

Latin America and the Caribbean

Indicator	Age	1950	1975	2000	2025	2050	
Population (thousands)							
Total	Total	166 994.7	321 823.6	518 808.8	694 760.9	805 560.5	
	0 - 14	66 802.5	132 819.7	163 560.2	164 418.6	161 328.3	
	15 - 59	90 272.5	168 044.8	313 994.4	432 938.0	463 040.8	
	60 - 64	3 740.7	7 076.1	13 142.3	30 719.4	44 776.1	
	65 - 69	2 689.3	5 546.3	10 303.3	24 194.8	40 725.7	
	70 - 74	1 783.3	3 955.4	7 953.9	18 299.6	35 261.7	
	75 - 79	1 055.2	2 561.2	5 285.9	12 360.5	27 481.4	
	80 - 84			2 815.3	6 904.9	17 907.3	
	85 - 89			1 264.4	3 359.8	9 852.1	
	90 - 94	}	651.2	1 820.2	397.6	1 222.1	3 936.3
	95 - 99				80.1	301.1	1 080.0
	100+				11.4	42.1	170.7
Female	Total	83 428.7	161 008.8	261 780.9	352 501.9	410 375.8	
	0 - 14	33 058.8	65 646.1	80 284.4	80 496.8	78 870.9	
	15 - 59	45 077.4	84 210.7	158 792.7	217 564.6	230 645.5	
	60 - 64	1 946.6	3 662.5	6 952.2	16 416.4	23 308.5	
	65 - 69	1 418.7	2 916.3	5 562.0	13 227.3	21 686.7	
	70 - 74	961.9	2 111.3	4 404.2	10 263.1	19 431.9	
	75 - 79	585.6	1 413.4	3 018.8	7 169.1	15 796.7	
	80 - 84			1 662.3	4 154.9	10 766.6	
	85 - 89			780.0	2 131.0	6 266.3	
	90 - 94	}	379.7	1 048.3	259.9	827.6	2 681.5
	95 - 99				55.7	219.0	789.5
	100+				8.7	32.3	131.7
Male	Total	83 566.0	160 814.8	257 027.9	342 258.9	395 184.7	
	0 - 14	33 743.6	67 173.6	83 275.8	83 921.8	82 457.4	
	15 - 59	45 195.1	83 834.0	155 201.6	215 373.5	232 395.3	
	60 - 64	1 794.1	3 413.5	6 190.1	14 303.1	21 467.6	
	65 - 69	1 270.6	2 630.0	4 741.4	10 967.5	19 039.0	
	70 - 74	821.4	1 844.1	3 549.7	8 036.4	15 829.8	
	75 - 79	469.6	1 147.7	2 267.1	5 191.4	11 684.7	
	80 - 84			1 153.0	2 750.0	7 140.7	
	85 - 89			484.4	1 228.8	3 585.8	
	90 - 94	}	271.5	771.9	137.7	394.5	1 254.8
	95 - 99				24.4	82.1	290.5
	100+				2.7	9.8	39.0
Percentage in older ages							
Total	60+	5.9	6.5	8.0	14.0	22.5	
	65+	3.7	4.3	5.4	9.6	16.9	
	80+	0.4	0.6	0.9	1.7	4.1	
Female	60+	6.3	6.9	8.7	15.4	24.6	
	65+	4.0	4.7	6.0	10.8	18.9	
	80+	0.5	0.7	1.1	2.1	5.0	
Male	60+	5.5	6.1	7.2	12.6	20.3	
	65+	3.4	4.0	4.8	8.4	14.9	
	80+	0.3	0.5	0.7	1.3	3.1	
Ageing index		14.8	15.8	25.2	59.2	112.3	
Broad age groups (percentage)							
	0 - 14	40.0	41.3	31.5	23.7	20.0	
	15 - 59	54.1	52.2	60.5	62.3	57.5	
	60+	5.9	6.5	8.0	14.0	22.5	
Median age (years)		20.1	19.1	24.4	32.1	37.8	
Dependency ratio							
	Total	77.6	83.8	58.6	49.8	58.6	
	Youth	71.1	75.8	50.0	35.5	31.8	
	Old Age	6.6	7.9	8.6	14.4	26.9	
Potential support ratio		15.2	12.6	11.6	7.0	3.7	
Parent support ratio		1.5	2.2	3.5	4.6	10.6	
Sex ratio (per 100 women)							
	60+	87.4	87.9	81.7	78.9	79.6	
	65+	84.7	85.4	78.5	75.4	75.9	
	80+	71.5	73.6	65.1	60.6	59.7	

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Indicator	Age	1950-1955	1975-1980	2000-2005	2025-2030	2045-2050
Growth rate (percentage)	Total	2.7	2.3	1.4	0.8	0.4
	60+	3.0	2.6	2.9	3.2	1.7
	65+	3.1	2.9	3.0	3.7	2.1
	80+	3.3	4.4	4.0	4.3	3.4
Total fertility rate (per woman)		5.9	4.5	2.5	2.1	2.1
Life expectancy (years)						
Total	Birth	51.4	63.0	70.4	75.0	77.8
	60	..	..	19.5	21.6	22.8
	65	..	..	15.9	17.7	18.8
	80	..	..	7.1	8.0	8.6
Female	Birth	53.1	65.7	73.6	78.2	80.9
	60	..	..	20.9	23.1	24.5
	65	..	..	17.1	19.0	20.3
	80	..	..	7.5	8.5	9.2
Male	Birth	49.7	60.5	67.2	71.9	74.7
	60	..	..	18.0	19.8	20.8
	65	..	..	14.6	16.1	17.1
	80	..	..	6.5	7.2	7.7
Survival rate (percentage)						
Total	60	..	..	78.9	84.9	88.2
	65	..	..	72.8	80.0	83.9
	80	..	..	39.5	49.8	55.9
Female	60	..	..	84.1	89.2	91.9
	65	..	..	79.1	85.5	88.8
	80	..	..	47.2	58.3	64.9
Male	60	..	..	73.8	80.7	84.6
	65	..	..	66.7	74.7	79.1
	80	..	..	32.0	41.2	46.9
		1950	1970	1990	2000	2010
Labour force participation (percentage)						
Total	65+	39.6	29.7	22.0	20.0	18.4
Female	65+	12.5	9.7	7.9	7.6	7.3
Male	65+	71.4	52.9	39.2	35.9	32.6
		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+	..	..	..	..	..

