

| MAURITANIA | | | | | | | | | | | |
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| Selected Macro-Economic Statistics | | | | | | | | | | | |
| INDICATOR | 2012 | 2013 | 2014 | 2015 | 2016 | 2017 | 2018 | 2019 | 2020 | 2021 | 2022 |
| Population (Million) | 3.5 | 3.5 | 3.6 | 3.7 | 3.8 | 3.9 | 4.0 | 4.1 | 4.1 | 4.2 | 4.3 |
| Real GDP Growth (% Change) | 5.8 | 6.1 | 5.6 | 0.9 | 1.7 | 3.8 | 3.0 | 4.6 | 5.2 | 4.5 | 4.0 |
| Current GDP (US\$ Billion) | 5.2 | 5.7 | 5.4 | 4.8 | 4.7 | 5.0 | 5.1 | 5.2 | 5.5 | 5.8 | 6.2 |
| Current GDP PPP (US\$ billion) | 13.5 | 14.6 | 15.6 | 16.0 | 16.4 | 17.4 | 18.2 | 19.5 | 20.9 | 22.3 | 23.7 |
| Current GDP per capita (US\$) | 1,515.4 | 1,618.2 | 1,488.8 | 1,307.1 | 1,246.6 | 1,284.4 | 1,274.1 | 1,286.7 | 1,323.7 | 1,364.5 | 1,419.9 |
| Inflation, average consumer prices (% Change) | 4.9 | 4.1 | 3.8 | 0.5 | 1.5 | 2.1 | 3.7 | 5.0 | 4.0 | 4.0 | 4.0 |
| Current Account Balance (US\$ Billion) | -1.3 | -1.3 | -1.5 | -1.0 | -0.7 | -0.7 | -0.5 | -0.5 | -0.5 | -0.5 | -0.5 |
| Current Account Balance (% of GDP) | -24.1 | -22.0 | -27.3 | -19.7 | -14.9 | -14.2 | -9.6 | -9.0 | -8.6 | -8.0 | -7.9 |
| Total foreign debt (US\$ Billion) | 3.3 | 3.5 | 3.5 | 3.7 | 3.9 | 4.1 | 4.3 | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Total debt (% of Exports G&S) | 111.2 | 116.7 | 152.9 | 207.7 | 217.3 | 203.7 | 212.2 | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Total debt (% of GDP) | 63.2 | 62.6 | 64.9 | 67.7 | 76.0 | 82.7 | 90.2 | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| International reserves (% of Total debt) | 29.3 | 28.2 | 18.2 | 22.3 | 21.8 | 20.2 | 18.4 | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Debt-service ratio, paid (% of Exports G&S) | 4.8 | 5.5 | 9.6 | 12.2 | 13.1 | 12.7 | 13.2 | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Debt-service ratio, due (% of Exports G&S) | 4.8 | 5.5 | 9.6 | 12.2 | 13.1 | 12.7 | 13.2 | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Debt-service paid (% of GDP) | 2.7 | 2.9 | 4.1 | 4.0 | 4.6 | 5.1 | 5.6 | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Interest paid (% of debt-service paid) | 39.6 | 34.3 | 28.8 | 40.8 | 31.2 | 32.1 | 32.3 | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Interest paid (% of Exports G&S) | 1.9 | 1.9 | 2.8 | 5.0 | 4.1 | 4.1 | 4.3 | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Interest paid (% of GDP) | 1.1 | 1.0 | 1.2 | 1.6 | 1.4 | 1.6 | 1.8 | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Effective Interest rate (%) | 2.2 | 1.9 | 2.0 | 2.7 | 2.0 | 2.1 | 2.1 | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Budget balance (% of GDP) | -3.3 | 4.3 | -3.4 | -3.0 | -1.4 | -1.1 | -2.0 | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Stock of money M1 (US\$ Billion) | 1.2 | 1.3 | 1.2 | 1.2 | 1.2 | 1.1 | 1.1 | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Stock of money M2 (US\$ Billion) | 1.4 | 1.5 | 1.4 | 1.4 | 1.4 | 1.3 | 1.3 | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| M1 (% Change) | 11.8 | 9.3 | -3.2 | 7.8 | 2.1 | 0.4 | -0.8 | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| M2 (% Change) | 10.5 | 9.0 | -3.2 | 7.7 | 2.2 | 0.6 | -1.2 | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Net debt (% of Exports G&S) | 78.6 | 83.8 | 125.2 | 161.3 | 169.9 | 162.6 | 173.1 | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Net debt (% of GDP) | 44.7 | 44.9 | 53.1 | 52.6 | 59.5 | 66.0 | 73.6 | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| National currency per US\$, period average | 296.6 | 300.7 | 302.7 | 324.7 | 352.4 | 363.6 | 373.0 | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Real effective exchange rate (CPI-based) | 82.6 | 83.6 | 85.8 | 91.9 | 85.7 | 86.1 | 85.1 | .. | .. | .. | .. |

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