Population Indicators

Indicator	*1975*	*1985*	*1995*	*2011*
Population size and growth				
Population size (thousands)	9 993	10 301	10 319	10 534
Annual growth rate (percentage)*	0.41	0.08	0.03	0.53
Population age structure				
Percentage of population under age 15	22	23	19	14
Percentage of population aged 60 or over	19	17	18	22
Statutory age at retirement (years): Males	..	..	..	62.2
Females	..	..	..	60.7
Fertility				
Total fertility (children per woman)*	2.2	2.0	1.7	1.4
Adolescent birth rate (births per 1,000 women aged 15-19)*	50	54	41	11
Percentage of women aged 20-24 married by age 18	..	..	..	..
Reproductive health and family planning				
Percentage of married women using contraception: All methods	95[a]	..	72[b]	..
Modern methods	49[a]	..	63[b]	..
Percentage of married women with unmet need for family planning	..	..	11[b]	..
Index of family planning effort (percentage of maximum score)**	..	..	..	..
Induced abortion rate (per 1,000 women aged 15-44)	..	..	..	10.7[c]
Percentage of women in non-agricultural wage employment	..	..	46	46[d]
Health and mortality				
Life expectancy at birth (years): Both sexes*	70.3	70.8	72.5	77.0
Males*	67.0	67.2	68.8	73.8
Females*	73.6	74.4	76.2	80.2
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)*	21	15	8	3
Under-five mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)*	22	16	11	4
Percentage of children 12-23 months with 3 doses of DPT vaccine	..	..	96	99[c]
Prevalence of stunting among children 0-59 months (percentage)	..	..	..	..
Maternal mortality ratio (per 100,000 live births)***	..	..	9	5
Percentage of births attended by trained health professional	..	..	100	100[e]
Percent obese among adults aged 20 or over: Males****	..	..	..	32.6
Females****	..	..	..	32.7
Percentage of deaths caused by non-communicable diseases****	..	..	..	90
HIV prevalence among adults aged 15-49 (percentage)	..	..	<0.1	<0.1
Number of people living with HIV (thousands)	..	..	<1.0	2.1
Spatial distribution and internal migration				
Population density (per sq. km.)	127	131	131	134
Urban population (percentage)	70	75	75	73
Annual urban population growth rate (percentage)*	2.06	0.13	-0.12	0.46
Annual rural population growth rate (percentage)*	-2.95	-0.08	0.49	0.70
Percentage of urban population in urban agglomerations	16	15	16	16[c]
International migration				
International migrant stock (thousands)***	..	..	..	453
Percentage of females among international migrants***	..	..	..	53
Net migration rate (per thousand)*	-0.62	-0.36	0.48	4.64
Annual inflow of remittances in US$ (millions)	..	..	..	1 122[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 1977.

[b] For 1997.

[c] For 2010.

[d] For 2009.

[e] For 2008.