



MALTA

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)
22.3 ▲ 19.2	0.5 ▲ 0.5	7.5 ▲ 4.1	3.1 ▼ 3.5	0.9 ▲ -3.8	47.3 ▼ 49.3

Australia - Malta investment, 2023 (stocks)

Source: ABS

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

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

Source: DFAT-adjusted ABS data

Exports		Destination Ranking: 51	Imports		Source Ranking: 69
Item	A\$m		Item	A\$m	
Other services - details not provided	569.0		Other services - details not provided	99.0	
Recreational travel	8.0		Recreational travel	72.0	
Cheese & curd	1.7		Musical instruments & parts	53.3	
Margarine	1.2		Medical instruments (incl veterinary)	11.0	
Ships, boats & floating structures	1.1		Medicaments (incl veterinary)	6.0	
Business-related travel	1.0		Business-related travel	2.0	
Education-related travel	1.0		Printed matter	1.6	
Total	585.6		Total	251.7	

Malta's global merchandise trade relationships, 2023

Source: Various international sources

Principal export destinations				Principal import sources			
Destination	Share	Rank		Destination	Share	Rank	
Germany	26.6%	1		Italy	22.3%	1	
Japan	5.8%	2		Germany	8.9%	2	
Italy	5.7%	3		France	7.7%	3	
Hong Kong (SAR of China)	4.5%	4		Spain	6.8%	4	
Singapore	4.4%	5		United Kingdom	5.5%	5	
Australia	0.9%	22		Australia	0.1%	62	

Flow of people from Malta

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	
2,350	11,290	23	
0.0%	0.1%	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.