

POPULATION REPORT

Trashigang Core Town | 2025

This report presents a summary of the population statistics of Trashigang Core Town, based on the latest household and population data collected on 14th and 15th December 2025.

Area Description

Starting from Chekha Za on the way to Rangjung — covering all households along the way to the core town, BCTA office area, Mani Dungkhor area, Sabji market area, and the road leading towards the Dzong till BDBL office and the medical shop area, up to Khamsang Karorke area — as indicated in the map below.



Purpose of Population Data Collection

The main aim of collecting population data in Trashigang Core Town is to assess and manage risks associated with natural hazards. The core town is exposed to:

Flash Floods

A stream flows through the middle of the town, posing a high risk during heavy monsoon seasons.

Fire Hazards

During dry winter seasons, the closely clustered structures increase vulnerability to fire.

**Earthquake**

The town is highly vulnerable during an earthquake, as many structures are old.

Accurate population data helps the local administration plan emergency responses, evacuation measures, and resource allocation — ensuring the safety of all residents, including children, the elderly, and temporary residents.

1. General Population Overview

The total population of Trashigang Core Town is 299 persons, comprising 140 males and 159 females. The town consists of 95 households. Of these, 20 households live in their own dwellings, while 75 households reside in rented apartments.

299 Total Population	140 Total Male	159 Total Female	95 Total Households
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Table 1.1 — General Population Overview

SI No	Total Population	Total Male	Total Female	Total Households	Own Dwellings	Rented Apartments
1	299	140	159	95	20	75

2. Residential Status

Out of the total population, 269 persons are permanent residents of Trashigang Core Town, while 30 persons are staying temporarily for employment, education, or other purposes.

269 Permanent Residents	30 Temporary Residents
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3. Age-wise Population Distribution

Children (0–14 years): 72 persons (34 males and 38 females). Youth (15–24 years): 63 persons (26 males and 37 females). Working-age population (25–65 years): 152 persons (74 males and 78 females). Old-age population (65 years and above): 12 persons (6 males and 6 females).

Table 1.2 — Age-wise Population Distribution

SI No	Category	Male	Female	Total
1	Children (0–14 years)	34	38	72
2	Youth (15–24 years)	26	37	63
3	Working-age (25–65 years)	74	78	152
4	Old-age (65+ years)	6	6	12

The oldest person living in Trashigang Core Town is 93 years old.

4. Location of old age Population

Location of old age population residing within Trashigang core Town			
Name	Gender	Age	Location of old age population
Sabji Mamay Ugyen Dorji	Male	65	<i>Opposite to Meatshop, other side if river bank</i>
Bakuri	Female	65	<i>Near Rangjung Junction road</i>
kuenzang Choden	Female	66	<i>upper market behild TD shopping</i>
Thinley Dendup	Male	70	<i>Galing pelrig khang building behind TD shopping</i>
Mamay karma	Male	74	<i>upper market near TD shopping</i>
karma Gyeltshen	Male	75	<i>upper market behild TD shopping</i>
Tshewang Phuentsho	Male	78	<i>lower marlet near lapcha Resrurent</i>
choenzom	Female	79	<i>khamsang karorke building side</i>
kinzang Wangmo	Female	81	<i>Above TD home collection junction to Dzong</i>
Chozom	Female	86	<i>Rightside building of cobbler shop</i>
Iemo	Female	88	<i>lower market, near Lapcha Resturent</i>
Bompa	Female	93	<i>lower market, top floor Lapcha resturent building</i>

5. Conclusion

Summary

Trashigang Core Town has a balanced gender composition, with a majority of its population within the working-age group. The high number of rented households reflects the urban character of the town, while the presence of elderly residents highlights the importance of inclusive and age-friendly urban planning.