



INDIGENOUS TERRITORIANS POPULATION PROFILE

The Northern Territory is characterised by its relatively young and rapidly ageing population. The Territory also has a large growing proportion of Indigenous people which is highly dispersed.

The official population of the Northern Territory was 210 627 persons. The estimated Indigenous resident population in the Northern Territory was 64 005 or 30.4 per cent of all people in the Northern Territory.

The Northern Territory's population is centred around:

- Darwin (34.1 per cent)
- Palmerston-East Arm and Litchfield (20.1per cent)
- Alice Springs/central region (18.7 per cent).

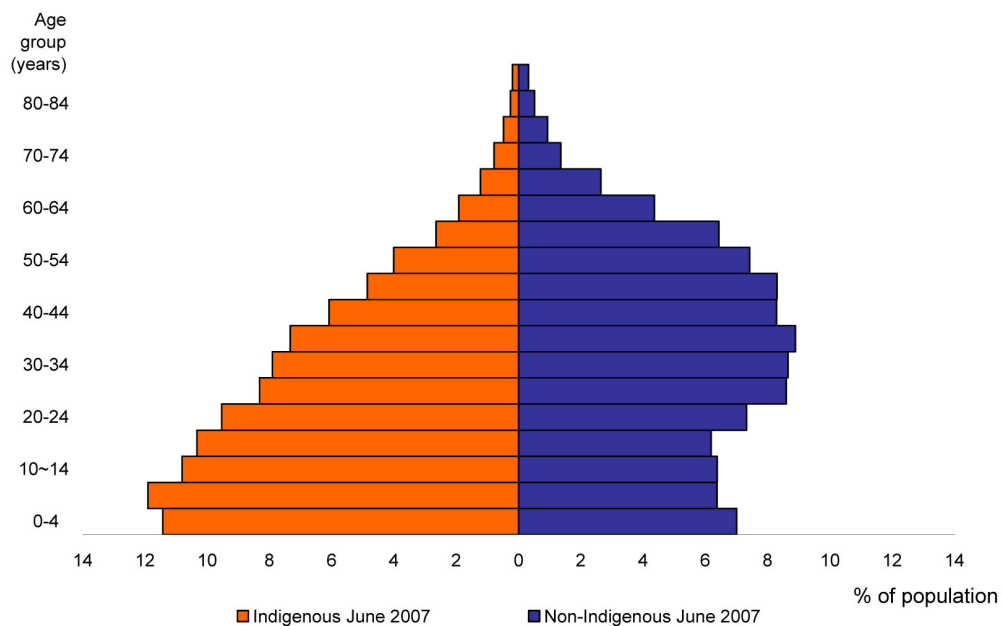
- Northern Territory Indigenous urban verses remote classification -

Total 'urban' Indigenous population	23 002
(Greater Darwin, Katherine, Tennant Creek, Alice Springs, Nhulunbuy)	

Total 'very remote' Indigenous population	41 003
(Outside of Greater Darwin, Katherine, Tennant Creek, Alice Springs, Nhulunbuy)	

TOTAL NT INDIGENOUS POPULATION	64 005
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Age Distribution, Northern Territory Indigenous and non-Indigenous Populations



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