Bahrain: Population aged 15 and above by nationality (Bahraini/ non-Bahraini), sex and relation to labour force (2020)

		Bahrainis			Non-Bahrainis			TOTAL		
		Males	Females	Total	Males	Females	Total	Males	Females	Total
In Labour Force Outside Labour Force	Employed	146,212	95,528	241,740	524,386	96,962	621,348	670,598	192,490	863,088
	Unemployed	13,217	9,253	12,470	0	0	0	3,217	9,253	12,470
	Total	149,429	104,781	254,210	524,386	96,962	621,348	673,815	201,743	875,558
	Student	48,647	47,113	95,760	9,560	9,963	19,523	58,207	57,076	115,283
	Housewife	0	78,127	78,127	0	56,669	56,669	0	134,796	134,796
	Unable to work	1,738	1,556	3,294	28	28	56	1,766	1,584	3,350
	Retired	30,517	10,858	41,375	96	12	108	30,613	10,870	41,483
	Others	17,205	2,311	19,516	3,860	1,641	5,501	21,065	3,952	25,017
	65 and Above	2,986	335	3,321	462	92	554	3,448	427	3,875
	Total	101,093	140,300	241,393	14,006	68,405	82,411	115,099	208,705	323,804
TOTAL		250,522	245,081	495,603	538,392	165,367	703,759	788,914	410,448	1,199,362

Source: Central Informatics Organization (CIO)/ Information & eGovernment Authority (IGA)

ANNEXED NOTE

1. Technical Notes and Definitions

In October 2015, the Bahraini e-Government Authority merged with the Central Informatics Organization to form the Information and e-Government Authority (IGA), which manages and oversees all national digital assets.

The IGA maintains, and is part of, the Government Data Network, established in 1994, which links together 300 governmental entities.

Reference dates of censuses:

1941	January 22nd, 1941
1950	March 1950
1959	May 1959

1965	February 13th, 1965
1971	April 1971
1981	n.d.
1991	n.d.
2001	April 7th, 2001
2010	April 27th, 2010
2020	March 17th, 2020

Censuses' implementation methods:

Until 1981: field enumeration (household survey)+de jure methodology, i.e. counting persons using their usual place of residence irrespective of where are they at census times

1991; 2001: field enumeration (household survey)+ first use of administrative records

2010: mixed census, based on both administrative records and a household survey sample of 15,000 Bahraini and non-Bahraini households.

2020 census was conducted solely on the basis of administrative records on the de jure population of the Kingdom.

Population of reference: all individuals (nationals and non-nationals) usually present within the State's borders during time of reference.

Nationality of the person is defined by the passport used to enter the country. A non-Bahraini is considered as such depending on the passport used to enter the country (or obtain the visa)

2. Institution which provides data

Central Informatics Organization/Information & eGovernment Authority (IGA)

3. Data availability

Published results of censuses 2001, 2010 and 2020 are available on IGA's Bahrain Open Data Portal:

https://www.data.gov.bh/en/ResourceCenter

https://www.data.gov.bh/ar/resourcecenter

section "documents".

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