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# COVID-19: Case demographics

Full details of the confirmed and probable cases of COVID-19 in New Zealand.

*Last updated 1pm 25 September 2021.*

All data on this page is as at 9:00 am on 25 September 2021 unless otherwise stated.

Data is collected from the EpiSurv database (administered by ESR) unless otherwise stated.

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## August 2021 community cluster demographics

**Total number of cases: 1,147**

### Number of cases by sex

Sex	Number of cases	Percentage of Total
Female	593	52%
Male	552	48%
Unknown	2	0%

### Number of cases by age group

Age group	Number of cases	Percentage of Total
0 to 9	200	17.4%
10 to 19	265	23.1%
20 to 29	287	25%
30 to 39	103	9%
40 to 49	116	10.1%
50 to 59	111	9.7%
60 to 69	39	3.4%
70+	26	2.3%
Unknown	0	0%

### Number of cases by ethnicity

Prioritised ethnicity*	Number of cases	Percentage of Total
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Prioritised ethnicity*	Number of cases	Percentage of Total
Māori	167	14.6%
Pacific peoples	773	67.4%
Asian	94	8.2%
Middle Eastern, Latin American and African (MELAA)	13	1.1%
European or Other	88	7.7%
Unknown	12	1%

\* The prioritised ethnicity classification system is used in this table and below. This means each person is allocated to a single ethnic group, based on the ethnic groups they identify with. Where people identify with more than one group, they are assigned in this order of priority: Māori, Pacific Peoples, Asian, and European/Other. So, if a person identifies as being Māori and New Zealand European, the person is counted as Māori. See [Ngā tapuāe me ngā raraunga: Methods and data sources](#) for further information.

The data categorized by ethnicity come from National Health Index (NHI) data collection, linked to data held in the EpiSurv database.

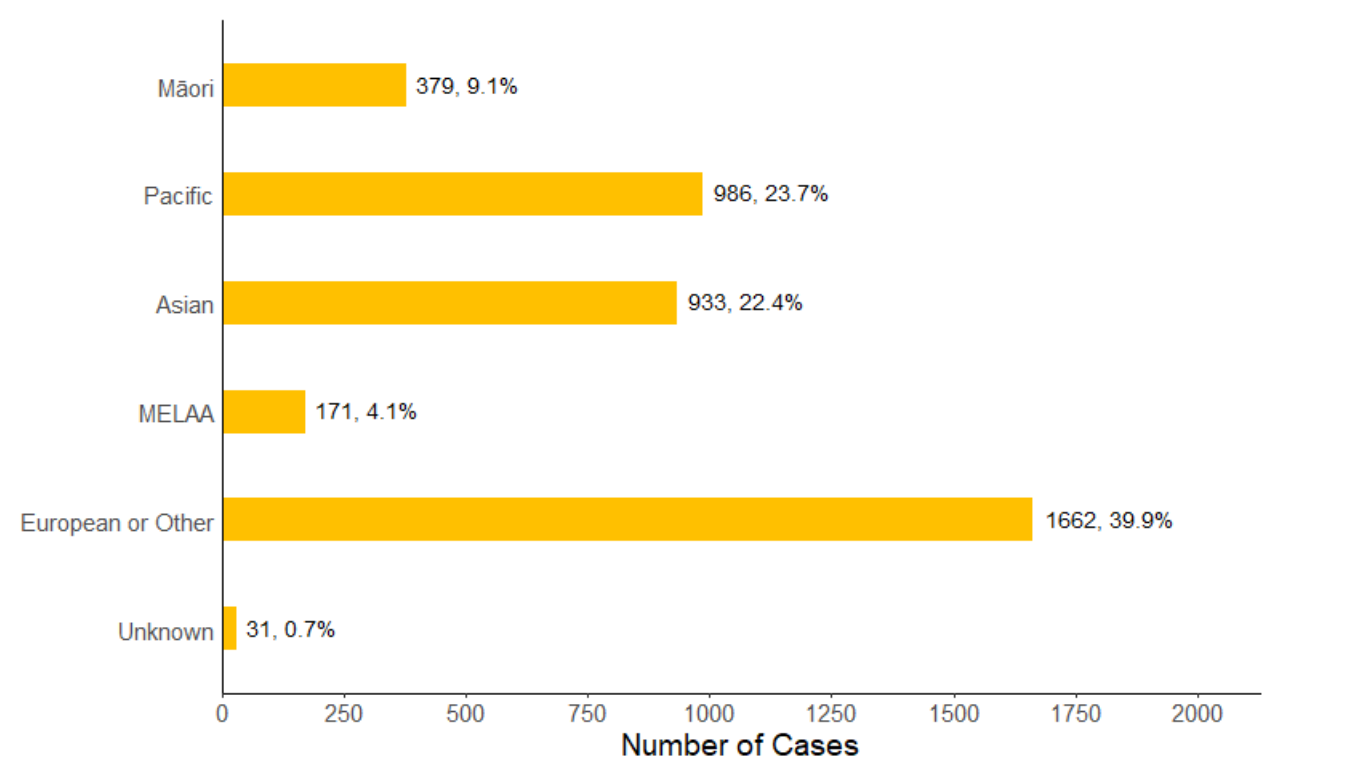
## COVID-19 and ethnicity

### Total cases and tests by ethnicity

	Total cases since first NZ case	Total tests for COVID-19 to date
Māori	379	433,242
Pacific peoples	986	408,771
Asian	933	568,715
European/other	1,833	1,767,425
Unknown	31	138,034
Total	4,162	3,316,187

**Note:** This table shows the number of tests, and some people are tested more than once.

### Cases by ethnicity



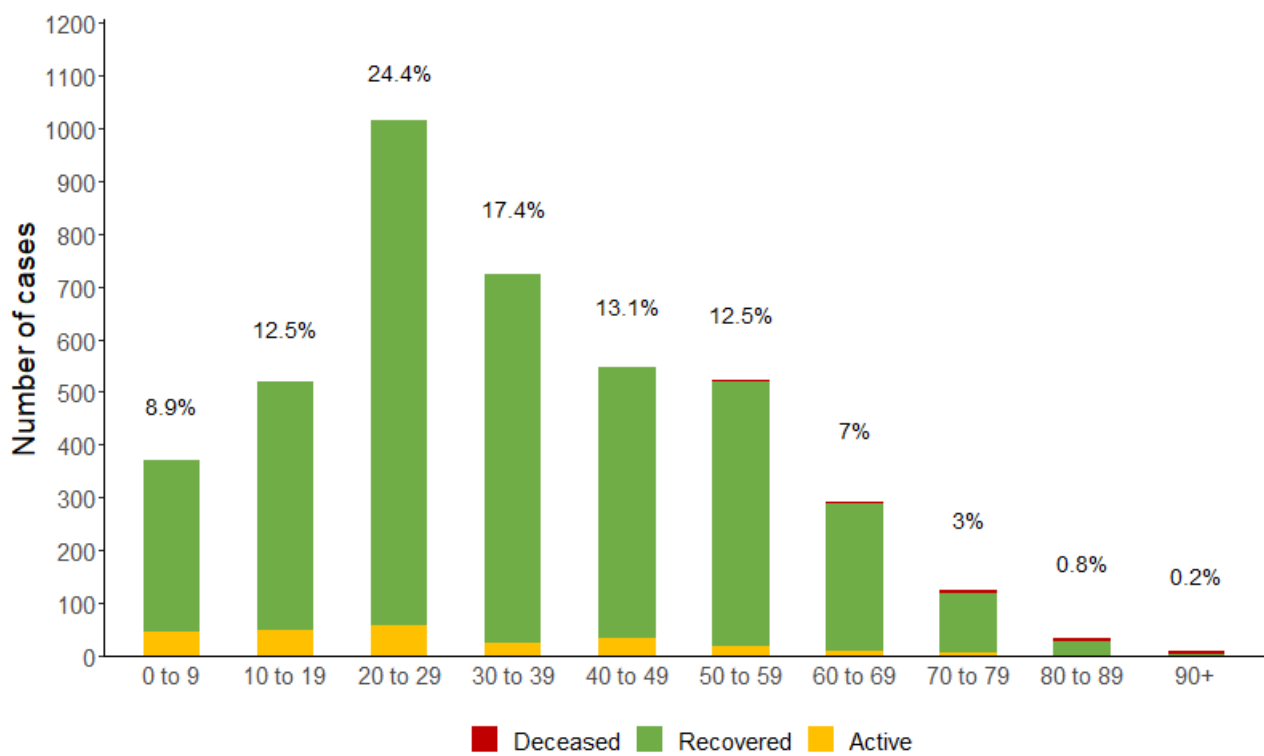
### Cases of COVID-19 by ethnicity

Ethnicity	Active (confirmed and probable)	Recovered	Deceased	Total cases since first case	Percentage of all cases
Māori	73	300	6	379	9.1%
Pacific peoples	112	873	1	986	23.7%

Ethnicity	Active (confirmed and probable)	Recovered	Deceased	Total cases since first case	Percentage of all cases
Asian	20	913	0	933	22.4%
Middle Eastern, Latin American and African (MELAA)	7	162	2	171	4.1%
European or Other	26	1618	18	1662	39.9%
Unknown	12	19	0	31	0.7%
Total	250	3885	27	4162	100%

## COVID-19 by age and sex

### Cases by age



### COVID-19 cases by age group

Age group	Active (confirmed and probable)	Recovered	Deceased	Total cases	Percentage of all cases
0 to 9	46	325	0	371	8.9%
10 to 19	50	470	0	520	12.5%
20 to 29	58	956	0	1014	24.4%
30 to 39	25	699	0	724	17.4%
40 to 49	33	514	0	547	13.1%
50 to 59	20	499	3	522	12.5%
60 to 69	10	280	3	293	7%
70 to 79	8	111	7	126	3%
80 to 89	0	27	8	35	0.8%
90+	0	4	6	10	0.2%
Unknown	0	0	0	0	0%
Total	250	3885	27	4162	100%

### Cases by sex

## Total cases of COVID-19 by sex

Sex	Active (confirmed and probable)	Recovered	Deceased	Total cases	Percentage of all cases
Female	115	1926	13	2054	49%
Male	133	1957	14	2104	51%
Unknown	2	2	0	4	0%
Total	250	3885	27	4162	100%

## Cases by hospitalisation and intensive care

### Cases who have been in hospital and in intensive care (ICU) by age

Age group	Total people hospitalised	Total people in ICU
0 to 9	4	0
10 to 19	7	1
20 to 29	23	1
30 to 39	34	2
40 to 49	43	3
50 to 59	56	4
60 to 69	35	4
70 to 79	32	4
80 to 89	8	0
90+	5	0
Total	247	19

### Cases who have been in hospital and in intensive care by sex

Sex	Total people hospitalised	Total people in ICU
Female	126	6
Male	120	13
Total	247	19

Note: To protect privacy ICU status has not been updated since June 15, 2021

## Details of past cases

We publish details about every person with COVID-19 (confirmed or probable) in a downloadable spreadsheet below. For privacy reasons, this data only includes:

- Date potential case was notified
- Sex of case
- Age group of case
- DHB where the case lives - listed as "Managed isolation & quarantine" for border cases
- If the case is related to overseas travel

This file covers all cases from 26 February 2020 to 25 September 2021.

[COVID-19 case details through 25 September 2021 \(CSV, 291 KB\)](#)

Researchers can request detailed data on COVID-19 in New Zealand by sending an email to the Ministry of Health COVID-19 Response and Coordination team - [\[email protected\]](#)

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