

GENERAL PROFILE: UGANDA

GENERAL INFORMATION FOR 2023

Population
48.657 Millions

Exchange rate
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GDP
51 023 Millions current US\$

Land area¹
(u) 200 520 km²

CPI growth
5.35 %

GDP growth
5.00 %

INTERNATIONAL MERCHANDISE TRADE

Total merchandise trade

(millions of US\$)

	2005	2010	2015	2023
Merchandise exports	813	1 619	2 267	6 305
Merchandise imports	2 054	4 664	5 528	11 780
Merchandise trade balance	-1 241	-3 046	-3 261	-5 475

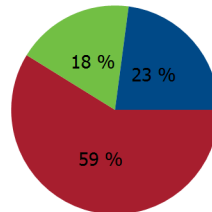
+76.2 %

Merchandise exports growth rate in 2023

Export structure by product group in 2023

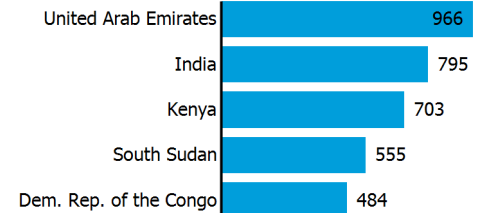
(as % of total exports)

- All food items
- Manufactured goods
- Other



Top 5 partners in 2023

(exports, millions of US\$)



INTERNATIONAL TRADE IN SERVICES

Total trade in services²

(millions of US\$)

	2005	2010	2015	2023
Services exports	526	1 304	2 061	(e) 2 056
Services imports	609	1 803	2 374	(e) 3 739
Services trade balance	-83	-499	-312	(e) -1 683

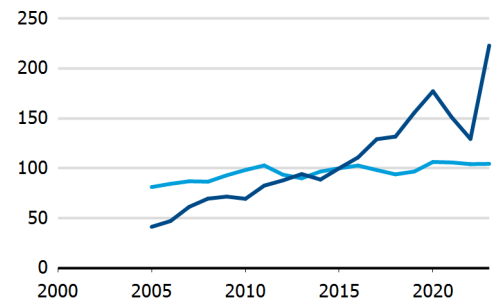
Services exports by main category²

(as % of total services)

	2005	2010	2015	2023
Transport	1.4	3.2	6.7	(e) 9.2
Travel	72.2	60.1	50.3	(e) 62.1
Other services	26.4	36.6	43.0	(e) 28.7

TRADE INDICES

- Terms of trade index
- Purchasing power index of exports



ECONOMIC TRENDS

Economic indicators

(millions of US\$ unless otherwise specified)

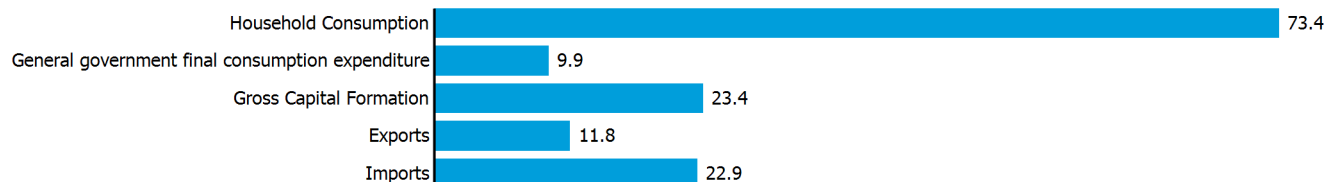
	2005	2010	2015	2023
GDP, current	11 159	30 701	30 173	51 023
GDP per capita, current US\$	399	948	804	1 049
Real GDP growth, y-on-y, %	10.01	19.93	6.39	5.00
Current account balance, % of GDP	0.44	-5.24	-5.63	(e) -7.20
Exchange rate (/US\$)	1 780.540	2 177.558	3 240.645	..

+5.0 %

Gross domestic product growth rate in 2023

GDP by expenditure in 2022

(as % of total GDP)



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FDI AND EXTERNAL FINANCIAL RESOURCES

Financial flows

(millions of US\$ unless otherwise specified)

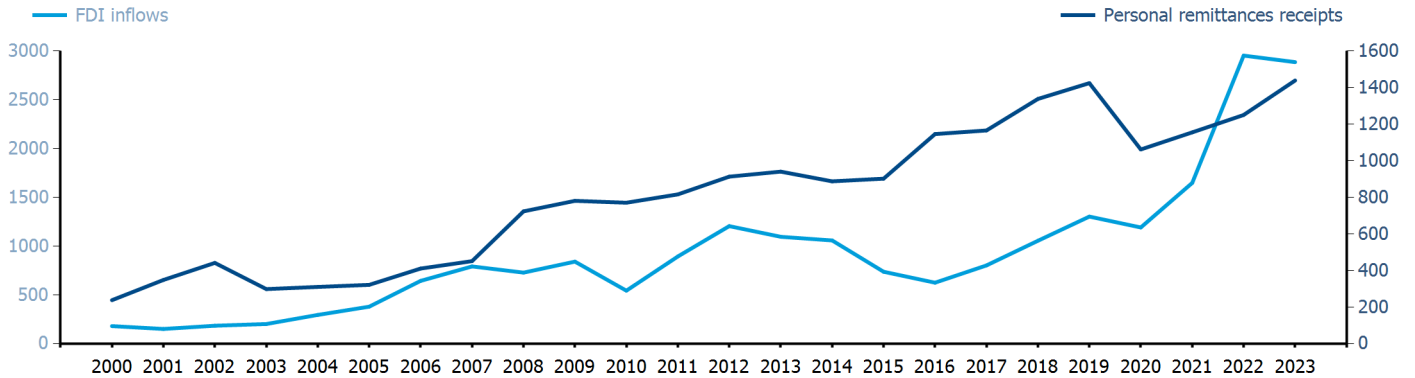
	2005	2010	2015	2023
FDI inflows	379.81	543.87	737.65	2 886.01
FDI outflows	..	37.21	0.28	0.38
Personal remittances, % of GDP	2.88	2.51	3.08	2.75

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FDI outflows as % of GDP in 2023

Financial flows trends

(millions of US\$)



TRADE IN GOODS AND SERVICES

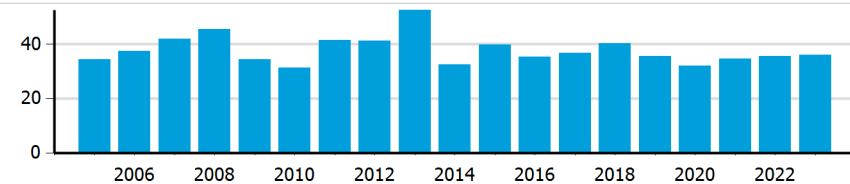
Trade balance indicators²

(as % and index)

	2005	2010	2015	2023
Balance, % of GDP	-7.93	-8.93	-8.59	(e) -9.50
Balance, % of imports	-37.61	-44.35	-35.58	(e) -41.80
Normalized balance	-0.232	-0.285	-0.216	(e) -0.264

Trade openness²

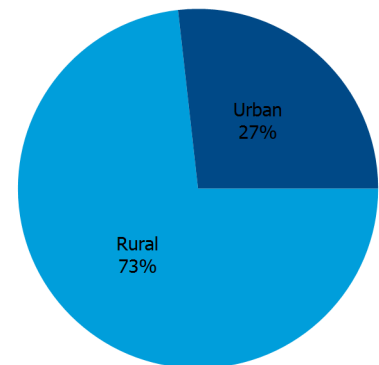
(sum of imports and exports as % of GDP)



LIVING AREA

Population by living area in 2023

(% of population)



OTHER INDICATORS

Maritime transport indicators

	2005	2010	2015	2023
Merchant fleet, national flag (thousands of DWT)	40	..
Container port throughput (TEU)

Information economy indicators

(as % of)

	2005	2010	2015	2023
Share of ICT goods, % of total exports	2.02	5.62	1.40	0.15
Share of ICT goods, % of total imports	7.44	7.23	4.81	2.34
Share of workforce involved in the ICT sector

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Share of the total world merchant fleet in 2023

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Source: UN Trade and Development, UNCTADstat (<https://unctadstat.unctad.org/datacentre>)

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.
- u Estimated. Data refers to 2020.

Symbols for missing values:

- 0 Zero means that the amount is nil or negligible
- .. No value reported or collected
- 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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