

Bahrain: Population estimates by nationality (Bahraini/Non-Bahraini) (mid-year estimates, 1981; 1990-2017)

	Bahrainis	Non-Bahrainis	Total
1981	240,040	113,627	353,667
1990	310,794	173,212	484,006
1991	323,303	184,732	508,035
1992	328,226	188,232	516,458
1993	336,251	193,974	530,225
1994	344,479	199,887	544,366
1995	352,900	205,979	558,879
1996	361,530	212,262	573,792
1997	370,377	218,738	589,115
1998	379,435	225,407	604,842
1999	388,714	232,275	620,989
2000	398,221	239,361	637,582
2001	409,623	251,702	661,325
2002	427,245	283,308	710,553
2003	445,631	318,885	764,516
2004	464,807	358,935	823,742
2005	484,811	404,018	888,829
2006	505,671	454,751	960,422
2007	527,434	511,866	1,039,300
2008	541,587	561,909	1,103,496
2009	558,011	620,404	1,178,415

2010	570,687	657,856	1,228,543
2011	584,688	610,332	1,195,020
2012	599,629	609,335	1,208,964
2013	614,830	638,361	1,253,191
2014	630,744	683,818	1,314,562
2015	647,835	722,487	1,370,322
2016	664,707	759,019	1,423,726
2016	677,506	823,610	1,501,116

Source: Central Informatics Organization (CIO) and Information & E-Government Authority, Bahrain

ANNEXED NOTE

1. Technical Notes and Definitions

The table provides mid-year intercensal estimates of Bahrain's total resident population (nationals and non-nationals)

Censuses reference periods: 1991: unknown; April 7th 2001, April 27th 2010.

Implementation method: the Censuses are carried out according to de jure methodology, i.e. counting persons using their usual place of residence irrespective of where are they at census times

Population of reference: all individuals (nationals and non-nationals) present within the State's borders during time of reference.

Nationality of the person is defined by the passport used to enter the country. A Non-Bahrainis is considered as such depending on the passport used to enter the country (or obtain the visa)

It has to be noticed that the mid-year estimate for 2010 gives a figure lower than that of the census (April 27, 2010)

2. Institution which provides data

Central Informatics Organization, merged with the E-Government Authority since 2015.

3. Data availability

Population-related data for the years 2010 and later is available on Bahrain Open Data Porta, under the Information and E-Government Authority (<http://www.data.gov.bh/>)

Population estimates for 2010 and following years are published in Bahrain's Statistical Yearbooks (2010 and ff. only), available in the "documents" section of Bahrain Data Portal,

by thematic chapters (Excel files):

<http://www.data.gov.bh/en/ResourceCenter>

For 1992 - 2011 estimates:

(http://www.cio.gov.bh/cio_ara/English/Publications/Statistica%20Abstract/ABS2011/CH2/1.pdf)

For 1991 - 2010 estimates:

(http://www.cio.gov.bh/cio_ara/English/Publications/Statistica%20Abstract/ABS2010/CH2/1.pdf)

For 1990 - 1991 estimates:

(http://www.cio.gov.bh/cio_ara/English/Publications/Statistica%20Abstract/ABS2009/Ch2/36.pdf)

For 1981 estimates:

(http://www.cio.gov.bh/cio_ara/English/Publications/Statistica%20Abstract/ABS2008/Ch2/2A.pdf)

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