# Maldives

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## Data Source

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Data:	${ m C}$ Michael Bauer Research GmbH 2024 based on ${ m C}$ National Bureau of Statistics, UN.
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Settlement Points:	These settlement points were created using the 2023 European Commission Global Human Settlement Layer (GHSL). More information about the data can be found here: https://ghslsys.jrc.ec.europa.eu.

### Dataset Information

Maldives				
3 Letter ISO Country code	MDV			
Currency	Maldivian rufiyaa			
3 Letter Currency code	MVR			
Number of attributes available	27			
Number of geography levels	2			

## Geography Levels

Esri Geography Name	Local Geography Name	Available through ArcGIS.com Maps	Feature Count
Country	Dhivehi Raajje	Х	1
Districts	Atolls	Х	21

## Data Apportionment Settings

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

## Change Summary

#### Changes to geography level names

Former geography level name	New geography level name	Change reason
	Districts	New geography level
Atolls		No longer available

#### New Attributes

None.

### Attributes no longer available

None.

### Change Notes

Market Data are now projections for 2024 (previously 2022). Unemployed Persons are shown for 2023 (previously 2021). Utilization of updated Census 2022 data has led to higher deviations for Age and Gender.

The settlement points have been updated from 2019 Esri raster-based points to the 2023 European Commission Global Human Settlement Layer (GHSL) raster points. This data is newer and more detailed than the previous Esri raster-based data. These settlement points are an improvement over the previous version and could result in changes to previously run values in some trade areas. Settlement points are used in the data apportionment algorithm to redistribute data variables to input polygon features.

### Other Data Notes

None.