Kiribati
GLOBEFISH Market Profile - 2019

COUNTRY BRIEF

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<tr>
<th>Population</th>
<th>Ease of doing business rank</th>
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<td>117 000</td>
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<th>Length of coastline</th>
<th>Exclusive economic zone</th>
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<td>1 961 km</td>
<td>3 387 650 km²</td>
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<th>Average GDP growth</th>
<th>GDP per capita</th>
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<td>N/A</td>
<td>USD 1 513</td>
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Trade in fish and fish products

- Exports
- Imports

Imports of fish and fish products - 2019
USD 2 138 280

Exports of fish and fish products - 2019
USD 173 896 190

Fish available for consumption
76.7 kg/capita

GDP from fisheries
N/A

Agricultural GDP from fisheries
N/A

Fisheries and aquaculture production

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<th>Total</th>
<th>238 696 tonnes</th>
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<td>Fisheries</td>
<td>100%</td>
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<td>Aquaculture</td>
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Profile compiled by GLOBEFISH – March 2022
Production and Trade Breakdown

Production by volume

- Fish: 100%
- Crustaceans: 62%
- Molluscs: 38%

Imports by value

- Processed: 62%
- Unprocessed: 38%

Exports by value

- Processed: 97%

Production - Top 10 Species (Volume)

1. Skipjack tuna: 196,850 tonnes
2. Yellowfin tuna: 29,221 tonnes
3. Bigeye tuna: 8,363 tonnes
4. Albacore: 1,136 tonnes
5. Snappers, jobfishes: 680 tonnes
6. Emperors (Scavengers): 550 tonnes
7. Flyingfishes: 450 tonnes
8. Marine fishes: 430 tonnes
9. Jacks, crevalles: 270 tonnes
10. Groupers, seabasses: 126 tonnes
### Imports - Top 10 Products (Value)

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<td>1st</td>
<td>Fish</td>
<td>HS 1604.20</td>
<td>649 100</td>
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<td>2nd</td>
<td>Mackerel</td>
<td>HS 1604.15</td>
<td>499 920</td>
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<td>Sardines, sardinella, brisling or sprats</td>
<td>HS 0303.53</td>
<td>381 120</td>
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<td>4th</td>
<td>Yellowfin tunas</td>
<td>HS 0303.42</td>
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<td>Sardines, sardinella, brisling or sprats</td>
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<td>108 760</td>
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<td>6th</td>
<td>Fish, other than species in 0303.5</td>
<td>HS 0303.59</td>
<td>65 440</td>
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<td>Mackerel</td>
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<td>8th</td>
<td>Tunas, skipjack, bonito</td>
<td>HS 0304.14</td>
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<td>9th</td>
<td>Shrimps, prawns</td>
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<td>10th</td>
<td>Fish, other than species in 0303</td>
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<td>Skipjack, stripe-bellied bonito</td>
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<td>5th</td>
<td>Bigeye tunas</td>
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<td>6th</td>
<td>Freshwater ornamental fish</td>
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<td>Carp, eels</td>
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