Israel



Location and main indicators

Capital Jerusalem
Language Hebrew, Arabic
Area 22 070 km²
Population 8 million
GDP 2011 243 billion USD
GDP per capita 31 986 USD

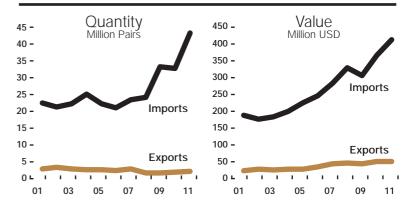
 Δ GDP 2011 +4.7% Δ GDP last 5 years +21.5%

Currency New Shekels (ILS)



Footwear industry

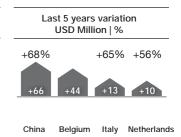
	Value		Quantity		Prices	
2011	Million USD	World Rank	Million Pairs	World Rank	USD	
Exports	49	57	2	71	23.43	
Imports	413	37	42	44	9.87	
Production			3	92		
Consumption			42	52		



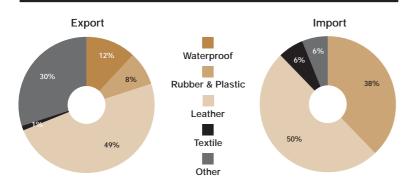
Main trading partners 2011

Export Markets	Million USD	Value Share	Million Pairs	Quantity Share	Last 5 years variation USD Million %			
USA	30	62%	1.2	67%	+46%	+59%	+117%	+71%
Canada	8	17%	0.2	13%				
Australia	4	7%	0.1	5%	+9	+3	+2	+0.7
Germany	2	4%	0.1	4%				
Japan	1	1%	0.0	2%	USA	Canada	Australia	Germany

Import Origins	Million USD	Value Share	Million Pairs	Quantity Share
China	166	40%	28	71%
Belgium	45	11%	1.5	4%
Italy	34	8%	0.8	2%
Hong Kong	31	7%	2.2	6%
Netherlands	29	7%	1.5	4%



Types of footwear traded 2011 (quantity)



Recent developments

In 2011, Israeli imports increased sharply, for the first time passing the 40 million pairs and the 400 billion USD thresholds. China is the origin of 70% of the pairs imported. Israeli exports are directed mainly at the USA and increased 25% in volume, but remained stable in value.

Sectorial organizations

Manufacturers Association of Israel (Shoe Branch) | www.industry.org.il/Eng/

Fairs & Events

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