



Recent economic indicators:

	2023-24	2024-25
Real Gross State Product (GSP) growth (%):	1.2	1.3
Real GSP per head growth (%):	-2.2	-1.1
GSP (current prices) (A\$m):	455,683	458,831
Proportion of Australian GDP (%):	17.0	16.5
Estimated resident population (December):	2,937,647	3,009,399
Change in real final demand (%):	5.7	3.0
Unemployment rate (%) (average):	3.7	3.7

Goods and services trade:



Western Australia's trade, 2024-25 (a):

	A\$m		
	Goods	Services	Total
Exports:	234,427	9,549	243,976
Imports:	55,195	18,256	73,451
Balance:	179,232	-8,707	170,525

	% share of Australian trade		
Exports:	45.7	7.2	37.8
Imports:	12.1	10.6	11.7
Average annual goods and services export growth over the last 5 years (%):	4.9		

Goods trade#:

Western Australia's major exports, 2024-25 (b):

	A\$m
Iron ore & concentrates	115,165
Natural gas	np
Gold	30,390
Aluminium ores & conc (incl alumina)	8,770
Crude petroleum	6,812
Crude minerals, nes	4,340
Wheat	3,819
Precious metal ores & conc (excl gold)	3,326
Oil-seeds & oleaginous fruits, soft	2,479
Barley	1,886

Western Australia's major imports, 2024-25:

	A\$m
Refined petroleum	9,741
Gold	4,063
Passenger motor vehicles	3,540
Goods vehicles	2,828
Civil engineering equipment & parts	2,166
Heating & cooling equipment & parts	1,557
Fertilisers (excl crude)	1,556
Rubber tyres, treads & tubes	1,085
Specialised machinery & parts	1,014
Inorganic chemical elements	908

Western Australia's major export destinations, 2024-25 (b):

	A\$m	% Share
China	116,727	49.8
Japan	24,861	10.6
Republic of Korea	15,696	6.7
United States	11,558	4.9
Singapore	10,155	4.3

Western Australia's major import sources, 2024-25:

	A\$m	% Share
China	11,187	20.3
United States	7,153	13.0
Malaysia	3,653	6.6
Japan	3,273	5.9
India	2,830	5.1

Services trade:

Western Australia's major exports, 2024-25:

	A\$m	% Share
Education-related travel	4,242	44.4
Personal travel excl education	2,866	30.0
Business-related travel	817	8.6

Western Australia's major imports, 2024-25:

	A\$m	% Share
Personal travel excl education	8,935	48.9
Freight transport	2,423	13.3
Tech, trade, & other business	1,575	8.6

Compiled by the Trade Data Section, DFAT, using Australian Bureau of Statistics data.

(a) Balance of payments basis. (b) Australian produced. #May exclude some confidential items of trade.
f.c.f. - fresh, chilled & frozen. n.i.e. - not included elsewhere. nes - not elsewhere specified. np - not published.
Based on DFAT STARS database and various ABS products.