



# KUWAIT STATISTICAL SNAPSHOT

2016

## ABOUT THE SNAPSHOT

The Kuwait Statistical Snapshot presents the main development and economic data and key indicators under the following topics: demography, education, macroeconomy and public finance, trade, labor and employment, energy, and water. The snapshot has been compiled by ADP team based on the latest available data as of 30 September 2016. Unless otherwise indicated, the Snapshot is based on official data published by the Central Statistical Bureau (CSB).



## Demography

Total population size (World Population Prospects, 2015)	3.8 Million
Population growth rate (World Population Prospects, 2015)	3.2 %
Population below 30 years, percentage of total population (World Population Prospects, 2015)	60.7 %
National population (2014)	1,191,234 Person
Population density (World Population Prospects, 2015)	218.4 Inhabitant per square kilometer
Urban population as a percentage of total population (World Urbanization Prospects, 2014)	98 %
Population between 15 and 64 years, percentage of total population (World Population Prospects, 2015)	75.7 %
Proportion of seats held by women in national parliaments (World Development Indicators, 2015)	1.5 %

## Human Development Index\*

Human Development index (HDI) rank (2014)	48
Human Development index (HDI) value (2014)	0.8
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Male</li> <li>• Female</li> </ul>	0.8
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\* **Source:** United Nations Development Programme, Human Development Reports (2015), <http://hdr.undp.org/en/data>

## Education

Adult literacy rate, population 15+ years, both sexes (UNESCO, 2015)	96.2 %
School enrollment - primary education, total students, percentage of the same age population (World Development Indicators, 2013)	104.2 %
Gender Parity Index, Primary education (World Development Indicators, 2013)	1.0
School enrollment - tertiary education, total students, percentage of the same age population (World Development Indicators, 2013)	27 %
Gender Parity Index, tertiary education (World Development Indicators, 2013)	1.6



### Macroeconomy and Public Finance

GDP, PPP (constant 2011 international \$) (World Development Indicators, 2015)	261.2	Billion Int\$
Gross Domestic Product (GDP), annual growth rate, 2005 constant prices (International Monetary Fund, 2015)	0.9	%
GNI per capita, PPP (current international \$) (World Development Indicators, 2015)	79,970	Int\$
Major economic activity, highest contribution to GDP: Oil sector, gross value added, current prices (2015)	14.7	Billion Kuwaiti dinar
Inflation, year-on-year percentage change of the consumer price index, annual average (International Monetary Fund, 2015)	3.4	%
Cash surplus/deficit (2015)	11,014	Million Kuwaiti dinar
Total government revenues (2015)	29,128.5	Million Kuwaiti dinar
Oil revenues (2014)	22,501.6	Million Kuwaiti dinar
General government gross debt (2014)	1,587.3	Million Kuwaiti dinar
General government gross debt, percentage of GDP (2015)	10.6	%
General government net lending/borrowing, percentage of GDP (International Monetary Fund, 2015)	1.2	%

### Trade

Trade account balance (2014)	19807.2	Million Kuwaiti Dinar
International trade to GDP ratio (World Development Indicators, 2014)	99.1	
Main export category: Oil exports as a percentage of total exports (2014)	94	%
Main import category: Manufactures imports as a percentage of merchandise imports (World Development Indicators, 2013)	81	%



## Labor and Employment

Labor force participation rate for ages 15+ years, total (2015)	74.5 %
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Male</li> <li>• Female</li> </ul>	86.2 % 57.7 %
Unemployment rate, total (KILM - International Labour Organization, 2015)	3.5 %
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Male</li> <li>• Female</li> </ul>	3.8 % 2.9 %
National employment, total (2012)	381,830 Person
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Male</li> <li>• Female</li> </ul>	206,425 Person 175,405 Person
Non-national employment, total (2012)	1,883,270 Person
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Male</li> <li>• Female</li> </ul>	1,408,757 Person 474,513 Person
Youth unemployment rate (KILM – International Labour Organization, 2015)	17.3 %
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Male</li> <li>• Female</li> </ul>	19 % 14.7 %
National employment in the governmental sector (2013)	245,666 Person
Non-National employment in the governmental sector (2013)	91,505 Person
National employment in the private sector (2014)	61,652 Person
Non-National employment in the private sector (2014)	1,396,427 Person



## Energy

Crude oil production(2014)	1,046.2	Million barrels
Natural gas production (2014)	530.6	Billion cubic feet
Crude oil consumption (2014)	14.4	Million barrels
Natural gas consumption (2014)	313.9	Million cubic feet
Crude oil exports (2014)	728.1	Million barrels
Reserves to production ratio (U.S. Energy Information Administration, 2014)	108.8	
Green GNI (World Bank, 2015)	17.1	

## Water\*\*\*

Improved water source (% of population with access) (2015)	99	%
Improved sanitation facilities (% of population with access) (2015)	100	%

\*\*\***Source:** World Bank, World Development Indicators (2015),

<http://databank.worldbank.org/data/reports.aspx?source=world-development-indicators>