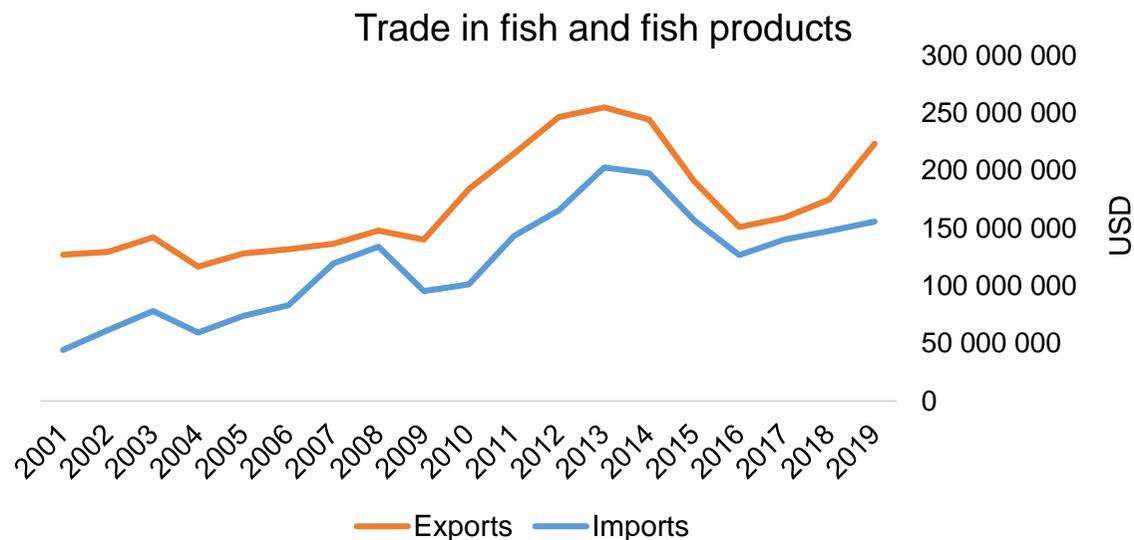




COUNTRY BRIEF

Population	Ease of doing business rank
1 327 000	14th
Length of coastline	Exclusive economic zone
2 956 km	11 558 km ²
Average GDP growth	GDP per capita
7.85%	USD 23 419



GDP from fisheries

0.17%

Fish available for consumption

14.7 kg/capita

Imports of fish and fish products - 2019

USD 155 859 020

Agricultural GDP from fisheries

6.60%

Fisheries and aquaculture production

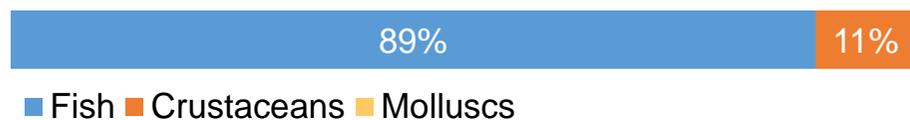
Total	87 765 tonnes
Fisheries	99%
Aquaculture	1%

Exports of fish and fish products - 2019

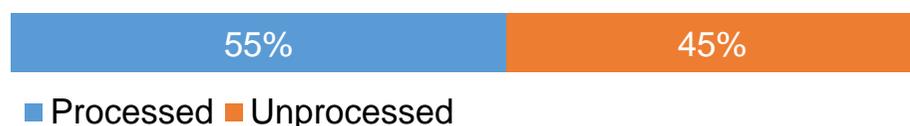
USD 223 441 040

Production and Trade Breakdown

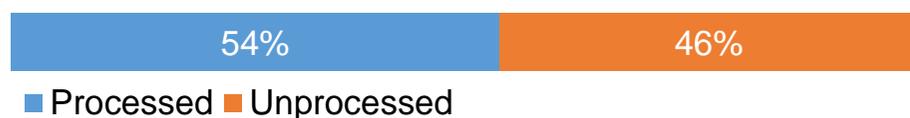
Production by volume



Imports by value



Exports by value



Production - Top 10 Species (Volume)

Rank	Species	Volume (Tonnes)
1 st	Atlantic herring	32 835
2 nd	European sprat	30 649
3 rd	Northern prawn	9 795
4 th	Atlantic redfishes nei	3 241
5 th	Atlantic cod	2 148
6 th	European perch	1 803
7 th	Greenland halibut	1 104
8 th	Amer. plaice (Long rough dab)	1 022
9 th	Rainbow trout	928
10 th	Pike-perch	751

Imports - Top 10 Products (Value)

			USD
1 st	Atlantic, Danube salmon	fresh or chilled; excluding fillets, livers and roes HS 0302.14	32 669 920
2 nd	Shrimps, prawns	prepared or preserved, in airtight containers HS 1605.29	12 139 090
3 rd	Herrings	prepared or preserved; whole or in pieces HS 1604.12	6 556 940
4 th	Fish	prepared or preserved HS 1604.20	6 536 050
5 th	Trout	fresh or chilled; excluding fillets, livers and roes HS 0302.11	6 457 750
6 th	Atlantic, Danube salmon	frozen; excluding fillets, livers and roes HS 0303.13	5 898 610
7 th	meat of Alaska Pollack	frozen meat; excluding fillets, livers and roes HS 0304.94	4 556 380
8 th	Tunas, skipjack, stripe-bellied bonito	frozen fillets HS 0304.87	4 484 630
9 th	Fish, other than species in 0303	frozen; excluding fillets, livers and roes HS 0303.89	4 105 640
10 th	Fish, other than species in 0304	frozen fillets HS 0304.89	4 054 300

Exports - Top 10 Products (Value)

			USD
1 st	Shrimps, prawns	frozen HS 0306.17	40 742 870
2 nd	Herrings	frozen; excluding fillets, livers and roes HS 0303.51	14 685 620
3 rd	Fish	prepared or preserved HS 1604.20	13 969 720
4 th	Shrimps, prawns	prepared or preserved, in airtight containers HS 1605.29	13 760 840
5 th	Pacific, Atlantic, Danube salmon	frozen fillets HS 0304.81	11 856 920
6 th	Fish	fresh or chilled fillets HS 0304.49	11 571 520
7 th	Flours, meals, pellets. Unfit for human consumption	from fish or aquatic invertebrates HS 2301.20	9 518 810
8 th	Sardines, sardinella, brisling or sprats	frozen; excluding fillets, livers and roes HS 0303.53	9 144 650
9 th	Fish, other than species in 0303	frozen; excluding fillets, livers and roes HS 0303.89	7 261 960
10 th	Fish, other than species in 1604	prepared or preserved; whole or in pieces HS 1604.19	7 181 660

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