

Census of Population and Housing of Sri Lanka, 2012

Table A6: Population by religion, sex and sector

Sector and Sex	All Religions	Religion						
		Buddhist	Hindu	Islam	Roman Catholic	Other Christian	Other	
Matale District								
All Sectors								
Total	484,531	385,151	43,432	45,682	7,899	2,342	25	
Male	233,657	186,539	20,622	21,759	3,647	1,080	10	
Female	250,874	198,612	22,810	23,923	4,252	1,262	15	
Urban								
Total	60,276	38,137	8,456	12,025	1,132	516	10	
Male	29,233	18,603	4,099	5,810	485	231	5	
Female	31,043	19,534	4,357	6,215	647	285	5	
Rural								
Total	405,176	345,381	18,765	33,401	6,030	1,586	13	
Male	195,454	167,117	8,963	15,821	2,808	741	4	
Female	209,722	178,264	9,802	17,580	3,222	845	9	
Estate								
Total	19,079	1,633	16,211	256	737	240	2	
Male	8,970	819	7,560	128	354	108	1	
Female	10,109	814	8,651	128	383	132	1	

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