



General information

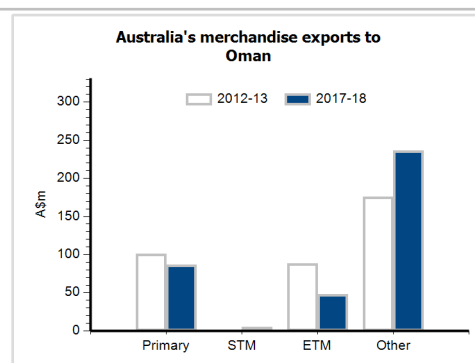
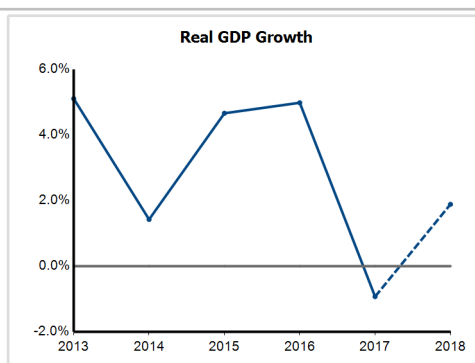
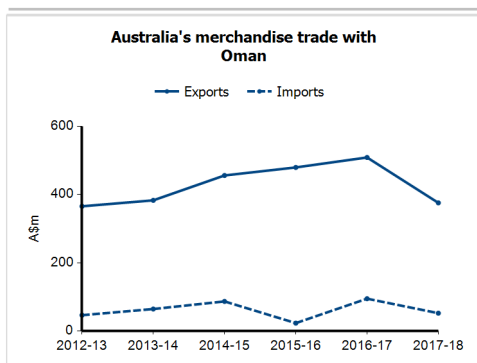
Capital:	Muscat
Land area:	309,500 sq km
Official language(s):	Arabic
Population:	4.1 million (2017)
Currency:	Rial Omani

Head of State and Head of Government

His Majesty Sultan Qaboos bin Said Al-Said

Economic indicators (a)

	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
GDP (US\$b) (current prices)	78.8	81.1	68.9	65.9	70.8	81.7
GDP per capita (US\$)	21,920.1	21,814.2	18,243.8	16,447.3	17,128.4	19,170.4
GDP PPP (Int'l \$b)	162.4	167.8	177.5	188.3	190.1	198.2
GDP per capita PPP (Int'l \$)	45,170.6	45,141.0	46,978.3	46,977.0	46,011.0	46,522.4
Real GDP growth (% change yoy)	5.1	1.4	4.7	5.0	-0.9	1.9
Current account balance (US\$b)	5.2	4.2	-11.0	-12.3	-10.8	-2.7
Current account balance (% GDP)	6.6	5.2	-15.9	-18.7	-15.2	-3.3
Inflation (% change yoy)	1.2	1.0	0.1	1.1	1.6	1.5
Unemployment (% labour force)	3.7	3.5	3.3	3.3	3.3	na



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

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

Exports to Oman	376
Imports from Oman	52
Total merchandise trade (exports + imports)	428

	Total share	Rank	Growth (yoy)
Exports to Oman	0.1%	42nd	-26.2%
Imports from Oman	0.0%	76th	-45.0%
Total merchandise trade (exports + imports)	0.1%	59th	-29.1%

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

Meat (excl beef), f.c.f.	41
Passenger motor vehicles	18
Wheat	16
Live animals (excl seafood)	10

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

Fertilisers (excl crude)	35
Plastic plates, sheets & film	5
Stone, sand & gravel	4
Medicaments (incl veterinary)	2

Includes A\$237m of confidential items & special transactions, 63% of total exports.

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

Exports of services to Oman	92
Imports of services from Oman	16

	Total share	Rank	Growth (yoy)
Exports of services to Oman	0.1%	61st	-49.7%
Imports of services from Oman	0.0%	103rd	-88.1%

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

Australia's investment in Oman	
Oman's investment in Australia	

	Total	FDI
Australia's investment in Oman	38	np
Oman's investment in Australia	8	np

Oman's global merchandise trade relationships

Oman's principal export destinations, 2017

1 United Arab Emirates	6.9%
2 Qatar	4.1%
3 Saudi Arabia	4.0%
33 Australia	0.2%

Oman's principal import sources, 2017

1 United Arab Emirates	38.9%
2 China	5.9%
3 India	5.2%
19 Australia	0.9%