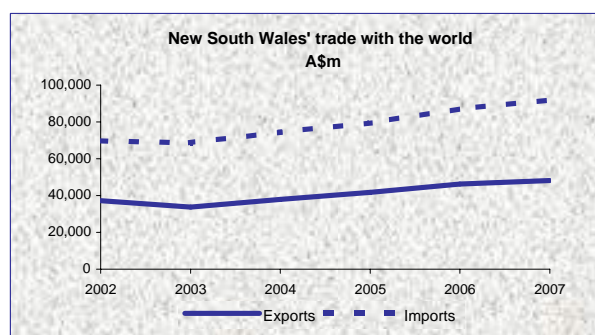


NEW SOUTH WALES

Recent economic indicators:

	2005-06	2006-07
Estimated resident population:	6,817,182	6,875,725
Real Gross State Product growth (%):	2.1	1.8
Real GSP per head growth (%):	1.2	0.8
GSP (current prices) (A\$m):	315,709	335,144
Proportion of Australian GDP (%):	32.6	32.0
Change in real final demand (%):	1.7	2.5
Unemployment rate (%):	5.2	5.0

Goods and services trade:



New South Wales' trade, 2007:

	A\$m		
	Goods	Services	Total
Exports:	28,345	19,764	48,109
Imports:	72,002	19,930	91,932
	% Share of Australian trade		
Exports:	16.8	41.1	22.2
Imports:	38.3	43.3	39.3
Average annual goods and services export growth over the last 5 Years:	6.8%		

Goods trade:

New South Wales' major exports, 2007:

	A\$m
Coal	4,995
Aluminium	2,380
Medicaments (incl veterinary)	1,853
Copper ores	1,852
Refined petroleum	1,286
Bovine meat	820
Medical instruments	739
Copper	560
Uncoated flat-rolled steel	537
Alcoholic beverages	507

New South Wales' principal export destinations, 2007:

	A\$m	% Share
Japan	6,899	24.3
New Zealand	2,407	8.5
United States	2,303	8.1
China	2,260	8.0
Republic of Korea	2,035	7.2

New South Wales' major imports, 2007:

	A\$m
Computers	5,368
Medicaments (incl veterinary)	5,035
Passenger motor vehicles	4,685
Crude petroleum	4,335
Telecommunications equipment	4,150
Computer parts	1,461
Organo-inorganic compounds	1,412
Refined petroleum	1,378
Transport vehicles	1,314
Televisions	1,154

New South Wales' principal import sources, 2007:

	A\$m	% Share
China	14,105	19.6
United States	10,037	13.9
Japan	5,812	8.1
Germany	3,848	5.3
United Kingdom	3,413	4.7

Services trade:

New South Wales' major exports, 2007:

	A\$m	% Share
Education-related travel	4,720	23.9
Personal travel excl education	4,171	21.1
Transportation	3,430	17.4

New South Wales' major imports, 2007:

	A\$m	% Share
Transportation	6,209	31.2
Personal travel excl education	4,972	24.9
Royalties & licence fees	2,083	10.5

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