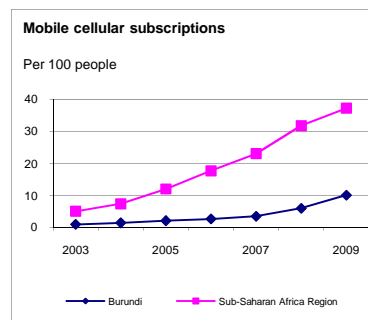
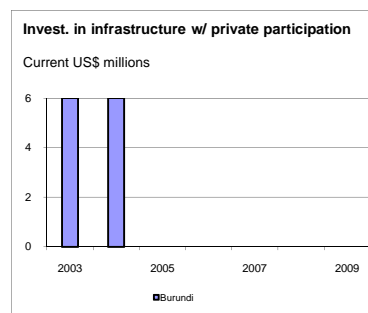
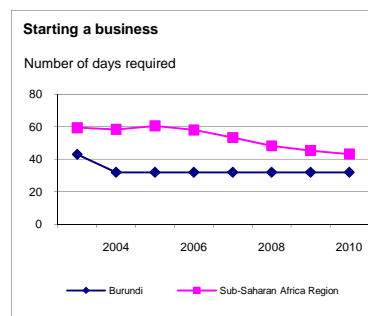
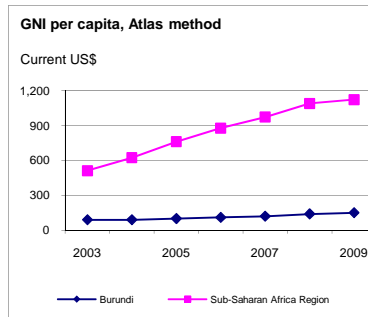




Burundi

| | Burundi | | Low-income group | Sub-Saharan Africa Region |
|---|---------|---------|------------------|---------------------------|
| | 2000 | 2009 | 2009 | 2009 |
| Economic and social context | | | | |
| Population (millions) | 6.5 | 8.3 | 846 | 840 |
| Labor force (millions) | 3.1 | 4.6 | 384 | 341 |
| Unemployment rate (% of labor force) | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| GNI per capita, <i>World Bank Atlas</i> method (\$) | 120 | 150 | 509 | 1,125 |
| GDP growth, 1995–2000 and 2000–09 (average annual %) | -0.7 | 3.0 | 5.4 | 5.1 |
| Agriculture value added (% of GDP) | 40.4 | 34.8 | 26.1 | 13.1 |
| Industry value added (% of GDP) | 18.8 | 20.0 | 24.4 | 29.5 |
| Manufacturing value added (% of GDP) | 8.7 | 8.8 | 12.4 | 12.7 |
| Services value added (% of GDP) | 40.8 | 45.1 | 49.5 | 57.3 |
| Inflation (annual % change in CPI) | 24.3 | 11.0 | | |
| Exchange rate (local currency units per \$) | 720.7 | 1,230.2 | | |
| Exports of goods and services (% of GDP) | 7.8 | 10.7 | 23.2 | 29.7 |
| Imports of goods and services (% of GDP) | 19.9 | 47.0 | 35.9 | 33.5 |
| Business environment | | | | |
| Ease of doing business (ranking 1-183; 1=best, June 2010) | .. | 181 | | |
| Time to start a business (days, June 2010) | .. | 32 | 41 | 43 |
| Procedures to start a business (number, June 2010) | .. | 11 | 8 | 9 |
| Firing cost (weeks of wages, June 2010) | .. | 26.0 | 71.0 | 66.2 |
| Closing a business (years to resolve insolvency, June 2010) | .. | .. | 3.7 | 3.4 |
| Total tax rate (% of profit, June 2010) | .. | 153.4 | 76.5 | 68.2 |
| Profit tax (% of commercial profits, June 2010) | .. | 19.4 | 24.8 | 23.3 |
| New businesses registered (thousands) | .. | .. | | |
| New business density (new registrations per working age population) | .. | .. | | |
| Enterprise surveys | | | | |
| Time dealing with gov't officials (% of management time) | .. | 5.7 | | |
| Firms expected to give gifts in meetings with tax officials (%) | .. | 22.6 | | |
| Firms using banks to finance investments (% of firms) | .. | 12.3 | | |
| Delay in obtaining an electrical connection (days) | .. | 24.1 | | |
| ISO certification ownership (% of firms) | .. | 7.1 | | |
| Private sector investment | | | | |
| Investment in infrastructure with private participation (\$ millions) | | | | |
| Telecommunications | 36 | 0.0 | 4,779 | 11,333 |
| Energy | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Transport | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Water and sanitation | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Private foreign direct investment, net (% of GDP) | 1.6 | 0.0 | 2.7 | 3.1 |
| Gross fixed capital formation (% of GDP) | 6.1 | 16.4 | 22.9 | 22.3 |
| Gross fixed private capital formation (% of GDP) | 0.8 | 1.7 | 15.8 | 13.4 |
| Finance and banking | | | | |
| Government cash surplus or deficit (% of GDP) | -2.4 | .. | -1.4 | -1.0 |
| Government debt (% of GDP) | 162.6 | .. | .. | .. |
| Deposit money banks' assets (% of GDP) | 20.4 | 24.2 | 31.8 | 53.2 |
| Total financial system deposits (% of GDP) | 14.5 | 31.5 | 30.6 | 40.3 |
| Bank capital to asset ratio (%) | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Bank nonperforming loans to total gross loans (%) | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Domestic credit to the private sector (% of GDP) | 25.0 | 21.7 | 26.3 | 65.1 |
| Real interest rate (%) | 2.3 | 0.4 | | |
| Interest rate spread (percentage points) | .. | .. | 11.5 | 8.5 |
| Infrastructure | | | | |
| Paved roads (% of total roads) | 7.1 | 10.4 | 12.0 | 12.1 |
| Electric power consumption (kWh per capita) | .. | .. | 231 | 531 |
| Power outages in firms in a typical month (number) | .. | 12.0 | | |
| Mobile cellular subscriptions (per 100 people) | 0.3 | 10.1 | 26.6 | 37.3 |
| Internet users (per 100 people) | 0.1 | 0.8 | 2.7 | 8.8 |



Notes: Figures in italics are for years other than those specified. .. indicates data are not available. GDP refers to gross domestic product; GNI refers to gross national income. World Bank, Development Economics Data Group and Investment Climate Department of the Financial and Private Sector Development Vice Presidency.