

COUNTRY PROFILE

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TURKMENISTAN

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| Subregion | Central Asia | | |
| Income group | Upper middle income | | |

PEOPLE

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|---|---|--------|------|--------|
| Population (millions) ¹ | 5.37 | (2015) | 6.16 | (2030) |
| Urban ² | 50% | (2015) | 56% | (2030) |
| Rural ² | 50% | (2015) | 44% | (2030) |
| Population growth ¹ (annual) | 1.2% | (2015) | 0.6% | (2030) |
| Human Development Index rank ³ | 109/188 Medium human development | | | |
| Languages ¹⁹ | Turkmen (official) 72%, Russian 12%, Uzbek 9%, other 7% | | | |
| Religion ¹⁹ | Muslim 89%, Eastern Orthodox 9%, unknown 2% | | | |
| Ethnic composition ¹⁹ | Turkmen 85%, Uzbek 5%, Russian 4%, other 6% (2003) | | | |

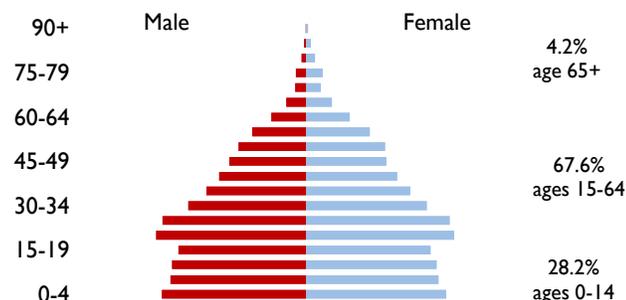
GOVERNMENT

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| Capital ¹⁹ | Ashgabat | | |
| Government type ¹⁹ | Presidential republic | | |
| Head of State/Govt ¹⁹ | President Gurbanguly BERDIMUHAMEDOW (since 14 February 2007) | | |
| Legislature ¹⁹ | Unicameral National Assembly or Mejlis | | |
| Females in Parliament ⁴ | 26% | (2015) | |
| Corruption Perceptions Index rank ⁵ | 154/167 | (2015) | |
| Land area (sq km) ⁷ | 469,930 | <i>(The size of California)</i> | |

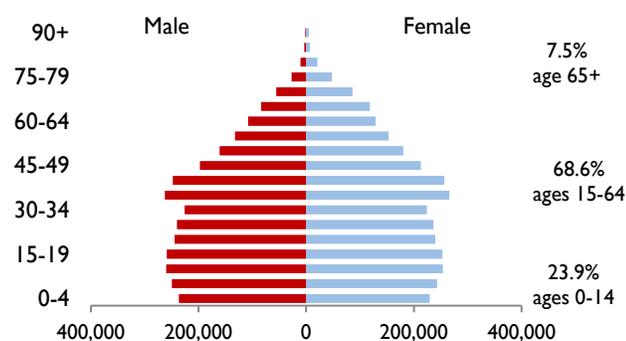
OFFICIAL DEVELOPMENT ASSISTANCE

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| From all donors (US\$ millions, net) ⁸ | \$34.2 | (2014) |
| as % of income ⁷ | 0.09% | (2014) |
| per capita ¹⁸ | \$6.5 | (2014) |
| From U.S. (US\$ millions) ⁸ | \$8.8 | (2014) |

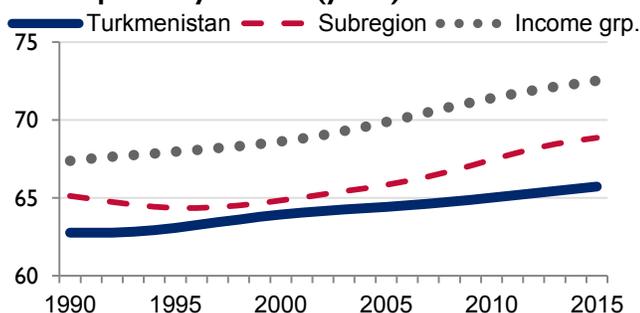
2015 population¹



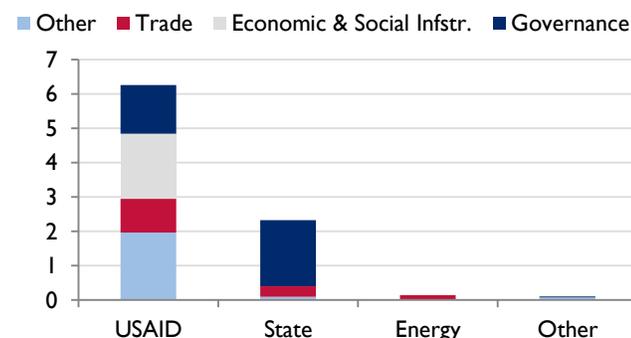
2030 population¹



Life expectancy at birth (years)¹



U.S. ODA by agency (US\$ millions, gross), 2014¹⁸



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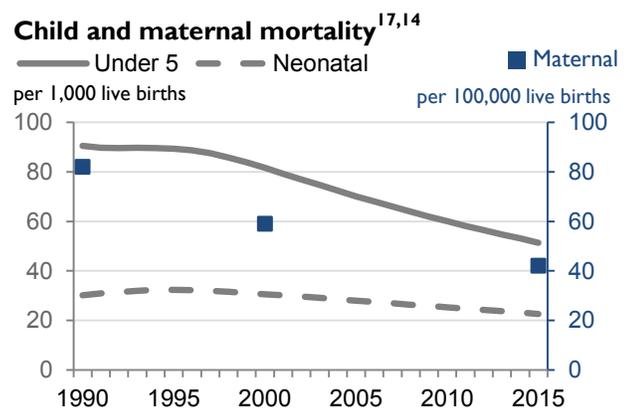
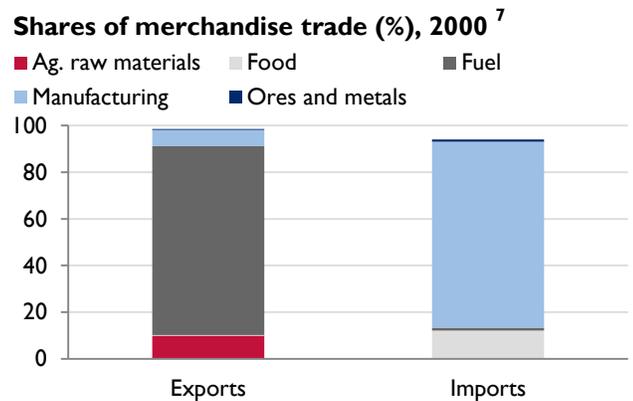
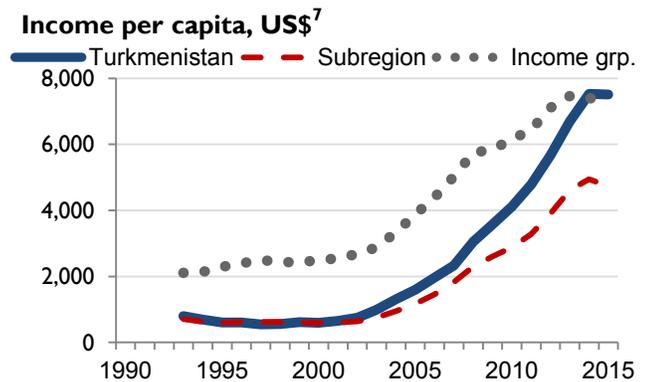
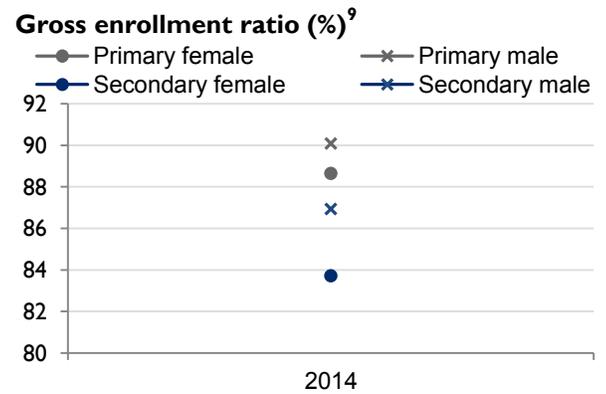
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| Completion rate, primary gross ⁷ | n/a |
| Female completion rate ⁷ | n/a |
| Male completion rate ⁷ | n/a |
| Pupil-teacher ratio, primary ⁹ | n/a |
| Pupil-teacher ratio, secondary ⁹ | n/a |
| Public education expenditure (% of GDP) ⁹ | n/a |
| Youth literacy rate (ages 15-24) ⁷ | 100% (2015) |
| Children out of school, primary ⁷ | n/a |
| Of which, female ⁷ | n/a |
| Of which, male ⁷ | n/a |

ECONOMY

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| GDP (US\$ millions) ⁷ | \$37,334 (2015) |
| GDP growth (annual %) ⁷ | 6.5% (2015) |
| 10-year average ⁷ | 10.4% (2015) |
| Merchandise exports (US\$ millions) ¹⁰ | \$10,379 (2015) |
| Merchandise imports (US\$ millions) ¹⁰ | \$8,285 (2015) |
| Percent of population living under \$1.90/day ⁷ | n/a |
| Share of income going to the poorest 20% ¹¹ | 6% (2013) |
| OECD average ¹¹ | 8% (2013) |
| Share of income going to the richest 20% ¹¹ | 47% (2013) |
| OECD average ¹¹ | 42% (2013) |
| Youth unemployment (ages 15-24) ⁷ | 20.2% (2014) |
| Annual inflation ¹² | 6.4% (2015) |

HEALTH

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| Prevalence of HIV (ages 15-49) ¹³ | n/a |
| Antiretroviral coverage (% of adults 15+ meeting WHO guidelines) ⁷ | n/a |
| Prevalence of TB (per 100,000 population) ¹⁴ | 88 (2014) |
| Deaths from malaria (per 100,000 population) ¹⁴ | 0 (2013) |
| Prevalence of stunting (% of children under 5) ¹⁵ | n/a |
| DPT3 immunization rate (children aged one) ¹⁵ | 92% (2000) |
| Fertility rate (children per woman) ¹⁵ | 2.9 (2000) |
| Modern contraceptive prevalence ¹⁵ | 34% (2000) |
| Births attended by skilled health worker ¹⁵ | 97% (2000) |
| Improved water source (% of population) ⁴ | 60% (2006) |
| Public health expenditure (% of GDP) ¹⁶ | 1% (2014) |



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