



General information

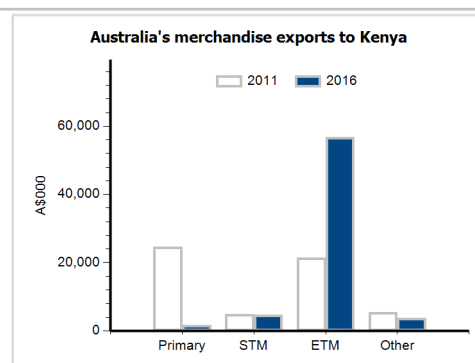
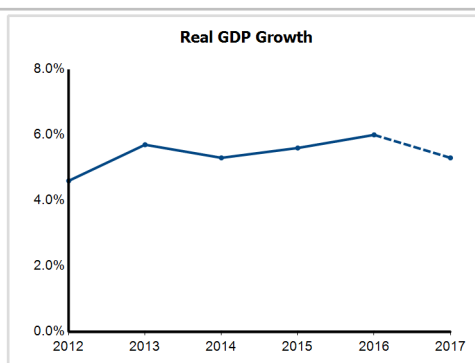
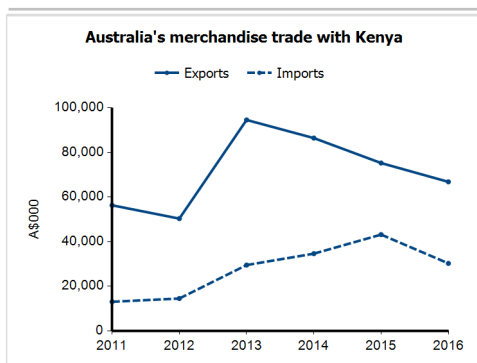
Capital:	Nairobi
Land area:	569,140 sq km
Official language(s):	Swahili, English
Population:	45.5 million (2016)
Currency:	Shilling

Head of State and Head of Government

President HE Hon Uhuru Kenyatta

Economic indicators (a)

	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
GDP (US\$b) (current prices)	50.4	55.1	61.5	63.6	68.9	75.1
GDP per capita (US\$)	1,238.8	1,318.9	1,430.1	1,439.5	1,516.3	1,607.1
GDP PPP (Int'l \$b)	115.7	124.2	133.2	142.2	152.8	164.3
GDP per capita PPP (Int'l \$)	2,842.1	2,972.1	3,097.7	3,218.1	3,361.0	3,516.9
Real GDP growth (% change yoy)	4.6	5.7	5.3	5.6	6.0	5.3
Current account balance (US\$b)	-4.2	-4.8	-6.0	-4.3	-3.8	-4.4
Current account balance (% GDP)	-8.4	-8.8	-9.8	-6.8	-5.5	-5.8
Inflation (% change yoy)	9.4	5.7	6.9	6.6	6.3	6.5
Unemployment (% labour force)	12.0	11.9	11.8	11.3	11.0	na



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

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

		Total share	Rank	Growth (yoy)
Exports to Kenya	66,870	0.0%	65th	-11.2%
Imports from Kenya	30,294	0.0%	80th	-29.9%
Total merchandise trade (exports + imports)	97,165	0.0%	81st	-18.0%

Major Australian exports, 2016 (A\$000)

Civil engineering equipment & parts	27,037
Passenger motor vehicles	10,984
Aluminium	4,026
Nails, screws, nuts, bolts & rivets	3,162

Major Australian imports, 2016 (A\$000)

Crude vegetable matter, nes	17,741
Coffee & substitutes	8,340
Fruit & nuts	813
Tea & mate	436

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

		Total share	Rank	Growth (yoy)
Exports of services to Kenya	133	0.2%	45th	27.9%
Imports of services from Kenya	57	0.1%	66th	-9.5%

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

	Total	FDI
Australia's investment in Kenya	20	np
Kenya's investment in Australia	34	np

Kenya's global merchandise trade relationships

Kenya's principal export destinations, 2015

1 Uganda	11.3%
2 United States	8.3%
3 Tanzania	8.1%
35 Australia	0.5%

Kenya's principal import sources, 2015

1 China	30.0%
2 India	15.5%
3 United Arab Emirates	5.7%
39 Australia	0.3%