

# Country Snapshot

The Economic Department



## Niger

### General Information

Capital:	Niamey	Global Competitiveness Index Ranking (Out of 141):	-
Population (m):	24	Corruption Perceptions Index Ranking: (Out of 180):	120
Local Currency:	West African CFA franc	Ease of Doing Business Ranking (Out of 190):	132
Exchange Rate (LCU:US\$):	586	Economic Freedom Ranking (Out of 180):	137
Head of State:	President – Mahamadou Issoufou	Enabling Trade Ranking (Out of 136):	-
	Prime Minister – Brigi Rafini		

### Recent Economic Indicators

	2016	2017	2018	2019
Real GDP Growth (% change YOY)	5.7	5.0	7.0	5.8
GDP (Bn\$) (market prices)	8	8	9	9
GDP per capita (\$) (PPP)	983	1,011	1,062	1,106
Export of Goods (Bn\$)	1.0	1.2	1.2	1.3
Import of Goods (Bn\$)	1.7	1.9	2.3	2.4
Inflation (Av)	-2.2	1.7	1.6	-2.3

### Principal Export Destinations

France 30.2%, Thailand 18.3%, Malaysia 9.9%, Nigeria 8.3%, Mali 5%, Switzerland 4.9%

### Principal Import Destinations

France 28.8%, China 14.4%, Malaysia 5.7%, Nigeria 5.4%, Thailand 5.3%, US 5.1%, India 4.9%

### Principal Export Commodities

uranium ore, livestock, cowpeas, onions

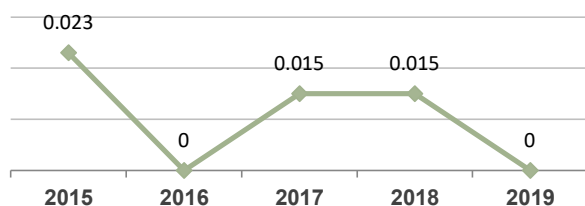
### Principal Import Commodities

foodstuffs, machinery, vehicles and parts, petroleum, cereals

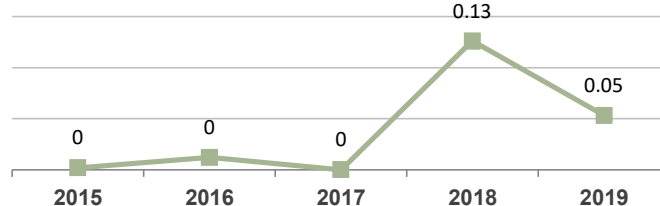
### Israel's Goods Trade Relations with Niger \*\*

	M\$
Export	-
Import	0.053
Total trade (export + import)	0.053
Trade Balance (export - import)	-0.053

Israel's Export to Niger



Israel's Import from Niger



### The Main Sectors of Goods Trade between Israel and Niger \*\*

Sector	Export		Sector	Import	
	M\$	% Share		M\$	% Share
Chemical Products	0.015	100%	Machinery, Electrical equipment	0.04	98%

(2018)

\* World Economic Forum, Executive Opinion Survey

\*\* Excluding Diamonds

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