GENERAL PROFILE: UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

GENERAL INFORMATION FOR 2019

Population: 332.103 Millions
Land area: (n) 9 156 640 km²
Exchange rate: 1.000 USD/US$
CPI growth: 1.81 %
GDP: 21 545 402 Millions current US$
GDP growth: 2.32 %

INTERNATIONAL MERCHANDISE TRADE

Total merchandise trade
(millions of US$)

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<td>Merchandise exports</td>
<td>901 082</td>
<td>1 278 495</td>
<td>1 502 572</td>
<td>1 643 161</td>
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<td>Merchandise imports</td>
<td>1 732 706</td>
<td>1 969 184</td>
<td>2 315 301</td>
<td>2 567 445</td>
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<td>Merchandise trade balance</td>
<td>-831 624</td>
<td>-690 689</td>
<td>-812 729</td>
<td>-924 284</td>
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Export structure by product group in 2019
(as % of total exports)

- All food items: 70 %
- Fuels: 8 %
- Manufactured goods: 14 %
- Other: 9 %

INTERNATIONAL TRADE IN SERVICES

Total trade in services²
(millions of US$)

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<td>Services exports</td>
<td>378 487</td>
<td>582 041</td>
<td>768 362</td>
<td>875 825</td>
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<td>Services imports</td>
<td>312 225</td>
<td>436 456</td>
<td>497 755</td>
<td>588 359</td>
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<td>Services trade balance</td>
<td>66 262</td>
<td>145 585</td>
<td>270 607</td>
<td>287 466</td>
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Services exports by main category²
(as % of total services)

- Transport: 15.4 %
- Travel: 24.7 %
- Other services: 58.1 %

TRADE INDICES

ECONOMIC TRENDS

GDP by expenditure in 2018
(as % of total GDP)

- Household Consumption: 68.0 %
- General government final consumption expenditure: 14.1 %
- Gross Capital Formation: 20.9 %
- Exports: 12.5 %
- Imports: 15.5 %

Merchandise exports growth rate in 2019: -1.3 %

Gross domestic product growth rate in 2019: +2.3 %
UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

FDI AND EXTERNAL FINANCIAL RESOURCES

### Financial flows

**(millions of US$ unless otherwise specified)**

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<tr>
<th>Year</th>
<th>FDI inflows</th>
<th>FDI outflows</th>
<th>Personal remittances, % of GDP</th>
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<td>2005</td>
<td>104,773.00</td>
<td>15,369.00</td>
<td>0.04</td>
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<tr>
<td>2010</td>
<td>198,049.00</td>
<td>277,779.00</td>
<td>0.04</td>
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<td>2015</td>
<td>467,625.00</td>
<td>264,359.00</td>
<td>0.04</td>
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<td>2019</td>
<td>246,215.00</td>
<td>124,899.00</td>
<td>0.03</td>
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### Financial flows trends

**(millions of US$)**

- **FDI inflows**: Increasing trend over the years.
- **FDI outflows**: Decreasing trend over the years.
- **Personal remittances**: Very small percentage of GDP, remaining stable over the years.

### Trade in Goods and Services

#### Trade balance indicators

**as % and index**

<table>
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<th>Year</th>
<th>Balance, % of GDP</th>
<th>Balance, % of imports</th>
<th>Normalized balance</th>
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<tr>
<td>2005</td>
<td>-5.46</td>
<td>-35.68</td>
<td>-0.217</td>
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<td>2010</td>
<td>-3.33</td>
<td>-21.18</td>
<td>-0.118</td>
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<td>2015</td>
<td>-2.68</td>
<td>-17.73</td>
<td>-0.097</td>
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<td>2019</td>
<td>-2.68</td>
<td>-18.58</td>
<td>-0.102</td>
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#### Trade openness

**sum of imports and exports as % of GDP**

- **2006**: 20%
- **2008**: 21%
- **2010**: 22%
- **2012**: 23%
- **2014**: 24%
- **2016**: 25%
- **2018**: 26%

### Labour Force

- **Male**: 54%
- **Female**: 46%

### Other Indicators

#### Maritime transport indicators

- **Merchant fleet, national flag (thousands of DWT)**
  - 2005: 11,658
  - 2010: 12,792
  - 2015: 11,794
  - 2019: 12,448
- **Liner shipping connectivity index (maximum 2006 = 100 for China)**
  - 2005: ..
  - 2010: 74.95
  - 2015: 86.12
  - 2019: 92.87
- **Container port throughput (TEU)**
  - 2005: ..
  - 2010: 42,031,000
  - 2015: 47,886,446
  - 2019: 55,518,878

#### Information economy indicators

**as % of**

- **Share of ICT goods, % of total exports**
  - 2005: 14.30
  - 2010: 10.56
  - 2015: 9.44
  - 2019: ..
- **Share of ICT goods, % of total imports**
  - 2005: 13.64
  - 2010: 14.22
  - 2015: 13.78
  - 2019: ..
- **Share of workforce involved in the ICT sector**
  - 2005: ..
  - 2010: ..
  - 2015: ..
  - 2019: ..

**0.626 %** Share of the total world merchant fleet in 2019
Source: UNCTADstat (http://unctadstat.unctad.org)

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. 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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