



General information

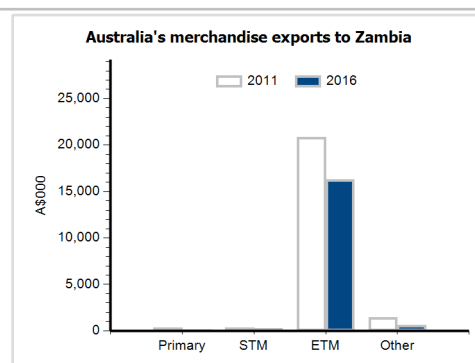
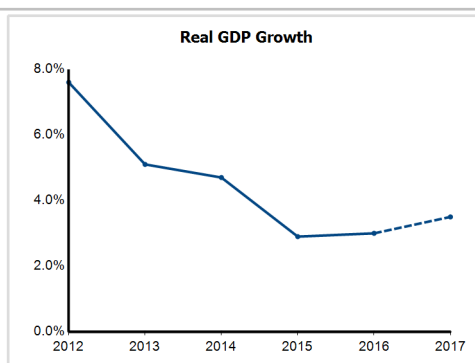
Capital:	Lusaka
Land area:	743,390 sq km
Official language(s):	English
Population:	16.7 million (2016)
Currency:	New kwacha

Head of State and Head of Government

President HE Edgar Chagwa Lungu

Economic indicators (a)

	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
GDP (US\$b) (current prices)	25.5	28.0	27.2	21.2	21.3	23.1
GDP per capita (US\$)	1,724.7	1,839.5	1,727.0	1,310.4	1,274.8	1,342.2
GDP PPP (Int'l \$b)	52.5	56.1	59.8	62.2	64.9	68.6
GDP per capita PPP (Int'l \$)	3,553.0	3,678.9	3,802.0	3,835.5	3,880.3	3,982.4
Real GDP growth (% change yoy)	7.6	5.1	4.7	2.9	3.0	3.5
Current account balance (US\$b)	1.4	-0.2	0.6	-0.8	-1.2	-0.7
Current account balance (% GDP)	5.4	-0.6	2.1	-3.6	-5.5	-3.2
Inflation (% change yoy)	6.6	7.0	7.8	10.1	17.9	9.0
Unemployment (% labour force)	7.8	7.8	7.7	7.6	7.5	na



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

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

Exports to Zambia	17,281
Imports from Zambia	583
Total merchandise trade (exports + imports)	17,864

	Total share	Rank	Growth (yoy)
Exports to Zambia	0.0%	98th	-9.3%
Imports from Zambia	0.0%	162nd	-82.8%
Total merchandise trade (exports + imports)	0.0%	126th	-20.4%

Major Australian exports, 2016 (A\$000)

Goods vehicles	5,694
Specialised machinery & parts	1,595
Manufactures of base metal, nes	1,254
Transmission shafts & parts	1,196

Major Australian imports, 2016 (A\$000)

Transmission shafts & parts	183
Internal combustion piston engines	174
Measuring & analysing instruments	80
Coffee & substitutes	75

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

Exports of services to Zambia	25
Imports of services from Zambia	13

	Total share	Rank	Growth (yoy)
Exports of services to Zambia	0.0%	86th	0.0%
Imports of services from Zambia	0.0%	100th	8.3%

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

Australia's investment in Zambia	np
Zambia's investment in Australia	np

	Total	FDI
Australia's investment in Zambia	np	np
Zambia's investment in Australia	np	np

Zambia's global merchandise trade relationships

Zambia's principal export destinations, 2015

1 Switzerland	44.3%
2 China	14.5%
3 Singapore	7.8%
7 Australia	3.0%

Zambia's principal import sources, 2015

1 South Africa	30.9%
2 Dem. Rep. of Congo	11.2%
3 China	8.2%
24 Australia	0.6%