Population Indicators

Indicator	1985	1995	2005	2013
Population size and growth				
Population size (thousands)	16 175	18 242	19 951	21 273
Annual growth rate (percentage)*	1.46	1.03	1.14	0.81
Population age structure				
Percentage of population under age 15	34	29	25	25
Percentage of population aged 60 or over	7	9	10	13
Statutory age at retirement (years): Males				55
Females				50
Fertility				
Total fertility (children per woman)*	3.2	2.4	2.3	2.4
Adolescent birth rate (births per 1,000 women aged 15-19)*	39	30	28	17
Percentage of women aged 20-24 married by age 18	••		12 ^a	•
Reproductive health and family planning				
Percentage of married women using contraception: All methods	62 ^b	66 ^c	68 ^d	
Modern methods	41 ^b	44 ^c	52 ^d	
Percentage of married women with unmet need for family planning			7 ^e	
Index of family planning effort (percentage of maximum score)**				55.4
Induced abortion rate (per 1,000 women aged 15-44)				
Percentage of women in non-agricultural wage employment		30 ^f	32	31 ⁹
Health and mortality				
Life expectancy at birth (years): Both sexes*	69.1	70.0	73.2	74.2
Males*	66.9	66.9	69.6	71.1
Females*	71.8	73.5	77.2	77.4
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)*	29	20	13	g
Under-five mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)*	40	26	16	11
Percentage of children 12-23 months with 3 doses of DPT vaccine	70	93	99	99 ^t
Prevalence of stunting among children 0-59 months (percentage)	31 ^b	26	17 ^e	
Maternal mortality ratio (per 100,000 live births)***		74	44	35
Percentage of births attended by trained health professional	87 ^b	94 ^c	99 ^e	•
Percent obese among adults aged 20 or over: Males****			2.6	•
Females****		••	7.4	
Percentage of deaths caused by non-communicable diseases****			65	
HIV prevalence among adults aged 15-49 (percentage)		<0.1	<0.1	<0.1
Number of people living with HIV (thousands)	••	<1.0	2.8	4.2
Spatial distribution and internal migration				
Population density (per sq. km.)	247	278	304	324
Urban population (percentage)	18	16	15	15
Annual urban population growth rate (percentage)*	0.58	0.10	0.38	1.36
Annual rural population growth rate (percentage)*	1.64	1.19	1.28	0.70
Percentage of urban population in urban agglomerations	••			
International migration				
International migrant stock (thousands)*****		459	395	325
Percentage of females among international migrants*****		50	50	50
Net migration rate (per thousand)*	-5.07	-2.88	-1.03	-2.99
Annual inflow of remittances in US\$ (millions)	292	809	1 976	5 153

 $^{^{\}star}$ For the periods 1980-1985, 1990-1995, 2000-2005, 2010-2015.

^{*** 2013} data refer to 2010.

^a For 2006.

^d For 2006/2007.

^g For 2010.

 $^{^{\}star\star}$ 1985 data refer to 1982; 1995 to 1994; 2005 to 2004; 2013 to 2009.

^{**** 2005} data refer to 2008. ***** 1995 data refer to 1990; 2005 to 2000.

^b For 1987.

e For 2007.

^h For 2012.

^c For 1993.

^f For 1997.

ⁱ For 2011.