

Country Tables

Afghanistan



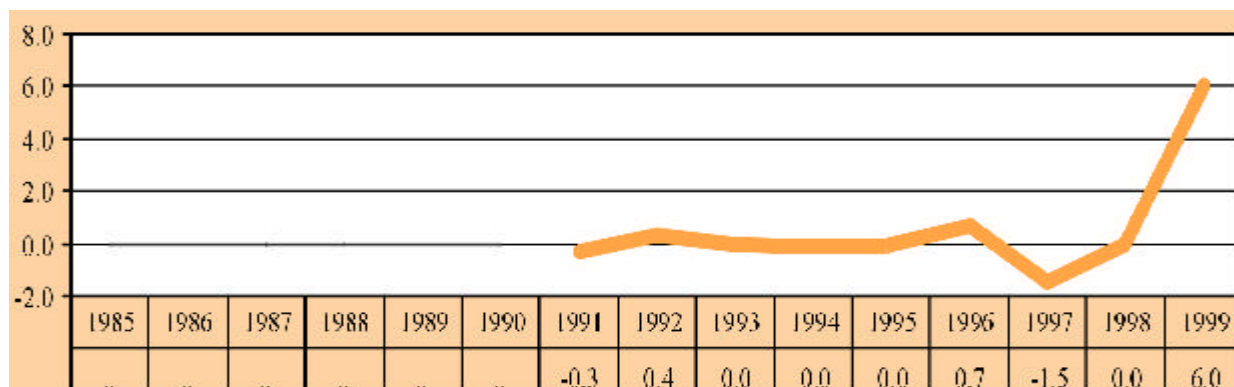
Area ('000 km²) :		652.1
Population (millions) :	2000	25.6
Capital city :		Kabul
Official language :		Pashto and Dari
Currency:		Afghani
Exchange rate (period average):		..
GDP in current prices (millions of dollars) :	1999	1,718.3
Exports of goods and services (millions of dollars):	1996	80.0
Imports of goods and services (millions of dollars):	1996	150.0
Official development assistance (millions of dollars):	1999	104.1
External debt (millions of dollars):	1998	..

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

Region/economy	Inflows	Year	Inward stock	Year
France	-6.4	1999	..	..
Japan	..	..	0.8 ^a	1998

^a Approval/notified data.

FDI inflows, 1985-1999 (Millions of dollars)



DTTs, 1 January 2000

Economy	Date of signature
India	14 September 1975

Largest foreign affiliates, 1999

Company	Home economy	Industry	Sales (\$ million)	Employment	Year of establishment
Mm Telefongy Rt S Kereskedelmi Korl Tolt Feleloss Gu T Rsas G	Hungary	Communications equipment	3.3	230	1998
Derivados De Gasas S.A. De C.V.	Mexico	..	..	19	..
Caola Kozmetikai Es Haztartsvegyipari Reszvenytarsasag	Hungary	Perfumes, cosmetics, toilet preparations	..	..	1999

Other relevant information

- **Membership of relevant international agreements as of April 2001:** ICSID
- **Address and website of investment promotion agency:** None
- **Fortune 500 investors:** None
- **Member of WAIPA as of March 2001:** No

Angola



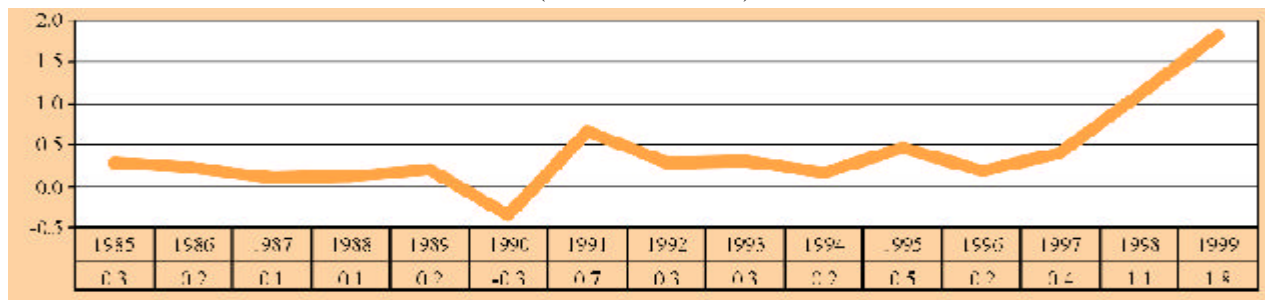
Area ('000 km ²) :		1,246.7
Population (millions) :	2000	12.8
Capital city :		Luanda
Official language :		Portuguese
Currency:	1999	Kwanza
Exchange rate (period average):	1999	Kz2,790.7=\$1
GDP in current prices (millions of dollars):	1999	5,861.4
Exports of goods and services (millions of dollars):	1998	4,440.1
Imports of goods and services (millions of dollars):	1996	4,463.8
Official development assistance (millions of dollars):	1999	251.8
External debt (millions of dollars):	1998	12,173

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

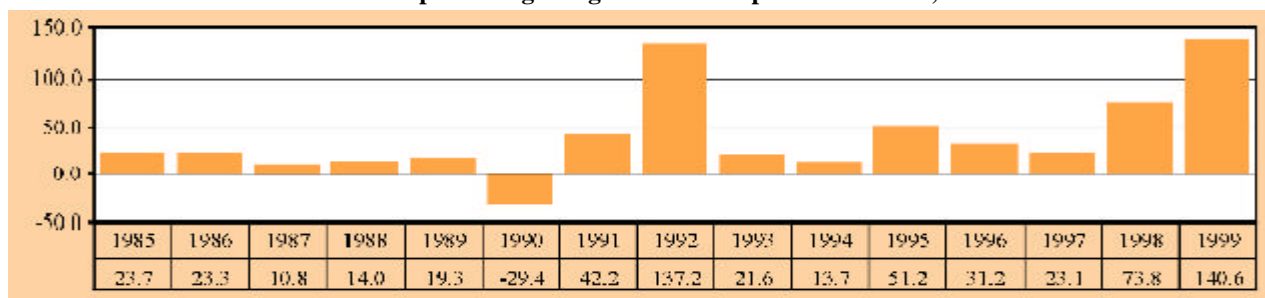
Region/economy	Inflows	Year	Inward stock	Year
Developed economies				
Belgium/Luxembourg	-0.1	1998	..	..
France	484.7	1999	118.5	1998
Japan	1.1	1995	1.1	1995
Portugal	1.5	1994	..	..
United Kingdom	..	..	1.5	1992
United States	288.0	1998	1 218.0	1999
Developing economies				
China	..	..	2.0 ^a	1995

^a Approval data.

FDI inflows, 1985-1999 (Billions of dollars)



FDI inflows as a percentage of gross fixed capital formation, 1985-1999



Largest cross-border M&A deals, 1987-1999

Acquired company	Industry	Acquiring company	Home economy	Value (\$million)	Year
Block 7 Oil Field, Angola	Oil and gas; petroleum refining	Phillips Petroleum Co., Inc.	United States	..	1998
Angola Diamond Corp	Mining	Alpha Diamond Corp.	Canada	..	1998
Royal Dutch/Shell-Oil Block	Oil and gas; petroleum refining	Texaco Inc.	United States	..	1998
Cabinda Association	Oil and gas; petroleum refining	Soc Nationale Elf Aquitaine	France	..	1991
SONANGAL-Block 4 Concession ^a	Oil and gas; petroleum refining	Ranger Oil Ltd.	Canada	..	1991
GE-Angola, 2 Other Service Ops	Repair services	ABB Asea Brown Boveri Ltd.	Switzerland	..	1988

a Privatization.

BITS, 1 January 2000

Economy	Date of signature
Cape Verde	30 September 1997
Italy	10 July 1997
Portugal	24 October 1997

Largest foreign affiliates, 1999

Company	Home economy	Industry	Sales (\$million)	Employment	Year of establishment
Osel Odebrecht Servicos No Exterior Ltda	Brazil	Nonresidential construction	785.3	4 000	..
Cabinda Gulf Oil Company Ltd.	United States	Petroleum refining	12.5	1 800	..
Industrias Termicas De Angola Sarl	United Kingdom	Heating and air cond supplies	4.1	12	1968
Blackwood Hodge Angola Ltda	Portugal	Industrial machinery & equipment	1	50	1991
Fina Petroleos D' Angola S A R L	France	Crude petroleum and natural gas	..	1 125	1957
Elf Aquitaine Angola S A	France	Oil and gas exploration	..	1 000	..
Fina Petroleos De Angola S A R L	France	Drilling oil and gas wells	..	650	1957
Hull Blyth (Angola) Ltd.	United Kingdom	Other water transport	..	400	..
Braspetro Oil Services Company	Brazil	Drilling oil and gas wells	..	280	..
Uniao Comercial De Automoveis S A R L	United Kingdom	Cars and other motor vehicles	..	220	..
Sociedade Comercial Luso-Holandesa S A R L	United Kingdom	Electrical appliances	..	180	1941
Robert Hudson Ltd.	Portugal	Cars and other motor vehicles	..	150	1926
Tintas Cin De Angola S A R L	Portugal	Paints varnishes and supplies	..	60	..
Braspetro Oil Services Company	Brazil	Drilling oil and gas wells	..	10	..
Foraid Angola	France	..	..	..	..
Friedlander Angola	France	..	..	..	..
I C I Angola Ltda	United Kingdom	..	..	..	..
Johnson and Johnson Angola Ltda	United States	Orthopedic/prosthetic appliances	..	..	..
Pfizer Ltda	United States	Chemicals	..	..	..
Sarel S A R L	United Kingdom	..	..	..	..
Toyota de Angola S A R L	Japan	Motor Vehicles sales	..	..	1973
Zuid Casa Holanda Lda	Netherlands	Nondurable goods	..	..	..

Other relevant information

- **Membership of relevant international agreements as of April 2001:** MIGA, TRIMs, GATS, TRIPS
- **Address and website of investment promotion agency:** Instituto do Investimento Estrangeiro (IIE)
Edificio do Ministerio da Industria Rua Cerqueira Lukoki 25, 9 Andar, Luanda;
Tel: (244-2) 39 14 34 / Fax: (244-2) 39 33 81
- **Fortune 500 investors:** ABB, Chevron, Elf Aquitaine, Imperial Chemical Industries, Johnson & Johnson, Phillips Petroleum, Pfizer, Texaco, Total Fina Elf, Toyota Tsusho .
- **Member of WAIPA as of March 2001:** Yes

Bangladesh



Area ('000 km²):		147.6
Population (millions):	2000	130.2
Capital city:		Dhaka
Official language:		Bengali
Currency:		Taka
Exchange rate (period average):	1999	Tk49.1=\$1
GDP in current prices (millions of dollars):	1999	45,298.0
Exports of goods and services (millions of dollars):	1999	6,122.0
Imports of goods and services (millions of dollars):	1999	8,753.0
Official development assistance (millions of dollars):	1999	607.3
External debt (millions of dollars):	1999	15,338

Inward FDI: geographical breakdown, by source^a

(Millions of dollars)

Region/economy	Inflows	Year	Inward stock	Year	Region/economy	Inflows	Year	Inward stock	Year
TOTAL WORLD	1 883.0	1999	8 501.0	1999					
Developed economies	1 338.2	1999	4 114.1	1999	Latin America and the Caribbean	1.32	1999	5.20	1999
European Union	893.4	1999	1 449.5	1999	Belize	1.3	1999	1.3	1999
Austria	0.1	1998	0.1	1999	Bermuda	4.9	1993	3.8	1999
Belgium/Luxembourg	3 372.6	1994	0.8	1999	Panama	0.3	1984	0.1	1999
Denmark	8.1	1999	8.0	1999					
Finland	13.9	1998	12.8	1999	Asia	543.4	1999	4 373.0	1999
France	17.3	1999	33.5	1999	Afghanistan	0.5	1996	0.4	1999
Germany	56.5	1999	202.0	1999	Bhutan	0.4	1991	0.3	1999
Greece	5.0	1996	19.4	1999	China	17.9	1999	98.7	1999
Ireland	0.6	1997	0.5	1999	Georgia	1.4	1994	1.1	1999
Italy	2.6	1999	27.1	1999	Hong Kong, China	12.9	1999	758.1	1999
Netherlands	2.7	1998	40.5	1999	India	151.5	1999	295.4	1999
Portugal	2.5	1996	2.0	1999	Iran, Islamic Republic of	21.0	1998	19.9	1999
Spain	0.3	1997	2.5	1999	Jordan	145.1	1998	133.5	1999
Sweden	0.3	1997	10.6	1999	Kazakhstan	38.3	1997	32.9	1999
United Kingdom	808.9	1999	1 089.9	1999	Lebanon	831.7	1998	764.9	1999
Other Western Europe	1.1	1999	118.9	1999	Malaysia	16.0	1999	1 081.3	1999
Liechtenstein	0.4	1990	0.3	1999	Oman	4.0	1987	2.4	1999
Norway	65.6	1997	60.8	1999	Pakistan	0.4	1999	78.2	1999
Switzerland	1.1	1999	57.8	1999	Philippines	1.0	1999	4.4	1999
North America	375.7	1999	1 781.9	1999	Republic of Korea	13.8	1999	256.9	1999
Canada	2.1	1999	32.7	1999	Saudi Arabia	0.1	1999	233.2	1999
United States	373.6	1999	1 749.2	1999	Singapore	267.1	1999	466.0	1999
Other developed economies	68.0	1999	763.8	1999	Sri Lanka	18.8	1994	46.1	1999
Australia	1.2	1999	8.0	1999	Taiwan Province of China	16.4	1994	34.2	1999
Japan	66.8	1999	751.2	1999	Thailand	11.9	1994	37.8	1999
New Zealand	1.4	1998	4.6	1999	Turkey	1.3	1994	10.0	1999
Developing economies	544.7	1999	4 386.9	1999	United Arab Emirates	14.3	1999	17.5	1999
Africa	..	1999	5.2	1999	Central and Eastern Europe	..	..	3.5	1999
Côte d'Ivoire	5.3	1996	4.3	1999	Hungary	3.3	1997	2.8	1999
Egypt	1.0	1998	0.9	1999	Russian Federation	0.7	1998	0.7	1999
					Unspecified	0.2	1985	..	..

^a Approval data for the manufacturing sector only.

Inward FDI: industrial breakdown^a

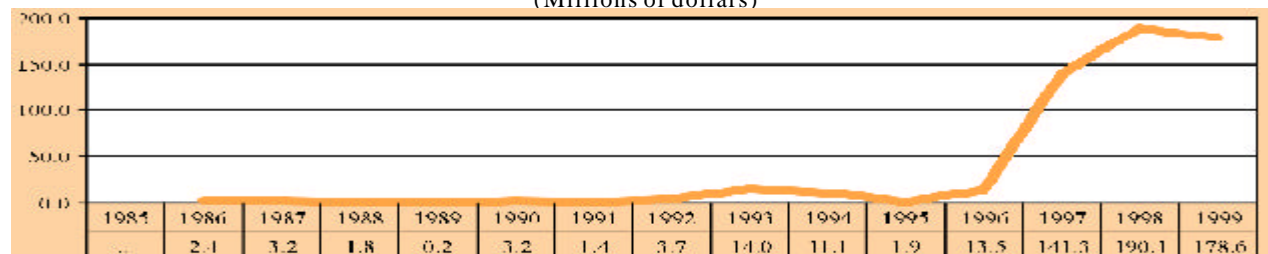
(Millions of dollars)

Sector/industry	Inflows	Year	Inward stock	Year
Secondary	1 883.0	1999	..	..
Food, beverages and tobacco	81.8	1999	..	..
Textiles, clothing and leather	57.6	1999	..	..
Publishing, printing and reproduction of recorded media	2.0	1999	..	..
Chemicals and chemical products	329.1	1999	..	..
Non-metallic mineral products	52.1	1999	..	..
Metal and metal products	94.7	1999	..	..
Electrical and electronic equipment	1 262.3	1999	..	..
Other manufacturing	3.5	1999	..	..

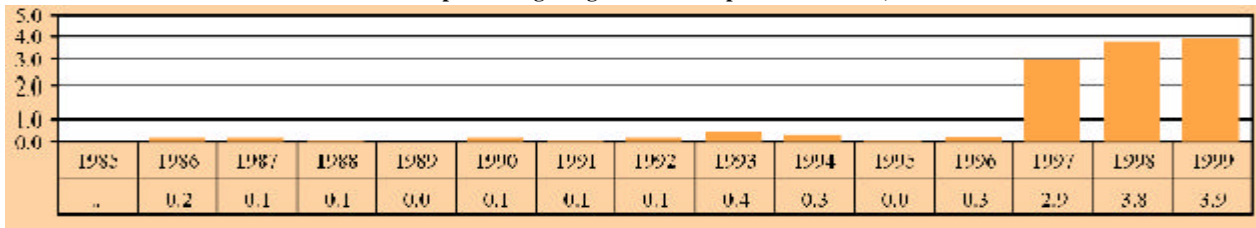
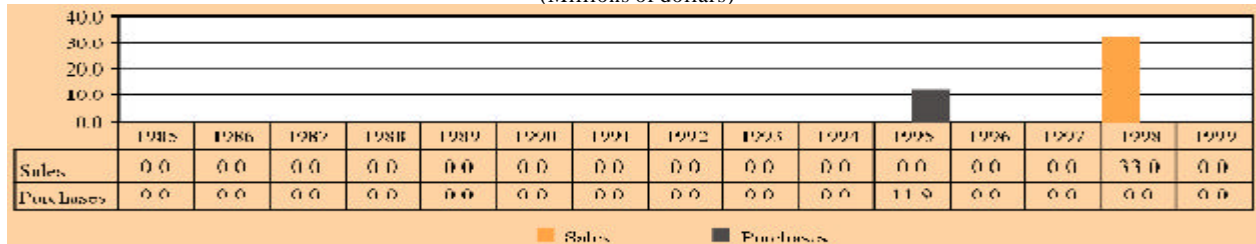
^a Approval data for the secondary sector only.

FDI inflows, 1985-1999

(Millions of dollars)



FDI inflows as a percentage of gross fixed capital formation, 1985-1999

Cross-border M&As, sales and purchases, 1987-1999
(Millions of dollars)

Largest cross-border M&A deals, 1987-1999

Acquired company	Industry	Acquiring company	Home economy	Value (\$ million)	Year
Barge-Mounted Power Plant	Wholesale trade-durable goods	Coastal Power Co.	United States	33.0	1998
Alita (BD) Ltd, Ace Bicycles (BD)	Transportation equipment	Akoko Sdn Bhd	Singapore	..	1995
Tecribel	Food and kindred products	Allied-Lyons PLC-J Lyons	United Kingdom	..	1988

BITs, 1 January 2000

DTTs, 1 January 2000

Economy	Date of signature	Economy	Date of signature
Belgium/Luxembourg	22 May 1981	Belgium	18 October 1990
China	12 September 1996	Canada	15 February 1982
France	10 September 1985	China	12 September 1996
Germany	6 May 1981	Denmark	16 July 1996
Indonesia	9 February 1998	France	9 March 1987
Italy	20 March 1990	Germany	29 May 1990
Japan	10 November 1998	India	27 August 1991
Democratic People's Republic of Korea	21 June 1999	Italy	20 March 1990
Republic of Korea	18 June 1986	Japan	28 February 1991
Malaysia	12 October 1994	Republic of Korea	10 May 1983
Netherlands	1 November 1994	Malaysia	19 April 1983
Pakistan	24 October 1995	Netherlands	13 July 1993
Philippines	8 September 97	Pakistan	15 October 1981
Poland	8 July 1998	Poland	8 July 1997
Romania	13 March 1987	Romania	13 March 1987
Thailand	13 March 1988	Singapore	19 December 1980
Turkey	12 November 1987	Sri Lanka	24 July 1986
United Kingdom	19 June 1980	Sweden	3 May 1982
United States	12 March 1986	Thailand	20 April 1997
		United Kingdom	8 August 1979
		United States	6 October 1980

Largest foreign affiliates, 1999

Company	Home economy	Industry	Sales (\$ million)	Employment	Year of establishment
Fisons Bangladesh Ltd.	France	Pharmaceutical preparations	48.4	1 300	1964
The General Electric Co. of Bangladesh Ltd.	United Kingdom	Motors and generators	37.7	1 200	1962
Mamiya-Op (Bangladesh) Ltd.	Japan	Sporting and athletic goods	16.7	600	1991
Organon Bangladesh Ltd.	Netherlands	Pharmaceutical preparations	9.1	1 000	1965
Ananda Computers	United States	Office equipment	8.7	40	1987
Citech Co. Ltd.	United States	Office equipment	4.6	50	1985
Bengal Fisheries Ltd.	Japan	Fishing	2.4 a	143	1980
Tokai Ink (Bangladesh) Ltd.	Japan	Printing Ink	1.4 b	20	1993
Highspeed Shipbuilding and Heavy Engineering Co. Ltd.	Japan	Construction and engineering	0.2 b	100	1982
Bangladesh Oxygen Ltd.	United Kingdom	Industrial gases	..	5 000	1964
Glaxo Wellcome Bangladesh Ltd.	United Kingdom	Pharmaceutical preparations	..	2 700	1962
Renata Limited	United States	Pharmaceutical preparations	..	600	1979
Vanik Bangladesh Limited	Sri Lanka	Other depository bank functions	..	150	1997
Tm International (Bangladesh) Ltd.	Malaysia	Electronic parts and equipment	..	15	1996
Bangladesh Tobacco Co. Ltd.	United Kingdom	Cigarettes	..	..	..
Basf Bangladesh Ltd.	Germany	..	..	..	..
Bayer (Bangladesh) Ltd.	Germany	..	..	..	..
Boc Bangladesh Limited	United Kingdom	Industrial gases	..	..	..
Deutz Bangladesh Ltd.	Germany	..	..	..	..
Gec Fans Bangladesh Ltd.	United Kingdom	..	..	..	..
Gestetner Bangladesh Ltd.	United Kingdom	Office equipment	..	..	..
Hyundai Cements (Bangladesh) Co. Ltd.	Republic of Korea	Cement hydraulic	..	..	..
Nestle	Switzerland	..	..	..	..
Nippon Express Bangladesh Ltd.	Japan	..	..	..	..

a Data refer to 1997.

b Data refer to 1996.

Other relevant information

- **Membership of relevant international agreements as of April 2001:** CREFAA, ICSID, MIGA, TRIMs, GATS, TRIPS
- **Address and website of investment promotion agency:** Board of Investment (BOI), Prime Minister's Office, Jiban Bima Tower - 19th Floor, 10, Dilkusha Commercial Area, Dhaka-1000; Tel: (880-2) 95 59 378; Fax: (880-2) 95 62 312
- **Fortune 500 investors:** Akzo Nobel, Aventis, BASF, Bayer Ag, Glaxo Wellcome, Lloyds TSB Group, Mitsui, Nestlé, Nippon Express, Pfizer.
- **Member of WAIPA as of March 2001:** Yes

Benin

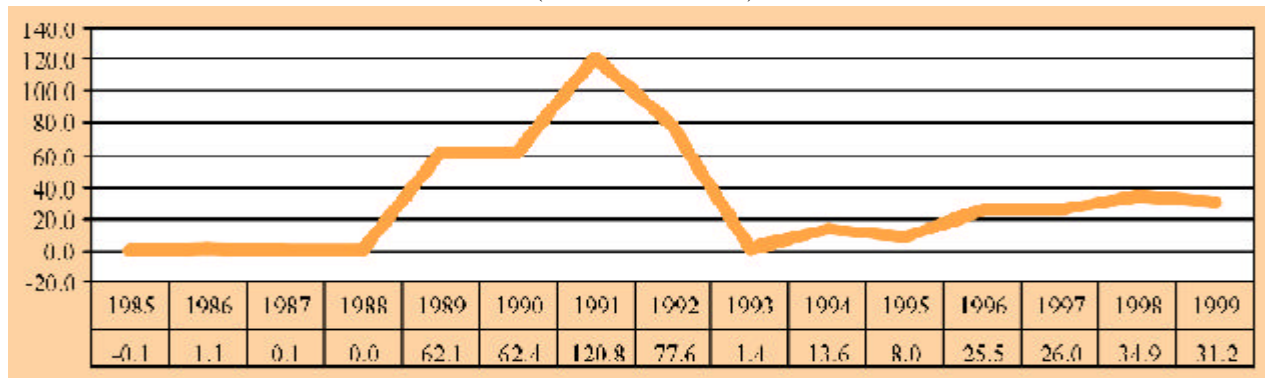


Area ('000 km²) :		112.6
Population (millions) :	2000	6.2
Capital city :		Porto Novo
Official language :		French
Currency:		CFA Franc
Exchange rate (period average):	1999	CFAfr615.7=\$1
GDP in current prices (millions of dollars):	1999	2,401.6
Exports of goods and services (millions of dollars):	1999	655.9
Imports of goods and services (millions of dollars):	1999	831.3
Official development assistance (millions of dollars):	1999	119.3
External debt (millions of dollars):	1998	1,647

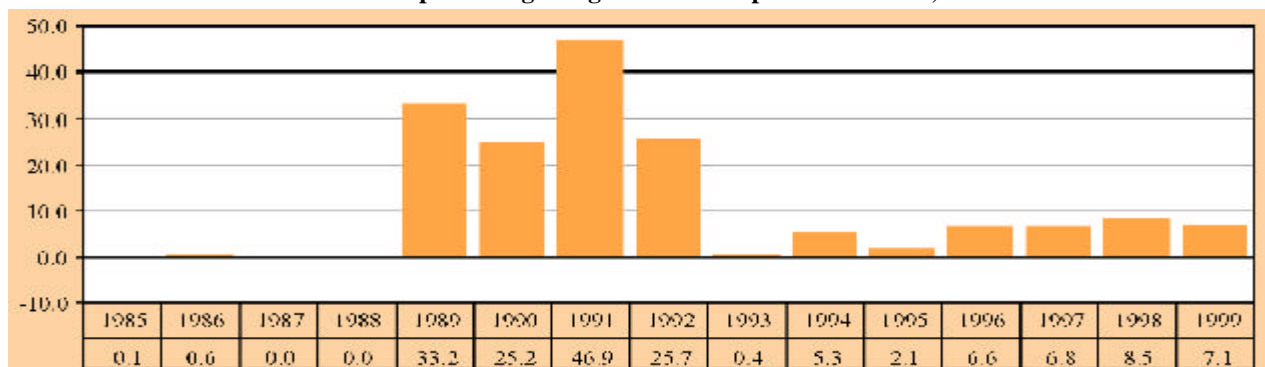
Inward FDI: geographical breakdown, by source (Millions of dollars)

Region/economy	Inflows	Year	Inward stock	Year
Belgium/Luxembourg	-0.1	1998	..	..
France	8.5	1999	..	..

FDI inflows, 1985-1999 (Millions of dollars)



FDI inflows as a percentage of gross fixed capital formation, 1985-1999



Largest cross-border M&A deals, 1987-1999

Acquired company	Industry	Acquiring company	Home economy	Value (\$ million)	Year
Afronetwork Benin	Telecommunications	Tital Corp.	United States	..	1998
Tarpon-BeninSA	Oil and gas; petroleum refining	Profco Resources Ltd.	Canada	..	1997

BITs, 1 January 2000

Economy	Date of signature
Germany	29 June 1978
Switzerland	20 April 1966
United Kingdom	28 November 1987

DTTs, 1 January 2000

Economy	Date of signature
France	27 February 1975
Norway	29 May 1979

Largest foreign affiliates, 1999

Company	Home economy	Industry	Sales (\$million)	Employment	Year of establishment
John Walkden and Cie	United Kingdom	Piece goods	39.2	74	..
Societe Beninoise De Pieces Automobiles De Tourisme	France	New and used car dealers	..	50	..
Promo Pharma S A R L	France	Drugs proprietaries and sundries	..	15	1991
Etde Benin	France	..	..	..	..
Prezioso Benin	France	..	..	..	..

Other relevant information

- **Membership of relevant international agreements as of April 2001:** CREFAA, ICSID, MIGA, TRIMS, GATS, TRIPS
- **Address and website of investment promotion agency:**
Centre de Promotion des Investissements
01 BP 2022, Cotonou; Tel: (229) 30 10 33; Fax: (229) 30 01 67/30 16 60
BK Sarl, Agence des Promoteurs d'Investissements
c/824 Missite, 06 BP 413, Cotonou; Tel: (229) 32 45 01; Fax: (229) 31 38 09
- **Fortune 500 investors :** Bouygues, Groupe Pinault-Printemps, Unilever.
- **Member of WAIPA as of March 2001 :** Yes

Bhutan



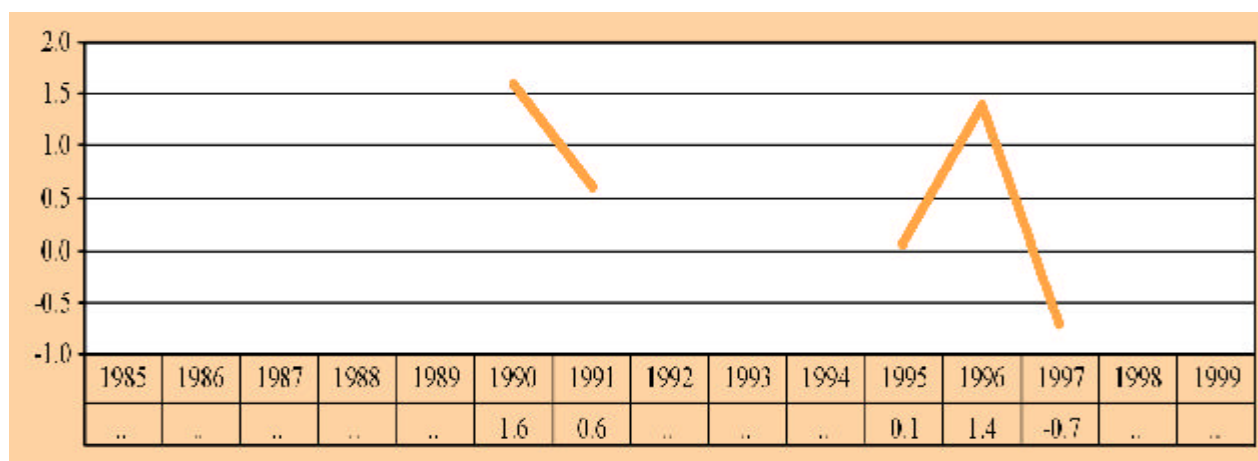
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Population (millions):		0.6
Capital city:		Thimphu
Official language:		Dzongkha
Currency:		Ngultrum
Exchange rate (period average):	1999	Nu43.1=\$1
GDP in current prices (millions of dollars):		..
Exports of goods and services (millions of dollars):	1998	111.0
Imports of goods and services (millions of dollars):	1998	136.0
Official development assistance (millions of dollars):	1999	53.0
External debt (millions of dollars):	1998	119.6

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

Region/economy	Inflows	Year	Inward stock	Year
Japan ^a	2.1	1990	2.3	1998

^a Approval/notified data.

FDI inflows, 1985-1999 (Millions of dollars)



Largest cross-border M&A deals, 1987-1999

Acquired company	Industry	Acquiring company	Home economy	Value (\$ million)	Year
Bhutan National Bank	Commercial banks, bank holding companies	Asian Development Bank	Republic of Korea	..	1998
Bhutan National Bank ^a	Commercial banks, bank holding companies	Citibank NA (Citigroup Inc.)	United States	..	1997

^a Privatization.

Other relevant information

- **Membership of relevant international agreements as of April 2001:** Observer Government to the WTO
- **Address and website of investment promotion agency:** None
- **Fortune 500 investors:** Citigroup.
- **Member of WAIPA as of March 2001:** No

Burkina Faso



Area ('000 km²):		274.0
Population (millions):	2000	12.1
Capital city:		Ouagadougou
Official language:		French
Currency:		CFA Franc
Exchange rate (period average):	1999	CFAfr615.7=\$1
GDP in current prices (millions of dollars):	1999	2,643.3
Exports of goods and services (millions of dollars):	1998	381.6
Imports of goods and services (millions of dollars):	1998	768.9
Official development assistance (millions of dollars):	1999	232.0
External debt (millions of dollars):	1998	1,399

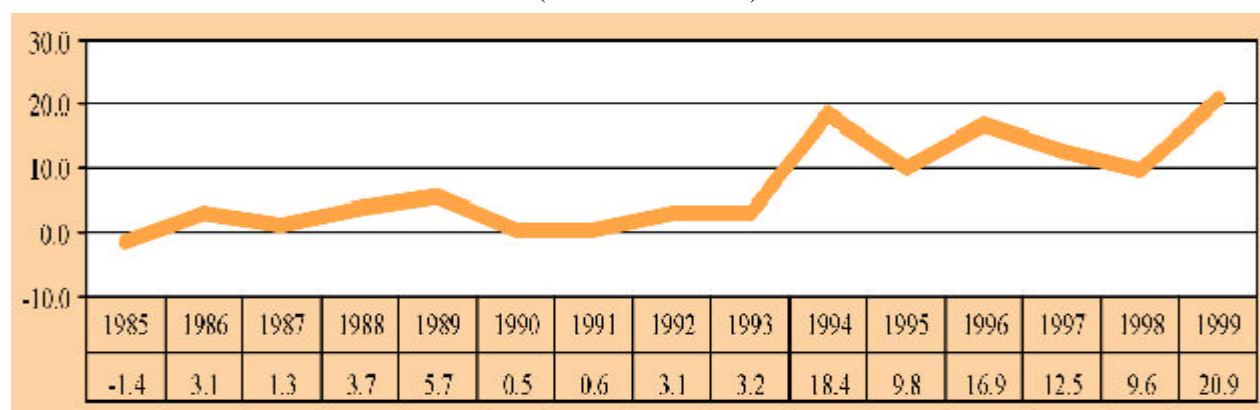
Inward FDI: geographical breakdown, by source (Millions of dollars)

Region/economy	Inflows	Year	Inward stock	Year
Developed economies				
Belgium/Luxembourg	0.1	1997	..	..
France	2.0	1999	..	..
Japan	..	..	3.1 ^a	1998
Sweden	0.1	1996
United States	1.0	1997	2.0	1999
Developing economies				
China	0.03 ^b	1995

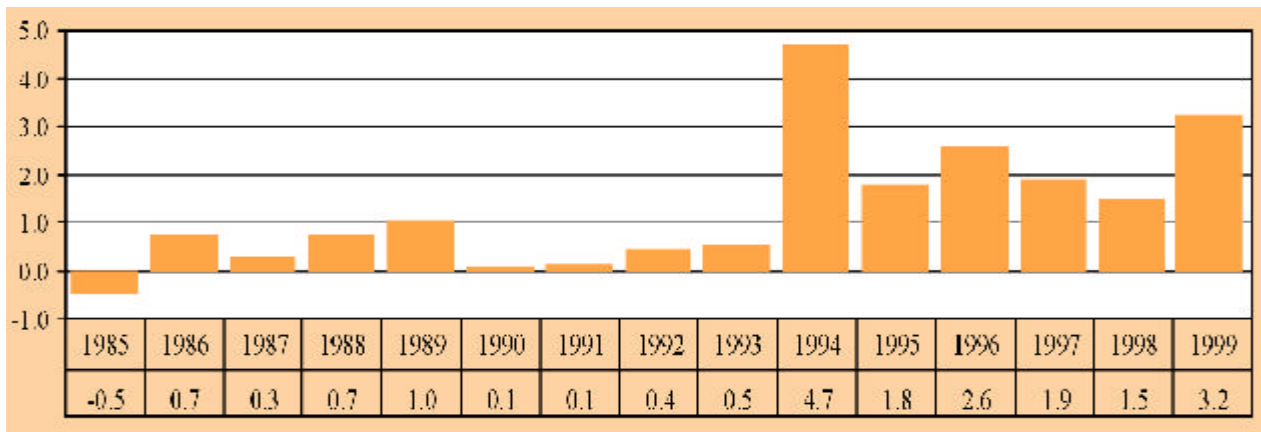
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FDI inflows, 1985-1999 (Millions of dollars)



FDI inflows as a percentage of gross fixed capital formation, 1985-1999



Largest cross-border M&A deals, 1987-1999

Acquired company	Industry	Acquiring company	Homeeconomy	Value (\$ million)	Year
Poura Gold Mine	Mining	Saheliangoldfields	Canada	..	1997
Poura Gold Mine (Burkina Faso) ^a	Mining	International gold resources	Canada	..	1996

^a Privatization.

BITs, 1 January 2000

Economy	Date of signature
Germany	23 October 1996
Malaysia	23 April 1998
Switzerland	6 May 1969
Tunisia	7 January 1993

DTTs, 1 January 2000

Economy	Date of signature
France	11 August 1965

Largest foreign affiliates, 1999

Company	Homeeconomy	Industry	Sales (\$million)	Employment	Year of establishment
Manufacture Burkinabe De Cigarettes SA	France	Cigarettes	25.9	150	..
Cica Burkina	France	Cars and other motor vehicles	21.0	150	1991
Scac Delmas Vilejeu	France	Freight transport arrangers	6.8	350	..
Compagnie Burkinabe Pour La Transformation De Metaux SA	India	Blast furnace and steel mills	6.0	100	..
Societe Nationale Du Transit Burkina Sarl	France	Freight transport arrangers	3.8	200	1995
Eeri	France	..	..	..	..
Sdv Burkina Faso	France	..	..	..	..
Ste Burkinabe Des Gaz Industriels	France	..	..	..	..

Other relevant information

- **Membership of relevant international agreements as of April 2001:** CREFAA, ICSID, MIGA, TRIMs, GATS
- **Address and website of investment promotion agency:** None
- **Fortune 500 investors:** Groupe Pinault-Printemps.
- **Member of WAIPA as of March 2001:** No

Burundi



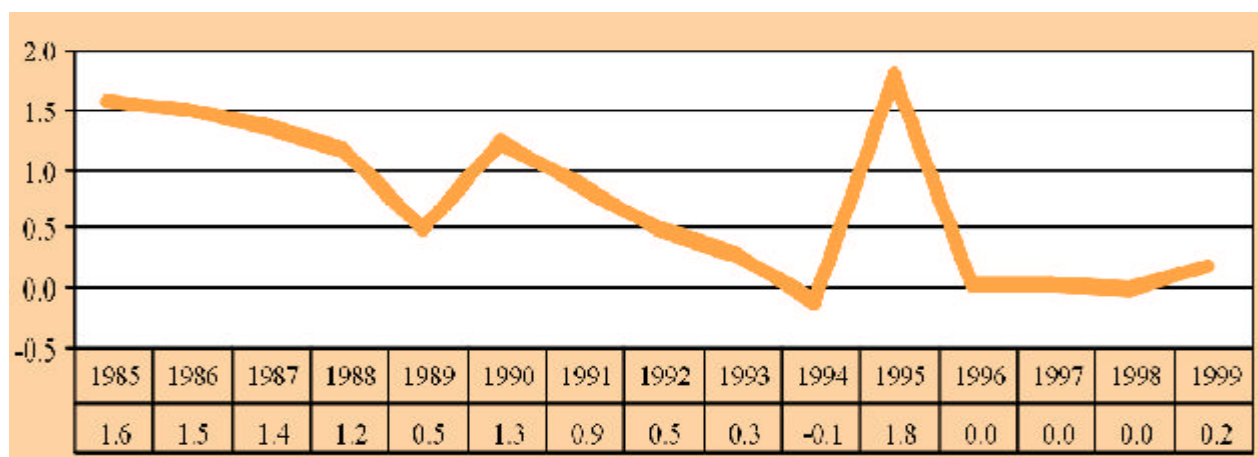
Area ('000 km²):		27.8
Population (millions):	2000	7.0
Capital city:		Bujumbura
Official language:		French and Kirundi
Currency:		Burundi Franc
Exchange rate (period average):	2000	Bufr720.7=\$1
GDP in current prices (millions of dollars):	1999	816.7
Exports of goods and services (millions of dollars):	1999	51.2
Imports of goods and services (millions of dollars):	1999	129.1
Official development assistance (millions of dollars):	1999	52.0
External debt (millions of dollars):	2000	1,095

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

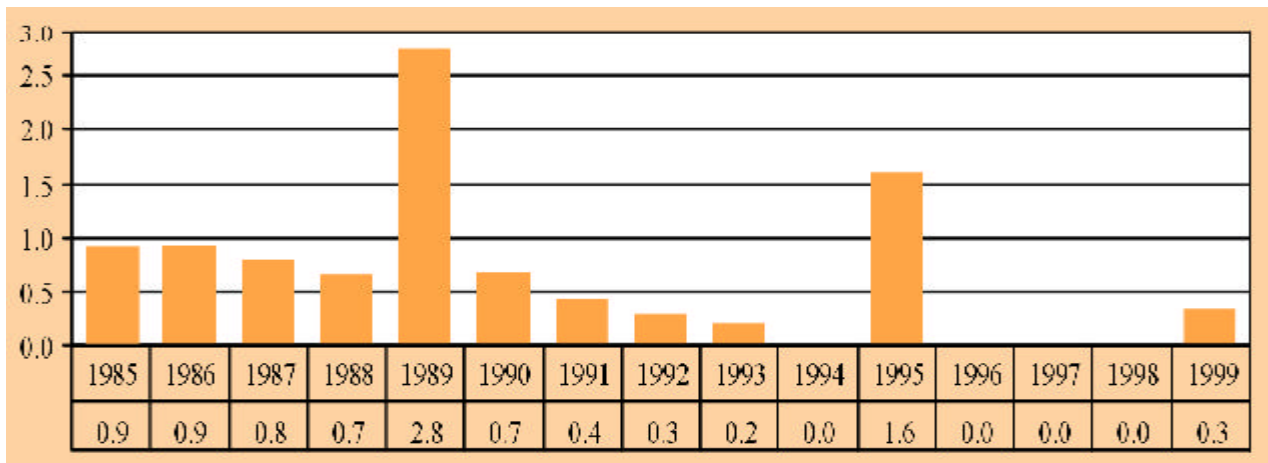
Region/economy	Inflows	Year	Inward stock	Year
Developed economies				
Belgium/Luxembourg	0.2	1998	..	..
France	0.2	1997	..	..
United States	-1.0	1985	1.0	1984
Developing economies				
China	..	..	0.7 ^a	1995

^a Approval data.

FDI inflows, 1985-1999 (Millions of dollars)



FDI inflows as a percentage of gross fixed capital formation, 1985-1999



BITs, 1 January 2000

Economy	Date of signature
Belgium/Luxembourg	13 April 1989
Germany	10 September 1984
United Kingdom	13 September 1990

Largest foreign affiliates, 1999

Company	Home economy	Industry	Sales (\$million)	Employment	Year of establishment
Brasseries Et Limonaderies Du Burundi Sarl	Netherlands	Bottled and canned soft drinks	46.2	1 350	1997
Chanic Burundi S A R L	France	Farm/garden machinery and equipment	1.6	51	..
Ami Burundi S A R L	Belgium	..	..	..	..

Other relevant information

- **Membership of relevant international agreements as of April 2001:** ICSID, MIGA, TRIMs, GATS, TRIPS
- **Address and website of investment promotion agency:** None
- **Fortune 500 investors:** Suez Lyonnaise des Eaux.
- **Member of WAIPA as of March 2001:** No

Cambodia



Area ('000 km²):		181.0
Population (millions):	2000	11.2
Capital city:		Phnom Penh
Official language:		Khmer
Currency:		Riel
Exchange rate (period average):	1999	CR3,807.8=\$1
GDP in current prices (millions of dollars):	1999	3,117.0
Exports of goods and services (millions of dollars):	1998	815.2
Imports of goods and services (millions of dollars):	1998	1,286.2
Official development assistance (millions of dollars):	1999	167.1
External debt (millions of dollars):	1998	2,210

Inward FDI: geographical breakdown, by source^a

(Millions of dollars)

Region/economy	Inflows	Year	Inward stock	Year
TOTAL WORLD	759.3	1997	4 534.4	1997
Developed economies	140.6	1997	788.8	1997
European Union	20.7	1997	292.1	1997
Belgium/Luxembourg	..	..	1.9	1997
France	0.7	1997	191.5	1997
Germany	0.1	1997	0.2	1997
Netherlands	..	..	13.5	1997
Portugal	1.4	1997	2.4	1997
Sweden	12.0	1997	12.0	1997
United Kingdom	6.4	1997	72.5	1997
Other Western Europe	..	..	6.0	1997
Switzerland	..	..	6.0	1997
North America	97.0	1997	446.7	1997
Canada	11.3	1997	53.2	1997
United States	85.8	1997	393.5	1997
Other developed economies	22.9	1997	44.0	1997
Australia	22.2	1997	31.7	1997
Israel	0.4	1997	0.4	1997
Japan	0.3	1997	11.9	1997
New Zealand	..	..	0.01	1997
Developing economies	618.7	1997	3 745.6	1997
Asia	618.7	1997	3 745.6	1997
Cambodia ^b	166.7	1997	1 028.2	1997
China	36.2	1997	105.7	1997
Hong Kong, China	72.3	1997	109.3	1997
India	..	..	0.3	1997
Indonesia	1.3	1997	41.1	1997
Macau	0.7	1997	0.7	1997
Malaysia	65.8	1997	1 720.4	1997
Republic of Korea	189.0	1997	196.1	1997
Singapore	15.1	1997	196.7	1997
Sri Lanka	..	..	0.3	1997
Taiwan Province of China	44.4	1997	223.1	1997
Thailand	27.3	1997	123.5	1997
Viet Nam	..	..	0.2	1997
Unspecified	..	..	0.03	1997

Inward FDI: industrial breakdown^a

(Millions of dollars)

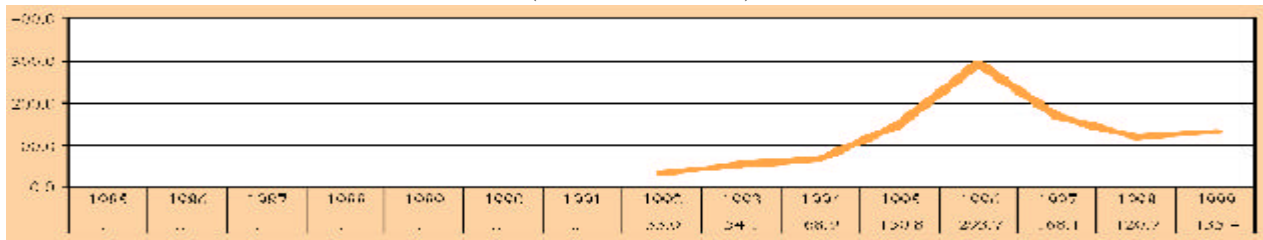
Sector/industry	Inflows	Year	Inward stock	Year
TOTAL	759.3	1997	..	..
Primary	61.4	1997	..	..
Agriculture, hunting, forestry and fishing	61.4	1997	..	..
Mining, quarrying and petroleum	5.0	1996	..	..
Secondary	531.5	1997	..	..
Unspecified secondary	3.6	1996	..	..
Food, beverages and tobacco	24.6	1997	..	..
Textiles, clothing and leather	114.4	1997	..	..
Wood and wood products	47.9	1997	..	..
Coke, petroleum products and nuclear fuel	111.7	1997	..	..
Chemicals and chemical products	1.8	1997	..	..
Rubber and plastic products	3.7	1997	..	..
Non-metallic mineral products	210.0	1997	..	..
Metal and metal products	0.4	1997	..	..
Machinery and equipment	2.2	1997	..	..
Electrical and electronic equipment	9.5	1996	..	..
Precision instruments	0.1	1996	..	..
Other manufacturing	14.7	1997	..	..
Tertiary	166.5	1997	..	..
Electricity, gas and water	0.5	1996	..	..
Construction	21.9	1997	..	..
Hotels and restaurants	40.1	1997	..	..
Transport, storage and communications	54.5	1997	..	..
Business activities	0.9	1995	..	..
Education	0.3	1996	..	..
Health and social services	0.4	1995	..	..
Community, social and personal service activities	0.9	1996
Other services	50.0	1997
Unspecified	-0.1	1996

^a Approval data.

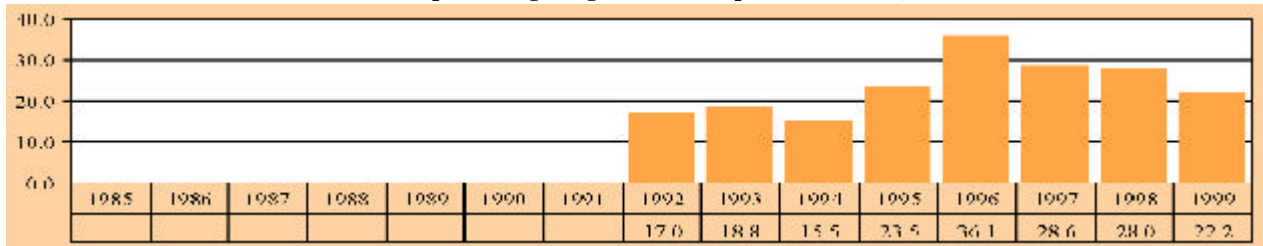
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^b Investment by foreign companies in Cambodia.

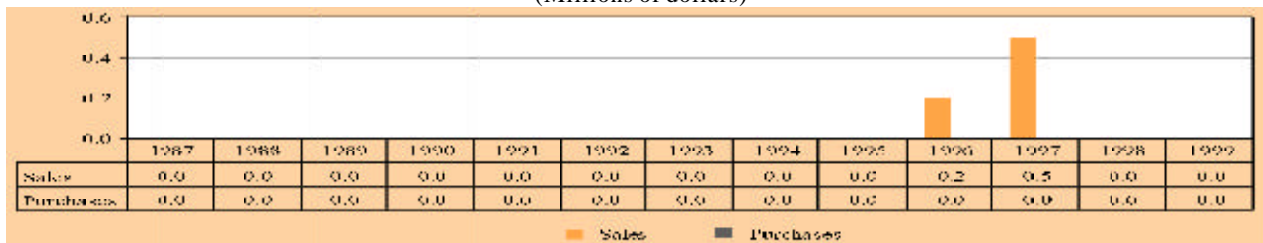
FDI inflows, 1985-1999 (Millions of dollars)



FDI inflows as a percentage of gross fixed capital formation, 1985-1999



Cross-border M&As, sales and purchases, 1987-1999 (Millions of dollars)



Largest cross-border M&A deals, 1987-1999

Acquired company	Industry	Acquiring company	Home economy (\$ million)	Value	Year
Regent College (Ariston)	Educational services	Melewar Academia Holdings	Malaysia	0.5	1997
Shanghai Mainland Construction	Construction firms	Low Keng Huat International	Malaysia	0.2	1996
Asbina Hotel and Property	Real estate; mortgage bankers and brokers	Alangka-Suka International Ltd.	Malaysia	..	1997
Low Keng Huat (Cambodia)	Construction firms	Low Keng Huat Construction Co.	Malaysia	..	1996
Premier Oil Pacific Ltd.	Oil and gas; petroleum refining	Idemitsu Oil and Gas Ltd.	Japan	..	1994
Royal Air Cambodia	Air transportation and shipping	Singapore Airlines Ltd.	Singapore	..	1993

BITs, 1 January 2000

Economy	Date of signature
China	19 July 1996
Germany	15 February 1999
Indonesia	16 March 1999
Republic of Korea	10 February 1997
Malaysia	17 August 1994
Singapore	4 November 96
Switzerland	12 October 1996
Thailand	29 March 1995

Largest foreign affiliates, 1999

Company	Home economy	Industry	Sales (\$million)	Employment	Year of establishment
Eastern Steel Industry Corp.	Japan	Motor vehicles parts	..	161	1994
T.T.H.K. Co., Ltd.	Japan	Motor vehicles	..	38	1995

Other relevant information

- **Membership of relevant international agreements as of April 2001:** CREFAA, ICSID, MIGA, Observer member to WTO
- **Address and website of investment promotion agency:** Cambodian Investment Board - Council for the Development of Cambodia; Sisowath Quay, Wat Phnom - Pnom Penh; Tel: (855) 23 981 163/981 156; Fax: (855) 23 428 426/ 428 953-4
- **Fortune 500 investors:** Sumitomo, Toyota Tsusho.
- **Member of WAIPA as of March 2001:** No

Cape Verde



Area ('000 km²):		4.0
Population (millions):	2000	0.4
Capital city:		Praia
Official language:		Portuguese
Currency:		Cape Verde escudo
Exchange rate (period average):	1999	CVEsc102.7=\$1
GDP in current prices (millions of dollars):	1999	580.6
Exports of goods and services (millions of dollars):	1998	119.1
Imports of goods and services (millions of dollars):	1998	308.9
Official development assistance (millions of dollars):	1999	88.7
External debt (millions of dollars):	1998	243.7

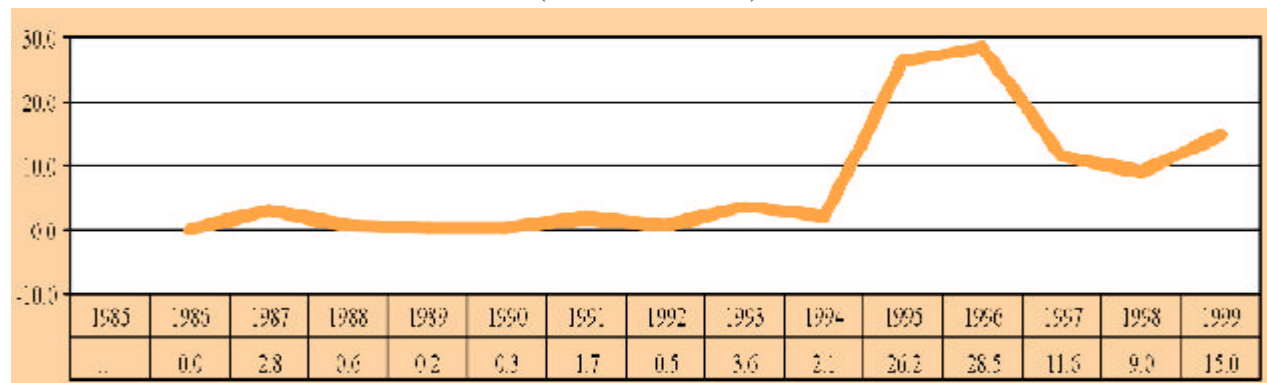
Inward FDI: geographical breakdown, by source (Millions of dollars)

Region/economy	Inflows	Year	Inward stock	Year
TOTAL WORLD	27.9	1995	52.3	1995
Developed economies	26.3	1995	49.9	1995
Belgium	26.3	1995	49.9	1995
Belgium/Luxembourg	1.6	1995	1.6	1995
Denmark	..	..	1.6	1995
Germany	..	..	0.001	1995
Italy	0.5	1995	0.5	1995
Portugal	24.2	1995	33.2	1995
United Kingdom	..	..	12.9	1995
Developing economies	1.6	1995	2.4	1995
Africa	..	..	0.8	1995
Senegal	..	..	0.8	1995
Asia	0.002	1995	1.5	1995
Hong Kong, China	0.002	1995	1.5	1995
Central and Eastern Europe	..	..	0.003	1995
Russian Federation	..	..	0.003	1995

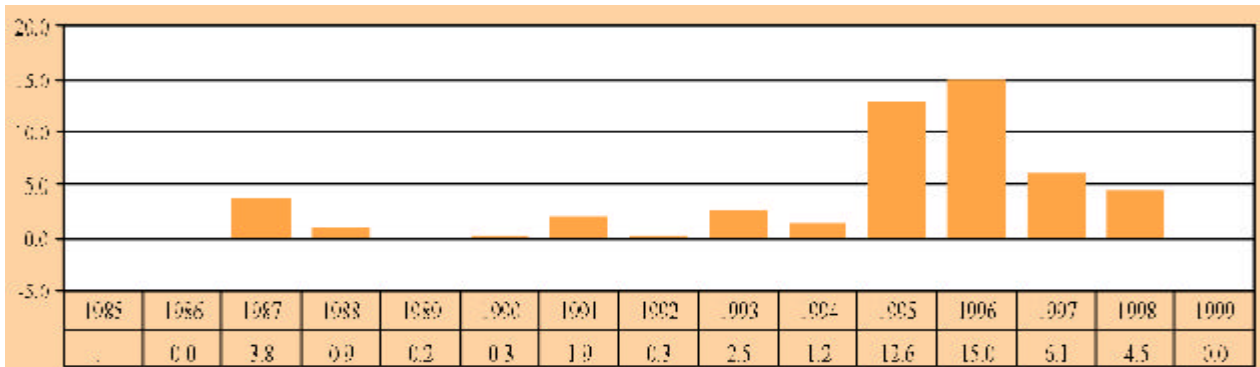
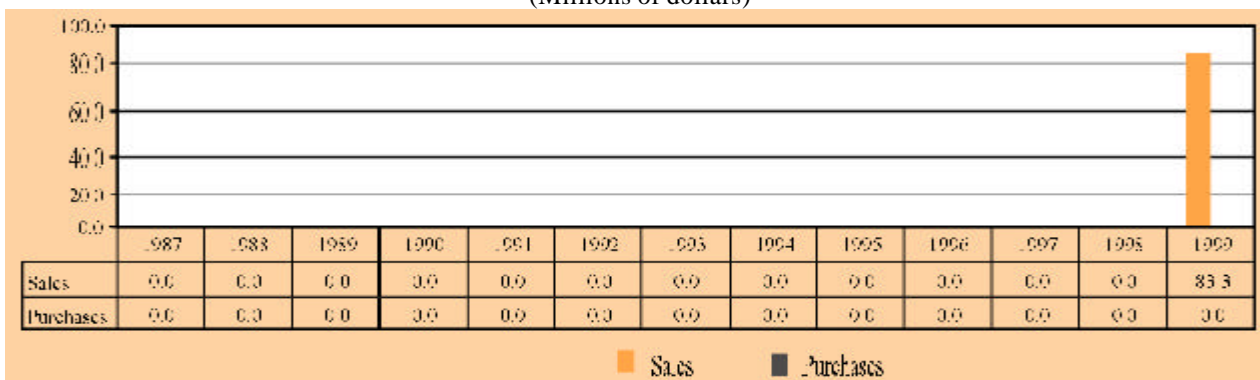
Inward FDI: industrial breakdown (Millions of dollars)

Sector/industry	Inflows	Year	Inward stock	Year
TOTAL	27.9	1995	..	..
Secondary	4.6	1995	..	..
Food, beverages and tobacco	1.5	1995	..	..
Textiles, clothing and leather	2.0	1995	..	..
Non-metallic mineral products	0.3	1995	..	..
Machinery & equipment	0.5	1995	..	..
Motor vehicles and other transport equipment	1.5	1994	..	..
Other manufacturing	0.2	1995	..	..
Tertiary	23.3	1995	..	..
Construction	0.1	1995	..	..
Trade	2.2	1994	..	..
Transport, storage and communications	23.1	1995	..	..
Other services	0.1	1995	..	..

FDI inflows, 1985-1999 (Millions of dollars)



FDI inflows as a percentage of gross fixed capital formation, 1985-1999

Cross-border M&As, sales and purchases, 1987-1999
(Millions of dollars)

Largest cross-border M&A deals, 1987-1999

Acquired company	Industry	Acquiring company	Home economy	Value (\$ million)	Year
Electra	Electric, gas and water distribution	Investor Group	Portugal	83.3	1999

BITs, 1 January 2000

Economy	Date of signature
Angola	30 September 1997
Austria	3 September 1991
China	27 April 1998
Cuba	22 May 1997
Germany	18 January 1990
Italy	12 June 1990
Netherlands	11 November 1991
Portugal	26 October 1990
Switzerland	28 October 1991

DTTs, 1 January 2000

Economy	Date of signature
Portugal	22 March 1999

Other relevant information

- **Membership of relevant international agreements as of April 2001:** MIGA, Observer member to WTO
- **Address and website of investment promotion agency:** Center for Investment, Expert and Tourism Promotion (PROMEX); Avenida OUA, Achada St Antonio Praia Santiago - Cape Verde
Tel: (238) 62 2736/2621 Fax: (238) 62 2737/2689
- **Fortune 500 investors:** None
- **Member of WAIPA as of March 2001:** Yes

Central African Republic



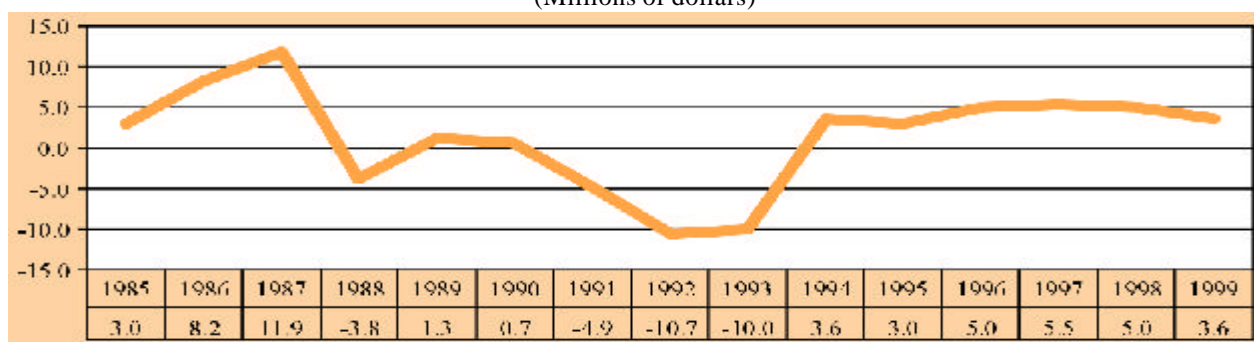
Area ('000 km²):		623.0
Population (millions):	2000	3.6
Capital city:		Bangui
Official language:		French and Sango
Currency:		CFA franc
Exchange rate (period average):	1999	CFAfr615.7=\$1
GDP in current prices (millions of dollars):	1999	1,052.8
Exports of goods and services (millions of dollars):	1996	200.8
Imports of goods and services (millions of dollars):	1996	230.6
Official development assistance (millions of dollars):	1999	59.1
External debt (millions of dollars):	1998	921.3

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

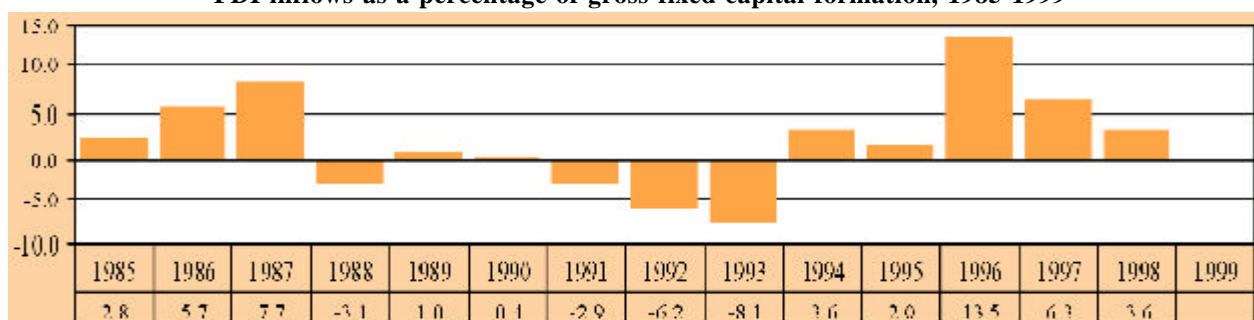
Region/economy	Inflows	Year	Inward stock	Year
Developed economies				
Belgium/Luxembourg	1.1	1998	..	..
France	3.0	1999	..	..
United States	-2.0	1986	2.0	1985
Developing economies				
China	1.8 ^a	1995
India	10.3	1992

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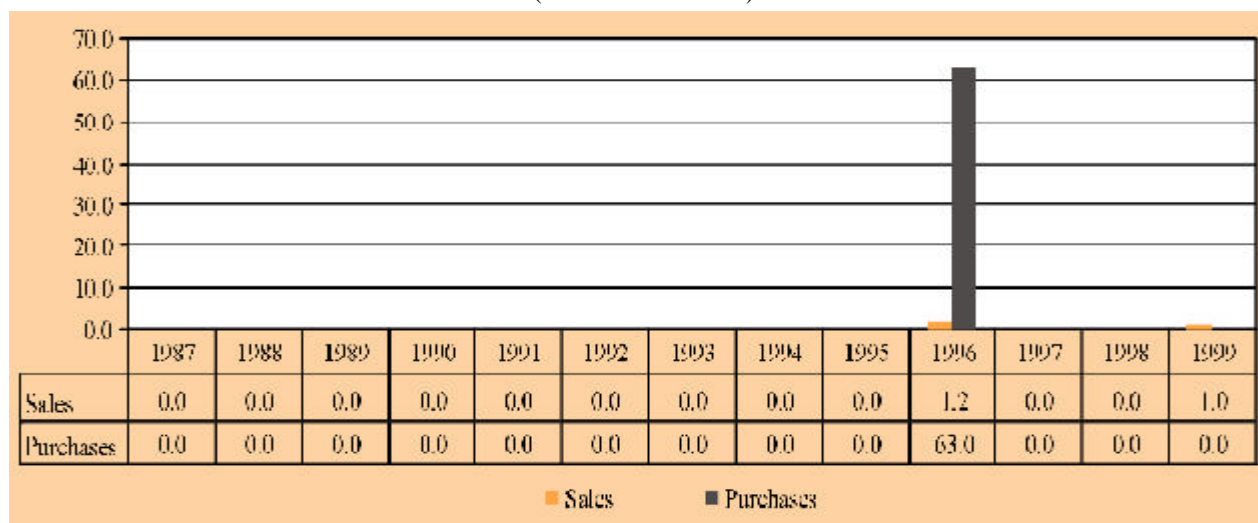
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Largest cross-border M&A deals, 1987-1999

Acquired company	Industry	Acquiring company	Home economy	Value (\$ million)	Year
Banque Internationale	Commercial banks, bank holding companies	Banque Belgoise (Generale Bk)	Belgium	1.0	1999

BITs, 1 January 2000

Economy	Date of signature
France	13 August 1960
Germany	23 August 1965
Switzerland	28 February 1973

DTTs, 1 January 2000

Economy	Date of signature
France	13 December 1969

Largest foreign affiliates, 1999

Company	Home economy	Industry	Sales (\$million)	Employment	Year of establishment
Societe Centrafricaine Des Gaz Industriels SA	France	Industrial gases	2.1	27	..
Societe Centrafricaine De Cigarettes SA	France	Cigarettes	..	115	..
C F A O Centrafrique SA	France	Nondurable goods nec	..	..	..
Sodeca	France	..	..	..	..

Other relevant information

- **Membership of relevant international agreements as of April 2001:** CREFAA, ICSID, MIGA, TRIMS, GATS, TRIPS
- **Address and website of investment promotion agency:** Banque Centrafricaine d'Investissement (BCI) B.P. 93 Bangui - République Centrafricaine; Tel: (236) 61 0064
- **Fortune 500 investors:** Bouygues, Fortis, Groupe Pinault-Printemps.
- **Member of WAIPA as of March 2001:** No