GENERAL INFORMATION FOR 2018

Population: 0.754 Millions
Land area: 38,144 km²
Exchange rate: 68.389 BTN/US$
CPI growth: 2.72%
GDP: 2.723 Millions current US$
GDP growth: 6.90%

International Merchandise Trade

Total merchandise trade (millions of US$)

Export structure by product group in 2018
- Food items: 63%
- Ores and metals: 15%
- Fuels: 3%
- Manufactured goods: 7%
- Other: 13%

Top 5 partners in 2018
- India: 501
- Bangladesh: 37
- Italy: 10
- Netherlands: 9
- Nepal: 8

International Trade in Services

Total trade in services (millions of US$)

Services exports by main category
- Transport: - (2005), 34.3 (2010), 20.9 (2015), 41.0 (2018)
- Travel: - (2005), 58.3 (2010), 74.8 (2015), 55.5 (2018)
- Other services: - (2005), 7.3 (2010), 4.3 (2015), 3.6 (2018)

Trade Indices

Economic indicators

GDP by expenditure in 2017
- Household Consumption: 36.2
- General government final consumption expenditure: 16.9
- Gross Capital Formation: 58.4
- Exports: 29.5
- Imports: 42.4

Economic Trends
- +5.7% Merchandise exports growth rate in 2018
- +6.9% Gross domestic product growth rate in 2018
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FDI AND EXTERNAL FINANCIAL RESOURCES

Financial flows
(millions of US$ unless otherwise specified)

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<td>Personal remittances, % of GDP</td>
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<td>0.52</td>
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Financial flows trends
(millions of US$)

TRADE IN GOODS AND SERVICES

Trade balance indicators
(as % and index)

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<td>Balance, % of GDP</td>
<td>-35.18</td>
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<td>Balance, % of imports</td>
<td>-53.10</td>
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<td>Normalized balance</td>
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Trade openness
(sum of imports and exports as % of GDP)

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LABOUR FORCE

Labour force by gender in 2018
(as % of total labour force, all sectors)

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OTHER INDICATORS

Maritime transport indicators

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<td>Liner shipping connectivity index (maximum 2006 = 100 for China)</td>
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<td>Container port throughput (TEU)</td>
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Information economy indicators
(as % of)

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<td>Share of ICT goods, % of total exports</td>
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<td>Share of ICT goods, % of total imports</td>
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Notes:
1. Land area refers to the total area of a country excluding area under inland water bodies. It differs from the country area, that includes area under inland water bodies, but excludes offshore territorial waters.

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... Not applicable
# Non-relevant calculation
- Not publishable
*** Negative accumulation of flows; Value included in regional and global totals

Abbreviations & acronyms:
DWT: Dead weight tons
FDI: Foreign direct investment
GDP: Gross domestic product
ICT: Information and communication technology
TEU: Twenty foot equivalent unit
US$: United States dollar

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