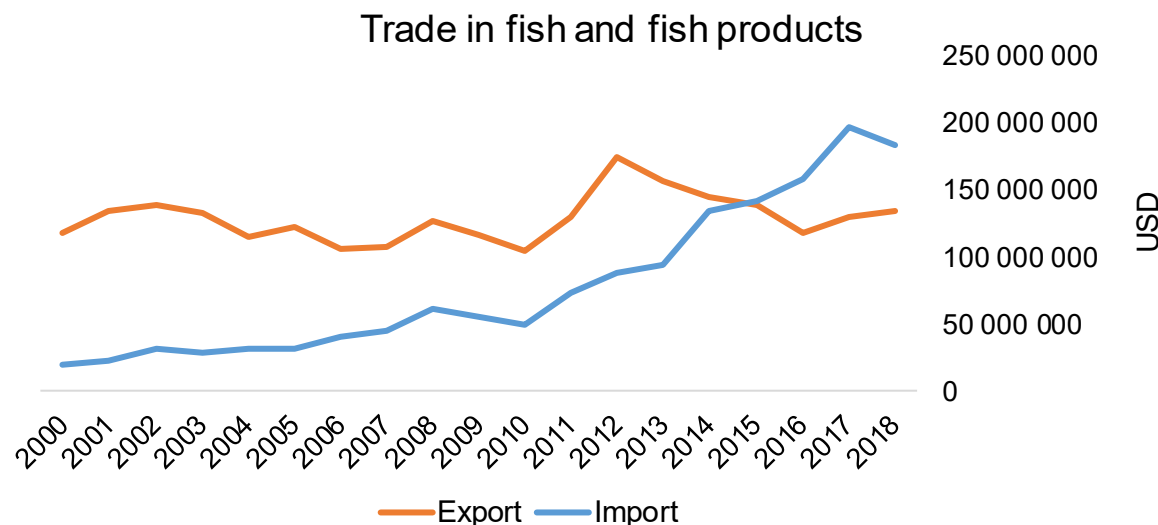




COUNTRY BRIEF

Population	Ease of doing business rank
4 949 950	78th
Length of coastline	Exclusive economic zone
2 069 km	542 060 km ²
Average GDP growth	GDP per capita
5.51%	USD 12 027



GDP from fisheries

0.07%

Fish available for consumption

18.5 kg/capita

Imports of fish and fish products - 2018

USD 183 925 000

Agricultural GDP from fisheries

1.57%

Fisheries and aquaculture production

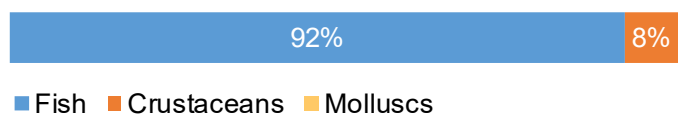
Total	36 775 tonnes
Fisheries	37%
Aquaculture	63%

Exports of fish and fish products - 2018

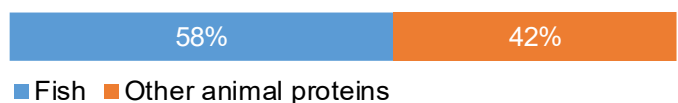
USD 133 621 000

Production and Trade Breakdown

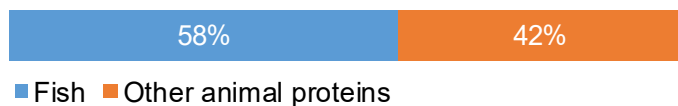
Production by volume



Imports by value



Exports by value



Production - Top 10 Species (Volume)

Rank	Species	Volume (Tonnes)
1 st	Nile tilapia	17 500
2 nd	Sharks, rays, skates, etc. nei	4 415
3 rd	Whiteleg shrimp	2 700
4 th	Silky shark	2 275
5 th	Marine fishes nei	1 695
6 th	Blue tilapia	1 400
7 th	Tuna-like fishes nei	1 360
8 th	Swordfish	1 305
9 th	Rainbow trout	940
10 th	Spotted rose snapper	600

Imports - Top 10 Products (Value)

			USD
1 st	Tunas, skipjack, bonito	prepared or preserved; whole or in pieces HS 1604.14	82 024 000
2 nd	Tilapias	frozen fillets HS 0304.61	19 078 000
3 rd	Shrimps, prawns	frozen HS 0306.17	15 670 000
4 th	Yellowfin tunas	frozen; excluding fillets, livers and roes HS 0303.42	14 840 000
5 th	Catfish	frozen fillets HS 0304.62	6 192 000
6 th	Sardines, sardinella, brisling or sprats	prepared or preserved; whole or in pieces HS 1604.13	5 680 000
7 th	Pacific, Atlantic, Danube salmon	frozen fillets HS 0304.81	4 579 000
8 th	Tilapias	fresh or chilled fillets HS 0304.31	4 172 000
9 th	Flours, meals, pellets. Unfit for human consumption	from fish or aquatic invertebrates HS 2301.20	3 333 000
10 th	Squid, cuttlefish	frozen HS 0307.43	3 161 000

Exports - Top 10 Products (Value)

			USD
1 st	Tilapias	fresh or chilled fillets HS 0304.31	33 158 000
2 nd	Tunas, skipjack, bonito	prepared or preserved; whole or in pieces HS 1604.14	24 296 000
3 rd	Fish, other than species in 0302	fresh or chilled; excluding fillets, livers and roes HS 0302.89	20 042 000
4 th	Shrimps, prawns	frozen HS 0306.17	12 255 000
5 th	Swordfish	fresh or chilled; excluding fillets, livers and roes HS 0302.47	8 481 000
6 th	Yellowfin tunas	fresh or chilled; excluding fillets, livers and roes HS 0302.32	7 487 000
7 th	Sardines, sardinella, brisling or sprats	prepared or preserved; whole or in pieces HS 1604.13	5 385 000
8 th	Fish, other than species in 0304.5	fresh or chilled meat; excluding fillets, livers and roes HS 0304.59	4 353 000
9 th	Shark fins	dried, smoked, salted or in brine HS 0305.71	3 505 000
10 th	Flours, meals, pellets. Unfit for human consumption	from fish or aquatic invertebrates HS 2301.20	2 813 000

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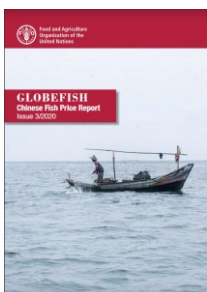
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