



SUDAN

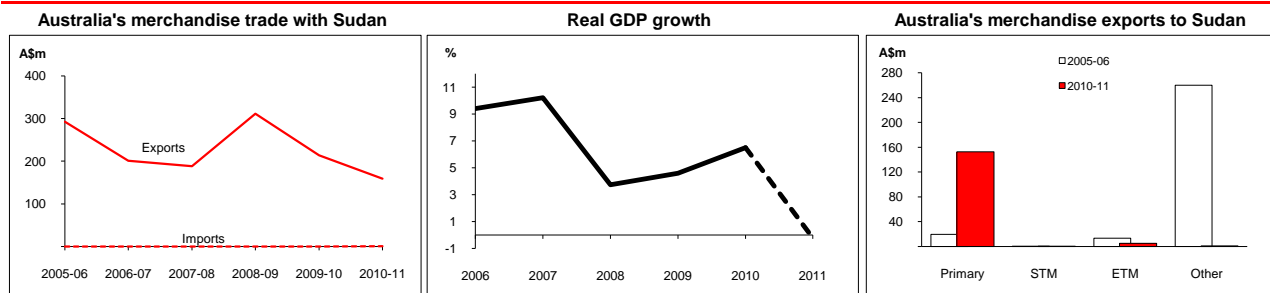
Fact Sheet

General information:

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Capital:	Khartoum	Head of State and Head of Government:	
Surface area:	2,506 thousand sq km	President HE Field Marshal Omer Hassan	
Official language:	Arabic	Ahmed Al Bashir	
Population:	40.1 million (2010)		
Exchange rate:	A\$1 = 2.0155 Pounds (Mar 2010)		

Recent economic indicators:	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010(a)	2011(b)
GDP (US\$bn) (current prices):	35.7	45.7	55.7	52.7	65.4	63.3
GDP PPP (US\$bn) (c):	69.8	79.1	83.9	88.7	95.5	97.4
GDP per capita (US\$):	987	1,230	1,461	1,346	1,629	1,939
GDP per capita PPP (US\$) (c):	1,926	2,129	2,201	2,267	2,380	2,981
Real GDP growth (% change yoy):	9.4	10.2	3.7	4.6	6.5	-0.2
Current account balance (US\$m):	-5,542	-5,812	-5,240	-7,305	-4,367	-4,606
Current account balance (% GDP):	-15.5	-12.7	-9.4	-13.9	-6.7	-7.3
Goods & services exports (% GDP):	16.5	20.3	21.8	16.8	17.8	na
Inflation (% change yoy):	7.2	8.0	14.3	11.3	13.0	20.0



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

Australian merchandise trade with Sudan, 2010-11:		Total share:	Rank:	Growth (yoy):
Exports to Sudan (A\$m):	159	0.1%	51st	-25.4%
Imports from Sudan (A\$m):	1	0.0%	145th	773.3%
Total trade (exports + imports) (A\$m):	160	0.0%	70th	-24.9%

Major Australian exports, 2010-11 (A\$m):		Major Australian imports, 2010-11 (A\$m):	
Wheat	147	Iron, steel, aluminium structures	1
Oil-seeds & oleaginous fruits, soft	2		
Milk, cream, whey & yoghurt	1		
Beef	1		

Australia's trade in services with Sudan, 2010-11:		Total share:
Exports of services to Sudan (A\$m):	na	na
Imports of services from Sudan (A\$m):	na	na

Australia's investment relationship with Sudan, 2010 (e):	Total:	FDI:
Australia's investment in Sudan (A\$m):	nil	nil
Sudan's investment in Australia (A\$m):	nil	nil

Sudan's global merchandise trade relationships:

Sudan's principal export destinations, 2009:			Sudan's principal import sources, 2009:		
1	China	65.3%	1	China	16.6%
2	United Arab Emirates	10.5%	2	Japan	9.5%
3	Canada	8.8%	3	Saudi Arabia	7.6%
75	Australia	0.0%	10	Australia	3.2%

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 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.