



Statistic	Source
Area 644,329 square kilometres South Sudan is the 18 th largest country in Africa. It is slightly smaller than the state of Texas in the U.S.A., and about the size of France.	Statistical Yearbook 2011 (National Bureau of Statistics October 2012)
Population	
Population estimate for 2013 12 million	2008 population + returnees + population growth + refugees (OCHA)
51% population below 18 years	5 th Sudan Population and Housing Census (2008)
83% rural population as share of total	5 th Sudan Population and Housing Census (2008)
Average household size 6	5 th Sudan Population and Housing Census (2008)
Economy	
Gross domestic product estimated \$13 billion (92% of which comes from oil)	GDP estimate (National Bureau of Statistics August 2011)
Gross domestic product per capita (estimate) \$1,546	GDP estimate (National Bureau of Statistics August 2011)
51% people living below national poverty line of less than a dollar per day	National Baseline Household Survey (2009)
Ease of international trade - 181 of 183 countries	UN Statistics Division (www.mdgs.un.org)
Mortality	
Life expectancy 42 years	South Sudan Household Health Survey (2010)
Maternal mortality 2,054 per 100,000 births (highest in world)	South Sudan Household Health Survey (2006)
Adolescent birth rate, 300 births per 1000 females aged 15-19 years	South Sudan Household Health Survey (2010)
Infant mortality 75 per 1,000 births (ranked in world's bottom 10%)	South Sudan Household Health Survey (2010)
Child mortality 105 per 1,000 births (ranked in world's bottom 10%)	South Sudan Household Health Survey (2010)
Health	
6.3% of children under 2 years fully immunized	South Sudan Household Health Survey (2010)
19.4% births attended by skilled personnel	South Sudan Household Health Survey (2010)
7.4% households using improved sanitation	South Sudan Household Health Survey (2010)
68.7% households with improved drinking water sources	South Sudan Household Health Survey (2010)
Malaria is the leading cause of death and disease responsible for 25% of deaths. Two in every 10 people seen at health facilities die from malaria. 66% of households own a mosquito net, up from 12% in 2006	Ministry of Health (2013)
Antenatal care coverage- 4.8%	Health Sector Development Plan 2012-2016
2.6% HIV prevalence rate (15-49 years)	Antenatal Care HIV surveillance survey report 2013

Agriculture and food security	
Estimated cattle population by 2012 11,814,000	Statistical Yearbook 2011 (National Bureau of Statistics October 2012)
4.5% of arable land under cultivation	World Food Programme ANLA 2011/12
Estimated total cereal area production in the traditional sector: 695,000 hectares	Statistical Yearbook 2011 (National Bureau of Statistics October 2012)
Estimated yield per hectare: 0.75	Statistical Yearbook 2011 (National Bureau of Statistics October 2012)
Less than 5% of the actual cultivated area is irrigated	South Sudan Infrastructure Action Plan (2012)
Estimated cereal deficit by 2013:371,000	FAO/WFP (2013)
Education	
27% adults over 15 years literate	Statistical Yearbook 2011 (National Bureau of Statistics October 2012)
73% men and 84% women are illiterate	South Sudan Statistical Yearbook (2011)
44.4% net enrolment in primary education (50.8% male and 37% female)	Education Management Information System (2011)
1.6% net enrolment in secondary education (1.8% male and 1.3% female)	Statistical Yearbook 2011 (National Bureau of Statistics October 2012)
1.9% secondary school completion rate (2.8% male and 0.9% female)	Education Management Information System (2011)
Infrastructure	
60% of roads are inaccessible during the rainy season (from about June to October)	Consolidated Appeal (2013)
363 kilometers (2%) of the existing road network is paved	South Sudan Infrastructure Action Plan (2012)
1% of the population has access to electricity	South Sudan Infrastructure Action Plan (2012)
Humanitarian situation	
4.1 million people are food insecure	Food Security and Livelihoods Cluster
1 million people are severely food insecure	FOA/WFP
2.8 million to be targeted for food assistance	Food Security and Livelihoods Cluster
1.9 million South Sudanese have returned from Sudan since 2007	International Organization for Migration
227,000 refugees in South Sudan as of November 2013 (of whom 205,700 come from Sudan)	UNHCR

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