



azerbaijan in figures 2010



NEIGHBOURS

Borders in the south with Iran (765 km) and Turkey in the south (15 km), Russia in the north (390 km), Georgia in the north-west (480 km), Armenia in the west (1007 km). The widest area of the Azerbaijan section of the Caspian sea is 456 km.

POPULATION

Population, per year	2008	2009	2010
Thousands person	8,779.8	8,896.9	8,997.4
Urban	53.9	54.2	54.1
Rural	46.1	45.8	45.9
Population density, per km ²	101.3	102.4	103.8

NUMBER OF ADMINISTRATIVE UNITS & POLITICAL SYSTEM

Autonomous Republics	1 (Nakhi-chevan AR)	Government type	Republic
Districts	66	Legal system	Based on civil law system
Towns	77	Executive branch	
Districts of cities	13	Head of State	President
Settlements	258	Head of Government	Prime Minister
Rural settlements	4257	Legislative branch	
Rural territorial division	1704	Parliament	Unicameral National Assembly (Milli Mejlis)*
Economic regions	10	Judicial branch	Supreme Court

**125 seats; members elected by popular vote to serve five-year terms*

CLIMATE

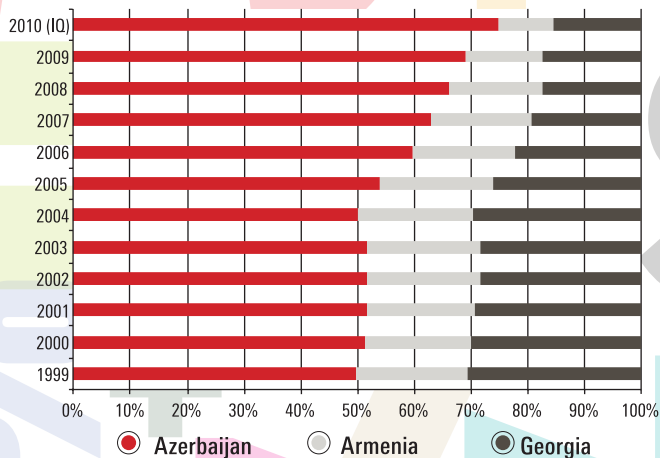
Azerbaijan's climate varies from an arid subtropical and humid subtropical to a mountainous tundra climate. Average annual precipitation is between 200 to 300 mm (8 to 12 inches) in the lowlands and 300 to 900 mm (12 to 35.5 inches) in the highlands, although precipitation is distributed unevenly throughout the year. On the southern slopes of the Greater Caucasus average annual precipitation ranges from 1,000 to 1,300 mm (39 to 51 inches).

Average temperature ranges on the lowlands are from 25 to 27 degrees Celsius (77 to 80 degrees Fahrenheit) in July to 0 to 3 degrees Celsius (32 to 37 degrees Fahrenheit) in January and between -3 to -6 degrees Celsius (27 to 21 degrees Fahrenheit) in January on the highlands. There are 9 out of 11 climatic zones in Azerbaijan.

BEST BUSINESS LOCATION OF THE REGION

- * Favorable geographical location
- * Well-developed infrastructure
- * Business-friendly climate
- * Abundant resources
- * Low-cost and skilled labor force
- * Good climate and welcoming culture
- * Competitive cost of production
- * Economical/financial stability

SHARE OF AZERBAIJAN IN THE ECONOMY OF SOUTH CAUCASUS



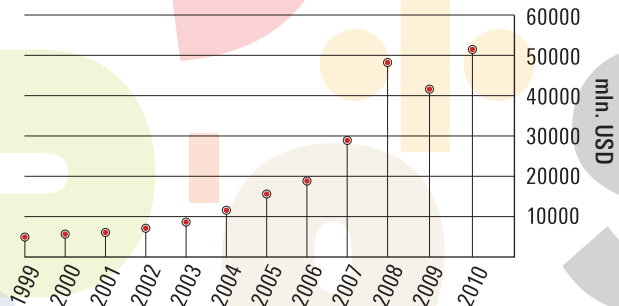
AZPROMO encourages foreign companies to invest in Azerbaijan by revealing the country's variable assets.

ECONOMIC FIGURES

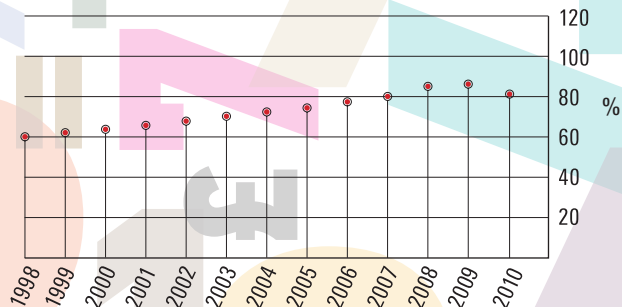
	2008	2009	2010
GDP (bln USD)	48.8	43.0	51.7
Annual growth (%)	10.8	9.3	5.0

Non-oil GDP (bln USD)	14.7	15.6	22.9
GDP per capita (USD)	5,603	4,874	5,797
Share in GDP (%)			
industry	58.5	50	52.6
agriculture	5.6	6.7	5.3
construction	7.0	7.4	7.5
transportation, storage and communication	6.7	8.6	7.9
trade, public catering, hotels	6.3	8.0	7.7
social and non-formal services	9.2	11.7	11.9
others	6.7	7.6	7.1
Investments, mln. USD	16,222	12,794	17,354
Domestic investments, mln. USD	9,374	7,325	9,107
Foreign investments, mln. USD	6,847	5,468	8,247
Foreign Investments in the energy sector, mln. USD	3,350	2,412	2,955
Foreign Direct Investments, mln. USD	3,844	2,899	3,347
Inflation (%)	15.4	1.5	5.7
External debt, mln. USD	2916	2,916	3857
(% of GDP)	5.3	6.7	7.4
Deposit and Savings (thsd USD)	6,606	6,648	6,788
Revenues of state budget, mln. USD	13,113	13,149	14,649
Expenditures of state budget, mln. USD	2,916	2,916	3,857

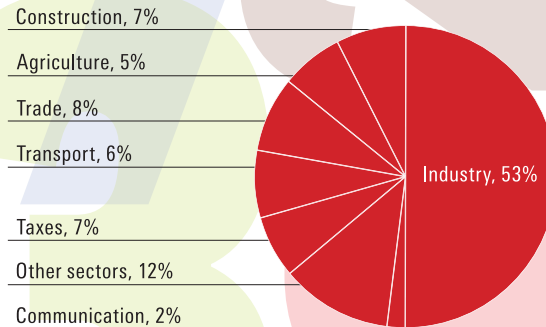
GDP IN AZERBAIJAN 1999-2010



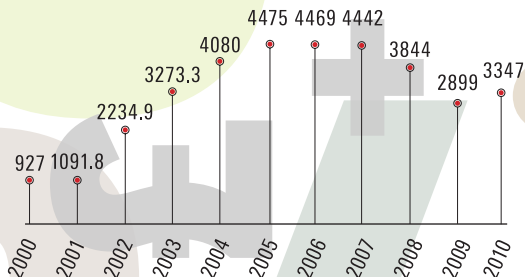
PRIVATE SHARE IN GDP



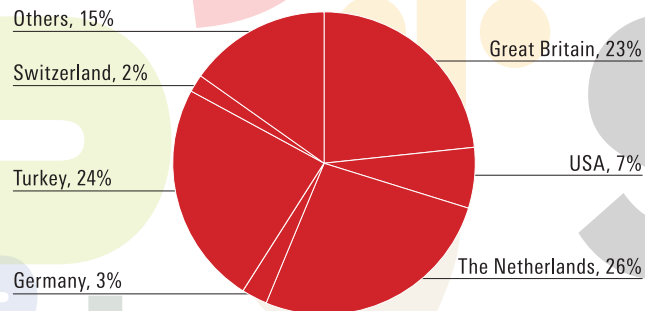
GDP DISTRIBUTION



FOREIGN DIRECT INVESTMENTS MLN. USD



NON-OIL FDI IN AZERBAIJAN BY COUNTRIES (2010)



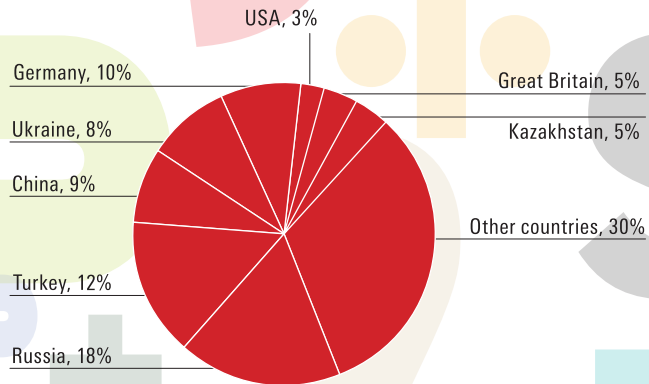
LABOR MARKET

	2008	2009	2010
Workforce (thsd)	4,331	4,071	4,587
Number of new jobs	122,924	73,613	73,009
Average monthly wage (USD)*	334	371	406
Registered Unemployed	44,481	41,100	38,966
Literacy Level			99.6%

MOST ATTRACTIVE SECTORS

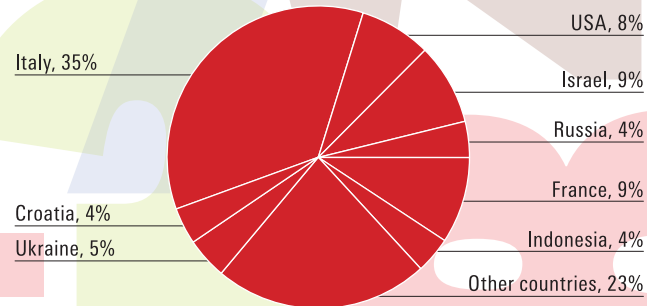
Construction	2008	2009	2010
Laid-down capital , mln. USD	12,414	9,170	12,342
Domestic , mln. USD	9,615	7,330	9,344
Foreign , mln. USD	2,799	1,801	2,998
Tourism	2008	2009	2010
Total number of hotels	370	438	477
Number of foreign visitors (thsd)	1,898	1,830	1,962
Agriculture	2008	2009	2010
Gross output , mln. USD	4,129	4,734	4,831
Total sown area, thsd. ha	1,499.9	1,705.4	1,583.9
Telecom & IT	2008	2009	2010
Total volume of services , mln. USD	1,168	1,262	1,446
Number of mobile telephone subscribers (thsd)	6068.3	7751.6	10,000
Foreign Trade:	2008	2009	2010
Total exports , mln. USD	47,756	14,698	21,324
Total imports , mln. USD	7,163	6,119	6,599

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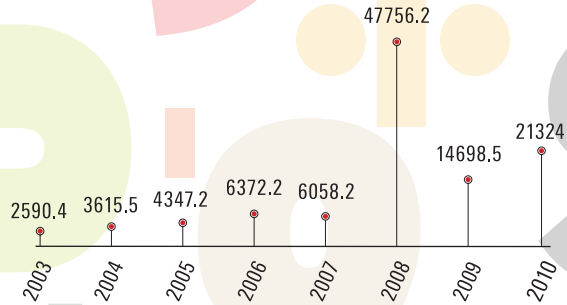
- * Machinery, equipment
- * Vehicles and spare parts
- * Foodstuffs
- * Non-ferrous metals and products
- * Pharmaceuticals
- * Wood and products
- * Other

BIGGEST EXPORT MARKETS, 2010



- * Raw oil and petrochemicals
- * Fruit and vegetables
- * Plant and animal oil
- * Ferrous metals and products
- * Chemical industry products
- * Cotton
- * Aluminum and products
- * Alcoholic and non-alcoholic beverages
- * Tobacco and products
- * Other

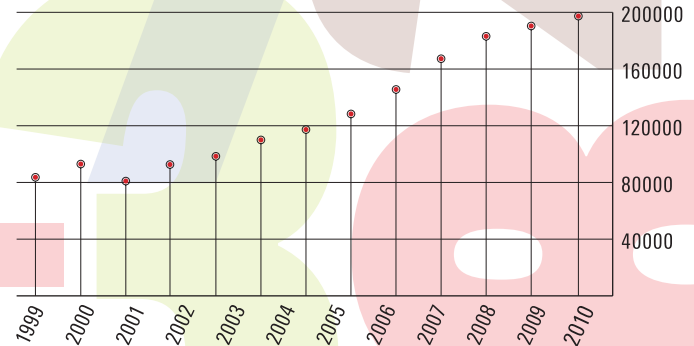
EXPORT GROWTH, MLN. USD



INTERESTING AREAS FOR FDI

- * Agriculture
- * Food industry
- * Alternative energy
- * Tourism
- * Services
- * ICT
- * Transportation & Logistics
- * Construction
- * Chemical industry
- * Light industry

TOTAL GOODS TRANSPORTED, THSD. TONS



ECONOMIC REGIONS OF AZERBAIJAN

Economic regions	Lankaran	Aran	Absheron
Total area, sq km	6.07	21.43	3.34
Population, thous people	842.4	1838.9	523.8
Popul. density people per sq km	138	85	157
Key sectors of economy	a/c production fruits & vegetable, tea-citruses, growing, viticulture	manufacturing & agriculture cotton, grain-growing, wine-making, arid subtropical fruit-growing	manufacturing and a/c production olives, cattle breeding
Major products			

Economic regions	Ganja-Gazakh	Nakhchivan	Yuxari Garabagh & Kelbajar Lachin
Total area, sq km	12.49	5.5	13.65
Population, thous people	1201.2	402.4	843.3
Popul. density people per sq km	98	72	90
Key sectors of economy	processing and manufacturing potatoes, viticulture, grain, fruits	agriculture, a/c processing tobacco, fruits grain, viticulture, silkworm breeding	a/c, animal breeding, sheep breeding, beekeeping viticulture, grain fruits, tobacco
Major products			

Economic regions	Guba-Khachmaz	Sheki-Zagatala	Daglig Shirvan
Total area, sq km	6.96	8.82	6.06
Population, thous people	499.4	574.9	287.7
Popul. density people per sq km	71	65	48
Key sectors of economy	a/c production & tourism	a/c , tourism	agriculture, food processing, industry
Major products	vegetables, fruits, grain	tobacco, silkworm, fruits, grain, viticulture, meat and dairy production	agriculture, viticulture, vegetables, winemaking, fruits, animal husbandry



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