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Jaffna District										
Aii sectors										
Both Sexes	583,882	2,284	577,338	1,807	2,162	126	23	23	22	97
Male	274,173	1,627	270,668	677	1,088	57	9	5	8	34
Female	309,709	657	306,670	1,130	1,074	69	14	18	14	63
Urban Sector										
Both Sexes	117,575	568	114,744	397	1,765	77	1	1	-	22
Male	55,311	411	53,786	157	911	35	1	-	-	10
Female	62,264	157	60,958	240	854	42	-	1	-	12
Rural Sector										
Both Sexes	466,307	1,716	462,594	1,410	397	49	22	22	22	75
Male	218,862	1,216	216,882	520	177	22	8	5	8	24
Female	247,445	500	245,712	890	220	27	14	17	14	51
Estate Sector										
Both Sexes	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Male	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Female	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

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Kilinochchi District										
All Sectors										
Total										
Both Sexes										
Total	113,510	1,331	110,494	1,030	629	1	2	-	-	23
Male	55,783	1,050	53,926	452	336	1	2	-	-	16
Female	57,727	281	56,568	578	293	-	-	-	-	7
Urban Sector										
Both Sexes										
Total	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
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Mannar District										
Total										
Both Sexes										
Total	99,570	2,305	80,103	692	16,436	12	11	1	-	10
Male	50,053	1,903	39,453	303	8,368	6	11	-	-	9
Female	49,517	402	40,650	389	8,068	6	-	1	-	1
Urban sector										
Both Sexes										
Total	24,417	765	21,403	194	2,047	7	-	1	-	-
Male	12,173	588	10,419	84	1,078	4	-	-	-	-
Female	12,244	177	10,984	110	969	3	-	1	-	-
Rural sector										
Both Sexes										
Total	75,153	1,540	58,700	498	14,389	5	11	-	-	10
Male	37,880	1,315	29,034	219	7,290	2	11	-	-	9
Female	37,273	225	29,666	279	7,099	3	-	-	-	1
Estate sector										
Both Sexes										
Total	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Male	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Female	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

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Vavuniya District										
All Sectors										
Both Sexes										
Total	172,115	17,138	141,144	1,979	11,748	58	8	-	-	40
Male	84,715	9,647	68,185	888	5,934	31	4	-	-	26
Female	87,400	7,491	72,959	1,091	5,814	27	4	-	-	14
Urban Sector										
Both Sexes										
Total	34,816	2,270	29,314	326	2,860	35	2	-	-	9
Male	17,091	1,542	13,858	133	1,532	20	1	-	-	5
Female	17,725	728	15,456	193	1,328	15	1	-	-	4
Rural Sector										
Both Sexes										
Total	137,299	14,868	111,830	1,653	8,888	23	6	-	-	31
Male	67,624	8,105	54,327	755	4,402	11	3	-	-	21
Female	69,675	6,763	57,503	898	4,486	12	3	-	-	10
Estat Sector										
Both Sexes										
Total	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
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Mullaitivu District										
All sectors										
Both Sexes										
Total	92,238	8,927	79,107	2,281	1,821	49	11	-	1	41
Male	46,036	5,025	38,878	1,082	976	25	11	-	1	38
Female	46,202	3,902	40,229	1,199	845	24	-	-	-	3
Urban sector										
Both Sexes										
Total	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
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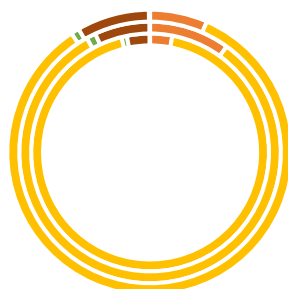
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Composition of the ethnic profile by Urban area, District and Province

Ethnic group	Province	District	City
Sinhalese	31985	17138	2270
Srilankan Tamil	988186	141144	29314
Indian Tamil	7789	1979	326
Srilankan Moor	32796	11748	2860
Others	559	106	46
Total	1061315	172115	34816

Ethnic group	Vavuniya	Kilinochchi	Mannar	Mullaithivu	Jaffna	Total(Northern Province)
Sinhalese	17138	1331	2305	8927	2284	31985
Srilankan Tamil	141144	110494	80103	79107	577338	988186
Indian Tamil	1979	1030	692	2281	1807	7789
Srilanka Moor	11748	629	16436	1821	2162	32796
Others	106	26	34	102	291	559
Total	172115	113510	99570	92238	583882	1061315

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