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The population of Seychelles stood at 93,144 at December 2015, indicating a growth rate of 1.1% over 2014. A total of 1,592 births and 703 deaths were recorded. Of the 703 deaths, 17 were infant deaths and the infant mortality rate stood at 10.7 per thousand live births compared to 10.9 in 2014. The total fertility rate stands at 2.4 and the life expectancy is 74 years.

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AGE SPECIFIC FERTILITY RATES, 2000-2015

Table 5

Group	Births per women															
	2000	2001	2002 ⁽²⁾	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010 ⁽³⁾	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015
10 - 14	0.001	0.001	0.001	0.001	0.000	0.001	0.001	0.002	0.001	0.001	0.001	0.001	0.001	0.001	0.002	0.002
15 - 19	0.055	0.059	0.057	0.060	0.054	0.059	0.054	0.063	0.063	0.073	0.062	0.070	0.067	0.065	0.067	0.069
20 - 24	0.113	0.112	0.105	0.117	0.111	0.118	0.103	0.096	0.105	0.124	0.121	0.134	0.137	0.152	0.131	0.136
25 - 29	0.107	0.103	0.105	0.097	0.104	0.114	0.129	0.142	0.146	0.133	0.104	0.114	0.122	0.108	0.127	0.131
30 - 34	0.080	0.073	0.076	0.078	0.076	0.083	0.079	0.075	0.085	0.083	0.079	0.086	0.092	0.083	0.074	0.079
35 - 39	0.046	0.040	0.053	0.046	0.047	0.052	0.044	0.053	0.053	0.049	0.053	0.055	0.049	0.052	0.052	0.050
40 - 44	0.013	0.008	0.010	0.011	0.012	0.013	0.009	0.016	0.011	0.014	0.017	0.016	0.016	0.014	0.015	0.016
45 - 49	0.001	0.000	0.000	0.001	0.001	0.001	0.000	0.001	0.001	0.001	0.000	0.000	0.001	0.001	0.001	0.001
Total																
Fertility⁽⁴⁾	2.08	1.98	2.04	2.06	2.01	2.20	2.11	2.24	2.33	2.38	2.17	2.38	2.42	2.37	2.34	2.41

Source: National Bureau of Statistics

Notes:

(1) From 1994 -2001 the population estimates are based on smoothed 1994 Census data

(2) From 2002-2009 the population estimates are based on the 2002 Census results

(3) From 2010 the population estimates have been adjusted and rebased using the 2010 Census results

(4) Total fertility = Total number of children born to a woman who passes through childbearing ages experiencing current age-specific fertility rates