

Figure 8.73 Darling Harbour: an early plan.

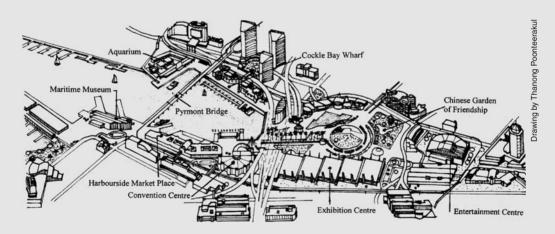


Figure 8.74 Darling Harbour in 2003.

destroyer in the water adjacent to it) and a privately developed aquarium that has been successful enough to be extensively enlarged. Both these buildings were designed by Philip Cox. Today, Darling Harbour includes the Exhibition Centre, the Sydney Convention Centre (completed in 1999), the Harbourside Markets (designed by RTKL Associates, Inc

and Clarke Perry Blackmore) and, on the city side of the harbour, Cockle Bay Wharf (a restaurant and entertainment area, completed in 2001). Towards the south are a Panasonic IMAX Theatre, Palm Grove (a waterplay area), the Chinese Garden of Friendship, children's playgrounds, amphitheatres, water features and parks. The old