

GENERAL PROFILE: VANUATU

GENERAL INFORMATION FOR 2020

Population
0.307 Millions

Exchange rate
115.380 VUV/US\$

GDP
844 Millions current US\$

Land area¹
(n) 12 190 km²

CPI growth
2.92 %

GDP growth
-8.00 %

INTERNATIONAL MERCHANDISE TRADE

Total merchandise trade

(millions of US\$)

	2005	2010	2015	2020
Merchandise exports	38	49	39	46
Merchandise imports	149	285	367	301
Merchandise trade balance	-111	-236	-328	-254

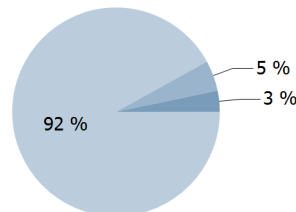
-17.3 %

Merchandise exports growth rate in 2020

Export structure by product group in 2020

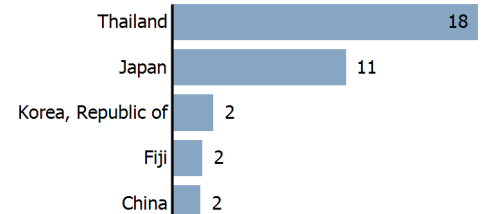
(as % of total exports)

- All food items
- Manufactured goods
- Other



Top 5 partners in 2020

(exports, millions of US\$)



INTERNATIONAL TRADE IN SERVICES

Total trade in services²

(millions of US\$)

	2005	2010	2015	2020
Services exports	139	277	283	(e) 132
Services imports	74	125	179	(e) 146
Services trade balance	65	152	104	(e) -14

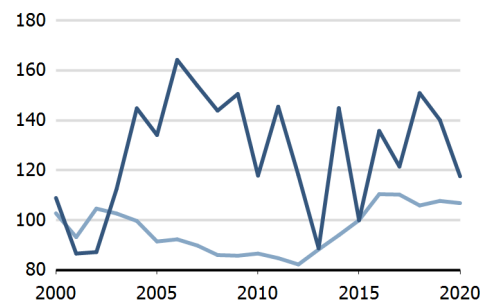
Services exports by main category²

(as % of total services)

	2005	2010	2015	2020
Transport	18.7	11.4	12.1	-
Travel	61.6	78.5	80.5	-
Other services	19.7	10.1	7.4	-

TRADE INDICES

- Terms of trade index
- Purchasing power index of exports



ECONOMIC TRENDS

Economic indicators

(millions of US\$ unless otherwise specified)

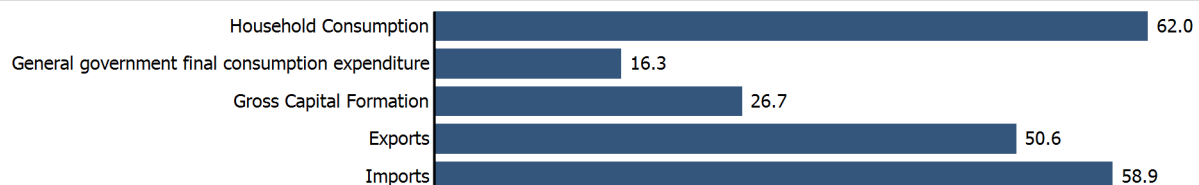
	2005	2010	2015	2020
GDP, current	395	701	760	844
GDP per capita, current US\$	1 887	2 967	2 802	2 749
Real GDP growth, y-on-y, %	5.30	1.63	0.16	-8.00
Current account balance, % of GDP	-8.62	-6.02	0.26	3.36
Exchange rate (/US\$)	109.246	96.906	108.989	115.380

-8.0 %

Gross domestic product growth rate in 2020

GDP by expenditure in 2019

(as % of total GDP)



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FDI AND EXTERNAL FINANCIAL RESOURCES

Financial flows

(millions of US\$ unless otherwise specified)

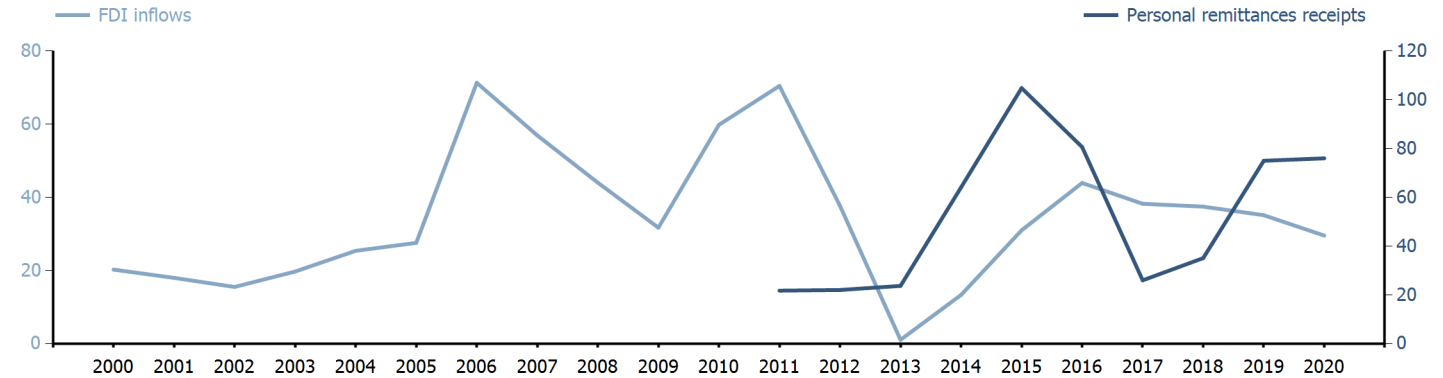
	2005	2010	2015	2020
FDI inflows	27.57	59.82	31.00	29.56
FDI outflows	1.03	1.17	1.52	1.84
Personal remittances, % of GDP	13.80	9.00

+0.2 %

FDI outflows as % of GDP in 2020

Financial flows trends

(millions of US\$)



TRADE IN GOODS AND SERVICES

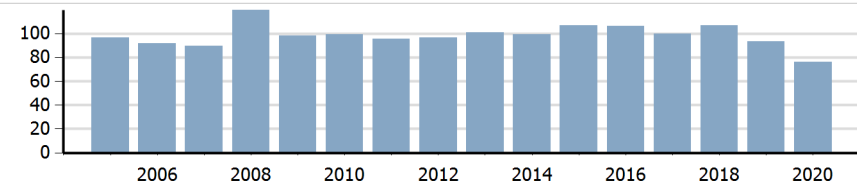
Trade balance indicators²

(as % and index)

	2005	2010	2015	2020
Balance, % of GDP	-7.08	-6.13	-21.93	(e) -28.43
Balance, % of imports	-13.64	-11.66	-34.12	(e) -54.46
Normalized balance	-0.073	-0.062	-0.206	(e) -0.374

Trade openness²

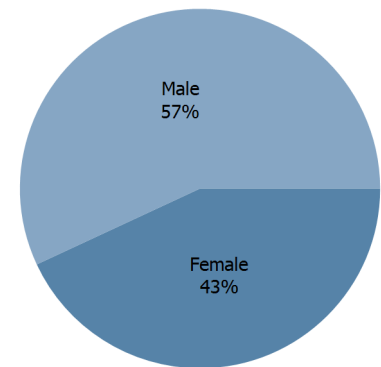
(sum of imports and exports as % of GDP)



LABOUR FORCE

Labour force by gender in 2020

(as % of total labour force, all sectors)



OTHER INDICATORS

Maritime transport indicators

	2005	2010	2015	2020
Merchant fleet, national flag (thousands of DWT)	2 145	2 684	2 707	1 860
Liner shipping connectivity index (maximum 2006 = 100 for China)	..	4.54	7.79	7.37
Container port throughput (TEU)	..	-	-	-

0.090 %

Share of the total world merchant fleet in 2020

Information economy indicators

(as % of)

	2005	2010	2015	2020
Share of ICT goods, % of total exports	..	0.38
Share of ICT goods, % of total imports	..	5.41
Share of workforce involved in the ICT sector

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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.
- 2 Statistics presented correspond to the 6th edition of the IMF Balance of Payments and International Investment Position Manual (BPM6, 2009).
- e Estimated.
- n Estimated. Data refers to 2016.

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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