MARITIME PROFILE: SAINT HELENA

GENERAL INFORMATION FOR 2023

Population
0.005 Millions

GDP
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Merchandise trade[1]
(e) 138 Millions current US$

Land area[2]
(p) 390 Km²

GDP growth
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Transport services trade[3]
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MARITIME KEY FIGURES FOR 2023

Coast/area ratio[2]
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Ship building[4]
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Ship recycling[4]
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Fleet - National flag[5]
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Fleet - Ownership[6]
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Container port throughput[7]
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Number of seafarers[8]
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Number of port calls[9]
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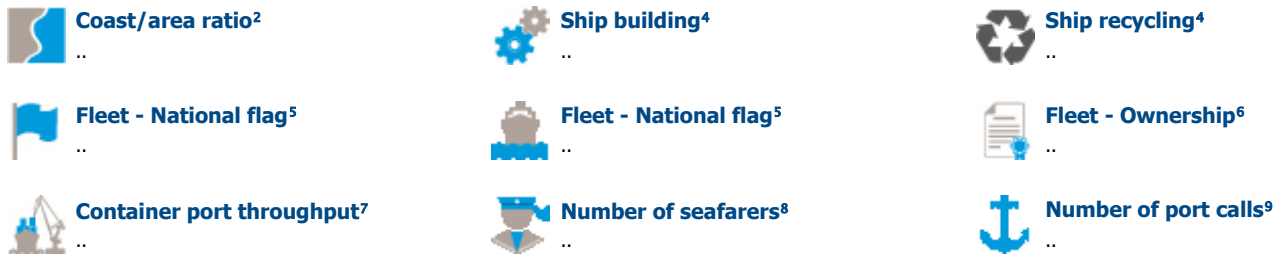
WORLD SHARES FOR 2023

Indicator	Value
Population	Less than 0.01% of the World total
Coastline (km) (2)	No value reported or collected
Gross Domestic Product (current US$)	No value reported or collected
Merchandise exports (US$)	Less than 0.01% of the World total
Merchandise imports (US$)	Less than 0.01% of the World total
National flagged fleet (DWT) (5)	No value reported or collected
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Fleet ownership (DWT) (6)	No value reported or collected
Fleet ownership (US$) (6)	No value reported or collected
Ship building (GT) (4)	No value reported or collected
Ship recycling (GT) (4)	No value reported or collected
Seafarer supply: Officers (8)	No value reported or collected
Seafarer supply: Ratings (8)	No value reported or collected
Container port throughtput (TEU) (7)	No value reported or collected
Port calls: Container ships (9)	No value reported or collected
Port calls: Liquid bulk carriers (9)	No value reported or collected
Port calls: Dry breakbulk carriers (9)	No value reported or collected
Port calls: Dry bulk carriers (9)	No value reported or collected
Port calls: LPG carriers (9)	No value reported or collected
Port calls: LNG carriers (9)	No value reported or collected

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INTERNATIONAL MERCHANDISE TRADE

Total merchandise trade

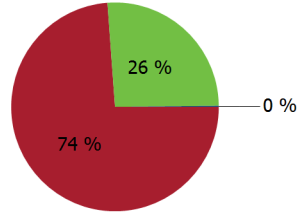| (millions of US$)	2005	2010	2015	2023
Merchandise exports	(e) 20	(e) 31	58	(e) 95
Merchandise imports	(e) 56	(e) 61	43	(e) 43
Merchandise trade balance	(e) -36	(e) -31	15	(e) 52

-4.1 %
Merchandise exports growth rate in 2023
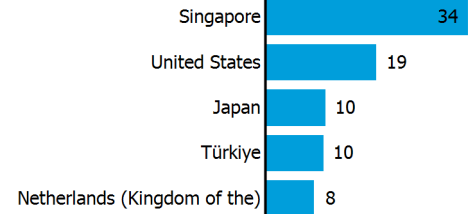
Export structure by product group in 2023

(as % of total exports)

- All food items
- Manufactured goods
- Other

26 %
0 %
74 %

Top 5 partners in 2023

(exports, millions of US$)

Singapore	34
United States	19
Japan	10
Türkiye	10
Netherlands (Kingdom of the)	8

INTERNATIONAL TRADE IN TRANSPORT SERVICES

Services exports by main category[10]

(as % of total services)	2005	2010	2015	2023
Transport	..	..	..	..
Travel	..	..	..	..
Other services	..	..	..	..

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Transport services exports growth rate in 2023

Total trade in transport services[10]

(millions of US$)	2005	2010	2015	2023
Transport services exports	..	..	..	..
Transport services imports	..	..	..	..
Transport services trade balance	..	..	..	..

NATIONAL FLEET

Carrying capacity by type of ship[5]

(Thousands DWT)	2005	2010	2015	2023
Total fleet	1.0	0.8	..	..
Oil tankers	..	..	..	..
Bulk carriers	..	..	..	..
General cargo	..	..	..	..
Container ships	..	..	..	..
Other types of ships	1.0	0.8	..	..

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Fleet growth rate in 2023

Fleet by type of ship[5]

(Number of ships)

No data available

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LINER SHIPPING CONNECTIVITY

Bilateral connectivity index - Top 10 partners in Q1 2006[11]

Can only take values between 0 (minimum) and 1 (maximum)

No data available

Liner shipping connectivity index[11]

Average Q1 2023=100

No data available

PORT CALLS AND PERFORMANCE

Port calls, time spent in ports, vessel age and size in 2023[9]

	Number of arrivals	Median time in port (days)	Avg age of vessels	Avg size (GT) of vessels	Avg cargo carrying capacity (DWT) per vessel	Avg container carrying capacity (TEU) per container ship	Maximum size (GT) of vessels
All ships	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Liquid bulk carriers	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Liquefied petroleum gas carriers	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Liquefied natural gas carriers	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Dry bulk carriers	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Dry breakbulk carriers	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Roll-on/ roll-off ships	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Container ships	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Passenger ships	..	..	..	..	..	..	..

Port liner shipping connectivity index - Top 5 ports in 2023[11]

Average Q1 2023=100

No data available

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Source: Detailed data sources are available in the documentation of the corresponding tables in the Data Center (https://unctadstat.unctad.org/datacentre/). A link to these tables is provided in each section of the profile.

Notes:

1 Sum of exports and imports.

2 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.
Coastline length based on data calculated in 2000 from the World Vector Shoreline database at 1:250,000 scale.

3 Sum of exports and imports. Statistics presented correspond to the 6th edition of the IMF Balance of Payments and International Investment Position Manual, 2009 (BPM6, 2009).

4 Propelled seagoing merchant vessels of 100 GT and above. Source: Clarksons Research (https://www.clarksons.com/services/research/).

5 Propelled seagoing merchant vessels of 100 GT and above, on 1 January. Source: Clarksons Research (https://www.clarksons.com/services/research/).

6 Propelled seagoing merchant vessels of 1000 GT and above, on 1 January. Source: Clarksons Research (https://www.clarksons.com/services/research/).

7 UNCTAD Secretariat, derived from various sources including Dynamar B.V. Publications, terminal operators and port authorities.

8 Refers to year 2021. Source: BIMCO-ICS Manpower Report 2015 and BIMCO-ICS Seafarer Workforce Report, 2021 edition.

9 UNCTAD Secretariat, based on data provided by MarineTraffic (http://marinetraffic.com). Ships of 1000 GT and above.

10 Statistics presented correspond to the 6th edition of the IMF Balance of Payments and International Investment Position Manual, 2009 (BPM6, 2009).

11 UNCTAD Secretariat, generated from data provided by MDS Transmodal (https://www.mdst.co.uk).

e Estimated.

p Estimated. Data refers to 2020.

Symbols for missing values:

0 Zero means that the amount is nil or negligible

.. No value reported or collected

_ 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

LNG: Liquefied natural gas

LPG: Liquefied petroleum gas

GDP: Gross domestic product

GT: Gross tons

TEU: Twenty foot equivalent unit

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