COUNTRY STUDY/ANALYSIS

CIA World Factbook

Investment Climate Statements 2018 (US Dept of State)

Passport
Provides country risk reports.
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INVESTING IN OR TRADING WITH A FOREIGN COUNTRY

Market Research Library (US Commercial Service)
Provides the how-tos when investing in a foreign country.
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National Trade Estimate Report on Foreign Trade Barriers (Office of the US Trade Representative)
Provides major trade barriers to consider when exporting/importing with a foreign country.

Basic Importing and Exporting (US Customs and Border Protection)
Provides tips on laws and regulations for new exporters and importers.

IMPORT/EXPORT STATISTICS

Passport
Provides country’s import/export by commodities OR by origin/destination. Also provides trade balance and total import/export of a country.
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**OECD iLibrary**
Provides country’s import/export by commodities **AND** by origin/destination.
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**US International Trade in Goods and Services** (US Census Bureau); also try The Year In Trade 2017 (US International Trade Commission)
Discusses US primary exports/imports of merchandise goods and services as well as major trading partner relationships between US and other countries.

**US International Trade Administration**
Provides US total export and import data with 30 of its top trading partner countries; also provides export/import data pertaining to US states and metropolitan areas.
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Direction of Trade Statistics Yearbook Dunbar Periodicals HF91 .I65
Provides country’s total imports/exports by origin/destination.

**INTERNATIONAL MARKET RESEARCH REPORTS**

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U.S. International Trade Commission
International Trade Administration
World Trade Organization
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