



Western Samoa

Country Official Name: Independent State of Western Samoa

Capital: Apia

Geodata

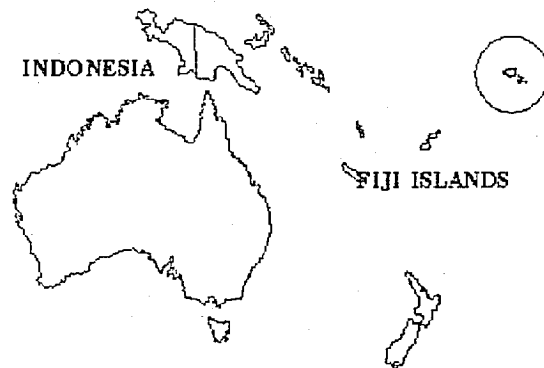
Area: 2860 km²

Population: 194 992 (92),
growth 2.4%

Natural Resources: hardwood
forests, fish

Major Religions: 99.7% Christian

Major Language(s): Samoan
(Polynesian), English



Political Data

Type of Government:
Constitutional monarchy
under native chief

Leaders:
(Chief) Malietoa Tanu-Mafili II

Prime Minister and Minister of
Broadcasting, Foreign Affairs,
Justice, Labour, Police and Prisons:
Tofilau Eti Alesana

Democratic Institutions:
Unicameral national legislature

UN Human Development Index:
N/A

Economic Data

GDP (per capita):
US \$ 620 (90), growth -4.5% (90) est.

Main Exports:
coconut oil, coconut cream,
taro, cocoa, copra

Main Imports:
machinery, food, capital goods

Export to Canada:
no data available

Import from Canada:
C \$ 0.22 million (92)

External Debt:
US \$ 140.3 million (91)

Main Donors:
Japan, Australia, New Zealand

Canadian ODA:
C \$ 0.27 million (FY 93-94) est.