

## Socio-Economic Indicators of Bangladesh

### General

#### Geographical Location/Characteristics

##### Location

20° 34' & 26° 38' North Latitude

88° 01' & 92° 41' East Longitude

Area (Sq. Km) 147570

Standard Time GMT+6 Hours

#### Vital Statistics

##### General Vital Statistics

Population (Million), 2001 (Adjusted) 130.0

2008-09 (Estimated) 144.2

Population Growth Rate (Percentage), 2008-09 1.26

Male-Female Ratio, 2008 105.0

Population Density/Sq. Km., 2008-09 977

##### Basic Vital Statistics

Crude Birth Rate (Per 1000 Population), 2008 20.5

Crude Death Rate (Per 1000 Population), 2008 6.0

Infant Mortality Rate (Per Thousand Live Birth), (Below 1 Year of Age), 2008 41.0

Total Fertility Rate Per Women (15-49), 2008 2.30

Contraceptive Prevalence Rate (%), 2007 59.0

Life Expectancy (yrs), 2008,

Both Sex 66.7

Male 65.6

Female 70.0

Mean Age (yrs) at First Marriage, 2007

Male 23.6

Female 18.4

#### Health and Social Services

Persons Per Hospital Bed (Including

Dispensary), 2007-08 3464

Persons Per Registered Physician, 2007-08 2870

Improved Drinking Water Coverage (%), 2008

Rural 85.0

Urban 60.0

Improved Sanitation Coverage (%), 2008

Rural 87.0

Urban 87.0

Literacy Rate of Population 11 +yrs (%), 2008 49.1

#### Rate (%) of Poverty Based on Report on Household Income & Expenditure Survey (HIES)- 2005

##### Based on cost of Basic needs (CBN) Method

##### Using upper poverty line

National 40.0

Rural 43.8

Urban 28.4

##### Using lower Poverty line

National 25.1

Rural 28.6

Urban 14.6

#### Gross Domestic Product (GDP), 2008-09

GDP at Current Price (In billion Tk.) 6149.4

GDP at Constant Price (Base Year = 1995-96, In billion Tk.) 3406.5

GDP Growth at Constant Price (%) 5.88

Per Capita National Income (In Tk.) 47373

Per Capita National Income (In US\$ ) 690

Per Capita GDP (In Tk.) 42638

Per Capita GDP (In US\$) 621

#### Savings and Investment (Percentage of GDP, 2008-09)

Domestic savings 20.0

National savings 32.4

Total investment 24.2

Public 4.6

Private 19.6

#### Balance of Payments, 2008-09

##### (In Million US \$)

Export Earning 15565

Import Payments 22507

Export (As Percentage of GDP) 17.9

Import (As Percentage of GDP) 22.7

Current Account Balance (Provisional) 2536

Foreign Exchange Reserves 7471

(As on 30.06.2009)

Workers' Remittances 9689

**Labour Force and Employment****Labour Force Survey, 2005-06**

Number of Civilian Labour Force (Crore)	4.74
Male	3.61
Female	1.13

**Percentage of Total Labour Force**

Agriculture Labour	48.10
Industrial Labour	14.55
Other Labours	37.35

**Transportation (Km.) June, 2009**

National Highway	3478
Regional Highway	4122
Feeder Road Type-A	13248
Railway	2835

**Financial Statistics Year**

Total Number of Commercial Banks	48
State Owned Bank	4
Specialised Bank	5
Local Private Bank	30
Foreign Bank	9
Non-Bank Financial Institution	29

**Government Revenue/Expenditure  
(Actual) 2008-09 (In Crore Tk.)**

Total Revenue	69180
Total Expenditure	94140
Total Revenue (As Percentage of GDP)	11.24
Total Expenditure (As Percentage of GDP)	15.30
Budget Deficit (Excluding Foreign Grants)	4.0

**Money Supply (In Crore Tk.)**

Narrow Money (M <sub>1</sub> ), June, 2008	59314
Reserve Money, June, 2008	52790
Broad Money (M <sub>2</sub> ), June, 2008	248795

**Exchange Rate (2008-09)**

Taka/US\$ (Average)	68.80
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**Capital Market (Share Price Index,  
as on June, 2009)**

Dhaka Stock Exchange (Base=100)	2520.20
Chittagong Stock Exchange (Base=1000)	10477.67

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**Sources:** Bangladesh Bureau of Statistics, Finance Division, Bangladesh Bank, Ministry of Health and Family Welfare, SEC.