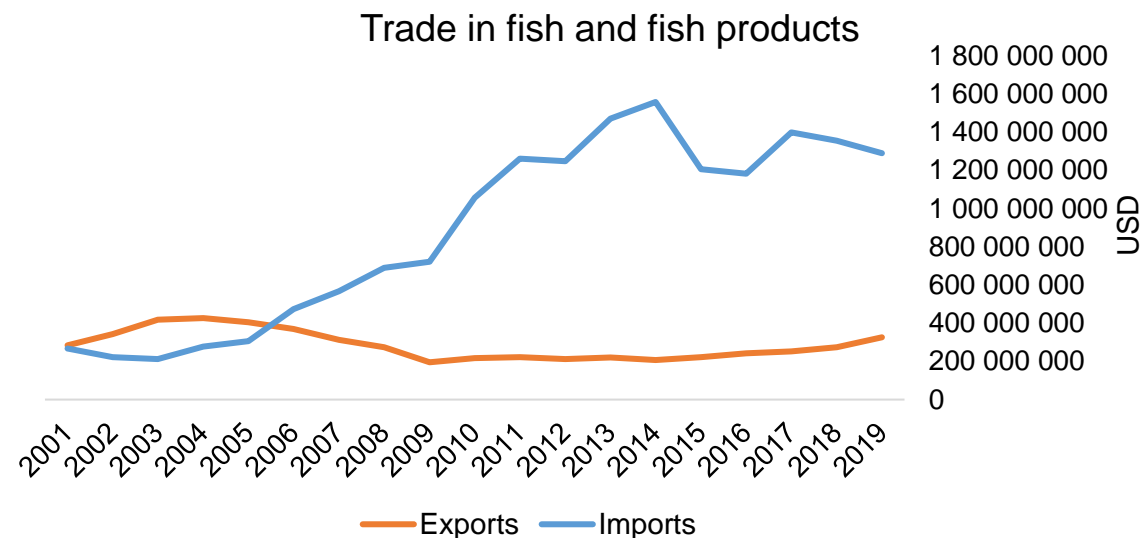




COUNTRY BRIEF

Population	Ease of doing business rank
210 147 000	115th
Length of coastline	Exclusive economic zone
33 379 km	3 442 550 km²
Average GDP growth	GDP per capita
5.43%	USD 8 936



GDP from fisheries

N/A

Fish available for consumption

9.1 kg/capita

Imports of fish and fish
products - 2019

USD 1 290 498 650

Agricultural GDP from fisheries

N/A

Fisheries and aquaculture
production

Total 1 309 896 tonnes

Fisheries 54%

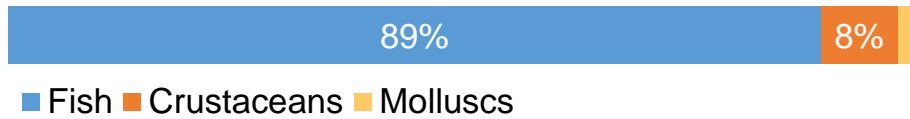
Aquaculture 46%

Exports of fish and fish
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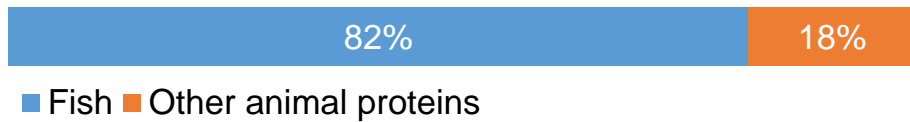
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Production and Trade Breakdown

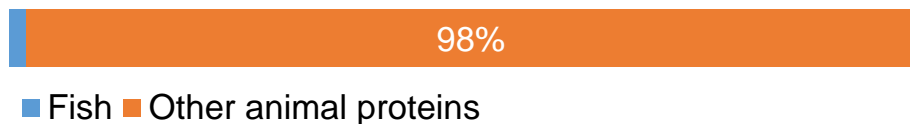
Production by volume



Imports by value



Exports by value



Production - Top 10 Species (Volume)

		Tonnes
1 st	Nile tilapia	323 714
2 nd	Cachama	104 900
3 rd	Whiteleg shrimp	54 336
4 th	Brazilian sardinella	46 400
5 th	Whitemouth croaker	40 000
6 th	Tambacu, hybrid	32 099
7 th	Sea catfishes nei	29 600
8 th	Marine fishes nei	29 410
9 th	Prochilods nei	25 500
10 th	Laulao catfish	22 200

Imports - Top 10 Products (Value)

			USD
1 st	Atlantic, Danube salmon	fresh or chilled; excluding fillets, livers and roes HS 0302.14	525 200 310
2 nd	Hake	frozen fillets HS 0304.74	101 820 730
3 rd	Sardines, sardinella, brisling or sprats	frozen; excluding fillets, livers and roes HS 0303.53	69 997 590
4 th	Cod	salted or in brine, not dried or smoked HS 0305.62	69 591 250
5 th	Catfish	frozen fillets HS 0304.62	64 095 790
6 th	Fish, other than species in 0305	salted or in brine, not dried or smoked HS 0305.69	61 907 390
7 th	Cod	frozen; excluding fillets, livers and roes HS 0303.63	43 604 060
8 th	Fish	prepared or preserved HS 1604.20	35 044 110
9 th	Pacific, Atlantic, Danube salmon	frozen fillets HS 0304.81	29 850 150
10 th	Alaska Pollack	frozen fillets HS 0304.75	29 849 000

Exports - Top 10 Products (Value)

			USD
1 st	Rock lobster, other sea crawfish	frozen HS 0306.11	88 811 200
2 nd	Fish, other than species in 0303	frozen; excluding fillets, livers and roes HS 0303.89	73 284 390
3 rd	Fish heads, tails, maws	dried, smoked, salted or in brine HS 0305.72	26 358 680
4 th	Fish, other than species in 0302	fresh or chilled; excluding fillets, livers and roes HS 0302.89	20 098 400
5 th	Flours, meals, pellets. Unfit for human consumption	from fish or aquatic invertebrates HS 2301.20	17 807 790
6 th	Livers, roes, milt	frozen HS 0303.91	12 368 700
7 th	Swordfish	fresh or chilled; excluding fillets, livers and roes HS 0302.47	7 970 380
8 th	Bigeye tunas	fresh or chilled; excluding fillets, livers and roes HS 0302.34	6 998 400
9 th	Freshwater ornamental fish	live HS 0301.11	6 635 280
10 th	Fish	prepared or preserved HS 1604.20	5 476 020

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