

GCC: Foreign populations in the six GCC states (mid-year figures, 2010-2023).

	Bahrain	Kuwait*	Oman	Qatar	Saudi Arabia	UAE
2010	657,856	2,433,691	816,143	N.A.	9,932,323	N.A.
2011	610,332	2,514,107	1,282,140	N.A.	10,749,738	N.A.
2012	609,335	2,611,292	1,530,441	N.A.	11,485,315	N.A.
2013	638,361	2,722,645	1,683,204	N.A.	12,544,603	N.A.
2014	683,818	2,816,136	1,732,188	N.A.	12,774,237	N.A.
2015	722,487	2,931,401	1,814,456	N.A.	13,848,311	N.A.
2016	759,019	3,073,431	1,986,226	N.A.	14,598,886	N.A.
2017	823,610	3,130,463	2,054,594	N.A.	14,280,375	N.A.
2018	813,377	3,218,525	2,022,470	N.A.	13,110,645	N.A.
2019	781,929	3,344,362	1,962,815	N.A.	12,556,628	N.A.
2020	758,941	3,210,743	1,745,076	N.A.	13,573,923	N.A.
2021	784,624	2,897,001	1,723,329	N.A.	12,403,714	N.A.
2022	835,525	3,276,492	1,894,657	N.A.	13,382,962	N.A.
2023	849,707	3,367,490	2,168,238	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.

*: end of year figures

N.A.: No data available as of 4 October 2024.

Sources:

(1) **Bahrain:** for detailed sources and metadata please visit:

<https://gulfmigration.grc.net/bahrain-population-estimates-by-nationality-bahraini-non-bahraini-mid-year-estimates-1991-2023/>

(2) **Kuwait:** for detailed sources and metadata please visit:

<https://gulfmigration.grc.net/kuwait-population-by-nationality-kuwaiti-non-kuwaiti-and-sex-1990-2023/>

(3) **Oman:** for detailed sources and metadata please visit:

<https://gulfmigration.grc.net/oman-population-by-nationality-omani-non-omani-2000-2023/>

(4) **Qatar:** No population data broken down by nationality.

(5) **Saudi Arabia:** for detailed sources and metadata please visit:

<https://gulfmigration.grc.net/saudi-arabia-population-by-nationality-saudi-no>

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(6) UAE: No population data broken down by nationality.

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