

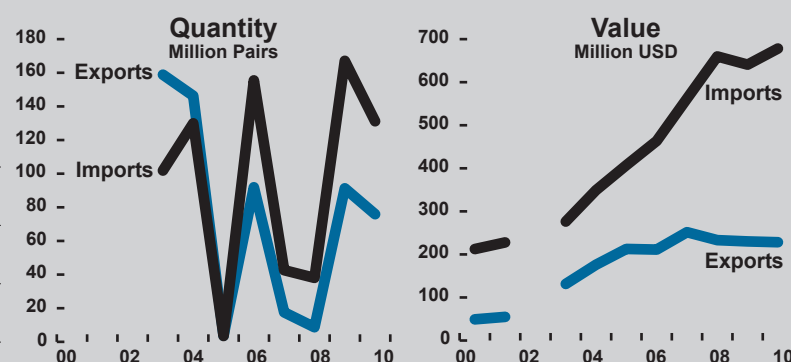
Location and main indicators

Capital	Abu Dhabi
Language	Arabic
Area	83 600 km ²
Population	5 million
GDP per capita	59 717 USD
GDP 2010	302 billion USD
ΔGDP 2010	+3.2%
ΔGDP last 5 years	+22.1%
Currency	UAE Dirham (AED)



Footwear industry

2010	Value		Quantity		Prices
	Million USD	World Rank	Million Pairs	World Rank	USD
Exports	228	30	76	14	3.01
Imports	678	23	131	17	5.17
Production			0		
Consumption			55		

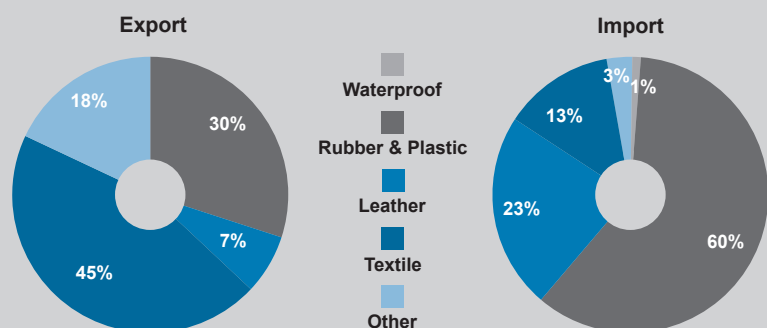


Main trading partners 2010

Export Markets	Million USD	% Value	Million Pairs	% Quantity	Variation (USD Million) Last 5 years	
Iran	85	37%	18	24%	Libya	-62 -89%
Oman	24	11%	10	14%	Iran	+22 +34%
Iraq	18	8%	7	9%	Oman	+20 +553%
Kuwait	14	6%	1	2%	Iraq	-13 -42%
Saudi Arabia	11	5%	4	5%		

Import Origins	Million USD	% Value	Million Pairs	% Quantity	Variation (USD Million) Last 5 years	
China	317	47%	103	78%	China	+123 +63%
Italy	95	14%	2	2%	Italy	+52 +118%
India	45	7%	6	5%	India	+24 +115%
Thailand	43	6%	10	8%	Vietnam	+24 +122%
Vietnam	43	6%	2	1%		

Types of footwear traded 2010 (quantity)



Sectorial organizations

Chambers of Commerce and Industry | <http://www.fcciuae.ae/en>

Recent developments

The Emirates' imports have been increasing steadily, coming predominantly from China and are mainly rubber and plastic footwear. However, imports from Italy, with an average price above 40 USD, have also increased substantially. The Emirates export to their neighbours, particularly Iran and Oman.

Fairs & Events

MOTEXHA, Dubai (Apr) | www.motexhaonline.com
Arab Health, Dubai (Jan) | www.arabhealthonline.com