



General information

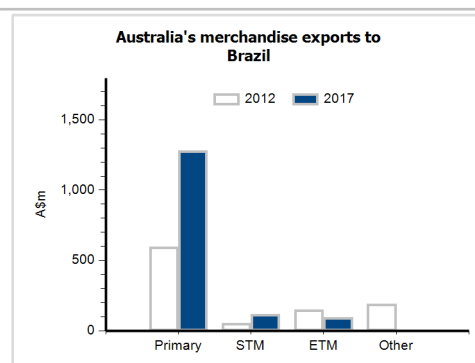
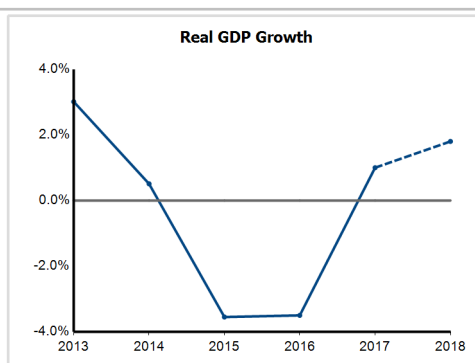
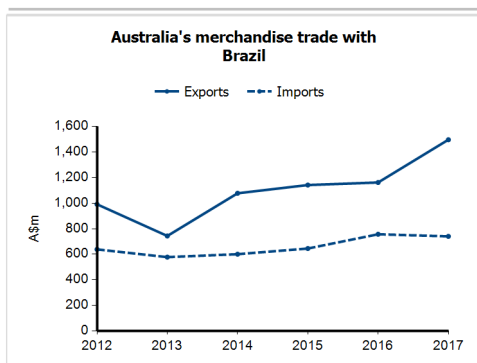
Capital:	Brasilia
Land area:	8,358,140 sq km
Official language(s):	Portuguese
Population:	207.7 million (2017)
Currency:	Real

Head of State and Head of Government

President HE Mr Michel Temer

Economic indicators (a)

	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
GDP (US\$b) (current prices)	2,471.2	2,455.7	1,799.7	1,793.1	2,055.0	2,138.9
GDP per capita (US\$)	12,291.9	12,110.0	8,801.8	8,699.9	9,894.9	10,224.0
GDP PPP (Int'l \$b)	3,232.5	3,307.2	3,224.4	3,152.3	3,240.3	3,389.0
GDP per capita PPP (Int'l \$)	16,078.6	16,309.1	15,769.5	15,294.7	15,602.5	16,199.2
Real GDP growth (% change yoy)	3.0	0.5	-3.6	-3.5	1.0	1.8
Current account balance (US\$b)	-74.8	-104.2	-59.4	-23.5	-9.8	-33.5
Current account balance (% GDP)	-3.0	-4.2	-3.3	-1.3	-0.5	-1.6
Inflation (% change yoy)	6.2	6.3	9.0	8.7	3.4	3.5
Unemployment (% labour force)	7.2	6.8	8.3	11.3	12.8	11.6



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

Australian merchandise trade with Brazil, 2017 (A\$m)

		Total share	Rank	Growth (yoy)
Exports to Brazil	1,497	0.5%	21st	28.8%
Imports from Brazil	740	0.3%	36th	-2.2%
Total merchandise trade (exports + imports)	2,237	0.4%	30th	16.6%

Major Australian exports, 2017 (A\$m)

Coal	1,251
Aluminium	87
Electrical circuits equipment	22
Beef, f.c.f.	18

Major Australian imports, 2017 (A\$m)

Medicaments (incl veterinary)	101
Coffee & substitutes	82
Pulp & waste paper	60
Civil engineering equipment & parts	50

Australia's trade in services with Brazil, 2017 (A\$m)

		Total share	Rank	Growth (yoy)
Exports of services to Brazil	985	1.2%	19th	33.3%
Imports of services from Brazil	157	0.2%	42nd	-13.7%

Major Australian services exports, 2017 (A\$m)

Education-related travel	777
Personal travel excluding education	111

Major Australian services imports, 2017 (A\$m)

Personal travel excluding education	127
Business-related travel	8

Australia's investment relationship with Brazil, 2017 (A\$m)

	Total	FDI
Australia's investment in Brazil	np	4,873
Brazil's investment in Australia	np	np

Brazil's global merchandise trade relationships

Brazil's principal export destinations, 2017

1 China	21.8%
2 United States	12.5%
3 Argentina	8.1%
54 Australia	0.2%

Brazil's principal import sources, 2017

1 China	18.1%
2 United States	16.7%
3 Argentina	6.3%
27 Australia	0.9%