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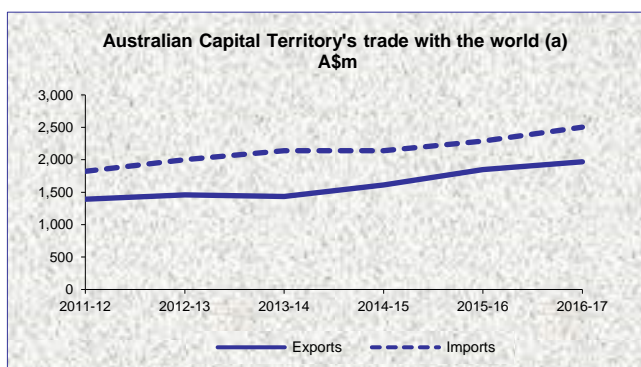
AUSTRALIAN CAPITAL TERRITORY



Recent economic indicators:

	2015-16	2016-17
Real Gross State Product growth (%):	3.9	4.6
Real GSP per head growth (%):	2.1	2.9
GSP (current prices) (A\$m):	35,898	38,187
Proportion of Australian GDP (%):	2.2	2.2
Estimated resident population (June):	403,468	409,141
Change in real final demand (%):	1.4	3.0
Unemployment rate (%):	4.5	3.8

Goods and services trade:



Australian Capital Territory's trade, 2016-17 (a):

	A\$m		Total
	Goods	Services	
Exports:	27	1,942	1,969
Imports:	225	2,278	2,503
Balance:	-198	-336	-534
% Share of Australian trade			
Exports:	0.0	2.4	0.5
Imports:	0.1	2.7	0.7
Average annual goods and services export growth over the last 5 years:		7.6%	

Goods trade[#]:

ACT's major exports, 2016-17 (b):

	A\$'000
Gold coin & legal tender coin	20,361
Plastic articles	6

ACT's major export destinations, 2016-17 (b):

	A\$'000	% Share
Switzerland	19,742	73.1
Hong Kong (SAR of China)	620	2.3
Belgium	6	0.0

ACT's major imports, 2016-17:

	A\$'000
Artwork & antiques	4,006
Measuring & analysing instruments	1,747
Aircraft, spacecraft & parts	738
Non-electric engines & motors	511
Optical goods	505
Synthetic fibres	465
Computers	378
Electrical machinery & parts	283
Prams, toys, games & sporting goods	163
Other textile clothing	148

ACT's major import sources, 2016-17:

	A\$'000	% Share
Switzerland	3,103	1.4
United States	2,180	1.0
Canada	1,066	0.5
Papua New Guinea	794	0.4
Germany	544	0.2

Services trade:

ACT's major exports, 2016-17:

	A\$m	% Share
Education-related travel	786	40.5
Government goods & services	452	23.3
Personal travel excluding education	246	12.7

ACT's major imports, 2016-17:

	A\$m	% Share
Government goods & services	1,243	54.6
Personal travel excluding education	694	30.5
Business-related travel	103	4.5

Compiled by the Statistics Section DFAT using latest published ABS data.

(a) Balance of payments basis. (b) Australian produced. #May exclude some confidential items of trade.
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