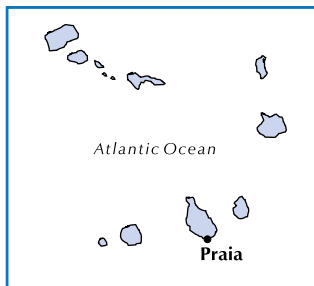


Cape Verde



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| Area ('000 km²): | 4.0 |
| Population (million), 1998: | 0.4 |
| Population growth (annual aver.), 1990-98: | 2.3 |
| Official language: | Portuguese |
| Currency: | Cape Verde escudo |
| GNP per capita (\$), 1998: | 1,200 |
| Percentage shares in GDP, 1998: | |
| Agriculture, forestry and fishing | 12.2 |
| Industry (including <i>manufacturing</i>) | 19.1 (10.3) |
| Services (private and public) | 68.7 |
| Gross domestic investment | 40.2 |
| Exports of goods and serv. (% of GDP), 1998: | 24.9 |
| Main employer (% of labour force), 1998: | |
| Agriculture | 24 |

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| Life expectancy at birth (m/f), 1990-95: | 66/72 |
| Under-5 mortality rate, 1998: (per 1,000 live births) | 73 |
| Daily calorie intake per capita (% of minimum requirements), 1996-98: | 171.3 |
| Population with access to safe water (% urban/rural), 1998: | 84/44 |
| Adult literacy rate (% m/f), 1995: | 81/61 |
| Transport, 1998: | |
| Road network density (km/1,000 km ²) | 272.7 |
| Aircraft departures | 15,000 |
| Installed electricity capacity, 1996: (kW/1,000 inhab.) | 18 |
| Telephone (units per 1,000 inhab.), 1998: | 98 |
| Number of tourist arrivals, 1998: | 52,000 |
| Total exp. of goods and serv. (\$ m), 1998: | 124 |
| Main export sector (% of total exp.), 1998: | |
| Air transport services | 34.6 |
| Main markets for exports of goods (%), 1998: | |
| Developed market economy countries | 84.0 |
| <i>Main destination:</i> European Union | 80.4 |
| Main sources of imports of goods (%), 1998: | |
| Developed market economy countries | 84.4 |
| <i>Main origin:</i> European Union | 79.0 |
| Foreign direct investment inflows (\$ m), 1998: | 9 |
| Total net financial inflows (\$ m), 1998: | 161.5 |
| <i>of which:</i> ODA (\$ m/%) | 129.8/80.4 |
| External debt (\$ m), 1998: | 257 |
| As % of GDP | 52 |
| Debt service as % of exports | 14 |