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Fact Sheet

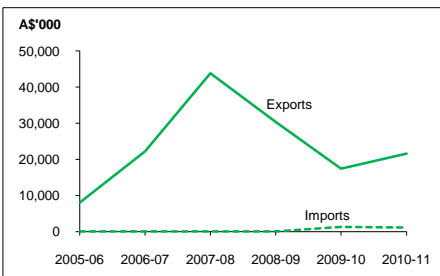
General information:

Fact sheets are updated biannually; June and December

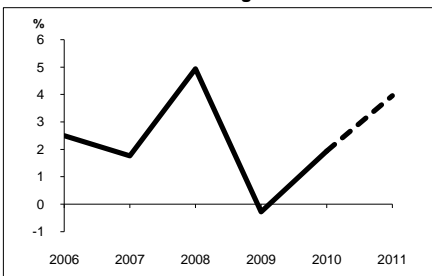
Capital:	Conakry	Head of State:	
Surface area:	246 thousand sq km	HE Professor Alpha Condé	
Official language:	French	Head of Government:	
Population:	10.3 million (2010)	Prime Minister HE Mohamed Said Fofana	
Exchange rate:	A\$1 = 5,333.10 Francs (2010)		

Recent economic indicators:	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010(a)	2011(b)
GDP (US\$bn) (current prices):	2.9	4.2	4.5	4.6	4.6	4.6
GDP PPP (US\$bn) (c):	9.3	9.7	10.4	10.5	10.8	11.5
GDP per capita (US\$):	308	432	459	452	448	438
GDP per capita PPP (US\$) (c):	987	1,011	1,061	1,043	1,049	1,087
Real GDP growth (% change yoy):	2.5	1.8	4.9	-0.3	1.9	4.0
Current account balance (US\$m):	203	-426	-339	-521	-555	-916
Current account balance (% GDP):	7.0	-10.3	-7.5	-11.4	-12.0	-19.8
Goods exports (% GDP):	35.6	28.9	29.7	23.0	31.8	38.3
Inflation (% change yoy):	34.7	22.9	18.4	4.7	15.5	20.6

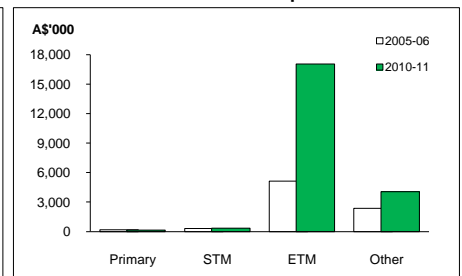
Australia's merchandise trade with Guinea



Real GDP growth



Australia's merchandise exports to Guinea



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

Australian merchandise trade with Guinea, 2010-11:

Exports to Guinea (A\$'000):	21,583
Imports from Guinea (A\$'000):	1,141
Total trade (exports + imports) (A\$'000):	22,725

	Total share:	Rank:	Growth (yoy):
Exports to Guinea	0.0%	94th	24.0%
Imports from Guinea	0.0%	142nd	-11.3%
Total trade	0.0%	117th	21.6%

Major Australian exports*, 2010-11 (A\$'000):

Civil engineering equipment & parts	6,828
Hand or machine tools	2,208
Mechanical handling equip & parts	778
Electrical distributing equipment	555

Major Australian imports, 2010-11 (A\$'000):

Computers	594
Medicaments (incl veterinary)	310
Passenger motor vehicles	124
Measuring & analysing instruments	46

*Includes A\$4m of confidential items & special transactions, 19% of total exports.

Australia's trade in services with Guinea, 2010-11:

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

Australia's investment relationship with Guinea, 2010 (e):

	Total:	FDI:
Australia's investment in Guinea (A\$m):	nil	nil
Guinea's investment in Australia (A\$m):	nil	nil

Guinea's global merchandise trade relationships:

Guinea's principal export destinations, 2008:

1	France	24.5%
2	Switzerland	19.5%
3	Russian Federation	10.6%
51	Australia	0.0%

Guinea's principal import sources, 2008:

1	Netherlands	20.6%
2	France	10.1%
3	United Kingdom	7.9%
7	Australia	3.9%

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. .. Data not meaningful.