



General information

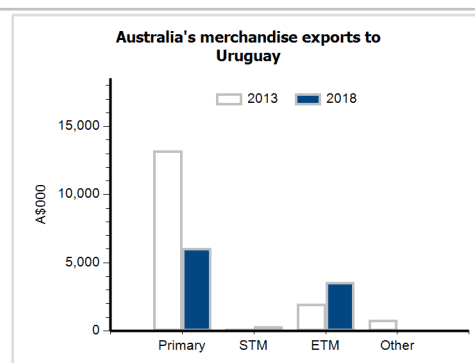
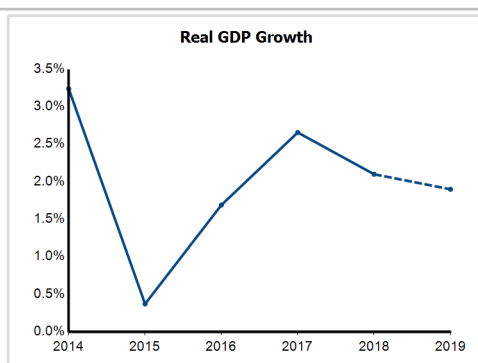
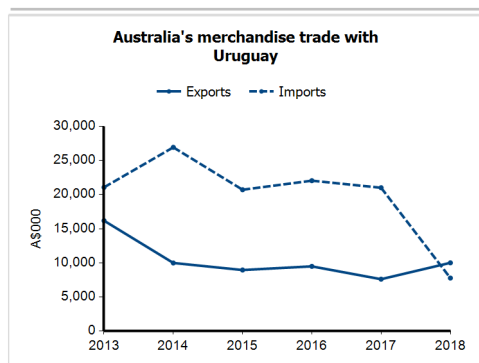
Capital:	Montevideo
Land area:	175,020 sq km
Official language(s):	Spanish
Population:	3.5 million (2018)
Currency:	Uruguayan peso

Head of State and Head of Government

President HE Mr Tabaré Vazquez

Economic indicators (a)

	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
GDP (US\$b) (current prices)	57.2	53.3	52.7	59.2	60.2	60.2
GDP per capita (US\$)	16,572.4	15,366.0	15,139.1	16,941.6	17,164.9	17,118.2
GDP PPP (Int'l \$b)	71.6	72.7	74.7	78.2	81.6	84.6
GDP per capita PPP (Int'l \$)	20,744.3	20,962.8	21,468.5	22,374.4	23,274.1	24,051.8
Real GDP growth (% change yoy)	3.2	0.4	1.7	2.7	2.1	1.9
Current account balance (US\$b)	-1.8	-0.5	0.3	0.4	-0.3	-0.5
Current account balance (% GDP)	-3.2	-0.9	0.6	0.7	-0.6	-0.8
Inflation (% change yoy)	8.9	8.7	9.6	6.2	7.6	7.6
Unemployment (% labour force)	6.6	7.5	7.9	7.9	8.0	8.1



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

Australian merchandise trade with Uruguay, 2018 (A\$000)

Exports to Uruguay	9,993
Imports from Uruguay	7,759
Total merchandise trade (exports + imports)	17,752

	Total share	Rank	Growth (yoy)
Exports to Uruguay	0.0%	118th	31.6%
Imports from Uruguay	0.0%	118th	-63.1%
Total merchandise trade (exports + imports)	0.0%	131st	-37.9%

Major Australian exports, 2018 (A\$000)

Hides & skins, raw (excl furskins)	1,924
Wool & other animal hair (incl tops)	1,540
Coated flat-rolled iron & steel	1,497
Crude vegetable matter, nes	1,195

Major Australian imports, 2018 (A\$000)

Plastic plates, sheets & film	2,747
Pulp & waste paper	2,063
Perfumery & cosmetics (excl soap)	457
Misc manufactured articles, nes	369

Australia's trade in services with Uruguay, 2018 (A\$m)

Exports of services to Uruguay	np
Imports of services from Uruguay	14

	Total share	Rank	Growth (yoy)
Exports of services to Uruguay
Imports of services from Uruguay	0.0%	109th	-44.0%

Australia's investment relationship with Uruguay, 2018 (A\$m)

Australia's investment in Uruguay	37
Uruguay's investment in Australia	np

	Total	FDI
Australia's investment in Uruguay	37	np
Uruguay's investment in Australia	np	0

Uruguay's global merchandise trade relationships

Uruguay's principal export destinations, 2017

1 China	18.8%
2 Brazil	16.5%
3 United States	5.8%
73 Australia	0.0%

Uruguay's principal import sources, 2017

1 China	20.0%
2 Brazil	19.5%
3 Argentina	12.6%
57 Australia	0.1%