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ESTIMATE OF THE POPULATION OF CEYLON UP TO THE END OF JUNE, 1958

THE following is the estimate of the population of the Island up to the end of June, 1958.

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Colombo, 19th February, 1959.

Estimated Population of the Electoral Districts of the Island up to the end of June, 1958, classified by Age Groups (under 21 years and 21 years and over) and Nationality.

Number of Electoral District	Name of Electoral District	Total	Age		Nationality			Non-Citizens of Ceylon
			Under 21 Years	21 Years and Over	Citizens of Ceylon			
					Total	Under 21 Years	21 Years and Over	
	CEYLON ..	9,361,300 ..	4,745,500 ..	4,615,800 ..	8,213,800 ..	4,148,800 ..	4,065,000 ..	1,147,500
1 ..	Colombo North ..	126,000 ..	60,100 ..	65,900 ..	114,500 ..	54,700 ..	59,800 ..	11,500
2 ..	Colombo Central ..	221,500 ..	88,800 ..	132,700 ..	165,500 ..	66,400 ..	99,100 ..	56,000
3 ..	Colombo South ..	117,100 ..	46,300 ..	70,800 ..	100,500 ..	39,800 ..	60,700 ..	16,600
4 ..	Wellawatta-Galkissa ..	134,500 ..	62,400 ..	72,100 ..	127,200 ..	59,000 ..	68,200 ..	7,300
5 ..	Ja-ela ..	153,900 ..	73,100 ..	80,800 ..	148,300 ..	70,400 ..	77,900 ..	5,600
6 ..	Negombo ..	152,100 ..	72,300 ..	79,800 ..	147,500 ..	70,100 ..	77,400 ..	4,600
7 ..	Mirigama ..	135,000 ..	64,200 ..	70,800 ..	133,900 ..	63,700 ..	70,200 ..	1,100
8 ..	Gampaha ..	136,000 ..	64,300 ..	71,700 ..	135,300 ..	64,000 ..	71,300 ..	700
9 ..	Attanagalla ..	139,500 ..	69,100 ..	70,400 ..	138,800 ..	68,700 ..	70,100 ..	700
10 ..	Kelaniya ..	152,200 ..	73,700 ..	78,500 ..	150,100 ..	72,600 ..	77,500 ..	2,100
11 ..	Avissawella ..	149,400 ..	72,200 ..	77,200 ..	143,700 ..	69,400 ..	74,300 ..	5,700
12 ..	Kotte ..	140,700 ..	69,400 ..	71,300 ..	138,400 ..	68,200 ..	70,200 ..	2,300
13 ..	Horana ..	135,100 ..	64,400 ..	70,700 ..	131,500 ..	62,700 ..	68,800 ..	3,600
14 ..	Moratuwa ..	137,500 ..	66,000 ..	71,500 ..	135,800 ..	65,200 ..	70,600 ..	1,700
15 ..	Panadura ..	134,200 ..	64,100 ..	70,100 ..	133,100 ..	63,600 ..	69,500 ..	1,100
16 ..	Kalutara ..	136,300 ..	68,000 ..	68,300 ..	134,500 ..	67,000 ..	67,500 ..	1,800
17 ..	Matugama ..	133,500 ..	66,800 ..	66,700 ..	116,200 ..	58,100 ..	58,100 ..	17,300
18 ..	Agalawatta ..	113,000 ..	58,100 ..	54,900 ..	97,400 ..	50,100 ..	47,300 ..	15,600
19 ..	Dambulla ..	116,800 ..	61,900 ..	54,900 ..	98,400 ..	52,200 ..	46,200 ..	18,400
20 ..	Matale ..	114,700 ..	60,400 ..	54,300 ..	86,700 ..	45,600 ..	41,100 ..	28,000
21 ..	Minipe ..	100,700 ..	52,900 ..	47,800 ..	64,900 ..	34,100 ..	30,800 ..	35,800
22 ..	Wattegama ..	102,600 ..	55,500 ..	47,100 ..	90,100 ..	48,700 ..	41,400 ..	12,500
23 ..	Kadugannawa ..	195,500 ..	106,400 ..	89,100 ..	185,500 ..	100,900 ..	84,600 ..	10,000
24 ..	Kandy ..	115,000 ..	58,800 ..	56,200 ..	100,500 ..	51,400 ..	49,100 ..	14,500
25 ..	Galaha ..	118,900 ..	64,500 ..	54,400 ..	93,600 ..	50,700 ..	42,900 ..	25,300

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			Under 21 Years	21 Years and Over	Citizens of Ceylon			Non-Citizens of Ceylon
					Total	Under 21 Years	21 Years and Over	
26	Gampola	121,000	64,700	56,300	80,300	42,900	37,400	40,700
27	Maturata	104,800	57,500	47,300	73,100	40,100	33,000	31,700
28	Nuwara Eliya	108,500	56,900	51,600	37,700	19,800	17,900	70,800
29	Talawakele	102,800	54,100	48,700	10,200	5,400	4,800	92,600
30	Kotagala	70,600	37,900	32,700	21,500	11,500	10,000	49,100
31	Nawalapitiya	80,700	41,900	38,800	31,100	16,100	15,000	49,600
32	Maskeliya	100,000	53,500	46,500	27,100	14,500	12,600	72,900
33	Ambalangoda-Balapitiya	214,200	109,000	105,200	213,000	108,400	104,600	1,200
34	Baddegama	79,400	41,000	38,400	78,300	40,500	37,800	1,100
35	Udugama	108,800	56,100	52,700	103,500	53,400	50,100	5,300
36	Galle	114,400	56,100	58,300	112,600	55,200	57,400	1,800
37	Weligama	98,900	50,700	48,200	98,800	50,600	48,200	10
38	Akuressa	109,100	57,800	51,300	107,800	57,100	50,700	1,300
39	Matara	103,900	54,000	49,900	103,400	53,800	49,600	500
40	Hakmana	106,800	57,100	49,700	106,700	57,000	49,700	100
41	Deniyaya	108,900	59,100	49,800	98,900	53,700	45,200	10,000
42	Beliatta	106,300	57,800	48,500	106,300	57,800	48,500	—
43	Hambantota	108,000	55,400	52,600	107,800	55,300	52,500	200
44	Kayts	65,600	33,100	32,500	65,300	32,900	32,400	300
45	Vaddukkodai	80,600	39,400	41,200	80,200	39,200	41,000	400
46	Kankesanturai	89,700	42,900	46,800	89,000	42,600	46,400	700
47	Jaffna	90,500	44,200	46,300	84,600	41,400	43,200	5,900
48	Kopay	77,700	38,000	39,700	77,300	37,900	39,400	400
49	Point Pedro	91,000	41,400	49,600	90,100	41,100	49,000	900
50	Chavakachcheri	76,700	35,300	41,400	74,700	34,400	40,300	2,000
51	Mannar	50,900	23,100	27,800	38,800	17,600	21,200	12,100
52	Vavuniya	41,600	20,200	21,400	38,600	18,700	19,900	3,000
53	Trincomalee	47,200	21,300	25,900	42,700	19,300	23,400	4,500
54	Mutur	75,000	37,300	37,700	73,900	36,800	37,100	1,100
55	Kalkudah	60,600	32,200	28,400	60,200	32,000	28,200	400
56	Batticaloa	69,900	35,300	34,600	69,000	34,800	34,200	900
57	Paddiruppu	55,800	29,400	26,400	55,600	29,400	26,200	200
58	Kalmunai	131,600	63,600	68,000	130,100	62,800	67,300	1,500
59	Pottuvil	56,100	29,600	26,500	55,800	29,500	26,300	300
60	Puttalam	49,100	23,200	25,900	47,400	22,400	25,000	1,700
61	Nikaweratiya	102,000	54,300	47,700	100,900	53,700	47,200	1,100
62	Dodangaslanda	115,700	61,200	54,500	113,100	59,700	53,400	2,600
63	Kurunegala	124,100	63,500	60,600	120,100	61,400	58,700	4,000
64	Dambadeniya	103,600	52,700	50,900	102,100	52,000	50,100	1,500
65	Wariyapola	103,000	54,500	48,500	102,300	54,100	48,200	700
66	Dandegamuwa	96,100	49,800	46,300	94,800	49,200	45,600	1,300
67	Bingiriya	108,600	55,600	53,000	106,900	54,700	52,200	1,700
68	Chilaw	102,900	49,800	53,100	97,500	47,300	50,200	5,400
69	Nattandiya	95,800	46,700	49,100	92,600	45,200	47,400	3,200
70	Medawachchiya	56,200	30,300	25,900	55,300	29,900	25,400	900
71	Anuradhapura	43,500	21,200	22,300	41,600	20,300	21,300	1,900
72	Kalawewa	59,700	31,100	28,600	59,000	30,700	28,300	700
73	Horowapotana	47,300	23,600	23,700	47,000	23,400	23,600	300
74	Polonnaruwa	68,400	33,200	35,200	67,700	32,900	34,800	700
75	Alutnuwara	67,600	37,600	30,000	51,600	28,700	22,900	16,000
76	Badulla	188,600	104,200	84,400	102,200	56,400	45,800	86,400
77	Bandarawela	69,700	38,500	31,200	46,900	25,900	21,000	22,800
78	Welimada	84,900	48,300	35,600	69,200	39,400	29,800	15,700
79	Haputale	64,900	34,200	30,700	25,300	13,300	12,000	39,600
80	Buttala	74,200	40,500	33,700	64,100	34,900	29,200	10,100
81	Mawanella	102,100	56,000	45,100	98,700	54,200	44,500	3,400
82	Kegalla	104,100	55,800	48,300	98,000	52,500	45,500	6,100
83	Dedigama	98,200	52,100	46,100	91,800	48,700	43,100	6,400
84	Ruwanwella	94,200	49,900	44,300	74,000	39,200	34,800	20,200
85	Dehiowita	97,200	50,500	46,700	75,300	39,100	36,200	21,900
86	Kiriella	91,900	47,500	44,400	80,300	41,500	38,800	11,600
87	Ratnapura	88,300	45,700	42,600	80,000	41,400	38,600	8,300
88	Nivitigala	107,800	57,200	50,600	85,200	45,200	40,000	22,600
89	Balangoda	232,300	126,200	106,100	167,000	90,700	76,300	65,300

Note 1.—Figures have been estimated (to the nearest hundred) up to the end of June, 1958, on the basis of the 1953 Census and on subsequent births and deaths where records were available.

Note 2.—Figures relating to Non-Citizens of Ceylon will have to be treated with caution as—

- (a) migration of the population since the 1953 Census will not be reflected in the estimated figures, and
- (b) the Census merely recorded statements about nationality as declared by the respondents.

Note 3.—Adjustments have been made in the Electoral District figures to reflect internal migration of population on account of major colonization schemes.