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# ANTIGUA AND BARBUDA



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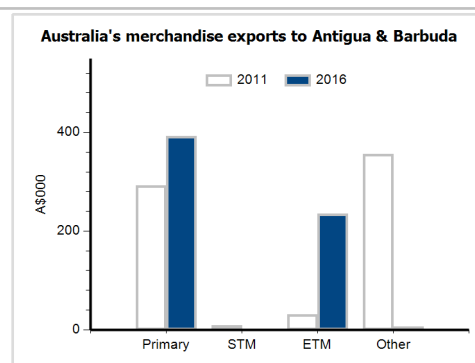
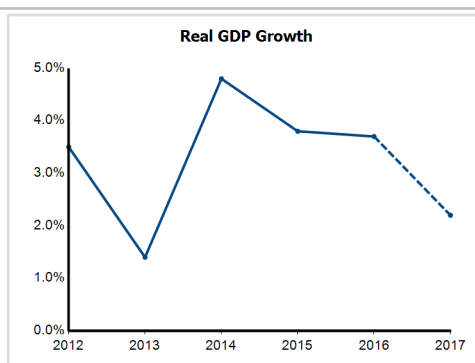
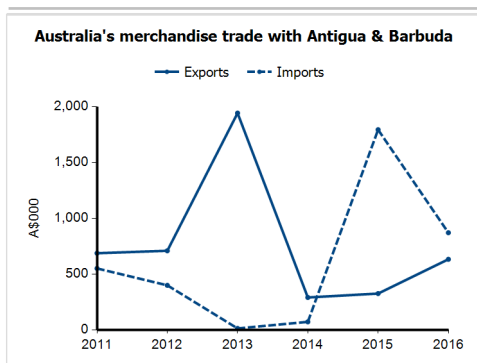
## General information

<b>Capital:</b>	St John's
<b>Land area:</b>	440 sq km
<b>Official language(s):</b>	English
<b>Population:</b>	91,000 (2016)
<b>Currency:</b>	East Caribbean dollar

<b>Head of State</b>	HM Queen Elizabeth II represented by Governor-General HE Sir Rodney Williams
<b>Head of Government</b>	Prime Minister The Hon Gaston Browne

## Economic indicators (a)

	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
<b>GDP (US\$b) (current prices)</b>	1.2	1.2	1.3	1.4	1.4	1.5
<b>GDP per capita (US\$)</b>	14,042.3	13,657.9	14,409.1	15,155.2	15,487.6	15,932.4
<b>GDP PPP (Int'l \$b)</b>	1.9	1.9	2.1	2.2	2.3	2.4
<b>GDP per capita PPP (Int'l \$)</b>	21,662.1	22,093.3	23,315.1	24,198.1	25,156.5	25,998.3
<b>Real GDP growth (% change yoy)</b>	3.5	1.4	4.8	3.8	3.7	2.2
<b>Current account balance (US\$b)</b>	-0.2	-0.2	-0.2	-0.1	-0.1	-0.1
<b>Current account balance (% GDP)</b>	-14.8	-15.1	-12.5	-5.2	-5.9	-9.8
<b>Inflation (% change yoy)</b>	3.4	1.1	1.1	1.0	-0.4	1.7
<b>Unemployment (% labour force)</b>	na	na	na	na	na	na



## Australia's trade and investment relationship with Antigua & Barbuda (b)

Australian merchandise trade with Antigua & Barbuda, 2016 (A\$000)	Total share	Rank	Growth (yoy)	
Exports to Antigua & Barbuda	633	0.0%	186th	94.3%
Imports from Antigua & Barbuda	872	0.0%	154th	-51.5%
Total merchandise trade (exports + imports)	1,505	0.0%	186th	-29.1%

### Major Australian exports, 2016 (A\$000)

Meat (excl beef), f.c.f.	347
Coated flat-rolled iron & steel	116
Electronic integrated circuits	50
Beef, f.c.f.	46

### Major Australian imports, 2016 (A\$000)

Chocolate & preparations of cocoa	343
Fixed vegetable oils & fats, soft	293
Medicaments (incl veterinary)	107
Fruit juices	89

### Australia's trade in services with Antigua & Barbuda, 2016 (A\$m)

	Total share	Rank	Growth (yoy)	
Exports of services to Antigua & Barbuda	0	0.0%	..	..
Imports of services from Antigua & Barbuda	0	0.0%	..	-100.0%

### Australia's investment relationship with Antigua & Barbuda, 2016 (A\$m)

	Total	FDI
Australia's investment in Antigua & Barbuda	0	0
Antigua & Barbuda's investment in Australia	0	0

## Antigua & Barbuda's global merchandise trade relationships

### Antigua & Barbuda's principal export destinations, 2016

1 United Kingdom	52.5%
2 United States	16.2%
3 Spain	12.8%
40 Australia	0.0%

### Antigua & Barbuda's principal import sources, 2016

1 United States	44.3%
2 Japan	4.7%
3 China	4.1%
38 Australia	0.2%

Compiled by the Statistics Section, DFAT, using the latest data from the ABS, the IMF and various international sources

(a) Economic indicators data is from the IMF WEO where available, the EIU or other reputable source. Data may include forecasts or projections for recent years. GNI may be shown in lieu of GDP for countries where GDP data is unavailable.  
(b) Merchandise trade data is based on published and unpublished ABS data. May exclude confidential items of trade. Totals may not add up due to rounding. Investment data is stocks as at end December.

All data may be subject to future revisions.

GDP - Gross Domestic Product PPP - Purchasing power parity GNI - Gross National Income na - Data is not available np - Data is not published .. - Data is not meaningful Primary - Primary goods STM - Simply transformed manufactures ETM - Elaborately transformed manufactures Other - Other goods including non-monetary gold f.c.f. - Fresh, chilled or frozen nes - Not elsewhere specified