**DIRECTIONS**: Go to [www.tradingeconomics.com](http://www.tradingeconomics.com) Choose any country (other than the US) and complete this worksheet.

1. What is the GDP of your chosen country?
2. What percent is the GDP of the world economy?
3. From 1960 to 2009 was the average GDP? The high GDP, when? The low GDP, when?
4. Summarize one other fact contributing to the GDP.
5. What is the jobless rate of your chosen country?
6. What is the average unemployment rate? The high, when? The low, when?
7. What is the total population of your chosen country?
8. How has the population changed in 50 years?
9. What percent is your country’s population of the world?
10. Does your country have a budget deficit or budget surplus? (see Government Budget)
11. What is the dollar amount of the deficit or surplus? (do the math)

*Click on name of country and use links on lower right side.*

1. According to the World Bank what is the country’s GDP Per Capita?
2. How is Business Confidence measured in your country? *(it varies per country)* Explain the level of Business Confidence in your country.
3. How is Consumer Confidence measured in your country? *(it varies per country)* What is the level of Consumer Confidence in your country.
4. What is the dollar amount of exports? What do they export? Who are their main export partners?
5. What is the dollar amount of imports? What do they import? Who are their main import partners?

***Upon completion of this worksheet use the Trading Economics web site to answer the questions for the United States***

 ***in the left hand margin.***

***Write a paragraph below (3 or more sentences) explaining how the country you chose compares to the US.***