



SINGAPORE

Fact Sheet

General Information

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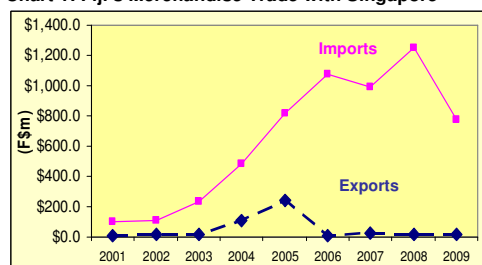
Capital	Singapore	Export Commodities	machinery and equipment (including electronics), consumer goods, pharmaceuticals and other chemicals, mineral fuels
Surface Area	1 Thousand sq km	Import Commodities	machinery and equipment, mineral fuels, chemicals, foodstuffs, consumer goods
Head of Government	Prime Minister H.E. Mr Lee Hsien Loong	Agriculture Products	orchids, vegetables; poultry, eggs; fish, ornamental fish
Head of State	President H.E Mr. S R Nathan	Major Industries	electronics, chemicals, financial services, oil drilling equipment, petroleum refining, rubber processing and rubber products, processed food and beverages, ship repair, offshore platform construction, life sciences, entre-port trade
Official Language	Malay; Chinese (Mandarin); Tamil; English		
Population	4.8 million (2009)		
Literacy Rate	89.6%		

Singapore Economic Indicators

	2010(b)	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005
GDP (US\$bn) (current prices)	194.9	177.1	188.3	171.6	140.5	121.2
GDP per Capita (US\$)	40,336	37,293	40,326	37,389	31,932	28,423
GDP per capita PPP (US\$) (c)	52,840	50,523	51,846	50,936	47,703	43,861
Real GDP growth (% change YOY)	5.7	-2.0	1.4	8.2	8.7	7.6
Current Account Balance(US\$m)	42,856	33,838	36,188	47,311	35,035	26,706
Current Account Balance (% of GDP)	22.0	19.1	19.2	27.6	24.9	22.0
Goods & Services Exports (% GDP)	209.1	202.6	227.1	224.2	241.2	235.7
Inflation (% change YOY)	2.1	0.2	6.5	2.1	1.0	0.5

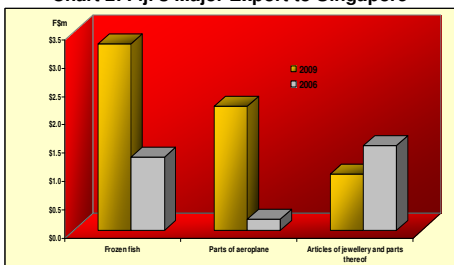
Fiji Merchandise Trade with Singapore

Chart 1: Fiji's Merchandise Trade with Singapore



Source: Fiji Islands Bureau of Statistics

Chart 2: Fiji's Major Export to Singapore



Fiji/Singapore Balance of Trade (BOT) (F\$ million)

	Total Imports	Total Exports	BOT
2001	\$98.7	\$4.4	(\$94.3)
2002	\$110.7	\$15.1	(\$95.6)
2003	\$184.8	\$17.6	(\$167.2)
2004	\$480.0	\$107.8	(\$372.2)
2005	\$812.9	\$241.7	(\$571.2)
2006	\$1,074.6	\$9.1	(\$1,065.5)
2007	\$989.3	\$21.5	(\$967.8)
2008	\$1,253.5	\$13.5	(\$1,240.0)
2009	\$775.6	\$13.0	(\$762.6)

Fiji Merchandise Trade with Singapore, 2009

Fiji's Major Exports (by 4HSC) to Singapore (FJD\$m)		Fiji's Major Imports (by 4HSC) from Singapore (FJD\$m)	
Frozen fish	\$3.3	Petroleum oils and oils obtained from bituminous minerals, other than crude oil	\$677.4
Parts of aeroplane	\$2.2	Used or reconditioned cars	\$6.8
Medicaments	\$1.2	Mineral or chemical fertilisers, nitrogenous	\$6.6
Articles of jewellery	\$1.0	Parts of aeroplanes	\$5.9
Water	\$0.5	Other plates, sheets, film, foil and strip, of low or high density polyethylene (polythylene)	\$4.1

Source: Fiji Islands Bureau of Statistics (FIBOS)

Singapore's Global Merchandise Trade Relationship, 2009

Singapore's main export destination (%)			Singapore main import source (%)		
1.	Hong Kong	11.6	1.	Malaysia	11.6
2.	Malaysia	11.5	2.	US	11.6
3.	China	9.8	3.	China	10.6

[June2010]: Compiled by the Fiji Islands Trade & Investment Bureau using the latest data from DFAT, RBF, CIA, IMF & FIBOS and various other international sources; All data are subject to revisions