

## Afghanistan

	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007
<b>POPULATION</b> <sup>a</sup>																		
Total population <i>million; as of 1 July</i>	17.6	17.9	18.3	18.6	18.9	19.2	19.6	19.9	20.3	20.7	21.0	21.4	21.8	22.2	23.2	23.6	24.1	24.5
Population density <i>persons per square kilometer</i>	25	25	26	26	27	27	28	28	29	29	30	31	31	34	35	36	37	38
Population <i>annual change, percent</i>	1.9	1.9	1.9	1.9	1.9	1.9	1.9	1.9	1.9	1.9	1.9	1.9	1.9	1.9	...	2.0	2.0	2.0
Urban population <i>percent of total population</i>	16.7	16.9	17.2	17.5	17.8	18.1	18.4	18.8	19.2	19.4	19.8	20.1	20.6	20.7	20.3	20.3	20.0	21.0
<b>LABOR FORCE</b> <sup>b</sup> <i>thousand; fiscal year beginning 21 March</i>																		
Employed	6120	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7605	7707	7707	7857	...	...	...
Agriculture	5914	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7305	7447	7447	7592	...	...	...
Industry	4115	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5090	5181	5181	5282	...	...	...
Others	905	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	355	362	362	369	...	...	...
Unemployed and unclassified	894	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1861	1904	1904	1941	...	...	...
Unemployment rate <i>percent</i>	206	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	300	260	260	265	...	...	...
Labor force <i>annual change, percent</i>	3.0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3.9	3.4	3.4	3.4	...	...	...
	1.9	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1.9	1.9	1.9	...	...	...
<b>NATIONAL ACCOUNTS</b> <sup>c</sup> <i>million US Dollars; fiscal year beginning 21 March</i>																		
<b>At Current Prices</b>																		
GDP by industrial origin <sup>d</sup> <i>at current market prices</i>	3622	3341	3475	2665	2115	3236	...	...	...	...	2713	2618	4390	4769	5733	6852	7459	...
Agriculture	1294	1660	1927	1691	1550	2126	...	...	...	...	1547	1394	1956	2149	2332	2617	2355	...
Mining																		
Manufacturing	746	677	421	279	173	176	...	...	...	...	466	516	660	622	873	1065	1257	...
Electricity, gas, and water																		
Construction	113	106	135	104	77	165	...	...	...	...	164	166	194	250	435	610	751	...
Trade <sup>e</sup>	1007	456	482	327	138	312	...	...	...	...	114	121	431	428	511	574	665	...
Transport and communications	220	213	253	87	57	213	...	...	...	...	226	249	454	543	511	635	914	...
Public administration	187	176	196	134	90	193	...	...	...	...	157	133	223	245	299	442	553	...
Others <sup>f</sup>	54	51	62	43	30	53	...	...	...	...	40	39	414	436	645	686	732	...
Taxes less subsidies on production and imports <sup>g</sup>	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	58	96	127	223	232	...
<b>Structure of Output</b> <i>percent of GDP at current prices</i>																		
Agriculture	35.7	49.7	55.4	63.5	73.3	65.7	...	...	...	...	57.0	53.2	45.2	46.0	41.6	39.5	32.6	...
Industry	23.7	23.5	16.0	14.4	11.8	10.5	...	...	...	...	23.2	26.1	19.7	18.7	23.3	25.3	27.8	...
Services	40.6	26.8	28.6	22.2	14.9	23.8	...	...	...	...	19.8	20.7	35.1	35.4	35.1	35.3	39.6	...
Expenditure on GDP at current market prices																		
Private consumption	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4390	4769	5733	6852	7459	...
Government consumption	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4895	6024	6992	7883	8214	...
Gross fixed capital formation	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	346	449	561	665	810	...
Increase in stocks	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	511	626	1001	1459	1803	...
Exports of goods and services	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Less: Imports of goods and services	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1341	1999	1805	1727	1873	...
Statistical discrepancy	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2704	4331	4627	4883	5241	...
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<b>Structure of Demand</b> percent of GDP at current market prices																		
Private consumption	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	111.5	126.4	122.0	115.1	110.1	...
Government consumption	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7.9	9.4	9.8	9.7	10.9	...
Gross domestic capital formation <sup>h</sup>	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	11.6	13.1	17.5	21.3	24.2	...
Exports of goods and services	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	30.5	41.9	31.5	25.2	25.1	...
Imports of goods and services	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	61.6	90.9	80.7	71.3	70.3	...
<b>At Constant Prices</b>																		
GDP by industrial origin at 2002 market prices																		
Agriculture	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4390	4591	5170	5702	6073	...
Mining	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1956	2095	2050	2107	1838	...
Manufacturing	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	660	588	738	850	963	...
Electricity, gas, and water	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	660	588	738	850	963	...
Construction	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	194	242	389	495	639	...
Trade	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	431	368	399	410	463	...
Transport and communications	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	454	603	701	746	936	...
Public administration	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	223	198	239	368	443	...
Others <sup>f</sup>	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	414	414	555	567	631	...
Taxes less subsidies on production and imports	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	58	83	99	159	160	...
<b>Growth of Output</b> annual change, percent																		
GDP	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4.6	12.6	10.3	6.5	...
Agriculture	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7.1	-2.1	2.8	-12.8	...
Industry	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	-2.8	35.8	19.3	19.1	...
Services	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4.0	19.6	10.4	18.3	...
<b>Investment Financing at current prices</b>																		
Gross domestic capital formation <sup>h</sup>																		
Gross domestic saving	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	511	626	1001	1459	1803	...
Gross domestic saving	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	-851	-1704	-1820	-1696	-1565	...
<b>Savings and Investment</b> percent of GDP at current market prices																		
Gross domestic saving	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	-19.4	-35.7	-31.7	-24.8	-21.0	...
Gross domestic capital formation <sup>h</sup>	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	11.6	13.1	17.5	21.3	24.2	...
<b>At Current Market Prices</b> US Dollars																		
Per capita GDP																		
Per capita GDP	206	187	190	143	112	169	...	...	...	...	129	122	201	215	247	290	310	...
<b>PRODUCTION</b> thousand metric tons; calendar year																		
Agriculture crop year																		
1. Wheat	1650	1726	1650	1940	2050	2000	2300	2711	2834	2499	...	...	1742	3480	2390	4266	3363	4484
2. Maize	480	420	300	470	500	530	360	300	330	240	...	...	100	210	400	315	359	306
3. Grape	365	365	330	330	330	330	330	330	330	330	...	...	365	558	350	350	370	726
4. Rice, paddy	333	335	300	300	342	390	340	400	450	280	...	...	135	260	350	325	361	370
5. Barley	216	217	200	250	230	200	220	250	240	216	...	...	236	240	290	337	364	370
6. Sugarcane	55	38	38	38	38	38	38	38	38	38	...	...	2	83	60	38	7	16

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<b>Mining</b>																		
1. Coal	105	94	8	7	6	5	3	2	2	...	...	...	21	35	34	33	35	242
2. Salt	35	12	12	13	13	13	13	13	13	13	...	...	21	14	38	34	8	123
3. Natural gas (petajoules)	8	8	7	7	7	7	6	6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
<b>Manufacturing</b>																		
1. Cement	100	109	115	115	115	115	116	116	116	...	...	...	27	24	15	30	...	...
2. Sawnwood, coniferous <i>thousand cubic meters</i>	380	380	380	380	380	380	380	380	380	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
3. Mutton and lamb meat <i>carcass weight</i>	115	138	138	138	138	141	141	141	141	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
<b>Production Index</b> <i>period average</i>																		
Agriculture <i>1999-2001 = 100</i>	76.7	78.9	76.8	82.2	88.1	92.1	100.6	110.4	119.1	114.3	95.6	90.1	111.4	112.8	119.8	112.1	...	...
<b>ENERGY</b> <i>annual values</i>																		
<b>Coal</b> <i>thousand metric tons</i>																		
Production	105	94	8	7	6	5	3	2	2	...	...	...	21	35	34	33	35	242
Consumption	105	94	8	7	6	5	3	2	2	...	...	...	21	35	34	33	35	242
<b>Electricity</b> <i>million kilowatt-hours</i>																		
Production	1127	1218	492	173	173	179	222	...	465	454	697	676	557	827	781	907	917	839
Consumption	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	444	301	741	623	691	684	607
<b>PRICE INDEXES</b> <i>21 March 1978/20 March 1979 = 100; period averages</i>																		
Consumer (national)	1082.0	1794.0	1960.0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	113.4	121.3	135.0
Food	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	111.8	118.4	134.0
Nonfood	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	115.9	125.7	136.4
Consumer (Kabul)	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	98.7	111.8	118.4	126.9	137.8
Food	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	97.7	109.3	113.7	119.0	133.5
Nonfood	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	100.1	115.6	126.1	139.4	144.6
Implicit GDP deflator <i>2002 = 100</i>	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	100.0	103.9	110.9	120.2	122.8	...
<b>Price Indexes</b> <i>annual change, percent</i>																		
Consumer price index (Kabul)	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	13.3	5.9	7.2	8.6
Food price index (Kabul)	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	11.9	4.0	4.7	12.2
Implicit GDP deflator	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3.9	6.8	8.4	2.2	...
<b>MONEY AND BANKING</b> <i>million Afghani; as of end of period</i>																		
Money supply (M1)	351025	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	22164	29116	38953	55663	69946	114734
Currency in circulation	311929	454750	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	20080	26914	37116	42515	46650	57501
Demand deposits (excluding government deposits)	39096	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2083	2202	1836	13148	23296	57233
Quasi-money	46305	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	177	265	1669	3074	10327	5467
Money supply (M2)	397330	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	22341	29380	38953	58737	80273	120201
Foreign assets (net)	4163	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	62838	90133	109471	162445
Domestic credit	447411	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	14951	-19819	-4869	-13421	-12031	1497
Claims on government sector (net) <sup>i</sup>	419334	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	14951	-19819	-4869	-21314	-30039	-37403
Claims on private sector	26547	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	21529	38391

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Claims on other financial institutions	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7893	18008	509
Other items	-54244	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	-19017	-17975	-17168	6147
<b>Money supply (M2) annual change, percent</b>	40.6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	31.5	32.6	50.8	36.7	49.7
<b>M2 percent of GDP at current market prices</b>	216.8	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	11.6	12.6	14.2	17.3	21.6	...
<b>Deposit Money Banks <sup>j</sup></b>																		
Demand deposits	18217	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	170	2721	7974	15680	25525	37903
Savings deposits	25269	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	133	322	1007	4556	13415	21748
Time deposits	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0	114	814	1644	4262
<b>GOVERNMENT FINANCE</b> <i>million US Dollars; fiscal year ending 31 December   beginning 21 March</i>																		
<b>Central Government</b>																		
Total revenue and grants	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	315	413	652	...	622	...
Total revenue	91	40	14	5	6	10	...	...	...	...	11	24	132	208	300	465	622	...
Current revenue	91	40	14	5	6	10	...	...	...	...	11	24	132	208	300	465	622	...
Taxes	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	253	232	...
Nontaxes	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	212	390	...
Capital receipts	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Grants	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	184	205	352	...	...	...
Total expenditure and net lending	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	374	...	...	...	...	...
Total expenditure	326	204	261	229	243	256	...	...	...	...	76	102	349	451	609	677	810	...
Current expenditure	326	204	261	229	243	256	...	...	...	...	76	102	349	451	609	677	810	...
Capital expenditure	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Net lending	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	25	...	...	...	...	...
Current surplus/deficit	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	-217	-243	208	188	188	...
Capital account surplus/deficit	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Overall budgetary surplus/deficit	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
<b>Government Finance</b> <i>percent of GDP at current market prices</i>																		
Total revenue	2.5	1.2	0.4	0.2	0.3	0.3	...	...	...	...	0.4	0.9	3.0	4.4	5.2	6.8	8.3	...
Total expenditure	9.0	6.1	7.5	8.6	11.5	7.9	...	...	...	...	2.8	3.9	7.9	9.5	10.6	9.9	10.9	...
Overall budgetary surplus/deficit	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
<b>EXTERNAL TRADE</b> <i>million US Dollars; calendar year</i>																		
Exports, fob	131	189	181	688	105	166	128	144	159	166	137	68	100	144	305	384	416	454
Imports, cif	479	443	398	465	391	387	661	604	462	1012	1176	1696	2452	2101	2177	2470	2744	3021
Trade balance	-348	-254	-217	223	-286	-221	-533	-460	-303	-846	-1039	-1628	-2352	-1957	-1872	-2087	-2328	-2567
<b>External Trade</b> <i>annual change, percent</i>																		
Exports	-25.1	44.3	-4.2	280.1	-84.7	58.2	-22.8	12.6	10.3	4.4	-17.4	-50.5	47.1	44.0	111.8	25.9	8.3	9.1
Imports	12.4	-7.5	-10.2	16.8	-15.9	-1.0	70.8	-8.6	-23.5	119.1	16.2	44.2	44.6	-14.3	3.6	13.5	11.1	10.1

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<b>Direction of Trade</b> <i>million US Dollars; calendar year</i>																			
Exports, total	131.1	189.0	181.3	688.1	104.6	166.0	128.0	144.7	151.2	122.8	142.2	90.5	87.2	209.8	185.1	238.4	274.8	321.4	
1. India	12.8	9.9	5.2	2.4	1.8	7.0	3.9	3.1	21.6	20.8	22.9	25.3	16.6	31.8	39.4	50.6	62.6	74.7	
2. United States	4.5	4.2	2.0	2.5	5.7	5.3	16.0	10.2	16.0	8.4	2.6	0.6	4.3	57.2	22.9	61.5	41.6	69.8	
3. Pakistan	5.8	4.7	6.0	9.1	10.1	14.0	25.5	29.8	25.4	36.0	35.5	23.7	27.8	28.3	44.6	48.4	59.8	71.3	
4. France	3.7	3.1	1.7	0.7	1.4	1.4	1.4	10.5	24.7	1.2	0.3	0.4	1.0	37.5	4.1	0.4	0.9	2.1	
5. Finland	0.3	0.4	0.3	0.1	0.1	1.5	0.5	4.4	5.3	5.4	8.8	6.3	6.0	6.3	5.0	9.7	12.2	11.1	
6. Russian Federation	...	...	-	617.6	6.9	12.1	7.2	7.5	6.5	5.8	4.9	2.5	4.4	5.9	3.7	3.5	10.5	13.0	
7. Turkey	1.8	0.3	-	-	0.3	0.0	0.2	0.6	0.4	0.6	0.5	0.4	1.0	2.4	6.2	7.5	8.7	11.4	
8. Germany	24.0	23.3	14.0	14.6	9.2	7.6	9.4	9.4	6.8	5.7	5.1	6.6	5.0	4.5	10.3	3.7	2.8	5.7	
9. United Arab Emirates	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.6	2.7	3.6	3.6	-	-	-	3.0	3.9	5.0	6.1	8.0	
10. Belgium	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	13.3	7.6	7.7	16.9	4.4	4.5	6.3	6.4	5.6	3.8	3.6	
Imports, total	479.3	443.1	398.2	464.8	390.8	387.4	660.8	604.3	462.5	490.3	620.7	565.6	1034.1	1607.9	1973.1	3007.4	3818.3	4720.8	
1. Pakistan	2.2	8.2	17.6	16.9	28.3	21.8	14.4	20.7	41.5	89.8	134.1	157.0	245.5	449.4	511.4	1171.6	1448.0	1728.3	
2. United States	4.8	3.2	4.1	10.3	6.1	4.4	18.5	12.5	7.6	19.8	12.2	6.6	87.9	66.7	173.4	287.5	459.3	537.6	
3. India	64.7	19.8	37.0	31.5	16.0	16.2	22.5	25.4	16.4	30.9	30.5	33.7	56.8	136.7	169.8	158.3	195.7	233.5	
4. Germany	22.8	18.8	11.8	12.0	20.3	18.3	21.1	17.2	15.7	13.6	16.1	15.9	57.3	103.2	130.0	166.9	275.4	204.1	
5. Turkmenistan	...	...	...	-	-	10.0	14.2	23.0	22.4	45.0	41.8	24.1	31.4	81.1	106.6	121.8	150.5	179.6	
6. Kazakhstan	...	...	...	-	2.0	3.2	6.3	9.5	8.4	12.5	63.7	20.0	34.2	54.4	95.0	108.6	134.2	160.2	
7. China, People's Republic of	25.8	28.1	26.0	35.6	30.1	34.8	34.4	35.7	26.8	18.3	21.9	19.0	21.9	29.1	64.2	56.3	110.7	203.8	
8. Turkey	1.6	0.9	-	-	1.7	5.8	2.3	6.9	24.0	0.7	8.9	7.7	22.3	40.1	77.8	124.7	100.2	119.9	
9. Russian Federation	...	...	-	54.9	17.5	19.3	23.0	20.6	14.9	14.6	12.3	8.5	35.5	59.9	83.5	114.9	90.6	110.5	
10. Korea, Republic of	40.3	52.4	33.0	39.6	22.4	23.8	38.3	46.2	43.6	33.0	92.5	104.5	140.7	137.1	84.9	65.6	76.4	91.2	
<b>BALANCE OF PAYMENTS</b> <i>million US Dollars; calendar year</i>																			
Current account	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	-141	145	97	22	-199	-119	
Balance on goods	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	-1218	-1892	-2231	-2525	-3031	-5893	
Exports	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1291	1894	1642	1792	1883	1861	
Imports	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	-2508	-3786	-3873	-4317	-4915	-7755	
Services and income	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	-145	-439	-459	-556	-531	-437	
Credit	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	51	106	78	102	119	...	
Debit	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	-196	-545	-536	-658	-650	...	
Current transfers	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1222	2476	2787	3104	3363	6211	
Credit	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Debit	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Capital account	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	144	150	477	361	389	23	
Financial account	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Direct investment	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	50	58	187	271	232	290	
Portfolio investment	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Other investment	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Net errors and omissions	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	161	93	-133	-40	-211	265	
Overall balance	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	164	387	441	343	-21	168	
Reserve assets	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	425	820	1283	1662	1838	2335	

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	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	
<b>Balance of Payments</b> percent of GDP at current market prices																			
Exports	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	29.4	39.7	28.6	26.1	25.2	...	
Imports	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	-57.1	-79.4	-67.6	-63.0	-65.9	...	
Balance on goods	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	-27.7	-39.7	-38.9	-36.9	-40.6	...	
Current account balance	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	-3.2	3.0	1.7	0.3	-2.7	...	
Overall balance	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3.7	8.1	7.7	5.0	-0.3	...	
<b>INTERNATIONAL RESERVES</b> million US Dollars; as of end of period																			
Total	266.4	234.9	11.2	9.5	8.6	7.3	7.1	6.6	6.9	6.8	6.4	6.2	6.7	0.6	0.1	0.0	0.1	0.2	
Gold, national valuation	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Foreign exchange	250.4	221.2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Reserve position in the Fund	7.0	7.0	6.8	6.8	7.2	7.3	7.1	6.6	6.9	6.8	6.4	6.2	6.7	-	-	-	-	-	
SDRs	9.0	6.7	4.4	2.8	1.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.6	0.1	0.0	0.1	0.2	
<b>EXCHANGE RATES</b> New Afghanis per US Dollar																			
End of period	0.70	1.36	1.22	1.96	4.16	5.86	21.43	26.97	44.50	53.53	75.30	28.30	43.53	49.11	48.22	50.41	49.85	49.72	
Average of period	...	...	...	...	...	...	18.10	25.10	37.48	48.86	67.31	55.73	43.89	49.01	47.88	49.48	49.92	49.96	
<b>EXTERNAL INDEBTEDNESS</b> million US Dollars; as of end of year																			
Total debt outstanding and disbursed	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1771	...
Long-term debt	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1761	...
Public and publicly guaranteed	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1761	...
Private nonguaranteed	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	-	...
Short-term debt	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	11	...
Use of IMF credit	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	-	...
External debt as percent of GDP	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	23.7	...
Total long-term debt as percent of total debt	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	99.4	...
Short-term debt as percent of total debt	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0.6	...
Debt service as percent of exports of goods and services	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
<b>Debt service</b> million US Dollars; transactions during the year																			
Principal repayments on long-term debt	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3.5	...
Interest on long-term debt	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5.8	26.3
Interest on short-term debt	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	-	...

- a The last census in Afghanistan was conducted in 1979. The population in succeeding years, except for 2004, was estimated using population growth rates.
- b Includes the population between ages 10–59 years. Employed refers to the productive and nonproductive sectors. The productive sector includes agriculture and industry (manufacturing, mining, small-scale industries and handicrafts, construction and geology, and transport and communications); the nonproductive sector refers to other employed, which include education and health, government departments, and public services.
- c For 1990–2001, GDP estimates were derived and adjusted by using available net material product data.
- d Gross value-added by industry is at market prices for 1990–2001 and at factor cost for 2002 onward.
- e Trade figures for 1990–2001 were derived by taking the discrepancy between GDP and the sum of its components with available data.
- f Includes finance.
- g Prior to 2002, gross value-added by industry includes taxes net of subsidies.

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- h Refers to gross fixed capital formation.  
 i Includes claims on government and nonfinancial public enterprises.  
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