

# 2005 Census Tables



Table 2.1 Population and Growth Rate: 1986 to 2005

Census Year	Population	Average Annual Growth Rate (%)	Urban Population		Rural Population	
			Number	Percent	Number	Percent
			1986	13,873	2.3	9,442
1990	15,122	2.2	10,501	69.4	4,621	30.6
1995	17,225	2.6	12,299	71.4	4,926	28.6
2000	19,129	2.1	13,303	69.5	5,826	30.5
2005	19,907	0.8	15,399	77.4	4,508	22.6

Sources: Various Census Reports and 2000 Census of Population and Housing, Republic of Palau

Table 2.2 Land Area and Population Density by State of Residence: 2005

State of Residence	Land Area		Population Density		
	Sq. Mi.	Sq. Km.	Population	Per Sq. Mi.	Per Sq. Km.
Total	171	444	19,907	116	45
Aimeliik	20	52	270	14	5
Airai	17	44	2723	160	62
Angaur	3	8	320	107	40
Hatohobei	1	3	44	44	15
Kayangel	1	3	188	188	63
Koror	7	18	12,676	1,811	704
Melekeok	11	28	391	36	14
Ngaraard	14	36	581	42	16
Ngarchelong	4	10	488	122	49
Ngardmau	18	47	166	9	4
Ngaremlengui	25	65	317	13	5
Ngatpang	18	47	464	26	10
Ngchesar	16	41	254	16	6
Ngwal	10	26	223	22	9
Peleliu	5	13	702	140	54
Sonsorol	1	3	100	100	33
Rock Islands	18	47	-	-	-

Sources: 2005 Census Monograph & 2000 Census of Population and Housing, table 6, 1

Table 2.3 Population by State: 1995 to 2000

State of Residence	Numbers			Percent Change
	1995	2000	2005	
Total	17,225	19,129	19,907	4.1%
Aimeliik	419	272	270	-0.7%
Airai	1,481	2,104	2,723	29.4%
Angaur	193	188	320	70.2%
Hatohobei	51	23	44	91.3%
Kayangel	124	138	188	36.2%
Koror	12,299	13,303	12,676	-4.7%
Melekeok	261	239	391	63.6%
Ngaraard	421	638	581	-8.9%
Ngardmau	162	286	488	70.6%
Ngaremlengui	281	221	166	-24.9%
Ngatpang	221	367	317	-13.6%
Ngchesar	228	280	464	65.7%
Ngerchelong	253	267	254	-4.9%
Ngiwal	176	193	223	15.5%
Peleliu	575	571	702	22.9%
Sonsorol	80	39	100	156.4%

Source: 1990 Census Monograph & 2000 Census of Population & Housing

Table 2.3 Population by Age and Sex: 1990-2005

Age Group	Total				Male				Female			
	1990	1995	2000	2005	1990	1995	2000	2005	1990	1995	2000	2005
<b>Total</b>	<b>15,122</b>	<b>17,225</b>	<b>17,225</b>	<b>19,907</b>	<b>8,139</b>	<b>9,213</b>	<b>10,450</b>	<b>10,699</b>	<b>6,983</b>	<b>8,012</b>	<b>8,679</b>	<b>9,208</b>
Less than 5	1,513	1,762	1,762	1,363	766	916	690	685	747	846	618	678
5 to 9	1,529	1,551	1,551	1,521	793	797	856	805	736	754	844	716
10 to 14	1,534	1,527	1,527	1,914	807	798	794	964	727	729	761	950
15 to 19	1,464	1,282	1,282	1,462	795	684	738	715	669	598	644	747
20 to 24	1,340	1,427	1,427	1,266	738	723	731	712	602	704	611	554
25 to 29	1,403	1,741	1,741	1,583	799	929	1,106	942	604	812	804	641
30 to 34	1,338	1,717	1,717	1,856	768	1,005	1,219	1,072	570	712	950	784
35 to 39	1,243	1,583	1,583	1,965	720	927	1,104	1,132	523	656	787	833
40 to 44	873	1,261	1,261	1,887	514	727	976	1,096	359	534	675	791
45 to 49	666	943	943	1,534	375	553	750	842	291	390	522	692
50 to 54	513	603	603	1,182	279	329	510	624	234	274	376	558
55 to 59	403	488	488	732	208	249	306	393	195	239	257	339
60 to 64	387	361	361	506	181	174	230	254	206	187	233	252
65 to 69	332	328	328	373	154	145	161	170	178	183	157	203
70 to 74	249	278	278	257	117	122	115	119	132	156	159	138
75 and over	335	373	373	506	125	135	164	174	210	238	281	332
Median Age	25.6	28.1	30.8	32.3	26.1	28.7	31.3	32.5	25.1	27.3	30.3	32.0

Source: Various Census Reports, 2000 Census of Population and Housing, Office of Planning & Statistics

Table 2.4 Population by Relationship: 1990 to 2000

Relationship	1990	1995	2000	2005
Total persons	15,122	17,225	19,129	19,907
<i>In households</i>	<i>14,440</i>	<i>14,439</i>	<i>15,520</i>	<i>18,182</i>
Householder	2,885	2,973	3,350	4,707
Family householder	2,445	2,650	2,951	3,580
Nonfamily householder	440	323	399	1,127
Spouse	1,847	1,955	2,116	2,596
Child	5,279	4,936	5,145	5,260
Other relatives	3,484	3,858	3,907	3,606
Nonrelatives	945	717	1,002	2,013
<i>In group quarters</i>	<i>682</i>	<i>2,786</i>	<i>3,609</i>	<i>1,725</i>
Inmate	67	105	64	103
Other	615	2,681	3,545	1,622
<i>Population per household</i>	<i>5.01</i>	<i>4.86</i>	<i>4.63</i>	<i>3.86</i>
<i>Population per family</i>	<i>5.34</i>	<i>5.06</i>	<i>4.78</i>	<i>4.54</i>

Sources: 1990 Census, tables 125 & 7; 1995 & 2000 Censuses, table 7, Republic of Palau

- Notes:
- (1) Population per household is the number of persons in households divided by the number of householders.
  - (2) Population per family is the number of (related) persons in families divided by the number of family householders.
  - (3) Persons in families exclude non-family householders and non-relatives
  - (4) Other relatives refer to any household member related to the householder by birth, blood, marriage, or adoption.
  - (5) Persons not living in households are classified as living in group quarters of institutional and non-institutional types.

Table 2.5 Age distribution by Gender & Urban & Rural Population: 2005

Age Group	Total Population	Total		Urban		Rural	
		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
Total	19,907	10,699	9,208	8,367	7,032	2,332	2,176
Less than 5	1,363	685	678	528	506	157	172
5 to 9	1,521	805	716	559	517	246	199
10 to 14	1,914	964	950	690	685	274	265
15 to 19	1,462	715	747	624	566	91	181
20 to 24	1,266	712	554	596	478	116	76
25 to 29	1,583	942	641	747	543	195	98
30 to 34	1,856	1,072	784	878	623	194	161
35 to 39	1,965	1,132	833	936	660	196	173
40 to 44	1,887	1,096	791	881	641	215	150
45 to 49	1,534	842	692	686	540	156	152
50 to 54	1,182	624	558	458	420	166	138
55 to 59	732	393	339	301	260	92	79
60 to 64	506	254	252	171	171	83	81
65 to 69	373	170	203	120	133	50	70
70 to 74	257	119	138	82	92	37	46
75 and over	506	174	332	110	197	64	135

Source: 2005 Census of Population and Housing, Republic of Palau

Table 2.6 Marital Status by Birthplace: 2005

Marital Status	Birthplace						
	Total	Palau	USA	Micro-nesia	Pacific Islands	Asia	Other Coun-tries
Total 15yrs & over	15,109	10,213	166	356	39	4,318	17
Now Married	8,695	5,678	107	109	25	2,762	14
Legally	8,480	5,530	105	105	25	2,701	14
Consensually	215	148	2	4	-	61	-
Widowed	756	668	3	6	-	78	1
Divorced	372	315	11	3	4	39	-
Separated	372	284	2	2	-	83	1
Never Married	4,914	3,268	43	236	10	1,356	1

Source: 2005 Census of Population and Housing

Table 2.7 Dependency Ratio: 1980 to 2000

Age Group	1980	1986	1990	1995	2000	2005
<b>Total</b>	<b>12,116</b>	<b>13,873</b>	<b>15,122</b>	<b>17,225</b>	<b>19,129</b>	<b>19,907</b>
0 to 14 yrs	4,834	4,849	4,576	4,840	4,563	4,798
15 to 64 yrs	6,638	8,275	9,630	11,406	13,529	13,973
65 + yrs	644	749	916	979	1,037	1,136
<b>Dependency Ratio</b>	<b>82.5</b>	<b>67.6</b>	<b>57.0</b>	<b>51.0</b>	<b>41.4</b>	<b>42.5</b>

Source: Bureau of Budget and Planning, Ministry of Finance, Republic of Palau

Dependency ratio is the number of dependents (ages under 15 & over 64 years) divided by the number of potential workers (ages 15 to 64 years)

Table 2.8 Children Ever Born by Women 15 Years & Over: 1980 to 2000

Age Group	1980	1990	1995	2000	2005
<b>Children Per Woman</b>	<b>3.29</b>	<b>2.79</b>	<b>2.48</b>	<b>2.13</b>	<b>0.70</b>
15 to 19 years	0.16	0.09	0.13	0.04	0.03
20 to 24 years	0.93	0.67	0.56	0.40	0.39
25 to 29 years	2.11	1.31	1.06	0.85	0.59
30 to 34 years	3.52	2.04	1.77	1.33	0.73
35 to 44 years	4.91	3.28	2.69	2.06	0.83
45 to 54 years	6.67	4.79	3.80	2.98	0.88
55 to 59 years	6.24	6.20	5.18	4.21	0.92
60 to 64 years	5.66	6.55	5.72	5.15	0.93
65 years and over	4.93	5.63	5.94	5.95	0.92
<b>Women</b>	<b>3,499</b>	<b>4,773</b>	<b>5,683</b>	<b>6,456</b>	<b>6,864</b>
15 to 19 years	708	669	598	644	747
20 to 24 years	455	602	704	611	554
25 to 29 years	411	604	812	804	641
30 to 34 years	315	570	712	950	784
35 to 44 years	503	882	1,190	1,462	1,624
45 to 54 years	389	525	664	898	1,250
55 to 59 years	217	195	239	257	339
60 to 64 years	137	206	187	233	252
65 years and over	364	520	577	597	673
<b>Children Ever Born</b>	<b>11,499</b>	<b>13,315</b>	<b>14,066</b>	<b>13,742</b>	<b>4,804</b>
15 to 19 years	110	58	79	23	23
20 to 24 years	423	401	397	243	218
25 to 29 years	869	789	864	681	376
30 to 34 years	1,109	1,165	1,262	1,266	571
35 to 44 years	2,468	2,896	3,205	3,019	1,354
45 to 54 years	2,596	2,517	2,525	2,679	1,095
55 to 59 years	1,353	1,209	1,239	1,081	311
60 to 64 years	775	1,350	1,069	1,200	234
65 years and over	1,796	2,930	3,426	3,550	622

Sources: Various Census Reports; 1995 Census & 2000 Census, table 58, Republic of Palau

Table 2.9 Males per 100 females by Age Group: 2005

Age Group	2000			
	Total	Males	Females	Males per 100 Females
<b>Total</b>	<b>19,907</b>	<b>10,699</b>	<b>9,208</b>	<b>116</b>
0 to 4 years	1363	685	678	101
5 to 9 years	1521	805	716	112
10 to 14 years	1914	964	950	101
15 to 19 years	1462	715	747	96
20 to 24 years	1266	712	554	129
25 to 29 years	1583	942	641	147
30 to 34 years	1856	1072	784	137
35 to 39 years	1965	1132	833	136
40 to 44 years	1887	1096	791	139
45 to 49 years	1534	842	692	122
50 to 54 years	1182	624	558	112
55 to 59 years	732	393	339	116
60 to 64 years	506	254	252	101
65 to 69 years	373	170	203	84
70 to 74 years	257	119	138	86
75 yrs and over	506	174	332	52

Source: 2000 Census of Population and Housing