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Statistical Annex

BASIC DATA ON THE LEAST DEVELOPED COUNTRIES



The Statistical Annex has been prepared using the same data sources as recent Least Developed Countries Reports. This is to ensure continuity. Tables 19 to 29, on financial flows, net ODA and debt, are based on OECD/DAC sources. These diverge somewhat from the World Bank data on capital flows, which are used in main text of this Report.

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Explanatory Notes

Definition of country groupings

Least developed countries

The United Nations has designated 49 countries as least developed: Afghanistan, Angola, Bangladesh, Benin, Bhutan, Burkina Faso, Burundi, Cambodia, Cape Verde, the Central African Republic, Chad, the Comoros, the Democratic Republic of the Congo, Djibouti, Equatorial Guinea, Eritrea, Ethiopia, Gambia, Guinea, Guinea-Bissau, Haiti, Kiribati, the Lao People's Democratic Republic, Lesotho, Liberia, Madagascar, Malawi, Maldives, Mali, Mauritania, Mozambique, Myanmar, Nepal, Niger, Rwanda, Samoa, Sao Tome and Principe, Senegal, Sierra Leone, Solomon Islands, Somalia, Sudan, Togo, Tuvalu, Uganda, the United Republic of Tanzania, Vanuatu, Yemen and Zambia. Except where otherwise indicated, the totals for least developed countries refer to these 49 countries.

Major economic areas

The classification of countries and territories according to main economic areas used in this document has been adopted for purposes of statistical convenience only and follows that in the UNCTAD *Handbook of International Trade and Development Statistics 2001*.¹ Countries and territories are classified according to main economic areas as follows:

Developed market economy countries: Australia, Canada, the European Union (Austria, Belgium, Denmark, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Ireland, Italy, Luxembourg, the Netherlands, Portugal, Spain, Sweden and the United Kingdom), Faeroe Islands, Gibraltar, Iceland, Israel, Japan, New Zealand, Norway, South Africa, Switzerland and the United States.

Countries in Eastern Europe: Albania, Belarus, Bulgaria, the Czech Republic, Estonia, Hungary, Latvia, Lithuania, Poland, the Republic of Moldova, Romania, the Russian Federation, Slovakia and Ukraine.

Developing countries and territories: All other countries, territories and areas in Africa, Asia, America, Europe and Oceania not specified above.

Other country groupings

DAC member countries: The countries members of the OECD Development Assistance Committee are Australia, Austria, Belgium, Canada, Denmark, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Ireland, Italy, Japan, Luxembourg, the Netherlands, New Zealand, Norway, Portugal, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, the United Kingdom and the United States.

OPEC member countries: The countries members of the Organization of Petroleum Exporting Countries are Algeria, Ecuador, Gabon, Indonesia, the Islamic Republic of Iran, Iraq, Kuwait, the Libyan Arab Jamahiriya, Nigeria, Qatar, Saudi Arabia, the United Arab Emirates and Venezuela.

Other notes

Calculation of annual average growth rates. In general, they are defined as the coefficient b in the exponential trend function $y^t = ae^{bt}$ where t stands for time. This method takes all observations in a period into account. Therefore, the resulting growth rates reflect trends that are not unduly influenced by exceptional values.

Population growth rates are calculated as exponential growth rates.

The term "dollars" (\$) refers to United States dollars, unless otherwise stated.

Details and percentages in tables do not necessarily add up to totals, because of rounding.

The following symbols have been used:

A hyphen (-) indicates that the amount is nil or negligible.

Two dots (..) indicate that the data are not available or are not separately reported.

A dot (.) indicates that the item is not applicable.

Use of a dash (–) between dates representing years, e.g. 1980–1990, signifies the full period involved, including the initial and final years.

¹ United Nations Publication, Sales No. E/F.01.II.D.24.

Abbreviations

ACBF	African Capacity Building Foundation
ADF	African Development Fund
AfDB	African Development Bank
AFESD	Arab Fund for Economic and Social Development
AsDB	Asian Development Bank
BADEA	Arab Bank for Economic Development in Africa
BDEAC	Banque de Développement des Etats de l'Afrique Centrale
BITS	Swedish Agency for International Technical and Economic Cooperation
BOAD	West African Development Bank
CCCE	Caisse centrale de coopération économique
CEC	Commission of the European Communities
CIDA	Canadian International Development Agency
DAC	Development Assistance Committee
DANIDA	Danish International Development Agency
DCD	Development Cooperation Department
EC	European Community
ECA	Economic Commission for Africa
EDF	European Development Fund
EEC	European Economic Community
ESAF	Enhanced Structural Adjustment Facility
ESCAP	Economic and Social Commission for Asia and the Pacific
FAC	Fonds d'aide et de coopération
FAO	Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations
GDP	gross domestic product
GNI	gross national income
GNP	gross national product
GTZ	German Technical Assistance Corporation
IBRD	International Bank for Reconstruction and Development
IDA	International Development Association
IDB	Inter-American Development Bank
IFAD	International Fund for Agricultural Development
ILO	International Labour Organization
IMF	International Monetary Fund
IRF	International Road Federation
IRU	International Road Transport Union
IsDB	Islamic Development Bank

ITU	International Telecommunication Union
KFAED	Kuwait Fund for Arab Economic Development
KfW	Kreditanstalt für Wiederaufbau
LDC	least developed country
ODA	official development assistance
OECD	Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development
OECF	Overseas Economic Co-operation Fund
OPEC	Organization of Petroleum Exporting Countries
PRGF	Poverty Reduction and Growth Facility
SAF	Structural Adjustment Facility
SDC	Swiss Development Corporation
SDR	special drawing rights
SFD	Saudi Fund for Development
SITC	Standard International Trade Classification (Revision I)
UNDP	United Nations Development Programme
UNESCO	United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization
UNFPA	United Nations Population Fund
UNHCR	United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees
UNICEF	United Nations Children's Fund
UNTA	United Nations Technical Assistance
USAID	United States Agency for International Development
WFP	World Food Programme
WHO	World Health Organization

1. PER CAPITA GDP AND POPULATION: LEVELS AND GROWTH

Country	Per capita GDP (in 1999 dollars)		Annual average growth rates of per capita real GDP (%)		Level (millions)	Population Annual average growth rates (%)	
	1980	1999	1980–1990	1990–1999		1999	1980–1990
Afghanistan	..	..	..	..	21.9	-1.2	4.6
Angola	909	685	0.8	-3.0	12.5	2.7	3.4
Bangladesh	228	361	1.9	3.1	126.9	2.2	1.6
Benin	354	405	-0.5	1.9	5.9	3.0	2.7
Bhutan	434	733	4.6	4.0	0.6	2.6	2.2
Burkina Faso	189	228	0.8	1.0	11.6	2.8	2.8
Burundi	131	107	1.4	-4.9	6.6	2.8	2.1
Cambodia	..	285	..	2.1	10.9	3.1	2.7
Cape Verde	774	1 389	3.6	3.0	0.4	1.7	2.3
Central African Republic	357	297	-1.0	-0.3	3.5	2.4	2.1
Chad	179	211	3.4	-1.3	7.5	2.5	3.0
Comoros	401	291	-0.3	-3.3	0.7	3.1	2.8
Dem. Rep. of the Congo	350	115	-1.6	-8.3	50.3	3.3	3.4
Djibouti	..	..	..	..	0.6	6.4	2.1
Equatorial Guinea	..	1 575	-2.9	-1.2	0.4	5.1	2.6
Eritrea	..	180	..	1.6 ^a	3.7	1.9	2.9
Ethiopia	97	107	0.1	1.9	61.1	2.8	2.7
Gambia	360	345	-0.1	-0.8	1.3	3.7	3.6
Guinea	481	502	-0.5	1.3	7.4	2.5	2.8
Guinea-Bissau	202	186	1.2	-1.8	1.2	2.0	2.2
Haiti	808	485	-2.6	-2.8	8.1	2.4	1.7
Kiribati	679	732	-1.0	1.8	0.1	1.7	1.4
Lao PDR	147	259	2.0	3.7	5.3	2.7	2.7
Lesotho	309	415	1.8	2.0	2.1	2.5	2.3
Liberia	..	..	..	..	2.9	3.6	1.0
Madagascar	353	241	-1.6	-1.6	15.5	2.7	3.3
Malawi	168	171	-1.8	2.6	10.6	4.4	1.3
Maldives	481	1 359	6.3	4.4	0.3	3.2	2.9
Mali	235	248	0.2	1.0	11.0	2.6	2.4
Mauritania	371	369	-0.8	1.3	2.6	2.7	2.8
Mozambique	196	209	-1.5	2.5	19.3	1.5	3.6
Myanmar	..	..	..	..	45.1	1.8	1.2
Nepal	142	210	1.9	2.2	23.4	2.6	2.5
Niger	309	199	-3.3	-0.9	10.4	3.3	3.4
Rwanda	322	270	-1.2	-1.3	7.2	3.4	-0.1
Samoa	1 264	1 250	0.7	0.8	0.2	0.3	1.1
Sao Tome and Principe	..	328	-4.4	-0.4	0.1	2.4	2.2
Senegal	482	519	0.2	0.7	9.2	2.8	2.6
Sierra Leone	314	142	-1.8	-6.4	4.7	2.2	1.8
Solomon Islands	602	806	2.9	0.3	0.4	3.6	3.3
Somalia	..	..	..	..	9.7	2.9	2.3
Sudan	249	345	-2.1	6.1	28.9	2.6	2.0
Togo	453	334	-1.3	-0.4	4.5	3.0	2.8
Tuvalu ^b	..	1 931	..	2.2	0.0	1.3	2.8
Uganda	185	300	0.7	4.3	21.1	2.2	2.8
United Rep. of Tanzania	307	268	-0.5	-0.9	32.8	3.2	2.9
Vanuatu	1 328	1 327	0.6	-0.3	0.2	2.5	2.5
Yemen	..	387	..	-0.7	17.5	3.4	4.7
Zambia	505	370	-1.3	-2.1	9.0	2.3	2.4
All LDCs	284	288	-0.2	1.1	637.4	2.5	2.5
All developing countries	893	1 326	1.9	3.0	4 770.7	2.1	1.7
Developed market economy countries	18 491	26 692	2.5	1.6	889.5	0.7	0.6
Countries in Eastern Europe	2 881	2 405	2.0	-3.6	318.2	0.6	-0.2

Source: UNCTAD, *Handbook of Statistics 2001*; World Bank, *World Development Indicators 2001*, CD-ROM.

Note: Data for Ethiopia prior to 1992 include Eritrea. Population data for Bhutan is from national sources.

a 1993–1999.

b Population 11,000 and area 30 km².

**2. REAL GDP, TOTAL AND PER CAPITA: ANNUAL AVERAGE GROWTH RATES
(Percentage)**

Country	Total real product					Per capita real product				
	1980–1990	1990–1999	1997	1998	1999	1980–1990	1990–1999	1997	1998	1999
Afghanistan	..	..	..			..	..	..
Angola	3.5	0.4	6.2	3.2	2.7	0.8	-3.0	2.8	0.0	-0.5
Bangladesh	4.1	4.8	5.9	5.7	5.2	1.9	3.1	4.1	3.9	3.4
Benin	2.5	4.6	5.7	4.5	5.0	-0.5	1.9	2.9	1.8	2.2
Bhutan	7.3	6.3	7.8	6.6	5.7	4.6	4.0	4.9	3.5	2.6
Burkina Faso	3.6	3.8	4.7	6.2	5.2	0.8	1.0	1.9	3.3	2.4
Burundi	4.3	-2.9	0.4	4.8	-1.0	1.4	-4.9	-1.2	3.2	-2.6
Cambodia	..	4.8	1.0	1.0	4.5	..	2.1	-1.3	-1.2	2.3
Cape Verde	5.4	5.4	5.2	5.0	6.0	3.6	3.0	2.8	2.6	3.5
Central African Republic	1.4	1.8	5.3	4.7	3.4	-1.0	-0.3	3.3	2.7	1.5
Chad	6.0	1.7	4.5	6.7	-0.7	3.4	-1.3	1.7	4.0	-3.2
Comoros	2.8	-0.6	0.5	-0.5	-1.4	-0.3	-3.3	-2.2	-3.1	-4.1
Dem. Rep. of the Congo	1.6	-5.2	-5.7	3.0	-15.0	-1.6	-8.3	-8.1	0.6	-17.0
Djibouti	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Equatorial Guinea	2.0	1.3	1.7	1.6	0.0	-2.9	-1.2	-0.9	-0.9	-2.5
Eritrea	..	5.0 ^a	7.9	3.9	0.8	..	1.6 ^a	3.7	-0.3	-3.1
Ethiopia	2.9	4.6	5.2	-1.4	6.2	0.1	1.9	2.6	-3.7	3.7
Gambia	3.6	2.8	4.9	4.9	6.4	-0.1	-0.8	1.4	1.5	3.1
Guinea	2.0	4.2	4.8	4.5	3.3	-0.5	1.3	4.1	4.3	3.0
Guinea-Bissau	3.2	0.3	5.9	-28.1	7.9	1.2	-1.8	3.5	-29.7	5.5
Haiti	-0.2	-1.1	1.4	3.1	2.2	-2.6	-2.8	-0.3	1.4	0.5
Kiribati	0.7	3.2	3.3	6.1	2.5	-1.0	1.8	1.8	4.6	1.0
Lao People's Dem. Rep.	4.7	6.6	6.9	4.0	7.3	2.0	3.7	4.2	1.3	4.6
Lesotho	4.4	4.3	8.1	-4.6	2.8	1.8	2.0	5.7	-6.8	0.6
Liberia	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Madagascar	1.1	1.7	3.6	3.9	4.7	-1.6	-1.6	0.5	0.9	1.7
Malawi	2.5	4.0	4.9	3.1	4.2	-1.8	2.6	2.5	0.3	1.3
Maldives	9.7	7.4	7.8	8.9	8.8	6.3	4.4	4.9	5.9	5.8
Mali	2.8	3.5	6.8	3.4	5.5	0.2	1.0	4.2	0.9	2.9
Mauritania	1.8	4.2	3.2	3.7	4.1	-0.8	1.3	0.4	0.9	1.3
Mozambique	-0.1	6.2	11.1	11.9	7.3	-1.5	2.5	8.1	9.3	5.0
Myanmar	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Nepal	4.6	4.8	5.0	2.3	3.3	1.9	2.2	2.5	-0.1	0.9
Niger	-0.1	2.4	2.8	10.4	-0.6	-3.3	-0.9	-0.5	7.0	-3.6
Rwanda	2.2	-1.5	12.8	9.5	6.1	-1.2	-1.3	3.6	-1.2	-3.2
Samoa	1.0	2.0	1.6	1.3	1.0	0.7	0.8	0.3	-0.1	-0.5
Sao Tome and Principe	-2.2	1.7	1.0	2.5	2.5	-4.4	-0.4	-1.1	0.4	0.5
Senegal	3.1	3.3	5.0	5.7	5.1	0.2	0.7	2.3	3.0	2.4
Sierra Leone	0.3	-4.7	-17.6	-0.8	-8.1	-1.8	-6.4	-20.0	-4.0	-11.0
Solomon Islands	6.6	3.6	-0.5	0.4	-0.5	2.9	0.3	-3.6	-2.7	-3.5
Somalia	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Sudan	0.4	8.2	9.7	6.1	5.2	-2.1	6.1	7.5	3.9	3.0
Togo	1.7	2.4	4.2	-2.2	2.1	-1.3	-0.4	1.5	-4.8	-0.5
Tuvalu	..	5.1	3.5	14.9	3.0	..	2.2	0.7	11.9	0.3
Uganda	3.0	7.2	4.7	5.6	7.4	0.7	4.3	1.9	2.8	4.4
United Rep. of Tanzania	2.7	2.0	3.5	4.0	4.7	-0.5	-0.9	1.2	1.8	2.5
Vanuatu	3.1	2.2	2.7	6.0	-2.5	0.6	-0.3	0.3	3.5	-4.8
Yemen	..	4.0	8.1	4.8	2.2	..	-0.7	4.0	1.1	-1.3
Zambia	1.0	0.2	3.3	-1.9	2.4	-1.3	-2.1	0.9	-4.1	0.2
All LDCs	2.3	3.6	5.0	4.4	4.3	-0.2	1.1	2.6	2.0	1.9
All developing countries	4.0	4.7	5.3	1.3	3.7	1.9	3.0	3.6	-0.2	2.1
Developed market economy countries	3.2	2.3	2.8	2.1	2.6	2.5	1.6	2.3	1.5	2.1
Countries in Eastern Europe	2.6	-3.8	1.8	-1.0	2.4	2.0	-3.6	2.0	-0.7	2.6

Source: UNCTAD, *Handbook of Statistics 2001*; World Bank, *World Development Indicators 2001*, CD-ROM.

Note: Data for Ethiopia prior to 1992 include Eritrea.

^a 1993–1999.

3. AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTION, TOTAL AND PER CAPITA: ANNUAL AVERAGE GROWTH RATES

Country	Percentage share of agriculture in:				Annual average growth rates (%)					Annual average growth rates (%)				
	Total labour force		GDP		Total agricultural production					Per capita agricultural production				
	1980	1999*	1980	1999	1980–1990	1990–1999	1997	1998	1999	1980–1990	1990–1999	1997	1998	1999
Afghanistan	61	68	..	..	-2.6	6.4	9.7	8.3	4.0	-1.4	1.7	7.0	6.1	1.2
Angola	74	72	14 ^a	7	0.8	4.2	0.5	14.7	-5.0	-1.9	0.7	-2.7	11.2	-7.9
Bangladesh	75	63	40	25	2.1	2.4	2.0	3.2	13.1	0.0	0.7	0.3	1.4	11.2
Benin	70	56	35	38	6.6	6.4	7.7	-1.9	0.7	3.4	3.6	4.9	-4.5	-2.0
Bhutan	93	94	57	38	1.6	1.9	1.2	0.0	-1.9	-0.9	-0.3	-1.5	-3.0	-4.8
Burkina Faso	87	92	33	31	6.4	4.0	4.8	8.6	-3.7	3.5	1.1	2.1	5.7	-6.3
Burundi	93	91	62 ^b	52	2.8	-1.9	-1.8	-5.2	2.1	-0.1	-3.8	-3.3	-6.6	0.5
Cambodia	75	71	43 ^c	51	6.3	4.9	2.8	1.7	9.5	3.2	2.2	0.5	-0.6	7.2
Cape Verde	52	24	16 ^c	12	11.3	4.2	-11.8	19.1	8.0	9.5	1.8	-14.1	16.4	5.4
Central African Rep.	72	74	40	55	2.3	3.5	-2.1	1.2	-1.2	-0.1	1.3	-4.0	-0.8	-3.0
Chad	83	77	45	36	2.5	5.2	8.3	21.1	-12.2	0.0	2.1	5.4	18.1	-14.5
Comoros	83	74	34	39	2.5	2.6	1.6	8.0	5.5	-0.6	-0.2	-1.1	5.0	2.7
Dem. Rep. of the Congo	72	64	25 ^d	58 ^d	3.1	-1.5	-0.7	-0.3	-3.2	-0.2	-4.7	-3.2	-2.7	-5.6
Djibouti	..	..	3 ^e	4 ^d	8.8	-0.2	0.8	0.8	1.3	2.3	-2.3	-0.4	-0.1	0.3
Equatorial Guinea	66	71	69 ^a	16	1.3	-2.3	-9.9	2.8	6.4	-3.6	-4.8 ^f	-12.0	0.0	3.7
Eritrea	..	78	..	17	..	7.2 ^f	-0.5	44.9	-7.4	..	3.5 ^f	-4.4	39.2	-11.0
Ethiopia	80 ^g	83	56 ^h	52	..	4.2 ^f	1.1	-7.3	5.9	..	1.6 ^f	-1.4	-9.5	3.3
Gambia	84	80	31	31	0.7	2.1	30.4	-2.3	43.1	-2.9	-1.4	26.0	-5.4	38.5
Guinea	81	85	24 ^c	24	-0.4	3.9	4.5	5.5	1.8	-2.9	1.1	3.7	5.4	1.4
Guinea-Bissau	82	83	44	62	3.8	2.7	3.7	2.3	4.1	1.8	0.4	1.5	0.1	1.9
Haiti	70	63	33 ^j	29	-0.1	-0.5	3.1	-0.7	1.8	-2.5	-2.2	1.5	-2.4	0.0
Kiribati	..	..	21	21	0.5	3.3	0.0	4.6	-13.1	-1.2	1.8	-1.3	3.4	-14.2
Lao People's Dem. Rep.	76	77	61 ^e	53	3.2	3.7	11.9	3.4	16.6	0.5	0.9	9.0	0.8	13.5
Lesotho	86	38	25	18	1.8	0.3	4.3	-16.9	-1.5	-0.7	-1.9	1.9	-18.7	-3.7
Liberia	74	69	36	..	0.2	3.3	28.3	14.8	5.0	-3.3	2.3	17.5	3.3	-4.5
Madagascar	81	77	30	30	1.7	1.3	1.5	-0.5	3.2	-1.0	-1.9	-1.5	-3.3	0.2
Malawi	83	84	44	38	1.4	4.6	-1.0	10.7	7.6	-2.9	3.3	-3.3	7.7	4.6
Maldives	..	24	..	16	2.1	2.3	2.1	4.3	8.5	-1.1	-0.5	-0.6	1.3	5.8
Mali	86	82	48	47	3.0	3.5	3.4	5.2	2.5	0.4	1.1	1.0	2.7	0.0
Mauritania	69	53	30	25	1.3	0.9	-2.1	-0.9	-0.2	-1.4	-1.9	-4.6	-3.6	-2.9
Mozambique	84	81	37	33	-0.6	5.4	6.9	7.1	1.5	-2.0	1.8	4.0	4.5	-0.6
Myanmar	53	63	47	60	0.7	4.7	0.4	1.7	11.3	-1.1	3.5	-0.7	0.4	9.9
Nepal	93	79	62	42	4.2	2.5	3.0	0.3	1.8	1.5	0.0	0.5	-2.0	-0.6
Niger	91	88	43	41	-0.3	3.2	-19.3	51.0	-3.9	-3.5	-0.1	-21.8	46.2	-6.9
Rwanda	93	91	50	46	1.2	-2.4	3.9	8.0	7.1	-2.2	-2.3	-4.6	-2.5	-2.2
Samoa	..	..	46	42 ⁱ	0.2	0.3	0.0	0.0	0.0	-0.1	-0.8	-1.2	-1.1	-1.7
Sao Tome and Principe	..	..	28	21	-1.3	5.3	2.9	7.6	7.3	-3.5	3.1	0.7	5.4	5.0
Senegal	81	77	19	18	3.8	1.6	-5.2	-1.3	18.9	1.0	-1.0	-7.6	-3.9	15.9
Sierra Leone	70	63	33	43	2.3	-0.9	6.1	-7.8	-12.8	0.1	-2.6	2.9	-10.8	-15.6
Solomon Islands	30	27	..	..	-0.4	4.0	4.4	2.7	2.6	-3.8	0.7	1.3	-0.4	-0.6
Somalia	78	75	68	65 ^j	1.8	1.9	4.3	-6.0	-2.5	-1.0	-0.4	0.2	-10.3	-6.9
Sudan	71	63	33	40	-0.7	5.6	0.7	1.6	-1.0	-3.2	3.5	-1.4	-0.4	-3.1
Togo	73	61	27	41	4.6	3.9	5.7	-2.1	5.6	1.5	1.1	3.0	-4.7	3.0
Tuvalu	..	..	..	..	-4.1	-1.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	-5.0	-3.7	0.0	0.0	0.0
Uganda	86	81	72	44	3.1	1.8	-0.3	7.0	3.4	0.8	-1.0	-2.9	4.1	0.5
United Rep. of Tanzania	86	81	..	45	2.7	0.8	-5.0	4.6	1.8	-0.5	-2.0	-7.1	2.2	-0.2
Vanuatu	..	..	19	25 ^d	1.2	1.6	16.5	3.4	-15.2	-1.2	-0.9	13.9	0.7	-17.1
Yemen	62	53	..	17	3.9	3.6	6.2	9.0	-2.0	0.4	-1.1	2.1	5.2	-5.4
Zambia	73	71	15	25	4.3	1.2	-10.9	-5.1	12.9	1.9	-1.2	-12.9	-7.2	10.6
All LDCs	77	74	35	30	1.7	2.9	1.4	2.9	4.7	-0.7	0.4	-1.1	0.6	2.2
All developing countries	66	57	17	14	3.7	3.9	3.1	2.8	3.2	1.5	2.1	1.4	1.2	1.5

Source: UNCTAD secretariat calculations based on data from FAO; the Economic Commission for Africa; the World Bank (*World Development Indicators 2001*, CD-ROM; UNDP, *Human Development Report 2001*); and other international and national sources.

a 1985. b 1987. c 1986. d 1997. e 1989. f 1993–1999. g Includes Eritrea. h 1981. i 1990. * Or latest year available.

**4. FOOD PRODUCTION, TOTAL AND PER CAPITA: ANNUAL AVERAGE GROWTH RATES
(Percentage)**

Country	Total food production					Per capita food production				
	1980–1990	1990–1999	1997	1998	1999	1980–1990	1990–1999	1997	1998	1999
Afghanistan	-2.4	6.5	10.0	8.5	3.9	-1.2	1.8	7.3	6.1	1.2
Angola	1.1	4.4	0.4	15.0	-4.6	-1.6	0.9	-2.9	11.4	-7.5
Bangladesh	2.2	2.3	1.4	3.5	11.3	0.1	0.6	-0.3	1.7	9.4
Benin	5.4	5.3	12.5	-1.7	0.9	2.3	2.5	9.5	-4.2	-1.7
Bhutan	1.6	1.9	1.3	0.0	-2.0	-1.0	-0.3	-1.6	-3.0	-4.8
Burkina Faso	5.7	3.3	-3.1	11.7	-2.8	2.8	0.5	-5.7	8.8	-5.4
Burundi	2.7	-1.6	-0.5	-5.8	0.1	-0.1	-3.6	-2.1	-7.1	-1.6
Cambodia	6.2	5.0	3.0	1.7	9.8	3.0	2.3	0.6	-0.5	7.6
Cape Verde	11.4	4.2	-11.9	19.0	8.1	9.5	1.9	-14.0	16.3	5.4
Central African Republic	2.4	3.6	-2.9	3.4	1.7	-0.1	1.4	-4.8	1.5	-0.2
Chad	2.1	4.9	9.7	21.2	-12.1	-0.4	1.9	6.7	18.2	-14.4
Comoros	2.4	2.7	2.0	7.1	6.3	-0.7	-0.1	-0.7	4.2	3.5
Dem. Rep. of the Congo	3.3	-1.3	-0.6	0.1	-3.0	0.0	-4.6	-3.2	-2.3	-5.3
Djibouti	8.8	-0.2	0.8	0.8	1.3	2.3	-2.3	-0.4	-0.1	0.3
Equatorial Guinea	1.5	-0.7	-8.7	4.1	6.6	-3.3	-3.2	-10.8	1.4	3.9
Eritrea	..	7.3 ^a	-0.6	45.9	-7.5	..	3.6 ^a	-4.5	40.0	-11.0
Ethiopia	..	4.3 ^a	1.1	-7.9	6.2	..	1.7 ^a	-1.3	-10.1	3.7
Gambia	0.7	2.3	31.4	-1.9	43.1	-2.9	-1.3	27.1	-5.1	38.8
Guinea	-0.8	4.1	4.1	4.7	0.8	-3.2	1.2	3.4	4.5	0.5
Guinea-Bissau	3.9	2.7	3.8	2.4	3.8	1.9	0.4	1.6	0.2	1.6
Haiti	0.0	-0.3	3.3	-0.8	1.7	-2.4	-2.0	1.6	-2.5	0.0
Kiribati	0.5	3.3	0.0	4.6	-13.1	-1.2	1.8	-1.3	3.4	-14.2
Lao People's Dem. Rep.	3.1	4.2	12.3	3.5	19.9	0.4	1.4	9.3	0.9	16.9
Lesotho	1.9	0.8	4.1	-15.4	-1.7	-0.6	-1.4	1.8	-17.3	-3.8
Liberia	0.9	2.0	19.8	9.1	2.9	-2.6	0.9	9.7	-1.7	-6.4
Madagascar	1.7	1.5	2.0	-0.8	3.2	-1.0	-1.7	-0.9	-3.7	0.2
Malawi	0.6	5.5	-4.2	23.9	11.5	-3.7	4.2	-6.4	20.6	8.5
Maldives	2.1	2.3	2.1	4.3	8.5	-1.1	-0.5	-0.6	1.3	5.8
Mali	2.1	2.6	0.8	7.5	4.2	-0.4	0.2	-1.6	5.0	1.6
Mauritania	1.3	0.9	-2.1	-0.9	-0.2	-1.4	-1.9	-4.6	-3.6	-2.9
Mozambique	0.1	5.4	6.2	6.5	1.6	-1.3	1.7	3.3	4.1	-0.6
Myanmar	0.8	4.7	0.4	1.5	12.1	-1.0	3.5	-0.9	0.2	10.7
Nepal	4.3	2.5	3.0	0.3	1.8	1.7	0.1	0.6	-2.0	-0.6
Niger	-0.3	3.2	-19.3	51.5	-4.1	-3.5	-0.2	-21.8	46.8	-7.1
Rwanda	0.8	-2.2	3.2	8.2	7.4	-2.5	-2.1	-5.3	-2.3	-1.9
Samoa	0.2	0.3	0.0	0.0	0.0	-0.1	-0.8	-1.2	-1.1	-1.6
Sao Tome and Principe	-1.2	5.3	2.8	7.7	7.2	-3.5	3.0	0.7	5.3	5.0
Senegal	3.9	1.8	-5.9	-0.9	20.0	1.0	-0.8	-8.3	-3.4	17.0
Sierra Leone	1.7	-0.7	4.8	-7.1	-9.9	-0.5	-2.5	1.8	-10.0	-12.8
Solomon Islands	-0.4	4.0	4.4	2.7	2.6	-3.8	0.7	1.3	-0.4	-0.6
Somalia	1.8	1.9	4.2	-6.0	-2.5	-1.0	-0.4	0.1	-10.2	-7.0
Sudan	-0.7	5.8	1.4	2.0	-0.9	-3.2	3.7	-0.7	0.0	-3.0
Togo	3.2	3.7	3.5	-5.0	7.9	0.2	0.9	0.8	-7.4	5.1
Tuvalu	-4.1	-1.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	-5.0	-3.7	0.0	0.0	0.0
Uganda	3.1	1.1	2.7	7.7	2.4	0.9	-1.6	0.0	4.8	-0.5
United Rep. of Tanzania	3.0	0.8	-5.3	7.6	2.0	-0.2	-2.0	-7.5	5.3	-0.2
Vanuatu	1.2	1.6	16.5	3.5	-15.3	-1.2	-0.9	13.9	0.7	-17.1
Yemen	4.1	3.4	5.9	9.0	-2.1	0.7	-1.3	1.9	5.1	-5.6
Zambia	4.1	0.9	-13.3	-5.3	13.4	1.8	-1.4	-15.2	-7.5	10.9
All LDCs	1.7	2.8	1.1	3.4	4.8	-0.7	0.3	-1.3	1.0	2.3
All developing countries	3.7	4.1	3.2	3.2	3.4	1.6	2.4	1.5	1.6	1.8

Source: UNCTAD secretariat calculations, based on data from FAO.

a Average 1993–1999.

5. THE MANUFACTURING SECTOR: ANNUAL AVERAGE GROWTH RATES AND SHARES IN GDP
(Percentage)

Country	Share in GDP		Annual average growth rates				
	1980	1999	1980–1990	1990–1999	1997	1998	1999
Afghanistan	.. ^a	..	..^b	..	..	..	..
Angola	10 ^c	4	-11.1	-1.4	9.3	4.9	7.1
Bangladesh	16	15	3.0	7.5	5.1	8.5	3.2
Benin	8	8	5.1	5.6	5.6	3.0	6.5
Bhutan	3	12	13.0	10.7	3.6	13.0	12.0
Burkina Faso	16	22	2.0	4.2	11.2	12.4	12.9
Burundi	7	9	5.7	8.0	-2.8	2.0	12.3
Cambodia	11 ^d	6	8.7 ^e	8.2	7.6	6.4	..
Cape Verde	7	8	8.6 ^g	4.5	-3.5	1.6	4.0
Central African Republic	7 ^h	9	5.0	-0.4	-7.9	4.7	6.4
Chad	11 ⁱ	12	..	..	..	..	..
Comoros	4	5	4.9	-0.3	0.5	0.2	-1.4
Dem. Republic of the Congo	14	7 ^j	..	..	..	..	..
Djibouti	6 ^j	6 ^k	..	..	..	..	..
Equatorial Guinea	..	2 ^j	..	..	..	..	..
Eritrea	.. ⁱ	15	..	..	..	..	..
Ethiopia	8	7	-0.9	5.8	6.2	-3.5	7.0
Gambia	6	6	7.8	0.8	1.5	1.5	3.0
Guinea	5 ^m	4	4.0 ⁿ	3.7	4.5	5.0	5.5
Guinea-Bissau	14	10	9.2 ^g	4.1	3.3	-40.0	164.7
Haiti	..	7	..	..	..	..	..
Kiribati	2	1	-0.9	1.9	..	..	..
Lao People's Dem. Republic	9 ^j	17	8.9 ^o	12.6	8.5	9.7	12.6
Lesotho	7	17 ^k	13.7	9.4 ^p	..	..	..
Liberia	8	.. ⁱ	.. ^b	..	..	..	..
Madagascar	11 ^a	11 ^k	2.1 ^b	0.6	2.4	..	..
Malawi	14	14	3.6	-2.7	3.8	2.0	4.0
Maldives	..	6	10.5	8.5	9.8	5.0	..
Mali	7	4	6.8 ^b	3.2	7.2	1.2	-2.1
Mauritania	13 ^a	10	-2.1 ^b	-0.9	-22.0	4.8	12.2
Mozambique	..	13	..	17.6 ^q	34.0	15.9	4.5
Myanmar	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Nepal	4	9	9.3	9.5	7.1	3.4	5.7
Niger	4	6	-2.7 ^b	2.3	4.6	3.7	4.5
Rwanda	17	12	2.6	6.1	16.6	10.4	8.4
Samoa	5	11 ^r	..	..	..	..	..
Sao Tome and Principe	9 ^f	5	0.5 ^g	1.4	1.1	2.0	2.2
Senegal	11	17	4.6	3.7	3.3	7.8	4.9
Sierra Leone	5	4	..	5.0 ^p	..	..	..
Solomon Islands	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Somalia	5	..	..	..	..	..	..
Sudan	7	9	..	..	..	..	..
Togo	8	9	1.7	2.4	2.9	6.1	1.5
Tuvalu	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Uganda	4	9	3.7	14.2	13.4	14.4	11.3
United Republic of Tanzania	..	7 ^k	..	2.3	5.0	8.0	4.9
Vanuatu	4	5 ^k	..	..	..	..	..
Yemen	..	11	..	4.5	1.1	3.8	0.7
Zambia	8	12	4.0	0.7	5.1	1.8	2.8
All LDCs ^s	10	11	..	..	..	..	..

Source: UNCTAD secretariat calculations, based on data from the World Bank (*World Development Indicators 2001*), CD-ROM.

a 1985. b 1985–1990. c 1988. d 1987. e 1987–1990. f 1986. g 1986–1990. h 1983. i 1993. j 1989.

k 1997. l 1981. m 1988. n 1988–1990. o 1984–1990. p 1990–1996. q 1994–1999. r 1991.

s Average of countries for which data are available.

**6. INVESTMENT: ANNUAL AVERAGE GROWTH RATES AND SHARES IN GDP
(Percentage)**

Country	Share in GDP		Annual average growth rates				
	1980	1999	1980–1990	1990–1999	1997	1998	1999
Afghanistan	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Angola	18 ^a	..	..	..	..	..	..
Bangladesh	22	22	1.4	9.1	11.1	12.1	9.8
Benin	15	18	-5.3	5.0	15.0	3.3	6.7
Bhutan	31	47	4.4	9.5	0.3	7.5	..
Burkina Faso	17	28	8.6	5.9	0.8	23.5	-5.8
Burundi	14	9	6.9	-1.8	-32.7	45.8	10.9
Cambodia	9 ^c	15	..	..	..	..	..
Cape Verde	33 ^d	38	-4.7 ^e	9.1	3.4	6.8	9.7
Central African Republic	7	14	..	..	..	..	..
Chad	3 ^f	10	..	..	..	..	..
Comoros	33	15	-4.2	-1.8	1.0	-2.6	1.5
Dem. Rep. of the Congo	10	8	-5.1	-2.8	-1.0	16.9	..
Djibouti	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Equatorial Guinea	..	41	..	39.9	-0.9	70.1	-48.0
Eritrea	..	47	..	..	..	..	..
Ethiopia	13 ^g	18	2.1 ^h	12.1	5.9	-0.2	11.7
Gambia	27	18	0.0	5.8	-15.7	14.0	38.4
Guinea	15 ^d	17	3.3 ^e	2.4	7.5	2.7	4.5
Guinea-Bissau	28	16	12.9	-13.0	-19.9	-41.3	-30.6
Haiti	17	11 ⁱ	-0.6	2.2	8.9	8.1	5.1
Kiribati	33	56 ^j	..	..	..	..	..
Lao People's Dem. Republic	6 ^j	25	..	..	..	..	..
Lesotho	37	47	5.3	2.3	0.9	-13.6	1.5
Liberia	27	..	..	..	..	..	..
Madagascar	15	13	4.9	1.1	-0.6	9.0	8.7
Malawi	25	15	-2.8	-8.9	9.4	-7.3	11.5
Maldives	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Mali	15	21	3.6	-1.4	-10.6	6.1	4.5
Mauritania	26	18	6.9	7.8	15.9	0.0	-8.9
Mozambique	6	33	3.8	10.7	1.9	41.1	47.1
Myanmar	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Nepal	18	22	6.0	7.2	-2.6	0.9	-15.4
Niger	28	10	-7.1	3.9	10.4	13.7	-8.6
Rwanda	16	14 ⁱ	4.3	2.1	38.9	26.4	-12.6
Samoa	33	52 ^j	..	..	..	..	..
Sao Tome and Principe	17	40	-0.8	-0.9	-8.8	10.0	4.4
Senegal	12	19	5.2	4.5	4.3	17.6	1.7
Sierra Leone	18	5 ^k	..	..	..	..	..
Solomon Islands	36	29 ^l	..	..	..	..	..
Somalia	42	16 ^l	..	..	..	..	..
Sudan	15	..	..	..	..	..	..
Togo	28	13	2.7	-2.0	-0.4	-11.3	1.5
Tuvalu	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Uganda	6	16	8.0 ^m	9.0	-2.7	3.7	9.0
United Rep. of Tanzania	..	17 ^l	..	-2.8	-5.3	14.3	4.8
Vanuatu	26 ⁿ	44 ^l	..	..	..	..	..
Yemen	..	22	..	7.7	18.6	10.9	-4.4
Zambia	23	17	-4.3	4.5	14.0	9.3	8.7
All LDCs	17	20	1.4	6.0	6.1	9.8	3.5

Source: UNCTAD, *Handbook of Statistics 2001*; and the World Bank, *World Development Indicators 2001*, CD-ROM.

Note: Aggregate figures based on countries for which data are available.

a 1985. b 1985–1990. c 1988. d 1986. e 1986–1990. f 1982. g 1981. h 1981–1990. i 1992. j 1984.
k 1998. l 1990. m 1982–1990. n 1983.

7. INDICATORS ON AREA AND POPULATION

Country	Area		Density Pop./km ² 1999	Population		Activity rate ^a		
	Total (000 km ²)	% of arable land and land under permanent crops 1999		Total (mill.) 1999	Urban % 1999	M 2000	F	T
Afghanistan	652.1	12.4	34	21.9	22	88	50	69
Angola	1 246.7	2.8	10	12.5	34	90	75	83
Bangladesh	144.0	64.0	882	126.9	24	87	68	78
Benin	112.6	16.7	53	5.9	42	83	76	79
Bhutan	47.0	3.4	13	0.6	7	91	60	76
Burkina Faso	274.0	12.6	42	11.6	18	90	78	84
Burundi	27.8	42.8	236	6.6	9	94	86	90
Cambodia	181.0	21.6	60	10.9	16	86	85	86
Cape Verde	4.0	10.2	104	0.4	61	90	50	68
Central African Republic	623.0	3.2	6	3.5	41	87	68	77
Chad	1 284.0	2.8	6	7.5	24	90	70	80
Comoros	2.2	52.9	303	0.7	33	86	64	75
Dem. Rep. of the Congo	2 344.9	3.5	21	50.3	30	85	63	74
Djibouti	23.2	..	27	0.6	83	..	..	..
Equatorial Guinea	28.1	8.2	16	0.4	47	91	48	69
Eritrea	117.6	5.0	32	3.7	18	87	77	82
Ethiopia	1 104.3	10.7	55	61.1	17	86	59	73
Gambia	11.3	20.0	112	1.3	32	90	70	80
Guinea	245.9	6.0	30	7.4	32	87	80	84
Guinea-Bissau	36.1	12.4	33	1.2	23	91	60	75
Haiti	27.8	33.0	291	8.1	35	82	58	70
Kiribati	0.7	50.7	113	0.1	39	..	..	..
Lao People's Dem. Rep.	236.8	4.1	22	5.3	23	90	78	84
Lesotho	30.4	10.7	69	2.1	27	85	50	67
Liberia	111.4	4.0	26	2.9	45	83	56	70
Madagascar	587.0	5.3	26	15.5	29	89	71	80
Malawi	118.5	21.3	90	10.6	24	87	79	83
Maldives	0.3	10.0	928	0.3	26	86	68	77
Mali	1 240.2	3.8	9	11.0	30	90	74	82
Mauritania	1 025.5	0.5	3	2.6	57	87	65	76
Mozambique	801.6	4.3	24	19.3	39	91	83	87
Myanmar	676.6	15.4	67	45.1	27	90	68	79
Nepal	140.8	20.8	166	23.4	12	86	58	72
Niger	1 267.0	3.9	8	10.4	20	93	71	82
Rwanda	26.3	43.4	275	7.2	6	94	86	90
Samoa	2.8	43.1	62	0.2	22	..	..	..
Sao Tome and Principe	1.0	42.7	150	0.1	46	..	..	..
Senegal	196.7	11.8	47	9.2	47	87	63	75
Sierra Leone	71.7	7.5	66	4.7	36	85	46	65
Solomon Islands	28.9	2.1	15	0.4	19	89	82	86
Somalia	637.7	1.7	15	9.7	27	87	65	76
Sudan	2 505.8	7.1	12	28.9	35	86	35	61
Togo	56.8	42.3	79	4.5	33	87	55	71
Tuvalu ^b	..	..	380	..	53	..	..	..
Uganda	241.0	34.6	88	21.1	14	91	81	86
United Rep. of Tanzania	883.7	5.3	37	32.8	26	88	83	86
Vanuatu	12.2	9.8	15	0.2	20	..	..	..
Yemen	528.0	3.2	33	17.5	25	84	32	58
Zambia	752.6	7.1	12	9.0	40	87	67	77
ALL LDCs	20 719.7	6.7	31	637.4	28	88	66	77
All developing countries	83 890.7	11.3	57	4 770.7	48	87 ^c	60 ^c	73 ^c

Source: UNCTAD, *Handbook of Statistics 2001*; FAO, *Production Yearbook 1998*; ILO, *World Labour Report 2000*; and UNICEF, *The State of the World's Children 2001*.

a Economically active population, labour force participation rates calculated as a percentage of those in the labour force at age 15–64 to total population at age 15–64. b Population 11,000 and area 30 km². c Includes South Africa.

8. INDICATORS ON DEMOGRAPHY

Country	Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)		Average life expectancy at birth (years)									Crude birth rate (per 1,000 people)		Crude death rate (per 1,000 people)	
	1985–1990 1995–2000 ^a		1985–1990			1995–2000 ^a			1985–1990 1995–2000 ^a		1985–1990 1995–2000 ^a		1985–1990 1995–2000 ^a		
	1985–1990	1995–2000 ^a	M	F	T	M	F	T	1985–1990	1995–2000 ^a	1985–1990	1995–2000 ^a	1985–1990	1995–2000 ^a	
Afghanistan	173	165	41	41	41	42	43	43	49	48	24	22			
Angola	139	126	42	45	44	43	46	45	52	51	20	20			
Bangladesh	105	79	53	53	53	58	58	58	38	31	13	10			
Benin	104	88	49	53	51	52	55	54	49	43	16	13			
Bhutan	96	63	52	54	53	60	62	61	41	36	14	10			
Burkina Faso	114	99	46	49	48	44	46	45	48	47	18	18			
Burundi	119	120	46	49	47	40	42	41	47	43	18	21			
Cambodia	100	83	52	55	54	54	59	57	47	38	14	11			
Cape Verde	74	56	62	67	64	66	71	69	36	32	9	6			
Central African Republic	105	101	45	50	47	43	46	44	42	40	18	19			
Chad	133	123	43	46	44	44	46	45	48	48	21	20			
Comoros	95	76	53	57	55	57	60	59	42	39	12	10			
Dem. Rep. of the Congo	99	91	50	53	51	49	52	51	48	48	15	15			
Djibouti	122	117	45	49	47	44	47	46	47	41	18	18			
Equatorial Guinea	127	108	44	48	46	48	52	50	44	43	20	16			
Eritrea	114	89	46	49	48	50	53	52	45	41	17	14			
Ethiopia	132	115	44	47	45	44	45	45	47	45	19	19			
Gambia	144	125	41	44	43	44	47	45	46	40	21	18			
Guinea	146	124	42	43	43	46	47	47	47	46	21	18			
Guinea-Bissau	151	131	40	43	42	43	46	44	45	45	23	20			
Haiti	106	68	50	54	52	49	55	52	42	32	15	13			
Kiribati	69	53	52 ^b	52 ^b	52 ^b	56	60	58	26 ^c	32	9 ^c	..			
Lao People's Dem. Rep.	116	97	47	50	48	51	54	53	45	38	18	14			
Lesotho	107	108	55	58	56	51	52	51	38	35	13	15			
Liberia	108	111	51	54	53	47	49	48	44	50	14	17			
Madagascar	116	100	47	49	48	51	53	54	45	44	17	15			
Malawi	155	140	45	47	46	41	41	41	52	47	21	22			
Maldives	82	46	61	58	60	66	64	65	42	37	10	7			
Mali	142	130	47	50	48	50	52	51	51	50	20	19			
Mauritania	115	106	47	50	48	49	52	51	44	44	17	15			
Mozambique	137	137	42	45	44	39	42	41	45	45	21	22			
Myanmar	104	92	52	56	54	54	58	56	31	27	13	12			
Nepal	110	83	53	51	52	58	57	57	39	36	14	11			
Niger	153	136	41	41	41	44	44	44	56	55	24	21			
Rwanda	123	122	44	47	46	39	40	39	44	42	18	22			
Samoa	44	30	61	67	64	65	72	69	38	29	7	6			
Sao Tome and Principe	..	59	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Senegal	76	62	46	50	48	50	54	52	46	40	18	13			
Sierra Leone	183	165	35	38	37	36	39	37	49	50	27	26			
Solomon Islands	33	24	62	64	63	66	69	67	39	40	8	5			
Somalia	132	122	43	47	45	45	49	47	52	52	20	19			
Sudan	103	86	50	52	51	54	56	55	40	36	15	12			
Togo	97	83	50	54	52	50	53	51	44	41	14	14			
Tuvalu	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Uganda	124	106	43	46	45	41	42	42	51	50	20	20			
United Rep. of Tanzania	92	81	51	54	53	50	52	51	45	40	13	13			
Vanuatu	57	32	61	65	63	66	69	67	37	34	8	6			
Yemen	105	74	52	53	53	58	60	59	49	51	14	10			
Zambia	98	94	50	52	51	41	40	41	45	44	15	21			
ALL LDCs	117	102	48	50	49	49	51	50	43	40	16	15			
All developing countries	77	65	59	62	60	61	65	63	30	25	10	9			

Source: United Nations, *World Population Prospects 2000 Revision*; UNICEF, *The State of the World's Children 2001*; ESCAP, *Statistical Yearbook for Asia and the Pacific 1992*; World Bank, *World Development Indicators 2001*; and AsDB, *Key Indicators of Developing Asian and Pacific Countries 1995*.

a Or latest year available. b 1988. c 1985.

9. INDICATORS ON HEALTH

Country	Low birth-weight infants (percentage) 1995–1999 ^b	Percentage of women attended during childbirth by trained personnel 1995–2000 ^b	Percentage of 1-year-old child immunized against DPT ^a (3 doses)
			1997–1999 ^b
Afghanistan	20 ^c	8 ^c	37
Angola	19 ^c	..	29
Bangladesh	30	13	69
Benin	..	60	90
Bhutan	..	15 ^c	88
Burkina Faso	21 ^c	27	37
Burundi	..	24 ^c	63
Cambodia	..	34	64
Cape Verde	9 ^c	54	69
Central African Republic	15 ^c	46 ^c	28
Chad	..	15	33
Comoros	8 ^c	52	75
Dem. Rep. of the Congo	15 ^c	..	15
Djibouti	11 ^c	79 ^c	23
Equatorial Guinea	..	5 ^c	81
Eritrea	13 ^c	21	56
Ethiopia	16 ^c	10	64
Gambia	..	44 ^c	87
Guinea	13	35	46
Guinea-Bissau	20 ^c	25	63
Haiti	15 ^c	21	61
Kiribati	3 ^c	72 ^c	78
Lao People's Dem. Rep.	18 ^c	14 ^c	56
Lesotho	11 ^c	50 ^c	64
Liberia	..	58 ^c	23
Madagascar	5	47	48
Malawi	20 ^c	55 ^c	94
Maldives	13	90 ^c	97
Mali	16	24	52
Mauritania	11 ^c	40 ^c	19
Mozambique	12	44	81
Myanmar	24 ^c	56	75
Nepal	..	9	76
Niger	15 ^c	18	21
Rwanda	17 ^c	26 ^c	85
Samoa	6 ^c	76 ^c	98
Sao Tome and Principe	7 ^c	86 ^c	73
Senegal	4	47	60
Sierra Leone	11 ^c	..	22
Solomon Islands	20 ^c	85 ^c	86
Somalia	16 ^c	2 ^c	18
Sudan	15 ^c	86 ^c	88
Togo	20 ^c	51	48
Tuvalu	3 ^c	100 ^c	84
Uganda	13	38	54
United Rep. of Tanzania	14 ^c	35	82
Vanuatu	7 ^c	79 ^c	93
Yemen	19 ^c	22	72
Zambia	13 ^c	47	92
All LDCs	18	28	58
All developing countries	17	52	72

Source: UNICEF, *The State of the World's Children 2001*; World Bank, *World Development Indicators 2001*; and WHO, *The World Health Report 1998*.

a Diphtheria, pertussis and tetanus.

b Data refer to the most recent year available during the period specified in the column heading.

c Indicates data that refers to years or periods other than those specified in the column heading, differ from the standard definition, or refer to only part of the country.

10. INDICATORS ON NUTRITION AND SANITATION

Country	Total food supply (daily calories intake per capita)		Percentage of population with access to safe water or adequate sanitation								
			Urban		Rural		Water		Sanitation		
	1980	1999	1980	1999 ^a	1980	1999 ^a	1980	1999 ^a	1980	1999 ^a	1980
Afghanistan	2085	1755	28	19	..	25	8	11	..	8	
Angola	2134	1873	85	34	40	70	10	40	15	30	
Bangladesh	1965	2201	26	99	21	82	40	97	1	44	
Benin	2023	2489	26	74	48	46	15	55	4	6	
Bhutan	..	..	50	86	..	65	5	60	..	70	
Burkina Faso	1671	2376	27	84	38	88	31	37	5	16	
Burundi	2022	1628	90	96	40	79	20	49	..	50	
Cambodia	1702	2000	..	53	..	58	..	25	..	10	
Cape Verde	2556	3166	100	64	34	95	21	89	10	32	
Central African Republic	2301	1978	..	80	..	43	..	46	..	23	
Chad	1646	2230	..	31	..	81	..	26	..	13	
Comoros	1784	1800	..	98	..	98	..	95	..	98	
Dem. Rep. of the Congo	2086	1637	43	89	..	53	5	26	10	6	
Djibouti	1733	2129	50	100	43	99	20	100	20	50	
Equatorial Guinea	..	..	47	45	99	60	..	42	..	46	
Eritrea	..	1646	..	63	..	66	..	42	..	1	
Ethiopia	..	1803	..	77	..	58	..	13	..	6	
Gambia	1644	2598	85	80	..	41	..	53	..	35	
Guinea	2269	2133	69	72	54	94	2	36	1	41	
Guinea-Bissau	1898	2245	18	29	21	88	8	55	13	34	
Haiti	2025	1977	48	49	39	50	8	45	10	16	
Kiribati	2617	2982	93	82	87	54	25	25	80	44	
Lao People's Dem. Rep.	2084	2152	21	59	..	84	12	100	..	34	
Lesotho	2179	2300	37	98	13	93	11	88	14	92	
Liberia	2504	2089	..	79	..	56	..	13	..	4	
Madagascar	2374	1994	80	85	9	70	7	31	..	30	
Malawi	2246	2164	77	95	100	96	37	44	81	70	
Maldives	2160	2298	11	100	60	100	3	100	1	41	
Mali	1746	2314	37	74	79	93	0	61	0	58	
Mauritania	2118	2702	80	34	5	44	85	40	..	19	
Mozambique	1940	1939	..	86	..	69	..	43	..	26	
Myanmar	2326	2803	38	88	38	65	15	60	15	39	
Nepal	1878	2264	83	85	16	75	7	80	1	20	
Niger	2139	2064	41	70	36	79	32	56	3	5	
Rwanda	2292	2011	48	60	60	12	55	40	50	8	
Samoa	2495	..	97	95	86	95	94	100	83	100	
Sao Tome and Principe	2103	2269	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Senegal	2207	2 307	77	92	100	94	25	65	2	48	
Sierra Leone	2087	2016	50	23	31	23	2	31	6	31	
Solomon Islands	2203	2222	91	94	82	98	20	65	10	18	
Somalia	1735	1555	60	46	45	69	20	28	5	35	
Sudan	2201	2360	100	86	63	87	31	69	0	48	
Togo	2281	2527	70	85	24	69	31	38	0	17	
Tuvalu	..	..	..	100	..	100	..	100	..	100	
Uganda	2056	2238	45	72	40	96	8	46	10	72	
United Rep. of Tanzania	2252	1940	88	80	83	98	39	42	47	86	
Vanuatu	2526	2 766	65	63	95	100	53	94	68	100	
Yemen	1937	2 087	93	85	60	87	19	64	..	31	
Zambia	2273	1934	65	88	100	99	32	48	48	64	
All LDCs	1888	2018	51	80	44	73	24	54	12	33	
All developing countries ^b	2288	2 684	73	91	50	81	32	70	13	34	

Source: FAO, *Production Yearbook 1994*; WHO/UNICEF, *Water Supply and Sanitation Sector Monitoring Report 1993 and 1996*; WHO, *The International Drinking Water Supply and Sanitation Decade: End of Decade Review* (as at December 1990), *Review of National Progress* (various issues); and UNICEF, *The State of the World's Children 2001*.

a Or latest year available. b Average of countries for which data are available.

11. INDICATORS ON EDUCATION AND LITERACY

Country	Adult literacy rate (%)			School enrolment ratio (% of relevant age group)											
				Primary						Secondary					
				1980			1997 ^a			1980			1997 ^a		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
Afghanistan	51	21	36	54	12	34	64	32	49	16	4	10	32	11	22
Angola	56	29	42	187	163	175	95	88	92	32	9	20	15	10	12
Bangladesh	52	30	41	75	46	61	74	66	72	26	9	18	25	13	19
Benin	52	34	38	91	43	67	98	57	78	24	8	16	26	11	18
Bhutan	61	34	47	23	10	17	34	22	28	3	1	2	7	2	5
Burkina Faso	33	13	23	22	13	17	48	31	40	4	2	3	11	6	8
Burundi	56	41	48	32	21	26	55	46	51	4	2	3	8	5	7
Cambodia	48	22	35	..	..	..	123	104	113	..	..	..	31	17	24
Cape Verde	84	65	74	119	110	114	150	147	148	9	7	8	54	56	55
Central African Republic	60	35	47	92	51	71	69	45	57	21	7	14	15	6	10
Chad	67	41	54	52	19	36	76	39	57	9	1	5	15	4	9
Comoros	64	49	56	100	72	86	84	69	77	30	15	22	24	19	21
Dem. Rep. of the Congo	88	74	81	108	77	92	86	59	72	35	13	24	32	19	26
Djibouti	65	38	51	44	26	35	44	33	39	15	9	12	17	12	14
Equatorial Guinea	93	75	83	153	120	136	..	..	..	20	4	12	..	..	..
Eritrea	..	..	..	..	..	..	59	48	53	..	..	..	24	17	20
Ethiopia	44	33	39	48	27	37	55	30	43	12	7	9	14	10	12
Gambia	44	30	37	70	36	53	87	67	77	16	7	11	30	19	25
Guinea	55	27	41	48	25	36	68	41	54	24	10	17	20	7	14
Guinea-Bissau	53	21	37	94	43	68	79	45	62	10	2	6	14	4	9
Haiti	51	47	49	83	71	77	49	46	48	14	13	14	21	20	21
Kiribati	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Lao People's Dem. Rep.	74	51	62	123	104	113	123	101	112	25	16	21	34	23	28
Lesotho	74	94	84	85	122	103	102	114	108	14	21	18	25	36	31
Liberia	70	37	53	61	34	48	..	..	..	31	12	22	..	..	..
Madagascar	60	32	46	131	129	130	92	91	92	15	11	13	16	16	16
Malawi	75	47	60	72	48	60	140	127	134	7	3	5	21	12	17
Maldives	96	96	96	153	139	146	130	127	128	..	..	..	67	71	69
Mali	48	33	40	34	19	26	58	40	49	12	5	8	17	8	13
Mauritania	51	30	40	47	26	37	84	75	79	17	4	11	21	11	16
Mozambique	60	28	44	99	76	87	70	50	60	8	3	5	9	5	7
Myanmar	89	81	85	93	89	91	122	117	120	25	19	22	29	30	30
Nepal	59	24	41	119	50	86	129	96	113	33	9	22	51	33	42
Niger	24	8	16	33	18	25	36	23	29	7	3	5	9	5	7
Rwanda	74	61	67	66	60	63	82	80	81	4	3	3	12	9	11
Samoa	..	..	..	..	..	..	100	101	100	..	..	..	59	66	62
Sao Tome and Principe	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Senegal	47	28	37	55	37	46	78	65	71	15	7	11	20	12	16
Sierra Leone	51	23	36	61	43	52	60	41	50	20	8	14	22	13	17
Solomon Islands	..	..	..	85	65	76	89	103	97	22	9	16	21	14	17
Somalia	36	14	24	28	15	21	9	5	7	13	5	9	..	..	..
Sudan	68	46	57	59	41	50	55	47	51	20	12	16	23	20	21
Togo	72	43	57	144	93	118	140	99	120	50	16	33	40	14	27
Tuvalu	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Uganda	78	57	67	56	43	50	68	81	74	7	3	5	15	9	12
United Rep. of Tanzania	84	67	75	99	86	93	67	66	66	4	2	3	6	5	6
Vanuatu	..	..	..	..	..	..	94	101	98	..	..	..	23	18	20
Yemen	67	25	46	72	16	45	100	40	70	11	3	7	53	14	34
Zambia	85	71	78	97	83	90	91	86	89	22	11	16	34	21	27
All LDCs ^b	61	41	51	77	54	66	81	62	72	21	9	15	24	15	19
All developing countries ^b	81	66	74	103	85	95	108	95	102	42	28	35	57	46	52

Source: UNESCO, Compendium of Statistics on Illiteracy (1990 and 1995 editions), Statistical Yearbook (1999), Trends and Projections of Enrolment by Level of Education and by Age, 1960–2025 (as assessed in 1993); World Culture Report 2000; and ECA, African Socio-economic Indicators, 1990–91.

a Or latest year available. b Average of countries for which data are available.

12. INDICATORS ON COMMUNICATIONS AND MEDIA

Country	Post offices open to the public		Telephones		Radio receivers		Circulation of daily newspapers	
	per 100,000 inhabitants				per 1,000 inhabitants			
	1980	1999 ^a	1980	1999 ^a	1980	1999 ^a	1980	1999 ^a
Afghanistan	..	2.0	2.0	1.3	75	132	6.0	5.6
Angola	1.4	0.5	5.1	7.7	21	54	20.0	11.0
Bangladesh	8.2	7.1	1.1	3.4	17	50	3.0	9.3
Benin	..	2.7	5.0 ^c	6.6	66	110	0.3	2.2
Bhutan	6.3	6.0	..	17.9	12	19	..	..
Burkina Faso	1.2	0.7	1.5 ^c	4.0	18	33	0.2	1.3
Burundi	0.4 ^d	0.4	1.3 ^e	2.8	39	152	0.2	3.2
Cambodia	..	0.5	..	2.5	92	128	..	1.7
Cape Verde	18.7 ^d	12.8	5.7 ^f	112.1	142	183	..	..
Central African Republic	3.1 ^e	1.0	2.1 ^f	2.7	52	83	..	1.8
Chad	0.5 ^e	0.5	1.5 ^g	1.3	168	242	0.2	0.2
Comoros	..	5.6	5.0 ^c	9.6	119	141	..	..
Democratic Rep. of the Congo	1.4	1.0	0.8	0.3	193	376	2.0	2.7
Djibouti	1.6	1.9	16.8	14.0	75	84	..	..
Equatorial Guinea	4.6 ^d	5.9	..	12.9	401	428	7.0	4.9
Eritrea	..	1.5	..	7.3	..	484	..	..
Ethiopia	1.1 ^f	0.9	2.3 ^h	3.1	168	196	1.0	1.5
Gambia	..	..	5.4 ^h	23.0	114	394	..	1.7
Guinea	..	1.3	1.9 ^g	5.9	30	49	..	..
Guinea-Bissau	..	2.2	..	7.0	31	44	8.0	5.4
Haiti	..	1.1	..	8.6	19	55	7.0	2.5
Kiribati	42.4	31.2	12.3	42.6	193	212	..	..
Lao People's Dem. Rep.	2.1	1.9	2.1 ^g	6.5	109	143	4.0	3.7
Lesotho	9.2	7.6	..	9.7	25	49	3.2	7.6
Liberia	2.6	1.2	..	2.4	179	329	6.0	16.0
Madagascar	5.8	6.1	4.3	3.2	180	198	6.0	4.6
Malawi	3.9	3.0	5.2	3.8	186	250	3.0	2.6
Maldives	85.6	85.4	6.8	79.6	82	129	6.0	19.0
Mali	1.9 ^d	1.2	..	2.5	15	54	1.0	1.2
Mauritania	3.7	2.3	2.5 ^d	6.4	129	151	..	0.5
Mozambique	4.8	2.1	4.5 ^f	4.0	21	40	4.0	2.7
Myanmar	3.3	2.8	1.1 ^h	5.5	23	70	10.0	10.0
Nepal	9.6	21.4	1.0 ^c	11.3	21	39	8.0	11.0
Niger	2.7	0.6	1.7	1.7	45	66	0.5	0.2
Rwanda	..	1.8	0.9	1.7	34	102	0.1	0.1
Samoa	..	22.4	36.9 ^g	48.7	644	1035	..	..
Sao Tome and Principe	55.9	9.3	15.1 ^f	31.4	245	272	..	..
Senegal	..	1.5	..	17.9	99	142	6.0	5.0
Sierra Leone	3.3 ^d	1.3	..	3.8	176	274	3.0	4.7
Solomon Islands	..	31.8	..	18.8	88	141	..	..
Somalia	..	..	..	1.5	19	53	1.0	1.2
Sudan	4.0	1.7	3.4	8.7	225	271	6.0	27.0
Togo	15.2	1.0	3.8	8.4	203	227	6.0	3.6
Tuvalu	..	..	..	11.5	215	384	..	..
Uganda	..	1.5	3.6	2.6	100	127	2.0	2.1
United Republic of Tanzania	3.2	1.8	5.0	4.5	81	279	11.0	3.9
Vanuatu	5.3	..	23.2 ^c	28.4	196	350	..	..
Yemen	2.4 ^f	1.5	..	16.6	28	64	12.0	15.0
Zambia	7.0 ^f	1.8	10.7	9.2	56	160	19.0	4.0
All LDCs ^b	6.7	2.8	2.3	5.0	79	185	5.0	8.0
All developing countries ^b	13.1 ⁱ	10.1	15.5	69.0	117	244	35.0	40.0

Source: UNCTAD, *Handbook of Statistics 2001*; UNESCO, *Statistical Yearbook 1999* and *World Culture Report 2000*; Universal Postal Union, *Postal Statistics 1999*.

a Or latest year available. b Average of countries for which data are available.

c 1978. d 1982. e 1983. f 1981. g 1977. h 1979. i Excluding China.

13. INDICATORS ON TRANSPORT AND TRANSPORT NETWORKS^a

Country	Road networks			Railways				Civil aviation			
	Total	Paved	Density	Network	Density	Freight	Passenger	Freight		Passenger	
								Total	International	Total	International
	km	%	km/ 1,000 km ²	km	km/ 1,000 km ²	mill. ton km	mill. pass. km	mill. tons.	km	thousands	
Afghanistan	21 000	13.3	32.2	..	..	..	..	7.4	7.3	140	36
Angola	51 429	10.4	41.0	2 523	2.0	1 890	360	36.5	35.0	531	120
Bangladesh	201 182	9.5	1 360.0	2 746	19.1	718	5 348	143.1	143.0	1 215	892
Benin	6787	20.0	60.3	579	5.1	220	230	13.7	13.7	84	84
Bhutan	3 285	60.7	50.0	..	..	..	..	..	..	31	31
Burkina Faso	12 100	16.0	44.2	607	2.2	72	152	13.7	13.7	147	132
Burundi	14 480	7.1	520.9	..	..	..	..	..	..	12	12
Cambodia	35 769	7.5	190.0	601	3.3	34	80	..	..	..	..
Cape Verde	1 100	78.0	272.7	..	..	..	..	0.6	0.5	252	114
Central African Republic	24 307	2.7	38.5	..	..	..	..	13.7	13.7	84	84
Chad	33 400	0.8	26.0	..	..	..	..	13.7	13.7	84	84
Comoros	900	76.5	409.1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Dem. Rep. of the Congo	157 000	..	67.0	5 088	2.2	1 836	580	1.6	..	59	..
Djibouti	2 890	12.6	124.6	100	4.3	..	..	..	..	..	..
Equatorial Guinea	2 880	..	102.5	..	..	..	..	-	-	21	8
Eritrea	4 010	21.8	34.1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Ethiopia	28 652	13.3	25.9	781	0.7	103	185	101.5	101.2	861	617
Gambia	2 700	35.4	238.9	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Guinea	30 500	16.5	124.0	940	3.8	660	116	1.4	1.4	59	59
Guinea-Bissau	4 400	10.3	130.0	..	..	..	..	..	..	13	..
Haiti	4 160	24.3	160.0	100	3.6	..	..	..	..	..	..
Kiribati	670	..	920.0	..	..	..	..	0.8	0.8	3	3
Lao People's Dem. Rep.	22 321	13.8	94.3	..	..	..	..	1.5	0.9	197	54
Lesotho	5 940	17.9	195.7	16	0.5	..	..	..	..	1	1
Liberia	10 600	6.2	95.2	493	4.4	..	..	..	..	..	..
Madagascar	30 623	11.6	52.2	1 030	1.8	93	46	32.4	31.3	635	168
Malawi	16 451	19.0	..	789	6.7	48	40	0.8	0.5	112	63
Maldives	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	17.0	16.9	344	273
Mali	15 100	12.1	20.0	642	0.5	4	9	13.7	13.7	84	84
Mauritania	7 660	11.3	7.5	650	0.6	16 623	7	13.9	13.7	187	103
Mozambique	30 400	18.7	37.9	3 150	3.9	1 420	500	6.6	4.9	235	87
Myanmar	28 200	12.2	50.0	2 775	4.1	648	4 675	6.2	5.4	537	145
Nepal	7 700	41.5	60.0	52	0.4	..	..	16.0	15.9	583	452
Niger	10 100	7.9	8.0	..	..	..	..	13.7	13.7	84	84
Rwanda	14 900	9.1	566.5	2 652	100.7	2 140	2 700	..	..	..	..
Samoa	790	42.0	260.0	..	..	..	..	0.8	..	92	..
Sao Tome and Principe	320	68.1	330.0	..	..	..	..	..	..	34	20
Senegal	14 576	29.3	74.1	906	4.6	386	179	13.7	13.7	103	84
Sierra Leone	11 300	8.0	163.2	84	1.2	..	..	0.4	0.4	19	19
Solomon Islands	1 360	2.5	60.0	..	..	..	..	1.3	1.3	98	23
Somalia	22 100	11.8	34.7	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Sudan	11 900	36.3	4.7	4 756	1.9	1 970	985	33.9	29.5	390	245
Togo	7 520	31.6	132.4	514	9.1	17	132	13.7	13.7	84	84
Tuvalu	8	..	40.0	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Uganda	..	..	..	1 100	4.6	82	315	21.7	19.0	179	36
United Rep. of Tanzania	88 200	4.2	99.8	3 575	4.0	523	935	2.3	1.3	190	75
Vanuatu	1 070	23.9	87.7	..	..	..	..	1.9	1.9	86	86
Yemen	64 725	8.1	122.6	..	..	..	..	21.4	16.0	731	480
Zambia	66 781	18.0	52.8	1 924	2.6	1 625	547	0.4	0.4	42	42

Source: IRU, World Transport Statistics 1996; IRF, World Road Statistics 2001; ICAO, Statistical Year Book, Civil Aviation Statistics of the World 1999.

a Data refer to 1999 for road network and 1999 for civil aviation or latest year available.

14. INDICATORS ON ENERGY

Country	Coal, oil, gas and electricity		Fuelwood, charcoal and bagasse		Installed electricity capacity	
	Consumption per capita in kg of coal equivalent				kW/1,000 inhabitants	
	1980	1998	1980	1998	1980	1998
Afghanistan	48	26	99	99	25	23
Angola	135	171	362	183	85	38
Bangladesh	45	111	23	24	11	28
Benin	51	45	347	344	4	3
Bhutan	9	93	777	262	8	178
Burkina Faso	33	44	277	312	6	7
Burundi	14	19	252	255	2	7
Cambodia	22	24	213	218	6	3
Cape Verde	194	141	..	..	21	17
Central African Republic	26	37	358	335	13	12
Chad	22	7	206	208	8	4
Comoros	48	52	..	..	10	8
Democratic Rep. of the Congo	75	32	298	335	64	65
Djibouti	326	278	..	..	124	137
Equatorial Guinea	124	153	645	383	32	12
Eritrea	.. ^a	.. ^a	.. ^a	.. ^a	.. ^a	.. ^a
Ethiopia	21 ^a	14 ^a	296 ^a	285 ^a	9 ^a	7 ^a
Gambia	128	89	452	338	17	24
Guinea	85	74	246	221	39	25
Guinea-Bissau	81	94	177	134	9	9
Haiti	56	80	322	288	22	33
Kiribati	220	126	..	..	33	25
Lao People's Dem. Republic	30	45	354	308	78	50
Lesotho	..	..	..	..	..	..
Liberia	480	70	709	589	163	125
Madagascar	86	47	194	242	11	15
Malawi	58	40	288	314	24	18
Maldives	129	574	..	..	13	92
Mali	27	24	196	191	6	11
Mauritania	178	544	1	1	35	42
Mozambique	151	39	351	323	156	126
Myanmar	65	101	143	149	19	32
Nepal	18	63	305	282	5	14
Niger	50	49	191	200	6	10
Rwanda	28	40	292	232	8	5
Samoa	310	382	145	149	84	109
Sao Tome and Principe	213	266	..	..	43	43
Senegal	214	148	..	..	30	26
Sierra Leone	79	42	709	237	29	28
Solomon Islands	212	182	..	126	53	29
Somalia	108	..	192	315	5	9
Sudan	81	61	282	289	16	21
Togo	72	74	66	94	13	8
Tuvalu	..	..	..	..	..	0
Uganda	29	34	235	236	12	9
United Republic of Tanzania	44	36	331	392	14	17
Vanuatu	248	161	68	48	85	61
Yemen	92	375	45	8	20	48
Zambia	403	166	496	502	301	259
All LDCs	66	76	212	210	28	32
All developing countries	521	904	125	135	88	213

Source: United Nations, *Energy Statistics Yearbook 1983, 1998 and Statistical Yearbook 1985/86*.

^a Includes Eritrea.

15. INDICATORS ON THE STATUS OF WOMEN IN LDCs

Country	Education, training and literacy: Female–male gaps ^a				Health, fertility and mortality			Economic activity, employment					Political participation	
	Adult literacy rate	School enrolment ratio			Average age at first marriage (years)	Total fertility rate (births per woman)	Maternal mortality (per 100,000 births)	Women as a percentage of total:			Female labour force: Agriculture/total (%)	Legislators (%)	Decision makers in all ministries (%)	
		Primary	Second-ary	Post-secondary				1997 ^b	1997 ^c	1995-2000 ^c	1999 ^c	1999 ^c	1998 ^c	1998 ^c
		1999 ^b	1997 ^c					1999 ^c	1998 ^c	1998 ^c	1998 ^c	1997 ^c	1999 ^c	1999 ^c
Afghanistan	35	50	34	46	18	7	..	35	..	..	..	85	..	-
Angola	52	97	82	23	18	7	..	46	..	..	..	86	..	14
Bangladesh	57	87	58	20	17	3	440	42	9	8	77	76	5	5
Benin	43	59	48	23	18	6	500 ^d	48	3	64	29	65	..	13
Bhutan	50	88	..	..	..	6	380	40	..	..	..	98	..	..
Burkina Faso	40	64	58	29	17	7	..	47	13	16	66	94	..	10
Burundi	70	86	70	34	22	6	..	50	13	53	60	98	..	8
Cambodia	35	100	66	23	21	5	470	52	46	..	..	78	..	..
Cape Verde	77	100	95	..	25	4	55	39	46	30	3	32	..	13
Central African Republic	57	69	50	16	19	5	1100	47	10	52	55	87	..	4
Chad	65	58	37	14	17	6	830	44	..	..	..	91	..	0
Comoros	79	83	81	..	22	5	500	42	24	25	..	91	..	7
Dem. Rep. of the Congo	67	70	63	20	20	6	..	43	..	..	..	81	..	..
Djibouti	71	75	66	77	19	5	..	40	33	28	22	..	..	..
Equatorial Guinea	80	102	90	15	..	6	..	36	..	..	74	91	..	4
Eritrea	59	91	83	15	..	6	1 000 ^d	47	..	..	..	85	17	5
Ethiopia	74	62	55	25	18	6	..	40	5	28	65	86	..	5
Gambia	66	79	60	55	..	5	..	44	..	..	64	92	..	29
Guinea	..	58	31	12	16	5	670	47	..	..	60	92	..	8
Guinea-Bissau	31	59	51	11	18	6	910	40	..	..	4	96	..	18
Haiti	92	105	95	38	24	4	..	43	18	57	10	57	..	..
Kiribati	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Lao People's Dem. Rep.	50	90	72	44	..	6	650	..	..	..	..	81	..	..
Lesotho	130	118	122	115	21	5	..	37	38	24	39	59	..	6
Liberia	46	..	..	..	19	6	560	39	..	..	..	84	..	8
Madagascar	81	102	100	80	20	5	490	44	..	..	..	88	..	19
Malawi	61	102	59	42	18	7	620 ^d	49	13	57	58	96	..	4
Maldives	100	97	..	..	19	5	350	35	43	44	7	28	..	6
Mali	69	69	56	24	16	7	580 ^b	46	17	15	53	89	..	21
Mauritania	60	91	52	21	19	6	550	44	15	23	38	63	..	4
Mozambique	47	76	62	31	18	6	1 100 ^d	49	..	..	82	96	..	..
Myanmar	90	99	96	156	22	2	230	43	..	..	..	78	..	..
Nepal	39	67	58	32	18	5	540	41	15	36	61	98	..	3
Niger	34	61	53	17	16	7	590 ^b	44	8	17	24	97	..	10
Rwanda	81	101	78	22	21	6	..	56	15	33	53	98	..	5
Samoa	97	101	112	..	25	4	..	37	37	9	8	..	..	7
Sao Tome and Principe	..	..	..	..	18	5	..	..	32	26	54	..	..	..
Senegal	57	83	67	40	18	6	560	42	..	..	..	..	..	7
Sierra Leone	..	79	59	21	..	..	1800	36	20	24	72	81	..	10
Solomon Islands	..	85	66	..	21	5	550	50	20	39	..	85	..	6
Somalia	39	53	56	24	20	7	1600	43	..	..	..	88	..	..
Sudan	65	84	90	88	19	5	550	28	..	..	..	84	..	..
Togo	54	74	52	21	19	6	480	39	15	48	54	65	..	9
Tuvalu	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Uganda	72	85	60	49	18	7	510	48	7	39	54	88	..	13
United Rep. of Tanzania	78	102	83	24	19	6	530 ^b	49	..	..	88	91	..	13
Vanuatu	..	95	78	..	23	4	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Yemen	36	40	26	14	18	8	350	28	8	13	69	88	..	..
Zambia	83	98	71	39	19	6	650 ^d	45	16	55	54	83	..	3
All LDCs	68	83	66	36	19	5	..	43	..	..	..	83	..	9

Source: UNDP, *Human Development Report 2001*; United Nations, *The World's Women 2000: Trends and Statistics; Women's Indicators and Statistics* (Wistat); UNESCO, *Statistical Yearbook 1999* and *World Culture Report 2001*; UNICEF, *The State of the World's Children 2001*; and estimates by the Bureau of Statistics of the ILO.

Note: Data for female legislators include senior officials and managers as percentage of total.

a Females as percentage of males. b Estimates. c Or latest year available. d UNICEF-WHO estimate based on statistical modelling.

16. LEADING EXPORTS OF ALL LDCs IN 1999–2000

SITC	Item	Value ^a (\$ millions)	As percentage of		
			LDCs	Developing countries	World
	All commodities	25 464.2	100.00	1.51	0.44
333	Petroleum oils, crude and crude oils obtained from bituminous minerals	7 528.1	29.56	3.27	2.50
842	Outer garments, men's, of textile fabrics	1 434.5	5.63	7.00	4.37
667	Pearls, precious and semi-precious stones unworked or worked	1 365.8	5.36	11.44	3.01
263	Cotton	1 166.9	4.58	24.33	14.83
845	Outergarments and other articles, knitted	1 112.8	4.37	4.23	2.65
844	Undergarments of textile fabrics	990.8	3.89	10.46	7.25
843	Outergarments, women's, of textile fabrics	944.3	3.71	3.59	2.17
071	Coffee and coffee substitutes	802.4	3.15	8.61	6.46
846	Undergarments knitted or crocheted	682.7	2.68	3.77	2.23
036	Crustaceans and molluscs, fresh, chilled, frozen, salted, in brine or dried	676.0	2.65	6.32	4.22
247	Other wood rough, squared	527.6	2.07	22.13	6.82
034	Fish, fresh, chilled, frozen	486.5	1.91	5.94	2.29
287	Ores and Concentrates of base metals, n.e.s	443.8	1.74	4.83	2.44
334	Petroleum products, refined	370.8	1.46	0.57	0.28
121	Tobacco, unmanufactd	359.1	1.41	10.35	5.97
682	Copper	299.4	1.18	2.52	1.02
057	Fruit and nuts (not including oil nuts), fresh or dried	261.4	1.03	2.27	0.96
222	Oil-seeds and oleaginous fruit, whole or broken excluding flours and meals	233.6	0.92	5.49	1.80
971	Gold, non-monetary	229.5	0.90	3.00	1.09
281	Iron ore and concentrates	215.9	0.85	5.38	2.54

Source: UNCTAD secretariat computations based on data from the United Nations Statistics Division.

a Annual average 1999–2000.

17. MAIN MARKETS FOR EXPORTS OF LDCS: PERCENTAGE SHARES IN 2000 (OR LATEST YEAR AVAILABLE)

Country	Developed market economy countries					Countries in Eastern Europe	Developing countries			Other and unallocated
	Total	European Union	Japan	USA and Canada	Others		Total	OPEC	Other	
Afghanistan	32.9	29.6	0.3	2.4	0.5	9.7	57.4	4.5	52.9	0.0
Angola	68.9	18.6	0.0	49.9	0.3	0.0	26.3	0.0	26.3	4.8
Bangladesh	76.4	38.8	1.3	35.2	1.1	0.5	8.8	2.0	6.8	14.3
Benin	33.2	27.7	0.0	3.8	1.6	0.2	64.8	13.1	51.7	1.8
Bhutan	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Burkina Faso	32.4	27.3	2.2	1.4	1.5	0.9	51.3	19.9	31.4	15.5
Burundi	74.1	50.7	0.9	8.3	14.1	0.0	5.5	0.1	5.4	20.4
Cambodia	54.7	12.2	2.2	39.8	0.4	0.0	29.6	0.1	29.6	15.7
Cape Verde	90.5	68.5	0.0	21.8	0.3	0.3	5.3	0.2	5.1	3.9
Central African Republic	79.7	77.7	0.3	1.5	0.2	0.6	16.5	4.4	12.1	3.1
Chad	65.1	57.9	1.0	6.1	0.1	6.4	18.3	6.1	12.1	10.2
Comoros	69.9	47.8	2.1	19.0	1.0	0.7	28.7	0.1	28.6	0.7
Dem. Republic of the Congo	94.5	75.1	1.5	17.4	0.5	0.2	5.2	0.1	5.1	0.1
Djibouti	9.3	9.0	0.0	0.3	0.0	0.4	90.2	5.1	85.1	0.0
Equatorial Guinea	73.0	55.3	4.2	13.0	0.5	0.0	26.9	0.0	26.9	0.0
Eritrea	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Ethiopia	60.6	39.4	11.1	6.1	4.0	1.6	36.2	9.4	26.8	1.6
Gambia	71.8	53.8	14.9	2.9	0.2	1.8	26.4	1.2	25.2	0.1
Guinea	64.3	48.4	0.4	15.2	0.3	16.6	18.5	1.4	17.1	0.7
Guinea-Bissau	9.4	8.6	0.0	0.7	0.0	0.2	90.5	0.0	90.5	0.0
Haiti	98.6	5.5	0.2	92.4	0.5	0.1	1.2	0.6	0.6	0.0
Kiribati	67.5	2.1	57.9	6.3	1.2	8.8	23.7	0.0	23.7	0.0
Lao People's Dem. Rep.	43.6	34.9	3.7	3.3	1.6	1.0	26.9	0.0	26.9	28.4
Lesotho	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Liberia	85.1	69.6	0.0	6.0	9.5	0.9	13.9	0.6	13.3	0.0
Madagascar	84.4	58.4	3.7	21.7	0.7	1.2	10.2	0.3	9.9	4.2
Malawi	72.4	31.4	7.4	12.6	21.0	13.3	11.0	1.0	10.0	3.3
Maldives	86.7	32.7	1.4	35.1	17.5	0.1	12.8	0.1	12.7	0.4
Mali	43.4	30.1	0.5	10.7	2.1	2.1	41.1	5.7	35.3	13.5
Mauritania	77.9	61.1	16.1	0.1	0.6	3.7	17.1	0.1	17.0	1.3
Mozambique	63.8	31.1	4.7	6.4	21.6	1.3	33.9	0.1	33.8	1.0
Myanmar	49.0	16.2	5.9	26.2	0.7	0.2	48.3	1.4	46.8	2.4
Nepal	61.2	23.0	3.1	33.7	1.4	0.2	37.0	0.0	37.0	1.6
Niger	57.3	50.3	1.9	4.7	0.4	0.0	42.7	35.4	7.3	0.1
Rwanda	46.0	38.2	0.4	5.1	2.3	2.3	17.4	0.3	17.1	34.3
Samoa	91.2	5.3	0.2	13.1	72.5	0.3	6.9	0.0	6.9	1.6
Sao Tome and Principe	93.4	69.5	3.3	8.1	12.5	1.0	5.5	0.0	5.5	0.0
Senegal	41.4	38.5	1.3	1.5	0.2	0.0	49.8	0.5	49.3	8.8
Sierra Leone	92.6	46.3	1.0	11.5	33.9	0.0	4.5	0.0	4.5	2.9
Solomon Islands	39.4	14.4	21.8	0.6	2.7	0.2	60.1	2.3	57.8	0.2
Somalia	1.3	0.7	0.2	0.3	0.1	0.0	98.6	58.8	39.9	0.0
Sudan	46.1	13.7	25.1	0.2	7.1	1.1	52.7	15.0	37.8	0.2
Togo	20.5	14.0	0.0	1.9	4.5	5.0	63.2	12.8	50.4	11.3
Tuvalu	35.3	26.9	0.0	0.0	8.4	11.8	52.9	33.6	19.3	0.0
Uganda	72.6	54.9	3.5	8.2	6.0	18.2	7.7	1.4	6.2	1.5
United Rep. of Tanzania	45.8	31.7	6.6	4.9	2.6	3.0	50.0	2.7	47.4	1.2
Vanuatu	79.1	28.5	31.4	17.4	1.7	0.2	17.0	0.0	17.0	3.8
Yemen	21.2	3.6	1.8	12.8	3.0	0.0	74.8	4.7	70.1	4.0
Zambia	49.9	29.2	11.9	2.6	6.2	0.5	44.5	6.6	37.9	5.1
All LDCs	62.5	30.7	3.4	26.0	2.4	1.3	29.8	2.7	27.1	6.3
All developing countries	70.2	29.2	10.0	28.2	2.8	1.1	26.3	2.9	23.4	2.3

Source: UNCTAD secretariat calculations based on data from IMF, *Direction of Trade Statistics*, CD-ROM.

18. MAIN SOURCES OF IMPORTS OF LDCs: PERCENTAGE SHARES IN 2000 (OR LATEST YEAR AVAILABLE)

Country	Developed market economy countries					Countries in Eastern Europe	Developing countries			Other and unallocated
	Total	European Union	Japan	USA and Canada	Others		Total	OPEC	Other	
Afghanistan	23.2	8.4	12.1	2.3	0.3	6.7	70.0	3.4	66.7	0.0
Angola	65.3	41.5	1.1	10.5	12.2	5.7	28.8	0.8	28.0	0.1
Bangladesh	27.3	9.9	9.3	3.8	4.3	0.8	50.7	7.3	43.5	21.2
Benin	48.0	43.1	1.4	2.7	0.8	4.4	47.2	2.2	45.0	0.4
Bhutan	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Burkina Faso	31.7	27.8	1.3	2.3	0.3	2.1	61.7	27.5	34.1	4.6
Burundi	36.1	25.5	2.3	2.4	6.0	0.4	59.3	17.7	41.6	4.1
Cambodia	12.1	6.0	3.1	1.7	1.3	0.3	79.0	3.2	75.8	8.6
Cape Verde	84.6	80.2	0.0	2.6	1.8	1.2	8.8	0.1	8.7	5.4
Central African Republic	53.3	45.5	3.2	1.7	2.8	1.9	26.3	1.1	25.2	18.5
Chad	57.4	49.0	1.0	6.2	1.2	0.6	42.0	16.2	25.8	0.0
Comoros	68.4	44.5	0.6	1.5	21.8	0.2	30.2	8.5	21.7	1.2
Dem. Republic of the Congo	57.6	32.2	1.3	1.8	22.3	0.2	39.3	11.0	28.3	2.9
Djibouti	37.5	30.2	3.7	2.8	0.8	0.7	58.7	20.5	38.3	3.0
Equatorial Guinea	90.3	43.3	4.8	38.1	4.1	0.4	8.9	0.0	8.9	0.4
Eritrea										
Ethiopia	43.8	27.1	4.3	9.6	2.8	7.0	48.5	24.9	23.5	0.8
Gambia	53.0	45.4	2.6	3.6	1.5	1.0	45.1	3.5	41.6	0.8
Guinea	62.7	46.9	2.0	10.5	3.3	1.2	34.9	2.9	32.0	1.2
Guinea-Bissau	53.4	49.5	1.5	0.8	1.7	1.5	36.7	0.2	36.4	8.3
Haiti	72.6	9.8	2.9	58.9	1.0	0.3	25.5	2.1	23.4	1.6
Kiribati	53.2	4.2	10.6	7.4	30.9	16.8	28.8	0.2	28.7	1.1
Lao People's Dem. Republic	13.9	7.9	4.3	0.7	1.0	0.4	83.5	0.4	83.1	2.2
Lesotho	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Liberia	60.8	40.3	15.8	1.0	3.8	2.8	36.3	0.1	36.2	0.1
Madagascar	61.4	50.5	3.0	2.6	5.3	0.3	31.9	2.1	29.7	6.5
Malawi	63.8	12.4	2.3	2.7	46.4	0.0	32.5	0.2	32.4	3.7
Maldives	16.0	9.7	1.4	2.0	2.8	0.1	83.6	33.2	50.4	0.3
Mali	31.4	26.1	0.6	3.1	1.6	0.3	61.1	0.8	60.3	7.1
Mauritania	61.3	55.3	2.6	2.8	0.6	6.1	24.1	13.0	11.1	8.5
Mozambique	48.2	13.0	2.3	5.2	27.7	0.0	11.2	1.5	9.7	40.6
Myanmar	15.8	4.9	8.8	0.8	1.3	0.5	78.7	9.4	69.3	5.0
Nepal	11.8	5.6	2.3	2.0	2.0	0.4	86.1	10.9	75.1	1.8
Niger	49.3	37.1	1.8	10.0	0.4	1.3	45.7	9.7	36.0	3.6
Rwanda	39.2	23.0	3.5	7.8	4.9	1.9	37.2	2.6	34.6	21.7
Samoa	79.4	0.7	9.0	26.9	42.9	0.3	18.1	0.3	17.8	2.2
Sao Tome and Principe	92.6	83.7	1.4	2.3	5.2	2.4	4.9	0.2	4.7	0.0
Senegal	61.0	51.1	2.3	5.8	1.9	2.9	35.7	9.0	26.6	0.4
Sierra Leone	53.6	44.4	1.2	5.2	2.8	28.7	14.6	4.0	10.6	3.1
Solomon Islands	46.6	5.1	6.3	4.8	30.5	0.0	50.9	2.0	48.9	2.5
Somalia	11.8	9.6	0.1	1.8	0.2	0.1	77.1	5.7	71.4	11.0
Sudan	45.7	34.4	2.4	2.5	6.4	3.9	49.8	13.0	36.8	0.7
Togo	32.9	27.9	2.0	1.7	1.2	0.5	65.7	3.8	61.9	0.9
Tuvalu	38.9	12.2	3.1	0.0	23.6	0.2	60.5	0.3	60.2	0.3
Uganda	38.5	23.0	3.2	3.4	8.9	3.8	56.9	2.9	54.0	0.8
United Republic of Tanzania	47.0	23.1	5.0	3.8	15.0	0.6	49.7	12.4	37.2	2.7
Vanuatu	48.9	7.2	3.8	1.4	36.5	0.5	32.6	0.4	32.2	18.0
Yemen	40.5	24.3	3.5	8.1	4.6	3.0	53.2	22.1	31.1	3.2
Zambia	70.7	14.6	2.2	2.7	51.2	0.2	25.4	0.4	25.0	3.7
All LDCs	42.1	24.5	5.6	5.4	6.7	2.1	48.6	7.6	41.0	7.2
All developing countries	54.8	18.8	12.9	19.1	4.0	2.1	40.2	5.6	34.6	2.9

Source: UNCTAD secretariat calculations based on data from IMF, *Direction of Trade Statistics*, CD-ROM.

19. COMPOSITION OF TOTAL FINANCIAL FLOWS TO ALL LDCS
IN CURRENT AND IN CONSTANT DOLLARS
(Net disbursements)

	Millions of current dollars						Millions of 1990 dollars^f					
	1985	1990	1997	1998	1999	2000	1985	1990	1997	1998	1999	2000
Concessional loans & grants	9 493	16 752	13 036	12 806	12 325	12 476	12 328	16 752	12 534	12 314	11 627	11 769
<i>Of which:</i>												
DAC	8 754	16 166	12 926	12 701	12 153	12 277	11 370	16 166	12 429	12 213	11 465	11 582
Bilateral	5 484	9 889	7 638	7 633	7 244	7 734	7 123	9 889	7 345	7 340	6 834	7 296
Multilateral ^a	3 270	6 277	5 288	5 068	4 909	4 543	4 247	6 277	5 084	4 873	4 631	4 286
Grants	6 399	11 826	9 965	10 234	10 431	10 314	8 311	11 826	9 582	9 840	9 841	9 730
Loans	2 355	4 340	2 961	2 467	1 722	1 963	3 059	4 340	2 847	2 373	1 624	1 852
Technical assistance	2 221	3 375	3 112	2 778	2 614	2 706	2 885	3 375	2 992	2 671	2 466	2 553
Other ^b	6 533	12 791	9 814	9 923	9 539	9 571	8 485	12 791	9 437	9 542	8 999	9 029
OPEC	729	580	75	53	130	156	946	580	72	51	123	147
Bilateral	648	571	76	53	107	149	841	571	73	51	101	141
Multilateral ^c	81	9	-1	0	23	7	105	9	-1	0	22	6
Grants	434	520	10	25	55	78	564	520	9	24	52	74
Loans	295	60	65	28	75	78	382	60	63	27	71	73
Non-concessional flows	435	742	1 617	2 486	2 433	759	565	743	1 555	2 390	2 295	716
<i>Of which:</i>												
DAC	397	797	1 616	2 443	2 388	737	515	797	1 554	2 348	2 253	695
Bilateral official	497	689	281	37	208	-79	645	688	270	36	196	-75
Multilateral ^a	238	29	-63	-95	-2	-4	309	29	-60	-92	-2	-4
Export credits ^d	-324	-522	219	236	209	60	-421	-522	211	227	197	56
Direct investment	-64	307	1 223	1 139	1 903	-9	-83	307	1 176	1 095	1 796	-8
Other ^e	50	295	-44	1 126	70	769	65	295	-43	1 082	66	726
Total financial flows	9 928	17 494	14 653	15 292	14 758	13 235	12 893	17 495	14 089	14 704	13 922	12 485

Source: UNCTAD secretariat calculations based on OECD; *Geographical Distribution of Financial Flows to Aid Recipients, 1996-2000* and *International Development Statistics 2001* CD-ROM.

a From multilateral agencies mainly financed by DAC member countries.

b Grants (excluding technical assistance grants) and loans.

c From multilateral agencies mainly financed by OPEC member countries.

d Guaranteed private.

e Bilateral financial flows originating in DAC countries and their capital markets in the form of bond lending and bank lending (either directly or through syndicated "Eurocurrency credits"). Excludes flows that could not be allocated by recipient country.

f The deflator used is the unit value index of imports.

**20. DISTRIBUTION OF FINANCIAL FLOWS TO LDCS AND TO ALL DEVELOPING COUNTRIES, BY TYPE OF FLOW
(Percentage)**

	To least developed countries						To all developing countries					
	1985	1990	1997	1998	1999	2000	1985	1990	1997	1998	1999	2000
Concessional loans & grants	95.6	95.8	89.0	83.7	83.5	94.3	69.8	69.2	20.8	21.1	20.0	26.9
<i>Of which:</i>												
DAC	88.2	92.4	88.2	83.0	82.4	92.7	62.7	61.9	20.5	20.8	19.8	26.5
Bilateral	55.3	56.5	52.1	49.9	49.1	58.4	44.3	45.7	13.8	14.6	14.4	19.4
Multilateral ^a	32.9	35.9	36.1	33.1	33.3	34.3	18.4	16.2	6.7	6.2	5.4	7.1
Grants	64.5	67.6	68.0	66.9	70.6	77.9	44.8	46.3	16.6	16.6	16.0	22.0
Loans	23.7	24.8	20.2	16.1	11.7	14.8	17.9	15.6	3.9	4.2	3.8	4.5
Technical assistance	22.4	19.3	21.2	18.1	17.7	20.4	18.7	17.8	6.2	6.0	5.6	7.8
Other ^b	65.8	73.1	67.0	64.9	64.7	72.3	44.0	44.1	14.3	14.8	14.2	18.7
OPEC	7.3	3.3	0.5	0.3	0.9	1.2	7.2	7.2	0.2	0.2	0.1	0.2
Bilateral	6.5	3.2	0.5	0.3	0.7	1.1	6.9	7.1	0.2	0.2	0.1	0.2
Multilateral ^c	0.8	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.2	0.1	0.3	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Grants	4.3	3.0	0.1	0.1	0.4	0.6	6.0	7.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.2
Loans	3.0	0.3	0.4	0.2	0.5	0.6	1.2	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.0
Non-concessional flows	4.4	4.2	11.0	16.3	16.5	5.7	30.2	30.8	79.2	78.9	80.0	73.1
<i>Of which:</i>												
DAC	4.0	4.6	11.0	16.0	16.2	5.6	31.2	30.5	79.0	78.2	79.7	72.3
Bilateral official	5.0	3.9	1.9	0.2	1.4	-0.6	8.2	9.8	2.8	5.3	6.3	-1.2
Multilateral ^a	2.4	0.2	-0.4	-0.6	0.0	0.0	17.8	12.4	4.8	6.7	5.2	4.5
Export credits ^d	-3.3	-3.0	1.5	1.5	1.4	0.5	2.2	-1.5	0.6	0.9	1.2	3.5
Direct investment	-0.6	1.8	8.3	7.4	12.9	-0.1	14.3	32.7	40.3	42.4	48.9	54.3
Other ^e	0.5	1.7	-0.3	7.5	0.5	5.8	-11.3	-22.9	30.5	22.9	18.1	11.2
Total financial flows	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0

For source and note, see table 19.

**21. SHARE OF LDCS IN FINANCIAL FLOWS TO ALL DEVELOPING COUNTRIES, BY TYPE OF FLOW
(Percentage)**

	1985	1990	1997	1998	1999	2000
Concessional loans & grants	31.4	29.7	27.1	25.5	23.8	24.8
<i>Of which:</i>						
DAC	32.3	32.0	27.4	25.6	23.8	24.8
Bilateral	28.6	26.5	24.0	22.0	19.5	21.3
Multilateral ^a	41.1	47.5	34.5	34.3	35.3	34.4
Grants	33.0	31.3	26.1	25.9	25.2	25.1
Loans	30.5	34.2	32.9	24.6	17.6	23.5
Technical assistance	27.5	23.3	21.7	19.5	18.3	18.5
Other ^b	34.3	35.5	29.9	28.1	25.9	27.4
OPEC	23.5	9.8	14.7	12.7	49.1	33.0
Bilateral	21.8	9.8	13.9	12.3	46.2	34.0
Multilateral ^c	65.0	13.3	2.9	-	69.2	19.4
Grants	16.6	8.9	3.1	7.5	28.0	21.3
Loans	60.6	68.0	33.6	34.3	110.7	73.2
Non-concessional flows	3.3	3.0	0.9	1.3	1.2	0.6
<i>Of which:</i>						
DAC	2.9	3.2	0.9	1.3	1.2	0.5
Bilateral official	14.0	8.6	4.3	0.3	1.3	3.4
Multilateral ^a	3.1	0.3	-0.6	-0.6	0.0	-0.1
Export credits ^d	-34.2	43.3	17.2	10.6	7.0	0.9
Direct investment	-1.0	1.2	1.3	1.1	1.5	0.0
Other ^e	-1.0	-1.6	-0.1	2.1	0.1	3.7
Total financial flows	22.9	21.4	6.4	6.4	5.7	7.1

Note: No percentage is shown when either the net flow to all LDCs or the net flow to all developing countries in a particular year is negative.

For other notes and sources, see table 19.

22. NET ODA^a FROM INDIVIDUAL DAC MEMBER COUNTRIES TO LDCS AS A GROUP

Donor country ^b	% of GNI					Millions of dollars					% change from 1990 to 2000
	1990	1997	1998	1999	2000	1990	1997	1998	1999	2000	
Denmark	0.37	0.29	0.33	0.35	0.34	462	496	563	549	537	16.2
Norway	0.52	0.34	0.34	0.26	0.27	532	525	497	455	424	-20.3
Luxembourg	0.08	0.17	0.19	0.19	0.25	10	30	32	33	45	350.0
Sweden	0.35	0.24	0.20	0.13	0.24	775	522	451	409	528	-31.9
Netherlands	0.30	0.22	0.22	0.13	0.21	834	820	822	632	793	-4.9
Ireland	0.06	0.15	0.14	0.12	0.14	21	90	91	92	113	438.1
Portugal	0.17	0.16	0.13	0.08	0.11	100	166	142	124	118	18.0
Switzerland	0.14	0.11	0.09	0.08	0.10	325	314	268	268	269	-17.2
United Kingdom	0.09	0.06	0.07	0.04	0.10	834	843	1 009	718	1 406	68.6
Belgium	0.19	0.08	0.11	0.06	0.09	367	217	256	177	213	-42.0
Finland	0.24	0.08	0.08	0.09	0.09	317	93	106	105	109	-65.6
France	0.19	0.11	0.08	0.05	0.09	2 286	1 540	1 156	1 132	1 141	-50.1
Germany	0.12	0.05	0.05	0.05	0.06	1 769	1 193	1 212	1 133	1 206	-31.8
New Zealand	0.04	0.06	0.06	0.05	0.06	18	36	28	32	27	50.0
Australia	0.06	0.05	0.04	0.04	0.06	171	197	159	172	211	23.4
Austria	0.07	0.05	0.04	0.02	0.05	110	96	89	74	102	-7.3
Total DAC	0.09	0.05	0.05	0.04	0.05	15 199	11 405	11 181	11 122	12 211	-19.7
Canada	0.13	0.08	0.06	0.03	0.04	740	489	354	328	307	-58.5
Japan	0.06	0.04	0.04	0.09	0.04	1 753	1 830	1 599	2 619	2 127	21.3
Italy	0.13	0.03	0.00	0.04	0.04	1 382	335	840	400	388	-71.9
Spain	0.04	0.04	0.02	0.02	0.03	194	202	129	187	142	-26.8
United States	0.04	0.02	0.02	0.02	0.02	2 199	1 362	1 371	1 479	1 987	-9.6
Greece	-	-	-	0.00	0.02	-	9	7	4	18	..

Source: UNCTAD secretariat calculations based on OECD, *Development Co-operation Report*, various issues, and *International Development Statistics 2001*, CD-ROM.

^a Including imputed flows through multilateral channels.

^b Ranked in descending order of the ODA/GNP ratio in 2000.

**23. BILATERAL ODA FROM DAC MEMBER COUNTRIES AND TOTAL FINANCIAL FLOWS
FROM MULTILATERAL AGENCIES^a TO ALL LDCS**
(Millions of dollars)

	Net disbursements						Commitments					
	1985	1990	1997	1998	1999	2000	1985	1990	1997	1998	1999	2000
A. Bilateral donors												
Australia	58.2	104.5	125.7	111.4	90.4	123.4	59.1	97.0	104.6	122.9	161.1	139.0
Austria	12.1	62.1	53.8	64.3	55.1	59.2	11.9	132.4	105.3	81.6	81.3	54.7
Belgium	179.1	273.5	167.9	192.7	130.2	147.5	83.5	273.5	176.3	198.7	136.0	152.6
Canada	329.7	391.6	276.1	220.2	208.8	194.4	352.1	353.9	293.7	266.6	205.5	263.3
Denmark	126.0	295.1	335.8	402.0	412.2	373.5	148.6	269.2	360.5	218.1	359.8	598.4
Finland	60.6	194.6	54.1	68.0	64.8	62.8	127.7	129.7	54.3	74.7	73.7	37.1
France	723.9	1 857.1	1 269.2	910.5	896.7	845.5	901.7	1 480.4	1 391.1	1 055.6	1 115.6	887.3
Germany	584.9	1 160.6	807.1	892	793.7	663.3	843.7	1 323.2	771.8	1 014.6	939.4	494.2
Greece	-	-	0.3	1.5	0.6	1.7	-	-	0.3	1.5	0.6	1.8
Ireland	10.4	13.9	80.2	82.1	82.4	96.7	10.4	13.9	80.2	82.1	82.4	96.7
Italy	420.1	968.8	247.7	481.0	171.9	240.1	530.7	846.0	217.4	432.0	145.3	269.0
Japan	562.9	1 067.2	1 012.8	1 163.5	1 158.8	1 290.2	633.2	1 144.7	1 435.8	1 226.2	1 384.5	1 237.5
Luxembourg	-	7.9	26.0	28.0	29.1	39.3	-	-	19.0	22.7	32.7	39.4
Netherlands	256.2	592.7	627.3	622.2	430.5	559.9	251.9	681.7	521.9	434.2	442.0	607.9
New Zealand	7	13.3	26.7	23.2	24.8	22.9	12.2	9.7	0	23.2	23.9	22.9
Norway	156.8	356.7	380.4	362.6	333.7	307.3	151.1	187.0	255.8	218.9	413.5	245.5
Portugal	-	99.6	159.1	130.4	120.5	95.2	-	-	108.4	131.8	196.8	240.4
Spain	-	96.7	150.2	70.1	107.2	66.1	-	-	137.4	106.3	107.2	90.9
Sweden	200.8	530.2	363.4	301.1	288.2	335.7	210.5	332.4	157.8	437.2	465.7	292.1
Switzerland	87.2	232.1	178.9	183.8	177.2	165.7	137.4	215.0	186.2	123.6	148.5	203.2
United Kingdom	281.5	472.9	558.8	686.9	628.2	998.9	232.3	480.0	565.1	752.5	616.8	1 010.3
United States	1 427.0	1 098.0	737.0	635.7	1 038.7	1 045.0	1 362.4	1 152.1	845.8	949.2	1 344.1	1 222.2
<i>Total bilateral concessional</i>	5 484.4	9 889.1	7 638.5	7 633.2	7 243.7	7 734.3	6 060.4	9 121.8	7 788.7	7 974.2	8 476.4	8 206.4
B. Multilateral donors												
1. Concessional												
AfDF	173.5	561.4	448.1	420.4	332.0	206.6	344.4	864.4	660.7	647.9	494.4	398.5
AsDB	229.6	448.1	329.2	401.2	349.4	388.4	383.7	536.4	556.3	437.3	470.3	589.5
CEC	554.8	1 168.3	1 332.8	1 447.4	1 273.3	996.2	579.0	790.8	1 100.9	2 558.2	2 264.2	2 021.7
IBRD	0.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
IDA	1 178.8	2 138.0	2 010.2	1 680.0	1 875.6	1 847.8	1 584.4	2 986.0	2 291.2	2 958.8	2 549.0	2 270.4
IDB	10.7	11.7	44.2	56.2	49.2	26.4	24.7	56.0	51.1	97.5	2.0	1.8
IFAD	108	120.5	44.8	71.9	53.5	78.6	83.2	72.1	117.8	152.5	201.2	152.1
IMF Trust fund	-108.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
IMF (SAF/ESAF)	-	297.8	106.0	126.4	47.8	-5.7	-	-	-	-	-	-
Others:	1 123.1	1 531.8	972.6	864.5	928.3	1 004.7	1 123.1	1 531.7	1 004.2	844.6	907.4	30.2
<i>Of which:</i>												
UNDP	276.2	366.6	338.5	301.8	263.3	186.8						
UNHCR	201.8	197.7	119.7	102.8	104.8	172.1						
UNICEF	126.6	232.7	164.7	150.0	160.6	170.6						
UNTA	62.0	59.0	97.0	63.6	103.0	113.4						
WFP	346.3	501.3	151.5	141.5	206.3	216.6						
<i>Total</i>	3 270.4	6 277.6	5 287.9	5 068.0	4 909.1	4 543.0	4 122.5	6 837.4	5 782.2	7 696.8	6 888.5	5 464.2
2. Non-concessional												
AfDB	142.9	106.9	-30.5	-108.3	-85.9	-100.1						
AsDB	-0.8	-0.5	4.1	14.7	18.2	10.2						
EC	20.0	-14.0	-2.8	-2.4	11.9	46.3						
IBRD	55.0	-82.0	-71.9	-57.9	-42.6	-26.2						
IFC	20.5	18.4	37.0	58.5	96.3	63.8						
Other	-	-	1.4	-	-	1.6						
<i>Total</i>	237.6	28.8	-62.7	-95.4	-2.1	-4.4						
Total concessional (A+B.1)	8 754.8	16 166.7	12 926.4	12 701.2	12 152.8	12 277.3						
Grand total	8 992.4	16 195.5	12 863.7	12 605.8	12 150.7	12 272.9	10 182.9	15 959.2	13 570.9	15 671.0	15 364.9	13 670.6

Source: UNCTAD secretariat calculations based on *International Development Statistics 2001*, CD-ROM.

a Multilateral agencies mainly financed by DAC countries.

**24. ODA TO LDCS FROM DAC MEMBER COUNTRIES AND MULTILATERAL AGENCIES MAINLY FINANCED BY THEM:
DISTRIBUTION BY DONOR AND SHARES ALLOCATED TO LDCS IN TOTAL ODA FLOWS TO ALL DEVELOPING COUNTRIES
(Percentage)**

	Distribution by donor						Share of LDCs in ODA flows to all developing countries				
	1985	1990	1997	1998	1999	2000	1985	1990	1997	1998	1999
Bilateral donors											
Australia	0.7	0.6	1.0	0.9	0.7	1.0	10.9	13.9	16.4	14.9	12.5
Austria	0.1	0.4	0.4	0.5	0.5	0.5	6.9	20.8	17.9	22.6	16.9
Belgium	2.0	1.7	1.3	1.5	1.1	1.2	65.1	49.9	39.0	36.1	30.3
Canada	3.7	2.4	2.2	1.7	1.7	1.7	33.1	23.2	22.0	18.2	18.0
Denmark	1.4	1.8	2.6	3.2	3.4	3.0	55.2	42.5	34.5	41.0	41.0
Finland	0.7	1.2	0.4	0.5	0.5	0.5	47.5	39.1	27.6	33.2	27.3
France	8.2	11.5	9.8	7.2	7.4	6.9	30.2	33.1	26.8	21.7	21.8
Germany	6.6	7.2	6.2	7.0	6.5	5.4	29.9	26.2	22.6	26.0	24.7
Greece	-	-	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	-	-	1.4	3.2	1.2
Ireland	0.1	0.1	0.6	0.6	0.7	0.8	60.5	60.7	69.3	69.1	57.1
Italy	4.8	6.0	1.9	3.8	1.4	2.0	53.9	46.3	58.8	70.5	46.1
Japan	6.4	6.6	7.9	9.2	9.5	10.5	22.0	15.7	15.5	13.6	11.1
Luxembourg	0.0	0.0	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.3	-	53.0	39.8	37.1	34.4
Netherlands	2.9	3.7	4.9	4.9	3.5	4.6	33.6	32.5	30.0	30.0	20.2
New Zealand	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	16.3	16.4	23.9	23.7	24.7
Norway	1.8	2.2	2.9	2.9	2.7	2.5	47.8	47.2	42.5	39.2	33.6
Portugal	-	0.6	1.2	1.0	1.0	0.8	-	96.4	97.5	73.9	58.2
Spain	-	0.6	1.2	0.6	0.9	0.5	-	15.3	19.7	8.4	13.1
Sweden	2.3	3.3	2.8	2.4	2.4	2.7	34.6	38.6	31.2	29.9	26.2
Switzerland	1.0	1.4	1.4	1.4	1.5	1.3	38.4	42.3	31.9	29.8	25.5
United Kingdom	3.2	2.9	4.3	5.4	5.2	8.1	33.9	32.1	28.9	33.1	29.0
United States	16.1	6.8	5.7	5.0	8.5	8.5	22.9	15.5	15.3	10.8	15.5
Total	62.1	61.1	59.1	60.1	59.5	63.0	28.6	26.5	24.0	22.0	19.5
Multilateral donors											
AfDF	2.0	3.5	3.5	3.3	2.7	1.7	82.6	93.1	76.0	73.0	72.4
AsDB	2.6	2.8	2.6	3.2	2.9	3.2	58.4	40.7	32.6	40.1	37.3
CEC	6.3	7.2	10.3	11.4	10.5	8.1	42.0	45.6	26.1	29.0	27.0
IBRD	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.1	-	-	-	-
IDA	13.3	13.2	15.6	13.2	15.4	15.0	45.4	54.7	38.7	35.3	42.7
IDB	0.1	0.1	0.3	0.4	0.4	0.2	3.0	7.6	15.2	17.1	22.0
IFAD	1.2	0.7	0.3	0.6	0.4	0.6	40.0	49.2	41.4	54.1	42.6
IMF	-1.2	1.8	0.8	1.0	0.4	0.0	36.5	92.7	59.6	70.0	26.6
UN	12.7	9.5	7.4	6.6	7.4	7.9	36.9	35.8	35.4	33.7	33.3
Other	0.9	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.4	0.3	51.7	8.4	11.3	7.3	21.6
Total	37.9	38.9	40.9	39.9	40.5	37.0	41.5	47.3	34.5	34.4	35.3
Grand total	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	32.4	32.0	27.4	25.6	23.8
											24.8

Source: UNCTAD secretariat calculation based on OECD, *Geographical Distribution of Financial Flows to Aid Recipients, 1996–2000* and *International Development Statistics 2002, CD-ROM*.

25. TOTAL FINANCIAL FLOWS AND ODA FROM ALL SOURCES TO INDIVIDUAL LDCS
(Net disbursements in millions of dollars)

Country	Total financial flows						Of which: ODA					
	1985	1990	1997	1998	1999	2000	1985	1990	1997	1998	1999	2000
Afghanistan	-6	129	219	148	149	162	17	131	230	154	143	141
Angola	258	92	882	1 180	1 409	135	91	269	355	335	388	307
Bangladesh	1 107	2 167	1 058	1 425	1 191	1 223	1 131	2 095	1 011	1 263	1 215	1 172
Benin	97	243	270	173	225	226	95	268	221	211	211	239
Bhutan	24	50	104	53	65	51	24	47	69	56	67	53
Burkina Faso	190	347	388	392	435	343	195	331	368	400	398	336
Burundi	154	254	52	86	64	79	139	264	56	77	74	93
Cambodia	13	42	340	345	283	407	13	42	335	337	279	399
Cape Verde	71	107	144	162	179	119	70	108	111	130	137	94
Central African Rep.	112	254	99	118	158	51	104	250	91	120	117	76
Chad	179	315	265	235	207	-137	181	314	228	168	188	131
Comoros	51	45	27	100	139	-2	47	45	27	35	21	19
Dem. Rep. of the Congo	462	1 410	163	576	-336	198	306	897	158	126	132	184
Djibouti	103	192	109	100	271	91	81	194	85	81	75	71
Equatorial Guinea	28	62	26	34	9	22	17	61	24	25	20	21
Eritrea	0	0	117	167	149	184	0	0	123	167	149	176
Ethiopia	788	988	639	791	656	688	719	1 016	579	660	643	693
Gambia	48	108	39	37	33	45	50	99	39	39	33	49
Guinea	108	284	424	317	235	331	115	293	381	359	238	153
Guinea-Bissau	63	135	134	96	53	84	58	129	124	96	52	80
Haiti	142	154	273	348	262	176	150	168	325	407	263	208
Kiribati	12	20	16	17	28	18	12	20	16	17	21	18
Lao People's Dem. Rep.	64	150	388	294	304	286	37	150	329	283	295	281
Lesotho	118	148	136	14	18	15	93	142	92	66	31	42
Liberia	-294	519	-17	527	682	688	91	114	76	73	94	68
Madagascar	210	430	1 188	408	356	319	186	398	834	495	359	322
Malawi	118	518	367	460	437	427	113	503	343	434	446	445
Maldives	11	38	42	33	32	12	9	21	26	25	31	19
Mali	377	474	439	408	470	385	376	482	429	347	354	360
Mauritania	224	219	249	126	263	209	207	237	238	172	219	212
Mozambique	330	1 051	1 065	1 280	1 150	1 146	300	1 002	948	1 040	804	876
Myanmar	311	117	245	173	150	58	346	164	50	72	81	107
Nepal	244	429	474	444	370	409	234	426	402	408	351	390
Niger	285	382	304	245	189	185	303	396	333	292	187	211
Rwanda	184	286	229	352	375	319	180	291	230	350	373	322
Samoa	20	54	48	35	24	29	19	48	27	37	23	27
Sao Tome and Principe	12	54	34	27	28	36	12	55	33	28	28	35
Senegal	306	759	566	555	657	474	289	818	423	501	536	423
Sierra Leone	56	64	130	70	76	187	65	61	119	106	74	182
Solomon Islands	22	58	133	55	40	55	21	46	42	43	40	68
Somalia	380	488	81	84	120	103	353	494	81	80	115	104
Sudan	1 117	740	88	211	230	317	1 129	822	139	209	243	225
Togo	556	1 128	977	995	904	1 194	484	1 173	945	1 000	990	1 045
Tuvalu	91	257	116	268	-31	60	111	260	125	129	71	70
Uganda	3	5	-1	4	7	0	3	5	10	5	7	4
United Rep. of Tanzania	220	665	764	699	592	786	180	668	813	647	591	819
Vanuatu	39	149	-66	0	72	71	22	50	27	41	37	46
Yemen	397	331	318	294	770	290	392	405	356	311	458	265
Zambia	523	583	568	329	609	680	322	480	610	349	623	795
All LDCs	9 928	17 494	14 653	15 292	14 758	13 234	9 492	16 752	13 036	12 806	12 325	12 476
All developing countries	43 325	81 616	230 461	238 162	258 920	186 781	30 255	56 471	48 041	50 247	51 677	50 310
Memo items:												
<i>In current dollars per capita:</i>												
All LDCs	22	34	24	25	23	20	21	33	21	21	19	19
All developing countries	12	20	50	51	54	39	8	14	10	11	11	10
<i>In constant 1990 dollars^a (million):</i>												
All LDCs	12 893	17 494	14 089	14 704	13 922	12 485	12 328	16 752	12 534	12 314	11 627	11 769
All developing countries	54 157	81 616	213 390	224 681	248 961	179 597	37 805	56 471	44 483	47 403	49 690	48 375
<i>In constant 1990 dollars^a per capita:</i>												
All LDCs	28	34	23	24	22	19	27	33	21	20	18	18
All developing countries	15	20	46	48	52	37	10	14	10	10	10	10

Source: UNCTAD secretariat estimates based on OECD, *Geographical Distribution of Financial Flows to Aid Recipients, 1996-2000* and *International Development Statistics*, CD-ROM.

a The deflator used is the unit value index of imports.

**26. ODA FROM DAC MEMBER COUNTRIES AND MULTILATERAL AGENCIES
MAINLY FINANCED BY THEM, TO INDIVIDUAL LDCs**

Country ^a	Per capita ODA \$	Average: 1980–1989								Average: 1990–2000							
		Total ODA \$ mill.	Of which:		Bilateral ODA	Of which:		Multi-lateral ODA	Of which:		Per capita ODA \$	Total ODA \$ mill.	Of which:		Bilateral ODA	Of which:	
			Technical assistance	Grants		Grants	ODA		Grants	Grants			Technical assistance	Grants		Grants	Multi-lateral ODA
Bangladesh	13.6	1330.5	12.6	58.7	49.0	41.3	10.9	12.2	1447.1	17.4	50.8	53.6	49.2	12.4			
Mozambique	30.7	406.3	15.0	76.7	61.1	23.3	15.8	61.1	1047.9	16.9	68.3	66.2	31.7	20.6			
United Rep. of Tanzania	32.9	707.5	24.7	76.6	72.1	23.4	9.7	34.4	1021.0	20.6	67.4	69.3	32.6	10.9			
Ethiopia	12.1	494.2	22.3	52.4	48.4	47.6	34.2	15.8	873.0	18.7	50.3	48.8	49.7	30.3			
Zambia	51.4	327.5	27.7	79.3	58.8	20.7	9.9	99.9	819.0	15.9	54.2	56.1	45.8	9.4			
Uganda	14.8	216.4	21.1	38.0	37.8	62.0	25.9	36.6	695.4	17.7	52.7	49.6	47.3	18.9			
Senegal	66.0	416.2	28.0	67.7	49.4	32.3	11.8	68.5	573.0	28.0	69.5	75.3	30.5	13.0			
Malawi	28.5	209.3	25.8	47.9	43.8	52.1	21.8	47.2	467.7	20.6	46.7	43.9	53.3	25.5			
Mali	38.9	302.8	23.9	63.4	49.8	36.6	18.5	43.0	428.9	27.4	61.6	58.8	38.4	17.7			
Madagascar	24.3	243.7	20.8	57.6	35.0	42.4	13.5	30.0	412.6	23.8	62.0	69.5	38.0	15.1			
Rwanda	30.6	184.8	35.1	60.8	56.3	39.2	20.1	64.9	408.9	19.9	58.4	58.6	41.6	27.4			
Nepal	16.6	271.2	27.1	53.4	50.1	46.6	13.4	19.1	407.9	31.1	60.3	55.7	39.7	11.4			
Burkina Faso	29.3	229.1	35.6	70.6	62.6	29.4	17.3	38.6	403.3	26.5	61.4	61.0	38.6	22.0			
Sudan	31.2	660.5	22.4	63.1	58.1	36.9	21.7	14.3	381.9	22.2	48.8	50.6	51.2	38.5			
Angola	12.9	102.2	27.8	67.5	51.0	32.5	31.0	32.2	354.3	18.6	59.3	50.5	40.7	33.9			
Guinea	30.2	149.6	17.4	52.6	31.3	47.4	17.3	48.1	330.3	19.2	48.2	45.6	51.8	21.6			
Haiti	24.5	149.0	28.8	65.6	58.2	34.4	12.4	41.7	315.5	25.4	69.9	70.2	30.1	15.9			
Niger	37.7	245.7	30.9	65.4	58.9	34.6	17.2	33.5	307.1	29.9	65.3	69.1	34.7	20.9			
Somalia	58.4	386.0	30.9	58.5	50.5	41.5	29.0	35.2	301.1	14.5	72.1	72.6	27.9	26.3			
Cambodia	8.2	59.7	58.3	24.4	24.4	75.6	75.6	30.1	299.4	34.9	61.3	62.2	38.7	23.3			
Yemen	24.0	229.6	35.8	50.7	44.4	49.3	19.2	18.7	279.3	25.4	56.9	51.8	43.1	13.1			
Dem. Rep. of the Congo	14.2	444.4	32.2	65.9	45.0	34.1	11.1	5.9	266.7	25.7	65.9	64.8	34.1	25.6			
Benin	29.9	118.9	28.9	54.0	47.7	46.0	20.6	47.3	253.5	24.2	60.6	58.7	39.4	16.1			
Lao People's Dem. Rep.	14.9	53.4	32.2	42.3	45.2	57.7	28.1	51.3	245.4	24.1	54.2	55.2	45.8	10.5			
Mauritania	86.3	151.1	25.6	59.7	52.6	40.3	19.6	102.3	239.1	18.5	46.1	42.9	53.9	31.2			
Chad	28.4	143.2	23.2	55.2	51.1	44.8	34.7	33.6	224.7	23.9	50.8	49.9	49.2	20.3			
Burundi	32.3	151.8	31.8	50.5	42.2	49.5	19.5	30.8	188.6	22.1	48.9	50.0	51.1	33.4			
Afghanistan	2.5	37.7	70.5	53.2	71.5	46.8	47.1	9.4	179.4	31.0	59.0	59.8	41.0	41.0			
Central African Rep.	51.3	132.5	30.1	61.3	50.9	38.7	17.6	46.2	151.6	27.5	59.3	63.3	40.7	22.6			
Togo	41.3	123.5	29.2	57.3	53.2	42.7	14.5	36.9	149.9	23.9	61.3	60.1	38.7	14.7			
Sierra Leone	20.9	74.4	33.0	61.1	50.1	38.9	24.0	34.7	149.4	15.6	44.9	41.6	55.1	21.6			
Eritrea	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	40.1	131.3	24.2	70.1	67.4	29.9	20.0			
Cape Verde	235.0	72.6	26.7	69.5	68.6	30.5	23.1	302.9	115.7	30.2	67.8	64.4	32.2	17.9			
Guinea-Bissau	83.9	73.2	26.2	55.0	54.4	45.0	21.8	104.4	113.7	29.1	61.8	50.7	38.2	19.6			
Myanmar	8.6	319.4	13.4	69.9	27.0	30.1	7.1	2.5	107.6	33.7	69.9	72.3	30.1	27.5			
Liberia	42.9	94.0	31.3	74.4	56.3	25.6	11.4	43.2	106.8	16.3	39.1	35.8	60.9	58.3			
Lesotho	68.0	102.7	36.5	61.1	60.2	38.9	22.6	52.1	100.7	31.1	52.6	50.4	47.4	27.3			
Djibouti	175.7	67.2	49.7	75.6	74.1	24.4	14.2	162.3	95.8	40.2	78.2	73.8	21.8	13.0			
Gambia	90.9	67.7	29.2	53.9	52.4	46.1	24.1	58.3	64.8	29.8	49.3	50.5	50.7	24.2			
Bhutan	15.5	22.9	45.2	37.4	38.2	62.6	48.8	33.0	62.0	37.7	67.9	66.0	32.1	23.3			
Sao Tome and Principe	147.8	15.5	21.6	38.4	34.6	61.6	35.7	353.0	46.8	29.1	58.7	51.5	41.3	17.0			
Solomon Islands	135.7	36.2	35.5	65.5	59.0	34.5	19.6	121.2	46.1	44.7	67.7	63.6	32.3	22.2			
Vanuatu	250.1	32.8	50.6	82.4	81.3	17.6	14.7	239.8	40.6	55.6	78.3	77.9	21.7	9.9			
Samoa	161.6	25.4	37.3	65.6	65.5	34.4	21.7	239.7	40.4	42.8	69.8	69.7	30.2	12.6			
Comoros	87.9	39.5	31.7	54.8	48.0	45.2	27.4	64.0	38.9	36.5	54.3	56.7	45.7	31.9			
Equatorial Guinea	87.5	25.5	25.5	52.4	43.4	47.6	26.6	94.6	37.9	42.3	65.5	65.4	34.5	22.4			
Maldives	74.6	13.6	36.7	64.9	65.7	35.1	22.7	122.7	30.7	26.9	58.8	56.9	41.2	14.7			
Kiribati	235.7	15.6	37.6	87.3	87.3	12.7	11.8	231.1	18.0	46.4	84.4	84.4	15.6	14.3			
Tuvalu	1003.3	8.0	24.3	92.4	92.4	7.6	7.4	654.2	6.7	48.0	84.4	84.4	15.6	11.0			
All LDCs	21.8	9784.6	25.0	62.1	51.9	37.9	17.8	25.4	14791.5	22.4	58.6	58.3	41.4	20.0			
All developing countries	8.3	30430.2	29.9	70.9	53.5	29.1	15.1	11.9	53188.9	29.2	70.5	61.8	29.5	16.0			

Source: UNCTAD secretariat estimates, mainly based on data from the OECD/DAC secretariat.

a Ranked in descending order of total ODA received in 1990–2000.

27. EXTERNAL DEBT (AT YEAR END) AND DEBT SERVICE, BY SOURCE OF LENDING
(\$ millions)

	External debt (at year end)						% of total		Debt service ^a						% of total	
	1985	1990	1997	1998	1999		1985	1999	1985	1990	1996	1997	1998	1985	1998	
I. Long-term	68 426	111 234	128 460	133 626	133 056		91.3	94.8	4292	4495	4470	4247	4017	90.1	90.7	
A. Concessional	39 179	59 016	81 285	86 116	82 690		52.3	59.0	1037	1536	2137	2018	2105	21.8	47.5	
(a) OECD countries	10 168	18 899	17 711	16 820	16 370		13.5	11.7	270	495	557	460	474	5.7	10.7	
(b) Other countries	14 951	8 031	10 580	11 067	6 574		20.0	4.7	346	421	216	178	208	7.3	4.7	
(c) Multilateral agencies	14 060	32 086	52 994	58 229	59 746		18.8	42.6	421	620	1364	1380	1423	8.8	32.1	
B. Non-concessional	29 247	52 218	47 175	47 510	50 366		39.0	35.8	3255	2959	2333	2229	1912	68.3	43.2	
(a) OECD countries	13 952	15 360	19 986	20 807	20 511		18.6	14.6	1976	1379	1558	1518	1253	41.5	28.3	
(i) official/officially guaranteed	10 495	13 498	17 034	17 274	16 975		14.0	12.1	1473	892	1300	1333	928	30.9	21.0	
(ii) financial markets	3 457	1 862	2 952	3 533	3 536		4.6	2.5	503	487	258	185	325	10.6	7.3	
(b) Other countries	8 484	29 463	22 313	22 396	25 880		11.3	18.4	201	245	236	178	120	4.2	2.7	
(c) Multilateral agencies	6 811	7 395	4 876	4 307	3 975		9.1	2.8	1078	1335	539	533	539	22.6	12.2	
II. Short-term	6 498	11 637	7 324	8 589	7 267		8.7	5.2	471	443	318	355	412	9.9	9.3	
Total	74 924	122 871	135 784	142 215	140 323		100.0	100.0	4 763	4 938	4 788	4 602	4 429	100.0	100.0	
Of which: use of IMF credit	5 284	5 378	6 142	6 496	6 319		7.1	4.5	904	910	496	526	554	19.0	12.5	

Source: UNCTAD secretariat calculations, based on information from the OECD secretariat.

Note: Figures for total debt and total debt service cover both long-term and short-term debt as well as the use of IMF credit.

a Data are not available for 1999.

28. TOTAL EXTERNAL DEBT AND DEBT SERVICE PAYMENTS OF INDIVIDUAL LDCS
(\$ millions)

Country	Debt (at year end)					Debt service^a				
	1985	1990	1997	1998	1999	1985	1990	1996	1997	1998
Afghanistan	2 275	5 086	5 584	5 587	5 546	47	115	3	4	3
Angola	3 045	8 348	7 488	8 361	8 314	372	328	684	703	588
Bangladesh	6 831	12 299	14 794	16 150	17 315	396	634	819	782	726
Benin	774	1 394	1 745	1 667	1 701	38	48	50	54	54
Bhutan	9	82	140	124	125	0	6	18	19	13
Burkina Faso	574	1 094	1 540	1 468	1 539	32	36	61	54	56
Burundi	476	1 017	1 155	1 165	1 115	26	54	32	32	34
Cambodia	715	1 733	2 120	2 197	2 043	14	37	37	12	17
Cape Verde	108	139	210	255	366	6	7	10	15	17
Central African Republic	354	861	923	840	855	30	36	17	17	40
Chad	172	593	1 063	1 056	1 092	15	15	28	33	36
Comoros	135	211	229	212	199	2	3	3	4	7
Dem. Republic of the Congo	5 795	10 318	10 864	11 614	9 094	654	555	138	88	124
Djibouti	305	210	315	340	350	40	28	14	13	10
Equatorial Guinea	111	196	250	238	226	12	7	6	8	8
Eritrea	..	..	76	161	220	-	-	-	-	4
Ethiopia	4 135	8 441	9 454	9 515	9 205	153	189	355	106	112
Gambia	241	390	485	527	514	13	35	27	29	28
Guinea	1 355	2 596	3 341	3 418	3 259	82	174	118	153	148
Guinea-Bissau	380	626	810	871	822	17	8	23	13	7
Haiti	732	873	1 089	1 155	1 204	45	34	34	38	54
Kiribati	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Lao People's Dem. Republic	1 142	1 755	2 433	2 545	2 655	14	10	27	31	36
Lesotho	169	469	1 099	988	999	22	29	85	93	122
Liberia	1 400	1 731	1 727	1 635	1 507	87	71	56	245	30
Madagascar	2 139	3 538	3 920	3 926	3 977	145	265	106	215	153
Malawi	1 034	1 557	2 322	2 570	2 594	120	116	98	94	108
Maldives	59	74	202	194	206	12	10	13	30	16
Mali	1 463	2 548	3 273	3 036	3 109	56	80	117	81	95
Mauritania	1 469	2 041	2 333	2 374	2 285	115	151	126	112	106
Mozambique	2 276	4 168	5 937	6 244	7 001	184	125	146	120	123
Myanmar	3 716	4 638	5 175	6 159	5 761	274	105	195	164	202
Nepal	631	1 687	2 472	2 716	3 057	24	75	86	82	82
Niger	1 239	1 796	1 665	1 607	1 497	124	136	45	51	53
Rwanda	374	806	1 142	1 224	1 275	27	32	21	25	24
Samoa	74	93	169	189	193	7	6	6	6	7
Sao Tome and Principe	86	128	252	271	253	4	2	4	4	5
Senegal	2 467	4 362	3 893	3 833	4 286	176	391	243	231	267
Sierra Leone	632	657	1 013	1 061	1 067	43	28	17	17	37
Solomon Islands	294	135	164	211	182	16	12	10	6	13
Somalia	1 884	2 165	2 169	2 275	2 005	56	35	7	3	9
Sudan	8 346	11 139	9 490	10 392	9 288	281	25	48	57	61
Togo	984	1 460	1 351	1 610	1 605	78	124	57	55	46
Tuvalu	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Uganda	1 156	2 406	3 513	3 632	3 622	150	121	143	169	165
United Republic of Tanzania	3 393	5 420	6 069	6 000	6 043	112	177	278	220	269
Vanuatu	128	353	91	108	119	17	26	32	3	4
Yemen	5 315	5 776	3 824	4 090	4 480	406	191	123	108	148
Zambia	4 532	5 462	6 411	6 404	6 153	219	246	222	203	162
Total LDCs	74 924	122 871	135 784	142 215	140 323	4 763	4 938	4 788	4 602	4 429

Source: UNCTAD secretariat calculations, based on information from the OECD secretariat.

Note: Figures for total debt and total debt service cover both long-term and short-term debt as well as the use of IMF credit.

a Data are not available for 1999.

29. DEBT AND DEBT SERVICE RATIOS
(Percentage)

Country	Debt/GDP					Debt service/exports ^a				
	1985	1990	1997	1998	1999	1985	1990	1996	1997	1998
Afghanistan	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Angola	45	81	97	130	97	15	8	..	..	16
Bangladesh	32	41	35	37	38	34	34	18	15	12
Benin	74	76	82	72	72	15	18	14	16	14
Bhutan	5	29	35	31	28	..	8	16	15	10
Burkina Faso	40	40	65	57	60	21	10	22	20	16
Burundi	41	90	121	133	156	20	61	63	33	48
Cambodia	..	155	69	77	66	..	54	5	1	2
Cape Verde	..	41	42	47	63	..	16	9	11	14
Central African Republic	41	58	93	80	81	17	16	9	9	24
Chad	17	34	70	63	71	12	6	10	12	11
Comoros	118	84	118	108	103	11	8	7	11	14
Dem. Rep. of the Congo	81	110	188	208	..	33	20	8	6	..
Djibouti	89	49	63	66	..	..	..	7	6	..
Equatorial Guinea	139	148	50	52	32	50	17	3	2	2
Eritrea	..	..	12	24	34	-	-	-	-	4
Ethiopia	62	123	148	145	143	28	35	45	10	11
Gambia	107	123	118	126	131	13	18	15	16	13
Guinea	..	92	88	95	94	..	20	16	20	18
Guinea-Bissau	264	257	301	423	377	121	33	82	23	23
Haiti	36	29	39	30	28	14	7	13	16	12
Kiribati	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Lao People's Dem. Rep.	48	203	141	202	185	15	10	6	7	8
Lesotho	58	75	107	113	114	54	28	37	33	51
Liberia	128	..	..	..	..	19	..	..	..	..
Madagascar	75	115	111	105	107	41	52	13	28	19
Malawi	91	86	92	148	143	44	26	19	16	19
Maldives	69	51	59	53	..	53	18	..	..	..
Mali	111	105	132	117	121	25	19	22	13	15
Mauritania	215	200	213	237	239	28	32	25	26	27
Mozambique	51	166	169	160	176	145	61	42	31	30
Myanmar	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Nepal	24	46	50	56	61	8	20	9	6	7
Niger	86	72	90	77	74	42	37	13	17	14
Rwanda	22	31	61	60	65	14	22	25	17	22
Samoa	84	64	88	108	109	28	13	..	..	..
Sao Tome and Principe	165	221	573	661	538	44	25	36	33	42
Senegal	96	77	89	82	90	24	13	10	15	39
Sierra Leone	53	73	119	158	159	24	13	10	15	39
Solomon Islands	184	64	44	70	60	19	12	..	..	..
Somalia	215	236	..	..	..	102	39	..	..	..
Sudan	67	85	92	104	96	39	..	..	..	..
Togo	129	90	90	114	114	21	23	13	11	10
Tuvalu	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Uganda	33	56	56	54	56	31	39	20	20	24
United Rep. of Tanzania	..	127	79	70	69	..	33	21	18	24
Vanuatu	108	231	36	44	48	28	37	..	..	..
Yemen	..	124	58	65	66	..	25	6	4	9
Zambia	201	166	164	198	195	27	21	22	17	19
All LDCs	64	86	84	87	81	27	22	16	14	15

Source: UNCTAD secretariat, mainly based on information from the OECD secretariat, the World Bank and the IMF.

Note: Debt and debt service are defined as in table 27.

a Exports of goods and services (including non-factor services); data are not available for debt service in 1999.

30. LDCS' DEBT RESCHEDULINGS WITH OFFICIAL CREDITORS, 1990–2001

Country		Date of meeting	Cut-off date	Consolidation period (months)	Percentage of principal and interest consolidated ^a	Terms	Arrears	Rescheduling of previously rescheduled debt	Goodwill clause	Estimated amounts rescheduled (\$ million)
Benin	II	Dec. 1991	31/3/89	15	100	London terms	Yes	Yes	Yes	160
	III	June 1993	31/3/89	29	100	London terms	Yes	No	Yes	25
	IV ^b	Oct. 1996	31/3/89	-	-	Naples terms (67%) ^c	Yes	Yes	No	209
Burkina Faso	V	Oct. 2000	31/3/89	12	100	Cologne terms	No	Yes	Yes	5
	I	Mar. 1991	1/1/91	15	100	Toronto terms	Yes	No	Yes	63
	II	May 1993	1/1/91	32	100	London terms	Yes	No	Yes	36
Cambodia	III ^b	June 1996	1/1/91	-	-	Naples terms (67%) ^c	No	Yes	No	64
	IV	Oct. 2000	1/1/91	12	100	Cologne terms	No	Yes	Yes	1
	III ^b	Jan. 1995 ^d	31/12/85	30	100	Naples terms (67%)	No	Yes	No	249
Central African Republic	V	June 1990	1/1/83	12	100	Toronto terms	No	Yes	No	4
Chad	VI	Apr. 1994	1/1/83	12	100	London terms	Yes	Yes	Yes	33
	VII ^b	Sep 1998	1/1/83	34	100	Naples terms (67%)	Yes	Yes	Yes	26
	II ^b	Feb. 1995 ^d	30/6/89	..	100	Naples terms (67%)	..	..	..	24
Djibouti	III ^b	June 1996 ^d	30/6/89	32	100	Naples terms (67%)	Yes	Yes	No	..
	IV	June 2001	30/6/89	23	100	Cologne terms	No	Yes	Yes	15
	I	May 2000	31/3/98	32	100	Non-concessional	Yes	-	Yes	16
Equatorial Guinea	III	Apr. 1992 ^d	..	..	..	London terms	Yes	Yes	Yes	32
	IV	Feb. 1994 ^d	..	..	..	London terms	Yes	Yes	Yes	51
Ethiopia	I	Dec. 1992	31/12/89	37	100	London terms	Yes	-	Yes	441
	II ^b	Jan. 1997	31/12/89	34	100	Naples terms (67%)	Yes	No	Yes	184
	III ^b	Apr. 2001	31/12/89	37	100	Naples terms (67%)	Yes	Yes	Yes	430
Guinea	III	Nov. 1992	1/1/86	..	100	London terms	Yes	Yes	Yes	203
	IV ^b	Jan. 1995	1/1/86	12	100	Naples terms (50%)	Yes	Yes	Yes	156
	V ^b	Feb. 1997	1/1/86	36	100	Naples terms (50%)	Yes	Yes	Yes	..
Guinea-Bissau	VI	May 2001	1/1/86	40	100	Cologne terms	Yes	Yes	Yes	151
	III ^b	Feb. 1995	31/12/86	36	100	Naples terms (67%)	No	Yes	Yes	195
	IV	Jan. 2001	31/12/86	37	100	Cologne terms	Yes	Yes	Yes	141
Haiti	I ^b	May 1995	1/10/93	13	100	Naples terms (67%)	Yes	No	Yes	117
Madagascar	VII	July 1990	1/7/83	13	100	Toronto terms	No	Yes	Yes	139
	VIII ^b	Mar. 1997	1/7/83	35	100	Naples terms (67%)	Yes	Yes	Yes	247
Malawi	IX	Mar. 2001	1/7/83	39	100	Cologne terms	Yes	Yes	Yes	254
	IV	Jan. 2001	1/1/97	37	100	Cologne terms	Yes	Yes	Yes	..
Mali	III	Oct. 1992	1/1/88	35	100	London terms	Yes	No	Yes	20
	IV ^b	May 1996	1/1/88	-	-	Naples terms (67%) ^c	No	Yes	No	33
Mauritania	V	Oct. 2000	1/1/88	10	100	Cologne terms	No	Yes	Yes	4
	V	Jan. 1993	31/12/84	24	100	London terms	Yes	Yes	Yes	218
	VI ^b	June 1995	31/12/84	36	100	Naples terms (67%)	No	Yes	Yes	66
Mozambique	VII	Mar. 2000	31/12/84	36	100	Cologne terms	Yes	Yes	Yes	80
	III	June 1990	1/2/84	30	100	Toronto terms	Yes	Yes	Yes	719
	IV	Mar. 1993	1/2/84	24	100	London terms	Yes	Yes	Yes	440
	V ^b	Nov. 1996	1/2/84	32	100	Naples terms (67%)	Yes	Yes	Yes	664
	VI ^e	May 1998	1/2/84	32	100	Lyon terms	Yes	Yes	Yes	n.a.
	VII	July 1999	1/2/84	-	100	90% NPV reduction	yes	yes	yes	1860

Table 30 (cont.)

Country		Date of meeting	Cut-off date	Consolidation period (months)	Percentage of principal and interest consolidated ^a	Terms	Arrears	Rescheduling of previously rescheduled debt	Goodwill clause	Estimated amounts rescheduled (\$ million)
Niger	VII	Sep. 1990	1/7/83	28	100	Toronto terms	Yes	Yes	Yes	116
	VIII	Mar. 1994	1/7/83	15	100	London terms	Yes	Yes	Yes	160
	IX ^b	Dec. 1996	1/7/83	31	100	Naples terms (67%)	Yes	Yes	Yes	128
	X	Jan. 2001	1/7/83	37	100	Cologne terms	Yes	Yes	Yes	115
Rwanda	I ^b	July 1998	31/12/94	35	100	Naples terms (67%)	Yes	-	Yes	64
Sao Tome & Principe	I ^b	May 2000	1/4/99	37	100	Naples terms (67%)	Yes	-	Yes	26
Senegal	VIII	Feb. 1990	1/1/83	12	100	Toronto terms	Yes	Yes	Yes	107
	IX	June 1991	1/1/83	12	100	Toronto terms	Yes	Yes	No	114
	X	Mar. 1994	1/1/83	15	100	London terms	Yes	Yes	Yes	237
	XI ^b	Apr. 1995	1/1/83	29	100	Naples terms (67%)	Yes	Yes	Yes	169
Sierra Leone	XII ^b	June 1998	..	-	100	Naples terms (67%) ^c	Yes	Yes	No	428
	XIII	Oct. 2000	1/1/83	18	100	Cologne terms	No	Yes	Yes	21
	V	Nov. 1992	1/7/83	16	100	London terms	Yes	Yes	Yes	164
	VI	July 1994	1/7/83	17	100	London terms	Yes	Yes	Yes	42
Togo	VII ^b	Mar. 1996	1/7/83	24	100	Naples terms (67%)	No	Yes	Yes	39
	VIII ^b	Oct. 2000	1/7/83	36	100	Naples terms (67%)	Yes	Yes	No	180
	VIII	July 1990	1/1/83	24	100	Toronto terms	No	Yes	No	88
	IX	June 1992	1/1/83	24	100	London terms	No	Yes	Yes	52
Uganda	X ^b	Feb. 1995	1/1/83	33	100	Naples terms (67%)	No	Yes	Yes	239
	V	June 1992	1/7/81	18	100	London terms	Yes	Yes	Yes	39
	VI ^b	Feb. 1995 ^d	1/7/81	-	-	Naples terms (67%) ^c	No	Yes	No	110
	VII	Apr. 1998	1/7/81	-	-	Lyon terms (80%) ^e	No	Yes	No	110
United Rep. of Tanzania	VIII	Sep. 2000	1/7/81	-	100 ^g	Cologne terms ^c	-	-	-	145
	III	Mar. 1990	30/6/86	12	100	Toronto terms	Yes	Yes	Yes	200
	IV	Jan. 1992	30/6/86	30	100	London terms	Yes	Yes	Yes	691
	V ^b	Jan. 1997	30/6/86	36	100	Naples terms (67%)	Yes	Yes	Yes	608
Yemen	VI	Apr. 2000	30/6/86	36	100	Cologne terms	Yes	Yes	Yes	390
	I ^b	Sep. 1996	1/1/93	10	100	Naples terms (67%)	Yes	..	Yes	113
	II ^b	Nov. 1997	1/1/93	36	100	Naples terms (67%)	Yes	No	Yes	..
	III ^b	June 2001	1/1/93	-	-	Naples terms (67%) ^c	-	No	No	420
Zambia	IV	July 1990	1/1/83	18	100	Toronto terms	Yes	Yes	Yes	963
	V	July 1992	1/1/83	33	100	London terms	Yes	Yes	Yes	917
	VI ^b	Feb. 1996	1/1/83	36	100	Naples terms (67%)	Yes	Yes	Yes	566
	VII ^b	Apr. 1999	1/1/83	36	100	Naples terms (67%)	Yes	Yes	Yes	1063

Source: Paris Club Agreed Minutes.

Note: Roman numerals indicate the number of debt reschedulings for the country since 1976.

^a Terms of current maturities.^b Naples terms; number in brackets indicates the percentage of reduction applied.^c Stock reduction.^d Dates of informal meeting of creditors on the terms to be applied in the bilateral agreements, as creditors did not call for a full Paris Club meeting.^e Amendment to the November 1996 agreement.^f Additional stock reduction ("Topping up") on previously rescheduled debt.^g In addition to pre cut-off date debts, part of post cut-off date debt was also cancelled.

31. ARRANGEMENTS IN SUPPORT OF STRUCTURAL ADJUSTMENT IN LDCs

(As of December 2000)

Millions of SDRs (except where otherwise indicated)

Table 31 (cont.)

Table 31 (cont.)

IMF arrangements					World Bank loans and credits									
Stand-by/Extended Facility			SAF/ESAF/PRGF		Structural adjustment					Sector and other adjustment				
Country	Period	Amount	Period	Amount	Date of approval	Amount			Date of approval	IDA	African Facility ¹	Co-financing ²	Amount	Purpose
Guinea-Bissau		5.3 ²⁰	Oct. 1987 - Oct. 1990	5.3 ²⁰	May 1987	8.0	4	Switzerland (5.2); Saudi Arabia (3.2); ADF (11.3); IFAD (5.3) Netherlands (4.8); USAID (4.5); ADF (12.0) ²¹	Dec.1984	10.1		Switzerland (SwF 4.5 m)	Economic recovery programme ²¹	
Haiti	Oct. 1978 - Oct. 1981 ²⁴ Aug. 1982 - Sep. 1983 Nov. 1983 - Sep. 1985	32.2 ²³ 34.5 60.0 ²⁵	Jan. 1995 - July 1998	11.0 ⁵	May 1989	18.0			Mar.1987	32.8			Economic recovery	
	Sep.1989 - Dec.1990	21.0 ⁷⁸	Dec.1986 - Dec. 1989	30.9 ²⁶	May 2000	18.0			Dec. 1994	26.8			"	
	Mar. 1995 - Mar.1996	20.0	Oct.1996 - Oct. 1999	91.1 ⁵										
Lao People's Dem. Republic	Aug. 1980 - Aug. 1981	14.0	Sep.1989 - Sep. 1992	20.5	June 1989	30.8								
			June 1993 - May 1997	35.2 ⁵	Oct. 1991	30.0								
Lesotho	Sep.1994 - Sep. 1995 July 1995 - July 1996	8.4 7.2	June 1988 - June 1991 May 1991 - Aug. 1994	10.6 18.1 ⁵	Feb. 1996	26.9								
Madagascar	June 1980 - June 1982 April 1981 - June 1982 July 1982 - July 1983 April 1984 - Mar. 1985 April 1985 - April 1986 Sep.1986 - Feb. 1988	64.5 ²⁷ 76.7 ²⁸ 51.0 ⁴ 33.0 29.5 30.0	Aug. 1987 - May 1989	46.5 ²⁹					May 1986	19	(33)	KfW (4); Japan (3) ADF (40); Switzerland (8)	Agricultural sector	
	Sep.1988 - July 1989	13.3 ³⁰	May 1989 - May 1992	76.9 ⁵					June 1988	90.5			Public sector	
			Nov. 1996 - Nov. 1999	81.4 ⁵	Mar. 1997 Mar. 1997 May 1999	48.6 0.4 73.5			Mar.1989 Oct.1989 Nov.1990 Nov.1991 Dec.1992	1.1 ⁶ 0.9 ⁶ 1.2 ⁶ 1 ⁶ 1 ⁶				Public sector
			Nov. 1996 - July 2000	81.4 ⁷¹									Multisector rehabilitation	
Malawi	Oct. 1979 - Dec. 1981 ³¹ May 1980 - March 1982 Aug. 1982 - Aug. 1983 Sep.1983 - Sep. 1986	26.3 49.9 ³² 22.0 81.0 ³⁴			June 1981	36.7 ³³			April 1983	4.6		IFAD (10.3)	Smallholder fertilizers	
	March 1988 - May 1989	13.0	July 1988 - Mar. 1994	67.0 ⁵	Dec. 1983 Dec. 1985	51.9 28.0	37.3	Germany/KfW (6.4); Japan/OECF (22.6); USAID (15) Japan (17.7); United Kingdom (7.5); Germany (5)	June 1988	50.6				Industrial and trade policy adjustment
			Oct.1995 - Dec. 1999	51.0 ⁵	Jan. 1987		8.4		Mar. 1989 Oct. 1989 April 1990	4.0 ⁶ 3.8 ⁶ 52.6			OECF (30); USAID (25); ADF (19.5); EEC (16)	"
													USAID (25); United Kingdom (16.5); Netherlands (5); Germany, EEC and Japan (6.1)	Agriculture
									Nov. 1990	5.1 ⁶				Industry and trade

Table 31 (cont.)

IMF arrangements					World Bank loans and credits								
Stand-by/Extended Facility			SAF/ESAF/PRGF		Structural adjustment				Sector and other adjustment				
Country	Period	Amount	Period	Amount	Amount				Amount				Purpose
					Date of approval	IDA	African facility ¹	Co-financing ²	Date of approval	IDA	African facility ¹	Co-financing ²	
Malawi (cont.)	Nov. 1994 - June 1995	15.0			Nov. 1996 Dec. 1998	2.4 ⁷⁰ 67.2			Nov. 1991 June 1992	4.0 ⁶ 85.4	AfDB (13.4)		Agriculture Entrepreneurship dev. & drought recovery " " " "
									Dec. 1992 Nov. 1994 Dec. 1994	4.3 ⁶ 27.6 ⁶ 3.2 ⁶			
									April 1996	70.3			Fiscal restructuring & deregulation programme " " " "
									April 1996	2.9 ⁷⁰			Fiscal restructuring and and de-regulation program. II Public enterprise sector
Mali	May 1982 - May 1993	30.4	Aug. 1988 - Aug. 1991	35.6 ¹⁴	Dec. 1990	50.3	EC (20); AfDB (18)		June 1988	29.4	Japan (38.7); Saudi Arabia (5.9); ADF (45)		Public enterprise sector
	Dec. 1983 - May 1985	40.5							June 1990	40.7			Agricultural sector/ investment
	Nov. 1985 - March 1987	22.9 ³⁶							Mar. 1994 Jan. 1995 June 1996	18.2 34.3 41.6			Economic recovery Education Economic management
	Aug. 1988 - June 1990	12.7							Feb. 1990	19.4			
Mauritania	July 1980 - March 1982 ³⁸	29.7 ³⁷	Sep. 1986 - May 1989	23.7 ³⁹	June 1987	11.7	21.4	Saudi Arabia (4.8); Germany (2.8)	Nov. 1990 Nov. 1991 Dec. 1992 Jan. 1994 Nov. 1996 Dec. 1997	2.9 ⁶ 1.9 ⁶ 1.6 ⁶ 1.0 ⁶ 0.4 ⁶ 0.3	CCCE (8); Germany (2); WFP (1); Japan (50); SFD (19.8); KFAED (13.7); AFESD (10.3); Abu Dhabi Fund (6.1); Spain (5); Germany (4)		Agricultural sector/ investment
	June 1981 - March 1982	25.8							June 1990	30.7			Public enterprises
	April 1985 - April 1986	12.0							Feb. 1990	19.4			
	April 1986 - April 1987	12.0							June 1990	30.7			
Mozambique	May 1987 - May 1988	10.0	May 1989 - Jan. 1995	50.9 ⁵	Jan. 1995 - July 1998	42.8 ⁵	Feb. 1999	0.1	Nov. 1990 Nov. 1991 Dec. 1992 Jan. 1994 Nov. 1996 Dec. 1997	2.9 ⁶ 1.9 ⁶ 1.6 ⁶ 1.0 ⁶ 0.4 ⁶ 0.3	CCCE (8); Germany (2); WFP (1); Japan (50); SFD (19.8); KFAED (13.7); AFESD (10.3); Abu Dhabi Fund (6.1); Spain (5); Germany (4)		Public enterprises
	Jan. 1995 - July 1998	42.8 ⁵							Nov. 1990 Nov. 1991 Dec. 1992 Jan. 1994 Nov. 1996 Dec. 1997	2.9 ⁶ 1.9 ⁶ 1.6 ⁶ 1.0 ⁶ 0.4 ⁶ 0.3			Public resource management
	July 1999 - July 2002	42.5 ⁷¹							Feb. 1999	0.1			Public resource management
	June 1987 - June 1990	42.7							Nov. 1990 Nov. 1991 Dec. 1992 Jan. 1994 Nov. 1996 Dec. 1997	2.9 ⁶ 1.9 ⁶ 1.6 ⁶ 1.0 ⁶ 0.4 ⁶ 0.3			Fiscal reform
	June 1990 - Dec. 1995	130.1 ⁵	Feb. 1997	69.1	June 1992 June 1994	132 141.7	May 1985 Aug. 1987 May 1989	(18.6)	Switzerland (11.2) United Kingdom (17.5); Switzerland (12.8); Germany (10.9); Sweden (9.4); Finland (8.9)	Switzerland (6)		Economic rehabilitation programme I	
	June 1996 - Aug. 1999	75.6 ⁵							May 1985	45.5		Economic rehabilitation programme II	
	June 1999 - June 2002	87.2 ⁷¹							Aug. 1987	54.5		Economic rehabilitation programme III	
									May 1989	68.2		Economic recovery I	

Table 31 (cont.)

IMF arrangements					World Bank loans and credits								
Stand-by/Extended Facility			SAF/ESAF/PRGF		Structural adjustment				Sector and other adjustment				
Country	Period	Amount	Period	Amount	Amount				Amount				Purpose
					Date of approval	IDA	African Facility ¹	Co-financing ²	Date of approval	IDA	African Facility ¹	Co-financing ²	
Nepal	Dec. 1985 - April 1987	18.7	Oct. 1987 - Oct. 1990	26.1	Mar. 1987 June 1989	40.9 46.2		KfW (5)					
Niger	Oct. 1983 - Dec. 1984 Dec. 1984 - Dec. 1985 Dec. 1985 - Dec. 1986 Dec. 1986 - Dec. 1987	18.0 16.0 13.5 10.1	Oct. 1992 - Oct. 1995	33.6 ⁵	Feb. 1986	18.3	36.6		June 1987	46	15.4		Public enterprises
Rwanda	Mar. 1994 - Mar. 1995	18.6	Dec. 1988 - Dec. 1991 June 1996 - Aug. 1999	47.2 ⁵ 58.0 ⁵	Mar. 1997 Oct. 1998	21.6 48.0			Mar. 1994	18.2			Economic recovery Public sector Public finance reform
Samoa	Aug. 1979 - Aug. 1980 June 1983 - June 1984 July 1984 - July 1985	5.0 ⁴² 3.4 3.4	April 1991 - April 1994 June 1998 - June 2001	30.7 ²⁶ 71.4 ⁷¹	June 1991 Mar. 1999	67.5 53.0		Switzerland (SwF 10m); Belgium (BF 400m)	Jan. 1995	34.3			Emergency recovery
Sao Tome and Principe			June 1989 - June 1992 Apr. 2000 - Apr. 2003	2.8 ⁴³ 6.7 ⁷¹	June 1987 June 1990	3.1 7.5	2.3	ADF (8.5); ADF(12); IMF (2.6)					
Senegal	Oct. 1987 - Oct. 1988	21.3	Nov. 1986 Nov. 1986 - Nov. 1988	43.0 59.6 144.7	Feb. 1986 May 1987 Mar. 1989	18.3 35.0 4.2	31.4	7.1	Dec. 1989	35.3			Str.adjustment credit III (supplement) Structural credit IV
Sierra Leone	Mar. 1994 - Aug. 1994	48.0	Nov. 1988 - June 1992 Aug. 1994 - Jan. 1998	131.0	Feb. 1990 May 1990 Nov. 1990 Apr. 1992	62.4 3.5 5.1 3.5			Dec. 1995 Nov. 1996	1.8 1.3			Agricultural sector Energy sector
Solomon Islands	Nov. 1979 - Nov. 1980 March 1981 - Feb. 1984 ⁴⁵ Feb. 1984 - Feb. 1985 Nov. 1986 - Nov. 1987	17.0 186.0 ⁴⁴ 50.2 ⁴⁶ 23.2	Apr. 1998 - Apr. 2001 Nov. 1986 - Nov. 1989	107.0 ⁷¹ 40.5 ⁴⁷	May 1998	74.0			June 1984 April 1992 April 1992 Dec. 1992	20.3 31.4 0.2 ⁶ 0.2 ⁶			IFAD (5.4) Agriculture Reconstruction Imports "
Somalia	Feb. 1980 - Feb. 1981 July 1981 - July 1982 July 1982 - Jan. 1984 Feb. 1985 - Sep. 1986 June 1987 - Feb. 1989	11.5 ⁴⁸ 43.1 60.0 22.1 33.2	Mar. 1994 - Mar. 1995 Mar. 1994 - May 1998	27.0 101.9 ⁵	Oct. 1993 Jan. 1994 Dec. 1994 Dec. 1995 Nov. 1996 Feb. 2000 June 1999	35.9 0.1 ⁶ 0.2 ⁶ 0.2 ⁷⁰ 0.1 21.9 8.9							Economic recovery Structural adjustment credit
Sudan	May 1979 - May 1982 ⁴⁹ Feb. 1982 - Feb. 1983 Feb. 1983 - March 1984 June 1984 - June 1985	427.0 198.0 ⁵⁰ 170.0 90.0 ⁵¹	June 1987 - June 1990	30.9 ²⁶					June 1989 June 1983	54.2 46.4			ADF (25); BITS (0.5) Agriculture Agricultural rehabilitation

Table 31 (cont.)

IMF arrangements					World Bank loans and credits								
Stand-by/Extended Facility			SAF/ESAF/PRGF		Structural adjustment				Sector and other adjustment				
Country	Period	Amount	Period	Amount	Amount				Amount				Purpose
					Date of approval	IDA	African Facility ¹	Co-financing ²	Date of approval	IDA	African Facility ¹	Co-financing ²	
Togo	June 1979 - Dec. 1980	15.0 ⁵²			May 1983	36.9							
	Feb. 1981 - Feb. 1983	47.5 ⁵³			May 1985	28.1	9.7						
	March 1983 - April 1984	21.4			Aug. 1985								
	May 1984 - May 1985	19.0			Mar. 1988	33.0							
	May 1985 - May 1986	15.4			Mar. 1989	0.1 ⁶							
	June 1986 - April 1988	23.0	Mar. 1988 - May 1989	26.9 ⁵⁴	Oct. 1989	0.2 ⁶			Feb. 1991	10.2			
	Mar. 1988 - April 1989	13.0	May 1989 - May 1993	46.1 ⁵	Dec. 1990	39.6			April 1996	32.2			
			Sep.1994 - June 1998	65.2 ⁵									Population and health
													Economic recovery and adjustment
Uganda	Jan. 1980 - Dec. 1980	12.5							Feb. 1983	63.5			
	June 1981 - June 1982	112.5							May 1984	47.2			
	Aug. 1982 - Aug. 1983	112.5							Sep.1987	50.9			
	Sep.1983 - Sep. 1984	95.0 ⁵⁵	June 1987 - April 1989	69.7 ⁵⁶						18.8	Italy/DCD (10)		Agricultural rehabilitation
			April 1989 - June 1994	219.2 ⁵⁷							United Kingdom/ODA (16)		Reconstruction
									Mar. 1989	1.3 ⁶			Economic recovery
									April 1989	19 ⁶			"
									Oct. 1989	1.2 ⁶			"
									Feb. 1990	98.1	(12.8)		"
									Nov. 1990	1.5 ⁶			"
United Republic of Tanzania	Sep.1980 - June 1982	179.6 ⁵⁸							Dec. 1990	69.5			
	Aug. 1986 - Feb. 1988	64.2	Oct. 1987 - Oct. 1990	74.9	Dec. 1991	91.9			Nov. 1991	1.2 ⁶			
					Dec. 1992	1.0 ⁶			May 1993	72.8			
					May 1994	57.8			Jan. 1994	0.8 ⁶			
					Dec.1994	0.4 ⁶							Agriculture
					June 1997	90.4							Economic recovery
													Finance
													"
													Education sector
Yemen	Mar. 1996 - June 1997	132.4							Mar. 1998	59.2			
	Oct. 1997 - Oct. 2000	105.9	Oct. 1997 - Oct. 2000	264.8 ⁵	Nov. 1986	41.3			Nov. 1986	38.2			
	Oct. 1997 - Mar. 2001	105.9	Oct. 1997 - Oct. 2000	264.8 ⁷¹	Dec. 1988	22.5			Germany (17.3); Switzerland (9.2); United Kingdom (7.3); Saudi Arabia (4); ADF (24); United Kingdom (15); Switzerland (14); Netherlands (10)	(26.0)			Multisector rehabilitation
					Dec. 1988	97.6							Multisector rehabilitation
									Mar. 1989	11.5 ⁶			Industrial rehabilitation
									Oct. 1989	8.3 ⁶			Industry and trade adjustment
									Mar. 1990	150.4			Agriculture
									Dec. 1990	11.5 ⁶			"
									Nov. 1991	8.6 ⁶			Finance
									Nov. 1991	150.2			"
Stru.adjustment credit									Dec. 1992	8.2 ⁶			
Economic recovery													
Financial sector													
Public sec. mgmt. adj. credit													

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IMF arrangements					World Bank loans and credits								
Stand-by/Extended Facility			SAF/ESAF/PRGF		Structural adjustment				Sector and other adjustment				
Country	Period	Amount	Period	Amount	Amount				Amount				Purpose
					Date of approval	IDA	African Facility ¹	Co-financing ²	Date of approval	IDA	African Facility ¹	Co-financing ²	
Zambia	April 1978 - April 1980	250.0							Jan. 1985	24.7	(10)	AfDB (23.4); CIDA (6.8); USAID (5); Switzerland (4.8); Germany (18.8)	Agricultural rehabilitation
	May 1981 - May 1984 ²⁴	800.0 ⁶⁶							Mar. 1991	149.6		"	Economic recovery
	April 1983 - April 1984	211.5 ⁶⁷							Mar. 1991	19.4 ⁶		"	Privatization and industry
	July 1984 - April 1986	225 ⁶⁸							May 1992	7.6 ⁶		"	
	Feb. 1986 - Feb. 1988	229.8 ⁶⁹							June 1992	146		"	
													Economic and social adjustment
									Dec. 1992	15.1 ⁶		"	
									June 1993	72.1		"	
									Aug. 1993	7.0 ⁶		"	
									Jan. 1994	12.1 ⁶		"	
	Dec. 1995-Dec. 1998	701.7 ⁵							Mar. 1994	108.9		"	
									Dec. 1994	9.7 ⁶		"	
									June 1995	19.1		"	
									July 1995	90.0		"	
									Dec. 1995	8 ⁷⁰		"	
									June 1996	16.0		"	
													Economic and social adjustment
													Public sector reform and export promotion
													Fiscal sustainability credit.

Sources: IMF, *Annual Report*, 2000 and various issues; *IMF Survey* (various issues); World Bank, *Annual Report*, 2000 and various issues; *World Bank News* (various issues).

m = million

1. Special Facility for Sub-Saharan Africa; amounts in parentheses are expressed in millions of dollars.
2. Including special joint financing and bilateral support; amounts are in millions of dollars unless stated otherwise.
3. Extended Facility arrangement, cancelled as of June 1982.
4. SDR 580 m not purchased.
5. ESAF.
6. Supplemental credit.
7. SDR 6.3 m not purchased.
8. SDR 15.8 m not purchased.
9. SDR 2.4 m not purchased.
10. SDR 13.5 m not purchased.
11. SDR 7.5 m not purchased.
12. SDR 3.8 m not purchased.
13. SDR 3.7 m not purchased.
14. SDR 10.2 m not purchased.
15. Cancelled as of April 1985.
16. SDR 3.4 m not purchased.
17. SDR 13.5 m not purchased.
18. SDR 6.0 m not purchased.
19. SDR 11.6 m not purchased.
20. SDR 1.5 m not purchased.
21. Supported by IMF; (SDR 1.88 m purchased in first credit tranche).
22. Additional financing.
23. SDR 21.4 m not purchased.
24. Extended Facility arrangement.
25. SDR 39 m not purchased.
26. SDR 22.1 m not purchased.
27. Cancelled as of April 1981; SDR 54.5 m not purchased.
28. Augmented in June 1981 with SDR 32.3 m; SDR 70 m not purchased at expiration of arrangement.
29. SDR 33.2 m not purchased.
30. Cancelled as of May 1989; SDR 10.5 m not purchased.
31. Cancelled as of May 1980; SDR 20.9 m not purchased.
32. SDR 9.9 m not purchased.
33. IBRD loan.
34. Original amount decreased from SDR 100 m; SDR 24 m not purchased.
35. Extended Facility arrangement; cancelled as of August 1986.
36. SDR 6.6 m not purchased.
37. SDR 20.8 m not purchased.
38. Cancelled as of May 1981.
39. SDR 6.8 m not purchased.
40. SDR 6.7 m not purchased.
41. ESAF; original amount decreased from SDR 50.6 m.
42. Not purchased.
43. SDR 2 m not purchased.
44. Including an increase of SDR 22.3 m in June 1981. SDR 152 m not purchased.
45. Extended Facility arrangement; cancelled as of April 1982.
46. SDR 31.2 m not purchased.
47. SDR 29 m not purchased.
48. SDR 5.5 m not purchased.
49. Extended Facility arrangement; cancelled as of February 1982; SDR 176 m not purchased.
50. SDR 128 m not purchased.
51. SDR 70 m not purchased.
52. SDR 1.75 m not purchased.
53. SDR 40.3 m not purchased.
54. SDR 19.2 m not purchased.
55. SDR 30.0 m not purchased.
56. SDR 19.9 m not purchased.
57. ESAF; original amount increased from SDR 179.3 m.
58. SDR 154.6 m not purchased.
59. SDR 9.0 m not purchased.
60. Cancelled as of June 1982; SDR 737 m not purchased.
61. SDR 30 m not purchased.
62. Cancelled as of April 1987; SDR 166.6 m not purchased.
63. SDR 58.2 m not purchased.
64. SDR 75.5 m not purchased.
65. SDR 41.4 m not purchased.
66. Cancelled as of July 1982; SDR 500 m not purchased.
67. SDR 67.5 m not purchased.
68. Cancelled as of February 1986; SDR 145 m not purchased.
69. Cancelled as of May 1987; SDR 194.8 m not purchased.
70. From IDA reflows.
71. PRGF, Poverty Reduction and Growth Facility Trust, formerly Enhanced Structural Adjustment Facility.

Escaping the Poverty Trap

The least developed countries (LDCs) are a group of 49 countries that have been identified by the UN as “least developed” in terms of their low GDP per capita, their weak human assets and their high degree of economic vulnerability. This Report is the first international comparative analysis of poverty in the LDCs. It is based on a new set of poverty estimates constructed specifically for the Report. The new estimates enable empirically based analysis of the relationship between poverty, development and globalization, and thereby the elaboration of more effective national and international policies to reduce poverty in the LDCs.

The Report shows that extreme poverty is pervasive and persistent in most LDCs, and that the incidence of extreme poverty is highest in those LDCs that are dependent on primary commodity exports. The incidence of poverty is so high because most of the LDCs are caught in an international poverty trap. Pervasive poverty within LDCs has effects at the national level that cause poverty to persist and even to increase, and international trade and finance relationships are reinforcing the cycle of economic stagnation and poverty. The Report argues that the current form of globalization is tightening the poverty trap.

With improved national and international policies, LDCs can escape the poverty trap. Indeed a central message of the Report is that there is a major, but currently underestimated, opportunity for rapid reduction in extreme poverty in the LDCs through sustained economic growth. However, the new Poverty Reduction Strategy Papers (PRSPs), which are currently the focus of national and international efforts to reduce poverty in poor countries, are not grasping that opportunity. The Report proposes an alternative approach to improve the design of poverty reduction strategies. It also shows that effective poverty reduction in the LDCs needs a more supportive international environment. This should include increased and more effective aid and debt relief, a review and recasting of international commodity policy, and policies which recognize the interdependence between the socio-economic marginalization of the poorest countries and the increasing polarization of the global economy.
