

Cuba

Official Title Republic of Cuba



General Information:

Capital Havana
Total Area 110,860 km² **Population (million)** n/a
Currency 1 CAN\$= 22.48 Cuban Pesos (CUP)(2011)
National Holiday National Day January 1
Language(s) Spanish

Political Information:

Type of State Communist state

Type of Government

Republic. 14 provinces and 1 special municipality (Isle of Youth). Unicameral National Assembly of the People's Power. Assembly sits twice a year; representatives of the Assembly serve 5 year terms.

Head of State

President Raul Castro Ruz

Head of Government

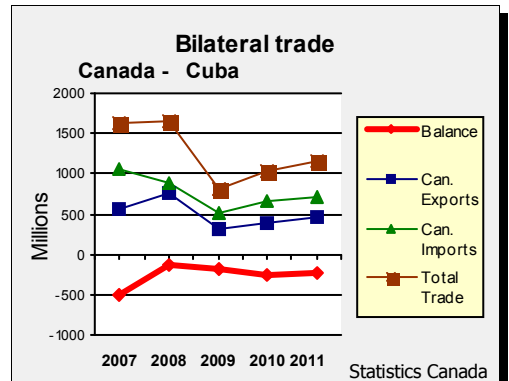
President Raul Castro Ruz

Ministers Defence: Leopoldo Cintra Frias
 Foreign Affairs: Bruno Rodriguez Parrilla
 Foreign Trade and Investment: Rodrigo Malmierca Diaz

Main Political Parties

PCC-Communist Party of Cuba (the only official party)

Elections: National, Provincial and Regional - 2013

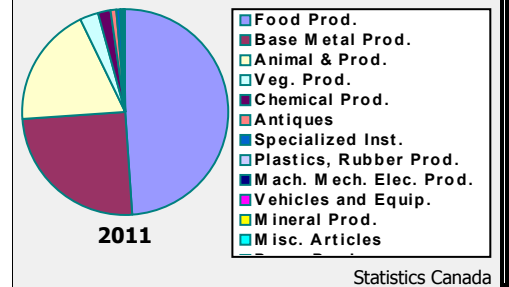


Economic Information: (2011)

IMF/Statistics Canada

	Cuba	Canada
GDP: (billion)	n/a	\$1,717.88
GDP per capita:	n/a	\$49,884.20
GDP Growth rate: (%)	n/a	2.46
Inflation: (%)	n/a	2.89
Unemployment: (%)	n/a	7.467

Canadian Imports from: Cuba

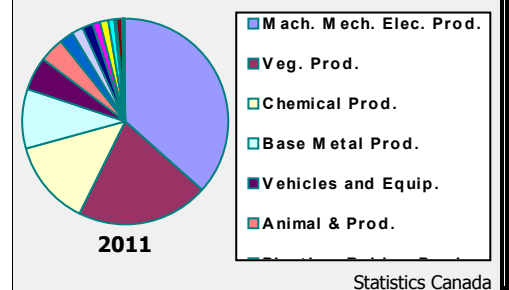


Trade and investment: (2011)

Statistics Canada

Canadian Exports:	\$462,409,273
Canadian Imports:	\$702,599,376
Foreign Direct Investment in Canada	n/a (million)
Canadian Direct Investment in: Cuba	n/a (million)

Canadian Exports to: Cuba



Representation:

Foreign Representation in Canada

Ambassador Teresita de Jesus Vicente Sotolongo

Canadian Representation Abroad

Ambassador Matthew Levin

Sources:
 Statistics/Industry Canada
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