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Online	CountryWatch database	Click on "Country Review"
In Print	<i>Europa World Year Book</i>	Reference Desk JN1 .E85
	<i>Statesman's Year Book</i>	Reference Desk JA51 .S79
	<i>Political Handbook of the World</i>	REF JF37 .P76 2006/07

Statistics

Online	<i>United Nations Statistical Division</i>	http://unstats.un.org/unsd/databases.htm
In Print	<i>Demographic Yearbook (United Nations)</i>	REF HA17 .D38 2002
	<i>World Development Indicators</i>	REF HC59.15 .W656 2006
	<i>World Development Report 2006</i>	REF HD59.7 .W659 2006

Peoples & Conflicts

Online	eHRAF (Human Relations Area Files) database	
	CIAO (Columbia International Affairs Online) – working papers, policy briefs, case studies, etc.	
In Print	<i>Countries & Their Cultures</i>	REF GN307 .C68 2001
	<i>Conflict in Korea: an Encyclopedia</i>	REF DS916 .H62 1999
	<i>Encyclopedia of Modern Ethnic Conflicts</i>	REF GN496 .E56 2003
	<i>Regional Guide to International Conflict...</i>	REF D842 .B464 2004
	<i>Chronology of Conflict & Resolution, 1945-85</i>	U42 .J47 1989

News

Online	CountryWatch database	Click on "Country Wire"
	LexisNexis database	Use "Guided News Search" tab
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<i>Asian Affairs, An American Review</i>			1990 -
<i>Current History</i>	D501 .C97	1941 -	1999 -
<i>Economist</i>	HG11 .E1	1959 -	1975 -
<i>European Foreign Affairs Review</i>			2000 -
<i>Foreign Affairs</i>	D1 .F7	1922 -	1922 -
<i>Foreign Policy</i>	E744 .F75	1971 -	1970 -
<i>Foreign Policy in Focus</i>			1999 -
<i>International Affairs</i>	JX1 ..I53	1969 -	1944 -
<i>International Studies Quarterly</i>	D839 .B2	1986 -	1967 -
<i>Middle East Policy</i>			1995 -
<i>National Interest</i>	E840 .N34	1987 -	1993 -
<i>Near East Report</i>	DS41 .N35	1966 -	
<i>Newsweek</i>	AP2 .N55	1933 -	1975 -
<i>Orbis</i>	D839 .O68	1966-2001	1990 -
<i>SAIS Review</i>			1995 -
<i>Time</i>	AP2 .T5	1924 -	1983 -
<i>U. S. News & World Report</i>	JK1 .U58	1948 -	1975 -
<i>Washington Quarterly</i>			1982 -
<i>West European Politics</i>			1993 -
<i>Wilson Quarterly</i>	AS36.W79 A37	1982 -	1990 -
<i>World Affairs</i>	JX1901 .W7	1970 -	1974 -
<i>World Policy Journal</i>	D839 .W5687		1993 -
<i>World Politics</i>	D839 .W92	1948 -	1948 -

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New York Times	http://www.nytimes.com/pages/world/index.html ("Times Topics: Find News by Country")
Reuters Humanitarian Alerts	http://www.alertnet.org
U. S. State Department	http://www.state.gov/countries/