Singapore

Country Official Name: Republic of Singapore Capital: Singapore

Geodata Area: 632.6 km²

Population: 2.8 million (92), growth 1.3%

Natural Resources: fish (limited stocks), deepwater ports

Major Religions: Buddhist (Chinese), Muslim (Malays), Hindus (Indian)

Major Language(s): Chinese, Malay, Tamil, English (all official); Malay predominates, English language of commerce



Political Data Type of Government: Republic

Leaders: President Wee Kim Wee

Prime Minister Goh Chok Tong

Foreign Minister Wong Kan Seng

Democratic Institutions: Unicameral parliamentary democracy

UN Human Development Index: 43/173 (high)

Economic Data GDP (per capita): US \$ 14 200, growth 6.5% (91)

Main Exports: petroleum products, rubber, electronics, manufactured goods

Main Imports: capital equipment, petroleum, chemicals, foodstuffs, manufactured goods

Export to Canada: C \$ 644.7 million (92)

Import from Canada: C \$ 319.3 million (92)

External Debt: US \$ 3.8 billion (91) est.

Main Donors: Japan, United States, France

Canadian ODA: C \$ 0.45 million (FY 91-92) est.