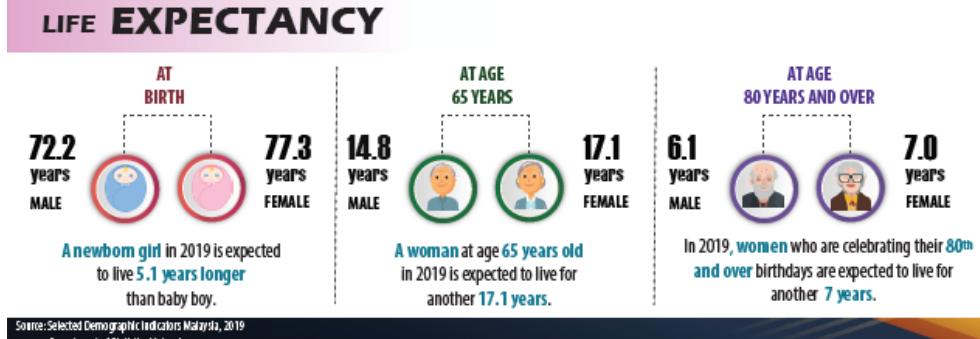
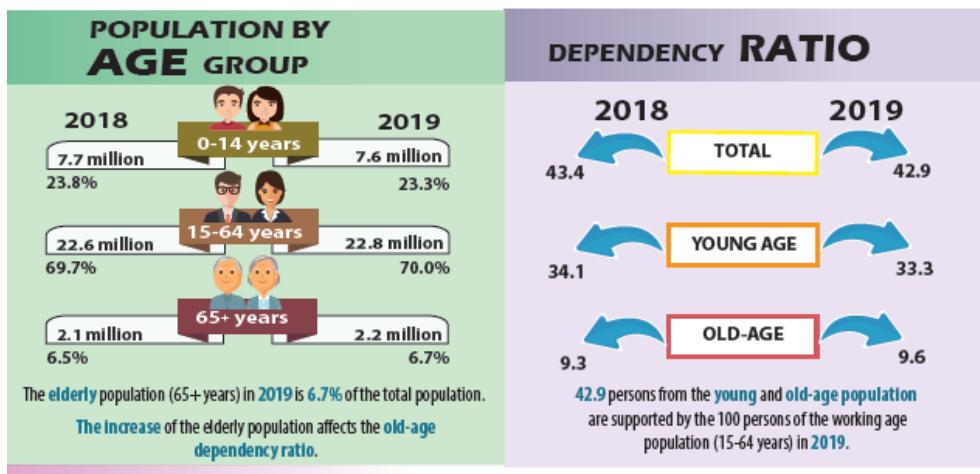
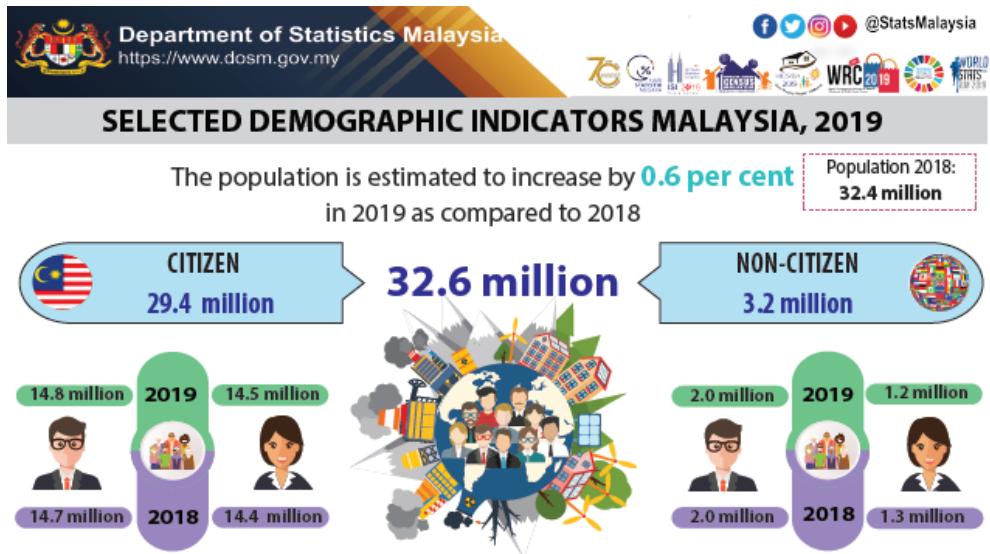




## SELECTED DEMOGRAPHIC INDICATORS MALAYSIA, 2019



## LIVING QUARTERS



In 2019, the number of **living quarters** and **households** increased by **0.1 million** respectively.

## HOUSEHOLDS



## AVERAGE HOUSEHOLD SIZE

The average household size **remained at 4.0 persons** in 2019.



**2019**  
**4.0 persons**  
2018

**2019**

**3.8 persons**  
2018

**URBAN**

The average household size in **rural** is larger than urban.



**2019**  
**4.7 persons**  
2018

**RURAL**

The calculation of the average household size is based on population projections.

## VITAL STATISTICS



**Total Fertility Rate**  
**1.8** children born to a woman aged 15-49 years



**Crude Death Rate**  
**5.4** deaths per 1,000 population



**Under-5 Mortality Rate**  
**8.8** deaths per 1,000 live births



**Crude Birth Rate**  
**15.6** live births per 1,000 population



**Stillbirth Rate**  
**5.5** stillbirths per 1,000 births



**Infant Mortality Rate**  
**7.2** infant deaths per 1,000 live births

The decline in total fertility rate is one of the demographic factors contributing to ageing population.

**Total Fertility Rate** refers to the average number of children which would be born if the women survived to the end of their reproductive period and throughout that period are subject to the schedule of age-specific fertility rates for the given year. [This rate is derived by adding up the age-specific fertility rates of women aged 15-49 years (by five-year age groups) and multiplying by 5].

**Stillbirth Rate** refers to the number of stillbirths per 1,000 births (live births & stillbirths).

**Under-5 Mortality Rate** refers to the number of deaths under 5 years per 1,000 live births.

**Infant Mortality Rate** refers to the number of deaths of under 1 year per 1,000 live births.

The added total may differ due to roundings.

Data for 2019 are estimates.

### Explanatory Notes

**Total Dependency Ratio** refers to the number of persons aged 0-14 years plus persons aged 65 and over per one hundred persons aged 15-64 years. It is the sum of the youth dependency ratio and the old-age dependency ratio.

**Youth Dependency Ratio** refers to the ratio between the population aged 0-14 years to the number of population aged 15-64 years.

**Old-Age Dependency Ratio** refers to the ratio between the population aged 65 years and over to the population aged 15-64 years.

**Life Expectancy** refers to the average remaining age (years) for a person is expected to live at the beginning of a certain age if the age-specific death rates of the given period continued throughout his or her lifetime.

**Crude Birth Rate** refers to the number of live births per 1,000 population.

**Crude Death Rate** refers to the number of deaths per 1,000 population.

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