



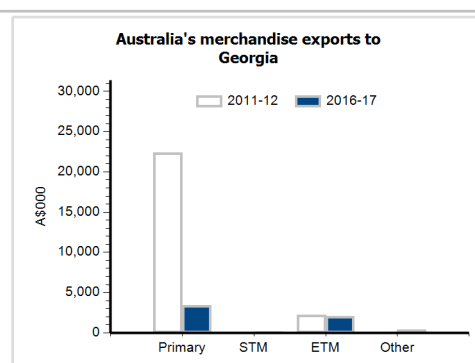
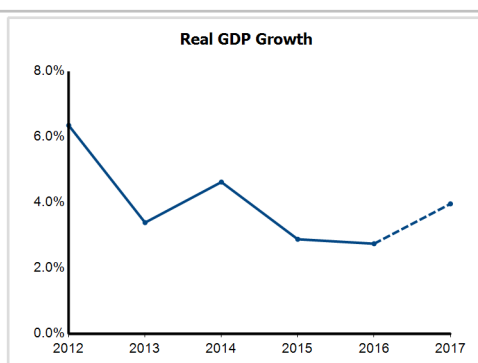
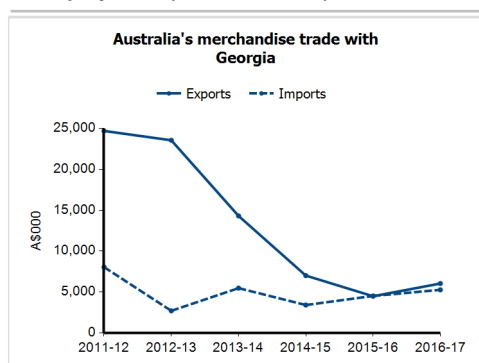
## General information

<b>Capital:</b>	Tbilisi
<b>Land area:</b>	69,490 sq km
<b>Official language(s):</b>	Georgian
<b>Population:</b>	3.7 million (2016)
<b>Currency:</b>	Lari

<b>Head of State</b>
President HE Mr Giorgi Margvelashvili
<b>Head of Government</b>
Prime Minister HE Mr Giorgi Kvirikashvili

## Economic indicators (a)

	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
<b>GDP (US\$b) (current prices)</b>	15.8	16.1	16.5	14.0	14.3	15.2
<b>GDP per capita (US\$)</b>	4,130.5	4,266.6	4,428.3	3,761.9	3,871.8	4,123.3
<b>GDP PPP (Int'l \$b)</b>	30.7	32.3	34.4	35.7	37.2	39.3
<b>GDP per capita PPP (Int'l \$)</b>	8,002.4	8,526.0	9,210.5	9,602.0	10,043.2	10,644.4
<b>Real GDP growth (% change yoy)</b>	6.4	3.4	4.6	2.9	2.7	4.0
<b>Current account balance (US\$b)</b>	-1.9	-0.9	-1.8	-1.7	-1.9	-1.8
<b>Current account balance (% GDP)</b>	-11.7	-5.8	-10.7	-12.0	-13.3	-11.9
<b>Inflation (% change yoy)</b>	-0.9	-0.5	3.1	4.0	2.1	6.0
<b>Unemployment (% labour force)</b>	15.0	14.6	12.4	12.0	11.8	na



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

Australian merchandise trade with Georgia, 2016-17 (A\$000)	Total share	Rank	Growth (yoy)	
Exports to Georgia	6,040	0.0%	130th	34.7%
Imports from Georgia	5,269	0.0%	118th	16.6%
Total merchandise trade (exports + imports)	11,309	0.0%	141st	25.6%

### Major Australian exports, 2016-17 (A\$000)

Wool & other animal hair (incl tops)	1,968
Specialised machinery & parts	834
Margarine	630
Wire products	409

### Major Australian imports, 2016-17 (A\$000)

Specialised machinery & parts	2,153
Fruit juices	650
Perfumery & cosmetics (excl soap)	386
Trailers, semi-trailers & containers	344

### Australia's trade in services with Georgia, 2016-17 (A\$m)

	Total share	Rank	Growth (yoy)	
Exports of services to Georgia	2	0.0%	146th	100.0%
Imports of services from Georgia	2	0.0%	150th	-33.3%

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

	Total	FDI
Australia's investment in Georgia	np	0
Georgia's investment in Australia	np	0

## Georgia's global merchandise trade relationships

### Georgia's principal export destinations, 2016

1 Russian Federation	9.8%
2 Turkey	8.2%
3 China	8.0%
59 Australia	0.0%

### Georgia's principal import sources, 2016

1 Turkey	18.7%
2 Russian Federation	9.3%
3 China	7.6%
76 Australia	0.0%