



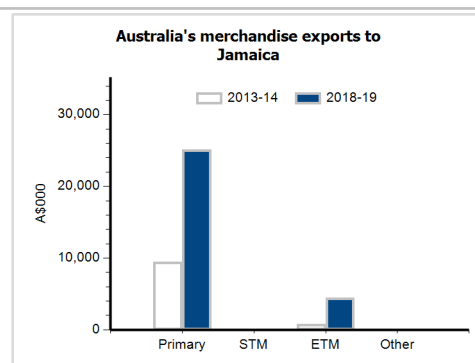
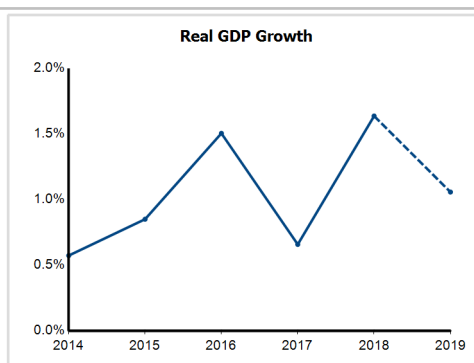
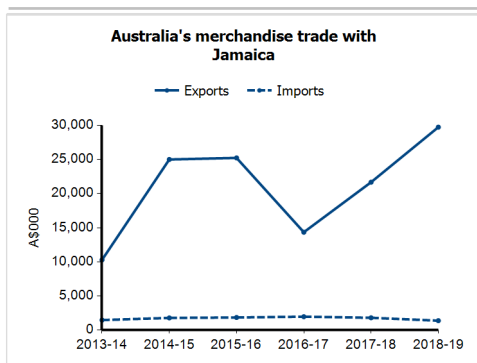
General information

Capital:	Kingston
Land area:	10,830 sq km
Official language(s):	English
Population:	2.9 million (2018)
Currency:	Jamaican Dollar

Head of State	HM Queen Elizabeth II represented by Governor General HE The Most Hon Sir Patrick Linton Allen
Head of Government	Prime Minister The Most Hon Andrew Michael Holness

Economic indicators (a)

	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
GDP (US\$b) (current prices)	13.9	14.2	14.1	14.8	15.5	15.7
GDP per capita (US\$)	4,953.2	5,029.1	4,986.5	5,193.5	5,406.4	5,461.0
GDP PPP (Int'l \$b)	24.3	24.7	25.4	26.0	27.1	27.9
GDP per capita PPP (Int'l \$)	8,675.0	8,792.4	8,968.7	9,148.3	9,473.4	9,691.9
Real GDP growth (% change yoy)	0.6	0.9	1.5	0.7	1.6	1.1
Current account balance (US\$b)	-1.0	-0.4	-0.2	-0.4	-0.4	-0.4
Current account balance (% GDP)	-7.5	-3.1	-1.4	-2.6	-2.4	-2.5
Inflation (% change yoy)	8.3	3.7	2.3	4.4	3.7	3.6
Unemployment (% labour force)	14.2	13.5	13.2	11.7	9.1	8.5



Australia's trade and investment relationship with Jamaica (b)

Australian merchandise trade with Jamaica, 2018-19 (A\$000)	Total share	Rank	Growth (yoy)
Exports to Jamaica	0.0%	89th	37.3%
Imports from Jamaica	0.0%	152nd	-24.0%
Total merchandise trade (exports + imports)	0.0%	118th	32.6%

Major Australian exports, 2018-19 (A\$000)

Meat (excl beef), f.c.f.	21,692
Beef, f.c.f.	2,764
Vehicle parts & accessories	2,354
Alcoholic beverages	569

Major Australian imports, 2018-19 (A\$000)

Alcoholic beverages	1,146
Coffee & substitutes	74
Edible products & preparations, nes	63
Essential oils & perfumes	23

Australia's trade in services with Jamaica, 2018-19 (A\$m)

	Total share	Rank	Growth (yoy)
Exports of services to Jamaica	0.0%	142nd	-25.0%
Imports of services from Jamaica	0.0%	132nd	20.0%

Australia's investment relationship with Jamaica, 2018 (A\$m)

	Total	FDI
Australia's investment in Jamaica	np	0
Jamaica's investment in Australia	np	np

Jamaica's global merchandise trade relationships

Jamaica's principal export destinations, 2017

1 United States	45.0%
2 The Netherlands	12.0%
3 Canada	9.6%
52 Australia	0.1%

Jamaica's principal import sources, 2017

1 United States	43.7%
2 Japan	6.3%
3 China	6.3%
40 Australia	0.2%