	Otago Region (%)
Couple without child(ren)	50.0	47.3
Couple with child(ren)	41.0	38.8
One parent with child(ren)	9.0	13.9

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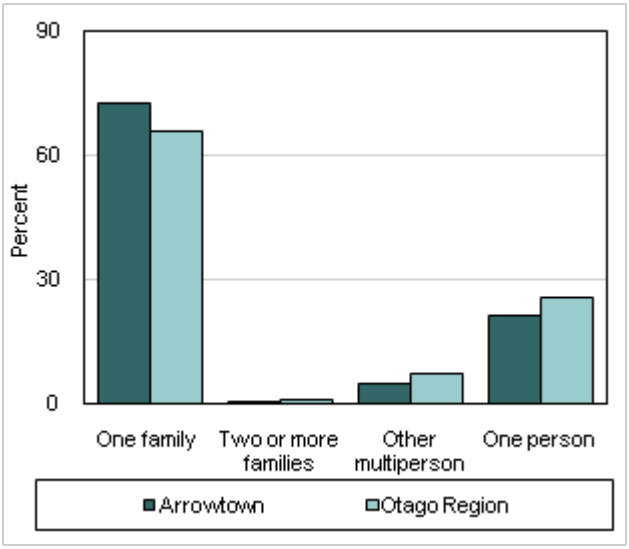
Households

- One-family households make up 72.7 percent of all households in Arrowtown. For Otago Region as a whole, one-family households make up 65.9 percent of all households.
- 180 people (or 21.3 percent) live in one-person households in Arrowtown. Throughout Otago Region, one-person households make up 25.8 percent of all households.
- The average household size in Arrowtown is 2.4 people, compared with an average of 2.5 people for all of Otago Region.

Household Composition, Arrowtown and Otago Region

2006 Census



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Phones, net & fax

Households

- 71.8 percent of households in Arrowtown have access to the Internet, compared with 59.9 percent of households throughout Otago Region.
- In Arrowtown 80.5 percent of households have access to a cellphone, compared with 73.8 percent of households for Otago Region as a whole.

Household[1] Access to Phones, Internet and Fax Machines in Arrowtown and Otago Region, 2006 Census

	Arrowtown (%)	Otago Region (%)
No access	1.1	1.5
Cellphone	80.5	73.8
Telephone	93.5	92.9
Fax machine	37.2	23.4
Internet	71.8	59.9

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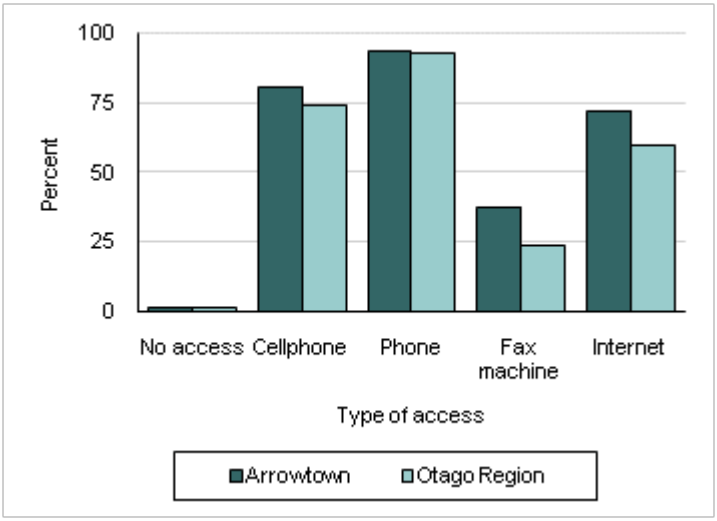

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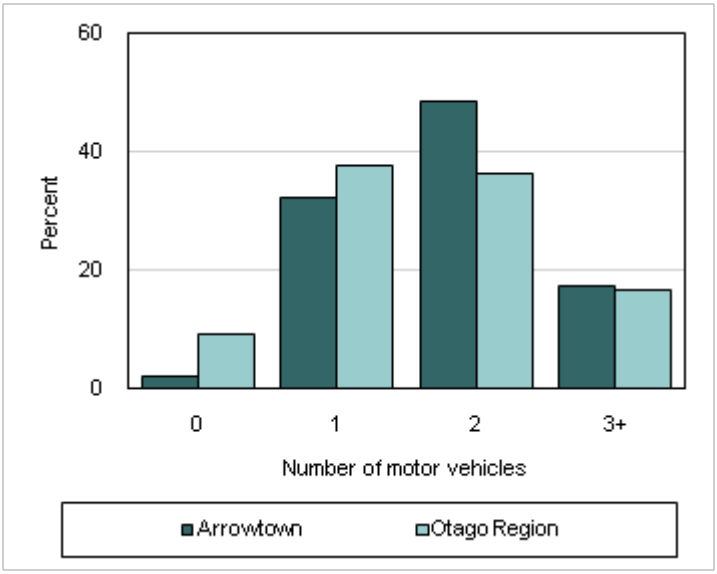
Transport

Household access to motor vehicles

- 17.3 percent of households in Arrowtown have access to three or more motor vehicles, compared with 16.8 percent of all households in Otago Region.

Household Access to Motor Vehicles
Arrowtown and Otago Region, 2006 Census



Main means of travel to work

- Excluding driving a private car, truck or van, the second most common means of travel to work on census day for people in Arrowtown was driving a company car, truck or van. For Otago Region as a whole, the second most common means of travel to work was driving a company car, truck or van.

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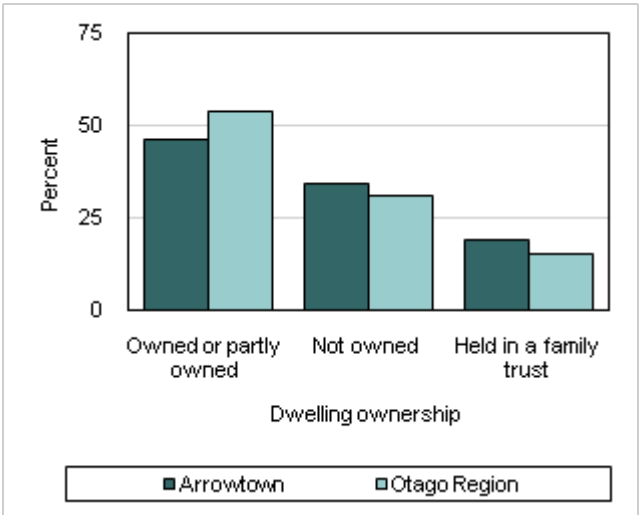
Housing

- In Arrowtown, 46.3 percent of households in private occupied dwellings own the dwelling, with or without a mortgage.
- For Otago Region as a whole, 53.9 percent of households in private occupied dwellings own the dwelling, with or without a mortgage.

Ownership of Dwelling by Household

Arrowtown and Otago Region, 2006 Census



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