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Department of Foreign Affairs and Trade

# MACAU - SPECIAL ADMINISTRATIVE REGION OF THE PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC OF CHINA



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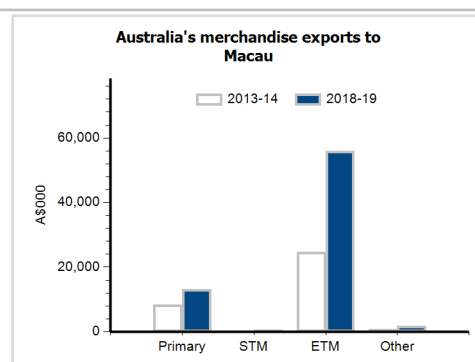
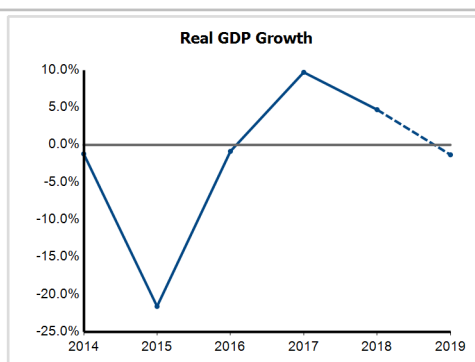
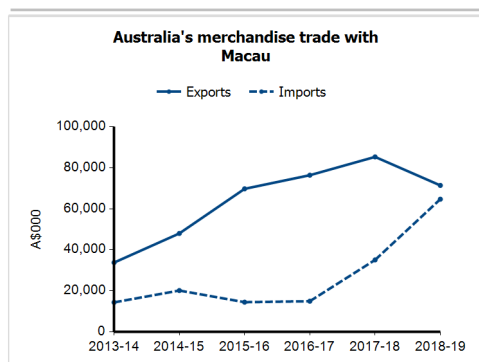
## General information

**Capital:**  
**Land area:** 30 sq km  
**Official language(s):** Chinese (Cantonese), Portuguese  
**Population:** 667,000 (2018)  
**Currency:** Pataca

**Head of State**  
 President HE Mr Xi Jinping  
**Head of Government**  
 Chief Executive Mr Ho Iat Seng

## Economic indicators (a)

	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
<b>GDP (US\$b) (current prices)</b>	55.3	45.4	45.3	50.6	54.5	55.1
<b>GDP per capita (US\$)</b>	86,997.5	70,133.0	70,278.1	77,414.5	81,728.2	81,151.9
<b>GDP PPP (Int'l \$b)</b>	81.3	64.4	64.5	72.1	77.4	77.7
<b>GDP per capita PPP (Int'l \$)</b>	127,816.8	99,599.7	100,061.3	110,434.4	115,913.1	114,363.0
<b>Real GDP growth (% change yoy)</b>	-1.2	-21.6	-0.9	9.7	4.7	-1.3
<b>Current account balance (US\$b)</b>	18.9	11.5	12.3	16.7	19.2	19.7
<b>Current account balance (% GDP)</b>	34.2	25.3	27.2	33.1	35.2	35.7
<b>Inflation (% change yoy)</b>	6.0	4.6	2.4	1.2	3.0	2.4
<b>Unemployment (% labour force)</b>	1.7	1.8	1.9	2.0	1.8	1.8



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

### Australian merchandise trade with Macau, 2018-19 (A\$000)

		Total share	Rank	Growth (yoy)
Exports to Macau	71,415	0.0%	70th	-16.3%
Imports from Macau	64,699	0.0%	73rd	84.5%
Total merchandise trade (exports + imports)	136,115	0.0%	79th	13.0%

### Major Australian exports, 2018-19 (A\$000)

Prams, toys, games & sporting goods	42,978
Lighting fixtures & fittings	4,906
Edible products & preparations, nes	4,472
Live animals (excl seafood)	2,301

### Major Australian imports, 2018-19 (A\$000)

Telecom equipment & parts	61,177
Pharm products (excl medicaments)	1,454
Office machines	249
Footwear	189

### Australia's trade in services with Macau, 2018-19 (A\$m)

		Total share	Rank	Growth (yoy)
Exports of services to Macau	178	0.2%	45th	-6.8%
Imports of services from Macau	21	0.0%	101st	-41.7%

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

	Total	FDI
Australia's investment in Macau	np	np
Macau's investment in Australia	5,655	np

## Macau's global merchandise trade relationships

### Macau's principal export destinations, 2018

1 Hong Kong	62.1%
2 China	16.5%
3 United States	1.1%
12 Australia	0.1%

### Macau's principal import sources, 2018

1 China	35.0%
2 Italy	8.6%
3 France	8.4%
14 Australia	1.1%

Compiled by the Statistics Section, DFAT, using the latest data from the ABS, the IMF and various international sources

(a) Economic indicators data is from the IMF WEO where available, the EIU or other reputable source. Data may include forecasts or projections for recent years. GNI may be shown in lieu of GDP for countries where GDP data is unavailable.  
 (b) Merchandise trade data is based on published and unpublished ABS data. May exclude confidential items of trade. Totals may not add up due to rounding. Investment data is stocks as at end December.

All data may be subject to future revisions.

GDP - Gross Domestic Product PPP - Purchasing power parity GNI - Gross National Income na - Data is not available np - Data is not published .. - Data is not meaningful Primary - Primary goods STM - Simply transformed manufactures  
 ETM - Elaborately transformed manufactures Other - Other goods including non-monetary gold f.c.f. - Fresh, chilled or frozen nes - Not elsewhere specified