# Tanzania

***Official Title:*** United Republic of Tanzania

## General Information:

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| ***Capital*** | Dodoma / Dar es Salaam (Ad | ***Population (million)*** 48.633 | |
| ***Total Area*** | 885,800 km² | | |
| ***Currency*** | 1 CAN$=1618.30148 Shilling (TZS) (2016 - Annual average) | | |
| ***National Holiday*** | April 26 (Union Day) | | |
| ***Language(s)*** | Official: Swahili and English | | |
| | Others: Arabic, many local languages | | |

## Political Information:

***Type of State*** Presidential Republic

***Type of Government***

Executive: The President is elected by popular vote for a five-year term (eligible for a second term). The Prime minister is appointed by the President.
Legislative: Unicameral National Assembly (Bunge) (357 members).

| ***Head of State*** | ***Head of Government*** |
|---|---|
| President | President |
| Dr. John Magufuli | Dr. John Magufuli |

***Ministers:*** Foreign Affairs and International Cooperation: Dr. Augustine Mahiga Industry and Trade: Charles Mwijage
Finance and Planning: Philip Mpango

***Main Political Parties***

Chama Cha Mapinduzi (CCM - Revolutionary Party), Chama Cha Demokrasia na Maendelop (Chadema - Party of Democracy and Development), Civic United Front (CUF - Zanzibar)

***Elections:*** Last: 2015 (presidential and legislative). Next: 2020 (presidential and legislative).

## Economic Information: (2016)                    IMF/Statistics Canada

| | *Tanzania* | *Canada* |
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| ***GDP: (billion)*** | $62.53 | $2,026.59 |
| ***GDP per capita:*** | $1,285.75 | $55,938.56 |
| ***GDP Growth rate: (%)*** | 6.58 | 1.43 |
| ***Inflation: (%)*** | 5.17 | 1.41 |
| ***Unemployment: (%)*** | n/a | 7.00 |

## Product Trade and Investment: (2016)          Statistics Canada

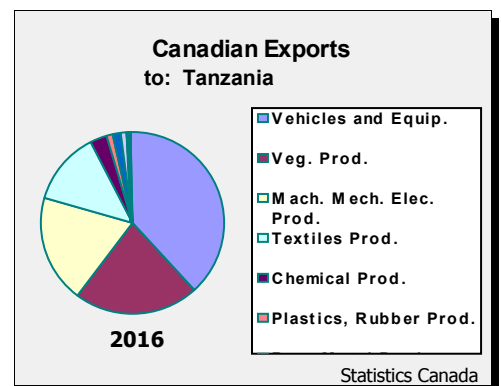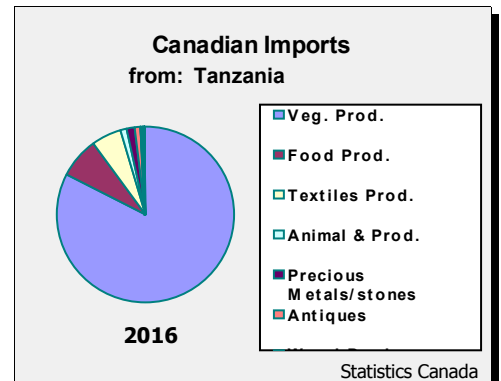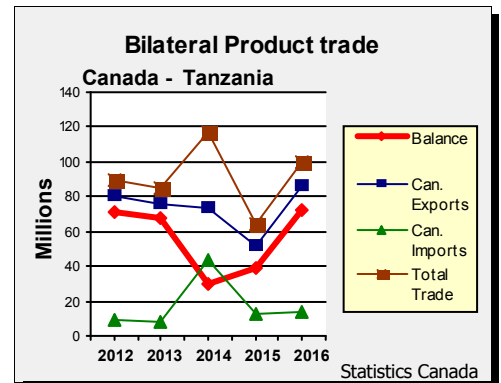| | |
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| ***Canadian Exports:*** | $86,152,062 |
| ***Canadian Imports :*** | $13,685,255 |
| ***Foreign Direct Investment in Canada*** | n/a ***(million)*** |
| ***Canadian Direct Investment to Tanzania*** | n/a ***(million)*** |

## Representation:

***Foreign Representation in Canada***
   High Commissioner Jack Mugendi Zoka

***Canadian Representation Abroad***
   High Commissioner Ian Myles





**Bilateral Product trade**
**Canada - Tanzania**

Legend: Balance, Can. Exports, Can. Imports, Total Trade
Statistics Canada



**Canadian Imports**
**from: Tanzania**

Legend: Veg. Prod., Food Prod., Textiles Prod., Animal & Prod., Precious Metals/stones, Antiques
2016
Statistics Canada



**Canadian Exports**
**to: Tanzania**

Legend: Vehicles and Equip., Veg. Prod., Mach. Mech. Elec. Prod., Textiles Prod., Chemical Prod., Plastics, Rubber Prod.
2016
Statistics Canada