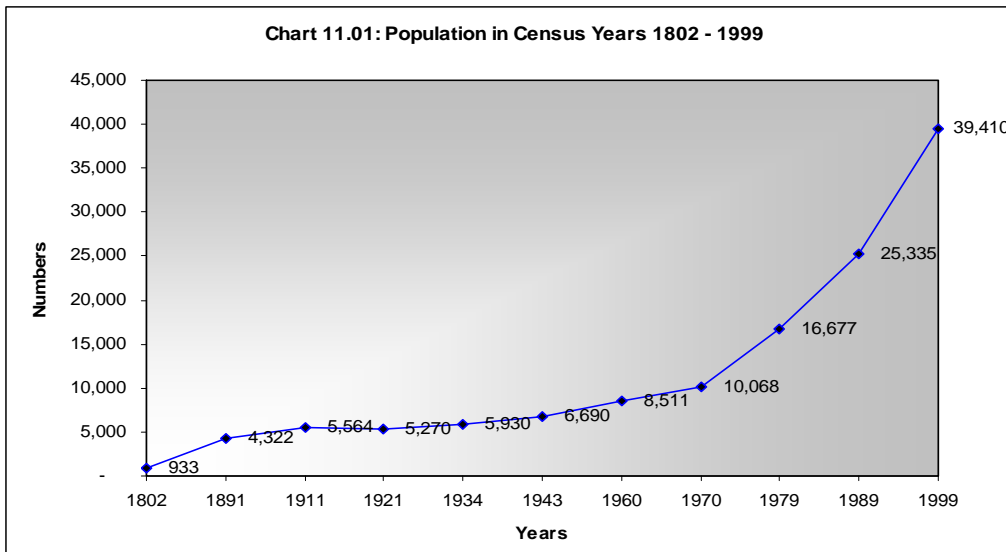


11. POPULATION AND VITAL STATISTICS

11.01a Population Growth in Census Years, 1802 - 1999

Year	Resident Population ¹	Annual Growth ²	Percent Growth
1802	933		
1891	4,322	1.7	363.2
1911 ^R	5,564	1.3	28.7
1921	5,270	(0.5)	(5.3)
1934	5,930	0.9	12.5
1943	6,690	1.0	12.8
1960	8,511	1.4	27.2
1970	10,068	1.7	18.3
1979	16,677	5.8	65.6
1989	25,335	4.3	51.9
1999	39,410	4.5	55.6


Notes:

^R Revised

¹ Residents only, visitors from overseas are excluded.

² Annual average growth is calculated using the formula for geometric growth

The population is thought to have been undercounted in the 1970 census, resulting in an inflated estimate of growth from 1970 to 1979 and a reduced estimate for growth from 1960 to 1970.

Source: Economics and Statistics Office

11.01b Annual Population, 1980 - 2007

Year	Resident Population ¹	Annual Increase	Caymanian	Non-Caymanian	Caymanian (%)	Non-Caymanian (%)
END YEAR ESTIMATES						
1980	17,757	4.3	13,761	3,996	77	23
1981	18,575	4.6	14,031	4,544	76	24
1982	18,889	1.7	14,423	4,466	76	24
1983	19,794	4.8	14,885	4,909	75	25
1984	20,540	3.8	15,221	5,319	74	26
1985	21,104	2.7	15,527	5,577	74	26
1986	21,545	2.1	15,876	5,669	74	26
1987	22,986	6.7	16,289	6,697	71	29
1988	24,353	5.9	16,700	7,653	69	31
1989	25,695	5.5	17,118	8,577	67	33
1990	26,969	5.0	17,654	9,315	65	35
1991	28,039	4.0	18,253	9,786	65	35
1992	29,308	4.5	18,652	10,656	64	36
1993	30,719	4.8	19,487	11,232	63	37
1994	31,931	3.9	20,035	11,896	63	37
1995	33,332	4.4	20,666	12,666	62	38
1996	35,200	5.6	20,768	13,785	59	39
1997	36,600	4.0	21,228	15,372	58	42
1998	38,400	4.9	21,120	17,280	55	45
1999	39,600	3.1	20,988	18,612	53	47
2000	40,800	3.0	21,624	19,176	53	47
2001	41,900	2.7	22,207	19,693	53	47
2002	43,004	2.6	24,892	18,112	58 ***	42
2003	44,144	2.7	26,087	18,057	59	41
2004 *	36,340	(17.7)	22,131	14,209	61	39
2005 **	52,466	44.4	31,787	20,679	61	39
2006	53,172	1.3	32,265	20,907	61	39
2007	53,886	1.3	32,367	21,519	60	40

Notes:

- ¹ Residents only, visitors from overseas are excluded.
- * End of year estimate includes Grand Cayman (Post Ivan) and Cayman Brac estimate. The drop in population level is related to the temporary relocation of residents abroad in the aftermath of hurricane Ivan.
- ** The sharp increase in population is related to the return of residents who left after Ivan, and the increase in the labour force needed for the reconstruction of the country.
- *** During 2002 to 2004 a large number of persons were granted Caymanian Status.

Source: Economics and Statistics Office

11.02 Residents Births and Deaths, 1980 - 2007

Year	Mid-Year Population ('000) ¹	Births		Deaths ⁴	
		Number ²	Rate ³	Number	Rate ³
1980	17.4	326	18.7	96	5.5
1981	18.2	347	19.1	97	5.3
1982	18.7	339	18.1	95	5.1
1983	19.3	387	20.1	95	4.9
1984	20.2	414	20.5	108	5.3
1985	20.8	367	17.6	116	5.6
1986	21.3	360	16.9	129	6.1
1987	22.3	359	16.1	103	4.6
1988	23.7	380	16.0	110	4.6
1989	25.0	438	17.5	113	4.5
1990	26.3	490	18.6	107	4.1
1991	27.5	500	18.2	113	4.1
1992	28.7	520	18.1	116	4.0
1993	30.0	528	17.6	119	4.0
1994	31.3	531	17.0	124	4.0
1995	32.6	485	14.9	110	3.4
1996	34.3	560	16.3	125	3.6
1997	35.9	572	15.9	123	3.4
1998	38.1	545	14.3	117	3.1
1999	39.0	604	15.5	128	3.3
2000	40.2	619	15.4	137	3.4
2001	41.4	622	15.0	132	3.2
2002	42.5	583	13.7	120	2.8
2003	43.6	623	14.3	153	3.5
2004	44.2	611	13.8	185	4.2
2005	48.4	699	14.5	170	3.5
2006	52.0	710	13.7	182	3.5
2007 ⁵	53.2	744	14.0	160	3.0

Notes:

¹ Residents only, including those with work permits.

² Resident births and deaths outside of the Islands are excluded from these figures.

³ Rates are expressed as per thousand of the mid-year population.

⁴ From 1997, figures on deaths include all three Islands

⁵ Of the 744 births in 2007; 378 were males and 366 females.

The sex ratio at birth (males per 100 females) was 103.

Source: General Registry and the Economics and Statistics Office

11.03 Resident Marriages and Divorces, 1970 - 2007

Year	Resident Marriages ¹	Divorces Granted ²	Divorces Filed
1970	85
1975	101
1980	181
1985	176
1987	279	..	80
1988	254	..	102
1989	267	76	140
1990	274	110	131
1991	279	153	38
1992	261	71	121
1993	245	77	164
1994	237	69	149
1995	289	26	140
1996	300	34	144
1997	310	40	151
1998	300	76	168
1999	375	64	156
2000	414 ^R	..	161
2001	341	..	170
2002	321	..	193
2003	344	..	175
2004	337 ^R	..	171
2005	418 ^R	145	200 ^R
2006	529 ^R	158	222 ^R
2007	482	162	229

Note:

^R Revised

¹ Resident marriages mean that either bride, groom or both are residents

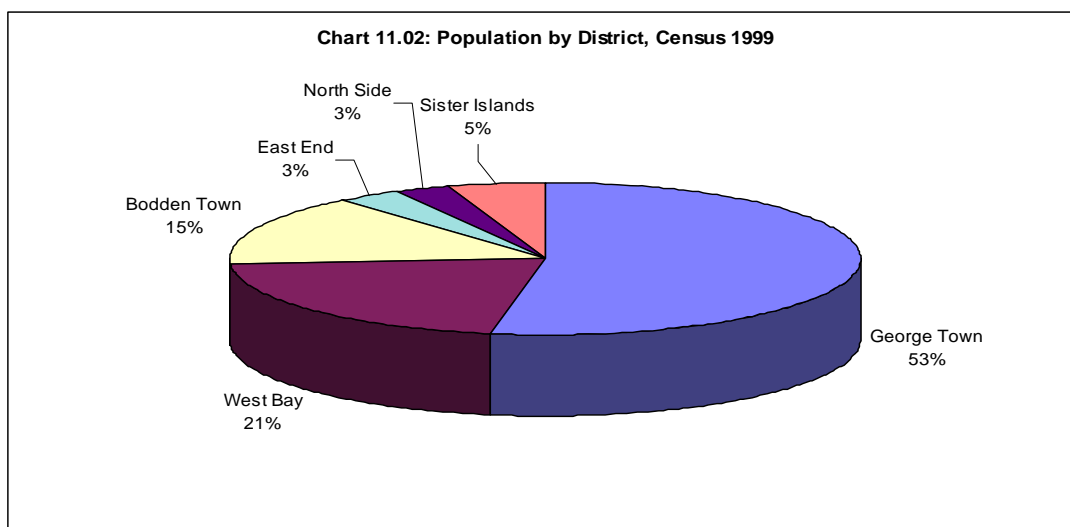
² Some data for divorces granted were not accessible after 1999.

Source: Registrar of Companies and Judicial Department

11.04

Census Population by District, 1970 - 1999

District	1970		1979		1989		1999	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
George Town	3,812	37.9	7,617	45.7	12,921	51.0	20,626	52.9
West Bay	2,720	27.0	3,947	23.7	5,632	22.2	8,243	21.1
Bodden Town	976	9.7	1,594	9.5	3,407	13.4	5,764	14.8
East End	736	7.3	1,083	6.5	1,064	4.2	1,371	3.5
North Side	515	5.1	759	4.6	857	3.4	1,079	2.8
Cayman Brac	1,289	12.8	1,603	9.6	1,441	5.7	1,822	4.7
Little Cayman	20	0.2	74	0.4	33	0.1	115	0.3
TOTAL	10,068	100	16,677	100	25,335	100	39,020	100



Source: Population Census, Economics and Statistics Office

11.05

Census Counts and Growth Rates by Locality, 1979 - 1999

District	1979	1989	1999	Annual % growth*		Percentage growth	
				79 - 89	89 - 99	79 - 89	89 - 99
Cayman Islands	16,677	25,355	39,020	4.3	4.4	52.0	53.9
George Town	7,617	12,921	20,626	5.4	4.8	69.6	59.6
Gov. House - Pageant Beach	368	1,230		12.8		234.2	
North and Central	2,908	3,313		1.3		13.9	
South West	2,401	4,053		5.4		68.8	
S. Sound and East to Spots	1,940	4,325		8.3		122.9	
West Bay	3,947	5,632	8,243	3.6	3.9	42.7	46.4
North	2,167	3,080		3.6		42.1	
South West	1,439	1,967		3.2		36.7	
Boggy Sand Rd. to Gov. House	341	585		5.5		71.6	
Bodden Town	1,594	3,407	5,764	7.9	5.4	113.7	69.2
Savannah/Newlands to Pedro	660	2,171		12.6		228.9	
Bodden Town to Breakers	934	1,236		2.8		32.3	
East End	1,083	1,064	1,371	(0.2)	2.6	(1.8)	28.9
North Side	759	857	1,079	1.2	2.3	12.9	25.9
Kai to Brinkleys	103	88		(1.6)		(14.6)	
Brinkleys to North Side	335	278		(1.8)		(17.0)	
Old Man Bay & Frank Sound Rd.	321	491		4.3		53.0	
Sister Islands	1,677	1,474	1,937	(1.3)	2.8	(12.1)	31.4
Spot Bay to Watering Place	789	611		(2.5)		(22.6)	
Tibbetts Turn to White Bay	637	652		0.2		2.4	
West End and South Coast	177	178		0.1		0.6	
Little Cayman	74	33	115	(7.8)	13.3	(55.4)	248.5

Note:

* Annual % growth is calculated using the formula for geometric growth

Source: Population Census, Economics and Statistics Office

11.06a Population by Age, 1960 - 1999

Age Group	1960	1970	1979	1989	1999
0 - 4	1191	1383	1468	2017	2740
5 - 9	1087	1349	1766	1925	2713
10 - 14	742	1150	1620	1816	2147
15 - 19	664	959	1600	2053	1950
20 - 24	718	661	1533	2274	2393
25 - 29	670	651	1449	2867	4361
30 - 34	548	621	1328	2711	4895
35 - 39	501	558	1055	2357	4543
40 - 44	414	498	1031	1717	3585
45 - 49	432	402	846	1327	2944
50 - 54	342	390	758	1126	2091
55 - 59	278	372	584	878	1356
60 - 64	279	316	476	686	1038
65 - 69	201	252	439	521	797
70 - 74	183	205	299	412	563
75 - 79	124	138	213	307	377
80 - 84	81	94	118	191	255
85+	56	69	94	170	202
NS					70
Total	8,511	10,068	16,677	25,355	39,020
<15	3,020	3,882	4,854	5,758	7,600
15-64	4,846	5,428	10,660	17,996	29,156
65+	645	758	1,163	1,601	2,264
Dependency ratio	75.6	85.5	56.4	40.9	33.8

Note:

The dependency ratio is the number of persons under the age of 15 and over the age of 64 divided by the number of persons in the age group 15-64 years inclusive, in percent.

Source: Population Censuses 1960-1999, Economics and Statistics Office

11.06b Population Distribution by Age, 1960 - 1999

Age Group	<i>Percent of total</i>				
	1960	1970	1979	1989	1999
0 - 4	14.0	13.7	8.8	8.0	7.0
5 - 9	12.8	13.4	10.6	7.6	7.0
10 - 14	8.7	11.4	9.7	7.2	5.5
15 - 19	7.8	9.5	9.6	8.1	5.0
20 - 24	8.4	6.6	9.2	9.0	6.1
25 - 29	7.9	6.5	8.7	11.3	11.2
30 - 34	6.4	6.2	8.0	10.7	12.5
35 - 39	5.9	5.5	6.3	9.3	11.6
40 - 44	4.9	4.9	6.2	6.8	9.2
45 - 49	5.1	4.0	5.1	5.2	7.5
50 - 54	4.0	3.9	4.5	4.4	5.4
55 - 59	3.3	3.7	3.5	3.5	3.5
60 - 64	3.3	3.1	2.9	2.7	2.7
65 - 69	2.4	2.5	2.6	2.1	2.0
70 - 74	2.2	2.0	1.8	1.6	1.4
75 - 79	1.5	1.4	1.3	1.2	1.0
80 - 84	1.0	0.9	0.7	0.8	0.7
85 +	0.7	0.7	0.6	0.7	0.5
NS					0.2
Total	100	100	100	100	100

Source: Population Censuses 1960 - 1999, Economics and Statistics Office

11.07 Population Density, 1989 - 1999

Island	Area Sq. miles	1989 Census		1999 Census	
		Population	Density ¹	Population	Density ¹
Grand Cayman	76	23,881	314	37,473	493
Cayman Brac	15	1,441	96	1,822	121
Little Cayman	11	33	3	115	10
Total	102	25,355	249	39,410	386

Note:

¹ Population density is measured as persons per square mile. In 2007, the population density was estimated to 528 persons per square mile.

11.08 Population by Age and Sex, 1999*

Age group	All		Females		Males		Sex distribution	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Females	Males
Cayman Islands								
All Ages	39,020	100	19,998	100	19,032	100	51	49
Under 15	7,599	19.5	3,768	18.9	3,831	20.1	50	50
15 - 29	8,705	22.3	4,488	22.5	4,217	22.2	52	48
30 - 49	15,967	40.9	8,264	41.3	7,703	40.5	52	48
50 - 64	4,485	11.5	2,217	11.1	2,268	11.9	49	51
65 or over	2,194	5.6	1,215	6.1	979	5.1	55	45
NS	70	0.2	36	0.2	34	0.2	51	49
Grand Cayman								
All Ages	37,083	100	18,993	100	18,090	100	51	49
Under 15	7,243	19.5	3,589	18.9	3,654	20.2	50	50
15 - 29	8,368	22.6	4,335	22.8	4,033	22.3	52	48
30 - 49	15,280	41.2	7,886	41.5	7,394	40.9	52	48
50 - 64	4,209	11.4	2,074	10.9	2,135	11.8	49	51
65 or over	1,913	5.2	1,073	5.6	840	4.6	56	44
NS	70	0.2	36	0.2	34	0.2	51	49
Sister Islands								
All Ages	1,937	100	995	100	942	100	51	49
Under 15	356	18.4	179	18.0	177	18.8	50	50
15 - 29	337	17.4	153	15.4	184	19.5	45	55
30 - 49	687	35.5	378	38.0	309	32.8	55	45
50 - 64	276	14.2	143	14.4	133	14.1	52	48
65 or over	281	14.5	142	14.3	139	14.8	51	50

Note:

* Non-institutionalised population. There were 390 persons in institutions.

Source: Population Census 1999, Economics and Statistics Office

11.09 Population by Status, Age Group and Sex, 2007

Age group	Population	Caymanian	Non-Caymanian
Total	53,885	32,366	21,519
Less than 15	9,270	7589	1,681
15 - 19	2,581	2345	236
20 - 24	2,801	1672	1,129
25 - 34	11,010	4024	6,986
35 - 44	12,161	5590	6,572
45 - 54	7,961	4616	3,345
55 - 64	4,201	2994	1,208
65+	3,750	3402	347
Not Stated	150	134	15
Male	26,772	15,585	11,188
Less than 15	4,361	3,615	746
15-19	1,247	1,164	82
20 - 24	1,322	812	510
25 - 34	5,678	2,000	3,678
35 - 44	6,310	2,700	3,611
45 - 54	3,781	2,178	1,603
55 - 64	2,160	1,412	749
65+	1,864	1,655	209
Not Stated	49	49	-
Female	27,113	16,782	10,332
Less than 15	4,908	3,974	935
15-19	1,335	1,181	153
20 - 24	1,479	861	619
25 - 34	5,332	2,024	3,308
35 - 44	5,851	2,890	2,961
45 - 54	4,180	2,438	1,742
55 - 64	2,041	1,582	459
65+	1,886	1,747	139
Not Stated	101	85	16

Source: Labour Force Survey 2007, Economics Statistics Office