

LITHUANIA

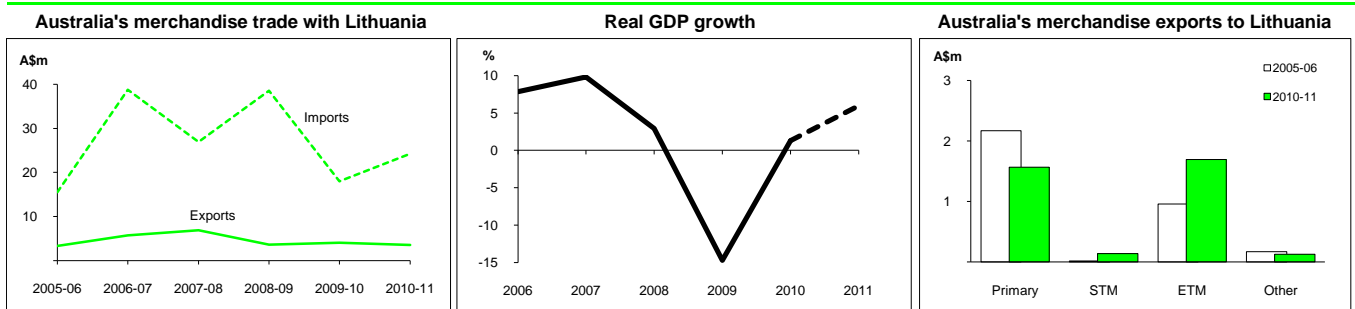
Fact Sheet

General information:

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Capital:	Vilnius	Head of State:	
Surface area:	65 thousand sq km	President HE Ms Dalia Grybauskaitė	
Official language:	Lithuanian		
Population:	3.3 million (2010)	Head of Government:	
Exchange rate:	A\$1 = 2.5945 Litai (Jul 2011)	Prime Minister Mr Andrius Kubilius	

Recent economic indicators:	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010(a)	2011(b)
GDP (US\$bn) (current prices):	30.1	39.1	47.3	36.9	36.4	43.2
GDP PPP (US\$bn) (c):	54.0	61.1	64.3	55.4	56.8	61.4
GDP per capita (US\$):	8,863	11,582	14,084	11,056	11,046	13,190
GDP per capita PPP (US\$) (c):	15,923	18,096	19,138	16,581	17,235	18,770
Real GDP growth (% change yoy):	7.8	9.8	2.9	-14.7	1.3	6.0
Current account balance (US\$m):	-3,218	-5,692	-6,357	1,648	667	-803
Current account balance (% GDP):	-10.7	-14.6	-13.4	4.5	1.8	-1.9
Goods & services exports (% GDP):	59.1	54.2	60.3	54.7	68.6	74.1
Inflation (% change yoy):	3.8	5.8	11.1	4.2	1.2	4.2



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

Australian merchandise trade with Lithuania, 2010-11:		Total share:	Rank:	Growth (yoy):
Exports to Lithuania (A\$m):	4	0.0%	148th	-12.3%
Imports from Lithuania (A\$m):	24	0.0%	79th	34.6%
Total trade (exports + imports) (A\$m):	28	0.0%	111th	26.1%

Major Australian exports, 2010-11 (A\$m):

Wool & other animal hair (incl tops)	2
Ships & boats (incl hovercraft)	1

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

Wood, simply worked	6
Fertilisers (excl crude)	4
Furniture, mattresses & cushions	3
Rubber tyres, treads & tubes	3

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

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

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

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

Lithuania's global merchandise trade relationships:

Lithuania's principal export destinations, 2010:

1	Russian Federation	15.6%
2	Germany	9.8%
3	Latvia	9.5%
53	Australia	0.1%

Lithuania's principal import sources, 2010:

1	Russian Federation	32.7%
2	Germany	10.9%
3	Poland	8.8%
78	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; (e) Stock, as at 31 December. Released annually by the ABS. na Data not available. np Data not published. .. Data not meaningful.