Central African Republic

Development finance and trade costs for Central African Republic



External financing inflows (million USD)	2006	2020	Change p.a. 2006-20
Official Development Assistance (ODA)	185.7	842.5	11%
of which Aid for Trade	54.3	57.9	0%
FDI inflows	34.7	34.7	0%
Remittances			
Other official flows (OOF)	59.8		
of which trade-related OOF		18.8	

Sources: UNCTAD, UNCTADstat: World Bank, WDI: OECD, DAC-CRS Aid Activities Database



Source: OECD, DAC-CRS Aid Activities Database. Note: Top 5 in 2020





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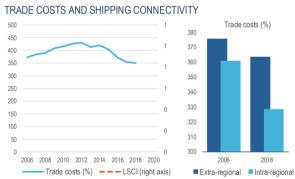


Source: OECD/WTO Partner Questionnaire.

Sources: OECD; data for the year 2019, preliminary version as of May 2022

TRADE COSTS





Sources: UNCTAD, Liner shipping connectivity index; ESCAP, ad-valorem trade costs. Note: Figures plotted for latest available trade cost data.

Tariffs (%) Imports: simple avg. bound duty Imports: simple avg. MFN applied 18.0 Imports: weighted avg. MFN applied 21.3 Exports: weighted avg. faced 0.6 0.2 Exports: duty free (value in %) 98.2 97.6 ICT connectivity (% of inhabitants) 2012/13 2019/20 Mobile-cellular subscriptions 30.6 379 Coverage by at least a 3G mobile network 20.0 40.9 0.0 Active mobile broadband subscriptions 5.9 Fixed broadband subscriptions 0.0 0.0 Internet users 2.5 10.4 Affordability of connectivity (% of GNI per capita) 2020 Data-only mobile broadband 1.5 GB 24.4 Fixed-broadband Internet 5 GB High usage bundle (140 min; 70 SMS; 1.5 GB)

Sources: WTO, World Tariff Profiles; ITU, World Telecommunication/ICT Indicators

TRADE FACILITATION INDICATORS

(Relative performance: 0 lowest - 2 highest)



Sources: OECD Trade Facilitation Indicators; preliminary version as of May 2022.

TRADE FACILITATION AGREEMENT Current rate of implementation of commitments



- Cat. A: upon entry into force
- Cat. B: additional time needed
- Cat. C: additional time and capacity building needed
- Remaining commitments

Source: WTO, Trade Facilitation Agreement Database; based on notifications as of May 2022.

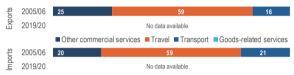
Trade performance and development indicators for Central African Republic



Trade fl	ows (million USD)	2005/06	2019/20
			20.0720
Exports	Goods	158	
	Commercial services	11	
Imports	Goods	203	
	Commercial services	120	
Product	and market diversification	2005/06	2019/20
Number o	f exported products (max. 1,245)	16	
Number of	f imported products (max. 1,245)	18	
	f export markets (max. 237)	32	
Number of	rexport markets (max. 257)	02	

Trade structure		2005/06	2019/20
Trade to GDP ratio	(%)	33.6	52.2
Commercial services	(% of total exports)	6.3	
	(% of total imports)	37.2	
ICT services	(% of comm. services exports)	12.6	
	(% of comm. services imports)	4.4	
Non-fuel intermediates	(% of goods exports)	91.1	
	(% of goods Imports)	93.0	
Food and live animals	(% of goods exports)	0.2	
	(% of goods imports)	0.4	
		Sources: WTO Secretariat, UN	Comtrade.

STRUCTURE OF SERVICES TRADE



STRUCTURE OF MERCHANDISE TRADE



Top 5 Markets for Merchandise Exports (%)

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2006	%	2018	%
Belgium	26.5	France	33.4
Germany	9.4	United Arab Emirates	16.5
Israel	8.4	Cameroon	13.2
Cameroon	5.8	China	12.6
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Top 5 Markets for Merchandise Imports (%)

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2006	%	2018	%
Belgium	20.7	France	17.2
Germany	7.6	China	11.8
Israel	6.6	Cameroon	8.1
France	4.6	Nepal	7.8
Cameroon	4.5	India	7.1

Top 5 Products for Merchandise Exports (%)

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2006	%	2018	%
Pearls, precious stones	47.6	Wood rough, rough squared	20.1
Natural abrasives, n.e.s.	15.7	Rotating electric plant	16.3
Wood, simply worked	14.8	Arms and ammunition	15.0
Wood rough, rough squared	12.5	Natural abrasives, n.e.s.	13.6
Special transactions not classified	8.6	Wood, simply worked	7.4

Top 5 Products for Merchandise Imports (%)

2006	%	2018	%
Pearls, precious stones	37.8	Arms and ammunition	13.6
Wood rough, rough squared	22.8	Passenger motor vehicles, excl. buses	6.5
Wood, simply worked	19.3	Petroleum products	5.7
Natural abrasives, n.e.s.	12.2	Goods, special-purpose transport ()	5.2
Special transactions not classified	6.7	Aircraft, associated equipment	4.7

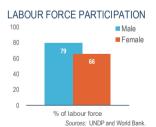
Sources: WTO Secretariat. Note: Only classified products included in the calculation.

DEVELOPMENT INDICATORS



Indicator	2005/0	6 2019/20
Human Development Index (0-1)	0.3	0.4
Poverty gap at USD 3.20 a day (PP P, % of poverty line)		
Unemployment (% of total labour force)	5.7	6.4
ODA (% of gross national income)	9.2	31.6
Import duties collected (% of tax revenue)		
Total debt service (% of total exports)		
CO ₂ emissions (metric tons per capita)	0.1	
	Sources: ILO; OECD; World	Bank; UNDP.



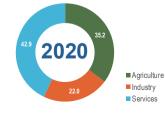


ECONOMIC STRUCTURE

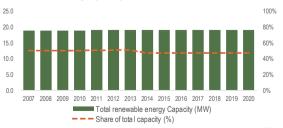
Value addedby sectors, in % of GDP

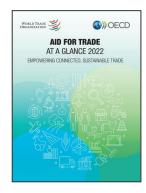
2006 No data available

Source: World Bank, WDI.



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