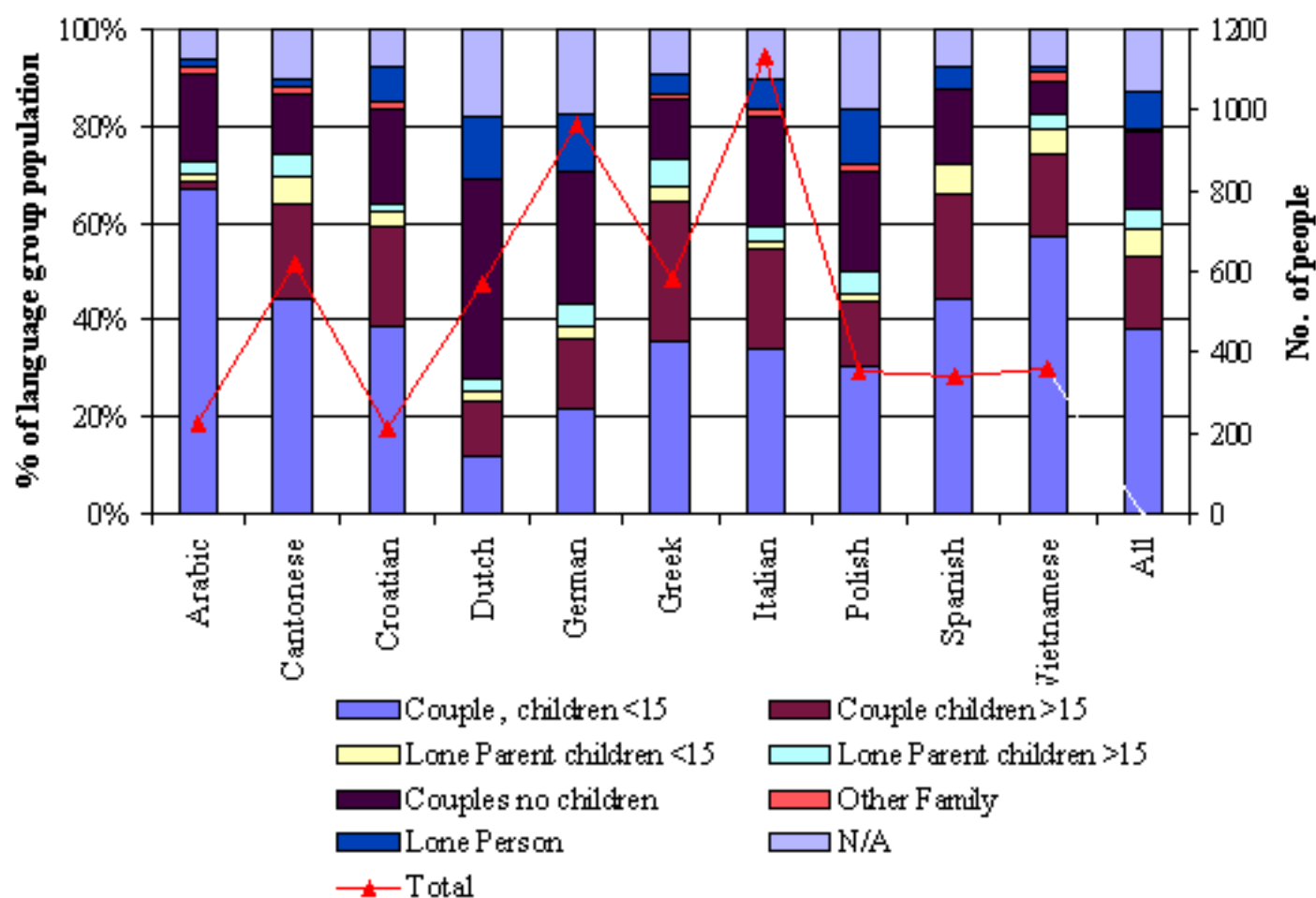


4.1 Household Type



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	147	4	3	6	40	3	3	14	220
Cantonese	275	123	34	30	75	9	10	65	621
Croatian	82	44	7	3	42	3	15	17	213
Dutch	66	65	12	15	234	0	73	102	567
German	207	142	24	45	263	0	113	169	963
Greek	205	170	16	33	72	6	25	53	580
Italian	385	233	14	37	255	20	66	119	1129
Polish	108	47	6	16	73	6	40	58	354
Spanish	151	73	22	0	52	0	16	26	340
Vietnamese	204	60	18	11	25	7	3	28	356
LGA total	37244	14541	5522	3966	15208	807	7275	6755	91318

38% of the LGA's population lives in a household of a couple and at least one child under 15 years of age. The Vietnamese and Arabic communities have 67% and 57% of their population in this age group. 6% of Maroondah's population live in a household of a lone parent and at least one child under 15 years of age. Within the Arabic speaking community 2% of the population live in this household type and for the Cantonese speaking community 5%. 8% of the LGA's population reside alone. For both the German and Dutch speaking communities 12% of their population live alone.