

# COUNTRY PROFILE

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## RWANDA

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**Subregion** East Africa  
**Income group** Low income

### PEOPLE

Population (millions) <sup>1</sup>	11.61 (2015)	15.78 (2030)
Urban <sup>2</sup>	29% (2015)	42% (2030)
Rural <sup>2</sup>	71% (2015)	58% (2030)
Population growth <sup>1</sup> (annual)	2.3% (2015)	1.8% (2030)
Human Development Index rank <sup>3</sup>	163/188 Low human development	
Languages <sup>19</sup>	Kinyarwanda only (official, universal Bantu vernacular) 93.2%, Kinyarwanda and other language(s) 6.2%, French (official) and other language(s) 0.1%, English (official) and other language(s) 0.1%, Swahili (or Kiswahili, used in commercial centers) 0.02%, other 0.03%, unspecified 0.3% (2002 est.)	
Religion <sup>19</sup>	Roman Catholic 49.5%, Protestant 39.4% (includes Adventist 12.2% and other Protestant 27.2%), other Christian 4.5%, Muslim 1.8%, animist 0.1%, other 0.6%, none 3.6% (2001), unspecified 0.5% (2002 est.)	

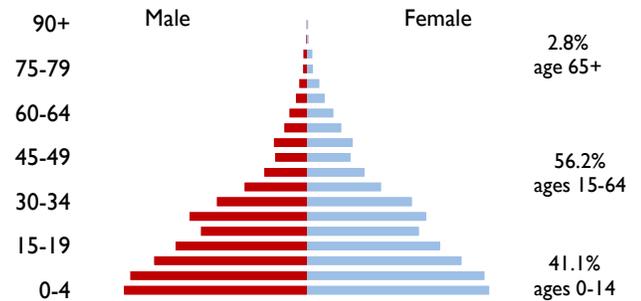
### GOVERNMENT

Capital <sup>19</sup>	Kigali
Government type <sup>19</sup>	Presidential republic
Head of State <sup>19</sup>	President Paul KAGAME (since 22 April 2000)
Head of Govt <sup>19</sup>	Prime Minister Anastase MUREKEZI (since 24 July 2014)
Legislature <sup>19</sup>	Bicameral Parliament consists of the Senate or Senat and the Chamber of Deputies or Chambre des Deputes
Females in Parliament <sup>4</sup>	64% (2015)
Corruption Perceptions Index rank <sup>5</sup>	44/167 (2015)
Ibrahim Index rank <sup>6</sup>	9/54 (2015)
Land area (sq km) <sup>7</sup>	24,670 (The size of Maryland)

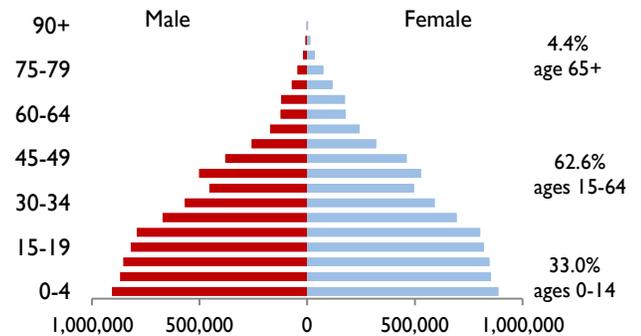
### OFFICIAL DEVELOPMENT ASSISTANCE

From all donors (US\$ millions, net) <sup>8</sup>	\$1,034.0 (2014)
as % of income <sup>7</sup>	13.13% (2014)
per capita <sup>18</sup>	\$91.2 (2014)
From U.S. (US\$ millions) <sup>8</sup>	\$157.5 (2014)

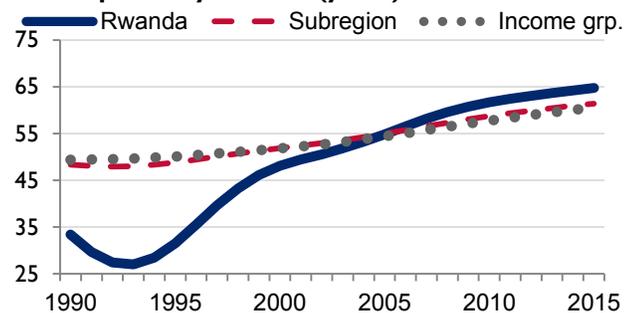
### 2015 population<sup>1</sup>



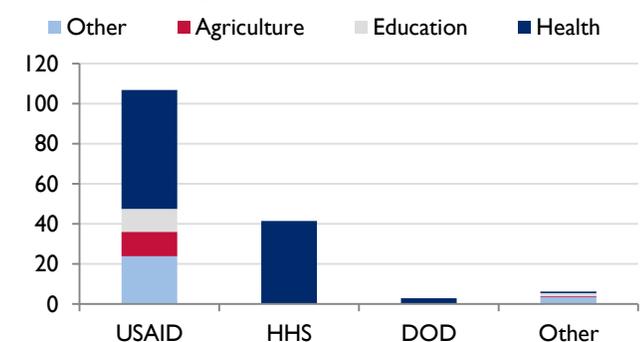
### 2030 population<sup>1</sup>



### Life expectancy at birth (years)<sup>1</sup>



### U.S. ODA by agency (US\$ millions, gross), 2014<sup>18</sup>



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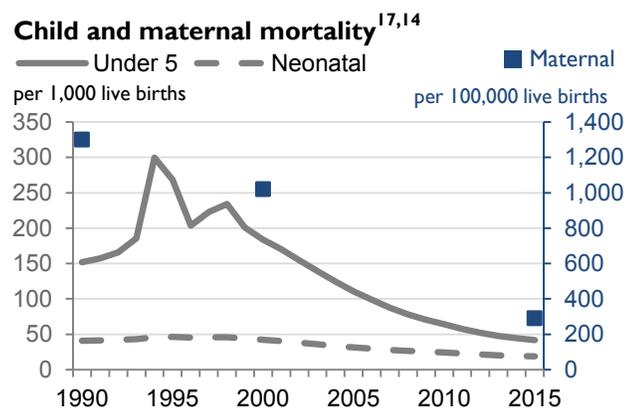
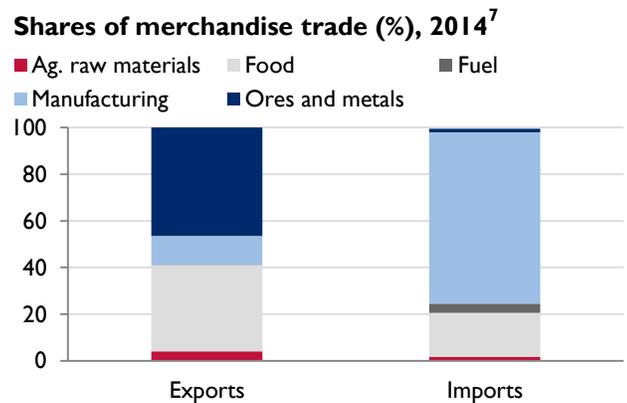
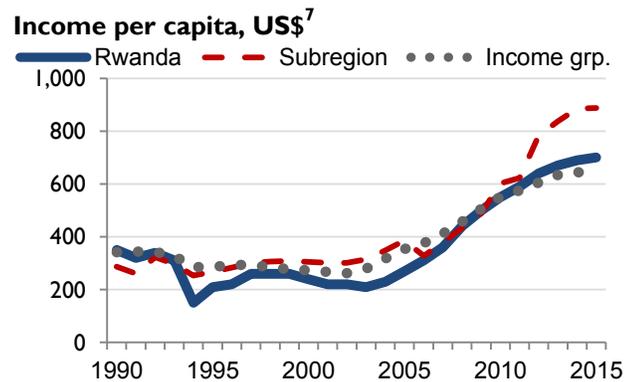
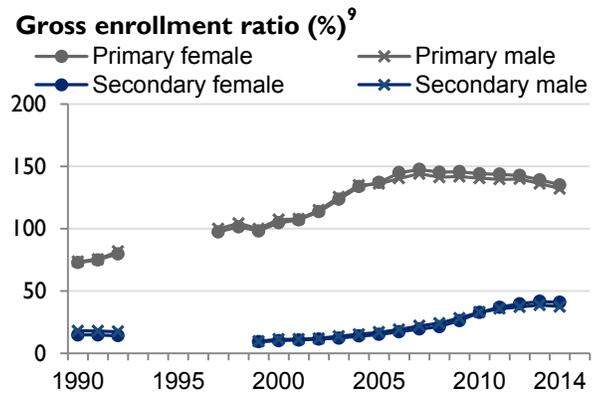
Completion rate, primary gross <sup>7</sup>	66.6%	(2013)
Female completion rate <sup>7</sup>	72.1%	(2013)
Male completion rate <sup>7</sup>	60.9%	(2013)
Pupil-teacher ratio, primary <sup>9</sup>	58	(2014)
Pupil-teacher ratio, secondary <sup>9</sup>	23	(2013)
Public education expenditure (% of GDP) <sup>9</sup>	5.0%	(2013)
Youth literacy rate (ages 15-24) <sup>7</sup>	85%	(2015)
Children out of school, primary <sup>7</sup>	67,642	(2013)
Of which, female <sup>7</sup>	34%	(2013)
Of which, male <sup>7</sup>	66%	(2013)

**ECONOMY**

GDP (US\$ millions) <sup>7</sup>	\$8,096	(2015)
GDP growth (annual %) <sup>7</sup>	6.9%	(2015)
10-year average <sup>7</sup>	7.7%	(2015)
Merchandise exports (US\$ millions) <sup>10</sup>	\$390	(2015)
Merchandise imports (US\$ millions) <sup>10</sup>	\$1,584	(2015)
Percent of population living under \$1.90/day <sup>7</sup>	60.4%	(2013)
Share of income going to the poorest 20% <sup>11</sup>	5%	(2013)
OECD average <sup>11</sup>	8%	(2013)
Share of income going to the richest 20% <sup>11</sup>	57%	(2013)
OECD average <sup>11</sup>	42%	(2013)
Youth unemployment (ages 15-24) <sup>7</sup>	0.7%	(2014)
Annual inflation <sup>12</sup>	2.5%	(2015)

**HEALTH**

Prevalence of HIV (ages 15-49) <sup>13</sup>	2.9%	(2015)
Antiretroviral coverage (% of adults 15+ meeting WHO guidelines) <sup>7</sup>	79%	(2015)
Prevalence of TB (per 100,000 population) <sup>14</sup>	85	(2014)
Deaths from malaria (per 100,000 population) <sup>14</sup>	27	(2013)
Prevalence of stunting (% of children under 5) <sup>15</sup>	38%	(2015)
DPT3 immunization rate (children aged one) <sup>15</sup>	98%	(2015)
Fertility rate (children per woman) <sup>15</sup>	4.2	(2015)
Modern contraceptive prevalence <sup>15</sup>	28%	(2015)
Births attended by skilled health worker <sup>15</sup>	91%	(2015)
Improved water source (% of population) <sup>4</sup>	76%	(2015)
Public health expenditure (% of GDP) <sup>16</sup>	3%	(2014)



SOURCES: <sup>1</sup>UN, World Population Prospects; <sup>2</sup>UN, World Urbanization Prospects; <sup>3</sup>UNDP, Human Development Report; <sup>4</sup>UN, Millennium Development Goals Indicators; <sup>5</sup>Transparency International, Corruption Perceptions Index and Bribe Payers Index; <sup>6</sup>Mo Ibrahim Foundation, Index of African Governance; <sup>7</sup>World Bank, World Development Indicators; <sup>8</sup>OECD/DAC, Destination of Official Development Assistance and Official Aid - Disbursements (Table 2a); <sup>9</sup>UNESCO Institute for Statistics (UIS) Database; <sup>10</sup>IMF, Direction of Trade Statistics; <sup>11</sup>Population Reference Bureau, World Population Data Sheet; <sup>12</sup>IMF, World Economic Outlook Database; <sup>13</sup>UNAIDS, Report on the Global HIV/AIDS Epidemic; <sup>14</sup>WHO, World Health Statistics; <sup>15</sup>Demographic and Health Surveys, STATcompiler; <sup>16</sup>WHO, Global Health Expenditure Database; <sup>17</sup>UN Inter-agency Group for Child Mortality Estimation, Child Mortality Estimates; <sup>18</sup>OECD/DAC, Creditor Reporting System (CRS++); <sup>19</sup>CIA, World Factbook; World Bank, Country and Lending Groups.