

City of Cape Town – 2011 Census Suburb Welgelegen

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(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 Welgelegen includes the following sub-places: Kleinbosch, Welgelegen1, Welgelegen2, Welgelegen3.



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 Welgelegen	2011
Population	6 114
Households	2 166
Average Household Size	2.82

In 2011 the population of 2011 Census suburb Welgelegen was 6 114 and the number of households was 2 166. The average household size was 2.82.

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 Welgelegen:

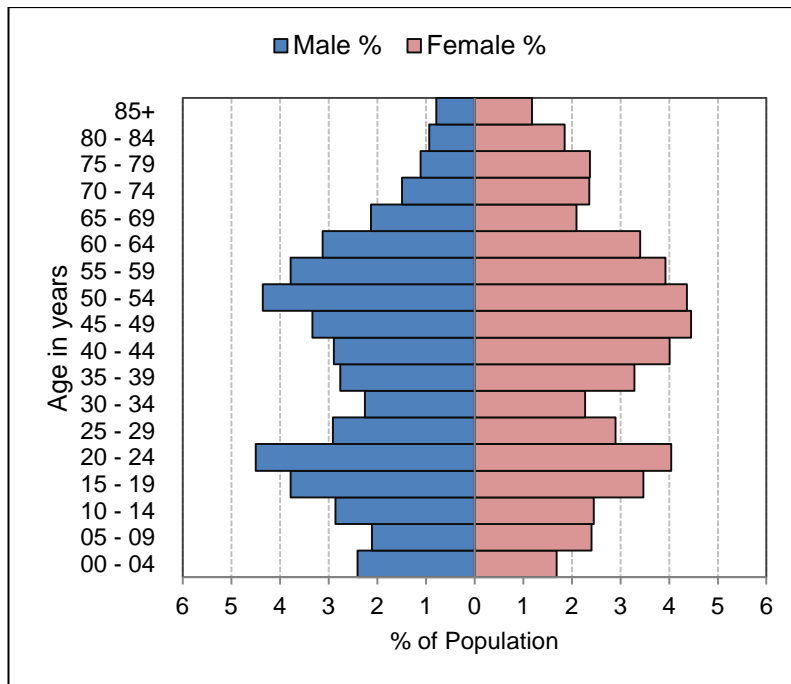
- The population is predominantly White (79%).
- 83% of those aged 20 years and older have completed Grade 12 or higher.
- 97% of the labour force (aged 15 to 64) is employed.
- 14% of households have a monthly income of R3 200 or less.
- 99% of households live in formal dwellings.
- 99.8% of households 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.
- 99.6% of households have their refuse removed at least once a week.
- 99.9% 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

Welgelegen Population	Male		Female		Total	
	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%
Black African	184	3.0%	211	3.5%	395	6.5%
Coloured	256	4.2%	258	4.2%	514	8.4%
Asian	104	1.7%	97	1.6%	201	3.3%
White	2 261	37.0%	2 567	42.0%	4 828	79.0%
Other	101	1.7%	75	1.2%	176	2.9%
Total	2 906	47.5%	3 208	52.5%	6 114	100.0%



Welgelegen Age	Black African		Coloured		Asian		White		Other		Total	
	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%
0 to 4 years	24	6.1%	30	5.8%	20	10.1%	171	3.5%	5	2.9%	250	4.1%
5 to 14 years	38	9.6%	62	12.1%	36	18.1%	439	9.1%	26	14.9%	601	9.8%
15 to 24 years	87	22.1%	143	27.9%	29	14.6%	681	14.1%	25	14.4%	965	15.8%
25 to 64 years	203	51.5%	259	50.5%	109	54.8%	2 631	54.5%	98	56.3%	3 300	54.0%
65 years and older	42	10.7%	19	3.7%	5	2.5%	908	18.8%	20	11.5%	994	16.3%
Total	394	100.0%	513	100.0%	199	100.0%	4 830	100.0%	174	100.0%	6 110	100.0%

Welgelegen Adult Education (for all aged 20+)	Black African		Coloured		Asian		White		Other		Total	
	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%
No schooling	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	9	0.2%	0	0.0%	9	0.2%
Some primary	6	2.6%	18	5.8%	3	2.3%	27	0.7%	3	2.3%	57	1.2%
Completed primary	3	1.3%	9	2.9%	0	0.0%	27	0.7%	0	0.0%	39	0.8%
Some secondary	42	18.4%	66	21.2%	9	7.0%	501	13.2%	21	16.3%	639	13.9%
Grade 12	66	28.9%	84	26.9%	36	27.9%	1 470	38.6%	48	37.2%	1 704	37.0%
Higher	111	48.7%	135	43.3%	75	58.1%	1 731	45.5%	54	41.9%	2 106	45.8%
Other	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	6	4.7%	39	1.0%	3	2.3%	48	1.0%
Total	228	100.0%	312	100.0%	129	100.0%	3 804	100.0%	129	100.0%	4 602	100.0%

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Economic Profile – 2011 Census

Welgelegen Labour Force Indicators	Black African	Coloured	Asian	White	Other	Total
Population aged 15 to 64 years	288	402	135	3 309	123	4 257
Labour Force	156	252	81	2 349	78	2 916
Employed	147	246	78	2 280	75	2 826
Unemployed	9	6	3	69	3	90
Not Economically Active	132	150	54	960	45	1 341
Discouraged Work-seekers	0	0	0	9	3	12
Other not economically active	132	150	54	951	42	1 329
Rates %						
Unemployment rate	5.77%	2.38%	3.70%	2.94%	3.85%	3.09%
Labour absorption rate	51.04%	61.19%	57.78%	68.90%	60.98%	66.38%
Labour Force participation rate	54.17%	62.69%	60.00%	70.99%	63.41%	68.50%

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.

Welgelegen Monthly Household Income	Black African		Coloured		Asian		White		Other		Total	
	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%
No income	9	7.9%	3	2.4%	3	5.3%	162	8.8%	0	0.0%	177	8.1%
R 1 - R 1 600	9	7.9%	9	7.3%	3	5.3%	24	1.3%	3	7.1%	48	2.2%
R 1 601 - R 3 200	12	10.5%	18	14.6%	0	0.0%	51	2.8%	3	7.1%	84	3.9%
R 3 201 - R 6 400	12	10.5%	12	9.8%	9	15.8%	162	8.8%	3	7.1%	198	9.1%
R 6 401 - R 12 800	15	13.2%	6	4.9%	3	5.3%	309	16.8%	9	21.4%	342	15.7%
R 12 801 - R 25 600	18	15.8%	9	7.3%	9	15.8%	375	20.4%	3	7.1%	414	19.1%
R 25 601 - R 51 200	15	13.2%	27	22.0%	6	10.5%	414	22.5%	12	28.6%	474	21.8%
R 51 201 - R 102 400	15	13.2%	30	24.4%	15	26.3%	264	14.4%	6	14.3%	330	15.2%
R 102 401 or more	9	7.9%	9	7.3%	9	15.8%	75	4.1%	3	7.1%	105	4.8%
Unspecified	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Total	114	100.0%	123	100.0%	57	100.0%	1 836	100.0%	42	100.0%	2 172	100.0%

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Dwelling Profile – 2011 Census

Welgelegen Type of Dwelling	Black African		Coloured		Asian		White		Other		Total	
	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%
Formal Dwelling	107	95.5%	126	99.2%	50	100.0%	1 819	99.0%	41	100.0%	2 143	98.9%
Informal dwelling / shack in backyard	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	1	0.1%	0	0.0%	1	0.0%
Informal dwelling / shack NOT in backyard	2	1.8%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	4	0.2%	0	0.0%	6	0.3%
Other	3	2.7%	1	0.8%	0	0.0%	13	0.7%	0	0.0%	17	0.8%
Total	112	100.0%	127	100.0%	50	100.0%	1 837	100.0%	41	100.0%	2 167	100.0%

Welgelegen Tenure Status	Black African		Coloured		Asian		White		Other		Total	
	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%
Owned and fully paid off	33	29.5%	24	18.9%	7	13.7%	764	41.7%	14	34.1%	842	38.9%
Owned but not yet paid off	37	33.0%	60	47.2%	35	68.6%	692	37.7%	20	48.8%	844	39.0%
Rented	29	25.9%	25	19.7%	9	17.6%	329	17.9%	5	12.2%	397	18.3%
Occupied rent-free	5	4.5%	12	9.4%	0	0.0%	31	1.7%	2	4.9%	50	2.3%
Other	8	7.1%	6	4.7%	0	0.0%	18	1.0%	0	0.0%	32	1.5%
Total	112	100.0%	127	100.0%	51	100.0%	1 834	100.0%	41	100.0%	2 165	100.0%

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Household Services Profile – 2011 Census

Welgelegen Access to Piped Water	Black African		Coloured		Asian		White		Other		Total	
	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%
Piped water inside dwelling	108	94.7%	126	97.7%	51	100.0%	1 821	99.5%	39	100.0%	2 145	99.2%
Piped water inside yard	3	2.6%	3	2.3%	0	0.0%	6	0.3%	0	0.0%	12	0.6%
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	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	3	0.2%	0	0.0%	3	0.1%
No access to piped water	3	2.6%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	3	0.1%
Total	114	100.0%	129	100.0%	51	100.0%	1 830	100.0%	39	100.0%	2 163	100.0%

Welgelegen Toilet Facility	Black African		Coloured		Asian		White		Other		Total	
	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%
Flush toilet (connected to sewerage system)	111	97.4%	126	97.7%	51	100.0%	1 827	99.5%	42	100.0%	2 157	99.3%
Flush toilet (with septic tank)	0	0.0%	3	2.3%	0	0.0%	6	0.3%	0	0.0%	9	0.4%
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%	3	0.2%	0	0.0%	3	0.1%
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	3	2.6%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	3	0.1%
None	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Total	114	100.0%	129	100.0%	51	100.0%	1 836	100.0%	42	100.0%	2 172	100.0%

Welgelegen 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%	126	100.0%	51	100.0%	1 827	99.5%	42	100.0%	2 157	99.6%
Removed by local authority/private company less often	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	6	0.3%	0	0.0%	6	0.3%
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%	3	0.2%	0	0.0%	3	0.1%
Other	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Total	111	100.0%	126	100.0%	51	100.0%	1 836	100.0%	42	100.0%	2 166	100.0%

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Household Services Profile continued – 2011 Census

Welgelegen Energy used for Lighting	Black African		Coloured		Asian		White		Other		Total	
	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%
Electricity	111	100.0%	126	100.0%	51	100.0%	1 833	99.8%	42	100.0%	2 163	99.9%
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%	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	0.2%	0	0.0%	3	0.1%
None	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Total	111	100.0%	126	100.0%	51	100.0%	1 836	100.0%	42	100.0%	2 166	100.0%

Welgelegen Energy used for Cooking	Black African		Coloured		Asian		White		Other		Total	
	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%
Electricity	105	92.1%	102	85.0%	33	64.7%	1 650	89.7%	30	71.4%	1 920	88.6%
Gas	9	7.9%	18	15.0%	18	35.3%	171	9.3%	12	28.6%	228	10.5%
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%	6	0.3%	0	0.0%	6	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%	3	0.2%	0	0.0%	3	0.1%
Other	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	6	0.3%	0	0.0%	6	0.3%
None	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	3	0.2%	0	0.0%	3	0.1%
Total	114	100.0%	120	100.0%	51	100.0%	1 839	100.0%	42	100.0%	2 166	100.0%

Welgelegen Energy used for Heating	Black African		Coloured		Asian		White		Other		Total	
	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%
Electricity	84	73.7%	99	78.6%	42	87.5%	1 407	76.4%	33	84.6%	1 665	76.8%
Gas	12	10.5%	12	9.5%	6	12.5%	156	8.5%	3	7.7%	189	8.7%
Paraffin	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	3	0.2%	0	0.0%	3	0.1%
Wood	3	2.6%	3	2.4%	0	0.0%	39	2.1%	0	0.0%	45	2.1%
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%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Solar	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	27	1.5%	0	0.0%	27	1.2%
Other	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
None	15	13.2%	12	9.5%	0	0.0%	210	11.4%	3	7.7%	240	11.1%
Total	114	100.0%	126	100.0%	48	100.0%	1 842	100.0%	39	100.0%	2 169	100.0%

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