



## ZAMBIA

Key economic indicators: 2025 (top), 2024 (bottom) and sparkline (2020-2025). 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)
28.9 ▲ 25.3	21.9 ▲ 21.3	3.8 ▼ 3.8	na na	-3.5 ▲ -4.4	86.0 ▼ 125.2

### Australia - Zambia investment, 2025 (stocks)

Source: ABS

#### Investment in Zambia

Total (A\$m)

np

Destination Ranking: na

FDI (A\$m)

np

#### Investment from Zambia

Total (A\$m)

np

Source Ranking: na

FDI (A\$m)

np

### Australia's goods and services trade with Zambia, 2025

Source: DFAT-adjusted ABS data

#### Exports

Destination Ranking: 99

Item	A\$m
Wheat	30.2
Education-related travel	14.0
Recreational travel	4.0
Civil engineering equipment & parts	2.2
Specialised machinery & parts	2.0
Mechanical handling equip & parts	1.9
<b>Total</b>	<b>77.9</b>

#### Imports

Source Ranking: 131

Item	A\$m
Recreational travel	18.0
Business-related travel	5.0
Vegetables, prepared or preserved	0.9
Gold	0.6
Pearls & gems	0.3
Measuring & analysing instruments	0.1
<b>Total</b>	<b>25.3</b>

### Zambia's global merchandise trade relationships, 2025

Source: Various international sources

#### Principal export destinations

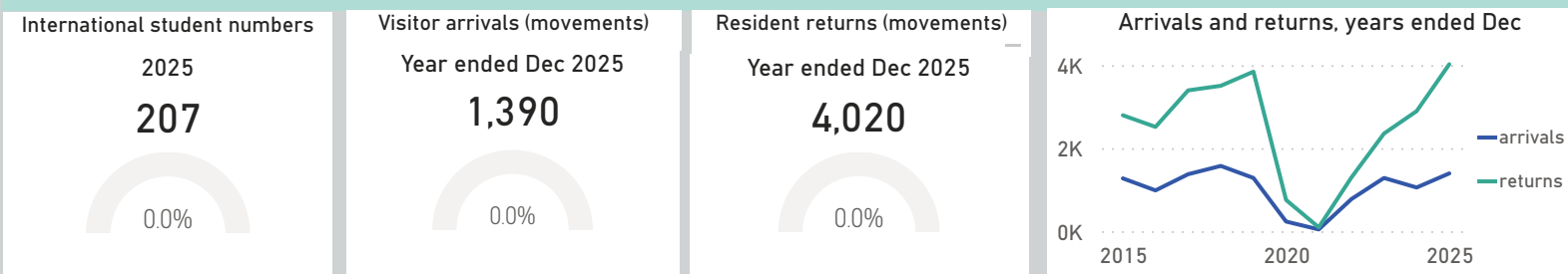
Destination	Share	Rank
Canada	25.9%	1
Switzerland	16.5%	2
Singapore	13.5%	3
Democratic Republic of the Congo	12.0%	4
China	8.9%	5
Australia	0.0%	53

#### Principal import sources

Destination	Share	Rank
South Africa	24.2%	1
China	20.2%	2
United Arab Emirates	7.9%	3
India	4.5%	4
Japan	4.0%	5
Australia	0.9%	18

### Flow of people from Zambia

Source: Home Affairs, DESE



Compiled by the Trade Data Section, DFAT, using the latest data from the ABS, the IMF and various international sources. All data may be subject to future revisions.

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.

**Belgium only:** The majority of total investment from Belgium is portfolio investment liabilities in the form of debt securities (Belgium hosts a major clearing house and depository for euro-denominated bonds and other securities, Euroclear).

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.