

# MOZAMBIQUE

Capital: Maputo

## GEODATA

### Area

799,380 km<sup>2</sup>

### Major languages

Portuguese (official), Tsonga, Sena-Nyania, Makua-Lomwe

### Major religious groups

Indigenous beliefs (50%), Christian (30%), Muslim (20%)

### Surrounding countries

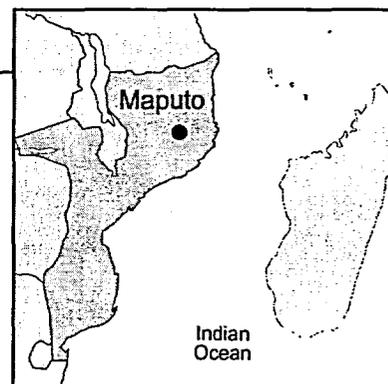
Malawi, South Africa, Swaziland, Tanzania, Zambia, Zimbabwe

### Population

19.4 million (2001 est.)

### Population growth rate

1.3% (2001 est.)



## POLITICAL DATA

### Type of government

Republic

### National legislature

Single chamber: Assembly of the Republic; multiparty

### Leaders

President Joachim Alberto Chissano  
Prime Minister Pascoal Mocumbi

### Minister of Foreign Affairs

Leonardo Santos Simao

### Minister of International Trade

Carlos Morgado

### UN Human Development Index (2001)

Mozambique ranks 157th among 162 countries

### Canadian official development assistance

\$24 million (2000-01)

## ECONOMIC DATA

### GDP

\$3.2 billion US (2001 est.)

### GDP growth rate

9.2% (2001 est.)

### GDP per capita

\$219 US (2000 est.)

### Main exports

Prawns, cotton, cashews, timber

### Main imports

Machinery, vehicles and spare parts, fuel

### Main exports to Canada

\$800,000 (2000), including electrical machinery, fruit and nuts, fish and seafood

### Main imports from Canada

\$12.2 million (2000), including used clothing, books and brochures, machinery

### Inflation rate

11% (2000)

### Unemployment rate

Not available

### Canadian Representative

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