Vanuatu



Area ('000 km²):	12.2
Population (million), 1998:	0.2
Population growth (annual aver.), 1990-98:	2.5
Official languages: Bislama, French and	English
Currency:	Vatu
GNP per capita (\$), 1998:	1,260
Percentage shares in GDP, 1997:	
Agriculture, forestry and fishing	24.7
Industry (including manufacturing) 12	.2 (5.0)
Services (private and public)	63.2
Gross domestic investment	
Exports of goods and serv. (% of GDP), 1998:	62.3
Main employer (% of labour force), 1998:	
Agriculture	

Life expectancy at birth (m/f), 1990-95:	66/70	
Under-5 mortality rate, 1998:	00,70	
(per 1,000 live births)	49	
Daily calorie intake per capita (% of		
minimum requirements), 1996-98:	143.7	
Population with access to safe water		
(%, urban/rural), 1998:	96/67	
Adult literacy rate (%, m/f), 1995:		
Transport, 1998:		
Road network density (km/1,000 km²)	87.7	
Aircraft departures	2,000	
Installed electricity capacity, 1996:		
(kW/1,000 inhab.)	63	
Telephone (units per 1,000 inhab.), 1998:	28.4	
Number of tourist arrivals, 1998:	52,000	
Total exp. of goods and serv. (\$ m), 1998:	150	
Main export sector (% of total exp.), 1998:		
Travel	33.9	
Main markets for exports of goods (%), 1998:		
Developed market economy countries	83.8	
Main destination: European Union	43.3	
Main sources of imports of goods (%), 1998:		
Developed market economy countries	78.4	
Main origin: USA and Canada	31.8	
Foreign direct investment inflows (\$ m), 199		
Total net financial inflows (\$ m), 1998:	0.7	
** ** *	6/5,800*	
External debt (\$ m), 1998:	108	
As % of GDP	45	
Debt service as % of exports		
* See explanatory note 5 on page 2		