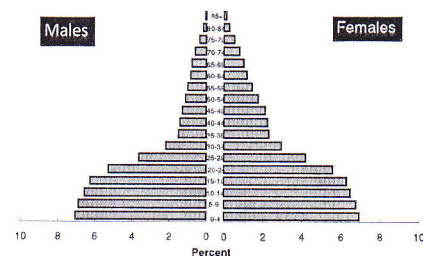


Lesotho

Population 2004 (in thousands)

Age	Male	Female	Total
0-29	700	714	1,414
30-44	100	148	248
45-59	67	105	171
60-69	32	43	75
70-79	19	26	45
80+	5	8	13
Total	922	1,044	1,966

Population Pyramid



Highlights:

- The death rate from non-communicable diseases (1088 per 100,000 population) was about 0.5 times that for communicable diseases (2280 per 100,000). Tobacco was responsible for 6% of all NCDs compared with 0% of all communicable disease related deaths.

- Within the non-communicable disease group, ischaemic heart disease accounted for 156 deaths per 100,000 population aged 30 years and over, with 4% of these deaths attributed to tobacco. Cancer of the trachea, bronchus and lung accounted for 16 deaths per 100,000 population but with 62% of these deaths attributed to tobacco.

- Within the communicable disease group, deaths attributed to tobacco accounted for 5% of all lower respiratory infection deaths and 4% of all tuberculosis deaths.

- The death rate due to tobacco in men was (181 per 100,000 men aged 30 years and over) compared with women (0 per 100,000 women aged 30 years and over). The proportion of deaths attributable to tobacco was almost 4% for men and 0% for women.

WHO estimated death rates (per 100,000) and proportion attributable to tobacco, 2004

Cause of death	Both sexes					Total for ages 30 & over
	30-44	45-59	60-69	70-79	80+	
Death rate: ALL CAUSES	3,283	2,552	2,639	5,921	15,604	3,470
Death rate attributable to tobacco	-	44	160	297	567	73
Proportion of deaths attributable to tobacco (%)	-	2	6	5	4	2
Death rate: Communicable diseases	3,157	1,937	704	1,106	3,242	2,280
Death rate attributable to tobacco	-	6	15	35	125	10
Proportion of deaths attributable to tobacco (%)	-	0	2	3	4	0
Death rate: Tuberculosis	49	101	134	124	101	84
Death rate attributable to tobacco	-	5	7	7	8	3
Proportion of deaths attributable to tobacco (%)	-	5	5	5	7	4
Death rate: Lower respiratory infections	1	23	156	551	1,948	119
Death rate attributable to tobacco	-	0	9	28	117	6
Proportion of deaths attributable to tobacco (%)	-	1	5	5	6	5
Death rate: Noncommunicable diseases	71	529	1,784	4,570	11,907	1,088
Death rate attributable to tobacco	-	39	144	262	442	63
Proportion of deaths attributable to tobacco (%)	-	7	8	6	4	6
Death rate: All malignant neoplasms	12	116	367	830	1,578	196
Death rate attributable to tobacco	-	12	54	98	177	23
Proportion of deaths attributable to tobacco (%)	-	11	15	12	11	12
Death rate: Trachea, bronchus, lung cancers	1	9	35	72	102	16
Death rate attributable to tobacco	-	4	24	47	70	10
Proportion of deaths attributable to tobacco (%)	-	48	69	65	69	62
Death rate: All other malignant neoplasms	11	107	332	758	1,476	179
Death rate attributable to tobacco	-	8	30	51	107	13
Proportion of deaths attributable to tobacco (%)	-	7	9	7	7	7
Death rate: All Cardiovascular diseases	24	215	787	2,244	6,688	523
Death rate attributable to tobacco	-	17	40	51	25	15
Proportion of deaths attributable to tobacco (%)	-	8	5	2	0	3
Death rate: Ischaemic heart disease	4	69	284	689	1,624	156
Death rate attributable to tobacco	-	7	16	19	7	6
Proportion of deaths attributable to tobacco (%)	-	10	6	3	0	4
Death rate: Cerebrovascular disease	9	78	280	797	2,270	184
Death rate attributable to tobacco	-	6	13	14	7	5
Proportion of deaths attributable to tobacco (%)	-	7	5	2	0	3
Death rate: Other cardiovascular diseases	10	69	223	758	2,794	183
Death rate attributable to tobacco	-	4	11	17	11	5
Proportion of deaths attributable to tobacco (%)	-	7	5	2	0	2
Death rate: Respiratory diseases	9	58	210	500	1,120	117
Death rate attributable to tobacco	-	9	48	107	226	23
Proportion of deaths attributable to tobacco (%)	-	15	23	21	20	20
Death rate: Chronic obstructive pulmonary disease	2	22	105	258	519	55
Death rate attributable to tobacco	-	7	41	94	190	20
Proportion of deaths attributable to tobacco (%)	-	32	40	36	37	36
Death rate: Other respiratory diseases	7	36	106	242	601	62
Death rate attributable to tobacco	-	1	6	13	36	3
Proportion of deaths attributable to tobacco (%)	-	4	6	5	6	5

Note 1: The total death rates are crude rates, and not standardized therefore cannot be used for comparison between countries/regions.

Note 2: The estimates above are based on SIR method (see Technical Note), some countries have used other methods which can produce somewhat different but equally valid estimates.

WHO estimated death rates (per 100,000) and proportion attributable to tobacco, 2004

Cause of death	Men					Total for ages 30 & over	Women					Total for ages 30 & over
	30-44	45-59	60-69	70-79	80+		30-44	45-59	60-69	70-79	80+	
Death rate: ALL CAUSES	3,281	3,536	3,718	7,151	18,091	4,062	3,285	1,925	1,847	5,040	14,166	3,072
Death rate attributable to tobacco	-	113	377	711	1,547	181	-	-	-	-	-	-
Proportion of deaths attributable to tobacco (%)	-	3	10	10	9	4	-	-	-	-	-	-
Death rate: Communicable diseases	3,092	2,746	1,224	1,455	3,994	2,601	3,201	1,420	323	856	2,807	2,064
Death rate attributable to tobacco	-	14	36	84	342	24	-	-	-	-	-	-
Proportion of deaths attributable to tobacco (%)	-	1	3	6	9	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Death rate: Tuberculosis	113	240	230	234	217	180	6	12	64	45	33	19
Death rate attributable to tobacco	-	13	16	16	20	8	-	-	-	-	-	-
Proportion of deaths attributable to tobacco (%)	-	6	7	7	9	4	-	-	-	-	-	-
Death rate: Lower respiratory infections	2	10	208	704	2,422	145	1	32	118	442	1,673	102
Death rate attributable to tobacco	-	1	20	67	318	16	-	-	-	-	-	-
Proportion of deaths attributable to tobacco (%)	-	8	10	10	13	11	-	-	-	-	-	-
Death rate: Noncommunicable diseases	95	646	2,281	5,370	13,583	1,307	55	455	1,419	3,997	10,937	942
Death rate attributable to tobacco	-	99	341	627	1,205	157	-	-	-	-	-	-
Proportion of deaths attributable to tobacco (%)	-	15	15	12	9	12	-	-	-	-	-	-
Death rate: All malignant neoplasms	12	131	492	1,126	2,399	262	12	106	276	617	1,103	151
Death rate attributable to tobacco	-	31	128	235	483	58	-	-	-	-	-	-
Proportion of deaths attributable to tobacco (%)	-	24	26	21	20	22	-	-	-	-	-	-
Death rate: Trachea, bronchus, lung cancers	2	18	75	143	234	34	1	3	7	20	25	4
Death rate attributable to tobacco	-	11	57	112	192	25	-	-	-	-	-	-
Proportion of deaths attributable to tobacco (%)	-	61	77	78	82	74	-	-	-	-	-	-
Death rate: All other malignant neoplasms	10	113	418	983	2,165	228	11	103	269	597	1,078	147
Death rate attributable to tobacco	-	20	70	123	292	33	-	-	-	-	-	-
Proportion of deaths attributable to tobacco (%)	-	18	17	13	13	14	-	-	-	-	-	-
Death rate: All Cardiovascular diseases	30	255	949	2,386	6,829	573	20	190	669	2,143	6,607	489
Death rate attributable to tobacco	-	44	94	121	67	38	-	-	-	-	-	-
Proportion of deaths attributable to tobacco (%)	-	17	10	5	1	7	-	-	-	-	-	-
Death rate: Ischaemic heart disease	7	108	409	940	2,029	217	2	44	193	509	1,390	115
Death rate attributable to tobacco	-	18	39	46	18	15	-	-	-	-	-	-
Proportion of deaths attributable to tobacco (%)	-	16	9	5	1	7	-	-	-	-	-	-
Death rate: Cerebrovascular disease	11	89	322	781	2,117	189	8	71	250	809	2,358	181
Death rate attributable to tobacco	-	15	30	34	19	12	-	-	-	-	-	-
Proportion of deaths attributable to tobacco (%)	-	17	9	4	1	6	-	-	-	-	-	-
Death rate: Other cardiovascular diseases	11	59	219	665	2,682	167	9	75	226	824	2,858	193
Death rate attributable to tobacco	-	12	26	41	31	11	-	-	-	-	-	-
Proportion of deaths attributable to tobacco (%)	-	20	12	6	1	7	-	-	-	-	-	-
Death rate: Respiratory diseases	12	87	332	747	1,588	176	6	40	121	323	849	78
Death rate attributable to tobacco	-	22	112	256	618	58	-	-	-	-	-	-
Proportion of deaths attributable to tobacco (%)	-	26	34	34	39	33	-	-	-	-	-	-
Death rate: Chronic obstructive pulmonary disease	3	38	182	420	833	92	1	12	48	143	336	30
Death rate attributable to tobacco	-	18	98	225	519	50	-	-	-	-	-	-
Proportion of deaths attributable to tobacco (%)	-	48	54	54	62	54	-	-	-	-	-	-
Death rate: Other respiratory diseases	9	49	150	328	755	84	5	27	73	181	512	47
Death rate attributable to tobacco	-	4	15	31	99	8	-	-	-	-	-	-
Proportion of deaths attributable to tobacco (%)	-	8	10	10	13	10	-	-	-	-	-	-

Note 3: For information on the sources of mortality data, please refer to Annex C, Table C4 of The global burden of disease: 2004 update.