

Oman: Population by nationality (Omani/ non-Omani), sex and age group (mid-2014)

	Omani			Expatriate			Total		
	Males	Females	Total	Males	Females	Total	Males	Females	Total
0 – 4	167,543	161,293	328,836	16,864	16,095	32,959	184,407	177,388	361,795
5 – 9	130,576	125,606	256,182	16,421	15,688	32,109	146,997	141,294	288,291
10 – 14	106,249	102,640	208,889	13,492	12,216	25,708	119,741	114,856	234,597
15 – 19	113,228	108,148	221,376	9,447	8,397	17,844	122,675	116,545	239,220
20 – 24	127,283	123,253	250,536	116,953	24,380	141,333	244,236	147,633	391,869
25 – 29	120,811	117,731	238,542	385,831	67,543	453,374	506,642	185,274	691,916
30 – 34	100,108	98,425	198,533	304,155	49,321	353,476	404,263	147,746	552,009
35 – 39	73,742	73,305	147,047	199,906	39,667	239,573	273,648	112,972	386,620
40 – 44	48,724	45,702	94,426	149,145	26,411	175,556	197,869	72,113	269,982
45 – 49	34,546	35,036	69,582	101,365	15,671	117,036	135,911	50,707	186,618
50 – 54	31,049	32,554	63,603	62,429	10,141	72,570	93,478	42,695	136,173
55 – 59	22,866	26,357	49,223	43,401	5,545	48,946	66,267	31,902	98,169
60 – 64	18,334	20,841	39,175	12,694	2,540	15,234	31,028	23,381	54,409
65 – 69	14,645	14,987	29,632	3,012	1,126	4,138	17,657	16,113	33,770
70 – 74	13,349	13,516	26,865	710	589	1,299	14,059	14,105	28,164
75 – 79	9,326	7,438	16,764	246	328	574	9,572	7,766	17,338
+80	11,200	10,294	21,494	161	298	459	11,361	10,592	21,953
Total	1,143,579	1,117,126	2,260,705	1,436,232	295,956	1,732,188	2,579,811	1,413,082	3,992,893

Source: General Directorate of Civil Status
ANNEXED NOTE

1. Technical Notes and Definitions

The table refers to the population registered in the Sultanate as of mid-2014.

The civil status system in Oman was created by Royal Decree No. 66/99, which established the General Directorate of Civil Status as part of the Royal Oman Police.

This civil database served as a basis for creating a comprehensive civil register (National Registration System (NRS)), an integrated computer system linking all 12 civil status directorates throughout the Sultanate and maintained by the D.G of civil Status.

The DGCS is entrusted with the following responsibilities:

- 1- Registration of births, deaths, marriages, divorces of Omani nationals
- 2- Registration of births and deaths of resident expatriates; registration of foreign marriages and divorces if one party is a Omani national
- 3- Issuance of birth and death certificates; as well as identity cards for Omanis and residence cards to foreign residents
- 4- Assessment of documents provided by Omani nationals requesting to marry a foreign national and certification of such marriages
- 5- Assessment of documents provided by applicants to recognition and

restoration of Omani citizenship, as well as to naturalisation.

The National Registration System thus includes data on births, deaths, marriages and divorces in the Sultanate. It also includes data on identity cards for Omanis and residence cards for residents.

Registration in the civil register is mandatory for Omanis and residents of the Sultanate. The civil register records the name, gender, age, marital status, nationality, address, telephone numbers, civil number, educational level and occupation.

<http://www.civilstatus.gov.om/english/system.asp#register>

<http://www.civilstatus.gov.om/download.asp?filename=stats2004-2009.pdf>

2. Institution which provides data

National Center for Statistics and Information (NCSI)

3. Data availability

The National Center for Statistics and Information (NCSI) processes and disseminates all statistical data of use to the public and to government action.

Since 2010 the NCSI publishes annually a "Population Statistics Bulletin", presenting data pertaining to registered Omani and expatriates population by sex, nationality and age group by administrative divisions (governorates and wilayat), as of the mid of the given year.

The publication is bilingual (English and Arabic) and is available in PDF format. It can be downloaded from NCSI's website:

http://www.ncsi.gov.om/NCSI_website/N_viewPublications_Ar.aspx?id=2343

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