

## KAZAKHSTAN ECONOMY AND TRADE PROFILE (2000-2005)

Indicator	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
<b>Macroeconomic Indices<sup>1</sup></b>						
GDP at current market prices (mln. US Dollars)	18292.4	22152.1	24636.5	30832.8	43150.1	57123.7*
GDP per capita ( <i>dollars</i> )	1229	1490	1658	2068	2874	3771*
GNI at Current Market Prices (mln. US Dollars) <sup>2</sup>	17149.7	21011.9	23603.8	27999.0	33779.5	---
GNI per capita ( <i>dollars</i> ) <sup>3</sup>	1152	1414	1588	1878	2260	---
Net Foreign Direct Investment (mln. US Dollars) <sup>4</sup>	1278.2	2860.6	2163.8	2188.1	5548.3	1938*
CPI (Consumer Price Index) (in % to the end of previous year)	9.8	6.4	6.6	6.8	6.7	4.0*
Exchange Rate KZT/US dollar (period average)	142.13	146.74	153.28	149.58	136.04	132.88*
<b>Foreign Trade Mln. US Dollars</b>						
Trade Balance	3772.2	2193.1	3086.3	4518.0	7314.9	10496.3
<b>Exports, fob</b>	8812.2	8639.1	9670.3	12926.7	20096.2	27849.0
CIS countries	2336.7	2644.6	2194.3	2980.5	4097.2	4066.8
Non-CIS countries	6475.5	5994.5	7476.0	9946.2	15999.0	23782.2
Exports of oil and gas condensate (to the total volume of exports)	4249.0	4254.8	5027.9	7012.5	11417.1	---
<b>Imports, cif</b>	5040.0	6446.0	6584.0	8408.7	12781.3	17352.2
CIS countries	2731.7	3309.5	3043.2	3932.3	6117.9	8133.9
Non-CIS countries	2308.3	3136.5	3540.8	4476.4	6663.4	9218.3
<b>Private Sector<sup>5</sup></b>						
<b>Registered enterprises</b>	<b>N/A</b>	<b>N/A</b>	<b>173 686</b>	<b>190 045</b>	<b>208 409</b>	<b>218992</b>
Small	N/A	N/A	161 028	177 334	195 707	205747
Medium	N/A	N/A	10 635	10 700	10 676	11186
Large	N/A	N/A	2 023	2 011	2 026	2059
<b>Operating enterprises:</b>	<b>N/A</b>	<b>N/A</b>	<b>134 510</b>	<b>142 628</b>	<b>155 940</b>	<b>166603</b>
Small	N/A	N/A	123 029	130 961	144 156	154265
Medium	N/A	N/A	9 711	9 865	9 934	10449
Large	N/A	N/A	1 770	1 802	1 850	1889
<b>Operating small businesses<sup>6</sup> (from the total number of small enterprises)</b>	63 556	75 505	85 493	91 039	103291	112701
<b>Employment by SMEs in % to the total number of employed in the economy</b>	19.6	18.7	20.3	21.4	21.6	21.9
<b>SMEs contribution to the GDP (%)</b>	30.7	29.7	30.7	35.7	42.3	31.2

--- not available data

\* - preliminary data

<sup>1</sup> Data source: The Statistics Agency of the Republic of Kazakhstan

<sup>2</sup> Data source: www.adb.org (Key Indicators of Developing Asian and Pacific Countries).

<sup>3</sup> Data source: www.adb.org (Key Indicators of Developing Asian and Pacific Countries).

<sup>4</sup> Data source: www.adb.org (Key Indicators of Developing Asian and Pacific Countries).

<sup>5</sup> Data in the last column are effective for the period January-July 2005. Enterprises categories: small enterprises (with up to 50 employees on average in a year), medium-sized enterprises (from 51 to 250 employees on average in a year) and large enterprises (from 250 employees in a year).

<sup>6</sup> The Statistics Agency distinguishes between small enterprises and small businesses. To small businesses are referred individuals and legal entities having not more than 50 people and assets not exceeding 60,000 times the monthly calculation ratio. Those legal entities whose assets exceed 60,000 times MCR are referred to as small enterprises. Individual entrepreneurs and farms fall under the small business category. More data are available at [www.casme.net](http://www.casme.net).