



COUNTRY BRIEF

Population	Ease of doing business rank
1 384 060	117th
Length of coastline	Exclusive economic zone
704 km	60 659 km ²
Average GDP growth	GDP per capita
-2.10%	USD 17 130



GDP from fisheries

0.06%

Fish available for consumption

23.9 kg/capita

Imports of fish and fish products - 2018

USD 43 775 000

Agricultural GDP from fisheries

6.13%

Fisheries and aquaculture production

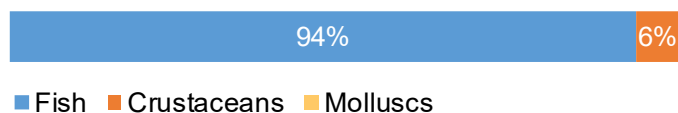
Total	13 241 tonnes
Fisheries	100%
Aquaculture	0%

Exports of fish and fish products - 2018

USD 25 249 000

Production and Trade Breakdown

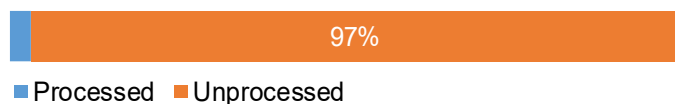
Production by volume



Imports by value



Exports by value



Production - Top 10 Species (Volume)

Rank	Species	Volume (Tonnes)
1 st	Marine fishes nei	6 078
2 nd	Demersal percomorphs nei	2 565
3 rd	Yellowfin tuna	1 214
4 th	Penaeus shrimps nei	776
5 th	Serra Spanish mackerel	695
6 th	King mackerel	494
7 th	Tuna-like fishes nei	419
8 th	Sharks, rays, skates, etc. nei	301
9 th	Jacks, crevalles nei	254
10 th	Smooth-hounds nei	173

Imports - Top 10 Products (Value)

			USD
1 st	Shrimps, prawns	frozen HS 0306.17	6 778 000
2 nd	Tunas, skipjack, bonito	prepared or preserved; whole or in pieces HS 1604.14	5 620 000
3 rd	Fish	dried, whether or not salted; not smoked HS 0305.59	4 419 000
4 th	Fish	dried, salted or in brine; not smoked HS 0305.32	3 560 000
5 th	Herrings	smoked, including fillets HS 0305.42	3 533 000
6 th	Albacore or longfinned tunas	frozen; excluding fillets, livers and roes HS 0303.41	3 328 000
7 th	Fish	dried, whether or not salted; not smoked HS 0305.53	2 125 000
8 th	Fish, other than species in 0303	frozen; excluding fillets, livers and roes HS 0303.89	2 004 000
9 th	Catfish	frozen fillets HS 0304.62	1 364 000
10 th	Sardines, sardinella, brisling or sprats	prepared or preserved; whole or in pieces HS 1604.13	1 300 000

Exports - Top 10 Products (Value)

			USD
1 st	Yellowfin tunas	fresh or chilled; excluding fillets, livers and roes HS 0302.32	11 978 000
2 nd	Fish, other than species in 0302	fresh or chilled; excluding fillets, livers and roes HS 0302.89	6 865 000
3 rd	Fish, other than species in 0303	frozen; excluding fillets, livers and roes HS 0303.89	2 107 000
4 th	Salmonidae	fresh or chilled; excluding fillets, livers and roes HS 0302.19	1 770 000
5 th	Albacore or longfinned tunas	frozen; excluding fillets, livers and roes HS 0303.41	751 000
6 th	Fish, other than species in 0304	frozen fillets HS 0304.89	305 000
7 th	Lobsters	live, fresh or chilled HS 0306.32	288 000
8 th	Yellowfin tunas	frozen; excluding fillets, livers and roes HS 0303.42	175 000
9 th	Fish	fresh or chilled meat; excluding fillets, livers and roes HS 0304.53	172 000
10 th	Bigeye tunas	fresh or chilled; excluding fillets, livers and roes HS 0302.34	109 000

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Sources

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[HS codes for fish and fish products](#)

International trade codes for fish and fish products in a user friendly format.



Sources and time periods:

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FAO's [Global Fishery and Aquaculture Production Statistics](#)

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FAO's [Fishery and Aquaculture Statistics 2016](#)

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IMF's [World Economic Outlook Databases](#)

-Imports, Exports and Share of Trade (2000-2018):
FAO's [Global Fishery and Aquaculture Commodities Statistics](#)

-GDP, GDP from fisheries, GDP from agriculture (2018):
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OECD's [National Accounts Statistics](#) or
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World Bank's [Ease of Doing Business](#) ranking

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UNEP's [Global Environment Outlook](#)

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