Population Indicators

Indicator	1975	1985	1995	2011
Population size and growth				
Population size (thousands)	1 555	2 081	2 733	4 140
Annual growth rate (percentage)*	3.05	2.92	2.69	2.70
Population age structure				
Percentage of population under age 15	44	45	43	41
Percentage of population aged 60 or over	6	6	6	6
Statutory age at retirement (years): Males				60
Females				60
Fertility				
Total fertility (children per woman)*	6.3	6.0	5.2	4.6
Adolescent birth rate (births per 1,000 women aged 15-19)*	146	139	130	119
Percentage of women aged 20-24 married by age 18				33 ²
Reproductive health and family planning				
Percentage of married women using contraception: All methods				45
Modern methods				20
Percentage of married women with unmet need for family planning				
Index of family planning effort (percentage of maximum score)**				44.8
Induced abortion rate (per 1,000 women aged 15-44)				•
Percentage of women in non-agricultural wage employment			26 ^b	
Health and mortality				
Life expectancy at birth (years): Both sexes*	54.3	56.7	55.3	56.0
Males*	52.8	55.2	54.0	54.9
Females*	55.8	58.2	56.5	57.2
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)*	89	78	74	72
Under-five mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)*	143	123	116	114
Percentage of children 12-23 months with 3 doses of DPT vaccine			50	90°
Prevalence of stunting among children 0-59 months (percentage)				31 ^c
Maternal mortality ratio (per 100,000 live births)***			480	560
Percentage of births attended by trained health professional				83°
Percent obese among adults aged 20 or over: Males****				2.4
Females****				6.9
Percentage of deaths caused by non-communicable diseases****				33
HIV prevalence among adults aged 15-49 (percentage)			4.8	3.3
Number of people living with HIV (thousands)			75	83
Spatial distribution and internal migration				
Population density (per sq. km.)	5	6	8	12
Urban population (percentage)	43	52	56	64
Annual urban population growth rate (percentage)*	5.06	4.67	3.44	3.42
Annual rural population growth rate (percentage)*	1.64	1.17	1.75	1.52
Percentage of urban population in urban agglomerations	72	82	82	939
International migration				
International migrant stock (thousands)***	••	••		143
Percentage of females among international migrants***				49
Net migration rate (per thousand)*	0.96	0.22	1.21	2.63
Annual inflow of remittances in US\$ (millions)				15°

 $^{^{\}star}$ For the periods 1970-1975, 1980-1985, 1990-1995 and 2005-2010.

^c For 2010.

^{**} This index measures the level of effort of national family planning programmes. 2011 data refer to 2009.

^{*** 2011} data refer to 2010.

^{**** 2011} data refer to 2008.

^a For 2009.

^b For 1990.

^d For 2005.