

New Jersey Exports to Australia



New Jersey's export shipments of merchandise to Australia in 2003 totaled \$307 million, the 11th largest figure among the 50 states. Exports to Australia accounted for about 1.8 percent of the state total in 2003.

New Jersey's merchandise exports to Australia rose \$65 million from 1999 to 2003, the tenth largest increase nationally.

New Jersey's exports to Australia grew 27 percent during 1999-2003, the 18th largest percentage gain among the states. This is significantly greater than the growth in New Jersey's exports to the world, which increased 10 percent over the same period.

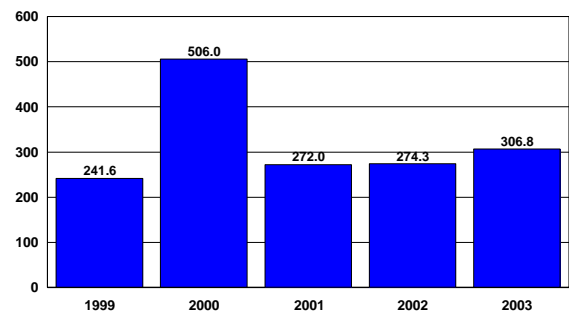
The overwhelming majority (98 percent) of New Jersey's exports to Australia consist of manufactured goods.

The state's top manufactured export category to Australia is chemical manufactures. In 2003, New Jersey exported chemical manufactures to Australia valued at \$164 million, or about 53 percent of the state's total exports to this market. Within chemical manufactures, pharmaceuticals and medicines led in 2003, recording shipments of \$92 million.

New Jersey's other leading manufactured exports to Australia in 2003 included miscellaneous manufactures (\$37 million, of which medical equipment and supplies accounted for \$24 million); computers and electronic products (\$28 million, of which navigational, measuring, electromedical, and control instru-

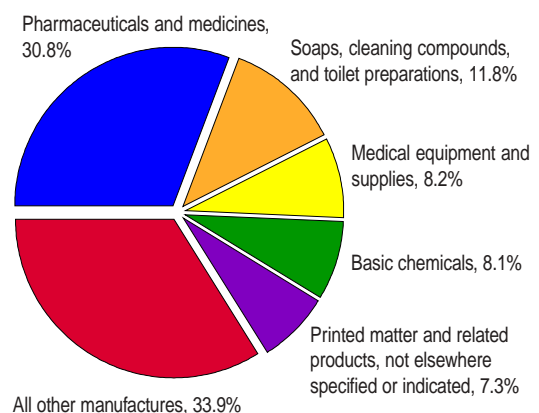
New Jersey's Exports to Australia Increased 27 Percent From 1999 to 2003

Merchandise Exports to Australia, \$ Millions



New Jersey Exports a Wide Array of Manufactured Goods to Australia

\$300 Million in Manufactured Goods Exports, 2003



Note: Manufactures are a subcategory of total merchandise exports, which also include mining commodities and unprocessed agricultural products.

Source: Origin of Movement Series, Bureau of the Census, U.S. Department of Commerce. The Origin of Movement (OM) series allocates exports to states based on transportation origin, i.e., the state from which goods begin their journey to the port (or other point of exit) from the United States. The transportation origin of exports is not always the same as the location where the goods were produced. Thus, conclusions about "export production" in a state should not be made solely on the basis of the Origin of Movement state export figures.

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ments accounted for \$8 million); and printing and related products (\$22 million).

The rise in New Jersey's manufactured exports to Australia was led by a \$55 million increase in chemical manufactures from 1999 to 2003. Exports of miscellaneous manufactures also increased by \$17 million over that period.

Australia was New Jersey's 15th largest export market in 2003, ranking just behind Taiwan and ahead of Switzerland.

Over the 1999–2003 period, Australia was New Jersey's 14th fastest growing market among the state's top 30 export destinations.

Measured in terms of export value increases, Australia ranked 12th among New Jersey's major markets for the 1999–2003 period.



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Australia Was New Jersey's Fifteenth Largest Market for Merchandise Exports in 2003

Value of New Jersey's Merchandise Exports to Its 30 Largest Markets

