

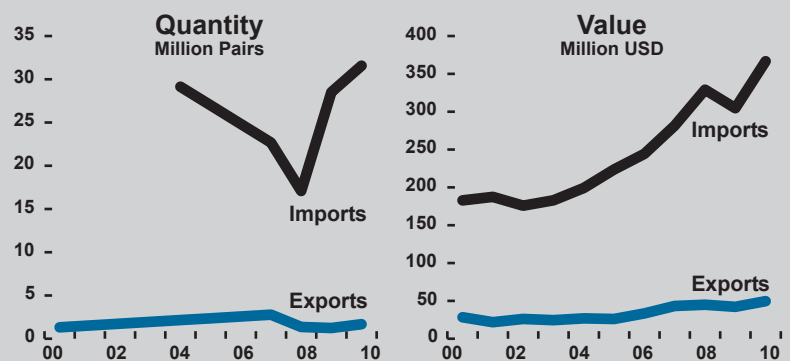
Location and main indicators

Capital	Jerusalem
Language	Hebrew, Arabic
Area	22 070 km ²
Population	7 million
GDP per capita	28 686 USD
GDP 2010	213 billion USD
Δ GDP 2010	+4.6 %
Δ GDP last 5 years	+22.3 %
Currency	New Shekels (ILS)



Footwear industry

2010	Value		Quantity		Prices
	Million USD	World Rank	Million Pairs	World Rank	USD
Exports	50	52	2	69	29.54
Imports	367	36	32	45	11.61
Production			3		
Consumption			33		

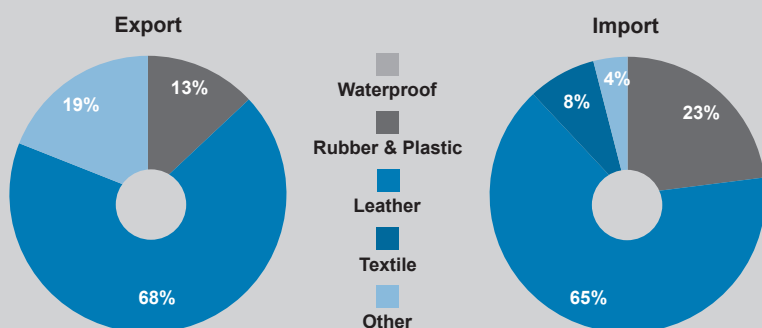


Main trading partners 2010

Export Markets	Million USD	% Value	Million Pairs	% Quantity	Variation (USD Million) Last 5 years
USA	31	63%	1.1	63%	USA +17 +125%
Canada	8	15%	0.2	12%	Australia +5
Australia	6	11%	0.1	8%	Canada +2 +45%
Germany	1	3%	0.1	3%	Netherlands -0.6 -59%
France	1	1%	0.0	2%	

Import Origins	Million USD	% Value	Million Pairs	% Quantity	Variation (USD Million) Last 5 years
China	160	44%	22	68%	China +81 +102%
Belgium	39	11%	1	5%	Belgium +38
Hong Kong	27	8%	2	6%	Hong Kong -9 -25%
Italy	27	8%	1	3%	Italy +8 +42%
Spain	18	5%	1	2%	

Types of footwear traded 2010 (quantity)



Sectorial organizations

Manufacturers Association of Israel (Shoe Branch) |
www.industry.org.il/Eng/Subindex.asp?CategoryID=125

Recent developments

In 2010 Israel's foreign trade in footwear recovered from the previous year's fall, with both exports and imports growing at rates close to 20%. However, imports being seven times higher than exports implied a worsening of the trade balance. China is Israel's most important supplier, and the USA its most relevant client.

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