

City of Cape Town – 2011 Census Suburb Bloubergstrand

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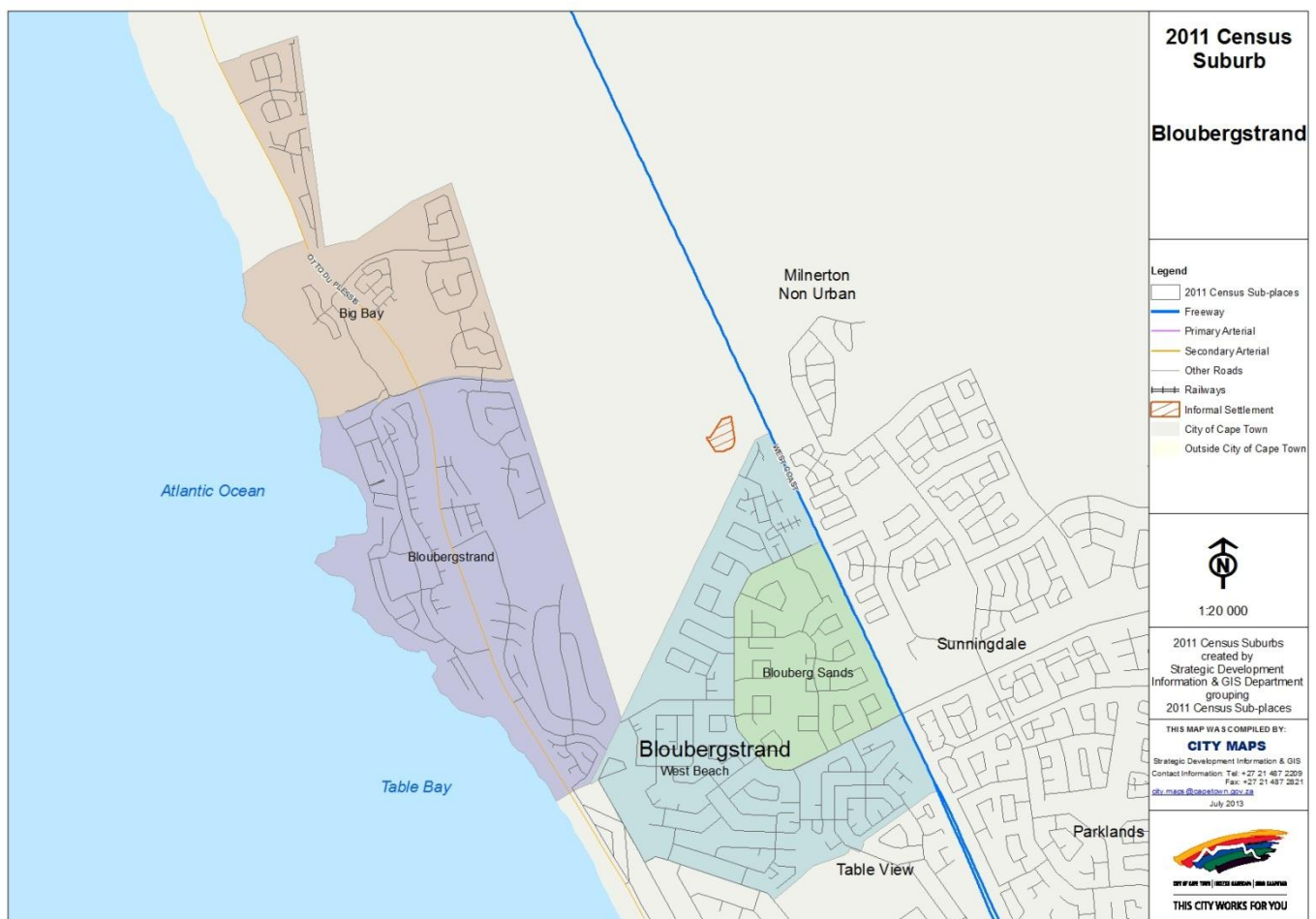
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2011 Census data supplied by Statistics South Africa
(Based on information available at the time of compilation as released by Statistics South Africa)

The 2011 Census suburbs (190) have been created by SDI&GIS grouping the 2011 Census sub-places using GIS and December 2011 aerial photography. A sub-place is defined by Statistics South Africa “is the second (lowest) level of the place name category, namely a suburb, section or zone of an (apartheid) township, smallholdings, village, sub-village, ward or informal settlement.”

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2011 Census Suburb Description

2011 Census suburb Bloubergstrand includes the following sub-places: Big Bay, Blouberg Sands, Bloubergstrand, West Beach.



Data Notes:

- The following databases from Statistics South Africa (SSA) software were used to extract the data for the profiles:
Demographic Profile – Descriptive and Education databases
Economic Profile – Labour Force and Head of Household databases
Dwelling Profile – Dwellings database
Household Services Profile – Household Services database
- In some Census suburbs there may be no data for households, or a very low number, as the Census suburb has population mainly living in collective living quarters (e.g. hotels, hostels, students' residences, hospitals, prisons and other institutions) or is an industrial or commercial area. In these instances the number of households is not applicable. All tables have the data included, even if at times they are "0", for completeness. The tables relating to population, age and labour force indicators would include the population living in these collective living quarters.
- The Census suburbs where the population is categorised as living mainly in collective living quarters or is an industrial or commercial area, the average household size has been excluded as it is not applicable. There are some Census suburbs with an average household size that have a small percentage of the population living in collective living quarters within that Census suburb, and this could artificially inflate the average household size.

2011 Census Suburb Overview

2011 Census Suburb Bloubergstrand	2011
Population	11 179
Households	4 593
Average Household Size	2.43

In 2011 the population of 2011 Census suburb Bloubergstrand was 11 179 and the number of households was 4 593. The average household size was 2.43.

A household is defined as a group of persons who live together, and provide themselves jointly with food or other essentials for living, or a single person who lives alone (Statistics South Africa).

The population and household numbers above are to be used and quoted as the official numbers for this 2011 Census suburb for 2011.

Key results for 2011 Census Suburb Bloubergstrand:

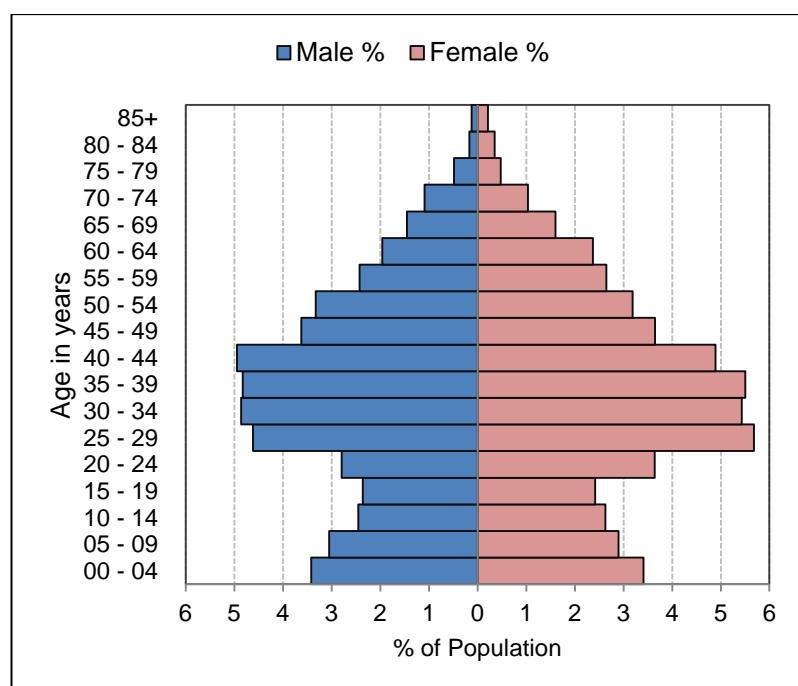
- The population is predominantly White (78%).
- 85% of those aged 20 years and older have completed Grade 12 or higher.
- 95% of the labour force (aged 15 to 64) is employed.
- 16% of households have a monthly income of R3 200 or less.
- 99.5% of households live in formal dwellings.
- 99.6% of households have access to piped water in their dwelling or inside their yard.
- 99% of households have access to a flush toilet connected to the public sewer system.
- 99% of households have their refuse removed at least once a week.
- 99.6% of households use electricity for lighting in their dwelling.

Note: There are small variations in the total population and the number of households in the tables which follow. These occur as Statistics South Africa had to calculate the true population to correct omissions and double counts in the enumeration process. In addition when the data is extracted using the Statistics South Africa software, it randomly rounds off all cells to a base number 3, including the totals. These variations are not significant.

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Demographic Profile – 2011 Census

Bloubergstrand Population	Male		Female		Total	
	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%
Black African	607	5.4%	675	6.0%	1 282	11.5%
Coloured	274	2.5%	346	3.1%	620	5.5%
Asian	156	1.4%	178	1.6%	334	3.0%
White	4 191	37.5%	4 473	40.0%	8 664	77.5%
Other	135	1.2%	145	1.3%	280	2.5%
Total	5 363	48.0%	5 817	52.0%	11 180	100.0%



Bloubergstrand Age	Black African		Coloured		Asian		White		Other		Total	
	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%
0 to 4 years	155	12.1%	49	7.9%	40	11.9%	491	5.7%	29	10.4%	764	6.8%
5 to 14 years	152	11.8%	77	12.4%	53	15.8%	918	10.6%	34	12.1%	1 234	11.0%
15 to 24 years	167	13.0%	84	13.6%	35	10.4%	923	10.7%	44	15.7%	1 253	11.2%
25 to 64 years	777	60.6%	389	62.8%	197	58.6%	5 622	64.9%	164	58.6%	7 149	64.0%
65 years and older	32	2.5%	20	3.2%	11	3.3%	706	8.2%	9	3.2%	778	7.0%
Total	1 283	100.0%	619	100.0%	336	100.0%	8 660	100.0%	280	100.0%	11 178	100.0%

Bloubergstrand Adult Education (for all aged 20+)	Black African		Coloured		Asian		White		Other		Total	
	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%
No schooling	9	1.0%	6	1.4%	0	0.0%	6	0.1%	3	1.5%	24	0.3%
Some primary	12	1.3%	12	2.7%	0	0.0%	27	0.4%	0	0.0%	51	0.6%
Completed primary	9	1.0%	6	1.4%	0	0.0%	21	0.3%	9	4.5%	45	0.5%
Some secondary	129	14.1%	78	17.6%	33	14.7%	723	10.6%	15	7.6%	978	11.4%
Grade 12	264	28.8%	138	31.1%	72	32.0%	2 574	37.7%	51	25.8%	3 099	36.0%
Higher	480	52.3%	195	43.9%	108	48.0%	3 354	49.1%	108	54.5%	4 245	49.3%
Other	15	1.6%	9	2.0%	12	5.3%	120	1.8%	12	6.1%	168	2.0%
Total	918	100.0%	444	100.0%	225	100.0%	6 825	100.0%	198	100.0%	8 610	100.0%

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Economic Profile – 2011 Census

Bloubergstrand Labour Force Indicators	Black African	Coloured	Asian	White	Other	Total
Population aged 15 to 64 years	942	474	228	6 552	210	8 406
Labour Force	723	345	180	5 247	105	6 600
Employed	675	321	177	4 968	96	6 237
Unemployed	48	24	3	279	9	363
Not Economically Active	219	129	48	1 305	105	1 806
Discouraged Work-seekers	12	3	0	21	0	36
Other not economically active	207	126	48	1 284	105	1 770
Rates %						
Unemployment rate	6.64%	6.96%	1.67%	5.32%	8.57%	5.50%
Labour absorption rate	71.66%	67.72%	77.63%	75.82%	45.71%	74.20%
Labour Force participation rate	76.75%	72.78%	78.95%	80.08%	50.00%	78.52%

Definitions:

Unemployment rate is the proportion of the labour force that is unemployed.

The **labour absorption rate** is the proportion of working age (15 to 64 years) population that is employed.

The **labour force participation rate** is the proportion of the working age population that is either employed or unemployed.

Note: Based on available data as supplied by Statistics South Africa, the people categorised as living in collective living quarters are included in the "Other not economically active" category.

Bloubergstrand Monthly Household Income	Black African		Coloured		Asian		White		Other		Total	
	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%
No income	48	11.3%	42	17.5%	12	11.1%	414	11.0%	21	30.4%	537	11.7%
R 1 - R 1 600	12	2.8%	12	5.0%	0	0.0%	78	2.1%	3	4.3%	105	2.3%
R 1 601 - R 3 200	27	6.3%	6	2.5%	3	2.8%	69	1.8%	3	4.3%	108	2.4%
R 3 201 - R 6 400	24	5.6%	12	5.0%	3	2.8%	201	5.4%	6	8.7%	246	5.4%
R 6 401 - R 12 800	48	11.3%	39	16.3%	9	8.3%	462	12.3%	3	4.3%	561	12.2%
R 12 801 - R 25 600	84	19.7%	45	18.8%	24	22.2%	756	20.2%	9	13.0%	918	20.0%
R 25 601 - R 51 200	78	18.3%	45	18.8%	24	22.2%	897	23.9%	15	21.7%	1 059	23.1%
R 51 201 - R 102 400	57	13.4%	21	8.8%	18	16.7%	633	16.9%	6	8.7%	735	16.0%
R 102 401 or more	48	11.3%	18	7.5%	15	13.9%	237	6.3%	3	4.3%	321	7.0%
Unspecified	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Total	426	100.0%	240	100.0%	108	100.0%	3 747	100.0%	69	100.0%	4 590	100.0%

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Dwelling Profile – 2011 Census

Bloubergstrand Type of Dwelling	Black African		Coloured		Asian		White		Other		Total	
	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%
Formal Dwelling	423	98.8%	237	99.2%	107	99.1%	3 728	99.6%	70	100.0%	4 565	99.5%
Informal dwelling / shack in backyard	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	3	0.1%	0	0.0%	3	0.1%
Informal dwelling / shack NOT in backyard	2	0.5%	2	0.8%	0	0.0%	2	0.1%	0	0.0%	6	0.1%
Other	3	0.7%	0	0.0%	1	0.9%	11	0.3%	0	0.0%	15	0.3%
Total	428	100.0%	239	100.0%	108	100.0%	3 744	100.0%	70	100.0%	4 589	100.0%

Bloubergstrand Tenure Status	Black African		Coloured		Asian		White		Other		Total	
	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%
Owned and fully paid off	60	14.0%	21	8.8%	14	12.8%	754	20.1%	18	26.1%	867	18.9%
Owned but not yet paid off	107	25.0%	53	22.1%	38	34.9%	1 348	36.0%	16	23.2%	1 562	34.0%
Rented	246	57.5%	152	63.3%	56	51.4%	1 576	42.1%	33	47.8%	2 063	44.9%
Occupied rent-free	2	0.5%	6	2.5%	0	0.0%	29	0.8%	2	2.9%	39	0.8%
Other	13	3.0%	8	3.3%	1	0.9%	38	1.0%	0	0.0%	60	1.3%
Total	428	100.0%	240	100.0%	109	100.0%	3 745	100.0%	69	100.0%	4 591	100.0%

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Household Services Profile – 2011 Census

Bloubergstrand Access to Piped Water	Black African		Coloured		Asian		White		Other		Total	
	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%
Piped water inside dwelling	423	99.3%	237	98.8%	108	100.0%	3 726	99.4%	69	100.0%	4 563	99.4%
Piped water inside yard	3	0.7%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	6	0.2%	0	0.0%	9	0.2%
Piped water outside yard: < 200m	0	0.0%	3	1.3%	0	0.0%	3	0.1%	0	0.0%	6	0.1%
Piped water outside yard: > 200m	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	6	0.2%	0	0.0%	6	0.1%
No access to piped water	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	6	0.2%	0	0.0%	6	0.1%
Total	426	100.0%	240	100.0%	108	100.0%	3 747	100.0%	69	100.0%	4 590	100.0%

Bloubergstrand Toilet Facility	Black African		Coloured		Asian		White		Other		Total	
	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%
Flush toilet (connected to sewerage system)	423	97.9%	234	97.5%	108	100.0%	3 732	99.7%	69	100.0%	4 566	99.4%
Flush toilet (with septic tank)	3	0.7%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	3	0.1%	0	0.0%	6	0.1%
Chemical toilet	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	3	0.1%	0	0.0%	3	0.1%
Pit toilet with ventilation (VIP)	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	3	0.1%	0	0.0%	3	0.1%
Pit toilet without ventilation	3	0.7%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	3	0.1%
Bucket toilet	0	0.0%	3	1.3%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	3	0.1%
Other	0	0.0%	3	1.3%	0	0.0%	3	0.1%	0	0.0%	6	0.1%
None	3	0.7%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	3	0.1%
Total	432	100.0%	240	100.0%	108	100.0%	3 744	100.0%	69	100.0%	4 593	100.0%

Bloubergstrand Refuse Disposal	Black African		Coloured		Asian		White		Other		Total	
	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%
Removed by local authority/private company at least once a week	423	99.3%	231	93.9%	111	100.0%	3 702	98.7%	72	100.0%	4 539	98.6%
Removed by local authority/private company less often	0	0.0%	3	1.2%	0	0.0%	18	0.5%	0	0.0%	21	0.5%
Communal refuse dump	3	0.7%	3	1.2%	0	0.0%	21	0.6%	0	0.0%	27	0.6%
Own refuse dump	0	0.0%	3	1.2%	0	0.0%	6	0.2%	0	0.0%	9	0.2%
No rubbish disposal	0	0.0%	3	1.2%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	3	0.1%
Other	0	0.0%	3	1.2%	0	0.0%	3	0.1%	0	0.0%	6	0.1%
Total	426	100.0%	246	100.0%	111	100.0%	3 750	100.0%	72	100.0%	4 605	100.0%

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Household Services Profile continued – 2011 Census

Bloubergstrand Energy used for Lighting	Black African		Coloured		Asian		White		Other		Total	
	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%
Electricity	426	99.3%	234	97.5%	108	100.0%	3 738	99.8%	69	95.8%	4 575	99.6%
Gas	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Paraffin	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Candles	0	0.0%	6	2.5%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	6	0.1%
Solar	3	0.7%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	3	0.1%	0	0.0%	6	0.1%
None	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	3	0.1%	3	4.2%	6	0.1%
Total	429	100.0%	240	100.0%	108	100.0%	3 744	100.0%	72	100.0%	4 593	100.0%

Bloubergstrand Energy used for Cooking	Black African		Coloured		Asian		White		Other		Total	
	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%
Electricity	387	90.8%	234	97.5%	93	88.6%	3 243	86.6%	54	78.3%	4 011	87.5%
Gas	36	8.5%	3	1.3%	12	11.4%	459	12.3%	15	21.7%	525	11.5%
Paraffin	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Wood	3	0.7%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	9	0.2%	0	0.0%	12	0.3%
Coal	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Animal dung	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Solar	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	6	0.2%	0	0.0%	6	0.1%
Other	0	0.0%	3	1.3%	0	0.0%	21	0.6%	0	0.0%	24	0.5%
None	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	6	0.2%	0	0.0%	6	0.1%
Total	426	100.0%	240	100.0%	105	100.0%	3 744	100.0%	69	100.0%	4 584	100.0%

Bloubergstrand Energy used for Heating	Black African		Coloured		Asian		White		Other		Total	
	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%
Electricity	351	81.8%	189	79.7%	90	88.2%	2 910	77.7%	48	66.7%	3 588	78.3%
Gas	39	9.1%	15	6.3%	6	5.9%	363	9.7%	6	8.3%	429	9.4%
Paraffin	3	0.7%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	3	0.1%	0	0.0%	6	0.1%
Wood	12	2.8%	6	2.5%	0	0.0%	156	4.2%	0	0.0%	174	3.8%
Coal	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	6	0.2%	0	0.0%	6	0.1%
Animal dung	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	6	0.2%	0	0.0%	6	0.1%
Solar	3	0.7%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	27	0.7%	0	0.0%	30	0.7%
Other	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	3	0.1%	0	0.0%	3	0.1%
None	21	4.9%	27	11.4%	6	5.9%	270	7.2%	18	25.0%	342	7.5%
Total	429	100.0%	237	100.0%	102	100.0%	3 744	100.0%	72	100.0%	4 584	100.0%

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