Nepal

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Data Source

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Settlement Points: These settlement points were created using the European Commission Global Human Settlement Layer (GHSL), 100 meter resolution 2025 Estimated Population Raster Layer. The points were verified using the latest Esri imagery. More information about the data can be found here: https://ghslsys.jrc.ec.europa.eu.

Dataset Information

Nepal	
3 Letter ISO Country code	NPL
Currency	Nepalese rupee
3 Letter Currency code	NPR
Number of attributes available	50
Number of geography levels	3

Geography Levels

Esri Geography Name	Local Geography Name	Feature Count
Country	Nepāl	1
Provinces	Pradeshharū	7
Districts	Jillāharū	77

Data Apportionment Settings

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Threshold Upper Bound	Aggregation Method	Level of Geography
150 km	Block Apportion	NP.Districts
more	Centroids In Polygon	NP.Districts

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Change Summary

Changes to geography level names

None.

New Attributes

Attribute Name	Alias Name	Category
EDUC01_CY	2026 Pop 5+/Edu: Early Childhood	Education
EDUC02_CY	2026 Pop 5+/Edu: Primary	Education
EDUC03_CY	2026 Pop 5+/Edu: Lower Secondary	Education
EDUC04_CY	2026 Pop 5+/Edu: Upper Secondary	Education
EDUC05_CY	2026 Pop 5+/Edu: S.L.C./SEE or Equivalent	Education
EDUC06_CY	2026 Pop 5+/Edu: Intermediate or Equivalent	Education
EDUC07_CY	2026 Pop 5+/Edu: Graduate or Equivalent	Education
EDUC08_CY	2026 Pop 5+/Edu: Postgrad Equivalent or Above	Education
EDUC09_CY	2026 Pop 5+/Edu: Others	Education
EDUC10_CY	2026 Pop 5+/Edu: No Level	Education
EDUC11_CY	2026 Pop 5+/Edu: Level Not Stated	Education
EDUC_BASE	2026 Education Attainment Base	Education

Attributes no longer available

None.

Change Notes

Market Data are now projections for 2026 (previously 2024). Unemployed Population data is shown for 2025 (previously 2023). Population projections at the national level declined by 2.49% compared to former estimates; this difference is attributed to updates to United Nations data that is based on input data from the National Statistics Office of Nepal. The Purchasing Power projection in national currency for 2026 shows an upward trend due to a revision of economic data.

No changes were made to the settlement points since the last MBR Data release.

Other Data Notes

None.