

## Census Results in Brief

	1995	2005		1995	2005
<b>Population Size, thousands</b>			<b>Education, Aged 6+, %</b>		
Total	<b>4 575</b>	<b>5 621</b>	Never been to school	38	23
Females	2 314	2 821	Currently at school	25	28
Males	2 261	2 800	Left school (incomplete)	20	20
			Left school (complete)	17	27
<b>Urban/Rural Population, %</b>			<b>Children Aged 6-16 Attending School, %</b>		
Urban areas	17	27.1	Girls	56	68
Rural areas	83	72.8	Boys	66	75
<b>Sex Ratio</b>			<b>Population Aged 10+, %</b>		
Males per 100 Females	97.7	99.3	<i>In Labour Force</i>	<b>70</b>	<b>66.6</b>
<b>Population Density</b>			Paid Employee and Employer	10	12
Persons per sq.km	19.3	23.7	Own Account Worker	55	42
<b>Age Composition, %</b>			Unpaid Family Worker	33	46
0-14 years	44	39	Unemployed	2	1
15-64 years	52	57	<i>Not in Labour Force</i>	<b>30</b>	<b>32.4</b>
65+ years	4	4	Students	69	69.8
<b>Marital Status</b>			Household duties	13	13.6
Never married	59	57	Retired/Sick/Too Old/Other	18	16.6
Married	36	38	<b>Households (%) Using for Cooking</b>		
Divorced/separated	2	1	Electrified Dwelling Unit	<b>25</b>	<b>57</b>
Widowed	3	3	Safe Water	15	35
<b>Citizenship, %</b>			Tenure Status Owner	97	96
Lao citizens	99.5	99.6	Toilet Facilities	29	49
Foreign citizens	0.5	0.2	<b>Households (%) Using for Cooking</b>		
<b>Religion, %</b>			Wood	93	79
Buddhist	65	67	Charcoal	4	15
Christian	1	2	Electricity	2	1
Other	33	31	<b>Fertility</b>		
<b>Households</b>			Crude Birth Rate, per thousand	41.3	34.7
In Collective, %	1.5	2	Average Number of Children per Women (TFR)	5.6	4.5
In Private, %	98.5	98	<b>Mortality, per thousand</b>		
Average household size	6.0	5.8	Crude Death Rate (CDR)	15.1	9.8
<b>Head of Households, %</b>			Infant Mortality Rate (IMR)	104	70
Females	11	10	Child Mortality Rate(CMR)	170	98
Males	89	89	<b>Life Expectancy at Birth, years</b>		
<b>Literacy, Aged 15+, %</b>			Females	52	63
Literate	60	73	Males	50	59
Non-literate	40	27			