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# Foreword

THE EUROPA YEAR BOOK was first published in 1926. Since 1960 it has appeared in annual two-volume editions, and has become established as an authoritative reference work, providing a wealth of detailed information on the political, economic and commercial institutions of the world.

Volume I deals with international organizations and the countries of Europe, as well as providing the first part of the alphabetical survey of the rest of the world, from Afghanistan to Burundi. Volume II lists the remaining countries of the world, from Cameroon to Zimbabwe.

Readers are referred to our regional books THE MIDDLE EAST AND NORTH AFRICA, AFRICA SOUTH OF THE SAHARA and THE FAR EAST AND AUSTRALASIA for additional information on the geography, history and economy of these areas as well as a Who's Who of influential personalities.

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# Abbreviations

A.B. .. ..	Aktiebolag (joint stock company)	Cie. .. ..	Compagnie
Acad. .. ..	Academician; Academy	c.i.f. .. ..	cost, insurance and freight
accred. .. ..	accredited	C.-in-C. .. ..	Commander-in-Chief
A.C.T. .. ..	Australian Capital Territory	circ. .. ..	circulation
ADB .. ..	African Development Bank; Asian Development Bank	Cmd. .. ..	Command
Adm. .. ..	Admiral	CMEA .. ..	Council for Mutual Economic Assistance
admin. .. ..	administration	Cnr. .. ..	Corner
ag., ags. .. ..	agency(ies)	Co. .. ..	Company; County
A.G. .. ..	Aktiengesellschaft (joint stock company)	Col. .. ..	Colonel
a.i. .. ..	ad interim	Colo. .. ..	Colorado
AID .. ..	(U.S.) Agency for International Development	COMECON .. ..	Council for Mutual Economic Assistance (CMEA)
Al. .. ..	Aleja (alley, avenue)	Comm. .. ..	Commendatore
Ala. .. ..	Alabama	Commdr. .. ..	Commander
ALADI .. ..	Asociación Latino-Americana de Integración	Commr. .. ..	Commissioner
Alta. .. ..	Alberta	Confed. .. ..	Confederation
AM .. ..	amplitude modulation	Conn. .. ..	Connecticut
amalg. .. ..	amalgamated	Cons.-Gen. .. ..	Consul-General
A.P. .. ..	Andhra Pradesh	Corr. .. ..	Correspondent
apdo. .. ..	apartado (Post Box)	corresp. .. ..	corresponding
approx. .. ..	approximately	C.P. .. ..	Case Postale; Caixa Postal (Post Box)
Apt. .. ..	Apartment	CPSU .. ..	Communist Party of the Soviet Union
Ariz. .. ..	Arizona	Cres. .. ..	Crescent
Ark. .. ..	Arkansas	Cttee. .. ..	Committee
A/S .. ..	Aktieselskab (joint stock company)	cu. .. ..	cubic
ASEAN .. ..	Association of South-East Asian Nations	cwt. .. ..	hundredweight
asscn. .. ..	association	D.C. .. ..	District of Columbia; Distrito Central
assoc. .. ..	associate	D.D.R. .. ..	Deutsche Demokratische Republik (German Democratic Republic)
asst. .. ..	assistant	D.E. .. ..	Departamento Estatal
Aug. .. ..	August	Dec. .. ..	December
auth. .. ..	authorized	Del. .. ..	Delaware
Ave. .. ..	Avenue	Dem. .. ..	Democratic; Democrat
Avda. .. ..	Avenida (Avenue)	dep. .. ..	deposits
B.C. .. ..	British Columbia	Dept. .. ..	Department
Bd., Blv., Blvd., Bld. .. ..	Boulevard	D.F. .. ..	Distrito Federal
Bldg. .. ..	Building	D.F.C. .. ..	Distinguished Flying Cross
B.P. .. ..	Boite postale (Post Box)	Dir. .. ..	Director
b.p.d. .. ..	barrels per day	Div. .. ..	Division(al)
br.(s) .. ..	branch(es)	D.M. .. ..	Deutsche Mark
Brig. .. ..	Brigadier	D.N. .. ..	Distrito Nacional
Bt. .. ..	Baronet	Doc. .. ..	Docent
BTN .. ..	Brussels Tariff Nomenclature	Dott. .. ..	Dottore
bul. .. ..	bulvar (boulevard)	Dr. .. ..	Doctor
C .. ..	centigrade	dr.(e) .. ..	drachma(e)
c. .. ..	circa	D.S.C. .. ..	Distinguished Service Cross
CACM .. ..	Central American Common Market	d.w.t. .. ..	dead weight tons
Calif. .. ..	California	E. .. ..	East; Eastern; Embassy
cap. .. ..	capital	ECA .. ..	(United Nations) Economic Commission for Africa
Capt. .. ..	Captain	ECE .. ..	(United Nations) Economic Commission for Europe
CARICOM .. ..	Caribbean Community	ECLA .. ..	(United Nations) Economic Commission for Latin America
Cav. .. ..	Cavaliere	Econ. .. ..	Economist; Economics
C.B. .. ..	Companion of (the Order of) the Bath	ECOSOC .. ..	(United Nations) Economic and Social Council
C.B.E. .. ..	Commander of (the Order of) the British Empire	ECOWAS .. ..	Economic Community of West African States
CCL .. ..	Caribbean Congress of Labour	ECWA .. ..	(United Nations) Economic Commission for Western Asia
Cen. .. ..	Central	E.D. .. ..	Efficiency Decoration
CFA .. ..	Communauté Financière Africaine, Coopération Financière en Afrique centrale	EEC .. ..	European Economic Community
C.H. .. ..	Companion of Honour	EFTA .. ..	European Free Trade Association
Chair. .. ..	Chairman	e.g. .. ..	exempli gratia (for example)
C.I. .. ..	Channel Islands	eKv. .. ..	electron kilovolt
Cla. .. ..	Compañía	eMv. .. ..	electron megavolt
		Eng. .. ..	Engineer; Engineering

ABBREVIATIONS

Esc.	..	Escuela; Escudos	Kans.	..	Kansas
ESCAP	..	(United Nations) Economic and Social Commission for Asia and the Pacific	K.B.E.	..	Knight Commander of (the Order of) the British Empire
est.	..	established; estimate; estimated	K.C.M.G.	..	Knight Commander of (the Order of) St. Michael and St. George
etc.	..	etcetera	kg.	..	kilogramme(s)
EUA	..	European Unit of Account	K.G.	..	Knight of (the Order of) the Garter; Kommandit Gesellschaft (Limited Partnership)
excl.	..	excluding	kHz	..	kilohertz
exec.	..	executive	K.K.	..	Kaiei Kaisha (Limited Company)
f.	..	founded	km.	..	kilometre(s)
F	..	Fahrenheit	kv.	..	kvartal (apartment block)
FAO	..	Food and Agriculture Organization	kW.	..	kilowatt(s)
Feb.	..	February	kWh.	..	kilowatt hour(s)
Fed.	..	Federation; Federal	Ky.	..	Kentucky
Fla.	..	Florida	La.	..	Louisiana
FM	..	frequency modulation	lb.	..	pound(s)
fmrly.	..	formerly	L.N.G.	..	liquefied natural gas
f.o.b.	..	free on board	L.P.G.	..	liquefied petroleum gas
Fr.	..	Franc	Lt., Lieut.	..	Lieutenant
ft.	..	foot (feet)	Ltd.	..	Limited
Ga.	..	Georgia	m.	..	million
GATT	..	General Agreement on Tariffs and Trade	Maj.	..	Major
G.B.E.	..	Knight (or Dame) Grand Cross of (the Order of) the British Empire	Man.	..	Manager; managing; Manitoba
G.C.M.G.	..	Knight Grand Cross of (the Order of) St. Michael and St. George	March.	..	Marchese
G.D.P.	..	Gross Domestic Product	Mass.	..	Massachusetts
G.D.R.	..	German Democratic Republic	M.B.E.	..	Member of (the Order of) the British Empire
Gen.	..	General	m.b.H.	..	mit beschränkter Haftung (with limited liability)
GeV	..	giga electron volts	Mc/s	..	megacycles per second
G.m.b.H.	..	Gesellschaft mit beschränkter Haftung (limited liability company)	Md.	..	Maryland
G.N.P.	..	Gross National Product	Me.	..	Maine
Gov.	..	Governor	mem.	..	member
g.r.t.	..	gross registered tons	MEV	..	mega electron volts
GWh.	..	gigawatt hours	mfrs.	..	manufacturers
ha.	..	hectares	Mgr.	..	Monseigneur; Monsignor
HC	..	High Commission	MHz	..	megahertz
H.E.	..	His (or Her) Eminence; His (or Her) Excellency	Mich.	..	Michigan
h.f.	..	hlutafelag (company limited)	Minn.	..	Minnesota
hl.	..	hectolitre	Miss.	..	Mississippi
H.M.	..	His (or Her) Majesty	Mlle	..	Mademoiselle
Hon.	..	Honorary (or Honourable)	Mme	..	Madame
h.p.	..	horsepower	Mo.	..	Missouri
H.R.H.	..	His (or Her) Royal Highness	Mont.	..	Montana
H.S.H.	..	His (or Her) Serene Highness	M.P.	..	Member of Parliament; Madhya Pradesh
IBRD	..	International Bank for Reconstruction and Development (World Bank)	MSS	..	Manuscripts
ICC	..	International Chamber of Commerce	m.t.	..	metric ton(s)
ICFTU	..	International Confederation of Free Trade Unions	MW.	..	megawatt(s)
IDA	..	International Development Association	MWh.	..	Megawatt hour(s)
IDB	..	Inter-American Development Bank	N.	..	North; Northern
Ill.	..	Illinois	n.a.	..	not available
IMF	..	International Monetary Fund	nab.	..	naberezhnaya (embankment, quai)
in. (ins.)	..	inch (inches)	nám.	..	náměšť (square)
Inc., Incomp., Incd.	..	Incorporated	NATO	..	North Atlantic Treaty Organization
incl.	..	including	N.B.	..	New Brunswick
Ind.	..	Indiana	N.C.	..	North Carolina
Ing.	..	Engineer	N.D.	..	North Dakota
Insp.	..	Inspector	Neb.	..	Nebraska
Int.	..	International	n.e.s.	..	not elsewhere specified
Inž.	..	Engineer	Nev.	..	Nevada
irreg.	..	irregular	Nfld.	..	Newfoundland
Is.	..	Islands	N.H.	..	New Hampshire
ISIC	..	International Standard Industrial Classification	N.J.	..	New Jersey
Jan.	..	January	N.M.	..	New Mexico
Jnr.	..	Junior	N.M.P.	..	Net Material Product
Jr.	..	Jonkheer (Netherlands); Junior	no.	..	number
			Nov.	..	November
			nr.	..	near
			n.r.t.	..	net registered tons

ABBREVIATIONS

N.S. . . . .	Nova Scotia	S.D. . . . .	South Dakota
N.S.W. . . .	New South Wales	SDR(s) . . .	Special Drawing Right(s)
N.V. . . . .	Naamloze Vennootschap (limited company)	Sec. . . . .	Secretary
N.Y. . . . .	New York	Sen. . . . .	Senior
N.Z. . . . .	New Zealand	Sept. . . . .	September
OAPEC . . . .	Organization of Arab Petroleum Exporting Countries	S.E.R. . . . .	Sua Eccellenza Reverendissima (His Eminence)
OAS . . . . .	Organization of American States	S.F.R.Y. . . .	Socialist Federal Republic of Yugoslavia
OAU . . . . .	Organization of African Unity	Sig. . . . .	Signore
O.B.E. . . . .	Officer of (the Order of) the British Empire	SITC . . . . .	Standard International Trade Classification
OCAM . . . . .	Organisation Commune Africaine et Mauricienne	S.J. . . . .	Society of Jesus
Oct. . . . .	October	Soc. . . . .	Society
Okla. . . . .	Oklahoma	SP . . . . .	São Paulo
On. . . . .	Onorevole (Honourable)	S.p.A. . . . .	Società per Azioni (joint stock company)
Ont. . . . .	Ontario	sq. . . . .	square
OPEC . . . . .	Organization of Petroleum Exporting Countries	Sr. . . . .	Senior; Señor
Ore. . . . .	Oregon	S.S.R. . . . .	Soviet Socialist Republic
Org. . . . .	Organization	St. . . . .	Saint; Street
ORIT . . . . .	Organización Regional Interamericana de Trabajadores	Sta. . . . .	Santa
p.a. . . . .	per annum	Ste. . . . .	Sainte
Pa. . . . .	Pennsylvania	subs. . . . .	subscriptions; subscribed
P.C. . . . .	Privy Counsellor	Supt. . . . .	Superintendent
P.E.I. . . . .	Prince Edward Island	Tas. . . . .	Tasmania
per. . . . .	perculok (lane, alley)	T.D. . . . .	Teachta Dála (Member of Parliament)
P.K. . . . .	Post Box (Turkish)	tech., techn. . .	technical
pl. . . . .	platz; place; ploshchad (square)	Tenn. . . . .	Tennessee
P.M.B. . . . .	Private Mail Bag	Tex. . . . .	Texas
P.O.B. . . . .	Post Office Box	Tit. . . . .	Titular
pr. . . . .	prospekt (avenue)	Treas. . . . .	Treasurer
Pres. . . . .	President	TV . . . . .	Television
Prof. . . . .	Professor	u/a . . . . .	unit of account
Propr. . . . .	Proprietor	U.A.R. . . . .	United Arab Republic
Prov. . . . .	Provisional; Provinciale (Dutch)	UDEAC . . . . .	Union Douanière et Economique de l'Afrique Centrale
Pty. . . . .	Proprietary	UIC . . . . .	Union Internationale des Chemins de Fer (International Union of Railways)
p.u. . . . .	paid up	U.K. . . . .	United Kingdom
publ. . . . .	publication; published	ul. . . . .	ulitsa (street)
Publr. . . . .	Publisher	UN . . . . .	United Nations
Q.C. . . . .	Queen's Counsel	UNCTAD . . . .	United Nations Conference on Trade and Development
Qld. . . . .	Queensland	UNDP . . . . .	United Nations Development Programme
Que. . . . .	Quebec	UNESCO . . . .	United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization
q.v. . . . .	quod vide (to which refer)	UNRWA . . . . .	United Nations Relief and Works Agency for Palestine Refugees in the Near East
R. (s) . . . .	rupee(s)	U.P. . . . .	Uttar Pradesh
reg., regd. . .	register; registered	U.S.A. . . . .	United States of America
reorg. . . . .	reorganized	U.S.S.R. . . . .	Union of Soviet Socialist Republics
Rep. . . . .	Republic; Republican; Representative	Va. . . . .	Virginia
Repub. . . . .	Republic	VEB . . . . .	Volkseigener Betrieb (public company)
res. . . . .	reserve(s)	VHF . . . . .	Very High Frequency
retd. . . . .	retired	Vic. . . . .	Victoria
Rev. . . . .	Reverend	vol. (s) . . . .	volume(s)
R.I. . . . .	Rhode Island	Vt. . . . .	Vermont
RJ . . . . .	Rio de Janeiro	W. . . . .	West; Western
Rp. (s) . . . .	rupiah(s)	W.A. . . . .	West Australia
R.S.F.S.R. . . .	Russian Soviet Federative Socialist Republic	Wash. . . . .	Washington (state)
R.S.R. . . . .	Republica Socialistă România (Socialist Republic of Romania)	WCL . . . . .	World Confederation of Labour
Rt. . . . .	Right	WFTU . . . . .	World Federation of Trade Unions
S. . . . .	South; Southern; San	WHO . . . . .	World Health Organization
S.A. . . . .	Société Anonyme, Sociedad Anónima (limited company); South Australia	Wis. . . . .	Wisconsin
S.A.R.L. . . . .	Sociedade Anónima de Responsabilidade Limitada (joint stock company of limited liability)	W.Va. . . . .	West Virginia
Sask. . . . .	Saskatchewan	Wy. . . . .	Wyoming
S.C. . . . .	South Carolina	yr. . . . .	year



# INTERNATIONAL COMPARISONS

The following tables provide a general comparison of population and economic statistics for every independent state (excluding the Vatican City) and every other territory with more than 25,000 inhabitants (excluding the Gaza Strip). An attempt has been made to provide comparable information under each heading and the figures presented refer to the latest period for which uniform data are available in each category.

Area figures refer to total area, including inland water. Unless otherwise indicated, population figures are mid-year estimates. Most of the data refer to *de facto* population (persons actually present in the area), though some are estimates of *de jure* population (persons normally resident). Figures for life expectancy are estimates, prepared in the Population Division of the United Nations, of the average number of years of life remaining to a new-born child if subject to the mortality conditions (recorded or assumed) of the period 1975-80. It should be stressed that the figures refer to the average life expectancy at birth for both sexes. In many developing countries mortality rates are high during the first few years of life, but persons who survive infancy have a life expectancy much greater than the average at birth. It is also noteworthy that in all developed countries the life expectancy of females is greater than that of males.

Figures for gross national product (G.N.P.) may be taken as indicators of the comparative sizes of the various national economies, while data on G.N.P. per head provide an index of the comparative wealth and poverty of the countries. Owing to unequal distribution of wealth, a figure for G.N.P. per head can by no means be taken as an average income. Sources are quoted at the end of the tables, but it must be stressed that the data on total G.N.P. and on G.N.P. per head are approximations and may be used only as a general index. In particular, a wide margin of error may be expected in estimates for centrally planned economies, and in figures for G.N.P. per head of less than \$300, where the subsistence sector is unusually important and the degree of precision tends to decrease as the ratio of subsistence production to total G.N.P. increases. Figures refer to G.N.P. at market prices, converted to U.S. dollars (using a weighted average for 1977-79), with totals usually rounded to the nearest ten of the unit employed. Data on G.N.P. per head are based on World Bank figures for population.

## EUROPEAN COUNTRIES

COUNTRY	AREA (sq. km.)	MID-1980 POPULATION ('000)	MID-1980 POPULATION DENSITY (per sq. km.)	AVERAGE POPULATION INCREASE, 1975-80 (% per year)	LIFE EXPECTANCY AT BIRTH, 1975-80 (years)	1978 GROSS NATIONAL PRODUCT (\$ million)	1978 G.N.P. PER HEAD (\$)
Albania . . . . .	28,748	2,732*	95	2.4	69.3	1,930	740
Andorra . . . . .	453	34	75	4.7	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Austria . . . . .	83,853	7,507	90	-0.0	71.7	56,450	7,520
Belgium . . . . .	30,513	9,859	323	0.1	71.8	95,450	9,700
Bulgaria . . . . .	110,912	8,862	80	0.3	72.0	28,310	3,210
Channel Islands . . . . .	195	131	672	0.5	n.a.	610	4,670
Cyprus <sup>1,2</sup> . . . . .	9,251	639	69	1.0	72.1	1,670	2,580
Czechoslovakia . . . . .	127,881	15,312	120	0.7	70.2	71,640	4,730
Denmark . . . . .	43,076	5,123	119	0.2	74.1	54,000	10,580
Faeroe Islands <sup>3</sup> . . . . .	1,399	44	31	1.4	73.9	390	9,210
Finland . . . . .	337,032	4,779	14	0.3	72.7	34,020	7,160
France . . . . .	547,026	53,713	98	0.4	73.7	473,030	8,880
German Democratic Rep. . . . .	108,177	16,737	155	-0.1	71.8	94,960	5,670
Germany, Federal Rep. <sup>4</sup> . . . . .	248,667	61,561	248	-0.1	71.8	631,590	10,300
Gibraltar . . . . .	5.5	30	5,416	-0.1	n.a.	110	3,840
Greece . . . . .	131,944	9,599	73	1.2	72.8	32,430	3,450
Greenland <sup>5</sup> . . . . .	2,175,600	50	0.02	0.0	n.a.	360	7,280
Hungary . . . . .	93,036	10,713	115	0.3	69.9	37,150	3,480
Iceland . . . . .	103,000	228	2.2	0.9	76.1	2,130	9,510
Ireland <sup>6,7</sup> . . . . .	70,283	3,365	48	1.5	72.2	12,280	3,810
Isle of Man . . . . .	588	64	109	1.6	n.a.	240	3,820
Italy . . . . .	301,225	57,042	189	0.4	72.5	260,940	4,600
Liechtenstein . . . . .	157	25	166	1.0	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Luxembourg <sup>7,8</sup> . . . . .	2,586	364	141	0.2	71.6	4,010	11,320
Malta . . . . .	316	364	1,152	2.1	71.0	770	2,310
Monaco <sup>6,7</sup> . . . . .	1.5	26	17,450	1.0	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Netherlands . . . . .	40,844	14,144	346	0.7	74.8	128,270	9,200
Norway . . . . .	324,219	4,086	13	0.4	75.0	38,790	9,560
Poland . . . . .	312,677	35,578	114	0.9	70.8	127,560	3,650
Portugal . . . . .	92,082	9,933	108	1.1	70.0	19,000	1,940
Romania . . . . .	237,500	22,201	93	0.9	70.4	36,190	1,650
San Marino <sup>9,10</sup> . . . . .	61	21	344	2.1	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Spain <sup>11</sup> . . . . .	504,782	37,430	74	1.0	72.8	146,940	3,960
Sweden . . . . .	449,964	8,311	18	0.3	75.3	87,260	10,540
Switzerland <sup>12</sup> . . . . .	41,293	6,329	153	n.a.	74.7	81,930	12,990
Turkey <sup>13</sup> . . . . .	780,576	45,218	58	2.3	60.5	53,890	1,250
U.S.S.R. . . . .	22,402,200	265,542	12	0.9	69.6	967,820	3,710
United Kingdom <sup>6,7</sup> . . . . .	244,103	55,883	229	-0.0	72.3	319,480	5,720
Yugoslavia . . . . .	255,804	22,344	87	0.9	69.4	46,140	2,100



## INTERNATIONAL COMPARISONS

## OTHER COUNTRIES

COUNTRY	AREA (sq. km.)	MID-1980 POPULATION ('000)	MID-1980 POPULATION DENSITY (per sq. km.)	AVERAGE POPULATION INCREASE, 1975-80 (% per year)	LIFE EXPECTANCY AT BIRTH, 1975-80 (years)	1978 GROSS NATIONAL PRODUCT (\$ million)	1978 G.N.P. PER HEAD (\$)
Afghanistan <sup>6</sup>	647,497	15,488	24	n.a.	40.5	2,290	160
Algeria <sup>14</sup>	2,381,741	18,525	7.8	n.a.	55.3	25,730	1,450
American Samoa <sup>5</sup>	197	32	162	2.0	n.a.	240	7,400
Angola <sup>16</sup>	1,246,700	6,761	5.4	n.a.	41.0	2,810	420
Antigua and Barbuda <sup>5</sup>	442	75	170	1.1	n.a.	70	1,000
Argentina <sup>16</sup>	2,776,880	27,863	10	n.a.	69.2	53,430	2,030
Australia	7,686,848	14,616	1.9	1.2	73.1	114,780	8,060
Bahamas <sup>6,17</sup>	13,935	223	16	n.a.	n.a.	520	2,320
Bahrain	622	364	585	n.a.	66.1	1,500	4,060
Bangladesh	143,998	88,656	616	2.3	45.8	7,280	90
Barbados <sup>17</sup>	431	249	578	n.a.	70.0	520	2,080
Belize <sup>6,17</sup>	22,965	145	6.3	n.a.	n.a.	120	900
Benin	112,622	3,567	32	2.8	45.9	740	220
Bermuda <sup>6,17</sup>	53	68	1,279	n.a.	n.a.	500	8,620
Bhutan	47,000	1,296*	28	2.2	43.3	90	80
Bolivia	1,098,581	5,600	5.1	2.7	48.6	2,700	510
Botswana	600,372	819	1.4	3.5	48.3	490	660
Brazil <sup>18</sup>	8,511,965	123,032	14	n.a.	61.8	180,020	1,510
Brunei <sup>6,8,7</sup>	5,765	213	37	7.0	n.a.	1,840	9,220
Burma <sup>6,7</sup>	676,552	32,913	49	2.2	52.5	4,480	140
Burundi <sup>19</sup>	27,834	3,992	143	n.a.	40.9	650	160
Cameroon	475,442	8,503	18	2.5	46.0	3,950	490
Canada	9,976,139	23,941	2.4	1.0	73.5	203,980	8,670
Cape Verde	4,033	324*	80	1.7	60.1	80	260
Central African Rep. <sup>20</sup>	622,984	2,055	3.3	n.a.	41.8	510	270
Chad <sup>9,10</sup>	1,284,000	4,309	3.4	2.3	39.8	650	150
Chile	756,945	11,104	15	1.7	65.7	15,770	1,470
China, People's Rep. <sup>21,22</sup>	9,561,000	982,550	103	1.3	67.3	219,010	230
China (Taiwan) <sup>23,24</sup>	35,961	17,619	490	1.9	68.2	19,800	1,180
Colombia	1,138,914	27,090	24	n.a.	62.2	22,990	900
Comoros (incl. Mayotte) <sup>25,26</sup>	2,171	370	170	4.6	46.0	80	200
Congo <sup>26,28</sup>	342,000	1,440	4.2	2.8	46.0	850	580
Costa Rica	50,700	2,245	44	2.7	69.7	3,390	1,610
Cuba	114,524	9,833	86	1.1	72.8	12,330	1,270
Djibouti	22,000	310*	14	7.4	n.a.	120	410
Dominica <sup>9,10,27</sup>	751	81	108	2.7	67.4	40	470
Dominican Republic	48,734	5,431	111	2.9	60.3	4,600	900
East Timor <sup>28,29,30</sup>	14,925	755*	51	2.3	42.5	100	150
Ecuador <sup>31</sup>	283,561	8,354	29	3.4	60.0	7,400	950
Egypt <sup>7,8</sup>	1,001,449	41,572	42	2.6	54.8	16,890	420
El Salvador <sup>7,8</sup>	21,041	4,485	229	2.6	62.2	2,760	640
Equatorial Guinea <sup>32</sup>	28,051	363*	13	2.3	46.0	100	310
Ethiopia	1,221,900	31,065	25	2.5	39.0	3,470	110
Fiji	18,274	631	35	2.1	71.3	900	1,490
French Guiana	91,000	64	0.7	2.7	n.a.	160	2,400
French Polynesia <sup>33</sup>	4,000	147*	37	2.2	56.7	820	5,550
Gabon	267,667	548*	2.0	1.0	43.5	2,130	3,370
Gambia	11,295	601	53	2.8	41.0	100	180
Ghana	238,537	11,450	48	3.0	48.3	4,160	380
Grenada <sup>7,8,27</sup>	344	110	320	0.9	67.4	60	570
Guadeloupe <sup>7,14</sup>	1,779	319	179	-0.5	69.3	960	2,930
Guam <sup>34,35,36</sup>	549	106	193	2.2	63.2	660	6,950
Guatemala	108,880	7,262	67	3.1	57.8	6,130	930
Guinea	245,857	5,014*	20	2.5	43.5	1,350	260
Guinea-Bissau <sup>37</sup>	36,125	777	22	n.a.	41.0	120	160
Guyana <sup>9,10</sup>	214,969	820	3.8	1.7	69.1	460	560
Haiti	27,750	5,009	181	1.8	50.7	1,150	240
Honduras	112,088	3,691	33	3.6	57.1	1,630	480
Hong Kong	1,045	5,068	4,850	2.9	76.0	15,400	3,340
India <sup>38,39,40</sup>	3,287,590	683,810	208	2.3	49.4	117,520	180

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COUNTRY	AREA (sq. km.)	MID-1980 POPULATION ( <sup>000</sup> )	MID-1980 POPULATION DENSITY (per sq. km.)	AVERAGE POPULATION INCREASE, 1975-80 (% per year)	LIFE EXPECTANCY AT BIRTH, 1975-80 (years)	1978 GROSS NATIONAL PRODUCT (\$ million)	1978 G.N.P. PER HEAD (\$)
Indonesia <sup>28, 41</sup>	1,904,345	147,383	77	n.a.	47.5	45,780	340
Iran <sup>32</sup>	1,648,000	37,447	23	2.6	53.5	69,170	2,060
Iraq <sup>7, 42</sup>	434,924	12,767	29	3.5	55.1	22,540	1,850
Israel <sup>43</sup>	20,770	3,871	186	2.3	72.0	13,760	3,730
Ivory Coast <sup>6, 7</sup>	322,463	7,920	25	4.0	46.0	7,460	950
Jamaica <sup>8</sup>	10,991	2,161	197	n.a.	70.1	2,540	1,190
Japan	372,313	116,782	314	0.9	75.6	884,500	7,700
Jordan <sup>44, 45, 46</sup>	97,740	2,779	28	3.2	60.1	2,370	1,100
Kampuchea <sup>29, 47</sup>	181,035	6,747*	37	-1.0	30.2	570	70
Kenya <sup>48</sup>	582,646	15,322	26	n.a.	53.5	5,180	350
Kiribati <sup>36, 49</sup>	861	56	65	n.a.	63.2	50	830
Korea, Dem. People's Rep.	120,538	17,892*	148	2.4	62.5	17,040	1,000
Korea, Republic <sup>50</sup>	98,484	37,449	380	1.5	62.5	48,000	1,310
Kuwait	17,818	1,356	76	6.2	69.2	19,410	15,970
Laos <sup>24, 51</sup>	236,800	3,427	14	n.a.	43.5	290	90
Lebanon <sup>29, 52</sup>	10,400	2,658*	256	-0.8	65.1	3,290	1,070
Lesotho	30,355	1,339	44	2.4	50.3	390	300
Liberia	111,369	1,873	17	3.5	52.9	790	460
Libya <sup>9, 7</sup>	1,759,540	2,856	1.6	4.1	55.4	19,820	7,210
Macau <sup>9, 10</sup>	16	271	16,938	1.5	n.a.	440	1,480
Madagascar	587,041	8,742*	15	2.6	46.0	2,100	250
Malawi	118,484	5,968	50	2.6	46.0	1,040	180
Malaysia	329,749	13,436	41	2.5	63.3	15,270	1,150
Maldives <sup>53</sup>	298	143	480	n.a.	n.a.	30	170
Mali	1,240,000	6,906	5.6	2.6	42.1	810	130
Martinique <sup>7, 14</sup>	1,102	308	279	-0.7	69.3	1,360	4,180
Mauritania <sup>54</sup>	1,030,700	1,634*	1.6	2.8	42.1	420	270
Mauritius	2,045	959	469	1.7	63.9	850	920
Mexico <sup>55</sup>	1,972,547	67,396	34	n.a.	64.4	91,910	1,400
Mongolia <sup>56, 57</sup>	1,565,000	1,595	1.0	2.9	62.5	1,100	700
Morocco <sup>54</sup>	446,550	20,242	45	3.2	55.4	12,890	680
Mozambique <sup>58</sup>	801,590	12,130	15	n.a.	46.0	2,380	240
Namibia <sup>59</sup>	824,292	1,009*	1.2	2.8	51.2	1,100	1,160
Nauru <sup>36, 60, 61</sup>	21	7	333	4.3	63.2	n.a.	n.a.
Nepal <sup>62</sup>	140,797	14,010	100	2.2	43.3	1,580	120
Netherlands Antilles <sup>5, 9, 10</sup>	961	246	256	0.7	n.a.	810	3,170
New Caledonia <sup>6, 7, 33</sup>	19,058	137	7.2	0.7	65.9	770	5,140
New Zealand <sup>21</sup>	268,676	3,164	12	n.a.	72.8	17,700	5,530
Nicaragua	130,000	2,703	21	n.a.	55.2	2,090	840
Niger <sup>9, 10</sup>	1,267,000	4,994	3.9	2.8	42.1	1,180	240
Nigeria <sup>63</sup>	923,768	77,082*	83	3.2	47.5	48,100	600
Oman <sup>60</sup>	212,457	600	2.8	n.a.	47.3	2,340	2,790
Pacific Islands							
(U.S. Trust Terr.) <sup>25, 26, 36</sup>	1,779	126	71	4.2	63.2	160	1,230
Pakistan <sup>9, 10, 64</sup>	803,943	76,770	95	3.0	50.8	18,250	240
Panama <sup>65</sup>	75,650	1,837	24	2.5	69.6	2,280	1,260
Panama Canal Zone <sup>32, 65</sup>	1,432				n.a.	230	5,820
Papua New Guinea <sup>6, 7</sup>	461,691	3,079	6.7	2.8	50.3	1,820	620
Paraguay <sup>6, 7</sup>	406,752	2,973	7.3	3.0	64.1	2,660	920
Peru	1,285,216	17,780	14	2.8	57.1	11,440	680
Philippines	300,000	48,400	161	n.a.	60.7	24,410	530
Puerto Rico <sup>34, 35</sup>	8,897	3,188	358	1.6	73.0	8,910	2,650
Qatar	11,000	237*	22	6.5	56.5	3,310	15,050
Réunion	2,510	491	196	0.6	64.8	1,900	3,740
Rwanda	26,338	5,046	192	n.a.	45.9	870	190
St. Christopher, Nevis and Anguilla <sup>5, 66</sup>	357	67*	188	0.3	n.a.	30	700
Saint Lucia <sup>27</sup>	616	120	195	1.4	67.4	90	730
Saint Vincent and the Grenadines <sup>27</sup>	388	122	314	n.a.	67.4	50	450

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COUNTRY	AREA (sq. km.)	MID-1980 POPULATION ('000)	MID-1980 POPULATION DENSITY (per sq. km.)	AVERAGE POPULATION INCREASE, 1975-80 (% per year)	LIFE EXPECTANCY AT BIRTH, 1975-80 (years)	1978 GROSS NATIONAL PRODUCT (\$ million)	1978 G.N.P. PER HEAD (\$)
São Tomé and Príncipe	964	85*	88	1.2	n.a.	43	410
Saudi Arabia	2,149,690	8,960*	4.2	4.2	53.0	54,200	6,590
Senegal <sup>6,7</sup>	196,192	5,508	28	2.6	42.1	1,930	360
Seychelles <sup>5,6,7</sup>	308	63	205	2.1	n.a.	80	1,250
Sierra Leone <sup>44</sup>	71,740	3,111	43	n.a.	45.9	740	230
Singapore <sup>35,67</sup>	581	2,414	4,155	1.5	70.8	7,600	3,260
Solomon Islands <sup>5,7,34,33</sup>	28,446	221	7.8	3.9	41.1	80	390
Somalia <sup>34</sup>	637,657	4,637*	7.3	7.9	42.5	430	120
South Africa <sup>44,45,59</sup>	1,221,037	26,129	21	2.6	60.3	43,760	1,580
Spanish N. Africa <sup>11,29,30,60</sup>	32	129	4,030	n.a.	n.a.	90	720
Sri Lanka	65,610	14,738	225	1.8	65.0	2,870	200
Sudan <sup>44,68</sup>	2,505,813	16,126	6.4	2.5	46.5	5,900	340
Suriname <sup>69</sup>	163,265	352	2.2	n.a.	67.2	850	2,180
Swaziland	17,363	547	32	2.5	45.9	310	580
Syria	185,180	8,979	48	3.8	64.4	7,820	960
Tanzania <sup>6,70</sup>	945,087	17,982	19	n.a.	50.5	4,130	240
Thailand	514,000	47,170	90	2.4	60.2	23,390	530
Togo <sup>6,7</sup>	56,785	2,472	44	2.6	46.0	770	320
Tonga <sup>33</sup>	699	97	139	n.a.	55.2	40	400
Trinidad and Tobago <sup>6,7</sup>	5,130	1,156	225	1.7	68.9	3,410	3,010
Tunisia <sup>6,7</sup>	163,610	6,367	39	3.2	57.9	6,010	990
Tuvalu <sup>36,71</sup>	25	7	292	n.a.	63.2	n.a.	n.a.
Uganda <sup>6,7,72</sup>	236,036	13,225	56	3.4	52.5	3,470	280
United Arab Emirates <sup>73</sup>	83,600	1,040	12	n.a.	61.5	12,180	15,020
U.S.A.	9,363,123	227,640	24	n.a.	72.9	2,135,010	9,770
U.S. Virgin Is. <sup>35</sup>	344	95	276	4.3	n.a.	530	5,100
Upper Volta	274,200	6,908*	25	2.6	42.1	880	160
Uruguay	176,215	2,899	16	0.6	69.5	5,170	1,790
Vanuatu <sup>33,74</sup>	14,763	112	7.6	n.a.	44.6	50	530
Venezuela <sup>18</sup>	912,050	13,913	15	3.0	66.2	39,880	2,850
Viet-Nam <sup>32,75</sup>	332,559	52,742	159	n.a.	52.7	7,750	160
Western Sahara <sup>6,7,54</sup>	266,000	165	0.6	8.9	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Western Samoa <sup>5,33</sup>	2,842	156	55	0.7	n.a.	50	350
Yemen Arab Rep.	195,000	5,812*	30	1.9	41.3	2,301	410
Yemen, People's Dem. Rep.	332,968	1,969	5.9	3.1	44.0	780	450
Zaire <sup>6,7</sup>	2,345,409	27,869	12	2.9	46.0	6,480	240
Zambia <sup>76</sup>	752,614	5,680	7.5	n.a.	48.3	2,720	510
Zimbabwe	390,580	7,360	19	3.2	53.5	3,330	480

\* United Nations estimate.

<sup>1</sup> Figures for population and density refer to mid-1974.

<sup>2</sup> The population increase rate refers to 1970-74.

<sup>3</sup> The figure for life expectancy is the 1965-70 average for the Faeroe Islands and Iceland.

<sup>4</sup> Figures include data for West Berlin.

<sup>5</sup> Although no estimates are available of 1975-80 life expectancy for both sexes, the UN *Demographic Yearbook* includes separate figures of life expectancy for males and females at another date.

<sup>6</sup> Figures for population and density refer to mid-1979.

<sup>7</sup> The population increase rate refers to 1975-79.

<sup>8</sup> Figures for population and density refer to December 31st, 1979.

<sup>9</sup> Figures for population and density refer to mid-1978.

<sup>10</sup> The population increase rate refers to 1975-78.

<sup>11</sup> Data for Spanish North Africa (Ceuta and Melilla) are also included with the figures for Spain.

<sup>12</sup> Figures for population and density refer to the census of December 2nd, 1980.

<sup>13</sup> Figures for population and density refer to the census of October 12th, 1980.

<sup>14</sup> Figures for population and density refer to January 1st, 1980.

<sup>15</sup> Figures for population and density refer to December 31st, 1975.

<sup>16</sup> Figures for population and density refer to the census of September 22nd, 1980.

<sup>17</sup> Figures for population and density refer to the census of May 12th, 1980.

<sup>18</sup> Population figures exclude Indian jungle inhabitants.

<sup>19</sup> Figures for population and density refer to the census of August 16th-30th, 1979.

<sup>20</sup> Figures for population and density refer to the census of December 8th-22nd, 1975.

<sup>21</sup> Figures for population and density refer to December 31st, 1980.

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- <sup>22</sup> The figure for life expectancy refers to the whole of China, including Taiwan.
- <sup>23</sup> The estimate of life expectancy refers to 1965-70.
- <sup>24</sup> Figures for G.N.P. refer to 1977 and are estimated on a 1976-78 base period.
- <sup>25</sup> Figures for population and density refer to mid-1977.
- <sup>26</sup> The population increase rate refers to 1970-77.
- <sup>27</sup> The figure for life expectancy is the average for the Windward Islands (Dominica, Grenada, Saint Lucia and Saint Vincent and the Grenadines).
- <sup>28</sup> East (formerly Portuguese) Timor, listed separately, was incorporated into Indonesia on July 17th, 1976. Figures listed here for Indonesia, except the data on area and life expectancy, include East Timor.
- <sup>29</sup> Figures for G.N.P. refer to 1974.
- <sup>30</sup> Figures for G.N.P. are estimated on a 1973-75 base period.
- <sup>31</sup> Population figures exclude nomadic Indian tribes.
- <sup>32</sup> Figures for G.N.P. refer to 1976 and are estimated on a 1975-77 base period.
- <sup>33</sup> The estimate of life expectancy refers to 1965.
- <sup>34</sup> Figures for population and density refer to the census of April 1st, 1980.
- <sup>35</sup> The population increase rate refers to 1970-80.
- <sup>36</sup> The figure for life expectancy is the average for Micronesia.
- <sup>37</sup> Figures for population and density refer to the census of April 16th-29th, 1979.
- <sup>38</sup> Figures for population and density refer to the census of March 1st, 1981.
- <sup>39</sup> The population increase rate refers to 1971-81.
- <sup>40</sup> Figures include the Indian-held part of Jammu and Kashmir.
- <sup>41</sup> Figures for population and density refer to the census of October 31st, 1980.
- <sup>42</sup> Figures for population and density refer to October 14th, 1979.
- <sup>43</sup> Including East Jerusalem, annexed from Jordan in 1967. Population figures also include Israeli residents in other territories under military occupation.
- <sup>44</sup> Figures for population and density refer to mid-1976.
- <sup>45</sup> The population increase rate refers to 1970-76.
- <sup>46</sup> G.N.P. per head relates to the East Bank only.
- <sup>47</sup> Figures for G.N.P. are estimated on a 1972-74 base period.
- <sup>48</sup> Figures for population and density refer to the census of August 1979.
- <sup>49</sup> Figures for population and density refer to the census of December 12th, 1978.
- <sup>50</sup> Figures for population and density refer to the census of October 1st, 1980.
- <sup>51</sup> Figures for population and density refer to December 31st, 1977.
- <sup>52</sup> Figures for G.N.P. are estimated on a 1974-76 base period.
- <sup>53</sup> Figures for population and density refer to the census of January 1st, 1978.
- <sup>54</sup> Western (formerly Spanish) Sahara, listed separately, was partitioned in 1976 between Mauritania and Morocco. Mauritania withdrew in August 1979, when Morocco annexed the former Mauritanian area. Figures listed here for these countries exclude their respective portions of the territory.
- <sup>55</sup> Figures for population and density refer to the census of June 4th, 1980.
- <sup>56</sup> Figures for population and density refer to the census of January 5th, 1979.
- <sup>57</sup> The population increase rate refers to 1969-79.
- <sup>58</sup> Figures for population and density refer to the census of August 1st, 1980.
- <sup>59</sup> The area and population of Walvis Bay, an integral part of South Africa, are included with Namibia.
- <sup>60</sup> Figures for population and density refer to mid-1972.
- <sup>61</sup> The population increase rate refers to 1963-72.
- <sup>62</sup> Figures for population and density refer to June 22nd, 1980.
- <sup>63</sup> Population estimates are UN projections which assume stable growth and take no account of the effect of civil disturbances.
- <sup>64</sup> Figures exclude the disputed territory of Jammu and Kashmir (total area 222,802 sq. km., of which 83,807 sq. km. is held by Pakistan).
- <sup>65</sup> The Panama Canal Zone, listed separately, reverted to Panamanian jurisdiction on October 1st, 1979.
- <sup>66</sup> Figures for G.N.P. exclude Anguilla, which became a separate British dependency on December 19th, 1980.
- <sup>67</sup> Figures for population and density refer to the census of June 24th, 1980.
- <sup>68</sup> The population increase rate refers to 1973-76.
- <sup>69</sup> Figures for population and density refer to the census of July 1980.
- <sup>70</sup> Figures for G.N.P. refer to mainland Tanzania only, excluding Zanzibar (population 453,000 at mid-1978).
- <sup>71</sup> Figures for population and density refer to the census of May 1979.
- <sup>72</sup> Figures for population and increase rate assume stable growth and take no account of emigration.
- <sup>73</sup> Figures for population and density refer to the census of December 1980.
- <sup>74</sup> Figures for population and density refer to the census of January 15th-16th, 1979.
- <sup>75</sup> Figures for population and density refer to the census of October 1st, 1979.
- <sup>76</sup> Figures for population and density refer to the census of September 1st, 1980.

*Principal Sources:* Population estimates taken from the United Nations *Population and Vital Statistics Report and World Population Prospects as Assessed in 1980* (Population Studies, No. 78); figures for area taken from the United Nations *Demographic Yearbook 1979*; data on life expectancy taken mainly from *World Population Prospects*; estimates of gross national product and G.N.P. per head taken from *World Bank Atlas* (International Bank for Reconstruction and Development, 1981).

## LATE INFORMATION

### UNITED NATIONS (p. 3)

In December 1981 Señor JAVIER PÉREZ DE CUÉLLAR (Peru) was elected by the Security Council to serve as UN Secretary-General for five years from January 1st, 1982.

#### International Court of Justice (p. 14)

The following five judges were elected by the Security Council and the General Assembly, meeting concurrently, to serve nine-year terms from February 1982:

GUY LADREIT DE LACHARRIÈRE (France).  
 ROBERT JENNINGS (United Kingdom).  
 KEBA MBAYE (Senegal).  
 NAGENDRA SINGH (India).  
 JOSÉ MARÍA RUDA (Argentina).

#### Food and Agriculture Organization (p. 33)

In November 1981 EDOUARD SAOUMA was re-elected as Dir.-Gen. and EDWARD M. WEST was elected as Deputy Dir.-Gen. Bhutan, Equatorial Guinea, Saint Vincent and the Grenadines, Tonga and Zimbabwe were admitted as members, bringing total FAO membership to 152 countries.

### ALBANIA (p. 403)

On December 18th, 1981, MEHMET SHEHU, Chairman of the Council of Ministers and Member of the Politburo, was reported to have committed suicide. On January 14th, 1982, it was announced that he was to be replaced by the First Deputy Chairman, ADIL ÇARÇANI.

### BELGIUM

#### Government changes (p. 452)

A new coalition, led by the Christian Social Party, was formed in December 1981.

**Prime Minister:** WILFRIED MARTENS (CVP).  
**Deputy Prime Minister, Minister of Justice and Institutional Reforms:** JEAN GOL (PRL).  
**Deputy Prime Minister, Minister of Finance and Minister of Foreign Trade:** WILLY DE CLERCQ (PVV).  
**Deputy Prime Minister, Minister of the Interior and Public Service:** CHARLES-FERDINAND NOTHOMB (PSC).  
**Minister of Foreign Affairs:** LEO TINDEMANS (CVP).  
**Minister of Economic Affairs:** MARK EYSKENS (CVP).  
**Minister of Public Works:** LOUIS OLIVIER (PRL).  
**Minister of Posts and Telecommunications:** HERMAN DE CROO (PVV).  
**Minister of Employment and Labour:** MICHEL HANSENNE (PSC).  
**Ministers of Education:** (Flemish sector) DANIEL COENS (CVP); (French sector) MICHEL TROMONT (PRL).  
**Minister for the Budget, Scientific Policy and Planning:** PHILIPPE MAYSTADT (PSC).  
**Minister for the Brussels Region and Minister of the Middle Classes:** ALBERT DEMUYTER (PRL).  
**Minister of National Defence:** FREDDY VREVEN (PVV).  
**Minister of Social Affairs and Institutional Reforms:** JEAN LUC DEHAENE (CVP).

There are ten Secretaries of State.

### DENMARK

#### General Election (p. 554) (December 8th, 1981)

PARTY	SEATS	% OF VOTES
Social Democratic . . . . .	59	32.9
Conservative . . . . .	26	14.4
Socialist People's Party . . . . .	21	11.3
Liberals . . . . .	20	11.3
Progress Party . . . . .	16	8.9
Centre Democrats . . . . .	15	8.3
Radical Liberals . . . . .	9	5.1
Left Socialists . . . . .	5	2.6
Christian People's Party . . . . .	4	2.3

A new Social Democratic minority government was formed on December 30th, 1981.

**Prime Minister:** ANKER JØRGENSEN.  
**Minister for Foreign Affairs:** KJELD OLESEN.  
**Minister of Finance:** KNUD HEINESEN.  
**Minister for Economic Affairs:** IVAR NØRGAARD.  
**Minister of Industry:** ERLING JENSEN.  
**Minister for Social Affairs:** BENT HANSEN.  
**Minister of Public Works:** JENS KRISTIAN HANSEN.  
**Minister of Education:** DORTE BENNESEN.  
**Minister for Cultural Affairs and for Nordic Affairs:** LISE ØSTERGAARD.  
**Minister of Defence:** POUL SØGAARD.  
**Minister of Labour:** SVEND AUKEN.  
**Minister of Housing:** ERLING OLSEN.  
**Minister of Fisheries:** KARL HJORTNÆS.  
**Minister of Energy:** POUL NIELSON.  
**Minister of the Interior:** HENNING RASMUSSEN.  
**Minister of the Environment:** ERIK HOLST.  
**Minister of Justice:** OLE ESPERSEN.  
**Minister for Ecclesiastical Affairs and for Greenland:** TOVE LINDBO LARSEN.  
**Minister of Agriculture:** BJØRN WESTH.  
**Minister of Inland Revenue:** MOGENS LYKKETOFT.

### MALTA

#### General Election (p. 916) (December 12th, 1981)

PARTY	VOTES	SEATS
Malta Labour Party . . . . .	109,990	34
Nationalist Party . . . . .	114,127	31
Independent . . . . .	n.a.	—

### POLAND (p. 1003)

On December 13th, 1981, martial law was imposed. A Military Council for National Salvation was formed, comprising the following members:

**Chairman:** Gen. WOJCIECH JARUZELSKI.

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**Members:**

Lt.-Gen. FLORIAN SIWICKI.  
Lt.-Gen. TADEUSZ TUCZAPSKI.  
Lt.-Gen. EUGENIUSZ MOLCZYK.  
Admiral LUDWIK JANCZYSZYN.  
Lt.-Gen. CZESŁAW KISZCZAK.  
Lt.-Gen. TADEUSZ HUPAŁOWSKI.  
Lt.-Gen. CZESŁAW PIOTROWSKI.  
Lt.-Gen. JÓZEF BARYLA.  
Lt.-Gen. WŁODZIMIERZ OLIWA.  
Lt.-Gen. HENRYK RAPACEWICZ.  
Lt.-Gen. JÓZEF UZYCKI.  
Lt.-Gen. TADEUSZ KREPSKI.  
Lt.-Gen. LONGIN LOZOWICKI.  
Maj.-Gen. MICHAŁ JANISZEWSKI.  
Maj.-Gen. JERZY JAROSZ.  
Col. TADEUSZ MAKAREWICZ.  
Col. KAZIMIERZ GARBACIK.  
Col. in reserve ROMAN LESUA.  
Lt.-Col. JERZY WŁOSINSKI.  
Lt.-Col. MIROSLAW HERMASZEWSKI.

On December 15th the Minister of Science, Higher Education and Technology, JERZY NAWROCKI, was reported to have resigned. MIECZYSLAW KAZIMIERCZUK was appointed Acting Minister.

**ROMANIA** (p. 1058)

In January 1982 EMIL BOBU was appointed as a Deputy Chairman of the Council of Ministers.

**YUGOSLAVIA** (p. 1432)

In January 1982 the Collective Presidency nominated MILKA PLANINC to succeed VESELIN DJURANOVIĆ as President of the Federal Executive Council.

**ALGERIA**

**Government change** (p. 1479)  
(January 1982)

**Minister of Finance:** BOUALEM BEN HAMOUDA.

**Minister of the Interior:** M'HAMED YALA.

**Minister of Heavy Industry:** KASDI MERBAH.

**Minister of Posts and Telecommunications:** BACHIR ROUIS.

**Minister of Youth and Sports:** ABDENOUR BEKKA.

**Minister of Culture:** ABDELMADJID MEZIANE.

**Minister of Vocational Training:** MOHAMED NABI.

**AUSTRALIA** (p. 1554)

In January 1982 it was announced that Sir NINIAN STEPHEN would become Governor-General in July.

**BERMUDA**

**Government change** (p. 1714)  
(January 1982)

**Premier:** JOHN SWAN.

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