GENERAL PROFILE: BOTSWANA

GENERAL INFORMATION FOR 2020

Population 2.352 Millions
Land area (n) 566 730 km²

Exchange rate 11.456 BWP/US$
CPI growth 1.99 %
GDP growth -8.00 %
GDP 15 952 Millions current US$

INTERNATIONAL MERCHANDISE TRADE

Total merchandise trade

(millions of US$)

2005 2010 2015 2020
Merchandise exports 4 425 4 693 6 316 4 262
Merchandise imports 3 161 5 657 7 238 6 516
Merchandise trade balance 1 264 -964 -922 -2 254

Export structure by product group in 2020
(as % of total exports)

Manufactured goods 94 %
Other 6 %

INTERNATIONAL TRADE IN SERVICES

Total trade in services²

(millions of US$)

2005 2010 2015 2020
Services exports 832 640 912 (e) 509
Services imports 594 953 1 119 (e) 726
Services trade balance 238 -313 -207 (e) -218

Services exports by main category²
(as % of total services)

2005 2010 2015 2020
Transport 10.2 5.5 5.0 -
Travel 67.5 68.4 58.4 -
Other services 22.3 26.0 36.6 -

TRADE INDICES

Economic indicators

(millions of US$ unless otherwise specified)

2005 2010 2015 2020
GDP, current 9 931 12 787 14 421 15 952
GDP per capita, current US$ 5 520 6 435 6 800 6 783
Real GDP growth, y-on-y, % 4.56 8.56 -1.70 -8.00
Current account balance, % of GDP 16.09 -5.82 2.09 -10.15
Exchange rate (US$) 5.117 6.794 10.129 11.456

GDP by expenditure in 2019
(as % of total GDP)

Household Consumption 51.2
General government final consumption expenditure 18.4
Gross Capital Formation 33.2
Exports 33.6
Imports 40.5

-18.6 %
Merchandise exports growth rate in 2020

Top 5 partners in 2020
(exports, millions of US$)

Belgium 1 024
United Arab Emirates 926
India 688
South Africa 495
Singapore 323

-8.0 %
Gross domestic product growth rate in 2020
BOTSWANA

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>278.59</td>
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<td>218.38</td>
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<td>2015</td>
<td>378.55</td>
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<td>80.06</td>
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FDI inflows as % of GDP in 2020 +0.1 %

Financial flows trends
(millions of US$)

TRADE IN GOODS AND SERVICES

Trade balance indicators
(as % and index)

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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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<td>2005</td>
<td>18.38</td>
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<td>-10.79</td>
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<td>-6.50</td>
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<td>2020</td>
<td>(e) -15.78</td>
<td>(e) -34.69</td>
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Trade openness
(sum of imports and exports as % of GDP)

Labour force by gender in 2020
(as % of total labour force, all sectors)

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<td>54%</td>
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Maritime transport indicators

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<th>Year</th>
<th>Merchant fleet, national flag (thousands of DWT)</th>
<th>Liner shipping connectivity index (maximum 2006 = 100 for China)</th>
<th>Container port throughput (TEU)</th>
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Information economy indicators
(as % of)

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<th>Year</th>
<th>Share of ICT goods, % of total exports</th>
<th>Share of ICT goods, % of total imports</th>
<th>Share of workforce involved in the ICT sector</th>
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<td>2005</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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