



#### MAIN DATA :

• A population of **2.50 million people** (2022 est)  
(Italian presence: **1837**)

► **Age Structure:**

- **0-14 years:** 12.84% | **15-24 years:** 11.78% | **25-54 years:** 70.66% | **55-64 years:** 3,53% | **65 years and over:** 1.19% (2020 est.)

► **Urbanization:**

- **urban population:** : 99.3% of total population (2022) | **rate of urbanization:** 1.66% annual rate of change (2020-25 est.) | **Major urban areas - population:** Ar-Rayyan 779,000, 652,000 DOHA (capital) (2022)

► **Education expenditures:** 3.2 % of GDP (2020) country comparison to the world: 142

• GDP 2020: **\$245.66 bn (2020 est.)** | Growth rate : : **1.6% (2017 est.)** | GDP - composition, by sector of origin: **agriculture:** 0.2 % (2017 est.)  
**industry:** 50.3% (2017 est.) **services:** 49.5% (2017 est.)

• Major Trade Partners- QATAR:

- Export : **\$70.93 bn (2020 est.)** | Export Partners: **Japan 17%, South Korea 16%, India 14%, China 13%, Singapore 7% (2019)** |

Exports - commodities: **natural gas, crude petroleum, refined petroleum, ethylene polymers, fertilizers (2019)**

- Imports : **\$59.06 bn (2020 est.)** | Import Partners: **United States 15%, France 13%, United Kingdom 9%, China 9%, Germany 5%, Italy 5% (2019)**

Imports - commodities: **aircraft, gas turbines, cars, jewelry, iron piping (2019)**

#### Trade Volume Qatar with Italy (values in millions of euros)

	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	January 2021	January 2022
<b>Interchange Italy</b>	<b>2.340</b>	<b>1.819</b>	<b>2.145</b>	<b>2.641</b>	<b>2.728</b>	<b>2.081</b>	<b>4.057</b>	<b>131</b>	<b>514</b>
% Change compared to the previous period	4,4	-22,3	17,9	23,1	3,3	-23,7	94,9		292,5
<b>Export Italy</b>	<b>986</b>	<b>904</b>	<b>932</b>	<b>1.092</b>	<b>1.384</b>	<b>1.056</b>	<b>2.007</b>	<b>65</b>	<b>162</b>
% Change compared to the previous period	-5,2	-8,3	3	17,2	26,8	-23,7	90		150,2
<b>Import Italy</b>	<b>1.354</b>	<b>915</b>	<b>1.214</b>	<b>1.549</b>	<b>1.343</b>	<b>1.025</b>	<b>2.049</b>	<b>66</b>	<b>352</b>
% Change compared to the previous period	12,7	-32,4	32,6	27,6	-13,3	-23,7	99,9		430,8
<b>Sale</b>	<b>-369</b>	<b>-11</b>	<b>-282</b>	<b>-457</b>	<b>41</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>-42</b>	<b>-2</b>	<b>-191</b>

Italy is the 8th export destination market for Qatar (Jan 2022) |

Qatar is Italy's 41th export destination market (Jan 2022)

• Industries:

-Qatar Main Industries: **liquefied natural gas, crude oil production and refining, ammonia, fertilizer, petrochemicals, steel reinforcing bars, cement, commercial ship repair**

#### Product Compositions (Export from Italy to Qatar)

Main Italian products exported to Qatar (Classification: Ateco 2007 3 letters) - January 2022	mIn euro	% of total exports in Qatar
Ships and boats	29,2	18,1
Instruments and apparatus for measuring, testing and navigation; watches	21,1	31,1
Weapons and ammunition	12,7	7,9

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Computers and peripheral units	9,7	6,0
Furniture	8,0	5,0
General purpose machines	7,1	4,4
Other	73,3	

#### Net Foreign Italian Direct Investments to Qatar

	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	Stock to 2020
Italian net FDI in Qatar (millions of euros)	<b>-927</b>	<b>-688</b>	<b>95</b>	<b>262</b>	<b>45</b>	<b>282</b>	<b>37</b>	<b>1607</b>
Net FDI for Qatar in Italy (millions of euros)	<b>-37</b>	<b>-44</b>	<b>-26</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>159</b>	<b>-150</b>	<b>-17</b>	<b>463</b>

(1) The data were obtained using the new international standards provided for by the Sixth IMF Manual on Balance of Payments and International Investment Position (BPM6)

(2) 2021 data are not yet available and 2020 data are provisional.

**Economic-commercial agreements with Italy (Qatar)**

<b>Year</b>	<b>Agreement / Description</b>
2011	<i>CONVENTION TO AVOID DOUBLE TAXATION IN THE FIELD OF INCOME TAXES AND TO PREVENT TAX EVASIONS, WITH ADDITIONAL PROTOCOL</i>
2007	<i>AGREEMENT, IN THE FORM OF EXCHANGE OF NOTES, ON EQUAL TREATMENT, BASED ON THE PRINCIPLE OF RECIPROCITY, IN THE APPLICATION OF ANCHORAGE FEES</i>
2004	<i>TAGREEMENT ON MUTUAL PROMOTION AND PROTECTION OF INVESTMENTS, WITH PROTOCOL</i>
1996	<i>ECONOMIC AND TECHNOLOGICAL COOPERATION AGREEMENT</i>