

BANGLADESH

Location: Southern Asia, bordering the Bay of Bengal, between Burma and India

Capital: Dhaka

Government Type: Parliamentary Government /under a prime minister and a president elected by a national assembly

Area:

Total: 148,460 sq km

Land: 130,170 sq km

Water: 18,290 sq km

Population: 169,356,251. 2021. WB

Rural Population: 113 million

Population Density: (per sq KM) 1,286.2 WB. 2020

Population Growth Rate: 1.1%. worldbank. 2021

Population below Poverty Line: 31.5% (2010 est.)

Ethnic Groups: Bengali at least 98%, ethnic groups 1.1%

Climate: Tropical; mild winter (October to March); hot, humid summer (March to June); humid, warm

rainy monsoon (June to October)

Natural Resources: Natural gas, arable land, timber, coal

Languages: Bengali 98.8% (official, also known as Bengali), other 1.2% (2011 est.)

Religions: Muslim 89.1%, Hindu 10%, other 0.9% (includes Buddhist, Christian) (2013 est.)

Land Use:

Agricultural Land: 76.1 (2020) WB. (arable land 61.5 (2020) WB/ permanent crops 10.1 (2020) WB/ permanent pasture 4.6% (2018) <https://www.cia.gov/the-world-factbook>

Forest: 14.5% (2020) WB

Other: 18.8%

Natural Hazards: Droughts; cyclones; much of the country routinely inundated during the summer Monsoon season

Literacy: 74.66 percent BY Population and Housing Census 2022".

GDP - Real Growth Rate: 6.94% WB. 2021

GDP - Per Capita (PPP): \$6,493.8. WB.2021

Exports: \$ 44.39 Billion (2021)

Export Commodities: Garments, knitwear, agricultural products, frozen food (fish and seafood), jute and jute goods, leather etc.

Improved Drinking Water Source: 98% of population (2020) Asia & Pacific Finance Minister's Meeting.

Improved Sanitation Facility Access: 54.16%. of population (2020) WHO