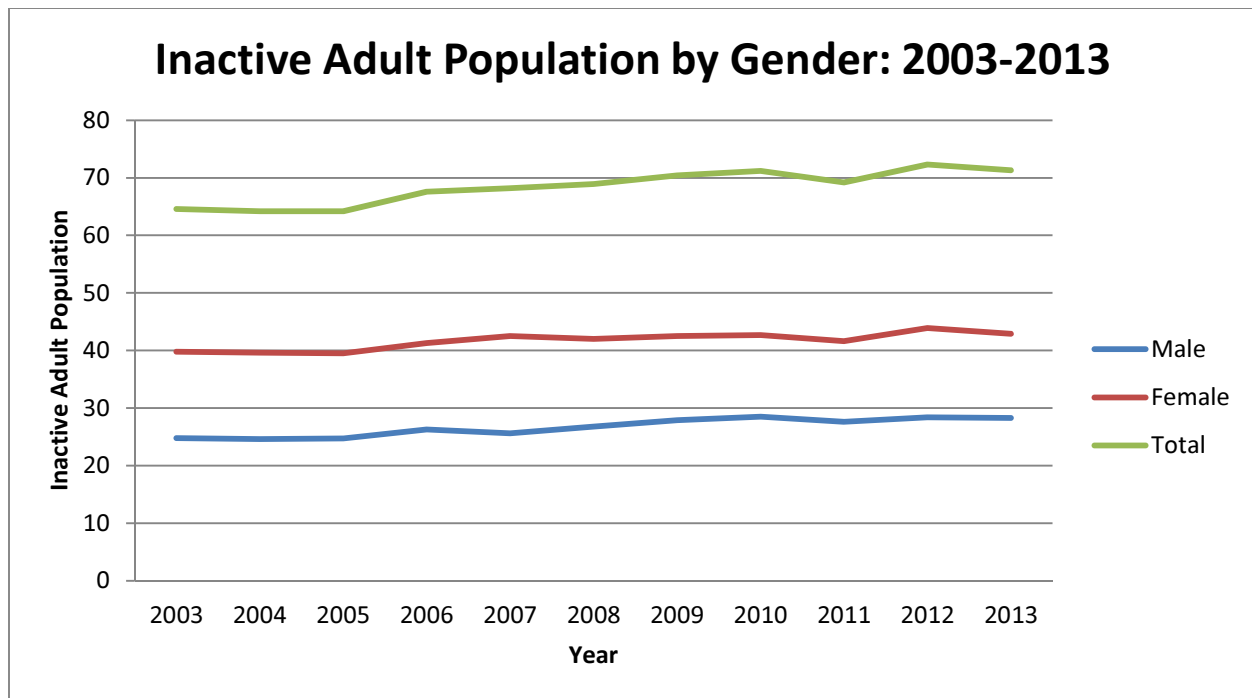


Inactive Adult Population by Gender (000's) 2003-2013



Source: Barbados Statistical Service

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Year	Male	Female	Total
2003	24.8	39.8	64.6
2004	24.6	39.6	64.2
2005	24.7	39.5	64.2
2006	26.3	41.3	67.6
2007	25.6	42.5	68.2
2008	26.8	42	68.9
2009	27.9	42.5	70.4
2010	28.5	42.7	71.2
2011	27.6	41.6	69.2
2012	28.4	43.9	72.3
2013	28.3	42.9	71.3

A review of the graph indicates that females tended to significantly outnumber their male counterparts in this particular variable. In highlighting the most recent year of 2013, there were some 42,900 inactive females, vis-à-vis 28,300 males.

Persons placed within this category are persons who are over the age of 15 years, who are **neither** employed nor unemployed. Such persons are usually retired, incapacitated, home providers or students.