LESSON 2: THE POPULATION PYRAMID

Activity 3 – Calculating with Population Data

The table represents population data from Estonia by age group.

	0-14	15-64	65+	Total
1950	243,175	674,347	105,384	1,022,906
1960	276,150	803,101	126,950	1,206,201
1970	298,293	894,204	157,840	1,350,337
1980	317,838	969,450	184,592	1,471,880
1990	350,134	1,038,860	181,605	1,570,599
2000	250,340	942,700	208,210	1,401,250
2010	201,630	899,210	232,450	1,333,290
2017	213,609	847,552	254,474	1,315,635

Source: Statistics Estonia



Calculate the dependency ratio, the young-age dependency ratio and the old-age dependency ratio.

	Dependency Ratio	Young-age Dependency Ratio	Old-age Dependency Ratio
1950			
1960			
1970			
1980			
1990			
2000			
2010			
2017			



How have these measures developed? How would you describe the development of Estonia's population structure?