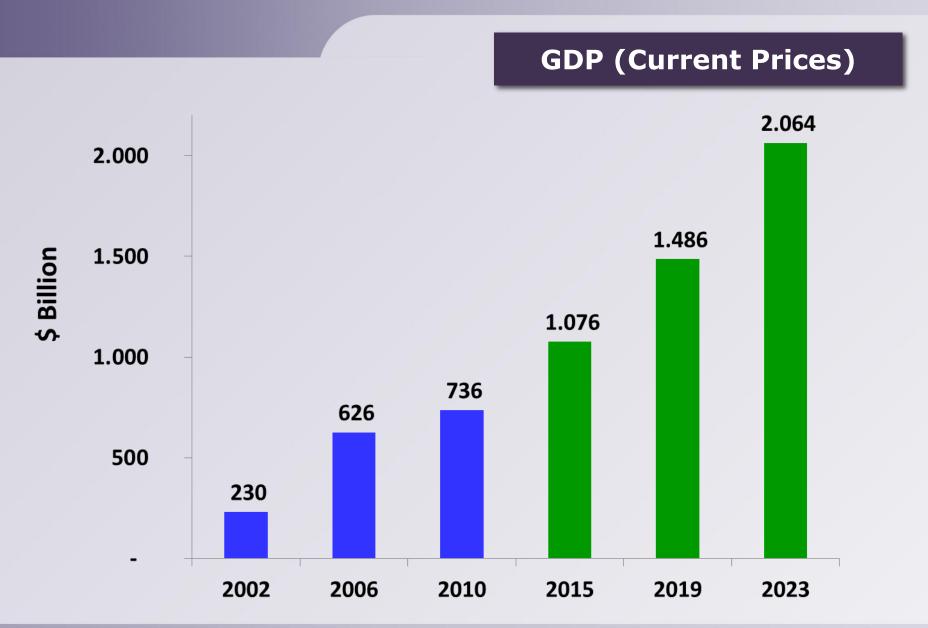
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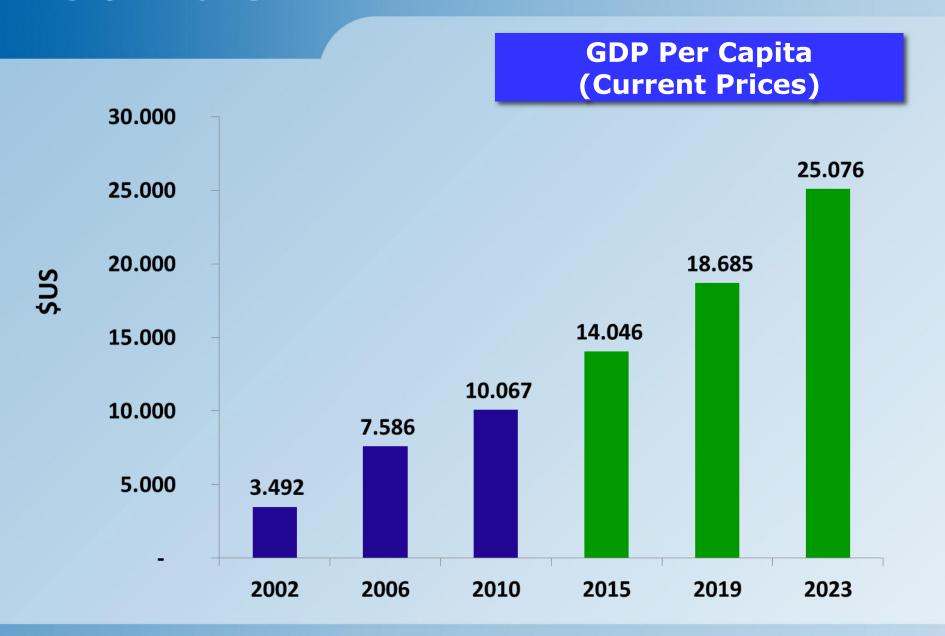
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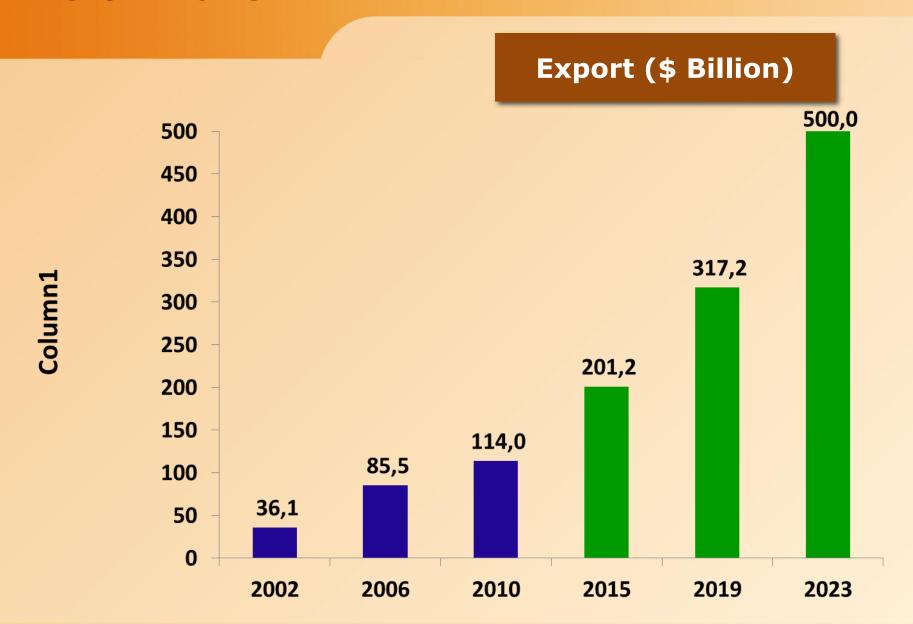


# Turkey in 2023

- One of the top 10 economies in the world
- ➢ GDP: circa \$2 trillion
- Population: 82 million
- > Export: \$500 billion
- Single digit Inflation and Interest rates







### **Public Finance Policy**

- > Enhance fiscal transparency and accountability
- Reinforce pioneering role of private sector and decisively continue privatization
- > End sate's role in power distribution and sugar production
- Diminish state's role in power generation, telecom, management of ports, highways and bridges

### **Public Finance Policy**

- A new governance model for State-Owned-Companies based accountability, transparency and flexibility
- > To utilize dormant public land in favor of economy
- ➤ To expand investor base for domestic government bonds by introducing new instruments and selling methods
- Diminish state's role in power generation, telecom, management of ports, highways and bridges

### **Revenue Policy**

- Revising tax policy to support economic growth, investment and employment and to decrease unregistered economy
- > The less unregistered economy, the lower tax rates
- New tax system will be predictable and proactive, supporting investors producing more, committed to utilize their resources efficiently, paying taxes regularly, creating more jobs and expanding economy

### **Revenue Policy**

- Sources of taxes will change in favor of indirect taxes
- Tax policies will aim to increase FDI inflows, support investment and R&D, increase employment and reduce regional disparity
- A simplified and effective tax system
- New regulations to increase revenue sources of local authorities

### **Public Expenditure & Investment**

- Priority will be given to infrastructure investments which will support economic productivity in the medium and long term (highway, railway, airports, dams, irrigation, ICT)
- Public investments will focus on economic and social infrastructure which cannot be realized by private sector
- Public-Private-Partnership will increasingly continue
- Public spending will focus on social and infrastructure projects with development potential

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### **Monetary Policy**

- Monetary policies will support government's growth and employment policies provided that they are not in contradiction with financial and price stability
- Inflation targetting will continue to be the main policy
- Inflation targets will be determined for 3 years by the Central Bank and government
- Floating exchange rate regime will continue
- Central Bank will continue to be the principal authority

#### **Financial Services**

- ➤ Istanbul will be one of top 10 financial centers in the world; to this end, human resource, physical, technical, legal and tax measures will be taken
- > Other cities will support istanbul to be a financial center
- Number of Turkish companies tarded in Istanbul Stock Exchange (ISE) will be at least 1000;
- ➤ Foreign companies in ISE will be more than Turkish companies and will be representing at least 10 countries

### **Balance of Payment**

- In order to diminish dependency of production and export on import, policies and incentives to increase local production capacity of especially intermediary and capital goods
- Improve local technologic skills in the sectors with high external dependence
- For global competitiveness in export, production and marketing of products and services based on innovation, R&D, high added-value and branding, will be supported

### **Employment**

- ➤ Unemployment: 5%; Employment: 50%
- ➤ Unregistered non-agriculture employment: 15% (from 30%)
- > Lifelong learning participation from 8% (from 2%)
- > Annual training of 400.000 unemployed to attain skills
- Analysis of provincial labor force in order to meet labor force demand for required skills, number and sector
- > International standards in professional competence

#### **R&D** and Innovation

- > R&D expenditures: 3% of GDP
- > 2/3 of R&D expenditures by private sector
- > Number of full-time equivalent researcher: 300.000
- > Working on manned rocket to space and national satelite
- > National centers of excellence
- Venture capital and angel investor to turn R&D into businness

# Microeconomy, Entrepreneurship and Industrial Policies

- > Manufacturing base of medium and high tech products
- > Support companies' technological development
- Manufacturing and R&D base in automotive, national automobil
- > Aircraft factory for commecial planes
- Support production of unmanned aerial vehicles

# Microeconomy, Entrepreneurship and Industrial Policies

- > Improve infrastructure (OIZ)
- > Free land for investors in OIZs where it is available
- > Laboratory and test centers with int'l standards
- > Ending poor-quality and non-standard products
- > Online company establishment in 5 minutes.

# Microeconomy, Entrepreneurship and Industrial Policies

- > Support SMEs, IPO of SMEs
- > R&D and innovation support for SMEs up to 1 million TL
- > 27K TL grant and 70K TK loan for new entreprenurs
- > 15 new business development centers

### **Defence Industry**

- > National rifle
- National cannon
- National tank
- National helicopter
- National fighter aircraft

### **Export of Goods & Services**

# In order to achieve \$500 billion export volume;

- > Export-based production, 100.000 exporters (from 50.000)
- > To create at least 10 national brands known worldwide
- Diversification of export markets and products
- > Support high value-added, medium and high tech products
- Support key sectors; machinery, iron&steel, automotive, textile, electronics, chemicals

#### **Tourism**

- Annually 50 million tourists with \$50 billion revenue
- Existing 1-million bed capacity will be increased to 1,5 mio
- Number of marinas will be increased 65 up from 25
- Promote health, religion, convention, fair, culture, golf, thermal tourism

### **Agriculture**

- > \$150 billion gross agricultural domestic product
- > \$40 billion agricultural export
- > One of top 5 countries in term of agricultural size
- > 8,5 million hectare irragble area (from 5,4 millon)
- Nnumber 1 in fisheries in EU

**Energy** 

- > 125.000 MW installed power (up from 54.423 MW)
- > Increase share of renewables to 30%
- > 60.717 km transmission lines (from 49.104 km)
- > 158.460MVA power distribution unit capacity (from 98.996MVA)
- Decrease electricity loss-theft to 5% and smart grids
- > 5 billion m<sup>3</sup> natural gas storage capacity (from 2.6 billion m<sup>3</sup>)
- > To establish an energy stock exchange

**Energy** 

- > 8 nuclear reactor with 10.00 MW will be active
- Contruct 4 nuclear reactors with 5.000 MW
- Construct power plants with 18.500 MW in the coal basins
- > Full utilization of hydro power
- > Increase wind power to 20.000 MW (up from 1.694 MW)
- Power plants with 600 MW geothermal, 3000 MW solar energy

Mining

- > \$20 billion export of mining (from \$10 billion)
- > 5.5 million tons production of \$2.5 billion export of boron
- Meeting demand for coking coal by domestic production
- > Annual 5 milliom m<sup>2</sup> drilling for mining (from 1 million m<sup>2</sup>)
- > 20 billion tons proved reserve of lignite (from 11.5 billion tons)
- > 70% of geothermal potential proved to transfer to investors

### **Transportation / Highways**

- > Additionally 16 new large-scale logistic centers
- > 36.500 km dual carriageway, 7.500 km motorway
- > 70.00 km with bitumen hot-mix asphalt
- > In 2019 sub-marine tube, 3. bridge on Bosporus
- > Bridge on Dardanelles

### **Transportation / Railways**

- > 10.000 km high-speed railway, 4.000 km new railway
- > 8.000 km with electricity and signal
- Annually 500 km railway will be renovated
- > Liberalization of railways opening to private sector
- Renovation of terminals and stations and construction of new terminals for high-speed trains
- Support railway projects to connect Turkey with Caucasus, Middle East, North Africa

### **Transportation / Aviation**

- Domestically produced plane (regional)
- New airports, 400 million passanger capacity (165 mio)
- > 3 new airports in Istanbul
- > 750 planes fleet (200 regional)
- At least 2 aviation maintanence and training centers
- Establish Turkish Space Institute by 2015

### **Transportation / Maritime**

- Connect main ports with railways
- Transfer ports in Aegean/Mediterranean/Marmara/Blacksea
- > To have at least one of top 10 ports in the world by 2019
- > 32 million TEU handling capacity for container transport
- Handling 500 million tons of solid & 350 million liquid load
- > 10 million DWT shipbuilding capacity
- > 100 marina with 50.000 yacth capacity

### **Transportation / ICT**

- > 30 million broadband subscribers
- > 50% of ICT sector by domectic products and services
- > 8% ICT sector's share in GDP
- > One of top 10 countries in e-transformation
- > Provide all public services electronically by 2019
- > 80% of population will be computer litterate
- > Liberalization of postal services by 2015

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