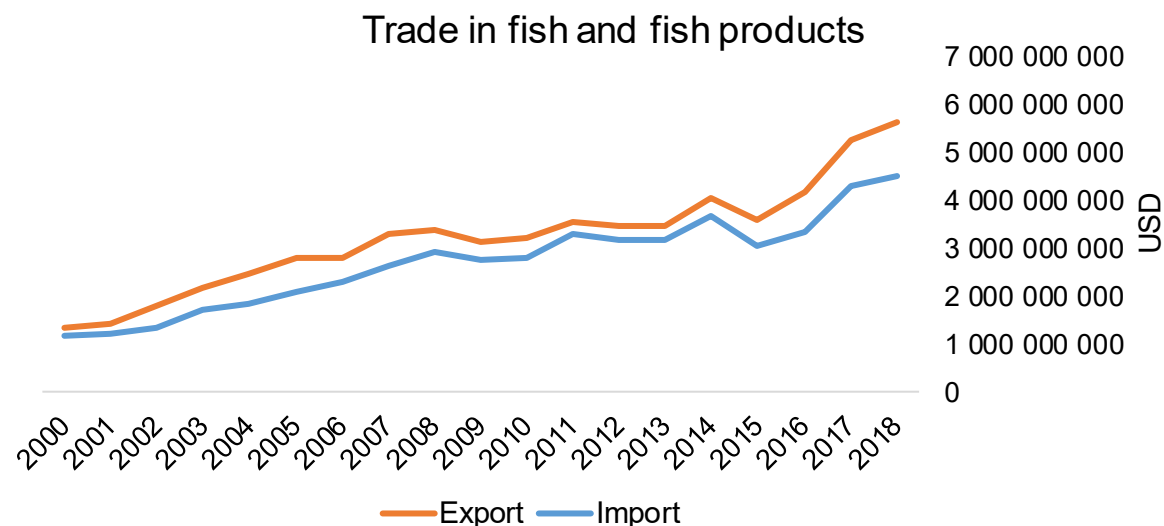




COUNTRY BRIEF

Population	Ease of doing business rank
17 021 350	40th
Length of coastline	Exclusive fishing zone
1 914 km	50 309 km ²
Average GDP growth	GDP per capita
4.10%	USD 53 583



GDP from fisheries

N/A

Fish available for consumption

22.0 kg/capita

Imports of fish and fish
products - 2018

USD 4 518 627 000

Agricultural GDP from fisheries

N/A

Fisheries and aquaculture
production

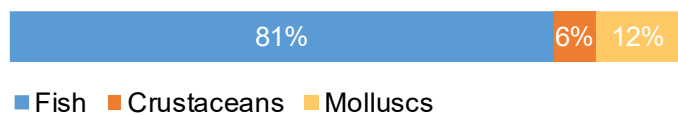
Total	465 049 tonnes
Fisheries	89%
Aquaculture	11%

Exports of fish and fish
products - 2018

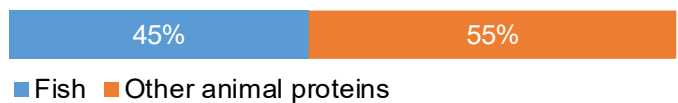
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Production and Trade Breakdown

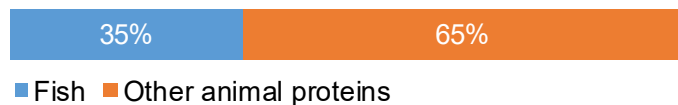
Production by volume



Imports by value



Exports by value



Production - Top 10 Species (Volume)

		Tonnes
1 st	Blue whiting	120 939
2 nd	Atlantic herring	115 064
3 rd	Blue mussel	45 500
4 th	Atlantic horse mackerel	30 707
5 th	Atlantic mackerel	30 132
6 th	Common shrimp	27 385
7 th	European plaice	26 378
8 th	European pilchard	15 915
9 th	Common sole	8 622
10 th	Pod razor shell	6 109

Imports - Top 10 Products (Value)

			USD
1 st	Shrimps, prawns	frozen	429 165 000
		HS 0306.17	
2 nd	Tunas, skipjack, bonito	prepared or preserved; whole or in pieces	279 816 000
		HS 1604.14	
3 rd	Cod	frozen fillets	247 137 000
		HS 0304.71	
4 th	Cod	frozen; excluding fillets, livers and roes	197 775 000
		HS 0303.63	
5 th	Shrimps, prawns	prepared or preserved, not in airtight containers	197 377 000
		HS 1605.21	
6 th	Atlantic, Danube salmon	fresh or chilled; excluding fillets, livers and roes	158 156 000
		HS 0302.14	
7 th	Cod	salted or in brine, not dried or smoked	127 583 000
		HS 0305.62	
8 th	Shrimps, prawns	prepared or preserved, in airtight containers	123 753 000
		HS 1605.29	
9 th	Fish	fresh or chilled fillets	107 568 000
		HS 0304.49	
10 th	Fish	fresh or chilled fillets	98 355 000
		HS 0304.44	

Exports - Top 10 Products (Value)

			USD
1 st	Tunas, skipjack, bonito	prepared or preserved; whole or in pieces	321 488 000
		HS 1604.14	
2 nd	Shrimps, prawns	frozen	298 938 000
		HS 0306.17	
3 rd	Cod	frozen fillets	224 331 000
		HS 0304.71	
4 th	Herrings	frozen; excluding fillets, livers and roes	212 429 000
		HS 0303.51	
5 th	Pacific, Atlantic, Danube salmon	fresh or chilled fillets	194 408 000
		HS 0304.41	
6 th	Shrimps, prawns	prepared or preserved, in airtight containers	187 503 000
		HS 1605.29	
7 th	Cod	frozen; excluding fillets, livers and roes	183 250 000
		HS 0303.63	
8 th	Mussels	live, fresh or chilled	177 958 000
		HS 0307.31	
9 th	Mackerel	frozen; excluding fillets, livers and roes	170 746 000
		HS 0303.54	
10 th	Shrimps, prawns	prepared or preserved, not in airtight containers	164 918 000
		HS 1605.21	

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