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### Complete Life Tables for Singapore Resident Population 2023-2024

#### ***Life Expectancy in 2024 Improved Compared to 2023 and a Decade Ago***

1. According to the “Complete Life Tables for Singapore Resident Population, 2023-2024” report released by the Singapore Department of Statistics (DOS) on 27 May 2025, life expectancy in 2024 improved for the Singapore resident population compared to 2023 and a decade ago.
2. In 2024, life expectancy at birth for Singapore residents was 83.5 years<sup>1</sup>, up 0.3 years from 83.2 years in 2023<sup>2</sup>. It improved 0.9 years over the last decade, up from 82.6 years in 2014.
3. Similarly, life expectancy at age 65 years improved by 0.3 years, from 20.9 years in 2023 to 21.2 years in 2024. It increased by 0.6 years over the last ten years, from 20.6 years in 2014.

#### ***Improvements in Life Expectancy for Both Males and Females***

4. The resident male and female life expectancies at birth were 81.2 years and 85.6 years respectively in 2024, an improvement of 0.2 years for males and 0.3 years for females from 2023. Over the last decade, male life expectancy improved by 0.9 years from 80.3 years in 2014, while female life expectancy improved by 0.8 years from 84.8 years in 2014.
5. Similarly, the resident life expectancies at age 65 years improved from 18.8 years in 2014 to 19.5 years in 2024 for males and from 22.1 years in 2014 to 22.7 years in 2024 for females.
6. The report on “Complete Life Tables for Singapore Resident Population, 2023-2024” and accompanying materials are available on the SingStat Website at <https://www.singstat.gov.sg/publications/population/complete-life-table>.

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<sup>1</sup> Data for 2024 are preliminary.

<sup>2</sup> Life expectancy for 2023 were affected by higher mortality rates arising from the COVID-19 pandemic. As these higher mortality rates are assumed to apply throughout a lifetime, life expectancy data for 2023 may not accurately represent the number of years individuals can expect to live, if mortality rates return to pre-pandemic levels.

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