GENERAL INFORMATION FOR 2021

Population: 0.093 Millions
Land area: 440 km²
Exchange rate: 2.700 XCD/US$
CPI growth: 1.63%
GDP: 1,428 Millions current US$
GDP growth: 2.54%

INTERNATIONAL MERCHANDISE TRADE

Total merchandise trade (millions of US$) 2005 2010 2015 2021
Merchandise exports 83 46 66 19
Merchandise imports 506 501 449 596
Merchandise trade balance -423 -456 -382 -576

Export structure by product group in 2021 (as % of total exports)
- All food items 42%
- Fuels 6%
- Manufactured goods 50%
- Other 2%

INTERNATIONAL TRADE IN SERVICES

Total trade in services (millions of US$) 2005 2010 2015 2021
Services exports 463 478 949 713
Services imports 227 225 427 337
Services trade balance 235 253 522 376

Services exports by main category (as % of total services) 2005 2010 2015 2021
- Transport 18.3 25.0 13.9 6.3
- Travel 66.9 62.3 74.8 76.6
- Other services 14.8 12.7 11.1 17.1

TRADE INDICES

Terms of trade index: +2.5%
Purchasing power index of exports: +2.5%

ECONOMIC TRENDS

Economic indicators (millions of US$ unless otherwise specified) 2005 2010 2015 2021
GDP, current 1,015 1,149 1,337 1,428
GDP per capita, current US$ 12,708 13,405 14,862 15,318
Real GDP growth, y-on-y, % 7.92 -7.84 3.83 2.54
Current account balance, % of GDP -16.90 -14.55 2.21 -15.47
Exchange rate (US$) 2.700 2.700 2.700 2.700

GDP by expenditure in 2020 (as % of total GDP)
- Household Consumption 45.4
- General government final consumption expenditure 14.6
- Gross Capital Formation 43.6
- Exports 37.4
- Imports 41.0

2021 Merchandise exports growth rate: -13.8%
Top 5 partners in 2021 (exports, millions of US$)
- Suriname 4
- Poland 3
- United States of America 2
- Barbados 2
- United Kingdom 2

ECONOMIC TRENDS: +2.5%
**ANTIGUA AND BARBUDA**

**FDI AND EXTERNAL FINANCIAL RESOURCES**

### Financial flows

*(millions of US$ unless otherwise specified)*

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<td>FDI inflows</td>
<td>220.96</td>
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<td>FDI outflows</td>
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<td>(j) 14.08</td>
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<td>Personal remittances, % of GDP</td>
<td>1.79</td>
<td>1.76</td>
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### Financial flows trends

*(millions of US$)*

![Chart showing financial flows trends](image)

**TRADE IN GOODS AND SERVICES**

### Trade balance indicators

*(as % and index)*

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<td>Balance, % of GDP</td>
<td>-13.54</td>
<td>-13.50</td>
<td>12.19</td>
<td>-8.36</td>
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<td>Balance, % of imports</td>
<td>-20.13</td>
<td>-22.84</td>
<td>19.10</td>
<td>-13.73</td>
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<td>Normalized balance</td>
<td>-0.112</td>
<td>-0.129</td>
<td>0.087</td>
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### Trade openness

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

![Chart showing trade openness](image)

**LIVING AREA**

### Population by living area in 2021

*(% of population)*

- Urban: 24%
- Rural: 76%

**OTHER INDICATORS**

### Maritime transport indicators

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<td>Merchant fleet, national flag (thousands of DWT)</td>
<td>9 093</td>
<td>13 034</td>
<td>12 359</td>
<td>6 396</td>
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<td>Liner shipping connectivity index (maximum 2006 = 100 for China)</td>
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<td>5.43</td>
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<td>Container port throughput (TEU)</td>
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### Information economy indicators

*(as % of)*

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<td>Share of ICT goods, % of total exports</td>
<td>4.63</td>
<td>2.16</td>
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<td>Share of ICT goods, % of total imports</td>
<td>3.91</td>
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<td>Share of workforce involved in the ICT sector</td>
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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.
  j  Asset/liability basis.
  q  Estimated. Data refers to 2020.

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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