

Moldova



Official Title: Republic of Moldova

General Information:

Capital	Chisinau	Population (million) 3.54
Total Area	33,843 km ²	
Currency	1 CAN\$=13.27 Leu (MDL) (2019 - Annual average)	
National Holiday	August 27, Independence Day (1991)	
Language(s)	Romanian/Moldovan, Russian, Gagauz, and Ukrainian	



Political Information:

Type of State Republic

Type of Government

Parliamentary democracy. Unicameral with a 101-seat Parliament (Parlamentul). Prime Minister nominated by the President, approved by Parliament. Cabinet selected by Prime Minister, subject to approval of Parliament. Administrative units: 9 counties, 1 municipality, 1 autonomous territorial unit and 1 territorial unit. Governing coalition: Alliance for European Integration (AEI). The President and the Members of Parliament have a 4 year term.

Head of State

President
Igor Dodon

Head of Government

Prime Minister
Maia Sandu (ACUM)

Ministers: Foreign Affairs and European Integration: Nicu Popescu
Finance: Natalia Gavrilita
Economy and Infrastructure: Vadim Brînzan

Main Political Parties

Party of Socialists (PSRM) 35 seats, Democratic Party of Moldova (PDM) 30 seats, ACUM Electoral Bloc (DA and PAS) 26 seats, Sor Party 7 seats, and Independent candidates 3 seats.

Elections: Last presidential: November 2016. Last parliamentary: February 2019. Next local: October 2019

Economic Information: (2019)

IMF (estimates)

	Moldova	Canada
GDP: (billion)	\$15.38	\$2,277.52
GDP per capita:	\$4,342.22	\$60,806.37
GDP Growth rate: (%)	3.58	1.64
Inflation: (%)	4.85	1.95
Unemployment: (%)	3.02	5.67

Product Trade and Investment: (2019)

Statistics Canada

Canadian Exports:	\$4,651,848
Canadian Imports:	\$15,904,106
Foreign Direct Investment in Canada	n/a (million)
Canadian Direct Investment in country	n/a (million)

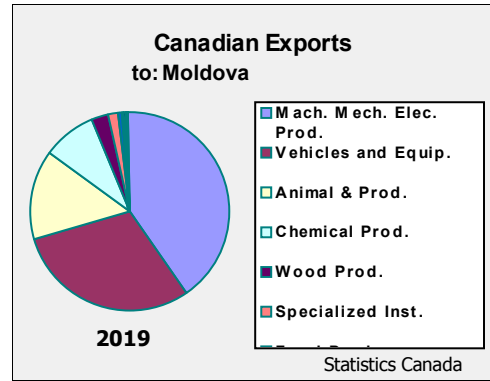
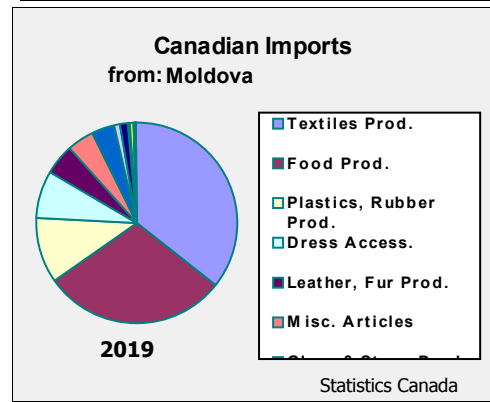
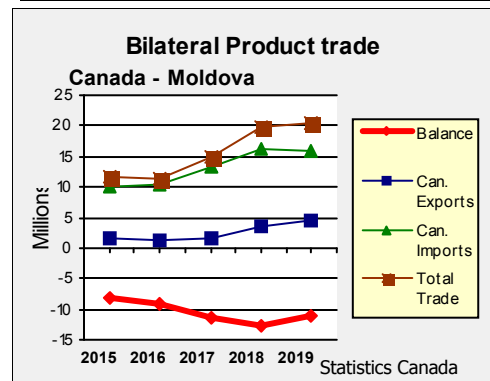
Representation:

Foreign Representation in Canada

Ambassador Ala Beleavschi

Canadian Representation Abroad

Ambassador Kevin Hamilton



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