



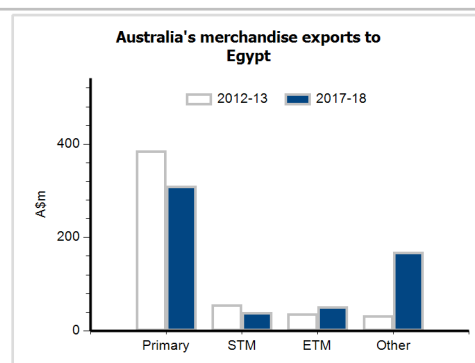
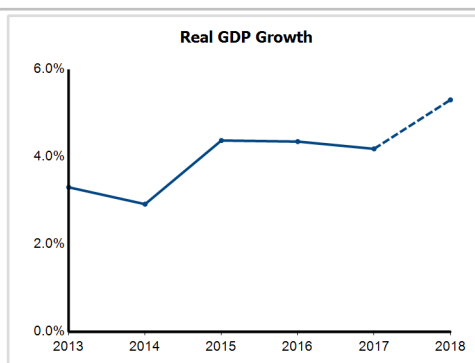
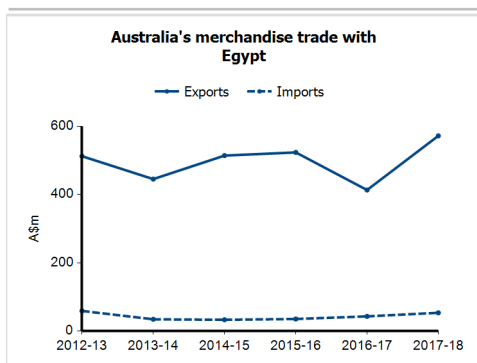
## General information

<b>Capital:</b>	Cairo
<b>Land area:</b>	995,450 sq km
<b>Official language(s):</b>	Arabic
<b>Population:</b>	94.8 million (2017)
<b>Currency:</b>	Egyptian pound

<b>Head of State</b>	President HE Mr Abdel Fattah Al Sisi
<b>Head of Government</b>	Prime Minister HE Dr Moustafa Madbouly

## Economic indicators (a)

	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
<b>GDP (US\$b) (current prices)</b>	288.0	305.6	332.1	332.5	236.5	249.5
<b>GDP per capita (US\$)</b>	3,400.3	3,524.4	3,731.2	3,686.1	2,495.0	2,572.4
<b>GDP PPP (Int'l \$b)</b>	971.7	1,019.0	1,074.9	1,133.9	1,203.7	1,297.0
<b>GDP per capita PPP (Int'l \$)</b>	11,472.4	11,752.8	12,077.4	12,570.6	12,697.6	13,373.6
<b>Real GDP growth (% change yoy)</b>	3.3	2.9	4.4	4.3	4.2	5.3
<b>Current account balance (US\$b)</b>	-6.4	-2.7	-12.1	-19.8	-14.9	-6.4
<b>Current account balance (% GDP)</b>	-2.2	-0.9	-3.7	-6.0	-6.3	-2.6
<b>Inflation (% change yoy)</b>	6.9	10.1	11.0	10.2	23.5	20.9
<b>Unemployment (% labour force)</b>	13.0	13.4	12.9	12.7	12.2	10.9



## Australia's trade and investment relationship with Egypt (b)

### Australian merchandise trade with Egypt, 2017-18 (A\$m)

Exports to Egypt	573
Imports from Egypt	53
Total merchandise trade (exports + imports)	626

	Total share	Rank	Growth (yoy)
Exports to Egypt	0.2%	35th	38.5%
Imports from Egypt	0.0%	75th	24.6%
Total merchandise trade (exports + imports)	0.1%	50th	37.2%

### Major Australian exports, 2017-18 (A\$m)

Vegetables, f.c.f.	138
Wheat	60
Wool & other animal hair (incl tops)	49
Paper & paperboard	20

### Major Australian imports, 2017-18 (A\$m)

Fruit & nuts	10
Lime, cement & construction materials	5
Chocolate & preparations of cocoa	5
Cereal preparations	4

Includes A\$169m of confidential items & special transactions, 30% of total exports.

### Australia's trade in services with Egypt, 2017-18 (A\$m)

Exports of services to Egypt	35
Imports of services from Egypt	93

	Total share	Rank	Growth (yoy)
Exports of services to Egypt	0.0%	84th	2.9%
Imports of services from Egypt	0.1%	60th	10.7%

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

Australia's investment in Egypt	np
Egypt's investment in Australia	66

	Total	FDI
Australia's investment in Egypt	np	7
Egypt's investment in Australia	66	np

## Egypt's global merchandise trade relationships

### Egypt's principal export destinations, 2017

1 United Arab Emirates	10.6%
2 Italy	8.5%
3 Turkey	7.2%
69 Australia	0.1%

### Egypt's principal import sources, 2017

1 China	12.2%
2 Germany	6.8%
3 Italy	6.3%
31 Australia	0.6%