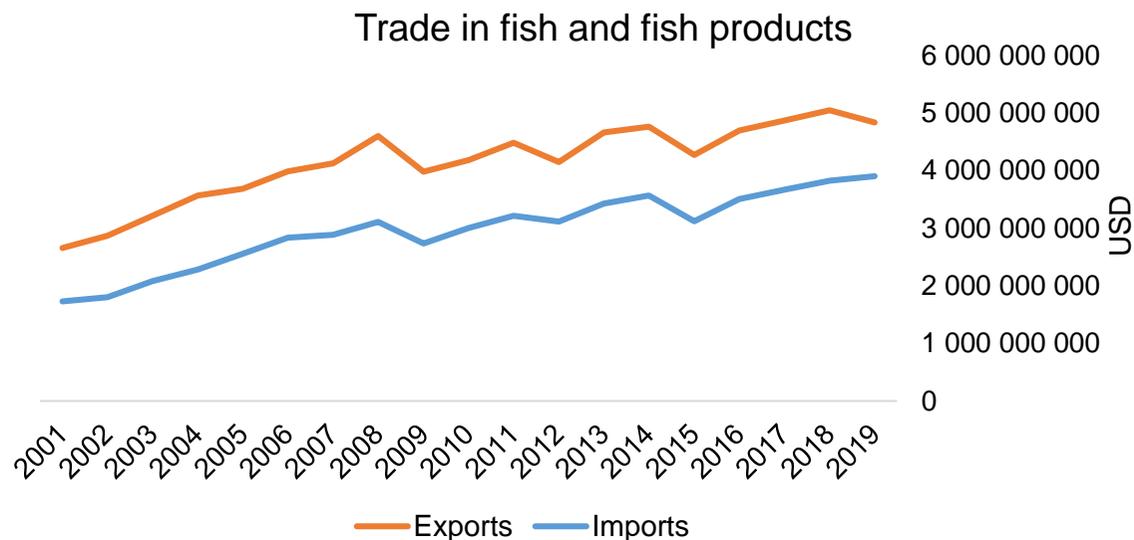




## COUNTRY BRIEF

|                     |                             |
|---------------------|-----------------------------|
| Population          | Ease of doing business rank |
| 5 806 000           | 3rd                         |
| Length of coastline | Exclusive economic zone     |
| 5 316 km            | 80 419 km <sup>2</sup>      |
| Average GDP growth  | GDP per capita              |
| 3.48%               | USD 60 216                  |



GDP from fisheries

0.09%

Fish available for consumption

26.7 kg/capita

Imports of fish and fish products - 2019

USD 3 903 028 140

Agricultural GDP from fisheries

7.11%

Fisheries and aquaculture production

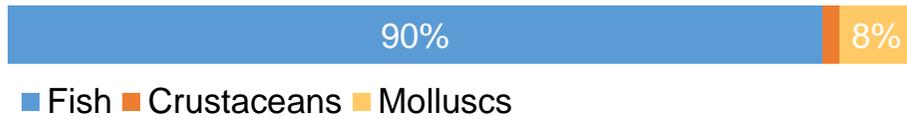
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| Total       | 669 135 tonnes |
| Fisheries   | 94%            |
| Aquaculture | 6%             |

Exports of fish and fish products - 2019

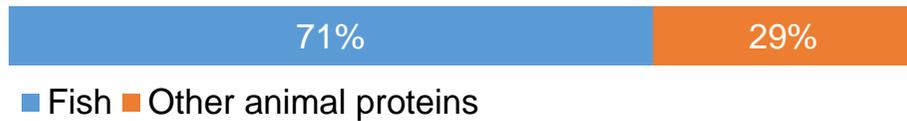
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## Production and Trade Breakdown

### Production by volume



### Imports by value



### Exports by value



## Production - Top 10 Species (Volume)

| Rank             | Species                   | Volume (Tonnes) |
|------------------|---------------------------|-----------------|
| 1 <sup>st</sup>  | European sprat            | 154 032         |
| 2 <sup>nd</sup>  | Atlantic herring          | 125 712         |
| 3 <sup>rd</sup>  | Sandeels (Sandlances) nei | 93 630          |
| 4 <sup>th</sup>  | Blue whiting (Poutassou)  | 65 791          |
| 5 <sup>th</sup>  | Blue mussel               | 43 630          |
| 6 <sup>th</sup>  | Norway pout               | 37 850          |
| 7 <sup>th</sup>  | Rainbow trout             | 30 853          |
| 8 <sup>th</sup>  | Atlantic mackerel         | 30 103          |
| 9 <sup>th</sup>  | European plaice           | 14 552          |
| 10 <sup>th</sup> | Atlantic cod              | 12 429          |

## Imports - Top 10 Products (Value)

|                  |   |  | USD           |
|------------------|---|--|---------------|
| 1 <sup>st</sup>  | Atlantic, Danube salmon                             | fresh or chilled; excluding fillets, livers and roes<br>HS 0302.14 | 1 149 366 310 |
| 2 <sup>nd</sup>  | Halibut   | frozen; excluding fillets, livers and roes<br>HS 0303.31           | 233 150 010   |
| 3 <sup>rd</sup>  | Shrimps, prawns                                     | prepared or preserved, in airtight containers<br>HS 1605.29        | 210 318 580   |
| 4 <sup>th</sup>  | Shrimps, prawns                                     | frozen; cold-water species<br>HS 0306.16                           | 205 367 790   |
| 5 <sup>th</sup>  | Fish fats or oils and fractions thereof             | not chemically modified or from fish-livers<br>HS 1504.20          | 188 739 190   |
| 6 <sup>th</sup>  | Cod   | fresh or chilled; excluding fillets, livers and roes<br>HS 0302.51 | 155 075 470   |
| 7 <sup>th</sup>  | Pacific, Atlantic, Danube salmon                    | frozen fillets<br>HS 0304.81                                       | 144 760 570   |
| 8 <sup>th</sup>  | Flours, meals, pellets. Unfit for human consumption | from fish or aquatic invertebrates<br>HS 2301.20                   | 135 461 720   |
| 9 <sup>th</sup>  | Fish  | fresh or chilled fillets<br>HS 0304.44                             | 116 373 320   |
| 10 <sup>th</sup> | Shrimps, prawns                                     | prepared or preserved, not in airtight containers<br>HS 1605.21    | 100 983 030   |

## Exports - Top 10 Products (Value)

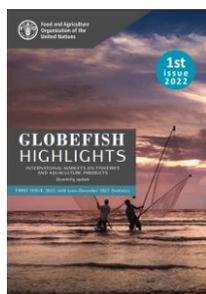
|                  |   |  | USD         |
|------------------|---|--|-------------|
| 1 <sup>st</sup>  | Atlantic, Danube salmon                             | fresh or chilled; excluding fillets, livers and roes<br>HS 0302.14 | 843 588 710 |
| 2 <sup>nd</sup>  | Flours, meals, pellets. Unfit for human consumption | from fish or aquatic invertebrates<br>HS 2301.20                   | 327 646 440 |
| 3 <sup>rd</sup>  | Shrimps, prawns                                     | frozen; cold-water species<br>HS 0306.16                           | 271 133 330 |
| 4 <sup>th</sup>  | Halibut   | frozen; excluding fillets, livers and roes<br>HS 0303.31           | 247 659 040 |
| 5 <sup>th</sup>  | Fish fats or oils and fractions thereof             | not chemically modified or from fish-livers<br>HS 1504.20          | 244 511 590 |
| 6 <sup>th</sup>  | Pacific, Atlantic, Danube salmon                    | fresh or chilled fillets<br>HS 0304.41                             | 217 103 530 |
| 7 <sup>th</sup>  | Cod   | fresh or chilled; excluding fillets, livers and roes<br>HS 0302.51 | 206 852 600 |
| 8 <sup>th</sup>  | Fish  | fresh or chilled fillets<br>HS 0304.44                             | 178 394 600 |
| 9 <sup>th</sup>  | Pacific, Atlantic, Danube salmon                    | frozen fillets<br>HS 0304.81                                       | 177 621 500 |
| 10 <sup>th</sup> | Shrimps, prawns                                     | prepared or preserved, in airtight containers<br>HS 1605.29        | 176 435 460 |

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