



## General information

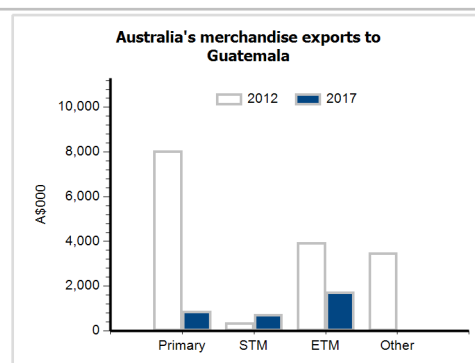
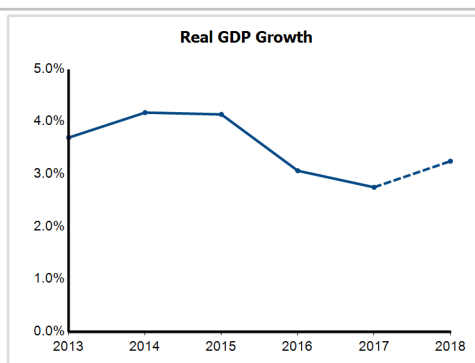
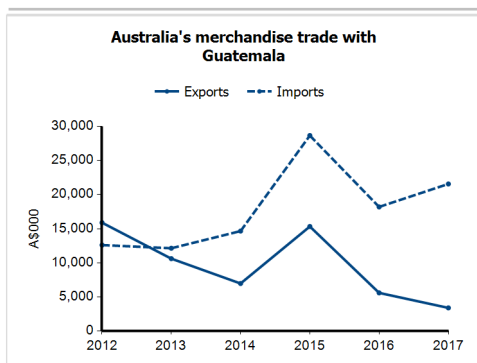
<b>Capital:</b>	Guatemala City
<b>Land area:</b>	107,160 sq km
<b>Official language(s):</b>	Spanish
<b>Population:</b>	16.9 million (2017)
<b>Currency:</b>	Quetzal

## Head of State and Head of Government

HE Mr Jimmy Morales

## Economic indicators (a)

	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
<b>GDP (US\$b) (current prices)</b>	53.9	58.7	63.8	68.8	75.7	82.4
<b>GDP per capita (US\$)</b>	3,452.8	3,687.7	3,923.6	4,146.7	4,471.9	4,770.7
<b>GDP PPP (Int'l \$b)</b>	113.1	119.9	126.2	131.7	137.8	145.5
<b>GDP per capita PPP (Int'l \$)</b>	7,249.3	7,529.4	7,765.7	7,944.7	8,144.8	8,429.3
<b>Real GDP growth (% change yoy)</b>	3.7	4.2	4.1	3.1	2.8	3.2
<b>Current account balance (US\$b)</b>	-1.4	-1.2	-0.1	1.0	1.1	0.9
<b>Current account balance (% GDP)</b>	-2.5	-2.1	-0.2	1.5	1.4	1.1
<b>Inflation (% change yoy)</b>	4.3	3.4	2.4	4.4	4.4	4.2
<b>Unemployment (% labour force)</b>	3.3	2.9	2.7	2.8	2.7	na



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

Australian merchandise trade with Guatemala, 2017 (A\$000)	Total share	Rank	Growth (yoy)	
Exports to Guatemala	3,377	0.0%	146th	-39.5%
Imports from Guatemala	21,571	0.0%	93rd	18.5%
Total merchandise trade (exports + imports)	24,948	0.0%	119th	4.9%

### Major Australian exports, 2017 (A\$000)

Paper & paperboard	738
Milk, cream, whey & yoghurt	527
Electrical circuits equipment	486
Hand or machine tools	333

### Major Australian imports, 2017 (A\$000)

Coffee & substitutes	12,123
Spices	2,184
Insecticides, herbicides, disinfectants	1,485
Other textile clothing	1,376

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

	Total share	Rank	Growth (yoy)	
Exports of services to Guatemala	3	0.0%	136th	0.0%
Imports of services from Guatemala	9	0.0%	117th	12.5%

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

	Total	FDI
Australia's investment in Guatemala	np	np
Guatemala's investment in Australia	np	0

## Guatemala's global merchandise trade relationships

### Guatemala's principal export destinations, 2016

1 United States	34.5%
2 El Salvador	11.4%
3 Honduras	8.6%
55 Australia	0.1%

### Guatemala's principal import sources, 2016

1 United States	38.5%
2 Mexico	11.4%
3 China	10.9%
57 Australia	0.0%