

# Oman: Population aged 15 and above by nationality (Omanis/non-Omanis), sex and relation to labour force (2022)

|         | Employed |         |             |         | Unemployed |         |             |         | Inactive |         |             |         | Total   |         |             |         |
|---------|----------|---------|-------------|---------|------------|---------|-------------|---------|----------|---------|-------------|---------|---------|---------|-------------|---------|
|         | Omanis   |         | Expatriates |         | Omanis     |         | Expatriates |         | Omanis   |         | Expatriates |         | Omanis  |         | Expatriates |         |
|         | Males    | Females | Males       | Females | Males      | Females | Males       | Females | Males    | Females | Males       | Females | Males   | Females | Males       | Females |
| 15 - 19 | 4,089    | 1,442   | 402         | 307     | 2,098      | 258     | N/A         | N/A     | 113,452  | 114,021 | 18,120      | 16,776  | 119,639 | 115,721 | 18,522      | 17,083  |
| 20 - 24 | 37,102   | 9,238   | 118,716     | 14,013  | 13,379     | 6,907   | N/A         | N/A     | 59,496   | 90,712  | 7,833       | 15,474  | 109,977 | 106,857 | 126,549     | 29,487  |
| 25 - 29 | 89,756   | 30,093  | 254,437     | 30,770  | 6,612      | 19,577  | N/A         | N/A     | 21,978   | 64,935  | 3,330       | 21,422  | 118,346 | 114,605 | 257,767     | 52,192  |
| 30 - 34 | 108,986  | 47,937  | 321,061     | 47,120  | 1,975      | 11,781  | N/A         | N/A     | 12,233   | 60,476  | 2,809       | 24,423  | 123,194 | 120,194 | 323,870     | 71,543  |
| 35 - 39 | 102,140  | 52,495  | 303,673     | 47,741  | 1,097      | 4,805   | N/A         | N/A     | 10,622   | 54,576  | 2,767       | 22,202  | 113,859 | 111,876 | 306,440     | 69,943  |
| 40 - 44 | 78,954   | 41,208  | 210,648     | 35,448  | 669        | 1,679   | N/A         | N/A     | 9,291    | 45,259  | 2,357       | 16,645  | 88,914  | 88,146  | 213,005     | 52,093  |
| 45 - 49 | 53,152   | 22,393  | 126,911     | 22,540  | 307        | 571     | N/A         | N/A     | 8,271    | 39,038  | 1,736       | 11,626  | 61,730  | 62,002  | 128,647     | 34,166  |
| 50 - 54 | 33,421   | 11,157  | 82,734      | 11,787  | 127        | 138     | N/A         | N/A     | 7,924    | 28,821  | 1,368       | 8,002   | 41,472  | 40,116  | 84,102      | 19,789  |
| 55 - 59 | 22,139   | 6,721   | 43,348      | 5,308   | 46         | 46      | N/A         | N/A     | 8,741    | 26,047  | 1,151       | 5,617   | 30,926  | 32,814  | 44,499      | 10,925  |
| 60 - 64 | 14,572   | 4,645   | 18,842      | 1,911   | 14         | 11      | N/A         | N/A     | 11,287   | 25,136  | 1,299       | 4,294   | 25,873  | 29,792  | 20,141      | 6,205   |
| 65 - 69 | 8,448    | 2,637   | 7,229       | 430     | N/A        | N/A     | N/A         | N/A     | 8,969    | 19,825  | 1,679       | 3,198   | 17,417  | 22,462  | 8,908       | 3,628   |
| 70 - 74 | 5,753    | 1,453   | 1,423       | 101     | N/A        | N/A     | N/A         | N/A     | 6,995    | 14,259  | 1,351       | 1,993   | 12,748  | 15,712  | 2,774       | 2,094   |
| 75 - 79 | 3,556    | 911     | 275         | 21      | N/A        | N/A     | N/A         | N/A     | 5,163    | 9,257   | 911         | 1,007   | 8,719   | 10,168  | 1,186       | 1,028   |
| >= 80   | 3,813    | 802     | 64          | 11      | N/A        | N/A     | N/A         | N/A     | 7,053    | 11,905  | 888         | 775     | 10,866  | 12,707  | 952         | 786     |
| Total   | 565,881  | 233,132 | 1,489,763   | 217,508 | 26,324     | 45,773  | N/A         | N/A     | 291,475  | 604,267 | 47,599      | 153,454 | 883,680 | 883,172 | 1,537,362   | 370,962 |

Source: National Centre for Statistics and Information (NCSI)

## ANNEXED NOTE

### 1. Technical Notes and Definitions

Period of reference: 01/01/2023.

**Source of the data:** data updated from e-census 2020; based on vital statistics (births and deaths) produced by the Ministry of Health (MOH), and the National Registration System (Royal Oman Police).

The civil registration records all Omani and expatriate residents. It is based on the civil status system and is maintained by the General Directorate of Civil Status, a part of the Royal Oman Police.

Since 2004, registration of all vital events taking place in the Sultanate (births, death, marriages and divorces) in the civil register is mandatory for Omanis and foreign residents of the Sultanate.

## **e-census 2020:**

Population data and statistics: methodology explained in publication "Electronic Census System for the E-Census for Population, Residences & Establishments 2020", especially pp. 15-16; 19-20

<https://portal.ecensus.gov.om/ecen-portal/indicators/83/viewer>

Portal of e-census 2020 and data updates for December 2021 and 2022:

<https://portal.ecensus.gov.om/ecen-portal/>

## **Characteristics of data:**

Figures refer to:

1. Omanis holding an official valid document registered in the National Registration System, or expired for less than ten years
2. Foreign residents holding valid visas, or visas expired for less than two years; dependents holding valid visas, providing that they are in the country.

Residence visa for expatriates includes residence visa for a wife of an Omani, student resident, multiple entry visa, employment visa, employment contracting visa, official visit visa, investor visa. The dependent visa includes Family Reunion visas and relative/ friend visit visa.

**N/A: Not  
applicable**

Unemployment benefit is not opened to non-nationals and to Omanis aged above 65.

**No metadata or definitions of terms and categories used in the census are available in the e-portal of the census.**

## **2. Institution which provides data**

National Center for Statistics and Information (NCSI)

### 3. Data availability

Data retrieved from e-census portal, datasets building tool:

<https://portal.ecensus.gov.om/ecen-portal/indicators/261/viewer>

**Date of access:** 5 June 2023.

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