# Equatorial Guinea



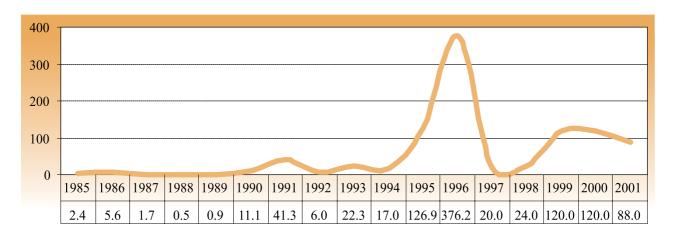
Area ('000 km <sup>2</sup> ):		28.1
Population (millions):	2001	0.5
Capital city:		Malabo
Official language:		Spanish and French
Currency:		CFA franc
Exchange rate (period average):	2001	CFAfr738.51=\$1
GDP in current prices (millions of dollars):	2000	1 341.0
Exports of goods and services (millions of dollars):	1999	711.9
Imports of goods and services (millions of dollars):	1999	597.4
Official development assistance (millions of dollars):	2000	18.2
External debt (millions of dollars):	2000	248

**Inward FDI: geographical breakdown, by source** (Millions of dollars)

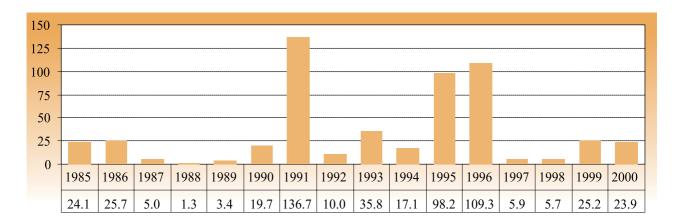
Region/economy	Inflows	Year	Inward stock	Year
Developed economies				
Belgium/Luxembourg	g 0.5	1993		
France	1.0	1999	••	
United States	2.0	1993	-2.0	1999
<b>Developing economies</b>				
China			1.0 <sup>a</sup>	1995

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>a</sup> Approval data.

# **FDI inflows, 1985-2001** (Millions of dollars)







#### Largest cross-border M&A deals, 1987-2001

Acquired company	Industry	Acquiring company	Home economy	Value (\$ million)	Year
Block L,Equatorial Guinea <sup>a</sup>		Triton Energy Ltd	United States	-	2001

a Parent company is based in the United States.

#### BITs, 1 January 2002

Economy	Date of signature
France	3 March 1982

### Largest foreign affiliates, 2001

Company	Home economy	Industry	Sales (\$ million)	Employment	Year of establishment
Mobil Equatorial Guinea Inc BIS Supplies Engineering	United States Hong Kong, China	Oil and gas exploration Industrial machinery and	0.1	300	
		equipment		5	2000

## Other relevant information

- Membership of relevant international agreements as of June 2002: MIGA, Observer member to WTO
- Address and website of investment promotion agency: None
- Fortune Global 500 investors: Exxon Mobil.
- Member of WAIPA as of June 2002: No