



## COUNTRY BRIEF

Population	Ease of doing business rank
287 000	123rd
Length of coastline	Exclusive economic zone
97 km	183 436 km²
Average GDP growth	GDP per capita
2.96%	USD 18 458

GDP from fisheries

0.06%

Fish available for consumption

43.0 kg/capita

Imports of fish and fish  
products - 2019

USD 29 161 710

Agricultural GDP from fisheries

4.41%

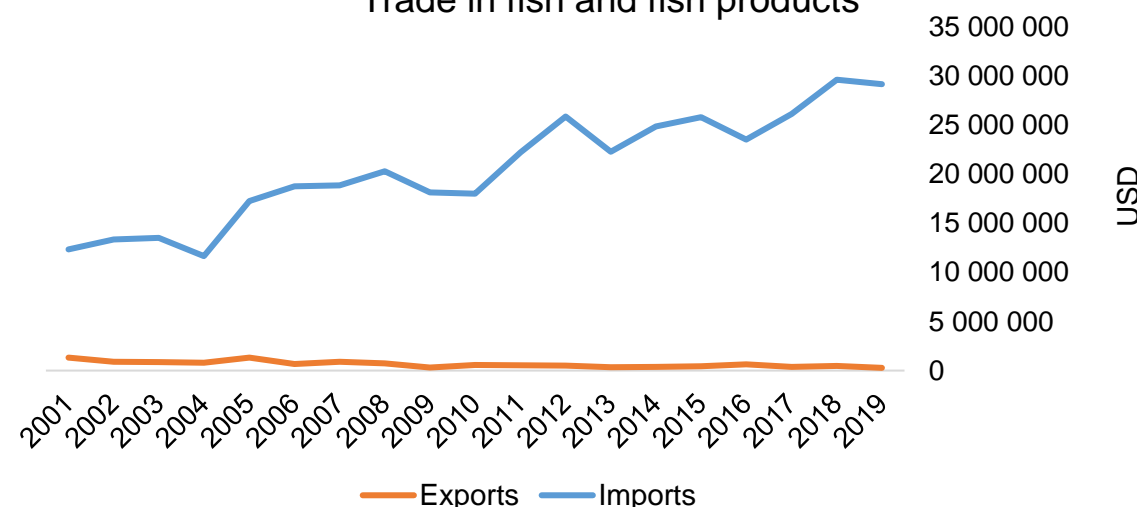
Fisheries and aquaculture  
production

Total	1 523 tonnes
Fisheries	98%
Aquaculture	2%

Exports of fish and fish  
products - 2019

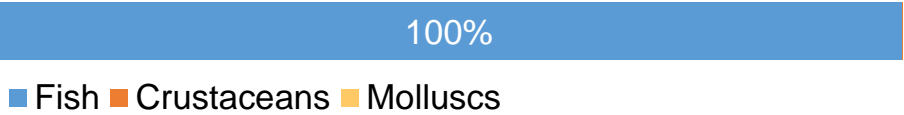
USD 281 980

Trade in fish and fish products



Production and Trade Breakdown

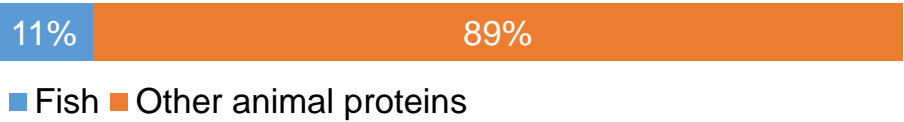
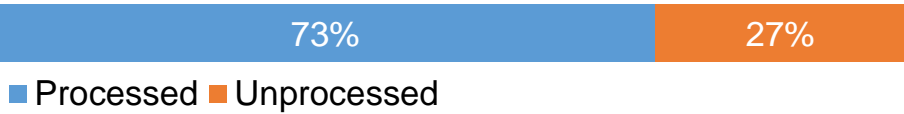
Production by volume



Imports by value



Exports by value



Production - Top 10 Species (Volume)

		Tonnes
1 <sup>st</sup>	Flyingfishes nei	775
2 <sup>nd</sup>	Marine fishes nei	210
3 <sup>rd</sup>	Common dolphinfish	151
4 <sup>th</sup>	Yellowfin tuna	121
5 <sup>th</sup>	Carangids nei	100
6 <sup>th</sup>	Albacore	31
7 <sup>th</sup>	Snappers, jobfishes nei	25
8 <sup>th</sup>	Nile tilapia	25
9 <sup>th</sup>	Atlantic sailfish	15
10 <sup>th</sup>	Bigeye tuna	14

## Imports - Top 10 Products (Value)

			USD
1 <sup>st</sup>	Fish, other than species in 0303	frozen; excluding fillets, livers and roes HS 0303.89	6 107 090
2 <sup>nd</sup>	Tunas, skipjack, bonito	prepared or preserved; whole or in pieces HS 1604.14	5 760 200
3 <sup>rd</sup>	Sardines, sardinella, brisling or sprats	prepared or preserved; whole or in pieces HS 1604.13	1 965 930
4 <sup>th</sup>	Fish, other than species in 0303.5	frozen; excluding fillets, livers and roes HS 0303.59	1 693 630
5 <sup>th</sup>	Shrimps, prawns	frozen HS 0306.17	1 329 610
6 <sup>th</sup>	Fish, other than species in 0304	frozen fillets HS 0304.89	1 157 020
7 <sup>th</sup>	Lobsters	frozen HS 0306.12	1 078 620
8 <sup>th</sup>	Fish, other than species in 0305.3	dried, salted or in brine; not smoked HS 0305.39	967 730
9 <sup>th</sup>	Fish	dried, whether or not salted; not smoked HS 0305.59	893 180
10 <sup>th</sup>	Yellowfin tunas	frozen; excluding fillets, livers and roes HS 0303.42	571 870

## Exports - Top 10 Products (Value)

			USD
1 <sup>st</sup>	Fish	fresh or chilled fillets HS 0304.49	98 050
2 <sup>nd</sup>	Yellowfin tunas	fresh or chilled; excluding fillets, livers and roes HS 0302.32	55 430
3 <sup>rd</sup>	Fish	prepared or preserved HS 1604.20	38 560
4 <sup>th</sup>	Tunas, skipjack, bonito	prepared or preserved; whole or in pieces HS 1604.14	18 140
5 <sup>th</sup>	Lobsters	prepared or preserved HS 1605.030	16 770
6 <sup>th</sup>	Cod	fresh or chilled; excluding fillets, livers and roes HS 0302.51	13 850
7 <sup>th</sup>	Crustaceans	prepared or preserved HS 1605.40	9 180
8 <sup>th</sup>	Bigeye tunas	fresh or chilled; excluding fillets, livers and roes HS 0302.34	4 920
9 <sup>th</sup>	Pacific, Atlantic, Danube salmon	smoked, including fillets HS 0305.41	4 090
10 <sup>th</sup>	Shrimps, prawns	prepared or preserved, in airtight containers HS 1605.29	4 040

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# Sources

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### [HS codes for fish and fish products](#)

International trade codes for fish and fish products in a user friendly format.



Sources and time periods:

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FAO's [Global Fishery and Aquaculture Production Statistics](#)

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FAO's [Global Fishery and Aquaculture Commodities Statistics](#)

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World Bank's [World Development Indicators](#),  
OECD's [National Accounts Statistics](#) or  
UNSD's [National Accounts](#)

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World Bank's [Ease of Doing Business](#) ranking

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UNEP's [Global Environment Outlook](#)

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