

## South Asia: regional data from the WDI database

	Population millions	Life expectancy at birth years	GNI per capita Atlas <sup>a</sup> \$	Primary completion rate % 1995-2001 <sup>b</sup>	Ratio of girls to boys in primary and secondary %	Child malnu- trition % under- weight 1993-2001 <sup>b</sup>	Under-5 mortality rate per 1,000 2001	Prevalence of HIV, female <sup>c</sup> % ages 15-24 2001	Access to improved water source % 2000
<b>South Asia</b>	<b>1,378</b>	<b>63</b>	<b>450</b>	<b>74</b>	<b>..</b>	<b>..</b>	<b>99</b>	<b>0.48</b>	<b>84</b>
East Asia & Pacific	1,823	69	900	105	..	15	44	0.16	76
Europe & Central Asia	475	69	1,970	..	..	..	38	..	91
Latin America & Caribbean	524	71	3,580	..	102	9	34	0.30	86
Middle East & North Africa	301	68	2,220	86	95	15	54	..	88
Sub-Saharan Africa	674	46	460	..	..	..	171	9.20	58
<i>Selected economies:</i>									
Bangladesh	133	62	360	70	103	48	77	0.01	97
India	1,032	63	460	76	..	..	93	0.71	84
Nepal	24	59	250	65	82	48	91	0.28	88
Pakistan	141	63	420	59	..	38	109	0.05	90
Sri Lanka	19	73	880	111	..	33	19	0.04	77

**Note:** Figures in italics are for years or periods other than those specified.

a. Atlas method; see WDI *Statistical methods*. b. Data are for the most recent year available. c. Average of high and low estimates.

Source: 2003 *World Development Indicators* database, World Bank, 13 April 2003.