

UGANDA

Capital: Kampala

GEODATA

Area
236,040 km²

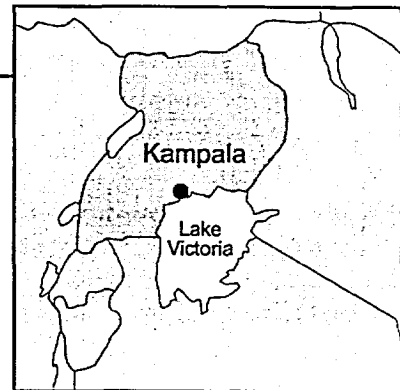
Major languages
English (official), Luganda, Swahili, Bantu

Major religious groups
Christian (66%), indigenous beliefs (18%), Muslim (16%)

Surrounding countries
Democratic Republic of Congo, Ethiopia, Kenya, Rwanda, Sudan, Tanzania

Population
22.2 million (2000 est.)

Population growth rate
2.7% (2000 est.)



POLITICAL DATA

Type of government
Republic

National legislature
Single chamber: National Assembly; multiparty

Leaders
President Yoweri Kaguta Museveni
Prime Minister Apollo Nsubambi

Minister of Foreign Affairs
James Wapakhabulo

Minister of International Trade
Edward Rugumayo

UN Human Development Index (2001)
Uganda ranks 141st among 162 countries

Canadian official development assistance
\$23.31 million (2000-01)

ECONOMIC DATA

GDP
\$5.7 billion US (2000)

GDP growth rate
6% (2000 est.)

GDP per capita
\$230 US (2000)

Inflation rate
3.4% (2000)

Unemployment rate
Not available

Main exports
Coffee, tea, tobacco

Main imports
Machinery, chemical products, transport equipment

Main exports to Canada
\$1.77 million (2000), including coffee, electrical machinery, fish

Main imports from Canada
\$3.56 million (2000), including organic and chemical products, used clothing, machinery

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