GENERAL PROFILE: SRI LANKA

GENERAL INFORMATION FOR 2020

- Population: 21.413 Millions
- Exchange rate: 185.593 LKR/US$
- GDP: 80.668 Millions current US$
- Land area: 62,710 km²
- CPI growth: 4.56%
- GDP growth: -3.60%

INTERNATIONAL MERCHANDISE TRADE

Total merchandise trade (millions of US$)

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<th>Year</th>
<th>Merchandise Exports</th>
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<td>2005</td>
<td>6,347</td>
<td>8,834</td>
<td>-2,487</td>
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<td>2010</td>
<td>8,602</td>
<td>13,512</td>
<td>-4,909</td>
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<td>2015</td>
<td>10,547</td>
<td>18,935</td>
<td>-8,388</td>
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<td>2020</td>
<td>10,047</td>
<td>16,055</td>
<td>-6,008</td>
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Export structure by product group in 2020

- All food items: 65%
- Manufactured goods: 27%
- Other: 8%

INTERNATIONAL TRADE IN SERVICES

Total trade in services (millions of US$)

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<th>Year</th>
<th>Services Exports</th>
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<td>2005</td>
<td>1,540</td>
<td>(e) 2,886</td>
<td>(e) -1,346</td>
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<td>2010</td>
<td>2,474</td>
<td>(e) 4,323</td>
<td>(e) -1,849</td>
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<td>2015</td>
<td>6,397</td>
<td>(e) 5,965</td>
<td>(e) 431</td>
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<td>2020</td>
<td>(e) 3,035</td>
<td>(e) 3,984</td>
<td>(e) -949</td>
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Services exports by main category (as % of total services)

- Transport: 43.7%
- Travel: 27.9%
- Other services: 28.4%

TRADE INDICES

ECONOMIC TRENDS

- GDP by expenditure in 2019 (as % of total GDP)
  - Household Consumption: 69.3%
  - General government final consumption expenditure: 9.4%
  - Gross Capital Formation: 27.4%
  - Exports: 23.1%
  - Imports: 29.2%
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FDI AND EXTERNAL FINANCIAL RESOURCES

Financial flows

(millions of US$ unless otherwise specified)

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<td>FDI inflows</td>
<td>(j) 272.00</td>
<td>(j) 477.60</td>
<td>(j) 679.66</td>
<td>(j) 433.87</td>
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<td>FDI outflows</td>
<td>38.00</td>
<td>(j) 42.50</td>
<td>(j) 52.99</td>
<td>(j) 14.54</td>
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<td>Personal remittances, % of GDP</td>
<td>7.07</td>
<td>7.27</td>
<td>8.68</td>
<td>8.85</td>
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Financial flows trends

(millions of US$)

[Graph showing trends]

TRADE IN GOODS AND SERVICES

Trade balance indicators

(as % and index)

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<td>Balance, % of GDP</td>
<td>(e) -10.66</td>
<td>(e) -9.39</td>
<td>(e) -9.82</td>
<td>(e) -8.59</td>
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<td>Balance, % of imports</td>
<td>(e) -27.40</td>
<td>(e) -32.44</td>
<td>(e) -31.84</td>
<td>(e) -34.57</td>
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<td>Normalized balance</td>
<td>(e) -0.159</td>
<td>(e) -0.194</td>
<td>(e) -0.189</td>
<td>(e) -0.209</td>
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Trade openness

(sum of imports and exports as % of GDP)

[Bar chart showing openness]

LABOUR FORCE

Labour force by gender in 2020

(as % of total labour force, all sectors)

Male 66%
Female 34%

OTHER INDICATORS

Maritime transport indicators

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<td>Merchant fleet, national flag (thousands of DWT)</td>
<td>196</td>
<td>239</td>
<td>249</td>
<td>395</td>
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<td>Liner shipping connectivity index (maximum 2006 = 100 for China)</td>
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<td>36.78</td>
<td>46.93</td>
<td>63.51</td>
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<td>Container port throughput (TEU)</td>
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<td>4 100 000</td>
<td>5 185 000</td>
<td>6 850 000</td>
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Information economy indicators

(as % of)

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<td>Share of ICT goods, % of total exports</td>
<td>1.09</td>
<td>0.46</td>
<td>0.35</td>
<td>0.26</td>
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<td>Share of ICT goods, % of total imports</td>
<td>4.88</td>
<td>2.95</td>
<td>4.22</td>
<td>5.36</td>
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<td>Share of workforce involved in the ICT sector</td>
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3. Estimated.
4. Asset/liability basis.

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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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