

**EXPORTS BY COUNTRY OF DESTINATION**

	(F.O.B Value in US\$ '000)		Chn
	2010	Jan 2011	
<b>Total Exports</b>	<b>74,203</b>	<b>18,144</b>	<b>311</b>
Thailand	22,161	0	0
Sri Lanka	14,526	1,063	24
Italy	6,880	9	15
France	8,077	11	7
U.K	7,077	10	14
Japan	1,288	2	4
Germany	2,087	3	264
Taiwan	0	0	0
India	2,509	3	238
others	9,588	13	872

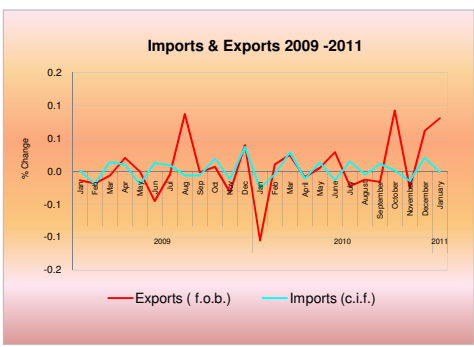
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**QUANTUM INDEX FOR SELECTED EXPORT COMMODITIES**  
(Index Base: 2004 = 100)

	2007	2008	2009
Frozen tuna (MT)	90.39	96.32	51.23
Dried tuna (MT)	83.57	60.83	61.95
Salted dried fish (MT)	88.48	84.20	101.86
Fresh or chilled reef fish (MT)	106.24	113.85	157.34
Fresh or chilled tuna (MT)	112.86	103.46	65.91
Canned fish (MT)	50.10	26.38	25.08

**EXTERNAL TRADE**



**IMPORTS BY COUNTRY OF CONSIGNMENT**

Country	(C.I.F Value in US\$ '000)		Chn
	2010	Jan 2011	
<b>Total Imports</b>	<b>1,095,116</b>	<b>79,265</b>	<b>31</b>
Singapore	196,242	12,366	16
U.A.E	205,552	15,281	20
India	126,036	7,497	10
Malaysia	78,065	4,437	6
Sri Lanka	63,707	4,594	6
Thailand	57,525	4,068	5
Bahamas	62,024	6,186	8
Australia	30,390	2,850	4
China	31,574	2,354	3
U.S.A	27,932	2,200	3
Indonesia	20,938	1,016	1
Germany	20,159	2,149	2
France	11,456	1,187	2
Canada	7,406	1,523	1
Other Countries	156,110	14,213	16

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**EXPORTS:** - The value of exports amounted to 18,144 (000' USD) fob for the January 2011. This is a 311 percent increase over the same period of previous year.

**IMPORTS:** - The value of Imports amounted to 102,881 (000' USD) cif for the January 2011. This is a 31 percent increase over the same period of previous year.

**NATIONAL ACCOUNTS**

	2009	2010	2011
<b>GDP (at 1995 constant prices)</b>			
GDP (million US\$)	884	926	963
Annual Growth Rate	-2.3	4.8	4.0
GDP per Capita (US\$)	2,810	2,896	2,962
<b>GDP (at current market prices)</b>			
GDP (million US\$)	1,319	1,480	1,663

2009 & 2010 figures revised in November 2010. 2011 figures are proj. figures

**BALANCE OF PAYMENTS**

	2009	2010	2011
<b>(In million US\$)</b>			
Trade balance	-682.2	-798.0	-975.8
Exports ( f.o.b )	169.0	180.0	172.3
Imports	-851.3	-978.0	-1148.1
Services (net)	373.3	462.2	512.6
Balance on current transfers	-56.7	-66.7	-99.0
Financial Account	329.9	350.1	410.5
Reserves	-20.4	-53.3	14.8
Current account	-418.7	-462.7	-647.4
Current account (percent of GDP)	31.8	31.3	38.9

figures for 2009 are rev est. 2010 are est. and 2011 are proj. of November 2010

**FINANCE**

	2009	2010	2011
<b>(In million US\$)</b>		(Rev Est)	(Bud. Est)
<b>Total Revenue and Grants</b>	<b>446.3</b>	<b>513.1</b>	<b>693.0</b>
Total Revenue	413.5	473.8	681.9
Grants	32.8	39.4	11.1
<b>Total expenditure &amp; net lending</b>	<b>852.4</b>	<b>754.6</b>	<b>946.6</b>
Recurrent	682.1	611.8	755.9
Capital	182.0	164.6	206.8
Net Lending	-11.7	-21.8	-16.1
<b>Overall Deficit</b>	<b>-406.1</b>	<b>-241.4</b>	<b>-253.6</b>
Overall Deficit (percent of GDP)	-30.9	-16.4	-15.3
Debt Service Ratio	6.11	5.92	9.37

**COMMUNICATION**

	2010
<b>Telephone lines</b>	<b>January</b>
*Number of lines	34,831
Number of lines in other inhabited islands	12,053
Resorts	980
Un-inhabited islands	224
Internet subscription customers	1,244
<b>Total card phones</b>	<b>559</b>
<b>Cellular phone lines (post paid and pre-paid)</b>	<b>501,809</b>

\*Number of lines includes Male', Villingili, Aarah, Hulhule & Hulhumale'

**TRANSPORT**

	2010, Jan - Nov
<b>Land transport</b>	<b>3,379</b>
Cars	118
Motor / auto cycles	3,030
Other vehicles	231
<b>Sea transport</b>	<b>482</b>
Dhoani	245
Baththeli	4
Launch	110
Boat	8
Other vessels	115

Note: Land and sea transport includes newly registered data

**EXCHANGE RATE**

Rufiyaa is pegged to the US\$ at a market determined rate. On July 24th 2001 the Maldives Monetary Authority announced new buying and selling rates for the US\$.		
<b>Exchange Rate, 25th July 2001 onwards</b>		
	<b>Buying</b>	<b>Selling</b>
US\$: 1.00	12.75 (Rf)	12.85 (Rf)
<b>Average exchange rate</b>		
	<b>1995-2001</b>	<b>2001</b>
US\$: 1.00	11.77 (Rf)	12.24 (Rf)
		<b>2002 onwards</b>
		12.80 (Rf)



**MALDIVES**  
AT A GLANCE

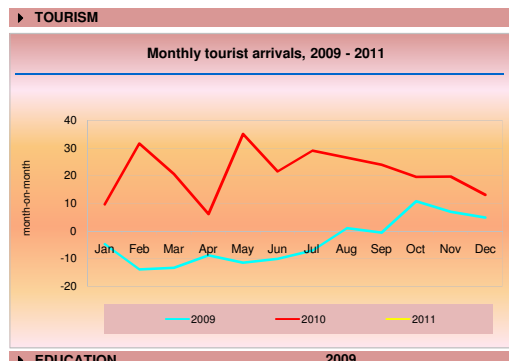
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LOCATION, AREA AND CLIMATE			
<b>Location</b>			
Latitude : 7° 6' 35" N to 0° 42' 24" S			
Longitude : 72° 33' 19" E to 73° 46' 13" E			
<b>Area</b>			
Area (including sea)	115,300 sq. km		
E.E.Z	859,000 sq. km		
<b>Climate</b>			
	<b>2010</b>	<b>Jan-10</b>	<b>Jan-11</b>
Annual rainfall (mm)	2,065.2	108.3	57.8
Average daily min. temp. (°C)	25.5	25.6	25.4
Average daily max. temp. (°C)	31.2	31.0	30.5
Lowest temp	20.2°C	22.6°C	22.3°C
Highest temp.	33.9°C	32.5°C	32.6°C
<b>Number of Islands</b>			
<b>1,192</b>			
Inhabited	194		
Uninhabited	998		
<b>Number of Inhabited Islands by size of Population</b>			
Population	<1000	1000-1999	2000-3999
	131	47	11
No. of Islands	47	11	4
<b>Number of Inhabited Islands by Area ( in hectares )</b>			
Area (in hectares)	1 - 39	40 - 79	80 - 99
	115	40	8
No. of Islands	115	40	8
	19	9	3
	200 - 300	300 - 520	
	9	3	
<b>POPULATION</b>			
	<b>2010</b>	<b>2011</b>	
Both Sexes (projections for mid-year)	319,738	325,135	
Male	161,708	164,349	
Female	158,030	160,786	
<b>Census 2006</b>			
Male'	(35 % of Total population)		
	103,693		
Atolls	195,275		
Average Annual Growth Rate	Republic	1.69%	
(2000 - 2006)	Male'	5.59%	
	Atolls	-0.06%	

HEALTH	2008	2009
<b>Life expectancy at birth (years)</b>		
Male	72.5	72.5
Female	74.1	74.2
<b>Infant mortality rate /000 Live Births</b>		
	11	11
<b>Crude Birth Rate (CBR) /000 Population</b>		
	22	23
<b>Crude Death Rate (CDR) /000 Population</b>		
	3	4
<b>Still Birth Rate (SBR) /000 Live Births</b>		
	8	7
<b>Maternal Mortality Rate (MMR)/000 Live Births</b>		
	1	1
<b>Population per hospital bed</b>		
	394*	231*
<b>Population per practicing staff-nurse</b>		
	335	170*
<b>Population per practicing doctor</b>		
	538	598*
<b>Doctors / 10,000 Population</b>		
	19	17*
<b>Family Health Workers / 10,000 Population</b>		
	9 (2007)	9*
<b>Community Health Workers / 10,000 Population</b>		
	6 (2007)	7*

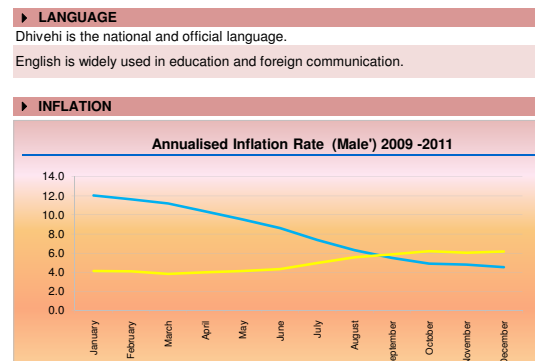
TOURISM	2010	Jan-2010	Jan-2011
Tourist arrivals	655,852	67,478	79,495
% change (month-on-month)	-4.0	9.7	17.8
No. of registered resorts/marinas	98	97	98
No. of operational resorts/marinas	84	88	83
Occupancy rate (Resorts & Hotels)	70.2	78.1	82.2
Beds in operation(Resorts & Hotels)	20,090	22,825	24,042
% change (month-on-month)	5.3	16.9	5.3
Tourism Receipts (million US dollars)	608.3	na	na

**TOURISM:-** Growth in tourist arrivals showed a marked increase of 17.8 percent in January 2011 compared to January 2010. Occupancy rate increased to 82.2 percent in January 2011 compared to 78.1 percent in January 2010.



EDUCATION						
2009						
Students enrolled in the Maldives (Grade 1 to 12)						
	Total	Male	Female	Teachers	% of untrained teachers	Student teacher ratio
Republic	89,841	45,891	43,950	8,195	10	11
Male'	25,876	12,937	12,939	1,940	7	13
Atolls	63,965	32,954	31,011	6,255	11	10
<b>Students enrolled in Male' (Grade 1 to 12)</b>						
	Total	%	Male	%	Female	%
Total	25,876	100	12,937	100	12,939	100
Government schools	17,917	69	9,001	70	8,916	69
Private schools	2,159	8	1,102	9	1,057	8
Community	5,800	22	2,834	22	2,966	23
Literacy Rate (Census 2006)						93.83%

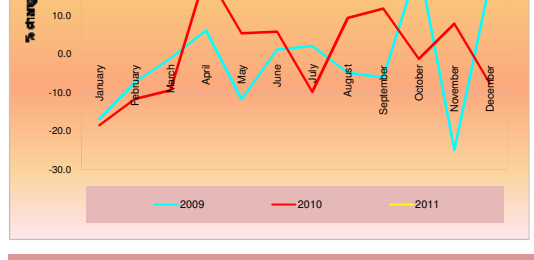
**INFLATION:-** Inflation rate of Male' for January 2011 decreased at 0.62 percent compared to the previous month. On an annualised basis, Male' Inflation rate stood still at 6.50 percent in January 2011.



CPI INFLATION	2009	Dec-10	Dec-10
		Monthly	Annualised
National	3.98	1.23	4.74
Male'	4.53	1.34	6.15
Atolls	3.48	1.12	3.42
		Jan-11	Jan-11
		Monthly	Annualised
Male'		0.62	6.50

\* For Atolls and National, latest available is for October as data for Atolls is available after a one month lag.

FISHERIES	2008	2009	2010	2011
			Jan	Jan
<b>Total fish catch ('000 metric tons)</b>	<b>133.1</b>	<b>116.9</b>	<b>7.0</b>	<b>8.0</b>
% change in fish catch	-7.3	-12.2	-30.7	14.0
<b>Total Collection ('000 metric tons)</b>	<b>62.8</b>	<b>32.2</b>	<b>3.7</b>	<b>4.7</b>
<b>Fish Exports ('000 MTs)</b>	<b>63.1</b>	<b>39.9</b>	<b>1.2</b>	<b>na</b>
% change in fish exports	-8.5	-36.7	-78.2	0.0



**FISHERIES:-** Fish catch amounted to 8.0 (000' metric tonnes) for the month of January 2011. This is a 14.0 percent increase over the same period of previous year. For January 2010, fish catch amounted 7.0 (000' metric tonnes) showing a decrease of -13.6 percent when compared with December 2010.

PRINCIPAL EXPORTS					
	2010		Jan 2011		%
	Jan	2010	Jan	2011	
<b>Total Exports</b>	<b>74,203</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>4,418</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>18,144</b>
Total fish and fish products	74,174	100	4,418	100	18,142
Frozen tuna	1,863	3	122	3	174
Fresh or chilled tuna	54	0	0	0	0
Dried tuna	20,954	28	1,808	41	3,256
Canned fish	1,419	2	302	7	78
Fresh chilled reef fish	26,084	35	209	5	10,474
Salts dried reef fish	5819	8	567	12	1,435
Live reef fish	593	1	34	1	78
Fish meal	2,477	3	291	7	420
Sea cucumber	804	1	64	1	131
Frozen reef fish	11,277	15	789	17	1,583
Other marine products	2,830	4	282	7	563
Scrap metals	9	0	0	0	2
Others	20	0	0	0	0

Note: steamed Tuna Loin is previously classified under canned fish is now classified as other marine products.