

Global Inequality: A Look at the Numbers

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World Population in Millions and Wealth in Billions

Continent	Population (2002)	% world population	Wealth (GNP)	% world GNP
Africa	794	13.1%	495.4	1.8%
Asia	3,672	60.6%	7,172.6	25.5%
Oceania	31	.5%	442.4	1.6%
Europe	727	12.0%	9,606.3	34.2%
N. America	314	5.2%	8,933.6	31.8%
S. America	519	8.6%	1,430.7	5.1%
World Total	6,057	100%	28,081	100%

