
REGISTRATION DEPARTMENT

Report on Vital Statistics and Registrations

2015

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INTRODUCTION

Business Overview

The Registration Department is segmented in its functions and has the following sections:

1. **The Supreme Court** which comprises:
 1. The Court of Appeal
 2. The High Court

The Court of Appeal is presided over by Justices of Appeal and mainly deals with Appeals from the High Courts and Magistrates' Courts. The Chief Justice is President of the Court of Appeal.

The High Courts are presided over by the Judges of the High Court and deal with Civil and Family matters as well as Criminal offences that are committed for trial by the Magistrates' Courts.

2. **The Magistrate's Courts**

The Magistrates' Courts are courts of summary jurisdiction where a Magistrate acting without a jury conducts cases without delay or formality. Magistrate's Courts are located at the various districts throughout the island.

3. **The Court Process Office**

The Court Process Office has a statutory mandate that is set out in Section 5 of the Court Process Office Act Cap. 111A and includes:

1. Execution of writs, warrants, orders for debt and the commands of any Judge or Magistrate;
2. Service of summonses and other documents or process required to be served by the Rules of the Court;
3. Attendance at Court when required

The Chief Marshal is responsible for the administration of the Court Process office as set out in the Chief Marshal Act Cap. 111. Administrative responsibility is exercised through the Court Process service.

4. **The Records Branch**

The Records Branch also referred to as the island's registry is responsible for the registration of vital records, i.e. births, deaths, marriages and professional registrations.

The Registrar of the Supreme Court is responsible for the administration of the Registration Department.

Functions of the Department

The functions of the Registration Department are set out in various pieces of legislation.

These are:

- The Supreme Court Act (Cap 117A)
- The Supreme Court Rules
- The Magistrates' Courts Act (Cap 116A)
- The Court Process Office Act (Cap 111A)
- The Registration Office Act (Cap 33)

Several other pieces of legislation impact on the work of the Registration Department.

The functions include but are not limited to:

- Receiving all court documents
- Preparing case files for trial in the following court systems:
 - Appeals, Criminal, Civil and Family
- Processing application for grants of Probate and Letters of Administration
- Registering of Births, Stillbirths, Deaths and Marriages
- Registering of Professional persons
- Recording Deeds such as Powers of Attorneys, Deed Polls and deeds not pertaining to land

- Supplying authentic copies of documents and public records on the request and payment of the appropriate fees
- Researching and preparing certificates of births, deaths and marriages
- Processing of Liquor Licences
- Collecting fees and fines imposed by the Magistrates
- Collecting and disbursing maintenance money
- Performing Notary functions
- Serving Court documents

VOLUME OF LITIGATION

SUPREME COURT

The Court of Appeal

During 2015, **38** Civil Appeals (High Court) were filed as compared with **37** in 2014 and **19** in 2013. **5** Civil Appeals (Magisterial) were filed as compared with **13** in 2014 and 7 in 2013.

3 Criminal Appeals (High Court) were filed compared with **16** in 2014 and **20** in 2013; and **16** Magisterial Criminal Appeals as compared to **10** in 2014 and **12** in 2013.

In addition the Court of Appeal heard **89** Appeals, **54** decisions were given and **29** Chamber Applications were disposed of.

Statistical Tables

**Table 1- APPEALS FILED
(January 1 to December 31, 2015)**

CRIMINAL APPEALS (HIGH COURT)	3
CIVIL APPEALS (HIGH COURT)	38
CRIMINAL APPEALS (MAGISTERIAL)	16
CIVIL APPEALS (MAGISTERIAL)	5
TOTAL	62

**Table 2- APPEALS HEARD
(January 1 to December 31, 2015)**

CRIMINAL APPEALS (HIGH COURT)	35
CIVIL APPEALS (HIGH COURT)	38
CRIMINAL APPEALS (MAGISTERIAL)	18
CIVIL APPEALS (MAGISTERIAL)	8
TOTAL	99

**Table 3-DECISIONS GIVEN
(January 1 to December 31, 2015)**

CRIMINAL APPEALS (HIGH COURT)	17
CIVIL APPEALS (HIGH COURT)	20
CRIMINAL APPEALS (MAGISTERIAL)	14
CIVIL APPEALS (MAGISTERIAL)	3
TOTAL	54

**Table- 4 CHAMBER APPLICATIONS
(January 1 to December 31, 2015)**

CHAMBER APPLICATIONS HEARD (BAIL)	24
CHAMBER APPLICATIONS HEARD (EXCLUDING BAIL)	5
TOTAL	29

TABLE 5
APPEALS FILED 2012-2015

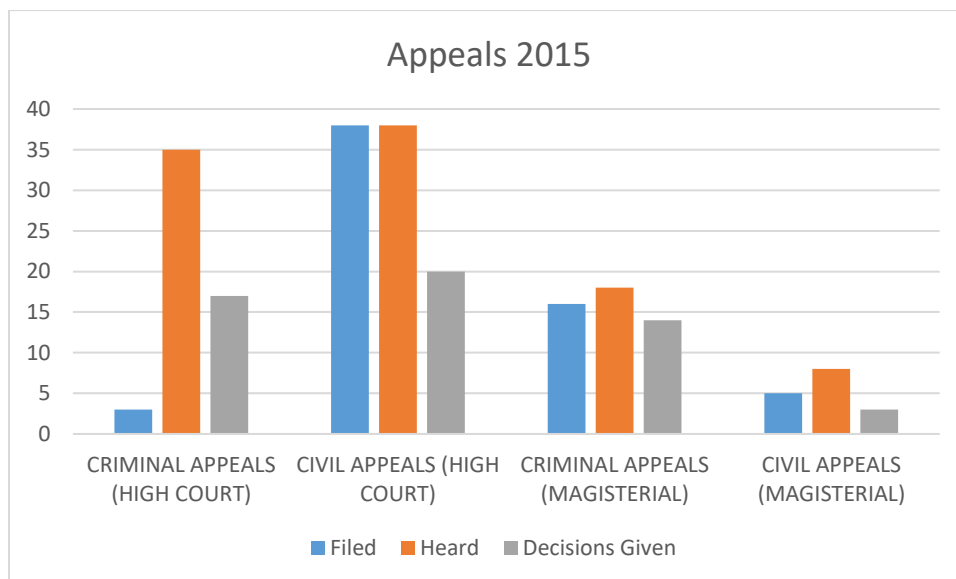
	2012	2013	2014	2015
CRIMINAL APPEALS (HIGH COURT)	26	20	16	3
CIVIL APPEALS (HIGH COURT)	37	19	37	38
CRIMINAL APPEALS (MAGISTERIAL)	18	12	10	16
CIVIL APPEALS (MAGISTERIAL)	3	7	13	5

TABLE 6
APPEALS HEARD 2012-2015

	2012	2013	2014	2015
CRIMINAL APPEALS (HIGH COURT)	12	25	22	35
CIVIL APPEALS (HIGH COURT)	19	21	20	38
CRIMINAL APPEALS (MAGISTERIAL)	22	16	4	18
CIVIL APPEALS (MAGISTERIAL)	1	2	8	8

TABLE 7
DECISIONS GIVEN 2012-2015

	2012	2013	2014	2015
CRIMINAL APPEALS (HIGH COURT)	0	11	12	17
CIVIL APPEALS (HIGH COURT)	9	9	15	20
CRIMINAL APPEALS (MAGISTERIAL)	3	10	4	14
CIVIL APPEALS (MAGISTERIAL)	2	1	3	3



The High Court

Civil

In the High Court **1825** Civil cases were filed compared with **1898** in 2014 and **2225** in 2013. There were **1090** applications for Probate and Letters of Administration filed as compared with **971** in 2014 and **915** in 2013.

Criminal

In respect of Criminal there were **70** indictments as compared to **245** in 2014 and **187** in 2013.

Family

396 Divorce applications were filed as compared with **443** in 2014 and **459** in 2013.

The number of children affected by Divorces according to Section 3 of the Family Law Act, Cap. 214 were **211** in 2015. The corresponding number for 2014 was **259** as compared with **316** in 2013.

Other Family Applications

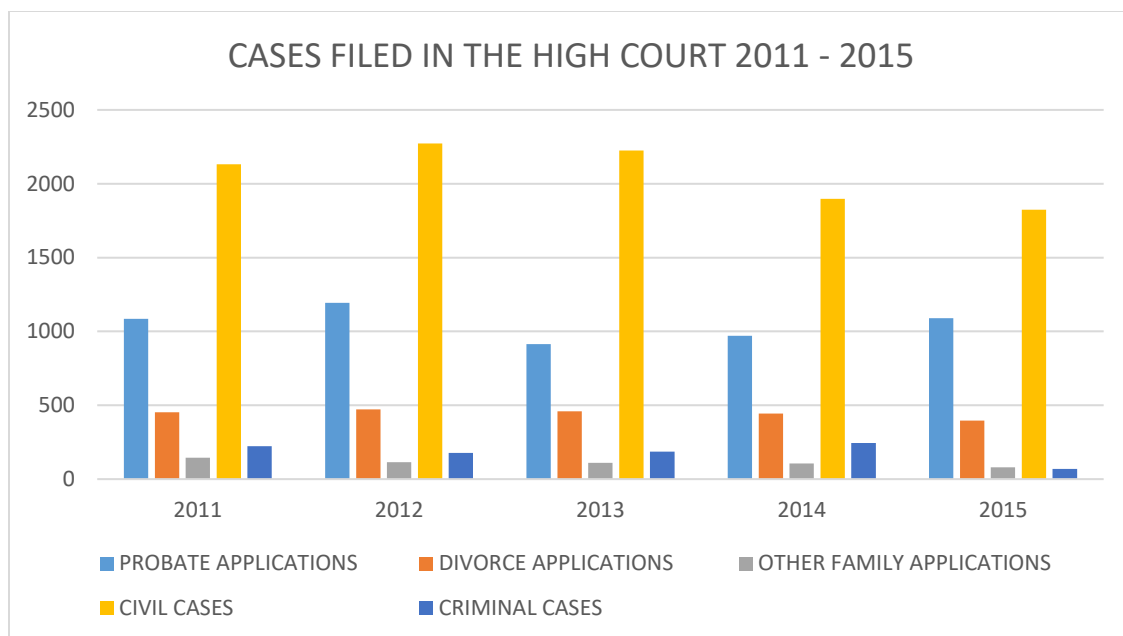
14 applications involving **Unions** were filed as compared with **13** in 2014 and **12** in 2013; there were **5** **Custody** applications as compared with **22** in 2014 and **12** in 2013; **1** **Annulment** as compared with **1** in 2014 and **2** in 2013. There were no **Paternity** applications in 2015 as compared with **1** in 2014 and **1** in 2013; **38** applications for **Maintenance** were filed as compared with **54** in 2014 and **61** in 2013; **5** applications for **Property** settlement were filed as compared with **3** in 2014 and **3** in 2013; **3** applications for **Adoption** as compared with **3** in 2014 and **4** in 2013; **13** miscellaneous applications were filed as compared with **8** in 2014 and **10** in 2013.

TABLE 8
CASES FILED IN THE SUPREME COURT 2011-2015

HIGH COURT					COURT OF APPEAL			
YEAR	PROBATE APPLICATIONS	DIVORCE APPLICATIONS	CIVIL CASES	CRIMINAL CASES	HIGH COURT		MAGISTERIAL	
					CIVIL APPEALS	CRIMINAL APPEALS	CIVIL APPEALS	CRIMINAL APPEALS
2011	1086	452	2132	224	20	19	15	9
2012	1193	472	2273	178	37	26	3	18
2013	915	459	2225	187	19	20	7	12
2014	971	443	1898	245	37	16	13	10
2015	1090	396	1825	70	38	3	5	16

TABLE 9
HIGH COURT
FAMILY CASES OTHER THAN DIVORCES FILED 2011-2015

CASE TYPE	2015	2014	2013	2012	2011
UNIONS	14	13	12	27	11
CUSTODY	5	22	12	12	31
ANNULMENT	1	1	2	0	1
PATERNITY	0	1	1	0	9
MAINTENANCE	38	54	61	54	62
PROPERTY	5	3	9	8	9
ADOPTION	3	3	4	3	1
OTHER	13	8	10	11	21
TOTAL	79	105	111	115	145



**TABLE 10
HIGH COURT
CLASSIFIED CRIMINAL CASES**

OFFENCE	TOTAL
Wounding, GBH, Assault, Cruelty to person under 16, SBH, ABH	17
Murder, Manslaughter, Causing death by dangerous driving, Concealment of birth	3
Burglary, Larceny, Receiving Stolen Goods, House-Breaking, Building Breaking	5
Malicious Damage to Property	
Escaping Legal Custody, Harboursing a Prisoner	
Fraud, Robbery of a person, Aggravated Robbery, Embezzlement, Theft	6
Rape, Carnal Knowledge, Indecent Assault	5
Buggery	
Breach of Probation	
Arson	
Possession of Drugs, Drug Trafficking	6
Conspiracy to Corrupt Public Morals	
Serious Indecency	1
Firearms, illegal possession, ammunition	21
Criminal deception	
Other	6
TOTAL	70

TABLE 11
HIGH COURT CRIMINAL CASES – CUSTODIAL SENTENCES (Provisional figures)

OFFENCE	SENTENCE GIVEN							
	Under 6 months	Over 6 months	1-3 years	4-5 years	6-10 years	11-15 years	Over 15 years	Death Penalty
Firearms, illegal possession								
Possession of ammunition								
Robbery/ Theft/ Fraud			4					
Wounding/ GBH/Assault/SBH/ABH			2					
Rape/Indecent assault			1					
Importation of a controlled drug					1			
Possession of drugs/ trafficking					2			
Murder/Manslaughter/dangerous driving								
Burglary/ Larceny/ House breaking			2					
Endangering Life								
Criminal Damage								
Escape/Harbouring a prisoner								
Arson								
Other			2					

TABLE 12
HIGH COURT CRIMINAL CASES – NON-CUSTODIAL SENTENCES (Provisional figures)

OFFENCE	SENTENCE GIVEN									
	Not Guilty	Dis-missed	Mis-Trial	CRD	Probation		Suspended Sentence	Fines		Discontin-ued
					1-3 years	Over 3 years		Under \$1000	Over \$1000	
Firearms, illegal possession	4	2		1	2		2			
Possession of ammunition	1	2		1	1		1			
Robbery/ Theft/ Fraud/Fraudulent Accounting		3								
Wounding/ GBH/Assault/SBH/ABH	3	4								1
Rape/Indecent assault	2	1					1			
Importation of a controlled drug		1								
Possession of drugs/ trafficking		2								
Murder/Manslaughter/dangerous driving	1									
Burglary/Larceny/House breaking										
Endangering Life										
Criminal Damage										
Serious Indecency			1				1			
Other	2	1	1							

TABLE 13
DIVORCES BY AGE OF HUSBAND AND AGE OF WIFE

AGE OF HUSBAND (YEARS)	TOTAL	AGE OF WIFE (YEARS)											
		UNDER 15	15-19	20-24	25-29	30-34	35-39	40-44	45-49	50-54	55-59	60+	N/S
Under 15 yrs	0												
15-19	0												
20-24	1			1									
25-29	13				9	4							
30-34	31			1	9	16	2	2	1				
35-39	64				2	22	20	11	6	2	1		
40-44	80				2	8	32	25	9	3		1	
45-49	66				2	5	6	21	13	12	3	4	
50-54	52						8	6	12	18	5	3	
55-59	35					1	4	3	8	10	8	1	
60+	54					2	1	2	2	9	16	21	1
N/S	0												
TOTAL	396	0	0	2	24	58	73	70	51	54	33	30	1

TABLE 14
DIVORCES: NO OF CHILDREN AND DURATION OF MARRIAGE

NO. OF CHILDREN	DIVORCES	TOTAL CHILDREN	DURATION OF MARRIAGE	DIVORCES
0	250		Under 1 year	
1	95	95	1 year	7
2	38	76	2 years	19
3	12	36	3 years	19
4	1	4	4 years	27
5			5 years	19
6			6 years	15
7			7 years	23
8			8 years	17
9			9 years	25
10 and over			10-14 years	93
unknown			15-19 years	64
			20-24 years	35
			25 years and over	33
TOTAL	396	211		396

THE MAGISTRATES' COURTS

The Magistrates' Courts of summary jurisdiction where a Magistrate acting without a jury can conduct cases without much delay or formality. The Magistrates' Courts are located at various districts throughout the Island.

During the year 2015 a total of **4702** Criminal cases, **19898** Traffic cases, **and 1936** Civil cases, **1576** Domestic cases, **223** Domestic Violence cases and **112** Juvenile cases were lodged.

The two (2) Criminal Courts at District 'A' adjudicated **2022** cases as compared with **2098** in 2014. District 'A' Traffic adjudicated **3524** cases as compared with **5123** in 2014. District 'A' Civil adjudicated **544** cases as compared with **779** in 2014 and District 'A' Domestic adjudicated **837** cases as compared with **1043** in 2014.

The total number of cases adjudicated at the District 'B' (Boarded Hall) Magistrate's court were not available at the time of compiling this report.

District 'B' (Oistins) adjudicated a total of **1285** cases as compared with **1000** in 2014.

The number of cases adjudicated at the District 'C' Magistrate's courts were not available at the compiling of this report.

District 'D' adjudicated **880** cases as compared with **303** in 2014.

1217 cases were adjudicated at District 'E' as compared with **1024** in 2014 while District 'E' (Holetown) adjudicated **878** cases as compared to **2556** in 2014.

District 'F' adjudicated **173** cases as compared with **217** in 2014 and. District 'F' (Belleplaine) adjudicated **162** cases as compared with **270** in 2014.

In total there were **233** Protection Orders were filed under the Domestic Violence Act, Cap. 130. **5785** cases were previously filed making a total of **6018** cases filed from the commencement of the Act to the end of 2015.

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**TABLE 15
CASES LODGED IN EACH MAGISTRATE'S COURT**

COURT	CASE TYPE						
	CRIMINAL	TRAFFIC	CIVIL	DOMESTIC	DOMESTIC VIOLENCE	JUVENILE	TOTAL
District 'A' No 1	1054	18	2		56	1	1131
District 'A' No 2	1297	44	1		16		1358
District 'A' Traffic	234	11406			4		11644
District 'A' Civil			1643				1643
District 'A' Domestic				629			629
Juvenile						92	92
District 'B'	378	1612	69	178	29	3	2269
District 'B' Oistins	539	690	94	140	8	7	1478
District 'C'	381	642	24	211	47	5	1310
District 'D'	114	973	23	57	9		1176
District 'E'	306	1109	35	160	23	2	1635
District 'E' Holetown	246	3102	40	122	31	1	3542
District 'F'	71	133	5	38	1		248
District 'F' Belleplaine	82	169		41	9	1	302
TOTAL	4702	19898	1936	1576	223	112	28457

TABLE 16
CASES ADJUDICATED IN EACH MAGISTRATE'S COURT

COURT	CASE TYPE							
	CRIMINAL	TRAFFIC	CIVIL	DOMESTIC	DOMESTIC VIOLENCE	JUVENILE	CORONER	TOTAL
District 'A' No.1	882	8	2		49			941
District 'A' No.2	1010	31	5		35			1081
District 'A' Traffic	152	3365			7			3524
District 'A' Civil			544					544
District 'A' Domestic				837				837
Special Coroner							11	11
Juvenile						78		78
District 'B' **			23**					23
District 'B' Oistins	532	511	47	149	41	5		1285
District 'C'*			6**					6
District 'D'	139	597	12	125	6	1		880
District 'E'	301	620	21	215	36	3		1196
District 'E' Holetown	277	359	32	187	23			878
District 'F'	59	56	1	55	2			173
District 'F' Belleplaine	35	78		42	6	1		162
TOTAL	3387	5625	693	1631	205	88	11	11640

** Figures are provisional

CIVIL REGISTRATIONS

RECORD BRANCH

POPULATION RECORDS

At the end of the year 2015, the population of Barbados was estimated at approximately **276,367**. During the year births exceeded deaths by **298**.

The growth of population covering a period of 5 years is shown as appended in Table 18.

The mid-year population from which several rates of births, deaths and marriages are calculated was **276,633**. (See tables 20 and 21)

The size of Barbados is 166.55 square miles or acreage of 106, 592.

The Island is divided into eleven parishes with the principal City of Bridgetown located in the parish of St. Michael.

The density per square mile for the Island was **1659.36** as compared with **1662.79** in 2014.

Births

Live births registered during the year were **2880** with males totaling **1463** and females **1417**. (See Table 24)

The birth rate was **10.41** per one thousand of the mid-year population. (See Table 20)

Live Birth Order: Age of mother and order of birth is shown in Table 23.

There were **36** cases of twins registered during 2015 as compared with **29** in 2014 and **31** in 2013. There were **no** recorded cases of triplets during the year.

The number of stillbirth registrations in 2015 was **21** with males totaling **10** and females **11**.

The stillbirth rate was **7.29** per 1000 of live births. (See Table 20)

Fertility

The respective age groups of mother and order of birth of their children are set out in Table 23. There were **6** births to a mother under the age of 15 years as compared to **5** in 2014 and **3** in 2013. Female births for the year 2015 numbered **1417** as compared with **1420** in 2014 and **1484** in 2013.

Adoptions

3 children were adopted under the provisions on the Adoption Act Chapter 212 of the Laws of Barbados. **397** were previously adopted making a total of **400** from the commencement of the Act to the end of the year.

Deaths

2582 deaths were registered in 2015. Males were **1248**, females **1334**. The death rate was **9.33** per 1000 of the mid-year population. (See Tables 25 and 20)

There were **23** deaths under the age of one year, males **8** and females **15**. The infant death rate was **7.99**. (See tables 22, 28 and 20). The maternal mortality rate for 2015 is not available.

There were **806** deaths of persons of the age 85 and over as compared to **804** in 2014. (See Table 28) There were **37** deaths of persons over the age of 100.

The cause of death as classified under 17 heads or groups for the years 2012- 2015 is not yet available. The International lists of causes are included in the report of the Director of Medical Services for the year.

Marriages

There were **1925** marriages registered during 2015. Of the contracting parties **1299** were bachelors, **1424** spinsters, **52** widowers, **28** widows, **574** divorced men and **473** divorced women. There were **no** marriages registered with the status of the male and female not being stated. (See table 31).

The relative ages of the bride and bridegrooms are shown in Table 30. Marriages by the month of occurrences are shown in Table 29. The marriage rate was **6.96** as shown in Table 20.

Marriages increased by **3.59 %** as compared with 2014. The register showed no male and no female signed his/her name by his/ her mark. Civil marriages, which were performed by the several Magistrates, were **281**.

PROFESSIONAL REGISTRATIONS

The number of professionals registered in each category is set out below.

<u>NAME OF PROFESSION</u>	<u>NO</u>	<u>NAME OF PROFESSION</u>	<u>NO</u>
ACCOUNTANT	86	LAND SURVEYOR	52
ACTUARY	4	MEDICAL LABORATORY	110
ACUPUNCTURIST	6	TECHNICIAN	470
ARCHITECT	66	MEDICAL PRACTITIONER	1
ATTORNEY-AT-LAW	643	NUCLEAR MEDICAL	1
AUCTIONEER	14	TECHNICIAN	2
BUILDER/CONTRACTOR	9	NUTRITIONIST	11
CARDIAC TECHNOLOGIST	5	OCCUPATIONAL THERAPIST	13
CHIROPRACTOR	8	OPHTHALMIC DISPENSER	15
CLINICAL PSYCHOLOGIST	15	OPTOMETRIST	2
COUNSELLING PSYCHOLOGIST	7	ORTHOTIST	4
DENTAL HYGIENIST	18	OSTEOPATH	28
DENTAL PRACTITIONER	79	PARAMEDIC	305
DENTAL TECHNICIAN	9	PHARMACIST	56
DIAGNOSTIC RADIOGRAPHER	33	PHYSIOTHERAPIST	10
DIETICIAN	8	PODIATRIST	3
DRAUGHTSMAN	199	PROSTHETIST	3
EDUCATIONAL PSYCHOLOGIST	2	PSYCHOLOGIST	8
EMBALMER	9	QUANTITY SURVEYOR	239
ENGINEER	149	REAL ESTATE AGENT	2
FUNERAL DIRECTOR / UNDERTAKER	56	REAL ESTATE COMPANY	9
		REFLEXOLOGIST	7
		SPEECH THERAPIST	6
		THERAPEUTIC RADIOGRAPHER	11
		TOWN PLANNER	38
		VETERINARY SURGEON	

LIST OF STATISTICAL TABLES

The Statistical Tables are appended and set out in two parts:

Part I

Summary of Births, Stillbirths, Deaths, Infant Deaths, marriages and Divorces for a period of 5 years

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END OF YEAR POPULATION 2011-2015

YEAR	TOTAL	MALES	FEMALES
2011	276781	134092	142689
2012	276977	134282	142695
2013	276774	133044	143730
2014	276937	133261	143676
2015	276367	133121	143246

The figures relate only to the resident population of Barbados

TABLE 18
GROWTH OF POPULATION 2011-2015

YEAR	POPULATION	BIRTHS	DEATHS	INCREASE
2011	276781	3283	2422	861
2012	276977	3184	2404	780
2013	276774	3024	2465	559
2014	276937	2907	2601	306
2015	276367	2880	2582	298

Barbados Census-1st May 2000, 268,709

N.B. The figures only relate to the resident population of Barbados

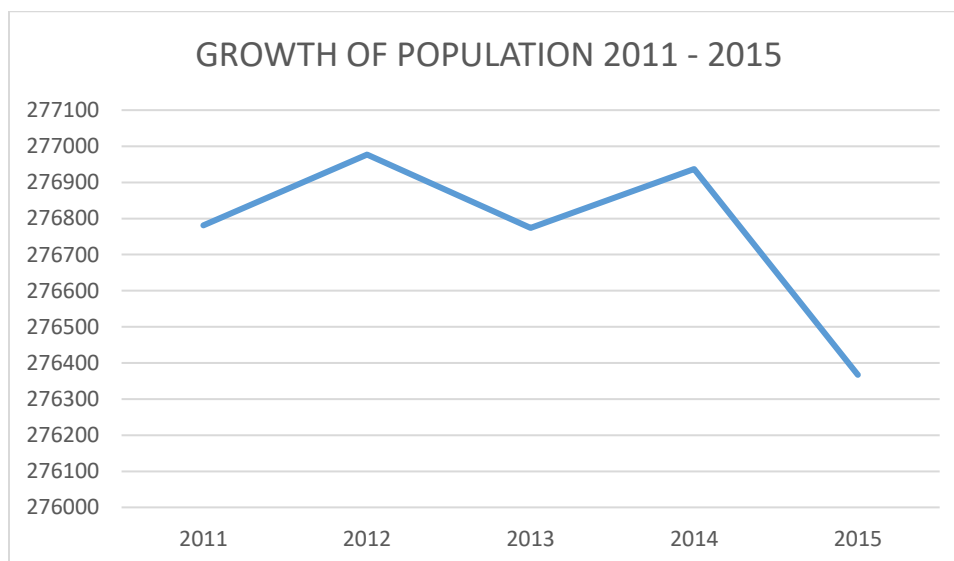


TABLE 19
LIVE BIRTHS, DEATHS, NATURAL INCREASE BY SEX 2011-2015

YEAR	BIRTHS			DEATHS			NATURAL INCREASE (A)		
	TOTAL	M	F	TOTAL	M	F	TOTAL	M	F
2011	3283	1687	1596	2422	1163	1259	861	524	337
2012	3184	1642	1542	2404	1188	1216	780	454	326
2013	3024	1540	1484	2465	1216	1249	559	324	235
2014	2907	1487	1420	2601	1319	1282	306	168	138
2015	2880	1463	1417	2582	1248	1334	298	215	83

(A) Excess of Births over Deaths. Stillbirths not included.

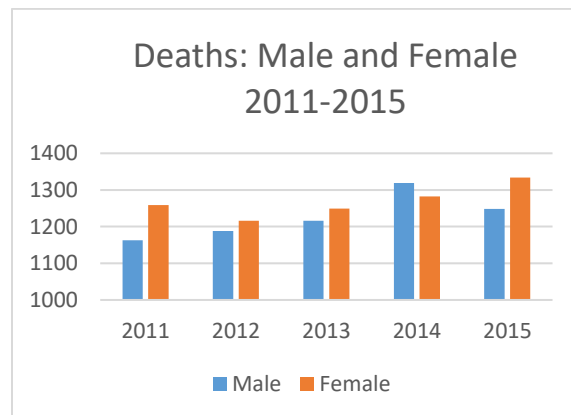
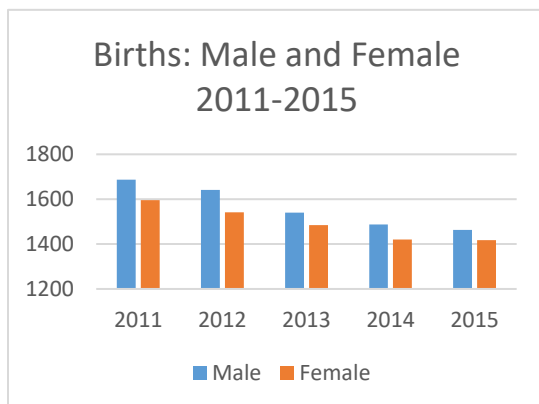
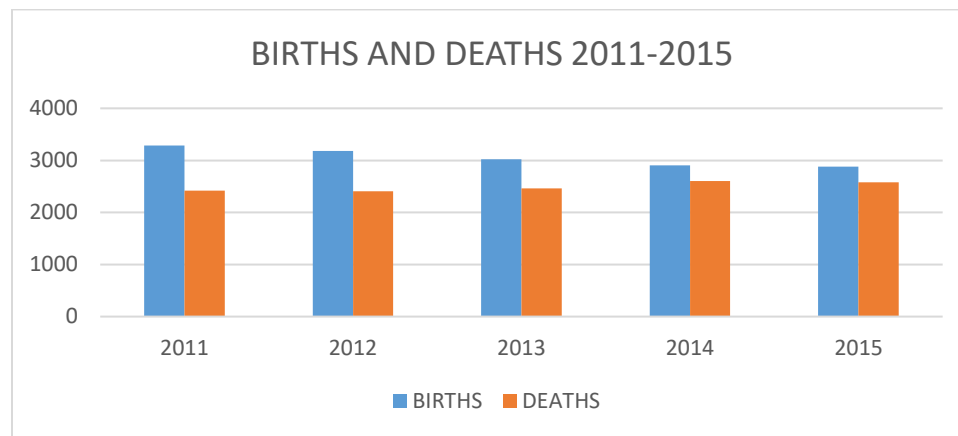


TABLE 20
MID YEAR POPULATION AND VITAL RATES 2011-2015

YEAR	MID YEAR POPULATION	RATES							
		BIRTHS (A)	DEATHS (A)	INCREASE (A)	MARRIAGES (A)	INFANT DEATHS (B)	STILL BIRTHS (B)	SEX (C)	DIVORCE (D)
2011	276457	11.88	8.76	3.12	7.96	13.71	4.26	938.34	20.55
2012	276815	11.50	8.68	2.82	7.71	11.62	5.65	940.55	22.11
2013	277224	10.91	8.89	2.02	6.60	8.27	9.92	925.27	25.10
2013	277199	10.49	9.38	1.11	6.69	10.32	8.26	926.92	23.88
2015	276633	10.41	9.33	1.08	6.96	7.99	7.29	927.93	20.58

(A) Per 1000 of Mid-Year Population

(B) Per 1000 Births

(C) Males per 1000 Females

(D) Per 100 Marriages

TABLE 21
ESTIMATED POPULATION

POPULATION	TOTAL	MALE	FEMALE
Mid Year	276633	133146	143487
End of Year	276367	133121	143246

TABLE 22
BIRTHS, STILL-BIRTHS AND INFANT DEATHS BY SEX 2011-2015

YEAR	BIRTHS			STILL-BIRTHS				INFANT DEATHS			
	TOTAL	M	F	TOTAL	M	N/S	F	TOTAL	M	N/S	F
2011	3283	1687	1596	14	11		3	45	30		15
2012	3184	1642	1542	18	8		10	37	19		18
2013	3024	1540	1484	30	21		9	25	11		14
2014	2907	1487	1420	24	10	1	13	30	20		10
2015	2880	1463	1417	21	10		11	23	8		15

TABLE 23
LIVE BIRTH ORDER: AGE OF MOTHER AND ORDER OF BIRTH

AGE GROUP (yrs.)	TOTAL	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10+	N/S
Under 15	6	6										
15-17	71	69	1	1								
18-19	222	198	21	1	1							1
20-21	272	192	69	10	1							
22-24	437	246	134	37	18	2						
25-29	680	259	231	113	40	24	8	4	1			
30-34	661	200	219	123	63	27	13	9	3	1	1	2
35-39	391	90	117	93	42	23	12	8	3	3		
40-44	124	17	43	27	17	7	6	3	1	3		
45-49	8	4	2		1						1	
50+	0											
N/S	8	2	1	1								4
Total	2880	1283	838	406	183	83	39	24	8	7	2	7

TABLE 24
BIRTHS REGISTERED BY QUARTER AND SEX IN EACH PARISH

PARISH	TOTAL	TOTAL		1st QUARTER		2nd QUARTER		3rd QUARTER		4th QUARTER	
		M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F
ST. MICHAEL	2858	1451	1407	385	390	337	332	288	272	441	413
CHRIST CHURCH	6	2	4	2	1		3				
ST. GEORGE	4	3	1		1			1		2	
ST. PHILIP	0	0	0								
ST. JOHN	1	0	1						1		
ST. JAMES	4	3	1			2				1	1
ST. THOMAS	4	2	2	1			2			1	
ST. PETER	0	0	0								
ST. LUCY	3	2	1	1	1					1	
ST. JOSEPH	0	0	0								
ST. ANDREW	0	0	0								
	0	0	0								
TOTAL	2880	1463	1417	389	393	340	337	289	273	446	414

TABLE 25
DEATHS REGISTERED BY QUARTER AND SEX IN EACH PARISH

PARISH	TOTAL	TOTAL		1ST QUARTER		2ND QUARTER		3RD QUARTER		4TH QUARTER	
		M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F
ST. MICHAEL	1792	873	919	258	265	196	200	207	226	212	228
CHRIST CHURCH	275	116	159	29	46	30	30	28	37	29	46
ST. GEORGE	73	34	39	8	11	14	8	8	9	4	11
ST. PHILIP	141	71	70	25	17	19	13	17	25	10	15
ST. JOHN	40	22	18	5	3	2	7	7	3	8	5
ST. JAMES	80	44	36	11	8	6	11	9	7	18	10
ST. THOMAS	51	23	28	13	8	4	6	2	9	4	5
ST. PETER	44	24	20	11	2	6	6	4	8	3	4
ST. LUCY	44	22	22	6	4	7	5	7	7	2	6
ST. ANDREW	20	10	10	3	5	1	1	2	2	4	2
ST. JOSEPH	22	9	13	4	4	2	2	1	5	2	2
N/S	0	0	0								
TOTAL	2582	1248	1334	373	373	287	289	292	338	296	334

TABLE 26
STILL-BIRTHS, INFANT DEATHS AND MARRIAGES REGISTERED BY OCCURRENCE IN EACH PARISH

PARISH	STILL-BIRTHS				INFANT DEATHS			MARRIAGES
	TOTAL	M		F	TOTAL	M	F	
ST. MICHAEL	21	10		11	22	8	14	465
CHRIST CHURCH								670
ST. GEORGE							1	72
ST. PHILIP								181
ST. JOHN								37
ST. JAMES								312
ST. THOMAS								56
ST. PETER								81
ST. LUCY								15
ST. JOSEPH								28
ST. ANDREW								8
N/S								
TOTAL	21	10		11	23	8	15	1925

TABLE 27
LIVE BIRTHS, DEATHS AND INFANT DEATHS BY SEX; STILL BIRTHS AND
MARRIAGES REGISTERED IN EACH QUARTER

QUARTERS	BIRTHS			DEATHS			INFANT DEATHS			STILL-BIRTHS	MARRIAGES
	TOTAL	M	F	TOTAL	M	F	TOTAL	M	F		
1ST	782	389	393	746	374	372	8	2	6	6	364
2ND	676	339	337	576	286	290	2	1	1	2	519
3RD	562	289	273	630	292	338	7	3	4	3	489
4TH	860	446	414	630	296	334	6	2	4	10	553
TOTAL	2880	1463	1417	2582	1248	1334	23	8	15	21	1925

TABLE 28
DEATHS REGISTERED BY AGE GROUP AND SEX

AGE GROUP	MALE	FEMALE	TOTAL
Under 1 day	0	1	1
1- 6 days	5	6	11
7 - 27 days	0	0	0
1 - 11 months	3	8	11
Total under 1 year	8	15	23
1 year			0
2 years	1	1	2
3 years	1	1	2
4 years			0
5-9 years	1	2	3
10-14 years	1	1	2
15-19 years	8	5	13
20-24 years	9	3	12
25-29 years	12	4	16
30-34 years	14	9	23
35-39 years	15	14	29
40-44 years	22	19	41
45-49 years	49	26	75
50-54 years	53	43	96
55-59 years	72	71	143
60-64 years	108	77	185
65-69 years	142	97	239
70-74 years	113	98	211
75-79 years	155	158	313
80-84 years	178	170	348
85+	286	520	806
Total	1240	1319	2559
GRAND TOTAL	1248	1334	2582

TABLE 29
BIRTHS, DEATHS, INFANT DEATHS BY SEX AND MARRIAGES BY MONTH OF OCCURRENCE

MONTH	BIRTHS			DEATHS			INFANT DEATHS			MARRIAGES
	TOTAL	M	F	TOTAL	M	F	TOTAL	M	F	
JANUARY	308	148	160	336	173	163	4		4	121
FEBRUARY	239	117	122	187	94	93	2	2		114
MARCH	235	124	111	223	107	116	2		2	129
APRIL	237	119	118	209	96	113	0			173
MAY	218	105	113	183	98	85	2	1	1	196
JUNE	221	115	106	184	92	92	0			150
JULY	188	95	93	210	109	101	4	2	2	169
AUGUST	176	96	80	176	81	95	0			181
SEPTEMBER	198	98	100	244	102	142	3	1	2	139
OCTOBER	282	150	132	225	102	123	3	1	2	170
NOVEMBER	245	124	121	181	86	95	1		1	164
DECEMBER	333	172	161	224	108	116	2	1	1	219
TOTAL	2880	1463	1417	2582	1248	1334	23	8	15	1925

TABLE 30
MARRIAGES: RELATIVE AGES OF BRIDES AND BRIDEGROOMS

BRIDES	TOTAL	BRIDEGROOMS (AGE)																			
		16	17	18	19	20	21	22-24	25-29	30-34	35-39	40-44	45-49	50-54	55-59	60-64	65-69	70-74	75-79	80 +	N/S
16	0																				
17	0																				
18	4				1		1				2										
19	8					1		2	4		1										
20	9				1		1	3	2	1			1								
21	15					1		6	5	2	1										
22-24	81							20	37	18			2	3	1						
25-29	396							11	161	131	44	26	14	4	3	1	1				
30-34	384							3	47	162	86	48	22	9	4	1	2				
35-39	304							2	10	43	102	80	30	22	9	5	1				
40-44	174								2	10	22	47	36	37	13	6	1				
45-49	211							1	1	4	9	37	66	54	19	9	9		1	1	
50-54	168								1	2	5	8	21	53	39	18	18	1	2		
55-59	88										1		3	12	28	29	9	3	1	2	
60-64	48									2			3	3	5	16	8	5	3	3	
65-69	20											1			4	4	6	1	3	1	
70-74	7														1	1		3		2	
75-79	7																		3	4	
80+	1																		1		
N/S	0																				
TOTAL	1925	0	0	0	2	2	2	48	270	375	273	247	198	197	126	90	55	13	14	13	0

TABLE 31
MARRIAGES ACCORDING TO AGE AND STATUS OF PERSONS MARRYING

AGE GROUP (YRS)	MALES					FEMALES				
	TOTAL	BACHELOR	WIDOWER	DIVORCED MEN	N/S	TOTAL	SPINSTER	WIDOW	DIVORCED WOMEN	N/S
16	0					0				
17	0					0				
18	0					4	4			
19	2	2				8	8			
20	2	2				9	9			
21	2	2				15	15			
22-24	48	48				81	81			
25-29	270	265		5		396	384		12	
30-34	375	350		25		384	342		42	
35-39	273	211		62		304	235		69	
40-44	247	171	1	75		174	103		71	
45-49	198	99	5	94		211	112	2	97	
50-54	197	73	8	116		168	73	5	90	
55-59	126	40	2	84		88	31	6	51	
60-64	90	18	10	62		48	16	5	27	
65-69	55	12	9	34		20	4	7	9	
70-74	13	2	5	6		7	3	1	3	
75-79	14	2	6	6		7	3	2	2	
80+	13	2	6	5		1	1			
N/S	0					0				
TOTAL	1925	1299	52	574	0	1925	1424	28	473	0

TABLE 32
PREVIOUS CONDITION OF PERSONS INTERMARRYING

BRIDES	TOTAL	BRIDEGROOMS			
		BACHELORS	WIDOWERS	DIVORCED MEN	N/S
SPINSTERS	1424	1144	17	263	
WIDOWS	28	8	9	11	
DIVORCED WOMEN	473	147	26	300	
N/S	0				
TOTAL	1925	1299	52	574	0

TABLE 33
MARRIAGES ACCORDING TO RELIGIOUS DENOMINATION OR OTHER
CATEGORY

DENOMINATION	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015
Church of England	718	759	668	604	607
Roman Catholic	30	32	28	26	28
Methodist	61	59	53	54	31
Baptist	24	19	25	26	20
Moravian	13	15	7	13	21
Seventh Day Adventist	53	49	52	61	59
Other Denominations	1021	922	703	789	847
Civil Magistrates	255	256	271	256	281
Other Religions	25	24	22	26	31
Total	2200	2135	1829	1855	1925

TABLE 34
MARRIAGES AND DIVORCES 2011-2015

YEAR	MARRIAGES	DIVORCES
2011	2200	452
2012	2135	472
2013	1829	459
2014	1855	443
2015	1925	396

TABLE 35
APPLICATIONS MADE FOR CERTIFICATES

JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEPT	OCT	NOV	DEC	TOTAL
42	114	105	90	90	27	80	71	46	57	62	31	815
10	86	85	79	85	62	90	54	66	62	48	72	799
99	82	70	49	68	28	85	105	78	78	35	32	809
85	114	72	57	102	18	71	81	81	69	83	24	857
36	95	97	81	114	15	91	85	67	54	67	42	844
91	84	88	129	92	20	81	64	73	76	58	49	905
132	115	82	100	106	18	53	78	51	44	43	51	873
92	70	67	111	130	19	70	57	62	87	62	52	879
103	112	81	106	97	21	92	104	63	67		35	881
46	124	119	96	110	14	59	77	54	45		61	805
97	92	88	120	100	17	59	78	60	78		45	834
130	109	75	93	96	12	90	57	88	69		62	881
119	73	81	80	60	1	71	33	91	61		61	731
108	106	106	104	73	89	79	72	64	49		52	902
103	110	120	120	105	74	64	85	72	85		70	1008
92	96	92	118	78	95	80	67	84	59		68	929
105	70	94	98	69	80	81	65		69		2	733
107	87	71	89	87	100	89	75		75			780
98	106	125	102	112	102	77	79		63			864
113	132	104			93	73	68		45			628
115		92			79	53			78			417
99		77			80	69						325
						82						82
												0
2022	1977	1991	1822	1774	1064	1739	1455	1100	1370	458	809	17581