

Tanzania

Country Official Name: United Republic of Tanzania
Capital: Dar es Salaam



Geodata

Area: 945 090 km²

Population: 27 791 552 (92),
growth 3.4%

Natural Resources: hydro power,
tin, phosphates, iron ore, coal,
diamonds, gemstones, gold

Major Religions: 33% Christian,
33% Animist, 33% Muslim

Major Language(s): Swahili,
English (both official)



Political Data

Type of Government:
Republic

Leaders:
President
Ali Hassan Mwinyi

Minister for Foreign Affairs and
International Co-operation
Joseph Rwegasira

Democratic Institutions:
Unicameral parliament,
in transition to multiparty system

UN Human Development Index:
138/173 (low)

Economic Data

GDP (per capita):
US \$ 260 (89), growth 4.5% (91) est.

Main Exports:
coffee, cotton, sisal, cashew nuts,
meat, tobacco, diamonds, gold,
coconut products

Main Imports:
manufactured goods, machinery
and transportation equipment,
crude oil, foodstuffs

Export to Canada:
C \$ 2.8 million (92)

Import from Canada:
C \$ 16.1 million (92)

External Debt:
US \$ 6.5 billion (91)

Main Donors:
Sweden, Norway, Denmark

Canadian ODA:
C \$ 55.33 million (FY 91-92) est.