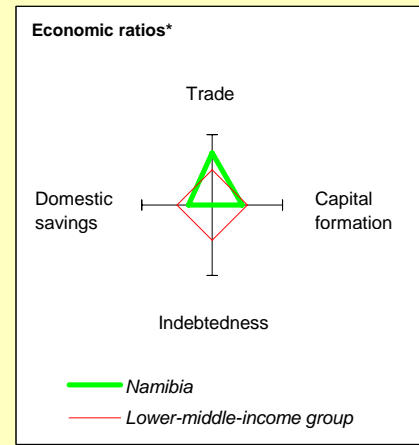
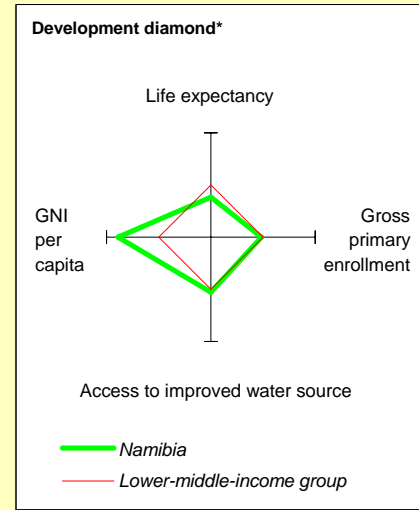


Namibia at a glance

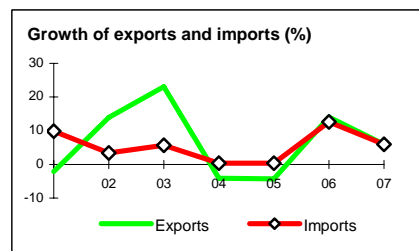
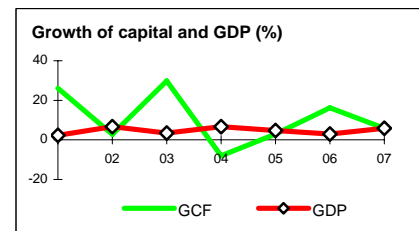
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	Namibia	Sub-Saharan Africa	Lower-middle-income		
POVERTY and SOCIAL					
2007					
Population, mid-year (<i>millions</i>)	2.1	800	3,437		
GNI per capita (<i>Atlas method, US\$</i>)	3,360	952	1,887		
GNI (<i>Atlas method, US\$ billions</i>)	7.0	762	6,485		
Average annual growth, 2001-07					
Population (%)	1.3	2.5	1.1		
Labor force (%)	1.8	2.6	1.5		
Most recent estimate (latest year available, 2001-07)					
Poverty (% of population below national poverty line)		
Urban population (% of total population)	36	36	42		
Life expectancy at birth (<i>years</i>)	52	51	69		
Infant mortality (<i>per 1,000 live births</i>)	45	94	41		
Child malnutrition (% of children under 5)	..	27	25		
Access to an improved water source (% of population)	93	58	88		
Literacy (% of population age 15+)	85	59	89		
Gross primary enrollment (% of school-age population)	107	94	111		
Male	107	99	112		
Female	107	88	109		
KEY ECONOMIC RATIOS and LONG-TERM TRENDS					
	1987	1997	2006	2007	
GDP (<i>US\$ billions</i>)	1.9	3.6	6.6	6.7	
Gross capital formation/GDP	14.8	20.2	29.4	30.1	
Exports of goods and services/GDP	55.5	47.5	54.5	50.0	
Gross domestic savings/GDP	1.1	10.2	28.4	25.6	
Gross national savings/GDP	12.1	23.5	42.2	41.5	
Current account balance/GDP	3.6	2.5	15.2	19.7	
Interest payments/GDP	
Total debt/GDP	
Total debt service/exports	
Present value of debt/GDP	
Present value of debt/exports	
	1987-97	1997-07	2006	2007	2007-11
<i>(average annual growth)</i>					
GDP	4.0	4.3	2.9	5.9	4.2
GDP per capita	0.5	2.7	1.6	4.5	2.9
Exports of goods and services	4.7	5.0	14.1	5.9	4.2



STRUCTURE of the ECONOMY

	1987	1997	2006	2007
<i>(% of GDP)</i>				
Agriculture	12.6	10.9	10.9	11.2
Industry	38.3	27.9	30.6	30.1
Manufacturing	12.5	11.1	13.9	11.4
Services	49.2	61.2	58.5	58.6
Household final consumption expenditure	66.7	59.6	47.9	49.5
General gov't final consumption expenditure	32.2	30.2	23.7	24.9
Imports of goods and services	69.1	57.5	55.5	54.5
	1987-97	1997-07	2006	2007
<i>(average annual growth)</i>				
Agriculture	4.5	2.2	-0.7	1.0
Industry	2.5	4.9	2.1	8.3
Manufacturing	3.3	3.6	-8.6	13.9
Services	5.0	4.8	3.9	5.8
Household final consumption expenditure	1.3	2.3	-2.5	6.2
General gov't final consumption expenditure	4.0	2.2	1.8	5.3
Gross capital formation	7.5	8.3	16.2	5.9
Imports of goods and services	3.4	3.6	12.6	5.9



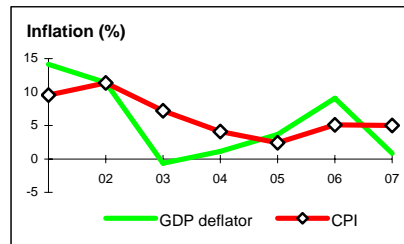
Note: 2007 data are preliminary estimates.

This table was produced from the Development Economics LDB database.

* The diamonds show four key indicators in the country (in bold) compared with its income-group average. If data are missing, the diamond will be incomplete.

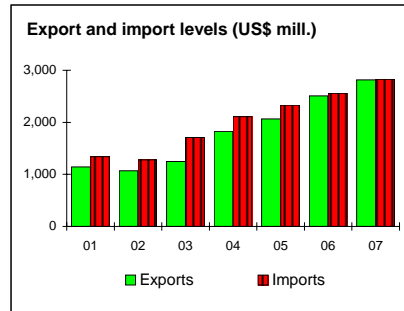
PRICES and GOVERNMENT FINANCE

	1987	1997	2006	2007
Domestic prices				
(% change)				
Consumer prices	12.6	8.8	5.1	5.0
Implicit GDP deflator	9.0	7.1	9.1	0.8
Government finance				
(% of GDP, includes current grants)				
Current revenue	25.5	31.5	33.6	36.5
Current budget balance	-7.1	0.8	5.2	7.0
Overall surplus/deficit	-15.2	-4.4	-0.3	-0.8



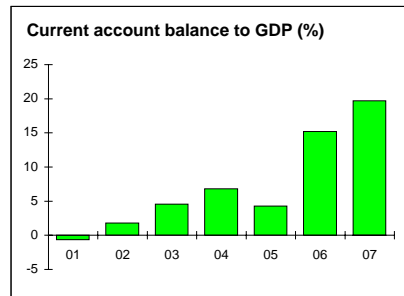
TRADE

	1987	1997	2006	2007
(US\$ millions)				
Total exports (fob)	946	1,365	2,507	2,818
Diamonds	256	542	1,073	1,096
Other minerals	371	253	374	544
Manufactures	246	223	848	930
Total imports (cif)	933	1,644	2,560	2,830
Food	..	352	548	606
Fuel and energy	..	97	151	167
Capital goods	..	545	849	939
Export price index (2000=100)	..	90	102	96
Import price index (2000=100)	..	100	94	93
Terms of trade (2000=100)	..	89	108	103



BALANCE of PAYMENTS

	1987	1997	2006	2007
(US\$ millions)				
Exports of goods and services	1,042	1,723	3,177	3,577
Imports of goods and services	1,185	2,149	2,974	3,287
Resource balance	-143	-425	203	290
Net income	-107	71	-85	-58
Net current transfers
Current account balance	70	90	999	1,328
Financing items (net)	..	-68	-858	-1,287
Changes in net reserves	..	-22	-140	-41
Memo:				
Reserves including gold (US\$ millions)	..	254	513	554
Conversion rate (DEC, local/US\$)	2.0	4.6	6.8	7.0



EXTERNAL DEBT and RESOURCE FLOWS

	1987	1997	2006	2007
(US\$ millions)				
Total debt outstanding and disbursed
IBRD
IDA
Total debt service
IBRD
IDA
Composition of net resource flows				
Official grants
Official creditors
Private creditors
Foreign direct investment (net inflows)
Portfolio equity (net inflows)
World Bank program				
Commitments
Disbursements
Principal repayments
Net flows
Interest payments
Net transfers