



General information

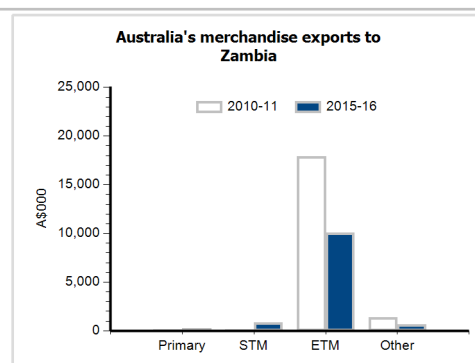
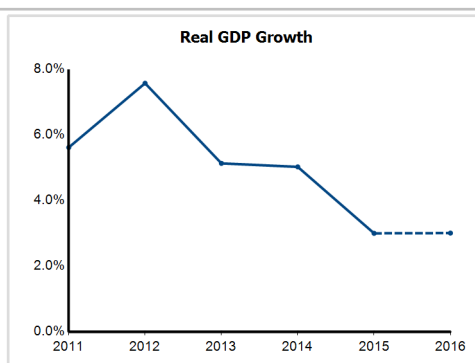
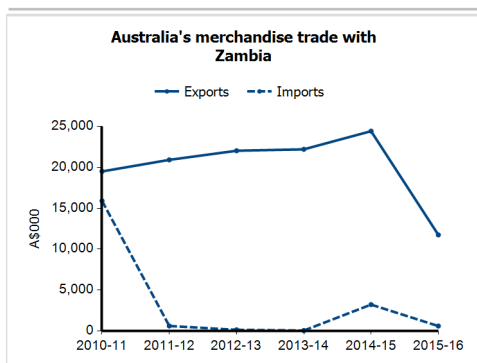
Capital:	Lusaka
Land area:	743,390 sq km
Official language(s):	English
Population:	16.2 million (2015)
Currency:	New kwacha

Head of State and Head of Government

President HE Edgar Chagwa Lungu

Economic indicators (a)

	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016
GDP (US\$b) (current prices)	23.5	25.5	28.0	27.1	21.9	20.6
GDP per capita (US\$)	1,635.5	1,724.7	1,839.5	1,726.0	1,351.6	1,230.7
GDP PPP (Int'l \$b)	47.9	52.5	56.1	60.0	62.5	65.2
GDP per capita PPP (Int'l \$)	3,342.5	3,552.1	3,680.4	3,815.7	3,852.1	3,898.7
Real GDP growth (% change yoy)	5.6	7.6	5.1	5.0	3.0	3.0
Current account balance (US\$b)	1.1	1.4	-0.2	0.6	-0.8	-0.9
Current account balance (% GDP)	4.7	5.4	-0.6	2.1	-3.5	-4.5
Inflation (% change yoy)	8.7	6.6	7.0	7.8	10.1	19.1
Unemployment (% labour force)	13.2	13.1	13.1	13.3	na	na



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

Australian merchandise trade with Zambia, 2015-16 (A\$000)

Exports to Zambia	11,747
Imports from Zambia	593
Total merchandise trade (exports + imports)	12,340

	Total share	Rank	Growth (yoy)
Exports to Zambia	0.0%	106th	-51.9%
Imports from Zambia	0.0%	166th	-81.6%
Total merchandise trade (exports + imports)	0.0%	134th	-55.4%

Major Australian exports, 2015-16 (A\$000)

Specialised machinery & parts	1,719
Taps, cocks & valves	952
Transmission shafts & parts	869
Measuring & analysing instruments	818

Major Australian imports, 2015-16 (A\$000)

Internal combustion piston engines	170
Transmission shafts & parts	131
Prepared additives for mineral oils	125
Prefabricated buildings	43

Australia's trade in services with Zambia, 2015-16 (A\$m)

Exports of services to Zambia	24
Imports of services from Zambia	12

	Total share	Rank	Growth (yoy)
Exports of services to Zambia	0.0%	85th	-11.1%
Imports of services from Zambia	0.0%	105th	0.0%

Australia's investment relationship with Zambia, 2015 (A\$m)

Australia's investment in Zambia	np
Zambia's investment in Australia	0

	Total	FDI
Australia's investment in Zambia	np	np
Zambia's investment in Australia	0	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 <i>Australia</i>	<i>3.0%</i>

Zambia's principal import sources, 2015

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