

UAE: Total population residing in the UAE and demographic growth rates (2000-2024)

	Total population	Demographic growth rates (% , year-on-year)
2000	3,169,222	
2001	3,345,839	5.4
2002	3,546,001	5.8
2003	3,865,661	8.6
2004	4,229,858	9.0
2005	4,585,428	8.1
2006	4,909,782	6.8
2007	5,595,152	13.1
2008	6,497,898	15.0
2009	6,774,188	4.2
2010	6,965,488	2.8
2011	7,243,588	3.9
2012	7,539,307	4.0
2013	7,846,755	4.0
2014	8,272,124	5.3
2015	8,738,350	5.5
2016	9,131,839	4.4
2017	9,314,611	2.0
2018	9,378,791	0.7
2019	9,512,778	1.4
2020	9,289,297	-2.4
2021	9,861,007	6.0
2022	10,288,946	4.2
2023	10,678,556	3.7
2024	11,294,243	5.6

Source: Federal Competitiveness and Statistics Centre

ANNEXED NOTE

1. Characteristics of data

Definition: Population count is the total count of all persons living within the boundaries of the country at a specific time with their demographic characteristics from the official administrative records of the country.

Source of the estimate: administrative records

Period of reference: not stated.

Data disaggregated by nationality (Emirati/ non-Emirati) are unavailable in published statistics.

2. Institution which provides data

Federal Competitiveness and Statistics Centre (FCSC)

<https://fcsc.gov.ae/>

3. Data availability

The data is taken from the “Demography and Social” section of FCSC’s website “Population”, then “Population estimates”.

https://fcsc.gov.ae/uae-stat-sub-category/?label=Population%20Estimates&value=0%7CPopulation%20Estimates%23POP_ES%23

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