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GENERAL PROFILE: TUNISIA

GENERAL INFORMATION FOR 2022

Population
12.356 Millions

Exchange rate
3.104 TND/US$

GDP
46 181 Millions current US$

Land area[1]
(q) 155 360 km²

CPI growth
8.31 %

GDP growth
2.52 %

INTERNATIONAL MERCHANDISE TRADE

Total merchandise trade

(millions of US$)	2005	2010	2015	2022
Merchandise exports	10 494	16 427	14 073	18 561
Merchandise imports	13 177	22 215	20 221	26 656
Merchandise trade balance	-2 683	-5 789	-6 148	-8 095

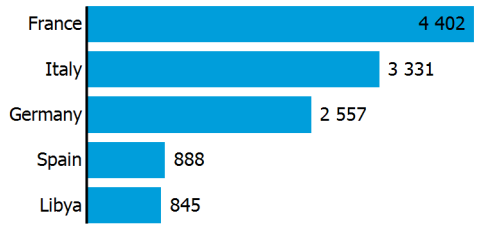
+11.2 %
Merchandise exports growth rate in 2022

Export structure by product group in 2022

(as % of total exports)

Top 5 partners in 2022

(exports, millions of US$)



INTERNATIONAL TRADE IN SERVICES

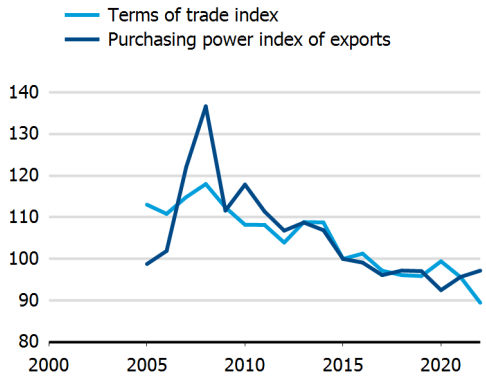
Total trade in services[2]

(millions of US$)	2005	2010	2015	2022
Services exports	3 877	5 632	3 294	(e) 4 478
Services imports	2 106	3 234	3 076	(e) 3 280
Services trade balance	1 770	2 397	218	(e) 1 198

Services exports by main category[2]

(as % of total services)	2005	2010	2015	2022
Transport	29.3	27.3	26.9	(e) 36.1
Travel	55.3	47.0	41.9	(e) 36.7
Other services	15.4	25.7	31.2	(e) 27.2

TRADE INDICES



ECONOMIC TRENDS

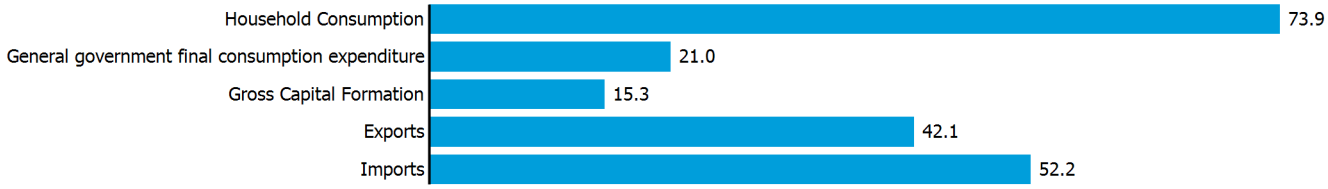
Economic indicators

(millions of US$ unless otherwise specified)	2005	2010	2015	2022
GDP, current	32 272	44 051	45 779	46 181
GDP per capita, current US$	3 107	4 043	3 961	3 738
Real GDP growth, y-on-y, %	3.49	3.51	2.36	2.52
Current account balance, % of GDP	-0.93	-4.78	-8.57	(e) -8.42
Exchange rate (/US$)	1.297	1.431	1.962	3.104

+2.5 %
Gross domestic product growth rate in 2022

GDP by expenditure in 2021

(as % of total GDP)



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FDI AND EXTERNAL FINANCIAL RESOURCES

Financial flows

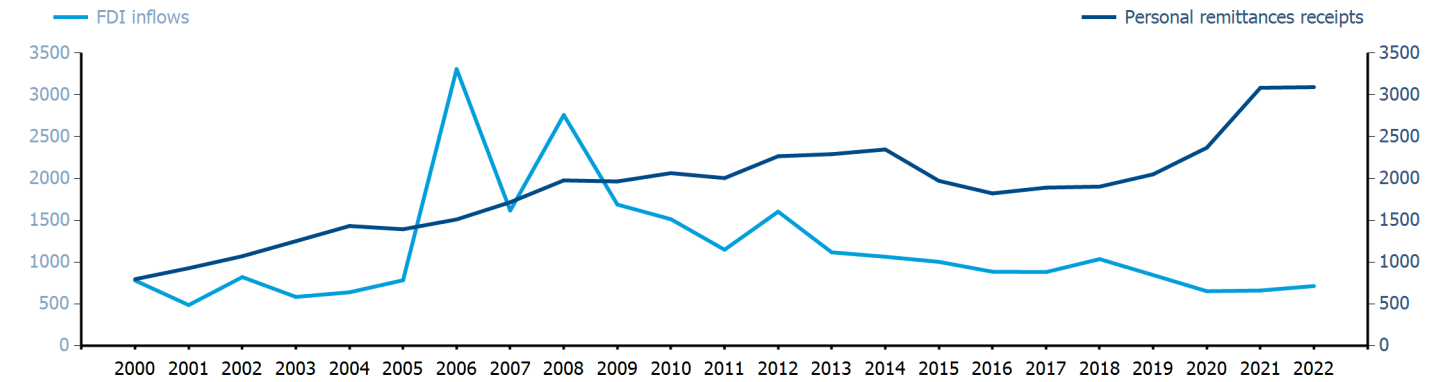
(millions of US$ unless otherwise specified)	2005	2010	2015	2022
FDI inflows	783.09	1 512.51	1 002.74	713.37
FDI outflows	12.33	74.05	31.10	30.29
Personal remittances, % of GDP	4.32	4.68	4.31	6.62

+0.1 %

FDI outflows as % of GDP in 2022

Financial flows trends

(millions of US$)



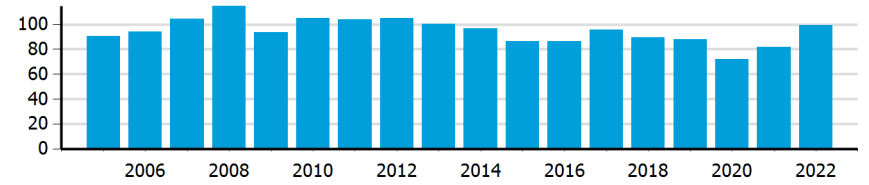
TRADE IN GOODS AND SERVICES

Trade balance indicators[2]

(as % and index)	2005	2010	2015	2022
Balance, % of GDP	-0.60	-4.94	-10.67	(e) 1.40
Balance, % of imports	-1.31	-8.98	-21.96	(e) 2.86
Normalized balance	-0.007	-0.047	-0.123	(e) 0.014

Trade openness[2]

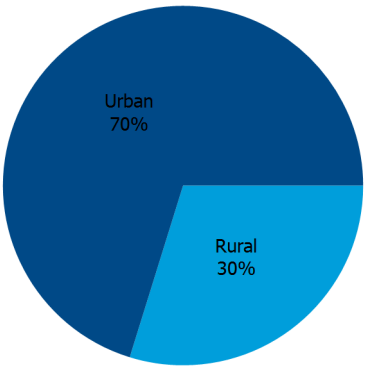
(sum of imports and exports as % of GDP)



LIVING AREA

Population by living area in 2022

(% of population)



OTHER INDICATORS

Maritime transport indicators

	2005	2010	2015	2022
Merchant fleet, national flag (thousands of DWT)	133	97	343	321
Container port throughput (TEU)	..	466 210	471 248	464 823

0.015 %

Share of the total world merchant fleet in 2022

Information economy indicators

(as % of)	2005	2010	2015	2022
Share of ICT goods, % of total exports	1.98	6.53	5.41	..
Share of ICT goods, % of total imports	4.57	6.31	5.60	..
Share of workforce involved in the ICT sector	..	..	..	..

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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.
2 Statistics presented correspond to the 6th edition of the IMF Balance of Payments and International Investment Position Manual (BPM6, 2009).
e Estimated.
q Estimated. Data refers to 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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