

Embassy of India, Ulaanbaatar

Fact Sheet of Mongolia

Country name	Mongolia
Capital	Ulaanbaatar
National holiday	National Day/Revolution Day, 11 July (1921)
Currency	Tugruk (Tg.)
Head of State	President Mr. Battulga Khaltmaa
Chairman of the State Ikh Hural (Parliament)	Mr. Zandanshatar Gombojav
Head of Government	Prime Minister Mr. Khurelsukh Ukhnaa
Foreign Minister	Mr. Tsogtbaatar Damdin
Total Area	1.565 million sq km
Population	3,238,479 as of December, 2018 (Source: NSO, Mongolia- www.1212.mn)
Density	2 person per sq. km
Population growth rate:	1.74% (2018) (Source: countrymeters.info)
Ethnic groups	Mongol (predominantly Khalkha) 82.4%, Kazakh 3.9%, Durvud 2.8%, Other 10.8% (as of 2010) (Source: NSO, Mongolia)
Life expectancy	70.19 years (66.11 – men, 75.78 – women) as of 2018 (Source: NSO, Mongolia- www.1212.mn)
Literacy:	98.38% (age 15 and over can read and write) 98.18% - male, 98.58% - female
Major cities	Ulaanbaatar, Darkhan, Erdenet.
Religions	Monk and Missionaries 85.1% Buddhist 13.0% Christianity 1.6% Islam 0.3% Other Temples and Churches 53.8% Christianity 36.8% Buddhist 6.6% Islam 2.7% Other(as of 2018) (Source: NSO, Mongolia)
Languages	Mongolian 95%, Oirat, Buryat dialects, Kazakh in the West
Neighbours Sharing border:	China 4,677 km Russia 3,485 km
Constitution	Present Constitution was adopted on 12 th February 1992
Major Political parties	Mongolian Peoples' Party (MPP), Democratic Party (DP), Justice Coalition, Civil Will- Green Party, MPRP.
National Government & Legal System	Blend of Russian, Turkish, and Western systems of law giving rise to mixed Presidential-Parliamentary system. Presidential and Parliamentary elections for 76-seat parliament are held every four years. President is Commander in Chief of the Armed Forces. Constitution ambiguous on judicial review of legislative acts.

	Mongolia has not accepted compulsory ICJ jurisdiction. Supreme Court is the highest judicial authority.									
Total GDP	US\$ 13.1 billion (Source: Trading Economics) US \$ 38.4 billion PPP in 2017 (Source: CIA Country note)									
Per capita GDP 2018	US\$ 4071.09 (Source: Trading Economics)									
GDP Growth	7.3% in 2 nd quarter 2019 (Source: NSO - Mongolia)									
Inflation	7.0% in 2 nd quarter 2019 (Source: NSO - Mongolia)									
Exchange rate	Indian Rupee 1 = Tg 37.27 (22 August 2019) US\$1 = Tg 2,672.82 (22 August 2019) (Source: www.mongolbank.mn)									
Foreign Trade	Total External Trade: US\$ 22.79 billion by June 2019 Exports: US\$ 13.19 billion by June 2019 Imports: US\$ 9.60 billion by June 2019 Trade Balance: US\$ 1.1 billion by June 2019 (Source: www.customs.gov.mn)									
Major Trading Partners	China, Russian Federation, Great Britain, South Korea, Japan, USA, Germany, Poland, Italy, Switzerland, Singapore									
Foreign Exchange Reserve	US \$ 4101.40 million (June 2019) (www.mongolbank.mn)									
Major items of Export	Coal, Copper, Iron ore, Zinc concentrate, Gold, Fluorspar, Molybdenum, Iron scrap, unwashed cashmere and hides & skin									
Major items of Import	Diesel, Petrol, Trucks, Cars, Machinery for mining, roads, stones, lifting and loading, Tires, Communication equipment, TV sets, Food products, Electrical appliances, Construction and Industrial goods, Consumer goods, Medicines and medical equipment.									
Communication (2018)	Telephone lines – 331,430 pieces Computers – 639,427 thousand Internet users – 4,295.4 thousand persons Mobile cellular telephone active users – 3371.6 thousand persons (Source: nso.mn)									
Transportation	Railways: 1,815 km Paved Road: 4,800 Non-paved (cross country): 40,000 km									
Trade with India (Value in Million USD)										
Imports/Exports	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	Till June 2019	
India's Exports to Mongolia	45.3	54.2	34.2	12.7	16.8	24.7	35.8	51.6	60.1	
India's Imports from Mongolia	1.4	6.0	0.8	3.0	3.7	2.2	1.7	1.0	1.8	
Total Bilateral Trade	46.7	60.2	35.0	15.7	20.5	26.9	37.5	52.6	61.9	
(Source: www.customs.gov.mn)										
Major Items of Export to Mongolia from India	Pharma products, veterinary medicines, automobile parts									
Major Items of Import from Mongolia by India	Combed Goat and Sheep wool, Processed Sheep Skin, Fluorspar and Molybdenum Concentrate									

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