

# General Population Census of Cambodia 2008

## Final Census Results

### Figures at a Glance

1.	Number of Municipality	1
2.	Number of Provinces	23
3.	Number of Districts	159
4.	Number of Khans	8
5.	Number of Cities	26
6.	Number of Communes	1,417
7.	Number of Sangkats	204
8.	Number of Villages	14,073*
9.	Population by Urban-Rural residence and sex	

Total/ Urban/ Rural	Both sexes	Males	Females
Total	13,395,682	6,516,054	6,879,628
Urban	2,614,027	1,255,570	1,358,457
Rural	10,781,655	5,260,484	5,521,171

10.	Percentage of urban population	19.5
11.	Annual population growth rate (percent)	1.54
12.	Total number of households	2,841,897
13.	Number of normal or regular households	2,817,637
14.	Average household size (based on normal or regular households)	
	Total	4.7
	Urban	4.9
	Rural	4.6
15.	Percentage of female headed households	25.6
16.	Density of population per Km <sup>2</sup>	75
17.	Percentage of population by age group	
	Children (0-14)	33.7
	Economically productive age group (15-64)	62.0
	The elderly population (65+)	4.3
18.	Dependency ratio	
	Total	61.2
	Urban	40.8
	Rural	67.1
19.	Sex ratio (No. of males per 100 females)	
	Total	94.7
	Urban	92.4
	Rural	95.3
20.	Marital status of population aged 15 and over	

Sex	Marital Status (in percentage)				
	Never Married	Married	Widowed	Divorced	Separated
Both sexes	32.7	60.2	5.0	2.0	0.1
Males	37.0	60.8	1.3	0.8	0.1
Females	28.9	59.6	8.3	3.1	0.2

\* Number of villages according to Ministry of Interior is 13,852

Note on administrative names: In this report Municipality refers to the Capital, Phnom Penh. Cities refer to municipalities in Provinces

21. Singulate Mean age at Marriage

Total / Urban / Rural	Males	Females
Total	25.6	23.3
Urban	28.0	25.5
Rural	24.8	22.5

22. Adult literacy rate (percentage of literate persons aged 15 and over to total persons aged 15 and over)

Total / Urban / Rural	Both Sexes	Males	Females
Total	77.6	85.1	70.9
Urban	90.4	94.5	86.8
Rural	74.0	82.5	66.3

23. Educational levels completed by literate persons aged 25 years and over

Educational Level	Percent		
	Both Sexes	Males	Females
No educational Level	3.2	2.4	4.1
Primary not completed	47.2	40.0	55.1
Primary	26.8	29.4	23.9
Lower Secondary	18.8	22.7	14.5
Secondary/Diploma	2.2	2.9	1.4
Beyond and Secondary	1.8	2.6	1.0

24. Percentage of Persons ( aged 6 and over ) in each age group who are attending school/Educational Institution

Age group	Both Sexes	Males	Females
6 +	28.91	31.91	26.10
6 - 14	80.19	80.02	80.38
15 - 19	51.83	56.48	46.90
20 - 24	14.37	18.52	10.40
25+	1.20	1.56	0.90

25. Percentage of students aged 5 years and over who are Attending School /Educational Institute according to Location of Schooling

Same district	98.17
Another district of the same province	1.44
Another province	0.38
Another Country across the border	0.01

26. Percentage of disabled persons in total population

Percentage of disabled persons since birth in total disabled	31.8
Percentage of disabled persons after birth in total disabled	68.2

27.	Percentage Distribution of Disabled Population by Type of disability	Type of disabled	Percent	
		In seeing	29.97	
		In speech	8.68	
		In hearing	7.93	
		In movement	40.83	
		Mental	12.59	
28.	Crude economic activity rate	Both Sexes	52.7	
		Males	52.9	
		Females	52.4	
29.	Economic Activity Rates, Population Aged 7+	Both Sexes	61.8	
		Males	62.5	
		Females	60.9	
30.	Economic Activity Rates, Population Aged 15 – 64	Both Sexes	79.9	
		Males	81.6	
		Females	78.5	
31.	Unemployment Rates	Both Sexes	1.68	
		Males	1.52	
		Females	1.82	
32.	Percentage of population by industrial sector	Primary (Agriculture)	72.3	
		Secondary (Industry)	8.5	
		Tertiary (Services)	19.2	
33.	Percentage of employed persons aged 5 years and over with secondary activity	Both Sexes	52.3	
		Males	51.5	
		Females	53.1	
34.	Percentage persons aged 5 years and over who are working according to Location of Place of Work	At home	2.8	
		Same district	93.3	
		Another district of the same province	2.1	
		Another province	1.5	
		Another country across the border	0.3	
35.	Percentage of migrants (with previous residence outside place of enumeration)		26.5	
36.	Percentage of Residential and Partly Residential Buildings by Nature of Construction			
		<b>Percent</b>		
	<b>Nature of Construction</b>	<b>Permanent</b>	<b>Semi-Permanent</b>	<b>Temporary</b>
	Total	57.0	24.5	18.5
	Urban	86.5	9.3	4.2
	Rural	50.9	27.7	21.4
37.	Percentage of households having access to improved water sources (Including piped water, tube/pipe well , protected dug well and rain water	Total		47.0

	Urban	76.0
	Rural	41.0
38.	Percentage of households having electricity as main source of light (Including city power, generator and both city power and generator)	
	Total	26.4
	Urban	87.0
	Rural	13.1
39.	Percentage of households by main type of fuel used for cooking	
	Firewood	83.6
	Charcoal	7.5
	Kerosene	0.3
	Liquefied Petroleum gas (LPG)	7.9
	Others	0.7
40.	Percentage of households having toilet facility within premises	
	Total	33.7
	Urban	81.5
	Rural	23.2
41.	Total fertility rate (Estimate)	
	Total	3.1
	Urban	2.1
	Rural	3.3
42.	Infant Mortality Rate (Estimate)	60 per 1,000 live births
43.	Maternal Mortality Ratio (Estimate)	461 per 100,000 live births
44.	Life Expectancy at Birth (Estimate)	
	Males	60.5
	Females	64.3