



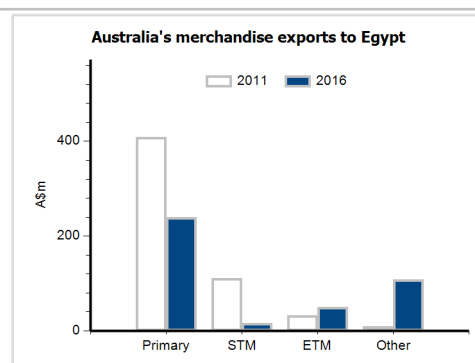
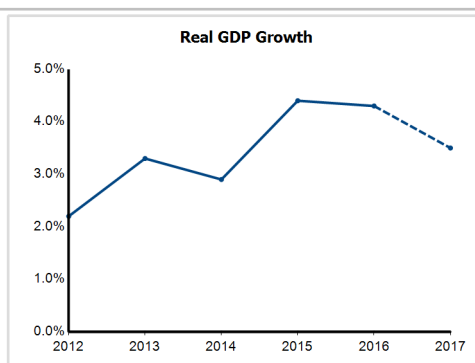
## General information

<b>Capital:</b>	Cairo
<b>Land area:</b>	995,450 sq km
<b>Official language(s):</b>	Arabic
<b>Population:</b>	90.2 million (2016)
<b>Currency:</b>	Egyptian pound

<b>Head of State</b>	President HE Mr Abdel Fattah Al Sisi
<b>Head of Government</b>	Prime Minister HE Mr Sharif Ismail

## Economic indicators (a)

	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
<b>GDP (US\$b) (current prices)</b>	278.8	288.0	305.6	332.1	332.3	na
<b>GDP per capita (US\$)</b>	3,383.1	3,400.3	3,524.4	3,731.2	3,684.6	na
<b>GDP PPP (Int'l \$b)</b>	923.7	969.7	1,015.8	1,071.6	1,132.4	1,198.0
<b>GDP per capita PPP (Int'l \$)</b>	11,210.4	11,448.1	11,716.2	12,040.6	12,553.9	12,982.6
<b>Real GDP growth (% change yoy)</b>	2.2	3.3	2.9	4.4	4.3	3.5
<b>Current account balance (US\$b)</b>	-10.1	-6.4	-2.4	-12.2	-18.7	na
<b>Current account balance (% GDP)</b>	-3.6	-2.2	-0.8	-3.7	-5.6	-5.3
<b>Inflation (% change yoy)</b>	8.7	6.9	10.1	11.0	10.2	22.0
<b>Unemployment (% labour force)</b>	12.4	13.0	13.4	12.9	12.7	12.6



## Australia's trade and investment relationship with Egypt (b)

## Australian merchandise trade with Egypt, 2016 (A\$m)

		Total share	Rank	Growth (yoy)
Exports to Egypt	415	0.2%	40th	-23.2%
Imports from Egypt	34	0.0%	74th	1.0%
Total merchandise trade (exports + imports)	449	0.1%	51st	-21.8%

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

Vegetables, f.c.f.	91
Wheat	50
Wool & other animal hair (incl tops)	38
Meat (excl beef), f.c.f.	16

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

Floor coverings	7
Men's clothing (excl knitted)	3
Lime, cement & construction materials	3
Fruit & nuts	3

\*Includes \$108.7m of confidential items & special transactions, 26% of total exports.

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

		Total share	Rank	Growth (yoy)
Exports of services to Egypt	31	0.0%	78th	-11.4%
Imports of services from Egypt	75	0.1%	57th	-2.6%

## Australia's investment relationship with Egypt, 2016 (A\$m)

	Total	FDI
Australia's investment in Egypt	100	8
Egypt's investment in Australia	51	np

## Egypt's global merchandise trade relationships

## Egypt's principal export destinations, 2016

1 United Arab Emirates	12.6%
2 Saudi Arabia	7.8%
3 Italy	6.5%
71 Australia	0.1%

## Egypt's principal import sources, 2016

1 China	13.0%
2 Germany	8.7%
3 United States	5.3%
39 Australia	0.5%