

HAITI

Capital: Port-au-Prince

GEODATA

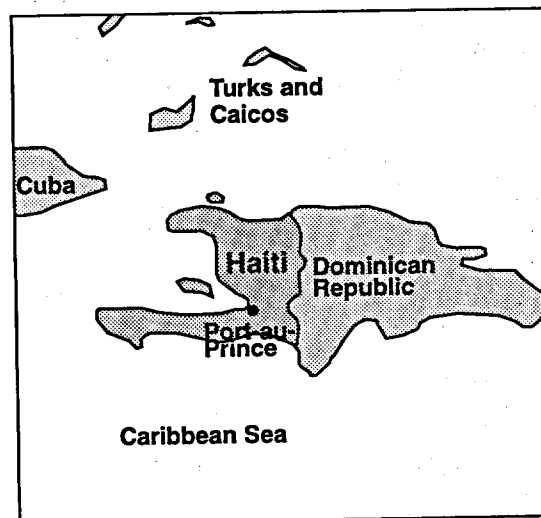
Area
27,750 km²

Population
6.9 million (1994)

Population growth
0.4 % (1994)

Major languages
French (official), Creole

Major religions
Catholic (80%), Protestant (16%), voodoo



POLITICAL DATA

Type of government
Republic

Leaders
President Jean-Bertrand Aristide
Prime Minister Claudette Werleigh

Democratic institutions
Bicameral national assembly

UN Human Development Index
Haiti ranks 148th among 174 countries

CANADIAN REPRESENTATIVE

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ECONOMIC DATA

GDP
\$1.7 billion US (1994 est.)

GDP growth rate
-10.6% (1994 est.)

GDP per capita
\$240 US (1994 est.)

Main exports
Manufactured goods, coffee

Main imports
Machinery, foodstuffs and beverages, oil, chemical products

Main exports to Canada
\$400,000 (1994), including cotton sacks, leather and fruits

Main imports from Canada
\$6 millions (1994), including fish, milk and flour

Canadian bilateral assistance
\$19.06 million (1993-94)