

THE PORT AT GREYMOUTH PROVIDES A FULL RANGE OF MARINE SERVICES

As a result of a rise in coastal shipping and the development of the Pike River Coal operation, a \$22 million redevelopment of the port facility (2007-09) will include new coal receival storage and loading facilities, wharves and enhanced harbour entrance monitoring systems. This will allow the operation of purpose built coastal vessels (135 metre length, 25 metre beam, 5.2 metre draught, 12,000 tonne cargo capacity). Initially, these will be able to transport up to 1.5 million tonnes of coal a year, with access by road transport. Contingency plans for rail access allow throughput to increase to over 3.5 million tonnes per year.

7,650 tonnes of fish were landed in 2006-07. Coal shipments have been reduced while the mine and port developments are taking place. 1.5 million tonnes of coal a year will be leaving the Greymouth Port in the near future.

The **Coal River Heritage Park** is located along the Grey River floodwall from the Railway Station to the Cargo Port and out to the Harbour entrance.



- Border control
- Harbour services
- Pilotage
- Hydrographic survey - survey vessel *William Steer*
- Cargo control for bulk coal, aggregate, timber and general cargo
- Fishing port - home to 35 fishing vessels
- Up to 60 visiting vessels in the tuna and hoki seasons
- Growing game fishing charter vessel operations in winter
- Slipway for up to 150 tonne vessels
- Important heritage port on the NZ Maritime Heritage Trail
- Port administered by Port Westland Ltd



THE PORT OF WESTPORT HAS DEVELOPED AS A SPECIALIST EXPORT FACILITY

A hydrographic package has been purchased enabling extremely accurate soundings to be carried out to allow precise loading to maximise cargo tonnage. It also enables the dredger to accurately target areas for clearance.

- Sheltered at mouth of the Buller River
- Maximum vessel 131 metres, 25m beam
- Border control and bonded area
- Fishing wharf, ice available
- Pilot vessel/tug *Bob Gower*
- Dredge *Kawatiri* carries out harbour and bar dredging in Westport and contract dredging at Nelson and Greymouth.
- Harbour managed by Buller Port Services Ltd
- 2006 total trade of 603,363 tonnes comprising exports of 563,332 tonnes and imports of 40,031 tonnes.

In 2006 more than 458,000 tonnes of cement and 104,000 tonnes of coal were exported.

A coal stockpiling and loading facility is based on the coal wharf, with **Talley's Fisheries Ltd** based on the fishing wharf.



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There is a small port at Jackson Bay, south of Haast, which was built in the pioneering seal hunting days. Jackson Bay was designed as a special settlement for immigrants and a public works programme in the 1870s. It's a place of incredible beauty enjoyed by those who live there or pass through. The rare Hector's Dolphin can often be seen in the bay.

Development West Coast has taken an advocacy and support role in ensuring the region's ports, as well as access networks, are future-proofed so that ports are in a position to meet increasing demands from the extractive sector.