



Algeria

Fact Sheet 2013

Capital:	Algiers	Head of State:	President HE Mr Abdelaziz Bouteflika
Surface area:	2,381,740 sq km	Head of Government:	Prime Minister HE Mr Abdelmalek Sellal
Official language:	Arabic		
Population:	36.0 million (2011)		
Exchange rate:	1 US Dollar (USD) = 78.91 Algerian Dinar (DZD) , 1 Algerian Dinar (DZD) = 0.37 Thai Baht (14 May 2013)		

Estimated Forecast

Recent economic indicators	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012(a)
GDP (US\$bn) (current prices):	134.3	171.7	138.0	162.0	197.9	206.5
GDP per capita (US\$):	3,967	4,996	3,954	4,573	5,503	5,660
Real GDP growth (% change yoy):	3.0	2.4	2.4	3.3	2.4	2.6
Current account balance (US\$m):	30,600	34,452	411	12,131	19,697	12,881
Current account balance (% GDP):	22.8	20.1	0.3	7.5	10.0	6.2
Goods & services exports (% GDP):	47.2	47.8	34.9	37.4	38.7	38.5
Inflation (% change yoy):	3.6	4.9	5.7	3.9	4.5	8.4

Algeria's global trade relationship 2012 (% of total)

Import Source	Export Destinations	Major Export	Major Import
1. France (12.83%)	1. Italy (16.02%)	Mineral fuels, oils, distillation products, etc	Vehicles other than railway, tramway
2. China (12.56%)	2. United States (15.0%)	Inorganic chemicals, precious metal compound, isotopes	Machinery, nuclear reactors, boilers, etc
3. Italy (9.62%)	3. Spain (10.87%)	Sugars	Iron and steel
4. Spain (8.83%)	4. France (8.52%)	Salt, sulphur, earth, stone, plaster, lime and cement	Electrical Machinery
5. Germany (5.46%)	5. Netherlands (7.32%)	Organic Chemicals	Cereals
36. Thailand (0.51%)	24. Thailand (0.33%)		

Thailand trade with Algeria (2012)

	Value (US\$m)	Share	Rank
Total trade (exports + imports)	1,019.02	0.21	43 rd
Export to Algeria	242.24	0.11	65 th
Import from Algeria	776.78	0.31	35 th
Trade balance with Algeria	-534.54		
Major Thailand exports to Algeria (US\$m)	Major Thailand imports from Algeria (US\$m)		
Radio-broadcast receivers, television receiver and parts thereof	64.6	Crude oil	646.5
Motor cars, parts and accessories	59.4	Finished oils	129.3
Prepared or preserved fish, crustaceans, molluscs in airtight containers	35.5	Vegetables and vegetable products	0.6
Refrigerators and parts thereof	29.3	Pulp, waste and scrap of paper	0.3
Rubber products	7.3	Chemicals	0.1

(a) IMF forecast

As of May 2013
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Ministry of Commerce

Source:

Exchange Rate: <http://xe.com>

Recent economic indicators: <http://www.dfat.gov.au/>

Algeria's global trade relationship: World Trade Atlas

Thailand trade with Algeria: <http://www.moc.go.th/>