

## GENERAL PROFILE: TUVALU

### GENERAL INFORMATION FOR 2022



**Population**  
0.011 Millions



**Exchange rate**  
1.442 AUD/US\$



**GDP**  
59 Millions current US\$



**Land area<sup>1</sup>**  
(q) 30 km<sup>2</sup>



**CPI growth**  
11.48 %



**GDP growth**  
0.68 %

### INTERNATIONAL MERCHANDISE TRADE

#### Total merchandise trade

(millions of US\$)

	2005	2010	2015	2022
Merchandise exports	0.063	(e) 0.300	0.212	0.052
Merchandise imports	13	(e) 16	37	34
Merchandise trade balance	-13	(e) -16	-37	-34

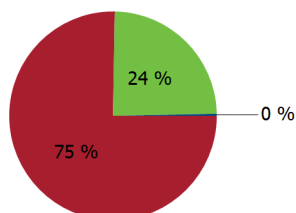
**-84.2 %**

Merchandise exports  
growth rate in 2022

#### Export structure by product group in 2022

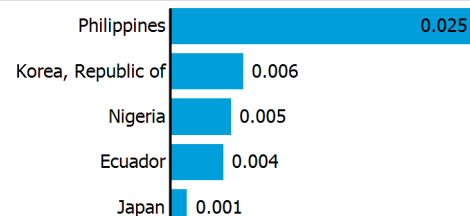
(as % of total exports)

- All food items
- Manufactured goods
- Other



#### Top 5 partners in 2022

(exports, millions of US\$)



### INTERNATIONAL TRADE IN SERVICES

#### Total trade in services<sup>2</sup>

(millions of US\$)

	2005	2010	2015	2022
Services exports	2	4	7	(e) 3
Services imports	10	34	35	(e) 23
Services trade balance	-7	-30	-29	(e) -20

#### Services exports by main category<sup>2</sup>

(as % of total services)

	2005	2010	2015	2022
Transport	9.2	7.2	15.2	-
Travel	51.9	58.0	76.5	-
Other services	38.9	34.8	8.3	-

### TRADE INDICES

No data available

### ECONOMIC TRENDS

#### Economic indicators

(millions of US\$ unless otherwise specified)

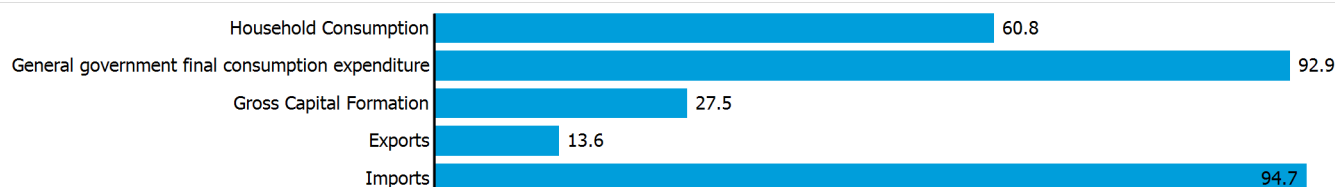
	2005	2010	2015	2022
GDP, current	22	31	36	59
GDP per capita, current US\$	2 187	2 976	3 328	5 219
Real GDP growth, y-on-y, %	-4.12	-3.32	10.42	0.68
Current account balance, % of GDP	-19.73	-44.64	-47.13	(e) 4.04
Exchange rate (/US\$)	1.309	1.090	1.331	1.442

**+0.7 %**

Gross domestic product  
growth rate in 2022

#### GDP by expenditure in 2021

(as % of total GDP)



# TUVALU

## FDI AND EXTERNAL FINANCIAL RESOURCES

### Financial flows

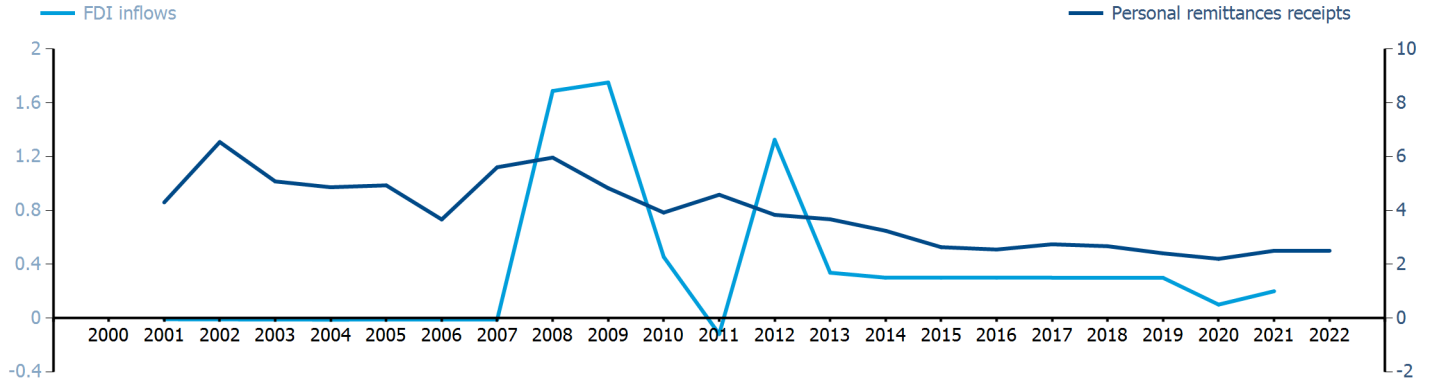
(millions of US\$ unless otherwise specified)

	2005	2010	2015	2022
FDI inflows	-0.01	0.46	0.30	..
FDI outflows	..	..	..	..
Personal remittances, % of GDP	22.75	12.49	7.28	4.07

FDI outflows as % of GDP in 2022

### Financial flows trends

(millions of US\$)



## TRADE IN GOODS AND SERVICES

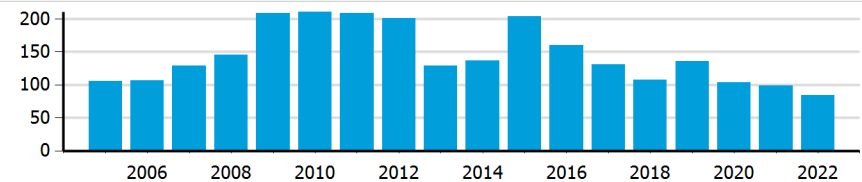
### Trade balance indicators<sup>2</sup>

(as % and index)

	2005	2010	2015	2022
Balance, % of GDP	-81.12	-121.63	-165.32	(e) -74.71
Balance, % of imports	-87.00	-73.09	-89.49	(e) -93.93
Normalized balance	-0.770	-0.576	-0.810	(e) -0.886

### Trade openness<sup>2</sup>

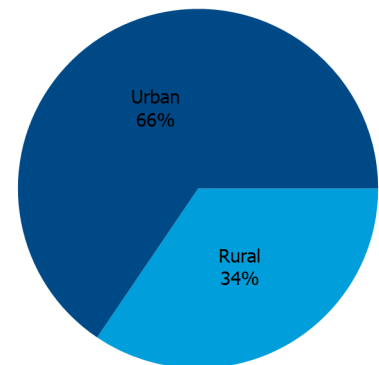
(sum of imports and exports as % of GDP)



## 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)	210	1 884	1 825	2 155
Container port throughput (TEU)	..	..	..	..

0.098 %

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	7.29	..	..	..
Share of ICT goods, % of total imports	6.11	..	..	..
Share of workforce involved in the ICT sector	..	..	..	..

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.
- 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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