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174

Malawi

175

Congo

(Democratic

Republic)

173

Ethiopia

172

The Gambia

0.480

0.475

0.470

176

Yemen

177

Niger

Malawi

175

Guinea-Bissau

520 510

500

490

180

Sierra Leone

79

Congo

(Democratic

Republic)

| Factsheet updated October 2021. Next update April | | Malawi | | Most data refers to 2020 (*indicates the most recent available) (all forecasts from Oct 2021 IMF data) | | | | |
|--|---------|---|---------------|---|---|--|--|-----------------|
| Macroeconomy | | | Рори | lation | Trade & Investment †for latest statistics, see DIT factsheets https://www.gov.uk/government/collections/trade-and-investment-factsheets | | | |
| Real annual GDP growth (%) | 0.9 | Population (millions) | | | 20.87 | Current account balance (% of GDP) | | -14.2 |
| GDP at Purchasing Power Parity (\$US bn) | 30.5 | Population growth rate (% change) | | | 2.879 | Current account balance (\$US bn) | | -1.7 |
| GDP at Purchasing Power Parity per capita (\$) | 1,460.2 | Urban population (%) | | | 17.4 | Total exports of goods and services (\$US bn) | | 1.1 |
| GDP at PPP as a share of world (%) | 0.0 | Development | | | | Total imports of goods and services (\$US bn) | | 4.8 |
| Government Finance | | Human Capital Index score for 2020 (min 0, max 1) | | | 0.41 | Exports of goods to UK (£m)† | | 17 |
| General government net debt (% of GDP) | | Human Development Index (min 0, max 1)* | | | 0.48 | Imports of goods from UK (£m)† | | 17 |
| General government gross debt (% of GDP) | 54.7 | Life expectancy at birth (years)* | | | 64.3 | Exports of services to UK (£m)† | | 12 |
| Fiscal balance (% of GDP) | -8.1 | Literacy rates (%)* | | | 62.1 | Imports of services from UK (£m) ⁺ | | 24 |
| General government revenue (% of GDP) | 14.7 | Income inequality (equality 0, inequality 100)* | | | 44.7 | Exports + imports as share of GDP (%) | | 49.6 |
| General government expenditure (% of GDP) | 22.8 | Internet users (% population)* | | | 15.5 | Inward direct investment flow (\$US bn)* | | 0.10 |
| Current health expenditure (% of GDP)* | 9.3 | Net aid received per capita (\$US)* | | | 64.8 | Inward direct investment stocks (\$US bn)* | | 1.5 |
| Public education expenditure (% of GDP)* | 4.7 | Infant mortality (per 1,000 live births) | | | 30.9 | Emissions & Environment | | |
| Military expenditure (% of GDP)* | 1.1 | Fertility Rate* | | | 4.13 | CO ₂ emissions per capita (tonnes)* | | 0.1 |
| Foreign Exchange reserves (\$US bn)* | 0.6 | Personal remittances, received (% of GDP) | | | 1.58 | Pump price for petrol (\$US per litre)* | | 1.15 |
| Energy | | Net ODA received (% of GNI) | | | 11.29 | Energy use per capita (kg of oil equivalent)* | | - |
| Oil production (thousand barrels per day) | - | Poverty headcount ratio at \$1.90 per day* | | | 69.20 | Food imports (% share of goods imports)* | | 11.0 |
| Gas production (bn cubic metres per year) | - | Poverty headcount ratio at \$3.20 per day* | | | 89.00 | Forest area (% of land area)* | | 23.8 |
| Net energy imports (% of energy use)* | - | | | | 46 | Agricultural land (% of land area)* | | 59.9 |
| Forecast and comparison with other countries/territories | | | | | | | | |
| | | Value Glo | | | obal Ranking (1-185) | | Comparator countries/terr | itarias in 2020 |
| Indicator | 2020 | 2021 forecast | 2026 forecast | 2020 | 2021 forecast | 2026 forecast | comparator countries/terr | itories in 2020 |
| Population (million) | 20.9 | 21.5 | 24.8 | 59 | 58 | 54 | Below Burkina , Above Mali | UK rank is 21 |
| Nominal GDP (\$US bn) | 11.8 | 12.2 | 12.2 | 136 | 137 | 140 | Below Moldova, Above Mauritius | UK rank is 5 |
| GDP/capita (\$US) | 568 | 566 | 508 | 178 | 176 | 178 | Below Low income Economy Average (\$663.18) | UK rank is 22 |
| Real annual GDP growth (%) | 0.9 | 2.2 | 6.0 | 28 | 141 | 13 | Above Low Income Economy Average (-0.92%) | UK rank is 161 |
| General government gross debt (% of GDP) | 54.7 | 59.3 | 75.7 | All data externally sourced from the IMF World Economic Outlook, World Bank WDI Database, NATO, BP Statistical Review of World Energy, UNCTAD statistics, ONS UK | | | | |
| Fiscal balance (% of GDP) | -8.1 | -8.2 | -6.5 | Balance of Payments and UN International Human Development Indicators. | | | | |
| Annual inflation rate (%) | 8.6 | 9.5 | 5.0 | Factsheets for 185 countries and a detailed sources page can be found on the Economics Unit SharePoint (FCDO users only): | | | | |
| Unemployment rate (%) | - | - https://www.gov.uk/government/collections/fco-economic-factsheets | | | | | | |
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