



Source: IMF WEO

Gross govt debt

(% GDP)

42.3

Source: ABS

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

Australia's goods and services trade with Nicaragua, 2024

Source: DFAT-adjusted ABS data

Exports	Destination Ranking: 197	
Item	A\$000	
Education-related travel	1,000.0	
Tubes & pipes of iron or steel	235.3	
Civil engineering equipment & parts	113.7	
Vehicle parts & accessories	102.0	
Specialised machinery & parts	98.5	
Miscellaneous chemical products, nes	80.0	
Measuring & analysing instruments	32.3	
Total	1,751.9	

Imports	Source Ranking: 122
Item	A\$000
Coffee & substitutes	17,259.6
Other textile clothing	6,805.1
Recreational travel	1,000.0
Men's clothing (excl knitted)	981.5
Medical instruments (incl veterinary)	736.8
Women's clothing, knitted	734.2
Tobacco, manufactured	483.2
Total	28,920.8

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Nicaragua's global merchandise trade relationships, 2024

Source: Various international sources Principal import sources

Principal export destinations			
Destination	Share	Rank	
United States	37.4%	1	
Canada	12.4%	2	
Mexico	4.1%	3	
Belgium	2.7%	4	
Panama	1.6%	5	
Australia	0.2%	16	

Destination	Share	Rank
United States	22.4%	1
China	15.2%	2
Mexico	7.2%	3
India	2.3%	4
Japan	2.2%	5
Australia	0.0%	41

Flow of people from Nicaragua

Arrivals and returns, years ended Dec

2020

Source: Home Affairs, DESE

arrivals returns

Visitor arrivals (movements)
Year ended Dec 2024
90
0.0%

Evporto

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Resident returns (movements)
Year ended Dec 2024
140
0.0%

International student numbers 2024 14 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.