



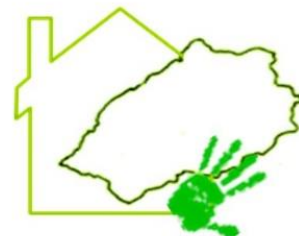
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Foreword

The 2021 Population and Housing Census provides a unique snapshot of the people on St Helena and the way that they live. It is a fundamental tool for developing and implementing good policies, and for making sound decisions.

On Census night, 7 February 2021, the number of people living on the Island was 4,439. This is 95 persons, or 2.1%, fewer than the 4,534 persons recorded as living on St Helena in the 2016 Census. There were 4,118 people living on the Island that were St Helenians, and, for the first time, more than half of these were older than 50. This ageing trend is one of the most significant challenges facing St Helena, and is caused by greater life expectancies, lower numbers of births, and the tendency for younger adults to leave the Island to find employment opportunities abroad.

The 2021 Population and Housing Census is one of the largest statistical exercises undertaken on St Helena, and follows at least 17 previous Censuses conducted every ten years or so. I am extremely grateful to every respondent who provided accurate information on the Census forms, to all the Census enumerators who delivered and collected the questionnaires, and helped the respondents to complete them, to the team in the Statistics Office who worked many long hours preparing the materials and processing the data, and to the St Helena Government Geographic Information Systems and Information Technology teams. Thanks are also extended to the two radio stations and the two newspapers, Saint FM and SAMS and The Sentinel and The Independent, for supporting Census communications throughout, and to Printech, for printing the main questionnaire (Form A). Many others have supported the Census operation as well, in many different ways, and I would like to express my thanks to them all.

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About this report

This is the main report of the St Helena 2021 Census. It provides an overview of the methods used to conduct the Census (Section 1), and a presentation of the main results, in two sections, one on personal characteristics and one on the characteristics of dwellings and households (Sections 2 and 3). It also includes a set of reference tables covering some of the main topics of the Census (Section 4), and the details of the questions included in the questionnaires (Section 5). Numbering of the tables in Sections 2 and 3 begins with 'A', and the reference tables Section 4 being with 'B'.

The data presented in the tables and charts in this report are available in electronic form from the St Helena Government website. The six different questionnaires used in the Census are also available, in electronic form.

Many more analyses and tabulations can be made from the 2021 Census dataset. If you require additional tables, or would like to discuss your requirements in more detail, please contact the Statistics Office.

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1. About the Census

A. Introduction

The 2021 St Helena Population and Housing Census was held on Sunday, 7 February, five years after the previous Census, which took place on Sunday, 7 February 2016. Censuses are normally conducted every 10 years, but the decision to conduct the 2021 Census after a shorter period was taken in view of the introduction of air access in 2017, following construction of St Helena's first airport.

All residents of St Helena, plus visitors on the Island on Census night, were enumerated in the 2021 Census. Any residents who were temporarily abroad for a holiday, medical treatment, for study, or to work for up to six months, were included. Persons present on yachts in the harbour have not been included in the population counts since, at the time of the Census, persons on yachts were not allowed entry to St Helena due to restrictions caused by the response to the COVID-19 pandemic.

B. Legal basis

The legal requirements for undertaking a Population Census on St Helena are outlined in the Census Ordinance (1986), and the 2021 Population and Housing Census was undertaken according to these specifications. The Ordinance provides for the appointment of a Census Supervisor, the approval of the Census questionnaires by the Governor-in-Council, and sets out procedures to ensure the confidentiality of the data collected.

C. Definitions

Various definitions were used during the 2021 Census, and are used throughout this report. Some of the most important ones are:

- **Household:** the household is the primary unit of data collection in the Census, and one of the main units used in presenting results. Every household on St Helena was required to complete a Census questionnaire. A household is defined as a person living alone, or a group of people usually (but not necessarily) related and living at the same address who maintain a common living area, sharing normal domestic tasks and expenses, including the purchase, cooking and eating of food.
- **Resident household:** this is a household which has at least one member who is resident on St Helena. Most of the tables in this report about housing conditions relate to resident households, so they exclude any households that contained only visitors to St Helena.
- **Dwelling:** the building in which people live. It could be a house or a flat, and a dwelling may contain more than one household. A household may also live in more than one dwelling; in this case, the household members are enumerated in the place where they spent the most time in the week before census night.
- **St Helenian:** this is someone who has St Helenian status, either by birth, or through naturalisation.
- **Resident population:** this refers to all those persons who lived on St Helena on Census night, including both St Helenians and non-St Helenians, and those who were away from the Island temporarily for six months or less or who were away on training but with a commitment to return. This is a very common definition of the population, and is often used to define the total population of St Helena; it is sometimes called the 'de jure' population. The qualifying time-period for residency used in the Census was six months or more, to be consistent with the time-period used for long-term immigration permits.

- St Helenian resident population: this refers to St Helenians that lived on St Helena on Census night, including those that were away from the Island temporarily for six months or less. It excludes non-St Helenian residents, sometimes also called expatriates.
- Resident household population: this refers to all those persons that lived on St Helena on Census night, including both St Helenians and non-St Helenians and those that were away from the Island temporarily, but only those persons living in households are included; persons living in communal establishments (such as the Community Care Centre and the Prison) are not included. This is a very common definition of the population used in this report, because many of the variables are only available for the household population; detailed questions were not asked of people living in communal establishments.
- St Helenian resident household population: this refers to all those St Helenians that lived on St Helena on Census night, including those that were away from the Island temporarily. Only those persons living in households are included; persons living in communal establishments are not included. This definition of the population is commonly used in this report, because it describes the population that are most likely to live on the Island in the long-term.
- Economically active: a person is economically active if they are part of the available labour force for the Island; typically, working or looking for paid work. Economically inactive persons include those fully retired, studying full-time, or those not wanting or able to work for any reason.

D. Questionnaires

The Census questionnaires were based on those used in 2016, which were in turn based on UN recommendations and extensive consultation with Members of Legislative Council, government officials, key figures within the community, private sector bodies, non-Government organisations, and members of the public. Further consultation with the public, Members of Legislative Council, and relevant government officials was conducted, resulting in some additions and adjustments to the questionnaires, and a pilot exercise was conducted with 50 households.

Some adjustments were made after the pilot, and a final set of questionnaires was approved by the Governor-in-Council, as required by the Census Ordinance (1986). A major change was the addition of a set of questions on disability, based on the international standard questions designed by the Washington Group on Disability Statistics. Questions on residence, nationality and education were simplified, and the question on alcohol consumption introduced in 2016 was omitted. The 2016 Form B, which was a voluntary form used for St Helenians living overseas, was replaced with a form designed to capture personal information about any complete St Helenian households resident on St Helena but who were temporarily abroad on Census night.

Form A: The main Census questionnaire, delivered to all households. Contained three Schedules or sections:

- 1: Household Information
- 2: Person Information, for residents of the household
- 3: Visitor Information, for visitors to the household

Form B: For St Helenian resident households temporarily overseas on Census night; also made available for online completion.

Form C: For enumeration of communal establishments, for collection of key demographic information. Required key information relating to the nature of the establishment and the residents as of Census night.

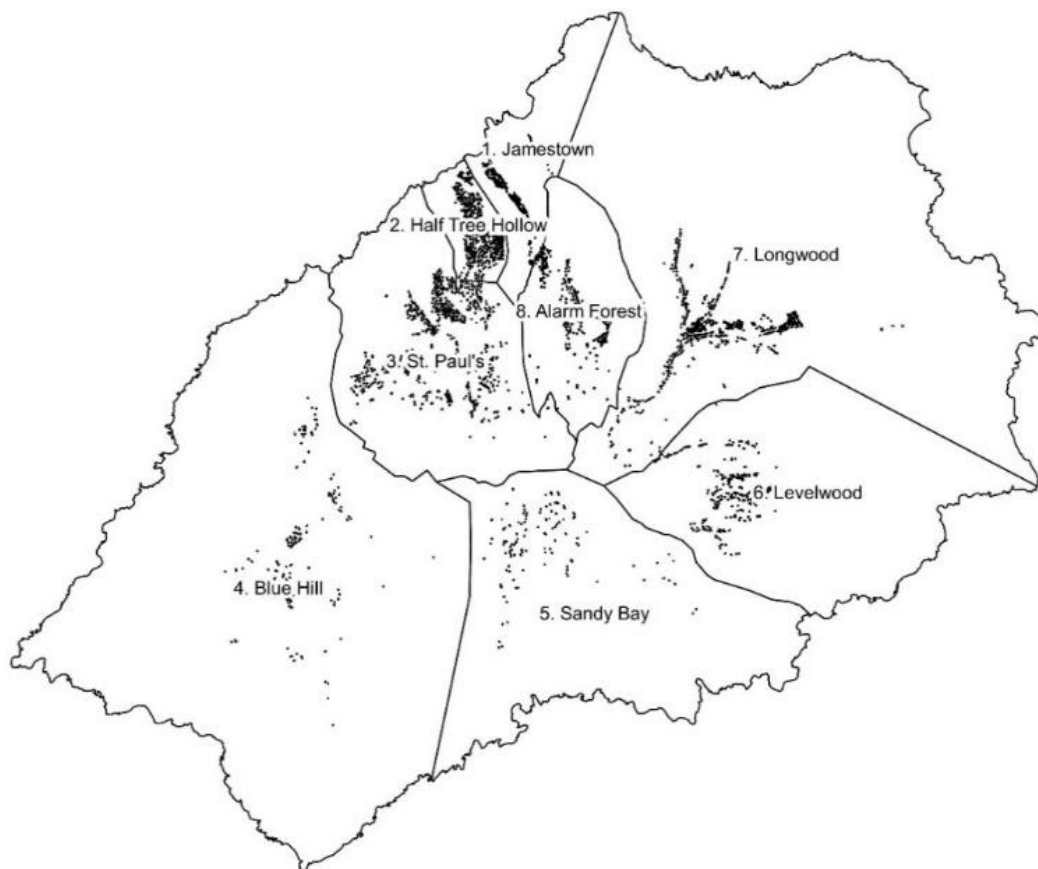
- Form D: For enumeration of empty dwellings by owners/caretakers of those dwellings.
- Form E1: The questions on this form are the same as Schedule 2 of Form A, and it was used as an extension form for those households with more than five persons, or in the case that individuals wished to be enumerated separately from their household.
- Form E2: The questions on this form are the same as Schedule 3 of Form A, and it was used as an extension form for households with more than five visitors on Census night, although this form was not required by any households.

E. Enumeration

The eight electoral districts were divided into 30 enumeration areas, with an enumerator assigned to each one. In two cases, an enumerator was assigned to two areas, so there were 28 enumerators. Enumeration of institutions, including the Prison, the Hospital, and the Community Care Centre, was conducted by the manager of the establishment, who was also sworn in as a Census enumerator to ensure confidentiality.

The St Helena Government Geographic Information Services (GIS) team provided detailed maps of each enumeration area showing key features and the ‘footprints’ of each building within that area, with each footprint allocated a unique identifier (Figure 1). Enumerators used these maps, and other maps prepared by the Census team, to identify dwelling locations and deliver Census materials.

Figure 1. Map of the electoral districts of St Helena, and dwelling footprints



Source: SHG GIS (district boundaries and building footprints).

Census forms were delivered to households and to institutions during the week before Census night, from Saturday, 30 January to Saturday, 6 February. They were then collected from households in the week following Census night, from Monday, 8 February to Sunday, 14 February. Enumerators then delivered the completed forms back to the Census Office on Monday, 15 February, or shortly afterwards.

Census enumeration was completed by household; the unique footprint identifier was used as part of the household identifier, along with a dwelling and household suffix, providing a geo-reference for the Census records (Figure 2).

Figure 2. Household identifier schematic

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District	Enumer- ation Area	Building Footprint				Dwelling within building	House- hold within dwelling

Following completion of the initial enumeration fieldwork, details relating to households and individuals participating in the Census were collated and compared with the delivery records made by enumerators and the list of building footprints from the GIS maps. Any missed households were subject to follow-up, including any householders who had concerns about completing their census forms. After appropriate follow-up, there were no identified non-responses to the 2021 Census.

F. Data entry, quality control, and coding

A dedicated team of four persons completed data entry into computerised records using the specialised software package CSPro (version 7.4),¹ which is developed and provided free to national statistical offices by the United States Census Bureau. Responses were validated during data entry (i.e. checked against the list of valid responses), and then verified using double-entry; that is, forms were entered twice by different operators and compared to each other to minimise keying errors.

Discrepancies or omissions in completed Census details were queried with respondents, if necessary, to ensure accuracy. Further consistency checks were also conducted after data entry, using the computerised records, and any outstanding anomalies in the data were identified and appropriate action was taken to resolve them, including using other statistical sources to verify or complete missing or incorrect data items.

Codes were assigned to most responses during the data entry process, based on the coding scheme laid out in the questionnaires. However, some variables are relatively complex and a special process was undertaken to assign appropriate codes to the education, occupation, and industry question responses, once data entry was complete. Wherever available, standard international statistical classifications have been used, including:

Education: International Standard Classification of Education (ISCED), 2011 (levels and fields, first digit level)

¹ <https://www.census.gov/data/software/cspro.html>

Occupation: International Standard Classification of Occupation (ISCO), ISCO-08 (four digit unit level)

Industry: International Standard Industrial Classification (ISIC), Revision 4 (2008) (broad structure level)

2. Characteristics of people

A. The population of St Helena

The total number of people enumerated was 4,477, including 4,376 residents living in households, 63 residents living in communal establishments, and 38 visitors (Table A1). This is sometimes called the 'de facto' count. The total number of residents was 4,439, including 4,118 St Helenians, and 321 people without St Helenian status. This is sometimes called the 'de jure' count, representing the total number of persons living on the island.

Table A1. Total population of St Helena, 2016 and 2021

	2016			2021		
	St Helenian	Other	Total	St Helenian	Other	Total
Enumerated population ("de facto")	4,245	557	4,802	4,139	338	4,477
<i>Visitors</i>	123	145	268	21	17	38
Resident population ("de jure")	4,122	412	4,534	4,118	321	4,439
<i>Living in households</i>	4,037	312	4,349	4,055	321	4,376
<i>Living in communal establishments</i>	85	100	185	63	-	63

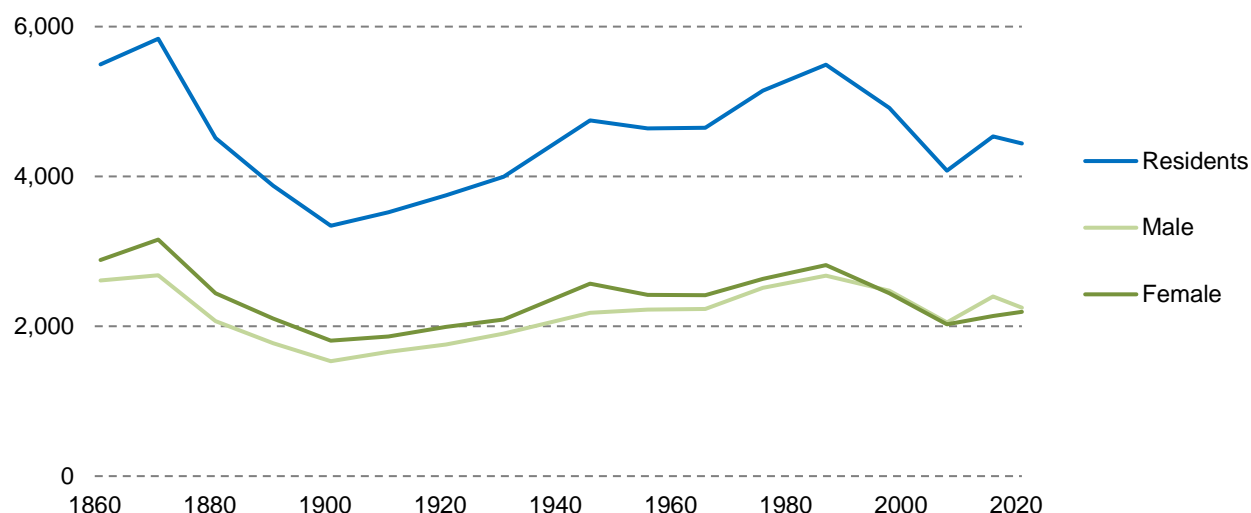
The total resident population in 2021 is slightly lower than the resident population in 2016, by 2.1% or 95 persons. Some of this decrease is due to the completion of St Helena's airport, since there were a large number of contract workers living on the Island during the construction period. In 2021, for example, 91 fewer non-St Helenian residents were counted.

B. Historical trends

Historically, St Helena's resident population has been both larger and smaller than 2021 (Figure 3). In the late 19th century, for example, there was a sharp decrease in the number of residents, as St Helena's shipping-based economy suffered after the invention of the steam ship and the completion of the Suez Canal, both of which meant that the need for ships to call at St Helena on their way to Europe or the Americas from Asia was dramatically reduced.

Resident population numbers recovered gradually during the 20th century, from a low of around 3,342 residents recorded in the 1901 census, to 5,500 in 1987. This was followed by a decline, as temporary work opportunities arose abroad, and when full British citizenship was restored in 2002, meaning that St Helenians were free to live and work in the United Kingdom. Compared to the years immediately after 2002, and as St Helena's airport was constructed and became operational, the number of residents has been fairly stable in recent years, at just under 4,500.

Figure 3. St Helena resident population, successive censuses from 1861 to 2021



Note: this chart excludes persons staying in the military garrison, and, in the 1901 Census, Boer prisoners of war.

C. Place of residence

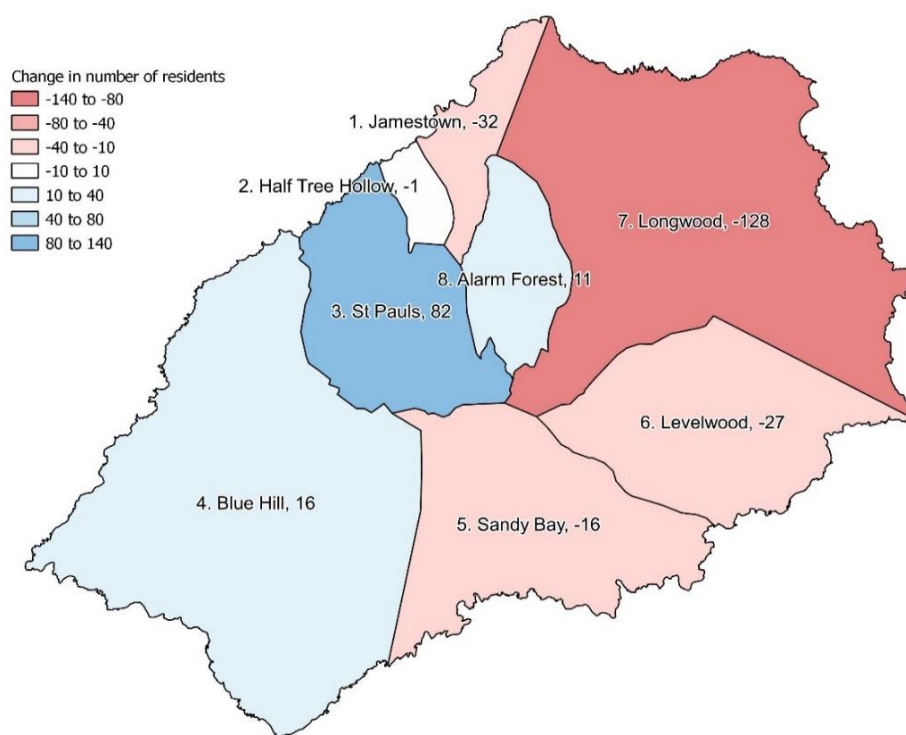
On Census night St Helena had eight electoral districts (electoral districts are used to organise St Helena’s election process). The districts with the largest number of residents were Half Tree Hollow (1,034), St Pauls (928), and Longwood (765), and the smallest districts were Blue Hill (174), Sandy Bay (177), and Levelwood (342). Since the Census in 2016 Blue Hill and St Pauls grew the most, by just over and just under 10% respectively. Longwood fell the most, by over 14%, but this is the result of the completion of the Airport and the subsequent departure of foreign workers, many of whom lived at Bradley’s Camp in the Longwood area (Table A2 and Figure 4).

Average household size – the number of residents per household – is 2.3, slightly lower than 2016, which was 2.4. The variation between districts is very small, but districts with the smallest number of persons per household (2.1) were Jamestown and Blue Hill, and the districts with the largest were Half Tree Hollow, St Pauls, and Alarm Forest, with 2.3.

Table A2. Resident population by district, 2016 and 2021

District	2016	2021	Change between 2016 and 2021		Average household size, 2021
			Persons	Percent (%)	
Jamestown	657	625	-32	-4.9	2.1
Half Tree Hollow	1,035	1,034	-1	-0.1	2.3
St Pauls	846	928	82	9.7	2.3
Blue Hill	158	174	16	10.1	2.1
Sandy Bay	193	177	-16	-8.3	2.2
Levelwood	369	342	-27	-7.3	2.2
Longwood	893	765	-128	-14.3	2.2
Alarm Forest	383	394	11	2.9	2.3
Total	4,534	4,439	-95	-2.1	2.3

Figure 4. Map of change in resident population by district, 2016 to 2021



Source: SHG GIS (district boundaries).

The number of people living in a district can be influenced by short-term factors – for example, in 2016, a number of Airport construction workers were housed at Bradley’s camp, and consequently the number of people living in Longwood in 2016 was substantially higher than in 2008. The number dropped in 2021, largely because these construction workers returned to their home countries. To illustrate the longer term trend, Table A3 and Figure 5 shows the number living in each district recorded in the last six censuses, from 1976 to 2021.

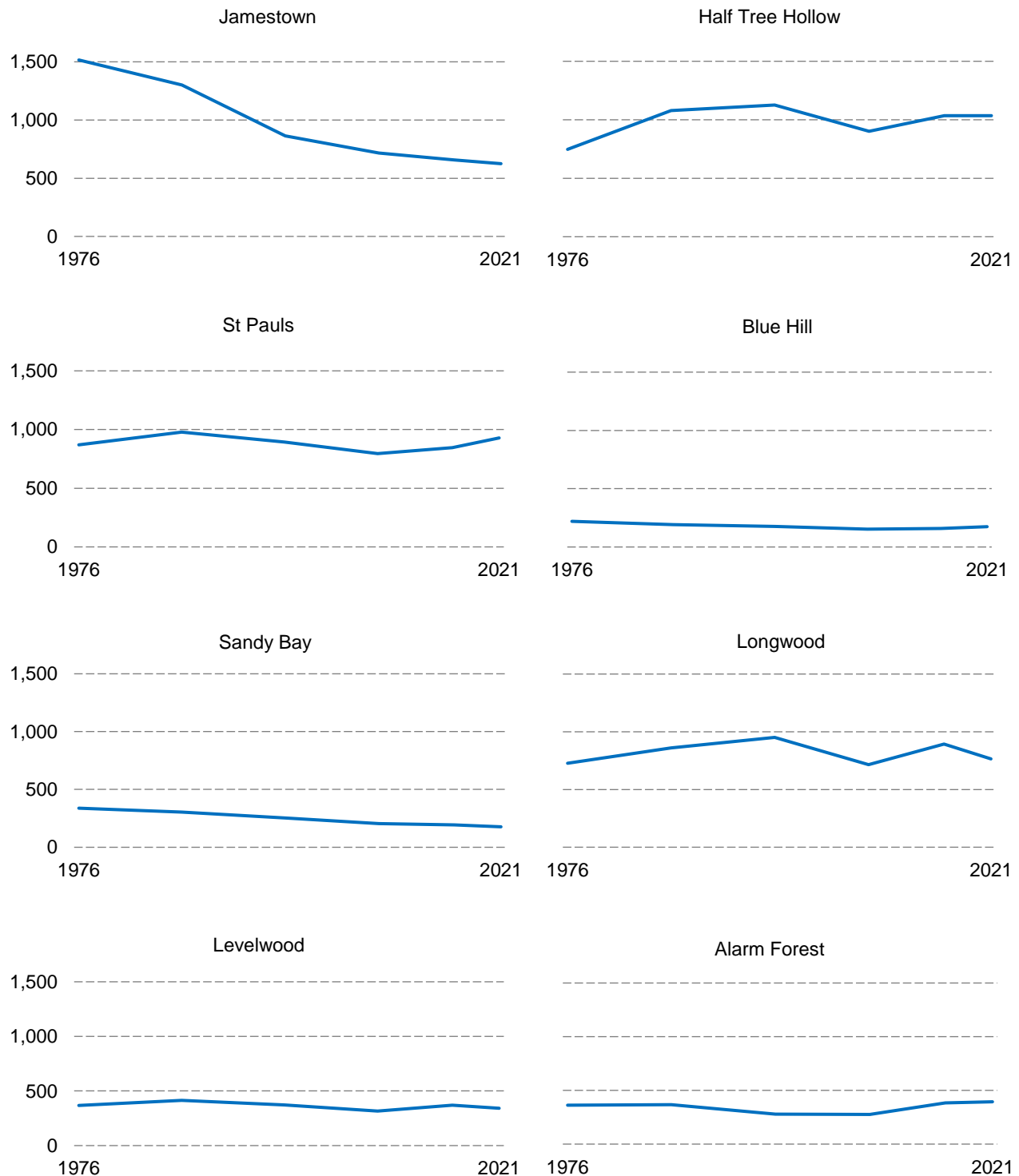
Table A3. Resident population by district, successive Censuses 1976 to 2021

	1976	1987	1998	2008	2016	2021
Jamestown	1,516	1,302	864	716	657	625
Half Tree Hollow	747	1,078	1,126	901	1,035	1,034
St Pauls	869	978	893	795	846	928
Blue Hill	220	191	176	153	158	174
Sandy Bay	338	304	254	205	193	177
Levelwood	367	414	373	316	369	342
Longwood	728	861	951	715	893	765
Alarm Forest	362	367	279	276	383	394
Total	5,147	5,495	4,916	4,077	4,534	4,439

Note: The 1987 Census enumerated five residents on ships in the harbour that are not included in counts by district

One clear change is the drop in the number of people living in Jamestown; the 2021 population is around 41% of the population in 1976. The population living in Half Tree Hollow has increased by 38% in the same period; it became the largest district for the first time in 1998, overtaking Jamestown. The population of Sandy Bay has gradually fallen to just over half its size in 2021 compared to 1976, reducing in size each year. A similar trend is observed in Blue Hill up until around 2008, but the population has increased slightly since then.

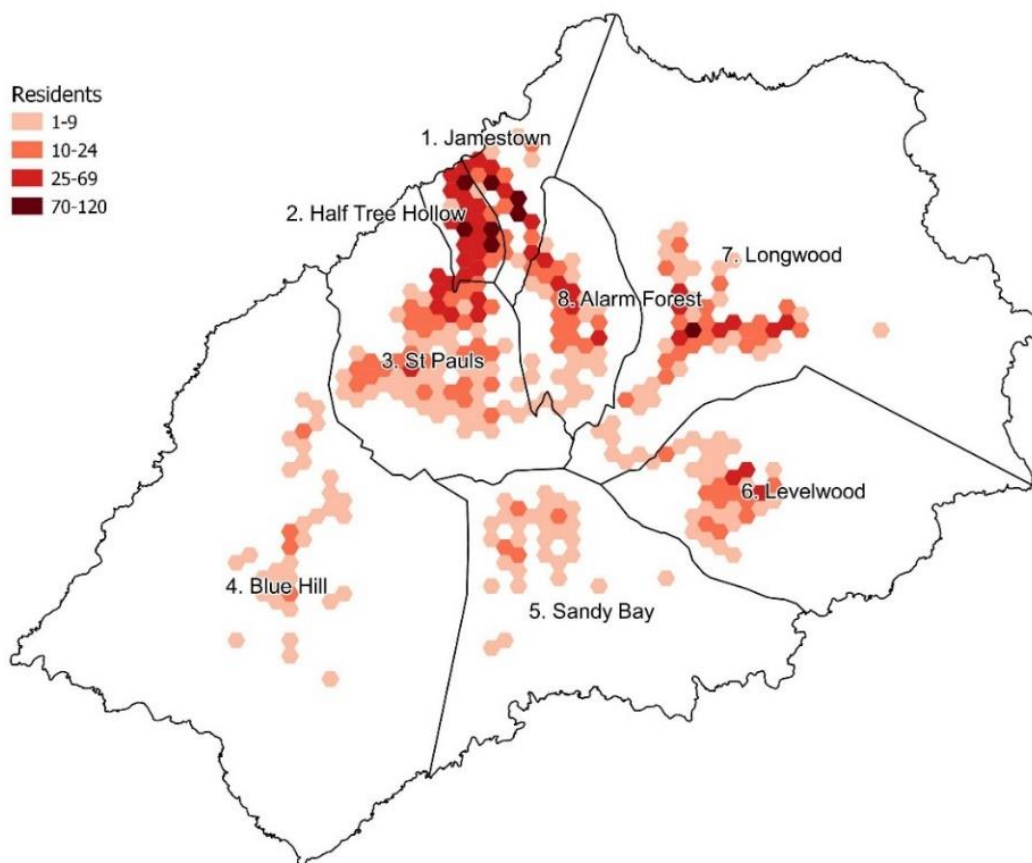
Figure 5. Resident population by district, 1976 to 2021



Note: The 2008 Census enumerated 114 residents on ships in the harbour that are not included in counts by district.

Since the residence location of all persons enumerated in the Census was recorded, the population density can be calculated for much smaller areas than has previously been possible; in particular, this is more useful than calculating population densities by district, since the difference in physical size between districts is very large. Figure 6 shows the number of people living in areas around 1/50th of a square mile, and it illustrates that the most dense parts of St Helena are in the urban areas of Jamestown and Half Tree Hollow, and also, to some extent, in Longwood. The least densely populated areas are in the rural areas of Blue Hill and Sandy Bay.

Figure 6. Location of the resident population, 2021



Source: SHG GIS (district boundaries).

Note: each hexagon represents around 1/50th of a square mile.

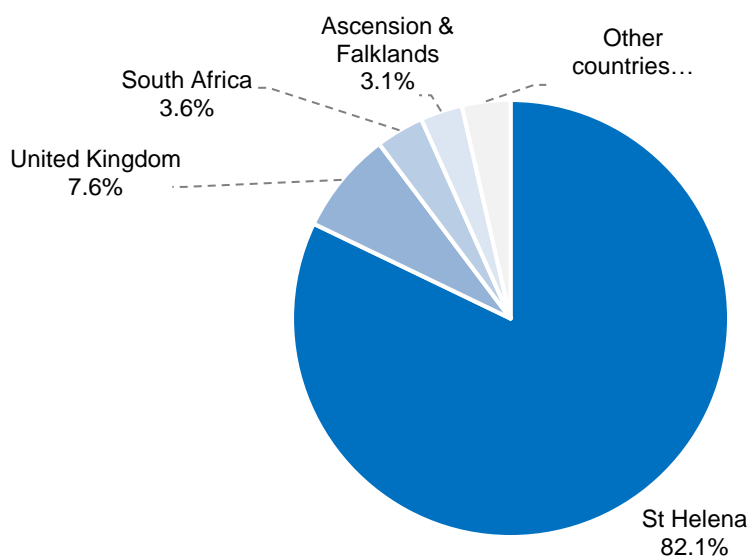
D. Place of birth

Most people that live on St Helena were born on St Helena; 82.1% in the 2021 Census, and 83.5% in the 2016 Census, of residents living in households (Table A4 and Figure 7). In 2021, similar to 2016, just under 8% were born in the United Kingdom. A further 3.6% were born in South Africa, 2.8% on Ascension Island and 0.3% on the Falkland Islands; Ascension Island and the Falkland Islands are important because many St Helenians seek work opportunities there. One change between 2021 and 2016 is that the number of people living in households on St Helena but not born in St Helena, UK, South Africa, Ascension or the Falklands has increased from 99 to 157. This is 3.6% of the resident household population in 2021, compared to 2.3% in 2016.

Table A4. Country of birth of the resident household population, 2016 and 2021

	2016		2021	
	Persons	Percent (%)	Persons	Percent (%)
St Helena	3,632	83.5	3,592	82.1
United Kingdom	342	7.9	332	7.6
South Africa	147	3.4	156	3.6
Ascension	111	2.6	124	2.8
Falklands	12	0.3	12	0.3
Other Africa	17	0.4	61	1.4
Other Europe	47	1.1	37	0.8
Other Asia, North/South America, Oceania	35	0.8	59	1.3
Not stated	6	0.1	3	0.1
Total	4,349	100.0	4,376	100.0

Figure 7. Country of birth of resident household population, 2021



E. Age structure

An understanding of the age structure of the population is very important when developing policies and planning resource needs. For instance, younger and older age groups have different and specific needs for public services, but the costs of supplying public services are most often met by people of working age. In 2021, the median age of St Helenian residents was 51.4, roughly four years higher than in 2016, when it was 47.4 (Table A5). This change in the median age² is indicative of a population which is ‘ageing’, which means, broadly, the percentage of older persons is rising compared to the total population.

² The median age is the age at which exactly half of the population is younger, and half of the population is older. It is often used as a measure of average age, since it is less influenced by small numbers of elderly or young people than the more usual method of calculating an average (which is the mean).

Dependency ratios are another useful measure of the age structure of a population. They measure the extent to which the numbers in either younger or older age groups compare to the number of people of working age – for most international comparisons, this is taken to be the 15-64 age group. The child dependency ratio measures the number of people younger than 15, the aged dependency ratio measures the number of people 65 and older, and the age dependency ratio adds both the 0-14 and 65 and older age groups together.

Table A5. St Helenian resident population: median and mean age, numbers in broad age groups, and dependency ratios, 2016 and 2021

	2016	2021	Change between 2016 and 2021	
Median age	47.4	51.4	+3.9	+8.3%
Mean age	44.7	47.4	+2.7	+6.0%
Broad age group				
0-14	560	547	-13	-2.3%
15-64	2,638	2,484	-154	-5.8%
65 and over	924	1,087	+163	+17.6%
Dependency ratios				
Age dependency ratio	56.3	65.8	+9.5	+16.9%
Child dependency ratio	21.2	22.0	+0.8	+3.7%
Aged dependency ratio	35.0	43.8	+8.7	+24.9%

There has been a striking rise in the aged dependency ratio of the St Helenian resident population, increasing from 35 in 2016 – a number which was already considered very high – to 44 in 2021 (Table A5). For comparison, in 2019, the United States was 25, the United Kingdom was 29, and Japan, which has the highest rate in the world, was 47. The causes of this trend on St Helena are likely to be the return of St Helenians who left to work abroad when they were younger (typically to Ascension Island, the Falkland Islands, and the United Kingdom), the departure of younger people looking for work opportunities abroad, increasing life expectancies, and fewer births, both because women have less children, and because there are fewer women of childbearing age.

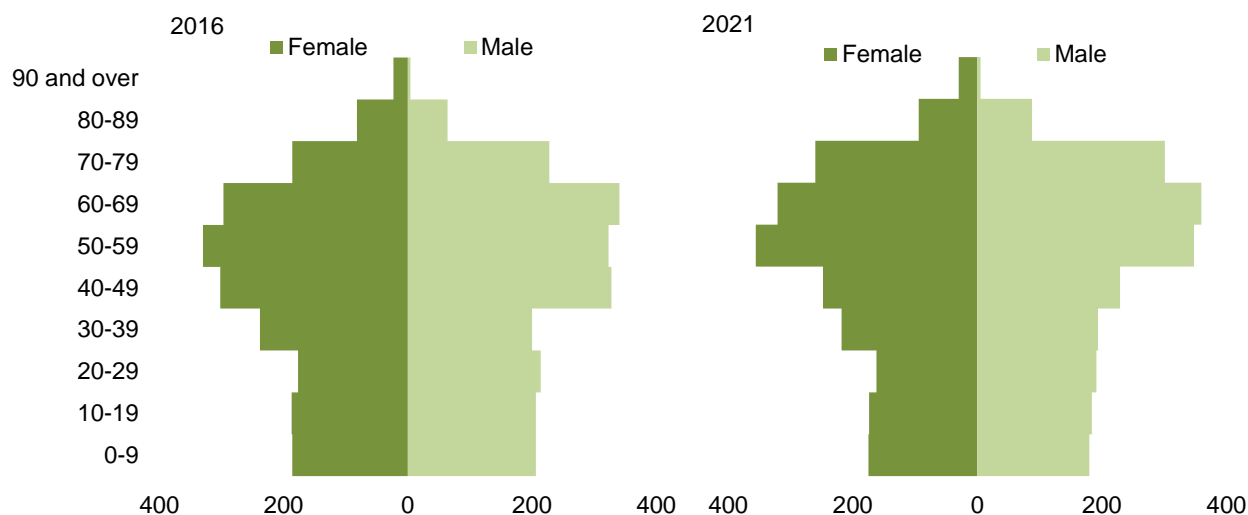
Table A6. Median age of the St Helenian resident household population by district, 2016 and 2021

District	2016	2021	Change since 2016	
			Years	Percent (%)
Jamestown	48.6	53.7	5.1	10.5
Half Tree Hollow	44.7	49.6	4.9	11.0
St Pauls	47.4	51.4	4.0	8.4
Blue Hill	51.8	56.2	4.4	8.5
Sandy Bay	51.8	54.0	2.2	4.2
Levelwood	48.8	53.8	5.0	10.2
Longwood	46.3	49.0	2.7	5.8
Alarm Forest	45.6	50.5	4.9	10.7
Total	47.1	51.2	4.1	8.7

Note: This table excludes St Helenians living in communal establishments.

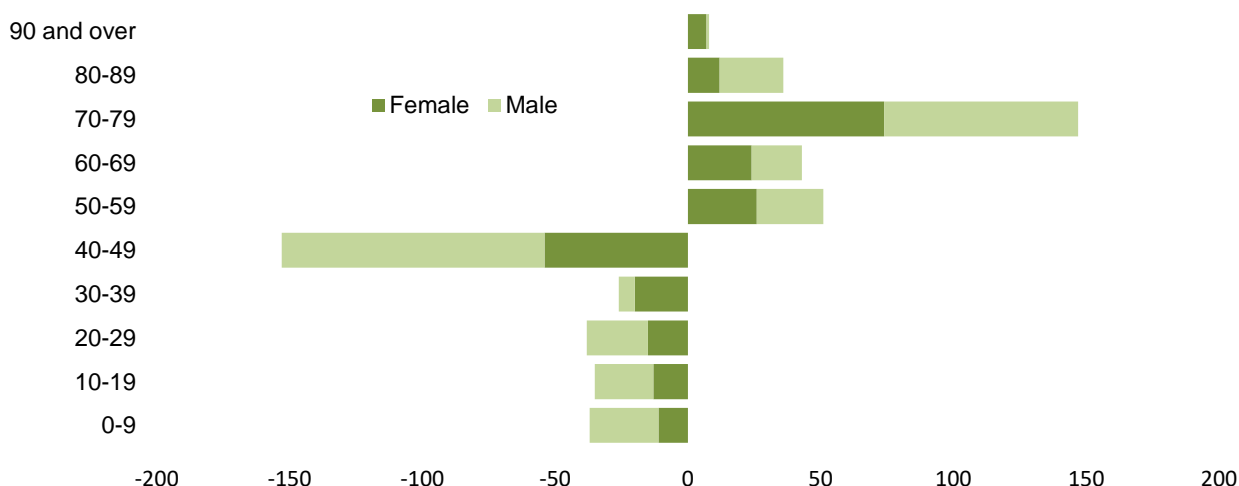
Table A6 shows the median age of St Helenian residents living in households in 2016 and 2021. The district with the highest median age in this group was Blue Hill (56.2); Sandy Bay, Levelwood and Jamestown are the next highest (54.0, 53.8 and 53.7 respectively). In 2021, the districts with the lowest median ages among the St Helenian resident household population were Longwood and Half Tree Hollow (49.0 and 49.6); these were the only two districts where the median age of the resident St Helenian household population is below 50 years. The median age of this group has increased in all districts, but has increased the most in Jamestown, Half Tree Hollow, Levelwood, and Alarm Forest, and increased the least in Sandy Bay and Longwood.

Figure 8. St Helenian resident population by 10-year age groups and sex, 2016 and 2021



The ageing trend can also be illustrated by the shape of the charts of the number of males and females in each age group – these charts are sometimes called ‘population pyramids’, because, in many countries, there are more young people than old people. For St Helenian residents, these charts were a similar pyramid shape up until the 1990s, but they have become skewed towards the higher age groups as the number of older people has started to exceed the number of younger people. The chart for St Helena in 2016 is heavily skewed towards higher age groups (Figure 8), and is even more pronounced in 2021. Between 2016 and 2021 there has been a substantial fall in the number of people in the 40-49 age group of 153 (24%), and a substantial rise in the number of people in the 70-79 age group of 147 (or 36%) (Figure 9).

Figure 9. Change in St Helenian resident population between 2016 and 2021, by 10-year age groups and sex



F. Health status

The 2016 Census introduced a new question for respondents to self-report their health status, using a five-category answer scheme (very good, good, fair, bad, very bad) for 'How is your health in general?' This question was repeated in 2021, and Table A7 and Figure 10 summarises the responses.

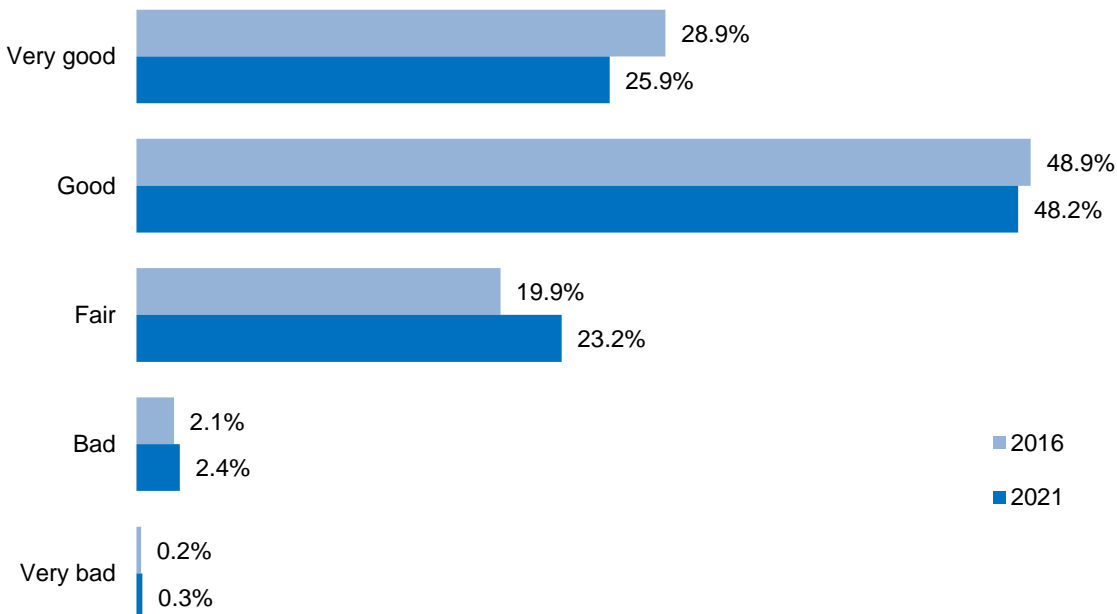
Table A7. Self-reported health status of the St Helenian resident household population, 2016 and 2021

How is your health in general?	2016		2021	
	Number	Percent of respondents (%)	Number	Percent of respondents (%)
Very good	1,167	28.9	1,027	25.9
Good	1,973	48.9	1,911	48.2
Fair	803	19.9	922	23.2
Bad	83	2.1	94	2.4
Very bad	10	0.2	13	0.3
Total respondents	4,036	100.0	3,967	100.0
Not stated	1	..	88	..

Note: Percentages are calculated as a percent of respondents in this table because of the different response rates in 2016 and 2021.

Almost half of those that answered this question considered their health to be 'good' (48.2%), and a further 25.9% considered their health to be 'very good'. Although slightly more people did not answer this question in 2021 compared to 2016, slightly fewer of those that responded in 2021 (74.1%) considered that they were in 'very good' or 'good' health compared to 2016 (77.8%), and slightly more (2.7%) considered that they were in a 'bad' or 'very bad' state of health.

Figure 10. Self-reported health status of the St Helenian resident household population, 2016 and 2021, percent of respondents



G. Caring commitments

The 2021 Census included the same question on caring commitments as the 2016 Census. Respondents were asked whether they looked after family members or friends because of health, disability or old age (apart from any paid care), and how much time per week they devote to this activity. Overall, the number of St Helenians stating such commitments has increased slightly, from 335 in 2016 to 356 in 2021 (Table A8). The number stating that these commitments take more than 10 hours a week has also increased, from 118 in 2016, to 145 in 2021. The number stating that the commitments take less than 10 hours has fallen slightly, from 197 in 2016, to 178 in 2021.

Table A8. Stated caring commitments of the St Helenian resident household population, 2016 and 2021

Hours spent on care of family/friends per week (excluding paid work and child-care)	2016		2021	
	Number	Percent (%)	Number	Percent (%)
1-9 hours	197	58.8	178	50.0
10-19 hours	37	11.0	45	12.6
20-49 hours	34	10.1	43	12.1
50+ hours	47	14.0	57	16.0
Not stated	20	6.0	33	9.3
Total respondents with caring commitments	335	100.0	356	100.0

H. Smoking

The 2016 Census introduced a question about whether respondents smoked, and a similar question was included in 2021 (a question on alcohol consumption, also introduced in 2016, was dropped for 2021) (Table A9 and Figure 11). Response to this question was good; 96% of the target group answered in 2016, and 97% in 2021.

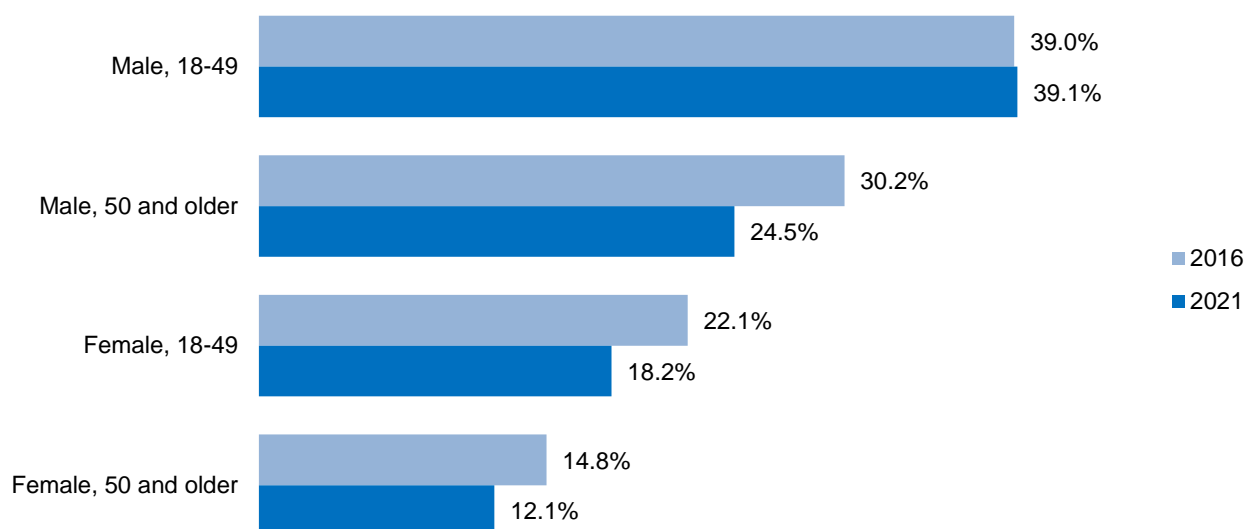
Table A9. Stated smoking habit by age and sex, St Helenian resident household population, 2016 and 2021.

	2016: Do you smoke cigarettes?		2021: Do you smoke cigarettes or tobacco?	
	Yes	Percent of respondents (%)	Yes	Percent of respondents (%)
Total	851	26.4	732	22.2
18-49	450	30.7	353	28.5
50 and older	401	22.8	379	18.5
Male	567	34.1	497	29.8
18-49	291	39.0	239	39.1
50 and older	276	30.2	258	24.5
Female	284	18.2	235	14.5
18-49	159	22.1	114	18.2
50 and older	125	14.8	121	12.1

Note: in 2016 the legal age of smoking was 16, so this question was asked of all persons 16 and older – but only responses of those 18 and above are included in this table. In 2021, the legal age of smoking was 18, so the question was only asked of persons 18 and older.

Overall, the percentage of those St Helenian residents living in households who said they smoke has fallen between 2016 and 2021, from 26.4% to 22.2%. Smoking is more prevalent among males, and among younger age groups: in 2021, almost 40% of men under 50 said they smoked (the same as in 2016), compared to 18% of women in the same age group. Smoking prevalence has fallen in older men and, and in women both under and over 50.

Figure 11. Percentage of respondents with stated smoking habit, by broad age group and sex, St Helenian resident household population, 2016 and 2021



I. Disability

The 2021 Census introduced a new set of internationally-recommended questions,³ which aim to improve the consistent measurement of disability in censuses and surveys around the world. Instead of a single question on limitations due to disability or health, six questions about functions were asked of those aged five and over: seeing, hearing, walking or climbing steps, remembering or concentrating, self-care (washing all over and dressing), and communicating.

Response to these new questions was good, with over 97% of the target group providing a response to each question; a person is considered disabled if they responded ‘a lot of difficulty’ or ‘cannot do at all’ to at least one of the six questions. Overall, 174 St Helenians aged five and over living in households (4.5%) are considered disabled according to this methodology, with 70 males (3.6% of male respondents) and 104 females (5.4% of female respondents). Figure 12 provides additional analysis by age group; more females tend to be classified as disabled than males in age groups higher than 50, and disability is much more prevalent in the elderly: 27% of persons 80 and over, and 9% of persons between 70 and 79.

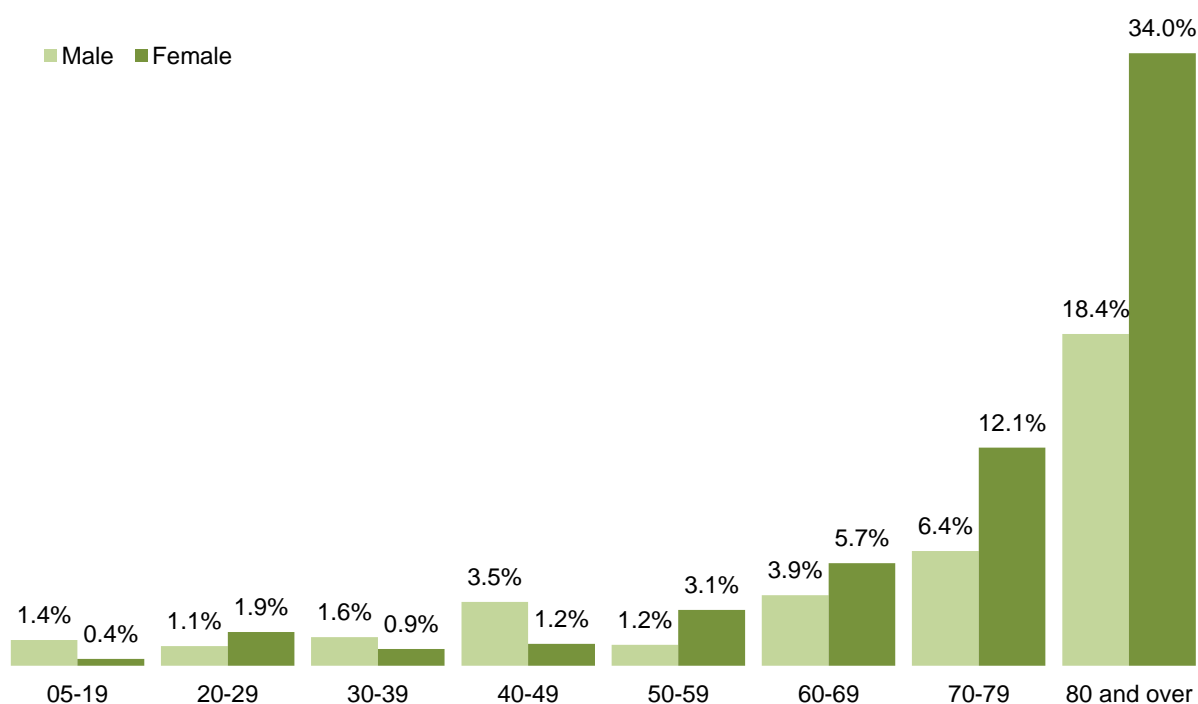
³ The Washington Group on Disability Statistics: <https://www.washingtongroup-disability.com>

Table A10. Disability: status of functioning, St Helenian resident household population aged five and over, 2021

Do you have difficulty:	No difficulty	Some difficulty	A lot of difficulty	Cannot do at all	Not stated	Total
Seeing	3,178	556	45	2	110	3,891
Hearing	3,526	222	35	4	104	3,891
Walking or climbing steps	3,335	365	83	17	91	3,891
Remembering or concentrating	3,369	384	34	5	99	3,891
With self-care (washing and dressing)	3,663	97	21	23	87	3,891
Communicating (understanding, being understood)	3,664	96	23	3	105	3,891

Note: the classification of disability used in this table is based on the recommendations of the international 'Washington Group on Disability Statistics': a person is classified as disabled if they have a lot of difficulty, or cannot do at all, any of the six functions. This is a statistical definition used for the Census, and should not be confused with other definitions that may be used in the delivery of public services.

Figure 12. Persons reporting at least one disability: percent of total in age group, St Helenian resident household population aged five and over, by sex, 2021



J. Religion

81.2% of the resident household population stated that they had a faith, lower than in 2016, when 84.5% stated they had a faith. This corresponds to an increase in those stating that they do not have a faith, from 266 persons (6.1%) to 395 persons (9.0%) (Table A11).

St Helena is a predominantly Christian society, with 78.5% of the resident household population stating that they were Christian (or 96.7% of those with a faith). The largest non-Christian religion was Islam, followed by Baha'i; in total, there were 46 persons stating a non-Christian religion. The largest Christian denomination was Anglican, with 63.2% of the total resident household population, or 80.4% of those stating that they were Christian. This is lower than in 2016, when 68.9% of the resident household population stated that they were Anglican. Other Christian denominations which were stated by 10 or more persons include Jehovah's Witnesses (167), Baptist (100), Roman Catholic (96), The Salvation Army (88), Seventh Day Adventist (85), New Apostolic (72), and The Rock Christian Fellowship (20).

Table A11. Faith, religion and denomination of the resident household population, 2016 and 2021

	2016		2021	
	Number	Percent (%)	Number	Percent (%)
Has a faith	3,676	84.5	3,552	81.2
Christian	3,608	83.0	3,436	78.5
<i>Anglican</i>	2,997	68.9	2,765	63.2
<i>Jehovah's Witness</i>	178	4.1	167	3.8
<i>Baptist</i>	94	2.2	100	2.3
<i>Roman Catholic</i>	53	1.2	96	2.2
<i>Salvation Army</i>	75	1.7	88	2.0
<i>Seventh Day Adventist</i>	77	1.8	85	1.9
<i>New Apostolic</i>	61	1.4	72	1.6
<i>The Rock Christian Fellowship</i>	12	0.3	20	0.5
<i>Other Christian denomination</i>	61	1.4	43	1.0
Islamic	0	0.0	16	0.4
Baha'i	11	0.3	10	0.2
Other religions	16	0.4	20	0.5
Not stated	41	0.9	70	1.6
Does not have a faith	266	6.1	395	9.0
Faith not stated	407	9.4	429	9.8
Total	4,349	100.0	4,376	100.0

Note: only denominations which were stated by 10 or more persons have been tabulated separately.

K. Persons that have left the Island

Persons born on St Helena were asked to state whether they have ever left the Island to visit another country, and whether they have ever worked abroad. Note that considerably more people did not answer these questions in 2021 compared to 2016, which may have been caused by the inclusion of an explanatory note for those not currently living on St Helena.

However the percentage of St Helenian household residents that said they were born on St Helena and had left the Island was 83.4% in 2021, very slightly higher than in 2016 (82.2%). The percentage of respondents who stated that they have worked abroad increased more markedly, from 52.8% in 2016, to 57.1% in 2021. This increase is largest amongst those who have worked abroad for five years or more, which may be due to larger numbers of people returning to St Helena after working away.

Table A12. St Helenian resident household population born on St Helena that stated they have ever left the Island to visit another country, or have ever worked overseas, 2016 and 2021

	2016		2021	
	Number	Percent (%) of respondents	Number	Percent (%) of respondents
Total born on St Helena	3,630	..	3,586	..
Ever left the Island to visit another country	2,995	82.8	2,755	83.4
Has not left the Island to visit another country	621	17.2	549	16.6
Total stated	3,616	100.0	3,304	100.0
Not stated	14	..	282	..
Ever worked overseas	1,886	52.8	1,786	57.1
<i>For five years or less</i>	778	21.8	708	22.6
<i>For five years or more</i>	1,108	31.0	1,079	34.5
No	1,687	47.2	1,342	42.9
Total stated	3,573	100.0	3,129	100.0
Not stated	59	..	457	..

Note: In 2021, inclusion of explanatory notes to questions P9 and P10 for those born on St Helena but currently living abroad may have caused an increase in the number of not stated responses.

L. Marital status

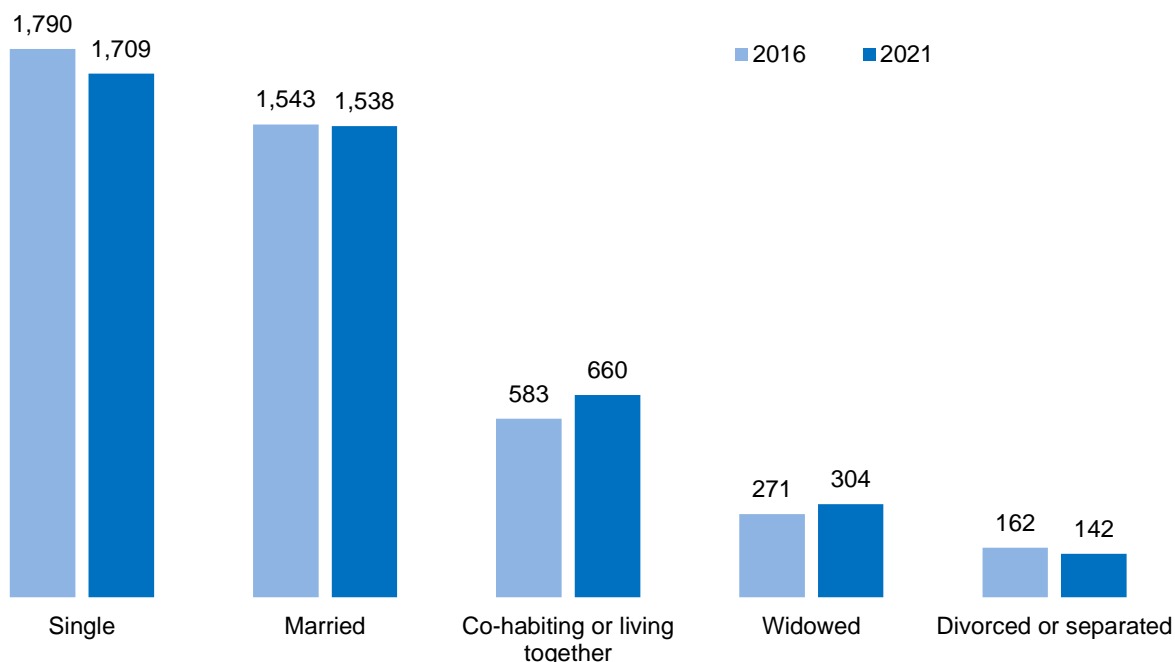
Just over a third of the resident household population were married at the time of the 2021 Census, which is a similar pattern to that observed in 2016 (Table A13). There has been a slight increase in the percentage of people who are co-habiting or living together, 15.1% in 2021 compared with 13.4% in 2016.

Table A13. Stated marital status of the resident household population, 2016 and 2021

	2016		2021	
	Number	Percent of respondents	Number	Percent of respondents
Single	1,790	41.2	1,709	39.3
Married	1,543	35.5	1,538	35.3
Co-habiting or living together	583	13.4	660	15.1
Separated	30	0.7	26	0.6
Divorced	132	3.0	116	2.7
Widowed	271	6.2	304	7.0
Total stated	4,349	100.0	4,353	100.0
Not stated	-	..	23	..

Note: The married category includes registered civil partnerships.

Figure 13. Marital status of the resident household population, 2016 and 2021



M. Education

In the 2021 Census, the questions relating to education were revised substantially compared to the 2016 Census, to try and improve data quality and response. One difficulty with measuring education is that current systems are often quite different to past systems, and this is particularly true on St Helena. For instance, the system was changed when the Prince Andrew Secondary School was opened in 1989.

Figure 14 illustrates the relationship between the level of schooling completed and the average years of schooling completed: the higher the level, the more years of schooling. Overall, for those that provided a response, the average years of schooling among St Helenian household residents was 11.5, ranging from 11.0 years for those that completed compulsory schooling (typically ending at age 15 or 16), to 14.2 years for those that completed higher, post- secondary, education. This is slightly higher than 2016, when the average was 10.7.

Figure 14. Average years of schooling by level of schooling completed, St Helenian resident household population that have completed compulsory education, 2021



Younger age groups have also completed more years of schooling than older age groups, consistent with the improvements to access to secondary and tertiary education on St Helena. Among St Helenian adults below 40 years old, the average years of schooling completed is just

below 13 years; above 50 years old, the average number of years of schooling completed is lower, between around 10 and 11 years (Figure 15).

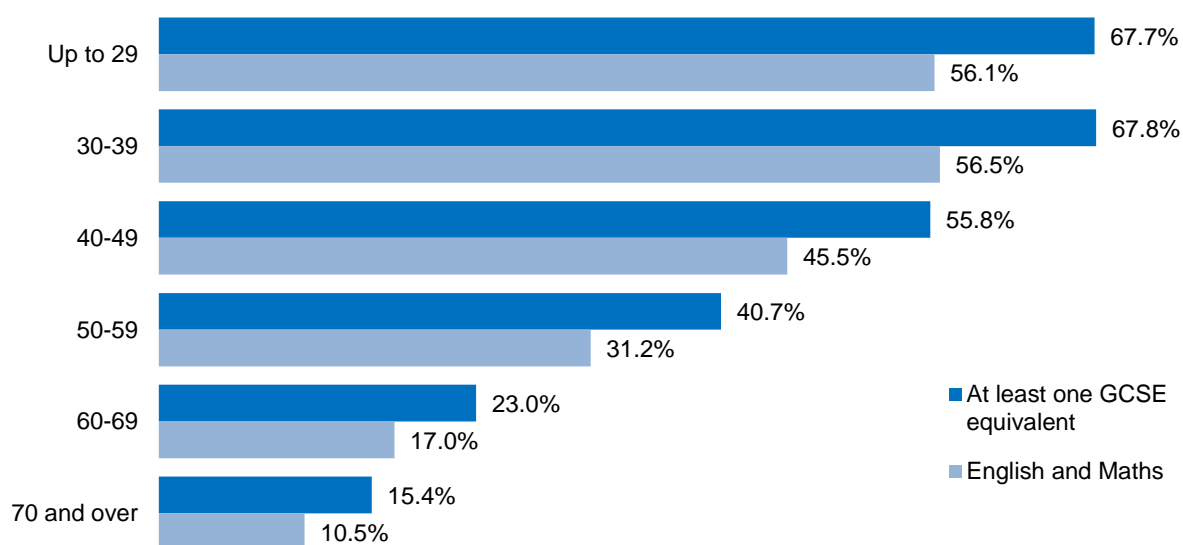
Figure 15. Average years of schooling by age group, St Helenian resident household population that have completed compulsory education, 2021



Another measure of the education levels of the population is the number with qualifications gained at the end of secondary school. On St Helena, school children currently take the UK General Certificate of Secondary Education (GCSE), in different subjects, at the end of Year 11 when they are either 15 or 16 years old. Persons who left school prior to the introduction of GCSEs would have taken different exams, as would persons living on St Helena who went to school in countries where the GCSE system is not used. In these cases, respondents were instructed to use exams at the end of compulsory secondary education as an equivalent.

1,404 St Helenians (40.6%) stated that they have at least one GCSE equivalent qualification, with 1,114 stating they have both English and Maths. Rates are higher among younger age groups: around 68% of adults below 40 stated they have at least one GCSE equivalent, but above 40 the rates are much lower (Figure 16).

Figure 16. Qualifications (GCSE-equivalent) of the St Helenian resident household population that have completed compulsory education, 2021



The 2021 Census also asked respondents to provide the highest level qualification they have obtained beyond compulsory secondary schooling, both the level and the subject. These were

written responses, which were classified by the Census data processing team after the enumeration was complete, using the broadest level of the International Standard Classification of Education (ISCED).⁴

Among the St Helenian resident household population that have completed compulsory secondary education, 357 stated a qualification higher than secondary schooling (i.e. higher than 'A' level), with 131 of these either at Bachelor's degree or higher (Figure 17). Among the non-St Helenian population, Degree and Masters/Doctoral qualifications are more common, and social sciences, business, the law, and health and welfare are the most popular subject areas for higher level qualifications. St Helenians have a similar pattern, but there are a much larger number with qualifications in engineering, manufacturing, and construction (Figure 18).

Figure 17. Highest qualification achieved by level among the resident household population that have completed post-secondary education, 2021

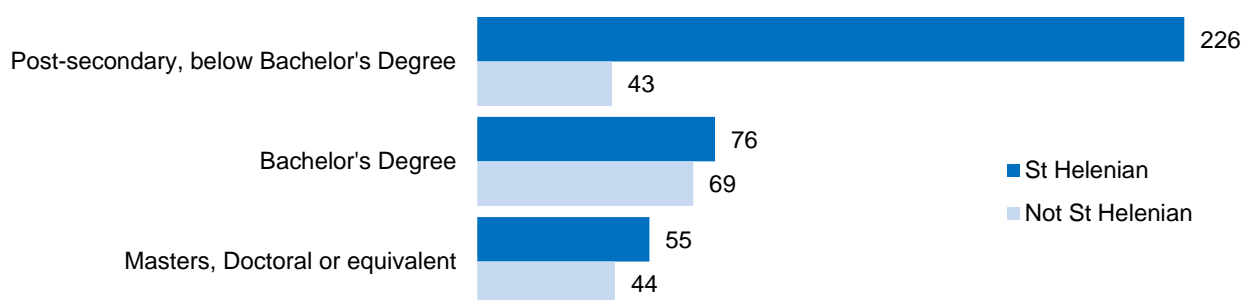
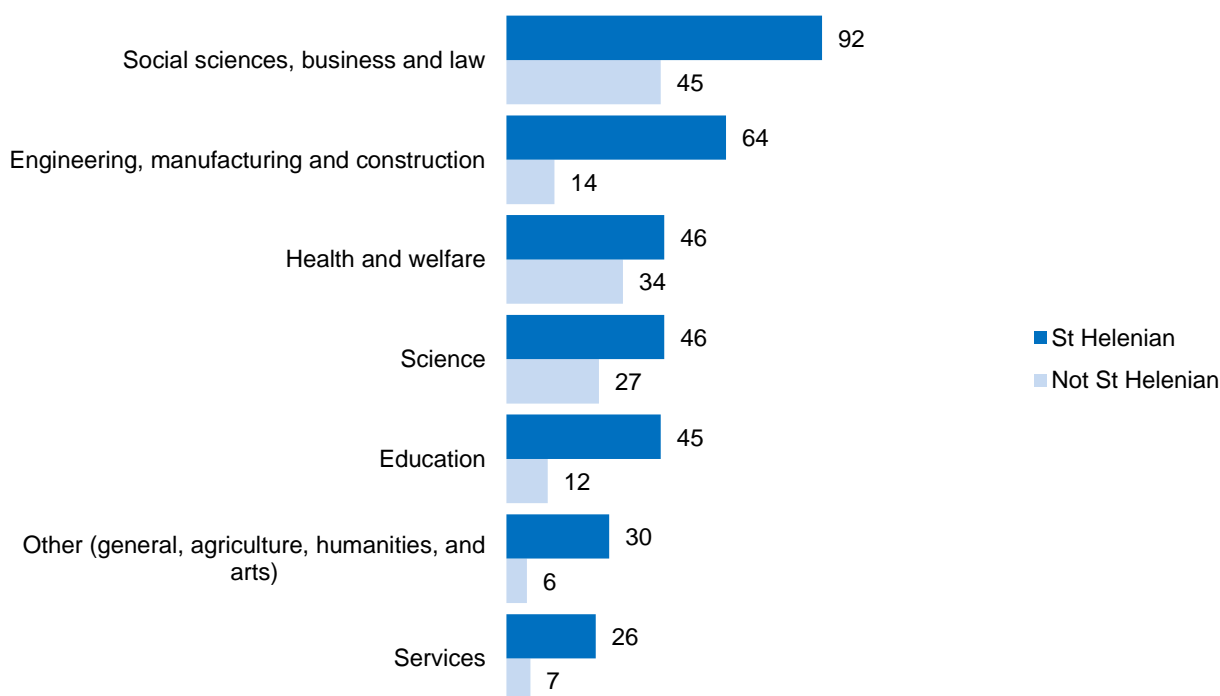


Figure 18. Highest qualification achieved by subject among the resident household population that have completed post-secondary education, 2021



⁴ See <http://uis.unesco.org/en/topic/international-standard-classification-education-isced>

N. Economic activity

The 2021 Census included a question (P24 in Schedule 2) to determine whether an individual who has completed compulsory education was economically active in the week before Census night. The question was only asked of people living in households, and not of persons living in communal establishments; in any case, persons living in establishments such as the Community Care Centre or the Prison are not likely to be economically active. The number of economically active is sometimes referred to as the labour force, or the work force: it is those people employed doing paid work, plus the people that are unemployed but who are actively looking for work. It does not include those who are not working, but who are not looking for work.

In 2021, the number of residents in households who were economically active was 2,654, which is 122 persons less than in 2016 (Table A14). Despite the completion of the Airport and return of expatriate construction workers to their home country, the drop in the number of economically active St Helenians living in households is of a similar size, from 2,539 to 2,446. The number of residents who were economically inactive in the week before Census night increased, from 906 in 2016 to 1,045 in 2021. Most of these – some 1,008 persons in 2021 – were St Helenian. This increase is consistent with St Helena's aging population, for example as people retire from paid work.

Table A14. Economic activity of the resident household population, 2016 and 2021

	2016		2021	
	Persons	Percent %	Persons	Percent %
Total resident household population	4,349	100.0	4,376	100.0
Economically active	2,756	63.4	2,654	60.6
<i>Employed</i>	..	..	2,560	96.5
<i>Unemployed and looking for work</i>	..	..	94	3.5
Economically inactive	906	20.8	1,045	23.9
Children yet to complete full-time compulsory education	687	15.8	677	15.5
St Helenian resident household population	4,037	100.0	4,055	100.0
Economically active	2,539	62.9	2,446	60.3
<i>By employment status</i>				
<i>Employed</i>	2,463	97.0	2,359	96.4
<i>Unemployed and looking for work</i>	76	3.0	87	3.6
<i>By age group</i>				
<i>Up to 64 years old</i>	2,311	91.0	2,169	88.7
<i>65 and older</i>	228	9.0	277	11.3
Economically inactive	868	21.5	1,008	24.9
<i>Retired</i>	624	71.9	702	69.6
<i>Disabled and unable to work</i>	91	10.5	89	8.8
<i>Other persons not in paid work or looking for paid work</i>	153	17.6	217	21.5
Children yet to complete full-time compulsory education	630	15.6	601	14.8

Notes: The 2016 Census did not include a response for unemployed but not looking for work, so the number of unemployed and looking for work may have been overstated.

The number of residents who were unemployed and actively seeking work in the week before the census was 94, and most of these were St Helenian (87). This translates to an unemployment rate

of 3.5% for the resident household population, and 3.6% for the St Helenian resident household population – slightly higher than the rate recorded in 2016 of 3.0%. Among St Helenians, the unemployment rate is higher for men than for women: 4.4% compared to 2.7%. Note that the unemployment rate is the number of unemployed actively seeking work, divided by the number of residents who are economically active. Also, the number unemployed and actively seeking work is not directly comparable with the number of people who claim unemployment benefit (43 in January 2021), for instance because not everyone who is unemployed and seeking work is eligible for benefit, or may make a claim.

O. Occupations

The Census asked for the job title and employer for all those 16 and older who had completed compulsory education. These responses have been classified into occupations using the latest 2008 version of the International Standard Classification of Occupation⁵ (ISCO-08) by the Census data processing team. Occupation is based on the job title provided by the respondent, and represents the work that people do (or did, if they were currently unemployed and looking for work); it should not be confused with industrial activity, which is the activity of the business or organisation in which the respondent works.

Table A15. Occupation of economically active resident household population, 2016 and 2021

Occupation	2016			2021		
	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total
Managers	164	138	302	133	182	315
Professionals	99	178	277	126	141	267
Technicians and Associate Professionals	131	135	266	145	181	326
Clerical Support Workers	53	166	219	42	173	215
Services and Sales Workers	159	433	592	234	468	702
Skilled Agricultural, Forestry and Fishery Workers	64	8	72	82	9	91
Craft and Related Trades Workers	297	35	332	301	35	336
Plant and Machine Operators and Assemblers	167	13	180	75	5	80
Elementary Occupations	334	108	442	208	75	283
Not stated	49	25	74	22	17	39
Total	1,517	1,239	2,756	1,368	1,286	2,654

Table A15 and Figure 19 give the counts of the occupations of the economically active resident household population by broad classification of job type. The largest job category in both 2016 and 2021 is service and sales workers, and in both Censuses women did more of these jobs than men. In 2016 there were more people employed in elementary occupations (442) than in 2021 (283); elementary occupations includes construction labourers, and this reflects the large number of labouring jobs required during Airport construction. Elementary occupations, craft and related trades work (which includes construction-related jobs), skilled agricultural, forestry and fishery workers, and plant and machine operators and assemblers are all job groupings that are dominated by men.

⁵ <https://www.ilo.org/public/english/bureau/stat/isco>

Apart from service and sales workers, there tends to be more women managers, and more women doing clerical support jobs and professional technical work than men on St Helena.

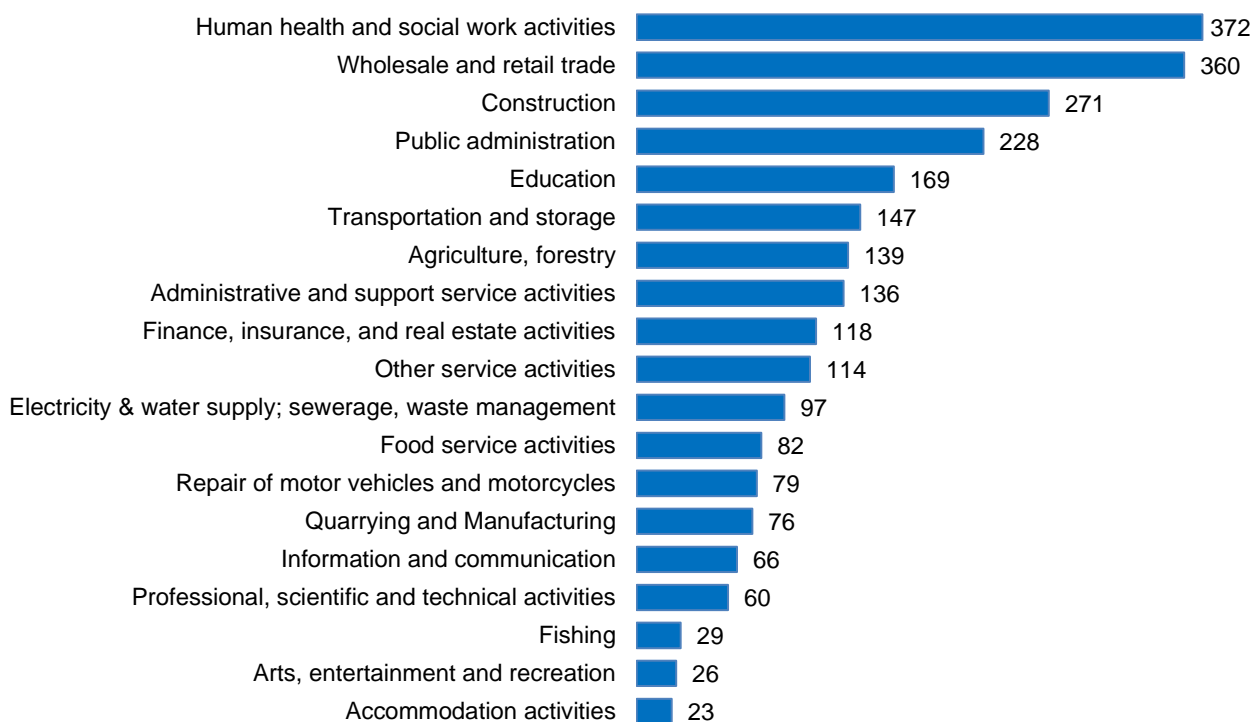
Figure 19. Occupations of the economically active resident household population, 2021



P. Industry

Respondents were asked to select the nature of the business or industry of their current (or last) job from a choice of 22 groups, which were based on the highest level grouping of the latest International Standard Industrial Classification⁶ (ISIC, Rev. 4). Figure 20 gives counts of the responses for the economically active resident household population for 2021 (excluding any not stated), with the percentage by sex in Figure 21.

Figure 20. Main industry of economically active resident household population, 2021

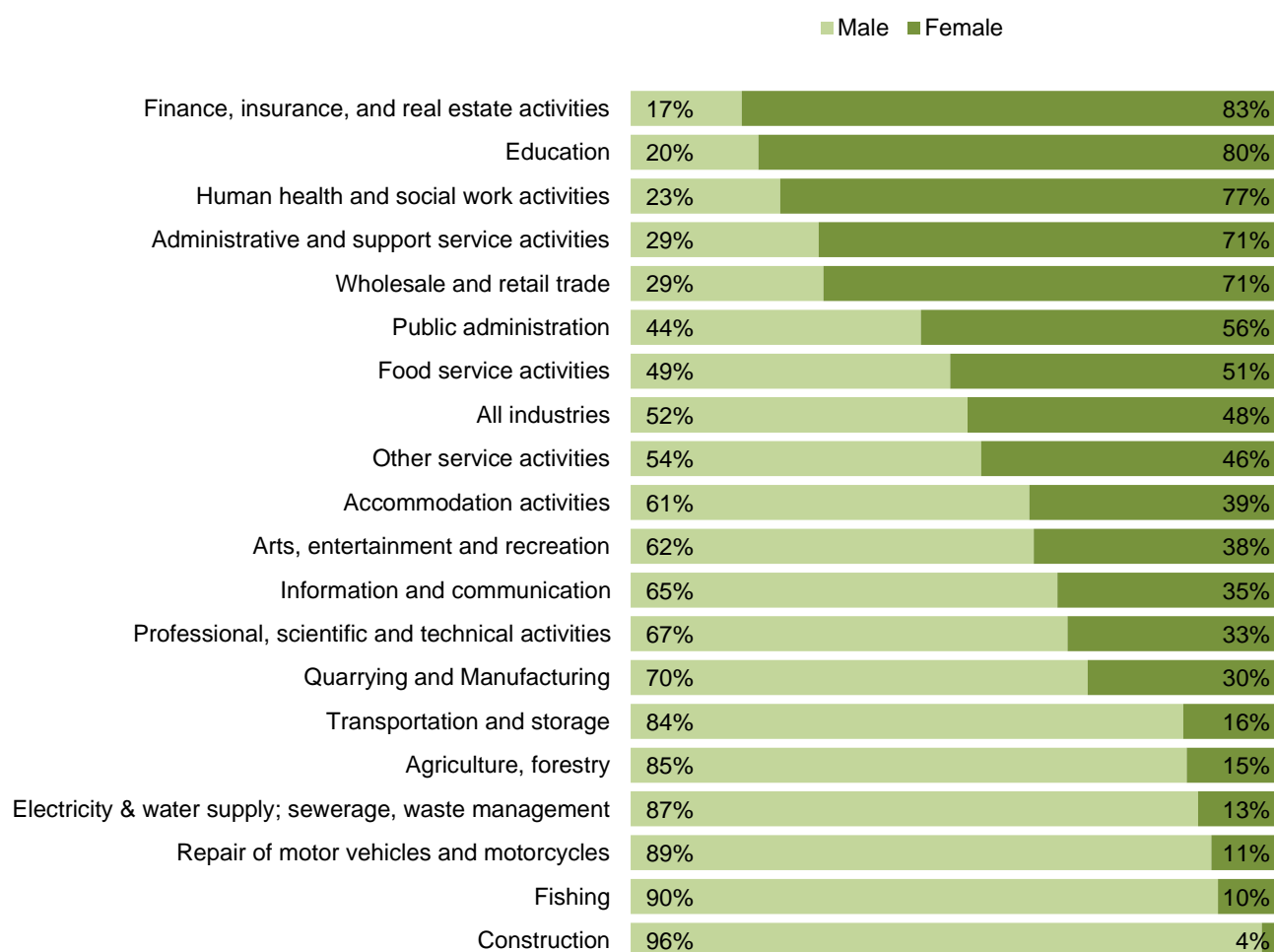


⁶ <https://unstats.un.org/unsd/classifications/Econ/ISIC>

The four largest industry groups, by number of economically active people, were health and social work (372), wholesale and retail trade (360), construction (271), and public administration (228); together, they account for almost half of the working population (46%). The four smallest were accommodation activities (23), arts, entertainment and recreation (26), fishing (29), and professional, scientific and technical activities (60), although some of these industries, especially accommodation, has been affected by the COVID-19 pandemic and the absence of any tourists or leisure visitors on St Helena on Census night.

In the two largest industries there were more women than men: 77% in health and social work, and 71% in wholesale and retail trade. Other industries with a high proportion of women were finance, insurance and real estate (83% female); education (80% female); and administrative and support services (71% female). Industries with a high proportion of men were construction (96% male); fishing (90% male); repair of motor vehicles and motorcycles (89% male); electricity and water supply, sewerage and waste management (87% male); agriculture and forestry (85% male); and transportation and storage (84% male).

Figure 21. Main industry of economically active resident household population by sex, percent, 2021



3. Characteristics of households

A. Dwelling type and tenure

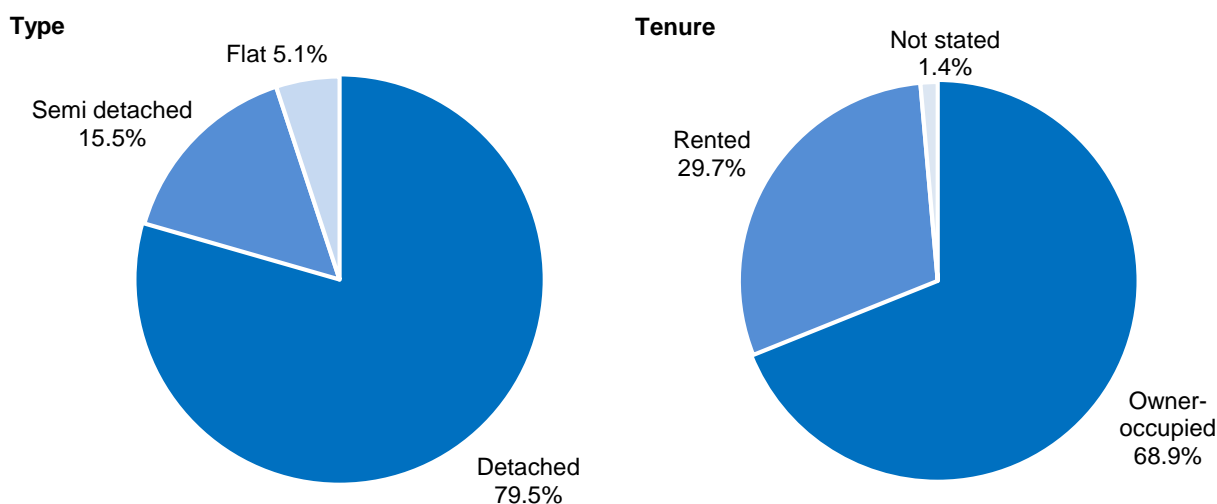
The number of dwellings occupied by resident households increased by 95 between the 2016 and 2021 Census (Table A16), from 1,842 to 1,937. Most St Helenian households live in detached,

owner-occupied dwellings, and the type of dwellings occupied by St Helenians is largely unchanged compared with 2016. Although the number of owner-occupied dwellings is roughly the same, the percentage has fallen, from 72.3% to 68.9%. The percentage of rented dwellings has increased, from 27.7% to 29.7%, with a fall in the percentage rented by the government, from 11.8% to 10.9%, and an increase in the percentage of dwellings rented by the private sector, from 15.9% to 18.0%.

Table A16. Type and tenure of dwellings occupied by resident households, 2016 and 2021

	2016		2021	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
Detached	1,472	79.9	1,539	79.5
Semi-detached or terraced	275	14.9	300	15.5
Flat	95	5.2	98	5.1
Owner-occupied	1,331	72.3	1,335	68.9
<i>Owned outright</i>	1,163	63.1	1,150	59.4
<i>Being bought with loan</i>	168	9.1	185	9.6
Rented (including persons living rent-free)	511	27.7	575	29.7
<i>Government landlord</i>	218	11.8	211	10.9
<i>Private landlord</i>	293	15.9	349	18.0
<i>Landlord not stated</i>	-	-	15	0.8
Tenure not stated	-	-	27	1.4
Total	1,842	100.0	1,937	100.0

Figure 22. Type and tenure of dwellings occupied by resident households, 2021



B. Kitchen and bathroom facilities

Almost all dwellings occupied by households on St Helena have cooking and bathroom facilities: a cooking area inside (99.5%), a kitchen sink (99.2%), a bath or a shower (98.9%), and a flush toilet (99.6%). This is very similar to the situation in 2016, with an increase in the percent of dwellings with a shower or a bath (Table A17). Given that these rates are all now very close to 100%, it should not be necessary to ask this question in the next Census.

Table A17. Kitchen and bathroom facilities of dwellings occupied by resident households, 2016 and 2021

Resident households with exclusive use of:	2016		2021	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
Cooking area inside	1,826	99.1	1,927	99.5
Kitchen sink	1,830	99.3	1,922	99.2
Bath or shower	1,778	96.5	1,916	98.9
Flush toilet	1,836	99.7	1,929	99.6
Total	1,842	100.0	1,937	100.0

C. *Water and sewerage*

91.7% of resident households reported they have access to treated water supply in 2021, an increase of 180 households between 2021 and 2016 and a decrease in the number reporting access to untreated water by 85 (Table A18). In 2021, only 25 households reported that they do not get their water from Connect Saint Helena Ltd.

Almost half of all dwellings on St Helena use their own sewage management system, rather than having access to a public system. 57 more households reported that their dwellings are connected to the public sewerage system in 2021 than in 2016, and, although the number of households without a public sewer connection increased by 38, the percentage of dwellings not connected decreased slightly, from 47.8% in 2016 to 47.4% in 2021.

Around two-thirds of households (68.6%) report that they have piped hot later inside their dwelling, an increase of 120 households since the 2016 Census. 45.1% of all resident households – just below a half – reported a solar water heater in their dwelling in 2021, an increase of 142 households since 2016.

Table A18. Water supply and sewerage systems of dwellings occupied by resident households, 2016 and 2021

Resident households with:	2016		2021	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
Treated water supply by Connect Saint Helena Ltd	1,597	86.7	1,784	92.1
Untreated water supply	245	13.3	153	7.9
<i>By Connect Saint Helena Ltd</i>	208	11.3	128	6.6
<i>Other (rainwater tank, spring, or stream)</i>	37	2.0	25	1.3
Connection to the public sewerage system	961	52.2	1,018	52.6
Not connected to the public system	881	47.8	919	47.4
Rain water tank	..	..	1,061	54.8
Piped hot water	1,209	65.6	1,329	68.6
Solar water heater	731	39.7	873	45.1
Total	1,842	100.0	1,937	100.0

Notes: Connect Saint Helena Ltd is St Helena's public utility company, supplying water, electricity, and sewerage services. The question on rain water tanks was not included in the 2016 Census.

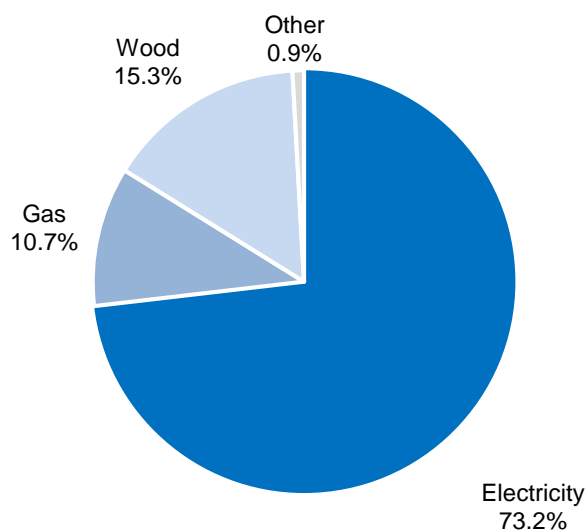
D. Household energy sources

Almost all households reported using electricity for lighting; only 0.1% did not, compared to 1.1% in 2016 (Table A19). Overall, 73.2% of households said they use electricity as a primary source for cooking, compared to 64.1% in 2016. The trend appears to be for households to move to electricity as a primary source, and to the other potential sources (i.e. wood and gas) as a secondary source. In 2016, 35.3% of households reported they used either wood or gas as their primary source of energy for cooking, but this fell to 26.0% in 2021. Electricity was used as either a primary or secondary source of cooking energy in 87.7% of households, compared to 81.5% of households in 2016. Although both the 2016 and 2021 Censuses included a question on the use of renewable energy systems in households, there were not enough responses to allow tabulation.

Table A19. Energy source for lighting and cooking, dwellings occupied by resident households, 2016 and 2021

		2016		2021	
		Number	Percent (%)	Number	Percent (%)
Lighting	Electricity	1,821	98.9	1,935	99.9
	Other	21	1.1	2	0.1
Cooking (primary source)	Electricity	1,180	64.1	1,417	73.2
	Gas	256	13.9	207	10.7
	Wood	395	21.4	296	15.3
	Other	11	0.6	17	0.9
Cooking (secondary source)	Electricity	322	17.5	281	14.5
	Gas	232	12.6	268	13.8
	Wood	164	8.9	212	10.9
	Other	25	1.4	16	0.8
	None	1,099	59.7	1,160	59.9
Total		1,842	100.0	1,937	100.0
Cooking (primary or secondary source)	Electricity	1,502	81.5	1,698	87.7
	Gas	488	26.5	475	24.5
	Wood	559	30.3	508	26.2
	Other	36	2.0	33	1.7

Figure 23. Primary energy source for cooking, dwellings occupied by resident households, 2021



E. Other dwelling characteristics: gardens, roofing, fire safety equipment

38.6% of households have a garden for growing vegetables or other edible crops, more than one in every three households (Table A20). Mostly, these gardens are located at the dwelling.

Most dwellings – 71.8% – have a metal roof for all or part of their dwelling, and sheet metal is the usual roofing material for new buildings. A significant number of dwellings (32%) still have roofs (or part of their roofs) made from asbestos cement, although the number has fallen by 58 since 2016.

Only 12% of households have a smoke alarm, and only 12.9% have a fire extinguisher or a fire blanket. But there are more households with these facilities in 2021 than in 2016 – 47 more households reported a smoke alarm, and 97 more households reported they had a fire extinguisher or fire blanket.

Table A20. Other characteristics of dwellings occupied by resident households (gardens, roofing material, fire protection equipment), 2016 and 2021

	2016		2021	
	Number	Percent (%)	Number	Percent (%)
Total households	1,842	100.0	1,937	100.0
Households with:				
A garden used for growing vegetables	..	..	748	38.6
<i>At the dwelling</i>	..	..	689	35.6
<i>Only at a different location</i>	..	..	59	3.0
A metal roof	1,086	59.0	1,210	62.5
An asbestos cement roof	498	27.0	440	22.7
A mixed roof (metal/asbestos cement)	169	9.2	180	9.3
Another roofing material (e.g. slate, etc.)	22	1.2	22	1.1
A smoke alarm	186	10.1	233	12.0
A fire extinguisher or fire blanket	152	8.3	249	12.9

Note: The question on gardens for growing vegetables or other edible crops was restricted to business use in the 2016 Census.

F. Telecommunications

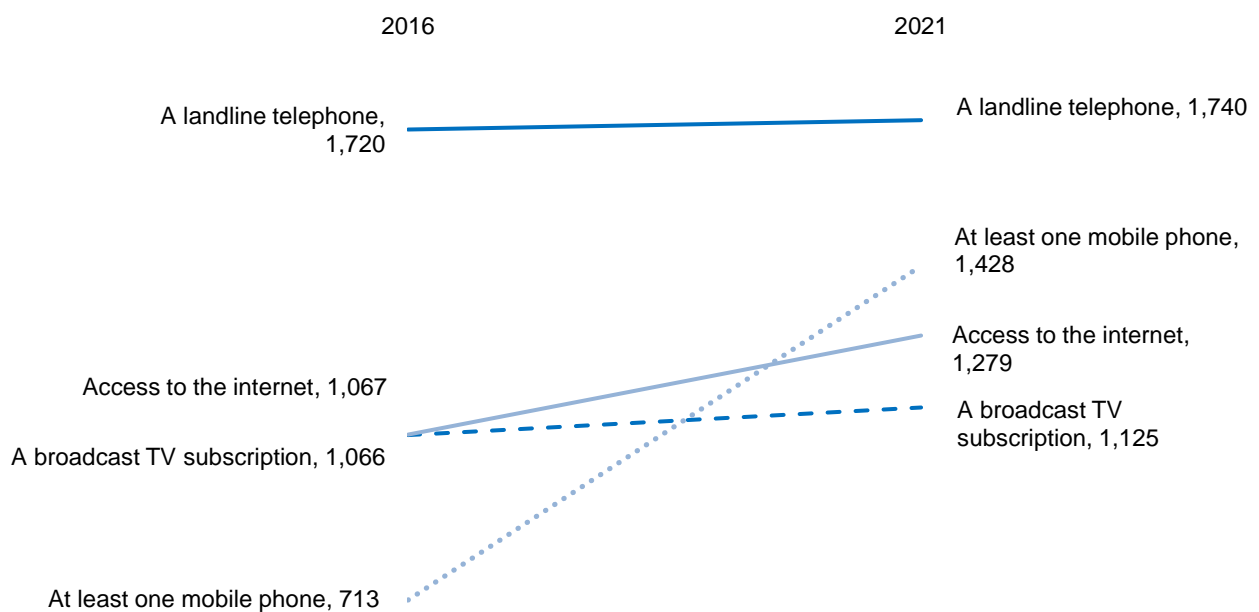
Although 20 more households reported a landline telephone in 2021 than in 2016 (Table A21), the percentage of households who stated they have a landline fell slightly, from 93.4% to 89.8%. But the number of households stating access to at least one mobile phone rose steeply, by 715, from 38.7% to 73.7%.

There was also an increase in the number of households stating that they had access to the internet, by 212, and the percentage of households with internet access rose from 57.9% to 66.0%. There was a smaller increase of 59 households in the number stating a subscription to broadcast television services, and the percentage of households remained about the same, at just under 60%.

Table A21. Resident households stating access to telecommunications services, 2016 and 2021

	2016		2021	
	Number	Percent (%)	Number	Percent (%)
Total resident households	1,842	100.0	1,937	100.0
Resident households who stated they have:				
A landline telephone	1,720	93.4	1,740	89.8
A mobile phone	713	38.7	1,428	73.7
Access to the internet	1,067	57.9	1,279	66.0
A subscription to broadcast television services	1,066	57.9	1,125	58.1

Figure 24. Resident households stating access to telecommunications services, 2016 and 2021



G. Vehicles

1,380 households reported access to at least one vehicle in 2021, slightly more than in 2016, but slightly less as a percentage of all resident households (71.2% in 2021, compared to 74.1% in 2016). The number of households reporting access to a motorcycle rose slightly in 2021 by 30 households, to 10.3% of households. The number of households with a boat with a motor was just under 60 in 2021, roughly the same as in 2016.

Table A22. Resident households with at least one vehicle or boat, by category of vehicle or boat, 2016 and 2021

Resident households who stated they have:	2016		2021	
	Number	Percent %	Number	Percent %
Cars, 4x4s, vans or pick-ups	1,365	74.1	1,380	71.2
Motor cycles and scooters	169	9.2	199	10.3
Boats with motors	59	3.2	58	3.0
Other boats	5	0.3	15	0.8
Total	1,842	100.0	1,937	100.0

H. Household assets

The most common assets found in resident households on St Helena are television screens (92% of households), washing machines (91.2% of households), and fridge/freezers (90.1% of households) (Table A23). Assets which are the least common are dishwashers (6.8% of households) and electric dehumidifiers (7.7% of households).

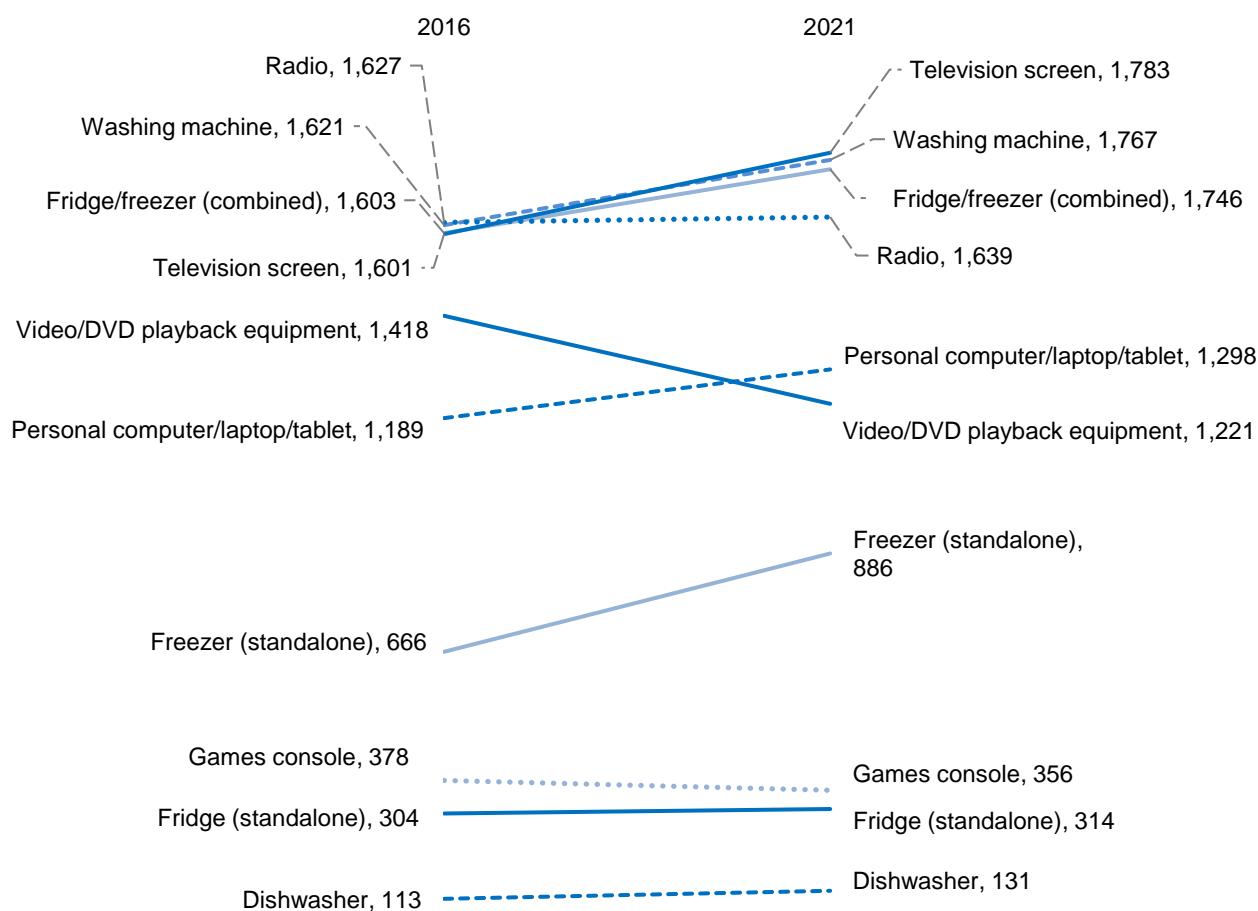
The number of households with access to different assets increased between 2016 and 2021 in almost every category, apart from video/DVD playback equipment (this may be attributable to a slight change to the wording of the question), and games consoles (Figure 25).

Table A23. Stated assets of resident households, 2016 and 2021

Resident households who stated at least one:	2016		2021	
	Number	Percent %	Number	Percent %
Television screen	1,601	86.9	1,783	92.0
Washing machine	1,621	88.0	1,767	91.2
Fridge/freezer (combined unit)	1,603	87.0	1,746	90.1
Radio	1,627	88.3	1,639	84.6
Personal computer/laptop/tablet	1,189	64.5	1,298	67.0
Video/DVD playback equipment (see note)	1,418	77.0	1,221	63.0
Freezer (standalone)	666	36.2	886	45.7
Games console (e.g. Xbox, Nintendo, PlayStation)	378	20.5	356	18.4
Tumble dryer	..	..	347	17.9
Fridge (standalone)	304	16.5	314	16.2
Electric dehumidifier	..	..	150	7.7
Dishwasher	113	6.1	131	6.8
Total	1,842	100.0	1,937	100.0

Notes: The wording of the 2021 Census question on playback equipment was slightly different to 2016.

Figure 25. Stated assets of resident households, 2016 and 2021



I. Empty dwellings

The 2021 Census attempted to identify unoccupied dwellings, by asking Census respondents if they were responsible for any vacant dwellings on Census night, and requiring them to complete a special questionnaire for this dwelling (Form D) in each case. Information collected for empty dwellings using Form D included the location of the owner, the type of dwelling, the status of the dwelling, when the dwelling was last occupied, any plans for occupation, the number of rooms, and the anticipated use. Additionally, each enumerator was given a list of dwellings, prepared from the housing footprint database prepared by the SHG GIS team, supplemented by recent satellite images of the Island (from Google’s free online ‘maps’ product).

470 completed Form Ds were returned and have been tabulated, but 333 additional empty dwellings have been identified for which no on-Island representative could be located; for these dwellings, only basic information (type of dwelling and whether under construction) could be determined. This gives 803 empty dwellings on Census night, with 694 detached houses and 277 habitable dwellings, although it should be noted that the status of 280 empty dwellings were unknown (Table A24). The number of identified empty dwellings is much larger than the number identified in the 2016 Census. This may be because of the end of Airport construction, and the departure of Airport construction workers from some dwellings. It may also be because of the improvement in the footprint database provided by the GIS team, and to improvements in recent satellite imagery available from Google. Additionally, the COVID-19 pandemic restricted the number of visitors at the time of the 2021 Census to a very small number; so that many properties were empty that would otherwise have been used for tourist accommodation, accommodation for friends and family, or for other short-term visitors.

Table A24. Characteristics of empty dwellings, 2016 and 2021

	2016		2021	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
Dwelling type				
Detached	481	83.1	694	86.4
Semi-detached/terraced	37	6.4	70	8.7
Flat	11	1.9	29	3.6
Not stated	50	8.6	10	1.2
Status				
Under construction	114	19.7	138	17.2
Habitable	284	49.1	277	34.5
Requires upgrading/improvement	82	14.2	73	9.1
Uninhabitable or unsound	43	7.4	35	4.4
Not stated	56	9.7	280	34.9
Total	579	100.0	803	100.0

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4. Main tables

Table B1. Enumeration areas, and households and persons enumerated, 2021

District and Enumeration Area	Households Enumerated	Persons Enumerated in households
All Districts	1,951	4,414
1 Jamestown	293	618
11 Lower Jamestown	101	196
12 Mid Jamestown	101	224
13 Upper Jamestown	69	152
14 Chubb's Spring	10	17
15 Ruperts	12	29
2 Half Tree Hollow	429	996
21 Ladder Hill	75	169
22 Lower HTH	101	241
23 West HTH	72	169
24 Cow path	104	244
25 Upper HTH	77	173
3 St Pauls	397	936
31 Half Way	46	117
32 New Ground	100	214
33 Cleugh's Plain	58	139
34 Thompson's Hill	44	110
35 Scotland	84	189
36 St Pauls	65	167
4 Blue Hill	81	174
41 Head O'Wain	27	57
42 Blue Hill	50	109
43 Thompson's Wood	4	8
5 Sandy Bay	80	177
51 Upper Sandy Bay	40	87
52 Lower Sandy Bay	40	90
6 Levelwood	155	347
61 Silver Hill	90	205
62 Woody Ridge	65	142
7 Longwood	341	765
71 Bottom Woods	87	192
72 Deadwood	51	137
73 Longwood East	151	312
74 Longwood West	52	124
8 Alarm Forest	175	401
81 Alarm Forest	75	167
82 Putty Hill	56	150
83 The Briars	44	84

Note: this table excludes communal establishments.

Table B2. Resident population of St Helena at successive Censuses, 1861 to 2021

Census year	Date of Census night	Resident population		
		Male	Female	Total
1861	7 April	2,610	2,886	5,496
1871	7 April	2,681	3,157	5,838
1981	3 April	2,069	2,442	4,511
1891	5 April	1,775	2,102	3,877
1901	7 April	1,534	1,808	3,342
1911	9 April	1,658	1,862	3,520
1921	24 April	1,756	1,991	3,747
1931	26 April	1,904	2,091	3,995
1946	27 October	2,181	2,567	4,748
1956	21 October	2,224	2,418	4,642
1966	24 July	2,233	2,416	4,649
1976	31 October	2,514	2,633	5,147
1987	22 February	2,679	2,831	5,500
1998	8 March	2,474	2,442	4,916
2008	10 February	2,051	2,026	4,077
2016	7 February	2,396	2,138	4,534
2021	7 February	2,247	2,192	4,439

Notes: Persons staying in the military Garrison or on ships in the harbour are excluded, apart from 1931 when about 80 persons in the Garrison are included in the resident figures. The figures for 1901 do not include 4,650 Boer prisoners-of-war, or their 5 censors/overseers.

Table B3. Household size and population density by district, resident household population, 2021

	James -town	Half Tree Hollow	St Pauls	Blue Hill	Sandy Bay	Level- wood	Long- wood	Alarm Forest	Total
All resident households with:									
One person	116	110	105	21	29	46	115	50	592
Two persons	86	166	148	35	22	51	116	56	680
Three persons	45	88	70	19	17	37	57	33	366
Four persons	31	41	55	4	9	13	30	23	206
Five or more persons	11	23	17	2	3	6	23	8	93
Resident households	289	428	395	81	80	153	341	170	1,937
Residents in households	609	988	928	174	177	342	764	394	4,376
Residents per household	2.1	2.3	2.3	2.1	2.2	2.2	2.2	2.3	2.3
Area (square miles)	1.5	0.6	4.4	14.2	6.2	5.7	12.9	2.1	47.6
All residents	625	1034	928	174	177	342	765	394	4,439
Residents per square mile	417	1,723	211	12	29	60	59	188	93

Table B4. Resident population by age and sex, 2021

Age	St Helenian			All nationalities		
	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total
0	19	12	31	21	14	35
1	16	16	32	19	19	38
2	10	14	24	12	15	27
3	22	18	40	23	21	44
4	18	19	37	19	19	38
5	25	22	47	25	25	50
6	22	21	43	26	23	49
7	15	22	37	17	23	40
8	15	15	30	21	22	43
9	18	16	34	20	19	39
10	25	19	44	29	22	51
11	23	13	36	24	17	41
12	19	18	37	23	18	41
13	23	18	41	25	20	45
14	15	19	34	16	19	35
15	21	16	37	24	19	43
16	12	20	32	13	21	34
17	15	20	35	16	21	37
18	16	17	33	16	17	33
19	15	14	29	15	14	29
20	20	18	38	22	18	40
21	22	8	30	22	9	31
22	7	13	20	7	13	20
23	22	16	38	22	18	40
24	18	23	41	19	24	43
25	23	9	32	25	9	34
26	12	18	30	12	19	31
27	17	18	35	19	18	37
28	36	23	59	40	24	64
29	14	16	30	17	18	35
30	17	24	41	17	25	42
31	26	18	44	29	21	50
32	23	18	41	28	23	51
33	11	13	24	12	20	32
34	20	15	35	21	18	39

Age	St Helenian			All nationalities		
	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total
35	18	16	34	23	16	39
36	20	23	43	26	28	54
37	23	21	44	26	30	56
38	12	38	50	15	39	54
39	24	32	56	29	38	67
40	18	23	41	21	28	49
41	10	22	32	14	25	39
42	22	27	49	27	29	56
43	16	24	40	17	26	43
44	21	19	40	23	22	45
45	25	40	65	30	43	73
46	21	17	38	24	20	44
47	36	19	55	39	23	62
48	36	19	55	37	23	60
49	24	38	62	28	41	69
50	31	42	73	35	45	80
51	43	42	85	46	42	88
52	34	29	63	37	31	68
53	42	42	84	45	43	88
54	38	32	70	41	35	76
55	36	23	59	37	25	62
56	37	40	77	39	43	82
57	35	31	66	36	34	70
58	27	40	67	33	42	75
59	25	35	60	25	36	61
60	41	45	86	43	47	90
61	42	43	85	45	44	89
62	39	26	65	41	29	70
63	30	26	56	35	26	61
64	40	40	80	41	40	81
65	33	34	67	34	36	70
66	32	24	56	33	26	59
67	33	28	61	35	28	63
68	40	35	75	41	35	76
69	30	20	50	30	21	51

Age	St Helenian			All nationalities		
	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total
70	34	46	80	35	47	82
71	32	25	57	33	25	58
72	40	26	66	40	26	66
73	28	31	59	28	31	59
74	30	27	57	31	28	59
75	30	23	53	30	23	53
76	36	22	58	36	23	59
77	36	29	65	36	29	65
78	16	18	34	16	18	34
79	19	13	32	20	13	33
80	17	10	27	17	10	27
81	8	15	23	8	16	24
82	9	17	26	9	17	26
83	13	12	25	14	12	26
84	11	9	20	12	9	21
85	9	12	21	9	12	21
86	7	4	11	7	4	11
87	6	3	9	6	3	9
88	6	7	13	6	7	13
89	2	5	7	2	5	7
90-94	5	21	26	5	21	26
95 and over	-	9	9	-	9	9
Total	2,080	2,038	4,118	2,247	2,192	4,439

Table B5. Resident population by five-year age groups and sex, 2021

Age group	St Helenian			All nationalities		
	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total
00-04	85	79	164	94	88	182
05-09	95	96	191	109	112	221
10-14	105	87	192	117	96	213
15-19	79	87	166	84	92	176
20-24	89	78	167	92	82	174
25-29	102	84	186	113	88	201
30-34	97	88	185	107	107	214
35-39	97	130	227	119	151	270
40-44	87	115	202	102	130	232
45-49	142	133	275	158	150	308
50-54	188	187	375	204	196	400
55-59	160	169	329	170	180	350
60-64	192	180	372	205	186	391
65-69	168	141	309	173	146	319
70-74	164	155	319	167	157	324
75-79	137	105	242	138	106	244
80-84	58	63	121	60	64	124
85-89	30	31	61	30	31	61
90-94	5	21	26	5	21	26
95 and over	-	9	9	-	9	9
Total	2,080	2,038	4,118	2,247	2,192	4,439

Table B6. Resident population by 10-year age group, sex and district of residence, 2021

	James- town	Half Tree Hollow	St Pauls	Blue Hill	Sandy Bay	Level- wood	Long- wood	Alarm Forest	Total
Male									
0-9	25	49	48	4	5	15	31	26	203
10-19	25	47	43	8	13	8	39	18	201
20-29	32	59	41	5	4	14	40	10	205
30-39	37	47	52	6	2	18	43	21	226
40-49	40	59	50	7	13	24	40	27	260
50-59	44	92	89	22	16	23	58	30	374
60-69	55	81	61	19	26	34	71	31	378
70-79	47	60	72	17	9	22	47	31	305
80 and over	13	22	24	3	1	12	12	8	95
Total male	318	516	480	91	89	170	381	202	2,247
Female									
0-9	19	38	46	5	5	13	52	22	200
10-19	27	46	34	8	8	11	37	17	188
20-29	29	49	32	3	4	17	29	7	170
30-39	39	50	56	6	13	22	39	33	258
40-49	30	75	59	14	6	20	43	33	280
50-59	39	89	74	18	21	31	71	33	376
60-69	50	80	73	16	17	25	49	22	332
70-79	45	61	56	7	9	15	51	19	263
80 and over	29	30	18	6	5	18	13	6	125
Total female	307	518	448	83	88	172	384	192	2,192
Total									
0-9	44	87	94	9	10	28	83	48	403
10-19	52	93	77	16	21	19	76	35	389
20-29	61	108	73	8	8	31	69	17	375
30-39	76	97	108	12	15	40	82	54	484
40-49	70	134	109	21	19	44	83	60	540
50-59	83	181	163	40	37	54	129	63	750
60-69	105	161	134	35	43	59	120	53	710
70-79	92	121	128	24	18	37	98	50	568
80 and over	42	52	42	9	6	30	25	14	220
Total	625	1,034	928	174	177	342	765	394	4,439

Table B7. Marital status of the St Helenian resident household population by broad age-group and sex, 2021

	0-19	20-39	40-59	60+	Total
Male	364	376	572	744	2,056
Single	361	222	185	132	900
Married	-	42	218	429	689
Co-habiting/living together	-	109	138	63	310
Separated or divorced	-	-	17	38	55
Widowed	-	-	10	79	89
Not stated	3	3	4	3	13
Female	348	378	602	671	1,999
Single	346	162	125	60	693
Married	-	63	306	329	698
Co-habiting/living together	-	145	124	39	308
Separated or divorced	-	3	27	44	74
Widowed	-	-	16	194	210
Not stated	2	5	4	5	16
Total	712	754	1,174	1,415	4,055
Single	707	384	310	192	1,593
Married	-	105	524	758	1,387
Co-habiting/living together	-	254	262	102	618
Separated or divorced	-	3	44	82	129
Widowed	-	-	26	273	299
Not stated	5	8	8	8	29

Table B8. Faith, religion and denomination of the resident household population, 2021

	Persons			Percent (%)		
	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total
St Helenian	2,056	1,999	4,055	100.0	100.0	100.0
Has a faith	1,650	1,692	3,342	80.3	84.6	82.4
Christian	1,610	1,649	3,259	78.3	82.5	80.4
<i>Anglican</i>	1,360	1,351	2,711	66.1	67.6	66.9
<i>Jehovah's Witness</i>	77	90	167	3.7	4.5	4.1
<i>Baptist</i>	46	45	91	2.2	2.3	2.2
<i>Seventh Day Adventist</i>	26	48	74	1.3	2.4	1.8
<i>Salvation Army</i>	32	41	73	1.6	2.1	1.8
<i>New Apostolic</i>	32	37	69	1.6	1.9	1.7
<i>Roman Catholic</i>	22	22	44	1.1	1.1	1.1
<i>The Rock Christian Fellowship</i>	6	6	12	0.3	0.3	0.3
<i>Other Christian</i>	9	9	18	0.4	0.5	0.4
Other religion	5	5	10	0.2	0.3	0.2
Baha'i	3	7	10	0.1	0.4	0.2
Religion or denomination not stated	32	31	63	1.6	1.6	1.6
Does not have a faith	198	123	321	9.6	6.2	7.9
Faith not stated	208	184	392	10.1	9.2	9.7
All nationalities	2,223	2,153	4,376	100.0	100.0	100.0
Has a faith	1,756	1,796	3,552	79.0	83.4	81.2
Christian	1,698	1,738	3,436	76.4	80.7	78.5
<i>Anglican</i>	1,386	1,379	2,765	62.3	64.1	63.2
<i>Jehovah's Witness</i>	77	90	167	3.5	4.2	3.8
<i>Baptist</i>	52	48	100	2.3	2.2	2.3
<i>Roman Catholic</i>	48	48	96	2.2	2.2	2.2
<i>Salvation Army</i>	42	46	88	1.9	2.1	2.0
<i>Seventh Day Adventist</i>	32	53	85	1.4	2.5	1.9
<i>New Apostolic</i>	33	39	72	1.5	1.8	1.6
<i>The Rock Christian Fellowship</i>	9	11	20	0.4	0.5	0.5
<i>Other Christian denomination</i>	19	24	43	0.9	1.1	1.0
Islamic	8	8	16	0.4	0.4	0.4
Baha'i	3	7	10	0.1	0.3	0.2
Other religions	12	8	20	0.5	0.4	0.5
Not stated	35	35	70	1.6	1.6	1.6
Does not have a faith	240	155	395	10.8	7.2	9.0
Faith not stated	227	202	429	10.2	9.4	9.8

Table B9. Faith of the St Helenian resident household population, by five-year age group, 2021

Age group	Has a faith	Does not have a faith	Faith not stated	Total in age group	Percent with a faith (%)
0-4	120	22	22	164	73.2
5-9	142	27	22	191	74.3
10-14	137	21	33	191	71.7
15-19	132	16	18	166	79.5
20-24	125	13	25	163	76.7
25-29	130	28	26	184	70.7
30-34	144	18	20	182	79.1
35-39	170	34	21	225	75.6
40-44	163	16	22	201	81.1
45-49	218	25	29	272	80.1
50-54	309	31	34	374	82.6
55-59	259	23	45	327	79.2
60-64	329	18	23	370	88.9
65-69	281	11	13	305	92.1
70-74	290	7	16	313	92.7
75 and over	393	11	23	427	92.0
Total	3,342	321	392	4,055	82.4

Table B10. Self-reported health status of the St Helenian resident household population by 10-year age group and sex, 2021

Sex and age	Persons				Total	Percent (%)		
	Good or very good	Fair	Bad or very bad	Not stated		Good or very good	Fair	Bad or very bad
Male	1,507	456	44	49	2,056	73.3	22.2	2.1
0-9	165	8	-	7	180	91.7	4.4	-
10-19	173	8	-	3	184	94.0	4.3	-
20-29	171	7	-	8	186	91.9	3.8	-
30-39	161	26	-	3	190	84.7	13.7	-
40-49	180	39	3	4	226	79.6	17.3	1.3
50-59	243	85	10	8	346	70.2	24.6	2.9
60-69	240	94	15	9	358	67.0	26.3	4.2
70 and over	174	189	16	7	386	45.1	49.0	4.1
Female	1,431	466	63	39	1,999	71.6	23.3	3.2
0-9	160	11	-	4	175	91.4	6.3	-
10-19	162	9	-	2	173	93.6	5.2	-
20-29	131	17	1	12	161	81.4	10.6	0.6
30-39	187	25	3	2	217	86.2	11.5	1.4
40-49	190	51	4	2	247	76.9	20.6	1.6
50-59	238	105	6	6	355	67.0	29.6	1.7
60-69	216	80	15	6	317	68.1	25.2	4.7
70 and over	147	168	34	5	354	41.5	47.5	9.6
Total	2,938	922	107	88	4,055	72.5	22.7	2.6
0-9	325	19	-	11	355	91.5	5.4	-
10-19	335	17	-	5	357	93.8	4.8	-
20-29	302	24	1	20	347	87.0	6.9	0.0
30-39	348	51	3	5	407	85.5	12.5	0.0
40-49	370	90	7	6	473	78.2	19.0	1.5
50-59	481	190	16	14	701	68.6	27.1	2.3
60-69	456	174	30	15	675	67.6	25.8	4.4
70 and over	321	357	50	12	740	43.4	48.2	6.8

Table B11. Reported caring commitments of the St Helena resident household population by broad age group and sex, 2021

	Provides care				Total	Does not provide care	Not stated	Total	Percent that provides care (%)
	1-9 hours	10-19 hours	20 hours or more	Hours not stated					
Male	68	21	40	20	149	1,549	358	2,056	7.2
Below 40	16	7	11	4	38	570	132	740	5.1
40-59	23	6	14	4	47	427	98	572	8.2
60+	29	8	15	12	64	552	128	744	8.6
Female	110	24	60	13	207	1,472	320	1,999	10.4
Below 40	22	5	9	-	36	562	128	726	5.0
40-59	54	10	29	5	98	413	91	602	16.3
60+	34	9	22	8	73	497	101	671	10.9
Total	178	45	100	33	356	3,021	678	4,055	8.8
Below 40	38	12	20	4	74	1,132	260	1,466	5.0
40-59	77	16	43	9	145	840	189	1,174	12.4
60+	63	17	37	20	137	1,049	229	1,415	9.7

Table B12. Reported use of cigarettes and tobacco, St Helenian resident household population aged 18 and over, 2021

	Smokes	Does not smoke	Not stated	Total	% of age group that smokes (respondents only)
Male	497	1,169	57	1,723	29.8
18-29	96	113	8	217	45.9
30-39	75	112	3	190	40.1
40-49	68	148	10	226	31.5
50-59	88	249	9	346	26.1
60-69	110	234	14	358	32.0
70 and over	60	313	13	386	16.1
Female	235	1,389	58	1,682	14.5
18-29	42	135	15	192	23.7
30-39	41	169	7	217	19.5
40-49	31	210	6	247	12.9
50-59	53	288	14	355	15.5
60-69	44	270	3	317	14.0
70 and over	24	317	13	354	7.0
Total	732	2,558	115	3,405	22.2
18-29	138	248	23	409	35.8
30-39	116	281	10	407	29.2
40-49	99	358	16	473	21.7
50-59	141	537	23	701	20.8
60-69	154	504	17	675	23.4
70 and over	84	630	26	740	11.8

Table B13. Self-reported disabilities, St Helenian resident household population aged five and over, by age and sex, 2021

	Under 50	50-69	70 +	Total
Male	881	704	386	1,971
A lot of difficulty with, or cannot do at all:				
<i>Seeing</i>	5	9	8	22
<i>Hearing</i>	5	-	10	15
<i>Walking or climbing steps</i>	6	10	18	34
<i>Remembering or concentrating</i>	4	2	15	21
<i>With self-care</i>	4	4	10	18
<i>Communicating</i>	9	-	3	12
Disability (a lot of difficulty with, or cannot do at all, for at least one function)	17	18	35	70
% disabled of age group	1.9	2.6	9.1	3.6
Female	894	672	354	1,920
A lot of difficulty with, or cannot do at all:				
<i>Seeing</i>	3	9	13	25
<i>Hearing</i>	2	2	20	24
<i>Walking or climbing steps</i>	2	21	43	66
<i>Remembering or concentrating</i>	1	3	14	18
<i>With self-care</i>	2	9	15	26
<i>Communicating</i>	3	3	8	14
Disability (a lot of difficulty with, or cannot do at all, for at least one function)	9	29	66	104
% disabled of age group	1.0	4.3	18.6	5.4
Total	1,775	1,376	740	3,891
A lot of difficulty with, or cannot do at all:				
<i>Seeing</i>	8	18	21	47
<i>Hearing</i>	7	2	30	39
<i>Walking or climbing steps</i>	8	31	61	100
<i>Remembering or concentrating</i>	5	5	29	39
<i>With self-care</i>	6	13	25	44
<i>Communicating</i>	12	3	11	26
Disability (a lot of difficulty with, or cannot do at all, for at least one function)	26	47	101	174
% disabled of age group	1.5	3.4	13.6	4.5

Table B14. Average years of full-time education completed by 10-year age group, St Helenian resident household population 16 and over that have completed compulsory secondary education, 2021

	10 and less	11-12	13-14	15 and over	Not stated	Total	% with 13 years or more
Male	741	587	184	126	103	1,741	17.8
Under 30	14	114	73	29	5	235	43.4
30-39	14	91	53	29	3	190	43.2
40-49	45	129	25	16	11	226	18.1
50-59	165	126	20	20	15	346	11.6
60-69	227	79	4	20	28	358	6.7
70 and over	276	48	9	12	41	386	5.4
Female	684	601	211	108	109	1,713	18.6
Under 30	11	108	80	17	7	223	43.5
30-39	6	119	52	34	6	217	39.6
40-49	34	135	42	28	8	247	28.3
50-59	185	120	17	12	21	355	8.2
60-69	194	68	15	10	30	317	7.9
70 and over	254	51	5	7	37	354	3.4
Total	1,425	1,188	395	234	212	3,454	18.2
Under 30	25	222	153	46	12	458	43.4
30-39	20	210	105	63	9	407	41.3
40-49	79	264	67	44	19	473	23.5
50-59	350	246	37	32	36	701	9.8
60-69	421	147	19	30	58	675	7.3
70 and over	530	99	14	19	78	740	4.5

Table B15. Average years of full-time education, resident household population that have completed compulsory education, by level of full-time education and 10-year age group, 2021

	St Helenian		Not St Helenian		All residents	
	Number	Years	Number	Years	Number	Years
Stage of full-time education completed:						
Secondary (compulsory)	2,743	11.0	57	12.8	2,800	11.1
Secondary (optional)	139	13.1	15	15.5	154	13.4
Post-secondary	356	14.2	155	16.7	512	15.0
Age group:						
Up to 29	446	12.7	23	15.1	470	12.9
30-39	398	13.0	72	16.6	469	13.5
40-49	454	12.2	62	16.2	511	12.7
50-59	665	11.1	45	14.8	712	11.3
60-69	617	10.7	26	15.0	645	10.9
70 and over	662	10.3	8	13.9	673	10.4
Total	3,242	11.5	236	15.5	3,480	11.8

Note: This table only includes persons who responded to this question; there were 13 persons that responded who did not state the level of full-time education completed.

Table B16. Qualifications (GCSE-equivalent) of the St Helenian resident household population that have completed compulsory education, by level of full-time education and 10-year age group, 2021

	At least one GCSE equivalent	English	Maths	Other subject	English and Maths	Total
Number of persons						
Up to 29	310	286	265	265	257	458
30-39	276	251	242	231	230	407
40-49	264	247	220	202	215	473
50-59	285	267	227	203	219	701
60-69	155	138	120	107	115	675
70 and over	114	102	86	65	78	740
Total	1,404	1,291	1,160	1,073	1,114	3,454
Percent of age group (%)						
Up to 29	67.7	62.4	57.9	57.9	56.1	100.0
30-39	67.8	61.7	59.5	56.8	56.5	100.0
40-49	55.8	52.2	46.5	42.7	45.5	100.0
50-59	40.7	38.1	32.4	29.0	31.2	100.0
60-69	23.0	20.4	17.8	15.9	17.0	100.0
70 and over	15.4	13.8	11.6	8.8	10.5	100.0
Total	40.6	37.4	33.6	31.1	32.3	100.0

Note: This table only includes persons who responded to this question.

Table B17. Highest qualification achieved, resident household population that have completed secondary school, 2021

	St Helenian		Not St Helenian		Total	
	Number	Percent (%)	Number	Percent (%)	Number	Percent (%)
By level						
Compulsory schooling (primary or secondary)	2,754	79.7	58	23.7	2,812	76.0
Secondary optional	140	4.1	15	6.1	155	4.2
Post-Secondary	357	10.3	156	63.7	513	13.9
<i>Up to Bachelor's Degree</i>	226	6.5	43	17.6	269	7.3
<i>Bachelor's Degree</i>	76	2.2	69	28.2	145	3.9
<i>Masters, Doctoral or equivalent</i>	55	1.6	44	17.9	99	2.7
Not stated	203	5.9	16	6.5	219	5.9
Total	3,454	100.0	245	100.0	3,699	100.0
By subject (post-secondary only):						
Education	45	12.6	12	7.7	57	11.1
Social sciences, business and law	92	25.8	45	28.8	137	26.7
Science	46	12.9	27	17.3	73	14.2
Engineering, manufacturing and construction	64	17.9	14	9.0	78	15.2
Health and welfare	46	12.9	34	21.8	80	15.6
Services	26	7.3	7	4.5	33	6.4
Other (general, agriculture, humanities, arts)	30	8.4	6	3.8	36	7.0
Not stated	8	2.2	11	7.1	19	3.7
Total	357	100.0	156	100.0	513	100.0

Table B18. Economic activity of the resident household population by sex, 2021

	St Helenian			All nationalities
	Male	Female	Total	
Economically active	1,256	1,190	2,446	2,654
<i>Employed full time</i>	827	910	1,737	1,908
<i>Employed part time</i>	125	129	254	263
<i>Self employed</i>	224	86	310	327
<i>Other employed (apprentice, waiting to start, away from work)</i>	25	33	58	62
<i>Unemployed and looking for work</i>	55	32	87	94
Economically inactive	485	523	1,008	1,045
<i>Home worker</i>	15	85	100	113
<i>Student</i>	11	17	28	29
<i>Retired</i>	379	323	702	718
<i>Disabled and unable to work</i>	41	48	89	89
<i>Other (unemployed but not looking for work, volunteers)</i>	39	50	89	96
Children yet to complete full-time compulsory education	315	286	601	677
Total	2,056	1,999	4,055	4,376

Table B19. Occupation of the economically active resident household population, 2021

Occupation (ISCO 08 classification)	St Helenian			All nationalities		
	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total
Managers	111	161	272	133	182	315
<i>Chief Executives, Senior Officials and Legislators</i>	18	18	36	21	21	42
<i>Administrative and Commercial Managers</i>	20	53	73	24	59	83
<i>Production and Specialized Services Managers</i>	39	45	84	48	54	102
<i>Hospitality, Retail and Other Services Managers</i>	34	45	79	40	48	88
Professionals	83	106	189	126	141	267
<i>Science and Engineering Professionals</i>	41	9	50	46	13	59
<i>Health Professionals</i>	6	18	24	16	30	46
<i>Teaching Professionals</i>	18	41	59	24	45	69
<i>Business and Administration Professionals</i>	5	24	29	13	25	38
<i>Information and Communications Technology Professionals</i>	2	3	5	3	3	6
<i>Legal, Social and Cultural Professionals</i>	11	11	22	24	25	49
Technicians and Associate Professionals	124	171	295	145	181	326
<i>Science and Engineering Associate Professionals</i>	55	9	64	58	10	68
<i>Health Associate Professionals</i>	13	40	53	13	42	55
<i>Business and Administration Associate Professionals</i>	28	99	127	36	104	140
<i>Legal, Social, Cultural and Related Associate Professionals</i>	10	18	28	18	20	38
<i>Information and Communications Technicians</i>	18	5	23	20	5	25
Clerical Support Workers	37	164	201	42	173	215
<i>General and Keyboard Clerks</i>	5	24	29	6	25	31
<i>Customer Services Clerks</i>	7	52	59	8	53	61
<i>Numerical and Material Recording Clerks</i>	23	58	81	26	65	91
<i>Other Clerical Support Workers</i>	2	30	32	2	30	32
Services and Sales Workers	218	452	670	234	468	702
<i>Personal Services Workers</i>	36	50	86	36	56	92
<i>Sales Workers</i>	53	185	238	54	187	241
<i>Personal Care Workers</i>	40	195	235	43	202	245
<i>Protective Services Workers</i>	89	22	111	101	23	124

Occupation (ISCO 08 classification)	St Helenian			All nationalities		
	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total
Skilled Agricultural, Forestry and Fishery Workers	81	8	89	82	9	91
<i>Market-oriented Skilled Agricultural Workers</i>	49	6	55	49	6	55
<i>Market-oriented Skilled Forestry, Fishery and Hunting Workers</i>	28	1	29	28	1	29
<i>Subsistence Farmers, Fishers, Hunters and Gatherers</i>	4	1	5	5	2	7
Craft and Related Trades Workers	297	34	331	301	35	336
<i>Building and Related Trades Workers (exc. Electricians)</i>	157	7	164	160	7	167
<i>Metal, Machinery and Related Trades Workers</i>	66	3	69	66	3	69
<i>Handicraft and Printing Workers</i>	6	6	12	6	7	13
<i>Electrical and Electronics Trades Workers</i>	39	1	40	40	1	41
<i>Food Processing, Woodworking, Garment and Other Craft and Related Trades Workers</i>	29	17	46	29	17	46
Plant and Machine Operators and Assemblers	75	5	80	75	5	80
<i>Stationary Plant and Machine Operators</i>	7	4	11	7	4	11
<i>Drivers and Mobile Plant Operators</i>	68	1	69	68	1	69
Elementary Occupations	208	73	281	208	75	283
<i>Cleaners and Helpers</i>	20	55	75	20	57	77
<i>Agricultural, Forestry and Fishery Labourers</i>	37	1	38	37	1	38
<i>Labourers in Mining, Construction, Manufacturing and Transport</i>	108	10	118	108	10	118
<i>Food Preparation Assistants</i>	2	3	5	2	3	5
<i>Refuse Workers and Other Elementary Workers</i>	41	4	45	41	4	45
Not stated	22	16	38	22	17	39
Total	1,256	1,190	2,446	1,368	1,286	2,654

Table B20. Industrial sector of the economically active resident household population, by sex, 2021

Industry (based on ISIC, Rev. 4)	St Helenian			All nationalities		
	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total
Agriculture, forestry	117	20	137	118	21	139
Fishing	25	3	28	26	3	29
Quarrying	8	-	8	8	-	8
Manufacturing	43	22	65	45	23	68
Electricity supply	43	9	52	44	9	53
Water supply; sewerage, waste management	39	4	43	40	4	44
Construction	258	10	268	261	10	271
Wholesale and retail trade	104	249	353	106	254	360
Repair of motor vehicles and motorcycles	70	9	79	70	9	79
Transportation and storage	113	21	134	124	23	147
Accommodation activities	10	9	19	14	9	23
Food service activities	33	38	71	40	42	82
Information and communication	39	23	62	43	23	66
Financial and insurance activities	13	84	97	16	92	108
Real estate activities	3	6	9	4	6	10
Professional, scientific and technical activities	34	14	48	40	20	60
Administrative and support service activities	37	94	131	39	97	136
Public administration	77	112	189	101	127	228
Education	26	129	155	33	136	169
Human health and social work activities	64	252	316	85	287	372
Arts, entertainment and recreation	13	9	22	16	10	26
Other service activities	53	47	100	61	53	114
Not stated	34	26	60	34	28	62
Total	1,256	1,190	2,446	1,368	1,286	2,654

Table B21. St Helenian resident household population born on St Helena: ever left the Island, and has ever worked abroad, 2021

	Has ever left Island			Total	Has worked abroad				
	Yes	No	Not stated		Less than 5 years	More than 5 years	No	Not stated	Total
Male	1,413	261	134	1,808	408	636	543	221	1,808
0-9	44	78	18	140	-	-	111	29	140
10-19	79	43	14	136	3	-	100	33	136
20-29	120	34	19	173	42	11	93	27	173
30-39	139	20	5	164	50	55	47	12	164
40-49	165	21	9	195	58	82	40	15	195
50-59	268	15	23	306	86	143	46	31	306
60-69	288	19	25	332	81	166	45	40	332
70 and over	310	31	21	362	88	179	61	34	362
Female	1,342	288	148	1,778	300	443	799	236	1,778
0-9	42	84	24	150	-	-	111	39	150
10-19	86	29	20	135	-	-	104	31	135
20-29	102	26	14	142	34	8	81	19	142
30-39	169	15	7	191	48	69	63	11	191
40-49	184	16	12	212	49	86	56	21	212
50-59	266	31	22	319	71	93	119	36	319
60-69	227	38	25	290	52	91	109	38	290
70 and over	266	49	24	339	46	96	156	41	339
Total	2,755	549	282	3,586	708	1,079	1,342	457	3,586
0-9	86	162	42	290	-	-	222	68	290
10-19	165	72	34	271	3	-	204	64	271
20-29	222	60	33	315	76	19	174	46	315
30-39	308	35	12	355	98	124	110	23	355
40-49	349	37	21	407	107	168	96	36	407
50-59	534	46	45	625	157	236	165	67	625
60-69	515	57	50	622	133	257	154	78	622
70 and over	576	80	45	701	134	275	217	75	701

Table B22. Type and tenure of dwellings occupied by resident households, 2021

	James- town	Half Tree Hollow	St Pauls	Blue Hill	Sandy Bay	Level- wood	Long- wood	Alarm Forest	Total
Households	289	428	395	81	80	153	341	170	1,937
Type of dwelling									
Detached house	86	355	352	79	80	144	282	161	1,539
Semi-detached/terraced	130	60	40	2	-	7	57	4	300
Flat	73	13	3	-	-	2	2	5	98
Tenure									
Owns outright	131	236	239	65	68	109	197	105	1,150
Owns with a loan	11	53	39	9	3	14	34	22	185
Rents	125	107	75	2	5	17	78	36	445
Rent free	17	25	35	4	3	10	29	7	130
Tenure not stated	5	7	7	1	1	3	3	-	27
Percentages (%)									
Type of dwelling									
Detached house	29.8	82.9	89.1	97.5	100.0	94.1	82.7	94.7	79.5
Semi-detached/terraced	45.0	14.0	10.1	2.5	-	4.6	16.7	2.4	15.5
Flat	25.3	3.0	0.8	-	-	1.3	0.6	2.9	5.1
Tenure									
Owns outright	45.3	55.1	60.5	80.2	85.0	71.2	57.8	61.8	59.4
Owns with a loan	3.8	12.4	9.9	11.1	3.8	9.2	10.0	12.9	9.6
Rents	43.3	25.0	19.0	2.5	6.3	11.1	22.9	21.2	23.0
Rent free	5.9	5.8	8.9	4.9	3.8	6.5	8.5	4.1	6.7
Tenure not stated	1.7	1.6	1.8	1.2	1.3	2.0	0.9	-	1.4

Table B23. Number of rooms and bedrooms in dwellings of resident households, 2021

	James- town	Half Tree Hollow	St Pauls	Blue Hill	Sandy Bay	Level- wood	Long- wood	Alarm Forest	Total
Households	289	428	395	81	80	153	341	170	1,937
Rooms									
Three or less	93	85	90	16	11	55	90	27	467
Four	93	136	114	18	28	52	90	49	580
Five	52	116	100	29	22	32	89	62	502
Six	22	53	45	10	15	9	47	15	216
Seven or more	28	37	45	7	4	5	25	17	168
Rooms not stated	1	1	1	1	-	-	-	-	4
Average rooms	4.3	4.6	4.6	4.7	4.7	4.0	4.5	4.7	4.5
Bedrooms									
One	64	56	65	14	7	41	82	17	346
Two	119	169	156	32	33	65	116	65	755
Three	81	166	134	27	32	38	109	71	658
Four or more	23	34	39	7	8	9	34	17	171
Bedrooms not stated	2	3	1	1	-	-	-	-	7
Average bedrooms	2.3	2.4	2.4	2.4	2.5	2.1	2.3	2.5	2.4
Percentages (%)									
Rooms									
Three or less	32.2	19.9	22.8	19.8	13.8	35.9	26.4	15.9	24.1
Four	32.2	31.8	28.9	22.2	35.0	34.0	26.4	28.8	29.9
Five	18.0	27.1	25.3	35.8	27.5	20.9	26.1	36.5	25.9
Six	7.6	12.4	11.4	12.3	18.8	5.9	13.8	8.8	11.2
Seven or more	9.7	8.6	11.4	8.6	5.0	3.3	7.3	10.0	8.7
Rooms not stated	0.3	0.2	0.3	1.2	-	-	-	-	0.2
Bedrooms									
One	22.1	13.1	16.5	17.3	8.8	26.8	24.0	10.0	17.9
Two	41.2	39.5	39.5	39.5	41.3	42.5	34.0	38.2	39.0
Three	28.0	38.8	33.9	33.3	40.0	24.8	32.0	41.8	34.0
Four or more	8.0	7.9	9.9	8.6	10.0	5.9	10.0	10.0	8.8
Bedrooms not stated	0.7	0.7	0.3	1.2	-	-	-	-	0.4

Table B24. Water supply, sewerage, rainwater storage, and hot water systems of dwellings of resident households, 2021

	James- town	Half Tree Hollow	St Pauls	Blue Hill	Sandy Bay	Level- wood	Long- wood	Alarm Forest	Total
Households	289	428	395	81	80	153	341	170	1,937
Water supply									
Treated	289	428	355	5	50	153	341	163	1,784
Untreated	-	-	35	76	17	-	-	-	128
Spring or stream	-	-	5	-	13	-	-	7	25
Sewerage system									
Public system	265	386	145	-	-	-	169	53	1,018
Not connected	24	42	250	81	80	153	172	117	919
Rainwater tank									
Has a rainwater tank	46	276	253	65	30	86	189	116	1,061
No rainwater tank	237	144	136	15	49	66	150	52	849
Tank not stated	6	8	6	1	1	1	2	2	27
Hot water									
Piped	173	289	300	60	57	90	217	143	1,329
No piped hot water	111	137	90	21	23	62	120	27	591
Hot water not stated	5	2	5	-	-	1	4	-	17
Percentages (%)									
Water supply									
Treated	100.0	100.0	89.9	6.2	62.5	100.0	100.0	95.9	92.1
Untreated	-	-	8.9	93.8	21.3	-	-	-	6.6
Spring or stream	-	-	1.3	-	16.3	-	-	4.1	1.3
Sewerage system									
Public system	91.7	90.2	36.7	-	-	-	49.6	31.2	52.6
Not connected	8.3	9.8	63.3	100.0	100.0	100.0	50.4	68.8	47.4
Rainwater tank									
Has a rainwater tank	15.9	64.5	64.1	80.2	37.5	56.2	55.4	68.2	54.8
No rainwater tank	82.0	33.6	34.4	18.5	61.3	43.1	44.0	30.6	43.8
Tank not stated	2.1	1.9	1.5	1.2	1.3	0.7	0.6	1.2	1.4
Hot water									
Piped	59.9	67.5	75.9	74.1	71.3	58.8	63.6	84.1	68.6
No piped hot water	38.4	32.0	22.8	25.9	28.8	40.5	35.2	15.9	30.5
Hot water not stated	1.7	0.5	1.3	-	-	0.7	1.2	-	0.9

Table B25. Energy source for water, lighting and cooking, dwellings occupied by resident households, 2021

	James-town	Half Tree Hollow	St Pauls	Blue Hill	Sandy Bay	Level-wood	Long-wood	Alarm Forest	Total
Households	289	428	395	81	80	153	341	170	1,937
Solar water heater									
<i>Solar water heater</i>	125	238	197	16	30	49	108	110	873
<i>No solar water heater</i>	155	185	189	64	48	102	218	59	1,020
<i>Not stated</i>	9	5	9	1	2	2	15	1	44
Electric lighting	289	427	395	81	79	153	341	170	1,935
Primary cooking fuel									
<i>Electricity</i>	251	365	290	44	44	75	205	143	1,417
<i>Gas</i>	31	38	43	8	9	19	43	16	207
<i>Wood</i>	5	21	59	27	27	57	90	10	296
<i>Other</i>	2	4	3	2	-	2	3	1	17
Secondary cooking fuel									
<i>Electricity</i>	34	38	60	17	14	42	59	17	281
<i>Gas</i>	31	42	57	20	16	32	51	19	268
<i>Wood</i>	13	19	49	17	15	27	50	22	212
<i>Other</i>	3	3	6	-	-	1	2	1	16
<i>No secondary cooking fuel</i>	208	326	223	27	35	51	179	111	1,160
Percentages (%)									
Solar water heater									
<i>Solar water heater</i>	43.3	55.6	49.9	19.8	37.5	32.0	31.7	64.7	45.1
<i>No solar water heater</i>	53.6	43.2	47.8	79.0	60.0	66.7	63.9	34.7	52.7
<i>Not stated</i>	3.1	1.2	2.3	1.2	2.5	1.3	4.4	0.6	2.3
Electric lighting	100.0	99.8	100.0	100.0	98.8	100.0	100.0	100.0	99.9
Primary cooking fuel									
<i>Electricity</i>	86.9	85.3	73.4	54.3	55.0	49.0	60.1	84.1	73.2
<i>Gas</i>	10.7	8.9	10.9	9.9	11.3	12.4	12.6	9.4	10.7
<i>Wood</i>	1.7	4.9	14.9	33.3	33.8	37.3	26.4	5.9	15.3
<i>Other</i>	0.7	0.9	0.8	2.5	-	1.3	0.9	0.6	0.9
Secondary cooking fuel									
<i>Electricity</i>	11.8	8.9	15.2	21.0	17.5	27.5	17.3	10.0	14.5
<i>Gas</i>	10.7	9.8	14.4	24.7	20.0	20.9	15.0	11.2	13.8
<i>Wood</i>	4.5	4.4	12.4	21.0	18.8	17.6	14.7	12.9	10.9
<i>Other</i>	1.0	0.7	1.5	-	-	0.7	0.6	0.6	0.8
<i>No secondary cooking fuel</i>	72.0	76.2	56.5	33.3	43.8	33.3	52.5	65.3	59.9

Table B26. Other characteristics of dwellings occupied by resident households (gardens, roofing material, fire protection equipment), 2021

	James- town	Half Tree Hollow	St Pauls	Blue Hill	Sandy Bay	Level- wood	Long- wood	Alarm Forest	Total
Households	289	428	395	81	80	153	341	170	1,937
A garden used for growing vegetables at dwelling	45	110	166	52	41	95	133	47	689
A metal roof	162	227	245	62	62	106	228	118	1,210
An asbestos cement roof	66	118	102	10	11	30	73	30	440
A mixed roof (metal and asbestos cement)	18	61	33	6	5	15	28	14	180
Another roofing material (e.g. slate, etc.)	2	5	4	1	1	1	3	5	22
A smoke alarm	78	27	57	6	6	11	18	30	233
A fire extinguisher or fire blanket	46	43	61	3	10	13	38	35	249
Percentages (%)									
A garden used for growing vegetables at dwelling	15.6	25.7	42.0	64.2	51.3	62.1	39.0	27.6	35.6
A metal roof	56.1	53.0	62.0	76.5	77.5	69.3	66.9	69.4	62.5
An asbestos cement roof	22.8	27.6	25.8	12.3	13.8	19.6	21.4	17.6	22.7
A mixed roof (metal and asbestos cement)	6.2	14.3	8.4	7.4	6.3	9.8	8.2	8.2	9.3
Another roofing material (e.g. slate, etc.)	0.7	1.2	1.0	1.2	1.3	0.7	0.9	2.9	1.1
A smoke alarm	27.0	6.3	14.4	7.4	7.5	7.2	5.3	17.6	12.0
A fire extinguisher or fire blanket	15.9	10.0	15.4	3.7	12.5	8.5	11.1	20.6	12.9

Table B27. Telecommunications services reported by resident households, 2021

	James -town	Half Tree Hollow	St Pauls	Blue Hill	Sandy Bay	Level- wood	Long- wood	Alarm Forest	Total
Households	289	428	395	81	80	153	341	170	1,937
TV subscription	167	284	233	43	42	81	159	116	1,125
Landline telephone	248	384	364	80	72	135	291	166	1,740
Internet (wired or via mobile)	179	300	287	56	43	87	188	139	1,279
<i>Internet wired</i>	163	278	279	54	43	82	172	137	1,208
<i>Internet via mobile</i>	79	117	103	8	6	29	69	53	464
At least one mobile phone	200	337	294	56	56	104	243	138	1,428
Percentages (%)									
TV subscription	57.8	66.4	59.0	53.1	52.5	52.9	46.6	68.2	58.1
Landline telephone	85.8	89.7	92.2	98.8	90.0	88.2	85.3	97.6	89.8
Internet (wire or via mobile)	61.9	70.1	72.7	69.1	53.8	56.9	55.1	81.8	66.0
<i>Internet wired</i>	56.4	65.0	70.6	66.7	53.8	53.6	50.4	80.6	62.4
<i>Internet via mobile</i>	27.3	27.3	26.1	9.9	7.5	19.0	20.2	31.2	24.0
At least one mobile phone	69.2	78.7	74.4	69.1	70.0	68.0	71.3	81.2	73.7

Table B28. Ownership or main use of vehicles or boats by resident households, 2021

	James -town	Half Tree Hollow	St Pauls	Blue Hill	Sandy Bay	Level- wood	Long- wood	Alarm Forest	Total
Households	289	428	395	81	80	153	341	170	1,937
Vehicle (car, 4x4, van or pickup)	156	312	312	64	56	102	227	151	1,380
<i>Car</i>	153	297	287	59	48	98	207	145	1,294
<i>4x4 van or pickup</i>	23	65	87	19	17	23	57	34	325
Motorbikes and scooters	11	47	35	8	6	13	44	35	199
Boat	13	15	23	-	2	-	6	9	68
Percentages (%)									
Vehicle (car, 4x4, van or pickup)	54.0	72.9	79.0	79.0	70.0	66.7	66.6	88.8	71.2
<i>Car</i>	52.9	69.4	72.7	72.8	60.0	64.1	60.7	85.3	66.8
<i>4x4, van or pickup</i>	8.0	15.2	22.0	23.5	21.3	15.0	16.7	20.0	16.8
Motorbikes and scooters	3.8	11.0	8.9	9.9	7.5	8.5	12.9	20.6	10.3
Boat	4.5	3.5	5.8	0.0	2.5	0.0	1.8	5.3	3.5

Table B29. Ownership or main use of other capital goods by resident households, 2021

	James-town	Half Tree Hollow	St Pauls	Blue Hill	Sandy Bay	Level-wood	Long-wood	Alarm Forest	Total
Households	289	428	395	81	80	153	341	170	1,937
Freezer	271	414	384	80	73	146	324	167	1,859
<i>Fridge freezer</i>	<i>261</i>	<i>402</i>	<i>362</i>	<i>73</i>	<i>65</i>	<i>134</i>	<i>296</i>	<i>153</i>	1,746
<i>Deep freezer</i>	<i>109</i>	<i>195</i>	<i>194</i>	<i>40</i>	<i>37</i>	<i>70</i>	<i>161</i>	<i>80</i>	886
Fridge	57	53	62	9	14	24	56	39	314
Washing machine	248	409	361	71	67	137	311	163	1,767
Dishwasher	20	23	34	3	7	4	13	27	131
Tumble dryer	18	35	102	15	20	35	79	43	347
Dehumidifier	6	10	51	4	6	21	29	23	150
Radio	249	356	339	71	69	125	296	134	1,639
TV screen	269	405	362	77	69	135	307	159	1,783
DVD player	193	279	256	50	47	80	201	115	1,221
Computer or tablet	184	294	282	56	44	91	207	140	1,298
<i>Computer</i>	<i>177</i>	<i>271</i>	<i>266</i>	<i>51</i>	<i>41</i>	<i>83</i>	<i>190</i>	<i>134</i>	1,213
<i>Tablet</i>	<i>80</i>	<i>144</i>	<i>143</i>	<i>25</i>	<i>17</i>	<i>46</i>	<i>93</i>	<i>77</i>	625
Games machine	48	90	83	10	10	22	55	38	356
Percentages (%)									
Freezer	93.8	96.7	97.2	98.8	91.3	95.4	95.0	98.2	96.0
Fridge freezer	90.3	93.9	91.6	90.1	81.3	87.6	86.8	90.0	90.1
Deep freezer	37.7	45.6	49.1	49.4	46.3	45.8	47.2	47.1	45.7
Fridge	19.7	12.4	15.7	11.1	17.5	15.7	16.4	22.9	16.2
Washing machine	85.8	95.6	91.4	87.7	83.8	89.5	91.2	95.9	91.2
Dishwasher	6.9	5.4	8.6	3.7	8.8	2.6	3.8	15.9	6.8
Tumble dryer	6.2	8.2	25.8	18.5	25.0	22.9	23.2	25.3	17.9
Dehumidifier	2.1	2.3	12.9	4.9	7.5	13.7	8.5	13.5	7.7
Radio	86.2	83.2	85.8	87.7	86.3	81.7	86.8	78.8	84.6
TV screen	93.1	94.6	91.6	95.1	86.3	88.2	90.0	93.5	92.0
DVD player	66.8	65.2	64.8	61.7	58.8	52.3	58.9	67.6	63.0
Computer or tablet	63.7	68.7	71.4	69.1	55.0	59.5	60.7	82.4	67.0
<i>Computer</i>	<i>61.2</i>	<i>63.3</i>	<i>67.3</i>	<i>63.0</i>	<i>51.3</i>	<i>54.2</i>	<i>55.7</i>	<i>78.8</i>	62.6
<i>Tablet</i>	<i>27.7</i>	<i>33.6</i>	<i>36.2</i>	<i>30.9</i>	<i>21.3</i>	<i>30.1</i>	<i>27.3</i>	<i>45.3</i>	32.3
Games machine	16.6	21.0	21.0	12.3	12.5	14.4	16.1	22.4	18.4

Table B30. District profiles: selected indicators by district, 2021

	James-town	Half Tree Hollow	St Pauls	Blue Hill	Sandy Bay	Level-wood	Long-wood	Alarm Forest	St Helena
Area (square miles)	1.5	0.6	4.4	14.2	6.2	5.7	12.9	2.1	47.6
Residents									
Population	625	1,034	928	174	177	342	765	394	4,439
Persons per square mile	417	1723	211	12	29	60	59	188	93
Population living in households	609	988	928	174	177	342	764	394	4,376
Households	289	428	395	81	80	153	341	170	1,937
% male	50.9	49.9	51.7	52.3	50.3	49.7	49.8	51.3	50.6
% female	49.1	50.1	48.3	47.7	49.7	50.3	50.2	48.7	49.4
% economically active	60.9	62.7	58.4	60.9	65.0	59.6	58.4	63.7	60.6
Unemployment rate, % of active workforce	5.7	3.2	2.8	0.9	2.6	2.5	5.2	2.8	3.6
St Helenian residents									
% 0-14	10.5	13.2	14.3	10.7	11.9	9.8	16.0	15.0	13.3
% 15-64	57.5	61.1	59.8	60.9	63.1	61.9	61.3	58.6	60.3
% 65+	32.0	25.7	26.0	28.4	25.0	28.4	22.7	26.3	26.4
Child dependency ratio	18.3	21.6	23.9	17.5	18.9	15.8	26.1	25.7	22.0
Aged dependency ratio	55.6	42.0	43.4	46.6	39.6	45.8	37.0	44.9	43.8
St Helenian residents living in households									
Median age	53.7	49.6	51.4	56.2	54.0	53.8	49.0	50.5	51.2
% who stated they have a faith	86.0	81.9	83.4	89.9	87.5	66.2	84.4	80.6	82.4
% who stated good/very good health	69.1	77.9	73.7	69.2	69.3	62.2	69.4	80.3	72.5
% who stated they smoke	25.7	28.1	18.5	15.8	19.4	19.0	24.1	14.2	22.2
% with a disability	5.3	4.2	4.1	2.4	3.5	6.6	4.6	3.6	4.5
Average years of full-time education	11.5	11.5	11.7	11.6	11.3	11.1	11.2	11.8	11.5
% with at least one GCSE equivalent	40.1	44.6	45.1	43.0	37.3	31.8	31.6	49.4	40.6
% ever left St Helena	88.9	82.2	85.2	81.1	78.6	81.3	78.6	90.7	83.4
Resident households									
% in a detached house	29.8	82.9	89.1	97.5	100.0	94.1	82.7	94.7	79.5
% that own their home	49.1	67.5	70.4	91.4	88.8	80.4	67.7	74.7	68.9
% that rent their home	49.1	30.8	27.8	7.4	10.0	17.6	31.4	25.3	29.7
% that are connected to a public sewer	91.7	90.2	36.7	-	-	-	49.6	31.2	52.6
% that use electricity as main cooking fuel	86.9	85.3	73.4	54.3	55.0	49.0	60.1	84.1	73.2
% with a garden for growing vegetables	15.6	25.7	42.0	64.2	51.3	62.1	39.0	27.6	35.6
% with access to the internet	61.9	70.1	72.7	69.1	53.8	56.9	55.1	81.8	66.0
% with a vehicle	54.0	72.9	79.0	79.0	70.0	66.7	66.6	88.8	71.2

Table B31. Status of identified empty dwellings, 2021

	Number	Percent (%)
Owner		
Living elsewhere on St Helena	157	19.6
Overseas temporarily	181	22.5
Overseas permanently	105	13.1
Not stated	360	44.8
Dwelling type		
Detached	694	86.4
Semi-detached/terraced	70	8.7
Flat	29	3.6
Not stated	10	1.2
Status		
Under construction	138	17.2
Habitable	277	34.5
Requires upgrading/improvement	73	9.1
Uninhabitable or unsound	35	4.4
Not stated	280	34.9
Number of rooms		
Three or less	133	16.6
Four or five	234	29.1
Six or more	51	6.4
Not stated	385	47.9
Last occupied		
Last year	150	18.7
Within one to five years	125	15.6
Within last six to ten years	44	5.5
More than ten years ago	41	5.1
Never	77	9.6
Not stated	366	45.6
Plans for next occupation		
Within next year	124	15.4
Within 1-2 years	56	7.0
Within 2+ years	28	3.5
Unsound	10	1.2
No plans, don't know, or not stated	585	72.9
Anticipated use		
Owner/friends	247	30.8
Rented either long or short term	65	8.1
<i>of which short-term/holiday let</i>	32	4.0
To be sold	4	0.5
No plans, don't know, or not stated	487	60.6
Total unoccupied dwellings	803	100.0

5. Questionnaires

A. Household Questionnaire (Form A)

Question	Response
SCHEDULE 1: HOUSEHOLD INFORMATION	
H1 Who usually lives here in this household?	a. People who are present on St Helena: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Me 2. Family members including partners, children and babies 3. Housemates, tenants or lodgers 4. People who usually live elsewhere but who have been staying at this address for more than six months 5. People who are temporarily away, staying somewhere else on St Helena (excluding anyone staying in an institution or a communal living establishment) b. People who would normally live here, but are temporarily overseas: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. On holiday 2. For medical treatment or tests and investigations 3. For training overseas, provided they expect to return when they complete their studies 4. Working away from St Helena for up to six months
H2 Starting with yourself, list the names of all the people counted in H1 above (a and b)	Names of household members
H3 Apart from everyone counted in H1, who else was staying overnight here on Sunday 7 February 2021. These people are counted as visitors. Please remember to include children and babies.	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. People who usually live somewhere else on St Helena, e.g. boy/girlfriends, friends, relatives 2. People staying here because it is their second address. Their usual home is elsewhere 3. People who usually live outside of St Helena who are staying for less than six months 4. People here on holiday for less than six months
H4 List the names of all persons counted in H3	
H5 Dwelling type: Is the dwelling you live in a:	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Detached House 2. Semi-detached or terraced 3. Flat 4. Other (please state)
H6 Is the dwelling you live in shared with, or occupied by, any other household?	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Yes 2. No If 'Yes' how many?
H7 Do you own or look after a dwelling that is not occupied at this time?	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Yes 2. No 3. If 'Yes' please state the number
H8a Does your household own or rent the dwelling you live in?	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Owns outright 2. Owns with a mortgage 3. Rents 4. Lives here rent free
H8b If you rent or live rent free, who is your landlord?	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. SHG Government Landlord Housing 2. SHG Chief Secretary Housing 3. Private Landlord 4. Employer of a household member 5. Relative or friend of a household member 6. Other If 3-6 please state the name and address of the property owner

Question	Response
H9 Do you have a garden which is used for growing vegetables or other edible crops?	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Yes, only at this location 2. Yes, but only at a different location 3. Yes, at this location and a different location 4. No, no garden for growing vegetables or other crops
H10 How many rooms (e.g. clearly defined living, dining, sitting, sleeping areas) are there in your households accommodation? (EXCLUDE kitchens, bathrooms, toilets, hallways, broom cupboards, utility rooms, laundry etc. Count a combined kitchen/dining area or open-plan dining/living/kitchen area as a single room. A room separate from the main body of your dwelling which is used as a living space should be counted as a room.)	Number of rooms
H11 Bedrooms: How many rooms are usually used for sleeping in? (INCLUDE all rooms built or converted for use as bedrooms eve if they are not currently used as bedrooms)	Number of bedrooms
H12 Kitchen: Does your household have an area designated/equipped for the preparation of food?	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Yes, separate cooking area inside 2. Yes, combined cooking and dining area inside 3. Yes, outside cooking area only 4. Other, please state 5. No designated cooking area
H13 Does this household have a kitchen sink?	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Yes 2. No
H14 Bathroom: Does your household have:	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Fixed bath/shower in bathroom within main housing unit 2. Fixed bath/shower (exclusive use) outside main housing unit 3. Fixed bath/shower (shared use) outside main housing unit 4. No fixed bath/shower available, but fixed sink/wash basin available 5. No fixed bath/shower available, and no fixed sink/wash basin available
H15 Are the main toilet facilities for the household:	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Flush toilet within main housing unit 2. Other toilet within main housing unit 3. Flush toilet outside main housing unit, exclusive use 4. Other toilet outside main housing unit, exclusive use 5. Flush toilet, shared with another household 6. Other toilet, shared with another household 7. No toilet facilities available
H16 What is the sewer system for this dwelling?	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Public system (i.e. connected to Connect St Helena Ltd) 2. Private or individual system (e.g. septic tank) 3. Other (please state) 4. No sewerage system
H17a Is the main water supply to this dwelling:	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Treated supply from Connect St Helena Ltd 2. Untreated piped supply inside the dwelling from Connect St Helena Ltd 3. Untreated piped supply to outside tank/taken from standpipe of Connect St Helena Ltd 4. Rainwater tank, including if piped inside or outside of dwelling 5. Spring or stream, including if piped inside/outside of dwelling 6. Other (please state)
H17b Does this dwelling have at least one storage tank for rain water?	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Yes, has at least one storage tank for rain water 2. No, does not have a storage tank for rain water

Question	Response
H18 Does your household have piped hot water? (Including from geyser, chip boiler, wood burning stove or solar panel)	1. Yes, has piped hot water 2. No, does not have piped hot water
H19 Does this dwelling have an operational solar water heater?	1. Yes, has an operational solar water heater 2. No, does not have an operational solar water heater
H20 Does this household generate on-site power through use of renewable energy sources?	1. Wind turbines 2. Solar/Photovoltaic (PV) cells 3. Other (please state)
H21 What is the main power/fuel used for lighting in this household?	1. Electric mains 2. Other (please state)
H22 What fuel or power is used for cooking by your household?	Section A: Sole or main fuel used 1. Electricity 2. Mobil/Calor gas 3. Paraffin/Kerosene 4. Wood 5. Other (please state) Section B: Secondary fuel used 1. Electricity 2. Mobil/Calor gas 3. Paraffin/Kerosene 4. Wood 5 No secondary fuel used 6. Other (please state)
H23 Is the roof of the dwelling you occupy made of:	1. Metal sheeting 2. Asbestos sheeting 3. Combination – both metal sheeting and asbestos sheeting 4. Slate or tile 5. Other (please state) 6. Don't know
H24 Telecommunications. Does your household have:	1. Television subscription 2. Landline telephone 3. Internet access via modem/landline 4. Internet access via mobile phone
H25 Vehicles and boats. How many of the following do members of your household own, rent or have main use of:	1. Cars (including 4x4s designed primarily for on-road use) 2. Land rovers, vans and pickups (including 4x4s designed primarily for off-road use) 3. Motor cycles and scooters 4. Other motor vehicles (such as buses, lorries, etc) 5. Boats with motors 6. Other boats
H26 Other assets. How many of the following does your household have:	1. Fridge/freezer (combined unit) 2. Deep freezer or chest freezer 3. Small fridge 4. Washing machine 5. Dishwasher 6. Tumble dryer 7. Electric dehumidifier 8. Radio 9. Television screen 10. DVD playback equipment 11. Personal computer or laptop 12. Tablet computer (including ebook readers) 13. Games console (e.g. Xbox, Nintendo, Playstation) 14. Mobile telephone 15. Smoke alarm 16. Fire extinguisher or fire blanket

Question	Response
SCHEDULE 2: PERSON INFORMATION	
P1 Male or female	1. Male 2. Female
P2 Date of birth and age	a. Day b. Month c. Year d. Age (years)
P3 Marital status	1. Single 2. Married 3. Co-habiting/living together 4. Separated 5. Divorced 6. Widowed
P4 Relationship to Person 1 in question H2	1. Person completing questionnaire (Person 1) 2. Spouse/partner 3. Son/daughter 4. Brother/sister 5. Step-child 6. Nephew/niece 7. Grandchild 8. Mother/father 9. Other relative (please clarify) 10. Not related (please clarify)
P5 Country of birth	1. St Helena 2. Ascension 3. United Kingdom 4. Falklands Islands 5. South Africa 6. Other (please state)
P6 Country of residence (The country or territory where you have lived for the last six months (including Ascension or the Falklands).If you live in several countries, please use the one you consider to be your usual home)	1. St Helena 2. Ascension 3. United Kingdom 4. Falkland Islands 5. South Africa 6. Other (please state)
P7a What is your nationality?	1. British 2. South African 3. Other (please state)
P7b Are you St Helenian, either by birth or by naturalisation (i.e. 'Saint Status')	1. Yes, St Helenian 2. No, not St Helenian
P8a Religion: Do you have a faith?	1. Yes 2. No 3. Prefer not to say
P8b If yes, please indicate below:	1. Anglican 2. Jehovah's witness 3. Baptist 4. Roman Catholic 5. New Apostolic 6. Seventh Day Adventist 7. Salvation Army 8. Baha'i 9. Other (please state)
P9 Have you ever left the Island to visit another country? (If you were born on	1. Yes 2. No

Question	Response
St Helena but currently live abroad, please answer 'Yes')	
P10 Have you ever worked overseas? (If you currently live abroad, please answer based on the time you have worked overseas)	1. Yes – for five years or less (total) 2. Yes – for more than five years (total) 3. No
P11 How is your health in general? (Please record your own views of your health, not what may or may not be recorded officially)	1. Very good 2. Good 3. Fair 4. Bad 5. Very bad
P12a Do you look after or give any help or support to family members, friends, neighbours, or other persons because of long-term physical or mental ill-health or disability, or problems relating to old age? (Please do not count normal child-care, or anything done as part of your paid employment)	1. Yes 2. No
P12b If yes, please indicate the total time spent on this activity in a typical week:	1. 1-9 hours 2. 10-19 hours 3. 20-49 hours 4. 50+ hours
P13 Do you smoke cigarettes or tobacco?	1. Yes 2. No
P14 Do you have difficulty seeing, even if wearing glasses?	1. No – no difficulty 2. Yes – some difficulty 3. Yes – a lot of difficulty 4. Cannot do at all
P15 Do you have difficulty hearing, even if using a hearing aid?	1. No – no difficulty 2. Yes – some difficulty 3. Yes – a lot of difficulty 4. Cannot do at all
P16 Do you have difficulty walking or climbing steps?	1. No – no difficulty 2. Yes – some difficulty 3. Yes – a lot of difficulty 4. Cannot do at all
P17 Do you have difficulty remembering or concentrating?	1. No – no difficulty 2. Yes – some difficulty 3. Yes – a lot of difficulty 4. Cannot do at all
P18 Do you have difficulty with self-care such as washing all over or dressing?	1. No – no difficulty 2. Yes – some difficulty 3. Yes – a lot of difficulty 4. Cannot do at all
P19 Using English (or your usual language, if not English), do you have difficulty communicating, e.g. understanding or being understood?	1. No – no difficulty 2. Yes – some difficulty 3. Yes – a lot of difficulty 4. Cannot do at all
P20 Education: What is the highest stage of full-time education you have completed?	1. Secondary compulsory (e.g. Town or Country Senior School to 16, Selective school to 16, Prince Andrew School to 16/Year11)

Question	Response
P21 Total number of years of full time education completed:	2. Secondary Optional (e.g. Trade school to 18, Selective school to 18, Prince Andrew School to 18/Year 13, Apprenticeships at age 17 or 18 etc.) 3. Higher Education (i.e. College and University completed after Secondary School i.e. after age 18)
P22 Have you earned passes at GCSE, O Level, or their equivalent, in the following subjects: (Please tick all boxes that apply (if none apply, please leave blank). Include only recognised passes i.e. C or over for O Level/GCSE; 5 or over in new UK grading system. If no qualifications, please leave blank. If you went to school before these exams were introduced on St Helena, or in a different country, your qualifications may have a different name, but they relate to passing exams at the end of compulsory education, usually aged around 15 or 16.)	1. English 2. Maths 3. Other subjects
P23 What is the highest level qualification that you have obtained? (Please state below. Include qualifications other than GCSEs, O Levels or their equivalent stated in P22. If no other qualifications, please write 'NONE'.)	1. Level 2. Subject
P24 Economic activities: in the week before Census night, were you: (tick any that apply)	1. Employed full-time (paid) 2. Employed part-time (paid) 3. Self-employed 4. Employed doing an apprenticeship (paid) 5. Waiting to start work: job offer accepted 6. Unemployed and looking for work 7. Unemployed and not looking for work 8. Away from work (i.e. ill, on maternity or paternity leave, on holiday, or temporarily laid off) 9. Looking after home or family 10. Student 11. Doing unpaid voluntary work 12. Retired 13. Disabled/long-term sick and unable to work 14. Other (please state)
P25 In your main or last job role, are (were) you:	1. An employee (i.e. in receipt of regular pay) 2. Self-employed without employees 3. Self-employed with employees
P26 In your main or last job role, do (did) you supervise any employees?	1. Yes, supervise(d) employees 2. No, does/did not supervise employees
P27 In your main (or last) job, what is (was) your full job title and the name of your employer?	1. Job Title 2. Employer
P28 Nature of business or industry of current (or last) main job	A1. Agriculture and forestry A2. Fishing B1. Quarrying

Question	Response
P29 Other paid job e.g. part time or weekend work, please state the nature of the business or industry	C1. Manufacturing D1. Electricity supply E1. Water supply, sewerage, waste management F1. Construction, including electrical installation and plumbing G1. Wholesale and retail trade G2. Repair of motor vehicles and motor cycles H1. Transportation and storage (includes airport, ferry, taxis) I1. Accommodation activities I2. Food service activities J1. Information and communication K1. Financial and insurance services (including banking) L1. Real estate, including rental accommodation M1. Professional and technical services N1. Other business administrative and support services O1. Public administration or government P1. Education Q1. Health and social work activities R1. Arts, entertainment and recreation S1. Other service activities Z1. Other (please specify)
SCHEDULE 3: VISITOR INFORMATION	
V1 Male or female	1. Male 2. Female
V2 Date of birth and age	a. Day b. Month c. Year d. Age (years)
V3 Country of usual residence	1. St Helena 2. UK 3. Ascension 4. Falkland Islands 5. South Africa 6. Other (please state)
V4 Please state the nationality of each visitor to your household	1. British 2. South African 3. Other (please state)
V5 Please state whether each visitor is St Helenian, either by birth or by naturalisation	1. St Helenian 2. Not St Helenian

B. Resident households temporarily overseas (Form B)

Question	Response
H1 Starting with yourself, list the names of all the people who are this household	Names of household members
P1 Male or female	1. Male 2. Female
P2 Date of birth and age	a. Day b. Month c. Year d. Age (years)
P3 Marital status	1. Single 2. Married 3. Co-habiting/living together 4. Separated 5. Divorced 6. Widowed
P4 Relationship to Person 1	1. Person completing questionnaire (Person 1) 2. Spouse/partner 3. Son/daughter 4. Brother/sister 5. Step-child 6. Nephew/niece 7. Grandchild 8. Mother/father 9. Other relative (please clarify) 10. Not related (please clarify)
P5 Country of birth	1. St Helena 2. Ascension 3. United Kingdom 4. Falklands Islands 5. South Africa 6. Other (please state)
P6 Country of residence (where you have lived for the majority of the last 6 months)	1. St Helena 2. Ascension 3. United Kingdom 4. Falkland Islands 5. South Africa 6. Not known 7. Other (please state)
P7a What is your nationality?	1. British 2. South African 3. Other (please state)
P7b Are you St Helenian, either by birth or by naturalisation (i.e. 'Saint Status')	1. Yes, St Helenian 2. No, not St Helenian

C. Communal establishments (Form C)

Question	Response
C1 Name, Address and District of Communal Establishment	a. Full Name b. Full Address c. District d. Contact No. e. Person completing this questionnaire
C2 Who is responsible for the management of this establishment?	1. St Helena Government, please state Directorate: 2. Private company or owner 3. Charity or volunteer organisation 4. Other
C3 What is the nature of this establishment	a. Medical and care <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. General Hospital 2. Mental Health Unit 3. Care home without nursing 4. Care home with nursing (e.g. CCC) 5. Sheltered housing only 6. Children's Home b. Detention <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Prison Service Establishment c. Travel or Temporary Accommodation <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Hotel, guest house, B&B 2. Holiday Accommodation d. Other <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Staff/Worker Accommodation only 2. Other Establishment (Please specify)
C4 Which age group does this establishment cater for?	1. Aged 0-17 2. Aged 18-24 3. Aged 25-64 4. Aged 65 and above 5. No age restrictions 6. Other (please specify)
C5 What is the maximum resident capacity of this establishment?	a. Maximum resident capacity
C6 How many persons will be resident at the establishment on Census night?	a. Number of residents on Census night
C7 Please list the following details of all people at this establishment on Census night:	1. Person No. 2. Name 3. Male or Female 4. Date of Birth 5. Age 6. Usual country of residence 7. Nationality

D. Unoccupied dwellings (Form D)

	Question	Response
D1	Address of Unoccupied Dwelling (please give specific details if possible, including district)	<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Address2. District3. Name of property owner, if known4. Name of person responsible for property
D2	Is the person completing this questionnaire:	<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. The property owner2. The owner's on-Island representative, responsible for looking after the dwelling3. A Census enumerator4. Other
D3	Is the owner of this property:	<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Living elsewhere on St Helena2. Overseas temporarily for less than six months - holiday, medical etc.3. Overseas temporarily for more than six months - employment contract, etc.4. Permanently resident overseas
D4	Is the vacant dwelling a:	<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Detached house2. Semi-detached or terraced house3. Flat4. Other (Please state)
D5	What is the state of repair of the property?	<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Under Construction2. Habitable3. Requires upgrading/improvement4. Uninhabitable5. Structurally unsound or abandoned
D6	What was the approximate year the property was last occupied	<ol style="list-style-type: none">a. Year dwelling last occupied
D7	How many rooms (e.g. living, dining, and sitting/sleeping areas) are there in the property?	<ol style="list-style-type: none">a. Number of rooms
D8	If known, when is the dwelling planned or intended to be lived in?	<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Soon - within the next twelve months2. Within one to two years3. Within two or more years4. Dwelling is unsound or unsuitable for occupation5. No plans or time-frame for occupation currently6. Don't know
D9	How will the property be occupied?	<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. The owner (or family/friends) will occupy the dwelling2. It will be rented out long-term3. It will be used for short-term rentals, such as tourism accommodation4. Other

