

Liberia



Area ('000 km²):	97.8
Population (millions), 1997:	2.5
Capital:	Monrovia
Official language:	English
Currency:	Liberian dollar
GNP per capita (\$), 1997:	..
Percentage shares in GDP, 1997:	
Agriculture, forestry and fishing	..
Industry (including <i>manufacturing</i>)	..
Services (private and public)	..
Gross domestic investment	..
Exports of goods and serv. (% of GDP), 1997:	..
Main employer (% of labour force), 1997:	
Agriculture	69

Life expectancy (male/female), 1990-95:	38/41
Infant mortality rate, 1997: (per 1,000 live births)	157
Daily calorie intake per capita (% of regional minimum requirements), 1997:	113.6
Population with access to safe water (% , urban/rural), 1997:	79/13
Adult literacy rate (% , male/female), 1995:	54/22
Transport, 1996 or latest available:	
Road network density (km/1,000 km ²)	95.2
Railway network density (km/1,000 km ²)	4.4
Installed electricity capacity, 1995: (kW/1,000 inhabitants)	111
Telephone (units per 1,000 inhabitants), 1996:	1.6
Number of tourist arrivals, 1997:	..
Total exports of goods and serv. (\$ m), 1997:	..
Main export sector (% of total exports), 1995-97:	
Iron ore	..
Main markets for exports (% shares), 1997:	
Developed market economy countries	69.4
<i>Main destination:</i> European Union	48.0
Main sources of imports (% shares), 1997:	
Developing countries	61.5
<i>Main origin:</i> Asia	
Foreign direct investment inflows (\$ m), 1997:	291
Total net financial inflows (\$ m), 1997:	80
<i>of which:</i> net ODA (\$ m/%)	95/118.8*
External debt (\$ m), 1997:	1,168
As % of GDP	..
Debt service as % of exports	..

* See explanatory note 5 on page 2