

Oman: Omani population by sex, age group and administrative region (governorate) of residence (mid-2014)

	Muscat		Dhofar		Musandam		Al - Buraymi		Ad -Dakhlīyah		Al - Batinah North		Al-Batinah South		Ash - Sharqiyah North		Ash - Sharqiyah South		Adh-Dhahira		Al - Wusta		Total		
	Males	Females	Males	Females	Males	Females	Males	Females	Males	Females	Males	Females	Males	Females	Males	Females	Males	Females	Males	Females	Males	Females	Males	Females	Total
0 - 4	35,360	33,025	14,211	13,356	1,930	1,750	3,791	3,439	22,740	22,460	33,139	31,800	19,868	19,511	11,420	11,444	13,335	13,087	10,100	9,871	1,649	1,550	167,543	161,293	328,836
5 - 9	27,558	25,718	11,075	10,401	1,504	1,363	2,955	2,678	17,722	17,491	25,827	24,764	15,484	15,194	8,900	8,912	10,392	10,191	7,872	7,687	1,287	1,207	130,576	125,606	256,182
10 - 14	22,424	21,015	9,012	8,499	1,223	1,114	2,404	2,188	14,421	14,293	21,016	20,236	12,600	12,416	7,242	7,282	8,456	8,328	6,405	6,281	1,046	988	106,249	102,640	208,889
15 - 19	23,897	22,143	9,604	8,955	1,304	1,173	2,562	2,306	15,368	15,060	22,396	21,322	13,427	13,083	7,718	7,718	8,775	8,626	6,618	6,414	1,114	1,040	113,228	108,148	221,376
20 - 24	26,863	25,236	10,796	10,206	1,466	1,337	2,880	2,628	17,275	17,163	25,176	24,300	15,094	14,910	8,676	8,745	10,131	10,001	7,673	7,543	1,253	1,184	127,811	123,253	250,536
25 - 29	25,497	24,106	10,497	9,749	1,391	1,278	2,734	2,510	16,397	16,395	23,896	23,212	14,326	14,242	8,236	8,353	9,615	9,552	7,283	7,205	1,189	1,129	120,811	117,731	238,542
30 - 34	21,128	20,153	8,491	8,150	1,153	1,068	2,265	2,098	13,587	13,706	19,801	19,405	11,871	11,906	6,824	6,983	7,986	7,986	6,035	6,023	985	947	100,108	98,425	198,533
35 - 39	15,563	15,009	6,255	6,070	849	795	1,669	1,563	10,009	10,208	14,586	14,453	8,745	8,868	5,026	5,201	5,869	5,948	4,445	4,486	726	704	73,742	73,305	147,047
40 - 44	10,283	9,358	4,133	3,784	561	496	1,103	974	6,613	6,364	9,637	9,011	5,778	5,528	3,321	3,243	3,878	3,708	2,937	2,797	480	439	48,724	45,702	94,426
45 - 49	7,291	7,174	2,930	2,901	398	380	782	747	4,689	4,879	6,833	6,908	4,097	4,238	2,355	2,486	2,750	2,843	2,083	2,144	338	336	34,546	35,036	69,582
50 - 54	6,553	6,065	2,634	2,606	358	353	783	694	4,214	4,533	6,141	6,418	3,682	3,938	2,116	2,310	2,641	2,641	1,872	1,992	305	314	31,049	32,554	63,603
55 - 59	4,826	5,397	1,930	2,183	263	206	517	562	3,103	3,670	4,523	5,196	2,712	3,100	1,559	1,870	1,820	2,130	1,370	1,613	226	253	22,066	26,357	48,423
60 - 64	3,860	4,267	1,555	1,726	211	226	415	444	2,488	2,902	3,626	4,109	2,174	2,521	1,250	1,479	1,450	1,601	1,105	1,275	182	201	18,334	20,041	38,375
65 - 69	3,091	3,069	1,242	1,241	169	163	331	320	1,988	2,087	2,897	2,955	1,737	1,813	998	1,063	1,166	1,216	883	917	143	143	14,645	14,987	29,632
70 - 74	2,817	2,767	1,132	1,119	154	147	302	288	1,812	1,882	2,640	2,665	1,583	1,635	910	959	1,062	1,097	805	827	132	130	13,349	13,516	26,865
75 - 79	1,968	1,523	791	616	107	81	211	159	1,266	1,036	1,845	1,466	1,106	908	636	528	742	604	562	455	92	70	9,326	7,438	16,764
+80	2,364	2,108	950	852	129	112	253	219	1,520	1,433	2,215	2,090	1,328	1,245	763	730	891	835	675	630	112	100	11,200	10,294	21,494
Total	226,194	220,250	241,352	228,733	68,939	68,364	96,997	92,504	25,077	23,817	135,612	135,136	13,170	12,122	77,950	79,261	91,017	90,642	155,212	155,562	11,259	10,735	1,143,579	1,117,126	2,260,705

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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