



## MAURITANIA

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)
10.1 ▲ 9.9	4.3 ▲ 4.2	4.0 ▼ 2.4	na na	-11.6 ▼ -9.4	50.7 ▼ 51.7

### Australia - Mauritania investment, 2021 (stocks)

Source: ABS

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

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

Source: DFAT-adjusted ABS data

Exports		Imports	
Destination Ranking: 156		Source Ranking: 73	
Item	A\$k	Item	A\$k
Civil engineering equipment & parts	1,872.9	Iron ores & concentrates	169,398.6
Other services - details not provided	1,000.0	Other services - details not provided	2,000.0
Specialised machinery & parts	641.3	Artwork & antiques	48.2
Pumps for liquids & parts	281.3	Pearls & gems	14.2
Lighting fixtures & fittings	216.8	Footwear	6.7
Medical electrodiagnostic apparatus	165.7	Electrical machinery & parts, nes	5.2
Pumps (excl liquid pumps) & parts	135.6	Other textile clothing	4.9
<b>Total</b>	<b>5,504.1</b>	<b>Total</b>	<b>171,492.9</b>

### Mauritania's global merchandise trade relationships, 2021

Source: Various international sources

Principal export destinations				Principal import sources			
Destination	Share	Rank		Destination	Share	Rank	
China	41.5%	1		Spain	14.9%	1	
Italy	10.7%	2		United Arab Emirates	14.0%	2	
Canada	9.9%	3		France	11.4%	3	
Spain	9.6%	4		Belgium	6.8%	4	
Japan	6.9%	5		China	5.8%	5	
Australia	3.7%	6		Australia	0.3%	39	

### Flow of people from Mauritania

Source: Home Affairs, DESE

<p>Visitor arrivals (movements)</p> <p>Year ended Sep 2022</p> <p><b>20</b></p> <p>0.0%</p>	<p>Resident returns (movements)</p> <p>Year ended Sep 2022</p> <p><b>70</b></p> <p>0.0%</p>	<p>International student numbers</p> <p>2021</p> <p><b>4</b></p> <p>0.0%</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.