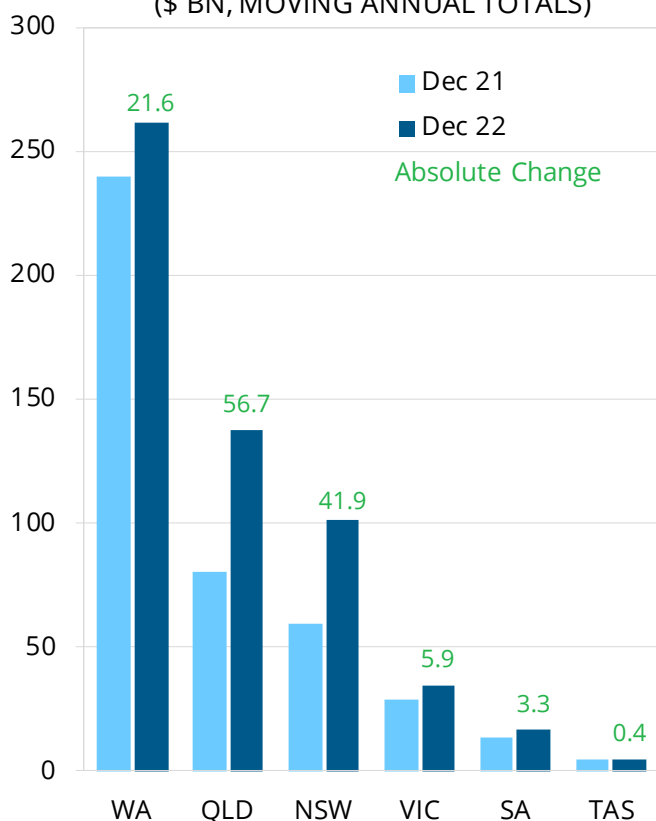


## SUMMARY

In the 12 months to December 2022:

- South Australia's overseas goods exports totalled \$16.4 billion, up 25% (\$3.3 billion) on the previous twelve months (moving annual total, in original terms).
- Nationally, the value of overseas goods exports totalled \$595 billion, up 29% (\$135 billion) over the same period.
- South Australia accounted for 2.8% of national overseas goods exports.
- Increases in the value of overseas goods exports were recorded in all jurisdictions, Queensland (up 71%), New South Wales (up 70%) and South Australia (up 25%), Victoria (up 20%), the Northern Territory (up 14%), Western Australia (up 9.0%) and Tasmania (up 8.5%). See Chart 1.

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



## MAJOR EXPORT DESTINATIONS

Major South Australian export markets that experienced growth in the year to December 2022 compared with the year to December 2021 included:

- United States of America (up \$389 million or 35%);
- Malaysia (up \$386 million or 41%);
- France (up \$262 million or 329%);
- South Korea (up \$225 million or 82%); and
- Canada (up \$212 million or 45%).

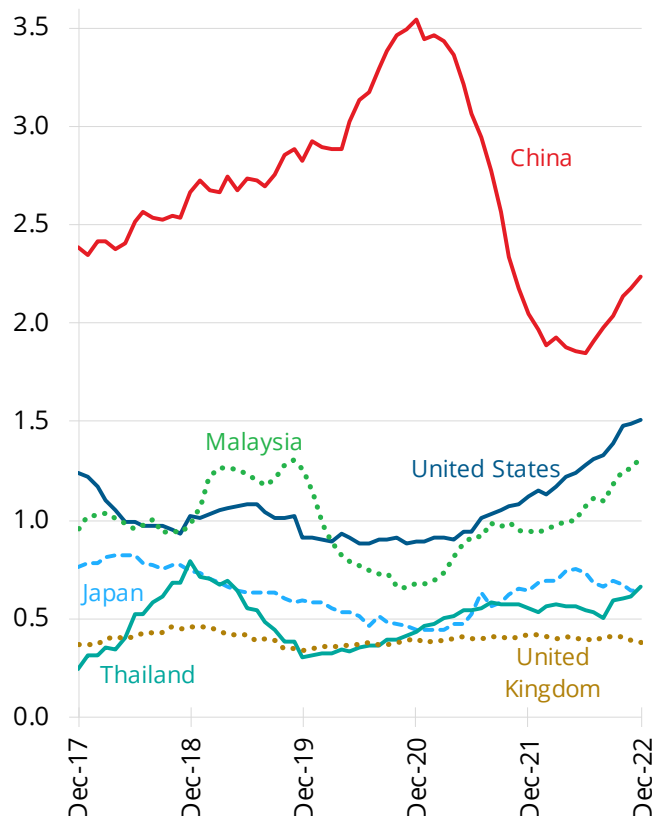
(Annual growth in exports of more than \$100 million was recorded for 16 export destinations).

Major South Australian export markets that experienced a decline in the year to December 2022 included:

- India (down \$222 million or 21%);
- Bulgaria (down \$54 million or 97%);
- Germany (down \$50 million or 40%);
- United Kingdom (down \$44 million or 10%); and
- Singapore (down \$37 million or 13%).

See Table 1 and Chart 2.

**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 2022 compared with the year to December 2021 included:

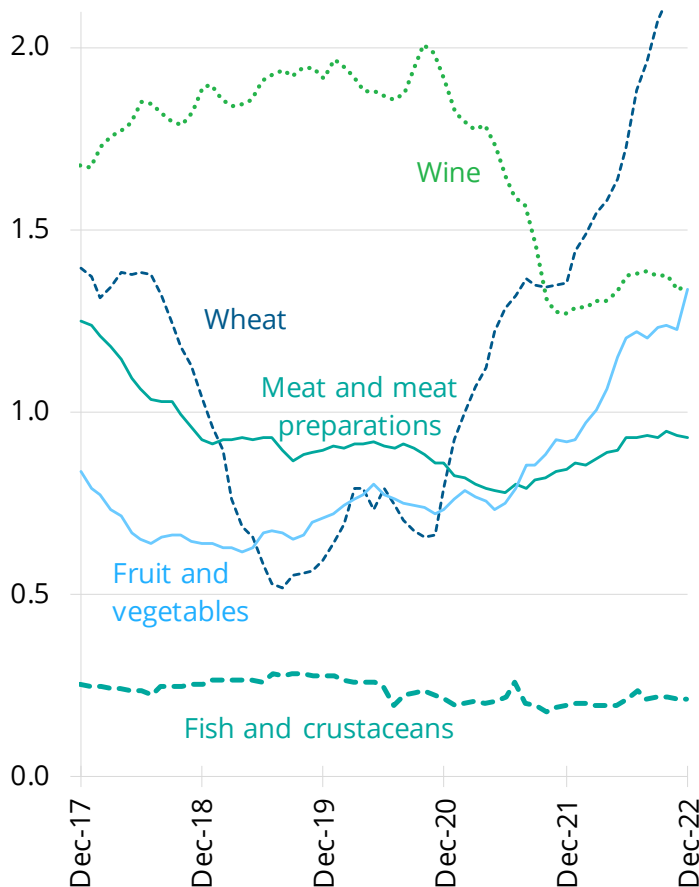
- Wheat (up \$877 million or 65%);
- Refined copper and copper products (up \$710 million or 44%);
- Oil-seeds and oleaginous fruits (up \$567 million or 239%);
- Vegetables (up \$340 million or 57%); and
- Meat of sheep and goat (up \$101 million or 18%).

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

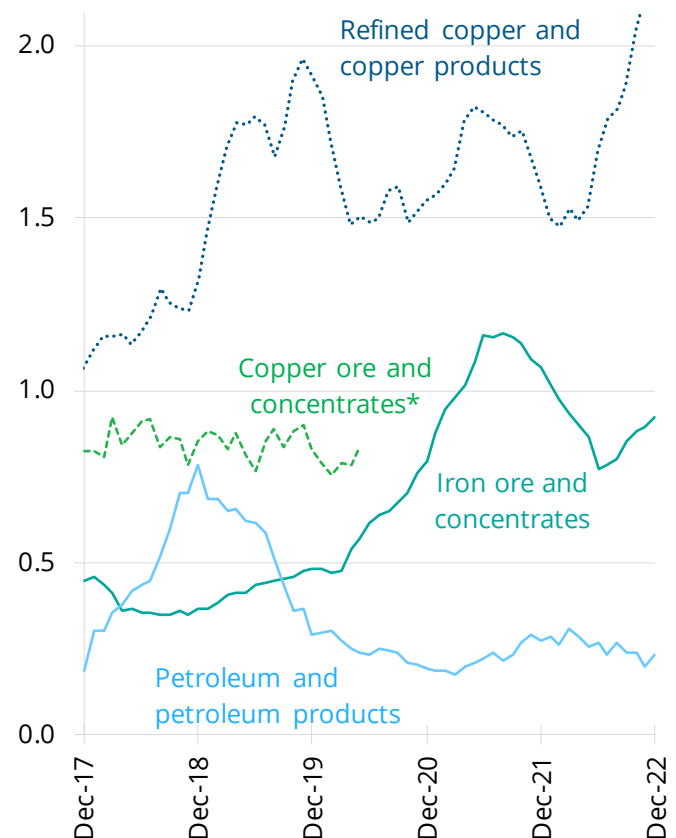
- Iron ore and concentrates (down \$142 million or 13%);
- Petroleum and petroleum products (down \$36 million or 13%);
- Fertilisers (excl. those of group 272) (down \$19 million or 72%);
- Medicaments (down \$18 million or 30%); and
- Household electrical and non-electrical equipment (down \$9.8 million or 33%).

See Table 2 and Charts 3 and 4.

**CHART 3: SA OVERSEAS GOODS EXPORTS (\$ BN, MOVING ANNUAL**



**CHART 4: SA OVERSEAS GOODS EXPORTS (\$ BN, MOVING ANNUAL TOTALS)**



**Notes:** Monthly estimates of merchandise exports are generally volatile and are unadjusted for seasonal factors—consequently monthly data should be treated with caution. Figures in this brief are reported in moving annual total terms to remove the impact of seasonality.

All data is in original nominal terms, hence both quantity and price changes contribute to changes in values.

\*Confidentialisation from June 2020 onwards.

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**Table 1: Selected South Australian Overseas Exports by Destination**

Country name	F.O.B Value 12 Months to December	Change from the previous year	
	2022 (\$m)	%	abs (\$m)
Canada	689.1	44.5%	212.3
East Asia	8,400.1	18.6%	1,319.1
China	2,243.0	9.6%	196.1
Hong Kong	244.1	-11.8%	-32.6
Japan	642.1	-0.4%	-2.3
ASEAN	4,211.7	22.0%	759.9
Indonesia	604.4	11.1%	60.2
Malaysia	1,329.8	40.9%	386.3
Singapore	244.1	-13.0%	-36.5
Thailand	658.3	20.0%	109.9
Vietnam	428.5	6.6%	26.6
European Union	1,233.2	73.3%	521.5
Belgium	294.5	176.1%	187.8
France	341.9	329.2%	262.2
Germany	75.8	-39.7%	-49.9
Netherlands	257.4	72.5%	108.2
India	830.6	-21.1%	-222.2
Middle East	1,326.2	73.2%	560.3
Egypt	237.9	13.6%	28.4
Saudi Arabia	437.6	46.1%	138.0
New Zealand	422.2	2.9%	12.1
United Kingdom	375.2	-10.4%	-43.7
United States	1,508.4	34.8%	389.5
<b>Total</b>	<b>16,387.6</b>	<b>25.3%</b>	<b>3,308.5</b>

**Table 2: Selected South Australian Overseas Exports by Commodity**

SITC	Commodity name	F.O.B Value 12 Months to December 2022 (\$m)	Change from the previous year	
			%	abs (\$m)
0	Food and live animals	5,892.8	37.1%	1,595.7
00	Live animals	2.0	-8.4%	-0.2
01	Meat and meat preparations	931.5	10.5%	88.7
011	Beef	181.8	-1.5%	-2.8
0121	Meat of sheep and goat	675.0	17.7%	101.3
02	Dairy	132.5	30.6%	31.1
03	Seafood	210.1	8.8%	16.9
04	Cereals and cereal preparations	3,063.9	47.0%	979.1
041	Wheat	2,231.6	64.8%	877.1
043	Barley	680.1	7.0%	44.3
05	Vegetables and fruit	1,335.9	45.2%	415.8
054	Vegetables	940.2	56.6%	339.8
057	Fruit and nuts	364.7	24.4%	71.6
08	Feeding stuff for animals	192.6	53.9%	67.5
1	Beverages and tobacco	1,384.2	5.2%	68.0
1121	Wine	1,350.0	6.2%	78.3
2	Crude materials (exc. fuels)	2,340.1	12.9%	268.0
22	Oil-seeds and oleaginous fruits	804.1	238.7%	566.7
26	Textile fibres	159.8	24.5%	31.4
268	Wool and animal hair	157.5	26.7%	33.1
28	Metalliferous ores and metal scrap	1,196.2	-22.0%	-337.4
281	Iron ore and concentrates	923.4	-13.3%	-141.7
283	Copper ores and concentrates	n/a	n/a	n/a
29	Crude animal and vegetable materials	100.1	-0.2%	-0.2
2925	Seeds used for sowing	78.7	11.7%	8.2
3	Mineral fuels, lubricants and related materials	259.9	-4.2%	-11.3
33	Petroleum, petroleum products	234.7	-13.4%	-36.5
4	Animal and vegetable oils, fats and waxes	49.7	73.5%	21.1
5	Chemicals and related products	391.8	-5.6%	-23.2
52	Inorganic chemicals	151.3	2.0%	2.9
54	Medicinal and pharmaceutical products	62.7	-19.7%	-15.4
6	Manufactured goods	2,957.7	36.6%	792.9
67	Iron and steel	143.8	2.5%	3.5
68	Non-ferrous metals	2,683.1	38.9%	751.6
682	Refined copper and copper products	2,307.6	44.5%	710.4
685	Lead	373.9	12.8%	42.3
7	Machinery and transport equipment	494.4	16.4%	69.7
78	Road vehicles (incl. air-cushion vehicles)	59.5	20.3%	10.0
8	Miscellaneous manufactured articles	197.8	15.1%	26.0
87	Profess., scientific and controlling instruments	113.7	14.7%	14.5
9	Other/confidential	2,419.0	26.2%	501.7
	<b>Total</b>	<b>16,387.6</b>	<b>25.3%</b>	<b>3,308.5</b>