

Table B-7 – International Comparisons (cont'd)

Country	Population (millions)	Population density	Gross domestic product	Per capita income	Life expectancy at birth	Infant mortality per 1000 births (1977)	Physicians per 100,000 (1977)	Literacy rate (1977)	Teachers per 1,000 (1977)
Ireland	3.365	121.8 per sq mi	4 billion (1978)	\$2,711 (1977)	68.77 male 73.52 female (1972)	15.7	116	99%	30
Italy	56.877	487.52 per sq mi	\$260.11 billion (1978)	\$3,076 (1977)	68.97 male 74.88 female (1972)	17.6	208	94%	42
Japan	115.880	800.24 per sq mi	\$973.90 billion (1978)	\$7,153 (1978)	72.15 male 73.8 female (1976)	8.9	119	99%	25
United Kingdom	55.901	592.48 per sq mi	\$309.65 (1978)	\$4,955 (1978)	67.8 male 73.8 female (1970)	14.0	153	99%	45
United States	222.020	119 per sq mi	\$2,343.56 (1979)	\$8,612 (1978)	68.7 male 76.5 female (1975)	14.0	176	99%	43

Source: *The World Almanac and Book of Facts, 1981.*