

NEW CALEDONIA

Fact Sheet

General information:

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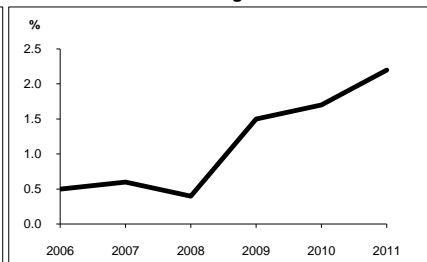
Capital:	Noumea	Head of State:	President HE Mr Nicolas Sarkozy
Surface area:	18.6 thousand sq km	Head of Government:	President of the Government of New Caledonia
Official language:	French		Mr Harold Martin
Population:	254,525 (2010)		
Exchange rate:	A\$1 = 77.6555 CFP Francs (2010)		

Recent economic indicators:	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010(a)	2011(b)
GDP (US\$bn) (current prices):	6.8	9.0	10.3	10.1	9.9	10.6
GDP PPP (US\$bn) (c):	na	na	na	na	na	na
GDP per capita (US\$):	28,761	37,564	42,460	41,127	38,896	na
GDP per capita PPP (US\$) (c):	na	na	na	na	na	na
Real GDP growth (% change yoy):	0.5	0.6	0.4	1.5	1.7	2.2
Current account balance (US\$m):	na	na	na	na	na	na
Current account balance (% GDP):	na	na	na	na	na	na
Goods exports (% GDP):	19.8	14.4	10.0	12.6	na	na
Inflation (% change yoy):	2.9	3.0	0.9	2.7	2.5	2.3

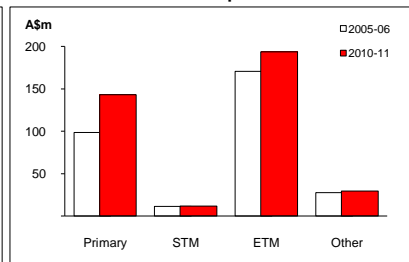
Australia's merchandise trade with New Caledonia



Real GDP growth



Australia's merchandise exports to New Caledonia



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

Australian merchandise trade with New Caledonia, 2010-11:		Total share:	Rank:	Growth (yoy):
Exports to New Caledonia (A\$m):	378	0.2%	39th	13.6%
Imports from New Caledonia (A\$m):	174	0.1%	57th	69.5%
Total trade (exports + imports) (A\$m):	552	0.1%	51st	26.8%

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

Coal	59
Civil engineering equipment & parts	20
Nickel ores & concentrates	16
Mechanical handling equip & parts	15

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

Nickel ore & concentrates	166
Pumps (excl liquid pumps) & parts	1
Civil engineering equipment & parts	1
Trailers & semi-trailers	1

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

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

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

	Total:	FDI:
Australia's investment in New Caledonia (A\$m):	16	np
New Caledonia's investment in Australia (A\$m):	80	np

New Caledonia's global merchandise trade relationships:

New Caledonia's principal export destinations, 2010:

1	France	21.4%
2	Japan	18.8%
3	Republic of Korea	11.6%
4	Australia	9.0%

New Caledonia's principal import sources, 2010:

1	France	22.3%
2	China	17.6%
3	Singapore	12.9%
4	Australia	9.7%

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) 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.