

The History of Human Population Growth

<u>Years Elapsed</u>	<u>Year</u>	<u>Human Population</u>
3,000,000	10,000 B.C.E. (Agricultural Revolution)	5-10 Million
10,000	1 C.E.	170 Million
1,800	1800 (Industrial Revolution)	1 Billion
127	1927	2 Billion
33	1960	3 Billion
14	1974	4 Billion
12	1987	5 Billion
12	1999	6 Billion
12	2011	7 Billion
13	2024*	8 Billion

*Projected

Sources:

UN Department of Economic and Social Affairs (2012)

Population Reference Bureau Datasheet (2015)