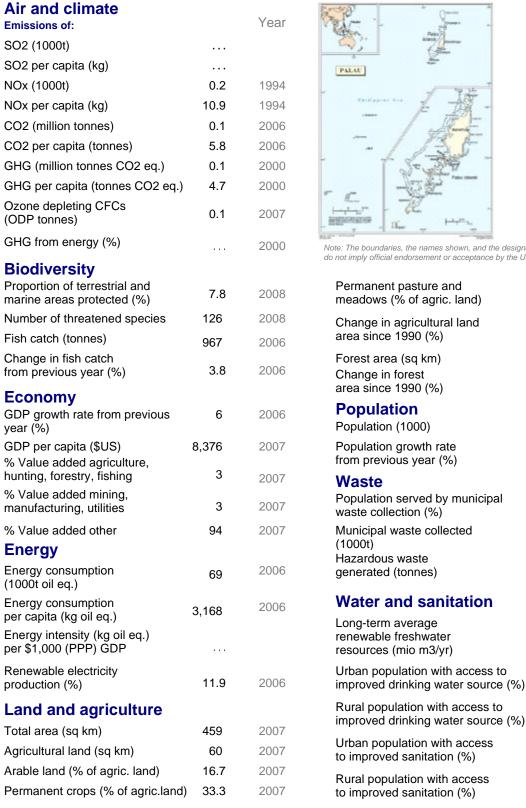
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| Damas and marking and | | Year |
| Permanent pasture and meadows (% of agric. land) | 50.0 | 2007 |
| Change in agricultural land area since 1990 (%) | | |
| Forest area (sq km) | 406 | 2007 |
| Change in forest area since 1990 (%) | 6.8 | 2007 |
| Population | | |
| Population (1000) | 20 | 2008 |
| Population growth rate from previous year (%) | 0.4 | 2008 |
| Waste | | |
| Population served by municipal waste collection (%) | | |
| Municipal waste collected (1000t) | | |
| Hazardous waste generated (tonnes) | | |
| generated (tornies) | ••• | |
| Water and sanitation | | |
| Long-term average renewable freshwater | | |
| resources (mio m3/yr) | • • • | N/A |
| Urban population with access to improved drinking water source (%) | 79 | 2006 |
| Rural population with access to improved drinking water source (%) | 94 | 2006 |

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Environment Statistics Country Snapshot: Palau

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Data Sources

Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations (FAO) Database

Agricultural land, Arable land, Permanent crops, Permanent pasture and meadows, Change in agricultural land area since 1990, Forest area, Change in forest area since 1990, and some of Long-term average renewable freshwater resources data are extracted from FAO.

FAOSTAT: http://faostat.fao.org/

AQUASTAT: http://www.fao.org/nr/water/aquastat/dbase/index.stm

International Union for Conservation of Nature and Natural Resources (IUCN)

Number of threatened species data are extracted from the IUCN.

http://www.iucnredlist.org/

UNdata

Fish catch, Change in fish catch from previous year, Energy intensity (kg oil eq.) per \$1,000 (PPP) GDP, GDP growth rate from previous year, and GDP per capita at current prices data are retrieved from the UNdata portal. UNdata was launched by the United Nations Statistics Division (UNSD) of the Department of Economic and Social Affairs (DESA). It brings the various UN statistical databases within easy reach of users through a single entry point. Users can search and download a variety of statistical resources provided by the UN System. http://data.un.org/

United Nations, Department of Economic and Social Affairs, Population Division, World Population Prospects

All 'per capita' variables use population data figures obtained from this source. Population and Percentage of population growth rate from previous year data are also retrieved from this source.

http://www.un.org/esa/population/

United Nations Framework Convention on Climate Change (UNFCCC) Secretariat

SO2 emissions, SO2 per capita emissions, NOx emissions, NOx per capita emissions, GHG per capita, and Percentage of GHG from energy data are obtained from the UNFCCC Greenhouse Gas Emissions Database.

http://unfccc.int/ghg_emissions_data/items/3800.php

United Nations Statistics Division (UNSD) Demographic Statistics Yearbook

Total area data are extracted from this source.

http://unstats.un.org/unsd/demographic/products/dyb/default.htm

United Nations Statistics Division (UNSD) Energy Statistics Database

Energy consumption, Energy consumption per capita, and Renewable electricity production figures are extracted from the UNSD Energy Statistics Database.

http://unstats.un.org/unsd/energy/default.htm

United Nations Statistics Division (UNSD) Environment Statistics Database

Population served by municipal waste collection, Municipal waste collected, Hazardous waste generated, some of Long-term average renewable freshwater resources, and some of the air emissions data are extracted from the UNSD Environment Statistics Database (note: database also includes data from OECD, and Eurostat).

http://unstats.un.org/unsd/environment/qindicators.htm

United Nations Statistics Division (UNSD) Millennium Development Goals (MDG) Indicator Database

Proportion of terrestrial and marine areas protected, CO2 emissions, CO2 emissions per capita, Ozone-depleting CFCs, Urban population with access to improved drinking water source, Rural population with access to improved drinking water source, Urban population with access to improved sanitation, and Rural population with access to improved sanitation data are extracted from MDG database. http://mdgs.un.org/unsd/mdg/Data.aspx

United Nations Statistics Division (UNSD) National Accounts Database

% value added agriculture, hunting, forestry, fishing; % value added mining, manufacturing, utilities; and % value added other data are obtained from the National Accounts Main Aggregates Database. http://unstats.un.org/unsd/snaama/introduction.asp

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