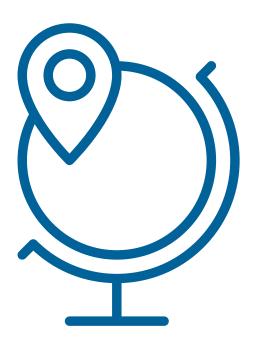


# Liberia 🔚

## Statistical Country Profile



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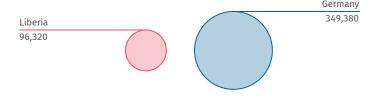
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## **General information**

Capital city	Official language	Currency
Monrovia	English	Liberian Dollar

## Land area in relation to Germany km²



Source: WB-WDI

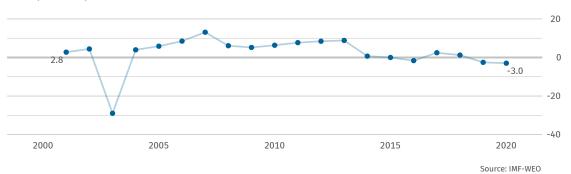


## **Economy and finance**

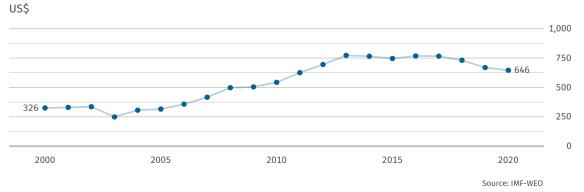
Gross domestic product (GDP), total	GDP, real change	GDP per capita	GDP per capita
bn US\$	% since 2000	US\$	internat. US\$
3.033	+51	646	1,557
(2020)	(2020)	(2020)	(2020)
Source: IMF-WEO	Source: IMF-WEO*	Source: IMF-WEO	Source: IMF-WEO

#### Gross domestic product, real change

% on previous year



#### Gross domestic product per capita



Inflation rate (change of consumer price index)

% on previous year

+23.6 (2018) Source: IMF-IFS General government gross debt

> % of GDP 61.8

(2020) Source: IMF-WEO

General government net lending / borrowing

% of GDP

-2.8 (2020)

Source: IMF-WEO

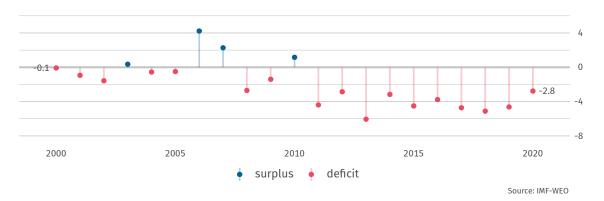
#### General government revenue and expenditure





Source: IMF-WEO

#### General government net lending / borrowing % of GDP



Foreign direct investment (FDI): inward stocks bn US\$

8.862

(2019) Source: UNCTAD

Foreign direct investment (FDI): outward stocks

bn US\$ 4.748

(2019) Source: UNCTAD

Foreign direct investment (FDI): net flow, inward bn US\$

0.138 (2019)

Source: UNCTAD

Foreign direct investment (FDI): net flow, outward

bn US\$

0.102

(2019) Source: UNCTAD



### **Population**

Population total 1,000 **5,058** (2020) Source: WB-WDI

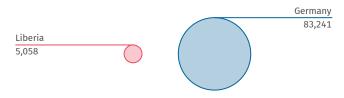
Population density inhabitants per km² 50 (2018) Source: WB-WDI at birth (women)
years

65.5

(2019) Source: WB-WDI Life expectancy at birth (men)

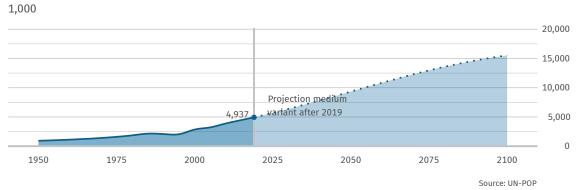
> **62.7** (2019) Source: WB-WDI

Population in relation to Germany 2020 1,000

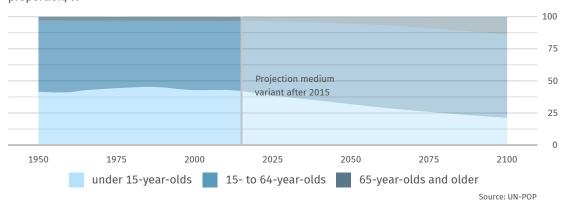


Source: WB-WDI

#### Population



Population by age group proportion, %



5



#### Health

Practising physicians
per 1,000 inhabitants

0.0
(2010)

Source: WHO

Hospital beds
per 1,000 inhabitants
0.8
(2010)
Source: WHO

Prevalence of raised blood pressure

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28.3

28.3 (2015) Source: WHO Prevalence of obesity (BMI >= 30)

**9.9** (2016) Source: WHO



#### **Education**

Government expenditure on education % of GDP

2.6

(2018) Source: UNESCO Pupil-teacher ratio (primary education)

**22.3** (2017) Source: UNESCO Pupil-teacher ratio (secondary education)

**15.2** 

(2016) Source: UNESCO Students (tertiary education)

per 100,000 inhabitants

**1,061** (2012) Source: UNESCO\*



#### **Labour force**

Employment rate (persons aged 15+)

**70.3** 

(2020) Source: ILOSTAT Labour force (persons aged 15+)

1,000 **2,302** 

(2020) Source: ILOSTAT Labour force participation rate (persons aged 15+)

**72.7** 

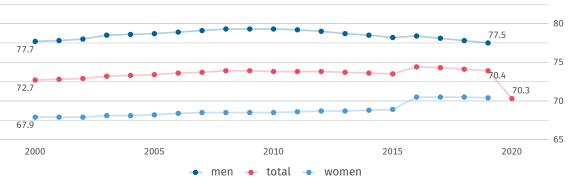
(2020) Source: ILOSTAT Self-employment (persons aged 15+)

**78.7** 

(2020) Source: ILOSTAT

#### Employment rate (persons aged 15+)





Source: ILOSTAT

Unemployment rate

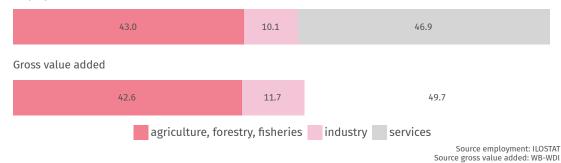
(persons aged 15+)

%

#### Employment and gross value added by sector 2020

%





Unemployment rate (persons aged 15 to 24)

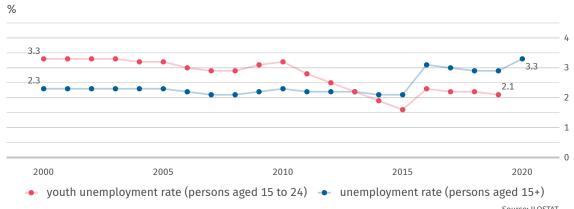
%

Long-term unemployment rate (persons aged 15+)
% of unemployed persons

**3.3** (2020) (2019)
Source: ILOSTAT Source: ILOSTAT

**52.7** (2010) Source: ILOSTAT

#### Unemployment rate and youth unemployment rate



Source: ILOSTAT



# Living conditions

**Human Development** Index (HDI) value (0 low to 1 high)

0.480

(2019)Source: UNDP **Human Development** Index (HDI)

rank (of 188 countries)

**175** (2019)Source: UNDP Income distribution: Gini coefficient

value (0 to 100; 0=equal distribution)

**35.3** (2016) Source: WB-WDI



# Production

Index of industrial production 2010=100

No data

Source: IMF-IFS



# $\bigcirc \stackrel{7}{\sim} \stackrel{7}{\sim}$ Agriculture and forestry

Change of agricultural production % since 2000

+7

(2019)Source: FAO\* Agricultural land % of land area

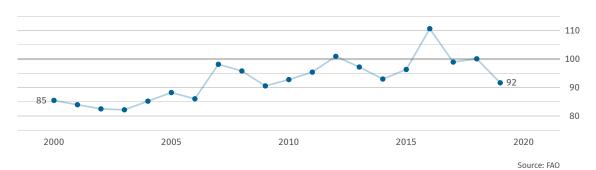
> 20.3 (2019)Source: FAO\*

Forest area % of land area

79.4

(2019)Source: FAO\*

#### Index of agricultural production 2014 to 2016 = 100





Export of goods
bn US\$
No data

Source: UN Comtrade

Import of goods

bn US\$

No data

Source: UN Comtrade

Trade balance, goods

bn US\$

No data

Source: UN Comtrade\*

Export and import of goods bn US\$

No data

Source: UN Comtrade

Foreign trade balance bn US\$

No data

Source: UN Comtrade

Goods exported to Germany mn US\$ **No data** 

Source: UN Comtrade

Goods exported to Germany % of all goods exported **No data** 

Source: UN Comtrade\*

Goods imported from Germany mn US\$ No data

Source: UN Comtrade

Goods imported from Germany % of all goods imported **No data** 

Source: UN Comtrade\*

Main trading partners	
Exports of goods %	Exports of goods %
No data	No data
Main commodities traded	
Exports of goods %	Imports of goods %
No data	No data
	Source: UN Comtrade*
	Classification of commodities: Harmonized Commodity Description and Coding Systems (HS2).

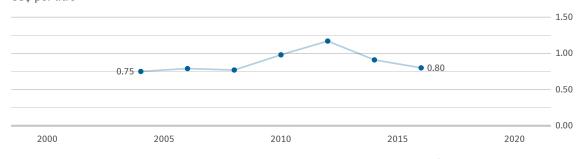
# **Transport**

Passenger cars
per 1,000 inhabitants
km per 1 mn inhabitants
per 1,000 inhabitants
No data
No data

(2015)
Source: OICA\*
Source: WB-WDI\*

Air transport
per 1,000 inhabitants
No data
No data
Source: WB-WDI\*

## Gasoline price at the pump US\$ per litre



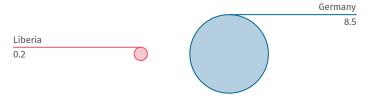
Data collection conducted every two years. Source: WB-WDI



### **Environment and energy**



Carbon dioxide emissions in relation to Germany 2019 tonnes per capita



Source: EDGAR



### Science, research, technology

Gross domestic expenditure on R&D % of GDP **No data** 

Source: UNESCO

Researchers

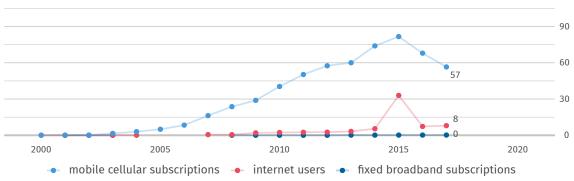
per 1 mn inhabitants **No data** 

Source: UNESCO

Resident patent applications
per 1 mn inhabitants
No data

Source: WIPO

## Dissemination of modern communication technology per 100 inhabitants



2004, 2005, 2006, 2007: Missing data. Source: ITU



EDGAR Emissions Database for Global Atmospheric Research, European Commission

FAO United Nations, Food and Agricultural Organization

ILOSTAT International Labour Organization, ILOSTAT - Database

IMF-IFS International Monetary Fund, International Financial Statistics

IMF-WEO
 International Monetary Fund, World Economic Outlook
 United Nations, International Telecommunication Union
 OICA
 International Organization of Motor Vehicle Manufacturers

UN Comtrade United Nations, Comtrade Database

UNCTAD United Nations, Conference on Trade and Development

UNDP United Nations Development Programme

UNESCO United Nations, Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization

UNPOP United Nations, Population Division

WB-WDI World Bank, World Development Indicators

WHO World Health Organization, Global Health Observatory

WIPO World Intellectual Property Organization

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<sup>\*</sup> Own calculations based on the original data source.