

Table 36

Population in Denmark (census results)

	Central Copenhagen Region ¹	Rest of the Islands	Jutland	Total	Annual increase in per cent	Population per km ²
1769	80 000	366 921	350 663	797 584		20,5
1787	90 032	400 285	351 489	841 806	0.30	21,6
1801	100 975	442 902	385 124	929 001	0.74	23,8
1840	120 819	623 116	545 140	1 289 075	0.86	33,1
1850	129 695	684 077	600 876	1 414 648	0.97	36,3
1860	171 471	744 849	700 206	1 608 362	1.37	41,3
1870	215 047	798 453	788 119	1 784 741	1.10	45,8
1880	287 870	839 168	868 511	1 969 039	1.03	50,5
1890	406 767	870 447	942 120	2 172 380	1.03	55,8
1901	530 697	931 282	1 063 792	2 449 540	1.16	62,9
1911	656 635	999 221	1 198 457	2 757 076	1.26	70,8
1921 ²	700 610	1 068 742	1 334 857	3 104 209	1.26	79,7
1921	700 610	1 068 742	1 498 479	3 267 831	•	76,1
1930	771 168	1 156 126	1 623 362	3 550 656	0.96	82,7
1940	890 130	1 230 882	1 723 300	3 844 312	0.83	89,6
1950	974 901	1 404 281	1 902 093	4 281 275	1.14	99,7
1960	923 974	1 643 114	2 018 168	4 585 256	0.71	106,6
1970	812 457	1 924 593	2 183 916	4 920 966	0.77	114,6
1980	654 437	2 129 762	2 337 866	5 122 065	0.21	118,9
1985	633 412	2 126 674	2 351 022	5 111 108	-0.02	118,6
1990	617 637	2 139 424	2 378 348	5 135 409	0.11	119,2
1995	625 810	2 171 062	2 418 846	5 215 718	0.37	121,0
2000	653 983	2 212 855	2 463 182	5 330 020	0,31	123,7
2001	658 318	2 221 105	2 469 789	5 349 212	0.36	123,7

Note: The 1921 census and later censuses comprise the area of Denmark in accordance with the borders drawn up in the Treaty of Versailles of 28 June 1919. Censuses prior to this comprise the area of Denmark in accordance with the borders drawn up in the Peace Treaty of 30 October 1864.

¹ Frederiksberg and Gentofte Municipalities were first included in the Central Copenhagen Region in 1860 and 1921, respectively; prior to this they were listed as rural districts. ² Excl. South Jutland.

Table 37

Urban and rural population

	1960	1970	1981	1990	2001
	Inhabitants				
Denmark total	4 585 256	4 937 579	5 123 989	5 135 409	5 349 212
The Greater Copenhagen	1 289 406	1 380 204	1 381 882	1 337 114	1 081 673
Urban areas with:					
over 100 000					
inhabitants	307 067	459 669	432 778	452 773	483 225
10 000-99 999					
inhabitants	913 860	998 485	1 024 886	1 067 874	1 368 820
1 000-9 999					
inhabitants	513 030	688 789	1 021 714	1 085 531	1 192 307
500-999					
inhabitants	160 066	202 905	237 774	227 478	242 544
200-499					
inhabitants	209 915	216 105	198 058	185 669	184 277
Rural districts	1 191 912	991 422	826 897	778 970	796 366

¹ In 1999 12 municipalities comprising 40 towns were no longer included in the Greater Copenhagen Region.