



## European Union, Trade in goods with South Africa

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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	2015	19,363	25,462	44,825	6,099
Rank as EU partner		2015	18	18	17	
Share in EU trade	%	2015	1.1	1.4	1.3	
Annual growth rate	%	2014 - 2015	4.6	9.2		
Annual average growth rate	%	2011 - 2015	-2.9	-0.7		

### Imports 2015

### Exports 2015

#### AMA/NAMA product Groups

Product	Value Mio €	% Total	Product	Value Mio €	% Total
Agricultural products (WTO AoA)	2,436	12.6	Agricultural products (WTO AoA)	1,695	6.7
Fishery products	219	1.1	Fishery products	8	0.0
Industrial products	16,708	86.3	Industrial products	23,760	93.3
Total	19,363	100.0	Total	25,462	100.0

#### SITC product Groups

Product	Value Mio €	% Total	Product	Value Mio €	% Total
Primary products	7,804	40.3	Primary products	2,884	11.3
Manufactures	7,642	39.5	Manufactures	21,991	86.4
Other products	3,471	17.9	Other products	230	0.9
Other	446	2.3	Other	357	1.4

#### Top 5 - HS sections

Product	Value Mio €	% Total	Product	Value Mio €	% Total
XIV Pearls, precious metals and articles thereof	5,820	30.1	XVI Machinery and appliances	8,045	31.6
XVII Transport equipment	3,099	16.0	XVII Transport equipment	5,333	20.9
V Mineral products	2,438	12.6	VI Products of the chemical or allied industries	3,518	13.8
II Vegetable products	1,731	8.9	XV Base metals and articles thereof	1,243	4.9
XV Base metals and articles thereof	1,698	8.8	VII Plastics, rubber and articles thereof	1,235	4.8

#### Top 5 - SITC sections

Product	Value Mio €	% Total	Product	Value Mio €	% Total
7 Machinery and transport equipment	4,740	24.5	7 Machinery and transport equipment	13,327	52.3
6 Manufactured goods classified chiefly by material	4,268	22.0	5 Chemicals and related prod, n.e.s.	4,108	16.1
9 Commodities and transactions n.c.e.	3,468	17.9	6 Manufactured goods classified chiefly by material	2,764	10.9
0 Food and live animals	2,061	10.6	8 Miscellaneous manufactured articles	2,054	8.1
2 Crude materials, inedible, except fuels	2,052	10.6	0 Food and live animals	1,044	4.1

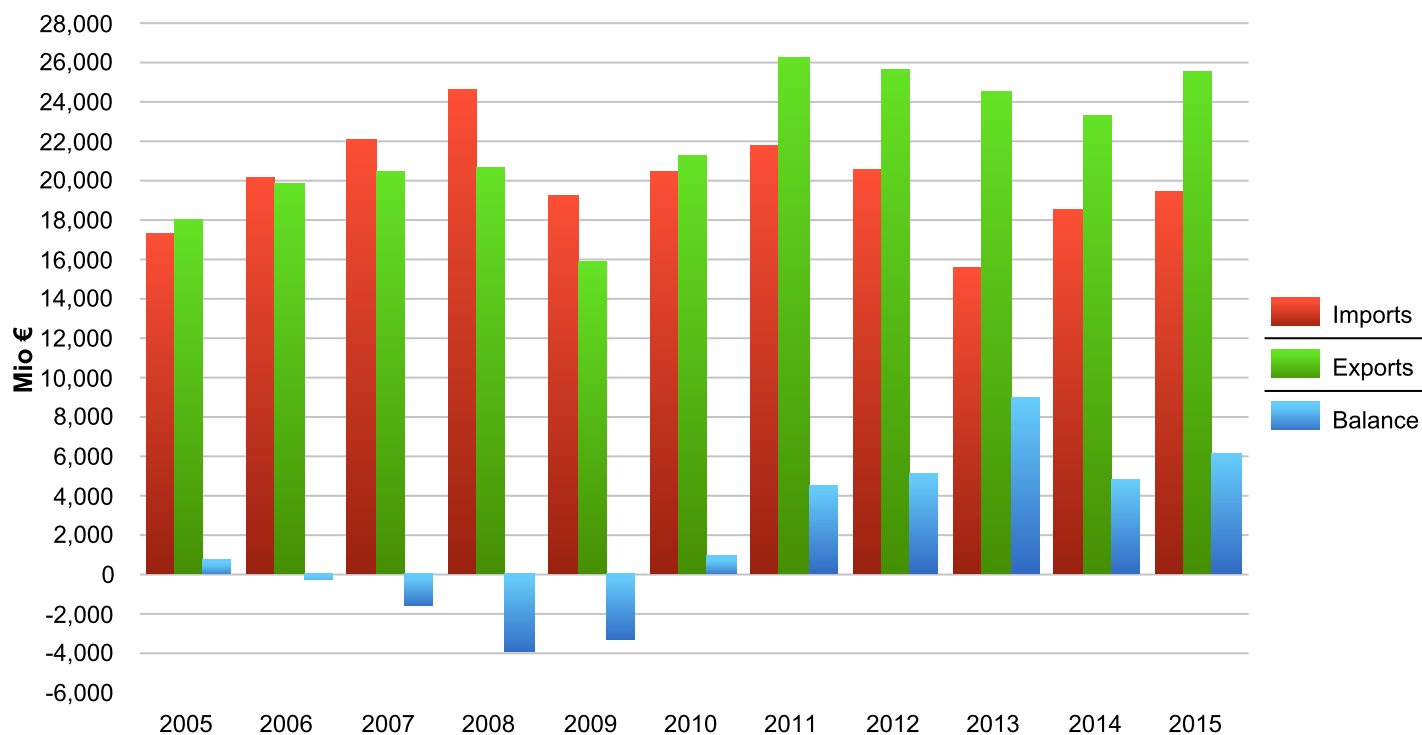
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% Growth: relative variation between current and previous period

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### Total goods: EU Trade flows and balance, annual data 2005 - 2015

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 €
2005	17,307		1.5	17,992		1.7	686	35,299
2006	20,135	16.3	1.5	19,852	10.3	1.7	-283	39,986
2007	22,055	9.5	1.5	20,436	2.9	1.7	-1,619	42,492
2008	24,618	11.6	1.6	20,594	0.8	1.6	-4,024	45,212
2009	19,252	-21.8	1.6	15,860	-23.0	1.5	-3,391	35,112
2010	20,421	6.1	1.3	21,287	34.2	1.6	866	41,708
2011	21,760	6.6	1.3	26,232	23.2	1.7	4,472	47,992
2012	20,511	-5.7	1.1	25,580	-2.5	1.5	5,069	46,091
2013	15,557	-24.2	0.9	24,481	-4.3	1.4	8,924	40,038
2014	18,513	19.0	1.1	23,318	-4.8	1.4	4,805	41,831
2015	19,363	4.6	1.1	25,462	9.2	1.4	6,099	44,825

\* % 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 2015

Source Eurostat Comext - Statistical regime 4

	Imports				Exports			
	Value Mio €	% Total	% Extra-EU	% Growth*	Value Mio €	% Total	% Extra-EU	% Growth*
Total	19,363	100.0	1.1	4.6	25,462	100.0	1.4	9.2
0 Food and live animals	2,061	10.6	2.1	14.7	1,044	4.1	1.3	10.0
1 Beverages and tobacco	420	2.2	4.9	0.5	364	1.4	1.2	10.0
2 Crude materials, inedible, except fuels	2,052	10.6	3.3	-13.1	157	0.6	0.4	-4.7
3 Mineral fuels, lubricants and related materials	951	4.9	0.3	-17.9	920	3.6	1.1	13.3
4 Animal and vegetable oils, fats and waxes	12	0.1	0.1	25.5	162	0.6	3.4	-12.9
5 Chemicals and related prod, n.e.s.	677	3.5	0.4	-9.1	4,108	16.1	1.3	8.5
6 Manufactured goods classified chiefly by material	4,268	22.0	2.3	12.0	2,764	10.9	1.4	5.3
7 Machinery and transport equipment	4,740	24.5	0.9	39.0	13,327	52.3	1.8	9.5
8 Miscellaneous manufactured articles	267	1.4	0.1	2.8	2,054	8.1	1.0	14.1
9 Commodities and transactions n.c.e.	3,468	17.9	7.5	-18.1	204	0.8	0.3	-5.9
Other	446	2.3	n.a.	n.a.	357	1.4	n.a.	n.a.

### Trade flows by SITC product grouping 2015

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	19,363	100.0	1.1	4.6	25,462	100.0	1.4	9.2
Primary products	7,804	40.3	1.4	2.3	2,884	11.3	1.1	6.6
- Agricultural products (Food (incl. Fish) & Raw Materials)	2,800	14.5	1.9	-57.9	1,696	6.7	1.2	1.7
- - Food	2,498	12.9	2.0	12.1	1,583	6.2	1.3	6.5
- - - of which Fish	204	1.1	0.9	7.1	7	0.0	0.2	-47.6
- - Raw materials	302	1.6	1.2	2.2	112	0.4	0.5	3.3
- Fuels and mining products	5,004	25.8	1.3	-2.0	1,188	4.7	1.0	6.9
- - Ores and other minerals	1,745	9.0	5.8	-15.4	32	0.1	0.2	-11.9
- - Fuels	951	4.9	0.3	-17.9	920	3.6	1.1	13.3
- - - of which Petroleum and petroleum products	93	0.5	0.0	3.2	902	3.5	1.1	17.1
- - Non ferrous metals	2,307	11.9	6.4	22.5	236	0.9	1.0	-10.4
Manufactures	7,642	39.5	0.7	-24.4	21,991	86.4	1.5	6.4
- Iron and steel	1,073	5.5	3.7	4.6	406	1.6	1.2	10.9
- Chemicals	677	3.5	0.4	-9.1	4,108	16.1	1.3	8.5
- - of which Pharmaceuticals	20	0.1	0.0	-44.7	1,267	5.0	0.9	18.3
- Other semi-manufactures	846	4.4	0.9	-1.2	1,942	7.6	1.6	8.2
- Machinery and transport equipment	4,740	24.5	0.9	39.0	13,327	52.3	1.8	9.5
- - Office and telecommunication equipment	178	0.9	0.1	39.8	1,639	6.4	2.2	15.7
- - - Electronic data processing and office equipment	45	0.2	0.1	69.4	817	3.2	3.5	-5.4
- - - Telecommunications equipment	96	0.5	0.1	36.0	635	2.5	1.8	30.9
- - - Integrated circuits and electronic components	36	0.2	0.1	22.7	188	0.7	1.1	175.1
- - Transport equipment	3,201	16.5	2.5	60.6	6,219	24.4	2.0	16.6
- - - of which Automotive products	2,957	15.3	5.0	64.7	4,572	18.0	2.4	15.8
- - Other machinery	1,361	7.0	0.7	-12.3	5,462	21.5	1.5	-21.7
- - - Power generating machinery	119	0.6	0.3	-58.7	671	2.6	1.2	-70.6
- - - Non electrical machinery	1,153	6.0	1.4	3.6	3,255	12.8	1.5	-0.4
- - - Electrical machinery	89	0.5	0.1	-40.7	1,537	6.0	1.8	7.8
- Textiles	42	0.2	0.2	-4.4	179	0.7	1.0	8.3
- Clothing	14	0.1	0.0	43.4	91	0.4	0.4	19.5
- Other manufactures	251	1.3	0.1	0.0	1,936	7.6	1.1	10.7
- - of which Scientific and controlling instruments	65	0.3	0.2	8.6	749	2.9	1.3	9.6
Other products	3,471	17.9	7.4	-18.0	230	0.9	0.3	-4.4
Other	446	2.3	n.a.	n.a.	357	1.4	n.a.	n.a.

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### Trade flows by SITC section 2011 - 2015

Source Eurostat Comext - Statistical regime 4

	Imports				Exports			
	Value Mio €				Value Mio €			
	2012	2013	2014	2015	2012	2013	2014	2015
Total	20,511	15,557	18,513	19,363	25,580	24,481	23,318	25,462
0 Food and live animals	1,624	1,832	1,796	2,061	823	785	949	1,044
1 Beverages and tobacco	422	473	418	420	378	383	331	364
2 Crude materials, inedible, except fuels	2,765	2,120	2,362	2,052	209	199	165	157
3 Mineral fuels, lubricants and related materials	964	958	1,158	951	1,033	829	812	920
4 Animal and vegetable oils, fats and waxes	7	12	10	12	311	214	186	162
5 Chemicals and related prod, n.e.s.	738	735	744	677	3,804	3,582	3,785	4,108
6 Manufactured goods classified chiefly by material	3,791	3,524	3,810	4,268	2,914	2,780	2,626	2,764
7 Machinery and transport equipment	3,142	2,737	3,409	4,740	13,377	12,981	12,173	13,327
8 Miscellaneous manufactured articles	324	286	260	267	1,984	1,950	1,801	2,054
9 Commodities and transactions n.c.e.	6,128	2,281	4,233	3,468	296	482	216	204
Other	605	597	314	446	450	298	273	357

### Trade flows by SITC product grouping 2011 - 2015

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	2012	2013	2014	2015	2012	2013	2014	2015
Total	20,511	15,557	18,513	19,363	25,580	24,481	23,318	25,462
Primary products	7,224	6,956	7,627	7,804	2,956	2,571	2,707	2,884
- Agricultural products (Food (incl. Fish) & Raw Materials)	2,368	2,577	2,523	2,800	1,617	1,525	1,595	1,696
- - Food	2,064	2,326	2,228	2,498	1,514	1,412	1,486	1,583
- - - of which Fish	201	177	190	204	14	13	13	7
- - Raw materials	304	251	295	302	104	113	109	112
- Fuels and mining products	4,857	4,380	5,104	5,004	1,339	1,046	1,111	1,188
- - Ores and other minerals	2,451	1,861	2,062	1,745	104	55	36	32
- - Fuels	964	958	1,158	951	1,033	829	812	920
- - - of which Petroleum and petroleum products	106	103	90	93	1,006	798	770	902
- - Non ferrous metals	1,442	1,560	1,884	2,307	202	162	264	236
Manufactures	6,548	5,717	6,339	7,642	21,858	21,108	20,097	21,991
- Iron and steel	1,230	1,152	1,026	1,073	553	512	366	406
- Chemicals	738	735	744	677	3,804	3,582	3,785	4,108
- - of which Pharmaceuticals	25	34	36	20	1,188	1,087	1,071	1,267
- Other semi-manufactures	1,077	777	856	846	1,868	1,896	1,796	1,942
- Machinery and transport equipment	3,142	2,737	3,409	4,740	13,377	12,981	12,173	13,327
- - Office and telecommunication equipment	130	86	127	178	2,281	1,781	1,417	1,639
- - - Electronic data processing and office equipment	38	27	26	45	1,073	903	864	817
- - - Telecommunications equipment	83	53	71	96	1,095	702	485	635
- - - Integrated circuits and electronic components	9	7	30	36	114	176	68	188
- - Transport equipment	1,485	1,348	1,994	3,201	5,442	5,285	5,335	6,219
- - - of which Automotive products	1,303	1,189	1,796	2,957	4,206	4,292	3,947	4,572
- - Other machinery	1,528	1,303	1,289	1,361	5,460	5,829	5,387	5,462
- - - Power generating machinery	97	66	84	119	415	722	829	671
- - - Non electrical machinery	1,342	1,145	1,113	1,153	3,742	3,698	3,268	3,255
- - - Electrical machinery	89	92	91	89	1,303	1,409	1,290	1,537
- Textiles	41	35	44	42	175	167	165	179
- Clothing	10	9	10	14	71	80	76	91
- Other manufactures	309	271	250	251	1,893	1,847	1,700	1,936
- - of which Scientific and controlling instruments	69	64	60	65	736	773	683	749
Other products	6,134	2,287	4,233	3,471	315	504	241	230
Other	605	597	314	446	450	298	273	357

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### Trade flows by HS section 2015

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HS Sections	Imports				Exports			
	Value Mio €	% Total	% Extra-EU	% Growth*	Value Mio €	% Total	% Extra-EU	% Growth*
Total	19,363	100.0	1.1	4.6	25,462	100.0	1.4	9.2
I Live animals; animal products	203	1.1	0.8	13.7	388	1.5	1.5	13.3
II Vegetable products	1,731	8.9	3.3	15.3	275	1.1	1.0	8.5
III Animal or vegetable fats and oils	12	0.1	0.1	25.0	165	0.6	3.3	-13.0
IV Foodstuffs, beverages, tobacco	607	3.1	1.4	2.0	821	3.2	1.2	9.2
V Mineral products	2,438	12.6	0.7	-17.7	944	3.7	1.0	13.4
VI Products of the chemical or allied industries	600	3.1	0.4	-5.8	3,518	13.8	1.3	8.6
VII Plastics, rubber and articles thereof	167	0.9	0.3	-8.6	1,235	4.8	1.8	7.4
VIII Raw hides and skins, and saddlery	154	0.8	1.0	6.0	38	0.1	0.2	20.4
IX Wood, charcoal and cork and articles thereof	35	0.2	0.3	22.9	79	0.3	0.6	9.6
X Pulp of wood, paper and paperboard	201	1.0	1.2	4.8	580	2.3	2.0	8.1
XI Textiles and textile articles	122	0.6	0.1	-5.1	279	1.1	0.6	9.2
XII Footwear, hats and other headgear	6	0.0	0.0	11.8	52	0.2	0.6	6.3
XIII Articles of stone, glass and ceramics	79	0.4	0.6	14.7	349	1.4	1.7	7.9
XIV Pearls, precious metals and articles thereof	5,820	30.1	10.1	-6.5	191	0.7	0.2	-9.0
XV Base metals and articles thereof	1,698	8.8	1.7	9.0	1,243	4.9	1.2	8.3
XVI Machinery and appliances	1,642	8.5	0.4	8.2	8,045	31.6	1.8	7.6
XVII Transport equipment	3,099	16.0	2.6	63.5	5,333	20.9	1.8	11.8
XVII Optical and photographic instruments, etc.	80	0.4	0.1	14.3	1,076	4.2	1.2	15.2
XIX Arms and ammunition	2	0.0	0.2	226.9	23	0.1	0.5	-6.5
XX Miscellaneous manufactured articles	87	0.5	0.2	-12.6	348	1.4	1.1	9.7
XXI Works of art and antiques	25	0.1	0.6	13.3	8	0.0	0.1	-42.5
XXII Not classified	555	2.9	2.9	13.0	474	1.9	1.9	19.0
<b>AMA / NAMA Product Groups</b>								
Total	19,363	100.0	1.1	4.6	25,462	100.0	1.4	9.2
Agricultural products (WTO AoA)	2,436	12.6	0.1	12.2	1,695	6.7	0.1	7.8
Fishery products	219	1.1	0.0	4.8	8	0.0	0.0	-43.2
Industrial products	16,708	86.3	1.0	3.6	23,760	93.3	1.3	9.3

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### Trade flows by HS section 2011 - 2015

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	2012	2013	2014	2015	2012	2013	2014	2015
Total	20,511	15,557	18,513	19,363	25,580	24,481	23,318	25,462
I Live animals; animal products	185	160	179	203	318	289	342	388
II Vegetable products	1,337	1,566	1,502	1,731	146	180	253	275
III Animal or vegetable fats and oils	7	12	10	12	314	216	190	165
IV Foodstuffs, beverages, tobacco	592	649	595	607	786	777	752	821
V Mineral products	3,053	2,529	2,963	2,438	1,064	874	833	944
VI Products of the chemical or allied industries	639	649	637	600	3,296	3,047	3,240	3,518
VII Plastics, rubber and articles thereof	195	148	183	167	1,123	1,134	1,149	1,235
VIII Raw hides and skins, and saddlery	112	117	145	154	32	34	31	38
IX Wood, charcoal and cork and articles thereof	40	26	28	35	58	69	72	79
X Pulp of wood, paper and paperboard	194	173	191	201	579	577	537	580
XI Textiles and textile articles	137	111	129	122	259	259	256	279
XII Footwear, hats and other headgear	4	4	5	6	51	52	48	52
XIII Articles of stone, glass and ceramics	61	64	69	79	291	304	323	349
XIV Pearls, precious metals and articles thereof	7,943	3,848	6,223	5,820	352	462	209	191
XV Base metals and articles thereof	1,687	1,750	1,558	1,698	1,378	1,299	1,147	1,243
XVI Machinery and appliances	1,758	1,494	1,517	1,642	8,579	8,234	7,476	8,045
XVII Transport equipment	1,384	1,246	1,895	3,099	4,980	4,862	4,770	5,333
XVIII Optical and photographic instruments, etc.	80	73	70	80	996	1,037	934	1,076
XIX Arms and ammunition	5	6	1	2	19	22	25	23
XX Miscellaneous manufactured articles	158	127	100	87	319	306	317	348
XXI Works of art and antiques	17	20	22	25	8	8	13	8
XXII Not classified	920	785	491	555	633	441	398	474
<b>AMA / NAMA Product Groups</b>	<b>2012</b>	<b>2013</b>	<b>2014</b>	<b>2015</b>	<b>2012</b>	<b>2013</b>	<b>2014</b>	<b>2015</b>
Total	20,511	15,557	18,513	19,363	25,580	24,481	23,318	25,462
Agricultural products (WTO AoA)	2,028	2,293	2,170	2,436	1,591	1,494	1,572	1,695
Fishery products	217	181	209	219	15	13	13	8
Industrial products	18,266	13,083	16,134	16,708	23,974	22,974	21,733	23,760

## South Africa, 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*
2005	47,948		41,448		-6,500		89,397	
2006	59,558	24.2	41,768	0.8	-17,790	173.7	101,326	13.3
2007	68,684	15.3	46,327	10.9	-22,357	25.7	115,011	13.5
2008	67,691	-1.5	49,638	7.2	-18,053	-19.3	117,329	2.0
2009	52,897	-21.9	39,008	-21.4	-13,890	-23.1	91,905	-21.7
2010	68,592	29.7	68,905	76.6	313	-102.3	137,497	49.6
2011	78,730	14.8	69,982	1.6	-8,748	-2896.0	148,712	8.2
2012	88,823	12.8	77,487	10.7	-11,335	29.6	166,310	11.8
2013	85,284	-4.0	72,251	-6.8	-13,033	15.0	157,534	-5.3
2014	82,329	-3.5	68,622	-5.0	-13,707	5.2	150,951	-4.2
2015	88,549	7.6	80,057	16.7	-8,492	-38.1	168,606	11.7

### Total Goods: Top trading partners 2015

Source IMF

Imports			Exports			Total trade		
Partner	Value Mio €	% World	Partner	Value Mio €	% World	Partner	Value Mio €	% World
World	88,549	100.0	World	80,057	100.0	World	168,606	100.0
1 EU 28	26,296	29.7	1 EU 28	16,085	20.1	1 EU 28	42,381	25.1
2 China	15,564	17.6	2 China	9,034	11.3	2 China	24,598	14.6
3 USA	5,913	6.7	3 USA	5,832	7.3	3 USA	11,744	7.0
4 Nigeria	4,392	5.0	4 Namibia	4,160	5.2	4 India	7,463	4.4
5 India	4,142	4.7	5 Japan	3,771	4.7	5 Japan	6,777	4.0
6 Saudi Arabia	3,630	4.1	6 India	3,321	4.1	6 Nigeria	5,083	3.0
7 Japan	3,007	3.4	7 Mozambique	2,435	3.0	7 Namibia	4,721	2.8
8 Thailand	2,022	2.3	8 Zambia	2,336	2.9	8 Saudi Arabia	4,010	2.4
9 Angola	1,574	1.8	9 Zimbabwe	1,959	2.4	9 Mozambique	3,432	2.0
10 United Arab Emi...	1,455	1.6	10 Hong Kong	1,461	1.8	10 United Arab Emi...	2,648	1.6
1 EU 28	26,296	29.7	1 EU 28	16,085	20.1	1 EU 28	42,381	25.1

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*
2005	1,183,909		1,049,477		-134,432		2,233,386	
2006	1,368,254	15.6	1,152,485	9.8	-215,768	60.5	2,520,739	12.9
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	1,529,387	23.8	1,353,196	23.7	-176,191	24.4	2,882,583	23.7
2011	1,726,698	12.9	1,554,180	14.9	-172,519	-2.1	3,280,878	13.8
2012	1,798,339	4.2	1,684,681	8.4	-113,658	-34.1	3,483,020	6.2
2013	1,687,324	-6.2	1,736,648	3.1	49,324		3,423,972	-1.7
2014	1,692,185	0.3	1,702,915	-1.9	10,731	-78.2	3,395,100	-0.8
2015	1,725,518	2.0	1,791,312	5.2	65,793	513.1	3,516,830	3.6

### Total Goods: Top trading partners 2015

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	1,725,518	100.0	World	1,791,312	100.0	World	3,516,830	100.0
1 China	350,436	20.3	1 USA	371,331	20.7	1 USA	620,306	17.6
2 USA	248,975	14.4	2 China	170,376	9.5	2 China	520,812	14.8
3 Russia	135,569	7.9	3 Switzerland	150,873	8.4	3 Switzerland	253,190	7.2
4 Switzerland	102,317	5.9	4 Turkey	79,129	4.4	4 Russia	209,481	6.0
5 Norway	74,249	4.3	5 Russia	73,911	4.1	5 Turkey	140,732	4.0
6 Turkey	61,603	3.6	6 Japan	56,585	3.2	6 Norway	123,105	3.5
7 Japan	59,770	3.5	7 Norway	48,856	2.7	7 Japan	116,355	3.3
8 South Korea	42,343	2.5	8 United Arab Emi...	48,509	2.7	8 South Korea	90,240	2.6
9 India	39,446	2.3	9 South Korea	47,897	2.7	9 India	77,626	2.2
18 South Africa	19,363	1.1	18 South Africa	25,462	1.4	17 South Africa	44,825	1.3

### Total Goods: Top product sections 2015

Source Eurostat Comext - Statistical regime 4

Rank	Product	Imports		Exports		
		Value Mio €	% Extra-EU	Value Mio €	% Extra-EU	
<b>HS Sections</b>						
1	XVI Machinery and appliances	415,947	24.1	XVI Machinery and appliances	456,164	25.5
2	V Mineral products	350,795	20.3	XVII Transport equipment	295,356	16.5
3	VI Products of the chemical or allied in...	165,465	9.6	VI Products of the chemical or allied in...	281,122	15.7
4	XVII Transport equipment	120,655	7.0	XV Base metals and articles thereof	102,730	5.7
5	XI Textiles and textile articles	109,428	6.3	V Mineral products	91,653	5.1
<b>SITC Sections</b>						
1	7 Machinery and transport equipment	535,866	31.1	7 Machinery and transport equipment	753,155	42.0
2	3 Mineral fuels, lubricants and related...	327,213	19.0	5 Chemicals and related prod, n.e.s.	315,929	17.6
3	8 Miscellaneous manufactured articles	267,507	15.5	8 Miscellaneous manufactured articles	204,345	11.4
4	5 Chemicals and related prod, n.e.s.	185,383	10.7	6 Manufactured goods classified chiefly...	199,377	11.1
5	6 Manufactured goods classified chiefly...	183,762	10.7	3 Mineral fuels, lubricants and related...	85,284	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