



## General information

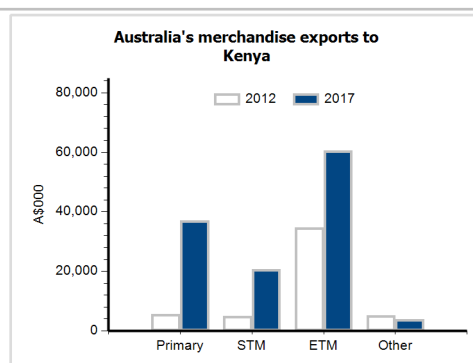
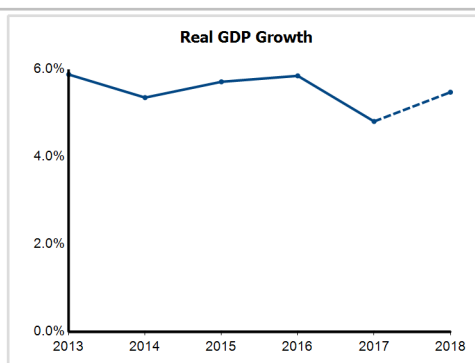
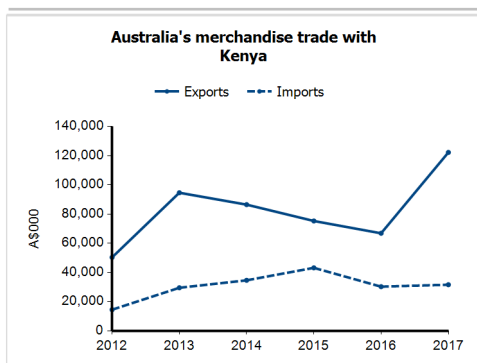
<b>Capital:</b>	Nairobi
<b>Land area:</b>	569,140 sq km
<b>Official language(s):</b>	Swahili, English
<b>Population:</b>	46.7 million (2017)
<b>Currency:</b>	Shilling

### Head of State and Head of Government

President HE Hon Uhuru Kenyatta

### Economic indicators (a)

	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
<b>GDP (US\$b) (current prices)</b>	55.1	61.5	64.0	70.5	79.5	88.3
<b>GDP per capita (US\$)</b>	1,318.8	1,431.3	1,447.9	1,551.7	1,701.6	1,837.7
<b>GDP PPP (Int'l \$b)</b>	124.5	133.5	142.6	152.9	163.1	176.0
<b>GDP per capita PPP (Int'l \$)</b>	2,977.6	3,104.1	3,227.0	3,364.1	3,491.1	3,663.7
<b>Real GDP growth (% change yoy)</b>	5.9	5.4	5.7	5.8	4.8	5.5
<b>Current account balance (US\$b)</b>	-4.8	-6.4	-4.3	-3.7	-5.1	-5.4
<b>Current account balance (% GDP)</b>	-8.8	-10.4	-6.7	-5.2	-6.4	-6.2
<b>Inflation (% change yoy)</b>	5.7	6.9	6.6	6.3	8.0	4.8
<b>Unemployment (% labour force)</b>	11.8	11.7	11.6	11.5	11.5	na



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

### Australian merchandise trade with Kenya, 2017 (A\$000)

Exports to Kenya	122,255
Imports from Kenya	31,642
Total merchandise trade (exports + imports)	153,897

	Total share	Rank	Growth (yoy)
Exports to Kenya	0.0%	57th	82.8%
Imports from Kenya	0.0%	82nd	4.4%
Total merchandise trade (exports + imports)	0.0%	73rd	58.4%

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

Wheat	34,793
Civil engineering equipment & parts	24,496
Aluminium	13,585
Passenger motor vehicles	9,500

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

Crude vegetable matter, nes	19,813
Coffee & substitutes	7,481
Men's clothing, knitted	1,292
Fish, f.c.f.	863

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

Exports of services to Kenya	196
Imports of services from Kenya	86

	Total share	Rank	Growth (yoy)
Exports of services to Kenya	0.2%	40th	33.3%
Imports of services from Kenya	0.1%	61st	21.1%

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

Australia's investment in Kenya	15
Kenya's investment in Australia	19

	Total	FDI
Australia's investment in Kenya	15	np
Kenya's investment in Australia	19	np

## Kenya's global merchandise trade relationships

### Kenya's principal export destinations, 2017

1 Uganda	10.8%
2 Pakistan	10.6%
3 United States	8.1%
42 Australia	0.4%

### Kenya's principal import sources, 2017

1 China	22.5%
2 India	9.9%
3 United Arab Emirates	8.7%
41 Australia	0.3%