

## **WORLD POPULATION AGEING 2007**

The 2007 edition of *World Population Ageing* presents the current assessment of the status of the world's older population and prospects for the future. It updates and expands a previous report released in 2002 at the time of the Second World Assembly on Ageing. The report provides a description of global trends in population ageing and includes key indicators of the ageing process for each of the major areas, regions and countries of the world. Data are taken mainly from the 2004 Revision of the official United Nations world population estimates and projections. Other sources include different United Nations Organizations, the United States Social Security Administration and recent United Nations publications.