
LowGeo Data Sources

Ethno-Demographic Concentration

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General Sources Directory

MENA-Atlas, Federal Ministry of the Interior, Republic of Austria, 2017:

http://www.ecoi.net/atlas_mena.pdf

The comments and sources for the “MENA-Atlas” can be accessed via:

http://www.ecoi.net/atlas_mena_sources.pdf

Minority Rights Group

<https://minorityrights.org>

- **Demographic Sources per Country**

Turkey

Source 1: Turkish Statistical Institute / Türkiye İstatistik Kurumu

- <https://www.tuik.gov.tr/>

Source 2: Pinar Dinc, Dersim Region: The Switzerland of Turkey? LSE Blogs, April 20th, 2016

- <https://blogs.lse.ac.uk/mec/2016/04/20/dersim-region-the-switzerland-of-turkey/>

Source 3: "Kürt Meselesini Yeniden Düşünmek" (PDF). KONDA. July 2010. pp. 19–20. Archived from the original (PDF) on 22 January 2016

- Source 4: Kurds according to vote registry
<https://www.geocurrents.info/category/place/southwest-asia-and-north-africa/page/2#gallery/0/>

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- <https://pomeps.org/counting-the-uncounted-measuring-the-politicization-of-kurdish-identity-in-turkey>

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- <http://www.jstor.org/stable/29788634>

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- <https://doi.org/10.1017/S0896634600001138>.

Source 8: Mutlu, Servet. "Ethnic Kurds in Turkey: A Demographic Study." International Journal of Middle East Studies 28, no. 4 (1996): 517–41.

- <http://www.jstor.org/stable/176151>.

Source 9: KONDA Census, "Kürtlerin nüfusu 11 milyonda İstanbul'da 2 milyon Kürt yaşıyor - Dizi Haberleri". Radikal

Source 10: Koc, I., Hancioglu, A. & Cavlin, A. Demographic Differentials and Demographic Integration of Turkish and Kurdish Populations in Turkey. Popul Res Policy Rev 27, 447–457 (2008).

- <https://doi.org/10.1007/s11113-008-9072-y>

Israel

Source 1: Central Bureau of Statistics

- www.cbs.gov.il/he/publications/doclib/2019/2.shnatonpopulation/st02_15x.pdf
- <https://www.cbs.gov.il/en/mediarelease/pages/2021/the-muslim-population-in-israel.aspx>

Source 2: Ministry of Foreign Affairs

- <https://mfa.gov.il/MFA/AboutIsrael/Spotlight/Pages/The-Christian-communities-in-Israel-May-2014.aspx>
- <https://mfa.gov.il/MFA/AboutIsrael/Spotlight/Pages/Jerusalem-Selected-Data-2012-2013.aspx>

Source 4: Times of Israel

- <https://www.timesofisrael.com/this-is-our-moment-israel-okays-major-plan-to-boost-golan-double-its-population/>

Syria

Source 1: Rasim Bozbuğa, Ethnic and Religious structures: Kurdish Population in Syria and Turkey , Sihkiran Strategic Research Cente, 5 August 2014.

- <https://sahipkiran.org/2014/08/05/kurdish-population-in-syria/#prettyphoto/0/>

Source 2: Arab East Center for Studies - مركز الشرق العربي للدراسات

- <http://www.asharqalarabi.org.uk>

Sources 3: Haian Dukhan, Ammar Al-Hamad, Karam Shaar, The Ethnic Kin Who Count: Mapping Raqqa's Tribal Topology, Operations & Policy Center, March 24, 2021.

- <https://www.mei.edu/publications/kin-who-count-mapping-raggas-tribal-topology>
- <https://www.mei.edu/publications/syrian-druze-crossroads>

Source 4: World Population Review

- <https://worldpopulationreview.com/world-cities/aleppo-population>

Source 5: Al-Hasakeh Governorate profile, Syria Needs Analysis Project, February 2014

- https://www.acaps.org/fileadmin/Data_Product/Main_media/15_al_hasakeh_governorate_profile_february_2014.pdf

Source 6: European University Institute

- https://cadmus.eui.eu/bitstream/handle/1814/52824/RPR_2018_02_Eng.pdf?sequence=4&isAllowed=y

Source 7: ETANA - Manufacturing Division: The Assad Regime and Minorities in South-west Syria

- <https://etanasyria.org/manufacturing-division-the-assad-regime-and-minorities-in-south-west-syria/>

Source 8: : Hussain Ibrahim Qutrib, “Useful Syria” and Demographic Changes in Syria, King Faisal Center for Research and Islamic Studies (2016).

- <https://kfcris.com/pdf/5e43a7813784133606d70cc8b52d433b5909a9623e8c2.pdf>

Source 9: Population statistics for countries, administrative divisions, cities, urban areas and agglomerations – interactive maps and charts

- <https://www.citypopulation.de/en/syria/>

Lebanon

Source 1: Lebanon All Ethnic Groups - Voting Registration pr district per ethnic/religious group (All)

- <http://lebanonelectiondata.org/confessions.html>

Palestinian authority

Source 1 Palestinian Authority Statistical Service

- <https://www.pcbs.gov.ps/Downloads/book2364-1.pdf>

Egypt

https://www.capmas.gov.eg/Pages/StaticPages.aspx?page_id=5035

Libya

Source1 <https://www.libyaherald.com/2021/01/libyas-population-was-6931061-in-2020-census-bureau/>

<https://assets.publishing.service.gov.uk/government/uploads/system/uploads>

/attachment_data/file/777959/Libya_-_Ethnic_Groups_-_CPIN_-_v3.0__February_2019_.pdf

Source 2

https://web.archive.org/web/20061015233832/http://www.gpc.gov.ly/online_alshabyat/index.php?sh=4

Variable Measurement Sources

❖ Ethnic Power Relations Data Set Family

The EPR Dataset Family provides data on ethnic groups' access to state power, their settlement patterns, links to rebel organizations, transborder ethnic kin relations, and intraethnic cleavages. The 2014 version has been introduced in Vogt, Bormann, Rügger, Cederman, Hunziker, Girardin (2015) and has been updated in 2021 in a series of data sets on ethnicity that have stimulated civil war research in the past decade. It features a comprehensive system of tightly integrated data sets

Main Source: Vogt, Manuel, Nils-Christian Bormann, Seraina Rügger, Lars-Erik Cederman, Philipp Hunziker, and Luc Girardin. 2015. "Integrating Data on Ethnicity, Geography, and Conflict: The Ethnic Power Relations Data Set Family." *Journal of Conflict Resolution* 59(7): 1327–42

Available at: <https://icr.ethz.ch/data/epr/#core>

- **EPR Core Data Set**

Politically Relevant Ethnic Groups

The EPR Core dataset identifies all politically relevant ethnic groups and their access to state power in every country of the world from 1946 to 2021. It includes annual data on over 800 groups and codes the degree to which their representatives held executive-level state power—from total control of the government to overt political discrimination

- **ACD2EPR**

Dataset links conflicts inventoried in UCDP/PRIO Armed Conflict Dataset to politically relevant ethnic groups.

Source: Vogt, Manuel, Nils-Christian Bormann, Seraina Rügger, Lars-Erik Cederman, Philipp Hunziker, and Luc Girardin. 2015. "Integrating Data on Ethnicity, Geography, and Conflict: The Ethnic Power Relations Data Set Family." *Journal of Conflict Resolution* 59(7): 1327–42.

- **EPR-TEK - Transnational ethnic connections**

The Transborder Ethnic Kin (EPR-TEK) dataset records all politically relevant ethnic groups living in at least two countries, i.e. ethnic groups with transnational ethnic connections and whose settlement area is split by an international border.

Source: Vogt, Manuel, Nils-Christian Bormann, Seraina Rügger, Lars-Erik Cederman, Philipp Hunziker, and Luc Girardin. 2015. "Integrating Data on Ethnicity, Geography, and Conflict: The Ethnic Power Relations Data Set Family." *Journal of Conflict Resolution* 59(7): 1327–42

- **The Ethnic Dimensions (EPR-ED)**

The Ethnic Dimensions (EPR-ED) dataset provides information on the linguistic, religious, and racial cleavages that characterize and internally divide the politically relevant ethnic groups.

Source: Bormann, Nils-Christian, Lars-Erik Cederman, and Manuel Vogt. 2017. "Language, Religion, and Ethnic Civil War." *Journal of Conflict Resolution* 61(4): 744–71.

- **Transborder Ethnic Kin (TEK) Groups Atlas Version 2021**

The Transborder Ethnic Kin (TEK) groups Atlas provides a brief description of all ethnic kin groups that live spread across two or more states. Each group comment indicates the name of the group, lists the countries where the group is, or was, politically relevant at some point in time since 1946, and describes the group's common identifier. Transborder ethnic kin groups are ethnic groups that have transnational connections across at least two states, because their settlement area is split by an international border. The TEK dataset identifies trans-border ethnic groups based on a matching of all ethnic groups included in the EPR dataset. The EPR-TEK Dataset constitutes a research-ready version of all TEK groups covering 1946 until 2021 in table format .

Source: Rügger, Seraina, Kellerhals, Vanessa, Däascher, Sarah and Lukas Dick. 2021. *Transborder Ethnic Kin (TEK) Groups Atlas*.

❖ Uppsala Conflict Datasets

General Source: <https://ucdp.uu.se/downloads/index.html#onesided>

- **UCDP Battle-related Deaths Dataset Codebook Version 21.1**

<https://ucdp.uu.se/downloads/brd/ucdp-brd-211.pdf>

- **UCDP Actor Dataset Codebook Version 21.1**

<https://ucdp.uu.se/downloads/actor/ucdp-actor-codebook-211.pdf>

- **UCDP Dyadic Dataset Codebook Version 21.1**

<https://ucdp.uu.se/downloads/dyadic/ucdp-dyadic-211.pdf>