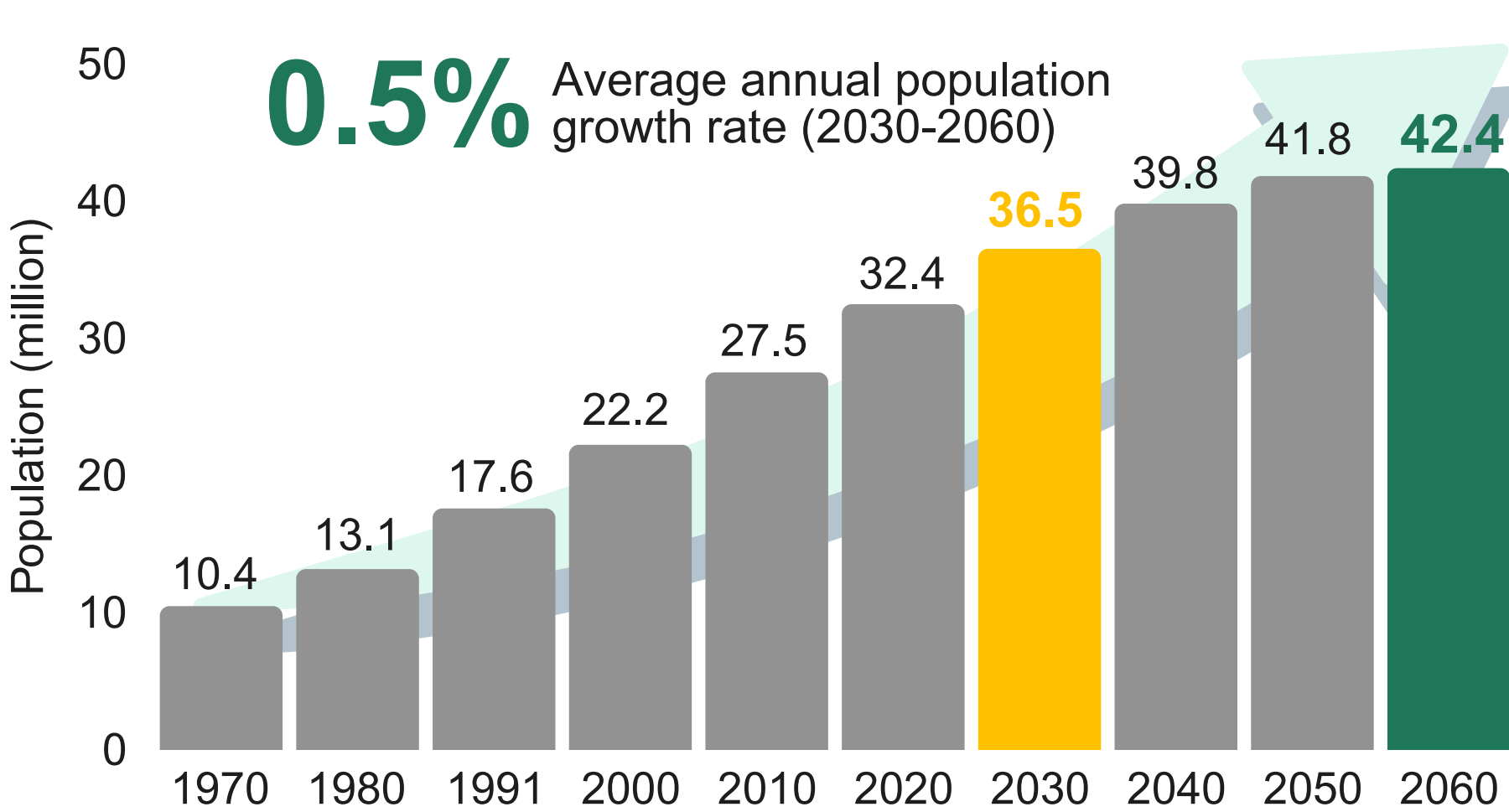




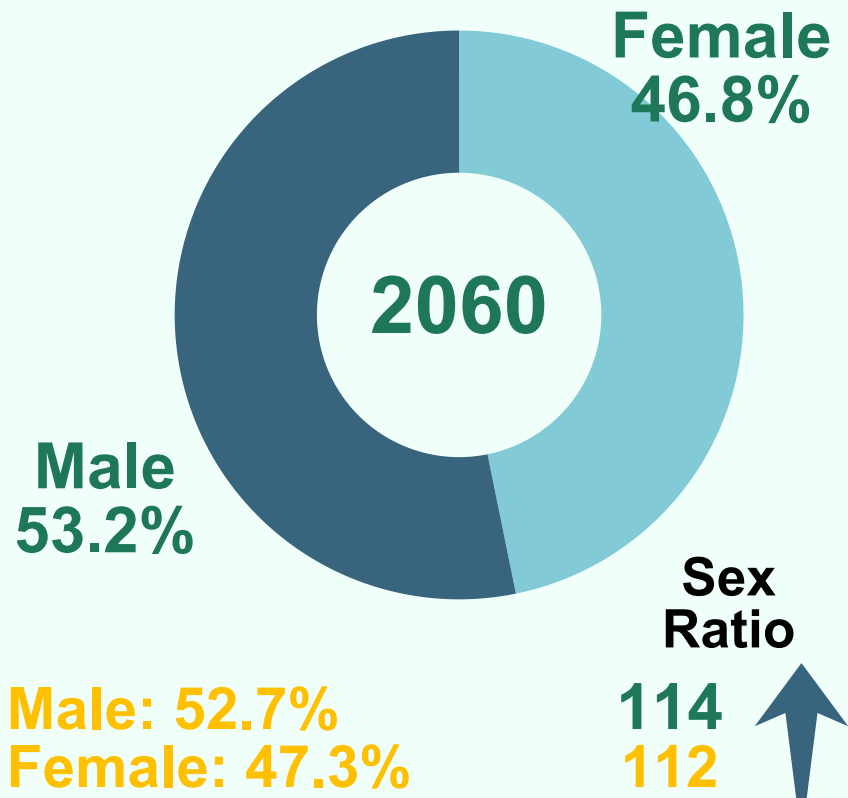
POPULATION PROJECTIONS, MALAYSIA, 2020 - 2060



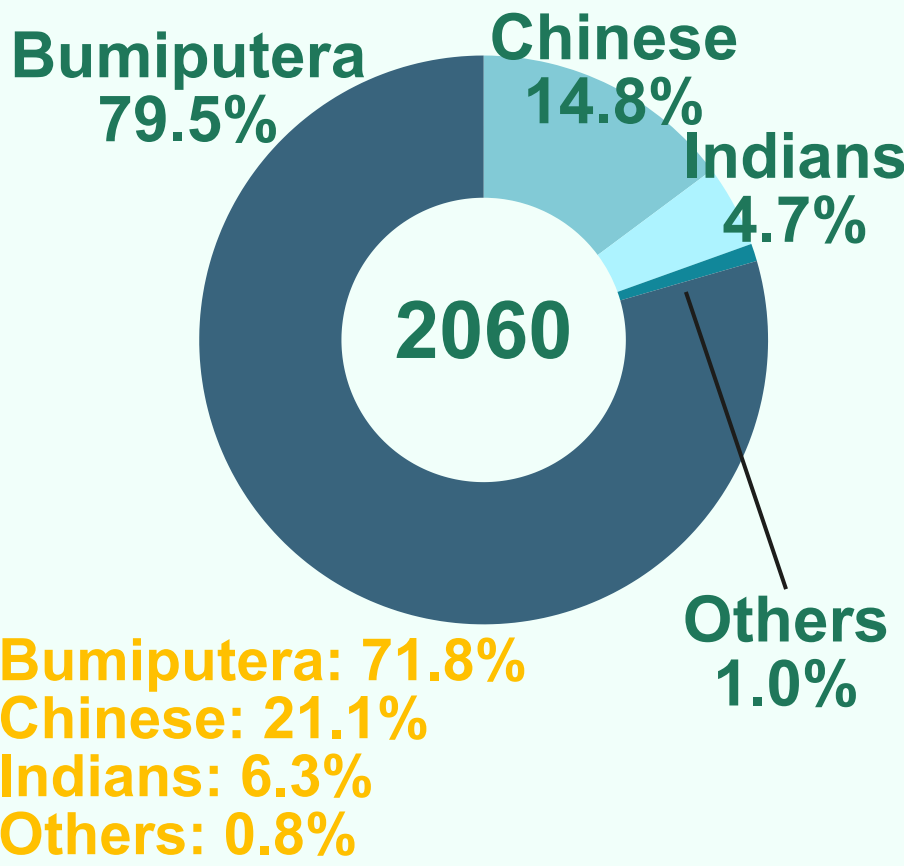
Legend: 2030 2060

Malaysia's population increased 5.87 million for a period of 30 years from 2030 and reaching a peak of 42.38 million in 2059 and begin to decrease in 2060

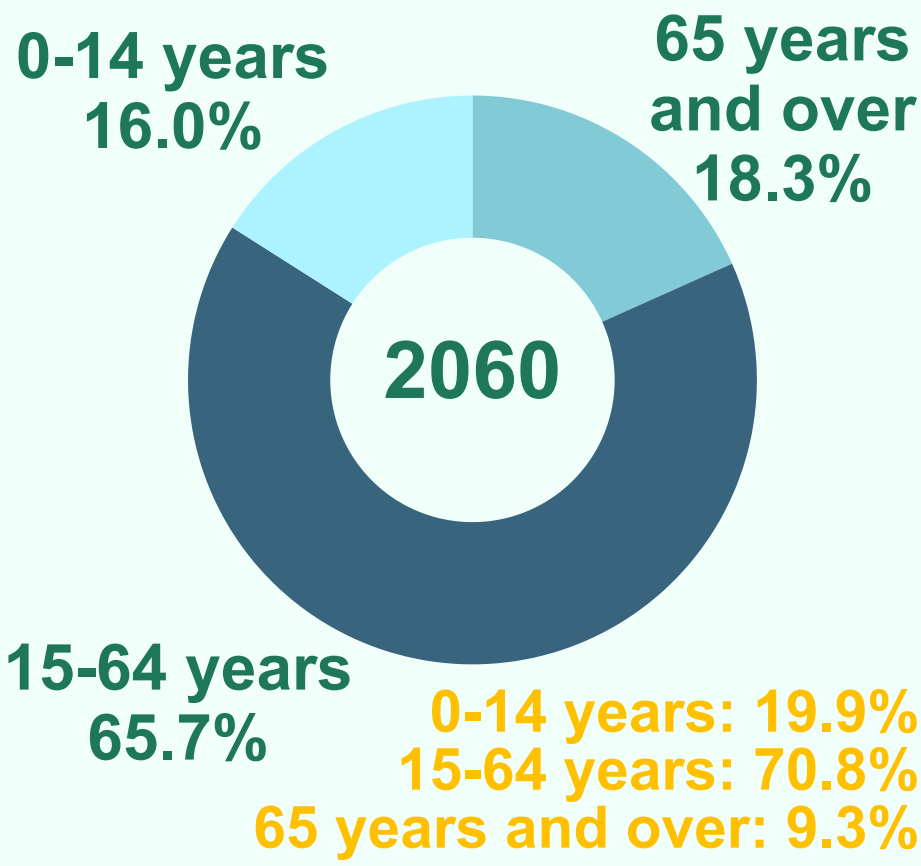
Sex (%)



Ethnic Group (%)



Age Group (%)



Population Projections by State, Malaysia, 2030 and 2060



JOHOR

4,490.6
4,994.6



KEDAH

2,365.4
2,578.0



KELANTAN

2,145.7
3,484.5



MELAKA

1,138.4
1,365.2



NEGERI
SEMBILAN

1,326.5
1,480.0



PAHANG

1,807.2
2,488.2



PERAK

2,708.6
3,119.1



PERLIS

317.7
355.7



PULAU
PINANG

1,909.9
1,808.6



SABAH

4,046.8
4,890.5



SARAWAK

2,691.1
3,019.3



SELANGOR

7,799.2
8,102.7



TERENGGANU

1,401.1
2,291.2



W.P.
KUALA LUMPUR

2,087.2
1,878.7



W.P.
LABUAN

106.0
101.0



W.P.
PUTRAJAYA

151.6
410.9



Malaysia's population projected to peak at 42.38 million in 2059

- Malaysia's population is projected at 36.49 million in 2030, 39.78 million (2040), 41.79 million (2050) and 42.37 million (2060).
- The population is expected to **continuously increase** over the next 40 years and **reaching peak of 42.38 million in 2059** and start to decrease in 2060.
- **Selangor is projected to remain as the most populous state** in 2060, with 8.10 million, followed by Johor (4.99 million) and Sabah (4.89 million).
- The population of **Kelantan, Pahang, Perak, Terengganu and W.P. Putrajaya** are projected to **continuously increase over the 40-years period** up to 2060.
- The distribution of the population by sex shows **more males than females** throughout the period from 2030 to 2060.
- Bumiputera shows the **highest percentage increment by 7.6 percentage points** from 71.8 per cent (2030) to 79.4 per cent (2060). The proportion of Chinese and Indians **decline in 2060** to 14.8 per cent (2030: 21.1%) and 4.7 per cent (2030: 6.3%), respectively.
- The age structure of population projected to shift with **young and working age group continue to decrease** while **old age group increase** during the period 2030-2060.
- Malaysia became an **Ageing Society in 2021** and entering the **Aged Society by 2048** where the population aged 65 and over more than 7 per cent and 14 per cent, respectively.

