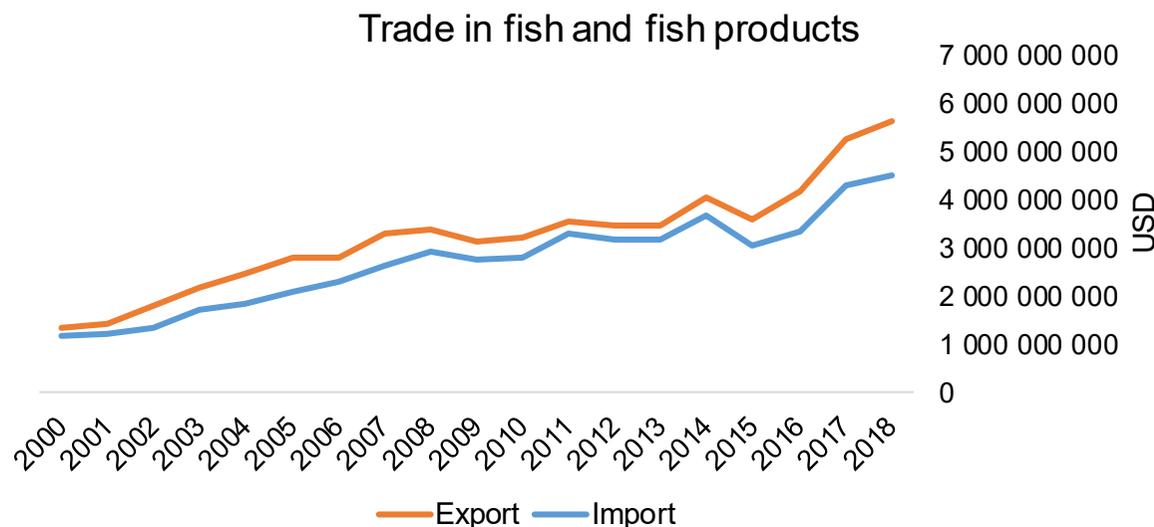




## COUNTRY BRIEF

Population	Ease of doing business rank
17 021 350	40th
Length of coastline	Exclusive fishing zone
1 914 km	50 309 km <sup>2</sup>
Average GDP growth	GDP per capita
4.10%	USD 53 583



GDP from fisheries

N/A

Fish available for consumption

22.0 kg/capita

Imports of fish and fish products - 2018

USD 4 518 627 000

Agricultural GDP from fisheries

N/A

Fisheries and aquaculture production

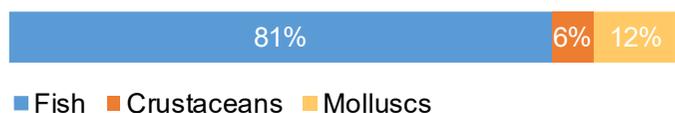
Total	465 049 tonnes
Fisheries	89%
Aquaculture	11%

Exports of fish and fish products - 2018

USD 5 619 599 000

## Production and Trade Breakdown

### Production by volume



### Imports by value



### Exports by value



## Production - Top 10 Species (Volume)

Rank	Species	Volume (Tonnes)
1 <sup>st</sup>	Blue whiting	120 939
2 <sup>nd</sup>	Atlantic herring	115 064
3 <sup>rd</sup>	Blue mussel	45 500
4 <sup>th</sup>	Atlantic horse mackerel	30 707
5 <sup>th</sup>	Atlantic mackerel	30 132
6 <sup>th</sup>	Common shrimp	27 385
7 <sup>th</sup>	European plaice	26 378
8 <sup>th</sup>	European pilchard	15 915
9 <sup>th</sup>	Common sole	8 622
10 <sup>th</sup>	Pod razor shell	6 109

## Imports - Top 10 Products (Value)

			USD
1 <sup>st</sup>	Shrimps, prawns	frozen HS 0306.17	429 165 000
2 <sup>nd</sup>	Tunas, skipjack, bonito	prepared or preserved; whole or in pieces HS 1604.14	279 816 000
3 <sup>rd</sup>	Cod	frozen fillets HS 0304.71	247 137 000
4 <sup>th</sup>	Cod	frozen; excluding fillets, livers and roes HS 0303.63	197 775 000
5 <sup>th</sup>	Shrimps, prawns	prepared or preserved, not in airtight containers HS 1605.21	197 377 000
6 <sup>th</sup>	Atlantic, Danube salmon	fresh or chilled; excluding fillets, livers and roes HS 0302.14	158 156 000
7 <sup>th</sup>	Cod	salted or in brine, not dried or smoked HS 0305.62	127 583 000
8 <sup>th</sup>	Shrimps, prawns	prepared or preserved, in airtight containers HS 1605.29	123 753 000
9 <sup>th</sup>	Fish	fresh or chilled fillets HS 0304.49	107 568 000
10 <sup>th</sup>	Fish	fresh or chilled fillets HS 0304.44	98 355 000

## Exports - Top 10 Products (Value)

			USD
1 <sup>st</sup>	Tunas, skipjack, bonito	prepared or preserved; whole or in pieces HS 1604.14	321 488 000
2 <sup>nd</sup>	Shrimps, prawns	frozen HS 0306.17	298 938 000
3 <sup>rd</sup>	Cod	frozen fillets HS 0304.71	224 331 000
4 <sup>th</sup>	Herrings	frozen; excluding fillets, livers and roes HS 0303.51	212 429 000
5 <sup>th</sup>	Pacific, Atlantic, Danube salmon	fresh or chilled fillets HS 0304.41	194 408 000
6 <sup>th</sup>	Shrimps, prawns	prepared or preserved, in airtight containers HS 1605.29	187 503 000
7 <sup>th</sup>	Cod	frozen; excluding fillets, livers and roes HS 0303.63	183 250 000
8 <sup>th</sup>	Mussels	live, fresh or chilled HS 0307.31	177 958 000
9 <sup>th</sup>	Mackerel	frozen; excluding fillets, livers and roes HS 0303.54	170 746 000
10 <sup>th</sup>	Shrimps, prawns	prepared or preserved, not in airtight containers HS 1605.21	164 918 000

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