



## Country Fact Sheet Cameroon

LAND AND POPULATION	Year	Value	Unit									
<b>Area</b>												
Country total area	2016	47 544	1 000 ha									
Cultivated area (arable land + permanent crops)	2016	7 750	1 000 ha									
<b>Population</b>												
Total population	2017	24 054	1 000									
Population density	2017	50.59	inhab/km <sup>2</sup>									
Rural population	2017	10 420	1 000									
Economically active population in agriculture	2014	3 815	1 000									
As % of total economically active population	2014	42.63	%									
RENEWABLE WATER RESOURCES (RWR)	Year	Value	Unit									
<b>Long-term average annual precipitation</b>												
Depth		1 604	mm/year									
Volume		762.6	km <sup>3</sup> /year									
<b>Long-term average annual RWR</b>												
Internal (IRWR)		273	km <sup>3</sup> /year									
External (ERWR)		10.15	km <sup>3</sup> /year									
Total Actual (TRWR)		283.1	km <sup>3</sup> /year									
Dependency ratio		3.585	%									
TRWR per capita	2017	11 769	m <sup>3</sup> /year									
<b>Total dam capacity</b>	2015	15.61	km <sup>3</sup>									
WATER WITHDRAWAL	Year	Value	Unit									
<b>By sector</b>												
Agricultural	2000	0.737	km <sup>3</sup>									
Municipal	2005	0.2468	km <sup>3</sup>									
Industrial	2005	0.1046	km <sup>3</sup>									
<b>Total</b>	2000	0.9664	km <sup>3</sup>									
Total water withdrawal per capita	2000	60.08	m <sup>3</sup>									
<b>By source</b>												
Surface water withdrawal		-	km <sup>3</sup>									
Groundwater withdrawal		-	km <sup>3</sup>									
<b>Total freshwater withdrawal</b>	2000	0.9664	km <sup>3</sup>									
Desalinated water produced		-	km <sup>3</sup>									
Direct use of treated municipal wastewater		-	km <sup>3</sup>									
Direct use of agricultural drainage water		-	km <sup>3</sup>									
<b>Pressure on water resources</b>												
Total freshwater withdrawal as % of TRWR	2000	0.3414	%									
Agricultural water withdrawal as % of TRWR	2000	0.2603	%									
IRRIGATION AREAS	Year	Value	Unit									
<b>Area equipped for irrigation</b>												
Full control irrigation	2000	22.45	1 000 ha									
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Equipped lowland areas	2000	0.404	1 000 ha									
Spate irrigation	2000	2.8	1 000 ha									
<b>Total area equipped for irrigation</b>	2000	25.65	1 000 ha									
As % of cultivated area	2000	0.3582	%									
Area actually irrigated		-	1 000 ha									
As % of area equipped for irrigation		-	%									

Notes: 1 km<sup>3</sup> = 10<sup>9</sup> m<sup>3</sup> = 1 000 million m<sup>3</sup>; 1 ha = 1 hectare = 10 000 m<sup>2</sup>