

City of Cape Town – 2011 Census – Ward 079

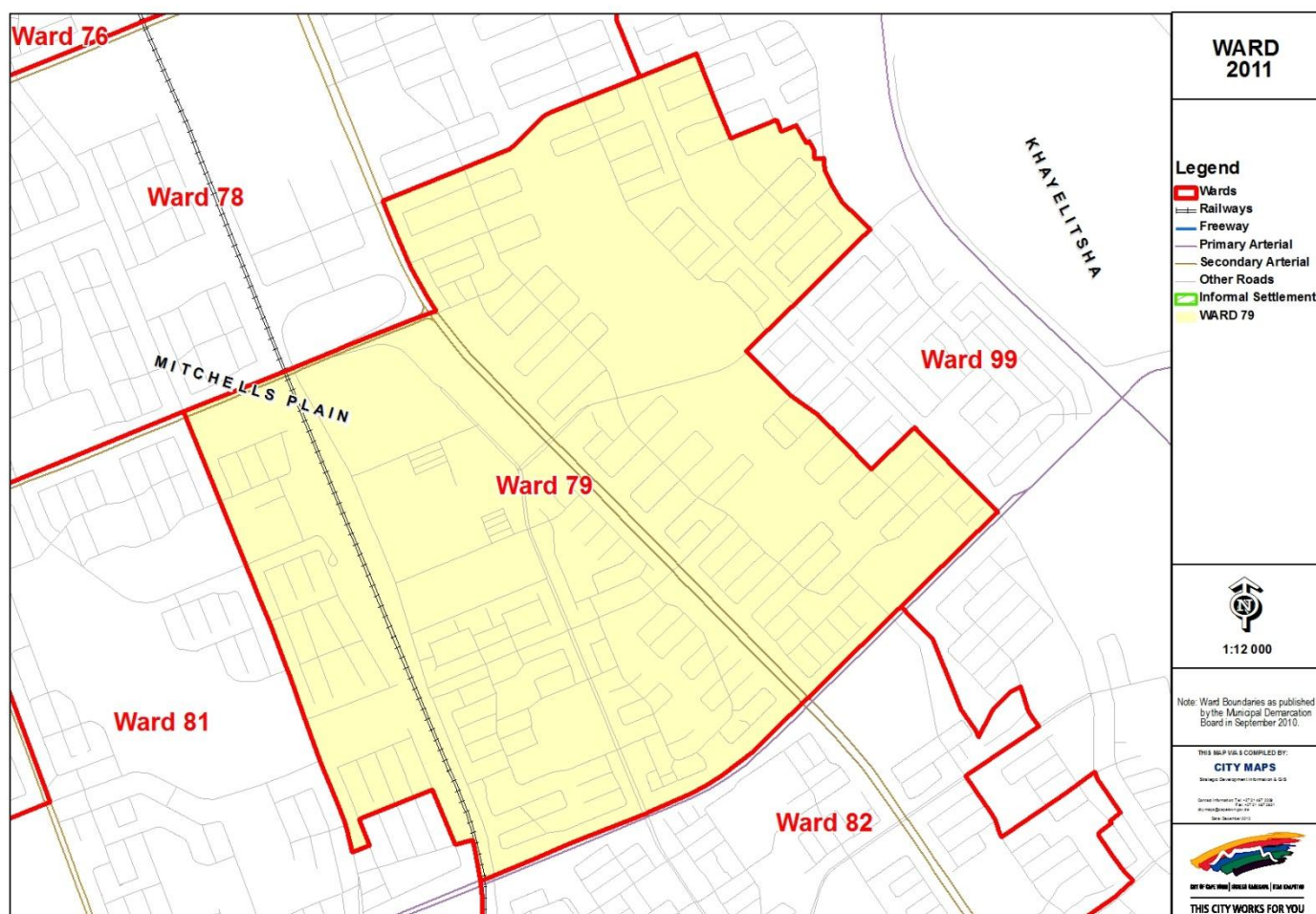
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Ward Description

Ward 079 includes the areas of Beacon Valley, Eastridge, Mitchells Plain CBD and Portland.



Ward 079 Overview – 2011 Census

Ward 079	2001	2011	Change 2001 to 2011	
			Number	%
Population	32 249	35 411	3 162	9.8%
Households	6 490	7 318	828	12.8%
Average Household Size	4.97	4.84		

In 2011 the population of Ward 079 was 35 411, an increase of 10% since 2001, and the number of households was 7 318, an increase of 13% since 2001. The average household size has declined from 4.97 to 4.84 in the 10 years.

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 Ward for 2011.

Key results for Ward 079:

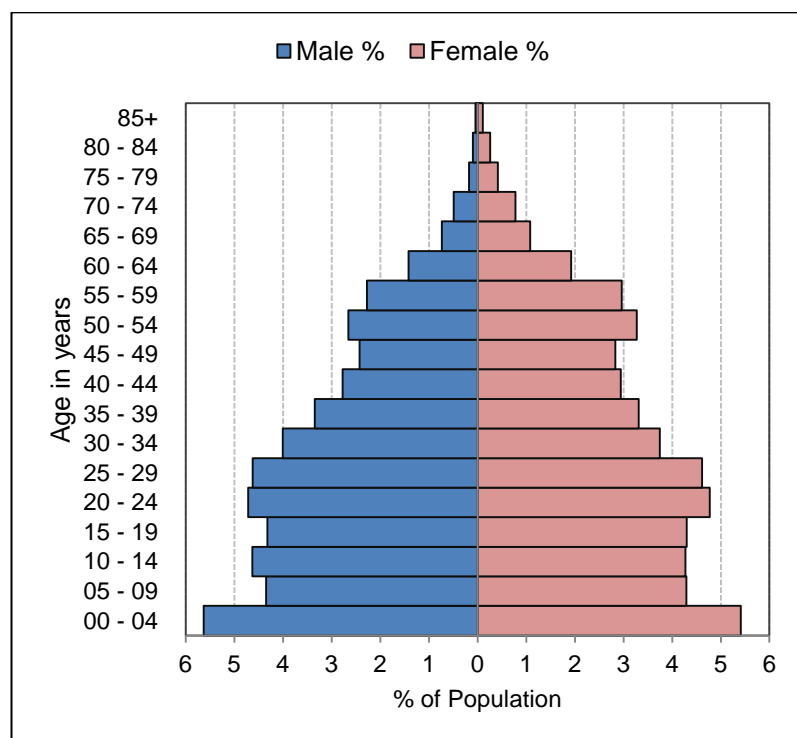
- The population is predominantly Coloured (94%).
- 26% of those aged 20 years and older have completed Grade 12 or higher.
- 73% of the labour force (aged 15 to 64) is employed.
- 46% of households have a monthly income of R3 200 or less.
- 95% of households live in formal dwellings.
- 98% of households have access to piped water in their dwelling or inside their yard.
- 93% 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% 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 profile 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. These variations are not significant.

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Demographic Profile – 2011 Census

Ward 079 Population	Male		Female		Total	
	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%
Black African	747	2.1%	695	2.0%	1 442	4.1%
Coloured	16 106	45.5%	17 229	48.7%	33 335	94.1%
Asian	72	0.2%	51	0.1%	123	0.3%
White	20	0.1%	22	0.1%	42	0.1%
Other	301	0.9%	168	0.5%	469	1.3%
Total	17 246	48.7%	18 165	51.3%	35 411	100.0%



Ward 079 Age	Black African		Coloured		Asian		White		Other		Total	
	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%
0 to 4 years	150	10.4%	3 666	11.0%	12	9.8%	1	2.4%	80	17.0%	3 909	11.0%
5 to 14 years	228	15.8%	5 910	17.7%	14	11.4%	3	7.3%	60	12.8%	6 215	17.5%
15 to 24 years	253	17.5%	6 032	18.1%	24	19.5%	8	19.5%	95	20.2%	6 412	18.1%
25 to 64 years	752	52.1%	16 323	49.0%	70	56.9%	24	58.5%	230	48.9%	17 399	49.1%
65 years and older	60	4.2%	1 407	4.2%	3	2.4%	5	12.2%	5	1.1%	1 480	4.2%
Total	1 443	100.0%	33 338	100.0%	123	100.0%	41	100.0%	470	100.0%	35 415	100.0%

Ward 079 Adult Education (for all aged 20+)	Black African		Coloured		Asian		White		Other		Total	
	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%
No schooling	20	2.2%	364	1.8%	2	2.3%	0	0.0%	34	11.2%	420	1.9%
Some primary	90	10.1%	2 061	9.9%	15	17.2%	4	16.7%	29	9.5%	2 199	10.0%
Completed primary	60	6.7%	1 692	8.2%	2	2.3%	2	8.3%	10	3.3%	1 766	8.0%
Some secondary	422	47.2%	11 241	54.2%	35	40.2%	14	58.3%	98	32.2%	11 810	53.6%
Grade 12	252	28.2%	4 861	23.5%	26	29.9%	2	8.3%	94	30.9%	5 235	23.8%
Higher	39	4.4%	468	2.3%	2	2.3%	2	8.3%	21	6.9%	532	2.4%
Other	12	1.3%	35	0.2%	5	5.7%	0	0.0%	18	5.9%	70	0.3%
Total	895	100.0%	20 722	100.0%	87	100.0%	24	100.0%	304	100.0%	22 032	100.0%

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Economic Profile – 2011 Census

Ward 079 Labour Force Indicators	Black African	Coloured	Asian	White	Other	Total
Population aged 15 to 64 years	1 004	22 354	94	31	324	23 807
Labour Force	560	13 352	51	12	252	14 227
Employed	439	9 727	42	12	179	10 399
Unemployed	121	3 625	9	0	73	3 828
Not Economically Active	444	9 002	43	19	72	9 580
Discouraged Work-seekers	45	1 115	1	1	3	1 165
Other not economically active	399	7 887	42	18	69	8 415
Rates %						
Unemployment rate	21.61%	27.15%	17.65%	0.00%	28.97%	26.91%
Labour absorption rate	43.73%	43.51%	44.68%	38.71%	55.25%	43.68%
Labour Force participation rate	55.78%	59.73%	54.26%	38.71%	77.78%	59.76%

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.

Ward 079 Monthly Household Income	Black African		Coloured		Asian		White		Other		Total	
	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%
No income	43	14.0%	831	12.1%	8	24.2%	1	9.1%	17	18.9%	900	12.3%
R 1 - R 1 600	47	15.3%	977	14.2%	4	12.1%	1	9.1%	12	13.3%	1 041	14.2%
R 1 601 - R 3 200	56	18.2%	1 342	19.5%	4	12.1%	1	9.1%	21	23.3%	1 424	19.5%
R 3 201 - R 6 400	55	17.9%	1 654	24.0%	4	12.1%	3	27.3%	19	21.1%	1 735	23.7%
R 6 401 - R 12 800	71	23.1%	1 294	18.8%	9	27.3%	1	9.1%	18	20.0%	1 393	19.0%
R 12 801 - R 25 600	26	8.5%	616	9.0%	2	6.1%	2	18.2%	3	3.3%	649	8.9%
R 25 601 - R 51 200	9	2.9%	141	2.1%	1	3.0%	2	18.2%	0	0.0%	153	2.1%
R 51 201 - R 102 400	0	0.0%	8	0.1%	1	3.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	9	0.1%
R 102 401 or more	0	0.0%	15	0.2%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	15	0.2%
Unspecified	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Total	307	100.0%	6 878	100.0%	33	100.0%	11	100.0%	90	100.0%	7 319	100.0%

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Household Services Profile – 2011 Census

Ward 079 Type of Dwelling	Black African		Coloured		Asian		White		Other		Total	
	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%
Formal Dwelling	285	93.4%	6 549	95.2%	31	91.2%	12	100.0%	85	94.4%	6 962	95.1%
Informal dwelling / shack in backyard	11	3.6%	253	3.7%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	1	1.1%	265	3.6%
Informal dwelling / shack NOT in backyard	2	0.7%	16	0.2%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	18	0.2%
Other	7	2.3%	58	0.8%	3	8.8%	0	0.0%	4	4.4%	72	1.0%
Total	305	100.0%	6 876	100.0%	34	100.0%	12	100.0%	90	100.0%	7 317	100.0%

Ward 079 Tenure Status	Black African		Coloured		Asian		White		Other		Total	
	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%
Owned and fully paid off	96	31.3%	2 779	40.4%	12	36.4%	4	30.8%	6	6.7%	2 897	39.6%
Owned but not yet paid off	87	28.3%	2 487	36.2%	3	9.1%	5	38.5%	16	17.8%	2 598	35.5%
Rented	110	35.8%	1 473	21.4%	14	42.4%	4	30.8%	67	74.4%	1 668	22.8%
Occupied rent-free	9	2.9%	51	0.7%	3	9.1%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	63	0.9%
Other	5	1.6%	86	1.3%	1	3.0%	0	0.0%	1	1.1%	93	1.3%
Total	307	100.0%	6 876	100.0%	33	100.0%	13	100.0%	90	100.0%	7 319	100.0%

Ward 079 Access to Piped Water	Black African		Coloured		Asian		White		Other		Total	
	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%
Piped water inside dwelling	290	94.8%	6 500	94.5%	29	87.9%	11	91.7%	89	98.9%	6 919	94.6%
Piped water inside yard	13	4.2%	249	3.6%	1	3.0%	1	8.3%	1	1.1%	265	3.6%
Piped water outside yard: < 200m	0	0.0%	25	0.4%	2	6.1%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	27	0.4%
Piped water outside yard: > 200m	0	0.0%	14	0.2%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	14	0.2%
No access to piped water	3	1.0%	88	1.3%	1	3.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	92	1.3%
Total	306	100.0%	6 876	100.0%	33	100.0%	12	100.0%	90	100.0%	7 317	100.0%

Ward 079 Toilet Facility	Black African		Coloured		Asian		White		Other		Total	
	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%
Flush toilet (connected to sewerage system)	293	95.4%	6 410	93.2%	27	81.8%	11	91.7%	87	97.8%	6 828	93.3%
Flush toilet (with septic tank)	1	0.3%	51	0.7%	1	3.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	53	0.7%
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%	2	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	2	0.0%
Pit toilet without ventilation	0	0.0%	1	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	1	0.0%
Bucket toilet	5	1.6%	125	1.8%	0	0.0%	1	8.3%	0	0.0%	131	1.8%
Other	1	0.3%	91	1.3%	3	9.1%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	95	1.3%
None	7	2.3%	196	2.9%	2	6.1%	0	0.0%	2	2.2%	207	2.8%
Total	307	100.0%	6 876	100.0%	33	100.0%	12	100.0%	89	100.0%	7 317	100.0%

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Ward 079 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	307	100.0%	6 826	99.3%	33	100.0%	12	100.0%	90	100.0%	7 268	99.3%
Removed by local authority/private company less often	0	0.0%	6	0.1%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	6	0.1%
Communal refuse dump	0	0.0%	4	0.1%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	4	0.1%
Own refuse dump	0	0.0%	4	0.1%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	4	0.1%
No rubbish disposal	0	0.0%	28	0.4%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	28	0.4%
Other	0	0.0%	8	0.1%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	8	0.1%
Total	307	100.0%	6 876	100.0%	33	100.0%	12	100.0%	90	100.0%	7 318	100.0%

Ward 079 Energy used for Lighting	Black African		Coloured		Asian		White		Other		Total	
	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%
Electricity	304	99.0%	6 820	99.2%	30	88.2%	12	100.0%	90	100.0%	7 256	99.1%
Gas	0	0.0%	11	0.2%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	11	0.2%
Paraffin	1	0.3%	1	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	2	0.0%
Candles	0	0.0%	6	0.1%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	6	0.1%
Solar	0	0.0%	12	0.2%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	12	0.2%
None	2	0.7%	27	0.4%	4	11.8%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	33	0.5%
Total	307	100.0%	6 877	100.0%	34	100.0%	12	100.0%	90	100.0%	7 320	100.0%

Ward 079 Energy used for Cooking	Black African		Coloured		Asian		White		Other		Total	
	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%
Electricity	297	96.7%	6 584	95.8%	26	78.8%	12	100.0%	83	92.2%	7 002	95.7%
Gas	6	2.0%	229	3.3%	3	9.1%	0	0.0%	7	7.8%	245	3.3%
Paraffin	0	0.0%	2	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	2	0.0%
Wood	0	0.0%	3	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	3	0.0%
Coal	0	0.0%	1	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	1	0.0%
Animal dung	0	0.0%	1	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	1	0.0%
Solar	0	0.0%	13	0.2%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	13	0.2%
Other	0	0.0%	1	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	1	0.0%
None	4	1.3%	42	0.6%	4	12.1%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	50	0.7%
Total	307	100.0%	6 876	100.0%	33	100.0%	12	100.0%	90	100.0%	7 318	100.0%

Ward 079 Energy used for Heating	Black African		Coloured		Asian		White		Other		Total	
	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%
Electricity	268	87.3%	5 928	86.2%	25	73.5%	11	91.7%	80	88.9%	6 312	86.2%
Gas	4	1.3%	42	0.6%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	46	0.6%
Paraffin	1	0.3%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	1	0.0%
Wood	0	0.0%	2	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	2	0.0%
Coal	0	0.0%	2	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	2	0.0%
Animal dung	0	0.0%	5	0.1%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	5	0.1%
Solar	0	0.0%	12	0.2%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	12	0.2%
Other	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
None	34	11.1%	885	12.9%	9	26.5%	1	8.3%	10	11.1%	939	12.8%
Total	307	100.0%	6 876	100.0%	34	100.0%	12	100.0%	90	100.0%	7 319	100.0%

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