



URUGUAY

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

Source: IMF WEO

Nominal GDP (USD billions)

77.2 ▲

70.2

Exports

Population (people, millions)

3.6

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Real GDP growth (% yoy)

0.4 ▼ 4.7 √

Unemployment Curre (% labour force) balance

8.3

Current account balance (% GDP)

-3.9 **^**

Gross govt debt (% GDP)

60.3 ^A

Australia - Uruguay investment, 2023 (stocks)

Source: ABS

Investment	in Uruguay
Total (A\$m)	FDI (A\$m)
457	np
Destination Ranking: na	

Investment from Uruguay

Total (A\$m) FDI (A\$m)

19

Source Ranking: na

np

Australia's goods and services trade with Uruguay, 2023

Source: DFAT-adjusted ABS data

Exports	Destinatio	n Kanking: 12	10
Item		A\$m	^
Education-related travel		9.0	
Recreational travel		8.0	
Other services - details not provided		3.0	
Animal oils & fats		2.4	
Business-related travel		2.0	
Crude vegetable matter, nes		1.4	
Wool & other animal hair (incl tops)		1.4	V
Total		32.1	

illiports S	ource Ranking: I	17
Item	A\$m	^
Misc manufactured articles, nes	12.6	
Recreational travel	5.0	
Wood, simply worked	4.5	
Electric power machinery & parts	1.6	
Agric machinery (excl tractors) & parts	1.1	
Business-related travel	1.0	
Other services - details not provided	1.0	~
Total	30.7	

Uruguay's global merchandise trade relationships, 2023

Source: Various international sources

Source: Home Affairs, DESE

Destination	•	Share	Rank
Brazil		20.5%	1
China		16.8%	2
United States		8.1%	3
Argentina		5.0%	4
Türkiye		2.8%	5
Australia		0.1%	59

Visitor arrivals (movements)

Year ended Dec 2023

2950

Destination	Share	Rank
Brazil	22.0%	1
China	19.1%	2
Argentina	12.1%	3
United States	8.8%	4
Nigeria	4.4%	5
Australia	0.1%	61

Principal import sources

Flow of people from Uruguay

Resident returns (movements)

Year ended Dec 2023

1,270

0.0%

International student numbers
2023
220

0.0%

Arrivals and returns, years ended Dec

2K — arrivals
— returns

OK 2010 2020

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