

# Sri Lanka

## Development finance and trade costs for Sri Lanka

### DEVELOPMENT FINANCE

External financing inflows (million USD)	2006	2020	Change p.a. 2006-20
Official Development Assistance (ODA)	949.6	857.9	-1%
of which Aid for Trade	254.0	352.1	2%
FDI inflows	480.0	433.9	-1%
Remittances	2,166.8	7,140.4	9%
Other official flows (OOF)	36.1	893.4	26%
of which trade-related OOF	5.3	550.0	39%

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

### AFT disbursements: Top 5 donors in 2020 (million USD)

Japan	217.1
Asian Development Bank	50.1
International Development Association	24.3
OPEC Fund for International Development	16.5
Kuwait	9.4



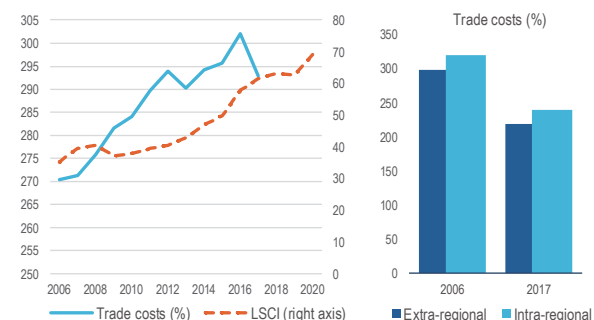
### TOP 3 AFT PRIORITIES



Source: OECD/WTO Partner Questionnaire.

### TRADE COSTS

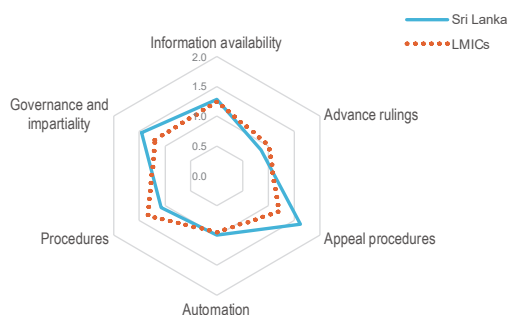
#### TRADE COSTS AND SHIPPING CONNECTIVITY



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

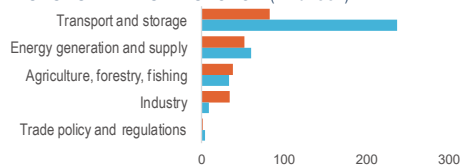
### TRADE FACILITATION INDICATORS

(Relative performance: 0 lowest - 2 highest)



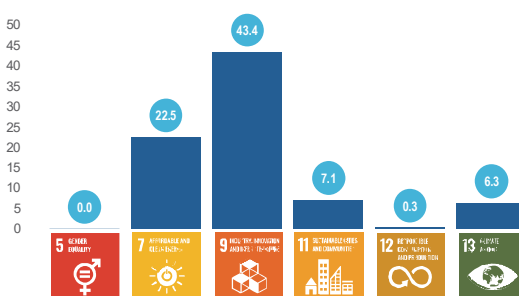
Sources: OECD Trade Facilitation Indicators; preliminary version as of May 2022.

### TOP AFT DISBURSEMENTS BY SECTOR (million USD)



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

### RESOURCES ALLOCATED TO SPECIFIC SDGs (%)



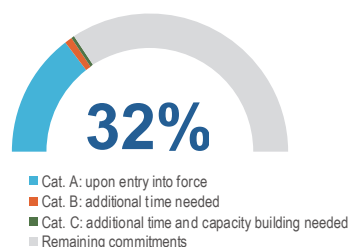
Sources: OECD; data for the year 2019, preliminary version as of May 2022.

Tariffs (%)	2005/06	2019/20
Imports: simple avg. bound duty	30.3	32.1
Imports: simple avg. MFN applied	11.2	9.3
Imports: weighted avg. MFN applied	...	...
Exports: weighted avg. faced	7.1	5.4
Exports: duty free (value in %)	54.3	64.0
ICT connectivity (% of inhabitants)	2012/13	2019/20
Mobile-cellular subscriptions	98.3	138.8
Coverage by at least a 3G mobile network	72.0	96.0
Active mobile broadband subscriptions	8.1	73.3
Fixed broadband subscriptions	2.1	8.3
Internet users	...	35.0
Affordability of connectivity (% of GNI per capita)	2018	2020
Data-only mobile broadband 1.5 GB	0.6	0.3
Fixed-broadband Internet 5 GB	1.1	0.9
High usage bundle (140 min; 70 SMS; 1.5 GB)	1.0	0.8

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

### TRADE FACILITATION AGREEMENT

Current rate of implementation of commitments



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

## Trade performance and development indicators for Sri Lanka

### TRADE PERFORMANCE



Trade flows (million USD)		2005/06	2019/20
Exports	Goods	6,883	10,047
	Commercial services	1,604	3,009
Imports	Goods	8,305	14,450
	Commercial services	3,281	3,914

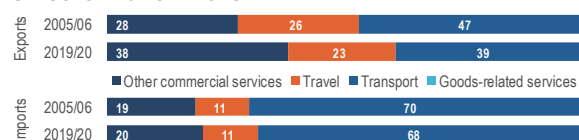
  

Product and market diversification		2005/06	2019/20
Number of exported products (max. 1,245)		656	745
Number of imported products (max. 1,245)		1064	1063
Number of export markets (max. 237)		169	182
Number of import markets (max. 237)		122	147

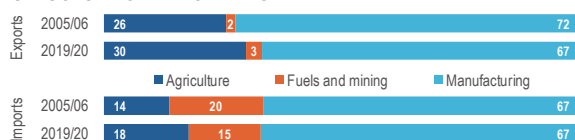
Trade structure		2005/06	2019/20
Trade to GDP ratio	(%)	71.0	38.9
Commercial services	(% of total exports)	18.9	23.0
	(% of total imports)	28.3	21.3
ICT services	(% of comm. services exports)	10.3	33.1
	(% of comm. services imports)	1.5	7.4
Non-fuel intermediates	(% of goods exports)	29.7	25.2
	(% of goods imports)	54.3	55.3
Food and live animals	(% of goods exports)	...	...
	(% of goods imports)	...	...

Sources : WTO Secretariat, UN Comtrade.

### STRUCTURE OF SERVICES TRADE



### STRUCTURE OF MERCHANDISE TRADE



### Top 5 Markets for Merchandise Exports (%)

2006	%	2020	%
United States	29.6	United States	24.8
United Kingdom	13.0	United Kingdom	8.9
India	7.2	India	6.1
Belgium	5.0	Germany	5.7
Germany	4.9	Italy	4.5

### Top 5 Markets for Merchandise Imports (%)

2006	%	2020	%
India	18.5	China	22.9
Singapore	10.0	India	19.3
China	8.0	United Arab Emirates	5.7
Iran	7.4	Malaysia	4.1
Hong Kong, China	6.7	Singapore	4.0

### Top 5 Products for Merchandise Exports (%)

2006	%	2020	%
Tea and mate	13.0	Other textile apparel, n.e.s.	13.4
Women, girl clothing, excl. knitted (...)	12.5	Tea and mate	12.6
Other textile apparel, n.e.s.	11.1	Women, girls clothing knitted	8.8
Women, girls clothing knitted	7.9	Women, girl clothing, excl. knitted (...)	5.5
Mens, boys clothing, x-knit	6.9	Rubber tyres, tubes, etc.	4.2

### Top 5 Products for Merchandise Imports (%)

2006	%	2020	%
Petroleum oils, crude	10.3	Petroleum products	7.5
Petroleum products	5.3	Knit, crochet, fabric, n.e.s.	4.9
Cotton fabrics, woven	4.4	Medicaments	2.8
Knit, crochet, fabric, n.e.s.	4.2	Petroleum oils, crude	2.6
Telecomm. equipment parts, n.e.s.	2.8	Cotton fabrics, woven	2.6

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

### DEVELOPMENT INDICATORS

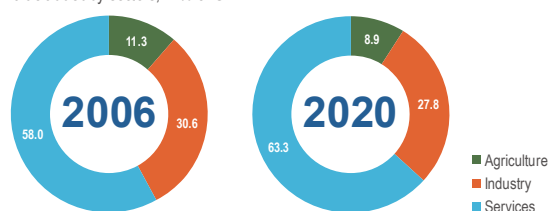


Indicator	2005/06	2019/20
Human Development Index (0-1)	0.7	0.9
Poverty gap at USD 3.20 a day (PP P, % of poverty line)	6.1	...
Unemployment (% of total labour force)	6.5	5.9
ODA (% of gross national income)	2.5	0.2
Import duties collected (% of tax revenue)	12.3	19.1
Total debt service (% of total exports)	10.8	39.3
CO <sub>2</sub> emissions (metric tons per capita)	0.6	...

Sources : ILO; OECD; World Bank; UNDP.

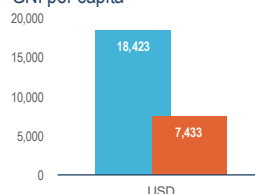
### ECONOMIC STRUCTURE

Value added by sectors, in % of GDP

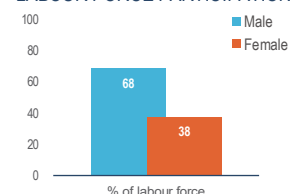


Source: World Bank, WDI.

### GNI per capita

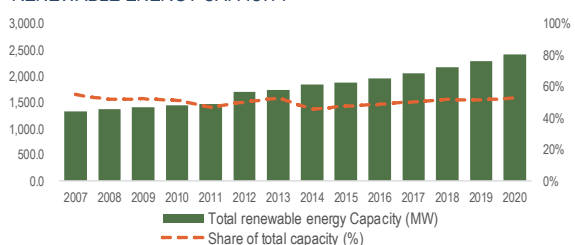


### LABOUR FORCE PARTICIPATION

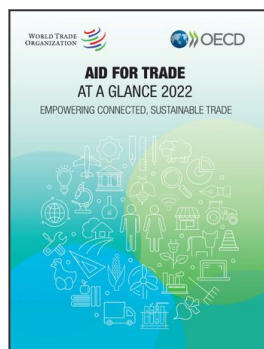


Sources : UNDP and World Bank.

### RENEWABLE ENERGY CAPACITY



Source: IRENA.



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