

Country statistical profile: Australia 2010

	Unit	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008
Production and income									
Gross domestic product (GDP)	Bln USD curr. PPPs	552.1	584.9	622.3	655.6	696.8	742.9	795.7	831.2 e
GDP per capita	USD current PPPs	28 277	29 610	31 137	32 416	33 963	35 679	37 616	38 637 e
Gross national income (GNI) per capita	USD current PPPs	27 521	28 770	30 255	31 212	32 640	34 113	35 938	36 897 e
Household disposable income	Annual growth %	1.3	0.1	4.9	5.6	4.5	4.6	..	..
Economic growth									
Real GDP growth	Annual growth %	3.8	3.2	4.0	2.8	3.0	3.3	3.7	2.3 e
Net saving rate in household disposable income	%	0.6	-2.7	-3.2	-2.1	-0.2	0.8	..	..
Gross fixed capital formation	% of GDP	22.9	24.8	25.4	25.8	27.0	27.2	28.3	29.4 e
Economic structure									
Real value added: agriculture, forestry, fishing	Annual growth %	3.2	-23.5	28.2	4.1	2.9	-17.7	8.3	..
Real value added: industry	Annual growth %	3.4	5.4	1.5	1.5	2.3	4.1	3.5	..
Real value added: services	Annual growth %	3.8	3.7	4.0	3.3	3.3	4.1	4.0	..
Government deficits and debt									
Government deficit	% of GDP	-0.1	1.3	1.8	1.2	1.7	1.9	1.8	1.0
General government debt	% of GDP	22.5	20.5	19.0	17.2	16.9	16.2	15.3	14.3
General government revenues	% of GDP	35.8	36.7	36.4	36.3	36.5	36.4	36.0	35.3
General government expenditures	% of GDP	35.9	35.4	34.6	35.1	34.8	34.5	34.2	34.3
Expenditure									
Public expenditure on health	% of GDP	5.6	5.8	5.6	5.9	5.8	5.9	6.0	..
Private expenditure on health	% of GDP	..	..	..	..	..	..	2.9	..
Public social expenditure	% of GDP	..	..	17.8	17.7	17.1	..	..	..
Private social expenditure	% of GDP	..	..	4.5	3.6	3.7	..	..	..
Public pension expenditure	% of GDP	3.2	3.2	3.2	3.4	3.2	..	..	..
Private pension expenditure	% of GDP	4.4	4.4	4.3	3.6	3.7	3.9	3.4	3.9
Net official development assistance (Aid)	% of GNI	0.25	0.26	0.25	0.25	0.25	0.30	0.32	0.32
Taxes									
Total tax revenue	% of GDP	29.6	30.5	30.6	31.1	30.8	30.6	30.8	..
Taxes on income and profits	% of GDP	16.7	17.2	17.3	18.2	18.2	18.1	18.4	..
Taxes on goods and services	% of GDP	8.9	9.2	9.1	8.9	8.6	8.3	8.2	..
Taxes on the average worker	% of labour cost	27.3	27.7	28.0	28.0	28.3	28.3	27.7	26.9
Trade									
Trade in goods and services	% of GDP	21.1	20.4	18.8	19.9	21.0	21.2	21.6	24.5 e
Goods trade balance: exports minus imports of goods	Bln USD	2.4	-4.5	-14.6	-17.3	-13.2	-9.3	-16.9	-4.7
Imports of goods	Bln USD	60.9	69.5	84.8	103.8	119.0	132.7	157.8	191.6
Exports of goods	Bln USD	63.3	65.0	70.2	86.4	106.0	123.3	140.9	186.9
Service trade balance: exports minus imports of services	Bln USD	0.7	1.2	1.8	0.5	0.5	0.9	0.6	-3.1
Imports of services	Bln USD	17.3	18.3	21.8	27.9	30.4	32.2	39.7	47.5
Exports of services	Bln USD	18.1	19.6	23.6	28.5	31.0	33.1	40.3	44.3
Current account balance of payments	% of GDP	-1.9	-3.7	-5.2	-5.9	-5.5	-5.1	-6.1	-4.4 e
Foreign direct investment (FDI)									
Outward FDI stocks	Mln USD	203 776	175 541	225 393	289 669	..
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Inflows of foreign direct investment	Mln USD	8 297	16 996	7 975	37 334	-31 999	27 883	44 326	46 565
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Prices and interest rates									
Inflation rate: all items	Annual growth %	4.4	3.0	2.8	2.3	2.7	3.5	2.3	4.4
Inflation rate: all items non food non energy	Annual growth %	4.3	3.1	2.5	2.1	2.2	2.1	2.5	3.6
Inflation rate: food	Annual growth %	6.2	3.7	3.7	2.0	2.0	9.4	1.8	4.3
Inflation rate: energy	Annual growth %	2.2	0.6	5.1	6.6	10.2	9.7	1.2	12.7
Producer Price Indices (PPI): manufacturing	Annual growth %	3.1	0.2	0.5	4.0	6.0	7.9	2.3	8.3
Long-term interest rates	%	5.62	5.84	5.37	5.59	5.34	5.59	6.00	5.82
Purchasing power and exchange rates									
Purchasing power parities	AUD per USD	1.33	1.34	1.35	1.37	1.39	1.41	1.42	1.48
Exchange rates	AUD per USD	1.93	1.84	1.54	1.36	1.31	1.33	1.20	1.19
Indices of price levels	OECD = 100	77	80	90	98	104	105	114	115
Energy supply and prices									
Total primary energy supply (TPES)	Mtoe	107.2	110.7	111.6	112.1	120.8	122.6	124.1	129.0
Total primary energy supply per capita	Toe per capita	5.49	5.60	5.58	5.54	5.88	5.89	5.87	6.11
TPES per unit of GDP at 2000 prices and PPPs	Toe per '000 USD	0.20	0.20	0.19	0.19	0.20	0.19	0.19	0.19
Renewables' contribution to total primary energy supply	%	6.2	6.2	6.0	6.0	5.5	5.3	5.6	5.3
Crude oil import prices	USD per barrel	26.61	25.80	31.24	40.93	56.71	66.71	77.13	107.83

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Information and Communications Technology (ICT)									
ICT investment in non-residential fixed capital formation	%	23.7	21.2	21.0	16.8	14.9	14.3	13.3	..
ICT related occupations: total employment	%	..	..	..	..	..	..	20.8	..
Households with access to the Internet	%	42.0	46.0	53.0	56.0	60.0	64.0	67.0	..
Environment									
Water abstractions	Mln m ³	..	..	..	..	..	..	18 765	..
Fish landings in domestic and foreign ports	'000 tonnes	187	187	215	231	237	192	186	..
Aquaculture	'000 tonnes	40	44	44	51	48	54	60	..
Municipal waste total	'000 tonnes	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Municipal waste per capita	Kg	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
CO ₂ emissions from fuel combustion	Mln tonnes	351	359	360	368	386	391	396	..
Education									
Tertiary attainment in population aged 25-64	%	..	..	..	..	..	..	33.7	..
Tertiary entry rates in peer age groups	%	64.6	76.7	67.7	69.8	82.3	84.0	85.7	..
Tertiary graduation rates in population at graduation age	%	44.5	49.3	49.8	50.8	49.7	49.8	..	..
Employment									
Employment rate in population aged 15-24	%	61.2	61.0	61.8	62.2	63.3	63.7	64.1	64.3
Employment rate in population aged 25-54	%	76.3	76.7	77.3	77.4	78.8	79.2	80.0	80.3
Employment rate in population aged 55-64	%	46.8	48.5	50.3	51.7	53.5	55.5	56.6	57.4
Incidence of part-time employment	%	24.1	24.0	24.3	23.8	24.0	23.9	23.7	23.8
Self-employment rate: total civilian employment	%	13.7	13.8	13.4	13.1	12.9	12.4	11.9	11.7
Self-employment rate, men: male civilian employment	%	16.5	16.6	16.1	15.8	15.5	15.0	14.4	14.1
Self-employment rate, women: female civilian employment	%	10.2	10.4	10.0	9.8	9.7	9.2	8.9	8.9
Unemployment									
Unemployment rate: total civilian labour force	%	6.8	6.4	5.9	5.4	5.0	4.8	4.4	4.2
Unemployment rate, men: male civilian labour force	%	7.1	6.6	5.9	5.3	4.9	4.7	4.1	3.9
Unemployment rate, women: female civilian labour force	%	6.5	6.2	6.0	5.6	5.2	4.9	4.8	4.6
Long-term unemployment: total unemployed	%	22.0	22.4	21.5	20.7	18.3	18.1	15.4	14.9
Labour compensation and hours worked									
Labour compensation per unit labour input, total economy	Annual growth %	5.0	3.1	4.3	4.4	4.7	4.5	..	..
Average time worked per person in employment	Hours per year	1 756	1 734	1 737	1 735	1 730	1 728	1 730	1 732
Research and Development (R&D)									
Gross domestic expenditure on R&D	% of GDP	..	1.69	..	1.78	..	2.06	..	..
Researchers: full-time equivalent	Per '000 employed	..	7.8	..	8.4	..	8.5	..	..
Population									
Total population	'000 persons	19 413	19 651	19 895	20 127	20 395	20 698	21 015	21 016
Population growth rates	%	1.4	1.2	1.2	1.2	1.3	1.5	1.5	..
Total fertility rates	Children	1.7	1.8	1.7	1.8	1.8	1.8	1.9	..
Youth population aged less than 15	% of population	20.5	20.3	20.1	19.9	19.7	19.6	19.4	18.9
Elderly population aged 65 and over	% of population	12.5	12.6	12.7	12.8	12.9	13.0	13.2	13.7
International migration									
Net migration rate	Per '000 inhabitants	7.0	5.6	5.5	5.3	6.7	8.8	10.3	..
Foreign-born population	% of population	23.1	23.2	23.4	23.6	23.8	24.1	25.0	..
Foreign population	% of population	..	..	..	..	..	7.7	..	..
Unemployment rate of native-born men	% of labour force	..	..	6.0	5.6	4.7	3.8	3.4	..
Unemployment rate of foreign-born men	% of labour force	..	..	6.5	5.5	5.0	4.3	4.1	..
Unemployment rate of native-born women	% of labour force	..	..	6.1	5.7	5.0	4.5	4.2	..
Unemployment rate of foreign-born women	% of labour force	..	..	6.5	5.6	5.2	5.2	5.1	..
Health									
Life expectancy at birth	Years	79.7	80.0	80.3	80.6	80.9	81.1	81.4	..
Life expectancy at birth: men	Years	77.0	77.4	77.8	78.1	78.5	78.7	79.0	..
Life expectancy at birth: women	Years	82.4	82.6	82.8	83.0	83.3	83.5	83.7	..
Infant mortality	Per '000	5.3	5.0	4.8	4.7	5.0	4.7	4.2	..
Society									
Suicide rates	Per 100 000 persons	..	..	..	..	..	9.8	..	..
Youths 20-24 not in education nor employment	%	13.9	13.2	13.3	12.3	11.6	11.5	10.7	..
Youths 15-19 not in education nor employment	%	7.6	7.0	6.8	7.5	7.4	7.1	6.5	..
Number of tourists	'000	4 435	4 420	4 354	4 774	5 020	5 064	5 644	..
Road fatalities	Per mln inhabitants	90	87	82	79	81	78	77	68

Note: e: Estimated value, |: Break

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