Cook Islands

**CAPITAL**
Avarua

**POPULATION (2010)**
20,000

**ANNUAL POPULATION GROWTH RATE (2000-2010)**
1.3%

**POPULATION GAIN (2000-2010)**
2,000

**GDP PER CAPITA**
$11,788 (US)

**LITERACY**
92.1% of adult population

**LIFE EXPECTANCY (2010)**
72.8

Source: Population data from United Nations (updated May 2011); 2005 GDP per capita (in 2005 PPP $) from 2007 National Hospice and Palliative Care Organization World Map Report; Literacy rate for 2010 from World Religion Database

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**Religious Affiliation ( - )**

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Source: The Future of World Religions: Population Growth Projections, 2010-2050

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**Fertility Rate (TFR) ()**

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**Age & Gender Structure ( - )**

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**Median Age ()**

Source: The Global Religious Landscape

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