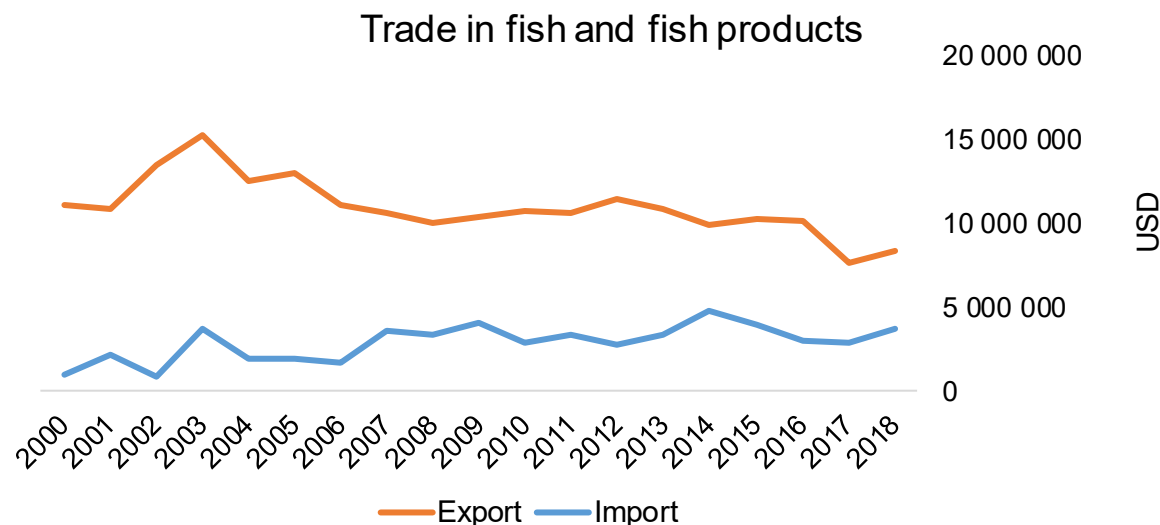




COUNTRY BRIEF

Population	Ease of doing business rank
7 488 420	204th
Length of coastline	Exclusive fishing zone
1 677 km	155 928 km ²
Average GDP growth	GDP per capita
N/A	USD 536



GDP from fisheries

N/A

Fish available for consumption

25.6 kg/capita

Imports of fish and fish products - 2018

USD 3 704 000

Agricultural GDP from fisheries

N/A

Fisheries and aquaculture production

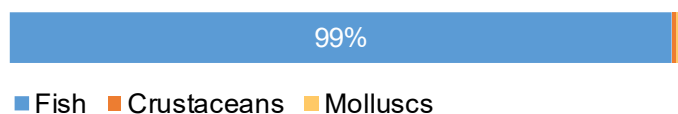
Total	202 185 tonnes
Fisheries	100%
Aquaculture	0%

Exports of fish and fish products - 2018

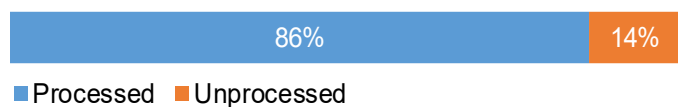
USD 8 412 000

Production and Trade Breakdown

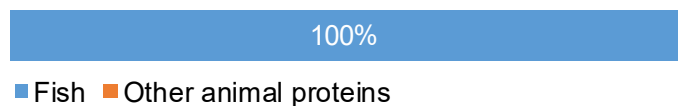
Production by volume



Imports by value



Exports by value



Production - Top 10 Species (Volume)

Rank	Species	Volume (Tonnes)
1 st	Bonga shad	84 200
2 nd	Sardinellas nei	26 000
3 rd	Bobo croaker	11 600
4 th	Marine fishes nei	11 250
5 th	West African ilisha	7 630
6 th	Sea catfishes nei	6 120
7 th	Bigeye grunt	5 140
8 th	Sharks, rays, skates, etc. nei	3 340
9 th	Barracudas nei	3 150
10 th	White grouper	2 910

Imports - Top 10 Products (Value)

			USD
1 st	Sardines, sardinella, brisling or sprats	prepared or preserved; whole or in pieces HS 1604.13	2 971 000
2 nd	Fish, other than species in 0303	frozen; excluding fillets, livers and roes HS 0303.89	500 000
3 rd	Fish	prepared or preserved HS 1604.20	105 000
4 th	Mackerel	prepared or preserved; whole or in pieces HS 1604.15	83 000
5 th	Tunas, skipjack, bonito	prepared or preserved; whole or in pieces HS 1604.14	22 000
6 th	Fish fats or oils and fractions thereof	not chemically modified or from fish-livers HS 1504.20	9 000
7 th	Pacific, Atlantic, Danube salmon	smoked, including fillets HS 0305.41	5 000
8 th	Shrimps, prawns	prepared or preserved, in airtight containers HS 1605.29	4 000
9 th	Fish, other than species in 0304	frozen fillets HS 0304.89	3 000
10 th	Shrimps, prawns	frozen HS 0306.17	1 000

Exports - Top 10 Products (Value)

			USD
1 st	Crustaceans, other than species in 0306	dried, smoked, salted or in brine, flours, meals, pellets HS 0306.99	3 600 000
2 nd	Fish, other than species in 0303	frozen; excluding fillets, livers and roes HS 0303.89	2 535 000
3 rd	Flat fish	frozen; excluding fillets, livers and roes HS 0303.39	2 009 000
4 th	Herrings	smoked, including fillets HS 0305.42	56 000
5 th	Shark fins	dried, smoked, salted or in brine HS 0305.71	50 000
6 th	Sole	frozen; excluding fillets, livers and roes HS 0303.33	26 000
7 th	Fish	frozen; excluding fillets, livers and roes HS 0303.69	24 000
8 th	Tunas	frozen; excluding fillets, livers and roes HS 0303.49	23 000
9 th	Yellowfin tunas	fresh or chilled; excluding fillets, livers and roes HS 0302.32	16 000
10 th	Turbots	frozen; excluding fillets, livers and roes HS 0303.34	14 000

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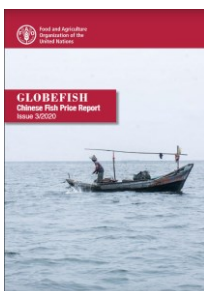
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