GENERAL PROFILE: FRENCH POLYNESIA

GENERAL INFORMATION FOR 2020

- **Population**: 0.281 Millions
- **Exchange rate**: 104.476 XPF/US$
- **GDP**: 5 954 Millions current US$
- **CPI growth**: -0.11%
- **GDP growth**: -3.00%
- **Land area**: (n) 3 660 km²

INTERNATIONAL MERCHANDISE TRADE

- **Total merchandise trade**
  - (millions of US$)
  - **2005** 2010 2015 2020
  - **Merchandise exports** 217 153 130 71
  - **Merchandise imports** 1 723 1 726 1 527 1 700
  - **Merchandise trade balance** -1 506 -1 573 -1 397 -1 630

- **Export structure by product group in 2020**
  - (as % of total exports)
  - All food items: 66%
  - Manufactured goods: 21%
  - Other: 13%

INTERNATIONAL TRADE IN SERVICES

- **Total trade in services**
  - (millions of US$)
  - **2005** 2010 2015 2020
  - **Services exports** 1 074 970 993 -
  - **Services imports** 722 598 424 -
  - **Services trade balance** 352 372 569 -

- **Services exports by main category**
  - (as % of total services)
  - Transport: 23.0 26.4 31.1 -
  - Travel: 49.4 41.8 46.9 -
  - Other services: 27.6 31.8 21.9 -

TRADE INDICES

- **Economic indicators**
  - **GDP, current**: 5 703 6 081 5 324 5 954
  - **GDP per capita, current US$**: 22 037 22 821 19 492 21 197
  - **Real GDP growth, y-on-y, %**: 1.40 -2.47 1.80 -3.00
  - **Current account balance, % of GDP**: .. .. .. ..
  - **Exchange rate (US$)**: 95.919 90.013 107.553 104.476

- **GDP by expenditure in 2019**
  - (as % of total GDP)
  - Household Consumption: 64.7
  - General government final consumption expenditure: 31.0
  - Gross Capital Formation: 19.5
  - Exports: 20.3
  - Imports: 35.4

ECONOMIC TRENDS

- **Merchandise exports growth rate in 2020**: -47.0%
- **Gross domestic product growth rate in 2020**: -3.0%
FRENCH POLYNESIA

FDI AND EXTERNAL FINANCIAL RESOURCES

Financial flows
(millions of US$ unless otherwise specified)

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<td>FDI outflows</td>
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<td>Personal remittances, % of GDP</td>
<td>9.77</td>
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Financial flows trends
(millions of US$)

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TRADE IN GOODS AND SERVICES

Trade balance indicators
(as % and index)

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<td>Balance, % of GDP</td>
<td>-18.05</td>
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<td>Balance, % of imports</td>
<td>-44.46</td>
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<td>Normalized balance</td>
<td>-0.286</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 2020
(as % of total labour force, all sectors)

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<td>59%</td>
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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>10.45</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 workforce involved in the ICT sector</td>
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Share of the total world merchant fleet in 2020
0.001 %
Source: UNCTADstat (http://unctadstat.unctad.org)

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.

Symbols for missing values:
0 Zero means that the amount is nil or negligible
.. Not available or not separately reported
... 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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