

Summary Fact Sheet

Iraq

Land and Population	Year	Value	Unit									
Area												
Country total area	2007	43 832	1 000 ha									
Cultivated area	2007	5 450	1 000 ha									
Population												
Total population	2008	30 096	1 000									
Population density	2007	67.27	inhab/km ²									
Rural population	2008	10 075	1 000									
Total economically active population in agriculture	2008	455	1 000									
Renewable Water Resources	Year	Value	Unit									
Long-term average annual precipitation												
In depth		216	mm/year									
In volume		94.68	km ³ /year									
Renewable water resources												
Total average annual internal (IRWR)		35.2	km ³ /year									
Total average annual actual external (ERWR)		40.41	km ³ /year									
Total average annual actual (ARWR)		75.61	km ³ /year									
Dependency ratio		53.45	%									
Total actual per capita	2008	2 512	m ³ /year									
Total dam capacity	2000	139.7	km ³									
Water Withdrawal	Year	Value	Unit									
By sector												
Agricultural water withdrawal	2000	52	km ³									
Municipal water withdrawal	2000	4.3	km ³									
Industrial water withdrawal	2000	9.7	km ³									
Total water withdrawal	2000	66	km ³									
Total water withdrawal per capita	2002	2 525	m ³									
By source												
Surface water withdrawal		-	km ³									
Groundwater withdrawal		-	km ³									
Total freshwater withdrawal	2000	64.49	km ³									
Desalinated water produced	2000	0.0074	km ³									
Reused treated wastewater	2000	0	km ³									
Freshwater withdrawal												
Total freshwater withdrawal as percentage of ARWR	2002	85.29	%									
Agricultural freshwater withdrawal as percentage of ARWR	2002	68.77	%									
Irrigation and Drainage	Year	Value	Unit									
Area equipped for irrigation												
Full control irrigation	1990	3 525	1 000 ha									
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Equipped lowland areas	1990	0	1 000 ha									
Spate irrigation	1990	0	1 000 ha									
Total area equipped for irrigation	1990	3 525	1 000 ha									
As percentage of cultivated area	1992	58.07	%									
Actually irrigated	1990	1 935	1 000 ha									
Other agricultural water managed area	1990	0	1 000 ha									

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