GENERAL INFORMATION FOR 2020

Population
6.871 Millions

Land area¹
(n) 1 759 540 km²

Exchange rate
1.401 LYD/US$

GDP growth
-57.61 %

GENERAL PROFILE: LIBYA

INTERNATIONAL MERCHANDISE TRADE

Total merchandise trade
(millions of US$)

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<td>Merchandise exports</td>
<td>31 358</td>
<td>48 673</td>
<td>11 392</td>
<td>(e) 7 769</td>
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<td>Merchandise imports</td>
<td>6 079</td>
<td>17 674</td>
<td>16 429</td>
<td>(e) 13 361</td>
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<td>Merchandise trade balance</td>
<td>25 279</td>
<td>30 998</td>
<td>-5 037</td>
<td>(e) -5 592</td>
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Export structure by product group in 2020
(as % of total exports)

Top 5 partners in 2020
(imports, millions of US$)

- Italy 2,543
- Turkey 966
- United Arab Emirates 845
- China 716
- Spain 565

INTERNATIONAL TRADE IN SERVICES

Total trade in services²
(millions of US$)

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<td>Services exports</td>
<td>534</td>
<td>410</td>
<td>483</td>
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<td>Services imports</td>
<td>2 349</td>
<td>6 127</td>
<td>4 658</td>
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<td>Services trade balance</td>
<td>-1 815</td>
<td>-5 717</td>
<td>-4 175</td>
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Services exports by main category²
(as % of total services)

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<td>Transport</td>
<td>21.7</td>
<td>64.0</td>
<td>6.8</td>
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<tr>
<td>Travel</td>
<td>46.8</td>
<td>14.6</td>
<td>0.0</td>
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<td>Other services</td>
<td>31.5</td>
<td>21.4</td>
<td>93.2</td>
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TRADE INDICES

Economic indicators
(millions of US$ unless otherwise specified)

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<td>GDP, current</td>
<td>45 451</td>
<td>80 942</td>
<td>17 666</td>
<td>14 315</td>
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<td>GDP per capita, current US$</td>
<td>7 838</td>
<td>13 060</td>
<td>2 752</td>
<td>2 083</td>
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<td>Real GDP growth, y-on-y, %</td>
<td>10.29</td>
<td>4.32</td>
<td>-45.50</td>
<td>-67.61</td>
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<td>Current account balance, % of GDP</td>
<td>32.88</td>
<td>20.76</td>
<td>-52.90</td>
<td>..</td>
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<td>Exchange rate (US$)</td>
<td>1.308</td>
<td>1.267</td>
<td>1.381</td>
<td>1.401</td>
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GDP by expenditure in 2019
(as % of total GDP)

- Household Consumption 27.5
- General government final consumption expenditure 37.5
- Gross Capital Formation 31.7
- Exports 56.0
- Imports 52.7

ECONOMIC TRENDS

Gross domestic product growth rate in 2020
-67.6 %
### Financial flows

**FDI inflows**
- 2005: 1,038.00
- 2010: 1,909.00
- 2015: ..
- 2020: ..

**FDI outflows**
- 2005: 128.00
- 2010: 2,722.00
- 2015: 394.80
- 2020: ..

**Personal remittances, % of GDP**
- 2005: ..
- 2010: ..
- 2015: ..
- 2020: ..

### Financial flows trends

- **FDI inflows**
  - 2000: ..
  - 2001: ..
  - 2002: ..
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  - 2019: ..
  - 2020: ..

### Trade in goods and services

#### Trade balance indicators

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<td>Balance, % of GDP</td>
<td>34.89</td>
<td>23.05</td>
<td>-55.15</td>
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<tr>
<td>Balance, % of imports</td>
<td>117.28</td>
<td>60.80</td>
<td>-46.20</td>
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<td>Normalized balance</td>
<td>0.370</td>
<td>0.233</td>
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#### Trade openness

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<td>sum of imports and exports as % of GDP</td>
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### Maritime transport indicators

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<td>Merchant fleet, national flag</td>
<td>100</td>
<td>1,405</td>
<td>1,884</td>
<td>1,625</td>
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<td>Liner shipping connectivity index</td>
<td>..</td>
<td>8.17</td>
<td>16.38</td>
<td>12.85</td>
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<td>Container port throughput (TEU)</td>
<td>..</td>
<td>136,203</td>
<td>558,764</td>
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### Information economy indicators

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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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<td>3.58</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.
3. Estimated.

Symbols for missing values:
0 Zero means that the amount is nil or negligible
.. Not available or not separately reported
... Not applicable
... Not available, including no quotation
# 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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