Population Indicators

Indicator	*1975*	*1985*	*1995*	*2011*
Population size and growth				
Population size (thousands)	577	712	776	868
Annual growth rate (percentage)*	2.05	2.27	1.26	0.91
Population age structure				
Percentage of population under age 15	40	39	37	29
Percentage of population aged 60 or over	4	4	5	8
Statutory age at retirement (years): Males	..	..	..	55
Females	..	..	..	55
Fertility				
Total fertility (children per woman)*	4.2	3.8	3.4	2.8
Adolescent birth rate (births per 1,000 women aged 15-19)*	59	59	63	45
Percentage of women aged 20-24 married by age 18	..	..	..	..
Reproductive health and family planning				
Percentage of married women using contraception: All methods	41[a]	..	..	..
Modern methods	35[a]	..	..	..
Percentage of married women with unmet need for family planning	..	..	..	..
Index of family planning effort (percentage of maximum score)**	..	..	..	..
Induced abortion rate (per 1,000 women aged 15-44)	..	..	..	..
Percentage of women in non-agricultural wage employment	..	..	32[b]	30[c]
Health and mortality				
Life expectancy at birth (years): Both sexes*	60.7	63.7	66.1	68.8
Males*	59.1	62.0	64.0	66.1
Females*	62.5	65.5	68.3	71.9
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)*	42	33	25	18
Under-five mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)*	74	51	35	22
Percentage of children 12-23 months with 3 doses of DPT vaccine	..	..	97	99[d]
Prevalence of stunting among children 0-59 months (percentage)	..	..	..	..
Maternal mortality ratio (per 100,000 live births)***	..	..	33	26
Percentage of births attended by trained health professional	..	..	100[e]	99[f]
Percent obese among adults aged 20 or over: Males****	..	..	..	20.3
Females****	..	..	..	41.1
Percentage of deaths caused by non-communicable diseases****	..	..	..	77
HIV prevalence among adults aged 15-49 (percentage)	..	..	<0.1	<0.1
Number of people living with HIV (thousands)	..	..	<0.1	<0.5
Spatial distribution and internal migration				
Population density (per sq. km.)	32	39	42	48
Urban population (percentage)	37	39	45	52
Annual urban population growth rate (percentage)*	3.14	2.67	3.04	1.68
Annual rural population growth rate (percentage)*	1.44	2.03	-0.12	0.10
Percentage of urban population in urban agglomerations	..	..	..	..
International migration				
International migrant stock (thousands)***	..	..	..	19
Percentage of females among international migrants***	..	..	..	48
Net migration rate (per thousand)*	-4.56	-3.45	-9.52	-6.83
Annual inflow of remittances in US$ (millions)	..	..	..	183[d]

* For the periods 1970-1975, 1980-1985, 1990-1995 and 2005-2010.

** 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 1974.

[b] For 1996.

[c] For 2005.

[d] For 2010.

[e] For 1998.

[f] For 2008.