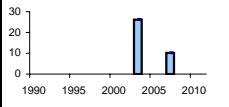
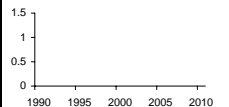
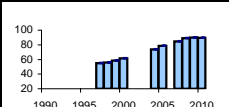
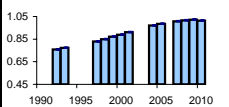
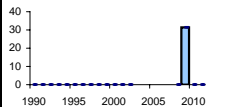
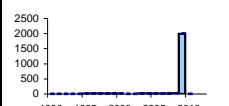
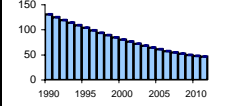
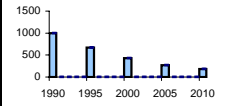
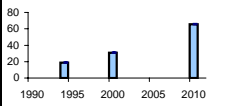
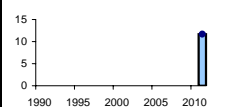
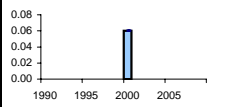
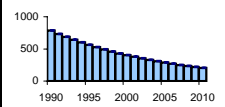
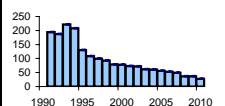


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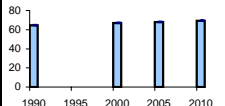
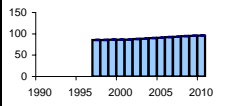
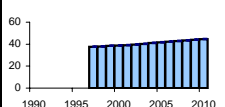
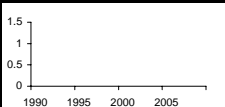
Goals and Targets	Indicators	First Year		Latest Year		Percentage Change	Country Progress	Region Latest Data: Southern Asia		
		Value	Year	Value	Year			Level ^{1/}	Chart	Value	Year
Goal 1: Eradicate Extreme Poverty and Hunger										
Reduce extreme poverty by half	Proportion of population living below \$1.25 (PPP) per day (%)	26.2	2003	10.2	2007	-61	moderate poverty		29.7	2010
Reduce hunger by half	Proportion of population below minimum level of dietary energy consumption (%)	..	..	..	..	-	---		11.7	2010-2012
Goal 2: Achieve Universal Primary Education										
Universal primary schooling	Net enrolment ratio in primary education (enrolees per 100 children)	55.0	1998	90.2	2012	64	high enrollment		93.0	2011
Goal 3: Promote Gender Equality and Empower Women										
Equal girls' enrolment in primary school	Ratio of girls to boys in primary education	0.76	1993	1.01	2012	34	parity		0.98	2011
Women's share of paid employment	Share of women in wage employment in the non-agricultural sector (%)	31.4	2009	31.4	2009	0	medium share		19.5	2011
Women's equal representation in national parliaments	Proportion of seats held by women in national parliament (single or lower house only - %)	2.0	1990	8.5	2013	326	very low representation		18.5	2013
Goal 4: Reduce child mortality										
Reduce mortality of under-five-year-old by two thirds	Under-five mortality rate (deaths of children per 1,000 births)	130.8	1990	44.6	2012	-66	moderate mortality		59	2012
Goal 5: Improve maternal health										
Reduce maternal mortality by three quarters	Maternal mortality ratio (maternal deaths per 100,000 live births)	1000	1990	180	2010	-82	moderate mortality		220	2010
Access to universal reproductive health	Contraceptive prevalence rate (percentage of women aged 15-49, married or in union, using contraception)	18.8	1994	65.6	2010	249	high access to reproductive health		56.2	2011
	Unmet need for family planning (percentage of women aged 15-49, married or in union, with unmet need for family planning)	11.7	2010	-			15.2	2011

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Goal 6: Combat HIV/AIDS, malaria and other diseases

Halt and begin to reverse the spread of HIV/AIDS	HIV incidence rate (number of new HIV infections per year per 100 people aged 15-49)	0.06	2011	-	intermediate incidence		0.02	2011
Halt and reverse spread of tuberculosis	Incidence rate and death rate associated with tuberculosis	784	1990	192	2011	-76	low mortality		181	2011
	Number of new cases per 100,000 population									
	Number of deaths per 100,000 population	194.0	1990	15.0	2011	-92			26	2011

Goal 7: Ensure environmental sustainability

Reverse loss of forests	Proportion of land area covered by forest (%)	64.6	1990	69.1	2010	7	high forest cover		14.5	2010
Halve proportion without improved drinking water	Proportion of population using an improved drinking water source (%)	85.6	1997	97.2	2011	14	high coverage		90.0	2011
Halve proportion without sanitation	Proportion of population using an improved sanitation facility (%)	37.6	1997	45.2	2011	20	very low coverage		41.0	2011
Improve the lives of slum-dwellers	Proportion of urban population living in slums (%)	..	..	..	..	-	---		35.0	2012

Goal 8: Develop a global partnership for development

Internet users	Internet users per 100 inhabitants	0.0	1990	25.4	2012	-	high usage		10.0	2011
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