

DRINKING WATER AND SANITATION COVERAGE ESTIMATES FOR SUBREGIONS IN ASIA AND THE PACIFIC, 1990 and 2002

Year		Population			Water Supply Coverage (%)						Sanitation Coverage (%)					
		Total	Urban	Rural	Total	Urban		Rural		Total	Urban		Rural			
		('000)	(%)	(%)	Total Access	Household Connections	Total Access	Household Connections	Total Access	House Connections	Total Access	Sewer Connections	Total Access	Sewer Connections	Total Access	Sewer Connections
Asia and the Pacific	1990	3,263,921	33	67	74	38	95	70	64	22	34	13	70	33	16	2
	2002	3,838,218	39	61	82	43	94	73	75	24	49	16	75	37	33	3
East and Northeast Asia	1990	1,349,962	33	67	74	55	99	85	62	40	32	10	71	28	12	1
	2002	1,502,315	42	58	80	64	94	92	70	43	50	20	73	43	33	3
North and Central Asia	1990	215,178	65	35	91	71	96	86	82	42	82	64	92	83	63	26
	2002	217,858	63	37	91	72	98	90	79	40	79	63	90	84	59	26
Pacific	1990	26,672	70	30	89	67	100	93	63	6	90	54	99	77	69	0
	2002	31,828	73	27	87	69	99	92	53	8	87	55	98	75	57	0
South and Southwest Asia	1990	1,232,183	28	72	71	21	90	56	64	7	23	9	58	29	9	1
	2002	1,550,605	31	69	85	26	94	54	80	13	39	10	69	27	25	3
Southeast Asia	1990	439,926	32	68	73	14	91	37	65	3	48	2	67	6	39	0
	2002	535,612	41	59	79	23	91	45	70	8	61	3	79	7	49	0

Source: Figures derived from data in *Meeting the MDG drinking water and sanitation target: A mid-term assessment of progress*. WHO and UNICEF. 2004. United Nations, New York.