

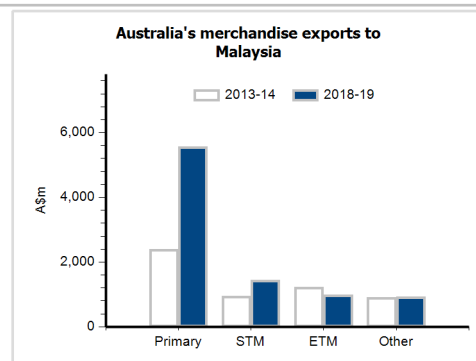
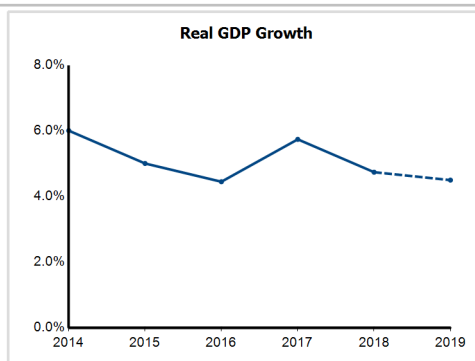
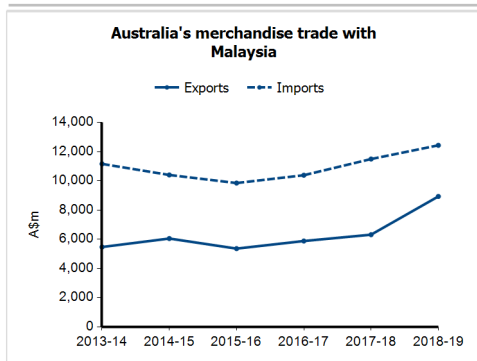
General information

Capital:	Kuala Lumpur
Land area:	328,550 sq km
Official language(s):	Malay
Population:	32.4 million (2018)
Currency:	Ringgit

Head of State
His Majesty The Yang di-Pertuan Agong XVI, Al-Sultan Abdullah Ri'ayatuddin Al-Mustafa Billah Shah Ibni Sultan Haji Ahmad Shah Al-Musta'in Billah
Head of Government
Prime Minister YAB Tan Sri Muhyiddin Mohd Yassin

Economic indicators (a)

	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
GDP (US\$b) (current prices)	342.9	301.4	301.3	319.0	358.6	365.3
GDP per capita (US\$)	11,165.3	9,663.1	9,523.3	9,960.3	11,072.4	11,136.8
GDP PPP (Int'l \$b)	783.5	831.3	877.2	945.1	1,014.0	1,078.5
GDP per capita PPP (Int'l \$)	25,513.2	26,655.1	27,731.6	29,513.2	31,311.3	32,880.8
Real GDP growth (% change yoy)	6.0	5.0	4.5	5.7	4.7	4.5
Current account balance (US\$b)	14.8	9.0	7.2	8.9	7.5	11.4
Current account balance (% GDP)	4.3	3.0	2.4	2.8	2.1	3.1
Inflation (% change yoy)	3.1	2.1	2.1	3.8	1.0	1.0
Unemployment (% labour force)	2.9	3.2	3.5	3.4	3.3	3.4



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

Australian merchandise trade with Malaysia, 2018-19 (A\$m)	Total share	Rank	Growth (yoy)
Exports to Malaysia	2.4%	9th	41.5%
Imports from Malaysia	3.9%	7th	8.2%
Total merchandise trade (exports + imports)	3.1%	6th	20.0%

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

Crude petroleum	1,619
Coal	1,254
Copper	1,184
Natural gas	816

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

Crude petroleum	4,116
Refined petroleum	2,046
Computers	705
Telecom equipment & parts	381

*Includes \$904m of confidential items & special transactions, 10% of total exports.

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

	Total share	Rank	Growth (yoy)
Exports of services to Malaysia	2.7%	10th	0.0%
Imports of services from Malaysia	1.1%	20th	13.0%

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

Education-related travel	1,378
Personal travel excluding education	763

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

Personal travel excluding education	557
Transport	321

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

	Total	FDI
Australia's investment in Malaysia	10,255	6,001
Malaysia's investment in Australia	22,172	13,941

Malaysia's global merchandise trade relationships

Malaysia's principal export destinations, 2018

1 Singapore	13.9%
2 China	13.9%
3 United States	9.1%
10 Australia	3.4%

Malaysia's principal import sources, 2018

1 China	19.9%
2 Singapore	11.7%
3 United States	7.4%
11 Australia	2.5%

Compiled by the Statistics Section, DFAT, using the latest data from the ABS, the IMF and various international sources

(a) Economic indicators data is from the IMF WEO where available, the EIU or other reputable source. Data may include forecasts or projections for recent years. GNI may be shown in lieu of GDP for countries where GDP data is unavailable.

(b) Merchandise trade data is based on published and unpublished ABS 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 PPP - Purchasing power parity GNI - Gross National Income na - Data is not available np - Data is not published .. - Data is not meaningful Primary - Primary goods STM - Simply transformed manufactures ETM - Elaborately transformed manufactures Other - Other goods including non-monetary gold f.c.f. - Fresh, chilled or frozen nes - Not elsewhere specified