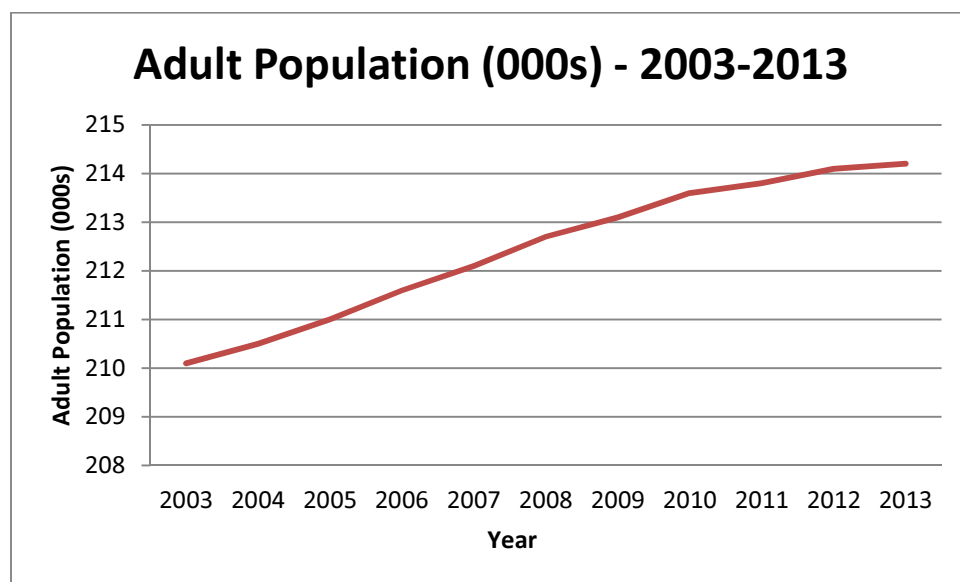


## **Adult Population (000's) 2003-2013**



Source: Barbados Statistical Service

### **ADULT POPULATION (000's) - 2003-2013**

<b>YEAR</b>	<b>2003</b>	<b>2004</b>	<b>2005</b>	<b>2006</b>	<b>2007</b>	<b>2008</b>	<b>2009</b>	<b>2010</b>	<b>2011</b>	<b>2012</b>	<b>2013</b>
<b>(000's)</b>	210.1	210.5	211	211.6	212.1	212.7	213.1	213.6	213.8	214.1	214.2

The adult population comprises those persons aged 15 years and older who live in private households, but excludes visitors to the island. Other categories of persons that are excluded are persons housed in institutions such as senior citizens homes and correctional facilities<sup>1</sup>. Over the review period, the adult population grew marginally, by an annual average of some 0.19%.

Though the data shows that growth was recorded in each year, the slow rate of this growth is underscored when it is considered that in absolute terms, the adult population only increased by some four thousand persons over the entire review period.

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<sup>1</sup> Continuous Labour Force Survey of the Barbados Statistical Service