

## Macao at a Glance

### Population and Households

#### Total population

(As at 31 December 2024): 688,300  
Of whom 318,700 were males  
369,600 were females

#### Age structure:

0-14 years old: 12.5 percent  
15 - 64 years old: 72.9 percent  
65 years old and above: 14.6 percent

#### Major nationalities (according to By-census 2021)

Chinese: 89.2 percent  
Filipino: 5.0 percent  
Vietnamese: 1.8 percent  
Portuguese: 1.3 percent

#### Major birthplaces of Macao population (according to By-census 2021)

Macao: 41.3 percent  
Mainland China: 43.8 percent  
Hong Kong: 3.3 percent  
The Philippines: 4.8 percent  
Vietnam: 1.8 percent  
Portugal: 0.3 percent

**Crude birth rate:** 5.3‰

**Crude death rate:** 3.6‰

**Marriage rate:** 4.6 per 1,000 population

**Divorce rate:** 2.0 per 1,000 population

**Ageing index:** 116.6 percent

**Total number of households (as at 31 December 2024): 205,000**

Average persons per household: 2.81

**Total number of households living in apartments (according to By-census 2021): 201,817**

Of which 73.4 percent lived in private housing;  
19.4 percent lived in rented housing;  
1.0 percent lived in housing provided  
by employers.

**Population density:** 20,600 persons per square kilometre

### Geography and Weather

**Longitude:** 113° 31' 41.4" E – 113° 35' 48.5" E

**Latitude:** 22° 06' 36" N – 22° 13' 01.3" N

**Total land area:** 33.3 sq. km

Macao peninsula: 9.3 sq. km

Taipa island: 7.9 sq. km

Coloane island: 7.6 sq. km

COTAI Reclamation Area: 6.1 sq. km

New Urban Zone A, Zone C and the Artificial Island of the Zhuhai-Macao Port of the Hong Kong-Zhuhai-Macao Bridge: 2.4 sq. km

**Coastline:** 79.5 kilometres

#### Altitude:

Highest point on the Macao peninsula: 90 metres (Guia Hill)

Highest point on Taipa island: 158.2 metres (Taipa Grande)

Highest point on Coloane island: 170.6 metres (Alto de Coloane)

**Average temperature:** 23.6°C

**Total rainfall:** 2,029.2 mm

**Average relative humidity:** 82 percent

**Total sunshine:** 2,295.9 hours

### Employment

**Employed population:** 376,300

Of whom 11.7 percent were employed in  
wholesale and retailing  
6.9 percent in construction  
13.6 percent in hotel and catering  
22.0 percent in gaming, entertainment  
and other services industries

**Labour force participation rate:** 67.8 percent

**Unemployment rate:** 1.8 percent

**Underemployment rate:** 1.4 percent

### Motor Roads and Licensed Vehicles

**Total length of motor roads:** 489.7 kilometres

**Newly registered vehicles:** 12,900

**Licensed vehicles:** 253,182

Of which 126,457 were automobiles  
126,656 were motorcycles

### Major Economic Indicators

**GDP at current prices:** 403.314 billion patacas<sup>P</sup>

**GDP (chain volume 2020):** 384.055 billion patacas<sup>P</sup>

**GDP per capita at current prices:** 587,900 patacas<sup>P</sup>

**Median monthly earnings:** 18,000 patacas

**Narrow money supply (M1):** 74.465 billion patacas (at year-end)

**Broad money supply (M2):** 783.979 billion patacas (at year-end)

**Residents' deposits:** 763.302 billion patacas (at year-end)

**Inflation rate (Composite CPI):** 0.74 percent

#### Total merchandise imports and exports

Total imports: 128.667 billion patacas

Total exports: 13.487 billion patacas

Inbound and outbound container movements by land:  
70,376 tonnes

Inbound and outbound container movements by sea:  
194,840 tonnes

Air cargo movements: 108,001 tonnes

Inbound commercial flights: 28,295

### Tourism

**Visitor arrivals:** 34,928,650

By sea: 4,094,585

By land: 27,769,490

By air: 3,064,575

**Hotel and guesthouse occupancy:** 86.3 percent

**Per-capita spending of visitors (excluding gaming):**  
2,157 patacas

#### Conventions and Exhibitions

**Total number of events:** 1,524

**Total participants/ visitors:** 1,332,000

Note: Due to round-up adjustment, the total figures may not exactly equal the sum of individual items.

<sup>P</sup> Provisional figures