

AUSTRALIA'S TOP 25 IMPORTS, GOODS & SERVICES (a) (b) (A\$ million)

	Commodity	2022	2023	2024	 % share 2024	% growth	
Rank						2023 to 2024	5 year trend
	Total (c)	548,612	586,154	614,139	100.0	4.8	10.1
1	Personal travel (excl. education-related)	25,462	57,540	63,155	10.3	9.8	32.9
2	Refined petroleum	53,199	50,724	47,345	7.7	-6.7	23.5
3	Passenger motor vehicles	27,698	36,293	35,758	5.8	-1.5	14.5
4	Professional services	17,399	21,047	21,529	3.5	2.3	14.1
5	Freight transport services	26,710	17,289	17,771	2.9	2.8	14.1
6	Telecom equipment & parts	16,861	17,407	17,072	2.8	-1.9	3.8
7	Goods vehicles	13,932	17,776	16,797	2.7	-5.5	14.9
8	Charges for intellectual property	11,626	13,394	16,501	2.7	23.2	16.8
9	Computers	12,364	10,460	12,649	2.1	20.9	4.3
10	Electrical machinery & parts, nes	6,046	6,777	9,956	1.6	46.9	19.4
11	Gold	6,960	8,564	9,878	1.6	15.3	5.1
12	Medicaments (incl veterinary)	10,167	9,162	9,081	1.5	-0.9	4.2
13	Passenger transport services (d)	6,081	8,747	8,797	1.4	0.6	22.7
14	Pharm products (excl medicaments)	8,939	7,838	7,932	1.3	1.2	9.5
15	Technical & other business services	5,846	6,822	7,915	1.3	16.0	5.9
16	Crude petroleum	10,351	7,915	7,751	1.3	-2.1	-3.2
17	Telecom, computer & information services	6,248	7,577	7,500	1.2	-1.0	8.4
18	Civil engineering equipment & parts	7,150	8,200	7,078	1.2	-13.7	11.1
19	Personal, cultural & recreational services	5,757	6,138	6,799	1.1	10.8	11.5
20	Furniture, mattresses & cushions	6,266	5,336	5,993	1.0	12.3	3.2
21	Heating & cooling equipment & parts	4,164	3,992	5,991	1.0	50.1	12.0
22	Business-related travel services	2,616	5,784	5,456	0.9	-5.7	26.2
23	Household-type equipment, nes	5,327	4,583	5,288	0.9	15.4	6.3
24	Plastic articles, nes	5,052	4,659	5,115	0.8	9.8	5.0
25	Measuring & analysing instruments	4,173	4,653	4,953	0.8	6.4	7.1
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	Education (e)	690	1,141	1,112	0.2	-2.5	10.2
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		2021-22	2022-23	2023-24	% snare 2023-24	2022-23 10	5 year trend
	Tourism Satellite Account (f)	11,145	55,650	78,443	13.0	41.0	12.5

⁽a) Goods trade is on a recorded trade basis, Services trade is on a balance of payments basis. (b) Please note – imports of aircraft were made confidential by the ABS from Sep-08 onwards and may be ranked in the top 25. (c) Balance of payments basis. (d) Includes Related agency fees & commissions.

Based on ABS trade data on DFAT STARS database and ABS International Trade in Goods, Australia (January-25); ABS International Trade: Supplementary Information, Calendar Year (Services); Balance of Payments and International Investment Position, Australia December 2024 (Total all commodities and services) & Australian National Accounts: Tourism Satellite Account

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⁽e) Education includes Education-related travel services, Royalties on education services and Other education services. (f) The ABS Tourism Satellite Account

⁽TSA) provides the official measure of the tourism sector and is only available on a financial year basis. nm = Not meaningful.