

# City of Cape Town – 2011 Census Suburb Manenberg

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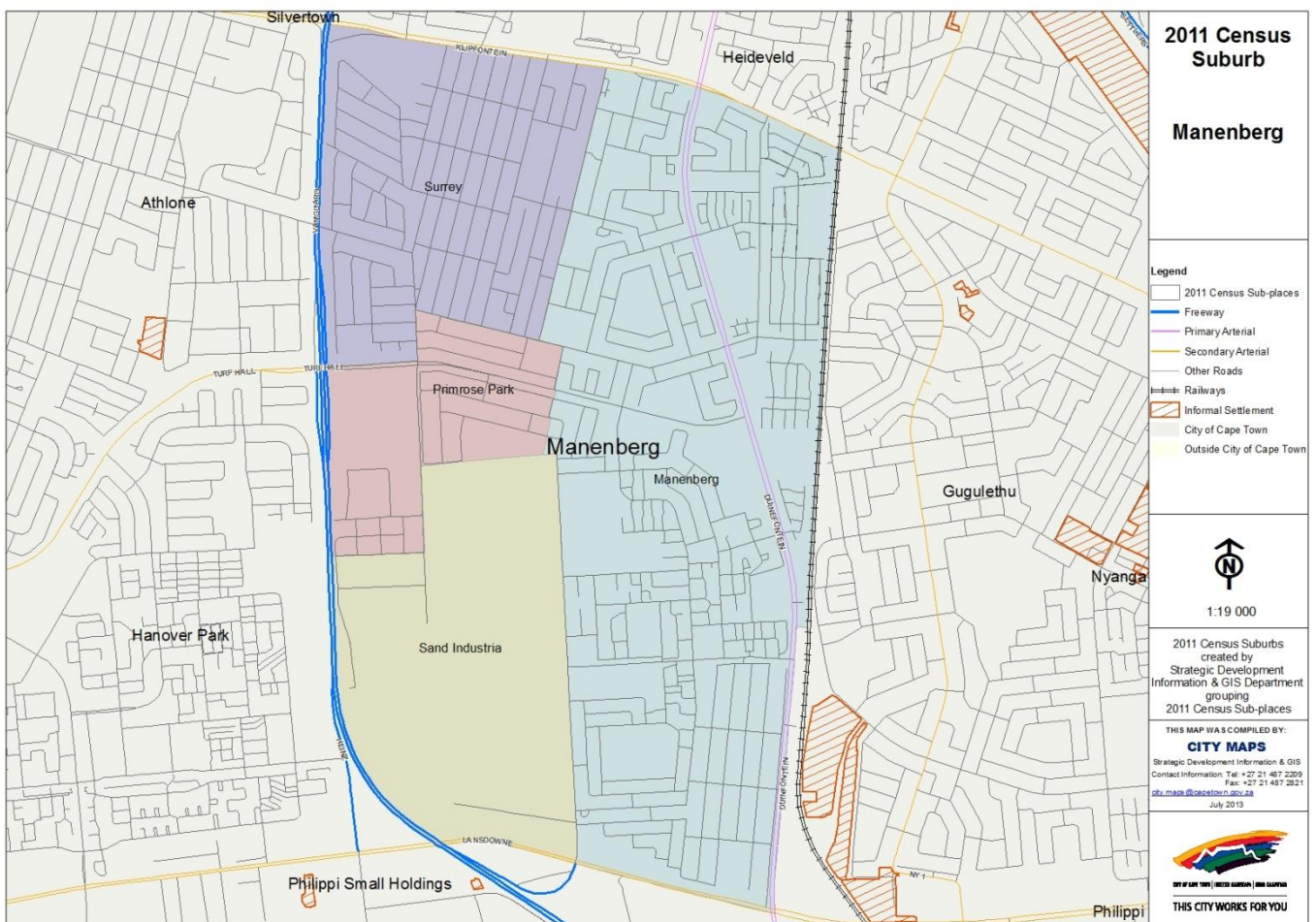
Compiled by Strategic Development Information and GIS Department (SDI&GIS), City of Cape Town  
2011 Census data supplied by Statistics South Africa  
(Based on information available at the time of compilation as released by Statistics South Africa)

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 Manenberg includes the following sub-places: Manenberg, Primrose Park, Sand Industria, Surrey.



**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**

<b>2011 Census Suburb Manenberg</b>	<b>2011</b>
Population	61 615
Households	12 834
Average Household Size	4.80

In 2011 the population of 2011 Census suburb Manenberg was 61 615 and the number of households was 12 834. The average household size was 4.80.

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 Manenberg:**

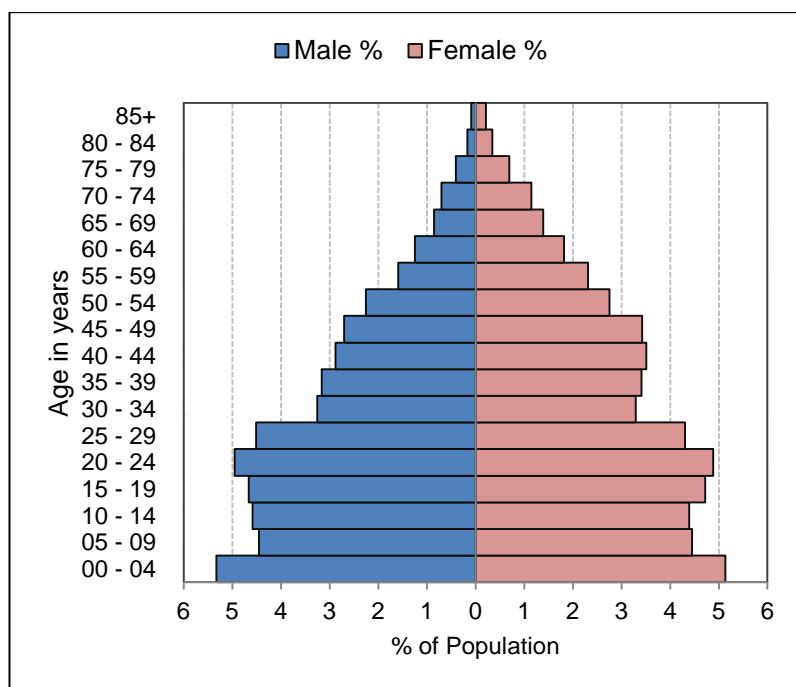
- The population is predominantly Coloured (85%).
- 26% of those aged 20 years and older have completed Grade 12 or higher.
- 64% of the labour force (aged 15 to 64) is employed.
- 61% of households have a monthly income of R3 200 or less.
- 90% of households live in formal dwellings.
- 98% of households have access to piped water in their dwelling or inside their yard.
- 94% of households have access to a flush toilet connected to the public sewer system.
- 99.7% 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

Manenberg Population	Male		Female		Total	
	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%
Black African	3 234	5.2%	3 159	5.1%	6 393	10.4%
Coloured	24 565	39.9%	27 503	44.6%	52 068	84.5%
Asian	486	0.8%	434	0.7%	920	1.5%
White	48	0.1%	44	0.1%	92	0.1%
Other	1 127	1.8%	1 014	1.6%	2 141	3.5%
Total	29 460	47.8%	32 154	52.2%	61 614	100.0%



Manenberg Age	Black African		Coloured		Asian		White		Other		Total	
	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%
0 to 4 years	695	10.9%	5 480	10.5%	62	6.7%	8	8.6%	201	9.4%	6 446	10.5%
5 to 14 years	1 021	16.0%	9 453	18.2%	130	14.1%	12	12.9%	404	18.9%	11 020	17.9%
15 to 24 years	1 183	18.5%	10 029	19.3%	193	21.0%	9	9.7%	433	20.2%	11 847	19.2%
25 to 64 years	3 268	51.1%	23 797	45.7%	487	52.9%	57	61.3%	992	46.3%	28 601	46.4%
65 years and older	227	3.6%	3 308	6.4%	48	5.2%	7	7.5%	112	5.2%	3 702	6.0%
Total	6 394	100.0%	52 067	100.0%	920	100.0%	93	100.0%	2 142	100.0%	61 616	100.0%

Manenberg Adult Education (for all aged 20+)	Black African		Coloured		Asian		White		Other		Total	
	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%
No schooling	60	1.5%	534	1.7%	6	0.9%	0	0.0%	42	3.1%	642	1.7%
Some primary	309	7.8%	4 758	14.8%	45	6.9%	6	10.0%	159	11.8%	5 277	13.8%
Completed primary	171	4.3%	2 685	8.4%	33	5.0%	0	0.0%	87	6.5%	2 976	7.8%
Some secondary	1 917	48.2%	16 443	51.3%	180	27.5%	15	25.0%	612	45.5%	19 167	50.3%
Grade 12	1 269	31.9%	6 537	20.4%	243	37.2%	30	50.0%	372	27.7%	8 451	22.2%
Higher	231	5.8%	1 029	3.2%	138	21.1%	9	15.0%	66	4.9%	1 473	3.9%
Other	18	0.5%	87	0.3%	9	1.4%	0	0.0%	6	0.4%	120	0.3%
Total	3 975	100.0%	32 073	100.0%	654	100.0%	60	100.0%	1 344	100.0%	38 106	100.0%

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## Economic Profile – 2011 Census

Manenberg Labour Force Indicators	Black African	Coloured	Asian	White	Other	Total
Population aged 15 to 64 years	4 452	33 828	681	66	1 425	40 452
<b>Labour Force</b>	<b>2 922</b>	<b>17 568</b>	<b>396</b>	<b>54</b>	<b>945</b>	<b>21 885</b>
Employed	2 091	10 962	327	42	540	13 962
Unemployed	831	6 606	69	12	405	7 923
<b>Not Economically Active</b>	<b>1 530</b>	<b>16 260</b>	<b>285</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>480</b>	<b>18 567</b>
Discouraged Work-seekers	228	1 869	18	0	33	2 148
Other not economically active	1 302	14 391	267	12	447	16 419
<b>Rates %</b>						
Unemployment rate	28.44%	37.60%	17.42%	22.22%	42.86%	36.20%
Labour absorption rate	46.97%	32.41%	48.02%	63.64%	37.89%	34.51%
Labour Force participation rate	65.63%	51.93%	58.15%	81.82%	66.32%	54.10%

### 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.

Manenberg Monthly Household Income	Black African		Coloured		Asian		White		Other		Total	
	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%
No income	222	12.7%	1 260	12.0%	21	10.1%	0	0.0%	36	10.3%	1 539	12.0%
R 1 - R 1 600	447	25.6%	2 802	26.6%	33	15.9%	0	0.0%	78	22.4%	3 360	26.2%
R 1 601 - R 3 200	444	25.5%	2 355	22.4%	15	7.2%	0	0.0%	81	23.3%	2 895	22.6%
R 3 201 - R 6 400	348	20.0%	1 890	18.0%	30	14.5%	3	25.0%	69	19.8%	2 340	18.2%
R 6 401 - R 12 800	189	10.8%	1 107	10.5%	39	18.8%	0	0.0%	33	9.5%	1 368	10.7%
R 12 801 - R 25 600	69	4.0%	639	6.1%	30	14.5%	3	25.0%	30	8.6%	771	6.0%
R 25 601 - R 51 200	18	1.0%	360	3.4%	24	11.6%	6	50.0%	15	4.3%	423	3.3%
R 51 201 - R 102 400	6	0.3%	84	0.8%	12	5.8%	0	0.0%	6	1.7%	108	0.8%
R 102 401 or more	0	0.0%	27	0.3%	3	1.4%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	30	0.2%
Unspecified	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Total	1 743	100.0%	10 524	100.0%	207	100.0%	12	100.0%	348	100.0%	12 834	100.0%

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## Dwelling Profile – 2011 Census

Manenberg Type of Dwelling	Black African		Coloured		Asian		White		Other		Total	
	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%
Formal Dwelling	1 203	68.9%	9 812	93.3%	196	95.6%	15	93.8%	316	92.1%	11 542	89.9%
Informal dwelling / shack in backyard	505	28.9%	543	5.2%	5	2.4%	1	6.3%	17	5.0%	1 071	8.3%
Informal dwelling / shack NOT in backyard	18	1.0%	18	0.2%	1	0.5%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	37	0.3%
Other	20	1.1%	149	1.4%	3	1.5%	0	0.0%	10	2.9%	182	1.4%
<b>Total</b>	<b>1 746</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>10 522</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>205</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>343</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>12 832</b>	<b>100.0%</b>

Manenberg Tenure Status	Black African		Coloured		Asian		White		Other		Total	
	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%
Owned and fully paid off	555	31.8%	2 685	25.5%	57	27.7%	7	43.8%	72	21.0%	3 376	26.3%
Owned but not yet paid off	92	5.3%	1 134	10.8%	73	35.4%	6	37.5%	39	11.4%	1 344	10.5%
Rented	880	50.4%	6 344	60.3%	68	33.0%	3	18.8%	214	62.4%	7 509	58.5%
Occupied rent-free	183	10.5%	256	2.4%	3	1.5%	0	0.0%	8	2.3%	450	3.5%
Other	36	2.1%	104	1.0%	5	2.4%	0	0.0%	10	2.9%	155	1.2%
<b>Total</b>	<b>1 746</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>10 523</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>206</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>343</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>12 834</b>	<b>100.0%</b>

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## Household Services Profile – 2011 Census

Manenberg Access to Piped Water	Black African		Coloured		Asian		White		Other		Total	
	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%
Piped water inside dwelling	1 248	71.6%	9 672	92.0%	195	95.6%	18	100.0%	321	93.9%	11 454	89.3%
Piped water inside yard	477	27.4%	636	6.0%	9	4.4%	0	0.0%	21	6.1%	1 143	8.9%
Piped water outside yard: < 200m	3	0.2%	51	0.5%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	54	0.4%
Piped water outside yard: > 200m	0	0.0%	12	0.1%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	12	0.1%
No access to piped water	15	0.9%	147	1.4%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	162	1.3%
<b>Total</b>	<b>1 743</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>10 518</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>204</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>342</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>12 825</b>	<b>100.0%</b>

Manenberg Toilet Facility	Black African		Coloured		Asian		White		Other		Total	
	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%
Flush toilet (connected to sewerage system)	1 674	95.5%	9 891	94.0%	198	97.1%	15	100.0%	333	96.5%	12 111	94.3%
Flush toilet (with septic tank)	18	1.0%	114	1.1%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	132	1.0%
Chemical toilet	3	0.2%	6	0.1%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	9	0.1%
Pit toilet with ventilation (VIP)	0	0.0%	6	0.1%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	6	0.0%
Pit toilet without ventilation	0	0.0%	3	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	3	0.0%
Bucket toilet	6	0.3%	198	1.9%	3	1.5%	0	0.0%	6	1.7%	213	1.7%
Other	9	0.5%	102	1.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	3	0.9%	114	0.9%
None	42	2.4%	204	1.9%	3	1.5%	0	0.0%	3	0.9%	252	2.0%
<b>Total</b>	<b>1 752</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>10 524</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>204</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>345</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>12 840</b>	<b>100.0%</b>

Manenberg 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	1 737	99.8%	10 491	99.7%	204	100.0%	15	100.0%	342	99.1%	12 789	99.7%
Removed by local authority/private company less often	0	0.0%	9	0.1%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	9	0.1%
Communal refuse dump	0	0.0%	6	0.1%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	6	0.0%
Own refuse dump	0	0.0%	3	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	3	0.9%	6	0.0%
No rubbish disposal	0	0.0%	6	0.1%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	6	0.0%
Other	3	0.2%	6	0.1%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	9	0.1%
<b>Total</b>	<b>1 740</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>10 521</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>204</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>345</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>12 825</b>	<b>100.0%</b>

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## Household Services Profile continued – 2011 Census

Manenberg Energy used for Lighting	Black African		Coloured		Asian		White		Other		Total	
	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%
Electricity	1 728	99.0%	10 386	98.7%	204	98.6%	15	100.0%	336	98.2%	12 669	98.7%
Gas	12	0.7%	48	0.5%	3	1.4%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	63	0.5%
Paraffin	0	0.0%	9	0.1%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	9	0.1%
Candles	3	0.2%	36	0.3%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	3	0.9%	42	0.3%
Solar	0	0.0%	21	0.2%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	21	0.2%
None	3	0.2%	24	0.2%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	3	0.9%	30	0.2%
<b>Total</b>	<b>1 746</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>10 524</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>207</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>342</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>12 834</b>	<b>100.0%</b>

Manenberg Energy used for Cooking	Black African		Coloured		Asian		White		Other		Total	
	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%
Electricity	1 635	93.5%	9 564	90.9%	144	70.6%	15	83.3%	282	81.0%	11 640	90.6%
Gas	84	4.8%	777	7.4%	57	27.9%	3	16.7%	51	14.7%	972	7.6%
Paraffin	12	0.7%	15	0.1%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	3	0.9%	30	0.2%
Wood	3	0.2%	15	0.1%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	18	0.1%
Coal	0	0.0%	3	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	3	0.0%
Animal dung	0	0.0%	6	0.1%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	6	0.0%
Solar	0	0.0%	24	0.2%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	24	0.2%
Other	9	0.5%	96	0.9%	3	1.5%	0	0.0%	9	2.6%	117	0.9%
None	6	0.3%	27	0.3%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	3	0.9%	36	0.3%
<b>Total</b>	<b>1 749</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>10 527</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>204</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>348</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>12 846</b>	<b>100.0%</b>

Manenberg Energy used for Heating	Black African		Coloured		Asian		White		Other		Total	
	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%
Electricity	687	39.3%	8 598	81.7%	132	64.7%	15	62.5%	222	63.8%	9 654	75.2%
Gas	120	6.9%	207	2.0%	15	7.4%	0	0.0%	15	4.3%	357	2.8%
Paraffin	405	23.2%	150	1.4%	0	0.0%	3	12.5%	27	7.8%	585	4.6%
Wood	6	0.3%	51	0.5%	3	1.5%	3	12.5%	3	0.9%	66	0.5%
Coal	3	0.2%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	3	0.0%
Animal dung	0	0.0%	3	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	3	0.0%
Solar	0	0.0%	24	0.2%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	3	0.9%	27	0.2%
Other	0	0.0%	3	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	3	0.0%
None	525	30.1%	1 485	14.1%	54	26.5%	3	12.5%	78	22.4%	2 145	16.7%
<b>Total</b>	<b>1 746</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>10 521</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>204</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>348</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>12 843</b>	<b>100.0%</b>

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