### General Information for Botswana

**Population**
- 2.352 Millions

**Land Area**
- 566,730 km²

**Exchange Rate**
- 11.456 BWP/US$

**CPI Growth**
- 1.99%

**GDP Growth**
- -8.00%

### International Merchandise Trade

#### Total Merchandise Trade (millions of US$)

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<td>Merchandise exports</td>
<td>4,425</td>
<td>4,693</td>
<td>6,316</td>
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<td>Merchandise imports</td>
<td>3,161</td>
<td>5,657</td>
<td>7,238</td>
<td>(e) 6,325</td>
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<td>Merchandise trade balance</td>
<td>1,264</td>
<td>-964</td>
<td>-922</td>
<td>(e) -2,104</td>
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#### Export Structure by Product Group in 2020

- Manufactured goods: 94%
- Other: 6%

### International Trade in Services

#### Total Trade in Services (millions of US$)

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<td>Services exports</td>
<td>832</td>
<td>640</td>
<td>912</td>
<td>(e) 509</td>
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<td>Services imports</td>
<td>594</td>
<td>953</td>
<td>1,119</td>
<td>(e) 726</td>
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<td>Services trade balance</td>
<td>238</td>
<td>-313</td>
<td>-207</td>
<td>(e) -218</td>
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#### Services Exports by Main Category (as % of total services)

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<td>Transport</td>
<td>10.2</td>
<td>5.5</td>
<td>5.0</td>
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<td>Travel</td>
<td>67.5</td>
<td>68.4</td>
<td>58.4</td>
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<td>Other services</td>
<td>22.3</td>
<td>26.0</td>
<td>36.6</td>
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### Trade Indices

- Terms of trade index
- Purchasing power index of exports

### Economic Indicators

**GDP, current**
- 2005: 9,931
- 2010: 12,787
- 2015: 14,421
- 2020: 15,952

**GDP per capita, current US$**
- 2005: 5,520
- 2010: 6,435
- 2015: 6,800
- 2020: 6,783

**Real GDP growth, y-on-y, %**
- 2005: 4.56
- 2010: 8.56
- 2015: -1.70
- 2020: -8.00

**Current account balance, % of GDP**
- 2005: 16.09
- 2010: -6.29
- 2015: 2.20
- 2020: ..

**Exchange rate (US$)**
- 2005: 5.117
- 2010: 6.794
- 2015: 10.129
- 2020: 11.456

### GDP by Expenditure in 2019

- **Household Consumption**
  - 51.2

- **General government final consumption expenditure**
  - 18.4

- **Gross Capital Formation**
  - 33.2

- **Exports**
  - 33.6

- **Imports**
  - 40.5

- **Gross Domestic Product growth rate in 2020**
  - -8.0 %
BOTSWANA

FDI AND EXTERNAL FINANCIAL RESOURCES

Financial flows

(millions of US$ unless otherwise specified)

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<td>FDI inflows</td>
<td>278.59</td>
<td>218.38</td>
<td>378.55</td>
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<td>FDI outflows</td>
<td>55.89</td>
<td>-0.90</td>
<td>-183.25</td>
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<td>Personal remittances, % of GDP</td>
<td>0.17</td>
<td>0.21</td>
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Financial flows trends

(millions of US$)

TRADE IN GOODS AND SERVICES

Trade balance indicators²

(as % and index)

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<td>Balance, % of GDP</td>
<td>18.38</td>
<td>-11.17</td>
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<td>Balance, % of imports</td>
<td>52.98</td>
<td>-21.54</td>
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<td>Normalized balance</td>
<td>0.209</td>
<td>-0.121</td>
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Trade openness²

(sum of imports and exports as % of GDP)

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LABOUR FORCE

Labour force by gender in 2020

(as % of total labour force, all sectors)

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<td>Male</td>
<td>54%</td>
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<td>Female</td>
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OTHER INDICATORS

Maritime transport indicators

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<td>Merchant fleet, national flag (thousands of DWT)</td>
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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>
<td>0.17</td>
<td>0.26</td>
<td>0.16</td>
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<td>Share of ICT goods, % of total imports</td>
<td>4.75</td>
<td>3.17</td>
<td>2.30</td>
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<td>Share of workforce involved in the ICT sector</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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# Non-relevant calculation
- Not publishable
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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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