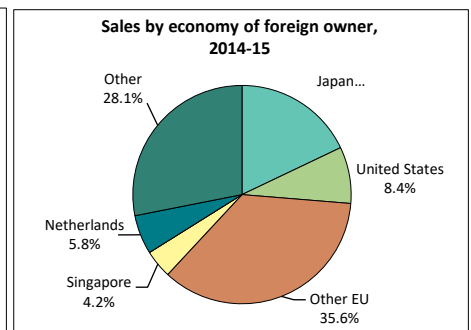
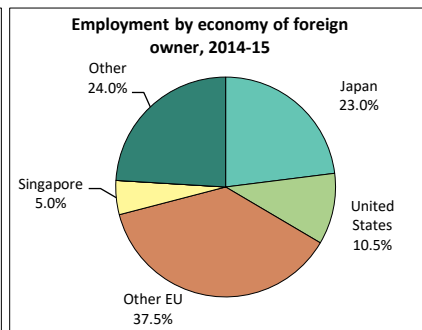
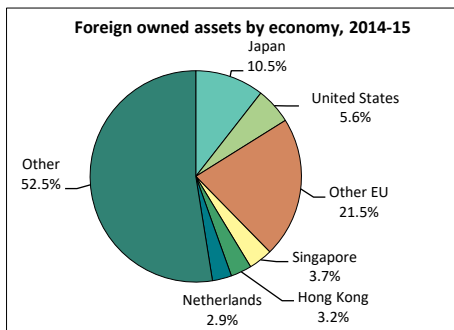
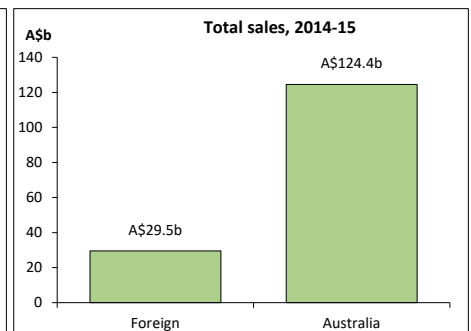
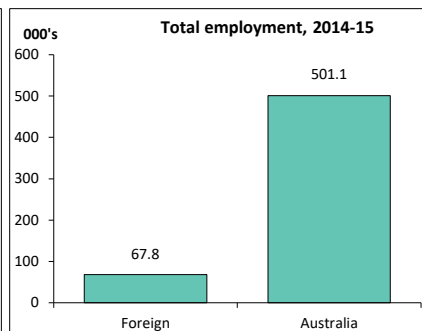
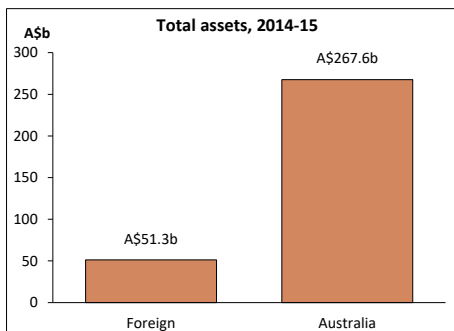




## Economic activity of foreign-owned businesses in Australia - Transport, postal & warehousing - 2014-15

Key indicators (2014-15)	Unit	Foreign owned (a)	Australian owned (a)	Total Businesses	% share	
					Foreign owned	Australia
Total assets	A\$m	51,273	267,619	318,891	16.1	83.9
Operating businesses	No.	369	126,647	127,016	0.3	99.7
Business size						
Small & Medium (0 to 199 employees)	No.	300	126,489	126,789	0.2	99.8
Large (200 & over employees)	No.	69	158	227	30.4	69.6
Employment	000's	67.8	501.1	569.0	11.9	88.1
Sales of goods and services	A\$m	29,517	124,447	153,964	19.2	80.8
Operating profit before tax	A\$m	2,176	15,804	17,980	12.1	87.9
Wages and salaries	A\$m	5,018	28,321	33,339	15.1	84.9
Average wage per employee	A\$	74,016	56,517	58,592	..	..
Capital expenditure	A\$m	3,803	24,914	28,717	13.2	86.8
Industry value added (IVA)	A\$m	11,798	57,925	69,723	16.9	83.1
IVA per employee	A\$	174,018	115,595	122,536	..	..
Return on equity (RoE)	%	21.5	34.0	31.7	..	..



Top foreign-owned economies (2014-15)	Rank (b)	Operating businesses		Sales of goods and services		Capital expenditure		Industry value added	
		Total assets (A\$m)	No.	Employ. (000's)	A\$m	A\$m	A\$m		
Japan	1	5,409	28	15.6	5,291	185	895		
United States	2	2,851	42	7.1	2,472	260	983		
Singapore	3	1,875	21	3.4	1,234	np	297		
Hong Kong (SAR of China)	4	1,645	15	np	np	130	665		
Netherlands	5	1,511	14	np	1,711	np	879		
Germany	6	1,080	11	3.5	3,464	15	709		
Denmark	7	836	7	1.4	637	np	322		
New Zealand	8	808	21	1.4	943	np	144		
Norway	9	554	15	1.5	771	np	862		
France	10	418	6	1.2	518	np	89		
All other economies (c)		np	189	np	np	np	np		
ASEAN		2,018	24	3.4	1,314	140	359		
EU28		12,560	71	25.4	12,226	1,281	5,821		

(a) Foreign-owned businesses includes foreign ownership greater than 50%, Australian-owned businesses includes foreign ownership 50% or less. (b) Ranked on Total assets.

(c) Includes foreign-owned businesses with an unknown country of origin.

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