



ALGERIA

Fact Sheet

General information:

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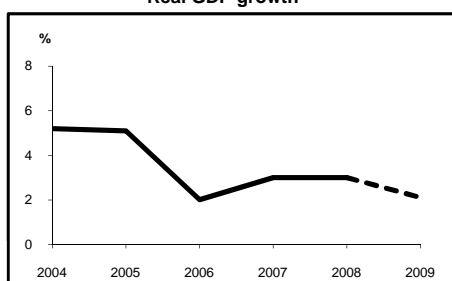
Capital:	Algiers	Head of State:	President HE Mr Abdelaziz Bouteflika
Surface area:	2,382 thousand sq km		
Official language:	Arabic	Head of Government:	Prime Minister HE Mr Abdelaziz Belkhadem
Population:	35.3 million (2009)		
Exchange rate:	A\$1 = 60.9026 Dinars (Aug 2009)		

<i>Recent economic indicators:</i>	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008(a)	2009(b)
GDP (US\$bn) (current prices):	85.1	102.7	116.8	135.3	159.7	134.8
GDP PPP (US\$bn) (c):	181.5	198.9	209.5	221.9	233.5	242.1
GDP per capita (US\$):	2,631	3,122	3,456	3,934	4,588	3,816
GDP per capita PPP (US\$) (c):	5,609	6,044	6,198	6,452	6,709	6,855
Real GDP growth (% change yoy):	5.2	5.1	2.0	3.0	3.0	2.1
Current account balance (US\$m):	11,116	21,183	28,950	30,600	37,082	3,669
Current account balance (% GDP):	13.1	20.6	24.8	22.6	23.2	2.7
Goods & services exports (% GDP):	40.0	47.2	48.7	47.3	52.8	46.1
Inflation (% change yoy):	3.6	1.6	2.5	3.6	4.5	4.6

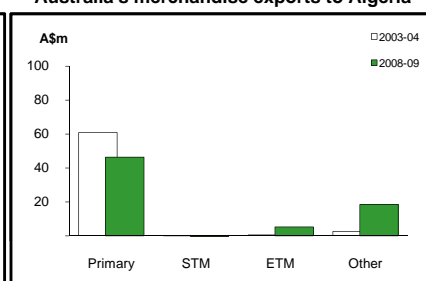
Australia's merchandise trade with Algeria



Real GDP growth



Australia's merchandise exports to Algeria



Australia's trade and investment relationship with Algeria (d):

Australian merchandise trade with Algeria, 2008-09:

Exports to Algeria (A\$m):	70	Total share:	0.0%	Rank:	66th	Growth (yoy):	-16.9%
Imports from Algeria (A\$m):	144		0.1%		54th		13.3%
Total trade (exports + imports) (A\$m):	215		0.0%		65th		1.2%

Major Australian exports, 2008-09* (A\$m):

Coal	24
Milk & cream	16
Cheese & curd	4
Rotating electric plant & parts	4

*Includes A\$19m of confidential items, 26% of total exports.

Major Australian imports, 2008-09 (A\$m):

Crude petroleum	144
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Australia's trade in services with Algeria, 2008-09:

Exports of services to Algeria (A\$m):	na	Total share:	na
Imports of services from Algeria (A\$m):	na		na

Australia's investment relationship with Algeria, 2008 (e):

Australia's investment in Algeria (A\$m):	na	Total:	na	FDI:	na
Algeria's investment in Australia (A\$m):	np		np		na

Algeria's global merchandise trade relationships:

Algeria's principal export destinations, 2007:

1	United States	30.1%
2	Italy	13.2%
3	Spain	8.9%
26	Australia	0.0%

Algeria's principal import sources, 2007:

1	France	16.7%
2	Italy	8.7%
3	China	8.6%
44	Australia	0.2%

Compiled by the Market Information and Research Section, DFAT, using the latest data from the ABS, the IMF and various international sources.

(a) All recent data subject to revision; (b) IMF/EIU forecast; (c) PPP is purchasing power parity; (d) Total may not add due to rounding; (e) Stock, as at 31 December. Released annually by the ABS. na Data not available. np Data not published.