

Source: IMF WEO

TONGA

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

Real GDP growth Unemployment Nominal GDP **Population** Current account Gross govt debt (% labour force) balance (% GDP) (% GDP) (% yoy) (USD billions) (people, millions) 43.3 ▼ -6.6 0.5 • 2.0 • na 0.5 -6.8 ^ 0.1 47.5 na

Australia - Tonga investment, 2023 (stocks)

Source: ABS

Investment in Tonga		Investment from Tonga		
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 Tonga, 2023-24

Source: DFAT-adjusted ABS data

Exports	Destination Ranking: 87
Item	A\$m
Other services - details not provided	22.0
Recreational travel	22.0
Business-related travel	20.0
Meat (excl beef), f.c.f.	9.9
Education-related travel	7.0
Mineral manufactures, nes	2.3
Medical instruments (incl veterinary)	1.8
Total	106.7

Imports	Source Ranking: 94
Item	A\$m
Recreational travel	92.0
Business-related travel	6.0
Other services - details not provided	6.0
Vegetables, f.c.f.	2.1
Education-related travel	1.0
Non-ferrous waste & scrap	0.3
Crude vegetable matter, nes	0.2
Total	108.0

Tonga's global merchandise trade relationships, 2023

Source: Various international sources

Principal export destinations				
Destination	•	Share	Rank	
New Zealand		43.4%	1	
Australia		16.8%	2	
United States		16.1%	3	
Fiji		6.8%	4	
Japan		5.7%	5	

Principal import sources				
Destination		Share	Rank	
New Zealand		30.2%	1	
China		13.1%	2	
Singapore		13.1%	3	
Fiji		9.3%	4	
United States		8.4%	5	
Australia		8.3%	6	

Flow of people from Tonga

Source: Home Affairs, DESE

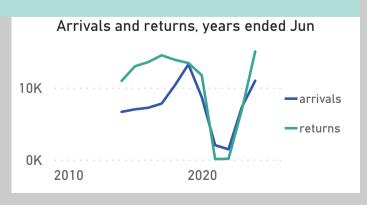
Visitor arrivals (movements)
Year ended Jun 2024
10,960

Resident returns (movements)
Year ended Jun 2024
15,030

0.1%

International student numbers
2023
77

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.

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