Palau

**CAPITAL**
Melekeok

**POPULATION (2010)**
20,000

**ANNUAL POPULATION GROWTH RATE (2000-2010)**
0.7%

**POPULATION GAIN (2000-2010)**
1,000

**GDP PER CAPITA**
$10,226 (US)

**LITERACY**
>99.0% of adult population

**LIFE EXPECTANCY (2010)**
76.4

Source: Population data from United Nations (updated May 2011); 2005 GDP per capita (in 2005 PPP $) from U.N. Development Programme International Development Indicators; Literacy rate for 1997 from 2007 Brittanica

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**Religious Affiliation ( - )**

- **Buddhists**: <1%
- **Christians**: 86.7%
- **Folk Religions**: <1%
- **Hindus**: <1%
- **Jews**: <1%
- **Muslims**: <1%
- **Other Religions**: 10.4%
- **Unaffiliated**: 1.2%

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

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**Religious Affiliation Over Time**

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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