

Political Highlights

Government type:	Parliamentary republic
Head of state:	President Mokgweetsi Masisi
Elections/appointments:	The president is indirectly elected by the National Assembly for a 5-year term
	Next legislative election is due in October 2024 respectively
Legal system:	Civil law, customary law, common law
Legislative branch:	Unicameral parliament (63 seats)
Major political parties:	Botswana Democratic Party, Umbrella for Democratic Change, Alliance for Progressives, Botswana Patriot Front

Economic Trend

Economic Indicators	2018	2019	2020*	2021^	2022^
Nominal GDP (USD bn)	18.7	18.5	15.9	17.3	19.5
Real GDP growth (%)	2.9	4.5	3	-9.6	8.7
GDP per capita (USD)	7,997	7,773	6,558	7,036	7,748
Inflation (%)	3.2	2.8	1.6	3	3.5
Current account balance (% of GDP)	0.6	-7.6	-2.5	-3.1	-1.5
General government debt (% of GDP)	14.2	15.1	20.6	24	25.9

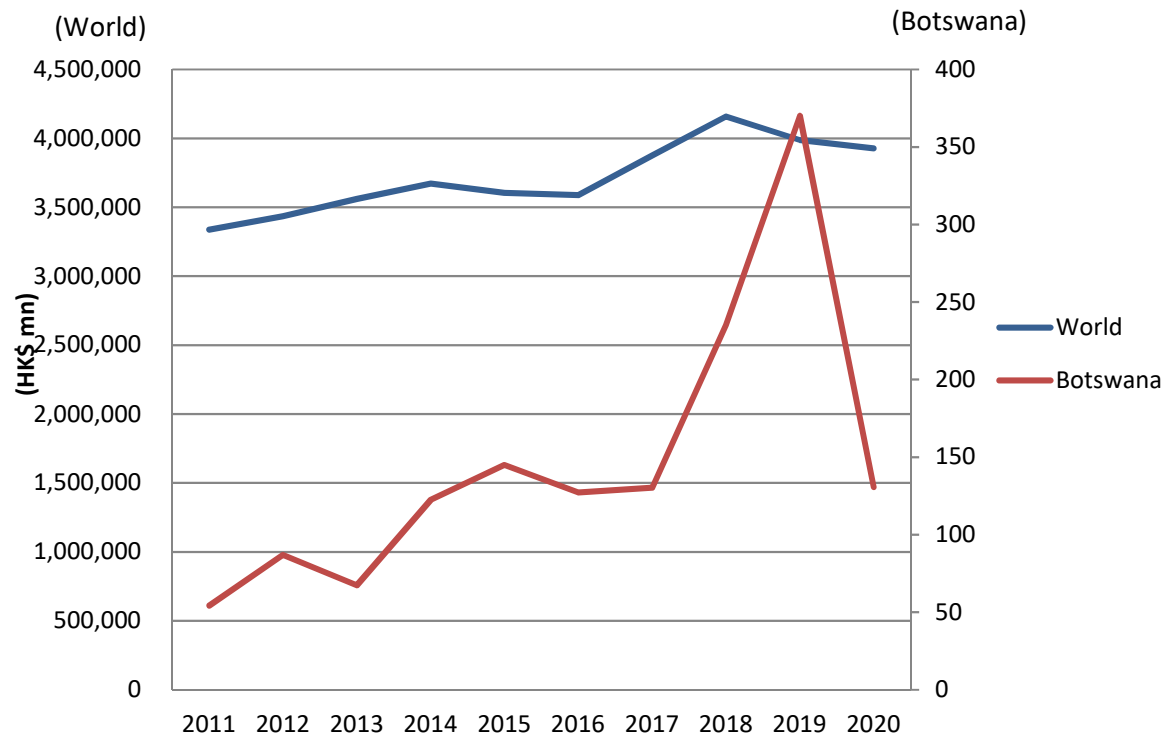
*Estimate ^Forecast

Hong Kong Total Exports to Botswana

(HK\$ mn)

Year	Botswana	World
2011	54	3,337,253
2012	87	3,434,346
2013	67	3,559,686
2014	122	3,672,751
2015	145	3,605,279
2016	127	3,588,247
2017	130	3,875,898
2018	235	4,158,106
2019	370	3,988,685
2020	131	3,927,517

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Hong Kong Exports to Botswana by Product

(% share)

Product	2020
Telecommunications and sound recording and reproducing apparatus and equipment	51.4
Medicinal and pharmaceutical products	17.8
Non-metallic mineral manufactures	15.1
Office machines and automatic data processing machines	4.9
Professional, scientific and controlling instruments and apparatus	1.8
Others	9.0
Total	100.0

Hong Kong Exports to Botswana by Product (2020)

