



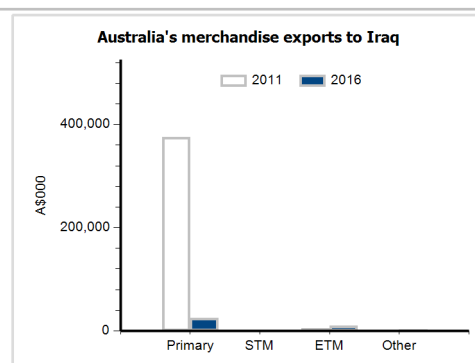
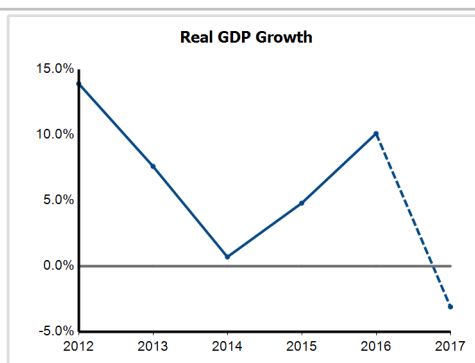
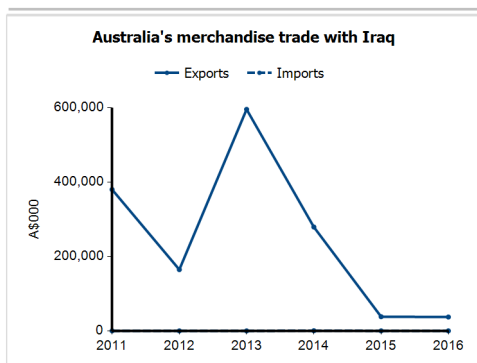
General information

Capital:	Baghdad
Land area:	434,320 sq km
Official language(s):	Arabic
Population:	36.1 million (2016)
Currency:	New Iraqi dinar

Head of State	HE President Fouad Massoum
Head of Government	Prime Minister HE Dr Haider Al-Abadi

Economic indicators (a)

	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
GDP (US\$b) (current prices)	218.0	234.6	234.7	179.8	167.0	189.4
GDP per capita (US\$)	6,692.6	7,021.4	6,845.5	5,114.5	4,631.0	5,120.3
GDP PPP (Int'l \$b)	488.2	533.9	547.5	580.2	647.2	641.0
GDP per capita PPP (Int'l \$)	14,986.1	15,978.1	15,972.8	16,502.2	17,943.7	17,326.2
Real GDP growth (% change yoy)	13.9	7.6	0.7	4.8	10.1	-3.1
Current account balance (US\$b)	11.0	2.7	6.1	-11.6	-12.2	-8.4
Current account balance (% GDP)	5.1	1.1	2.6	-6.5	-7.3	-4.4
Inflation (% change yoy)	6.1	1.9	2.2	1.4	0.4	2.0
Unemployment (% labour force)	15.3	15.1	15.0	15.5	16.0	na



Australia's trade and investment relationship with Iraq (b)

Australian merchandise trade with Iraq, 2016 (A\$000)

Exports to Iraq	37,346
Imports from Iraq	90
Total merchandise trade (exports + imports)	37,436

	Total share	Rank	Growth (yoy)
Exports to Iraq	0.0%	80th	-2.3%
Imports from Iraq	0.0%	187th	4.0%
Total merchandise trade (exports + imports)	0.0%	103rd	-2.2%

Major Australian exports, 2016 (A\$000)

Wheat	16,172
Cheese & curd	5,838
Aircraft, spacecraft & parts	2,900
Meat (excl beef), f.c.f.	1,938

Major Australian imports, 2016 (A\$000)

Civil engineering equipment & parts	42
Ball or roller bearings	15
Monitors, projectors & TVs	10
Specialised machinery & parts	5

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

Exports of services to Iraq	49
Imports of services from Iraq	52

	Total share	Rank	Growth (yoy)
Exports of services to Iraq	0.1%	70th	0.0%
Imports of services from Iraq	0.1%	71st	18.2%

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

Australia's investment in Iraq	222
Iraq's investment in Australia	np

	Total	FDI
Australia's investment in Iraq	222	np
Iraq's investment in Australia	np	np

Iraq's global merchandise trade relationships

Iraq's principal export destinations, 2015

1 China	22.6%
2 India	21.1%
3 Republic of Korea	11.2%
59 Australia	0.0%

Iraq's principal import sources, 2015

1 Turkey	20.7%
2 Syria	19.6%
3 China	19.2%
52 Australia	0.1%