



**Data on Estimated Population (1.1.2025) - Migration Flows (2024)
and Revised Data on Estimated Population - Migration Flows
for the period 2011 - 2024**

The Hellenic Statistical Authority (ELSTAT) announces data on the estimated resident population of Greece on 1st January 2025 and estimates of migration flows for 2024. The population is estimated based on vital statistics annual data for 2024 and estimations of migration flows during 2024 (immigration and emigration).

Moreover, within the context of the revision policy of ELSTAT and the conclusion of the revision process of the population estimations for the intermediate years between the 2011 and 2021 Population-Housing Censuses, revised migration flows for the years 2011 – 2023 and population estimations on 1st January of the years 2012 – 2021, 2023 and 2024 are disseminated.

- With respect to the above, the resident population of Greece on 1st January 2025 is estimated at 10,372,335 persons (5,094,094 men and 5,278,241 women), decreased by 0.03% in comparison to the population on 1st January 2024 which has been revised to 10,375,764 persons (Table 1 and 3, Graphs 1 and 3).
- This result is the outcome of the natural decrease of the population, which amounted to 57,564 persons (68,309 births versus 125,873 deaths of persons residing in the Greek territory) and the net migration, estimated at 54,135 persons (positive balance).
- The population aged 0 - 14 years on 1st January 2025 accounts for 12.8% of the total population, whereas 63.5% corresponds to the population aged 15 - 64 and 23.7% to the population 65 years and over (Table 2, Graphs 2 and 6). The ageing ratio (population aged above 65 years over the population aged 0 - 14 years) on the same date amounted to 185.4 (Graph 1).
- Net migration during 2024 (54,135 persons) corresponds to the difference between 132,149 immigrants and 78,014 emigrants. For 2023, the net migration has been revised to 29,816 persons (116,591 immigrants and 86,775 emigrants) (Table 3, Graph 7). It should be noted that immigration data also include persons living in the Country under international or temporary protection.
- Migration flows (except for persons related to international or temporary protection requests) were estimated by using estimation models which are presented in a special methodological note.

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Table 1. Estimated Population on 1st January 2025 by sex, Region and Regional Unit

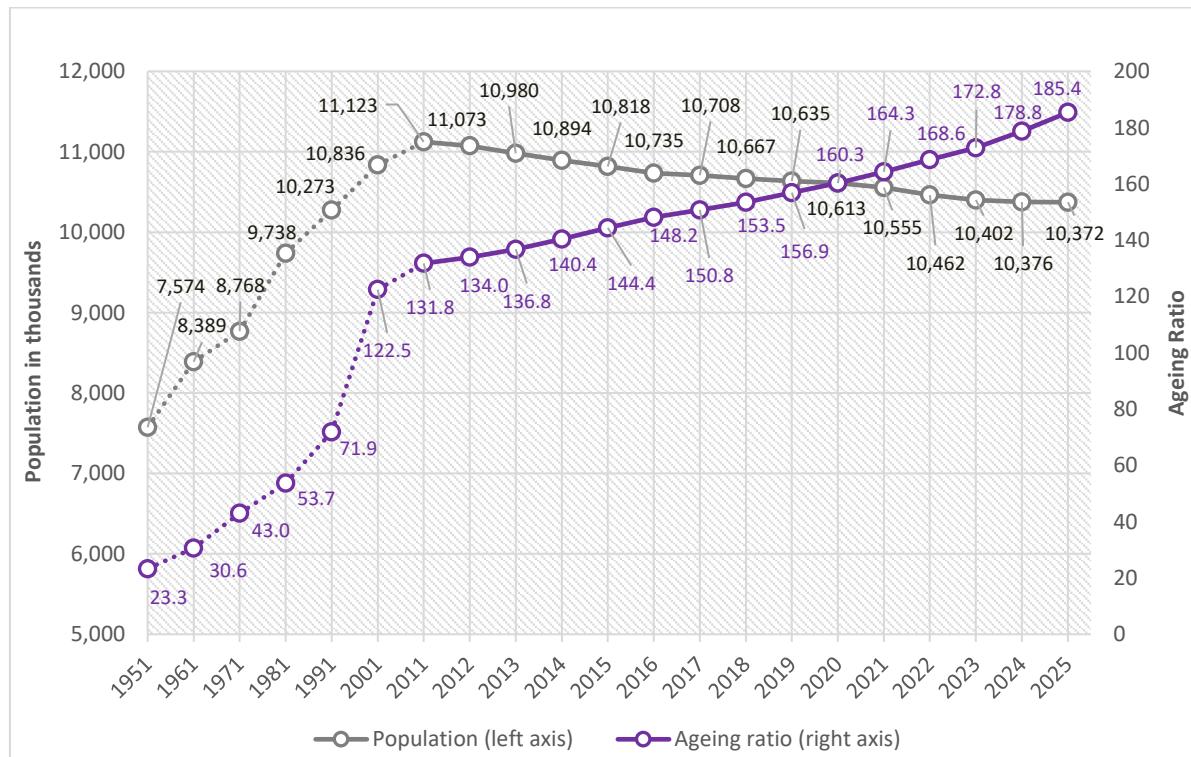
Regions	Regional Units	Men	Women	Total
TOTAL GREECE		5,094,094	5,278,241	10,372,335
Anatoliki Makedonia, Thraki		283,483	281,712	565,195
	Drama	44,453	44,614	89,067
	Evros	72,016	64,403	136,419
	Kavala and Thasos*	60,528	64,389	124,917
	Xanthi	54,040	53,914	107,954
	Rodopi	52,446	54,392	106,838
Kentriki Makedonia		857,769	914,631	1,772,400
	Imathia	64,354	65,309	129,663
	Thessaloniki	514,832	567,011	1,081,843
	Kilkis	35,120	34,738	69,858
	Pella	59,102	61,413	120,515
	Pieria	56,185	58,916	115,101
	Serres	77,907	76,821	154,728
	Chalkidiki	50,269	50,423	100,692
Dytiki Makedonia		121,093	122,482	243,575
	Grevena	13,285	12,459	25,744
	Kastoria	21,774	22,053	43,827
	Kozani	65,114	65,970	131,084
	Florina	20,920	22,000	42,920
Thessalia		333,993	342,047	676,040
	Karditsa	50,915	52,301	103,216
	Larisa	132,487	133,587	266,074
	Magnisia and Sporades*	91,201	96,451	187,652
	Trikala	59,390	59,708	119,098
Ipeiros		161,294	162,767	324,061
	Arta	30,348	30,673	61,021
	Thesprotia	20,005	20,165	40,170
	Ioannina	84,304	84,580	168,884
	Preveza	26,637	27,349	53,986
Ionia Nisia		97,693	100,728	198,421
	Zakynthos	19,704	20,417	40,121
	Kerkyra	47,811	49,886	97,697
	Kefallinia and Ithaki*	19,055	19,396	38,451
	Lefkada	11,123	11,029	22,152
Dytiki Ellada		320,684	315,270	635,954
	Aitolokarnania	91,656	92,064	183,720
	Achaia	147,207	152,482	299,689
	Ileia	81,821	70,724	152,545
Stereia Ellada		255,988	251,180	507,168
	Viotia	55,939	52,248	108,187
	Evvoia	107,096	104,754	211,850
	Evrytanis	8,861	8,671	17,532
	Fthiotida	65,410	66,984	132,394
	Fokida	18,682	18,523	37,205
Peloponnisos		266,033	263,132	529,165
	Argolida	44,474	45,630	90,104
	Arkadia	38,784	37,187	75,971
	Korinthia	68,298	68,416	136,714
	Lakonia	44,453	40,802	85,255
	Messinia	70,024	71,097	141,121
Attiki		1,811,984	1,952,288	3,764,272
Voreio Aigaio		111,006	96,921	207,927
	Lesvos and Limnos	61,009	51,511	112,520
	Samos and Ikaria	23,233	19,777	43,010
	Chios	26,764	25,633	52,397
Notio Aigaio		166,356	160,680	327,036
	Kalymnos, Karpathos, Kos, Rodos (Dodekanisos*)	109,063	102,024	211,087
	Andros, Kea-Kythnos, Milos, Mykonos, Naxos, Paros, Syros, Thira, Tinos (Kyklades*)	57,293	58,656	115,949
Kriti		306,718	314,403	621,121
	Irakleio	147,555	154,043	301,598
	Lasithi	38,620	38,511	77,131
	Rethymno	42,031	43,685	85,716
	Chania	78,512	78,164	156,676

* The Regional Units have been grouped so as their data correspond to those of the ex-Prefectures (Nomoi)

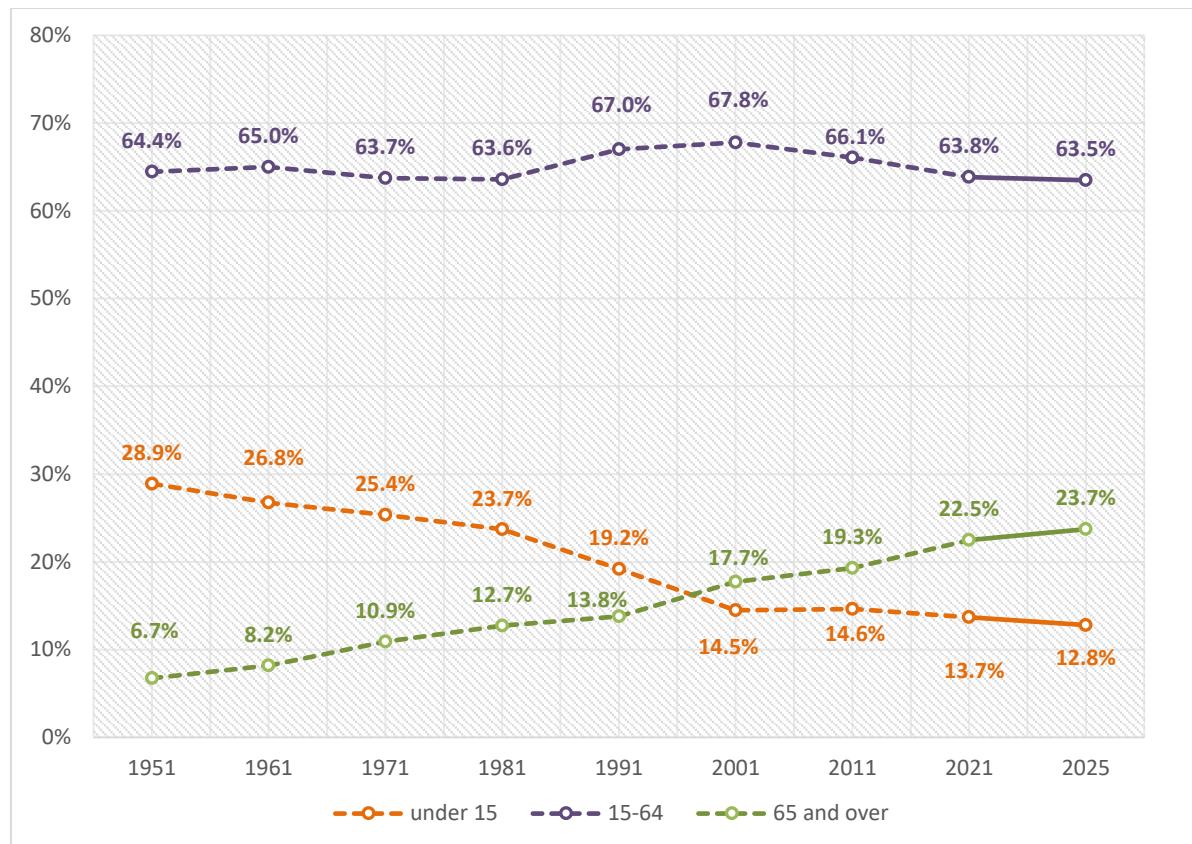
Table 2. Estimated Population on 1st January 2025 by sex and age group

	Men	Women	Total
TOTAL	5,094,094	5,278,241	10,372,335
0-4	199,054	187,957	387,011
5-9	227,870	214,416	442,286
10-14	256,698	241,284	497,982
15-19	294,857	265,978	560,835
20-24	287,559	255,345	542,904
25-29	272,308	244,563	516,871
30-34	281,710	259,829	541,539
35-39	303,566	295,886	599,452
40-44	373,199	369,486	742,685
45-49	399,474	400,763	800,237
50-54	390,798	397,761	788,559
55-59	383,635	405,555	789,190
60-64	334,060	368,064	702,124
65-69	309,712	350,321	660,033
70-74	263,365	304,318	567,683
75-79	220,406	273,855	494,261
80-84	140,051	190,281	330,332
85-89	99,782	154,497	254,279
90-94	44,208	75,169	119,377
95-99	10,396	19,830	30,226
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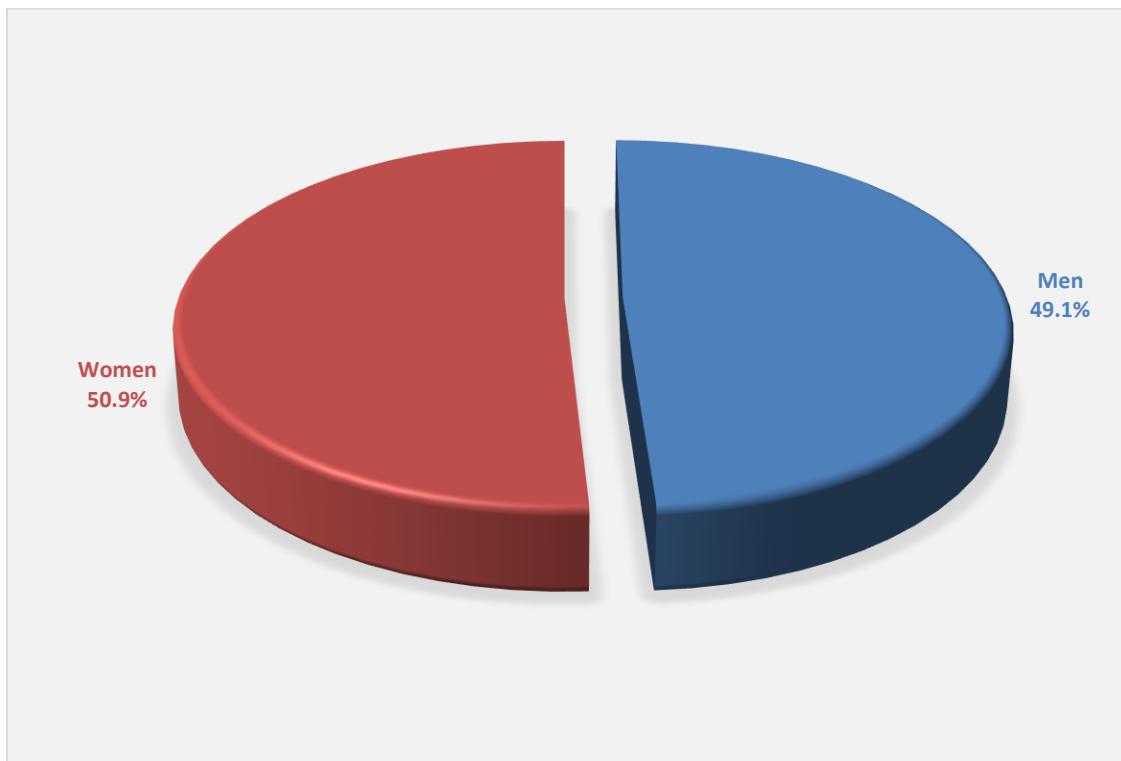
Graph 1. Estimated Population and Ageing Ratio for the period 1951 – 2011 by decade and the years 2011 - 2025



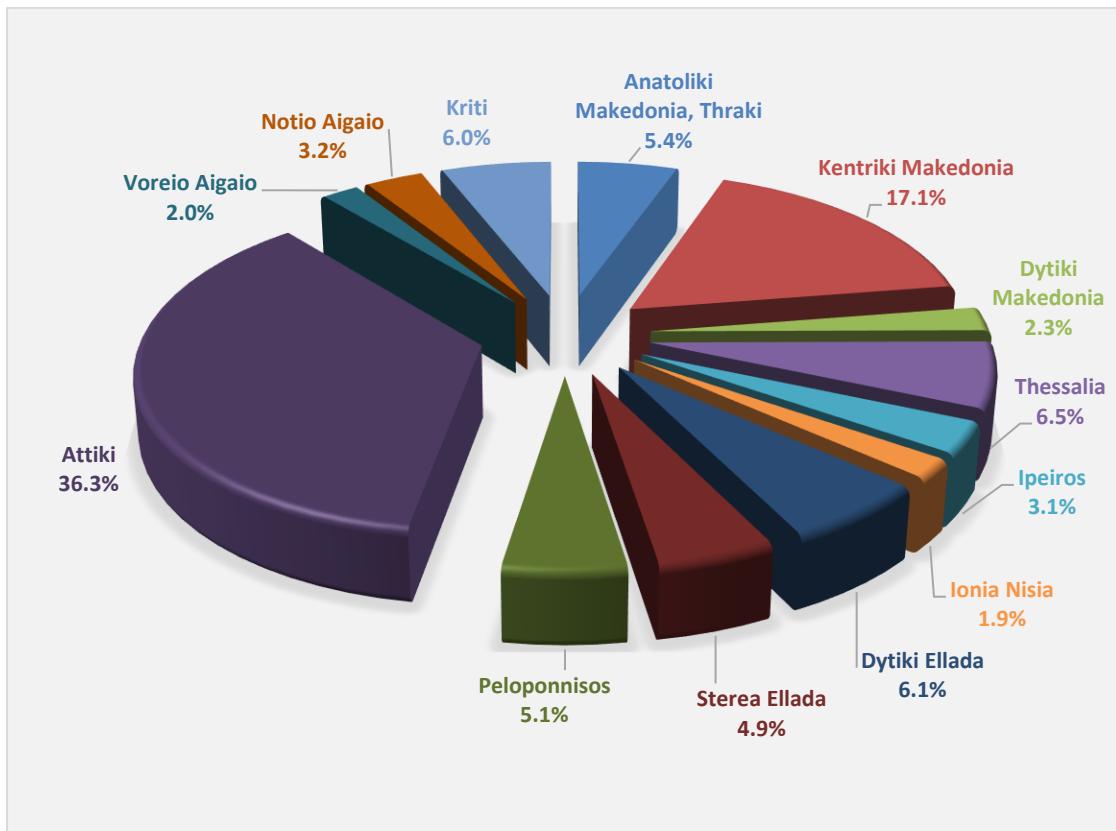
Graph 2. Percentage distribution of Estimated Population by broad age groups for the period 1951 – 2021 by decade and 2025



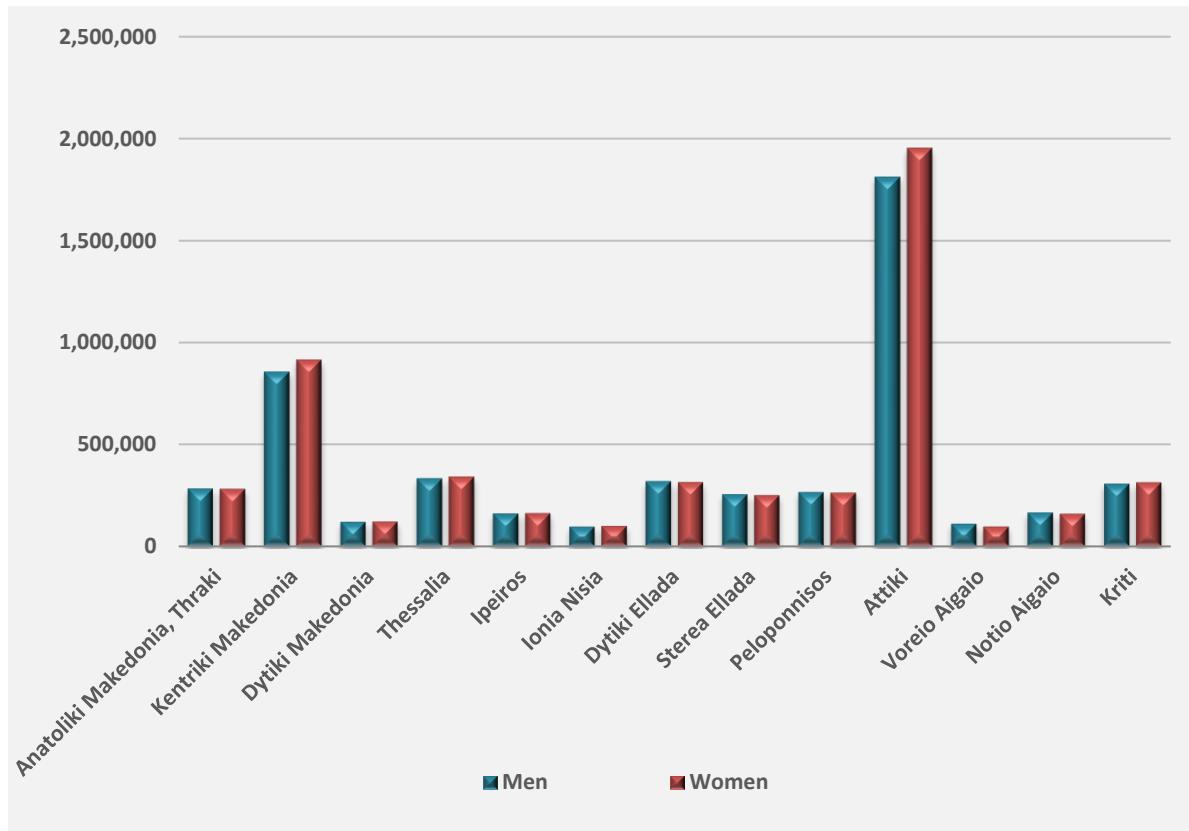
Graph 3. Distribution of Estimated Population by sex on 1st January 2025



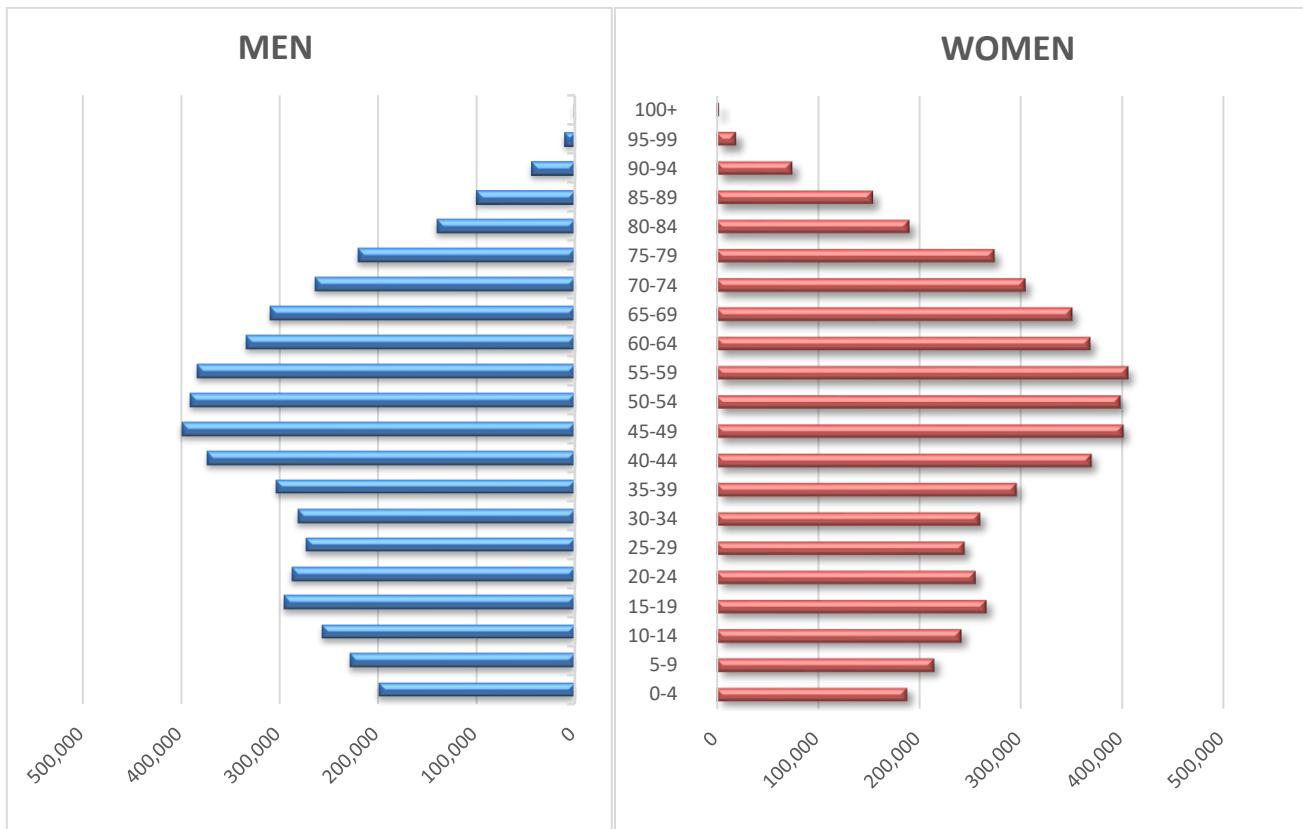
Graph 4. Distribution of Estimated Population by Region (NUTS 2) on 1st January 2025



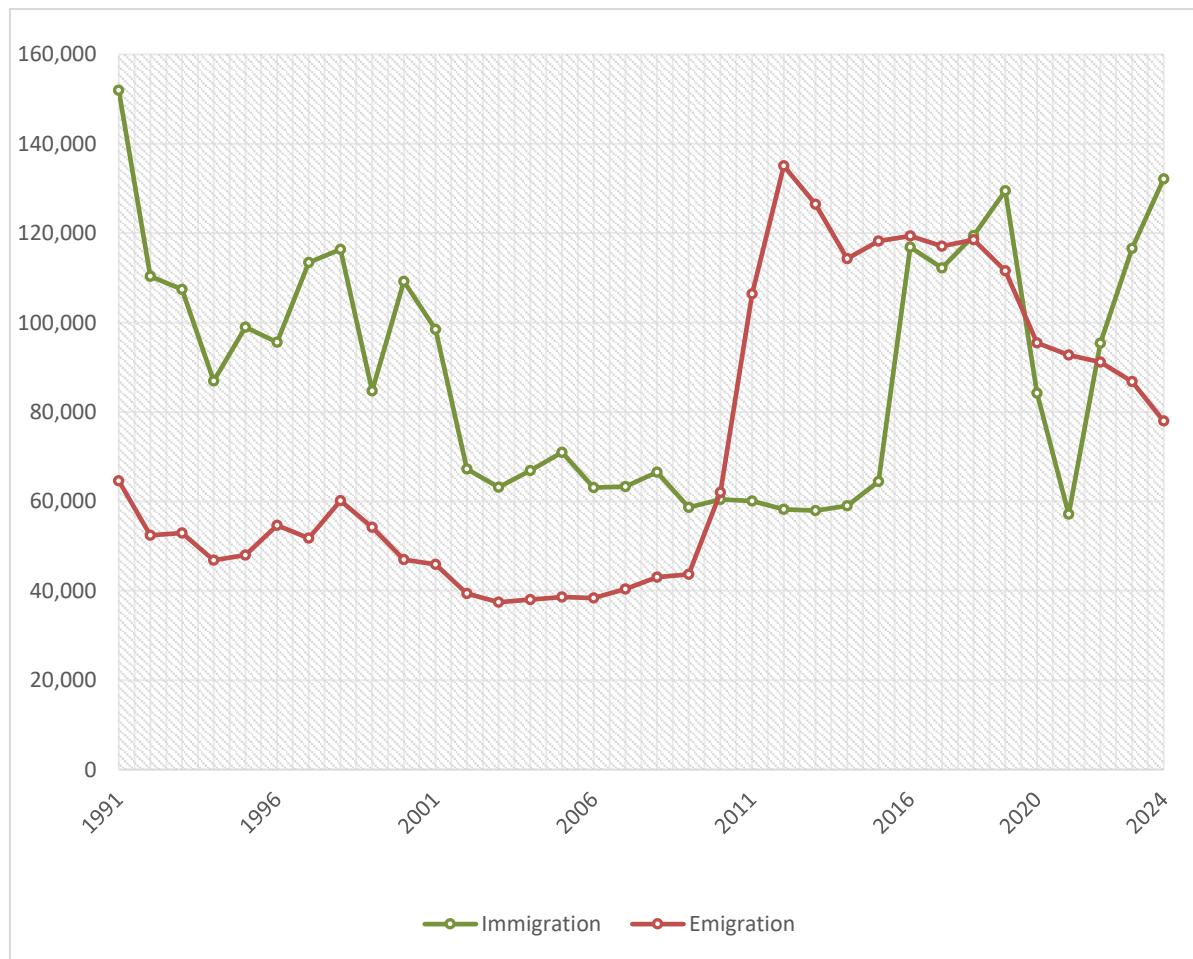
Graph 5. Estimated Population by sex and Region (NUTS 2) on 1st January 2025



Graph 6. Pyramid of Estimated Population on 1st January 2025



Graph 7. Immigration - Emigration, 1991 – 2024



**Table 3. Estimated Population on the 1st January of the years 1991 – 2025
and Immigration, Emigration, Net Migration 1991 – 2024***

Year	Immigration	Emigration	Net Migration	Estimated Population on 1 st January
1991	151,978	64,628	87,350	10,272,691
1992	110,334	52,389	57,945	10,367,163
1993	107,462	52,929	54,533	10,430,958
1994	86,959	46,813	40,146	10,489,871
1995	98,989	47,967	51,022	10,535,973
1996	95,585	54,628	40,957	10,588,332
1997	113,477	51,794	61,683	10,629,267
1998	116,411	60,119	56,292	10,693,250
1999	84,695	54,175	30,520	10,747,768
2000	109,251	46,993	62,258	10,775,627
2001	98,471	45,909	52,562	10,835,989
2002	67,220	39,378	27,842	10,888,274
2003	63,141	37,433	25,708	10,915,770
2004	66,871	38,041	28,830	10,940,369
2005	70,933	38,583	32,350	10,969,912
2006	63,094	38,368	24,726	11,004,716
2007	63,298	40,400	22,898	11,036,008
2008	66,529	43,044	23,485	11,060,937
2009	58,613	43,686	14,927	11,094,745
2010	60,462	62,041	-1,579	11,119,289
2011	60,089	106,398	-46,309	11,123,392
2012	58,200	135,073	-76,873	11,072,725
2013	57,946	126,464	-68,518	10,980,006
2014	59,014	114,276	-55,262	10,894,294
2015	64,446	118,218	-53,772	10,818,041
2016	116,867	119,409	-2,542	10,735,415
2017	112,247	117,123	-4,876	10,707,527
2018	119,489	118,545	944	10,667,336
2019	129,459	111,603	17,856	10,635,213
2020	84,221	95,439	-11,218	10,612,591
2021	57,120	92,775	-35,655	10,555,344
2022	95,374	91,137	4,237	10,461,627
2023	116,591	86,775	29,816	10,401,868
2024	132,149	78,014	54,135	10,375,764
2025	-	-	-	10,372,335

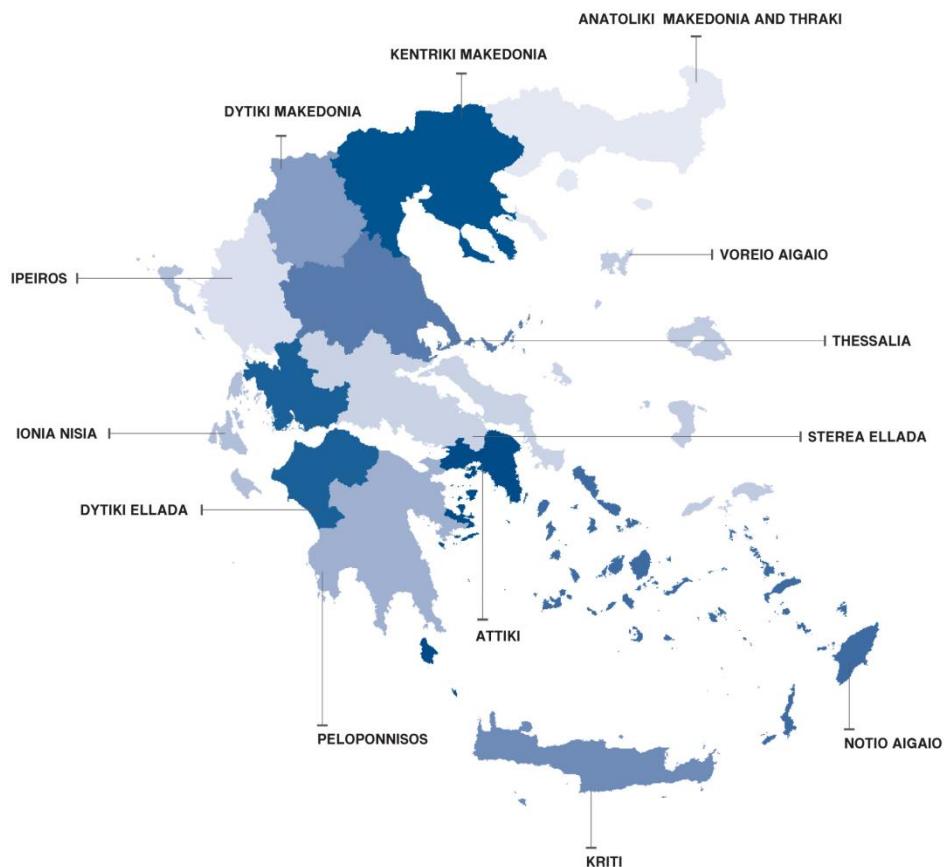
* The estimated population on 1st January has been revised for the years 2012 – 2021, 2023 and 2024.

Immigration data have been revised for the years 2022 – 2023, whereas emigration and net migration data for the years 2011 – 2023.

EXPLANATORY NOTES

Vital and Migration Statistics	The Vital Statistics Survey is being conducted under its current form since 1956. ELSTAT receives, monthly, primary data on vital statistics from the Ministry of the Interior, through information systems which are first updated by the Registries of the municipal authorities of the Country. The results of the survey are disseminated on an annual basis. Migration flows are estimated using statistical methods which are described in detail through a special methodological note.
Legal Framework	The survey is fully harmonized with the European statistical practice. It is governed by Law 344/76 concerning the “Registration of vital events” which lays down the obligations of the Civil Register Offices to collect and then transmit the data, as well as by Law 3832/2010 on the “Greek Statistical System”, as amended.
Coverage	The Vital Statistics survey is a census survey and the results referring to vital events occurring to usual resident population (births – deaths) are used as an input to the population estimation procedure.
Geographical classification	Geographical classification is based on the Nomenclature of Territorial Units for Statistics (NUTS).

Map of the Regions (NUTS2) of Greece



Reference period of the estimation	2024 for migration flows and 1 st January 2025 for population estimation.
Reference period of the revision	2011 – 2023 for migration flows and 1 st January of the years 2012 – 2021, 2023, 2024 for population estimations.
Definitions	<p>Usual residence means the place at which a person normally spends the daily period of rest, regardless of temporary absences for purposes of recreation, holiday, visits to friends and relatives, business, medical treatment or religious pilgrimage or, in default, the place of legal or registered residence. Only the following persons shall be considered to be usual residents of the geographical area: a) those who have lived in their place of usual residence for a continuous period of at least 12 months before the reference date; or b) those who arrived in their place of usual residence during the 12 months before the reference date with the intention of staying there for at least one year.</p> <p>Resident Population of a specific geographical area is the total number of persons who have established their place of usual residence in that area.</p> <p>Immigration means the action by which a person establishes his or her usual residence in the territory of the country for a period that is, or is expected to be, at least 12 months, having previously been a usual resident of another country.</p> <p>Emigration means the action by which a person, having previously been usual resident in the territory of the country, ceases to have his or her usual residence in the country for a period that is, or is expected to be, at least 12 months.</p> <p>Ageing Ratio means the ratio of the number of persons aged 65 years and over to the youngest population (aged 0-14) which, for this release, is calculated based on the 1st January estimated population.</p>
Methodology	A detailed methodological note on estimated population is available on the ELSTAT website https://www.statistics.gr , in the link “Statistics, Population and Social Conditions, Demography, Estimated Population, Methodological Note on the estimated migration flows for 2024 and population of Greece on 01/01/2025”.
References	More information (tables, methodologiy) is available on the website of ELSTAT: https://www.statistics.gr , at the link “Statistics, Population and Social Conditions, Demography”.