

LITHUANIA

Fact Sheet

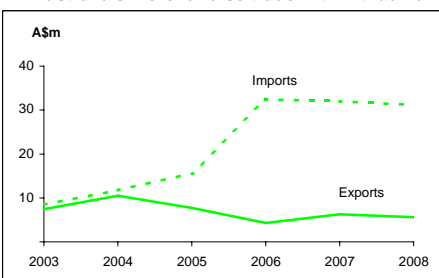
General information:

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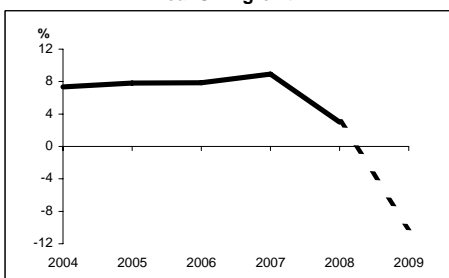
Capital:	Vilnius	Head of State:	
Surface area:	65 thousand sq km	President HE Mr Valdas Adamkus	
Official language:	Lithuanian		
Population:	3.4 million (2008)	Head of Government:	
Exchange rate:	A\$1 = 1.7455 Litai (Feb 2009)	Prime Minister Mr Andrius Kubilius	

<i>Recent economic indicators:</i>	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008(a)	2009(b)
GDP (US\$bn) (current prices):	22.5	26.0	30.1	38.9	47.3	40.4
GDP PPP (US\$bn) (c):	43.4	48.5	54.0	60.4	63.6	57.8
GDP per capita (US\$):	6,563	7,608	8,863	11,520	14,086	12,092
GDP per capita PPP (US\$) (c):	12,623	14,218	15,922	17,907	18,946	17,315
Real GDP growth (% change yoy):	7.4	7.8	7.8	8.9	3.0	-10.0
Current account balance (US\$m):	-1,724	-1,831	-3,218	-5,692	-5,475	-1,604
Current account balance (% GDP):	-7.6	-7.1	-10.7	-14.6	-11.6	-4.0
Goods & services exports (% GDP):	52.1	57.3	59.1	54.5	59.8	55.6
Inflation (% change yoy):	1.2	2.7	3.8	5.8	11.1	5.1

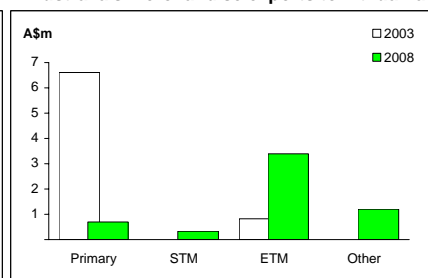
Australia's merchandise trade with Lithuania



Real GDP growth



Australia's merchandise exports to Lithuania



Australia's trade relationship with Lithuania (d):

Australian merchandise trade with Lithuania, 2008:

Exports to Lithuania (A\$m):	6
Imports from Lithuania (A\$m):	31
Total trade (exports + imports) (A\$m):	37

Total share: Rank: Growth (yoy):

0.0%	141st	-9.8%
0.0%	71st	-2.7%
0.0%	100th	-3.8%

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

Measuring & analysing instruments	1
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Major Australian imports, 2008 (A\$m):

Rubber tyres, treads & tubes	11
Furniture, mattresses & cushions	11
Wood, simply worked	2
Wood manufactures	1

*Includes \$1m of confidential items, 20% of total exports.

Australia's trade in services with Lithuania, 2008:

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

Lithuania's global merchandise trade relationships:

Lithuania's principal export destinations, 2008:

1	Russian Federation	16.0%
2	Latvia	11.6%
3	Germany	7.2%
54	Australia	0.1%

Lithuania's principal import sources, 2008:

1	Russian Federation	30.2%
2	Germany	11.7%
3	Poland	10.0%
68	Australia	0.0%

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.

na Data not available.