

# **LIBYA**



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#### Capital: Tripoli

**General information** 

Land area: 1,759,540 sq km

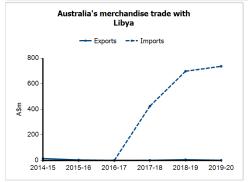
Official language(s): Arabic

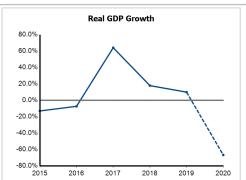
Population: 6.6 million (2019) **Currency:** Libyan dinar

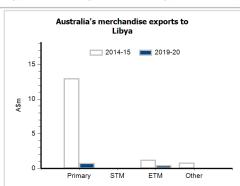
#### **Head of State and Head of Government**

President HE Mr Mohammed Al Menfi

Economic indicators (a)	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020
GDP (US\$b) (current prices)	17.2	18.6	30.2	41.4	39.8	21.8
GDP per capita (US\$)	2,723.4	2,907.5	4,685.1	6,361.6	6,055.5	3,282.0
GDP PPP (Int'l \$b)	48.5	51.1	69.1	83.4	93.2	31.5
GDP per capita PPP (Int'l \$)	7,671.7	7,996.7	10,708.9	12,798.8	14,174.0	4,746.0
Real GDP growth (% change yoy)	-13.0	-7.4	64.0	17.9	9.9	-66.7
Current account balance (US\$b)	-9.3	-4.6	2.4	0.7	-0.1	-13.0
Current account balance (% GDP)	-54.3	-24.6	8.0	1.8	-0.3	-59.8
Inflation (% change yoy)	14.8	24.0	28.0	-1.2	4.6	22.3
Unemployment (% labour force)	na	na	na	na	na	na







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

Australian merchandise trade with Libya, 2019-20	(A\$m)	Total share	Rank	Growth (yoy)
Exports to Libya	1	0.0%	169th	-79.1%
Imports from Libya	737	0.2%	39th	5.5%
Total merchandise trade (exports + imports)	738	0.1%	48th	4.8%

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Major Australian exports, 2019-20 (A\$m)

Fruit & nuts

### Major Australian imports, 2019-20 (A\$m)

Crude petroleum

Australia's trade in services with Libya, 2019-2	0 (A\$m)	Total share	Rank	Growth (yoy)
Exports of services to Libya	2	0.0%	150th	-33.3%
Imports of services from Libya	20	0.0%	98th	
Australia's investment relationship with Libya,	2019 (A\$m)		Total	FDI
Australia's investment in Libya			np	пр
Libya's investment in Australia			np	0
Libya's global merchandise trade relations	ships			
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1 Italy	19.7%	1 Turkey	14.3%
2 China	19.2%	2 China	14.0%
3 Spain	13.2%	3 Republic of Korea	6.4%
10 Australia	2.3%	65 Australia	0.0%