



CANADA

Key economic indicators: 2023 (top), 2022 (bottom) and sparkline (2018-2023). Estimates are blue.

Source: IMF WEO

Nominal GDP (USD billions)

Population (people, millions) 2,140 • 40.0 • 2,161 38.9

Real GDP growth (% yoy)

1.1 ▼

Unemployment (% labour force)

5.4 ▲

Current account balance (% GDP)

-0.6 ▼

Gross govt debt (% GDP)

> 107.1 ▼ 107.4

Australia - Canada investment, 2023 (stocks)

Source: ABS

Investment in Canada		Investment from Canada	
Total (A\$b)	FDI (A\$b)	Total (A\$b)	FDI (A\$b)
109	36	104	82
Destination Ranking: 5		Source Ranking: 8	

Australia's goods and services trade with Canada, 2023

Source: DFAT-adjusted ABS data

Exports	Destination Ranking: 19	Destination Ranking: 19		
Item	A\$m	^		
Aluminium ores & conc (incl alumina)	744.8			
Recreational travel	646.0			
Confidential items of trade	499.4			
Education-related travel	310.0			
Other ores & concentrates	290.7			
Non-ferrous waste & scrap	276.8			
Prof, tech & other business services	209.0	V		
Total	4.598.7			

Imports	Source Ranking: 17	
Item	A\$m	^
Transport services	721.0	
Recreational travel	528.0	
Gold	455.2	
Agric machinery (excl tractors) & parts	358.2	
Medicaments (incl veterinary)	338.8	
Confidential items of trade	325.5	
Prof, tech & other business services	257.0	V
Total	6,131.5	

Canada's global merchandise trade relationships, 2023

Source: Various international sources

Principal export destinati	ons	
Destination	Share	Rank
United States	77.6%	1
China	4.0%	2
Japan	2.1%	3
United Kingdom	1.8%	4
Mexico	1.1%	5
Australia	0.4%	15

Share	Rank
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49.6%	1
11.8%	2
6.1%	3
3.3%	4
2.7%	5
0.4%	24
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Principal import sources

Flow of people from Canada

Source: Home Affairs, DESE

Visitor arrivals (movements) Year ended Dec 2023 157.200

Resident returns (movements) Year ended Dec 2023 148.440

International student numbers 2023 3.871

Arrivals and returns, years ended Dec -arrivals returns

Compiled by the Trade Data Section, DFAT, using the latest data from the ABS, the IMF and various international sources. IMF data may include forecasts or projections for recent years.

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