

Residence permits issued by type (worker/ accompanying person) and sex of holder (Saudi Arabia, 1984-2011).

year	Workers			Accompanying Person			GRAND
	male	female	total	male	female	total	TOTAL
1984	708,495	49,363	757,858	n.a.	n.a.	45,001	802,859
1985	465,758	61,532	527,290	n.a.	n.a.	36,457	563,747
1986	460,330	81,675	542,005	n.a.	n.a.	49,256	591,261
1987	477,283	86,429	563,712	n.a.	n.a.	77,457	641,169
1988	476,918	78,663	555,581	26,356	33,615	59,971	615,552
1989	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	705,679
1990	550,006	101,560	651,566	46,773	52,073	98,846	750,412
1991	737,717	130,061	867,778	22,938	29,163	52,101	919,879
1992	150,802	855,837	1,006,639	30,028	25,638	55,666	1,062,305
1993	848,306	193,934	1,042,240	24,891	28,319	53,210	1,095,450
1994	615,712	143,890	759,602	3,187	4,454	7,641	767,243
1995	500,270	102,336	602,606	5,938	10,634	16,572	619,178
1996	665,731	232,184	897,915	24,557	39,763	64,320	962,235
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1998	597,813	228,197	826,010	18,602	31,664	50,266	876,276
1999	480,314	146,742	627,056	12,773	21,698	34,471	661,527
2000	565,787	164,113	729,900	13,421	22,582	36,003	765,903
2001	604,055	167,046	771,101	14,974	24,845	39,819	810,920
2002	716,714	268,061	984,775	12,447	18,929	31,376	1,016,151
2003	684,782	238,230	923,012	32,233	74,328	106,561	1,029,573
2004	574,129	275,831	849,960	10,766	18,535	29,301	879,261
2005	407,191	240,398	647,589	1,362	1,813	3,175	650,764
2006	532,409	317,249	849,658	94,214	140,774	234,988	1,084,646
2007	868,621	294,185	1,162,806	103,585	157,470	261,055	1,423,861
2008	1,069,265	296,672	1,365,937	108,025	167,134	275,159	1,641,096
2009	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
2010	1,080,297	322,261	1,402,558	96,202	140,831	237,033	1,639,591
2011	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	1,411,688

Source: Ministry of Interior, General Directorate of Passports

1. Institution which provides data

Central Department of Statistics and Information (CDSI), Ministry and Economy and Planning

2. Data availability

Published in the CDSI' Statistical Yearbooks, in Chapter "Social services"

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<https://www.stats.gov.sa/en/46>

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