**GENERAL INFORMATION FOR 2020**

- **Population**: 97.339 Millions
- **Land area**: 310 070 km²
- **Exchange rate**: 23 208.368 VND/US$
- **GDP**: 268 899 Millions current US$
- **CPI growth**: 3.22 %
- **GDP growth**: 2.91 %

**INTERNATIONAL MERCHANDISE TRADE**

- **Total merchandise trade** (millions of US$)
  - Merchandise exports: 202 655
  - Merchandise imports: 262 701
  - Merchandise trade balance: 19 954

- **Export structure by product group in 2020**
  - All food items: 86 %
  - Manufactured goods: 4 %
  - Other: 10 %

**INTERNATIONAL TRADE IN SERVICES**

- **Total trade in services** (millions of US$)
  - Services exports: 18 750
  - Services imports: 17 046
  - Services trade balance: 1 704

- **Services exports by main category**
  - Transport: 27.4
  - Travel: 53.9
  - Other services: 18.7

**ECONOMIC TRENDS**

- **Economic indicators**
  - GDP, current: 268 899
  - GDP per capita, current US$: 2 763
  - Real GDP growth, y-on-y, %: 2.91
  - Current account balance, % of GDP: ..
  - Exchange rate (/US$): 23 208.368

- **GDP by expenditure in 2019**
  - (as % of total GDP)
  - Household Consumption: 68.2
  - General government final consumption expenditure: 6.5
  - Gross Capital Formation: 26.8
  - Exports: 106.8
  - Imports: 103.6
FDI AND EXTERNAL FINANCIAL RESOURCES

Financial flows

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Financial flows trends

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TRADE IN GOODS AND SERVICES

Trade balance indicators

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Trade openness

LABOUR FORCE

Labour force by gender in 2020

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<td>Container port throughput (TEU)</td>
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# Non-relevant calculation
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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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