



BURMA (MYANMAR)

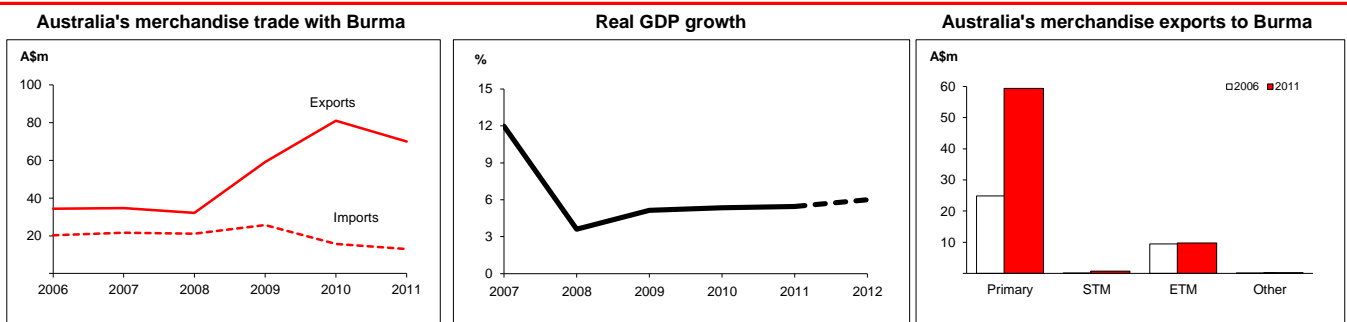
Fact Sheet

General information:

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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 = 840.6725 Kyats (2011)		

<i>Recent economic indicators:</i>	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011 (a)	2012 (b)
GDP (US\$bn) (current prices):	20.2	31.4	35.2	45.4	51.9	54.4
GDP PPP (US\$bn) (c):	64.0	67.8	72.0	76.8	82.7	88.8
GDP per capita (US\$):	350	533	587	742	832	855
GDP per capita PPP (US\$) (c):	1,111	1,153	1,201	1,255	1,325	1,394
Real GDP growth (% change yoy):	12.0	3.6	5.1	5.3	5.5	6.0
Current account balance (US\$m):	112	-860	-983	-392	-1,366	-2,325
Current account balance (% GDP):	0.6	-2.7	-2.8	-0.9	-2.6	-4.3
Goods & services exports (% GDP):	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.1	na	na
Inflation (% change yoy):	32.9	22.5	8.2	8.2	4.2	5.8



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

Australian merchandise trade with Burma, 2011:		Total share:	Rank:	Growth (yoy):
Exports to Burma (A\$m):	70	0.0%	64th	-13.5%
Imports from Burma (A\$m):	13	0.0%	93rd	-17.9%
Total trade (exports + imports) (A\$m):	83	0.0%	80th	-14.2%

Major Australian exports, 2011 (A\$m):		Major Australian imports, 2011 (A\$m):	
Wheat	44	Fish	4
Pigments, paints & varnishes	7	Crustaceans	2
Edible products & preparations	5	Clothing	2
Sugars, molasses & honey	4	Vegetables	2

Australia's trade in services with Burma, 2011:		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, 2011 (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, 2010:			Burma's principal import sources, 2010:		
1	Thailand	41.7%	1	China	27.1%
2	Hong Kong (SAR of China)	21.1%	2	Singapore	27.0%
3	India	12.6%	3	Thailand	11.4%
26	Australia	0.1%	10	Australia	1.7%

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.