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Preface

This bibliography was produced quickly by the Army Geospatial Center (See: http://www.agc.army.mil/Haiti/index.html) in response to the humanitarian crisis caused by the massive magnitude 7.0 earthquake which struck Haiti in January 2010 with an epicenter about 15 km southwest of the capital, Port-au-Prince. An estimated 2 million people live within the zone of heavy to moderate structural damage. The earthquake is assessed as the worst in this region over the last 200 years.

In support of national response efforts led by the U.S. State Department, the U.S. Agency for International Development, and U.S. Southern Command, and the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers has deployed an initial team of four engineers in response to the earthquake in Haiti. The team includes subject matter experts in civil, structural, electrical, and hydrological engineering. Two additional eight-person Forward Engineer Support Teams from USACE's South Atlantic Division and two platoons of the 249th Engineer Battalion, approximately 40 Soldiers, were placed on alert and ready to deploy. The 249th Engineer Battalion, known as the "Army's Power Company," supplies commercial grade power-related technical services to installations and disaster-relief operations. USACE's South Atlantic Division has identified and is preparing additional structural engineers for deployment if called upon.



Figure 1 U.S. Engineers, Haitians Remove Debris in Turgeau. April 2, 2010. By Chief Mass Communication Specialist James G. Pinsky, NAVFAC Public Affairs. See: http://www.dtic.mil/dtic/pdf/success/c leanup.pdf

In support of this effort, the US Army Corps of Engineers' Army Geospatial Center (AGC) has scanned a number of geological and hydrological maps of Haiti to assist the disaster planners on this mission. This data is used to select locations for supply dumps, emergency hospital locations, sanitation and clean water supplies. Other data on trafficability, transportation and terrain helped with the airlifting of supplies, evacuating the injured, and the prevention of bottlenecks in air, land and water traffic.

The AGC web page has also helped civilian relief agencies in their efforts. The data are available around the world, and the US government, the United Nations and a number of non-governmental

organizations have made use of this data in their humanitarian relief efforts. Some copyrighted and sensitive materials have been placed behind the PKI site,

and are available only to US government civilian and military personnel with CAC

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access and for official use only. However, most of the information on the webpage is from open sources, and thus is available to anyone.

Special thanks are given to all those people outside of the Army Geospatial Center who helped in this emergency project. They include the Reference Staff of the US Geological Survey Library who replied promptly to our requests and made their services so accessible (http://library.usgs.gov/); the public services staff of the Defense Technical Information Center (DTIC) who responded so quickly to our requests, and bent over backwards to make their information available online to the public (http://www.dtic.mil/dtic/index.html); and to the Reference Staff of the Geography and Map Division, The Library of Congress (http://www.loc.gov/rr/geogmap/).

Introduction

The Physical Features of Haiti¹

Haiti is a country of about 28,000 square kilometers, and is about the size of the state of Maryland. It occupies the western third of the Caribbean island of Hispaniola (La Isla Española); the Dominican Republic takes up the eastern two-thirds and borders Haiti on the east. A series of treaties and protocols- the most recent of which was the Protocol of Revision of 1936- set the 388 kilometer long eastern border, which is formed partly by the Pedernales River in the south and the Massacre River in the north.

The Dominican Republic is Haiti's only land border. To the south and west it is bordered by the Caribbean and to the north by the Atlantic Ocean. Cuba lies some 50 miles (80 km) west of Haiti's northern peninsula, across the Windward Passage, a strait connecting the Atlantic to the Caribbean. Jamaica is some 120 miles (190 km) west of the southern peninsula, across the Jamaica Channel, and Great Inagua Island (of The Bahamas) lies roughly 70 miles (110 km) to the north. Haiti claims sovereignty over Navassa (Navase) Island, an uninhabited U.S.-administered islet about 35 miles (55 km) to the west in the Jamaica Channel.

Haiti is shaped like a horseshoe on its side with prominent peninsulas in both the north and the south, and a coastline of 1,771 kilometers long. Its shores are generally rocky, rimmed with cliffs, and indented by a number of excellent natural harbours. The surrounding seas are renowned for their coral reefs. Located between the peninsulas is the Ile de la Gonâve. Northwest of the northern peninsula is the Windward Passage, a strip of water that separates Haiti from Cuba, which is about ninety kilometers away.

Haiti operates five hours behind Greenwich Mean Time (GMT).

Topography:

The generally rugged topography of central and western Hispaniola is reflected in Haiti's name, which derives from the indigenous Arawak place-name Ayti ("Mountainous Land"). Five mountain ranges define Haiti's topography, dividing the country into three regions: the northern region, which includes the northern peninsula; the central region; and the southern region, which includes the southern peninsula. The backbone of the island of Hispaniola consists of four major mountain ranges that extend from west to east.

Haiti's mountains are mainly limestone, although some volcanic formations can be found, particularly in the Massif du Nord. Karstic features, such as limestone caves, grottoes, and subterranean rivers, are present in many parts of the country.

Although Haiti is mostly mountainous, the mountain ranges alternate with fertile but overpopulated lowlands. Haiti's tropical climate is modified by the mountains and subject to periodic droughts and hurricanes.

¹ The data in this introductory section are collected from a number of open literature and common knowledge publications and resources, such as various almanacs, AGI's "Glossary of Geology", various geographical dictionaries and gazetteers; encyclopedias such as the World Survey of Climatology, the Encyclopedia Britannica, Encarta, Water Encyclopedia, etc.; open source government publications and websites from the US Department of State, the Library of Congress, the Defense Technical Information Center, the Food and Agriculture Organization of the UN and many others; the CIA Factbook, and several different reports, articles and books on Haiti from federal government geological and geographical resources.

The lowest point is the Caribbean Sea at 0 meters and the highest peak, the Morne de la Selle, is located in the south, and reaches an altitude of 2,715 meters. Slopes of mountains with more than a 20 percent grade cover nearly two-thirds of the country.

Haiti's irregular coastline forms a long, slender peninsula in the south and a shorter one in the north, separated by the triangular-shaped Gulf of Gonâve. Within the gulf lies Gonâve Island which has an area of approximately 290 square miles (750 square km). There are no navigable rivers in Haiti. The largest lake is Etang Saumâtre, a saltwater body located in southern region.

Lowland plains, which are quite limited in extent, are the most productive agricultural lands and the most densely populated areas. Plains constitute only about 20 percent of Haiti's land, making cultivation difficult.

Northern Region:

The northern region has the country's largest coastal plain, the Plaine du Nord (Northern Plain), which covers an area of 2,000 square kilometers. The Plaine du Nord lies along the northern border with the Dominican Republic, between the Massif du Nord and the North Atlantic Ocean. This lowland area of 2,000 square kilometers is about 150 kilometers long and 30 kilometers wide.

The north's major mountain range, the Massif du Nord (Northern Massif), buttresses this plain. It is a series of parallel chains known in the Dominican Republic as the Cordillera Central. This is an extension of the central mountain range in the Dominican Republic, which begins at Haiti's eastern border, north of the Guayamouc River, and extends to the northwest through the northern peninsula. The Massif du Nord ranges in elevation from 600 to 1,100 meters and has an average elevation of some 4,000 feet (1,200 metres). The Citadel (Citadelle Laferrière), a fortress built by Haitian ruler Henry Christophe in the early 19th century, stands atop one of the peaks overlooking the city of Cap-Haïtien and the narrow coastal plain.

Central Region:

The central region of Haiti consists of two plains and two sets of mountain ranges. The Plateau Central (Central Plateau) extends along both sides of the Guayamouc River, south of the Massif du Nord. It runs eighty-five kilometers from southeast to northwest and is thirty kilometers wide. This interior basin is known as the San Juan Valley in the Dominican Republic and covers an area of more than 2,500 square kilometers. In Haiti it occupies about 150 square miles (390 square km) in the centre of the country. The Guayamouc River splits the Central Plateau and provides some of the country's most fertile soil. The plateau has an average elevation of about 1,000 feet (300 metres), and access to it is difficult through winding roads. (See Transportation and Trafficability.)

The Department du Centre, Haiti's Centre Department is one of the ten Departments of Haiti, and is located in the center of the country, along the border with the Dominican Republic. This Haiti Department is also known as "The Plateau Central". It has an area of 3,675 km² and a population of 564,200 (2002). Its capital is Hinche. It borders the Dominican Republic to the east. The Centre department is divided into 4 arrondissements: Cerca la Source; Hinche; Lascahobas and Mirebalais.²

² Taken from "Haiti Geo.com," at: <u>http://www.haitigeo.com/</u> accessed July 25, 2010.

To the southwest of the Plateau Central are the Montagnes Noires, with elevations of up to approximately 600 meters. It is bounded by two minor mountain ranges on the west and south—respectively, the Cahos Mountains and the Noires Mountains.

Southwest of the Montagnes Noires and oriented around the Artibonite River is the Plaine de l'Artibonite, measuring about 800 square kilometers.

South of this plain lies the third major range, known as the Matheux Mountains (Chaîne des Matheux) in west-central Haiti and the Trou d'Eau Mountains (Chaîne du Trou d'Eau) farther east, corresponds to the Sierra de Neiba in the Dominican Republic. The range forms the northern boundary to the narrow Cul-de-Sac Plain, which is immediately adjacent to Port-au-Prince and includes the brackish Lake Saumâtre on the Dominican border. (The Plaine du Cul-de-Sac is a natural depression, twelve kilometers wide that extends thirty-two kilometers from the border with the Dominican Republic to the coast of the Baie de Port-au-Prince.)

Southern Region:

Haiti's southern region contains a series of small coastal plains as well as the mountains of the Massif de la Selle. It encompasses both of Haiti's highest point Montagne Terrible, 2,684 meters, and the Plaine du Cul-de-Sac, which is a natural depression 12 kilometers wide and 32 kilometers wide.

South of the Cul-de-Sac Plain is the fourth major range, called the Massif de la Selle in Haiti and the Sierra de Baoruco in the Dominican Republic. It rises to 8,773 feet (2,674 metres) at Mount Selle, the highest point in the country. The mountains of the southern peninsula, an extension of the southern mountain chain of the Dominican Republic (the Sierra de Baoruco), extend from the Massif de la Selle in the east to the Massif de la Hotte in the west. The range's highest peak, the Morne de la Selle, is the highest point in Haiti, rising to an altitude of 2,715 meters. The Massif de la Hotte varies in elevation from 1,270 to 2,255 meters.

The range's western extension on the southern peninsula is called the Massif de la Hotte (also known as Massif du Sud), which rises to 7,700 feet (2,345 metres) at Macaya Peak. The Cayes Plain lies on the coast to the southeast of the peak.

Islands:

Haiti's land area includes numerous small islands as well as four large islands: Île de la Gonâve to the west, Île de la Tortue (Tortuga Island) off the north coast, and Île à Vache and Grande Cayemite, are situated, respectively, south and north of the southern peninsula.

Ile de la Gonâve is sixty kilometers long and fifteen kilometers wide with an area of approximately 290 square miles (750 square km). The hills that cross the island rise to heights of up to 760 meters.

Ile de la Tortue is located north of the northern peninsula, separated from the city of Port-de-Paix by a twelve-kilometer channel. The most northerly mountain range, known as the Cordillera Septentrional in the Dominican Republic, occurs in Haiti only on Tortue Island, off the northern coast. Tortue Island has an area of about 70 square miles (180 square km). In the 17th century it was a stronghold of privateers and pirates from various countries.

Caves of Haiti:

Haiti has karst areas throughout most of its surface area, notably in the Hotte range in the south. In fact, "haiti" is also the local term for cone karst. Although caves have been long known in that country, and were often used for religious purposes, most of the exploration and documentation of the caves of Haiti comes from the 1980 Expédition Spéléologique Française (E.S.F.), led by Alan Oddou (Bull. Centre Mediterranéen de Spél., 1980, 2: "Contribution à la Connaissance Spéléologique de la Republique d'Haïti." 33 pages. Their work was facilitated by the previous geological studies of J. Butterlin.

Short caves:

bim Séjourné (vallée de Jacmel) 167 meters deep, altitude 710 meters trouin Sene (massif de la Selle, Seguin) 92 meters deep trouin Seguin (massif de la Selle, Seguin) 72 meters deep trou Maïo 1 oe Nan Cadet (massif de la Selle, Seguin) 65 meters deep trouin de la Scierie (massif de la Selle, Seguin) 63 meters deep

Long Caves:

Trouin Sene (Massif de la Selle, Seguin) 1,668 meters deep Grotte de Port à Piment (massif du Macaya, Port à Piment) 1,000 meters deep Grotte de Conoubois (Camp Perrin) approx 900 meters deep.³

See also: Miller, Gerrit Smith. 1929. "A Second Collection of Mammals from Caves near St. Michel, Haiti." Washington, DC: Smithsonian Institution. Miscellaneous Collections. Volume 81 (9). 30 pages, 10 plates. Publication 3012.

Seismic Activity:

A long fault line crosses the southern peninsula and passes just south of Port-au-



Prince. Haiti is subject to periodic seismic activity; earthquakes destroyed Cap-Haïtien in 1842 and Port-au-Prince in 1751 and 1770.

Figure 2 Aerial view of buildings in Port-au-Prince damaged by the earthquake. Source: U.S. Navy/Mass Communication Specialist 2nd Class Chelsea Kennedy

In January 2010 another catastrophic earthquake and its aftershocks resulted in severe damage to Port-au-Prince.

Buildings collapsed throughout the capital and surrounding region, including many homes as well as large public structures such as the National Palace, the city's cathedral, and hospitals. Estimates of the number of people killed ranged upwards of 200,000, and several hundred thousand others were injured. More than a million people were made

³ Courbon, Paul, et al. 1989. Atlas of Great Caves of the World. St. Louis, MO: Cave Books. Cave Research Foundation. Pages 59-60. ISBN: 0939748215.

homeless. To the west of the capital, near the quake's epicentre, the city of Léogâne was almost completely ruined.

Weather and Climate:

Haiti's is a generally hot and humid tropical climate; semiarid where the mountains in east cut off the trade winds. The north wind brings fog and drizzle, which interrupt Haiti's dry season from November to January. But during February through May, the weather is very wet. Northeast trade winds bring rains during the wet season.

Haiti is characterized by diurnal temperature variations that are greater than the annual variations and are modified by elevation. Average temperatures range from the high 70s F (about 25°C) in January and February to the mid-80s F (about 30°C) in July and August. The village of Kenscoff, at some 4,700 feet (1,430 metres), has an average temperature of about 60°F (16°C), whereas Port-au-Prince, at sea level, has an average of 79°F (26°C). In winter, frost can occur at high elevations.

Because it is located on the leeward side of the island the influence of humid trade winds is not as great as in the Dominican Republic. The more humid districts are found on the northern and eastern slopes of the mountains. Some portions of the island receive less than 28 inches (700 mm) of rainfall per year. The northwestern peninsula and Gonâve Island are particularly dry. Some regions have two rainy seasons, lasting from April to June and from August to October, whereas other regions experience rainfall from May to November. Annual variations of precipitation can cause droughts, widespread crop failures, and famine.

Haiti lies in the middle of the hurricane belt and is subject to severe storms from June to October, occasional flooding and periodic droughts. The southern peninsula, which is more vulnerable to hurricanes (tropical cyclones) than other parts of Haiti, suffered heavy damage from Hurricanes Allen (1980), Gilbert (1988), and Georges (1998). All parts of the country, however, can be hit by tropical storms and hurricanes. During the 2008 hurricane season, the country was struck by three tropical storms and one hurricane that resulted in torrential rains, extensive flooding and mudslides, and hundreds of reported casualties. The lack of government infrastructure and rescue services, combined with impassable roads and bridges, severely hindered rescue and relief efforts. Casualties were estimated at some 800 lives.

Daily weather information in Haiti is available from national and international media. The Haitian meteorological service provides hurricane warnings via national radio. Most information local media broadcast only in Kreyol and/or French. Warnings are also available on the Internet from many sources.

The average annual rainfall is 140 to 200 centimeters, but it is unevenly distributed. Heavier rainfall occurs in the southern peninsula and in the northern plains and mountains. Rainfall decreases from east to west across the northern peninsula. The eastern central region receives a moderate amount of precipitation, while the western coast from the northern peninsula to Port-au-Prince, the capital, is relatively dry. Temperatures are almost always high in the lowland areas, ranging from 15° C to 25° C in the winter and from 25° C to 35° C during the summer.

Mining and Economic Geology:

Endowed with few commercially valuable natural resources, Haiti maintained only a small mining sector in the late 1980s; mining accounted for less than 1% of GDP, and it employed less than 1% of the labor force. Mining activity in the late 1980s mostly focused on raw materials for the construction industry.

Natural resources of Haiti include bauxite, copper, calcium carbonate, gold, marble and hydropower. Haiti contains relatively small amounts of gold, silver, antimony, tin, lignite, sulphur, coal, nickel, gypsum, limestone, manganese, marble, iron, tungsten, salt, clay, and various building stones.

Gold and copper are found in small quantities in the north of the country. The government announced the discovery of new gold deposits in the northern peninsula in 1985, but long-standing plans for gold production proceeded slowly. Copper also was mined, beginning in the 1960s, but production of the ore was sporadic.

There are bauxite (aluminum ore) deposits on the southern peninsula, but largescale mining there was discontinued in 1983. The country's only bauxite mine, the Miragoâne mine in the southern peninsula, produced an average of 500,000 tons of bauxite a year in the early 1980s; however, in 1982 the declining metal content of the ore, high production costs, and the oversupplied international bauxite market forced the mine to close. Bauxite had at one time been the country's second leading export.

Haiti apparently has no hydrocarbon resources on land or in the Gulf of Gonâve and is therefore heavily dependent on energy imports (petroleum and petroleum products).

Agriculture:

The poorest country in the Americas, Haiti has a developing market economy based in large part on agriculture and light industries. Coffee is the main cash crop. Agriculture dominates the economy, but the domestic food supply has not kept pace with demand. As much as one-fifth of the food consumed in Haiti is imported or, sometimes, smuggled from the Dominican Republic or the United States; the imports have lowered overall food prices in Haiti, thereby further impoverishing the nation's struggling farmers and compelling more people to migrate to urban areas.

Agriculture employed 65 percent of labor force and accounted for 35 percent of GDP and 24 percent of exports in late 1980s. Production suffered from severe deforestation and erosion, primitive techniques, land fragmentation, and lack of public and private investment. Coffee was the leading export (a mild Arabica), but production consistently fell below country's export quota as determined by International Coffee Organization. Other cash crops included sugar, cocoa, sisal, and cotton. Real per capita production of food crops declined during 1980s, necessitating high levels of basic grains imports.

Common agricultural products include coffee, mangoes, sugarcane, rice, corn, sorghum, and wood. Many farmers concentrate on subsistence crops, including cassava (manioc), plantains and bananas, corn (maize), yams and sweet potatoes, and rice. Some foodstuffs are sold in rural markets and along roads. Haitian farmers sell it through a system of intermediaries, speculators, and merchant houses. Sugarcane is the second major cash crop, but since the late 1970s Haiti has been a net importer of sugar.

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Goats and cattle are the most common livestock, with smaller numbers of pigs and horses. There is some poultry production. Following a massive outbreak of African swine fever in Haiti in the late 1970s, the country's entire Creole pig population was exterminated by 1982. This deprived many peasants of their only asset, although other pig breeds were subsequently imported as replacements.

Haiti's soils and fishing zones are threatened. Only about 28.11% of the land is arable, permanent crops cover 11.53% of the land, and 60.36% has other uses (2005). Major problems include soil erosion (particularly on mountain slopes, which are seldom terraced), recurrent drought, an absence of irrigation, extensive deforestation (much of the remaining forested land is being cleared for agriculture and used as fuel), and inadequate supplies of potable water.

The soils in the mountains are thin and lose fertility quickly when cultivated. The lower hills are covered with red clays and loams. The alluvial soils of the plains and valleys are fertile but overcultivated, owing to high population densities in those areas. Deforestation has caused much soil erosion, and as much as one-third of Haiti's land may have eroded beyond recovery.

Traditionally, Haitians have not exploited their fishing resources; because of the postindependence practice of living in the interior—away from the threat of a French invasion—Haitians have depended on agriculture rather than fishing for subsistence. There are some fisheries, however, in small ponds and various canals throughout Haiti. Although most fishing boats are small and poorly equipped, the potential for a commercial fishing industry does exist: the north-flowing currents off the coasts of Haiti carry major migrations of such deep-sea fish as bonitos, marlins, sardines, and tuna.

Deforestation in Haiti is a serious problem that began with a high need for fuel for processing sugarcane during the French colonial period and continues to the present day with an intensified demand for charcoal for fuel in Port-au-Prince and other urban areas. Political instability and poor funding have been serious obstacles to efforts to reduce dependency on forests for fuel. A number of large-scale reforestation projects have been planned, but they have been postponed because of social and political unrest and the urgent need to fund other infrastructure projects. Today only a small fraction of Haiti's land is forested.

From the 17th to the 19th century, much of the natural vegetation was destroyed through clearing for agriculture, grazing, and logging. Deforestation accelerated during the 20th century as population increased, and the forests that once covered the country have been reduced to a tiny proportion of the total land area. Patches of virgin forest remain in the Massif de la Selle, which includes tall pines, and in the Massif de la Hotte, where an evergreen forest with giant tree ferns and orchids stands on the slopes of Macaya Peak. *Bayahondes* (a type of mesquite), cacti, and acacias form thorny woods on the dry plains. The mangrove swamps on the coast have also declined rapidly, as their trees have been overexploited for firewood and for the production of charcoal.

One writer said: "Today less than 4 percent of Haiti's forests remain, and in many places the soil has eroded right down to the bedrock. From 1991 to 2002, food production per capita actually fell 30 percent." Further on, he wrote: "*Tè a fatige*," said 70 percent of

Haitian farmers in a recent survey when asked about the major agricultural problems they faced. "The earth is tired."⁴

With the retreat of natural vegetation, wildlife has lost its habitat and shelter. Wild boars, guinea fowls, and wild ducks are no longer present, but caimans still inhabit rivers of the southern peninsula, and some flamingos are found on Gonâve Island, where they are often hunted. Little has been done to conserve Haiti's flora and fauna, and few national or regional parks have been established. The lack of conservation measures has been particularly damaging for coral formations and the animal life associated with them.

Demographics and population:

The estimated population of Haiti is about 9,035,000 people, about 95 % of whom are black and about 5 % of who are either mulatto or white. Estimates for this country explicitly take into account the effects of excess mortality due to AIDS; this can result in lower life expectancy, higher infant mortality, higher death rates, lower population growth rates, and changes in the distribution of population by age and sex than would otherwise be expected (July 2009 est.)

The life expectancy at birth for the total population is 60.78 years; 59.13 years for males and 62.48 years for females (2009 est.). Haiti's death rate is high, mainly because of the prevalence of infectious and parasitic diseases, diseases of the circulatory system, and conditions associated with malnutrition. Moreover, Haiti has a higher incidence of HIV infection and AIDS and a higher infant mortality rate than any other country in the Western Hemisphere.

Most people living in Haiti are at a high risk for major infectious diseases. Food or waterborne diseases include bacterial and protozoal diarrhea, hepatitis A and E, and typhoid fever; common vectorborne diseases are dengue fever and malaria; water contact diseases include leptospirosis (2009).

Roughly three-fourths of Haitian households lack running water. Unsafe water along with inadequate housing and unsanitary living conditions—contributes to the high incidence of infectious diseases. There is a chronic shortage of health care personnel, and hospitals lack resources, a situation that became readily apparent after the January 2010 earthquake.

Languages:

Creole (official), Haitian Creole (Kweyol, or Kreyol), and French are Haiti's official languages. All Haitians speak Creole, but only about 10% of the people speak French fluently. English and Spanish are increasingly used as second languages among the young and in the business sector.

Creole is normally used in daily life, and French is used in more formal circumstances. However, written Creole is not widely accepted, because the school system retains French as the main language of instruction. Most of the vocabulary of Haitian Creole is derived from French, but in its syntax it is similar to the Creole languages of the Caribbean and the Indian Ocean.

⁴ Bourne, Joel K. 2008. "Haiti Soil: Dirt Poor." National Geographic. Accessed May 2010. See: <u>http://ngm.nationalgeographic.com/2008/09/soil/bourne-text</u>

Religions:

Haiti has no official religion, and the constitution allows for religious freedom. However, Vodou (Voodoo, or Vodun), a religion whose gods (*lwa*) are derived from West African religions, has been officially sanctioned by the government as of April 2003, and Roman Catholicism, the dominant sect of Christianity, has been given special government recognition.

Most Haitian Roman Catholics are also practitioners of Vodou. However, most of the country's Protestants consider Christianity to be incompatible with Vodou. In addition to the older Protestant denominations established in the early 19th century (Methodists, Episcopalians, and Presbyterians), Baptists, Seventh-day Adventists, and Mormons came to Haiti during and after the period when the United States occupied the country (1915–34).

About 80% of the population is Roman Catholic, 16% Protestant (Baptist 10%, Pentecostal 4%, Adventist 1%, other 1%), 1% none, 3% other. Liberation theology continues to have some influence in religious life, notably in the shantytown areas of Port-au-Prince and other towns. Increasing numbers of Haitians have converted to Protestantism through the work of missionaries active throughout the country.

Economy:

Haiti is the poorest country in the Western Hemisphere with 80% of the population living under the poverty line and 54% in abject poverty. Two-thirds of all Haitians depend on the agricultural sector, mainly small-scale subsistence farming, and remain vulnerable to damage from frequent natural disasters, exacerbated by the country's widespread deforestation.

While the economy has recovered in recent years, registering positive growth since 2005, four tropical storms in 2008 severely damaged the transportation infrastructure and agricultural sector. US economic engagement under the Haitian Hemispheric Opportunity through Partnership Encouragement (HOPE) Act, passed in December 2006, has boosted apparel exports and investment by providing tariff-free access to the US. A second version of the legislation, passed in October 2008 and dubbed HOPE II, has further improved the export environment for the apparel sector by extending preferences to 2018; the apparel sector accounts for two-thirds of Haitian exports and nearly one-tenth of GDP. Remittances are the primary source of foreign exchange, equaling nearly a quarter of GDP and more than twice the earnings from exports.

Haiti suffers from a lack of investment because of financial insecurity and limited infrastructure, and a severe trade deficit. In 2005, Haiti paid its arrears to the World Bank, paving the way for reengagement with the Bank. Haiti received debt forgiveness for about \$525 million of its debt through the Highly-Indebted Poor Country (HIPC) initiative in 2009. The government relies on formal international economic assistance for fiscal sustainability.

Electricity production: 448 million kWh (2007 est.). Hydroelectricity provides roughly half of the power generated in the country, the remainder coming from thermal (mainly coal-fired) plants, especially in Port-au-Prince. However, the power supply is not

sufficient to satisfy current needs, and the main sources of energy for cooking are firewood and charcoal.

The World Bank gave this estimation of Haiti's electrical production in 2008: "In Haiti, the production, transport and distribution of electricity is the responsibility of EDH (Electricité d'Haiti), a public commercial company that is under the supervision of the MTPTC. Currently, the company provides electricity to 184,000 customers- who represent about 10 percent of the population. There has long been no maintenance. Thus, from an installed productive capacity of 220 MWh, the company now produces 60 MWh. EDH also faces a high number of illegal connections. The losses due to these illegal connection are estimated to be about 30 to 40 percent of the output."⁵

Oil consumption: 12,000 bbl/day (2008 estimate).

Telephone: There are roughly 108,000 main lines in use and 3.2 million mobile/cellular lines (2008). Telecommunications infrastructure in Haiti is among the least developed in Latin America and the Caribbean; domestic facilities are barely adequate and international facilities are only slightly better. Mobile-cellular telephone services are expanding rapidly due, in part, to the introduction of low-cost GSM phones, and mobile-cellular teledensity exceeded 35 per 100 persons in 2008. Telephone domestic: coaxial cable and microwave radio relay trunk service; international: country code - 509; satellite earth station - 1 Intelsat (Atlantic Ocean). The website for the Consel National des Télécommunications (CONATEL) is in French: http://www.conatel.gouv.ht/

The radio broadcast stations in Haiti are: 41 AM stations, 53 FM stations and 0 shortwave stations (2009).

The Internet country code: .ht; Internet hosts: 9 (2009); Internet users: 1 million (2008).

Transportation and trafficability:

The roads from Port-au-Prince to Cap-Haïtien, Les Cayes, and Jacmel have been paved but are not regularly repaired, and city streets are notorious for their many deep potholes. Most inland transportation is hampered by rough roads that may become impassable in inclement weather. Trucks and buses offer irregular and costly service from Port-au-Prince to the provincial towns. There is no railway service. The primary means by which the rural population travels are on foot, by bicycle, by public bus (known as a "tap-tap" in Haiti), or by donkey. The latter mode is also commonly used to transport goods.

Airports: 14 (2009). Airports with paved runways total 4; one that is between 2,438 to 3,047 m and three airports with runways between 914 and 1,523 m (2009). Airports with unpaved runways total 10; two are between 914 and 1,523 m and eight are under 914 m (2009). Haiti has two international airports, the principal one at Port-au-Prince and another at Cap-Haïtien. Outside of Léogâne, a makeshift airstrip has been set up on part of Route 9, a highway of the commune, able to handle small planes (2010).

The U.S. Federal Aviation Administration (FAA) has assessed the government of Haiti's Civil Aviation Authority as not being in compliance with International Civil

⁵ World Bank. 2008. "Haiti: public expenditure management and financial accountability review." World Bank Publications. Page 82.

Aviation Organization (ICAO) aviation safety standards for oversight of Haiti's air carrier operations.

Railroads: N/A. There are currently no functioning railways in Haiti except for transporting sugarcane. There are no rail connections with the neighbouring Dominican Republic. In the past Haiti used railroads, but today they are no longer in use due to other forms of transportation that have become available. In the past, horse tramways, steam railways and industrial tracks were used. Their dates of closure are unknown.

Roads and highways: total: 4,160 km; paved: 1,011 km; unpaved: 3,149 km (2000).

The World Bank gives this assessment of the roads in Haiti in 2008: "The road network: The Haitian transport network is not only insufficiently developed but it deteriorated significantly in the decade before 2004. That decade has seen the transport

network in constant degradation. In 2004, according to the MTPTC, the road network consisted of 3,400km of roads, of which only 18 percent were paved. This network consists of 20.3 percent of primary roads (routes nationales), 44.4 percent of secondary roads (routes départmentales) and 35.4 percent of tertiary roads (routes communales) that link the rural communities to the secondary road network.



Figure 3 Haitian citizens walking down a debris-strewn street after the earthquake. Source: USAID/staff photo

Furthermore, only 20 percent of these roads are considered to be in acceptable condition. To address the maintenance issue, an autonomous entity- the Fonds d'Entretien Routier (FER)- has been progressively put in place from 2003 to ensure maintenance in this sector. The FER benefits from earmarked funds (coming from taxes on gasoline, car licenses, etc.) transferred directly by the MEF and act as a donor on issues regarding road maintenance (MTPTC plans and contracts while the FER finances). But this executing system has experienced some delays mainly due to a lack of planning and executing capacity of the MTPTC."⁶

Haiti has two main highways that run from one end of the country to the other. The northern highway, Route Nationale #1 (National Highway One), originates in Portau-Prince, winding through the coastal towns of Montrouis and Gonaïves, before reaching its terminus at the northern port Cap-Haïtien. The southern highway, Route Nationale #2, links Port-au-Prince with Les Cayes via Léogâne and Petit Goâve. Maintenance for these roads lapsed after the 1991 coup, prompting the World Bank to loan USD 50 million designated for road repairs. The project was canceled in January

⁶ World Bank. 2008. Haiti: Public Expenditure Management and Financial Accountability Review. Page 82.

1999, however, after auditors revealed corruption. Haiti also has a third major highway, the Route Nationale #3, which connects Port-au-Prince to Cap-Haitien via the towns of Mirebalais and Hinche. This route links the capital and Le Cap to the central plateau; however, due to its poor condition, it sees limited use. The most common form of public transportation in Haiti is the use of brightly painted pickup trucks as taxis called "tap-taps." They are named this because when a passenger needs to be let off they use their coin money to tap the side of the vehicle and the driver usually stops. Most tap-taps are fairly priced at around 10-15 gourdes per ride within a city. The catch to the price is that the driver will often fill a truck to maximum capacity, which is nearly 20 to 30 people.

"Due to decades of deterioration of Haiti's road network, the 250-km drive from Port-au-Prince to Cap Haitien, the largest city on the northern coast, can take up to seven hours on RN1, the country's main highway."⁷

TRAFFIC SAFETY AND ROAD CONDITIONS: While in a foreign country, U.S. citizens may encounter road conditions that differ significantly from those in the United States. The information below concerning Haiti is provided for general reference only, and may not be totally accurate in a particular location or circumstance. Cars are supposed to be driven on the right side of the road in Haiti, but few roads have lane indicators and drivers use whatever part of the road is open to them, even if it is not the correct side of the road. Traffic is extremely congested in urban areas, and hours-long traffic jams develop throughout the country.

Driving in Haiti must be undertaken with extreme caution. The situation on the roads can be described as chaotic at best, and it is advisable for those with no knowledge of Haitian roads and traffic customs to hire a driver through a local hotel. Roads are generally unmarked, and detailed and accurate maps are not widely available. Lanes are not marked and signs indicating the direction of traffic flow seldom exist. This lack of organization, along with huge potholes that appear without warning, may cause drivers to execute unpredictable and dangerous maneuvers in heavy traffic. The Haitian government lacks adequate resources to assist drivers in distress or to clear the road of accidents or broken-down vehicles blocking the flow of traffic. While drinking and driving is illegal in Haiti, people frequently drive after drinking, especially at night.

Public transportation, as it is usually defined, does not exist in Haiti. While Haitians use buses, "tap-taps," and taxis, which may observe regular routes, much like public transportation, none of these should be considered reliable. The Embassy strongly discourages their use.

Those who drive in Haiti should do so defensively and conservatively, avoid confrontations such as jockeying for position, and

⁷ Inter-American Development Bank. 2009. "Haiti invests heavily in rebuilding roads: IDB helps finance an unprecedented push to improve transportation." Webpage accessed: Apr 13, 2009. See: <u>http://www.iadb.org/features-and-web-stories/2009-04/english/haiti-invests-heavily-in-rebuilding-roads-</u>5339.html

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remain aware of the vehicles around them. Drivers should carry the phone numbers of people to call for assistance in an emergency, as Haitian authorities are unlikely to respond to requests for assistance. When traveling outside of Port-au-Prince, drivers should caravan with other vehicles to avoid being stranded in the event of an accident or breakdown.

Although Haitian law requires that applicants pass both a written and a driving test to qualify for a drivers license, many Haitian drivers appear unaware of traffic laws. Signaling imminent actions is not widely practiced and not all drivers use turn indicators or international hand signals properly. For instance, many drivers use their left blinker for all actions, including turning right and stopping in the road, and others flap their left arm out the window to indicate that they will be taking an unspecified action. Drivers do not always verify that the road is clear before switching lanes, turning, or merging.

Speed limits are seldom posted and are generally ignored. Speeding is the cause of many fatal traffic accidents in Haiti, as are overloaded vehicles on winding, mountainous roads and vehicles without brakes. Poor maintenance and mechanical failures often cause accidents as well. Drivers should be particularly cautious at night, as unlighted vehicles can appear without warning.

Right of way is not widely observed in Haiti, and there are few operational traffic lights or traffic signs. It is advisable at most intersections to stop and verify that there is no oncoming traffic even if it appears that you have the right of way. Drivers can be quite aggressive and will seldom yield. Walls built to the edge of roads frequently make it impossible to see around corners, forcing drivers to edge their cars into the road at intersections to check for oncoming traffic.

In addition to vehicles, a variety of other objects may appear on the road in Haiti, such as wooden carts dragged by people or animals, small ice cream carts, animals, mechanics working on vehicles parked on the street, and vendors and their wares. Vehicles are often abandoned in the road or by the side of the road. There are few marked crosswalks and sidewalks, and pedestrians often wend their way through traffic in urban areas.⁸

According to the Washington Post, "Officials from the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers said Saturday [January 23, 2010] that they assessed the damage from the Jan. 12 quake in Port-au-Prince, Haiti, and found that many of the roads aren't any worse than they were before because they've always been in poor condition."⁹

⁹ Hedgpeth, Dana. 2010. "Haiti's Bad Roads not Damaged by Quake, Army Engineers Say." Washington Pot. January 23, 2010. The website was accessed on May 5, 2010. See:

⁸ US Department of State. Bureau of Consular Affairs. "Haiti Country Specific Information." See the website at: <u>http://travel.state.gov/travel/cis_pa_tw/cis/cis_1134.html#traffic_safety</u> accessed July 26, 2010.

http://www.washingtonpost.com/wp-dyn/content/article/2010/01/23/AR2010012302113.html

Water and Sanitation:

Haiti has an estimated resource of 14 cubic kilometers of freshwater (2000). Freshwater withdrawal for domestic (5%), industrial (1%) and agricultural (94%) use in Haiti is 0.99 cubic kilometers/year; per capita water use is 116 cubic meters/year (2000). Irrigated lands cover 920 square kilometers (2003).

A review of the earthquake's effects on the water supplies is given in: "National Ground Water Association Inc. Haiti earthquake: A Water Crisis." Among the effects of the Haiti earthquake is a severe disruption of water resources, including water provided by wells. This Web page furthers the National Ground Water Association's mission of "advancing groundwater knowledge" by providing resources helpful to earthquake relief agencies, affected government jurisdictions, groundwater professionals involved in the relief effort, the news media, and the public."¹⁰

"The Haitian water and sanitation sector is dominated by community-based water committees, and two state-owned companies: The CAMEP (Centrale Autonome Métropolitaine d'Eau Potable), which is in charge of the water supply in Port-au-Prince and the SNEP (Service National pour l'Eau Potable), which is in charge of water supply in secondary towns and rural areas. According to Haiti's CEM 2006, in 2002, 88 percent of the population had access to an improved water access in areas that are urban and 55 percent in areas that are rural. Service quality is poor with intermittent supply and dubious water quality, forcing those who can afford it to rely on expensive bottled water and water from tanker trucks. No real sewer network exists in Port-au-Prince or in the secondary towns. Existing sanitation facilities are individual and consist of latrines, septic systems and clandestine connections to the storm water drainage system. According to Haiti's CEM 2006, in 2002, 52 percent of the population had access to sanitation facilities in urban areas and only 23 percent in rural areas of Haiti. The sector is currently under a reform process through a Water and Sanitation Framework Law that is currently being discussed in Parliament. According to the law, regional water and sanitation companies would be created to replace CAMEO and SNEP. As part of the reform process, a General Directorate for Drinking Water and Sanitation (DGEPA) is expected to be created under MTPTC with the task of developing policies and regulate this sector."¹¹

"Too often, municipal water and sanitation services that can effectively reduce microbial diseases have been operated on the assumption that the poor could not afford water and sewer lines. In fact, these potential customers are already allocating a high proportion of the household expenses- 20 percent in Port-au-Prince, Haiti- for water supplied from vendors. Many studies have found that such urban families will not only pay the city to bring safe and reliable drinking water to them, but will pay for waste water removal as well."¹²

"Collection of municipal solid waste (MSW) by contract is becoming increasingly common in developing countries, including some of the poorest countries such as Haiti.

¹⁰ Haiti Earthquake: A Water Crisis. 2010. National Ground Water Association. See: http://www.ngwa.org/public/gwprotection/haiti.aspx

¹¹ "Haiti: public expenditure management and financial accountability review." 2008. World Bank. World Bank Publications, 2008. ISBN: 0821375911. Page 82.

¹² "Livable cities for the 21st century." 1996. World Bank. World Bank Publications, 1996. Length 47 pages. ISBN: 0821338129; 9780821338124. Page 33.

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The impetus for seeking private sector involvement in this activity is obvious- the expenditures on MSW service absorbs 20 to 50 percent of total municipal revenue in developing countries, yet on average only 50 to70 percent of solid wastes are collected."¹³

Waterways: Numerous rivers and streams, which slow to a trickle during the dry season and which carry torrential flows during the wet season, cross Haiti's plains and mountainous areas. There are a number of rivers in Haiti, but few of them are navigable.¹⁴ Many of the rivers of Haiti have not been investigated, nor have scientific reports been made on their volume, resources or water quality.

Rivers that flow into the Atlantic Ocean are the:

Dajabón River (Massacre River): The Dajabón River (also called the Massacre River) is a river of the Dominican Republic. It forms the northernmost part of the international border between the Dominican Republic and Haiti.

Grande Rivière du Nord: Grande-Rivière-du-Nord (Creole: *Grann Rivyè dinò*) is a municipality in the Grande-Rivière-du-Nord Arrondissement, in the Nord Department of Haiti.

Rivière du Limbè

Les Trois Rivières: The most important river in the northern region is Les Trois Rivières, or The Three Rivers. It is 150 kilometers long, has an average width of sixty meters, and is three to four meters deep.

Rivers that flow into the Gulf of Gonâve:

La Quinte River

Rivière de l'Estère

Artibonite River: The largest drainage system in the country is that of the Artibonite River. Rising as the Libón River in the foothills of the Massif du Nord, the river crosses the border into the Dominican Republic and then forms part of the border before reentering Haiti as the Artibonite River. At the border, the river expands to form the Lac de Péligre in the southern part of the Plateau Central. The 400-kilometer Artibonite River is only one meter deep during the dry season, and it may even dry up completely in certain spots. During the wet season, it is more than three meters deep and subject to flooding. The US Marines crossed and re-crossed this river many times during their long police action in the Dominican Republic in the 1900s.

The Artibonite River is a 320 km long river in Haiti. It is the longest as well as the most important river in Haiti and the longest on the island of Hispaniola. Its sources are in the Cordillera Central in the Dominican Republic, however most of its length lies in Haiti. It empties into the Gulf of Gonâve. The river is used for irrigation and the Peligre Hydroelectric Dam situated on it produces the country's supply of hydroelectricity. The Artibonite forms part of the international border between Haiti and the Dominican Republic.

 ¹³ Kessides, Christine. 1993. "Institutional options for the provision of infrastructure." World Bank Publications. Volume 212 of World Bank discussion papers., 1993. 81 pages. ISBN: 0821326279; 9780821326275. Page 24.

¹⁴ US Army Corps of Engineers. 1999. "L'Evaluation des Ressources d'Eau d'Haiti." L'Août 1999. United States Southern Command. See the website, accessed May 5, 2010: <u>http://www.sam.usace.army.mil/en/wra/Haiti/Combined%20Final%20Haiti.pdf</u>

French Rivière de l'Artibonite, Spanish Río Artibonito river, the longest on the island of Hispaniola. It rises in the Cordillera Central (Cibao Mountains) of the Dominican Republic and flows southwest along the border with Haiti and then west and northwest into Haiti and through the fertile Artibonite Plain to enter the Gulf of La Gonâve after a course of 150 miles (240 km). It is navigable upstream for about 100 miles (160 km) by small craft. Large tracts of irrigated land were developed as part of the Artibonite Valley Agricultural Project.

The Artibonite River is the island's longest river, and is approximately 175 miles (280 km) long. The Artibonite rises in the western Dominican Republic in the Cordillera Central and follows a southwestward course along the border with Haiti. Its tributaries flow eastward and southward through Haiti's Central Plateau to a point near the Dominican border, where they join the river proper as it turns westward. The Artibonite then skirts the Noires Mountains as it flows to the Gulf of Gonâve. In eastern Haiti the river was impounded as Lake Péligre in the mid-20th century; a hydroelectric complex began operating at Péligre in 1971, but its power output has been unreliable during the dry season. Just upstream from the Artibonite's delta in the Gulf of Gonâve, some of its waters are used to irrigate the triangular Artibonite Plain.

Rivière de Fer à Cheval

Macasía River: The Macasía River is a river mostly of the Dominican Republic. A part of the river forms a small part of the international border between the Dominican Republic and Haiti.

Guayamouc River: The ninety-five-kilometer Guayamouc River is one of the principal tributaries of the Artibonite River. The Guayamouc River, or the Riviere Guayamouc, is a river in central and eastern Haiti. It rises on the Massif du Nord and flows generally southeast for 113 km into the Artibonite River at the border with the Dominican Republic. It is notable for producing the fertile plain of central Haiti. Notable cities on the Guayamouc include Hinche.

Rivière Bouyaha: Bouyaha River, in French, "Riviere Bouyaha", is a river flowing through the cities of Dondon, Saint Raphael and Pignon. It is said that the river started in the mountain surrounding the municipalities of Dondon and Marmelade. The Bouyaha river merges with the Guayamouc river in the nearby city of Hinche.

Rivière Canot Rivière Locaine Libón River Rivière de Saint-Marc Rivière Montrouis Rivière Blanche Rivière Grise (Grande Riviere du Cul de Sac) Momance River

Rivière de Grand Goâve: The Rivière de Grand Goâve is a river in Haiti. The January 12th, 2010, 7.0 tremblor created a landslide which formed a landslide dam blocking the Grand Goâve river, that can potentially contain a large basin of water. With the wet season approaching, there is a fear that a dam collapse would directly outflow the contents behind the dam through the city of Grand-Goâve. The dam is located about a dozen kilometres from the city of Grand-Goâve.

Grand Rivière de Nippes

Grande-Anse River: The Grande-Anse River (French: *Rivière de la Grande-Anse*) flows through western Haiti and empties into the Gulf of Gonâve at the city of Jérémie. It is one of the largest rivers in Haiti.

Rivers that flow into the Caribbean Sea: Acul River Ravine River (Ravine du Sud) Rivière de Cavaillon Rivière des Côtes de Fer Rivière de Bainet Grand Rivière de Jacmel Dedermales River: The Dedermales River

Pedernales River: The Pedernales River (Hispaniola) is a river of the Dominican Republic and Haiti. It forms the southernmost part of the international boundary between the Dominican Republic and Haiti.

The most prominent body of water in the southern region is the salt-water Etang Saumâtre, located at the eastern end of the Plaine du Cul-de-Sac. At an elevation of sixteen meters above sea level, the lake is twenty kilometers long and six to fourteen kilometers wide; it has a circumference of eighty-eight kilometers.

Ports and terminals in Haiti are: Cap-Haitien, Gonaïves, Jacmel, Jérémie, Les Cayes, Miragoane, Port-au-Prince, Port-de-Paix, Saint-Marc, Fort Liberte. The two main seaports are at Cap-Haïtien and Port-au-Prince. Container facilities at the Port-au-Prince harbour handle most of Haiti's foreign trade. There are several minor ports, but passenger boat services are limited. Lesser ports include Miragoâne, Les Cayes, Fort Liberté, Gonaïves, and Jérémie.

The port at Port-au-Prince, officially known as the "Port International de Port-au-Prince," has more registered shipping than any of the over dozen ports in the country. The port's facilities include cranes, large berths, and warehouses, but these facilities are in universally poor shape. The port is underused, possibly due to the substantially high port fees compared to ports in the Dominican Republic.

Port-au-Prince is the leading commercial port, followed by Cap-Haïtien, which handled most cruise ship traffic. The port of Saint-Marc is currently the preferred port of entry for consumer goods coming into Haiti. Reasons for this may include its location away from volatile and congested Port-au-Prince, as well as its central location relative to a large group of Haitian cities including Cap-Haitien, Carrefour, Delmas, Desarmes, Fond-Parisien, Fort-Liberté, Gonaives, Hinche, l'Artibonite, Limbe, Pétionville, Port-de-Paix, and Verrettes. These cities, together with their surrounding areas, contain about six million of Haïti's eight million people.

Economy:

Much of the research in the economy pre-dates the current government, and often the most recent statistics of Haiti's economy are twenty or more years old.

Services: Accounted for 42 percent of the gross domestic product (GDP) in 1987, with 23 percent of labor force employed in the service economy in 1983. Banking and financial services are a major sectoral contributor. Transportation and communications systems are inadequate; tourism dropped off substantially during 1980s.

Currency: The Haitian currency is the Gourde. The official exchange rate is maintained at G5 to US\$1 since 1919. Black market trading began in early 1980s in response to high inflation and fiscal shortfalls. The United States dollar is also accepted as legal tender.

Imports: Approximately US\$308 million in 1987. Foodstuffs are the leading import item, followed by machinery and transport equipment, manufacturing inputs, and petroleum.

Exports: Approximately US\$198 million in 1987. Manufactured goods accounted for more than 50 percent of total, followed by coffee and handicraft items.

Fiscal Year: October 1 through September 30.

Balance of Payments: Current account deficits throughout 1980s, although increased foreign aid flows compensated to some extent in FY1986 and FY1987. Following renewed political instability after unsuccessful elections in November 1987, capital flight and aid cutbacks exacerbated the balance of payments situation.

Fiscal Policy: Tradition of balanced budgets broken by expansion of public sector under Jean-Claude Duvalier (1971-86). Public sector deficit reached 10.6 percent of GDP in FY1985, reduced slightly to 7 percent of GDP in FY 1987.

Gross Domestic Product: Approximately US\$1.95 billion in 1987, or about US\$330 per capita, lowest in Western Hemisphere. Economy contracted during most of 1980s.

Manufacturing and Industry:

Industry: Accounted for 23 percent of GDP in 1988, for 53 percent of exports, and for 6 percent of labor force. The most dynamic subsector was assembly manufacturing, mainly for United States market.

Manufacturing was the most dynamic sector of the economy in the 1980s. Growth in this sector had averaged more than 10 percent a year during the 1970s; manufactures replaced agricultural commodities as the country's leading export goods during this decade. In 1988 manufacturing accounted for 17 percent of GDP and for 53 percent of exports; it employed about 6 percent of the labor force. In addition to the dynamic assembly subsector, which experienced 22 percent real annual growth in the 1970s, included small-scale local manufacturing enterprises and large-scale, state-owned organizations.

Industry suffered in late 1980s because of political instability, country's failure to compete effectively with other Caribbean and Central American beneficiaries of Caribbean Basin Initiative, high utility rates, infrastructure deficiencies, and shortage of skilled labor.

The manufacturing sector in the late 1980s comprised 500 enterprises, most of which were small or medium in size and family-owned. Their major products included processed foods, electrical equipment, textiles, and clothing. Small enterprises, employing up to 50 workers, represented 57 percent of all manufacturing firms, but they employed only 10 percent of the industrial labor force. Medium enterprises, with 51 to 300 workers, accounted for 35 percent of the sector's firms and employed 44 percent of the industrial labor force. Large enterprises, those with more than 300 employees, constituted only 8 percent of the companies, but they employed 43 percent of all

manufacturing workers, mostly in large assembly factories in the industrial parks of Portau-Prince.

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AGS: American Geographical Society Library, University of Wisconsin, Milwaukee Campus. See: http://www.amergeog.org.

AS&T: Applied Science & Technology from H.W. Wilson is a bibliographic database that indexes articles of at least one column in length. English-language periodicals published in the United States and elsewhere are covered; non-English language articles are included if English abstracts are provided. Periodical coverage

includes trade and industrial publications, journals issued by professional and technical societies, and specialized subject periodicals, as well as special issues such as buyers' guides, directories, and conference proceedings. See:

http://www.hwwilson.com/Databases/applieds.htm#Abstracts

ASFA: Aquatic Sciences and Fisheries Abstracts Input to ASFA is provided by a growing international network of information centers monitoring more than 5,000 serial publications, books, reports, conference proceedings, translations, and limited distribution literature. ASFA is a component of the Aquatic Sciences and Fisheries Information System (ASFIS), formed by four United Nations agency sponsors of ASFA and a network of international and national partners. Aquatic Sciences and Fisheries Abstracts are produced by CSA under contract to FAO. See: http://www.csa.com/

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until tooth extraction is required. Logistic regression analysis showed that dental hygiene and, to a lesser extent, sugar intake, were the principal risk factors for dental caries. Adolescents who consume more than three meals per day and who, presumably, have a higher intake of cariogenic food, present more caries than those who consume less. These schoolchildren meet the objectives of the WHO for dental caries for 2000, but two courses of action are nonetheless necessary: caries prevention and improved access to dental health care. To prevent caries, techniques for increasing the resistance of teeth could be recommended, as in industrialized countries. However, such strategies would be difficult to implement in the rural context of a developing country. The addition of fluoride to drinking water, for example, is not practical as most of the inhabitants of rural areas do not have access to running water. The use of sealing agents, which protect against decay affecting the occlusal surfaces of molars, is also impractical, for financial reasons. Thus, basic measures involving the improvement of dental hygiene and reducing the intake of cariogenic foods remain the principal means of preventing caries. Increasing the accessibility of dental care, like prevention, involves a number of problems. Increasing the number of health centers, or renovating existing clinics requires resources, and possibly infrastructure, that the Haitian state may not be in a position to provide. The recently developed ART (Atraumatic Restoration Treatment) overcomes this problem. This method involves manually cleaning cavities and sealing then with glass ionomer. This product is highly adhesive, which frees dentists from the constraints of having to use rotating electrical equipment. Caries can therefore now be treated in remote areas with a minimum of dental equipment. However, although encouraging results were obtained in a three-year trial in Thailand, the mechanical quality of glass ionomer and its ability to block caries development are unclear. In conclusion, a lack of financial resources limits the possibilities of intervention in developing countries, drawing attention to the important question of the financing of health programs. Funding remains the key to any program and has been shown to be an essential issue in epidemiological studies. Database: SCOPUS. ISSN/ISBN: 11575999.

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Areas; Residential Mobility. Abstract: The population, environmental, and economic problems of Haiti must be solved through a national change in attitude, an emphasis on the individual value of children, a social concern for urgent action on sustainable development, and shared responsibility in the international community. The impact of colonialism was to lay waste to subsistence practices which were ecologically balanced. This first nation of self-liberated slaves has problems deeply rooted in the past, which have been worsened by the ruling elite's exploitation. There is extreme poverty, boat people, deforestation, environmental degradation, civil liberty abuses, and a struggle for democracy. Population growth as well as, indirectly, death, hunger, and disease, have contributed to the immigration of Haitians to the US, Canada, France, and neighboring islands. Fertility has been high for the past 20 years. The family planning challenges are discussed in light of the 10% acceptance rate and met demand. The host country's ability to cope with the burden of supplying employment, social services, and legal protection accounts for the reluctance to accept greater numbers of Haitians. Rural-to-urban migration has created nightmares within Haiti. Cite Soleil has a population density of 25,000 people/sq. kilometer, and more than 33% of rural areas is unfit for habitation. The urban slums offer a substandard quality of life due to infiltration of sea water into the soil which prohibits vegetative growth, due to sanitation deficits, and due to inadequate clean water supplies. The example of a small sugar merchant with an income of \$40/month reflects the ability to survive but with no provision for empowerment or betterment for the future for the grandchildren in her care. Captain Jacques-Yves Cousteau attests to the difficulties and, maybe, impossibilities of turning around the process of environmental devastation and overpopulation. The ecological problems are primarily due to salinization and deforestation; the pressure for fuelwood has increased since the trade embargo, which prevents importation of butane and propane. Tree planting of 20 million/year yields 2-3 million actually surviving. Destructive fishing, quarrying, and agricultural techniques continue to waste resources. Database: SCOPUS. ISSN: 0968-1655.

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program before beginning the study; they worked under the direct supervision of the primary investigator. Laboratory quality was monitored by running 10% blank and 10% duplicate samples. Results: The households contained an average of 5.4 persons. Filters had been in use for an average of 2.5 years, and participants were generally satisfied with their filter's performance. Shallow, hand-dug wells provided the only source of water for 61% of the households, with 26% using water piped from springs or deep wells, and 13% having access to both. Only 3% had plumbing in their homes. Source water from shallow wells contained an average of 234 E. coli cfu/100 mL. Piped sources averaged 195 E. coli cfu/100 mL. of the source water samples 26% contained 0-10 E. coli cfu/100 mL. of the filtered water samples 97% contained 0-10 E. coli cfu/100 mL (80% with 0 cfu/100 mL, and 17% with 1-10 cfu/100 mL). Overall bacterial removal efficiency for the filters was calculated to be 98.5%. Turbidity decreased from an average of 6.2 NTU in source water samples to 0.9 NTU in the filtered water. None of the households treated the water after filtering; 91% used the filtered water only for drinking. No problems related to filter construction were observed; 13% were found to have significantly decreased flow rates (all restored by cleaning the filter). Recontamination was found to occur, with only 3% of the samples from the filters' spouts containing >10 E. coli cfu/100 mL and 22% of the stored filtered water samples at point-of-use containing >10 cfu/100 mL. Conclusion: The Manz BioSand filters are an attractive option for supplying water treatment to family units in rural areas of poorly developed countries. Database: SCOPUS. ISSN: 1445-6354.

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explain the phenomenon and to predict the future rate of silting in the reservoir. The studies led to simulation, by means of a mathematical model, of the processes and have permitted reconstruction of the hydro-sedimentological events since 1956 as well as prediction of the future rate of sedimentation. In order to develop a methodology that has widespread applicability for predicting the rate of sedimentation, the main physical processes responsible for the patterns of deposition were used as common denominators: degradation of watershed and rivers, effects of deforestation, urbanisation, and agriculture, effects of flocculation and consolidation, effect of the reservoir geometry, expected sediment inflow, water inflow versus outflow, etc. On the whole, the model indicated very well the acceleration of the silting rate with an average increase of about 18% per year. The study thus shows that the sediment inflow took the form of a quadratic or exponential growth curve instead of a straight line. After 23 years the average silting is three times that of the design. The results show in conclusion how we must be careful in predicting long-term sedimentation rates in a reservoir since the lifetime of the dam is notably reduced. Database: SCOPUS. ISSN: 0315-1468.

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dispersion of sodium dodecyl sulfate (SDS) in aqueous solution. The resulting micelle structures are different from those predicted by atomistic simulations that started with a predefined micelle configuration at the same surfactant concentrations. However, if we use their initial micelle configuration, micelle structures the same as theirs are obtained. Analyses show that our results are more realistic and that the results of the atomistic simulations suffer from artificial initial conditions. Therefore, our model may serve as a reasonable simplification of atomistic models in terms of the general structure of micelles. Database: SCOPUS. ISSN: 0743-7463.

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K-T boundary sites in western North America. Petrographic observations indicate that the K-T marker bed on Haiti is not a primary air fall unit composed entirely of impact ejecta. It contains a small volcanogenic component of locally derived material admixed with the impact ejecta during deposition on the seafloor. The major and trace element composition of the Haitian tektites, in particular, the high Rb and REE content, suggests that the target material melted during the K-T impact was sedimentary with an average composition of andesite, not mafic or ultramafic oceanic crust. ISSN: 0148-0227.

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cosmic origin is present in the early Danian. This shows that although impact markers represent and instant in time, they are subject to the same geological forces as any other marker horizons—erosion, reworking, and redeposition—and must be used with caution and applied on a regional scale to avoid artifacts of redeposition. For the K-T transition, impact stratigraphy unequivocally indicates that the Chicxulub impact predates the K-T boundary, that the Ir anomaly at the K-T boundary is not related to the Chicxulub impact, and that environmental uphealval continued during the early danian with possibly another smaller impact and volcanism. Database: GeoRef. ISBN: 9780813424379.

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smectite derived from alteration of impact glass, as indicated by rare altered glass spherules with similar chemical compositions as reworked spherules from the event deposit and Chicxulub impact spherules from NE Mexico and Haiti. The Brazos sections thus provide strong evidence that the Chicxulub impact predates the K-T boundary by about 300 kyr, consistent with earlier observations in NE Mexico and the Chicxulub crater core Yaxcopoil-1. Database: Illustrata: Technology. ISSN: 0012-821X.

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obtain an age of 64.98 million years, 0.06 million years, for rock samples from the Chicxulub crater on Mexico's Yucatan peninsula. Using the same method, Glen Izett of the U.S. Geological Survey has determined that the age of impact debris from Haiti is 65.06 million years, 0.18 million years. The 2 ages are close enough to convince some former skeptics that the Chicxulub structure is the impact crater that scientists have been seeking. The next step will be to demonstrate that the impact's environmental effects were lethal to many forms of life throughout the world. ISSN: 0036-8075.

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a compelling desire to provide the best possible health care for their children (Huston, 1979). Haitian mothers living in the Dominican Republic were no exception. The health beliefs and practices of these mothers related primarily to diarrhea among their children which demonstrated a concern and resourcefulness that is commendable. The results of this study clearly indicate the importance of transcultural nurses conducting culturally relevant research as a basis to develop sound health programs in developing countries. Diarrhea was identified as the single most important threat to a child's health in these communities. That mothers did not know about the correct ingredients and/or proportions for oral rehydration solutions (Western views) was of interest. Although the Dominican government makes some commercial packets of ORS, most of the women interviewed did not have ready access to this product. This finding reflected the need for transcultural nurses to offer to teach mothers how to make ORS using the sugar, salt, and water they had available. Since the mothers' perception that diarrhea was a dangerous threat to their children's health, was verified by childhood mortality statistics in the bateys, it would seem that ORS could make a significant impact on the health status of the children. Breastfeeding also was a major health belief factor associated with the treatment of diarrhea. Even though the majority of mothers believed breast feeding should be continued if a child had diarrhea, a number believed it should be discontinued. Nurses working with CHWs will need to emphasize the importance of breastfeeding and help them to develop creative ways of communicating this information to the mothers. The second most dangerous threat to the child identified by the mothers was respiratory ailments. This suggests a new area of concentration for future research and training of CHWs. A host of new questions related to respiratory problems such as health beliefs, causative factors, course of disease, traditional treatments, mortality rate, etc. need to be investigated. When transcultural nurses plan health care programs for women and children in other cultures, it is important to recognize the concerns mothers have for their children, and their intense desire to nature and care for them. In this study, mothers willingly participated and demonstrated active interest in learning to use methods to improve the health and well being of their children. It is well documented (Lieban, 1977) that established health beliefs are not automatically discarded when new knowledge is made available, but that exploration and incorporation of new information when presented in a culturally relevant framework does occur. An understanding of local beliefs surrounding health is fundamental to the development of appropriate transcultural nursing interventions. Database: SCOPUS. ISSN/ISBN: 10436596.

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conditions, disease, and a high mortality rate. In 1990 only 39 percent of the 5.9 million residents had adequate access to water and only 24 percent to sanitation. The lack of potable water for basic human needs is one of the most critical problems in the country. Given the rainfall and abundant water resources, there is adequate water to meet the water demands, but proper management to develop and maintain the water supply requirements is lacking. However, the water supply sector is undergoing complete transformation. Although currently there is no comprehensive water policy, progress is being made towards establishing a national water resources management policy. Numerous agencies and non-government organizations (NGO's) are working to provide water, many of which conduct their missions with little or no coordination with other agencies, which creates duplication of work and inefficient use of resources. The Reform Unit for Potable Water (URSEP) is a special agency created recently to help organize the efforts of the various agencies in the water sector. Pollution of the water resources is a significant problem. Contamination of surface water and shallow ground water aquifers are prevalent throughout the country. Domestic wastewater and agricultural runoff causes biological contamination of water near and downstream of populated places. Currently there is no public system for the collection and treatment of wastewater. Indications are that contamination is increasing rapidly, especially for surface water. The amount of water pollution is important because much of the population still uses surface water and ground water from shallow aquifers for their water supply. Deforestation, with its devastating environmental consequences, is a serious problem in Haiti. Lac de Peligre, the only major reservoir in the country, has lost 30 percent of its storage capacity due to sedimentation caused by deforestation. Deforestation accelerates soil erosion, decreases the amount of recharge to aquifers by increasing surface runoff, damages barrier reefs and ecosystems, increases turbidity which affects mangroves, decreases agricultural production, and causes problems and increased maintenance of water systems and impoundments. Hydrologic data is lacking also. As of April 1998, only 3 of the 35 gaging stations and 25 percent of the hydrometeorological gages were functional. The technical information obtained from such a network is critical for effective water resources management. If the recommendations for watershed management are adopted, if progress is made toward reducing the untreated waste entering the nation's waterways, and if a national water resources management policy is implemented, positive, immediate, and long-term benefits could be realized. Notes: Includes appendices; References: 71; illus. incl. 7 tables; colored hydrogeologic maps. Database: GeoRef. U. S. Army Corps of Engineers, Mobile, AL, United States. GeoRef Accession Number: 2005-008377.

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composition at the 10-100 μ m level, while yellow glasses show much more variability and different intra-sample elemental correlations. One of the black glasses has higher SiO2 and K2O abundances, but lower concentrations of all other major elements. This suggests the existence of a third glass type, which we have named the high Si-K variety (HSi,K glass). The glass shows areas consisting of pure SiO2 (maybe lechatelierite) and some schlieren with lower SiO2 content. The chemical composition indicates that the HSi,K glass may have originated from melting of a sedimentary source rock, such as shale or argillite. Severe changes in major and trace element composition occur during alteration of the glass, as documented by analyses of adhering smectites. The REE patterns in the glass are similar to average upper crust, but the smectites exhibit much lower abundances and flat patterns, not unlike the patterns observed in claystones at numerous K/T boundary sites. The suggestion that the Chicxulub structure in Yucatan may be the source crater for the K/T impact glasses is not fully supported by the currently available data. Impact glasses and tektites are produced from the surface layers of their targets. At Chicxulub, the target stratigraphy comprised mainly carbonates and evaporites. Although we cannot exclude Chicxulub as a source, the present data do not provide any firm chemical evidence for a connection. We conclude, however, that the Haiti glasses have formed by impact and have later undergone alteration by lowtemperature hydrothermal processes to produce clays. The boundary claystones at K/T boundary sites may very well be alteration products of these impact glasses. © 1992. Database: SCOPUS. ISSN: 0016-7037.

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Silliman, S. 2007. Observations from a Project to Encourage Multiple-Year, International Collaboration on Research for Undergraduates. ASEE Annual Conference and Exposition, Conference Proceedings114th Annual ASEE Conference and Exposition, 2007. Honolulu, HI Conference: 24 June 2007 through 27 June 2007. Descriptors: Curricula; Developing countries; International cooperation; Project management; Research and development management; Engineering undergraduates; Program formats; Engineering education. Abstract: Over the past 10 years, the author has experimented with a number of program formats designed to inform engineering undergraduates of the requirements of pursuing engineering projects in developing countries. These have included: (i) an elective course on water supply in developing countries, (ii) a service program in Haiti involving a combination of U.S. engineering and non-engineering undergraduates, (iii) an international REU program involving collaborative research in Benin (West Africa) among students from multiple universities in the U.S., and (iv) a recent experiment in multi-year research involving collaborations among U.S. undergraduates working with graduate students in Benin. A previous ASEE paper compared preliminary assessment of the first three types of programs (course, service, and REU). Results from this earlier assessment indicated that the multi-year program should represent a popular offering for U.S. undergraduates. Although the assessment of the first experience with the multi-year offering is limited by the number of student participants (4) such that the results must be interpreted with caution, the assessment leads to insight into the motivation, objectives, and constraints on an international, multiyear program. Among the positive outcomes are enhanced student appreciation (in both the US and Benin) of the potential benefit of international collaboration, recognition of common objectives (both educational and professional) among students from different cultures, and significant research results. Among the constraints not realized prior to this experience are the role that original student motivation has on long-term dedication to the project, the continuing language barriers that exist even after an 8-week common experience among the students, the challenge associated with disparate periods (in the two countries) during which the students have relatively free time to commit to the research effort, and the different educational philosophies of the two programs (U.S. and Benin). Notes: Sponsors: Dassault systemes; HP; Lockheed martin; IBM; DuPont; et al; conference code: 70739. Database: SCOPUS.

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of stratigraphic position and chemical composition similar to black and yellow glass from Beloc, Haiti and Mimbral, Mexico, which some workers have chemically linked to melt glass within the breccia of the Chicxulub cores. We suggest that breccia deposition in Guatemala may have been multi-event, over an extended time period, and related to the collision of the Yucatan and Chortis plates as well as related to a major impact or volcanic event at the end of the Cretaceous. Database: SCOPUS. ISSN: 0016-7835.

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