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RHD: The Roads and Highways Department

LGED: Local Government Engineering Department

LGI: Local Government Institutions

WB: World Bank estimates based on the data provided by RHD, LGED and LGI

WDI: World Bank World Development Indicators

HIES: HIES: Based on Bangladesh HIES 2000; calculated by the WB staff

BRTA: Bangladesh Road Transport Authority; BRTA Vehicle Registration Statistics as of January 8, 2006

WB 2: Road Funds, User Charges and Taxes, by Kenneth M. Gwilliam Zmarak M. Shalizi, WB Discussion Paper, September 1997

WB 3: WB Local Staff

GTZ: <http://www.gtz.de/fuelprices>

BSS: Bangladesh Selected Statistics. Encyclopaedia Britannica 2002.

LBG-BCL: Compiled from the Strategic Transport Report for DUTP by the Louis Berger Group and BCL Ltd.

Average: Average figures for the South Asia region

Range: Range of figures for the South Asia region

Core Railway Performance Indicators

Country	Bangladesh			Average	Range
Year	2007				
Railway Network					
Total Track	km	3,973	Year	Source	
			2006	BRIB	
Total Route	km	2,835	2006	BRIB	
By Gauge	route-km				
Broad Gauge		659.3	2006	BRIB	
Metre Gauge		1,800.9	2006	BRIB	
Dual Gauge		374.8	2006	BRIB	
By Type					
Single Track		1,697.0	2006	WBS	
Double Track		1,563.0	2003	WBS	
Electrified		N/A			
Three Tracks					
Railway Access					
Total Population	million	144	Year	Source	
			2006	WDI	
Total Land Area	sq km	130,170	2006	WDI	
Railway Density in terms of					
Population	rail route km/1,000 people	0.02	2006	WBSC	0.031 0.0008-0.06
Land Area	rail route km/sq km land	0.022	2006	WBSC	0.012 0.00004-0.02
Railway Traffic Density of Passenger	passengers/rail route km/yr	15,696	2006	WBSC	46,709 10,452-98,205
Railway Traffic Density of Freight	tonnes/rail route km/yr	1,079	2006	WBSC	2,958 153-11,492
Goods Transported Annually by Rail	million tonnes/yr	3.06	2006	BDIB	
Passengers Transported Annually by Rail	million passengers/yr	44.5	2006	BDIB	
Affordability					
Average Rail Tariff			Year	Source	
Freight	US\$/ton km	0.022	2006	BRIB	0.044 0.013-0.14
Passenger	US\$ per passenger per km	0.006	2006	BRIB	0.012 0.003-0.03

Railway Finance			Year	Source		
Rail Passenger Revenue	US\$/pass-km	0.0055	2006	BRIB	0.0055	0.0041-0.006
Rail Freight Revenue	US\$/ton-route km	0.0021	2006	BRIB	0.0013	0.0002-0.0048
No. of Employees		34,206	2006	BDRW		
No. of Passenger Coaches		1,341	2006	BDIB		
No. of Freight Wagons		13,230	2006	BDIB		
No. of Main Line Locomotives Operational, Total		285	2006	BDIB		
Electric		0	2006	BDIB		
Diesel		285	2006	BDIB		
Railway Passenger Share (% of total passenger domestic travel)	%	17%	2003-04	WB PD		6%-17%
Railway Freight Haulage Share (% of total freight domestic carriage)	%	15%	2003-04	WB PD		3.9%-15%

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WDI: World Bank World Development Indicators

WBSC: World Bank staff's calculations

WBS: World Bank local staff

BDRW: Bangladesh Railway, <http://www.railway.gov.bd/mirror2006.asp>

BRIB: Bangladesh Railway Information Book

WB PD: WB Program Document, Bangladesh Railway Reform Programmatic Development Policy Credit, September 20, 2008

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