



Country Fact Sheet Central African Republic

LAND AND POPULATION	Year	Value	Unit						
Area									
Country total area	2016	62 298	1 000 ha						
Cultivated area (arable land + permanent crops)	2016	1 880	1 000 ha						
Population									
Total population	2017	4 659	1 000						
Population density	2017	7.479	inhab/km ²						
Rural population	2017	2 629	1 000						
Economically active population in agriculture	2014	1 283	1 000						
As % of total economically active population	2014	59.18	%						
RENEWABLE WATER RESOURCES (RWR)	Year	Value	Unit						
Long-term average annual precipitation									
Depth		1 343	mm/year						
Volume		836.7	km ³ /year						
Long-term average annual RWR									
Internal (IRWR)		141	km ³ /year						
External (ERWR)		0	km ³ /year						
Total Actual (TRWR)		141	km ³ /year						
Dependency ratio		0	%						
TRWR per capita	2017	30 264	m ³ /year						
Total dam capacity		-	km ³						
WATER WITHDRAWAL	Year	Value	Unit						
By sector									
Agricultural	2005	0.0004	km ³						
Municipal	2005	0.0601	km ³						
Industrial	2005	0.012	km ³						
Total	2005	0.0725	km ³						
Total water withdrawal per capita	2005	16.96	m ³						
By source									
Surface water withdrawal		-	km ³						
Groundwater withdrawal		-	km ³						
Total freshwater withdrawal	2005	0.0725	km ³						
Desalinated water produced		-	km ³						
Direct use of treated municipal wastewater		-	km ³						
Direct use of agricultural drainage water		-	km ³						
Pressure on water resources									
Total freshwater withdrawal as % of TRWR	2005	0.0514	%						
Agricultural water withdrawal as % of TRWR	2005	0.0003	%						
IRRIGATION AREAS	Year	Value	Unit						
Area equipped for irrigation									
Full control irrigation	1987	0.135	1 000 ha						
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Equipped lowland areas		-	1 000 ha						
Spate irrigation		-	1 000 ha						
Total area equipped for irrigation	1987	0.135	1 000 ha						
As % of cultivated area	1987	0.0067	%						
Area actually irrigated	1987	0.069	1 000 ha						
As % of area equipped for irrigation	1987	51.11	%						

Notes: 1 km³ = 10⁹ m³ = 1 000 million m³; 1 ha = 1 hectare = 10 000 m²