



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

Rank	Commodity	2021-22	2022-23	2023-24	% share 2023-24	% growth	
						2022-23 to 2023-24	5 year trend
Total (c)		472,828	575,789	604,614	100.0	5.0	8.8
1	Personal travel (excl. education-related)	7,264	42,982	63,002	10.4	46.6	13.9
2	Refined petroleum	39,805	51,916	51,814	8.6	-0.2	22.3
3	Passenger motor vehicles	23,456	32,512	37,226	6.2	14.5	13.2
4	Professional services	16,309	18,985	21,817	3.6	14.9	14.8
5	Goods vehicles	12,692	15,142	18,923	3.1	25.0	15.0
6	Telecom equipment & parts	15,525	17,660	17,192	2.8	-2.6	3.9
7	Freight transport services	22,939	22,830	16,808	2.8	-26.4	17.0
8	Charges for intellectual property	10,703	12,374	14,647	2.4	18.4	15.0
9	Computers	12,250	11,467	11,474	1.9	0.1	3.9
10	Passenger transport services (d)	2,842	8,042	9,016	1.5	12.1	10.4
11	Medicaments (incl veterinary)	8,907	9,916	8,947	1.5	-9.8	4.8
12	Gold	6,518	7,372	8,908	1.5	20.8	4.8
13	Crude petroleum	8,354	9,086	8,516	1.4	-6.3	-5.9
14	Civil engineering equipment & parts	6,183	7,726	8,013	1.3	3.7	12.3
15	Electrical machinery & parts, nes	5,292	6,321	7,900	1.3	25.0	15.3
16	Telecom, computer & information services	5,834	6,955	7,603	1.3	9.3	9.5
17	Pharm products (excl medicaments)	9,447	8,342	7,400	1.2	-11.3	11.1
18	Technical & other business services	5,740	6,294	7,364	1.2	17.0	4.3
19	Personal, cultural & recreational services	5,522	5,921	6,394	1.1	8.0	11.6
20	Business-related travel services	960	4,243	6,170	1.0	45.4	11.8
21	Furniture, mattresses & cushions	6,021	5,760	5,717	0.9	-0.8	3.7
22	Plastic articles, nes	4,758	4,896	4,946	0.8	1.0	5.4
23	Household-type equipment, nes	4,636	5,058	4,929	0.8	-2.6	7.0
24	Measuring & analysing instruments	4,013	4,487	4,806	0.8	7.1	6.4
25	Heating & cooling equipment & parts	3,675	4,128	4,771	0.8	15.6	8.5
Memorandum items							
	Education (e)	558	958	1,188	0.2	24.0	10.3
	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 large aircraft were made confidential by the ABS from Sep-08 onwards (i.e. HS 8802.40 Aeroplanes and other aircraft (excl. helicopters) of an unladen weight exc 15,000 kg).

(c) Balance of payments basis. (d) Includes Related agency fees & commissions. (e) Education includes Education-related travel services, Royalties on education services and Other education services.

nes - not elsewhere specified. nya - not yet available. .. - not meaningful.

Based on ABS trade data on DFAT STARS database and ABS International Trade in Goods, Australia (July 2024);

ABS International Trade: Supplementary Information, Financial Year (Services); Balance of Payments and

International Investment Position, Australia September 2024 (Total all commodities and services)

& Australian National Accounts: Tourism Satellite Account

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