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# FOREWORD

Since its inception in 1978, the Statistical, Economic and Social Research and Training Centre for Islamic Countries (SESRIC) has been making serious efforts and developing various methodologies for collating, processing and disseminating comprehensive and up-to-date socio-economic statistics and information on and for the utilisation of the member countries of the Organization of Islamic Conference (OIC). In so doing, the Centre devotes a large portion of its resources to providing the necessary statistical data and background information that would enhance the level and quality of technical cooperation activities among the Member Countries

To fulfill this specific task at the highest possible level, the Centre publishes various statistical volumes and series in hard copies and also provides access to them on its website. Among these, the booklet *Basic Facts and Figures on OIC Member Countries* provides data on a set of major socio-economic indicators for all the fifty-seven OIC Member Countries. The present issue of *Basic Facts and Figures on OIC Member Countries 2008-2009* has been prepared including both tabular and graphical illustrations on selected basic socio-economic indicators up to the year 2008. The recent booklet presents two-page statistical profile for each country which includes demographic, social and economic overview using the most recent year for which the relevant data are available. These profiles include selected indicators of demography, national accounts, price, labour force, trade, education, health, environment, communication and transportation.

The data in this booklet are mainly obtained from the Centre's main database "BASEIND", which includes comprehensive and up-to-date time series data on various socio-economic indicators for the fifty-seven OIC Member Countries. Furthermore, the Centre continuously works on innovative cutting-edge visual techniques to present BASEIND database in various forms. The most recent example of these techniques is the SESRIC Motion Charts (SMC) which can be reached at the website of the Centre. The SMC Module allows the users to dynamically explore the trends of several indicators over time, based on statistical data hosted in the BASEIND Database.

We hope that the *Basic Facts and Figures on OIC Member Countries 2008-2009* will be an effective means for enhancing the Centre's efforts to provide the necessary and up-to-date information and knowledge that would make the member countries better informed of each other's capacities and needs as well as challenges and potentials.

Dr. Savaş Alpay  
Director General

# TECHNICAL NOTES

The **Country Infobox** shows short facts about the country. The **National Statistical Office** field shows the website of the national statistical office (NSO). If the NSO does not have a website, the official name is given.



The **Demographic and Social Overview** and **Economic Overview** tables display data on the most fundamental indicators for the specific country. If there is no data available for a given indicator, ".." symbol is used in the respective field.

Demographic and Social Overview	
Total Land Area (Sq Km)	2 149 890
Total Population, 2008	24 807 273
Population Density, 2008 (Per Sq Km)	11.54
Annual Population Growth Rate, 2008 (%)	2.23
Crude Birth Rate, 2007 (Per 1000 People)	24.10
Crude Death Rate, 2007 (Per 1000 People)	3.90
Life Expectancy at Birth, 2007	73.40
Economic Overview	
GDP, Current Market Prices, 2009 (Preliminary) (Million USD)	369 178
GDP, Per Capita, 2009 (Preliminary) (USD)	14 979
Total Consumption, Current Market Prices, 2009 (Preliminary) (Million USD)	238 148
Balance of Government Budget (% of GDP)	..
Total External Debt (Million USD)	..
Foreign Direct Investment, 2008 (Million USD)	38 223
Rate of Exchange, Period Average, 2009 (Preliminary) (SAR / USD)	3.75

In the **Real GDP Growth Rate** chart, the base years are country specific for the indicator.



The data for **Real GDP Growth Rate** and **Consumer Price Index** are displayed as column charts in the first row and the data for **GDP by Major Sectors** and **Employment in Major Sectors** are displayed as pie charts in the second row. If any of the data for a country is not available, the respective chart is not displayed.

# TECHNICAL NOTES

The definitions of the displayed indicators are presented after the country profiles.



The Labour Force, Trade, Education, Health, Environment, and Transportation tables display data on relevant indicators for the specific country. If there is no data available for a given indicator, ".." symbol is used in the respective field.

The data for **Communication (per 100 people)** are displayed as a bar chart. If any indicator for a country is not available, it is not displayed in the chart.



# **COUNTRY PROFILES**

# Afghanistan



Capital City	Kabul
Other Large Cities	Kandahar, Herat, Mazar-i-Sharif
Official Language	Dari, Pashtu
National Currency Unit	Afghani (AFA)
National Statistical Office	<a href="http://www.cso.gov.af">http://www.cso.gov.af</a>

## Demographic and Social Overview

Total Land Area (Sq Km)	652 090
Total Population, 2008	28 139 000
Population Density, 2008 (Per Sq Km)	43.15
Annual Population Growth Rate, 2008 (%)	2.67
Crude Birth Rate (Per 1000 People)	..
Crude Death Rate (Per 1000 People)	..
Life Expectancy at Birth, 2008	44.20

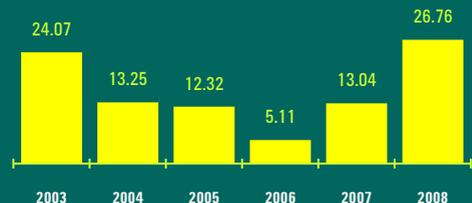
## Economic Overview

GDP, Current Market Prices, 2008 (Million USD)	12 679
GDP, Per Capita, 2008 (USD)	451
Total Consumption, Current Market Prices, 2008 (Million USD)	13 656
Balance of Government Budget, 2007 (% of GDP)	-16.55
Total External Debt, 2007 (Million USD)	2 041
Foreign Direct Investment, 2008 (Million USD)	300
Rate of Exchange, Period Average, 2008 (AFA / USD)	50.25

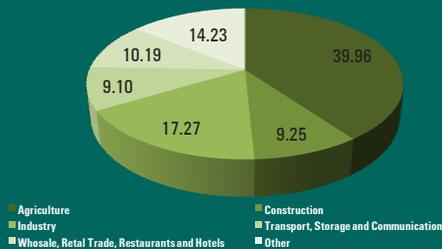
**Real GDP Growth Rate**  
Annual Rate of Change, Constant USD (%)



**Consumer Price Index**  
Annual Rate of Change (%)

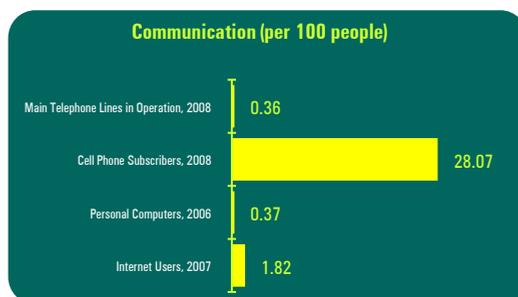


**GDP by Major Sectors, 2008**



# Afghanistan

Labour Force	
Labour Force Participation Rate, Female, 2007 (%)	28.30
Labour Force Participation Rate, Male, 2007 (%)	88.60
Labour Force Participation Rate, Total, 2007 (%)	59.60
Trade	
Merchandise Exports to World, 2008 (Million USD)	420
Merchandise Imports from World, 2008 (Million USD)	5 739
Intra-OIC Merchandise Exports, 2008 (Million USD)	154
Intra-OIC Merchandise Imports, 2008 (Million USD)	2 971
Education	
Adult Literacy Rate, Female, 2000 (%)	12.59
Adult Literacy Rate, Male, 2000 (%)	43.14
Adult Literacy Rate, Total, 2000 (%)	28.00
Public Education Expenditures (% of GDP)	..
Primary School Enrolment Ratio, Net (%)	..
Secondary School Enrolment Ratio, Net, 2007 (%)	26.85
Health	
Total Health Expenditures, 2006 (% of GDP)	5.40
Health Expenditures per Person, 2006 (USD)	23.00
Infant Mortality Rate, 2006 (Per 1000 People)	165.00
Environment	
Carbon Dioxide Emissions, Total, 2006 (Thousand Metric Tons)	697
Carbon Dioxide Emissions, Per Capita, 2006 (Metric Tons)	0.03
Transportation	
Civil Aviation, Passenger-kilometers, 2000 (Millions)	143
Merchant Shipping, Fleets (Thousand Dead Weight Tons)	..
Rail Lines, Total Route (Kilometers)	..
Roads, Total Network, 2006 (Thousand Kilometers)	42.15



# Albania



Capital City	Tirana
Other Large Cities	Durres, Elbasan, Shkoder
Official Language	Albanian
National Currency Unit	Lek (ALL)
National Statistical Office	<a href="http://www.instat.gov.al">http://www.instat.gov.al</a>

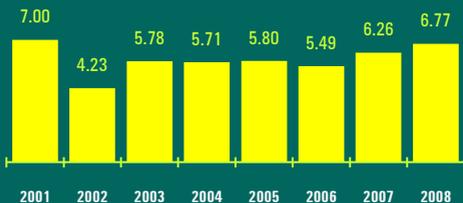
## Demographic and Social Overview

Total Land Area (Sq Km)	27 400
Total Population, 2008	3 143 291
Population Density, 2008 (Per Sq Km)	114.72
Annual Population Growth Rate, 2008 (%)	0.35
Crude Birth Rate, 2007 (Per 1000 People)	14.69
Crude Death Rate, 2007 (Per 1000 People)	6.20
Life Expectancy at Birth, 2008	76.60

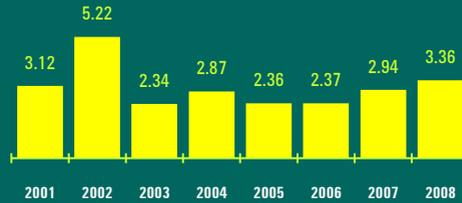
## Economic Overview

GDP, Current Market Prices, 2008 (Million USD)	13 119
GDP, Per Capita, 2008 (USD)	4 174
Total Consumption, Current Market Prices, 2008 (Million USD)	11 637
Balance of Government Budget, 2004 (% of GDP)	1.73
Total External Debt, 2007 (Million USD)	2 776
Foreign Direct Investment, 2008 (Million USD)	956
Rate of Exchange, Period Average, 2008 (ALL / USD)	83.89

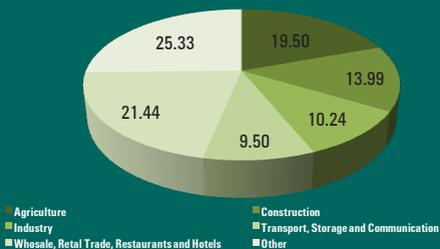
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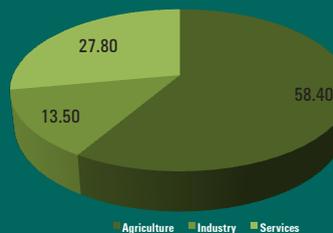
**Consumer Price Index**  
Annual Rate of Change (%)



**GDP by Major Sectors, 2008**

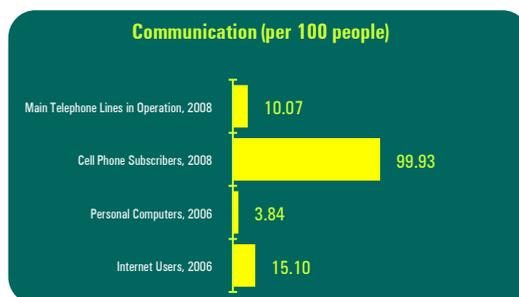


**Employment in Major Sectors, 2005**



# Albania

Labour Force	
Labour Force Participation Rate, Female, 2007 (%)	50.00
Labour Force Participation Rate, Male, 2007 (%)	71.00
Labour Force Participation Rate, Total, 2007 (%)	60.30
Trade	
Merchandise Exports to World, 2008 (Million USD)	1 129
Merchandise Imports from World, 2008 (Million USD)	4 904
Intra-OIC Merchandise Exports, 2008 (Million USD)	35
Intra-OIC Merchandise Imports, 2008 (Million USD)	396
Education	
Adult Literacy Rate, Female, 2007 (%)	98.77
Adult Literacy Rate, Male, 2007 (%)	99.33
Adult Literacy Rate, Total, 2007 (%)	99.04
Public Education Expenditures, 2002 (% of GDP)	2.87
Primary School Enrolment Ratio, Net, 2004 (%)	90.80
Secondary School Enrolment Ratio, Net, 2004 (%)	73.78
Health	
Total Health Expenditures, 2006 (% of GDP)	6.20
Health Expenditures per Person, 2006 (USD)	174.00
Infant Mortality Rate, 2006 (Per 1000 People)	15.00
Environment	
Carbon Dioxide Emissions, Total, 2006 (Thousand Metric Tons)	4 301
Carbon Dioxide Emissions, Per Capita, 2006 (Metric Tons)	1.38
Transportation	
Civil Aviation, Passenger-kilometers, 2004 (Millions)	136
Merchant Shipping, Fleets, 2007 (Thousand Dead Weight Tons)	107.39
Rail Lines, Total Route, 2007 (Kilometers)	423
Roads, Total Network, 2002 (Thousand Kilometers)	18.00



# Algeria



Capital City	Algiers
Other Large Cities	Oran, Annaba, Constantine
Official Language	Arabic
National Currency Unit	Algerian Dinar (DZD)
National Statistical Office	<a href="http://www.ons.dz">http://www.ons.dz</a>

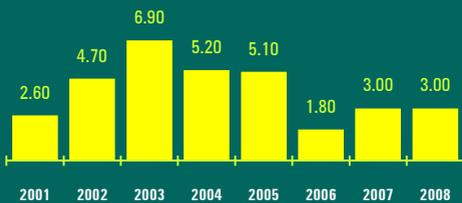
## Demographic and Social Overview

Total Land Area (Sq Km)	2 381 740
Total Population, 2008	34 361 756
Population Density, 2008 (Per Sq Km)	14.43
Annual Population Growth Rate, 2008 (%)	1.50
Crude Birth Rate, 2007 (Per 1000 People)	20.81
Crude Death Rate, 2007 (Per 1000 People)	4.90
Life Expectancy at Birth, 2007	72.30

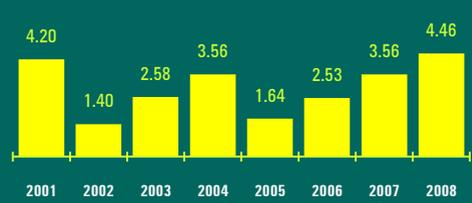
## Economic Overview

GDP, Current Market Prices, 2008 (Million USD)	170 453
GDP, Per Capita, 2008 (USD)	4 961
Total Consumption, Current Market Prices, 2008 (Million USD)	71 525
Balance of Government Budget, 2007 (% of GDP)	21.63
Total External Debt, 2007 (Million USD)	5 541
Foreign Direct Investment, 2008 (Million USD)	2 646
Rate of Exchange, Period Average, 2008 (DZD / USD)	64.58

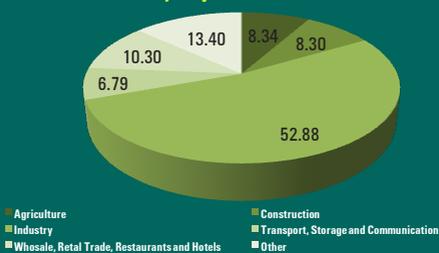
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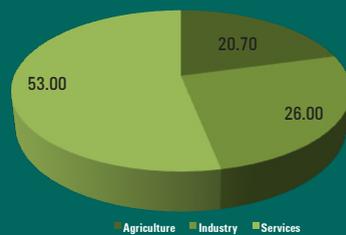
**Consumer Price Index**  
Annual Rate of Change (%)



**GDP by Major Sectors, 2008**

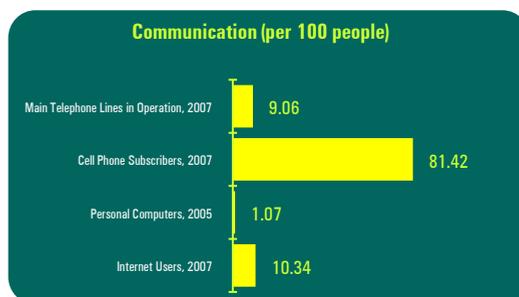


**Employment in Major Sectors, 2004**



# Algeria

Labour Force	
Labour Force Participation Rate, Female, 2007 (%)	36.90
Labour Force Participation Rate, Male, 2007 (%)	77.50
Labour Force Participation Rate, Total, 2007 (%)	57.30
Trade	
Merchandise Exports to World, 2008 (Million USD)	76 314
Merchandise Imports from World, 2008 (Million USD)	44 748
Intra-OIC Merchandise Exports, 2008 (Million USD)	5 058
Intra-OIC Merchandise Imports, 2008 (Million USD)	4 284
Education	
Adult Literacy Rate, Female, 2007 (%)	66.43
Adult Literacy Rate, Male, 2007 (%)	84.27
Adult Literacy Rate, Total, 2007 (%)	75.39
Public Education Expenditures (% of GDP)	..
Primary School Enrolment Ratio, Net, 2008 (%)	94.86
Secondary School Enrolment Ratio, Net, 2004 (%)	66.34
Health	
Total Health Expenditures, 2006 (% of GDP)	3.60
Health Expenditures per Person, 2006 (USD)	123.00
Infant Mortality Rate, 2006 (Per 1000 People)	33.00
Environment	
Carbon Dioxide Emissions, Total, 2006 (Thousand Metric Tons)	132 715
Carbon Dioxide Emissions, Per Capita, 2006 (Metric Tons)	3.98
Transportation	
Civil Aviation, Passenger-kilometers, 2004 (Millions)	3 353
Merchant Shipping, Fleets, 2007 (Thousand Dead Weight Tons)	777.29
Rail Lines, Total Route, 2007 (Kilometers)	3 572
Roads, Total Network, 2004 (Thousand Kilometers)	108.30



# Azerbaijan



Capital City	Baku
Other Large Cities	Ghandzha, Sumgait, Mingechaur
Official Language	Azerbaijani (Azeri)
National Currency Unit	Azerbaijani Manat (AZM)
National Statistical Office	<a href="http://www.azstat.org">http://www.azstat.org</a>

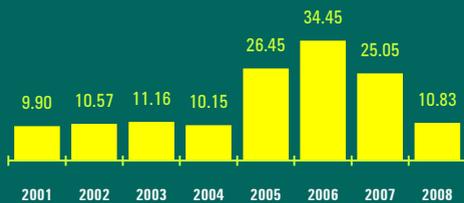
## Demographic and Social Overview

Total Land Area (Sq Km)	82 660
Total Population, 2008	8 678 851
Population Density, 2008 (Per Sq Km)	104.99
Annual Population Growth Rate, 2008 (%)	1.14
Crude Birth Rate, 2007 (Per 1000 People)	17.80
Crude Death Rate, 2007 (Per 1000 People)	6.20
Life Expectancy at Birth, 2007	67.40

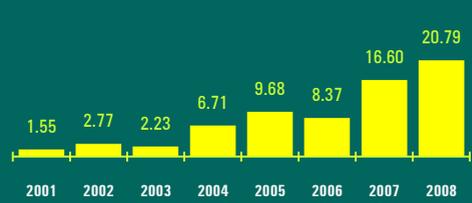
## Economic Overview

GDP, Current Market Prices, 2008 (Million USD)	46 378
GDP, Per Capita, 2008 (USD)	5 344
Total Consumption, Current Market Prices, 2008 (Million USD)	20 334
Balance of Government Budget, 1999 (% of GDP)	-1.44
Total External Debt, 2007 (Million USD)	3 021
Foreign Direct Investment, 2008 (Million USD)	11
Rate of Exchange, Period Average, 2008 (AZM / USD)	0.82

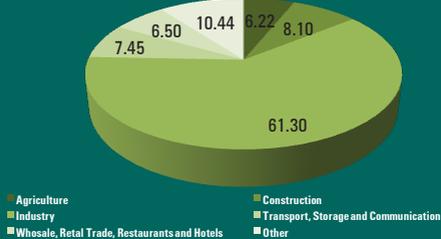
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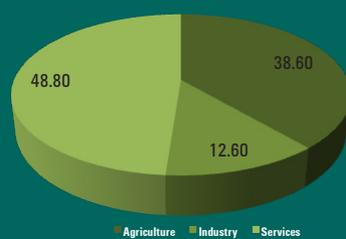
**Consumer Price Index**  
Annual Rate of Change (%)



**GDP by Major Sectors, 2008**

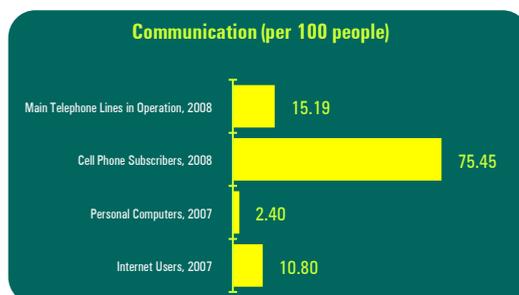


**Employment in Major Sectors, 2007**



# Azerbaijan

Labour Force	
Labour Force Participation Rate, Female, 2007 (%)	60.00
Labour Force Participation Rate, Male, 2007 (%)	70.90
Labour Force Participation Rate, Total, 2007 (%)	65.20
Trade	
Merchandise Exports to World, 2008 (Million USD)	23 131
Merchandise Imports from World, 2008 (Million USD)	10 072
Intra-OIC Merchandise Exports, 2008 (Million USD)	1 853
Intra-OIC Merchandise Imports, 2008 (Million USD)	2 450
Education	
Adult Literacy Rate, Female, 2007 (%)	99.22
Adult Literacy Rate, Male, 2007 (%)	99.80
Adult Literacy Rate, Total, 2007 (%)	99.50
Public Education Expenditures, 2008 (% of GDP)	1.90
Primary School Enrolment Ratio, Net, 2008 (%)	96.03
Secondary School Enrolment Ratio, Net, 2008 (%)	98.32
Health	
Total Health Expenditures, 2006 (% of GDP)	3.40
Health Expenditures per Person, 2006 (USD)	86.00
Infant Mortality Rate, 2006 (Per 1000 People)	73.00
Environment	
Carbon Dioxide Emissions, Total, 2006 (Thousand Metric Tons)	35 050
Carbon Dioxide Emissions, Per Capita, 2006 (Metric Tons)	4.13
Transportation	
Civil Aviation, Passenger-kilometers, 2004 (Millions)	1 276
Merchant Shipping, Fleets, 2007 (Thousand Dead Weight Tons)	601.96
Rail Lines, Total Route, 2006 (Kilometers)	2 122
Roads, Total Network, 2004 (Thousand Kilometers)	59.14



# Bahrain



Capital City	Manama
Other Large Cities	Ar Rifa, Al-Muharraq, Madinat Isa
Official Language	Arabic
National Currency Unit	Bahraini Dinar (BHD)
National Statistical Office	<a href="http://www.cio.gov.bh">http://www.cio.gov.bh</a>

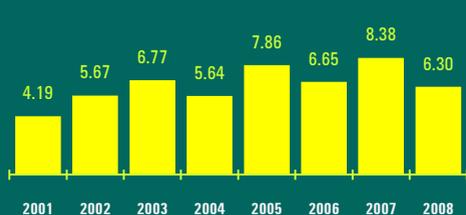
## Demographic and Social Overview

Total Land Area (Sq Km)	710
Total Population, 2008	766 926
Population Density, 2008 (Per Sq Km)	1080.18
Annual Population Growth Rate, 2008 (%)	1.88
Crude Birth Rate, 2007 (Per 1000 People)	17.13
Crude Death Rate, 2007 (Per 1000 People)	3.20
Life Expectancy at Birth, 2007	75.80

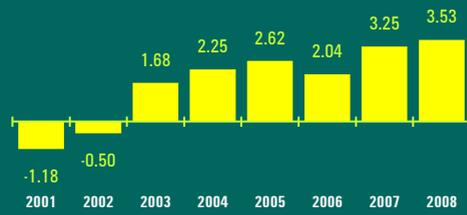
## Economic Overview

GDP, Current Market Prices, 2008 (Million USD)	21 902
GDP, Per Capita, 2008 (USD)	28 559
Total Consumption, Current Market Prices, 2008 (Million USD)	9 688
Balance of Government Budget, 2006 (% of GDP)	7.62
Total External Debt (Million USD)	..
Foreign Direct Investment, 2008 (Million USD)	1 794
Rate of Exchange, Period Average, 2008 (BHD / USD)	0.38

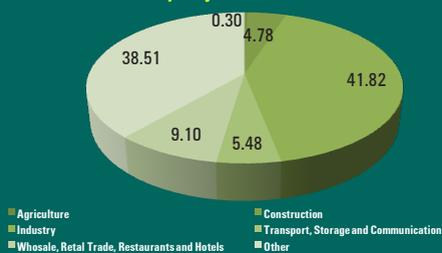
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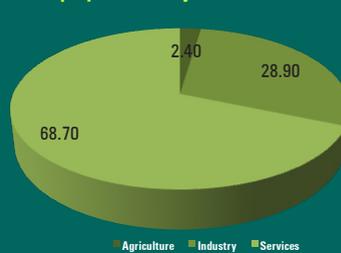
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**GDP by Major Sectors, 2008**

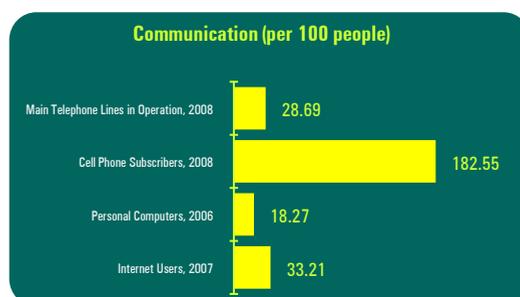


**Employment in Major Sectors, 2001**



# Bahrain

Labour Force	
Labour Force Participation Rate, Female, 2007 (%)	33.60
Labour Force Participation Rate, Male, 2007 (%)	84.40
Labour Force Participation Rate, Total, 2007 (%)	63.70
Trade	
Merchandise Exports to World, 2008 (Million USD)	27 583
Merchandise Imports from World, 2008 (Million USD)	11 322
Intra-OIC Merchandise Exports, 2008 (Million USD)	3 547
Intra-OIC Merchandise Imports, 2008 (Million USD)	4 401
Education	
Adult Literacy Rate, Female, 2007 (%)	86.43
Adult Literacy Rate, Male, 2007 (%)	90.36
Adult Literacy Rate, Total, 2007 (%)	88.76
Public Education Expenditures, 2005 (% of GDP)	3.19
Primary School Enrolment Ratio, Net, 2006 (%)	97.92
Secondary School Enrolment Ratio, Net, 2006 (%)	88.28
Health	
Total Health Expenditures, 2006 (% of GDP)	3.80
Health Expenditures per Person, 2006 (USD)	810.00
Infant Mortality Rate, 2006 (Per 1000 People)	9.00
Environment	
Carbon Dioxide Emissions, Total, 2006 (Thousand Metric Tons)	21 292
Carbon Dioxide Emissions, Per Capita, 2006 (Metric Tons)	28.82
Transportation	
Civil Aviation, Passenger-kilometers, 2004 (Millions)	5 954
Merchant Shipping, Fleets, 2007 (Thousand Dead Weight Tons)	410.08
Rail Lines, Total Route (Kilometers)	..
Roads, Total Network, 2003 (Thousand Kilometers)	3.50



# Bangladesh



Capital City	Dhaka
Other Large Cities	Chittagong, Khulna, Rajshahi
Official Language	Bangla
National Currency Unit	Taka (BDT)
National Statistical Office	<a href="http://www.bbs.gov.bd">http://www.bbs.gov.bd</a>

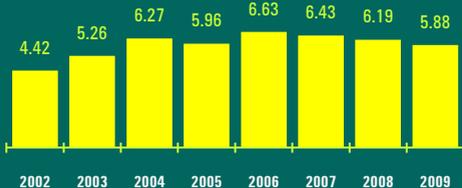
## Demographic and Social Overview

Total Land Area (Sq Km)	147 570
Total Population, 2008	144 660 000
Population Density, 2008 (Per Sq Km)	980.28
Annual Population Growth Rate, 2008 (%)	1.40
Crude Birth Rate, 2007 (Per 1000 People)	20.54
Crude Death Rate, 2007 (Per 1000 People)	6.02
Life Expectancy at Birth, 2008	66.78

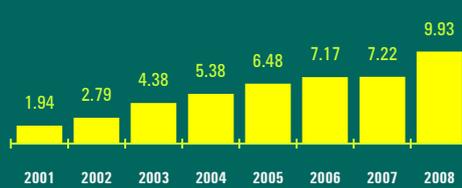
## Economic Overview

GDP, Current Market Prices, 2009 (Preliminary) (Million USD)	89 564
GDP, Per Capita, 2009 (Preliminary) (USD)	619
Total Consumption, Current Market Prices, 2009 (Preliminary) (Million USD)	71 707
Balance of Government Budget, 2008 (% of GDP)	-4.52
Total External Debt, 2007 (Million USD)	22 033
Foreign Direct Investment, 2008 (Million USD)	1 086
Rate of Exchange, Period Average, 2009 (BDT / USD)	68.80

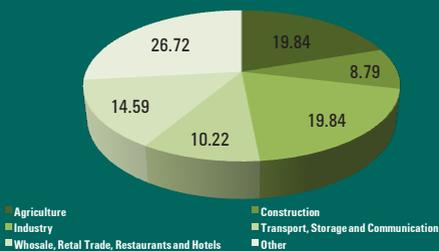
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Annual Rate of Change, Constant USD (%)



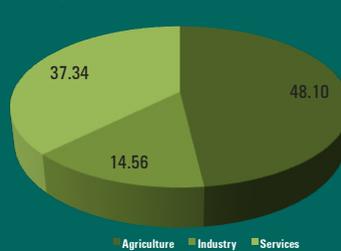
**Consumer Price Index**  
Annual Rate of Change (%)



**GDP by Major Sectors, 2008**

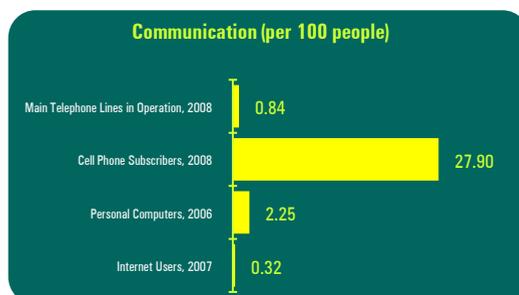


**Employment in Major Sectors, 2005**



# Bangladesh

Labour Force	
Labour Force Participation Rate, Female, 2007 (%)	29.20
Labour Force Participation Rate, Male, 2007 (%)	86.80
Labour Force Participation Rate, Total, 2007 (%)	58.50
Trade	
Merchandise Exports to World, 2008 (Million USD)	14 111
Merchandise Imports from World, 2008 (Million USD)	21 629
Intra-OIC Merchandise Exports, 2008 (Million USD)	645
Intra-OIC Merchandise Imports, 2008 (Million USD)	5 291
Education	
Adult Literacy Rate, Female, 2008 (%)	54.79
Adult Literacy Rate, Male, 2008 (%)	63.44
Adult Literacy Rate, Total, 2008 (%)	59.07
Public Education Expenditures, 2008 (% of GDP)	2.25
Primary School Enrolment Ratio, Net, 2008 (%)	90.80
Secondary School Enrolment Ratio, Net, 2008 (%)	53.77
Health	
Total Health Expenditures, 2006 (% of GDP)	3.10
Health Expenditures per Person, 2006 (USD)	13.00
Infant Mortality Rate, 2008 (Per 1000 People)	41.26
Environment	
Carbon Dioxide Emissions, Total, 2006 (Thousand Metric Tons)	41 609
Carbon Dioxide Emissions, Per Capita, 2006 (Metric Tons)	0.27
Transportation	
Civil Aviation, Passenger-kilometers, 2004 (Millions)	5 042
Merchant Shipping, Fleets, 2007 (Thousand Dead Weight Tons)	617.57
Rail Lines, Total Route, 2007 (Kilometers)	2 855
Roads, Total Network, 2003 (Thousand Kilometers)	239.23



# Benin



Capital City	Porto-Novo
Other Large Cities	Cotonou, Djougou, Abomey Calavi
Official Language	French
National Currency Unit	CFA Franc BCEAO (XOF)
National Statistical Office	<a href="http://www.insae-bj.org">http://www.insae-bj.org</a>

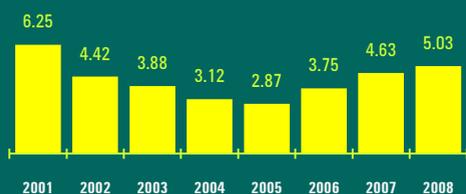
## Demographic and Social Overview

Total Land Area (Sq Km)	110 620
Total Population, 2008	8 662 086
Population Density, 2008 (Per Sq Km)	78.30
Annual Population Growth Rate, 2008 (%)	3.20
Crude Birth Rate, 2007 (Per 1000 People)	39.60
Crude Death Rate, 2007 (Per 1000 People)	9.30
Life Expectancy at Birth, 2008	61.60

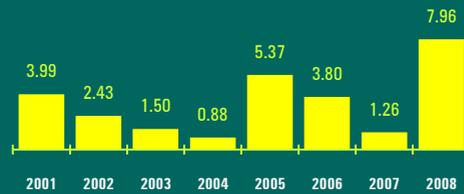
## Economic Overview

GDP, Current Market Prices, 2008 (Million USD)	6 712
GDP, Per Capita, 2008 (USD)	775
Total Consumption, Current Market Prices, 2008 (Million USD)	5 844
Balance of Government Budget, 2006 (% of GDP)	3.31
Total External Debt, 2007 (Million USD)	857
Foreign Direct Investment, 2008 (Million USD)	120
Rate of Exchange, Period Average, 2008 (XOF / USD)	447.81

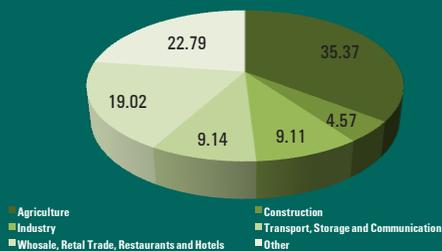
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Annual Rate of Change, Constant USD (%)



**Consumer Price Index**  
Annual Rate of Change (%)

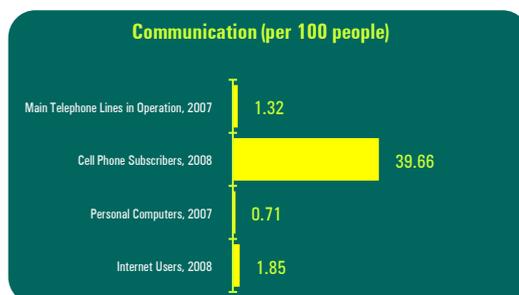


**GDP by Major Sectors, 2008**



# Benin

Labour Force	
Labour Force Participation Rate, Female, 2007 (%)	58.50
Labour Force Participation Rate, Male, 2007 (%)	85.70
Labour Force Participation Rate, Total, 2007 (%)	72.10
Trade	
Merchandise Exports to World, 2008 (Million USD)	611
Merchandise Imports from World, 2008 (Million USD)	6 634
Intra-OIC Merchandise Exports, 2008 (Million USD)	191
Intra-OIC Merchandise Imports, 2008 (Million USD)	812
Education	
Adult Literacy Rate, Female, 2007 (%)	27.93
Adult Literacy Rate, Male, 2007 (%)	53.12
Adult Literacy Rate, Total, 2007 (%)	40.54
Public Education Expenditures, 2007 (% of GDP)	3.55
Primary School Enrolment Ratio, Net, 2008 (%)	92.82
Secondary School Enrolment Ratio, Net, 2001 (%)	19.55
Health	
Total Health Expenditures, 2006 (% of GDP)	5.30
Health Expenditures per Person, 2006 (USD)	29.00
Infant Mortality Rate, 2006 (Per 1000 People)	88.00
Environment	
Carbon Dioxide Emissions, Total, 2006 (Thousand Metric Tons)	3 109
Carbon Dioxide Emissions, Per Capita, 2006 (Metric Tons)	0.38
Transportation	
Civil Aviation, Passenger-kilometers, 2001 (Millions)	130
Merchant Shipping, Fleets, 2007 (Thousand Dead Weight Tons)	0.21
Rail Lines, Total Route (Kilometers)	..
Roads, Total Network, 2004 (Thousand Kilometers)	19.00



# Brunei



Capital City	Bandar Seri Begawan
Other Large Cities	Kuala Belait, Seria, Tutong
Official Language	Malay
National Currency Unit	Bruneian Dollar (BND)
National Statistical Office	<a href="http://www.depd.gov.bn">www.depd.gov.bn</a>

## Demographic and Social Overview

Total Land Area (Sq Km)	5 270
Total Population, 2008	396 692
Population Density, 2008 (Per Sq Km)	75.27
Annual Population Growth Rate, 2008 (%)	1.91
Crude Birth Rate, 2007 (Per 1000 People)	21.53
Crude Death Rate, 2007 (Per 1000 People)	2.80
Life Expectancy at Birth, 2007	77.30

## Economic Overview

GDP, Current Market Prices, 2008 (Million USD)	14 533
GDP, Per Capita, 2008 (USD)	36 636
Total Consumption, Current Market Prices, 2008 (Million USD)	5 794
Balance of Government Budget (% of GDP)	..
Total External Debt (Million USD)	..
Foreign Direct Investment, 2008 (Million USD)	239
Rate of Exchange, Period Average, 2008 (BND / USD)	1.42

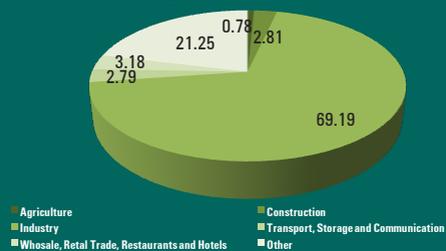
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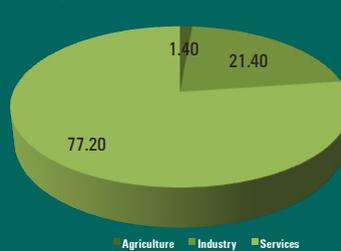
**Consumer Price Index**  
Annual Rate of Change (%)



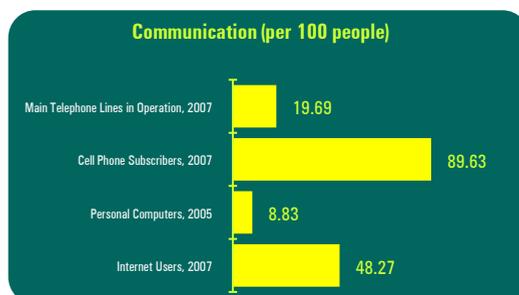
**GDP by Major Sectors, 2008**



**Employment in Major Sectors, 2001**



<b>Labour Force</b>	
Labour Force Participation Rate, Female, 2007 (%)	58.30
Labour Force Participation Rate, Male, 2007 (%)	74.80
Labour Force Participation Rate, Total, 2007 (%)	66.80
<b>Trade</b>	
Merchandise Exports to World, 2008 (Million USD)	9 487
Merchandise Imports from World, 2008 (Million USD)	2 654
Intra-OIC Merchandise Exports, 2008 (Million USD)	2 308
Intra-OIC Merchandise Imports, 2008 (Million USD)	590
<b>Education</b>	
Adult Literacy Rate, Female, 2007 (%)	93.13
Adult Literacy Rate, Male, 2007 (%)	96.47
Adult Literacy Rate, Total, 2007 (%)	94.85
Public Education Expenditures, 2000 (% of GDP)	3.70
Primary School Enrolment Ratio, Net, 2008 (%)	93.29
Secondary School Enrolment Ratio, Net, 2008 (%)	88.18
<b>Health</b>	
Total Health Expenditures, 2006 (% of GDP)	1.80
Health Expenditures per Person, 2006 (USD)	543.00
Infant Mortality Rate, 2006 (Per 1000 People)	8.00
<b>Environment</b>	
Carbon Dioxide Emissions, Total, 2006 (Thousand Metric Tons)	5 911
Carbon Dioxide Emissions, Per Capita, 2006 (Metric Tons)	15.48
<b>Transportation</b>	
Civil Aviation, Passenger-kilometers, 2004 (Millions)	3 852
Merchant Shipping, Fleets, 2007 (Thousand Dead Weight Tons)	420.68
Rail Lines, Total Route (Kilometers)	..
Roads, Total Network, 2005 (Thousand Kilometers)	3.65



# Burkina Faso



Capital City	Ouagadougou
Other Large Cities	Bobo-Dioulasso, Koudougou, Ouahigouya
Official Language	French
National Currency Unit	CFA Franc BCEAO (XOF)
National Statistical Office	<a href="http://www.insd.bf">http://www.insd.bf</a>

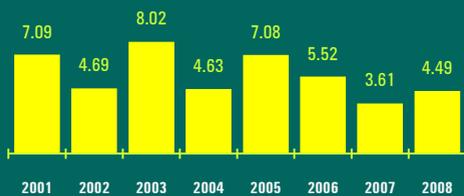
## Demographic and Social Overview

Total Land Area (Sq Km)	273 600
Total Population, 2008	15 208 586
Population Density, 2008 (Per Sq Km)	55.59
Annual Population Growth Rate, 2008 (%)	2.92
Crude Birth Rate, 2007 (Per 1000 People)	44.03
Crude Death Rate, 2007 (Per 1000 People)	14.40
Life Expectancy at Birth, 2007	52.20

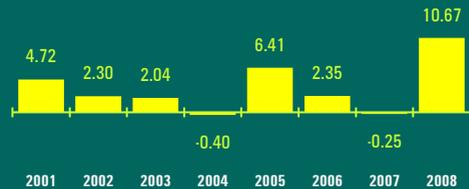
## Economic Overview

GDP, Current Market Prices, 2008 (Million USD)	7 949
GDP, Per Capita, 2008 (USD)	523
Total Consumption, Current Market Prices, 2008 (Million USD)	7 362
Balance of Government Budget, 2006 (% of GDP)	0.13
Total External Debt, 2007 (Million USD)	1 461
Foreign Direct Investment, 2008 (Million USD)	137
Rate of Exchange, Period Average, 2008 (XOF / USD)	447.81

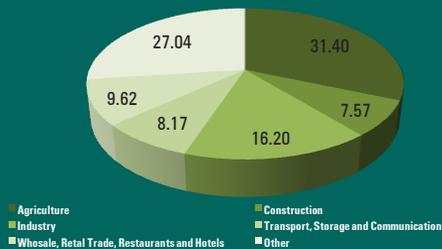
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Annual Rate of Change, Constant USD (%)



**Consumer Price Index**  
Annual Rate of Change (%)

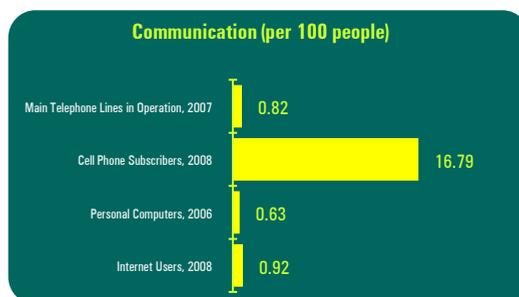


**GDP by Major Sectors, 2008**



# Burkina Faso

Labour Force	
Labour Force Participation Rate, Female, 2007 (%)	77.10
Labour Force Participation Rate, Male, 2007 (%)	89.80
Labour Force Participation Rate, Total, 2007 (%)	83.30
Trade	
Merchandise Exports to World, 2008 (Million USD)	505
Merchandise Imports from World, 2008 (Million USD)	1 753
Intra-OIC Merchandise Exports, 2008 (Million USD)	90
Intra-OIC Merchandise Imports, 2008 (Million USD)	774
Education	
Adult Literacy Rate, Female, 2007 (%)	21.58
Adult Literacy Rate, Male, 2007 (%)	36.68
Adult Literacy Rate, Total, 2007 (%)	28.73
Public Education Expenditures, 2007 (% of GDP)	3.66
Primary School Enrolment Ratio, Net, 2008 (%)	60.13
Secondary School Enrolment Ratio, Net, 2008 (%)	14.37
Health	
Total Health Expenditures, 2006 (% of GDP)	6.40
Health Expenditures per Person, 2006 (USD)	27.00
Infant Mortality Rate, 2006 (Per 1000 People)	122.00
Environment	
Carbon Dioxide Emissions, Total, 2006 (Thousand Metric Tons)	788
Carbon Dioxide Emissions, Per Capita, 2006 (Metric Tons)	0.05
Transportation	
Civil Aviation, Passenger-kilometers, 2004 (Millions)	33
Merchant Shipping, Fleets (Thousand Dead Weight Tons)	..
Rail Lines, Total Route (Kilometers)	..
Roads, Total Network, 2004 (Thousand Kilometers)	92.50



# Cameroon



Capital City	Yaoundé
Other Large Cities	Douala, Garoua, Maroua
Official Language	English, French
National Currency Unit	CFA Franc BEAC (XAF)
National Statistical Office	<a href="http://www.statistics-cameroon.org">http://www.statistics-cameroon.org</a>

## Demographic and Social Overview

Total Land Area (Sq Km)	465 400
Total Population, 2008	18 897 957
Population Density, 2008 (Per Sq Km)	40.61
Annual Population Growth Rate, 2008 (%)	1.97
Crude Birth Rate, 2007 (Per 1000 People)	34.53
Crude Death Rate, 2007 (Per 1000 People)	14.40
Life Expectancy at Birth, 2007	50.40

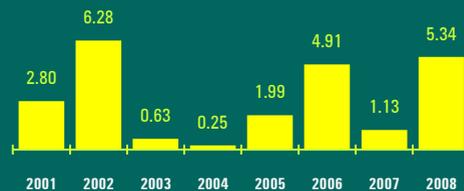
## Economic Overview

GDP, Current Market Prices, 2008 (Million USD)	23 732
GDP, Per Capita, 2008 (USD)	1 256
Total Consumption, Current Market Prices, 2008 (Million USD)	18 863
Balance of Government Budget, 1999 (% of GDP)	2.06
Total External Debt, 2007 (Million USD)	3 162
Foreign Direct Investment, 2008 (Million USD)	260
Rate of Exchange, Period Average, 2008 (XAF / USD)	447.81

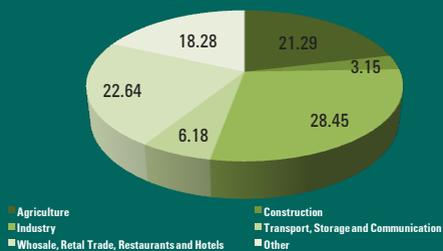
**Real GDP Growth Rate**  
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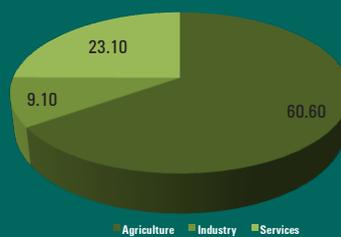
**Consumer Price Index**  
Annual Rate of Change (%)



**GDP by Major Sectors, 2008**

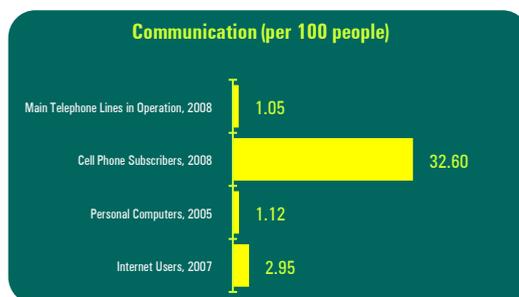


**Employment in Major Sectors, 2001**



# Cameroon

Labour Force	
Labour Force Participation Rate, Female, 2007 (%)	52.40
Labour Force Participation Rate, Male, 2007 (%)	75.40
Labour Force Participation Rate, Total, 2007 (%)	63.80
Trade	
Merchandise Exports to World, 2008 (Million USD)	5 832
Merchandise Imports from World, 2008 (Million USD)	4 289
Intra-OIC Merchandise Exports, 2008 (Million USD)	505
Intra-OIC Merchandise Imports, 2008 (Million USD)	1 090
Education	
Adult Literacy Rate, Female, 2001 (%)	59.80
Adult Literacy Rate, Male, 2001 (%)	77.00
Adult Literacy Rate, Total, 2001 (%)	67.90
Public Education Expenditures, 2007 (% of GDP)	3.86
Primary School Enrolment Ratio, Net (%)	..
Secondary School Enrolment Ratio, Net (%)	..
Health	
Total Health Expenditures, 2006 (% of GDP)	5.20
Health Expenditures per Person, 2006 (USD)	51.00
Infant Mortality Rate, 2006 (Per 1000 People)	87.00
Environment	
Carbon Dioxide Emissions, Total, 2006 (Thousand Metric Tons)	3 645
Carbon Dioxide Emissions, Per Capita, 2006 (Metric Tons)	0.20
Transportation	
Civil Aviation, Passenger-kilometers, 2004 (Millions)	720
Merchant Shipping, Fleets, 2007 (Thousand Dead Weight Tons)	78.59
Rail Lines, Total Route, 2007 (Kilometers)	974
Roads, Total Network, 2004 (Thousand Kilometers)	51.35



# Chad



Capital City	N'Djamena
Other Large Cities	Moundou, Sarh, Abéché
Official Language	Arabic, French
National Currency Unit	CFA Franc BEAC (XAF)
National Statistical Office	<a href="http://www.inseed-tchad.org">http://www.inseed-tchad.org</a>

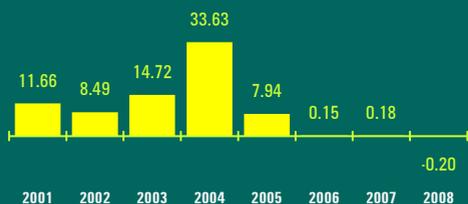
## Demographic and Social Overview

Total Land Area (Sq Km)	1 259 200
Total Population, 2008	11 067 437
Population Density, 2008 (Per Sq Km)	8.79
Annual Population Growth Rate, 2008 (%)	2.82
Crude Birth Rate, 2007 (Per 1000 People)	45.47
Crude Death Rate, 2007 (Per 1000 People)	15.40
Life Expectancy at Birth, 2007	50.60

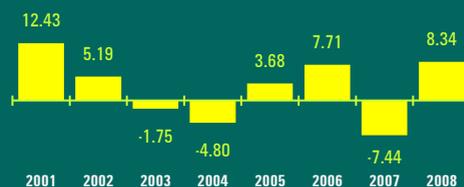
## Economic Overview

GDP, Current Market Prices, 2008 (Million USD)	8 400
GDP, Per Capita, 2008 (USD)	759
Total Consumption, Current Market Prices, 2008 (Million USD)	4 202
Balance of Government Budget (% of GDP)	..
Total External Debt, 2007 (Million USD)	1 797
Foreign Direct Investment, 2008 (Million USD)	834
Rate of Exchange, Period Average, 2008 (XAF / USD)	447.81

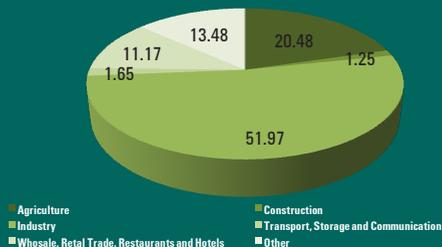
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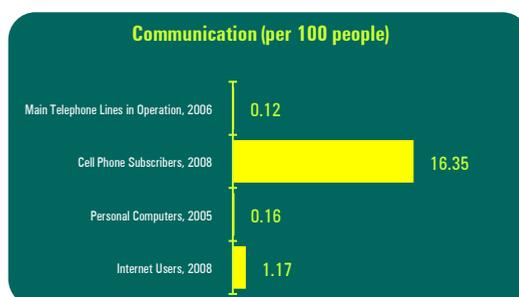
**Consumer Price Index**  
Annual Rate of Change (%)



**GDP by Major Sectors, 2008**



Labour Force	
Labour Force Participation Rate, Female, 2007 (%)	71.00
Labour Force Participation Rate, Male, 2007 (%)	77.30
Labour Force Participation Rate, Total, 2007 (%)	74.10
Trade	
Merchandise Exports to World, 2008 (Million USD)	3 480
Merchandise Imports from World, 2008 (Million USD)	814
Intra-OIC Merchandise Exports, 2008 (Million USD)	12
Intra-OIC Merchandise Imports, 2008 (Million USD)	258
Education	
Adult Literacy Rate, Female, 2007 (%)	20.84
Adult Literacy Rate, Male, 2007 (%)	43.80
Adult Literacy Rate, Total, 2007 (%)	31.76
Public Education Expenditures, 2005 (% of GDP)	1.92
Primary School Enrolment Ratio, Net, 2003 (%)	60.97
Secondary School Enrolment Ratio, Net, 2003 (%)	10.48
Health	
Total Health Expenditures, 2006 (% of GDP)	3.60
Health Expenditures per Person, 2006 (USD)	22.00
Infant Mortality Rate, 2006 (Per 1000 People)	124.00
Environment	
Carbon Dioxide Emissions, Total, 2006 (Thousand Metric Tons)	396
Carbon Dioxide Emissions, Per Capita, 2006 (Metric Tons)	0.04
Transportation	
Civil Aviation, Passenger-kilometers, 2001 (Millions)	130
Merchant Shipping, Fleets (Thousand Dead Weight Tons)	..
Rail Lines, Total Route (Kilometers)	..
Roads, Total Network, 2006 (Thousand Kilometers)	40.00



# Comoros



Capital City	Moroni
Other Large Cities	Moutsamoudou, Domoni, Fomboni
Official Language	Arabic, French
National Currency Unit	Comoran Francs (KMF)
National Statistical Office	Direction Nationale de la Statistique

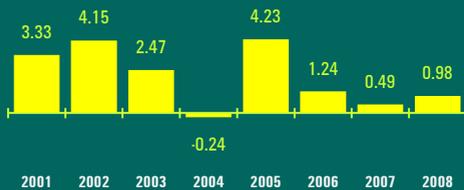
## Demographic and Social Overview

Total Land Area (Sq Km)	1 861
Total Population, 2008	643 571
Population Density, 2008 (Per Sq Km)	345.82
Annual Population Growth Rate, 2008 (%)	2.41
Crude Birth Rate, 2007 (Per 1000 People)	33.33
Crude Death Rate, 2007 (Per 1000 People)	6.50
Life Expectancy at Birth, 2007	65.10

## Economic Overview

GDP, Current Market Prices, 2008 (Million USD)	530
GDP, Per Capita, 2008 (USD)	824
Total Consumption, Current Market Prices, 2008 (Million USD)	627
Balance of Government Budget (% of GDP)	..
Total External Debt, 2007 (Million USD)	291
Foreign Direct Investment, 2008 (Million USD)	8
Rate of Exchange, Period Average, 2008 (KMF / USD)	335.85

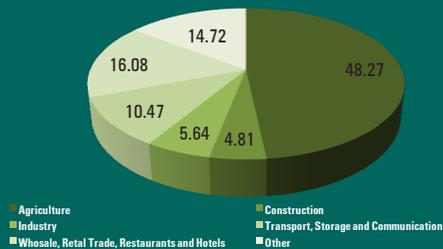
**Real GDP Growth Rate**  
Annual Rate of Change, Constant USD (%)



**Consumer Price Index**  
Annual Rate of Change (%)

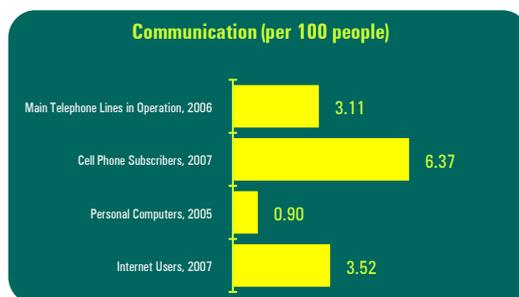


**GDP by Major Sectors, 2008**

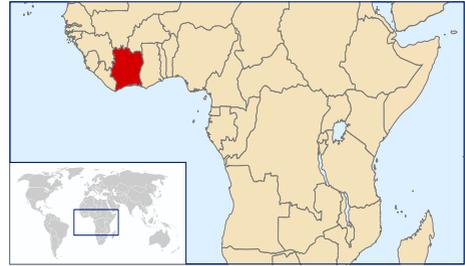


# Comoros

Labour Force	
Labour Force Participation Rate, Female, 2007 (%)	63.20
Labour Force Participation Rate, Male, 2007 (%)	83.00
Labour Force Participation Rate, Total, 2007 (%)	73.10
Trade	
Merchandise Exports to World, 2008 (Million USD)	32
Merchandise Imports from World, 2008 (Million USD)	243
Intra-OIC Merchandise Exports, 2008 (Million USD)	7
Intra-OIC Merchandise Imports, 2008 (Million USD)	50
Education	
Adult Literacy Rate, Female, 2007 (%)	69.83
Adult Literacy Rate, Male, 2007 (%)	80.34
Adult Literacy Rate, Total, 2007 (%)	75.06
Public Education Expenditures, 2002 (% of GDP)	3.81
Primary School Enrolment Ratio, Net, 2000 (%)	72.91
Secondary School Enrolment Ratio, Net (%)	..
Health	
Total Health Expenditures, 2006 (% of GDP)	3.20
Health Expenditures per Person, 2006 (USD)	16.00
Infant Mortality Rate, 2006 (Per 1000 People)	51.00
Environment	
Carbon Dioxide Emissions, Total, 2006 (Thousand Metric Tons)	88
Carbon Dioxide Emissions, Per Capita, 2006 (Metric Tons)	0.14
Transportation	
Civil Aviation, Passenger-kilometers, 1996 (Millions)	3
Merchant Shipping, Fleets, 2007 (Thousand Dead Weight Tons)	1 010.07
Rail Lines, Total Route (Kilometers)	..
Roads, Total Network, 2001 (Thousand Kilometers)	0.88



# Côte d'Ivoire



Capital City	Yamoussoukro
Other Large Cities	Abidjan, Bouake, Daloa
Official Language	French
National Currency Unit	CFA Franc BCEAO (XOF)
National Statistical Office	<a href="http://www.ins.ci">http://www.ins.ci</a>

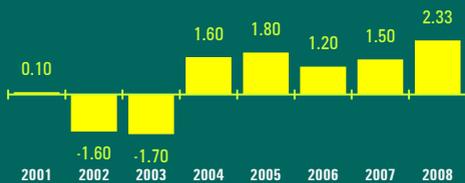
## Demographic and Social Overview

Total Land Area (Sq Km)	318 000
Total Population, 2008	20 591 302
Population Density, 2008 (Per Sq Km)	64.75
Annual Population Growth Rate, 2008 (%)	2.33
Crude Birth Rate, 2007 (Per 1000 People)	35.13
Crude Death Rate, 2007 (Per 1000 People)	10.90
Life Expectancy at Birth, 2008	57.80

## Economic Overview

GDP, Current Market Prices, 2008 (Million USD)	23 508
GDP, Per Capita, 2008 (USD)	1 142
Total Consumption, Current Market Prices, 2008 (Million USD)	18 999
Balance of Government Budget, 2007 (% of GDP)	-1.39
Total External Debt, 2007 (Million USD)	13 938
Foreign Direct Investment, 2008 (Million USD)	353
Rate of Exchange, Period Average, 2008 (XOF / USD)	447.81

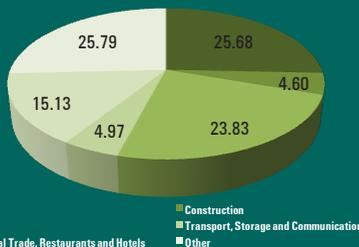
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Annual Rate of Change, Constant USD (%)



**Consumer Price Index**  
Annual Rate of Change (%)

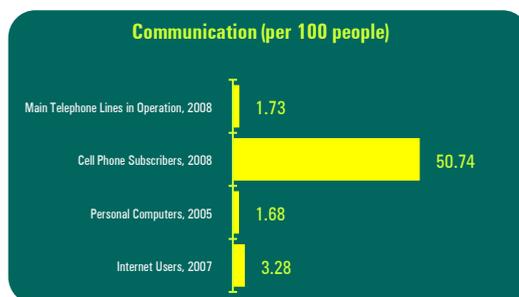


**GDP by Major Sectors, 2008**



# Côte d'Ivoire

Labour Force	
Labour Force Participation Rate, Female, 2007 (%)	39.20
Labour Force Participation Rate, Male, 2007 (%)	84.70
Labour Force Participation Rate, Total, 2007 (%)	62.50
Trade	
Merchandise Exports to World, 2008 (Million USD)	10 227
Merchandise Imports from World, 2008 (Million USD)	7 971
Intra-OIC Merchandise Exports, 2008 (Million USD)	3 037
Intra-OIC Merchandise Imports, 2008 (Million USD)	3 140
Education	
Adult Literacy Rate, Female, 2000 (%)	38.62
Adult Literacy Rate, Male, 2000 (%)	60.84
Adult Literacy Rate, Total, 2000 (%)	48.73
Public Education Expenditures, 2001 (% of GDP)	4.64
Primary School Enrolment Ratio, Net, 2003 (%)	56.04
Secondary School Enrolment Ratio, Net, 2002 (%)	21.16
Health	
Total Health Expenditures, 2006 (% of GDP)	3.80
Health Expenditures per Person, 2006 (USD)	35.00
Infant Mortality Rate, 2006 (Per 1000 People)	90.00
Environment	
Carbon Dioxide Emissions, Total, 2006 (Thousand Metric Tons)	6 882
Carbon Dioxide Emissions, Per Capita, 2006 (Metric Tons)	0.35
Transportation	
Civil Aviation, Passenger-kilometers, 2001 (Millions)	130
Merchant Shipping, Fleets, 2007 (Thousand Dead Weight Tons)	5.14
Rail Lines, Total Route, 2007 (Kilometers)	639
Roads, Total Network, 2004 (Thousand Kilometers)	80.00



# Djibouti



Capital City	Djibouti
Other Large Cities	Ali Sabih, Tadjoura, Dikhil
Official Language	Arabic, French
National Currency Unit	Djiboutian Franc (DJF)
National Statistical Office	<a href="http://www.ministere-finances.dj">http://www.ministere-finances.dj</a>

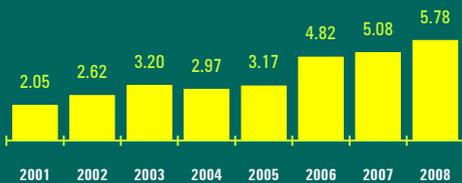
## Demographic and Social Overview

Total Land Area (Sq Km)	23 180
Total Population, 2008	847 732
Population Density, 2008 (Per Sq Km)	36.57
Annual Population Growth Rate, 2008 (%)	1.77
Crude Birth Rate, 2007 (Per 1000 People)	28.68
Crude Death Rate, 2007 (Per 1000 People)	11.30
Life Expectancy at Birth, 2007	54.80

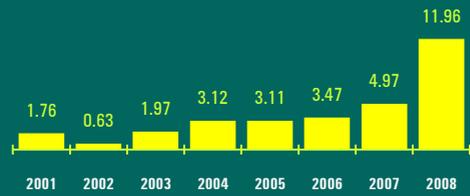
## Economic Overview

GDP, Current Market Prices, 2008 (Million USD)	982
GDP, Per Capita, 2008 (USD)	1 158
Total Consumption, Current Market Prices, 2008 (Million USD)	969
Balance of Government Budget (% of GDP)	..
Total External Debt, 2007 (Million USD)	472
Foreign Direct Investment, 2008 (Million USD)	234
Rate of Exchange, Period Average, 2008 (DJF / USD)	177.72

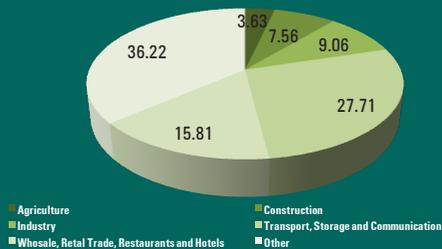
**Real GDP Growth Rate**  
Annual Rate of Change, Constant USD (%)



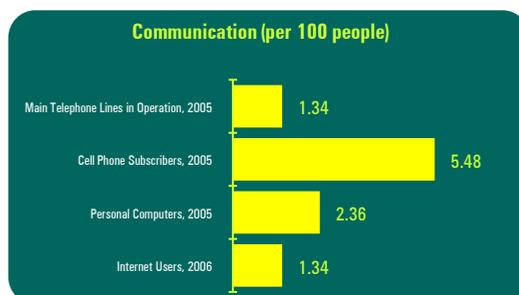
**Consumer Price Index**  
Annual Rate of Change (%)



**GDP by Major Sectors, 2008**



Labour Force	
Labour Force Participation Rate, Female, 2007 (%)	57.80
Labour Force Participation Rate, Male, 2007 (%)	77.00
Labour Force Participation Rate, Total, 2007 (%)	67.30
Trade	
Merchandise Exports to World, 2008 (Million USD)	494
Merchandise Imports from World, 2008 (Million USD)	2 385
Intra-OIC Merchandise Exports, 2008 (Million USD)	358
Intra-OIC Merchandise Imports, 2008 (Million USD)	859
Education	
Adult Literacy Rate, Female (%)	..
Adult Literacy Rate, Male (%)	..
Adult Literacy Rate, Total (%)	..
Public Education Expenditures, 2007 (% of GDP)	8.72
Primary School Enrolment Ratio, Net, 2008 (%)	45.28
Secondary School Enrolment Ratio, Net, 2008 (%)	24.40
Health	
Total Health Expenditures, 2006 (% of GDP)	6.70
Health Expenditures per Person, 2006 (USD)	62.00
Infant Mortality Rate, 2006 (Per 1000 People)	86.00
Environment	
Carbon Dioxide Emissions, Total, 2006 (Thousand Metric Tons)	488
Carbon Dioxide Emissions, Per Capita, 2006 (Metric Tons)	0.60
Transportation	
Civil Aviation, Passenger-kilometers (Millions)	..
Merchant Shipping, Fleets, 2007 (Thousand Dead Weight Tons)	3.72
Rail Lines, Total Route (Kilometers)	..
Roads, Total Network, 2001 (Thousand Kilometers)	3.07



# Egypt



Capital City	Cairo
Other Large Cities	Alexandria, Al-Jizah, Port Said
Official Language	Arabic
National Currency Unit	Egyptian Pound (EGP)
National Statistical Office	<a href="http://www.capmas.gov.eg">http://www.capmas.gov.eg</a>

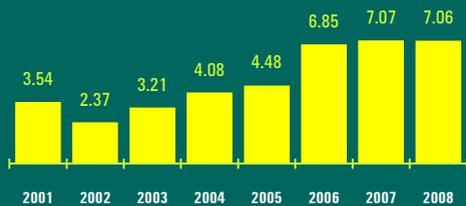
## Demographic and Social Overview

Total Land Area (Sq Km)	995 450
Total Population, 2008	81 527 172
Population Density, 2008 (Per Sq Km)	81.90
Annual Population Growth Rate, 2008 (%)	1.83
Crude Birth Rate, 2007 (Per 1000 People)	24.83
Crude Death Rate, 2007 (Per 1000 People)	5.90
Life Expectancy at Birth, 2008	70.20

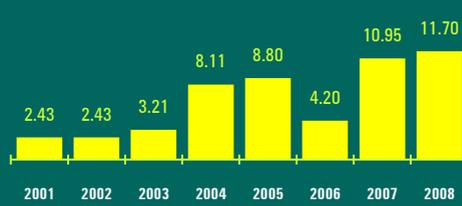
## Economic Overview

GDP, Current Market Prices, 2008 (Million USD)	165 546
GDP, Per Capita, 2008 (USD)	2 031
Total Consumption, Current Market Prices, 2008 (Million USD)	145 677
Balance of Government Budget, 2007 (% of GDP)	-2.13
Total External Debt, 2007 (Million USD)	30 444
Foreign Direct Investment, 2008 (Million USD)	9 495
Rate of Exchange, Period Average, 2008 (EGP / USD)	5.43

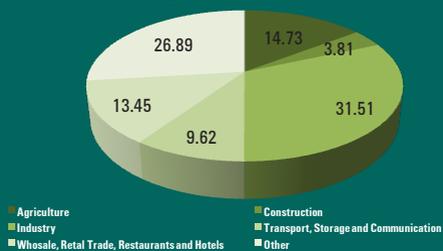
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**Consumer Price Index**  
Annual Rate of Change (%)



**GDP by Major Sectors, 2008**

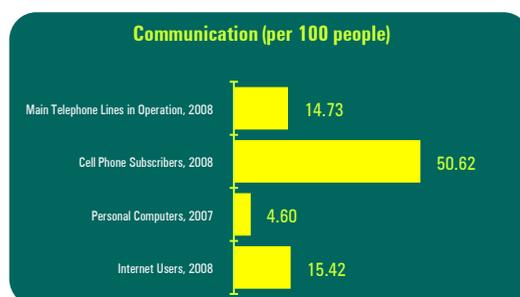


**Employment in Major Sectors, 2006**



# Egypt

Labour Force	
Labour Force Participation Rate, Female, 2007 (%)	23.80
Labour Force Participation Rate, Male, 2007 (%)	71.20
Labour Force Participation Rate, Total, 2007 (%)	47.30
Trade	
Merchandise Exports to World, 2008 (Million USD)	29 320
Merchandise Imports from World, 2008 (Million USD)	62 865
Intra-OIC Merchandise Exports, 2008 (Million USD)	7 940
Intra-OIC Merchandise Imports, 2008 (Million USD)	9 687
Education	
Adult Literacy Rate, Female, 2007 (%)	60.70
Adult Literacy Rate, Male, 2007 (%)	83.57
Adult Literacy Rate, Total, 2007 (%)	72.04
Public Education Expenditures, 2007 (% of GDP)	3.68
Primary School Enrolment Ratio, Net, 2007 (%)	93.62
Secondary School Enrolment Ratio, Net, 2002 (%)	71.24
Health	
Total Health Expenditures, 2006 (% of GDP)	6.30
Health Expenditures per Person, 2006 (USD)	93.00
Infant Mortality Rate, 2006 (Per 1000 People)	29.00
Environment	
Carbon Dioxide Emissions, Total, 2006 (Thousand Metric Tons)	166 800
Carbon Dioxide Emissions, Per Capita, 2006 (Metric Tons)	2.12
Transportation	
Civil Aviation, Passenger-kilometers, 2004 (Millions)	8 918
Merchant Shipping, Fleets, 2007 (Thousand Dead Weight Tons)	1 646.38
Rail Lines, Total Route, 2007 (Kilometers)	5 195
Roads, Total Network, 2004 (Thousand Kilometers)	92.37



# Gabon



Capital City	Libreville
Other Large Cities	Port Gentil, Franceville, Lambaréné
Official Language	French
National Currency Unit	CFA Franc BEAC (XAF)
National Statistical Office	<a href="http://www.stat-gabon.ga">http://www.stat-gabon.ga</a>

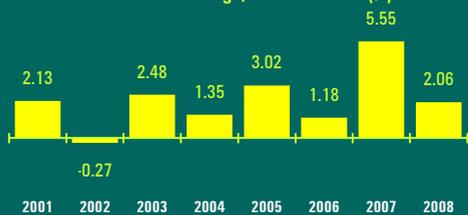
## Demographic and Social Overview

Total Land Area (Sq Km)	257 670
Total Population, 2008	1 448 159
Population Density, 2008 (Per Sq Km)	5.62
Annual Population Growth Rate, 2008 (%)	1.85
Crude Birth Rate, 2007 (Per 1000 People)	27.48
Crude Death Rate, 2007 (Per 1000 People)	9.80
Life Expectancy at Birth, 2008	60.70

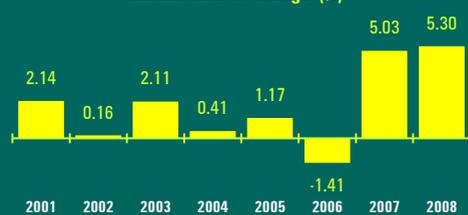
## Economic Overview

GDP, Current Market Prices, 2008 (Million USD)	14 535
GDP, Per Capita, 2008 (USD)	10 037
Total Consumption, Current Market Prices, 2008 (Million USD)	6 010
Balance of Government Budget (% of GDP)	..
Total External Debt, 2007 (Million USD)	5 746
Foreign Direct Investment, 2008 (Million USD)	20
Rate of Exchange, Period Average, 2008 (XAF / USD)	447.81

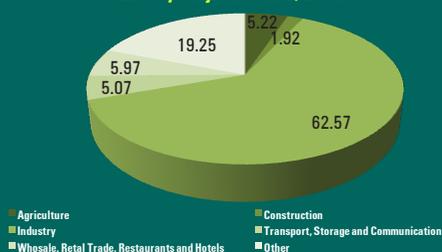
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Annual Rate of Change, Constant USD (%)



**Consumer Price Index**  
Annual Rate of Change (%)



**GDP by Major Sectors, 2008**



Labour Force	
Labour Force Participation Rate, Female, 2007 (%)	62.10
Labour Force Participation Rate, Male, 2007 (%)	79.80
Labour Force Participation Rate, Total, 2007 (%)	70.90
Trade	
Merchandise Exports to World, 2008 (Million USD)	8 490
Merchandise Imports from World, 2008 (Million USD)	2 814
Intra-OIC Merchandise Exports, 2008 (Million USD)	687
Intra-OIC Merchandise Imports, 2008 (Million USD)	279
Education	
Adult Literacy Rate, Female, 2007 (%)	82.18
Adult Literacy Rate, Male, 2007 (%)	90.19
Adult Literacy Rate, Total, 2007 (%)	86.17
Public Education Expenditures, 2000 (% of GDP)	3.83
Primary School Enrolment Ratio, Net, 2001 (%)	80.27
Secondary School Enrolment Ratio, Net (%)	..
Health	
Total Health Expenditures, 2006 (% of GDP)	3.70
Health Expenditures per Person, 2006 (USD)	267.00
Infant Mortality Rate, 2006 (Per 1000 People)	60.00
Environment	
Carbon Dioxide Emissions, Total, 2006 (Thousand Metric Tons)	2 057
Carbon Dioxide Emissions, Per Capita, 2006 (Metric Tons)	1.47
Transportation	
Civil Aviation, Passenger-kilometers, 2004 (Millions)	750
Merchant Shipping, Fleets, 2007 (Thousand Dead Weight Tons)	7.93
Rail Lines, Total Route, 2007 (Kilometers)	810
Roads, Total Network, 2004 (Thousand Kilometers)	9.17



# Gambia



Capital City	Banjul
Other Large Cities	Serekunda, Brikama
Official Language	English
National Currency Unit	Dalasi (GMD)
National Statistical Office	<a href="http://www.gambia.gm/Statistics/index.htm">http://www.gambia.gm/Statistics/index.htm</a>

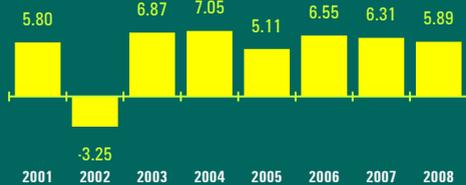
## Demographic and Social Overview

Total Land Area (Sq Km)	10 000
Total Population, 2008	1 660 200
Population Density, 2008 (Per Sq Km)	166.02
Annual Population Growth Rate, 2008 (%)	2.77
Crude Birth Rate, 2007 (Per 1000 People)	36.99
Crude Death Rate, 2007 (Per 1000 People)	11.40
Life Expectancy at Birth, 2008	56.10

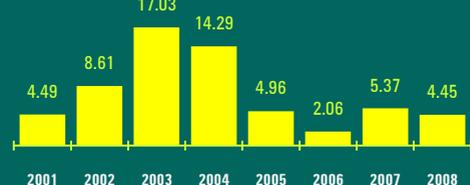
## Economic Overview

GDP, Current Market Prices, 2008 (Million USD)	1 057
GDP, Per Capita, 2008 (USD)	636
Total Consumption, Current Market Prices, 2008 (Million USD)	1 000
Balance of Government Budget (% of GDP)	..
Total External Debt, 2007 (Million USD)	733
Foreign Direct Investment, 2008 (Million USD)	63
Rate of Exchange, Period Average, 2008 (GMD / USD)	22.19

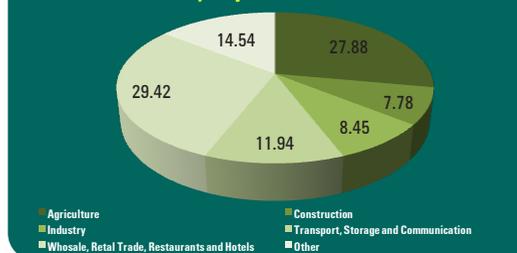
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Annual Rate of Change, Constant USD (%)



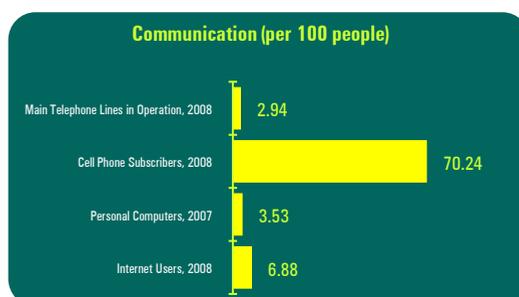
**Consumer Price Index**  
Annual Rate of Change (%)



**GDP by Major Sectors, 2008**



Labour Force	
Labour Force Participation Rate, Female, 2007 (%)	70.10
Labour Force Participation Rate, Male, 2007 (%)	83.80
Labour Force Participation Rate, Total, 2007 (%)	76.90
Trade	
Merchandise Exports to World, 2008 (Million USD)	62
Merchandise Imports from World, 2008 (Million USD)	968
Intra-OIC Merchandise Exports, 2008 (Million USD)	3
Intra-OIC Merchandise Imports, 2008 (Million USD)	355
Education	
Adult Literacy Rate, Female (%)	..
Adult Literacy Rate, Male (%)	..
Adult Literacy Rate, Total (%)	..
Public Education Expenditures, 2004 (% of GDP)	2.02
Primary School Enrolment Ratio, Net, 2008 (%)	68.74
Secondary School Enrolment Ratio, Net, 2008 (%)	42.12
Health	
Total Health Expenditures, 2006 (% of GDP)	4.30
Health Expenditures per Person, 2006 (USD)	13.00
Infant Mortality Rate, 2006 (Per 1000 People)	84.00
Environment	
Carbon Dioxide Emissions, Total, 2006 (Thousand Metric Tons)	334
Carbon Dioxide Emissions, Per Capita, 2006 (Metric Tons)	0.21
Transportation	
Civil Aviation, Passenger-kilometers (Millions)	..
Merchant Shipping, Fleets, 2007 (Thousand Dead Weight Tons)	11.71
Rail Lines, Total Route (Kilometers)	..
Roads, Total Network, 2004 (Thousand Kilometers)	3.74



# Guinea



Capital City	Conakry
Other Large Cities	Kindia, Labé, Kankan, N'zérékoré
Official Language	French
National Currency Unit	Guinean Franc (GNF)
National Statistical Office	<a href="http://www.stat-guinee.org">http://www.stat-guinee.org</a>

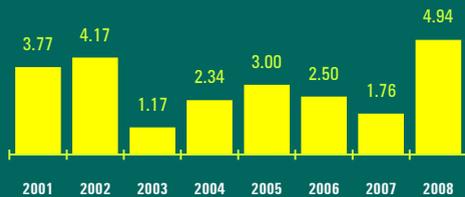
## Demographic and Social Overview

Total Land Area (Sq Km)	245 720
Total Population, 2008	9 833 055
Population Density, 2008 (Per Sq Km)	40.02
Annual Population Growth Rate, 2008 (%)	2.27
Crude Birth Rate, 2007 (Per 1000 People)	39.88
Crude Death Rate, 2007 (Per 1000 People)	11.20
Life Expectancy at Birth, 2008	58.10

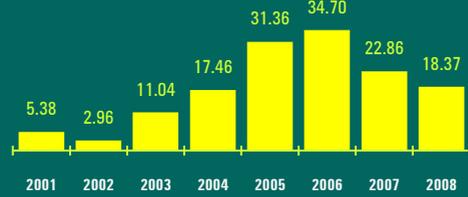
## Economic Overview

GDP, Current Market Prices, 2008 (Million USD)	4 970
GDP, Per Capita, 2008 (USD)	505
Total Consumption, Current Market Prices, 2008 (Million USD)	4 885
Balance of Government Budget, 1999 (% of GDP)	-1.43
Total External Debt, 2007 (Million USD)	3 268
Foreign Direct Investment, 2008 (Million USD)	1 350
Rate of Exchange, Period Average, 2008 (GNF / USD)	5 500.00

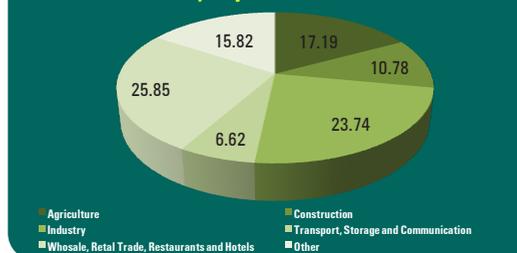
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Annual Rate of Change, Constant USD (%)



**Consumer Price Index**  
Annual Rate of Change (%)

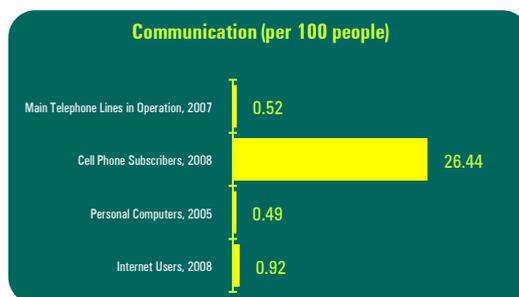


**GDP by Major Sectors, 2008**



# Guinea

Labour Force	
Labour Force Participation Rate, Female, 2007 (%)	79.40
Labour Force Participation Rate, Male, 2007 (%)	88.90
Labour Force Participation Rate, Total, 2007 (%)	84.10
Trade	
Merchandise Exports to World, 2008 (Million USD)	1 896
Merchandise Imports from World, 2008 (Million USD)	3 806
Intra-OIC Merchandise Exports, 2008 (Million USD)	60
Intra-OIC Merchandise Imports, 2008 (Million USD)	387
Education	
Adult Literacy Rate, Female, 2003 (%)	18.11
Adult Literacy Rate, Male, 2003 (%)	42.56
Adult Literacy Rate, Total, 2003 (%)	29.48
Public Education Expenditures, 2008 (% of GDP)	1.70
Primary School Enrolment Ratio, Net, 2008 (%)	71.34
Secondary School Enrolment Ratio, Net, 2008 (%)	27.70
Health	
Total Health Expenditures, 2006 (% of GDP)	5.70
Health Expenditures per Person, 2006 (USD)	20.00
Infant Mortality Rate, 2006 (Per 1000 People)	98.00
Environment	
Carbon Dioxide Emissions, Total, 2006 (Thousand Metric Tons)	1 360
Carbon Dioxide Emissions, Per Capita, 2006 (Metric Tons)	0.14
Transportation	
Civil Aviation, Passenger-kilometers, 1999 (Millions)	94
Merchant Shipping, Fleets, 2007 (Thousand Dead Weight Tons)	9.00
Rail Lines, Total Route (Kilometers)	..
Roads, Total Network, 2003 (Thousand Kilometers)	44.35



# Guinea-Bissau



Capital City	Bissau
Other Large Cities	Bafata, Gabu , Farim
Official Language	Portuguese
National Currency Unit	CFA Franc BCEAO (XOF)
National Statistical Office	<a href="http://www.stat-guineebissau.com">http://www.stat-guineebissau.com</a>

## Demographic and Social Overview

Total Land Area (Sq Km)	28 120
Total Population, 2008	1 575 446
Population Density, 2008 (Per Sq Km)	56.03
Annual Population Growth Rate, 2008 (%)	2.23
Crude Birth Rate, 2007 (Per 1000 People)	41.36
Crude Death Rate, 2007 (Per 1000 People)	17.40
Life Expectancy at Birth, 2008	48.00

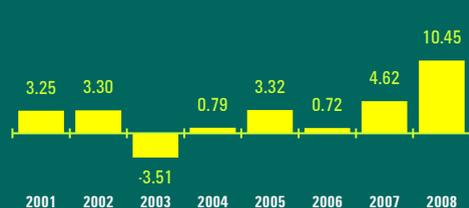
## Economic Overview

GDP, Current Market Prices, 2008 (Million USD)	461
GDP, Per Capita, 2008 (USD)	293
Total Consumption, Current Market Prices, 2008 (Million USD)	447
Balance of Government Budget (% of GDP)	..
Total External Debt, 2007 (Million USD)	744
Foreign Direct Investment, 2008 (Million USD)	15
Rate of Exchange, Period Average, 2008 (XOF / USD)	447.81

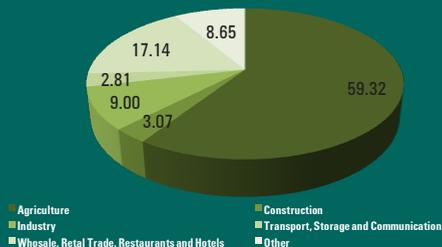
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Annual Rate of Change, Constant USD (%)



**Consumer Price Index**  
Annual Rate of Change (%)

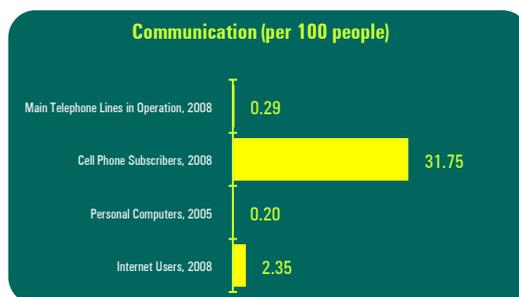


**GDP by Major Sectors, 2008**



# Guinea-Bissau

Labour Force	
Labour Force Participation Rate, Female, 2007 (%)	53.60
Labour Force Participation Rate, Male, 2007 (%)	89.90
Labour Force Participation Rate, Total, 2007 (%)	71.40
Trade	
Merchandise Exports to World, 2008 (Million USD)	191
Merchandise Imports from World, 2008 (Million USD)	267
Intra-OIC Merchandise Exports, 2008 (Million USD)	43
Intra-OIC Merchandise Imports, 2008 (Million USD)	80
Education	
Adult Literacy Rate, Female, 2007 (%)	54.45
Adult Literacy Rate, Male, 2007 (%)	75.13
Adult Literacy Rate, Total, 2007 (%)	64.55
Public Education Expenditures, 1999 (% of GDP)	5.25
Primary School Enrolment Ratio, Net, 2001 (%)	52.24
Secondary School Enrolment Ratio, Net, 2001 (%)	9.79
Health	
Total Health Expenditures, 2006 (% of GDP)	6.20
Health Expenditures per Person, 2006 (USD)	13.00
Infant Mortality Rate, 2006 (Per 1000 People)	119.00
Environment	
Carbon Dioxide Emissions, Total, 2006 (Thousand Metric Tons)	279
Carbon Dioxide Emissions, Per Capita, 2006 (Metric Tons)	0.19
Transportation	
Civil Aviation, Passenger-kilometers (Millions)	..
Merchant Shipping, Fleets, 2007 (Thousand Dead Weight Tons)	2.17
Rail Lines, Total Route (Kilometers)	..
Roads, Total Network, 2002 (Thousand Kilometers)	3.46



# Guyana



Capital City	Georgetown
Other Large Cities	Bartica, Linden, New Amsterdam
Official Language	English
National Currency Unit	Guyanese Dollar (GYD)
National Statistical Office	<a href="http://www.statisticsguyana.gov.gy">http://www.statisticsguyana.gov.gy</a>

## Demographic and Social Overview

Total Land Area (Sq Km)	196 850
Total Population, 2008	763 437
Population Density, 2008 (Per Sq Km)	3.88
Annual Population Growth Rate, 2008 (%)	-0.09
Crude Birth Rate, 2007 (Per 1000 People)	18.04
Crude Death Rate, 2007 (Per 1000 People)	8.20
Life Expectancy at Birth, 2008	67.30

## Economic Overview

GDP, Current Market Prices, 2008 (Million USD)	1 178
GDP, Per Capita, 2008 (USD)	1 543
Total Consumption, Current Market Prices, 2008 (Million USD)	1 246
Balance of Government Budget (% of GDP)	..
Total External Debt, 2007 (Million USD)	734
Foreign Direct Investment, 2008 (Million USD)	178
Rate of Exchange, Period Average, 2008 (GYD / USD)	203.63

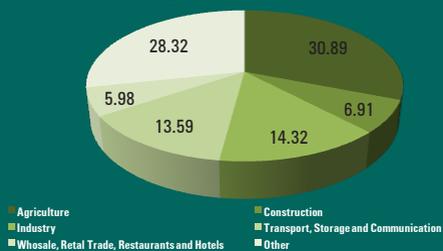
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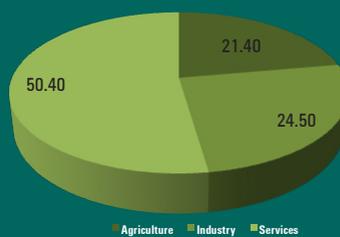
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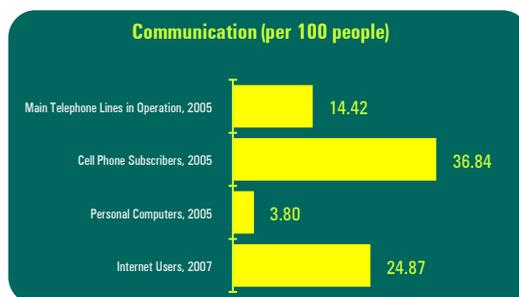
**GDP by Major Sectors, 2008**



**Employment in Major Sectors, 2002**



Labour Force	
Labour Force Participation Rate, Female, 2007 (%)	47.60
Labour Force Participation Rate, Male, 2007 (%)	81.80
Labour Force Participation Rate, Total, 2007 (%)	65.60
Trade	
Merchandise Exports to World, 2008 (Million USD)	978
Merchandise Imports from World, 2008 (Million USD)	1 343
Intra-OIC Merchandise Exports, 2008 (Million USD)	15
Intra-OIC Merchandise Imports, 2008 (Million USD)	40
Education	
Adult Literacy Rate, Female (%)	..
Adult Literacy Rate, Male (%)	..
Adult Literacy Rate, Total (%)	..
Public Education Expenditures, 2007 (% of GDP)	6.07
Primary School Enrolment Ratio, Net, 2008 (%)	94.68
Secondary School Enrolment Ratio, Net (%)	..
Health	
Total Health Expenditures, 2006 (% of GDP)	5.50
Health Expenditures per Person, 2006 (USD)	67.00
Infant Mortality Rate, 2006 (Per 1000 People)	46.00
Environment	
Carbon Dioxide Emissions, Total, 2006 (Thousand Metric Tons)	1 507
Carbon Dioxide Emissions, Per Capita, 2006 (Metric Tons)	1.97
Transportation	
Civil Aviation, Passenger-kilometers, 2001 (Millions)	175
Merchant Shipping, Fleets, 2007 (Thousand Dead Weight Tons)	36.92
Rail Lines, Total Route (Kilometers)	..
Roads, Total Network, 2001 (Thousand Kilometers)	7.97



# Indonesia



Capital City	Jakarta
Other Large Cities	Surabaya, Bandung, Medan
Official Language	Bahasa Indonesia
National Currency Unit	Indonesian Rupiah (IDR)
National Statistical Office	<a href="http://www.bps.go.id">http://www.bps.go.id</a>

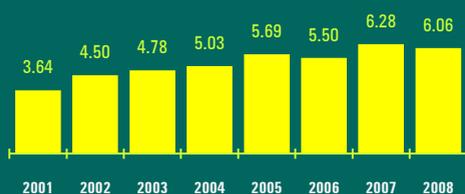
## Demographic and Social Overview

Total Land Area (Sq Km)	1 811 570
Total Population, 2008	228 248 538
Population Density, 2008 (Per Sq Km)	125.99
Annual Population Growth Rate, 2008 (%)	1.16
Crude Birth Rate, 2007 (Per 1000 People)	18.73
Crude Death Rate, 2007 (Per 1000 People)	6.30
Life Expectancy at Birth, 2007	70.60

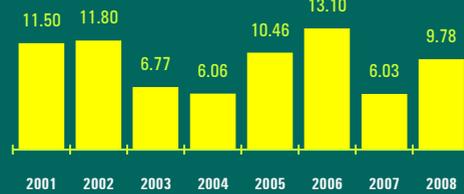
## Economic Overview

GDP, Current Market Prices, 2008 (Million USD)	511 765
GDP, Per Capita, 2008 (USD)	2 242
Total Consumption, Current Market Prices, 2008 (Million USD)	354 982
Balance of Government Budget, 2004 (% of GDP)	1.51
Total External Debt, 2007 (Million USD)	140 783
Foreign Direct Investment, 2008 (Million USD)	7 919
Rate of Exchange, Period Average, 2008 (IDR / USD)	9 698.96

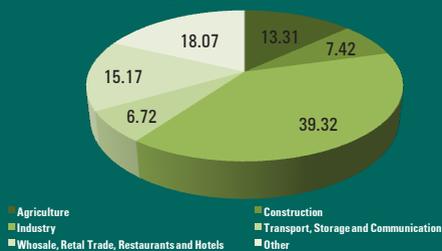
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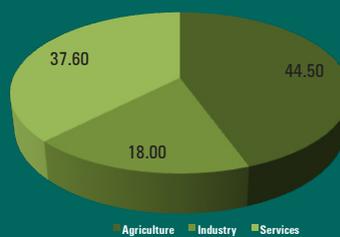
**Consumer Price Index**  
Annual Rate of Change (%)



**GDP by Major Sectors, 2008**

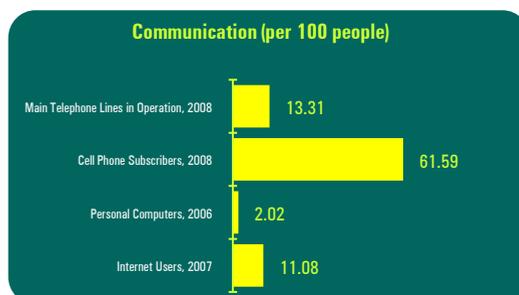


**Employment in Major Sectors, 2006**



# Indonesia

Labour Force	
Labour Force Participation Rate, Female, 2007 (%)	49.60
Labour Force Participation Rate, Male, 2007 (%)	86.10
Labour Force Participation Rate, Total, 2007 (%)	67.70
Trade	
Merchandise Exports to World, 2008 (Million USD)	137 022
Merchandise Imports from World, 2008 (Million USD)	129 274
Intra-OIC Merchandise Exports, 2008 (Million USD)	16 197
Intra-OIC Merchandise Imports, 2008 (Million USD)	22 674
Education	
Adult Literacy Rate, Female, 2007 (%)	87.99
Adult Literacy Rate, Male, 2007 (%)	95.16
Adult Literacy Rate, Total, 2007 (%)	91.98
Public Education Expenditures, 2007 (% of GDP)	3.49
Primary School Enrolment Ratio, Net, 2007 (%)	94.83
Secondary School Enrolment Ratio, Net, 2007 (%)	69.65
Health	
Total Health Expenditures, 2006 (% of GDP)	2.20
Health Expenditures per Person, 2006 (USD)	34.00
Infant Mortality Rate, 2006 (Per 1000 People)	26.00
Environment	
Carbon Dioxide Emissions, Total, 2006 (Thousand Metric Tons)	333 483
Carbon Dioxide Emissions, Per Capita, 2006 (Metric Tons)	1.50
Transportation	
Civil Aviation, Passenger-kilometers, 2004 (Millions)	28 447
Merchant Shipping, Fleets, 2007 (Thousand Dead Weight Tons)	6 268.25
Rail Lines, Total Route, 2000 (Kilometers)	5 324
Roads, Total Network, 2005 (Thousand Kilometers)	391.01



# Iran



Capital City	Tehran
Other Large Cities	Mashhad, Esfahan, Tabriz
Official Language	Farsi (Persian)
National Currency Unit	Iranian Rial (IRR)
National Statistical Office	<a href="http://www.sci.org.ir">http://www.sci.org.ir</a>

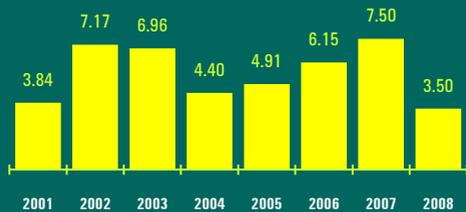
## Demographic and Social Overview

Total Land Area (Sq Km)	1 628 750
Total Population, 2008	72 583 586
Population Density, 2008 (Per Sq Km)	44.56
Annual Population Growth Rate, 2008 (%)	1.62
Crude Birth Rate, 2007 (Per 1000 People)	18.30
Crude Death Rate, 2007 (Per 1000 People)	6.00
Life Expectancy at Birth, 2007	73.10

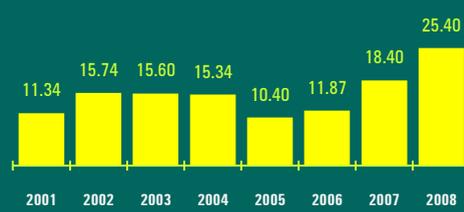
## Economic Overview

GDP, Current Market Prices, 2008 (Million USD)	346 611
GDP, Per Capita, 2008 (USD)	4 817
Total Consumption, Current Market Prices, 2008 (Million USD)	216 571
Balance of Government Budget, 2008 (% of GDP)	20.92
Total External Debt, 2007 (Million USD)	20 577
Foreign Direct Investment, 2008 (Million USD)	1 492
Rate of Exchange, Period Average, 2008 (IRR / USD)	9 428.53

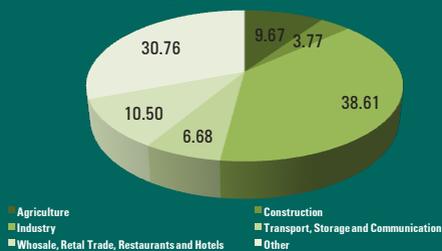
**Real GDP Growth Rate**  
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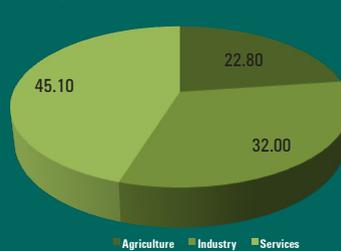
**Consumer Price Index**  
Annual Rate of Change (%)



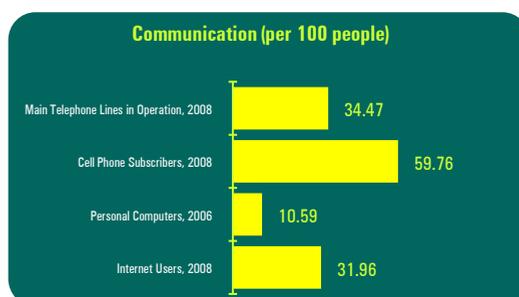
**GDP by Major Sectors, 2008**



**Employment in Major Sectors, 2007**



<b>Labour Force</b>	
Labour Force Participation Rate, Female, 2007 (%)	15.60
Labour Force Participation Rate, Male, 2007 (%)	63.50
Labour Force Participation Rate, Total, 2007 (%)	39.80
<b>Trade</b>	
Merchandise Exports to World, 2008 (Million USD)	108 063
Merchandise Imports from World, 2008 (Million USD)	69 327
Intra-OIC Merchandise Exports, 2008 (Million USD)	13 807
Intra-OIC Merchandise Imports, 2008 (Million USD)	18 695
<b>Education</b>	
Adult Literacy Rate, Female, 2007 (%)	77.80
Adult Literacy Rate, Male, 2007 (%)	88.10
Adult Literacy Rate, Total, 2007 (%)	83.00
Public Education Expenditures, 2008 (% of GDP)	4.79
Primary School Enrolment Ratio, Net, 2007 (%)	99.68
Secondary School Enrolment Ratio, Net, 2008 (%)	75.11
<b>Health</b>	
Total Health Expenditures, 2006 (% of GDP)	7.80
Health Expenditures per Person, 2006 (USD)	247.00
Infant Mortality Rate, 2008 (Per 1000 People)	30.00
<b>Environment</b>	
Carbon Dioxide Emissions, Total, 2006 (Thousand Metric Tons)	466 976
Carbon Dioxide Emissions, Per Capita, 2006 (Metric Tons)	6.66
<b>Transportation</b>	
Civil Aviation, Passenger-kilometers, 2004 (Millions)	11 657
Merchant Shipping, Fleets, 2007 (Thousand Dead Weight Tons)	8 952.80
Rail Lines, Total Route, 2007 (Kilometers)	8 702
Roads, Total Network, 2006 (Thousand Kilometers)	174.30



# Iraq



Capital City	Baghdad
Other Large Cities	Diyala, As-Sulaymaniyah, Irbil
Official Language	Arabic
National Currency Unit	Iraqi Dinar (IQD)
National Statistical Office	<a href="http://iraqcosit.org">http://iraqcosit.org</a>

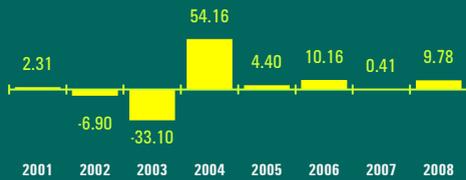
## Demographic and Social Overview

Total Land Area (Sq Km)	437 370
Total Population, 2008	30 413 000
Population Density, 2008 (Per Sq Km)	69.54
Annual Population Growth Rate, 2008 (%)	2.80
Crude Birth Rate (Per 1000 People)	..
Crude Death Rate (Per 1000 People)	..
Life Expectancy at Birth, 2008	68.00

## Economic Overview

GDP, Current Market Prices, 2008 (Million USD)	23 709
GDP, Per Capita, 2008 (USD)	780
Total Consumption, Current Market Prices, 2008 (Million USD)	13 740
Balance of Government Budget (% of GDP)	..
Total External Debt (Million USD)	..
Foreign Direct Investment, 2008 (Million USD)	488
Rate of Exchange, Period Average, 2008 (IQD / USD)	1 193.08

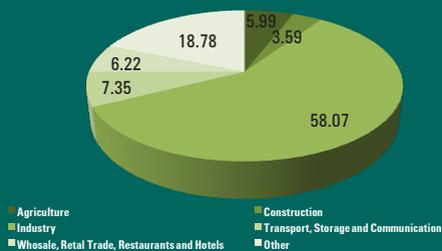
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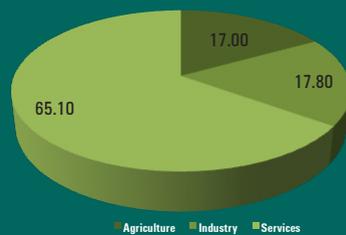
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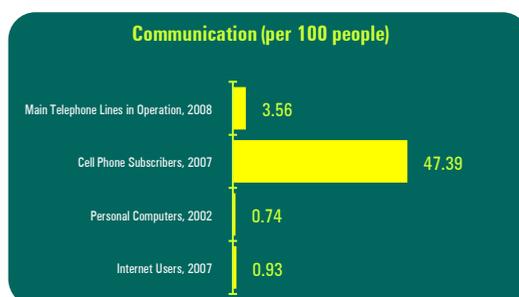
**GDP by Major Sectors, 2008**



**Employment in Major Sectors, 2004**



Labour Force	
Labour Force Participation Rate, Female, 2007 (%)	14.20
Labour Force Participation Rate, Male, 2007 (%)	69.10
Labour Force Participation Rate, Total, 2007 (%)	41.80
Trade	
Merchandise Exports to World, 2008 (Million USD)	48 169
Merchandise Imports from World, 2008 (Million USD)	20 894
Intra-OIC Merchandise Exports, 2008 (Million USD)	2 351
Intra-OIC Merchandise Imports, 2008 (Million USD)	12 267
Education	
Adult Literacy Rate, Female, 2000 (%)	64.17
Adult Literacy Rate, Male, 2000 (%)	84.09
Adult Literacy Rate, Total, 2000 (%)	74.05
Public Education Expenditures (% of GDP)	..
Primary School Enrolment Ratio, Net, 2005 (%)	87.34
Secondary School Enrolment Ratio, Net, 2005 (%)	39.59
Health	
Total Health Expenditures, 2006 (% of GDP)	3.80
Health Expenditures per Person, 2006 (USD)	67.00
Infant Mortality Rate, 2006 (Per 1000 People)	37.00
Environment	
Carbon Dioxide Emissions, Total, 2006 (Thousand Metric Tons)	92 572
Carbon Dioxide Emissions, Per Capita, 2006 (Metric Tons)	3.22
Transportation	
Civil Aviation, Passenger-kilometers (Millions)	..
Merchant Shipping, Fleets, 2007 (Thousand Dead Weight Tons)	175.78
Rail Lines, Total Route (Kilometers)	..
Roads, Total Network, 2001 (Thousand Kilometers)	45.55



# Jordan



Capital City	Amman
Other Large Cities	Az-Zarqa, Irbid, As-Salt
Official Language	Arabic
National Currency Unit	Jordanian Dinar (JOD)
National Statistical Office	<a href="http://www.dos.gov.jo">http://www.dos.gov.jo</a>

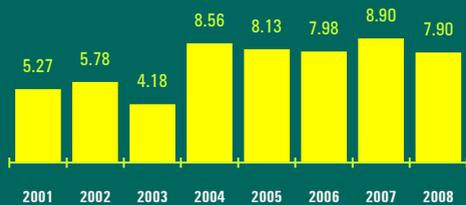
## Demographic and Social Overview

Total Land Area (Sq Km)	88 240
Total Population, 2008	5 906 043
Population Density, 2008 (Per Sq Km)	66.93
Annual Population Growth Rate, 2008 (%)	3.27
Crude Birth Rate, 2007 (Per 1000 People)	29.10
Crude Death Rate, 2007 (Per 1000 People)	3.60
Life Expectancy at Birth, 2007	72.60

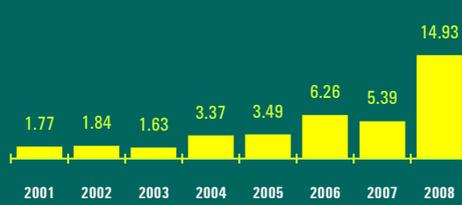
## Economic Overview

GDP, Current Market Prices, 2008 (Million USD)	21 268
GDP, Per Capita, 2008 (USD)	3 601
Total Consumption, Current Market Prices, 2008 (Million USD)	22 186
Balance of Government Budget, 2007 (% of GDP)	-4.00
Total External Debt, 2007 (Million USD)	8 368
Foreign Direct Investment, 2008 (Million USD)	1 954
Rate of Exchange, Period Average, 2008 (JOD / USD)	0.71

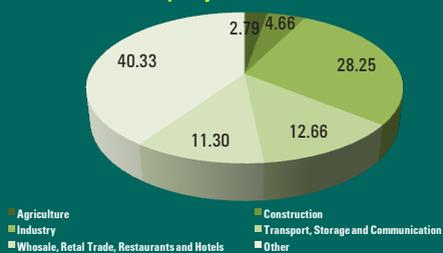
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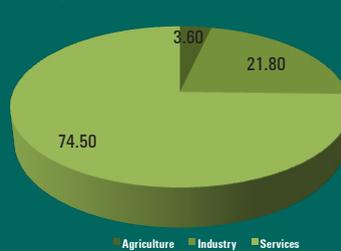
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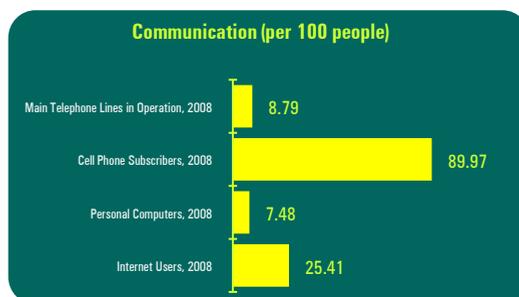
**GDP by Major Sectors, 2008**



**Employment in Major Sectors, 2003**



<b>Labour Force</b>	
Labour Force Participation Rate, Female, 2007 (%)	15.50
Labour Force Participation Rate, Male, 2007 (%)	71.50
Labour Force Participation Rate, Total, 2007 (%)	44.40
<b>Trade</b>	
Merchandise Exports to World, 2008 (Million USD)	6 716
Merchandise Imports from World, 2008 (Million USD)	18 482
Intra-OIC Merchandise Exports, 2008 (Million USD)	3 348
Intra-OIC Merchandise Imports, 2008 (Million USD)	6 842
<b>Education</b>	
Adult Literacy Rate, Female, 2007 (%)	89.42
Adult Literacy Rate, Male, 2007 (%)	96.52
Adult Literacy Rate, Total, 2007 (%)	93.08
Public Education Expenditures, 1999 (% of GDP)	4.94
Primary School Enrolment Ratio, Net, 2007 (%)	89.11
Secondary School Enrolment Ratio, Net, 2007 (%)	83.73
<b>Health</b>	
Total Health Expenditures, 2006 (% of GDP)	9.90
Health Expenditures per Person, 2006 (USD)	246.00
Infant Mortality Rate, 2006 (Per 1000 People)	21.00
<b>Environment</b>	
Carbon Dioxide Emissions, Total, 2006 (Thousand Metric Tons)	20 724
Carbon Dioxide Emissions, Per Capita, 2006 (Metric Tons)	3.74
<b>Transportation</b>	
Civil Aviation, Passenger-kilometers, 2004 (Millions)	5 327
Merchant Shipping, Fleets, 2007 (Thousand Dead Weight Tons)	543.28
Rail Lines, Total Route, 2007 (Kilometers)	293
Roads, Total Network, 2006 (Thousand Kilometers)	7.69



# Kazakhstan



Capital City	Astana
Other Large Cities	Almaty, Qaraghandy, Shymkent
Official Language	Kazakh, Russian
National Currency Unit	Tenge (KZT)
National Statistical Office	<a href="http://www.stat.kz">http://www.stat.kz</a>

## Demographic and Social Overview

Total Land Area (Sq Km)	2 699 700
Total Population, 2008	15 674 833
Population Density, 2008 (Per Sq Km)	5.81
Annual Population Growth Rate, 2008 (%)	1.23
Crude Birth Rate, 2007 (Per 1000 People)	19.70
Crude Death Rate, 2007 (Per 1000 People)	10.30
Life Expectancy at Birth, 2007	66.40

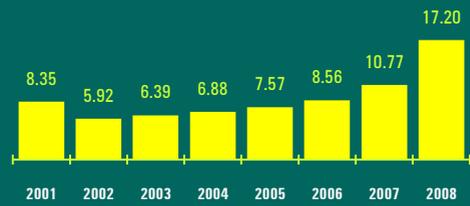
## Economic Overview

GDP, Current Market Prices, 2008 (Million USD)	135 601
GDP, Per Capita, 2008 (USD)	8 651
Total Consumption, Current Market Prices, 2008 (Million USD)	70 774
Balance of Government Budget, 2007 (% of GDP)	1.76
Total External Debt, 2007 (Million USD)	96 133
Foreign Direct Investment, 2008 (Million USD)	14 543
Rate of Exchange, Period Average, 2008 (KZT / USD)	120.30

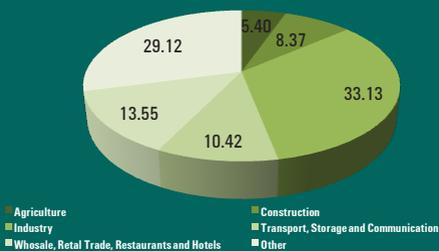
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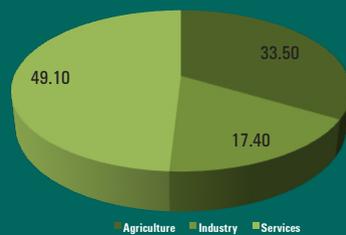
**Consumer Price Index**  
Annual Rate of Change (%)



**GDP by Major Sectors, 2008**

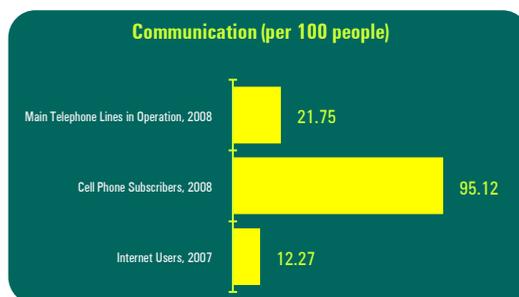


**Employment in Major Sectors, 2004**



# Kazakhstan

Labour Force	
Labour Force Participation Rate, Female, 2007 (%)	64.60
Labour Force Participation Rate, Male, 2007 (%)	74.90
Labour Force Participation Rate, Total, 2007 (%)	69.40
Trade	
Merchandise Exports to World, 2008 (Million USD)	51 215
Merchandise Imports from World, 2008 (Million USD)	43 874
Intra-OIC Merchandise Exports, 2008 (Million USD)	5 753
Intra-OIC Merchandise Imports, 2008 (Million USD)	2 239
Education	
Adult Literacy Rate, Female, 2007 (%)	99.48
Adult Literacy Rate, Male, 2007 (%)	99.78
Adult Literacy Rate, Total, 2007 (%)	99.62
Public Education Expenditures, 2007 (% of GDP)	2.83
Primary School Enrolment Ratio, Net, 2008 (%)	90.34
Secondary School Enrolment Ratio, Net, 2008 (%)	85.36
Health	
Total Health Expenditures, 2006 (% of GDP)	3.70
Health Expenditures per Person, 2006 (USD)	189.00
Infant Mortality Rate, 2006 (Per 1000 People)	26.00
Environment	
Carbon Dioxide Emissions, Total, 2006 (Thousand Metric Tons)	193 508
Carbon Dioxide Emissions, Per Capita, 2006 (Metric Tons)	12.64
Transportation	
Civil Aviation, Passenger-kilometers, 2004 (Millions)	1 898
Merchant Shipping, Fleets, 2007 (Thousand Dead Weight Tons)	79.95
Rail Lines, Total Route, 2007 (Kilometers)	14 205
Roads, Total Network, 2006 (Thousand Kilometers)	91.56



# Kuwait



Capital City	Kuwait City
Other Large Cities	Al-Jahra, As-Salimiyah, Hawalli, Al-Ahmady
Official Language	Arabic
National Currency Unit	Kuwaiti Dinar (KWD)
National Statistical Office	<a href="http://cso.gov.kw">http://cso.gov.kw</a>

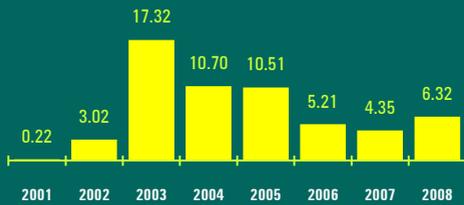
## Demographic and Social Overview

Total Land Area (Sq Km)	17 820
Total Population, 2008	2 728 041
Population Density, 2008 (Per Sq Km)	153.09
Annual Population Growth Rate, 2008 (%)	2.44
Crude Birth Rate, 2007 (Per 1000 People)	17.91
Crude Death Rate, 2007 (Per 1000 People)	1.90
Life Expectancy at Birth, 2007	77.90

## Economic Overview

GDP, Current Market Prices, 2008 (Million USD)	158 089
GDP, Per Capita, 2008 (USD)	57 950
Total Consumption, Current Market Prices, 2008 (Million USD)	70 107
Balance of Government Budget, 2008 (% of GDP)	21.94
Total External Debt (Million USD)	..
Foreign Direct Investment, 2008 (Million USD)	56
Rate of Exchange, Period Average, 2008 (KWD / USD)	0.27

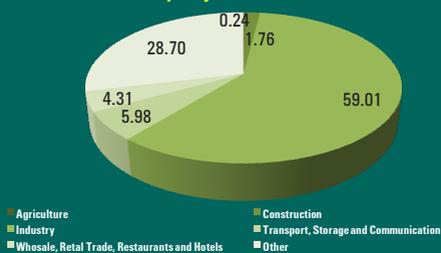
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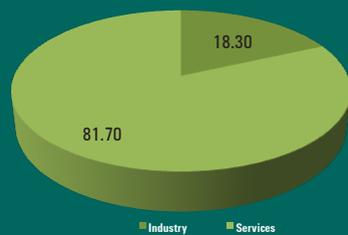
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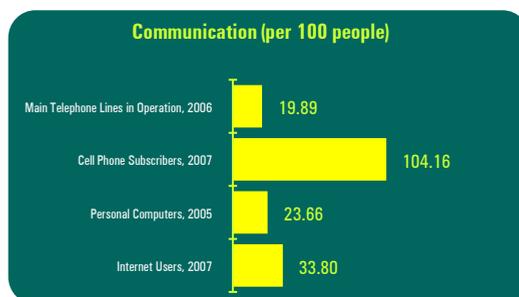
**GDP by Major Sectors, 2008**



**Employment in Major Sectors, 2003**



<b>Labour Force</b>	
Labour Force Participation Rate, Female, 2007 (%)	43.10
Labour Force Participation Rate, Male, 2007 (%)	81.00
Labour Force Participation Rate, Total, 2007 (%)	66.90
<b>Trade</b>	
Merchandise Exports to World, 2008 (Million USD)	66 185
Merchandise Imports from World, 2008 (Million USD)	26 001
Intra-OIC Merchandise Exports, 2008 (Million USD)	9 025
Intra-OIC Merchandise Imports, 2008 (Million USD)	5 755
<b>Education</b>	
Adult Literacy Rate, Female, 2007 (%)	93.12
Adult Literacy Rate, Male, 2007 (%)	95.15
Adult Literacy Rate, Total, 2007 (%)	94.46
Public Education Expenditures, 1999 (% of GDP)	3.76
Primary School Enrolment Ratio, Net, 2008 (%)	87.61
Secondary School Enrolment Ratio, Net, 2006 (%)	76.62
<b>Health</b>	
Total Health Expenditures, 2006 (% of GDP)	2.20
Health Expenditures per Person, 2006 (USD)	796.00
Infant Mortality Rate, 2006 (Per 1000 People)	9.00
<b>Environment</b>	
Carbon Dioxide Emissions, Total, 2006 (Thousand Metric Tons)	86 599
Carbon Dioxide Emissions, Per Capita, 2006 (Metric Tons)	33.31
<b>Transportation</b>	
Civil Aviation, Passenger-kilometers, 2004 (Millions)	7 285
Merchant Shipping, Fleets, 2007 (Thousand Dead Weight Tons)	3 442.79
Rail Lines, Total Route (Kilometers)	..
Roads, Total Network, 2004 (Thousand Kilometers)	5.75



# Kyrgyzstan



Capital City	Bishkek
Other Large Cities	Osh, Dzhahal-Abad, Karakol
Official Language	Kyrgyz, Russian
National Currency Unit	Kyrgyzstani Som (KGS)
National Statistical Office	<a href="http://www.stat.kg">http://www.stat.kg</a>

## Demographic and Social Overview

Total Land Area (Sq Km)	199 951
Total Population, 2008	5 277 900
Population Density, 2008 (Per Sq Km)	27.52
Annual Population Growth Rate, 2009 (Preliminary) (%)	1.30
Crude Birth Rate, 2009 (Preliminary) (Per 1000 People)	25.20
Crude Death Rate, 2009 (Preliminary) (Per 1000 People)	6.70
Life Expectancy at Birth, 2008	68.40

## Economic Overview

GDP, Current Market Prices, 2008 (Million USD)	5 144
GDP, Per Capita, 2008 (USD)	975
Total Consumption, Current Market Prices, 2008 (Million USD)	5 660
Balance of Government Budget, 2009 (Preliminary) (% of GDP)	-1.50
Total External Debt, 2009 (Preliminary) (Million USD)	2 476
Foreign Direct Investment, 2009 (Preliminary) (Million USD)	76.50
Rate of Exchange, Period Average, 2008 (KGS / USD)	36.57

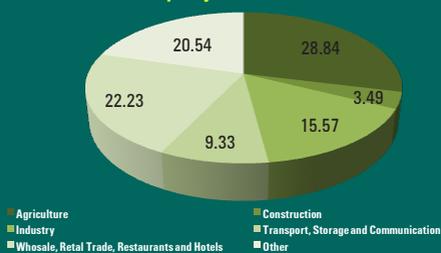
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Annual Rate of Change, Constant USD (%)



**Consumer Price Index**  
Annual Rate of Change (%)



**GDP by Major Sectors, 2008**

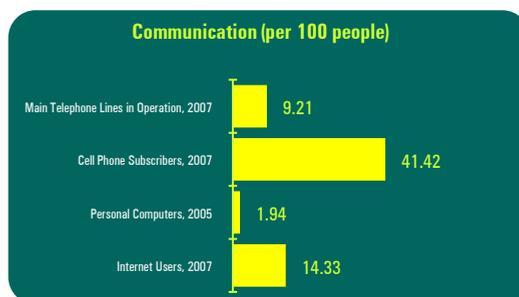


**Employment in Major Sectors, 2006**



# Kyrgyzstan

<b>Labour Force</b>	
Labour Force Participation Rate, Female, 2008 (%)	<b>54.80</b>
Labour Force Participation Rate, Male, 2008 (%)	<b>76.50</b>
Labour Force Participation Rate, Total, 2008 (%)	<b>65.40</b>
<b>Trade</b>	
Merchandise Exports to World, 2008 (Million USD)	<b>1 856</b>
Merchandise Imports from World, 2008 (Million USD)	<b>4 072</b>
Intra-OIC Merchandise Exports, 2008 (Million USD)	<b>591</b>
Intra-OIC Merchandise Imports, 2008 (Million USD)	<b>723</b>
<b>Education</b>	
Adult Literacy Rate, Female, 2007 (%)	<b>99.10</b>
Adult Literacy Rate, Male, 2007 (%)	<b>99.51</b>
Adult Literacy Rate, Total, 2007 (%)	<b>99.30</b>
Public Education Expenditures, 2009 (Preliminary) (% of GDP)	<b>5.90</b>
Primary School Enrolment Ratio, Net, 2008 (%)	<b>83.53</b>
Secondary School Enrolment Ratio, Net, 2008 (%)	<b>80.46</b>
<b>Health</b>	
Total Health Expenditures, 2009 (Preliminary) (% of GDP)	<b>3.00</b>
Health Expenditures per Person, 2009 (Preliminary) (USD)	<b>25.16</b>
Infant Mortality Rate, 2009 (Preliminary) (Per 1000 People)	<b>29.00</b>
<b>Environment</b>	
Carbon Dioxide Emissions, Total, 2008 (Thousand Metric Tons)	<b>3 986</b>
Carbon Dioxide Emissions, Per Capita, 2008 (Metric Tons)	<b>0.76</b>
<b>Transportation</b>	
Civil Aviation, Passenger-kilometers, 2009 (Preliminary) (Millions)	<b>572</b>
Merchant Shipping, Fleets 2009 (Preliminary) (Thousand Dead Weight Tons)	<b>23.40</b>
Rail Lines, Total Route 2009 (Preliminary) (Kilometers)	<b>417</b>
Roads, Total Network, 2001 (Thousand Kilometers)	<b>18.50</b>



# Lebanon



Capital City	Beirut
Other Large Cities	Tripoli, Zahleh, Sidon (Sayda), Tyr
Official Language	Arabic
National Currency Unit	Lebanese Pound (LBP)
National Statistical Office	<a href="http://www.cas.gov.lb">http://www.cas.gov.lb</a>

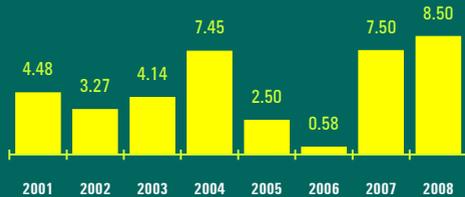
## Demographic and Social Overview

Total Land Area (Sq Km)	10 230
Total Population, 2008	4 139 281
Population Density, 2008 (Per Sq Km)	404.62
Annual Population Growth Rate, 2008 (%)	1.03
Crude Birth Rate, 2007 (Per 1000 People)	18.16
Crude Death Rate, 2007 (Per 1000 People)	7.00
Life Expectancy at Birth, 2007	72.00

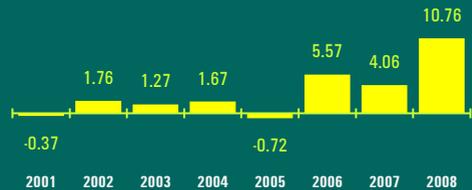
## Economic Overview

GDP, Current Market Prices, 2008 (Million USD)	29 350
GDP, Per Capita, 2008 (USD)	7 091
Total Consumption, Current Market Prices, 2008 (Million USD)	31 144
Balance of Government Budget, 2007 (% of GDP)	-10.55
Total External Debt, 2007 (Million USD)	24 634
Foreign Direct Investment, 2008 (Million USD)	3 606
Rate of Exchange, Period Average, 2008 (LBP / USD)	1 507.50

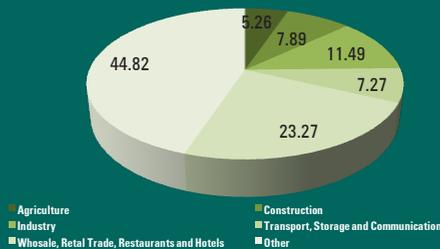
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**Consumer Price Index**  
Annual Rate of Change (%)

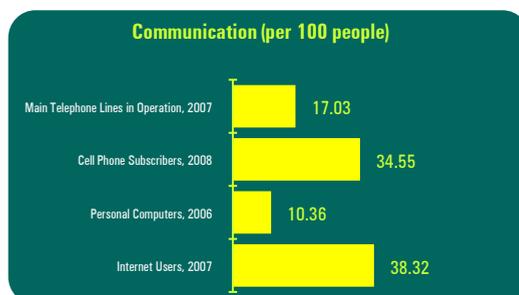


**GDP by Major Sectors, 2008**



# Lebanon

Labour Force	
Labour Force Participation Rate, Female, 2007 (%)	24.80
Labour Force Participation Rate, Male, 2007 (%)	77.30
Labour Force Participation Rate, Total, 2007 (%)	50.10
Trade	
Merchandise Exports to World, 2008 (Million USD)	4 021
Merchandise Imports from World, 2008 (Million USD)	16 873
Intra-OIC Merchandise Exports, 2008 (Million USD)	2 849
Intra-OIC Merchandise Imports, 2008 (Million USD)	4 775
Education	
Adult Literacy Rate, Female, 2007 (%)	85.97
Adult Literacy Rate, Male, 2007 (%)	93.38
Adult Literacy Rate, Total, 2007 (%)	89.61
Public Education Expenditures, 2008 (% of GDP)	2.05
Primary School Enrolment Ratio, Net, 2008 (%)	88.34
Secondary School Enrolment Ratio, Net, 2008 (%)	74.59
Health	
Total Health Expenditures, 2006 (% of GDP)	8.90
Health Expenditures per Person, 2006 (USD)	468.00
Infant Mortality Rate, 2006 (Per 1000 People)	27.00
Environment	
Carbon Dioxide Emissions, Total, 2006 (Thousand Metric Tons)	15 330
Carbon Dioxide Emissions, Per Capita, 2006 (Metric Tons)	3.78
Transportation	
Civil Aviation, Passenger-kilometers, 2004 (Millions)	2 197
Merchant Shipping, Fleets, 2007 (Thousand Dead Weight Tons)	190.91
Rail Lines, Total Route (Kilometers)	..
Roads, Total Network, 2005 (Thousand Kilometers)	6.97



# Libya



Capital City	Tripoli
Other Large Cities	Banghazi, Misurata (Misratah), Tobruq
Official Language	Arabic
National Currency Unit	Libyan Dinar (LYD)
National Statistical Office	National Corp. for Information & Documentation

## Demographic and Social Overview

Total Land Area (Sq Km)	1 759 540
Total Population, 2008	6 276 632
Population Density, 2008 (Per Sq Km)	3.57
Annual Population Growth Rate, 2008 (%)	1.95
Crude Birth Rate, 2007 (Per 1000 People)	23.40
Crude Death Rate, 2007 (Per 1000 People)	4.10
Life Expectancy at Birth, 2007	74.20

## Economic Overview

GDP, Current Market Prices, 2008 (Million USD)	90 822
GDP, Per Capita, 2008 (USD)	14 470
Total Consumption, Current Market Prices, 2008 (Million USD)	46 717
Balance of Government Budget (% of GDP)	..
Total External Debt (Million USD)	..
Foreign Direct Investment, 2008 (Million USD)	4 111
Rate of Exchange, Period Average, 2008 (LYD / USD)	1.22

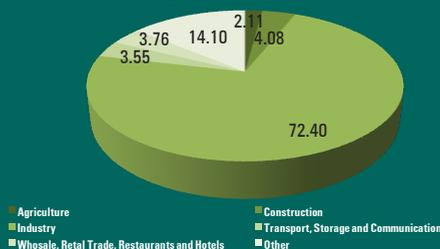
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Annual Rate of Change, Constant USD (%)



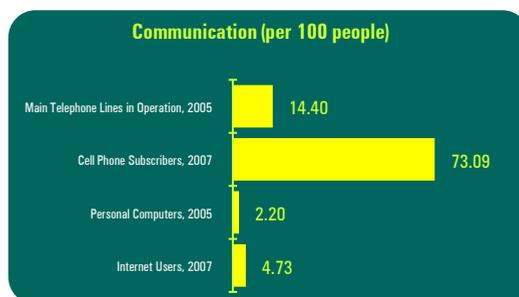
**Consumer Price Index**  
Annual Rate of Change (%)



**GDP by Major Sectors, 2008**



Labour Force	
Labour Force Participation Rate, Female, 2007 (%)	25.90
Labour Force Participation Rate, Male, 2007 (%)	77.50
Labour Force Participation Rate, Total, 2007 (%)	52.70
Trade	
Merchandise Exports to World, 2008 (Million USD)	59 355
Merchandise Imports from World, 2008 (Million USD)	18 730
Intra-OIC Merchandise Exports, 2008 (Million USD)	2 778
Intra-OIC Merchandise Imports, 2008 (Million USD)	3 498
Education	
Adult Literacy Rate, Female, 2007 (%)	78.44
Adult Literacy Rate, Male, 2007 (%)	94.45
Adult Literacy Rate, Total, 2007 (%)	86.78
Public Education Expenditures, 1999 (% of GDP)	2.67
Primary School Enrolment Ratio, Net (%)	..
Secondary School Enrolment Ratio, Net (%)	..
Health	
Total Health Expenditures, 2006 (% of GDP)	2.90
Health Expenditures per Person, 2006 (USD)	255.00
Infant Mortality Rate, 2006 (Per 1000 People)	17.00
Environment	
Carbon Dioxide Emissions, Total, 2006 (Thousand Metric Tons)	55 495
Carbon Dioxide Emissions, Per Capita, 2006 (Metric Tons)	9.19
Transportation	
Civil Aviation, Passenger-kilometers, 2004 (Millions)	985
Merchant Shipping, Fleets, 2007 (Thousand Dead Weight Tons)	99.17
Rail Lines, Total Route (Kilometers)	..
Roads, Total Network, 2001 (Thousand Kilometers)	83.20



# Malaysia



Capital City	Kuala Lumpur
Other Large Cities	Ipoh, Johor Baharu, Melaka
Official Language	Malay
National Currency Unit	Ringgit (MYR)
National Statistical Office	<a href="http://www.statistics.gov.my">http://www.statistics.gov.my</a>

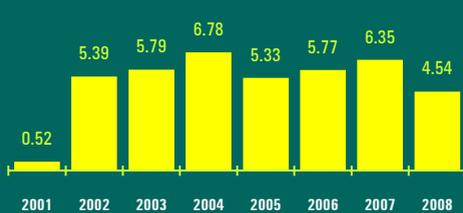
## Demographic and Social Overview

Total Land Area (Sq Km)	328 550
Total Population, 2008	26 992 577
Population Density, 2008 (Per Sq Km)	82.16
Annual Population Growth Rate, 2008 (%)	1.67
Crude Birth Rate, 2007 (Per 1000 People)	20.65
Crude Death Rate, 2007 (Per 1000 People)	4.50
Life Expectancy at Birth, 2007	74.30

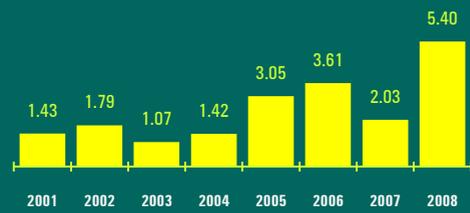
## Economic Overview

GDP, Current Market Prices, 2008 (Million USD)	221 606
GDP, Per Capita, 2008 (USD)	8 210
Total Consumption, Current Market Prices, 2008 (Million USD)	128 005
Balance of Government Budget, 2003 (% of GDP)	3.40
Total External Debt, 2007 (Million USD)	53 717
Foreign Direct Investment, 2008 (Million USD)	8 053
Rate of Exchange, Period Average, 2008 (MYR / USD)	3.34

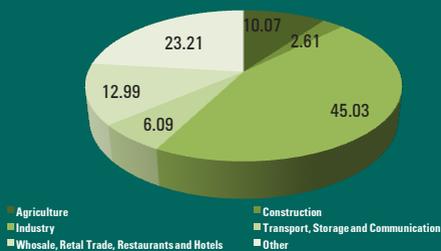
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Annual Rate of Change, Constant USD (%)



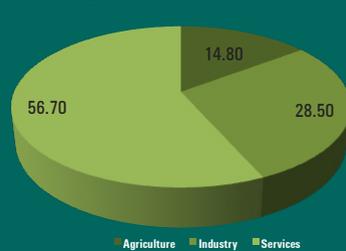
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Annual Rate of Change (%)



**GDP by Major Sectors, 2008**

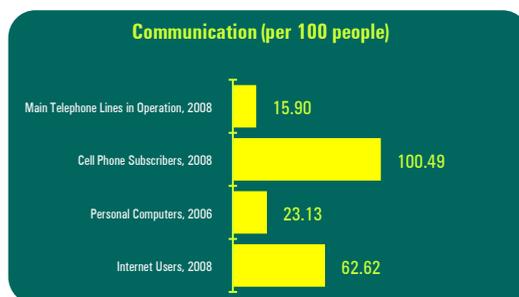


**Employment in Major Sectors, 2007**

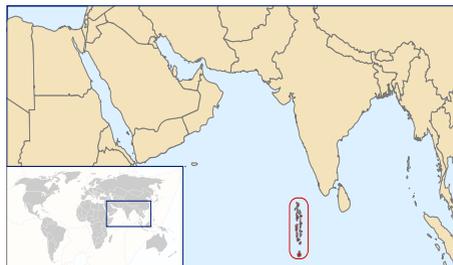


# Malaysia

Labour Force	
Labour Force Participation Rate, Female, 2007 (%)	44.70
Labour Force Participation Rate, Male, 2007 (%)	80.20
Labour Force Participation Rate, Total, 2007 (%)	62.70
Trade	
Merchandise Exports to World, 2008 (Million USD)	219 790
Merchandise Imports from World, 2008 (Million USD)	185 573
Intra-OIC Merchandise Exports, 2008 (Million USD)	20 772
Intra-OIC Merchandise Imports, 2008 (Million USD)	15 142
Education	
Adult Literacy Rate, Female, 2007 (%)	89.56
Adult Literacy Rate, Male, 2007 (%)	94.19
Adult Literacy Rate, Total, 2007 (%)	91.90
Public Education Expenditures, 2006 (% of GDP)	4.67
Primary School Enrolment Ratio, Net, 2006 (%)	97.49
Secondary School Enrolment Ratio, Net, 2005 (%)	68.73
Health	
Total Health Expenditures, 2006 (% of GDP)	4.30
Health Expenditures per Person, 2006 (USD)	255.00
Infant Mortality Rate, 2006 (Per 1000 People)	10.00
Environment	
Carbon Dioxide Emissions, Total, 2006 (Thousand Metric Tons)	187 865
Carbon Dioxide Emissions, Per Capita, 2006 (Metric Tons)	7.19
Transportation	
Civil Aviation, Passenger-kilometers, 2004 (Millions)	44 642
Merchant Shipping, Fleets, 2007 (Thousand Dead Weight Tons)	8 570.79
Rail Lines, Total Route, 2007 (Kilometers)	1 667
Roads, Total Network, 2006 (Thousand Kilometers)	90.13



# Maldives



Capital City	Malé
Other Large Cities	Gan
Official Language	Dhivehi
National Currency Unit	Rufiyaa (MVR)
National Statistical Office	<a href="http://www.planning.gov.mv">http://www.planning.gov.mv</a>

## Demographic and Social Overview

Total Land Area (Sq Km)	300
Total Population, 2008	310 473
Population Density, 2008 (Per Sq Km)	1034.91
Annual Population Growth Rate, 2008 (%)	1.68
Crude Birth Rate, 2007 (Per 1000 People)	23.38
Crude Death Rate, 2007 (Per 1000 People)	5.70
Life Expectancy at Birth, 2007	68.50

## Economic Overview

GDP, Current Market Prices, 2008 (Million USD)	1 260
GDP, Per Capita, 2008 (USD)	4 059
Total Consumption, Current Market Prices, 2008 (Million USD)	1 110
Balance of Government Budget, 2008 (% of GDP)	0.97
Total External Debt, 2007 (Million USD)	562
Foreign Direct Investment, 2008 (Million USD)	15
Rate of Exchange, Period Average, 2008 (MVR / USD)	12.80

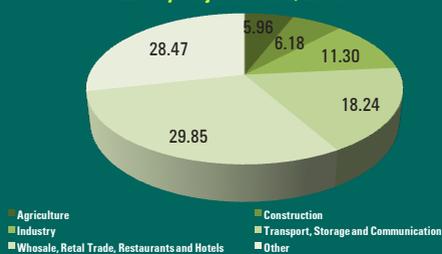
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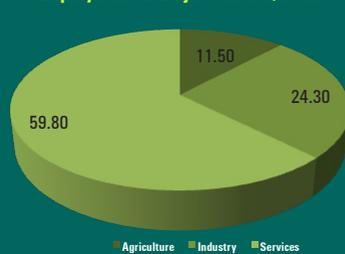
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Annual Rate of Change (%)



**GDP by Major Sectors, 2008**

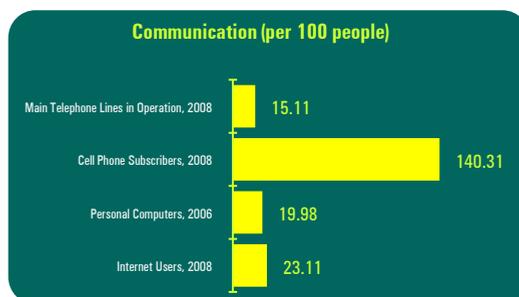


**Employment in Major Sectors, 2006**

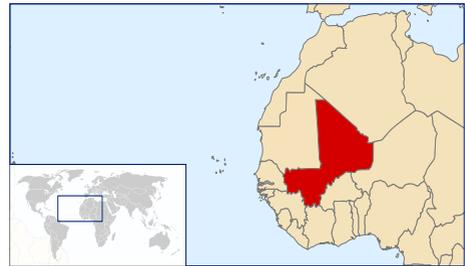


# Maldives

Labour Force	
Labour Force Participation Rate, Female, 2007 (%)	54.30
Labour Force Participation Rate, Male, 2007 (%)	76.20
Labour Force Participation Rate, Total, 2007 (%)	65.50
Trade	
Merchandise Exports to World, 2008 (Million USD)	201
Merchandise Imports from World, 2008 (Million USD)	1 425
Intra-OIC Merchandise Exports, 2008 (Million USD)	20
Intra-OIC Merchandise Imports, 2008 (Million USD)	451
Education	
Adult Literacy Rate, Female, 2007 (%)	97.12
Adult Literacy Rate, Male, 2007 (%)	96.98
Adult Literacy Rate, Total, 2007 (%)	97.05
Public Education Expenditures, 2008 (% of GDP)	8.06
Primary School Enrolment Ratio, Net, 2008 (%)	96.22
Secondary School Enrolment Ratio, Net, 2007 (%)	69.42
Health	
Total Health Expenditures, 2006 (% of GDP)	10.10
Health Expenditures per Person, 2006 (USD)	306.00
Infant Mortality Rate, 2006 (Per 1000 People)	26.00
Environment	
Carbon Dioxide Emissions, Total, 2006 (Thousand Metric Tons)	869
Carbon Dioxide Emissions, Per Capita, 2006 (Metric Tons)	2.89
Transportation	
Civil Aviation, Passenger-kilometers, 2004 (Millions)	35
Merchant Shipping, Fleets, 2007 (Thousand Dead Weight Tons)	132.55
Rail Lines, Total Route (Kilometers)	..
Roads, Total Network (Thousand Kilometers)	..



# Mali



Capital City	Bamako
Other Large Cities	Segou, Mopti, Sikasso
Official Language	French
National Currency Unit	CFA Franc BCEAO (XOF)
National Statistical Office	<a href="http://www.instat.gov.ml">http://www.instat.gov.ml</a>

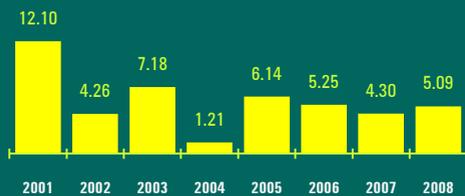
## Demographic and Social Overview

Total Land Area (Sq Km)	1 220 190
Total Population, 2008	12 711 140
Population Density, 2008 (Per Sq Km)	10.42
Annual Population Growth Rate, 2008 (%)	3.06
Crude Birth Rate, 2007 (Per 1000 People)	48.10
Crude Death Rate, 2007 (Per 1000 People)	14.70
Life Expectancy at Birth, 2007	54.30

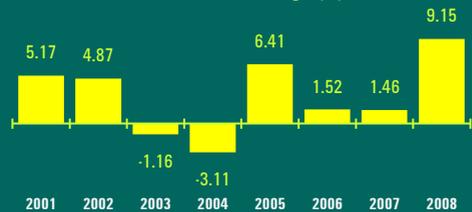
## Economic Overview

GDP, Current Market Prices, 2008 (Million USD)	8 774
GDP, Per Capita, 2008 (USD)	690
Total Consumption, Current Market Prices, 2008 (Million USD)	7 279
Balance of Government Budget, 2007 (% of GDP)	0.95
Total External Debt, 2007 (Million USD)	2 018
Foreign Direct Investment, 2008 (Million USD)	127
Rate of Exchange, Period Average, 2008 (XOF / USD)	447.81

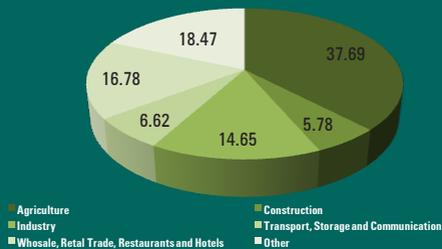
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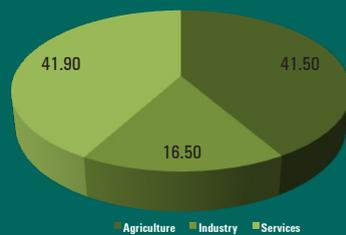
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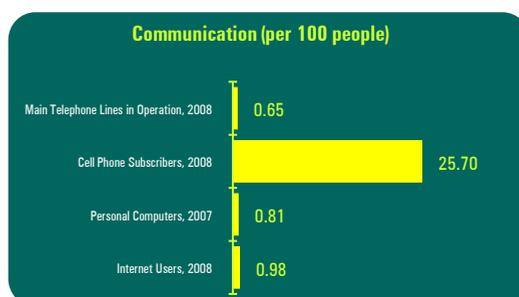
**GDP by Major Sectors, 2008**



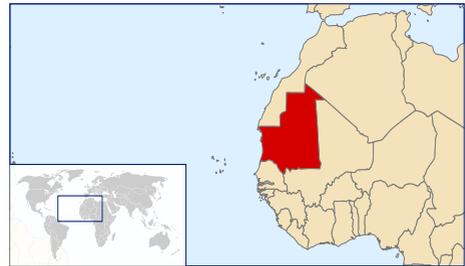
**Employment in Major Sectors, 2004**



Labour Force	
Labour Force Participation Rate, Female, 2007 (%)	36.50
Labour Force Participation Rate, Male, 2007 (%)	65.10
Labour Force Participation Rate, Total, 2007 (%)	50.10
Trade	
Merchandise Exports to World, 2008 (Million USD)	231
Merchandise Imports from World, 2008 (Million USD)	3 139
Intra-OIC Merchandise Exports, 2008 (Million USD)	44
Intra-OIC Merchandise Imports, 2008 (Million USD)	921
Education	
Adult Literacy Rate, Female, 2007 (%)	16.02
Adult Literacy Rate, Male, 2007 (%)	31.43
Adult Literacy Rate, Total, 2007 (%)	23.32
Public Education Expenditures, 2006 (% of GDP)	4.59
Primary School Enrolment Ratio, Net, 2008 (%)	78.41
Secondary School Enrolment Ratio, Net, 2008 (%)	28.58
Health	
Total Health Expenditures, 2006 (% of GDP)	6.00
Health Expenditures per Person, 2006 (USD)	30.00
Infant Mortality Rate, 2006 (Per 1000 People)	119.00
Environment	
Carbon Dioxide Emissions, Total, 2006 (Thousand Metric Tons)	568
Carbon Dioxide Emissions, Per Capita, 2006 (Metric Tons)	0.05
Transportation	
Civil Aviation, Passenger-kilometers, 2001 (Millions)	130
Merchant Shipping, Fleets (Thousand Dead Weight Tons)	..
Rail Lines, Total Route, 2002 (Kilometers)	733
Roads, Total Network, 2004 (Thousand Kilometers)	18.71



# Mauritania



Capital City	Nouakchott
Other Large Cities	Nouadhibou, Kaedi, Kiffa
Official Language	Arabic
National Currency Unit	Ouguyia (MRO)
National Statistical Office	<a href="http://www.ons.mr">http://www.ons.mr</a>

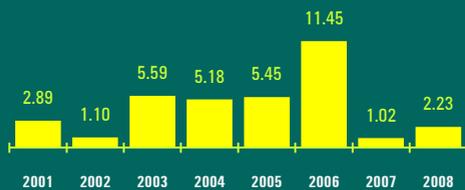
## Demographic and Social Overview

Total Land Area (Sq Km)	1 030 700
Total Population, 2008	3 200 288
Population Density, 2008 (Per Sq Km)	3.10
Annual Population Growth Rate, 2008 (%)	2.54
Crude Birth Rate, 2007 (Per 1000 People)	32.50
Crude Death Rate, 2007 (Per 1000 People)	7.90
Life Expectancy at Birth, 2007	64.10

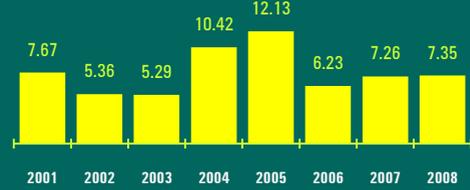
## Economic Overview

GDP, Current Market Prices, 2008 (Million USD)	3 271
GDP, Per Capita, 2008 (USD)	1 022
Total Consumption, Current Market Prices, 2008 (Million USD)	3 226
Balance of Government Budget (% of GDP)	..
Total External Debt, 2007 (Million USD)	1 704
Foreign Direct Investment, 2008 (Million USD)	103
Rate of Exchange, Period Average, 2007 (MRO / USD)	258.59

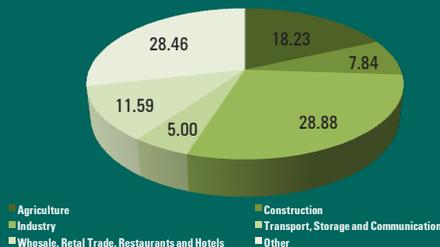
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Annual Rate of Change, Constant USD (%)



**Consumer Price Index**  
Annual Rate of Change (%)

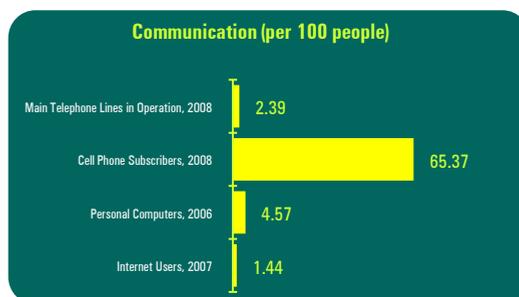


**GDP by Major Sectors, 2008**



# Mauritania

Labour Force	
Labour Force Participation Rate, Female, 2007 (%)	60.20
Labour Force Participation Rate, Male, 2007 (%)	79.90
Labour Force Participation Rate, Total, 2007 (%)	70.10
Trade	
Merchandise Exports to World, 2008 (Million USD)	2 241
Merchandise Imports from World, 2008 (Million USD)	2 372
Intra-OIC Merchandise Exports, 2008 (Million USD)	239
Intra-OIC Merchandise Imports, 2008 (Million USD)	334
Education	
Adult Literacy Rate, Female, 2007 (%)	48.28
Adult Literacy Rate, Male, 2007 (%)	63.30
Adult Literacy Rate, Total, 2007 (%)	55.80
Public Education Expenditures, 2006 (% of GDP)	2.88
Primary School Enrolment Ratio, Net, 2007 (%)	79.68
Secondary School Enrolment Ratio, Net, 2007 (%)	16.30
Health	
Total Health Expenditures, 2006 (% of GDP)	2.20
Health Expenditures per Person, 2006 (USD)	19.00
Infant Mortality Rate, 2006 (Per 1000 People)	78.00
Environment	
Carbon Dioxide Emissions, Total, 2006 (Thousand Metric Tons)	1 665
Carbon Dioxide Emissions, Per Capita, 2006 (Metric Tons)	0.55
Transportation	
Civil Aviation, Passenger-kilometers, 2004 (Millions)	56
Merchant Shipping, Fleets, 2007 (Thousand Dead Weight Tons)	24.66
Rail Lines, Total Route (Kilometers)	..
Roads, Total Network, 2006 (Thousand Kilometers)	11.07



# Morocco



Capital City	Rabat
Other Large Cities	Casablanca, Tangier, Fes, Agadir, Ad Dakhla, Laayoune
Official Language	Arabic
National Currency Unit	Moroccan Dirham (MAD)
National Statistical Office	<a href="http://www.hcp.ma">http://www.hcp.ma</a>

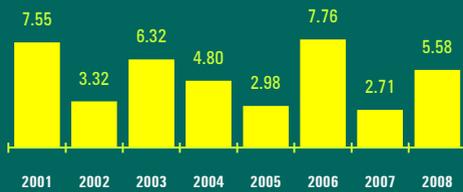
## Demographic and Social Overview

Total Land Area (Sq Km)	710 850
Total Population, 2008	31 228 981
Population Density, 2008 (Per Sq Km)	43.93
Annual Population Growth Rate, 2008 (%)	1.19
Crude Birth Rate, 2007 (Per 1000 People)	20.54
Crude Death Rate, 2007 (Per 1000 People)	5.80
Life Expectancy at Birth, 2007	71.10

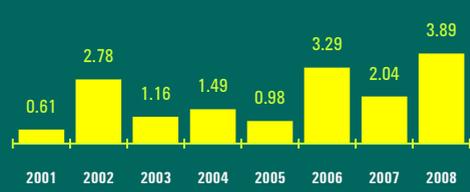
## Economic Overview

GDP, Current Market Prices, 2008 (Million USD)	88 879
GDP, Per Capita, 2008 (USD)	2 846
Total Consumption, Current Market Prices, 2008 (Million USD)	73 806
Balance of Government Budget, 2007 (% of GDP)	5.63
Total External Debt, 2007 (Million USD)	20 255
Foreign Direct Investment, 2008 (Million USD)	2 388
Rate of Exchange, Period Average, 2008 (MAD / USD)	7.75

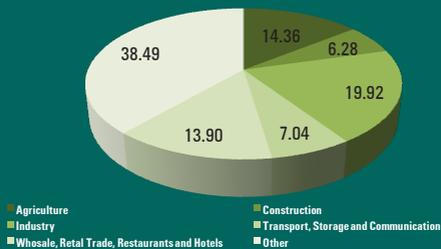
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Annual Rate of Change, Constant USD (%)



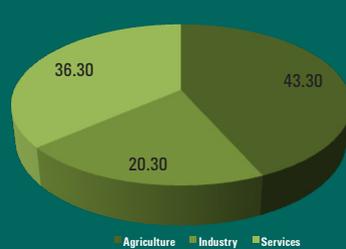
**Consumer Price Index**  
Annual Rate of Change (%)



**GDP by Major Sectors, 2008**

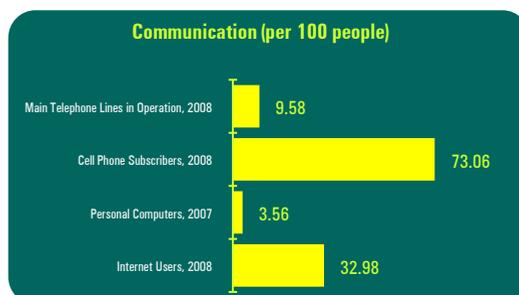


**Employment in Major Sectors, 2006**



# Morocco

Labour Force	
Labour Force Participation Rate, Female, 2007 (%)	24.70
Labour Force Participation Rate, Male, 2007 (%)	79.80
Labour Force Participation Rate, Total, 2007 (%)	51.40
Trade	
Merchandise Exports to World, 2008 (Million USD)	19 760
Merchandise Imports from World, 2008 (Million USD)	40 314
Intra-OIC Merchandise Exports, 2008 (Million USD)	1 796
Intra-OIC Merchandise Imports, 2008 (Million USD)	7 125
Education	
Adult Literacy Rate, Female, 2007 (%)	43.22
Adult Literacy Rate, Male, 2007 (%)	68.72
Adult Literacy Rate, Total, 2007 (%)	55.58
Public Education Expenditures, 2006 (% of GDP)	5.50
Primary School Enrolment Ratio, Net, 2008 (%)	89.47
Secondary School Enrolment Ratio, Net, 2003 (%)	34.51
Health	
Total Health Expenditures, 2006 (% of GDP)	5.10
Health Expenditures per Person, 2006 (USD)	95.00
Infant Mortality Rate, 2006 (Per 1000 People)	34.00
Environment	
Carbon Dioxide Emissions, Total, 2006 (Thousand Metric Tons)	45 316
Carbon Dioxide Emissions, Per Capita, 2006 (Metric Tons)	1.49
Transportation	
Civil Aviation, Passenger-kilometers, 2004 (Millions)	5 551
Merchant Shipping, Fleets, 2007 (Thousand Dead Weight Tons)	365.49
Rail Lines, Total Route, 2007 (Kilometers)	1 907
Roads, Total Network, 2006 (Thousand Kilometers)	57.63



# Mozambique



Capital City	Maputo
Other Large Cities	Beira, Sofala, Nampula
Official Language	Portuguese
National Currency Unit	Metical (MZM)
National Statistical Office	<a href="http://www.ine.gov.mz">http://www.ine.gov.mz</a>

## Demographic and Social Overview

Total Land Area (Sq Km)	786 380
Total Population, 2008	21 780 614
Population Density, 2008 (Per Sq Km)	27.70
Annual Population Growth Rate, 2008 (%)	1.91
Crude Birth Rate, 2007 (Per 1000 People)	39.48
Crude Death Rate, 2007 (Per 1000 People)	19.80
Life Expectancy at Birth, 2007	42.10

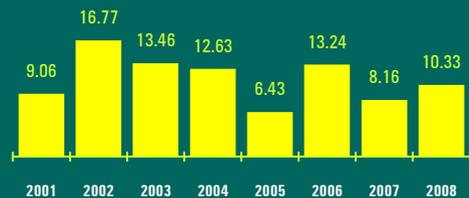
## Economic Overview

GDP, Current Market Prices, 2008 (Million USD)	9 897
GDP, Per Capita, 2008 (USD)	454
Total Consumption, Current Market Prices, 2008 (Million USD)	9 047
Balance of Government Budget (% of GDP)	..
Total External Debt, 2007 (Million USD)	3 105
Foreign Direct Investment, 2008 (Million USD)	587
Rate of Exchange, Period Average, 2008 (MZM / USD)	24.30

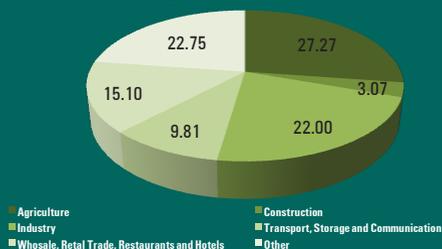
**Real GDP Growth Rate**  
Annual Rate of Change, Constant USD (%)



**Consumer Price Index**  
Annual Rate of Change (%)

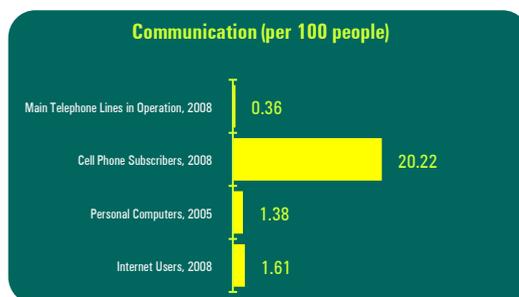


**GDP by Major Sectors, 2008**



# Mozambique

Labour Force	
Labour Force Participation Rate, Female, 2007 (%)	88.10
Labour Force Participation Rate, Male, 2007 (%)	77.20
Labour Force Participation Rate, Total, 2007 (%)	82.90
Trade	
Merchandise Exports to World, 2008 (Million USD)	2 359
Merchandise Imports from World, 2008 (Million USD)	4 664
Intra-OIC Merchandise Exports, 2008 (Million USD)	47
Intra-OIC Merchandise Imports, 2008 (Million USD)	270
Education	
Adult Literacy Rate, Female, 2007 (%)	32.95
Adult Literacy Rate, Male, 2007 (%)	57.15
Adult Literacy Rate, Total, 2007 (%)	44.38
Public Education Expenditures, 2006 (% of GDP)	5.01
Primary School Enrolment Ratio, Net, 2008 (%)	79.89
Secondary School Enrolment Ratio, Net, 2008 (%)	6.22
Health	
Total Health Expenditures, 2006 (% of GDP)	4.70
Health Expenditures per Person, 2006 (USD)	17.00
Infant Mortality Rate, 2006 (Per 1000 People)	96.00
Environment	
Carbon Dioxide Emissions, Total, 2006 (Thousand Metric Tons)	2 039
Carbon Dioxide Emissions, Per Capita, 2006 (Metric Tons)	0.10
Transportation	
Civil Aviation, Passenger-kilometers, 2004 (Millions)	372
Merchant Shipping, Fleets, 2007 (Thousand Dead Weight Tons)	27.49
Rail Lines, Total Route (Kilometers)	..
Roads, Total Network, 2001 (Thousand Kilometers)	30.40



# Niger



Capital City	Niamey
Other Large Cities	Zinder, Tahoua, Maradi, Agadez, Dosso
Official Language	French
National Currency Unit	CFA Franc BCEAO (XOF)
National Statistical Office	<a href="http://www.stat-niger.org">http://www.stat-niger.org</a>

## Demographic and Social Overview

Total Land Area (Sq Km)	1 266 700
Total Population, 2008	14 668 743
Population Density, 2008 (Per Sq Km)	11.58
Annual Population Growth Rate, 2008 (%)	3.34
Crude Birth Rate, 2007 (Per 1000 People)	48.96
Crude Death Rate, 2007 (Per 1000 People)	13.80
Life Expectancy at Birth, 2007	56.90

## Economic Overview

GDP, Current Market Prices, 2008 (Million USD)	5 382
GDP, Per Capita, 2008 (USD)	367
Total Consumption, Current Market Prices, 2008 (Million USD)	4 773
Balance of Government Budget, 2007 (% of GDP)	1.87
Total External Debt, 2007 (Million USD)	972
Foreign Direct Investment, 2008 (Million USD)	147
Rate of Exchange, Period Average, 2008 (XOF / USD)	447.81

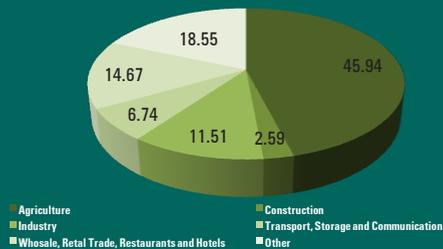
**Real GDP Growth Rate**  
Annual Rate of Change, Constant USD (%)



**Consumer Price Index**  
Annual Rate of Change (%)

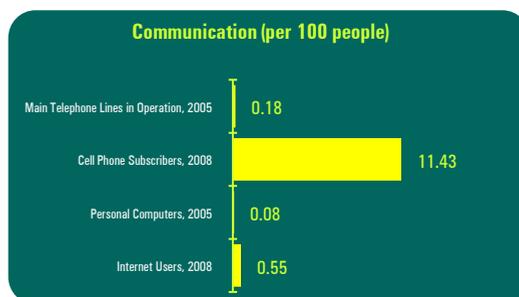


**GDP by Major Sectors, 2008**



# Niger

Labour Force	
Labour Force Participation Rate, Female, 2007 (%)	39.30
Labour Force Participation Rate, Male, 2007 (%)	87.50
Labour Force Participation Rate, Total, 2007 (%)	63.50
Trade	
Merchandise Exports to World, 2008 (Million USD)	1 518
Merchandise Imports from World, 2008 (Million USD)	1 442
Intra-OIC Merchandise Exports, 2008 (Million USD)	143
Intra-OIC Merchandise Imports, 2008 (Million USD)	436
Education	
Adult Literacy Rate, Female, 2007 (%)	16.44
Adult Literacy Rate, Male, 2007 (%)	44.30
Adult Literacy Rate, Total, 2007 (%)	30.45
Public Education Expenditures, 2006 (% of GDP)	3.33
Primary School Enrolment Ratio, Net, 2008 (%)	49.47
Secondary School Enrolment Ratio, Net, 2007 (%)	8.89
Health	
Total Health Expenditures, 2006 (% of GDP)	4.00
Health Expenditures per Person, 2006 (USD)	10.00
Infant Mortality Rate, 2006 (Per 1000 People)	148.00
Environment	
Carbon Dioxide Emissions, Total, 2006 (Thousand Metric Tons)	935
Carbon Dioxide Emissions, Per Capita, 2006 (Metric Tons)	0.07
Transportation	
Civil Aviation, Passenger-kilometers, 2001 (Millions)	130
Merchant Shipping, Fleets (Thousand Dead Weight Tons)	..
Rail Lines, Total Route (Kilometers)	..
Roads, Total Network, 2006 (Thousand Kilometers)	18.55



# Nigeria



Capital City	Abuja
Other Large Cities	Lagos, Ibadan, Kano
Official Language	English
National Currency Unit	Naira (NGN)
National Statistical Office	<a href="http://www.nigerianstat.gov.ng">http://www.nigerianstat.gov.ng</a>

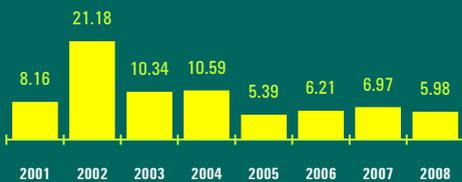
## Demographic and Social Overview

Total Land Area (Sq Km)	910 770
Total Population, 2008	151 319 500
Population Density, 2008 (Per Sq Km)	166.14
Annual Population Growth Rate, 2008 (%)	2.25
Crude Birth Rate, 2007 (Per 1000 People)	39.88
Crude Death Rate, 2007 (Per 1000 People)	16.80
Life Expectancy at Birth, 2007	46.80

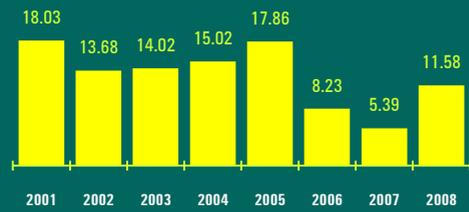
## Economic Overview

GDP, Current Market Prices, 2008 (Million USD)	219 192
GDP, Per Capita, 2008 (USD)	1 449
Total Consumption, Current Market Prices, 2008 (Million USD)	170 735
Balance of Government Budget (% of GDP)	..
Total External Debt, 2007 (Million USD)	8 934
Foreign Direct Investment, 2008 (Million USD)	20 279
Rate of Exchange, Period Average, 2008 (NGN / USD)	118.55

**Real GDP Growth Rate**  
Annual Rate of Change, Constant USD (%)



**Consumer Price Index**  
Annual Rate of Change (%)

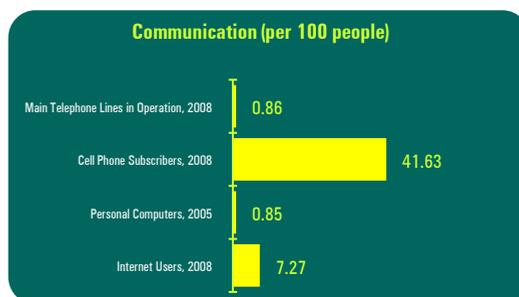


**GDP by Major Sectors, 2008**



# Nigeria

Labour Force	
Labour Force Participation Rate, Female, 2007 (%)	38.70
Labour Force Participation Rate, Male, 2007 (%)	70.60
Labour Force Participation Rate, Total, 2007 (%)	54.50
Trade	
Merchandise Exports to World, 2008 (Million USD)	77 887
Merchandise Imports from World, 2008 (Million USD)	54 795
Intra-OIC Merchandise Exports, 2008 (Million USD)	4 621
Intra-OIC Merchandise Imports, 2008 (Million USD)	3 644
Education	
Adult Literacy Rate, Female, 2007 (%)	64.10
Adult Literacy Rate, Male, 2007 (%)	80.08
Adult Literacy Rate, Total, 2007 (%)	72.01
Public Education Expenditures (% of GDP)	..
Primary School Enrolment Ratio, Net, 2007 (%)	61.40
Secondary School Enrolment Ratio, Net, 2007 (%)	25.81
Health	
Total Health Expenditures, 2006 (% of GDP)	4.10
Health Expenditures per Person, 2006 (USD)	32.00
Infant Mortality Rate, 2006 (Per 1000 People)	99.00
Environment	
Carbon Dioxide Emissions, Total, 2006 (Thousand Metric Tons)	97 262
Carbon Dioxide Emissions, Per Capita, 2006 (Metric Tons)	0.67
Transportation	
Civil Aviation, Passenger-kilometers, 2004 (Millions)	683
Merchant Shipping, Fleets, 2007 (Thousand Dead Weight Tons)	524.17
Rail Lines, Total Route, 2007 (Kilometers)	3 528
Roads, Total Network, 2004 (Thousand Kilometers)	193.20



# Oman



Capital City	Muscat
Other Large Cities	Nizwa (Nazvah), Samail
Official Language	Arabic
National Currency Unit	Omani Rial (OMR)
National Statistical Office	<a href="http://www.moneoman.gov.om">http://www.moneoman.gov.om</a>

## Demographic and Social Overview

Total Land Area (Sq Km)	309 500
Total Population, 2008	2 785 361
Population Density, 2008 (Per Sq Km)	9.00
Annual Population Growth Rate, 2008 (%)	2.17
Crude Birth Rate, 2007 (Per 1000 People)	22.06
Crude Death Rate, 2007 (Per 1000 People)	2.70
Life Expectancy at Birth, 2008	76.00

## Economic Overview

GDP, Current Market Prices, 2008 (Million USD)	59 946
GDP, Per Capita, 2008 (USD)	21 522
Total Consumption, Current Market Prices, 2008 (Million USD)	38 579
Balance of Government Budget, 2001 (% of GDP)	0.07
Total External Debt (Million USD)	..
Foreign Direct Investment, 2008 (Million USD)	2 928
Rate of Exchange, Period Average, 2008 (OMR / USD)	0.38

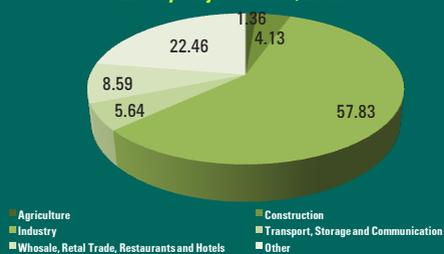
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Annual Rate of Change, Constant USD (%)



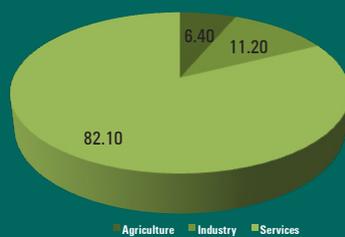
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Annual Rate of Change (%)



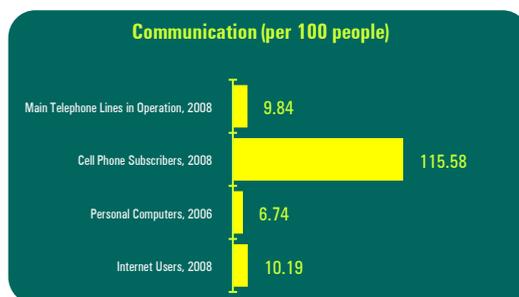
**GDP by Major Sectors, 2008**



**Employment in Major Sectors, 2000**



<b>Labour Force</b>	
Labour Force Participation Rate, Female, 2007 (%)	25.80
Labour Force Participation Rate, Male, 2007 (%)	76.60
Labour Force Participation Rate, Total, 2007 (%)	55.20
<b>Trade</b>	
Merchandise Exports to World, 2008 (Million USD)	31 743
Merchandise Imports from World, 2008 (Million USD)	22 330
Intra-OIC Merchandise Exports, 2008 (Million USD)	5 606
Intra-OIC Merchandise Imports, 2008 (Million USD)	6 229
<b>Education</b>	
Adult Literacy Rate, Female, 2007 (%)	77.50
Adult Literacy Rate, Male, 2007 (%)	89.36
Adult Literacy Rate, Total, 2007 (%)	84.37
Public Education Expenditures, 2006 (% of GDP)	4.02
Primary School Enrolment Ratio, Net, 2008 (%)	68.26
Secondary School Enrolment Ratio, Net, 2008 (%)	78.22
<b>Health</b>	
Total Health Expenditures, 2006 (% of GDP)	2.30
Health Expenditures per Person, 2006 (USD)	325.00
Infant Mortality Rate, 2006 (Per 1000 People)	10.00
<b>Environment</b>	
Carbon Dioxide Emissions, Total, 2006 (Thousand Metric Tons)	41 378
Carbon Dioxide Emissions, Per Capita, 2006 (Metric Tons)	15.50
<b>Transportation</b>	
Civil Aviation, Passenger-kilometers, 2004 (Millions)	7 455
Merchant Shipping, Fleets, 2007 (Thousand Dead Weight Tons)	13.15
Rail Lines, Total Route (Kilometers)	..
Roads, Total Network, 2001 (Thousand Kilometers)	34.97



# Pakistan



Capital City	Islamabad
Other Large Cities	Karachi, Lahore, Faisalabad
Official Language	English, Urdu
National Currency Unit	Pakistan Rupee (PKR)
National Statistical Office	<a href="http://www.statpak.gov.pk">http://www.statpak.gov.pk</a>

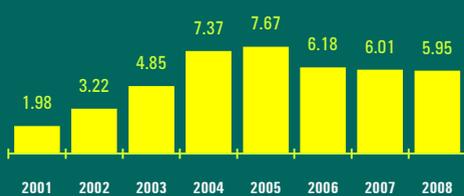
## Demographic and Social Overview

Total Land Area (Sq Km)	796 095
Total Population, 2009 (Estimated)	163 760 000
Population Density, 2009 (Per Sq Km)	205.70
Annual Population Growth Rate, 2008 (%)	2.69
Crude Birth Rate, 2007 (Per 1000 People)	25.00
Crude Death Rate, 2007 (Per 1000 People)	7.70
Life Expectancy at Birth, 2007	65.40

## Economic Overview

GDP, Current Market Prices, 2008 (Million USD)	167 779
GDP, Per Capita, 2008 (USD)	1 025
Total Consumption, Current Market Prices, 2008 (Million USD)	151 224
Balance of Government Budget, 2008 (% of GDP)	-5.31
Total External Debt, 2008 (Million USD)	50 759
Foreign Direct Investment, 2008 (Million USD)	3 720
Rate of Exchange, Period Average, 2008 (PKR / USD)	78.50

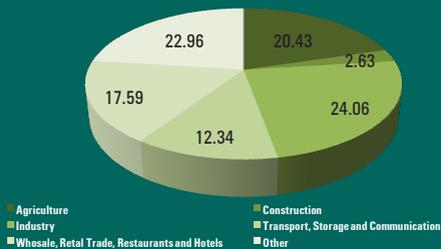
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Annual Rate of Change, Constant USD (%)



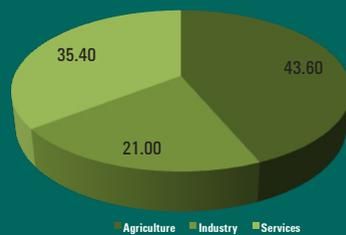
**Consumer Price Index**  
Annual Rate of Change (%)



**GDP by Major Sectors, 2008**

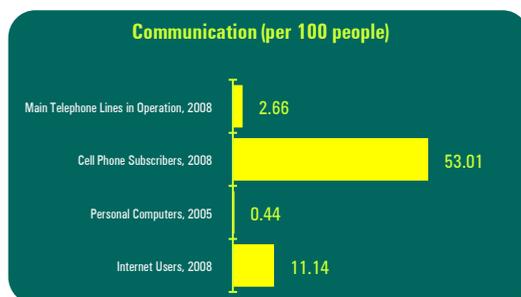


**Employment in Major Sectors, 2007**



# Pakistan

Labour Force	
Labour Force Participation Rate, Female, 2007 (%)	14.00
Labour Force Participation Rate, Male, 2007 (%)	49.30
Labour Force Participation Rate, Total, 2007 (%)	32.20
Trade	
Merchandise Exports to World, 2008 (Million USD)	17 688
Merchandise Imports from World, 2008 (Million USD)	34 822
Intra-OIC Merchandise Exports, 2008 (Million USD)	7 897
Intra-OIC Merchandise Imports, 2008 (Million USD)	18 712
Education	
Adult Literacy Rate, Female, 2007 (%)	40.23
Adult Literacy Rate, Male, 2007 (%)	68.71
Adult Literacy Rate, Total, 2007 (%)	54.89
Public Education Expenditures, 2008 (% of GDP)	2.91
Primary School Enrolment Ratio, Net, 2008 (%)	64.00
Secondary School Enrolment Ratio, Net, 2008 (%)	32.52
Health	
Total Health Expenditures, 2008 (% of GDP)	0.30
Health Expenditures per Person, 2008 (USD)	7.30
Infant Mortality Rate, 2006 (Per 1000 People)	76.10
Environment	
Carbon Dioxide Emissions, Total, 2006 (Thousand Metric Tons)	142 659
Carbon Dioxide Emissions, Per Capita, 2006 (Metric Tons)	0.90
Transportation	
Civil Aviation, Passenger-kilometers, 2008 (Millions)	13 925
Merchant Shipping, Fleets, 2007 (Thousand Dead Weight Tons)	673.15
Rail Lines, Total Route, 2007 (Kilometers)	7 791
Roads, Total Network, 2008 (Thousand Kilometers)	258.00



# Palestine



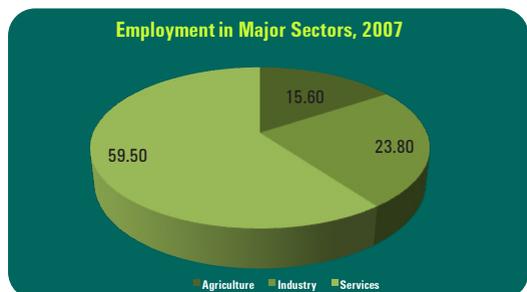
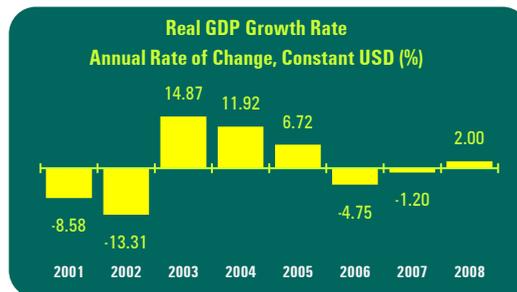
Capital City	Al-Quds
Other Large Cities	Ramallah, Nablus, Bethlehem, Jericho, Gaza
Official Language	Arabic
National Currency Unit	Jordanian Dinar, United States Dollar (JOD, USD)
National Statistical Office	<a href="http://www.pcbs.gov.ps">http://www.pcbs.gov.ps</a>

## Demographic and Social Overview

Total Land Area (Sq Km)	6 020
Total Population, 2008	3 837 957
Population Density, 2008 (Per Sq Km)	637.53
Annual Population Growth Rate, 2008 (%)	3.50
Crude Birth Rate, 2007 (Per 1000 People)	35.86
Crude Death Rate, 2007 (Per 1000 People)	3.70
Life Expectancy at Birth, 2007	73.40

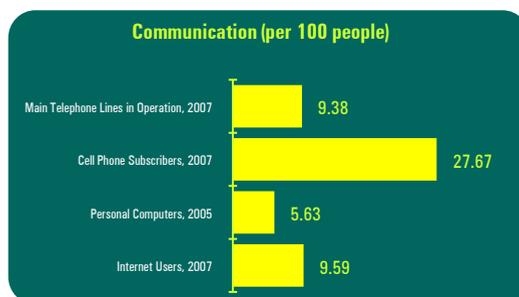
## Economic Overview

GDP, Current Market Prices, 2008 (Million USD)	6 159
GDP, Per Capita, 2008 (USD)	1 605
Total Consumption, Current Market Prices, 2008 (Million USD)	8 586
Balance of Government Budget (% of GDP)	..
Total External Debt (Million USD)	..
Foreign Direct Investment, 2008 (Million USD)	29
Rate of Exchange, Period Average (JOD, USD / USD)	..



# Palestine

Labour Force	
Labour Force Participation Rate, Female, 2007 (%)	14.00
Labour Force Participation Rate, Male, 2007 (%)	66.90
Labour Force Participation Rate, Total, 2007 (%)	40.80
Trade	
Merchandise Exports to World (Million USD)	..
Merchandise Imports from World (Million USD)	..
Intra-OIC Merchandise Exports (Million USD)	..
Intra-OIC Merchandise Imports (Million USD)	..
Education	
Adult Literacy Rate, Female, 2007 (%)	90.33
Adult Literacy Rate, Male, 2007 (%)	97.19
Adult Literacy Rate, Total, 2007 (%)	93.81
Public Education Expenditures (% of GDP)	..
Primary School Enrolment Ratio, Net, 2007 (%)	73.33
Secondary School Enrolment Ratio, Net, 2007 (%)	88.55
Health	
Total Health Expenditures (% of GDP)	..
Health Expenditures per Person (USD)	..
Infant Mortality Rate, 2007 (Per 1000 People)	23.90
Environment	
Carbon Dioxide Emissions, Total, 2006 (Thousand Metric Tons)	2 985
Carbon Dioxide Emissions, Per Capita, 2006 (Metric Tons)	0.83
Transportation	
Civil Aviation, Passenger-kilometers (Millions)	..
Merchant Shipping, Fleets (Thousand Dead Weight Tons)	..
Rail Lines, Total Route (Kilometers)	..
Roads, Total Network, 2006 (Thousand Kilometers)	5.15



# Qatar



Capital City	Doha
Other Large Cities	Ar-Rayyan, Al- Wakrah
Official Language	Arabic
National Currency Unit	Qatari Riyal (QAR)
National Statistical Office	<a href="http://www.planning.gov.qa">http://www.planning.gov.qa</a>

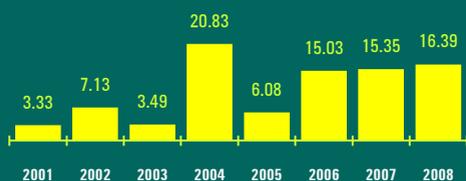
## Demographic and Social Overview

Total Land Area (Sq Km)	11 000
Total Population, 2008	1 280 862
Population Density, 2008 (Per Sq Km)	116.44
Annual Population Growth Rate, 2008 (%)	12.60
Crude Birth Rate, 2007 (Per 1000 People)	12.20
Crude Death Rate, 2007 (Per 1000 People)	2.00
Life Expectancy at Birth, 2008	76.00

## Economic Overview

GDP, Current Market Prices, 2008 (Million USD)	113 984
GDP, Per Capita, 2008 (USD)	88 990
Total Consumption, Current Market Prices, 2008 (Million USD)	37 789
Balance of Government Budget, 2007 (% of GDP)	27.93
Total External Debt (Million USD)	..
Foreign Direct Investment, 2008 (Million USD)	6 700
Rate of Exchange, Period Average, 2008 (QAR / USD)	3.64

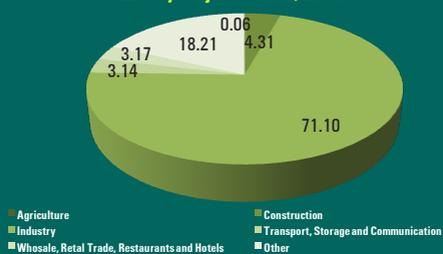
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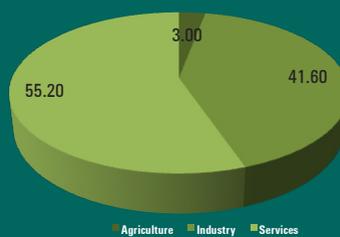
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Annual Rate of Change (%)



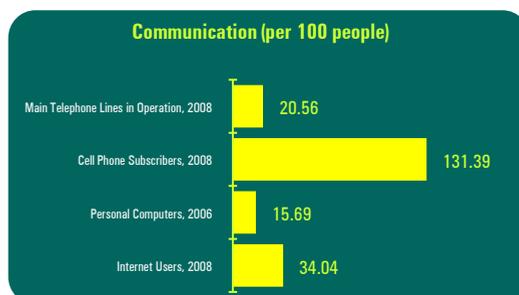
**GDP by Major Sectors, 2008**



**Employment in Major Sectors, 2006**



Labour Force	
Labour Force Participation Rate, Female, 2007 (%)	41.40
Labour Force Participation Rate, Male, 2007 (%)	91.60
Labour Force Participation Rate, Total, 2007 (%)	77.20
Trade	
Merchandise Exports to World, 2008 (Million USD)	58 917
Merchandise Imports from World, 2008 (Million USD)	27 423
Intra-OIC Merchandise Exports, 2008 (Million USD)	3 828
Intra-OIC Merchandise Imports, 2008 (Million USD)	5 646
Education	
Adult Literacy Rate, Female, 2007 (%)	90.44
Adult Literacy Rate, Male, 2007 (%)	93.81
Adult Literacy Rate, Total, 2007 (%)	93.08
Public Education Expenditures, 2005 (% of GDP)	3.28
Primary School Enrolment Ratio, Net, 2006 (%)	93.51
Secondary School Enrolment Ratio, Net, 2008 (%)	79.17
Health	
Total Health Expenditures, 2006 (% of GDP)	4.30
Health Expenditures per Person, 2006 (USD)	2 753.00
Infant Mortality Rate, 2007 (Per 1000 People)	12.40
Environment	
Carbon Dioxide Emissions, Total, 2006 (Thousand Metric Tons)	46 193
Carbon Dioxide Emissions, Per Capita, 2006 (Metric Tons)	46.16
Transportation	
Civil Aviation, Passenger-kilometers, 2004 (Millions)	12 172
Merchant Shipping, Fleets, 2007 (Thousand Dead Weight Tons)	932.62
Rail Lines, Total Route (Kilometers)	..
Roads, Total Network, 2006 (Thousand Kilometers)	7.79



# Saudi Arabia



Capital City	Riyadh
Other Large Cities	Jeddah, Makkah (Mecca), Madina
Official Language	Arabic
National Currency Unit	Saudi Riyal (SAR)
National Statistical Office	<a href="http://www.cdsi.gov.sa">http://www.cdsi.gov.sa</a>

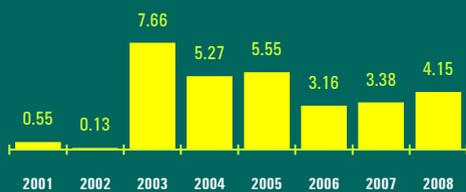
## Demographic and Social Overview

Total Land Area (Sq Km)	2 149 690
Total Population, 2008	24 807 273
Population Density, 2008 (Per Sq Km)	11.54
Annual Population Growth Rate, 2008 (%)	2.23
Crude Birth Rate, 2007 (Per 1000 People)	24.10
Crude Death Rate, 2007 (Per 1000 People)	3.90
Life Expectancy at Birth, 2007	73.40

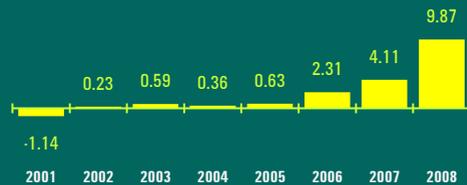
## Economic Overview

GDP, Current Market Prices, 2009 (Preliminary) (Million USD)	369 178
GDP, Per Capita, 2009 (Preliminary) (USD)	14 979
Total Consumption, Current Market Prices, 2009 (Preliminary) (Million USD)	238 148
Balance of Government Budget (% of GDP)	..
Total External Debt (Million USD)	..
Foreign Direct Investment, 2008 (Million USD)	38 223
Rate of Exchange, Period Average, 2009 (Preliminary) (SAR / USD)	3.75

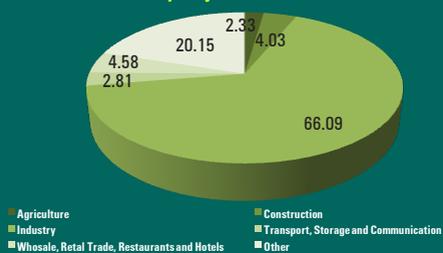
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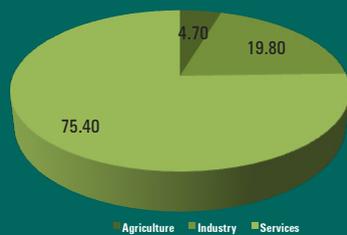
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Annual Rate of Change (%)



**GDP by Major Sectors, 2008**

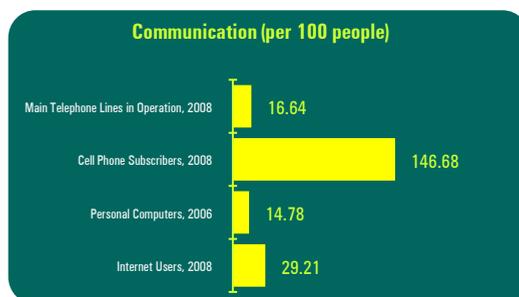


**Employment in Major Sectors, 2007**



# Saudi Arabia

Labour Force	
Labour Force Participation Rate, Female, 2009 (%)	17.40
Labour Force Participation Rate, Male, 2009 (%)	74.20
Labour Force Participation Rate, Total, 2009 (%)	49.90
Trade	
Merchandise Exports to World, 2008 (Million USD)	313 462
Merchandise Imports from World, 2008 (Million USD)	115 134
Intra-OIC Merchandise Exports, 2008 (Million USD)	42 646
Intra-OIC Merchandise Imports, 2008 (Million USD)	15 578
Education	
Adult Literacy Rate, Female, 2007 (%)	78.60
Adult Literacy Rate, Male, 2007 (%)	89.90
Adult Literacy Rate, Total, 2007 (%)	85.10
Public Education Expenditures, 2004 (% of GDP)	6.75
Primary School Enrolment Ratio, Net, 2008 (%)	84.88
Secondary School Enrolment Ratio, Net, 2007 (%)	61.16
Health	
Total Health Expenditures, 2006 (% of GDP)	3.40
Health Expenditures per Person, 2006 (USD)	491.00
Infant Mortality Rate, 2006 (Per 1000 People)	18.60
Environment	
Carbon Dioxide Emissions, Total, 2006 (Thousand Metric Tons)	381 564
Carbon Dioxide Emissions, Per Capita, 2006 (Metric Tons)	16.11
Transportation	
Civil Aviation, Passenger-kilometers, 2004 (Millions)	22 557
Merchant Shipping, Fleets, 2007 (Thousand Dead Weight Tons)	1 243.87
Rail Lines, Total Route, 2007 (Kilometers)	1 412
Roads, Total Network, 2005 (Thousand Kilometers)	221.37



# Senegal



Capital City	Dakar
Other Large Cities	Thiès, Kaolack, Ziguinchor
Official Language	French
National Currency Unit	CFA Franc BCEAO (XOF)
National Statistical Office	<a href="http://www.ansd.org">http://www.ansd.org</a>

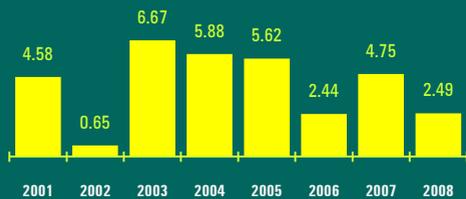
## Demographic and Social Overview

Total Land Area (Sq Km)	192 530
Total Population, 2008	12 211 181
Population Density, 2008 (Per Sq Km)	63.42
Annual Population Growth Rate, 2008 (%)	2.67
Crude Birth Rate, 2007 (Per 1000 People)	38.78
Crude Death Rate, 2007 (Per 1000 People)	11.00
Life Expectancy at Birth, 2008	55.70

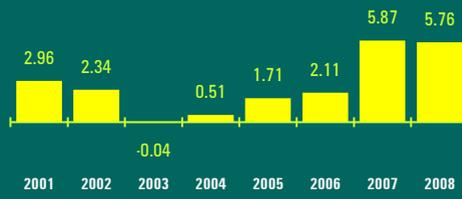
## Economic Overview

GDP, Current Market Prices, 2008 (Million USD)	13 350
GDP, Per Capita, 2008 (USD)	1 093
Total Consumption, Current Market Prices, 2008 (Million USD)	12 314
Balance of Government Budget, 2001 (% of GDP)	2.29
Total External Debt, 2007 (Million USD)	2 588
Foreign Direct Investment, 2008 (Million USD)	706
Rate of Exchange, Period Average, 2008 (XOF / USD)	447.81

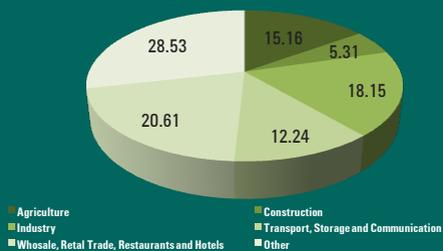
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Annual Rate of Change, Constant USD (%)



**Consumer Price Index**  
Annual Rate of Change (%)



**GDP by Major Sectors, 2008**

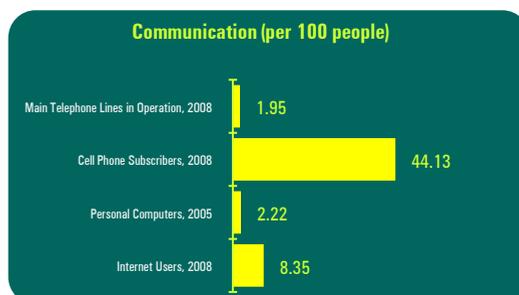


**Employment in Major Sectors, 2006**



# Senegal

Labour Force	
Labour Force Participation Rate, Female, 2007 (%)	61.50
Labour Force Participation Rate, Male, 2007 (%)	86.20
Labour Force Participation Rate, Total, 2007 (%)	73.70
Trade	
Merchandise Exports to World, 2008 (Million USD)	1 906
Merchandise Imports from World, 2008 (Million USD)	6 378
Intra-OIC Merchandise Exports, 2008 (Million USD)	863
Intra-OIC Merchandise Imports, 2008 (Million USD)	789
Education	
Adult Literacy Rate, Female, 2007 (%)	32.32
Adult Literacy Rate, Male, 2007 (%)	53.13
Adult Literacy Rate, Total, 2007 (%)	42.58
Public Education Expenditures, 2006 (% of GDP)	4.77
Primary School Enrolment Ratio, Net, 2008 (%)	72.93
Secondary School Enrolment Ratio, Net, 2007 (%)	22.61
Health	
Total Health Expenditures, 2006 (% of GDP)	5.40
Health Expenditures per Person, 2006 (USD)	40.00
Infant Mortality Rate, 2006 (Per 1000 People)	60.00
Environment	
Carbon Dioxide Emissions, Total, 2006 (Thousand Metric Tons)	4 261
Carbon Dioxide Emissions, Per Capita, 2006 (Metric Tons)	0.37
Transportation	
Civil Aviation, Passenger-kilometers, 2004 (Millions)	767
Merchant Shipping, Fleets, 2007 (Thousand Dead Weight Tons)	18.38
Rail Lines, Total Route, 2000 (Kilometers)	906
Roads, Total Network, 2003 (Thousand Kilometers)	13.58



# Sierra Leone



Capital City	Freetown
Other Large Cities	Bo, Kenema, Makeni
Official Language	English
National Currency Unit	Leone (SLL)
National Statistical Office	<a href="http://www.statistics.sl">http://www.statistics.sl</a>

## Demographic and Social Overview

Total Land Area (Sq Km)	71 620
Total Population, 2008	5 559 853
Population Density, 2008 (Per Sq Km)	77.63
Annual Population Growth Rate, 2008 (%)	2.57
Crude Birth Rate, 2007 (Per 1000 People)	40.44
Crude Death Rate, 2007 (Per 1000 People)	16.00
Life Expectancy at Birth, 2008	47.70

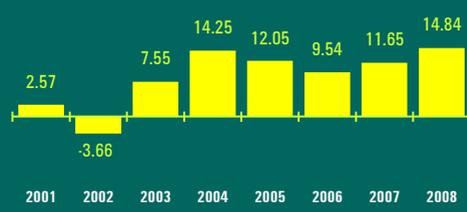
## Economic Overview

GDP, Current Market Prices, 2008 (Million USD)	2 324
GDP, Per Capita, 2008 (USD)	418
Total Consumption, Current Market Prices, 2008 (Million USD)	2 236
Balance of Government Budget, 2004 (% of GDP)	-8.64
Total External Debt, 2007 (Million USD)	348
Foreign Direct Investment, 2008 (Million USD)	30
Rate of Exchange, Period Average, 2008 (SLL / USD)	2 981.51

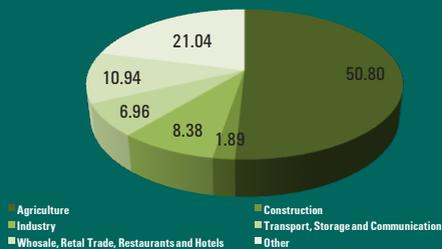
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Annual Rate of Change, Constant USD (%)



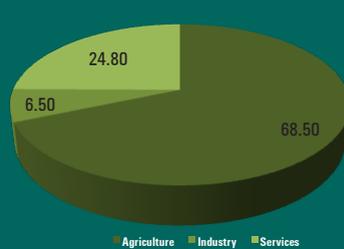
**Consumer Price Index**  
Annual Rate of Change (%)



**GDP by Major Sectors, 2008**

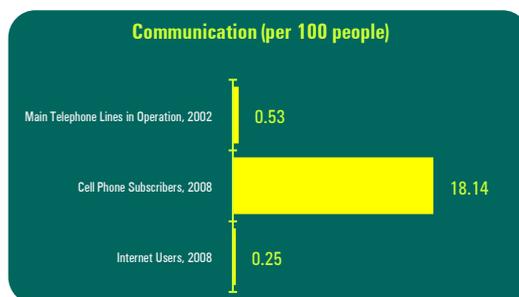


**Employment in Major Sectors, 2004**



# Sierra Leone

Labour Force	
Labour Force Participation Rate, Female, 2007 (%)	64.90
Labour Force Participation Rate, Male, 2007 (%)	67.40
Labour Force Participation Rate, Total, 2007 (%)	66.10
Trade	
Merchandise Exports to World, 2008 (Million USD)	227
Merchandise Imports from World, 2008 (Million USD)	822
Intra-OIC Merchandise Exports, 2008 (Million USD)	9
Intra-OIC Merchandise Imports, 2008 (Million USD)	184
Education	
Adult Literacy Rate, Female, 2007 (%)	26.77
Adult Literacy Rate, Male, 2007 (%)	50.00
Adult Literacy Rate, Total, 2007 (%)	38.10
Public Education Expenditures, 2005 (% of GDP)	3.80
Primary School Enrolment Ratio, Net (%)	..
Secondary School Enrolment Ratio, Net, 2007 (%)	24.94
Health	
Total Health Expenditures, 2006 (% of GDP)	3.50
Health Expenditures per Person, 2006 (USD)	9.00
Infant Mortality Rate, 2006 (Per 1000 People)	159.00
Environment	
Carbon Dioxide Emissions, Total, 2006 (Thousand Metric Tons)	994
Carbon Dioxide Emissions, Per Capita, 2006 (Metric Tons)	0.19
Transportation	
Civil Aviation, Passenger-kilometers, 2002 (Millions)	85
Merchant Shipping, Fleets, 2007 (Thousand Dead Weight Tons)	372.23
Rail Lines, Total Route (Kilometers)	..
Roads, Total Network, 2002 (Thousand Kilometers)	11.30



# Somalia



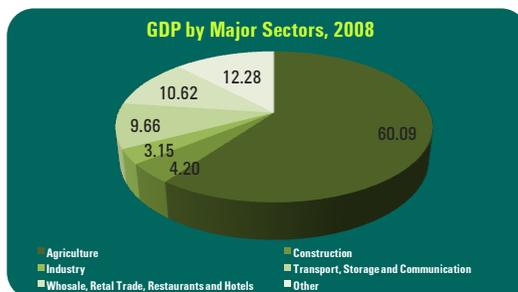
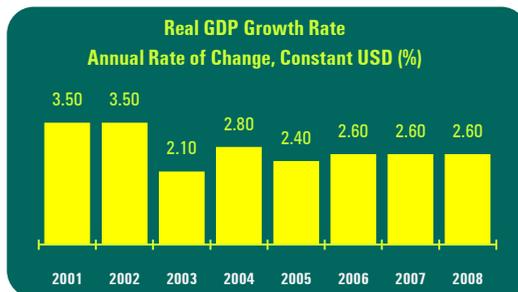
Capital City	Mogadishu
Other Large Cities	Hargeisa, Kismayu (Chisimayu) Berbera
Official Language	Somali
National Currency Unit	Somali Shilling (SOS)
National Statistical Office	Ministry of Planning and Statistics

## Demographic and Social Overview

Total Land Area (Sq Km)	627 340
Total Population, 2008	8 953 890
Population Density, 2008 (Per Sq Km)	14.27
Annual Population Growth Rate, 2008 (%)	2.97
Crude Birth Rate, 2007 (Per 1000 People)	42.92
Crude Death Rate, 2007 (Per 1000 People)	16.60
Life Expectancy at Birth, 2007	48.10

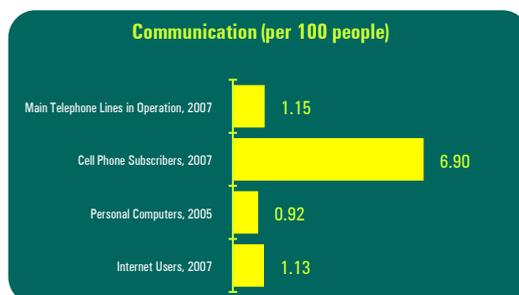
## Economic Overview

GDP, Current Market Prices, 2008 (Million USD)	2 660
GDP, Per Capita, 2008 (USD)	297
Total Consumption, Current Market Prices, 2008 (Million USD)	2 156
Balance of Government Budget (% of GDP)	..
Total External Debt, 2007 (Million USD)	2 944
Foreign Direct Investment, 2008 (Million USD)	87
Rate of Exchange, Period Average (SOS / USD)	..



# Somalia

Labour Force	
Labour Force Participation Rate, Female, 2007 (%)	54.30
Labour Force Participation Rate, Male, 2007 (%)	88.50
Labour Force Participation Rate, Total, 2007 (%)	71.10
Trade	
Merchandise Exports to World, 2008 (Million USD)	456
Merchandise Imports from World, 2008 (Million USD)	1 107
Intra-OIC Merchandise Exports, 2008 (Million USD)	432
Intra-OIC Merchandise Imports, 2008 (Million USD)	602
Education	
Adult Literacy Rate, Female (%)	..
Adult Literacy Rate, Male (%)	..
Adult Literacy Rate, Total (%)	..
Public Education Expenditures (% of GDP)	..
Primary School Enrolment Ratio, Net, 2006 (%)	23.00
Secondary School Enrolment Ratio, Net (%)	..
Health	
Total Health Expenditures (% of GDP)	..
Health Expenditures per Person (USD)	..
Infant Mortality Rate, 2006 (Per 1000 People)	90.00
Environment	
Carbon Dioxide Emissions, Total, 2006 (Thousand Metric Tons)	172
Carbon Dioxide Emissions, Per Capita, 2006 (Metric Tons)	0.02
Transportation	
Civil Aviation, Passenger-kilometers (Millions)	..
Merchant Shipping, Fleets, 2007 (Thousand Dead Weight Tons)	10.13
Rail Lines, Total Route (Kilometers)	..
Roads, Total Network, 2001 (Thousand Kilometers)	22.10



# Sudan



Capital City	Khartoum
Other Large Cities	Port Sudan, Omdurman, Khartoum North
Official Language	Arabic, English
National Currency Unit	Sudanese Dinar (SDD)
National Statistical Office	<a href="http://www.cbs.gov.sd">http://www.cbs.gov.sd</a>

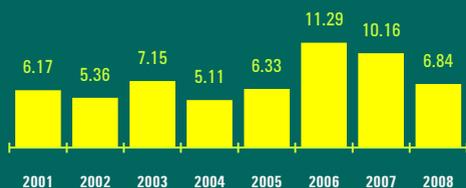
## Demographic and Social Overview

Total Land Area (Sq Km)	2 376 000
Total Population, 2008	41 347 723
Population Density, 2008 (Per Sq Km)	17.40
Annual Population Growth Rate, 2008 (%)	2.26
Crude Birth Rate, 2007 (Per 1000 People)	31.62
Crude Death Rate, 2007 (Per 1000 People)	10.30
Life Expectancy at Birth, 2008	58.30

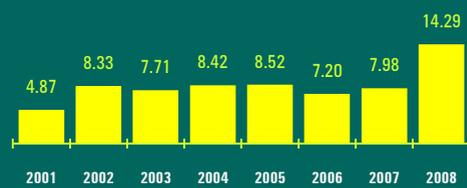
## Economic Overview

GDP, Current Market Prices, 2008 (Million USD)	70 276
GDP, Per Capita, 2008 (USD)	1 700
Total Consumption, Current Market Prices, 2008 (Million USD)	55 595
Balance of Government Budget, 1999 (% of GDP)	0.40
Total External Debt, 2007 (Million USD)	19 126
Foreign Direct Investment, 2008 (Million USD)	2 601
Rate of Exchange, Period Average, 2008 (SDD / USD)	2.09

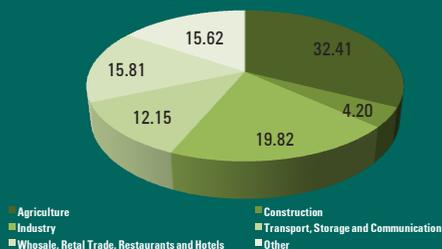
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Annual Rate of Change, Constant USD (%)



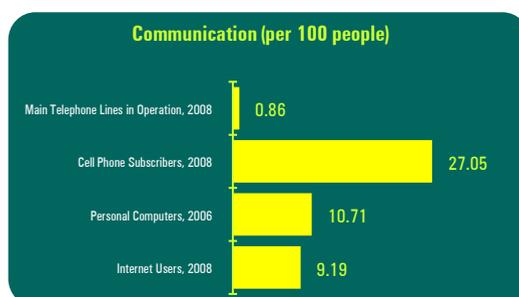
**Consumer Price Index**  
Annual Rate of Change (%)



**GDP by Major Sectors, 2008**



Labour Force	
Labour Force Participation Rate, Female, 2007 (%)	31.30
Labour Force Participation Rate, Male, 2007 (%)	71.60
Labour Force Participation Rate, Total, 2007 (%)	51.50
Trade	
Merchandise Exports to World, 2008 (Million USD)	12 807
Merchandise Imports from World, 2008 (Million USD)	10 718
Intra-OIC Merchandise Exports, 2008 (Million USD)	1 235
Intra-OIC Merchandise Imports, 2008 (Million USD)	3 060
Education	
Adult Literacy Rate, Female, 2000 (%)	51.78
Adult Literacy Rate, Male, 2000 (%)	71.13
Adult Literacy Rate, Total, 2000 (%)	60.93
Public Education Expenditures (% of GDP)	..
Primary School Enrolment Ratio, Net, 2000 (%)	39.24
Secondary School Enrolment Ratio, Net (%)	..
Health	
Total Health Expenditures, 2006 (% of GDP)	3.80
Health Expenditures per Person, 2006 (USD)	38.00
Infant Mortality Rate, 2006 (Per 1000 People)	62.00
Environment	
Carbon Dioxide Emissions, Total, 2006 (Thousand Metric Tons)	10 813
Carbon Dioxide Emissions, Per Capita, 2006 (Metric Tons)	0.27
Transportation	
Civil Aviation, Passenger-kilometers, 2004 (Millions)	898
Merchant Shipping, Fleets, 2007 (Thousand Dead Weight Tons)	28.78
Rail Lines, Total Route, 2007 (Kilometers)	5 478
Roads, Total Network, 2001 (Thousand Kilometers)	11.90



# Suriname



Capital City	Paramaribo
Other Large Cities	Nieuw-Nickerie, Meerzorg, Marienburg
Official Language	Dutch
National Currency Unit	Surinamese Dollar (SRD)
National Statistical Office	<a href="http://www.statistics-suriname.org">http://www.statistics-suriname.org</a>

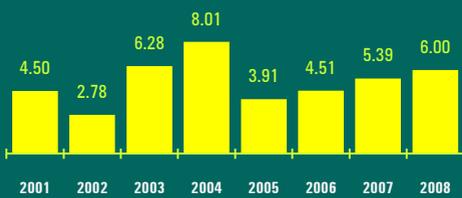
## Demographic and Social Overview

Total Land Area (Sq Km)	156 000
Total Population, 2008	515 124
Population Density, 2008 (Per Sq Km)	3.30
Annual Population Growth Rate, 2008 (%)	0.93
Crude Birth Rate, 2007 (Per 1000 People)	19.12
Crude Death Rate, 2007 (Per 1000 People)	7.60
Life Expectancy at Birth, 2008	69.10

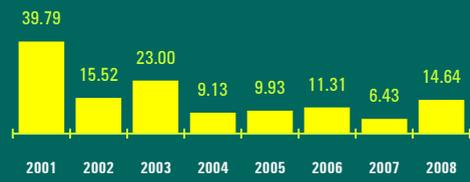
## Economic Overview

GDP, Current Market Prices, 2008 (Million USD)	2 933
GDP, Per Capita, 2008 (USD)	5 694
Total Consumption, Current Market Prices, 2008 (Million USD)	632
Balance of Government Budget (% of GDP)	..
Total External Debt (Million USD)	..
Foreign Direct Investment, 2008 (Million USD)	-234
Rate of Exchange, Period Average, 2008 (SRD / USD)	2.75

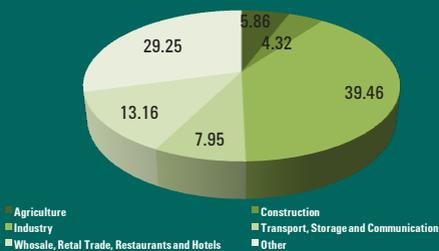
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Annual Rate of Change, Constant USD (%)



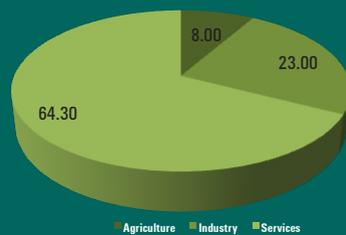
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Annual Rate of Change (%)



**GDP by Major Sectors, 2008**

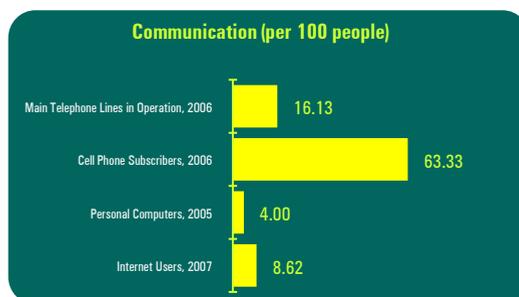


**Employment in Major Sectors, 2004**



# Suriname

Labour Force	
Labour Force Participation Rate, Female, 2007 (%)	37.40
Labour Force Participation Rate, Male, 2007 (%)	65.10
Labour Force Participation Rate, Total, 2007 (%)	51.10
Trade	
Merchandise Exports to World, 2008 (Million USD)	1 582
Merchandise Imports from World, 2008 (Million USD)	1 454
Intra-OIC Merchandise Exports, 2008 (Million USD)	165
Intra-OIC Merchandise Imports, 2008 (Million USD)	26
Education	
Adult Literacy Rate, Female, 2007 (%)	88.10
Adult Literacy Rate, Male, 2007 (%)	92.73
Adult Literacy Rate, Total, 2007 (%)	90.38
Public Education Expenditures (% of GDP)	..
Primary School Enrolment Ratio, Net, 2008 (%)	90.12
Secondary School Enrolment Ratio, Net, 2005 (%)	64.57
Health	
Total Health Expenditures, 2006 (% of GDP)	7.40
Health Expenditures per Person, 2006 (USD)	254.00
Infant Mortality Rate, 2006 (Per 1000 People)	29.00
Environment	
Carbon Dioxide Emissions, Total, 2006 (Thousand Metric Tons)	2 438
Carbon Dioxide Emissions, Per Capita, 2006 (Metric Tons)	4.83
Transportation	
Civil Aviation, Passenger-kilometers, 2004 (Millions)	1 616
Merchant Shipping, Fleets, 2007 (Thousand Dead Weight Tons)	6.80
Rail Lines, Total Route (Kilometers)	..
Roads, Total Network, 2003 (Thousand Kilometers)	4.30



# Syria



Capital City	Damascus
Other Large Cities	Aleppo, Homs, Latakia
Official Language	Arabic
National Currency Unit	Syrian Pound (SYP)
National Statistical Office	<a href="http://www.cbssyr.org">http://www.cbssyr.org</a>

## Demographic and Social Overview

Total Land Area (Sq Km)	183 780
Total Population, 2008	21 226 920
Population Density, 2008 (Per Sq Km)	115.50
Annual Population Growth Rate, 2008 (%)	3.53
Crude Birth Rate, 2007 (Per 1000 People)	28.23
Crude Death Rate, 2007 (Per 1000 People)	3.40
Life Expectancy at Birth, 2008	74.30

## Economic Overview

GDP, Current Market Prices, 2008 (Million USD)	55 024
GDP, Per Capita, 2008 (USD)	2 592
Total Consumption, Current Market Prices, 2008 (Million USD)	38 231
Balance of Government Budget (% of GDP)	..
Total External Debt (Million USD)	..
Foreign Direct Investment, 2008 (Million USD)	2 116
Rate of Exchange, Period Average, 2008 (SYP / USD)	11.23

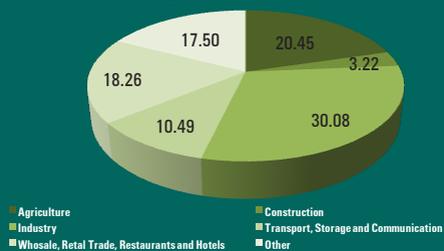
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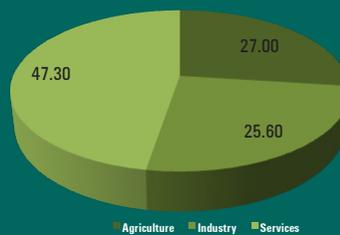
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Annual Rate of Change (%)



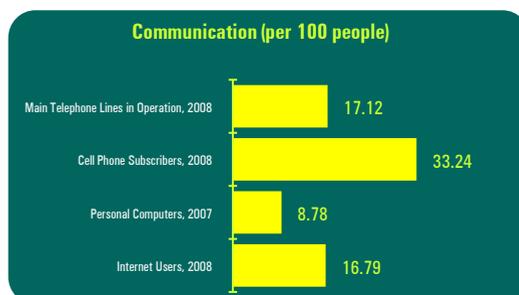
**GDP by Major Sectors, 2008**



**Employment in Major Sectors, 2003**



Labour Force	
Labour Force Participation Rate, Female, 2007 (%)	20.90
Labour Force Participation Rate, Male, 2007 (%)	78.30
Labour Force Participation Rate, Total, 2007 (%)	49.80
Trade	
Merchandise Exports to World, 2008 (Million USD)	17 339
Merchandise Imports from World, 2008 (Million USD)	28 416
Intra-OIC Merchandise Exports, 2008 (Million USD)	11 865
Intra-OIC Merchandise Imports, 2008 (Million USD)	13 068
Education	
Adult Literacy Rate, Female, 2007 (%)	76.48
Adult Literacy Rate, Male, 2007 (%)	89.71
Adult Literacy Rate, Total, 2007 (%)	83.12
Public Education Expenditures (% of GDP)	..
Primary School Enrolment Ratio, Net, 2002 (%)	94.51
Secondary School Enrolment Ratio, Net, 2008 (%)	67.74
Health	
Total Health Expenditures, 2006 (% of GDP)	3.90
Health Expenditures per Person, 2006 (USD)	66.00
Infant Mortality Rate, 2006 (Per 1000 People)	12.00
Environment	
Carbon Dioxide Emissions, Total, 2006 (Thousand Metric Tons)	68 460
Carbon Dioxide Emissions, Per Capita, 2006 (Metric Tons)	3.46
Transportation	
Civil Aviation, Passenger-kilometers, 2004 (Millions)	2 212
Merchant Shipping, Fleets, 2007 (Thousand Dead Weight Tons)	569.06
Rail Lines, Total Route, 2007 (Kilometers)	2 043
Roads, Total Network, 2006 (Thousand Kilometers)	38.92



# Tajikistan



Capital City	Dushanbe
Other Large Cities	Khujand, Kulob, Kurgan-tyube
Official Language	Tajik
National Currency Unit	Somoni (TJS)
National Statistical Office	<a href="http://www.stat.tj">http://www.stat.tj</a>

## Demographic and Social Overview

Total Land Area (Sq Km)	139 960
Total Population, 2008	6 836 083
Population Density, 2008 (Per Sq Km)	48.84
Annual Population Growth Rate, 2008 (%)	1.62
Crude Birth Rate, 2007 (Per 1000 People)	28.14
Crude Death Rate, 2007 (Per 1000 People)	6.40
Life Expectancy at Birth, 2008	66.90

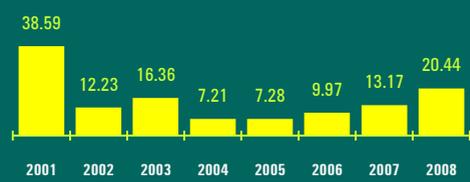
## Economic Overview

GDP, Current Market Prices, 2008 (Million USD)	5 164
GDP, Per Capita, 2008 (USD)	700
Total Consumption, Current Market Prices, 2008 (Million USD)	5 003
Balance of Government Budget, 2009 (% of GDP)	-0.50
Total External Debt, 2007 (Million USD)	1 228
Foreign Direct Investment, 2008 (Million USD)	376
Rate of Exchange, Period Average, 2009 (TJS / USD)	4.14

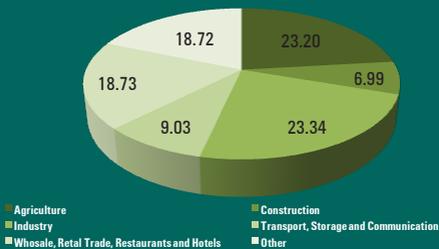
**Real GDP Growth Rate**  
Annual Rate of Change, Constant USD (%)



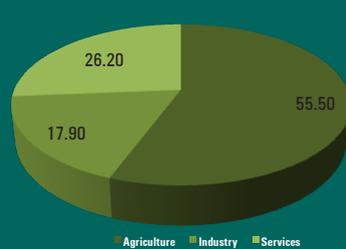
**Consumer Price Index**  
Annual Rate of Change (%)



**GDP by Major Sectors, 2008**

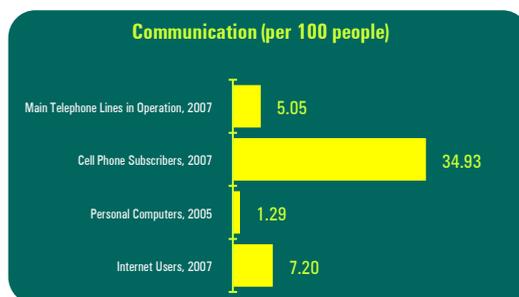


**Employment in Major Sectors, 2004**



# Tajikistan

Labour Force	
Labour Force Participation Rate, Female, 2009 (%)	55.37
Labour Force Participation Rate, Male, 2009 (%)	77.80
Labour Force Participation Rate, Total, 2009 (%)	66.55
Trade	
Merchandise Exports to World, 2008 (Million USD)	1 409
Merchandise Imports from World, 2008 (Million USD)	3 272
Intra-OIC Merchandise Exports, 2008 (Million USD)	388
Intra-OIC Merchandise Imports, 2008 (Million USD)	1 214
Education	
Adult Literacy Rate, Female, 2007 (%)	99.51
Adult Literacy Rate, Male, 2007 (%)	99.77
Adult Literacy Rate, Total, 2007 (%)	99.64
Public Education Expenditures, 2008 (% of GDP)	3.50
Primary School Enrolment Ratio, Net, 2008 (%)	102.50
Secondary School Enrolment Ratio, Net, 2008 (%)	78.60
Health	
Total Health Expenditures, 2008 (% of GDP)	1.20
Health Expenditures per Person, 2008 (USD)	8.71
Infant Mortality Rate, 2006 (Per 1000 People)	56.00
Environment	
Carbon Dioxide Emissions, Total, 2006 (Thousand Metric Tons)	6 391
Carbon Dioxide Emissions, Per Capita, 2006 (Metric Tons)	0.96
Transportation	
Civil Aviation, Passenger-kilometers, 2008 (Millions)	1 500
Merchant Shipping, Fleets (Thousand Dead Weight Tons)	..
Rail Lines, Total Route (Kilometers)	..
Roads, Total Network, 2001 (Thousand Kilometers)	27.77



# Togo



Capital City	Lomé
Other Large Cities	Kpalime, Atakpamé, Sokode, Kara
Official Language	French
National Currency Unit	CFA Franc BCEAO (XOF)
National Statistical Office	<a href="http://www.stat-togo.org">http://www.stat-togo.org</a>

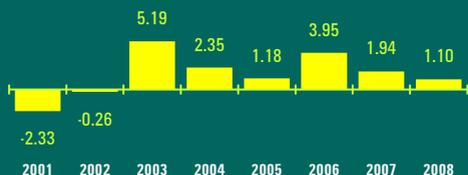
## Demographic and Social Overview

Total Land Area (Sq Km)	54 390
Total Population, 2008	6 458 605
Population Density, 2008 (Per Sq Km)	118.75
Annual Population Growth Rate, 2008 (%)	2.51
Crude Birth Rate, 2007 (Per 1000 People)	33.06
Crude Death Rate, 2007 (Per 1000 People)	8.20
Life Expectancy at Birth, 2008	62.70

## Economic Overview

GDP, Current Market Prices, 2008 (Million USD)	2 890
GDP, Per Capita, 2008 (USD)	447
Total Consumption, Current Market Prices, 2008 (Million USD)	3 039
Balance of Government Budget, 2007 (% of GDP)	-0.51
Total External Debt, 2007 (Million USD)	1 968
Foreign Direct Investment, 2008 (Million USD)	68
Rate of Exchange, Period Average, 2008 (XOF / USD)	447.81

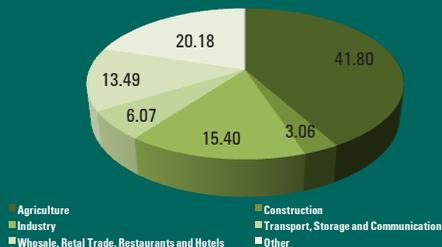
**Real GDP Growth Rate**  
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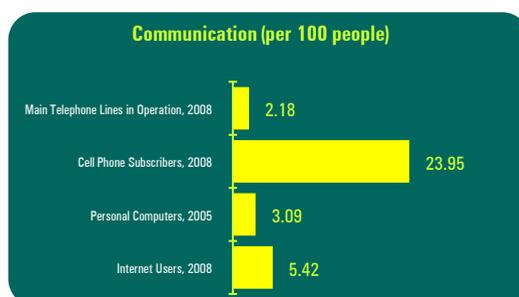
**Consumer Price Index**  
Annual Rate of Change (%)



**GDP by Major Sectors, 2008**



Labour Force	
Labour Force Participation Rate, Female, 2007 (%)	51.80
Labour Force Participation Rate, Male, 2007 (%)	86.70
Labour Force Participation Rate, Total, 2007 (%)	68.90
Trade	
Merchandise Exports to World, 2008 (Million USD)	938
Merchandise Imports from World, 2008 (Million USD)	3 698
Intra-OIC Merchandise Exports, 2008 (Million USD)	353
Intra-OIC Merchandise Imports, 2008 (Million USD)	494
Education	
Adult Literacy Rate, Female, 2000 (%)	38.46
Adult Literacy Rate, Male, 2000 (%)	68.68
Adult Literacy Rate, Total, 2000 (%)	53.16
Public Education Expenditures, 2008 (% of GDP)	3.84
Primary School Enrolment Ratio, Net, 2007 (%)	83.50
Secondary School Enrolment Ratio, Net, 2000 (%)	22.50
Health	
Total Health Expenditures, 2006 (% of GDP)	5.50
Health Expenditures per Person, 2006 (USD)	19.00
Infant Mortality Rate, 2006 (Per 1000 People)	69.00
Environment	
Carbon Dioxide Emissions, Total, 2006 (Thousand Metric Tons)	1 221
Carbon Dioxide Emissions, Per Capita, 2006 (Metric Tons)	0.20
Transportation	
Civil Aviation, Passenger-kilometers, 2001 (Millions)	130
Merchant Shipping, Fleets, 2007 (Thousand Dead Weight Tons)	12.42
Rail Lines, Total Route (Kilometers)	..
Roads, Total Network, 2001 (Thousand Kilometers)	7.52



# Tunisia



Capital City	Tunis
Other Large Cities	Sfax, Sousse, Gabes
Official Language	Arabic
National Currency Unit	Tunisian Dinar (TND)
National Statistical Office	<a href="http://www.ins.nat.tn">http://www.ins.nat.tn</a>

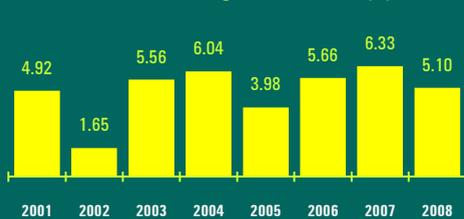
## Demographic and Social Overview

Total Land Area (Sq Km)	155 360
Total Population, 2008	10 326 600
Population Density, 2008 (Per Sq Km)	66.47
Annual Population Growth Rate, 2008 (%)	0.99
Crude Birth Rate, 2007 (Per 1000 People)	17.40
Crude Death Rate, 2007 (Per 1000 People)	5.50
Life Expectancy at Birth, 2007	74.30

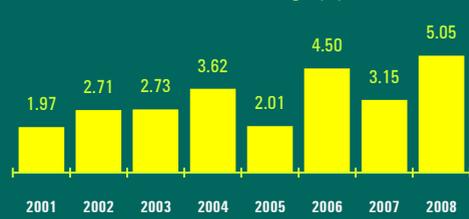
## Economic Overview

GDP, Current Market Prices, 2008 (Million USD)	40 843
GDP, Per Capita, 2008 (USD)	3 955
Total Consumption, Current Market Prices, 2008 (Million USD)	31 588
Balance of Government Budget, 2008 (% of GDP)	0.05
Total External Debt, 2007 (Million USD)	20 231
Foreign Direct Investment, 2008 (Million USD)	2 761
Rate of Exchange, Period Average, 2008 (TND / USD)	1.23

**Real GDP Growth Rate**  
Annual Rate of Change, Constant USD (%)



**Consumer Price Index**  
Annual Rate of Change (%)

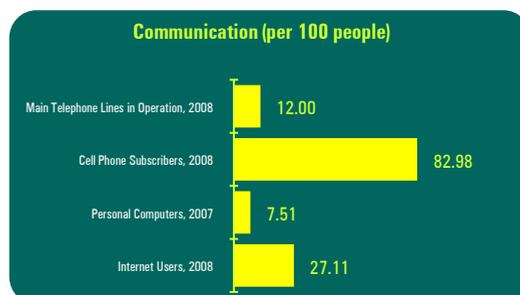


**GDP by Major Sectors, 2008**



# Tunisia

Labour Force	
Labour Force Participation Rate, Female, 2007 (%)	25.70
Labour Force Participation Rate, Male, 2007 (%)	70.90
Labour Force Participation Rate, Total, 2007 (%)	48.30
Trade	
Merchandise Exports to World, 2008 (Million USD)	17 390
Merchandise Imports from World, 2008 (Million USD)	23 827
Intra-OIC Merchandise Exports, 2008 (Million USD)	2 436
Intra-OIC Merchandise Imports, 2008 (Million USD)	3 241
Education	
Adult Literacy Rate, Female, 2007 (%)	69.04
Adult Literacy Rate, Male, 2007 (%)	86.38
Adult Literacy Rate, Total, 2007 (%)	77.70
Public Education Expenditures, 2006 (% of GDP)	7.15
Primary School Enrolment Ratio, Net, 2007 (%)	97.73
Secondary School Enrolment Ratio, Net, 2003 (%)	65.83
Health	
Total Health Expenditures, 2006 (% of GDP)	5.30
Health Expenditures per Person, 2006 (USD)	159.00
Infant Mortality Rate, 2006 (Per 1000 People)	19.00
Environment	
Carbon Dioxide Emissions, Total, 2006 (Thousand Metric Tons)	23 126
Carbon Dioxide Emissions, Per Capita, 2006 (Metric Tons)	2.28
Transportation	
Civil Aviation, Passenger-kilometers, 2004 (Millions)	2 853
Merchant Shipping, Fleets, 2007 (Thousand Dead Weight Tons)	121.73
Rail Lines, Total Route, 2007 (Kilometers)	2 218
Roads, Total Network, 2004 (Thousand Kilometers)	19.23



# Turkey



Capital City	Ankara
Other Large Cities	Istanbul, Izmir, Adana
Official Language	Turkish
National Currency Unit	Turkish Lira (TL)
National Statistical Office	<a href="http://www.tuik.gov.tr">http://www.tuik.gov.tr</a>

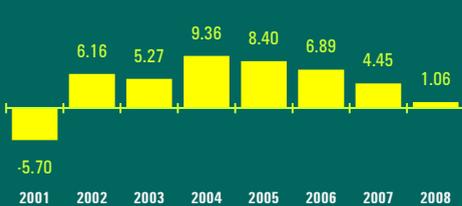
## Demographic and Social Overview

Total Land Area (Sq Km)	769 630
Total Population, 2008	73 914 260
Population Density, 2008 (Per Sq Km)	96.04
Annual Population Growth Rate, 2008 (%)	1.25
Crude Birth Rate, 2007 (Per 1000 People)	18.43
Crude Death Rate, 2007 (Per 1000 People)	6.00
Life Expectancy at Birth, 2008	72.00

## Economic Overview

GDP, Current Market Prices, 2008 (Million USD)	741 448
GDP, Per Capita, 2008 (USD)	10 031
Total Consumption, Current Market Prices, 2008 (Million USD)	605 825
Balance of Government Budget, 2007 (% of GDP)	1.27
Total External Debt, 2007 (Million USD)	251 477
Foreign Direct Investment, 2008 (Million USD)	18 198
Rate of Exchange, Period Average, 2008 (TL / USD)	1.30

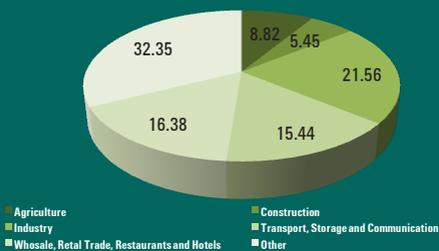
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Annual Rate of Change, Constant USD (%)



**Consumer Price Index**  
Annual Rate of Change (%)



**GDP by Major Sectors, 2008**

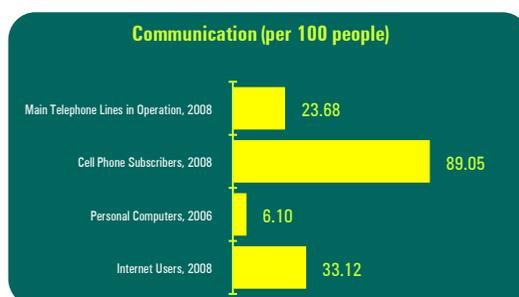


**Employment in Major Sectors, 2007**



# Turkey

Labour Force	
Labour Force Participation Rate, Female, 2007 (%)	24.40
Labour Force Participation Rate, Male, 2007 (%)	70.50
Labour Force Participation Rate, Total, 2007 (%)	47.50
Trade	
Merchandise Exports to World, 2008 (Million USD)	132 311
Merchandise Imports from World, 2008 (Million USD)	201 964
Intra-OIC Merchandise Exports, 2008 (Million USD)	32 575
Intra-OIC Merchandise Imports, 2008 (Million USD)	29 178
Education	
Adult Literacy Rate, Female, 2007 (%)	81.26
Adult Literacy Rate, Male, 2007 (%)	96.24
Adult Literacy Rate, Total, 2007 (%)	88.73
Public Education Expenditures, 2004 (% of GDP)	3.12
Primary School Enrolment Ratio, Net, 2007 (%)	93.86
Secondary School Enrolment Ratio, Net, 2007 (%)	71.17
Health	
Total Health Expenditures, 2006 (% of GDP)	5.60
Health Expenditures per Person, 2006 (USD)	406.00
Infant Mortality Rate, 2006 (Per 1000 People)	24.00
Environment	
Carbon Dioxide Emissions, Total, 2006 (Thousand Metric Tons)	269 452
Carbon Dioxide Emissions, Per Capita, 2006 (Metric Tons)	3.74
Transportation	
Civil Aviation, Passenger-kilometers, 2004 (Millions)	20 500
Merchant Shipping, Fleets, 2007 (Thousand Dead Weight Tons)	7 253.51
Rail Lines, Total Route, 2007 (Kilometers)	8 697
Roads, Total Network, 2006 (Thousand Kilometers)	426.95



# Turkmenistan



Capital City	Ashgabat
Other Large Cities	Chardzhou, Dashhouruz, Mary
Official Language	Turkmen
National Currency Unit	Turkmen New Manat (TMT)
National Statistical Office	<a href="http://www.stat.gov.tm">http://www.stat.gov.tm</a>

## Demographic and Social Overview

Total Land Area (Sq Km)	469 930
Total Population, 2008	5 028 041
Population Density, 2008 (Per Sq Km)	10.70
Annual Population Growth Rate, 2008 (%)	1.30
Crude Birth Rate, 2007 (Per 1000 People)	21.84
Crude Death Rate, 2007 (Per 1000 People)	8.20
Life Expectancy at Birth, 2007	63.20

## Economic Overview

GDP, Current Market Prices, 2008 (Million USD)	18 269
GDP, Per Capita, 2008 (USD)	3 633
Total Consumption, Current Market Prices, 2008 (Million USD)	11 846
Balance of Government Budget (% of GDP)	..
Total External Debt, 2007 (Million USD)	743
Foreign Direct Investment, 2008 (Million USD)	820
Rate of Exchange, Period Average, 2001 (TMT / USD)	5 200.00

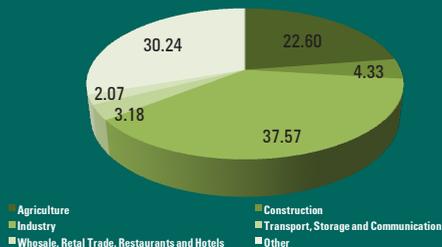
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Annual Rate of Change, Constant USD (%)



**Consumer Price Index**  
Annual Rate of Change (%)

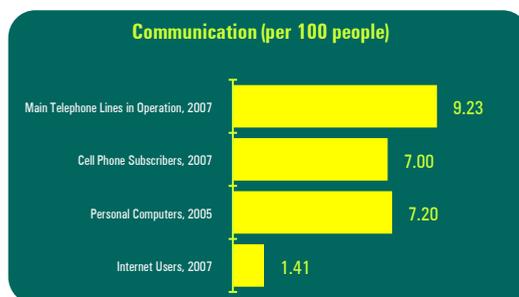


**GDP by Major Sectors, 2008**



# Turkmenistan

<b>Labour Force</b>	
Labour Force Participation Rate, Female, 2007 (%)	59.40
Labour Force Participation Rate, Male, 2007 (%)	70.50
Labour Force Participation Rate, Total, 2007 (%)	64.80
<b>Trade</b>	
Merchandise Exports to World, 2008 (Million USD)	10 256
Merchandise Imports from World, 2008 (Million USD)	5 005
Intra-OIC Merchandise Exports, 2008 (Million USD)	2 622
Intra-OIC Merchandise Imports, 2008 (Million USD)	1 819
<b>Education</b>	
Adult Literacy Rate, Female, 2007 (%)	99.33
Adult Literacy Rate, Male, 2007 (%)	99.69
Adult Literacy Rate, Total, 2007 (%)	99.51
Public Education Expenditures (% of GDP)	..
Primary School Enrolment Ratio, Net (%)	..
Secondary School Enrolment Ratio, Net (%)	..
<b>Health</b>	
Total Health Expenditures, 2006 (% of GDP)	4.80
Health Expenditures per Person, 2006 (USD)	161.00
Infant Mortality Rate, 2006 (Per 1000 People)	45.00
<b>Environment</b>	
Carbon Dioxide Emissions, Total, 2006 (Thousand Metric Tons)	44 103
Carbon Dioxide Emissions, Per Capita, 2006 (Metric Tons)	9.00
<b>Transportation</b>	
Civil Aviation, Passenger-kilometers, 2004 (Millions)	1 916
Merchant Shipping, Fleets, 2007 (Thousand Dead Weight Tons)	48.19
Rail Lines, Total Route (Kilometers)	..
Roads, Total Network, 2001 (Thousand Kilometers)	24.00



# Uganda



Capital City	Kampala
Other Large Cities	Jinja, Mbale, Masaka
Official Language	English, Swahili
National Currency Unit	Ugandan Shilling (UGX)
National Statistical Office	<a href="http://www.ubos.org">http://www.ubos.org</a>

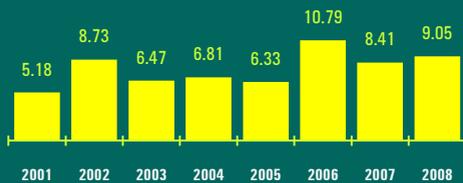
## Demographic and Social Overview

Total Land Area (Sq Km)	197 100
Total Population, 2008	31 656 865
Population Density, 2008 (Per Sq Km)	160.61
Annual Population Growth Rate, 2008 (%)	3.33
Crude Birth Rate, 2007 (Per 1000 People)	46.35
Crude Death Rate, 2007 (Per 1000 People)	12.90
Life Expectancy at Birth, 2008	53.00

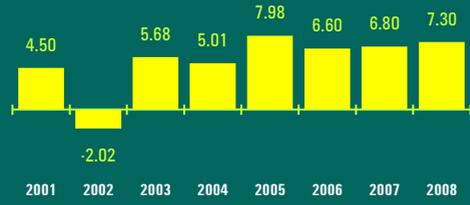
## Economic Overview

GDP, Current Market Prices, 2008 (Million USD)	15 829
GDP, Per Capita, 2008 (USD)	500
Total Consumption, Current Market Prices, 2008 (Million USD)	15 011
Balance of Government Budget, 2006 (% of GDP)	-3.36
Total External Debt, 2007 (Million USD)	1 611
Foreign Direct Investment, 2008 (Million USD)	787
Rate of Exchange, Period Average, 2008 (UGX / USD)	1 720.44

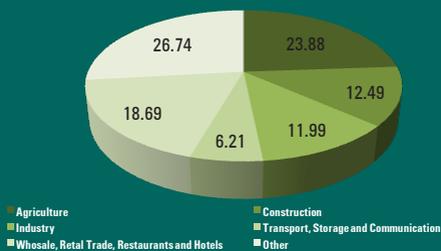
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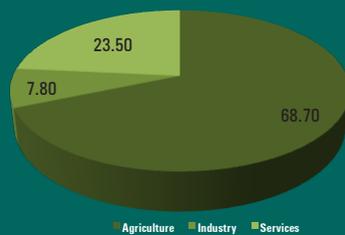
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Annual Rate of Change (%)



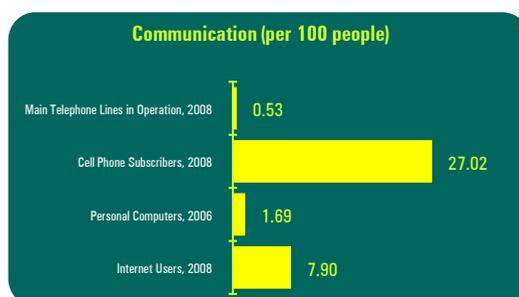
**GDP by Major Sectors, 2008**



**Employment in Major Sectors, 2003**



Labour Force	
Labour Force Participation Rate, Female, 2007 (%)	81.60
Labour Force Participation Rate, Male, 2007 (%)	90.30
Labour Force Participation Rate, Total, 2007 (%)	85.90
Trade	
Merchandise Exports to World, 2008 (Million USD)	1 043
Merchandise Imports from World, 2008 (Million USD)	3 318
Intra-OIC Merchandise Exports, 2008 (Million USD)	118
Intra-OIC Merchandise Imports, 2008 (Million USD)	420
Education	
Adult Literacy Rate, Female, 2007 (%)	65.51
Adult Literacy Rate, Male, 2007 (%)	81.79
Adult Literacy Rate, Total, 2007 (%)	73.60
Public Education Expenditures, 2008 (% of GDP)	3.77
Primary School Enrolment Ratio, Net, 2007 (%)	95.46
Secondary School Enrolment Ratio, Net, 2007 (%)	19.24
Health	
Total Health Expenditures, 2006 (% of GDP)	7.20
Health Expenditures per Person, 2006 (USD)	25.00
Infant Mortality Rate, 2006 (Per 1000 People)	78.00
Environment	
Carbon Dioxide Emissions, Total, 2006 (Thousand Metric Tons)	2 706
Carbon Dioxide Emissions, Per Capita, 2006 (Metric Tons)	0.09
Transportation	
Civil Aviation, Passenger-kilometers, 2004 (Millions)	272
Merchant Shipping, Fleets, 2002 (Thousand Dead Weight Tons)	2.00
Rail Lines, Total Route, 2004 (Kilometers)	259
Roads, Total Network, 2003 (Thousand Kilometers)	70.75



# United Arab Emirates



Capital City	Abu Dhabi
Other Large Cities	Dubai, Sharjah, Al-Ayn
Official Language	Arabic
National Currency Unit	Emirate Dirham (AED)
National Statistical Office	<a href="http://www.uaestatistics.gov.ae">http://www.uaestatistics.gov.ae</a>

## Demographic and Social Overview

Total Land Area (Sq Km)	83 600
Total Population, 2008	4 484 199
Population Density, 2008 (Per Sq Km)	53.64
Annual Population Growth Rate, 2008 (%)	2.74
Crude Birth Rate, 2007 (Per 1000 People)	16.21
Crude Death Rate, 2007 (Per 1000 People)	1.40
Life Expectancy at Birth, 2007	79.30

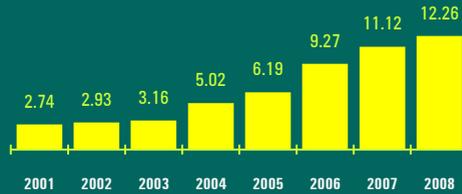
## Economic Overview

GDP, Current Market Prices, 2008 (Million USD)	286 882
GDP, Per Capita, 2008 (USD)	63 976
Total Consumption, Current Market Prices, 2008 (Million USD)	154 389
Balance of Government Budget, 1999 (% of GDP)	0.49
Total External Debt (Million USD)	..
Foreign Direct Investment, 2008 (Million USD)	13 700
Rate of Exchange, Period Average, 2008 (AED / USD)	3.67

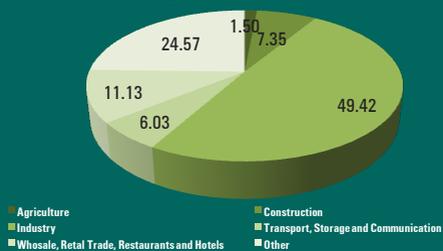
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Annual Rate of Change, Constant USD (%)



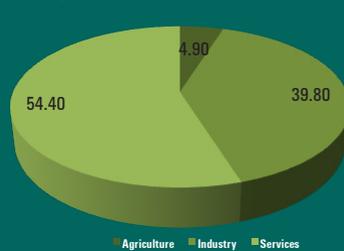
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**GDP by Major Sectors, 2008**

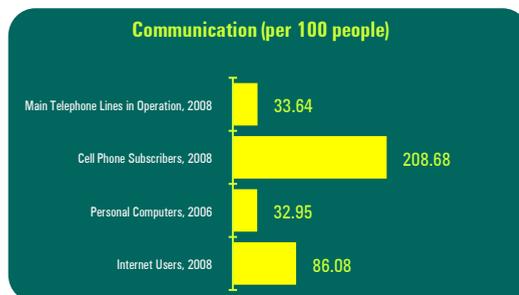


**Employment in Major Sectors, 2005**



# United Arab Emirates

Labour Force	
Labour Force Participation Rate, Female, 2007 (%)	40.00
Labour Force Participation Rate, Male, 2007 (%)	92.50
Labour Force Participation Rate, Total, 2007 (%)	77.70
Trade	
Merchandise Exports to World, 2008 (Million USD)	166 822
Merchandise Imports from World, 2008 (Million USD)	188 021
Intra-OIC Merchandise Exports, 2008 (Million USD)	30 523
Intra-OIC Merchandise Imports, 2008 (Million USD)	30 349
Education	
Adult Literacy Rate, Female, 2007 (%)	89.21
Adult Literacy Rate, Male, 2007 (%)	90.94
Adult Literacy Rate, Total, 2007 (%)	90.45
Public Education Expenditures, 2005 (% of GDP)	1.32
Primary School Enrolment Ratio, Net, 2007 (%)	91.58
Secondary School Enrolment Ratio, Net, 2007 (%)	83.82
Health	
Total Health Expenditures, 2006 (% of GDP)	2.60
Health Expenditures per Person, 2006 (USD)	982.00
Infant Mortality Rate, 2006 (Per 1000 People)	8.00
Environment	
Carbon Dioxide Emissions, Total, 2006 (Thousand Metric Tons)	139 553
Carbon Dioxide Emissions, Per Capita, 2006 (Metric Tons)	32.85
Transportation	
Civil Aviation, Passenger-kilometers, 2004 (Millions)	54 703
Merchant Shipping, Fleets, 2007 (Thousand Dead Weight Tons)	1 118.78
Rail Lines, Total Route (Kilometers)	..
Roads, Total Network, 2004 (Thousand Kilometers)	4.03



# Uzbekistan



Capital City	Tashkent
Other Large Cities	Samarkand, Namangan, Andizhan
Official Language	Uzbek
National Currency Unit	Uzbekistani Sum (UZS)
National Statistical Office	<a href="http://www.stat.uz">http://www.stat.uz</a>

## Demographic and Social Overview

Total Land Area (Sq Km)	425 400
Total Population, 2008	27 313 700
Population Density, 2008 (Per Sq Km)	64.21
Annual Population Growth Rate, 2008 (%)	1.66
Crude Birth Rate, 2007 (Per 1000 People)	20.99
Crude Death Rate, 2007 (Per 1000 People)	5.30
Life Expectancy at Birth, 2007	67.10

## Economic Overview

GDP, Current Market Prices, 2008 (Million USD)	28 604
GDP, Per Capita, 2008 (USD)	1 047
Total Consumption, Current Market Prices, 2008 (Million USD)	19 585
Balance of Government Budget (% of GDP)	..
Total External Debt, 2007 (Million USD)	3 876
Foreign Direct Investment, 2008 (Million USD)	918
Rate of Exchange, Period Average, 2008 (UZS / USD)	..

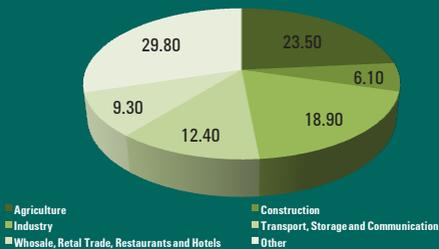
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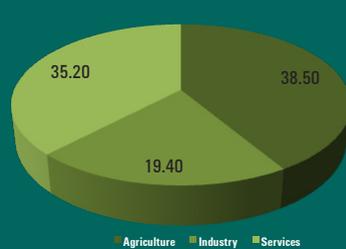
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**GDP by Major Sectors, 2008**

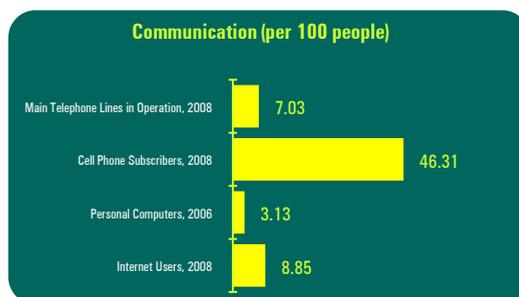


**Employment in Major Sectors, 1999**



# Uzbekistan

Labour Force	
Labour Force Participation Rate, Female, 2007 (%)	58.40
Labour Force Participation Rate, Male, 2007 (%)	70.10
Labour Force Participation Rate, Total, 2007 (%)	64.20
Trade	
Merchandise Exports to World, 2008 (Million USD)	5 460
Merchandise Imports from World, 2008 (Million USD)	8 164
Intra-OIC Merchandise Exports, 2008 (Million USD)	2 010
Intra-OIC Merchandise Imports, 2008 (Million USD)	1 117
Education	
Adult Literacy Rate, Female, 2000 (%)	95.84
Adult Literacy Rate, Male, 2000 (%)	98.01
Adult Literacy Rate, Total, 2000 (%)	96.90
Public Education Expenditures (% of GDP)	..
Primary School Enrolment Ratio, Net, 2007 (%)	89.92
Secondary School Enrolment Ratio, Net, 2007 (%)	91.69
Health	
Total Health Expenditures, 2006 (% of GDP)	4.70
Health Expenditures per Person, 2006 (USD)	30.00
Infant Mortality Rate, 2006 (Per 1000 People)	38.00
Environment	
Carbon Dioxide Emissions, Total, 2006 (Thousand Metric Tons)	115 672
Carbon Dioxide Emissions, Per Capita, 2006 (Metric Tons)	4.37
Transportation	
Civil Aviation, Passenger-kilometers, 2004 (Millions)	4 454
Merchant Shipping, Fleets (Thousand Dead Weight Tons)	..
Rail Lines, Total Route, 2007 (Kilometers)	4 005
Roads, Total Network, 2001 (Thousand Kilometers)	81.60



# Yemen



Capital City	Sanaa
Other Large Cities	Aden, Ta'izz, Al-Hudaydah
Official Language	Arabic
National Currency Unit	Yemeni Riyal (YER)
National Statistical Office	<a href="http://www.cso-yemen.org">http://www.cso-yemen.org</a>

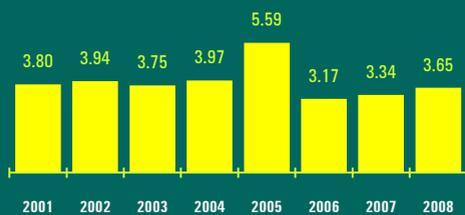
## Demographic and Social Overview

Total Land Area (Sq Km)	527 970
Total Population, 2008	23 053 462
Population Density, 2008 (Per Sq Km)	43.66
Annual Population Growth Rate, 2008 (%)	2.99
Crude Birth Rate, 2007 (Per 1000 People)	38.26
Crude Death Rate, 2007 (Per 1000 People)	7.40
Life Expectancy at Birth, 2007	62.70

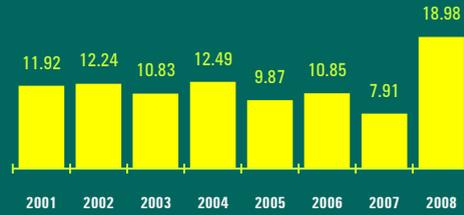
## Economic Overview

GDP, Current Market Prices, 2008 (Million USD)	31 070
GDP, Per Capita, 2008 (USD)	1 348
Total Consumption, Current Market Prices, 2008 (Million USD)	18 908
Balance of Government Budget, 1999 (% of GDP)	1.64
Total External Debt, 2007 (Million USD)	5 926
Foreign Direct Investment, 2008 (Million USD)	463
Rate of Exchange, Period Average, 2008 (YER / USD)	199.76

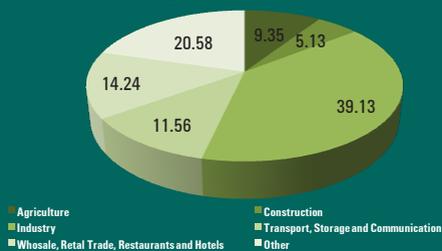
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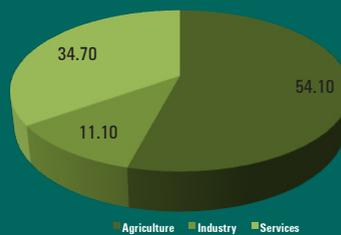
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Annual Rate of Change (%)



**GDP by Major Sectors, 2008**

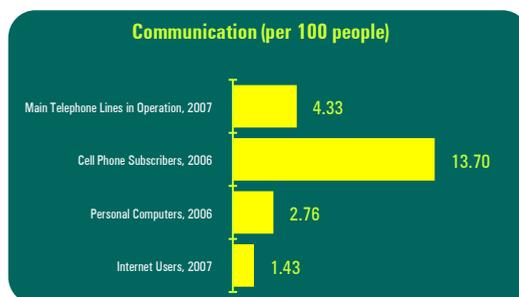


**Employment in Major Sectors, 1999**



# Yemen

Labour Force	
Labour Force Participation Rate, Female, 2007 (%)	21.60
Labour Force Participation Rate, Male, 2007 (%)	66.10
Labour Force Participation Rate, Total, 2007 (%)	43.90
Trade	
Merchandise Exports to World, 2008 (Million USD)	9 252
Merchandise Imports from World, 2008 (Million USD)	10 197
Intra-OIC Merchandise Exports, 2008 (Million USD)	1 123
Intra-OIC Merchandise Imports, 2008 (Million USD)	4 470
Education	
Adult Literacy Rate, Female, 2007 (%)	40.47
Adult Literacy Rate, Male, 2007 (%)	77.04
Adult Literacy Rate, Total, 2007 (%)	58.86
Public Education Expenditures, 2001 (% of GDP)	9.63
Primary School Enrolment Ratio, Net, 2008 (%)	72.68
Secondary School Enrolment Ratio, Net, 2005 (%)	37.44
Health	
Total Health Expenditures, 2006 (% of GDP)	4.60
Health Expenditures per Person, 2006 (USD)	40.00
Infant Mortality Rate, 2006 (Per 1000 People)	75.00
Environment	
Carbon Dioxide Emissions, Total, 2006 (Thousand Metric Tons)	21 201
Carbon Dioxide Emissions, Per Capita, 2006 (Metric Tons)	0.98
Transportation	
Civil Aviation, Passenger-kilometers, 2004 (Millions)	2 473
Merchant Shipping, Fleets, 2007 (Thousand Dead Weight Tons)	25.54
Rail Lines, Total Route (Kilometers)	..
Roads, Total Network, 2005 (Thousand Kilometers)	71.30





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DEMOGRAPHIC AND SOCIAL OVERVIEW		
INDICATOR	UNIT	DEFINITION
Total Land Area	Square Kilometre	Land area is a country's total area, excluding area under inland water bodies, national claims to continental shelf, and exclusive economic zones. In most cases the definition of inland water bodies includes major rivers and lakes.
Total Population	Units	Total population is based on the de facto definition of population, which counts all residents regardless of legal status or citizenship - except for refugees not permanently settled in the country of asylum, who are generally considered part of the population.
Population Density	Persons per Square Kilometre	Population density is midyear population divided by land area in square kilometers. Population is based on the de facto definition of population, which counts all residents regardless of legal status or citizenship—except for refugees.
Annual Population Growth Rate	Percentage	The average percentage change of population over the previous year.
Crude Birth Rate	Per Thousand Persons	Crude birth rate indicates the number of live births occurring during the year, per 1,000 population estimated at midyear.
Crude Death Rate	Per Thousand Persons	Crude death rate indicates the number of deaths occurring during the year, per 1,000 population estimated at midyear.
Life Expectancy at Birth	Years	Life expectancy at birth indicates the number of years a newborn infant would live if prevailing patterns of mortality at the time of its birth were to stay the same throughout its life.
ECONOMIC OVERVIEW		
INDICATOR	UNIT	DEFINITION
GDP, Current Market Prices	Million USD	Gross domestic product (GDP) at current prices is GDP at prices of the current reporting period. Also known as nominal GDP.
GDP, Per Capita	USD	GDP per head calculated as the aggregate of production (GDP) divided by the population size.
Total Consumption, Current Market Prices	Million USD	Final consumption expenditure consists of household final consumption expenditure, government final consumption expenditure and final consumption expenditure of NPISH's.
Balance of Government Budget (% GDP)	Percentage	Balance of Government Budget is the difference between Government Revenues and Government Expenditures.
Total External Debt	Thousand USD	Total external debt (EDT, DOD) consists of public and publicly guaranteed long-term debt, private nonguaranteed long-term debt (whether reported or estimated), the use of IMF credit, and estimated short-term debt.
Foreign Direct Investment	Million USD	Foreign direct investment is net inflows of investment to acquire a lasting management interest (10 percent or more of voting stock) in an enterprise operating in an economy other than that of the investor. The components of FDI are equity capital, reinvested earnings and other capital (mainly intra-company loans). As countries do not always collect data for each of those components, there is an apparent lack of comparability of FDI data reported by different countries. Moreover, for a given transaction, host country and home country often do not register it in exactly the same way. In particular, data on reinvested earnings, the collection of which depends on company surveys, are often unreported by many countries.

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## ECONOMIC OVERVIEW

INDICATOR	UNIT	DEFINITION
Rate of Exchange, Period Average	NCU per USD	Official exchange rate refers to the exchange rate determined by national authorities or to the rate determined in the legally sanctioned exchange market. It is calculated as an annual average based on monthly averages . If official rate is not available, the period average of market rate is given.
Real GDP Growth Rate	Percentage	The average percentage change of GDP over the previous year.
Consumer Price Index, Annual Rate of Change	Percentage	An indicator of inflation that reflects changes in the cost of acquiring a fixed basket of goods and services by the average consumer expressed as the average percentage change over the previous year.

## GDP BY MAJOR SECTORS

INDICATOR	UNIT	DEFINITION
Agriculture, Share in GDP	Percentage	Agriculture, hunting, forestry and fishing is an aggregation of economic activities of Section A Agriculture, hunting and forestry and Section B Fishing (see ISIC Rev 3.1). Expressed as a share in GDP.
Industry, Share of GDP	Percentage	Mining, manufacturing and utilities is an aggregation of economic activities of Section C Mining and quarrying, Section D Manufacturing and Section E Electricity, gas and water supply (see ISIC Rev 3.1). Expressed as share in GDP.
Construction, Share in GDP	Percentage	Construction represents the economic activities of Section F Construction (see ISIC Rev 3.1). Expressed as a share in GDP.
Transport, Storage and Communication, Share in GDP	Percentage	Transport, storage and communication represents the economic activities of Section I Transport, storage and communication (see ISIC Rev 3.1). Expressed as share in GDP
Wholesale, Retail Trade, Restaurants and Hotels, Share in GDP	Percentage	Wholesale, retail trade, restaurants and hotels is an aggregation of economic activities of Section G Wholesale and retail trade; repair of motor vehicles, motorcycles and personal and household goods and Section H Hotels and restaurants (see ISIC Rev 3.1). Expressed as a share of GDP

## EMPLOYMENT IN MAJOR SECTORS

INDICATOR	UNIT	DEFINITION
Share of Labour Force in Agriculture	Percentage	Employees are people who work for a public or private employer and receive remuneration in wages, salary, commission, tips, piece rates, or pay in kind. Agriculture corresponds to division 1 (ISIC revision 2) or tabulation categories A and B (ISIC revision 3)
Share of Labour Force in Industry	Percentage	Employees are people who work for a public or private employer and receive remuneration in wages, salary, commission, tips, piece rates, or pay in kind. Industry corresponds to divisions 2-5 (ISIC revision 2) or tabulation categories C-F (ISIC revision 3)
Share of Labour Force in Services	Percentage	Employees are people who work for a public or private employer and receive remuneration in wages, salary, commission, tips, piece rates, or pay in kind. Services correspond to divisions 6-9 (ISIC revision 2) or tabulation categories G-P (ISIC revision 3)

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LABOUR FORCE		
INDICATOR	UNIT	DEFINITIONS
Labour Participation Rate, Female (% of Female Population Ages 15-64)	Percentage	The proportion of the female population ages 15-64 that is economically active: all people who supply labor for the production of goods and services during a specified period.
Labour Participation Rate, Male (% of Male Population Ages 15-64)	Percentage	The proportion of the male population ages 15-64 that is economically active: all people who supply labor for the production of goods and services during a specified period.
Labour Participation Rate, Total (% of total Population Ages 15-64)	Percentage	The proportion of the total population ages 15-64 that is economically active: all people who supply labor for the production of goods and services during a specified period.

TRADE		
INDICATOR	UNIT	DEFINITION
Merchandise Exports to World	Million USD	Merchandise exports show the f.o.b. value of goods provided to the rest of the world.
Merchandise Imports from World	Million USD	Merchandise imports show the c.i.f. value of goods received from the rest of the world.
Intra-OIC Merchandise Exports	Million USD	Merchandise exports of a country to the OIC member countries.
Intra-OIC Merchandise Imports	Million USD	Merchandise imports of a country from the OIC member countries.

EDUCATION		
INDICATOR	UNIT	DEFINITIONS
Adult Literacy Rate, Female	Percentage	Percentage of the female population of 15 years and older that is able to read, write and thus fully participate in the wider society.
Adult Literacy Rate, Male	Percentage	Percentage of the male population of 15 years and older that is able to read, write and thus fully participate in the wider society.
Adult Literacy Rate, Total	Percentage	Percentage of the population of 15 years and older that is able to read, write and thus fully participate in the wider society.
Public Education Expenditure (% of GDP)	Percentage	Current and capital expenditures on education by local, regional and national governments, including municipalities (household contributions are excluded), expressed as a percentage of the GDP.
Primary School Enrollment Ratio, Net	Units	Ratio of all pupils of the theoretical school-age group for primary schools, expressed as a percentage of the total population in that age-group.
Secondary School Enrollment Ratio, Net	Units	Ratio of all pupils of the theoretical school-age group for secondary schools, expressed as a percentage of the total population in that age-group.

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HEALTH		
INDICATOR	UNIT	DEFINITIONS
Total Health Expenditures (% of GDP)	Percentage	Total expenditure on health comprises the funds mobilized by the system, being the sum of general government and private expenditure on health.
Health Expenditures per Person	USD	Total health expenditure per person is the sum of public and private health expenditures as a ratio of total population. It covers the provision of health services (preventive and curative), family planning activities, nutrition activities, and emergency aid designated for health but does not include provision of water and sanitation.
Infant Mortality Rate	Thousand	Infant mortality rate is the number of infants dying before reaching one year of age, per 1,000 live births in a given year.

ENVIRONMENT		
INDICATOR	UNIT	DEFINITIONS
Carbon Dioxide Emissions, Total	Thousand Metric Tons	Estimates of total carbon dioxide emissions include anthropogenic emissions, less removal by sinks, of carbon dioxide. The term "total" implies that emissions from all national activities are considered. The typical sectors for which carbon dioxide emissions/removals are estimated are energy, industrial processes, agriculture, waste, and the sector of land use, land-use change and forestry.
Carbon Dioxide Emissions, Per Capita	Metric Tons	Carbon dioxide emissions per capita are measured as the total amount of carbon dioxide emitted by the country as a consequence of all relevant human (production and consumption) activities, divided by the population of the country.

COMMUNICATION		
INDICATOR	UNIT	DEFINITIONS
Main Telephone Lines in Operation per 100 People	Number	The telephone lines connecting the subscriber's terminal equipment to the public switched network and which have dedicated ports in the telephone exchange equipment.
Cellular Phone Subscribers per 100 People	Number	Mobile cellular telephone subscribers (post-paid + prepaid). Refers to the use of portable telephones subscribing to a public mobile telephone service and provides access to Public Switched Telephone Network (PSTN) using cellular technology.
Personal Computers per 100 People	Number	The number of Personal Computers (PC) measures the number of computers installed in a country. The statistic includes PCs, Laptops, notebooks etc.
Internet Users per 100 People	Number	The number of internet users.

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TRANSPORTATION		
INDICATOR	UNIT	DEFINITIONS
Civil Aviation: Passenger-kilometers	Millions	Data covers both domestic and international scheduled services operated by airlines registered in each country.
Merchant Shipping: Fleets	Thousand Dead Weight Tons	All ships, oil tankers and ore and bulk carrier fleets registered in a country.
Rail lines: Total Route	Kilometers	Rail lines are the length of railway route available for train service, irrespective of the number of parallel tracks.
Roads: Total Network	Thousand Kilometers	The road network includes all roads in the country—motorways, highways, main or national roads, secondary or regional roads, and other urban and rural roads

