GENERAL PROFILE: SOMALIA

Population: 15.443 Millions
Land area: 627 340 km²

Exchange rate
GDP
CPI growth
GDP growth: 2.50 %

INTERNATIONAL MERCHANDISE TRADE

Total merchandise trade
(millions of US$)

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<tr>
<td>Merchandise exports</td>
<td>(e) 250</td>
<td>(e) 450</td>
<td>(e) 440</td>
<td>(e) 470</td>
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<td>Merchandise imports</td>
<td>(e) 626</td>
<td>(e) 840</td>
<td>(e) 1 100</td>
<td>(e) 1 240</td>
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<td>Merchandise trade balance</td>
<td>(e) -376</td>
<td>(e) -390</td>
<td>(e) -660</td>
<td>(e) -770</td>
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Export structure by product group in 2019
(as % of total exports)

- All food items: 24%
- Agricultural raw materials: 1%
- Manufactured goods: 69%
- Other: 7%

INTERNATIONAL TRADE IN SERVICES

Total trade in services
(millions of US$)

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<td>Services exports</td>
<td>-</td>
<td>-</td>
<td>355</td>
<td>-</td>
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<td>Services imports</td>
<td>-</td>
<td>-</td>
<td>1 328</td>
<td>-</td>
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<td>Services trade balance</td>
<td>-</td>
<td>-</td>
<td>-973</td>
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Services exports by main category
(as % of total services)

- Transport: ..
- Travel: ..
- Other services: ..

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ECONOMIC TRENDS

Economic indicators
(millions of US$ unless otherwise specified)

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<td>GDP, current</td>
<td>2 316</td>
<td>1 093</td>
<td>1 455</td>
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<td>GDP per capita, current US$</td>
<td>222</td>
<td>91</td>
<td>105</td>
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<td>Real GDP growth, y-on-y, %</td>
<td>3.00</td>
<td>2.60</td>
<td>2.70</td>
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<td>Current account balance, % of GDP</td>
<td>..</td>
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<td>Exchange rate (/US$)</td>
<td>15 251.250</td>
<td>31 269.663</td>
<td>22 254.236</td>
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GDP by expenditure in 2018
(as % of total GDP)

- Household Consumption: 72.6
- General government final consumption expenditure: 8.7
- Gross Capital Formation: 20.0
- Exports: 0.3
- Imports: 1.7
**SOMALIA**

### FDI AND EXTERNAL FINANCIAL RESOURCES

#### Financial flows

(millions of US$ unless otherwise specified)

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<td>FDI inflows</td>
<td>24.00</td>
<td>112.00</td>
<td>303.00</td>
<td>447.00</td>
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<td>FDI outflows</td>
<td>..</td>
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<td>Personal remittances, % of GDP</td>
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#### Financial flows trends

(millions of US$)

![Graph showing FDI inflows and personal remittances as % of GDP trends](image)

- **FDI inflows**
- **Personal remittances receipts**

#### Trade in Goods and Services

**Trade balance indicators**

(as % and index)

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<td>Balance, % of GDP</td>
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<td>(e) -112.25</td>
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<td>Balance, % of imports</td>
<td>-</td>
<td>-</td>
<td>(e) -67.26</td>
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<td>Normalized balance</td>
<td>-</td>
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<td>(e) -0.507</td>
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**Trade openness**

(sum of imports and exports as % of GDP)

![Graph showing trade openness trends](image)

#### Labour Force

**Labour force by gender in 2019**

(as % of total labour force, all sectors)

Male: 66%
Female: 34%

#### Other Indicators

**Maritime transport indicators**

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<td>Merchant fleet, national flag (thousands of DWT)</td>
<td>7</td>
<td>5</td>
<td>5</td>
<td>1</td>
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<td>Liner shipping connectivity index (maximum 2006 = 100 for China)</td>
<td>..</td>
<td>4.65</td>
<td>6.91</td>
<td>8.22</td>
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<td>Container port throughput (TEU)</td>
<td>..</td>
<td>39,415</td>
<td>77,095</td>
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**Information economy indicators**

(as % of)

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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>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.


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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