



COUNTRY BRIEF

Population	Ease of doing business rank
4 986 000	1st
Length of coastline	Exclusive economic zone
17 209 km	3 887 440 km²
Average GDP growth	GDP per capita
5.98%	USD 44 623

GDP from fisheries

0.89%

Fish available for consumption

25.0 kg/capita

Imports of fish and fish
products - 2019

USD 215 249 450

Agricultural GDP from fisheries

15.72%

Fisheries and aquaculture
production

Total 526 535 tonnes

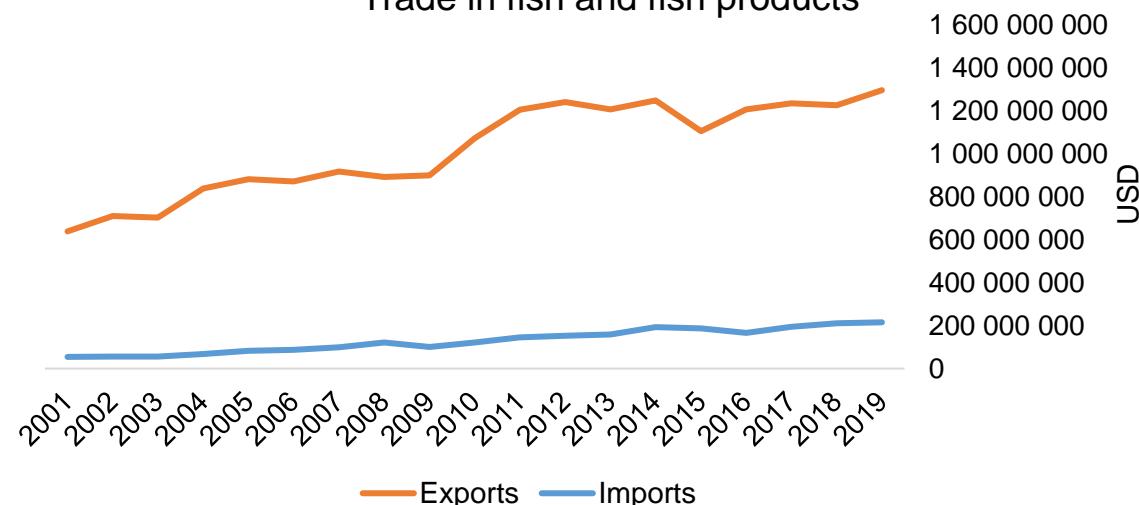
Fisheries 78%

Aquaculture 22%

Exports of fish and fish
products - 2019

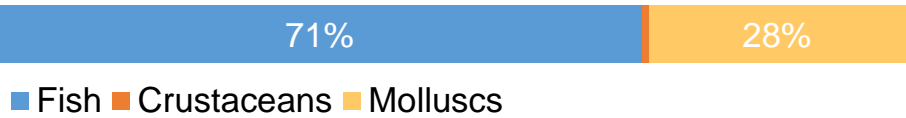
USD 1 295 427 300

Trade in fish and fish products

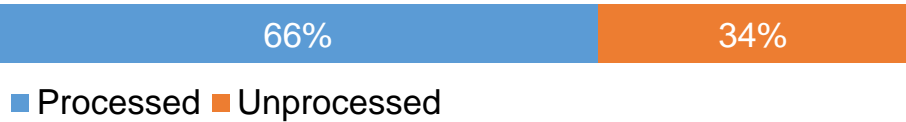


Production and Trade Breakdown

Production by volume



Imports by value



Exports by value



Production - Top 10 Species (Volume)

		Tonnes
1 st	Blue grenadier	122 937
2 nd	New Zealand mussel	98 584
3 rd	Wellington flying squid	43 796
4 th	Jack and horse mackerels nei	43 134
5 th	Southern blue whiting	31 198
6 th	Snoek	19 225
7 th	Pink cusk-eel	17 024
8 th	Chinook (Spring=King) salmon	14 209
9 th	Blue mackerel	9 213
10 th	Silver warehou	8 570

Imports - Top 10 Products (Value)

			USD
1 st	Shrimps, prawns	frozen HS 0306.17	33 842 730
2 nd	Tunas, skipjack, bonito	prepared or preserved; whole or in pieces HS 1604.14	26 865 210
3 rd	Fish fats or oils and fractions thereof	not chemically modified or from fish-livers HS 1504.20	20 301 250
4 th	Shrimps, prawns	prepared or preserved, not in airtight containers HS 1605.21	15 397 570
5 th	Pacific, Atlantic, Danube salmon	smoked, including fillets HS 0305.41	13 098 500
6 th	Fish	prepared or preserved HS 1604.20	12 129 260
7 th	Fish, other than species in 1604	prepared or preserved; whole or in pieces HS 1604.19	7 642 470
8 th	Squid, cuttlefish	frozen HS 0307.43	7 183 680
9 th	Fish, other than species in 0303	frozen; excluding fillets, livers and roes HS 0303.89	6 047 040
10 th	Salmon	prepared or preserved; whole or in pieces HS 1604.11	5 894 240

Exports - Top 10 Products (Value)

			USD
1 st	Lobsters	live, fresh or chilled HS 0306.32	193 650 570
2 nd	Mussels	frozen HS 0307.32	184 254 590
3 rd	Squid, cuttlefish	frozen HS 0307.43	161 750 300
4 th	Fish, other than species in 0304.7	frozen fillets HS 0304.79	134 220 600
5 th	Fish, other than species in 0303	frozen; excluding fillets, livers and roes HS 0303.89	97 080 900
6 th	Pacific salmon	fresh or chilled; excluding fillets, livers and roes HS 0302.13	53 492 800
7 th	Fish	frozen; excluding fillets, livers and roes HS 0303.69	50 235 750
8 th	Jack, horse mackerel	frozen; excluding fillets, livers and roes HS 0303.55	41 139 760
9 th	Fish, other than species in 0302	fresh or chilled; excluding fillets, livers and roes HS 0302.89	37 724 220
10 th	Flours, meals, pellets. Unfit for human consumption	from fish or aquatic invertebrates HS 2301.20	30 693 250

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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 [Fishery and Aquaculture Statistics 2019](#)

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IMF's [World Economic Outlook Databases](#)

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

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World Bank's [World Development Indicators](#),
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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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