

- Population estimate of Macao was 646,800 at end-2015, up by 10,600 or 1.7% year-on-year. Males accounted for 49.0% and females shared 51.0%.
- For the whole year of 2015, live births decreased by 4.1% year-on-year; mortality increased by 3.2%; rate of natural increase was 7.9‰.
- A net migration of 5,500 was recorded, down by 76.4% year-on-year, attributable to an decrease in non-resident workers living in Macao.
- Population of the Coloane Island increased to 21,700, with its relative importance rising by 1.1 percentage points to 3.4%.

Principal Indicators

	2015	2014	Change
End-year population ('000)	646.8	636.2	1.7 %
Male	317.0	314.0	1.0 %
Female	329.8	322.2	2.4 %
Distribution by Age Group (%)			
Youth (aged 0-14)	11.9	11.4	0.5 p.p.
Adult (aged 15-64)	79.1	80.2	-1.1 p.p.
Elderly (aged 65 and over)	9.0	8.4	0.6 p.p.
Dependency ratio and ageing ratio (%)			
Dependency ratio	26.4	24.7	1.7 p.p.
Youth dependency ratio	15.0	14.2	0.8 p.p.
Elderly dependency ratio	11.4	10.5	0.9 p.p.
Ageing ratio	75.6	73.8	1.8 p.p.

p.p. Percentage point

Changes in Population

	2015	2014	Difference
Natural increase	5.1	5.4	-0.3
Net migration	5.5	23.3	-17.8
Population increase	10.6	28.7	-18.1

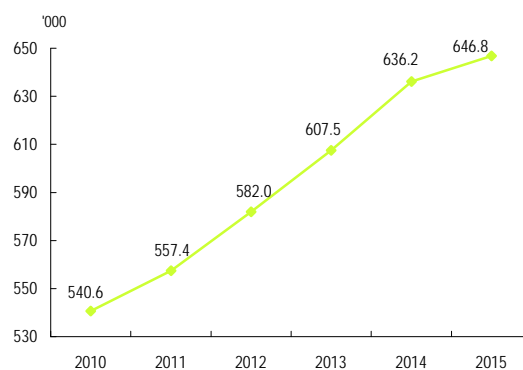
Demographic Indicators of Past Years

	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015
End-year population ('000)	540.6	557.4	582.0	607.5	636.2	646.8
Mid-year population ('000)	537.0	549.6	567.9	591.9	621.7	642.9
Birth rate (‰)	9.5	10.6	12.9	11.1	11.8	11.0
Mortality rate (‰)	3.3	3.4	3.2	3.2	3.1	3.1
Rate of natural increase (‰)	6.2	7.3	9.6	7.9	8.7	7.9
Annual growth rate (%)	1.4	3.1	4.3	4.3	4.6	1.6

Population Pyramid



End-year Population

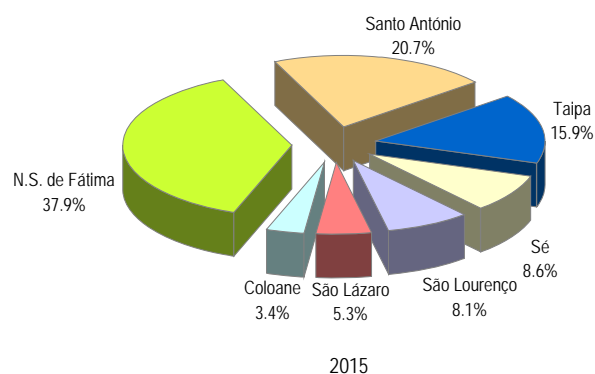


Population by Parish

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	2015	2014	Difference
Santo António	133.9	133.7	0.2
São Lázaro	34.3	33.6	0.7
São Lourenço	52.7	52.8	-0.1
Sé	55.6	55.8	-0.2
N.S. de Fátima	244.9	243.3	1.6
Taipa	103.0	101.9	1.1
Coloane	21.7	14.4	7.3

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Glossary

Natural increase: Number of live-births minus number of deaths for the year.

Rate of natural increase: Natural increase per 1,000 persons at mid-year.

Net migration: Net balance of population movements, including Chinese immigrants, individuals granted right of abode, non-resident workers and foreign students living in Macao, etc.

Dependency ratio: The percentage share of population aged 0-14 and 65 and above to the population aged 15-64.

Youth dependency ratio: The percentage share of population aged 0-14 to the population aged 15-64.

Elderly dependency ratio: The percentage share of population aged 65 and above to the population aged 15-64.

Ageing ratio: The percentage share of population aged 65 and above to the population aged 0-14.

Birth rate: Number of live-births per 1,000 persons at mid-year.

Mortality rate: Number of deaths per 1,000 persons at mid-year.

Total may not correspond to the sum of partial figures due to rounding.

For additional information:

<http://www.dsec.gov.mo/e/pop.aspx>

