

## **ETHIOPIA**



## **General information**

Fact sheets are updated biannually; June and December

**Capital:** Addis Ababa **Land area:** 1,000,000 sq km

Official language(s): Amharic

**Population:** 91.2 million (2016)

Currency: Birr

Head of State

President HE Ambassador Dr Mulatu Teshome

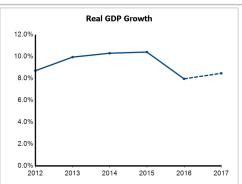
**Head of Government** 

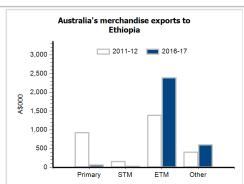
Prime Minister Ato Hailemariam Desalegn

Economic indicators (a)	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
GDP (US\$b) (current prices)	43.1	47.7	55.5	64.7	72.5	79.7
GDP per capita (US\$)	504.0	548.0	628.3	720.6	795.2	860.6
GDP PPP (Int'I \$b)	115.9	129.5	145.4	162.3	177.4	195.8
GDP per capita PPP (Int'I \$)	1,354.3	1,489.2	1,645.7	1,807.7	1,945.4	2,113.0
Real GDP growth (% change yoy)	8.7	9.9	10.3	10.4	8.0	8.5
Current account balance (US\$b)	-3.0	-2.8	-3.6	-7.5	-7.2	-6.6
Current account balance (% GDP)	-6.9	-5.9	-6.4	-11.6	-9.9	-8.3
Inflation (% change yoy)	24.1	8.1	7.4	10.1	7.3	8.1
Unemployment (% labour force)	5.9	5.0	5.0	5.3	5.7	na



total exports.





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

Australian merchandise trade with Ethiopia, 2010	6-17 (A\$000)	Total share	Rank	Growth (yoy)
Exports to Ethiopia	3,139	0.0%	148th	-21.4%
Imports from Ethiopia	24,216	0.0%	88th	-12.7%
Total merchandise trade (exports + imports)	27,355	0.0%	112th	-13.8%

Major Australian exports, 2016-17 (A\$000) Major Australian imports, 2016-17 (A\$000) Aircraft, spacecraft & parts 920 Coffee & substitutes 23,065 Telecom equipment & parts 420 Footwear 269 Food processing machines & parts Crude vegetable matter, nes 186 211 Electrical circuits equipment 150 Oil-seeds & oleaginous fruits, soft 182 \*Includes \$572,000 of confidential items & special transactions, 18% of

Australia's trade in services with Ethiopia, 2016-17	(A\$m)	Total share	Rank	Growth (yoy)
Exports of services to Ethiopia	13	0.0%	105th	18.2%
Imports of services from Ethiopia	29	0.0%	86th	-14.7%

Australia's investment relationship with Ethiopia, 2016 (A\$m)	Total	FDI
Australia's investment in Ethiopia	np	np
Ethiopia's investment in Australia	np	0

## Ethiopia's global merchandise trade relationships

Ethiopia's principal export destinations, 2016	Ethiopia's principal import sources, 2016		
1 United States	9.8%	1 China	31.9%
2 Saudi Arabia	9.7%	2 United States	8.8%
3 Germany	8.6%	3 India	7.5%
22 Australia	1.2%	46 Australia	0.1%