**Drinking water** 77.3% of all household's main source of drinking water is classified as an

improved water source. At the Union level it is lower at 69.5%.

#### Childhood mortality $\overline{\mathbf{i}}$ In Yangon Region, 44 out of 1.000 infants

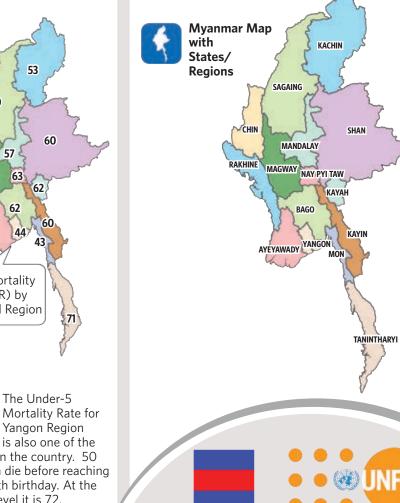
die before their first birthday (Infant Mortality Rate IMR) which is among the lowest in the country and significantly lower than the Union level IMR of 62.



#### Housing amenities

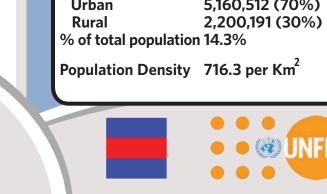
69.3% of households use electricity as their main source of energy for lighting; there are wide disparities between State/Region and urban and rural areas. At the Union level it is considerably lower at 32.4%.

Only 26.2% of households use firewood as their main source of energy for cooking. At the Union level it is 69.2%.

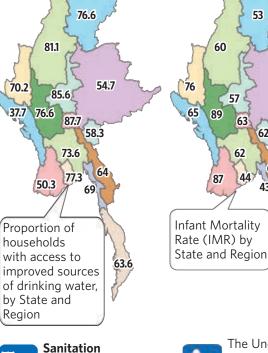


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I	Yangon Region Figures at a Glance		
	Population (March 2014)		
	Total	7,360,703	
	Male	3,516,403 (47.8%)	
	Female	3,844,300 (52.2%)	
	Sex ratio	92 males per 100 females	
	Urban	5,160,512 (70%)	
	Rural 2,200,191 (30%) % of total population 14.3%		
	Population Density		

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91.1% of all households have

toilets that are classified as improved sanitation facilities. At the Union level the figure is lower at 74.3%.



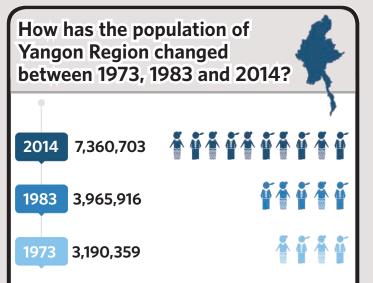
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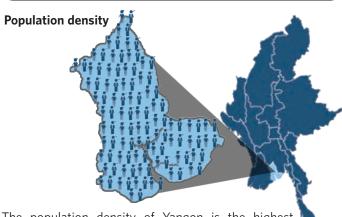
A person in Yangon Region lives on average until the age of 71.2 years, higher than the Union life expectancy of 66.8 years.



The Main Census Results can be downloaded at: www.dop.gov.mm or http://myanmar.unfpa.org/census

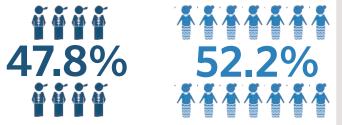


The population of Yangon Region is the highest in size when compared with other States/Regions in the country.



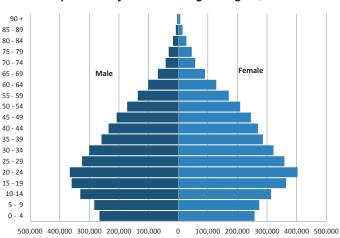
The population density of Yangon is the highest in the country with 716 persons per Km<sup>2</sup>. This is approximately nine times higher than the Union level population density of 76 persons per Km<sup>2</sup>.

### Population composition



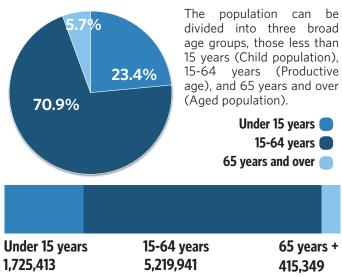
47.8% of the population are male and 52.2% are female.

#### Population Pyramid of Yangon Region, 2014



The population pyramid for Yangon Region in 2014 shows a narrow base and a bulge in the working age population. The bulge in the working age population may be attributed to migration to the city by populations from other States/Regions, while the narrow base may be due to declining birthrates.

#### Proportion of broad age groups in the total population



#### **Dependency Ratio**

In Yangon Region the Total Dependency Ratio was 41.1 in 2014. The dependency ratio measures the pressure on the productive population. The Total Dependency Ratio at the Union Level was 52.5 in 2014.



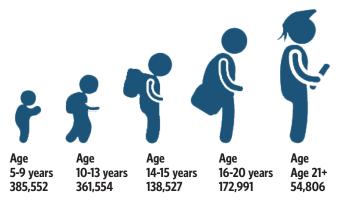
# Literacy

Out of 5,271,946 people aged fifteen years and over, 5,095,313 reported that they were able to read and write. The literacy rate for Yangon Region is 96.6%, higher than the Union literacy rate of 89.5%. Literacy rates are higher for males (98%) than females (95.5%).

#### School attendance



Out of a population of 6,431,752 persons aged 5 years and over living in conventional households, 1,113,430 are currently attending school.





#### Labour force participation rate

63.1% of all people who are of working age (15-64) were in the labour force. The proportion of males in the labour force is considerably higher (81.8%) than females (46.4%).

# Housing conditions

