

# Economic Geography of Southeast Asia Case Study: ASEAN

Association of Southeast Asian Nations

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# The Founding of ASEAN

- August 8, 1967
- Foreign Ministers of Indonesia, Malaysia, the Philippines, Singapore and Thailand
- Signed the ASEAN Declaration
- Determined to prevent intra-regional conflicts (such as the conflict in Indochina at the time) and external interference
- Mutual cooperation and responsibility to each other in order to prosper economically and socially



# Motto

- One Vision, One Identity, One Community



# Flag

- Blue, white, red and yellow are found in member countries' flags
- Blue – peace and stability
- Red – courage and dynamism
- White – purity
- Yellow – prosperity
- Stalks of Padi – represents all countries of Southeast Asia bound in friendship and solidarity
- Circle – unity of ASEAN





# Member Nations

- Brunei
- Cambodia
- Indonesia
- Laos
- Malaysia
- Myanmar (Burma)
- Philippines
- Singapore
- Thailand
- Vietnam





# Major Trading Partners

- China
- India
- Australia/New Zealand
- European Union
- United States
- Japan
- South Korea



	<b>Land Area</b>	<b>Population</b>	<b>GDP per capita (US\$)</b>	<b>Exports/ Imports (US\$)</b>	<b>% of world GDP (PPP)</b>
ASEAN	4,435,674 km <sup>2</sup>	617,193,000	3,748	1.252 trillion/ 1.218 trillion	4.1%
European Union	4,324,782 km <sup>2</sup>	503,890,016	\$35,100	2.17 trillion/ 2.397 trillion	21.3%
United States	9,826,675 km <sup>2</sup>	316,668,567	50,700	1.564 trillion/ 2.299 trillion	20.5%





Table 17  
**ASEAN Trade, 2010-2011**  
 as of november 2012

ASEAN Statistics

value in US\$ million; change in percent

Country	2010			2011 <sup>1/</sup>			Year-on-year change		
	Exports	Imports	Total trade	Exports	Imports	Total trade	Exports	Imports	Total trade
Brunei Darussalam	8,615.4	2,383.8	10,999.2	12,362.3	2,460.0	14,822.3	43.5	3.2	34.8
Cambodia	5,583.6	4,896.8	10,480.3	6,710.6	6,133.6	12,844.1	20.2	25.3	22.6
Indonesia	157,779.1	135,663.3	293,442.4	203,496.7	177,435.6	380,932.3	29.0	30.8	29.8
Lao PDR	2,432.8	2,076.4	4,509.1	1,746.5	2,209.4	3,955.9	(28.2)	6.4	(12.3)
Malaysia	198,800.8	164,733.5	363,534.3	228,179.1	187,542.8	415,721.9	14.8	13.8	14.4
Myanmar	7,599.5	4,198.7	11,798.3	8,119.2	6,805.9	14,925.1	6.8	62.1	26.5
The Philippines	51,431.7	58,228.6	109,660.3	48,042.2	63,709.4	111,751.6	(6.6)	9.4	1.9
Singapore	371,194.3	328,078.9	699,273.3	409,443.5	365,709.1	775,152.6	10.3	11.5	10.9
Thailand	195,312.3	189,728.4	385,040.8	228,820.7	230,083.6	458,904.4	17.2	21.3	19.2
Viet Nam	72,191.9	84,801.2	156,993.1	95,365.6	104,216.5	199,582.1	32.1	22.9	27.1
<b>ASEAN</b>	<b>1,070,941.4</b>	<b>974,789.6</b>	<b>2,045,731.0</b>	<b>1,242,286.4</b>	<b>1,146,305.9</b>	<b>2,388,592.3</b>	<b>16.0</b>	<b>17.6</b>	<b>16.8</b>

Source: ASEAN Merchandise Trade Statistics Database (compiled/computed from data submission, publications and/or websites of ASEAN Member States' national ASEAN Free Trade Area (AFTA) units, national statistics offices, customs departments/agencies, or central banks)

Symbols used

- not available as of publication time
- n.a. not applicable/not available/not compiled
- Data in *italics* are the latest updated/revised figures from previous posting.

Notes

- All figures are preliminary.
- Details may not add up to totals due to rounding off errors.





# ASEAN Tourism

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ASEAN Statistics

## Tourist arrivals in ASEAN

as of 30 June 2012

in thousand arrivals

Country	2008			2009			2010			2011		
	Intra-ASEAN	Extra-ASEAN	Total	Intra-ASEAN	Extra-ASEAN	Total	Intra-ASEAN	Extra-ASEAN	Total	Intra-ASEAN	Extra-ASEAN	Total
Brunei Darussalam	98.0	127.7	225.8	77.7	79.7	157.5	109.9	104.4	214.3	124.2	117.9	242.1
Cambodia	552.5	1,573.0	2,125.5	692.8	1,468.8	2,161.6	853.2	1,655.1	2,508.3	1,101.1	1,780.8	2,881.9
Indonesia	2,774.7	3,654.3	6,429.0	2,101.8	4,221.9	6,323.7	2,338.5	4,664.4	7,002.9	3,258.5	4,391.2	7,649.7
Lao PDR	1,285.5	719.3	2,004.8	1,611.0	397.4	2,008.4	1,990.9	522.1	2,513.0	2,191.2	532.3	2,723.6
Malaysia	16,837.0	5,415.5	22,052.5	18,386.4	5,259.8	23,646.2	18,937.2	5,640.0	24,577.2	18,885.3	5,829.0	24,714.3
Myanmar	462.5	198.3	660.8	524.0	238.5	762.5	512.3	279.2	791.5	100.4	716.0	816.4
The Philippines	254.1	2,885.3	3,139.4	255.6	2,761.5	3,017.1	298.2	3,222.3	3,520.5	331.7	3,585.8	3,917.5
Singapore	3,571.4	6,545.1	10,116.5	3,650.9	6,030.3	9,681.3	4,779.6	6,859.0	11,638.7	5,372.2	7,799.1	13,171.3
Thailand	4,125.2	10,472.3	14,597.5	4,074.7	10,075.2	14,149.8	4,534.2	11,402.2	15,936.4	5,529.9	13,568.4	19,098.3
Viet Nam	515.6	3,738.2	4,253.7	318.9	3,453.3	3,772.3	465.9	4,584.0	5,049.9	838.4	5,175.6	6,014.0
<b>ASEAN</b>	<b>30,276.4</b>	<b>35,329.1</b>	<b>65,605.5</b>	<b>31,693.8</b>	<b>33,986.5</b>	<b>65,680.3</b>	<b>34,820.0</b>	<b>38,932.7</b>	<b>73,752.6</b>	<b>37,732.9</b>	<b>43,496.1</b>	<b>81,229.0</b>

Source ASEAN Tourism Statistics Database (compiled from data submissions, publications/reports, and/or websites of national tourism organizations/agencies, immigration authorities, and/or national statistical offices)

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