

- As of the second quarter of 2008, the total population was 105,522 persons. The population increased with 15.9 percent since the census held in 2000.
- Especially in the younger age categories, 0-9 years, the numbers decreased. At the end of the second quarter there are 6 percent less children aged 0 thru 9.
- As for the elderly population aged 65+, they increased with about 45 percent since the last census.
- The working age population, 15 to 64 years, totaled 74,610 persons.

Figure 1. Population growth 2000-2nd quarter 2008

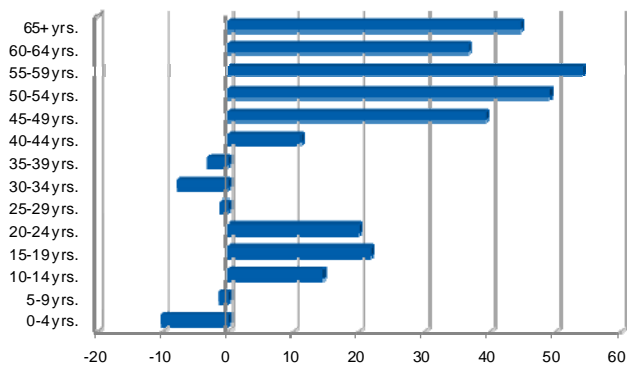
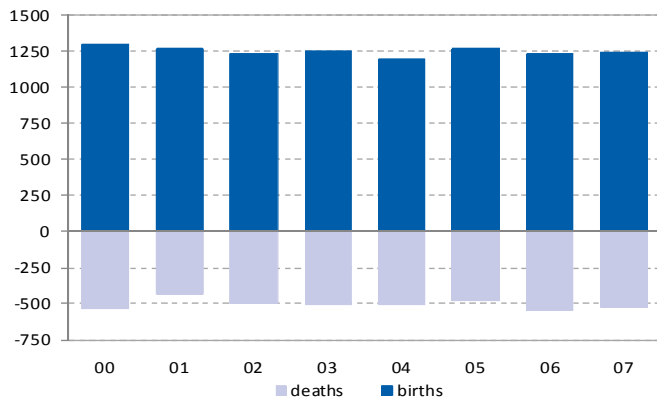


Figure 2. Absolute number of births and deaths, 2000-2007



- During the first two quarters of 2008 there were 539 babies registered at the Population Registry Office.
- About 10 percent of these babies were born to a teenage mother.
- 52 percent of the registered babies were born out of wedlock.
- By the end of the second quarter of 2008 252 persons passed away.
- The greater majority of the deaths, 77 percent, were older than 60 years old.

Table 1 Population by age and sex

	End of year		1 st Q 2008	2 nd Q 2008		Total	Index (2000=100)
	2006	2007		Male	Female		
0-4 yrs.	6,408	6,381	6,364	3,232	3,084	6,316	-10.14
5-9 yrs.	7,339	7,141	7,127	3,584	3,505	7,089	-1.41
10-14 yrs.	7,736	7,770	7,783	3,948	3,823	7,770	14.38
15-19 yrs.	7,258	7,415	7,491	3,805	3,744	7,549	21.69
20-24 yrs.	5,980	6,017	6,089	3,065	3,085	6,150	19.96
25-29 yrs.	6,349	6,253	6,281	2,999	3,303	6,301	-1.28
30-34 yrs.	7,477	7,288	7,286	3,401	3,842	7,243	-7.75
35-39 yrs.	8,910	8,880	8,859	4,180	4,663	8,843	-3.09
40-44 yrs.	9,765	9,500	9,490	4,466	4,998	9,463	11.02
45-49 yrs.	9,385	9,630	9,694	4,633	5,130	9,763	39.24
50-54 yrs.	7,589	7,926	8,043	3,762	4,388	8,151	49.08
55-59 yrs.	5,860	6,194	6,286	3,002	3,371	6,373	54.11
60-64 yrs.	4,369	4,634	4,701	2,199	2,575	4,774	36.63
65-69 yrs.	3,366	3,476	3,508	1,635	1,912	3,546	34.23
70-74 yrs.	2,576	2,663	2,691	1,141	1,590	2,730	58.73
75-79 yrs.	1,591	1,786	1,798	737	1,077	1,815	71.43
80-84 yrs.	843	829	847	344	535	879	22.42
85-89 yrs.	400	458	467	182	291	473	24.83
90-94 yrs.	192	193	198	50	151	201	23.84
95+ yrs.	93	89	90	21	71	92	86.39
Total	103,488	104,523	105,091	50,385	55,137	105,522	15.88

Source: Population Registry Office

Table 2 Live births by age of mother

	End of year		YTD 2008	2 nd Q			
	2006	2007		2005	2006	2007	2008
< 15 yrs.	3	3	1	0	2	1	0
15-19 yrs.	152	149	54	24	31	33	23
20-24 yrs.	309	305	145	71	69	68	63
25-29 yrs.	316	314	111	86	64	75	58
30-34 yrs.	234	280	121	66	58	71	64
35-39 yrs.	165	149	87	33	29	40	43
40-44 yrs.	47	36	20	7	7	10	10
45-49 yrs.	1	2	0	1	0	0	0
50+ yrs.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Not reported	0	1	0	0	0	1	0
Total	1,227	1,239	539	288	260	299	261

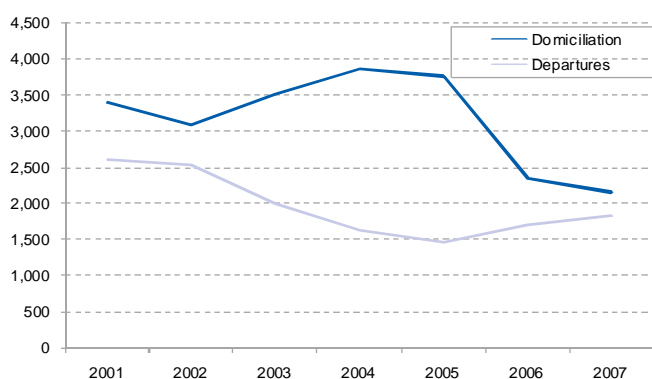
Source: Population Registry Office

Table 3 Deaths by age

	End of year		YTD 2008	2 nd Q			
	2006	2007		2005	2006	2007	2008
< 1 yrs.	8	4	1	2	2	0	1
1-49 yrs.	70	68	30	17	24	16	11
50-59 yrs.	43	70	27	14	12	18	13
60-69 yrs.	115	100	41	20	25	18	18
70-79 yrs.	143	120	75	26	29	37	29
80-89 yrs.	114	94	61	29	26	23	25
90+ yrs.	44	65	17	8	15	17	9
Total	537	521	252	116	133	129	106

Source: Population Registry Office

- At the end of the second quarter of 2008 the number of persons who immigrated and registered at the Population Registry Office totaled 1,351.
- Compared to the previous two years, the number of persons registering is increasing. As of the second quarter of 2007 a total of 834 persons immigrated to Aruba.
- Of all persons immigrating during the first two quarters 2008, 20 percent were Dutch born in Aruba or the Netherlands Antilles.

Figure 3. Domiciliation and departures, 2001-2007

Table 4 Domiciliation by nationality and place of birth

	End of year		YTD 2008	2 nd Q			
	2006	2007		2005	2006	2007	2008
Dutch born in Aruba/N.A.	847	638	268	283	176	134	139
Dutch born in the Neth.	623	465	236	218	142	96	121
Dutch born elsewhere	192	143	75	70	52	37	40
Foreign-born	600	839	741	431	90	154	349
Unknown	79	72	31	5	13	12	15
Total	2,341	2,157	1,351	1,007	473	433	664

Source: Population Registry Office

Table 5 Departures by nationality and place of birth

	End of year		YTD 2008	2 nd Q			
	2006	2007		2005	2006	2007	2008
Dutch born in Aruba/N.A.	813	921	292	133	143	171	164
Dutch born in the Neth.	513	455	157	87	128	109	113
Dutch born elsewhere	159	202	75	26	30	39	41
Foreign-born	237	260	114	71	75	75	70
Unknown	0	1	1	2	0	1	0
Total	1,722	1,839	639	319	376	395	388

Source: Population Registry Office

- As is the case with all marriages, no matter during which quarter, the majority of weddings is by non residents couples; 59 percent of all marriages were non resident.
- For every resident couple marrying in Aruba during the first two quarters of 2008, another resident couple divorced in Aruba.

Table 6 Marriages by residency

	End of year		YTD 2008	2 nd Q			
	2006	2007		2005	2006	2007	2008
Both partners residents, married in Aruba	351	379	160	94	78	59	84
Both partners residents, married elsewhere	27	40	3	8	8	9	3
Both partners non-residents, married in Aruba	460	482	247	171	134	132	161
Male resident, married elsewhere with non-resident Female	58	25	10	21	24	7	3
Male resident, married in Aruba with non-resident Female	23	14	14	3	5	2	10
Female resident, married elsewhere with non-resident Male	36	53	15	12	14	18	4
Female resident, married in Aruba with non-resident Male	29	20	13	0	6	1	6
Unknown	22	0	8	0	10	0	3
Total	1,006	1,013	470	309	279	228	274

Source: Population Registry Office

Table 7 Divorces by residency and place of divorce

	End of year		YTD 2008	2 nd Q			
	2006	2007		2005	2006	2007	2008
Both partners residents, divorced in Aruba	455	356	167	79	128	89	92
Both partners residents, divorced elsewhere	1	1	2	2	1	0	1
Both partners non-residents, divorced in Aruba	2	0	0	1	2	0	0
Male resident, divorced elsewhere with non-resident Female	11	7	0	5	7	1	0
Male resident, divorced in Aruba with non-resident Female	22	25	9	5	8	12	4
Female resident, divorced elsewhere with non-resident Male	6	2	0	1	2	0	0
Female resident, divorced in Aruba with non-resident Male	33	26	9	15	10	9	3
Unknown	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	531	417	187	108	158	111	100

Source: Population Registry Office