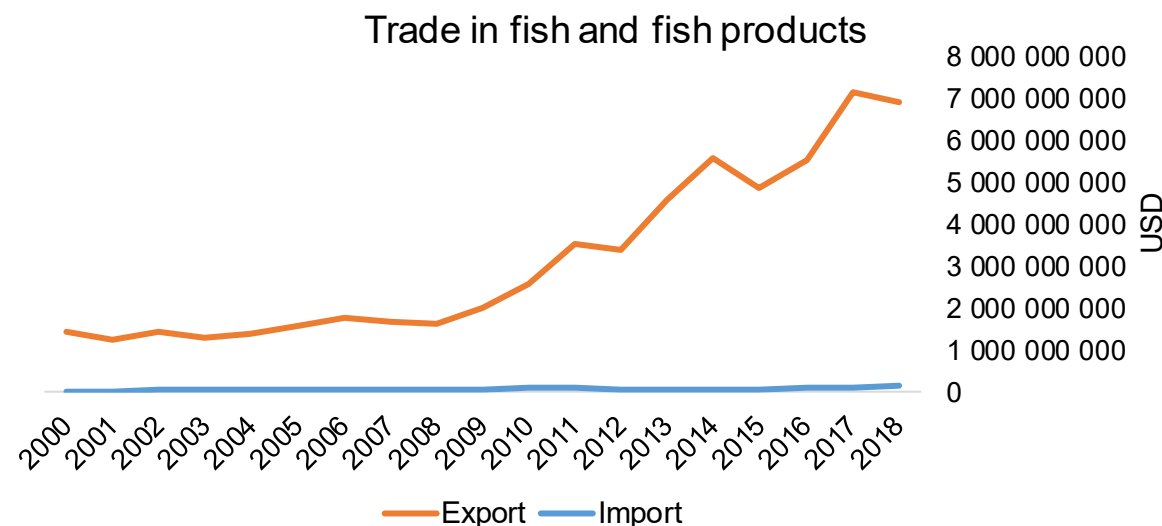




COUNTRY BRIEF

Population	Ease of doing business rank
1 338 676 780	85th
Length of coastline	Exclusive economic zone
17 181 km	2 103 420 km ²
Average GDP growth	GDP per capita
11.07%	USD 2 055



GDP from fisheries

1.03%

Fish available for consumption

6.9 kg/capita

Imports of fish and fish
products - 2018

USD 130 859 000

Agricultural GDP from fisheries

6.58%

Fisheries and aquaculture
production

Total 12 496 253 tonnes

Fisheries 43%

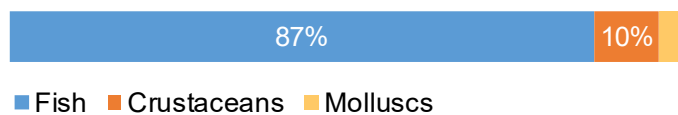
Aquaculture 57%

Exports of fish and fish
products - 2018

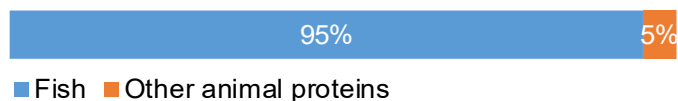
USD 6 929 760 000

Production and Trade Breakdown

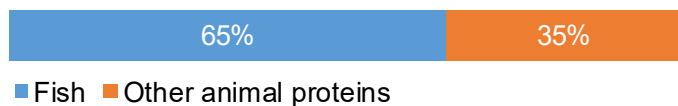
Production by volume



Imports by value



Exports by value



Production - Top 10 Species (Volume)

		Tonnes
1 st	Catla	2 880 000
2 nd	Freshwater fishes nei	1 643 255
3 rd	Roho labeo	1 116 000
4 th	Cyprinids nei	692 715
5 th	Whiteleg shrimp	622 000
6 th	Striped catfish	523 000
7 th	Silver carp	444 000
8 th	Indian mackerel	286 056
9 th	Giant tiger prawn	251 154
10 th	Clupeoids nei	241 049

Imports - Top 10 Products (Value)

			USD
1 st	Shrimps, prawns	frozen	24 943 000
		HS 0306.17	
2 nd	Flours, meals, pellets. Unfit for human consumption	from fish or aquatic invertebrates	24 892 000
		HS 2301.20	
3 rd	Catfish	frozen fillets	19 100 000
		HS 0304.62	
4 th	Shrimps, prawns	frozen; cold-water species	14 009 000
		HS 0306.16	
5 th	Fish, other than species in 0302	fresh or chilled; excluding fillets, livers and roes	8 321 000
		HS 0302.89	
6 th	Fish fats or oils and fractions thereof	not chemically modified or from fish-livers	4 804 000
		HS 1504.20	
7 th	Fish, other than species in 0303	frozen; excluding fillets, livers and roes	4 786 000
		HS 0303.89	
8 th	Squid, cuttlefish	frozen	3 555 000
		HS 0307.43	
9 th	Nile perch, snakeheads	fresh or chilled; excluding fillets, livers and roes	2 987 000
		HS 0302.79	
10 th	Fish	live	2 841 000
		HS 0301.99	

Exports - Top 10 Products (Value)

			USD
1 st	Shrimps, prawns	frozen	4 363 894 000
		HS 0306.17	
2 nd	Squid, cuttlefish	frozen	643 606 000
		HS 0307.43	
3 rd	Fish, other than species in 0303	frozen; excluding fillets, livers and roes	402 117 000
		HS 0303.89	
4 th	Fish, other than species in 0304	frozen meat; excluding fillets, livers and roes	249 376 000
		HS 0304.99	
5 th	Shrimps, prawns	prepared or preserved, in airtight containers	226 333 000
		HS 1605.29	
6 th	Fish, other than species in 0303.5	frozen; excluding fillets, livers and roes	137 559 000
		HS 0303.59	
7 th	Flours, meals, pellets. Unfit for human consumption	from fish or aquatic invertebrates	106 534 000
		HS 2301.20	
8 th	Shrimps, prawns	prepared or preserved, not in airtight containers	96 268 000
		HS 1605.21	
9 th	Fish heads, tails, maws	dried, smoked, salted or in brine	65 415 000
		HS 0305.72	
10 th	Crabs	live, fresh or chilled	61 643 000
		HS 0306.33	

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