GENERAL INFORMATION FOR 2021

Population: 12.551 Millions
Land area: 25 680 km²
Exchange rate: 1 975.951 BIF/US$
CPI growth: 8.31 %
GDP: 3 670 Millions current US$
GDP growth: 2.70 %

INTERNATIONAL MERCHANDISE TRADE

Total merchandise trade (millions of US$)
- Merchandise trade balance: 2005 - -211, 2010 - -408, 2015 - -736, 2021 - -873

Export structure by product group in 2021 (as % of total exports)
- All food items: 52 %
- Ores and metals: 36 %
- Manufactured goods: 5 %
- Other: 8 %

INTERNATIONAL TRADE IN SERVICES

Total trade in services (millions of US$)
- Services exports: 2005 - 35, 2010 - 79, 2015 - 57, 2021 - -
- Services imports: 2005 - 134, 2010 - 168, 2015 - 229, 2021 - -
- Services trade balance: 2005 - -99, 2010 - -89, 2015 - -171, 2021 - -

Services exports by main category (as % of total services)
- Transport: 2005 - 4.8, 2010 - 0.9, 2015 - 4.5, 2021 - -
- Travel: 2005 - 4.2, 2010 - 2.2, 2015 - 3.8, 2021 - -
- Other services: 2005 - 91.0, 2010 - 96.8, 2015 - 91.7, 2021 - -

ECONOMIC TRENDS

Economic indicators (millions of US$ unless otherwise specified)
- Real GDP growth, y-on-y, %: 2005 - 0.91, 2010 - 5.09, 2015 - -0.41, 2021 - 2.70
- Current account balance, % of GDP: 2005 - -0.51, 2010 - -14.81, 2015 - -13.28, 2021 - (e) -13.30

GDP by expenditure in 2020 (as % of total GDP)
- Household Consumption: 88.1
- General government final consumption expenditure: 19.6
- Gross Capital Formation: 14.2
- Exports: 8.0
- Imports: 30.0
**FDI AND EXTERNAL FINANCIAL RESOURCES**

### Financial flows

(millions of US$ unless otherwise specified)

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<td>Personal remittances, % of GDP</td>
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### Financial flows trends

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### Trade balance indicators

(as % and index)

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<td>Balance, % of GDP</td>
<td>-20.36</td>
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<td>Balance, % of imports</td>
<td>-70.40</td>
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<td>Normalized balance</td>
<td>-0.543</td>
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### Trade openness

(sum of imports and exports as % of GDP)

#### Maritime transport indicators

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<td>Liner shipping connectivity index (maximum 2006 = 100 for China)</td>
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### Information economy indicators

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