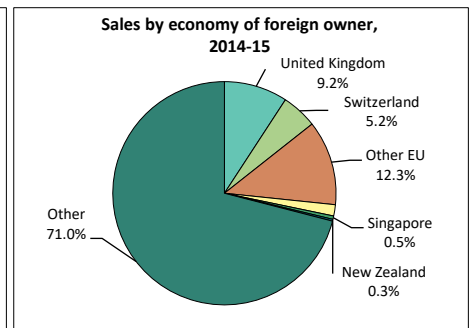
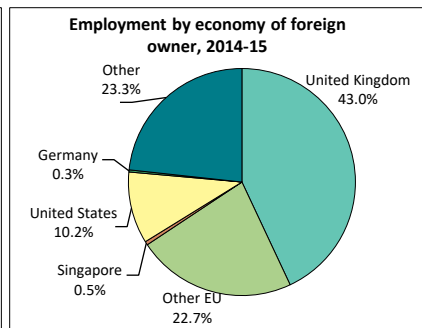
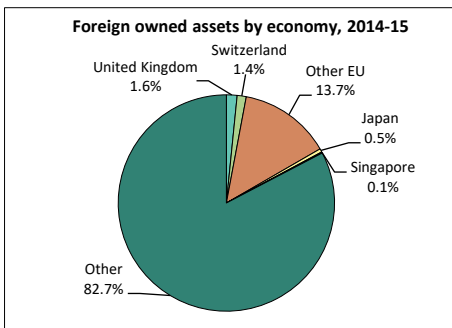
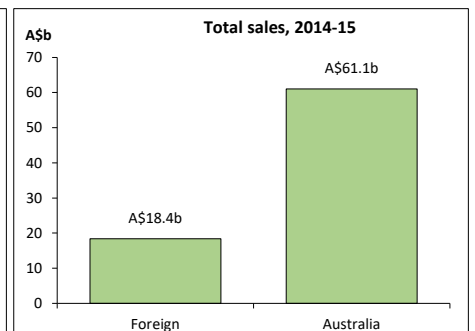
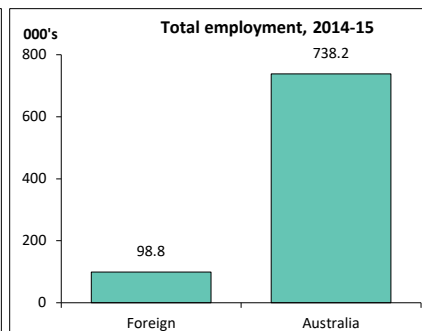
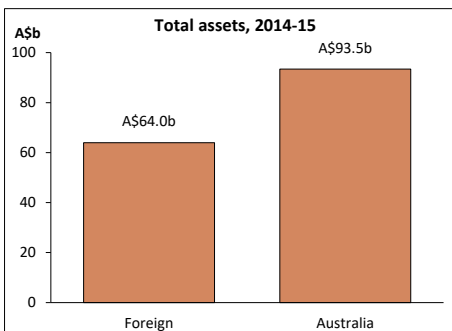




Economic activity of foreign-owned businesses in Australia - Administrative and support services - 2014-15

Key indicators (2014-15)	Unit	Foreign owned (a)	Australian owned (a)	Total Businesses	% share	
					Foreign owned	Australia
Total assets	A\$m	63,983	93,453	157,437	40.6	59.4
Operating businesses	No.	356	79,311	79,667	0.4	99.6
Business size						
Small & Medium (0 to 199 employees)	No.	309	78,834	79,143	0.4	99.6
Large (200 & over employees)	No.	47	477	524	9.0	91.0
Employment	000's	98.8	738.2	837.0	11.8	88.2
Sales of goods and services	A\$m	18,382	61,088	79,470	23.1	76.9
Operating profit before tax	A\$m	1,600	5,330	6,930	23.1	76.9
Wages and salaries	A\$m	5,523	34,423	39,946	13.8	86.2
Average wage per employee	A\$	55,902	46,631	47,725
Capital expenditure	A\$m	546	1,974	2,520	21.7	78.3
Industry value added (IVA)	A\$m	19,689	33,655	53,344	36.9	63.1
IVA per employee	A\$	199,283	45,590	63,732
Return on equity (RoE)	%	9.3	13.4	11.2



Top foreign-owned economies (2014-15)	Rank (b)	Operating businesses			Sales of goods and services		
		Total assets (A\$m)	No.	Employ. (000's)	A\$m	Capital expenditure (A\$m)	Industry value added (A\$m)
United Kingdom	1	1,021	64	42.5	1,692	7	1,853
Switzerland	2	868	10	np	949	np	345
Japan	3	327	12	np	299	0	np
Singapore	4	83	10	0.5	90	4	37
New Zealand	5	25	10	np	48	0	36
United States	6	np	76	10.1	10,630	np	5,254
Netherlands	7	np	13	np	292	np	330
Germany	8	np	6	0.3	np	np	np
All other economies (c)		np	155	np	np	np	np
ASEAN		317	14	0.7	365	5	61
EU28		9,795	101	65.2	3,949	26	3,637

(a) Foreign-owned businesses includes foreign ownership greater than 50%. Australian-owned businesses includes foreign ownership 50% or less. (b) Ranked on Total assets.

(c) Includes foreign-owned businesses with an unknown country of origin.

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