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Malaysia

Census Results

1970-08-24 10,623,732
1980-06-10 13,136,109
1991-08-14 17,563,420
2000-07-05 22,198,276
2010-07-06 27,565,821

General Information

Official name	Malaysia
Official name [native]	Malaysia «Malay»
Capital	Kuala Lumpur
Capital [native]	Kuala Lumpur «Malay»
Region	South-eastern Asia
ISO code	MY
Statistical agency	Department of Statistics Malaysia

Name in Chinese
Name in Arabic ماليزيا
Name in Spanish Malasia
Name in Russian Малайзия
Name in French la Malaisie

Administrative units

code	state	capital	area (sq.km.)	population 1991-18-14 census	population 2000-07-05 census	population 2010-07-06 census
01	Johor	Johor Bahru	19,210	2,069,740	2,584,997	3,348,283
02	Kedah	Alor Setar	9,500	1,302,241	1,571,077	1,947,651
03	Kelantan	Kota Baharu	15,099	1,181,315	1,287,367	1,459,994
04	Melaka	Melaka	1,664	506,321	605,239	788,706
05	Negeri Sembilan	Seremban	6,686	692,897	829,774	997,071
06	Pahang	Kuantan	36,137	1,045,003	1,229,104	1,443,365
07	Perak	Ipoh	21,035	1,877,471	1,973,368	2,258,428
08	Perlis	Kangar	821	183,824	198,288	227,025
09	Pulau Pinang	George Town	1,048	1,064,166	1,231,209	1,520,143
10	Sabah	Kota Kinabalu	73,631	1,734,685	2,468,246	3,120,040
11	Sarawak	Kuching	124,450	1,642,771	2,009,893	2,420,009
12	Selangor	Shah Alam	8,104	2,291,429	3,941,316	5,411,324
13	Terengganu	Kuala Terengganu	13,035	766,244	880,234	1,015,776
14	Federal Territory of Kuala Lumpur	Kuala Lumpur	243	1,145,342	1,305,792	1,627,172
15	Federal Territory of Labuan	Victoria	91	54,241	70,871	85,272
16	Federal Territory of Putrajaya	Putrajaya	49	5,730	11,501	67,964
	total		330,803	18,379,655	23,274,690	27,565,821

source: Department of Statistics, Malaysia.

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Expanded administrative units

code	state administrative district	capital	area (sq.km.)	population 1991-18-14 census	population 2000-07-05 census	population 2010-07-06 census
01	Johor	Johor Bahru	19,210	2,069,740	2,584,997	3,348,283
01	Batu Pahat	Batu Pahat	1,999	294,056	336,509	417,458
02	Johor Bahru	Johor Bahru	1,109	596,255	922,551	1,386,569
03	Kluang	Kluang	2,885	224,424	255,601	298,332
04	Kota Tinggi	Kota Tinggi	3,433	174,425	192,336	193,210
05	Mersing	Mersing	2,856	63,643	67,605	70,894

source: Department of Statistics, Malaysia.

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state code	administrative district	capital	area (sq.km.)	population 1991-18-14 census	population 2000-07-05 census	population 2010-07-06 census
06	Muar	Muar	1,393	188,195	210,682	247,957
07	Pontian	Pontian Kechil	925	129,356	142,697	155,541
08	Segamat	Segamat	2,879	177,561	177,916	189,820
09	Kulaijaya	Kulai	756	108,216	159,427	251,650
10	Ledang	Tangkak	977	113,609	119,673	136,852
02	Kedah	Alor Setar	9,500	1,302,241	1,571,077	1,947,651
01	Baling		1,547	114,485	124,830	135,646
02	Bandar Baharu		272	33,006	37,963	42,341
03	Kota Setar		426	286,005	313,952	366,787
04	Kuala Muda		930	254,372	339,898	456,605
05	Kubang Pasu		954	157,963	185,856	220,740
06	Kulim		768	128,356	190,952	287,694
07	Langkawi		464	42,938	69,681	94,777
08	Padang Terap		1,362	50,726	55,847	62,896
09	Sik		1,653	54,466	59,556	67,378
10	Yan		248	60,483	62,217	68,319
11	Pendang		632	83,092	89,764	94,962
12	Pokok Sena		244	36,349	40,561	49,506
03	Kelantan	Kota Baharu	15,099	1,181,315	1,287,367	1,459,994
01	Bachok		280	98,557	109,384	125,755
08	Gua Musang		8,213	63,816	74,988	85,677
10	Jeli		1,325	32,720	35,988	39,335
02	Kota Bharu		403	366,770	398,835	461,804
09	Kuala Krai		2,287	90,830	91,771	101,370
03	Machang		530	71,584	77,762	89,044
04	Pasir Mas		572	150,035	162,312	180,465
05	Pasir Puteh		425	96,348	104,404	113,069
06	Tanah Merah		884	94,611	101,509	116,880
07	Tumpat		179	116,044	130,414	146,595
04	Melaka	Melaka	1,664	506,321	605,239	788,706
01	Alor Gajah		674	116,653	132,317	173,553
02	Jasin		301	92,771	101,659	131,474
03	Melaka Tengah		689	296,897	371,263	483,679
05	Negeri Sembilan	Seremban	6,686	692,897	829,774	997,071
01	Jelebu		1,360	40,012	37,194	38,081
07	Jempol		1,491	122,033	125,010	116,354
02	Kuala Pilah		1,031	68,180	63,541	65,471
03	Port Dickson		583	92,171	106,630	111,910
04	Rembau		407	34,823	36,848	42,366

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state code	administrative district	capital	area (sq.km.)	population 1991-18-14 census	population 2000-07-05 census	population 2010-07-06 census
05	Seremban	Kuantan	959	263,383	383,530	541,286
06	Tampin		855	72,295	77,021	81,603
06	Pahang		36,137	1,045,003	1,229,104	1,443,365
01	Bentong		1,852	83,965	96,689	112,678
11	Bera		2,225	68,892	77,685	93,084
02	Cameron Highlands		687	25,555	28,077	37,147
03	Jerantut		7,241	74,547	80,685	87,709
04	Kuantan		3,067	255,974	344,319	450,211
05	Lipis		5,432	68,276	73,557	86,200
10	Maran		1,989	110,264	112,606	113,303
06	Pekan	Ipoh	3,727	86,179	97,751	105,822
07	Raub		2,151	73,085	79,488	91,169
09	Rompin		5,296	80,251	102,033	110,286
08	Temerloh		2,471	118,015	136,214	155,756
07	Perak		21,035	1,877,471	1,973,368	2,258,428
01	Batang Padang		2,738	154,686	152,201	173,211
07	Hilir Perak		1,752	202,059	190,868	201,168
10	Kampar		746	78,701	81,387	95,402
04	Kerian		905	148,720	152,911	173,625
03	Kinta	Kangar	1,975	549,198	622,106	735,601
05	Kuala Kangsar		2,574	146,684	144,418	152,590
06	Larut & Matang		1,349	271,882	273,641	315,285
02	Manjung		1,074	168,331	191,132	223,804
09	Perak Tengah		1,295	75,574	82,153	98,897
08	Ulu Perak		6,626	81,636	82,551	88,845
08	Perlis		821	183,824	198,288	227,025
01	Perlis		821	183,824	198,288	227,025
09	Pulau Pinang		1,048	1,064,166	1,231,209	1,520,143
01	Seberang Perai Tengah	George Town	239	236,270	294,051	361,791
02	Seberang Perai Utara		269	224,647	243,938	288,148
03	Seberang Perai Selatan		243	84,771	117,722	165,828
04	Timur Laut		121	395,714	416,369	508,181
05	Barat Daya		176	122,764	159,129	196,195
10	Sabah	Kota Kinabalu	73,631	1,734,685	2,468,246	3,120,040
	Interior Division		18,298	253,497	351,873	419,038
16	Beaufort		1,735	48,742	62,200	68,318

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21	Keningau		3,533	88,456	145,984	172,553
17	Kuala Penyu		453	14,271	16,558	20,346
20	Nabawan		6,089	19,999	23,944	31,633
18	Sipitang		2,732	24,349	29,256	34,680
22	Tambunan		1,347	19,726	27,825	35,307
19	Tenom		2,409	37,954	46,106	56,201
	Kudat Division		4,623	123,034	161,546	186,516
14	Kota Marudu		1,917	42,747	58,862	65,807
13	Kudat		1,287	56,047	70,276	83,123
15	Pitas		1,419	24,240	32,408	37,586
	Sandakan Division		26,644	336,428	536,943	681,093
06	Beluran		7,719	54,539	75,586	106,583
05	Kinabatangan		6,605	45,746	88,697	147,017
04	Sandakan		2,266	222,817	348,930	397,555
24	Tongod		10,054	13,326	23,730	29,938
	Tawau Division		15,848	494,525	618,494	792,416
23	Kunak		1,134	39,873	48,591	60,068
02	Lahad Datu		7,444	118,096	156,297	199,934
03	Semporna		1,145	91,828	108,526	133,939
01	Tawau		6,125	244,728	305,080	398,475
	West Coast Division		8,219	527,201	799,390	1,040,977
09	Kota Belud		1,386	58,259	72,357	90,121
07	Kota Kinabalu		351	209,175	355,435	452,940
12	Papar		1,243	59,473	88,626	123,495
11	Penampang		465	49,242	82,872	122,388
25	Putatan			37,699	48,200	54,615
08	Ranau		3,608	49,358	70,685	95,632
10	Tuaran		1,166	63,995	81,215	101,786
11	Sarawak	Kuching	124,450	1,642,771	2,009,893	2,420,009
	Betong Division		4,181	87,972	97,660	105,635
09	Betong		2,494	50,033	55,625	60,298
10	Saratok		1,687	37,939	42,035	45,337
	Bintulu Division		12,166	107,256	162,253	214,214
19	Bintulu		7,220	86,132	139,012	183,892
20	Tatau		4,946	21,124	23,241	30,322
	Kapit Division		38,933	95,468	98,841	114,924
23	Belaga		19,403	22,284	22,896	37,102
21	Kapit		15,596	55,608	56,709	57,776
22	Song		3,935	17,576	19,236	20,046

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	Kuching Division		4,560	429,516	563,278	681,901
02	Bau		884	35,958	41,824	53,654
01	Kuching		1,863	369,065	494,109	593,671
03	Lundu		1,812	24,493	27,345	34,576
	Limbang Division		7,790	63,175	72,543	84,807
27	Lawas		3,812	29,276	32,726	37,860
26	Limbang		3,978	33,899	39,817	46,947
	Miri Division		26,777	233,331	292,768	358,020
25	Marudi		22,070	71,958	71,713	63,304
24	Miri		4,707	161,373	221,055	294,716
	Mukah Division		6,997	76,855	87,467	110,543
16	Dalat		905	15,539	16,739	18,800
13	Daro		1,956	22,440	26,154	31,538
28	Matu		1,600	12,659	15,004	16,921
17	Mukah		2,536	26,217	29,570	43,284
	Samarahan Division		4,968	164,563	192,398	246,782
29	Asajaya		303	24,380	28,513	31,318
04	Samarahan		407	33,173	46,966	86,275
05	Serian		2,040	71,874	79,632	90,763
06	Simunjan		2,218	35,136	37,287	38,426
	Sarikei Division		4,332	95,431	106,458	116,290
14	Julau		1,703	15,222	17,132	15,685
12	Meradong		719	24,638	26,603	28,672
30	Pakan		925	12,882	14,591	15,135
11	Sarikei		985	42,689	48,132	56,798
	Sibu Division		8,279	214,371	255,430	293,514
18	Kanowit		2,254	25,380	27,143	28,700
31	Selangau		3,795	22,097	21,990	24,412
15	Sibu		2,230	166,894	206,297	240,402
	Sri Aman Division		5,467	74,833	80,797	93,379
08	Lubuk Antu		3,143	26,555	27,834	28,474
07	Sri Aman		2,324	48,278	52,963	64,905
12	Selangor	Shah Alam	8,104	2,291,429	3,941,316	5,411,324
01	Gombak		628	352,649	537,525	682,996
02	Klang		636	406,994	643,436	848,149
03	Kuala Langat		885	130,090	192,176	222,261
04	Kuala Selangor		1,232	123,052	161,168	210,406
05	Petaling		501	633,165	1,184,180	1,782,375
06	Sabak Bernam		1,056	99,824	113,245	106,158

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07	Selangor		612	48,941	97,139	212,050
08	Ulu Langat		840	413,900	864,451	1,141,880
09	Ulu Selangor		1,764	82,814	147,996	205,049
13	Terengganu	Kuala Terengganu	13,035	766,244	880,234	1,015,776
01	Besut		1,234	107,900	120,199	138,169
02	Dungun		2,737	102,897	128,709	149,820
06	Hulu Terengganu		3,882	56,986	62,322	73,048
03	Kemaman		2,581	111,901	137,070	167,824
04	Kuala Terengganu		604	274,489	298,304	336,991
05	Marang		665	69,637	83,284	94,886
07	Setiu		1,332	42,434	50,346	55,038
14	Federal Territory of Kuala Lumpur	Kuala Lumpur	243	1,145,342	1,305,792	1,627,172
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Main cities

name	population 1991-08-14 census	population 2000-07-05 census
Kuala Lumpur	1,145,075	1,297,526
Ipoh	382,633	566,211
Klang (Kelang)	243,698	563,173
Petaling Jaya	254,849	438,084
Selayang	..	426,951
Subang Jaya	..	423,338
Johor Bahru	328,646	384,613
Melaka Bandararaya Bersejarah	295,999	369,222
Kota Kinabalu	208,484	354,153
Shah Alam	101,733	319,612
Kuantan	198,356	283,041
Kuala Terengganu	228,654	250,528
Seremban	182,584	246,441
Kota Bahru	219,713	233,673

source: Department of Statistics, Malaysia

name	population 1991-08-14	population 2000-07-05
	census	census
Taiping	183,165	183,320
Georgetown	219,376	180,573
Kuching Utara	147,729	152,310
Ampang Jaya	..	126,459
Alor Setar	125,026	114,949
Tawau	244,765	..
Sandakan	223,432	..
Sibu	126,384	..
Selayang Baru	124,606	..

source: Department of Statistics, Malaysia

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