



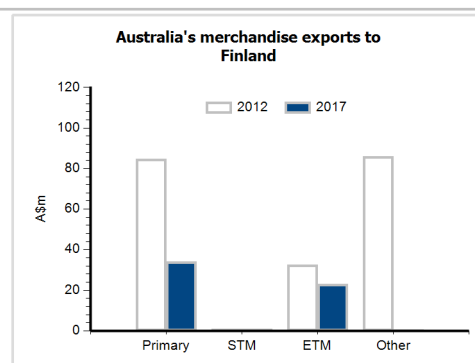
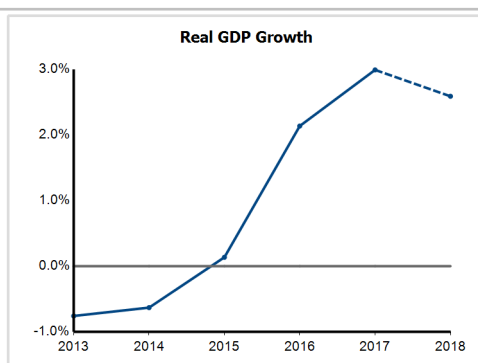
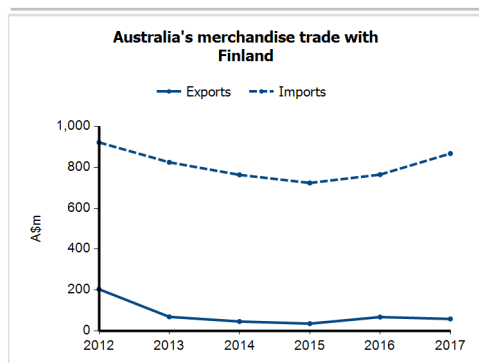
## General information

<b>Capital:</b>	Helsinki
<b>Land area:</b>	303,890 sq km
<b>Official language(s):</b>	Finnish, Swedish
<b>Population:</b>	5.5 million (2017)
<b>Currency:</b>	Euro

<b>Head of State</b>	President HE Mr Sauli Niinisto
<b>Head of Government</b>	Prime Minister Juha Sipilä

## Economic indicators (a)

	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
<b>GDP (US\$b) (current prices)</b>	270.1	273.0	232.6	238.8	253.2	289.6
<b>GDP per capita (US\$)</b>	49,766.1	50,087.9	42,505.9	43,514.3	46,016.7	52,422.3
<b>GDP PPP (Int'l \$b)</b>	219.7	222.3	225.0	232.7	244.0	256.0
<b>GDP per capita PPP (Int'l \$)</b>	40,490.1	40,771.6	41,114.9	42,408.0	44,332.6	46,342.8
<b>Real GDP growth (% change yoy)</b>	-0.8	-0.6	0.1	2.1	3.0	2.6
<b>Current account balance (US\$b)</b>	-4.3	-3.4	-2.3	-3.3	1.7	4.1
<b>Current account balance (% GDP)</b>	-1.6	-1.3	-1.0	-1.4	0.7	1.4
<b>Inflation (% change yoy)</b>	2.2	1.2	-0.2	0.4	0.8	1.2
<b>Unemployment (% labour force)</b>	8.2	8.7	9.4	8.8	8.7	8.0



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

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

		Total share	Rank	Growth (yoy)
Exports to Finland	58	0.0%	71st	-13.7%
Imports from Finland	868	0.3%	31st	13.5%
Total merchandise trade (exports + imports)	926	0.2%	41st	11.3%

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

Alcoholic beverages	17
Nickel ores & concentrates	16
Telecom equipment & parts	4
Manufactures of base metal, nes	2

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

Civil engineering equipment & parts	171
Paper & paperboard	118
Goods vehicles	59
Mechanical handling equip & parts	34

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

		Total share	Rank	Growth (yoy)
Exports of services to Finland	85	0.1%	61st	-1.2%
Imports of services from Finland	55	0.1%	73rd	22.2%

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

	Total	FDI
Australia's investment in Finland	3,637	np
Finland's investment in Australia	501	np

## Finland's global merchandise trade relationships

## Finland's principal export destinations, 2017

1 Germany	14.2%
2 Sweden	10.1%
3 United States	7.0%
23 Australia	0.9%

## Finland's principal import sources, 2017

1 Germany	17.8%
2 Sweden	15.8%
3 Russian Federation	13.1%
54 Australia	0.1%