

# THE STATE OF THE WORLD'S CHILDREN 2011

## a) Demographic Indicators

INDICATOR	YEAR	MALAYSIA	EAST ASIA & PACIFIC	INDUSTRIALISED COUNTRIES	WORLD
<b>DEMOGRAPHIC <sup>1</sup></b>					
Total population ('000)	2009	27,468	2,012,285	988,390	6,813,327
Population under 18 ('000)	2009	9,700	551,312	204,686	2,219,545
Population under 5 ('000)	2009	2,727	146,415	56,301	637,723
Annual number of births ('000)	2009	550	30,460	11,221	136,712
Population annual growth rate (%)	1970-1990	2.6	1.8	0.7	1.8
	1990-2000	2.5	1.2	0.6	1.4
	2000-2009	2.1	1.0	0.7	1.4
Crude death rate <i>Annual number of deaths per 1,000 population</i>	1970	9	10	10	12
	1990	5	7	9	10
	2009	5	7	9	8
Crude birth rate <i>Annual number of births per 1,000 population</i>	1970	37	35	17	32
	1990	30	23	13	26
	2009	20	15	11	20
Life expectancy at birth	1970	61	59	71	59
	1990	70	67	76	65
	2009	75	73	80	69
Total fertility rate	2009	2.5	1.9	1.7	2.5

**Life Expectancy at Birth:** Number of years newborn children would live if subject to the mortality risks prevailing for the cross section of the population at the time of their birth.

**Total Fertility Rate:** Number of children who would be born per woman if she lived to the end of her childbearing years and bore children at each age in accordance with prevailing age-specific fertility rates.

<sup>1</sup> SOURCE: United Nations Population Division