**Hardap Region**

**Population size:**

The preliminary results show that the 2023 total population of Namibia was 3,022,401. The figure further shows that Namibia’s population has been increasing since the 1991 Census, from **1,409,920** to **3,022,401** in 2023, representing an increase of 114.4 percent over a period of 32 years. The Hardap population contributes **106 680** to the Namibian Population count. There are about **50.9%** males and **49.1%** females in Hardap.

**Table 1: Hardap Population by Sex**

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| --- | --- | --- | --- |
| **Hardap** |  **Total Population**  | **Male**  | **Female** |
| 106 680 | 54 323 | 52 357 |

**Figure 1: Hardap Population by Sex**

**Table 2: Hardap Population by Constituency**

|  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- |
| **Constituency** | **Total Population** | **Male** | **Female** |
| Aranos | 10 722 | 5 597 | 5 125 |
| Daweb | 6 092 | 3 197 | 2 895 |
| Gibeon | 8 034 | 4 342 | 3 692 |
| Mariental Rural | 12 812 | 6 658 | 6 154 |
| Mariental Urban | 18 368 | 9 319 | 9 049 |
| Rehoboth East Urban | 29 299 | 14 308 | 14 991 |
| Rehoboth West | 9 439 | 5 182 | 4 257 |
| Rehoboth West Urban | 11 914 | 5 720 | 6 194 |

 **Figure 2: Hardap Population by Constituency**

 **Table 3: Population density (Persons per sq.km) by constituency, Namibia 2023 Census**

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| --- | --- | --- | --- |
| **Constituency** | **Total** | **Area in km2** | **Persons per km2** |
| Aranos | 10 722 | 26 724.24 | 0.4 |
| Daweb | 6 092 | 40 209.89 | 0.2 |
| Gibeon | 8 034 | 10 156.39 | 0.8 |
| Mariental Rural | 12 812 | 15 036.72 | 0.9 |
| Mariental Urban | 18 368 | 4 916.11 | 3.7 |
| Rehoboth East Urban | 29 299 | 287.73 | 101.8 |
| Rehoboth Rural | 9 439 | 12 056.76 | 0.8 |
| Rehoboth West Urban | 11 914 | 325.45 | 36.6 |

**Table 4: Hardap population by town and sex**

|  |  |  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| **Town** | **Total** | **male** | **Female** | **Area in km2** | **Persons per km2** |
| Aranos | 5 493 | 2 708 | 2 785 | 66.7050 | 82.3 |
| Gibeon | 4 120 | 1 897 | 2 223 | 92.5720 | 44.5 |
| Gochas | 1 868 | 897 | 971 | 40.0191 | 46.7 |
| Kalkrand | 1 602 | 745 | 857 | 171.1509 | 9.4 |
| Maltahohe | 3 464 | 1 647 | 1 817 | 174.7371 | 19.8 |
| Mariental | 15 475 | 7 358 | 8 117 | 34.4423 | 449.3 |
| Rehoboth | 40 788 | 19 806 | 20 982 | 595.8786 | 68.5 |
| Stampriet | 3 388 | 1 695 | 1 693 | 139.5958 | 24.3 |

**Table 5: Hardap household numbers and average household size by constituency**

|  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- |
| **Constituency** | **Number of households** | **Persons per household** |
| Aranos | 2 931 | 3.6 |
| Daweb | 1 496 | 3.3 |
| Gibeon  | 2 331 | 3.2 |
| Mariental Rural  | 3 515 | 3.5 |
| Mariental Urban  | 4 350 | 3.9 |
| Rehoboth East Urban | 7 387 | 3.9 |
| Rehoboth Rural | 8 414 | 2.9 |
| Rehoboth West Urban | 3 292 | 3.6 |

**Table 6 Settlement Population by sex, in-house socio-economic survey**

|  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- |
| **Settlement** | **Total Population** | **Male** | **Female** |
| Hoachanas | 2115 | 995 | 1120 |
| Klein Aub | 610 | 302 | 308 |
| Kriess | To be conducted | - | - |
| Schlip | 1227 | 570 | 657 |