



BANGLADESH

Key economic indicators: 2022 (top), 2021 (bottom) and sparkline (2017-2022). 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)
460.8 ▲	168.5 ▲	7.2 ▼	na	-4.1 ▼	37.5 ▼
416.3	166.7	6.9	na	-1.1	35.5

Australia - Bangladesh investment, 2021 (stocks)

Source: ABS

Investment in Bangladesh		Investment from Bangladesh	
Total (A\$m)	FDI (A\$m)	Total (A\$m)	FDI (A\$m)
324	np	np	np
Destination Ranking: na		Source Ranking: na	

Australia's goods and services trade with Bangladesh, 2021-22

Source: DFAT-adjusted ABS data

Exports		Imports	
Destination Ranking: 25		Source Ranking: 38	
Item	A\$m	Item	A\$m
Vegetables, f.c.f.	628.0	Other textile clothing	497.9
Oil-seeds & oleaginous fruits, soft	315.7	Men's clothing (excl knitted)	232.4
Education-related travel	284.0	Women's clothing (excl knitted)	184.3
Ferrous waste & scrap	277.3	Other services - details not provided	163.0
Wheat	225.0	Women's clothing, knitted	133.9
Cotton	87.8	Men's clothing, knitted	101.2
Coal	83.9	Made-up textile articles, nes	86.2
Total	2,171.5	Total	1,468.1

Bangladesh's global merchandise trade relationships, 2021

Source: Various international sources

Principal export destinations				Principal import sources			
Destination	Share	Rank		Destination	Share	Rank	
United States	15.2%	1		China	25.1%	1	
Germany	11.1%	2		India	16.4%	2	
United Kingdom	7.9%	3		Singapore	5.7%	3	
Spain	5.7%	4		Indonesia	3.9%	4	
France	4.5%	5		United States	3.7%	5	
Australia	2.1%	13		Australia	1.5%	14	

Flow of people from Bangladesh

Source: Home Affairs, DESE

<p>Visitor arrivals (movements)</p> <p>Year ended Sep 2022</p> <p>9,820</p> <p>0.4%</p>	<p>Resident returns (movements)</p> <p>Year ended Sep 2022</p> <p>18,660</p> <p>0.5%</p>	<p>International student numbers</p> <p>2021</p> <p>6,179</p> <p>1.1%</p>	<p>Arrivals and returns, years ended Sep</p>
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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.

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. All data may be subject to future revisions.

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.