Population

Area of the Earth = $196\frac{1}{2}$ m. sq miles.

of which land = $50\frac{1}{2}$ m. sq miles

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Area of land = $\frac{101}{2} \cdot 3,097,600,000,000$ sq yds

$= 156,428,800,000,000$

--- If population doubled in 25 years
this number would have been reached
from a single pair in less than 1200 years
since $2^{48} \frac{+}{7} \frac{+7}{8} 28,9,000,000,000,000$

--- If population of England & Wales (29,000,000)
increased at rate of 14% in ten years
for 1000 years it would become

$9,786,000,000,000$

i.e. one to about 16 square yards
at end of 2000 years they would stand about
80 miles high, & 3000 about 40 million miles high