

## Lesotho



<b>Surface area ('000 km<sup>2</sup>):</b>	30.4
<b>Population (million), 2005:</b>	1.8
<b>Population growth rate (%), 2000-2005:</b>	0.1
<b>Official languages:</b>	Sotho, English
<b>Currency:</b>	Loti
<b>GNI per capita (\$), 2004:</b>	740
<b>Percentage shares in GDP, 2003:</b>	
Agriculture	16.6
Industry (including <i>manufacturing</i> )	43.5 (20.2)
Services	39.8
Gross capital formation	29.8
Gross domestic savings	-24.1
Exports of goods and services	41.4
Imports of goods and services	95.2
<b>Agricultural labour force</b>	
(% of total labour force), 2004:	38

<b>Life expectancy at birth (m/f), 2003:</b>	35/40
<b>HIV prevalence among adults (%), end-2003:</b>	28.9
<b>Under-5 mortality rate, 2003:</b>	84
(per 1,000 live births)	
<b>Population undernourished (%), 2000-2002:</b>	12
<b>Population using improved drinking water sources</b>	
(% , urban/rural), 2002:	88/74
<b>Adult literacy rate (% , m/f), 2000:</b>	73/94
<b>Transport:</b>	
Road density (km/1,000 km <sup>2</sup> ), 1999:	195.7
Aircraft departures, 1999:	200
<b>Population with access to electricity (%), 2000:</b>	6
<b>Telephone mainlines (per 1,000 people), 2003:</b>	16
<b>Number of tourist arrivals, 2002:</b>	124,000
<b>Exports of goods and services (\$ m), 2003:</b>	471.3
<b>Imports of goods and services (\$ m), 2003:</b>	1,084.5
<b>Main export sector</b>	
(% of total exports of goods and services), 2003:	
Clothing	67.9
<b>Main markets for exports of goods (%), 2004:</b>	
Industrial countries	..
Main destination:	..
<b>Main sources of imports of goods (%), 2004:</b>	
Developing countries	..
Main origin:	..
<b>Foreign direct investment net inflows (\$ m), 2004:</b>	51.8
<b>ODA net inflows (\$ m), 2004:</b>	102.1
<b>Remittances from workers abroad (\$ m), 2003:</b>	184.0
<b>External debt (\$ m), 2003:</b>	706.5
As % of GNI	51.2
Debt service as % of exports	14.2

Source: UNCTAD, *Statistical Profiles of the Least Developed Countries 2005*.