

Malawi

Official Title: Republic of Malawi



General Information:

Capital	Lilongwe	Population (million)	20.873
Total Area	118,480 km ²		
Currency	1 CAN\$=556.265 Kwacha (MWK) (2020 - Annual average)		
National Holiday	6 July, Republic Day		
Language(s)	English & Chichewa		

Political Information:

Type of State Presidential Republic

Type of Government

Executive: The President is elected by popular vote for a 5-year term (eligible for a second term).

Legislative: Unicameral National Assembly (193 members).



Head of State

President
Peter Mutharika

Head of Government

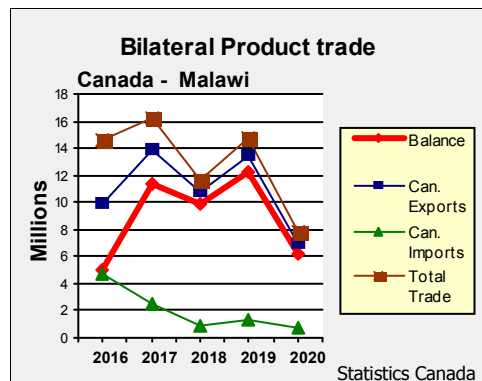
President
Peter Mutharika

Ministers: Foreign Affairs: Francis Kasaila
Industry, Trade and Tourism: Francis Lazaro Kasaila
Finance: Joseph Mwanamvekha

Main Political Parties

Democratic Progressive Party (DPP), United Democratic Front (UDF), Malawi Congress Party (MCP), People's Party

Elections: Last: 2019 (presidential and legislative).



Economic Information: (2020)

IMF (estimates)

	Malawi	Canada
GDP: (billion)	\$11.17	\$2,162.38
GDP per capita:	\$535.07	\$56,945.03
GDP Growth rate: (%)	0.60	-5.40
Inflation: (%)	8.64	0.72
Unemployment: (%)	n/a	9.60

Product Trade and Investment: (2020)

Statistics Canada

Canadian Exports:	\$6,999,609
Canadian Imports :	\$773,846
Foreign Direct Investment in Canada	n/a (million)
Canadian Direct Investment in country	-\$4 (million)

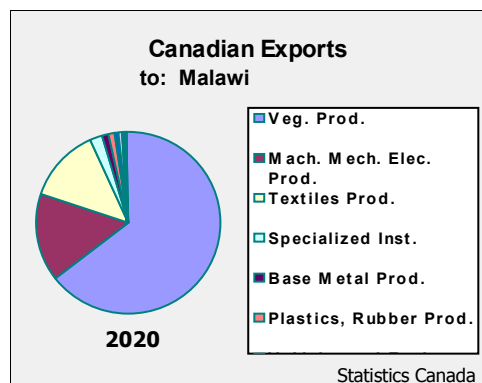
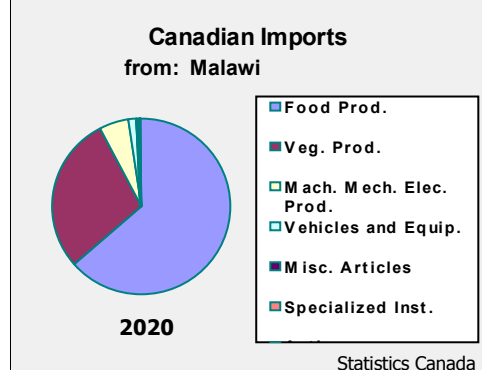
Representation:

Foreign Representation in Canada

High Commissioner Edward Yakobe Sawerengera (Washington)

Canadian Representation Abroad

High Commissioner Caroline Delany (Maputo)



Sources:
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