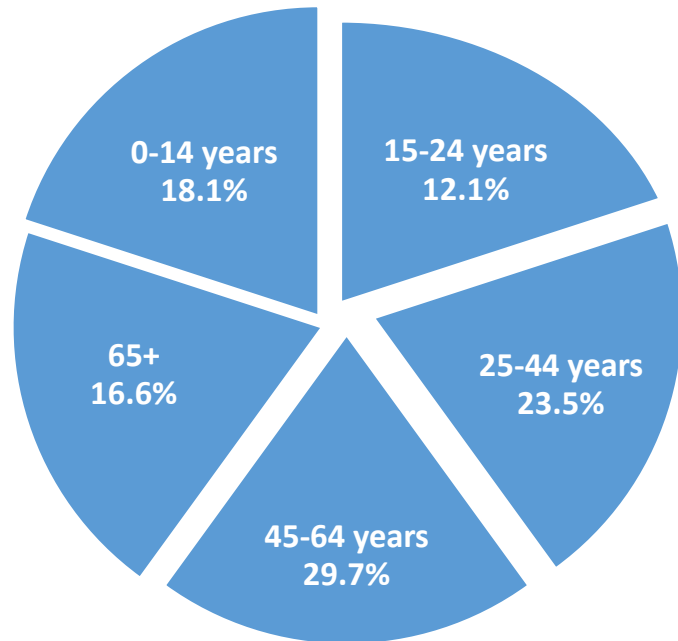




The youth of Curaçao



The youth Population of Curaçao



12.1% of the population is between the ages of 15-24 years (youth).
6.2% is male and 5.9% is female

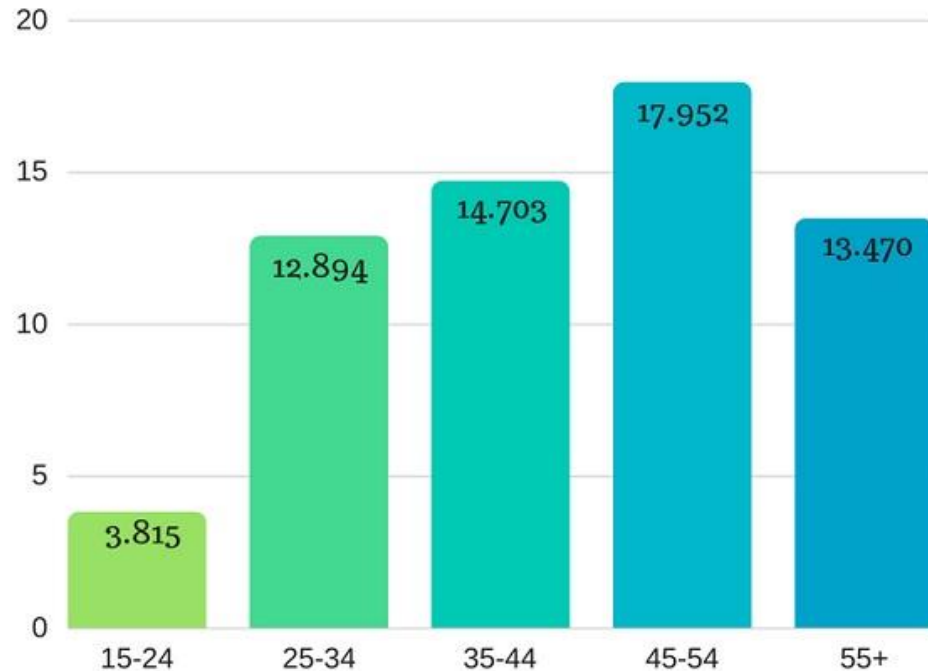
Between 2008 and 2018 the population 15-24 years has grown with

0.4%



The youth and the labour market

The employed population of Curaçao by age, 2017



27.4% of the employed population between 15-24 years works at the industry "Wholesale and retail trade"

The average income of the employed population between 15-24 years is 1.159,90 ANG

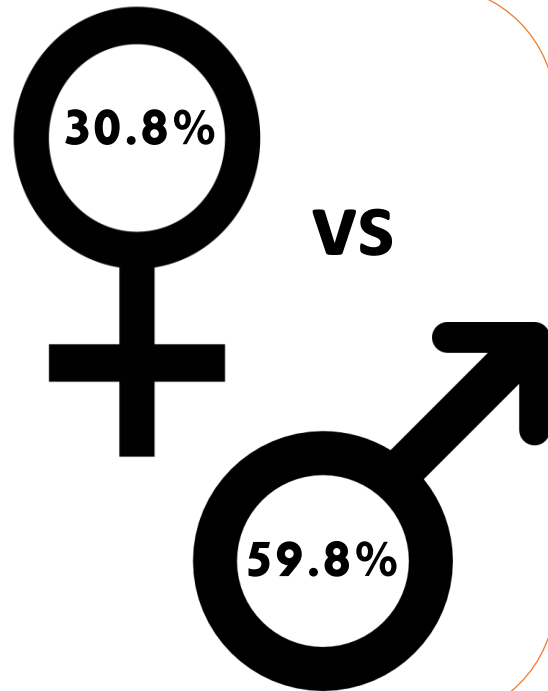
Youth unemployment rate



32.8%

Youth participation in sport activities

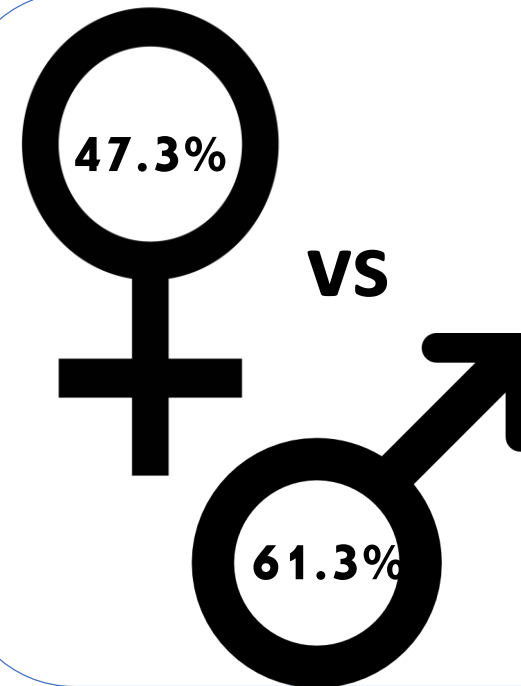
45.1% of the youth participate actively



Which sport do they practice?

- ❖ Soccer (26.3%)
- ❖ Fitness, Zumba (11.9%)
- ❖ Walking, Hiking (8.9%)

54.2% of the youth participate passively



Cultural activities and the youth

30.5% of the youth are participating actively at cultural activities in Curaçao



Top 3 cultural activities

- ❖ **Singing (28.8%)**
- ❖ **Playing instrument (26.7%)**
- ❖ **Drawing / Graphical work without an computer (13.3%)**

How does education empower the youth

Total student 15-20 years
(year 2017/2018)

Senior high school
(HAVO/VWO)

2.964 students

Senior Secondary Vocational
Education (SBO)

4.040 students

Drop out rate (youth 15-24)
(Census 2011)

34.9%

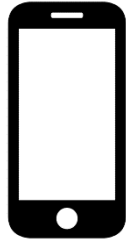
Participation rate (youth 15-24)
(Census 2011)

8.4%

How connected is the youth in Curaçao?



86.9%
uses internet



95.1%
uses mobile
phones



50.0%
listens to the radio



96.3%
stays connected
with social media



27.3%
reads the paper



75.5%
watches tv

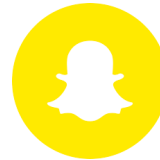
Social Media users (15-24 years)



95.3%



62.8%



60.0%



19.5%

How healthy is the youth of Curaçao

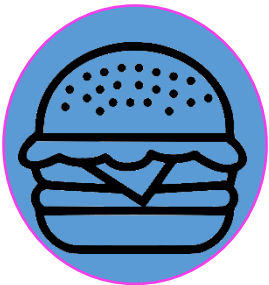
Eating habits of the youth (18-24)



8% meets fruits standard



10% meets vegetable standard



65% eats fast food every week



48% drinks soft drinks every day

86% experiences his/her health as very well

9% of the youth had a traffic accident in 2017

Source: NGE, 2017