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**Table 85 Resident Economically Inactive Persons Aged 15 Years and Over by Age Group, Marital Status, Sex and Ethnic Group**

Age Group (Years)	Number														
	Total			Single			Married			Widowed			Divorced/Separated		
	Total	Males	Females	Total	Males	Females	Total	Males	Females	Total	Males	Females	Total	Males	Females
	Total														
Total	1,025,483	347,486	677,998	351,669	185,183	166,486	542,981	142,026	400,955	112,288	15,148	97,140	18,546	5,129	13,417
15 - 19	215,864	110,680	105,184	215,535	110,680	104,855	316	-	316	-	-	-	13	-	13
20 - 24	80,720	42,098	38,622	75,879	41,879	34,000	4,713	193	4,520	-	-	-	128	26	102
25 - 29	29,494	10,219	19,275	13,355	9,410	3,945	15,972	757	15,215	-	-	-	167	52	115
30 - 34	38,954	3,652	35,302	4,723	2,777	1,945	33,757	823	32,934	38	-	38	436	52	384
35 - 39	52,666	4,053	48,613	4,394	2,267	2,127	47,610	1,606	46,004	102	26	77	560	155	405
40 - 44	60,248	5,843	54,405	5,497	3,050	2,447	53,478	2,497	50,981	269	13	256	1,004	284	720
45 - 49	63,633	7,706	55,928	6,220	3,156	3,064	54,978	4,009	50,970	862	77	785	1,572	464	1,108
50 - 54	71,015	11,862	59,153	6,802	3,290	3,513	58,690	7,940	50,750	2,615	116	2,499	2,908	515	2,392
55 - 59	84,923	23,324	61,600	6,407	2,843	3,564	67,973	19,103	48,870	6,811	515	6,296	3,732	862	2,870
60 - 64	76,051	27,980	48,071	4,027	1,866	2,161	59,123	24,348	34,775	10,015	984	9,031	2,886	783	2,103
65 - 69	82,026	32,499	49,527	3,942	1,631	2,312	58,512	28,339	30,173	17,403	1,841	15,562	2,169	689	1,480
70 - 74	69,853	29,108	40,745	2,561	1,197	1,364	43,069	24,339	18,730	22,683	2,948	19,735	1,541	624	917
75 & Over	100,037	38,463	61,574	2,328	1,138	1,190	44,789	28,073	16,717	51,489	8,628	42,861	1,430	624	806

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Age Group (Years)	Number														
	Total			Single			Married			Widowed			Divorced/Separated		
	Total	Males	Females	Total	Males	Females	Total	Males	Females	Total	Males	Females	Total	Males	Females
	Chinese														
Total	782,405	275,153	507,252	267,715	141,339	126,376	412,668	117,656	295,012	87,838	12,231	75,607	14,184	3,928	10,256
15 - 19	156,398	79,990	76,408	156,265	79,990	76,276	132	-	132	-	-	-	-	-	-
20 - 24	63,363	34,560	28,803	61,637	34,418	27,219	1,662	142	1,520	-	-	-	64	-	64
25 - 29	18,727	8,318	10,409	10,866	7,728	3,139	7,771	564	7,207	-	-	-	90	26	64
30 - 34	23,711	2,856	20,856	3,723	2,153	1,570	19,723	664	19,059	13	-	13	252	39	214
35 - 39	35,619	3,025	32,594	3,327	1,707	1,620	31,865	1,202	30,663	64	26	38	363	90	273
40 - 44	42,098	4,391	37,707	4,269	2,368	1,901	37,141	1,894	35,247	107	-	107	581	129	452
45 - 49	47,575	6,184	41,392	5,119	2,732	2,387	40,585	3,014	37,571	581	64	517	1,290	374	917
50 - 54	54,923	9,842	45,081	5,650	2,722	2,928	45,389	6,617	38,771	1,732	103	1,629	2,152	400	1,752
55 - 59	68,741	19,925	48,816	5,583	2,471	3,112	55,595	16,275	39,320	4,549	425	4,124	3,014	753	2,260
60 - 64	64,255	24,511	39,744	3,497	1,629	1,867	50,715	21,314	29,401	7,676	893	6,782	2,368	674	1,693
65 - 69	67,243	27,500	39,743	3,619	1,483	2,136	49,560	24,006	25,554	12,426	1,508	10,918	1,637	503	1,135
70 - 74	55,985	23,451	32,534	2,189	1,029	1,160	34,984	19,479	15,505	17,572	2,453	15,119	1,240	490	750
75 & Over	83,767	30,602	53,165	1,970	908	1,062	37,546	22,485	15,061	43,119	6,758	36,360	1,133	451	682

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Age Group (Years)	Number														
	Total			Single			Married			Widowed			Divorced/Separated		
	Total	Males	Females	Total	Males	Females	Total	Males	Females	Total	Males	Females	Total	Males	Females
	Malays														
Total	145,751	44,442	101,309	52,975	27,829	25,146	74,916	14,009	60,907	15,078	1,853	13,225	2,782	752	2,030
15 - 19	38,824	20,089	18,735	38,654	20,089	18,565	158	-	158	-	-	-	13	-	13
20 - 24	10,052	4,528	5,524	8,346	4,476	3,870	1,654	26	1,629	-	-	-	51	26	26
25 - 29	4,848	1,042	3,805	1,373	888	486	3,397	129	3,268	-	-	-	77	26	51
30 - 34	6,567	457	6,110	661	405	256	5,727	39	5,688	13	-	13	166	13	153
35 - 39	9,172	567	8,605	668	412	256	8,376	129	8,247	38	-	38	90	26	64
40 - 44	11,158	959	10,198	806	457	350	10,000	361	9,640	81	13	68	269	129	141
45 - 49	10,784	869	9,915	775	263	511	9,676	554	9,122	166	13	153	167	39	128
50 - 54	10,141	1,065	9,076	648	293	354	8,469	681	7,788	563	13	550	462	77	384
55 - 59	10,141	1,943	8,198	388	218	171	7,913	1,609	6,304	1,400	77	1,323	439	39	401
60 - 64	7,358	2,168	5,190	192	64	128	5,332	1,994	3,338	1,511	52	1,460	322	57	265
65 - 69	8,848	3,158	5,689	169	83	86	5,315	2,703	2,612	2,987	212	2,775	378	160	217
70 - 74	8,417	3,183	5,234	180	90	89	4,938	2,771	2,167	3,158	258	2,900	141	64	77
75 & Over	9,442	4,414	5,028	116	90	26	3,959	3,013	947	5,160	1,216	3,944	207	96	111

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Age Group (Years)	Number														
	Total			Single			Married			Widowed			Divorced/Separated		
	Total	Males	Females	Total	Males	Females	Total	Males	Females	Total	Males	Females	Total	Males	Females
	Indians														
Total	78,263	23,168	55,095	25,624	13,331	12,293	43,522	8,579	34,943	7,960	949	7,011	1,158	309	848
15 - 19	17,320	8,943	8,377	17,294	8,943	8,351	26	-	26	-	-	-	-	-	-
20 - 24	5,947	2,480	3,468	4,856	2,454	2,403	1,091	26	1,065	-	-	-	-	-	-
25 - 29	4,959	700	4,259	909	636	273	4,051	64	3,986	-	-	-	-	-	-
30 - 34	6,526	263	6,263	300	193	107	6,213	70	6,143	13	-	13	-	-	-
35 - 39	5,596	372	5,223	348	147	201	5,170	186	4,984	-	-	-	77	39	38
40 - 44	5,522	396	5,126	334	168	166	4,984	216	4,768	64	-	64	141	13	128
45 - 49	4,078	564	3,514	269	129	141	3,603	384	3,220	102	-	102	103	52	51
50 - 54	4,972	842	4,131	461	243	217	3,936	560	3,376	307	-	307	269	39	230
55 - 59	4,961	1,155	3,806	282	103	179	3,727	1,001	2,727	772	13	759	179	39	141
60 - 64	3,758	998	2,760	250	122	128	2,612	811	1,800	764	39	726	133	26	107
65 - 69	4,845	1,482	3,364	77	52	26	2,876	1,283	1,593	1,777	122	1,655	115	26	89
70 - 74	4,386	2,103	2,283	77	39	38	2,604	1,827	777	1,616	212	1,404	90	26	64
75 & Over	5,393	2,870	2,523	167	103	64	2,630	2,152	478	2,545	564	1,981	52	52	-

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Age Group (Years)	Number														
	Total			Single			Married			Widowed			Divorced/Separated		
	Total	Males	Females	Total	Males	Females	Total	Males	Females	Total	Males	Females	Total	Males	Females
	Others														
Total	19,064	4,722	14,342	5,355	2,684	2,671	11,874	1,782	10,092	1,413	116	1,297	422	140	282
15 - 19	3,322	1,658	1,663	3,322	1,658	1,663	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
20 - 24	1,358	531	827	1,039	531	508	306	-	306	-	-	-	13	-	13
25 - 29	960	159	801	206	159	47	754	-	754	-	-	-	-	-	-
30 - 34	2,150	76	2,074	39	26	13	2,094	50	2,044	-	-	-	17	-	17
35 - 39	2,279	89	2,191	51	-	51	2,198	89	2,109	-	-	-	30	-	30
40 - 44	1,470	96	1,374	87	57	30	1,353	26	1,327	17	-	17	13	13	-
45 - 49	1,196	89	1,107	57	31	26	1,113	57	1,056	13	-	13	13	-	13
50 - 54	978	113	865	44	31	13	896	81	814	13	-	13	26	-	26
55 - 59	1,080	301	780	154	52	102	737	218	519	89	-	89	100	31	68
60 - 64	681	305	376	88	50	38	464	229	235	64	-	64	64	26	38
65 - 69	1,090	359	731	77	13	64	761	346	415	214	-	214	38	-	38
70 - 74	1,066	371	695	115	39	77	543	262	281	337	26	311	70	44	26
75 & Over	1,435	577	858	75	37	38	655	424	231	666	90	576	39	26	13

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**Table 86 Resident Economically Inactive Persons Aged 15 Years and Over by Age Group, Highest Qualification Attained and Sex**

Age Group (Years)	Total			Below Secondary			Secondary			Post-Secondary*			University		
	Total	Males	Females	Total	Males	Females	Total	Males	Females	Total	Males	Females	Total	Males	Females
Total	756,106	210,846	545,261	499,491	136,084	363,407	128,551	32,975	95,577	87,773	32,038	55,735	40,291	9,749	30,542
15 - 19	16,119	9,570	6,549	3,038	1,674	1,364	7,381	4,354	3,028	5,699	3,542	2,157	-	-	-
20 - 24	22,608	13,993	8,615	3,949	1,419	2,531	4,648	2,341	2,307	12,745	9,905	2,839	1,266	328	938
25 - 29	20,841	4,059	16,782	6,840	1,287	5,553	4,843	963	3,879	5,122	1,207	3,915	4,036	601	3,435
30 - 34	37,557	3,064	34,493	12,593	1,166	11,427	8,939	912	8,027	8,299	691	7,608	7,726	295	7,431
35 - 39	51,901	3,715	48,186	20,542	1,970	18,572	13,920	714	13,205	10,160	603	9,557	7,279	428	6,851
40 - 44	59,810	5,627	54,183	29,709	3,497	26,212	17,375	1,145	16,230	8,171	641	7,530	4,555	343	4,212
45 - 49	63,431	7,623	55,808	38,029	5,031	32,998	16,429	1,443	14,985	6,121	720	5,401	2,851	428	2,423
50 - 54	70,976	11,836	59,140	48,527	7,352	41,175	14,373	2,228	12,145	5,670	1,480	4,189	2,407	775	1,632
55 - 59	84,898	23,311	61,587	60,441	14,186	46,255	14,680	4,616	10,064	6,958	2,981	3,977	2,820	1,528	1,291
60 - 64	76,051	27,980	48,071	56,769	18,321	38,448	9,742	4,267	5,475	6,851	3,699	3,152	2,690	1,693	996
65 - 69	82,026	32,499	49,527	66,490	23,408	43,082	7,422	4,364	3,058	5,919	3,203	2,716	2,195	1,524	671
70 - 74	69,853	29,108	40,745	61,531	23,682	37,849	4,067	2,727	1,339	3,021	1,775	1,246	1,235	923	311
75 & Over	100,037	38,463	61,574	91,033	33,092	57,941	4,734	2,899	1,835	3,038	1,590	1,447	1,232	882	350

Note: Data exclude students.

\*Comprises Upper Secondary, Polytechnic and Other Diploma.

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**Table 87 Resident Economically Inactive Persons Aged 15 Years and Over by Age Group, Economic Activity Status and Sex**

Age Group (Years)	Total			Homemakers			Retired			Students			Others		
	Total	Males	Females	Total	Males	Females	Total	Males	Females	Total	Males	Females	Total	Males	Females
Total	1,025,483	347,486	677,998	323,086	4,525	318,561	270,092	126,906	143,186	269,377	136,640	132,737	162,928	79,414	83,514
15 - 19	215,864	110,680	105,184	457	13	444	-	-	-	199,745	101,110	98,634	15,662	9,557	6,105
20 - 24	80,720	42,098	38,622	3,589	26	3,564	-	-	-	58,112	28,106	30,006	19,018	13,967	5,052
25 - 29	29,494	10,219	19,275	12,821	57	12,764	-	-	-	8,653	6,160	2,493	8,020	4,001	4,019
30 - 34	38,954	3,652	35,302	29,728	166	29,562	-	-	-	1,397	588	809	7,828	2,898	4,931
35 - 39	52,666	4,053	48,613	43,393	352	43,041	-	-	-	765	338	428	8,508	3,363	5,145
40 - 44	60,248	5,843	54,405	48,055	411	47,644	-	-	-	438	216	222	11,755	5,216	6,539
45 - 49	63,633	7,706	55,928	46,798	636	46,163	554	554	-	203	83	120	16,078	6,433	9,646
50 - 54	71,015	11,862	59,153	47,878	586	47,292	2,752	2,726	26	39	26	13	20,347	8,524	11,823
55 - 59	84,923	23,324	61,600	36,781	905	35,876	27,362	12,498	14,864	26	13	13	20,754	9,908	10,847
60 - 64	76,051	27,980	48,071	20,751	739	20,013	42,186	20,444	21,742	-	-	-	13,114	6,798	6,316
65 - 69	82,026	32,499	49,527	14,825	295	14,530	59,329	28,781	30,548	-	-	-	7,872	3,423	4,449
70 - 74	69,853	29,108	40,745	9,352	168	9,184	54,636	26,392	28,244	-	-	-	5,866	2,549	3,317
75 & Over	100,037	38,463	61,574	8,658	173	8,485	83,273	35,511	47,762	-	-	-	8,106	2,779	5,327

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**Table 88 Resident Economically Inactive Persons Aged 15 Years and Over by Highest Qualification Attained, Economic Activity Status and Sex**

Highest Qualification Attained	Number											
	Total			Homemakers			Retired			Others		
	Total	Males	Females	Total	Males	Females	Total	Males	Females	Total	Males	Females
Total	756,106	210,846	545,261	323,086	4,525	318,561	270,092	126,906	143,186	162,928	79,414	83,514
Below Secondary	499,491	136,084	363,407	195,406	2,732	192,674	216,199	93,788	122,411	87,886	39,564	48,322
Secondary	128,551	32,975	95,577	69,663	849	68,814	26,277	15,847	10,430	32,611	16,279	16,332
Post-Secondary*	87,773	32,038	55,735	35,676	616	35,061	19,523	11,270	8,253	32,574	20,153	12,421
University	40,291	9,749	30,542	22,341	329	22,012	8,093	6,002	2,092	9,857	3,419	6,438

Note: Data exclude students.

\*Comprises Upper Secondary, Polytechnic and Other Diploma.

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**Table 89 Resident Economically Inactive Persons Aged 15 Years and Over by Marital Status, Economic Activity Status and Sex**

Marital Status	Total			Homemakers			Retired			Students			Others		
	Total	Males	Females	Total	Males	Females	Total	Males	Females	Total	Males	Females	Total	Males	Females
Total	1,025,483	347,486	677,998	323,086	4,525	318,561	270,092	126,906	143,186	269,377	136,640	132,737	162,928	79,414	83,514
Single	351,669	185,183	166,486	6,775	913	5,861	11,658	5,903	5,755	266,242	135,522	130,720	66,995	42,845	24,150
Married	542,981	142,026	400,955	290,014	3,348	286,666	172,788	104,876	67,912	3,054	1,118	1,936	77,124	32,684	44,440
Widowed	112,288	15,148	97,140	20,977	193	20,783	78,607	13,489	65,118	-	-	-	12,704	1,466	11,238
Divorced/Separated	18,546	5,129	13,417	5,320	70	5,250	7,039	2,639	4,401	81	-	81	6,104	2,420	3,685