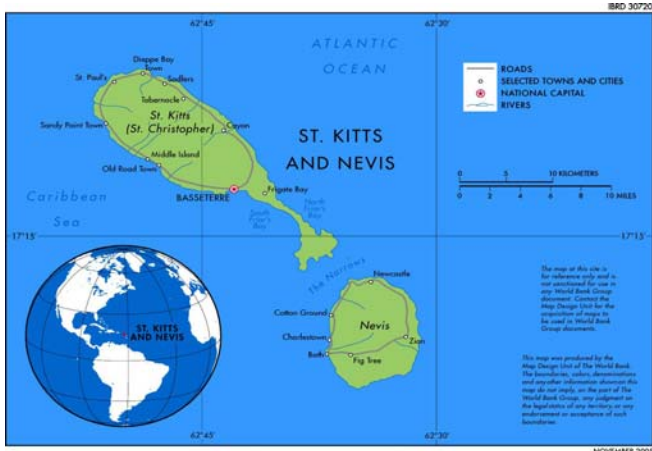


St. Kitts and Nevis

Environment at a Glance 2008



General Facts

	2003	2004	2005	2006
Population (millions)	0.047	0.047	0.048	0.048
GDP (US\$ millions)	362	399	429	477
GNI per capita (US\$, Atlas)	6,780	7,930	8,460 ..	
Gross Saving (% of GNI)	15.4	23.7	21.3 ..	
Net Nat. Saving (% of GNI)	1.6	10.0	7.6 ..	
Adjust. Net Sav. (% of GNI)	..	..	..	..

Additional information

St. Kitts and Nevis is an Upper middle income country in Latin America and Caribbean. As highlighted in this factsheet, natural resources play a minor role in the country's total wealth composition. Main environmental issues include: among others.

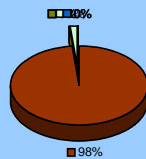
Where is the Wealth of St. Kitts and Nevis?

US\$ per capita (2005)

Total Wealth	119,674
Produced Capital	43,800
Natural Capital	3,086
Intangible Capital	72,788

* Source: World Bank, 2006, *Where is the Wealth of Nations?*, World Bank: Washington DC

Natural capital composition



International Commitments

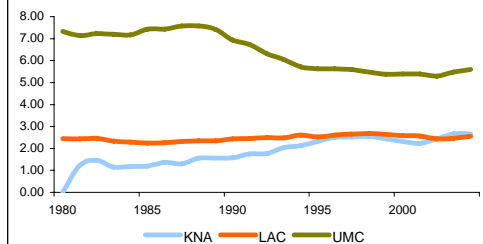
	Year Ratified
Vienna Convention (ozone)	..
UNFCCC (climate change)	..
UNCLOS (law of the sea)	..
UNCCD (desertification treaty)	..
Ramsar Convention (wetlands)	..
Kyoto Protocol (climate change)	..
Convention on Biological Diversity	..
CMS (migratory species treaty)	..
CITES (species trade treaty)	..
Stockholm Convention (POPs)	..
Montreal Protocol (ozone)	..

Pollution

Emissions

	Year	KNA	Latin America and Caribbean	Upper middle income
CO2 Emissions (kt)	2004	125	1,381,845	4,427,835
CO2 Emissions (metric tons per capita)	2004	2.7	2.5	5.6
CO2 Em. (kg p/ 2000 US\$ of GDP)	2004	0.2	0.3	0.6
Methane emissions (1000 kt.mt of CO2 eq.)	..	..	..	..
NOx emissions (1000 mt of CO2 eq.)	..	..	..	..

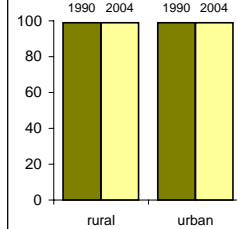
CO2 emissions (metric tons per capita)



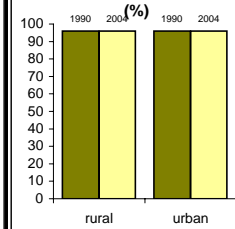
Access to Water and Sanitation

	Year	KNA	Latin America and Caribbean	Upper middle income
Access to improved water source				
% of population with access	2004	100.0	90.9	92.7
% of rural population with access	2004	99.0	73.0	77.8
% of urban population with access	2004	99.0	96.0	97.7
Access to improved sanitation facilities				
% of population with access	2004	95.0	77.0	81.4
% of rural population with access	2004	96.0	48.6	59.9
% of urban population with access	2004	96.0	85.7	88.6

Access to Improved Water Source (%)



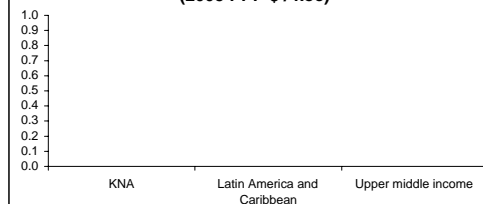
Access to Improved Sanitation Facilities (%)



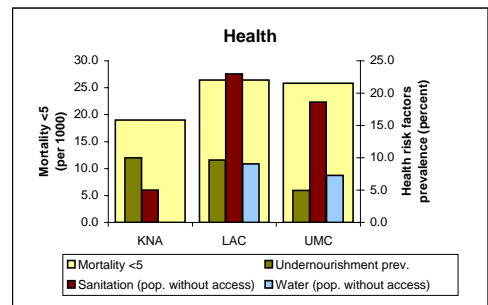
Transport and Energy

	Year	KNA	Latin America and Caribbean	Upper middle income
GDP / energy use (2005 PPP \$ / koe)
Energy use per capita (koe)
Average annual % growth (1990-2005)	0.9	-0.9
Electric power cons. (kwh per capita)
Comb. ren. and waste (% of tot. en. use)
Motor vehicles (per 1,000 people)
Passenger cars (per 1,000 people)

GDP per unit of energy use (2005 PPP \$ / koe)

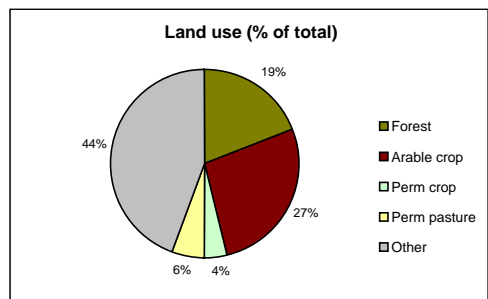


Environmental Health	Year	KNA	Latin America	Upper
			and Caribbean	middle income
Mortality rate, under 5 (per 1,000)	2006	19.0	26.4	25.8
Mortality rate, infant (per 1,000 live births)	2006	16.8	22.3	22.1
Diarrhea treatment (% of children under 5)	...	..	..	..
ARI treat. (% of children under 5)	...	..	..	..
Undernourishment prev. (% of population)	2004	10.0	9.6	5.0
PM10 concentration (micrograms/m3)	2005	18	37	32.8
PM10 health damages (% of GNI)	2002	0.1	0.5	0.6

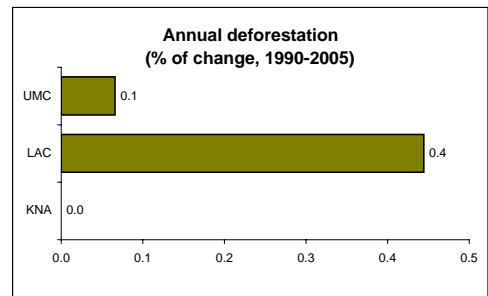


Natural Resources

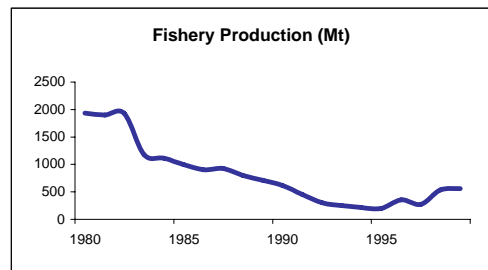
Rural Space	Year	KNA	Latin America	Upper
			and Caribbean	middle income
Rural population (% of total)	2006	67.8	22.3	24.8
Land area (sq.km)	2002	260	20,156,480	40,493,147
Arable cropland area (%)	2005	26.9	7.2	8.5
Permanent cropland area (%)	2005	3.8	1.0	0.7
Permanent pasture area (%)	2003	5.6	28.0	16.3
Irrigated land (% of cropland)	...	..	..	..
Fertilizer cons. (100 g/ha arable land)	...	..	..	..
Tractors per 100 km2 of arable land	2003	221	122	153
Land under cereal production (1000 ha)	...	..	..	..
Cereal yield (kg per ha)	...	..	..	..



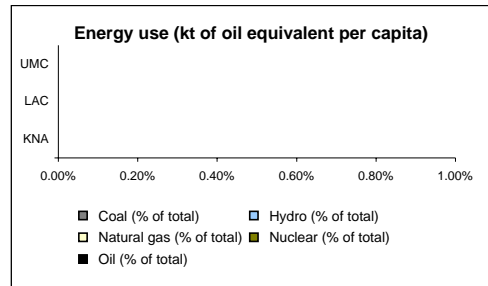
Forests and Biodiversity	Year	KNA	Latin America	Upper
			and Caribbean	middle income
Forest Area (sq.km)	2005	50	9,147,420	15,672,580
Annual deforestation (% of change)	2005	0.0	0.4	0.1
National protected area (% of land area)	...	..	..	..
Mammals species, number	2004	7	..	..
Mammal species, number threatened	2004	1	..	..
Bird species, number	2004	132	..	..
Bird species, threatened	2004	2	..	..
Plant species, number	2004	659	..	..
Plant species, threatened	2004	2	..	..



Fisheries	Year	KNA	Latin America	Upper
			and Caribbean	middle income
Total Fish Catch - Production (Mt)	1999	560	..	..
Total Fish Catch - Exports (Mt)	1999	2	..	..
Total Fish Catch - Imports (Mt)	1999	10	..	..
Marine Protected Areas (% of surface area)	2006	..	..	..



Energy Sources	Year	KNA	Latin America	Upper
			and Caribbean	middle income
Total energy production (koe)
Energy use (koe)
Net energy imports (% of energy use)
Electricity production (kwh in millions)
Sources of electricity:				
Coal (% of total)
Hydro (% of total)
Natural gas (% of total)
Nuclear (% of total)
Oil (% of total)



Water Resources	Year	KNA	Latin America	Upper
			and Caribbean	middle income
Freshwater res. per capita (cubic m.)
Freshwater use (% of total)
Agricultural water use (% of use)
Domestic water use (% of use)
Industrial water use (% of use)

