



Statistical Country Profile



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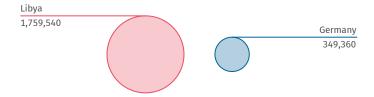
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General information

Capital city	Official language	Currency
Tripoli	Arabic	Libyan Dinar

Land area in relation to Germany km²



Source: WB-WDI

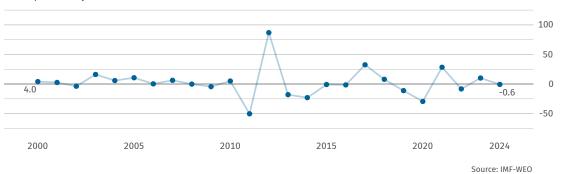


Economy and finance

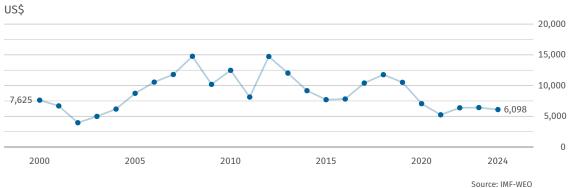
GDP, GDP GDP Gross domestic product real change per capita per capita (GDP), total bn US\$ % since 2000 internat. US\$ US\$ -5 6,098 42 14,894 (2024) (2024) (2024)(2024)Source: IMF-WEO Source: IMF-WEO Source: IMF-WEO Source: IMF-WEO*

Gross domestic product, real change

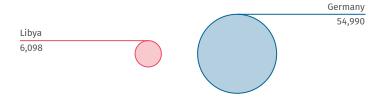
% on previous year



Gross domestic product per capita



Gross domestic product per capita in relation to Germany, 2024 US\$



Source: IMF-WEO

Inflation rate (change of consumer price index) % on previous year

* on previous ye +2.1

(2024) Source: IMF-IFS General government gross debt

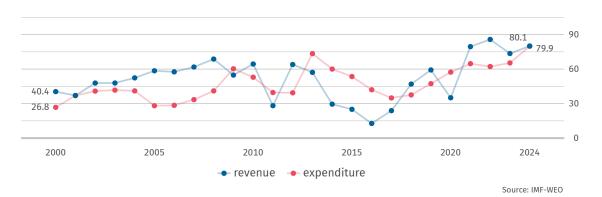
% of GDP **73.8**

(2015) Source: IMF-WEO General government net lending / borrowing

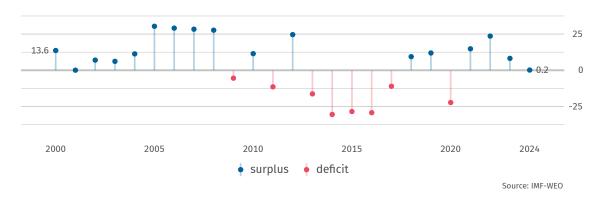
% of GDP

+0.2 (2024) Source: IMF-WEO

General government revenue and expenditure % of GDP



General government net lending / borrowing % of GDP



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

18.462

(2023) Source: UNCTAD

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

20.286

(2023) Source: UNCTAD

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

> 0.493 (2016) Source: UNCTAD

Foreign direct investment (FDI): net flow, outward

bn US\$

-0.164

(2023) Source: UNCTAD



Population

Population total 1.000

7,381

(2024)Source: WB-WDI

Population density inhabitants per km²

(2022)Source: WB-WDI

Life expectancy at birth (women)

70.4

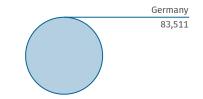
(2023) Source: WB-WDI Life expectancy at birth (men) years

68.3

(2023)Source: WB-WDI

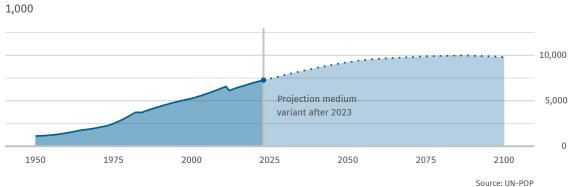
Population in relation to Germany, 2024 1,000



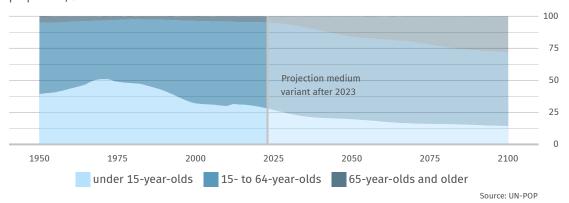


Source: WB-WDI

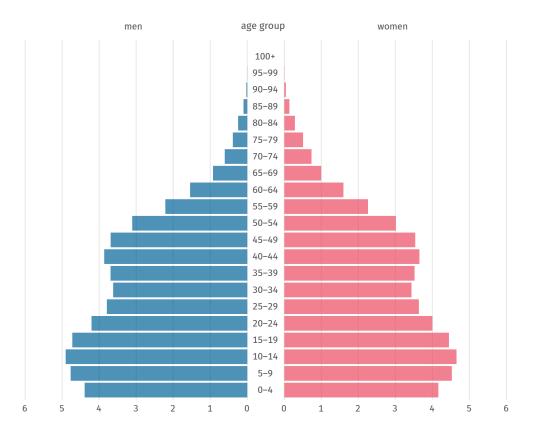
Population



Population by age group proportion, %



Population pyramid, 2024 % of total population



Source: UN-POP



Health

Practising physicians per 1,000 inhabitants

2.2 (2017) Source: WHO Hospital beds

3.2 (2021) Source: WHO Prevalence of raised blood pressure

38.0 (2019) Source: WHO Prevalence of obesity (BMI >= 30)

36.7 (2022) Source: WHO



Education

Government expenditure on education % of GDP

No data

Source: UNESCO

Pupil-teacher ratio (primary education) number **No data**

Source: UNESCO

Pupil-teacher ratio (secondary education)

No data

Source: UNESCO

Students (tertiary education)

per 100,000 inhabitants

6,674 (2003)

Source: UNESCO*



Labour force

Employment rate (persons aged 15+)

[%] 39.3

(2024) Source: ILOSTAT Labour force (persons aged 15+)

1,000 **2,585**

(2024) Source: ILOSTAT Labour force participation rate (persons aged 15+)

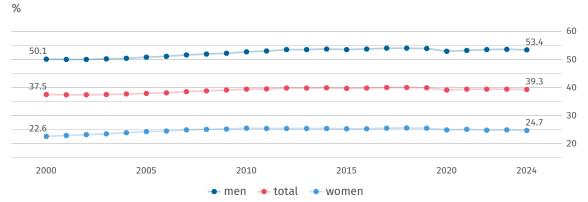
> % **48.2**

(2024) Source: ILOSTAT Self-employment (persons aged 15+)

[%] **15.1**

(2023) Source: ILOSTAT

Employment rate (persons aged 15+)

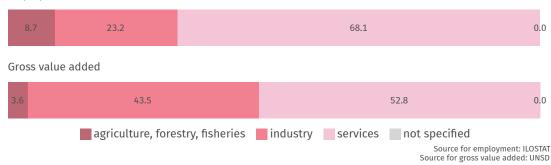


Source: ILOSTAT

Employment and gross value added by sector, 2023

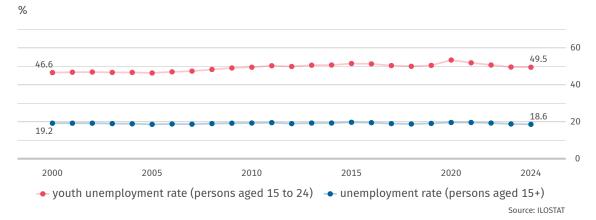
%





Unemployment rate Unemployment rate Long-term unemployment rate (persons aged 15 to 24) (persons aged 15+) (persons aged 15+) % of unemployed persons % % No data 18.6 49.5 (2024) (2024) Source: ILOSTAT Source: ILOSTAT Source: ILOSTAT

Unemployment rate and youth unemployment rate





Living conditions

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

0.721

(2023)Source: UNDP **Human Development** Index (HDI) rank (of 193 countries)

115

(2023)Source: UNDP Income distribution: Gini coefficient

value (0 to 100; 0=equal distribution)

No data

Source: WB-WDI



Manufacturing

Index of industrial production 2010=100

No data

Source: IMF-IFS



Agriculture and forestry

Change in agricultural production

% since 2000

+21 (2023) Source: FAO* Agricultural land % of land area

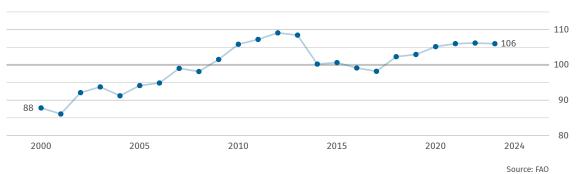
8.7 (2023)Source: FAO* Forest area

% of land area

0.1 (2023) Source: FAO*

Index of agricultural production

2014 to 2016 = 100





Foreign trade

Export of goods
bn US\$

29.286 (2019)

Source: UN Comtrade

Import of goods
bn US\$

15.664 (2019)

Source: UN Comtrade

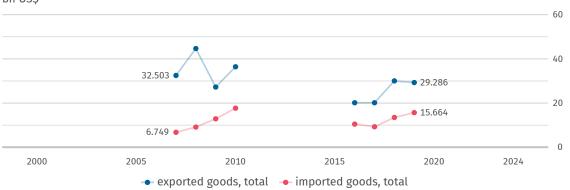
Trade balance, goods

+13.622

(2019) Source: UN Comtrade*

Export and import of goods

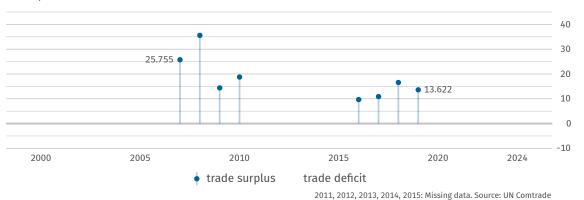
bn US\$



2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015: Missing data. Source: UN Comtrade

Foreign trade balance

bn US\$



Goods exported to Germany

mn US\$

411 (2019)

Source: UN Comtrade

Goods exported to Germany

% of all goods exported

1.4

(2019) Source: UN Comtrade* Goods imported from Germany

mn US\$

503 (2019)

Source: UN Comtrade

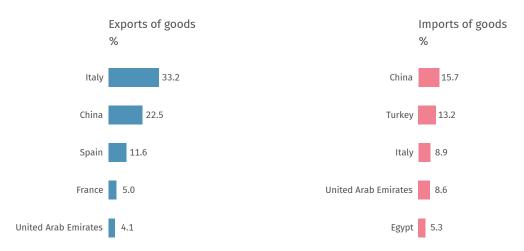
Goods imported from Germany

% of all goods imported

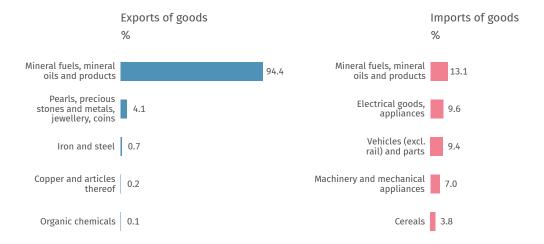
3.2 (2019)

Source: UN Comtrade*

Main trading partners, 2019



Main commodities traded, 2019



Source: UN Comtrade*

Classification of commodities: Harmonized Commodity Description and Coding Systems (HS2).

Transport

Passenger cars per 1,000 inhabitants

364 (2020) Source: OICA* Total rail network km per 1 mn inhabitants

No data

Source: WB-WDI*

Air transport, passengers per 1,000 inhabitants

136

(2021) Source: WB-WDI*

Pump price for gasoline in relation to Germany US\$ per litre



Source: GPP, 2025-09-08



Environment and energy

Carbon dioxide emissions tonnes per capita

8.9

(2023) Source: EDGAR Total primary energy supply

kg oil equivalent per capita

2,539

(2022) Source: WB-WDI Gross electricity consumption

kWh per capita

3,979 (2022)
Source: WB-WDI

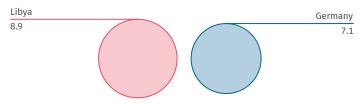
Renewable energy

% of total final energy consumption

3.1

(2021) Source: WB-WDI

Carbon dioxide emissions in relation to Germany, 2023 tonnes per capita



Source: EDGAR



Science, research and technology

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

Source: UNESCO

Researchers

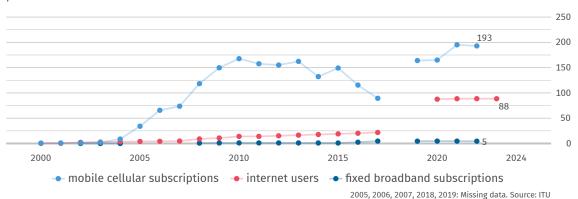
per 1 mn inhabitants **No data**

Source: UNESCO

Resident patent applications per 1 mn inhabitants **No data**

Source: WIPO

Dissemination of communication technology per 100 inhabitants





EDGAR Emissions Database for Global Atmospheric Research, European Commission

FAO United Nations, Food and Agricultural Organization

GPP GlobalPetrolPrices.com

ILOSTAT International Labour Organization, ILOSTAT - Database

IMF-IFS International Monetary Fund, International Financial Statistics

IMF-WEO International Monetary Fund, World Economic Outlook
ITU 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
UNSD United Nations, Statistics Division

WB-WDI World Bank, World Development Indicators

WHO World Health Organization, Global Health Observatory

WIPO World Intellectual Property Organization

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