GENERAL INFORMATION FOR 2021

Population: 97.468 Millions
Land area: (q) 313 429 km²
Exchange rate: 23 159.783 VND/US$
CPI growth: 1.87%
GDP: 284 734 Millions current US$
GDP growth: 1.95%

INTERNATIONAL MERCHANDISE TRADE

Total merchandise trade
(millions of US$)

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<td>2005</td>
<td>32 442</td>
<td>36 761</td>
<td>-4 319</td>
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<td>2010</td>
<td>72 237</td>
<td>84 839</td>
<td>-12 602</td>
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<td>2015</td>
<td>162 065</td>
<td>165 610</td>
<td>-3 545</td>
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<td>2021</td>
<td>335 929</td>
<td>331 582</td>
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Export structure by product group in 2021
(as % of total exports)

- All food items: 85%
- Manufactured goods: 5%
- Other: 10%

International trade in services
(millions of US$)

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<th>Services exports</th>
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<td>2005</td>
<td>4 265</td>
<td>4 450</td>
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<td>2010</td>
<td>7 460</td>
<td>9 902</td>
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<td>11 241</td>
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<td>3 673</td>
<td>19 407</td>
<td>-15 734</td>
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Services exports by main category
(as % of total services)

- Transport: 27.4%
- Travel: 53.9%
- Other services: 18.7%

TRADE INDICES

Terms of trade index and Purchasing power index of exports

ECONOMIC TRENDS

Gross domestic product growth rate in 2021: +1.9%
GDP by expenditure in 2020
(as % of total GDP)

- Household Consumption: 68.4%
- General government final consumption expenditure: 6.8%
- Gross Capital Formation: 26.7%
- Exports: 106.1%
- Imports: 103.2%
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**FDI AND EXTERNAL FINANCIAL RESOURCES**

### Financial flows

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<td>FDI inflows</td>
<td>1 954.00</td>
<td>8 000.00</td>
<td>11 800.00</td>
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<td>FDI outflows</td>
<td>65.00</td>
<td>900.00</td>
<td>1 100.00</td>
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<td>Personal remittances, % of GDP</td>
<td>..</td>
<td>7.12</td>
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**Financial flows trends**

(USD millions)

### Trade balance indicators

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<td>Balance, % of GDP</td>
<td>-4.55</td>
<td>-6.54</td>
<td>1.50</td>
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<td>Balance, % of imports</td>
<td>-6.67</td>
<td>-8.68</td>
<td>1.70</td>
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<td>Normalized balance</td>
<td>-0.035</td>
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### Trade openness

(sum of imports and exports as % of GDP)

### Maritime transport indicators

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<td>Merchant fleet, national flag (thousands of DWT)</td>
<td>2 126</td>
<td>5 415</td>
<td>7 373</td>
<td>10 323</td>
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<td>Liner shipping connectivity index (maximum 2006 = 100 for China)</td>
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<td>33.67</td>
<td>45.82</td>
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<td>Container port throughput (TEU)</td>
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<td>5 886 249</td>
<td>(t) 8 841 833</td>
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### Information economy indicators

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<td>Share of ICT goods, % of total exports</td>
<td>2.77</td>
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<td>Share of ICT goods, % of total imports</td>
<td>6.12</td>
<td>8.40</td>
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<td>Share of workforce involved in the ICT sector</td>
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**TRADE IN GOODS AND SERVICES**

**LIVING AREA**

**Population by living area in 2021**

(% of population)

- Urban 38%
- Rural 62%

**OTHER INDICATORS**

Share of the total world merchant fleet in 2021: 0.483 %
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.
t Revised more than 20% in relation to the version published in 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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