

City of Cape Town – 2011 Census Suburb Century City

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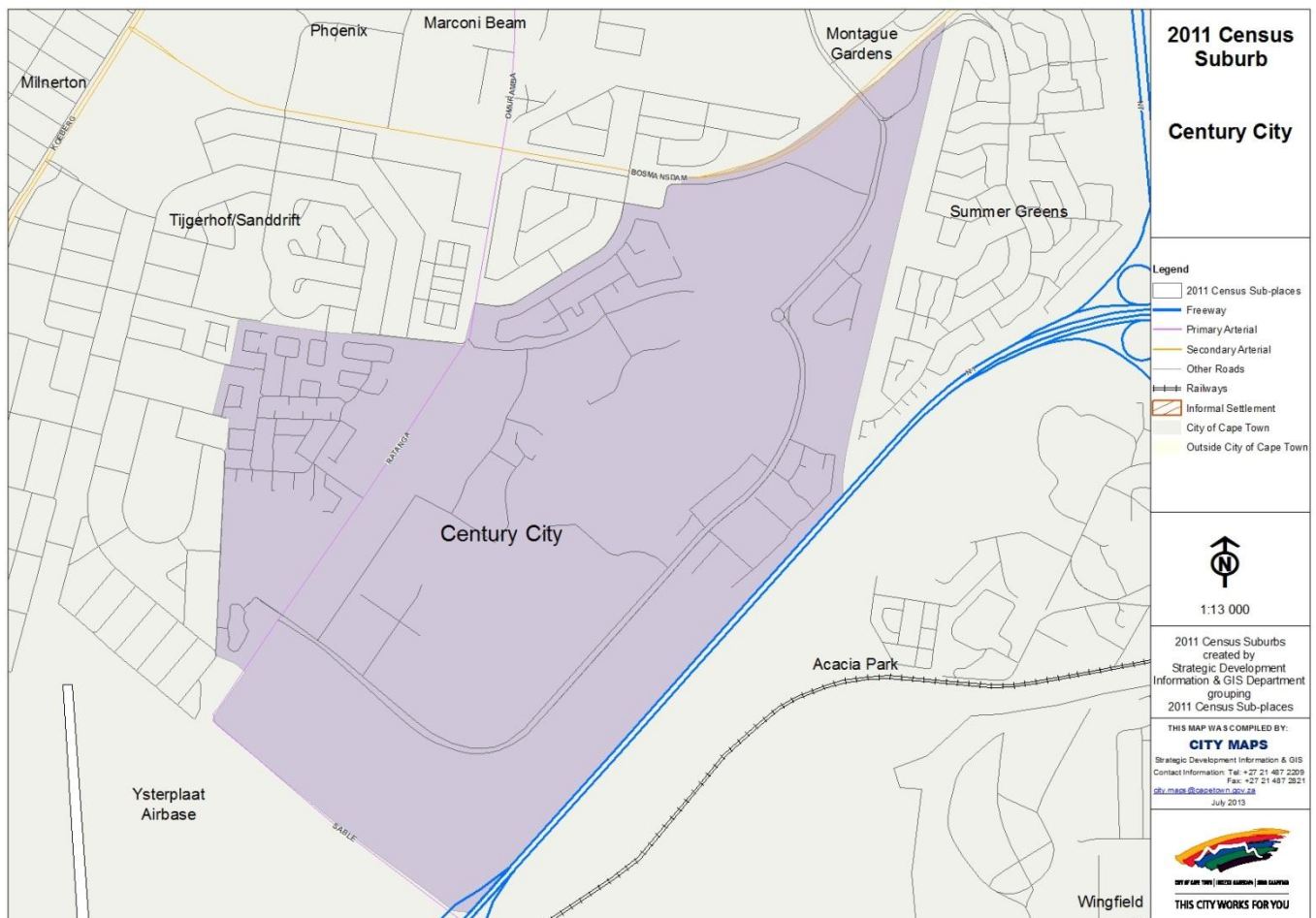
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2011 Census data supplied by Statistics South Africa
(Based on information available at the time of compilation as released by Statistics South Africa)

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 Century City includes the following sub-places: Century City.



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 Century City	2011
Population	4 239
Households	1 968
Average Household Size	2.15

In 2011 the population of 2011 Census suburb Century City was 4 239 and the number of households was 1 968. The average household size was 2.15.

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 Century City:

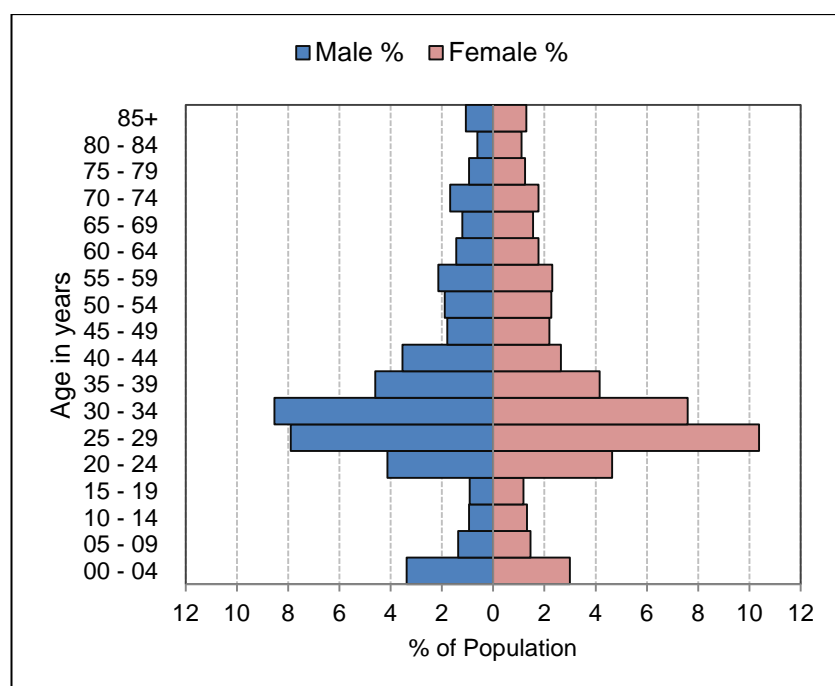
- The population is predominantly Whites (50%), Asian (20%) and Black African (16%).
- 90% of those aged 20 years and older have completed Grade 12 or higher.
- 98% of the labour force (aged 15 to 64) is employed.
- 11% of households have a monthly income of R3 200 or less.
- 99% of households live in 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.
- 93% of households have their refuse removed at least once a week.
- 99% 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

Century City Population	Male		Female		Total	
	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%
Black African	320	7.6%	354	8.4%	674	15.9%
Coloured	221	5.2%	208	4.9%	429	10.1%
Asian	406	9.6%	436	10.3%	842	19.9%
White	1 003	23.7%	1 101	26.0%	2 104	49.6%
Other	88	2.1%	101	2.4%	189	4.5%
Total	2 038	48.1%	2 200	51.9%	4 238	100.0%



Century City Age	Black African		Coloured		Asian		White		Other		Total	
	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%
0 to 4 years	60	8.9%	36	8.4%	76	9.0%	83	3.9%	15	7.9%	270	6.4%
5 to 14 years	56	8.3%	28	6.5%	66	7.8%	50	2.4%	16	8.4%	216	5.1%
15 to 24 years	61	9.1%	45	10.5%	115	13.6%	214	10.2%	26	13.7%	461	10.9%
25 to 64 years	433	64.3%	304	71.0%	554	65.7%	1 346	64.0%	124	65.3%	2 761	65.1%
65 years and older	63	9.4%	15	3.5%	32	3.8%	411	19.5%	9	4.7%	530	12.5%
Total	673	100.0%	428	100.0%	843	100.0%	2 104	100.0%	190	100.0%	4 238	100.0%

Century City Adult Education (for all aged 20+)	Black African		Coloured		Asian		White		Other		Total	
	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%
No schooling	3	0.7%	0	0.0%	6	0.9%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	9	0.3%
Some primary	3	0.7%	3	0.9%	3	0.5%	6	0.3%	9	6.0%	24	0.7%
Completed primary	0	0.0%	3	0.9%	3	0.5%	6	0.3%	0	0.0%	12	0.4%
Some secondary	27	6.3%	33	9.6%	48	7.4%	123	6.8%	18	12.0%	249	7.4%
Grade 12	69	16.2%	99	28.9%	117	18.1%	483	26.9%	30	20.0%	798	23.8%
Higher	321	75.4%	201	58.8%	462	71.6%	1 152	64.1%	90	60.0%	2 226	66.3%
Other	3	0.7%	3	0.9%	6	0.9%	27	1.5%	3	2.0%	42	1.3%
Total	426	100.0%	342	100.0%	645	100.0%	1 797	100.0%	150	100.0%	3 360	100.0%

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Economic Profile – 2011 Census

Century City Labour Force Indicators	Black African	Coloured	Asian	White	Other	Total
Population aged 15 to 64 years	498	348	669	1 560	147	3 222
Labour Force	351	303	465	1 281	90	2 490
Employed	342	300	453	1 254	84	2 433
Unemployed	9	3	12	27	6	57
Not Economically Active	147	45	204	279	57	732
Discouraged Work-seekers	6	0	3	3	0	12
Other not economically active	141	45	201	276	57	720
Rates %						
Unemployment rate	2.56%	0.99%	2.58%	2.11%	6.67%	2.29%
Labour absorption rate	68.67%	86.21%	67.71%	80.38%	57.14%	75.51%
Labour Force participation rate	70.48%	87.07%	69.51%	82.12%	61.22%	77.28%

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.

Century City Monthly Household Income	Black African		Coloured		Asian		White		Other		Total	
	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%
No income	21	7.5%	12	5.6%	27	8.2%	90	8.2%	9	16.7%	159	8.0%
R 1 - R 1 600	9	3.2%	0	0.0%	3	0.9%	15	1.4%	3	5.6%	30	1.5%
R 1 601 - R 3 200	3	1.1%	3	1.4%	3	0.9%	18	1.6%	3	5.6%	30	1.5%
R 3 201 - R 6 400	6	2.2%	9	4.2%	15	4.5%	42	3.8%	3	5.6%	75	3.8%
R 6 401 - R 12 800	21	7.5%	12	5.6%	18	5.5%	132	12.0%	9	16.7%	192	9.7%
R 12 801 - R 25 600	42	15.1%	54	25.0%	63	19.1%	252	22.9%	12	22.2%	423	21.4%
R 25 601 - R 51 200	96	34.4%	69	31.9%	105	31.8%	312	28.3%	6	11.1%	588	29.7%
R 51 201 - R 102 400	57	20.4%	42	19.4%	66	20.0%	174	15.8%	6	11.1%	345	17.4%
R 102 401 or more	24	8.6%	15	6.9%	30	9.1%	66	6.0%	3	5.6%	138	7.0%
Unspecified	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Total	279	100.0%	216	100.0%	330	100.0%	1 101	100.0%	54	100.0%	1 980	100.0%

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Dwelling Profile – 2011 Census

Century City Type of Dwelling	Black African		Coloured		Asian		White		Other		Total	
	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%
Formal Dwelling	270	97.5%	215	99.1%	329	99.7%	1 086	99.1%	49	100.0%	1 949	99.0%
Informal dwelling / shack in backyard	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Informal dwelling / shack NOT in backyard	2	0.7%	2	0.9%	0	0.0%	4	0.4%	0	0.0%	8	0.4%
Other	5	1.8%	0	0.0%	1	0.3%	6	0.5%	0	0.0%	12	0.6%
Total	277	100.0%	217	100.0%	330	100.0%	1 096	100.0%	49	100.0%	1 969	100.0%

Century City Tenure Status	Black African		Coloured		Asian		White		Other		Total	
	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%
Owned and fully paid off	26	9.4%	21	9.6%	71	21.5%	303	27.7%	12	24.5%	433	22.0%
Owned but not yet paid off	48	17.4%	51	23.4%	91	27.5%	212	19.4%	8	16.3%	410	20.8%
Rented	195	70.7%	143	65.6%	161	48.6%	551	50.4%	26	53.1%	1 076	54.7%
Occupied rent-free	1	0.4%	3	1.4%	6	1.8%	23	2.1%	2	4.1%	35	1.8%
Other	6	2.2%	0	0.0%	2	0.6%	5	0.5%	1	2.0%	14	0.7%
Total	276	100.0%	218	100.0%	331	100.0%	1 094	100.0%	49	100.0%	1 968	100.0%

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Household Services Profile – 2011 Census

Century City Access to Piped Water	Black African		Coloured		Asian		White		Other		Total	
	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%
Piped water inside dwelling	273	98.9%	216	98.6%	327	100.0%	1 089	99.5%	48	100.0%	1 953	99.4%
Piped water inside yard	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	3	0.3%	0	0.0%	3	0.2%
Piped water outside yard: < 200m	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Piped water outside yard: > 200m	3	1.1%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	3	0.3%	0	0.0%	6	0.3%
No access to piped water	0	0.0%	3	1.4%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	3	0.2%
Total	276	100.0%	219	100.0%	327	100.0%	1 095	100.0%	48	100.0%	1 965	100.0%

Century City Toilet Facility	Black African		Coloured		Asian		White		Other		Total	
	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%
Flush toilet (connected to sewerage system)	273	98.9%	216	100.0%	330	100.0%	1 086	99.2%	48	100.0%	1 953	99.4%
Flush toilet (with septic tank)	3	1.1%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	6	0.5%	0	0.0%	9	0.5%
Chemical toilet	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Pit toilet with ventilation (VIP)	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Pit toilet without ventilation	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Bucket toilet	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Other	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
None	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	3	0.3%	0	0.0%	3	0.2%
Total	276	100.0%	216	100.0%	330	100.0%	1 095	100.0%	48	100.0%	1 965	100.0%

Century City 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	273	97.8%	210	97.2%	318	96.4%	981	89.3%	48	100.0%	1 830	92.8%
Removed by local authority/private company less often	0	0.0%	3	1.4%	3	0.9%	6	0.5%	0	0.0%	12	0.6%
Communal refuse dump	3	1.1%	3	1.4%	6	1.8%	111	10.1%	0	0.0%	123	6.2%
Own refuse dump	3	1.1%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	3	0.2%
No rubbish disposal	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Other	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	3	0.9%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	3	0.2%
Total	279	100.0%	216	100.0%	330	100.0%	1 098	100.0%	48	100.0%	1 971	100.0%

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Household Services Profile continued – 2011 Census

Century City Energy used for Lighting	Black African		Coloured		Asian		White		Other		Total	
	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%
Electricity	273	98.9%	219	100.0%	330	100.0%	1 086	99.2%	48	100.0%	1 956	99.4%
Gas	3	1.1%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	3	0.3%	0	0.0%	6	0.3%
Paraffin	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Candles	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%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
None	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	6	0.5%	0	0.0%	6	0.3%
Total	276	100.0%	219	100.0%	330	100.0%	1 095	100.0%	48	100.0%	1 968	100.0%

Century City Energy used for Cooking	Black African		Coloured		Asian		White		Other		Total	
	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%
Electricity	267	96.7%	207	95.8%	306	91.9%	1 026	93.7%	48	100.0%	1 854	94.2%
Gas	0	0.0%	6	2.8%	15	4.5%	36	3.3%	0	0.0%	57	2.9%
Paraffin	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Wood	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
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%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Other	9	3.3%	3	1.4%	12	3.6%	33	3.0%	0	0.0%	57	2.9%
None	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Total	276	100.0%	216	100.0%	333	100.0%	1 095	100.0%	48	100.0%	1 968	100.0%

Century City Energy used for Heating	Black African		Coloured		Asian		White		Other		Total	
	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%
Electricity	255	93.4%	192	90.1%	300	90.9%	978	89.1%	45	100.0%	1 770	90.4%
Gas	6	2.2%	12	5.6%	18	5.5%	48	4.4%	0	0.0%	84	4.3%
Paraffin	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Wood	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	3	0.9%	6	0.5%	0	0.0%	9	0.5%
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	0.5%	0	0.0%	6	0.3%
Other	3	1.1%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	3	0.2%
None	9	3.3%	9	4.2%	9	2.7%	60	5.5%	0	0.0%	87	4.4%
Total	273	100.0%	213	100.0%	330	100.0%	1 098	100.0%	45	100.0%	1 959	100.0%

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