



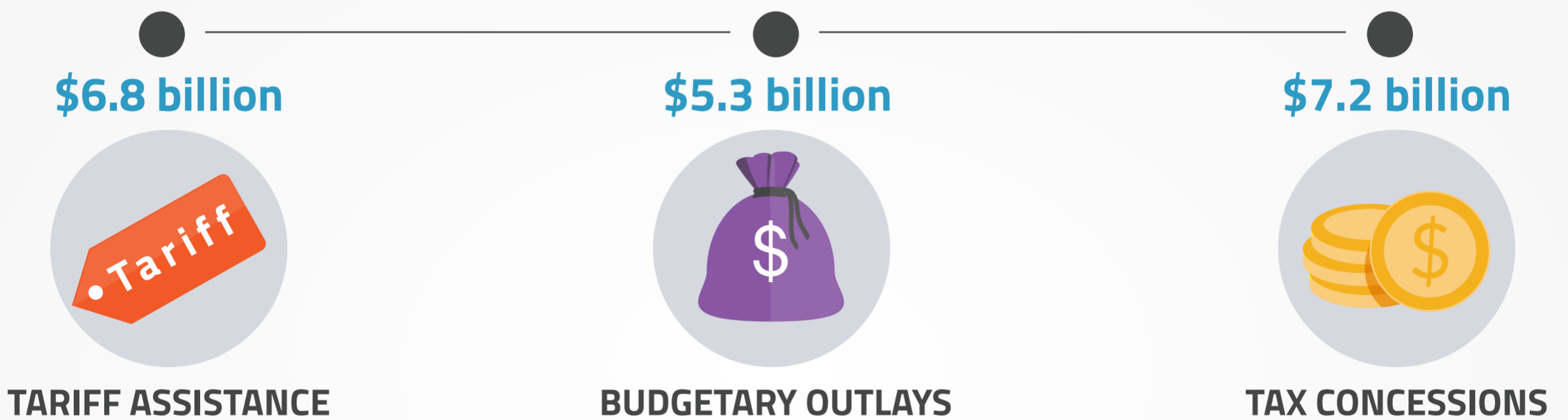
TRADE AND ASSISTANCE REVIEW 2016-17

Gross Industry Assistance

In 2016-17 Australian industry assistance rose to
\$19.3 billion gross assistance

An increase of **24 per cent** or **\$3.7 billion** since 2015-16

Gross assistance consisted of



Net Industry Assistance was \$13.4 billion

Net assistance takes into account the cost penalty of tariffs on inputs.
Tariffs protect some businesses but penalise most others

New concessional finance schemes lack transparency

NORTHERN AUSTRALIA
INFRASTRUCTURE FACILITY



\$5 billion

DEFENCE EXPORT FACILITY



\$3.8 billion

REGIONAL INVESTMENT
CORPORATION



\$4 billion