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Macroeconomy	Population				Trade & Investment				
Nominal GDP (\$US bn)	n/a	Population (millions)			n/a	Current account balance (% of GDP)			n/a
Real annual GDP growth (%)	n/a	Population growth rate (% change)			-	Current account balance (\$US bn)			n/a
GDP per capita (\$US)	n/a	Population density (people per km <sup>2</sup> )*			100.4	Total exports of goods and services (\$US bn)*			-
Annual inflation rate (%)	n/a	Urban population (%)*			58.1	Total imports of goods and services (\$US bn)*			-
Unemployment rate (%)	n/a		Economic D	evelopment		Exports of goods to UK (£m)*			5.0
GDP at Purchasing Power Parity (\$US bn)	n/a	Human Development Index (max 1, min 0)*			0.54	Imports of goods from UK (£m)*			3.0
GDP at Purchasing Power Parity per capita (\$)	n/a	Life expectancy at birth (years)*			70	Exports of services to UK (£m)*			-
GDP at PPP as a share of world (%)	n/a	Literacy rates (%)*			-	Imports of services from UK (£m)*			4.0
Government Finance		Income inequality (equality 0, inequality 100)*			-	Exports + imports as share of GDP (%)			-
General government net debt (% of GDP)	n/a	Internet users (% population)*			32	Inward direct investment flow (\$US bn)*			-
General government gross debt (% of GDP)	n/a	Net aid received per capita (\$US)*			481	Inward direct investment stocks (\$US bn)*			11
Fiscal balance (% of GDP)	n/a	Doing Business ranking (best 1, worst 189)			174	Emissions & Environment			
General government revenue (% of GDP)	n/a	Energy				CO <sub>2</sub> emissions per capita (tonnes)*			1.6
General government expenditure (% of GDP)	n/a	Oil production (thousand barrels per day)			25	Pump price for petrol (\$US per litre)*		0.8	
Public health care expenditure (% of GDP)*	1.5	Share global oil reserves remaining (%)			0.1	Energy use per capita (kg of oil equivalent)*		562.5	
Public education expenditure (% of GDP)*	-	Gas production (	bn cubic metres p	er year)	3.6	Food imports (% share of goods imports)*			-
Military expenditure (% of GDP)*	-	Share global gas reserves remaining (%)			0.2	Forest area (% of land area)*			2.7
Foreign Exchange reserves (\$US bn)*	-	Net energy imports (% of energy use)*			47.8	Agricultural land	gricultural land (% of land area)*		
		Forecast ar	nd comparison wi	th other countrie	s/territories		-		
		Value Glo			lobal Ranking (1-185)		Comparator countries/territories in 2017		
Indicator	2017	2018 forecast	2023 forecast	2017	2018 forecast	2023 forecast		103 111 2017	
Population (million)	n/a	n/a	n/a	-	-	-	- UK rank i		UK rank is 21
Nominal GDP (\$US bn)	n/a	-	-	-	-	-	- UK rank is		UK rank is 5
GDP/capita (\$US)	n/a	-	-	-	-	-	- UK rank is 2		UK rank is 23
Real annual GDP growth (%)	n/a	-	-	-	-	-	0		UK rank is 143
General government gross debt (% of GDP)	n/a	-	-	All data externally sourced from the IMF World Economic Outlook, World Bank WDI Database, NATO, BP Statistical Review of World Energy, UNCTAD					
Fiscal balance (% of GDP)	n/a	-	-	Factsheets for 185 countries and a detailed sources page can be found on the Economics Unit SharePoint (FCO users only):					&
Annual inflation rate (%)	n/a	-	-						
Unemployment rate (%)	n/a	-	-	https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/fco-economic-factsheets					
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