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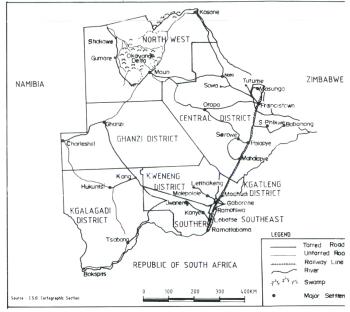
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HISTORICAL BACKGROUND

1885	Declaration of Protectorate over Bechuanaland by Sir Charles Warren
1897	Railway to Rhodesia completed
1899	Anglo Boer War
1920	African Advisory Council first set up
1928	Opening of the first abattoir in Lobatse
1957	Foot and Mouth Disease
1965	Sir Seretse Khama became Prime Minister
1966	Botswana Independence
1969	Discovery of diamonds at Orapa
1972	New campus of the University of Botswana, Lesotho and Swaziland
	opened in Botswana
1974	Copper-Nickel production started at Selebi-Phikwe
1976	Botswana changed its currency from Rand to Pula
1977	Botswana Defence Force formed
1980	Death of Sir Seretse Khama
	Creation of the Southern African Development Cordination Conference
1982	Diamond production started at Jwaneng
	University of Botswana established
1995	Outbreak of Cattle lung disease (> 200,000 cattle killed in Ngamiland

CENTRAL STATISTICS OFFICE PUBLICATIONS

Annual: Agricultural Statistics

Education Statistics

Labour Statistics

External Trade Statistics

National Accounts

Health Statistics

Tourist Statistics

Transport Statistics

Population Report

Quarterly:

Statistical Bulletin, Trade Digest

Monthly:

Consumer Price Statistics

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CLIMATE (1997)

	Rainfall(total)	Temperatures (Avg. 6	Celsius)
	(mm)	Min	Max
Gaborone	638	11.5	26.4
F/town	466	13.7	28.5
Ghanzi	591	13.6	29.7
Mahalapye	522	13.7	28.6
Maun	383	15.9	31.3
Shakawe	540	14.4	30.1
Tsabong	332	11.1	30.1
Tshane	338	12.6	29.4
Temperature/Rainfall by month (av	verage) *		
January	119.2	19.6	31.0
February	44.9	18.6	32 .5
March	109.6	18.2	29.6
April	26.4	11.6	27.6
May	26.1	7.6	26.1
June	0.0	5.1	24.9
July	0.0	5.8	24.6
August	0.1	7.7	28.2
September	30.3	12.5	26.6
October	23.6	16.3	32.1
November	63.5	17.9	33.7
December	50.1	20.0	34.9

^{*} Rainfall collected from 14 locations, temperature from 8 locations

Area

582,000 square kilometers

Currency

Pula and thebe (100 thebe = Pula)

POPULATION

		1981	1991	1996	1997
Total		941,027	1,326,796	1,495,993	1,533,393
Capital City	Gaborone	29,657	133,468	174,583	183,487
	Francistown city	31,065	65,244	84,075	88,195
Other	Selibe-Phikwe	29,469	39,772	44,581	45,651
Major	Lobatse	19,034	26,052	29,172	29,872
towns	Jwaneng	5,567	11,188	14,212	14,866
	Orapa	5,227	8,827	10,023	10,244
	Sowa Town	-	2,228	2,992	3,154
Large	Molepolole	20,565	36,930	42,169	43,350
Urban	Kanye	20,215	31,354	34,202	34,852
villages	Serowe	23,661	30,264	31,782	32,163
	Mahalapye	20,712	28,078	30,294	30,809
	Maun	14,925	26,768	28,969	29,490
	Mochudi	18,386	25,542	28,224	28,817
Other	Ramotswa	13,009	18,683	23,047	24,245
Villages	Palapye	9,593	17,362	19,322	19,786
	Mogoditshane	3,125	14,246	18,159	19,031
	Thamaga	6,520	13,026	14,617	14,968
	Tlokweng	6,653	12,501	16,254	17,067
	Moshupa	6,612	11,444	12,787	13,081
	Tonota	6,566	11,129	11,704	11,833
	Tutume	3,736	10,070	11,637	11,986
	Letlhakane	5,169	8,583	10,730	11,192
	Bobonong	4,711	7,708	8,332	8,482
	Gabane	2,688	5,975	6,523	6,647
	Ghanzi	3,281	5,550	6,727	6,922
	Kasane	2,190	4,336	5,664	5,969

NOTES: 1981 and 1991 are census figures while the rest are projections

POPULATION BY AGE GROUP, SEX, URBAN/RURAL (1991 Census)

Age	Ur	ban	R	Rural	
Group	Male	Female	Male	Female	Total
0 - 4	38,672	39,536	56,727	56,423	191,358
5-9	34,875	39,366	61,548	58,876	194,665
10 - 14	29,265	38,840	59,350	53,992	181,447
15-19	29,948	40,449	41,756	38,084	150,237
20 - 24	33,237	37,819	19,801	23,851	114,708
25-29	29,213	32,011	14,990	21,375	97,589
30 - 34	22,875	24,719	12,693	18,259	78,546
35-39	18,107	18,530	11,485	16,287	64,409
40 - 44	12,592	11,314	9,820	12,956	46,682
45-49	9,173	8,249	8,640	11,529	37,591
50 - 54	7,095	6,509	8,414	10,418	32,436
55-59	5,034	5,331	7,197	9,126	26,688
60 - 64	3,404	4,127	6,604	7,728	21,863
65-69	2,431	3,564	5,866	7,157	19,018
70-74	1,776	2,507	4,761	5,023	14,067
75-79	1,231	1,871	3,165	3,501	9,768
80+	2,360	3,335	6,334	7,699	19,728
Not Stated	4,052	2,822	9,909	9,213	25,996
Total	285,340	320,899	349,060	371,497	1,326,796

POPULATION AND AVERAGE HOUSEHOLD SIZE BY DISTRICT (1991 Census)

District		Total Population	Male	Female	Average Household Size
Gaborone		133,468	68,248	65,220	3.52
Francistown		65,244	31,665	33,579	3.82
Lobatse		26,052	12,541	13,511	3.80
Selebi - Phik	we	39,772	20,343	19,429	3.69
Orapa		8,827	4,713	4,114	4.43
Jwaneng		11,188	5,895	5,293	3.48
Sowa Town		2,228	1,462	766	2.83
Southern		147,389	68,377	79,012	5.30
	Ngwaketse	128,989	59,628	69,361	5.27
	Barolong	18,400	8,749	9,651	5.52
South East		43,584	20,591	22,993	4.86
Kweneng		170,437	80,328	90,109	5.10
	Kweneng East	141,611	66,817	74,794	5.04
	Kweneng West	28,826	13,511	15,315	5.41
Kgatleng		57,770	27,348	30,422	4.71
Central		412,970	193,545	219,425	5.27
	C. Serowe-Palapye	128,471	59,988	68,483	5.30
	C. Mahalapye	95,433	45,442	49,991	5.30
	C. Bobonong	53,558	25,303	28,255	5.14
	C. Boteti	35,459	16,834	18,625	5.30
	C. Tutume	100,049	45,978	54,071	5.27
North East		43,354	19,920	23,434	5.36
North West		108,660	51,959	56,701	4.89
	Ngamiland	57,811	27,960	29,851	5.42
	Okavango	36,723	16 ,35 0	20,373	4.60
	Chobe	14,126	7,649	6,477	3.93
Ghanzi		24,719	12,401	12,318	4.90
Kgalagadi		31,134	15,064	16,070	5.07
	Kgalagadi South	19,794	9,622	10,172	5.32
	Kgalagadi North	11,340	5,442	5,898	4.70
Total Urban		606,239	285,340	320,899	4.22
Total Rural		720,557	349,060-	371,497	5.27
Total Botsw	BBB	1,326,796	634,400	692,396	4.73

ENUMERATED/PROJECTED POPU	LATION AN 1991	D VITAL ST. 1995	ATISTICS 1996	
De-facto Population				
Male	634,400	701,603	720,207	739,189
Female	692,396	757,225	775,786	794,204
Total	1,326,796	1,458,828	1,495,993	1,533,393
10141	1,520,770	1,450,020	1,475,775	1,555,575
Citizens abroad	37,497	41,258	42,256	43,278
Non-citizens in Botswana	29,557	32,522	33,309	34,115
Population below 15 yrs	567,470	632,634	641,052	649,582
Population above 65 yrs	65,454	71,540	73,304	75,111
Urban Population	606,328	696,282	720,783	746,313
Rural Population	720,468	763,570	775,210	787,080
Number of Households	276,209	324,749	338,103	352,006
Average Size of Household	4.7	4.5	4.5	4.4
				70.000
Live births	52,351	52,759	52,921	53,083
Crude birth rate (a)	39.4	33.7	32.4	32.3
Total fertility rate (b)	4.2	4.4	4.0	4.0
Deaths	15,221	15,926	16,031	16,137
Crude death rate (a)	11.5	11.0	10.9	10.8
Child mortality rate				
Male	16.3	11.2	10.2	9.3
Female	15.7	10.8	9.8	8.9
Total	16.0	11.0	10.0	9.1
Infant mortality rate (c)				
Male	47.9	43.0	41.9	40.6
Female	46.1	41.4	40.3	39.1
Total	48.0	43.1	42.0	40.7
Life expectancy at birth (years)				
Male	63.3	64.5	64.8	65.1
Female	67.1	68.1	68.4	68.6
Total	65.3	66.4	66.7	67.0
Annual Rate of Natural Increase (%)	2.8	2.3	2.2	2.2
Annual Rate of Population Growth(%)	3.5	2.7	2.5	2.5

a Birth/Death per 1,000 population.

b Average live births per female (Based on mid-censal period estimate).

c Deaths per 1,000 live births.

¹⁹⁹¹ are census figures.

Figures for 1995 onwards are provisional projections based on the 1991 Census

	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997
HEALTH					
Number of Health Facilities					
General Hospital	16	16	16	16	16
Special	2	2	2	2	2
Health Centre	13	13	14	14	14
Clinics	192	200	201	209	210
Health post & mobile stops	993	1,011	1,003	1,001	1,036
Number of Health Personnel					
Doctors	335	339	364	408	408 *
Dentists	30	30	30	37	37 *
Nursing personnel	3,266	3,329	3,355	3,961	3961 *
Number of In-patient Discharges	112,729	115,374	120,805	132,894	138,348
of which, deaths	3,237	3,629	4,528	5,336	6,601
New visits and repeats by out-patie	2,744	2,658	2,686	2,976	2976
MAJOR CAUSE OF MORBIDITY	1996	MAJOR C	AUSE OF 1	MORTALIT	TY 1996
	%				%
Malaria	8.8		Pneumonia		13.1
pneumonia	6.8		AIDS		11.9
Ill-defined intestinal infections	6.1		Pulmonary'	Tubercolos	11.5
Others(direct obsteretric causes)	5.5		Intestinal in	fections	7.4
Others (abortions)	5.4		Ill-defined	conditions	5.4

^{*} figures carried from 1996

	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996
EDUCATION					
Establishments					
Primary	643	657	670	681	700
Secondary	173	186	188	234	261
Vocational	31	31	31	38	40
Primary Teacher Training	4	4	4	4	4
University	1	1	1	1	1
Enrolment					
Primary	301,482	305,479	310,128	313,693	318,629
Secondary	75,873	85,687	86,684	103,159	108,373
Vocational	4,098	4,675	5,662	8,095	6,208
Primary Teacher Training	1,272	1,261	1,085	1,170	1,163
University (Full time students)	3,976	4,466	5,056	5,501	5,975
Number of Teachers					
Primary	10,409	11,190	11,731	10,792	12,782
Secondary	3,835	4,391	4,712	5,751	6,132
Vocational	518	743	825	966	658
Primary Teacher Training	114	135	141	145	132
Pupil - Teacher Ratio					
Primary	28.9	27.3	26.4	29.1	24.9
Secondary	19.8	19.5	18.4	18.0	17.7

EDUCATION ATTAINMENT (Percentage persons aged five years or above)

	1985/6 /a	1991 /b	1993/4 /c
Urban			
None	18.7	16.1	13.0
Primary	58.0	50.4	47.6
Secondary	20.2	28.3	35.1
Higher	3.2	5.20	4.2
Urban village			
None	30.0	25.3	19.2
Primary	59.1	54.0	51.60
Secondary	10.3	18.8	28.2
Higher	0.6	1.9	1.0
Rural			
None	53.0	38.1	31.4
Primary	44.1	51.9	53.1
Secondary	2.9	9.4	14.8
Higher	0.1	0.6	0.6
All			
None	41.4	30.1	24.0
Primary	50.0	52.1	51.4
Secondary	7.8	15.9	23.1
Higher	0.8	2.0	1.6

/a 1985/6 HIES /b 1991 Census

/c 1993/4 HIES

DISTRICTS ADULT LITERACY RATES (%)*

	Male	Female	Total
Botswana	66.9	70.3	68.9
Gaborone	73.9	81.6	78.1
Francistown	85.2	86.0	85.6
Lobatse	73.9	86.9	81.3
Selebi Phikwe	82.1	84.7	83.5
Small towns	84.6	86.8	85.6
Southern	55.7	66.7	62.3
South East	67.1	77.0	72.6
Kweneng	55.7	66.9	62.4
Kgatleng	63.4	77.1	71.3
Central	65.4	66.1	65.8
North East	68.7	66.5	67.3
North West	65.2	57.0	60.5
Ghanzi	59.1	54.0	56.7
Kgalagadi	61.0	55.5	57.6

^{* 1993} Literacy Survey results

HOUSING SITUATION

Tenureship of dwelling (% of households)

	1985/6 /a	1991 /b	1993/4 /c
Owned	70.7	61.3	59.2
SHHA	6.4	5.8	8.0
Rented	17.3	22.9	25.3
Other	5.6	10.0	8.0
Material of construction of floor(% h/holds)			
Tile/cement	34.0	58.0	n/a
Mud	65.0	36.0	n/a
Other	1.0	6.0	n/a
Toilet facilities (% h/hold)			
	1985/6	1991	1993/4
Flush toilet	12.0	13.4	n/a
Pit latrine	29.0	40.3	n/a
Others	3.0	1.2	n/a
None	56.0	45.0	n/a
Material of construction of roof(% of h/holds)			
Tile/site	0.9	4.4	n/a
Iron/tin	40.3	49.6	n/a
Thatch	55.5	41.2	n/a
Other	3.3	4.8	n/a

/a (1985/6 HIES)

/b (1991 Census)

/c (1993/4 HIES)

n/a = Not Available

Rail Transport	1983	1984	1985	1986	1987		
: Passenger carned ('000)	490	511	564	524	440		
: Million-tonne-km of							
freight	1 432	1 315	1 325	1 237	897		
(of which in transit)	1 159	1 042	1 077	1 001	629		
: Main Line (km)	641	641	641	641	641		
: Branch Line (km)	73	73	73	73	73		
· Branch Line (min)							
Health							
Number of Health Units							
:General	14	14	14	14	14		
: Special	1	1	1	1	1		
•	7	7	7	10	10		
: Hospital	-			150	158		
: Clinics	127	128	142	150	158		
: Health posts & mobile	000	000	507	0.40	070		
stops	682	626	527	643	672		
Number of Health Personnel							
: Doctors	146	156	172	162	NA		
			12	16	NA NA		
: Dentists	9	10	1 918	1 948	NA NA		
: Nursing personnel	1 440	1 544	1 918	1 948	NA		
Number of In-patient Discha	rane						
	99 924	100 664	82 591	123 376	82 659		
of which, deaths	2 570	2 355	2 418	2 640	1 719		
. or writer, deaths	2 37 0	2 333	2410	2 040	1713		
Number of Out-patients							
	376 272	1 695 513	1 909 539	2 879 455	2 336 655		
. New visits	10212	1 033 313	1 303 303	2013403	2 000 000		
Education							
Enrolment							
: Primary 1	98 328	209 772	223 608	235 941	248 823		
,	22 803	27 377	32 172	35 966	39 375		
: Vocational	1 463	2 539	2 784	2 430	2 261		
: Primary Teacher Training	a 948	999	1 188	1 317	1 316		
: University (Full time							
students)	1 195	1 349	1 773	2 062	1 884		
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Number of Teachers							
: Primary	6 360	6 794	6 980	7 324	7 704		
: Secondary	1 049	1 286	1 368	1 619	1 682		
: Vocational	458	282	319	353	328		
: Primary Teacher Training	g 59	67	73	78	78		
: University (Academic							
staff)	137	176	142	195	250		
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Pupil — Teacher Ratio : Primary : Secondary	1 <i>983</i> 31.2 21.7	1984 30.9 21.3	1985 32.0 23.5	1986 32.3 22.2	1987 32.3 23.4
Tourism					
Hotels	46	46	46	46	69
Bedrooms	756	852	861	754	1 000
Beds	1 424	1 616	1 595	1 384	1 765
Occupancy Rate(%)					
Bedrooms	47.4	49.1	48.1	55.3	54.8
Beds	31.5	32.6	33.7	40.6	41.3