



BURMA (MYANMAR)

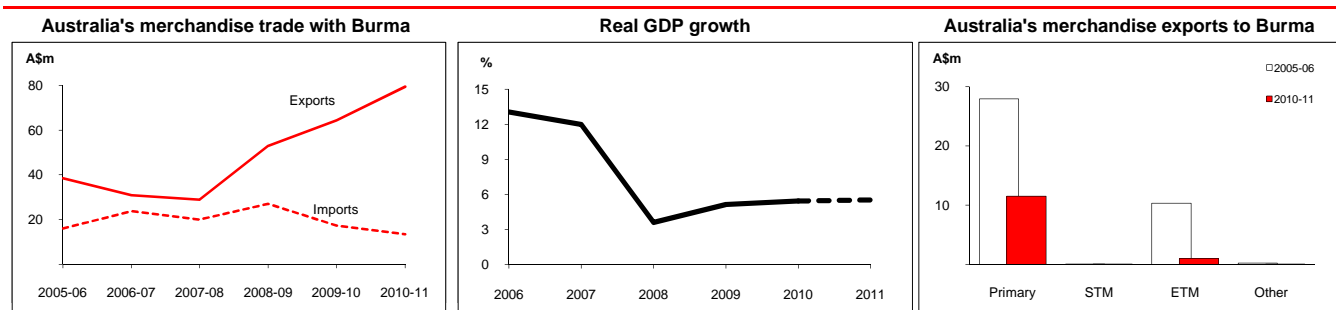
Fact Sheet

General information:

Fact sheets are updated biannually; June and December

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|---------------------------|------------------------------|--|--|
| Capital: | Nay Pyi Taw | Head of State and Head of Government: | |
| Surface area: | 677 thousand sq km | President HE U Thein Sein | |
| Official language: | Burmese | | |
| Population: | 50.5 million (2010) | | |
| Exchange rate: | A\$1 = 891.9150 Kyats (2010) | | |

| Recent economic indicators: | 2006 | 2007 | 2008 | 2009 | 2010(a) | 2011(b) |
|--|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|----------------|----------------|
| GDP (US\$bn) (current prices): | 14.5 | 20.2 | 31.4 | 35.2 | 45.4 | 50.2 |
| GDP PPP (US\$bn) (c): | 55.6 | 64.0 | 67.8 | 72.0 | 76.8 | 82.8 |
| GDP per capita (US\$): | 257 | 350 | 533 | 587 | 742 | 804 |
| GDP per capita PPP (US\$) (c): | 983 | 1,111 | 1,153 | 1,201 | 1,256 | 1,327 |
| Real GDP growth (% change yoy): | 13.1 | 12.0 | 3.6 | 5.1 | 5.5 | 5.5 |
| Current account balance (US\$m): | 1,032 | 112 | -694 | -454 | -629 | -1,525 |
| Current account balance (% GDP): | 7.1 | 0.6 | -2.2 | -1.3 | -1.4 | -3.0 |
| Goods & services exports (% GDP): | 0.2 | 0.2 | 0.1 | 0.1 | 0.1 | na |
| Inflation (% change yoy): | 26.3 | 32.9 | 22.5 | 8.2 | 8.2 | 6.7 |



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

| Australian merchandise trade with Burma, 2010-11: | | Total share: | Rank: | Growth (yoy): |
|--|----|---------------------|--------------|----------------------|
| Exports to Burma (A\$m): | 80 | 0.0% | 65th | 23.5% |
| Imports from Burma (A\$m): | 13 | 0.0% | 89th | -22.7% |
| Total trade (exports + imports) (A\$m): | 93 | 0.0% | 81st | 13.7% |

| Major Australian exports, 2010-11 (A\$m): | | Major Australian imports, 2010-11 (A\$m): | |
|--|----|--|---|
| Wheat | 53 | Fish | 5 |
| Cereal preparations | 5 | Crustaceans | 3 |
| Pigments, paints & varnishes | 5 | Clothing | 2 |
| Sugars, molasses & honey | 5 | Vegetables | 2 |

| Australia's trade in services with Burma, 2010-11: | | Total share: |
|---|----|---------------------|
| Exports of services to Burma (A\$m): | na | na |
| Imports of services from Burma (A\$m): | na | na |

| Australia's investment relationship with Burma, 2010 (e): | Total: | FDI: |
|--|---------------|-------------|
| Australia's investment in Burma (A\$m): | nil | nil |
| Burma's investment in Australia (A\$m): | np | nil |

Myanmar's global merchandise trade relationships:

| Burma's principal export destinations, 2009: | | | Burma's principal import sources, 2009: | | |
|---|-----------|-------|--|-----------|-------|
| 1 | Thailand | 45.8% | 1 | China | 36.8% |
| 2 | India | 12.8% | 2 | Thailand | 24.8% |
| 3 | China | 10.5% | 3 | Singapore | 14.4% |
| 19 | Australia | 0.4% | 11 | Australia | 0.8% |

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 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. ... Data not meaningful.