

# NEW MEMBER - PROFILE

*Australian Industry Group would like to welcome PKCT as a new member to the Illawarra and South Eastern Regions.*



Port Kembla Coal Terminal (PKCT) is a key coal exporting facility on Australia's east coast. PKCT services two of the nation's richest coal reserves, the NSW Southern (around the Illawarra region) and Western (around Lithgow) coalfields.

PKCT is operated by a consortium of coal producers whose interests are best served by ensuring fast, reliable handling at the port. This is achieved through effective rail and road receipt infrastructure, well-managed stockpiles at the terminal, and modern computerised reclaiming and loading facilities. PKCT operates two berths, one for coal shipments and the other for loading coke, slag and other bulk products.

PKCT's vision is to be a valued link in the global coal supply chain. The Terminal has a reputation for quick vessel turnaround times, no vessel queues, and has the ability to handle any sized cargo – from 5,000 tonne barges to 166,000 tonne bulk carriers. Over 200 vessels departed the coal terminal last year, with key market destinations including India and Japan.

PKCT has a workforce of approximately 80 people committed to driving efficiency and improvement to ensure the Terminal's continued viability. Importantly, the coal terminal has more than six million tonnes of spare capacity, which positions it well for growth. PKCT is currently shipping 12.2 million tonnes per annum of products, including some coal from the Hunter region, and has the capacity to ship more in the future.

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