

# Australia's Global Role: Defense Pacts, Trade Shifts, and Climate Action in Focus

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**1. What is the total amount of Official Development Assistance (ODA) Australia plans to provide in 2024-25?**

- A) Over \$4.96 billion**
- B) Over \$3 billion
- C) Exactly \$5 billion
- D) Over \$6 billion

**2. Which country has become Australia's top export market for goods and services, accounting for a significant portion of total trade?**

- A) China**
- B) Japan
- C) United States
- D) South Korea

**3. Australia has legislated emissions reduction targets under the Climate Change Act 2022. What is the target for 2030?**

- A) A reduction of 43% below 2005 levels**
- B) A reduction of 50% below 2005 levels
- C) A reduction of 35% below 2005 levels
- D) Net zero emissions by 2030

**4. Australia and which other country signed a new defense and security cooperation agreement in March 2024?**

- A) United Kingdom**
- B) United States
- C) Japan
- D) Canada

**5. According to the ATIA Travel Trends Report for the year ending September 2025, what has been the trend for inbound visitor numbers to Australia?**

- A) Increased from 8.1 million to 8.6 million**
- B) Decreased from 8.1 million to 7.5 million
- C) Remained the same at 8.1 million
- D) Increased to over 10 million

**6. What is the primary focus of the 'Future Made in Australia' plan, as indicated in the 2024-25 Budget?**

- A) Maximizing economic and industrial benefits of the net zero transition**
- B) Expanding fossil fuel exports
- C) Reducing investment in renewable energy
- D) Focusing solely on agricultural exports

**7. Which of the following is NOT listed as one of Australia's top 5 partner countries for merchandise trade and services exports in 2025?**

- A) Singapore**
- B) China
- C) Japan
- D) United States

**8. In 2025, Australia is set to welcome a certain number of international cruise ships for the summer season. How many are expected?**

- A) 63**
- B) 70
- C) 50
- D) 100

**9. Australia recently voted in favor of a UN Security Council resolution calling for what in Gaza?**

- A) An immediate, unconditional, and permanent ceasefire**
- B) A prolonged negotiation period
- C) Increased military intervention
- D) The establishment of a new governing body

**10. Which emerging technology is identified by Australian tech leaders as the defining trend for 2025?**

- A) Artificial Intelligence (AI)**
- B) Virtual Reality (VR)
- C) Blockchain
- D) 5G Network expansion