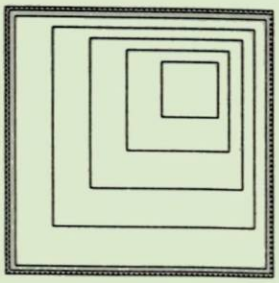
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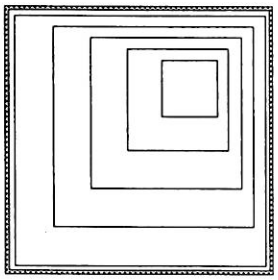


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Afghanistan

Population

Population:	20.88m				
0-14 years:	41%	15-64 years:	56%	65 + years:	3%
In rural residence (%):		80.0			
Growth rate:		4.8%	Population density:		32

Income and Wealth

HDI ranking:	169 out of 174 (1996)	GDP real growth rate:	N/A
GDP (in billion $)	12.8 (1995)	GDP per capita:	$153 (1990)

Health

Birth rate (births/1000 population):	50.4	Death rate (deaths/1000 population):	20.8
Infant mortality rate (deaths/1000 live birth):	157	Life expectancy at birth (Male/Female):	(44.0/45.0)
Total fertility rate (children born/woman):	6.1	Public expenditures on health as % of GDP:	

Population with access to...(%)

-health services:	
-safe water:	
-sanitation:	

Education

Adult literacy rates estimates (Male/Female):	47.2/15.0 (1995)	Public expenditure on education: (as % of GNP):	
Number of 3rd level students: (students/100,000):	162	Net enrolment ratio at the first level (female):	
First level pupil/teachers ratio (% female teachers)	58 (32)	School life expectancy number of years:	

Employment

Labour force as % of total population (age 15+women's share) :		Unemployment rate:	

% of labour force in...		
	-Agriculture:	69.2 (1995)
	-Industry:	11 (1996)
	-Services:	19 (1996)

Poverty & Quality of Life

HPI ranking:		Real GDP per capita rank minus HDI rank:	-13 (1996)
People in poverty in % (urban/rural):		GDI ranking:	135 out of 137 (1996)

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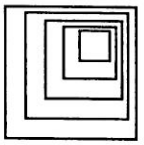
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American Samoa

Population

Population:	58,900				
0-14 years:	39%	15-64 years:	57%	65 + years:	4%
In rural residence (%):			Urban population (%):		
Growth rate:		4.4%	Population density:		295

Income and Wealth

HDI ranking:		GDI ranking:	
GDP (in billion $)	0.13	GDP real growth rate:	3.4% (1997)
GDP per capita:			

Health

Birth rate (births/1000 population):	34.7 (1995)	Death rate (deaths/1000 population):	4.1 (1995)
Infant mortality rate (deaths/1000 live birth):	13 (1995)	Life expectancy at birth (Male/Female):	72.9 (71.0/74.9)
Total fertility rate (children born/woman):	4.24	Public expenditures on health as % of GDP:	

Population with access to...(%)

-health services:	
-safe water:	
-sanitation:	

Education

Adult literacy rates estimates (Male/Female):		Public expenditure on education: (as % of GNP):	
Number of 3rd level students: (students/100,000):		Net enrolment ratio at the first level (female):	
First level pupil/teachers ratio (% female teachers)	15	School life expectancy number of years:	

Employment

Labour force as % of total population			

(age 15+women's share) :		Unemployment rate:	12%
% of labour force in...			
	-Agriculture:		
	-Industry:		
	-Services:		
Poverty			
HPI ranking:		Real GDP per capita rank minus HDI rank:	
People in poverty in % (urban/rural):			

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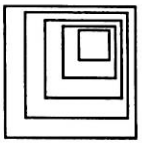
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Armenia

Population

Population:	3.78m				
0-14 years:	27.4%	15-64 years:	64.4%	65 + years:	8.2%
In rural residence (%):		33.0			
Growth rate:		0.4	Population density:		127

Income and Wealth

HDI ranking:	103 (out of 175)	GDP real growth rate:	3.1% (1997)
GDP (in billion $)	9.1 (1995)	GDP per capita:	$42.3

Health

Birth rate (births/1000 population):	12.8	Death rate (deaths/1000 population):	6.6
Infant mortality rate (deaths/1000 live birth):	15.5	Life expectancy at birth (Male/Female):	69.3/76.2
Total fertility rate (children born/woman):	2.1	Public expenditures on health as % of GDP:	4.2

Population with access to...(%)

-health services:	
-safe water:	
-sanitation:	

Education

Adult literacy rates estimates (Male/Female):	98.8	Public expenditure on education: (as % of GNP):	
Number of 3rd level students: (students/100,000):	3,711	Net enrolment ratio at the first level (female):	
First level pupil/teachers ratio (% female teachers)	(50)	School life expectancy number of years:	

Employment

Labour force as % of total population	42 (43)	Unemployment rate:	8%

	42 (43)	Unemployment rate:	8%
(age 15+women's share) :			
% of labour force in...			
	-Agriculture:	55	
	-Industry:	23	
	-Services:	22	
Poverty			
HPI ranking:		Real GDP per capita rank minus HDI rank:	24
People in poverty in % (urban/rural):		GDI ranking:	85

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Australia

Population

Population:	18.31m				
0-14 years:	21.4%	15-64 years:	66.6%	65 + years:	12%
Rural population:		15	Urban population:		85
Growth rate:		1.32%	Population density:		2.33

Income and Wealth

HDI ranking:	14 (out of 175)	GDP real growth rate:	2.8% (1997)
GDP (in billion $)	405.4 (1995)	GDP per capita:	$20,924

Health

Birth rate (births/1000 population):	13.7%	Death rate (deaths/1000 population):	7.0
Infant mortality rate (deaths/1000 live birth):	5.7	Life expectancy at birth (Male/Female):	79.4 (76.4/82.5)
Total fertility rate (children born/woman):	1.8	Public expenditures on health as % of GDP:	8.6

Population with access to...(%)

-health services:	
-safe water:	
-sanitation:	

Education

Adult literacy rates estimates (female):		Public expenditure on education: (As % of GNP):	6.0
Number of 3rd level students (students/100,000):	3,267	Net enrolment ratio at the first level (female):	98 (99)
First level pupil/teachers ratio (% female teachers)	(49)	School life expectancy number of years:	13.6

Employment

Labour force as % of total population	50 (41)	Unemployment rate:	8.1%

	50 (41)	Unemployment rate:	8.1%
(age 15+women's share) :			
% of labour force in...			
	-Agriculture:	4.7 (1996)	
	-Industry:	26	
	-Services:	68	
Poverty & Quality of Life			
HPI ranking:		Real GDP per capita rank minus HDI rank:	4
People in poverty in % (urban/rural):		GDI ranking:	9 (Out of 146)

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Azerbaijan

Population

Population:	7.51m				
0-14 years:	32.8%	15-64 years:	61.5%	65 + years:	5.7%
Rural population (%):	44	Urban population (%):	56		
Growth rate:	0.3%	Population density:	87		

Income and Wealth

HDI ranking:	106 (out of 175)	GDP real growth rate:	5.8% (1997)
GDP (in billion $)	11.5 (1995)	GDP per capita:	$422.6

Health

Birth rate (births/1000 population):	16.9	Death rate (deaths/1000 population):	6.5
Infant mortality rate (deaths/1000 live birth):	19.9	Life expectancy at birth (Male/Female):	64.8 64.7/74.0
Total fertility rate (children born/woman):	2.6	Public expenditures on health as % of GDP:	4.3

Population with access to...(%)

-health services:	
-safe water:	
-sanitation:	

Education

Adult literacy rates estimates (Male/Female):	99.7/99.5 (1995)	Public expenditure on education: (as % of GNP):	5.5
Number of 3rd level students: (students/100,000):	1,753	Net enrolment ratio at the first level (female):	
First level pupil/teachers ratio (% female teachers)	(47)	School life expectancy number of years:	

Employment

Labour force as % of total population	42 (43)	Unemployment rate:	2.3%

	42 (43)	Unemployment rate:	2.3%
(age 15+women's share) :			
% of labour force in...			
	-Agriculture:	30.2 (1996)	
	-Industry:	29	
	-Services:	40	
Poverty & Quality of Life			
HPI ranking:		Real GDP per capita rank minus HDI rank:	25
People in poverty in % (urban/rural):		GDI ranking:	89 (out of 146)

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Bangladesh

Population

Population:	122.1m				
0-14 years:	39%	15-64 years:	58%	65 + years:	3%
In rural residence (%):	84.9 (1995)	Urban population (%):			
Growth rate:	1.8%	Population density:	828		

Income and Wealth

HDI ranking:	144 (out of 175)	GDP real growth rate:	5.9% (1997)
GDP (in billion $)	144.5 (1995)	GDP per capita:	$259

Health

Birth rate (births/1000 population):	33.7	Death rate (deaths/1000 population):	10.7
Infant mortality rate (deaths/1000 live birth):	100.0	Life expectancy at birth (Male/Female):	55.9 56.0/55.7
Total fertility rate (children born/woman):	3.6	Public expenditures on health as % of GDP:	1.4

Population with access to...(%)

-health services:	45
-safe water:	97
-sanitation:	48

Education

Adult illiteracy rates estimates (%) (female):	61.9 (73.9)	Public expenditure on education:	2.3
Number of 3rd level students (students/100,000):	405	Net enrolment ratio at the first level (%) (female):	70 (66)
First level pupil/teachers ratio (% female teachers)	63 (45)	School life expectancy number of years:	

Employment

Labour force as % of total population	49 (42)	Unemployment rate:	

(age 15+women's share) :	49 (42)	Unemployment rate:	

% of labour force in...	
-Agriculture:	63.9 (1996)
-Industry:	16
-Services:	18

Poverty & Quality of Life

HPI ranking:	67	Real GDP per capita rank minus HDI rank:	0
People in poverty in % (urban/rural):	56/51	GDI ranking:	128 (Out of 146)

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Bhutan

Population

Population:	1.68m				
0-14 years:	39.2%	15-64 years:	53.9%	65 + years:	6.9%
In rural residence (%):	94 (1994)	Urban population (%):			
Growth rate:	1.9%	Population density:	36		

Income and Wealth

HDI ranking:	155 (out of 175)	GDP real growth rate:	6%
GDP (in billion $)	$1.3 (1995)	GDP per capita:	$194

Health

Birth rate (births/1000 population):	39.9	Death rate (deaths/1000 population):	9.0
Infant mortality rate (deaths/1000 live birth):	70.7	Life expectancy at birth (Male/Female):	66.0/66.2
Total fertility rate (children born/woman):	5.3	Public expenditures on health as % of GDP:	

Population with access to...(%)

-health services:	65
-safe water:	58
-sanitation:	70

Education

Adult literacy rates estimates (Male/Female):	51.0/25.0 (1990)	Public expenditure on education: (as % of GNP):	2.7
Number of 3rd level students: (students/100,000):		Net enrolment ratio at the first level (female):	
First level pupil/teachers ratio (% female teachers)	31 (43)	School life expectancy number of years:	

Employment

Labour force as % of total population	51 (39)	Unemployment rate:	

	51 (39)	Unemployment rate:	
(age 15+women's share) :			
% of labour force in...			
	-Agriculture:	94	
	-Industry:	1	
	-Services:	5	
Poverty & Quality of Life			
HPI ranking:	62	Real GDP per capita rank minus HDI rank:	-10
People in poverty in % (urban/rural):		GDI ranking:	

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Brunei Darussalam

Population

Population:	305,100				
0-14 years:	32.9%	15-64 years:	64.1%	65 + years:	3%
In rural residence (%):		42	Urban population (%):		
Growth rate:		3.1%	Population density:		53

Income and Wealth

HDI ranking:	38 (out of 175)	GDP real growth rate:	2.0% (1995)
GDP (in billion $)	4.6 (1995)	GDP per capita:	$16,766 (1995)

Health

Birth rate (births/1000 population):	25.0	Death rate (deaths/1000 population):	3.3
Infant mortality rate (deaths/1000 live birth):	6.9	Life expectancy at birth (Male/Female):	72.0/77.0
Total fertility rate (children born/woman):	3.4	Public expenditures on health as % of GDP:	

Population with access to...(%)

-health services:	
-safe water:	
-sanitation:	

Education

Adult literacy rates estimates (Male/Female):	92.6/83.4	Public expenditure on education: (as % of GNP):	
Number of 3rd level students: (students/100,000):	516	Net enrolment ratio at the first level (female):	90 (89)
First level pupil/teachers ratio (% female teachers)	15 (47)	School life expectancy number of years:	11.6

Employment

Labour force as % of total population		Unemployment rate:	

(age 15+women's share) :		
% of labour force in...		
	-Agriculture:	1.8 (1994)
	-Industry:	
	-Services:	

Poverty & Quality of Life

HPI ranking:		Real GDP per capita rank minus HDI rank:	-36
People in poverty in % (urban/rural):		GDI ranking:	

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Cambodia

Population

Population:	10.27m				
0-14 years:	45%	15-64 years:	52%	65 + years:	3%
In rural residence (%):		79	Urban population (%):		
Growth rate:		4.4%	Population density:		57

Income and Wealth

HDI ranking:	153 (out of 175)	GDP real growth rate:	2.0% (1997)
GDP (in billion $)	7 (1995)	GDP per capita:	$301 (1995)

Health

Birth rate (births/1000 population):	39.2	Death rate (deaths/1000 population):	12.8
Infant mortality rate (deaths/1000 live birth):	106	Life expectancy at birth (Male/Female):	52.0/55.0
Total fertility rate (children born/woman):	5.8	Public expenditures on health as % of GDP:	

Population with access to...(%)

-health services:	53
-safe water:	36
-sanitation:	14

Education

Adult literacy rates estimates (Male/Female):	79.7/53.4 (1994)	Public expenditure on education: (as % of GNP):	
Number of 3rd level students: (students/100,000):	126	Net enrolment ratio at the first level (female):	
First level pupil/teachers ratio (% female teachers)	45 (44)	School life expectancy number of years:	

Employment

Labour force as % of total population	50 (54)	Unemployment rate:	

	50 (54)	Unemployment rate:	
(age 15+women's share) :			
% of labour force in...			
	-Agriculture:	72.6	
	-Industry:	8	
	-Services:	19	
Poverty & Quality of Life			
HPI ranking:	73	Real GDP per capita rank minus HDI rank:	1
People in poverty in % (urban/rural):		GDI ranking:	

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China

Population

Population:	1,223.9m				
0-14 years:	26.3%	15-64 years:	67.2%	65 + years:	6.4%
In rural residence (%):		70.6	Urban population (%):		
Growth rate:		1.0%	Population density:		127

Income and Wealth

HDI ranking:	108 (out of 175)	GDP real growth rate:	8.8% (1997)
GDP (in billion $)	3000.5 (1995)	GDP per capita:	$674

Health

Birth rate (births/1000 population):	17.0	Death rate (deaths/1000 population):	6.6
Infant mortality rate (deaths/1000 live birth):	26.0 (1994)	Life expectancy at birth (Male/Female):	67.0/71.0 (1995)
Total fertility rate (children born/woman):	1.8	Public expenditures on health as % of GDP:	2.1

Population with access to...(%)

-health services:	88
-safe water:	67
-sanitation:	24

Education

Adult literacy rates estimates (Male/Female):	89.9/72.7 (1995)	Public expenditure on education: (as % of GNP):	2.6
Number of 3rd level students: (students/100,000):	377	Net enrolment ratio at the first level (female):	96 (95)
First level pupil/teachers ratio (% female teachers)	22 (47)	School life expectancy number of years:	

Employment

Labour force as % of total population	59 (42)	Unemployment rate:	5.2% in urban

(age 15+women's share) :	59 (42)	Unemployment rate:	areas

% of labour force in...	
-Agriculture:	50.5
-Industry:	15
-Services:	13

Poverty & Quality of Life

HPI ranking:	18	Real GDP per capita rank minus HDI rank:	3
People in poverty in % (urban/rural):	/12	GDI ranking:	90 (out of 146)

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Cook Islands

Population

Population:	19,500		
0-14 years:	15-64 years:	65 + years:	
In rural residence (%):		Urban population (%):	
Growth rate:	1.0	Population density:	82

Income and Wealth

HDI ranking:		GDP real growth rate:	N/A
GDP (in billion $)	57 million (1993)	GDP per capita:	$3,000

Health

Birth rate (births/1000 population):	22.9	Death rate (deaths/1000 population):	4.2
Infant mortality rate (deaths/1000 live birth):	6.1 (1995)	Life expectancy at birth (Male/Female):	71.4 (69.2/73.1)
Total fertility rate (children born/woman):	3.3	Public expenditures on health as % of GDP:	

Population with access to...(%)

-health services:	
-safe water:	
-sanitation:	

Education

Adult literacy rates estimates (Male/Female):		Public expenditure on education: (as % of GNP):	
Number of 3rd level students: (students/100,000):		Net enrolment ratio at the first level (female):	
First level pupil/teachers ratio (% female teachers)		School life expectancy number of years:	

Employment

Labour force as % of total population (age 15+women's share) :		Unemployment rate:	

% of labour force in...		
	-Agriculture:	6.2 (1990)
	-Industry:	
	-Services:	

Poverty & Quality of Life

HPI ranking:	Real GDP per capita rank minus HDI rank:
People in poverty in % (urban/rural):	GDI ranking:

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Democratic People's Republic of Korea

Population

Population:	24.32m				
0-14 years:	29%	15-64 years:	66%	65 + years:	5%
In rural residence (%):		39	Urban population (%):		
Growth rate:		1.7	Population density:		202

Income and Wealth

HDI ranking:	75 (out of 175)	GDP real growth rate:	-5%
GDP (in billion $)	21.5 (1995)	GDP per capita:	$920

Health

Birth rate (births/1000 population):	22.5	Death rate (deaths/1000 population):	5.3
Infant mortality rate (deaths/1000 live birth):	23.0	Life expectancy at birth (Male/Female):	68.0/75.0
Total fertility rate (children born/woman):	2.3	Public expenditures on health as % of GDP:	

Population with access to...(%)

-health services:	
-safe water:	
-sanitation:	

Education

Adult literacy rates estimates (Male/Female):	95.0 (1990)	Public expenditure on education: (as % of GNP):	
Number of 3rd level students: (students/100,000):		Net enrolment ratio at the first level (female):	
First level pupil/teachers ratio (% female teachers)	26 (49)	School life expectancy number of years:	

Employment

Labour force as % of total population	50 (45)	Unemployment rate:	

	50 (45)	Unemployment rate:	
(age 15+women's share) :			
% of labour force in...			
	-Agriculture:	33.4	
	-Industry:	31	
	-Services:	31	
Poverty & Quality of Life			
HPI ranking:		Real GDP per capita rank minus HDI rank:	10
People in poverty in % (urban/rural):		GDI ranking:	

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Fiji

Population

Population:	782,000				
0-14 years:	33.1%	15-64 years:	66.9%	65 + years:	3.7%
In rural residence (%):	53.6	Urban population (%):	40		
Growth rate:	1.3%	Population density:	43		

Income and Wealth

HDI ranking:	46 (out of 175)	GDP real growth rate:	-1.6% (1997)
GDP (in billion $)	4.7 (1995)	GDP per capita:	$1,706

Health

Birth rate (births/1000 population):	22.6	Death rate (deaths/1000 population):	4.6
Infant mortality rate (deaths/1000 live birth):	13.8 (1995)	Life expectancy at birth (Male/Female):	61.4/65.2 (1995)
Total fertility rate (children born/woman):	2.8	Public expenditures on health as % of GDP:	

Population with access to...(%)

-health services:	
-safe water:	
-sanitation:	

Education

Adult literacy rates estimates (Male/Female):	93.8/89.3 (1995)	Public expenditure on education: (as % of GNP):	5.4
Number of 3rd level students: (students/100,000):	1,076	Net enrolment ratio at the first level (female):	99 (100)
First level pupil/teachers ratio (% female teachers)	31	School life expectancy number of years:	

Employment

Labour force as % of total population	34 (23)	Unemployment rate:	5.4%

	34 (23)	Unemployment rate:	5.4%
(age 15+women's share) :			
% of labour force in...			
	-Agriculture:	35.7 (1995)	
	-Industry:	15	
	-Services:	39	
Poverty & Quality of Life			
HPI ranking:		Real GDP per capita rank minus HDI rank:	16
People in poverty in % (urban/rural):		GDI ranking:	53 (out of 146)

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French Polynesia

Population

Population:	224,000				
0-14 years:	35%	15-64 years:	61%	65 + years:	4%
In rural residence (%):			Urban population (%):		
Growth rate:		1.9	Population density:		64

Income and Wealth

HDI ranking:		GDP real growth rate:	N/A
GDP (in billion $)	1.8 (1995)	GDP per capita:	$8,000

Health

Birth rate (births/1000 population):	25.2	Death rate (deaths/1000 population):	5.3
Infant mortality rate (deaths/1000 live birth):	10.4	Life expectancy at birth (Male/Female):	68.0/73.0
Total fertility rate (children born/woman):	3.3	Public expenditures on health as % of GDP:	

Population with access to...(%)

-health services:
-safe water:
-sanitation:

Education

Adult illiteracy rates estimates (female):		Public expenditure on education: (as % of GNP):	
Number of 3rd level students: (students/100,000):		Net enrolment ratio at the first level (female):	
First level pupil/teachers ratio (% female teachers)		School life expectancy number of years:	

Employment

Labour force as % of total population (age 15+women's share) :		Unemployment rate:	

% of labour force in...		
	-Agriculture:	3.0 (1990)
	-Industry:	
	-Services:	

Poverty & Quality of Life	
HPI ranking:	Real GDP per capita rank minus HDI rank:
People in poverty in % (urban/rural):	GDI ranking:

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Guam

Population

Population:	153,700				
0-14 years:	31.0	15-64 years:	64.0	65 + years:	5.0
In rural residence (%):			Urban population (%):		
Growth rate:		3%	Population density:		280

Income and Wealth

HDI ranking:		GDP real growth rate:	N/A
GDP (in billion $)	2 (1991)	GDP per capita:	$14,000

Health

Birth rate (births/1000 population):	23.4	Death rate (deaths/1000 population):	4.0
Infant mortality rate (deaths/1000 live birth):	7.0	Life expectancy at birth (Male/Female):	73.0/79.0)
Total fertility rate (children born/woman):	2.3	Public expenditures on health as % of GDP:	

Population with access to...(%)

-health services:	
-safe water:	
-sanitation:	

Education

Adult literacy rates estimates (Male/Female):	99.0/99.0 (1990)	Public expenditure on education: (as % of GNP):	
Number of 3rd level students: (students/100,000):		Net enrolment ratio at the first level (female):	
First level pupil/teachers ratio (% female teachers)		School life expectancy number of years:	

Employment

Labour force as % of total population (age 15+women's share) :		Unemployment rate:	2%

% of labour force in...		
	-Agriculture:	0.5
	-Industry:	
	-Services:	

Poverty & Quality of Life

HPI ranking:	Real GDP per capita rank minus HDI rank:
People in poverty in % (urban/rural):	GDI ranking:

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Hong Kong, China

Population

Population:	6.31m				
0-14 years:	18.9%	15-64 years:	71.1%	65 + years:	10%
Rural population (%):		5	Urban population (%):		95
Growth rate:		2.5%	Population density:		5,990

Income and Wealth

HDI ranking:	22 (out of 175)	GDP real growth rate:	5.2% (1997)
GDP (in billion $)	152.4 (1995)	GDP per capita:	$24,569

Health

Birth rate (births/1000 population):	10.1	Death rate (deaths/1000 population):	5.1
Infant mortality rate (deaths/1000 live birth):	4.1	Life expectancy at birth (Male/Female):	76.3/81.8
Total fertility rate (children born/woman):	1.3	Public expenditures on health as % of GDP:	1.1

Population with access to...(%)

-health services:	
-safe water:	100
-sanitation:	

Education

Adult literacy rates estimates (Male/Female):	96.0/88.2 (1995)	Public expenditure on education: (as % of GNP):	
Number of 3rd level students: (students/100,000):	1,677	Net enrolment ratio at the first level (female):	
First level pupil/teachers ratio (% female teachers)	25	School life expectancy number of years:	

Employment

Labour force as % of total population	51 (37)	Unemployment rate:	3.5

	51 (37)	Unemployment rate:	3.5
(age 15+women's share) :			

% of labour force in...	
-Agriculture:	0.2
-Industry:	37
-Services:	62

Poverty & Quality of Life

HPI ranking:		Real GDP per capita rank minus HDI rank:	-17
People in poverty in % (urban/rural):		GDI ranking:	28 (out of 146)

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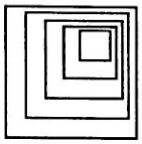
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India

Population

Population:	932m				
0-14 years:	35%	15-64 years:	60%	65 + years:	5%
In rural residence (%):		73	Urban population (%):		
Growth rate:		1.8%	Population density:		284

Income and Wealth

HDI ranking:	138 (out of 175)	GDP real growth rate:	4.3% (1997)
GDP (in billion $)	1408.7 (1995)	GDP per capita:	$370

Health

Birth rate (births/1000 population):	27.4	Death rate (deaths/1000 population):	9.2
Infant mortality rate (deaths/1000 live birth):	75	Life expectancy at birth (Male/Female):	59.7 62.0/62.0
Total fertility rate (children born/woman):	3.2	Public expenditures on health as % of GDP:	1.3

Population with access to...(%)

-health services:	85
-safe water:	81
-sanitation:	29

Education

Adult literacy rates estimates (Male/Female):	65.5/37.7 (1995)	Public expenditure on education: (as % of GNP):	3.8
Number of 3rd level students: (students/100,000):	582	Net enrolment ratio at the first level (female):	
First level pupil/teachers ratio (% female teachers)	48 (43)	School life expectancy number of years:	

Employment

Labour force as % of total population	43 (31)	Unemployment rate:	

	43 (31)	Unemployment rate:	
(age 15+women's share) :			
% of labour force in...			
	-Agriculture:	61.6	
	-Industry:	16	
	-Services:	20	
Poverty & Quality of Life			
HPI ranking:	47	Real GDP per capita rank minus HDI rank:	5
People in poverty in % (urban/rural):	38/49	GDI ranking:	118 (out of 146)

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Indonesia

Population

Population:	198.34 m				
0-14 years:	32.9%	14-65 years:	62.8%	65 + years:	4.3%
In rural residence (%):	64	Urban population (%):			
Growth rate:	1.5%	Population density:	103		

Income and Wealth

HDI ranking:	99 (out of 175)	GDP real growth rate:	4.6% (1997)
GDP (in billion $)	710.9 (1995)	GDP per capita:	$1,139

Health

Birth rate (births/1000 population):	23.3	Death rate (deaths/1000 population):	7.6
Infant mortality rate (deaths/1000 live birth):	54	Life expectancy at birth (Male/Female):	63.0/66.0
Total fertility rate (children born/woman):	2.7	Public expenditures on health as % of GDP:	0.7

Population with access to...(%)

-health services:	93
-safe water:	62
-sanitation:	51

Education

Adult literacy rates estimates (Male/Female):	89.6/78.0 (1995)	Public expenditure on education: (as % of GNP):	2.2
Number of 3rd level students: (students/100,000):	951	Net enrolment ratio at the first level (female):	97 (95)
First level pupil/teachers ratio (% female teachers)	23 (48)	School life expectancy number of years:	9.6

Employment

Labour force as % of total population	44 (39)	Unemployment rate:	3%

	44 (39)	Unemployment rate:	3%
(age 15+women's share) :			
% of labour force in...			
	-Agriculture:	44.0	
	-Industry:		
	-Services:		

Poverty & Quality of Life			
HPI ranking:	23	Real GDP per capita rank minus HDI rank:	-7
People in poverty in % (urban/rural):	20/16	GDI ranking:	86 (out of 146)

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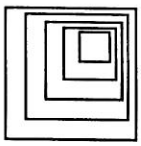
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Islamic Republic of Iran

Population

Population:	60.05m				
0-14 years:	39.5%	15-64 years:	56.2%	65 + years:	4.3%
In rural residence (%):	38.7	Urban population (%):			
Growth rate:	1.5	Population density:	36.4		

Income and Wealth

HDI ranking:	70 (out of 175)	GDP real growth rate:	3.0% (1997)
GDP (in billion $)	323.5 (1995)	GDP per capita:	$1,742 (1995)

Health

Birth rate (births/1000 population):	24.0	Death rate (deaths/1000 population):	6.5
Infant mortality rate (deaths/1000 live birth):	38	Life expectancy at birth (Male/Female):	66.3/64.6
Total fertility rate (children born/woman):	4.7	Public expenditures on health as % of GDP:	1.5

Population with access to...(%)

-health services:	88
-safe water:	90
-sanitation:	81

Education

Adult literacy rates estimates (Male/Female):	84.7/74.2	Public expenditure on education: (as % of GNP):	5.9
Number of 3rd level students: (students/100,000):	1,148	Net enrolment ratio at the first level (female):	
First level pupil/teachers ratio (% female teachers)	32 (47)	School life expectancy number of years:	

Employment

Labour force as % of total population	29 (21)	Unemployment rate:	Over 30%

	29 (21)	Unemployment rate:	Over 30%
(age 15+women's share) :			

% of labour force in...	
-Agriculture:	23
-Industry:	25
-Services:	43

Poverty & Quality of Life

HPI ranking:	27	Real GDP per capita rank minus HDI rank:	-9
People in poverty in % (urban/rural):		GDI ranking:	

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Japan

Population

Population:	125.86m				
0-14 years:	15.6%	14-65 years:	69.3%	65 + years:	15.1%
In rural residence (%):		21.9	Urban population (%):		
Growth rate:		0.2	Population density:		338

Income and Wealth

HDI ranking:	7 (out of 175)	GDP real growth rate:	0.9% (1997)
GDP (in billion $)	2679.2 (1995)	GDP per capita:	$36,551

Health

Birth rate (births/1000 population):	9.7	Death rate (deaths/1000 population):	7.2
Infant mortality rate (deaths/1000 live birth):	3.8	Life expectancy at birth (Male/Female):	77.0/83.6
Total fertility rate (children born/woman):	1.5	Public expenditures on health as % of GDP:	6.8

Population with access to...(%)

-health services:	
-safe water:	
-sanitation:	

Education

Adult literacy rates estimates (Male/Female):	99.8 (1990)	Public expenditure on education: (as % of GNP):	4.7
Number of 3rd level students: (students/100,000):	2,340	Net enrolment ratio at the first level (female):	100 (100)
First level pupil/teachers ratio (% female teachers)	19 (49)	School life expectancy number of years:	13.5

Employment

Labour force as % of total population	52 (40)	Unemployment rate:	3.1%

	52 (40)	Unemployment rate:	3.1%
(age 15+women's share) :			
% of labour force in...			
	-Agriculture:	5.1	
	-Industry:	34	
	-Services:	59	
Poverty & Quality of Life			
HPI ranking:		Real GDP per capita rank minus HDI rank:	0
People in poverty in % (urban/rural):		GDI ranking:	12 (out of 146)

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Kazakhstan

Population

Population:	15.86m				
0-14 years:	29%	15-64 years:	64%	65 + years:	7%
In rural residence (%):		44.2	Urban population (%):		
Growth rate:		-1.1	Population density:		6

Income and Wealth

HDI ranking:	93 (out of 175)	GDP real growth rate:	2.0% (1997)
GDP (in billion $)	46.9 (1995)	GDP per capita:	$1,326.3

Health

Birth rate (births/1000 population):	15.9	Death rate (deaths/1000 population):	10.4
Infant mortality rate (deaths/1000 live birth):	25.4	Life expectancy at birth (Male/Female):	59.7/70.4
Total fertility rate (children born/woman):	2.4	Public expenditures on health as % of GDP:	4.4

Population with access to...(%)

-health services:	
-safe water:	
-sanitation:	

Education

Adult literacy rates estimates (Male/Female):		Public expenditure on education: (as % of GNP):	5.4
Number of 3rd level students: (students/100,000):	2,915	Net enrolment ratio at the first level (female):	
First level pupil/teachers ratio (% female teachers)	18 (49)	School life expectancy number of years:	

Employment

Labour force as % of total population	47 (46)	Unemployment rate:	1.4%

	47 (46)	Unemployment rate:	1.4%
(age 15+women's share) :			

% of labour force in...	
-Agriculture:	21.1
-Industry:	32
-Services:	46

Poverty & Quality of Life

HPI ranking:		Real GDP per capita rank minus HDI rank:	6
People in poverty in % (urban/rural):		GDI ranking:	69 (out of 146)

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Kiribati

Population

Population:	81,000				
0-14 years:		15-64 years:		65 + years:	
In rural residence (%):		63	Urban population (%):		
Growth rate:		2.4%	Population density:		99

Income and Wealth

HDI ranking:		GDP real growth rate:	2.6%
GDP (in billion $)	68 million (1995)	GDP per capita:	$475 (1994)

Health

Birth rate (births/1000 population):	30	Death rate (deaths/1000 population):	7
Infant mortality rate (deaths/1000 live birth):	54	Life expectancy at birth (Male/Female):	62.0/67.0
Total fertility rate (children born/woman):	3.2	Public expenditures on health as % of GDP:	

Population with access to...(%)

-health services:	
-safe water:	
-sanitation:	

Education

Adult literacy rates estimates (Male/Female):		Public expenditure on education: (as % of GNP):	7.4
Number of 3rd level students: (students/100,000):		Net enrolment ratio at the first level (female):	
First level pupil/teachers ratio (% female teachers)	30	School life expectancy number of years:	

Employment

Labour force as % of total population (age 15+women's share) :		Unemployment rate:	2%

% of labour force in...		
	-Agriculture:	13 (1990)
	-Industry:	
	-Services:	

Poverty & Quality of Life	
HPI ranking:	Real GDP per capita rank minus HDI rank:
People in poverty in % (urban/rural):	GDI rank

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Kyrgyzstan

Population

Population:	4.58m				
0-14 years:	37.3%	15-64 years:	57.2%	65 + years:	5.5%
In rural residence (%):		65.7	Urban population (%):		
Growth rate:		1.4%	Population density:		23

Income and Wealth

HDI ranking:	107 (out of 175)	GDP real growth rate:	-6%
GDP (in billion $)	5.4 (1995)	GDP per capita:	$383

Health

Birth rate (births/1000 population):	23.6	Death rate (deaths/1000 population):	7.6
Infant mortality rate (deaths/1000 live birth):	25.9	Life expectancy at birth (Male/Female):	62.3/71.0
Total fertility rate (children born/woman):	3.2	Public expenditures on health as % of GDP:	5.0

Population with access to...(%)

-health services:	
-safe water:	
-sanitation:	

Education

Adult literacy rates estimates (Male/Female):		Public expenditure on education: (as % of GNP):	6.8
Number of 3rd level students: (students/100,000):	1,837	Net enrolment ratio at the first level (female):	
First level pupil/teachers ratio (% female teachers)	17 (50)	School life expectancy number of years:	

Employment

Labour force as % of total population	41 (46)	Unemployment rate:	4.8%

	41 (46)	Unemployment rate:	4.8%
(age 15+women's share) :			

% of labour force in...	
-Agriculture:	47.1
-Industry:	
-Services:	

Poverty & Quality of Life

HPI ranking:		Real GDP per capita rank minus HDI rank:	18
People in poverty in % (urban/rural):		GDI ranking:	88 (out of 146)

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Lao People's Democratic Republic

Population

Population:	4.72m				
0-14 years:	44%	15-64 years:	52%	65 + years:	4%
In rural residence (%):	83	Urban population (%):			
Growth rate:	3.0%	Population density:	21		

Income and Wealth

HDI ranking:	136 (out of 175)	GDP real growth rate:	6.0% (1997)
GDP (in billion $)	5.2 (1995)	GDP per capita:	$393

Health

Birth rate (births/1000 population):	41.3	Death rate (deaths/1000 population):	15.1
Infant mortality rate (deaths/1000 live birth):	104.0	Life expectancy at birth (Male/Female):	50.0/52.0
Total fertility rate (children born/woman):	5.9	Public expenditures on health as % of GDP:	1.0

Population with access to...(%)

-health services:	
-safe water:	
-sanitation:	

Education

Adult literacy rates estimates (Male/Female):	74.0/49.0	Public expenditure on education: (as % of GNP):	2.3
Number of 3rd level students: (students/100,000):	134	Net enrolment ratio at the first level (female):	68 (61)
First level pupil/teachers ratio (% female teachers)	30 (43)	School life expectancy number of years:	6.9

Employment

Labour force as % of total population	50 (47)	Unemployment rate:	21%

	50 (47)	Unemployment rate:	21%
(age 15+women's share) :			
% of labour force in...			
	-Agriculture:	85.5	
	-Industry:		
	-Services:		
Poverty & Quality of Life			
HPI ranking:	51	Real GDP per capita rank minus HDI rank:	-23
People in poverty in % (urban/rural):		GDI ranking:	114 (out of 146)

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Macau

Population

Population:	0.42m				
0-14 years:	25.3%	15-64 years:	67.2%	65 + years:	7.5%
Rural population (%):			Urban population (%):		
Growth rate:	0.2%		Population density:	19,387	

Income and Wealth

HDI ranking:		GDP real growth rate:	0.5% (1997)
GDP (in billion $)	6.4 (1995)	GDP per capita:	$17,927

Health

Birth rate (births/1000 population):	13.2	Death rate (deaths/1000 population):	3.4
Infant mortality rate (deaths/1000 live birth):	4.8	Life expectancy at birth (Male/Female):	80.0 (77.5/82.5)
Total fertility rate (children born/woman):	1.5	Public expenditures on health as % of GDP:	

Population with access to...(%)

-health services:

-safe water:

-sanitation:

Education

Adult literacy rates estimates (Male/Female):	Public expenditure on education: (as % of GNP):
Number of 3rd level students: (students/100,000):	Net enrolment ratio at the first level (female):
First level pupil/teachers ratio (% female teachers)	School life expectancy number of years:

Employment

Labour force as % of total population (age 15+women's share) :		Unemployment rate:	2%

% of labour force in...		
	-Agriculture:	.18
	-Industry:	
	-Services:	

Poverty & Quality of Life

HPI ranking:	Real GDP per capita rank minus HDI rank:
People in poverty in % (urban/rural):	GDI ranking:

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Malaysia

Population

Population:	21.17m				
0-14 years:	35%	15-64 years:	61.3%	65 + years:	3.7%
Rural population (%):		47	Urban population (%):		53
Growth rate:		2.3%	Population density:		64

Income and Wealth

HDI ranking:	60 (out of 175)	GDP real growth rate:	7.8% (1997)
GDP (in billion $)	193.6 (1995)	GDP per capita:	$2,444

Health

Birth rate (births/1000 population):	26.1	Death rate (deaths/1000 population):	4.4
Infant mortality rate (deaths/1000 live birth):	9.8	Life expectancy at birth (Male/Female):	69.3/74.1
Total fertility rate (children born/woman):	3.3	Public expenditures on health as % of GDP:	1.3

Population with access to...(%)

-health services:	
-safe water:	78
-sanitation:	94

Education

Adult literacy rates estimates (Male/Female):	86.5/70.4 (1990)	Public expenditure on education: (as % of GNP):	5.3
Number of 3rd level students: (students/100,000):	884	Net enrolment ratio at the first level (female):	
First level pupil/teachers ratio (% female teachers)	20 (49)	School life expectancy number of years:	

Employment

Labour force as % of total population	39 (36)	Unemployment rate:	2.8%

	39 (36)	Unemployment rate:	2.8%
(age 15+women's share) :			
% of labour force in...			
	-Agriculture:	16.4	
	-Industry:	23	
	-Services:	50	
Poverty & Quality of Life			
HPI ranking:		Real GDP per capita rank minus HDI rank:	-13
People in poverty in % (urban/rural):	8/23	GDI ranking:	45 (out of 146)

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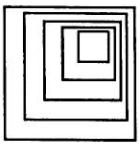
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Maldives

Population

Population:	256,200				
0-14 years:	45.3%	15-64 years:	52%	65 + years:	2.7%
In rural residence (%):		74.3 (1995)	Urban population (%):		
Growth rate:		4.7%	Population density:		860

Income and Wealth

HDI ranking:	111 (out of 175)	GDP real growth rate:	6.6%
GDP (in billion $)	0.4 (1994)	GDP per capita:	$480

Health

Birth rate (births/1000 population):	26.0	Death rate (deaths/1000 population):	5.0
Infant mortality rate (deaths/1000 live birth):	30	Life expectancy at birth (Male/Female):	69.9/71.6 (1995)
Total fertility rate (children born/woman):	6.1	Public expenditures on health as % of GDP:	

Population with access to...(%)

-health services:	
-safe water:	
-sanitation:	

Education

Adult literacy rates estimates (Male/Female):	93.3/93.0 (1995)	Public expenditure on education: (as % of GNP):	8.1
Number of 3rd level students: (students/100,000):		Net enrolment ratio at the first level (female):	
First level pupil/teachers ratio (% female teachers)	(49)	School life expectancy number of years:	

Employment

Labour force as % of total population (age 15+women's share) :	41 (42)	Unemployment rate:	
% of labour force in...			
	-Agriculture:	4.7 (1990)	
	-Industry:	31	
	-Services:	37	
Poverty & Quality of Life			
HPI ranking:		Real GDP per capita rank minus HDI rank:	7
People in poverty in % (urban/rural):		GDI ranking:	94 (out of 146)

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Marshall Islands

Population

Population:	57,400				
0-14 years:	51%	15-64 years:	47%	65 + years:	2%
Rural population (%):			Urban population (%):		
Growth rate:		3.5	Population density:		317

Income and Wealth

HDI ranking:		GDI ranking:	
GDP (in billion $)	0.1 (1995)	GDP real growth rate:	1.5%
GDP per capita:	$1,894 (1995)		

Health

Birth rate (births/1000 population):	26.1	Death rate (deaths/1000 population):	4.0
Infant mortality rate (deaths/1000 live birth):	26	Life expectancy at birth (Male/Female):	63.6/67.5 (1990)
Total fertility rate (children born/woman):	6.8	Public expenditures on health as % of GDP:	

Population with access to...(%)

-health services:	
-safe water:	
-sanitation:	

Education

Adult literacy rates estimates (Male/Female):		Public expenditure on education: (as % of GNP):	
Number of 3rd level students: (students/100,000):		Net enrolment ratio at the first level (female):	
First level pupil/teachers ratio (% female teachers)		School life expectancy number of years:	

Employment

Employment

Labour force as % of total population (age 15+women's share) :	Unemployment rate:	16%
% of labour force in...		
-Agriculture:		
-Industry:		
-Services:		

Poverty

HPI ranking:	Real GDP per capita rank minus HDI rank:
People in poverty in % (urban/rural):	

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Mongolia

Population

Population:	2.3m				
0-14 years:	38.4%	15-64 years:	57.9%	65 + years:	3.7%
In rural residence (%):		43 (1990)	Urban population (%):		
Growth rate:		1.8%	Population density:		1.49

Income and Wealth

HDI ranking:	101 (out of 175)	GDP real growth rate:	3.3% (1997)
GDP (in billion $)	4.9 (1995)	GDP per capita:	$415

Health

Birth rate (births/1000 population):	27.2	Death rate (deaths/1000 population):	7.5
Infant mortality rate (deaths/1000 live birth):	40	Life expectancy at birth (Male/Female):	63.0/66.0 (1995)
Total fertility rate (children born/woman):	3.0	Public expenditures on health as % of GDP:	

Population with access to...(%)

-health services:	95
-safe water:	80
-sanitation:	74

Education

Adult literacy rates estimates (Male/Female):		Public expenditure on education: (as % of GNP):	5.2
Number of 3rd level students: (students/100,000):	1,377	Net enrolment ratio at the first level (female):	78 (81)
First level pupil/teachers ratio (% female teachers)	24 (51)	School life expectancy number of years:	7.1

Employment

Labour force as % of total population (age 15+women's share) :	47 (46)	Unemployment rate:	15%
% of labour force in...			
	-Agriculture:	45.2	
	-Industry:		
	-Services:		
Poverty & Quality of Life			
HPI ranking:	16	Real GDP per capita rank minus HDI rank:	-10
People in poverty in % (urban/rural):		GDI ranking:	80 (out of 146)

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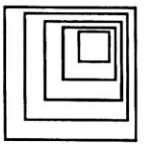
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Myanmar

Population

Population:	45.47m				
0-14 years:	33.5%	15-64 years:	61.5%	65 + years:	5%
In rural residence (%):		75.6 (1994)	Urban population (%):		
Growth rate:		1.8%	Population density:		67

Income and Wealth

HDI ranking:	131 (out of 175)	GDP real growth rate:	4.6% (1997)
GDP (in billion $)	47 (1995)	GDP per capita:	$265.3

Health

Birth rate (births/1000 population):	28.1	Death rate (deaths/1000 population):	8.8
Infant mortality rate (deaths/1000 live birth):	47.5	Life expectancy at birth (Male/Female):	60.4/63.4
Total fertility rate (children born/woman):	3.8	Public expenditures on health as % of GDP:	

Population with access to...(%)

-health services:	60
-safe water:	60
-sanitation:	43

Education

Adult literacy rates estimates (Male/Female):	89.1/72.3 (1990)	Public expenditure on education: (as % of GNP):	
Number of 3rd level students: (students/100,000):	528	Net enrolment ratio at the first level (female):	
First level pupil/teachers ratio (% female teachers)	38 (48)	School life expectancy number of years:	

Employment

Labour force as % of total population	51 (44)	Unemployment rate:	

	51 (44)	Unemployment rate:	
(age 15+women's share) :			
% of labour force in...			
	-Agriculture:	63.4	
	-Industry:	10	
	-Services:	17	
Poverty & Quality of Life			
HPI ranking:	40	Real GDP per capita rank minus HDI rank:	1
People in poverty in % (urban/rural):		GDI ranking:	110 (out of 146)

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Nauru

Population

Population:	10,800		
0-14 years:	15-64 years:	65 + years:	
In rural residence (%):		Urban population (%):	
Growth rate:	2.7	Population density:	518

Income and Wealth

HDI ranking:		GDP real growth rate:	N/A
GDP (in billion $)	0.1 (1993)	GDP per capita:	$10,000

Health

Birth rate (births/1000 population):	18.8	Death rate (deaths/1000 population):	4.5
Infant mortality rate (deaths/1000 live birth):	26	Life expectancy at birth (Male/Female):	66.7 (64.3/69.2)
Total fertility rate (children born/woman):	2.1	Public expenditures on health as % of GDP:	

Population with access to...(%)

-health services:

-safe water:

-sanitation:

Education

Adult literacy rates estimates (Male/Female):		Public expenditure on education: (as % of GNP):	
Number of 3rd level students: (students/100,000):		Net enrolment ratio at the first level (female):	
First level pupil/teachers ratio (% female teachers)		School life expectancy number of years:	

Employment

Labour force as % of total population (age 15+women's share) :		Unemployment rate:	0%

% of labour force in...	
	-Agriculture:
	-Industry:
	-Services:
Poverty & Quality of Life	
HPI ranking:	Real GDP per capita rank minus HDI rank:
People in poverty in % (urban/rural):	GDI ranking:

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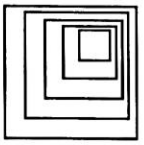
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Nepal

Population

Population:	21.13m				
0-14 years:	42%	15-64 years:	55%	65 + years:	3%
In rural residence (%):		36	Urban population (%):		
Growth rate:		2.7%	Population density:		144

Income and Wealth

HDI ranking:	154 (out of 175)	GDP real growth rate:	4.3% (1997)
GDP (in billion $)	25.2 (1995)	GDP per capita:	$205

Health

Birth rate (births/1000 population):	37.5	Death rate (deaths/1000 population):	13.8
Infant mortality rate (deaths/1000 live birth):	90	Life expectancy at birth (Male/Female):	55
Total fertility rate (children born/woman):	5.1	Public expenditures on health as % of GDP:	2.2

Population with access to...(%)

-health services:	
-safe water:	63
-sanitation:	18

Education

Adult literacy rates estimates (Male/Female):	40.9/14.0 (1995)	Public expenditure on education: (as % of GNP):	2.9
Number of 3rd level students: (students/100,000):	490	Net enrolment ratio at the first level (female):	
First level pupil/teachers ratio (% female teachers)	39 (39)	School life expectancy number of years:	

Employment

Labour force as % of total population	47 (40)	Unemployment rate:	

	47 (40)	Unemployment rate:	
(age 15+women's share) :			
% of labour force in...			
	-Agriculture:	93.3	
	-Industry:	0	
	-Services:	3	
Poverty & Quality of Life			
HPI ranking:		Real GDP per capita rank minus HDI rank:	-6
People in poverty in % (urban/rural):	19/43	GDI ranking:	131 (out of 146)

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New Caledonia

Population

Population:	189,000				
0-14 years:	31%	15-64 years:	64%	65 + years:	5%
In rural residence (%):		37	Urban population (%):		
Growth rate:		1.2%	Population density:		10.3

Income and Wealth

HDI ranking:		GDP real growth rate:	0.7% (1993)
GDP (in billion $)	1.5 (1995)	GDP per capita:	$16,517 (1994)

Health

Birth rate (births/1000 population):	21.8	Death rate (deaths/1000 population):	5.3
Infant mortality rate (deaths/1000 live birth):	19	Life expectancy at birth (Male/Female):	71.0/76.0
Total fertility rate (children born/woman):	2.5	Public expenditures on health as % of GDP:	

Population with access to...(%)

-health services:	
-safe water:	
-sanitation:	

Education

Adult literacy rates estimates (Male/Female):	92 (1995)	Public expenditure on education: (as % of GNP):	
Number of 3rd level students: (students/100,000):		Net enrolment ratio at the first level (female):	
First level pupil/teachers ratio (% female teachers)		School life expectancy number of years:	

Employment

Labour force as % of total population (age 15+women's share) :		Unemployment rate:	15%

% of labour force in...		
	-Agriculture:	14.3
	-Industry:	
	-Services:	

Poverty & Quality of Life

HPI ranking:	Real GDP per capita rank minus HDI rank:
People in poverty in % (urban/rural):	GDI ranking:

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New Zealand

Population

Population:	3.68m				
0-14 years:	23%	15-64 years:	65.3%	65 + years:	11.7%
In rural residence (%):		14.6	Urban population (%):		
Growth rate:		1.6%	Population density:		13.7

Income and Wealth

HDI ranking:	9 (out of 175)	GDP real growth rate:	3.0% (1997)
GDP (in billion $)	62.3 (1995)	GDP per capita:	$17,468

Health

Birth rate (births/1000 population):	15.8	Death rate (deaths/1000 population):	7.8
Infant mortality rate (deaths/1000 live birth):	7.1	Life expectancy at birth (Male/Female):	73.7/79.1 (1995)
Total fertility rate (children born/woman):	2.0	Public expenditures on health as % of GDP:	7.7

Population with access to...(%)

-health services:	
-safe water:	
-sanitation:	

Education

Adult literacy rates estimates (Male/Female):	99 (1990)	Public expenditure on education: (as % of GNP):	7.3
Number of 3rd level students: (students/100,000):	4,675	Net enrolment ratio at the first level (female):	99 (99)
First level pupil/teachers ratio (% female teachers)	17 (49)	School life expectancy number of years:	16.8

Employment

Labour force as % of total population	48 (43)	Unemployment rate:	6.1

	48 (43)	Unemployment rate:	6.1
(age 15+women's share) :			

% of labour force in...	
-Agriculture:	9 (1995)
-Industry:	25
-Services:	65

Poverty & Quality of Life

HPI ranking:		Real GDP per capita rank minus HDI rank:	15
People in poverty in % (urban/rural):		GDI ranking:	8 (out of 146)

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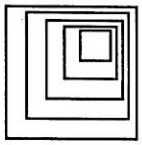
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Niue

Population

Population:	2,000				
0-14 years:		15-64 years:		65 + years:	
In rural residence (%):			Urban population (%):		
Growth rate:		-0.4	Population density:		8

Income and Wealth

HDI ranking:		GDP real growth rate:	N/A
GDP (in billion $)	2.4 million (1993)	GDP per capita:	$1,200

Health

Birth rate (births/1000 population):	15.0	Death rate (deaths/1000 population):	7.0
Infant mortality rate (deaths/1000 live birth):	22.0	Life expectancy at birth (Male/Female):	60.0/65.0
Total fertility rate (children born/woman):		Public expenditures on health as % of GDP:	

Population with access to...(%)

-health services:	
-safe water:	
-sanitation:	

Education

Adult literacy rates estimates (Male/Female):		Public expenditure on education: (as % of GNP):	
Number of 3rd level students: (students/100,000):		Net enrolment ratio at the first level (female):	
First level pupil/teachers ratio (% female teachers)	20	School life expectancy number of years:	

Employment

Labour force as % of total population (age 15+women's share) :		Unemployment rate:	

% of labour force in...	
	-Agriculture:
	-Industry:
	-Services:

Poverty & Quality of Life

HPI ranking:	Real GDP per capita rank minus HDI rank:
People in poverty in % (urban/rural):	GDI ranking:

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Pakistan

Population

Population:	133.46m				
0-14 years:	41.2%	15-64 years:	55%	65 + years:	3.8%
In rural residence (%):	65	Urban population (%):			
Growth rate:	3.0%	Population density:	168		

Income and Wealth

HDI ranking:	139 (out 175)	GDP real growth rate:	3.1% (1997)
GDP (in billion $)	274.2 (1995)	GDP per capita:	$451

Health

Birth rate (births/1000 population):	38.4	Death rate (deaths/1000 population):	8.3
Infant mortality rate (deaths/1000 live birth):	101.8	Life expectancy at birth (Male/Female):	62.9/62.1
Total fertility rate (children born/woman):	5.3	Public expenditures on health as % of GDP:	1.8

Population with access to...(%)

-health services:	55
-safe water:	74
-sanitation:	47

Education

Adult literacy rates estimates (Male/Female):	50.0/25.3	Public expenditure on education: (as % of GNP):	2.7
Number of 3rd level students: (students/100,000):	294	Net enrolment ratio at the first level (female):	
First level pupil/teachers ratio (% female teachers)	45 (31)	School life expectancy number of years:	

Employment

Labour force as % of total population	35 (24)	Unemployment rate:	

	35 (24)	Unemployment rate:	
(age 15+women's share) :			
% of labour force in...			
	-Agriculture:	46.79 (1995)	
	-Industry:	19	
	-Services:	30	
Poverty & Quality of Live			
HPI ranking:	64	Real GDP per capita rank minus HDI rank:	-19
People in poverty in % (urban/rural):	20/31	GDI ranking:	120 (out of 146)

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Papua New Guinea

Population

Population:	4.16m				
0-14 years:	39%	14-65 years:	58%	65 + years:	3%
In rural residence (%):	84	Urban population (%):			
Growth rate:	2.2%	Population density:	9		

Income and Wealth

HDI ranking:	128 (out of 175)	GDP real growth rate:	-6.5% (1997)
GDP (in billion $)	10.2 (1995)	GDP per capita:	$1,314 (1994)

Health

Birth rate (births/1000 population):	32.6	Death rate (deaths/1000 population):	10.1
Infant mortality rate (deaths/1000 live birth):	63.0	Life expectancy at birth (Male/Female):	57.0/58.0
Total fertility rate (children born/woman):		Public expenditures on health as % of GDP:	2.8

Population with access to...(%)

-health services:	96
-safe water:	28
-sanitation:	22

Education

Adult literacy rates estimates (Male/Female):	81.0/62.7 (1995)	Public expenditure on education: (as % of GNP):	7.3
Number of 3rd level students: (students/100,000):		Net enrolment ratio at the first level (female):	
First level pupil/teachers ratio (% female teachers)	39 (45)	School life expectancy number of years:	

Employment

Labour force as % of total population	49 (41)	Unemployment rate:	

	49 (41)	Unemployment rate:	
(age 15+women's share) :			
% of labour force in...			
	-Agriculture:	77.3	
	-Industry:	7	
	-Services:	14	
Poverty & Quality of Life			
HPI ranking:	42	Real GDP per capita rank minus HDI rank:	-24
People in poverty in % (urban/rural):		GDI ranking:	108 (out of 146)

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Philippines

Population

Population:	71.90m				
0-14 years:	38%	15-64 years:	59%	65 + years:	3%
In rural residence (%):	56 (1994)	Urban population (%):			
Growth rate:	2.2%	Population density:	240		

Income and Wealth

HDI ranking:	98 (out of 175)	GDP real growth rate:	5.1% (1997)
GDP (in billion $)	179.7 (1995)	GDP per capita:	$1,162

Health

Birth rate (births/1000 population):	29.0	Death rate (deaths/1000 population):	6.4
Infant mortality rate (deaths/1000 live birth):	38	Life expectancy at birth (Male/Female):	66.0/70.0
Total fertility rate (children born/woman):		Public expenditures on health as % of GDP:	1.0

Population with access to...(%)

-health services:	71
-safe water:	86
-sanitation:	77

Education

Adult literacy rates estimates (Male/Female):	95.0/94.3 (1995)	Public expenditure on education: (as % of GNP):	2.9
Number of 3rd level students: (students/100,000):	2,716	Net enrolment ratio at the first level (female):	97
First level pupil/teachers ratio (% female teachers)	34	School life expectancy number of years:	10.8

Employment

Labour force as % of			

total population (age 15+women's share) :	40 (37)	Unemployment rate:	9.5%
% of labour force in...			
	-Agriculture:	41.7	
	-Industry:	15	
	-Services:	39	
Poverty & Quality of Live			
HPI ranking:	19	Real GDP per capita rank minus HDI rank:	12
People in poverty in % (urban/rural):	40/54	GDI ranking:	81 (out of 146)

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The Republic of Korea

Population

Population:	45.55m				
0-14 years:	22.9%	15-64 years:	71.1%	65 + years:	6.1%
In rural residence (%):	25.6 (1990)	Urban population (%):			
Growth rate:	1.0%	Population density:	458		

Income and Wealth

HDI ranking:	32 (Out of 175)	GDP real growth rate:	5.5% (1997)
GDP (in billion $)	590.7 (1995)	GDP per capita:	$10,643

Health

Birth rate (births/1000 population):	15.9	Death rate (deaths/1000 population):	5.5
Infant mortality rate (deaths/1000 live birth):	10.0	Life expectancy at birth (Male/Female):	69.6/77.4 (1995)
Total fertility rate (children born/woman):	1.8	Public expenditures on health as % of GDP:	2.7

Population with access to...(%)

-health services:	100
-safe water:	93
-sanitation:	100

Education

Adult literacy rates estimates (Male/Female):	2.0 (3.3)	Public expenditure on education: (as % of GNP):	4.5
Number of 3rd level students: (students/100,000):	4,756	Net enrolment ratio at the first level (female):	96 (97)
First level pupil/teachers ratio (% female teachers)	28 (48)	School life expectancy number of years:	13.9

Employment

Labour force as % of total population	46 (39)	Unemployment rate:	2%

	46 (39)	Unemployment rate:	2%
(age 15+women's share) :			
% of labour force in...			
	-Agriculture:	11.6	
	-Industry:	35	
	-Services:	47	
Poverty & Quality of Life			
HPI ranking:		Real GDP per capita rank minus HDI rank:	5
People in poverty in % (urban/rural):	5/4	GDI ranking:	35 (out of 146)

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Singapore

Population

Population:	3.61m				
0-14 years:	22.8%	15-64 years:	70.3%	65 + years:	6.9%
Rural population (%):	0	Urban population (%):	100		
Growth rate:	1.9%	Population density:	5,578		

Income and Wealth

HDI ranking:	26 (out of 175)	GDP real growth rate:	7.8% (1997)
GDP (in billion $)	66.1 (1995)	GDP per capita:	$26,040

Health

Birth rate (births/1000 population):	15.4	Death rate (deaths/1000 population):	4.7
Infant mortality rate (deaths/1000 live birth):	3.4	Life expectancy at birth (Male/Female):	74.4/78.9
Total fertility rate (children born/woman):	1.7	Public expenditures on health as % of GDP:	1.1

Population with access to...(%)

-health services:	
-safe water:	100
-sanitation:	

Education

Adult literacy rates estimates (Male/Female):	96.4/87.8	Public expenditure on education: (as % of GNP):	3.3.
Number of 3rd level students: (students/100,000):	2,642	Net enrolment ratio at the first level (female):	100 (100)
First level pupil/teachers ratio (% female teachers)	26	School life expectancy number of years:	

Employment

Labour force as % of total population	49 (38)	Unemployment rate:	2.6%

	49 (38)	Unemployment rate:	2.6%
(age 15+women's share) :			

% of labour force in...	
-Agriculture:	0.2
-Industry:	36
-Services:	64

Poverty & Quality of Life

HPI ranking:	4	Real GDP per capita rank minus HDI rank:	-15
People in poverty in % (urban/rural):		GDI ranking:	

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Solomon Islands

Population

Population:	391,000				
0-14 years:	44%	15-64 years:	53%	65 + years:	3%
In rural residence (%):	82	Urban population (%):			
Growth rate:	3.4%	Population density:	14		

Income and Wealth

HDI ranking:	122 (out of 175)	GDP real growth rate:	-1.0% (1997)
GDP (in billion $)	1 (1992)	GDP per capita:	$856 (1995)

Health

Birth rate (births/1000 population):	36.5	Death rate (deaths/1000 population):	4.2
Infant mortality rate (deaths/1000 live birth):	24	Life expectancy at birth (Male/Female):	69.0/74.0
Total fertility rate (children born/woman):	5.4	Public expenditures on health as % of GDP:	

Population with access to...(%)

-health services:	
-safe water:	
-sanitation:	

Education

Adult literacy rates estimates (Male/Female):		Public expenditure on education: (as % of GNP):	4.2
Number of 3rd level students: (students/100,000):		Net enrolment ratio at the first level (female):	
First level pupil/teachers ratio (% female teachers)		School life expectancy number of years:	

Employment

Labour force as % of total population	51	Unemployment rate:	

(age 15+women's share) :		Unemployment rate:
% of labour force in...		
	-Agriculture:	28.8 (1990)
	-Industry:	
	-Services:	

Poverty & Quality of Life	
HPI ranking:	Real GDP per capita rank minus HDI rank:
People in poverty in % (urban/rural):	GDI ranking:

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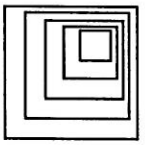
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Sri Lanka

Population

Population:	18.32m				
0-14 years:	35.2%	15-64 years:	60.5%	65 + years:	4.3%
In rural residence (%):		78.5 (1990)	Urban population (%):		
Growth rate:		1.2%	Population density:		292

Income and Wealth

HDI ranking:	91 (out of 175)	GDP real growth rate:	5.8% (1997)
GDP (in billion $)	65.6 (1995)	GDP per capita:	$762

Health

Birth rate (births/1000 population):	18.6	Death rate (deaths/1000 population):	6.5
Infant mortality rate (deaths/1000 live birth):	16.0	Life expectancy at birth (Male/Female):	70.0/75.0 (1995)
Total fertility rate (children born/woman):	2.1	Public expenditures on health as % of GDP:	1.8

Population with access to...(%)

-health services:	
-safe water:	57
-sanitation:	63

Education

Adult literacy rates estimates (Male/Female):	93.4/87.2 (1995)	Public expenditure on education: (as % of GNP):	3.2
Number of 3rd level students: (students/100,000):	552	Net enrolment ratio at the first level (female):	
First level pupil/teachers ratio (% female teachers)	28 (48)	School life expectancy number of years:	

Employment

Labour force as % of total population	40 (34)	Unemployment rate:	13.0%

	40 (34)	Unemployment rate:	13.0%
(age 15+women's share) :			

% of labour force in...		
	-Agriculture:	37.7
	-Industry:	21
	-Services:	31

Poverty & Quality of Life

HPI ranking:	22	Real GDP per capita rank minus HDI rank:	9
People in poverty in % (urban/rural):	15/36	GDI ranking:	70 (out of 146)

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Tajikistan

Population

Population:	5.92m				
0-14 years:	43.7%	15-64 years:	52.4%	65 + years:	3.9%
In rural residence (%):		72.3	Urban population (%):		
Growth rate:		1.5%	Population density:		42

Income and Wealth

HDI ranking:	115 (out of 175)	GDP real growth rate:	2.2% (1997)
GDP (in billion $)	6.4 (1995)	GDP per capita:	$178

Health

Birth rate (births/1000 population):	22.2	Death rate (deaths/1000 population):	5.4
Infant mortality rate (deaths/1000 live birth):	31.3	Life expectancy at birth (Male/Female):	65.5/71.2 (1995)
Total fertility rate (children born/woman):	4.4	Public expenditures on health as % of GDP:	6.0

Population with access to...(%)

-health services:	
-safe water:	
-sanitation:	

Education

Adult literacy rates estimates (Male/Female):	99.8/99.6 (1990)	Public expenditure on education: (as % of GNP):	9.5
Number of 3rd level students: (students/100,000):	2,298	Net enrolment ratio at the first level (female):	
First level pupil/teachers ratio (% female teachers)	23 (49)	School life expectancy number of years:	

Employment

Labour force as % of total population	36 (42)	Unemployment rate:	3.3%

	36 (42)	Unemployment rate:	3.3%
(age 15+women's share) :			
% of labour force in...			
	-Agriculture:	59.3	
	-Industry:		
	-Services:		

Poverty & Quality of Life

HPI ranking:		Real GDP per capita rank minus HDI rank:	35
People in poverty in % (urban/rural):		GDI ranking:	96 (out of 146)

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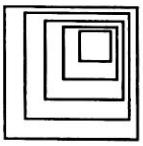
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Thailand

Population

Population:	60m				
0-14 years:	27%	15-64 years:	68%	65 + years:	5%
In rural residence (%):		81.6%	Urban population:		
Growth rate:		1.1%	Population density:		117

Income and Wealth

HDI ranking:	59 (out of 175)	GDP real growth rate:	-0.4% (1997)
GDP (in billion $)	416.7 (1995)	GDP per capita:	$2,812

Health

Birth rate (births/1000 population):	18.0	Death rate (deaths/1000 population):	5.5
Infant mortality rate (deaths/1000 live birth):	8.3	Life expectancy at birth (Male/Female):	67.0/72.0
Total fertility rate (children born/woman):	1.9	Public expenditures on health as % of GDP:	1.1

Population with access to...(%)

-health services:	90
-safe water:	89
-sanitation:	96

Education

Adult literacy rates estimates (Male/Female):	96.0/91.6 (1995)	Public expenditure on education: (as % of GNP)	3.8
First level pupils enroled (female %):	6.8m	Net enrolment ratio at the first level (female):	
First level pupil/teachers ratio (% female teachers)	19	School life expectancy number of years:	

Employment

Labour force as % of total population	57 (47)	Unemployment rate:	2.7%

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(age 15+women's share) :			
% of labour force in...			
	-Agriculture:	50	
	-Industry:	14	
	-Services:	22	

Poverty & Quality of Life

HPI ranking:	11	Real GDP per capita rank minus HDI rank:	-8
People in poverty in % (urban/rural):	7/29	GDI ranking:	39 (out of 146)

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Tonga

Population

Population:	99,400				
0-14 years:	39%	15-64 years:	55%	65 + years:	6%
In rural residence (%):		69.0	Urban population (%):		
Growth rate:		0.7%	Population density:		133

Income and Wealth

HDI ranking:		GDP real growth rate:	3.0% (1996)
GDP (in billion $)	0.2 (1995)	GDP per capita:	$1,548 (1995)

Health

Birth rate (births/1000 population):	27.8	Death rate (deaths/1000 population):	5.9
Infant mortality rate (deaths/1000 live birth):	16.0	Life expectancy at birth (Male/Female):	67.0/72.0
Total fertility rate (children born/woman):	3.8	Public expenditures on health as % of GDP:	

Population with access to...(%)

-health services:	
-safe water:	
-sanitation:	

Education

Adult literacy rates estimates (Male/Female):		Public expenditure on education: (as % of GNP):	
Number of 3rd level students: (students/100,000):		Net enrolment ratio at the first level (female):	
First level pupil/teachers ratio (% female teachers)		School life expectancy number of years:	

Employment

Labour force as % of total population (age 15+women's share) :		Unemployment rate:	

% of labour force in...		
	-Agriculture:	39.4 (1994)
	-Industry:	
	-Services:	

Poverty & Quality of Life

HPI ranking:	Real GDP per capita rank minus HDI rank:
People in poverty in % (urban/rural):	GDI ranking:

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Turkmenistan

Population

Population:	4.57m				
0-14 years:	39%	15-64 years:	57%	65 + years:	4%
In rural residence (%):	55	Urban population (%):			
Growth rate:	2.3%	Population density:	9		

Income and Wealth

HDI ranking:	85 (out of 175)	GDP real growth rate:	10%
GDP (in billion $)	11.5 (1995)	GDP per capita:	$2,820

Health

Birth rate (births/1000 population):	29.6	Death rate (deaths/1000 population):	7.0
Infant mortality rate (deaths/1000 live birth):	53.0	Life expectancy at birth (Male/Female):	63.0/70.0
Total fertility rate (children born/woman):	3.6	Public expenditures on health as % of GDP:	5.0

Population with access to...(%)

-health services:	
-safe water:	
-sanitation:	

Education

Adult literacy rates estimates (Male/Female):	99.8/99.6 (1995)	Public expenditure on education: (as % of GNP):	7.9
Number of 3rd level students: (students/100,000):	2,078	Net enrolment ratio at the first level (female):	
First level pupil/teachers ratio (% female teachers)		School life expectancy number of years:	

Employment

Labour force as % of total population	41 (45)	Unemployment rate:	

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Tuvalu

Population

Population:	9,800				
0-14 years:	35%	15-64 years:	59%	65 + years:	5%
In rural residence (%):		53	Urban population (%):		
Growth rate:		1.6%	Population density:		385

Income and Wealth

HDI ranking:		GDP real growth rate:	N/A
GDP (in billion $)	7.8 million (1994)	GDP per capita:	$1,338 (1994)

Health

Birth rate (births/1000 population):	28	Death rate (deaths/1000 population):	9
Infant mortality rate (deaths/1000 live birth):	51	Life expectancy at birth (Male/Female):	64.0/70.0 (1990)
Total fertility rate (children born/woman):	3.1	Public expenditures on health as % of GDP:	

Population with access to...(%)

-health services:

-safe water:

-sanitation:

Education

Adult literacy rates estimates (Male/Female):		Public expenditure on education: (as % of GNP):	
Number of 3rd level students: (students/100,000):		Net enrolment ratio at the first level (female):	
First level pupil/teachers ratio (% female teachers)		School life expectancy number of years:	

Employment

Labour force as % of total population (age 15+women's share) :		Unemployment rate:	

% of labour force in...	
-Agriculture:	
-Industry:	
-Services:	

Poverty & Quality of Life

HPI ranking:	Real GDP per capita rank minus HDI rank:
People in poverty in % (urban/rural):	GDI ranking:

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Uzbekistan

Population

Population:	22.91m				
0-14 years:	39%	15-64 years:	57%	65 + years:	4%
In rural residence (%):	58	Urban population (%):			
Growth rate:	2%	Population density:	52		

Income and Wealth

HDI ranking:	100 (out of 175)	GDP real growth rate:	2.4% (1997)
GDP (in billion $)	54.7 (1995)	GDP per capita:	$13,110.7 (1995)

Health

Birth rate (births/1000 population):	29.3	Death rate (deaths/1000 population):	5.8
Infant mortality rate (deaths/1000 live birth):	39	Life expectancy at birth (Male/Female):	67.0/73.0
Total fertility rate (children born/woman):	3.7	Public expenditures on health as % of GDP:	5.9

Population with access to...(%)

-health services:	
-safe water:	
-sanitation:	

Education

Adult literacy rates estimates (Male/Female):	99.7 (1990)	Public expenditure on education: (as % of GNP):	11.0
Number of 3rd level students: (students/100,000):		Net enrolment ratio at the first level (female):	3,054
First level pupil/teachers ratio (% female teachers)	21 (49)	School life expectancy number of years:	

Employment

Labour force as % of total population	39 (46)	Unemployment rate:	0.4%

(age 15+women's share) :	39 (46)	Unemployment rate:	0.4%

% of labour force in...		
	-Agriculture:	44.4 (1995)
	-Industry:	
	-Services:	

Poverty & Quality of Life			
HPI ranking:		Real GDP per capita rank minus HDI rank:	14
People in poverty in % (urban/rural):		GDI ranking:	78 (out of 146)

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Vanuatu

Population

Population:	173,900				
0-14 years:	43%	15-64 years:	54%	65 + years:	3%
In rural residence (%):	82	Urban population (%):			
Growth rate:	2.8%	Population density:	14		

Income and Wealth

HDI ranking:	124 (out of 175)	GDP real growth rate:	3.0% (1997)
GDP (in billion $)	0.2 (1994)	GDP per capita:	$1,038 (1990)

Health

Birth rate (births/1000 population):	33.5	Death rate (deaths/1000 population):	6.4
Infant mortality rate (deaths/1000 live birth):	41	Life expectancy at birth (Male/Female):	65.0/69.0
Total fertility rate (children born/woman):	4.0	Public expenditures on health as % of GDP:	

Population with access to...(%)

-health services:	
-safe water:	
-sanitation:	

Education

Adult literacy rates estimates (Male/Female):	67.0 (1990)	Public expenditure on education: (as % of GNP):	4.8
Number of 3rd level students: (students/100,000):		Net enrolment ratio at the first level (female):	
First level pupil/teachers ratio (% female teachers)	31 (47)	School life expectancy number of years:	

Employment

Labour force as % of total population		Unemployment rate:	

(age 15+women's share) :			
% of labour force in...			
	-Agriculture:	74.8 (1990)	
	-Industry:		
	-Services:		
Poverty & Quality of Life			
HPI ranking:		Real GDP per capita rank minus HDI rank:	-7
People in poverty in % (urban/rural):		GDI ranking:	

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Viet Nam

Population

Population:	75.36m				
0-14 years:	36%	15-64 years:	69%	65 + years:	5%
In rural residence (%):		79	Urban population (%):		
Growth rate:		1.9%	Population density:		229

Income and Wealth

HDI ranking:	121 (out of 175)	GDP real growth rate:	8.8% (1997)
GDP (in billion $)	97 (1995)	GDP per capita:	$1,300

Health

Birth rate (births/1000 population):	26.1	Death rate (deaths/1000 population):	7.0
Infant mortality rate (deaths/1000 live birth):	39	Life expectancy at birth (Male/Female):	66.0/69.0
Total fertility rate (children born/woman):	2.7	Public expenditures on health as % of GDP:	1.1

Population with access to...(%)

-health services:	90
-safe water:	43
-sanitation:	22

Education

Adult literacy rates estimates (Male/Female):	96.5/91.2 (1995)	Public expenditure on education: (as % of GNP):	
Number of 3rd level students: (students/100,000):	316	Net enrolment ratio at the first level (female):	
First level pupil/teachers ratio (% female teachers)	35	School life expectancy number of years:	

Employment

Labour force as % of total population	51 (50)	Unemployment rate:	25%

	51 (50)	Unemployment rate:	25%
(age 15+women's share) :			

% of labour force in...		
	-Agriculture:	68.9 (1995)
	-Industry:	
	-Services:	

Poverty & Quality of Life			
HPI ranking:	33	Real GDP per capita rank minus HDI rank:	4
People in poverty in % (urban/rural):		GDI ranking:	101 (out of 146)

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