

COMMITMENT 12B: To provide access to safe drinking water and adequate sanitation for all

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Average	66	76				Average	66	76			
Afghanistan	20	13	←	100	57	Honduras	64	90	→	100	95
Algeria ^A	77	94	→	100	97	India ^B	85	88	→	100	94
Argentina ^A	64	79	→	100	90	Indonesia ^B	65	76	→	100	88
Australia	95	100	⊙	100	100	Iraq	96	85	⊙	100	93
Bangladesh ^B	84	97	→	100	99	Jamaica	83	71	←	100	86
Barbados ^A	100	100	⊙	100	100	Jordan	96	96	⊙	100	98
Belize	80	76	←	100	88	Kenya	47	49	→	100	75
Benin ^B	70	63	←	100	82	Kiribati ^B	100	47	⊙	100	74
Bhutan	34	62	→	100	81	Kyrgyzstan ^B	81	77	←	100	89
Bolivia	53	79	→	100	90	Lesotho	45	91	→	100	96
Brazil ^A	89	87	←	100	94	Madagascar ^B	16	47	→	100	74
Cambodia ^B	13	30	→	100	65	Malawi ^A	51	57	→	100	79
Cameroon	34	62	→	100	81	Mali ^B	49	65	→	100	83
Canada	100	100	⊙	100	100	Malta ^C	100	100	⊙	100	100
Cape Verde	52	74	→	100	87	Mauritania	41	37	←	100	69
Central African Rep. ^A	19	60	→	100	80	Mauritius ^A	95	100	⊙	100	100
Chad	48	27	←	100	64	Mexico	80	86	→	100	93
Chile ^A	86	94	→	100	97	Mongolia ^A	100	60	⊙	100	80
Colombia ^A	88	91	→	100	96	Morocco ^A	47	82	→	100	91
Comoros	46	96	→	100	98	Mozambique ^A	19	60	→	100	80
Congo	47	51	→	100	76	Myanmar	32	68	→	100	84
Costa Rica ^A	94	98	→	100	99	Namibia	64	77	→	100	89
Côte d'Ivoire ^B	82	77	←	100	89	Nepal	57	81	→	100	91
Cuba ^B	98	95	⊙	100	98	Netherlands ^A	100	100	⊙	100	100
Cyprus	100	100	⊙	100	100	Nicaragua ^A	33	79	→	100	90
Djibouti	24	100	→	100	100	Niger	55	59	→	100	80
Dominica ^D	92	97	→	100	99	Nigeria	47	57	→	100	79
Dominican Republic ^A	52	79	→	100	90	Norway	100	100	⊙	100	100
Ecuador ^A	58	71	→	100	86	Oman ^A	59	39	←	100	70
El Salvador	46	74	→	100	87	Pakistan	55	88	→	100	94
Ethiopia ^A	10	24	→	100	62	Palau ^D	100	79	⊙	100	90
Fiji ^A	79	47	←	100	74	Panama ^A	83	87	→	100	94
Finland ^B	98	100	⊙	100	100	Papua New Guinea	41	42	→	100	71
Gabon ^A	52	70	→	100	85	Paraguay ^A	33	79	→	100	90
Ghana ^B	57	64	→	100	82	Peru ^A	58	77	→	100	89
Grenada ^D	85	94	→	100	97	Philippines	78	87	→	100	94
Guatemala	60	92	→	100	96	Romania ^B	62	58	←	100	79
Guinea ^A	27	48	→	100	74	Rwanda ^A	70	41	←	100	71
Guinea-Bissau	23	49	→	100	75	Samoa (Western) ^A	90	99	→	100	100
Guyana ^B	83	94	→	100	97	Saudi Arabia	76	95	→	100	98
Haiti ^A	42	46	→	100	73	Senegal	50	78	→	100	89

Source: World Development Indicators 1999, World Bank for 1990 data and UN Statistical Division Website (<http://www.un.org/depts/unsd/>) for 2000 data.

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Sri Lanka ^B	53	83	→	100	92	Equatorial Guinea		43		100	72
Sudan ^A	65	75	→	100	88	Eritrea		46		100	73
Switzerland ^A	100	100	⊙	100	100	French Guiana		84		100	92
Syrian Arab Republic	76	80	→	100	90	French Polynesia		100	⊙	100	100
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Tonga	100	100	⊙	100	100	Hungary		99	⊙	100	100
Trinidad and Tobago ^A	96	86	⊙	100	93	Iran, Islamic Rep. of		95	⊙	100	98
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United Kingdom ^B	100	100	⊙→	100	100	Korea, Dem. Rep. of		100	⊙	100	100
United States	90	100	→	100	100	Korea, Rep. of		92		100	96
Uruguay ^A	85	98	→	100	99	Lao People's Dem. Rep.		90		100	95
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Venezuela ^A	89	84	←	100	92	Maldives		100	⊙	100	100
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						Niue		100	⊙	100	100
COUNTRIES WITH NO RECENT DATA						Russian Federation		99	⊙	100	100
Botswana	60			100		Saint Kitts and Nevis		98	⊙	100	99
Burundi	45			100		Saint Lucia		98	⊙	100	99
Malaysia	88			100		Slovakia		100	⊙	100	100
New Zealand ^A	95			100		Solomon Is.		71		100	86
						St. Vincent and Grenadines		93		100	97
COUNTRIES WITH NO STARTING POINT DATA						Suriname		95	⊙	100	98
American Samoa		100	⊙	100	100	Sweden		100	⊙	100	100
Andorra		100	⊙	100	100	Tanzania, U. Rep. of		54		100	77
Angola		38		100	69	Turkey		83		100	92
Austria		100	⊙	100	100	Tuvalu		100	⊙	100	100
Bahamas		96	⊙	100	98	Viet Nam		56		100	78
Belarus		100	⊙	100	100	Yemen		69		100	85
Bulgaria		100	⊙	100	100						
China		75		100	88						

A: 1988 data taken as 1990. B: 1993 data taken as 1990

C: 1994 data taken as 1990. D: 1995 data taken as 1990

Progress index calculation was based on actual date

(*) This goal means a 50% increase in current access to safe drinking water in relation to the current population without coverage.

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