

# **UAE: Population by nationality (Emirati/ Non-Emirati), sex and age group (1980)**

Age Groups	Emiratis			Non-Emiratis			Total		
	Males	Females	Total	Males	Females	Total	Males	Females	Total
0 – 4	31,359	30,319	61,678	39,789	37,070	76,859	71,148	67,389	138,537
5 – 9	24,727	24,015	48,742	25,049	23,062	48,111	49,776	47,077	96,853
10 – 14	18,502	16,742	35,244	14,736	12,563	27,299	33,238	29,305	62,543
15 – 19	15,105	13,411	28,516	16,901	11,942	28,843	32,006	25,353	57,359
20 – 24	11,112	10,797	21,909	79,984	24,407	104,391	91,096	35,204	126,300
25 – 29	8,716	9,318	18,034	135,155	28,659	163,814	143,871	37,977	181,848
30 – 34	6,671	6,533	13,204	105,945	18,739	124,684	112,616	25,272	137,888
35 – 39	6,702	6,873	13,575	67,731	10,851	78,582	74,433	17,724	92,157
40 – 44	6,061	5,087	11,148	42,268	5,787	48,055	48,329	10,874	59,203
45 – 49	5,518	4,427	9,945	22,405	3,329	25,734	27,923	7,756	35,679
50 – 54	4,917	3,778	8,695	11,223	2,441	13,664	16,140	6,219	22,359
55 – 59	2,733	2,077	4,810	4,381	1,250	5,631	7,114	3,327	10,441
60 – 64	2,711	2,227	4,938	1,988	962	2,950	4,699	3,189	7,888
65 – 69	2,362	1,540	3,902	805	619	1,424	3,167	2,159	5,326
70 – 74	1,821	1,357	3,178	399	405	804	2,220	1,762	3,982
75 – 79	664	501	1,165	171	164	335	835	665	1,500
80 – 84	508	558	1,066	96	99	195	604	657	1,261
85+	380	408	788	77	63	140	457	471	928
Not Stated	4	3	7	36	4	40	40	7	47
<b>Total</b>	<b>150,573</b>	<b>139,971</b>	<b>290,544</b>	<b>569,139</b>	<b>182,416</b>	<b>751,555</b>	<b>719,712</b>	<b>322,387</b>	<b>1,042,099</b>

**Source: Ministry of Economy.**

## **ANNEXED NOTE**

### **1. Characteristics of data, definitions and population counting operations in the UAE**

The first population census was conducted in 1968 by the Council of Developing Trucial States.

After Independence in 1971, a population census of the Emirate of Abu Dhabi was conducted that same year.

The first general population and establishments census in the UAE was conducted in 1975. It was the first census in the region following scientific standards and international recommendations. The other federal censuses were conducted in 1980, 1985, 1995 and 2005.

**Reference day** for 1975, 1980, 1985, 1995' censuses: unknown

**Reference day** for 2005' census: 6 December 2005

**Implementation method:** the census was carried out according to de jure methodology, i.e. counting persons using their usual place of residence

**Population of reference:** Emirati nationals usually residing in the country+all foreign residents holding a valid residence permit+resident GCC nationals (nationals of other GCC states don't need a permit to stay in the UAE)

2010' federal census was eventually cancelled but the Emirates Identity Authority (EIDA), an independent federal authority established in 2004, is currently in charge of recording all UAE residents, national and expatriates in order to set up a Population Register and an ID card program. The process is still ongoing.

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

National Bureau of Statistics (NBS)

## **3. Data availability**

Population statistics are available on NBS's website:

<http://www.uaestatistics.gov.ae/EnglishHome/tabid/96/Default.aspx>

<http://www.uaestatistics.gov.ae/Home/tabid/38/Default.aspx>

Data are classified by subject and statistical publications are available on PDF or Excel format. Population data disaggregated by nationality (Emirati/non-Emirati) are scarce.

2005' census data is available at:

<http://www.uaestatistics.gov.ae/EnglishHome/ReportsByDepartmentEnglish/tabid/104/Default.aspx?MenuId=1&NDId=365>

The present data is taken from:

<http://www.uaestatistics.gov.ae/EnglishHome/ReportDetailsEnglish/tabid/121/Default.aspx?ItemId=1868&PTID=104&MenuId=1>

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