

Table A.III.1

**Population aged 60 or over, 65 or over and 80 or over by sex (thousands):  
world, major areas and regions, 2007**

Major areas and regions	60 or over			65 or over			80 or over		
	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female
World	704 817	317 734	387 083	495 126	216 070	279 055	94 174	33 728	60 446
More developed regions	252 026	106 132	145 894	188 800	76 218	112 582	47 873	15 262	32 611
Less developed regions	452 792	211 602	241 189	306 325	139 852	166 473	46 301	18 466	27 835
Least developed countries	40 744	18 665	22 079	26 011	11 746	14 265	3 018	1 271	1 747
<b>Africa</b>	<b>50 056</b>	<b>22 694</b>	<b>27 362</b>	<b>32 483</b>	<b>14 430</b>	<b>18 053</b>	<b>3 834</b>	<b>1 540</b>	<b>2 294</b>
Eastern Africa	14 045	6 352	7 693	9 049	4 032	5 017	1 073	439	634
Middle Africa	5 240	2 332	2 908	3 354	1 464	1 891	375	146	229
Northern Africa	13 649	6 258	7 391	9 187	4 116	5 071	1 173	482	692
Southern Africa	3 846	1 585	2 261	2 449	959	1 490	318	95	223
Western Africa	13 275	6 166	7 109	8 444	3 859	4 585	895	378	517
<b>Asia</b>	<b>385 409</b>	<b>180 710</b>	<b>204 699</b>	<b>263 691</b>	<b>120 472</b>	<b>143 219</b>	<b>41 953</b>	<b>16 219</b>	<b>25 734</b>
Eastern Asia	198 964	93 384	105 580	138 731	62 948	75 783	24 298	8 565	15 732
South-central Asia	125 259	59 398	65 861	83 622	39 051	44 571	12 114	5 394	6 720
South-eastern Asia	46 363	21 120	25 243	31 163	13 917	17 246	4 157	1 710	2 447
Western Asia	14 823	6 809	8 015	10 175	4 556	5 619	1 384	549	835
<b>Europe</b>	<b>153 476</b>	<b>62 778</b>	<b>90 698</b>	<b>116 844</b>	<b>45 704</b>	<b>71 140</b>	<b>27 849</b>	<b>8 411</b>	<b>19 438</b>
Eastern Europe	54 032	19 713	34 320	41 483	14 348	27 135	7 994	2 019	5 976
Northern Europe	20 915	9 192	11 724	15 357	6 480	8 877	4 272	1 438	2 834
Southern Europe	34 865	15 060	19 805	26 755	11 167	15 588	6 728	2 298	4 431
Western Europe	43 663	18 814	24 849	33 249	13 710	19 540	8,855	2 657	6 198
<b>Latin America and the Caribbean</b>	<b>52 696</b>	<b>23 706</b>	<b>28 990</b>	<b>36 483</b>	<b>16 057</b>	<b>20 425</b>	<b>7 380</b>	<b>2 921</b>	<b>4 459</b>
Caribbean	4 406	2 030	2 377	3 086	1 403	1 683	653	277	377
Central America	11 814	5 439	6 374	8 127	3 696	4 431	1 586	664	922
South America	36 476	16 237	20 239	25 269	10 959	14 311	5 141	1 981	3 160
<b>Northern America</b>	<b>58 294</b>	<b>25 573</b>	<b>32 721</b>	<b>42 154</b>	<b>17 842</b>	<b>24 312</b>	<b>12 247</b>	<b>4 296</b>	<b>7 951</b>
<b>Oceania</b>	<b>4 886</b>	<b>2 273</b>	<b>2 613</b>	<b>3 471</b>	<b>1 565</b>	<b>1 906</b>	<b>910</b>	<b>340</b>	<b>570</b>
Australia/New Zealand	4 433	2 046	2 387	3 191	1 427	1 764	879	325	553
Polynesia	52	25	27	35	17	19	6	2	4
Melanesia	360	183	178	219	110	109	23	11	12
Micronesia	40	19	21	26	12	14	4	2	2

Table A.III.2  
**Percentage of population aged 60 or over, 65 or over and 80 or over by sex:  
 world, major areas and regions, 2007**

Major areas and regions	60 or over			65 or over			80 or over		
	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female
World	10.7	9.6	11.8	7.5	6.5	8.5	1.4	1.0	1.8
More developed regions	20.7	18.0	23.3	15.5	12.9	18.0	3.9	2.6	5.2
Less developed regions	8.4	7.7	9.1	5.7	5.1	6.2	0.9	0.7	1.0
Least developed countries	5.1	4.7	5.6	3.3	2.9	3.6	0.4	0.3	0.4
<b>Africa</b>	<b>5.3</b>	<b>4.8</b>	<b>5.8</b>	<b>3.4</b>	<b>3.1</b>	<b>3.8</b>	<b>0.4</b>	<b>0.3</b>	<b>0.5</b>
Eastern Africa	4.7	4.2	5.1	3.0	2.7	3.3	0.4	0.3	0.4
Middle Africa	4.5	4.1	5.0	2.9	2.6	3.2	0.3	0.3	0.4
Northern Africa	6.9	6.3	7.5	4.6	4.1	5.2	0.6	0.5	0.7
Southern Africa	7.1	5.9	8.2	4.5	3.6	5.4	0.6	0.4	0.8
Western Africa	4.8	4.4	5.2	3.1	2.8	3.4	0.3	0.3	0.4
<b>Asia</b>	<b>9.6</b>	<b>8.9</b>	<b>10.4</b>	<b>6.6</b>	<b>5.9</b>	<b>7.3</b>	<b>1.0</b>	<b>0.8</b>	<b>1.3</b>
Eastern Asia	12.9	11.9	14.0	9.0	8.0	10.0	1.6	1.1	2.1
South-central Asia	7.5	7.0	8.1	5.0	4.6	5.5	0.7	0.6	0.8
South-eastern Asia	8.1	7.4	8.8	5.5	4.9	6.0	0.7	0.6	0.9
Western Asia	6.7	6.0	7.4	4.6	4.0	5.2	0.6	0.5	0.8
<b>Europe</b>	<b>21.1</b>	<b>17.9</b>	<b>24.0</b>	<b>16.1</b>	<b>13.1</b>	<b>18.8</b>	<b>3.8</b>	<b>2.4</b>	<b>5.1</b>
Eastern Europe	18.3	14.3	22.0	14.1	10.4	17.4	2.7	1.5	3.8
Northern Europe	21.7	19.5	23.8	15.9	13.7	18.0	4.4	3.1	5.8
Southern Europe	23.2	20.5	25.8	17.8	15.2	20.3	4.5	3.1	5.8
Western Europe	23.4	20.6	26.1	17.8	15.0	20.5	4.7	2.9	6.5
<b>Latin America and the Caribbean</b>	<b>9.1</b>	<b>8.3</b>	<b>9.9</b>	<b>6.3</b>	<b>5.6</b>	<b>7.0</b>	<b>1.3</b>	<b>1.0</b>	<b>1.5</b>
Caribbean	11.1	10.3	11.8	7.8	7.1	8.4	1.6	1.4	1.9
Central America	7.8	7.3	8.3	5.4	5.0	5.7	1.0	0.9	1.2
South America	9.5	8.5	10.4	6.6	5.8	7.3	1.3	1.0	1.6
<b>Northern America</b>	<b>17.3</b>	<b>15.4</b>	<b>19.1</b>	<b>12.5</b>	<b>10.8</b>	<b>14.2</b>	<b>3.6</b>	<b>2.6</b>	<b>4.7</b>
<b>Oceania</b>	<b>14.4</b>	<b>13.5</b>	<b>15.4</b>	<b>10.3</b>	<b>9.3</b>	<b>11.2</b>	<b>2.7</b>	<b>2.0</b>	<b>3.4</b>
Australia/New Zealand	18.0	16.8	19.1	12.9	11.7	14.1	3.6	2.7	4.4
Polynesia	7.8	7.4	8.3	5.3	4.8	5.7	0.8	0.6	1.1
Melanesia	4.5	4.5	4.6	2.8	2.7	2.8	0.3	0.3	0.3

Table A.III.3  
Selected indicators on ageing: world, major areas and regions, 2007

Major areas and regions	Ageing index	Broad age groups (percentage)			Median age	Dependency ratios		
		0-14	15-59	60+		Total	Youth	Old-age
World	38.7	27.6	61.8	10.7	28.1	53.9	42.4	11.5
More developed regions	124.2	16.7	62.6	20.7	38.6	47.4	24.6	22.9
Less developed regions	28.0	30.0	61.6	8.4	25.6	55.5	46.7	8.8
Least developed countries	12.4	41.3	53.6	5.1	18.9	80.4	74.5	5.9
<b>Africa</b>	<b>12.9</b>	<b>41.1</b>	<b>53.6</b>	<b>5.3</b>	<b>18.9</b>	<b>80.2</b>	<b>74.0</b>	<b>6.2</b>
Eastern Africa	10.6	44.0	51.3	4.7	17.5	88.7	83.0	5.7
Middle Africa	9.9	45.9	49.6	4.5	16.8	95.4	89.7	5.7
Northern Africa	21.4	32.3	60.8	6.9	23.0	58.7	51.3	7.4
Southern Africa	21.5	33.0	59.9	7.1	23.0	60.0	52.8	7.2
Western Africa	11.0	43.7	51.5	4.8	17.6	87.7	81.9	5.7
<b>Asia</b>	<b>35.8</b>	<b>27.0</b>	<b>63.4</b>	<b>9.6</b>	<b>27.7</b>	<b>50.5</b>	<b>40.6</b>	<b>9.9</b>
Eastern Asia	65.1	19.8	67.2	12.9	33.5	40.5	27.9	12.7
South-central Asia	23.4	32.2	60.3	7.5	23.5	59.2	51.2	8.0
South-eastern Asia	28.4	28.7	63.2	8.1	25.7	51.8	43.5	8.3
Western Asia	20.1	33.1	60.2	6.7	23.6	60.6	53.2	7.3
<b>Europe</b>	<b>136.2</b>	<b>15.5</b>	<b>63.4</b>	<b>21.1</b>	<b>39.0</b>	<b>46.1</b>	<b>22.6</b>	<b>23.5</b>
Eastern Europe	123.4	14.9	66.8	18.3	37.5	40.8	20.9	19.8
Northern Europe	124.3	17.5	60.8	21.7	38.9	50.2	26.2	23.9
Southern Europe	155.6	14.9	61.9	23.2	39.8	48.7	22.2	26.5
Western Europe	147.3	15.9	60.7	23.4	40.7	50.9	24.0	26.9
<b>Latin America and the Caribbean</b>	<b>31.3</b>	<b>29.2</b>	<b>61.6</b>	<b>9.1</b>	<b>25.9</b>	<b>55.1</b>	<b>45.3</b>	<b>9.8</b>
Caribbean	40.8	27.1	61.8	11.1	28.0	53.6	41.7	11.9
Central America	24.6	31.7	60.5	7.8	24.0	58.9	50.4	8.5
South America	33.3	28.4	62.1	9.5	26.4	53.8	43.8	10.1
<b>Northern America</b>	<b>86.1</b>	<b>20.1</b>	<b>62.6</b>	<b>17.3</b>	<b>36.3</b>	<b>48.4</b>	<b>29.8</b>	<b>18.6</b>
<b>Oceania</b>	<b>59.7</b>	<b>24.2</b>	<b>61.4</b>	<b>14.4</b>	<b>32.3</b>	<b>52.5</b>	<b>36.9</b>	<b>15.6</b>
Australia/New Zealand	93.1	19.3	62.7	18.0	36.5	47.6	28.5	19.1
Polynesia	23.6	33.1	59.1	7.8	23.4	62.3	53.7	8.5
Melanesia	11.9	38.0	57.5	4.5	20.4	68.7	64.1	4.7
Micronesia	21.5	32.7	60.3	7.0	24.9	59.2	52.0	7.2

Potential support ratio	Parent support ratio	Sex ratios (per 100 women)			Growth rates (percentage)				Major areas and regions
		60+	65+	80+	Total	60+	65+	80+	
8.7	4.5	82.1	77.4	55.8	1.1	2.6	2.0	3.9	World
4.4	9.0	72.7	67.7	46.8	0.2	1.8	1.0	3.3	More developed regions
11.3	2.7	87.7	84.0	66.3	1.3	3.0	2.6	4.6	Less developed regions
17.0	1.6	84.5	82.3	72.8	2.3	2.9	3.0	3.8	Least developed countries
16.2	1.6	82.9	79.9	67.1	2.1	2.8	2.7	4.1	Africa
17.7	1.7	82.6	80.4	69.3	2.3	2.7	2.7	3.8	Eastern Africa
17.7	1.5	80.2	77.4	63.8	2.7	2.2	2.4	3.1	Middle Africa
13.6	1.9	84.7	81.2	69.6	1.7	3.2	2.5	5.2	Northern Africa
13.9	2.0	70.1	64.4	42.8	0.1	3.2	3.6	4.3	Southern Africa
17.4	1.3	86.7	84.2	73.2	2.3	2.5	2.8	3.5	Western Africa
10.1	3.1	88.3	84.1	63.0	1.1	3.0	2.6	4.7	Asia
7.9	3.8	88.4	83.1	54.4	0.5	3.1	2.4	4.8	Eastern Asia
12.5	2.6	90.2	87.6	80.3	1.5	2.8	2.7	4.5	South-central Asia
12.0	2.2	83.7	80.7	69.9	1.2	2.9	2.9	4.5	South-eastern Asia
13.6	2.1	84.9	81.1	65.8	1.9	2.7	2.2	6.0	Western Asia
4.3	8.1	69.2	64.2	43.3	-0.1	1.2	0.4	3.4	Europe
5.0	4.8	57.4	52.9	33.8	-0.5	0.6	-1.2	4.6	Eastern Europe
4.2	11.0	78.4	73.0	50.7	0.3	1.8	1.2	1.4	Northern Europe
3.8	9.9	76.0	71.6	51.9	0.2	1.4	1.0	4.2	Southern Europe
3.7	10.4	75.7	70.2	42.9	0.2	1.4	1.3	2.8	Western Europe
10.2	4.9	81.8	78.6	65.5	1.3	3.4	3.2	4.6	Latin America and the Caribbean
8.4	6.2	85.4	83.3	73.4	0.8	2.7	2.7	3.3	Caribbean
11.7	4.4	85.3	83.4	72.0	1.4	3.7	3.8	4.9	Central America
9.9	4.9	80.2	76.6	62.7	1.3	3.4	3.1	4.7	South America
5.4	9.8	78.2	73.4	54.0	0.9	2.6	1.8	1.7	Northern America
6.4	7.9	87.0	82.1	59.6	1.2	3.2	2.5	3.1	Oceania
5.2	9.0	85.7	80.8	58.8	1.0	3.2	2.5	3.1	Australia/New Zealand
11.7	3.1	93.9	89.3	58.9	0.9	2.5	3.0	3.5	Polynesia
21.5	1.2	102.9	100.5	95.7	1.7	3.3	2.7	2.8	Melanesia
13.9	1.8	89.3	84.6	71.3	1.6	4.7	3.2	3.9	Micronesia

Table A.III.4  
Country ranking by percentage of population aged 60 or over, 2007

Country	60 or over	Rank	Country	60 or over	Rank
Japan	27.9	1	TFYR Macedonia	15.9	49
Italy	26.4	2	Ireland	15.5	50
Germany	25.3	3	Netherlands Antilles	14.9	51
Sweden	24.1	4	Republic of Korea	14.6	52
Greece	23.4	5	Guadeloupe	14.5	53
Austria	23.3	6	Armenia	14.4	54
Bulgaria	22.9	7	Argentina	14.1	55
Belgium	22.9	8	Republic of Moldova	13.9	56
Latvia	22.8	9	Israel	13.7	57
Portugal	22.8	10	Barbados	13.6	58
Switzerland	22.7	11	Singapore	13.5	59
Finland	22.6	12	Albania	12.4	60
Croatia	22.5	13	Chile	12.2	61
France	21.9	14	Dem. People's Rep. of Korea	11.8	62
Denmark	21.9	15	China, Macao SAR	11.5	63
Estonia	21.8	16	China	11.4	64
United Kingdom	21.8	17	Trinidad and Tobago	11.4	65
Spain	21.7	18	Sri Lanka	11.2	66
Hungary	21.3	19	Kazakhstan	11.1	67
Slovenia	21.2	20	Thailand	11.0	68
Czech Republic	21.1	21	Jamaica	10.3	69
Ukraine	21.0	22	Lebanon	10.3	70
Lithuania	20.9	23	Réunion	10.2	71
Norway	20.7	24	Mauritius	10.0	72
Channel Islands	20.1	25	Bahamas	9.8	73
Malta	20.1	26	Saint Lucia	9.7	74
Netherlands	20.1	27	New Caledonia	9.7	75
Bosnia and Herzegovina	19.9	28	Guam	9.4	76
Romania	19.5	29	Brazil	9.2	77
Serbia and Montenegro	18.8	30	Suriname	9.2	78
Canada	18.7	31	Panama	9.1	79
Luxembourg	18.4	32	Azerbaijan	9.1	80
Belarus	18.3	33	St. Vincent and the Grenadines	9.1	81
United States Virgin Islands	18.2	34	Tonga	8.9	82
Australia	18.1	35	Tunisia	8.8	83
Georgia	18.1	36	Costa Rica	8.7	84
Puerto Rico	17.5	37	Ecuador	8.6	85
Uruguay	17.5	38	Indonesia	8.5	86
Martinique	17.5	39	Mexico	8.2	87
Poland	17.4	40	Turkey	8.2	88
New Zealand	17.4	41	French Polynesia	8.2	89
Cyprus	17.4	42	India	8.1	90
United States of America	17.2	43	Venezuela	8.0	91
Russian Federation	17.1	44	Peru	8.0	92
Slovakia	16.8	45	Colombia	7.9	93
Iceland	16.4	46	Myanmar	7.9	94
China, Hong Kong SAR	16.1	47	El Salvador	7.8	95
Cuba	16.1	48	Guyana	7.7	96

Country	60 or over	Rank	Country	60 or over	Rank
Lesotho	7.6	97	Jordan	5.3	145
Kyrgyzstan	7.5	98	Mozambique	5.2	146
Viet Nam	7.4	99	Cape Verde	5.2	147
Malaysia	7.4	100	United Republic of Tanzania	5.2	148
Egypt	7.3	101	Tajikistan	5.0	149
South Africa	7.2	102	Nicaragua	5.0	150
Bhutan	7.1	103	Brunei Darussalam	5.0	151
Morocco	6.9	104	Maldives	5.0	152
French Guiana	6.9	105	Micronesia (Fed. States of)	5.0	153
Bolivia	6.9	106	Senegal	4.9	154
Libyan Arab Jamahiriya	6.9	107	Togo	4.9	155
Fiji	6.8	108	Timor-Leste	4.9	156
Algeria	6.6	109	Djibouti	4.9	157
Samoa	6.6	110	Bahrain	4.9	158
Iran (Islamic Republic of)	6.6	111	Madagascar	4.8	159
Dominican Republic	6.5	112	Syrian Arab Republic	4.8	160
Western Sahara	6.3	113	Nigeria	4.8	161
Philippines	6.3	114	Ethiopia	4.7	162
Guatemala	6.3	115	Malawi	4.7	163
Gabon	6.2	116	Zambia	4.7	164
Turkmenistan	6.1	117	Saudi Arabia	4.7	165
Gambia	6.1	118	Guinea-Bissau	4.6	166
Uzbekistan	6.1	119	Chad	4.6	167
Haiti	6.1	120	Iraq	4.5	168
Central African Republic	6.0	121	Congo	4.5	169
Belize	6.0	122	Occupied Palestinian Terr.	4.4	170
Pakistan	5.9	123	Comoros	4.4	171
Equatorial Guinea	5.9	124	Afghanistan	4.4	172
Nepal	5.9	125	Benin	4.4	173
Ghana	5.9	126	Oman	4.4	174
Cambodia	5.8	127	Dem. Rep. of the Congo	4.2	175
Sudan	5.8	128	Solomon Islands	4.2	176
Bangladesh	5.8	129	Burkina Faso	4.2	177
Honduras	5.7	130	Somalia	4.2	178
Guinea	5.7	131	Mali	4.1	179
Mongolia	5.7	132	Kenya	4.1	180
Paraguay	5.7	133	Burundi	4.1	181
Swaziland	5.7	134	Papua New Guinea	4.0	182
Cameroon	5.7	135	Eritrea	4.0	183
Zimbabwe	5.5	136	Rwanda	4.0	184
Botswana	5.5	137	Angola	3.9	185
Namibia	5.5	138	Uganda	3.8	186
Sierra Leone	5.5	139	Yemen	3.7	187
Sao Tome and Principe	5.4	140	Liberia	3.6	188
Côte d'Ivoire	5.4	141	Kuwait	3.4	189
Lao People's Dem. Republic	5.3	142	Niger	3.2	190
Vanuatu	5.3	143	Qatar	2.7	191
Mauritania	5.3	144	United Arab Emirates	1.7	192

Table A.III.5  
Country ranking by median age, 2005

Country	Median age	Rank	Country	Median age	Rank
Japan	42.9	1	United States Virgin Islands	35.0	49
Italy	42.3	2	Barbados	34.7	50
Germany	42.1	3	TFYR Macedonia	34.2	51
Finland	40.9	4	Ireland	34.2	52
Switzerland	40.8	5	Iceland	34.1	53
Belgium	40.6	6	Guadeloupe	34.1	54
Croatia	40.6	7	Puerto Rico	33.3	55
Austria	40.6	8	Republic of Moldova	33.0	56
Bulgaria	40.6	9	China	32.6	57
Slovenia	40.2	10	Uruguay	32.1	58
Sweden	40.1	11	Armenia	31.7	59
Greece	39.7	12	Dem. People's Rep. of Korea	31.1	60
Channel Islands	39.7	13	Qatar	30.9	61
Denmark	39.5	14	Chile	30.6	62
Latvia	39.5	15	Thailand	30.5	63
Portugal	39.5	16	Mauritius	30.4	64
Netherlands	39.3	17	Bahrain	29.8	65
France	39.3	18	Sri Lanka	29.6	66
Czech Republic	39.0	19	Kuwait	29.5	67
Ukraine	39.0	20	Trinidad and Tobago	29.4	68
United Kingdom	39.0	21	Kazakhstan	29.4	69
China, Hong Kong SAR	38.9	22	Réunion	29.3	70
Estonia	38.9	23	United Arab Emirates	29.0	71
Hungary	38.8	24	Israel	28.9	72
Canada	38.6	25	Argentina	28.9	73
Spain	38.6	26	New Caledonia	28.4	74
Norway	38.2	27	Albania	28.3	75
Luxembourg	38.1	28	Guam	28.1	76
Malta	38.1	29	Bahamas	27.6	77
Bosnia and Herzegovina	38.0	30	Azerbaijan	27.5	78
Lithuania	37.8	31	French Polynesia	26.9	79
Belarus	37.8	32	Brazil	26.8	80
Singapore	37.5	33	Lebanon	26.8	81
Russian Federation	37.3	34	Tunisia	26.8	82
Romania	36.7	35	Indonesia	26.5	83
Australia	36.6	36	Turkey	26.3	84
China, Macao SAR	36.6	37	Brunei Darussalam	26.2	85
Poland	36.5	38	Costa Rica	26.1	86
Serbia and Montenegro	36.5	39	Panama	26.1	87
Martinique	36.4	40	Guyana	25.7	88
Netherlands Antilles	36.2	41	Saint Lucia	25.6	89
United States of America	36.1	42	Myanmar	25.5	90
New Zealand	35.8	43	Colombia	25.4	91
Slovakia	35.6	44	Suriname	25.1	92
Cuba	35.6	45	Mexico	25.0	93
Georgia	35.5	46	Jamaica	24.9	94
Cyprus	35.3	47	Viet Nam	24.9	95
Republic of Korea	35.1	48	Malaysia	24.7	96

Country	Median age	Rank	Country	Median age	Rank
Venezuela	24.7	97	Cape Verde	19.3	145
St. Vincent and the Grenadines	24.6	98	Lesotho	19.2	146
Fiji	24.5	99	Solomon Islands	19.2	147
India	24.3	100	Iraq	19.1	148
Morocco	24.2	101	Lao People's Dem. Republic	19.1	149
Peru	24.2	102	Maldives	18.9	150
Ecuador	24.0	103	Djibouti	18.9	151
French Guiana	24.0	104	Cameroon	18.8	152
Algeria	24.0	105	Zimbabwe	18.7	153
Libyan Arab Jamahiriya	23.9	106	Comoros	18.7	154
Kyrgyzstan	23.8	107	Namibia	18.6	155
Mongolia	23.7	108	Côte d'Ivoire	18.5	156
South Africa	23.5	109	Sierra Leone	18.4	157
Iran (Islamic Republic of)	23.4	110	Timor-Leste	18.4	158
Turkmenistan	23.3	111	Mauritania	18.4	159
Dominican Republic	23.3	112	United Republic of Tanzania	18.2	160
El Salvador	23.3	113	Senegal	18.2	161
Egypt	22.8	114	Swaziland	18.1	162
Western Sahara	22.7	115	Guatemala	18.1	163
Uzbekistan	22.6	116	Central African Republic	18.1	164
Oman	22.3	117	Guinea	18.0	165
Philippines	22.2	118	Kenya	17.9	166
Bangladesh	22.1	119	Togo	17.9	167
Tonga	21.8	120	Somalia	17.9	168
Saudi Arabia	21.6	121	Madagascar	17.8	169
Jordan	21.3	122	Mozambique	17.7	170
Belize	21.2	123	Benin	17.6	171
Bolivia	20.8	124	Equatorial Guinea	17.6	172
Paraguay	20.8	125	Nigeria	17.5	173
Syrian Arab Republic	20.6	126	Ethiopia	17.5	174
Cambodia	20.3	127	Rwanda	17.5	175
Sudan	20.1	128	Eritrea	17.4	176
Nepal	20.1	129	Occupied Palestinian Terr.	17.1	177
Bhutan	20.1	130	Burundi	17.0	178
Pakistan	20.0	131	Zambia	16.7	179
Haiti	20.0	132	Afghanistan	16.7	180
Botswana	19.9	133	Angola	16.6	181
Ghana	19.8	134	Yemen	16.5	182
Honduras	19.8	135	Liberia	16.3	183
Gambia	19.8	136	Congo	16.3	184
Nicaragua	19.7	137	Chad	16.3	185
Papua New Guinea	19.7	138	Malawi	16.3	186
Vanuatu	19.6	139	Dem. Rep. of the Congo	16.3	187
Micronesia (Fed. States of)	19.6	140	Burkina Faso	16.2	188
Sao Tome and Principe	19.6	141	Guinea-Bissau	16.2	189
Gabon	19.4	142	Mali	15.8	190
Samoa	19.4	143	Niger	15.5	191
Tajikistan	19.3	144	Uganda	14.8	192



Table A.III.6  
Country ranking by ageing index, 2007

Country	Ageing index	Rank	Country	Ageing index	Rank
Japan	201.0	1	China, Macao SAR	79.7	49
Italy	189.8	2	United States Virgin Islands	79.5	50
Germany	182.3	3	Ireland	77.0	51
Bulgaria	172.5	4	Iceland	76.7	52
Greece	166.0	5	Armenia	74.9	53
Latvia	164.4	6	Singapore	74.8	54
Austria	156.1	7	Barbados	74.0	55
Slovenia	155.9	8	Uruguay	73.2	56
Czech Republic	150.7	9	Netherlands Antilles	68.3	57
Croatia	150.0	10	Guadeloupe	59.9	58
Ukraine	149.5	11	China	55.9	59
Spain	149.2	12	Trinidad and Tobago	54.9	60
Estonia	148.3	13	Argentina	54.8	61
Portugal	144.3	14	Chile	51.5	62
Switzerland	142.9	15	Kazakhstan	50.1	63
Sweden	142.8	16	Israel	49.7	64
Hungary	140.1	17	Dem. People's Rep. of Korea	49.1	65
Belgium	139.2	18	Albania	48.0	66
Lithuania	134.3	19	Sri Lanka	47.9	67
Finland	134.3	20	Thailand	47.5	68
Romania	130.3	21	Mauritius	42.0	69
Belarus	126.9	22	Azerbaijan	38.0	70
Channel Islands	126.3	23	Réunion	37.9	71
Bosnia and Herzegovina	125.5	24	Lebanon	37.2	72
United Kingdom	124.7	25	Tunisia	35.6	73
France	121.1	26	Bahamas	35.4	74
Malta	119.9	27	New Caledonia	35.4	75
Denmark	117.9	28	Saint Lucia	35.4	76
China, Hong Kong SAR	116.1	29	Jamaica	34.2	77
Russian Federation	114.0	30	Brazil	33.7	78
Netherlands	112.6	31	St. Vincent and the Grenadines	32.1	79
Poland	112.3	32	Costa Rica	31.9	80
Canada	110.3	33	Guam	31.9	81
Norway	108.0	34	Suriname	31.0	82
Slovakia	106.1	35	Indonesia	30.9	83
Serbia and Montenegro	105.4	36	Panama	30.6	84
Georgia	101.2	37	French Polynesia	30.2	85
Luxembourg	98.6	38	Turkey	28.6	86
Australia	95.0	39	Myanmar	28.1	87
Cyprus	91.8	40	Mexico	27.6	88
Cuba	87.4	41	Ecuador	27.3	89
TFYR Macedonia	85.5	42	Guyana	26.9	90
Martinique	84.3	43	Viet Nam	26.5	91
New Zealand	84.0	44	Venezuela	26.5	92
United States of America	83.9	45	Colombia	26.2	93
Republic of Korea	83.4	46	India	26.1	94
Republic of Moldova	81.6	47	Peru	25.7	95
Puerto Rico	81.1	48	Tonga	25.6	96

Country	Ageing index	Rank	Country	Ageing index	Rank
Kyrgyzstan	24.8	97	Syrian Arab Republic	13.3	145
Iran (Islamic Republic of)	24.5	98	Lao People's Dem. Republic	13.3	146
El Salvador	23.6	99	Nicaragua	13.3	147
Malaysia	23.5	100	Equatorial Guinea	13.2	148
Algeria	23.2	101	Guinea	13.2	149
Libyan Arab Jamahiriya	23.1	102	Côte d'Ivoire	13.0	150
Morocco	22.8	103	Oman	13.0	151
South Africa	22.4	104	Saudi Arabia	12.9	152
Egypt	22.2	105	Micronesia (Fed. States of)	12.8	153
Fiji	21.9	106	Sierra Leone	12.8	154
French Guiana	20.7	107	Maldives	12.6	155
Dominican Republic	20.4	108	Qatar	12.6	156
Turkmenistan	20.4	109	United Republic of Tanzania	12.4	157
Lesotho	20.1	110	Mauritania	12.3	158
Mongolia	19.6	111	Mozambique	12.0	159
Uzbekistan	19.3	112	Djibouti	12.0	160
Western Sahara	19.1	113	Timor-Leste	11.8	161
Bhutan	19.0	114	Senegal	11.8	162
Bahrain	18.7	115	Togo	11.4	163
Bolivia	18.5	116	Iraq	11.2	164
Philippines	18.5	117	Madagascar	11.1	165
Brunei Darussalam	17.4	118	Nigeria	11.0	166
Belize	17.0	119	Ethiopia	10.7	167
Bangladesh	16.7	120	Comoros	10.6	168
Haiti	16.5	121	Solomon Islands	10.5	169
Samoa	16.3	122	Zambia	10.3	170
Cambodia	16.2	123	Papua New Guinea	10.2	171
Gabon	15.9	124	Benin	10.0	172
Pakistan	15.8	125	Malawi	9.9	173
Paraguay	15.5	126	Occupied Palestinian Terr.	9.8	174
Nepal	15.5	127	Guinea-Bissau	9.7	175
Gambia	15.4	128	Chad	9.7	176
Ghana	15.4	129	Kenya	9.6	177
Honduras	15.0	130	Afghanistan	9.5	178
Sudan	15.0	131	Congo	9.4	179
Botswana	14.9	132	Somalia	9.4	180
Guatemala	14.7	133	Rwanda	9.3	181
Jordan	14.5	134	Burundi	9.2	182
Swaziland	14.3	135	Eritrea	9.0	183
Zimbabwe	14.2	136	Dem. Rep. of the Congo	8.9	184
Central African Republic	14.2	137	Burkina Faso	8.9	185
Kuwait	14.1	138	Mali	8.6	186
Cameroon	14.0	139	Angola	8.5	187
Sao Tome and Principe	13.9	140	Yemen	8.0	188
Namibia	13.8	141	United Arab Emirates	7.9	189
Vanuatu	13.6	142	Liberia	7.7	190
Cape Verde	13.5	143	Uganda	7.4	191
Tajikistan	13.4	144	Niger	6.6	192