



## General information

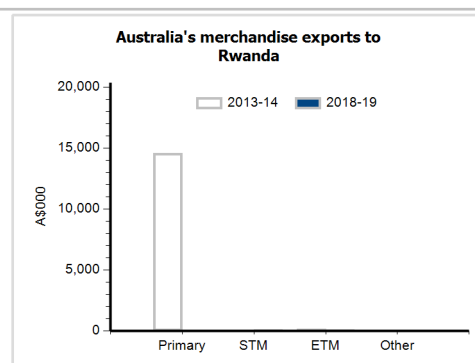
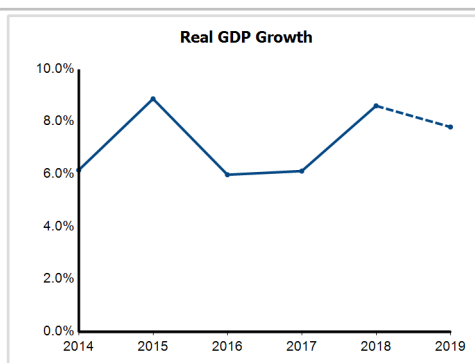
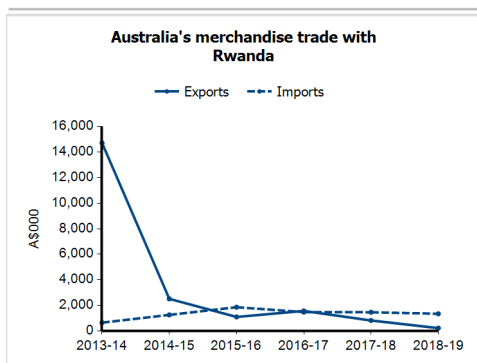
<b>Capital:</b>	Kigali
<b>Land area:</b>	24,670 sq km
<b>Official language(s):</b>	Kinyarwanda, French, English
<b>Population:</b>	12.1 million (2018)
<b>Currency:</b>	Rwanda franc

### Head of State and Head of Government

President HE Paul Kagame

### Economic indicators (a)

	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
<b>GDP (US\$b) (current prices)</b>	8.0	8.3	8.5	9.1	9.5	10.2
<b>GDP per capita (US\$)</b>	728.0	736.4	734.8	773.8	786.5	824.9
<b>GDP PPP (Int'l \$b)</b>	19.5	21.5	23.0	24.9	27.7	30.3
<b>GDP per capita PPP (Int'l \$)</b>	1,774.1	1,906.6	1,993.6	2,104.8	2,287.3	2,452.0
<b>Real GDP growth (% change yoy)</b>	6.2	8.9	6.0	6.1	8.6	7.8
<b>Current account balance (US\$b)</b>	-0.9	-1.1	-1.2	-0.6	-0.7	-0.9
<b>Current account balance (% GDP)</b>	-11.8	-13.3	-14.3	-6.8	-7.8	-9.2
<b>Inflation (% change yoy)</b>	1.8	2.5	5.7	4.8	1.4	3.5
<b>Unemployment (% labour force)</b>	1.2	1.1	1.0	1.0	1.0	na



## Australia's trade and investment relationship with Rwanda (b)

### Australian merchandise trade with Rwanda, 2018-19 (A\$000)

		Total share	Rank	Growth (yoy)
Exports to Rwanda	217	0.0%	202nd	-73.4%
Imports from Rwanda	1,341	0.0%	153rd	-8.1%
Total merchandise trade (exports + imports)	1,558	0.0%	189th	-31.5%

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

Paper & paperboard	72
Electrical circuits equipment	33
Pharm products (excl medicaments)	27
Measuring & analysing instruments	17

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

Coffee & substitutes	1,223
Vegetables, prepared or preserved	41
Crude vegetable matter, nes	25
Tea & mate	20

\*Includes \$40,000 of special transactions, 18% of total exports.

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

		Total share	Rank	Growth (yoy)
Exports of services to Rwanda	4	0.0%	133rd	100.0%
Imports of services from Rwanda	8	0.0%	121st	33.3%

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

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

## Rwanda's global merchandise trade relationships

### Rwanda's principal export destinations, 2018

1 Dem. Rep. of Congo	26.4%
2 United Arab Emirates	17.7%
3 Kenya	12.2%
42 Australia	0.0%

### Rwanda's principal import sources, 2018

1 China	19.3%
2 United Arab Emirates	10.1%
3 India	9.3%
46 Australia	0.1%