

Afghanistan



Area ('000 km²):	652.1
Population (million), 1998:	21.4
Population growth (annual aver.), 1990-98:	5.0
Official languages:	Pashto and Dari
Currency:	Afghani
GNP per capita (\$), 1998:	..
Percentage shares in GDP, 1998:	
Agriculture, forestry and fishing	..
Industry (including <i>manufacturing</i>)	..
Services (private and public)	..
Gross domestic investment	..
Exports of goods and serv. (% of GDP), 1998:	..
Main employer (% of labour force), 1998:	
Agriculture	68

Life expectancy at birth (m/f), 1990-95:	43/44
Under-5 mortality rate, 1998: (per 1,000 live births)	257
Daily calorie intake per capita (% of minimum requirements), 1996-98:	95.1
Population with access to safe water (% , urban/rural), 1996:	16/3
Adult literacy rate (% , m/f), 1995:	46/16
Transport, 1998:	
Road network density (km/1,000 km ²)	32.2
Aircraft departures	2,000
Installed electricity capacity, 1996: (kW/1,000 inhab.)	24
Telephone (units per 1,000 inhab.), 1998:	1.4
Number of tourist arrivals, 1998:	4,000
Total exp. of goods and serv. (\$ m), 1998:	..
Main export sector (% of total exp.), 1997:	
Dried fruits and nuts	51.3
Main markets for exports of goods (%), 1998:	
Developed market economy countries	50.9
<i>Main destination:</i> European Union	37.4
Main sources of imports of goods (%), 1998:	
Developing countries	66.3
<i>Main origin:</i> Asia	42.1
Foreign direct investment inflows (\$ m), 1998:	0.1
Total net financial inflows (\$ m), 1998:	147.8
<i>of which:</i> ODA (\$ m/%)	153.9/104.1*
External debt (\$ m), 1998:	5,588
As % of GDP	..
Debt service as % of exports	..

* See explanatory note 5 on page 2