

POPULATION

635,130 people lived in Glasgow in 2021.

Until 2020, the city's population was rising steadily due to inward migration and because births exceeded deaths, however the impact of COVID-19 deaths and a fall in births has meant the population growth has slowed.



Ethnicity

Glasgow has the most ethnically diverse population in Scotland.

Over **12%** of the population was from an ethnic minority in 2011.



Age

The city is also getting older... The population aged 50 or over is predicted to rise to

241,000 by 2043.



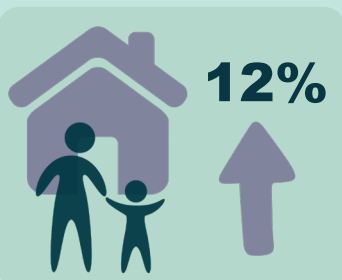
23% of the population in Glasgow reported a long term health problem or disability in 2011.

In 2011, **31%** of the population in Glasgow were married or in a same-sex civil partnership, a slight decrease from **35%** in 2001.



In 2011, **54%** of the population in Glasgow identified as Christians, **31%** had no religion, and **5%** were muslims.

Households



The number of households in Glasgow is predicted to rise by **12%** in the next 25 years.

Single-adult households are projected to rise further to account for **45%** of all households in the city **by 2043**.

