



COUNTRY BRIEF

Population	Ease of doing business rank
4 596 020	230th
Length of coastline	EEZ/EFZ
N/A	N/A
Average GDP growth	GDP per capita
N/A	USD 481



GDP from fisheries

N/A

Fish available for consumption

8.1 kg/capita

Imports of fish and fish
products - 2018

USD 5 351 000

Agricultural GDP from fisheries

N/A

Fisheries and aquaculture
production

Total	29 140 tonnes
Fisheries	100%
Aquaculture	0%

Exports of fish and fish
products - 2018

USD 400 000

Production and Trade Breakdown

Production by volume



Fish Crustaceans Molluscs

Imports by value



Processed Unprocessed



Fish Other animal proteins

Exports by value



Processed Unprocessed

Production - Top 10 Species (Volume)

		Tonnes
1 st	Freshwater fishes nei	29 010
2 nd	Nile tilapia	100
3 rd	Cyprinids nei	20
4 th	North African catfish	10

Imports - Top 10 Products (Value)

			USD
1 st	Fish, other than species in 0303	frozen; excluding fillets, livers and roes HS 0303.89	1 027 000
2 nd	Tilapias	frozen; excluding fillets, livers and roes HS 0303.23	980 000
3 rd	Mackerel	frozen; excluding fillets, livers and roes HS 0303.54	774 000
4 th	Sardines, sardinella, brisling or sprats	prepared or preserved; whole or in pieces HS 1604.13	751 000
5 th	Sardines, sardinella, brisling or sprats	frozen; excluding fillets, livers and roes HS 0303.53	731 000
6 th	Jack, horse mackerel	frozen; excluding fillets, livers and roes HS 0303.55	261 000
7 th	Scallops	frozen HS 0307.22	221 000
8 th	Fish	prepared or preserved HS 1604.20	180 000
9 th	Fish, other than species in 0303.5	frozen; excluding fillets, livers and roes HS 0303.59	118 000
10 th	Catfish	frozen; excluding fillets, livers and roes HS 0303.24	100 000

Exports - Top 10 Products (Value)

			USD
1 st	Fish, other than species in 1604	prepared or preserved; whole or in pieces HS 1604.19	400 000

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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:

-Fishing and aquaculture production (2018):
FAO's [Global Fishery and Aquaculture Production Statistics](#)

-Fish available for consumption (2017):
FAO's [Fishery and Aquaculture Statistics 2016](#)

-Population (2018), GDP Growth (2013-2018), GDP per Capita (2018):
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):
World Bank's [World Development Indicators](#),
OECD's [National Accounts Statistics](#) or
UNSD's [National Accounts](#)

-Ease of doing business (2018):
World Bank's [Ease of Doing Business](#) ranking

-Length of Coastline, Exclusive Economic Zone, Exclusive Fishing Zone (2003):
UNEP's [Global Environment Outlook](#)

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