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TABLE 1. GOVERNMENT VIEWS ON THE RATE OF POPULATION GROWTH: 1976, 1986, 1996 AND 2007

<i>A. By level of development</i>								
<i>Year</i>	<i>(Number of countries)</i>				<i>(Percentage)</i>			
	<i>Too low</i>	<i>Satisfactory</i>	<i>Too high</i>	<i>Total</i>	<i>Too low</i>	<i>Satisfactory</i>	<i>Too high</i>	<i>Total</i>
<i>World</i>								
1976	34	67	49	150	23	45	33	100
1986	26	73	65	164	16	45	40	100
1996	31	83	79	193	16	43	41	100
2007	39	83	73	195	20	43	37	100
<i>More developed regions</i>								
1976	11	22	1	34	32	65	3	100
1986	6	28	0	34	18	82	0	100
1996	13	34	1	48	27	71	2	100
2007	22	27	0	49	45	55	0	100
<i>Less developed regions</i>								
1976	23	45	48	116	20	39	41	100
1986	20	45	65	130	15	35	50	100
1996	18	49	78	145	12	34	54	100
2007	17	56	73	146	12	38	50	100
<i>Least developed countries</i>								
1976	6	25	11	42	14	60	26	100
1986	4	20	24	48	8	42	50	100
1996	2	11	36	49	4	22	73	100
2007	0	11	39	50	0	22	78	100

TABLE 1. (CONTINUED)

<i>B. By major area</i>								
<i>Year</i>	<i>(Number of countries)</i>				<i>(Percentage)</i>			
	<i>Too low</i>	<i>Satisfactory</i>	<i>Too high</i>	<i>Total</i>	<i>Too low</i>	<i>Satisfactory</i>	<i>Too high</i>	<i>Total</i>
<i>Africa</i>								
1976	7	24	17	48	15	50	35	100
1986	3	18	30	51	6	35	59	100
1996	1	13	39	53	2	25	74	100
2007	2	16	35	53	4	30	66	100
<i>Asia</i>								
1976	11	12	14	37	30	32	38	100
1986	13	13	12	38	34	34	32	100
1996	11	16	19	46	24	35	41	100
2007	11	15	21	47	23	32	45	100
<i>Europe</i>								
1976	11	18	0	29	38	62	0	100
1986	6	23	0	29	21	79	0	100
1996	13	29	1	43	30	67	2	100
2007	21	23	0	44	48	52	0	100
<i>Latin America and the Caribbean</i>								
1976	4	10	13	27	15	37	48	100
1986	3	14	16	33	9	42	48	100
1996	2	18	13	33	6	55	39	100
2007	1	24	8	33	3	73	24	100
<i>Northern America</i>								
1976	0	2	0	2	0	100	0	100
1986	0	2	0	2	0	100	0	100
1996	0	2	0	2	0	100	0	100
2007	0	2	0	2	0	100	0	100
<i>Oceania</i>								
1976	1	1	5	7	14	14	71	100
1986	1	3	7	11	9	27	64	100
1996	4	5	7	16	25	31	44	100
2007	4	3	9	16	25	19	56	100

TABLE 2. GOVERNMENT POLICIES ON THE RATE OF POPULATION GROWTH: 1976, 1986, 1996 AND 2007

<i>A. By level of development</i>										
Year	<i>(Number of countries)</i>					<i>(Percentage)</i>				
	<i>Raise</i>	<i>Maintain</i>	<i>Lower</i>	<i>No intervention</i>	<i>Total</i>	<i>Raise</i>	<i>Maintain</i>	<i>Lower</i>	<i>No intervention</i>	<i>Total</i>
<i>World</i>										
1976	28	0	39	83	150	19	0	26	55	100
1986	26	12	53	73	164	16	7	32	45	100
1996	25	16	71	81	193	13	8	37	42	100
2007	31	32	69	63	195	16	16	35	32	100
<i>More developed regions</i>										
1976	8	0	0	26	34	24	0	0	76	100
1986	8	8	0	18	34	24	24	0	53	100
1996	11	6	1	30	48	23	12	2	62	100
2007	18	9	0	22	49	37	18	0	45	100
<i>Less developed regions</i>										
1976	20	0	39	57	116	17	0	34	49	100
1986	18	4	53	55	130	14	3	41	42	100
1996	14	10	70	51	145	10	7	48	35	100
2007	13	23	69	41	146	9	16	47	28	100
<i>Least developed countries</i>										
1976	5	0	6	31	42	12	0	14	74	100
1986	4	3	14	27	48	8	6	29	56	100
1996	1	1	27	20	49	2	2	55	41	100
2007	0	4	35	11	50	0	8	70	22	100

TABLE 2. (CONTINUED)

<i>B. By major area</i>										
<i>Year</i>	<i>(Number of countries)</i>					<i>(Percentage)</i>				
	<i>Raise</i>	<i>Maintain</i>	<i>Lower</i>	<i>No intervention</i>	<i>Total</i>	<i>Raise</i>	<i>Maintain</i>	<i>Lower</i>	<i>No intervention</i>	<i>Total</i>
<i>Africa</i>										
1976	7	0	12	29	48	15	0	25	60	100
1986	4	3	20	24	51	8	6	39	47	100
1996	2	2	32	17	53	4	4	60	32	100
2007	2	6	34	11	53	4	11	64	21	100
<i>Asia</i>										
1976	9	0	14	14	37	24	0	38	38	100
1986	13	1	12	12	38	34	3	32	32	100
1996	8	5	18	15	46	17	11	39	33	100
2007	10	11	19	7	47	21	23	40	15	100
<i>Europe</i>										
1976	8	0	0	21	29	28	0	0	72	100
1986	8	6	0	15	29	28	21	0	52	100
1996	11	6	1	25	43	26	14	2	58	100
2007	17	9	0	18	44	39	20	0	41	100
<i>Latin America and the Caribbean</i>										
1976	3	0	9	15	27	11	0	33	56	100
1986	0	0	15	18	33	0	0	45	55	100
1996	1	2	13	17	33	3	6	39	52	100
2007	0	5	8	20	33	0	15	24	61	100
<i>Northern America</i>										
1976	0	0	0	2	2	0	0	0	100	100
1986	0	1	0	1	2	0	50	0	50	100
1996	0	0	0	2	2	0	0	0	100	100
2007	0	0	0	2	2	0	0	0	100	100
<i>Oceania</i>										
1976	1	0	4	2	7	14	0	57	29	100
1986	1	1	6	3	11	9	9	55	27	100
1996	3	1	7	5	16	19	6	44	31	100
2007	2	1	8	5	16	13	6	50	31	100

TABLE 3. GOVERNMENT LEVEL OF CONCERN ABOUT THE AGEING OF THE POPULATION, 2007

<i>(Number of countries)</i>				<i>(Percentage)</i>			
<i>Major concern</i>	<i>Minor concern</i>	<i>Not a concern</i>	<i>Total</i>	<i>Major concern</i>	<i>Minor concern</i>	<i>Not a concern</i>	<i>Total</i>
<i>A. By level of development</i>							
<i>World</i>							
94	75	2	171	55	44	1	100
<i>More developed regions</i>							
39	8	1	48	81	17	2	100
<i>Less developed regions</i>							
55	67	1	123	45	54	1	100
<i>Least developed countries</i>							
10	25	1	36	28	69	3	100
<i>B. By major area</i>							
<i>Africa</i>							
15	28	1	44	34	64	2	100
<i>Asia</i>							
18	23	0	41	44	56	0	100
<i>Europe</i>							
35	7	1	43	81	16	2	100
<i>Latin America and the Caribbean</i>							
23	10	0	33	70	30	0	100
<i>Northern America</i>							
2	0	0	2	100	0	0	100
<i>Oceania</i>							
1	7	0	8	13	88	0	100

TABLE 4. GOVERNMENT LEVEL OF CONCERN ABOUT THE SIZE OF THE POPULATION OF WORKING-AGE, 2007

<i>(Number of countries)</i>				<i>(Percentage)</i>			
<i>Major concern</i>	<i>Minor concern</i>	<i>Not a concern</i>	<i>Total</i>	<i>Major concern</i>	<i>Minor concern</i>	<i>Not a concern</i>	<i>Total</i>
<i>A. By level of development</i>							
<i>World</i>							
107	43	11	161	66	27	7	100
<i>More developed regions</i>							
28	12	6	46	61	26	13	100
<i>Less developed regions</i>							
79	31	5	115	69	27	4	100
<i>Least developed countries</i>							
29	6	0	35	83	17	0	100
<i>B. By major area</i>							
<i>Africa</i>							
29	9	0	38	76	24	0	100
<i>Asia</i>							
32	8	1	41	78	20	2	100
<i>Europe</i>							
24	12	5	41	59	29	12	100
<i>Latin America and the Caribbean</i>							
12	13	4	29	41	45	14	100
<i>Northern America</i>							
2	0	0	2	100	0	0	100
<i>Oceania</i>							
8	1	1	10	80	10	10	100

TABLE 5. GOVERNMENT VIEWS ON THE LEVEL OF FERTILITY: 1976, 1986, 1996 AND 2007

<i>A. By level of development</i>								
<i>Year</i>	<i>(Number of countries)</i>				<i>(Percentage)</i>			
	<i>Too low</i>	<i>Satisfactory</i>	<i>Too high</i>	<i>Total</i>	<i>Too low</i>	<i>Satisfactory</i>	<i>Too high</i>	<i>Total</i>
<i>World</i>								
1976	16	79	55	150	11	53	37	100
1986	22	75	67	164	13	46	41	100
1996	28	78	87	193	15	40	45	100
2007	47	69	79	195	24	35	41	100
<i>More developed regions</i>								
1976	7	27	0	34	21	79	0	100
1986	9	25	0	34	26	74	0	100
1996	19	28	1	48	40	58	2	100
2007	30	19	0	49	61	39	0	100
<i>Less developed regions</i>								
1976	9	52	55	116	8	45	47	100
1986	13	50	67	130	10	38	52	100
1996	9	50	86	145	6	34	59	100
2007	17	50	79	146	12	34	54	100
<i>Least developed countries</i>								
1976	3	26	13	42	7	62	31	100
1986	2	20	26	48	4	42	54	100
1996	0	11	38	49	0	22	78	100
2007	0	5	45	50	0	10	90	100

TABLE 5. (CONTINUED)

<i>B. By major area</i>								
<i>Year</i>	<i>(Number of countries)</i>				<i>(Percentage)</i>			
	<i>Too low</i>	<i>Satisfactory</i>	<i>Too high</i>	<i>Total</i>	<i>Too low</i>	<i>Satisfactory</i>	<i>Too high</i>	<i>Total</i>
<i>Africa</i>								
1976	5	25	18	48	10	52	38	100
1986	3	17	31	51	6	33	61	100
1996	1	11	41	53	2	21	77	100
2007	1	12	40	53	2	23	75	100
<i>Asia</i>								
1976	2	18	17	37	5	49	46	100
1986	7	17	14	38	18	45	37	100
1996	7	20	19	46	15	43	41	100
2007	12	14	21	47	26	30	45	100
<i>Europe</i>								
1976	7	22	0	29	24	76	0	100
1986	9	20	0	29	31	69	0	100
1996	18	24	1	43	42	56	2	100
2007	27	17	0	44	61	39	0	100
<i>Latin America and the Caribbean</i>								
1976	2	9	16	27	7	33	59	100
1986	3	15	15	33	9	45	45	100
1996	1	14	18	33	3	42	55	100
2007	2	21	10	33	6	64	30	100
<i>Northern America</i>								
1976	0	2	0	2	0	100	0	100
1986	0	2	0	2	0	100	0	100
1996	0	2	0	2	0	100	0	100
2007	1	1	0	2	50	50	0	100
<i>Oceania</i>								
1976	0	3	4	7	0	43	57	100
1986	0	4	7	11	0	36	64	100
1996	1	7	8	16	6	44	50	100
2007	4	4	8	16	25	25	50	100

TABLE 6. GOVERNMENT POLICIES ON THE LEVEL OF FERTILITY: 1976, 1986, 1996 AND 2007

<i>A. By level of development</i>										
<i>Year</i>	<i>(Number of countries)</i>					<i>(Percentage)</i>				
	<i>Raise</i>	<i>Maintain</i>	<i>Lower</i>	<i>No intervention</i>	<i>Total</i>	<i>Raise</i>	<i>Maintain</i>	<i>Lower</i>	<i>No intervention</i>	<i>Total</i>
<i>World</i>										
1976	13	19	40	78	150	9	13	27	52	100
1986	19	16	54	75	164	12	10	33	46	100
1996	27	19	82	65	193	14	10	42	34	100
2007	39	34	75	47	195	20	17	38	24	100
<i>More developed regions</i>										
1976	7	7	0	20	34	21	21	0	59	100
1986	8	6	0	20	34	24	18	0	59	100
1996	16	4	1	27	48	33	8	2	56	100
2007	26	9	0	14	49	53	18	0	29	100
<i>Less developed regions</i>										
1976	6	12	40	58	116	5	10	34	50	100
1986	11	10	54	55	130	8	8	42	42	100
1996	11	15	81	38	145	8	10	56	26	100
2007	13	25	75	33	146	9	17	51	23	100
<i>Least developed countries</i>										
1976	1	2	6	33	42	2	5	14	79	100
1986	2	4	15	27	48	4	8	31	56	100
1996	0	3	32	14	49	0	6	65	29	100
2007	0	3	38	9	50	0	6	76	18	100

TABLE 6. (CONTINUED)

Year	<i>B. By major area</i>									
	<i>(Number of countries)</i>					<i>(Percentage)</i>				
	<i>Raise</i>	<i>Maintain</i>	<i>Lower</i>	<i>No intervention</i>	<i>Total</i>	<i>Raise</i>	<i>Maintain</i>	<i>Lower</i>	<i>No intervention</i>	<i>Total</i>
	<i>Africa</i>									
1976	2	2	12	32	48	4	4	25	67	100
1986	3	3	21	24	51	6	6	41	47	100
1996	2	3	36	12	53	4	6	68	23	100
2007	1	5	38	9	53	2	9	72	17	100
	<i>Asia</i>									
1976	2	9	14	12	37	5	24	38	32	100
1986	8	6	13	11	38	21	16	34	29	100
1996	7	9	19	11	46	15	20	41	24	100
2007	10	12	18	7	47	21	26	38	15	100
	<i>Europe</i>									
1976	7	7	0	15	29	24	24	0	52	100
1986	8	6	0	15	29	28	21	0	52	100
1996	16	4	1	22	43	37	9	2	51	100
2007	24	8	0	12	44	55	18	0	27	100
	<i>Latin America and the Caribbean</i>									
1976	2	0	10	15	27	7	0	37	56	100
1986	0	0	15	18	33	0	0	45	55	100
1996	1	0	18	14	33	3	0	55	42	100
2007	1	6	10	16	33	3	18	30	48	100
	<i>Northern America</i>									
1976	0	0	0	2	2	0	0	0	100	100
1986	0	0	0	2	2	0	0	0	100	100
1996	0	0	0	2	2	0	0	0	100	100
2007	0	0	0	2	2	0	0	0	100	100
	<i>Oceania</i>									
1976	0	1	4	2	7	0	14	57	29	100
1986	0	1	5	5	11	0	9	45	45	100
1996	1	3	8	4	16	6	19	50	25	100
2007	3	3	9	1	16	19	19	56	6	100

TABLE 7. GOVERNMENT POLICIES ON PROVIDING ACCESS TO CONTRACEPTIVE METHODS:
1976, 1986, 1996 AND 2007

<i>A. By level of development</i>										
<i>Year</i>	<i>(Number of countries)</i>					<i>(Percentage)</i>				
	<i>Limits</i>	<i>No support</i>	<i>Indirect support</i>	<i>Direct support</i>	<i>Total</i>	<i>Limits</i>	<i>No support</i>	<i>Indirect support</i>	<i>Direct support</i>	<i>Total</i>
<i>World</i>										
1976	10	28	17	95	150	7	19	11	63	100
1986	7	18	22	117	164	4	11	13	71	100
1996	2	26	18	143	189	1	14	10	76	100
2007	1	14	36	144	195	1	7	18	74	100
<i>More developed regions</i>										
1976	3	4	6	21	34	9	12	18	62	100
1986	3	4	8	19	34	9	12	24	56	100
1996	1	12	7	28	48	2	25	15	58	100
2007	1	9	20	19	49	2	18	41	39	100
<i>Less developed regions</i>										
1976	7	24	11	74	116	6	21	9	64	100
1986	4	14	14	98	130	3	11	11	75	100
1996	1	14	11	115	141	1	10	8	82	100
2007	0	5	16	125	146	0	3	11	86	100
<i>Least developed countries</i>										
1976	4	14	6	18	42	10	33	14	43	100
1986	2	4	7	35	48	4	8	15	73	100
1996	0	3	3	42	48	0	6	6	88	100
2007	0	1	6	43	50	0	2	12	86	100

TABLE 7. (CONTINUED)

<i>B. By major area</i>										
<i>Year</i>	<i>(Number of countries)</i>					<i>(Percentage)</i>				
	<i>Limits</i>	<i>No support</i>	<i>Indirect support</i>	<i>Direct support</i>	<i>Total</i>	<i>Limits</i>	<i>No support</i>	<i>Indirect support</i>	<i>Direct support</i>	<i>Total</i>
<i>Africa</i>										
1976	3	14	7	24	48	6	29	15	50	100
1986	0	7	6	38	51	0	14	12	75	100
1996	0	4	5	43	52	0	8	10	83	100
2007	0	3	6	44	53	0	6	11	83	100
<i>Asia</i>										
1976	3	7	2	25	37	8	19	5	68	100
1986	4	5	4	25	38	11	13	11	66	100
1996	1	9	3	32	45	2	20	7	71	100
2007	0	2	6	39	47	0	4	13	83	100
<i>Europe</i>										
1976	3	4	5	17	29	10	14	17	59	100
1986	3	4	6	16	29	10	14	21	55	100
1996	1	12	6	24	43	2	28	14	56	100
2007	1	9	17	17	44	2	20	39	39	100
<i>Latin America and the Caribbean</i>										
1976	1	3	2	21	27	4	11	7	78	100
1986	0	2	4	27	33	0	6	12	82	100
1996	0	1	3	29	33	0	3	9	88	100
2007	0	0	2	31	33	0	0	6	94	100
<i>Northern America</i>										
1976	0	0	0	2	2	0	0	0	100	100
1986	0	0	0	2	2	0	0	0	100	100
1996	0	0	0	2	2	0	0	0	100	100
2007	0	0	1	1	2	0	0	50	50	100
<i>Oceania</i>										
1976	0	0	1	6	7	0	0	14	86	100
1986	0	0	2	9	11	0	0	18	82	100
1996	0	0	1	13	14	0	0	7	93	100
2007	0	0	4	12	16	0	0	25	75	100

TABLE 8. GOVERNMENT LEVEL OF CONCERN ABOUT ADOLESCENT FERTILITY, 1996 AND 2007

Year	<i>(Number of countries)</i>				<i>(Percentage)</i>			
	<i>Major concern</i>	<i>Minor concern</i>	<i>Not a concern</i>	<i>Total</i>	<i>Major concern</i>	<i>Minor concern</i>	<i>Not a concern</i>	<i>Total</i>
<i>A. By level of development</i>								
<i>World</i>								
1996	59	39	30	128	46	30	23	100
2007	107	61	17	185	58	33	9	100
<i>More developed regions</i>								
1996	9	12	12	33	27	36	36	100
2007	16	22	7	45	36	49	16	100
<i>Less developed regions</i>								
1996	50	27	18	95	53	28	19	100
2007	91	39	10	140	65	28	7	100
<i>Least developed countries</i>								
1996	16	9	8	33	48	27	24	100
2007	31	14	3	48	65	29	6	100
<i>B. By major area</i>								
<i>Africa</i>								
1996	24	8	9	41	59	20	22	100
2007	32	17	3	52	62	33	6	100
<i>Asia</i>								
1996	7	12	8	27	26	44	30	100
2007	20	16	7	43	47	37	16	100
<i>Europe</i>								
1996	7	9	12	28	25	32	43	100
2007	13	20	7	40	33	50	18	100
<i>Latin America and the Caribbean</i>								
1996	18	6	1	25	72	24	4	100
2007	31	2	0	33	94	6	0	100
<i>Northern America</i>								
1996	1	1	0	2	50	50	0	100
2007	2	0	0	2	100	0	0	100
<i>Oceania</i>								
1996	2	3	0	5	40	60	0	100
2007	9	6	0	15	60	40	0	100

TABLE 9. GOVERNMENT POLICIES AND PROGRAMMES ADDRESSING ADOLESCENT FERTILITY, 1996 AND 2007

Year	<i>(Number of countries)</i>			<i>(Percentage)</i>		
	<i>Yes</i>	<i>No</i>	<i>Total</i>	<i>Yes</i>	<i>No</i>	<i>Total</i>
<i>A. By level of development</i>						
<i>World</i>						
1996	76	51	127	60	40	100
2007	146	37	183	80	20	100
<i>More developed regions</i>						
1996	16	15	31	52	48	100
2007	30	15	45	67	33	100
<i>Less developed regions</i>						
1996	60	36	96	63	38	100
2007	116	22	138	84	16	100
<i>Least developed countries</i>						
1996	18	12	30	60	40	100
2007	37	9	46	80	20	100
<i>B. By major area</i>						
<i>Africa</i>						
1996	24	14	38	63	37	100
2007	41	10	51	80	20	100
<i>Asia</i>						
1996	16	13	29	55	45	100
2007	33	10	43	77	23	100
<i>Europe</i>						
1996	13	15	28	46	54	100
2007	25	15	40	63	38	100
<i>Latin America and the Caribbean</i>						
1996	18	6	24	75	25	100
2007	32	0	32	100	0	100
<i>Northern America</i>						
1996	2	0	2	100	0	100
2007	2	0	2	100	0	100
<i>Oceania</i>						
1996	3	3	6	50	50	100
2007	13	2	15	87	13	100

TABLE 10. GOVERNMENT VIEWS ON THE ACCEPTABILITY OF THE MORTALITY LEVEL:
1976, 1986, 1996 AND 2007

<i>A. By level of development</i>						
<i>Year</i>	<i>(Number of countries)</i>			<i>(Percentage)</i>		
	<i>Acceptable</i>	<i>Unacceptable</i>	<i>Total</i>	<i>Acceptable</i>	<i>Unacceptable</i>	<i>Total</i>
<i>World</i>						
1976	55	95	150	37	63	100
1986	60	104	164	37	63	100
1996	77	116	193	40	60	100
2007	84	111	195	43	57	100
<i>More developed regions</i>						
1976	27	7	34	79	21	100
1986	27	7	34	79	21	100
1996	30	18	48	62	38	100
2007	31	18	49	63	37	100
<i>Less developed regions</i>						
1976	28	88	116	24	76	100
1986	33	97	130	25	75	100
1996	47	98	145	32	68	100
2007	53	93	146	36	64	100
<i>Least developed countries</i>						
1976	2	40	42	5	95	100
1986	3	45	48	6	94	100
1996	1	48	49	2	98	100
2007	0	50	50	0	100	100

TABLE 10. (CONTINUED)

<i>B. By major area</i>						
<i>Year</i>	<i>(Number of countries)</i>			<i>(Percentage)</i>		
	<i>Acceptable</i>	<i>Unacceptable</i>	<i>Total</i>	<i>Acceptable</i>	<i>Unacceptable</i>	<i>Total</i>
<i>Africa</i>						
1976	2	46	48	4	96	100
1986	4	47	51	8	92	100
1996	7	46	53	13	87	100
2007	6	47	53	11	89	100
<i>Asia</i>						
1976	13	24	37	35	65	100
1986	15	23	38	39	61	100
1996	19	27	46	41	59	100
2007	23	24	47	49	51	100
<i>Europe</i>						
1976	22	7	29	76	24	100
1986	22	7	29	76	24	100
1996	28	15	43	65	35	100
2007	27	17	44	61	39	100
<i>Latin America and the Caribbean</i>						
1976	11	16	27	41	59	100
1986	13	20	33	39	61	100
1996	17	16	33	52	48	100
2007	19	14	33	58	42	100
<i>Northern America</i>						
1976	2	0	2	100	0	100
1986	2	0	2	100	0	100
1996	1	1	2	50	50	100
2007	1	1	2	50	50	100
<i>Oceania</i>						
1976	5	2	7	71	29	100
1986	4	7	11	36	64	100
1996	5	11	16	31	69	100
2007	8	8	16	50	50	100

TABLE 11. GOVERNMENT VIEWS ON THE ACCEPTABILITY OF THE LEVEL OF UNDER-FIVE MORTALITY, 1996 AND 2007

Year	<i>(Number of countries)</i>			<i>(Percentage)</i>		
	<i>Acceptable</i>	<i>Unacceptable</i>	<i>Total</i>	<i>Acceptable</i>	<i>Unacceptable</i>	<i>Total</i>
<i>A. By level of development</i>						
<i>World</i>						
1996	26	87	113	23	77	100
2007	52	141	193	27	73	100
<i>More developed regions</i>						
1996	13	15	28	46	54	100
2007	32	17	49	65	35	100
<i>Less developed regions</i>						
1996	13	72	85	15	85	100
2007	20	124	144	14	86	100
<i>Least developed countries</i>						
1996	0	34	34	0	100	100
2007	0	50	50	0	100	100
<i>B. By major area</i>						
<i>Africa</i>						
1996	2	39	41	5	95	100
2007	2	51	53	4	96	100
<i>Asia</i>						
1996	8	17	25	32	68	100
2007	10	37	47	21	79	100
<i>Europe</i>						
1996	13	11	24	54	46	100
2007	30	14	44	68	32	100
<i>Latin America and the Caribbean</i>						
1996	3	16	19	16	84	100
2007	4	28	32	13	88	100
<i>Northern America</i>						
1996	0	1	1	0	100	100
2007	1	1	2	50	50	100
<i>Oceania</i>						
1996	0	3	3	0	100	100
2007	5	10	15	33	67	100

TABLE 12. GOVERNMENT VIEWS ON THE ACCEPTABILITY OF THE LEVEL OF MATERNAL MORTALITY, 2007

<i>(Number of countries)</i>			<i>(Percentage)</i>		
<i>Acceptable</i>	<i>Unacceptable</i>	<i>Total</i>	<i>Acceptable</i>	<i>Unacceptable</i>	<i>Total</i>
<i>A. By level of development</i>					
<i>World</i>					
58	135	193	30	70	100
<i>More developed regions</i>					
33	16	49	67	33	100
<i>Less developed regions</i>					
25	119	144	17	83	100
<i>Least developed countries</i>					
1	48	49	2	98	100
<i>B. By major area</i>					
<i>Africa</i>					
1	52	53	2	98	100
<i>Asia</i>					
11	36	47	23	77	100
<i>Europe</i>					
30	14	44	68	32	100
<i>Latin America and the Caribbean</i>					
7	26	33	21	79	100
<i>Northern America</i>					
1	1	2	50	50	100
<i>Oceania</i>					
8	6	14	57	43	100

TABLE 13. GOVERNMENT LEVEL OF CONCERN ABOUT HIV/AIDS, 1996 AND 2007

Year	<i>(Number of countries)</i>				<i>(Percentage)</i>			
	<i>Major concern</i>	<i>Minor concern</i>	<i>Not a concern</i>	<i>Total</i>	<i>Major concern</i>	<i>Minor concern</i>	<i>Not a concern</i>	<i>Total</i>
<i>A. By level of development</i>								
<i>World</i>								
1996	89	34	2	125	71	27	2	100
2007	175	18	1	194	90	9	1	100
<i>More developed regions</i>								
1996	21	12	0	33	64	36	0	100
2007	39	9	0	48	81	19	0	100
<i>Less developed regions</i>								
1996	68	22	2	92	74	24	2	100
2007	136	9	1	146	93	6	1	100
<i>Least developed countries</i>								
1996	26	8	0	34	76	24	0	100
2007	49	1	0	50	98	2	0	100
<i>B. By major area</i>								
<i>Africa</i>								
1996	34	7	0	41	83	17	0	100
2007	48	4	1	53	91	8	2	100
<i>Asia</i>								
1996	17	7	2	26	65	27	8	100
2007	43	4	0	47	91	9	0	100
<i>Europe</i>								
1996	17	11	0	28	61	39	0	100
2007	34	9	0	43	79	21	0	100
<i>Latin America and the Caribbean</i>								
1996	16	8	0	24	67	33	0	100
2007	32	1	0	33	97	3	0	100
<i>Northern America</i>								
1996	2	0	0	2	100	0	0	100
2007	2	0	0	2	100	0	0	100
<i>Oceania</i>								
1996	3	1	0	4	75	25	0	100
2007	16	0	0	16	100	0	0	100

TABLE 14. GOVERNMENT MEASURES IMPLEMENTED IN RESPONSE TO THE HIV/AIDS EPIDEMIC, 2007

<i>(Number of countries)</i>					<i>(Percentage)</i>				
<i>IEC campaigns</i>	<i>Blood Screening</i>	<i>Distribution of condoms</i>	<i>Access to antiretroviral treatment</i>	<i>Non discriminatory policies</i>	<i>IEC campaigns</i>	<i>Blood Screening</i>	<i>Distribution of condoms</i>	<i>Provision of antiretroviral treatment</i>	<i>Non discriminatory policies</i>
<i>A. By level of development</i>									
<i>World</i>									
192	182	167	165	122	98	93	86	85	63
<i>More developed regions</i>									
49	47	43	43	37	100	96	88	88	76
<i>Less developed regions</i>									
143	135	124	120	85	98	92	85	82	58
<i>Least developed countries</i>									
49	44	42	30	19	98	88	84	60	38
<i>B. By major area</i>									
<i>Africa</i>									
52	49	46	40	25	98	92	87	75	47
<i>Asia</i>									
46	47	39	36	35	98	100	83	77	74
<i>Europe</i>									
44	42	38	38	32	100	95	86	86	73
<i>Latin America and the Caribbean</i>									
33	31	31	31	21	100	94	94	94	64
<i>Northern America</i>									
2	2	2	2	2	100	100	100	100	100
<i>Oceania</i>									
15	11	11	9	7	94	69	69	56	44

TABLE 15. GOVERNMENT VIEWS ON THE SPATIAL DISTRIBUTION OF THE POPULATION:
1976, 1986, 1996 AND 2007

<i>A. By level of development</i>								
<i>Year</i>	<i>(Number of countries)</i>				<i>(Percentage)</i>			
	<i>Major change desired</i>	<i>Minor change desired</i>	<i>Satisfactory</i>	<i>Total</i>	<i>Major change desired</i>	<i>Minor change desired</i>	<i>Satisfactory</i>	<i>Total</i>
<i>World</i>								
1976	78	55	17	150	52	37	11	100
1986	75	71	18	164	46	43	11	100
1996	80	57	55	192	42	30	29	100
2007	100	66	29	195	51	34	15	100
<i>More developed regions</i>								
1976	4	19	11	34	12	56	32	100
1986	3	18	13	34	9	53	38	100
1996	11	15	22	48	23	31	46	100
2007	18	19	12	49	37	39	24	100
<i>Less developed regions</i>								
1976	74	36	6	116	64	31	5	100
1986	72	53	5	130	55	41	4	100
1996	69	42	33	144	48	29	23	100
2007	82	47	17	146	56	32	12	100
<i>Least developed countries</i>								
1976	27	15	0	42	64	36	0	100
1986	26	22	0	48	54	46	0	100
1996	30	12	6	48	63	25	13	100
2007	32	16	2	50	64	32	4	100

TABLE 15. (CONTINUED)

<i>B. By major area</i>								
<i>Year</i>	<i>(Number of countries)</i>				<i>(Percentage)</i>			
	<i>Major change desired</i>	<i>Minor change desired</i>	<i>Satisfactory</i>	<i>Total</i>	<i>Major change desired</i>	<i>Minor change desired</i>	<i>Satisfactory</i>	<i>Total</i>
<i>Africa</i>								
1976	36	12	0	48	75	25	0	100
1986	34	17	0	51	67	33	0	100
1996	33	13	6	52	63	25	12	100
2007	39	12	2	53	74	23	4	39
<i>Asia</i>								
1976	14	19	4	37	38	51	11	100
1986	11	24	3	38	29	63	8	100
1996	17	18	11	46	37	39	24	100
2007	24	17	6	47	51	36	13	100
<i>Europe</i>								
1976	2	17	10	29	7	59	34	100
1986	2	15	12	29	7	52	41	100
1996	10	13	20	43	23	30	47	100
2007	17	16	11	44	39	36	25	100
<i>Latin America and the Caribbean</i>								
1976	22	4	1	27	81	15	4	100
1986	24	8	1	33	73	24	3	100
1996	16	7	10	33	48	21	30	100
2007	13	14	6	33	39	42	18	100
<i>Northern America</i>								
1976	0	1	1	2	0	50	50	100
1986	0	1	1	2	0	50	50	100
1996	0	0	2	2	0	0	100	100
2007	0	1	1	2	0	50	50	100
<i>Oceania</i>								
1976	4	2	1	7	57	29	14	100
1986	4	6	1	11	36	55	9	100
1996	4	6	6	16	25	38	38	100
2007	7	6	3	16	44	38	19	100

TABLE 16. GOVERNMENT POLICIES ON INTERNAL MIGRATION FROM RURAL AREAS TO URBAN AREAS, 2007

<i>Raise</i>	<i>(Number of countries)</i>				<i>(Percentage)</i>					
	<i>Maintain</i>	<i>Lower</i>	<i>No intervention</i>	<i>Total</i>	<i>Raise</i>	<i>Maintain</i>	<i>Lower</i>	<i>No intervention</i>	<i>Total</i>	
<i>A. By level of development</i>										
<i>World</i>										
9	2	117	39	167	5	1	70	23	100	
<i>More developed regions</i>										
2	1	26	13	42	5	2	62	31	100	
<i>Less developed regions</i>										
7	1	91	26	125	6	1	73	21	100	
<i>Least developed countries</i>										
2	0	33	8	43	5	0	77	19	100	
<i>B. By major area</i>										
<i>Africa</i>										
0	0	39	8	47	0	0	83	17	100	
<i>Asia</i>										
6	0	29	5	40	15	0	73	13	100	
<i>Europe</i>										
2	1	24	10	37	5	3	65	27	100	
<i>Latin America and the Caribbean</i>										
0	1	17	12	30	0	3	57	40	100	
<i>Northern America</i>										
0	0	0	2	2	0	0	0	100	100	
<i>Oceania</i>										
1	0	8	2	11	9	0	73	18	100	

TABLE 17. GOVERNMENT POLICIES ON INTERNAL MIGRATION FROM URBAN AREAS TO URBAN AREAS, 2007

<i>Raise</i>	<i>(Number of countries)</i>					<i>(Percentage)</i>				<i>Total</i>
	<i>Maintain</i>	<i>Lower</i>	<i>No intervention</i>	<i>Total</i>		<i>Raise</i>	<i>Maintain</i>	<i>Lower</i>	<i>No intervention</i>	
<i>A. By level of development</i>										
<i>World</i>										
15	22	4	69	110		14	20	4	63	100
<i>More developed regions</i>										
1	2	2	25	30		3	7	7	83	100
<i>Less developed regions</i>										
14	20	2	44	80		18	25	3	55	100
<i>Least developed countries</i>										
3	6	1	10	20		15	30	5	50	100
<i>B. By major area</i>										
<i>Africa</i>										
4	4	2	13	23		17	17	9	57	100
<i>Asia</i>										
5	14	0	12	31		16	45	0	39	100
<i>Europe</i>										
0	2	2	21	25		0	8	8	84	100
<i>Latin America and the Caribbean</i>										
5	2	0	17	24		21	8	0	71	100
<i>Northern America</i>										
0	0	0	2	2		0	0	0	100	100
<i>Oceania</i>										
1	0	0	4	5		20	0	0	80	100

TABLE 18. GOVERNMENT POLICIES ON INTERNAL MIGRATION INTO URBAN AGGLOMERATIONS:
1976, 1986, 1996 AND 2007

<i>A. By level of development</i>										
<i>Year</i>	<i>(Number of countries)</i>					<i>(Percentage)</i>				
	<i>Raise</i>	<i>Maintain</i>	<i>Lower</i>	<i>No intervention</i>	<i>Total</i>	<i>Raise</i>	<i>Maintain</i>	<i>Lower</i>	<i>No intervention</i>	<i>Total</i>
<i>World</i>										
1976	4	0	39	40	83	5	0	47	48	100
1986	2	1	50	41	94	2	1	53	44	100
1996	3	5	55	60	123	2	4	45	49	100
2007	5	5	112	50	172	3	3	65	29	100
<i>More developed regions</i>										
1976	2	0	11	7	20	10	0	55	35	100
1986	1	1	8	9	19	5	5	42	47	100
1996	3	3	8	17	31	10	10	26	55	100
2007	2	2	17	23	44	5	5	39	52	100
<i>Less developed regions</i>										
1976	2	0	28	33	63	3	0	44	52	100
1986	1	0	42	32	75	1	0	56	43	100
1996	0	2	47	43	92	0	2	51	47	100
2007	3	3	95	27	128	2	2	74	21	100
<i>Least developed countries</i>										
1976	0	0	11	15	26	0	0	42	58	100
1986	0	0	7	19	26	0	0	27	73	100
1996	0	0	17	17	34	0	0	50	50	100
2007	0	0	32	11	43	0	0	74	26	100

TABLE 18. (CONTINUED)

<i>B. By major area</i>										
<i>Year</i>	<i>(Number of countries)</i>					<i>(Percentage)</i>				
	<i>Raise</i>	<i>Maintain</i>	<i>Lower</i>	<i>No intervention</i>	<i>Total</i>	<i>Raise</i>	<i>Maintain</i>	<i>Lower</i>	<i>No intervention</i>	<i>Total</i>
<i>Africa</i>										
1976	0	0	18	19	37	0	0	49	51	100
1986	0	0	16	17	33	0	0	48	52	100
1996	0	1	22	18	41	0	2	54	44	100
2007	0	0	36	10	46	0	0	78	22	100
<i>Asia</i>										
1976	1	0	4	0	5	20	0	80	0	100
1986	1	0	12	6	19	5	0	63	32	100
1996	0	0	18	9	27	0	0	67	33	100
2007	3	3	30	6	42	7	7	71	14	100
<i>Europe</i>										
1976	2	0	11	6	19	11	0	58	32	100
1986	1	1	8	6	16	6	6	50	38	100
1996	3	3	7	13	26	12	12	27	50	100
2007	2	2	15	20	39	5	5	38	51	100
<i>Latin America and the Caribbean</i>										
1976	1	0	6	13	20	5	0	30	65	100
1986	0	0	13	6	19	0	0	68	32	100
1996	0	0	8	15	23	0	0	35	65	100
2007	0	0	21	10	31	0	0	68	32	100
<i>Northern America</i>										
1976	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	100	100
1986	0	0	0	2	2	0	0	0	100	100
1996	0	0	0	2	2	0	0	0	100	100
2007	0	0	0	2	2	0	0	0	100	100
<i>Oceania</i>										
1976	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	100	100
1986	0	0	1	4	5	0	0	20	80	100
1996	0	1	0	3	4	0	25	0	75	100
2007	0	0	10	2	12	0	0	83	17	100

TABLE 19. GOVERNMENT VIEWS ON THE LEVEL OF IMMIGRATION: 1976, 1986, 1996 AND 2007

<i>A. By level of development</i>								
<i>Year</i>	<i>(Number of countries)</i>				<i>(Percentage)</i>			
	<i>Too low</i>	<i>Satisfactory</i>	<i>Too high</i>	<i>Total</i>	<i>Too low</i>	<i>Satisfactory</i>	<i>Too high</i>	<i>Total</i>
<i>World</i>								
1976	11	129	10	150	7	86	7	100
1986	6	125	33	164	4	76	20	100
1996	4	148	41	193	2	77	21	100
2007	11	150	34	195	6	77	17	100
<i>More developed regions</i>								
1976	1	27	6	34	3	79	18	100
1986	0	26	8	34	0	76	24	100
1996	1	31	16	48	2	65	33	100
2007	5	41	3	49	10	84	6	100
<i>Less developed regions</i>								
1976	10	102	4	116	9	88	3	100
1986	6	99	25	130	5	76	19	100
1996	3	117	25	145	2	81	17	100
2007	6	109	31	146	4	75	21	100
<i>Least developed countries</i>								
1976	2	39	1	42	5	93	2	100
1986	1	40	7	48	2	83	15	100
1996	0	41	8	49	0	84	16	100
2007	0	43	7	50	0	86	14	100

TABLE 19. (CONTINUED)

<i>B. By major area</i>								
<i>Year</i>	<i>(Number of countries)</i>				<i>(Percentage)</i>			
	<i>Too low</i>	<i>Satisfactory</i>	<i>Too high</i>	<i>Total</i>	<i>Too low</i>	<i>Satisfactory</i>	<i>Too high</i>	<i>Total</i>
<i>Africa</i>								
1976	5	41	2	48	10	85	4	100
1986	1	39	11	51	2	76	22	100
1996	0	46	7	53	0	87	13	100
2007	0	40	13	53	0	75	25	100
<i>Asia</i>								
1976	4	32	1	37	11	86	3	100
1986	1	30	7	38	3	79	18	100
1996	1	35	10	46	2	76	22	100
2007	4	29	14	47	9	62	30	100
<i>Europe</i>								
1976	0	24	5	29	0	83	17	100
1986	0	22	7	29	0	76	24	100
1996	0	27	16	43	0	63	37	100
2007	2	39	3	44	5	89	7	100
<i>Latin America and the Caribbean</i>								
1976	1	25	1	27	4	93	4	100
1986	4	23	6	33	12	70	18	100
1996	2	26	5	33	6	79	15	100
2007	1	30	2	33	3	91	6	100
<i>Northern America</i>								
1976	0	2	0	2	0	100	0	100
1986	0	1	1	2	0	50	50	100
1996	0	2	0	2	0	100	0	100
2007	1	1	0	2	50	50	0	100
<i>Oceania</i>								
1976	1	5	1	7	14	71	14	100
1986	0	10	1	11	0	91	9	100
1996	1	12	3	16	6	75	19	100
2007	3	11	2	16	19	69	13	100

TABLE 20. GOVERNMENT POLICIES ON IMMIGRATION: 1976, 1986, 1996 AND 2007

<i>A. By level of development</i>								
<i>Year</i>	<i>(Number of countries)</i>				<i>(Percentage)</i>			
	<i>Raise</i>	<i>Maintain No intervention</i>	<i>Lower</i>	<i>Total</i>	<i>Raise</i>	<i>Maintain No intervention</i>	<i>Lower</i>	<i>Total</i>
<i>World</i>								
1976	11	129	10	150	7	86	7	100
1986	6	125	33	164	4	76	20	100
1996	8	107	78	193	4	55	41	100
2007	11	146	38	195	6	75	19	100
<i>More developed regions</i>								
1976	1	27	6	34	3	79	18	100
1986	0	21	13	34	0	62	38	100
1996	1	18	29	48	2	38	60	100
2007	5	40	4	49	10	82	8	100
<i>Less developed regions</i>								
1976	10	102	4	116	9	88	3	100
1986	6	104	20	130	5	80	15	100
1996	7	89	49	145	5	61	34	100
2007	6	106	34	146	4	73	23	100
<i>Least developed countries</i>								
1976	2	39	1	42	5	93	2	100
1986	1	43	4	48	2	90	8	100
1996	1	35	13	49	2	71	27	100
2007	0	42	8	50	0	84	16	100

TABLE 20. (CONTINUED)

<i>B. By major area</i>								
<i>Year</i>	<i>(Number of countries)</i>				<i>(Percentage)</i>			
	<i>Raise</i>	<i>Maintain No intervention</i>	<i>Lower</i>	<i>Total</i>	<i>Raise</i>	<i>Maintain No intervention</i>	<i>Lower</i>	<i>Total</i>
<i>Africa</i>								
1976	5	41	2	48	10	85	4	100
1986	1	41	9	51	2	80	18	100
1996	2	35	16	53	4	66	30	100
2007	0	40	13	53	0	75	25	100
<i>Asia</i>								
1976	4	32	1	37	11	86	3	100
1986	1	30	7	38	3	79	18	100
1996	2	23	21	46	4	50	46	100
2007	4	27	16	47	9	57	34	100
<i>Europe</i>								
1976	0	24	5	29	0	83	17	100
1986	0	16	13	29	0	55	45	100
1996	0	15	28	43	0	35	65	100
2007	2	38	4	44	5	86	9	100
<i>Latin America and the Caribbean</i>								
1976	1	25	1	27	4	93	4	100
1986	4	25	4	33	12	76	12	100
1996	3	20	10	33	9	61	30	100
2007	1	29	3	33	3	88	9	100
<i>Northern America</i>								
1976	0	2	0	2	0	100	0	100
1986	0	2	0	2	0	100	0	100
1996	0	1	1	2	0	50	50	100
2007	1	1	0	2	50	50	0	100
<i>Oceania</i>								
1976	1	5	1	7	14	71	14	100
1986	0	11	0	11	0	100	0	100
1996	1	13	2	16	6	81	13	100
2007	3	11	2	16	19	69	13	100

TABLE 21. GOVERNMENT POLICIES ON MIGRATION FOR PERMANENT SETTLEMENT, 2007

<i>(Number of countries)</i>					<i>(Percentage)</i>				
<i>Raise</i>	<i>Maintain</i>	<i>Lower</i>	<i>No intervention</i>	<i>Total</i>	<i>Raise</i>	<i>Maintain</i>	<i>Lower</i>	<i>No intervention</i>	<i>Total</i>
<i>A. By level of development</i>									
<i>World</i>									
10	92	34	21	157	6	59	22	13	100
<i>More developed regions</i>									
4	36	7	1	48	8	75	15	2	100
<i>Less developed regions</i>									
6	56	27	20	109	6	51	25	18	100
<i>Least developed countries</i>									
0	7	5	14	26	0	27	19	54	100
<i>B. By major area</i>									
<i>Africa</i>									
0	9	9	14	32	0	28	28	44	100
<i>Asia</i>									
4	22	11	3	40	10	55	28	8	100
<i>Europe</i>									
1	34	7	1	43	2	79	16	2	100
<i>Latin America and the Caribbean</i>									
1	24	5	2	32	3	75	16	6	100
<i>Northern America</i>									
1	1	0	0	2	50	50	0	0	100
<i>Oceania</i>									
3	2	2	1	8	38	25	25	13	100

TABLE 22. GOVERNMENT POLICIES ON THE MIGRATION OF HIGHLY SKILLED WORKERS, 2007

<i>Raise</i>	<i>(Number of countries)</i>					<i>(Percentage)</i>				
	<i>Maintain</i>	<i>Lower</i>	<i>No intervention</i>	<i>Total</i>		<i>Raise</i>	<i>Maintain</i>	<i>Lower</i>	<i>No intervention</i>	<i>Total</i>
<i>A. By level of development</i>										
<i>World</i>										
36	84	5	19	144		25	58	3	13	100
<i>More developed regions</i>										
19	18	0	6	43		44	42	0	14	100
<i>Less developed regions</i>										
17	66	5	13	101		17	65	5	13	100
<i>Least developed countries</i>										
1	9	1	8	19		5	47	5	42	100
<i>B. By major area</i>										
<i>Africa</i>										
3	7	1	11	22		14	32	5	50	100
<i>Asia</i>										
10	26	4	1	41		24	63	10	2	100
<i>Europe</i>										
14	18	0	6	38		37	47	0	16	100
<i>Latin America and the Caribbean</i>										
4	28	0	0	32		13	88	0	0	100
<i>Northern America</i>										
2	0	0	0	2		100	0	0	0	100
<i>Oceania</i>										
3	5	0	1	9		33	56	0	11	100

TABLE 23. GOVERNMENT POLICIES ON THE MIGRATION OF TEMPORARY WORKERS, 2007

<i>Raise</i>	<i>(Number of countries)</i>					<i>(Percentage)</i>				
	<i>Maintain</i>	<i>Lower</i>	<i>No intervention</i>	<i>Total</i>		<i>Raise</i>	<i>Maintain</i>	<i>Lower</i>	<i>No intervention</i>	<i>Total</i>
<i>A. By level of development</i>										
<i>World</i>										
9	99	41	16	165		5	60	25	10	100
<i>More developed regions</i>										
6	34	7	1	48		13	71	15	2	100
<i>Less developed regions</i>										
3	65	34	15	117		3	56	29	13	100
<i>Least developed countries</i>										
1	14	4	9	28		4	50	14	32	100
<i>B. By major area</i>										
<i>Africa</i>										
0	10	9	11	30		0	33	30	37	100
<i>Asia</i>										
1	28	16	0	45		2	62	36	0	100
<i>Europe</i>										
3	32	7	1	43		7	74	16	2	100
<i>Latin America and the Caribbean</i>										
1	23	3	4	31		3	74	10	13	100
<i>Northern America</i>										
1	1	0	0	2		50	50	0	0	100
<i>Oceania</i>										
3	5	6	0	14		21	36	43	0	100

TABLE 24. GOVERNMENT POLICIES ON MIGRATION FOR FAMILY REUNIFICATION, 2007

<i>Raise</i>	<i>(Number of countries)</i>				<i>(Percentage)</i>					
	<i>Maintain</i>	<i>Lower</i>	<i>No intervention</i>	<i>Total</i>	<i>Raise</i>	<i>Maintain</i>	<i>Lower</i>	<i>No intervention</i>	<i>Total</i>	
<i>A. By level of development</i>										
<i>World</i>										
8	95	12	25	140	6	68	9	18	100	
<i>More developed regions</i>										
5	35	4	2	46	11	76	9	4	100	
<i>Less developed regions</i>										
3	60	8	23	94	3	64	9	24	100	
<i>Least developed countries</i>										
1	6	1	12	20	5	30	5	60	100	
<i>B. By major area</i>										
<i>Africa</i>										
1	7	3	14	25	4	28	12	56	100	
<i>Asia</i>										
1	27	3	5	36	3	75	8	14	100	
<i>Europe</i>										
2	33	4	2	41	5	80	10	5	100	
<i>Latin America and the Caribbean</i>										
1	23	2	3	29	3	79	7	10	100	
<i>Northern America</i>										
1	1	0	0	2	50	50	0	0	100	
<i>Oceania</i>										
2	4	0	1	7	29	57	0	1	100	

TABLE 25. GOVERNMENT POLICIES ON INTEGRATION OF NON-CITIZENS, 2007

<i>(Number of countries)</i>			<i>(Percentage)</i>		
<i>Yes</i>	<i>No</i>	<i>Total</i>	<i>Yes</i>	<i>No</i>	<i>Total</i>
<i>A. By level of development</i>					
<i>World</i>					
79	45	124	64	36	100
<i>More developed regions</i>					
40	4	44	91	9	100
<i>Less developed regions</i>					
39	41	80	49	51	100
<i>Least developed countries</i>					
5	14	19	26	74	100
<i>B. By major area</i>					
<i>Africa</i>					
11	14	25	44	56	100
<i>Asia</i>					
15	16	31	48	52	100
<i>Europe</i>					
35	4	39	90	10	100
<i>Latin America and the Caribbean</i>					
12	11	23	52	48	100
<i>Northern America</i>					
2	0	2	100	0	100
<i>Oceania</i>					
4	0	4	100	0	100

TABLE 26. GOVERNMENT VIEWS ON THE LEVEL OF EMIGRATION: 1976, 1986, 1996 AND 2007

Year	<i>(Number of countries)</i>				<i>(Percentage)</i>			
	<i>Too low</i>	<i>Satisfactory</i>	<i>Too high</i>	<i>Total</i>	<i>Too low</i>	<i>Satisfactory</i>	<i>Too high</i>	<i>Total</i>
<i>A. By level of development</i>								
<i>World</i>								
1976	6	125	19	150	4	83	13	100
1986	9	124	31	164	5	76	19	100
1996	5	133	55	193	3	69	28	100
2007	9	130	56	195	5	67	29	100
<i>More developed regions</i>								
1976	1	28	5	34	3	82	15	100
1986	2	29	3	34	6	85	9	100
1996	1	35	12	48	2	73	25	100
2007	0	41	8	49	0	84	16	100
<i>Less developed regions</i>								
1976	5	97	14	116	4	84	12	100
1986	7	95	28	130	5	73	22	100
1996	4	98	43	145	3	68	30	100
2007	9	89	48	146	6	61	33	100
<i>Least developed countries</i>								
1976	0	39	3	42	0	93	7	100
1986	1	39	8	48	2	81	17	100
1996	1	37	11	49	2	76	22	100
2007	2	38	10	50	4	76	20	100

TABLE 26. (CONTINUED)

<i>B. By major area</i>								
<i>Year</i>	<i>(Number of countries)</i>				<i>(Percentage)</i>			
	<i>Too low</i>	<i>Satisfactory</i>	<i>Too high</i>	<i>Total</i>	<i>Too low</i>	<i>Satisfactory</i>	<i>Too high</i>	<i>Total</i>
<i>Africa</i>								
1976	1	44	3	48	2	92	6	100
1986	3	41	7	51	6	80	14	100
1996	2	40	11	53	4	75	21	100
2007	2	38	13	53	4	72	25	100
<i>Asia</i>								
1976	4	31	2	37	11	84	5	100
1986	3	28	7	38	8	74	18	100
1996	2	31	13	46	4	67	28	100
2007	6	29	12	47	13	62	26	100
<i>Europe</i>								
1976	1	23	5	29	3	79	17	100
1986	1	26	2	29	3	90	7	100
1996	1	31	11	43	2	72	26	100
2007	0	36	8	44	0	82	18	100
<i>Latin America and the Caribbean</i>								
1976	0	18	9	27	0	67	33	100
1986	2	17	14	33	6	52	42	100
1996	0	18	15	33	0	55	45	100
2007	0	15	18	33	0	45	55	100
<i>Northern America</i>								
1976	0	2	0	2	0	100	0	100
1986	0	2	0	2	0	100	0	100
1996	0	2	0	2	0	100	0	100
2007	0	2	0	2	0	100	0	100
<i>Oceania</i>								
1976	0	7	0	7	0	100	0	100
1986	0	10	1	11	0	91	9	100
1996	0	11	5	16	0	69	31	100
2007	1	10	5	16	6	63	31	100

TABLE 27. GOVERNMENT POLICIES ON EMIGRATION: 1976, 1986, 1996 AND 2007

<i>A. By level of development</i>								
<i>Year</i>	<i>(Number of countries)</i>				<i>(Percentage)</i>			
	<i>Raise</i>	<i>Maintain/ No intervention</i>	<i>Lower</i>	<i>Total</i>	<i>Raise</i>	<i>Maintain/ No intervention</i>	<i>Lower</i>	<i>Total</i>
<i>World</i>								
1976	6	125	19	150	4	83	13	100
1986	8	120	36	164	5	73	22	100
1996	6	142	45	193	3	74	23	100
2007	13	141	41	195	7	72	21	100
<i>More developed regions</i>								
1976	1	28	5	34	3	82	15	100
1986	2	28	4	34	6	82	12	100
1996	1	35	12	48	2	73	25	100
2007	0	42	7	49	0	86	14	100
<i>Less developed regions</i>								
1976	5	97	14	116	4	84	12	100
1986	6	92	32	130	5	71	25	100
1996	5	107	33	145	3	74	23	100
2007	13	99	34	146	9	68	23	100
<i>Least developed countries</i>								
1976	0	39	3	42	0	93	7	100
1986	0	39	9	48	0	81	19	100
1996	1	39	9	49	2	80	18	100
2007	4	38	8	50	8	76	16	100

TABLE 27. (CONTINUED)

<i>B. By major area</i>								
<i>Year</i>	<i>(Number of countries)</i>				<i>(Percentage)</i>			
	<i>Raise</i>	<i>Maintain/ No intervention</i>	<i>Lower</i>	<i>Total</i>	<i>Raise</i>	<i>Maintain/ No intervention</i>	<i>Lower</i>	<i>Total</i>
<i>Africa</i>								
1976	1	44	3	48	2	92	6	100
1986	2	41	8	51	4	80	16	100
1996	2	42	9	53	4	79	17	100
2007	1	42	10	53	2	79	19	100
<i>Asia</i>								
1976	4	31	2	37	11	84	5	100
1986	5	25	8	38	13	66	21	100
1996	3	32	11	46	7	70	24	100
2007	10	25	12	47	21	53	26	100
<i>Europe</i>								
1976	1	23	5	29	3	79	17	100
1986	1	24	4	29	3	83	14	100
1996	1	30	12	43	2	70	28	100
2007	0	37	7	44	0	84	16	100
<i>Latin America and the Caribbean</i>								
1976	0	18	9	27	0	67	33	100
1986	0	18	15	33	0	55	45	100
1996	0	23	10	33	0	70	30	100
2007	1	24	8	33	3	73	24	100
<i>Northern America</i>								
1976	0	2	0	2	0	100	0	100
1986	0	2	0	2	0	100	0	100
1996	0	2	0	2	0	100	0	100
2007	0	2	0	2	0	100	0	100
<i>Oceania</i>								
1976	0	7	0	7	0	100	0	100
1986	0	10	1	11	0	91	9	100
1996	0	13	3	16	0	81	19	100
2007	1	11	4	16	6	69	25	100

TABLE 28. GOVERNMENT POLICIES ON ENCOURAGING THE RETURN OF CITIZENS, 2007

<i>(Number of countries)</i>			<i>(Percentage)</i>		
<i>Yes</i>	<i>No</i>	<i>Total</i>	<i>Yes</i>	<i>No</i>	<i>Total</i>
<i>A. By level of development</i>					
<i>World</i>					
79	64	143	55	45	100
<i>More developed regions</i>					
17	27	44	39	61	100
<i>Less developed regions</i>					
62	37	99	63	37	100
<i>Least developed countries</i>					
17	9	26	65	35	100
<i>B. By major area</i>					
<i>Africa</i>					
18	15	33	55	45	100
<i>Asia</i>					
23	10	33	70	30	100
<i>Europe</i>					
16	23	39	41	59	100
<i>Latin America and the Caribbean</i>					
16	23	39	41	59	100
<i>Northern America</i>					
0	2	2	0	100	100
<i>Oceania</i>					
5	3	8	63	38	100

