Population Indicators

Indicator	*1975*	*1985*	*1995*	*2011*
Population size and growth				
Population size (thousands)	4 908	5 287	5 069	4 329
Annual growth rate (percentage)*	0.83	0.83	-1.49	-0.57
Population age structure				
Percentage of population under age 15	28	25	24	17
Percentage of population aged 60 or over	12	13	16	19
Statutory age at retirement (years): Males	..	..	..	65
Females	..	..	..	60
Fertility				
Total fertility (children per woman)*	2.6	2.3	2.1	1.6
Adolescent birth rate (births per 1,000 women aged 15-19)*	87	76	69	45
Percentage of women aged 20-24 married by age 18	..	..	..	17[a]
Reproductive health and family planning				
Percentage of married women using contraception: All methods	..	..	41[b]	47[a]
Modern methods	..	..	20[b]	27[a]
Percentage of married women with unmet need for family planning	..	..	..	16[a]
Index of family planning effort (percentage of maximum score)**	..	..	..	46.6
Induced abortion rate (per 1,000 women aged 15-44)	..	..	..	26.5[c]
Percentage of women in non-agricultural wage employment	..	..	49[d]	48[e]
Health and mortality				
Life expectancy at birth (years): Both sexes*	68.1	69.6	70.5	73.0
Males*	64.1	65.6	66.5	69.4
Females*	71.8	73.2	74.3	76.5
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)*	52	47	40	29
Under-five mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)*	55	49	43	31
Percentage of children 12-23 months with 3 doses of DPT vaccine	..	..	79	91[c]
Prevalence of stunting among children 0-59 months (percentage)	..	..	16[f]	11[e]
Maternal mortality ratio (per 100,000 live births)***	..	..	75	67
Percentage of births attended by trained health professional	..	..	91[g]	98[a]
Percent obese among adults aged 20 or over: Males****	..	..	..	16.2[h]
Females****	..	..	..	27.0[h]
Percentage of deaths caused by non-communicable diseases****	..	..	..	91
HIV prevalence among adults aged 15-49 (percentage)	..	..	<0.1	0.2
Number of people living with HIV (thousands)	..	..	<0.5	4.9
Spatial distribution and internal migration				
Population density (per sq. km.)	70	76	73	62
Urban population (percentage)	50	54	54	53
Annual urban population growth rate (percentage)*	1.79	1.46	-1.93	-0.46
Annual rural population growth rate (percentage)*	-0.09	0.10	-0.96	-0.68
Percentage of urban population in urban agglomerations	40	41	43	49[c]
International migration				
International migrant stock (thousands)***	..	..	..	167
Percentage of females among international migrants***	..	..	..	57
Net migration rate (per thousand)*	-2.63	-0.83	-20.67	-6.80
Annual inflow of remittances in US$ (millions)	..	..	..	806[c]

* 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 2005.

[b] For 1999/2000.

[c] For 2010.

[d] For 1998.

[e] For 2009.

[f] For 1999.

[g] For 1993.

[h] Modelled estimate.