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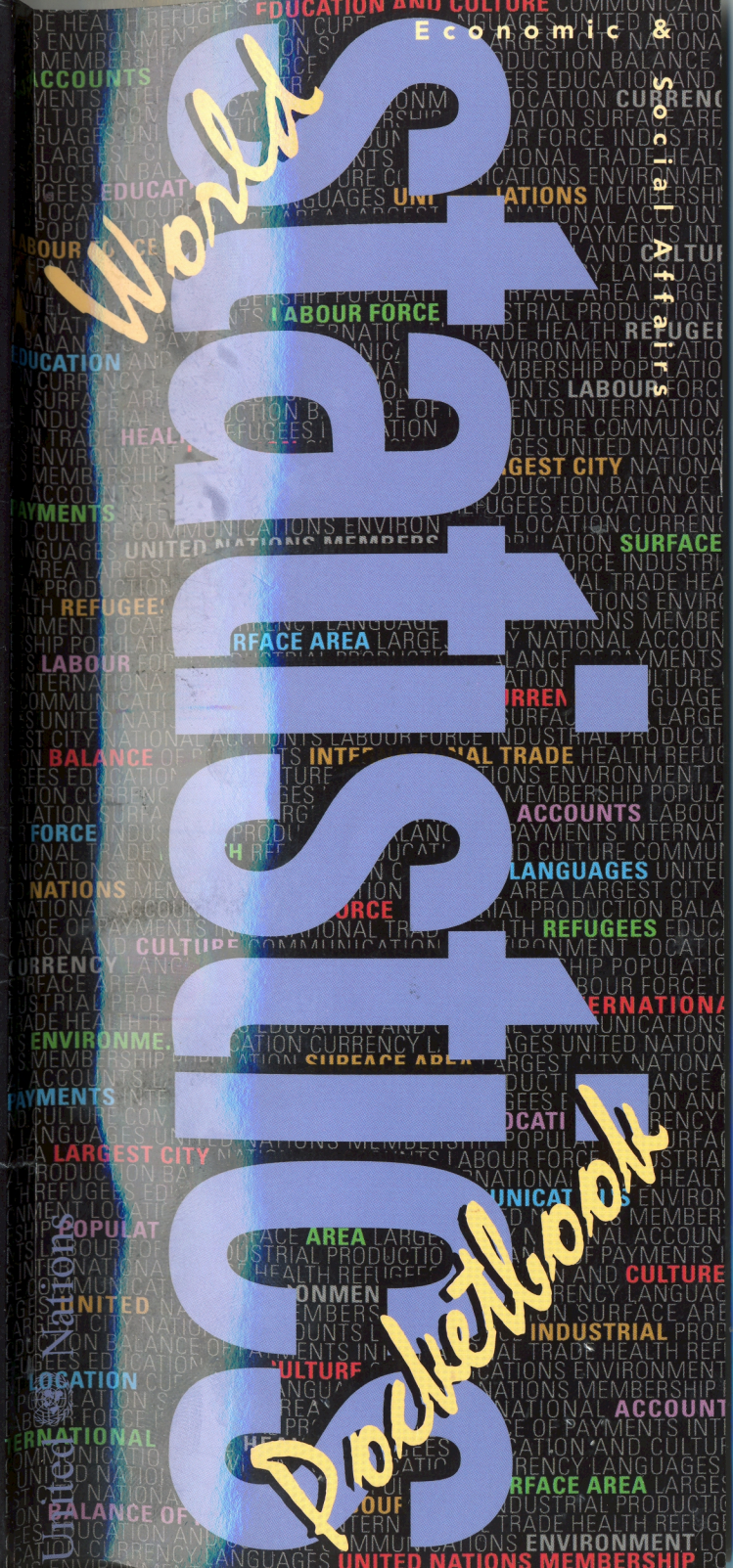
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Introduction

Considerable progress has been made in the last two decades towards standardization of statistical definitions worldwide, for example in the wide scope of topics covered by the 1968 and 1993 versions of the System of National Accounts¹, the United Nations Principles and Recommendations for Population and Housing Censuses² and the recommendations on statistics of the International Labour Organization among many. The internationally recommended definitions used in the present publication are given in the "Data dictionary", beginning on p. 223, with citations to the original sources.

In addition, the section "Technical notes", beginning on p. 213, contains short descriptions of the sources for the indicators presented here and the methodologies used in their compilation at national and international levels, and describes some of their limitations and differences from international standards.

Readers interested in more detailed time-series and data should consult the following major publications:

United Nations

Statistical Yearbook

United Nations publication, Series S [18]*

Demographic Yearbook

United Nations publication, Series R [12]

National Accounts Statistics

United Nations publication, Series X [16], [17]

International Trade Statistics Yearbook

United Nations publication, Series G [14]

Energy Statistics Yearbook

United Nations publication, Series J [13]

Monthly Bulletin of Statistics

United Nations publication, Series Q [15]

World Population Prospects (biennial)

United Nations publication [22]

World Urbanization Prospects (biennial)

United Nations publication [20]

Food and Agriculture Organization of the
United Nations (Rome)

FAO Yearbook: Production [4]

International Labour Office (Geneva)

Key Indicators of the Labour Market [6]

Yearbook of Labour Statistics [7]

International Monetary Fund (Washington DC)

*International Financial Statistics (monthly
and annual)* [8]

United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural
Organization (UNESCO) Institute for Statistics, Montreal,
the UNESCO Institute Statistics Database [23]

World Tourism Organization (Madrid)

Yearbook of Tourism Statistics [28]

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* Numbers in brackets refer to numbered entries listed in
"Statistical sources" at the end of this publication.

1 United Nations, Commission of the European Communities,
International Monetary Fund, Organisation for Economic Co-
operation and Development and World Bank (1994), *System of
National Accounts 1993 (SNA 1993)* [joint publication, United
Nations publication Sales No. E.94.XVII.4].

2 United Nations (1998), *Principles and Recommendations for
Population and Housing Censuses Revision 1*, Statistical Office,
Series M, No. 67, Rev.1 (United Nations publication, Sales No.
E.98.XVII.8).

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Explanatory notes and abbreviations

- ... Data not available
- Magnitude zero
- < Magnitude not zero, but negative and less than half of the unit employed

p.a. Per annum

Km² Square kilometre

000 Mt Thousand metric tons

Decimal figures are always preceded by a period
i.e.

Conversion coefficients and factors

The metric system of weights and measures has been employed in *World Statistics Pocketbook*. The following table shows the equivalents of the basic metric, British imperial and United States units of measurement:

Area	1 square kilometer	= 0.386102 square mile
Weight or mass	1 ton	= 1.102311 short tons, or
		= 0.987207 long ton
	1 kilogram	= 35.273962 avdp. ounces
		= 2.204623 avdp. pounds
Distance	1 kilometre	= 0.621371 mile

Country and area tables

Afghanistan

Region	South-central Asia
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	Kabul (2956) ^a
Currency	afghani
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	24926
Surface area (square kms)	652090
Population density (per square km)	38
United Nations membership date	19 November 1946

Economic indicators	1995	2003
Exchange rate (national currency per US\$) ^b	1000.00	3000.00 ^c
Consumer price index (1990=100)	144 ^d	...
Tourist arrivals (000s)	4	4 ^e
GDP (million current US\$)	3460	3990
GDP (per capita current US\$)	180	167
Labour force participation, adult female pop. (%)	47.5	...
Labour force participation, adult male pop. (%)	86.4	...
Employment in agricultural sector (%)	70.3 ^f	...
Primary energy production (000s Mt oil equiv.)	196	129 ^g
Motor vehicles (per 1,000 inhabitants)	0.1	0.6 ^g
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants)	0.1	0.2
Internet users, estimated (000s)	...	20.0
Largest export industries	Major trading partners	
(% of exports)	(% of exports) ^h	(% of imports) ^h
...	Pakistan 67	Japan 35
...	Finland 10	Korea Rep. 25
...	Germany 8	China 10

Social indicators	1995-2004
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	3.9
Population aged 0-14 years (%)	43.0
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total)	5.0/4.0
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)	94
Life expectancy at birth 2000-2005 (women and men, years)	43/43
Infant mortality rate 2000-2005 (per 1,000 births)	162
Total fertility rate 2000-2005 (births per woman)	6.8
Urban population (%)	23
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	6.0
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	3.3
Refugees and others of concern to UNHCR	912254
Government education expenditure (% of GNP)	1.6 ⁱ
Primary-secondary gross enrolment ratio (w and m per 100)	22/49
Third-level students (women and men, % of total) ^j	31/69
Newspaper circulation (per 1,000 inhabitants)	6
Television receivers (per 1,000 inhabitants)	13

Environment	1995-2004
Threatened species	28
Forested area (% of land area)	2
CO ₂ emissions (000s Mt/per capita)	906/0.04
Energy consumption per capita (kilograms oil equiv.)	15
Precipitation (mm)	312 ^j
Average minimum and maximum temperatures (centigrade) ^k	11.7/19.6

a 2003. b Principal rate. c September 2004. d 1991. e 1997. f 1990. g 2001. h 2002. i 1981. j Kabul.

Albania

Region	Southern Europe
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	Tirana (367) ^a
Currency	lek
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	3194
Surface area (square kms)	28748
Population density (per square km)	111
United Nations membership date	14 December 1955

Economic indicators	1995	2003
Exchange rate (national currency per US\$)	94.24	103.83 ^b
Consumer price index (1990=100) ^c	246	499 ^e
Industrial production index (1995=100)	100	76 ^f
Unemployment (percentage of labour force)	12.9	15.2
Balance of payments, current account (million US\$)	-12	-407
Tourist arrivals (000s)	40	34 ^g
GDP (million current US\$)	2480	6060
GDP (per capita current US\$)	778	1915
Gross fixed capital formation (% of GDP)	18.0	20.0 ^h
Labour force participation, adult female pop. (%)	59.1	...
Labour force participation, adult male pop. (%)	82.4	...
Employment in agricultural sector (%)	24.1 ⁱ	...
Primary energy production (000s Mt oil equiv.)	949	632 ^j
Motor vehicles (per 1,000 inhabitants)	27.5	83.2
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants)	1.2	8.3
Internet users, estimated (000s)	0.4	30.0
Largest export industries	Major trading partners 2003	
(% of exports)	(% of exports)	(% of imports)
Textiles	66 Italy	75 Italy
Metal manufactures	11 Greece	13 Greece
Agriculture	5 Germany	3 Turkey

Social indicators	1995-2004
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	0.7
Population aged 0-14 years (%)	27.0
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total)	11.0/9.0
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)	96
Life expectancy at birth 2000-2005 (women and men, years)	77/71
Infant mortality rate 2000-2005 (per 1,000 births)	25
Total fertility rate 2000-2005 (births per woman)	2.3
Contraceptive use (% of currently married women)	75 ⁱ
Urban population (%)	44
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	2.1
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	-0.4
Refugees and others of concern to UNHCR	119
Government education expenditure (% of GNP)	2.8 ^j
Primary-secondary gross enrolment ratio (w and m per 100)	89/87
Third-level students (women and men, % of total)	61/39
Newspaper circulation (per 1,000 inhabitants)	36
Television receivers (per 1,000 inhabitants)	129
Intentional homicides (per 100,000 inhabitants)	7
Parliamentary seats (women and men, % of total)	6/94

Environment	1995-2004
Threatened species	30
Forested area (% of land area)	36
CO ₂ emissions (000s Mt/per capita)	2860/0.9
Energy consumption per capita (kilograms oil equiv.)	342
Average minimum and maximum temperatures (centigrade)	1.8/30.7

a 2003. b August 2004. c Base: 1992=100. d Beginning 2002 base: 2002=100. e July 2004. f 2002. g 2001. h 1991. i For women aged 15-44 in union or married. j 1994.

Algeria

Region	Northern Africa
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	Algiers (3060) ^a
Currency	dinar
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	32339
Surface area (square kms)	2381741
Population density (per square km)	14
United Nations membership date	8 October 1962

Economic indicators	1995	2003
Exchange rate (national currency per US\$) ^b	52.18	72.58 ^c
Consumer price index (1990=100)	338	522 ^d
Industrial production index (1995=100)	100	98
Unemployment (percentage of labour force) ^e	27.9	27.3 ^f
Tourist arrivals (000s)	520	1166
GDP (million current US\$)	42070	65170
GDP (per capita current US\$)	1509	2049
Gross fixed capital formation (% of GDP)	27.0	25.0
Labour force participation, adult female pop. (%)	24.3	...
Labour force participation, adult male pop. (%)	76.1	...
Employment in industrial sector (%)	31.3 ^g	...
Employment in agricultural sector (%)	26.1 ^h	...
Agricultural production index (1999-2000=100)	91	115 ⁱ
Food production index (1999-2000=100)	91	115
Primary energy production (000s Mt oil equiv.)	119420	140984 ^j
Motor vehicles (per 1,000 inhabitants)	89.5	87.9 ^k
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants)	4.2	6.9
Internet users, estimated (000s)	0.5	500.0 ^l
Largest export industries	Major trading partners 2003	
(% of exports)	(% of exports)	(% of imports)
Mining quarry	87 USA	20 France
Chemicals	12 Italy	19 Italy
	... France	13 Germany

Social indicators	1995-2004
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	1.7
Population aged 0-14 years (%)	32.0
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total)	7.0/5.0
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)	98
Life expectancy at birth 2000-2005 (women and men, years)	71/68
Infant mortality rate 2000-2005 (per 1,000 births)	44
Total fertility rate 2000-2005 (births per woman)	2.8
Contraceptive use (% of currently married women)	52 ^j
Urban population (%)	59
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	2.6
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	0.3
Foreign born (%)	0.8 ^k
Refugees and others of concern to UNHCR	169049
Government education expenditure (% of GNP)	4.5
Primary-secondary gross enrolment ratio (w and m per 100)	89/91
Newspaper circulation (per 1,000 inhabitants)	27
Television receivers (per 1,000 inhabitants)	107
Parliamentary seats (women and men, % of total)	10/90

Environment	1995-2004
Threatened species	44
Forested area (% of land area)	1
CO ₂ emissions (000s Mt/per capita)	89481/3.0
Energy consumption per capita (kilograms oil equiv.)	959
Precipitation (mm)	687 ^l
Average minimum and maximum temperatures (centigrade) ^k	11.7/23.1

a 2003. b Official rate. c September 2004. d June 2004. e Persons aged 16 to 60 years. f 2001. g 1990. h 2002. i For ever-married women of childbearing age. j Estimated data. k Dar-El-Beida.

American Samoa

Region	Oceania-Polynesia
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	Pago Pago (52) ^a
Currency	US dollar
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	63
Surface area (square kms)	199
Population density (per square km)	318
Economic indicators	1995 2003
Consumer price index (1990=100) ^b	113 140 ^c
Tourist arrivals (000s)	18 36 ^d
Employment in industrial sector (%)	42.7 ^e ...
Employment in agricultural sector (%)	2.4 ^e ...
Agricultural production index (1999-2000=100)	100 100
Food production index (1999-2000=100)	100 100
Motor vehicles (per 1,000 inhabitants)	98.1 122.5 ^f
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants)	20.1 25.2 ^g
Social indicators	1995-2004
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	2.4
Population aged 0-14 years (%)	41.0 ^h
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total) ⁱ	6.0/5.0
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)	96 ^j
Infant mortality rate 2000-2005 (per 1,000 births)	6
Urban population (%)	90
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	2.9
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	-2.4
Foreign born (%)	45.6 ^k
Government education expenditure (% of GNP)	8.1
Third-level students (women and men, % of total) ^l	54/46
Newspaper circulation (per 1,000 inhabitants)	35
Environment	1995-2004
Threatened species	18
Forested area (% of land area)	60
CO ₂ emissions (000s Mt/per capita)	282/4.9
Energy consumption per capita (kilograms oil equiv.)	1623

a 2003. b Excluding Rent. c 1st quarter 2004. d 2001. e 1990. f 1999. g 1990 data.

h De jure population but including armed forces stationed in the area. i 1991.

j 1988.

Andorra

Region	Southern Europe
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	Andorra-la-Vella (21) ^a
Currency	euro ^b
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	73
Surface area (square kms)	468
Population density (per square km)	157
United Nations membership date	28 July 1993
Economic indicators	1995 2003
Exchange rate (national currency per US\$) ^c	121.41 ^d 0.79 ^e
GDP (million current US\$)	940 1450
GDP (per capita current US\$)	14628 20424
Gross fixed capital formation (% of GDP)	22.0 26.0
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants)	43.8 53.5
Internet users, estimated (000s)	1.0 ^f 10.0
Largest export industries	Major trading partners
(% of exports) ^h	(% of exports) ^h (% of imports) ^h
Metal manufactures	68 Spain 53 Spain 50
Chemicals	9 France 29 France 25
Other manufactures	7 Germany 9 Germany 5
Social indicators	1995-2004
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	2.6
Population aged 0-14 years (%)	16.0 ⁱ
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total) ^j	15.0/14.0
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)	88 ^k
Infant mortality rate 2000-2005 (per 1,000 births)	4 ^l
Urban population (%)	92
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	2.3
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	5.3
Foreign born (%)	23.7 ^m
Newspaper circulation (per 1,000 inhabitants)	60 ⁿ
Parliamentary seats (women and men, % of total)	14/86
Environment	1995-2004
Threatened species	7

a 2003. b Prior to January 2002, Spanish peseta/French franc. c Data refer to non-commercial rates derived from the Operational Rates of Exchange for United Nations Programmes. d Spanish peseta. e November 2004. f Euro per US dollar.

g 1996. h 2002. i 1994. j Rates based on 10 or fewer infant deaths. k 1990. l 1989.

m Estimated data.

Angola

Region	Middle Africa
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	Luanda (2623) ^a
Currency	kwaza
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	14078
Surface area (square kms)	1246700
Population density (per square km)	11
United Nations membership date	1 December 1976

Economic indicators	1995	2003
Exchange rate (national currency per US\$)	0.01	86.90 ^a
Consumer price index (1990=100) ^a	2771	1554 ^d
Balance of payments, current account (million US\$)	-295	-150 ^e
Tourist arrivals (000s)	9	107
GDP (million current US\$)	5040	9870
GDP (per capita current US\$)	464	725
Gross fixed capital formation (% of GDP)	18.0	23.0 ^a
Labour force participation, adult female pop. (%)	73.4	...
Labour force participation, adult male pop. (%)	89.7	...
Employment in industrial sector (%)	8.0 ^f	...
Employment in agricultural sector (%)	74.5 ^f	...
Agricultural production index (1999-2000=100)	77	114
Food production index (1999-2000=100)	77	114
Primary energy production (000s Mt oil equiv.)	32750	37073 ^g
Motor vehicles (per 1,000 inhabitants) ^h	3.6	18.4 ⁱ
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants)	0.5	0.7
Internet users, estimated (000s)	0.1 ^j	41.0 ^k

Social indicators	1995-2004
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	3.2
Population aged 0-14 years (%)	48.0
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total)	5.0/4.0
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)	103
Life expectancy at birth 2000-2005 (women and men, years)	42/39
Infant mortality rate 2000-2005 (per 1,000 births)	140
Total fertility rate 2000-2005 (births per woman)	7.2
Urban population (%)	36
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	5.4
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	2.0
Foreign born (%)	0.4 ⁱ
Refugees and others of concern to UNHCR	147365
Government education expenditure (% of GNP)	3.4 ^j
Primary-secondary gross enrolment ratio (w and m per 100)	68/21
Third-level students (women and men, % of total)	39/61
Newspaper circulation (per 1,000 inhabitants)	11 ^j
Television receivers (per 1,000 inhabitants)	13
Parliamentary seats (women and men, % of total) ^k	16/84

Environment	1995-2004
Threatened species	71
Forested area (% of land area)	56
CO ₂ emissions (000s Mt/per capita)	6405/0.5
Energy consumption per capita (kilograms oil equiv.)	145
Precipitation (mm)	332 ^l
Average minimum and maximum temperatures (centigrade) ^l	22.8/25.2

a 2003. b September 2004. c Base: 2000 = 100. d August 2004. e 2002. f 1990. g 2001. h Source: World Automotive Market Report, Auto and Truck International (Illinois). i 1996. j Estimated data. k 1992. l Luanda.

Antigua and Barbuda

Region	Caribbean
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	St John's (28) ^a
Currency	EC dollar
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	73
Surface area (square kms)	442
Population density (per square km)	166
United Nations membership date	11 November 1981

Economic indicators	1995	2003
Exchange rate (national currency per US\$) ^a	2.70	2.70 ^c
Consumer price index (1990=100)	108 ^a	116 ^a
Balance of payments, current account (million US\$)	-1	-103 ^f
Tourist arrivals (000s)	220	222 ^a
GDP (million current US\$)	440	660
GDP (per capita current US\$)	6458	9036
Gross fixed capital formation (% of GDP)	41.0	52.0
Employment in industrial sector (%)	18.6 ^h	...
Employment in agricultural sector (%)	4.0 ^h	...
Agricultural production index (1999-2000=100)	101	106
Food production index (1999-2000=100)	101	105
Motor vehicles (per 1,000 inhabitants)	297.0	372.5 ^a
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants)	38.8	48.8 ^a
Internet users, estimated (000s)	1.5	10.0 ⁱ

Largest export industries	Major trading partners	2003
	(% of exports)	(% of imports)
Metal manufactures	55 USA	21 USA
Chemicals	14 Montserrat	13 Japan
Basic metals	9 St. Kitts & Nevis	11 UK

Social indicators	1995-2004
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	0.5
Population aged 0-14 years (%)	28.0
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total)	12.0/9.0
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)	108
Infant mortality rate 2000-2005 (per 1,000 births)	17 ⁱ
Contraceptive use (% of currently married women)	53 ^a
Urban population (%)	38
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	1.4
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	...
Foreign born (%)	22.1 ^a
Government education expenditure (% of GNP)	3.5
Newspaper circulation (per 1,000 inhabitants)	91
Intentional homicides (per 100,000 inhabitants)	10
Parliamentary seats (women and men, % of total)	14/86

Environment	1995-2004
Threatened species	21
Forested area (% of land area)	21
CO ₂ emissions (000s Mt/per capita)	352/4.9
Energy consumption per capita (kilograms oil equiv.)	1638
Precipitation (mm)	1052 ^a
Average minimum and maximum temperatures (centigrade) ^a	23.9/29.6

a 2003. b Official rate. c September 2004. d Average of less than twelve months. Index base: 1993=100. e 1998. f 2002. g 2001. h 1991. i 1999. j Data tabulated by date of registration rather than occurrence. k 1988. l Including visiting unions. m Estimated data. n St. John's Antigua.

Argentina

Region	South America
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	Buenos Aires (13047)*
Currency	peso
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	38871
Surface area (square kms)	2780400
Population density (per square km)	14
United Nations membership date	24 October 1945

Economic indicators	1995	2003
Exchange rate (national currency per US\$)	1.00	2.96 ^c
Consumer price index (1990=100)	404	593 ^a
Industrial production index (1995=100)	100	101 ^f
Unemployment (percentage of labour force)	18.8	19.6 ^h
Balance of payments, current account (million US\$)	-5175	7838
Tourist arrivals (000s)	2289	3374
GDP (million current US\$)	258100	129710
GDP (per capita current US\$)	7423	3375
Gross fixed capital formation (% of GDP)	18.0	15.0
Labour force participation, adult female pop. (%)	41.3	44.5 ⁿ
Labour force participation, adult male pop. (%)	76.2	75.0 ⁿ
Employment in industrial sector (%)	27.0	22.9 ⁿ
Employment in agricultural sector (%)	0.6	0.4 ⁿ
Agricultural production index (1999-2000=100)	85	103
Food production index (1999-2000=100)	83	103
Primary energy production (000s Mt oil equiv.)	65343	84834 ⁿ
Motor vehicles (per 1,000 inhabitants)	169.6	172.5 ^a
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants)	16.5	21.9 ^k
Internet users, estimated (000s)	30.0	4100.0 ^k

Largest export industries	Major trading partners	2003
(% of exports)	(% of exports)	(% of imports)
Food, beverages, tobacco	29 Brazil	16 Brazil
Agriculture	21 Chile	12 USA
Chemicals	15 USA	11 Germany

Social indicators	1995-2004
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	1.2
Population aged 0-14 years (%)	27.0
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total)	16.0/12.0
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)	104
Life expectancy at birth 2000-2005 (women and men, years)	78/71
Infant mortality rate 2000-2005 (per 1,000 births)	20
Total fertility rate 2000-2005 (births per woman)	2.4
Urban population (%)	90
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	1.4
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	-1.0
Foreign born (%)	4.2
Refugees and others of concern to UNHCR	3853
Government education expenditure (% of GNP)	4.7 ^a
Primary-secondary gross enrolment ratio (w and m per 100)	111/108
Third-level students (women and men, % of total)	59/41
Newspaper circulation (per 1,000 inhabitants)	123
Television receivers (per 1,000 inhabitants)	223
Intentional homicides (per 100,000 inhabitants)	7
Parliamentary seats (women and men, % of total)	34/66

Environment	1995-2004
Threatened species	142
Forested area (% of land area)	13
CO ₂ emissions (000s Mt/per capita)	138288/3.7
Energy consumption per capita (kilograms oil equiv.)	1479
Precipitation (mm)	1215 ^p
Average minimum and maximum temperatures (centigrade) ^a	13.5/22.5

a 2003. b Official rate. c September 2004. d Metropolitan area. e June 2004. f Manufacturing only. g 1st quarter 2004. h 28 urban agglomerations. i May and October of each year. j Persons aged 10 years and over. k 2002. l Gross capital formation. m 2001. n 2000. o Estimated data. p Buenos Aires.

Armenia

Region	Western Asia
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	Yerevan (1079)*
Currency	drum
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	3052
Surface area (square kms)	29800
Population density (per square km)	102
United Nations membership date	2 March 1992

Economic indicators	1995	2003
Exchange rate (national currency per US\$)	402.00	508.22 ^a
Consumer price index (1990=100)	276	485 ^a
Industrial production index (1995=100)	100	106 ^f
Unemployment (percentage of labour force)	6.7	9.4 ^h
Balance of payments, current account (million US\$)	-218	-191
Tourist arrivals (000s)	12	206
GDP (million current US\$)	1290	2770
GDP (per capita current US\$)	387	905
Gross fixed capital formation (% of GDP)	16.0	19.0 ⁿ
Labour force participation, adult female pop. (%)	62.0	45.0 ⁱ
Labour force participation, adult male pop. (%)	73.5	43.4 ⁱ
Employment in industrial sector (%)	20.5	14.1 ^h
Employment in agricultural sector (%)	37.4	44.4 ⁿ
Agricultural production index (1999-2000=100)	103	112
Food production index (1999-2000=100)	104	113
Primary energy production (000s Mt oil equiv.)	244	602 ⁱ
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants)	15.5	14.8
Internet users, estimated (000s)	1.7	140.0

Largest export industries	Major trading partners	2003
(% of exports)	(% of exports)	(% of imports)
Mining quarry	49 Israel	21 Russian Fed.
Basic metals	12 Belgium	19 Belgium
Food, beverages, tobacco	12 Russian Fed.	14 Israel

Social indicators	1995-2004
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	-0.4
Population aged 0-14 years (%)	19.0
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total)	14.0/11.0
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)	106
Life expectancy at birth 2000-2005 (women and men, years)	76/69
Infant mortality rate 2000-2005 (per 1,000 births)	17
Total fertility rate 2000-2005 (births per woman)	1.1
Contraceptive use (% of currently married women)	61 ⁱ
Urban population (%)	64
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	-0.8
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	0.1
Foreign born (%)	8.9
Refugees and others of concern to UNHCR	239325
Government education expenditure (% of GNP)	3.1
Primary-secondary gross enrolment ratio (w and m per 100)	93/87
Third-level students (women and men, % of total)	54/46
Newspaper circulation (per 1,000 inhabitants)	5
Television receivers (per 1,000 inhabitants)	256
Intentional homicides (per 100,000 inhabitants)	2
Parliamentary seats (women and men, % of total)	5/95

Environment	1995-2004
Threatened species	29
Forested area (% of land area)	12
CO ₂ emissions (000s Mt/per capita)	3513/1.1
Energy consumption per capita (kilograms oil equiv.)	561
Precipitation (mm)	580 ⁿ
Average minimum and maximum temperatures (centigrade) ^a	1.5/18.1

a 2003. b Official rate. c September 2004. d Base: 1994=100. e May 2004. f 1999. g Persons aged 16 to 63 years. h 2002. i Data classified according to SNA 93. j 2001. k 2000. l Including the lactational amenorrhoea method and/or breastfeeding if reported as the current contraceptive method. m Kapan.

Aruba

Region	Caribbean
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	Oranjestad (29) *
Currency	florin
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	101
Surface area (square kms)	193
Population density (per square km)	525

Economic indicators	1995	2003
Exchange rate (national currency per US\$) ^a	1.79	1.79 ^c
Consumer price index (1990=100)	127 ^d	164 ^e
Balance of payments, current account (million US\$)	-0	-140
Tourist arrivals (000s)	619	642
GDP (million current US\$)	1320	2000
GDP (per capita current US\$)	16746	20100
Gross fixed capital formation (% of GDP) ^f	28.0	24.0
Labour force participation, adult male pop. (%)	75.6 ^g	...
Employment in industrial sector (%)	18.5 ^h	16.3 ^h
Employment in agricultural sector (%)	0.1 ⁱ	0.5 ⁱ
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants)	33.5	35.0 ^j
Internet users, estimated (000s)	2.3 ^k	24.0 ^l

Largest export industries		Major trading partners		2003	
	(% of exports)		(% of exports)	(% of imports)	
Food, beverages, tobacco	42	Netherlands	34	USA	59
Chemicals	29	Colombia	13	Netherlands	13
Other manufactures	10	Panama	13	Neth. Antilles	3

Social indicators	1995-2004
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	2.0
Population aged 0-14 years (%)	22.0
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total)	13.0/11.0
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)	102
Urban population (%)	45
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	1.1
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	2.8
Foreign born (%)	23.3
Government education expenditure (% of GNP)	4.0 ^m
Primary-secondary gross enrolment ratio (w and m per 100)	106/109
Third-level students (women and men, % of total)	60/40
Newspaper circulation (per 1,000 inhabitants)	852

Environment	1995-2004
Threatened species	17
CO ₂ emissions (000s Mt/per capita)	1925/20.6
Energy consumption per capita (kilograms oil equiv.)	3243
Precipitation (mm)	1007 ⁿ

a 2003. b Official rate. c August 2004. d Series linked to former series. e May 2004. f Data classified according to SNA 93. g 1994. h 1997. i 2001. j 1996. k Juliana/St. Maarten.

Australia

Region	Oceania
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	Sydney (4274) *
Currency	dollar
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	19913 ^a
Surface area (square kms)	7741220
Population density (per square km)	3
United Nations membership date	1 November 1945

Economic indicators	1995	2003
Exchange rate (national currency per US\$)	1.34	1.40 ^e
Consumer price index (1990=100)	113	140 ^d
Industrial production index (1995=100) *	100	121 ^f
Unemployment (percentage of labour force) *	8.4	6.3 ^h
Balance of payments, current account (million US\$)	-19323	-30205
Tourist arrivals (000s)	372730	523350
GDP (million current US\$)	20625	26525
GDP (per capita current US\$)	22.0	24.0 ⁱ
Gross fixed capital formation (% of GDP)	53.3	55.2 ^j
Labour force participation, adult female pop. (%)	73.3	71.5 ^j
Labour force participation, adult male pop. (%)	22.8	20.9 ^j
Employment in industrial sector (%)	4.9	4.9 ^j
Employment in agricultural sector (%)	79	95
Agricultural production index (1999-2000=100)	79	99
Food production index (1999-2000=100)	189230	250414 ^k
Primary energy production (000s Mt oil equiv.)	589.4	637.1
Motor vehicles (per 1,000 inhabitants) *	49.3	54.2
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants)	500.0	11300.0
Internet users, estimated (000s)		

Largest export industries		Major trading partners		2003	
	(% of exports)		(% of exports)	(% of imports)	
Mining quarry	28	Japan	18	USA	16
Metal manufactures	16	USA	9	Japan	13
Food, beverages, tobacco	14	China	8	China	11

Social indicators	1995-2004
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	1.0
Population aged 0-14 years (%)	20.0
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total)	18.0/16.0
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)	101
Life expectancy at birth 2000-2005 (women and men, years)	82/76
Infant mortality rate 2000-2005 (per 1,000 births)	6
Total fertility rate 2000-2005 (births per woman)	1.7
Contraceptive use (% of currently married women)	76 ^l
Urban population (%)	92 ^l
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	1.4 ^h
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	-3.8 ^h
Foreign born (%)	24.6 ^m
Refugees and others of concern to UNHCR	59279 ⁿ
Government education expenditure (% of GNP)	4.7
Primary-secondary gross enrolment ratio (w and m per 100)	126/127
Third-level students (women and men, % of total)	54/46
Newspaper circulation (per 1,000 inhabitants)	293 ⁿ
Television receivers (per 1,000 inhabitants)	548
Intentional homicides (per 100,000 inhabitants)	2
Parliamentary seats (women and men, % of total)	27/73

Environment	1995-2004
Threatened species	583
Forested area (% of land area)	20
CO ₂ emissions (000s Mt/per capita) ⁿ	354539/18.3
Energy consumption per capita (kilograms oil equiv.)	6008
Precipitation (mm)	1222 ^o
Average minimum and maximum temperatures (centigrade) *	13.7/21.6

a 2003. b Including Christmas Island, Cocos (Keeling) Islands and Norfolk Island. c September 2004. d June 2004. e Figures relate to 12 months ending 30 June of the year stated. f 2nd quarter 2004. g Persons aged 15 years and over. h 2002. i Data refer to fiscal year beginning 1 July. j 2001. k Data refer to fiscal years beginning 1 July. l 1986. m Estimated data. n Source: UNFCCC. o Sydney.

Austria

Region	Western Europe
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	Vienna (2179) ^a
Currency	euro ^b
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	8120
Surface area (square kms)	83859
Population density (per square km)	97
United Nations membership date	14 December 1955

Economic indicators	1995	2003
Exchange rate (national currency per US\$) ^c	10.09	0.83 ^a
Consumer price index (1990=100)	117	136 ^d
Industrial production index (1995=100)	100	151 ^f
Unemployment (percentage of labour force) ^g	3.7	4.0 ^h
Balance of payments, current account (million US\$)	-5448	-2392
Tourist arrivals (000s)	17193	19078
GDP (million current US\$)	235160	253120
GDP (per capita current US\$)	29225	31187
Gross fixed capital formation (% of GDP) ⁱ	23.0	23.0
Labour force participation, adult female pop. (%)	48.3	48.9 ⁱ
Labour force participation, adult male pop. (%)	70.3	68.0 ⁱ
Employment in industrial sector (%)	32.0	29.9 ^j
Employment in agricultural sector (%)	7.4	5.7 ^j
Agricultural production index (1999-2000=100)	95	92
Food production index (1999-2000=100)	95	92
Primary energy production (000s Mt oil equiv.)	6064	6782 ^k
Motor vehicles (per 1,000 inhabitants)	534.8	593.9
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants)	47.2	48.1 ^k
Internet users, estimated (000s)	150.0	3730.0

Largest export industries		Major trading partners		2003	
	(% of exports)		(% of exports)		(% of imports)
Metal manufactures	49	Germany	32	Germany	41
Other manufactures	12	Italy	9	Italy	7
Chemicals	11	Switzerland	6	Switzerland	4

Social indicators	1995-2004
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	0.1
Population aged 0-14 years (%)	16.0
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total)	25.0/19.0
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)	104
Life expectancy at birth 2000-2005 (women and men, years)	82/75
Infant mortality rate 2000-2005 (per 1,000 births)	5
Total fertility rate 2000-2005 (births per woman)	1.3
Contraceptive use (% of currently married women)	47
Urban population (%)	66
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	0.1
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	0.1
Foreign born (%)	12.5
Refugees and others of concern to UNHCR	48394 ^l
Government education expenditure (% of GNP)	5.9
Primary-secondary gross enrolment ratio (w and m per 100)	99/102
Third-level students (women and men, % of total)	52/48
Newspaper circulation (per 1,000 inhabitants)	296 ^m
Television receivers (per 1,000 inhabitants)	525
Intentional homicides (per 100,000 inhabitants)	1
Parliamentary seats (women and men, % of total)	30/70

Environment	1995-2004
Threatened species	64
Forested area (% of land area)	47
CO ₂ emissions (000s Mt/per capita) ⁿ	69120/8.5
Energy consumption per capita (kilograms oil equiv.)	3283
Precipitation (mm)	620 ⁿ
Average minimum and maximum temperatures (centigrade) ^a	6.7/14.5

a 2003. b Prior to 1 January 1999, schilling. c Official rate. d August 2004. e Euro - per US dollar. f July 2004. g Persons aged 15 years and over. h 2002. i Data classified according to SNA 93. j 2001. k Year ending 30 June. l Estimated data. m Source: UNFCCC. n Vienna.

Azerbaijan

Region	Western Asia
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	Baku (1816) ^a
Currency	manat
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	8447
Surface area (square kms)	86600
Population density (per square km)	98
United Nations membership date	2 March 1992

Economic indicators	1995	2003
Exchange rate (national currency per US\$) ^a	4444.00	4902.00 ^a
Consumer price index (1990=100) ^a	9025	11797 ^a
Industrial production index (1995=100) ^a	100	30 ^a
Unemployment (percentage of labour force) ^a	0.8	1.3
Balance of payments, current account (million US\$)	-401	-2021
Tourist arrivals (000s)	93 ⁱ	834 ⁱ
GDP (million current US\$)	2420	7140
GDP (per capita current US\$)	310	853
Gross fixed capital formation (% of GDP) ^a	16.0	51.0
Labour force participation, adult female pop. (%)	53.0	...
Labour force participation, adult male pop. (%)	74.2	...
Employment in industrial sector (%)	8.0	10.8 ⁱ
Employment in agricultural sector (%)	30.8	40.0 ⁱ
Agricultural production index (1999-2000=100)	81	119
Food production index (1999-2000=100)	73	121
Primary energy production (000s Mt oil equiv.)	15308	20033 ⁱ
Motor vehicles (per 1,000 inhabitants)	52.5	59.7
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants)	8.5	11.4
Internet users, estimated (000s)	0.2	300.0 ⁱ

Internet users, estimated (000s)			0.2	300.0	
Largest export industries		Major trading partners		2003	
(% of exports)		(% of exports)		(% of imports)	
Mining/quarry	70	Italy	52	Russian Fed.	15
Chemicals	19	France	8	UK	11
Agriculture	4	Russian Fed.	6	Turkey	7

Social indicators	1995-2004
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	0.9
Population aged 0-14 years (%)	28.0
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total)	10.0/8.0
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)	105
Life expectancy at birth 2000-2005 (women and men, years)	76/69
Infant mortality rate 2000-2005 (per 1,000 births)	29
Total fertility rate 2000-2005 (births per woman)	2.1
Contraceptive use (% of currently married women)	55
Urban population (%)	50
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	0.6
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	1.2
Refugees and others of concern to UNHCR	585170
Government education expenditure (% of GNP)	3.7
Primary-secondary gross enrolment ratio (w and m per 100)	84/85
Third-level students (women and men, % of total)	52/48
Newspaper circulation (per 1,000 inhabitants)	27 ^m
Television receivers (per 1,000 inhabitants)	21
Intentional homicides (per 100,000 inhabitants)	3
Parliamentary seats (women and men, % of total)	11/89

Environment	1995-2004
Threatened species	37
Forested area (% of land area)	13
CO ₂ emissions (000s Mt/per capita) ⁿ	29062/3.6
Energy consumption per capita (kilograms oil equiv.)	1405
Precipitation (mm)	210 ⁿ
Average minimum and maximum temperatures (centigrade) ^a	12.0/18.9

a 2003. b Official rate. c August 2004. d Base: 1993=100. e April 2004. f Base: 1990=100. g 1999. h 31st Dec. of each year. i 2002. j 1997. k Data classified according to SNA 93. l 2001. m Estimated data. n Source: UNFCCC. o Baku.

Bahamas

Region	Caribbean
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	Nassau (222) ^a
Currency	dollar
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	317
Surface area (square kms)	13878
Population density (per square km)	23
United Nations membership date	18 September 1973

Economic indicators	1995	2003
Exchange rate (national currency per US\$) ^a	1.00	1.00 ^c
Consumer price index (1990=100)	121 ^d	139 ^e
Unemployment (percentage of labour force) ^f	10.9	10.8
Balance of payments, current account (million US\$)	-145	-430
Tourist arrivals (000s)	1598	1510
GDP (million current US\$)	3070	4540
GDP (per capita current US\$)	10836	14462
Gross fixed capital formation (% of GDP) ^h	23.0	23.0 ⁱ
Labour force participation, adult female pop. (%)	67.0	...
Labour force participation, adult male pop. (%)	81.3	...
Employment in industrial sector (%)	14.2	15.2 ^j
Employment in agricultural sector (%)	4.3	3.5 ^k
Agricultural production index (1999-2000=100)	86	101
Food production index (1999-2000=100)	86	101
Motor vehicles (per 1,000 inhabitants)	285.5	342.0 ^l
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants)	30.0	41.5
Internet users, estimated (000s)	2.7	84.0

Largest export industries	Major trading partners	2003
(% of exports) ^a	(% of exports) ^a	(% of imports) ^a
Chemicals	45 USA	78 USA
Agriculture	22 France	6 Venezuela
Metal manufactures	15 Germany	4 Neth. Antilles

Social indicators	1995-2004
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	1.1
Population aged 0-14 years (%)	29.0
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total)	10.0/8.0
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)	103
Life expectancy at birth 2000-2005 (women and men, years)	70/64
Infant mortality rate 2000-2005 (per 1,000 births)	18
Total fertility rate 2000-2005 (births per woman)	2.3
Contraceptive use (% of currently married women)	62 ^m
Urban population (%)	89
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	1.5
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	-1.6
Foreign born (%)	9.9 ⁿ
Government education expenditure (% of GNP)	3.6
Primary-secondary gross enrolment ratio (w and m per 100)	93/91
Newspaper circulation (per 1,000 inhabitants)	125 ⁿ
Television receivers (per 1,000 inhabitants)	229
Intentional homicides (per 100,000 inhabitants)	21
Parliamentary seats (women and men, % of total)	27/73

Environment	1995-2004
Threatened species	36
Forested area (% of land area)	84
CO ₂ emissions (000s Mt/per capita)	1797/5.9
Energy consumption per capita (kilograms oil equiv.)	1939
Precipitation (mm)	1389 ^o
Average minimum and maximum temperatures (centigrade) ^o	20.8/28.8

a 2003. b Principal rate. c September 2004. d Series linked to former series. e May 2004. f Persons aged 15 years and over. g April of each year. h Data classified according to SNA 93. i 2002. j 1998. k 2001. l 1988. m Including visiting unions. n Estimated data. o Nassau.

Bahrain

Region	Western Asia
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	Manama (139) ^a
Currency	dinar
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	739
Surface area (square kms)	694
Population density (per square km)	1065
United Nations membership date	21 September 1971

Economic indicators	1995	2003
Exchange rate (national currency per US\$) ^a	0.38	0.38 ^c
Consumer price index (1990=100) ^c	107	96 ^c
Balance of payments, current account (million US\$)	237	-68
Tourist arrivals (000s)	1396	3167 ^f
GDP (million current US\$)	5850	9080
GDP (per capita current US\$)	9972	12542
Gross fixed capital formation (% of GDP)	17.0	17.0 ^f
Labour force participation, adult female pop. (%)	30.7	...
Labour force participation, adult male pop. (%)	85.8	...
Employment in industrial sector (%)	29.8 ^g	...
Employment in agricultural sector (%)	0.8 ^h	...
Agricultural production index (1999-2000=100)	104	90
Food production index (1999-2000=100)	104	90
Primary energy production (000s Mt oil equiv.)	8782	10559 ⁱ
Motor vehicles (per 1,000 inhabitants)	282.6	325.2 ^j
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants)	25.1	26.8
Internet users, estimated (000s)	2.0	150.0

Largest export industries	Major trading partners	2003
(% of exports)	(% of exports)	(% of imports)
Chemicals	74 Saudi Arabia	7 Japan
Basic metals	13 USA	4 Saudi Arabia
Textiles	4 India	2 Australia

Social indicators	1995-2004
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	2.2
Population aged 0-14 years (%)	29.0
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total)	5.0/4.0
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)	74
Life expectancy at birth 2000-2005 (women and men, years)	76/73
Infant mortality rate 2000-2005 (per 1,000 births)	14
Total fertility rate 2000-2005 (births per woman)	2.7
Contraceptive use (% of currently married women) ^c	62 ^m
Urban population (%)	90
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	2.3
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	0.9
Foreign born (%)	36.4 ^l
Refugees and others of concern to UNHCR	1
Government education expenditure (% of GNP)	4.2
Primary-secondary gross enrolment ratio (w and m per 100)	97/95
Third-level students (women and men, % of total)	60/40
Newspaper circulation (per 1,000 inhabitants)	117 ⁿ
Television receivers (per 1,000 inhabitants)	441
Intentional homicides (per 100,000 inhabitants)	1
Parliamentary seats (women and men, % of total)	8/92

Environment	1995-2004
Threatened species	13
Forested area (% of land area)	-
CO ₂ emissions (000s Mt/per capita)	19514/28.8
Energy consumption per capita (kilograms oil equiv.)	13973
Precipitation (mm)	71 ⁿ
Average minimum and maximum temperatures (centigrade) ^o	23.0/30.1

a 2003. b Official rate. c September 2004. d Base: 1997=100. e June 2003. f 2002. g 1990. h 1994. i 2001. j Including the lactational amenorrhoea method and/or breastfeeding if reported as the current contraceptive method. k Households of nationals of the country. l 1991. m Estimated data. n Bahrain/Manama.

Bangladesh

Region	South-central Asia
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	Dhaka (11560) ^a
Currency	taka
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	149664
Surface area (square kms)	143998
Population density (per square km)	1039
United Nations membership date	17 September 1974

Economic indicators	1995	2003
Exchange rate (national currency per US\$) ^b	40.75	59.49 ^c
Consumer price index (1990=100) ^d	110	162 ^e
Industrial production index (1995=100) ^f	100	186 ^h
Unemployment (percentage of labour force) ⁱ	2.5 ^k	3.3 ^m
Balance of payments, current account (million US\$)	-824	183
Tourist arrivals (000s)	156	207 ⁿ
GDP (million current US\$)	41290	56470
GDP (per capita current US\$)	335	385
Gross fixed capital formation (% of GDP) ^o	20.0	23.0 ^p
Labour force participation, adult female pop. (%)	65.9	55.9 ^q
Labour force participation, adult male pop. (%)	87.4	87.2 ^r
Employment in industrial sector (%)	13.0 ^s	10.3 ^t
Employment in agricultural sector (%)	66.4 ^u	62.1 ^v
Agricultural production index (1999-2000=100)	76	104
Food production index (1999-2000=100)	75	104
Primary energy production (000s Mt oil equiv.)	6372	9805 ^w
Motor vehicles (per 1,000 inhabitants)	1.3	1.6 ^x
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants)	0.2	0.6
Internet users, estimated (000s)	1.0 ^y	243.0

Largest export industries		Major trading partners		2003	
	(% of exports)		(% of exports)	(% of imports)	
Textiles	88	USA	32	India	19
Agriculture	9	Germany	14	Singapore	13
Chemicals	1	UK	12	China	11

Social indicators	1995-2004
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	2.0
Population aged 0-14 years (%)	37.0
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total)	5.0/5.0
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)	95
Life expectancy at birth 2000-2005 (women and men, years)	62/61
Infant mortality rate 2000-2005 (per 1,000 births)	64
Total fertility rate 2000-2005 (births per woman)	3.5
Contraceptive use (% of currently married women)	54 ^a
Urban population (%)	24
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	3.5
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	1.5
Foreign born (%)	0.7 ^b
Refugees and others of concern to UNHCR	19800
Government education expenditure (% of GNP)	2.2
Primary-secondary gross enrolment ratio (w and m per 100)	71/68
Third-level students (women and men, % of total)	32/68
Newspaper circulation (per 1,000 inhabitants)	9 ^c
Television receivers (per 1,000 inhabitants)	6
Parliamentary seats (women and men, % of total)	2/98

Environment	1995-2004
Threatened species	85
Forested area (% of land area)	10
CO ₂ emissions (000s Mt/per capita)	29275/0.2
Energy consumption per capita (kilograms oil equiv.)	94
Precipitation (mm)	2039
Average minimum and maximum temperatures (centigrade)	18.4/28.9

a 2003. b Principal rate. c September 2004. d Government officials. e Base: 1994=100 f February 2004. g Figures relate to 12 months ending 30 June of the year stated. h June 2004. i Year ending in June of the year indicated. j Persons aged 10 years and over. k 1995. l 2000. m Persons aged 15 years and over. n 2002. o Data classified according to SNA 93. p Data refer to fiscal year beginning 1 July. q 1990. r 2001. s 1998. t 1997. u 1999/2000. v Estimated data.

Barbados

Region	Caribbean
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	Bridgetown (140) ^a
Currency	dollar
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	271
Surface area (square kms)	430
Population density (per square km)	631
United Nations membership date	9 December 1966

Economic indicators	1995	2003
Exchange rate (national currency per US\$) ^b	2.00	2.00 ^c
Consumer price index (1990=100)	117 ^d	139 ^e
Industrial production index (1995=100)	100	106 ^f
Unemployment (percentage of labour force) ^g	19.7	10.3 ^h
Balance of payments, current account (million US\$)	43	-172 ⁱ
Tourist arrivals (000s)	442	498 ^j
GDP (million current US\$)	1870	2670
GDP (per capita current US\$)	7126	9867
Gross fixed capital formation (% of GDP)	15.0	17.0 ^k
Labour force participation, adult female pop. (%)	62.7	62.1 ^l
Labour force participation, adult male pop. (%)	74.5	75.9 ^m
Employment in industrial sector (%)	19.6	19.6 ⁿ
Employment in agricultural sector (%)	4.6	4.2 ^o
Agricultural production index (1999-2000=100)	93	94
Food production index (1999-2000=100)	93	94
Primary energy production (000s Mt oil equiv.)	88	93 ^p
Motor vehicles (per 1,000 inhabitants)	206.5	268.3 ^q
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants)	34.1	49.7
Internet users, estimated (000s)	<	100.0

Largest export industries		Major trading partners		2003
	(% of exports)		(% of exports)	(% of imports)
Chemicals	35	USA	14	USA 38
Food, beverages, tobacco	26	Trinidad Tbg	11	Trinidad Tbg 20
Metal manufactures	19	UK	11	UK 6

Social indicators	1995-2004
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	0.3
Population aged 0-14 years (%)	19.0
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total)	16.0/10.0
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)	106
Life expectancy at birth 2000-2005 (women and men, years)	80/75
Infant mortality rate 2000-2005 (per 1,000 births)	11
Total fertility rate 2000-2005 (births per woman)	1.5
Contraceptive use (% of currently married women)	55 ^a
Urban population (%)	52
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	1.5
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	-0.8
Foreign born (%)	9.2 ^b
Government education expenditure (% of GNP)	6.7
Primary-secondary gross enrolment ratio (w and m per 100)	108/106
Third-level students (women and men, % of total)	71/29
Newspaper circulation (per 1,000 inhabitants)	155 ^c
Television receivers (per 1,000 inhabitants)	287
Intentional homicides (per 100,000 inhabitants)	10
Parliamentary seats (women and men, % of total)	18/82

Environment	1995-2004
Threatened species	17
Forested area (% of land area)	5
CO ₂ emissions (000s Mt/per capita)	1177/4.4
Energy consumption per capita (kilograms oil equiv.)	1387
Precipitation (mm)	1273 ^d
Average minimum and maximum temperatures (centigrade) ^e	25.1/27.1

a 2003. b Official rate. c September 2004. d Series linked to former series. e May 2004. f Persons aged 15 years and over. g 2002. h 2001. i Including buses and coaches. j 1999. k 1988. l Including visiting unions. m Estimated data. n Seawall airport.

Belarus

Region	Eastern Europe
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	Minsk (1705) ^a
Currency	rubel
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	9852
Surface area (square kms)	207600
Population density (per square km)	47
United Nations membership date	24 October 1945

Economic indicators	1995	2003
Exchange rate (national currency per US\$) ^a	11.50	2161.00 ^c
Consumer price index (1990=100) ^d	242349	382937 ^f
Unemployment (percentage of labour force) ^g	2.9	3.0 ^h
Balance of payments, current account (million US\$)	-458	-527
Tourist arrivals (000s)	161	61 ⁱ
GDP (million current US\$)	10540	17500
GDP (per capita current US\$)	1028	1768
Gross fixed capital formation (% of GDP) ^j	25.0	22.0 ^h
Labour force participation, adult female pop. (%)	59.1	...
Labour force participation, adult male pop. (%)	73.7	...
Employment in industrial sector (%)	34.9 ^k	...
Employment in agricultural sector (%)	21.2 ^k	...
Agricultural production index (1999-2000=100)	108	109
Food production index (1999-2000=100)	108	109
Primary energy production (000s Mt oil equiv.)	2896	2546 ⁱ
Motor vehicles (per 1,000 inhabitants) ^l	91.7	167.4
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants)	19.3	31.1
Internet users, estimated (000s)	0.3	1391.9

Largest export industries	Major trading partners	2003
	(% of exports)	(% of imports)
Chemicals	36 Russian Fed.	49 Russian Fed.
Metal manufactures	30 UK	9 Germany
Textiles	8 Poland	4 Ukraine

Social indicators	1995-2004
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	-0.4
Population aged 0-14 years (%)	16.0
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total)	23.0/14.0
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)	113
Life expectancy at birth 2000-2005 (women and men, years)	75/65
Infant mortality rate 2000-2005 (per 1,000 births)	11
Total fertility rate 2000-2005 (births per woman)	1.2
Contraceptive use (% of currently married women)	50
Urban population (%)	71
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	0.1
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	-1.7
Foreign born (%)	0.8
Refugees and others of concern to UNHCR	17337
Government education expenditure (% of GNP)	6.0
Primary-secondary gross enrolment ratio (w and m per 100)	95/91
Third-level students (women and men, % of total)	57/43
Newspaper circulation (per 1,000 inhabitants)	152
Television receivers (per 1,000 inhabitants)	248
Intentional homicides (per 100,000 inhabitants)	11
Parliamentary seats (women and men, % of total)	18/82

Environment	1995-2004
Threatened species	15
Forested area (% of land area)	45
CO ₂ emissions (000s Mt/per capita)	59195/5.9
Energy consumption per capita (kilograms oil equiv.)	2222
Precipitation (mm)	677 ⁿ
Average minimum and maximum temperatures (centigrade) ⁿ	2.1/9.9

a 2003. b Official rate. c August 2004. d Base: 1992=100. e Multiply each figure by 100. f May 2004. g December. of each year. h 2002. i 2001. j Data classified according to SNA 93. k 1994. l Passenger-cars only. m Minsk.

Belgium

Region	Western Europe
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	Brussels (998) ^a
Currency	euro ^b
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	10340
Surface area (square kms)	30528
Population density (per square km)	339
United Nations membership date	27 December 1945

Economic indicators	1995	2003
Exchange rate (national currency per US\$)	29.42	0.83 ^o
Consumer price index (1990=100)	113	133 ^c
Industrial production index (1995=100)	100	129 ^c
Unemployment (percentage of labour force) ^d	9.3	7.5 ^f
Balance of payments, current account (million US\$)	14232 ^g	11623
Tourist arrivals (000s)	5560	6690
GDP (million current US\$)	276650	301880
GDP (per capita current US\$)	27292	29257
Gross fixed capital formation (% of GDP) ^e	20.0	20.0 ^g
Labour force participation, adult female pop. (%)	40.5	42.6 ⁱ
Labour force participation, adult male pop. (%)	61.2	60.4 ^g
Employment in industrial sector (%)	26.4	24.7 ^h
Employment in agricultural sector (%)	2.4	2.2 ^h
Agricultural production index (1999-2000=100) ^j	100 ^k	...
Food production index (1999-2000=100) ^h	100 ^k	...
Primary energy production (000s Mt oil equiv.)	11284	12378 ⁱ
Motor vehicles (per 1,000 inhabitants)	466.4	523.1 ^g
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants)	46.3	48.9
Internet users, estimated (000s)	100.0	4000.0

Largest export industries	Major trading partners	2003
	(% of exports)	(% of imports)
Chemicals	33 Germany	20 Germany
Metal manufactures	32 France	17 Netherlands
Food, beverages, tobacco	7 Netherlands	12 France

Social indicators	1995-2004
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	0.2
Population aged 0-14 years (%)	17.0
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total)	25.0/20.0
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)	104
Life expectancy at birth 2000-2005 (women and men, years)	82/76
Infant mortality rate 2000-2005 (per 1,000 births)	4
Total fertility rate 2000-2005 (births per woman)	1.7
Contraceptive use (% of currently married women)	78 ^m
Urban population (%)	97
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	0.2
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	-0.8
Foreign born (%)	8.6 ⁿ
Refugees and others of concern to UNHCR	35199
Government education expenditure (% of GNP)	5.7
Primary-secondary gross enrolment ratio (w and m per 100)	127/123
Third-level students (women and men, % of total)	53/47
Newspaper circulation (per 1,000 inhabitants)	160
Television receivers (per 1,000 inhabitants)	463
Intentional homicides (per 100,000 inhabitants)	2
Parliamentary seats (women and men, % of total)	34/66

Environment	1995-2004
Threatened species	31
Forested area (% of land area)	22 ⁿ
CO ₂ emissions (000s Mt/per capita) ^o	126803/12.3
Energy consumption per capita (kilograms oil equiv.)	5171
Precipitation (mm)	820 ^p
Average minimum and maximum temperatures (centigrade) ^r	6.7/13.9

a 2003. b Prior to 1 January 1999, franc. c August 2004. d Euro per US dollar. e June 2004. f Persons aged 15 years and over. g 2002. h Includes Luxembourg. i Data classified according to SNA 93. j 2001. k 1999. l 1991/1992. m Flemish population only. n Estimated data. o Source: UNFCCC. p Brussels.

Belize

Region	Central America
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	Belize City (51) ^a
Currency	dollar
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	261
Surface area (square kms)	22696
Population density (per square km)	12
United Nations membership date	25 September 1981

Economic indicators	1995	2003
Exchange rate (national currency per US\$) ^b	2.00	2.00 ^c
Consumer price index (1990=100) ^d	116	133 ^e
Industrial production index (1995=100) ^f	100	125 ^g
Unemployment (percentage of labour force) ^h	12.5	10.0 ⁱ
Balance of payments, current account (million US\$)	-17	-163 ^j
Tourist arrivals (000s)	131 ^k	221
GDP (million current US\$)	590	860
GDP (per capita current US\$)	2748	3363
Gross fixed capital formation (% of GDP)	23.0	33.0 ^l
Labour force participation, adult female pop. (%)	23.8	...
Labour force participation, adult male pop. (%)	84.1	...
Employment in industrial sector (%)	17.5	17.0 ^m
Employment in agricultural sector (%)	27.3	27.5 ⁿ
Agricultural production index (1999-2000=100)	76	100
Food production index (1999-2000=100)	76	100
Primary energy production (000s Mt oil equiv.)	3	8 ^o
Motor vehicles (per 1,000 inhabitants) ^p	89.7	161.2 ^q
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants)	13.8	11.3
Internet users, estimated (000s)	0.1	30.0 ^r

Largest export industries	Major trading partners	2003
(% of exports)	(% of exports)	(% of imports)
Other manufactures	59 USA	37 USA
Food, beverages, tobacco	22 UK	22 Cuba
Agriculture	18 Netherlands	9 Mexico

Social indicators	1995-2004
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	2.1
Population aged 0-14 years (%)	37.0
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total)	6.0/6.0
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)	98
Life expectancy at birth 2000-2005 (women and men, years)	73/70
Infant mortality rate 2000-2005 (per 1,000 births)	31
Total fertility rate 2000-2005 (births per woman)	3.2
Contraceptive use (% of currently married women)	47 ^o
Urban population (%)	48
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	2.3
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	1.8
Foreign born (%)	13.8 ^o
Refugees and others of concern to UNHCR	869
Government education expenditure (% of GNP)	6.8
Primary-secondary gross enrolment ratio (w and m per 100)	103/102
Newspaper circulation (per 1,000 inhabitants)	18 ^o
Television receivers (per 1,000 inhabitants)	183
Intentional homicides (per 100,000 inhabitants)	23
Parliamentary seats (women and men, % of total)	9/91

Environment	1995-2004
Threatened species	59
Forested area (% of land area)	59
CO ₂ emissions (000s Mt/per capita)	781/3.3
Energy consumption per capita (kilograms oil equiv.)	1040
Precipitation (mm)	2014 ^o
Average minimum and maximum temperatures (centigrade) ^a	22.5/30.0

a 2003. b Official rate. c September 2004. d Base: 1991=100. e February 2004. f Base: 1990=100. g 1998. h April of each year. i Persons aged 14 years and over. j 2002. k 1999. l 2001. m Excluding government vehicles. n Number of licensed vehicles. o 1991. p Including visiting unions. q De jure. r 1985. s Belize City.

Benin

Region	Western Africa
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	Cotonou (828) ^a
Currency	CFA franc
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	6918
Surface area (square kms)	112622
Population density (per square km)	61
United Nations membership date	20 September 1960

Economic indicators	1995	2003
Exchange rate (national currency per US\$) ^b	490.00	528.61 ^c
Consumer price index (1990=100) ^d	160	208 ^e
Balance of payments, current account (million US\$)	-207	-160 ^f
Tourist arrivals (000s)	138	72 ^g
GDP (million current US\$)	2020	3510
GDP (per capita current US\$)	368	521
Gross fixed capital formation (% of GDP)	19.0	20.0
Labour force participation, adult female pop. (%)	75.0	...
Labour force participation, adult male pop. (%)	83.5	...
Employment in industrial sector (%)	8.1 ^h	...
Employment in agricultural sector (%)	63.5 ⁱ	...
Agricultural production index (1999-2000=100)	79	110
Food production index (1999-2000=100)	76	102
Primary energy production (000s Mt oil equiv.)	131	40 ^j
Motor vehicles (per 1,000 inhabitants) ^k	2.4 ^l	2.3 ^m
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants)	0.5	1.0
Internet users, estimated (000s)	0.1 ^k	70.0

Largest export industries	Major trading partners	2003
(% of exports)	(% of exports)	(% of imports)
Agriculture	54 Nigeria	22 France
Food, beverages, tobacco	32 India	14 China
Textiles	6 Ghana	9 Côte d'Ivoire

Social indicators	1995-2004
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	2.7
Population aged 0-14 years (%)	45.0
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total)	4.0/4.0
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)	103
Life expectancy at birth 2000-2005 (women and men, years)	53/48
Infant mortality rate 2000-2005 (per 1,000 births)	93
Total fertility rate 2000-2005 (births per woman)	5.7
Contraceptive use (% of currently married women)	19
Urban population (%)	45
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	4.4
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	1.3
Foreign born (%)	1.6 ^o
Refugees and others of concern to UNHCR	5848
Government education expenditure (% of GNP)	3.3 ^o
Primary-secondary gross enrolment ratio (w and m per 100)	47/79
Third-level students (women and men, % of total)	20/80
Newspaper circulation (per 1,000 inhabitants)	5
Television receivers (per 1,000 inhabitants)	10
Parliamentary seats (women and men, % of total)	7/93

Environment	1995-2004
Threatened species	31
Forested area (% of land area)	24
CO ₂ emissions (000s Mt/per capita)	1621/0.3
Energy consumption per capita (kilograms oil equiv.)	86
Precipitation (mm)	1308 ^o
Average minimum and maximum temperatures (centigrade) ^a	24.3/30.1

a 2003. b Official rate. c September 2004. d Base: 1992=100. e May 2004. f 2001. g 2002. h 1990. i Source: World Automotive Market Report, Auto and Truck International (Illinois) j 1998. k 1996. l Estimated data. m Cotonou.

Bermuda

Region	Northern America
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	Hamilton (1) ^a
Currency	dollar
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	82
Surface area (square kms)	53
Population density (per square km)	1550

Economic indicators	1995	2003
Exchange rate (national currency per US\$) ^b	1.00	1.00 ^c
Consumer price index (1990=100)	115	129 ^d
Tourist arrivals (000s)	387	257
GDP (million current US\$)	2540	4240
GDP (per capita current US\$)	32951	51991
Gross fixed capital formation (% of GDP) ^e	14.0	21.0 ^f
Employment in industrial sector (%)	9.2	9.5 ^g
Employment in agricultural sector (%)	1.5	1.4 ^h
Agricultural production index (1999-2000=100)	104	98
Food production index (1999-2000=100)	104	98
Motor vehicles (per 1,000 inhabitants)	331.2	315.0
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants)	73.7	86.2 ⁱ
Internet users, estimated (000s)	4.2	27.0 ^j

Largest export industries	Major trading partners	2003
(% of exports)	(% of exports)	(% of imports)
...	USA	76
...	Canada	5
...	UK	5

Social indicators	1995-2004
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	0.7
Population aged 0-14 years (%)	20.0
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total)	16.0/13.0
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)	107
Life expectancy at birth 2000-2005 (women and men, years) ^k	78/71
Infant mortality rate 2000-2005 (per 1,000 births)	4 ^l
Total fertility rate 2000-2005 (births per woman)	1.7
Urban population (%)	100
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	0.7
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	-
Foreign born (%)	21.7 ^m
Government education expenditure (% of GNP)	3.3
Third-level students (women and men, % of total)	55/45
Newspaper circulation (per 1,000 inhabitants)	272
Intentional homicides (per 100,000 inhabitants)	-

Environment	1995-2004
Threatened species	47
Forested area (% of land area)	-
CO ₂ emissions (000s Mt/per capita)	462/5.8
Energy consumption per capita (kilograms oil equiv.)	1934

a 2003. b Data refer to non-commercial rates derived from the Operational Rates of Exchange for United Nations Programmes. c October 2004. d 2000. e Gross capital formation. f Data refer to fiscal year beginning 1 April. g 2002. h 1996. i 2001. j 1997. k 1994. l Rates based on 10 or fewer infant deaths. m Estimated data.

Bhutan

Region	South-central Asia
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	Thimphu (35) ^a
Currency	ngultrum
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	2325
Surface area (square kms)	47000
Population density (per square km)	49
United Nations membership date	21 September 1971

Economic indicators	1995	2003
Exchange rate (national currency per US\$) ^b	35.18	46.16 ^c
Consumer price index (1990=100)	170	258 ^d
Tourist arrivals (000s)	5	6
GDP (million current US\$)	310	680
GDP (per capita current US\$)	171	303
Gross fixed capital formation (% of GDP)	45.0	42.0 ^e
Labour force participation, adult female pop. (%)	57.5	...
Labour force participation, adult male pop. (%)	90.4	...
Employment in industrial sector (%)	0.9 ^f	...
Employment in agricultural sector (%)	94.2 ^g	...
Agricultural production index (1999-2000=100)	101	84
Food production index (1999-2000=100)	101	83
Primary energy production (000s Mt oil equiv.)	188	198 ^h
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants)	0.9	3.4
Internet users, estimated (000s)	-	15.0

Largest export industries	Major trading partners		2003	
(% of exports) ^a	(% of exports) ^a		(% of imports) ^b	
Other manufactures	41	India	94	75
Chemicals	12	Bangladesh	4	13
Non metal minerals	11		Japan	3

Social indicators	1995-2004
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	3.0
Population aged 0-14 years (%)	41.0
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total)	7.0/6.0
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)	98
Life expectancy at birth 2000-2005 (women and men, years)	65/62
Infant mortality rate 2000-2005 (per 1,000 births)	54
Total fertility rate 2000-2005 (births per woman)	5.0
Contraceptive use (% of currently married women)	19 ⁱ
Urban population (%)	9
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	6.3
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	2.7
Government education expenditure (% of GNP)	5.9
Third-level students (women and men, % of total)	34/66
Television receivers (per 1,000 inhabitants)	6
Parliamentary seats (women and men, % of total) ^k	10/90

Environment	1995-2004
Threatened species	42
Forested area (% of land area)	64
CO ₂ emissions (000s Mt/per capita)	396/0.2
Energy consumption per capita (kilograms oil equiv.)	122

a 2003. b Official rate. c September 2004. d 2002. e December 2002. f 1990. g 2001. h 1999. i 1994. j For all women of childbearing age. k Date of election not available.

Bolivia

Region	South America
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	La Paz (1477) ^a
Currency	boliviano
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	8973
Surface area (square kms)	1098581
Population density (per square km)	8
United Nations membership date	14 November 1945

Economic indicators	1995	2003
Exchange rate (national currency per US\$)	4.94	7.99 ^a
Consumer price index (1990=100) ^c	176	260 ^d
Industrial production index (1995=100) ^e	100	95 ^f
Unemployment (percentage of labour force) ^g	3.6	7.4 ^h
Balance of payments, current account (million US\$)	-303	36
Tourist arrivals (000s)	284	352
GDP (million current US\$)	6720	7740
GDP (per capita current US\$)	898	878
Gross fixed capital formation (% of GDP) ⁱ	16.0	16.0 ^j
Labour force participation, adult female pop. (%)	52.8	60.2 ^k
Labour force participation, adult male pop. (%)	75.8	75.9 ^l
Employment in industrial sector (%)	28.7	28.2 ^m
Employment in agricultural sector (%)	2.2	4.9 ⁿ
Agricultural production index (1999-2000=100)	86	116
Food production index (1999-2000=100)	86	117
Primary energy production (000s Mt oil equiv.)	5217	6638 ^o
Motor vehicles (per 1,000 inhabitants)	42.0	52.8
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants)	3.3	7.2
Internet users, estimated (000s)	5.0	270.0 ^p

Largest export industries	Major trading partners	2003
(% of exports)	(% of exports)	(% of imports)
Mining quarry	45 Brazil	30 Brazil
Food, beverages, tobacco	24 USA	14 USA
Agriculture	7 Colombia	10 Argentina

Social indicators	1995-2004
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	1.9
Population aged 0-14 years (%)	38.0
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total)	7.0/6.0
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)	101
Life expectancy at birth 2000-2005 (women and men, years)	66/62
Infant mortality rate 2000-2005 (per 1,000 births)	56
Total fertility rate 2000-2005 (births per woman)	3.8
Contraceptive use (% of currently married women)	48
Urban population (%)	63
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	2.7
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	0.6
Foreign born (%)	1.0 ⁱ
Refugees and others of concern to UNHCR	531
Government education expenditure (% of GNP)	6.2
Primary-secondary gross enrolment ratio (w and m per 100)	99/101
Third-level students (women and men, % of total)	35/65
Newspaper circulation (per 1,000 inhabitants)	55 ⁿ
Television receivers (per 1,000 inhabitants)	115
Parliamentary seats (women and men, % of total)	18/82

Environment	1995-2004
Threatened species	127
Forested area (% of land area)	49
CO ₂ emissions (000s Mt/per capita)	11073/1.3
Energy consumption per capita (kilograms oil equiv.)	339
Precipitation (mm)	484 ⁿ
Average minimum and maximum temperatures (centigrade) ^a	12.3/18.6

a 2003. b September 2004. c February 2004. d Calculated by the Statistics Division of the United Nations from component national indices. f 2nd quarter 2004. g Persons aged 10 years and over. h 2000. i Data classified according to SNA 93. j 2002. k 2001. l 1992. m Estimated data. n Cochabamba.

Bosnia and Herzegovina

Region	Southern Europe
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	Sarajevo (579) ^a
Currency	convertible mark
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	4186
Surface area (square kms)	51197
Population density (per square km)	82
United Nations membership date	22 May 1992

Economic indicators	1995	2003
Exchange rate (national currency per US\$) ^b	0.01	1.54 ^c
Balance of payments, current account (million US\$)	-1247 ^d	-2096
Tourist arrivals (000s)	37	165
GDP (million current US\$)	2040	6710
GDP (per capita current US\$)	597	1613
Gross fixed capital formation (% of GDP)	17.0	20.0
Labour force participation, adult female pop. (%)	43.8	...
Labour force participation, adult male pop. (%)	74.7	...
Employment in industrial sector (%)	47.5 ^e	...
Employment in agricultural sector (%)	11.3 ^f	...
Primary energy production (000s Mt oil equiv.)	824	4587 ^g
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants)	6.0	24.5
Internet users, estimated (000s)	0.5 ^h	100.0 ^h

Largest export industries	Major trading partners	2003
(% of exports)	(% of exports)	(% of imports)
Metal manufactures	33 Croatia	20 Croatia
Basic metals	20 Germany	19 Germany
Textiles	13 Italy	14 Italy

Social indicators	1995-2004
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	1.1
Population aged 0-14 years (%)	16.0
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total)	18.0/13.0
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)	102
Life expectancy at birth 2000-2005 (women and men, years)	77/71
Infant mortality rate 2000-2005 (per 1,000 births)	14
Total fertility rate 2000-2005 (births per woman)	1.3
Urban population (%)	44
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	2.2
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	0.3
Refugees and others of concern to UNHCR	404721
Newspaper circulation (per 1,000 inhabitants)	152 ⁱ
Television receivers (per 1,000 inhabitants)	<
Parliamentary seats (women and men, % of total)	12/88

Environment	1995-2004
Threatened species	36
Forested area (% of land area)	45
CO ₂ emissions (000s Mt/per capita)	19265/4.8
Energy consumption per capita (kilograms oil equiv.)	1403
Precipitation (mm)	931 ^j
Average minimum and maximum temperatures (centigrade) ⁱ	4.8/15.0

a 2003. b Data refer to non-commercial rates derived from the Operational Rates of Exchange for United Nations Programmes. c November 2004. d 1998. e 1990. f 2001. g 1996. h 2002. i Estimated data. j Sarajevo.

Botswana

Region	Southern Africa
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	Gaborone (199) ^a
Currency	pula
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	1795
Surface area (square kms)	581730
Population density (per square km)	3
United Nations membership date	17 October 1966

Economic indicators	1995	2003
Exchange rate (national currency per US\$) ^b	2.82	4.73 ^c
Consumer price index (1990=100)	181	368 ^d
Unemployment (percentage of labour force) ^e	21.5 ^f	19.6 ^g
Balance of payments, current account (million US\$)	517 ^h	...
Tourist arrivals (000s)	521	1037 ⁱ
GDP (million current US\$)	4420 ^j	7110
GDP (per capita current US\$)	2854	3983
Gross fixed capital formation (% of GDP) ^k	26.0	26.0 ^l
Labour force participation, adult female pop. (%)	65.2	...
Labour force participation, adult male pop. (%)	83.5	...
Employment in industrial sector (%)	25.6	20.9 ^m
Employment in agricultural sector (%)	15.6	19.7 ⁿ
Agricultural production index (1999-2000=100)	128	104
Food production index (1999-2000=100)	128	104
Motor vehicles (per 1,000 inhabitants)	60.8	66.3 ^o
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants)	4.1	7.5
Internet users, estimated (000s)	1.0	60.0 ^p

Largest export industries	Major trading partners		2003
(% of exports) ^a	(%) of exports) ^a		(% of imports) ^b
Mining/quarry	85	UK	86 S.Afr.Cus.Un 78
Basic metals	4	S.Afr.Cus.Un	6 UK 4
Food, beverages, tobacco	4	Zimbabwe	3 Zimbabwe 3

Social indicators	1995-2004
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	0.9
Population aged 0-14 years (%)	39.0
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total)	5.0/4.0
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)	104
Life expectancy at birth 2000-2005 (women and men, years)	41/39
Infant mortality rate 2000-2005 (per 1,000 births)	57
Total fertility rate 2000-2005 (births per woman)	3.7
Contraceptive use (% of currently married women)	33 ^q
Urban population (%)	52
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	1.8
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	-0.1
Foreign born (%)	2.2 ^r
Refugees and others of concern to UNHCR	3917
Government education expenditure (% of GNP)	2.3
Primary-secondary gross enrolment ratio (w and m per 100)	91/90
Third-level students (women and men, % of total)	45/55
Newspaper circulation (per 1,000 inhabitants)	27
Television receivers (per 1,000 inhabitants)	19
Parliamentary seats (women and men, % of total)	17/83

Environment	1995-2004
Threatened species	14
Forested area (% of land area)	22
CO ₂ emissions (000s Mt/per capita)	3854/2.2

a 2003. b Official rate. c September 2004. d August 2004. e Persons aged 12 years and over. f Year beginning in August of year indicated. g 2001. h 1999. i 2002. j Data classified according to SNA 93. k Data refer to fiscal years ending 30 June. l 2000. m 1988. n 1991.

Brazil

Region	South America
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	Sao Paulo (1785) ^a
Currency	real
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	180654
Surface area (square kms)	8514215
Population density (per square km)	21
United Nations membership date	24 October 1945

Economic indicators	1995	2003
Exchange rate (national currency per US\$)	0.97	2.86 ^b
Consumer price index (1990=100) ^c	166	336 ^d
Industrial production index (1995=100)	100	132 ^e
Unemployment (percentage of labour force) ^f	6.1	9.4 ^g
Balance of payments, current account (million US\$)	-18136	4016
Tourist arrivals (000s)	1991	3783 ^h
GDP (million current US\$)	704170	481870
GDP (per capita current US\$)	4385	2700
Gross fixed capital formation (% of GDP) ⁱ	21.0	18.0 ^j
Labour force participation, adult female pop. (%)	53.6	54.1 ^k
Labour force participation, adult male pop. (%)	84.0	81.0 ^l
Employment in industrial sector (%)	19.6	20.0 ^m
Employment in agricultural sector (%)	26.1	20.6 ⁿ
Agricultural production index (1999-2000=100)	86	118
Food production index (1999-2000=100)	87	119
Primary energy production (000s Mt oil equiv.)	65315	104944 ^o
Motor vehicles (per 1,000 inhabitants)	80.0	111.9 ^p
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants)	8.5	22.3
Internet users, estimated (000s)	170.0	14300.0 ^q

Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants)	8.5	22.3
Internet users, estimated (000s)	170.0	1430.0
Largest export industries	Major trading partners	2003
(% of exports)	(% of exports)	(% of imports)
Metal manufactures 26	USA 23	USA 20

Social indicators	1995-2004
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	1.2
Population aged 0-14 years (%)	28.0
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total)	9.0/8.0
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)	103
Life expectancy at birth 2000-2005 (women and men, years)	73/64
Infant mortality rate 2000-2005 (per 1,000 births)	38
Total fertility rate 2000-2005 (births per woman)	2.2
Contraceptive use (% of currently married women)	77
Urban population (%)	83
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	2.0
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	-2.4
Foreign born (%)	0.3 ^r
Refugees and others of concern to UNHCR	3759
Government education expenditure (% of GNP)	4.2
Primary-secondary gross enrolment ratio (w and m per 100)	125/120
Third-level students (women and men, % of total)	56/44
Newspaper circulation (per 1,000 inhabitants)	43
Television receivers (per 1,000 inhabitants)	221
Intentional homicides (per 100,000 inhabitants)	27
Parliamentary seats (women and men, % of total)	9/91

Environment	1995-2004
Threatened species	663
Forested area (% of land area)	64
CO ₂ emissions (000s Mt/per capita)	307743/1.8
Energy consumption per capita (kilograms oil equiv.)	711
Precipitation (mm)	1552 ^s
Average minimum and maximum temperatures (centigrade) ^t	16.1/26.6

a 2003. b September 2004. c Index base: 1994=100. d June 2004. e August 2004. f Persons aged 10 years and over. g September of each year. h Excl. rural population of Rondônia, Acre, Amazonas, Roraima, Pará and Amapá. i 2001. j 2002. k Data classified according to SNA 93. l Estimated data. m Brasília.

Brunei Darussalam

Region	South-eastern Asia
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	Bandar Seri Begawan (61) ^a
Currency	dollar
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	366
Surface area (square kms)	5765
Population density (per square km)	64
United Nations membership date	21 September 1984

Economic indicators	1995	2003
Exchange rate (national currency per US\$)	1.41	1.69 ^b
Consumer price index (1990=100)	117	121 ^c
Tourist arrivals (000s)	498 ^d	840 ^e
GDP (million current US\$)	5220	4630
GDP (per capita current US\$)	17667	12919
Gross fixed capital formation (% of GDP)	9.0	10.0 ^f
Labour force participation, adult female pop. (%)	46.7	...
Labour force participation, adult male pop. (%)	83.3	...
Employment in industrial sector (%)	64.2	...
Employment in agricultural sector (%)	2.0	...
Agricultural production index (1989-2000=100)	54	113
Food production index (1989-2000=100)	54	113
Primary energy production (000s Mt oil equiv.)	18899	21036 ^g
Motor vehicles (per 1,000 inhabitants)	535.6	649.6
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants)	24.0	25.6 ^h
Internet users, estimated (000s)	3.0	35.0 ^a

Largest export industries	Major trading partners	2003
(% of exports)	(% of exports)	(% of imports)
Mining quarry	87 Japan	41 Malaysia
Metal manufactures	7 Korea Rep.	11 Singapore
Textiles	5 Thailand	9 USA

Social indicators	1995-2004
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	2.3
Population aged 0-14 years (%)	30.0
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total)	4.0/5.0
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)	93
Life expectancy at birth 2000-2005 (women and men, years)	79/74
Infant mortality rate 2000-2005 (per 1,000 births)	6
Total fertility rate 2000-2005 (births per woman)	2.5
Urban population (%)	76
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	3.2
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	-0.7
Foreign born (%)	29.2 ^a
Government education expenditure (% of GNP)	3.0
Primary-secondary gross enrolment ratio (w and m per 100)	99/96
Third-level students (women and men, % of total)	63/37
Newspaper circulation (per 1,000 inhabitants)	69
Television receivers (per 1,000 inhabitants)	248

Environment	1995-2004
Threatened species	134
Forested area (% of land area)	84
CO ₂ emissions (000s Mt/per capita)	6299/18.9
Energy consumption per capita (kilograms oil equiv.)	6858
Precipitation (mm)	2913 ^b
Average minimum and maximum temperatures (centigrade) ^c	23.3/31.8

a 2003. b September 2004. c May 2004. d 1994. e 2001. f 2002. g 1991. h Bandar Seri Begawan.

Bulgaria

Region	Eastern Europe
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	Sofia (1076) ^a
Currency	lev
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	7829
Surface area (square kms)	110912
Population density (per square km)	71
United Nations membership date	14 December 1955

Economic indicators	1995	2003
Exchange rate (national currency per US\$)	0.07	1.58 ^b
Consumer price index (1990=100) ^c	3722	4261 ^d
Industrial production index (1995=100)	100	110 ^e
Unemployment (percentage of labour force) ^f	15.7	13.7
Balance of payments, current account (million US\$)	-26	-1676
Tourist arrivals (000s)	3466	4048
GDP (million current US\$)	13110	20000
GDP (per capita current US\$)	1559	2533
Gross fixed capital formation (% of GDP) ^h	15.0	19.0
Labour force participation, adult female pop. (%)	58.2	46.1 ⁱ
Labour force participation, adult male pop. (%)	66.5	55.0 ^j
Employment in industrial sector (%)	33.5	27.6
Employment in agricultural sector (%)	23.9	26.3 ^k
Agricultural production index (1989-2000=100)	120	100
Food production index (1989-2000=100)	121	98
Primary energy production (000s Mt oil equiv.)	9928	9752 ^l
Motor vehicles (per 1,000 inhabitants)	227.4	335.1
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants)	30.5	38.0
Internet users, estimated (000s)	10.0	1545.1

Largest export industries	Major trading partners	2003
(% of exports)	(% of exports)	(% of imports)
Textiles	27 Italy	14 Germany
Metal manufactures	19 Germany	11 Russian Fed.
Basic metals	16 Greece	10 Italy

Social indicators	1995-2004
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	-0.9
Population aged 0-14 years (%)	14.0
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total)	24.0/19.0
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)	107
Life expectancy at birth 2000-2005 (women and men, years)	75/67
Infant mortality rate 2000-2005 (per 1,000 births)	15
Total fertility rate 2000-2005 (births per woman)	1.1
Contraceptive use (% of currently married women)	86
Urban population (%)	70
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	-0.4
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	-2.0
Refugees and others of concern to UNHCR	4824
Government education expenditure (% of GNP)	3.3
Primary-secondary gross enrolment ratio (w and m per 100)	96/98
Third-level students (women and men, % of total)	56/44
Newspaper circulation (per 1,000 inhabitants)	116
Television receivers (per 1,000 inhabitants)	400
Intentional homicides (per 100,000 inhabitants)	3
Parliamentary seats (women and men, % of total)	26/74

Environment	1995-2004
Threatened species	45
Forested area (% of land area)	33
CO ₂ emissions (000s Mt/per capita) ^a	49089/6.1
Energy consumption per capita (kilograms oil equiv.)	2382
Precipitation (mm)	571 ^b
Average minimum and maximum temperatures (centigrade) ^c	5.0/15.1

a 2003. b September 2004. c Base. 1995=100. d May 2004. e August 2004.

f Persons aged 15 years and over. g June of each year. h Data classified according to SNA 93. i 2001. j 2002. k Source: UNFCCC. l Sofia.

Burkina Faso

Region	Western Africa
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	Ouagadougou (821) *
Currency	CFA franc
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	13393
Surface area (square kms)	274000
Population density (per square km)	49
United Nations membership date	20 September 1960

Economic indicators	1995	2003
Exchange rate (national currency per US\$) ^a	490.00	528.61 ^a
Consumer price index (1990=100)	136	165 ^d
Industrial production index (1995=100)	100	100 ^a
Balance of payments, current account (million US\$)	-392	-381 ^f
Tourist arrivals (000s)	124	163
GDP (million current US\$)	2220	3820
GDP (per capita current US\$)	215	294
Gross fixed capital formation (% of GDP)	25.0	26.0 ^a
Labour force participation, adult female pop. (%)	76.8	...
Labour force participation, adult male pop. (%)	90.4	...
Employment in industrial sector (%)	1.8 ^h	...
Employment in agricultural sector (%)	92.4 ^h	...
Agricultural production index (1999-2000=100)	79	127
Food production index (1999-2000=100)	83	119
Primary energy production (000s Mt oil equiv.)	8	11 ⁱ
Motor vehicles (per 1,000 inhabitants) ^j	5.3 ⁱ	4.0 ⁱ
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants)	0.3	0.5
Internet users, estimated (000s)	0.1 ⁱ	48.0
Largest export industries	Major trading partners	
	(% of exports) ^a	(% of imports) ^a
Agriculture	76 France	46 France
Textiles	7 Switzerland	10 Côte d'Ivoire
Metal manufactures	7 Côte d'Ivoire	7 Japan

Social indicators	1995-2004
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	3.0
Population aged 0-14 years (%)	49.0
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total)	5.0/3.0
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)	104
Life expectancy at birth 2000-2005 (women and men, years)	46/45
Infant mortality rate 2000-2005 (per 1,000 births)	93
Total fertility rate 2000-2005 (births per woman)	6.7
Contraceptive use (% of currently married women)	12 ⁱ
Urban population (%)	18
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	5.0
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	2.5
Foreign born (%)	9.4 ⁱ
Refugees and others of concern to UNHCR	965
Government education expenditure (% of GNP)	2.4
Primary-secondary gross enrolment ratio (w and m per 100)	22/32
Third-level students (women and men, % of total)	25/75
Newspaper circulation (per 1,000 inhabitants)	1
Television receivers (per 1,000 inhabitants)	9
Parliamentary seats (women and men, % of total)	12/88

Environment	1995-2004
Threatened species	12
Forested area (% of land area)	26
CO ₂ emissions (000s Mt/per capita)	1030/0.1
Energy consumption per capita (kilograms oil equiv.)	29

a 2003. b Official rate. c September 2004. d April 2004. e June 2003. f 1999. g 2002. h 1990. i 2001. j Source: World Automotive Market Report, Auto and Truck International (Illinois). k 1998/9. l Estimated data.

Burundi

Region	Eastern Africa
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	Bujumbura (378) *
Currency	franc
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	7068
Surface area (square kms)	27834
Population density (per square km)	254
United Nations membership date	18 September 1962

Economic indicators	1995	2003
Exchange rate (national currency per US\$) ^a	277.92	1102.94 ^a
Consumer price index (1990=100)	166	508 ^d
Unemployment (percentage of labour force) ^a	...	14.0 ^f
Balance of payments, current account (million US\$)	10	-37
Tourist arrivals (000s)	34	36 ^a
GDP (million current US\$)	1000	590
GDP (per capita current US\$)	166	86
Gross fixed capital formation (% of GDP)	12.0	10.0
Labour force participation, adult female pop. (%)	82.7	...
Labour force participation, adult male pop. (%)	93.2	...
Employment in industrial sector (%)	21.8 ^h	...
Employment in agricultural sector (%)	14.8 ^h	...
Agricultural production index (1999-2000=100)	103	107
Food production index (1999-2000=100)	103	107
Primary energy production (000s Mt oil equiv.)	14	14 ⁱ
Motor vehicles (per 1,000 inhabitants) ^j	3.3 ⁱ	2.5 ⁱ
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants)	0.3	0.3
Internet users, estimated (000s)	0.1 ⁱ	14.0
Largest export industries	Major trading partners	
	(% of exports) ^a	(% of imports) ^a
Agriculture	80 Switzerland	23 Belgium
Food, beverages, tobacco	15 Belgium	23 Kenya
Mining quarry	3 UK	22 Tanzania

Social indicators	1995-2004
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	3.1
Population aged 0-14 years (%)	45.0
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total)	5.0/3.0
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)	104
Life expectancy at birth 2000-2005 (women and men, years)	41/40
Infant mortality rate 2000-2005 (per 1,000 births)	107
Total fertility rate 2000-2005 (births per woman)	6.8
Contraceptive use (% of currently married women)	9 ⁱ
Urban population (%)	10
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	6.5
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	2.7
Foreign born (%)	1.2 ^m
Refugees and others of concern to UNHCR	135922
Government education expenditure (% of GNP)	3.7 ^m
Primary-secondary gross enrolment ratio (w and m per 100)	34/46
Third-level students (women and men, % of total)	30/70
Newspaper circulation (per 1,000 inhabitants)	2 ⁿ
Television receivers (per 1,000 inhabitants)	4
Parliamentary seats (women and men, % of total) ^a	19/82

Environment	1995-2004
Threatened species	18
Forested area (% of land area)	4
CO ₂ emissions (000s Mt/per capita)	242/0.04
Energy consumption per capita (kilograms oil equiv.)	14
Precipitation (mm)	838
Average minimum and maximum temperatures (centigrade)	22.1/24.6

a 2003. b Official rate. c September 2004. d March 2004. e Bujumbura. f 1999. g 2001. h 1991. i Source: World Automotive Market Report, Auto and Truck International (Illinois). j 1996. k 2002. l 1987. m Estimated data. n 1993.

Cambodia

Region	South-eastern Asia
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	Phnom-Penh (1157) ^a
Currency	riel
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	14482
Surface area (square kms)	181035
Population density (per square km)	80
United Nations membership date	14 December 1955

Economic indicators	1995	2003
Exchange rate (national currency per US\$)	2526.00	4050.00 ^a
Consumer price index (1990=100) ^c	100	144 ^d
Unemployment (percentage of labour force) ^d	...	1.8 ^e
Balance of payments, current account (million US\$)	-186	-155
Tourist arrivals (000s)	220	701
GDP (million current US\$)	3310	3930
GDP (per capita current US\$)	288	278
Gross fixed capital formation (% of GDP)	13.0	19.0 ^h
Labour force participation, adult female pop. (%)	82.6	73.4 ⁱ
Labour force participation, adult male pop. (%)	87.1	85.1 ^j
Employment in industrial sector (%)	4.5 ^k	...
Employment in agricultural sector (%)	75.0 ^k	...
Agricultural production index (1999-2000=100)	83	107
Food production index (1999-2000=100)	82	108
Primary energy production (000s Mt oil equiv.)	6	7 ^l
Motor vehicles (per 1,000 inhabitants)	0.9	0.9 ^m
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants)	0.1	0.3
Internet users, estimated (000s)	0.7 ⁿ	35.0
Largest export industries	Major trading partners 2003	
(% of exports)	(% of exports) ^l	(% of imports)
... USA	37	16
... Singapore	17	12
... Thailand	10	9

Social indicators	1995-2004
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	2.4
Population aged 0-14 years (%)	41.0
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total)	6.0/4.0
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)	105
Life expectancy at birth 2000-2005 (women and men, years)	60/55
Infant mortality rate 2000-2005 (per 1,000 births)	73
Total fertility rate 2000-2005 (births per woman)	4.8
Contraceptive use (% of currently married women)	24 ⁿ
Urban population (%)	19
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	5.5
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	1.7
Foreign born (%)	1.6 ⁿ
Refugees and others of concern to UNHCR	122
Government education expenditure (% of GNP)	2.1
Primary-secondary gross enrolment ratio (w and m per 100)	58/78
Third-level students (women and men, % of total)	29/71
Newspaper circulation (per 1,000 inhabitants)	2
Television receivers (per 1,000 inhabitants)	8
Parliamentary seats (women and men, % of total)	11/89

Environment	1995-2004
Threatened species	95
Forested area (% of land area)	53
CO ₂ emissions (000s Mt/per capita)	532/0.04
Energy consumption per capita (kilograms oil equiv.)	14
Precipitation (mm)	1636 ^o
Average minimum and maximum temperatures (centigrade) ^p	23.8/32.5

a 2003. b September 2004. c Base: 1995=100. d March 2004. e Persons aged 10 years and over. f November of each year. g 2001. h 2002. i 1993. j 2000. k 1997. l 1998. m Including the lactational amenorrhoea method and/or breastfeeding if reported as the current contraceptive method. n Estimated data. o Phnom Penh-Pochentong. p Phnom Penh.

Cameroon

Region	Middle Africa
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	Douala (1858) ^a
Currency	CFA franc
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	16296
Surface area (square kms)	475442
Population density (per square km)	34
United Nations membership date	20 September 1960

Economic indicators	1995	2003
Exchange rate (national currency per US\$) ^a	490.00	528.61 ^c
Consumer price index (1990=100) ^d	109	136 ^e
Industrial production index (1995=100)	100	162 ^f
Balance of payments, current account (million US\$)	90	...
Tourist arrivals (000s)	100	226 ^g
GDP (million current US\$)	8950	12880
GDP (per capita current US\$)	667	803
Gross fixed capital formation (% of GDP) ^h	13.0	15.0
Labour force participation, adult female pop. (%)	48.3	...
Labour force participation, adult male pop. (%)	86.0	...
Employment in industrial sector (%)	8.9 ⁱ	...
Employment in agricultural sector (%)	69.7 ⁱ	...
Agricultural production index (1999-2000=100)	86	110
Food production index (1999-2000=100)	86	111
Primary energy production (000s Mt oil equiv.)	5641	7298 ^k
Motor vehicles (per 1,000 inhabitants)	10.0	14.4
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants)	0.5	0.7 ^l
Internet users, estimated (000s)	1.0 ⁱ	60.0 ^l
Largest export industries	Major trading partners 2003	
(% of exports)	(% of exports)	(% of imports)
Mining quarry	45	22
Agriculture	22	13
Wood and products	15	11
	France	Nigeria

Social indicators	1995-2004
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	1.8
Population aged 0-14 years (%)	42.0
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total)	6.0/5.0
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)	101
Life expectancy at birth 2000-2005 (women and men, years)	47/45
Infant mortality rate 2000-2005 (per 1,000 births)	88
Total fertility rate 2000-2005 (births per woman)	4.6
Contraceptive use (% of currently married women)	19
Urban population (%)	51
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	3.4
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	0.2
Foreign born (%)	1.0 ⁿ
Refugees and others of concern to UNHCR	64262
Government education expenditure (% of GNP)	5.7
Primary-secondary gross enrolment ratio (w and m per 100)	63/75
Third-level students (women and men, % of total)	39/61
Newspaper circulation (per 1,000 inhabitants)	7
Television receivers (per 1,000 inhabitants)	32
Parliamentary seats (women and men, % of total)	9/91

Environment	1995-2004
Threatened species	257
Forested area (% of land area)	51
CO ₂ emissions (000s Mt/per capita)	6545/0.4
Energy consumption per capita (kilograms oil equiv.)	84
Precipitation (mm)	1628 ⁿ
Average minimum and maximum temperatures (centigrade) ^o	18.6/28.4

a 2003. b Official rate. c September 2004. d Base: 1994=100. e May 2004. f 1st quarter 2004. g 2002. h Data classified according to SNA 93. i Data refer to fiscal year beginning 1 July. j 1990. k 2001. l 1997. m Estimated data. n Yaounde.

Canada

Region	Northern America
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	Toronto (4880) ^a
Currency	dollar
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	31744
Surface area (square kms)	9970610
Population density (per square km)	3
United Nations membership date	9 November 1945

Economic indicators	1995	2003
Exchange rate (national currency per US\$)	1.37	1.26 ^a
Consumer price index (1990=100)	112	134 ^a
Industrial production index (1995=100)	100	130 ^a
Unemployment (percentage of labour force) ^a	9.5	7.7 ⁱ
Balance of payments, current account (million US\$)	-4328	17268
Tourist arrivals (000s)	16932	17498
GDP (million current US\$)	581660	853830
GDP (per capita current US\$)	19816	27097
Gross fixed capital formation (% of GDP) ^a	18.0	20.0 ⁱ
Labour force participation, adult female pop. (%)	57.5	60.7 ^a
Labour force participation, adult male pop. (%)	72.5	73.3 ⁱ
Employment in industrial sector (%)	21.9	22.7 ^h
Employment in agricultural sector (%)	4.1	2.9 ^a
Agricultural production index (1999-2000=100)	90	98
Food production index (1999-2000=100)	89	98
Primary energy production (000s Mt oil equiv.)	358893	391537 ^h
Motor vehicles (per 1,000 inhabitants)	565.6	584.5
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants)	61.6	62.9
Internet users, estimated (000s)	1220.0	16110.0 ⁱ

Largest export industries	Major trading partners	2003
(% of exports)	(% of exports)	(% of imports)
Metal manufactures	42 USA	86 USA
Mining quarry	15 Japan	2 China
Chemicals	11 UK	2 Japan

Social indicators	1995-2004
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	0.8
Population aged 0-14 years (%)	18.0
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total)	19.0/16.0
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)	102
Life expectancy at birth 2000-2005 (women and men, years)	82/77
Infant mortality rate 2000-2005 (per 1,000 births)	5
Total fertility rate 2000-2005 (births per woman)	1.5
Contraceptive use (% of currently married women)	76
Urban population (%)	80
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	1.2
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	-1.0
Foreign born (%)	19.1
Refugees and others of concern to UNHCR	174669 ⁱ
Government education expenditure (% of GNP)	5.3
Primary-secondary gross enrolment ratio (w and m per 100)	103/103
Third-level students (women and men, % of total)	55/44
Newspaper circulation (per 1,000 inhabitants)	159
Television receivers (per 1,000 inhabitants)	718
Intentional homicides (per 100,000 inhabitants)	2
Parliamentary seats (women and men, % of total)	24/76

Environment	1995-2004
Threatened species	64
Forested area (% of land area)	27
CO ₂ emissions (000s Mt/per capita) ⁱ	566182/18.3
Energy consumption per capita (kilograms oil equiv.)	8012
Precipitation (mm)	834 ^k
Average minimum and maximum temperatures (centigrade) ^k	5.6/12.7

a 2003. b September 2004. c June 2004. d August 2004. e Persons aged 15 years and over. f 2002. g Data classified according to SNA 93. h 2001. i Estimated data. j Source: UNFCCC. k Toronto.

Cape Verde

Region	Western Africa
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	Praia (107) ^a
Currency	escudo
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	473
Surface area (square kms)	4033
Population density (per square km)	117
United Nations membership date	16 September 1975

Economic indicators	1995	2003
Exchange rate (national currency per US\$) ^b	77.46	88.86 ^c
Consumer price index (1990=100)	133	170 ^d
Balance of payments, current account (million US\$)	-62	-77
Tourist arrivals (000s)	28	126 ^e
GDP (million current US\$)	490	820
GDP (per capita current US\$)	1254	1765
Gross fixed capital formation (% of GDP)	39.0	19.0
Labour force participation, adult female pop. (%)	43.7	...
Labour force participation, adult male pop. (%)	89.0	...
Employment in industrial sector (%)	29.4 ^f	...
Employment in agricultural sector (%)	31.0 ^f	...
Agricultural production index (1999-2000=100)	78	93
Food production index (1999-2000=100)	78	93
Motor vehicles (per 1,000 inhabitants)	25.6	38.9 ^g
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants)	5.6	15.6
Internet users, estimated (000s)	1.0 ^h	20.0

Largest export industries	Major trading partners	2003
(% of exports)	(% of exports)	(% of imports)
Textiles	92 Portugal	79 Portugal
Metal manufactures	3 USA	17 UK
Food, beverages, tobacco	3 Senegal	1 Japan

Social indicators	1995-2004
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	2.0
Population aged 0-14 years (%)	38.0
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total)	7.0/4.0
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)	109
Life expectancy at birth 2000-2005 (women and men, years)	73/67
Infant mortality rate 2000-2005 (per 1,000 births)	30
Total fertility rate 2000-2005 (births per woman)	3.3
Contraceptive use (% of currently married women)	53
Urban population (%)	56
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	3.5
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	0.1
Foreign born (%)	2.4
Government education expenditure (% of GNP)	4.4
Primary-secondary gross enrolment ratio (w and m per 100)	95/95
Third-level students (women and men, % of total)	47/53
Television receivers (per 1,000 inhabitants)	4
Parliamentary seats (women and men, % of total)	11/89

Environment	1995-2004
Threatened species	20
Forested area (% of land area)	21
CO ₂ emissions (000s Mt/per capita)	139/0.3
Energy consumption per capita (kilograms oil equiv.)	112
Precipitation (mm)	70 ^a

a 2003. b Official rate. c September 2004. d July 2004. e 2002. f 1990. g 1999. h 1997. i 2001. j Estimated data. k Sal.

Central African Republic

Region	Middle Africa
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	Bangui (698) ^a
Currency	CFA franc
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	3912
Surface area (square kms)	622984
Population density (per square km)	6
United Nations membership date	20 September 1960

Economic indicators	1995	2003
Exchange rate (national currency per US\$) ^a	490.00	528.61 ^c
Consumer price index (1990=100) ^a	139	154 ^a
Industrial production index (1995=100) ¹	100	85 ^a
Balance of payments, current account (million US\$)	-25 ^b	...
Tourist arrivals (000s)	26	10 ¹
GDP (million current US\$)	1070	1260
GDP (per capita current US\$)	318	325
Gross fixed capital formation (% of GDP)	13.0	9.0
Labour force participation, adult female pop. (%)	68.8	...
Labour force participation, adult male pop. (%)	87.2	...
Employment in industrial sector (%)	3.5	...
Employment in agricultural sector (%)	80.2 ¹	...
Agricultural production index (1999-2000=100)	82	105
Food production index (1999-2000=100)	81	106
Primary energy production (000s Mt oil equiv.)	7	7 ^k
Motor vehicles (per 1,000 inhabitants)	3.7	3.1 ^k
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants)	0.3	0.2 ¹
Internet users, estimated (000s)	0.1 ^a	6.0

Largest export industries	Major trading partners	2003
(% of exports)	(% of exports)	(% of imports)
Mining quarry	72 Belgium	70 France
Agriculture	23 Germany	7 Cameroon
Wood and products	4 France	7 Belgium

Social indicators	1995-2004
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	1.3
Population aged 0-14 years (%)	43.0
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total)	7.0/5.0
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)	106
Life expectancy at birth 2000-2005 (women and men, years)	41/39
Infant mortality rate 2000-2005 (per 1,000 births)	100
Total fertility rate 2000-2005 (births per woman)	4.9
Contraceptive use (% of currently married women)	15 ^m
Urban population (%)	43
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	2.5
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	0.4
Foreign born (%)	1.6 ^a
Refugees and others of concern to UNHCR	53029
Government education expenditure (% of GNP)	1.9 ^a
Primary-secondary gross enrolment ratio (w and m per 100)	60/79
Third-level students (women and men, % of total)	16/84
Newspaper circulation (per 1,000 inhabitants)	2
Television receivers (per 1,000 inhabitants)	5
Parliamentary seats (women and men, % of total)	7/93

Environment	1995-2004
Threatened species	28
Forested area (% of land area)	37
CO ₂ emissions (000s Mt/per capita)	271/0.1
Energy consumption per capita (kilograms oil equiv.)	26
Precipitation (mm)	1580
Average minimum and maximum temperatures (centigrade)	25.1/27.4

a 2003. b Official rate. c September 2004. d Excluding Rent. e March 2004.
f Base: 1990 = 100. g 1996. h 1994. i 1999. j 1990. k 2001. l 2002. m 1994/1995.
n Estimated data.

Chad

Region	Middle Africa
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	Ndjamena (797) ^a
Currency	CFA franc
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	8854
Surface area (square kms)	1284000
Population density (per square km)	7
United Nations membership date	20 September 1960

Economic indicators	1995	2003
Exchange rate (national currency per US\$) ^a	490.00	528.61 ^c
Consumer price index (1990=100)	143	195
Balance of payments, current account (million US\$)	-38 ^a	...
Tourist arrivals (000s)	19	32 ^a
GDP (million current US\$)	1440	2490
GDP (per capita current US\$)	214	290
Gross fixed capital formation (% of GDP) ¹	11.0	35.0
Labour force participation, adult female pop. (%)	68.7	...
Labour force participation, adult male pop. (%)	88.4	...
Employment in industrial sector (%)	4.2 ^a	...
Employment in agricultural sector (%)	83.2 ¹	...
Agricultural production index (1999-2000=100)	82	109
Food production index (1999-2000=100)	81	111
Motor vehicles (per 1,000 inhabitants)	3.1 ^a	...
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants)	0.1	0.2 ^a
Internet users, estimated (000s)	0.1 ^a	15.0 ^a

Social indicators	1995-2004
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	3.0
Population aged 0-14 years (%)	47.0
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total)	5.0/4.0
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)	102
Life expectancy at birth 2000-2005 (women and men, years)	46/44
Infant mortality rate 2000-2005 (per 1,000 births)	115
Total fertility rate 2000-2005 (births per woman)	6.7
Contraceptive use (% of currently married women)	4 ¹
Urban population (%)	25
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	4.6
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	2.4
Refugees and others of concern to UNHCR	147163
Government education expenditure (% of GNP)	2.0 ^a
Primary-secondary gross enrolment ratio (w and m per 100)	55/63
Third-level students (women and men, % of total)	15/85
Newspaper circulation (per 1,000 inhabitants)	<
Television receivers (per 1,000 inhabitants)	1
Parliamentary seats (women and men, % of total)	6/94

Environment	1995-2004
Threatened species	24
Forested area (% of land area)	10
CO ₂ emissions (000s Mt/per capita)	125/0.02
Energy consumption per capita (kilograms oil equiv.)	5
Precipitation (mm)	510 ¹
Average minimum and maximum temperatures (centigrade) ¹	20.8/35.8

a 2003. b Official rate. c September 2004. d 1994. e 2002. f Gross capital formation. g 1990. h Source: AAMA Motor Vehicle Facts and Figures, American Automobile Manufacturers Association (Michigan). i 1997. j 1996/1997.
k Estimated data. l Ndjamena.

Chile

Region	South America
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	Santiago (5478) ^a
Currency	peso
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	15996
Surface area (square kms)	756626
Population density (per square km)	21
United Nations membership date	24 October 1945

Economic indicators	1995	2003
Exchange rate (national currency per US\$) ^a	407.13	606.96 ^c
Consumer price index (1990=100)	191	273 ^d
Industrial production index (1995=100) ^a	100	145 ^f
Unemployment (percentage of labour force) ^g	4.7	7.8 ⁱ
Balance of payments, current account (million US\$)	-1350	-594
Tourist arrivals (000s)	1540	1614
GDP (million current US\$)	72050	71490
GDP (per capita current US\$)	5071	4523
Gross fixed capital formation (% of GDP)	25.0	21.0 ⁱ
Labour force participation, adult female pop. (%)	33.9	34.9 ^j
Labour force participation, adult male pop. (%)	75.2	72.6 ^j
Employment in industrial sector (%)	26.1	23.9
Employment in agricultural sector (%)	15.7	13.5
Agricultural production index (1999-2000=100)	93	106
Food production index (1999-2000=100)	93	106
Primary energy production (000s Mt oil equiv.)	4847	4730 ^k
Motor vehicles (per 1,000 inhabitants)	110.2	135.4
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants)	12.7	22.1
Internet users, estimated (000s)	50.0	4000.0
Largest export industries	Major trading partners 2003	
	(% of exports)	(% of imports)
Basic metals	27 USA	18 Argentina
Agriculture	18 Japan	11 USA
Mining quarry	15 China	9 Brazil

Social indicators	1995-2004
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	1.2
Population aged 0-14 years (%)	27.0
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total)	12.0/10.0
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)	102
Life expectancy at birth 2000-2005 (women and men, years)	79/73
Infant mortality rate 2000-2005 (per 1,000 births)	12
Total fertility rate 2000-2005 (births per woman)	2.3
Contraceptive use (% of currently married women)	30 ^k
Urban population (%)	87
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	1.6
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	-1.4
Foreign born (%)	0.8 ^l
Refugees and others of concern to UNHCR	522
Government education expenditure (% of GNP)	4.0
Primary-secondary gross enrolment ratio (w and m per 100)	96/95
Third-level students (women and men, % of total)	48/52
Newspaper circulation (per 1,000 inhabitants)	98 ^m
Television receivers (per 1,000 inhabitants)	215
Intentional homicides (per 100,000 inhabitants)	5
Parliamentary seats (women and men, % of total)	10/90

Environment	1995-2004
Threatened species	95
Forested area (% of land area)	21
CO ₂ emissions (000s Mt/per capita)	59543/3.9
Energy consumption per capita (kilograms oil equiv.)	1376
Precipitation (mm)	313 ⁿ
Average minimum and maximum temperatures (centigrade) ^a	8.3/22.5

a 2003. b Principal rate. c September 2004. d August 2004. e Calculated by the Statistics Division of the United Nations from component national indices. f June 2004. g Persons aged 15 years and over. h Fourth quarter of each year. i 2002. j 2001. k 1990. l 1992. m Estimated data. n Santiago.

China ^a

Region	Eastern Asia
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	Shanghai (12759) ^a
Currency	yuan
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	1313309
Surface area (square kms)	9596961
Population density (per square km)	137
United Nations membership date	24 October 1945

Economic indicators	1995	2003
Exchange rate (national currency per US\$) ^a	8.32	8.28 ^a
Consumer price index (1990=100)	193	211 ^a
Unemployment (percentage of labour force) ^b	2.9	4.0 ^a
Balance of payments, current account (million US\$)	1618	45875
Tourist arrivals (000s)	20034	32970
GDP (million current US\$)	700250	1409850
GDP (per capita current US\$)	584	1100
Gross fixed capital formation (% of GDP) ^c	35.0	40.0 ^a
Labour force participation, adult female pop. (%)	73.7	...
Labour force participation, adult male pop. (%)	85.6	...
Employment in industrial sector (%)	21.1	17.5 ^a
Employment in agricultural sector (%)	48.6	46.9 ^a
Agricultural production index (1999-2000=100)	79	111 ^m
Food production index (1999-2000=100)	78	112
Primary energy production (000s Mt oil equiv.)	870259	807232 ⁱ
Motor vehicles (per 1,000 inhabitants)	8.2	15.6 ^b
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants)	3.3	20.9
Internet users, estimated (000s)	60.0	79500.0
Largest export industries	Major trading partners 2003	
	(% of exports)	(% of imports)
Metal manufactures	52 USA	21 Japan
Textiles	22 China, HK SAR	17 Korea Rep.
Chemicals	9 Japan	14 USA

Social indicators	1995-2004
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	0.7
Population aged 0-14 years (%)	22.0
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total)	11.0/10.0
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)	95
Life expectancy at birth 2000-2005 (women and men, years)	73/69
Infant mortality rate 2000-2005 (per 1,000 births)	37
Total fertility rate 2000-2005 (births per woman)	1.8
Contraceptive use (% of currently married women)	84
Urban population (%)	39
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	3.2
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	-0.8
Foreign born (%)	<
Refugees and others of concern to UNHCR	299397
Government education expenditure (% of GNP)	2.2
Primary-secondary gross enrolment ratio (w and m per 100)	83/94
Third-level students (women and men, % of total) ^c	33/67
Newspaper circulation (per 1,000 inhabitants)	42 ^m
Television receivers (per 1,000 inhabitants)	322
Parliamentary seats (women and men, % of total)	20/80

Environment	1995-2004
Threatened species	422
Forested area (% of land area)	18
CO ₂ emissions (000s Mt/per capita)	2792482/2.2
Energy consumption per capita (kilograms oil equiv.)	599
Precipitation (mm)	578 ⁿ
Average minimum and maximum temperatures (centigrade) ^a	6.5/17.7

a For statistical purposes the data for China do not include those for Hong Kong Special Administrative Region (Hong Kong SAR), Macao Special Administrative Region (Macao SAR) and Taiwan Province of China, except in statistics relating to population of Taiwan Province. b 2003. c Principal rate. d September 2004. e 2000. f December of each year. g Unemployed in urban areas. h 2002. i Data classified according to SNA 93. j 2001. k Estimated data. l 1993. m 1990. n Beijing.

China, Hong Kong SAR^a

Region	Eastern Asia
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	Hong Kong (7049) ^b
Currency	dollar
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	7115
Surface area (square kms)	1103 ^c
Population density (per square km)	6618

Economic indicators	1995	2003
Exchange rate (national currency per US\$)	7.73	7.80 ^d
Consumer price index (1990=100)	157	155 ^e
Industrial production index (1995=100) ^f	100	74 ^g
Unemployment (percentage of labour force) ^h	3.2	7.9 ⁱ
Balance of payments, current account (million US\$)	3904 ^j	16155
Tourist arrivals (000s)	10200	15537 ^k
GDP (million current US\$)	141710	159450
GDP (per capita current US\$)	22918	22618
Gross fixed capital formation (% of GDP)	31.0	22.8 ^l
Labour force participation, adult female pop. (%)	47.6	51.6 ^m
Labour force participation, adult male pop. (%)	76.6	72.0 ⁿ
Employment in industrial sector (%)	27.0	19.5 ^o
Employment in agricultural sector (%)	0.6	0.2 ^p
Motor vehicles (per 1,000 inhabitants)	70.8	69.0
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants)	53.2	55.9
Internet users, estimated (000s)	200.0	3212.8

Largest export industries	Major trading partners	2003
(% of exports)	(% of exports)	(% of imports)
Metal manufactures	56 China	42 China
Textiles	21 USA	18 Japan
Other manufactures	8 Japan	5 USA

Social indicators	1995-2004
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	0.7 ^q
Population aged 0-14 years (%)	15.7 ^r
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total) ^s	15.2/15.0
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)	107 ^t
Life expectancy at birth 2000-2005 (women and men, years) ^u	84/79
Infant mortality rate 2000-2005 (per 1,000 births)	2 ^v
Total fertility rate 2000-2005 (births per woman)	0.9 ^w
Contraceptive use (% of currently married women)	86 ^x
Urban population (%)	100
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	-1.1
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	-
Foreign born (%)	40.3
Refugees and others of concern to UNHCR	2098
Government education expenditure (% of GNP)	4.6 ^y
Primary-secondary gross enrolment ratio (w and m per 100) ^z	89/87
Third-level students (women and men, % of total) ^{aa}	49/51
Newspaper circulation (per 1,000 inhabitants)	786 ^{ab}
Television receivers (per 1,000 inhabitants)	286
Intentional homicides (per 100,000 inhabitants)	1 ^{ac}

Environment	1995-2004
Threatened species	25
CO ₂ emissions (000s Mt/per capita)	33092/4.9
Energy consumption per capita (kilograms oil equiv.)	1680
Precipitation (mm)	2214
Average minimum and maximum temperatures (centigrade)	25.7/20.8

a Pursuant to a Joint Declaration signed on 19 December 1984, the United Kingdom restored Hong Kong to the People's Republic of China with effect from 1 July 1997; the People's Republic of China resumed the exercise of sovereignty over the territory with effect from that date. b 2003. c Data refer to non-commercial rates derived from the Operational Rates of Exchange for United Nations Programmes. d November 2004. e Excluding Rent. f Base: 1958=100 g August 2004. h Persons aged 14 years and over. i Feb., May, Aug. and Nov. j 2002. k 2001. l 1994. m Based on 30 or fewer deaths.

China, Macao SAR^a

Region	Eastern Asia
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	Macao (459) ^b
Currency	pataca
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	468
Surface area (square kms)	18
Population density (per square km)	25984

Economic indicators	1995	2003
Exchange rate (national currency per US\$) ^c	8.02	8.00 ^d
Consumer price index (1990=100) ^e	145 ^f	93 ^g
Unemployment (percentage of labour force) ^h	3.6	6.3 ⁱ
Balance of payments, current account (million US\$)	...	2565 ^j
Tourist arrivals (000s)	4202	6309
GDP (million current US\$)	6950	7890
GDP (per capita current US\$)	16866	17007
Gross fixed capital formation (% of GDP)	29.0	13.0
Labour force participation, adult female pop. (%)	49.0	57.5 ^k
Labour force participation, adult male pop. (%)	72.9	76.7 ^l
Employment in industrial sector (%)	32.0	30.6 ^m
Employment in agricultural sector (%)	0.2	0.1 ⁿ
Motor vehicles (per 1,000 inhabitants)	98.8	138.2
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants)	37.4	38.9
Internet users, estimated (000s)	1.2	120.0

Largest export industries	Major trading partners	2003
(% of exports)	(% of exports)	(% of imports)
Textiles	87 USA	50 China
Metal manufactures	6 China	14 China, HK SAR
Chemicals	4 Germany	8 Japan

Social indicators	1995-2004
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	0.9
Population aged 0-14 years (%)	18.0
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total)	10.0/9.0
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)	110
Life expectancy at birth 2000-2005 (women and men, years)	81/77
Infant mortality rate 2000-2005 (per 1,000 births)	9
Total fertility rate 2000-2005 (births per woman)	1.1
Urban population (%)	99
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	1.0
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	-0.3
Foreign born (%)	56.1
Government education expenditure (% of GNP)	3.0
Primary-secondary gross enrolment ratio (w and m per 100)	97/95
Third-level students (women and men, % of total)	37/63
Newspaper circulation (per 1,000 inhabitants)	377
Television receivers (per 1,000 inhabitants)	115
Intentional homicides (per 100,000 inhabitants)	4 ^{aa}

Environment	1995-2004
Threatened species	4
CO ₂ emissions (000s Mt/per capita)	1635/3.6
Energy consumption per capita (kilograms oil equiv.)	1285
Precipitation (mm)	2123
Average minimum and maximum temperatures (centigrade)	28.5/15.1

a Pursuant to a Joint Declaration signed on 13 April 1987, Portugal restored Macao to the People's Republic of China with effect from 20 December 1999; the People's Republic of China resumed the exercise of sovereignty over the territory with effect from that date. b 2003. c Data refer to non-commercial rates derived from the Operational Rates of Exchange for United Nations Programmes. d November 2004. e Excluding Rent. f Base: 1958=100 g August 2004. h Persons aged 14 years and over. i Feb., May, Aug. and Nov. j 2002. k 2001. l 1994. m Based on 30 or fewer deaths.

Colombia

Region	South America
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	Bogotá (7290) ^a
Currency	peso
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	44914
Surface area (square kms)	1138914
Population density (per square km)	39
United Nations membership date	5 November 1945

Economic indicators	1995	2003
Exchange rate (national currency per US\$) ^b	987.65	2595.17 ^c
Consumer price index (1990=100) ^d	302	848 ^e
Industrial production index (1995=100) ^f	100	105 ^g
Unemployment (percentage of labour force) ^h	8.7	15.7 ⁱ
Balance of payments, current account (million US\$)	-4527	-1456
Tourist arrivals (000s)	1399	541 ^j
GDP (million current US\$)	92500	77120
GDP (per capita current US\$)	2400	1744
Gross fixed capital formation (% of GDP) ^k	22.0	15.0 ^l
Labour force participation, adult female pop. (%)	45.7	60.0 ^m
Labour force participation, adult male pop. (%)	80.1	79.2 ⁿ
Employment in industrial sector (%)	31.5	18.4 ^o
Employment in agricultural sector (%)	1.0	22.2 ^p
Agricultural production index (1999-2000=100)	99	104
Food production index (1999-2000=100)	96	104
Primary energy production (000s Mt oil equiv.)	54276	69188 ^q
Motor vehicles (per 1,000 inhabitants)	29.2 ^r	28.4 ^s
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants)	10.0	17.9
Internet users, estimated (000s)	68.6	2300.2

Largest export industries		Major trading partners		2003	
	(% of exports)		(% of exports)	(% of imports)	
Mining/quarry	32	USA	47	USA	30
Chemicals	18	Ecuador	6	Brazil	6
Agriculture	17	Venezuela	5	Mexico	5

Social indicators	1995-2004
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	1.6
Population aged 0-14 years (%)	31.0
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total)	8.0/7.0
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)	102
Life expectancy at birth 2000-2005 (women and men, years)	75/69
Infant mortality rate 2000-2005 (per 1,000 births)	26
Total fertility rate 2000-2005 (births per woman)	2.6
Contraceptive use (% of currently married women)	77
Urban population (%)	76
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	2.2
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	-0.5
Foreign born (%)	0.3 ⁿ
Refugees and others of concern to UNHCR	1244370
Government education expenditure (% of GNP)	4.6
Primary-secondary gross enrolment ratio (w and m per 100)	89/85
Third-level students (women and men, % of total)	52/48
Newspaper circulation (per 1,000 inhabitants)	46 ^t
Television receivers (per 1,000 inhabitants)	115
Intentional homicides (per 100,000 inhabitants)	62
Parliamentary seats (women and men, % of total)	11/89

Environment	1995-2004
Threatened species	376
Forested area (% of land area)	49
CO ₂ emissions (000s Mt/per capita)	58502/1.4
Energy consumption per capita (kilograms oil equiv.)	483
Precipitation (mm)	799 ^u
Average minimum and maximum temperatures (centigrade)	15.1/28.5

a 2003. b Official rate. c September 2004. d Low income group. e June 2004. f Manufacturing only. g August 2004. h Persons aged 12 years and over. i 2002. j Data classified according to SNA 93. k 2000. l 2001. m Source: World Automotive Market Report, Auto and Truck International (Illinois). n Estimated data. o Bogotá.

Comoros

Region	Eastern Africa
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	Moroni (53) ^a
Currency	franc
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	790
Surface area (square kms)	2235
Population density (per square km)	354
United Nations membership date	12 November 1975

Economic indicators	1995	2003
Exchange rate (national currency per US\$) ^b	367.50	396.48 ^c
Balance of payments, current account (million US\$)	-19	...
Tourist arrivals (000s)	23	19 ^d
GDP (million current US\$)	210	280
GDP (per capita current US\$)	352	369
Gross fixed capital formation (% of GDP)	18.0	17.0 ^e
Labour force participation, adult female pop. (%)	63.2	...
Labour force participation, adult male pop. (%)	86.0	...
Employment in industrial sector (%)	9.4 ^f	...
Employment in agricultural sector (%)	77.3 ^g	...
Agricultural production index (1999-2000=100)	89	103
Food production index (1999-2000=100)	89	103
Primary energy production (000s Mt oil equiv.)	<	...
Motor vehicles (per 1,000 inhabitants)	10.3 ^h	...
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants)	0.7	1.7
Internet users, estimated (000s)	...	5.0

Largest export industries		Major trading partners		2003	
(% of exports) ^a		(% of exports)		(% of imports) ^a	
Agriculture	89	France	43	S.Afr.Cus.Un	54
Chemicals	6	USA	16	France	19
Other manufactures	3	Singapore	16	Pakistan	7

Social indicators	1995-2004
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	2.8
Population aged 0-14 years (%)	42.0
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total)	5.0/4.0
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)	99
Life expectancy at birth 2000-2005 (women and men, years)	62/59
Infant mortality rate 2000-2005 (per 1,000 births)	67
Total fertility rate 2000-2005 (births per woman)	4.9
Contraceptive use (% of currently married women)	21
Urban population (%)	35
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	4.6
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	1.9
Foreign born (%)	2.6 ^h
Government education expenditure (% of GNP)	3.8
Primary-secondary gross enrolment ratio (w and m per 100)	51/63
Third-level students (women and men, % of total)	42/58
Television receivers (per 1,000 inhabitants)	2

Environment	1995-2004
Threatened species	25
Forested area (% of land area)	4
CO ₂ emissions (000s Mt/per capita)	81/0.1
Energy consumption per capita (kilograms oil equiv.)	38
Precipitation (mm)	2700 ⁱ
Average minimum and maximum temperatures (centigrade) ^j	7.4/16.0

a 2003. b Official rate. c September 2004. d 2002. e 1990. f 1987. h Estimated data. i Moroni.

Congo

Region	Middle Africa
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	Brazzaville (1080) ^a
Currency	CFA franc
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	3818
Surface area (square kms)	342000
Population density (per square km)	11
United Nations membership date	20 September 1960
Economic indicators	
	1995 2003
Exchange rate (national currency per US\$) ^b	490.00 528.61 ^c
Consumer price index (1990=100) ^d	154 216 ^e
Balance of payments, current account (million US\$)	-625 -3
Tourist arrivals (000s)	37 28 ^f
GDP (million current US\$)	2120 3910
GDP (per capita current US\$)	721 1050
Gross fixed capital formation (% of GDP)	13.0 24.0
Labour force participation, adult female pop. (%)	58.4 ...
Labour force participation, adult male pop. (%)	83.1 ...
Employment in industrial sector (%)	14.7 ^g ...
Employment in agricultural sector (%)	48.7 ^g ...
Agricultural production index (1999-2000=100)	91 106
Food production index (1999-2000=100)	90 106
Primary energy production (000s Mt oil equiv.)	9404 12286 ^f
Motor vehicles (per 1,000 inhabitants)	15.5 14.9 ^f
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants)	0.8 0.2
Internet users, estimated (000s)	0.1 ^h 15.0
Social indicators	
	1995-2004
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	2.6
Population aged 0-14 years (%)	47.0
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total)	5.0/4.0
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)	102
Life expectancy at birth 2000-2005 (women and men, years)	50/47
Infant mortality rate 2000-2005 (per 1,000 births)	84
Total fertility rate 2000-2005 (births per woman)	6.3
Urban population (%)	53
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	3.4
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	1.6
Foreign born (%)	5.7 ⁱ
Refugees and others of concern to UNHCR	96366
Government education expenditure (% of GNP)	4.6
Primary-secondary gross enrolment ratio (w and m per 100)	54/64
Third-level students (women and men, % of total)	16/84
Newspaper circulation (per 1,000 inhabitants)	8 ^j
Television receivers (per 1,000 inhabitants)	11
Parliamentary seats (women and men, % of total)	11/89
Environment	
	1995-2004
Threatened species	62
Forested area (% of land area)	65
CO ₂ emissions (000s Mt/per capita)	1811/0.5
Energy consumption per capita (kilograms oil equiv.)	148
Precipitation (mm)	1371
Average minimum and maximum temperatures (centigrade)	21.2/29.5

a 2003. b Official rate. c September 2004. d African families. e March 2004. f 2001. g 1990. h 1996. i Estimated data.

Cook Islands

Region	Oceania-Polynesia
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	Avarua (13) ^a
Currency	New Zealand dollar
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	18
Surface area (square kms)	236
Population density (per square km)	78
Economic indicators	
	1995 2003
Exchange rate (national currency per US\$)	1.53 1.46 ^b
Consumer price index (1990=100)	122 146 ^c
Tourist arrivals (000s)	49 78
GDP (million current US\$)	90 130
GDP (per capita current US\$)	4914 7332
Gross fixed capital formation (% of GDP)	26.0 26.0 ^d
Employment in agricultural sector (%)	6.3 ^e 11.5 ^f
Agricultural production index (1999-2000=100)	82 60
Food production index (1999-2000=100)	81 60
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants)	27.1 34.5 ^g
Internet users, estimated (000s)	0.2 3.6 ^h
Largest export industries	
(% of exports)	Major trading partners
	2003
Agriculture	83 Japan 33 New Zealand 75
Food, beverages, tobacco	12 USA 27 Australia 9
Other manufactures	3 New Zealand 21 Japan 4
Social indicators	
	1995-2004
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	0.2
Population aged 0-14 years (%)	36.0
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total)	8.0/8.0
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)	90
Infant mortality rate 2000-2005 (per 1,000 births)	9 ^g
Total fertility rate 2000-2005 (births per woman)	3.5 ⁱ
Contraceptive use (% of currently married women)	63
Urban population (%)	70
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	2.5
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	-5.1
Foreign born (%)	12.8 ^j
Primary-secondary gross enrolment ratio (w and m per 100)	77/78
Newspaper circulation (per 1,000 inhabitants)	106
Environment	
	1995-2004
Threatened species	15
CO ₂ emissions (000s Mt/per capita)	29/1.6
Energy consumption per capita (kilograms oil equiv.)	513

a 2003. b November 2004. c 1st quarter 2004. d 2002. e 1993. f 1996. g Rates based on 10 or fewer infant deaths. h Data tabulated by date of registration rather than occurrence. i Data refer to a year between 1985 and 1990. j Estimated data.

Costa Rica

Region	Central America
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	San José (1085) ^a
Currency	colón
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	4250
Surface area (square kms)	51100
Population density (per square km)	83
United Nations membership date	2 November 1945

Economic indicators	1995	2003
Exchange rate (national currency per US\$)	194.90	447.86 ^b
Consumer price index (1990=100) ^c	241	647 ^d
Industrial production index (1995=100) ^e	100	153 ^f
Unemployment (percentage of labour force) ^g	5.2	6.1
Balance of payments, current account (million US\$)	-358	-967
Tourist arrivals (000s)	785	1113 ^h
GDP (million current US\$)	11720	17480
GDP (per capita current US\$)	3372	4189
Gross fixed capital formation (% of GDP) ⁱ	19.0	20.0
Labour force participation, adult female pop. (%)	34.9	41.6
Labour force participation, adult male pop. (%)	81.8	79.8 ^j
Employment in industrial sector (%)	24.1	22.5
Employment in agricultural sector (%)	21.6	15.9
Agricultural production index (1999-2000=100)	77	112
Food production index (1999-2000=100)	86	94
Primary energy production (000s Mt oil equiv.)	716	1351 ^k
Motor vehicles (per 1,000 inhabitants)	114.0	136.6 ^l
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants)	14.4	25.1 ^m
Internet users, estimated (000s)	14.5	800.0 ⁿ

Largest export industries	Major trading partners	2003
(% of exports)	(% of exports)	(% of imports)
Metal manufactures	44 USA	47 USA
Agriculture	24 Guatemala	4 Mexico
Chemicals	11 Malaysia	4 Japan

Social indicators	1995-2004
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	1.9
Population aged 0-14 years (%)	29.0
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total)	9.0/8.0
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)	97
Life expectancy at birth 2000-2005 (women and men, years)	81/76
Infant mortality rate 2000-2005 (per 1,000 births)	10
Total fertility rate 2000-2005 (births per woman)	2.3
Contraceptive use (% of currently married women)	80
Urban population (%)	61
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	2.8
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	0.6
Foreign born (%)	7.8
Refugees and others of concern to UNHCR	13585
Government education expenditure (% of GNP)	5.0
Primary-secondary gross enrolment ratio (w and m per 100)	89/89
Third-level students (women and men, % of total)	53/47
Newspaper circulation (per 1,000 inhabitants)	94
Television receivers (per 1,000 inhabitants)	144
Intentional homicides (per 100,000 inhabitants)	6
Parliamentary seats (women and men, % of total)	35/65

Environment	1995-2004
Threatened species	166
Forested area (% of land area)	39
CO ₂ emissions (000s Mt/per capita)	5427/1.4
Energy consumption per capita (kilograms oil equiv.)	796
Precipitation (mm)	1971 ^l
Average minimum and maximum temperatures (centigrade) ^m	24.0/29.0

a 2003. b September 2004. c Central area. d June 2004. e Calculated by the Statistics Division of the United Nations from component national indices. f 2nd quarter 2004. g Persons aged 12 years and over. h July of each year. i 2001. j 2002. k Data classified according to SNA 93. l Alajuela. m Puntarenas.

Côte d'Ivoire

Region	Western Africa
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	Abidjan (3337) ^a
Currency	CFA franc
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	16897
Surface area (square kms)	322463
Population density (per square km)	52
United Nations membership date	20 September 1960

Economic indicators	1995	2003
Exchange rate (national currency per US\$) ^b	490.00	528.61 ^c
Consumer price index (1990=100) ^d	135 ^e	127 ^f
Industrial production index (1995=100)	100	127 ^g
Balance of payments, current account (million US\$)	-492	353
Tourist arrivals (000s)	188	301 ^h
GDP (million current US\$)	11100	14740
GDP (per capita current US\$)	773	886
Gross fixed capital formation (% of GDP)	12.0	10.0 ⁱ
Labour force participation, adult female pop. (%)	43.5	...
Labour force participation, adult male pop. (%)	87.7	...
Employment in industrial sector (%)	9.6 ^j	...
Employment in agricultural sector (%)	60.0 ^k	...
Agricultural production index (1999-2000=100)	83	94
Food production index (1999-2000=100)	87	96
Primary energy production (000s Mt oil equiv.)	543	2010 ^l
Motor vehicles (per 1,000 inhabitants)	11.3 ^m	10.5 ⁿ
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants)	0.9	1.4
Internet users, estimated (000s)	<	240.0

Largest export industries	Major trading partners	2003
(% of exports)	(% of exports)	(% of imports)
Agriculture	43 France	19 France
Food, beverages, tobacco	19 Netherlands	18 Nigeria
Chemicals	15 USA	7 UK

Social indicators	1995-2004
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	1.6
Population aged 0-14 years (%)	41.0
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total)	5.0/5.0
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)	96
Life expectancy at birth 2000-2005 (women and men, years)	41/41
Infant mortality rate 2000-2005 (per 1,000 births)	101
Total fertility rate 2000-2005 (births per woman)	4.7
Contraceptive use (% of currently married women)	15 ^a
Urban population (%)	45
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	2.6
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	0.8
Foreign born (%)	14.8 ^b
Refugees and others of concern to UNHCR	131931
Government education expenditure (% of GNP)	4.9
Primary-secondary gross enrolment ratio (w and m per 100)	67/92
Third-level students (women and men, % of total)	26/74
Newspaper circulation (per 1,000 inhabitants)	17
Television receivers (per 1,000 inhabitants)	60
Parliamentary seats (women and men, % of total)	9/91

Environment	1995-2004
Threatened species	146
Forested area (% of land area)	22
CO ₂ emissions (000s Mt/per capita)	10483/0.7
Energy consumption per capita (kilograms oil equiv.)	153

a 2003. b Official rate. c September 2004. d Base: 1995=100. e 1994. f April 2004. g November 2003. h 1998. i 2002. j 1990. k 2001. l Source: World Automotive Market Report, Auto and Truck International (Illinois). m 1998/1999. n Estimated data.

Croatia

Region	Southern Europe
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	Zagreb (688) ^a
Currency	kuna
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	4416
Surface area (square kms)	56538
Population density (per square km)	78
United Nations membership date	22 May 1992

Economic indicators	1995	2003
Exchange rate (national currency per US\$)	5.32	6.13 ^a
Consumer price index (1990=100)	56251	78603 ^a
Industrial production index (1995=100)	100	143 ^a
Unemployment (percentage of labour force)	14.5	14.8 ^a
Balance of payments, current account (million US\$)	-1592	-2099
Tourist arrivals (000s)	1485	7409
GDP (million current US\$)	18810	28330
GDP (per capita current US\$)	4225	6398
Gross fixed capital formation (% of GDP)	16.0	26.0
Labour force participation, adult female pop. (%)	48.2	43.9 ^a
Labour force participation, adult male pop. (%)	68.7	58.7 ^a
Employment in industrial sector (%)	...	30.0 ^a
Employment in agricultural sector (%)	5.2 ^a	15.5 ^a
Agricultural production index (1999-2000=100)	90	92
Food production index (1999-2000=100)	90	92
Primary energy production (000s Mt oil equiv.)	4358	3743 ^a
Motor vehicles (per 1,000 inhabitants)	177.0	326.7
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants)	28.3	41.7 ^a
Internet users, estimated (000s)	24.0	1014.0

Largest export industries		Major trading partners		2003	
	(% of exports)		(% of exports)	(% of imports)	
Metal manufactures	37	Italy	26	Italy	18
Chemicals	18	Bosnia/Herzeg	14	Germany	16
Textiles	15	Germany	12	Slovenia	7

Social indicators	1995-2004
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	-0.2
Population aged 0-14 years (%)	17.0
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total)	25.0/18.0
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)	108
Life expectancy at birth 2000-2005 (women and men, years)	78/70
Infant mortality rate 2000-2005 (per 1,000 births)	8
Total fertility rate 2000-2005 (births per woman)	1.6
Urban population (%)	59
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	0.5
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	-1.2
Foreign born (%)	10.1
Refugees and others of concern to UNHCR	31279
Government education expenditure (% of GNP)	4.3
Primary-secondary gross enrolment ratio (w and m per 100)	91/90
Third-level students (women and men, % of total)	52/48
Newspaper circulation (per 1,000 inhabitants)	115
Television receivers (per 1,000 inhabitants)	277
Intentional homicides (per 100,000 inhabitants)	2
Parliamentary seats (women and men, % of total)	18/82

Environment	1995-2004
Threatened species	52
Forested area (% of land area)	32
CO ₂ emissions (000s Mt/per capita)	20390/4.6
Energy consumption per capita (kilograms oil equiv.)	1668
Precipitation (mm)	856 ^b
Average minimum and maximum temperatures (centigrade) ^k	5.4/15.7

a 2003. b September 2004. c May 2004. d July 2004. e 2002. f Data classified according to SNA 93. g 2001. h 1993. i 1991. j Estimated data. k Zagreb.

Cuba

Region	Caribbean
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	Havana (2189) ^a
Currency	peso
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	11328
Surface area (square kms)	110861
Population density (per square km)	102
United Nations membership date	24 October 1945

Economic indicators	1995	2003
Exchange rate (national currency per US\$) ^a	1.00	1.00 ^c
Tourist arrivals (000s)	742	1658 ^d
GDP (million current US\$)	21740	31220
GDP (per capita current US\$)	1983	2762
Gross fixed capital formation (% of GDP)	8.0	11.0
Labour force participation, adult female pop. (%)	46.8	...
Labour force participation, adult male pop. (%)	76.9	...
Employment in industrial sector (%)	25.7	23.9 ^a
Employment in agricultural sector (%)	23.2	24.2 ^a
Agricultural production index (1999-2000=100)	72	109
Food production index (1999-2000=100)	72	109
Primary energy production (000s Mt oil equiv.)	1495	3435 ^e
Motor vehicles (per 1,000 inhabitants)	0.9 ^f	0.9 ^g
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants)	3.2	5.1 ^h
Internet users, estimated (000s)	<	120.0 ⁱ

Largest export industries		Major trading partners		2003
	(% of exports)*		(% of exports)*	(% of imports)*
Food, beverages, tobacco	51	Russian Fed.	24	Venezuela 20
Basic metals	30	Netherlands	20	Spain 15
Agriculture	8	Canada	14	China 11

Social indicators	1995-2004
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	0.3
Population aged 0-14 years (%)	19.0
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total)	16.0/14.0
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)	100
Life expectancy at birth 2000-2005 (women and men, years)	79/75
Infant mortality rate 2000-2005 (per 1,000 births)	7
Total fertility rate 2000-2005 (births per woman)	1.5
Contraceptive use (% of currently married women)	70 ^h
Urban population (%)	76
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	0.5
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	-0.4
Foreign born (%)	0.6 ⁱ
Refugees and others of concern to UNHCR	842
Government education expenditure (% of GNP)	6.7
Primary-secondary gross enrolment ratio (w and m per 100)	95/96
Third-level students (women and men, % of total)	54/46
Newspaper circulation (per 1,000 inhabitants)	54
Television receivers (per 1,000 inhabitants)	238
Intentional homicides (per 100,000 inhabitants)	5
Parliamentary seats (women and men, % of total)	36/64

Environment	1995-2004
Threatened species	225
Forested area (% of land area)	21
CO ₂ emissions (000s Mt/per capita)	30936/2.8
Energy consumption per capita (kilograms oil equiv.)	708
Precipitation (mm)	1189 ^j
Average minimum and maximum temperatures (centigrade) ^k	21.6/28.8

a 2003. b Data refer to non-commercial rates derived from the Operational Rates of Exchange for United Nations Programmes. c November 2004. d 2002. e 2001. f 1986. g 2000. h 1987. i 1990. j Including refugees. k Havana.

Cyprus

Region	Western Asia
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	Nicosia (205) ^a
Currency	pound
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	808
Surface area (square kms)	9251
Population density (per square km)	87
United Nations membership date	20 September 1960 ^a

Economic indicators	1995	2003
Exchange rate (national currency per US\$) ^a	0.46	0.47
Consumer price index (1990=100)	126	162
Industrial production index (1995=100)	100	123
Unemployment (percentage of labour force) ^a	2.6	4.1
Balance of payments, current account (million US\$)	-164	-442
Tourist arrivals (000s)	2100	2303
GDP (million current US\$)	8860	12860
GDP (per capita current US\$)	11907	16038
Gross fixed capital formation (% of GDP)	19.0	17.0
Labour force participation, adult female pop. (%)	47.6	50.9
Labour force participation, adult male pop. (%)	78.0	74.2
Employment in industrial sector (%)	25.3	23.3
Employment in agricultural sector (%)	10.7	4.7
Agricultural production index (1999-2000=100)	99	96
Food production index (1999-2000=100)	99	96
Motor vehicles (per 1,000 inhabitants)	436.3	534.0
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants) ⁱ	55.2	57.2
Internet users, estimated (000s)	3.0	250.0

Largest export industries		Major trading partners		2003
(% of exports)		(% of exports)		(% of imports)
Metal manufactures	35	UK	32	Greece 12
Chemicals	22	Greece	9	Italy 10
Food, beverages, tobacco	19	Germany	4	UK 8

Social indicators	1995-2004
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	0.8
Population aged 0-14 years (%)	21.0
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total)	18.0/15.0
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)	100
Life expectancy at birth 2000-2005 (women and men, years)	81/76
Infant mortality rate 2000-2005 (per 1,000 births)	8
Total fertility rate 2000-2005 (births per woman)	1.9
Urban population (%)	69
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	1.0
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	0.3
Foreign born (%)	12.7
Refugees and others of concern to UNHCR	5431
Government education expenditure (% of GNP)	5.6
Primary-secondary gross enrolment ratio (w and m per 100)	95/95
Third-level students (women and men, % of total)	58/42
Newspaper circulation (per 1,000 inhabitants)	125
Television receivers (per 1,000 inhabitants)	325
Parliamentary seats (women and men, % of total)	11/89

Environment	1995-2004
Threatened species	16
Forested area (% of land area)	19
CO ₂ emissions (000s Mt/per capita)	6428/8.2
Energy consumption per capita (kilograms oil equiv.)	2476
Precipitation (mm)	320
Average minimum and maximum temperatures (centigrade) ^k	13.7/24.3

a 2003. b Official rate. c September 2004. d August 2004. e June 2004. f Persons aged 15 years and over. g The data relate to the government-controlled areas. h 2001. i Excluding 8,960 main lines in the occupied areas. j Not including Turkish institutions. k Larnaca.

Czech Republic

Region	Eastern Europe
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	Prague (1170) ^a
Currency	koruna
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	10226
Surface area (square kms)	78866
Population density (per square km)	130
United Nations membership date	19 January 1993

Economic indicators	1995	2003
Exchange rate (national currency per US\$) ^a	26.60	25.51
Consumer price index (1990=100)	252	382
Industrial production index (1995=100)	100	130
Unemployment (percentage of labour force) ⁱ	4.0	7.3
Balance of payments, current account (million US\$)	-1374	-5661
Tourist arrivals (000s)	3381	5076
GDP (million current US\$)	56260	90420
GDP (per capita current US\$)	5446	8834
Gross fixed capital formation (% of GDP) ⁱ	31.0	26.0
Labour force participation, adult female pop. (%)	52.3	51.0
Labour force participation, adult male pop. (%)	71.5	69.4
Employment in industrial sector (%)	42.2	40.4
Employment in agricultural sector (%)	6.6	-4.8
Agricultural production index (1999-2000=100)	101	90
Food production index (1999-2000=100)	101	90
Primary energy production (000s Mt oil equiv.)	31135	28485
Motor vehicles (per 1,000 inhabitants)	348.8	402.5
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants)	23.6	36.0
Internet users, estimated (000s)	150.0	3100.0

Internet users, estimated (000s)		150.0		3100.0	
Largest export industries		Major trading partners		2003	
[% of exports]		[% of exports]		[% of imports]	
Metal manufactures	61	Germany	37	Germany	33
Chemicals	11	Slovakia	8	Italy	5

Social indicators	1995-2004
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	-0.1
Population aged 0-14 years (%)	15.0
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total)	22.0/17.0
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)	106
Life expectancy at birth 2000-2005 (women and men, years)	79/72
Infant mortality rate 2000-2005 (per 1,000 births)	6
Total fertility rate 2000-2005 (births per woman)	1.2
Contraceptive use (% of currently married women)	69
Urban population (%)	74
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	-
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	-0.5
Foreign born (%)	4.9
Refugees and others of concern to UNHCR	5262
Government education expenditure (% of GNP)	4.5
Primary-secondary gross enrolment ratio (w and m per 100)	101/98
Third-level students (women and men, % of total)	51/49
Newspaper circulation (per 1,000 inhabitants)	254
Television receivers (per 1,000 inhabitants)	530
Intentional homicides (per 100,000 inhabitants)	1
Parliamentary seats (women and men, % of total)	16/84

Environment	1995-2004
Threatened species	40
Forested area (% of land area)	34
CO ₂ emissions (000s Mt/per capita) ⁱ	127996/12.5
Energy consumption per capita (kilograms oil equiv.)	3906
Precipitation (mm)	526
Average minimum and maximum temperatures (centigrade) ^m	3.6/12.5

a 2003. b Official rate. c September 2004. d February 2004. e August 2004. f Persons aged 15 years and over. g Excl. persons on child care leave actively seeking a job. h 2002. i Data classified according to SNA 93. j 2001. k 1993. l Source: UNFCCC. m Prague.

Democratic Republic of the Congo

Region	Middle Africa
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	Kinshasa (5277) *
Currency	franc congolais
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	54417
Surface area (square kms)	2344858
Population density (per square km)	23
United Nations membership date	20 September 1960

Economic indicators	1995	2003
Exchange rate (national currency per US\$)	0.15	428.54 ^a
Tourist arrivals (000s)	35	103 ^e
GDP (million current US\$)	5640	5670
GDP (per capita current US\$)	127	107
Gross fixed capital formation (% of GDP)	9.0	9.0 ^e
Labour force participation, adult female pop. (%)	61.6	...
Labour force participation, adult male pop. (%)	85.0	...
Employment in industrial sector (%)	13.4	...
Employment in agricultural sector (%)	67.8 ^a	...
Agricultural production index (1999-2000=100)	108	97
Food production index (1999-2000=100)	107	97
Primary energy production (000s Mt oil equiv.)	1673	1805 ^f
Motor vehicles (per 1,000 inhabitants)	6.4 ^a	4.4 ^a
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants)	0.1	<
Internet users, estimated (000s)	0.1 ^h	50.0 ⁱ

Social indicators	1995-2004
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	2.9
Population aged 0-14 years (%)	47.0
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total)	5.0/4.0
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)	102
Life expectancy at birth 2000-2005 (women and men, years)	43/41
Infant mortality rate 2000-2005 (per 1,000 births)	120
Total fertility rate 2000-2005 (births per woman)	6.7
Contraceptive use (% of currently married women)	8
Urban population (%)	32
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	4.4
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	2.2
Foreign born (%)	1.5
Refugees and others of concern to UNHCR	237648
Government education expenditure (% of GNP)	1.0 ^a
Primary-secondary gross enrolment ratio (w and m per 100) *	41/62
Newspaper circulation (per 1,000 inhabitants)	3 ^j
Television receivers (per 1,000 inhabitants)	140

Environment	1995-2004
Threatened species	179
Forested area (% of land area)	60
CO ₂ emissions (000s Mt/per capita)	2732/0.1
Energy consumption per capita (kilograms oil equiv.)	25
Precipitation (mm)	1371

a 2003, b September 2004, c 2000, d 2002, e 1990, f 2001, g 1999, h 1996, i 1991, j Estimated data, k 1985, l 1994.

Denmark

Region	Northern Europe
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	Copenhagen (1066) *
Currency	kroner
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	5375
Surface area (square kms)	43094
Population density (per square km)	125
United Nations membership date	24 October 1945

Economic indicators	1995	2003
Exchange rate (national currency per US\$)	5.55	6.00 ^a
Consumer price index (1990=100)	110	133 ^c
Industrial production index (1995=100)	100	120 ^c
Unemployment (percentage of labour force) ^d	7.0	4.7 ^a
Balance of payments, current account (million US\$)	1855	6139
Tourist arrivals (000s)	2124 ^f	2016
GDP (million current US\$)	180240	211850
GDP (per capita current US\$)	34476	39497
Gross fixed capital formation (% of GDP) ^a	19.0	20.0 ^a
Labour force participation, adult female pop. (%)	57.5	60.2 ^h
Labour force participation, adult male pop. (%)	72.1	71.3 ^a
Employment in industrial sector (%)	27.4	25.4 ^h
Employment in agricultural sector (%)	4.4	3.3 ^h
Agricultural production index (1999-2000=100)	99	102
Food production index (1999-2000=100)	99	102
Primary energy production (000s Mt oil equiv.)	14190	25733 ^h
Motor vehicles (per 1,000 inhabitants) ⁱ	387.7	432.8
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants)	61.1	66.9
Internet users, estimated (000s)	200.0	2756.0 ^a

Largest export industries		Major trading partners		2003
	(% of exports)		(% of exports)	(% of imports)
Metal manufactures	39	Germany	17	Germany 23
Chemicals	17	Sweden	12	Sweden 13
Food, beverages, tobacco	16	UK	8	UK 7

Social indicators	1995-2004
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	0.2
Population aged 0-14 years (%)	19.0
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total)	23.0/19.0
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)	102
Life expectancy at birth 2000-2005 (women and men, years)	79/74
Infant mortality rate 2000-2005 (per 1,000 births)	5
Total fertility rate 2000-2005 (births per woman) ^c	1.8
Contraceptive use (% of currently married women)	78 ^a
Urban population (%)	85
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	0.3
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	-0.4
Foreign born (%)	4.3 ^a
Refugees and others of concern to UNHCR	71889 ^a
Government education expenditure (% of GNP)	8.4
Primary-secondary gross enrolment ratio (w and m per 100) *	112/111
Third-level students (women and men, % of total)	56/44
Newspaper circulation (per 1,000 inhabitants)	283
Television receivers (per 1,000 inhabitants)	592
Intentional homicides (per 100,000 inhabitants)	1
Parliamentary seats (women and men, % of total)	38/62

Environment	1995-2004
Threatened species	27
Forested area (% of land area)	11
CO ₂ emissions (000s Mt/per capita) ^a	54355/10.2
Energy consumption per capita (kilograms oil equiv.)	3045
Precipitation (mm)	525 ^a
Average minimum and maximum temperatures (centigrade) ^a	5.0/11.0

a 2003, b September 2004, c August 2004, d Persons aged 15 to 66 years, e 2002, f 1994, g Data classified according to SNA 93, h 2001, i Including vehicles operated by police or other governmental security organizations, j Excluding Faeroe Islands, k 1988, l For all sexually active women of childbearing age, m 1991, n Estimated data, o See technical note for this series, p Source: UNFCCC, q Copenhagen.

Djibouti

Region	Eastern Africa
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	Djibouti (502) ^a
Currency	Franc
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	712
Surface area (square kms)	23200
Population density (per square km)	31
United Nations membership date	20 September 1977

Economic indicators	1995	2003
Exchange rate (national currency per US\$) ^a	177.72	177.72 ^c
Balance of payments, current account (million US\$)	-23	...
Tourist arrivals (000s)	21	21 ^d
GDP (million current US\$)	510	620
GDP (per capita current US\$)	897	886
Gross fixed capital formation (% of GDP)	19.0	14.0
Employment in industrial sector (%)	7.9 ^e	...
Employment in agricultural sector (%)	2.3 ^e	...
Agricultural production index (1999-2000=100)	92	100
Food production index (1999-2000=100)	92	100
Motor vehicles (per 1,000 inhabitants)	30.8 ^f	...
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants)	1.3	1.5
Internet users, estimated (000s)	0.1	6.5

Largest export industries	Major trading partners	2003
(% of exports)	(% of exports)	(% of imports)
...	France	26
...	Ethiopia	13
...	Saudi Arabia	8

Social indicators	1995-2004
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	1.6
Population aged 0-14 years (%)	43.0
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total)	6.0/5.0
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)	101
Life expectancy at birth 2000-2005 (women and men, years)	47/45
Infant mortality rate 2000-2005 (per 1,000 births)	102
Total fertility rate 2000-2005 (births per woman)	5.7
Urban population (%)	84
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	2.1
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	-1.2
Foreign born (%)	4.2 ^h
Refugees and others of concern to UNHCR	28694
Government education expenditure (% of GNP)	3.4 ^h
Primary-secondary gross enrolment ratio (w and m per 100)	24/35
Third-level students (women and men, % of total)	45/55
Television receivers (per 1,000 inhabitants)	46
Parliamentary seats (women and men, % of total)	11/89

Environment	1995-2004
Threatened species	21
Forested area (% of land area)	<
CO ₂ emissions (000s Mt/per capita)	385/0.6
Energy consumption per capita (kilograms oil equiv.)	190
Precipitation (mm)	163
Average minimum and maximum temperatures (centigrade) ⁱ	25.9/33.9

a 2003. b Official rate. c September 2004. d 1998. e 1991. f 1994. g 1999. h Estimated data. i Djibouti.

Dominica

Region	Caribbean
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	Roseau (27) ^a
Currency	EC dollar
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	79
Surface area (square kms)	751
Population density (per square km)	105
United Nations membership date	18 December 1978

Economic indicators	1995	2003
Exchange rate (national currency per US\$) ^a	2.70	2.70 ^c
Consumer price index (1990=100) ^d	115	100 ^e
Unemployment (percentage of labour force)	...	23.1 ^f
Balance of payments, current account (million US\$)	-41	-38 ^g
Tourist arrivals (000s)	60	69 ^g
GDP (million current US\$)	220	260
GDP (per capita current US\$)	2919	3279
Gross fixed capital formation (% of GDP)	32.0	22.0 ^h
Employment in industrial sector (%)	21.6 ^h	18.2 ^f
Employment in agricultural sector (%)	30.8 ^h	23.7 ^f
Agricultural production index (1999-2000=100)	95	98
Food production index (1999-2000=100)	95	97
Primary energy production (000s Mt oil equiv.)	2	2 ^h
Motor vehicles (per 1,000 inhabitants) ⁱ	137.2	157.3 ⁱ
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants)	24.1	30.4 ^g
Internet users, estimated (000s)	0.4	12.5 ^g

Largest export industries	Major trading partners	2003
(% of exports)	(% of exports)	(% of imports)
Chemicals	59 Jamaica	23 USA
Agriculture	30 UK	16 Trinidad Tbg
Food, beverages, tobacco	6 Antigua, Barb	10 UK

Social indicators	1995-2004
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	0.3
Population aged 0-14 years (%)	33.0
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total)	14.0/12.0 ^h
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)	97
Infant mortality rate 2000-2005 (per 1,000 births)	20 ^h
Contraceptive use (% of currently married women)	50 ^h
Urban population (%)	72
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	0.8
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	-0.9
Foreign born (%)	4.8 ^h
Government education expenditure (% of GNP)	5.6 ^h
Intentional homicides (per 100,000 inhabitants)	1
Parliamentary seats (women and men, % of total)	19/81

Environment	1995-2004
Threatened species	30
Forested area (% of land area)	61
CO ₂ emissions (000s Mt/per capita)	103/1.3
Energy consumption per capita (kilograms oil equiv.)	509
Precipitation (mm)	2575 ^h
Average minimum and maximum temperatures (centigrade) ^o	23.0/29.2

a 2003. b Official rate. c September 2004. d Beginning 2001 base: 2001=100. e 2002. f 1997. g 1991. h 2001. i Including large public service excavators and trench diggers. j 1998. k Data tabulated by date of registration rather than occurrence. l 1987. m Including visiting unions. n Estimated data. o Melville Hall airport.

Dominican Republic

Region	Caribbean
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	Santo Domingo (1865) ^a
Currency	peso
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	8872
Surface area (square kms)	48511
Population density (per square km)	183
United Nations membership date	24 October 1945

Economic indicators	1995	2003
Exchange rate (national currency per US\$) ^b	13.46	32.74 ^c
Consumer price index (1990=100)	197	618 ^c
Industrial production index (1995=100) ^a	100	152 ^d
Unemployment (percentage of labour force) ^a	15.8	15.9 ^b
Balance of payments, current account (million US\$)	-183	867
Tourist arrivals (000s)	1796	3282
GDP (million current US\$)	15420	21060
GDP (per capita current US\$)	2006	2408
Gross fixed capital formation (% of GDP) ⁱ	16.0	23.0
Labour force participation, adult female pop. (%)	35.4	40.0 ^j
Labour force participation, adult male pop. (%)	83.0	69.2 ^j
Employment in industrial sector (%)	24.0	23.0 ^j
Employment in agricultural sector (%)	24.8 ^k	...
Agricultural production index (1999-2000=100)	99	108
Food production index (1999-2000=100)	98	107
Primary energy production (000s Mt oil equiv.)	144	66 ^j
Motor vehicles (per 1,000 inhabitants)	39.2	99.7 ^j
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants)	7.5	11.5
Internet users, estimated (000s)	1.4	500.0

Social indicators	1995-2004
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	1.5
Population aged 0-14 years (%)	32.0
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total)	8.0/7.0
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)	97
Life expectancy at birth 2000-2005 (women and men, years)	69/64
Infant mortality rate 2000-2005 (per 1,000 births)	36
Total fertility rate 2000-2005 (births per woman)	2.7
Contraceptive use (% of currently married women)	70
Urban population (%)	59
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	2.1
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	0.6
Foreign born (%)	1.6 ^l
Government education expenditure (% of GNP)	2.5
Primary-secondary gross enrolment ratio (w and m per 100)	99/93
Third-level students (women and men, % of total)	58/43
Newspaper circulation (per 1,000 inhabitants)	28
Television receivers (per 1,000 inhabitants)	97
Intentional homicides (per 100,000 inhabitants)	8
Parliamentary seats (women and men, % of total)	15/85

Environment	1995-2004
Threatened species	73
Forested area (% of land area)	28
CO ₂ emissions (000s Mt/per capita)	25150/3.0
Energy consumption per capita (kilograms oil equiv.)	684
Precipitation (mm)	1021 ^m
Average minimum and maximum temperatures (centigrade) ⁿ	20.5/31.3

a 2003. b Principal rate. c September 2004. d July 2004. e Base: 1990 = 100. f 1999. g Persons aged 14 years and over. h 1997. i Data classified according to SNA 93. j 2001. k 1990. l Estimated data. m Santiago.

Ecuador

Region	South America
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	Guayaquil (2262) ^a
Currency	sucre
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	13192
Surface area (square kms)	283561
Population density (per square km)	47
United Nations membership date	21 December 1945

Economic indicators	1995	2003
Exchange rate (national currency per US\$) ^b	2923.50	25000.00 ^c
Consumer price index (1990=100)	522 ^d	5969 ^e
Industrial production index (1995=100) ^f	100	142 ^g
Unemployment (percentage of labour force) ^h	6.9	9.3 ⁱ
Balance of payments, current account (million US\$)	-1000	-455
Tourist arrivals (000s)	440	760
GDP (million current US\$)	20200	27410
GDP (per capita current US\$)	1771	2108
Gross fixed capital formation (% of GDP)	19.0	24.0 ^j
Labour force participation, adult female pop. (%)	48.2	59.8 ^k
Labour force participation, adult male pop. (%)	80.5	85.8 ^k
Employment in industrial sector (%)	21.9	24.3 ^l
Employment in agricultural sector (%)	6.2	7.7 ^l
Agricultural production index (1999-2000=100)	89	107
Food production index (1999-2000=100)	88	108
Primary energy production (000s Mt oil equiv.)	21209	22112 ^l
Motor vehicles (per 1,000 inhabitants)	43.6	53.1
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants)	6.1	12.2
Internet users, estimated (000s)	5.0	581.6

Major export industries	Major trading partners	2003
(% of exports)	(% of exports)	(% of imports)
Mining quarry	39 USA	41 USA
Agriculture	34 Peru	10 Colombia
Food, beverages, tobacco	12 Italy	6 Venezuela

Social indicators	1995-2004
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	1.5
Population aged 0-14 years (%)	32.0
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total)	8.0/7.0
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)	99
Life expectancy at birth 2000-2005 (women and men, years)	74/68
Infant mortality rate 2000-2005 (per 1,000 births)	41
Total fertility rate 2000-2005 (births per woman)	2.8
Contraceptive use (% of currently married women)	66
Urban population (%)	62
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	2.3
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	0.2
Foreign born (%)	0.7 ⁿ
Refugees and others of concern to UNHCR	8946
Government education expenditure (% of GNP)	1.1 ⁿ
Primary-secondary gross enrolment ratio (w and m per 100)	88/89
Third-level students (women and men, % of total) ^o	40/60
Newspaper circulation (per 1,000 inhabitants)	97
Television receivers (per 1,000 inhabitants)	131
Intentional homicides (per 100,000 inhabitants)	17
Parliamentary seats (women and men, % of total)	16/84

Environment	1995-2004
Threatened species	1140
Forested area (% of land area)	38
CO ₂ emissions (000s Mt/per capita)	25469/2.1
Energy consumption per capita (kilograms oil equiv.)	549
Precipitation (mm)	1026

a 2003. b Principal rate. c September 2004. d Former series. e April 2004. f Manufacturing only. g Base: 1990 = 100. h 1999. i Persons aged 10 years and over. j November of each year. k 2002. l 2001. m Estimated data. n 1987.

Egypt

Region	Northern Africa
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	Cairo (10834) ^a
Currency	pound
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	73390
Surface area (square kms)	1001449
Population density (per square km)	73
United Nations membership date	24 October 1945

Economic indicators	1995	2003
Exchange rate (national currency per US\$) ^a	3.39	6.23 ^a
Consumer price index (1990=100)	179	239 ^a
Industrial production index (1995=100) ^a	100	132 ^a
Unemployment (percentage of labour force) ^a	11.3	9.2 ^a
Balance of payments, current account (million US\$)	-254	3743
Tourist arrivals (000s)	2871	5746
GDP (million current US\$)	67630	76400
GDP (per capita current US\$)	1097	1062
Gross fixed capital formation (% of GDP) ^a	16.0	16.0 ^a
Labour force participation, adult female pop. (%)	21.6	...
Labour force participation, adult male pop. (%)	73.4	...
Employment in industrial sector (%)	21.9	21.3 ^a
Employment in agricultural sector (%)	34.0	29.6 ^a
Agricultural production index (1999-2000=100)	80	101
Food production index (1999-2000=100)	80	102
Primary energy production (000s Mt oil equiv.)	60437	56904
Motor vehicles (per 1,000 inhabitants)	28.9	35.7
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants)	4.7	12.7
Internet users, estimated (000s)	20.0	2700.0

Largest export industries	Major trading partners	2003
(% of exports)	(% of exports)	(% of imports)
Chemicals	44 Italy	12 USA
Agriculture	10 USA	8 Germany
Mining quarry	10 India	8 Italy

Social indicators	1995-2004
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	2.0
Population aged 0-14 years (%)	34.0
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total)	7.0/6.0
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)	100
Life expectancy at birth 2000-2005 (women and men, years)	71/67
Infant mortality rate 2000-2005 (per 1,000 births)	41
Total fertility rate 2000-2005 (births per woman)	3.3
Contraceptive use (% of currently married women)	56
Urban population (%)	42
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	2.1
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	1.9
Foreign born (%)	0.2 ^m
Refugees and others of concern to UNHCR	94158
Government education expenditure (% of GNP)	4.4
Primary-secondary gross enrolment ratio (w and m per 100)	89/95
Third-level students (women and men, % of total) ^o	42/58
Newspaper circulation (per 1,000 inhabitants)	31
Television receivers (per 1,000 inhabitants)	120
Intentional homicides (per 100,000 inhabitants)	<
Parliamentary seats (women and men, % of total)	4/96

Environment	1995-2004
Threatened species	42
Forested area (% of land area)	<
CO ₂ emissions (000s Mt/per capita)	142329/2.1
Energy consumption per capita (kilograms oil equiv.)	689
Precipitation (mm)	26 ^a
Average minimum and maximum temperatures (centigrade) ^a	15.8/27.7

a 2003. b Principal rate. c September 2004. d June 2004. e Base: 1990 = 100.
f 1997. g May and November of each year. h Persons aged 15 to 64 years. i 2001.
j Data refer to fiscal year beginning 1 July. k 2002. l 2000. m 1990. n 1986.
o Universities and equivalent degree-granting institutions only. p Not including Al Azhar university. q Cairo.

El Salvador

Region	Central America
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	San Salvador (1424) ^a
Currency	colón
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	6614
Surface area (square kms)	21041
Population density (per square km)	314
United Nations membership date	24 October 1945

Economic indicators	1995	2003
Exchange rate (national currency per US\$) ^a	8.76	8.75 ^a
Consumer price index (1990=100) ^a	183	252 ^a
Industrial production index (1995=100)	100	139 ^a
Unemployment (percentage of labour force) ^a	7.7	6.2 ^a
Balance of payments, current account (million US\$)	-262	-734
Tourist arrivals (000s)	235	857
GDP (million current US\$)	9500	15000
GDP (per capita current US\$)	1675	2302
Gross fixed capital formation (% of GDP)	19.0	16.0
Labour force participation, adult female pop. (%)	41.8	38.6 ^a
Labour force participation, adult male pop. (%)	81.8	65.8 ^a
Employment in industrial sector (%)	26.3	23.6 ^a
Employment in agricultural sector (%)	27.0	21.8 ^a
Agricultural production index (1999-2000=100)	90	95
Food production index (1999-2000=100)	87	100
Primary energy production (000s Mt oil equiv.)	507	931 ^a
Motor vehicles (per 1,000 inhabitants)	57.1	64.2 ^a
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants)	5.0	11.6
Internet users, estimated (000s)	2.6 ^a	550.0

Largest export industries	Major trading partners	2003
(% of exports)	(% of exports)	(% of imports)
Chemicals	23 Guatemala	29 USA
Food, beverages, tobacco	21 USA	19 Guatemala
Textiles	14 Honduras	15 Mexico

Social indicators	1995-2004
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	1.5
Population aged 0-14 years (%)	34.0
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total)	8.0/7.0
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)	104
Life expectancy at birth 2000-2005 (women and men, years)	74/68
Infant mortality rate 2000-2005 (per 1,000 births)	26
Total fertility rate 2000-2005 (births per woman)	2.9
Contraceptive use (% of currently married women)	67 ^a
Urban population (%)	60
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	2.1
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	0.7
Foreign born (%)	0.4 ^m
Refugees and others of concern to UNHCR	261
Government education expenditure (% of GNP)	2.5 ⁿ
Primary-secondary gross enrolment ratio (w and m per 100)	82/86
Third-level students (women and men, % of total)	54/46
Newspaper circulation (per 1,000 inhabitants)	28
Television receivers (per 1,000 inhabitants)	679
Intentional homicides (per 100,000 inhabitants)	37
Parliamentary seats (women and men, % of total)	11/89

Environment	1995-2004
Threatened species	37
Forested area (% of land area)	6
CO ₂ emissions (000s Mt/per capita)	6670/1.1
Energy consumption per capita (kilograms oil equiv.)	425
Precipitation (mm)	1734 ^a
Average minimum and maximum temperatures (centigrade) ^a	18.4/30.1

a 2003. b Principal rate. c September 2004. d Urban areas. e July 2004. f 2nd quarter 2004. g Persons aged 10 years and over. h 2002. i 2001. j 2000. k 1996.
l 2002/2003. m Estimated data. n San Salvador.

Equatorial Guinea

Region	Middle Africa
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	Malabo (95) ^a
Currency	CFA franc
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	507
Surface area (square kms)	28051
Population density (per square km)	18
United Nations membership date	12 November 1968

Economic indicators	1995	2003
Exchange rate (national currency per US\$) ^b	490.00	528.61 ^c
Balance of payments, current account (million US\$)	-123	-344 ^d
GDP (million current US\$)	160	2920
GDP (per capita current US\$)	408	5915
Gross fixed capital formation (% of GDP)	76.0	20.0
Labour force participation, adult female pop. (%)	44.5	...
Labour force participation, adult male pop. (%)	90.9	...
Employment in industrial sector (%)	5.3 ^e	...
Employment in agricultural sector (%)	74.7 ^f	...
Agricultural production index (1999-2000=100)	97	98
Food production index (1999-2000=100)	94	98
Primary energy production (000s Mt oil equiv.)	340	9810 ^g
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants)	0.6	1.8
Internet users, estimated (000s)	0.2 ^h	1.8 ^h

Social indicators	1995-2004
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	2.7
Population aged 0-14 years (%)	44.0
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total)	6.0/5.0
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)	102
Life expectancy at birth 2000-2005 (women and men, years)	51/48
Infant mortality rate 2000-2005 (per 1,000 births)	101
Total fertility rate 2000-2005 (births per woman)	5.9
Urban population (%)	48
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	4.7
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	0.8
Foreign born (%)	0.3 ⁱ
Refugees and others of concern to UNHCR	2
Government education expenditure (% of GNP)	2.2
Primary-secondary gross enrolment ratio (w and m per 100)	63/82
Third-level students (women and men, % of total) ^a	30/70
Newspaper circulation (per 1,000 inhabitants)	5 ⁱ
Television receivers (per 1,000 inhabitants)	10
Parliamentary seats (women and men, % of total)	14/86

Environment	1995-2004
Threatened species	57
Forested area (% of land area)	63
CO ₂ emissions (000s Mt/per capita)	205/0.5
Energy consumption per capita (kilograms oil equiv.)	116

a 2003. b Official rate. c September 2004. d 1996. e 1990. f 2001. g 1997. h 2002. i Estimated data.

Eritrea

Region	Eastern Africa
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	Asmara (556) ^a
Currency	nakfa
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	4297
Surface area (square kms)	117600
Population density (per square km)	37
United Nations membership date	28 May 1993

Economic indicators	1995	2003
Exchange rate (national currency per US\$)	6.32 ^b	13.79 ^c
Balance of payments, current account (million US\$)	-32	-105 ^d
Tourist arrivals (000s)	315	80
GDP (million current US\$)	600	1260
GDP (per capita current US\$)	189	305
Gross fixed capital formation (% of GDP)	28.0	38.0 ^e
Labour force participation, adult female pop. (%)	75.2	...
Labour force participation, adult male pop. (%)	86.8	...
Employment in industrial sector (%)	5.0 ^f	...
Employment in agricultural sector (%)	80.5 ^f	...
Agricultural production index (1999-2000=100)	88	83
Food production index (1999-2000=100)	88	83
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants)	0.5	0.9 ^g
Internet users, estimated (000s)	...	30.0

Largest export industries	Major trading partners	2003
(% of exports) ^a	(% of exports) ^a	(% of imports) ^a
Food, beverages, tobacco	71 Sudan	84 Untd Arab Em
Agriculture	13 Italy	3 Italy
Textiles	9 Israel	2 Saudi Arabia

Social indicators	1995-2004
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	3.7
Population aged 0-14 years (%)	45.0
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total)	4.0/3.0
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)	101
Life expectancy at birth 2000-2005 (women and men, years)	54/51
Infant mortality rate 2000-2005 (per 1,000 births)	73
Total fertility rate 2000-2005 (births per woman)	5.4
Contraceptive use (% of currently married women)	8
Urban population (%)	20
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	5.8
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	3.1
Foreign born (%)	0.4 ^a
Refugees and others of concern to UNHCR	14237
Government education expenditure (% of GNP)	2.7
Primary-secondary gross enrolment ratio (w and m per 100)	36/50
Third-level students (women and men, % of total)	13/87
Television receivers (per 1,000 inhabitants)	<
Parliamentary seats (women and men, % of total) ^a	22/78

Environment	1995-2004
Threatened species	36
Forested area (% of land area)	14
Energy consumption per capita (kilograms oil equiv.)	60
Precipitation (mm)	533
Average minimum and maximum temperatures (centigrade) ¹	8.9/23.2

a 2003. b Data refer to non-commercial rates derived from the Operational Rates of Exchange for United Nations Programmes. c July 2004. d 2000. e 2002. f 1990. g Estimated data. h 1994. i Asmara.

Estonia

Region	Northern Europe
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	Tallin (391) *
Currency	kroon
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	1308
Surface area (square kms)	45100
Population density (per square km)	29
United Nations membership date	17 September 1991

Economic indicators	1995	2003
Exchange rate (national currency per US\$) ^a	11.46	12.70 ^a
Consumer price index (1990=100) ^a	4252	134 ^a
Industrial production index (1995=100)	100	186 ^a
Unemployment (percentage of labour force) ^a	9.7	10.3 ^a
Balance of payments, current account (million US\$)	-158	-1199
Tourist arrivals (000s)	530	1462
GDP (million current US\$)	3570	8250
GDP (per capita current US\$)	2467	6232
Gross fixed capital formation (% of GDP) ^a	26.0	29.0 ^a
Labour force participation, adult female pop. (%)	58.8	52.2 ^a
Labour force participation, adult male pop. (%)	74.0	66.8 ^a
Employment in industrial sector (%)	34.2	33.0 ^a
Employment in agricultural sector (%)	10.2	6.9 ^a
Agricultural production index (1999-2000=100)	133	104
Food production index (1999-2000=100)	133	104
Primary energy production (000s Mt oil equiv.)	2935	2748 ^a
Motor vehicles (per 1,000 inhabitants)	315.4	391.0
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants)	27.7	34.1
Internet users, estimated (000s)	40.0	600.0

Largest export industries	Major trading partners	2003
(% of exports)	(% of exports)	(% of imports)
Metal manufactures	42 Finland	22 Finland
Chemicals	12 Sweden	12 Germany
Wood and products	11 Russian Fed.	11 Russian Fed.

Social indicators	1995-2004
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	-1.1
Population aged 0-14 years (%)	15.0
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total)	26.0/17.0
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)	118
Life expectancy at birth 2000-2005 (women and men, years)	77/67
Infant mortality rate 2000-2005 (per 1,000 births)	9
Total fertility rate 2000-2005 (births per woman)	1.2
Contraceptive use (% of currently married women)	70 ^k
Urban population (%)	69
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	-1.0
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	-1.2
Foreign born (%)	18.4
Refugees and others of concern to UNHCR	15
Government education expenditure (% of GNP)	7.5
Primary-secondary gross enrolment ratio (w and m per 100)	95/98
Third-level students (women and men, % of total)	60/40
Newspaper circulation (per 1,000 inhabitants)	174
Television receivers (per 1,000 inhabitants)	430
Intentional homicides (per 100,000 inhabitants)	12
Parliamentary seats (women and men, % of total)	19/81

Environment	1995-2004
Threatened species	13
Forested area (% of land area)	49
CO ₂ emissions (000s Mt/per capita) ^a	17083/12.6
Energy consumption per capita (kilograms oil equiv.)	3439
Precipitation (mm)	675 ^a
Average minimum and maximum temperatures (centigrade) ^a	1.8/8.9

a 2003. b Official rate. c September 2004. d Base: 1997=100. e August 2004. f Persons aged 15 to 74 years. g 2002. h Data classified according to SNA 93. i 2001. j 1994. k For all sexually active women of childbearing age. l From 1995, change in the classification of one or more national programmes of education. m Source: UNFCCC. n Tallin.

Ethiopia

Region	Eastern Africa
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	Addis Ababa (2723) *
Currency	birr
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	72420
Surface area (square kms)	1104300
Population density (per square km)	66
United Nations membership date	13 November 1945

Economic indicators	1995	2003
Exchange rate (national currency per US\$) ^a	6.32	8.64 ^c
Consumer price index (1990=100) ^{ce}	184 ^d	108 ^{ce}
Industrial production index (1995=100) ⁱ	100	143 ⁱ
Balance of payments, current account (million US\$)	39	-150 ^f
Tourist arrivals (000s)	103	156 ^g
GDP (million current US\$)	5500	6440
GDP (per capita current US\$)	96	91
Gross fixed capital formation (% of GDP) ^h	16.0	18.0
Labour force participation, adult female pop. (%)	58.4	...
Labour force participation, adult male pop. (%)	84.7	...
Employment in industrial sector (%)	2.6 ^a	...
Employment in agricultural sector (%)	93.0 ^a	...
Agricultural production index (1999-2000=100)	81	107 ^a
Food production index (1999-2000=100)	80	107
Primary energy production (000s Mt oil equiv.)	128	160 ^a
Motor vehicles (per 1,000 inhabitants) ^a	1.5	1.8 ^a
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants)	0.2	0.6 ^c
Internet users, estimated (000s)	<	75.0

Largest export industries	Major trading partners	2003
(% of exports)	(% of exports)	(% of imports)
Agriculture	80 Djibouti	19 USA
Textiles	13 Germany	11 China
Food, beverages, tobacco	6 Japan	9 Italy

Social indicators	1995-2004
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	2.5
Population aged 0-14 years (%)	45.0
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total)	5.0/4.0
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)	101
Life expectancy at birth 2000-2005 (women and men, years)	46/45
Infant mortality rate 2000-2005 (per 1,000 births)	100
Total fertility rate 2000-2005 (births per woman)	6.1
Contraceptive use (% of currently married women)	8
Urban population (%)	16
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	4.1
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	2.2
Refugees and others of concern to UNHCR	130314
Government education expenditure (% of GNP)	4.8
Primary-secondary gross enrolment ratio (w and m per 100)	33/52
Third-level students (women and men, % of total)	26/74
Newspaper circulation (per 1,000 inhabitants)	<
Television receivers (per 1,000 inhabitants)	5
Parliamentary seats (women and men, % of total)	8/92

Environment	1995-2004
Threatened species	78
Forested area (% of land area)	4
CO ₂ emissions (000s Mt/per capita)	5581/0.1
Energy consumption per capita (kilograms oil equiv.)	28
Precipitation (mm)	1055 ^a
Average minimum and maximum temperatures (centigrade) ^a	15.9/23.2

a 2003. b Official rate. c September 2004. d Excluding Rent. e Base: 1997=100. f Beginning 2001 base: 2001=100 g March 2004. h Base: 2001=100. i Base: 1990=100. j 1999. k 2002. l Gross capital formation. m Data refer to fiscal year ending 7 July. n 1994. o 2001. p Data refer to fiscal years ending 7 July. q Year ending 30 June. r Addis Ababa.

Fiji

Region	Oceania-Melanesia
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	Greater Suva (210) ^a
Currency	dollar
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	847
Surface area (square kms)	18274
Population density (per square km)	46
United Nations membership date	13 October 1970

Economic indicators	1995	2003
Exchange rate (national currency per US\$) ^a	1.43	1.75 ^a
Consumer price index (1990=100)	121	158 ^a
Industrial production index (1995=100)	100	132 ^a
Unemployment (percentage of labour force) ¹	5.4	...
Balance of payments, current account (million US\$)	-113	13 ^a
Tourist arrivals (000s)	318	431
GDP (million current US\$)	1990	2320
GDP (per capita current US\$)	2592	2761
Gross fixed capital formation (% of GDP)	13.0	13.0 ^b
Labour force participation, adult female pop. (%)	32.0	...
Labour force participation, adult male pop. (%)	82.6	...
Employment in industrial sector (%)	38.1	33.8 ^c
Employment in agricultural sector (%)	2.4	1.9 ^d
Agricultural production index (1999-2000=100)	108	99
Food production index (1999-2000=100)	108	99
Primary energy production (000s Mt oil equiv.)	37	36 ^e
Motor vehicles (per 1,000 inhabitants)	126.6 ^f	125.1 ^g
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants)	8.4	12.4
Internet users, estimated (000s)	0.1	55.0

Largest export industries	Major trading partners	2003
(% of exports)	(% of exports)	(% of imports)
Food, beverages, tobacco	40 Australia	27 Australia
Textiles	32 USA	25 New Zealand
Agriculture	13 UK	20 USA

Social indicators	1995-2004
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	1.0
Population aged 0-14 years (%)	32.0
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total)	7.0/6.0
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)	96
Life expectancy at birth 2000-2005 (women and men, years)	72/68
Infant mortality rate 2000-2005 (per 1,000 births)	18
Total fertility rate 2000-2005 (births per woman)	2.9
Contraceptive use (% of currently married women)	40 ¹
Urban population (%)	52
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	2.5
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	-0.6
Foreign born (%)	1.8 ^m
Government education expenditure (% of GNP)	5.6 ⁿ
Primary-secondary gross enrolment ratio (w and m per 100)	95/92
Third-level students (women and men, % of total) ^o	33/67
Newspaper circulation (per 1,000 inhabitants)	46
Television receivers (per 1,000 inhabitants)	27
Parliamentary seats (women and men, % of total)	6/94

Environment	1995-2004
Threatened species	101
Forested area (% of land area)	45
CO ₂ emissions (000s Mt/per capita)	726/0.9
Energy consumption per capita (kilograms oil equiv.)	573
Precipitation (mm)	3040 ¹
Average minimum and maximum temperatures (centigrade) ^r	22.2/28.7

a 2003. b Official rate. c September 2004. d July 2004. e 2nd quarter 2004. f Persons aged 15 years and over. g 1999. h 2002. i 1998. j 2001. k 1996. l 1986. m 1990. n Estimated data. o Universities and equivalent degree-granting institutions only. p Not including students enrolled in second or further degrees at tertiary level. q 1988. r Suva.

Finland

Region	Northern Europe
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	Helsinki (1075) ^a
Currency	euro ¹
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	5215
Surface area (square kms)	338145
Population density (per square km)	15
United Nations membership date	14 December 1955

Economic indicators	1995	2003
Exchange rate (national currency per US\$) ^a	4.36	0.83 ^b
Consumer price index (1990=100)	112 ¹	127 ^c
Industrial production index (1995=100)	100	156 ^d
Unemployment (percentage of labour force) ^e	15.2	9.1 ^f
Balance of payments, current account (million US\$)	5231	9295
Tourist arrivals (000s)	1779	2601
GDP (million current US\$)	129710	161770
GDP (per capita current US\$)	25395	31069
Gross fixed capital formation (% of GDP) ¹	17.0	18.0
Labour force participation, adult female pop. (%)	60.9	64.1 ^h
Labour force participation, adult male pop. (%)	68.4	69.2 ⁱ
Employment in industrial sector (%)	27.3	27.2 ^j
Employment in agricultural sector (%)	8.0	5.6 ^k
Agricultural production index (1999-2000=100)	100	102
Food production index (1999-2000=100)	100	102
Primary energy production (000s Mt oil equiv.)	8160	8531 ^l
Motor vehicles (per 1,000 inhabitants)	423.1	501.7
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants) ¹	54.3	49.2
Internet users, estimated (000s)	710.0	2786.0

Largest export industries	Major trading partners	2003
(% of exports)	(% of exports)	(% of imports)
Metal manufactures	47 Germany	11 Germany
Paper and products	20 Sweden	10 Russian Fed.
Chemicals	12 USA	8 Sweden

Social indicators	1995-2004
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	0.2
Population aged 0-14 years (%)	17.0
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total)	24.0/18.0
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)	105
Life expectancy at birth 2000-2005 (women and men, years)	82/74
Infant mortality rate 2000-2005 (per 1,000 births)	4
Total fertility rate 2000-2005 (births per woman)	1.7
Contraceptive use (% of currently married women)	77 ^m
Urban population (%)	61
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	0.1
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	0.3
Foreign born (%)	2.6
Refugees and others of concern to UNHCR	10843 ⁿ
Government education expenditure (% of GNP)	6.0
Primary-secondary gross enrolment ratio (w and m per 100)	117/111
Third-level students (women and men, % of total)	54/46
Newspaper circulation (per 1,000 inhabitants)	446
Television receivers (per 1,000 inhabitants)	622
Intentional homicides (per 100,000 inhabitants)	3
Parliamentary seats (women and men, % of total)	38/62

Environment	1995-2004
Threatened species	19
Forested area (% of land area)	72
CO ₂ emissions (000s Mt/per capita) ^a	67692/13.1
Energy consumption per capita (kilograms oil equiv.)	5076
Precipitation (mm)	650 ^p
Average minimum and maximum temperatures (centigrade) ^q	1.0/8.7

a 2003. b Prior to 1 January 1999, marka. c Official rate. d August 2004. e Euro per US dollar. f Series linked to former series. g July 2004. h Persons aged 15 to 74 years. i 2002. j Data classified according to SNA 93. k 2001. l Telephone subscribers. m 1989. n Estimated data. o Source: UNFCCC. p Helsinki-Vantaa.

France

Region	Western Europe
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	Paris (9794) ^a
Currency	euro ^b
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	60434
Surface area (square kms)	551500
Population density (per square km)	110
United Nations membership date	24 October 1945

Economic indicators	1995	2003
Exchange rate (national currency per US\$)	4.90	0.83 ^d
Consumer price index (1990=100)	112	128 ^e
Industrial production index (1995=100)	100	125 ^f
Unemployment (percentage of labour force) ^g	11.6	8.9 ^h
Balance of payments, current account (million US\$)	10840	4384
Tourist arrivals (000s)	60033	75048
GDP (million current US\$)	1553130	1757550
GDP (per capita current US\$)	26714	29222
Gross fixed capital formation (% of GDP) ⁱ	19.0	19.0 ^j
Labour force participation, adult female pop. (%)	47.3	48.5 ^k
Labour force participation, adult male pop. (%)	62.3	61.9 ^l
Employment in industrial sector (%)	27.0	24.4 ^m
Employment in agricultural sector (%)	1.6	1.6 ⁿ
Agricultural production index (1999-2000=100)	96	94
Food production index (1999-2000=100)	96	94
Primary energy production (000s Mt oil equiv.) ^o	118377	125659 ^p
Motor vehicles (per 1,000 inhabitants)	524.2	598.3
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants)	56.0	56.6 ^q
Internet users, estimated (000s)	950.0	21900.0

Largest export industries		Major trading partners		2003	
	(% of exports) ¹		(% of exports) ¹	(% of imports) ¹	
Metal manufactures	49	Germany	15	Germany	17
Chemicals	20	Spain	10	Italy	9
Food, beverages, tobacco	9	UK	10	Spain	8

Social indicators	1995-2004
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	0.5
Population aged 0-14 years (%)	18.0
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total)	23.0/18.0
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)	105
Life expectancy at birth 2000-2005 (women and men, years)	83/75
Infant mortality rate 2000-2005 (per 1,000 births)	5
Total fertility rate 2000-2005 (births per woman)	1.9
Contraceptive use (% of currently married women)	75 ^a
Urban population (%)	76
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	0.7
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	-0.3
Foreign born (%)	10.6 ^a
Refugees and others of concern to UNHCR	153738
Government education expenditure (% of GNP)	5.7
Primary-secondary gross enrolment ratio (w and m per 100)	107/107
Third-level students (women and men, % of total)	54/46
Newspaper circulation (per 1,000 inhabitants)	218 ^a
Television receivers (per 1,000 inhabitants)	594
Intentional homicides (per 100,000 inhabitants)	1
Parliamentary seats (women and men, % of total)	12/88

Environment	1995-2004
Threatened species	110
Forested area (% of land area)	28
CO ₂ emissions (000s Mt/per capita) ^a	411354/6.9
Energy consumption per capita (kilograms oil equiv.) ⁱ	4223
Precipitation (mm)	650 ^a
Average minimum and maximum temperatures (centigrade) ^a	8.5/15.5

a 2003. b Prior to 1 January 1999, franc. c August 2004. d Euro per US dollar. e July 2004. f June 2004. g Persons aged 15 years and over. h March of each year. i 2002. j Data classified according to SNA 93. k 2001. l Includes Monaco. m Including ISDN channels. n 1994. o Estimated data. p Source: UNFCCC. q Paris.

French Guiana

Region	South America
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	Cayenne (56) ^a
Currency	euro ^b
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	182
Surface area (square kms)	90000
Population density (per square km)	2

Economic indicators	1995	2003
Exchange rate (national currency per US\$)	4.90	0.79 ^c
Consumer price index (1990=100)	111	123 ^e
Unemployment (percentage of labour force) ^g	9.6 ^a	24.5
Tourist arrivals (000s)	68 ⁱ	65 ^j
GDP (million current US\$)	1680	1730
GDP (per capita current US\$)	12091	9705
Gross fixed capital formation (% of GDP)	34.0	31.0 ^k
Agricultural production index (1999-2000=100)	100	104
Food production index (1999-2000=100)	100	104
Motor vehicles (per 1,000 inhabitants)	249.7 ^l	265.1 ^m
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants)	27.9	30.2 ⁿ
Internet users, estimated (000s)	0.5 ^o	3.2 ^p

Social indicators	1995-2004
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	2.5 ^a
Population aged 0-14 years (%)	35.0
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total)	6.0/6.0
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)	95
Life expectancy at birth 2000-2005 (women and men, years)	78/73
Infant mortality rate 2000-2005 (per 1,000 births)	14
Total fertility rate 2000-2005 (births per woman)	3.3
Urban population (%)	75
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	2.7
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	2.1
Foreign born (%)	45.0 ^a
Newspaper circulation (per 1,000 inhabitants)	10
Television receivers (per 1,000 inhabitants)	202

Environment	1995-2004
Threatened species	46
Forested area (% of land area)	90
CO ₂ emissions (000s Mt/per capita)	914/5.6
Energy consumption per capita (kilograms oil equiv.)	1800
Precipitation (mm)	3675 ^a
Average minimum and maximum temperatures (centigrade) ^a	21.7/31.7

a 2003. b Prior to 1 January 1999, French franc. c November 2004. d Data refer to non-commercial rates derived from the Operational Rates of Exchange for United Nations Programmes. e August 2004. f Persons aged 16 years and over. g Cayenne and Kourou. h 1991. i 1998. j 2002. k Source: World Automotive Market Report, Auto and Truck International (Illinois). l 2001. m 1996. n Estimated data. o Cayenne/Rochambeau.

French Polynesia

Region	Oceania-Polynesia
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	Papeete (126) ^a
Currency	CFP franc
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	248
Surface area (square kms)	4000
Population density (per square km)	62
Economic indicators	
Consumer price index (1990=100)	107 118 ^b
Tourist arrivals (000s)	172 213
GDP (million current US\$)	4110 4380
GDP (per capita current US\$)	19150 17918
Gross fixed capital formation (% of GDP)	17.0 17.0
Employment in industrial sector (%)	15.5 16.5 ^c
Employment in agricultural sector (%)	2.8 4.8 ^d
Agricultural production index (1999-2000=100)	109 107
Food production index (1999-2000=100)	109 107
Primary energy production (000s Mt oil equiv.)	11 9 ^e
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants)	22.3 21.4
Internet users, estimated (000s)	0.2 ^f 35.0
Largest export industries	Major trading partners
(% of exports)	(% of exports) (% of imports)
Agriculture 71 Japan 30 France 42	
Metal manufactures 14 China, HK SAR 20 Australia 11	
Food, beverages, tobacco 10 USA 15 USA 9	
Social indicators	
1995-2004	
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	1.5
Population aged 0-14 years (%)	28.0
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total)	8.0/7.0
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)	94
Life expectancy at birth 2000-2005 (women and men, years)	76/71
Infant mortality rate 2000-2005 (per 1,000 births)	9
Total fertility rate 2000-2005 (births per woman)	2.4
Urban population (%)	52
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	1.2
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	1.8
Foreign born (%)	13.2 ^g
Government education expenditure (% of GNP)	8.9 ^h
Primary-secondary gross enrolment ratio (w and m per 100) ^h	103/95
Third-level students (women and men, % of total) ⁱ	50/50
Newspaper circulation (per 1,000 inhabitants)	112 ^j
Television receivers (per 1,000 inhabitants)	180
Environment	
1995-2004	
Threatened species	112
Forested area (% of land area)	29
CO ₂ emissions (000s Mt/per capita)	562/2.4
Energy consumption per capita (kilograms oil equiv.)	809
Precipitation (mm)	1761 ^k
Average minimum and maximum temperatures (centigrade) ^k	22.3/29.5

a 2003. b July 2004. c 2000. d 2001. e 1996. f Estimated data. g 1984. h 1992. i See technical note for this series. j 1991. k Tahiti-Faaa.

Gabon

Region	Middle Africa
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	Libreville (611) ^a
Currency	CFA franc
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	1351
Surface area (square kms)	267668
Population density (per square km)	5
United Nations membership date	20 September 1960
Economic indicators	
1995 2003	
Exchange rate (national currency per US\$) ^a	490.00 528.61 ^c
Consumer price index (1990=100) ^a	133 154 ^c
Industrial production index (1995=100)	100 130 ^d
Unemployment (percentage of labour force) ^e	18.0 ^h ...
Balance of payments, current account (million US\$)	465 390 ⁱ
Tourist arrivals (000s)	125 222
GDP (million current US\$)	4960 5520
GDP (per capita current US\$)	4470 4155
Gross fixed capital formation (% of GDP) ^j	22.0 23.0
Labour force participation, adult female pop. (%)	62.8 ...
Labour force participation, adult male pop. (%)	83.6 ...
Employment in industrial sector (%)	15.8 ^k ...
Employment in agricultural sector (%)	51.6 ^k ...
Agricultural production index (1999-2000=100)	88 101
Food production index (1999-2000=100)	89 101
Primary energy production (000s Mt oil equiv.)	19262 15848 ^l
Motor vehicles (per 1,000 inhabitants)	29.8 ^m ...
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants)	3.0 2.9
Internet users, estimated (000s)	- 35.0
Largest export industries	Major trading partners
(% of exports) ^a	(% of exports) ^a (% of imports) ^a
Mining quarry 83 USA 63 France 44	
Agriculture 12 China 7 USA 11	
Chemicals 2 Australia 6 Netherlands 5	
Social indicators	
1995-2004	
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	1.8
Population aged 0-14 years (%)	40.0
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total)	7.0/6.0
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)	101
Life expectancy at birth 2000-2005 (women and men, years)	58/56
Infant mortality rate 2000-2005 (per 1,000 births)	57
Total fertility rate 2000-2005 (births per woman)	4.0
Contraceptive use (% of currently married women)	33
Urban population (%)	84
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	2.7
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	-2.7
Foreign born (%)	12.5
Refugees and others of concern to UNHCR	19123
Government education expenditure (% of GNP)	4.6 ⁿ
Primary-secondary gross enrolment ratio (w and m per 100)	127/135
Third-level students (women and men, % of total)	36/64
Newspaper circulation (per 1,000 inhabitants)	29
Television receivers (per 1,000 inhabitants)	54
Parliamentary seats (women and men, % of total)	12/88
Environment	
1995-2004	
Threatened species	103
Forested area (% of land area)	85
CO ₂ emissions (000s Mt/per capita)	3502/2.8
Energy consumption per capita (kilograms oil equiv.)	1201
Precipitation (mm)	2842 ^p
Average minimum and maximum temperatures (centigrade) ^q	23.3/28.6

a 2003. b Official rate. c September 2004. d Base: 1991=100. e March 2004. f 2nd quarter 2003. g Persons aged 10 years and over. h 1993. i 1999. j Gross capital formation. k 1990. l 2001. m Source: AAMA Motor Vehicle Facts and Figures, American Automobile Manufacturers Association (Michigan). n 2000. o Estimated data. p Libreville.

Gambia

Region	Western Africa
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	Banjul (372) ^a
Currency	dalasi
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	1462
Surface area (square kms)	11295
Population density (per square km)	129
United Nations membership date	21 September 1965

Economic indicators	1995	2003
Exchange rate (national currency per US\$)	9.64	27.88 ^b
Consumer price index (1990=100)	138	158 ^c
Balance of payments, current account (million US\$)	-8	-24 ^d
Tourist arrivals (000s)	45	79 ^e
GDP (million current US\$)	370	320
GDP (per capita current US\$)	330	224
Gross fixed capital formation (% of GDP) ^f	20.0	18.0
Labour force participation, adult female pop. (%)	70.3	...
Labour force participation, adult male pop. (%)	90.3	...
Employment in industrial sector (%)	7.5 ^h	...
Employment in agricultural sector (%)	82.0 ^h	...
Agricultural production index (1999-2000=100)	63	71
Food production index (1999-2000=100)	62	71
Motor vehicles (per 1,000 inhabitants)	8.9	...
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants) ⁱ	1.8	2.9 ^g
Internet users, estimated (000s)	0.1	25.0 ^g
Largest export industries	Major trading partners 2003	
(% of exports)	(% of exports)	(% of imports)
Agriculture	71 Senegal	40 Germany
Food, beverages, tobacco	11 Guinea-Bissau	12 Côte d'Ivoire
Chemicals	10 Belgium	10 UK

Social indicators	1995-2004
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	2.7
Population aged 0-14 years (%)	40.0
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total)	6.0/6.0
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)	102
Life expectancy at birth 2000-2005 (women and men, years)	56/53
Infant mortality rate 2000-2005 (per 1,000 births)	81
Total fertility rate 2000-2005 (births per woman)	4.7
Contraceptive use (% of currently married women)	12 ⁿ
Urban population (%)	26
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	2.6
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	2.7
Foreign born (%)	13.7 ^k
Refugees and others of concern to UNHCR	7466
Government education expenditure (% of GNP)	2.8 ^l
Primary-secondary gross enrolment ratio (w and m per 100)	53/63
Newspaper circulation (per 1,000 inhabitants)	2
Television receivers (per 1,000 inhabitants)	4
Parliamentary seats (women and men, % of total)	13/87

Environment	1995-2004
Threatened species	19
Forested area (% of land area)	48
CO ₂ emissions (000s Mt/per capita)	271/0.2
Energy consumption per capita (kilograms oil equiv.)	66
Precipitation (mm)	977 ^m
Average minimum and maximum temperatures (centigrade) ⁿ	19.9/32.0

a 2003. b June 2003. c 2001. d 1997. e 2002. f Gross capital formation. g Data refer to fiscal year beginning 1 July. h 1990. i Excluding public call offices. j 2000. k 1993. l Estimated data. m Banjul.

Georgia

Region	Western Asia
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	Tbilisi (1064) ^a
Currency	lari
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	5074
Surface area (square kms)	69700
Population density (per square km)	73
United Nations membership date	31 July 1992

Economic indicators	1995	2003
Exchange rate (national currency per US\$) ^a	1.23	1.84 ^c
Consumer price index (1990=100) ^a	100	233 ^c
Unemployment (percentage of labour force) ⁱ	...	12.3 ^a
Balance of payments, current account (million US\$)	-514 ^h	-397
Tourist arrivals (000s)	85	298 ^g
GDP (million current US\$)	2840	3950
GDP (per capita current US\$)	531	770
Gross fixed capital formation (% of GDP) ⁱ	19.0	18.0
Labour force participation, adult female pop. (%)	55.4	58.2 ⁱ
Labour force participation, adult male pop. (%)	73.4	75.9 ⁱ
Employment in industrial sector (%)	...	9.3 ⁱ
Employment in agricultural sector (%)	26.0 ^h	52.7 ⁱ
Agricultural production index (1999-2000=100)	112	107 ⁱ
Food production index (1999-2000=100)	113	109
Primary energy production (000s Mt oil equiv.)	538	613 ⁱ
Motor vehicles (per 1,000 inhabitants)	86.9	63.2
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants)	10.2	13.3
Internet users, estimated (000s)	0.6	150.5
Largest export industries	Major trading partners 2003	
(% of exports)	(% of exports)	(% of imports)
Metal manufactures	32 Russian Fed.	18 Russian Fed.
Food, beverages, tobacco	29 Turkey	17 UK
Mining quarry	11 Turkmenistan	12 Turkey

Social indicators	1995-2004
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	-0.9
Population aged 0-14 years (%)	18.0
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total)	22.0/16.0
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)	109
Life expectancy at birth 2000-2005 (women and men, years)	78/70
Infant mortality rate 2000-2005 (per 1,000 births)	18
Total fertility rate 2000-2005 (births per woman)	1.4
Contraceptive use (% of currently married women)	41 ⁿ
Urban population (%)	52
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	-1.4
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	-0.4
Refugees and others of concern to UNHCR	264605
Government education expenditure (% of GNP)	2.5
Primary-secondary gross enrolment ratio (w and m per 100)	88/81
Third-level students (women and men, % of total)	50/50
Newspaper circulation (per 1,000 inhabitants)	5
Television receivers (per 1,000 inhabitants)	483
Intentional homicides (per 100,000 inhabitants)	4
Parliamentary seats (women and men, % of total)	9/91

Environment	1995-2004
Threatened species	40
Forested area (% of land area)	44
CO ₂ emissions (000s Mt/per capita) ^a	6175/1.2
Energy consumption per capita (kilograms oil equiv.)	341
Precipitation (mm)	498 ^o

a 2003. b Official rate. c September 2004. d Base: 1995=100. e March 2004. f Persons aged 15 years and over. g 2002. h 1997. i Data classified according to SNA 93. j 2001. k 1990. l 1999/2000. m For women aged 15-44 in union. n Source: UNFCCC. o Tallis.

Germany

Region	Western Europe
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	Rhein-Ruhr North (6560) ^a
Currency	euro ^b
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	82526
Surface area (square kms)	357022
Population density (per square km)	231
United Nations membership date	18 September 1973

Economic indicators	1995	2003
Exchange rate (national currency per US\$)	1.43	0.83 ^a
Consumer price index (1990=100) ^a	115 ^a	131 ^a
Industrial production index (1995=100)	100	108 ^a
Unemployment (percentage of labour force) ^a	10.1	8.7 ^a
Balance of payments, current account (million US\$)	-26966	54866
Tourist arrivals (000s)	14847	18399
GDP (million current US\$)	2458280	2403070
GDP (per capita current US\$)	30103	29137
Gross fixed capital formation (% of GDP) ^a	22.0	19.0 ^a
Labour force participation, adult female pop. (%)	47.1	49.5 ^a
Labour force participation, adult male pop. (%)	68.5	65.5 ^a
Employment in industrial sector (%)	36.3	32.5 ^a
Employment in agricultural sector (%)	3.1	2.6 ^a
Agricultural production index (1999-2000=100)	91	93
Food production index (1999-2000=100)	91	93
Primary energy production (000s Mt oil equiv.)	139408	126539 ^a
Motor vehicles (per 1,000 inhabitants)	528.5	583.4
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants)	51.3	65.7
Internet users, estimated (000s)	1500.0	39000.0
Largest export industries	Major trading partners 2003	
	(% of exports)	(% of imports)
Metal manufactures	58 France	10 France
Chemicals	16 USA	9 Netherlands
Other manufactures	8 UK	8 USA

Social indicators	1995-2004
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	0.1
Population aged 0-14 years (%)	15.0
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total)	28.0/21.0
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)	105
Life expectancy at birth 2000-2005 (women and men, years)	81/75
Infant mortality rate 2000-2005 (per 1,000 births)	5
Total fertility rate 2000-2005 (births per woman)	1.4
Contraceptive use (% of currently married women)	75 ^m
Urban population (%)	88
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	0.3
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	-1.5
Foreign born (%)	8.9 ^a
Refugees and others of concern to UNHCR	986051
Government education expenditure (% of GNP)	4.6
Primary-secondary gross enrolment ratio (w and m per 100)	101/101
Third-level students (women and men, % of total)	49/51
Newspaper circulation (per 1,000 inhabitants)	305
Television receivers (per 1,000 inhabitants)	567
Intentional homicides (per 100,000 inhabitants)	1
Parliamentary seats (women and men, % of total)	31/69

Environment	1995-2004
Threatened species	71
Forested area (% of land area)	31
CO ₂ emissions (000s Mt/per capita) ^a	870762/10.6
Energy consumption per capita (kilograms oil equiv.)	3966
Precipitation (mm)	584 ^a
Average minimum and maximum temperatures (centigrade) ^a	5.6/13.2

a 2003. b Prior to 1 January 1999, deutsche mark. c August 2004. d Euro per US dollar. e Base: 1991=100. f Series replacing former series. g July 2004. h Persons aged 15 years and over. i Estimated of each year. j 2002. k Data classified according to SNA 93. l 2001. m 1992. n Estimated data. o Source: UNFCCC. p Berlin.

Ghana

Region	Western Africa
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	Accra (1847) ^a
Currency	cedi
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	21377
Surface area (square kms)	238633
Population density (per square km)	90
United Nations membership date	8 March 1957

Economic indicators	1995	2003
Exchange rate (national currency per US\$) ^a	1449.28	9051.76 ^a
Consumer price index (1990=100)	323	2211 ^a
Industrial production index (1995=100) ^a	100	171 ^a
Balance of payments, current account (million US\$)	-144	255
Tourist arrivals (000s)	286	483 ^a
GDP (million current US\$)	6460	7410
GDP (per capita current US\$)	369	354
Gross fixed capital formation (% of GDP)	21.0	21.0
Labour force participation, adult female pop. (%)	81.3	...
Labour force participation, adult male pop. (%)	82.5	...
Employment in industrial sector (%)	10.1 ^a	...
Employment in agricultural sector (%)	62.2 ^a	...
Agricultural production index (1999-2000=100)	80	115
Food production index (1999-2000=100)	80	115
Primary energy production (000s Mt oil equiv.)	530	614 ^a
Motor vehicles (per 1,000 inhabitants)	3.8 ^a	10.3
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants)	0.4	1.4
Internet users, estimated (000s)	0.1	170.0 ^a

Largest export industries	Major trading partners	2003
	(% of exports)	(% of imports) ^a
Agriculture	31 Switzerland	25 UK
Wood and products	16 UK	18 USA
Food, beverages, tobacco	16 USA	7 Nigeria

Social indicators	1995-2004
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	2.2
Population aged 0-14 years (%)	39.0
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total)	6.0/5.0
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)	101
Life expectancy at birth 2000-2005 (women and men, years)	59/57
Infant mortality rate 2000-2005 (per 1,000 births)	58
Total fertility rate 2000-2005 (births per woman)	4.1
Contraceptive use (% of currently married women)	22 ^a
Urban population (%)	45
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	3.2
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	1.3
Foreign born (%)	7.8
Refugees and others of concern to UNHCR	48034
Government education expenditure (% of GNP)	4.2 ⁿ
Primary-secondary gross enrolment ratio (w and m per 100)	55/64
Third-level students (women and men, % of total)	28/72
Newspaper circulation (per 1,000 inhabitants)	14
Television receivers (per 1,000 inhabitants)	94
Parliamentary seats (women and men, % of total)	10/90

Environment	1995-2004
Threatened species	147
Forested area (% of land area)	28
CO ₂ emissions (000s Mt/per capita)	5900/0.3
Energy consumption per capita (kilograms oil equiv.)	114
Precipitation (mm)	807 ⁿ
Average minimum and maximum temperatures (centigrade) ^a	23.4/30.8

a 2003. b Principal rate. c September 2004. d May 2004. e Base: 1990 = 100.

f Calculated by the Statistics Division of the United Nations from component national indices. g 1997. h 2002. i 1992. j 2001. k Source: World Automotive Market Report, Auto and Truck International (Illinois). l 1998/9. m Estimated data. n Accra.

Greece

Region	Southern Europe
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	Athens (3215) ^a
Currency	euro ^a
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	10977
Surface area (square kms)	131957
Population density (per square km)	83
United Nations membership date	25 October 1945

Economic indicators	1995	2003
Exchange rate (national currency per US\$)	237.04	0.83 ^a
Consumer price index (1990=100)	191	273 ^a
Industrial production index (1995=100)	100	137 ^a
Unemployment (percentage of labour force) ^b	10.0	9.6 ^b
Balance of payments, current account (million US\$)	-2864	-11225
Tourist arrivals (000s)	10136	14180 ^b
GDP (million current US\$)	117560	172220
GDP (per capita current US\$)	11246	15590
Gross fixed capital formation (% of GDP) ^c	19.0	26.0
Labour force participation, adult female pop. (%)	35.5	37.7 ^d
Labour force participation, adult male pop. (%)	64.4	60.6 ^b
Employment in industrial sector (%)	23.2	22.8 ^e
Employment in agricultural sector (%)	20.4	16.0 ^f
Agricultural production index (1999-2000=100)	101	94
Food production index (1999-2000=100)	101	97
Primary energy production (000s Mt oil equiv.)	8333	9285 ^g
Motor vehicles (per 1,000 inhabitants)	297.8	455.3
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants)	49.4	45.4
Internet users, estimated (000s)	80.0	1718.4

Largest export industries	Major trading partners	2003
(% of exports)	(% of exports)	(% of imports)
Chemicals	21 Germany	13 Germany
Textiles	19 Italy	11 Italy
Metal manufactures	17 UK	7 France

Social indicators	1995-2004
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	0.1
Population aged 0-14 years (%)	14.0
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total)	26.0/22.0
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)	103
Life expectancy at birth 2000-2005 (women and men, years)	81/76
Infant mortality rate 2000-2005 (per 1,000 births)	6
Total fertility rate 2000-2005 (births per woman)	1.3
Urban population (%)	61
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	0.6
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	-0.5
Foreign born (%)	4.9 ^a
Refugees and others of concern to UNHCR	8008
Government education expenditure (% of GNP)	3.7
Primary-secondary gross enrolment ratio (w and m per 100)	99/98
Third-level students (women and men, % of total)	51/49
Newspaper circulation (per 1,000 inhabitants)	153
Television receivers (per 1,000 inhabitants)	239
Intentional homicides (per 100,000 inhabitants)	1
Parliamentary seats (women and men, % of total)	14/86

Environment	1995-2004
Threatened species	66
Forested area (% of land area)	28
CO ₂ emissions (000s Mt/per capita) ^h	105875/9.7
Energy consumption per capita (kilograms oil equiv.)	2879
Precipitation (mm)	414 ^m
Average minimum and maximum temperatures (centigrade) ⁿ	12.3/22.5

a 2003. b Prior to 1 January 2001, drachma. c August 2004. d Euro per US dollar. e June 2004. f Persons aged 15 years and over. g Second quarter of each year. h 2002. i Data classified according to SNA 93. j 2001. k Estimated data. l Source: UNFCCC. m Athens.

Grenada

Region	Caribbean
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	St George's (33) ^a
Currency	EC dollar
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	80
Surface area (square kms)	344
Population density (per square km)	233
United Nations membership date	17 September 1974

Economic indicators	1995	2003
Exchange rate (national currency per US\$) ^b	2.70	2.70 ^c
Consumer price index (1990=100)	115	132
Unemployment (percentage of labour force)	...	17.0 ^d
Balance of payments, current account (million US\$)	-41	-116 ^e
Tourist arrivals (000s)	108	132 ^f
GDP (million current US\$)	240	340
GDP (per capita current US\$)	2838	4262
Gross fixed capital formation (% of GDP)	36.0	44.0
Employment in industrial sector (%)	22.4 ^g	23.9 ^g
Employment in agricultural sector (%)	19.4 ^h	13.8 ^g
Agricultural production index (1999-2000=100)	104	100
Food production index (1999-2000=100)	104	100
Motor vehicles (per 1,000 inhabitants)	134.9	247.8 ^h
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants)	26.0	29.0
Internet users, estimated (000s)	-	19.0

Largest export industries	Major trading partners	2003
(% of exports)	(% of exports)	(% of imports)
Agriculture	41 USA	29 USA
Metal manufactures	32 Netherlands	10 Trinidad Tob
Food, beverages, tobacco	13 Sweden	9 UK

Social indicators	1995-2004
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	-0.3
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)	102
Infant mortality rate 2000-2005 (per 1,000 births)	17 ⁱ
Contraceptive use (% of currently married women)	54 ^a
Urban population (%)	41
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	1.6
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	-1.5
Foreign born (%)	9.8 ^j
Third-level students (women and men, % of total) ^k	55/45
Intentional homicides (per 100,000 inhabitants)	5
Parliamentary seats (women and men, % of total) ^l	29/71

Environment	1995-2004
Threatened species	21
Forested area (% of land area)	15
CO ₂ emissions (000s Mt/per capita)	213/2.6
Energy consumption per capita (kilograms oil equiv.)	758

a 2003. b Official rate. c September 2004. d 1996. e 2002. f 1994. g 1998. h 2001. i Data tabulated by date of registration rather than occurrence. j 1990. k Including visiting unions. l Estimated data. m 1983.

Guadeloupe

Region	Caribbean
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	Pointe-à-Pitre (20) ^a
Currency	euro ^b
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	443
Surface area (square kms)	1705
Population density (per square km)	260

Economic indicators	1995	2003
Exchange rate (national currency per US\$)	4.90	0.79 ^c
Consumer price index (1990=100) ^e	112	128 ^f
Unemployment (percentage of labour force) ^g	19.9 ^h	...
Tourist arrivals (000s)	640	521 ⁱ
GDP (million current US\$)	4440	6380
GDP (per capita current US\$)	10850	14518
Gross fixed capital formation (% of GDP)	31.0	34.0 ^j
Labour force participation, adult female pop. (%)	55.8	...
Labour force participation, adult male pop. (%)	72.5	...
Employment in industrial sector (%)	19.4 ^k	...
Employment in agricultural sector (%)	6.9 ^k	...
Agricultural production index (1999-2000=100)	70	101
Food production index (1999-2000=100)	70	101
Motor vehicles (per 1,000 inhabitants)	307.8 ^l	345.1 ^l
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants)	39.0	48.7 ^l
Internet users, estimated (000s)	0.1 ^m	20.0 ⁿ

Social indicators	1995-2004
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	0.8
Population aged 0-14 years (%)	25.0
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total)	15.0/12.0
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)	107
Life expectancy at birth 2000-2005 (women and men, years)	82/75
Infant mortality rate 2000-2005 (per 1,000 births)	7
Total fertility rate 2000-2005 (births per woman)	2.1
Urban population (%)	100
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	0.9
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	-9.8
Foreign born (%)	19.4 ⁿ
Primary-secondary gross enrolment ratio (w and m per 100) ^o	106/102
Newspaper circulation (per 1,000 inhabitants)	81
Television receivers (per 1,000 inhabitants)	283

Environment	1995-2004
Threatened species	30
Forested area (% of land area)	49
CO ₂ emissions (000s Mt/per capita)	1532/0.0
Energy consumption per capita (kilograms oil equiv.)	1199
Precipitation (mm)	1779 ^q
Average minimum and maximum temperatures (centigrade) ^a	22.1/30.5

a 2003. b Prior to 1 January 1999, French franc. c November 2004. d Data refer to non-commercial rates derived from the Operational Rates of Exchange for United Nations Programmes. e Urban areas. f July 2004. g Persons aged 16 years and over. h 1991. i 2001. j 2002. k 1990. l Source: World Automotive Market Report, Auto and Truck International (Illinois). m 1996. n Estimated data. o 1993. p See technical note for this series. q Le Raizet.

Guam

Region	Oceania-Micronesia
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	Hagåtña (140) ^a
Currency	US dollar
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	165
Surface area (square kms)	549
Population density (per square km)	301

Economic indicators	1995	2003
Consumer price index (1990=100)	162	183 ^b
Unemployment (percentage of labour force) ^c	5.5 ^d	...
Tourist arrivals (000s)	1362	1059 ^e
Employment in industrial sector (%)	14.6	9.4 ^f
Employment in agricultural sector (%)	0.5	0.7 ^f
Agricultural production index (1999-2000=100)	86	100
Food production index (1999-2000=100)	86	100
Motor vehicles (per 1,000 inhabitants)	789.7	465.5 ^g
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants)	48.2	50.9 ^g
Internet users, estimated (000s)	1.0	50.0 ^h

Social indicators	1995-2004
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	1.5
Population aged 0-14 years (%)	30.0
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total)	9.0/9.0
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)	92
Life expectancy at birth 2000-2005 (women and men, years)	77/72
Infant mortality rate 2000-2005 (per 1,000 births)	10
Total fertility rate 2000-2005 (births per woman)	2.9
Urban population (%)	94
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	1.7
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	-1.1
Foreign born (%)	62.2 ^h
Government education expenditure (% of GNP)	8.3 ⁱ
Third-level students (women and men, % of total) ^j	59/41
Newspaper circulation (per 1,000 inhabitants)	178
Television receivers (per 1,000 inhabitants)	709

Environment	1995-2004
Threatened species	20
Forested area (% of land area)	38
CO ₂ emissions (000s Mt/per capita)	4078/0.0
Energy consumption per capita (kilograms oil equiv.)	8654
Precipitation (mm)	2313
Average minimum and maximum temperatures (centigrade)	23.7/30.9

a 2003. b 3rd quarter 2003. c Persons aged 16 years and over. d 1993. e 2002. f 2000. g 2001. h Estimated data. i 1985. j Universities and equivalent degree-granting institutions only. k 1998.

Guatemala

Region	Central America
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	Guatemala City (951)*
Currency	quetzal
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	12661
Surface area (square kms)	108889
Population density (per square km)	116
United Nations membership date	21 November 1945

Economic indicators	1995	2003
Exchange rate (national currency per US\$)	6.04	7.89 ^a
Consumer price index (1990=100)	206	364
Industrial production index (1995=100) ^c	100	125 ^d
Unemployment (percentage of labour force) ^e	3.2 ^f	1.8 ^g
Balance of payments, current account (million US\$)	-572	-1051
Tourist arrivals (000s)	563 ^h	880
GDP (million current US\$)	14660	24240
GDP (per capita current US\$)	1469	1963
Gross fixed capital formation (% of GDP)	15.0	15.0 ^o
Labour force participation, adult female pop. (%)	32.0	...
Labour force participation, adult male pop. (%)	88.2	...
Employment in industrial sector (%)	...	20.0
Employment in agricultural sector (%)	30.2 ⁿ	38.7
Agricultural production index (1999-2000=100)	87	100
Food production index (1999-2000=100)	89	103
Primary energy production (000s Mt oil equiv.)	641	1326 ⁱ
Motor vehicles (per 1,000 inhabitants)	...	61.8 ^j
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants)	2.9	7.1 ^k
Internet users, estimated (000s)	0.3	400.0 ^l

Largest export industries		Major trading partners		2003	
	(% of exports)		(% of exports)	(% of imports)	
Agriculture	31	USA	30	USA	44
Chemicals	20	El Salvador	19	Mexico	8
Food, beverages, tobacco	20	Honduras	11	El Salvador	6

Social indicators	1995-2004
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	2.5
Population aged 0-14 years (%)	42.0
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total)	6.0/5.0
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)	99
Life expectancy at birth 2000-2005 (women and men, years)	69/63
Infant mortality rate 2000-2005 (per 1,000 births)	41
Total fertility rate 2000-2005 (births per woman)	4.4
Contraceptive use (% of currently married women)	43
Urban population (%)	46
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	3.4
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	1.8
Foreign born (%)	0.4 ^k
Refugees and others of concern to UNHCR	757
Government education expenditure (% of GNP)	1.7
Primary-secondary gross enrolment ratio (w and m per 100)	71/79
Newspaper circulation (per 1,000 inhabitants)	33 ^a
Television receivers (per 1,000 inhabitants)	61
Intentional homicides (per 100,000 inhabitants)	18
Parliamentary seats (women and men, % of total)	8/92

Environment	1995-2004
Threatened species	128
Forested area (% of land area)	26
CO ₂ emissions (000s Mt/per capita)	9893/0.9
Energy consumption per capita (kilograms oil equiv.)	264
Precipitation (mm)	1186 ^f
Average minimum and maximum temperatures (centigrade)	16.3/19.6

a 2003. b September 2004. c Base: 1990=100. d 1996. e Persons aged 10 years and over. f Guatemala City. g 2002. h 1991. i 2001. j 1998. k Estimated data.

Guinea

Region	Western Africa
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	Conakry (1366)*
Currency	franc
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	8620
Surface area (square kms)	245857
Population density (per square km)	35
United Nations membership date	12 December 1958

Economic indicators	1995	2003
Exchange rate (national currency per US\$)	997.98	2000.00
Consumer price index (1990=100)	164	249
Balance of payments, current account (million US\$)	-216	-188
Tourist arrivals (000s)	12 ^b	44
GDP (million current US\$)	3730	3600
GDP (per capita current US\$)	509	424
Gross fixed capital formation (% of GDP)	21.0	22.0 ^c
Labour force participation, adult female pop. (%)	78.1	...
Labour force participation, adult male pop. (%)	87.2	...
Employment in industrial sector (%)	1.9 ^d	...
Employment in agricultural sector (%)	87.2 ^e	...
Agricultural production index (1999-2000=100)	84	106
Food production index (1999-2000=100)	85	108 ^f
Primary energy production (000s Mt oil equiv.)	16	37 ^g
Motor vehicles (per 1,000 inhabitants)	4.9 ^h	...
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants)	0.2	0.3
Internet users, estimated (000s)	0.1	40.0

Largest export industries	Major trading partners		2003		
(% of exports) ^a	(% of exports) ^a		(% of imports) ^a		
Mining/quarry	69	France	24	France	16
Chemicals	23	Ireland	10	Côte d'Ivoire	15
Basic metals	3	Spain	10	USA	8

Social indicators	1995-2004
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	1.6
Population aged 0-14 years (%)	44.0
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total)	5.0/4.0
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)	99
Life expectancy at birth 2000-2005 (women and men, years)	50/49
Infant mortality rate 2000-2005 (per 1,000 births)	102
Total fertility rate 2000-2005 (births per woman)	5.8
Contraceptive use (% of currently married women) ^c	6
Urban population (%)	35
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	3.8
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	0.4
Foreign born (%)	9.1 ^d
Refugees and others of concern to UNHCR	186885
Government education expenditure (% of GNP)	1.9 ^e
Primary-secondary gross enrolment ratio (w and m per 100)	55/88
Third-level students (women and men, % of total)	12/88
Television receivers (per 1,000 inhabitants)	11
Parliamentary seats (women and men, % of total)	19/81

Environment	1995-2004
Threatened species	55
Forested area (% of land area)	28
CO ₂ emissions (000s Mt/per capita)	1294/0.2
Energy consumption per capita (kilograms oil equiv.)	51
Precipitation (mm)	3776 ^f
Average minimum and maximum temperatures (centigrade) ^h	22.9/29.9

a 2003. b 1995. c 2002. d 1990. e 2001. f Source: AAMA Motor Vehicle Facts and Figures, American Automobile Manufacturers Association (Michigan). g Estimated data. h Conakry/Gbessia.

Guinea-Bissau

Region	Western Africa
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	Bissau (336) ^a
Currency	CFA franc
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	1538
Surface area (square kms)	36125
Population density (per square km)	43
United Nations membership date	17 September 1974

Economic indicators	1995	2003
Exchange rate (national currency per US\$) ^b	337.37	528.61 ^c
Consumer price index (1990=100)	...	100 ^d
Balance of payments, current account (million US\$)	-9 ⁱ	...
Tourist arrivals (000s)	...	8 ^j
GDP (million current US\$)	240	310
GDP (per capita current US\$)	206	208
Gross fixed capital formation (% of GDP) ^a	8.0	16.0
Labour force participation, adult female pop. (%)	56.6	...
Labour force participation, adult male pop. (%)	91.7	...
Employment in industrial sector (%)	1.9 ⁱ	...
Employment in agricultural sector (%)	85.3 ⁱ	...
Agricultural production index (1999-2000=100)	80	102
Food production index (1999-2000=100)	80	102
Motor vehicles (per 1,000 inhabitants)	6.0	...
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants)	0.7	0.8
Internet users, estimated (000s)	0.2 ⁱ	19.0

Social indicators	1995-2004
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	3.0
Population aged 0-14 years (%)	47.0
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total)	5.0/4.0
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)	103
Life expectancy at birth 2000-2005 (women and men, years)	47/44
Infant mortality rate 2000-2005 (per 1,000 births)	120
Total fertility rate 2000-2005 (births per woman)	7.1
Urban population (%)	34
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	5.4
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	1.7
Foreign born (%)	1.4 ⁱ
Refugees and others of concern to UNHCR	7630
Government education expenditure (% of GNP)	2.3
Primary-secondary gross enrolment ratio (w and m per 100) ⁱ	27/50
Third-level students (women and men, % of total)	16/84
Newspaper circulation (per 1,000 inhabitants)	5
Parliamentary seats (women and men, % of total)	8/92

Environment	1995-2004
Threatened species	18
Forested area (% of land area)	61
CO ₂ emissions (000s Mt/per capita)	264/0.2
Energy consumption per capita (kilograms oil equiv.)	64
Precipitation (mm)	1756 ⁿ
Average minimum and maximum temperatures (centigrade) ⁿ	19.7/32.1

a 2003. b Official rate. c September 2004. d April 2004. e Base: 2003=100. f 1999. g 2001. h Gross capital formation. i 1990. j 1997. k Estimated data. l 1988. m Bissau.

Guyana

Region	South America
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	Georgetown (231) ^a
Currency	dollar
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	767
Surface area (square kms)	214969
Population density (per square km)	4
United Nations membership date	20 September 1966

Economic indicators	1995	2003
Exchange rate (national currency per US\$) ^a	140.50	199.25 ^c
Consumer price index (1990=100) ^a	174 ^a	271 ^f
Balance of payments, current account (million US\$)	-135	-91
Tourist arrivals (000s)	106	101
GDP (million current US\$)	620	770
GDP (per capita current US\$)	839	1010
Gross fixed capital formation (% of GDP) ^a	45.0	40.0 ^h
Labour force participation, adult female pop. (%)	39.7	...
Labour force participation, adult male pop. (%)	84.3	...
Employment in industrial sector (%)	19.9 ⁱ	...
Employment in agricultural sector (%)	29.4 ⁱ	...
Agricultural production index (1999-2000=100)	95	106
Food production index (1999-2000=100)	95	106
Primary energy production (000s Mt oil equiv.)	<	< ^j
Motor vehicles (per 1,000 inhabitants)	100.8	100.9 ^k
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants)	5.4	9.2 ^h
Internet users, estimated (000s)	0.5 ⁱ	125.0 ^h

Largest export industries		Major trading partners		2003	
	(% of exports)		(% of exports)	(% of imports)	
Food, beverages, tobacco	38	UK	22	USA	32
Agriculture	26	Canada	20	Trinidad Tbg	27
Mining quarry	13	USA	20	Neth Antilles	7

Social indicators	1995-2004
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	0.2
Population aged 0-14 years (%)	29.0
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total)	8.0/6.0
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)	106
Life expectancy at birth 2000-2005 (women and men, years)	66/60
Infant mortality rate 2000-2005 (per 1,000 births)	51
Total fertility rate 2000-2005 (births per woman)	2.3
Urban population (%)	38
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	1.4
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	-0.5
Foreign born (%)	0.2 ⁿ
Government education expenditure (% of GNP)	4.5 ⁿ
Primary-secondary gross enrolment ratio (w and m per 100)	87/85
Third-level students (women and men, % of total)	51/49
Newspaper circulation (per 1,000 inhabitants)	75
Television receivers (per 1,000 inhabitants)	61
Intentional homicides (per 100,000 inhabitants)	4
Parliamentary seats (women and men, % of total)	20/80

Environment	1995-2004
Threatened species	58
Forested area (% of land area)	79
CO ₂ emissions (000s Mt/per capita)	1599/2.1
Energy consumption per capita (kilograms oil equiv.)	715
Precipitation (mm)	2260 ⁿ
Average minimum and maximum temperatures (centigrade) ⁿ	23.5/29.6

a 2003. b Principal rate. c August 2004. d Base: 1994=100. e Index base: 1991=100. f April 2004. g Gross capital formation. h 2002. i 1992. j 2000. k 2001. l 1995. m Estimated data. n Georgetown.

Haiti

Region	Caribbean
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	Port-au-Prince (1961) ^a
Currency	gourde
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	8437
Surface area (square kms)	27750
Population density (per square km)	304
United Nations membership date	24 October 1945

Economic indicators	1995	2003
Exchange rate (national currency per US\$) ^b	16.16	36.10 ^c
Consumer price index (1990=100) ^d	228	239
Industrial production index (1995=100) ^e	100	121 ^f
Unemployment (percentage of labour force) ^g	12.2 ^h	23.9 ⁱ
Balance of payments, current account (million US\$)	-87	-13
Tourist arrivals (000s)	145	142 ^j
GDP (million current US\$)	2330	2500
GDP (per capita current US\$)	312	300
Gross fixed capital formation (% of GDP) ^k	14.0	21.0 ^l
Labour force participation, adult female pop. (%)	57.2	...
Labour force participation, adult male pop. (%)	82.2	...
Employment in industrial sector (%)	...	10.7 ^m
Employment in agricultural sector (%)	67.8 ⁿ	50.6 ^o
Agricultural production index (1999-2000=100)	91	103
Food production index (1999-2000=100)	91	103
Primary energy production (000s Mt oil equiv.)	19	19 ^p
Motor vehicles (per 1,000 inhabitants)	10.4	19.6 ^q
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants)	0.8	1.7
Internet users, estimated (000s)	0.6 ^r	150.0

Largest export industries	Major trading partners	2003
(% of exports) ^s	(% of exports) ^t	(% of imports) ^u
Textiles	62 USA	86
Agriculture	15 France	5
Metal manufactures	6 Belgium	4 ^v

Social indicators	1995-2004
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	1.3
Population aged 0-14 years (%)	38.0
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total)	7.0/5.0
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)	102
Life expectancy at birth 2000-2005 (women and men, years)	50/49
Infant mortality rate 2000-2005 (per 1,000 births)	63
Total fertility rate 2000-2005 (births per woman)	4.0
Contraceptive use (% of currently married women)	28 ^w
Urban population (%)	37
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	3.0
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	0.3
Foreign born (%)	0.3 ^x
Refugees and others of concern to UNHCR	2
Government education expenditure (% of GNP)	1.5 ^y
Primary-secondary gross enrolment ratio (w and m per 100) ^z	35/37
Third-level students (women and men, % of total) ^a	26/74
Newspaper circulation (per 1,000 inhabitants)	3
Television receivers (per 1,000 inhabitants)	5
Parliamentary seats (women and men, % of total)	9/91

Environment	1995-2004
Threatened species	69
Forested area (% of land area)	3
CO ₂ emissions (000s Mt/per capita)	1423/0.2
Energy consumption per capita (kilograms oil equiv.)	67

a 2003. b Principal rate. c August 2004. d Base: 1987=100. e Figures relate to 12 months ending 30 September of the year stated. f Manufacturing only. g First quarter 2003. h Persons aged 10 years and over. i 1993. j 1998. k 2001. l Gross capital formation. m Data refer to fiscal year ending 30 September. n 2002. o 1999. p 1990. q 1996. r 1997. s Includes Luxembourg. t Including the lactational amenorrhoea method and/or breastfeeding if reported as the current contraceptive method. u Estimated data. v 1985.

Honduras

Region	Central America
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	Tegucigalpa (1007) ^a
Currency	lempira
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	7099
Surface area (square kms)	112088
Population density (per square km)	63
United Nations membership date	17 December 1945

Economic indicators	1995	2003
Exchange rate (national currency per US\$) ^b	10.34	18.44 ^c
Consumer price index (1990=100)	254	743 ^d
Industrial production index (1995=100) ^e	100	145 ^f
Unemployment (percentage of labour force) ^g	3.2 ^h	4.2 ⁱ
Balance of payments, current account (million US\$)	-201	-279
Tourist arrivals (000s)	271	550 ^j
GDP (million current US\$)	3960	6800
GDP (per capita current US\$)	703	980
Gross fixed capital formation (% of GDP)	24.0	27.0
Labour force participation, adult female pop. (%)	34.7	37.7 ^k
Labour force participation, adult male pop. (%)	86.4	85.0 ^l
Employment in industrial sector (%)	24.2	20.9 ^m
Employment in agricultural sector (%)	37.2	32.8 ⁿ
Agricultural production index (1999-2000=100)	93	104
Food production index (1999-2000=100)	96	109
Primary energy production (000s Mt oil equiv.)	180	251 ^o
Motor vehicles (per 1,000 inhabitants)	16.4	13.6 ^p
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants)	2.7	4.8 ^q
Internet users, estimated (000s)	2.1	168.6 ^r

Largest export industries	Major trading partners	2003
(% of exports) ^s	(% of exports) ^t	(% of imports) ^u
Agriculture	49 USA	47 USA
Food, beverages, tobacco	15 El Salvador	14 Guatemala
Chemicals	8 Guatemala	7 Mexico

Social indicators	1995-2004
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	2.3
Population aged 0-14 years (%)	40.0
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total)	6.0/5.0
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)	98
Life expectancy at birth 2000-2005 (women and men, years)	71/67
Infant mortality rate 2000-2005 (per 1,000 births)	32
Total fertility rate 2000-2005 (births per woman)	3.7
Contraceptive use (% of currently married women)	62
Urban population (%)	46
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	3.3
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	1.6
Foreign born (%)	0.7 ⁿ
Refugees and others of concern to UNHCR	24
Government education expenditure (% of GNP)	4.2 ^o
Primary-secondary gross enrolment ratio (w and m per 100)	105/105
Third-level students (women and men, % of total) ^a	55/44
Newspaper circulation (per 1,000 inhabitants)	55 ⁿ
Television receivers (per 1,000 inhabitants)	96
Parliamentary seats (women and men, % of total)	6/94

Environment	1995-2004
Threatened species	148
Forested area (% of land area)	48
CO ₂ emissions (000s Mt/per capita)	4792/0.7
Energy consumption per capita (kilograms oil equiv.)	278
Precipitation (mm)	872 ^s
Average minimum and maximum temperatures (centigrade) ^t	16.7/28.0

a 2003. b Principal rate. c September 2004. d August 2004. e Base: 1990 = 100. f 1999. g Persons aged 10 years and over. h March of each year. i May. j September 2001. k 2002. l 2001. m Estimated data. n 1994. o Tegucigalpa.

Hungary

Region	Eastern Europe
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	Budapest (1708) ^a
Currency	forint
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	9831
Surface area (square kms)	93032
Population density (per square km)	106
United Nations membership date	14 December 1955

Economic indicators	1995	2003
Exchange rate (national currency per US\$) ^a	139.47	200.52 ^c
Consumer price index (1990=100)	310	799 ^a
Industrial production index (1995=100)	100	182 ^a
Unemployment (percentage of labour force) ¹	10.2	5.8 ^a
Balance of payments, current account (million US\$)	-1650	-7364
Tourist arrivals (000s)	19620 ^a	3013 ^b
GDP (million current US\$)	44670	82810
GDP (per capita current US\$)	4373	8384
Gross fixed capital formation (% of GDP) ¹	20.0	23.0 ^a
Labour force participation, adult female pop. (%)	40.5	45.8 ^a
Labour force participation, adult male pop. (%)	59.0	60.8 ^a
Employment in industrial sector (%)	32.6	34.7 ^a
Employment in agricultural sector (%)	8.0	6.2 ^a
Agricultural production index (1999-2000=100)	91	94
Food production index (1999-2000=100)	91	94
Primary energy production (000s Mt oil equiv.)	13890	11336 ¹
Motor vehicles (per 1,000 inhabitants)	253.6	322.7
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants)	21.1	34.9
Internet users, estimated (000s)	70.0	2400.0

Largest export industries		Major trading partners		2003	
[% of exports]		[% of exports]		(% of imports)	
Metal manufactures	68	Germany	34	Germany	25
Chemicals	11	Austria	8	Italy	7
Textiles	6	Italy	6	China	7

Social indicators	1995-2004
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	-0.5
Population aged 0-14 years (%)	16.0
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total)	24.0/16.0
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)	110
Life expectancy at birth 2000-2005 (women and men, years)	76/68
Infant mortality rate 2000-2005 (per 1,000 births)	9
Total fertility rate 2000-2005 (births per woman)	1.2
Contraceptive use (% of currently married women)	77
Urban population (%)	65
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	0.1
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	-1.6
Foreign born (%)	2.8
Refugees and others of concern to UNHCR	7798
Government education expenditure (% of GNP)	5.3
Primary-secondary gross enrolment ratio (w and m per 100)	104/103
Third-level students (women and men, % of total)	55/45
Newspaper circulation (per 1,000 inhabitants)	465
Television receivers (per 1,000 inhabitants)	436
Intentional homicides (per 100,000 inhabitants)	2
Parliamentary seats (women and men, % of total)	10/90

Environment	1995-2004
Threatened species	52
Forested area (% of land area)	20
CO ₂ emissions (000s Mt/per capita) ^a	82715/8.3
Energy consumption per capita (kilograms oil equiv.)	2428
Precipitation (mm)	516 ¹
Average minimum and maximum temperatures (centigrade) ¹	6.3/15.0

^a 2003. ^b Official rate. ^c September 2004. ^d April 2004. ^e August 2004. ^f Persons aged 15 to 74 years. ^g Estimates based on the 2001 Population Census results. ^h 2002. ⁱ Data classified according to SNA 93. ^j 2001. ^k Source: UNFCCC. ^l Budapest.

Iceland

Region	Northern Europe
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	Reykjavik (184) ^a
Currency	króna
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	292
Surface area (square kms)	103000
Population density (per square km)	3
United Nations membership date	19 November 1946

Economic indicators	1995	2003
Exchange rate (national currency per US\$) ^a	65.23	70.85 ^c
Consumer price index (1990=100)	119	161 ^d
Unemployment (percentage of labour force) ^e	4.9	3.3 ^f
Balance of payments, current account (million US\$)	52	-572
Tourist arrivals (000s)	190	771
GDP (million current US\$)	6840	10520
GDP (per capita current US\$)	25568	36328
Gross fixed capital formation (% of GDP) ¹	16.0	22.0
Labour force participation, adult female pop. (%)	70.3	70.5 ¹
Labour force participation, adult male pop. (%)	81.0	80.4 ¹
Employment in industrial sector (%)	24.7	22.5 ¹
Employment in agricultural sector (%)	9.5	7.8 ¹
Agricultural production index (1999-2000=100)	93	105
Food production index (1999-2000=100)	94	107
Primary energy production (000s Mt oil equiv.)	652	1099 ¹
Motor vehicles (per 1,000 inhabitants)	506.4	655.4
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants)	55.5	66.0
Internet users, estimated (000s)	30.0	195.0

Largest export industries		Major trading partners		2003
	(% of exports)		(% of exports)	(% of imports)
Agriculture	47	UK	18	Germany 12
Basic metals	22	Germany	17	Denmark 8
Food, beverages, tobacco	18	Netherlands	11	USA 7

Social indicators	1995-2004
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	0.8
Population aged 0-14 years (%)	22.0
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total)	17.0/14.0
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)	99
Life expectancy at birth 2000-2005 (women and men, years)	82/78
Infant mortality rate 2000-2005 (per 1,000 births)	3
Total fertility rate 2000-2005 (births per woman)	2.0
Urban population (%)	93
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	0.9
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	-1.0
Foreign born (%)	5.5 ^a
Refugees and others of concern to UNHCR	252 ^b
Government education expenditure (% of GNP)	6.1 ^c
Primary-secondary gross enrolment ratio (w and m per 100)	107/104
Third-level students (women and men, % of total)	63/37
Newspaper circulation (per 1,000 inhabitants)	336
Television receivers (per 1,000 inhabitants)	359
Intentional homicides (per 100,000 inhabitants)	1
Parliamentary seats (women and men, % of total)	30/70

Environment	1995-2004
Threatened species	15
Forested area (% of land area)	<
CO ₂ emissions (000s Mt/per capita) ¹	2192/7.7
Energy consumption per capita (kilograms oil equiv.)	6149
Precipitation (mm)	798 ^m
Average minimum and maximum temperatures (centigrade) ⁿ	1.9/6.9

^a 2003. ^b Official rate. ^c September 2004. ^d August 2004. ^e April and Nov. of each year. ^f Persons aged 16 to 74 years. ^g 2002. ^h Data classified according to SNA 93. ⁱ 2001. ^j Including PABX. ^k Estimated data. ^l Source: UNFCCC. ^m Reykjavik.

India

Region	South-central Asia
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	Bombay (17431) ^a
Currency	rupee
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	1081229
Surface area (square kms)	3287263 ^b
Population density (per square km)	329
United Nations membership date	30 October 1945

Economic indicators	1995	2003
Exchange rate (national currency per US\$)	35.18	46.16 ^c
Consumer price index (1990=100) ^d	168	278 ^e
Industrial production index (1995=100) ^f	100	160 ^g
Balance of payments, current account (million US\$)	-5563	5816 ^h
Tourist arrivals (000s)	2124	2384 ⁱ
GDP (million current US\$)	366360	591460
GDP (per capita current US\$)	393	555
Gross fixed capital formation (% of GDP) ^h	24.0	23.0 ⁱ
Labour force participation, adult female pop. (%)	41.3	...
Labour force participation, adult male pop. (%)	85.5	...
Employment in industrial sector (%)	12.9	...
Employment in agricultural sector (%)	66.7	...
Agricultural production index (1999-2000=100)	86	103
Food production index (1999-2000=100)	86	103
Primary energy production (000s Mt oil equiv.)	219822	262677 ^j
Motor vehicles (per 1,000 inhabitants)	10.2	14.2
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants)	1.3	4.6
Internet users, estimated (000s)	250.0	18481.0

Largest export industries	Major trading partners	2003
(% of exports)	(% of exports)	(% of imports)
Textiles	24 USA	18 USA
Chemicals	20 Untd Arab Em	8 China
Mining quarry	16 China, HK SAR	5 Belgium

Social indicators	1995-2004
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	1.5
Population aged 0-14 years (%)	32.0
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total)	9.0/7.0
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)	94
Life expectancy at birth 2000-2005 (women and men, years)	65/63
Infant mortality rate 2000-2005 (per 1,000 births)	64
Total fertility rate 2000-2005 (births per woman)	3.0
Contraceptive use (% of currently married women)	48 ^k
Urban population (%)	28
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	2.3
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	1.2
Foreign born (%)	0.6 ^l
Refugees and others of concern to UNHCR	165292
Government education expenditure (% of GNP)	4.1
Primary-secondary gross enrolment ratio (w and m per 100)	62/81
Third-level students (women and men, % of total)	39/61
Newspaper circulation (per 1,000 inhabitants)	60
Television receivers (per 1,000 inhabitants)	65
Parliamentary seats (women and men, % of total)	8/92

Environment	1995-2004
Threatened species	482
Forested area (% of land area)	22
CO ₂ emissions (000s Mt/per capita)	1071638/1.1
Energy consumption per capita (kilograms oil equiv.)	309
Precipitation (mm)	797 ^m
Average minimum and maximum temperatures (centigrade) ⁿ	18.8/31.4

a 2003. b Including data for the Indian-held part of Jammu and Kashmir, the final status of which has not yet been determined. c September 2004. d Industrial workers. e July 2004. f Figures relate to 12 months beginning 1 April of the year stated. g 2002. h Data refer to fiscal year beginning 1 April. i 2001. j 2000. k 1998/9. l Estimated data. m New Delhi.

Indonesia

Region	South-eastern Asia
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	Jakarta (12296) ^a
Currency	rupiah
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	222611
Surface area (square kms)	1904569
Population density (per square km)	117
United Nations membership date	28 September 1950

Economic indicators	1995	2003
Exchange rate (national currency per US\$)	2308.00	9170.00 ^a
Consumer price index (1990=100)	153	494 ^{ad}
Industrial production index (1995=100) ^a	100	96 ^e
Unemployment (percentage of labour force) ^{ab}	4.0 ⁱ	9.1 ⁱ
Balance of payments, current account (million US\$)	-6431	7534
Tourist arrivals (000s)	4324	4467
GDP (million current US\$)	202130	207530
GDP (per capita current US\$)	1025	944
Gross fixed capital formation (% of GDP)	28.0	20.0 ⁱ
Labour force participation, adult female pop. (%)	52.8	...
Labour force participation, adult male pop. (%)	82.3	...
Employment in industrial sector (%)	18.7	17.0 ⁱ
Employment in agricultural sector (%)	46.1	43.8 ^h
Agricultural production index (1999-2000=100)	99	109
Food production index (1999-2000=100)	100	108
Primary energy production (000s Mt oil equiv.)	180278	206699 ^g
Motor vehicles (per 1,000 inhabitants)	21.0	27.6 ⁱ
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants)	1.7	3.9
Internet users, estimated (000s)	50.0	8080.0

Largest export industries	Major trading partners	2003
(% of exports)	(% of exports)	(% of imports)
Mining quarry	27 Japan	22 Japan
Metal manufactures	20 USA	12 Singapore
Textiles	13 Singapore	9 China

Social indicators	1995-2004
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	1.3
Population aged 0-14 years (%)	29.0
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total)	9.0/7.0
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)	100
Life expectancy at birth 2000-2005 (women and men, years)	69/65
Infant mortality rate 2000-2005 (per 1,000 births)	42
Total fertility rate 2000-2005 (births per woman)	2.3
Contraceptive use (% of currently married women)	60 ⁱ
Urban population (%)	46
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	3.9
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	-0.9
Foreign born (%)	0.2 ^m
Refugees and others of concern to UNHCR	16998
Government education expenditure (% of GNP)	1.4
Primary-secondary gross enrolment ratio (w and m per 100)	83/85
Third-level students (women and men, % of total)	46/54
Newspaper circulation (per 1,000 inhabitants)	23
Television receivers (per 1,000 inhabitants)	68
Parliamentary seats (women and men, % of total)	11/89

Environment	1995-2004
Threatened species	794
Forested area (% of land area)	58
CO ₂ emissions (000s Mt/per capita)	269764/1.3
Energy consumption per capita (kilograms oil equiv.)	417
Average minimum and maximum temperatures (centigrade) ⁿ	25.0/31.8

a 2003. b September 2004. c August 2004. d Excluding Dili. e Manufacturing only. f 1st quarter 2004. g Persons aged 15 years and over. h May of each year. i 1996. j 2002. k 2001. l 2002/2003. m Estimated data. n Jakarta.

Iran, Islamic Republic of

Region	South-central Asia
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	Teheran (7190) *
Currency	rial
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	69789
Surface area (square kms)	1648195
Population density (per square km)	42
United Nations membership date	24 October 1945

Economic indicators	1995	2003
Exchange rate (national currency per US\$) ^a	1747.50	8752.00*
Consumer price index (1990=100)	353	1465*
Industrial production index (1995=100) ^a	100	180*
Unemployment (percentage of labour force)	...	12.3*
Balance of payments, current account (million US\$)	3358	12645*
Tourist arrivals (000s)	452	1585*
GDP (million current US\$)	109500	143270
GDP (per capita current US\$)	1755	2079
Gross fixed capital formation (% of GDP) ^a	21.0	27.0*
Labour force participation, adult female pop. (%)	25.3	...
Labour force participation, adult male pop. (%)	79.2	...
Employment in industrial sector (%)	31.4	30.7*
Employment in agricultural sector (%)	22.1	23.0*
Agricultural production index (1999-2000=100)	86	110
Food production index (1999-2000=100)	86	111
Primary energy production (000s Mt oil equiv.)	222570	255150*
Motor vehicles (per 1,000 inhabitants)	22.6*	25.8*
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants)	8.6	22.0
Internet users, estimated (000s)	2.6	4800.0

Largest export industries	Major trading partners	2003
(% of exports)	(% of exports)	(% of imports)
Mining quarry	85 Untd Arab Em	3 Untd Arab Em
Chemicals	4 Iraq	1 Germany
Agriculture	4 Germany	1 France

Social indicators	1995-2004
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	1.2
Population aged 0-14 years (%)	31.0
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total)	7.0/6.0
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)	97
Life expectancy at birth 2000-2005 (women and men, years)	72/69
Infant mortality rate 2000-2005 (per 1,000 births)	33
Total fertility rate 2000-2005 (births per woman)	2.3
Contraceptive use (% of currently married women)	73
Urban population (%)	67
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	2.3
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	-0.9
Foreign born (%)	1.7*
Refugees and others of concern to UNHCR	988747*
Government education expenditure (% of GNP)	5.0
Primary-secondary gross enrolment ratio (w and m per 100)	83/85
Third-level students (women and men, % of total)	49/51
Newspaper circulation (per 1,000 inhabitants)	28
Television receivers (per 1,000 inhabitants)	72
Parliamentary seats (women and men, % of total)	4/96

Environment	1995-2004
Threatened species	63
Forested area (% of land area)	5
CO ₂ emissions (000s Mt/per capita)	310526/4.7
Energy consumption per capita (kilograms oil equiv.)	1949
Precipitation (mm)	230*
Average minimum and maximum temperatures (centigrade) ^a	-1.1/36.8

a 2003, b Principal rate, c September 2004, d April 2004, e Manufacturing only.
 f Base: 1990 = 100, g 1998, h 2002, i 2000, j Data classified according to SNA 93.
 k Data refer to fiscal year beginning 21 March, l 1996, m 2001, n Source: World
 Automotive Market Report, Auto and Truck International (Illinois), o 1990, p 1996.
 q Estimated data, r Tehran.

Iraq

Region	Western Asia
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	Baghdad (5620) *
Currency	dinar
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	25856
Surface area (square kms)	438317
Population density (per square km)	59
United Nations membership date	21 December 1945

Economic indicators	1995	2003
Exchange rate (national currency per US\$) ^a	0.31	0.31*
Tourist arrivals (000s)	61	127*
GDP (million current US\$)	10110	14950
GDP (per capita current US\$)	500	594
Gross fixed capital formation (% of GDP) ^a	5.0	10.0*
Labour force participation, adult female pop. (%)	16.6	...
Labour force participation, adult male pop. (%)	74.7	...
Employment in industrial sector (%)	17.5*	...
Employment in agricultural sector (%)	16.1*	...
Primary energy production (000s Mt oil equiv.)	30231	121174*
Motor vehicles (per 1,000 inhabitants)	49.5	47.2*
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants)	3.2	2.8*
Internet users, estimated (000s)	12.5*	25.0*

Social indicators	1995-2004
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	2.7
Population aged 0-14 years (%)	41.0
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total)	5.0/4.0
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)	97
Life expectancy at birth 2000-2005 (women and men, years)	62/59
Infant mortality rate 2000-2005 (per 1,000 births)	83
Total fertility rate 2000-2005 (births per woman)	4.8
Contraceptive use (% of currently married women)	14*
Urban population (%)	67
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	2.4
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	3.3
Refugees and others of concern to UNHCR	189824
Government education expenditure (% of GNP)	4.6*
Primary-secondary gross enrolment ratio (w and m per 100)	58/73
Third-level students (women and men, % of total)	34/66
Newspaper circulation (per 1,000 inhabitants)	19
Television receivers (per 1,000 inhabitants)	82

Environment	1995-2004
Threatened species	29
Forested area (% of land area)	2
CO ₂ emissions (000s Mt/per capita)	76391/3.3
Energy consumption per capita (kilograms oil equiv.)	1075

a 2003, b Principal rate, c June 2003, d 2001, e Gross capital formation, f 2002,
 g 1990, h 1989, i Households of nationals of the country, j Adjusted from source to
 exclude breast-feeding, k 1988.

Ireland

Region	Northern Europe
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	Dublin (1015) ^a
Currency	euro ^b
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	3999
Surface area (square kms)	70273
Population density (per square km)	57
United Nations membership date	14 December 1955

Economic indicators	1995	2003
Exchange rate (national currency per US\$)	0.62	0.83 ^a
Consumer price index (1990=100)	113	150 ^c
Industrial production index (1995=100)	100	231 ^a
Unemployment (percentage of labour force) ^b	12.2	4.6 ^a
Balance of payments, current account (million US\$)	1721	-2105
Tourist arrivals (000s)	4818	6476 ^b
GDP (million current US\$)	66470	153730
GDP (per capita current US\$)	18418	38864
Gross fixed capital formation (% of GDP)	17.0	22.0 ^a
Labour force participation, adult female pop. (%)	39.8	48.8 ^a
Labour force participation, adult male pop. (%)	68.2	70.4 ^a
Employment in industrial sector (%)	28.3	29.1 ^a
Employment in agricultural sector (%)	11.7	7.0 ^a
Agricultural production index (1999-2000=100)	95	96
Food production index (1999-2000=100)	94	96
Primary energy production (000s Mt oil equiv.)	4403	1848
Motor vehicles (per 1,000 inhabitants)	318.7	422.8
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants)	36.3	49.1
Internet users, estimated (000s)	40.0	1260.0

Largest export industries		Major trading partners		2003	
	(% of exports)		(% of exports)	(% of imports)	
Chemicals	45	USA	21	UK	31
Metal manufactures	39	UK	18	USA	16
Food, beverages, tobacco	8	Belgium	13	Germany	7

Social indicators	1995-2004
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	1.1
Population aged 0-14 years (%)	21.0
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total)	17.0/14.0
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)	101
Life expectancy at birth 2000-2005 (women and men, years)	80/74
Infant mortality rate 2000-2005 (per 1,000 births)	6
Total fertility rate 2000-2005 (births per woman)	1.9
Urban population (%)	60
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	1.5
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	0.5
Foreign born (%)	7.0 ^a
Refugees and others of concern to UNHCR	13362
Government education expenditure (% of GNP)	5.1
Primary-secondary gross enrolment ratio (w and m per 100) ^m	113/109
Third-level students (women and men, % of total)	55/45
Newspaper circulation (per 1,000 inhabitants)	150
Television receivers (per 1,000 inhabitants)	399
Intentional homicides (per 100,000 inhabitants)	1
Parliamentary seats (women and men, % of total)	14/86

Environment	1995-2004
Threatened species	17
Forested area (% of land area)	10
CO ₂ emissions (000s Mt/per capita) ⁿ	45460/12.0
Energy consumption per capita (kilograms oil equiv.)	3743
Precipitation (mm)	733 ^a
Average minimum and maximum temperatures (centigrade) ^a	6.3/12.8

a 2003. b Prior 1 January 1999; pound. c August 2004. d Euro per US dollar. e July 2004. f Persons aged 15 years and over. g March-May of each year. h 2002. i Data classified according to SNA 93. j 2001. k De Jure. l Estimated data. m See technical note for this series. n Source: UNFCCC. o Dublin.

Israel

Region	Western Asia
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	Tel Aviv-Jaffa (2917) ^a
Currency	new sheqel
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	6560
Surface area (square kms)	22145
Population density (per square km)	295
United Nations membership date	11 May 1949

Economic indicators	1995	2003
Exchange rate (national currency per US\$)	3.14	4.48 ^a
Consumer price index (1990=100)	183	251 ^c
Industrial production index (1995=100)	100	118 ^a
Unemployment (percentage of labour force) ^a	6.9 ^f	10.3 ^a
Balance of payments, current account (million US\$)	-4647	665
Tourist arrivals (000s)	2215	852 ^a
GDP (million current US\$)	95120	116450
GDP (per capita current US\$)	17781	18101
Gross fixed capital formation (% of GDP) ^b	24.0	17.0 ^a
Labour force participation, adult female pop. (%)	44.7 ^f	48.4 ^a
Labour force participation, adult male pop. (%)	62.8 ^f	60.7 ^a
Employment in industrial sector (%)	28.7	23.7
Employment in agricultural sector (%)	2.9	18.5
Agricultural production index (1999-2000=100)	91	105
Food production index (1999-2000=100)	88	106
Primary energy production (000s Mt oil equiv.)	258	101 ^a
Motor vehicles (per 1,000 inhabitants)	260.6	295.6
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants)	41.7	45.8
Internet users, estimated (000s)	50.0	2000.0 ^a

Largest export industries		Major trading partners		2003	
	(% of exports)		(% of exports)	(% of imports)	
Mining/quarry	37	USA	38	USA	16
Metal manufactures	33	Belgium	7	Belgium	9
Chemicals	17	China, HK SAR	5	Germany	8

Social indicators	1995-2004
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	2.0
Population aged 0-14 years (%)	28.0
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total)	15.0/11.0
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)	102
Life expectancy at birth 2000-2005 (women and men, years)	81/77
Infant mortality rate 2000-2005 (per 1,000 births)	6
Total fertility rate 2000-2005 (births per woman)	2.7
Urban population (%)	92
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	2.1
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	1.4
Foreign born (%)	32.3
Refugees and others of concern to UNHCR	4882
Government education expenditure (% of GNP)	7.6
Primary-secondary gross enrolment ratio (w and m per 100)	103/104
Third-level students (women and men, % of total)	56/44
Newspaper circulation (per 1,000 inhabitants)	290 ^a
Television receivers (per 1,000 inhabitants)	299
Intentional homicides (per 100,000 inhabitants)	2
Parliamentary seats (women and men, % of total)	15/85

Environment	1995-2004
Threatened species	51
Forested area (% of land area)	6
CO ₂ emissions (000s Mt/per capita)	63144/10.5
Energy consumption per capita (kilograms oil equiv.)	3058
Average minimum and maximum temperatures (centigrade) ⁱ	16.4/24.0

a 2003. b September 2004. c June 2004. d February 2004. e Persons aged 15 years and over. f Revised definitions of labour force characteristics. g 2002. h Data classified according to SNA 93. i 1994. j 2001. k Estimated data. l Tel Aviv.

Italy

Region	Southern Europe
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	Milan (4064) ^a
Currency	euro ^b
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	57346
Surface area (square kms)	301318
Population density (per square km)	190
United Nations membership date	14 December 1955

Economic indicators	1995	2003
Exchange rate (national currency per US\$)	1584.72	0.83 ^a
Consumer price index (1990=100) ^a	128 ⁱ	159 ⁱ
Industrial production index (1995=100)	100	108 ⁱ
Unemployment (percentage of labour force) ^a	11.3	8.7
Balance of payments, current account (million US\$)	25076	-21942
Tourist arrivals (000s)	31052	39604
GDP (million current US\$)	1097210	1465830
GDP (per capita current US\$)	19148	25527
Gross fixed capital formation (% of GDP) ⁱ	18.0	19.0
Labour force participation, adult female pop. (%)	33.5	36.8 ⁱ
Labour force participation, adult male pop. (%)	63.8	62.0 ⁱ
Employment in industrial sector (%)	34.1	32.1 ⁱ
Employment in agricultural sector (%)	6.7	5.3 ⁱ
Agricultural production index (1999-2000=100)	95	91
Food production index (1999-2000=100)	95	91
Primary energy production (000s Mt oil equiv.) ⁱ	30066	27485 ⁱ
Motor vehicles (per 1,000 inhabitants)	576.1	641.1 ⁱ
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants)	43.3	48.4
Internet users, estimated (000s)	300.0	18500.0

Largest export industries	Major trading partners	2003
	(% of exports) ^a	(% of imports) ^a
Metal manufactures	48 Germany	14 Germany
Textiles	15 France	12 France
Chemicals	15 USA	8 Netherlands

° Social indicators	1995-2004
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	-0.1
Population aged 0-14 years (%)	14.0
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total)	28.0/22.0
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)	106
Life expectancy at birth 2000-2005 (women and men, years)	82/76
Infant mortality rate 2000-2005 (per 1,000 births)	5
Total fertility rate 2000-2005 (births per woman)	1.2
Contraceptive use (% of currently married women)	60 ^m
Urban population (%)	67
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	-
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	-0.3
Foreign born (%)	2.8 ^p
Refugees and others of concern to UNHCR	12841 ^a
Government education expenditure (% of GNP)	4.7
Primary-secondary gross enrolment ratio (w and m per 100)	97/99
Third-level students (women and men, % of total)	56/44
Newspaper circulation (per 1,000 inhabitants)	104
Television receivers (per 1,000 inhabitants)	527
Intentional homicides (per 100,000 inhabitants)	1
Parliamentary seats (women and men, % of total)	10/90

Environment	1995-2004
Threatened species	104
Forested area (% of land area)	34
CO ₂ emissions (000s Mt/per capita) ^a	460763/8.0
Energy consumption per capita (kilograms oil equiv.) ⁱ	2956
Precipitation (mm)	733 ⁱ
Average minimum and maximum temperatures (centigrade) ^a	10.6/20.3

a 2003. b Prior to 1 January 1999, lire. c August 2004. d Euro per US dollar. e Excluding tobacco. f Series linked to former series. g July 2004. h Persons aged 15 years and over. i Data classified according to SNA 93. j 2001. k 2002. l Includes San Marino. m Including some cases of sterilization for non-contraceptive reason. n Estimated data. o Source: UNFCCC. p Rome.

Jamaica

Region	Caribbean
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	Kingston (575) ^a
Currency	dollar
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	2676
Surface area (square kms)	10991
Population density (per square km)	243
United Nations membership date	18 September 1962

Economic indicators	1995	2003
Exchange rate (national currency per US\$)	39.62	61.72 ⁱ
Consumer price index (1990=100)	530	1279 ⁱ
Unemployment (percentage of labour force) ^a	16.2	15.8 ^a
Balance of payments, current account (million US\$)	-99	-761
Tourist arrivals (000s)	1147	1350
GDP (million current US\$)	5690	7430
GDP (per capita current US\$)	2303	2802
Gross fixed capital formation (% of GDP) ⁱ	29.0	30.0 ^a
Labour force participation, adult female pop. (%)	68.4	...
Labour force participation, adult male pop. (%)	81.0	...
Employment in industrial sector (%)	20.2	18.5 ^a
Employment in agricultural sector (%)	23.2	21.4 ^a
Agricultural production index (1999-2000=100)	101	101 ^m
Food production index (1999-2000=100)	101	101
Primary energy production (000s Mt oil equiv.)	10	13 ⁱ
Motor vehicles (per 1,000 inhabitants)	61.9	74.8 ⁱ
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants)	11.8	16.9 ⁱ
Internet users, estimated (000s)	2.7	600.0 ⁱ

Largest export industries	Major trading partners	2003
	(% of exports) ^a	(% of imports) ^a
Chemicals	63 USA	28 USA
Food, beverages, tobacco	15 Canada	14 Trinidad Tbg
Mining quarry	10 Netherlands	12 Japan

° Social indicators	1995-2004
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	0.9
Population aged 0-14 years (%)	30.0
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total)	10.0/9.0
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)	103
Life expectancy at birth 2000-2005 (women and men, years)	78/74
Infant mortality rate 2000-2005 (per 1,000 births)	20
Total fertility rate 2000-2005 (births per woman)	2.4
Contraceptive use (% of currently married women)	66 ⁱ
Urban population (%)	52
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	1.0
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	0.9
Foreign born (%)	0.9 ^a
Government education expenditure (% of GNP)	6.8
Primary-secondary gross enrolment ratio (w and m per 100)	93/92
Third-level students (women and men, % of total)	69/31
Newspaper circulation (per 1,000 inhabitants)	62 ⁱ
Television receivers (per 1,000 inhabitants)	183
Parliamentary seats (women and men, % of total)	14/86

Environment	1995-2004
Threatened species	254
Forested area (% of land area)	30
CO ₂ emissions (000s Mt/per capita)	10787/4.2
Energy consumption per capita (kilograms oil equiv.)	1274
Precipitation (mm)	813 ^m
Average minimum and maximum temperatures (centigrade) ^m	22.9/31.4

a 2003. b September 2004. c May 2004. d Persons aged 14 years and over. e 1999. f Data classified according to SNA 93. g 2002. h 1998. i 2001. j Including visiting unions. k 1991. l Estimated data. m Kingston.

Japan

Region	Eastern Asia
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	Tokyo (34997) *
Currency	yen
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	127800
Surface area (square kms)	377829
Population density (per square km)	338
United Nations membership date	18 December 1956

Economic indicators	1995	2003
Exchange rate (national currency per US\$)	102.83	111.00 ^a
Consumer price index (1990=100)	107 ^c	106 ^d
Industrial production index (1995=100)	100	109 ^e
Unemployment (percentage of labour force) ^f	3.2	5.4 ^g
Balance of payments, current account (million US\$)	111044	136215
Tourist arrivals (000s)	3345	5212
GDP (million current US\$)	5303790	4317130
GDP (per capita current US\$)	42271	33819
Gross fixed capital formation (% of GDP) ^h	28.0	24.0 ⁱ
Labour force participation, adult female pop. (%)	50.0	48.5 ^j
Labour force participation, adult male pop. (%)	77.6	74.7 ^k
Employment in industrial sector (%)	33.6	30.5 ^l
Employment in agricultural sector (%)	5.7	4.9 ^m
Agricultural production index (1999-2000=100)	106	96
Food production index (1999-2000=100)	106	96
Primary energy production (000s Mt oil equiv.)	93115	99293 ⁿ
Motor vehicles (per 1,000 inhabitants)	520.9	568.2
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants)	49.6	47.2
Internet users, estimated (000s)	2000.0	61600.0

Largest export industries		Major trading partners		2003
	(% of exports)		(% of exports)	(% of imports)
Metal manufactures	75	USA	25	China 20
Chemicals	11	China	12	USA 16
Other manufactures	5	Korea Rep.	7	Korea Rep. 5

Social indicators	1995-2004
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	0.1
Population aged 0-14 years (%)	14.0
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total)	28.0/23.0
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)	105
Life expectancy at birth 2000-2005 (women and men, years)	85/78
Infant mortality rate 2000-2005 (per 1,000 births)	3
Total fertility rate 2000-2005 (births per woman)	1.3
Contraceptive use (% of currently married women)	59
Urban population (%)	65
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	0.3
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	-0.2
Foreign born (%)	1.3 ^a
Refugees and others of concern to UNHCR	2694
Government education expenditure (% of GNP)	3.6
Primary-secondary gross enrolment ratio (w and m per 100)	102/102
Third-level students (women and men, % of total)	45/55
Newspaper circulation (per 1,000 inhabitants)	578
Television receivers (per 1,000 inhabitants)	686
Intentional homicides (per 100,000 inhabitants)	1
Parliamentary seats (women and men, % of total)	10/90

Environment	1995-2004
Threatened species	177
Forested area (% of land area)	64
CO ₂ emissions (000s Mt/per capita) ^l	1213658/9.5
Energy consumption per capita (kilograms oil equiv.)	3732
Precipitation (mm)	1467 ^m
Average minimum and maximum temperatures (centigrade) ⁿ	12.6/19.7

a 2003. b September 2004. c Series linked to former series. d May 2004. e June 2004. f Persons aged 15 years and over. g 2002. h Data classified according to SNA 93. i 2001. j 1994. k Estimated data. l Source: UNFCCC. m Tokyo.

Jordan

Region	Western Asia
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	Amman (1237) *
Currency	dinar
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	5614
Surface area (square kms)	89324
Population density (per square km)	63
United Nations membership date	14 December 1955

Economic indicators	1995	2003
Exchange rate (national currency per US\$) ^a	0.71	0.71 ^c
Consumer price index (1990=100)	123	155 ^d
Industrial production index (1995=100)	100	140 ^e
Balance of payments, current account (million US\$)	-259	963
Tourist arrivals (000s)	1074	1573
GDP (million current US\$)	6820	9860
GDP (per capita current US\$)	1604	1803
Gross fixed capital formation (% of GDP)	29.0	20.0 ^f
Labour force participation, adult female pop. (%)	21.9	11.6 ^g
Labour force participation, adult male pop. (%)	76.2	63.6 ^h
Employment in industrial sector (%)	23.6 ⁱ	...
Employment in agricultural sector (%)	6.0 ^j	...
Agricultural production index (1999-2000=100)	115	133
Food production index (1999-2000=100)	113	132
Primary energy production (000s Mt oil equiv.)	213	234 ^k
Motor vehicles (per 1,000 inhabitants)	62.3	89.9
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants)	7.4	11.4
Internet users, estimated (000s)	1.0	44.0

Largest export industries		Major trading partners		2003
	(% of exports)		(% of exports)	(% of imports)
Textiles	25	USA	22	Saudi Arabia 11
Chemicals	22	Iraq	18	China 8
Metal manufactures	16	Switzerland	7	Germany 8

Social indicators	1995-2004
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	2.7
Population aged 0-14 years (%)	37.0
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total)	5.0/5.0
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)	92
Life expectancy at birth 2000-2005 (women and men, years)	73/70
Infant mortality rate 2000-2005 (per 1,000 births)	24
Total fertility rate 2000-2005 (births per woman)	3.6
Contraceptive use (% of currently married women)	56
Urban population (%)	79
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	2.8
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	2.1
Foreign born (%)	38.6 ^a
Refugees and others of concern to UNHCR	7930
Government education expenditure (% of GNP)	4.6
Primary-secondary gross enrolment ratio (w and m per 100)	93/92
Third-level students (women and men, % of total)	49/51 ^b
Newspaper circulation (per 1,000 inhabitants)	75
Television receivers (per 1,000 inhabitants)	109
Parliamentary seats (women and men, % of total)	8/92

Environment	1995-2004
Threatened species	26
Forested area (% of land area)	1
CO ₂ emissions (000s Mt/per capita)	15561/3.1
Energy consumption per capita (kilograms oil equiv.)	898
Precipitation (mm)	259 ^m
Average minimum and maximum temperatures (centigrade) ⁿ	11.3/23.5

a 2003. b Official rate. c September 2004. d May 2004. e June 2004. f 2002. g 2000. h 1990. i 1993. j 2001. k Estimated data. l East Bank only. m Amman.

Kazakhstan

Region	South-central Asia
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	Almaty (1115) ^a
Currency	tenge
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	15403
Surface area (square kms)	2724900
Population density (per square km)	6
United Nations membership date	2 March 1992

Economic indicators	1995	2003
Exchange rate (national currency per US\$) ^b	63.95	134.56 ^c
Consumer price index (1990=100) ^d	38389	106768 ^e
Unemployment (percentage of labour force) ^f	2.1	9.3 ^g
Balance of payments, current account (million US\$)	-213	-183
Tourist arrivals (000s)	...	2832 ^h
GDP (million current US\$)	16640	27550
GDP (per capita current US\$)	1005	1785
Gross fixed capital formation (% of GDP) ^h	23.0	24.0 ⁱ
Labour force participation, adult female pop. (%)	60.0	...
Labour force participation, adult male pop. (%)	76.4	...
Employment in industrial sector (%)	26.5	18.3 ^j
Employment in agricultural sector (%)	22.0 ^k	22.0
Agricultural production index (1999-2000=100)	91	107
Food production index (1999-2000=100)	90	106
Primary energy production (000s Mt oil equiv.)	63471	84941 ^l
Motor vehicles (per 1,000 inhabitants)	86.1	86.8 ^m
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants)	11.9	13.0 ⁿ
Internet users, estimated (000s)	1.8	250.0 ^o
Largest export industries	Major trading partners	
	(% of exports)	(% of imports)
Mining/quarry	63	Bermuda 17 Russian Fed. 39
Basic metals	20	Russian Fed. 15 Germany 9
Agriculture	6	Switzerland 13 China 6

Social indicators	1995-2004
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	-0.4
Population aged 0-14 years (%)	24.0
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total)	14.0/9.0
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)	108
Life expectancy at birth 2000-2005 (women and men, years)	72/61
Infant mortality rate 2000-2005 (per 1,000 births)	52
Total fertility rate 2000-2005 (births per woman)	2.0
Contraceptive use (% of currently married women)	66 ⁱ
Urban population (%)	56
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	-0.3
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	-0.4
Foreign born (%)	22.3 ^j
Refugees and others of concern to UNHCR	34428
Government education expenditure (% of GNP)	4.6
Primary-secondary gross enrolment ratio (w and m per 100)	92/93
Third-level students (women and men, % of total)	55/45
Television receivers (per 1,000 inhabitants)	240
Intentional homicides (per 100,000 inhabitants)	13
Parliamentary seats (women and men, % of total)	9/91

Environment	1995-2004
Threatened species	47
Forested area (% of land area)	5
CO ₂ emissions (000s Mt/per capita)	121363/7.8
Energy consumption per capita (kilograms oil equiv.)	2614
Precipitation (mm)	641 ⁿ
Average minimum and maximum temperatures (centigrade) ⁿ	3.8/14.6

a 2003. b Official rate. c September 2004. d Base: 1992=100. e June 2004. f 31st December of each year. g 2002. h Data classified according to SNA 93. i 1999. j 1990. k 2001. l Including the lactational amenorrhoea method and/or breastfeed-ing if reported as the current contraceptive method. m 1989. n Almaty.

Kenya

Region	Eastern Africa
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	Nairobi (2575) ^a
Currency	shilling
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	32420
Surface area (square kms)	580367
Population density (per square km)	56
United Nations membership date	16 December 1963

Economic indicators	1995	2003
Exchange rate (national currency per US\$) ^a	55.94	81.11 ^b
Consumer price index (1990=100) ^c	297	519 ^d
Industrial production index (1995=100) ^e	100	136 ^f
Balance of payments, current account (million US\$)	-400	68
Tourist arrivals (000s)	896	838 ^g
GDP (million current US\$)	9050	14200
GDP (per capita current US\$)	330	444
Gross fixed capital formation (% of GDP)	21.0	13.0 ^h
Labour force participation, adult female pop. (%)	74.4	...
Labour force participation, adult male pop. (%)	89.1	...
Employment in industrial sector (%)	19.8	19.5 ⁱ
Employment in agricultural sector (%)	18.9	18.6 ^j
Agricultural production index (1999-2000=100)	85	100
Food production index (1999-2000=100)	83	99
Primary energy production (000s Mt oil equiv.)	518	548 ^k
Motor vehicles (per 1,000 inhabitants)	12.3	16.7 ^l
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants)	1.0	1.0
Internet users, estimated (000s)	0.2	400.0 ^m
Largest export industries	Major trading partners	
	(% of exports)	(% of imports)
Agriculture	44	Uganda 16 Untd Arab Em 12
Chemicals	27	UK 12 S.Afr.Cus.Un 9
Food, beverages, tobacco	10	Tanzania 8 Saudi Arabia 8

Social indicators	1995-2004
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	1.5
Population aged 0-14 years (%)	41.0
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total)	5.0/4.0
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)	102
Life expectancy at birth 2000-2005 (women and men, years)	46/44
Infant mortality rate 2000-2005 (per 1,000 births)	69
Total fertility rate 2000-2005 (births per woman)	4.0
Contraceptive use (% of currently married women)	39
Urban population (%)	39
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	4.4
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	-0.4
Foreign born (%)	1.1 ⁿ
Refugees and others of concern to UNHCR	241641
Government education expenditure (% of GNP)	6.1
Primary-secondary gross enrolment ratio (w and m per 100)	68/71
Third-level students (women and men, % of total)	35/65
Newspaper circulation (per 1,000 inhabitants)	9
Television receivers (per 1,000 inhabitants)	25
Parliamentary seats (women and men, % of total)	7/93

Environment	1995-2004
Threatened species	220
Forested area (% of land area)	30
CO ₂ emissions (000s Mt/per capita)	9361/0.3
Energy consumption per capita (kilograms oil equiv.)	94
Precipitation (mm)	1024 ⁿ
Average minimum and maximum temperatures (centigrade) ⁿ	12.0/23.4

a 2003. b Official rate. c September 2004. d Low income group. e March 2004. f Excluding tobacco. g Base: 1990 = 100. h Calculated by the Statistics Division of the United Nations from component national indices. i 1999. j 2002. k 1999. l 2001. m Estimated data. n Nairobi/Dagoretti.

Kiribati

Region	Oceania-Micronesia
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	Tarawa (42) ^a
Currency	Australian dollar
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	89
Surface area (square kms)	726
Population density (per square km)	123
United Nations membership date	14 September 1999

Economic indicators	1995	2003
Exchange rate (national currency per US\$) ^b	1.34	1.40 ^c
Consumer price index (1990=100)	127	127 ^d
Balance of payments, current account (million US\$)	1 ^e	...
Tourist arrivals (000s)	3	5 ^o
GDP (million current US\$)	50	70
GDP (per capita current US\$)	592 ^e	781
Gross fixed capital formation (% of GDP)	8.0	8.0 ^e
Employment in industrial sector (%)	6.4	...
Employment in agricultural sector (%)	6.2	...
Agricultural production index (1989-2000=100)	84	103
Food production index (1989-2000=100)	84	103
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants)	2.6	5.1 ^o
Internet users, estimated (000s)	0.5 ^h	2.0 ^o

Largest export industries	Major trading partners	2003
(% of exports)	(% of exports)	(% of imports)
Agriculture	93 Bangladesh	52 Australia
Other manufactures	7 USA	16 Fiji
...	Marshall	12 Japan
Islands	12	15

Social indicators	1995-2004
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	1.4
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total)	6.0/...
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)	103
Life expectancy at birth 2000-2005 (women and men, years) ⁱ	63/58
Total fertility rate 2000-2005 (births per woman)	3.8 ^e
Contraceptive use (% of currently married women)	37 ^h
Urban population (%)	47
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	4.5
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	-1.3
Foreign born (%)	2.9 ⁱ
Government education expenditure (% of GNP)	6.3 ⁱ
Parliamentary seats (women and men, % of total)	5/95

Environment	1995-2004
Threatened species	10
Forested area (% of land area)	38
CO ₂ emissions (000s Mt/per capita)	26/0.3
Energy consumption per capita (kilograms oil equiv.)	121
Average minimum and maximum temperatures (centigrade)	27.6/28.1

a 2003. b Official rate. c September 2004. d 1997. e Average of the first three quarters f 1994. g 2002. h 1998. i 1999. j 1990. k Data refer to a year between 1985 and 1990. l Estimated data.

Korea, Democratic People's Republic of

Region	Eastern Asia
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	Pyongyang (3228) ^a
Currency	won
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	22776
Surface area (square kms)	120538
Population density (per square km)	189
United Nations membership date	17 September 1991

Economic indicators	1995	2003
Exchange rate (national currency per US\$) ^b	2.06	137.50 ^c
Tourist arrivals (000s)	128	128 ^d
GDP (million current US\$)	5240	11210
GDP (per capita current US\$)	245	494
Gross fixed capital formation (% of GDP)	14.0	14.0 ^e
Labour force participation, adult female pop. (%)	62.4	...
Labour force participation, adult male pop. (%)	82.0	...
Employment in industrial sector (%)	31.5 ^f	...
Employment in agricultural sector (%)	38.0 ^g	...
Primary energy production (000s Mt oil equiv.)	62598	46146 ^o
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants)	2.3	4.1

Social indicators	1995-2004
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	0.5
Population aged 0-14 years (%)	25.0
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total)	13.0/10.0
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)	100
Life expectancy at birth 2000-2005 (women and men, years)	66/61
Infant mortality rate 2000-2005 (per 1,000 births)	45
Total fertility rate 2000-2005 (births per woman)	1.4
Contraceptive use (% of currently married women)	62 ^h
Urban population (%)	61
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	1.0
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	-0.2
Foreign born (%)	0.2 ⁱ
Third-level students (women and men, % of total) ^j	34/66
Newspaper circulation (per 1,000 inhabitants)	199 ^j
Television receivers (per 1,000 inhabitants)	55
Parliamentary seats (women and men, % of total)	20/80

Environment	1995-2004
Threatened species	41
Forested area (% of land area)	68
CO ₂ emissions (000s Mt/per capita)	188995/8.5
Energy consumption per capita (kilograms oil equiv.)	2299
Precipitation (mm)	1001 ^k

a 2003. b Data refer to non-commercial rates derived from the Operational Rates of Exchange for United Nations Programmes. c November 2004. d 1997. e 2002. f 1990. g 2001. h 1990/92. i Estimated data. j 1987. k Pyongyang.

Korea, Republic of

Region	Eastern Asia
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	Seoul (9714) ^a
Currency	won
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	47951
Surface area (square kms)	99268
Population density (per square km)	483
United Nations membership date	17 September 1991

Economic indicators		1995	2003
Exchange rate (national currency per US\$)		774.70	1151.80
Consumer price index (1990=100)		135 ^a	190
Industrial production index (1995=100)		100	184
Unemployment (percentage of labour force) ^a		2.0	3.1
Balance of payments, current account (million US\$)		-8665	12321
Tourist arrivals (000s)		3753 ^b	4754
GDP (million current US\$)		489260	527510
GDP (per capita current US\$)		10862	11059
Gross fixed capital formation (% of GDP) ^a		37.0	27.0
Labour force participation, adult female pop. (%)		48.4	49.7
Labour force participation, adult male pop. (%)		76.4	74.8
Employment in industrial sector (%)		33.3	27.4
Employment in agricultural sector (%)		12.4	10.3
Agricultural production index (1999-2000=100)		87	94
Food production index (1999-2000=100)		86	94
Primary energy production (000s Mt oil equiv.)		20539	31341
Motor vehicles (per 1,000 inhabitants)		187.3	304.9
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants) ^c		41.7	53.8
Internet users, estimated (000s)		366.0	29220.0
Largest export industries		Major trading partners	
		2003	
(%) of exports)		(%) of imports)	
Metal manufactures	67	China	18
Chemicals	15	USA	18
Textiles	8	Japan	9

Social indicators	1995-2004
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	0.6
Population aged 0-14 years (%)	20.0
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total)	14.0/11.0
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)	99
Life expectancy at birth 2000-2005 (women and men, years)	79/72
Infant mortality rate 2000-2005 (per 1,000 births)	5
Total fertility rate 2000-2005 (births per woman)	2.0
Contraceptive use (% of currently married women)	81
Urban population (%)	80
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	0.9
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	-0.6
Foreign born (%)	1.2
Refugees and others of concern to UNHCR	164
Government education expenditure (% of GNP)	3.6
Primary-secondary gross enrolment ratio (w and m per 100)	96/97
Third-level students (women and men, % of total)	36/64
Newspaper circulation (per 1,000 inhabitants)	393 ^o
Television receivers (per 1,000 inhabitants)	347
Intentional homicides (per 100,000 inhabitants)	2
Parliamentary seats (women and men, % of total)	13/87

Environment	1995-2004
Threatened species	46
Forested area (% of land area)	63
CO ₂ emissions (000s Mt/per capita)	427324/9.1
Energy consumption per capita (kilograms oil equiv.)	3367
Precipitation (mm)	1344 ^p
Average minimum and maximum temperatures (centigrade) ^q	8.2/16.9

a 2003. b September 2004. c Series linked to former series. d August 2004.
e Persons aged 15 years and over. f 2002. g Data classified according to SNA 93.
h 2000. i 2001. j Telephone subscribers. k Estimated data. l Seoul.

Kuwait

Region	Western Asia
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	Kuwait City (1222) ^a
Currency	dinar
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	2595
Surface area (square kms)	17818
Population density (per square km)	146
United Nations membership date	14 May 1963

Economic indicators	1995	2003
Exchange rate (national currency per US\$) ^a	0.30	0.29 ^a
Consumer price index (1990=100) ^b	126	144
Unemployment (percentage of labour force) ^c	2.1	1.1 ^d
Balance of payments, current account (million US\$)	5016	7567
Tourist arrivals (000s)	69	73 ^e
GDP (million current US\$)	26550	34390
GDP (per capita current US\$)	15680	13641
Gross fixed capital formation (% of GDP)	14.0	9.0 ^f
Labour force participation, adult female pop. (%)	43.5	...
Labour force participation, adult male pop. (%)	83.6	...
Employment in industrial sector (%)	25.2 ^h	...
Employment in agricultural sector (%)	1.2 ^h	...
Agricultural production index (1999-2000=100)	54	117 ⁱ
Food production index (1999-2000=100)	54	117
Primary energy production (000s Mt oil equiv.) ^j	113964	126734 ^k
Motor vehicles (per 1,000 inhabitants)	481.4	399.9 ^l
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants)	21.2	19.8
Internet users, estimated (000s)	3.5	567.0
Largest export industries	Major trading partners	
	(% of exports) ^a	(% of imports) ^a
Mining/quarry	64 Japan	20 USA
Chemicals	33 USA	11 Germany
Metal manufactures	1 Netherlands	6 Japan

Social indicators	1995-2004
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	3.5
Population aged 0-14 years (%)	26.0
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total)	3.0/3.0
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)	66
Life expectancy at birth 2000-2005 (women and men, years)	79/75
Infant mortality rate 2000-2005 (per 1,000 births)	11
Total fertility rate 2000-2005 (births per woman)	2.7
Contraceptive use (% of currently married women)	50 ^k
Urban population (%)	96
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	3.5
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	1.4
Foreign born (%)	59.9 ^m
Refugees and others of concern to UNHCR	102707
Government education expenditure (% of GNP)	4.3 ⁿ
Primary-secondary gross enrolment ratio (w and m per 100)	89/87
Third-level students (women and men, % of total)	68/32
Newspaper circulation (per 1,000 inhabitants)	374
Television receivers (per 1,000 inhabitants)	478
Intentional homicides (per 100,000 inhabitants)	1
Parliamentary seats (women and men, % of total)	-/100

Environment	1995-2004
Threatened species	15
Forested area (% of land area)	<
CO ₂ emissions (000s Mt/per capita) ⁱ	47923/21.3
Energy consumption per capita (kilograms oil equiv.) ^j	9040
Precipitation (mm)	107 ⁿ
Average minimum and maximum temperatures (centigrade) ^o	18.7/32.4

a 2003. b Official rate. c September 2004. d Base: 1989=100. e Persons aged 15 to 64 years. f 2002. g 2001. h 1990. i Part Neutral Zone. j Including the lactational amenorrhoea method and/or breastfeeding if reported as the current contraceptive method. k Households of nationals of the country. l 1985. m Kuwait.

Kyrgyzstan

Region	South-central Asia
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	Bishkek (806) ^a
Currency	som
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	5208
Surface area (square kms)	199900
Population density (per square km)	26
United Nations membership date	2 March 1992

Economic indicators	1995	2003
Exchange rate (national currency per US\$) ^a	11.20	42.50 ^c
Consumer price index (1990=100) ^a	4776 ^c	16247 ^f
Unemployment (percentage of labour force)	...	12.5 ^g
Balance of payments, current account (million US\$)	-235	-44
Tourist arrivals (000s)	36	140 ^h
GDP (million current US\$)	1490	1910
GDP (per capita current US\$)	327	372
Gross fixed capital formation (% of GDP) ^h	20.0	16.0
Labour force participation, adult female pop. (%)	59.5	...
Labour force participation, adult male pop. (%)	73.6	...
Employment in industrial sector (%)	16.7	11.6 ⁱ
Employment in agricultural sector (%)	47.2	52.4 ⁱ
Agricultural production index (1999-2000=100)	69	103
Food production index (1999-2000=100)	69	103
Primary energy production (000s Mt oil equiv.)	1236	1323 ^j
Motor vehicles (per 1,000 inhabitants) ^k	43.3	37.2 ^g
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants)	7.9	7.6
Internet users, estimated (000s)	3.5 ^l	152.0 ^g

Largest export industries	Major trading partners	2003
	(% of exports)	(% of imports)
Agriculture	23 United Arab Em	25 Russian Fed.
Chemicals	19 Switzerland	20 Kazakhstan
Metal manufactures	18 Russian Fed.	17 China

Social indicators	1995-2004
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	1.4
Population aged 0-14 years (%)	31.0
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total)	10.0/7.0
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)	104
Life expectancy at birth 2000-2005 (women and men, years)	72/65
Infant mortality rate 2000-2005 (per 1,000 births)	37
Total fertility rate 2000-2005 (births per woman)	2.6
Contraceptive use (% of currently married women)	60
Urban population (%)	34
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	1.0
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	1.6
Foreign born (%)	8.2
Refugees and others of concern to UNHCR	6226
Government education expenditure (% of GNP)	3.2
Primary-secondary gross enrolment ratio (w and m per 100)	91/92
Third-level students (women and men, % of total)	53/47
Newspaper circulation (per 1,000 inhabitants)	11
Television receivers (per 1,000 inhabitants)	45
Intentional homicides (per 100,000 inhabitants)	7
Parliamentary seats (women and men, % of total)	7/93

Environment	1995-2004
Threatened species	17
Forested area (% of land area)	5
CO ₂ emissions (000s Mt/per capita)	4642/0.9
Energy consumption per capita (kilograms oil equiv.)	486
Precipitation (mm)	442
Average minimum and maximum temperatures (centigrade)	-8.6/31.4

a 2003. b Official rate. c September 2004. d Base: 1992=100. e Series linked to former series. f June 2004. g 2002. h Data classified according to SNA 93. i 1999. j 2001. k Passenger-cars only. l 1998.

Lao People's Democratic Republic

Region	South-eastern Asia
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	Vientiane (716) ^a
Currency	kip
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	5787
Surface area (square kms)	236800
Population density (per square km)	24
United Nations membership date	14 December 1955

Economic indicators	1995	2003
Exchange rate (national currency per US\$)	923.00	10957.00 ^c
Consumer price index (1990=100)	100 ^c	227 ^c
Balance of payments, current account (million US\$)	-346	-82 ^c
Tourist arrivals (000s)	60	215 ^f
GDP (million current US\$)	1780	2040
GDP (per capita current US\$)	379	361
Gross fixed capital formation (% of GDP)	26.0	26.0 ^g
Labour force participation, adult female pop. (%)	74.6	...
Labour force participation, adult male pop. (%)	89.2	...
Employment in industrial sector (%)	6.3 ^g	...
Employment in agricultural sector (%)	78.1 ^g	...
Agricultural production index (1999-2000=100)	64	118
Food production index (1999-2000=100)	65	121 ^h
Primary energy production (000s Mt oil equiv.)	87	300 ^h
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants)	0.4	1.2
Internet users, estimated (000s)	0.5 ^d	15.0 ^f

Largest export industries	Major trading partners	2003
	(% of exports)	(% of imports)
...	Thailand	39 Thailand
...	France	15 Singapore
...	Germany	11 Viet Nam

Social indicators	1995-2004
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	2.3
Population aged 0-14 years (%)	41.0
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total)	6.0/5.0 ^g
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)	100
Life expectancy at birth 2000-2005 (women and men, years)	56/53
Infant mortality rate 2000-2005 (per 1,000 births)	88
Total fertility rate 2000-2005 (births per woman)	4.8
Contraceptive use (% of currently married women)	32
Urban population (%)	21
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	4.6
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	1.7
Government education expenditure (% of GNP)	3.4
Primary-secondary gross enrolment ratio (w and m per 100)	67/84
Third-level students (women and men, % of total)	37/63
Newspaper circulation (per 1,000 inhabitants)	4
Television receivers (per 1,000 inhabitants)	11
Parliamentary seats (women and men, % of total)	23/77

Environment	1995-2004
Threatened species	87
Forested area (% of land area)	54
CO ₂ emissions (000s Mt/per capita)	414/0.1
Energy consumption per capita (kilograms oil equiv.)	79
Precipitation (mm)	1660 ⁱ
Average minimum and maximum temperatures (centigrade) ^l	21.8/31.0

a 2003. b August 2004. c 1996. d 1998. e 2001. f 2002. g 1990. h 2000. i Vientiane.

Latvia

Region	Northern Europe
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	Riga (733) ^a
Currency	lats
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	2286
Surface area (square kms)	64600
Population density (per square km)	35
United Nations membership date	17 September 1991

Economic indicators	1995	2003
Exchange rate (national currency per US\$) ^a	0.54	0.54 ^b
Consumer price index (1990=100) ^c	3735 ^a	6022 ^c
Industrial production index (1995=100)	100	148 ^d
Unemployment (percentage of labour force) ^e	6.6	12.0 ^f
Balance of payments, current account (million US\$)	-16	-956
Tourist arrivals (000s)	539	971
GDP (million current US\$)	4420	10280
GDP (per capita current US\$)	1768	4453
Gross fixed capital formation (% of GDP) ^g	15.0	26.0 ^h
Labour force participation, adult female pop. (%)	61.9	49.7 ⁱ
Labour force participation, adult male pop. (%)	76.2	64.8 ^j
Employment in industrial sector (%)	28.0	25.6 ^k
Employment in agricultural sector (%)	17.4	15.0 ^l
Agricultural production index (1999-2000=100)	131	108
Food production index (1999-2000=100)	131	108
Primary energy production (000s Mt oil equiv.)	331	260 ^m
Motor vehicles (per 1,000 inhabitants)	166.9	331.3
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants)	27.9	28.5
Internet users, estimated (000s)	20.0 ⁿ	936.0

Largest export industries		Major trading partners		2003
	(% of exports)		(% of exports)	(% of imports)
Wood and products	30	UK	16	Germany 16
Metal manufactures	18	Germany	15	Lithuania 10
Textiles	14	Sweden	11	Russian Fed. 9

Social indicators	1995-2004
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	-0.9
Population aged 0-14 years (%)	15.0
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total)	27.0/17.0
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)	118
Life expectancy at birth 2000-2005 (women and men, years)	76/66
Infant mortality rate 2000-2005 (per 1,000 births)	14
Total fertility rate 2000-2005 (births per woman)	1.1
Contraceptive use (% of currently married women)	48
Urban population (%)	66
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	-1.2
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	-0.3
Foreign born (%)	22.4
Refugees and others of concern to UNHCR	17
Government education expenditure (% of GNP)	5.8
Primary-secondary gross enrolment ratio (w and m per 100)	94/93
Third-level students (women and men, % of total)	62/38
Newspaper circulation (per 1,000 inhabitants)	135
Television receivers (per 1,000 inhabitants)	501
Intentional homicides (per 100,000 inhabitants)	11
Parliamentary seats (women and men, % of total)	21/79

Environment	1995-2004
Threatened species	19
Forested area (% of land area)	47
CO ₂ emissions (000s Mt/per capita) ^a	7797/3.3
Energy consumption per capita (kilograms oil equiv.)	1214
Precipitation (mm)	633 ^a
Average minimum and maximum temperatures (centigrade) ^a	2.3/9.9

a 2003. b Official rate. c September 2004. d Base: 1991=100. e Series linked to former series. f June 2004. g March 2004. h 31st December of each year. i Age limits vary according to the year. j 2002. k Data classified according to SNA 93. l 2001. m 1996. n Source: UNFCCC. o Riga.

Lebanon

Region	Western Asia
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	Beirut (1792) ^a
Currency	pound
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	3708
Surface area (square kms)	10400
Population density (per square km)	357
United Nations membership date	24 October 1945

Economic indicators	1995	2003
Exchange rate (national currency per US\$)	1596.00	1507.50 ^b
Consumer price index (1990=100)	413	447 ^c
Tourist arrivals (000s)	450	956 ^d
GDP (million current US\$)	10970	18360
GDP (per capita current US\$)	3481	5023
Gross fixed capital formation (% of GDP) ^e	36.0	29.0 ^f
Labour force participation, adult female pop. (%)	27.3	...
Labour force participation, adult male pop. (%)	76.1	...
Employment in industrial sector (%)	31.0 ^g	...
Employment in agricultural sector (%)	7.3 ^h	...
Agricultural production index (1999-2000=100)	113	101
Food production index (1999-2000=100)	114	101
Primary energy production (000s Mt oil equiv.)	63	45 ⁱ
Motor vehicles (per 1,000 inhabitants)	407.0	416.5 ^j
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants)	11.0	19.9 ^k
Internet users, estimated (000s)	2.5	400.0 ^l

Largest export industries		Major trading partners		2003	
(% of exports)		(% of exports)		(% of imports)	
Metal manufactures	28	Switzerland	25	Italy	9
Chemicals	13	Iraq	8	France	8
Food, beverages, tobacco	13	United Arab Em	7	Germany	8

Social indicators	1995-2004
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	1.6
Population aged 0-14 years (%)	28.0
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total)	9.0/8.0
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)	104
Life expectancy at birth 2000-2005 (women and men, years)	75/72
Infant mortality rate 2000-2005 (per 1,000 births)	17
Total fertility rate 2000-2005 (births per woman)	2.2
Contraceptive use (% of currently married women)	61
Urban population (%)	87
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	1.9
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	-0.6
Foreign born (%)	18.2 ^a
Refugees and others of concern to UNHCR	3053
Government education expenditure (% of GNP)	2.8
Primary-secondary gross enrolment ratio (w and m per 100)	91/89
Third-level students (women and men, % of total)	53/47
Newspaper circulation (per 1,000 inhabitants)	107 ^b
Television receivers (per 1,000 inhabitants)	358
Parliamentary seats (women and men, % of total)	2/98

Environment	1995-2004
Threatened species	23
Forested area (% of land area)	4
CO ₂ emissions (000s Mt/per capita)	15173/4.4
Energy consumption per capita (kilograms oil equiv.)	1401
Precipitation (mm)	825

a 2003. b September 2004. c 1997. d 2002. e Gross capital formation. f 1990. g 2001. h Estimated data.

Lesotho

Region	Southern Africa
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	Maseru (170) ^a
Currency	loti
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	1800
Surface area (square kms)	30355
Population density (per square km)	59
United Nations membership date	17 October 1966

Economic indicators	1995	2003
Exchange rate (national currency per US\$) ^a	3.65	6.45 ^b
Consumer price index (1990=100)	185	356 ^c
Balance of payments, current account (million US\$)	-323	-119 ^d
Tourist arrivals (000s)	87	188 ^e
GDP (million current US\$)	930	1070
GDP (per capita current US\$)	554	594
Gross fixed capital formation (% of GDP) ^f	61.0	36.0 ^g
Labour force participation, adult female pop. (%)	46.7	...
Labour force participation, adult male pop. (%)	85.0	...
Employment in industrial sector (%)	27.9 ^h	...
Employment in agricultural sector (%)	40.0 ⁱ	...
Agricultural production index (1999-2000=100)	89	105
Food production index (1999-2000=100)	84	105
Motor vehicles (per 1,000 inhabitants)	11.4 ^j	...
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants)	0.9	1.3
Internet users, estimated (000s)	0.1 ^k	21.0 ^l

Largest export industries	Major trading partners		2003		
(% of exports) ¹	(% of exports) ¹		(% of imports) ²		
Textiles	76	USA	44	S.Afr.Cus.Un	77
Food, beverages, tobacco	10	S.Afr.Cus.Un	42	China, HK SAR	5
Metal manufactures	6	Canada	7	China	4

Social indicators	1995-2004
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	0.1
Population aged 0-14 years (%)	39.0
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total)	7.0/6.0
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)	116
Life expectancy at birth 2000-2005 (women and men, years)	38/32
Infant mortality rate 2000-2005 (per 1,000 births)	92
Total fertility rate 2000-2005 (births per woman)	3.8
Contraceptive use (% of currently married women)	23 ^m
Urban population (%)	18
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	0.9
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	...
Foreign born (%)	0.3 ⁿ
Government education expenditure (% of GNP)	8.0
Primary-secondary gross enrolment ratio (w and m per 100)	89/85
Third-level students (women and men, % of total)	58/42
Newspaper circulation (per 1,000 inhabitants)	8 ^o
Television receivers (per 1,000 inhabitants)	31
Parliamentary seats (women and men, % of total)	17/83

Environment	1995-2004
Threatened species	16
Forested area (% of land area)	1
CO ₂ emissions (000s Mt/per capita) ^{pp}	636/0.4

a 2003. b Principal rate. c September 2004. d September 2003. e Excluding Rent. f 2002. g 1999. h Data classified according to SNA 93. i 1990. j 1987. k 1996. l For all women of childbearing age. m 1991/1992. n Estimated data. o Source: UNFCCC. p 1994.

Liberia

Region	Western Africa
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	Monrovia (572) ^a
Currency	dollar
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	3487
Surface area (square kms)	111369
Population density (per square km)	31
United Nations membership date	2 November 1945

Economic indicators	1995	2003
Exchange rate (national currency per US\$)	1.00	54.50 ^b
Balance of payments, current account (million US\$)	-145 ^c	...
GDP (million current US\$)	130	610
GDP (per capita current US\$)	63	181
Gross fixed capital formation (% of GDP)	10.0	10.0 ^d
Labour force participation, adult female pop. (%)	53.7	...
Labour force participation, adult male pop. (%)	84.0	...
Employment in industrial sector (%)	5.5 ^e	...
Employment in agricultural sector (%)	72.3 ^f	...
Primary energy production (000s Mt oil equiv.)	15	17 ^g
Motor vehicles (per 1,000 inhabitants)	13.2 ^h	9.6 ⁱ
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants)	0.2	0.2 ^j
Internet users, estimated (000s)	0.1 ^k	1.0 ^l

Social indicators	1995-2004
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	4.1
Population aged 0-14 years (%)	47.0
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total)	4.0/3.0
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)	100
Life expectancy at birth 2000-2005 (women and men, years)	42/41
Infant mortality rate 2000-2005 (per 1,000 births)	147
Total fertility rate 2000-2005 (births per woman)	6.8
Contraceptive use (% of currently married women)	6 ^m
Urban population (%)	47 ⁿ
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	5.3
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	2.9
Foreign born (%)	5.4 ^o
Refugees and others of concern to UNHCR	601613
Government education expenditure (% of GNP)	4.9 ^p
Third-level students (women and men, % of total)	43/57
Newspaper circulation (per 1,000 inhabitants)	17 ^q
Parliamentary seats (women and men, % of total)	5/95

Environment	1995-2004
Threatened species	84
Forested area (% of land area)	31
CO ₂ emissions (000s Mt/per capita)	400/0.1
Energy consumption per capita (kilograms oil equiv.)	53

a 2003. b April 2004. c 1987. d 2002. e 1990. f 2001. g Source: World Automotive Market Report, Auto and Truck International (Illinois). h 1997. i 1986. j Estimated data. k 1990.

Libyan Arab Jamahiriya

Region	Northern Africa
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	Tripoli (2006) ^a
Currency	dinar
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	5659
Surface area (square kms)	1759540
Population density (per square km)	3
United Nations membership date	14 December 1955

Economic indicators	1995	2003
Exchange rate (national currency per US\$) ^a	0.35	1.32 ^c
Balance of payments, current account (million US\$)	1650	2136 ^d
Tourist arrivals (000s)	56	142
GDP (million current US\$)	30850	20210
GDP (per capita current US\$)	6493	3640
Gross fixed capital formation (% of GDP)	12.0	14.0 ^e
Labour force participation, adult female pop. (%)	22.8	...
Labour force participation, adult male pop. (%)	78.1	...
Employment in industrial sector (%)	23.0 ^f	...
Employment in agricultural sector (%)	10.9 ^g	...
Agricultural production index (1999-2000=100)	91	101
Food production index (1999-2000=100)	91	101
Primary energy production (000s Mt oil equiv.)	75232	73972 ^h
Motor vehicles (per 1,000 inhabitants)	234.9 ⁱ	140.1 ^j
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants)	5.9	13.6
Internet users, estimated (000s)	-	160.0
Largest export industries	Major trading partners 2003	
(% of exports) ^k	(% of exports) ^k	(% of imports) ^k
Mining quarry	75 Italy	43 Italy
Chemicals	22 Germany	15 Germany
Basic metals	2 Spain	15 Korea Rep.

Social indicators	1995-2004
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	1.9
Population aged 0-14 years (%)	30.0
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total)	6.0/7.0
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)	94
Life expectancy at birth 2000-2005 (women and men, years)	75/71
Infant mortality rate 2000-2005 (per 1,000 births)	21
Total fertility rate 2000-2005 (births per woman)	3.0
Contraceptive use (% of currently married women)	40 ^a
Urban population (%)	86
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	2.3
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	-0.5
Foreign born (%)	10.9 ⁱ
Refugees and others of concern to UNHCR	11955
Government education expenditure (% of GNP)	7.7 ⁿ
Primary-secondary gross enrolment ratio (w and m per 100)	112/107
Third-level students (women and men, % of total)	51/49
Newspaper circulation (per 1,000 inhabitants)	14 ^l
Television receivers (per 1,000 inhabitants)	29

Environment	1995-2004
Threatened species	21
Forested area (% of land area)	<
CO ₂ emissions (000s Mt/per capita)	57167/10.9
Energy consumption per capita (kilograms oil equiv.)	2499
Precipitation (mm)	37 ⁿ
Average minimum and maximum temperatures (centigrade) ^a	10.4/28.8

a 2003. b Official rate. c September 2004. d 1999. e 2002. f 1990. g 2001. h Source: AAMA Motor Vehicle Facts and Figures, American Automobile Manufacturers Association (Michigan). i 1998. j 2000. k Adjusted from source to exclude breast-feeding. l Estimated data. m 1986. n Hon.

Liechtenstein

Region	Western Europe
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	Vaduz (5) ^a
Currency	Swiss franc
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	34
Surface area (square kms)	160
Population density (per square km)	211
United Nations membership date	18 September 1990

Economic indicators	1995	2003
Exchange rate (national currency per US\$) ^a	1.15	1.20 ^c
Tourist arrivals (000s)	59	49
GDP (million current US\$)	1330	1460
GDP (per capita current US\$)	43164	43486
Gross fixed capital formation (% of GDP)	21.0	19.0 ^e
Agricultural production index (1999-2000=100)	100	100
Food production index (1999-2000=100)	100	100
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants)	64.4	58.8 ^d
Internet users, estimated (000s)	-	20.0 ^e

Social indicators	1995-2004
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)	100
Infant mortality rate 2000-2005 (per 1,000 births)	18 ^a
Total fertility rate 2000-2005 (births per woman)	1.6 ^a
Urban population (%)	22
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	1.2
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	0.8
Foreign born (%)	35.9 ⁱ
Refugees and others of concern to UNHCR	241 ^j
Newspaper circulation (per 1,000 inhabitants)	602
Television receivers (per 1,000 inhabitants)	148
Parliamentary seats (women and men, % of total)	12/88

Environment	1995-2004
Threatened species	8
Forested area (% of land area)	47
CO ₂ emissions (000s Mt/per capita) ^a	195/6.0

a 2003. b Data refer to non-commercial rates derived from the Operational Rates of Exchange for United Nations Programmes. c November 2004. d 2002. e Rates based on 10 or fewer infant deaths. f Estimated data. g Source: UNFCCC.

Lithuania

Region	Northern Europe
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	Vilnius (549) ^a
Currency	litas
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	3422
Surface area (square kms)	65200
Population density (per square km)	52
United Nations membership date	17 September 1991

Economic indicators	1995	2003
Exchange rate (national currency per US\$) ^a	4.00	2.80 ^b
Consumer price index (1990=100) ^a	13749	20356 ^c
Industrial production index (1995=100)	100	162 ^d
Unemployment (percentage of labour force) ^e	17.1	13.8 ^f
Balance of payments, current account (million US\$)	-614	-1278
Tourist arrivals (000s)	650	1271
GDP (million current US\$)	6200	17920
GDP (per capita current US\$)	1739	5203
Gross fixed capital formation (% of GDP) ^g	22.0	21.0 ^h
Labour force participation, adult female pop. (%)	58.6	54.8 ⁱ
Labour force participation, adult male pop. (%)	74.1	67.1 ^j
Employment in industrial sector (%)	...	27.6 ^k
Employment in agricultural sector (%)	23.8	16.3 ^l
Agricultural production index (1999-2000=100)	104	108
Food production index (1999-2000=100)	103	108
Primary energy production (000s Mt oil equiv.)	3292	3505 ^m
Motor vehicles (per 1,000 inhabitants)	237.0	401.6
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants) ¹	25.4	23.9
Internet users, estimated (000s)	10.0 ⁿ	695.7

Largest export industries		Major trading partners		2003	
	(% of exports)		(% of exports)	(% of imports)	
Metal manufactures	35	Switzerland	12	Russian Fed.	22
Chemicals	26	Russian Fed.	10	Germany	16
Textiles	14	Germany	10	Poland	5

Social indicators	1995-2004
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	-0.6
Population aged 0-14 years (%)	18.0
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total)	24.0/16.0
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)	115
Life expectancy at birth 2000-2005 (women and men, years)	78/68
Infant mortality rate 2000-2005 (per 1,000 births)	9
Total fertility rate 2000-2005 (births per woman)	1.3
Contraceptive use (% of currently married women)	59 ⁿ
Urban population (%)	67
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	-0.7
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	-0.4
Foreign born (%)	5.9
Refugees and others of concern to UNHCR	499
Government education expenditure (% of GNP)	5.6
Primary-secondary gross enrolment ratio (w and m per 100)	97/98
Third-level students (women and men, % of total)	60/40
Newspaper circulation (per 1,000 inhabitants)	29
Television receivers (per 1,000 inhabitants)	482
Intentional homicides (per 100,000 inhabitants)	7
Parliamentary seats (women and men, % of total)	11/89

Environment	1995-2004
Threatened species	18
Forested area (% of land area)	32
CO ₂ emissions (000s Mt/per capita) ^a	16694/4.8
Energy consumption per capita (kilograms oil equiv.)	2276
Precipitation (mm)	683 ^p
Average minimum and maximum temperatures (centigrade) ^q	2.4/10.1

a 2003. b Official rate. c September 2004. d Base: 1991=100. e May 2004. f August 2004. g Persons aged 15 years and over. h 2002. i 2001. j Data classified according to SNA 93. k 2000. l Excluding public call offices. m 1996. n 1994/5. o Source: UNFCCC. p Vilnius.

Luxembourg

Region	Western Europe
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	Luxembourg (77) ^a
Currency	euro ^b
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	459
Surface area (square kms)	2586
Population density (per square km)	178
United Nations membership date	24 October 1945

Economic indicators	1995	2003
Exchange rate (national currency per US\$)	29.42	0.83 ^c
Consumer price index (1990=100) ^a	115 ^d	136 ^e
Industrial production index (1995=100)	100	132
Unemployment (percentage of labour force) ^f	3.0	3.8
Balance of payments, current account (million US\$)	2426	2492
Tourist arrivals (000s)	768	867
GDP (million current US\$)	18080	26000
GDP (per capita current US\$)	44638	57379
Gross fixed capital formation (% of GDP) ^g	22.0	23.0 ^h
Labour force participation, adult female pop. (%)	49.5	...
Labour force participation, adult male pop. (%)	66.4	66.4 ⁱ
Employment in industrial sector (%)	27.6	23.6 ^j
Employment in agricultural sector (%)	1.9	0.4 ^k
Primary energy production (000s Mt oil equiv.)	72	80 ^l
Motor vehicles (per 1,000 inhabitants)	629.9	761.6
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants)	57.1	79.8
Internet users, estimated (000s)	6.5	170.0

Largest export industries		Major trading partners		2003
	(% of exports)		(% of exports)	(% of imports)
Metal manufactures	35	Germany	26	Belgium 34
Basic metals	24	France	20	Germany 27
Chemicals	18	Belgium	12	France 14

Social indicators	1995-2004
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	1.3
Population aged 0-14 years (%)	19.0
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total)	21.0/16.0
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)	103
Life expectancy at birth 2000-2005 (women and men, years)	81/75
Infant mortality rate 2000-2005 (per 1,000 births)	5
Total fertility rate 2000-2005 (births per woman)	1.7
Urban population (%)	92
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	1.6
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	-1.9
Foreign born (%)	32.5
Refugees and others of concern to UNHCR	1201
Government education expenditure (% of GNP)	3.7
Primary-secondary gross enrolment ratio (w and m per 100)	99/96
Third-level students (women and men, % of total)	53/47
Newspaper circulation (per 1,000 inhabitants)	332
Television receivers (per 1,000 inhabitants)	391
Intentional homicides (per 100,000 inhabitants)	2
Parliamentary seats (women and men, % of total)	20/80

Environment	1995-2004
Threatened species	8
CO ₂ emissions (000s Mt/per capita)	5482/12.4
Energy consumption per capita (kilograms oil equiv.)	6871
Precipitation (mm)	875 ^k
Average minimum and maximum temperatures (centigrade) ^l	4.7/12.3

a 2003. b Prior to 1 January 1999, franc. c August 2004. d Euro per US dollar. e Excluding tobacco. f Including Rent. g Persons aged 16 to 64 years. h Data classified according to SNA 93. i 2002. j 2001. k Luxembourg.

Madagascar

Region	Eastern Africa
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	Antananarivo (1678) *
Currency	franc
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	17901
Surface area (square kms)	587041
Population density (per square km)	30
United Nations membership date	20 September 1960

Economic indicators	1995	2003
Exchange rate (national currency per US\$) ^a	3422.97	10370.00 ^c
Consumer price index (1990=100) ^{de}	283	144 ^h
Unemployment (percentage of labour force)	...	4.5 ⁱ
Balance of payments, current account (million US\$)	-275	-439
Tourist arrivals (000s)	75	62 ^j
GDP (million current US\$)	3150 ^k	5540
GDP (per capita current US\$)	229	318
Gross fixed capital formation (% of GDP) ^l	11.0	14.0
Labour force participation, adult female pop. (%)	69.4	...
Labour force participation, adult male pop. (%)	89.2	...
Employment in industrial sector (%)	6.8 ^m	...
Employment in agricultural sector (%)	78.2 ⁿ	...
Agricultural production index (1999-2000=100)	95	102
Food production index (1999-2000=100)	95	103
Primary energy production (000s Mt oil equiv.)	35	46 ^o
Motor vehicles (per 1,000 inhabitants) ^l	1.8 ⁿ	4.9
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants)	0.3	0.4
Internet users, estimated (000s)	0.5 ^p	70.5
Largest export industries	Major trading partners	
(% of exports)	(% of exports)	(% of imports)
Agriculture	51 France	39 China
Textiles	33 USA	29 France
Food, beverages, tobacco	7 Germany	5 S.Afr.Cus.Un

Social indicators	1995-2004
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	2.8
Population aged 0-14 years (%)	44.0
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total)	5.0/4.0
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)	101
Life expectancy at birth 2000-2005 (women and men, years)	55/53
Infant mortality rate 2000-2005 (per 1,000 births)	91
Total fertility rate 2000-2005 (births per woman)	5.7
Contraceptive use (% of currently married women)	19
Urban population (%)	27
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	3.6
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	2.6
Foreign born (%)	0.4 ^a
Government education expenditure (% of GNP)	2.5
Primary-secondary gross enrolment ratio (w and m per 100)	98/106
Third-level students (women and men, % of total)	45/55
Newspaper circulation (per 1,000 inhabitants)	5
Television receivers (per 1,000 inhabitants)	22
Parliamentary seats (women and men, % of total)	6/94

Environment	1995-2004
Threatened species	315
Forested area (% of land area)	20
CO ₂ emissions (000s Mt/per capita)	2270/0.1
Energy consumption per capita (kilograms oil equiv.)	40
Precipitation (mm)	1365 ^q
Average minimum and maximum temperatures (centigrade) ^a	13.8/24.0

a 2003. b Official rate. c September 2004. d Excluding Rent. e Madagascans f August 2004. g Base: 2000=100. h 2002. i Gross capital formation. j 1990. k 2001. l 1998. m Source: World Automotive Market Report. Auto and Truck International (Illinois). n 1996. o Estimated data. p Antananarivo/Ivato.

Malawi

Region	Eastern Africa
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	Blantyre-Limbe (601) *
Currency	kwacha
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	12337
Surface area (square kms)	118484
Population density (per square km)	104
United Nations membership date	1 December 1964

Economic indicators	1995	2003
Exchange rate (national currency per US\$) ^a	15.30	108.98 ^c
Consumer price index (1990=100)	404	2495 ^d
Industrial production index (1995=100)	100	80
Balance of payments, current account (million US\$)	-78	-201 ^e
Tourist arrivals (000s)	192	421
GDP (million current US\$)	1400	1910
GDP (per capita current US\$)	139	158
Gross fixed capital formation (% of GDP) ^f	15.0	9.0 ^g
Labour force participation, adult female pop. (%)	78.9	...
Labour force participation, adult male pop. (%)	87.3	...
Employment in agricultural sector (%)	54.0 ^h	...
Agricultural production index (1999-2000=100)	69	85
Food production index (1999-2000=100)	56	85
Primary energy production (000s Mt oil equiv.)	72	75 ⁱ
Motor vehicles (per 1,000 inhabitants)	0.4	6.9 ^j
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants)	0.4	0.8
Internet users, estimated (000s)	0.5 ^k	36.0

Largest export industries	Major trading partners	
(% of exports)	(% of exports)	(% of imports)
Agriculture	64 S.Afr.Cus.Un	13 S.Afr.Cus.Un
Food, beverages, tobacco	23 USA	13 Zimbabwe
Textiles	8 Kenya	8 Mozambique

Social indicators	1995-2004
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	2.0
Population aged 0-14 years (%)	47.0
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total)	5.0/5.0
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)	102
Life expectancy at birth 2000-2005 (women and men, years)	38/37
Infant mortality rate 2000-2005 (per 1,000 births)	115
Total fertility rate 2000-2005 (births per woman)	6.1
Contraceptive use (% of currently married women)	31
Urban population (%)	16
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	4.6
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	1.5
Foreign born (%)	2.5 ^l
Refugees and others of concern to UNHCR	12050
Government education expenditure (% of GNP)	4.2 ^m
Primary-secondary gross enrolment ratio (w and m per 100)	93/101
Third-level students (women and men, % of total)	28/72
Newspaper circulation (per 1,000 inhabitants)	3
Parliamentary seats (women and men, % of total)	9/91

Environment	1995-2004
Threatened species	41
Forested area (% of land area)	27
CO ₂ emissions (000s Mt/per capita)	766/0.1
Energy consumption per capita (kilograms oil equiv.)	26
Precipitation (mm)	1285 ⁿ
Average minimum and maximum temperatures (centigrade) ^a	12.2/24.1

a 2003. b Official rate. c August 2004. d May 2004. e 2002. f Gross capital formation. g 1991. h 2001. i 1997. j Estimated data. k Mzuzu.

Malaysia

Region	South-eastern Asia
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	Kuala Lumpur (1352) ^a
Currency	ringgit
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	24876
Surface area (square kms)	329758
Population density (per square km)	75
United Nations membership date	17 September 1957

Economic indicators	1995	2003
Exchange rate (national currency per US\$) ^a	2.54	3.80 ^c
Consumer price index (1990=100)	121	150 ^c
Industrial production index (1995=100)	100	185 ^c
Unemployment (percentage of labour force) ^d	2.8	3.5
Balance of payments, current account (million US\$)	-8644	7190 ^c
Tourist arrivals (000s)	7469	13292 ^c
GDP (million current US\$)	88830	103250
GDP (per capita current US\$)	4362	4227
Gross fixed capital formation (% of GDP)	44.0	22.0
Labour force participation, adult female pop. (%)	46.8	46.7 ^c
Labour force participation, adult male pop. (%)	80.9	83.3 ^c
Employment in industrial sector (%)	32.3	32.2 ^c
Employment in agricultural sector (%)	20.0	18.4 ^c
Agricultural production index (1999-2000=100)	88	114
Food production index (1999-2000=100)	84	115
Primary energy production (000s Mt oil equiv.)	68837	77698 ^c
Motor vehicles (per 1,000 inhabitants) ^e	16.3	19.6
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants)	16.6	18.2
Internet users, estimated (000s)	30.0	8661.0

Largest export industries		Major trading partners		2003
	(% of exports)		(% of exports)	(% of imports)
Metal manufactures	62	USA	20	Japan 17
Chemicals	9	Singapore	16	USA 16
Mining quarry	8	Japan	11	Singapore 12

Social indicators	1995-2004
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	1.9
Population aged 0-14 years (%)	33.0
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total)	7.0/6.0
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)	97
Life expectancy at birth 2000-2005 (women and men, years)	76/71
Infant mortality rate 2000-2005 (per 1,000 births)	10
Total fertility rate 2000-2005 (births per woman)	2.9
Contraceptive use (% of currently married women)	55 ^c
Urban population (%)	64
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	3.0
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	0.1
Foreign born (%)	5.7 ^m
Refugees and others of concern to UNHCR	78682
Government education expenditure (% of GNP)	8.5
Primary-secondary gross enrolment ratio (w and m per 100)	84/81
Third-level students (women and men, % of total) ^o	51/49
Newspaper circulation (per 1,000 inhabitants)	158
Television receivers (per 1,000 inhabitants)	168
Parliamentary seats (women and men, % of total)	14/86

Environment	1995-2004
Threatened species	828
Forested area (% of land area)	59
CO ₂ emissions (000s Mt/per capita)	144518/6.3
Energy consumption per capita (kilograms oil equiv.)	2066
Precipitation (mm)	2736 ^c
Average minimum and maximum temperatures (centigrade) ^a	23.0/32.8

a 2003. b Official rate. c September 2004. d August 2004. e July 2004. f Persons aged 15 to 64 years. g 2002. h 2000. i 2001. j Excluding tractors. k 1994. Peninsular Malaysia only. l 1991. m Excluding self-enumerated areas. n 1989. o Not including some non-university institutions. p Kuala Lumpur.

Maldives

Region	South-central Asia
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	Male (83) ^a
Currency	rufiyaa
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	328
Surface area (square kms)	298
Population density (per square km)	1100
United Nations membership date	21 September 1965

Economic indicators	1995	2003
Exchange rate (national currency per US\$)	11.77	12.80 ^c
Consumer price index (1990=100)	176	208 ^c
Balance of payments, current account (million US\$)	-18	-30
Tourist arrivals (000s)	315	564
GDP (million current US\$)	400	720
GDP (per capita current US\$)	1594	2260
Gross fixed capital formation (% of GDP)	31.0	25.0 ^c
Labour force participation, adult female pop. (%)	28.1	...
Labour force participation, adult male pop. (%)	74.0	...
Employment in industrial sector (%)	23.9	19.0 ^c
Employment in agricultural sector (%)	22.2	13.7 ^c
Agricultural production index (1999-2000=100)	80	113
Food production index (1999-2000=100)	80	113
Motor vehicles (per 1,000 inhabitants)	0.8	10.4
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants)	5.7	10.2 ^c
Internet users, estimated (000s)	...	15.0 ^d

Largest export industries		Major trading partners		2003	
	(% of exports)		(% of exports)	(% of imports)	
Metal manufactures	...	USA	32	Singapore	25
Chemicals	16	Thailand	16	Sri Lanka	14
		Sri Lanka	14	India	10

Social indicators	1995-2004
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	3.0
Population aged 0-14 years (%)	42.0
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total)	5.0/5.0
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)	95
Life expectancy at birth 2000-2005 (women and men, years)	67/68
Infant mortality rate 2000-2005 (per 1,000 births)	38
Total fertility rate 2000-2005 (births per woman)	5.3
Urban population (%)	29
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	4.5
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	2.4
Foreign born (%)	1.1 ^f
Government education expenditure (% of GNP)	4.2 ^f
Primary-secondary gross enrolment ratio (w and m per 100)	105/101
Newspaper circulation (per 1,000 inhabitants)	12 ^f
Television receivers (per 1,000 inhabitants)	28
Parliamentary seats (women and men, % of total)	6/94

Environment	1995-2004
Threatened species	11
CO ₂ emissions (000s Mt/per capita)	499/1.7
Energy consumption per capita (kilograms oil equiv.)	1111
Precipitation (mm)	1901 ^c
Average minimum and maximum temperatures (centigrade) ^a	25.8/30.6

a 2003. b September 2004. c April 2004. d 2002. e 2000. f Estimated data. g Male.

Mali

Region	Western Africa
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	Bamako (1264) *
Currency	CFA franc
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	13409
Surface area (square kms)	1240192
Population density (per square km)	11
United Nations membership date	28 September 1960

Economic indicators	1995	2003
Exchange rate (national currency per US\$) ^a	490.00	528.61 ^c
Consumer price index (1990=100)	117	149 ^c
Industrial production index (1995=100) ^a	100	160 ⁱ
Balance of payments, current account (million US\$)	-284	-149 ⁱ
Tourist arrivals (000s)	42	70
GDP (million current US\$)	2310	3870
GDP (per capita current US\$)	223	298
Gross fixed capital formation (% of GDP)	23.0	21.0
Labour force participation, adult female pop. (%)	72.3	...
Labour force participation, adult male pop. (%)	89.7	...
Employment in industrial sector (%)	2.0 ^a	...
Employment in agricultural sector (%)	85.8 ^a	...
Agricultural production index (1999-2000=100)	88	111
Food production index (1999-2000=100)	86	105
Primary energy production (000s Mt oil equiv.)	19	20 ⁱ
Motor vehicles (per 1,000 inhabitants)	1.3	4.1 ⁱ
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants)	0.2	0.5 ^a
Internet users, estimated (000s)	0.2 ⁱ	25.0 ^a

Largest export industries		Major trading partners		2003	
(% of exports) ⁱ		(% of exports) ⁱ		(% of imports) ⁱ	
Metal manufactures	41	Switzerland	38	Côte d'Ivoire	24
Agriculture	29	S.Afr.Cus.Un	32	France	19
Chemicals	16	France	10	Senegal	5

Social indicators	1995-2004
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	3.0
Population aged 0-14 years (%)	49.0
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total)	4.0/3.0
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)	102
Life expectancy at birth 2000-2005 (women and men, years)	49/48
Infant mortality rate 2000-2005 (per 1,000 births)	119
Total fertility rate 2000-2005 (births per woman)	7.0
Contraceptive use (% of currently married women)	8
Urban population (%)	32
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	5.2
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	2.0
Foreign born (%)	0.4 ^a
Refugees and others of concern to UNHCR	10724
Government education expenditure (% of GNP)	2.9 ^a
Primary-secondary gross enrolment ratio (w and m per 100)	44/65
Third-level students (women and men, % of total)	20/80
Newspaper circulation (per 1,000 inhabitants)	1 ^a
Television receivers (per 1,000 inhabitants)	4
Parliamentary seats (women and men, % of total)	10/90

Environment	1995-2004
Threatened species	25
Forested area (% of land area)	11
CO ₂ emissions (000s Mt/per capita)	557/0.05
Energy consumption per capita (kilograms oil equiv.)	17
Precipitation (mm)	991 ⁱ
Average minimum and maximum temperatures (centigrade) ⁱ	21.3/35.0

a 2003. b Official rate. c September 2004. d April 2004. e Base: 1990 = 100. f 4th quarter 1999. g 2002. h 1990. i 2001. j 1996. k Estimated data. l Bamako.

Malta

Region	Southern Europe
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	Valletta (83) *
Currency	Lira
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	396
Surface area (square kms)	316
Population density (per square km)	1253
United Nations membership date	1 December 1964

Economic indicators	1995	2003
Exchange rate (national currency per US\$) ^b	0.35	0.35 ^c
Consumer price index (1990=100)	118 ^d	143 ^e
Industrial production index (1995=100) ^f	100	158 ^g
Unemployment (percentage of labour force) ^h	...	6.8 ⁱ
Balance of payments, current account (million US\$)	-361	-271
Tourist arrivals (000s)	1116	1134 ⁱ
GDP (million current US\$)	3240	4650
GDP (per capita current US\$)	8588	11790
Gross fixed capital formation (% of GDP)	32.0	23.0 ⁱ
Labour force participation, adult female pop. (%)	29.2	...
Labour force participation, adult male pop. (%)	81.1	...
Employment in industrial sector (%)	...	31.8 ^a
Employment in agricultural sector (%)	2.5 ⁱ	-2.2 ^c
Agricultural production index (1999-2000=100)	99	99
Food production index (1999-2000=100)	99	99
Motor vehicles (per 1,000 inhabitants)	635.2	713.2 ⁱ
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants)	45.9	52.1
Internet users, estimated (000s)	0.9	120.0 ⁱ

Largest export industries	Major trading partners		2003
(% of exports) ^a	(%) of exports) ^a		(% of imports) ^a
Metal manufactures	68	USA	20
Chemicals	11	Germany	13
Textiles	10	Singapore	12
		USA	15

Social indicators	1995-2004
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	0.4
Population aged 0-14 years (%)	19.0
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total)	20.0/16.0
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)	102
Life expectancy at birth 2000-2005 (women and men, years)	81/76
Infant mortality rate 2000-2005 (per 1,000 births)	7
Total fertility rate 2000-2005 (births per woman)	1.8
Urban population (%)	92
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	0.7
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	-2.4
Foreign born (%)	2.2 ^a
Refugees and others of concern to UNHCR	951
Government education expenditure (% of GNP)	4.9 ^a
Primary-secondary gross enrolment ratio (w and m per 100)	96/98
Third-level students (women and men, % of total)	55/45
Newspaper circulation (per 1,000 inhabitants)	133 ^a
Television receivers (per 1,000 inhabitants)	731
Intentional homicides (per 100,000 inhabitants)	1
Parliamentary seats (women and men, % of total)	9/91

Environment	1995-2004
Threatened species	16
Forested area (% of land area)	...
CO ₂ emissions (000s Mt/per capita)	2816/7.2
Energy consumption per capita (kilograms oil equiv.)	2203
Precipitation (mm)	553 ⁱ
Average minimum and maximum temperatures (centigrade) ^a	14.9/22.3

a 2003. b Official rate. c September 2004. d Series linked to former series. e April 2004. f Base: 1990 = 100. g 1996. h Persons aged 15 years and over. i December of each year. j 2002. k 2001. l 1991. m Estimated data. n Luqa.

Marshall Islands

Region	Oceania-Micronesia
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	Majuro (25) *
Currency	US dollar
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	54
Surface area (square kms)	181
Population density (per square km)	296
United Nations membership date	17 September 1991

Economic indicators	1995	2003
Exchange rate (national currency per US\$) ^a	1.00	1.00 ^c
Consumer price index (1990=100) ^a	119	...
Tourist arrivals (000s)	6	7
GDP (million current US\$)	110	110
GDP (per capita current US\$)	2202	2108
Gross fixed capital formation (% of GDP)	56.0	55.0 ^c
Agricultural production index (1999-2000=100)	260	93
Food production index (1999-2000=100)	260	93
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants)	6.6	8.3
Internet users, estimated (000s)	—	1.4
Largest export industries	Major trading partners 2003	
(% of exports)	(% of exports)	(% of imports) ⁱ
...	...	USA 61
...	...	Japan 5
...	...	Australia 2

Social indicators	1995-2004
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	1.2
Population aged 0-14 years (%)	42.0
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total)	3.0/3.0
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)	97
Life expectancy at birth 2000-2005 (women and men, years) ^a	63/59
Infant mortality rate 2000-2005 (per 1,000 births)	26
Total fertility rate 2000-2005 (births per woman)	3.7
Contraceptive use (% of currently married women)	27 ^b
Urban population (%)	66
Foreign born (%)	3.2 ⁱ
Third-level students (women and men, % of total)	56/44
Parliamentary seats (women and men, % of total)	3/97

Environment	1995-2004
Threatened species	12
Precipitation (mm)	2407 ^j
Average minimum and maximum temperatures (centigrade) ⁱ	26.7/27.7

a 2003. b Data refer to non-commercial rates derived from the Operational Rates of Exchange for United Nations Programmes. c November 2004. d Base: 1992=100. e 2002. f 2000. g 1989. h 1985. i Estimated data. j Kwajalein.

Martinique

Region	Caribbean
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	Fort-de-France (93) *
Currency	euro ^b
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	395
Surface area (square kms)	1102
Population density (per square km)	358

Economic indicators	1995	2003
Exchange rate (national currency per US\$) ^c	4.90	0.79 ^g
Consumer price index (1990=100)	116	133 ⁱ
Tourist arrivals (000s)	457	447 ^g
GDP (million current US\$)	4840	5690
GDP (per capita current US\$)	12961	14504
Gross fixed capital formation (% of GDP)	25.0	25.0
Labour force participation, adult female pop. (%)	55.3	...
Labour force participation, adult male pop. (%)	71.5	...
Employment in industrial sector (%)	17.0 ^h	...
Employment in agricultural sector (%)	7.3 ^h	...
Agricultural production index (1999-2000=100)	76	100
Food production index (1999-2000=100)	76	100
Motor vehicles (per 1,000 inhabitants)	312.3	...
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants)	41.7	44.5 ⁱ
Internet users, estimated (000s)	2.0 ⁱ	80.0

Social indicators	1995-2004
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	0.6
Population aged 0-14 years (%)	22.0
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total)	18.0/14.0
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)	109
Life expectancy at birth 2000-2005 (women and men, years)	82/76
Infant mortality rate 2000-2005 (per 1,000 births)	7
Total fertility rate 2000-2005 (births per woman)	1.9
Urban population (%)	96
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	0.8
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	-4.9
Foreign born (%)	0.9 ^h
Primary-secondary gross enrolment ratio (w and m per 100) ^k	119/116
Newspaper circulation (per 1,000 inhabitants)	78
Television receivers (per 1,000 inhabitants)	174

Environment	1995-2004
Threatened species	27
Forested area (% of land area)	44
CO ₂ emissions (000s Mt/per capita)	3039/7.9
Energy consumption per capita (kilograms oil equiv.)	1532
Precipitation (mm)	2030 ^j
Average minimum and maximum temperatures (centigrade) ⁱ	22.8/29.7

a 2003. b Prior to 1 January 1999, French franc. c Data refer to non-commercial rates derived from the Operational Rates of Exchange for United Nations Programmes. d November 2004. e Euro per US dollar. f July 2004. g 2002. h 1990. i 2001. j 1998. k See technical note for this series. l Le Lamentin.

Mauritania

Region	Western Africa
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	Nouakchott (600) ^a
Currency	ouguiya
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	2960
Surface area (square kms)	1025520
Population density (per square km)	3
United Nations membership date	27 October 1961
Economic indicators	
Exchange rate (national currency per US\$)	137.11 268.70 ^b
Consumer price index (1990=100)	141 205
Balance of payments, current account (million US\$)	22 77 ^c
Tourist arrivals (000s)	24 ^d 30 ^e
GDP (million current US\$)	1060 1100
GDP (per capita current US\$)	460 ^f 381
Gross fixed capital formation (% of GDP)	14.0 14.0 ^g
Labour force participation, adult female pop. (%)	63.8
Labour force participation, adult male pop. (%)	86.3
Employment in industrial sector (%)	10.4 ^h
Employment in agricultural sector (%)	55.2 ^h
Agricultural production index (1999-2000=100)	88 107
Food production index (1999-2000=100)	88 107
Primary energy production (000s Mt oil equiv.)	2 3 ⁱ
Motor vehicles (per 1,000 inhabitants)	4.7 ^j 11.2 ^k
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants)	0.4 1.4
Internet users, estimated (000s)	0.1 ^l 12.0
Largest export industries	
Major trading partners	
(% of exports) ^a	(% of imports) ^a
Agriculture	49 France 19 France 28
Chemicals	46 Italy 18 Belgium 8
Food, beverages, tobacco	3 Spain 15 Italy 8
Social indicators	
1995-2004	
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	3.0
Population aged 0-14 years (%)	43.0
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total)	6.0/5.0
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)	102
Life expectancy at birth 2000-2005 (women and men, years)	54/51
Infant mortality rate 2000-2005 (per 1,000 births)	97
Total fertility rate 2000-2005 (births per woman)	5.8
Contraceptive use (% of currently married women)	8
Urban population (%)	62
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	5.1
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	-0.4
Foreign born (%)	2.4 ^m
Refugees and others of concern to UNHCR	30030
Government education expenditure (% of GNP)	3.6 ⁿ
Primary-secondary gross enrolment ratio (w and m per 100)	52/59
Third-level students (women and men, % of total)	21/79
Newspaper circulation (per 1,000 inhabitants)	1 ⁿ
Television receivers (per 1,000 inhabitants)	26
Parliamentary seats (women and men, % of total)	4/96
Environment	
1995-2004	
Threatened species	25
Forested area (% of land area)	<
CO ₂ emissions (000s Mt/per capita)	3073/1.2
Energy consumption per capita (kilograms oil equiv.)	365

a 2003. b April 2004. c 1998. d 1999. e 2000. f 2002. g 1990. h 2001. i Source: World Automotive Market Report, Auto and Truck International (Illinois). j 1997. k 1996. l 2000/01. m Estimated data.

Mauritius

Region	Eastern Africa
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	Port Louis (143) ^a
Currency	rupee
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	1233
Surface area (square kms)	2040
Population density (per square km)	604
United Nations membership date	24 April 1968
Economic indicators	
Exchange rate (national currency per US\$)	17.66 27.58 ^b
Consumer price index (1990=100)	141 228 ^c
Unemployment (percentage of labour force)	5.1 10.2
Balance of payments, current account (million US\$)	-22 122
Tourist arrivals (000s)	422 702
GDP (million current US\$)	4040 5610
GDP (per capita current US\$)	3594 4594
Gross fixed capital formation (% of GDP)	24.0 23.0
Labour force participation, adult female pop. (%)	38.8 40.9
Labour force participation, adult male pop. (%)	80.1 79.6
Employment in industrial sector (%)	39.8 37.4
Employment in agricultural sector (%)	14.5 9.4
Agricultural production index (1999-2000=100)	104 105
Food production index (1999-2000=100)	102 106
Primary energy production (000s Mt oil equiv.)	12 10
Motor vehicles (per 1,000 inhabitants) ^a	78.2 276.4
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants)	13.2 28.5
Internet users, estimated (000s)	2.1 ^f 150.0
Largest export industries	
Major trading partners	
(% of exports)	(% of imports)
Textiles	57 UK 31 S.Afr.Cus.Un 12
Food, beverages, tobacco	22 France 21 France 12
Metal manufactures	8 USA 17 China 8
Social indicators	
1995-2004	
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	1.0
Population aged 0-14 years (%)	25.2 ^a
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total)	10.4/8.0
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)	102
Life expectancy at birth 2000-2005 (women and men, years)	76/69
Infant mortality rate 2000-2005 (per 1,000 births)	12.9
Total fertility rate 2000-2005 (births per woman)	1.0
Contraceptive use (% of currently married women)	75.9
Urban population (%)	42.3 ^a
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	1.5 ^a
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	0.6 ^a
Foreign born (%)	2.0
Government education expenditure (% of GNP)	4.1
Primary-secondary gross enrolment ratio (w and m per 100)	86/84
Third-level students (women and men, % of total)	56/44
Newspaper circulation (per 1,000 inhabitants)	119
Television receivers (per 1,000 inhabitants)	212
Intentional homicides (per 100,000 inhabitants)	2.6
Parliamentary seats (women and men, % of total)	6/94
Environment	
1995-2004	
Threatened species	142
Forested area (% of land area)	8
CO ₂ emissions (000s Mt/per capita)	2784/2.3
Energy consumption per capita (kilograms oil equiv.)	660
Precipitation (mm)	1973
Average minimum and maximum temperatures (centigrade)	19.6/27.3

a 2003. b September 2004. c March 2004. d Total registered. e Including Agalega, Rodrigues and Saint Brandon. f 1996.

Mexico

Region	Central America
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	Mexico City (18660) *
Currency	peso
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	104931
Surface area (square kms)	1958201
Population density (per square km)	54
United Nations membership date	7 November 1945

Economic indicators	1995	2003
Exchange rate (national currency per US\$) ^a	7.64	11.41 ^c
Consumer price index (1990=100)	225	653 ^d
Industrial production index (1995=100) ^e	100	143 ^f
Unemployment (percentage of labour force) ^g	4.7	1.9 ^h
Balance of payments, current account (million US\$)	-1576	-9247
Tourist arrivals (000s)	2024 ⁱ	18665
GDP (million current US\$)	286170	615050
GDP (per capita current US\$)	3140	5945
Gross fixed capital formation (% of GDP) ^j	16.0	19.0
Labour force participation, adult female pop. (%)	37.6	38.6 ^k
Labour force participation, adult male pop. (%)	83.5	81.7 ^l
Employment in industrial sector (%)	21.7	26.0 ^m
Employment in agricultural sector (%)	23.5	17.6 ⁿ
Agricultural production index (1999-2000=100)	91	105
Food production index (1999-2000=100)	90	105
Primary energy production (000s Mt oil equiv.)	210447	237299 ^o
Motor vehicles (per 1,000 inhabitants)	129.7	192.8 ^p
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants) ^q	9.4	15.8
Internet users, estimated (000s)	94.0	12250.0

Largest export industries	Major trading partners	2003
(% of exports)	(% of exports)	(% of imports)
Metal manufactures	66 USA	89 USA
Mining quarry	11 Canada	2 China
Chemicals	6 Germany	1 Japan

Social indicators	1995-2004
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	1.5
Population aged 0-14 years (%)	32.0
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total)	8.0/7.0
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)	104
Life expectancy at birth 2000-2005 (women and men, years)	76/70
Infant mortality rate 2000-2005 (per 1,000 births)	28
Total fertility rate 2000-2005 (births per woman)	2.5
Contraceptive use (% of currently married women)	67
Urban population (%)	75
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	1.8
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	0.4
Foreign born (%)	0.5
Refugees and others of concern to UNHCR	6157
Government education expenditure (% of GNP)	5.3
Primary-secondary gross enrolment ratio (w and m per 100)	94/92
Third-level students (women and men, % of total)	49/51
Newspaper circulation (per 1,000 inhabitants)	94
Television receivers (per 1,000 inhabitants)	272
Intentional homicides (per 100,000 inhabitants)	10
Parliamentary seats (women and men, % of total)	21/79

Environment	1995-2004
Threatened species	542
Forested area (% of land area)	29
CO ₂ emissions (000s Mt/per capita)	424281/4.3
Energy consumption per capita (kilograms oil equiv.)	1331
Precipitation (mm)	848 ⁿ
Average minimum and maximum temperatures (centigrade) ^o	10.1/26.6

a 2003. b Principal rate. c September 2004. d March 2004. e Including construction. f July 2004. g Persons aged 12 years and over. h Second quarter of each year. i 2002. j Data classified according to SNA 93. k 2001. l Lines in service. m Mexico City.

Micronesia, Federated States of

Region	Oceania-Micronesia
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	Palikir (7) ^a
Currency	US dollar
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	110
Surface area (square kms)	702
Population density (per square km)	157
United Nations membership date	17 September 1991

Economic indicators	1995	2003
Exchange rate (national currency per US\$) ^a	1.00	1.00 ^c
Tourist arrivals (000s)	27	19 ^d
GDP (million current US\$)	220	250
GDP (per capita current US\$)	2009	2281
Gross fixed capital formation (% of GDP)	8.0	8.0 ^e
Agricultural production index (1999-2000=100)	100	100
Food production index (1999-2000=100)	100	100
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants)	7.4	10.3
Internet users, estimated (000s)	0.3 ^f	10.0

Largest export industries	Major trading partners	2003
(% of exports)	(% of exports) ^g	(% of imports) ^h
...	Japan	79 USA
...	...	Japan
...	...	Australia

Social indicators	1995-2004
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	0.8
Population aged 0-14 years (%)	38.0
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total)	6.0/4.0
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)	98
Life expectancy at birth 2000-2005 (women and men, years)	69/68
Infant mortality rate 2000-2005 (per 1,000 births)	34
Total fertility rate 2000-2005 (births per woman)	3.8
Urban population (%)	29
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	2.0
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	0.3
Foreign born (%)	3.2 ⁱ
Government education expenditure (% of GNP)	6.7 ^j
Parliamentary seats (women and men, % of total)	-/100

Environment	1995-2004
Threatened species	27
CO ₂ emissions (000s Mt/per capita) ^k	141/1.3

a 2003. b Official rate. c September 2004. d 2002. e 1996. f 1994. g Estimated data. h Source: UNFCCC.

Monaco

Region	Western Europe
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	Monaco (34) ^a
Currency	euro ^b
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	35
Surface area (square kms)	1
Population density (per square km)	34713
United Nations membership date	28 May 1993

Economic indicators	1995	2003
Exchange rate (national currency per US\$) ^c	4.91	0.83 ^d
Tourist arrivals (000s)	233	263 ^e
GDP (million current US\$)	850	1010
GDP (per capita current US\$)	26714	29222
Gross fixed capital formation (% of GDP)	19.0	19.0 ^f
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants)	100.4	102.8
Internet users, estimated (000s)	—	16.0

Social indicators	1995-2004
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	0.9
Population aged 0-14 years (%)	13.0 ^g
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total) ^h	25.0/20.0
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)	106
Urban population (%)	100
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	0.9
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	—
Foreign born (%)	68.8 ⁱ
Newspaper circulation (per 1,000 inhabitants)	251
Parliamentary seats (women and men, % of total)	21/79

Environment	1995-2004
Threatened species	9
CO ₂ emissions (000s Mt/per capita) ^j	71/2.1

a 2003. b Prior to 1 January 2002, French franc. c Data refer to non-commercial rates derived from the Operational Rates of Exchange for United Nations Programmes. d September 2004. e 2002. f De jure population but including armed forces stationed in the area. g Data for population aged 65+. h Estimated data. i Source: UNFCCC.

Mongolia

Region	Eastern Asia
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	Ulan Bator (812) ^a
Currency	tugrik
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	2630
Surface area (square kms)	1586500
Population density (per square km)	2
United Nations membership date	27 October 1961

Economic indicators	1995	2003
Exchange rate (national currency per US\$)	473.62	1202.00 ^b
Consumer price index (1990=100) ^c	—	218 ^d
Industrial production index (1995=100)	100	115 ^e
Unemployment (percentage of labour force) ^f	5.5	3.4 ^g
Balance of payments, current account (million US\$)	39	-158 ^h
Tourist arrivals (000s)	108	201
GDP (million current US\$)	1240	1200
GDP (per capita current US\$)	516	462
Gross fixed capital formation (% of GDP) ⁱ	27.0	31.0 ^j
Labour force participation, adult female pop. (%)	72.7	—
Labour force participation, adult male pop. (%)	84.3	—
Employment in industrial sector (%)	17.3	14.1 ^k
Employment in agricultural sector (%)	44.6	48.9 ^l
Agricultural production index (1999-2000=100)	82	99
Food production index (1999-2000=100)	80	100
Primary energy production (000s Mt oil equiv.)	1730	1626 ^m
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants)	3.5	5.6
Internet users, estimated (000s)	0.2	142.8

Largest export industries		Major trading partners		2003	
[% of exports]		(% of exports)		(% of imports)	
Mining quarry	44	China	46	Russian Fed.	33
Textiles	42	USA	23	China	22
Food, beverages, tobacco	6	Russian Fed.	7	Korea Rep.	8

Social indicators	1995-2004
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	1.3
Population aged 0-14 years (%)	31.0
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total)	6.0/5.0
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)	100
Life expectancy at birth 2000-2005 (women and men, years)	66/62
Infant mortality rate 2000-2005 (per 1,000 births)	58
Total fertility rate 2000-2005 (births per woman)	2.4
Contraceptive use (% of currently married women)	60
Urban population (%)	57
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	1.4
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	1.1
Foreign born (%)	0.3 ⁿ
Government education expenditure (% of GNP)	6.6 ^o
Primary-secondary gross enrolment ratio (w and m per 100)	91/80
Third-level students (women and men, % of total)	63/37
Newspaper circulation (per 1,000 inhabitants)	27
Television receivers (per 1,000 inhabitants)	48
Parliamentary seats (women and men, % of total)	11/89

Environment	1995-2004
Threatened species	34
Forested area (% of land area)	7
CO ₂ emissions (000s Mt/per capita)	7502/3.0
Energy consumption per capita (kilograms oil equiv.)	874
Precipitation (mm)	216 ^p
Average minimum and maximum temperatures (centigrade) ^q	-7.0/5.5

a 2003. b September 2004. c Base: 1996=100. d May 2004. e 2nd quarter 2003. f 31st December of each year. g 2002. h Data classified according to SNA 93. i Marked break in series. j 2000. k 2001. l Estimated data. m Ulaan-Baator

Morocco

Region	Northern Africa
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	Casablanca (3578) ^a
Currency	dirham
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	31064
Surface area (square kms)	446550
Population density (per square km)	70
United Nations membership date	12 November 1956

Economic indicators	1995	2003
Exchange rate (national currency per US\$) ^a	8.47	8.89 ^c
Consumer price index (1990=100)	134	156 ^d
Industrial production index (1995=100) ^e	100	133 ^f
Unemployment (percentage of labour force) ^g	22.9	11.6 ^h
Balance of payments, current account (million US\$)	-1296	1552
Tourist arrivals (000s)	2602	4552
GDP (million current US\$)	33070	44700
GDP (per capita current US\$)	1232	1463
Gross fixed capital formation (% of GDP)	21.0	23.0
Labour force participation, adult female pop. (%)	30.5	...
Labour force participation, adult male pop. (%)	75.4	...
Employment in industrial sector (%)	33.6	33.4 ⁱ
Employment in agricultural sector (%)	6.3	5.7 ^j
Agricultural production index (1999-2000=100)	72	122
Food production index (1999-2000=100)	71	123
Primary energy production (000s Mt oil equiv.)	525	131 ^k
Motor vehicles (per 1,000 inhabitants)	49.7	57.8
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants)	4.2	4.1
Internet users, estimated (000s)	1.0	1000.0

Largest export industries	Major trading partners	2003
(% of exports)	(% of exports)	(% of imports)
Textiles	37 France	34 France
Metal manufactures	17 Spain	18 Spain
Agriculture	15 UK	7 Italy

Social indicators	1995-2004
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	1.6
Population aged 0-14 years (%)	31.0
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total)	7.0/6.0
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)	100
Life expectancy at birth 2000-2005 (women and men, years)	71/67
Infant mortality rate 2000-2005 (per 1,000 births)	42
Total fertility rate 2000-2005 (births per woman)	2.8
Contraceptive use (% of currently married women)	50
Urban population (%)	57
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	2.8
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	0.1
Foreign born (%)	0.4 ^m
Refugees and others of concern to UNHCR	2298
Government education expenditure (% of GNP)	5.2
Primary-secondary gross enrolment ratio (w and m per 100)	95/113
Third-level students (women and men, % of total)	44/56
Newspaper circulation (per 1,000 inhabitants)	28
Television receivers (per 1,000 inhabitants)	112
Parliamentary seats (women and men, % of total)	6/94

Environment	1995-2004
Threatened species	47
Forested area (% of land area)	7
CO ₂ emissions (000s Mt/per capita)	36575/13
Energy consumption per capita (kilograms oil equiv.)	376
Precipitation (mm)	300 ⁿ
Average minimum and maximum temperatures (centigrade) ^a	14.6/22.0

a 2003. b Official rate. c September 2004. d May 2004. e Calculated by the Statistics Division of the United Nations from component national indices. f 2nd quarter 2004. g Urban areas. h Persons aged 15 years and over. i 2002. j 1999. k 2001. l 1994. m Based on 1 per cent of households. n Casablanca.

Mozambique

Region	Eastern Africa
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	Maputo (1221) ^a
Currency	metical
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	19182
Surface area (square kms)	801590
Population density (per square km)	24
United Nations membership date	16 September 1975

Economic indicators	1995	2003
Exchange rate (national currency per US\$) ^a	10851.40	22425.00 ^c
Consumer price index (1990=100)	62	184 ^d
Balance of payments, current account (million US\$)	-445	-516
Tourist arrivals (000s)	...	943 ^e
GDP (million current US\$)	2250	4200
GDP (per capita current US\$)	141	222
Gross fixed capital formation (% of GDP) ^f	27.0	21.0 ^g
Labour force participation, adult female pop. (%)	83.4	...
Labour force participation, adult male pop. (%)	90.9	...
Employment in industrial sector (%)	8.0 ^h	...
Employment in agricultural sector (%)	82.7 ⁱ	...
Agricultural production index (1999-2000=100)	80	105
Food production index (1999-2000=100)	81	104
Primary energy production (000s Mt oil equiv.)	60	857 ^j
Motor vehicles (per 1,000 inhabitants)	2.6 ^k	8.7 ^l
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants)	0.4	0.5 ^m
Internet users, estimated (000s)	0.5 ⁿ	50.0 ^o

Largest export industries	Major trading partners	2003
(% of exports) ^a	(% of exports) ^a	(% of imports) ^a
Basic metals	55 S.Afr.Cus.Un	15 S.Afr.Cus.Un
Agriculture	20 Zimbabwe	5 Portugal
Other manufactures	9 Japan	4 Pakistan

Social indicators	1995-2004
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	1.8
Population aged 0-14 years (%)	44.0
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total)	6.0/5.0
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)	107
Life expectancy at birth 2000-2005 (women and men, years)	40/37
Infant mortality rate 2000-2005 (per 1,000 births)	122
Total fertility rate 2000-2005 (births per woman)	5.6
Contraceptive use (% of currently married women)	6
Urban population (%)	36
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	5.1
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	-0.1
Foreign born (%)	2.1 ^a
Refugees and others of concern to UNHCR	9536
Government education expenditure (% of GNP)	2.5 ^b
Primary-secondary gross enrolment ratio (w and m per 100)	42/59
Third-level students (women and men, % of total)	44/56
Newspaper circulation (per 1,000 inhabitants)	2
Television receivers (per 1,000 inhabitants)	5
Parliamentary seats (women and men, % of total)	30/70

Environment	1995-2004
Threatened species	108
Forested area (% of land area)	39
CO ₂ emissions (000s Mt/per capita)	1181/0.1
Energy consumption per capita (kilograms oil equiv.)	73
Precipitation (mm)	814 ⁱ
Average minimum and maximum temperatures (centigrade) ^j	18.6/27.2

a 2003. b Principal rate. c August 2004. d February 2004. e 2002. f Data classified according to SNA 93. g 1990. h 2001. i Source: World Automotive Market Report, Auto and Truck International (Illinois). j 1996. k Estimated data. l Maputo.

Myanmar

Region	South-eastern Asia
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	Yangon (3874) ^a
Currency	kyat
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	50101
Surface area (square kms)	676578
Population density (per square km)	74
United Nations membership date	19 April 1948

Economic indicators	1995	2003
Exchange rate (national currency per US\$) ^a	5.78	5.81 ^c
Consumer price index (1990=100)	330	394 ^d
Industrial production index (1995=100) ^e	100	145 ^f
Balance of payments, current account (million US\$)	-261	50
Tourist arrivals (000s)	117	206
GDP (million current US\$)	22720	58070
GDP (per capita current US\$)	515	1174
Gross fixed capital formation (% of GDP) ^h	14.0	12.0 ⁱ
Labour force participation, adult female pop. (%)	66.0	...
Labour force participation, adult male pop. (%)	88.4	...
Employment in industrial sector (%)	9.8 ^j	12.2 ^k
Employment in agricultural sector (%)	68.7 ^l	62.7 ^m
Agricultural production index (1999-2000=100)	79	121
Food production index (1999-2000=100)	79	121
Primary energy production (000s Mt oil equiv.)	2009	6465 ⁿ
Motor vehicles (per 1,000 inhabitants)	4.7	5.7 ^o
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants)	0.4	0.7
Internet users, estimated (000s)	-	28.0
Largest export industries	Major trading partners	
	(% of exports)	(% of imports) ^m
... India	19	28
... China	12	13
... Singapore	11	11

Social indicators	1995-2004
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	1.3
Population aged 0-14 years (%)	32.0
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total)	8.0/7.0
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)	102
Life expectancy at birth 2000-2005 (women and men, years)	60/55
Infant mortality rate 2000-2005 (per 1,000 births)	83
Total fertility rate 2000-2005 (births per woman)	2.9
Contraceptive use (% of currently married women)	33
Urban population (%)	29
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	3.1
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	0.5
Foreign born (%)	0.2 ^a
Refugees and others of concern to UNHCR	3231
Government education expenditure (% of GNP)	1.3
Primary-secondary gross enrolment ratio (w and m per 100)	62/64
Third-level students (women and men, % of total)	63/37
Newspaper circulation (per 1,000 inhabitants)	9
Television receivers (per 1,000 inhabitants)	6

Environment	1995-2004
Threatened species	141
Forested area (% of land area)	52
CO ₂ emissions (000s Mt/per capita)	9156/0.2
Energy consumption per capita (kilograms oil equiv.)	56
Precipitation (mm)	2681 ^a
Average minimum and maximum temperatures (centigrade) ^a	22.6/32.3

a 2003. b Official rate. c September 2004. d Base: 1997=100. e Base: 1990=100. f Calculated by the Statistics Division of the United Nations from component national indices. g 1996. h Data refer to fiscal year beginning 1 April. i 2002. j 1994. k 1998. l 2001. m 1999. n Estimated data. o Yangon.

Namibia

Region	Southern Africa
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	Windhoek (237) ^a
Currency	dollar
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	2011
Surface area (square kms)	824292
Population density (per square km)	2
United Nations membership date	23 April 1990

Economic indicators	1995	2003
Exchange rate (national currency per US\$) ^a	3.65	6.45 ^c
Consumer price index (1990=100)	174	352 ^d
Industrial production index (1995=100) ^e	100	115 ^f
Unemployment (percentage of labour force) ^g	35.0 ^h	33.8 ⁱ
Balance of payments, current account (million US\$)	176	271
Tourist arrivals (000s)	399	844
GDP (million current US\$)	3500	4590
GDP (per capita current US\$)	2128	2307
Gross fixed capital formation (% of GDP) ^j	22.0	20.0 ^k
Labour force participation, adult female pop. (%)	53.7	...
Labour force participation, adult male pop. (%)	80.7	...
Employment in industrial sector (%)	17.6 ^l	12.2 ^m
Employment in agricultural sector (%)	53.4 ⁿ	31.1 ^o
Agricultural production index (1999-2000=100)	107	96
Food production index (1999-2000=100)	108	95
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants)	5.0	6.6
Internet users, estimated (000s)	0.1	65.0
Largest export industries	Major trading partners	
	(% of exports)	(% of imports)
Agriculture	30 S.Afr.Cus.Un	32 S.Afr.Cus.Un
Food, beverages, tobacco	20 Angola	25 Germany
Mining/quarry	16 Spain	13 Spain

Social indicators	1995-2004
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	1.4
Population aged 0-14 years (%)	43.0
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total)	6.0/5.0
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)	105
Life expectancy at birth 2000-2005 (women and men, years)	46/43
Infant mortality rate 2000-2005 (per 1,000 births)	60
Total fertility rate 2000-2005 (births per woman)	4.6
Contraceptive use (% of currently married women)	29 ^a
Urban population (%)	32
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	3.0
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	0.6
Foreign born (%)	8.5 ^a
Refugees and others of concern to UNHCR	21795
Government education expenditure (% of GNP)	7.7
Primary-secondary gross enrolment ratio (w and m per 100)	90/88
Third-level students (women and men, % of total)	46/54
Newspaper circulation (per 1,000 inhabitants)	19
Television receivers (per 1,000 inhabitants)	34
Parliamentary seats (women and men, % of total)	21/79

Environment	1995-2004
Threatened species	46
Forested area (% of land area)	10
CO ₂ emissions (000s Mt/per capita)	1822/1.0

a 2003. b Official rate. c September 2004. d July 2004. e Base: 1990=100. f 1994. g Persons aged 15 to 69 years. h 1997. i 2000. j Data classified according to SNA 93. k 2002. l 1990. m 1992. n 1991.

Nauru

Region	Oceania-Micronesia
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	Nauru (13) ^a
Currency	Australian dollar
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	13
Surface area (square kms)	21
Population density (per square km)	636
United Nations membership date	14 September 1999

Economic indicators	1995	2003
Exchange rate (national currency per US\$) ^a	1.29	1.34 ^c
GDP (million current US\$)	40	50
GDP (per capita current US\$)	3772	3465
Gross fixed capital formation (% of GDP)	8.0	8.0 ^d
Agricultural production index (1999-2000=100)	100	100
Food production index (1999-2000=100)	100	100
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants)	14.1	16.0 ^e

Social indicators	1995-2004
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	2.3
Population aged 0-14 years (%)	42.0 ^f
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total) ^g	2.0/3.0
Life expectancy at birth 2000-2005 (women and men, years)	64/57
Infant mortality rate 2000-2005 (per 1,000 births)	25 ^h
Urban population (%)	100
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	2.3
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	-
Foreign born (%)	37.4 ⁱ
Parliamentary seats (women and men, % of total)	-/100

Environment	1995-2004
Threatened species	4
CO ₂ emissions (000s Mt/per capita)	136/11.1
Energy consumption per capita (kilograms oil equiv.)	3749
Precipitation (mm)	2236

a 2003. b Data refer to non-commercial rates derived from the Operational Rates of Exchange for United Nations Programmes. c November 2004. d 2002. e 2001. f 1992. g Rates based on 10 or fewer infant deaths. h Estimated data.

Nepal

Region	South-central Asia
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	Kathmandu (741) ^a
Currency	rupee
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	25725
Surface area (square kms)	147181
Population density (per square km)	175
United Nations membership date	14 December 1955

Economic indicators	1995	2003
Exchange rate (national currency per US\$) ^a	56.00	74.79 ^c
Consumer price index (1990=100)	170	270
Balance of payments, current account (million US\$)	-356	110
Tourist arrivals (000s)	363	275 ^d
GDP (million current US\$)	4220	5860
GDP (per capita current US\$)	202	233
Gross fixed capital formation (% of GDP) ^e	22.0	19.0
Labour force participation, adult female pop. (%)	56.6	-
Labour force participation, adult male pop. (%)	86.4	-
Employment in industrial sector (%)	5.5	-
Employment in agricultural sector (%)	78.5	-
Agricultural production index (1999-2000=100)	85	106
Food production index (1999-2000=100)	85	106
Primary energy production (000s Mt oil equiv.)	82	115 ^f
Motor vehicles (per 1,000 inhabitants)	7.1	5.5 ^g
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants)	0.4	1.6
Internet users, estimated (000s)	0.2	80.0 ^h

Largest export industries	Major trading partners	2003
(% of exports) ^a	(% of exports) ^a	(% of imports) ^a
Textiles	56 India	45 India
Other manufactures	23 USA	27 Switzerland
Chemicals	9 Germany	15 China

Social indicators	1995-2004
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	2.2
Population aged 0-14 years (%)	40.0
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total)	6.0/5.0
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)	96
Life expectancy at birth 2000-2005 (women and men, years)	60/60
Infant mortality rate 2000-2005 (per 1,000 births)	71
Total fertility rate 2000-2005 (births per woman)	4.3
Contraceptive use (% of currently married women)	39
Urban population (%)	15
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	5.2
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	1.7
Foreign born (%)	2.7
Refugees and others of concern to UNHCR	134606
Government education expenditure (% of GNP)	3.3
Primary-secondary gross enrolment ratio (w and m per 100)	68/66
Third-level students (women and men, % of total) ^a	21/79
Newspaper circulation (per 1,000 inhabitants)	11 ⁱ
Television receivers (per 1,000 inhabitants)	6
Parliamentary seats (women and men, % of total)	6/94

Environment	1995-2004
Threatened species	68
Forested area (% of land area)	27
CO ₂ emissions (000s Mt/per capita)	3403/0.1
Energy consumption per capita (kilograms oil equiv.)	48
Precipitation (mm)	1425 ^j
Average minimum and maximum temperatures (centigrade) ^k	11.7/24.8

a 2003. b Official rate. c September 2004. d 2002. e Data refer to fiscal year ending 15 July. f 2000. g 1991. h Estimated data. i Kathmandu.

Netherlands

Region	Western Europe
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	Amsterdam (1145) ^a
Currency	euro ^b
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	16227
Surface area (square kms)	41526
Population density (per square km)	391
United Nations membership date	10 December 1945

Economic indicators	1995	2003
Exchange rate (national currency per US\$)	1.60	0.83 ^a
Consumer price index (1990=100)	114 ^a	140 ^c
Industrial production index (1995=100)	100	90 ^c
Unemployment (percentage of labour force) ^a	7.0	2.7 ^b
Balance of payments, current account (million US\$)	25773	16405
Tourist arrivals (000s)	6574 ^a	9181
GDP (million current US\$)	414800	512880
GDP (per capita current US\$)	26832	31759
Gross fixed capital formation (% of GDP) ⁱ	20.0	21.0 ⁱ
Labour force participation, adult female pop. (%)	49.0	55.2 ^b
Labour force participation, adult male pop. (%)	71.1	73.1 ⁱ
Employment in industrial sector (%)	22.5	21.2 ^b
Employment in agricultural sector (%)	3.6	2.9 ^b
Agricultural production index (1999-2000=100)	102	94
Food production index (1999-2000=100)	102	94
Primary energy production (000s Mt oil equiv.)	71675	65800 ^a
Motor vehicles (per 1,000 inhabitants)	403.3	438.6 ^a
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants)	52.4	61.4
Internet users, estimated (000s)	1000.0 ^a	8500.0

Largest export industries		Major trading partners		2003	
(% of exports)		(% of exports)		(% of imports)	
Metal manufactures	42	Germany	23	Germany	18
Chemicals	25	Belgium	11	Belgium	10
Food, beverages, tobacco	13	UK	10	USA	8

Social indicators	1995-2004
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	0.5
Population aged 0-14 years (%)	18.0
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total)	21.0/17.0
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)	101
Life expectancy at birth 2000-2005 (women and men, years)	81/76
Infant mortality rate 2000-2005 (per 1,000 births)	5
Total fertility rate 2000-2005 (births per woman)	1.7
Contraceptive use (% of currently married women)	79 ^a
Urban population (%)	66
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	1.3
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	-0.9
Foreign born (%)	10.4
Refugees and others of concern to UNHCR	185558 ^a
Government education expenditure (% of GNP)	4.8
Primary-secondary gross enrolment ratio (w and m per 100)	114/117
Third-level students (women and men, % of total)	50/50
Newspaper circulation (per 1,000 inhabitants)	306
Television receivers (per 1,000 inhabitants)	518
Intentional homicides (per 100,000 inhabitants)	1
Parliamentary seats (women and men, % of total)	35/65

Environment	1995-2004
Threatened species	28
Forested area (% of land area)	11
CO ₂ emissions (000s Mt/per capita) ^a	179855/11.3
Energy consumption per capita (kilograms oil equiv.)	5267
Precipitation (mm)	780 ^a
Average minimum and maximum temperatures (centigrade) ^a	6.1/13.4

a 2003. b Prior to 1 January 1999, guilder. c August 2004. d Euro per US dollar. e Series linked to former series. f January 2004. g Persons aged 16 to 64 years. h 2001. i Data classified according to SNA 93. j 2002. k 1999. l 1996. m 1993. n Estimated data. o Source: UNFCCC. p Amsterdam (Schiphol)

Netherlands Antilles

Region	Caribbean
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	Willemstad (134) ^a
Currency	guilder
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	223
Surface area (square kms)	800
Population density (per square km)	278

Economic indicators	1995	2003
Exchange rate (national currency per US\$) ^a	1.79	1.79 ^c
Consumer price index (1990=100)	113 ^c	136 ^a
Unemployment (percentage of labour force) ^a	13.1	14.0 ^b
Balance of payments, current account (million US\$)	128	7
Tourist arrivals (000s)	759	672 ⁱ
GDP (million current US\$)	2620	2930
GDP (per capita current US\$)	12812	13261
Gross fixed capital formation (% of GDP)	23.0	29.0 ⁱ
Labour force participation, adult female pop. (%)	48.0	53.1 ^b
Labour force participation, adult male pop. (%)	67.4	66.6 ^b
Employment in industrial sector (%)	21.5	18.0 ^b
Employment in agricultural sector (%)	0.8	1.1 ^b
Agricultural production index (1999-2000=100)	84	88
Food production index (1999-2000=100)	84	89
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants)	36.6	37.2 ⁱ

Largest export industries	Major trading partners		2003
(% of exports) ^a	(% of exports) ^b		(% of imports)
Mining/quarry	87 USA	22 Venezuela	60
Basic metals	4 Venezuela	10 USA	13
Metal manufactures	3 Bahamas	8 Netherlands	8

Social indicators	1995-2004
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	0.8
Population aged 0-14 years (%)	23.0
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total)	14.0/11.0
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)	107
Life expectancy at birth 2000-2005 (women and men, years)	79/73
Infant mortality rate 2000-2005 (per 1,000 births)	13
Total fertility rate 2000-2005 (births per woman)	2.0
Urban population (%)	70
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	1.1
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	0.2
Foreign born (%)	26.4
Primary-secondary gross enrolment ratio (w and m per 100)	89/87
Third-level students (women and men, % of total)	60/40
Newspaper circulation (per 1,000 inhabitants)	334
Television receivers (per 1,000 inhabitants)	329

Environment	1995-2004
Threatened species	25
Forested area (% of land area)	
CO ₂ emissions (000s Mt/per capita)	9937/46.2
Energy consumption per capita (kilograms oil equiv.)	9367
Precipitation (mm)	552 ⁱ

a 2003. b Official rate. c September 2004. d Data refer to the index of the capital city. e March 2004. f Persons aged 15 years and over. g Curaçao. h 2000. i 2002. j 2001. k 1998. l Hato airport, Curaçao.

New Caledonia

Region	Oceania-Melanesia
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	Noumea (140) ^a
Currency	CFP franc
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	233
Surface area (square kms)	18575
Population density (per square km)	13

Economic indicators	1995	2003
Exchange rate (national currency per US\$)	88.00	93.79 ^b
Consumer price index (1990=100)	114	129 ^c
Unemployment (percentage of labour force) ^a	...	18.6 ^f
Tourist arrivals (000s)	86	102
GDP (million current US\$)	3630	3830
GDP (per capita current US\$)	18792	16751
Gross fixed capital formation (% of GDP)	66.0	66.0 ^h
Employment in industrial sector (%)	27.4	...
Employment in agricultural sector (%)	4.9	...
Agricultural production index (1999-2000=100)	92	101
Food production index (1999-2000=100)	92	101
Primary energy production (000s Mt oil equiv.)	20	32 ^h
Motor vehicles (per 1,000 inhabitants)	368.9 ⁱ	421.6
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants)	22.8	22.7
Internet users, estimated (000s)	<	60.0

Largest export industries		Major trading partners		2003
	(% of exports)		(% of exports)	(% of imports)
Basic metals	78	Japan	21	France 46
Mining quarry	12	France	19	Singapore 10
Agriculture	4	Spain	11	Australia 9

Social indicators	1995-2004
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	1.9
Population aged 0-14 years (%)	29.0
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total)	9.0/9.0
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)	95
Life expectancy at birth 2000-2005 (women and men, years)	78/73
Infant mortality rate 2000-2005 (per 1,000 births)	7
Total fertility rate 2000-2005 (births per woman)	2.5
Contraceptive use (% of currently married women)	25 ^j
Urban population (%)	61
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	2.2
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	1.4
Foreign born (%)	21.9 ^k
Government education expenditure (% of GNP)	12.3 ^m
Primary-secondary gross enrolment ratio (w and m per 100) **	102/99
Third-level students (women and men, % of total) **	44/56
Newspaper circulation (per 1,000 inhabitants)	121 ^p
Television receivers (per 1,000 inhabitants)	257

Environment	1995-2004
Threatened species	254
Forested area (% of land area)	20
CO ₂ emissions (000s Mt/per capita)	1751/0.0
Energy consumption per capita (kilograms oil equiv.)	2771
Precipitation (mm)	1072 ^q
Average minimum and maximum temperatures (centigrade) ^a	20.2/26.0

a 2003. b Data refer to non-commercial rates derived from the Operational Rates of Exchange for United Nations Programmes. c November 2004 d August 2004. e Persons aged 14 years and over. f 1995. g 2002. h 2001. i Source: World Automotive Market Report, Auto and Truck International (Illinois). j 1988. k 1990. l 1989. m 1985. n 1991. o See technical note for this series. p Estimated data. q Noumea.

New Zealand

Region	Oceania
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	Auckland (1117) ^a
Currency	dollar
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	3904
Surface area (square kms)	270534
Population density (per square km)	14
United Nations membership date	24 October 1945

Economic indicators	1995	2003
Exchange rate (national currency per US\$)	1.53	1.49 ^b
Consumer price index (1990=100)	111	130 ^c
Industrial production index (1995=100) ^d	100	115 ^e
Unemployment (percentage of labour force) ^a	6.3	5.2 ^f
Balance of payments, current account (million US\$)	-3003	-3337
Tourist arrivals (000s)	1409	2104
GDP (million current US\$)	60820	74990
GDP (per capita current US\$)	16874	19350
Gross fixed capital formation (% of GDP) ^g	21.0	20.0 ^h
Labour force participation, adult female pop. (%)	56.0	59.1 ⁱ
Labour force participation, adult male pop. (%)	74.3	74.6 ^j
Employment in industrial sector (%)	25.2	22.8 ^k
Employment in agricultural sector (%)	9.7	9.1 ^l
Agricultural production index (1999-2000=100)	92	112
Food production index (1999-2000=100)	90	113
Primary energy production (000s Mt oil equiv.)	11937	14697 ^m
Motor vehicles (per 1,000 inhabitants)	576.3	643.4
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants)	47.3	44.8
Internet users, estimated (000s)	180.0	2110.0

Largest export industries		Major trading partners		2003
	(% of exports)		(% of exports)	(% of imports)
Food, beverages, tobacco	41	Australia	22	Australia 23
Metal manufactures	15	USA	15	USA 12
Agriculture	13	Japan	11	Japan 12

Social indicators	1995-2004
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	0.8
Population aged 0-14 years (%)	22.0
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total)	18.0/15.0
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)	103
Life expectancy at birth 2000-2005 (women and men, years)	81/76
Infant mortality rate 2000-2005 (per 1,000 births)	6
Total fertility rate 2000-2005 (births per woman)	2.0
Contraceptive use (% of currently married women)	75
Urban population (%)	86
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	0.8
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	0.3
Foreign born (%)	19.5
Refugees and others of concern to UNHCR	6835 ⁿ
Government education expenditure (% of GNP)	6.9
Primary-secondary gross enrolment ratio (w and m per 100)	110/104
Third-level students (women and men, % of total)	59/41
Newspaper circulation (per 1,000 inhabitants)	203
Television receivers (per 1,000 inhabitants)	523
Intentional homicides (per 100,000 inhabitants)	1
Parliamentary seats (women and men, % of total)	28/72

Environment	1995-2004
Threatened species	133
Forested area (% of land area)	30
CO ₂ emissions (000s Mt/per capita) ^l	32430/8.5
Energy consumption per capita (kilograms oil equiv.)	4565
Precipitation (mm)	1137 ^o
Average minimum and maximum temperatures (centigrade) ^a	8.3/18.7

a 2003. b September 2004. c 2nd quarter 2004. d Figures relate to 12 months ending 31 March of the year stated. e Persons aged 15 years and over. f 2002. g Data classified according to SNA 93. h Data refer to fiscal year beginning 1 April. i 2001. j Data refer to fiscal years ending 31 March. k Estimated data. l Source: UNFCCC. m Auckland.

Nicaragua

Region	Central America
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	Managua (1098) *
Currency	gold córdoba
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	5597
Surface area (square kms)	130000
Population density (per square km)	43
United Nations membership date	24 October 1945

Economic indicators		1995	2003		
Exchange rate (national currency per US\$) ^b		7.97	16.07 ^c		
Consumer price index [1990=100] ^d		5421	10877		
Unemployment (percentage of labour force) ^e		16.9	12.2 ^f		
Balance of payments, current account (million US\$)		-722	-780		
Tourist arrivals (000s)		281	528		
GDP (million current US\$)		3180	4100		
GDP (per capita current US\$)		719	750		
Gross fixed capital formation (% of GDP)		20.0	25.0		
Labour force participation, adult female pop. (%)		33.4	47.2 ^g		
Labour force participation, adult male pop. (%)		84.5	70.7 ^g		
Employment in industrial sector (%)		13.6	14.7 ^g		
Employment in agricultural sector (%)		40.5	43.4 ^g		
Agricultural production index (1999-2000=100)		78	115		
Food production index (1999-2000=100)		78	119		
Primary energy production (000s Mt oil equiv.)		503	548 ^h		
Motor vehicles (per 1,000 inhabitants)		23.0	36.5 ⁱ		
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants)		2.2	3.7		
Internet users, estimated (000s)		1.4	90.0 ^j		
Largest export industries		Major trading partners			
[% of exports]		[% of exports] [% of imports]			
Agriculture	48	USA	34	USA	26
Food, beverages, tobacco	36	El Salvador	18	Costa Rica	9
Chemicals	6	Costa Rica	8	Mexico	8

Social indicators	1995-2004
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	2.4
Population aged 0-14 years (%)	41.0
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total)	5.0/4.0
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)	101
Life expectancy at birth 2000-2005 (women and men, years)	72/67
Infant mortality rate 2000-2005 (per 1,000 births)	36
Total fertility rate 2000-2005 (births per woman)	3.8
Contraceptive use (% of currently married women)	69
Urban population (%)	57
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	3.1
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	1.5
Foreign born (%)	0.5 ^k
Refugees and others of concern to UNHCR	322
Government education expenditure (% of GNP)	2.6 ^l
Primary-secondary gross enrolment ratio (w and m per 100)	84/82
Third-level students (women and men, % of total)	51/49
Newspaper circulation (per 1,000 inhabitants)	30 ^m
Television receivers (per 1,000 inhabitants)	68
Intentional homicides (per 100,000 inhabitants)	7
Parliamentary seats (women and men, % of total)	21/79

Environment	1995-2004
Threatened species	76
Forested area (% of land area)	27
CO ₂ emissions (000s Mt/per capita)	3740/0.7
Energy consumption per capita (kilograms oil equiv.)	340
Precipitation (mm)	1147
Average minimum and maximum temperatures (centigrade) ⁱ	22.3/33.8

a 2003. b Principal rate. c August 2004. d Base: 1994=100. e Persons aged 10 years and over. f 2002. g 2001. h Estimated data. i Not including expenditure on tertiary education. j Juigalpa.

Niger

Region	Western Africa
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	Niamey (890) *
Currency	CFA franc
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	12415
Surface area (square kms)	1267000
Population density (per square km)	10
United Nations membership date	20 September 1960

Economic indicators	1995	2003	
Exchange rate (national currency per US\$) ^b	490.00	528.61 ^c	
Consumer price index (1990=100) ^d	136	169 ^e	
Balance of payments, current account (million US\$)	-152	...	
Tourist arrivals (000s)	35	58 ^f	
GDP (million current US\$)	1670	2720	
GDP (per capita current US\$)	185	227	
Gross fixed capital formation (% of GDP)	12.0	10.0	
Labour force participation, adult female pop. (%)	69.7	...	
Labour force participation, adult male pop. (%)	93.2	...	
Employment in agricultural sector (%)	8.0 ^h	...	
Agricultural production index (1999-2000=100)	78	110	
Food production index (1999-2000=100)	78	111	
Primary energy production (000s Mt oil equiv.)	121	123 ⁱ	
Motor vehicles (per 1,000 inhabitants)	3.8 ^j	8.9 ^j	
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants)	0.2	0.2 ^k	
Internet users, estimated (000s)	0.1 ^k	15.0 ^j	
Largest export industries	Major trading partners		2003
(% of exports)	(% of exports)		(% of imports)
Mining quarry	55	France 37	France 15
Agriculture	28	Nigeria 27	Côte d'Ivoire 13
Textiles	6	Japan 15	China 9

Social indicators	1995-2004
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	3.6
Population aged 0-14 years (%)	50.0
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total)	3.0/3.0
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)	98
Life expectancy at birth 2000-2005 (women and men, years)	47/46
Infant mortality rate 2000-2005 (per 1,000 births)	126
Total fertility rate 2000-2005 (births per woman)	8.0
Contraceptive use (% of currently married women)	8
Urban population (%)	22
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	6.1
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	2.9
Foreign born (%)	1.1 ^l
Refugees and others of concern to UNHCR	362
Primary-secondary gross enrolment ratio (w and m per 100)	17/29
Third-level students (women and men, % of total) ⁿ	25/75
Newspaper circulation (per 1,000 inhabitants)	<
Television receivers (per 1,000 inhabitants)	13
Parliamentary seats (women and men, % of total)	1/99

Environment	1995-2004
Threatened species	17
Forested area (% of land area)	1
CO ₂ emissions (000s Mt/per capita)	1184/0.1
Energy consumption per capita (kilograms oil equiv.)	32
Precipitation (mm)	541 ⁿ
Average minimum and maximum temperatures (centigrade) ⁿ	22.4/36.2

a 2003. b Official rate. c September 2004. d Excluding Rent. e May 2004. f Base: 1991=100. g 2002. h 1991. i 2001. j Source: AAMA Motor Vehicle Facts and Figures, American Automobile Manufacturers Association (Michigan). k 1996. l Estimated data. m 1989. n Niamey.

Nigeria

Region	Western Africa
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	Lagos (10103) ^a
Currency	naira
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	127117
Surface area (square kms)	923768
Population density (per square km)	138
United Nations membership date	7 October 1960
Economic indicators	
	1995 2003
Exchange rate (national currency per US\$) ^b	21.89 132.37 ^c
Consumer price index (1990=100) ^d	688 2061 ^e
Industrial production index (1995=100) ^f	100 103 ^g
Balance of payments, current account (million US\$)	-2578 506 ^h
Tourist arrivals (000s)	656 887 ⁱ
GDP (million current US\$)	90330 48420
GDP (per capita current US\$)	906 390
Gross fixed capital formation (% of GDP)	16.0 21.0 ^j
Labour force participation, adult female pop. (%)	47.7 ...
Labour force participation, adult male pop. (%)	86.8 ...
Employment in industrial sector (%)	22.0 ...
Employment in agricultural sector (%)	2.9 ...
Agricultural production index (1999-2000=100)	85 105
Food production index (1999-2000=100)	85 105
Primary energy production (000s Mt oil equiv.)	98611 132503
Motor vehicles (per 1,000 inhabitants)	0.5 0.6 ^k
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants)	0.4 0.7
Internet users, estimated (000s)	10.0 ^l 750.0
Largest export industries	
	Major trading partners
(% of exports)	(% of exports) (2003)
Mining quarry	100 USA 41 UK 13
...	India 12 USA 10
...	Spain 7 Germany 10
Social indicators	
	1995-2004
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	2.5
Population aged 0-14 years (%)	44.0
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total)	5.0/5.0
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)	98
Life expectancy at birth 2000-2005 (women and men, years)	52/51
Infant mortality rate 2000-2005 (per 1,000 births)	79
Total fertility rate 2000-2005 (births per woman)	5.4
Contraceptive use (% of currently married women)	15
Urban population (%)	47
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	4.4
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	1.0
Foreign born (%)	0.7 ^m
Refugees and others of concern to UNHCR	10303
Government education expenditure (% of GNP)	0.5
Primary-secondary gross enrolment ratio (w and m per 100)	86/107
Third-level students (women and men, % of total) ⁿ	24/76
Newspaper circulation (per 1,000 inhabitants)	24 ^o
Television receivers (per 1,000 inhabitants)	65
Parliamentary seats (women and men, % of total)	5/95
Environment	
	1995-2004
Threatened species	171
Forested area (% of land area)	15
CO ₂ emissions (000s Mt/per capita)	36175/0.3
Energy consumption per capita (kilograms oil equiv.)	174
Precipitation (mm)	1538 ^p
Average minimum and maximum temperatures (centigrade) ^q	22.7/30.7

a 2003. b Principal rate. c September 2004. d Rural and urban areas. e April 2004. f Base: 1990 = 100. g 1998. h 1999. i 2002. j 2001. k 1997. l 1996. m 2000. n Estimated data. o 1989. p Universities and teacher training only. q Lagos.

Northern Mariana Islands

Region	Oceania-Micronesia
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	Saipan (71) ^a
Currency	US dollar
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	83
Surface area (square kms)	464
Population density (per square km)	178
Economic indicators	
	1995 2003
Consumer price index (1990=100)	128 135 ^a
Tourist arrivals (000s)	669 452
Employment in industrial sector (%)	63.7 ^c ...
Employment in agricultural sector (%)	2.7 ^c ...
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants)	32.2 30.9 ^d
Largest export industries	
	Major trading partners
(% of exports)	(% of exports) (2003)
...	China, HK SAR 24
...	Japan 14
...	Korea Rep. 10
Social indicators	
	1995-2004
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	4.0
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)	116
Total fertility rate 2000-2005 (births per woman)	5.1 ^e
Urban population (%)	94
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	4.3
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	-0.6
Foreign born (%)	62.3
Environment	
	1995-2004
Threatened species	23

a 2003. b 1st quarter 2004. c 1990. d 2000. e 1997. f Data refer to a year between 1985 and 1990.

Norway

Region	Northern Europe
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	Oslo (795) ^a
Currency	kroner
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	4552
Surface area (square kms)	323877
Population density (per square km)	14
United Nations membership date	27 November 1945

Economic indicators	1995	2003
Exchange rate (national currency per US\$) ^a	6.32	6.72 ^b
Consumer price index (1990=100)	112	138 ^c
Industrial production index (1995=100)	100	98 ^d
Unemployment (percentage of labour force) ^e	4.9	3.9 ^f
Balance of payments, current account (million US\$)	5233	28444
Tourist arrivals (000s)	2880	3146
GDP (million current US\$)	147980	221580
GDP (per capita current US\$)	33946	48881
Gross fixed capital formation (% of GDP) ^g	20.0	16.0
Labour force participation, adult female pop. (%)	64.0	69.6
Labour force participation, adult male pop. (%)	75.2	77.4 ^h
Employment in industrial sector (%)	23.4	22.3 ⁱ
Employment in agricultural sector (%)	5.2	4.0 ^j
Agricultural production index (1999-2000=100)	107	99
Food production index (1999-2000=100)	107	99
Primary energy production (000s Mt oil equiv.) ^k	186104	236463
Motor vehicles (per 1,000 inhabitants)	474.1	530.3
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants)	56.7	71.3
Internet users, estimated (000s)	280.0	1583.3

Largest export industries		Major trading partners		2003
	(% of exports)		(% of exports)	(% of imports)
Mining quarry	58	UK	21	Sweden 16
Metal manufactures	14	Germany	13	Germany 13
Basic metals	7	Netherlands	10	Denmark 8

Social indicators	1995-2004
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	0.4
Population aged 0-14 years (%)	19.0
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total)	22.0/18.0
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)	102
Life expectancy at birth 2000-2005 (women and men, years)	82/76
Infant mortality rate 2000-2005 (per 1,000 births)	5
Total fertility rate 2000-2005 (births per woman)	1.8
Contraceptive use (% of currently married women)	74 ^l
Urban population (%)	79
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	1.6
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	-3.8
Foreign born (%)	6.9
Refugees and others of concern to UNHCR	46109 ^m
Government education expenditure (% of GNP)	6.9
Primary-secondary gross enrolment ratio (w and m per 100)	108/107
Third-level students (women and men, % of total)	59/41
Newspaper circulation (per 1,000 inhabitants)	569
Television receivers (per 1,000 inhabitants)	461
Intentional homicides (per 100,000 inhabitants)	1
Parliamentary seats (women and men, % of total)	36/64

Environment	1995-2004
Threatened species	30
Forested area (% of land area)	29
CO ₂ emissions (000s Mt/per capita) ⁿ	41589/9.3
Energy consumption per capita (kilograms oil equiv.) ⁱ	6839
Precipitation (mm)	763 ^f
Average minimum and maximum temperatures (centigrade) ^g	2.4/9.6

a 2003. b Official rate. c September 2004. d May 2004. e August 2004. f Persons aged 16 to 74 years. g 2002. h Data classified according to SNA 93. i 2001. j Includes Svalbard and Jan Mayen Islands. k 1988/1989. l Estimated data. m Source: UNFCCC. n Oslo.

Oman

Region	Western Asia
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	Muscat (638) ^a
Currency	rial Omani
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	2935
Surface area (square kms)	309500
Population density (per square km)	9
United Nations membership date	7 October 1971

Economic indicators	1995	2003
Exchange rate (national currency per US\$) ^a	0.38	0.38 ^c
Consumer price index (1990=100)	105 ^d	101 ^e
Balance of payments, current account (million US\$)	-801	1446
Tourist arrivals (000s)	279	817 ^f
GDP (million current US\$)	13800	21060
GDP (per capita current US\$)	6165	7389
Gross fixed capital formation (% of GDP) ^g	15.0	13.0 ^h
Labour force participation, adult female pop. (%)	16.1	...
Labour force participation, adult male pop. (%)	79.3	...
Employment in industrial sector (%)	23.7 ⁱ	...
Employment in agricultural sector (%)	44.7 ^j	...
Agricultural production index (1999-2000=100)	69	95
Food production index (1999-2000=100)	68	95
Primary energy production (000s Mt oil equiv.)	46421	61804 ^k
Motor vehicles (per 1,000 inhabitants) ^l	130.2	151.9
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants)	7.9	9.2 ^m
Internet users, estimated (000s)	10.0 ⁿ	180.0 ^o

Largest export industries		Major trading partners		2003	
(% of exports)		(% of exports)		(% of imports)	
Mining/quarry	77	United Arab Em	5	United Arab Em	22
Other manufactures	8	Iran	4	Japan	17
Food/beverages/tobacco	4	Saudi Arabia	1	USA	6

Social indicators	1995-2004
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	2.9
Population aged 0-14 years (%)	37.0
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total)	4.0/4.0
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)	75
Life expectancy at birth 2000-2005 (women and men, years)	74/71
Infant mortality rate 2000-2005 (per 1,000 births)	20
Total fertility rate 2000-2005 (births per woman)	5.0
Contraceptive use (% of currently married women)	24 ⁿ
Urban population (%)	78
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	3.6
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	0.6
Refugees and others of concern to UNHCR	27
Government education expenditure (% of GNP)	4.4 ^o
Primary-secondary gross enrolment ratio (w and m per 100)	80/82
Third-level students (women and men, % of total)	58/42
Newspaper circulation (per 1,000 inhabitants)	29
Television receivers (per 1,000 inhabitants)	670

Environment	1995-2004
Threatened species	49
CO ₂ emissions (000s Mt/per capita)	19789/7.6
Energy consumption per capita (kilograms oil equiv.)	4429
Precipitation (mm)	98 ^p
Average minimum and maximum temperatures (centigrade) ^q	24.0/33.2

a 2003. b Official rate. c September 2004. d Series replacing former series. e July 2004. f 2002. g Data classified according to SNA 93. h 1990. i 2001. j Trucks only. k Excluding taxis. l 1997. m Including the lactational amenorrhoea method and/or breastfeeding if reported as the current contraceptive method. n Households of nationals of the country. o Estimated data. p Muskat/Seeb.

Pakistan

Region	South-central Asia
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	Karachi (11078) ^a
Currency	rupee
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	157315
Surface area (square kms)	796095
Population density (per square km)	198
United Nations membership date	30 September 1947

Economic indicators	1995	2003
Exchange rate (national currency per US\$)	34.16	59.21 ^a
Consumer price index (1990=100)	170	282 ^a
Industrial production index (1995=100) ^{ab}	100	174 ^a
Unemployment (percentage of labour force) ^{ab}	5.4	7.8 ^a
Balance of payments, current account (million US\$)	-3349	3597
Tourist arrivals (000s)	378	479
GDP (million current US\$)	67320	76530
GDP (per capita current US\$)	538	498
Gross fixed capital formation (% of GDP) ^a	17.0	15.0 ^a
Labour force participation, adult female pop. (%)	12.7	16.3 ^a
Labour force participation, adult male pop. (%)	82.3	83.2 ^a
Employment in industrial sector (%)	18.5	18.0 ^a
Employment in agricultural sector (%)	46.8	48.4 ^a
Agricultural production index (1999-2000=100)	88	104
Food production index (1999-2000=100)	87	105
Primary energy production (000s Mt oil equiv.)	19960	25562 ^a
Motor vehicles (per 1,000 inhabitants)	8.6	11.1 ^a
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants)	1.7	2.7
Internet users, estimated (000s)	0.2	1500.0 ^a

Largest export industries		Major trading partners		2003	
	(% of exports)		(% of exports)	(% of imports)	
Textiles	74	USA	23	Saudi Arabia	11
Food, beverages, tobacco	7	Untd Arab Em	8	Untd Arab Em	11
Metal manufactures	6	UK	8	USA	9

Social indicators	1995-2004
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	2.4
Population aged 0-14 years (%)	41.0
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total)	6.0/6.0
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)	95
Life expectancy at birth 2000-2005 (women and men, years)	61/61
Infant mortality rate 2000-2005 (per 1,000 births)	87
Total fertility rate 2000-2005 (births per woman)	5.1
Contraceptive use (% of currently married women)	24 ^a
Urban population (%)	34
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	3.4
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	1.9
Foreign born (%)	3.0 ^a
Refugees and others of concern to UNHCR	1129656 ^m
Government education expenditure (% of GNP)	1.8 ^a
Primary-secondary gross enrolment ratio (w and m per 100)	39/55
Third-level students (women and men, % of total) ^{pm}	20/80
Newspaper circulation (per 1,000 inhabitants)	27
Television receivers (per 1,000 inhabitants)	24
Parliamentary seats (women and men, % of total)	21/79

Environment	1995-2004
Threatened species	59
Forested area (% of land area)	3
CO ₂ emissions (000s Mt/per capita)	104881/0.7
Energy consumption per capita (kilograms oil equiv.)	291
Precipitation (mm)	1142 ^r
Average minimum and maximum temperatures (centigrade) ^r	14.1/28.6

a 2003. b September 2004. c May 2004. d Calculated by the Statistics Division of the United Nations from component national indices. e Figures relate to 12 months beginning 1 July of the year stated. f July 2004. g Persons aged 10 years and over. h July of preceding year to June of current year. i 2000. j Data refer to fiscal year beginning 1 July. k 2002. l 2001. m 1996/7. n Estimated data. o 1.8 million Afghans. p Not including arts and sciences colleges. q 1991. r Islamabad

Palau

Region	Oceania-Micronesia
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	Koror (14) ^a
Currency	US dollar
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	21
Surface area (square kms)	459
Population density (per square km)	46
United Nations membership date	15 December 1994

Economic indicators	1995	2003
Tourist arrivals (000s)	53	68
GDP (million current US\$)	100	130
GDP (per capita current US\$)	5554	6174
Gross fixed capital formation (% of GDP)	8.0	8.0 ^a
Primary energy production (000s Mt oil equiv.)	3	2 ^c
Internet users, estimated (000s)	-	4.0 ^c

Largest export industries	Major trading partners	2003
(% of exports)	(% of exports)	(% of imports) ^c
...	USA	33
...	Japan	16
...	Singapore	7

Social indicators	1995-2004
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	2.1
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total) ^a	10.0/...
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)	89
Life expectancy at birth 2000-2005 (women and men, years) ^a	69/65
Infant mortality rate 2000-2005 (per 1,000 births)	20 ⁱ
Total fertility rate 2000-2005 (births per woman)	3.0 ^a
Urban population (%)	69
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	1.7
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	2.9
Foreign born (%)	13.6 ^h
Government education expenditure (% of GNP)	9.9 ^h
Primary-secondary gross enrolment ratio (w and m per 100)	96/96
Third-level students (women and men, % of total)	63/37
Parliamentary seats (women and men, % of total)	-/100

Environment	1995-2004
Threatened species	21
CO ₂ emissions (000s Mt/per capita)	242/12.6
Energy consumption per capita (kilograms oil equiv.)	4008
Precipitation (mm)	3746

a 2003. b 2002. c 2001. d 2000. e 1990. f Rates based on 10 or fewer infant deaths. g Data refer to a year between 1985 and 1990. h Estimated data.

Panama

Region	Central America
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	Panama City (930) *
Currency	balboa
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	3177
Surface area (square kms)	75517
Population density (per square km)	42
United Nations membership date	13 November 1945

Economic indicators	1995	2003
Exchange rate (national currency per US\$) ^a	1.00	1.00
Consumer price index (1990=100)	106	117 ^a
Industrial production index (1995=100) ^a	100	117 ^a
Unemployment (percentage of labour force) ^a	14.0	14.1
Balance of payments, current account (million US\$)	-471	-408
Tourist arrivals (000s)	345	566
GDP (million current US\$)	7910	10610
GDP (per capita current US\$)	2961	3400
Gross fixed capital formation (% of GDP)	26.0	27.0
Labour force participation, adult female pop. (%)	42.5	44.8
Labour force participation, adult male pop. (%)	81.3	80.2
Employment in industrial sector (%)	18.1	16.4
Employment in agricultural sector (%)	20.8	21.1
Agricultural production index (1999-2000=100)	99	105
Food production index (1999-2000=100)	99	104
Primary energy production (000s Mt oil equiv.)	208	331
Motor vehicles (per 1,000 inhabitants)	89.4	96.3
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants)	11.6	12.2
Internet users, estimated (000s)	1.5	192.0

Largest export industries		Major trading partners		2003	
	(% of exports)		(% of exports)	(% of imports)	
Agriculture	74	USA	52	USA	35
Food, beverages, tobacco	12	Sweden	6	Japan	6
Chemicals	4	Spain	6	Costa Rica	5

Social indicators	1995-2004
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	1.8
Population aged 0-14 years (%)	31.0
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total)	9.0/8.0
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)	98
Life expectancy at birth 2000-2005 (women and men, years)	77/72
Infant mortality rate 2000-2005 (per 1,000 births)	21
Total fertility rate 2000-2005 (births per woman)	2.7
Contraceptive use (% of currently married women)	58 ^a
Urban population (%)	57
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	2.4
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	1.1
Foreign born (%)	2.8 ^a
Refugees and others of concern to UNHCR	1969
Government education expenditure (% of GNP)	4.5
Primary-secondary gross enrolment ratio (w and m per 100)	89/90
Third-level students (women and men, % of total) ^a	62/38
Newspaper circulation (per 1,000 inhabitants)	62
Television receivers (per 1,000 inhabitants)	183
Intentional homicides (per 100,000 inhabitants)	10
Parliamentary seats (women and men, % of total)	10/90

Environment	1995-2004
Threatened species	254
Forested area (% of land area)	39
CO ₂ emissions (000s Mt/per capita)	6340/2.1
Energy consumption per capita (kilograms oil equiv.)	684

a 2003. b Official rate. c September 2004. d March 2004. e Calculated by the Statistics Division of the United Nations from component national indices. f 1st quarter 2002. g Persons aged 15 years and over. h August of each year. i 2002. j 2001. k 1994. l Estimated data. m 1994.

Papua New Guinea

Region	Oceania-Melanesia
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	Port Moresby (275) ^a
Currency	kina
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	5836
Surface area (square kms)	462840
Population density (per square km)	13
United Nations membership date	10 October 1975

Economic indicators	1995	2003
Exchange rate (national currency per US\$) ^b	1.34	3.21 ^c
Consumer price index (1990=100)	141	258 ^d
Balance of payments, current account (million US\$)	492	282 ^e
Tourist arrivals (000s)	11	56
GDP (million current US\$)	4600	3290
GDP (per capita current US\$)	978	577
Gross fixed capital formation (% of GDP) ^f	20.0	13.0 ^g
Labour force participation, adult female pop. (%)	67.0	...
Labour force participation, adult male pop. (%)	86.9	...
Employment in industrial sector (%)	6.5 ^h	...
Employment in agricultural sector (%)	79.1 ^h	...
Agricultural production index (1999-2000=100)	86	104
Food production index (1999-2000=100)	86	105
Primary energy production (000s Mt oil equiv.)	5156	4152 ^d
Motor vehicles (per 1,000 inhabitants)	11.7 ⁱ	20.6 ^d
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants)	1.0	1.1 ^g
Internet users, estimated (000s)	0.1 ⁱ	75.0 ^g

Largest export industries		Major trading partners		2003
	(% of exports)		(% of exports)	(% of imports)
Mining/quarry	71	Australia	16	Australia 56
Agriculture	15	Japan	4	USA 9
Food, beverages, tobacco	8	UK	3	Singapore 7

Social indicators	1995-2004
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	2.2
Population aged 0-14 years (%)	41.0
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total)	4.0/4.0
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)	94
Life expectancy at birth 2000-2005 (women and men, years)	59/57
Infant mortality rate 2000-2005 (per 1,000 births)	62
Total fertility rate 2000-2005 (births per woman)	4.1
Contraceptive use (% of currently married women)	26
Urban population (%)	13
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	2.3
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	2.2
Foreign born (%)	0.4 ^a
Refugees and others of concern to UNHCR	8227
Government education expenditure (% of GNP)	2.4 ^a
Primary-secondary gross enrolment ratio (w and m per 100)	52/54
Third-level students (women and men, % of total)	36/64
Newspaper circulation (per 1,000 inhabitants)	15
Television receivers (per 1,000 inhabitants)	8
Parliamentary seats (women and men, % of total)	1/99

Environment	1995-2004
Threatened species	284
Forested area (% of land area)	68
CO ₂ emissions (000s Mt/per capita)	2427/0.5
Energy consumption per capita (kilograms oil equiv.)	161
Precipitation (mm)	1150
Average minimum and maximum temperatures (centigrade)	25.4/27.7

a 2003. b Official rate. c September 2004. d 2001. e First quarter 2001. f Data classified according to SNA 93. g 2002. h 1990. i Source: AAMA Motor Vehicle Facts and Figures, American Automobile Manufacturers Association (Michigan) i 1996. k Estimated data.

Paraguay

Region	South America
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	Asunción (1639) ^a
Currency	guarani
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	6018
Surface area (square kms)	406752
Population density (per square km)	15
United Nations membership date	24 October 1945

Economic indicators	1995	2003
Exchange rate (national currency per US\$)	1979.66	5950.00 ^a
Consumer price index (1990=100)	231	492 ^a
Industrial production index (1995=100) ^a	100	106 ^a
Unemployment (percentage of labour force) ^a	4.4 ^a	10.8 ^a
Balance of payments, current account (million US\$)	-92	148
Tourist arrivals (000s)	438	250
GDP (million current US\$)	9020	5890
GDP (per capita current US\$)	1867	1001
Gross fixed capital formation (% of GDP)	23.0	18.0
Labour force participation, adult female pop. (%)	63.2	53.5 ^a
Labour force participation, adult male pop. (%)	91.1	85.3 ^a
Employment in industrial sector (%)	16.7	16.9 ^a
Employment in agricultural sector (%)	40.1	31.9 ^a
Agricultural production index (1999-2000=100)	93	113
Food production index (1999-2000=100)	87	115
Primary energy production (000s Mt oil equiv.)	3415	3901 ^a
Motor vehicles (per 1,000 inhabitants)	69.4	47.8
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants)	3.5	4.6
Internet users, estimated (000s)	1.0 ^a	120.0

Largest export industries	Major trading partners	2003
(% of exports)	(% of exports)	(% of imports)
Agriculture	56 Brazil	34 Brazil
Food, beverages, tobacco	27 Uruguay	20 Argentina
Textiles	7 Cayman Islands	10 China

Social indicators	1995-2004
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	2.4
Population aged 0-14 years (%)	38.0
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total)	6.0/5.0
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)	99
Life expectancy at birth 2000-2005 (women and men, years)	73/69
Infant mortality rate 2000-2005 (per 1,000 births)	37
Total fertility rate 2000-2005 (births per woman)	3.8
Contraceptive use (% of currently married women)	57
Urban population (%)	57
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	3.5
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	0.9
Foreign born (%)	4.6 ^a
Refugees and others of concern to UNHCR	32
Government education expenditure (% of GNP)	4.8 ^a
Primary-secondary gross enrolment ratio (w and m per 100)	88/90
Third-level students (women and men, % of total) ^a	57/43
Newspaper circulation (per 1,000 inhabitants)	43
Television receivers (per 1,000 inhabitants)	101
Intentional homicides (per 100,000 inhabitants)	10
Parliamentary seats (women and men, % of total)	10/90

Environment	1995-2004
Threatened species	48
Forested area (% of land area)	59
CO ₂ emissions (000s Mt/per capita)	3563/0.7
Energy consumption per capita (kilograms oil equiv.)	879
Precipitation (mm)	1333 ^a
Average minimum and maximum temperatures (centigrade) ^a	18.2/28.2

a 2003. b September 2004. c January 2004. d Base: 1990 = 100. e 1998. f Urban areas. g Persons aged 10 years and over. h 1994. i Prior to 1994: Asunción metropolitan area and persons aged 12 years and over, except for 1993: 10 years and over. j 2002. k 2001. l 1996. m 1992. n estimate. o Not including private universities. p Asunción.

Peru

Region	South America
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	Lima (7899) ^a
Currency	new sol
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	27567
Surface area (square kms)	1285216
Population density (per square km)	21
United Nations membership date	31 October 1945

Economic indicators	1995	2003
Exchange rate (national currency per US\$)	2.31	3.34 ^b
Consumer price index (1990=100) ^c	1806	2744 ^c
Industrial production index (1995=100)	100	126 ^a
Unemployment (percentage of labour force)	7.0	7.9 ^a
Balance of payments, current account (million US\$)	-4625	-1061
Tourist arrivals (000s)	541	931
GDP (million current US\$)	53640	60790
GDP (per capita current US\$)	2250	2238
Gross fixed capital formation (% of GDP) ^a	24.0	18.0 ^b
Labour force participation, adult female pop. (%)	49.5	59.0 ^a
Labour force participation, adult male pop. (%)	77.6	79.6 ^a
Employment in industrial sector (%)	25.6	17.9 ^a
Employment in agricultural sector (%)	1.1	8.8 ^a
Agricultural production index (1999-2000=100)	73	110
Food production index (1999-2000=100)	73	111
Primary energy production (000s Mt oil equiv.)	7841	7289 ^a
Motor vehicles (per 1,000 inhabitants)	36.2	53.8
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants)	4.7	6.7
Internet users, estimated (000s)	8.0	2850.0

Largest export industries	Major trading partners	2003
(% of exports)	(% of exports)	(% of imports)
Mining quarry	22 USA	26 USA
Basic metals	21 UK	12 Ecuador
Food, beverages, tobacco	18 China	8 China

Social indicators	1995-2004
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	1.5
Population aged 0-14 years (%)	33.0
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total)	8.0/7.0
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)	99
Life expectancy at birth 2000-2005 (women and men, years)	72/67
Infant mortality rate 2000-2005 (per 1,000 births)	33
Total fertility rate 2000-2005 (births per woman)	2.9
Contraceptive use (% of currently married women)	69
Urban population (%)	74
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	2.0
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	0.1
Foreign born (%)	0.2 ^a
Refugees and others of concern to UNHCR	904
Government education expenditure (% of GNP)	3.5
Primary-secondary gross enrolment ratio (w and m per 100)	104/107
Third-level students (women and men, % of total)	49/51
Newspaper circulation (per 1,000 inhabitants)	85 ^a
Television receivers (per 1,000 inhabitants)	124
Intentional homicides (per 100,000 inhabitants)	2
Parliamentary seats (women and men, % of total)	18/82

Environment	1995-2004
Threatened species	413
Forested area (% of land area)	51
CO ₂ emissions (000s Mt/per capita)	29564/1.1
Energy consumption per capita (kilograms oil equiv.)	377
Precipitation (mm)	13 ^a
Average minimum and maximum temperatures (centigrade) ^a	16.7/22.1

a 2003. b September 2004. c Metropolitan area. d July 2004. e August 2004. f 2001. g Data classified according to SNA 93. h 2002. i Estimated data. j Lima.

Philippines

Region	South-eastern Asia
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	Metro Manila (10352) ^a
Currency	peso
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	81408
Surface area (square kms)	300000
Population density (per square km)	271
United Nations membership date	24 October 1945

Economic indicators	1995	2003
Exchange rate (national currency per US\$)	26.21	56.34 ^b
Consumer price index (1990=100)	161	265 ^c
Unemployment (percentage of labour force) ^d	8.4	9.8 ^e
Balance of payments, current account (million US\$)	-1980	3347
Tourist arrivals (000s)	1760	1907
GDP (million current US\$)	74120	80420
GDP (per capita current US\$)	1084	1005
Gross fixed capital formation (% of GDP)	22.0	20.0
Labour force participation, adult female pop. (%)	49.0	52.8 ^f
Labour force participation, adult male pop. (%)	82.1	82.3 ^f
Employment in industrial sector (%)	15.6	15.6 ^f
Employment in agricultural sector (%)	44.1	37.4 ^f
Agricultural production index (1999-2000=100)	86	112
Food production index (1999-2000=100)	86	112
Primary energy production (000s Mt oil equiv.)	6443	10251 ^g
Motor vehicles (per 1,000 inhabitants)	27.0	34.3 ^h
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants)	2.1	4.1
Internet users, estimated (000s)	20.0	3500.0 ⁱ

Largest export industries	Major trading partners	2003
(% of exports)	(% of exports)	(% of imports)
Metal manufactures	79 USA	20 Japan
Textiles	8 Japan	16 USA
Food, beverages, tobacco	4 China, HK SAR	9 Singapore

Social indicators	1995-2004
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	1.8
Population aged 0-14 years (%)	36.0
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total)	7.0/5.0
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)	99
Life expectancy at birth 2000-2005 (women and men, years)	72/68
Infant mortality rate 2000-2005 (per 1,000 births)	29
Total fertility rate 2000-2005 (births per woman)	3.2
Contraceptive use (% of currently married women)	46 ^j
Urban population (%)	61
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	3.1
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	-0.3
Foreign born (%)	0.2 ^k
Refugees and others of concern to UNHCR	1837
Government education expenditure (% of GNP)	3.1
Primary-secondary gross enrolment ratio (w and m per 100)	102/99
Third-level students (women and men, % of total)	56/44
Newspaper circulation (per 1,000 inhabitants)	79
Television receivers (per 1,000 inhabitants)	52
Intentional homicides (per 100,000 inhabitants)	15
Parliamentary seats (women and men, % of total)	18/82

Environment	1995-2004
Threatened species	409
Forested area (% of land area)	19
CO ₂ emissions (000s Mt/per capita)	77587/1.0
Energy consumption per capita (kilograms oil equiv.)	377
Precipitation (mm)	2201 ^l
Average minimum and maximum temperatures (centigrade) ⁱ	25.2/31.2

a 2003. b September 2004. c May 2004. d Persons aged 15 years and over. e October of each year. f 2001. g 2002. h Including the lactational amenorrhoea method and/or breastfeeding if reported as the current contraceptive method. i Estimated date. j Metro Manila.

Poland

Region	Eastern Europe
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	Katowice (2962) ^a
Currency	zloty
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	38551
Surface area (square kms)	323250
Population density (per square km)	119
United Nations membership date	24 October 1945

Economic indicators	1995	2003
Exchange rate (national currency per US\$) ^b	2.47	3.56 ^c
Consumer price index (1990=100)	557	132 ^d
Industrial production index (1995=100)	100	171 ^e
Unemployment (percentage of labour force) ^f	13.3	19.9 ^g
Balance of payments, current account (million US\$)	854	-4603
Tourist arrivals (000s)	19215	13720
GDP (million current US\$)	132320	206620
GDP (per capita current US\$)	3429	5355
Gross fixed capital formation (% of GDP) ^h	18.0	19.0 ^h
Labour force participation, adult female pop. (%)	51.5	48.6 ⁱ
Labour force participation, adult male pop. (%)	66.8	62.9 ^h
Employment in industrial sector (%)	32.0	30.5 ⁱ
Employment in agricultural sector (%)	22.6	19.1 ⁱ
Agricultural production index (1999-2000=100)	98	97
Food production index (1999-2000=100)	98	97
Primary energy production (000s Mt oil equiv.)	95126	76502 ^j
Motor vehicles (per 1,000 inhabitants)	232.1	351.7
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants)	14.8	31.9
Internet users, estimated (000s)	250.0	8970.0

Largest export industries	Major trading partners	2003
(% of exports)	(% of exports)	(% of imports)
Metal manufactures	52 Germany	32 Germany
Chemicals	12 France	6 Italy
Textiles	7 Italy	6 Russian Fed.

Social indicators	1995-2004
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	-0.1
Population aged 0-14 years (%)	17.0
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total)	20.0/14.0
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)	106
Life expectancy at birth 2000-2005 (women and men, years)	78/70
Infant mortality rate 2000-2005 (per 1,000 births)	9
Total fertility rate 2000-2005 (births per woman)	1.3
Contraceptive use (% of currently married women)	49 ^k
Urban population (%)	62
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	-
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	-0.3
Foreign born (%)	2.1
Refugees and others of concern to UNHCR	3357
Government education expenditure (% of GNP)	5.5
Primary-secondary gross enrolment ratio (w and m per 100)	102/103
Third-level students (women and men, % of total)	58/42
Newspaper circulation (per 1,000 inhabitants)	102
Television receivers (per 1,000 inhabitants)	337
Intentional homicides (per 100,000 inhabitants)	2
Parliamentary seats (women and men, % of total)	21/79

Environment	1995-2004
Threatened species	40
Forested area (% of land area)	30
CO ₂ emissions (000s Mt/per capita) ^l	317844/8.2
Energy consumption per capita (kilograms oil equiv.)	2260
Precipitation (mm)	520 ^m
Average minimum and maximum temperatures (centigrade) ⁿ	-4.0/12.3

a 2003. b Official rate. c September 2004. d May 2004. e Base: 1998=100. f July 2004. g Persons aged 15 years and over. h 2002. i Data classified according to SNA 93. j 2001. k 1991. l Source: UNFCCC. m Warsaw.

Portugal

Region	Southern Europe
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	Lisbon (1962) ^a
Currency	euro ^b
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	10072
Surface area (square kms)	91982
Population density (per square km)	109
United Nations membership date	14 December 1955

Economic indicators	1995	2003
Exchange rate (national currency per US\$)	149.41	0.83 ^c
Consumer price index (1990=100) ^e	142	185 ^f
Industrial production index (1995=100)	100	90 ^g
Unemployment (percentage of labour force) ^h	7.1	5.1
Balance of payments, current account (million US\$)	-132	-7549
Tourist arrivals (000s)	9511	11644 ^h
GDP (million current US\$)	107240	147350
GDP (per capita current US\$)	10814	14645
Gross fixed capital formation (% of GDP) ⁱ	23.0	22.0
Labour force participation, adult female pop. (%)	50.3	54.0 ^j
Labour force participation, adult male pop. (%)	69.0	70.1 ^k
Employment in industrial sector (%)	32.3	34.6 ^l
Employment in agricultural sector (%)	11.6	12.7 ^m
Agricultural production index (1999-2000=100)	97	98
Food production index (1999-2000=100)	97	98
Primary energy production (000s Mt oil equiv.)	773	1349 ⁿ
Motor vehicles (per 1,000 inhabitants) ^o	501.2	792.0
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants)	36.7	41.1
Internet users, estimated (000s)	150.0	2000.0 ^p

Largest export industries	Major trading partners	2003
(% of exports) ^h	(% of exports) ^h	(% of imports) ^h
Metal manufactures	43 Spain	21 Spain
Textiles	23 Germany	18 Germany
Chemicals	10 France	13 France

Social indicators	1995-2004
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	0.1
Population aged 0-14 years (%)	17.0
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total)	24.0/18.0
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)	108
Life expectancy at birth 2000-2005 (women and men, years)	80/73
Infant mortality rate 2000-2005 (per 1,000 births)	6
Total fertility rate 2000-2005 (births per woman)	1.5
Contraceptive use (% of currently married women)	66 ^l
Urban population (%)	55
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	1.1
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	-1.0
Foreign born (%)	4.6 ⁿ
Refugees and others of concern to UNHCR	418 ⁿ
Government education expenditure (% of GNP)	5.9
Primary-secondary gross enrolment ratio (w and m per 100)	119/116
Third-level students (women and men, % of total)	57/43
Newspaper circulation (per 1,000 inhabitants)	32
Television receivers (per 1,000 inhabitants)	333
Intentional homicides (per 100,000 inhabitants)	2
Parliamentary seats (women and men, % of total)	19/81

Environment	1995-2004
Threatened species	141
Forested area (% of land area)	40
CO ₂ emissions (000s Mt/per capita) ^o	64892/6.5
Energy consumption per capita (kilograms oil equiv.)	1907
Precipitation (mm)	751 ^r
Average minimum and maximum temperatures (centigrade) ^s	12.8/20.8

a 2003. b Prior to 1 January 1999, escudo. c August 2004. d Euro per US dollar. e Excluding Rent. f June 2004. g Persons aged 15 years and over. h 2002. i Data classified according to SNA 93. j 2001. k Excluding Madeira and Azores. l 1979/80. m 1991. n Estimated data. o Source: UNFCCC. p Lisbon.

Puerto Rico

Region	Caribbean
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	San Juan (2332) ^a
Currency	US dollar
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	3898
Surface area (square kms)	8875
Population density (per square km)	439

Economic indicators	1995	2003
Consumer price index (1990=100)	118	211 ^b
Unemployment (percentage of labour force) ^{ca}	13.7	12.3 ^c
Tourist arrivals (000s)	3131	3238
GDP (million current US\$)	45340	80730
GDP (per capita current US\$)	12309	20812
Gross fixed capital formation (% of GDP) ^d	17.0	17.0 ^e
Labour force participation, adult female pop. (%)	33.7	34.9 ^f
Labour force participation, adult male pop. (%)	60.4	59.1 ^g
Employment in industrial sector (%)	22.8	21.7 ^h
Employment in agricultural sector (%)	2.9	2.0 ⁱ
Agricultural production index (1999-2000=100)	103	100
Food production index (1999-2000=100)	103	100
Primary energy production (000s Mt oil equiv.)	9	10 ^j
Motor vehicles (per 1,000 inhabitants) ^k	507.1	559.2
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants) ^l	32.6	33.1 ^m
Internet users, estimated (000s)	5.0	677.0 ⁿ

Social indicators	1995-2004
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	0.5
Population aged 0-14 years (%)	23.0
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total)	18.0/15.0
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)	109
Life expectancy at birth 2000-2005 (women and men, years)	80/71
Infant mortality rate 2000-2005 (per 1,000 births)	10
Total fertility rate 2000-2005 (births per woman)	1.9
Contraceptive use (% of currently married women)	78 ^l
Urban population (%)	97
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	1.1
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	-14.5
Foreign born (%)	9.1 ⁿ
Third-level students (women and men, % of total) ^o	60/40
Newspaper circulation (per 1,000 inhabitants)	127
Television receivers (per 1,000 inhabitants)	273
Intentional homicides (per 100,000 inhabitants) ^p	18

Environment	1995-2004
Threatened species	84
Forested area (% of land area)	26
CO ₂ emissions (000s Mt/per capita)	16221/0.0
Energy consumption per capita (kilograms oil equiv.)	1264
Precipitation (mm)	1631
Average minimum and maximum temperatures (centigrade)	23.6/27.2

a 2003. b July 2004. c Persons aged 16 years and over. d Excl. persons temporarily laid off. e 2002. f Data refer to fiscal year beginning 1 July. g 2000. h 2001. i Data refer to fiscal years beginning 1 July. j Switched access lines. k Data refer to the Puerto Rico Telephone Authority. l 1995/6. m 1990. n 1981.

Qatar

Region	Western Asia
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	Doha (286) ^a
Currency	riyal
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	619
Surface area (square kms)	11000
Population density (per square km)	56
United Nations membership date	21 September 1971

Economic indicators	1995	2003
Exchange rate (national currency per US\$) ^b	3.64	3.64 ^c
Consumer price index (1990=100)	111	131 ^d
Unemployment (percentage of labour force)	...	3.9 ^e
Tourist arrivals (000s)	294	76 ^f
GDP (million current US\$)	8140	21160
GDP (per capita current US\$)	15562	34685
Gross fixed capital formation (% of GDP) ^g	30.0	22.0 ^h
Labour force participation, adult female pop. (%)	33.9	...
Labour force participation, adult male pop. (%)	91.3	...
Employment in industrial sector (%)	32.1 ⁱ	...
Employment in agricultural sector (%)	2.6 ^j	...
Agricultural production index (1999-2000=100)	105	119
Food production index (1999-2000=100)	105	119
Primary energy production (000s Mt oil equiv.)	33638	67252 ^k
Motor vehicles (per 1,000 inhabitants)	407.1	565.4 ^l
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants)	22.3	28.9
Internet users, estimated (000s)	1.0	126.0

Largest export industries	Major trading partners	2003
(% of exports)	(% of exports)	(% of imports)
Mining quarry	81 Japan	29 USA
Chemicals	13 Korea Rep.	21 Japan
Basic metals	3 Singapore	12 Italy

Social indicators	1995-2004
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	1.5
Population aged 0-14 years (%)	26.0
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total)	3.0/4.0
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)	58
Life expectancy at birth 2000-2005 (women and men, years)	75/71
Infant mortality rate 2000-2005 (per 1,000 births)	12
Total fertility rate 2000-2005 (births per woman)	3.2
Contraceptive use (% of currently married women)	43 ^k
Urban population (%)	92
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	1.7
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	-0.6
Foreign born (%)	70.4 ^k
Refugees and others of concern to UNHCR	96
Government education expenditure (% of GNP)	3.1 ^l
Primary-secondary gross enrolment ratio (w and m per 100)	98/98
Third-level students (women and men, % of total)	73/27
Newspaper circulation (per 1,000 inhabitants)	146
Television receivers (per 1,000 inhabitants)	421

Environment	1995-2004
Threatened species	11
Forested area (% of land area)	<
CO ₂ emissions (000s Mt/per capita)	40715/70.1
Energy consumption per capita (kilograms oil equiv.)	29766
Precipitation (mm)	75 ^m
Average minimum and maximum temperatures (centigrade) ⁿ	21.6/32.7

a 2003. b Official rate. c September 2004. d 2000. e 2001. f Data classified according to SNA 93. g 2002. h 1990. i Including the lactational amenorrhoea method and/or breastfeeding if reported as the current contraceptive method. j Households of nationals of the country. k Estimated data. l 1994. m Doha.

Republic of Moldova

Region	Eastern Europe
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	Kishinev (662) ^a
Currency	leu
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	4263
Surface area (square kms)	33851
Population density (per square km)	126
United Nations membership date	2 March 1992

Economic indicators	1995	2003
Exchange rate (national currency per US\$) ^a	4.50	12.16 ^c
Consumer price index (1990=100) ^d	13064	50741 ^e
Unemployment (percentage of labour force) ^f	1.0	7.9
Balance of payments, current account (million US\$)	-88	-142
Tourist arrivals (000s)	32	21
GDP (million current US\$)	1440	1960
GDP (per capita current US\$)	332	459
Gross fixed capital formation (% of GDP) ^g	16.0	17.0
Labour force participation, adult female pop. (%)	60.3	...
Labour force participation, adult male pop. (%)	73.3	...
Employment in industrial sector (%)	...	13.9 ^h
Employment in agricultural sector (%)	33.0 ⁱ	51.0 ^j
Agricultural production index (1999-2000=100)	143	100 ^k
Food production index (1999-2000=100)	144	102
Primary energy production (000s Mt oil equiv.)	28	6 ^l
Motor vehicles (per 1,000 inhabitants)	41.2 ^m	63.5
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants)	13.0	21.9
Internet users, estimated (000s)	0.2	288.0

Largest export industries	Major trading partners	2003
(% of exports)	(% of exports)	(% of imports)
Food, beverages, tobacco	50 Russian Fed.	39 Ukraine
Textiles	20 Romania	11 Russian Fed.
Agriculture	13 Italy	10 Germany

Social indicators	1995-2004
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	-0.1
Population aged 0-14 years (%)	20.0
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total)	16.0/11.0
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)	109
Life expectancy at birth 2000-2005 (women and men, years)	72/66
Infant mortality rate 2000-2005 (per 1,000 births)	18
Total fertility rate 2000-2005 (births per woman)	1.4
Contraceptive use (% of currently married women)	74 ^k
Urban population (%)	46
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	0.1
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	-0.3
Foreign born (%)	13.6 ^k
Refugees and others of concern to UNHCR	242
Government education expenditure (% of GNP)	3.8
Primary-secondary gross enrolment ratio (w and m per 100)	78/76
Third-level students (women and men, % of total)	57/43
Newspaper circulation (per 1,000 inhabitants)	153
Television receivers (per 1,000 inhabitants)	292
Intentional homicides (per 100,000 inhabitants)	10
Parliamentary seats (women and men, % of total)	13/87

Environment	1995-2004
Threatened species	26
Forested area (% of land area)	10
CO ₂ emissions (000s Mt/per capita)	6574/1.5
Energy consumption per capita (kilograms oil equiv.)	864
Precipitation (mm)	547

a 2003. b Official rate. c September 2004. d Base 1992=100. e April 2004. f December of each year. g Data classified according to SNA 93. h 2001. i 1990. j Excluding Transnistria region. k For all sexually active women of childbearing age. l 1989.

Réunion

Region	Eastern Africa
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	Saint-Denis (178) ^a
Currency	French franc
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	767
Surface area (square kms)	2510
Population density (per square km)	305

Economic indicators	1995	2003
Consumer price index (1990=100)	116	135 ^a
Unemployment (percentage of labour force) ^a	34.4 ^a	...
Tourist arrivals (000s)	304	432
GDP (million current US\$)	7420	11050
GDP (per capita current US\$)	11177	14614
Gross fixed capital formation (% of GDP)	28.0	28.0 ^a
Labour force participation, adult female pop. (%)	47.3	...
Labour force participation, adult male pop. (%)	67.0	...
Employment in industrial sector (%)	18.1 ⁱ	...
Employment in agricultural sector (%)	6.9 ⁱ	...
Agricultural production index (1999-2000=100)	92	100
Food production index (1999-2000=100)	92	100
Primary energy production (000s Mt oil equiv.)	52	48 ^a
Motor vehicles (per 1,000 inhabitants)	279.7	371.3
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants)	33.1	41.0 ^a
Internet users, estimated (000s)	9.0 ^a	180.0

Social indicators	1995-2004
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	1.5
Population aged 0-14 years (%)	27.0
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total)	11.0/8.0
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)	105
Life expectancy at birth 2000-2005 (women and men, years)	79/71
Infant mortality rate 2000-2005 (per 1,000 births)	8
Total fertility rate 2000-2005 (births per woman)	2.3
Contraceptive use (% of currently married women)	67 ^h
Urban population (%)	91
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	2.0
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	-4.1
Foreign born (%)	14.7
Primary-secondary gross enrolment ratio (w and m per 100) ^a	109/106
Newspaper circulation (per 1,000 inhabitants)	83
Television receivers (per 1,000 inhabitants)	185

Environment	1995-2004
Threatened species	45
Forested area (% of land area)	28
CO ₂ emissions (000s Mt/per capita)	1568/0.0
Energy consumption per capita (kilograms oil equiv.)	1098
Precipitation (mm)	1526 ^a
Average minimum and maximum temperatures (centigrade) ^a	20.7/26.3

a 2003. b August 2004. c Persons aged 16 years and over. d 1993. e 2002. f 1990. g 2001. h 1998. i Including visiting unions. j Estimated data. k See technical note for this series. l Saint-Denis/Gillot.

Romania

Region	Eastern Europe
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	Bucharest (1853) ^a
Currency	leu
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	22280
Surface area (square kms)	238391
Population density (per square km)	93
United Nations membership date	14 December 1955

Economic indicators	1995	2003
Exchange rate (national currency per US\$) ^a	2578.00	33340.00 ^a
Consumer price index (1990=100) ^a	3461	88087 ^a
Industrial production index (1995=100)	100	98 ^h
Unemployment (percentage of labour force) ^b	8.0 ⁱ	8.4 ⁱ
Balance of payments, current account (million US\$)	-1780	-3311
Tourist arrivals (000s)	2757	3204 ⁱ
GDP (million current US\$)	35480	56950
GDP (per capita current US\$)	1564	2550
Gross fixed capital formation (% of GDP) ^a	21.0	21.0 ⁱ
Labour force participation, adult female pop. (%)	60.4	55.7 ⁱ
Labour force participation, adult male pop. (%)	74.3	69.2 ⁱ
Employment in industrial sector (%)	31.0	26.2 ⁱ
Employment in agricultural sector (%)	40.3	42.3 ⁱ
Agricultural production index (1999-2000=100)	113	105
Food production index (1999-2000=100)	113	106
Primary energy production (000s Mt oil equiv.)	31837	26741 ⁱ
Motor vehicles (per 1,000 inhabitants)	113.8	166.2 ⁱ
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants)	13.1	19.9
Internet users, estimated (000s)	17.0	4000.0

Largest export industries		Major trading partners		2003	
	(% of exports)		(% of exports)	(% of imports)	
Textiles	34	Italy	24	Italy	20
Metal manufactures	30	Germany	16	Germany	15
Chemicals	13	France	7	Russian Fed.	8

Social indicators	1995-2004
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	-0.2
Population aged 0-14 years (%)	16.0
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total)	21.0/16.0
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)	105
Life expectancy at birth 2000-2005 (women and men, years)	74/67
Infant mortality rate 2000-2005 (per 1,000 births)	20
Total fertility rate 2000-2005 (births per woman)	1.3
Contraceptive use (% of currently married women)	64
Urban population (%)	55
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	-0.2
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	-0.3
Foreign born (%)	0.6
Refugees and others of concern to UNHCR	2323
Government education expenditure (% of GNP)	3.6 ⁿ
Primary-secondary gross enrolment ratio (w and m per 100)	87/87
Third-level students (women and men, % of total)	54/46
Newspaper circulation (per 1,000 inhabitants)	300
Television receivers (per 1,000 inhabitants)	233
Intentional homicides (per 100,000 inhabitants)	4
Parliamentary seats (women and men, % of total)	9/91

Environment	1995-2004
Threatened species	60
Forested area (% of land area)	28
CO ₂ emissions (000s Mt/per capita)	111395/5.0
Energy consumption per capita (kilograms oil equiv.)	1540
Precipitation (mm)	595 ^a
Average minimum and maximum temperatures (centigrade) ^a	5.7/16.5

a 2003. b Principal rate. c September 2004. d Base: 1991=100. e July 2004. f August 2004. g Monthly indices are adjusted for differences in the number of working days. h Persons aged 15 years and over. i March: persons aged 14 years and over. j 2002. k Data classified according to SNA 93. l 2001. m Estimated data. n Bucharest.

Russian Federation

Region	Eastern Europe
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	Moscow (10469) *
Currency	ruble
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	142397
Surface area (square kms)	17075400
Population density (per square km)	8
United Nations membership date	24 October 1945

Economic indicators	1995	2003
Exchange rate (national currency per US\$) ^b	4.64	29.22 ^c
Consumer price index (1990=100) ^d	192521	16657 ^e
Industrial production index (1995=100) ^f	100	55 ^g
Unemployment (percentage of labour force) ^h	9.5	8.9 ⁱ
Balance of payments, current account (million US\$)	6965	35845
Tourist arrivals (000s)	10290	7943 ^j
GDP (million current US\$)	313330	433490
GDP (per capita current US\$)	2115	3026
Gross fixed capital formation (% of GDP) ^k	21.0	18.0
Labour force participation, adult female pop. (%)	51.5	54.0 ^l
Labour force participation, adult male pop. (%)	69.6	67.3 ^m
Employment in industrial sector (%)	34.0	29.4 ⁿ
Employment in agricultural sector (%)	15.7	11.8 ^o
Agricultural production index (1999-2000=100)	100	109
Food production index (1999-2000=100)	100	109
Primary energy production (000s Mt oil equiv.)	979969	1021936
Motor vehicles (per 1,000 inhabitants)	116.6	192.9
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants)	16.9	24.2 ^p
Internet users, estimated (000s)	220.0	6000.0 ^q

Largest export industries		Major trading partners		2003	
	(% of exports)		(% of exports)	(% of imports)	
Mining quarry	43	Netherlands	6	Germany	14
Chemicals	16	China	6	Belarus	9
Other manufactures	14	Belarus	6	Ukraine	8

Social indicators	1995-2004
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	-0.6
Population aged 0-14 years (%)	15.0
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total)	22.0/13.0
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)	114
Life expectancy at birth 2000-2005 (women and men, years)	73/61
Infant mortality rate 2000-2005 (per 1,000 births)	16
Total fertility rate 2000-2005 (births per woman)	1.1
Contraceptive use (% of currently married women)	73 ^r
Urban population (%)	73
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	-0.6
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	-0.5
Refugees and others of concern to UNHCR	805581
Government education expenditure (% of GNP)	3.2
Primary-secondary gross enrolment ratio (w and m per 100)	98/97
Third-level students (women and men, % of total)	57/43
Newspaper circulation (per 1,000 inhabitants)	105
Television receivers (per 1,000 inhabitants)	411
Intentional homicides (per 100,000 inhabitants)	30
Parliamentary seats (women and men, % of total)	8/92

Environment	1995-2004
Threatened species	144
Forested area (% of land area)	50
CO ₂ emissions (000s Mt/per capita) ^s	1495920/10.
Energy consumption per capita (kilograms oil equiv.)	4194
Precipitation (mm)	637 ^t
Average minimum and maximum temperatures (centigrade) ^u	-1.8/8.3

a 2003. b Official rate. c September 2004. d Base: 1991=100. e July 2004. f Base: 1990 = 100. g 1st quarter 2001. h October of each year. i Persons aged 15 to 72 years. j 2001. k 2002. l Data classified according to SNA 93. m 1999. n For women aged 15-44 in union living in the cities of Ivanovo, Yekaterinburg and Perm. o Source: UNFCCC. p St. Petersburg.

Rwanda

Region	Eastern Africa
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	Kigali (656) *
Currency	franc
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	8481
Surface area (square kms)	26338
Population density (per square km)	322
United Nations membership date	18 September 1962

Economic indicators	1995	2003
Exchange rate (national currency per US\$) ^a	299.81	573.22 ^b
Consumer price index (1990=100)	147 ^c	430
Unemployment (percentage of labour force) ^d	0.6 ^e	...
Balance of payments, current account (million US\$)	57	-126 ^f
Tourist arrivals (000s)	1	113 ^g
GDP (million current US\$)	1280	1550
GDP (per capita current US\$)	250	185
Gross fixed capital formation (% of GDP)	14.0	18.0 ^h
Labour force participation, adult female pop. (%)	83.5	...
Labour force participation, adult male pop. (%)	93.6	...
Employment in industrial sector (%)	3.4 ⁱ	...
Employment in agricultural sector (%)	91.7 ^j	...
Agricultural production index (1999-2000=100)	69	113 ^k
Food production index (1999-2000=100)	68	113
Primary energy production (000s Mt oil equiv.)	14	15 ^l
Motor vehicles (per 1,000 inhabitants)	0.6	3.5 ^m
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants)	0.1	0.3 ⁿ
Internet users, estimated (000s)	0.1 ^o	25.0 ^p

Largest export industries		Major trading partners		2003
	(% of exports)		(% of exports)	(% of imports)
Agriculture	52	Kenya	41	28
Mining/quarry	23	Uganda	27	12
Chemicals	7	Tanzania	8	8

Social indicators	1995-2004
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	2.2
Population aged 0-14 years (%)	45.0
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total)	4.0/4.0
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)	110
Life expectancy at birth 2000-2005 (women and men, years)	40/39
Infant mortality rate 2000-2005 (per 1,000 births)	112
Total fertility rate 2000-2005 (births per woman)	5.7
Contraceptive use (% of currently married women)	13 ^q
Urban population (%)	18
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	11.6
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	0.2
Foreign born (%)	1.2 ^r
Refugees and others of concern to UNHCR	62924
Government education expenditure (% of GNP)	2.8 ^s
Primary-secondary gross enrolment ratio (w and m per 100)	64/71
Third-level students (women and men, % of total) ^t	34/66
Newspaper circulation (per 1,000 inhabitants)	<
Television receivers (per 1,000 inhabitants)	<
Parliamentary seats (women and men, % of total)	45/55

Environment	1995-2004
Threatened species	22
Forested area (% of land area)	12
CO ₂ emissions (000s Mt/per capita)	572/0.1
Energy consumption per capita (kilograms oil equiv.)	24
Precipitation (mm)	1028

a 2003. b Official rate. c September 2004. d 1993. e Socio-demographic survey. Persons aged 10 to 65 years. f 1996. g 2002. h 2001. i 1990. j Including the lactational amenorrhoea method and/or breastfeeding if reported as the current contraceptive method. k Preliminary or provisional. l Estimated data. m 1989.

Saint Kitts and Nevis

Region	Caribbean
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	Basse-Terre (13) *
Currency	EC dollar
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	42
Surface area (square kms)	261
Population density (per square km)	160
United Nations membership date	23 September 1983

Economic indicators	1995	2003
Exchange rate (national currency per US\$) ^a	2.70	2.70 ^c
Consumer price index (1990=100)	114	138 ^d
Balance of payments, current account (million US\$)	-45	-124 ^e
Tourist arrivals (000s)	79	68 ^f
GDP (million current US\$)	230	370
GDP (per capita current US\$)	5298	8927
Gross fixed capital formation (% of GDP) ^g	46.0	47.0 ^h
Employment in industrial sector (%)	27.4 ⁱ	...
Employment in agricultural sector (%)	13.8 ^j	...
Agricultural production index (1999-2000=100)	97	99
Food production index (1999-2000=100)	97	99
Motor vehicles (per 1,000 inhabitants)	170.5	272.8 ^k
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants)	33.8	50.0 ^l
Internet users, estimated (000s)	0.9 ^m	10.0 ⁿ

Largest export industries	Major trading partners	2003
(% of exports)	(% of exports)	(% of imports)
Metal manufactures	68 USA	72 USA
Food, beverages, tobacco	24 UK	24 Trinidad Tbg
Paper and products	3 Dominica	1 Canada

Social indicators	1995-2004
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	-0.3
Population aged 0-14 years (%)	31.0
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total)	9.0/8.0
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)	99
Life expectancy at birth 2000-2005 (women and men, years)	72/68
Infant mortality rate 2000-2005 (per 1,000 births)	28 ^a
Total fertility rate 2000-2005 (births per woman)	2.4
Contraceptive use (% of currently married women)	41 ^b
Urban population (%)	32
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	-0.9
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	-
Foreign born (%)	10.2 ^c
Government education expenditure (% of GNP)	8.5
Third-level students (women and men, % of total) ^d	55/45
Intentional homicides (per 100,000 inhabitants)	14
Parliamentary seats (women and men, % of total)	13/87

Environment	1995-2004
Threatened species	51
Forested area (% of land area)	11
CO ₂ emissions (000s Mt/per capita)	103/2.4
Energy consumption per capita (kilograms oil equiv.)	847

a 2003. b Official rate. c September 2004. d 2000. e 2002. f Gross capital formation. g 1991. h 1999. i 1996. j 2001. k Data tabulated by date of registration rather than occurrence. l 1984. m Including visiting unions. n Estimated data. o 1992.

Saint Lucia

Region	Caribbean
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	Castries (14) *
Currency	EC dollar
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	150
Surface area (square kms)	539
Population density (per square km)	279
United Nations membership date	18 September 1979

Economic indicators	1995	2003
Exchange rate (national currency per US\$) ^a	2.70	2.70 ^c
Consumer price index (1990=100)	123	149 ^d
Unemployment (percentage of labour force)	...	20.5 ^e
Balance of payments, current account (million US\$)	-33	-104 ^f
Tourist arrivals (000s)	231	277
GDP (million current US\$)	550	690
GDP (per capita current US\$)	3955	4611
Gross fixed capital formation (% of GDP)	25.0	21.0
Employment in industrial sector (%)	25.4	19.2 ^g
Employment in agricultural sector (%)	24.2	21.7 ^h
Agricultural production index (1999-2000=100)	138	98
Food production index (1999-2000=100)	138	98
Motor vehicles (per 1,000 inhabitants)	89.3	172.1 ⁱ
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants)	21.4	32.0 ^j
Internet users, estimated (000s)	0.5	13.0 ^k

Largest export industries	Major trading partners	2003
(% of exports)	(% of exports)	(% of imports)
Agriculture	28 UK	30 USA
Metal manufactures	26 USA	20 Trinidad Tbg
Food, beverages, tobacco	19 Trinidad Tbg	16 UK

Social indicators	1995-2004
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	0.8
Population aged 0-14 years (%)	30.0
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total)	9.0/7.0
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)	103
Life expectancy at birth 2000-2005 (women and men, years)	74/71
Infant mortality rate 2000-2005 (per 1,000 births)	15
Total fertility rate 2000-2005 (births per woman)	2.3
Contraceptive use (% of currently married women)	47 ^k
Urban population (%)	30
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	2.1
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	0.2
Foreign born (%)	5.0
Government education expenditure (% of GNP)	7.7 ^l
Primary-secondary gross enrolment ratio (w and m per 100)	103/97
Third-level students (women and men, % of total)	46/54
Television receivers (per 1,000 inhabitants)	221
Intentional homicides (per 100,000 inhabitants)	16
Parliamentary seats (women and men, % of total)	11/89

Environment	1995-2004
Threatened species	18
Forested area (% of land area)	15
CO ₂ emissions (000s Mt/per capita)	337/2.3
Energy consumption per capita (kilograms oil equiv.)	731

a 2003. b Official rate. c September 2004. d June 2004. e 1997. f 2002. g 1999. h 1996. i 2001. j 1988. k Including visiting unions. l Estimated data.

Saint Vincent and the Grenadines

Region	Caribbean
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	Kingstown (29) *
Currency	EC dollar
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	121
Surface area (square kms)	388
Population density (per square km)	311
United Nations membership date	16 September 1980

Economic indicators		1995	2003
Exchange rate (national currency per US\$) ^b		2.70	2.70
Consumer price index (1990=100)		118	135
Unemployment (percentage of labour force)		19.8 ^a	...
Balance of payments, current account (million US\$)		-41	-42
Tourist arrivals (000s)		60	79
GDP (million current US\$)		260	380
GDP (per capita current US\$)		2312	3137
Gross fixed capital formation (% of GDP)		30.0	30.0 ^c
Employment in industrial sector (%)		21.3 ^d	...
Employment in agricultural sector (%)		24.8 ^e	...
Agricultural production index (1999-2000=100)		133	107
Food production index (1999-2000=100)		134	107
Primary energy production (000s Mt oil equiv.)		2	2 ^f
Motor vehicles (per 1,000 inhabitants)		78.9	117.4 ^g
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants)		16.5	23.4 ^h
Internet users, estimated (000s)		0.1	7.0 ⁱ
Largest export industries		Major trading partners	
(%) of exports		(%) of exports	(%) of imports
Agriculture	46	UK	29
Food, beverages, tobacco	27	USA	13
Metal manufactures	17	Barbados	11
		UK	7

Social indicators	1995-2004
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	0.6
Population aged 0-14 years (%)	30.0
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total)	10.0/8.0
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)	99
Life expectancy at birth 2000-2005 (women and men, years)	76/73
Infant mortality rate 2000-2005 (per 1,000 births)	16
Total fertility rate 2000-2005 (births per woman)	2.2
Contraceptive use (% of currently married women)	58 ^b
Urban population (%)	58
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	2.6
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	-2.1
Foreign born (%)	4.0 ^c
Government education expenditure (% of GNP)	10.0
Primary-secondary gross enrolment ratio (w and m per 100)	88/85
Third-level students (women and men, % of total)	68/32
Newspaper circulation (per 1,000 inhabitants)	9
Television receivers (per 1,000 inhabitants)	157
Intentional homicides (per 100,000 inhabitants)	11
Parliamentary seats (women and men, % of total)	23/77

Environment	1995-2004
Threatened species	23
Forested area (% of land area)	15
CO ₂ emissions (000s Mt/per capita)	169/1.4
Energy consumption per capita (kilograms oil equiv.)	567

a 2003. b Official rate. c September 2004. d August 2004. e 1991. f 2002. g 2001. h 1988. i Including visiting unions. j 1989.

Samoa

Region	Oceania-Polynesia
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	Apia (40) *
Currency	tala
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	180
Surface area (square kms)	2831
Population density (per square km)	64
United Nations membership date	15 December 1976

Economic indicators	1995	2003
Exchange rate (national currency per US\$) ^a	2.53	2.77 ^c
Consumer price index (1990=100) ^d	130	156
Balance of payments, current account (million US\$)	9	-19 ^e
Tourist arrivals (000s)	68	92
GDP (million current US\$)	200	320
GDP (per capita current US\$)	1210	1807
Gross fixed capital formation (% of GDP)	40.0	50.0 ^f
Agricultural production index (1993-2000=100)	91	101
Food production index (1993-2000=100)	91	101
Primary energy production (000s Mt oil equiv.)	2	3 ^g
Motor vehicles (per 1,000 inhabitants)	36.9	...
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants)	4.6	7.3
Internet users, estimated (000s)	-	4.0 ^h

Largest export industries		Major trading partners		2003	
	(% of exports)		(% of exports)	(% of imports)	
Metal manufactures	74	Australia	71	New Zealand	36
Agriculture	10	USA	13	Australia	22
Food, beverages, tobacco	7	UK	4	USA	14

Social indicators	1995-2004
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	1.0
Population aged 0-14 years (%)	40.0
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total)	8.0/5.0
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)	92
Life expectancy at birth 2000-2005 (women and men, years)	73/67
Infant mortality rate 2000-2005 (per 1,000 births)	26
Total fertility rate 2000-2005 (births per woman)	4.1
Contraceptive use (% of currently married women)	34 ^b
Urban population (%)	22
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	1.3
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	0.9
Foreign born (%)	4.6 ^c
Government education expenditure (% of GNP)	4.5 ^d
Primary-secondary gross enrolment ratio (w and m per 100)	85/87
Third-level students (women and men, % of total)	44/56
Television receivers (per 1,000 inhabitants)	62
Parliamentary seats (women and men, % of total)	6/94

Environment	1995-2004
Threatened species	19
Forested area (% of land area)	37
CO ₂ emissions (000s Mt/per capita)	139/0.8
Energy consumption per capita (kilograms oil equiv.)	294
Precipitation (mm)	2928

a 2003. b Official rate. c September 2004. d Excluding Rent. e 1999. f 2002. g 2001. h 1990. i Estimated data.

San Marino

Region	Southern Europe
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	San Marino (5) ^a
Currency	euro ^b
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	28
Surface area (square kms)	61
Population density (per square km)	457
United Nations membership date	2 March 1992

Economic indicators	1995	2003
Exchange rate (national currency per US\$)	1584.72	0.81 ^c
Consumer price index (1990=100)	132	143 ^d
Unemployment (percentage of labour force) ^e	3.9	3.6 ^f
Tourist arrivals (000s)	535	45 ^g
GDP (million current US\$)	710	1060
GDP (per capita current US\$)	28280	38397
Gross fixed capital formation (% of GDP)	38.0	39.0
Labour force participation, adult female pop. (%)	54.6	...
Labour force participation, adult male pop. (%)	75.8	...
Employment in industrial sector (%)	41.0	40.2 ^g
Employment in agricultural sector (%)	1.5	1.3 ^g
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants)	64.4	76.6
Internet users, estimated (000s)	0.4	14.5

Social indicators	1995-2004
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	1.0
Population aged 0-14 years (%)	15.0
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total)	23.0/20.0
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)	116
Infant mortality rate 2000-2005 (per 1,000 births)	...
Urban population (%)	89
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	0.9
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	1.4
Foreign born (%)	34.6 ^g
Third-level students (women and men, % of total)	58/42
Newspaper circulation (per 1,000 inhabitants)	70
Television receivers (per 1,000 inhabitants)	163
Intentional homicides (per 100,000 inhabitants)	...
Parliamentary seats (women and men, % of total)	17/83

Environment	1995-2004
Threatened species	2

a 2003. b Prior to 1 January 1999, Italian lire. c September 2004. d 1999. e 31st December of each year. f 2002. g Estimated data.

Sao Tome and Principe

Region	Middle Africa
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	Sao Tome (54) ^a
Currency	dobra
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	165
Surface area (square kms)	964
Population density (per square km)	171
United Nations membership date	16 September 1975

Economic indicators	1995	2003
Exchange rate (national currency per US\$) ^a	1756.87	9699.40 ^a
Balance of payments, current account (million US\$)	-14 ^d	-23 ^e
Tourist arrivals (000s)	6	8 ^f
GDP (million current US\$)	50	60
GDP (per capita current US\$)	347	364
Gross fixed capital formation (% of GDP)	41.0 ^g	44.0 ^g
Agricultural production index (1999-2000=100)	74	102
Food production index (1999-2000=100)	74	102
Primary energy production (000s Mt oil equiv.)	1	1 ^h
Motor vehicles (per 1,000 inhabitants)	26.9	...
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants)	2.0	4.6
Internet users, estimated (000s)	0.9 ^h	15.0

Largest export industries		Major trading partners		2003	
	(% of exports)		(% of exports)	(% of imports)	
Agriculture	94	Netherlands	39	Portugal	64
Metal manufactures	5	Portugal	36	Belgium	12
		Belgium	15	Angola	10

Social indicators	1995-2004
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	2.5
Population aged 0-14 years (%)	41.0
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total)	7.0/6.0
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)	102
Life expectancy at birth 2000-2005 (women and men, years)	73/67
Infant mortality rate 2000-2005 (per 1,000 births)	32
Total fertility rate 2000-2005 (births per woman)	4.0
Urban population (%)	38
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	2.7
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	2.4
Foreign born (%)	4.9 ^g
Primary-secondary gross enrolment ratio (w and m per 100)	68/91
Third-level students (women and men, % of total) ^c	36/64
Television receivers (per 1,000 inhabitants)	253
Parliamentary seats (women and men, % of total)	9/91

Environment	1995-2004
Threatened species	48
Forested area (% of land area)	28
CO ₂ emissions (000s Mt/per capita)	88/0.6
Energy consumption per capita (kilograms oil equiv.)	206

a 2003. b Official rate. c March 2004. d 1990. e 2002. f 2001. g Gross capital formation, 1988. h 1996. i Estimated data.

Saudi Arabia

Region	Western Asia
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	Riyadh (5126) ^a
Currency	riyal
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	24919
Surface area (square kms)	2149690
Population density (per square km)	12
United Nations membership date	24 October 1945

Economic indicators	1995	2003
Exchange rate (national currency per US\$) ^b	3.75	3.75 ^c
Consumer price index (1990=100) ^d	111	106 ^e
Unemployment (percentage of labour force) ^f	...	4.6 ^g
Balance of payments, current account (million US\$)	-5325	29702
Tourist arrivals (000s)	3325	7332
GDP (million current US\$)	127810	207320
GDP (per capita current US\$)	6738	8561
Gross fixed capital formation (% of GDP)	20.0	15.0 ^h
Labour force participation, adult female pop. (%)	17.7	...
Labour force participation, adult male pop. (%)	82.1	...
Employment in industrial sector (%)	19.8 ⁱ	...
Employment in agricultural sector (%)	19.2 ^j	...
Agricultural production index (1999-2000=100)	87	110
Food production index (1999-2000=100)	87	110
Primary energy production (000s Mt oil equiv.) ^k	498068	484588 ^l
Motor vehicles (per 1,000 inhabitants)	322.2	338.8 ^m
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants)	9.4	15.5
Internet users, estimated (000s)	2.0	1500.0

Largest export industries	Major trading partners	2003
(% of exports)	(% of exports)	(% of imports)
...	USA	15
...	Japan	10
...	Germany	9

Social indicators	1995-2004
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	2.9
Population aged 0-14 years (%)	39.0
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total)	5.0/4.0
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)	86
Life expectancy at birth 2000-2005 (women and men, years)	74/71
Infant mortality rate 2000-2005 (per 1,000 births)	21
Total fertility rate 2000-2005 (births per woman)	4.5
Contraceptive use (% of currently married women)	32 ⁿ
Urban population (%)	88
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	3.5
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	-0.8
Foreign born (%)	23.7 ^o
Refugees and others of concern to UNHCR	240928
Government education expenditure (% of GNP)	8.2
Primary-secondary gross enrolment ratio (w and m per 100)	66/70
Third-level students (women and men, % of total)	59/41
Newspaper circulation (per 1,000 inhabitants)	57
Television receivers (per 1,000 inhabitants)	41
Parliamentary seats (women and men, % of total)	-/100

Environment	1995-2004
Threatened species	38
Forested area (% of land area)	1
CO ₂ emissions (000s Mt/per capita)	374616/16.9
Energy consumption per capita (kilograms oil equiv.) ⁱ	5132
Precipitation (mm)	99 ^o
Average minimum and maximum temperatures (centigrade) ^a	19.7/32.9

a 2003. b Official rate. c September 2004. d All cities. e March 2004. f Persons aged 15 years and over. g 2001. h 2002. i 1990. j Part Neutral Zone. k 1998.

l Including the lactational amenorrhoea method and/or breastfeeding if reported as the current contraceptive method. m Households of nationals of the country.

n Estimated data. o Riyadh.

Senegal

Region	Western Africa
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	Dakar (2167) ^a
Currency	CFA franc
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	10339
Surface area (square kms)	196722
Population density (per square km)	53
United Nations membership date	28 September 1960

Economic indicators	1995	2003
Exchange rate (national currency per US\$) ^b	490.00	528.61 ^c
Consumer price index (1990=100)	139	156 ^d
Industrial production index (1995=100)	100	131
Balance of payments, current account (million US\$)	-244	-317 ^e
Tourist arrivals (000s)	280	354
GDP (million current US\$)	4480	6480
GDP (per capita current US\$)	537	641
Gross fixed capital formation (% of GDP)	15.0	21.0 ^f
Labour force participation, adult female pop. (%)	61.1	...
Labour force participation, adult male pop. (%)	85.6	...
Employment in industrial sector (%)	7.5 ^g	...
Employment in agricultural sector (%)	76.7 ^h	...
Agricultural production index (1999-2000=100)	87	93 ⁱ
Food production index (1999-2000=100)	87	93
Primary energy production (000s Mt oil equiv.)	44	1 ^j
Motor vehicles (per 1,000 inhabitants)	18.5	28.3 ^k
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants)	1.0	2.2
Internet users, estimated (000s)	0.1	225.0

Largest export industries		Major trading partners		2003
	(% of exports)		(% of exports)	(% of imports)
Chemicals	40	India	13	France 25
Agriculture	24	France	12	Nigeria 12
Food, beverages, tobacco	14	Mali	10	Thailand 7

Social indicators	1995-2004
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	2.4
Population aged 0-14 years (%)	43.0
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total)	5.0/4.0
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)	101
Life expectancy at birth 2000-2005 (women and men, years)	55/51
Infant mortality rate 2000-2005 (per 1,000 births)	61
Total fertility rate 2000-2005 (births per woman)	5.0
Contraceptive use (% of currently married women)	13
Urban population (%)	50
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	3.9
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	1.0
Foreign born (%)	3.0 ^h
Refugees and others of concern to UNHCR	22998
Government education expenditure (% of GNP)	3.2 ⁱ
Primary-secondary gross enrolment ratio (w and m per 100)	42/51
Third-level students (women and men, % of total) ^j	27/73
Newspaper circulation (per 1,000 inhabitants)	5
Parliamentary seats (women and men, % of total)	19/81

Environment	1995-2004
Threatened species	46
Forested area (% of land area)	32
CO ₂ emissions (000s Mt/per capita)	4180/0.4
Energy consumption per capita (kilograms oil equiv.)	120
Precipitation (mm)	514 ^k
Average minimum and maximum temperatures (centigrade) ^l	21.7/16.7

a 2003. b Official rate. c September 2004. d April 2004. e 2002. f 1990. g 2001. h 1988. i Estimated data. j Universities and equivalent degree-granting institutions only. k Dakar.

Serbia & Montenegro

Region	Southern Europe
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	Belgrade (1118) ^a
Currency	dinar
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	10519
Surface area (square kms)	102173
Population density (per square km)	103
United Nations membership date	1 November 2000

Economic indicators	1995	2003
Exchange rate (national currency per US\$) ^b	1.40	59.93 ^c
Consumer price index (1990=100) ^d	43	897 ^e
Industrial production index (1995=100)	100	111 ^f
Unemployment (percentage of labour force) ^g	13.4	13.8 ^h
Tourist arrivals (000s)	228	481
GDP (million current US\$)	25770	19400
GDP (per capita current US\$)	2443	1843
Gross fixed capital formation (% of GDP) ⁱ	12.0	13.0 ^j
Employment in agricultural sector (%)	29.7 ^k	...
Agricultural production index (1999-2000=100)	110	97
Food production index (1999-2000=100)	111	97
Primary energy production (000s Mt oil equiv.)	11371	9920 ^l
Motor vehicles (per 1,000 inhabitants)	183.0	160.0 ^m
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants)	19.1	24.3
Internet users, estimated (000s)	20.0 ⁿ	84.0

Largest export industries	Major trading partners	2003
(% of exports) ⁱ	(% of exports) ^j	(% of imports) ^k
Food, beverages, tobacco	18 Bosnia/Herzeg	15 Germany
Metal manufactures	17 Italy	15 Russian Fed.
Chemicals	17 Germany	11 Italy

Social indicators	1995-2004
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	-0.1
Population aged 0-14 years (%)	19.0
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total)	21.0/16.0
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)	101
Life expectancy at birth 2000-2005 (women and men, years)	76/71
Infant mortality rate 2000-2005 (per 1,000 births)	13
Total fertility rate 2000-2005 (births per woman)	1.6
Urban population (%)	52
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	0.2
Foreign born (%)	9.2
Refugees and others of concern to UNHCR	645203
Primary-secondary gross enrolment ratio (w and m per 100)	63/60
Third-level students (women and men, % of total) ^a	54/46
Newspaper circulation (per 1,000 inhabitants)	107
Television receivers (per 1,000 inhabitants)	260
Parliamentary seats (women and men, % of total)	8/92

Environment	1995-2004
Threatened species	57
Forested area (% of land area)	28
CO ₂ emissions (000s Mt/per capita)	41796/4.0
Energy consumption per capita (kilograms oil equiv.)	1318
Precipitation (mm)	683 ^o
Average minimum and maximum temperatures (centigrade) ^a	7.7/27.3

a 2003. b Data refer to non-commercial rates derived from the Operational Rates of Exchange for United Nations Programmes. c November 2004. d Index base: 1997=100. e March 2004. f June 2004. g Persons aged 15 years and over. h October of each year. i 2002. j Data classified according to SNA 93. k 1990. l 2001. m 1996. n Not including students enrolled in doctoral studies. o Beograd.

Seychelles

Region	Eastern Africa
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	Victoria (25) ^a
Currency	rupee
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	82
Surface area (square kms)	455
Population density (per square km)	180
United Nations membership date	21 September 1976

Economic indicators	1995	2003
Exchange rate (national currency per US\$) ^a	4.86	5.50 ^c
Consumer price index (1990=100)	108	133 ^d
Balance of payments, current account (million US\$)	-3	-131 ^e
Tourist arrivals (000s)	121	122
GDP (million current US\$)	510	710
GDP (per capita current US\$)	6778	8814
Gross fixed capital formation (% of GDP) ^f	30.0	36.0 ^g
Agricultural production index (1999-2000=100)	107	99
Food production index (1999-2000=100)	108	99
Motor vehicles (per 1,000 inhabitants)	98.7	106.2
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants)	17.4	25.6
Internet users, estimated (000s)	0.5 ^h	11.7 ⁱ

Largest export industries	Major trading partners	2003
(% of exports) ^j	(% of exports) ^k	(% of imports) ^l
Food, beverages, tobacco	44 Saudi Arabia	38 Saudi Arabia
Chemicals	38 France	34 Germany
Agriculture	8 Madagascar	7 Italy

Social indicators	1995-2004
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	0.9
Population aged 0-14 years (%)	28.0
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total)	12.0/8.0
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)	100
Infant mortality rate 2000-2005 (per 1,000 births)	10 ^o
Total fertility rate 2000-2005 (births per woman)	2.0
Urban population (%)	50
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	1.1
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	0.7
Foreign born (%)	5.4 ^p
Government education expenditure (% of GNP)	7.8 ^q
Primary-secondary gross enrolment ratio (w and m per 100)	116/112
Third-level students (women and men, % of total) ^r	88/12
Newspaper circulation (per 1,000 inhabitants)	45
Parliamentary seats (women and men, % of total)	29/71

Environment	1995-2004
Threatened species	80
Forested area (% of land area)	67
CO ₂ emissions (000s Mt/per capita)	227/2.9
Energy consumption per capita (kilograms oil equiv.)	3221
Precipitation (mm)	2172 ^s
Average minimum and maximum temperatures (centigrade) ^a	24.4/29.8

a 2003. b Official rate. c September 2004. d 2002. e Gross capital formation. f 1996. g Data tabulated by date of registration rather than occurrence. h 1994. i Estimated data. j 1980. k Victoria.

Sierra Leone

Region	Western Africa
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	Freetown (921) ^a
Currency	leone
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	5168
Surface area (square kms)	71740
Population density (per square km)	72
United Nations membership date	27 September 1961

Economic indicators		1995	2003
Exchange rate (national currency per US\$)		943.40	2752.38 ^b
Consumer price index (1990=100)		258 ^c	1535 ^d
Balance of payments, current account (million US\$)		-118	-75
Tourist arrivals (000s)		38	37
GDP (million current US\$)		870	980
GDP (per capita current US\$)		213	197
Gross fixed capital formation (% of GDP) ^a		6.0	6.0 ^d
Labour force participation, adult female pop. (%)		43.5	...
Labour force participation, adult male pop. (%)		84.0	...
Employment in industrial sector (%)		15.3 ^d	...
Employment in agricultural sector (%)		67.4 ^d	...
Agricultural production index (1999-2000=100)		114	108
Food production index (1999-2000=100)		111	109
Motor vehicles (per 1,000 inhabitants)		10.9 ^b	7.9 ^c
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants)		0.4	0.5 ^d
Internet users, estimated (000s)		0.5 ^d	8.0 ^d
Largest export industries		Major trading partners	
		2003	
	(% of exports) ^f	(% of exports)	(% of imports) ^f
Agriculture	91	...	Côte d'Ivoire 37
Metal manufactures	4	...	Canada 7
Chemicals	3	...	Netherlands 6

Social indicators		1995-2004
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)		3.8
Population aged 0-14 years (%)		44.0
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total)		5.0/4.0
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)		104
Life expectancy at birth 2000-2005 (women and men, years)		36/33
Infant mortality rate 2000-2005 (per 1,000 births)		177
Total fertility rate 2000-2005 (births per woman)		6.5
Urban population (%)		39
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)		5.7
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)		2.7
Foreign born (%)		1.1 ^b
Refugees and others of concern to UNHCR		94590
Government education expenditure (% of GNP)		3.9
Primary-secondary gross enrolment ratio (w and m per 100) ^a		29/43
Third-level students (women and men, % of total)		29/71
Newspaper circulation (per 1,000 inhabitants)		5
Television receivers (per 1,000 inhabitants)		13
Parliamentary seats (women and men, % of total)		15/86

Environment		1995-2004
Threatened species		79
Forested area (% of land area)		15
CO ₂ emissions (000s Mt/per capita)		565/0.1
Energy consumption per capita (kilograms oil equiv.)		34
Precipitation (mm)		2946 ^d
Average minimum and maximum temperatures (centigrade) ^f		23.8/29.9

a 2003. b September 2004. c 1992. d April 2004. e Gross capital formation. f 2002. g 1990. h Source: World Automotive Market Report, Auto and Truck International (Illinois). i 2001. j 1996. k Estimated data. l Freetown.

Singapore

Region	South-eastern Asia
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	Singapore (4185) ^a
Currency	dollar
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	4315
Surface area (square kms)	683
Population density (per square km)	6318
United Nations membership date	21 September 1965

Economic indicators		1995	2003
Exchange rate (national currency per US\$)		1.41	1.69 ^b
Consumer price index (1990=100)		113	122 ^c
Industrial production index (1995=100)		100	157 ^{de}
Unemployment (percentage of labour force) ^{de}		2.7	5.2
Balance of payments, current account (million US\$)		14727	28187
Tourist arrivals (000s) ^a		7137	6126
GDP (million current US\$) ^a		83930	91341
GDP (per capita current US\$) ^a		23806	21825
Gross fixed capital formation (% of GDP) ^a		33.4	24.9
Labour force participation, adult female pop. (%) ^a		50.1	53.9
Labour force participation, adult male pop. (%) ^a		78.4	75.8
Employment in industrial sector (%) ^a		29.7	24.1
Employment in agricultural sector (%) ^a		0.3	-0.3
Agricultural production index (1999-2000=100)		175	76
Food production index (1999-2000=100)		175	76
Motor vehicles (per 1,000 inhabitants) ^a		182.1	169.9
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants) ^a		28.5	32.8
Internet users, estimated (000s) ^a		25.0	1796.2
Largest export industries		Major trading partners	
		2003	
	(% of exports)	(% of exports)	(% of imports)
Metal manufactures	67	Malaysia 16	Malaysia 17
Chemicals	22	USA 14	USA 14
Other manufactures	4	China, HK SAR 10	Japan 12

Social indicators ^a		1995-2004
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)		1.7
Population aged 0-14 years (%)		20.8
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total)		12.1/10.5
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)		101
Life expectancy at birth 2000-2005 (women and men, years)		81/77
Infant mortality rate 2000-2005 (per 1,000 births)		2.5
Total fertility rate 2000-2005 (births per woman)		1.3
Contraceptive use (% of currently married women)		75
Urban population (%)		100
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)		1.7
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)		-
Foreign born (%)		17.5
Refugees and others of concern to UNHCR		3
Government education expenditure (% of GNP)		3.9
Primary-secondary gross enrolment ratio (w and m per 100)		96/97
Third-level students (women and men, % of total)		45/51
Newspaper circulation (per 1,000 inhabitants)		408
Television receivers (per 1,000 inhabitants)		249
Intentional homicides (per 100,000 inhabitants)		1
Parliamentary seats (women and men, % of total)		14/86

Environment ^a		1995-2004
Threatened species		78
Forested area (% of land area)		3
CO ₂ emissions (000s Mt/per capita)		59088/14.7
Energy consumption per capita (kilograms oil equiv.)		4180
Precipitation (mm)		2213
Average minimum and maximum temperatures (centigrade)		24.9/31.6

a Singapore Department of Statistics. b September 2004. c August 2004. d July 2004. e Calculated by the Statistics Division of the United Nations from component national indices. f Persons aged 15 years and over. g Seasonally adjusted.

Slovakia

Region	Eastern Europe
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	Bratislava (425) ^a
Currency	koruna
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	5407
Surface area (square kms)	49012
Population density (per square km)	110
United Nations membership date	19 January 1993

Economic indicators	1995	2003
Exchange rate (national currency per US\$) ^a	29.57	32.49 ^e
Consumer price index (1990=100)	272	324 ^m
Industrial production index (1995=100)	100	135 ^m
Unemployment (percentage of labour force) ^m	13.1	17.5
Balance of payments, current account (million US\$)	390	-282 ^j
Tourist arrivals (000s)	903	1387
GDP (million current US\$)	19400	32520
GDP (per capita current US\$)	3617	6019
Gross fixed capital formation (% of GDP)	25.0	26.0
Labour force participation, adult female pop. (%)	51.5	52.5 ^k
Labour force participation, adult male pop. (%)	68.9	68.3 ^k
Employment in industrial sector (%)	38.9	37.6 ^k
Employment in agricultural sector (%)	9.2	6.1 ^k
Agricultural production index (1989-2000=100)	110	91
Food production index (1989-2000=100)	109	91
Primary energy production (000s Mt oil equiv.)	4906	6120 ^k
Motor vehicles (per 1,000 inhabitants)	213.9	284.9
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants)	20.8	24.1
Internet users, estimated (000s)	28.0	1375.8

Largest export industries		Major trading partners		2003	
	(% of exports)		(% of exports)	(% of imports)	
Metal manufactures	57	Germany	31	Germany	25
Chemicals	13	Czech Republic	13	Czech Republic	14
Basic metals	10	Italy	8	Russian Fed.	11

Social indicators	1995-2004
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	0.1
Population aged 0-14 years (%)	17.0
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total)	19.0/13.0
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)	106
Life expectancy at birth 2000-2005 (women and men, years)	78/70
Infant mortality rate 2000-2005 (per 1,000 births)	8
Total fertility rate 2000-2005 (births per woman)	1.3
Contraceptive use (% of currently married women)	74 ^m
Urban population (%)	57
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	0.5
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	-0.5
Foreign born (%)	2.2
Refugees and others of concern to UNHCR	5075
Government education expenditure (% of GNP)	4.2
Primary-secondary gross enrolment ratio (w and m per 100)	94/92
Third-level students (women and men, % of total)	52/48
Newspaper circulation (per 1,000 inhabitants)	131
Television receivers (per 1,000 inhabitants)	487
Intentional homicides (per 100,000 inhabitants)	2
Parliamentary seats (women and men, % of total)	19/81

Environment	1995-2004
Threatened species	43
Forested area (% of land area)	45
CO ₂ emissions (000s Mt/per capita) ^a	42085/7.8
Energy consumption per capita (kilograms oil equiv.)	3421
Precipitation (mm)	576 ⁿ
Average minimum and maximum temperatures (centigrade) ^a	5.4/14.9

a 2003. b Official rate. c September 2004. d May 2004. e Base: 1997=100. f August 2004. g Monthly indices are adjusted for differences in the number of working days. h Persons aged 15 years and over. i Excl. persons on child-care leave. j 2002. k 2001. l 1991. m For all sexually active women of childbearing age. n Source: UNFCCC. o Bratislava.

Slovenia

Region	Southern Europe
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	Ljubljana (256) ^a
Currency	tolar
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	1982
Surface area (square kms)	20256
Population density (per square km)	98
United Nations membership date	22 May 1992

Economic indicators	1995	2003
Exchange rate (national currency per US\$) ^a	125.99	194.82 ^e
Consumer price index (1990=100) ^d	1208	2265 ^e
Industrial production index (1995=100)	100	133 ⁱ
Unemployment (percentage of labour force) ^m	7.4 ⁱ	5.9 ⁱ
Balance of payments, current account (million US\$)	-75	-99
Tourist arrivals (000s)	732	1373
GDP (million current US\$)	19760	27440
GDP (per capita current US\$)	9931	13881
Gross fixed capital formation (% of GDP) ^k	20.0	25.0
Labour force participation, adult female pop. (%)	52.1	51.4 ⁱ
Labour force participation, adult male pop. (%)	66.2	64.5 ⁱ
Employment in industrial sector (%)	43.1	38.1 ⁱ
Employment in agricultural sector (%)	10.4	9.8 ⁱ
Agricultural production index (1989-2000=100)	95	106
Food production index (1989-2000=100)	95	106
Primary energy production (000s Mt oil equiv.)	2607	2604 ⁱ
Motor vehicles (per 1,000 inhabitants)	376.8	488.8
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants)	30.9	40.7
Internet users, estimated (000s)	57.0	750.0 ⁱ

Largest export industries		Major trading partners		2003
	(% of exports)		(% of exports)	(% of imports)
Metal manufactures	52	Germany	23	Germany 19
Chemicals	18	Italy	13	Italy 18
Textiles	7	Croatia	9	France 10

Social indicators	1995-2004
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	-0.1
Population aged 0-14 years (%)	14.0
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total)	24.0/17.0
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)	106
Life expectancy at birth 2000-2005 (women and men, years)	80/73
Infant mortality rate 2000-2005 (per 1,000 births)	6
Total fertility rate 2000-2005 (births per woman)	1.1
Urban population (%)	51
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	-0.1
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	-0.1
Foreign born (%)	8.6
Refugees and others of concern to UNHCR	2701
Government education expenditure (% of GNP)	5.4
Primary-secondary gross enrolment ratio (w and m per 100)	105/104
Third-level students (women and men, % of total)	56/44
Newspaper circulation (per 1,000 inhabitants)	169
Television receivers (per 1,000 inhabitants)	356
Intentional homicides (per 100,000 inhabitants)	1
Parliamentary seats (women and men, % of total)	12/88

Environment	1995-2004
Threatened species	68
Forested area (% of land area)	55
CO ₂ emissions (000s Mt/per capita) ^a	13935/7.3
Energy consumption per capita (kilograms oil equiv.)	3241
Precipitation (mm)	1368 ⁿ
Average minimum and maximum temperatures (centigrade) ^a	5.9/15.0

a 2003. b Official rate. c September 2004. d Urban areas. e April 2004. f June 2004. g Persons aged 15 years and over. h Second quarter of each year. i May. j 2002. k Data classified according to SNA 93. l 2001. m 1990. n Ljubljana.

Solomon Islands

Region	Oceania-Melanesia
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	Honiara (56) ^a
Currency	dollar
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	491
Surface area (square kms)	28896
Population density (per square km)	17
United Nations membership date	19 September 1978

Economic indicators	1995	2003
Exchange rate (national currency per US\$) ^b	3.48	7.47 ^c
Consumer price index (1990=100)	167	226 ^c
Balance of payments, current account (million US\$)	8	21 ^c
Tourist arrivals (000s)	12	21 ^c
GDP (million current US\$)	360	270
GDP (per capita current US\$)	975	568
Gross fixed capital formation (% of GDP) ^c	18.0	20.0 ^d
Labour force participation, adult female pop. (%)	83.2	...
Labour force participation, adult male pop. (%)	89.8	...
Employment in industrial sector (%)	13.7 ^e	...
Employment in agricultural sector (%)	26.0	25.7 ^f
Agricultural production index (1999-2000=100)	86	106
Food production index (1999-2000=100)	85	106
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants) ^g	1.8	1.3
Internet users, estimated (000s)	0.1	2.5

Largest export industries	Major trading partners	2003
(% of exports)	(% of exports)	(% of imports)
...	Japan	40
...	UK	21
...	Korea Rep.	14
...	Australia	47
...	Japan	15
...	Singapore	9

Social indicators	1995-2004
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	2.9
Population aged 0-14 years (%)	42.0
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total)	4.0/4.0
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)	95
Life expectancy at birth 2000-2005 (women and men, years)	71/68
Infant mortality rate 2000-2005 (per 1,000 births)	21
Total fertility rate 2000-2005 (births per woman)	4.4
Urban population (%)	16
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	4.5
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	2.6
Foreign born (%)	1.5 ^h
Government education expenditure (% of GNP)	3.5 ⁱ
Primary-secondary gross enrolment ratio (w and m per 100) ^j	58/69
Television receivers (per 1,000 inhabitants)	6
Parliamentary seats (women and men, % of total)	-/100

Environment	1995-2004
Threatened species	73
Forested area (% of land area)	89
CO ₂ emissions (000s Mt/per capita)	165/0.4
Energy consumption per capita (kilograms oil equiv.)	127
Precipitation (mm)	3290 ^k
Average minimum and maximum temperatures (centigrade) ^l	23.2/30.1

a 2003. b Official rate. c May 2004. d 1999. e Data classified according to SNA 93. f 2002. g 1993. h 1996. i Billable lines. j 1997. k 1990. l 1988. m Estimated data. n 1994. o Auki.

Somalia

Region	Eastern Africa
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	Mogadishu (1175) ^a
Currency	shilling
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	10312
Surface area (square kms)	637657
Population density (per square km)	16
United Nations membership date	20 September 1960

Economic indicators	1995	2003
Exchange rate (national currency per US\$) ^b	6860.00	13475.00 ^c
Balance of payments, current account (million US\$)	-157 ^d	...
Tourist arrivals (000s)	10	10 ^e
GDP (million current US\$)	1120	1540
GDP (per capita current US\$)	153	155
Gross fixed capital formation (% of GDP)	21.0	20.0 ^f
Labour force participation, adult female pop. (%)	63.5	...
Labour force participation, adult male pop. (%)	87.2	...
Employment in industrial sector (%)	8.3 ^g	...
Employment in agricultural sector (%)	75.3 ^h	...
Motor vehicles (per 1,000 inhabitants)	3.3 ^h	...
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants)	0.2	1.0 ⁱ
Internet users, estimated (000s)	...	89.0 ^j

Social indicators	1995-2004
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	4.2
Population aged 0-14 years (%)	48.0
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total)	4.0/3.0
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)	101
Life expectancy at birth 2000-2005 (women and men, years)	50/46
Infant mortality rate 2000-2005 (per 1,000 births)	118
Total fertility rate 2000-2005 (births per woman)	7.3
Urban population (%)	35
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	5.7
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	3.4
Refugees and others of concern to UNHCR	10825
Government education expenditure (% of GNP)	0.3 ^k
Primary-secondary gross enrolment ratio (w and m per 100) ^l	8/16
Newspaper circulation (per 1,000 inhabitants)	1 ^m
Television receivers (per 1,000 inhabitants)	17

Environment	1995-2004
Threatened species	65
Forested area (% of land area)	12
Precipitation (mm)	422
Average minimum and maximum temperatures (centigrade)	26.0/29.3

a 2003. b Data refer to non-commercial rates derived from the Operational Rates of Exchange for United Nations Programmes. c November 2004. d 1989. e 1998. f 2002. g 1990. h Source: AAMA Motor Vehicle Facts and Figures, American Automobile Manufacturers Association (Michigan). i 1996. j 1985. k Estimated data.

South Africa

Region	Southern Africa
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	Cape Town (3084) *
Currency	rand
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	45214
Surface area (square kms)	1221037
Population density (per square km)	37
United Nations membership date	7 November 1945

Economic indicators	1995	2003
Exchange rate (national currency per US\$) ^a	3.65	6.45 ^c
Consumer price index (1990=100)	171	292 ^d
Industrial production index (1995=100) ^e	100	119 ^f
Unemployment (percentage of labour force) ^g	22.9	30.0 ^h
Balance of payments, current account (million US\$)	-2205	-1456
Tourist arrivals (000s)	4684	6640
GDP (million current US\$)	151110	159890
GDP (per capita current US\$)	3692	3551
Gross fixed capital formation (% of GDP)	16.0	15.0
Labour force participation, adult female pop. (%)	45.9	50.7 ⁱ
Labour force participation, adult male pop. (%)	79.1	63.3 ^j
Employment in industrial sector (%)	25.1	25.1 ^k
Employment in agricultural sector (%)	13.5 ^l	10.9
Agricultural production index (1999-2000=100)	80	102
Food production index (1999-2000=100)	80	103
Primary energy production (000s Mt oil equiv.) ^m	158187	173037 ⁿ
Motor vehicles (per 1,000 inhabitants)	133.3 ^o	142.8 ^p
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants)	10.1	10.7
Internet users, estimated (000s)	280.0	3100.0

Social indicators	1995-2004
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	0.6
Population aged 0-14 years (%)	33.0
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total)	8.0/5.0
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)	105
Life expectancy at birth 2000-2005 (women and men, years)	51/45
Infant mortality rate 2000-2005 (per 1,000 births)	48
Total fertility rate 2000-2005 (births per woman)	2.6
Contraceptive use (% of currently married women)	56
Urban population (%)	57
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	1.4
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	-0.5
Foreign born (%)	2.1
Refugees and others of concern to UNHCR	110643
Government education expenditure (% of GNP)	5.8
Primary-secondary gross enrolment ratio (w and m per 100)	98/97
Third-level students (women and men, % of total)	53/47
Newspaper circulation (per 1,000 inhabitants)	32
Television receivers (per 1,000 inhabitants)	123
Parliamentary seats (women and men, % of total)	30/70

Environment	1995-2004
Threatened species	327
Forested area (% of land area)	7
CO ₂ emissions (000s Mt/per capita)	327518/7.4
Energy consumption per capita (kilograms oil equiv.) ^q	2613
Precipitation (mm)	713 ^r
Average minimum and maximum temperatures (centigrade) ^s	10.1/21.9

a 2003. b Principal rate. c September 2004. d June 2004. e Calculated by the Statistics Division of the United Nations from component national indices. f August 2004. g February and September of each year. h Persons aged 15 to 65 years. i 2002. j 1999. k 1990. l Refers to Southern Africa Customs Union. m 2001. n Source: World Automotive Market Report, Auto and Truck International (Illinois). o Southern Africa Customs Union. p Johannesburg.

Spain

Region	Southern Europe
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	Madrid (5103) *
Currency	euro ^b
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	41128
Surface area (square kms)	505992
Population density (per square km)	81
United Nations membership date	14 December 1955

Economic indicators	1995	2003
Exchange rate (national currency per US\$)	121.41	0.83 ^c
Consumer price index (1990=100)	129	110 ^d
Industrial production index (1995=100)	100	132 ^e
Unemployment (percentage of labour force) ^f	22.9	11.4 ^g
Balance of payments, current account (million US\$)	792	-23676
Tourist arrivals (000s)	34920	52478
GDP (million current US\$)	584190	838620
GDP (per capita current US\$)	14628	20424
Gross fixed capital formation (% of GDP)	22.0	26.0
Labour force participation, adult female pop. (%)	37.7	41.8 ^h
Labour force participation, adult male pop. (%)	66.1	66.9 ⁱ
Employment in industrial sector (%)	30.2	31.6 ^j
Employment in agricultural sector (%)	8.9	6.4 ^k
Agricultural production index (1999-2000=100)	73	107
Food production index (1999-2000=100)	74	107
Primary energy production (000s Mt oil equiv.)	27677	29800 ^l
Motor vehicles (per 1,000 inhabitants)	432.8	562.5 ^m
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants)	38.5	43.4
Internet users, estimated (000s)	150.0	9789.0

Largest export industries	Major trading partners	2003
	(% of exports)	(% of imports)
Metal manufactures	47 France	19 Germany
Chemicals	16 Germany	12 France
Agriculture	8 Italy	10 Italy

Social indicators	1995-2004
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	0.2
Population aged 0-14 years (%)	14.0
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total)	24.0/20.0
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)	104
Life expectancy at birth 2000-2005 (women and men, years)	83/76
Infant mortality rate 2000-2005 (per 1,000 births)	5
Total fertility rate 2000-2005 (births per woman)	1.1
Contraceptive use (% of currently married women)	81
Urban population (%)	76
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	0.3
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	-0.1
Foreign born (%)	2.1 ⁿ
Refugees and others of concern to UNHCR	5898 ^o
Government education expenditure (% of GNP)	4.5
Primary-secondary gross enrolment ratio (w and m per 100)	114/110
Third-level students (women and men, % of total)	53/47
Newspaper circulation (per 1,000 inhabitants)	100
Television receivers (per 1,000 inhabitants)	402
Intentional homicides (per 100,000 inhabitants)	1
Parliamentary seats (women and men, % of total)	31/69

Environment	1995-2004
Threatened species	141
Forested area (% of land area)	29
CO ₂ emissions (000s Mt/per capita) ^p	307248/7.5
Energy consumption per capita (kilograms oil equiv.)	2747
Precipitation (mm)	456

a 2003. b Prior to 1 January 1999, peseta. c August 2004. d Euro per US dollar. e July 2004. Base: 2001=100. f July 2004. g Persons aged 16 years and over. h 2002. i 2001. j 1991. k De jure. l Estimated data. m Source: UNFCCC.

Sri Lanka

Region	South-central Asia
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	Colombo (648) ^a
Currency	rupee
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	19218
Surface area (square kms)	65610
Population density (per square km)	293
United Nations membership date	14 December 1955

Economic indicators	1995	2003
Exchange rate (national currency per US\$)	54.05	103.65 ^a
Consumer price index (1990=100)	163	361 ^a
Industrial production index (1995=100) ^{da}	100	152 ^a
Unemployment (percentage of labour force) ^{ph}	12.5	8.7
Balance of payments, current account (million US\$)	-770	-160
Tourist arrivals (000s)	403	501
GDP (million current US\$)	13010	17400
GDP (per capita current US\$)	732	913
Gross fixed capital formation (% of GDP)	26.0	21.0
Labour force participation, adult female pop. (%)	35.8	36.5 ^a
Labour force participation, adult male pop. (%)	74.8	75.7 ^a
Employment in industrial sector (%)	23.4	22.5
Employment in agricultural sector (%)	37.3	41.6 ^a
Agricultural production index (1999-2000=100)	98	102
Food production index (1999-2000=100)	100	103
Primary energy production (000s Mt oil equiv.)	388	268 ^a
Motor vehicles (per 1,000 inhabitants)	23.2	37.4
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants)	1.2	4.9
Internet users, estimated (000s)	1.0	225.0

Largest export industries	Major trading partners	2003
	(% of exports) ⁱ	(% of imports) ^j
Textiles	55 USA	37 India
Agriculture	21 UK	12 China, HK SAR
Mining quarry	7 Belgium	5 Singapore

Social indicators	1995-2004
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	0.8
Population aged 0-14 years (%)	24.0
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total)	11.0/10.0
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)	94
Life expectancy at birth 2000-2005 (women and men, years)	76/70
Infant mortality rate 2000-2005 (per 1,000 births)	20
Total fertility rate 2000-2005 (births per woman)	2.0
Contraceptive use (% of currently married women)	66 ^m
Urban population (%)	21
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	0.7
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	0.8
Foreign born (%)	2.1 ^p
Refugees and others of concern to UNHCR	467885
Government education expenditure (% of GNP)	1.3
Primary-secondary gross enrolment ratio (w and m per 100)	110/111
Third-level students (women and men, % of total)	44/56
Newspaper circulation (per 1,000 inhabitants)	29
Television receivers (per 1,000 inhabitants)	84
Intentional homicides (per 100,000 inhabitants)	29
Parliamentary seats (women and men, % of total)	5/95

Environment	1995-2004
Threatened species	348
Forested area (% of land area)	30
CO ₂ emissions (000s Mt/per capita)	10190/0.5
Energy consumption per capita (kilograms oil equiv.)	188
Precipitation (mm)	2524 ^q
Average minimum and maximum temperatures (centigrade) ^a	24.1/30.6

a 2003. b September 2004. c August 2004. d Manufacturing only. e Base: 1990=100. f 1997. g Persons aged 10 years and over. h First quarter of each year. i Excl. Northern and Eastern provinces. j 2002. k 2000 l 1998. m 2001. n 1993. o Excluding areas containing roughly 15 per cent of the population. p Estimated data. q Colombo.

Sudan

Region	Northern Africa
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	Khartoum (428) ^a
Currency	dinar
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	34333
Surface area (square kms)	2505813
Population density (per square km)	14
United Nations membership date	12 November 1956

Economic indicators	1995	2003
Exchange rate (national currency per US\$) ^a	52.63	257.49 ^a
Consumer price index (1990=100) ^e	3482	8192 ^a
Balance of payments, current account (million US\$)	-500	-727
Tourist arrivals (000s)	63	55 ^f
GDP (million current US\$)	13950	15440
GDP (per capita current US\$)	497	459
Gross fixed capital formation (% of GDP)	20.0	18.0 ^f
Labour force participation, adult female pop. (%)	32.7	...
Labour force participation, adult male pop. (%)	85.7	...
Employment in industrial sector (%)	8.5 ^g	...
Employment in agricultural sector (%)	69.5 ^g	...
Agricultural production index (1999-2000=100)	87	110
Food production index (1999-2000=100)	86	109
Primary energy production (000s Mt oil equiv.)	80	10511 ^h
Motor vehicles (per 1,000 inhabitants)	2.4 ⁱ	3.3 ^h
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants)	0.3	2.7
Internet users, estimated (000s)	-	300.0

Largest export industries	Major trading partners	2003
	(% of exports) ⁱ	(% of imports) ^j
Chemicals	63 China	58 Saudi Arabia
Agriculture	20 Saudi Arabia	10 China
Mining quarry	10 Untd Arab Em	4 Untd Arab Em

Social indicators	1995-2004
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	2.2
Population aged 0-14 years (%)	39.0
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total)	6.0/5.0
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)	99
Life expectancy at birth 2000-2005 (women and men, years)	57/54
Infant mortality rate 2000-2005 (per 1,000 births)	77
Total fertility rate 2000-2005 (births per woman)	4.4
Contraceptive use (% of currently married women)	8 ^k
Urban population (%)	39
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	4.6
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	0.7
Foreign born (%)	1.9 ⁿ
Refugees and others of concern to UNHCR	160794
Government education expenditure (% of GNP)	1.4
Primary-secondary gross enrolment ratio (w and m per 100)	52/63
Third-level students (women and men, % of total)	47/53
Newspaper circulation (per 1,000 inhabitants)	27 ⁿ
Television receivers (per 1,000 inhabitants)	81
Parliamentary seats (women and men, % of total)	10/90

Environment	1995-2004
Threatened species	55
Forested area (% of land area)	26
CO ₂ emissions (000s Mt/per capita)	5225/0.2
Energy consumption per capita (kilograms oil equiv.)	68
Precipitation (mm)	162 ^o
Average minimum and maximum temperatures (centigrade) ^a	22.7/37.1

a 2003. b Principal rate. c September 2004. d Low income group. e 1996. f 2002. g 1990. h 2001. i Source: AAMA Motor Vehicle Facts and Figures, American Automobile Manufacturers Association (Michigan). j Adjusted from source to exclude breast-feeding. k North Sudan only. l 1992/93. m 1993. n Estimated data. o Khartoum.

Suriname

Region	South America
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	Paramaribo (253) ^a
Currency	dollar
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	439
Surface area (square kms)	163820 ^a
Population density (per square km)	3
United Nations membership date	4 December 1975

Economic indicators	1995	2003
Exchange rate (national currency per US\$)	407.00	2.74 ^b
Consumer price index (1990=100)	6934	38541 ^c
Industrial production index (1995=100) ^d	100	109 ^e
Unemployment (percentage of labour force) ^f	8.4	10.0 ^g
Balance of payments, current account (million US\$)	73	-159
Tourist arrivals (000s)	43	82 ^h
GDP (million current US\$)	570	980
GDP (per capita current US\$)	1385	2240
Gross fixed capital formation (% of GDP) ⁱ	40.0	79.0 ^j
Labour force participation, adult female pop. (%)	32.6	...
Labour force participation, adult male pop. (%)	64.2	...
Employment in industrial sector (%)	21.2	14.5 ^k
Employment in agricultural sector (%)	6.9	6.1 ^l
Agricultural production index (1999-2000=100)	133	107
Food production index (1999-2000=100)	133	107
Primary energy production (000s Mt oil equiv.)	385	776 ^m
Motor vehicles (per 1,000 inhabitants) ⁿ	221.4	276.4
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants)	13.2	15.2
Internet users, estimated (000s)	0.5	23.0

Largest export industries	Major trading partners	2003
	(% of exports) ^a	(% of imports) ^a
Chemicals	74 Norway	23 USA
Agriculture	14 USA	20 Netherlands
Mining/quarry	5 Netherlands	14 Trinidad Tobago

Social indicators	1995-2004
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	1.3 ^j
Population aged 0-14 years (%)	29.7 ^k
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total)	9.0/7.0
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)	98.9 ^l
Life expectancy at birth 2000-2005 (women and men, years)	74/69
Infant mortality rate 2000-2005 (per 1,000 births)	25 ^m
Total fertility rate 2000-2005 (births per woman)	2.2 ⁿ
Contraceptive use (% of currently married women)	42.1
Urban population (%)	76
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	1.6
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	-1.8
Foreign born (%)	1.5 ^o
Government education expenditure (% of GNP)	6.4
Primary-secondary gross enrolment ratio (w and m per 100)	105/92
Third-level students (women and men, % of total) ^p	67/33
Newspaper circulation (per 1,000 inhabitants)	68
Television receivers (per 1,000 inhabitants)	152
Intentional homicides (per 100,000 inhabitants)	2 ^q
Parliamentary seats (women and men, % of total)	18/82

Environment	1995-2004
Threatened species	58
Forested area (% of land area)	91
CO ₂ emissions (000s Mt/per capita)	2119/5.0
Energy consumption per capita (kilograms oil equiv.)	1557
Precipitation (mm)	2476 ^r
Average minimum and maximum temperatures (centigrade)	26.4/28.5

a Suriname General Bureau of Statistics. b September 2004. c 2001. d Base: 1990 = 100. e 1997. f Persons aged 14 years and over. g 2002. h 2000. i Data refer to fiscal year beginning 1 July. j Estimated data. k 1992. l Based on 30 or fewer deaths. m Paramaribo

Swaziland

Region	Southern Africa
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	Manzini (101) ^a
Currency	lilangeni
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	1063
Surface area (square kms)	17364
Population density (per square km)	62
United Nations membership date	24 September 1958

Economic indicators	1995	2003
Exchange rate (national currency per US\$) ^b	3.65	6.45 ^c
Consumer price index (1990=100) ^d	180	331 ^e
Industrial production index (1995=100) ^f	100	114 ^g
Balance of payments, current account (million US\$)	-30	-46 ^h
Tourist arrivals (000s)	300	256 ⁱ
GDP (million current US\$)	1360	1780
GDP (per capita current US\$)	1453	1653
Gross fixed capital formation (% of GDP) ^j	19.0	20.0 ^k
Labour force participation, adult female pop. (%)	41.2	...
Labour force participation, adult male pop. (%)	80.5	...
Employment in agricultural sector (%)	25.5 ^l	...
Agricultural production index (1999-2000=100)	99	99
Food production index (1999-2000=100)	102	101
Motor vehicles (per 1,000 inhabitants)	68.2 ^m	95.2
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants)	2.3	4.4
Internet users, estimated (000s)	<	27.0

Largest export industries	Major trading partners	2003
	(% of exports) ^a	(% of imports) ^a
Chemicals	48 S.Afr.Cus.Un	67 S.Afr.Cus.Un
Textiles	20 USA	8 China, HK SAR
Food, beverages, tobacco	13 Mozambique	5 China

Social indicators	1995-2004
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	0.8
Population aged 0-14 years (%)	43.0
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total)	6.0/5.0
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)	109
Life expectancy at birth 2000-2005 (women and men, years)	35/33
Infant mortality rate 2000-2005 (per 1,000 births)	78
Total fertility rate 2000-2005 (births per woman)	4.5
Contraceptive use (% of currently married women)	20 ^m
Urban population (%)	24
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	1.4
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	0.6
Foreign born (%)	4.7 ⁿ
Refugees and others of concern to UNHCR	1013
Government education expenditure (% of GNP)	5.4
Primary-secondary gross enrolment ratio (w and m per 100)	79/81
Third-level students (women and men, % of total)	55/45
Newspaper circulation (per 1,000 inhabitants)	17 ^o
Television receivers (per 1,000 inhabitants)	21
Parliamentary seats (women and men, % of total)	17/83

Environment	1995-2004
Threatened species	21
Forested area (% of land area)	30
CO ₂ emissions (000s Mt/per capita)	381/0.4
Precipitation (mm)	1442 ^p
Average minimum and maximum temperatures (centigrade) ^q	10.5/22.5

a 2003. b Official rate. c September 2004. d Low income group. e July 2004. f Base: 1990 = 100. g Calculated by the Statistics Division of the United Nations from component national indices. h 1996. i 2002. j Gross capital formation. k 1992. l Excluding government vehicles. m 1988. n 1990. o 1986. p Estimated data. q Mbabane.

Sweden

Region	Northern Europe
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	Stockholm (1697) *
Currency	krona
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	8886
Surface area (square kms)	449964
Population density (per square km)	20
United Nations membership date	19 November 1946

Economic indicators	1995	2003
Exchange rate (national currency per US\$) ^b	6.66	7.30 ^c
Consumer price index (1990=100)	123	134 ^d
Industrial production index (1995=100)	100	132 ^e
Unemployment (percentage of labour force) ^f	7.7	4.0 ^g
Balance of payments, current account (million US\$)	4940	22844
Tourist arrivals (000s)	2315	7450
GDP (million current US\$)	248170	301130
GDP (per capita current US\$)	28115	33925
Gross fixed capital formation (% of GDP) ^h	16.0	16.0
Labour force participation, adult female pop. (%)	67.2	68.2 ⁱ
Labour force participation, adult male pop. (%)	73.7	73.8 ^j
Employment in industrial sector (%)	25.9	23.8 ^k
Employment in agricultural sector (%)	3.1	2.3 ^l
Agricultural production index (1999-2000=100)	97	100
Food production index (1999-2000=100)	97	100
Primary energy production (000s Mt oil equiv.)	24438	25952 ^m
Motor vehicles (per 1,000 inhabitants)	486.0	508.2
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants)	68.0	73.6 ⁿ
Internet users, estimated (000s)	450.0	5125.0 ^o

Largest export industries		Major trading partners		2003	
(% of exports)		(% of exports)		(% of imports)	
Metal manufactures	50	USA	11	Germany	19
Chemicals	16	Germany	10	Denmark	9
Paper and products	10	Norway	8	UK	8

Social indicators	1995-2004
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	0.1
Population aged 0-14 years (%)	17.0
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total)	26.0/21.0
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)	102
Life expectancy at birth 2000-2005 (women and men, years)	83/78
Infant mortality rate 2000-2005 (per 1,000 births)	3
Total fertility rate 2000-2005 (births per woman)	1.6
Contraceptive use (% of currently married women)	78 ⁿ
Urban population (%)	83
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	0.1
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	-0.1
Foreign born (%)	12.0
Refugees and others of concern to UNHCR	147443 ⁿ
Government education expenditure (% of GNP)	7.8
Primary-secondary gross enrolment ratio (w and m per 100)	135/120
Third-level students (women and men, % of total)	59/41
Newspaper circulation (per 1,000 inhabitants)	410
Television receivers (per 1,000 inhabitants)	519
Intentional homicides (per 100,000 inhabitants)	1
Parliamentary seats (women and men, % of total)	45/55

Environment	1995-2004
Threatened species	30
Forested area (% of land area)	66
CO ₂ emissions (000s Mt/per capita) ⁿ	55269/6.2
Energy consumption per capita (kilograms oil equiv.)	4721
Precipitation (mm)	539 ^o
Average minimum and maximum temperatures (centigrade) ^o	3.6/10.0

a 2003. b Official rate. c September 2004. d July 2004. e June 2004. f Persons aged 16 to 64 years. g 2002. h Data classified according to SNA 93. i Data refer to fiscal year ending 30 June. j 2001. k 1981. l For all sexually active women of childbearing age. m Estimated data. n Source: UNFCCC. o Stockholm.

Switzerland

Region	Western Europe
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	Zurich (973) *
Currency	franc
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	7164
Surface area (square kms)	41284
Population density (per square km)	174
United Nations membership date	10 September 2002

Economic indicators	1995	2003
Exchange rate (national currency per US\$) ^b	1.15	1.26 ^c
Consumer price index (1990=100)	117	125 ^d
Industrial production index (1995=100)	100	120 ^e
Unemployment (percentage of labour force) ^f	3.3	4.1
Balance of payments, current account (million US\$)	20703	43292
Tourist arrivals (000s)	11500	10000 ^g
GDP (million current US\$)	307260	311740
GDP (per capita current US\$)	43165	43486
Gross fixed capital formation (% of GDP) ^h	21.0	19.0 ⁱ
Labour force participation, adult female pop. (%)	55.8	59.4 ^j
Labour force participation, adult male pop. (%)	79.0	76.7 ^k
Employment in industrial sector (%)	29.2	26.2 ^l
Employment in agricultural sector (%)	4.3	4.2 ^m
Agricultural production index (1999-2000=100)	101	99
Food production index (1999-2000=100)	101	99
Primary energy production (000s Mt oil equiv.)	9721	10669 ⁿ
Motor vehicles (per 1,000 inhabitants)	495.7	562.5 ^o
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants)	63.7	73.3 ^p
Internet users, estimated (000s)	250.0	2556.0 ^q

Largest export industries	Major trading partners			2003	
(% of exports) ^a	(% of exports) ^a		(% of imports) ^a		
Metal manufactures	46	Germany	21	Germany	32
Chemicals	36	USA	11	France	11
Other manufactures	4	France	9	Italy	11

Social indicators	1995-2004
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	-0.1
Population aged 0-14 years (%)	16.0
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total)	26.0/20.0
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)	102
Life expectancy at birth 2000-2005 (women and men, years)	82/76
Infant mortality rate 2000-2005 (per 1,000 births)	5
Total fertility rate 2000-2005 (births per woman)	1.4
Contraceptive use (% of currently married women)	82
Urban population (%)	68
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	-0.1
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	-
Foreign born (%)	20.5
Refugees and others of concern to UNHCR	74677
Government education expenditure (% of GNP)	5.1
Primary-secondary gross enrolment ratio (w and m per 100)	101/105
Third-level students (women and men, % of total)	43/57
Newspaper circulation (per 1,000 inhabitants)	373
Television receivers (per 1,000 inhabitants)	462
Intentional homicides (per 100,000 inhabitants)	1
Parliamentary seats (women and men, % of total)	25/75

Environment	1995-2004
Threatened species	43
Forested area (% of land area)	30
CO ₂ emissions (000s Mt/per capita) ⁿ	44828/6.3
Energy consumption per capita (kilograms oil equiv.) ⁿ	3514
Precipitation (mm)	822 ^o
Average minimum and maximum temperatures (centigrade) ^o	5.5/14.4

a 2003. b Official rate. c September 2004. d August 2004. e 2nd quarter 2004. f Monthly indices are adjusted for differences in the number of working days. g Persons aged 15 years and over. h Second quarter of each year. i 2002. j Data classified according to SNA 93. k 2001. l Data refer to fiscal years ending 30 September. m Includes Liechtenstein. n Source: UNFCCC. o Geneva.

Syrian Arab Republic

Region	Western Asia
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	Aleppo (2379) *
Currency	pound
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	18223
Surface area (square kms)	185180
Population density (per square km)	98
United Nations membership date	24 October 1945

Economic indicators	1995	2003
Exchange rate (national currency per US\$) ^a	11.23	11.23 ^c
Consumer price index (1990=100)	170	195 ^d
Industrial production index (1995=100) ^e	100	141 ^f
Unemployment (percentage of labour force) ^g	...	11.7 ^h
Balance of payments, current account (million US\$)	263	1440 ⁱ
Tourist arrivals (000s)	815	2788
GDP (million current US\$)	20680	26650
GDP (per capita current US\$)	1417	1497
Gross fixed capital formation (% of GDP)	27.0	20.0 ^j
Labour force participation, adult female pop. (%)	26.1	21.3 ^k
Labour force participation, adult male pop. (%)	78.1	83.3 ^l
Employment in industrial sector (%)	24.0 ^m	...
Employment in agricultural sector (%)	28.2 ⁿ	...
Agricultural production index (1999-2000=100)	86	115
Food production index (1999-2000=100)	89	121
Primary energy production (000s Mt oil equiv.)	32699	35540 ^o
Motor vehicles (per 1,000 inhabitants)	26.8	34.2 ^p
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants)	5.8	12.3 ^q
Internet users, estimated (000s)	-	220.0 ^r

Largest export industries		Major trading partners			2003
	(% of exports)		(% of exports)		(% of imports)
Mining/quarry	63	Italy	33	China	6
Agriculture	14	France	14	Ukraine	6
Chemicals	10	Turkey	8	Turkey	6

Social indicators	1995-2004
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	2.4
Population aged 0-14 years (%)	37.0
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total)	5.0/4.0
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)	98
Life expectancy at birth 2000-2005 (women and men, years)	73/71
Infant mortality rate 2000-2005 (per 1,000 births)	22
Total fertility rate 2000-2005 (births per woman)	3.3
Contraceptive use (% of currently married women)	36 ^s
Urban population (%)	50
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	2.5
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	2.3
Foreign born (%)	5.5 ^t
Refugees and others of concern to UNHCR	9964
Primary-secondary gross enrolment ratio (w and m per 100)	73/81
Third-level students (women and men, % of total) ^u	41/59
Newspaper circulation (per 1,000 inhabitants)	20
Television receivers (per 1,000 inhabitants)	68
Parliamentary seats (women and men, % of total)	12/88

Environment	1995-2004
Threatened species	26
Forested area (% of land area)	3
CO ₂ emissions (000s Mt/per capita)	54226/3.3
Energy consumption per capita (kilograms oil equiv.)	1025
Precipitation (mm)	144 ^v
Average minimum and maximum temperatures (centigrade) ^w	7.9/25.1

a 2003. b Principal rate. c September 2004. d February 2004. e Base: 1990 = 100. f 1999. g Persons aged 15 years and over. h 2002. i 2001. j 1990. k 1991. l Adjusted from source to exclude breast-feeding. m Estimated data. n 1994. o Damascus.

Tajikistan

Region	South-central Asia
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	Dushanbe (554) *
Currency	somoni ²
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	6298
Surface area (square kms)	143100
Population density (per square km)	44
United Nations membership date	2 March 1992

Economic indicators	1995	2003
Exchange rate (national currency per US\$) ^a	0.29	3.03 ^c
Consumer price index (1990=100)	804305	11422160 ^d
Industrial production index (1995=100) ^e	100	37 ^f
Unemployment (percentage of labour force)	2.0	2.7 ^g
Balance of payments, current account (million US\$)	...	-5
Tourist arrivals (000s)	511 ^h	4 ⁱ
GDP (million current US\$)	570	1580
GDP (per capita current US\$)	99	249
Gross fixed capital formation (% of GDP) ^j	21.0	11.0 ^k
Labour force participation, adult female pop. (%)	54.8	...
Labour force participation, adult male pop. (%)	73.8	...
Employment in industrial sector (%)	15.5	17.4 ^l
Employment in agricultural sector (%)	59.1	46.1 ^m
Agricultural production index (1999-2000=100)	114	118
Food production index (1999-2000=100)	113	124
Primary energy production (000s Mt oil equiv.)	1322	1268 ⁿ
Motor vehicles (per 1,000 inhabitants)	30.7	22.0 ^o
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants)	4.5	3.7
Internet users, estimated (000s)	-	4.1

Internet users, estimated (1000s)		-		4.1	
Largest export industries		Major trading partners		2003	
	(% of exports)*		(% of exports)*	(% of imports)	
Basic metals	56	Russian Fed.	37	Uzbekistan	29
Agriculture	15	Netherlands	26	Russian Fed.	16
Other manufactures	14	Uzbekistan	14	Ukraine	13

Social indicators	1995-2004
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	0.9
Population aged 0-14 years (%)	35.0
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total)	7.0/5.0
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)	101
Life expectancy at birth 2000-2005 (women and men, years)	71/66
Infant mortality rate 2000-2005 (per 1,000 births)	50
Total fertility rate 2000-2005 (births per woman)	3.1
Contraceptive use (% of currently married women)	21 ^p
Urban population (%)	25
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	-0.4
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	1.3
Foreign born (%)	<
Refugees and others of concern to UNHCR	4010
Government education expenditure (% of GNP)	2.5
Primary-secondary gross enrolment ratio (w and m per 100)	84/97
Third-level students (women and men, % of total)	24/76
Newspaper circulation (per 1,000 inhabitants)	20 ^q
Television receivers (per 1,000 inhabitants)	3
Intentional homicides (per 100,000 inhabitants)	2
Parliamentary seats (women and men, % of total)	12/88

Environment	1995-2004
Threatened species	24
Forested area (% of land area)	3
CO ₂ emissions (000s Mt/per capita)	3975/0.7
Energy consumption per capita (kilograms oil equiv.)	447
Precipitation (mm)	653 ^r
Average minimum and maximum temperatures (centigrade) ^s	8.1/22.0

a 2003. b Prior to November 2000, Ruble per US dollar. c Data refer to non-commercial rates derived from the Operational Rates of Exchange for United Nations Programmes. d September 2004. e 2000. f Base: 1990 = 100. g 1999. h 1997. i 1998. j 2001. k Gross capital formation. l 2002. m 1990. n Estimated data. o Dushanbe.

Thailand

Region	South-eastern Asia
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	Bangkok (6486) ^a
Currency	baht
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	63465
Surface area (square kms)	513115
Population density (per square km)	124
United Nations membership date	16 December 1946

Economic indicators	1995	2003
Exchange rate (national currency per US\$) ^b	25.19	41.45 ^c
Consumer price index (1990=100)	126	166 ^d
Industrial production index (1995=100) ^e	100	146 ^f
Unemployment (percentage of labour force) ^g	1.1	2.6 ^h
Balance of payments, current account (million US\$)	-13554	7965
Tourist arrivals (000s)	6952	10082
GDP (million current US\$)	4480	4570
GDP (per capita current US\$)	2905	2273
Gross fixed capital formation (% of GDP) ⁱ	41.0	22.0
Labour force participation, adult female pop. (%)	73.5	64.9 ^j
Labour force participation, adult male pop. (%)	86.4	80.6 ^k
Employment in industrial sector (%)	19.8	19.0 ^l
Employment in agricultural sector (%)	52.0	48.8 ^m
Agricultural production index (1999-2000=100)	92	107
Food production index (1999-2000=100)	92	106
Primary energy production (000s Mt oil equiv.)	21835	34168 ⁿ
Motor vehicles (per 1,000 inhabitants)	5.5	166.5 ^o
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants)	6.1	10.5
Internet users, estimated (000s)	55.0	6971.5

Largest export industries		Major trading partners		2003
	(% of exports)		(% of exports)	(% of imports)
Metal manufactures	49	USA	17	Japan 24
Food, beverages, tobacco	11	Japan	14	USA 9
Chemicals	11	Singapore	7	China 8

Social indicators	1995-2004
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	1.0
Population aged 0-14 years (%)	25.0
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total)	10.0/8.0
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)	104
Life expectancy at birth 2000-2005 (women and men, years)	74/65
Infant mortality rate 2000-2005 (per 1,000 births)	20
Total fertility rate 2000-2005 (births per woman)	1.9
Contraceptive use (% of currently married women)	72 ^a
Urban population (%)	32
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	1.9
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	0.6
Foreign born (%)	0.6 ^b
Refugees and others of concern to UNHCR	121715
Government education expenditure (% of GNP)	5.1
Primary-secondary gross enrolment ratio (w and m per 100)	95/100
Third-level students (women and men, % of total)	52/48
Newspaper circulation (per 1,000 inhabitants)	63
Television receivers (per 1,000 inhabitants)	257
Intentional homicides (per 100,000 inhabitants)	5
Parliamentary seats (women and men, % of total)	10/90

Environment	1995-2004
Threatened species	213
Forested area (% of land area)	29
CO ₂ emissions (000s Mt/per capita)	198792/3.3
Energy consumption per capita (kilograms oil equiv.)	1067
Precipitation (mm)	1498 ^c
Average minimum and maximum temperatures (centigrade) ^d	24.1/32.7

a 2003. b Official rate. c September 2004. d May 2004. e Manufacturing only. f July 2004. g Persons aged 15 years and over. h Third round (August) of each year. i 2001. j Data classified according to SNA 93. k 2000. l 2002. m 1996/1997. n Estimated data. o Bangkok.

The FYR of Macedonia

Region	Southern Europe
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	Skopje (447) ^a
Currency	denar
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	2066
Surface area (square kms)	25713
Population density (per square km)	80
United Nations membership date	8 April 1993

Economic indicators	1995	2003
Exchange rate (national currency per US\$)	37.98	49.86 ^b
Consumer price index (1990=100)	41444	50278 ^c
Industrial production index (1995=100)	100	86 ^d
Unemployment (percentage of labour force) ^e	...	38.7
Balance of payments, current account (million US\$)	-288 ^f	-279
Tourist arrivals (000s)	147	158
GDP (million current US\$)	168020	142830
GDP (per capita current US\$)	2279	2225
Gross fixed capital formation (% of GDP) ^g	17.0	16.0 ^h
Labour force participation, adult male pop. (%)	71.9	...
Employment in agricultural sector (%)	45.5 ⁱ	48.9 ^j
Agricultural production index (1999-2000=100)	94	93
Food production index (1999-2000=100)	96	93
Primary energy production (000s Mt oil equiv.)	2026	2242 ^k
Motor vehicles (per 1,000 inhabitants)	2368.2	128.6
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants)	17.9	27.1 ^l
Internet users, estimated (000s)	0.8	100.0 ^m

Largest export industries		Major trading partners		2003	
	(% of exports)		(% of exports)	(% of imports)	
Textiles	36	Germany	20	Germany	13
Basic metals	22	Yugoslavia, FR	20	Greece	13
Chemicals	11	Greece	13	Yugoslavia, FR	9

Social indicators	1995-2004
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	0.5
Population aged 0-14 years (%)	21.0
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total)	17.0/13.0
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)	100
Life expectancy at birth 2000-2005 (women and men, years)	76/71
Infant mortality rate 2000-2005 (per 1,000 births)	16
Total fertility rate 2000-2005 (births per woman)	1.9
Urban population (%)	59
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	0.6
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	0.4
Foreign born (%)	5.2 ^a
Refugees and others of concern to UNHCR	11443
Government education expenditure (% of GNP)	4.2 ^b
Primary-secondary gross enrolment ratio (w and m per 100)	88/90
Third-level students (women and men, % of total)	56/44 ^c
Newspaper circulation (per 1,000 inhabitants)	53
Television receivers (per 1,000 inhabitants)	257
Intentional homicides (per 100,000 inhabitants)	3
Parliamentary seats (women and men, % of total)	18/82

Environment	1995-2004
Threatened species	25
Forested area (% of land area)	28
CO ₂ emissions (000s Mt/per capita)	11194/5.5
Energy consumption per capita (kilograms oil equiv.)	1546
Precipitation (mm)	504 ^d
Average minimum and maximum temperatures (centigrade) ^e	6.0/18.0

a 2003. b September 2004. c April 2004. d August 2004. e Persons aged 15 years and over. f April of each year. g 1996. h Data classified according to SNA 93. i 2002. j 1994. k 1999. l 2001. m Estimated data. n Not including students enrolled in second or further degrees at tertiary level. o Skopje.

Timor Leste

Region	South-eastern Asia
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	Dili (49) ^a
Currency	US dollar
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	820
Surface area (square kms)	14874
Population density (per square km)	55
United Nations membership date	27 September 2002

Economic indicators	1995	2003
GDP (million current US\$)	320	340
GDP (per capita current US\$)	375	434
Gross fixed capital formation (% of GDP)	30.0	32.0 ^a
Labour force participation, adult female pop. (%)	75.3	...
Labour force participation, adult male pop. (%)	89.3	...
Employment in industrial sector (%)	5.2 ^c	...
Employment in agricultural sector (%)	83.6 ^c	...

Social indicators	1995-2004
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	4.0
Population aged 0-14 years (%)	34.0
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total)	6.0/5.0
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)	93
Life expectancy at birth 2000-2005 (women and men, years)	50/49
Infant mortality rate 2000-2005 (per 1,000 births)	124
Total fertility rate 2000-2005 (births per woman)	3.8
Urban population (%)	8
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	4.8
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	3.9
Foreign born (%)	0.8 ^d
Refugees and others of concern to UNHCR	467
Third-level students (women and men, % of total)	53/47
Parliamentary seats (women and men, % of total)	26/74

Environment	1995-2004
Threatened species	8
Precipitation (mm)	975
Average minimum and maximum temperatures (centigrade)	23.6/27.1

a 2003. b 2002. c 1990. d Estimated data.

Togo

Region	Western Africa
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	Lomé (799) ^a
Currency	CFA franc
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	5017
Surface area (square kms)	56785
Population density (per square km)	88
United Nations membership date	20 September 1960

Economic indicators	1995	2003
Exchange rate (national currency per US\$) ^a	490.00	528.61 ^c
Consumer price index (1990=100)	165	198 ^d
Balance of payments, current account (million US\$)	-122	-140 ^e
Tourist arrivals (000s)	53	61
GDP (million current US\$)	1310	1850
GDP (per capita current US\$)	338	377
Gross fixed capital formation (% of GDP) ^f	15.0	19.0 ^g
Labour force participation, adult female pop. (%)	53.3	...
Labour force participation, adult male pop. (%)	87.1	...
Employment in industrial sector (%)	10.1 ^h	...
Employment in agricultural sector (%)	65.5 ^h	...
Agricultural production index (1999-2000=100)	85	111
Food production index (1999-2000=100)	85	104
Primary energy production (000s Mt oil equiv.)	1	- ^h
Motor vehicles (per 1,000 inhabitants)	28.3 ⁱ	16.2 ^h
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants)	1.1	1.2
Internet users, estimated (000s)	-	210.0

Largest export industries		Major trading partners		2003
	(% of exports) ^a		(% of exports) ^a	(% of imports) ^a
Non metal minerals	27	Ghana	21	France 20
Agriculture	20	Benin	13	Côte d'Ivoire 6
Mining quarry	17	Burkina Faso	13	Canada 6

Social indicators	1995-2004
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	2.3
Population aged 0-14 years (%)	43.0
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total)	5.0/5.0
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)	102
Life expectancy at birth 2000-2005 (women and men, years)	51/48
Infant mortality rate 2000-2005 (per 1,000 births)	82
Total fertility rate 2000-2005 (births per woman)	5.3
Contraceptive use (% of currently married women)	14 ^j
Urban population (%)	35
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	4.0
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	1.4
Foreign born (%)	3.9 ^k
Refugees and others of concern to UNHCR	12737
Government education expenditure (% of GNP)	4.9
Primary-secondary gross enrolment ratio (w and m per 100)	107/136
Third-level students (women and men, % of total)	17/83
Newspaper circulation (per 1,000 inhabitants)	2
Television receivers (per 1,000 inhabitants)	18
Parliamentary seats (women and men, % of total)	7/83

Environment	1995-2004
Threatened species	28
Forested area (% of land area)	9
CO ₂ emissions (000s Mt/per capita)	1797/0.4
Energy consumption per capita (kilograms oil equiv.)	81
Precipitation (mm)	877 ^l
Average minimum and maximum temperatures (centigrade) ^l	23.1/30.7

a 2003. b Official rate. c September 2004. d April 2004. e 2002. f Data classified according to SNA 93. g 1990. h 2001. i Source: World Automotive Market Report, Auto and Truck International (Illinois). j Excluding prolonged abstinence reported as the current by 10 percent. k Estimated data. l Lomé.

Tonga

Region	Oceania-Polynesia
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	Nuku'alofa (35) ^a
Currency	pa'anga
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	105
Surface area (square kms)	650
Population density (per square km)	161
United Nations membership date	14 September 1999

Economic indicators	1995	2003
Exchange rate (national currency per US\$) ^b	1.27	1.99 ^c
Consumer price index (1990=100) ^a	122	211 ^c
Balance of payments, current account (million US\$)	-6 ^d	-3319 ^e
Tourist arrivals (000s)	29	37 ^f
GDP (million current US\$)	160	170
GDP (per capita current US\$)	1509	1626
Gross fixed capital formation (% of GDP)	22.0	19.0 ^g
Labour force participation, adult male pop. (%)	74.2 ^h	...
Employment in agricultural sector (%)	39.3 ^h	34.0
Agricultural production index (1999-2000=100)	97	103
Food production index (1999-2000=100)	97	103
Motor vehicles (per 1,000 inhabitants)	159.6	115.1 ⁱ
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants)	6.8	11.3 ^j
Internet users, estimated (000s)	0.1	2.9 ^k

Largest export industries	Major trading partners	2003
(% of exports)	(% of exports)	(% of imports)
Agriculture	93 Japan	44 New Zealand
Chemicals	3 USA	26 Australia
Other manufactures	3 New Zealand	13 Fiji

Social indicators	1995-2004
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	1.0
Population aged 0-14 years (%)	36.0
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total)	9.0/7.0
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)	97
Life expectancy at birth 2000-2005 (women and men, years)	69/68
Infant mortality rate 2000-2005 (per 1,000 births)	34
Total fertility rate 2000-2005 (births per woman)	3.7
Urban population (%)	33
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	1.7
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	0.6
Foreign born (%)	1.8
Government education expenditure (% of GNP)	5.0
Primary-secondary gross enrolment ratio (w and m per 100)	107/104
Third-level students (women and men, % of total)	58/42
Newspaper circulation (per 1,000 inhabitants)	72 ^a
Television receivers (per 1,000 inhabitants)	21
Parliamentary seats (women and men, % of total)	-/100

Environment	1995-2004
Threatened species	15
Forested area (% of land area)	6
CO ₂ emissions (000s Mt/per capita)	121/1.2
Energy consumption per capita (kilograms oil equiv.)	357

a 2003. b Official rate. c September 2004. d Excluding Rent. e February 2004. f 1993. g 2002. h 1994. i 1996. j 2000. k Estimated data.

Trinidad and Tobago

Region	Caribbean
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	Port of Spain (55) ^a
Currency	dollar
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	1307
Surface area (square kms)	5130
Population density (per square km)	255
United Nations membership date	18 September 1962

Economic indicators	1995	2003
Exchange rate (national currency per US\$) ^b	6.00	6.27 ^c
Consumer price index (1990=100)	140	194
Industrial production index (1995=100)	100	194 ^d
Unemployment (percentage of labour force) ^d	17.2	10.4 ^e
Balance of payments, current account (million US\$)	294	76 ^f
Tourist arrivals (000s)	260	384 ^g
GDP (million current US\$)	5330	9910
GDP (per capita current US\$)	4227	7607
Gross fixed capital formation (% of GDP) ^h	19.0	23.0 ^g
Labour force participation, adult female pop. (%)	44.9	...
Labour force participation, adult male pop. (%)	75.5	...
Employment in industrial sector (%)	25.5	27.7 ⁱ
Employment in agricultural sector (%)	10.6	-8.1 ^j
Agricultural production index (1999-2000=100)	96	116
Food production index (1999-2000=100)	95	116
Primary energy production (000s Mt oil equiv.)	13084	15948 ^k
Motor vehicles (per 1,000 inhabitants)	165.7	220.6 ^l
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants)	16.8	25.0 ^m
Internet users, estimated (000s)	2.0	138.0 ⁿ

Largest export industries	Major trading partners	2003
(% of exports)	(% of exports)	(% of imports)
Chemicals	47 USA	50 USA
Mining quarry	30 Jamaica	8 Venezuela
Basic metals	9 Barbados	5 Germany

Social indicators	1995-2004
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	0.3
Population aged 0-14 years (%)	22.0
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total)	11.0/10.0
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)	102
Life expectancy at birth 2000-2005 (women and men, years)	74/68
Infant mortality rate 2000-2005 (per 1,000 births)	14
Total fertility rate 2000-2005 (births per woman)	1.5
Contraceptive use (% of currently married women)	53 ^o
Urban population (%)	75
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	0.9
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	-1.4
Foreign born (%)	3.2 ^p
Government education expenditure (% of GNP)	4.3
Primary-secondary gross enrolment ratio (w and m per 100)	104/106
Third-level students (women and men, % of total)	60/40
Newspaper circulation (per 1,000 inhabitants)	123
Television receivers (per 1,000 inhabitants)	334
Intentional homicides (per 100,000 inhabitants)	9
Parliamentary seats (women and men, % of total)	25/75

Environment	1995-2004
Threatened species	23
Forested area (% of land area)	51
CO ₂ emissions (000s Mt/per capita)	26382/20.5
Energy consumption per capita (kilograms oil equiv.)	8390
Precipitation (mm)	1408 ^q
Average minimum and maximum temperatures (centigrade) ^r	22.0/31.9

a 2003. b Official rate. c September 2004. d 2nd quarter 2003. e Persons aged 15 years and over. f Excl. unemployed not previously employed. g 2002. h Data refer to fiscal year ending 30 June. i 1999. j 2001. k 1997. l Including visiting unions. m Estimated data. n Universities and equivalent degree-granting institutions only. o Port of Spain (Trinidad).

Tunisia

Region	Northern Africa
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	Tunis (1996) ^a
Currency	dinar
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	9937
Surface area (square kms)	163610
Population density (per square km)	61
United Nations membership date	12 November 1956

Economic indicators	1995	2003
Exchange rate (national currency per US\$)	0.95	1.26 ^b
Consumer price index (1990=100)	132	174 ^c
Industrial production index (1995=100)	100	147 ^d
Unemployment (percentage of labour force) ^e	15.7 ^f	14.3
Balance of payments, current account (million US\$)	-774	-730
Tourist arrivals (000s)	4120	5114
GDP (million current US\$)	18030	25180
GDP (per capita current US\$)	2015	2561
Gross fixed capital formation (% of GDP) ^g	24.0	25.0
Labour force participation, adult female pop. (%)	35.1	...
Labour force participation, adult male pop. (%)	79.4	...
Employment in agricultural sector (%)	21.6 ^h	...
Agricultural production index (1999-2000=100)	69	92
Food production index (1999-2000=100)	68	92
Primary energy production (000s Mt oil equiv.)	4435	5652 ⁱ
Motor vehicles (per 1,000 inhabitants)	61.0	86.7 ^j
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants)	5.8	11.8
Internet users, estimated (000s)	1.0	630.0

Largest export industries	Major trading partners	2003
(% of exports)	(% of exports)	(% of imports)
Textiles	46 France	33 France 27
Metal manufactures	20 Italy	21 Italy 19
Chemicals	14 Germany	10 Germany 9

Social indicators	1995-2004
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	1.1
Population aged 0-14 years (%)	27.0
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total)	9.0/8.0
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)	99
Life expectancy at birth 2000-2005 (women and men, years)	75/71
Infant mortality rate 2000-2005 (per 1,000 births)	23
Total fertility rate 2000-2005 (births per woman)	2.0
Contraceptive use (% of currently married women)	60 ^b
Urban population (%)	64
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	1.6
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	0.2
Foreign born (%)	0.4 ^c
Refugees and others of concern to UNHCR	106
Government education expenditure (% of GNP)	7.2
Primary-secondary gross enrolment ratio (w and m per 100)	95/94
Third-level students (women and men, % of total)	48/52
Newspaper circulation (per 1,000 inhabitants)	19
Television receivers (per 1,000 inhabitants)	100
Parliamentary seats (women and men, % of total)	12/88

Environment	1995-2004
Threatened species	32
Forested area (% of land area)	3
CO ₂ emissions (000s Mt/per capita)	18407/1.9
Energy consumption per capita (kilograms oil equiv.)	727
Precipitation (mm)	468 ^b
Average minimum and maximum temperatures (centigrade) ^k	13.3/23.5

a 2003. b September 2004. c July 2004. d June 2004. e Persons aged 15 years and over. f 1997. g Data classified according to SNA 93. h 1994. i 2001. j Estimated data. k Tunis-Carthage.

Turkey

Region	Western Asia/Southern Europe
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	Istanbul (9371) ^a
Currency	lira
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	72320
Surface area (square kms)	774815
Population density (per square km)	93
United Nations membership date	24 October 1945

Economic indicators	1995	2003
Exchange rate (national currency per US\$)	59650	1500960 ^b
Consumer price index (1990=100) ^c	1872	9121 ^d
Industrial production index (1995=100)	100	138 ^e
Unemployment (percentage of labour force) ^f	7.5	10.6 ^g
Balance of payments, current account (million US\$)	-2338	-6850
Tourist arrivals (000s)	7083	13341
GDP (million current US\$)	169320	243780
GDP (per capita current US\$)	2685	3418
Gross fixed capital formation (% of GDP) ^h	24.0	17.0 ⁱ
Labour force participation, adult female pop. (%)	30.5	26.9 ^j
Labour force participation, adult male pop. (%)	77.8	70.5 ^k
Employment in industrial sector (%)	22.3	24.3 ^l
Employment in agricultural sector (%)	43.4	32.6 ^m
Agricultural production index (1999-2000=100)	91	100
Food production index (1999-2000=100)	91	100
Primary energy production (000s Mt oil equiv.)	18840	19209 ⁿ
Motor vehicles (per 1,000 inhabitants)	64.5	91.1
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants)	21.4	26.8
Internet users, estimated (000s)	50.0	6000.0

Largest export industries	Major trading partners	2003
(% of exports)	(% of exports)	(% of imports)
Textiles	33 Germany	16 Germany 14
Metal manufactures	31 USA	8 Italy 8
Basic metals	8 UK	8 Russian Fed. 8

Social indicators	1995-2004
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	1.4
Population aged 0-14 years (%)	30.0
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total)	9.0/8.0
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)	99
Life expectancy at birth 2000-2005 (women and men, years)	73/68
Infant mortality rate 2000-2005 (per 1,000 births)	40
Total fertility rate 2000-2005 (births per woman)	2.4
Contraceptive use (% of currently married women)	64
Urban population (%)	66
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	2.2
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	-0.1
Foreign born (%)	1.9
Refugees and others of concern to UNHCR	5978
Government education expenditure (% of GNP)	3.7
Primary-secondary gross enrolment ratio (w and m per 100)	78/93
Third-level students (women and men, % of total)	41/59
Television receivers (per 1,000 inhabitants)	321
Parliamentary seats (women and men, % of total)	4/96

Environment	1995-2004
Threatened species	88
Forested area (% of land area)	13
CO ₂ emissions (000s Mt/per capita)	221716/3.2
Energy consumption per capita (kilograms oil equiv.)	915
Precipitation (mm)	678 ⁱ
Average minimum and maximum temperatures (centigrade) ^j	10.3/18.4

a 2003. b September 2004. c Base: 1994=100. d May 2004. e August 2004. f Persons aged 15 years and over. g 2002. h Data classified according to SNA 93. i 2001. j Istanbul.

Turkmenistan

Region	South-central Asia
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	Ashkhabad (574) ^a
Currency	manat
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	4940
Surface area (square kms)	488100
Population density (per square km)	10
United Nations membership date	2 March 1992

Economic indicators	1995	2003
Exchange rate (national currency per US\$) ^a	200.00	5200.00 ^a
Balance of payments, current account (million US\$)	-0 ^d	-580 ^a
Tourist arrivals (000s)	218	300 ⁱ
GDP (million current US\$)	5880	14980
GDP (per capita current US\$)	1396	3078
Gross fixed capital formation (% of GDP)	23.0	34.0 ^a
Labour force participation, adult female pop. (%)	60.8	...
Labour force participation, adult male pop. (%)	77.6	...
Employment in agricultural sector (%)	45.1 ^b	48.5 ⁱ
Agricultural production index (1999-2000=100)	109	92
Food production index (1999-2000=100)	85	103
Primary energy production (000s Mt oil equiv.)	36101	55143 ⁱ
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants)	7.1	7.7 ^a
Internet users, estimated (000s)	-	8.0 ⁱ

Largest export industries		Major trading partners		2003	
(% of exports) ⁱ		(% of exports) ⁱ		(% of imports) ⁱ	
Mining/quarry	60	Russian Fed.	41	Russian Fed.	14
Chemicals	21	Italy	16	Turkey	14
Agriculture	9	Iran	10	Ukraine	12

Social indicators	1995-2004
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	1.5
Population aged 0-14 years (%)	33.0
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total)	7.0/5.0
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)	102
Life expectancy at birth 2000-2005 (women and men, years)	70/64
Infant mortality rate 2000-2005 (per 1,000 births)	49
Total fertility rate 2000-2005 (births per woman)	2.7
Contraceptive use (% of currently married women)	62 ^a
Urban population (%)	45
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	2.0
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	1.2
Refugees and others of concern to UNHCR	13515
Newspaper circulation (per 1,000 inhabitants)	7
Television receivers (per 1,000 inhabitants)	186
Intentional homicides (per 100,000 inhabitants)	7
Parliamentary seats (women and men, % of total)	26/74

Environment	1995-2004
Threatened species	34
Forested area (% of land area)	8
CO ₂ emissions (000s Mt/per capita)	34617/7.5
Energy consumption per capita (kilograms oil equiv.)	3386
Precipitation (mm)	227 ⁱ
Average minimum and maximum temperatures (centigrade) ⁱ	10.4/23.2

a 2003. b Data refer to non-commercial rates derived from the Operational Rates of Exchange for United Nations Programmes. c November 2004. d 1996. e 1997. f 1998. g 2002. h 1991. i 2001. j 2000. k Including the lactational amenorrhoea method and/or breastfeeding if reported as the current contraceptive method. l Ashgabat.

Tuvalu

Region	Oceania-Polynesia
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	Funafuti (6) ^a
Currency	Australian dollar
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	11
Surface area (square kms)	26
Population density (per square km)	412
United Nations membership date	5 September 2000

Economic indicators	1995	2003
Exchange rate (national currency per US\$)	1.29	1.34 ^b
Consumer price index (1990=100)	109	112 ^c
Tourist arrivals (000s)	1	1 ^d
GDP (million current US\$)	10	20
GDP (per capita current US\$)	1234	2285
Gross fixed capital formation (% of GDP)	56.0 ^e	55.0 ^d
Agricultural production index (1999-2000=100)	87	100
Food production index (1999-2000=100)	87	100
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants)	5.1	6.8 ^e
Largest export industries	Major trading partners	2003
(% of exports)	(% of exports) ^f	(% of imports) ^g
... UK	82 Australia	38
... Spain	9 Fiji	32
...	... New Zealand	11

Social indicators	1995-2004
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	1.2
Population aged 0-14 years (%)	41.0 ^a
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total) ^a	10.0/8.0
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)	125 ^a
Urban population (%)	55
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	3.0
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	-0.9
Parliamentary seats (women and men, % of total)	-/100

Environment	1995-2004
Threatened species	7
CO ₂ emissions (000s Mt/per capita) ^h	5/0.5

a 2003. b November 2004. c 1999. d 2002. e 2001. f 1996. g 1991. h Source: UNFCCC. i 1994.

Uganda

Region	Eastern Africa
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	Kampala (1246) ^a
Currency	shilling
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	26699
Surface area (square kms)	241038
Population density (per square km)	111
United Nations membership date	25 October 1962

Economic indicators	1995	2003
Exchange rate (national currency per US\$) ^a	1009.45	1717.21 ^c
Consumer price index (1990=100) ^d	244	360 ^c
Industrial production index (1995=100) ^e	100	204 ^f
Unemployment (percentage of labour force) ^g	...	3.2
Balance of payments, current account (million US\$)	-339	-377
Tourist arrivals (000s)	~160	254 ^h
GDP (million current US\$)	6050	6250
GDP (per capita current US\$)	298	242
Gross fixed capital formation (% of GDP) ⁱ	17.0	22.0 ^j
Labour force participation, adult female pop. (%)	80.5	...
Labour force participation, adult male pop. (%)	91.4	...
Employment in industrial sector (%)	6.3 ^k	...
Employment in agricultural sector (%)	89.6 ^k	...
Agricultural production index (1999-2000=100)	86	109
Food production index (1999-2000=100)	87	109
Primary energy production (000s Mt oil equiv.)	94	143 ^l
Motor vehicles (per 1,000 inhabitants)	3.6	5.6
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants)	0.2	0.2
Internet users, estimated (000s)	0.6	125.0

Largest export industries		Major trading partners		2003
	(% of exports)		(% of exports)	(% of imports)
Agriculture	70	Switzerland	19	Kenya 26
Textiles	15	Kenya	11	India 7
Food, beverages, tobacco	6	Netherlands	9	S Afr Cus Un 7

Social indicators	1995-2004
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	3.2
Population aged 0-14 years (%)	50.0
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total)	4.0/4.0
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)	101
Life expectancy at birth 2000-2005 (women and men, years)	47/45
Infant mortality rate 2000-2005 (per 1,000 births)	86
Total fertility rate 2000-2005 (births per woman)	7.1
Contraceptive use (% of currently married women)	23 ⁿ
Urban population (%)	12
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	3.9
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	3.2
Foreign born (%)	2.4 ⁿ
Refugees and others of concern to UNHCR	236041
Government education expenditure (% of GNP)	2.5 ⁿ
Primary-secondary gross enrolment ratio (w and m per 100)	81/91
Third-level students (women and men, % of total) ^p	34/66
Newspaper circulation (per 1,000 inhabitants)	2
Television receivers (per 1,000 inhabitants)	15
Parliamentary seats (women and men, % of total)	25/75

Environment	1995-2004
Threatened species	106
Forested area (% of land area)	21
CO ₂ emissions (000s Mt/per capita)	1525/0.1
Energy consumption per capita (kilograms oil equiv.)	27
Precipitation (mm) ^q	1574 ^r
Average minimum and maximum temperatures (centigrade) ^s	20.6/22.1

a 2003. b Principal rate. c August 2004. d Urban areas. e Manufacturing only. f March 2003. g Persons aged 10 years and over. h Year ending in April of the year indicated. i 2002. j Data classified according to SNA 93. k 1994. l 2001. m 2000/01. n 1991. o Estimated data. p Not including private non-university institutions. q Entebbe.

Ukraine

Region	Eastern Europe
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	Kiev (2618) ^a
Currency	hryvnia
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	48151
Surface area (square kms)	603700
Population density (per square km)	80
United Nations membership date	24 October 1945

Economic indicators	1995	2003
Exchange rate (national currency per US\$) ^a	1.79	5.31 ^c
Consumer price index (1990=100) ^d	228471	1059697 ^e
Industrial production index (1995=100)	100	165 ^f
Unemployment (percentage of labour force) ^g	5.6 ^h	10.1 ⁱ
Balance of payments, current account (million US\$)	-1152	2891
Tourist arrivals (000s)	3716	6326 ^j
GDP (million current US\$)	37010	47290
GDP (per capita current US\$)	718	975
Gross fixed capital formation (% of GDP)	23.0	20.0 ^k
Labour force participation, adult female pop. (%)	64.9	50.7 ^l
Labour force participation, adult male pop. (%)	73.1	64.4 ^l
Employment in industrial sector (%)	30.2	30.8 ^k
Employment in agricultural sector (%)	24.3	19.7 ^k
Agricultural production index (1999-2000=100)	124	93
Food production index (1999-2000=100)	123	93
Primary energy production (000s Mt oil equiv.)	84587	85021 ^k
Motor vehicles (per 1,000 inhabitants)	89.3	107.8 ^k
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants)	16.1	22.6 ^k
Internet users, estimated (000s)	22.0	900.0 ^k

Largest export industries		Major trading partners		2003	
	(% of exports)		(% of exports)	(% of imports)	
Basic metals	33	Russian Fed.	18	Russian Fed.	37
Metal manufactures	22	Turkey	7	Turkmenistan	11
Chemicals	16	Italy	5	Germany	10

Social indicators	1995-2004
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	-0.8
Population aged 0-14 years (%)	15.0
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total)	25.0/16.0
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)	115
Life expectancy at birth 2000-2005 (women and men, years)	75/65
Infant mortality rate 2000-2005 (per 1,000 births)	14
Total fertility rate 2000-2005 (births per woman)	1.1
Contraceptive use (% of currently married women)	68
Urban population (%)	67
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	-0.7
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	-0.9
Refugees and others of concern to UNHCR	89042
Government education expenditure (% of GNP)	4.4
Primary-secondary gross enrolment ratio (w and m per 100)	67/95
Third-level students (women and men, % of total) ⁿ	53/66
Newspaper circulation (per 1,000 inhabitants)	175
Television receivers (per 1,000 inhabitants)	355
Intentional homicides (per 100,000 inhabitants)	12
Parliamentary seats (women and men, % of total)	5/95

Environment	1995-2004
Threatened species	52
Forested area (% of land area)	17
CO ₂ emissions (000s Mt/per capita) ^a	314445/6.3
Energy consumption per capita (kilograms oil equiv.)	2976
Precipitation (mm)	648 ⁿ
Average minimum and maximum temperatures (centigrade) ^s	4.3/11.9

a 2003. b Official rate. c September 2004. d Base 1992=100. e May 2004. f June 2004. g Persons aged 15-70 years. h October. i 2002. j 2000. k 2001. l Passenger-cars only. m Not including foreign students. n Source: UNFCCC. o Kyiv.

United Arab Emirates

Region	Western Asia
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	Abu Dhabi (981) ^a
Currency	dirham
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	3051
Surface area (square kms)	83600
Population density (per square km)	36
United Nations membership date	9 December 1971

Economic indicators		1995	2003	
Exchange rate (national currency per US\$) ^b		3.67	3.67 ^c	
Unemployment (percentage of labour force)		1.8 ^d	2.3 ^e	
Tourist arrivals (000s)		2315	5871	
GDP (million current US\$)		42280	66270	
GDP (per capita current US\$)		16932	22130	
Gross fixed capital formation (% of GDP) ^f		29.0	25.0	
Labour force participation, adult female pop. (%)		31.3	...	
Labour force participation, adult male pop. (%)		92.2	...	
Employment in industrial sector (%)		33.6	33.4 ^g	
Employment in agricultural sector (%)		8.0	7.9 ^h	
Agricultural production index (1999-2000=100)		41	56	
Food production index (1999-2000=100)		41	56	
Primary energy production (000s Mt oil equiv.)		142033	153530 ⁱ	
Motor vehicles (per 1,000 inhabitants)		162.5	441.8 ^j	
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants)		28.8	28.1	
Internet users, estimated (000s)		2.5	1110.2	
Largest export industries	Major trading partners		2003	
	(% of exports) ^k	(% of exports) ^k	(% of imports) ^l	
Basic metals	32	Japan	30 India	2
Textiles	25	Kuwait	3 Iran	2
Metal manufactures	...	Bahrain	2 Australia	2

Social indicators			1995-2004
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)			1.9
Population aged 0-14 years (%)			25.0
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total)			3.0/3.0
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)			54
Life expectancy at birth 2000-2005 (women and men, years)			77/73
Infant mortality rate 2000-2005 (per 1,000 births)			14
Total fertility rate 2000-2005 (births per woman)			2.8
Contraceptive use (% of currently married women)			28 ^m
Urban population (%)			85
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)			2.1
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)			0.8
Foreign born (%)			68.2 ⁿ
Refugees and others of concern to UNHCR			223
Government education expenditure (% of GNP)			1.8
Primary-secondary gross enrolment ratio (w and m per 100)			85/86
Third-level students (women and men, % of total) ^a			72/28
Newspaper circulation (per 1,000 inhabitants)			156
Television receivers (per 1,000 inhabitants)			117
Parliamentary seats (women and men, % of total)			—/100

Environment			1995-2004
Threatened species			19
Forested area (% of land area)			4
CO ₂ emissions (000s Mt/per capita)			58956/20.9
Energy consumption per capita (kilograms oil equiv.)			13456
Precipitation (mm)			89 ^o
Average minimum and maximum temperatures (centigrade) ^p			20.2/33.7

a 2003. b Official rate. c September 2004. d Population census. e 2000. f Data classified according to SNA 93. g 2001. h 1993. i Households of nationals of the country. j Estimated data. k Universities and equivalent degree-granting institutions only. l Abu Dhabi.

United Kingdom

Region	Northern Europe
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	London (7619) ^a
Currency	pound sterling
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	59427
Surface area (square kms)	242900
Population density (per square km)	245
United Nations membership date	24 October 1945

Economic indicators		1995	2003
Exchange rate (national currency per US\$)		0.65	0.56 ^b
Consumer price index (1990=100)		118	148 ^c
Industrial production index (1995=100) ^d		100	104 ^e
Unemployment (percentage of labour force) ^f		8.6	5.1 ^g
Balance of payments, current account (million US\$)		-14291	-33457
Tourist arrivals (000s)		23637	24785
GDP (million current US\$)		1134940	1798540
GDP (per capita current US\$)		19670	30355
Gross fixed capital formation (% of GDP)		16.0	16.0
Labour force participation, adult female pop. (%)		53.1	55.5 ^h
Labour force participation, adult male pop. (%)		72.3	71.2 ^h
Employment in industrial sector (%)		27.4	24.9 ⁱ
Employment in agricultural sector (%)		2.1	1.4 ^j
Agricultural production index (1999-2000=100)		106	98
Food production index (1999-2000=100)		106	98
Primary energy production (000s Mt oil equiv.)		263858	267147 ^k
Motor vehicles (per 1,000 inhabitants)		432.2	508.1 ^h
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants)		50.2	59.1 ^h
Internet users, estimated (000s)		1100.0	25000.0 ^h

Social indicators			1995-2004
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)			0.3
Population aged 0-14 years (%)			18.0
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total)			23.0/19.0
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)			105
Life expectancy at birth 2000-2005 (women and men, years)			81/76
Infant mortality rate 2000-2005 (per 1,000 births)			5
Total fertility rate 2000-2005 (births per woman)			1.6
Contraceptive use (% of currently married women)			82 ^a
Urban population (%)			89
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)			0.4
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)			-0.3
Foreign born (%)			6.8 ^b
Refugees and others of concern to UNHCR			300422 ^c
Government education expenditure (% of GNP)			4.4
Primary-secondary gross enrolment ratio (w and m per 100)			136/123
Third-level students (women and men, % of total)			55/45
Newspaper circulation (per 1,000 inhabitants)			329
Television receivers (per 1,000 inhabitants)			525
Intentional homicides (per 100,000 inhabitants)			1
Parliamentary seats (women and men, % of total)			17/83

Environment			1995-2004
Threatened species			48
Forested area (% of land area)			12
CO ₂ emissions (000s Mt/per capita) ^a			557628/9.5
Energy consumption per capita (kilograms oil equiv.)			3829
Precipitation (mm)			611 ⁿ
Average minimum and maximum temperatures (centigrade) ^o			7.5/14.4

a 2003. b September 2004. c July 2004. d Monthly indices are adjusted for differences in the number of working days. e June 2004. f Persons aged 16 years and over. g March - May of each year. h 2002. i 2001. j 1993. k Excluding Northern Ireland. l 1991. m Estimated data. n Source: UNFCCC. o London.

United Republic of Tanzania

Region	Eastern Africa
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	Dar es Salaam (2441)*
Currency	shilling
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	37671
Surface area (square kms)	883749
Population density (per square km)	43
United Nations membership date	14 December 1961

Economic indicators	1995	2003
Exchange rate (national currency per US\$)	550.36	1060.45 ^c
Consumer price index (1990=100)	336	737 ^c
Industrial production index (1995=100)	100	195 ^c
Unemployment (percentage of labour force)	...	5.1 ⁱ
Balance of payments, current account (million US\$)	-646	-251 ^k
Tourist arrivals (000s)	285	552
GDP (million current US\$)	5260	10020
GDP (per capita current US\$)	170	271
Gross fixed capital formation (% of GDP)	20.0	19.0 ^k
Labour force participation, adult female pop. (%)	82.6	...
Labour force participation, adult male pop. (%)	88.7	...
Employment in industrial sector (%)	4.1 ^m	...
Employment in agricultural sector (%)	84.2 ^m	...
Agricultural production index (1999-2000=100)	95	104
Food production index (1999-2000=100)	94	103
Primary energy production (000s Mt oil equiv.)	162	276 ⁱ
Motor vehicles (per 1,000 inhabitants)	1.7	3.8 ⁱ
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants)	0.3	0.4
Internet users, estimated (000s)	-	250.0

Largest export industries	Major trading partners	2003
(% of exports)	(% of exports)	(% of imports)
Agriculture	63 UK	32 S.Afr.Cus.Un 14
Mining quarry	14 Japan	7 Japan 8
Food, beverages, tobacco	6 Kenya	7 India 8

Social indicators	1995-2004
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	1.9
Population aged 0-14 years (%)	45.0
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total)	4.0/4.0
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)	102
Life expectancy at birth 2000-2005 (women and men, years)	44/43
Infant mortality rate 2000-2005 (per 1,000 births)	100
Total fertility rate 2000-2005 (births per woman)	5.1
Contraceptive use (% of currently married women)	25 ⁿ
Urban population (%)	35
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	4.9
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	0.3
Foreign born (%)	2.6 ^o
Refugees and others of concern to UNHCR	649940
Government education expenditure (% of GNP)	2.2 ⁿ
Primary-secondary gross enrolment ratio (w and m per 100)	61/70
Third-level students (women and men, % of total)	24/76
Newspaper circulation (per 1,000 inhabitants)	4 ⁿ
Television receivers (per 1,000 inhabitants)	3
Parliamentary seats (women and men, % of total)	22/78

Environment	1995-2004
Threatened species	390
Forested area (% of land area)	44
CO ₂ emissions (000s Mt/per capita)	4308/0.1
Energy consumption per capita (kilograms oil equiv.)	44
Precipitation (mm)	1148

a 2003. b Official rate. c September 2004. d June 2004. e Manufacturing only.
f Base: 1990 = 100. g 3rd quarter 2003. h Persons aged 10 years and over. i Year ending in March of the year indicated. j 2001. k 2002. l Data classified according to SNA 93. m 1991. n Including the lactational amenorrhoea method and/or breastfeeding if reported as the current contraceptive method. o Estimated data.

United States of America

Region	Northern America
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	New York-Newark (18252)*
Currency	dollar
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	297043
Surface area (square kms)	9629091
Population density (per square km)	31
United Nations membership date	24 October 1945

Economic indicators	1995	2003
Exchange rate (national currency per US\$)	1.00	1.00 ^a
Consumer price index (1990=100)	117	150 ^c
Industrial production index (1995=100)	100	133 ^c
Unemployment (percentage of labour force)	5.6	5.8 ⁱ
Balance of payments, current account (million US\$)	-109472	-530664
Tourist arrivals (000s)	43318	40356
GDP (million current US\$)	7338400	10857200
GDP (per capita current US\$)	27185	38924
Gross fixed capital formation (% of GDP)	18.0	18.0
Labour force participation, adult female pop. (%)	58.9	59.6 ^o
Labour force participation, adult male pop. (%)	75.0	74.1 ⁱ
Employment in industrial sector (%)	24.0	22.4 ^a
Employment in agricultural sector (%)	2.9	2.4 ^a
Agricultural production index (1999-2000=100)	90	101
Food production index (1999-2000=100)	89	101
Primary energy production (000s Mt oil equiv.)	1664172	1727893 ^a
Motor vehicles (per 1,000 inhabitants)	746.0	789.0 ⁱ
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants)	60.4	62.1
Internet users, estimated (000s)	25000.0	159000.0 ⁱ

Largest export industries	Major trading partners	2003
(% of exports)	(% of exports)	(% of imports)
Metal manufactures	58 Canada	23 Canada 17
Chemicals	17 Mexico	13 China 13
Other manufactures	5 Japan	7 Mexico 11

Social indicators	1995-2004
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	1.0
Population aged 0-14 years (%)	21.0
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total)	18.0/15.0
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)	104
Life expectancy at birth 2000-2005 (women and men, years)	80/74
Infant mortality rate 2000-2005 (per 1,000 births)	7
Total fertility rate 2000-2005 (births per woman)	2.1
Contraceptive use (% of currently married women)	76
Urban population (%)	80
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	1.4
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	-0.6
Foreign born (%)	10.4
Refugees and others of concern to UNHCR	803432 ⁱ
Government education expenditure (% of GNP)	5.6
Primary-secondary gross enrolment ratio (w and m per 100)	96/96
Third-level students (women and men, % of total)	56/44
Newspaper circulation (per 1,000 inhabitants)	212
Television receivers (per 1,000 inhabitants)	794
Intentional homicides (per 100,000 inhabitants)	6
Parliamentary seats (women and men, % of total)	14/86

Environment	1995-2004
Threatened species	1099
Forested area (% of land area)	25
CO ₂ emissions (000s Mt/per capita)	5794804/20

Energy consumption per capita (kilograms oil equiv.)	7798
Precipitation (mm)	981 ^k
Average minimum and maximum temperatures (centigrade)	9.6/19.4

a 2003. b September 2004. c August 2004. d Monthly indices are adjusted for differences in the number of working days. e Persons aged 16 years and over. f 2002. g 2001. h Includes Puerto Rico and US Virgin Islands. i Estimated data. j Source: UNFCCC. k Washington, DC.

Uruguay

Region	South America
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	Montevideo (1341) *
Currency	peso
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	3439
Surface area (square kms)	175016
Population density (per square km)	20
United Nations membership date	18 December 1945

Economic indicators	1995	2003
Exchange rate (national currency per US\$)	7.11	27.35 ^a
Consumer price index (1990=100)	1079	3153 ^a
Industrial production index (1995=100) ^a	100	83 ^a
Unemployment (percentage of labour force) ^a	10.2	17.0 ^b
Balance of payments, current account (million US\$)	-213	52
Tourist arrivals (000s)	2022	1420
GDP (million current US\$)	19300	11180
GDP (per capita current US\$)	5996	3274
Gross fixed capital formation (% of GDP) ^a	14.0	10.0
Labour force participation, adult female pop. (%)	46.7	51.0 ^c
Labour force participation, adult male pop. (%)	74.0	72.2 ^c
Employment in industrial sector (%)	26.7	23.8 ^c
Employment in agricultural sector (%)	4.8	4.2 ^c
Agricultural production index (1999-2000=100)	92	103
Food production index (1999-2000=100)	89	104
Primary energy production (000s Mt oil equiv.)	504	743 ^c
Motor vehicles (per 1,000 inhabitants)	158.6	204.7 ^c
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants)	19.5	28.0 ^b
Internet users, estimated (000s)	10.0	400.0 ^c

Largest export industries		Major trading partners		2003	
	(% of exports)		(% of exports)	(% of imports)	
Food, beverages, tobacco	38	Brazil	21	Argentina	26
Textiles	22	USA	11	Brazil	21
Agriculture	19	Argentina	7	Russian Fed.	12

Social indicators	1995-2004
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	0.7
Population aged 0-14 years (%)	24.0
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total)	20.0/15.0
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)	106
Life expectancy at birth 2000-2005 (women and men, years)	79/72
Infant mortality rate 2000-2005 (per 1,000 births)	13
Total fertility rate 2000-2005 (births per woman)	2.3
Urban population (%)	93
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	0.9
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	-2.1
Foreign born (%)	2.9 ^a
Refugees and others of concern to UNHCR	100
Government education expenditure (% of GNP)	2.4
Primary-secondary gross enrolment ratio (w and m per 100)	108/102
Third-level students (women and men, % of total)	64/36
Newspaper circulation (per 1,000 inhabitants)	293 ⁱ
Television receivers (per 1,000 inhabitants)	239
Intentional homicides (per 100,000 inhabitants)	6
Parliamentary seats (women and men, % of total)	12/88

Environment	1995-2004
Threatened species	30
Forested area (% of land area)	7
CO ₂ emissions (000s Mt/per capita)	5412/1.6
Energy consumption per capita (kilograms oil equiv.)	654
Precipitation (mm)	1101 ^m
Average minimum and maximum temperatures (centigrade) ^m	12.4/21.4

a 2003. b September 2004. c June 2004. d Manufacturing only. e June 2003.
f Urban areas. g Persons aged 14 years and over. h 2002. i Data classified according to SNA 93. j 2001. k De jure. l Estimated data. m Montevideo.

US Virgin Islands

Region	Caribbean
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	Charlotte Amalie (51) *
Currency	US dollar
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	112
Surface area (square kms)	347
Population density (per square km)	324

Economic indicators	1995	2003
Exchange rate (national currency per US\$)	1.00	1.00 ^a
Unemployment (percentage of labour force) ^a	5.7	5.9 ^a
Tourist arrivals (000s)	454	538
Agricultural production index (1999-2000=100)	100	99
Food production index (1999-2000=100)	100	99
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants)	54.9	63.5 ⁱ
Internet users, estimated (000s)	3.0	30.0 ^a

Social indicators	1995-2004
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	0.9
Population aged 0-14 years (%)	24.0
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total)	16.0/14.0
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)	110
Life expectancy at birth 2000-2005 (women and men, years)	82/74
Infant mortality rate 2000-2005 (per 1,000 births)	10
Total fertility rate 2000-2005 (births per woman)	2.2
Urban population (%)	94
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	1.2
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	-3.6
Foreign born (%)	32.0 ^b
Third-level students (women and men, % of total) ^a	74/26
Newspaper circulation (per 1,000 inhabitants)	437
Intentional homicides (per 100,000 inhabitants)	21

Environment	1995-2004
Threatened species	28
Forested area (% of land area)	41
CO ₂ emissions (000s Mt/per capita)	11707/107.8
Energy consumption per capita (kilograms oil equiv.)	24758

a 2003. b November 2004. c Data refer to non-commercial rates derived from the Operational Rates of Exchange for United Nations Programmes. d Persons aged 16 to 65 years. e 1997. f 2001. g 2002. h Estimated data. i 1992.

Uzbekistan

Region	South-central Asia
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	Tashkent (2155) ^a
Currency	som
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	26479
Surface area (square kms)	447400
Population density (per square km)	59
United Nations membership date	2 March 1992

Economic indicators	1995	2003
Exchange rate (national currency per US\$) ^a	32.20	1044.01 ^c
Unemployment (percentage of labour force)	0.4	...
Tourist arrivals (000s)	92	231
GDP (million current US\$)	10170	8820
GDP (per capita current US\$)	446	338
Gross fixed capital formation (% of GDP)	33.0	28.0 ^d
Labour force participation, adult female pop. (%)	60.8	...
Labour force participation, adult male pop. (%)	74.3	...
Employment in industrial sector (%)	19.1	20.3 ^e
Employment in agricultural sector (%)	40.9	34.4 ^e
Agricultural production index (1999-2000=100)	103	104
Food production index (1999-2000=100)	95	108
Primary energy production (000s Mt oil equiv.)	51441	60744 ^f
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants)	6.8	6.7
Internet users, estimated (000s)	0.4	492.0

Largest export industries	Major trading partners	2003
(% of exports)	(% of exports) ^g	(% of imports) ^h
...	Russian Fed.	15
...	Switzerland	11
...	UK	10
...	Russian Fed.	16
...	Korea Rep.	11
...	Germany	8

Social indicators	1995-2004
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	1.5
Population aged 0-14 years (%)	33.0
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total)	8.0/6.0
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)	101
Life expectancy at birth 2000-2005 (women and men, years)	73/67
Infant mortality rate 2000-2005 (per 1,000 births)	37
Total fertility rate 2000-2005 (births per woman)	2.4
Contraceptive use (% of currently married women)	56
Urban population (%)	37
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	1.0
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	1.8
Refugees and others of concern to UNHCR	45653
Government education expenditure (% of GNP)	7.4
Primary-secondary gross enrolment ratio (w and m per 100)	62/101
Newspaper circulation (per 1,000 inhabitants)	3
Television receivers (per 1,000 inhabitants)	271
Intentional homicides (per 100,000 inhabitants)	3
Parliamentary seats (women and men, % of total)	7/93

Environment	1995-2004
Threatened species	26
Forested area (% of land area)	5
CO ₂ emissions (000s Mt/per capita) ^h	102157/4.6
Energy consumption per capita (kilograms oil equiv.)	2150
Precipitation (mm)	111 ⁱ
Average minimum and maximum temperatures (centigrade) ^j	6.0/18.6

a 2003. b Data refer to non-commercial rates derived from the Operational Rates of Exchange for United Nations Programmes. c November 2004. d 2002. e 2000. f 2001. g 1998. h Source: UNFCCC. i 1994. j Nukus.

Vanuatu

Region	Oceania-Melanesia
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	Vila (34) ^a
Currency	vatu
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	217
Surface area (square kms)	12189
Population density (per square km)	18
United Nations membership date	15 September 1981

Economic indicators	1995	2003
Exchange rate (national currency per US\$) ^b	113.74	113.21 ^c
Consumer price index (1990=100) ^d	120	146
Balance of payments, current account (million US\$)	-18	-41
Tourist arrivals (000s)	44	50
GDP (million current US\$)	240	240
GDP (per capita current US\$)	1412	1140
Gross fixed capital formation (% of GDP) ^e	30.0	25.0 ^f
Agricultural production index (1999-2000=100)	108	93
Food production index (1999-2000=100)	108	93
Motor vehicles (per 1,000 inhabitants)	53.5 ^g	34.7 ^h
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants)	2.5	3.2
Internet users, estimated (000s)	0.1 ⁱ	7.5

Largest export industries	Major trading partners	2003
(% of exports)	(% of exports) ^j	(% of imports) ^k
Agriculture	54 Bangladesh	22 Australia
Food, beverages, tobacco	20 Japan	12 New Zealand
Wood and products	13 UK	10 Fiji

Social indicators	1995-2004
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	2.4
Population aged 0-14 years (%)	40.0
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total)	5.0/5.0
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)	95
Life expectancy at birth 2000-2005 (women and men, years)	71/68
Infant mortality rate 2000-2005 (per 1,000 births)	29
Total fertility rate 2000-2005 (births per woman)	4.1
Contraceptive use (% of currently married women)	15 ^l
Urban population (%)	23
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	4.2
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	1.9
Foreign born (%)	1.6 ^m
Government education expenditure (% of GNP)	10.7
Primary-secondary gross enrolment ratio (w and m per 100)	67/69
Television receivers (per 1,000 inhabitants)	13
Parliamentary seats (women and men, % of total)	4/96

Environment	1995-2004
Threatened species	29
Forested area (% of land area)	37
CO ₂ emissions (000s Mt/per capita)	81/0.4
Energy consumption per capita (kilograms oil equiv.)	142
Precipitation (mm)	2222 ⁿ
Average minimum and maximum temperatures (centigrade) ⁿ	21.5/28.2

a 2003. b Official rate. c September 2004. d Urban areas. e Data classified according to SNA 93. f 2002. g Source: World Automotive Market Report, Auto and Truck International (Illinois). h 2001. i 1996. j 2000. k 1991. l 1990. m 1989. n Port Vila.

Venezuela

Region	South America
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	Caracas (3226) ^a
Currency	bolivar
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	26170
Surface area (square kms)	912050
Population density (per square km)	29
United Nations membership date	15 November 1945

Economic indicators	1995	2003
Exchange rate (national currency per US\$) ^b	290.00	1918.00 ^c
Consumer price index (1990=100)	609	7429 ^d
Industrial production index (1995=100) ^e	100	95 ^f
Unemployment (percentage of labour force) ^h	10.3	15.8
Balance of payments, current account (million US\$)	2014	11524
Tourist arrivals (000s)	709	337
GDP (million current US\$)	77390	76950
GDP (per capita current US\$)	3536	2994
Gross fixed capital formation (% of GDP)	16.0	14.0 ⁱ
Labour force participation, adult female pop. (%)	41.2	52.5 ^j
Labour force participation, adult male pop. (%)	82.1	82.7 ^j
Employment in industrial sector (%)	23.5	22.1 ^j
Employment in agricultural sector (%)	13.5	9.6 ^j
Agricultural production index (1999-2000=100)	80	97
Food production index (1999-2000=100)	79	97
Primary energy production (000s Mt oil equiv.)	192925	209534 ^k
Motor vehicles (per 1,000 inhabitants)	109.8	100.2 ^l
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants)	11.4	11.1
Internet users, estimated (000s)	27.0	1549.5

Largest export industries		Major trading partners		2003
	(% of exports)		(% of exports)	(% of imports)
Mining/quarry	82	USA	44	33
Basic metals	7	Neth. Antilles	17	9
Chemicals	4	Netherlands	8	7

Social indicators	1995-2004
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	1.9
Population aged 0-14 years (%)	32.0
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total)	8.0/7.0
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)	99
Life expectancy at birth 2000-2005 (women and men, years)	77/71
Infant mortality rate 2000-2005 (per 1,000 births)	19
Total fertility rate 2000-2005 (births per woman)	2.7
Contraceptive use (% of currently married women)	52 ^k
Urban population (%)	88
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	2.1
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	-0.1
Foreign born (%)	4.4
Refugees and others of concern to UNHCR	28541
Government education expenditure (% of GNP)	5.0
Primary-secondary gross enrolment ratio (w and m per 100)	89/88
Third-level students (women and men, % of total)	57/43
Newspaper circulation (per 1,000 inhabitants)	206 ^l
Television receivers (per 1,000 inhabitants)	179
Intentional homicides (per 100,000 inhabitants)	26
Parliamentary seats (women and men, % of total)	10/90

Environment	1995-2004
Threatened species	150
Forested area (% of land area)	56
CO ₂ emissions (000s Mt/per capita)	157865/6.5
Energy consumption per capita (kilograms oil equiv.)	2204
Precipitation (mm)	916 ^m
Average minimum and maximum temperatures (centigrade) ⁿ	18.1/27.8

a 2003. b Official rate. c September 2004. d January 2004. e Manufacturing only. f July 2004. g Excluding petroleum refineries. h Persons aged 15 years and over. i 2002. j 2001. k 1982. l Estimated data. m Caracas/La Carlota.

Viet Nam

Region	South-eastern Asia
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	Ho Chi Minh City (4851) ^a
Currency	dong
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	82481
Surface area (square kms)	331689
Population density (per square km)	249
United Nations membership date	20 September 1977

Economic indicators	1995	2003
Exchange rate (national currency per US\$)	11015.00	15763.00 ^b
Consumer price index (1990=100)	347	449
Unemployment (percentage of labour force) ^c	...	2.3
Balance of payments, current account (million US\$)	-2020 ^d	-604 ^e
Tourist arrivals (000s)	1351	1599 ^f
GDP (million current US\$)	20740	38300
GDP (per capita current US\$)	285	471
Gross fixed capital formation (% of GDP)	25.0	29.0 ^g
Labour force participation, adult female pop. (%)	74.6	68.2 ^h
Labour force participation, adult male pop. (%)	83.5	76.0 ^h
Employment in industrial sector (%)	13.2	12.5 ^h
Employment in agricultural sector (%)	69.7	69.1 ^h
Agricultural production index (1999-2000=100)	75	118
Food production index (1999-2000=100)	77	118
Primary energy production (000s Mt oil equiv.)	15121	29887 ⁱ
Motor vehicles (per 1,000 inhabitants) ^j	0.5	0.9 ^k
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants)	1.1	5.4
Internet users, estimated (000s)	-	3500.0

Largest export industries		Major trading partners		2003
	(% of exports)*		(% of exports)*	(% of imports)*
Textiles	31	USA	15	Singapore 13
Agriculture	24	Japan	15	Japan 13
Mining quarry	21	China	9	Korea Rep. 12

Social indicators	1995-2004
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	1.4
Population aged 0-14 years (%)	30.0
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total)	8.0/7.0
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)	101
Life expectancy at birth 2000-2005 (women and men, years)	72/67
Infant mortality rate 2000-2005 (per 1,000 births)	34
Total fertility rate 2000-2005 (births per woman) ^c	2.3
Contraceptive use (% of currently married women)	79
Urban population (%)	26
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	3.2
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	0.7
Foreign born (%)	< ^a
Refugees and others of concern to UNHCR	15360
Government education expenditure (% of GNP)	2.8
Primary-secondary gross enrolment ratio (w and m per 100)	83/87
Third-level students (women and men, % of total)	43/57
Newspaper circulation (per 1,000 inhabitants)	4
Television receivers (per 1,000 inhabitants)	48
Parliamentary seats (women and men, % of total)	27/73

Environment	1995-2004
Threatened species	270
Forested area (% of land area)	30
CO ₂ emissions (000s Mt/per capita)	57504/0.7
Energy consumption per capita (kilograms oil equiv.)	241
Precipitation (mm)	1931 ^l
Average minimum and maximum temperatures (centigrade) ^l	23.7/32.3

a 2003. b August 2004. c Month of July. d 1996. e 2002. f 2001. g 1997. h 1999.

i Commercial vehicles only. j 2000. k Estimated data. l Ho Chi Minh City.

Western Sahara

Region	Northern Africa
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	Laayoune (187) ^a
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	316
Surface area (square kms)	266000
Population density (per square km)	1
Social indicators	1995-2004
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	2.5
Population aged 0-14 years (%)	35.0
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total)	6.0/7.0
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)	93
Life expectancy at birth 2000-2005 (women and men, years)	66/62
Infant mortality rate 2000-2005 (per 1,000 births)	54
Total fertility rate 2000-2005 (births per woman)	3.9
Urban population (%)	94
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	2.8
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	-1.2
Television receivers (per 1,000 inhabitants)	24
Environment	1995-2004
Threatened species	15
CO ₂ emissions (000s Mt/per capita)	242/0.8
Energy consumption per capita (kilograms oil equiv.)	273

a 2003.

Yemen

Region	Western Asia		
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	Sana'a (1469) ^a		
Currency	rial		
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	20733		
Surface area (square kms)	527968		
Population density (per square km)	39		
United Nations membership date	30 September 1947		
Economic indicators	1995	2003	
Exchange rate (national currency per US\$)	11014.00	184.79 ⁱ	
Unemployment (percentage of labour force) ^c	...	11.5 ^j	
Balance of payments, current account (million US\$)	144	149	
Tourist arrivals (000s)	61	76 ^a	
GDP (million current US\$)	12510	9690	
GDP (per capita current US\$)	827	484	
Gross fixed capital formation (% of GDP) ⁱ	21.0	17.0 ^a	
Labour force participation, adult female pop. (%)	29.2	...	
Labour force participation, adult male pop. (%)	82.1	...	
Employment in industrial sector (%)	16.8 ^b	11.1 ^d	
Employment in agricultural sector (%)	61.0 ^b	54.1 ^d	
Agricultural production index (1993-2000=100)	81	109	
Food production index (1999-2000=100)	82	110	
Primary energy production (000s Mt oil equiv.)	17516	22074 ^a	
Motor vehicles (per 1,000 inhabitants)	34.1	50.1 ^a	
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants)	1.2	2.8 ^a	
Internet users, estimated (000s)	—	100.0 ^a	
Largest export industries	Major trading partners		2003
(% of exports)	(% of exports) ⁱ	(% of imports) ⁱ	
Mining/quarry	91 China	19 Saudi Arabia	14
Chemicals	6 Korea Rep.	18 Untd Arab Em	10
Agriculture	2 Thailand	17 UK	8
Social indicators	1995-2004		
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	3.5		
Population aged 0-14 years (%)	48.0		
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total)	4.0/3.0		
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)	97		
Life expectancy at birth 2000-2005 (women and men, years)	61/59		
Infant mortality rate 2000-2005 (per 1,000 births)	71		
Total fertility rate 2000-2005 (births per woman)	7.0		
Contraceptive use (% of currently married women)	21		
Urban population (%)	26		
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	4.8		
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	3.1		
Foreign born (%)	1.4 ^a		
Refugees and others of concern to UNHCR	62590		
Government education expenditure (% of GNP)	10.6		
Primary-secondary gross enrolment ratio (w and m per 100)	59/97		
Third-level students (women and men, % of total)	21/79		
Newspaper circulation (per 1,000 inhabitants)	15		
Television receivers (per 1,000 inhabitants)	29		
Parliamentary seats (women and men, % of total)	0/100		
Environment	1995-2004		
Threatened species	84		
Forested area (% of land area)	1		
CO ₂ emissions (000s Mt/per capita)	8444/0.5		
Energy consumption per capita (kilograms oil equiv.)	139		

a 2003. b July 2004. c Persons aged 15 years and over. d 1999. e 2001. f Data classified according to SNA 93. g 2002. h 1990. i 2000. j Estimated data.

Zambia

Region	Eastern Africa
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	Lusaka (1394) *
Currency	kwacha
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	10924
Surface area (square kms)	752618
Population density (per square km)	15
United Nations membership date	1 December 1964

Economic indicators	1995	2003
Exchange rate (national currency per US\$) ^a	956.13	4906.14 ^c
Consumer price index (1990=100) ^d	3381	23672 ^a
Industrial production index (1995=100)	100	105
Balance of payments, current account (million US\$)	-306 ^f	-584 ^g
Tourist arrivals (000s)	163	578
GDP (million current US\$)	3470	4310
GDP (per capita current US\$)	370	398
Gross fixed capital formation (% of GDP) ^a	12.0	25.0
Labour force participation, adult female pop. (%)	65.6	...
Labour force participation, adult male pop. (%)	86.1	...
Employment in industrial sector (%)	8.4 ⁱ	...
Employment in agricultural sector (%)	74.7 ⁱ	...
Agricultural production index (1999-2000=100)	80	104
Food production index (1999-2000=100)	86	107
Primary energy production (000s Mt oil equiv.)	767	819 ^j
Motor vehicles (per 1,000 inhabitants)	1.4	0.8 ^k
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants)	0.9	0.8
Internet users, estimated (000s)	0.8	68.2

Largest export industries		Major trading partners		2003
	(% of exports)		(% of exports)	(% of imports)
Basic metals	69	UK	42	S.Afr.Cus.Un 51
Metal manufactures	7	S.Afr.Cus.Un	23	UK 12
Agriculture	6	Tanzania	8	Zimbabwe 8

Social indicators	1995-2004
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	1.2
Population aged 0-14 years (%)	47.0
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total)	5.0/4.0
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)	101
Life expectancy at birth 2000-2005 (women and men, years)	32/33
Infant mortality rate 2000-2005 (per 1,000 births)	105
Total fertility rate 2000-2005 (births per woman)	5.6
Contraceptive use (% of currently married women)	25 ⁿ
Urban population (%)	36
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	1.9
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	0.7
Foreign born (%)	3.6 ⁿ
Refugees and others of concern to UNHCR	226882
Government education expenditure (% of GNP)	2.0
Primary-secondary gross enrolment ratio (w and m per 100)	55/61
Third-level students (women and men, % of total) ^a	32/68
Newspaper circulation (per 1,000 inhabitants)	22
Television receivers (per 1,000 inhabitants)	28
Parliamentary seats (women and men, % of total)	12/88

Environment	1995-2004
Threatened species	36
Forested area (% of land area)	42
CO ₂ emissions (000s Mt/per capita)	1826/0.2
Energy consumption per capita (kilograms oil equiv.)	119
Precipitation (mm)	843 ⁿ
Average minimum and maximum temperatures (centigrade) ^a	14.9/26.4

a 2003. b Official rate. c September 2004. d Low income group. e August 2004. f 1991. g 2000. h Data classified according to SNA 93. i 1990. j 2001. k 1996. l 2002. m Adjusted from source to exclude breast-feeding. n Estimated data. o 1994. p Lusaka.

Zimbabwe

Region	Eastern Africa
Largest urban agglom. (pop., 000s)	Harare (1469) *
Currency	dollar
Population in 2004 (proj., 000s)	12932
Surface area (square kms)	390757
Population density (per square km)	33
United Nations membership date	25 August 1980

Economic indicators	1995	2003
Exchange rate (national currency per US\$) ^b	9.31	5616.38 ^c
Consumer price index (1990=100) ^d	335	109280 ^a
Industrial production index (1995=100) ^e	100	80
Unemployment (percentage of labour force) ^a	5.0 ⁿ	6.0 ⁱ
Tourist arrivals (000s)	1363	2068 ⁱ
GDP (million current US\$)	7130	2460
GDP (per capita current US\$)	608	190
Gross fixed capital formation (% of GDP) ^a	25.0	8.0 ⁱ
Labour force participation, adult female pop. (%)	66.8	...
Labour force participation, adult male pop. (%)	85.8	...
Employment in agricultural sector (%)	25.5 ⁱ	...
Agricultural production index (1999-2000=100)	70	85
Food production index (1999-2000=100)	67	87 ⁿ
Primary energy production (000s Mt oil equiv.)	3437	3078 ⁱ
Motor vehicles (per 1,000 inhabitants)	36.0	44.2 ⁿ
Telephone lines (per 100 inhabitants)	1.4	2.6
Internet users, estimated (000s)	0.9	500.0 ⁱ

Largest export industries		Major trading partners		2003	
	(% of exports) ¹		(% of exports) ¹	(% of imports) ¹	
Agriculture	25	S.Afr.Cus.Un	19	S.Afr.Cus.Un	53
Basic metals	19	Switzerland	13	Germany	5
Food, beverages, tobacco	13	Zambia	9	UK	5

Social indicators	1995-2004
Population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	0.5
Population aged 0-14 years (%)	42.0
Population aged 60+ years (women and men, % of total)	6.0/5.0
Sex ratio (women per 100 men)	101
Life expectancy at birth 2000-2005 (women and men, years)	33/34
Infant mortality rate 2000-2005 (per 1,000 births)	58
Total fertility rate 2000-2005 (births per woman)	3.9
Contraceptive use (% of currently married women)	54 ⁿ
Urban population (%)	35
Urban population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	1.8
Rural population growth rate 2000-2005 (% per annum)	-0.2
Foreign born (%)	5.2 ⁿ
Refugees and others of concern to UNHCR	13277
Government education expenditure (% of GNP)	11.1 ⁿ
Primary-secondary gross enrolment ratio (w and m per 100)	71/76
Third-level students (women and men, % of total)	37/63
Newspaper circulation (per 1,000 inhabitants)	19
Television receivers (per 1,000 inhabitants)	30
Parliamentary seats (women and men, % of total)	10/90

Environment	1995-2004
Threatened species	40
Forested area (% of land area)	49
CO ₂ emissions (000s Mt/per capita)	14813/1.2
Energy consumption per capita (kilograms oil equiv.)	309
Precipitation (mm)	841 ⁿ
Average minimum and maximum temperatures (centigrade) ^a	12.3/25.5

a 2003. b Official rate. c September 2004. d Beginning 2001 annual average is calculated as geometric mean of monthly indices. e April 2004. f Calculated by the Statistics Division of the United Nations from component national indices. g Persons aged 15 years and over. h 1994. i 1999. j 2001. k Gross capital formation. l 2002. m Including the lactational amenorrhoea method and/or breastfeeding. n Reported as the current contraceptive method. o Estimated data. p Harare.

Technical notes

Geographical coverage

The geographical designations, units employed and presentation of the material in this publication have been adopted solely for the purpose of providing a convenient geographical basis for the statistical series.

Because of space limitations, the country and area names used in the tables are generally the commonly employed short titles in use in the United Nations, the full titles being used only when a short form is not available. Countries or areas are listed in English alphabetical order.

Notes on the indicators

Terms given below in *italic* are defined in the "Data dictionary", which begins on p. 223.

General indicators

Region is given according to regional groupings of countries and areas based mainly on continents. This information is from *Standard Country or Area Codes and Geographical Regions for Statistical Use*, Revision 4 (United Nations publication, excerpted at the Statistics Division Internet site,

<<http://unstats.un.org/unsd/methods/m49/m49.htm>>).

Currency shows the national monetary unit and is from table 44 in the United Nations *Monthly Bulletin of Statistics*. [15]

Population projections for 2004 were prepared by the United Nations Population Division and published in *World Population Prospects: The 2002 Revision*. They are available also at <<http://esa.un.org/unpp/>>. [22]

Surface area (excluding polar regions and uninhabited islands) is from table 3 in the United Nations *Demographic Yearbook*. [12]

Population density refers to population per square kilometre of surface area. This series is from table 3 in the United Nations *Demographic Yearbook*. [12] and *World Population Prospects: The 2002 Revision*.

Largest urban agglomeration shows the population of the largest urban agglomeration (city plus contiguous built-up areas) or, if unavailable, largest city according to its administrative boundaries for each country

or area. This series is from Tables A.12 and 13 of the *World*

Urbanization Prospects: The 2003 Revision. [20]

<<http://www.un.org/esa/population/publications/wup/2003/2003WUPHighlights.pdf>>. See also

<http://www.un.org/esa/population/publications/wup/2003/2003UrbanRural2003_Web.xls>

United Nations membership date is from the United Nations *Terminology Bulletin* No. 347 (1997) and corrigendum 1. [20] and <www.un.org/Overview/unmember.html>

Economic indicators

Exchange rates are shown in units of national currency per US dollar and refer to end-of-period quotations.

Unless otherwise stated, the table refers to the mid-point market rates (average of buying and selling rates). This series is compiled by the International Monetary Fund and is published as table 44 in the United Nations *Monthly Bulletin of Statistics*. [15] For currencies for which IMF does not publish exchange rates, non-commercial rates derived from the operational rates of exchange for United Nations programmes are shown.

Consumer price index numbers published in table 6 in the United Nations *Monthly Bulletin of Statistics* [15] are designed to show changes over time in the cost of selected goods and services that are considered as representative of the consumption habits of the population concerned. The indices here generally refer to "all items" and to the country as a whole.

The *industrial production index* shown here generally covers mining, manufacturing and electricity, gas and water. It does not include construction unless otherwise indicated. This series is from table 5 in the United Nations *Monthly Bulletin of Statistics*. [15]

Unemployment is defined to include persons above a certain age who during a specified period of time were without work, currently available for work and seeking work. National definitions of unemployment often differ from the recommended international standard definitions and thereby limit international comparability. Inter-country comparisons are also complicated by the different types of data collection systems used to obtain information on unemployed persons. Unless otherwise noted, these data are national employment

office statistics compiled by the International Labour Office and published in table 11 in the United Nations *Monthly Bulletin of Statistics*. [15] Supplementary data were obtained from the International Labour Office, *Yearbook of Labour Statistics*. [7]. See also <<http://laborsta.ilo.org/>>

Balance of payments, current account. This series refers to the current account balance and is from the International Monetary Fund's *International Financial Statistics*. [8]

Tourist arrivals data are those compiled by the World Tourism Organization. They are published in the *Yearbook of Tourism Statistics* [28], and in the United Nations *Statistical Yearbook*. [18]

Gross domestic product total in current United States dollars are estimates of the total production of goods and services of the countries represented in economic terms, not as measures of the standard of living of their inhabitants. In order to have comparable coverage for as many countries as possible, these US dollar estimates are based on official GDP national currency data, supplemented by national currency estimates prepared by the Statistics Division using additional data from national and international sources.

The estimates given here are in most cases those accepted by the United Nations General Assembly Committee on Contributions for determining United Nations members' contributions to the United Nations regular budget.

The exchange rates for the conversion of GDP national currency data into United States dollars are the average market rates published by the International Monetary Fund in its monthly publication *International Financial Statistics*. [8] Official exchange rates are used only when free market rates are not available. For non-members of the Fund, the conversion rates used are the average of United Nations operational rates of exchange. It should be noted that the conversion from local currency into US dollars introduces deficiencies in comparability over time and among countries which should be considered when using the data. For example, comparability over time is distorted when exchange rate fluctuations differ substantially from domestic inflation rates. These series are published in the *National Accounts Statistics: Analysis of Main*

Aggregates [17], and in the United Nations *Statistical Yearbook*. [18]

Gross domestic product per capita estimates are the value of all goods and services produced in the economy divided by population. These estimates are also published in the *National Accounts Statistics: Analysis of Main Aggregates* [17], and in the United Nations *Statistical Yearbook*. [18]

Gross fixed capital formation data are based on the percentage distribution of GDP in current prices. This series is from the National Accounts Database compiled from national data provided to the United Nations Statistics Division and is published in the United Nations *Statistical Yearbook*. [18] Data in national currency are published in *National Accounts Statistics: Main Aggregates and Detailed Tables*. [16]

Labour force participation rate for the adult population (15 years and over) refers to the total of employed persons (including employers, persons working on their own account, salaried employees and wage earners and, in so far as data are available, unpaid family workers) and of unemployed persons at the time of the census or survey which provided the data. In general, the economically active population does not include full-time students who are not working, persons occupied solely in household work, retired persons living entirely on their own means and persons wholly dependent upon others. These series are from the estimates and projections published in the *Key Indicators of the Labour Market* prepared by the International Labour Office. [6]

Employment in industrial and agricultural sectors refer to the population above a specified age who perform any work at all, in the reference period, for pay or profit in industry (mining, manufacturing and electricity, gas and water) and agriculture. These include persons who are temporarily absent from a job, for such reasons as illness, maternity or parental leave, holiday, training or industrial dispute. These percentages in which employment in the sector is the numerator and total employment the denominator are published in the *Key Indicators of the Labour Market* prepared by the International Labour Office. [6]

Agricultural production index covers all crops and livestock products. This series is from the Internet site of the

Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations <apps.fao.org>. It is published in *FAO Yearbook: Production* [4], and in the United Nations *Statistical Yearbook*. [18]

Food production index covers commodities that are considered edible and contain nutrients. (Coffee and tea are therefore excluded because they have practically no nutritional value). The index numbers shown may differ from those produced by countries themselves because of differences in concepts of production, coverage, weights, time reference of data, and methods of evaluation. The series include estimates made by FAO in cases where no official or semi-official figures are available from the countries. This series is from the Internet site of the Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations <apps.fao.org>. It is published in the *FAO Yearbook: Production* [4], and in the United Nations *Statistical Yearbook*. [18]

Primary energy production refers to the first stage of production of various forms of energy, converted into a common unit (metric ton of oil equivalent). This series is from the Energy Statistics Database of the United Nations Statistics Division. It is published in the *Energy Statistics Yearbook* [13], and in the United Nations *Statistical Yearbook*. [18]

Motor vehicles in use series is calculated from data compiled from national statistical sources and is published in the United Nations *Statistical Yearbook*. [18] It refers to passenger cars and commercial vehicles in use according to census or registration figures for years census or annual registration took place. Supplementary data are obtained from the *AAMA Motor Vehicle Facts and Figures* [1] and from *World Automotive Market Report, Auto and Truck International* (Illinois). [2]

Telephones lines series is calculated from the number of main telephone lines in operation. The source of data is the International Telecommunications Union's publications, *World Telecommunication Report* [10], and *Yearbook of Statistics*. [11] It is published in the United Nations *Statistical Yearbook*. [18]

Internet users are mainly based on reported estimates, or derivations based on reported Internet access provider subscriber counts and in a few cases, calculated by multiplying the number of hosts by an estimated mul-

tiplier. This series is from the *International Telecommunication Union Yearbook of Statistics* [10]. It is also published in the United Nations *Statistical Yearbook*. [18] See also

<<http://www.itu.int/ITU-D/ict/statistics/>>

Largest export industries are major industry groups producing goods for export, estimated by the United Nations Statistics Division from its Commodity Trade Statistics Database (COMTRADE). Each industry's export are expressed as a percentage of total exports. This series is published in the United Nations *International Trade Statistics Yearbook*. [14]

Major export and import trading partners are expressed as percentages of total exports and imports of the country or area, as estimated by the United Nations Statistics Division from its Commodity Trade Statistics Database (COMTRADE). These series are published in the United Nations *International Trade Statistics Yearbook*. [14]

Social indicators

The **population annual growth rate** is the average annual percentage change in total population size in the period 2000-2005. This series is from table A.11 in *World Population Prospects: The 2002 Revision*. [22]

Population age group 0-14 years refers to the population aged 0-14 years of both sexes as a percentage of total population. Age group 60 years and over refers to elderly men as a percentage of all males and elderly women as a percentage of all females. These series are from the United Nations publication *World Population Prospects: The 2002 Revision*. [22]

Sex ratio is calculated from data prepared by the United Nations Population Division and is published in *World Population Prospects: The 2002 Revision*. [22]

Life expectancy at birth and infant mortality rate are five-year averages for the period 2000-2005 and are from tables A.26 and A.27 respectively in *World Population Prospects: The 2002 Revision*. [22]

Total fertility rate is a five-year average for the period 2000-2005 and is from table A.20 in the United Nations publication *World Population Prospects: The 2002 Revision*. [22] Supplementary data are from the United Nations publication *Demographic Yearbook*. [12]

Contraceptive use refers to use by currently married women of child-bearing age, of any method and is expressed as a percentage. The source of data is the contraceptive use database compiled by the United Nations Population Division and is published in the report *World Population Monitoring*. [21] See also <<http://unstats.un.org/unsd/demographic/social/childbr.htm>>

Urban population, urban population growth rate and rural population growth rate series are based on the number of persons defined as urban or rural according to national definitions of this concept. In most cases these definitions are those used in the most recent population census. These series are from *World Urbanization Prospects: The 2003 Revision*. [20]

Foreign-born population refers to persons born outside the country or area in which they are enumerated. The country or area of birth is based on the national boundaries existing at the time of census. This series is from Demographic Statistics Database of the United Nations Statistics Division; and the databases on world migrant populations, and on the foreign-born maintained by the United Nations Population Division.

The term **refugee** in this series refers to persons granted a humanitarian status and/or those granted temporary protection. It includes persons, who have been granted temporary protection on a group basis. The series also includes returned refugees, asylum seekers and persons displaced internally within their own country for reasons that would make them of concern to the Office of the United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees (UNHCR) if they were outside their country of origin. This series is from *2003 Global Refugee Trends, Table 1. Asylum Seekers, refugees and others of concern to UNHCR*. [25] See also <<http://www.unhcr.ch/>>

Government educational expenditures is from the World Education Indicators database calculated from Global Education Digest, UNESCO Institute for Statistics. It shows the general trends in public expenditure on public and private education expressed as a percentage of the gross national product. The data shown should be considered as approximate indications of the public resources allocated to education. See also

<<http://stats.uis.unesco.org/ReportFolders/ReportFolders.aspx>>

Primary-secondary gross enrolment ratio and percentage of *third level students* are from World Education Indicators database calculated from Global Education Digest, UNESCO Institute for Statistics. See also <<http://stats.uis.unesco.org/ReportFolders/ReportFolders.aspx>>

For the first and second levels, the enrolment ratio generally is the total enrolment of all ages in first- and second-level education, divided by the total population in the official ages of enrolment in the country times 100. The gross enrolment ratio at the first and second level should include all pupils whatever their ages, whereas the population is limited to the range of official school ages. Therefore, for countries with almost universal education among the school-age population, the gross enrolment ratio will exceed 100 if the actual age distribution of pupils extends beyond the official school ages.

Newspaper circulation data are compiled by UNESCO [23] and are published in the United Nations *Statistical Yearbook*. [18]

Television receivers in use refers to television receivers in use and/or licenses issued per thousand inhabitants. This series is issued by United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization (UNESCO) Institute for Statistics, the UNESCO statistics database [23] and is also published in the United Nations *Statistical Yearbook*. [18]

Intentional homicides (homicide purposely inflicted) refers to death purposely inflicted by another person per 100,000 population. Data are from the United Nations *Demographic Yearbook* [12], where homicide and injury purposely inflicted by other persons is reported as a cause of death.

Seats in parliament refers to the number of women and men in the lower chamber of parliament expressed as a percentage. These data are published in the *Women in National Parliaments* and the Internet site of the Inter-Parliamentary Union, <<http://www.ipu.org/wmn-e/classif.htm>> [9].

Environmental indicators

Data on the number of *threatened species* include plants and animals and are compiled by the World Conserva-

tion Union IUCN/Species Survival Commission (SSC), published in the IUCN Red List of Threatened Species. [26] See

<<http://www.redlist.org/info/tables/table5.html>>.

Forested area data are from *State of the World's Forests*, published by the Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations [5] and are also published in the United Nations *Statistical Yearbook*. [18] See also the Internet site of the *State of the World's Forests* at <<http://www.fao.org/docrep/003/y0900e/y0900e00.htm>>

CO₂ emission estimates represent the mass of CO₂ produced during the combustion of solid, liquid, and gaseous fuels, from gas flaring and the manufacture of cement. These estimates do not include bunker fuels used in international transportation due to the difficulty of apportioning these fuels among the countries benefiting from that transport. These estimates are from the Carbon Dioxide Information Analysis Center located at Oak Ridge National Laboratory, United States of America [3]

<http://cdiac.esd.ornl.gov/trends/emis/tre_coun.htm>, and from the Secretariat of the *United Nations Framework Convention on Climate Change (UNFCCC)*, *Greenhouse Gas and Inventory Database* [24].

<<http://ghg.unfccc.int/>>. Relative to other industrial sources for which CO₂ emissions are calculated, statistics on gas flaring activities are sparse and sporadic and in countries where gas flaring activities account for a considerable proportion of the total CO₂ emission, the sporadic nature of gas flaring statistics may produce spurious or misleading trends in national CO₂ emissions. This series is also published in the United Nations *Statistical Yearbook*. [18]

CO₂ Per capita emissions figures are obtained by dividing total emissions of carbon dioxide by the population for a particular country and year.

Commercial energy consumption refers to "apparent consumption" and is derived from the formula "production + imports - exports - bunkers +/- stock changes". Accordingly the series may in some cases represent only an indication of the magnitude of actual inland availability. This series was obtained from the Energy Statistics Database of the United Nations Statistics Division. It is published in the *Energy Statistics Year-*

book [13], and in the United Nations *Statistical Yearbook* [18].

Total amount of precipitation and average minimum and maximum temperatures are measurements from the weather stations closest to the largest urban agglomeration or city. These series are from the World Meteorological Organization [27].
<www.worldweather.org/>

Data dictionary

A

age group: The age distribution of a population is given either by individual years of age or by age groups, which may be quinquennial age groups or quinary age groups, or broad age groups, such as 0-19 years, 20-59 years, 60 years and over. Age is generally expressed in years, or years and months. Statisticians often round off the age to the number of complete years lived, and this is called age at last birthday. (United Nations, 1958, para. 322)*

agriculture (agriculture, hunting and related service activities): Comprises the following divisions of the International Standard Industrial Classification of All Economic Activities (ISIC), Revision 3.1: growing of crops, market gardening, horticulture; farming of animals; growing of crops combined with farming of animals (mixed farming); agricultural and animal husbandry service activities, except veterinary activities; hunting, trapping and game propagation, including related service activities; forestry, logging and related service activities; fishing, operation of fish hatcheries and fish farms; service activities incidental to fishing. (United Nations, 2002)

agricultural production and food production indices: The indices of agricultural production of the Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations (FAO) are based on the sum of price-weighted quantities of different agricultural commodities produced after deductions of quantities used as seed and feed weighted in a similar manner. All the indices at the country, regional and world levels are calculated by the Laspeyres formula. Production quantities of each commodity are weighted by average international commodity prices in the base period and summed for each year. To obtain the index, the aggregate for a given year is divided by the average aggregate for the base period. The commodities covered in the computation of indices of agricultural production are all crops and livestock products originating in each coun-

* References for the data dictionary are given in parenthesis; refer to the list of references beginning on page 235.

try. Practically all products are covered, with the main exception of fodder crops. The category of food production includes commodities that are considered edible and that contain nutrients. Accordingly, coffee and tea are excluded because they have practically no nutritive value. (FAO, 1995, p. ix)

annual growth: See rate of change

area: See land and water area

B

balance of payments: A statistical statement that systematically summarizes, for a specific time period, the economic transactions of an economy with the rest of the world. Transactions, for the most part between residents and non-residents, consist of transactions involving goods, services and income; transactions involving financial claims on, and liabilities to, the rest of the world; and transactions (such as gifts) classified as transfers, which involve offsetting entries to balance—in an accounting sense—one-sided transactions. (IMF, 1993, para. 13) See also current account.

base period: The period of time for which data used as the base of an index number, or other ratio, have been collected. This period is frequently one year but it may be as short as one day or as long as the average of a group of years. (Kendall Buckland, 1982).

base year: See base period

C

CO₂ emissions: Carbon dioxide (CO₂) is a colourless, odourless and non-poisonous gas formed by combustion of carbon and in the respiration of living organisms and is considered a greenhouse gas. Emissions means the release of greenhouse gases and/or their precursors into the atmosphere over a specified area and period of time. (United Nations, 1992 and 1996)

commercial energy: Energy sold in the market. (United Nations, 1982, para. 55)

consumer price index: Measures changes over time in the general level of prices of goods and services that a reference population acquires, uses or pays for consumption. A consumer price index is estimated as a series of summary measures of the period-to-period proportional change in the prices of a fixed set of

consumer goods and services of constant quantity and characteristics, acquired, used or paid for by the reference population. Each summary measure is constructed as a weighted average of a large number of elementary aggregate indices. Each of the elementary aggregate indices is estimated using a sample of prices for a defined set of goods and services obtained in, or by residents of, a specific region from a given set of outlets or other sources of consumption goods and services. (ILO, 1988)

contraception: In its narrow usage, measures excluding sterilization (and, in some discussions, permanent and periodic abstinence) which are taken in order to prevent sexual intercourse from resulting in conception. In broader usage, a contraceptive method is sometimes called a birth control method, which includes intentional abortion, sterilization and complete abstinence from coitus. (United Nations, 1958, para. 624)

currency: Those notes and coins in circulation that are commonly used to make payments. Commemorative coins that are not actually in circulation should be excluded. (United Nations and others, 1994, para. 11.70)

current account: All balance of payments transactions (other than those in financial items) that involve economic values and occur between resident and non-resident entities. Also covered are offsets to current economic values provided or acquired without a quid pro quo. The major classifications of transaction flows cover goods and services, income and current transfers. (IMF, 1993, para. 152)

D

daily newspaper circulation: Daily newspapers are periodic publications, issued at least four times a week, intended for the general public and mainly designed to be a primary source of written information on current events connected with public affairs, international questions, politics etc. Circulation comprises the average number of copies sold directly, by subscription, and mainly distributed free of charge both in the country and abroad. (UNESCO, 1985)

density of population: Number of population per unit of total land area of a country. (United Nations, n.d.) See also land and water area.

economically active population: ("usually active" or "currently active") comprises all persons of either sex above a specified age who furnish the supply of labour for the production of economic goods and services (employed and unemployed, including those seeking work for the first time), as defined by the *System of National Accounts (SNA)*, during a specified time reference period. The economically active population may be related to the total population for the derivation of the crude participation rate, or, more appropriately, to the population above the age prescribed for the measurement of the economically active population. Production includes all individual or collective goods or services that are supplied to units other than their producers, or intended to be so supplied, including the production of goods or services used up in the process of producing such goods or services; the own-account production of all goods that are retained by their producers for their own final consumption or gross capital formation; the own-account production of housing services by owner-occupiers and of domestic and personal services produced by employing paid domestic staff. Not economically active population comprises the balance of the population. (United Nations and others, 1994)

education expenditure: See government education expenditure

employment: The "employed" comprise all persons above a specified age who during a specified brief reference period not longer than one week, were in "paid employment" or in "self-employment" as defined below. "Persons in paid employment" comprise all persons in the following categories: (a) "at work": persons who during the reference period performed some work for wages, salary or related payments, in cash or in kind; (b) "with a job but not at work": persons who, having already worked in their present job, were absent during the reference period and continued to have a strong attachment to their job. "Persons in self-employment" comprise all persons (a) "at work": persons who during the reference period performed some work for profit or family gain, in cash or in kind; (b) "with work but not at work": persons who during the reference period had work to be performed at the

workplace but were temporarily absent due to illness or injury, vacation, holiday or ceremonies, bad weather or other similar reasons. Employers, own-account workers [other than those who were paid directly for services performed], members of producers' co-operatives, and unpaid family workers, irrespective of the number of hours worked, should be considered in self-employment and should be classified as "at work" or "not at work" as the case may be. (International Labour Organisation (ILO). Current International Recommendations on Labour Statistics, 2000 Edition. Geneva, 2000. (pages 49-51)

energy: Comprises primary energy from sources that involve only extraction or capture, with or without separation from contiguous material, cleaning or grading, before the energy embodied in that source can be converted into heat or mechanical work, and secondary energy from all sources of energy that results from transformation of primary sources. (United Nations, 1982, para. 29)

energy consumption: Apparent consumption of energy comprises inland deliveries of energy commodities, which is equal to imports plus production minus changes in stocks minus exports. (United Nations, 1982, paras. 161-165) See also energy.

enrolment ratio: See primary-secondary gross enrolment ratio.

exchange rate: Price in a given currency at which bills drawn in another currency may be bought. (Oxford University Press, 1982).

export industries: Goods-producing industries aggregated at the division (two-digit) level of the International Standard Industrial Classification of all Economic Activities, Third Revision (ISIC, Rev.3.1), a specified proportion of whose production is exported. (United Nations and others, 2002)

exports (merchandise): Goods leaving the statistical territory of a country. In the "general trade system", the definition of the statistical territory of a country coincides with its economic territory. In the "special trade system", the definition of the statistical territory comprises only a particular part of the economic territory, mainly that part which coincides with the free circulation area for goods. "The free circulation area" is a part of the economic territory of a country within

which goods "may be disposed of without Customs restrictions". (United Nations, M/52/Rev.2 and Series G)

F

food production index: See agricultural production and food production indices.

foreign-born: Individuals not born in the territory in which they live. (United Nations, 1958)

forest and other wooded land: Land under natural or planted stands of trees, whether productive or not, including land from which forest has been cleared but which will be reforested in the foreseeable future, and including areas occupied by roads, small cleared tracts and other small open areas within the forest that constitute an integral part of the forest. (FAO/United Nations ECE, 1995)

G

government education expenditure: General government expenditures for educational affairs and services at pre-primary, primary, secondary and tertiary levels and subsidiary services to education. Expenditures comprise final consumption expenditures, gross capital formation, subsidies and loans. General government comprises all central, state and local government units and non-profit institutions controlled and mainly financed by government units. (UNESCO, 1978)

gross domestic product (GDP): An aggregate measure of production equal to the sum of the gross values added of all resident institutional units engaged in production (plus any taxes, and minus any subsidies, on products not included in the value of their outputs). The sum of the final uses of goods and services (all uses except intermediate consumption) measured in purchasers' prices, less the value of imports of goods and services, or the sum of primary incomes distributed by resident producer units. (42, paras. 1.128 and 2.173-2.174) (United Nations and others, 1993)

gross fixed capital formation: The total value of a producer's acquisitions, less disposals, of fixed assets during the accounting period plus certain additions to the value of non-produced assets realized by the productive activity of institutional units. Fixed assets are tangible or intangible assets produced as outputs

from processes of production that are themselves used repeatedly or continuously in other processes of production for more than one year. (United Nations and others, 1994, para. 10.33)

growth rate: See rate of change and rate of increase

H

homicide purposely inflicted (assault): Deaths from homicide and injuries inflicted by another person with intent to injure or kill, by any means, excluding injuries due to legal intervention and operations of war. (WHO, 1992, X85-Y09)

I

imports (merchandise): Goods which add to the stock of material resources of a country by entering its economic territory. Goods simply being transported through a country (goods in transit) or temporarily admitted (except for goods for inward processing) do not add to the stock of material resources of a country and are not included in the international merchandise-trade statistics. In many cases, a country's economic territory largely coincides with its customs territory, which is the territory in which the customs law of a country applies in full. (United Nations, M/52/Rev.2 and Series G). See also exports.

industrial production index: Laspeyres's index of total value-added in all industrial production, where value added is the value of output less the values of both intermediate consumption and consumption of fixed capital. (United Nations, Series P) See also industry and Laspeyres's index.

industry: Divisions 10-45 of the International Standard Industrial Classification of All Economic Activities, Third Revision (ISIC, Rev. 3.1): mining and quarrying; manufacturing; electricity, gas and water supply; and construction. (United Nations, 2002)

infant mortality rate: Generally computed as the ratio of infant deaths (the deaths of children under one year of age) in a given year to the total number of live births in the same year. (United Nations, 1958, para. 411)

inhabitants: Inhabitants of a State may be subjects, citizens or nationals of that State, who enjoy certain political rights, or they may be aliens or foreigners who are

citizens of another State, or citizens of no State at all and are called stateless. (United Nations, 1958) See also population.

L

land and water area: Total land area comprises agricultural land, forest and other wooded land, built-up and related land (excluding scattered farm buildings), wet open land, dry open land with special vegetation cover and open land without, or with insignificant, vegetation cover. Water area comprises inland waters and tidal waters. (United Nations, n.d.)

Laspeyres's index: A form of index number where prices, quantities or other units of measure over time are weighted according to their values in a specified base period. (Kendall and Buckland, 1982)

life expectancy at birth: Average number of years of life at birth (age 0) according to the expected mortality rates by age estimated for the reference year and population. (United Nations, 1958, and Series R)

long-term rate of change: See rate of change

M

motor vehicles: Motor cars and other motor vehicles in operation, principally designed for the transport of persons and goods. (United Nations, 1994, groups 781-783)

N

newspaper circulation: See daily newspaper circulation.

O

oil equivalent: A single average figure for the energy content of a specified quantity of oil. (United Nations, 1982)

P

parliament: Legislative assembly of persons forming the supreme legislature of a country. (Oxford University Press, 1982)

partner countries: Countries of origin and purchase in international merchandise trade transactions. (United Nations, 1994, para. 127)

population: The total population of a country may comprise either all usual residents of the country (*de jure* population) or all persons present in the country (*de facto*

population) at the time of the census. For purposes of international comparisons, the *de facto* definition is recommended. (United Nations, 1958, and Series R)

population density: See density of population

precipitation: Quantity of rain, snow etc. falling to ground.

Average annual normals over a long (multi-year) period. (Oxford University Press, 1982; WMO, 1982)

primary-secondary gross enrolment ratio: The total enrolment, regardless of age, divided by the population of the total age group defined in the national regulations for the first and second levels of education. Education at the first level provides the basic elements of education (e.g. at elementary school, primary school). Education at the second level is provided at middle school, secondary school, high school, teacher-training school at this level and schools of a vocational or technical nature. Enrolment is at the beginning of the school or academic year. (UNESCO, 1978)

R

rate of change: The ratio of total change in a specified time reference period to the value at the beginning of the period or at a specified earlier time reference. When changes over a period of more than one calendar year are studied, the mean annual rate of change may be computed. (Adapted from United Nations, 1958) See also rate of increase.

rate of increase (crude, of population): The ratio of total growth in a given period to the mean population of that period is called the crude rate of increase. When population increase over a period of more than one calendar year is studied, the mean annual rate of increase may be computed. (United Nations, 1958) See also rate of change.

refugees: Any person who, owing to well-founded fear of being persecuted for reasons of race, religion, nationality, membership of particular social group or political opinion, is outside the country of his nationality and is unable to, or owing to such fear, is unwilling to avail himself of the protection of that country; or who, not having a nationality and being outside the country of his former habitual residence, is unable or, owing to such fear, is unwilling to return to it. (United Nations, 1951, and 1967).

region (geographical): Macro geographical regions arranged according to continents and component geographical regions used for statistical purposes by the Population Division and Statistics Division of the United Nations Secretariat. (United Nations, M/49/Rev.3)

rural population: Population which is not urban. See *urban population*

S

sex ratio: The ratio of the number of one sex to that of the other. (United Nations, 1958)

surface area: See *land and water area*.

T

telephone lines (telephone main lines): A telephone main line connects the subscriber's terminal equipment to the public switched network and has a dedicated port in the telephone exchange equipment. (ITU, n.d., p. 9)

television receivers: Apparatus for displaying pictures transmitted by radio transmission, usually with appropriate sound. ISIC2 code 303201. (United Nations, 1968)

temperature, average: Average annual normals over a long (multi-year) period. (WMO, 1982)

third-level students: Education provided at university, teachers' college, higher professional school, which requires, as a minimum condition of admission, the successful completion of education at the second level, or evidence of the attainment of an equivalent level of knowledge. Enrolment is at the beginning of the school or academic year. (UNESCO, 1978)

threatened species (animals): Species that have been assessed and found to meet one of the standard World Conservation Union status categories indicating threatened status: endangered, vulnerable, rare, indeterminate (known to be endangered, vulnerable or rare but where there is not enough information to say which is appropriate), insufficiently known (suspected but not definitely known to belong to any of the above categories, because of lack of information). (World Conservation Union, 1994, p. 20)

total fertility rate: The number of children that would be born per woman, assuming no female mortality at child bearing ages and the age-specific fertility rates

of a specified country and reference period. (United Nations, 1958, para. 634)

tourist (international): Any person who travels to a country other than that in which s/he has his/her usual residence but outside his/her usual environment for a period not exceeding 12 months and whose main purpose of visit is other than the exercise of an activity remunerated from within the country visited, and who stay at least one night in a collective or private accommodation in the country visited. (United Nations and World Tourism Organization, 1994)

trading partner: See *partner countries*.

U

unemployment: All persons who during a specified reference period were: "without work", that is, were not in paid employment as specified by the international definition of employment; "currently available for work", that is, were available for paid employment or self-employment during the reference period; and "seeking work", that is, had taken specific steps in a specified recent period to seek paid employment or self-employment. In circumstances where employment opportunities are particularly limited and where persons not working do not have easy access to formal channels for seeking employment or face social and cultural barriers when looking for a job, the "seeking work" criterion should be relaxed. (ILO, 1988)

United Nations membership: The original Members of the United Nations are the States which, having participated in the United Nations Conference on International Organization at San Francisco, or having previously signed the Declaration by United Nations of 1 January 1942, signed the Charter and ratified it in accordance with Article 110. Membership in the United Nations is open to all other peace-loving States which accept the obligations contained in the Charter and, in the judgement of the Organization, are able and willing to carry out these obligations. The admission of any such State to membership in the United Nations will be effected by a decision of the General Assembly upon the recommendation of the Security Council. (United Nations, 1945)

urban agglomeration: Comprises a city or town proper and also the suburban fringe or thickly settled territory ly-

ing outside, but adjacent to, its boundaries. A single large urban agglomeration may comprise several cities or towns and their suburban fringes. (United Nations, 1998, para. 2.51)

urban population: Because of national differences in the characteristics that distinguish urban from rural areas, the distinction between urban and rural population is not amenable to a single definition that would be applicable to all countries. National definitions are most commonly based on size of locality. (United Nations, 1998).

V

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