

SUMMARY

In the 12 months to December 2019:

- South Australia's overseas goods exports totalled \$11.2 billion, down 8.6% (\$1.0 billion) on the previous twelve months ([moving annual total](#), in original terms).
- Nationally, the value of overseas goods exports totalled \$391.8 billion, up 14% (\$47.2 billion) over the same period.
- South Australia accounted for 2.9% of national overseas goods exports.
- Increases in the value of overseas goods exports were recorded in the Northern Territory (up 73%), Western Australia (up 25%), Victoria (up 5.5%), Queensland (up 3.3%), while falls were recorded in New South Wales (down 0.8%), Tasmania (down 4.4%) and South Australia (down 8.6%).

MAJOR EXPORT DESTINATIONS

Major South Australian export markets that experienced growth in the year to December 2019 compared with the year to December 2018 included:

- Malaysia (up \$264 million or 27%);
- Canada (up \$259 million or 86%);
- China (up \$139 million or 5.2%);
- Taiwan (up \$134 million or 77%); and
- Vietnam (up \$89 million or 26%).

Major South Australian export markets that experienced a decline in the year to December 2019 included:

- Thailand (down \$488 million or 62%);
- India (down \$236 million or 32%);
- Japan (down \$148 million or 20%);
- France (down \$148 million or 51%); and
- United Kingdom (down \$115 million or 25%).

See Table 1 and Chart 2.

CHART 1: OVERSEAS GOODS EXPORTS
(\$ BN, MOVING ANNUAL TOTALS)

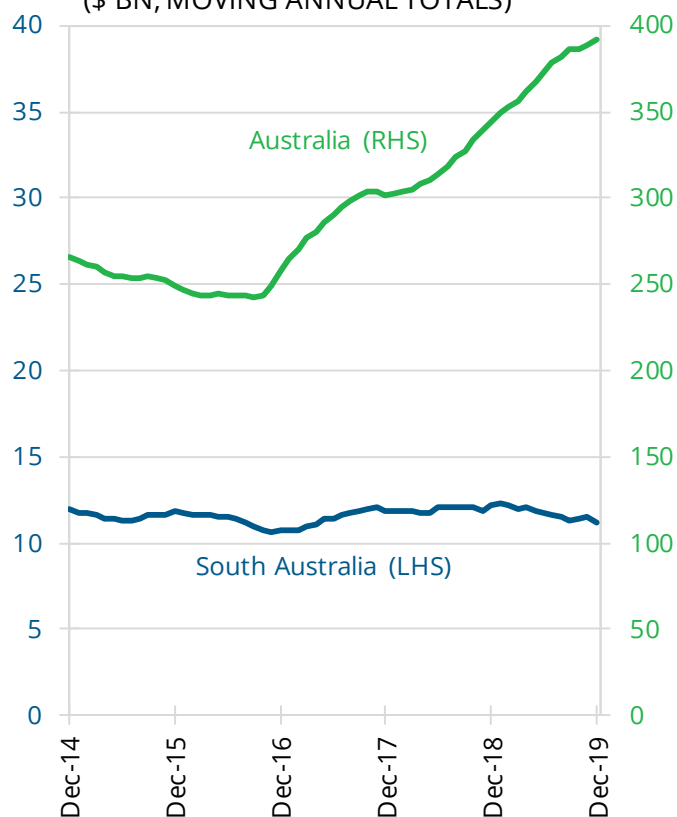
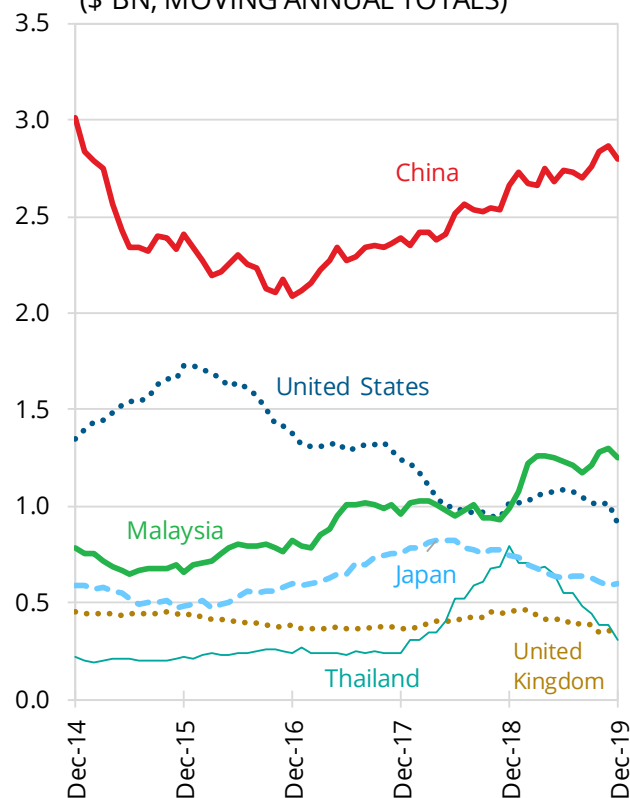


CHART 2: SA OVERSEAS GOODS EXPORTS
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MAJOR EXPORT COMMODITIES

In South Australia, export commodities recording growth in the year to December 2019 compared with the year to December 2018 included:

- Refined copper and copper products (up \$584 million or 44%);
- Iron ore and concentrates (up \$97 million or 27%);
- Fruit and vegetables (up \$74 million or 12%);
- Wine (up \$29 million or 1.5%); and
- Fish and crustaceans (up \$25 million or 9.9%).

During the same period, South Australian exports that recorded a decline in value included:

- Petroleum and petroleum products (down \$491 million or 63%);
- Wheat (down \$455 million or 44%);
- Lead (down \$226 million or 48%);
- Other commodities (down \$128 million or 6.3%); and
- Machinery (down \$121 million or 26%).

See Table 2 and Charts 3 and 4.

CHART 3: SA OVERSEAS GOODS EXPORTS
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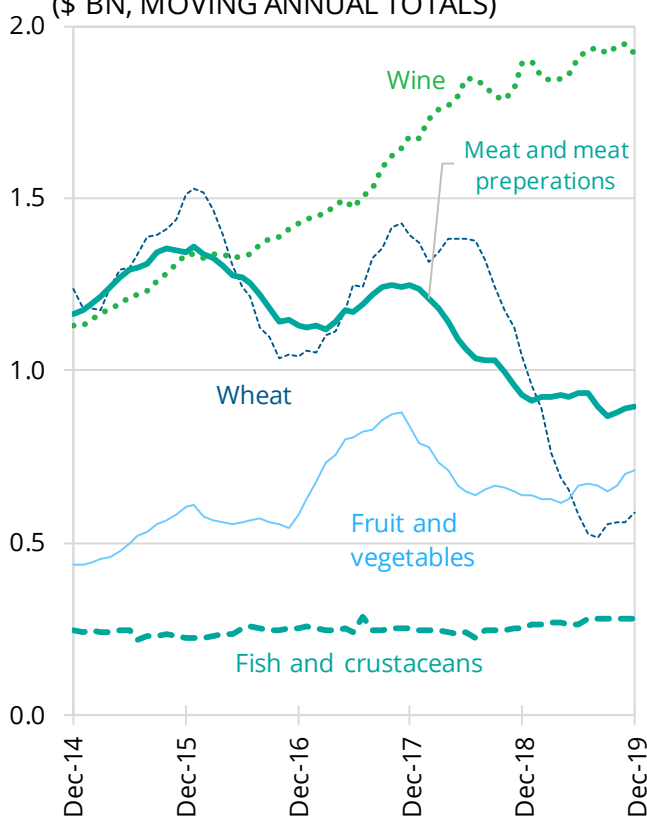
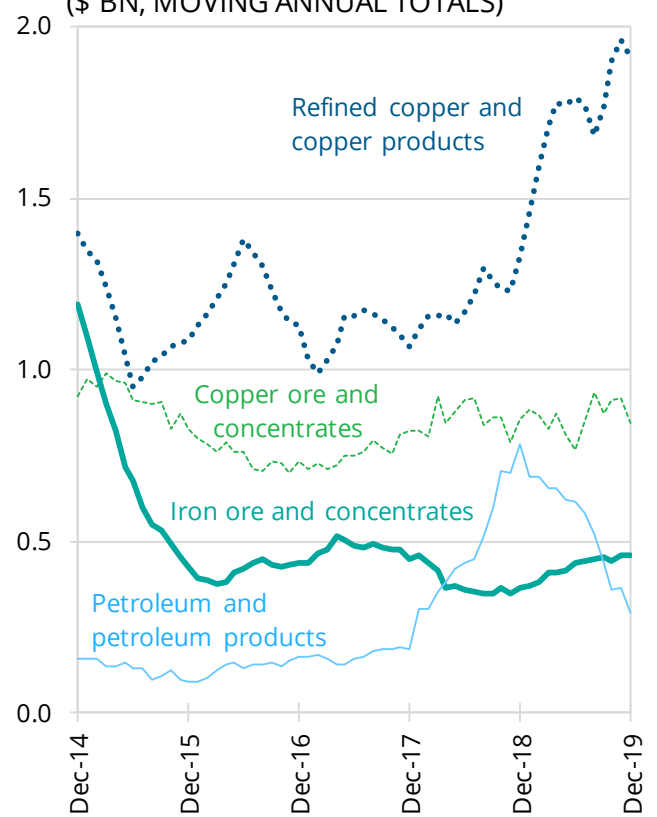


CHART 4: SA OVERSEAS GOODS EXPORTS
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Note: Monthly estimates of merchandise exports are generally volatile and are unadjusted for seasonal factors—consequently monthly data should be treated with caution. All data is in original nominal terms, hence both quantity and price changes contribute to changes in values.

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Table 1: South Australian Overseas Exports by Country

	12 months to December 2019 (\$m)	Change from previous year (%)	Share of total exports (%)
United States	912.4	-10.7	8.2
Canada	562.6	85.6	5.0
Middle East	373.8	-40.9	3.3
European Union	1,010.7	-23.2	9.0
United Kingdom	341.9	-25.1	3.1
France	144.9	-50.6	1.3
India	499.5	-32.1	4.5
New Zealand	427.8	0.2	3.8
Total East Asia*	6,785.2	-2.5	60.7
Japan	594.9	-20.0	5.3
China	2,802.3	5.2	25.1
Hong Kong	236.1	-5.1	2.1
ASEAN#	2,530.8	-9.5	22.6
Malaysia	1,251.0	26.8	11.2
Thailand	303.2	-61.7	2.7
Other	613.8	-27.1	5.5
Total^	11185.7	-8.6	100.0

*Japan, China, Hong Kong, ASEAN, and 5 other Asian countries.

Brunei, Indonesia, Laos, Malaysia, Myanmar, Philippines, Singapore, Thailand, Vietnam and Cambodia.

^ Total may not add due to rounding

Table 2: South Australian Overseas Exports by Commodity

	12 months to December 2019 (\$m)	Change from previous year (%)	Share of total exports (%)
Live Animals	6.4	-82.3	0.1
Meat & Meat Preparations	896.5	-3.3	8.0
Wheat	586.4	-43.7	5.2
Barley	78.8	na	0.7
Fish and Fish Crustaceans	277.0	9.9	2.5
Fruit and Vegetables	710.6	11.7	6.4
Wine	1,920.5	1.5	17.2
Wool and Sheepskins	200.8	-18.1	1.8
Oil Seeds and Oleaginous Fruits	140.8	-17.7	1.3
Crude Minerals excluding Fuels	12.5	27.5	0.1
Metal Ores and Metal Scrap	1,472.7	6.4	13.2
Copper Ore and Concentrates	845.9	-1.2	7.6
Iron Ore and Concentrates	461.5	26.7	4.1
Coal and Gas	0.0	-100.0	0.0
Petroleum and Petroleum products	291.0	-62.8	2.6
Total, Metals and Metal Manufactures	2,277.3	15.8	20.4
Iron and Steel	78.4	-30.7	0.7
Refined Copper and Copper Products	1,912.4	44.0	17.1
Lead	245.6	-48.0	2.2
Other Metals	1.0	-32.2	0.0
Metal manufactures	39.9	-22.7	0.4
Machinery	348.5	-25.8	3.1
Road Vehicles, Parts & Accessories	53.5	-23.5	0.5
Other/Confidential*	1,912.3	-6.3	17.1
Total^	11,185.7	-8.6	100.0

* Other/Confidential includes barley (prior to the month of March 2018) and uranium oxide.

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