

## South Asia Fast Facts

Total population: 1.4 billion

Population growth: 1.7%

Life expectancy at birth: 63 years

Infant mortality per 1,000 births: 71

Female youth illiteracy: 40%

2002 GNI per capita: \$460

**Number of people living with HIV/AIDS: 4.1 million**

*Note: Life expectancy at birth, infant mortality rate per 1,000 births, and female youth illiteracy are for 2001, other indicators are for 2002, from the World Development Indicators database. The term gross national income (GNI) is now used instead of gross national product (GNP).*

### Total FY03

#### New Commitments

IBRD \$836 million

IDA \$2,082.7 million

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#### Disbursements

IBRD \$700.3 million

IDA \$1,953.6 million

Portfolio of projects under implementation as of June 30, 2003: \$17.8 billion



*Through the Emergency Public Works and Community Empowerment Project in Afghanistan, work commences on the rehabilitation of the Salang Tunnel, the only entry point to Kabul for humanitarian aid and other goods as well as for refugees returning from the North.*