

City of Cape Town – 2011 Census Suburb Edgemean

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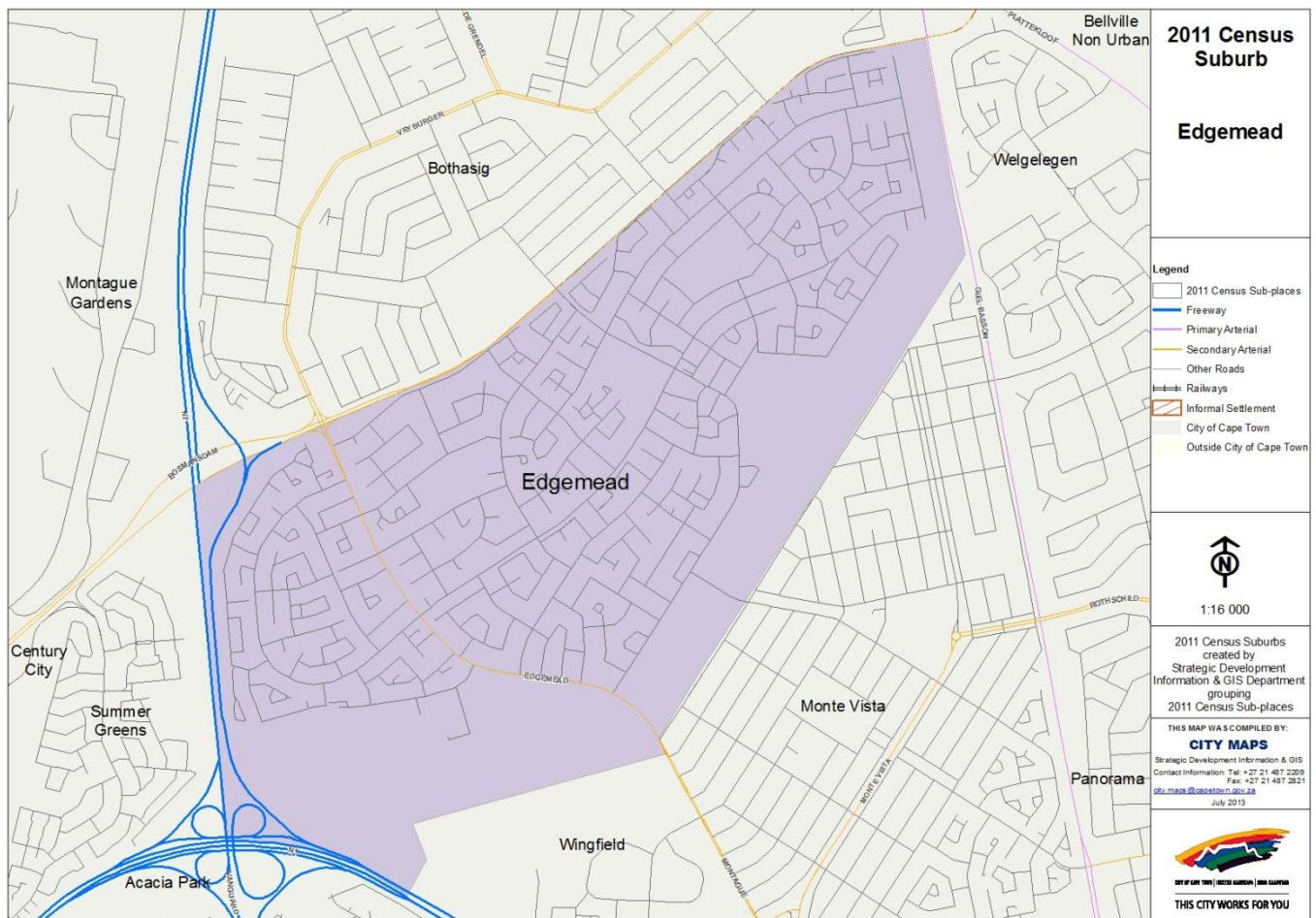
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2011 Census data supplied by Statistics South Africa
(Based on information available at the time of compilation as released by Statistics South Africa)

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 Edgemean includes the following sub-places: Edgemean.



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 Edgemean	2011
Population	9 884
Households	3 699
Average Household Size	2.67

In 2011 the population of 2011 Census suburb Edgemean was 9 884 and the number of households was 3 699. The average household size was 2.67.

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 Edgemean:

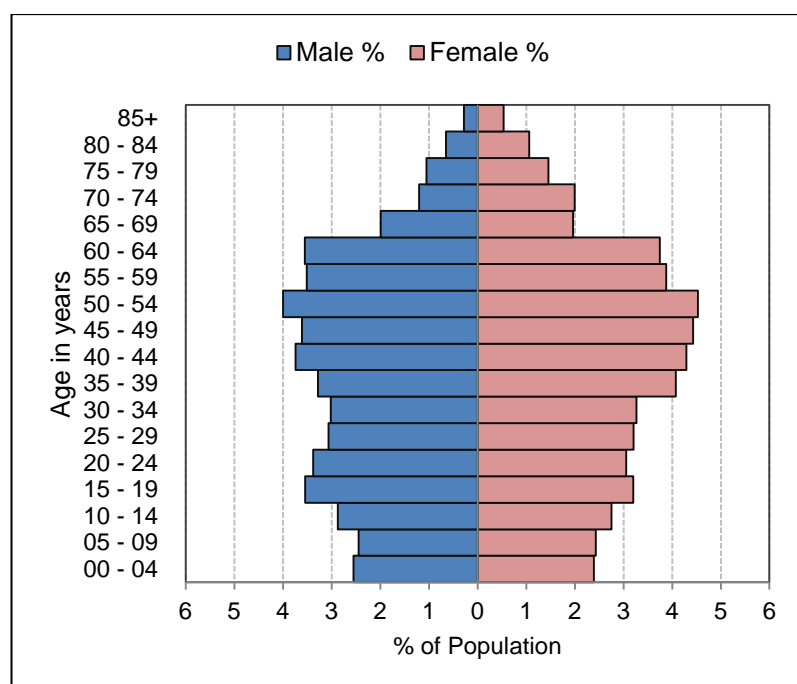
- The population is predominantly White (87%).
- 81% of those aged 20 years and older have completed Grade 12 or higher.
- 96% of the labour force (aged 15 to 64) is employed.
- 12% of households have a monthly income of R3 200 or less.
- 99.5% of households live in formal dwellings.
- 99% of households have access to piped water in their dwelling or inside their yard.
- 99.5% of households have access to a flush toilet connected to the public sewer system.
- 99.9% of households have their refuse removed at least once a week.
- 99.8% 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

Edgemead Population	Male		Female		Total	
	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%
Black African	158	1.6%	162	1.6%	320	3.2%
Coloured	338	3.4%	378	3.8%	716	7.2%
Asian	53	0.5%	58	0.6%	111	1.1%
White	4 091	41.4%	4 477	45.3%	8 568	86.7%
Other	80	0.8%	90	0.9%	170	1.7%
Total	4 720	47.7%	5 165	52.3%	9 885	100.0%



Edgemead Age	Black African		Coloured		Asian		White		Other		Total	
	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%
0 to 4 years	33	10.2%	71	9.9%	9	8.3%	367	4.3%	8	4.7%	488	4.9%
5 to 14 years	42	13.0%	138	19.3%	19	17.4%	807	9.4%	33	19.4%	1 039	10.5%
15 to 24 years	45	14.0%	93	13.0%	13	11.9%	1 120	13.1%	29	17.1%	1 300	13.2%
25 to 64 years	180	55.9%	384	53.8%	64	58.7%	5 137	60.0%	85	50.0%	5 850	59.2%
65 years and older	22	6.8%	28	3.9%	4	3.7%	1 137	13.3%	15	8.8%	1 206	12.2%
Total	322	100.0%	714	100.0%	109	100.0%	8 568	100.0%	170	100.0%	9 883	100.0%

Edgemead Adult Education (for all aged 20+)	Black African		Coloured		Asian		White		Other		Total	
	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%
No schooling	0	0.0%	3	0.7%	0	0.0%	6	0.1%	0	0.0%	9	0.1%
Some primary	0	0.0%	12	2.7%	0	0.0%	39	0.6%	3	2.4%	54	0.7%
Completed primary	3	1.4%	3	0.7%	0	0.0%	21	0.3%	0	0.0%	27	0.4%
Some secondary	30	13.5%	69	15.6%	6	8.0%	1 164	17.0%	24	19.5%	1 293	16.8%
Grade 12	84	37.8%	147	33.3%	21	28.0%	2 940	43.0%	36	29.3%	3 228	41.9%
Higher	105	47.3%	201	45.6%	48	64.0%	2 595	38.0%	54	43.9%	3 003	39.0%
Other	0	0.0%	6	1.4%	0	0.0%	72	1.1%	6	4.9%	84	1.1%
Total	222	100.0%	441	100.0%	75	100.0%	6 837	100.0%	123	100.0%	7 698	100.0%

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Economic Profile – 2011 Census

Edgemead Labour Force Indicators	Black African	Coloured	Asian	White	Other	Total
Population aged 15 to 64 years	222	474	78	6 258	114	7 146
Labour Force	183	366	54	4 596	81	5 280
Employed	174	354	48	4 413	81	5 070
Unemployed	9	12	6	183	0	210
Not Economically Active	39	108	24	1 662	33	1 866
Discouraged Work-seekers	0	3	3	48	0	54
Other not economically active	39	105	21	1 614	33	1 812
Rates %						
Unemployment rate	4.92%	3.28%	11.11%	3.98%	0.00%	3.98%
Labour absorption rate	78.38%	74.68%	61.54%	70.52%	71.05%	70.95%
Labour Force participation rate	82.43%	77.22%	69.23%	73.44%	71.05%	73.89%

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.

Edgemead Monthly Household Income	Black African		Coloured		Asian		White		Other		Total	
	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%
No income	12	10.5%	15	7.2%	0	0.0%	192	5.8%	9	20.0%	228	6.2%
R 1 - R 1 600	3	2.6%	6	2.9%	0	0.0%	75	2.3%	0	0.0%	84	2.3%
R 1 601 - R 3 200	12	10.5%	9	4.3%	0	0.0%	102	3.1%	0	0.0%	123	3.3%
R 3 201 - R 6 400	9	7.9%	9	4.3%	0	0.0%	306	9.3%	6	13.3%	330	8.9%
R 6 401 - R 12 800	18	15.8%	15	7.2%	0	0.0%	516	15.7%	6	13.3%	555	15.0%
R 12 801 - R 25 600	18	15.8%	24	11.6%	6	22.2%	732	22.2%	12	26.7%	792	21.5%
R 25 601 - R 51 200	18	15.8%	66	31.9%	15	55.6%	927	28.1%	9	20.0%	1 035	28.0%
R 51 201 - R 102 400	21	18.4%	54	26.1%	6	22.2%	384	11.6%	3	6.7%	468	12.7%
R 102 401 or more	3	2.6%	9	4.3%	0	0.0%	63	1.9%	0	0.0%	75	2.0%
Unspecified	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Total	114	100.0%	207	100.0%	27	100.0%	3 297	100.0%	45	100.0%	3 690	100.0%

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Dwelling Profile – 2011 Census

Edgemead Type of Dwelling	Black African		Coloured		Asian		White		Other		Total	
	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%
Formal Dwelling	106	94.6%	202	99.5%	29	100.0%	3 293	99.7%	48	98.0%	3 678	99.5%
Informal dwelling / shack in backyard	2	1.8%	1	0.5%	0	0.0%	1	0.0%	0	0.0%	4	0.1%
Informal dwelling / shack NOT in backyard	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	2	0.1%	0	0.0%	2	0.1%
Other	4	3.6%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	8	0.2%	1	2.0%	13	0.4%
Total	112	100.0%	203	100.0%	29	100.0%	3 304	100.0%	49	100.0%	3 697	100.0%

Edgemead Tenure Status	Black African		Coloured		Asian		White		Other		Total	
	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%
Owned and fully paid off	29	26.1%	23	11.3%	1	3.4%	1 208	36.6%	16	32.7%	1 277	34.5%
Owned but not yet paid off	51	45.9%	125	61.3%	19	65.5%	1 505	45.5%	21	42.9%	1 721	46.5%
Rented	26	23.4%	48	23.5%	8	27.6%	536	16.2%	12	24.5%	630	17.0%
Occupied rent-free	5	4.5%	5	2.5%	1	3.4%	45	1.4%	0	0.0%	56	1.5%
Other	0	0.0%	3	1.5%	0	0.0%	11	0.3%	0	0.0%	14	0.4%
Total	111	100.0%	204	100.0%	29	100.0%	3 305	100.0%	49	100.0%	3 698	100.0%

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Household Services Profile – 2011 Census

Edgemead Access to Piped Water	Black African		Coloured		Asian		White		Other		Total	
	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%
Piped water inside dwelling	105	94.6%	204	100.0%	30	100.0%	3 282	99.2%	48	94.1%	3 669	99.0%
Piped water inside yard	3	2.7%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	9	0.3%	0	0.0%	12	0.3%
Piped water outside yard: < 200m	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	6	0.2%	0	0.0%	6	0.2%
Piped water outside yard: > 200m	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	3	0.1%	0	0.0%	3	0.1%
No access to piped water	3	2.7%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	9	0.3%	3	5.9%	15	0.4%
Total	111	100.0%	204	100.0%	30	100.0%	3 309	100.0%	51	100.0%	3 705	100.0%

Edgemead Toilet Facility	Black African		Coloured		Asian		White		Other		Total	
	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%
Flush toilet (connected to sewerage system)	108	97.3%	204	100.0%	30	100.0%	3 291	99.5%	48	100.0%	3 681	99.5%
Flush toilet (with septic tank)	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	12	0.4%	0	0.0%	12	0.3%
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%	3	0.1%	0	0.0%	3	0.1%
None	3	2.7%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	3	0.1%
Total	111	100.0%	204	100.0%	30	100.0%	3 306	100.0%	48	100.0%	3 699	100.0%

Edgemead 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	111	100.0%	204	100.0%	27	100.0%	3 300	99.9%	51	100.0%	3 693	99.9%
Removed by local authority/private company less often	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	3	0.1%	0	0.0%	3	0.1%
Communal refuse dump	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Own refuse dump	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
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%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Total	111	100.0%	204	100.0%	27	100.0%	3 303	100.0%	51	100.0%	3 696	100.0%

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Household Services Profile continued – 2011 Census

Edgemoor Energy used for Lighting	Black African		Coloured		Asian		White		Other		Total	
	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%
Electricity	111	100.0%	201	100.0%	30	100.0%	3 291	99.7%	51	100.0%	3 684	99.8%
Gas	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	3	0.1%	0	0.0%	3	0.1%
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%	3	0.1%	0	0.0%	3	0.1%
None	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	3	0.1%	0	0.0%	3	0.1%
Total	111	100.0%	201	100.0%	30	100.0%	3 300	100.0%	51	100.0%	3 693	100.0%

Edgemoor Energy used for Cooking	Black African		Coloured		Asian		White		Other		Total	
	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%
Electricity	99	89.2%	177	85.5%	18	66.7%	2 964	89.7%	42	87.5%	3 300	89.2%
Gas	12	10.8%	24	11.6%	9	33.3%	327	9.9%	6	12.5%	378	10.2%
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%	3	0.1%	0	0.0%	3	0.1%
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%	3	0.1%	0	0.0%	3	0.1%
Solar	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	3	0.1%	0	0.0%	3	0.1%
Other	0	0.0%	3	1.4%	0	0.0%	3	0.1%	0	0.0%	6	0.2%
None	0	0.0%	3	1.4%	0	0.0%	3	0.1%	0	0.0%	6	0.2%
Total	111	100.0%	207	100.0%	27	100.0%	3 306	100.0%	48	100.0%	3 699	100.0%

Edgemoor Energy used for Heating	Black African		Coloured		Asian		White		Other		Total	
	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%
Electricity	66	59.5%	156	76.5%	21	87.5%	2 490	75.4%	27	60.0%	2 760	74.9%
Gas	24	21.6%	21	10.3%	0	0.0%	366	11.1%	9	20.0%	420	11.4%
Paraffin	3	2.7%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	3	0.1%	0	0.0%	6	0.2%
Wood	0	0.0%	6	2.9%	0	0.0%	102	3.1%	0	0.0%	108	2.9%
Coal	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	9	0.3%	3	6.7%	12	0.3%
Animal dung	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Solar	3	2.7%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	39	1.2%	0	0.0%	42	1.1%
Other	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
None	15	13.5%	21	10.3%	3	12.5%	294	8.9%	6	13.3%	339	9.2%
Total	111	100.0%	204	100.0%	24	100.0%	3 303	100.0%	45	100.0%	3 687	100.0%

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