GENERAL PROFILE: IRELAND

GENERAL INFORMATION FOR 2020

- **Population**: 4.938 Millions
- **Exchange rate**: 0.876 EUR/US$
- **GDP**: 419 422 Millions current US$
- **Land area**: 68 890 km²
- **CPI growth**: -0.46%
- **GDP growth**: 2.50%

INTERNATIONAL MERCHANDISE TRADE

- **Total merchandise trade**
  - (millions of US$)
  - **2005**: 109 657
  - **2010**: 116 497
  - **2015**: 123 361
  - **2020**: 179 772

- **Merchandise exports**: 109 657
- **Merchandise imports**: 68 565
- **Merchandise trade balance**: 41 092

- **Export structure by product group in 2020**
  - (as % of total exports)
  - **All food items**: 90%
  - **Manufactured goods**: 1%
  - **Other**: 8%

INTERNATIONAL TRADE IN SERVICES

- **Total trade in services**
  - (millions of US$)
  - **2005**: 56 554
  - **2010**: 92 150
  - **2015**: 133 406
  - **2020**: 262 704

- **Services exports**: 56 554
- **Services imports**: 73 468
- **Services trade balance**: -16 914

- **Services exports by main category**
  - (as % of total services)
  - **Transport**: -
  - **Travel**: -
  - **Other services**: 88.9

TRADE INDICES

- **Economic indicators**
  - (millions of US$ unless otherwise specified)
  - **2005**: 211 698
  - **2010**: 222 071
  - **2015**: 291 522
  - **2020**: 419 422

- **GDP per capita, current US$**: 51 120
- **Real GDP growth, y-on-y, %**: 5.74
- **Current account balance, % of GDP**: -3.54
- **Exchange rate (US$)**: 0.804

- **GDP by expenditure in 2019**
  - (as % of total GDP)
  - **Household Consumption**: 29.3
  - **General government final consumption expenditure**: 11.9
  - **Gross Capital Formation**: 46.0
  - **Exports**: 126.1
  - **Imports**: 113.8

ECONOMIC TRENDS

- **Gross domestic product growth rate in 2020**: +2.5%
IRELAND

FDI AND EXTERNAL FINANCIAL RESOURCES

Financial flows
(millions of US$ unless otherwise specified)

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Personal remittances, % of GDP

Financial flows trends
(millions of US$)

FDI outflows as % of GDP in 2020: -11.8%

TRADE IN GOODS AND SERVICES

Trade balance indicators²
(as % and index)

Normalized balance: 2005 0.074, 2010 0.088, 2015 0.134, 2020 0.133

Trade openness²
(sum of imports and exports as % of GDP)

Labour force by gender in 2020
(as % of total labour force, all sectors)

Male 56%
Female 44%

0.019 %
Share of the total world merchant fleet in 2020

Maritime transport indicators

Liner shipping connectivity index (maximum 2006 = 100 for China): 2010 10.58, 2015 11.87, 2020 11.21
Container port throughput (TEU): 2012 817,362, 2015 860,000, 2020 1,041,000

0.019 %
Share of the total world merchant fleet in 2020

Information economy indicators
(as % of)
