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Fact Sheet

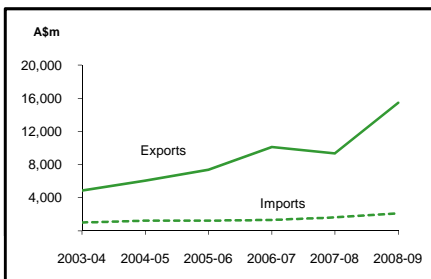
General information:

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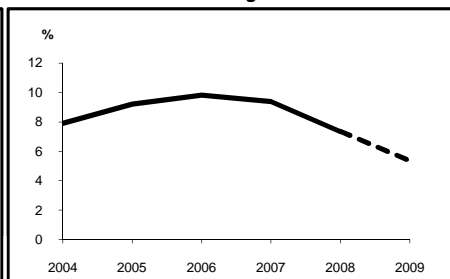
Capital:	New Delhi	Head of State:	
Surface area:	3,287 thousand sq km	Head of Government:	Prime Minister The Hon Dr Manmohan Singh
Official languages:	Hindi, English		
Population:	1,203.3 million (2009)		
Exchange rate:	A\$1 = 40.3307 Rupees (Aug 2009)		

<i>Recent economic indicators:</i>	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008(a)	2009(b)
GDP (US\$bn) (current prices) (c):	669.4	784.3	875.4	1,101.0	1,206.7	1,242.6
GDP PPP (US\$bn) (d):	2,096.1	2,357.8	2,673.6	3,007.9	3,297.8	3,528.6
GDP per capita (US\$):	599	691	760	942	1,017	1,033
GDP per capita PPP (US\$) (d):	1,875	2,078	2,321	2,573	2,780	2,932
Real GDP growth (% change yoy) (c):	7.9	9.2	9.8	9.4	7.3	5.4
Current account balance (US\$m):	781	-10,285	-9,299	-11,285	-26,621	-27,491
Current account balance (% GDP):	0.1	-1.3	-1.1	-1.0	-2.2	-2.2
Goods & services exports (% GDP):	17.4	19.7	22.1	21.5	24.1	22.5
Inflation (% change yoy):	3.8	4.2	6.2	6.4	8.3	8.7

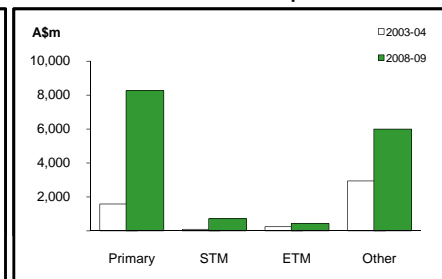
Australia's merchandise trade with India



Real GDP growth



Australia's merchandise exports to India



Australia's trade and investment relationship with India (e):

Australian merchandise trade with India, 2008-09:		Total share:	Rank:	Growth (yoy):
Exports to India (A\$m):	15,413	6.7%	4th	65.2%
Imports from India (A\$m):	2,115	1.0%	21st	31.7%
Total trade (exports + imports) (A\$m):	17,528	3.9%	7th	60.3%

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

Coal	6,686
Gold	5,690
Copper ores & concentrates	739
Fertilisers (excl crude)	439

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

Rotating electric plant & parts	368
Pearls & gems	109
Made-up textile articles	73
Medicaments (incl veterinary)	73

Australia's trade in services with India, 2008-09:

		Total share:
Exports of services to India (A\$m):	3,378	6.3%
Imports of services from India (A\$m):	806	1.4%

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

Education-related travel	2,819
Personal travel excl education	200

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

Personal travel excl education	380
Transportation	148

Australia's investment relationship with India, 2008 (f):

	Total:	FDI:
Australia's investment in India (A\$m):	2,018	535
India's investment in Australia (A\$m):	np	69

India's global merchandise trade relationships:

India's principal export destinations, 2008:

1	United States	11.8%
2	United Arab Emirates	10.3%
3	China	5.6%
34	Australia	0.7%

India's principal import sources, 2008:

1	China	10.5%
2	Saudi Arabia	7.9%
3	United Arab Emirates	6.1%
11	Australia	3.1%

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) Year beginning April 1st; (d) PPP is purchasing power parity; (e) Total may not add due to rounding.

(f) Stock, as at 31 December. Released annually by the ABS. np Not published.