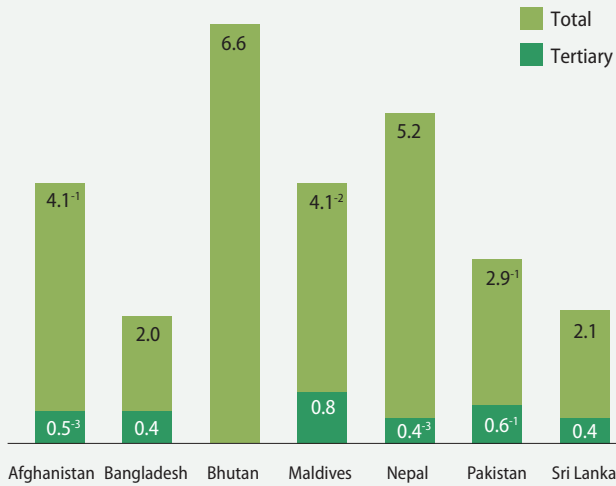


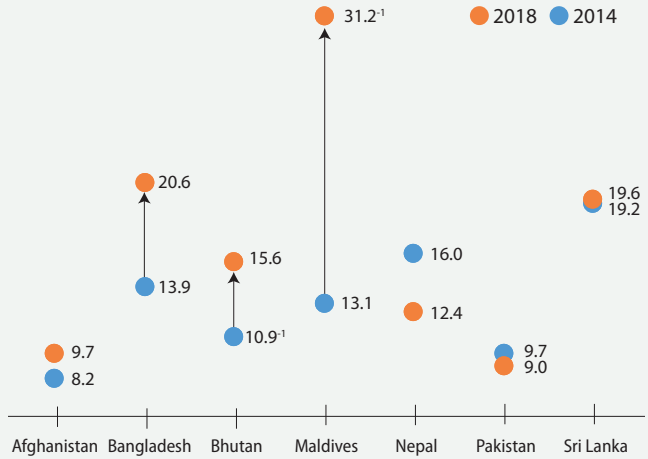


Figure 21.5: Trends in higher education in South Asia

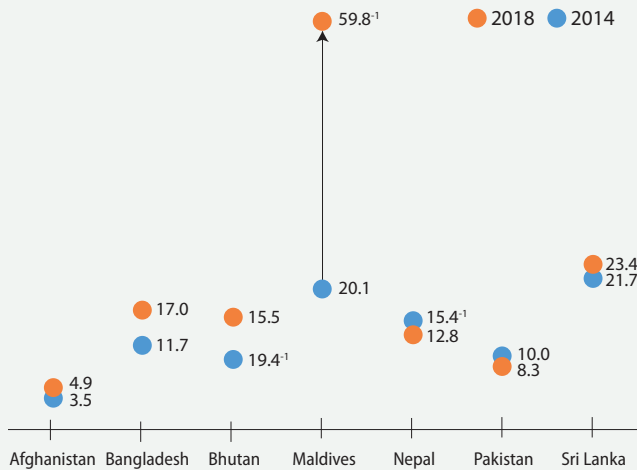
Government expenditure on education as a share of GDP in South Asia, 2018 (%)



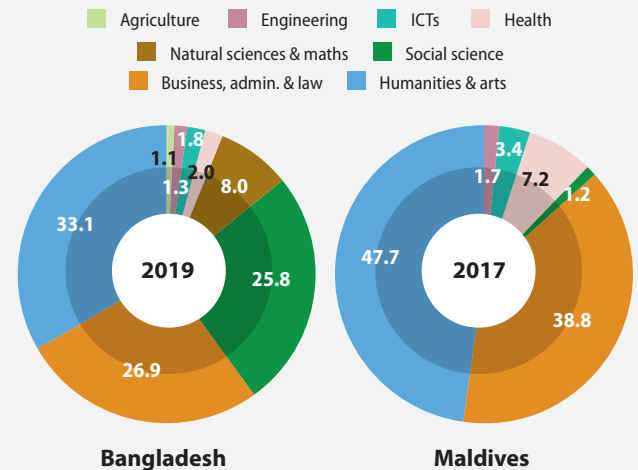
Gross enrolment ratio at tertiary level for both sexes in South Asia, 2014 and 2018 (%)



Gross enrolment ratio for women at tertiary level in South Asia, 2014 and 2018 (%)



Distribution of tertiary graduates by programme in Bangladesh and the Maldives, 2019 or closest year (%)



-n: data refer to n years before reference year

Source: UNESCO Institute for Statistics and MoEST (2017) Nepal Education in Figures