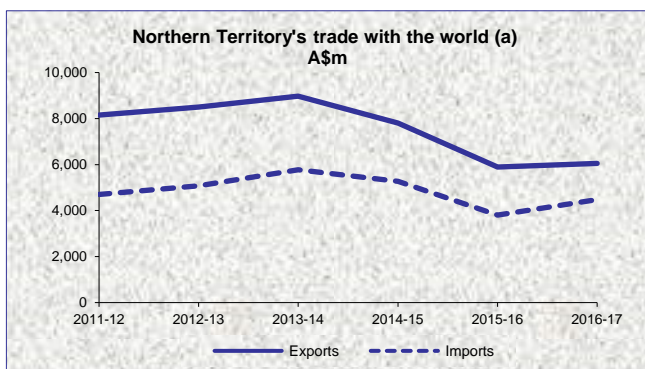




## Recent economic indicators:

	2015-16	2016-17
Real Gross State Product growth (%):	1.9	4.0
Real GSP per head growth (%):	1.4	3.7
GSP (current prices) (A\$m):	24,461	25,984
Proportion of Australian GDP (%):	1.5	1.5
Estimated resident population (June):	245,740	244,990
Change in real final demand (%):	-6.3	8.2
Unemployment rate (%):	4.2	3.5

## Goods and services trade:



## Northern Territory's trade, 2016-17 (a):

	A\$m		
	Goods	Services	Total
Exports:	5,301	754	6,055
Imports:	1,680	662	2,342
Balance:	3,621	92	3,713
	% Share of Australian trade		
Exports:	1.8	0.9	1.6
Imports:	0.6	0.8	1.2
Average annual goods and services export growth over the last 5 years:	-7.5%		

## Goods trade<sup>#</sup>:

### Northern Territory's major exports, 2016-17 (b):

	A\$m
Natural gas	np
Live animals (excl seafood)	420
Other ores & concentrates <sup>^</sup>	417
Aluminium ores & conc (incl alumina)	345
Crude petroleum <sup>+</sup>	199
Beef	54
Pearls & gems	25
Hides & skins, raw (excl furskins)	15
Refined petroleum	14
Metal containers	14

<sup>^</sup>Mainly Zinc ores & concentrates.

<sup>+</sup> Understated due to confidentiality.

### Northern Territory's major imports, 2016-17\*:

	A\$m
Refined petroleum	488
Aircraft, spacecraft & parts	252
Iron, steel, aluminium structures	172
Passenger motor vehicles	107
Non-electric engines & motors	49
Goods vehicles	46
Ships, boats & floating structures	37
Heating & cooling equipment & parts	34
Tubes & pipes of iron or steel	25
Trailers, semi-trailers & containers	22

\*Excludes natural gas.

### Northern Territory's major export destinations, 2016-17 (b):

	A\$m	% Share
China	1,732	32.7
Japan	1,722	32.5
Indonesia	349	6.6
Thailand	243	4.6
Republic of Korea	209	3.9

### Northern Territory's major import sources, 2016-17:

	A\$m	% Share
Malaysia	302	18.0
Thailand	285	17.0
Singapore	195	11.6
United States	182	10.8
China	138	8.2

## Services trade:

### Northern Territory's major exports, 2016-17:

	A\$m	% Share
Personal travel excluding education	386	51.2
Government goods & services	123	16.3
Education-related travel	88	11.7

### Northern Territory's major imports, 2016-17:

	A\$m	% Share
Personal travel excluding education	412	62.2
Freight transport	82	12.4
Passenger transport	75	11.3

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

(a) Recorded trade basis for goods, balance of payments basis for services. Excludes imports of natural gas.

(b) Australian produced. #May exclude some confidential items of trade, ie natural gas.

Based on DFAT STARS database and ABS catalogues 3101.0, 5220.0, 5368.0, 5368.0.55.003/4 and 6202.0.