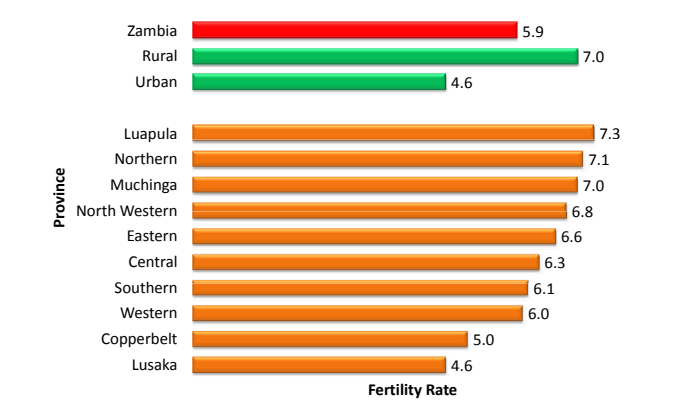


Fertility Characteristics

Total Fertility Rate (TFR)

In 2010, the TFR for Zambia was 5.9, implying that; on average, each woman aged 15-49 years would approximately have 6 children in her entire reproductive period. In rural and urban areas, the Total Fertility Rate was at 7.0 and 4.6, respectively.

Total Fertility Rate by Province, Zambia 2010

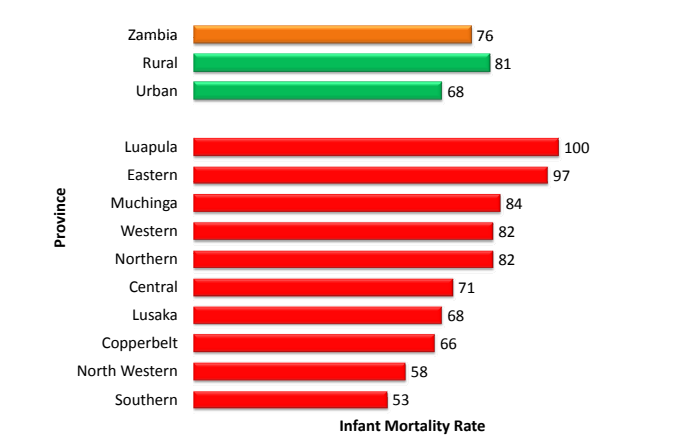


Childhood Mortality Characteristics

Infant Mortality Rate (IMR)

The IMR at national level was 76 deaths per 1,000 live births. Rural and urban areas had Infant Mortality Rates of 81 and 68 deaths per 1,000 live births, respectively.

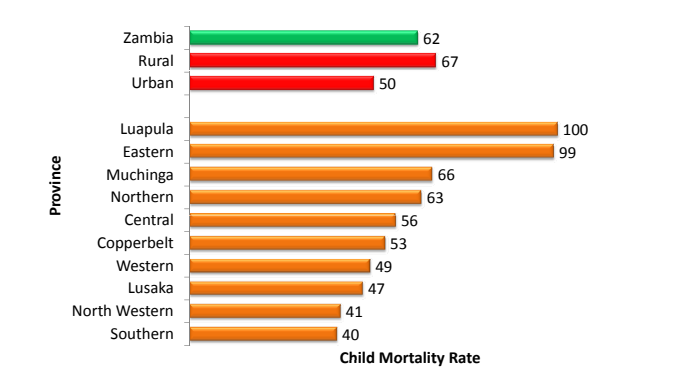
Infant Mortality Rate by Province, Zambia 2010



Child Mortality Rate (CMR):

CMR was 62 deaths of children aged 1 to 4 years per 1000 live births. Rural and urban areas had child mortality rates of 67 and 50 deaths of children aged 1-4 per 1000 live births, respectively.

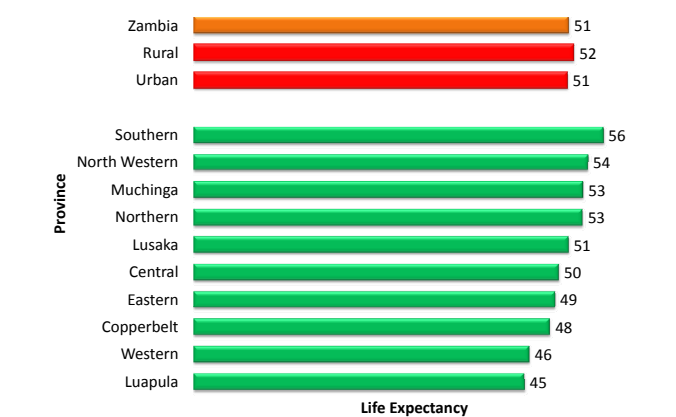
Child Mortality Rate by Province, Zambia 2010



Life Expectancy at Birth

In 2010, the Life Expectancy at birth was 51 years. Rural and urban areas had Life expectancy at birth of 52 and 51 years, respectively.

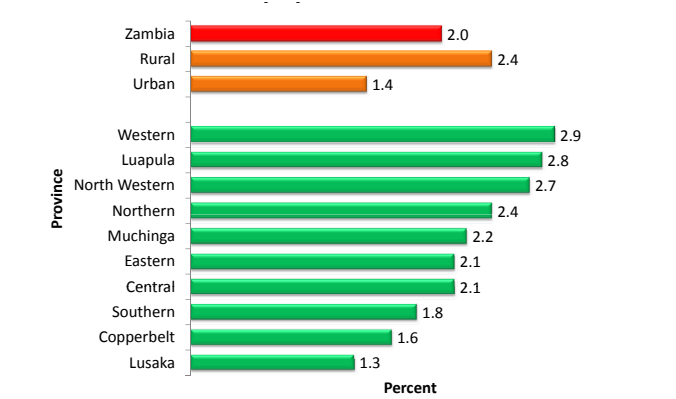
Life Expectancy at Birth by Province, Zambia 2010



Disability

At national level, 2.0 percent of the population was reported to be disabled. In rural and urban areas the percentage of the disabled population was 2.4 percent and 1.4 percent respectively.

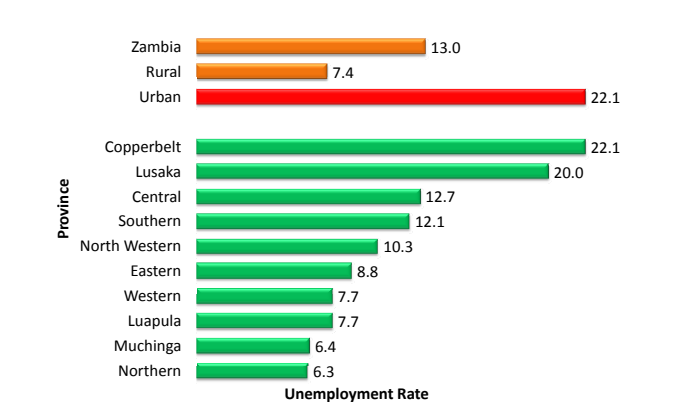
Percentage Distribution of Population with Disability by Province, Zambia 2010



Labourforce Participation Rate

Of the 4.3 million persons in the labour force, 554,202 (13.0 percent) were unemployed. Copperbelt Province had the highest unemployment rate at 22.1 percent while Northern Province had the lowest unemployment rate at 6.3 percent.

Unemployment Rate by Province, Zambia 2010



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2010 Census of Population and Housing

Key Findings



Background

The Government of the Republic of Zambia (GRZ) through a Cabinet Memorandum of June 2010 accepted the recommendation by the Ministry of Finance and Economic Development that a National Census of Population and Housing be conducted in October 2010. This Census was the 5th National Census to be conducted in Zambia after the 1969, 1980, 1990 and the 2000 Censuses.

Main Objective of the Census

The main objective of conducting a Population Census was to enumerate all the people in the country in order to provide the Government, private organizations, individuals, and other stakeholders with the number of persons in each province, district, constituency and ward, according to age, sex, and other Social Economic and Demographic characteristics.

KEY FINDINGS FROM THE CENSUS

The following are the key findings from the 2010 Census of Population and Housing.

Population Size, Growth and Distribution

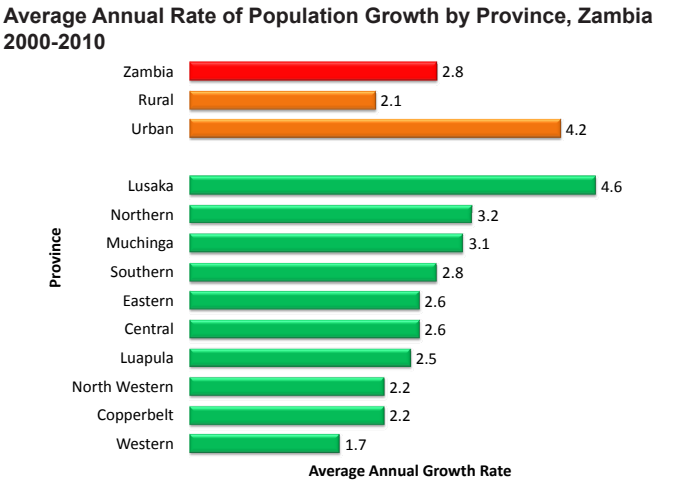
Population Size

- Zambia’s population in 2010 was 13, 092, 666 an increase from 9,885,591 in 2000.*
- The male population was 6, 454, 647 representing 49.3 Percent while that offemales was 6,638, 019 representing 50.7 percent of the total population*
- The population residing in rural areas was 7,919,216, (60.5 percent)while the urban population was 5, 173, 450, (39.5 percent)*

Population by Province, Sex and Rural/Urban, Zambia 2010					
Province	Population				
	Total	Male	Female	Rural	Urban
Zambia Total	13,092,666	6,454,647	6,638,019	7,919,216	5,173,450
Central	1,307,111	648,465	658,646	978,574	328,537
Copperbelt	1,972,317	981,887	990,430	376,861	1,595,456
Eastern	1,592,661	784,680	807,981	1,392,338	200,323
Luapula	991,927	488,589	503,338	797,407	194,520
Lusaka	2,191,225	1,082,998	1,108,227	336,318	1,854,907
Muchinga	711,657	349,872	361,785	590,575	121,082
Northern	1,105,824	546,851	558,973	903,208	202,616
North Western	727,044	358,141	368,903	563,061	163,983
Southern	1,589,926	779,659	810,267	1,197,751	392,175
Western	902,974	433,505	469,469	783,123	119,851

Population Growth

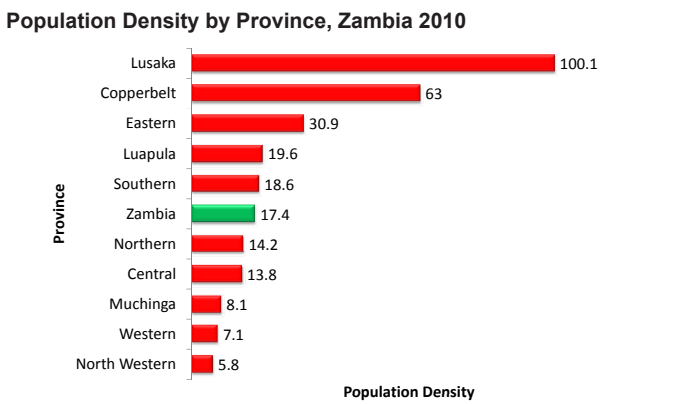
The population grew at a rate of 2.8 percent per annum between 2000 and 2010. The population in the rural and urban areas grew at 2.1 and 4.2 percent per annum, respectively.



Population Density

Zambia had a population density of 17.4 persons per square kilometre an increase from 13.1persons per square kilometre in 2000.

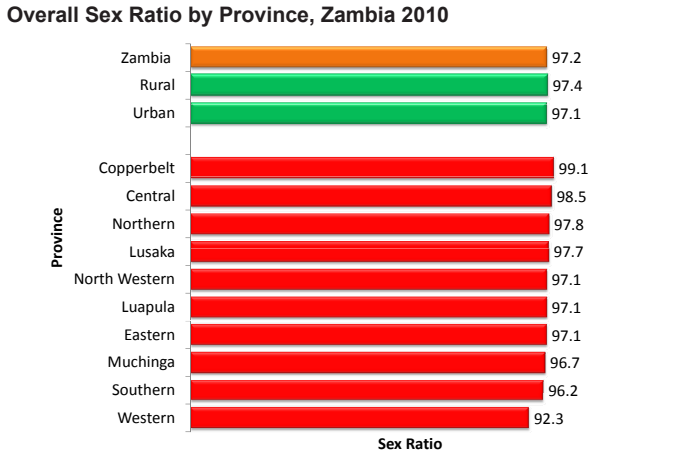
The province with the highest density was Lusaka Province with 100.1 persons per km2 while the lowest population density was recorded in North Western Province at 5.8 persons per square kilometre.



Population Composition and Demographic Characteristics

Sex Ratio

Overall the composition of the population by sex showed that females were more than males in Zambia with a sex ratio of 97.2. In rural areas the Sex ratio was 97.4 while in urban areas it was 97.1. The sex ratio was below 100 for all the provinces.



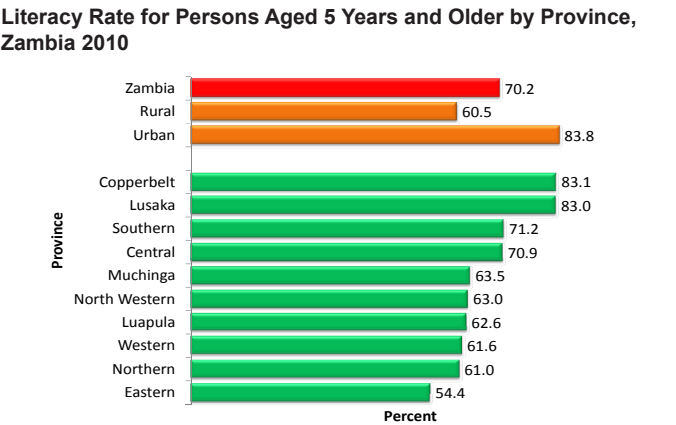
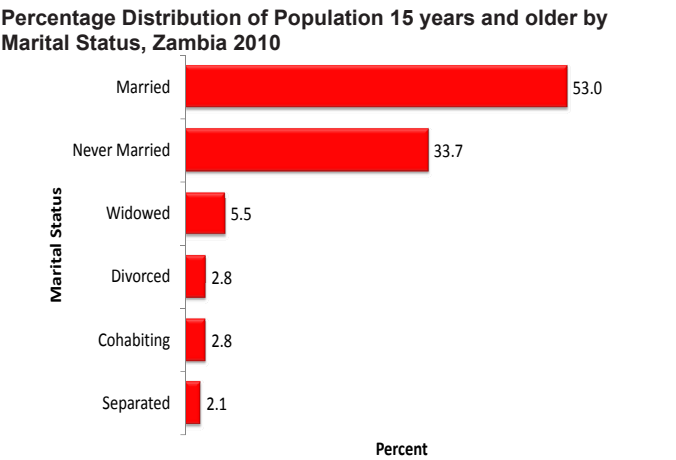
Literacy Rate

The national literacy rate was 70.2 percent an increase from 55.2 percent in 2000. The literacy rate in rural areas was 60.5 percent compared with 83.8 percent in urban areas.

2.3 Social Characteristics

Marital Status:

Of the population aged 15 years and older, 53.0 percent were married while 33.7 percent had never been married.



Summary of Other Key Indicators													
Key Indicators	Province												
	ZAMBIA	Rural	Urban	Central	Copper-belt	Eastern	Luapula	Lusaka	Much-inga	Northern	North Western	Southern	Western
Maternal Mortality Ratio	483	517	428	500	474	442	573	357	330	475	423	343	786
Under-five Mortality	138	148	118	128	119	196	199	115	150	145	99	94	130
Crude Birth Rate	35	39	30	36	29	38	39	31	40	41	38	37	36
Gross Primary School Attendance Rate	96.9	92.3	104.8	98.0	105.3	81.8	88.6	106.7	94.6	91.2	98.4	103.1	89.7
Net Primary School Attendance Rate	71.6	66.9	79.6	73.0	80.2	57.6	64.0	79.1	69.8	66.3	71.3	77.6	67.1
Gross Secondary School Atten-dance Rate	68.7	50.9	92.5	67.4	89.6	46.8	57.8	85.8	56.2	51.3	68.7	67.1	57
Net Secondary School Attendance Rate	45.5	33.0	62.2	44.8	62.3	29.5	35.9	58.0	36.7	32.6	42.5	44.7	36.6
Youth Unemployment Rate	16.7	7.5	22.0	16.2	29.6	10.4	9.3	25.1	7.7	7.9	13.3	14.8	10.1