

Ghana factfile



Area 239,460 sq km

Population 23.9 million

Languages English (official), numerous African languages

Main religions Christianity 68.8%, Islam 15.9%, indigenous beliefs 8.5%

Life expectancy 59 (m), 61 (w)

GDP per capita \$1,500 (2008)

Main exports
Gold, cocoa, tuna,
timber, bauxite,
manganese,
aluminium,
diamonds

Picture:
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John Atta Mills,
elected Dec 2008