

Sudan



Area ('000 km²):	2,506
Population (million), 1998:	28.3
Population growth (annual aver.), 1990-98:	2.0
Official language:	Arabic
Currency:	Sudanese dinar
GNP per capita (\$), 1998:	290
Percentage shares in GDP, 1998:	
Agriculture, forestry and fishing	39.3
Industry (including <i>manufacturing</i>)	18.2 (8.9)
Services (private and public)	42.6
Gross domestic investment	..
Exports of goods and serv. (% of GDP), 1998:	5.9
Main employer (% of labour force), 1998:	
Agriculture	63

Life expectancy at birth (m/f), 1990-95:	54/57
Under-5 mortality rate, 1997: (per 1,000 live births)	115
Daily calorie intake per capita (% of minimum requirements), 1996-98:	131
Population with access to safe water (% , urban/rural), 1998:	..
Adult literacy rate (% , m/f), 1995:	63/38
Transport, 1998:	
Road network density (km/1,000 km ²)	4.7
Aircraft departures	4,000
Installed electricity capacity, 1996: (kW/1,000 inhab.)	18
Telephone (units per 1,000 inhab.), 1998:	5.7
Number of tourist arrivals, 1998:	39,000
Total exp. of goods and serv. (\$ m), 1998:	612
Main export sector (% of total exp.), 1998:	
Sesame seeds	19.7
Main markets for exports of goods (%), 1998:	
Developing countries	58.5
<i>Main destination: Asia</i>	33.4
Main sources of imports of goods (%), 1998:	
Developing countries	60.9
<i>Main origin: Asia</i>	36.4
Foreign direct investment inflows (\$ m), 1998:	370.7
Total net financial inflows (\$ m), 1998:	211.0
<i>of which: net ODA (\$ m/%)</i>	209.2/99.1
External debt (\$ m), 1998:	10,695
As % of GDP	103
Debt service as % of exports	..