



Namibia

Country Official Name: Republic of Namibia
Capital: Windhoek

Geodata

Area: 824 290 km²

Population: 1 574 927 (92),
growth 3.5%

Natural Resources: diamonds,
metals, minerals, fisheries

Major Religions: Christian

Major Language(s): Afrikaans,
English (official), Ovambo, German



Political Data

Type of Government:
Republic

Leaders:
President
Sam Nujoma

Prime Minister
Hage Geingob

Minister of Foreign Affairs
Theo-Ben Gurirab

Democratic Institutions:
Bicameral parliament, multiparty

UN Human Development Index:
135/173 (low)

Economic Data

GDP (per capita):
US \$ 1400, growth 5.1% (91)

Main Exports:
diamonds, uranium, gold,
copper, meat, fish, zinc,
cattle, Karakuiskins

Main Imports:
foodstuffs, consumer goods,
machinery, petroleum products
and fuel

Export to Canada:
C \$ 20.6 million (92)

Import from Canada:
C \$ 1.6 million (92)

External Debt:
US \$ 250 million

Main Donors:
none

Canadian ODA:
C \$ 2.26 million (FY 91-92) est.