GENERAL INFORMATION FOR 2019

Population: 4.526 Millions
Land area: 1,030 700 km²
Exchange rate: 36.691 MRO/US$
CPI growth: 2.30 %
GDP growth: 5.07 %
GDP: 7,964 Millions current US$

INTERNATIONAL MERCHANDISE TRADE

Total merchandise trade (millions of US$)

Export structure by product group in 2019 (as % of total exports)
- All food items: 38%
- Ores and metals: 18%
- Other: 44%

INTERNATIONAL TRADE IN SERVICES

Total trade in services (millions of US$)
- Services exports: 2005 - 80, 2010 - 119, 2015 - 246, 2019 - -
- Services imports: 2005 - 379, 2010 - 670, 2015 - 641, 2019 - -
- Services trade balance: 2005 - -299, 2010 - -551, 2015 - -395, 2019 - -

Services exports by main category (as % of total services)
- Transport: 2005 - 6.0, 2010 - 6.0, 2015 - 12.7, 2019 - -
- Travel: 2005 - -, 2010 - -, 2015 - 11.8, 2019 - -
- Other services: 2005 - -, 2010 - -, 2015 - 75.5, 2019 - -

ECONOMIC TRENDS

Economic indicators (millions of US$ unless otherwise specified)

GDP by expenditure in 2018 (as % of total GDP)
- Household Consumption: 56.2
- General government final consumption expenditure: 11.4
- Gross Capital Formation: 34.5
- Exports: 37.4
- Imports: 39.1

TRADE INDICES

Terms of trade index and Purchasing power index of exports
MAURITANIA

FDI AND EXTERNAL FINANCIAL RESOURCES

**Financial flows**

(millions of US$ unless otherwise specified)

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(as % and index)

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**Trade openness²**

(sum of imports and exports as % of GDP)

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