GENERAL PROFILE: THAILAND

GENERAL INFORMATION FOR 2020

- **Population**: 69.800 Millions
- **Exchange rate**: 31.294 THB/US$
- **Land area**: (n) 510 890 km²
- **GDP**: 499 669 Millions current US$
- **GDP growth**: -6.11 %
- **CPI growth**: -0.85 %

INTERNATIONAL MERCHANDISE TRADE

- **Total merchandise trade** (millions of US$)

- **Export structure by product group in 2020** (as % of total exports)
  - All food items: 72 %
  - Agricultural raw materials: 4 %
  - Manufactured goods: 14 %
  - Other

INTERNATIONAL TRADE IN SERVICES

- **Total trade in services** (millions of US$)

- **Services exports by main category** (as % of total services)
  - Travel: 2005 - 48.1, 2010 - 58.5, 2015 - 71.0, 2020 - 44.8

TRADE INDICES

- **Economic indicators** (millions of US$ unless otherwise specified)

- **GDP by expenditure in 2019** (as % of total GDP)
  - Household Consumption: 49.4
  - General government final consumption expenditure: 16.6
  - Gross Capital Formation: 23.8
  - Exports: 61.5
  - Imports: 51.0
**THAILAND**

**FDI AND EXTERNAL FINANCIAL RESOURCES**

**Financial flows**

(millions of US$ unless otherwise specified)

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<td>FDI inflows</td>
<td>7,975.10</td>
<td>14,554.95</td>
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<td>FDI outflows</td>
<td>310.90</td>
<td>7,939.61</td>
<td>1,687.25</td>
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<td>Personal remittances, % of GDP</td>
<td>0.63</td>
<td>1.30</td>
<td>1.47</td>
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**Financial flows trends**

(millions of US$)

![Graph showing trends](image)

**Trade in Goods and Services**

Trade balance indicators²

(as % and index)

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<td>Balance, % of GDP</td>
<td>-1.03</td>
<td>5.93</td>
<td>11.05</td>
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<td>Balance, % of imports</td>
<td>-1.49</td>
<td>10.09</td>
<td>19.86</td>
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<td>Normalized balance</td>
<td>-0.007</td>
<td>0.048</td>
<td>0.090</td>
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Trade openness²

(sum of imports and exports as % of GDP)

![Graph showing openness](image)

**Labour Force**

Labour force by gender in 2020

(as % of total labour force, all sectors)

![Gender distribution chart](image)

**Other Indicators**

Maritime transport indicators

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<td>Merchant fleet, national flag (thousands of DWT)</td>
<td>4,382</td>
<td>3,747</td>
<td>5,366</td>
<td>6,701</td>
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<td>Liner shipping connectivity index (maximum 2006 = 100 for China)</td>
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<td>41.43</td>
<td>41.98</td>
<td>51.55</td>
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<td>Container port throughput (TEU)</td>
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<td>6,818,527</td>
<td>9,463,000</td>
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Information economy indicators

(as % of)

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<td>Share of ICT goods, % of total exports</td>
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<td>Share of ICT goods, % of total imports</td>
<td>17.37</td>
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<td>Share of workforce involved in the ICT sector</td>
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![Share of total world merchant fleet](image)