

2004 World Population Data Sheet

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The First Time Series of HIV/AIDS Estimates

For the first time, the United Nations has produced a time series for the country estimates of HIV/AIDS prevalence. UNAIDS' country-level estimates are reworked every two years based on updated information from sentinel sites, where samples of groups such as patients at STD clinics and women at antenatal care clinics are tested for the disease; and from surveys and other research.

UNAIDS estimates that, globally, 1.1 percent of adults ages 15-49 were living with HIV/AIDS at the end of 2003, up from 1.0 percent two years before. In sub-Saharan Africa, the estimates provide hope for that

region, the world's hardest-hit. Prevalence declined from 7.6 percent to 7.5 percent over the 2001-2003 period.

Looking at the trend over that period, 14 African countries are estimated to have had a decline in their HIV/AIDS prevalence, led by Kenya and Uganda. In contrast, 24 African countries are believed to have shown either no decrease or a rise in HIV/AIDS prevalence.

UNAIDS estimates that about 2.9 million adults and children died of AIDS in 2003, and that the number of children orphaned by the disease rose from 11.5 million in 2001 to 15.0 million in 2003.

Top 15 HIV/AIDS Prevalence Countries (end 2003)

| Africa | | | Outside Africa | | |
|--------|----------------------|-----------------------|----------------|---------------------|-----------------------|
| Rank | Country | Percent of population | Rank | Country | Percent of population |
| 1 | Swaziland | 38.8 | 1 | Haiti | 5.6 |
| 2 | Botswana | 37.3 | 2 | Trinidad and Tobago | 3.2 |
| 3 | Lesotho | 28.9 | 3 | Bahamas | 3.0 |
| 4 | Zimbabwe | 24.6 | 4 | Cambodia | 2.6 |
| 5 | South Africa | 21.5 | 5 | Guyana | 2.5 |
| 6 | Namibia | 21.3 | 6 | Belize | 2.4 |
| 7 | Zambia | 16.5 | 7 | Honduras | 1.8 |
| 8 | Malawi | 14.2 | 8 | Dominican Republic | 1.7 |
| 9 | Central African Rep. | 13.5 | | Suriname | 1.7 |
| 10 | Mozambique | 12.2 | 10 | Thailand | 1.5 |
| 11 | Tanzania | 8.8 | | Barbados | 1.5 |
| 12 | Gabon | 8.1 | 12 | Ukraine | 1.4 |
| 13 | Côte d'Ivoire | 7.0 | 13 | Myanmar | 1.2 |
| 14 | Cameroon | 6.9 | 14 | Jamaica | 1.2 |
| 15 | Kenya | 6.7 | 15 | Estonia | 1.1 |

The World's 10 Largest Countries

Three of the world's 10 most populous countries in 2004 are the United States, Russia, and Japan. By 2050, only one, the United States, is expected to remain in that top 10 list.

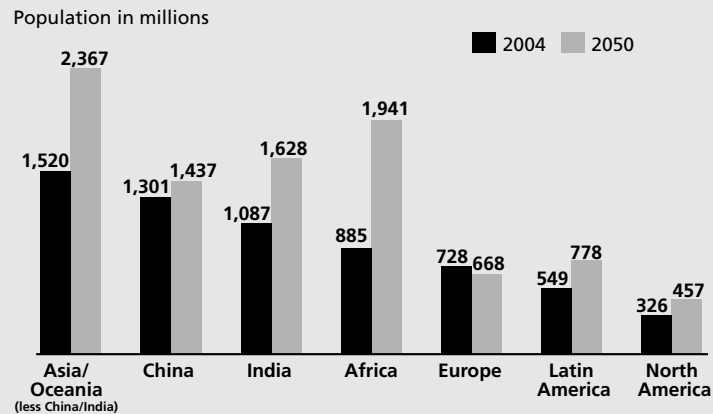
| 2004 | | |
|------|---------------|-----------------------|
| Rank | Country | Population (millions) |
| 1 | China | 1,300 |
| 2 | India | 1,087 |
| 3 | United States | 294 |
| 4 | Indonesia | 219 |
| 5 | Brazil | 179 |
| 6 | Pakistan | 159 |
| 7 | Russia | 144 |
| 8 | Bangladesh | 141 |
| 9 | Nigeria | 137 |
| 10 | Japan | 128 |

| 2050 | | |
|------|---------------------|-----------------------|
| Rank | Country | Population (millions) |
| 1 | India | 1,628 |
| 2 | China | 1,437 |
| 3 | United States | 420 |
| 4 | Indonesia | 308 |
| 5 | Nigeria | 307 |
| 6 | Pakistan | 295 |
| 7 | Bangladesh | 280 |
| 8 | Brazil | 221 |
| 9 | Congo, Dem. Rep. of | 181 |
| 10 | Ethiopia | 173 |

WORLD POPULATION HIGHLIGHTS

All World Regions Except Europe Will Continue to Grow.

Developing countries in Africa and Asia will account for about 90 percent of the increase in world population projected by 2050, while the populations of most developed countries will decrease. Among the developed countries, only the United States is likely to see significant growth, a result of immigration and a birth rate higher than other developed nations.

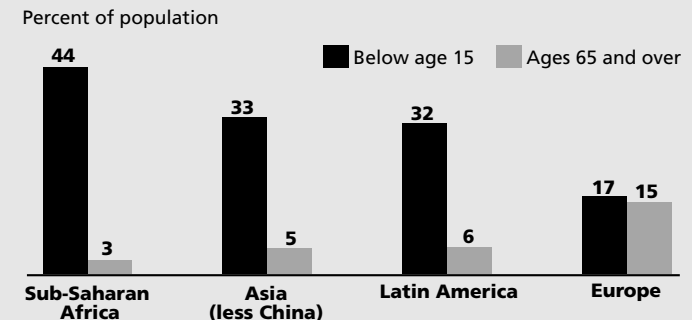


Niger is expected to be the fastest-growing country between now and 2050, rising from 12 million to 53 million. Bulgaria will decline the most, from 8 million to about 5 million.

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Across World Regions, Contrasting Age Structure Will Lead to Sharply Different Demographic Futures.

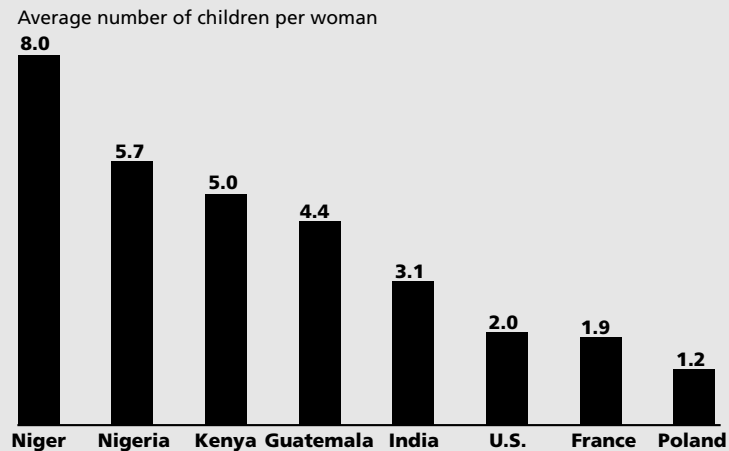
Developing countries will far outpace developed countries in population growth because of a young age structure as well as higher birth rates. High birth rates in the past, and falling but continued high birth rates for many developing countries, guarantee several decades of growth. In the more developed countries, very low proportions of youth and high proportions of older people are significant factors in the coming population decline.



In Japan, only 14 percent of the population is below age 15, while 19 percent is above age 65. Nearly half of Nigeria's population is below age 15, and only 3 percent is above age 65.

Around the World, Birth Rates Range Dramatically From 1.2 to 8 Children per Woman.

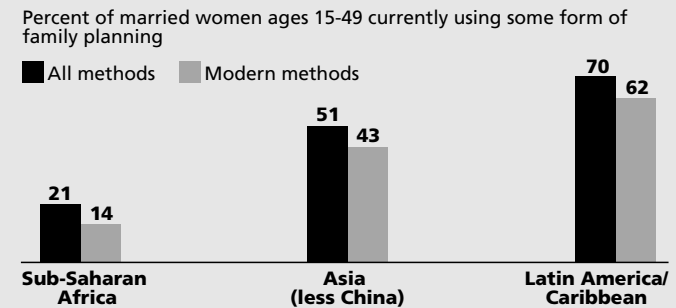
In some countries of Africa and the Middle East, women average about six to eight births in their lifetimes. In Europe, the average falls far short of two children. Such low rates will ensure population decline and, in many European countries, the annual number of births is less than the number of deaths.



The United States has one of the highest birth rates among developed countries, with a total fertility rate of 2.0. Other developed countries have fertility rates lower or much lower than 2.0.

Among Less Developed Regions, Latin America Leads in Contraceptive Use.

Family planning use is becoming more widespread in developing countries to help women avoid unintended pregnancies and to lower birth rates. A clear prerequisite is the availability of modern contraception for couples with both the knowledge and desire to use it. This objective has been generally achieved in much of Latin America and the Caribbean, but often falls quite short in sub-Saharan Africa and parts of Asia and Oceania. In each region, contraceptive use varies broadly. Obstacles such as the lack of funds and supplies—and the lack of comprehensive programs to educate couples on their options—are significant barriers.



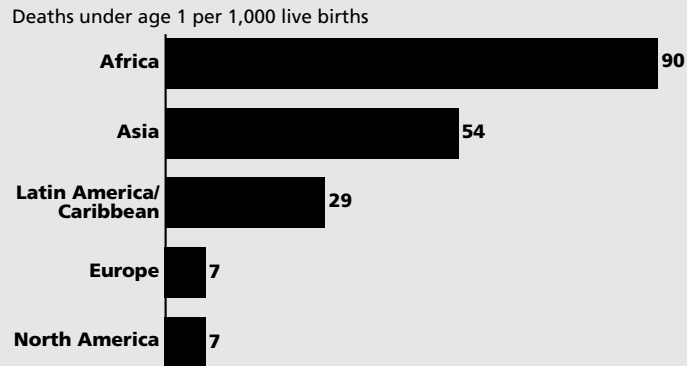
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In Rwanda, only 4 percent of women practice a modern method of family planning, while at least 70 percent do in Brazil.

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Despite Improvements, Each Year an Infant is 13 Times More Likely to Die in Africa as in Europe or North America.

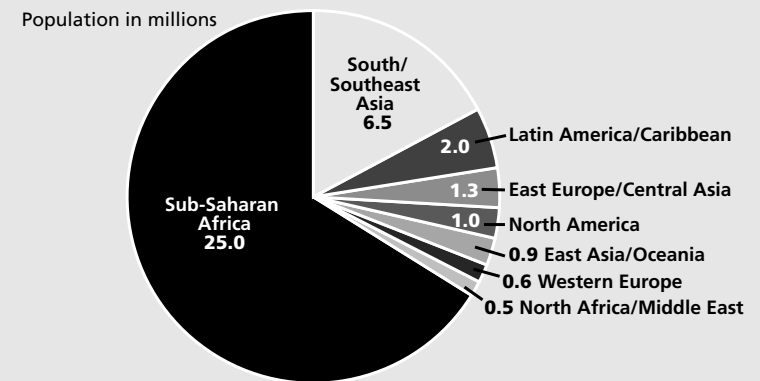
The lack of prenatal and postnatal care, resulting from the lack of facilities, trained professionals, or ignorance of the need for professional care, are major contributors to high rates of infant mortality. The fact that high rates remain in many countries does mask the fact, however, that real progress has been made. In Africa, rates have been halved since 1950, showing that maternal and child health programs do work.



The gap is wide in infant mortality: 150 infant deaths per 1,000 births in Liberia, to 3 per 1,000 in Finland.

HIV/AIDS Is a Devastating Global Problem With a Few Beacons of Hope.

The number of people now living with HIV/AIDS has reached 38 million, according to the United Nations. Sub-Saharan Africa has by far the largest number of people living with HIV/AIDS, just over 25 million. Out of the 6.5 million HIV/AIDS victims in South/Southeast Asia, 5.1 million live in India. It is estimated, however, that infection rates have begun to decline in a number of countries, so that the situation need not be hopeless.



Globally, from 2001 to 2003, the number of people living with HIV/AIDS continued to rise, from 35 million to 38 million.

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Demographic Data and Estimates for the Countries and Regions of the World

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| | | | | | 2025 | 2050 | | | | <15 | 65+ | Total | Male | Female | | | End-2001 | End-2003 | All Methods | Modern Methods | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| WORLD | 6,396 | 21 | 9 | 1.3 | 7,934 | 9,276 | 45 | 56 | 2.8 | 30 | 7 | 67 | 65 | 69 | 48 | | 1.0 | 1.1 | 59 | 52 | | 7,590 | 51,789,601 | 123 | |
| MORE DEVELOPED | 1,206 | 11 | 10 | 0.1 | 1,257 | 1,257 | 4 | 7 | 1.6 | 17 | 15 | 76 | 72 | 80 | 76 | | 0.4 | 0.5 | 69 | 58 | | 23,690 | 19,814,584 | 61 | |
| LESS DEVELOPED | 5,190 | 24 | 8 | 1.5 | 6,677 | 8,019 | 55 | 62 | 3.1 | 33 | 5 | 65 | 63 | 67 | 41 | | 1.4 | 1.4 | 57 | 51 | | 3,850 | 31,975,017 | 162 | |
| LESS DEVELOPED (Excl. China) | 3,890 | 27 | 9 | 1.8 | 5,201 | 6,582 | 69 | 66 | 3.5 | 36 | 4 | 63 | 61 | 64 | 41 | | 1.9 | 1.9 | 48 | 40 | | 3,630 | 28,278,917 | 138 | |
| AFRICA | 885 | 38 | 14 | 2.4 | 1,323 | 1,941 | 119 | 90 | 5.1 | 42 | 3 | 52 | 51 | 54 | 35 | | 6.3 | 6.2 | 28 | 20 | | 2,100 | 11,698,111 | 76 | |
| SUB-SAHARAN AFRICA | 733 | 41 | 16 | 2.5 | 1,120 | 1,701 | 132 | 96 | 5.6 | 44 | 3 | 49 | 48 | 50 | 31 | | 7.6 | 7.5 | 21 | 14 | | 1,670 | 9,379,573 | 78 | |
| NORTHERN AFRICA | 191 | 26 | 7 | 2.0 | 265 | 324 | 70 | 49 | 3.4 | 36 | 4 | 67 | 66 | 69 | 46 | | 0.5 | 0.5 | 51 | 41 | | 3,680 | 3,286,031 | 58 | |
| Algeria | 32.3 | 20 | 4 | 1.5 | 40.5 | 44.3 | 37 | 54 | 2.5 | 34 | 4 | 73 | 73 | 74 | 49 | C | z | 0.1 | 64 | 50 | H | 5,530 | 919,591 | 35 | Algiers |
| Egypt | 73.4 | 26 | 6 | 2.0 | 103.2 | 127.4 | 74 | 38 | 3.2 | 36 | 5 | 68 | 66 | 70 | 43 | B | z | z | 60 | 57 | H | 3,810 | 386,660 | 190 | Cairo |
| Libya | 5.6 | 28 | 4 | 2.4 | 8.3 | 10.8 | 92 | 28 | 3.6 | 35 | 4 | 76 | 74 | 78 | 86 | B | — | 0.3 | 49 | 26 | S | — | 679,359 | 8 | Tripoli |
| Morocco | 30.6 | 21 | 6 | 1.5 | 39.2 | 45.0 | 47 | 37 | 2.5 | 31 | 5 | 70 | 68 | 72 | 57 | B | — | 0.1 | 63 | 55 | H | 3,730 | 172,413 | 177 | Rabat |
| Sudan | 39.1 | 38 | 10 | 2.8 | 61.3 | 84.2 | 115 | 69 | 5.4 | 45 | 2 | 57 | 56 | 58 | 31 | C | 1.9 | 2.3 | 10 | 7 | H | 1,740 | 967,494 | 40 | Khartoum |
| Tunisia | 10.0 | 17 | 6 | 1.1 | 11.6 | 12.2 | 22 | 22 | 2.0 | 28 | 6 | 73 | 71 | 75 | 63 | B | z | z | 60 | 49 | H | 6,440 | 63,170 | 158 | Tunis |
| Western Sahara | 0.3 | 29 | 8 | 2.1 | 0.5 | 0.6 | 103 | 59 | 4.1 | — | — | 62 | — | — | — | D | — | — | — | — | — | — | 97,344 | 3 | El Aaiún |
| WESTERN AFRICA | 263 | 42 | 15 | 2.8 | 410 | 633 | 141 | 100 | 5.8 | 44 | 3 | 51 | 50 | 51 | 36 | | 4.5 | 4.3 | 14 | 8 | | 1,070 | 2,370,015 | 111 | |
| Benin | 7.3 | 41 | 14 | 2.7 | 11.8 | 18.0 | 148 | 89 | 5.6 | 46 | 3 | 51 | 50 | 52 | 40 | C | 1.9 | 1.9 | 19 | 7 | S | 1,060 | 43,483 | 167 | Porto-Novo |
| Burkina Faso | 13.6 | 45 | 19 | 2.6 | 22.5 | 39.5 | 191 | 83 | 6.2 | 46 | 3 | 45 | 44 | 46 | 15 | B | — | 1.8 | 14 | 9 | H | 1,090 | 105,792 | 128 | Ouagadougou |
| Cape Verde | 0.5 | 29 | 7 | 2.3 | 0.7 | 0.8 | 74 | 31 | 4.0 | 42 | 6 | 69 | 66 | 73 | 53 | B | — | — | 53 | 46 | H | 4,920 | 1,556 | 300 | Cidade de Praia |
| Côte d'Ivoire | 16.9 | 39 | 19 | 2.0 | 22.1 | 27.6 | 63 | 102 | 5.2 | 43 | 3 | 42 | 42 | 43 | 46 | C | 6.7 | 7.0 | 15 | 7 | H | 1,450 | 124,502 | 136 | Abidjan |
| Gambia | 1.5 | 41 | 13 | 2.9 | 2.7 | 4.2 | 169 | 78 | 5.6 | 45 | 3 | 54 | 52 | 56 | 26 | C | 1.2 | 1.2 | 10 | 9 | H | 1,660 | 4,363 | 355 | Banjul |
| Ghana | 21.4 | 33 | 10 | 2.2 | 30.6 | 39.5 | 85 | 64 | 4.4 | 40 | 3 | 58 | 57 | 59 | 44 | B | — | 2.2 | 25 | 19 | H | 2,080 | 92,100 | 232 | Accra |
| Guinea | 9.2 | 43 | 16 | 2.7 | 16.2 | 30.6 | 231 | 98 | 6.0 | 45 | 3 | 49 | 48 | 50 | 33 | C | 2.8 | 3.2 | 6 | 4 | H | 2,060 | 94,927 | 97 | Conakry |
| Guinea-Bissau | 1.5 | 50 | 20 | 3.0 | 2.8 | 4.7 | 207 | 125 | 7.1 | 47 | 3 | 45 | 43 | 47 | 32 | C | — | — | 8 | 4 | H | 680 | 13,946 | 110 | Bissau |
| Liberia | 3.5 | 50 | 22 | 2.9 | 6.1 | 9.8 | 182 | 150 | 6.8 | 47 | 2 | 42 | 41 | 43 | 45 | D | 5.1 | 5.9 | — | — | H | — | 43,000 | 81 | Monrovia |
| Mali | 13.4 | 50 | 17 | 3.3 | 25.7 | 46.0 | 243 | 123 | 7.0 | 49 | 2 | 48 | 48 | 49 | 30 | B | 1.9 | 1.9 | 8 | 6 | H | 860 | 478,838 | 28 | Bamako |
| Mauritania | 3.0 | 42 | 15 | 2.7 | 5.0 | 7.5 | 152 | 102 | 5.9 | 43 | 3 | 54 | 53 | 55 | 40 | B | 0.5 | 0.6 | 8 | 5 | S | 1,790 | 395,954 | 8 | Nouakchott |
| Niger | 12.4 | 55 | 20 | 3.5 | 25.7 | 53.0 | 327 | 123 | 8.0 | 50 | 2 | 45 | 45 | 46 | 21 | C | 1.1 | 1.2 | 14 | 4 | H | 800 | 489,189 | 25 | Niamey |
| Nigeria | 137.3 | 42 | 13 | 2.9 | 206.4 | 307.4 | 124 | 100 | 5.7 | 44 | 3 | 52 | 52 | 52 | 36 | C | 5.5 | 5.4 | 12 | 8 | H | 800 | 356,668 | 385 | Abuja |
| Senegal | 10.9 | 37 | 11 | 2.6 | 17.1 | 24.6 | 126 | 64 | 5.1 | 44 | 3 | 56 | 55 | 57 | 43 | C | 0.8 | 0.8 | 11 | 8 | H | 1,540 | 75,954 | 143 | Dakar |
| Sierra Leone | 5.2 | 50 | 29 | 2.1 | 7.6 | 10.3 | 100 | 180 | 6.5 | 44 | 3 | 35 | 34 | 36 | 37 | D | — | — | 4 | 4 | H | 500 | 27,699 | 187 | Freetown |
| Togo | 5.6 | 38 | 11 | 2.7 | 7.6 | 9.7 | 74 | 72 | 5.5 | 46 | 2 | 54 | 53 | 56 | 33 | C | 4.3 | 4.1 | 26 | 9 | S | 1,450 | 21,927 | 253 | Lomé |

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| EASTERN AFRICA | 270 | 41 | 18 | 2.3 | 415 | 632 | 134 | 98 | 5.7 | 45 | 3 | 46 | 44 | 47 | 22 | | 7.9 | 7.6 | 22 | 16 | | 950 | 2,456,184 | 110 | |
| Burundi | 6.2 | 40 | 18 | 2.2 | 10.1 | 15.4 | 147 | 74 | 6.2 | 47 | 3 | 43 | 42 | 44 | 8 | C | 6.2 | 6.0 | 16 | 10 | H | 630 | 10,745 | 580 | Bujumbura |
| Comoros | 0.7 | 47 | 12 | 3.5 | 1.1 | 1.8 | 181 | 84 | 6.8 | 47 | 2 | 56 | 54 | 59 | 33 | C | — | — | 26 | 19 | H | 1,690 | 861 | 757 | Moroni |
| Djibouti | 0.7 | 41 | 17 | 2.3 | 1.0 | 1.4 | 96 | 106 | 5.9 | 43 | 3 | 46 | 45 | 48 | 82 | D | 2.8 | 2.9 | — | — | H | 2,040 | 8,958 | 79 | Djibouti |
| Eritrea | 4.4 | 39 | 13 | 2.6 | 7.0 | 10.5 | 137 | 76 | 5.7 | 45 | 3 | 53 | 52 | 55 | 19 | C | 2.8 | 2.7 | 8 | 5 | H | 1,040 | 45,405 | 98 | Asmara |
| Ethiopia | 72.4 | 41 | 18 | 2.4 | 117.6 | 173.3 | 139 | 105 | 5.9 | 44 | 3 | 46 | 45 | 47 | 15 | B | 4.1 | 4.4 | 8 | 6 | H | 780 | 426,371 | 170 | Addis Ababa |
| Kenya | 32.4 | 38 | 15 | 2.3 | 39.9 | 49.9 | 54 | 78 | 5.0 | 44 | 4 | 51 | 48 | 53 | 36 | B | 8.0 | 6.7 | 39 | 32 | H | 1,010 | 224,081 | 145 | Nairobi |
| Madagascar | 17.5 | 43 | 12 | 3.0 | 33.0 | 65.5 | 274 | 84 | 5.8 | 45 | 3 | 55 | 53 | 58 | 26 | B | 1.3 | 1.7 | 19 | 12 | H | 730 | 226,656 | 77 | Antananarivo |
| Malawi | 11.9 | 51 | 21 | 3.1 | 23.8 | 47.2 | 296 | 121 | 6.6 | 46 | 3 | 44 | 42 | 45 | 14 | B | 14.3 | 14.2 | 31 | 26 | H | 570 | 45,745 | 261 | Lilongwe |
| Mauritius | 1.2 | 16 | 7 | 1.0 | 1.4 | 1.5 | 22 | 13.2 | 1.9 | 25 | 7 | 72 | 68 | 75 | 42 | A | — | — | 76 | 42 | S | 10,820 | 788 | 1,568 | Port Louis |
| Mayotte | 0.2 | 41 | 9 | 3.2 | 0.3 | 0.6 | 219 | — | 5.6 | 42 | 2 | 60 | 58 | 62 | 28 | C | — | — | — | — | — | — | 145 | 1,201 | Mamoudzou |
| Mozambique | 19.2 | 40 | 23 | 1.7 | 25.4 | 31.3 | 63 | 127 | 5.5 | 44 | 3 | 40 | 38 | 42 | 29 | B | 12.1 | 12.2 | 17 | 12 | H | 990 | 309,494 | 62 | Maputo |
| Reunion | 0.8 | 20 | 5 | 1.4 | 1.0 | 1.1 | 37 | 27 | 2.5 | 27 | 7 | 75 | 71 | 80 | 89 | B | — | — | 70 | — | — | — | 969 | 798 | St. Denis |
| Rwanda | 8.4 | 40 | 21 | 1.9 | 11.7 | 17.2 | 104 | 107 | 5.8 | 43 | 3 | 40 | 39 | 41 | 17 | C | 5.1 | 5.1 | 13 | 4 | H | 1,260 | 10,170 | 829 | Kigali |
| Seychelles | 0.1 | 18 | 8 | 1.0 | 0.1 | 0.1 | 11 | 18 | 2.0 | 26 | 7 | 71 | 67 | 76 | 50 | C | — | — | — | — | H | — | 174 | 460 | Victoria |
| Somalia | 8.3 | 47 | 18 | 2.9 | 14.9 | 25.5 | 207 | 124 | 7.1 | 45 | 3 | 47 | 45 | 48 | 33 | D | — | — | 8 | 1 | S | — | 246,201 | 34 | Mogadishu |
| Tanzania | 36.1 | 40 | 17 | 2.3 | 52.1 | 74.0 | 105 | 105 | 5.3 | 45 | 3 | 45 | 44 | 46 | 22 | B | 9.0 | 8.8 | 25 | 17 | H | 580 | 364,900 | 99 | Dar-es-Salaam |
| Uganda | 26.1 | 47 | 17 | 3.0 | 47.5 | 82.6 | 217 | 88 | 6.9 | 51 | 2 | 45 | 43 | 46 | 12 | B | 5.1 | 4.1 | 23 | 18 | H | 1,360 | 93,066 | 280 | Kampala |
| Zambia | 10.9 | 42 | 24 | 1.8 | 14.4 | 18.5 | 70 | 95 | 5.6 | 46 | 3 | 35 | 35 | 35 | 35 | B | 16.7 | 16.5 | 34 | 23 | H | 800 | 290,583 | 38 | Lusaka |
| Zimbabwe | 12.7 | 32 | 20 | 1.2 | 12.8 | 14.6 | 15 | 65 | 4.0 | 42 | 3 | 41 | 43 | 40 | 32 | B | 24.9 | 24.6 | 54 | 50 | H | 2,180 | 150,873 | 84 | Harare |
| MIDDLE AFRICA | 107 | 45 | 17 | 2.8 | 182 | 303 | 184 | 103 | 6.4 | 47 | 3 | 47 | 46 | 49 | 35 | | 5.0 | 5.0 | 25 | 5 | | 1,130 | 2,553,151 | 42 | |
| Angola | 13.3 | 49 | 24 | 2.6 | 23.8 | 40.7 | 206 | 145 | 6.8 | 44 | 3 | 40 | 39 | 42 | 33 | D | 3.7 | 3.9 | 6 | 5 | S | 1,840 | 481,351 | 28 | Luanda |
| Cameroon | 16.1 | 37 | 15 | 2.2 | 22.4 | 30.9 | 92 | 77 | 4.9 | 43 | 3 | 48 | 47 | 49 | 48 | C | 7.0 | 6.9 | 26 | 8 | H | 1,910 | 183,568 | 88 | Yaoundé |
| Central African Republic | 3.7 | 37 | 19 | 1.7 | 4.8 | 6.2 | 65 | 96 | 4.9 | 44 | 3 | 42 | 41 | 44 | 39 | C | 13.5 | 13.5 | 28 | 7 | S | 1,170 | 240,533 | 16 | Bangui |
| Chad | 9.5 | 49 | 16 | 3.2 | 16.7 | 29.2 | 206 | 103 | 6.6 | 48 | 3 | 49 | 47 | 51 | 24 | C | 4.9 | 4.8 | 8 | 2 | S | 1,010 | 495,753 | 19 | N'Djamena |
| Congo | 3.8 | 44 | 15 | 2.9 | 6.8 | 10.6 | 179 | 84 | 6.3 | 47 | 3 | 48 | 47 | 50 | 52 | D | 5.3 | 4.9 | — | — | H | 710 | 132,046 | 29 | Brazzaville |
| Congo, Dem. Rep. Of | 58.3 | 46 | 15 | 3.1 | 104.9 | 181.3 | 211 | 100 | 6.8 | 48 | 3 | 49 | 46 | 51 | 30 | D | 4.2 | 4.2 | 31 | 4 | S | 630 | 905,351 | 64 | Kinshasa |
| Equatorial Guinea | 0.5 | 43 | 17 | 2.6 | 0.8 | 1.2 | 132 | 105 | 5.9 | 44 | 4 | 49 | 47 | 50 | 45 | D | — | — | — | — | S | 9,110 | 10,830 | 47 | Malabo |
| Gabon | 1.4 | 33 | 12 | 2.1 | 1.9 | 2.5 | 84 | 57 | 4.3 | 42 | 5 | 57 | 56 | 58 | 73 | B | 6.9 | 8.1 | 33 | 12 | L | 5,530 | 103,347 | 13 | Libreville |
| Sao Tome and Principe | 0.2 | 34 | 6 | 2.8 | 0.3 | 0.3 | 112 | 34 | 4.3 | 41 | 5 | 69 | 66 | 72 | 38 | C | — | — | 29 | 27 | H | — | 371 | 445 | Sao Tome |
| SOUTHERN AFRICA | 53 | 25 | 14 | 1.0 | 51 | 49 | -9 | 51 | 2.9 | 35 | 4 | 52 | 48 | 55 | 50 | | 22.1 | 22.6 | 54 | 53 | | 9,300 | 1,032,730 | 52 | |
| Botswana | 1.7 | 27 | 26 | 0.1 | 1.1 | 1.0 | -43 | 62 | 3.5 | 40 | 4 | 36 | 35 | 36 | 54 | C | 38.0 | 37.3 | 40 | 39 | H | 7,740 | 224,606 | 7 | Gaborone |
| Lesotho | 1.8 | 33 | 22 | 1.1 | 2.1 | 2.2 | 23 | 90 | 4.4 | 43 | 5 | 38 | 37 | 38 | 17 | C | 29.6 | 28.9 | 30 | 30 | H | 2,970 | 11,718 | 154 | Maseru |
| Namibia | 1.9 | 31 | 15 | 1.6 | 2.1 | 2.6 | 35 | 38 | 4.2 | 42 | 4 | 47 | 48 | 46 | 33 | C | 21.3 | 21.3 | 44 | 43 | H | 6,880 | 318,259 | 6 | Windhoek |
| South Africa | 46.9 | 24 | 13 | 1.0 | 44.6 | 41.7 | -11 | 48 | 2.8 | 34 | 4 | 53 | 49 | 57 | 53 | B | 20.9 | 21.5 | 56 | 55 | H | 9,810 | 471,444 | 99 | Pretoria |
| Swaziland | 1.2 | 36 | 16 | 2.0 | 1.1 | 1.1 | -2 | 78 | 4.5 | 43 | 3 | 43 | 45 | 42 | 25 | C | 38.2 | 38.8 | 28 | 26 | H | 4,730 | 6,703 | 162 | Mbabane |

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| NORTH AMERICA | 326 | 14 | 8 | 0.5 | 386 | 457 | 40 | 7 | 2.0 | 21 | 12 | 78 | 75 | 80 | 79 | | 0.6 | 0.6 | 76 | 72 | | 35,390 | 7,699,508 | 42 | |
| Canada | 31.9 | 11 | 7 | 0.3 | 36.0 | 36.9 | 16 | 5.2 | 1.5 | 18 | 13 | 79 | 77 | 82 | 79 | A | 0.3 | 0.3 | 75 | 73 | S | 28,930 | 3,849,670 | 8 | Ottawa |
| United States | 293.6 | 14 | 8 | 0.6 | 349.4 | 419.9 | 43 | 6.7 | 2.0 | 21 | 12 | 77 | 75 | 80 | 79 | A | 0.6 | 0.6 | 76 | 72 | S | 36,110 | 3,717,796 | 79 | Washington, DC |
| LATIN AMERICA AND THE CARIBBEAN | 549 | 22 | 6 | 1.6 | 685 | 778 | 42 | 29 | 2.6 | 32 | 6 | 72 | 69 | 75 | 75 | | 0.6 | 0.7 | 70 | 62 | | 6,820 | 7,946,684 | 69 | |
| CENTRAL AMERICA | 146 | 26 | 5 | 2.1 | 189 | 224 | 54 | 27 | 3.0 | 36 | 4 | 74 | 71 | 76 | 68 | | 0.5 | 0.5 | 66 | 57 | | 7,580 | 957,452 | 152 | |
| Belize | 0.3 | 28 | 5 | 2.3 | 0.4 | 0.6 | 102 | 20 | 3.4 | 41 | 4 | 70 | 67 | 74 | 49 | B | 2.1 | 2.4 | 56 | 49 | H | 5,490 | 8,865 | 31 | Belmopan |
| Costa Rica | 4.2 | 18 | 4 | 1.4 | 5.6 | 6.3 | 49 | 10 | 2.1 | 30 | 6 | 79 | 76 | 81 | 59 | A | 0.6 | 0.6 | 80 | 72 | S | 8,560 | 19,730 | 214 | San Jose |
| El Salvador | 6.7 | 26 | 6 | 2.0 | 8.5 | 9.9 | 48 | 25 | 3.0 | 36 | 5 | 70 | 67 | 73 | 58 | B | 0.6 | 0.7 | 67 | — | H | 4,790 | 8,124 | 826 | San Salvador |
| Guatemala | 12.7 | 34 | 7 | 2.8 | 19.8 | 27.2 | 115 | 39 | 4.4 | 44 | 4 | 66 | 63 | 69 | 39 | B | 1.1 | 1.1 | 43 | 34 | H | 4,030 | 42,042 | 301 | Guatemala |
| Honduras | 7.0 | 33 | 5 | 2.8 | 10.7 | 14.7 | 109 | 34 | 4.1 | 41 | 4 | 71 | 67 | 74 | 47 | B | 1.6 | 1.8 | 62 | 51 | H | 2,540 | 43,278 | 162 | Tegucigalpa |
| Mexico | 106.2 | 25 | 5 | 2.1 | 131.7 | 149.7 | 41 | 25 | 2.8 | 35 | 5 | 75 | 73 | 78 | 75 | B | 0.3 | 0.3 | 68 | 59 | H | 8,800 | 756,062 | 140 | Mexico City |
| Nicaragua | 5.6 | 32 | 5 | 2.7 | 8.3 | 10.9 | 93 | 31 | 3.8 | 43 | 3 | 69 | 66 | 71 | 58 | B | 0.2 | 0.2 | 69 | 66 | H | 2,350 | 50,193 | 112 | Managua |
| Panama | 3.2 | 23 | 5 | 1.8 | 4.2 | 5.0 | 58 | 21 | 2.7 | 31 | 6 | 75 | 72 | 77 | 62 | C | 0.7 | 0.9 | — | — | S | 6,060 | 29,158 | 109 | Panama City |
| CARIBBEAN | 39 | 20 | 8 | 1.2 | 46 | 52 | 35 | 41 | 2.7 | 30 | 7 | 69 | 67 | 71 | 62 | | 2.1 | 2.1 | 61 | 57 | | — | 90,653 | 425 | |
| Antigua and Barbuda | 0.1 | 24 | 6 | 1.7 | 0.1 | 0.1 | 1 | 17 | 2.7 | 26 | 8 | 71 | 68 | 73 | 37 | C | — | — | — | — | S | 10,390 | 170 | 447 | St. John's |
| Bahamas | 0.3 | 18 | 5 | 1.3 | 0.3 | 0.3 | 8 | 15.8 | 2.1 | 30 | 5 | 72 | 70 | 75 | 89 | A | 3.0 | 3.0 | — | — | H | — | 5,359 | 59 | Nassau |
| Barbados | 0.3 | 15 | 8 | 0.6 | 0.3 | 0.2 | -3 | 13.2 | 1.7 | 22 | 12 | 72 | 70 | 75 | 50 | B | 1.5 | 1.5 | — | — | S | 14,660 | 166 | 1,542 | Bridgetown |
| Cuba | 11.3 | 11 | 7 | 0.5 | 11.8 | 11.1 | -2 | 7 | 1.6 | 21 | 10 | 76 | 74 | 78 | 75 | C | 0.1 | 0.1 | 73 | 72 | S | — | 42,803 | 263 | Havana |
| Dominica | 0.1 | 17 | 7 | 1.0 | 0.1 | 0.1 | 19 | 16.1 | 1.9 | 33 | 9 | 74 | 71 | 77 | 71 | B | — | — | — | — | S | 4,960 | 290 | 238 | Roseau |
| Dominican Republic | 8.8 | 25 | 6 | 1.9 | 11.1 | 13.4 | 52 | 31 | 3.0 | 34 | 5 | 69 | 67 | 70 | 64 | B | 1.8 | 1.7 | 70 | 66 | H | 6,270 | 18,815 | 469 | Santo Domingo |
| Grenada | 0.1 | 19 | 7 | 1.2 | 0.1 | 0.1 | -3 | 17 | 2.1 | 35 | 8 | 71 | — | — | 39 | C | — | — | 54 | 49 | H | 6,600 | 131 | 807 | St. George's |
| Guadeloupe | 0.4 | 17 | 7 | 1.0 | 0.5 | 0.5 | 19 | 7.6 | 2.2 | 25 | 9 | 78 | 74 | 81 | 100 | B | — | — | — | — | — | — | 660 | 674 | Basse-Terre |
| Haiti | 8.1 | 33 | 14 | 1.9 | 11.7 | 16.0 | 97 | 80 | 4.7 | 43 | 4 | 51 | 50 | 53 | 36 | C | 5.5 | 5.6 | 28 | 22 | H | 1,610 | 10,714 | 757 | Port-au-Prince |
| Jamaica | 2.6 | 20 | 7 | 1.4 | 3.3 | 3.7 | 39 | 24 | 2.4 | 31 | 7 | 75 | 73 | 77 | 52 | B | 0.8 | 1.2 | 66 | 63 | H | 3,680 | 4,243 | 623 | Kingston |
| Martinique | 0.4 | 14 | 8 | 0.7 | 0.4 | 0.4 | 5 | 8 | 2.0 | 24 | 12 | 79 | 76 | 82 | 95 | C | — | — | — | — | — | — | 425 | 928 | Fort-de-France |
| Netherlands Antilles | 0.2 | 15 | 7 | 0.8 | 0.2 | 0.2 | 11 | 6 | 2.1 | 24 | 10 | 76 | 73 | 79 | 69 | C | — | — | — | — | — | — | 309 | 541 | Willemstad |
| Puerto Rico | 3.9 | 14 | 7 | 0.7 | 4.1 | 3.8 | -2 | 9.6 | 1.8 | 23 | 12 | 77 | 73 | 82 | 71 | A | — | — | 78 | 68 | — | — | 3,456 | 1,128 | San Juan |
| St. Kitts-Nevis | 0.05 | 17 | 8 | 1.0 | 0.1 | 0.1 | 32 | 28 | 2.1 | 31 | 9 | 70 | 68 | 72 | 33 | C | — | — | — | — | H | 10,750 | 139 | 338 | Basseterre |
| Saint Lucia | 0.2 | 17 | 6 | 1.1 | 0.2 | 0.2 | 43 | 13.6 | 2.2 | 31 | 5 | 72 | 70 | 74 | 30 | A | — | — | — | — | H | 4,950 | 239 | 685 | Castries |
| St. Vincent and the Grenadines | 0.1 | 18 | 7 | 1.1 | 0.1 | 0.1 | -21 | 19.3 | 2.1 | 37 | 7 | 72 | 71 | 74 | 44 | A | — | — | — | — | H | 5,190 | 151 | 731 | Kingstown |
| Trinidad and Tobago | 1.3 | 13 | 7 | 0.6 | 1.3 | 1.2 | -7 | 18.6 | 1.6 | 25 | 7 | 71 | 68 | 73 | 74 | C | 3.0 | 3.2 | 38 | 33 | S | 9,000 | 1,981 | 664 | Port-of-Spain |

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| | | | | | 365 | 21 | | | | 6 | 1.5 | 450 | 502 | 38 | | | 29 | 2.5 | 31 | 6 | | | | | |
| SOUTH AMERICA | 365 | 21 | 6 | 1.5 | 450 | 502 | 38 | 29 | 2.5 | 31 | 6 | 71 | 68 | 75 | 79 | | 0.5 | 0.6 | 74 | 65 | | 6,970 | 6,898,579 | 53 | |
| Argentina | 37.9 | 19 | 8 | 1.1 | 45.9 | 53.1 | 40 | 16.3 | 2.4 | 28 | 9 | 74 | 71 | 78 | 89 | B | 0.7 | 0.7 | — | — | S | 10,190 | 1,073,514 | 35 | Buenos Aires |
| Bolivia | 8.8 | 28 | 9 | 1.9 | 12.2 | 15.4 | 75 | 54 | 3.8 | 39 | 5 | 63 | 61 | 64 | 63 | B | 0.1 | 0.1 | 58 | 35 | S | 2,390 | 424,162 | 21 | La Paz |
| Brazil | 179.1 | 20 | 7 | 1.3 | 211.2 | 221.4 | 24 | 33 | 2.2 | 30 | 6 | 71 | 67 | 75 | 81 | B | 0.6 | 0.7 | 76 | 70 | S | 7,450 | 3,300,154 | 54 | Brasília |
| Chile | 16.0 | 17 | 5 | 1.2 | 19.5 | 22.2 | 39 | 8.3 | 2.4 | 26 | 7 | 76 | 73 | 79 | 87 | A | 0.3 | 0.3 | — | — | S | 9,420 | 292,135 | 55 | Santiago |
| Colombia | 45.3 | 23 | 6 | 1.7 | 58.1 | 67.3 | 48 | 26 | 2.6 | 32 | 5 | 72 | 69 | 75 | 71 | B | 0.5 | 0.7 | 76 | 64 | H | 6,150 | 439,734 | 103 | Bogota |
| Ecuador | 13.4 | 25 | 4 | 2.1 | 17.3 | 20.6 | 54 | 30 | 3.0 | 36 | 5 | 71 | 68 | 74 | 61 | B | 0.3 | 0.3 | 66 | 50 | H | 3,340 | 109,483 | 122 | Quito |
| French Guiana | 0.2 | 31 | 4 | 2.6 | 0.3 | 0.4 | 95 | 12 | 3.9 | 35 | 4 | 75 | 73 | 78 | 75 | C | — | — | — | — | — | — | 34,749 | 5 | Cayenne |
| Guyana | 0.8 | 23 | 9 | 1.4 | 0.7 | 0.5 | -34 | 53 | 2.4 | 30 | 4 | 63 | 60 | 67 | 36 | D | 2.5 | 2.5 | 37 | 36 | S | 3,940 | 83,000 | 9 | Georgetown |
| Paraguay | 6.0 | 30 | 5 | 2.5 | 9.2 | 12.1 | 101 | 37 | 3.8 | 39 | 6 | 71 | 69 | 73 | 54 | C | 0.4 | 0.5 | 57 | 48 | H | 4,590 | 157,046 | 38 | Asunción |
| Peru | 27.5 | 23 | 6 | 1.7 | 35.7 | 42.8 | 55 | 33 | 2.8 | 34 | 5 | 69 | 66 | 71 | 72 | B | 0.4 | 0.5 | 68 | 50 | H | 4,880 | 496,224 | 56 | Lima |
| Suriname | 0.4 | 23 | 7 | 1.5 | 0.4 | 0.4 | -19 | 27 | 2.5 | 32 | 6 | 70 | 67 | 72 | 69 | D | 1.3 | 1.7 | 42 | 41 | S | — | 63,039 | 7 | Paramaribo |
| Uruguay | 3.4 | 16 | 9 | 0.6 | 3.8 | 4.2 | 24 | 13.5 | 2.2 | 24 | 13 | 75 | 71 | 79 | 93 | A | 0.3 | 0.3 | — | — | L | 7,710 | 68,498 | 50 | Montevideo |
| Venezuela | 26.2 | 24 | 5 | 1.9 | 35.3 | 41.7 | 59 | 19.6 | 2.8 | 34 | 4 | 73 | 70 | 76 | 87 | C | 0.6 | 0.7 | — | — | S | 5,220 | 352,143 | 74 | Caracas |
| OCEANIA | 33 | 17 | 7 | 1.0 | 41 | 47 | 43 | 26 | 2.1 | 25 | 10 | 75 | 73 | 77 | 72 | | 0.2 | 0.2 | 60 | 57 | | 19,960 | 3,306,741 | 10 | |
| Australia | 20.1 | 13 | 7 | 0.6 | 24.2 | 26.3 | 31 | 4.7 | 1.7 | 20 | 13 | 80 | 77 | 83 | 91 | A | 0.1 | 0.1 | 67 | 65 | S | 27,440 | 2,988,888 | 7 | Canberra |
| Federated States of Micronesia | 0.1 | 28 | 7 | 2.1 | 0.1 | 0.2 | 46 | 40 | 4.4 | 40 | 4 | 67 | 67 | 67 | 22 | C | — | — | — | — | H | — | 270 | 400 | Palikir |
| Fiji | 0.8 | 25 | 6 | 1.9 | 1.0 | 1.0 | 18 | 22 | 3.3 | 32 | 4 | 67 | 65 | 69 | 39 | C | 0.1 | 0.1 | — | — | S | 5,330 | 7,054 | 120 | Suva |
| French Polynesia | 0.3 | 20 | 5 | 1.5 | 0.3 | 0.4 | 40 | 6 | 2.5 | 31 | 4 | 72 | 69 | 74 | 53 | C | — | — | — | — | — | — | 1,544 | 164 | Papeete |
| Guam | 0.2 | 20 | 4 | 1.6 | 0.2 | 0.2 | 46 | 6.2 | 2.6 | 30 | 5 | 78 | 76 | 80 | 93 | A | — | — | — | — | — | — | 212 | 782 | Agana |
| Kiribati | 0.1 | 26 | 8 | 1.8 | 0.1 | 0.2 | 133 | 43 | 4.3 | 40 | 3 | 63 | 58 | 67 | 43 | C | — | — | — | — | H | — | 282 | 319 | Tarawa |
| Marshall Islands | 0.1 | 42 | 5 | 3.7 | 0.1 | 0.1 | 81 | 37 | 4.7 | 42 | 2 | 69 | 67 | 70 | 68 | B | — | — | — | — | H | — | 69 | 820 | Majuro |
| Nauru | 0.01 | 23 | 5 | 1.8 | 0.02 | 0.02 | 92 | 25 | 4.4 | 41 | 2 | 61 | 57 | 65 | 100 | B | — | — | — | — | S | — | 9 | 1,412 | Yaren District |
| New Caledonia | 0.2 | 22 | 5 | 1.7 | 0.3 | 0.4 | 60 | 5 | 2.6 | 30 | 5 | 73 | 70 | 76 | 71 | B | — | — | — | — | — | — | 7,174 | 33 | Noumea |
| New Zealand | 4.1 | 14 | 7 | 0.7 | 4.7 | 5.1 | 26 | 5.6 | 2.0 | 22 | 12 | 78 | 76 | 81 | 78 | A | 0.1 | 0.1 | 74 | 72 | S | 20,550 | 104,452 | 39 | Wellington |
| Palau | 0.02 | 14 | 7 | 0.8 | 0.02 | 0.03 | 24 | 17 | 1.6 | 24 | 5 | 70 | 67 | 75 | 70 | C | — | — | — | — | S | — | 178 | 118 | Koror |
| Papua New Guinea | 5.7 | 32 | 10 | 2.2 | 8.2 | 10.8 | 90 | 60 | 4.1 | 40 | 2 | 57 | 57 | 59 | 15 | B | 0.4 | 0.6 | 26 | 20 | H | 2,180 | 178,703 | 32 | Port Moresby |
| Samoa | 0.2 | 29 | 6 | 2.4 | 0.2 | 0.2 | 34 | 18 | 4.4 | 41 | 4 | 73 | 72 | 74 | 22 | C | — | — | — | — | H | 5,570 | 1,097 | 167 | Apia |
| Solomon Islands | 0.5 | 36 | 9 | 2.7 | 0.7 | 1.0 | 112 | 66 | 4.8 | 44 | 3 | 61 | 61 | 62 | 16 | C | — | — | — | — | H | 1,590 | 11,158 | 41 | Honiara |
| Tonga | 0.1 | 25 | 7 | 1.8 | 0.1 | 0.1 | 20 | 13 | 3.4 | — | — | 71 | 70 | 71 | 32 | C | — | — | — | — | S | — | 290 | 352 | Nuku'alofa |
| Tuvalu | 0.01 | 27 | 10 | 1.7 | 0.02 | 0.02 | 122 | 34 | 3.8 | 36 | 6 | — | — | — | 47 | D | — | — | — | — | H | — | 10 | 900 | Funafuti |
| Vanuatu | 0.2 | 28 | 6 | 2.2 | 0.4 | 0.5 | 124 | 27 | 4.8 | 42 | 3 | 67 | 66 | 69 | 21 | C | — | — | — | 20 | H | 2,850 | 4,707 | 46 | Port-Vila |

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| ASIA | 3,875 | 20 | 7 | 1.3 | 4,778 | 5,385 | 39 | 54 | 2.6 | 30 | 6 | 67 | 66 | 69 | 39 | | 0.4 | 0.4 | 62 | 57 | | 4,610 | 12,262,691 | 316 | |
| ASIA (Excl. China) | 2,575 | 24 | 8 | 1.6 | 3,302 | 3,948 | 53 | 59 | 3.0 | 33 | 5 | 65 | 64 | 67 | 39 | | 0.5 | 0.6 | 51 | 43 | | 4,650 | 8,566,591 | 301 | |
| WESTERN ASIA | 209 | 27 | 6 | 2.0 | 302 | 395 | 89 | 48 | 3.7 | 35 | 5 | 68 | 66 | 70 | 63 | | — | — | 49 | 30 | | 6,100 | 1,823,873 | 114 | |
| Armenia | 3.2 | 10 | 8 | 0.2 | 3.0 | 2.5 | -24 | 36 | 1.2 | 23 | 10 | 73 | 70 | 76 | 64 | B | 0.1 | 0.1 | 59 | 22 | L | 3,230 | 11,506 | 279 | Yerevan |
| Azerbaijan | 8.3 | 14 | 6 | 0.8 | 9.7 | 11.6 | 40 | 13 | 1.8 | 29 | 6 | 72 | 69 | 75 | 51 | B | — | z | 55 | 12 | S | 3,010 | 33,436 | 248 | Baku |
| Bahrain | 0.7 | 20 | 3 | 1.7 | 1.0 | 1.3 | 76 | 7 | 2.7 | 28 | 3 | 74 | 73 | 75 | 87 | B | 0.1 | 0.2 | 65 | — | S | 16,190 | 266 | 2,714 | Manama |
| Cyprus | 0.9 | 12 | 7 | 0.5 | 1.1 | 1.1 | 14 | 6 | 1.6 | 21 | 11 | 78 | 75 | 80 | 65 | C | — | — | — | — | L | 18,560 | 3,571 | 265 | Nicosia |
| Georgia | 4.5 | 11 | 11 | 0.0 | 4.0 | 3.1 | -32 | 24 | 1.4 | 20 | 13 | 72 | 68 | 75 | 52 | B | z | 0.1 | 41 | 20 | L | 2,270 | 26,911 | 168 | Tbilisi |
| Iraq | 25.9 | 36 | 9 | 2.7 | 41.7 | 57.9 | 124 | 102 | 5.0 | 42 | 3 | 60 | 58 | 61 | 68 | D | — | z | — | — | S | — | 169,236 | 153 | Baghdad |
| Israel | 6.8 | 22 | 6 | 1.6 | 9.3 | 10.6 | 56 | 5.3 | 2.9 | 28 | 10 | 79 | 77 | 81 | 92 | A | — | 0.1 | — | — | L | 19,000 | 8,131 | 837 | Jerusalem |
| Jordan | 5.6 | 29 | 5 | 2.4 | 8.1 | 10.2 | 80 | 22 | 3.7 | 38 | 4 | 72 | 71 | 72 | 79 | B | z | z | 56 | 41 | H | 4,180 | 34,444 | 163 | Amman |
| Kuwait | 2.5 | 18 | 2 | 1.7 | 4.6 | 7.0 | 182 | 10 | 4.0 | 26 | 2 | 78 | 77 | 79 | 100 | B | — | — | 52 | 39 | S | 17,780 | 6,880 | 362 | Kuwait |
| Lebanon | 4.5 | 23 | 7 | 1.7 | 5.7 | 6.9 | 53 | 27 | 3.2 | 28 | 7 | 73 | 72 | 75 | 87 | C | 0.1 | 0.1 | 63 | 40 | S | 4,600 | 4,015 | 1,121 | Beirut |
| Oman | 2.7 | 26 | 4 | 2.2 | 4.0 | 5.1 | 93 | 16 | 4.1 | 34 | 2 | 74 | — | — | 76 | B | 0.1 | 0.1 | 24 | 18 | H | 13,000 | 82,031 | 32 | Muscat |
| Palestinian Territory | 3.8 | 39 | 4 | 3.5 | 7.4 | 11.9 | 211 | 26 | 5.7 | 46 | 3 | 72 | 71 | 74 | 57 | B | — | — | 51 | 37 | — | — | 2,417 | 1,584 | Jerusalem |
| Qatar | 0.7 | 20 | 4 | 1.6 | 1.0 | 1.2 | 67 | 12 | 4.0 | 27 | 1 | 72 | 70 | 75 | 92 | B | — | — | 43 | 32 | S | — | 4,247 | 175 | Doha |
| Saudi Arabia | 25.1 | 32 | 3 | 3.0 | 40.1 | 55.2 | 120 | 25 | 4.8 | 40 | 3 | 72 | 71 | 73 | 86 | C | — | — | 32 | 29 | S | 12,660 | 829,996 | 30 | Riyadh |
| Syria | 18.0 | 28 | 5 | 2.4 | 27.6 | 35.0 | 95 | 18 | 3.8 | 40 | 4 | 70 | 69 | 71 | 50 | B | — | z | 49 | 32 | S | 3,470 | 71,498 | 251 | Damascus |
| Turkey | 71.3 | 21 | 7 | 1.4 | 88.9 | 97.5 | 37 | 39 | 2.5 | 30 | 6 | 69 | 66 | 71 | 59 | B | — | — | 64 | 38 | H | 6,300 | 299,158 | 238 | Ankara |
| United Arab Emirates | 4.2 | 16 | 2 | 1.4 | 5.4 | 5.7 | 35 | 8 | 2.5 | 25 | 1 | 74 | 73 | 77 | 78 | B | — | — | 28 | 24 | L | 24,030 | 32,278 | 130 | Abu Dhabi |
| Yemen | 20.0 | 43 | 10 | 3.3 | 39.6 | 71.1 | 255 | 75 | 7.0 | 48 | 3 | 60 | 58 | 62 | 26 | B | — | 0.1 | 21 | 10 | H | 800 | 203,849 | 98 | Sana'a |
| SOUTH CENTRAL ASIA | 1,587 | 26 | 8 | 1.8 | 2,068 | 2,547 | 60 | 69 | 3.3 | 37 | 4 | 62 | 61 | 63 | 30 | | 0.6 | 0.7 | 48 | 41 | | 2,620 | 4,157,320 | 382 | |
| Afghanistan | 28.5 | 48 | 21 | 2.7 | 50.3 | 81.9 | 187 | 165 | 6.8 | 45 | 2 | 43 | 42 | 43 | 22 | D | — | — | 5 | 4 | S | — | 251,772 | 113 | Kabul |
| Bangladesh | 141.3 | 30 | 9 | 2.1 | 204.5 | 280.0 | 98 | 66 | 3.3 | 37 | 3 | 60 | 60 | 60 | 23 | B | — | — | 54 | 43 | H | 1,770 | 55,598 | 2,542 | Dhaka |
| Bhutan | 1.0 | 34 | 9 | 2.5 | 1.5 | 2.1 | 113 | 61 | 4.7 | 42 | 4 | 66 | 66 | 66 | 21 | D | — | — | — | 31 | H | — | 18,147 | 53 | Thimphu |
| India | 1,086.6 | 25 | 8 | 1.7 | 1,363.0 | 1,628.0 | 50 | 64 | 3.1 | 36 | 4 | 62 | 61 | 63 | 28 | B | 0.8 | 0.9 | 48 | 43 | H | 2,650 | 1,269,340 | 856 | New Delhi |
| Iran | 67.4 | 18 | 6 | 1.2 | 84.7 | 96.5 | 43 | 32 | 2.5 | 33 | 5 | 69 | 68 | 70 | 67 | B | 0.1 | 0.1 | 74 | 56 | H | 6,690 | 630,575 | 107 | Tehran |
| Kazakhstan | 15.0 | 17 | 11 | 0.6 | 15.8 | 14.8 | -1 | 52 | 2.0 | 27 | 8 | 64 | 58 | 70 | 57 | B | 0.1 | 0.2 | 66 | 53 | L | 5,630 | 1,049,151 | 14 | Astana |

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| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Kyrgyzstan | 5.1 | 21 | 8 | 1.4 | 6.7 | 8.2 | 62 | 42 | 2.6 | 35 | 6 | 68 | 65 | 72 | 35 | B | z | 0.1 | 60 | 49 | S | 1,560 | 76,641 | 66 | Bishkek |
| Maldives | 0.3 | 18 | 4 | 1.4 | 0.4 | 0.5 | 69 | 18 | 3.7 | 39 | 4 | 73 | 73 | 74 | 27 | C | — | — | 42 | 32 | H | — | 116 | 2,573 | Malé |
| Nepal | 24.7 | 34 | 10 | 2.3 | 37.8 | 50.8 | 105 | 64 | 4.1 | 39 | 4 | 59 | 59 | 58 | 14 | C | 0.4 | 0.5 | 39 | 35 | H | 1,370 | 56,826 | 435 | Kathmandu |
| Pakistan | 159.2 | 34 | 10 | 2.4 | 228.8 | 295.0 | 85 | 85 | 4.8 | 42 | 4 | 61 | 60 | 62 | 34 | B | 0.1 | 0.1 | 28 | 20 | H | 1,960 | 307,375 | 518 | Islamabad |
| Sri Lanka | 19.6 | 19 | 6 | 1.3 | 21.9 | 21.6 | 10 | 10 | 2.0 | 27 | 7 | 72 | 70 | 74 | 30 | B | z | z | 66 | 44 | S | 3,510 | 25,332 | 772 | Colombo |
| Tajikistan | 6.6 | 25 | 6 | 1.9 | 8.6 | 10.0 | 52 | 50 | 3.1 | 42 | 4 | 68 | 66 | 71 | 27 | B | — | z | 34 | 27 | H | 930 | 55,251 | 120 | Dushanbe |
| Turkmenistan | 5.7 | 25 | 9 | 1.6 | 7.6 | 8.7 | 53 | 74 | 2.9 | 38 | 4 | 67 | 63 | 70 | 47 | C | — | z | 62 | 53 | S | 4,780 | 188,456 | 30 | Ashkhabad |
| Uzbekistan | 26.4 | 24 | 8 | 1.6 | 36.9 | 48.5 | 84 | 62 | 2.9 | 38 | 4 | 70 | 68 | 73 | 37 | C | z | 0.1 | 68 | 63 | S | 1,640 | 172,741 | 153 | Tashkent |
| SOUTHEAST ASIA | 548 | 22 | 7 | 1.5 | 698 | 800 | 46 | 41 | 2.7 | 31 | 5 | 68 | 66 | 70 | 38 | | 0.5 | 0.5 | 58 | 51 | | 3,690 | 1,735,448 | 316 | |
| Brunei | 0.4 | 22 | 3 | 1.9 | 0.5 | 0.7 | 85 | 7 | 2.3 | 31 | 3 | 76 | 74 | 79 | 74 | C | z | z | — | — | S | — | 2,228 | 166 | Bandar Seri Begawan |
| Cambodia | 13.1 | 32 | 10 | 2.2 | 19.8 | 26.8 | 104 | 95 | 4.5 | 42 | 5 | 57 | 55 | 59 | 16 | B | 2.7 | 2.6 | 24 | 19 | H | 1,970 | 69,900 | 188 | Phnom Penh |
| East Timor | 0.8 | 26 | 13 | 1.3 | 1.2 | 1.4 | 75 | 129 | 4.1 | 44 | 3 | 49 | 48 | 49 | 8 | C | — | — | — | — | S | — | 5,741 | 143 | Dili |
| Indonesia | 218.7 | 22 | 6 | 1.6 | 275.5 | 308.5 | 41 | 46 | 2.6 | 30 | 5 | 68 | 66 | 70 | 42 | B | 0.1 | 0.1 | 60 | 57 | H | 3,070 | 735,355 | 297 | Jakarta |
| Laos | 5.8 | 36 | 13 | 2.3 | 8.6 | 11.4 | 98 | 104 | 4.9 | 43 | 4 | 54 | 52 | 55 | 19 | C | z | 0.1 | 32 | 29 | H | 1,660 | 91,429 | 63 | Vientiane |
| Malaysia | 25.6 | 26 | 4 | 2.1 | 36.0 | 46.9 | 83 | 11 | 3.3 | 34 | 4 | 73 | 71 | 76 | 62 | C | 0.4 | 0.4 | 55 | 30 | S | 8,500 | 127,317 | 201 | Kuala Lumpur |
| Myanmar | 50.1 | 25 | 11 | 1.4 | 59.8 | 64.5 | 29 | 87 | 3.1 | 33 | 5 | 57 | 54 | 60 | 28 | D | 1.0 | 1.2 | 33 | 28 | S | — | 261,228 | 192 | Yangon |
| Philippines | 83.7 | 26 | 6 | 2.0 | 118.4 | 147.3 | 76 | 29 | 3.5 | 37 | 4 | 70 | 67 | 72 | 48 | B | z | z | 49 | 33 | H | 4,450 | 115,830 | 722 | Manila |
| Singapore | 4.2 | 10 | 4 | 0.6 | 4.8 | 4.4 | 6 | 2.2 | 1.3 | 21 | 8 | 79 | 77 | 81 | 100 | A | 0.2 | 0.2 | 62 | 55 | L | 23,730 | 239 | 17,541 | Singapore City |
| Thailand | 63.8 | 14 | 7 | 0.8 | 70.2 | 73.2 | 15 | 20 | 1.7 | 23 | 7 | 71 | 68 | 75 | 31 | B | 1.7 | 1.5 | 72 | 70 | S | 6,890 | 198,116 | 322 | Bangkok |
| Vietnam | 81.5 | 18 | 6 | 1.2 | 102.9 | 115.1 | 41 | 21 | 2.1 | 29 | 7 | 72 | 70 | 73 | 25 | B | 0.3 | 0.4 | 75 | 64 | H | 2,300 | 128,066 | 636 | Hanoi |
| EAST ASIA | 1,531 | 12 | 7 | 0.6 | 1,709 | 1,643 | 7 | 30 | 1.6 | 21 | 9 | 72 | 70 | 75 | 46 | | 0.1 | 0.1 | 80 | 79 | | 6,790 | 4,546,050 | 337 | |
| China | 1,300.1 | 12 | 6 | 0.6 | 1,476.0 | 1,437.0 | 11 | 32 | 1.7 | 22 | 7 | 71 | 70 | 73 | 41 | B | 0.1 | 0.1 | 83 | 83 | S | 4,520 | 3,696,100 | 352 | Beijing |
| China, Hong Kong SAR ^e | 6.8 | 7 | 5 | 0.1 | 8.4 | 9.4 | 38 | 2.4 | 0.9 | 15 | 12 | 81 | 79 | 84 | 100 | A | 0.1 | 0.1 | — | — | — | 27,490 | 413 | 16,494 | — |
| China, Macao SAR ^e | 0.4 | 7 | 3 | 0.4 | 0.5 | 0.6 | 24 | 3 | 0.8 | 20 | 8 | 77 | 75 | 80 | 99 | B | — | — | — | — | — | 21,910 | 8 | 58,146 | Macao |
| Japan | 127.6 | 9 | 8 | 0.1 | 121.1 | 100.6 | -21 | 3.0 | 1.3 | 14 | 19 | 82 | 78 | 85 | 78 | A | z | z | 56 | 48 | L | 27,380 | 145,869 | 875 | Tokyo |
| Korea, North | 22.8 | 17 | 11 | 0.7 | 24.7 | 25.0 | 10 | 45 | 2.0 | 27 | 6 | 63 | 61 | 66 | 60 | C | — | — | 62 | 53 | S | — | 46,541 | 489 | Pyongyang |
| Korea, South | 48.2 | 10 | 5 | 0.5 | 50.6 | 44.3 | -8 | 8 | 1.2 | 20 | 8 | 77 | 73 | 80 | 80 | B | z | z | 81 | 67 | L | 16,960 | 38,324 | 1,258 | Seoul |
| Mongolia | 2.5 | 18 | 6 | 1.2 | 3.4 | 4.3 | 72 | 30 | 2.7 | 36 | 5 | 65 | 63 | 68 | 57 | B | z | z | 67 | 54 | S | 1,710 | 604,826 | 4 | Ulan Bator |
| Taiwan | 22.6 | 10 | 6 | 0.4 | 24.4 | 22.1 | -3 | 6.0 | 1.2 | 20 | 9 | 76 | 73 | 79 | 78 | A | — | — | 71 | — | L | — | 13,969 | 1,621 | Taipei |

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Area, Density, and Capital City

| | Population Mid-2004 (millions) | Births per 1,000 Pop. | Deaths per 1,000 Pop. | Rate of Natural Increase (%) | Projected Population (millions) | | Projected Pop. Change 2004-2050 (%) | Infant Mortality Rate ^a | Total Fertility Rate ^b | Percent of Population of Age | | Life Expectancy at Birth (years) | | | Percent Urban | Data Avail. Code ^c | Percent of Pop. 15-49 With HIV/AIDS | | Percent of Married Women 15-49 Using Contraception* | | Govt. View of Birth Rate ^d | GNI PPP per Capita, 2002 (US\$) | Area of Countries (square miles) | Population per Square Mile | Capital City |
|------------------------|--------------------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|------------------------------|---------------------------------|------------|-------------------------------------|------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|------------------------------|-----------|----------------------------------|-----------|-----------|---------------|-------------------------------|-------------------------------------|------------|---|----------------|---------------------------------------|---------------------------------|----------------------------------|----------------------------|-------------------------------|
| | | | | | 2025 | 2050 | | | | <15 | 65+ | Total | Male | Female | | | End-2001 | End-2003 | All Methods | Modern Methods | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| EUROPE | 728 | 10 | 12 | -0.2 | 722 | 668 | -8 | 7 | 1.4 | 17 | 15 | 74 | 70 | 78 | 74 | | 0.5 | 0.5 | 68 | 54 | | 17,730 | 8,875,867 | 82 | |
| NORTHERN EUROPE | 96 | 12 | 10 | 0.1 | 102 | 103 | 8 | 5 | 1.7 | 18 | 16 | 78 | 75 | 80 | 82 | | 0.2 | 0.2 | 82 | 76 | | 26,040 | 675,794 | 141 | |
| Channel Islands | 0.2 | 10 | 10 | 0.1 | 0.2 | 0.1 | -3 | 2.8 | 1.5 | 17 | 15 | 78 | 75 | 80 | 31 | A | — | — | — | — | — | — | 75 | 1,987 | St. Helier/ St. Peter Port |
| Denmark | 5.4 | 12 | 11 | 0.1 | 5.4 | 5.3 | -3 | 4.4 | 1.8 | 19 | 15 | 77 | 75 | 79 | 72 | A | 0.2 | 0.2 | — | — | S | 30,600 | 16,637 | 325 | Copenhagen |
| Estonia | 1.3 | 10 | 13 | -0.4 | 1.2 | 1.0 | -23 | 6 | 1.4 | 17 | 16 | 71 | 65 | 77 | 69 | B | 0.7 | 1.1 | 70 | 56 | L | 11,630 | 17,413 | 77 | Tallinn |
| Finland | 5.2 | 11 | 9 | 0.2 | 5.3 | 4.8 | -8 | 3.2 | 1.8 | 18 | 16 | 79 | 75 | 82 | 62 | A | 0.1 | 0.1 | 79 | 78 | S | 26,160 | 130,560 | 40 | Helsinki |
| Iceland | 0.3 | 14 | 6 | 0.8 | 0.3 | 0.4 | 22 | 2.4 | 2.0 | 23 | 12 | 81 | 79 | 83 | 94 | A | 0.2 | 0.2 | — | — | S | 29,240 | 39,768 | 7 | Reykjavik |
| Ireland | 4.1 | 16 | 7 | 0.8 | 4.5 | 4.7 | 16 | 5.1 | 2.0 | 21 | 11 | 77 | 75 | 80 | 60 | A | 0.1 | 0.1 | — | — | S | 29,570 | 27,135 | 150 | Dublin |
| Latvia | 2.3 | 9 | 14 | -0.5 | 2.2 | 1.8 | -24 | 9 | 1.3 | 16 | 16 | 72 | 65 | 77 | 68 | B | 0.5 | 0.6 | 85 | 60 | L | 9,190 | 24,942 | 93 | Riga |
| Lithuania | 3.4 | 9 | 12 | -0.3 | 3.5 | 3.1 | -9 | 7 | 1.3 | 18 | 15 | 72 | 66 | 78 | 67 | B | 0.1 | 0.1 | 47 | 30 | L | 10,190 | 25,174 | 136 | Vilnius |
| Norway | 4.6 | 12 | 9 | 0.3 | 5.1 | 5.6 | 22 | 3.4 | 1.8 | 20 | 15 | 80 | 77 | 82 | 78 | A | 0.1 | 0.1 | — | — | L | 36,690 | 125,050 | 37 | Oslo |
| Sweden | 9.0 | 11 | 10 | 0.1 | 9.9 | 10.6 | 18 | 2.8 | 1.7 | 17 | 18 | 80 | 78 | 82 | 84 | A | 0.1 | 0.1 | — | — | S | 25,820 | 173,730 | 52 | Stockholm |
| United Kingdom | 59.7 | 12 | 10 | 0.1 | 64.0 | 65.4 | 10 | 5.3 | 1.7 | 19 | 16 | 78 | 76 | 80 | 89 | A | 0.2 | 0.2 | 84 | 79 | S | 26,580 | 94,548 | 630 | London |
| WESTERN EUROPE | 185 | 11 | 10 | 0.1 | 190 | 184 | -1 | 4 | 1.6 | 17 | 17 | 79 | 76 | 82 | 79 | | 0.2 | 0.2 | 75 | 71 | | 27,520 | 427,702 | 433 | |
| Austria | 8.1 | 9 | 9 | -0.0 | 8.4 | 8.2 | 1 | 4.5 | 1.4 | 17 | 15 | 79 | 76 | 82 | 54 | A | 0.2 | 0.3 | 67 | 65 | L | 28,910 | 32,378 | 250 | Vienna |
| Belgium | 10.4 | 11 | 10 | 0.1 | 10.8 | 11.0 | 5 | 4.4 | 1.6 | 17 | 17 | 79 | 75 | 82 | 97 | A | 0.2 | 0.2 | 79 | 75 | S | 28,130 | 11,787 | 883 | Brussels |
| France | 60.0 | 13 | 9 | 0.4 | 63.4 | 64.0 | 7 | 4.1 | 1.9 | 19 | 16 | 79 | 76 | 83 | 74 | A | 0.4 | 0.4 | 75 | 69 | L | 27,040 | 212,934 | 282 | Paris |
| Germany | 82.6 | 9 | 10 | -0.2 | 82.0 | 75.1 | -9 | 4.1 | 1.3 | 15 | 17 | 78 | 75 | 81 | 88 | A | 0.1 | 0.1 | 75 | 72 | L | 26,980 | 137,830 | 599 | Berlin |
| Liechtenstein | 0.03 | 12 | 6 | 0.5 | 0.04 | 0.04 | 18 | 4.7 | 1.5 | 18 | 11 | 80 | 79 | 82 | 21 | A | — | — | — | — | S | — | 62 | 550 | Vaduz |
| Luxembourg | 0.5 | 12 | 9 | 0.3 | 0.6 | 0.7 | 56 | 4.9 | 1.6 | 19 | 14 | 78 | 75 | 81 | 91 | A | 0.2 | 0.2 | — | — | L | 53,290 | 999 | 453 | Luxembourg |
| Monaco | 0.03 | 23 | 16 | 0.6 | 0.04 | 0.04 | 27 | — | — | 13 | 22 | — | — | — | 100 | D | — | — | — | — | S | — | 1 | 44,000 | — |
| Netherlands | 16.3 | 12 | 9 | 0.4 | 17.4 | 17.6 | 8 | 4.8 | 1.8 | 19 | 14 | 79 | 76 | 81 | 62 | A | 0.2 | 0.2 | 79 | 76 | S | 28,350 | 15,768 | 1,033 | Amsterdam |
| Switzerland | 7.4 | 10 | 9 | 0.1 | 7.4 | 7.2 | -3 | 4.4 | 1.4 | 17 | 16 | 80 | 77 | 83 | 68 | A | 0.4 | 0.4 | 82 | 78 | L | 31,840 | 15,942 | 464 | Bern |
| EASTERN EUROPE | 299 | 10 | 15 | -0.5 | 281 | 243 | -19 | 12 | 1.3 | 16 | 14 | 68 | 63 | 74 | 68 | | — | 0.8 | 64 | 42 | | 8,030 | 7,264,035 | 41 | |
| Belarus | 9.8 | 9 | 15 | -0.6 | 9.4 | 8.5 | -13 | 8 | 1.2 | 16 | 14 | 69 | 63 | 75 | 72 | B | — | — | 50 | 42 | L | 5,500 | 80,154 | 122 | Minsk |
| Bulgaria | 7.8 | 9 | 14 | -0.6 | 6.5 | 4.8 | -38 | 12.3 | 1.2 | 15 | 17 | 72 | 69 | 75 | 70 | A | — | z | 41 | 26 | L | 7,030 | 42,822 | 182 | Sofia |
| Czech Republic | 10.2 | 9 | 11 | -0.2 | 10.1 | 9.2 | -10 | 3.9 | 1.2 | 16 | 14 | 75 | 72 | 79 | 77 | A | z | 0.1 | 67 | 58 | L | 14,920 | 30,448 | 335 | Prague |
| Hungary | 10.1 | 9 | 13 | -0.4 | 8.9 | 7.6 | -25 | 7.3 | 1.3 | 16 | 15 | 73 | 68 | 77 | 65 | A | — | 0.1 | 77 | 68 | L | 13,070 | 35,919 | 281 | Budapest |
| Moldova | 4.2 | 10 | 12 | -0.1 | 3.9 | 3.0 | -28 | 18 | 1.2 | 22 | 10 | 68 | 65 | 72 | 45 | B | — | 0.2 | 62 | 43 | L | 1,600 | 13,012 | 323 | Chisinau |
| Poland | 38.2 | 9 | 9 | -0.0 | 36.6 | 32.4 | -15 | 7.5 | 1.2 | 18 | 13 | 75 | 70 | 79 | 62 | B | — | 0.1 | 49 | 19 | L | 10,450 | 124,807 | 306 | Warsaw |
| Romania | 21.7 | 10 | 12 | -0.3 | 18.1 | 15.7 | -27 | 16.7 | 1.2 | 17 | 14 | 71 | 68 | 75 | 53 | C | — | z | 64 | 30 | L | 6,490 | 92,042 | 235 | Bucharest |

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Area, Density, and Capital City

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| | | | | | 2025 | 2050 | | | | <15 | 65+ | Total | Male | Female | | | End-2001 | End-2003 | All Methods | Modern Methods | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Russia | 144.1 | 10 | 17 | -0.6 | 136.9 | 119.1 | -17 | 13 | 1.4 | 16 | 13 | 65 | 58 | 72 | 73 | B | 0.7 | 1.1 | 67 | 49 | L | 8,080 | 6,592,819 | 22 | Moscow |
| Slovakia | 5.4 | 10 | 10 | -0.0 | 5.2 | 4.7 | -13 | 7.6 | 1.2 | 18 | 12 | 74 | 70 | 78 | 56 | A | — | z | 74 | 41 | L | 12,590 | 18,923 | 284 | Bratislava |
| Ukraine | 47.4 | 9 | 16 | -0.8 | 45.1 | 38.4 | -19 | 10 | 1.2 | 16 | 15 | 68 | 62 | 74 | 68 | B | 1.2 | 1.4 | 68 | 38 | L | 4,800 | 233,089 | 203 | Kiev |
| SOUTHERN EUROPE | 149 | 10 | 10 | 0.1 | 149 | 138 | -7 | 6 | 1.3 | 15 | 17 | 78 | 75 | 81 | 74 | | 0.5 | 0.5 | 59 | 42 | | 19,680 | 508,337 | 292 | |
| Albania | 3.2 | 17 | 5 | 1.2 | 3.7 | 3.7 | 15 | 11 | 2.1 | 29 | 8 | 74 | 72 | 76 | 42 | B | — | — | 75 | 8 | S | 4,960 | 11,100 | 291 | Tirana |
| Andorra | 0.1 | 11 | 3 | 0.8 | 0.1 | 0.1 | -3 | 3.9 | 1.3 | 15 | 13 | — | — | — | 92 | C | — | — | — | — | S | — | 174 | 397 | Andorra la Vella |
| Bosnia-Herzegovina | 3.9 | 10 | 8 | 0.1 | 3.9 | 3.3 | -15 | 9 | 1.2 | 18 | 12 | 74 | 71 | 76 | 43 | D | — | z | 48 | 16 | L | — | 19,741 | 197 | Sarajevo |
| Croatia | 4.4 | 9 | 11 | -0.2 | 4.3 | 3.8 | -14 | 7.0 | 1.3 | 17 | 16 | 75 | 71 | 78 | 56 | A | — | z | — | — | L | 10,000 | 21,830 | 203 | Zagreb |
| Greece | 11.0 | 9 | 9 | 0.0 | 10.4 | 9.7 | -12 | 5.9 | 1.3 | 15 | 17 | 78 | 76 | 81 | 60 | A | 0.2 | 0.2 | — | — | L | 18,770 | 50,950 | 216 | Athens |
| Italy | 57.8 | 10 | 10 | -0.1 | 57.6 | 52.3 | -10 | 4.8 | 1.3 | 14 | 19 | 80 | 77 | 83 | 90 | A | 0.5 | 0.5 | 60 | 39 | L | 26,170 | 116,320 | 497 | Rome |
| Macedonia ^f | 2.0 | 14 | 9 | 0.5 | 2.2 | 2.1 | 3 | 11.9 | 1.7 | 22 | 10 | 73 | 71 | 75 | 59 | A | z | z | — | — | S | 6,420 | 9,927 | 205 | Skopje |
| Malta | 0.4 | 10 | 8 | 0.2 | 0.4 | 0.4 | -9 | 7.2 | 1.5 | 19 | 13 | 78 | 76 | 80 | 91 | B | 0.1 | 0.2 | 86 | 43 | S | 17,710 | 124 | 3,229 | Valletta |
| Portugal | 10.5 | 11 | 10 | 0.0 | 10.4 | 9.3 | -11 | 5.0 | 1.4 | 16 | 17 | 77 | 74 | 81 | 53 | A | 0.4 | 0.4 | — | — | L | 17,820 | 35,514 | 295 | Lisbon |
| San Marino | 0.03 | 10 | 7 | 0.3 | 0.03 | 0.03 | 17 | 6.7 | 1.2 | 15 | 16 | 80 | 76 | 83 | 84 | C | — | — | — | — | S | — | 23 | 1,252 | San Marino |
| Serbia and Montenegro | 10.7 | 12 | 11 | 0.2 | 10.7 | 10.2 | -4 | 13 | 1.7 | 19 | 14 | 73 | 70 | 75 | 52 | C | 0.2 | 0.2 | 58 | 33 | L | — | 39,448 | 271 | Belgrade |
| Slovenia | 2.0 | 9 | 10 | -0.1 | 2.0 | 1.7 | -15 | 3.8 | 1.2 | 15 | 15 | 76 | 72 | 80 | 51 | A | z | z | 71 | 57 | L | 18,480 | 7,819 | 255 | Ljubljana |
| Spain | 42.5 | 10 | 9 | 0.1 | 43.5 | 41.3 | -3 | 3.7 | 1.3 | 14 | 17 | 79 | 76 | 83 | 76 | A | 0.6 | 0.7 | 56 | 53 | L | 21,210 | 195,363 | 218 | Madrid |

NOTES

(—) Indicates data unavailable or inapplicable.

z=Less than 0.05 percent.

^a Infant deaths per 1,000 live births. Rates shown with decimals indicate national statistics reported as completely registered, while those without are estimates from the sources cited on reverse. Rates shown in italics are based upon

fewer than 50 annual infant deaths and, as a result, are subject to considerable yearly variability.

^b Average number of children born to a woman during her lifetime.

^c A=complete data ... D=little or no data.

^d H=too high; S=satisfactory; L=too low.

^e Special Administrative Region.

^f The former Yugoslav Republic.

*Data prior to 1997 are shown in italics.

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Notes

The *Data Sheet* lists all geopolitical entities with populations of 150,000 or more and all members of the UN. These include sovereign states, dependencies, overseas departments, and some territories whose status or boundaries may be undetermined or in dispute.

More developed regions, following the UN classification, comprise all of Europe and North America, plus Australia, Japan, and New Zealand. All other regions and countries are classified as **less developed**.

World and Regional Totals: Regional population totals are independently rounded and include small countries or areas not

shown. Regional and world rates and percentages are weighted averages of countries for which data are available; regional averages are shown when data or estimates are available for at least three-quarters of the region's population.

Sub-Saharan Africa: All countries of Africa except the northern African countries of Algeria, Egypt, Libya, Morocco, Tunisia, and Western Sahara.

World Population Data Sheets from different years should **not be used as a time series**. Fluctuations in values from year to year often reflect revisions based on new data or estimates rather than actual changes in levels. Additional information on likely trends and consistent time series can be obtained from PRB, and are also available in UN and U.S. Census Bureau publications.

Sources

The rates and figures are primarily compiled from the following sources: official country statistical yearbooks and bulletins; United Nations *Demographic Yearbook, 2000* of the UN Statistics Division; *World Population Prospects: The 2002 Revision* of the UN Population Division; the UN Statistical Library; *Recent Demographic Developments in Europe, 2003* of the Council of Europe; and the data files and library resources of the International Programs Center, U.S. Census Bureau. Other sources include recent demographic surveys such as the Demographic and Health Surveys, Reproductive Health Surveys, special studies, and direct communication with demographers and statistical bureaus in the United States and

abroad. Specific data sources may be obtained by contacting the author of the *2004 World Population Data Sheet*.

For countries with complete registration of births and deaths, rates are those most recently reported. For more developed countries, nearly all vital rates refer to 2002 or 2003, and for less developed countries, for some point in the late 1990s or early 2000s.

Definitions

Mid-2004 Population

Estimates are based on a recent census, official national data, or UN and U.S. Census Bureau projections. The effects of refugee movements, large numbers of foreign workers, and population shifts due to contemporary political events are taken into account to the extent possible.

Birth and Death Rate

The annual number of births and deaths per 1,000 total population. These rates are often referred to as "crude rates" since they do not take a population's age structure into account. Thus, crude death rates in more developed countries, with a relatively large proportion of high-mortality older population, are often higher than those in less developed countries with lower life expectancy.

Rate of Natural Increase (RNI)

The birth rate minus the death rate, implying the annual rate of population growth without regard for migration. Expressed as a percentage.

Projected Population 2025 and 2050

Projected populations based upon reasonable assumptions on the future course of fertility, mortality, and migration. Projections are based upon official country projections, series issued by the UN or the U.S. Census Bureau, or PRB projections.

Infant Mortality Rate

The annual number of deaths of infants under age 1 per 1,000 live births. Rates shown with decimals indicate national statistics reported as completely registered, while those without are estimates from the sources cited above. Rates shown in italics are based upon fewer than 50 annual infant deaths and, as a result, are subject to considerable yearly variability.

Total Fertility Rate (TFR)

The average number of children a woman would have assuming that current age-specific birth rates remain constant throughout her childbearing years (usually considered to be ages 15 to 49).

Population Under Age 15/Age 65+

The percentage of the total population in these ages, which are often considered the "dependent ages."

Life Expectancy at Birth

The average number of years a newborn infant can expect to live under *current* mortality levels.

Data Availability Code

Provides a general indication of data availability. An "A" indicates a country with both complete vital statistics (birth and death data) and either a national-level census within 10 years or a continuous population register. If a country has complete vital statistics or a continuous population register and a national-level census within 15 years, it is rated "B." Also rated "B" are countries that have one of the three sources necessary for an "A" plus either a usable national survey or a sample registration system within 10 years. "C" indicates that at least a census (within 15 years), a survey (within 10 years), or sample registration system is available. "D" indicates that little or no reliable demographic information is available and that estimates are based on fragmentary data or demographic models. Countries whose demographic situations have been seriously disrupted and for which there are few recent data are also coded "D." There can be considerable variation in the quality of data within the same category.

Percent Urban

Percentage of the total population living in areas termed "urban" by that country. Typically, the population living in towns of 2,000 or more or in national and provincial capitals is classified "urban."

Percent of Adult Population Ages 15 to 49 With HIV/AIDS

The estimated percentage of adults living with HIV/AIDS at the end of 2001 and 2003. Nearly all data are from UNAIDS' *2004 Report on the Global AIDS Epidemic*.

Contraceptive Use

The percentage of currently married or "in-union" women of reproductive age who are currently using any form of contraception.

"Modern" methods include clinic and supply methods such as the pill, IUD, condom, and sterilization. Data are from the most recent available national-level surveys, such as the Demographic and Health Surveys, Reproductive Health Survey programs, and the UN Population Division *World Contraceptive Use 2003*. Other sources include direct communication with national statistical organizations and the databases of the UN Population Division and the U.S. Census Bureau. Data refer to some point in the 1990s and early 2000s. Data prior to 1998 are shown in italics.

Government View of Current Birth Rate

This population policy indicator presents the officially stated position of country governments on the level of the national birth rate. Most indicators are from the UN Population Division, *World Population Policies, 2003*.

GNI PPP per Capita, 2002 (US\$)

GNI PPP per capita is gross national income in purchasing power parity (PPP) divided by midyear population. GNI PPP refers to gross national income converted to "international" dollars using a purchasing power parity conversion factor. International dollars indicate the amount of goods and services one could buy in the United States with a given amount of money. Data are from the World Bank, *World Development Indicators 2003*.

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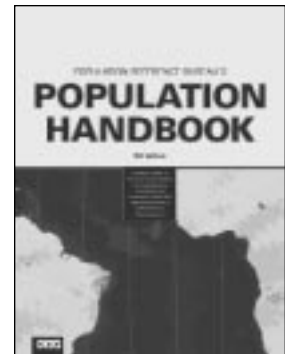
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