Population Indicators

Indicator	*1975*	*1985*	*1995*	*2011*
Population size and growth				
Population size (thousands)	749	752	728	756
Annual growth rate (percentage)*	0.76	-0.66	0.08	0.22
Population age structure				
Percentage of population under age 15	45	39	35	32
Percentage of population aged 60 or over	5	6	7	7
Statutory age at retirement (years): Males	..	..	..	60
Females	..	..	..	60
Fertility				
Total fertility (children per woman)*	4.9	3.3	2.6	2.3
Adolescent birth rate (births per 1,000 women aged 15-19)*	114	116	63	68
Percentage of women aged 20-24 married by age 18	..	..	..	23[a]
Reproductive health and family planning				
Percentage of married women using contraception: All methods	31	..	38[b]	43[a]
Modern methods	28	..	37[b]	40[a]
Percentage of married women with unmet need for family planning	..	..	..	29[a]
Index of family planning effort (percentage of maximum score)**	..	..	..	..
Induced abortion rate (per 1,000 women aged 15-44)	..	..	..	12.2[c]
Percentage of women in non-agricultural wage employment	..	..	39[d]	35[e]
Health and mortality				
Life expectancy at birth (years): Both sexes*	57.2	60.0	61.4	68.7
Males*	55.9	57.9	58.5	65.5
Females*	58.6	62.5	64.9	71.9
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)*	83	73	63	42
Under-five mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)*	120	101	85	53
Percentage of children 12-23 months with 3 doses of DPT vaccine	..	..	86	95[f]
Prevalence of stunting among children 0-59 months (percentage)	..	..	14[d]	18[a]
Maternal mortality ratio (per 100,000 live births)***	..	..	170	280
Percentage of births attended by trained health professional	..	..	95[d]	92[a]
Percent obese among adults aged 20 or over: Males****	..	..	..	8.6[g]
Females****	..	..	..	27.1[g]
Percentage of deaths caused by non-communicable diseases****	..	..	..	66
HIV prevalence among adults aged 15-49 (percentage)	..	..	1.4	1.1
Number of people living with HIV (thousands)	..	..	6.3	6.2
Spatial distribution and internal migration				
Population density (per sq. km.)	3	3	3	4
Urban population (percentage)	30	30	29	28
Annual urban population growth rate (percentage)*	1.13	-0.96	-0.22	0.22
Annual rural population growth rate (percentage)*	0.61	-0.53	0.21	0.22
Percentage of urban population in urban agglomerations	..	..	..	..
International migration				
International migrant stock (thousands)***	..	..	..	12
Percentage of females among international migrants***	..	..	..	46
Net migration rate (per thousand)*	-15.53	-25.70	-12.83	-10.66
Annual inflow of remittances in US$ (millions)	..	..	..	308[f]

* 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 2009.

[b] For 1991/1992.

[c] For 2007.

[d] For 1997.

[e] For 2002.

[f] For 2010.

[g] Modelled estimate.