



JAMAICA

Key economic indicators: 2023 (top), 2022 (bottom) and sparkline (2018-2023). Estimates are blue. Source: IMF WEO

Nominal GDP (USD billions)	Population (people, millions)	Real GDP growth (% yoy)	Unemployment (% labour force)	Current account balance (% GDP)	Gross govt debt (% GDP)
19.3 ▲ 17.0	2.7 ▲ 2.7	2.6 ▼ 5.2	4.4 ▼ 6.3	2.9 ▲ -0.8	73.3 ▼ 77.0

Australia - Jamaica investment, 2023 (stocks)

Source: ABS

Investment in Jamaica		Investment from Jamaica	
Total (A\$m)	FDI (A\$m)	Total (A\$m)	FDI (A\$m)
np	-	np	-
Destination Ranking: na		Source Ranking: na	

Australia's goods and services trade with Jamaica, 2023-24

Source: DFAT-adjusted ABS data

Exports		Destination Ranking: 103	Imports		Source Ranking: 163
Item	A\$k		Item	A\$k	
Meat (excl beef), f.c.f.	36,910.1		Recreational travel	3,000.0	
Beef, f.c.f.	8,931.0		Alcoholic beverages	1,603.2	
Coated flat-rolled iron & steel	2,365.1		Edible products & preparations, nes	158.1	
Business-related travel	1,000.0		Coffee & substitutes	119.1	
Education-related travel	1,000.0		Agric machinery (excl tractors) & parts	32.5	
Other services - details not provided	1,000.0		Crude vegetable matter, nes	24.5	
Recreational travel	1,000.0		Organo-inorganic compounds	21.3	
Total	57,058.6		Total	4,989.0	

Jamaica's global merchandise trade relationships, 2023

Source: Various international sources

Principal export destinations			Principal import sources		
Destination	Share	Rank	Destination	Share	Rank
United States	50.5%	1	United States	41.3%	1
Russian Federation	6.9%	2	China	8.0%	2
Latvia	6.5%	3	Brazil	4.8%	3
Iceland	4.7%	4	Japan	3.8%	4
United Kingdom	3.4%	5	Colombia	3.7%	5
Australia	0.0%	51	Australia	0.3%	38

Flow of people from Jamaica

Source: Home Affairs, DESE

Visitor arrivals (movements)	Resident returns (movements)	International student numbers	Arrivals and returns, years ended Jun
Year ended Jun 2024	Year ended Jun 2024	2023	
450	440	22	
0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	

Compiled by the Trade Data Section, DFAT, using the latest data from the ABS, the IMF and various international sources.
IMF data may include forecasts or projections for recent years.
Merchandise trade data may exclude confidential items of trade. Totals may not add up due to rounding. Investment data is stocks as at end December. All data may be subject to future revisions.
GDP - Gross Domestic Product. na - Data is not available. np - Data is not published. f.c.f - Fresh, chilled or frozen. nes - Not elsewhere specified.