

## 1. Basic indicators

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	Population		GDP		Total telephone subscribers	
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	2002	2002	2001	2001	2002	2002
1 Algeria	31.29	13	54.9	1'782	2'308.0	7.38
2 Angola	13.94	11	8.9	661	215.0	1.54
3 Benin	6.80	60	2.4	360	281.4	4.14
4 Botswana	1.72	3	4.9	2'921	577.4	33.57
5 Burkina Faso	11.96	44	2.3	200	174.9	1.46
6 Burundi	6.99	251	0.7	97	74.1	1.06
7 Cameroon	15.83	33	9.6	623	812.4	5.13
8 Cape Verde	0.45	112	0.6	1'275	113.1	25.11
9 Central African Rep.	3.96	6	1.0	265	21.6	0.55
10 Chad	7.87	6	1.6	212	46.0	0.58
11 Comoros	0.76	409	0.2	303	10.3	1.35
12 Congo	3.30	10	3.0	960	243.8	7.39
13 Côte d'Ivoire	16.49	51	10.7	657	1'351.9	8.20
14 D.R. Congo	52.65	22	7.5	143	570.0	1.08
15 Djibouti	0.66	30	0.6	894	25.1	3.83
16 Egypt	67.31	67	90.4	1'400	12'231.1	18.17
17 Equatorial Guinea	0.51	18	1.8	3'789	40.8	8.08
18 Eritrea	3.98	32	0.7	183	35.9	0.90
19 Ethiopia	67.35	55	6.3	96	404.2	0.60
20 Gabon	1.30	5	4.6	3'611	311.4	23.95
21 Gambia	1.33	124	0.4	302	138.3	10.42
22 Ghana	20.72	87	4.4	217	661.8	3.19
23 Guinea	7.67	31	2.9	381	116.8	1.52
24 Guinea-Bissau	1.25	35	0.2	162	11.2	0.89
25 Kenya	31.50	54	11.4	364	1'508.6	4.79
26 Lesotho	2.17	71	0.8	377	125.4	5.79
27 Liberia	3.24	29	0.5	172	8.8 [01]	0.28
28 Libya	5.55	3	28.2	5'052	790.0	14.22
29 Madagascar	15.91	27	4.5	292	222.5	1.40
30 Malawi	10.44	111	1.7	164	159.1	1.52
31 Mali	10.63	9	3.0	289	109.2	1.03
32 Mauritania	2.68	3	0.9	360	278.8	10.39
33 Mauritius	1.21	649	4.5	3'771	675.4	55.79
34 Mayotte	0.16	426	...	...	30.3	18.91
35 Morocco	29.64	45	33.9	1'162	7'326.1	24.71
36 Mozambique	18.08	23	3.6	204	338.5	1.87
37 Namibia	1.88	2	3.2	1'738	271.4	14.48
38 Niger	11.75	10	1.7	158	39.0	0.33
39 Nigeria	120.08	130	51.3	438	2'309.9	1.92
40 Réunion	0.74	296	1.3 [98]	1'893	721.1 [01]	98.65
41 Rwanda	8.17	310	1.7	209	107.5	1.32
42 S. Tomé & Príncipe	0.15	157	-	317	8.2	5.44
43 Senegal	10.08	51	4.6	470	778.1	7.72
44 Seychelles	0.08	207	0.6	7'603	66.0	78.81
45 Sierra Leone	4.95	68	1.0	197	91.0	1.84
46 Somalia	9.86	16	...	...	135.0	1.37
47 South Africa	45.45	38	114.2	2'562	18'546.0	40.80
48 Sudan	32.86	13	12.6	394	862.6	2.63
49 Swaziland	1.03	59	1.3	1'249	103.1	9.99
50 Tanzania	34.44	37	9.5	281	921.6	2.68
51 Togo	4.87	86	1.2	260	221.2	4.54
52 Tunisia	9.78	60	20.0	2'065	1'722.9	17.61
53 Uganda	24.70	102	5.9	246	448.3	1.81
54 Zambia	10.88	14	3.6	344	226.8	2.08
55 Zimbabwe	11.63	30	9.2	800	626.6	5.39
<b>Africa</b>	<b>820.68</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>556.4</b>	<b>703</b>	<b>60'555.6</b>	<b>7.38</b>

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		2002	2002	2001	2001	2002	2002
56	Antigua & Barbuda	0.08	176	0.7	8'629	76.3	97.76
57	Argentina	37.52	14	268.7	7'232	14'275.3	38.05
58	Aruba	0.11	570	1.9	17'912	90.1 [01]	85.03
59	Bahamas	0.31	23	...	...	248.3	79.59
60	Barbados	0.27	626	2.5	9'500	230.2	85.57
61	Belize	0.26	11	0.8	3'128	83.0	32.06
62	Bermuda	0.07	1'204	2.1	33'469	86.0	132.31
63	Bolivia	8.34	8	8.0	969	1'614.0	19.35
64	Brazil	173.88	20	508.5	2'959	73'691.6	42.38
65	Canada	31.47	3	624.1	20'043	32'494.0	103.26
66	Chile	15.05	20	66.5	4'314	9'912.7	65.86
67	Colombia	43.29	38	82.4	1'925	12'362.6	28.56
68	Costa Rica	4.02	79	16.4	4'115	1'540.5	38.32
69	Cuba	11.28	98	17.1	1'518	683.5	6.06
70	Dominica	0.07	95	0.3	3'699	35.9	50.23
71	Dominican Rep.	8.56	177	21.2	2'621	2'609.6	30.48
72	Ecuador	13.00	28	21.0	1'632	2'987.0	22.98
73	El Salvador	6.46	302	13.7	2'147	1'556.5	24.10
74	French Guiana	0.17	2	...	...	126.3 [01]	74.86
75	Grenada	0.11	307	0.4	4'348	41.1	38.77
76	Guadeloupe	0.44	255	...	...	502.5 [01]	116.60
77	Guatemala	12.00	110	20.5	1'757	2'423.1	20.20
78	Guyana	0.88	4	0.7	819	159.8	18.18
79	Haiti	8.30	299	3.5	423	270.0	3.25
80	Honduras	6.62	59	6.4	980	649.0	9.80
81	Jamaica	2.63	230	8.1	3'098	1'588.7	60.52
82	Martinique	0.39	353	0.9 [99]	2'296	458.1 [01]	118.44
83	Mexico	100.66	51	624.0	6'292	40'903.4	40.64
84	Neth. Antilles	0.22	275	...	...	109.0 [99]	50.76
85	Nicaragua	5.21	43	2.6	491	408.9	7.85
86	Panama	3.01	38	11.0	3'812	912.7	30.36
87	Paraguay	5.78	14	6.8	1'215	1'940.2	33.56
88	Peru	26.75	21	54.0	2'071	3'963.6	14.82
89	Puerto Rico	3.86	431	44.2	11'519	3'076.5	79.73
90	St. Kitts and Nevis	0.05	179	0.3	7'450	28.5	61.01
91	St. Lucia	0.16	260	0.7	4'185	65.4	40.90
92	St. Vincent	0.12	301	0.3	3'028	37.3	31.88
93	Suriname	0.48	3	0.8	1'921	187.0	39.27
94	Trinidad & Tobago	1.30	254	9.0	6'892	581.0	44.64
95	United States	287.97	31	10'082.2	35'364	330'156.8	114.65
96	Uruguay	3.22	17	18.7	5'812	1'460.1	45.32
97	Venezuela	25.20	28	126.2	5'105	9'305.3	36.92
98	Virgin Islands (US)	0.11	319	...	...	110.4 [01]	101.01
<b>Americas</b>		<b>849.65</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>12'677.4</b>	<b>15'121</b>	<b>554'042.0</b>	<b>65.21</b>

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99	Afghanistan	23.29	36	20.7	919	58.0	0.25
100	Armenia	3.80	127	2.1	558	614.2	16.16
101	Azerbaijan	8.14	94	5.6	697	1'717.8	21.10
102	Bahrain	0.67	948	7.9	12'068	564.4	83.99
103	Bangladesh	133.13	925	45.4	346	1'680.9	1.26
104	Bhutan	0.69	15	0.5	[00]	734	2.84
105	Brunei Darussalam	0.35	61	4.3	12'447	225.4	[01] 65.92
106	Cambodia	13.79	76	3.4	254	415.4	3.01
107	China	1'284.53	134	1'191.0	907	420'227.0	32.71
108	D.P.R. Korea	23.67	193	15.7	670	916.0	3.87
109	Georgia	4.93	71	3.2	643	1'144.0	23.19
110	Hong Kong, China	6.79	6'390	164.0	24'383	10'227.6	150.71
111	India	1'041.85	329	483.6	471	54'107.6	5.19
112	Indonesia	212.11	111	145.3	695	19'450.0	9.17
113	Iran (I.R.)	65.37	40	379.6	5'876	14'387.1	22.01
114	Iraq	24.24	55	...	...	1'148.3	4.74
115	Israel	6.64	300	112.6	17'302	9'340.0	140.76
116	Japan	127.44	337	4'143.8	32'554	141'890.8	111.34
117	Jordan	5.32	55	8.8	1'701	1'894.1	35.58
118	Kazakhstan	15.97	6	21.3	1'326	3'108.9	19.47
119	Korea (Rep.)	47.62	484	481.9	10'179	58'077.5	121.97
120	Kuwait	2.36	97	33.9	14'882	1'708.9	72.29
121	Kyrgyzstan	5.01	25	1.5	309	447.9	8.94
122	Lao P.D.R.	5.53	23	1.7	324	117.1	2.12
123	Lebanon	3.42	328	16.7	4'988	1'453.9	42.58
124	Macao, China	0.44	18'555	6.2	14'168	452.2	102.41
125	Malaysia	24.53	74	88.0	3'684	13'722.9	55.95
126	Maldives	0.28	943	0.6	2'258	70.5	25.11
127	Mongolia	2.43	2	1.1	439	344.0	14.16
128	Myanmar	52.17	77	7.9	154	390.3	0.75
129	Nepal	23.20	164	5.5	241	349.6	1.51
130	Oman	2.54	9	20.2	8'144	692.5	27.29
131	Pakistan	146.75	183	55.3	388	5'354.0	3.65
132	Palestine	3.46	574	...	...	621.6	17.99
133	Philippines	79.48	265	72.0	921	18'693.9	23.52
134	Qatar	0.67	59	17.7	27'782	443.2	65.99
135	Saudi Arabia	21.96	9	183.0	8'554	8'325.5	37.91
136	Singapore	4.16	6'099	85.7	20'752	5'278.5	126.77
137	Sri Lanka	18.95	289	15.7	841	1'814.7	9.58
138	Syria	17.13	92	20.4	1'221	2'499.3	14.59
139	Taiwan, China	22.52	626	281.3	12'553	37'489.9	166.47
140	Tajikistan	6.38	45	1.1	170	250.8	3.93
141	Thailand	61.89	120	115.3	1'883	22'659.0	36.61
142	Turkmenistan	4.85	10	4.4	[00]	988	382.2
143	United Arab Emirates	3.75	45	69.3	19'861	3'521.7	93.81
144	Uzbekistan	25.29	57	11.6	463	1'868.0	7.39
145	Viet Nam	81.25	247	32.7	403	5'831.5	7.18
146	Yemen	19.50	103	9.3	493	953.3	4.89
<b>Asia</b>		<b>3'690.22</b>	<b>119</b>	<b>8'398.8</b>	<b>2'297</b>	<b>876'951.9</b>	<b>23.76</b>

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147	Albania	3.08	107	4.1	1'332	1'071.0	34.77
148	Andorra	0.08	176	1.2	16'990	67.7	82.58
149	Austria	8.10	97	189.2	23'459	10'619.0	131.06
150	Belarus	9.91	48	12.4	1'242	3'429.8	34.60
151	Belgium	10.36	339	227.0	22'022	13'033.4	125.86
152	Bosnia	3.81	75	4.7	1'232	1'651.6	43.29
153	Bulgaria	7.85	71	13.6	1'719	5'469.3	69.71
154	Croatia	4.37	77	20.3	4'632	4'165.0	95.22
155	Cyprus	0.72	77	9.2	13'324	845.4	118.22
156	Czech Republic	10.20	129	57.2	5'593	12'285.6	120.44
157	Denmark	5.37	125	159.3	29'745	8'178.6	152.18
158	Estonia	1.36	30	5.4	3'794	1'356.0	100.07
159	Faroe Islands	0.05	34	1.1 [99]	24'102	59.1	125.94
160	Finland	5.21	14	121.2	23'338	7'242.4	139.09
161	France	59.64	110	1'317.5	22'201	72'709.5	121.92
162	Germany	82.54	231	1'851.5	22'459	112'798.0	136.66
163	Greece	11.02	83	116.9	11'033	15'608.1	141.66
164	Greenland	0.06	-	...	...	45.3	79.85
165	Guernsey	0.06	862	1.8	32'428	92.3	164.82
166	Hungary	10.14	109	51.9	5'103	10'555.3	104.08
167	Iceland	0.29	3	7.6	26'617	448.4	155.71
168	Ireland	3.93	57	102.4	26'687	4'975.0	126.56
169	Italy	56.46	187	1'089.4	18'777	81'342.0	144.06
170	Jersey	0.09	755	...	...	135.3 [01]	155.24
171	Latvia	2.33	37	7.6	3'249	1'618.4	69.49
172	Lithuania	3.48	53	12.0	3'438	2'581.5	74.29
173	Luxembourg	0.45	172	19.7	44'857	828.4	185.74
174	Malta	0.40	1'253	3.6	9'226	484.1	122.25
175	Moldova	3.62	107	1.5	407	1'057.5	29.23
176	Netherlands	16.20	393	383.2	23'793	20'126.0	124.27
177	Norway	4.55	14	168.1	37'148	6'228.1	136.81
178	Poland	38.61	123	176.6	4'572	25'758.0	66.72
179	Portugal	10.41	113	109.9	10'630	12'879.4	123.75
180	Romania	21.79	92	40.3	1'798	9'325.8	42.80
181	Russia	146.59	9	309.9	2'112	53'108.8	36.23
182	Serbia and Montenegro	8.12	79	11.3	1'067	5'243.4	64.60
183	Slovak Republic	5.38	110	20.5	3'804	4'326.4	80.43
184	Slovenia	2.00	99	19.5	9'790	2'475.0	124.00
185	Spain	41.10	81	581.8	14'150	51'171.7	124.50
186	Sweden	8.94	20	219.4	24'626	14'528.2	162.45
187	Switzerland	7.28	176	245.5	33'884	11'123.9	152.77
188	TFYR Macedonia	2.06	80	3.4 [99]	1'705	925.4	44.83
189	Turkey	69.63	89	145.2	2'119	42'213.1	60.63
190	Ukraine	48.20	80	38.0	781	14'526.0	30.14
191	United Kingdom	59.09	241	1'439.3	23'959	83'412.0	141.17
<b>Europe</b>		<b>794.88</b>	<b>31</b>	<b>9'321.4</b>	<b>11'668</b>	<b>732'124.3</b>	<b>92.10</b>

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		<i>2002</i>	<i>2002</i>	<i>2001</i>	<i>2001</i>	<i>2002</i>	<i>2002</i>
192	Australia	19.64	3	357.9	18'437	23'480.0	119.55
193	Fiji	0.82	45	1.7	2'068	187.4	22.87
194	French Polynesia	0.25	62	3.9	16'310	143.2	58.34
195	Guam	0.16	356	3.4 [00]	22'086	112.6 [01]	71.63
196	Kiribati	0.09	128	-	464	5.0	5.68
197	Marshall Islands	0.05	29	0.1	1'893	4.9	9.28
198	Micronesia	0.11	78	0.2	2'237	10.2	9.49
199	New Caledonia	0.22	12	3.1	13'940	132.0	58.93
200	New Zealand	3.94	15	51.4	13'242	4'214.0	106.98
201	Northern Marianas	0.07	153	...	...	24.0 [00]	35.28
202	Papua New Guinea	5.46	12	3.5	655	77.0	1.41
203	Samoa	0.18	63	0.3	1'428	14.5	8.03
204	Solomon Islands	0.44	15	0.3	611	7.6	1.71
205	Tonga	0.10	142	0.1	1'322	14.6	14.67
206	Vanuatu	0.20	14	0.2	1'113	11.5	5.69
<b>Oceania</b>		<b>31.74</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>426.1</b>	<b>13'671</b>	<b>28'438.4</b>	<b>89.62</b>

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<b>WTI</b>	<b>6'187.17</b>	<b>46</b>	<b>31'380.1</b>	<b>5'131</b>	<b>2'252'112.2</b>	<b>36.40</b>
<b>Africa</b>	<b>806.68</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>554.6</b>	<b>704</b>	<b>59'660.4</b>	<b>7.40</b>
<b>Americas</b>	<b>844.28</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>12'628.2</b>	<b>15'141</b>	<b>549'483.0</b>	<b>65.08</b>
<b>Asia</b>	<b>3'619.01</b>	<b>122</b>	<b>8'362.4</b>	<b>2'316</b>	<b>874'829.6</b>	<b>24.17</b>
<b>Europe</b>	<b>794.55</b>	<b>33</b>	<b>9'317.3</b>	<b>11'666</b>	<b>731'724.5</b>	<b>92.09</b>

*Note:* For data comparability and coverage, see the technical notes.  
 Figures in italics are estimates or refer to years other than those specified.

*Source:* ITU.