SEYCHELLES

Population Indicators

Indicator	1985	1995	2005	2013
Population size and growth				
Population size (thousands)	69	75	87	93
Annual growth rate (percentage)*	0.98	1.65	1.76	0.55
Population age structure				
Percentage of population under age 15	34	30	24	22
Percentage of population aged 60 or over	10	10	10	11
Statutory age at retirement (years): Males				
Females				
Fertility				
Total fertility (children per woman)*	3.5	2.6	2.2	2.2
Adolescent birth rate (births per 1,000 women aged 15-19)*	84	68	58	56
Percentage of women aged 20-24 married by age 18				
Reproductive health and family planning				
Percentage of married women using contraception: All methods				
Modern methods				
Percentage of married women with unmet need for family planning				
Index of family planning effort (percentage of maximum score)**				
Induced abortion rate (per 1,000 women aged 15-44)				
Percentage of women in non-agricultural wage employment		49 ^a		
Health and mortality				
Life expectancy at birth (years): Both sexes*	70.4	70.6	72.1	73.1
Males*	66.6	65.8	67.9	68.9
Females*	74.5	75.9	76.8	78.0
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)*	18	12	11	8
Under-five mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)*	24	15	13	10
Percentage of children 12-23 months with 3 doses of DPT vaccine	86	97	99	98 ^t
Prevalence of stunting among children 0-59 months (percentage)	8 ^c			•
Maternal mortality ratio (per 100,000 live births)***				-
Percentage of births attended by trained health professional				
Percent obese among adults aged 20 or over: Males****			14.6	
Females****			33.7	•
Percentage of deaths caused by non-communicable diseases****			75	•
HIV prevalence among adults aged 15-49 (percentage)				
Number of people living with HIV (thousands)				•
Spatial distribution and internal migration				
Population density (per sq. km.)	152	166	191	204
Urban population (percentage)	49	50	52	54
Annual urban population growth rate (percentage)*	1.24	1.16	1.66	1.05
Annual rural population growth rate (percentage)*	1.30	0.88	0.70	-0.52
Percentage of urban population in urban agglomerations				
International migration				
International migrant stock (thousands)*****		4	7	12
Percentage of females among international migrants*****		41	42	30
Net migration rate (per thousand)*	-9.21	1.73	6.02	-3.35
Annual inflow of remittances in US\$ (millions)	4 ^d	1	12	26

^{*} For the periods 1980-1985, 1990-1995, 2000-2005, 2010-2015.

*** 2013 data refer to 2010.

^c For 1988.

^e For 2011.

^b For 2012.

^{*} 1985 data refer to 1982; 1995 to 1994; 2005 to 2004; 2013 to 2009.

^{**** 2005} data refer to 2008. ***** 1995 data refer to 1990; 2005 to 2000.

^a For 1992. ^d For 1989.