



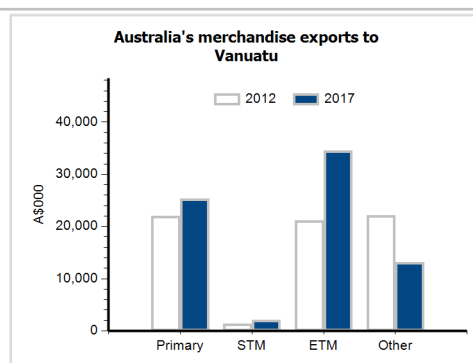
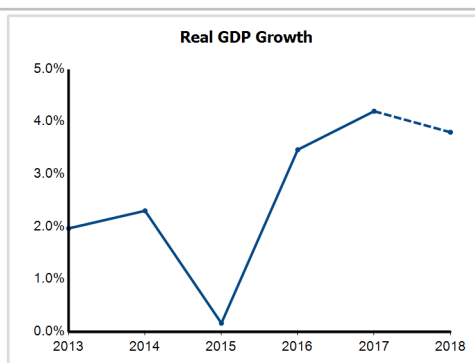
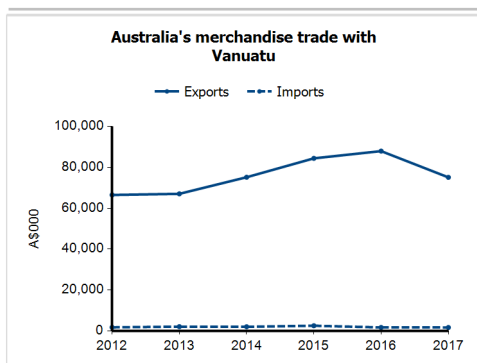
General information

Capital:	Port Vila
Land area:	12,190 sq km
Official language(s):	Bislama, English, French
Population:	281,000 (2017)
Currency:	Vatu

Head of State	President Obed Moses Tallis
Head of Government	Prime Minister The Hon Charlot Salwai Tabimasmass

Economic indicators (a)

	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
GDP (US\$b) (current prices)	0.8	0.8	0.8	0.8	0.9	1.0
GDP per capita (US\$)	3,124.0	3,103.9	2,880.9	2,904.8	3,094.0	3,327.7
GDP PPP (Int'l \$b)	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.8	0.8
GDP per capita PPP (Int'l \$)	2,559.9	2,606.0	2,579.2	2,641.9	2,739.4	2,842.7
Real GDP growth (% change yoy)	2.0	2.3	0.2	3.5	4.2	3.8
Current account balance (US\$m)	-26.0	-2.0	-82.0	-32.0	-78.0	-88.0
Current account balance (% GDP)	-3.3	-0.3	-10.6	-4.1	-9.0	-9.2
Inflation (% change yoy)	1.5	0.8	2.5	0.8	3.1	4.8
Unemployment (% labour force)	5.3	5.3	5.3	5.3	5.2	na



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

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

Exports to Vanuatu	75,135
Imports from Vanuatu	1,677
Total merchandise trade (exports + imports)	76,811

	Total share	Rank	Growth (yoy)
Exports to Vanuatu	0.0%	66th	-14.6%
Imports from Vanuatu	0.0%	143rd	-1.1%
Total merchandise trade (exports + imports)	0.0%	87th	-14.3%

Major Australian exports, 2017 (A\$000)

Meat (excl beef), f.c.f.	3,938
Alcoholic beverages	3,758
Tobacco, manufactured	3,241
Milk, cream, whey & yoghurt	2,213

Major Australian imports, 2017 (A\$000)

Animal feed	576
Non-ferrous waste & scrap	341
Hides & skins, raw (excl furskins)	165
Prms, toys, games & sporting goods	123

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

Exports of services to Vanuatu	60
Imports of services from Vanuatu	170

	Total share	Rank	Growth (yoy)
Exports of services to Vanuatu	0.1%	70th	22.4%
Imports of services from Vanuatu	0.2%	41st	8.3%

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

Australia's investment in Vanuatu	np
Vanuatu's investment in Australia	119

	Total	FDI
Australia's investment in Vanuatu	np	110
Vanuatu's investment in Australia	119	np

Vanuatu's global merchandise trade relationships

Vanuatu's principal export destinations, 2017

1 Honduras	27.0%
2 The Philippines	22.4%
3 Australia	12.9%
4 Japan	6.8%

Vanuatu's principal import sources, 2017

1 Russian Federation	35.2%
2 Australia	19.8%
3 New Zealand	9.8%
4 China	6.3%