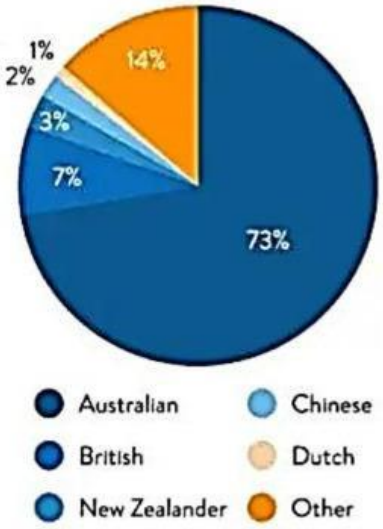
MIXED GRAPHS - OVERVIEW



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STEP-BY-STEP:

Step 1: Understand What Each Graph Shows

- **Pie chart:** Shows nationalities as proportions of the total population.
  - Majority = Australians (73%)
  - Minority groups = Chinese, Dutch, British, NZ, and Others
- **Table:** Shows urban vs. rural living patterns (%) by nationality.

Step 2: Identify the Main Features of Each

- **Pie chart:**
  - Dominant nationality = Australian
  - Smallest groups = Dutch and Others
- **Table:**
  - Highest % living in cities = Chinese (99%)
  - Most evenly spread = Australians (80% city / 20% rural)
  - Least rural = Chinese and New Zealanders

Step 3: Look for Overall Trends and Notable Contrasts

- Urbanisation is very high among all groups.
- Chinese people are most concentrated in urban areas.
- Australians have the highest proportion living in the countryside.
- Australians form a huge majority of the population.

Step 4: Write the Overview

- No numbers or specifics in the overview.
- Focus on: majority/minority, distribution patterns, extreme values, overall trends.

General Template for Mixed Charts (Pie Chart + Table)

Overall, [major group/trend in the pie chart], **while** [minor groups/trends]. **In terms of** [the table's focus, e.g. living location], **all/nationalities tend to** [main trend], **although there are differences in** [contrast or distribution pattern].

Adapted Template

Overall, [Nationality A] **accounts for the largest proportion of** the population, **whereas** [other nationalities] **represent** much **smaller shares**. **When it comes to place of residence**, all nationalities **show a preference for** living in cities, though **the extent of** this **varies**.

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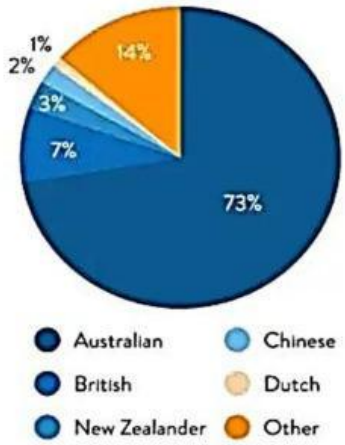
📌 **Useful Phrases for Overviews**

- "The majority of..."
- "A significant proportion..."
- "A small minority..."
- "There is a clear tendency for..."
- "The most urbanised group is..."
- "X stands out as the dominant group..."
- "The distribution varies among nationalities..."

✍ Example Using the Template

Overall, Australians **make up the vast majority of** the population, **while** other nationalities **represent only small portions. In terms of residence**, people of all nationalities tend to live in cities, **although** Australians **are more evenly spread** between urban and rural areas **compared to** the other groups.



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Overview 1 (General Trends)

living patterns	make up	most urbanised	represent	strong preference

Overall, Australians (1)_____ the vast majority of the population, **while** other nationalities (2)_____ much smaller proportions. **In terms of** (3)_____, all groups show a (4)_____ for city life, with the Chinese population being the (5)_____.

Overview 2 (Distribution and Dominance)

Chinese nationals	city-based	clear tendency	national group	urbanisation

The data reveals that Australians are by far the largest (1)_____. Across all nationalities, there is a (2)_____ to reside in urban areas, though the degree of (3)_____ varies, with (4)_____ being almost entirely (5)_____.

Overview 3 (Population and Lifestyle Focus)

account for	differences in size	small fractions	strong inclination

Overall, Australians (1)_____ the largest share of the population, **while** other nationalities make up only (2)_____. **Despite** (3)_____, nearly all groups demonstrate a (4)_____ toward urban living, with a few people living in the countryside.

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Overview 4 (Comparison of Groups)

clearly preferred	dominant nationality	evenly distributed	small minority

In general, Australians **form** the (1)_____, **whereas** other groups **represent** a (2)_____. Urban living is (3)_____ by all nationalities, **although** Australians are the most (4)_____ between city and rural areas.

Overview 5 (Urban-Rural Emphasis)

greatest balance	in contrast to	overwhelmingly	smaller segments

The population is (1)_____ Australian, **while** other nationalities **constitute** much (2)_____. All groups predominantly live in cities, **but** Australians **show** the (3)_____ between urban and rural residence, (4)_____ other groups.

Overview 6: Population Share and Living Pattern

dominant pattern	largest portion	more likely	small segments

Overall, Australians **represent** the (1)_____ of the population, **while** other nationalities **make up** relatively (2)_____. **Although** urban living is the (3)_____ across all groups, Australians are (4)_____ than others to live in rural areas.

Overview 7: Focus on Dominance and Urbanisation

all backgrounds	city life	clearly dominates	variations

The pie chart shows that the Australian population **(1)**_____ **in terms of nationality**. **Despite (2)**_____ **in group size**, **the table indicates that** people of **(3)**_____ largely prefer **(4)**_____ over living in the countryside.

Overview 8: Emphasis on Contrast

Australians	more dispersed	smaller shares	urban living

Overall, **(1)**_____ **form** the majority of the population, **in stark contrast to** the much **(2)**_____ of other nationalities. **While (3)**_____ is common across all groups, Australians are noticeably **(4)**_____ between urban and rural areas.

Overview 9: Balanced Summary

comprising	constitute	distribution	regardless of

The data reveals that Australians **(1)**_____ the majority nationality, **with** all other groups **(2)**_____ relatively minor proportions. Urban areas attract the majority of people **(3)**_____ background, **though** the **(1)**_____ between city and countryside varies.

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