

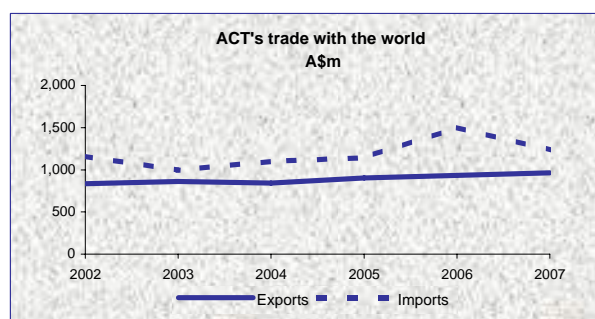


AUSTRALIAN CAPITAL TERRITORY

Recent economic indicators:

	2005-06	2006-07
Estimated resident population:	334,225	338,160
Real Gross State Product growth (%):	3.4	5.0
Real GSP per head growth (%):	2.0	3.7
GSP (current prices) (A\$m):	19,994	21,586
Proportion of Australian GDP (%):	2.1	2.1
Change in real final demand (%):	4.9	5.6
Unemployment rate (%):	3.3	3.0

Goods and services trade:



ACT's trade, 2007:

	A\$m		
	Goods	Services	Total
Exports:	5	959	964
Imports:	7	1,225	1,232

% Share of Australian trade

Exports:	0.0	2.0	0.4
Imports:	0.0	2.7	0.5

Average annual goods and services export growth over the last 5 Years: 3.0%

Goods trade:

ACT's major exports, 2007:

	A\$'000
Telecommunications equipment	2,189
Jewellery	1,459
Gold coin	910
Nickel ores	446
Optical instruments	136
Crude vegetable materials	29
Musical instruments	2

ACT's major imports, 2007:

	A\$'000
Specialised machinery	1,397
Internal combustion piston engines	910
Computers	680
Artwork, collectors' pieces, antiques	579
Arms & ammunition	559
Fabrics, woven, of silk or silk waste	465
Musical instruments	268
Telecommunications equipment	237
Measuring & controlling instruments	227
Printed matter	190

ACT's principal export destinations, 2007:

	A\$'000	% Share
United States	1,897	37.9
France	1,847	36.9
Taiwan	910	18.2
Republic of Korea	446	8.9
Switzerland	27	0.5

ACT's principal import sources, 2007:

	A\$'000	% Share
United States	2,124	30.3
Germany	1,746	24.9
India	815	11.6
France	571	8.2
China	394	5.6

Services trade:

ACT's major exports, 2007:

	A\$m	% Share
Government services	480	50.1
Education-related travel	203	21.2
Personal travel excl education	111	11.6

ACT's major imports, 2007:

	A\$m	% Share
Government services	848	69.2
Personal travel excl education	249	20.3
Business-related travel	65	5.3

Compiled by the Market Information and Analysis Section DFAT using latest published ABS data.