

Western Asia

Indicator	Age	1950	1975	2000	2025	2050	
Population (thousands)							
Total	Total	50 247.1	98 909.0	188 276.8	303 703.7	423 888.5	
	0 - 14	19 362.3	41 253.6	67 567.8	91 668.8	106 076.5	
	15 - 59	27 301.1	51 184.3	107 320.9	180 593.7	251 666.3	
	60 - 64	1 379.9	2 203.3	4 445.7	10 366.2	18 123.3	
	65 - 69	905.5	1 821.3	3 614.8	8 179.0	15 947.9	
	70 - 74	701.0	1 227.9	2 709.5	5 912.6	12 864.5	
	75 - 79	382.7	725.8	1 475.3	3 691.0	9 170.8	
	80 - 84			673.5	1 899.6	5 544.1	
	85 - 89			331.3	973.5	3 006.5	
	90 - 94	}	214.7	492.9	113.8	329.7	1 152.1
	95 - 99				20.0	78.3	290.3
	100+				4.2	11.3	46.1
Female	Total	25 099.2	48 989.7	92 239.7	149 606.2	210 430.8	
	0 - 14	9 431.6	20 280.7	33 056.8	44 838.0	51 817.3	
	15 - 59	13 658.2	25 228.0	51 996.0	88 514.8	123 501.4	
	60 - 64	778.2	1 143.2	2 294.0	5 182.1	9 081.4	
	65 - 69	488.3	980.5	1 863.7	4 104.7	8 134.3	
	70 - 74	391.6	662.2	1 483.5	3 019.0	6 739.6	
	75 - 79	220.7	401.0	842.5	1 974.8	5 021.8	
	80 - 84			406.2	1 081.8	3 220.8	
	85 - 89			204.3	607.6	1 884.3	
	90 - 94	}	130.7	294.1	75.4	217.6	779.0
	95 - 99				14.1	57.0	214.3
	100+				3.4	8.9	36.6
Male	Total	25 147.9	49 919.3	96 037.1	154 097.5	213 457.6	
	0 - 14	9 930.7	20 972.8	34 511.1	46 830.8	54 259.2	
	15 - 59	13 642.9	25 956.3	55 324.9	92 078.9	128 164.8	
	60 - 64	601.7	1 060.0	2 151.7	5 184.1	9 041.9	
	65 - 69	417.2	840.9	1 751.1	4 074.3	7 813.6	
	70 - 74	309.4	565.7	1 226.0	2 893.6	6 124.9	
	75 - 79	162.0	324.8	632.8	1 716.2	4 149.0	
	80 - 84			267.3	817.8	2 323.4	
	85 - 89			127.1	366.0	1 122.1	
	90 - 94	}	84.0	198.7	38.3	112.1	373.1
	95 - 99				6.0	21.3	76.0
	100+				0.8	2.4	9.5
Percentage in older ages							
Total	60+	7.1	6.5	7.1	10.4	15.6	
	65+	4.4	4.3	4.7	6.9	11.3	
	80+	0.4	0.5	0.6	1.1	2.4	
Female	60+	8.0	7.1	7.8	10.9	16.7	
	65+	4.9	4.8	5.3	7.4	12.4	
	80+	0.5	0.6	0.8	1.3	2.9	
Male	60+	6.3	6.0	6.5	9.9	14.5	
	65+	3.9	3.9	4.2	6.5	10.3	
	80+	0.3	0.4	0.5	0.9	1.8	
Ageing index		18.5	15.7	19.8	34.3	62.4	
Broad age groups (percentage)							
	0 - 14	38.5	41.7	35.9	30.2	25.0	
	15 - 59	54.3	51.7	57.0	59.5	59.4	
	60+	7.1	6.5	7.1	10.4	15.6	
Median age (years)		20.4	18.9	22.1	26.6	31.4	
Dependency ratio							
	Total	75.2	85.3	68.5	59.0	57.1	
	Youth	67.5	77.3	60.5	48.0	39.3	
	Old Age	7.7	8.0	8.0	11.0	17.8	
Potential support ratio		13.0	12.5	12.5	9.1	5.6	
Parent support ratio		1.6	2.5	2.9	3.8	7.2	
Sex ratio (per 100 women)							
	60+	78.3	85.9	86.3	93.4	88.4	
	65+	79.0	82.6	82.8	90.4	84.5	
	80+	64.2	67.6	62.5	66.9	63.6	

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Indicator	Age	1950-1955	1975-1980	2000-2005	2025-2030	2045-2050
Growth rate (percentage)	Total	2.6	2.7	2.1	1.6	1.1
	60+	1.7	1.5	2.5	3.2	2.4
	65+	2.6	2.8	3.3	3.9	2.9
	80+	3.3	7.8	4.8	4.6	3.2
Total fertility rate (per woman)		6.4	5.2	3.6	2.8	2.4
Life expectancy (years)						
Total	Birth	45.2	60.5	70.0	75.7	78.5
	60	..	..	18.7	20.5	22.0
	65	..	..	15.1	16.7	17.9
	80	..	..	6.9	7.6	8.4
Female	Birth	46.8	62.4	72.1	78.0	80.9
	60	..	..	19.9	22.1	23.9
	65	..	..	16.1	18.0	19.6
	80	..	..	7.3	8.3	9.3
Male	Birth	43.6	58.6	68.0	73.6	76.2
	60	..	..	17.4	19.0	20.1
	65	..	..	14.0	15.3	16.2
	80	..	..	6.3	6.9	7.3
Survival rate (percentage)						
Total	60	..	..	80.5	88.4	91.4
	65	..	..	74.0	83.0	87.0
	80	..	..	36.6	47.4	54.2
Female	60	..	..	83.4	90.7	93.3
	65	..	..	78.1	86.6	90.0
	80	..	..	42.6	54.9	62.4
Male	60	..	..	77.9	86.2	89.7
	65	..	..	70.2	79.6	84.1
	80	..	..	30.9	40.6	46.5
		1950	1970	1990	2000	2010
Labour force participation (percentage)						
Total	65+	45.2	34.1	25.2	23.4	21.5
Female	65+	31.4	18.5	14.8	13.4	11.8
Male	65+	62.5	52.8	38.4	35.5	33.1
		1980	1990	2000	2005	2010
Illiteracy rate (percentage)						
Total	60 - 64	..	..	..	..	..
	65 - 69	..	..	..	..	..
	70+	..	..	..	..	..
Female	60 - 64	..	..	..	..	..
	65 - 69	..	..	..	..	..
	70+	..	..	..	..	..
Male	60 - 64	..	..	..	..	..
	65 - 69	..	..	..	..	..
	70+	..	..	..	..	..

