

# CASE STUDY: BANGLADESH

- A country that is over-populated
- A country with a high rate of natural growth
- A densely populated country

Population Density:  $\sim 1298$  per  $\text{km}^2$

Population Growth Rate: 1.6%

Birth rate: 21.14 births per 1000

Death rate: 5.61 deaths per 1000

Contraceptive prevalence: 61.2%

Average age at first birth: 18.1

Physicians density: 0.36 physicians per 1000

Hospital beds density: 0.6 beds per 1000

Terrain: mostly flat alluvial plain, hilly in SE

Land use: Agricultural 70.1%

Forest 11.1%

Other 18.8%

Most populated: area around Ganges

200-600 mm of rainfall

Unemployment: 8.7%