

Table A.13. Population of capital cities in 2005

| Country and capital city | Population (thousands) | Country and capital city | Population (thousands) | Country and capital city | Population (thousands) |
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| AFGHANISTAN | | BHUTAN | | COLOMBIA | |
| Kabul | 2 994 | Thimphu | 85 | Santa Fé de Bogotá | 7 747 |
| ALBANIA | | BOLIVIA (2) | | COMOROS | |
| Tiranë (Tirana) | 388 | La Paz | 1 527 | Moroni | 44 |
| ALGERIA | | Sucre | 227 | CONGO | |
| El Djazair (Algiers) | 3 200 | BOSNIA AND HERZEGOVINA | | Brazzaville | 1 173 |
| AMERICAN SAMOA | | Sarajevo | 380 | COOK ISLANDS (6) | |
| Pago Pago | 55 | BOTSWANA | | Rarotonga | 13 |
| ANDORRA | | Gaborone | 210 | COSTA RICA | |
| Andorra la Vella | 22 | BRAZIL | | San José | 1 217 |
| ANGOLA | | Brasília | 3 341 | CÔTE D'IVOIRE (7) | |
| Luanda | 2 766 | BRITISH VIRGIN ISLANDS | | Abidjan | 3 577 |
| ANGUILLA | | Road Town | 13 | Yamoussoukro | 490 |
| The Valley | 1 | BRUNEI DARUSSALAM | | CROATIA | |
| ANTIGUA AND BARBUDA | | Bandar Seri Begawan | 64 | Zagreb | 689 |
| St. John's | 32 | BULGARIA | | CUBA | |
| ARGENTINA | | Sofiya (Sofia) | 1 093 | La Habana (Havana) | 2 189 |
| Buenos Aires | 12 550 | BURKINA FASO | | CYPRUS | |
| ARMENIA | | Ouagadougou | 926 | Lefkosia (Nicosia) | 211 |
| Yerevan | 1 103 | BURUNDI | | CZECH REPUBLIC | |
| ARUBA | | Bujumbura | 447 | Praha (Prague) | 1 171 |
| Oranjestad | 30 | CAMBODIA | | DEM. PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC OF KOREA | |
| AUSTRALIA | | Phnum Pénh (Phnom Penh) | 1 364 | P'yongyang | 3 351 |
| Canberra | 381 | CAMEROON | | DEM. REPUBLIC OF THE CONGO | |
| AUSTRIA | | Yaoundé | 1 485 | Kinshasa | 6 049 |
| Wien (Vienna) | 2 260 | CANADA (3) | | DENMARK | |
| AZERBAIJAN | | Ottawa-Gatineau | 1 156 | København (Copenhagen) | 1 088 |
| Baku | 1 856 | CAPE VERDE | | DJIBOUTI | |
| BAHAMAS | | Praia | 117 | Djibouti | 555 |
| Nassau | 233 | CAYMAN ISLANDS | | DOMINICA | |
| BAHRAIN | | George Town | 26 | Roseau | 14 |
| Al-Manamah (Manama) | 162 | CENTRAL AFRICAN REPUBLIC | | DOMINICAN REPUBLIC | |
| BANGLADESH | | Bangui | 541 | Santo Domingo | 2 022 |
| Dhaka | 12 430 | CHAD | | ECUADOR | |
| BARBADOS | | N'Djaména | 888 | Quito | 1 514 |
| Bridgetown | 142 | CHANNEL ISLANDS | | EGYPT | |
| BELARUS | | St. Helier | 29 | Al-Qahirah (Cairo) | 11 128 |
| Minsk | 1 778 | CHILE | | EL SALVADOR | |
| BELGIUM | | Santiago | 5 683 | San Salvador | 1 517 |
| Bruxelles-Brussel | 1 012 | CHINA | | EQUATORIAL GUINEA | |
| BELIZE | | Beijing | 10 717 | Malabo | 96 |
| Belmopan | 14 | CHINA, HONG KONG SAR (4) | | ERITREA | |
| BENIN (1) | | Hong Kong | 7 041 | Asmera | 551 |
| Cotonou | 719 | CHINA, MACAO SAR (5) | | ESTONIA | |
| Porto-Novo | 242 | Macao | 460 | Tallinn | 392 |
| BERMUDA | | | | | |
| Hamilton | 1 | | | | |

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| ETHIOPIA | | HAITI | | LEBANON | |
| Addis Ababa | 2 893 | Port-au-Prince | 2 129 | Bayrut (Beirut) | 1 777 |
| FAEROE ISLANDS | | HOLY SEE | | LESOTHO | |
| Tórshavn | 18 | Vatican City | 1 | Maseru | 172 |
| FALKLAND ISLANDS (MALVINAS) | | HONDURAS | | LIBERIA | |
| Stanley | 2 | Tegucigalpa | 927 | Monrovia | 936 |
| FIJI | | HUNGARY | | LIBYAN ARAB JAMAHIRIYA | |
| Greater Suva | 219 | Budapest | 1 693 | Tarabulus (Tripoli) | 2 098 |
| FINLAND | | ICELAND | | LIECHTENSTEIN | |
| Helsinki | 1 091 | Reykjavik | 185 | Vaduz | 5 |
| FRANCE | | INDIA (8) | | LITHUANIA | |
| Paris | 9 820 | Delhi | 15 048 | Vilnius | 553 |
| FRENCH GUIANA | | INDONESIA | | LUXEMBOURG | |
| Cayenne | 59 | Jakarta | 13 215 | Luxembourg-Ville | 77 |
| FRENCH POLYNESIA | | IRAN (ISLAMIC REPUBLIC OF) | | MADAGASCAR | |
| Papeete | 130 | Tehran | 7 314 | Antananarivo | 1 585 |
| GABON | | IRAQ | | MALAWI | |
| Libreville | 556 | Baghdad | 5 904 | Lilongwe | 676 |
| GAMBIA | | IRELAND | | MALAYSIA (10) | |
| Banjul | 381 | Dublin | 1 037 | Kuala Lumpur | 1 405 |
| GEORGIA | | ISLE OF MAN | | MALDIVES | |
| Tbilisi | 1 047 | Douglas | 27 | Male | 89 |
| GERMANY | | ISRAEL | | MALI | |
| Berlin | 3 389 | Jerusalem | 711 | Bamako | 1 368 |
| GHANA | | ITALY | | MALTA | |
| Accra | 1 981 | Roma (Rome) | 3 348 | Valetta | 210 |
| GIBRALTAR | | JAMAICA | | MARSHALL ISLANDS | |
| Gibraltar | 28 | Kingston | 576 | Majuro | 27 |
| GREECE | | JAPAN | | MARTINIQUE | |
| Athinai (Athens) | 3 230 | Tokyo | 35 197 | Fort-de-France | 91 |
| GREENLAND | | JORDAN | | MAURITANIA | |
| Nuuk (Godthåb) | 15 | Amman | 1 292 | Nouakchott | 637 |
| GRENADA | | KAZAKHSTAN | | MAURITIUS | |
| St. George's | 32 | Astana | 331 | Port Louis | 146 |
| GUADELOUPE | | KENYA | | MEXICO | |
| Pointe-à-Pitre | 19 | Nairobi | 2 773 | Ciudad de México (Mexico City) | 19 411 |
| GUAM | | KIRIBATI (9) | | MICRONESIA (FED. STATES OF) | |
| Hagåtña | 144 | Tarawa | 47 | Palikir | 7 |
| GUATEMALA | | KUWAIT | | MONACO | |
| Ciudad de Guatemala (Guatemala City) .. | 984 | Al Kuwayt (Kuwait City) | 1 810 | Monaco | 35 |
| GUINEA | | KYRGYZSTAN | | MONGOLIA | |
| Conakry | 1 425 | Bishkek | 798 | Ulaanbaatar | 863 |
| GUINEA-BISSAU | | LAO PEOPLE'S DEM. REPUBLIC | | MONTSERRAT (11) | |
| Bissau | 367 | Vientiane | 702 | Brades Estate | 1 |
| GUYANA | | LATVIA | | Plymouth | 0 |
| Georgetown | 134 | Riga | 729 | MOROCCO | |
| | | | | Rabat | 1 647 |

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| MOZAMBIQUE | | PHILIPPINES | | SEYCHELLES | |
| Maputo | 1 320 | Manila | 10 686 | Victoria | 25 |
| MYANMAR | | PITCAIRN | | SIERRA LEONE | |
| Rangoon | 4 107 | Adamstown | 0 | Freetown | 799 |
| NAMIBIA | | POLAND | | SINGAPORE | |
| Windhoek | 289 | Warszawa (Warsaw) | 1 680 | Singapore | 4 326 |
| NAURU | | PORTUGAL | | SLOVAKIA | |
| Nauru | 14 | Lisboa (Lisbon) | 2 761 | Bratislava | 424 |
| NEPAL | | PUERTO RICO | | SLOVENIA | |
| Kathmandu | 815 | San Juan | 2 605 | Ljubljana | 263 |
| NETHERLANDS (12) | | QATAR | | SOLOMON ISLANDS | |
| Amsterdam | 1 147 | Ad-Dawhah (Doha) | 357 | Honiara | 61 |
| The Hague | 729 | | | | |
| NETHERLANDS ANTILLES | | REPUBLIC OF KOREA | | SOMALIA | |
| Willemstad | 125 | Soul (Seoul) | 9 645 | Muqdisho (Mogadishu) | 1 320 |
| NEW CALEDONIA | | REPUBLIC OF MOLDOVA | | SOUTH AFRICA (14) | |
| Nouméa | 149 | Chisinau | 598 | Bloemfontein | 400 |
| NEW ZEALAND | | RÉUNION | | Cape Town | 3 083 |
| Wellington | 346 | Saint-Denis | 137 | Pretoria | 1 271 |
| NICARAGUA | | ROMANIA | | SPAIN | |
| Managua | 1 165 | Bucuresti (Bucharest) | 1 934 | Madrid | 5 608 |
| NIGER | | RUSSIAN FEDERATION | | SRI LANKA (15) | |
| Niamey | 850 | Moskva (Moscow) | 10 654 | Colombo | 652 |
| NIGERIA | | RWANDA | | Sri Jayewardenepura Kotte | 119 |
| Abuja | 612 | Kigali | 779 | | |
| NIUE | | SAINT HELENA | | SUDAN | |
| Alofi | 1 | Jamestown | 1 | Al-Khartoum (Khartoum) | 4 518 |
| NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS (13) | | SAINT KITTS AND NEVIS | | SURINAME | |
| Saipan | 75 | Basseterre | 13 | Paramaribo | 268 |
| NORWAY | | SAINT LUCIA | | SWAZILAND (16) | |
| Oslo | 802 | Castries | 13 | Mbabane | 73 |
| OCCUPIED PALESTINIAN TERRITORY | | SAINT-PIERRE-ET-MIQUELON | | SWEDEN | |
| Ramallah | 63 | Saint-Pierre | 5 | Stockholm | 1 708 |
| OMAN | | ST. VINCENT AND THE GRENADINES | | SWITZERLAND | |
| Masqat | 565 | Kingstown | 26 | Bern | 357 |
| PAKISTAN | | SAMOA | | SYRIAN ARAB REPUBLIC | |
| Islamabad | 736 | Apia | 41 | Dimashq (Damascus) | 2 272 |
| PALAU | | SAN MARINO | | TAJIKISTAN | |
| Koror | 14 | San Marino | 4 | Dushanbe | 549 |
| PANAMA | | SÃO TOMÉ AND PRÍNCIPE | | TFYR MACEDONIA (17) | |
| Ciudad de Panamá (Panama City) | 1 216 | São Tomé | 57 | Skopje | 475 |
| PAPUA NEW GUINEA | | SAUDI ARABIA | | THAILAND | |
| Port Moresby | 289 | Ar-Riyadh (Riyadh) | 4 193 | Krung Thep (Bangkok) | 6 593 |
| PARAGUAY | | SENEGAL | | TIMOR-LESTE | |
| Asunción | 1 858 | Dakar | 2 159 | Dili | 156 |
| PERU | | SERBIA AND MONTENEGRO | | TOGO | |
| Lima | 7 186 | Beograd (Belgrade) | 1 106 | Lomé | 1 337 |

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| TOKELAU (18) | | UKRAINE | | VENEZUELA | |
| | | Kyiv (Kiev) | 2 672 | Caracas | 2 913 |
| TONGA | | UNITED ARAB EMIRATES | | VIET NAM | |
| Nuku'alofa | 25 | Abu Zaby (Abu Dhabi) | 597 | Hà Noi | 4 164 |
| TRINIDAD AND TOBAGO | | UNITED KINGDOM | | WALLIS AND FUTUNA ISLANDS | |
| Port of Spain | 52 | London | 8 505 | Matu-Utu | 1 |
| TUNISIA | | UNITED REPUBLIC OF TANZANIA | | WESTERN SAHARA | |
| Tunis | 734 | Dodoma | 168 | El Aaiún | 185 |
| TURKEY | | UNITED STATES OF AMERICA | | YEMEN | |
| Ankara | 3 573 | Washington, D.C. | 4 238 | Sana'a' | 1 801 |
| TURKMENISTAN | | UNITED STATES VIRGIN ISLANDS | | ZAMBIA | |
| Ashgabat | 711 | Charlotte Amalie | 52 | Lusaka | 1 260 |
| TURKS AND CAICOS ISLANDS | | URUGUAY | | ZIMBABWE | |
| Grand Turk | 4 | Montevideo | 1 264 | Harare | 1 515 |
| TUVALU | | UZBEKISTAN | | | |
| Funafuti | 5 | Tashkent | 2 181 | | |
| UGANDA | | VANUATU | | | |
| Kampala | 1 319 | Port Vila | 36 | | |

1 Porto-Novo is the constitutional capital, Cotonou is the seat of government.

2 La Paz is the capital and the seat of government; Sucre is the legal capital and the seat of the judiciary.

3 The capital is Ottawa.

4 As of 1 July 1997, Hong Kong became a Special Administrative Region (SAR) of China.

5 As of 20 December 1999, Macao became a Special Administrative Region (SAR) of China.

6 The capital is Avarua, located on the island of Rarotonga; the estimated population refers to the island of Rarotonga. Population estimates for Avarua have not been made available.

7 Yamoussoukro is the capital, Abidjan is the seat of government.

8 The capital is New Delhi, included in the urban agglomeration of Delhi. The population of New Delhi was estimated at 294,783 in the year 2001.

9 The capital is Bairiki, located on the island of Tarawa; the estimated population refers to the island of South Tarawa. Population estimates for Bairiki have not been made available.

10 Kuala Lumpur is the financial capital, Putrajaya is the administrative capital.

11 Due to volcanic activity, Plymouth was abandoned in 1997. The government premises have been established at Brades Estate.

12 Amsterdam is the capital, The Hague is the seat of government.

13 The capital is Garapan, located on the island of Saipan; the estimated population refers to the island of Saipan. The population of Garapan was estimated at 3,588 in the year 2000.

Government offices are located in Capitol Hill.

14 Pretoria is the administrative capital, Cape Town is the legislative capital and Bloemfontein is the judicial capital.

15 Colombo is the commercial capital, Sri Jayewardenepura Kotte is the administrative and legislative capital.

16 Mbabane is the administrative capital, Lobamba is the legislative capital.

17 The former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia.

18 There is no capital in Tokelau. Each atoll (Atafu, Fakaofu and Nukunonu) has its own administrative center.