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Important note:

Unless otherwise mentioned all figures for "EU" concern the European Union of 28 members for all indicated years.

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Key Figures

Indicator	Unit	Period	Imports	Exports	Total trade	Balance
Last year	Mio euros	2016	773,576	620,285	1,393,861	-153,291
Share in EU trade	%	2016	45.3	35.5	40.4	
Annual growth rate	%	2015 - 2016	-0.2	-1.4		
Annual average growth rate	%	2012 - 2016	1.9	2.7		

Imports 2016

Exports 2016

AMA/NAMA product Groups

Product	Value Mio €	% Total	Product	Value Mio €	% Total
Agricultural products (WTO AoA)	23,914	3.1	Agricultural products (WTO AoA)	49,801	8.0
Fishery products	5,458	0.7	Fishery products	1,672	0.3
Industrial products	744,204	96.2	Industrial products	568,812	91.7
Total	773,576	100.0	Total	620,285	100.0

SITC product Groups

Product	Value Mio €	% Total	Product	Value Mio €	% Total
Primary products	105,373	13.6	Primary products	87,416	14.1
Manufactures	654,906	84.7	Manufactures	515,257	83.1
Other products	10,625	1.4	Other products	9,514	1.5
Other	2,673	0.4	Other	8,099	1.3

Top 5 - HS sections

Product	Value Mio €	% Total	Product	Value Mio €	% Total
XVI Machinery and appliances	289,307	37.4	XVI Machinery and appliances	180,745	29.1
XI Textiles and textile articles	81,501	10.5	XVII Transport equipment	111,452	18.0
V Mineral products	65,807	8.5	VI Products of the chemical or allied industries	79,445	12.8
VI Products of the chemical or allied industries	47,644	6.2	XVIII Optical and photographic instruments, etc.	38,370	6.2
XVII Transport equipment	47,553	6.1	XV Base metals and articles thereof	30,129	4.9

Top 5 - SITC sections

Product	Value Mio €	% Total	Product	Value Mio €	% Total
7 Machinery and transport equipment	334,377	43.2	7 Machinery and transport equipment	293,076	47.3
8 Miscellaneous manufactured articles	181,317	23.4	5 Chemicals and related prod, n.e.s.	91,386	14.7
6 Manufactured goods classified chiefly by material	88,288	11.4	8 Miscellaneous manufactured articles	74,367	12.0
3 Mineral fuels, lubricants and related materials	64,466	8.3	6 Manufactured goods classified chiefly by material	63,809	10.3
5 Chemicals and related prod, n.e.s.	57,787	7.5	0 Food and live animals	34,293	5.5

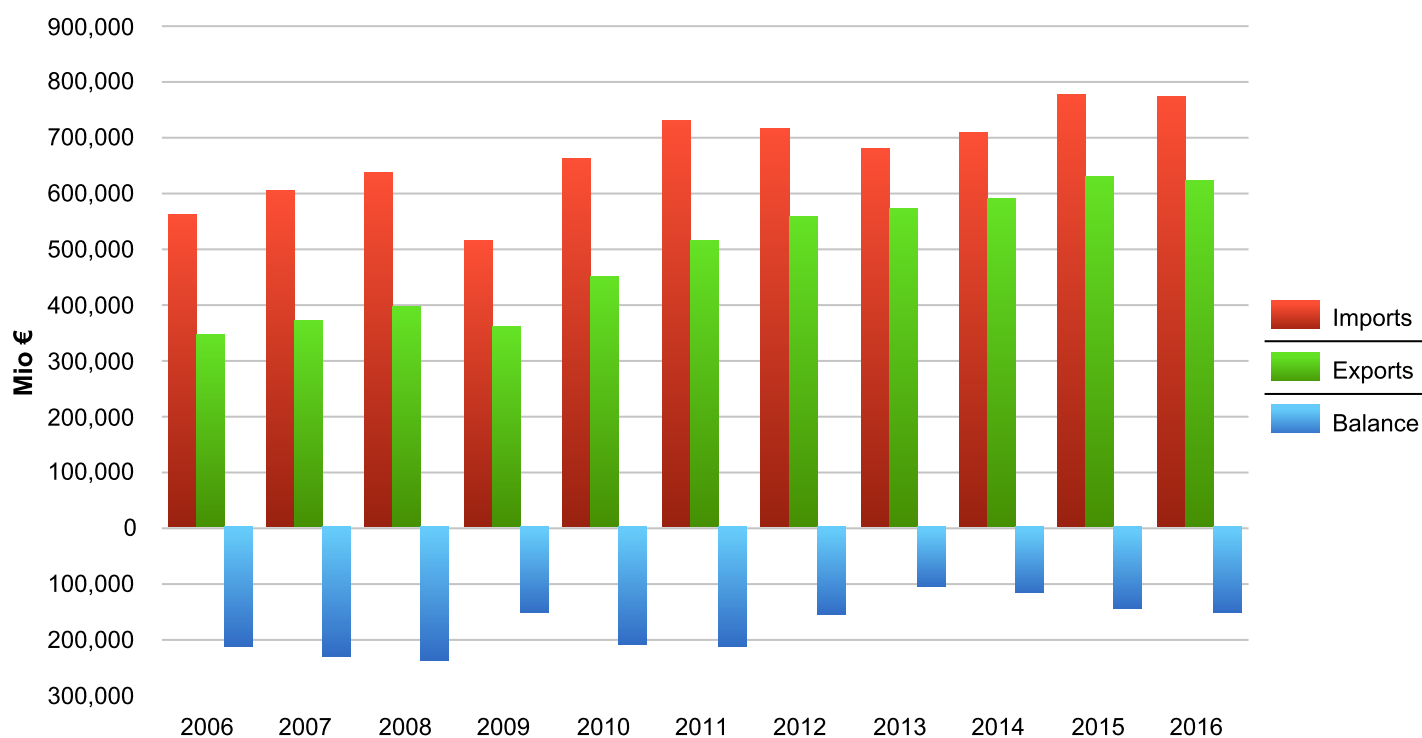
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% Growth: relative variation between current and previous period

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Total goods: EU Trade flows and balance, annual data 2006 - 2016

Source Eurostat Comext - Statistical regime 4



Total goods: EU Trade flows and balance

Source Eurostat Comext - Statistical regime 4

Period	Imports			Exports			Balance	Total trade
	Value Mio €	% Growth*	% Extra-EU	Value Mio €	% Growth*	% Extra-EU	Value Mio €	Value Mio €
2006	560,986		41.0	346,556		30.1	-214,431	907,542
2007	603,939	7.7	41.6	372,114	7.4	30.1	-231,825	976,054
2008	634,570	5.1	40.0	394,734	6.1	30.2	-239,836	1,029,304
2009	513,262	-19.1	41.5	358,054	-9.3	32.7	-155,209	871,316
2010	662,360	29.1	43.2	450,908	25.9	33.3	-211,452	1,113,268
2011	729,929	10.2	42.2	514,379	14.1	33.1	-215,551	1,244,308
2012	716,313	-1.9	39.8	557,855	8.5	33.1	-158,459	1,274,168
2013	679,270	-5.2	40.3	573,162	2.7	33.0	-106,108	1,252,431
2014	707,976	4.2	41.8	589,445	2.8	34.6	-118,530	1,297,421
2015	775,343	9.5	44.8	629,134	6.7	35.2	-146,209	1,404,477
2016	773,576	-0.2	45.3	620,285	-1.4	35.5	-153,291	1,393,861

* % Growth: relative variation between current and previous period

% Extra-EU: imports/exports as % of all EU partners i.e. excluding trade between EU Member States

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Trade flows by SITC section 2016

Source Eurostat Comext - Statistical regime 4

	Imports				Exports			
	Value Mio €	% Total	% Extra-EU	% Growth*	Value Mio €	% Total	% Extra-EU	% Growth*
Total	773,576	100.0	45.3	-0.2	620,285	100.0	35.5	-1.4
0 Food and live animals	19,175	2.5	19.0	0.1	34,293	5.5	40.9	6.4
1 Beverages and tobacco	916	0.1	11.1	1.3	10,433	1.7	32.6	4.2
2 Crude materials, inedible, except fuels	9,153	1.2	15.5	-6.6	19,387	3.1	51.8	-4.3
3 Mineral fuels, lubricants and related materials	64,466	8.3	24.4	-13.0	15,160	2.4	20.4	-2.2
4 Animal and vegetable oils, fats and waxes	5,031	0.7	55.2	-4.0	1,339	0.2	25.3	4.0
5 Chemicals and related prod. n.e.s.	57,787	7.5	31.3	-0.9	91,386	14.7	29.1	1.3
6 Manufactured goods classified chiefly by material	88,288	11.4	48.7	-1.4	63,809	10.3	33.6	-5.6
7 Machinery and transport equipment	334,377	43.2	60.5	0.8	293,076	47.3	39.3	0.6
8 Miscellaneous manufactured articles	181,317	23.4	67.6	-0.1	74,367	12.0	36.1	2.4
9 Commodities and transactions n.c.e.	10,393	1.3	13.0	247.1	8,937	1.4	15.5	-56.0
Other	2,673	0.4	n.a.	n.a.	8,099	1.3	n.a.	n.a.

Trade flows by SITC product grouping 2016

Source Eurostat Comext - Statistical regime 4

SITC Rev. 3 Product Groups	Imports				Exports			
	Value Mio €	% Total	% Extra-EU	% Growth*	Value Mio €	% Total	% Extra-EU	% Growth*
Total	773,576	100.0	45.3	-0.2	620,285	100.0	35.5	-1.4
Primary products	105,373	13.6	22.2	-9.3	87,416	14.1	34.4	-1.2
- Agricultural products (Food (incl. Fish) & Raw Materials)	31,872	4.1	21.2	-1.7	57,825	9.3	40.0	3.8
- - Food	25,673	3.3	20.3	-1.0	46,237	7.5	37.9	6.0
- - - of which Fish	5,397	0.7	22.6	2.5	1,580	0.3	35.2	12.2
- - Raw materials	6,200	0.8	26.7	-4.4	11,588	1.9	51.4	-4.2
- Fuels and mining products	73,501	9.5	22.6	-12.3	29,591	4.8	27.1	-9.5
- - Ores and other minerals	2,402	0.3	8.9	-10.3	7,627	1.2	54.6	-5.5
- - Fuels	64,466	8.3	24.4	-13.0	15,160	2.4	20.4	-2.2
- - - of which Petroleum and petroleum products	60,775	7.9	30.9	-10.2	14,647	2.4	21.1	-0.9
- - Non ferrous metals	6,632	0.9	19.4	-5.1	6,804	1.1	32.4	-25.6
Manufactures	654,906	84.7	56.9	0.2	515,257	83.1	36.0	0.6
- Iron and steel	10,944	1.4	41.2	-6.3	8,403	1.4	29.1	-15.7
- Chemicals	57,787	7.5	31.3	-0.9	91,386	14.7	29.1	1.3
- - of which Pharmaceuticals	12,562	1.6	16.7	-4.9	37,295	6.0	25.9	3.1
- Other semi-manufactures	52,803	6.8	56.1	-1.0	43,743	7.1	36.0	0.1
- Machinery and transport equipment	334,377	43.2	60.5	0.8	293,076	47.3	39.3	0.6
- - Office and telecommunication equipment	169,900	22.0	88.2	-4.0	34,136	5.5	43.8	2.3
- - - Electronic data processing and office equipment	62,859	8.1	89.5	-6.2	7,626	1.2	33.7	-3.5
- - - Telecommunications equipment	85,408	11.0	87.8	-2.5	12,415	2.0	37.2	-8.3
- - - Integrated circuits and electronic components	21,633	2.8	86.0	-3.5	14,094	2.3	64.4	18.3
- - Transport equipment	52,880	6.8	36.0	14.1	117,372	18.9	37.6	1.2
- - - of which Automotive products	28,773	3.7	42.5	15.5	66,993	10.8	35.9	0.1
- - Other machinery	111,597	14.4	52.5	3.0	140,666	22.7	39.8	-0.3
- - - Power generating machinery	10,529	1.4	23.6	4.5	23,379	3.8	41.1	5.9
- - - Non electrical machinery	44,685	5.8	55.0	3.7	83,024	13.4	39.7	-3.0
- - - Electrical machinery	56,383	7.3	64.9	2.2	34,263	5.5	39.1	2.5
- Textiles	17,910	2.3	67.7	2.1	4,748	0.8	26.1	-0.2
- Clothing	66,838	8.6	77.6	-0.8	9,380	1.5	37.4	-0.1
- Other manufactures	114,247	14.8	63.1	0.3	64,380	10.4	36.2	2.5
- - of which Scientific and controlling instruments	16,957	2.2	41.3	2.3	26,231	4.2	43.7	5.8
Other products	10,625	1.4	13.1	235.5	9,514	1.5	15.7	-54.1
Other	2,673	0.4	n.a.	n.a.	8,099	1.3	n.a.	n.a.

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Trade flows by SITC section 2013 - 2016

Source Eurostat Comext - Statistical regime 4

	Imports				Exports			
	Value Mio €				Value Mio €			
	2013	2014	2015	2016	2013	2014	2015	2016
Total	679,270	707,976	775,343	773,576	573,162	589,445	629,134	620,285
0 Food and live animals	16,687	17,328	19,156	19,175	25,371	28,540	32,242	34,293
1 Beverages and tobacco	718	852	904	916	9,024	8,919	10,016	10,433
2 Crude materials, inedible, except fuels	10,099	9,919	9,803	9,153	20,673	19,583	20,251	19,387
3 Mineral fuels, lubricants and related materials	101,682	94,277	74,130	64,466	17,071	17,006	15,504	15,160
4 Animal and vegetable oils, fats and waxes	5,296	5,300	5,238	5,031	1,316	1,007	1,287	1,339
5 Chemicals and related prod, n.e.s.	49,356	49,495	58,282	57,787	78,567	80,549	90,247	91,386
6 Manufactured goods classified chiefly by material	74,289	81,360	89,552	88,288	69,374	67,446	67,625	63,809
7 Machinery and transport equipment	271,730	282,188	331,766	334,377	266,627	279,820	291,461	293,076
8 Miscellaneous manufactured articles	144,426	158,953	181,443	181,317	61,153	65,340	72,648	74,367
9 Commodities and transactions n.c.e.	3,077	3,049	2,995	10,393	17,775	15,742	20,287	8,937
Other	1,909	5,253	2,073	2,673	6,212	5,494	7,565	8,099

Trade flows by SITC product grouping 2013 - 2016

Source Eurostat Comext - Statistical regime 4

SITC Rev. 3 Product Groups	Imports				Exports			
	Value Mio €				Value Mio €			
	2013	2014	2015	2016	2013	2014	2015	2016
Total	679,270	707,976	775,343	773,576	573,162	589,445	629,134	620,285
Primary products	140,828	133,291	116,219	105,373	83,700	83,781	88,444	87,416
- Agricultural products (Food (incl. Fish) & Raw Materials)	29,890	30,506	32,425	31,872	47,912	49,662	55,730	57,825
- - Food	23,224	24,094	25,943	25,673	35,826	38,660	43,635	46,237
- - - of which Fish	4,809	5,172	5,264	5,397	1,145	1,259	1,408	1,580
- - Raw materials	6,666	6,412	6,482	6,200	12,087	11,003	12,095	11,588
- Fuels and mining products	110,938	102,785	83,794	73,501	35,788	34,118	32,714	29,591
- - Ores and other minerals	2,910	2,894	2,677	2,402	8,471	8,386	8,067	7,627
- - Fuels	101,682	94,277	74,130	64,466	17,071	17,006	15,504	15,160
- - - of which Petroleum and petroleum products	93,394	88,102	67,693	60,775	16,341	15,291	14,777	14,647
- - Non ferrous metals	6,346	5,614	6,987	6,632	10,246	8,726	9,143	6,804
Manufactures	533,279	566,245	653,884	654,906	465,026	484,014	512,397	515,257
- Iron and steel	8,662	10,556	11,675	10,944	11,742	10,312	9,970	8,403
- Chemicals	49,356	49,495	58,282	57,787	78,567	80,549	90,247	91,386
- - of which Pharmaceuticals	11,165	9,165	13,212	12,562	28,776	29,455	36,192	37,295
- Other semi-manufactures	44,651	49,153	53,343	52,803	42,891	43,783	43,682	43,743
- Machinery and transport equipment	271,730	282,188	331,766	334,377	266,627	279,820	291,461	293,076
- - Office and telecommunication equipment	146,647	147,226	177,049	169,900	31,127	30,804	33,358	34,136
- - - Electronic data processing and office equipment	60,953	61,241	67,021	62,859	7,738	8,036	7,899	7,626
- - - Telecommunications equipment	67,177	66,909	87,614	85,408	12,490	11,512	13,541	12,415
- - - Integrated circuits and electronic components	18,517	19,075	22,414	21,633	10,900	11,256	11,918	14,094
- - Transport equipment	39,046	40,087	46,360	52,880	99,777	111,956	116,041	117,372
- - - of which Automotive products	20,925	21,299	24,906	28,773	60,029	68,209	66,954	66,993
- - Other machinery	86,037	94,875	108,358	111,597	134,395	135,641	141,080	140,666
- - - Power generating machinery	8,730	9,168	10,077	10,529	21,375	20,892	22,070	23,379
- - - Non electrical machinery	33,933	38,595	43,114	44,685	83,181	83,573	85,570	83,024
- - - Electrical machinery	43,375	47,112	55,167	56,383	29,839	31,177	33,441	34,263
- Textiles	14,630	16,037	17,548	17,910	4,362	4,528	4,760	4,748
- Clothing	54,284	59,953	67,378	66,838	7,688	8,408	9,386	9,380
- Other manufactures	89,966	98,863	113,893	114,247	52,952	56,488	62,792	64,380
- - of which Scientific and controlling instruments	13,394	14,445	16,584	16,957	21,525	22,549	24,799	26,231
Other products	3,254	3,186	3,167	10,625	18,223	16,157	20,728	9,514
Other	1,909	5,253	2,073	2,673	6,212	5,494	7,565	8,099

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Trade flows by HS section 2016

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HS Sections	Imports				Exports			
	Value Mio €	% Total	% Extra-EU	% Growth*	Value Mio €	% Total	% Extra-EU	% Growth*
Total	773,576	100.0	45.3	-0.2	620,285	100.0	35.5	-1.4
I Live animals; animal products	5,396	0.7	20.4	0.9	14,926	2.4	54.6	16.2
II Vegetable products	9,702	1.3	18.4	-1.9	7,201	1.2	28.3	-7.9
III Animal or vegetable fats and oils	5,040	0.7	54.1	-4.0	1,300	0.2	23.3	-1.8
IV Foodstuffs, beverages, tobacco	7,495	1.0	17.0	0.5	24,898	4.0	34.6	4.9
V Mineral products	65,807	8.5	23.1	-13.0	18,097	2.9	22.5	-1.4
VI Products of the chemical or allied industries	47,644	6.2	29.1	-2.6	79,445	12.8	28.4	1.5
VII Plastics, rubber and articles thereof	32,317	4.2	58.9	2.2	21,060	3.4	31.5	0.0
VIII Raw hides and skins, and saddlery	10,600	1.4	70.9	-4.6	8,805	1.4	56.2	-9.1
IX Wood, charcoal and cork and articles thereof	3,866	0.5	31.6	-4.4	4,482	0.7	36.4	6.6
X Pulp of wood, paper and paperboard	4,701	0.6	29.9	0.0	9,289	1.5	32.4	-0.4
XI Textiles and textile articles	81,501	10.5	74.1	0.0	14,866	2.4	33.2	0.7
XII Footwear, hats and other headgear	19,581	2.5	85.8	-1.8	2,772	0.4	29.4	2.1
XIII Articles of stone, glass and ceramics	7,563	1.0	58.0	1.1	6,131	1.0	30.6	0.1
XIV Pearls, precious metals and articles thereof	20,665	2.7	22.2	43.5	23,328	3.8	41.9	-33.4
XV Base metals and articles thereof	41,650	5.4	43.1	-2.0	30,129	4.9	32.0	-10.3
XVI Machinery and appliances	289,307	37.4	69.4	-0.6	180,745	29.1	40.2	-0.1
XVII Transport equipment	47,553	6.1	34.8	11.2	111,452	18.0	38.0	1.4
XVII Optical and photographic instruments, etc.	28,328	3.7	40.2	2.4	38,370	6.2	41.4	5.0
XIX Arms and ammunition	231	0.0	20.3	39.9	507	0.1	12.0	25.9
XX Miscellaneous manufactured articles	39,206	5.1	84.2	0.1	8,960	1.4	28.6	-2.0
XXI Works of art and antiques	337	0.0	8.7	-20.6	1,532	0.2	17.1	8.2
XXII Not classified	5,087	0.7	27.8	20.2	11,990	1.9	44.0	-0.3
AMA / NAMA Product Groups								
Total	773,576	100.0	45.3	-0.2	620,285	100.0	35.5	-1.4
Agricultural products (WTO AoA)	23,914	3.1	1.4	-2.1	49,801	8.0	2.9	3.1
Fishery products	5,458	0.7	0.3	2.4	1,672	0.3	0.1	7.9
Industrial products	744,204	96.2	43.6	-0.2	568,812	91.7	32.6	-1.8

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Trade flows by HS section 2013 - 2016

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HS Sections	Imports				Exports			
	Value Mio €				Value Mio €			
	2013	2014	2015	2016	2013	2014	2015	2016
Total	679,270	707,976	775,343	773,576	573,162	589,445	629,134	620,285
I Live animals; animal products	4,703	5,126	5,348	5,396	9,930	11,847	12,847	14,926
II Vegetable products	8,208	8,592	9,886	9,702	6,305	6,304	7,815	7,201
III Animal or vegetable fats and oils	5,304	5,309	5,247	5,040	1,392	1,049	1,324	1,300
IV Foodstuffs, beverages, tobacco	6,927	6,991	7,457	7,495	19,800	21,272	23,746	24,898
V Mineral products	103,274	95,787	75,654	65,807	19,975	19,948	18,348	18,097
VI Products of the chemical or allied industries	40,712	40,631	48,900	47,644	68,140	69,153	78,286	79,445
VII Plastics, rubber and articles thereof	28,057	29,460	31,614	32,317	18,962	20,022	21,056	21,060
VIII Raw hides and skins, and saddlery	9,322	10,047	11,108	10,600	9,872	8,811	9,691	8,805
IX Wood, charcoal and cork and articles thereof	3,271	3,552	4,044	3,866	4,048	4,029	4,203	4,482
X Pulp of wood, paper and paperboard	3,898	4,190	4,701	4,701	9,034	8,773	9,329	9,289
XI Textiles and textile articles	66,154	72,946	81,483	81,501	12,518	13,452	14,761	14,866
XII Footwear, hats and other headgear	15,381	17,093	19,942	19,581	2,209	2,453	2,714	2,772
XIII Articles of stone, glass and ceramics	6,153	6,875	7,480	7,563	5,628	5,761	6,123	6,131
XIV Pearls, precious metals and articles thereof	14,423	13,882	14,397	20,665	34,349	30,921	35,006	23,328
XV Base metals and articles thereof	33,437	37,795	42,513	41,650	35,736	33,761	33,587	30,129
XVI Machinery and appliances	237,675	247,580	291,178	289,307	171,762	173,927	180,843	180,745
XVII Transport equipment	35,788	36,531	42,754	47,553	93,882	105,444	109,918	111,452
XVIII Optical and photographic instruments, etc.	22,529	24,048	27,656	28,328	31,566	32,746	36,552	38,370
XIX Arms and ammunition	177	136	165	231	246	271	403	507
XX Miscellaneous manufactured articles	29,559	33,633	39,157	39,206	7,419	8,026	9,138	8,960
XXI Works of art and antiques	261	354	425	337	1,000	1,162	1,416	1,532
XXII Not classified	4,057	7,416	4,233	5,087	9,393	10,313	12,027	11,990
AMA / NAMA Product Groups	2013	2014	2015	2016	2013	2014	2015	2016
Total	679,270	707,976	775,343	773,576	573,162	589,445	629,134	620,285
Agricultural products (WTO AoA)	22,087	22,744	24,435	23,914	40,568	42,611	48,292	49,801
Fishery products	4,865	5,226	5,330	5,458	1,242	1,339	1,550	1,672
Industrial products	652,318	680,005	745,578	744,204	531,351	545,496	579,292	568,812

Asia (all countries), Trade with World

Total Goods: Trade flows and balance

Source IMF

Period	Imports		Exports		Balance		Total trade	
	Value Mio €	% Growth*	Value Mio €	% Growth*	Value Mio €	% Growth*	Value Mio €	% Growth*
2006	1,007,256		1,379,931		372,675		2,387,187	
2007	1,096,317	8.8	1,456,407	5.5	360,090	-3.4	2,552,724	6.9
2008	1,243,593	13.4	1,590,620	9.2	347,027	-3.6	2,834,213	11.0
2009	1,129,877	-9.1	1,264,127	-20.5	134,250	-61.3	2,394,005	-15.5
2010	1,488,159	31.7	1,707,145	35.1	218,985	63.1	3,195,304	33.5
2011	1,753,455	17.8	1,951,758	14.3	198,303	-9.4	3,705,213	16.0
2012	2,001,102	14.1	2,128,665	9.1	127,563	-35.7	4,129,767	11.5
2013	2,022,409	1.1	2,055,915	-3.4	33,506	-73.7	4,078,325	-1.3
2014	2,022,774	0.0	2,124,616	3.3	101,841	204.0	4,147,390	1.7
2015	2,111,628	4.4	2,338,276	10.1	226,649	122.6	4,449,904	7.3
2016	2,056,485	-2.6	2,269,703	-2.9	213,219	-5.9	4,326,188	-2.8

Total Goods: Top trading partners 2016

Source IMF

Imports			Exports			Total trade		
Partner	Value Mio €	% World	Partner	Value Mio €	% World	Partner	Value Mio €	% World
World	2,056,485	100.0	World	2,269,703	100.0	World	4,326,188	100.0
1 EU 28	630,084	30.6	1 USA	780,047	34.4	1 EU 28	1,356,490	31.4
2 USA	405,123	19.7	2 EU 28	726,406	32.0	2 USA	1,185,169	27.4
3 Australia	137,728	6.7	3 Australia	94,798	4.2	3 Australia	232,526	5.4
4 Switzerland	91,841	4.5	4 Mexico	63,227	2.8	4 Russia	140,544	3.2
5 Russia	82,954	4.0	5 Russia	57,590	2.5	5 Switzerland	137,568	3.2
6 Brazil	75,008	3.6	6 Canada	51,009	2.2	6 Brazil	113,232	2.6
7 Canada	43,801	2.1	7 Turkey	47,764	2.1	7 Canada	94,810	2.2
8 South Africa	37,249	1.8	8 Switzerland	45,727	2.0	8 Mexico	89,398	2.1
9 Turkey	36,812	1.8	9 Brazil	38,224	1.7	9 Turkey	84,576	2.0
10 Chile	28,042	1.4	10 South Africa	28,493	1.3	10 South Africa	65,742	1.5
1 EU 28	630,084	30.6	2 EU 28	726,406	32.0	1 EU 28	1,356,490	31.4

World trade: excluding intra-region trade

Top partners: excluding region member states

% Growth: relative variation between current and previous period

European Union, Trade with World

Total Goods: Trade flows and balance

Source Eurostat Comext - Statistical regime 4

Period	Imports		Exports		Balance		Total trade	
	Value Mio €	% Growth*	Value Mio €	% Growth*	Value Mio €	% Growth*	Value Mio €	% Growth*
2006	1,368,254		1,152,485		-215,768		2,520,739	
2007	1,450,340	6.0	1,234,482	7.1	-215,858	0.0	2,684,822	6.5
2008	1,585,231	9.3	1,309,147	6.1	-276,084	27.9	2,894,378	7.8
2009	1,235,636	-22.1	1,093,961	-16.4	-141,675	-48.7	2,329,598	-19.5
2010	1,531,518	24.0	1,354,055	23.8	-177,463	25.3	2,885,573	23.9
2011	1,729,980	13.0	1,554,511	14.8	-175,469	-1.1	3,284,491	13.8
2012	1,798,757	4.0	1,684,928	8.4	-113,829	-35.1	3,483,686	6.1
2013	1,687,440	-6.2	1,736,371	3.1	48,931		3,423,812	-1.7
2014	1,692,185	0.3	1,702,915	-1.9	10,731	-78.1	3,395,100	-0.8
2015	1,729,207	2.2	1,789,154	5.1	59,947	458.7	3,518,361	3.6
2016	1,708,318	-1.2	1,745,247	-2.5	36,929	-38.4	3,453,564	-1.8

Total Goods: Top trading partners 2016

Source Eurostat Comext - Statistical regime 4

Imports			Exports			Total trade		
Partner	Value Mio €	% Extra-EU	Partner	Value Mio €	% Extra-EU	Partner	Value Mio €	% Extra-EU
World	1,708,318	100.0	World	1,745,247	100.0	World	3,453,564	100.0
1 China	344,468	20.2	1 USA	362,153	20.8	1 USA	609,979	17.7
2 USA	247,826	14.5	2 China	170,083	9.7	2 China	514,551	14.9
3 Switzerland	121,669	7.1	3 Switzerland	142,455	8.2	3 Switzerland	264,123	7.6
4 Russia	118,811	7.0	4 Turkey	78,005	4.5	4 Russia	191,219	5.5
5 Turkey	66,702	3.9	5 Russia	72,408	4.1	5 Turkey	144,707	4.2
6 Japan	66,561	3.9	6 Japan	58,086	3.3	6 Japan	124,647	3.6
7 Norway	62,984	3.7	7 Norway	48,382	2.8	7 Norway	111,366	3.2
8 South Korea	41,435	2.4	8 United Arab Emi...	45,859	2.6	8 South Korea	85,939	2.5
9 India	39,276	2.3	9 South Korea	44,504	2.6	9 India	77,021	2.2

Total Goods: Top product sections 2016

Source Eurostat Comext - Statistical regime 4

Rank	Imports			Exports		
	Product	Value Mio €	% Extra-EU	Product	Value Mio €	% Extra-EU
	HS Sections			HS Sections		
1	XVI Machinery and appliances	416,782	24.4	XVI Machinery and appliances	449,795	25.8
2	V Mineral products	285,181	16.7	XVII Transport equipment	293,569	16.8
3	VI Products of the chemical or allied in...	163,747	9.6	VI Products of the chemical or allied in...	279,404	16.0
4	XVII Transport equipment	136,479	8.0	XV Base metals and articles thereof	94,108	5.4
5	XI Textiles and textile articles	110,027	6.4	XVIII Optical and photographic instruments,...	92,614	5.3
	SITC Sections			SITC Sections		
1	7 Machinery and transport equipment	552,298	32.3	7 Machinery and transport equipment	745,274	42.7
2	8 Miscellaneous manufactured articles	268,277	15.7	5 Chemicals and related prod, n.e.s.	313,842	18.0
3	3 Mineral fuels, lubricants and related...	264,381	15.5	8 Miscellaneous manufactured articles	205,872	11.8
4	5 Chemicals and related prod, n.e.s.	184,721	10.8	6 Manufactured goods classified chiefly...	189,901	10.9
5	6 Manufactured goods classified chiefly...	181,407	10.6	0 Food and live animals	83,918	4.8

% Extra-EU: imports/exports as % of all EU partners i.e. excluding trade between EU Member States

% Growth: relative variation between current and previous period

Methodological Notes

HS Sections (Harmonized System)

Section	HS range	Label	Section	HS range	Label
I	Ch. 01 - 05	Live animals; animal products	XII	Ch. 64 - 67	Footwear, hats and other headgear
II	Ch. 06 - 14	Vegetable products	XIII	Ch. 68 - 70	Articles of stone, glass and ceramics
III	Ch. 15	Animal or vegetable fats and oils	XIV	Ch. 71	Pearls, precious metals and articles thereof
IV	Ch. 16 - 24	Foodstuffs, beverages, tobacco	XV	Ch. 72 - 83	Base metals and articles thereof
V	Ch. 25 - 27	Mineral products	XVI	Ch. 84 - 85	Machinery and appliances
VI	Ch. 28 - 38	Products of the chemical or allied industries	XVII	Ch. 86 - 89	Transport equipment
VII	Ch. 39 - 40	Plastics, rubber and articles thereof	XVIII	Ch. 90 - 92	Optical and photographic instruments, etc.
VIII	Ch. 41 - 43	Raw hides and skins, and saddlery	XIX	Ch. 93	Arms and ammunition
IX	Ch. 44 - 46	Wood, charcoal and cork and articles thereof	XX	Ch. 94 - 96	Miscellaneous manufactured articles
X	Ch. 47 - 49	Pulp of wood, paper and paperboard	XXI	Ch. 97	Works of art and antiques
XI	Ch. 50 - 63	Textiles and textile articles	XXII		Not classified

SITC Sections

Section	label	Section	label
	Total	S5	Chemicals and related prod, n.e.s.
S0	Food and live animals	S6	Manufactured goods classified chiefly by material
S1	Beverages and tobacco	S7	Machinery and transport equipment
S2	Crude materials, inedible, except fuels	S8	Miscellaneous manufactured articles
S3	Mineral fuels, lubricants and related materials	S9	Commodities and transactions n.c.e.
S4	Animal and vegetable oils, fats and waxes	Oth.	Other

SITC (rev 3.) Product Groupings

Label	SITC codes	Label	SITC codes
Primary products	0,1,2,3,4,68	-- Office and telecommunication equipment	75,76,776
- Agricultural products (Food (incl. Fish) & Raw Materials)	0,1,2,4,excl.27,excl.28	-- - Electronic data processing and office equipment	75
- - Food	0,1,22,4	-- - Telecommunications equipment	76
- - - Fish	03	-- - Integrated circuits and electronic components	776
- - - Other food products and live animals	0,1,22,4,excl.03	-- Transport equipment	713,7783,78,79
- - Raw materials	21,23,24,25,26,29	-- - Automotive products	7132,7783,781,782,783,784
- Fuels and mining products	27,28,3,68	-- - Other transport equipment	713,785,786,79,excl.7132
- - Ores and other minerals	27,28	-- Other machinery	71,72,73,74,77,excl.713,excl.776,excl.7783
- - Fuels	3	-- - Power generating machinery	71,excl.713
- - - Petroleum and petroleum products	33	-- - Non electrical machinery	72,73,74
- - - Other fuels	3,excl.33	-- - Electrical machinery	77,excl.776,excl.7783
- - Non ferrous metals	68	- Textiles	65
Manufactures	5,6,7,8,excl.68,excl.891	- Clothing	84
- Iron and steel	67	- Other manufactures	81,82,83,85,87,88,89,excl.891
- Chemicals	5	-- Personal and household goods	82,83,85
- - Pharmaceuticals	54	-- Scientific and controlling instruments	87
- - Plastics	57,58	-- Miscellaneous manufactures	81,88,89,excl.891
- - Other chemicals	51,52,53,55,56,59	Other products	891,9
- Other semi-manufactures	61,62,63,64,66,69	Other	Total minus sum of other categories

Statistical Regime

Statistical Regime 4: Total trade including inward and outward processing