



Portugal

Fact Sheet

General Information:							
Capital:	Lisbon	Head of State:					
Surface area:	92 thousand sq km	President Marcelo Rebelo de Sousa					
Official language:	Portuguese	Head of Government:					
Population:	10.4 million (2016)	Prime Minister Mr Antonio Costa					
Currency:	Euro						
Exchange rate: ¹	1 EUR = 37.7451 Thai Baht (13/03/2017)						
Recent economic indicators²:							
	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	
GDP (US\$bn) (current prices):	245.1	216.5	226.1	230.5	199.0	205.9	
GDP per capita (US\$):	23,217	20,589	21,626	22,159	19,117	19,759	
Real GDP Growth (% change YOY):	-1.8	-4.0	-1.1	0.9	1.5	1.0	
Current account balance (US\$b):	-14.7	-3.9	3.5	0.1	0.8	0.0	
Current account balance (% GDP):	-6.0	-1.8	1.5	0.1	0.4	0.0	
Inflation (% change YOY):	3.6	2.8	0.4	-0.2	0.5	0.7	
Unemployment rate (%):	12.7	15.5	16.2	13.9	12.4	11.2	
Portugal's global trade relationships³: (US\$m) (Jan-Dec 2016)							
Export Destinations 2016		Import Sources 2016		Major Exports 2016		Major Imports 2016	
1. Spain	26.2%	1. Spain	32.8%	1. Vehicles, Not Railway	5,810	1. Vehicles, Not Railway	8,398
2. France	12.6%	2. Germany	13.5%	2. Electrical Machinery	4,993	2. Mineral Fuel, Oil, Etc.	6,803
3. Germany	11.6%	3. France	7.8%	3. Machinery	3,563	3. Machinery	5,780
4. United Kingdom	7.0%	4. Italy	5.5%	4. Mineral Fuel, Oil, Etc.	3,506	4. Electrical Machinery	5,505
5. United States	4.9%	5. Netherlands	5.1%	5. Plastic	2,940	5. Plastic	3,258
78. Thailand	0.05%	43. Thailand	0.2%				
Thailand's trade with Portugal⁴ (Jan-Dec 2016) (US\$m)							
		Value	Share (%)	Rank	Growth (%) (yoy)		
Total Trade (exports+imports) (US\$m):		211.28	0.05	73	-2.48		
Exports to Portugal (US\$m):		157.67	0.07	67	9.98		
Imports from Portugal (US\$m):		53.61	0.03	71	-26.85		
Balance of Trade with Portugal (US\$m):		104.06	-	-	48.50		
Major Thai exports to Portugal, 2016 (US\$m)							
1. Vehicles, Not Railway		26.4		1. Paper, Paperboard		4.8	
2. Machinery		22.7		2. Electrical Machinery		4.0	
3. Electrical Machinery		21.8		3. Machinery		2.7	
4. Plastic		21.0		4. Vehicles, Not Railway		1.6	
5. Rubber		10.2		5. Animal Hair+Yarn, Fabrc		1.2	

Source:¹ The World's Trusted Currency Authority, (Feb 2017): www.xe.com

² ViewsWire :<http://viewswire.eiu.com>

³ Trade Map (2015) :<http://trademap.org>

⁴ Ministry of Commerce, Thailand (Jan-Dec 2016): www2.ops3.moc.go.th/