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FOREWORD

There are 32 landlocked developing countries (LLDCs): 16 are located in Africa; 10 in Asia, 4 in Central and Eastern Europe and 2 in Latin America. As diverse as these countries are, they share one common feature, namely the lack of direct territorial access to the sea, often coupled with remoteness from major markets.

This locational factor has a profound impact on the scope and the dynamics of these countries' integration in the global trading system. Their dependence on transit transport routes and transit facilities for merchandise trade increases transaction costs, reduces international competitiveness and discourages foreign investors. Consequently, transit dependence and market distance limit the classic development choices — the production of labour-intensive, low-value and bulky goods — of these countries.

However, as empirical evidence from developed landlocked countries demonstrates, these limitations are not an insurmountable obstacle to economic growth and development. The building of supply capacities for goods and services that are less sensitive to transportation and distance, as well as the promotion of stronger regional trade expansion are development options that could also help LLDCs to mitigate the adverse impact of their geographical location.

Still, many LLDCs stagnate at the bottom end of international rankings of income levels and social development indicators. In fact, 17 of the LLDCs are classified as least developed countries (LDCs). Responding to the specific problems of LLDCs requires a multidimensional approach to being landlocked as a development challenge. This notably implies the implementation of policies and measures aimed at economic restructuring and specialization that take into account the transport-related obstacles facing their economies.

The international community has expressed in many ways its resolve to assist these countries in their efforts to overcome the impediments of geography.

The Almaty Programme of Action, adopted in 2003 at the International Ministerial Conference of Landlocked and Transit Developing Countries and Donor Countries and International Financial and Development Institutions on Transit Transport Cooperation, was a hallmark of these global efforts. During the past decade, awareness and recognition of the special needs of LLDCs have risen at the international level and, despite large differences among individual LLDCs, there are encouraging signs of economic and social improvements in these countries. Nevertheless, laying the foundation for sustainable development continues to be work in progress for many, if not most, LLDCs.

The Second United Nations Conference on Landlocked Developing Countries, which will take place in Vienna from 3 to 5 November 2014, provides an opportunity to reaffirm the global commitment to addressing the special needs of these countries and renew the partnership between LLDCs, their transit neighbours and their development partners.

This publication is prepared as part of UNCTAD's contribution to this global gathering. It presents key economic, social and trade information on all 32 LLDCs with the aim of underpinning the dimension of their development challenge with facts and figures.

Landlocked Developing Countries (32 countries)

Africa 16, Asia 12, Latin America 2, Central and Eastern Europe 2



Note: The boundaries and names shown and the designations used on this map do not imply official endorsement or acceptance by the United Nations.

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The term "dollars" (\$) refers to United States dollars.

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

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

Use of a dash (–) between dates representing years, for example, 2010–2012, signifies the full period involved, including the initial and final years except for “adult literacy rate 2005–2011” where latest data available within this period are taken.

Unless otherwise specified, data refers to data available at the UNCTAD secretariat up to March 2014.

MAIN SOURCES

Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations (FAO), *FAOSTAT* database, February 2014

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United Nations Department of Economic and Social Affairs (UNDESA), Committee for Development Policy

United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization (UNESCO), *UNESCO Institute for Statistics* (UIS) database

United Nations Children's Fund (UNICEF), *Child Info* database

United Nations, *World Urbanization Prospects*

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World Bank, Global Poverty Working Group

World Bank, *International Debt Statistics*

World Bank, *World Development Indicators*, March 2014

COUNTRY GROUPS

Developed economies: Andorra, Austria, Australia, Belgium, Bulgaria, Bermuda, Canada, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Denmark, Estonia, Faeroe Islands, Finland, France, Germany, Gibraltar, Greece, Greenland, Holy See, Hungary, Iceland, Ireland, Italy, Israel, Japan, Latvia, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Malta, Netherlands, New Zealand, Norway, Poland, Portugal, Romania, Saint Pierre and Miquelon, San Marino, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, United Kingdom, United States of America.

European Union: EU27: Austria, Belgium, Bulgaria, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Denmark, Estonia, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Hungary, Ireland, Italy, Latvia, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Malta, Netherlands, Poland, Portugal, Romania, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Sweden, United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland.

Transition economies: Albania, Armenia, Azerbaijan, Belarus, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Croatia, Georgia, Kazakhstan, Kyrgyzstan, Moldova, Montenegro, Russian Federation, Serbia, Tajikistan, The former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Turkmenistan, Ukraine, Uzbekistan.

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

Other developed economies: Term used to describe developed economies other than those contained in relevant charts on merchandise exports and imports.

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DEFINITIONS

Official language: The official language(s) of the country.

National currency: Legal tender issued by the country's central bank or monetary authority.

Population: Refers to total population.

Density: Population divided by land area in square kilometres.

Urban population: People living in urban areas as defined by national statistical offices.

Surface area: country's total area, including inland bodies of water and coastal waterways.

Life expectancy at birth: Indicates the average number of years a newborn infant would live.

Infant mortality rate: Number of infants dying before reaching one year of age, per 1,000 live births in a given year.

Adult literacy rate: Percentage of the population age 15 and above who can, with understanding, read and write a short, simple statement on their everyday life.

National poverty rate: Percentage of the population living below the national poverty line. National estimates are based on population-weighted subgroup estimates from household surveys.

Human development index (HDI): A yearly composite index produced by the United Nations Development Programme to measure human development, based on health, education and income indices.

Economic vulnerability index (EVI): A composite index produced by the United Nations Committee for Development Policy as part of the methodology to identify the least developed countries (vulnerability criterion), based on indicators the size of the population, remoteness, economic concentration in primary activities (agriculture, forestry, fisheries), merchandise export concentration, the share of population in low-lying coastal zones, the share of population that suffered from natural disasters, instability of agricultural production, and instability of exports of goods and services.

Human asset index (HAI): A composite index produced by the UN Committee for Development Policy as part of the methodology to identify the least developed countries (human asset criterion), based on indicators for undernourishment, child mortality, secondary school enrolment and adult literacy.

Foreign direct investment (FDI): Net inflows of investment to exercise management control by acquiring 10 per cent or more of voting stock in an enterprise operating in a country other than the country of origin of the investor.

Net official development assistance (ODA): Disbursed loans made on concessional terms (net of repayments of principal) and grants by official agencies of members of the Development Assistance Committee (DAC) of

OECD, by multilateral institutions, and by non-DAC countries to promote economic development and welfare in recipient countries.

Total external debt: Debt owed to non-residents repayable in currency, goods, or services. Total external debt is the sum of public, publicly guaranteed, and private non-guaranteed long-term debt, use of credit from the International Monetary Fund (IMF), and short-term debt.

External reserves: Total reserves minus gold, comprising special drawing rights, reserves of IMF members held by IMF, and holdings of foreign exchange under the control of monetary authorities. Gold holdings are excluded.

Gross domestic product (GDP): Total market value of all final goods and services produced within a country in a year.

GDP growth: Rate of growth of GDP at constant prices (base period 2005)

Structure of GDP: It measures the value added in the different sectors of the economy. Agriculture covers agriculture, hunting, forestry and fisheries. Industry comprises manufacturing, electricity, gas and water supply, mining and quarrying and construction; services comprise market services and non-market services.

Merchandise and services exports: Sum of f.o.b. value of goods and services exported to the rest of the world.

Merchandise and services imports: Sum of c.i.f. value of goods and services imported from the rest of the world.

Trade deficit: Merchandise and services exports value less merchandise and services imports value.

Total road network: Includes motorways, highways, and all other national and regional roads in a country.

Road density: Ratio of the length of a country's total road network to a country's land area.

Paved roads: Roads surfaced with crushed stone (macadam) and hydrocarbon binder or bituminized agents, with concrete, or with cobblestones, as a percentage of total road length in a country.

Vehicles: Include cars, buses, and freight vehicles, not including two-wheelers.

Railway lines: Length of railway route available for train service, irrespective of the number of parallel tracks.

Railway density: Ratio of the length of the country's total railway network to the country's land area

Mobile phone subscriptions: Number of individual subscriptions to a mobile telephone service using cellular technology. Post-paid and prepaid subscriptions are included.

Internet users: Individuals who have used the Internet (from any location) in the last 12 months. Internet can be used via a computer, mobile phone, personal digital assistant, games machine, digital TV, etc.

COUNTRY PROFILES





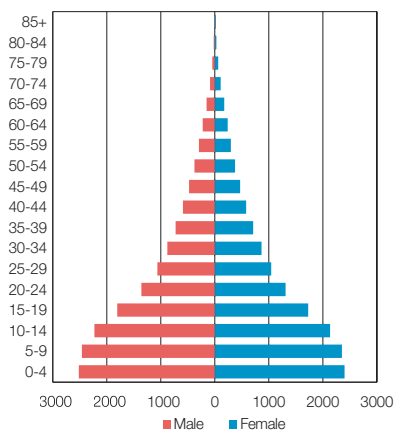
AFGHANISTAN

Capital	Kabul
Official language	Dari, Pashto
Currency	afghani (AFN)
Population, 2013 ('000)	30 551.7
Density, 2013 (inhabitants/km ²)	46.8
Urban population, 2013 (%)	27.2
Surface area, 2013 ('000 km ²)	652.2

Social development

Life expectancy at birth, 2012 (years)	49.1
Infant mortality rate, 2012 (per 1,000 live births)	71
Adult literacy rate, 2005–2011	..
National poverty rate, 2008 (% of population)	36
HDI rank, 2012	175
HDI value, 2012	0.4
EVI, 2012	38.8
HAI, 2012	22.5

Population by age, 2013 ('000)



Investment, external debt and aid

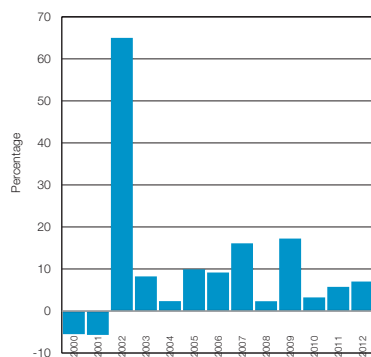
FDI inflows, 2012 (million \$)	93.8
FDI inflows, 2012 (% of GDP)	..
Total net ODA, 2012 (\$ per capita)	225.5
External debt, 2012 (million \$)	2 708.6
External debt, 2012 (\$ per capita)	90.8
External reserves, 2012 (million \$)	5 982.5
External reserves, 2012 (per capita)	200.6



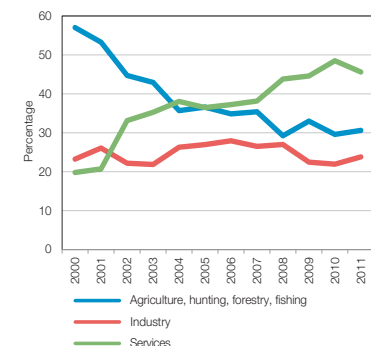
Economic development

GDP current, 2012 (million \$)	19 810.2
GDP, 2012 (\$ per capita)	593.2

GDP growth, 2000–2012



Structure of GDP, 2000–2011



AFGHANISTAN

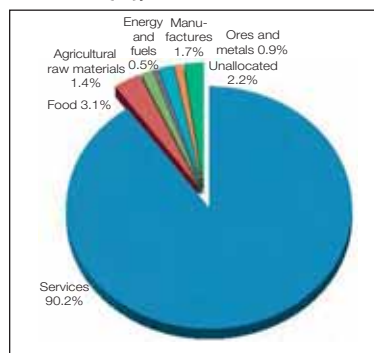
Trade

Total merchandise and services exports, 2010–2012 (million \$)	3 873.4
Total merchandise and services imports, 2010–2012 (million \$)	7 133.1
Merchandise and services trade deficit (million \$)	-3 259.7
Exports of goods and services, 2011 (% GDP)	8.8
Imports of goods and services, 2011(% GDP)	38.8

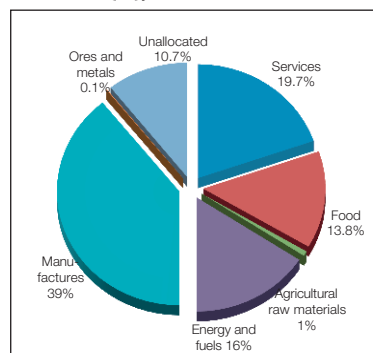
Infrastructure and communication

Closest distance to sea (km)	1 960
Roads, total network, 2006 (km)	42 150
Road density, 2006 (km per 1,000 km ²)	60
Roads, paved, 2006 (% of total roads)	29.3
Vehicles, 2006 (per km of road)	11
Railway lines, total route, 2006 (km)	-
Railway density, 2006 (km per 1,000 km ²)	-
Mobile phone subscriptions, 2012 (per 1,000 people)	539
Internet users, 2012 (per 1,000 people)	54.5

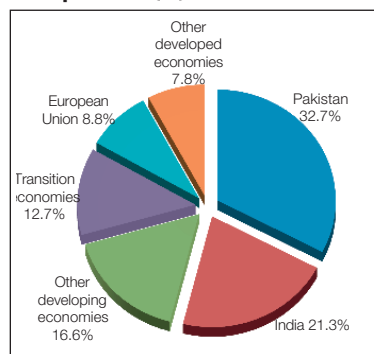
Merchandise and services exports structure (%), 2010–2012



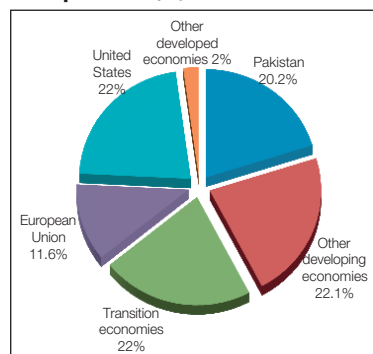
Merchandise and services imports structure (%), 2010–2012



Merchandise exports, 2010–2012: Main partners (%)



Merchandise imports, 2010–2012: Main partners (%)





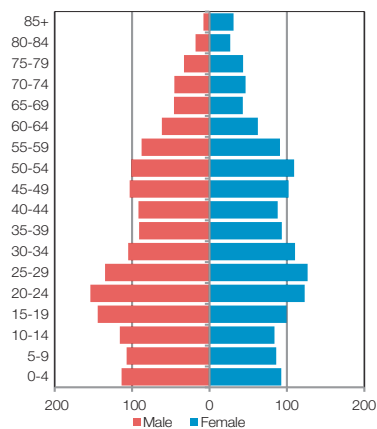
ARMENIA

Capital	Yerevan
Official language	Armenian
Currency	dram (AMD)
Population, 2013 ('000)	2 976.6
Density, 2013 (inhabitants/km ²)	100.1
Urban population, 2013 (%)	67.2
Surface area, 2013 ('000 km ²)	29.7

Social development

Life expectancy at birth, 2012 (years)	74.4
Infant mortality rate, 2012 (per 1,000 live births)	14.7
Adult literacy rate, 2005–2011	99.6
National poverty rate, 2010 (% of population)	35.8
HDI rank, 2012	87
HDI value, 2012	0.729
EVI, 2012	..
HAI, 2012	22.5

Population by age, 2013 ('000)



Investment, external debt and aid

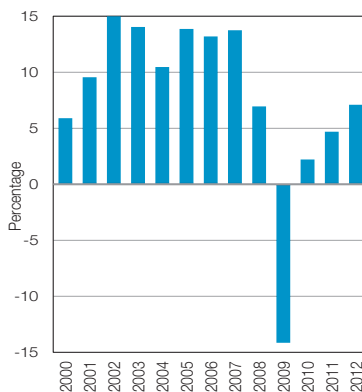
FDI inflows, 2012 (million \$)	489.1
FDI inflows, 2012 (% of GDP)	4.9
Total net ODA, 2012 (\$ per capita)	91.9
External debt, 2012 (million \$)	7 607.8
External debt, 2012 (\$ per capita)	2 562.3
External reserves, 2012 (million \$)	1 799.4
External reserves, 2012 (per capita)	606.0



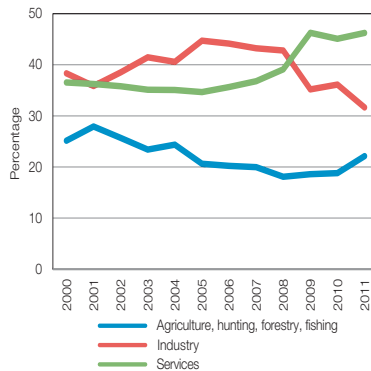
Economic development

GDP current, 2012 (million \$)	9 902.7
GDP, 2012 (\$ per capita)	3 185.2

GDP growth, 2000–2012



Structure of GDP, 2000–2011



ARMENIA

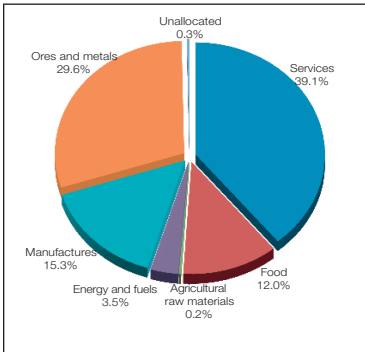
Trade

Total merchandise and services:	2 070.9
Exports, 2010–2012 (million \$)	
Total merchandise and services:	5 151.7
Imports, 2010–2012 (million \$)	
Merchandise and services:	-3 080.8
Trade deficit, 2010–2012 (million \$)	
Exports of goods and services, 2011	23.7
(% of GDP)	
Imports of goods and services, 2011	47.3
(% of GDP)	

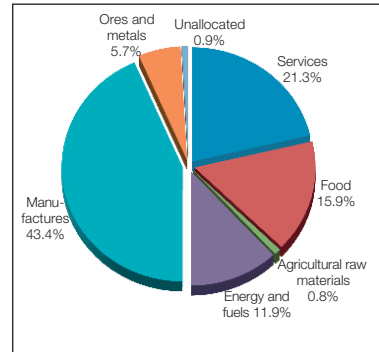
Infrastructure and communication

Closest distance to sea (km)	693.0
Roads, total network, 2010 (km)	7 705.0
Road density, 2010 (km per 1,000 km ²)	270.5
Roads, paved, 2009 (% of total roads)	93.6
Vehicles, 2007 (per km of road)	42.0
Railway lines, total route, 2011 (km)	826
Railway density, 2011 (km per 1,000 km ²)	29.0
Mobile phone subscriptions, 2012 (per 1,000 people)	1 068.8
Internet users, 2012 (per 1,000 people)	391.6

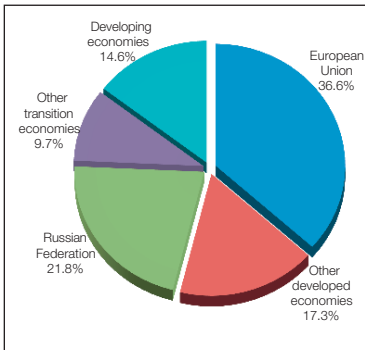
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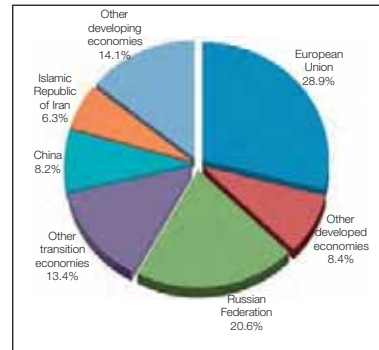
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Merchandise imports, 2010–2012: Main partners (%)





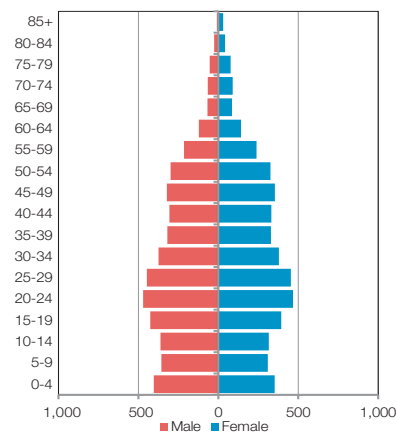
AZERBAIJAN

Capital	Baku
Official language	Azerbaijani
Currency	manat (AZN)
Population, 2013 ('000)	9 413.4
Density, 2013 (inhabitants/km ²)	108.7
Urban population, 2013 (%)	54.8
Surface area, 2013 ('000 km ²)	86.6

Social development

Life expectancy at birth, 2012 (years)	70.9
Infant mortality rate, 2012 (per 1,000 live births)	30.8
Adult literacy rate, 2005–2011	99.8
National poverty rate, 2012 (% of population)	6
HDI rank, 2012	82
HDI value, 2012	0.734
EVI, 2012	..
HAI, 2012	..

Population by age, 2013 ('000)



Investment, external debt and aid

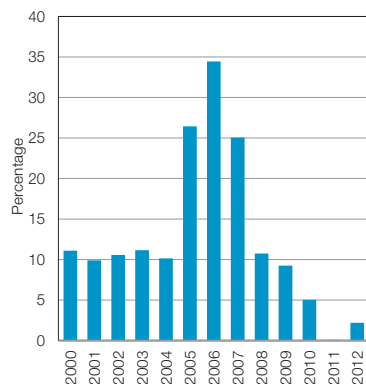
FDI inflows, 2012 (million \$)	2 004.6
FDI inflows, 2012 (% of GDP)	3.0
Total net ODA, 2012 (\$ per capita)	36.3
External debt, 2012 (million \$)	9 712.3
External debt, 2012 (\$ per capita)	1 044.6
External reserves, 2012 (million \$)	11 277.2
External reserves, 2012 (per capita)	1 212.9



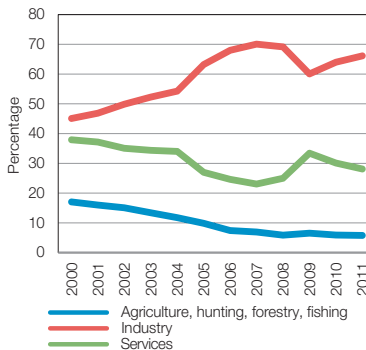
Economic development

GDP current, 2012 (million \$)	67 255.3
GDP, 2012 (\$ per capita)	7 138.7

GDP growth, 2000–2012



Structure of GDP, 2000–2011



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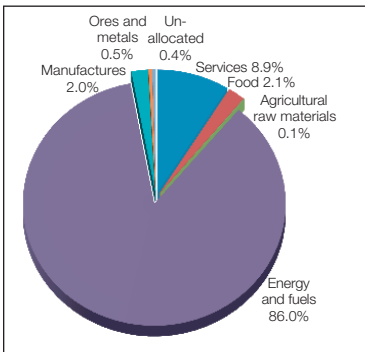
Trade

Total merchandise and services:	34 243.8
Exports, 2010–2012 (million \$)	
Total merchandise and services:	14 702.7
Imports, 2010–2012 (million \$)	
Merchandise and services:	19 541.1
Trade deficit, 2010–2012 (million \$)	
Exports of goods and services, 2011 (% of GDP)	58.7
Imports of goods and services, 2011 (% of GDP)	25.0

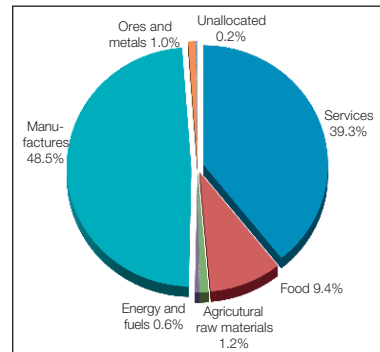
Infrastructure and communication

Closest distance to sea (km)	870.0
Roads, total network, 2006 (km)	52 942.0
Road density, 2006 (km per 1,000 km ²)	640.7
Roads, paved, 2006 (% of total roads)	50.6
Vehicles, 2006 (per km of road)	13.0
Railway lines, total route, 2011 (km)	2 079
Railway density, 2011 (km per 1,000 km ²)	25.2
Mobile phone subscriptions, 2012 (per 1,000 people)	1 074.7
Internet users, 2012 (per 1,000 people)	542.0

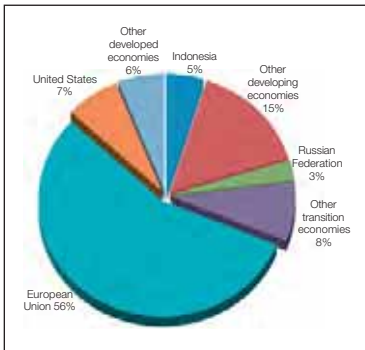
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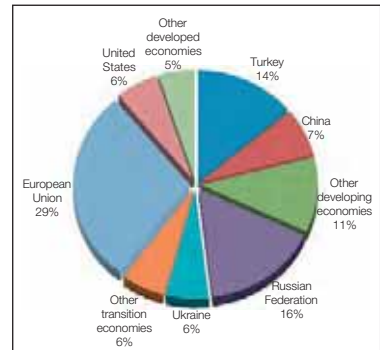
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Merchandise exports, 2010–2012: Main partners (%)



Merchandise imports, 2010–2012: Main partners (%)





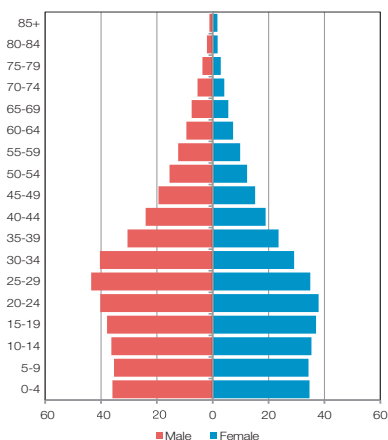
BHUTAN

Capital	Thimphu
Official language	Bhutanese (Dzongkha)
Currency	ngultrum (BTN)
Population, 2013 ('000)	753.9
Density, 2013 (inhabitants/km ²)	19.6
Urban population, 2013 (%)	37.6
Surface area, 2013 ('000 km ²)	38.4

Social development

Life expectancy at birth, 2012 (years)	67.6
Infant mortality rate, 2012 (per 1,000 live births)	35.7
Adult literacy rate, 2005–2011	52.8
National poverty rate, 2012 (% of population)	12
HDI rank, 2012	140
HDI value, 2012	0.538
EVI, 2012	44.2
HAI, 2012	59.0

Population by age, 2013 ('000)



Investment, external debt and aid

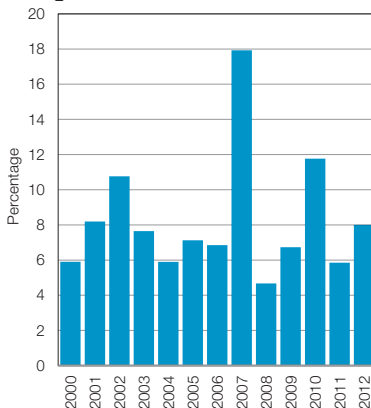
FDI inflows, 2012 (million \$)	15.9
FDI inflows, 2012 (% of GDP)	0.9
Total net ODA, 2012 (\$ per capita)	217.4
External debt, 2012 (million \$)	1 459.4
External debt, 2012 (\$ per capita)	1 967.3
External reserves, 2012 (million \$)	954.7
External reserves, 2012 (per capita)	1 286.9



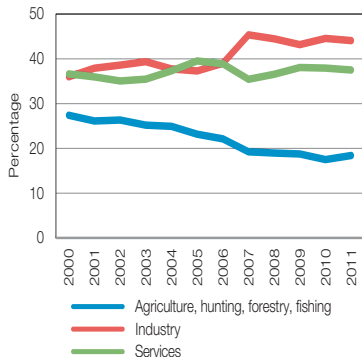
Economic development

GDP current, 2012 (million \$)	1 775.7
GDP, 2012 (\$ per capita)	2 366.2

GDP growth, 2000–2012



Structure of GDP, 2000–2011



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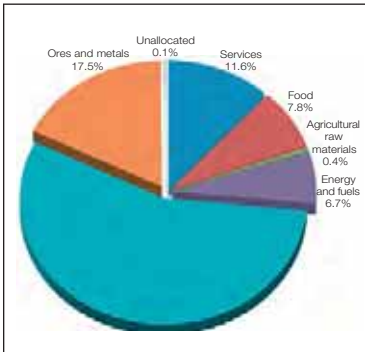
Trade

Total merchandise and services:	726.3
Exports, 2010–2012 (million \$)	
Total merchandise and services:	41.2
Imports, 2010–2012 (million \$)	
Merchandise and services:	1 115.1
Trade deficit, 2010–2012 (million \$)	
Exports of goods and services, 2011	60.4
(% of GDP)	
Imports of goods and services, 2011	-388.8
(% of GDP)	

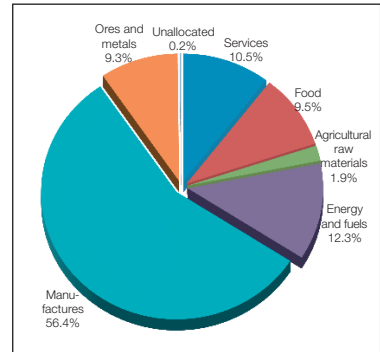
Infrastructure and communication

Closest distance to sea (km)	775.0
Roads, total network, 2010 (km)	6 920.2
Road density, 2010	180.2
(km per 1,000 km ²)	
Roads, paved, 2010	40.4
(% of total roads)	
Vehicles, 2009 (per km of road)	7.0
Railway lines, total route, (km)	..
Railway density, (km per 1,000 km ²)	..
Mobile phone subscriptions, 2012	747.4
(per 1,000 people)	
Internet users, 2012 (per 1,000 people)	254.3

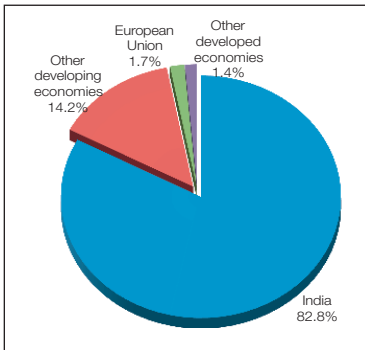
Merchandise and services exports structure (%), 2010–2012



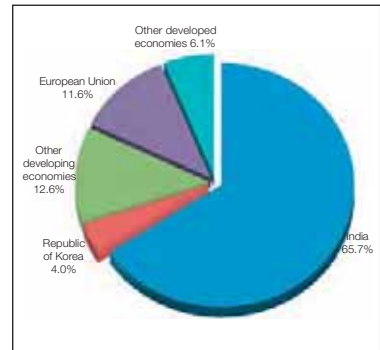
Merchandise and services imports structure (%), 2010–2012



Merchandise exports, 2010–2012: Main partners (%)



Merchandise imports, 2010–2012: Main partners (%)





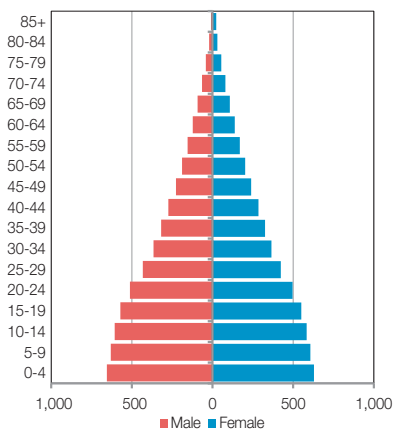
BOLIVIA (Plurinational State of)

Capital	Sucre
Official language	Spanish, Quechua, Aymara
Currency	boliviano (BOB)
Population, 2013 ('000)	10 671.2
Density, 2013 (inhabitants/km ²)	9.7
Urban population, 2013 (%)	66.0
Surface area, 2013 ('000 km ²)	1 098.6

Social development

Life expectancy at birth, 2012 (years)	66.9
Infant mortality rate, 2012 (per 1,000 live births)	32.8
Adult literacy rate, 2005–2011	91.2
National poverty rate, 2009 (% of population)	51.3
HDI rank, 2012	108
HDI value, 2012	0.675
EVI, 2012	33.6
HAI, 2012	74.8

Population by age, 2013 ('000)



Investment, external debt and aid

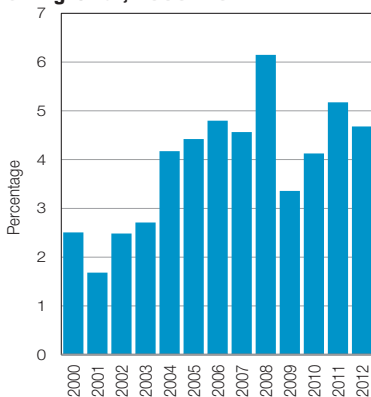
FDI inflows, 2012 (million \$)	1 060.0
FDI inflows, 2012 (% of GDP)	3.9
Total net ODA, 2012 (\$ per capita)	62.7
External debt, 2012 (million \$)	6 909.3
External debt, 2012 (\$ per capita)	658.3
External reserves, 2012 (million \$)	11 659.3
External reserves, 2012 (per capita)	1 110.8



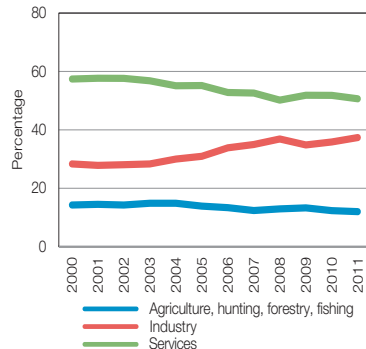
Economic development

GDP current, 2012 (million \$)	27 085.6
GDP, 2012 (\$ per capita)	2 643.0

GDP growth, 2000–2012



Structure of GDP, 2000–2011



BOLIVIA (Plurinational State of)

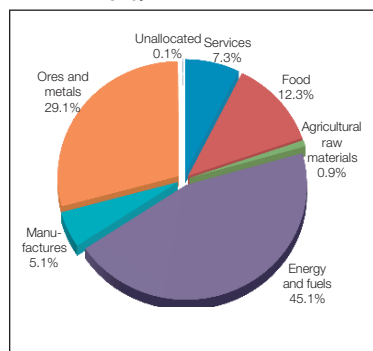
Trade

Total merchandise and services:	9 355.7
Exports, 2010–2012 (million \$)	
Total merchandise and services:	8 740.5
Imports, 2010–2012 (million \$)	
Merchandise and services:	615.2
Trade deficit, 2010–2012 (million \$)	
Exports of goods and services, 2011	44.1
(% of GDP)	
Imports of goods and services, 2011	38.4
(% of GDP)	

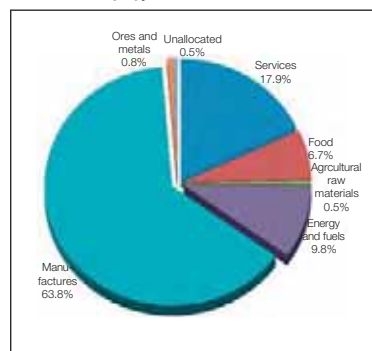
Infrastructure and communication

Closest distance to sea (km)	414.0
Roads, total network, 2010 (km)	80 488.0
Road density, 2010	74.3
(km per 1,000 km ²)	
Roads, paved, 2010	8.5
(% of total roads)	
Vehicles, 2007 (per km of road)	9.0
Railway lines, total route, 2009 (km)	2 866.0
Railway density, 2009 (km per 1,000 km ²)	2.6
Mobile phone subscriptions, 2012	926.4
(per 1,000 people)	
Internet users, 2012 (per 1,000 people)	341.9

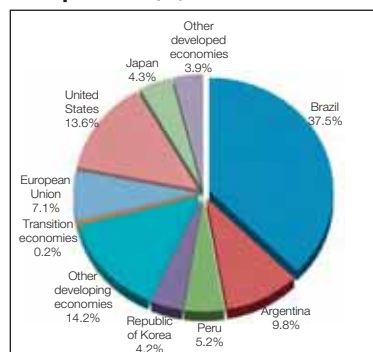
Merchandise and services exports structure (%), 2010–2012



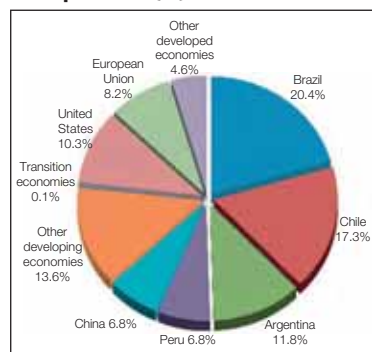
Merchandise and services imports structure (%), 2010–2012



Merchandise exports, 2010–2012: Main partners (%)



Merchandise imports, 2010–2012: Main partners (%)





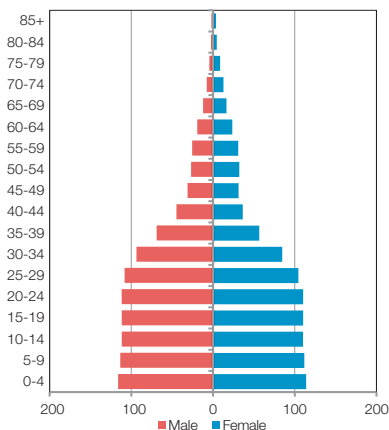
BOTSWANA

Capital	Gaborone
Official language	English
Currency	pula (BWP)
Population, 2013 ('000)	2 021.1
Density, 2013 (inhabitants/km ²)	3.5
Urban population, 2013 (%)	64.6
Surface area, 2013 ('000 km ²)	581.7

Social development

Life expectancy at birth, 2012 (years)	53
Infant mortality rate, 2012 (per 1,000 live births)	41
Adult literacy rate, 2005–2011	85.1
National poverty rate, 2003 (% of population)	30.6
HDI rank, 2012	119
HDI value, 2012	0.634
EVI, 2012	43.0
HAI, 2012	73.5

Population by age, 2013 ('000)



Investment, external debt and aid

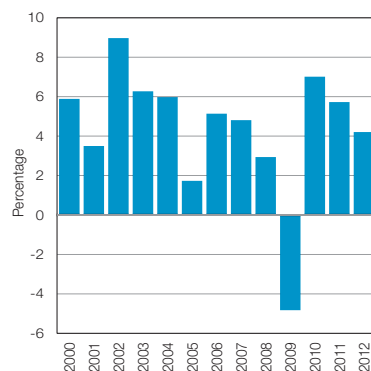
FDI inflows, 2012 (million \$)	292.5
FDI inflows, 2012 (% of GDP)	1.6
Total net ODA, 2012 (\$ per capita)	36.9
External debt, 2012 (million \$)	2 488.2
External debt, 2012 (\$ per capita)	1 241.7
External reserves, 2012 (million \$)	7 628.0
External reserves, 2012 (per capita)	3 806.5



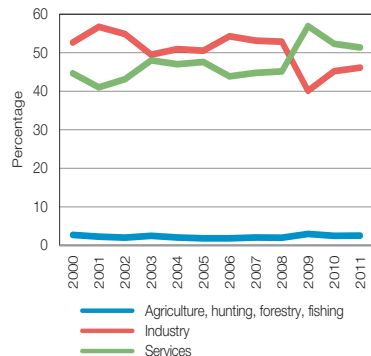
Economic development

GDP current, 2012 (million \$)	18 018.4
GDP, 2012 (\$ per capita)	8 775.6

GDP growth, 2000–2012



Structure of GDP, 2000–2011



BOTSWANA

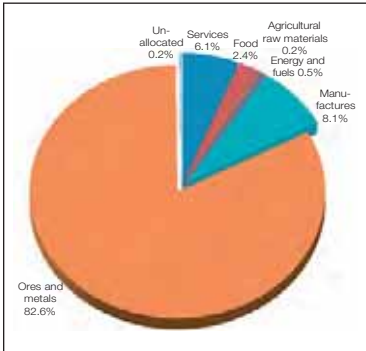
Trade

Total merchandise and services:	5 871.0
Exports, 2010–2012 (million \$)	
Total merchandise and services:	7 690.4
Imports, 2010–2012 (million \$)	
Merchandise and services:	-1 819.4
Trade deficit, 2010–2012 (million \$)	
Exports of goods and services, 2011	39.1
(% of GDP)	
Imports of goods and services, 2011	44.3
(% of GDP)	

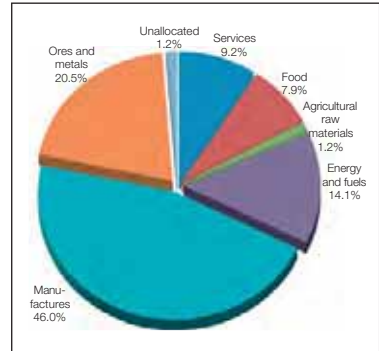
Infrastructure and communication

Closest distance to sea (km)	905.0
Roads, total network, 2005 (km)	25 798.0
Road density, 2005 (km per 1,000 km ²)	45.5
Roads, paved, 2005 (% of total roads)	32.6
Vehicles, 2005 (per km of road)	7.0
Railway lines, total route, 2011 (km)	888
Railway density, 2011 (km per 1,000 km ²)	1.6
Mobile phone subscriptions, 2012 (per 1,000 people)	1 500.9
Internet users, 2012 (per 1,000 people)	115.0

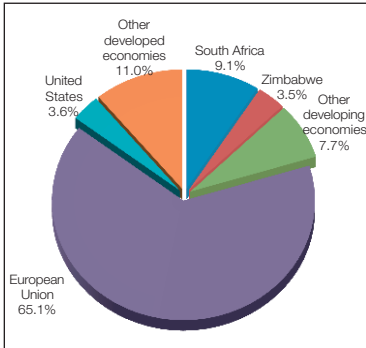
Merchandise and services exports structure (%), 2010–2012



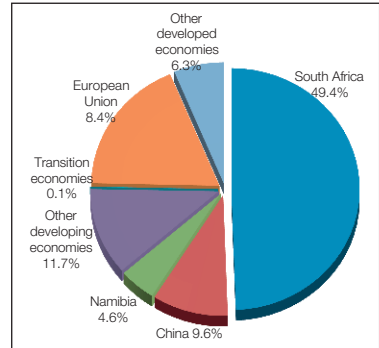
Merchandise and services imports structure (%), 2010–2012



Merchandise exports, 2010–2012: Main partners (%)



Merchandise imports, 2010–2012: Main partners (%)





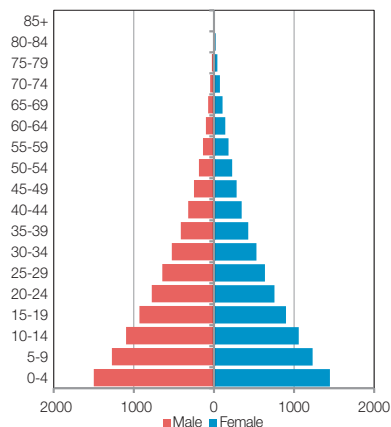
BURKINA FASO

Capital	Ouagadougou
Official language	French
Currency	CFA franc (XOF)
Population, 2013 ('000)	16 934.8
Density, 2013 (inhabitants/km ²)	61.8
Urban population, 2013 (%)	30.0
Surface area, 2013 ('000 km ²)	274.2

Social development

Life expectancy at birth, 2012 (years)	55.9
Infant mortality rate, 2012 (per 1,000 live births)	65.8
Adult literacy rate, 2005–2011	28.7
National poverty rate, 2009 (% of population)	46.7
HDI rank, 2012	183
HDI value, 2012	0.343
EVI, 2012	37.5
HAI, 2012	29.2

Population by age, 2013 ('000)



Investment, external debt and aid

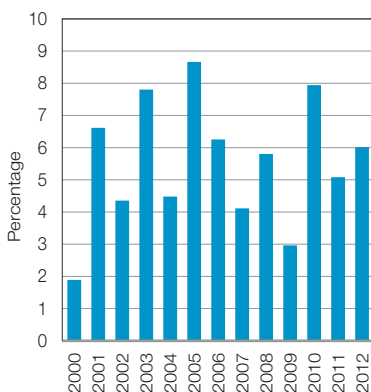
FDI inflows, 2012 (million \$)	40.1
FDI inflows, 2012 (% of GDP)	0.4
Total net ODA, 2012 (\$ per capita)	117.6
External debt, 2012 (million \$)	2 505.9
External debt, 2012 (\$ per capita)	152.2
External reserves, 2012 (million \$)	1 024.5
External reserves, 2012 (per capita)	62.2



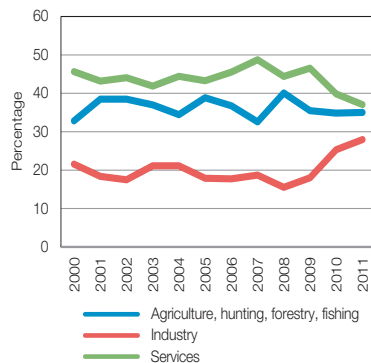
Economic development

GDP current, 2012 (million \$)	10 324.4
GDP, 2012 (\$ per capita)	590.6

GDP growth, 2000–2012



Structure of GDP, 2000–2011



BURKINA FASO

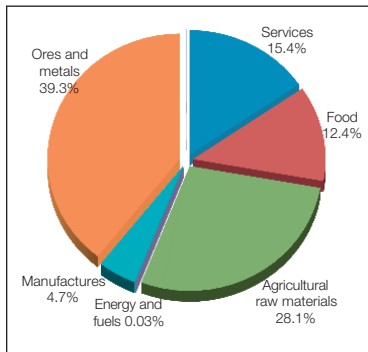
Trade

Total merchandise and services:	2 407.5
Exports, 2010–2012 (million \$)	
Total merchandise and services:	3 540.9
Imports, 2010–2012 (million \$)	
Merchandise and services:	-1,133.3
Trade deficit, 2010–2012 (million \$)	
Exports of goods and services, 2011	20.7
(% of GDP)	
Imports of goods and services, 2011	31.3
(% of GDP)	

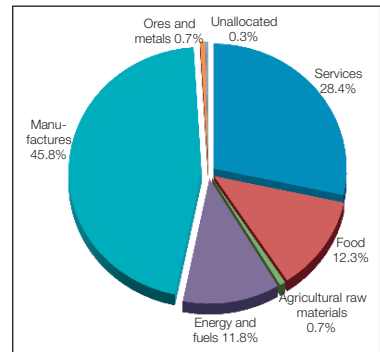
Infrastructure and communication

Closest distance to sea (km)	1 254.0
Roads, total network, 2010 (km)	15 271.6
Road density, 2010 (km per 1,000 km ²)	55.8
Roads, paved, 2004 (% of total roads)	4.2
Vehicles, 2004 (per km of road)	1.0
Railway lines, total route, 2011 (km)	622
Railway density, 2011 (km per 1,000 km ²)	2.3
Mobile phone subscriptions, 2012 (per 1,000 people)	570.7
Internet users, 2012 (per 1,000 people)	37.3

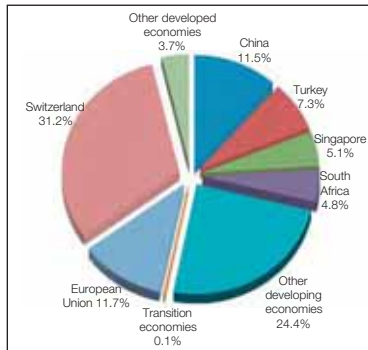
Merchandise and services exports structure (%), 2010–2012



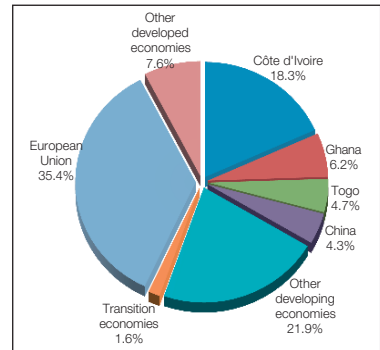
Merchandise and services imports structure (%), 2010–2012



Merchandise exports, 2010–2012: Main partners (%)



Merchandise imports, 2010–2012: Main partners (%)





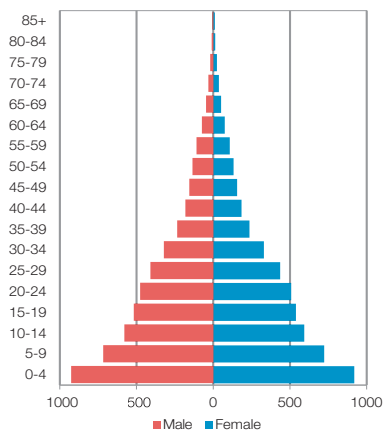
BURUNDI

Capital	Bujumbura
Official language	Kirundi, French
Currency	Burundi franc (BIF)
Population, 2013 ('000)	10 162.5
Density, 2013 (inhabitants/km ²)	365.2
Urban population, 2013 (%)	10.1
Surface area, 2013 ('000 km ²)	27.8

Social development

Life expectancy at birth, 2012 (years)	50.9
Infant mortality rate, 2012 (per 1,000 live births)	66.9
Adult literacy rate, 2005–2011	86.9
National poverty rate, 2006 (% of population)	66.9
HDI rank, 2012	178
HDI value, 2012	0.355
EVI, 2012	57.2
HAI, 2012	20.8

Population by age, 2013 ('000)



Investment, external debt and aid

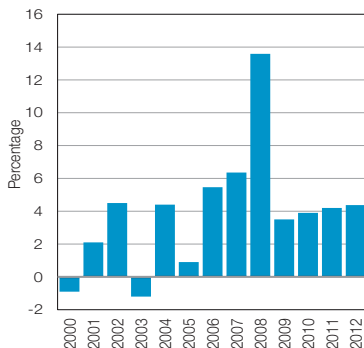
FDI inflows, 2012 (million \$)	0.6
FDI inflows, 2012 (% of GDP)	0.0
Total net ODA, 2012 (\$ per capita)	31.8
External debt, 2012 (million \$)	662.7
External debt, 2012 (\$ per capita)	67.3
External reserves, 2012 (million \$)	307.2
External reserves, 2012 (per capita)	31.2



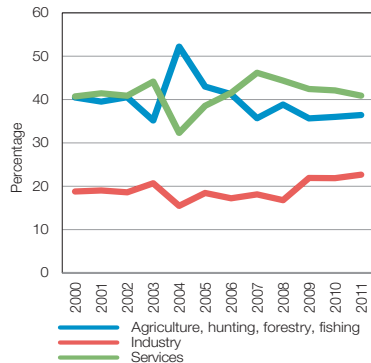
Economic development

GDP current, 2012 (million \$)	2 464.1
GDP, 2012 (\$ per capita)	281.6

GDP growth, 2000–2012



Structure of GDP, 2000–2011



BURUNDI

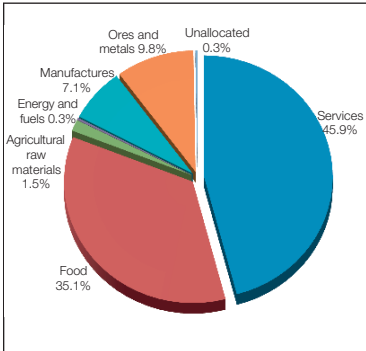
Trade

Total merchandise and services:	220.7
Exports, 2010–2012 (million \$)	
Total merchandise and services:	870.1
Imports, 2010–2012 (million \$)	
Merchandise and services:	-649.4
Trade deficit, 2010–2012 (million \$)	
Exports of goods and services, 2011	7.8
(% of GDP)	
Imports of goods and services, 2011	49.4
(% of GDP)	

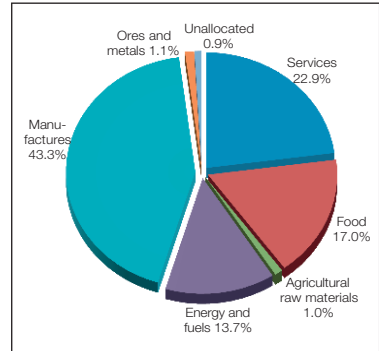
Infrastructure and communication

Closest distance to sea (km)	1 154.0
Roads, total network, 2004 (km)	12 322.0
Road density, 2004 (km per 1,000 km ²)	479.8
Roads, paved, 2004 (% of total roads)	10.4
Vehicles, (per km of road)	..
Railway lines, total route, (km)	..
Railway density, (km per 1,000 km ²)	..
Mobile phone subscriptions, 2012 (per 1,000 people)	256.8
Internet users, 2012 (per 1,000 people)	12.2

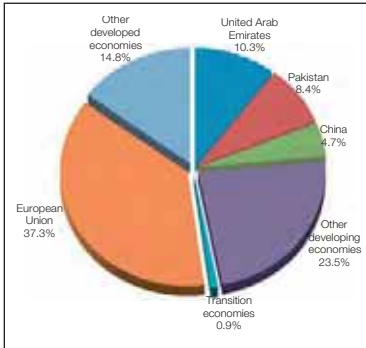
Merchandise and services exports structure (%), 2010–2012



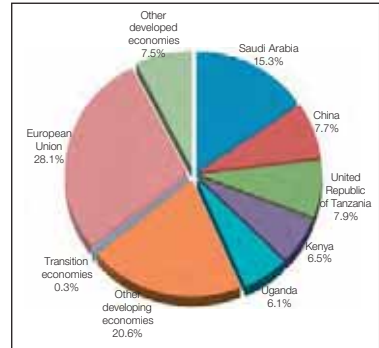
Merchandise and services imports structure (%), 2010–2012



Merchandise exports, 2010–2012: Main partners (%)



Merchandise imports, 2010–2012: Main partners (%)





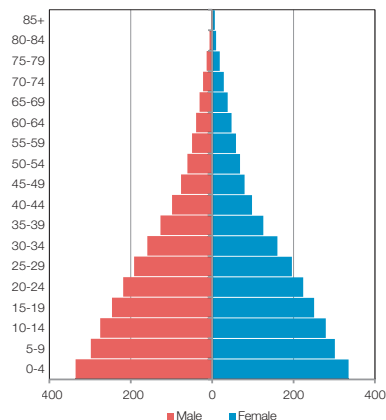
CENTRAL AFRICAN REPUBLIC

Capital	Bangui
Official language	French, Sango
Currency	CFA franc (XAF)
Population, 2013 ('000)	4 616.4
Density, 2013 (inhabitants/km ²)	7.4
Urban population, 2013 (%)	40.0
Surface area, 2013 ('000 km ²)	623

Social development

Life expectancy at birth, 2012 (years)	49.1
Infant mortality rate, 2012 (per 1,000 live births)	90.7
Adult literacy rate, 2005–2011	56.6
National poverty rate, 2008 (% of population)	62
HDI rank, 2012	180
HDI value, 2012	0.352
EVI, 2012	35.7
HAI, 2012	21.6

Population by age, 2013 ('000)



Investment, external debt and aid

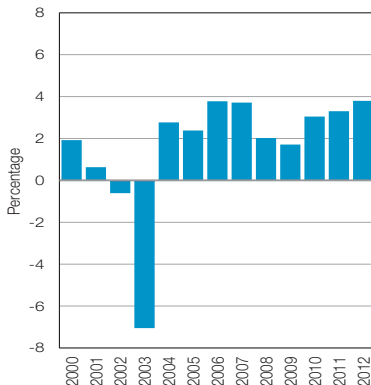
FDI inflows, 2012 (million \$)	50.2
FDI inflows, 2012 (% of GDP)	71.2
Total net ODA, 2012 (\$ per capita)	3.3
External debt, 2012 (million \$)	551.5
External debt, 2012 (\$ per capita)	121.9
External reserves, 2012 (million \$)	157.9
External reserves, 2012 (per capita)	34.9



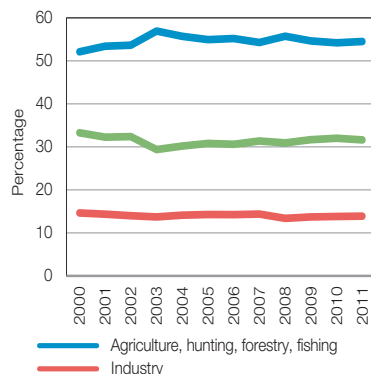
Economic development

GDP current, 2012 (million \$)	2 163.2
GDP, 2012 (\$ per capita)	472.8

GDP growth, 2000–2012



Structure of GDP, 2000–2011



CENTRAL AFRICAN REPUBLIC

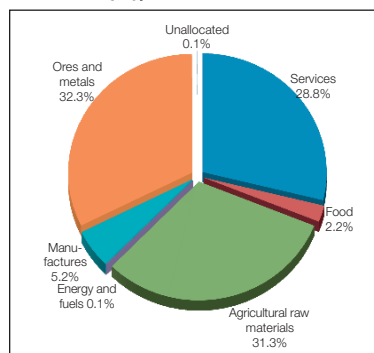
Trade

Total merchandise and services:	252.8
Exports, 2010–2012 (million \$)	
Total merchandise and services:	497.2
Imports, 2010–2012 (million \$)	
Merchandise and services:	-244.4
Trade deficit, 2010–2012 (million \$)	
Exports of goods and services, 2011	10.8
(% of GDP)	
Imports of goods and services, 2011	22.0
(% of GDP)	

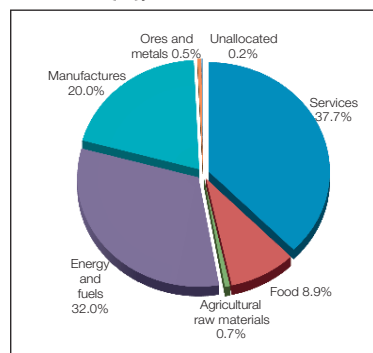
Infrastructure and communication

Closest distance to sea (km)	1 518.0
Roads, total network, 2010 (km)	20 278.0
Road density, 2010	32.6
(km per 1,000 km ²)	
Roads, paved, 2010	6.8
(% of total roads)	
Vehicles, (per km of road)	..
Railway lines, total route, (km)	..
Railway density, (km per 1,000 km ²)	..
Mobile phone subscriptions, 2012	233.9
(per 1,000 people)	
Internet users, 2012 (per 1,000 people)	30.0

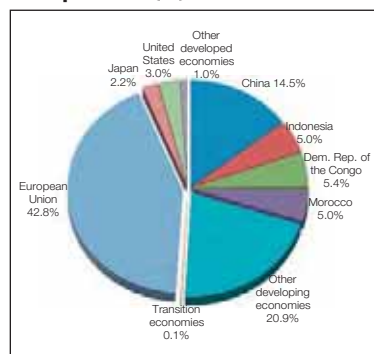
Merchandise and services exports structure (%), 2010–2012



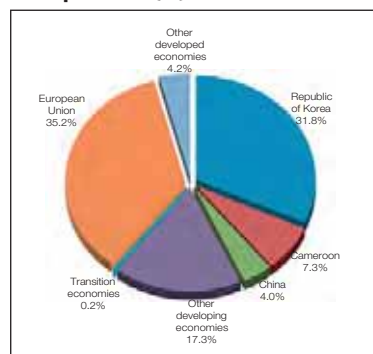
Merchandise and services imports structure (%), 2010–2012



Merchandise exports, 2010–2012: Main partners (%)



Merchandise imports, 2010–2012: Main partners (%)





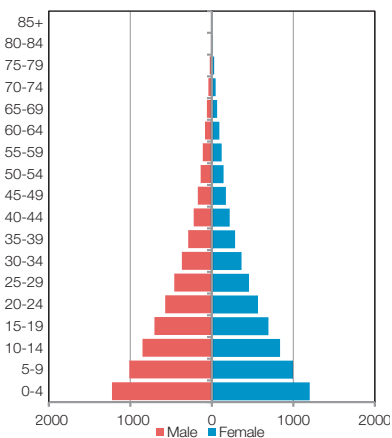
CHAD

Capital	N'Djamena
Official language	French, Arabic
Currency	CFA franc (XAF)
Population, 2013 ('000)	12 825.3
Density, 2013 (inhabitants/km ²)	10.0
Urban population, 2013 (%)	20.8
Surface area, 2013 ('000 km ²)	1 284

Social development

Life expectancy at birth, 2012 (years)	49.9
Infant mortality rate, 2012 (per 1,000 live births)	89.4
Adult literacy rate, 2005–2011	35.4
National poverty rate, 2011 (% of population)	46.7
HDI rank, 2012	184
HDI value, 2012	0.34
EVI, 2012	52.8
HAI, 2012	18.1

Population by age, 2013 ('000)



Investment, external debt and aid

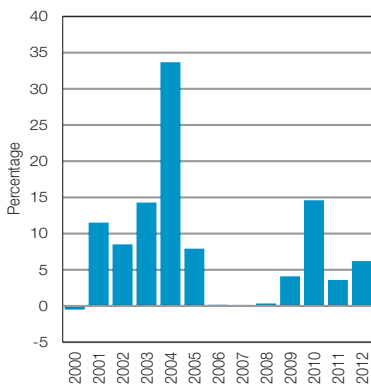
FDI inflows, 2012 (million \$)	323.5
FDI inflows, 2012 (% of GDP)	3.0
Total net ODA, 2012 (\$ per capita)	38.4
External debt, 2012 (million \$)	1 830.5
External debt, 2012 (\$ per capita)	147.1
External reserves, 2012 (million \$)	1 155.7
External reserves, 2012 (per capita)	92.8



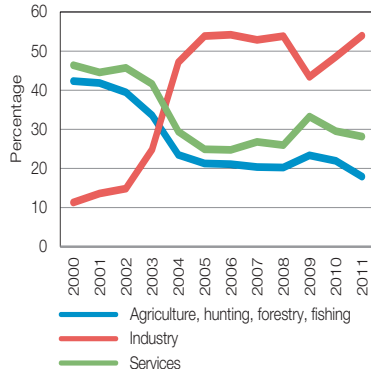
Economic development

GDP current, 2012 (million \$)	10 830.1
GDP, 2012 (\$ per capita)	915.4

GDP growth, 2000–2012



Structure of GDP, 2000–2011



CHAD

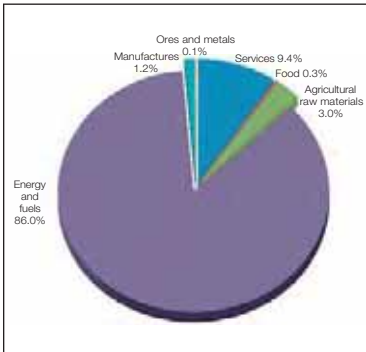
Trade

Total merchandise and services: Exports, 2010–2012 (million \$)	4 599.0
Total merchandise and services: Imports, 2010–2012 (million \$)	4 968.7
Merchandise and services: Trade deficit, 2010–2012 (million \$)	-369.6
Exports of goods and services, 2011 (% of GDP)	51.4
Imports of goods and services, 2011 (% of GDP)	21.7

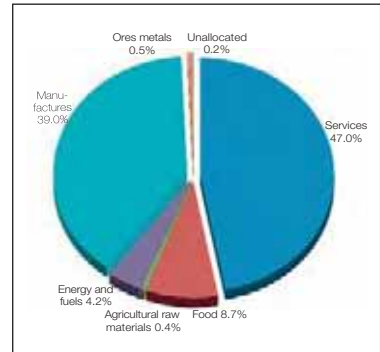
Infrastructure and communication

Closest distance to sea (km)	1 669.0
Roads, total network, 2006 (km)	40 000.0
Road density, 2006 (km per 1,000 km ²)	31.8
Roads, paved, 2000 (% of total roads)	0.8
Vehicles, 2006 (per km of road)	1.0
Railway lines, total route, (km)	..
Railway density, (km per 1,000 km ²)	..
Mobile phone subscriptions, 2012 (per 1,000 people)	354.9
Internet users, 2012 (per 1,000 people)	21.0

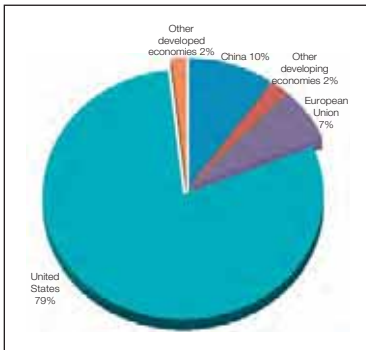
Merchandise and services exports structure (%), 2010–2012



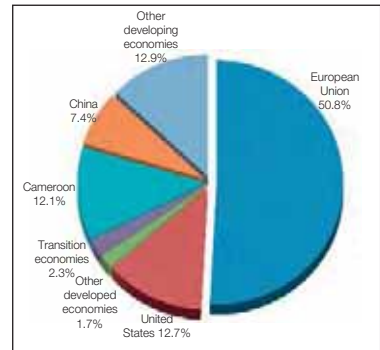
Merchandise and services imports structure (%), 2010–2012



Merchandise exports, 2010–2012: Main partners (%)



Merchandise imports, 2010–2012: Main partners (%)





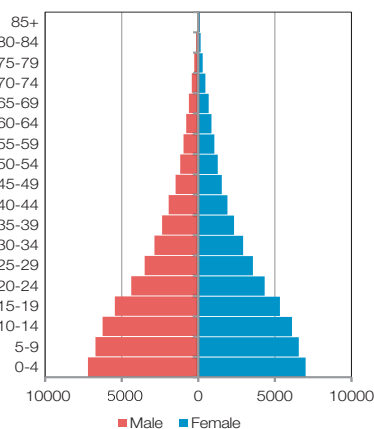
ETHIOPIA

Capital	Addis Ababa
Official language	Amharic
Currency	birr (ETB)
Population, 2013 ('000)	94 100.8
Density, 2013 (inhabitants/km ²)	85.2
Urban population, 2013 (%)	16.4
Surface area, 2013 ('000 km ²)	1 104.3

Social development

Life expectancy at birth, 2012 (years)	59.7
Infant mortality rate, 2012 (per 1,000 live births)	46.5
Adult literacy rate, 2005–2011	39.0
National poverty rate, 2011 (% of population)	29.6
HDI rank, 2012	173
HDI value, 2012	0.396
EVI, 2012	33.5
HAI, 2012	28.2

Population by age, 2013 ('000)



Investment, external debt and aid

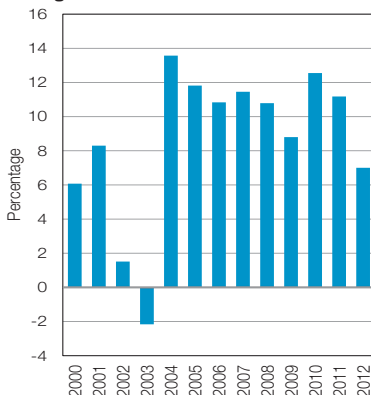
FDI inflows, 2012 (million \$)	970.4
FDI inflows, 2012 (% of GDP)	2.4
Total net ODA, 2012 (\$ per capita)	35.6
External debt, 2012 (million \$)	10 462.4
External debt, 2012 (\$ per capita)	114.1
External reserves, 2012 (million \$)	-
External reserves, 2012 (per capita)	-



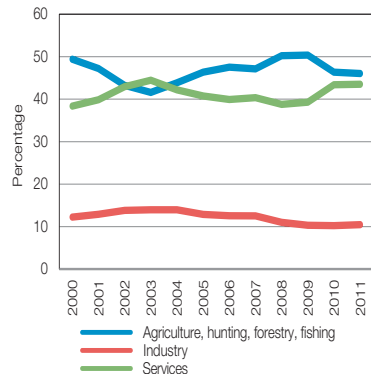
Economic development

GDP current, 2012 (million \$)	41 009.8
GDP, 2012 (\$ per capita)	473.9

GDP growth, 2000–2012



Structure of GDP, 2000–2011



ETHIOPIA

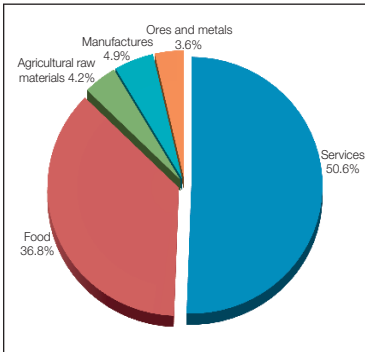
Trade

Total merchandise and services: Exports, 2010–2012 (million \$)	5 353.2
Total merchandise and services: Imports, 2010–2012 (million \$)	13 297.2
Merchandise and services: Trade deficit, 2010–2012 (million \$)	-7 944.0
Exports of goods and services, 2011 (% of GDP)	16.8
Imports of goods and services, 2011 (% of GDP)	31.8

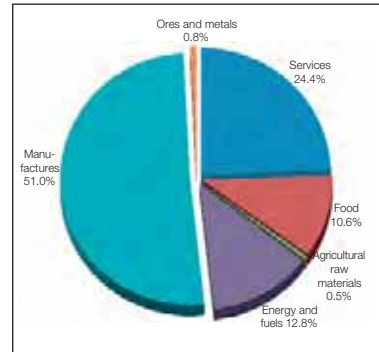
Infrastructure and communication

Closest distance to sea (km)	781.0
Roads, total network, 2007 (km)	44 359.0
Road density, 2007 (km per 1,000 km ²)	44.4
Roads, paved, 2007 (% of total roads)	13.7
Vehicles, 2007 (per km of road)	5.0
Railway lines, total route, (km)	..
Railway density, (km per 1,000 km ²)	..
Mobile phone subscriptions, 2012 (per 1,000 people)	237.2
Internet users, 2012 (per 1,000 people)	14.8

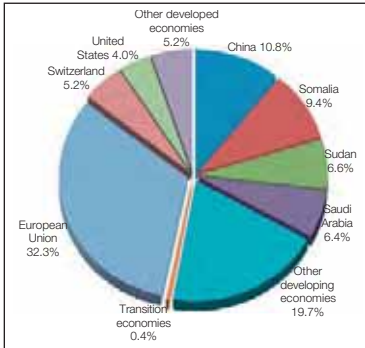
Merchandise and services exports structure (%), 2010–2012



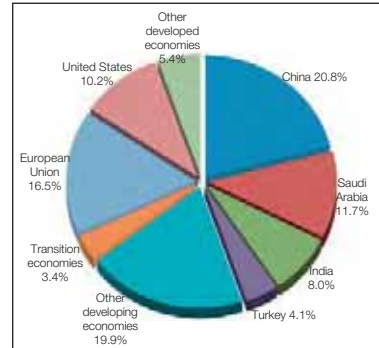
Merchandise and services imports structure (%), 2010–2012



Merchandise exports, 2010–2012: Main partners (%)



Merchandise imports, 2010–2012: Main partners (%)





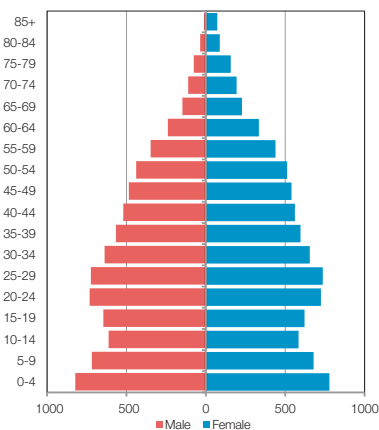
KAZAKHSTAN

Capital	Astana
Official language	Kazakh
Currency	tenge (KZT)
Population, 2013 ('000)	16 440.6
Density, 2013 (inhabitants/km ²)	6.0
Urban population, 2013 (%)	53.7
Surface area, 2013 ('000 km ²)	2 724.9

Social development

Life expectancy at birth, 2012 (years)	67.4
Infant mortality rate, 2012 (per 1,000 live births)	16.7
Adult literacy rate, 2005–2011	99.7
National poverty rate, 2012 (% of population)	3.8
HDI rank, 2012	69
HDI value, 2012	0.754
EVI, 2012	..
HAI, 2012	..

Population by age, 2013 ('000)



Investment, external debt and aid

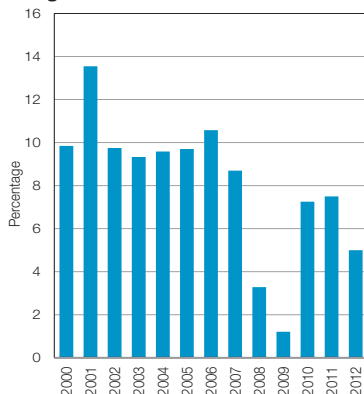
FDI inflows, 2012 (million \$)	14 022.1
FDI inflows, 2012 (% of GDP)	7.0
Total net ODA, 2012 (\$ per capita)	7.7
External debt, 2012 (million \$)	137 013.9
External debt, 2012 (\$ per capita)	8 156.8
External reserves, 2012 (million \$)	22 131.5
External reserves, 2012 (per capita)	1 317.6



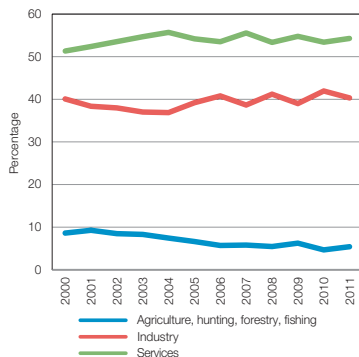
Economic development

GDP current, 2012 (million \$)	199 899.1
GDP, 2012 (\$ per capita)	12 202.9

GDP growth, 2000–2012



Structure of GDP, 2000–2011



KAZAKHSTAN

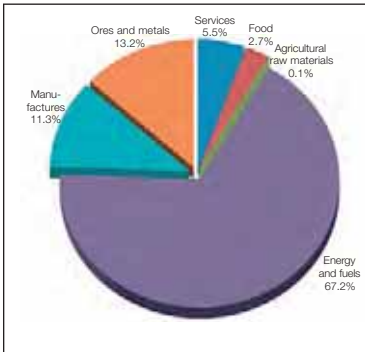
Trade

Total merchandise and services: Exports, 2010–2012 (million \$)	84 524.4
Total merchandise and services: Imports, 2010–2012 (million \$)	49 215.7
Merchandise and services: Trade deficit, 2010–2012 (million \$)	35 308.6
Exports of goods and services, 2011 (% of GDP)	49.9
Imports of goods and services, 2011 (% of GDP)	28.0

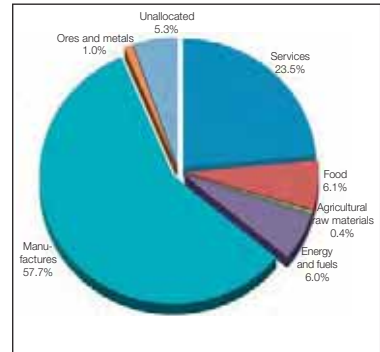
Infrastructure and communication

Closest distance to sea (km)	3 750.0
Roads, total network, 2010 (km)	96 018.0
Road density, 2010 (km per 1,000 km ²)	35.6
Roads, paved, 2010 (% of total roads)	89.5
Vehicles, 2010 (per km of road)	37.3
Railway lines, total route, 2011 (km)	14 202
Railway density, 2011 (km per 1,000 km ²)	5.3
Mobile phone subscriptions, 2012 (per 1,000 people)	1 753.9
Internet users, 2012 (per 1,000 people)	533.2

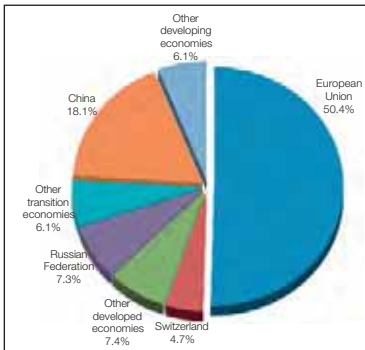
Merchandise and services exports structure (%), 2010–2012



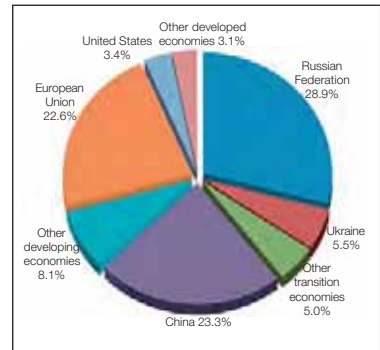
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Merchandise exports, 2010–2012: Main partners (%)



Merchandise imports, 2010–2012: Main partners (%)





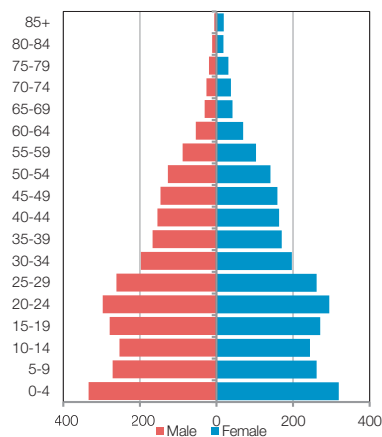
KYRGYZSTAN

Capital	Bishkek
Official language	Kirghiz
Currency	som (KGS)
Population, 2013 ('000)	5 547.5
Density, 2013 (inhabitants/km ²)	27.7
Urban population, 2013 (%)	35.2
Surface area, 2013 ('000 km ²)	199.9

Social development

Life expectancy at birth, 2012 (years)	68
Infant mortality rate, 2012 (per 1,000 live births)	23.6
Adult literacy rate, 2005–2011	99.2
National poverty rate, 2012 (% of population)	38
HDI rank, 2012	125
HDI value, 2012	0.622
EVI, 2012	..
HAI, 2012	..

Population by age, 2013 ('000)



Investment, external debt and aid

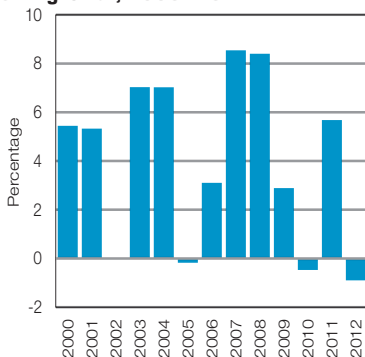
FDI inflows, 2012 (million \$)	372.2
FDI inflows, 2012 (% of GDP)	6.0
Total net ODA, 2012 (\$ per capita)	84.7
External debt, 2012 (million \$)	6 025.9
External debt, 2012 (\$ per capita)	1 079.5
External reserves, 2012 (million \$)	1 903.2
External reserves, 2012 (per capita)	340.9



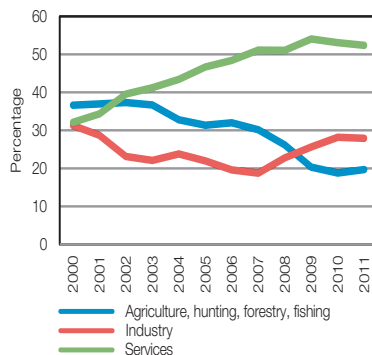
Economic development

GDP current, 2012 (million \$)	6 183.3
GDP, 2012 (\$ per capita)	1 134.9

GDP growth, 2000–2012



Structure of GDP, 2000–2011



KYRGYZSTAN

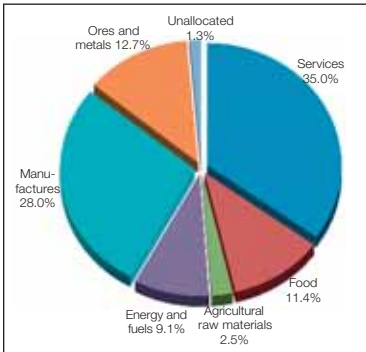
Trade

Total merchandise and services:	2 885.2
Exports, 2010–2012 (million \$)	
Total merchandise and services:	5 484.6
Imports, 2010–2012 (million \$)	
Merchandise and services:	-2 599.4
Trade deficit, 2010–2012 (million \$)	
Exports of goods and services, 2011	57.2
(% of GDP)	
Imports of goods and services, 2011	85.5
(% of GDP)	

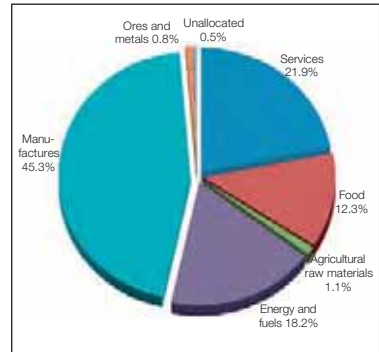
Infrastructure and communication

Closest distance to sea (km)	3 600.0
Roads, total network, 2007 (km)	34 000.0
Road density, 2007 (km per 1,000 km ²)	177.3
Roads, paved, 2001 (% of total roads)	91.1
Vehicles, 2007 (per km of road)	9.0
Railway lines, total route, 2011 (km)	417
Railway density, 2011 (km per 1,000 km ²)	2.2
Mobile phone subscriptions, 2012 (per 1,000 people)	1 247.8
Internet users, 2012 (per 1,000 people)	217.2

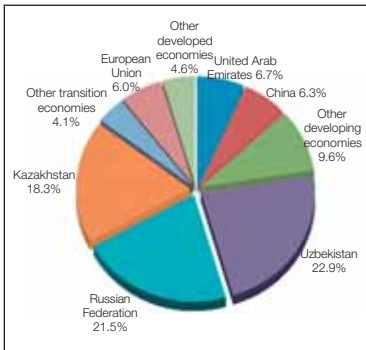
Merchandise and services exports structure (%), 2010–2012



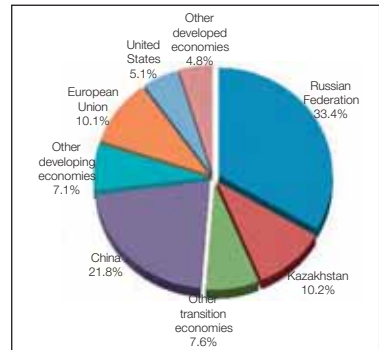
Merchandise and services imports structure (%), 2010–2012



Merchandise exports, 2010–2012: Main partners (%)



Merchandise imports, 2010–2012: Main partners (%)





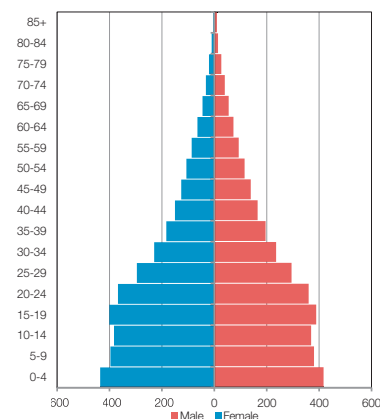
LAO PEOPLE'S DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC

Capital	Vientiane
Official language	Lao
Currency	kip (LAK)
Population, 2013 ('000)	6 769.7
Density, 2013 (inhabitants/km ²)	28.6
Urban population, 2013 (%)	34.8
Surface area, 2013 ('000 km ²)	236.8

Social development

Life expectancy at birth, 2012 (years)	67.8
Infant mortality rate, 2012 (per 1,000 live births)	54.0
Adult literacy rate, 2005–2011	72.7
National poverty rate, 2008 (% of population)	27.6
HDI rank, 2012	138
HDI value, 2012	0.543
EVI, 2012	37.1
HAI, 2012	61.4

Population by age, 2013 ('000)



Investment, external debt and aid

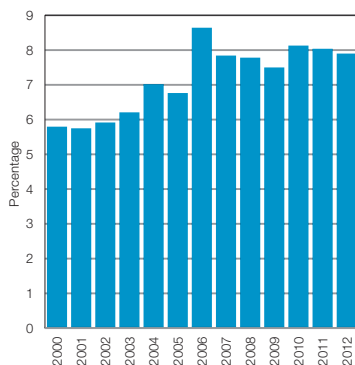
FDI inflows, 2012 (million \$)	294.4
FDI inflows, 2012 (% of GDP)	3.2
Total net ODA, 2012 (\$ per capita)	61.5
External debt, 2012 (million \$)	6 371.6
External debt, 2012 (\$ per capita)	958.7
External reserves, 2012 (million \$)	-
External reserves, 2012 (per capita)	-



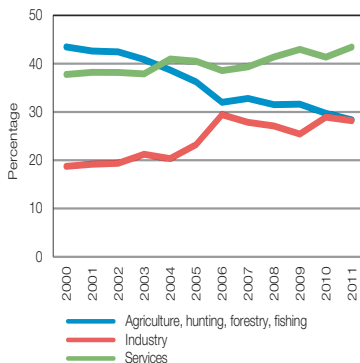
Economic development

GDP current, 2012 (million \$)	9 194.2
GDP, 2012 (\$ per capita)	1 442.5

GDP growth, 2000–2012



Structure of GDP, 2000–2011



LAO PEOPLE'S DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC

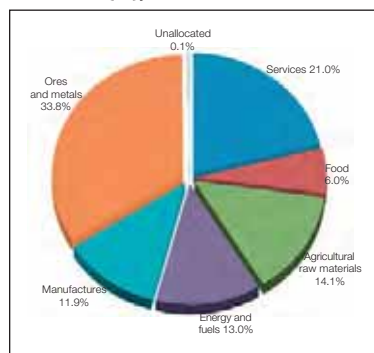
Trade

Total merchandise and services:	2 630.9
Exports, 2010–2012 (million \$)	
Total merchandise and services:	2 630.3
Imports, 2010–2012 (million \$)	
Merchandise and services:	0.7
Trade deficit, 2010–2012 (million \$)	
Exports of goods and services, 2011 (% of GDP)	22.8
Imports of goods and services, 2011 (% of GDP)	28.8

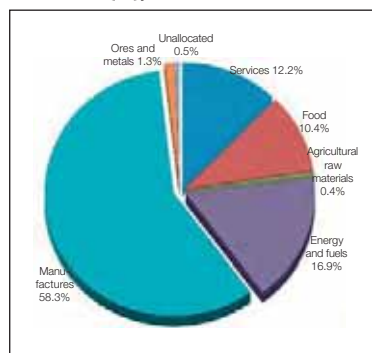
Infrastructure and communication

Closest distance to sea (km)	620.0
Roads, total network, 2009 (km)	39 568.0
Road density, 2009 (km per 1,000 km ²)	171.4
Roads, paved, 2009 (% of total roads)	13.7
Vehicles, 2007 (per km of road)	3.0
Railway lines, total route, (km)	..
Railway density, (km per 1,000 km ²)	..
Mobile phone subscriptions, 2012 (per 1,000 people)	1 018.5
Internet users, 2012 (per 1,000 people)	107.5

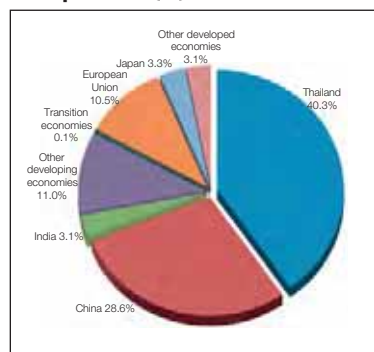
Merchandise and services exports structure (%), 2010–2012



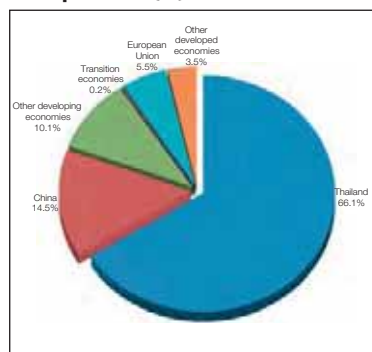
Merchandise and services imports structure (%), 2010–2012



Merchandise exports, 2010–2012: Main partners (%)



Merchandise imports, 2010–2012: Main partners (%)





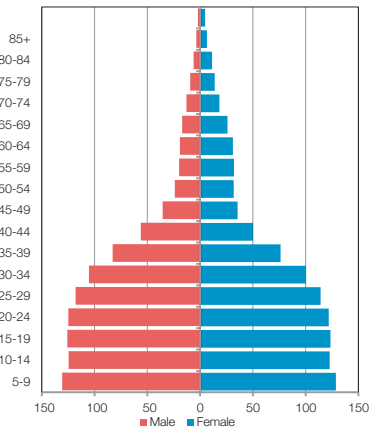
LESOTHO

Capital	Maseru
Official language	Sesotho, English
Currency	loti (LSL)
Population, 2013 ('000)	2,074.5
Density, 2013 (inhabitants/km ²)	68.3
Urban population, 2013 (%)	31.3
Surface area, 2013 ('000 km ²)	30.4

Social development

Life expectancy at birth, 2012 (years)	48.7
Infant mortality rate, 2012 (per 1,000 live births)	74.2
Adult literacy rate, 2005–2011	75.8
National poverty rate, 2003 (% of population)	56.6
HDI rank, 2012	158
HDI value, 2012	0.461
EVI, 2012	45.9
HAI, 2012	62.1

Population by age, 2013 ('000)



Investment, external debt and aid

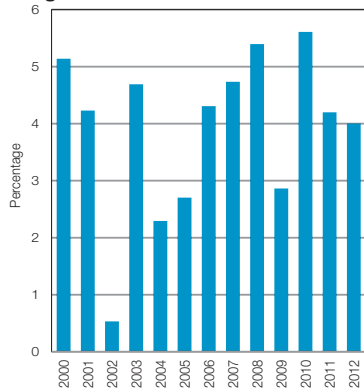
FDI inflows, 2012 (million \$)	172.3
FDI inflows, 2012 (% of GDP)	7.3
Total net ODA, 2012 (\$ per capita)	137.8
External debt, 2012 (million \$)	860.2
External debt, 2012 (\$ per capita)	419.3
External reserves, 2012 (million \$)	1 027.9
External reserves, 2012 (per capita)	501.0



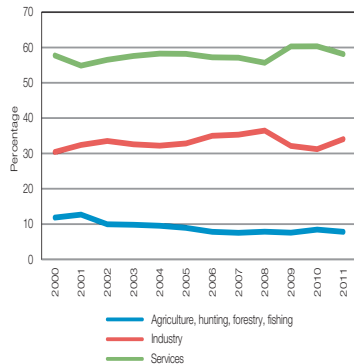
Economic development

GDP current, 2012 (million \$)	2 364.8
GDP, 2012 (\$ per capita)	1 066.7

GDP growth, 2000–2012



Structure of GDP, 2000–2011



LESOTHO

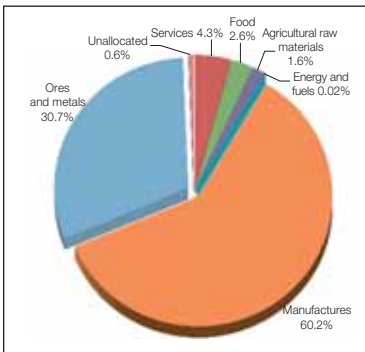
Trade

Total merchandise and services: Exports, 2010–2012 (million \$)	1 096.6
Total merchandise and services: Imports, 2010–2012 (million \$)	3 018.1
Merchandise and services: Trade deficit, 2010–2012 (million \$)	-1 921.6
Exports of goods and services, 2011 (% of GDP)	46.8
Imports of goods and services, 2011 (% of GDP)	112.4

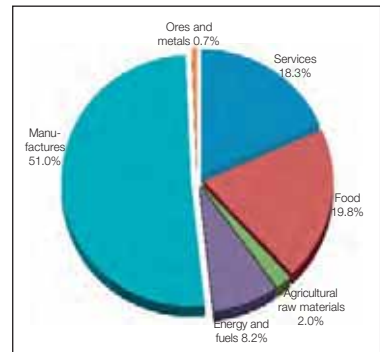
Infrastructure and communication

Closest distance to sea (km)	575.0
Roads, total network, 2000 (km)	5 940.0
Road density, 2000 (km per 1,000 km ²)	195.7
Roads, paved, 2005 (% of total roads)	53.0
Vehicles, 2006 (per km of road)	..
Railway lines, total route (km)	..
Railway density (km per 1,000 km ²)	..
Mobile phone subscriptions, 2012 (per 1,000 people)	591.7
Internet users, 2012 (per 1,000 people)	45.9

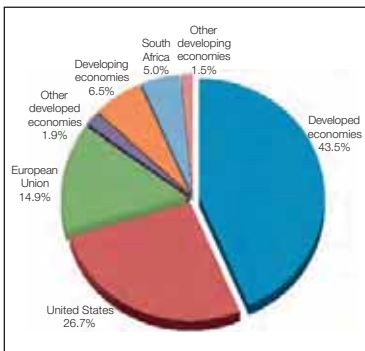
Merchandise and services exports structure (%), 2010–2012



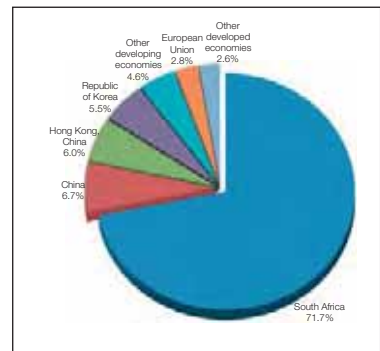
Merchandise and services imports structure (%), 2010–2012



Merchandise exports, 2010–2012: Main partners (%)



Merchandise imports, 2010–2012: Main partners (%)





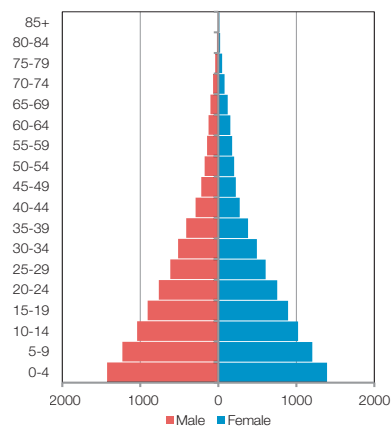
MALAWI

Capital	Lilongwe
Official language	English, Chichewa
Currency	kwacha (MWK)
Population, 2013 ('000)	16 362.6
Density, 2013 (inhabitants/km ²)	138.1
Urban population, 2013 (%)	16.0
Surface area, 2013 ('000 km ²)	118.5

Social development

Life expectancy at birth, 2012 (years)	54.8
Infant mortality rate, 2012 (per 1,000 live births)	46.0
Adult literacy rate, 2005–2011	61.3
National poverty rate, 2010 (% of population)	50.7
HDI rank, 2012	170
HDI value, 2012	0.418
EVI, 2012	51.9
HAI, 2012	44.1

Population by age, 2013 ('000)



Investment, external debt and aid

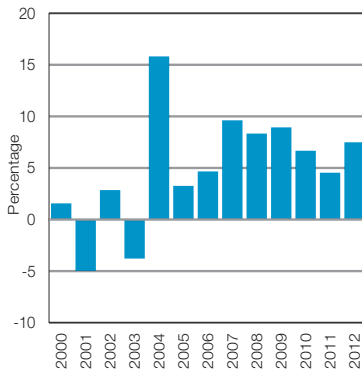
FDI inflows, 2012 (million \$)	129.5
FDI inflows, 2012 (% of GDP)	2.7
Total net ODA, 2012 (\$ per capita)	73.8
External debt, 2012 (million \$)	1 313.6
External debt, 2012 (\$ per capita)	82.6
External reserves, 2012 (million \$)	223.2
External reserves, 2012 (per capita)	14.0



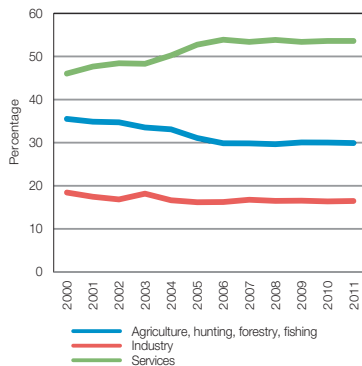
Economic development

GDP current, 2012 (million \$)	4 757.9
GDP, 2012 (\$ per capita)	299.6

GDP growth, 2000–2012



Structure of GDP, 2000–2011



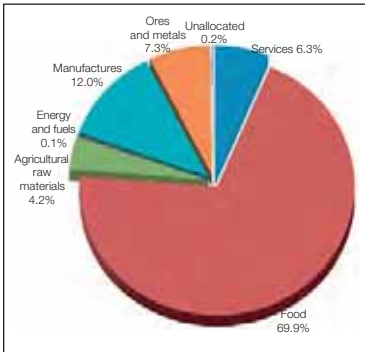
Trade

Total merchandise and services:	1 307.9
Exports, 2010–2012 (million \$)	
Total merchandise and services:	2 663.7
Imports, 2010–2012 (million \$)	
Merchandise and services:	-1 355.7
Trade deficit, 2010–2012 (million \$)	
Exports of goods and services, 2011	23.8
(% of GDP)	
Imports of goods and services, 2011	36.5
(% of GDP)	

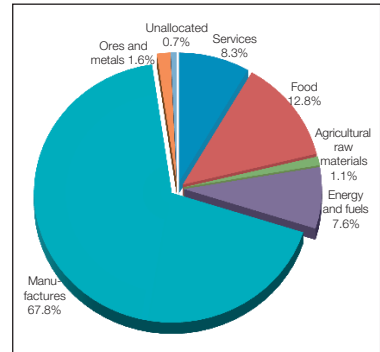
Infrastructure and communication

Closest distance to sea (km)	803.0
Roads, total network, 2003 (km)	15,451.0
Road density, 2003 (km per 1,000 km ²)	163.9
Roads, paved, 2003 (% of total roads)	45.0
Vehicles, 2006 (per km of road)	..
Railway lines, total route, 2008 (km)	797.0
Railway density, 2008 (km per 1,000 km ²)	8.5
Mobile phone subscriptions, 2012 (per 1,000 people)	278.3
Internet users, 2012 (per 1,000 people)	43.5

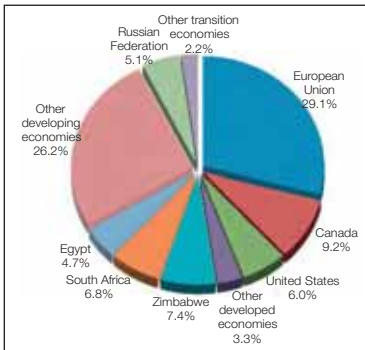
Merchandise and services exports structure (%), 2010–2012



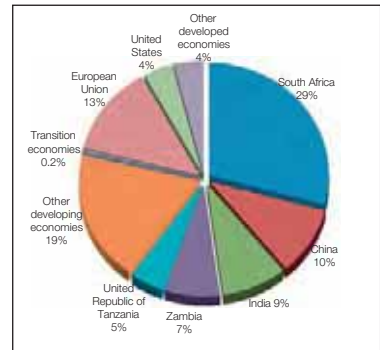
Merchandise and services imports structure (%), 2010–2012



Merchandise exports, 2010–2012: Main partners (%)



Merchandise imports, 2010–2012: Main partners (%)





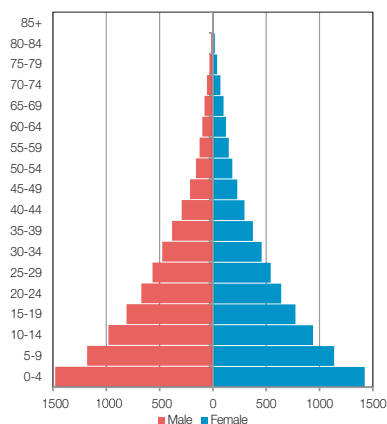
MALI

Capital	Bamako
Official language	French
Currency	CFA franc (XOF)
Population, 2013 ('000)	15 301.7
Density, 2013 (inhabitants/km ²)	12.3
Urban population, 2013 (%)	39.8
Surface area, 2013 ('000 km ²)	1 240.2

Social development

Life expectancy at birth, 2012 (years)	51.9
Infant mortality rate, 2012 (per 1,000 live births)	79.6
Adult literacy rate, 2005–2011	33.4
National poverty rate, 2010 (% of population)	43.6
HDI rank, 2012	182
HDI value, 2012	0.344
EVI, 2012	36.8
HAI, 2012	30.2

Population by age, 2013 ('000)



Investment, external debt and aid

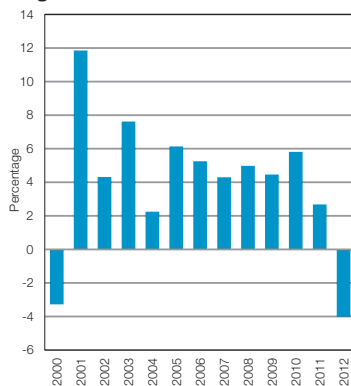
FDI inflows, 2012 (million \$)	310.5
FDI inflows, 2012 (% of GDP)	3.1
Total net ODA, 2012 (\$ per capita)	67.4
External debt, 2012 (million \$)	3 073.0
External debt, 2012 (\$ per capita)	206.9
External reserves, 2012 (million \$)	1 341.4
External reserves, 2012 (per capita)	90.3



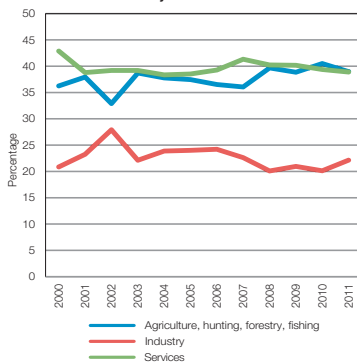
Economic development

GDP current, 2012 (million \$)	9 983.0
GDP, 2012 (\$ per capita)	611.7

GDP growth, 2000–2012



Structure of GDP, 2000–2011



MALI

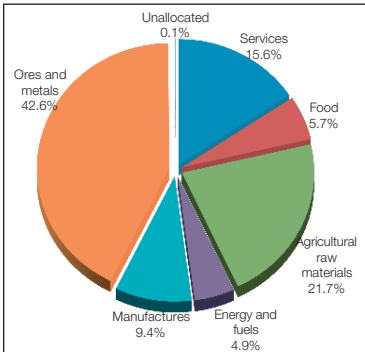
Trade

Total merchandise and services: Exports, 2010–2012 (million \$)	2 587.4
Total merchandise and services: Imports, 2010–2012 (million \$)	4 313.5
Merchandise and services: Trade deficit, 2010–2012 (million \$)	-1 726.1
Exports of goods and services, 2011 (% of GDP)	25.0
Imports of goods and services, 2011 (% of GDP)	26.8

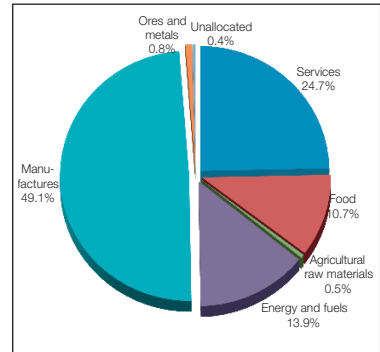
Infrastructure and communication

Closest distance to sea (km)	1 225.0
Roads, total network, 2009 (km)	22 474.0
Road density, 2009 (km per 1,000 km ²)	18.4
Roads, paved, 2009 (% of total roads)	24.6
Vehicles, 2009 (per km of road)	7.0
Railway lines, total route (km)	..
Railway density (km per 1,000 km ²)	..
Mobile phone subscriptions, 2012 (per 1,000 people)	895.5
Internet users, 2012 (per 1,000 people)	21.7

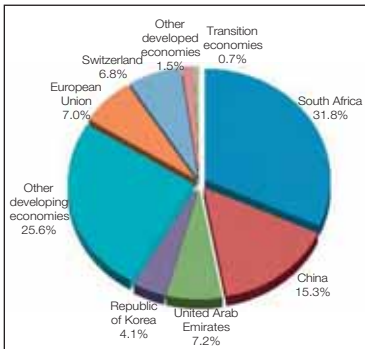
Merchandise and services exports structure (%), 2010–2012



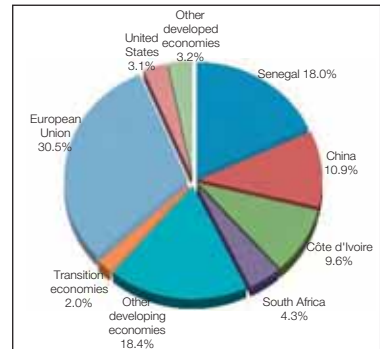
Merchandise and services imports structure (%), 2010–2012



Merchandise exports, 2010–2012: Main partners (%)



Merchandise imports, 2010–2012: Main partners (%)





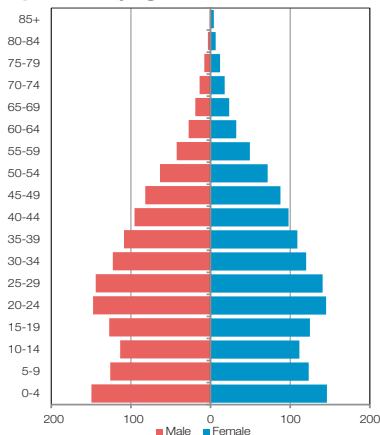
MONGOLIA

Capital	Ulaanbaatar
Official language	Mongolian
Currency	togrog (MNT)
Population, 2013 ('000)	2 839.1
Density, 2013 (inhabitants/km ²)	1.8
Urban population, 2013 (%)	71.6
Surface area, 2013 ('000 km ²)	1 564.1

Social development

Life expectancy at birth, 2012 (years)	68.8
Infant mortality rate, 2012 (per 1,000 live births)	23.0
Adult literacy rate, 2005–2011	97.4
National poverty rate, 2012 (% of population)	27.4
HDI rank, 2012	108
HDI value, 2012	0.675
EVI, 2012	52.5
HAI, 2012	82.8

Population by age, 2013 ('000)



Investment, external debt and aid

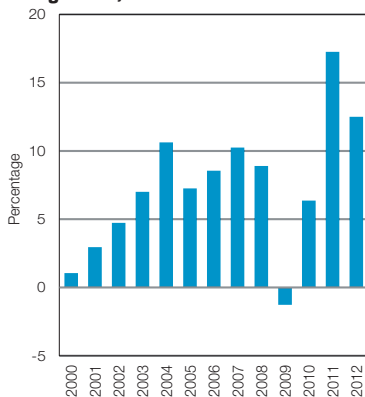
FDI inflows, 2012 (million \$)	4 451.8
FDI inflows, 2012 (% of GDP)	44.2
Total net ODA, 2012 (\$ per capita)	160.5
External debt, 2012 (million \$)	5 080.4
External debt, 2012 (\$ per capita)	1 816.7
External reserves, 2012 (million \$)	3 930.3
External reserves, 2012 (per capita)	1 405.4



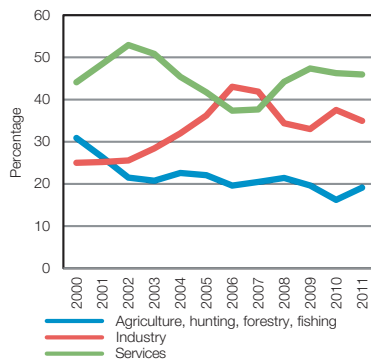
Economic development

GDP current, 2012 (million \$)	10 063.0
GDP, 2012 (\$ per capita)	3 538.2

GDP growth, 2000–2012



Structure of GDP, 2000–2011



MONGOLIA

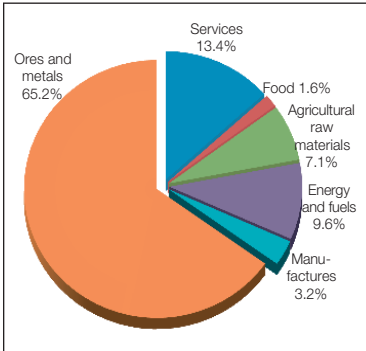
Trade

Total merchandise and services:	4 654.6
Exports, 2010–2012 (million \$)	
Total merchandise and services:	7 069.0
Imports, 2010–2012 (million \$)	
Merchandise and services:	-2 414.4
Trade deficit, 2010–2012 (million \$)	
Exports of goods and services, 2011	63.4
(% of GDP)	
Imports of goods and services, 2011	86.0
(% of GDP)	

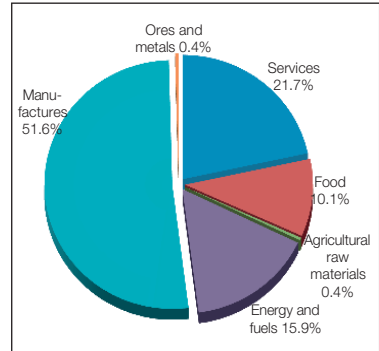
Infrastructure and communication

Closest distance to sea (km)	1 693.0
Roads, total network, 2009 (km)	11 218.0
Road density, 2009 (km per 1,000 km ²)	7.2
Roads, paved, 2002 (% of total roads)	3.5
Vehicles, 2003 (per km of road)	2.0
Railway lines, total route, 2011 (km)	1 814
Railway density, 2011 (km per 1,000 km ²)	1.2
Mobile phone subscriptions, 2012 (per 1,000 people)	1 176.2
Internet users, 2012 (per 1,000 people)	164.0

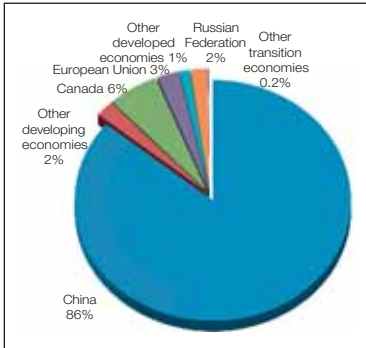
Merchandise and services exports structure (%), 2010–2012



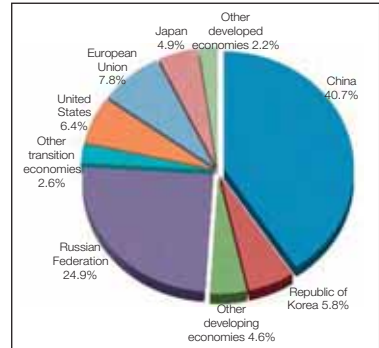
Merchandise and services imports structure (%), 2010–2012



Merchandise exports, 2010–2012: Main partners (%)



Merchandise imports, 2010–2012: Main partners (%)





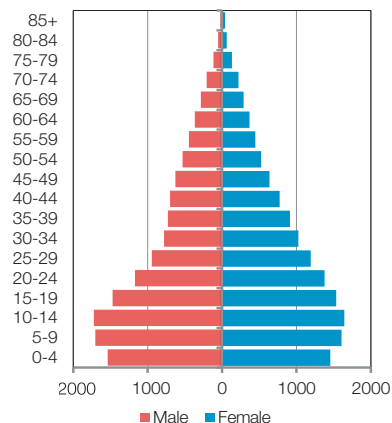
NEPAL

Capital	Kathmandu
Official language	Nepali
Currency	rupee (NPR)
Population, 2013 ('000)	27 797.5
Density, 2013 (inhabitants/km ²)	188.9
Urban population, 2013 (%)	20.0
Surface area, 2013 ('000 km ²)	147.2

Social development

Life expectancy at birth, 2012 (years)	69.1
Infant mortality rate, 2012 (per 1,000 live births)	33.6
Adult literacy rate, 2005–2011	57.4
National poverty rate, 2010 (% of population)	25.2
HDI rank, 2012	157
HDI value, 2012	0.463
EVI, 2012	27.8
HAI, 2012	59.8

Population by age, 2013 ('000)



Investment, external debt and aid

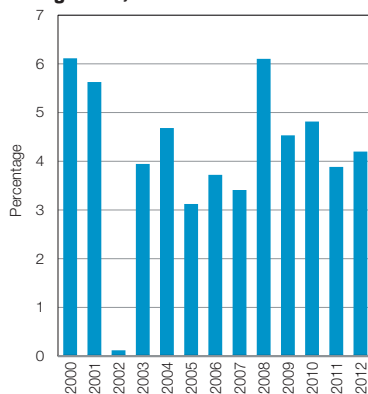
FDI inflows, 2012 (million \$)	92.0
FDI inflows, 2012 (% of GDP)	0.5
Total net ODA, 2012 (\$ per capita)	28.0
External debt, 2012 (million \$)	3 817.6
External debt, 2012 (\$ per capita)	138.9
External reserves, 2012 (million \$)	4 306.6
External reserves, 2012 (per capita)	156.7



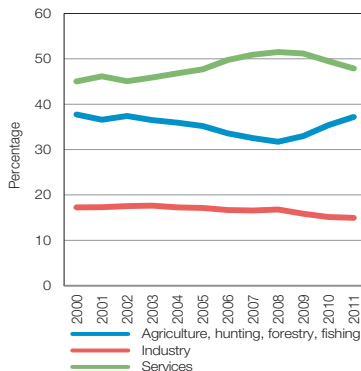
Economic development

GDP current, 2012 (million \$)	18 213.3
GDP, 2012 (\$ per capita)	587.3

GDP growth, 2000–2012



Structure of GDP, 2000–2011



NEPAL

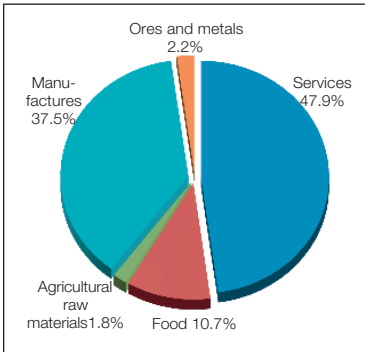
Trade

Total merchandise and services:	1 715.3
Exports, 2010–2012 (million \$)	
Total merchandise and services:	6 507.4
Imports, 2010–2012 (million \$)	
Merchandise and services:	-4 792.1
Trade deficit, 2010–2012 (million \$)	
Exports of goods and services, 2011 (% of GDP)	8.9
Imports of goods and services, 2011 (% of GDP)	32.8

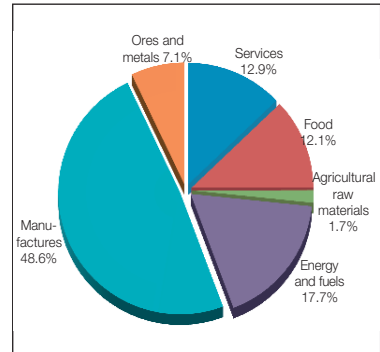
Infrastructure and communication

Closest distance to sea (km)	1 160.0
Roads, total network, 2008 (km)	19 875.0
Road density, 2008 (km per 1,000 km ²)	138.6
Roads, paved, 2008 (% of total roads)	53.9
Vehicles, 2007 (per km of road)	8.0
Railway lines, total route (km)	..
Railway density (km per 1,000 km ²)	..
Mobile phone subscriptions, 2012 (per 1,000 people)	528.2
Internet users, 2012 (per 1,000 people)	111.5

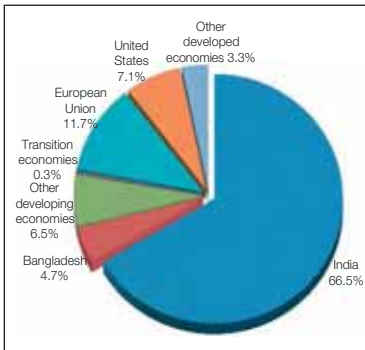
Merchandise and services exports structure (%), 2010–2012



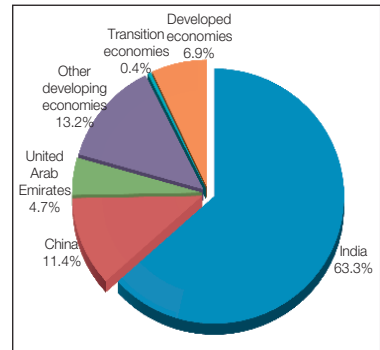
Merchandise and services imports structure (%), 2010–2012



Merchandise exports, 2010–2012: Main partners (%)



Merchandise imports, 2010–2012: Main partners (%)





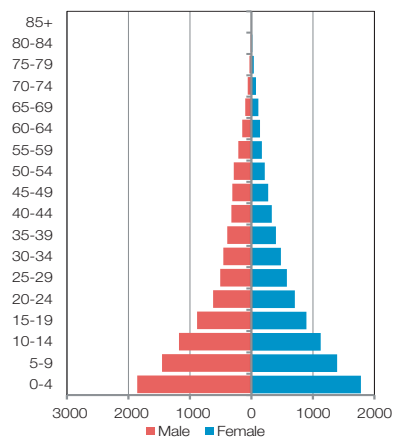
NIGER

Capital	Niamey
Official language	French
Currency	CFA franc (XOF)
Population, 2013 ('000)	17 831.3
Density, 2013 (inhabitants/km ²)	14.1
Urban population, 2013 (%)	17.7
Surface area, 2013 ('000 km ²)	1 267

Social development

Life expectancy at birth, 2012 (years)	55.1
Infant mortality rate, 2012 (per 1,000 live births)	62.8
Adult literacy rate, 2005–2011	28.7
National poverty rate, 2007 (% of population)	59.5
HDI rank, 2012	186
HDI value, 2012	0.304
EVI, 2012	38.6
HAI, 2012	24.3

Population by age, 2013 ('000)



Investment, external debt and aid

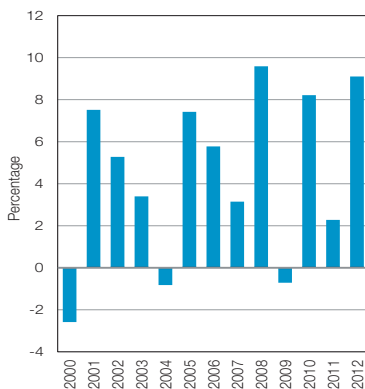
FDI inflows, 2012 (million \$)	793.4
FDI inflows, 2012 (% of GDP)	12.2
Total net ODA, 2012 (\$ per capita)	52.6
External debt, 2012 (million \$)	2 340.2
External debt, 2012 (\$ per capita)	136.4
External reserves, 2012 (million \$)	1 014.5
External reserves, 2012 (per capita)	59.1



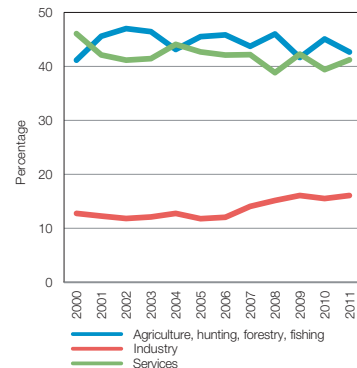
Economic development

GDP current, 2012 (million \$)	6 484.7
GDP, 2012 (\$ per capita)	389.6

GDP growth, 2000–2012



Structure of GDP, 2000–2011



NIGER

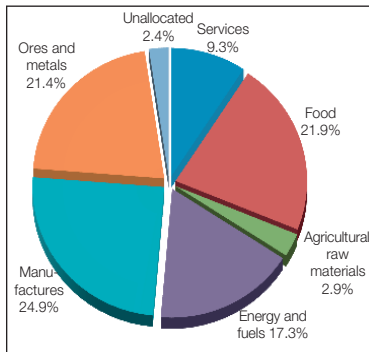
Trade

Total merchandise and services:	1 433.0
Exports, 2010–2012 (million \$)	
Total merchandise and services:	3 607.5
Imports, 2010–2012 (million \$)	
Merchandise and services:	-2 174.6
Trade deficit, 2010–2012 (million \$)	
Exports of goods and services, 2011	22.7
(% of GDP)	
Imports of goods and services, 2011	44.7
(% of GDP)	

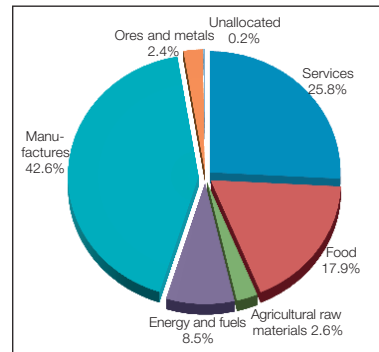
Infrastructure and communication

Closest distance to sea (km)	1 057.0
Roads, total network, 2010 (km)	19 267.0
Road density, 2010	15.2
(km per 1,000 km ²)	
Roads, paved, 2008	20.6
(% of total roads)	
Vehicles, 2009 (per km of road)	6.0
Railway lines, total route (km)	..
Railway density (km per 1,000 km ²)	..
Mobile phone subscriptions, 2012	324.2
(per 1,000 people)	
Internet users, 2012 (per 1,000 people)	14.1

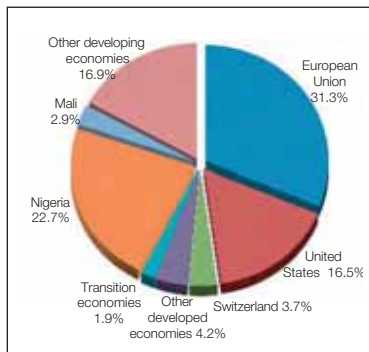
Merchandise and services exports structure (%), 2010–2012



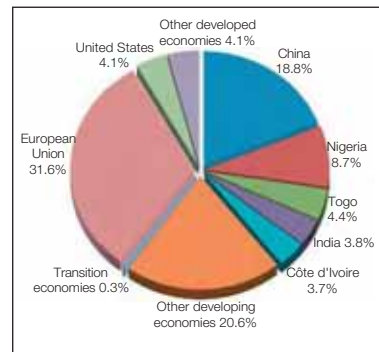
Merchandise and services imports structure (%), 2010–2012



Merchandise exports, 2010–2012: Main partners (%)



Merchandise imports, 2010–2012: Main partners (%)





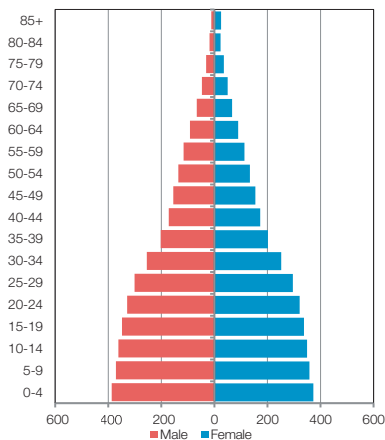
PARAGUAY

Capital	Asunción
Official language	Spanish, Guaraní
Currency	guaraní (PYG)
Population, 2013 ('000)	6 802.3
Density, 2013 (inhabitants/km ²)	16.7
Urban population, 2013 (%)	63.0
Surface area, 2013 ('000 km ²)	406.8

Social development

Life expectancy at birth, 2012 (years)	72.7
Infant mortality rate, 2012 (per 1,000 live births)	18.8
Adult literacy rate, 2005–2011	93.9
National poverty rate, 2011 (% of population)	32.4
HDI rank, 2012	111
HDI value, 2012	0.669
EVI, 2012	43.5
HAI, 2012	82.6

Population by age, 2013 ('000)



Investment, external debt and aid

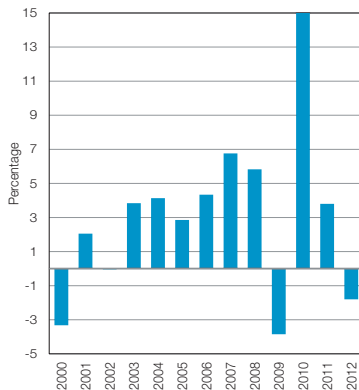
FDI inflows, 2012 (million \$)	319.9
FDI inflows, 2012 (% of GDP)	1.4
Total net ODA, 2012 (\$ per capita)	15.6
External debt, 2012 (million \$)	6 331.3
External debt, 2012 (\$ per capita)	946.8
External reserves, 2012 (million \$)	4 556.6
External reserves, 2012 (per capita)	681.4



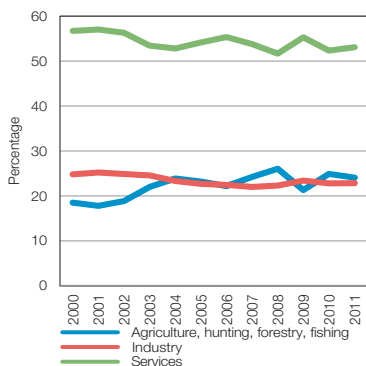
Economic development

GDP current, 2012 (million \$)	22 731.0
GDP, 2012 (\$ per capita)	3 401.3

GDP growth, 2000–2012



Structure of GDP, 2000–2011



PARAGUAY

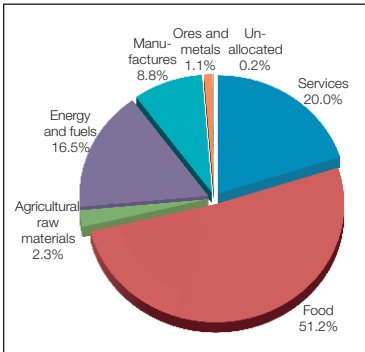
Trade

Total merchandise and services:	8 977.1
Exports, 2010–2012 (million \$)	
Total merchandise and services:	12 189.2
Imports, 2010–2012 (million \$)	
Merchandise and services:	-3 212.1
Trade deficit, 2010–2012 (million \$)	
Exports of goods and services, 2011 (% of GDP)	56.1
Imports of goods and services, 2011 (% of GDP)	62.7

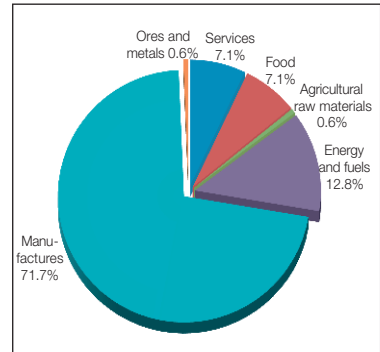
Infrastructure and communication

Closest distance to sea (km)	1 022.0
Roads, total network, 2010 (km)	32 059.0
Road density, 2010 (km per 1,000 km ²)	80.7
Roads, paved, 2010 (% of total roads)	15.2
Vehicles, 2009 (per km of road)	11.0
Railway lines, total route (km)	..
Railway density (km per 1,000 km ²)	..
Mobile phone subscriptions, 2012 (per 1,000 people)	1 016.6
Internet users, 2012 (per 1,000 people)	270.8

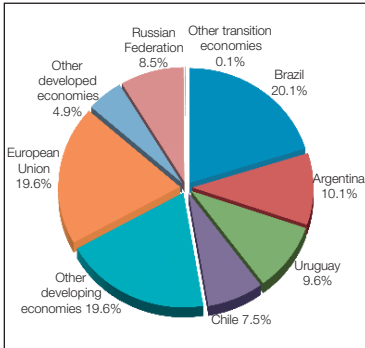
Merchandise and services exports structure (%), 2010–2012



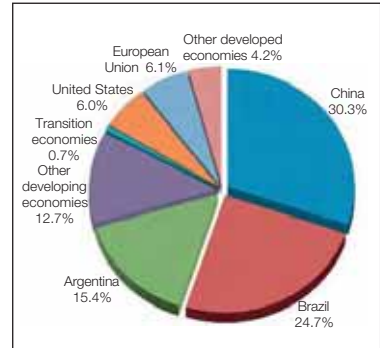
Merchandise and services imports structure (%), 2010–2012



Merchandise exports, 2010–2012: Main partners (%)



Merchandise imports, 2010–2012: Main partners (%)





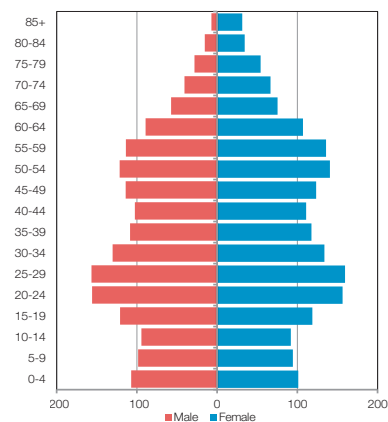
REPUBLIC OF MOLDOVA

Capital	Chisinau
Official language	Moldovan
Currency	leu (MDL)
Population, 2013 ('000)	3 487.2
Density, 2013 (inhabitants/km ²)	103.0
Urban population, 2013 (%)	49.2
Surface area, 2013 ('000 km ²)	33.9

Social development

Life expectancy at birth, 2012 (years)	69.6
Infant mortality rate, 2012 (per 1,000 live births)	15.1
Adult literacy rate, 2005–2011	99.0
National poverty rate, 2012 (% of population)	16.6
HDI rank, 2012	113
HDI value, 2012	0.66
EVI, 2012	..
HAI, 2012	..

Population by age, 2013 ('000)



Investment, external debt and aid

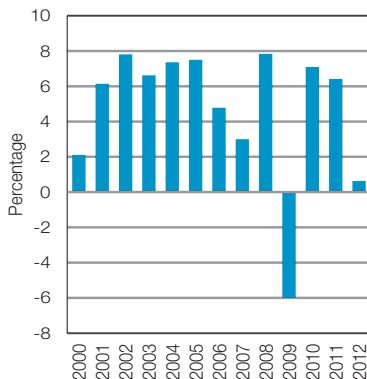
FDI inflows, 2012 (million \$)	159.2
FDI inflows, 2012 (% of GDP)	2.2
Total net ODA, 2012 (\$ per capita)	132.9
External debt, 2012 (million \$)	6 135.0
External debt, 2012 (\$ per capita)	1 723.5
External reserves, 2012 (million \$)	2 511.1
External reserves, 2012 (per capita)	705.4



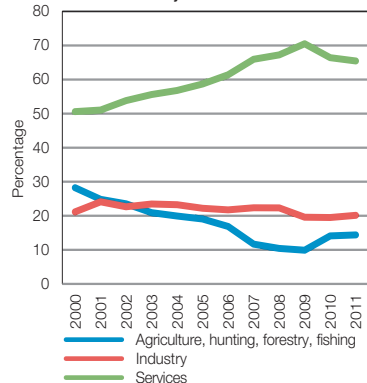
Economic development

GDP current, 2012 (million \$)	7 343.6
GDP, 2012 (\$ per capita)	2 086.7

GDP growth, 2000–2012



Structure of GDP, 2000–2011



REPUBLIC OF MOLDOVA

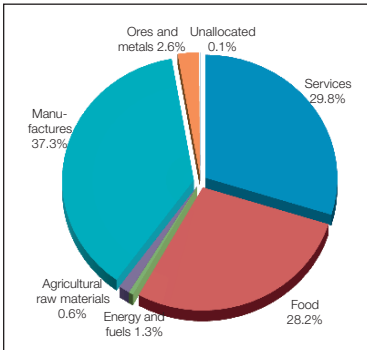
Trade

Total merchandise and services:	2 812.7
Exports, 2010–2012 (million \$)	
Total merchandise and services:	5 621.6
Imports, 2010–2012 (million \$)	
Merchandise and services:	-2 808.9
Trade deficit, 2010–2012 (million \$)	
Exports of goods and services, 2011	45.0
(% of GDP)	
Imports of goods and services, 2011	86.2
(% of GDP)	

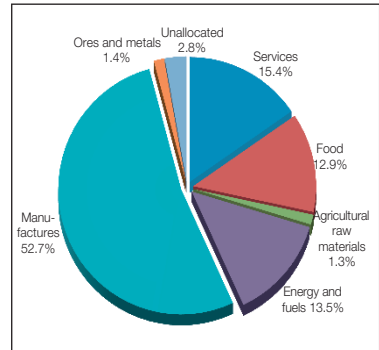
Infrastructure and communication

Closest distance to sea (km)	170.0
Roads, total network, 2010 (km)	12 837.0
Road density, 2010	390.7
(km per 1,000 km ²)	
Roads, paved, 2010	86.2
(% of total roads)	
Vehicles, 2010 (per km of road)	43.4
Railway lines, total route, 2011 (km)	1 157
Railway density, 2011 (km per 1,000 km ²)	35.2
Mobile phone subscriptions, 2012	1 159.4
(per 1,000 people)	
Internet users, 2012 (per 1,000 people)	433.7

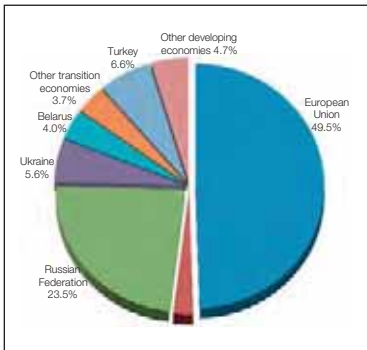
Merchandise and services exports structure (%), 2010–2012



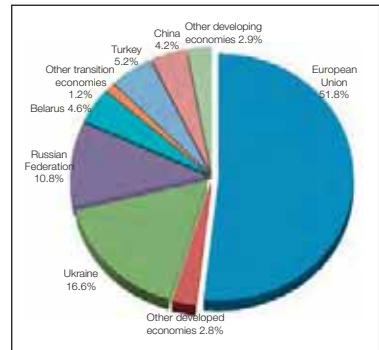
Merchandise and services imports structure (%), 2010–2012



Merchandise exports, 2010–2012: Main partners (%)



Merchandise imports, 2010–2012: Main partners (%)





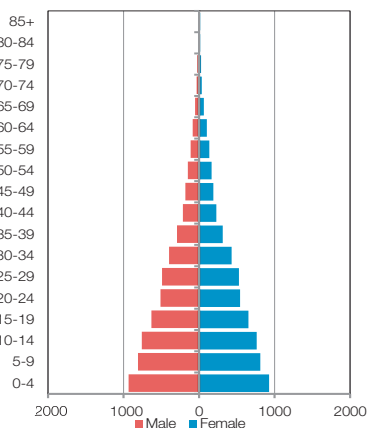
RWANDA

Capital	Kigali
Official language	Kinyarwanda, French, English
Currency	franc (RWF)
Population, 2013 ('000)	11 776.5
Density, 2013 (inhabitants/km ²)	447.1
Urban population, 2013 (%)	19.4
Surface area, 2013 ('000 km ²)	26.3

Social development

Life expectancy at birth, 2012 (years)	55.7
Infant mortality rate, 2012 (per 1,000 live births)	38.8
Adult literacy rate, 2005–2011	65.9
National poverty rate, 2011 (% of population)	44.9
HDI rank, 2012	167
HDI value, 2012	0.434
EVI, 2012	47.3
HAI, 2012	42.2

Population by age, 2013 ('000)



Investment, external debt and aid

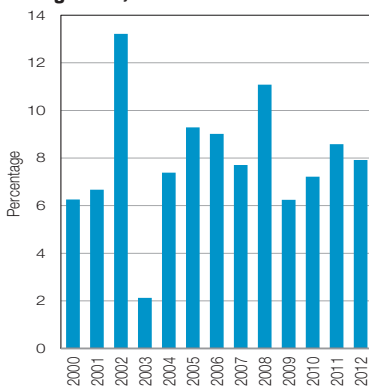
FDI inflows, 2012 (million \$)	159.8
FDI inflows, 2012 (% of GDP)	2.2
Total net ODA, 2012 (\$ per capita)	76.7
External debt, 2012 (million \$)	1 268.5
External debt, 2012 (\$ per capita)	110.7
External reserves, 2012 (million \$)	847.8
External reserves, 2012 (per capita)	74.0



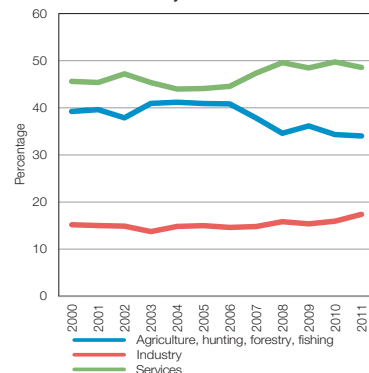
Economic development

GDP current, 2012 (million \$)	7 243.4
GDP, 2012 (\$ per capita)	642.6

GDP growth, 2000–2012



Structure of GDP, 2000–2011



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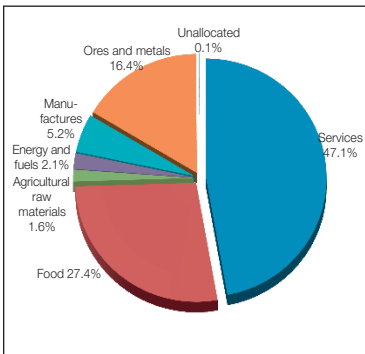
Trade

Total merchandise and services:	838.9
Exports, 2010–2012 (million \$)	
Total merchandise and services:	2 433.9
Imports, 2010–2012 (million \$)	
Merchandise and services:	-1 595.0
Trade deficit, 2010–2012 (million \$)	
Exports of goods and services, 2011	13.4
(% of GDP)	
Imports of goods and services, 2011	32.5
(% of GDP)	

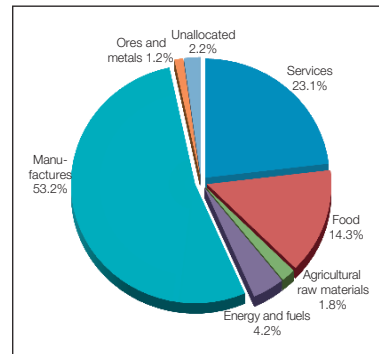
Infrastructure and communication

Closest distance to sea (km)	1 867.0
Roads, total network, 2004 (km)	14 008.0
Road density, 2004 (km per 1,000 km ²)	567.8
Roads, paved, 2004 (% of total roads)	19.0
Vehicles (per km of road)	..
Railway lines, total route (km)	..
Railway density (km per 1,000 km ²)	..
Mobile phone subscriptions, 2012 (per 1,000 people)	504.9
Internet users, 2012 (per 1,000 people)	80.2

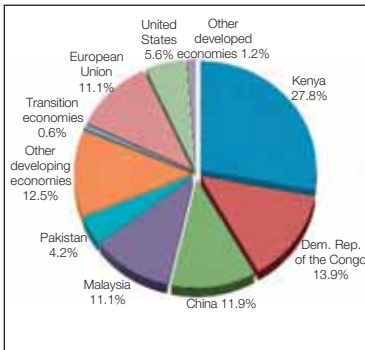
Merchandise and services exports structure (%), 2010–2012



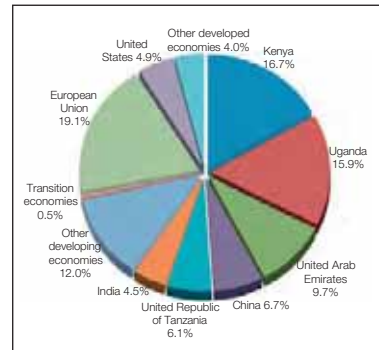
Merchandise and services imports structure (%), 2010–2012



Merchandise exports, 2010–2012: Main partners (%)



Merchandise imports, 2010–2012: Main partners (%)





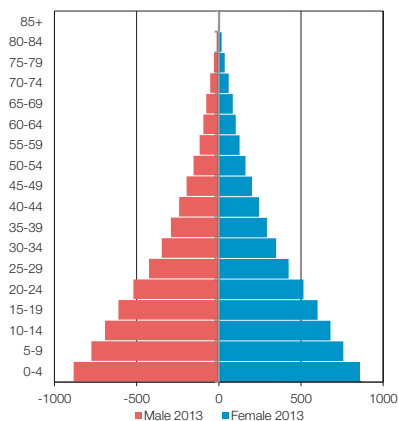
SOUTH SUDAN

Capital	Juba
Official language	English, Arabic
Currency	pound (SSP)
Population, 2013 ('000)	11 296.2
Density, 2013 (inhabitants/km ²)	17.5
Urban population, 2013 (%)	18.0
Surface area, 2013 ('000 km ²)	644.3

Social development

Life expectancy at birth, 2012 (years)	54
Infant mortality rate, 2012 (per 1,000 live births)	66.7
Adult literacy rate, 2005–2011	27.0
National poverty rate, 2011 (% of population)	50.6
HDI rank, 2012	..
HDI value, 2012	..
EVI, 2012	..
HAI, 2012	..

Population by age, 2013 ('000)



Investment, external debt and aid

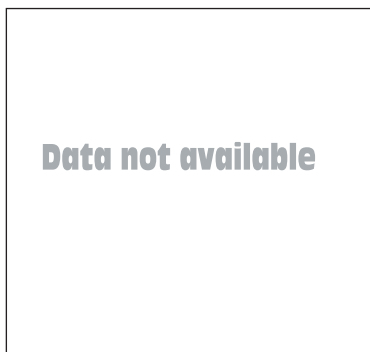
FDI inflows, 2012 (million \$)	..
FDI inflows, 2012 (% of GDP)	..
Total net ODA, 2012 (\$ per capita)	..
External debt, 2012 (million \$)	..
External debt, 2012 (\$ per capita)	..
External reserves, 2012 (million \$)	..
External reserves, 2012 (per capita)	..



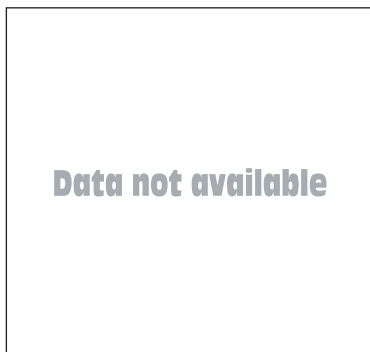
Economic development

GDP current, 2012 (million \$)	10 220.0
GDP, 2012 (\$ per capita)	0.9

GDP growth, 2000–2012



Structure of GDP, 2000–2011



SOUTH SUDAN

Trade

Total merchandise and services:	..
Exports, 2010–2012 (million \$)	..
Total merchandise and services:	..
Imports, 2010–2012 (million \$)	..
Merchandise and services:	..
Trade deficit, 2010–2012 (million \$)	..
Exports of goods and services, 2011 (% of GDP)	..
Imports of goods and services, 2011 (% of GDP)	..

Infrastructure and communication

Closest distance to sea (estimated)	1 000
Roads, total network (km)	7 000.0
Road density (km per 1,000 km ²)	10.9
Roads, paved (% of total roads)	..
Vehicles (per km of road)	..
Railway lines, total route (km)	248
Railway density (km per 1,000 km ²)	0.4
Mobile phone subscriptions, 2012 (per 1,000 people)	212
Internet users, 2012 (per 1,000 people)	0.015

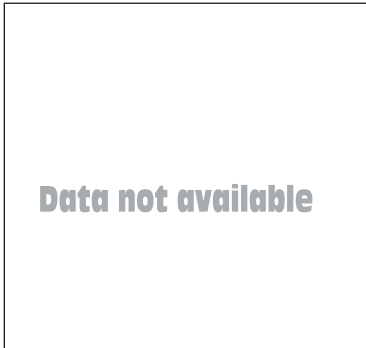
Merchandise and services exports structure (%), 2010–2012



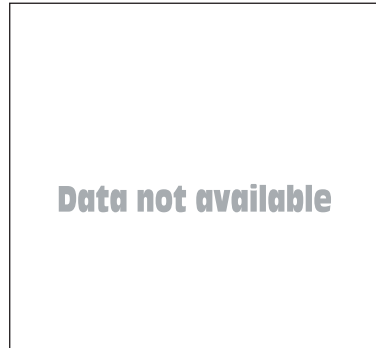
Merchandise and services imports structure (%), 2010–2012



Merchandise exports, 2010–2012: Main partners (%)



Merchandise imports, 2010–2012: Main partners (%)





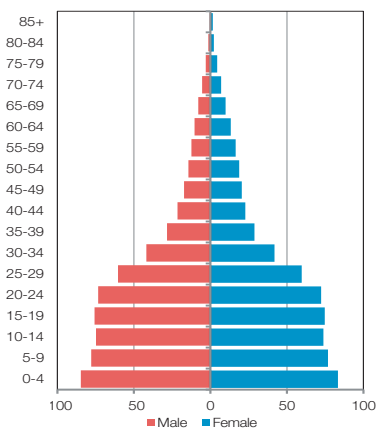
SWAZILAND

Capital	Mbabane
Official language	Swazi, English
Currency	lilangeni (SZL)
Population, 2013 ('000)	1 249.5
Density, 2013 (inhabitants/km ²)	72.0
Urban population, 2013 (%)	20.9
Surface area, 2013 ('000 km ²)	17.4

Social development

Life expectancy at birth, 2012 (years)	48.9
Infant mortality rate, 2012 (per 1,000 live births)	55.7
Adult literacy rate, 2005–2011	87.8
National poverty rate, 2009 (% of population)	63
HDI rank, 2012	141
HDI value, 2012	0.536
EVI, 2012	44.3
HAI, 2012	62.5

Population by age, 2013 ('000)



Investment, external debt and aid

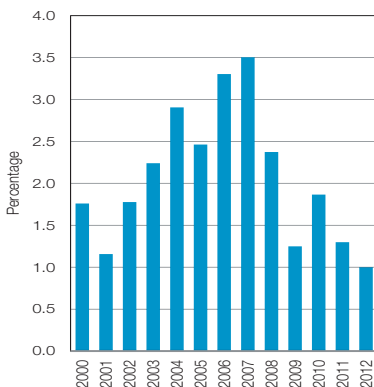
FDI inflows, 2012 (million \$)	89.6
FDI inflows, 2012 (% of GDP)	2.3
Total net ODA, 2012 (\$ per capita)	71.6
External debt, 2012 (million \$)	460.3
External debt, 2012 (\$ per capita)	374.0
External reserves, 2012 (million \$)	741.0
External reserves, 2012 (per capita)	601.9



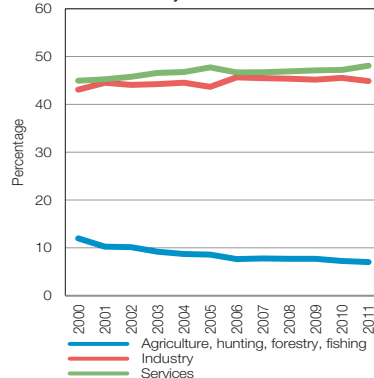
Economic development

GDP current, 2012 (million \$)	3 959.0
GDP, 2012 (\$ per capita)	3 244.0

GDP growth, 2000–2012



Structure of GDP, 2000–2011



SWAZILAND

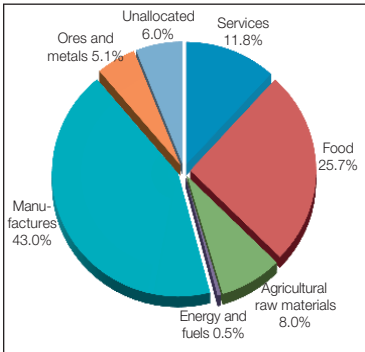
Trade

Total merchandise and services: Exports, 2010–2012 (million \$)	2 119.0
Total merchandise and services: Imports, 2010–2012 (million \$)	2 725.9
Merchandise and services: Trade deficit, 2010–2012 (million \$)	-606.8
Exports of goods and services, 2011 (% of GDP)	64.6
Imports of goods and services, 2011 (% of GDP)	72.5

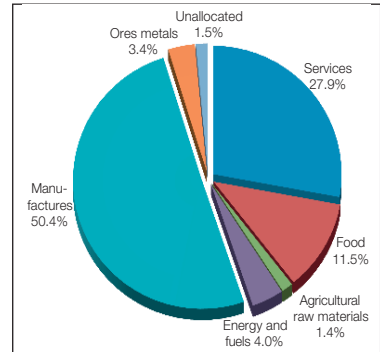
Infrastructure and communication

Closest distance to sea (km)	193.0
Roads, total network, 2002 (km)	3 594.0
Road density, 2002 (km per 1,000 km ²)	209.0
Roads, paved, 2002 (% of total roads)	30.0
Vehicles, 2002 (per km of road)	25.0
Railway lines, total route, 2011 (km)	300
Railway density, 2011 (km per 1,000 km ²)	17.4
Mobile phone subscriptions, 2012 (per 1,000 people)	659.6
Internet users, 2012 (per 1,000 people)	207.8

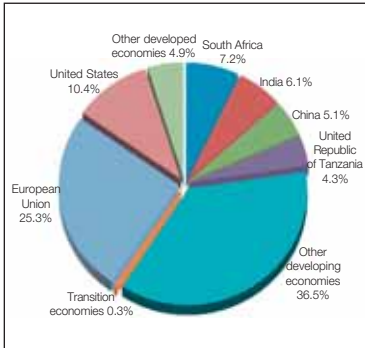
Merchandise and services exports structure (%), 2010–2012



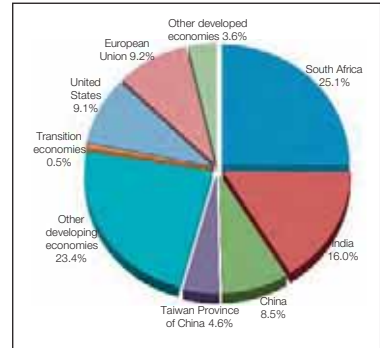
Merchandise and services imports structure (%), 2010–2012



Merchandise exports, 2010–2012: Main partners (%)



Merchandise imports, 2010–2012: Main partners (%)





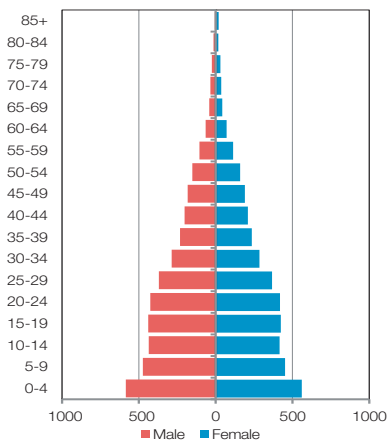
TAJIKISTAN

Capital	Dushanbe
Official language	Tajik
Currency	somoni (TJS)
Population, 2013 ('000)	8 207.8
Density, 2013 (inhabitants/km ²)	57.6
Urban population, 2013 (%)	23.3
Surface area, 2013 ('000 km ²)	142.6

Social development

Life expectancy at birth, 2012 (years)	67.8
Infant mortality rate, 2012 (per 1,000 live births)	49.0
Adult literacy rate, 2005–2011	99.7
National poverty rate, 2009 (% of population)	46.7
HDI rank, 2012	125
HDI value, 2012	0.622
EVI, 2012	..
HAI, 2012	..

Population by age, 2013 ('000)



Investment, external debt and aid

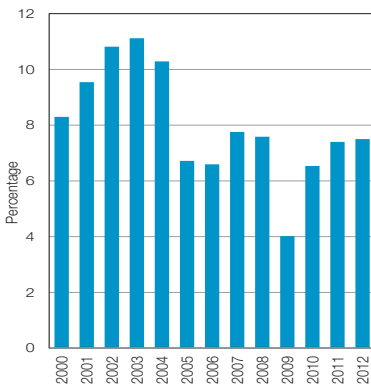
FDI inflows, 2012 (million \$)	289.9
FDI inflows, 2012 (% of GDP)	3.8
Total net ODA, 2012 (\$ per capita)	49.2
External debt, 2012 (million \$)	3 648.3
External debt, 2012 (\$ per capita)	455.5
External reserves, 2012 (million \$)	297.9
External reserves, 2012 (per capita)	37.2



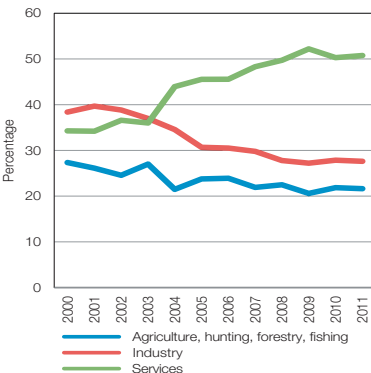
Economic development

GDP current, 2012 (million \$)	7 592.8
GDP, 2012 (\$ per capita)	1 072.6

GDP growth, 2000–2012



Structure of GDP, 2000–2011



TAJIKISTAN

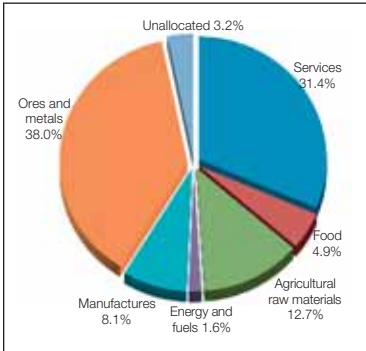
Trade

Total merchandise and services:	1 841.8
Exports, 2010–2012 (million \$)	
Total merchandise and services:	3 949.6
Imports, 2010–2012 (million \$)	
Merchandise and services:	-2 107.7
Trade deficit, 2010–2012 (million \$)	
Exports of goods and services, 2011	28.2
(% of GDP)	
Imports of goods and services, 2011	72.9
(% of GDP)	

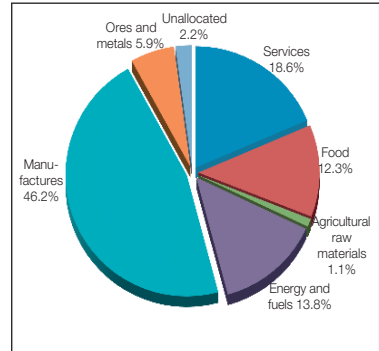
Infrastructure and communication

Closest distance to sea (km)	3 100.0
Roads, total network, 2000 (km)	27 767.0
Road density, 2000 (km per 1,000 km ²)	198.4
Roads, paved (% of total roads)	..
Vehicles (per km of road)	..
Railway lines, total route, 2011 (km)	621
Railway density, 2011 (km per 1,000 km ²)	4.4
Mobile phone subscriptions, 2012 (per 1,000 people)	922.2
Internet users, 2012 (per 1,000 people)	145.1

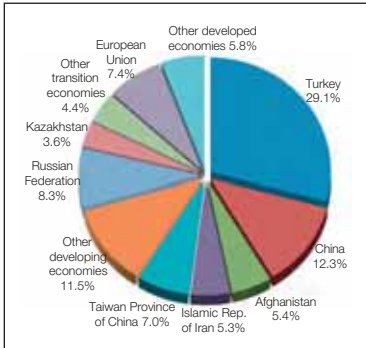
Merchandise and services exports structure (%), 2010–2012



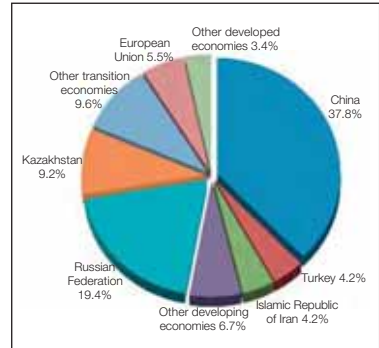
Merchandise and services imports structure (%), 2010–2012



Merchandise exports, 2010–2012: Main partners (%)



Merchandise imports, 2010–2012: Main partners (%)





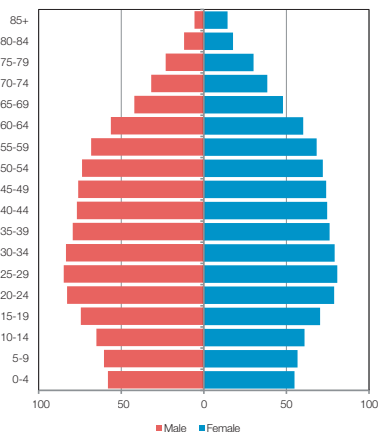
THE FORMER YUGOSLAV REPUBLIC OF MACEDONIA

Capital	Skopje
Official language	Macedonian
Currency	Denar (MKD)
Population, 2013 ('000)	2 107.2
Density, 2013 (inhabitants/km ²)	82.0
Urban population, 2013 (%)	58.4
Surface area, 2013 ('000 km ²)	25.7

Social development

Life expectancy at birth, 2012 (years)	75
Infant mortality rate, 2012 (per 1,000 live births)	6.5
Adult literacy rate, 2005–2011	97.4
National poverty rate, 2006 (% of population)	19
HDI rank, 2012	78
HDI value, 2012	0.74
EVI, 2012	..
HAI, 2012	..

Population by age, 2013 ('000)



Investment, external debt and aid

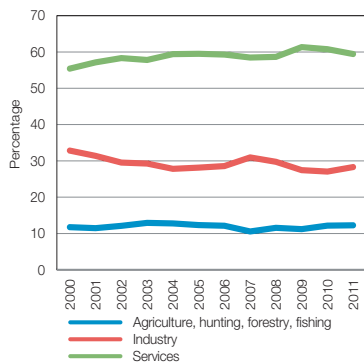
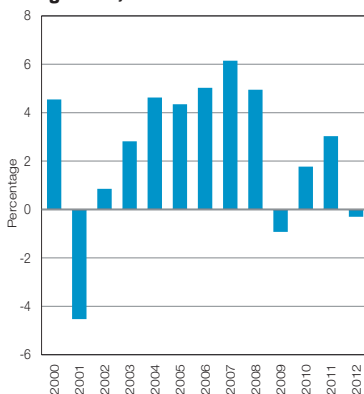
FDI inflows, 2012 (million \$)	134.6
FDI inflows, 2012 (% of GDP)	1.4
Total net ODA, 2012 (\$ per capita)	70.7
External debt, 2012 (million \$)	6 678.3
External debt, 2012 (\$ per capita)	3 171.7
External reserves, 2012 (million \$)	2 528.2
External reserves, 2012 (per capita)	1 200.7



Economic development

GDP current, 2012 (million \$)	9 406.9
GDP, 2012 (\$ per capita)	4 551.4

GDP growth, 2000–2012



THE FORMER YUGOSLAV REPUBLIC OF MACEDONIA

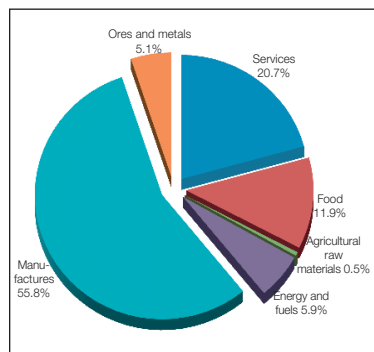
Trade

Total merchandise and services:	4 973.8
Exports, 2010–2012 (million \$)	
Total merchandise and services:	7 295.6
Imports, 2010–2012 (million \$)	
Merchandise and services:	-2 321.8
Trade deficit, 2010–2012 (million \$)	
Exports of goods and services, 2011	56.0
(% of GDP)	
Imports of goods and services, 2011	76.1
(% of GDP)	

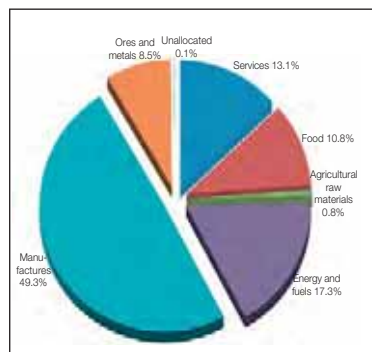
Infrastructure and communication

Closest distance to sea (km)	8 684.0
Roads, total network, 2010 (km)	13 934.0
Road density, 2010 (km per 1,000 km ²)	552.5
Roads, paved, 2009 (% of total roads)	57.6
Vehicles, 2010 (per km of road)	23.0
Railway lines, total route, 2011 (km)	699
Railway density, 2011 (km per 1,000 km ²)	27.7
Mobile phone subscriptions, 2012 (per 1,000 people)	1 081.6
Internet users, 2012 (per 1,000 people)	631.5

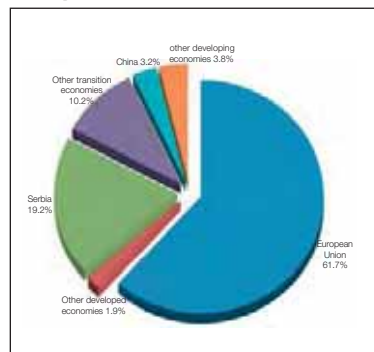
Merchandise and services exports structure (%), 2010–2012



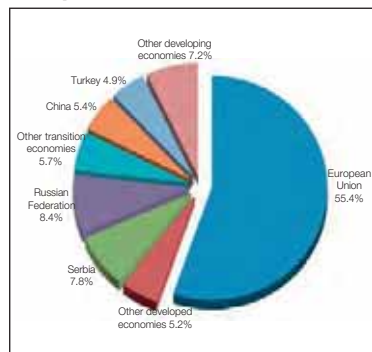
Merchandise and services imports structure (%), 2010–2012



Merchandise exports, 2010–2012: Main partners (%)



Merchandise imports, 2010–2012: Main partners (%)





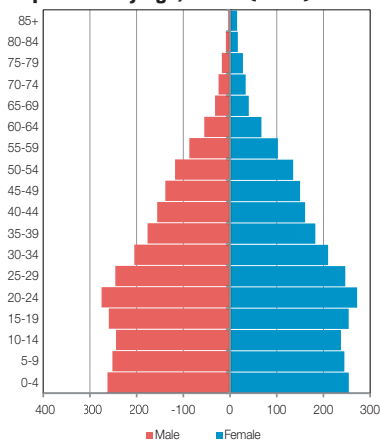
TURKMENISTAN

Capital	Ashgabat
Official language	Turkmen
Currency	manat (TMT)
Population, 2013 ('000)	5 240.1
Density, 2013 (inhabitants/km ²)	10.7
Urban population, 2013 (%)	49.3
Surface area, 2013 ('000 km ²)	488.1

Social development

Life expectancy at birth, 2012 (years)	65.2
Infant mortality rate, 2012 (per 1,000 live births)	44.8
Adult literacy rate, 2005–2011	99.6
National poverty rate (% of population)	..
HDI rank, 2012	102
HDI value, 2012	0.698
EVI, 2012	..
HAI, 2012	..

Population by age, 2013 ('000)



Investment, external debt and aid

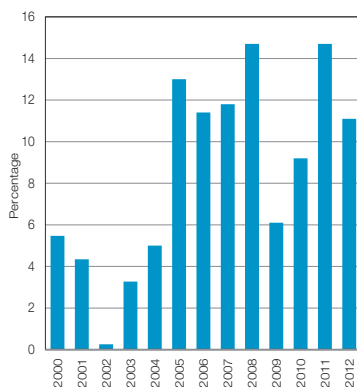
FDI inflows, 2012 (million \$)	3 159.0
FDI inflows, 2012 (% of GDP)	10.2
Total net ODA, 2012 (\$ per capita)	7.4
External debt, 2012 (million \$)	492.4
External debt, 2012 (\$ per capita)	95.2
External reserves, 2012 (million \$)	-
External reserves, 2012 (per capita)	-



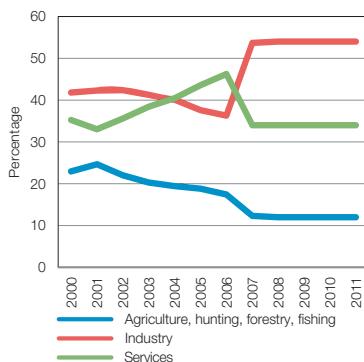
Economic development

GDP current, 2012 (million \$)	30 932.6
GDP, 2012 (\$ per capita)	5 983.5

GDP growth, 2000–2012



Structure of GDP, 2000–2011



TURKMENISTAN

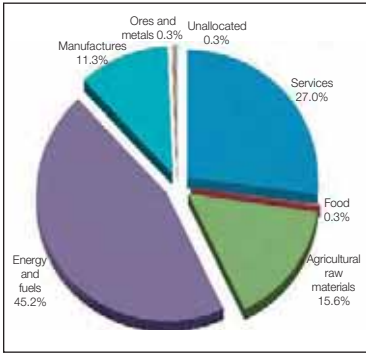
Trade

Total merchandise and services: Exports, 2010–2012 (million \$)	16 449.0
Total merchandise and services: Imports, 2010–2012 (million \$)	11 533.4
Merchandise and services: Trade deficit, 2010–2012 (million \$)	4 915.6
Exports of goods and services, 2011 (% of GDP)	55.6
Imports of goods and services, 2011 (% of GDP)	51.9

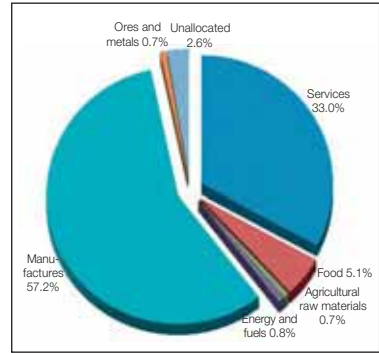
Infrastructure and communication

Closest distance to sea (km)	1 700.0
Roads, total network, 2000 (km)	24 000.0
Road density, 2000 (km per 1,000 km ²)	51.1
Roads, paved, 2001 (% of total roads)	81.2
Vehicles, 2006 (per km of road)	..
Railway lines, total route, 2011 (km)	3 115
Railway density, 2011 (km per 1,000 km ²)	6.6
Mobile phone subscriptions, 2012 (per 1,000 people)	764.7
Internet users, 2012 (per 1,000 people)	72.0

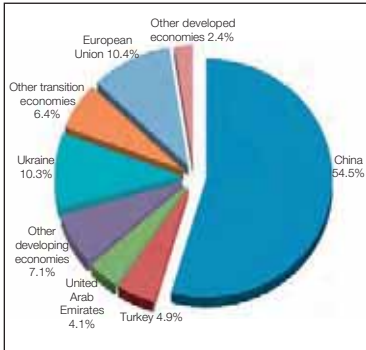
Merchandise and services exports structure (%), 2010–2012



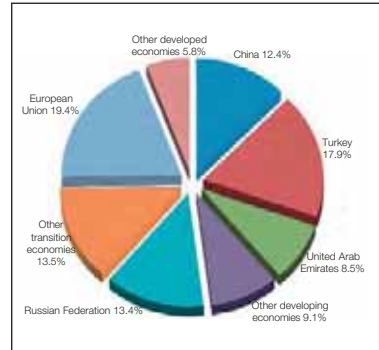
Merchandise and services imports structure (%), 2010–2012



Merchandise exports, 2010–2012: Main partners (%)



Merchandise imports, 2010–2012: Main partners (%)





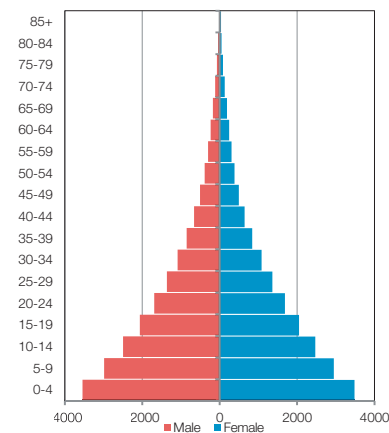
UGANDA

Capital	Kampala
Official language	English
Currency	shilling (UGX)
Population, 2013 ('000)	37 578.9
Density, 2013 (inhabitants/km ²)	155.6
Urban population, 2013 (%)	16.0
Surface area, 2013 ('000 km ²)	241.6

Social development

Life expectancy at birth, 2012 (years)	54.5
Infant mortality rate, 2012 (per 1,000 live births)	45.4
Adult literacy rate, 2005–2011	73.2
National poverty rate, 2009 (% of population)	24.5
HDI rank, 2012	161
HDI value, 2012	0.456
EVI, 2012	36.2
HAI, 2012	45.8

Population by age, 2013 ('000)



Investment, external debt and aid

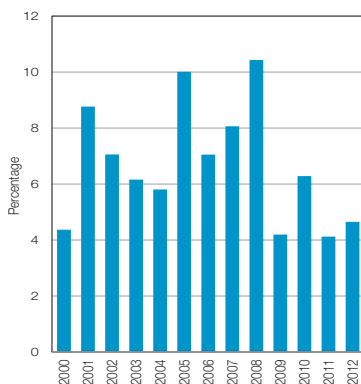
FDI inflows, 2012 (million \$)	1 721.2
FDI inflows, 2012 (% of GDP)	7.3
Total net ODA, 2012 (\$ per capita)	45.5
External debt, 2012 (million \$)	3 768.9
External debt, 2012 (\$ per capita)	103.7
External reserves, 2012 (million \$)	3 167.2
External reserves, 2012 (per capita)	87.1



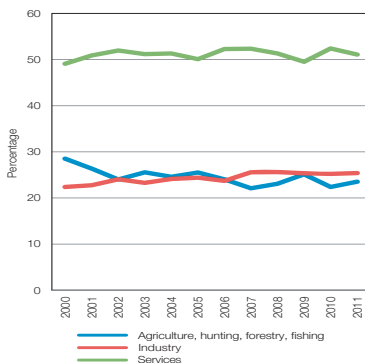
Economic development

GDP current, 2012 (million \$)	23 575.2
GDP, 2012 (\$ per capita)	661.8

GDP growth, 2000–2012



Structure of GDP, 2000–2011



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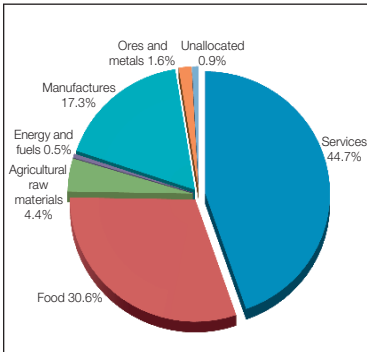
Trade

Total merchandise and services: Exports, 2010–2012 (million \$)	3 697.1
Total merchandise and services: Imports, 2010–2012 (million \$)	7 663.9
Merchandise and services: Trade deficit, 2010–2012 (million \$)	-3 966.8
Exports of goods and services, 2011 (% of GDP)	19.6
Imports of goods and services, 2011 (% of GDP)	34.5

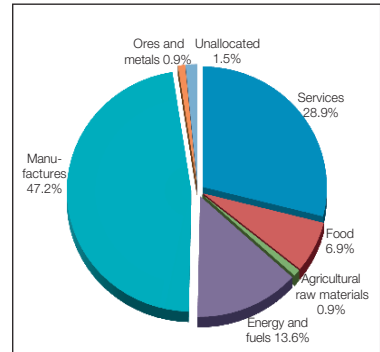
Infrastructure and communication

Closest distance to sea (km)	1 187.0
Roads, total network, 2003 (km)	70 746.0
Road density, 2003 (km per 1,000 km ²)	354.1
Roads, paved, 2003 (% of total roads)	23.0
Vehicles, 2009 (per km of road)	13.0
Railway lines, total route, 2004 (km)	259.0
Railway density, 2004 (km per 1,000 km ²)	1.3
Mobile phone subscriptions, 2012 (per 1,000 people)	459.2
Internet users, 2012 (per 1,000 people)	146.9

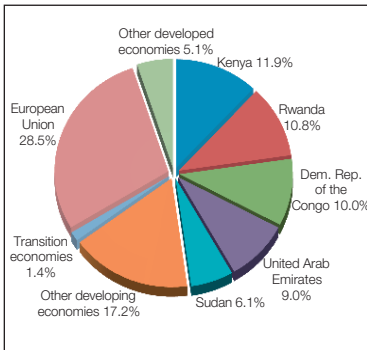
Merchandise and services exports structure (%), 2010–2012



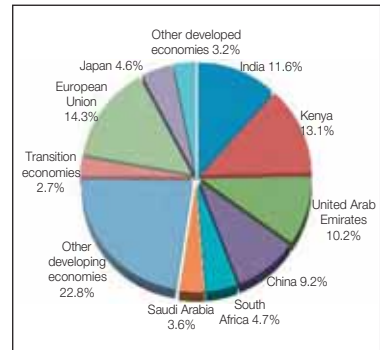
Merchandise and services imports structure (%), 2010–2012



Merchandise exports, 2010–2012: Main partners (%)



Merchandise imports, 2010–2012: Main partners (%)





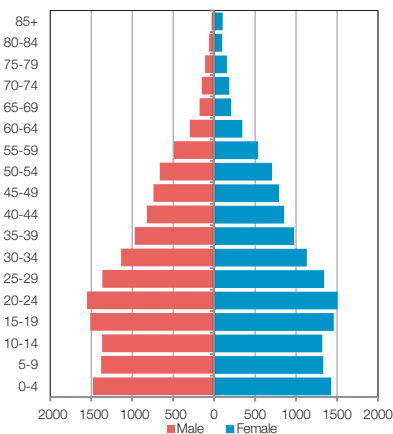
UZBEKISTAN

Capital	Tashkent
Official language	Uzbek
Currency	sum (UZS)
Population, 2013 ('000)	28 934.1
Density, 2013 (inhabitants/km ²)	64.7
Urban population, 2013 (%)	35.6
Surface area, 2013 ('000 km ²)	447.4

Social development

Life expectancy at birth, 2012 (years)	68.6
Infant mortality rate, 2012 (per 1,000 live births)	34.4
Adult literacy rate, 2005–2011	99.4
National poverty rate (% of population)	..
HDI rank, 2012	114
HDI value, 2012	0.654
EVI, 2012	..
HAI, 2012	..

Population by age, 2013 ('000)



Investment, external debt and aid

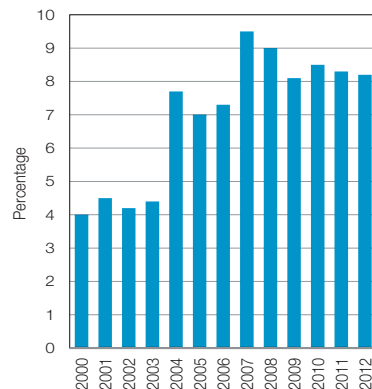
FDI inflows, 2012 (million \$)	1 094.0
FDI inflows, 2012 (% of GDP)	2.1
Total net ODA, 2012 (\$ per capita)	8.6
External debt, 2012 (million \$)	8 852.7
External debt, 2012 (\$ per capita)	297.3
External reserves, 2012 (million \$)	-
External reserves, 2012 (per capita)	-



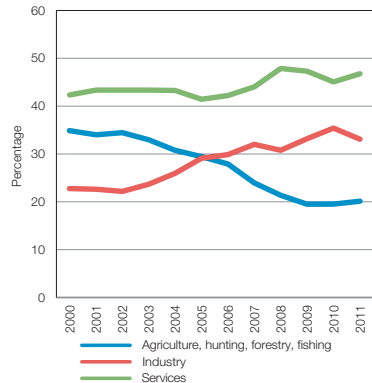
Economic development

GDP current, 2012 (million \$)	51 262.4
GDP, 2012 (\$ per capita)	1 825.7

GDP growth, 2000–2012



Structure of GDP, 2000–2011



UZBEKISTAN

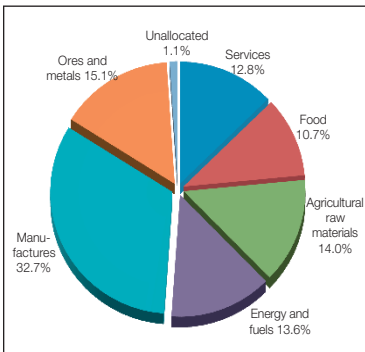
Trade

Total merchandise and services: Exports, 2010–2012 (million \$)	13 679.5
Total merchandise and services: Imports, 2010–2012 (million \$)	10 720.0
Merchandise and services: Trade deficit, 2010–2012 (million \$)	2 959.4
Exports of goods and services, 2011 (% of GDP)	32.6
Imports of goods and services, 2011 (% of GDP)	33.6

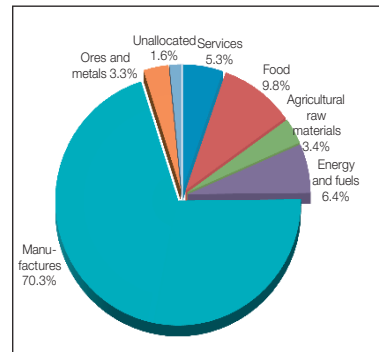
Infrastructure and communication

Closest distance to sea (km)	2 950.0
Roads, total network, 2000 (km)	81 600.0
Road density, 2000 (km per 1,000 km ²)	191.8
Roads, paved, 2001 (% of total roads)	87.3
Vehicles (per km of road)	..
Railway lines, total route, 2011 (km)	4227
Railway density, 2011 (km per 1,000 km ²)	9.9
Mobile phone subscriptions, 2012 (per 1,000 people)	722.1
Internet users, 2012 (per 1,000 people)	365.2

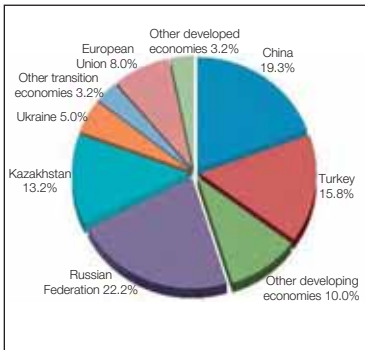
Merchandise and services exports structure (%), 2010–2012



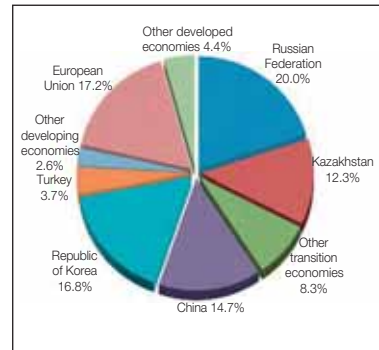
Merchandise and services imports structure (%), 2010–2012



Merchandise exports, 2010–2012: Main partners (%)



Merchandise imports, 2010–2012: Main partners (%)





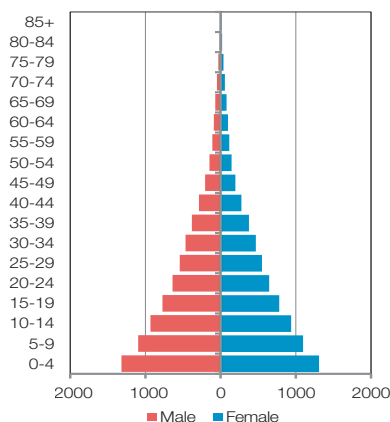
ZAMBIA

Capital	Lusaka
Official language	English
Currency	kwacha (ZMK)
Population, 2013 ('000)	14 538.6
Density, 2013 (inhabitants/km ²)	19.3
Urban population, 2013 (%)	39.4
Surface area, 2013 ('000 km ²)	752.6

Social development

Life expectancy at birth, 2012 (years)	49.4
Infant mortality rate, 2012 (per 1,000 live births)	56.4
Adult literacy rate, 2005–2011	61.4
National poverty rate, 2010 (% of population)	60.5
HDI rank, 2012	163
HDI value, 2012	0.448
EVI, 2012	53.0
HAI, 2012	36.9

Population by age, 2013 ('000)



Investment, external debt and aid

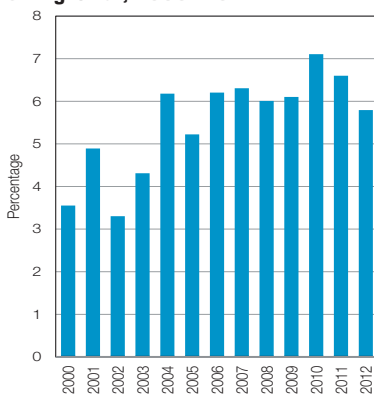
FDI inflows, 2012 (million \$)	1 066.0
FDI inflows, 2012 (% of GDP)	5.3
Total net ODA, 2012 (\$ per capita)	68.0
External debt, 2012 (million \$)	5 384.8
External debt, 2012 (\$ per capita)	382.6
External reserves, 2012 (million \$)	3 042.2
External reserves, 2012 (per capita)	216.1



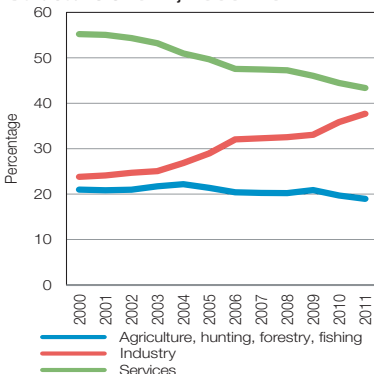
Economic development

GDP current, 2012 (million \$)	20 177.2
GDP, 2012 (\$ per capita)	1 453.3

GDP growth, 2000–2012



Structure of GDP, 2000–2011



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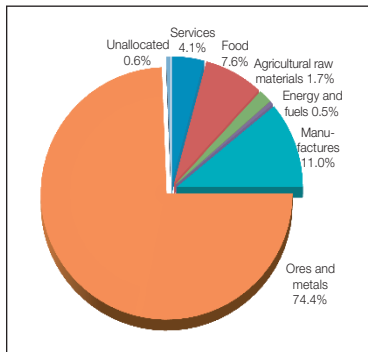
Trade

Total merchandise and services:	8 624.0
Exports, 2010–2012 (million \$)	
Total merchandise and services:	8 016.4
Imports, 2010–2012 (million \$)	
Merchandise and services:	607.6
Trade deficit, 2010–2012 (million \$)	
Exports of goods and services, 2011	46.0
(% of GDP)	
Imports of goods and services, 2011	37.0
(% of GDP)	

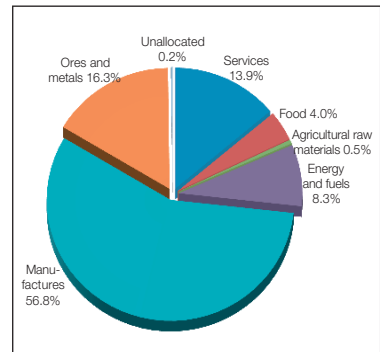
Infrastructure and communication

Closest distance to sea (km)	1 975.0
Roads, total network, 2000 (km)	66 781.0
Road density, 2000 (km per 1,000 km ²)	89.8
Roads, paved, 2001 (% of total roads)	22.0
Vehicles (per km of road)	..
Railway lines, total route, 2004 (km)	1 273.0
Railway density, 2004 (km per 1,000 km ²)	1.7
Mobile phone subscriptions, 2012 (per 1,000 people)	758.1
Internet users, 2012 (per 1,000 people)	134.7

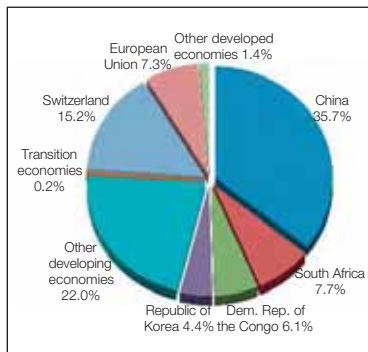
Merchandise and services exports structure (%), 2010–2012



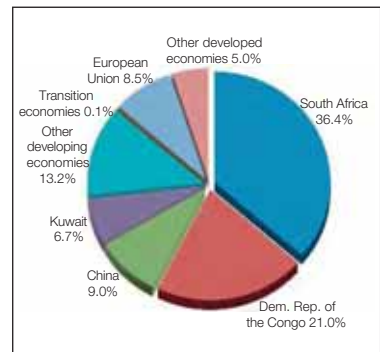
Merchandise and services imports structure (%), 2010–2012



Merchandise exports, 2010–2012: Main partners (%)



Merchandise imports, 2010–2012: Main partners (%)





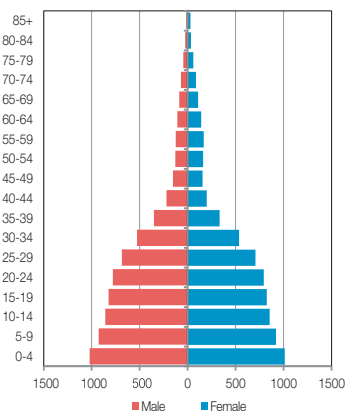
ZIMBABWE

Capital	Harare
Official language	English
Currency	dollar (ZWL)
Population, 2013 ('000)	14 149.6
Density, 2013 (inhabitants/km ²)	36.2
Urban population, 2013 (%)	37.3
Surface area, 2013 ('000 km ²)	390.8

Social development

Life expectancy at birth, 2012 (years)	52.7
Infant mortality rate, 2012 (per 1,000 live births)	55.7
Adult literacy rate, 2005–2011	83.6
National poverty rate, 2011 (% of population)	72.3
HDI rank, 2012	172
HDI value, 2012	0.397
EVI, 2012	44.9
HAI, 2012	57.7

Population by age, 2013 ('000)



Investment, external debt and aid

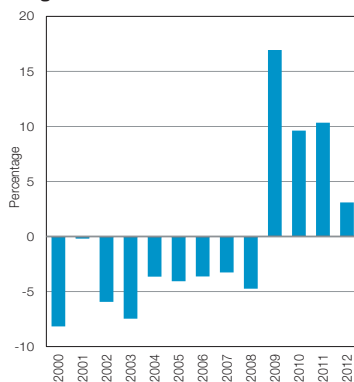
FDI inflows, 2012 (million \$)	399.5
FDI inflows, 2012 (% of GDP)	4.1
Total net ODA, 2012 (\$ per capita)	73.0
External debt, 2012 (million \$)	7 712.7
External debt, 2012 (\$ per capita)	562.0
External reserves, 2012 (million \$)	-
External reserves, 2012 (per capita)	-



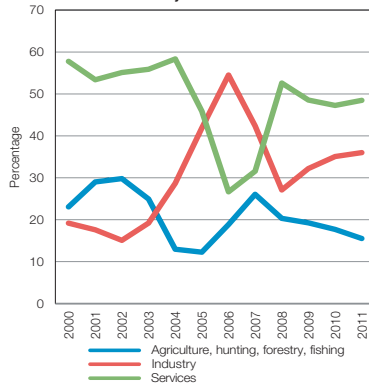
Economic development

GDP current, 2012 (million \$)	9 678.1
GDP, 2012 (\$ per capita)	743.7

GDP growth, 2000–2012



Structure of GDP, 2000–2011



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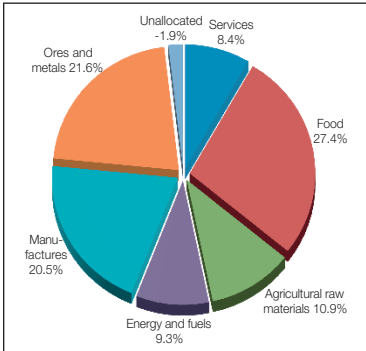
Trade

Total merchandise and services: Exports, 2010–2012 (million \$)	3 868.3
Total merchandise and services: Imports, 2010–2012 (million \$)	5 181.8
Merchandise and services: Trade deficit, 2010–2012 (million \$)	-1 313.6
Exports of goods and services, 2011 (% of GDP)	40.1
Imports of goods and services, 2011 (% of GDP)	96.4

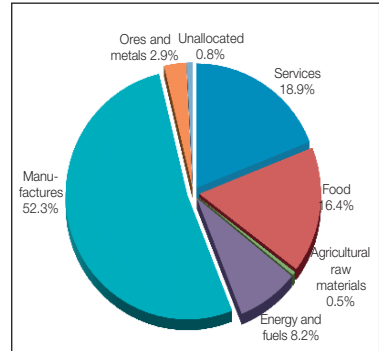
Infrastructure and communication

Closest distance to sea (km)	464.0
Roads, total network, 2002 (km)	97 267.0
Road density, 2002 (km per 1,000 km ²)	251.4
Roads, paved, 2002 (% of total roads)	19.0
Vehicles (per km of road)	..
Railway lines, total route, 2008 (km)	2 583.0
Railway density, 2008 (km per 1,000 km ²)	6.7
Mobile phone subscriptions, 2012 (per 1,000 people)	969.3
Internet users, 2012 (per 1,000 people)	170.9

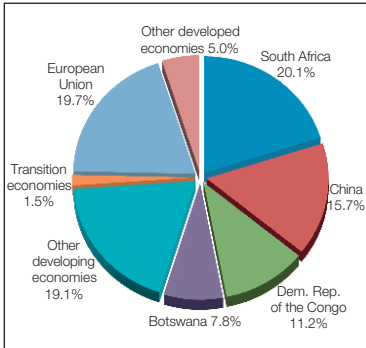
Merchandise and services exports structure (%), 2010–2012



Merchandise and services imports structure (%), 2010–2012



Merchandise exports, 2010–2012: Main partners (%)



Merchandise imports, 2010–2012: Main partners (%)

