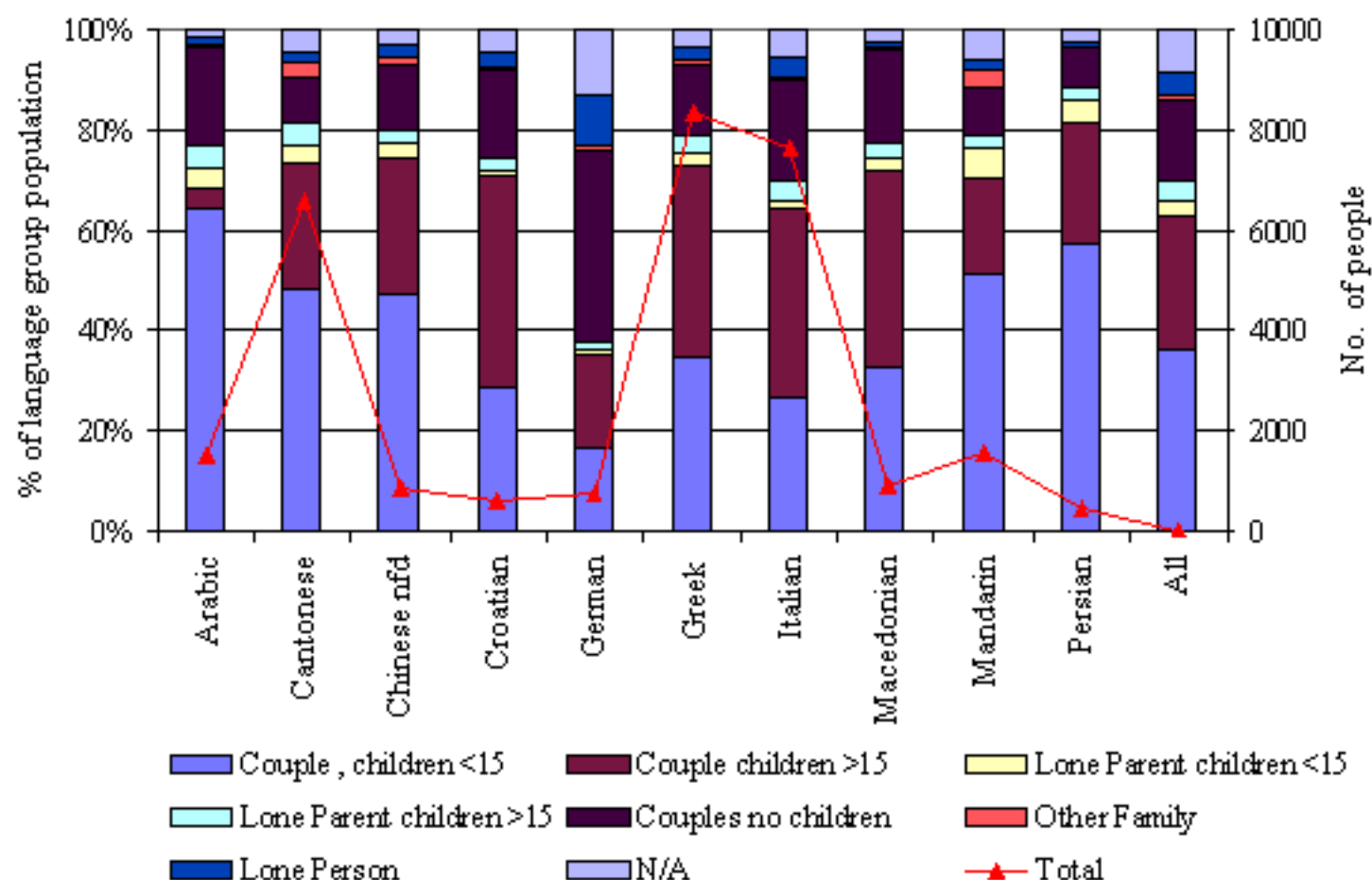


3.1 Household Type



Source: ABS Census 1996

	Couple children <15	Couple children >15	Lone Parent children <15	Lone Parent children >15	Couples no children	Other Family	Lone Person	N/A	Total
Arabic	980	61	63	68	297	13	19	25	1526
Cantonese	3167	1654	227	288	617	187	125	306	6571
Chinese (oth)	394	223	26	22	108	15	17	27	832
Croatian	171	252	6	13	107	3	16	28	596
German	128	144	9	10	297	6	81	100	775
Greek	2890	3192	183	298	1197	78	186	305	8329
Italian	2043	2871	122	286	1532	58	297	415	7624
Macedonian	291	355	21	25	167	4	10	23	896
Mandarin	802	305	94	42	145	54	36	94	1572
Persian	246	103	20	12	33	0	5	11	430
LGA total	37278	27728	3324	4143	16828	1009	4759	8669	103738

36% of the LGA's population lives in a household with a couple with at least one child under 15. For some communities the percentage of their population in this age group is higher. For example, 57% of the Persian and 65% of the Arabic population is in this age group. 8% of the LGA's population lives alone. This figure is close to the region's figures of 7%. Within some communities this percentage is lower. For example, 2% of the Cantonese speaking population of Manningham and 1% of the Arabic population is in this age group.