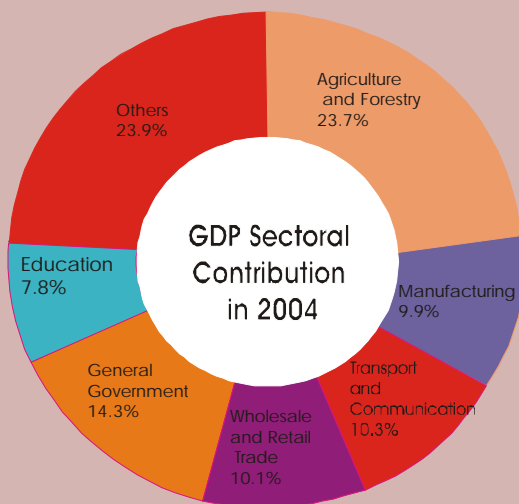




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## **Kenya Facts and Figures 2005**

Kenya Facts and Figures 2005 is your direct route to Kenya's economy through reliable statistics. It enables you to have a complete picture of the Kenya's economy from a single source. This brochure provides, at a glance, a comprehensive picture of Kenya's economy, covering all sectors as well as reflecting the various trends over the last five years, including the immediate previous years.

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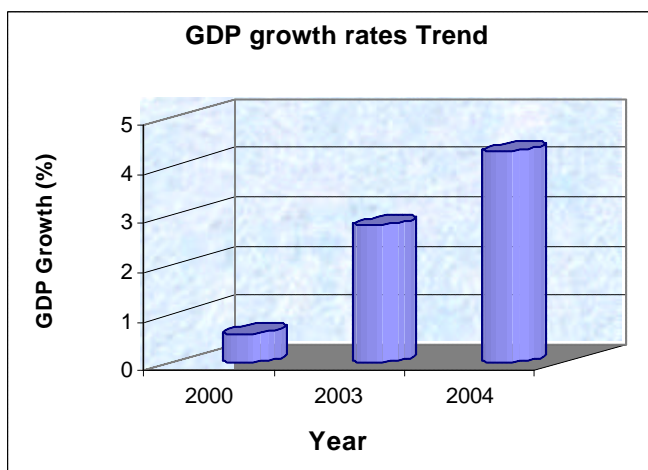
**GENERAL DATA****AREA OF THE COUNTRY**

Water	11,230 Sq. Kilometres
National Parks	25,334 Sq. Kilometres
Others	546,082 Sq. Kilometres
<b>Total</b>	<b>582,646 Sq. Kilometres</b>

<b>DEMOGRAPHY</b>		2000	2003	2004*	
Population					
Male	Million	14.7	15.9	16.3	
Female	"	15.5	16.8	17.3	
Total fertility rate		4.7	4.9	4.9	
Infant Mortality rate		Per 1000	73	78	77
Under 5 Mortality rate		"	110	114	115

<b>NATIONAL ACCOUNTS</b>		2000	2003	2004*	
<b>GDP at market prices</b>					
GDP growth rates		<b>0.6</b>	<b>2.8</b>	<b>4.3</b>	
GDP current prices	KSh billion	967.8	1,141.8	1,273.7	
GDP at constant (2001) prices	"	982.9	1,058.5	1,104.4	
<b>Expenditure category</b>					
Government final consumption		"	145.7	202.9	216.6
Private final consumption		"	757.7	868.5	954.6
Gross fixed capital formation		"	161.7	179.2	208.2
<b>GDP per capita</b>					
At current		KSh	32,771	35,432	38,393
At constant (2001) prices		"	33,280	32,846	33,288
<b>Balance of payments</b>					
Current account balance		KSh billion	-18.1	5.1	-29.6
Invisible balance		"	78.0	91.9	96.5
Merchandise trade balance		"	-96.1	-86.8	-126.1

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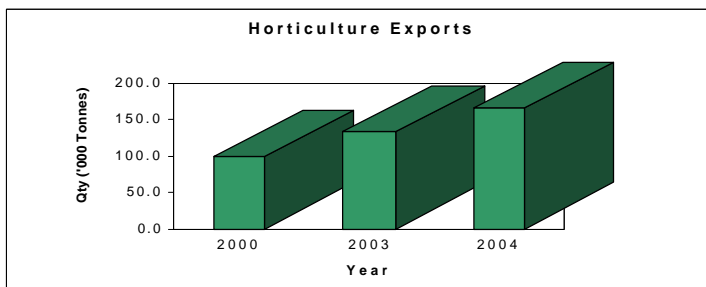
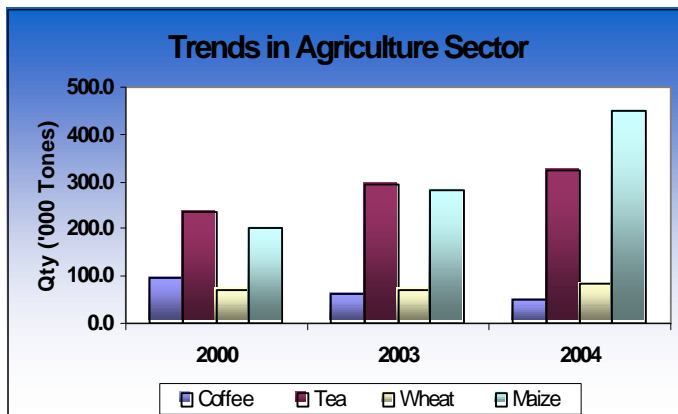


Contribution of Agriculture to Gross Domestic Product+	Per cent	28.4	24.6	23.7
<b>Major commodities marketed</b>				
Coffee <sup>1</sup>	'000 Tonnes	98.0	61.2	49.9
Tea	'	236.3	293.7	324.6
Wheat	'	70.5	72.0	84.1
Maize	'	201.2	280.5	448.5
Sugar - cane	mn. tonnes'	3.9	4.2	4.7
Pyrethrum extract	Tonnes	74.2	106.9	41.9
Milk	Million Litres	137.0	203.0	274.0
Forest plantation area	' 000 ha.	147.2	125.1	132.3
Horticulture exports	'000 Tonnes	99.2	133.2	166.1

\* Provisional

<sup>1</sup> Deliveries to boards and factories

+base year=2001



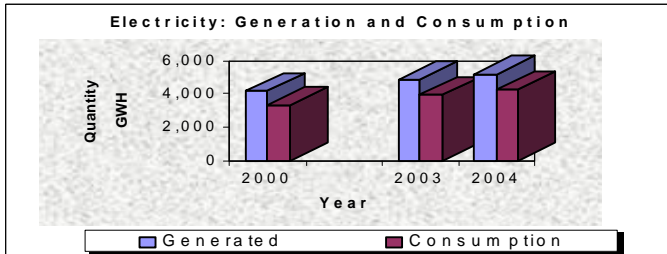
MANUFACTURING		2000	2003*	2004*
Quantity index ( 1976=100)		281.4	290.6	298.5
<b>Production of selected commodities</b>				
Wheat Flour	'000 Tonnes	188.9	245.9	258.8
Milk	Mn Litres	85	131.2	161.4
Sugar	'000 Tonnes	402.0	448.0	516.8
Beer and Stout	Mn Litres	202.9	222.3	237.5
Cigarettes	Mn sticks	6,009.0	4,753.0	5,351.0
Soap	'000 Tonnes	91.0	149.4	132.6
Cement	'000 Tonnes	1,347.9	1,659.5	1,873.3
Galvanised iron sheets	'000 Tonnes	136.9	137.2	157.6

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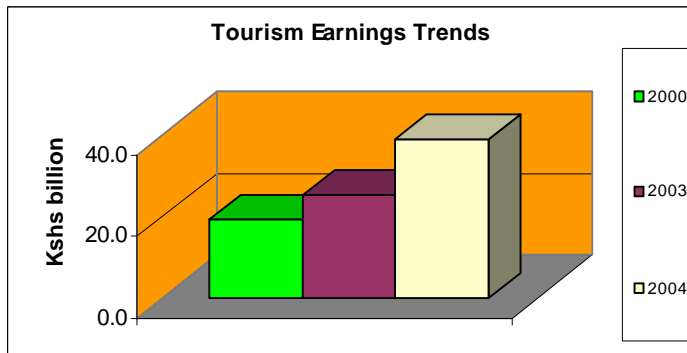
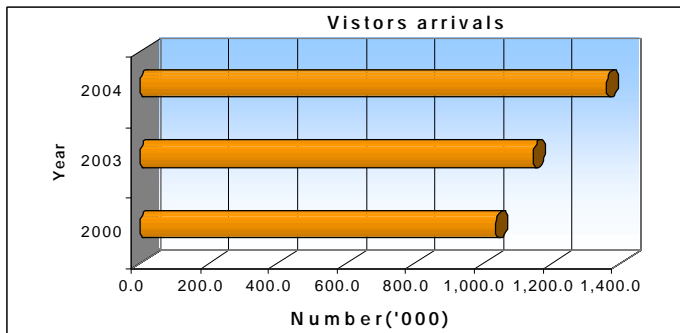
<b>Electricity<sup>2</sup></b>				
Installed capacity	MW	1,160.4	1,142.2	1,198.1
Generated	Mn KWH	4,178.9	4,851.6	5,194.5
Consumption	"	3,320.7	3,910.4	4,234.1
Imports	"	220.5	189.4	161.9
<b>Petroleum</b>				
Oil refinery output	'000 Tonnes	2,012.8	1,492.1	1,702.8
Petroleum fuel consumption	'000 Tonnes	2,448.1	2,128.7	2,374.5
Crude oil import	'000 Tonnes	2,452.3	1,382.6	2,043.8

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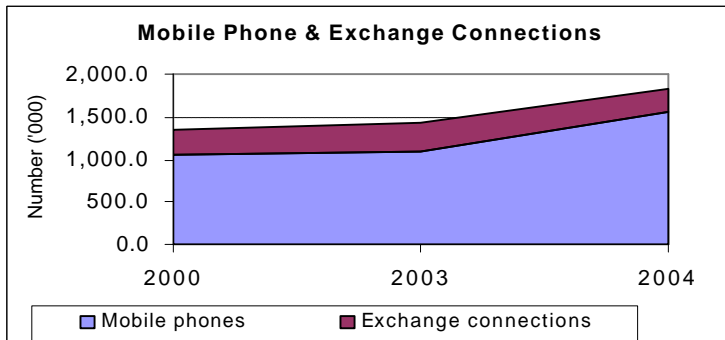
<sup>2</sup> Excludes estimates for industrial establishments with generation capacity



<b>TOURISM</b>		<b>2000</b>	<b>2003</b>	<b>2004*</b>
Visitors arriving	('000)	1,036.5	1,146.2	1,360.7
Visitors to Parks	('000)	1,644.9	1,540.6	1,810.7
Visitors to Museum & historic sites	('000)	585.1	686.3	699.0
Tourism earnings	KSh billion	19.6	25.8	39.2
Hotel bed nights available	('000)	9,382.3	7,765.7	10,030.7
Hotel bed nights occupied	('000)	3,687.8	2,605.9	3,791.5



Air Passengers handled	'000's	4,362.7	4,747.0	3,009.0
Air freight handled	'000' Tonnes	165.8	210.6	236.3
Freight handled by Kenya Railways	'000 Tonnes	2,400.0	1,999.0	1,890.0
Freight handled by Kenya Ports	"	9,127.0	11,931.0	12,920.0
Newly registered vehicles	No.	20,236	33,768	42,482
Number of mobile phones	'000's	1,061.0	1,097.0	1,558.0
No. of tel. exchange connections	'000's	296.0	328.0	273.0
Card phones	No.	1,000	2,789	3,000



<b>MONEY and BANKING</b>		2000	2003	2004*
Money and Quasi-money (M2)	KSh billion	297.9	381.0	419.8
Net foreign reserves	"	83.6	125.1	143.1
Private domestic credit	"	289.5	302.3	368.7

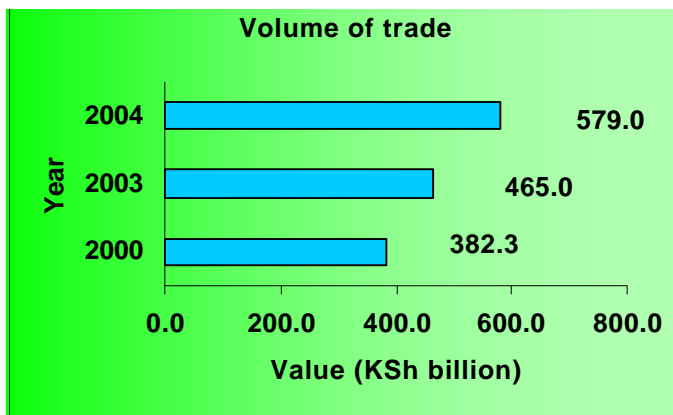
<b>PUBLIC FINANCE <sup>3</sup></b>		2000	2003	2004*
Total revenue (Current & Capital)	KSh billion	184.6	205.7	256.9
<b>Current</b>				
Direct taxes	"	53.3	66.7	70.9
Custom & excise	"	57.1	54.1	69.5
VAT & other non-direct	"	46.6	57.4	62.8
<b>Capital</b>				
Current surplus/deficit	"	26.3	-8.8	23.2
External borrowing	"	-8.9	16.4	5.6
Internal borrowing	"	11.9	46.9	8.8
<b>Total expenditure</b>		225.7	303.7	352.6
General public administration	"	27.9	41.1	40.1
Defence	"	10.4	17.6	19.9
Social services	"	59.7	101.2	113.2
Economic services	"	28.2	35.0	39.5
Other services	"	83.9	101.1	126.8
Debt service charges	"	78.9	91.6	114.9
Exports of goods & Services		211.4	271.8	338.5
Debt service charges as a ratio of export of goods and services	Per cent	16.1	11.9	7.9
Public debt outstanding	KSh billion	568.6	642.3	708.4

\* Estimates

<sup>3</sup> Figures in Fiscal Year, e.g. 2002/03 represents June 2002-June 2003

<b>TRADE</b>		2000	2003	2004*
Imports (c.i.f)	KSh billion	247.8	281.8	364.2
Domestic exports (f.o.b)	"	119.8	136.7	159.1
Re-exports (f.o.b.)	"	14.8	46.4	55.7
Total exports (f.o.b.)	"	134.5	183.2	214.8
<b>Volume of trade</b>	"	382.3	465.0	579.0

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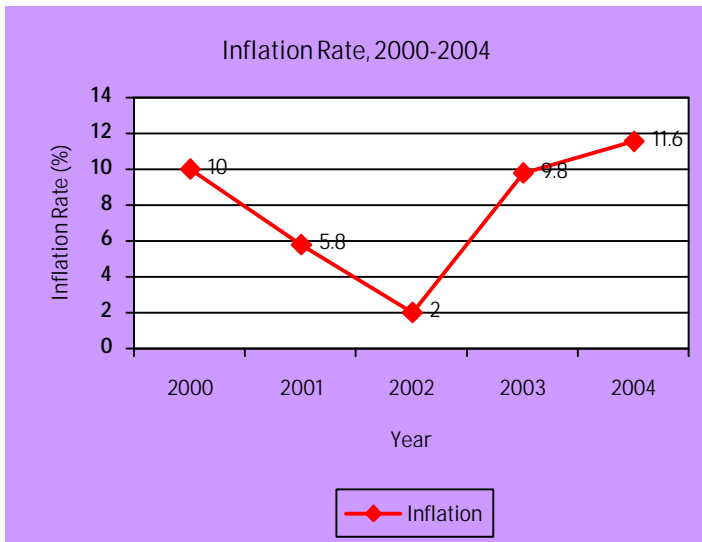
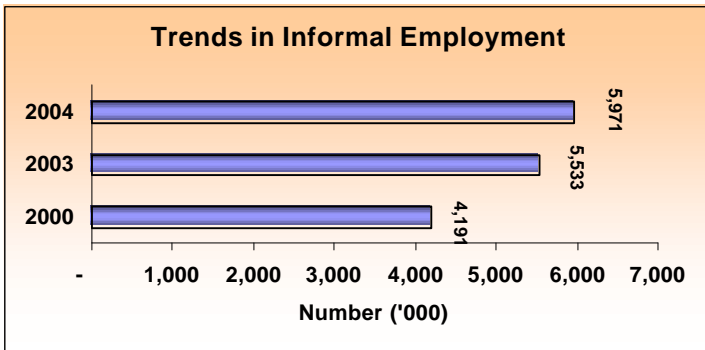
TRADE		2000	2003	2004*
<b>Total imports by broad economic category</b>				
Food & beverages	KSh billion	19.1	15.0	14.4
Industrial supplies	"	68.0	87.0	109.2
Fuels & lubricants	"	63.3	66.3	91.4
Machinery & other equipment	"	39.2	38.7	51.6
Transport Equipment	"	41.4	36.8	40.4
Consumer goods n.e.s	"	15.8	23.1	26.2
Total exports to COMESA	KSh billion	45.6	61.8	74.8
Total imports from COMESA	"	4.3	11.9	14.6
<b>Imports of major commodities</b>				
Crude petroleum	KSh billion	41.9	25.4	46.0
Refined petroleum products	"	21.8	39.5	43.1
Motor vehicles	"	9.7	18.0	24.4
Iron & steel	"	8.6	12.5	21.3
Plastics	"	8.4	11.2	15.4
Wheat	"	7.0	6.1	6.8
Medicaments	"	6.0	9.7	11.6
Fertilizers	"	5.4	6.5	11.1
<b>Exports of major commodities</b>				
Tea	KSh billion	35.0	33.0	36.1
Horticulture	"	21.2	36.5	39.5
Coffee, unroasted	"	11.7	6.3	6.9
Petroleum products	"	9.4	0.07	1.10
Iron and steel	"	2.6	4.0	7.5
Fish	"	3.0	4.0	4.2
Medicaments	"	2.4	2.2	2.3
Cement	"	1.4	2.0	2.0

INDICES	2000	2003	2004*
Consumer Price Index (Oct 1997=100)	123.9	146.7	163.7
Inflation Rate	6.2	9.8	11.6
Export Price Index (1982=100)	620.0	620.0	638.0
Import Price Index (1982=100)	739.0	762.0	824.0
Trade Weighted Exchange Rate Index	594.2	664.0	723.2
Terms of trade index	84.0	81.0	77.0
Building Cost Index (1972=100)	3,808.8	3,872.4	4,275.2
Civil Engineering Cost Index (1972=100)	2,816.4	3,425.1	3,624.6

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WAGES EMPLOYMENT IN MODERN		2000	2003	2004*
Public	'000's	692.5	659.1	657.4
Private	'000's	1,002.9	1,068.2	1,106.3
Total	'000's	1,695.4	1,727.3	1,763.7

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Inflation trends has been increasing since 2002 due to increase in food and fuel prices

EMPLOYMENT BY SECTOR		2000	2003	2004*
Agriculture & Forestry	000'S	312.2	316.1	320.6
Mining & Quarrying	000'S	5.3	5.4	5.5
Manufacturing	000'S	218.7	239.8	242.0
Electricity & Water	000'S	22.7	21.1	20.9
Building & Construction	000'S	78.6	76.6	77.3
Trade, Restaurant & Hotels	000'S	155.5	162.8	168
Transport & Communications	000'S	84.2	86.8	98.3
Finance , Insurance, Real Estate & Bus	000'S	85	83.7	85.2
Community, Social & Personal Services	000'S	733.1	735.0	745.9
Employment in Informal Sector	000'S	4,191.1	5,532.7	5,970.6
Real Average earnings	Kshs p.a	132,839	167,893	175,218

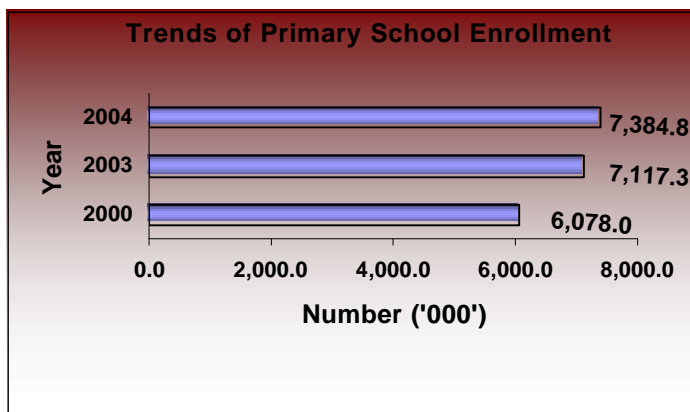
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EDUCATION		2000	2003	2004*
Enrollment in Primay Schools	('000)	6,078.0	7,117.3	7,384.8
Enrollment in Secondary Schools	('000)	759.0	880.0	912.6
Enrollment in Universities (4)	('000)	59.2	82.1	91.5
Enrollment in Other Institutions (5)	('000)	24.6	35.9	42.9
Secondary teacher/ Student ratio (public)		1:19	1:19	1:19
Primary teacher/ Student ratio (public)		1:34	1:40	1:41
Percentage of teachers personal emoluments to Ministry of Education total budget	(per cent)	83.4	76.0	71.1

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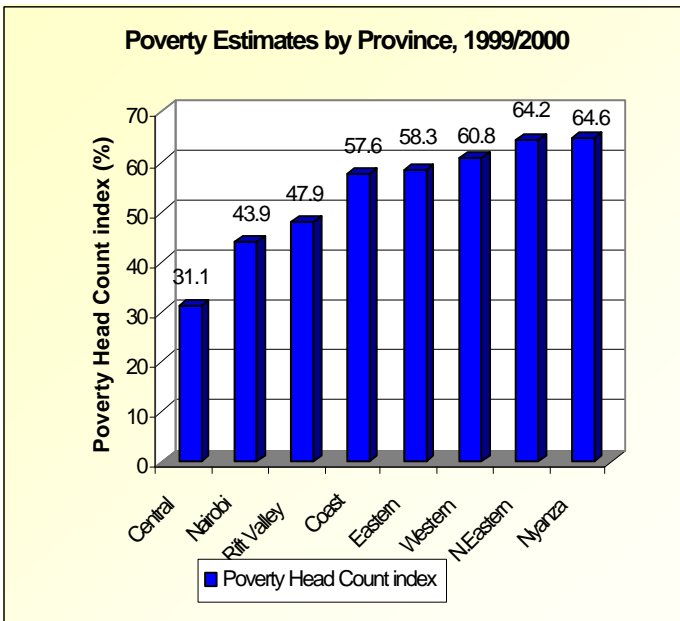
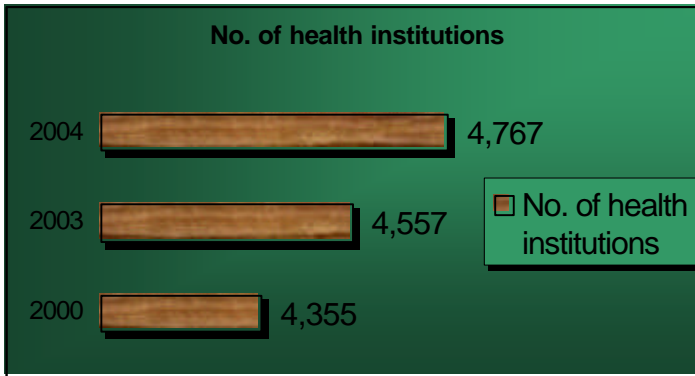
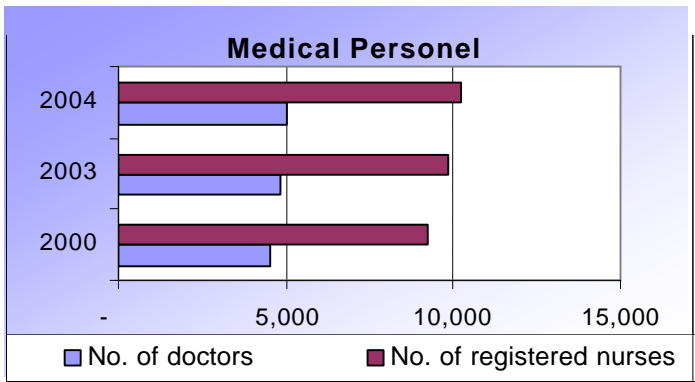
4 Kenya students in national Universities and accredited Universities

5 Includes teacher training colleges, Polytechnics, technical schools and institutions of science



HEALTH		2000	2002	2004*
No. of doctors	Nos	4,506	4,813.0	5,016.0
No. of dentists	Nos	746	772.0	841.0
No. of phamacists	Nos	1,682	1881.0	2570.0
No. of registered nurses	Nos	9,211	9,869.0	10,210.0
No. of beds & cots	Nos	57,416	63,407	65,971
No. of health institutions	Nos	4,355	4,557	4,767

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Poverty incidences varied widely from 31 percent in Central Province (the least poor) 65 percent in Nyanza Province (the most poor). The poverty results are used for the allocation of Constituency Development Fund (CDF)



### Railway Performance:

Value of output from railway transport continued to decline from KSh 4,878 million in 2001 to KSh 4,098million in 2004.

### Pipeline Transport

Pipeline transport output value continued to increase from KSh 6,532 million in 2001 to KSh 6,810 million in 2004.

### Sea Port Performance (KPA)

Port of Mombasa operations recorded marked improved performance in 2004. Ship docking at the port increased from 1,705 in 2003 to 1,779 in 2004, cruisers increased from 49 to 63 in the same period

Number of container traffic handled in 2004 was 438 thousand twenty feet size containers compared to 380 thousand for 2003.

AVERAGE EXCHANGE RATES (KSHS)	2000	2003	2004*
1 US Dollar	78	76.1	77.3
1 Sterling Pound	116.4	135.5	149.0
100 Japanese Yen	68.0	71.2	75.4
1 EURO	72.5	95.6	105.3
1 S.A Rand	10.3	11.5	13.7
TSHS/KES	10.3	13.9	13.5
USHS/KES	22.0	25.5	22.5

For detailed information, please refer to the Economic Survey 2005 Edition

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