

Cape Verde

| Indicator | Age | 1950 | 1975 | 2000 | 2025 | 2050 | |
|--------------------------------------|---------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-----|
| Population (thousands) | | | | | | | |
| Total | Total | 146.1 | 277.9 | 427.0 | 646.8 | 807.3 | |
| | 0 - 14 | 50.0 | 130.0 | 167.7 | 169.4 | 166.8 | |
| | 15 - 59 | 86.6 | 125.2 | 231.4 | 422.2 | 482.0 | |
| | 60 - 64 | 3.6 | 7.5 | 8.2 | 26.3 | 42.1 | |
| | 65 - 69 | 2.2 | 5.6 | 7.2 | 14.0 | 37.0 | |
| | 70 - 74 | 1.8 | 4.3 | 5.7 | 6.4 | 29.9 | |
| | 75 - 79 | 1.3 | 3.7 | 2.8 | 2.5 | 20.4 | |
| | 80 - 84 | | | 2.1 | 2.4 | 16.5 | |
| | 85 - 89 | } | 0.6 | 1.5 | 1.2 | 2.3 | 9.0 |
| | 90 - 94 | | | | 0.5 | 1.0 | 2.8 |
| | 95 - 99 | | | | 0.1 | 0.3 | 0.6 |
| | 100+ | | | | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.1 |
| Female | Total | 79.8 | 148.0 | 227.8 | 335.6 | 415.0 | |
| | 0 - 14 | 25.5 | 65.7 | 83.0 | 83.7 | 82.4 | |
| | 15 - 59 | 47.7 | 69.3 | 126.5 | 215.4 | 242.4 | |
| | 60 - 64 | 2.5 | 4.1 | 5.7 | 15.0 | 22.0 | |
| | 65 - 69 | 1.5 | 3.1 | 4.7 | 9.7 | 19.8 | |
| | 70 - 74 | 1.3 | 2.5 | 3.6 | 5.1 | 17.1 | |
| | 75 - 79 | 0.9 | 2.4 | 1.8 | 2.0 | 12.0 | |
| | 80 - 84 | | | 1.4 | 1.9 | 10.3 | |
| | 85 - 89 | } | 0.5 | 0.9 | 0.8 | 1.8 | 6.1 |
| | 90 - 94 | | | | 0.3 | 0.8 | 2.3 |
| | 95 - 99 | | | | 0.1 | 0.2 | 0.5 |
| | 100+ | | | | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.1 |
| Male | Total | 66.3 | 129.9 | 199.1 | 311.3 | 392.3 | |
| | 0 - 14 | 24.5 | 64.3 | 84.7 | 85.8 | 84.4 | |
| | 15 - 59 | 38.9 | 56.0 | 105.0 | 206.7 | 239.6 | |
| | 60 - 64 | 1.1 | 3.4 | 2.5 | 11.3 | 20.1 | |
| | 65 - 69 | 0.8 | 2.5 | 2.5 | 4.4 | 17.2 | |
| | 70 - 74 | 0.6 | 1.8 | 2.1 | 1.3 | 12.9 | |
| | 75 - 79 | 0.4 | 1.3 | 1.1 | 0.5 | 8.4 | |
| | 80 - 84 | | | 0.8 | 0.5 | 6.2 | |
| | 85 - 89 | } | 0.1 | 0.6 | 0.4 | 0.5 | 2.9 |
| | 90 - 94 | | | | 0.2 | 0.2 | 0.5 |
| | 95 - 99 | | | | 0.0 | 0.1 | 0.0 |
| | 100+ | | | | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| Percentage in older ages | | | | | | | |
| Total | 60+ | 6.5 | 8.1 | 6.5 | 8.5 | 19.6 | |
| | 65+ | 4.1 | 5.4 | 4.6 | 4.5 | 14.4 | |
| | 80+ | 0.4 | 0.6 | 0.9 | 0.9 | 3.6 | |
| Female | 60+ | 8.3 | 8.8 | 8.1 | 10.9 | 21.7 | |
| | 65+ | 5.1 | 6.0 | 5.6 | 6.4 | 16.4 | |
| | 80+ | 0.6 | 0.6 | 1.1 | 1.4 | 4.6 | |
| Male | 60+ | 4.5 | 7.4 | 4.8 | 6.0 | 17.4 | |
| | 65+ | 2.8 | 4.8 | 3.5 | 2.4 | 12.3 | |
| | 80+ | 0.1 | 0.5 | 0.7 | 0.4 | 2.5 | |
| Ageing index | | 19.1 | 17.4 | 16.6 | 32.6 | 94.9 | |
| Broad age groups (percentage) | | | | | | | |
| | 0 - 14 | 34.2 | 46.8 | 39.3 | 26.2 | 20.7 | |
| | 15 - 59 | 59.2 | 45.1 | 54.2 | 65.3 | 59.7 | |
| | 60+ | 6.5 | 8.1 | 6.5 | 8.5 | 19.6 | |
| Median age (years) | | 21.4 | 16.3 | 19.7 | 28.1 | 36.9 | |
| Dependency ratio | | | | | | | |
| | Total | 62.0 | 109.3 | 78.2 | 44.2 | 54.0 | |
| | Youth | 55.5 | 97.9 | 70.0 | 37.8 | 31.8 | |
| | Old Age | 6.6 | 11.4 | 8.2 | 6.4 | 22.2 | |
| Potential support ratio | | 15.2 | 8.8 | 12.2 | 15.5 | 4.5 | |
| Parent support ratio | | 1.8 | 2.1 | 10.5 | 4.0 | 8.7 | |
| Sex ratio (per 100 women) | | | | | | | |
| | 60+ | 45.0 | 73.8 | 51.5 | 51.5 | 75.7 | |
| | 65+ | 45.2 | 70.2 | 55.0 | 34.7 | 70.7 | |
| | 80+ | 16.9 | 72.8 | 54.3 | 25.7 | 50.1 | |

| Indicator | Age | 1950-1955 | 1975-1980 | 2000-2005 | 2025-2030 | 2045-2050 |
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| Growth rate (percentage) | Total | 3.0 | 0.8 | 2.1 | 1.2 | 0.6 |
| | 60+ | 3.6 | 1.1 | -0.9 | 6.9 | 2.6 |
| | 65+ | 4.4 | 3.2 | 2.0 | 9.7 | 3.1 |
| | 80+ | 6.3 | 4.8 | -1.0 | -3.8 | 6.6 |
| Total fertility rate (per woman) | | 6.6 | 6.7 | 3.2 | 2.1 | 2.1 |
| Life expectancy (years) | | | | | | |
| Total | Birth | 48.5 | 60.0 | 70.5 | 76.1 | 78.6 |
| | 60 | .. | .. | 19.5 | 21.9 | 22.9 |
| | 65 | .. | .. | 15.9 | 18.1 | 18.9 |
| | 80 | .. | .. | 7.6 | 8.9 | 9.4 |
| Female | Birth | 50.0 | 61.5 | 72.8 | 78.2 | 81.1 |
| | 60 | .. | .. | 20.7 | 23.0 | 24.6 |
| | 65 | .. | .. | 16.9 | 19.0 | 20.4 |
| | 80 | .. | .. | 8.1 | 9.3 | 10.1 |
| Male | Birth | 47.0 | 58.5 | 67.0 | 72.9 | 75.8 |
| | 60 | .. | .. | 17.4 | 19.4 | 20.6 |
| | 65 | .. | .. | 14.1 | 15.8 | 16.9 |
| | 80 | .. | .. | 6.8 | 7.5 | 8.0 |
| Survival rate (percentage) | | | | | | |
| Total | 60 | .. | .. | 80.8 | 87.2 | 90.4 |
| | 65 | .. | .. | 74.7 | 81.9 | 85.9 |
| | 80 | .. | .. | 39.4 | 51.2 | 56.0 |
| Female | 60 | .. | .. | 83.9 | 90.0 | 92.6 |
| | 65 | .. | .. | 78.5 | 85.9 | 89.3 |
| | 80 | .. | .. | 45.2 | 56.8 | 63.5 |
| Male | 60 | .. | .. | 75.3 | 84.3 | 88.2 |
| | 65 | .. | .. | 67.3 | 77.6 | 82.4 |
| | 80 | .. | .. | 30.0 | 41.1 | 47.8 |
| | | 1950 | 1970 | 1990 | 2000 | 2010 |
| Labour force participation (percentage) | | | | | | |
| Total | 65+ | 25.4 | 28.8 | 32.3 | 30.1 | 27.4 |
| Female | 65+ | 7.5 | 8.8 | 11.9 | 12.2 | 12.4 |
| Male | 65+ | 64.8 | 62.1 | 59.4 | 58.1 | 56.7 |
| | | 1980 | 1990 | 2000 | 2005 | 2010 |
| Illiteracy rate (percentage) | | | | | | |
| Total | 60 - 64 | 76.8 | 72.7 | 66.8 | 61.7 | 53.1 |
| | 65 - 69 | 81.1 | 75.7 | 71.1 | 65.7 | 60.2 |
| | 70+ | 85.9 | 77.9 | 73.9 | 68.9 | 66.3 |
| Female | 60 - 64 | 89.6 | 83.7 | 74.5 | 67.8 | 60.3 |
| | 65 - 69 | 92.2 | 86.8 | 79.8 | 74.5 | 67.8 |
| | 70+ | 94.0 | 89.6 | 83.7 | 79.8 | 74.5 |
| Male | 60 - 64 | 64.0 | 54.3 | 43.6 | 37.3 | 31.2 |
| | 65 - 69 | 69.9 | 59.0 | 49.4 | 43.6 | 37.3 |
| | 70+ | 74.7 | 64.0 | 54.3 | 49.4 | 43.6 |

