



India

Country Official Name: Republic of India
Capital: New Delhi

Geodata

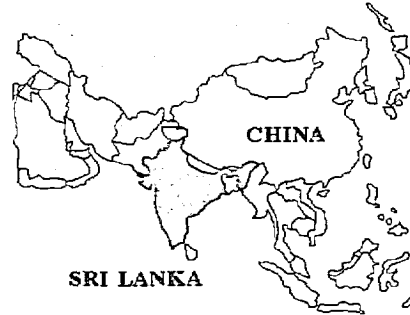
Area: 3 287 590 km²

Population: 866 million (92),
growth 1.9%

Natural Resources: coal, iron ore,
manganese, mica, bauxite, titanium,
chromate

Major Religions: 83% Hindu,
11% Muslim, 2.4% Christian,
2% Sikh, 1.6% other

Major Language(s): Hindi, English
and 14 other official languages;
many others



Political Data

Type of Government:
Federal republic

Leaders:
President
Shankar Dayal Sharma

Prime Minister
P.V. Narasimha Rao

Minister of External Affairs
Dinesh Singh

Democratic Institutions:
Bicameral parliament, multiparty

UN Human Development Index:
134/173 (low)

Economic Data

GDP (per capita):
US \$ 320 (91),
growth 5% (FY 92-93) est.

Main Exports:
gems & jewellery, engineering
goods, iron, tea, coffee,
fish products

Main Imports:
petroleum, edible oils, textiles,
clothing, capital goods

Export to Canada:
C \$ 278.3 million (92)

Import from Canada:
C \$ 510.1 million (92)

External Debt:
US \$ 71.6 billion (91)

Main Donors:
Germany, U.K., Japan

Canadian ODA:
C \$ 115.65 million (FY 91-92) est.