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PAPUA NEW GUINEA

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Population by Provinces since 1980 Census.

PROVINCE	Total Population				Annual Growth Rates			
	1980	1990	2000	2011	1980-1990	1980-2000	1980-2011	2000-2011
PAPUA NEW GUINEA	**3,010,727**	**3,761,954**	**5,190,786**	**7,275,324**	**2.2**	**2.7**	**2.9**	**3.1**
SOUTHERN REGION	**588,700**	**771,193**	**1,041,820**	**1,456,250**	**2.7**	**2.9**	**2.9**	**3.0**
Western	78,575	110,420	153,304	201,351	3.4	3.4	3.0	2.5
Gulf	64,120	68,737	106,898	158,197	0.7	2.6	2.9	3.6
Central	116,964	141,195	183,983	269,756	1.9	2.3	2.7	3.5
N.C.D	123,624	195,570	254,158	364,125	4.6	3.6	3.5	3.3
Milne Bay	127,975	158,780	210,412	276,512	2.2	2.5	2.5	2.5
Northern	77,442	96,491	133,065	186,309	2.2	2.7	2.8	3.1
HIGHLANDS REGION	**1,121,258**	**1,373,673**	**1,973,996**	**2,854,874**	**2.0**	**2.8**	**3.0**	**3.3**
Southern Highlands	236,052	317,437	360,318	510,245	3.0	2.1	2.5	3.2
Enga	164,534	235,561	295,031	432,045	3.6	2.9	3.1	3.5
Western Highlands	265,656	336,178	254,227	362,850	2.4	-0.2	1.0	3.2
Chimbu	178,290	183,849	259,703	376,473	0.3	1.9	2.4	3.4
Eastern Highlands	276,726	300,648	432,972	579,825	0.8	2.3	2.4	2.6
Hela *	na	na	185,947	249,449	na	na	na	2.7
Jiwaka *	na	na	185,798	343,987	na	na	na	5.6
MOMASE REGION	**857,773**	**1,027,600**	**1,433,432**	**1,867,657**	**1.8**	**2.6**	**2.5**	**2.4**
Morobe	310,622	380,117	539,404	674,810	2.0	2.8	2.5	2.0
Madang	211,069	253,195	365,106	493,906	1.8	2.8	2.8	2.7
East Sepik	221,890	254,371	343,181	450,530	1.4	2.2	2.3	2.5
West Sepik	114,192	139,917	185,741	248,411	2.0	2.4	2.5	2.6
ISLANDS REGION	**442,996**	**589,488**	**741,538**	**1,096,543**	**2.9**	**2.6**	**2.9**	**3.5**
Manus	26,036	32,840	43,387	60,485	2.3	2.6	2.7	3.0
New Ireland	66,028	86,999	118,350	194,067	2.8	2.9	3.5	4.5
East New Britain	133,197	185,459	220,133	328,369	3.3	2.5	2.9	3.6
West New Britain	88,941	130,190	184,508	264,264	3.8	3.7	3.5	3.3
A.R Bougainville	128,794	154,000	175,160	249,358	1.8	1.5	2.1	3.2

Note: ARB stands for Autonomous Region of Bougainville
(*) denotes New Provinces created after the 2000 census
2000 Census figures for Hela and Jiwaka were extracted from SHP and WHP respectively

Background Note

The population count for each of the 22 provinces and their respective districts is provided in this Brochure. The population count for all the wards in every LLG in the country is currently being prepared and will subsequently be released and be made available in early 2014. The Booklet on the 2011 Final Figures provide more details on population counts by provinces, Districts and the LLGs. These Booklets are available at NSO for interested users who may wish to obtain copies for their own use.

One important indicator provided in this Brochure is a comparative trend on the population growth over the last 4 censuses since 1980. After 31 years the country's population has more than doubled from 3 million to what is now 7.3 million.

The annual growth has consistently remained high at over 2.5 percent annually in the previous 3 censuses and now stands at 3.1 %. The national, regional and provincial annual growth rates are provided in this brochure.

SOUTHERN REGION		2000			2011		
		Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female
01	**Western**	**153,304**	**79,240**	**74,064**	**201,351**	**103,762**	**97,589**
01	Middle Fly	55,853	28,392	27,461	79,349	40,891	38,458
02	North Fly	50,914	27,023	23,891	62,850	32,388	30,462
03	South Fly	46,537	23,825	22,712	59,152	30,483	28,669
02	**Gulf**	**106,898**	**55,529**	**51,369**	**158,197**	**81,814**	**76,383**
01	Kerema	65,498	34,031	31,467	107,231	56,002	51,229
02	Kikori	41,400	21,498	19,902	50,966	25,812	25,154
03	**Central**	**183,983**	**96,062**	**87,921**	**269,756**	**142,231**	**127,525**
01	Abau	38,378	19,819	18,559	55,569	29,321	26,248
02	Goilala	27,345	14,187	13,158	36,092	19,221	16,871
03	Kairuku/Hiri	78,784	41,552	37,232	121,586	64,150	57,436
04	Rigo	39,476	20,504	18,972	56,509	29,539	26,970
04	**NCD**	**254,158**	**138,974**	**115,184**	**364,125**	**194,834**	**169,291**
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05	**Milne Bay**	**210,412**	**109,668**	**100,744**	**276,512**	**143,791**	**132,721**
01	Alotau	74,644	39,551	35,093	99,539	52,076	47,463
02	Samarai-Murua	43,158	22,385	20,773	58,590	30,138	28,452
03	Kiriwina-Goodenough	49,966	25,738	24,228	63,916	33,254	30,662
04	Esa'ala	42,644	21,994	20,650	54,467	28,323	26,144
06	**Northern**	**133,065**	**69,857**	**63,208**	**186,309**	**97,188**	**89,121**
01	Ijivitari	67,975	35,660	32,315	99,762	52,211	47,551
02	Sohe	65,090	34,197	30,893	86,547	44,977	41,570

HIGHLANDS REGION		2000			2011		
		Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female
07	**Southern Highlands**	**360,318**	**183,558**	**176,760**	**510,245**	**263,523**	**246,722**
01	Ialibu/Pangia	50,799	25,950	24,849	63,478	32,913	30,565
02	Imbonggu	60,086	30,984	29,102	80,994	41,250	39,744
03	Kagua/Erave	54,515	27,767	26,748	74,139	39,069	35,070
06	Mendi/Munihu	96,413	49,002	47,411	144,629	74,865	69,764
07	Nipa/Kutubu	98,505	49,855	48,650	147,005	75,426	71,579
08	**Enga**	**295,031**	**153,146**	**141,885**	**432,045**	**224,663**	**207,382**
01	Kandep	47,400	24,203	23,197	73,102	38,013	35,089
02	Kompiam	44,332	23,328	21,004	54,624	28,404	26,220
03	Lagaip/Porgera	91,002	47,909	43,093	158,873	82,614	76,259
04	Wabag	58,750	30,256	28,494	73,649	38,297	35,352
05	Wapenamanda	53,547	27,450	26,097	71,797	37,335	34,462
09	**Western Highlands**	**254,227**	**129,426**	**124,801**	**362,850**	**183,791**	**179,059**
02	Dei	49,767	25,338	24,429	81,016	41,318	39,698
03	Mt. Hagen	86,951	44,733	42,218	123,299	62,787	60,512
05	Mul/Baiyer	56,686	28,852	27,834	83,036	41,886	41,150
07	Tambul/Nebilyer	60,823	30,503	30,320	75,499	37,800	37,699
10	**Chimbu**	**259,703**	**134,928**	**124,775**	**376,473**	**197,307**	**179,166**
01	Chuave	36,074	18,506	17,568	39,021	20,151	18,870
02	Gumine	35,976	18,655	17,321	56,860	30,136	26,724
03	Karimui/Nomane	36,334	18,868	17,466	52,159	27,359	24,800
04	Kerowagi	54,850	28,609	26,241	93,107	48,728	44,379
05	Kundiawa/Gembogl	58,454	30,619	27,835	78,521	41,394	37,127
06	Sina Sina/ Yonggomugl	38,015	19,671	18,344	56,805	29,539	27,266
11	**Eastern Highlands**	**432,972**	**222,851**	**210,121**	**579,825**	**301,048**	**278,777**
01	Daulo	30,960	16,374	14,586	45,783	24,029	21,754
02	Goroka	71,870	37,558	34,312	103,396	53,292	50,104
03	Henganofi	55,768	28,535	27,233	62,904	32,503	30,401
04	Kainantu	91,771	47,424	44,347	126,248	65,723	60,525
05	Lufa	45,868	23,280	22,588	61,057	31,749	29,308
06	Obura/Wonenara	29,688	15,020	14,668	39,919	20,537	19,382
07	Okapa	62,041	31,557	30,484	73,393	38,165	35,228
08	Unggai/Benna	45,006	23,103	21,903	67,125	35,050	32,075
21	**Hela**	**185,947**	**94,773**	**91,174**	**249,449**	**128,895**	**120,554**
04	Komo/Magarima	64,162	32,628	31,534	96,153	49,440	46,713
05	Koroba/Kopiago	69,575	35,855	33,720	73,855	38,478	35,377
08	Tari/Pori	52,210	26,290	25,920	79,441	40,977	38,464
22	**Jiwaka**	**185,798**	**95,271**	**90,527**	**343,987**	**178,418**	**165,569**
01	Anglimp/South Waghi	96,570	49,447	47,123	194,109	101,002	93,107
04	Jimi	37,385	19,555	17,830	71,379	37,381	33,998
06	North Waghi	51,843	26,269	25,574	78,499	40,035	38,464

Note: Hela & Jiwaka are newly created Provinces within the Highlands Region.

MOMASE REGION		2000			2011		
		Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female
12	**Morobe**	**539,404**	**280,710**	**258,694**	**674,810**	**350,902**	**323,908**
01	Bulolo	77,232	41,148	36,084	101,568	52,816	48,752
02	Finschafen	45,287	22,582	22,705	54,672	28,430	26,242
03	Huon	59,523	31,595	27,928	77,564	40,333	37,231
04	Kabwum	41,883	20,062	21,821	43,472	22,605	20,867
05	Lae	119,178	65,136	54,042	148,934	77,446	71,488
06	Markham	49,369	25,330	24,039	62,495	32,497	29,998
07	Menyamya	68,546	34,906	33,640	87,209	45,349	41,860
08	Nawae	35,059	17,941	17,118	44,556	23,169	21,387
09	Tewae/Siassi	43,327	22,010	21,317	54,340	28,257	26,083
13	**Madang**	**365,106**	**190,322**	**174,784**	**493,906**	**257,581**	**236,325**
01	Bogia	57,104	29,541	27,563	75,067	39,035	36,032
02	Madang	86,693	46,056	40,637	110,978	57,709	53,269
03	Middle Ramu	57,879	29,297	28,582	78,892	40,515	38,377
04	Rai Coast	56,299	28,854	27,445	83,218	42,877	40,341
05	Sumkar	67,052	35,365	31,687	84,944	45,021	39,923
06	Usino Bundi	40,079	21,209	18,870	60,807	32,424	28,383
14	**East Sepik**	**343,181**	**172,012**	**171,169**	**450,530**	**225,998**	**224,532**
01	Ambunti/Drekikier	55,397	28,008	27,389	71,491	35,727	35,764
02	Angoram	68,796	34,827	33,969	98,135	50,331	47,804
03	Maprik	57,806	28,698	29,108	72,235	35,931	36,304
04	Wewak	63,965	32,971	30,994	87,761	43,955	43,806
05	Wosera Gawi	49,408	24,084	25,324	62,030	30,807	31,223
06	Yangoru Saussia	47,809	23,424	24,385	58,878	29,247	29,631
15	**West Sepik**	**185,741**	**95,523**	**90,218**	**248,411**	**127,771**	**120,640**
01	Aitape/Lumi	53,382	27,299	26,083	72,319	37,218	35,101
02	Nuku	46,021	23,308	22,713	58,158	29,722	28,436
03	Telefomin	35,587	17,974	17,613	48,882	24,726	24,156
04	Vanimo/Green River	50,751	26,942	23,809	69,052	36,105	32,947

ISLANDS REGION		2000			2011		
		Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female
16	**Manus**	**43,387**	**22,401**	**20,986**	**60,485**	**31,161**	**29,324**
01	Manus	43,387	22,401	20,986	60,485	31,161	29,324
17	**New Ireland**	**118,350**	**62,760**	**55,590**	**194,067**	**102,494**	**91,573**
01	Kavieng	53,421	28,171	25,250	83,162	43,451	39,711
02	Namatanai	64,929	34,589	30,340	110,905	59,043	51,862
18	**East New Britain**	**220,133**	**115,704**	**104,429**	**328,369**	**168,760**	**159,609**
01	Gazelle	89,776	47,885	41,891	129,317	66,428	62,889
02	Kokopo	58,345	30,778	27,567	87,829	45,284	42,545
03	Pomio	44,964	22,968	21,996	71,836	36,865	34,971
04	Rabaul	27,048	14,073	12,975	39,387	20,183	19,204
19	**West New Britain**	**184,508**	**99,015**	**85,493**	**264,264**	**138,942**	**125,322**
01	Kandrian/Gloucester	55,716	28,907	26,809	74,265	38,412	35,853
02	Talasea	128,792	70,108	58,684	189,999	100,530	89,469
20	**A.R Bougainville**	**175,160**	**90,014**	**85,146**	**249,358**	**127,990**	**121,368**
01	North Bougainville	73,091	37,415	35,676	109,023	55,833	53,190
02	Central Bougainville	41,485	21,613	19,872	58,660	30,503	28,157
03	South Bougainville	60,584	30,986	29,598	81,675	41,654	40,021