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POPULATION								
Total population <i>thousand; as of 1 July</i>	239.3	253.4	296.0	332.8	344.2	349.6	359.7	370.1
Population density <i>persons per square kilometer</i>	42	44	51	58	60	61	62	64
Population <i>annual change, %</i>	3.0	2.9	4.0	2.5	3.4	1.6	2.9	2.9
Urban population <i>% of total population</i>	64.4	65.8	69.9	74.7	75.4	76.1	76.9	...
LABOR FORCE ^a <i>thousand; calendar year</i>								
Employed	...	...	123	158	159	159	164	169
Agriculture	...	...	3	2	...	...	...	...
Manufacturing	...	...	6	12	...	...	...	...
Mining	...	...	5	4	...	...	...	...
Others	...	...	104	128	...	...	...	...
Unemployed	...	...	6	11	6	7	6	7
Unemployment rate, %	...	...	4.9	7.2	3.5	4.5	3.5	4.3
Labor force <i>annual change, %</i>	...	...	...	6.3	0.8	0.1	3.5	2.9
Labor force participation rate, %	...	...	66.5	67.9	69.8	69.8	69.9	70.0
Male	...	...	79.3	79.3	94.8	79.5	79.6	79.6
Female	...	...	54.2	56.4	64.0	59.2	59.1	59.1
NATIONAL ACCOUNTS <i>Mn Brunei dollars; calendar year</i>								
At Current Market Prices								
GDP by industrial origin	5415	6509	7394	7482	7652	8255	9270	9821 *
Agriculture	121	154	188	240	264	279	330	355 *
Mining	2592	3229	2769	2965	2980	3406	4155	4333 *
Manufacturing	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Electricity, gas, and water	43	59	74	57	60	63	65	66 *
Construction	195	277	405	429	409	332	343	348 *
Trade	656	751	741	541	647	670	710	817 *
Transport and communications	245	281	359	397	369	452	524	596 *
Finance	217	290	388	556	590	634	613	688 *
Public administration	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Others	1449	1609	2659	2517	2581	2674	2753	2845 *
Less: Imputed bank service charges	103	142	188	220	247	255	221	226 *
Structure of Output <i>% of GDP at current prices</i>								
Agriculture	2.2	2.4	2.5	3.2	3.4	3.4	3.6	3.6 *
Industry	52.3	54.8	43.9	46.1	45.1	46.0	49.2	48.3 *
Services	45.5	42.8	53.5	50.7	51.5	50.6	47.2	48.1 *
At Constant 1974 Prices								
GDP by industrial origin	3547	3605	3911	4271	4392	4560	4638	4806 *
Agriculture	50	57	61	79	85	92	108	118 *
Mining	2174	2089	2062	2281	2319	2513	2482	2381 *
Manufacturing	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Electricity, gas, and water	23	31	34	32	33	34	35	36 *
Construction	81	102	125	122	119	109	113	107 *
Trade	340	376	312	297	347	290	308	442 *
Transport and communications	110	121	137	152	157	123	140	210 *
Finance	93	119	145	202	214	230	222	249 *
Public administration	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Others	754	798	1158	1272	1304	1363	1398	1432 *
Less: Imputed bank service charges	77	87	122	166	186	192	167	170 *
Growth of Output <i>annual change, %</i>								
GDP	1.1	2.7	3.0	3.0	2.8	3.8	1.7	3.6 *
Agriculture	1.0	0.9	2.2	18.2	7.9	8.5	17.4	9.3 *
Industry	-2.8	2.1	2.0	3.0	1.5	7.5	-1.0	-4.0 *
Services	9.3	3.9	4.5	2.5	4.5	-1.2	4.8	13.8 *
At Current Market Prices, Brunei dollars								
Per capita GDP	22626	25685	24980	22481	22230	23612	25773	26537 *
PRODUCTION <i>thousand metric tons; calendar year</i>								
<i>Agriculture, crop year</i>								
1. Vegetable (fresh, frozen, etc.)	4.80	5.00	5.98	8.92	9.59	10.36	11.16	10.71

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Capital account surplus/deficit
Overall budgetary surplus/deficit ^f	-389	-22	1015	36	-1033 I	-177	989	2929
Government Finance % of GDP								
Total revenue	45.9	41.6	33.1	56.6	55.8	77.2	69.1	85.9 *
Total expenditure	50.3	42.9	49.4	51.5	61.9	69.3	52.5	51.9 *
Overall budgetary surplus/deficit	-7.2	-0.3	13.7	0.5	-13.5	-2.1	10.7	29.8 *
Expenditure by Function, Central Government ^g								
Total	1946	1871	2369	3365	3074 I	4301	2240	3186
General public services	23	23	25	16	18 I	23	14	22
Defence	359	419	405	390	405 I	530	308	449
Education	253	257	311	400	494 I	681	401	583
Health	102	104	154	203	210 I	290	179	263
Social security and welfare	70	68	88	104	105 I	133	108	...
Housing and community amenities	99	107	147	191	104 I	134	74	106
Economic services	863	705	996	1746	1399 I	2066	889	1371
Agriculture	30	24	26	26	25 I	33	17	25
Industry	7	11	14	22	23 I	31	18	26
Electricity, gas, and water	71	75	92	86	95 I	128	115	144
Transport and communications	63	60	79	100	97 I	115	33	58
Other economic services	692	536	786	1512	1159 I	1760	706	1119
Others	177	187	242	316	339 I	445	266	391
EXTERNAL TRADE Mn US dollars; calendar year								
Exports, fob	1757	2237	2392	3640	3702	4421	5057	6249
Imports, cif	765	1012	2089	1159	1556	1327	1422	1491
Trade balance	991	1226	303	2481	2146	3094	3635	4758
External Trade annual change, %								
Exports	-14.2	16.2	10.9	-6.7	1.7	19.4	14.4	23.6
Imports	10.9	15.2	15.5	4.8	34.3	-14.7	7.2	4.9
Trade balance	-7.9	17.0	-12.9	-11.3	-13.5	44.2	17.5	30.9
Exports, by SITC section								
Food and live animals	11	14	2	1	1	2	2	4
Beverage and tobacco	3	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Crude materials excluding fuels	1	1	2	2	2	3	6	7
Mineral fuels, etc.	1714	2160	2222	3252	3259	3876	4624	5886
Animal, vegetable oil, and fats	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Chemicals	1	2	3	2	1	3	2	3
Basic manufactures	7	11	19	68	40	54	24	24
Machines, transport equipment	15	30	76	146	171	236	140	125
Miscellaneous manufactured goods	5	17	57	165	222	240	250	191
Unclassified goods	1	1	11	4	6	7	9	10
Imports, by SITC section								
Food and live animals	126	155	229	190	179	200	210	259
Beverage and tobacco	35	35	47	25	24	25	38	41
Crude materials excluding fuels	8	13	79	11	13	14	12	9
Mineral fuels, etc.	7	10	11	2	3	11	11	25
Animal, vegetable oil, and fats	4	3	7	6	6	9	7	6
Chemicals	51	68	117	88	95	101	113	138
Basic manufactures	181	273	642	355	372	341	354	367
Machines, transport equipment	251	348	734	352	714	468	497	478
Miscellaneous manufactured goods	90	103	214	128	146	152	174	161
Unclassified goods	12	3	10	2	4	6	6	7
Direction of Trade Mn US dollars; calendar year								
Exports, total	1707	2212	3388	3336	3439	4422	4511	4967
1. Japan	1110	1285	1883	1542	1377	1811	1720	2074
2. Korea, Republic of	177	274	531	411	420	495	630	753
3. United States	35	76	67	385	278	343	390	536
4. Australia	23	29	24	219	314	370	505	512
5. Thailand	150	171	372	352	413	417	355	184

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6. China, People's Republic of	5	3	0	135	220	295	203	189
7. Singapore	97	156	313	165	194	198	141	135
8. Indonesia	0	0	13	34	32	113	268	321
9. New Zealand	0	0	9	11	72	103	133	144
10. United Kingdom	1	3	9	45	49	9	112	54
Imports, total	744	1000	2960	1315	1629	1341	1641	1672
1. Singapore	197	259	937	451	501	267	537	545
2. Malaysia	59	103	406	300	283	265	348	416
3. Japan	119	146	261	61	351	133	119	115
4. United Kingdom	58	65	171	95	100	49	136	115
5. United States	94	153	262	114	51	153	54	55
6. Hong Kong, China	8	16	81	56	64	87	62	35
7. Thailand	30	37	76	41	44	54	62	75
8. China, People's Republic of	16	27	89	19	23	65	50	59
9. Germany	35	39	132	24	38	43	63	32
10. Australia	25	26	94	26	31	57	32	33
BALANCE OF PAYMENTS <i>Mn US dollars; calendar year</i>								
Current account	...	...	2429	2911	2534	3246	3769	4039
Balance on goods	...	...	411	2558	2227	3163	3719	4836
Exports	...	...	2390	3640	3702	4421	5057	6249
Imports	...	...	-1979	-1082	-1475	-1258	-1338	-1413
Services and income	...	...	2458	623	617	373	359	-421
Credit	...	...	3254	1862	1665	1619	1662	880
Debit	...	...	-796	-1239	-1048	-1246	-1303	-1301
Current transfers	...	...	-440	-269	-310	-290	-309	-376
Credit	...	...	21	0	0	0	0	0
Debit	...	...	-461	-269	-310	-290	-309	-376
Capital account	...	...	-1768	0	-1	-1	-11	-159
Financial account	...	...	-634	-870	-414	-1592	-2072	-536
Direct investment	...	...	-634	62	227	123	70	167
Portfolio investment	...	...	...	-180	8	60	-45	21
Other investments ^h	...	...	...	-752	-649	-1775	-2097	-724
Net errors and omissions	...	...	...	-2075	-2057	-1637	-1640	-3183
Overall balance	...	...	27	-35	62	16	45	161
Balance of Payments % of GDP								
Exports	...	...	45.8	87.2	86.6	93.3	92.2	105.9 *
Imports	...	...	-37.9	-25.9	-34.5	-26.5	-24.4	-23.9 *
Balance on goods	...	...	7.9	61.3	52.1	66.8	67.8	82.0 *
Current account balance	...	...	46.6	69.7	59.3	68.5	68.7	68.4 *
Overall balance	...	...	0.5	-0.8	1.5	0.3	0.8	2.7 *
INTERNATIONAL RESERVES <i>Mn US dollars; as of end of period</i>								
Total ⁱ	...	...	5874	2958	2964	3601	4876	...
Gold, national valuation	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Foreign exchange	...	...	...	329	370	389	433	...
Reserve position in the Fund	...	...	...	44	70	84	88	...
SDRs	...	...	...	8	10	11	12	...
EXCHANGE RATES <i>Brunei dollars per US dollar</i>								
End of period	1.95	1.74	1.41	1.85	1.74	1.70	1.63	1.66
Average of period	2.01	1.81	1.42	1.79	1.79	1.74	1.69	1.66

Footnotes:

Some footnotes apply only to the 18-year series available online.

- a Figures for 1991 and 2001 are based on population census results. Figures for 1995 are based on Labor Force Survey results.
- b Prior to 1997, conversion into metric tons was done by multiplying cubic metre figures with the specific gravity of crude oil. At an assumed temperature of 60 degrees Fahrenheit and API gravity at 32.6 degrees, the specific gravity of crude oil is 862 kilograms per cubic metre. One kilogram is equivalent to 0.001 metric tons. Annual figures were obtained by multiplying per day figures with 365.

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- c Includes duties, taxes, and licenses.
 - d Includes receipt for or in aid of specified government department, receipts on government account of undertaking of a commercial character department and revenue from government property.
 - e Includes charged expenditure, ordinary expenditure, and development expenditure.
 - f Sum of excess of revenue over expenditure (ordinary plus charged), contribution to development fund, contribution to government trust fund, and capital and currency adjustments.
 - g Data were compiled using Government Ordinary Expenditure by Ministries.
 - h Prior to 1998, refers to investment income.
 - i Includes net foreign assets of commercial banks but excludes net foreign assets of the Brunei Investment Agency.
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