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PREFACE

This report is issued on a monthly basis and aims at providing a general view of the external trade of Cyprus and its partner countries for September 2008. It is divided into three parts. Part A pertains to total trade statistics under the general trade system, Part B to Extra-EU trade statistics under the special trade system and Part C to Intra-EU trade statistics. All values shown in the tables of this report are in Euros.

The statistics of trade with non-EU countries (Extra-EU trade) are compiled mainly from THESEAS system, the computerised system of Customs Authorities for imports and the Single Administrative Document for exports. The statistics of trade with EU countries (Intra-EU trade) are compiled via the INTRASTAT system and the data collected via the VAT returns.

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INTRODUCTION

DEVELOPMENTS IN EXTERNAL TRADE FOR SEPTEMBER 2008

Total imports/arrivals (covering total imports from third countries and arrivals from E.U countries) in September 2008 amounted to €662,9mn as compared to €544,5mn in September 2007. **Total exports/dispatches** (covering total exports to third countries and dispatches to other Member States) in September 2008 were €88,1mn compared to €82,5mn in September 2007. As a result of the above developments the trade deficit was €574,8mn in September 2008 compared to €462,1mn in the corresponding month of 2007.

Total imports/arrivals

Imported goods were €662,9mn in September 2008 and €544,5mn in September 2007.

a. Total imports/arrivals by H.S Section

Section V 'Mineral products' head the list with €145,8mn followed by Section XV 'Base metal and articles of base metal' with €77,5mn, Section XVI 'Machinery, electrical equipment and parts' with €76,6mn, Section XVII 'Vehicles, aircraft, vessels and associated transport equipment' with €67,2mn, Section IV 'Prepared foodstuffs, beverages, spirits and vinegar, tobacco and manufactured tobacco substitutes' with €56,1mn and Section VI 'Products of the chemical or allied industry' with €45,3mn.

b. Total imports/arrivals by economic destination

- Intermediate inputs valued at €213,3mn or 32,2% as against €131,8mn or 24,2% in September 2007. The manufacturing sector absorbed €112,8mn as compared with €72,7mn in September 2007. Raw materials for the construction sector were €66,1mn in September 2008 and €29,7mn in September 2007.
- Consumer goods valued at €182,7mn or 27,6% in September 2008 and €163,1mn or 30,0% in the respective month of 2007.
- Fuels and lubricants, including crude petroleum oil, valued at €144,6mn in September 2008 and €116,8mn in the corresponding month of 2007.
- Transport equipment with their parts accounted for €72,8mn in September 2008 as compared with €93,2mn in September 2007.
- Capital goods valued at €47,6mn in September 2008 and €39,5mn in September 2007. The manufacturing sector was €12,1mn in September 2008 as against €7,5mn in September 2007. Capital goods for the construction and mining sectors valued at €6,2mn in September 2008 and €4,7mn in September 2007. The transport, storage and communication sector absorbed €8,0mn as against €5,9mn in September 2007. Capital goods for agriculture accounted for €3,6mn in September 2008 and €1,6mn in the corresponding month of 2007.

c. Total imports/arrivals by area

- The European Union continued to be the main source of supply of goods to Cyprus in September 2008, with a share of €417,0mn of total imports/arrivals. Major suppliers within the Union were Greece with €112,9mn, Germany €53,9mn, Italy €50,5mn and the United Kingdom €50,4mn.
- Imports from all other European countries totaled €33,7mn in September 2008.
- Imports from the rest of the world in September 2008 amounted to €212,1mn with Israel contributing €291,7mn, China (People's Republic of) with €255,7mn, Japan with €134,2mn and Brazil with €124,0mn

Total imports/arrivals destined for home use

Imported goods destined for home use were €606,3mn in September 2008 and €496,3mn in September 2007.

a. Imports/arrivals destined for home use by economic destination

- Intermediate inputs valued at €208,7mn or 34,4% as against €130,1mn or 26,2% in September 2007. The manufacturing sector absorbed €109,4mn as compared with €72,4mn in September 2007. Raw materials for the construction sector were €66,8mn in September 2008 and €29,9mn in September 2007.
- Fuels and lubricants, including crude petroleum oil, valued at €102,4mn in September 2008 and €87,9mn in the corresponding month of 2007.
- Consumer goods valued at €175,7mn or 29,0% and €158,2mn or 31,9% in September 2008 and in September 2007, accordingly.
- Transport equipment with their parts accounted for €71,2mn in September 2008 as compared with €82,2mn in September 2007.
- Capital goods valued at €46,5mn in September 2008 and €37,8mn in September 2007. The manufacturing sector was €11,9mn in September 2008 as against €7,4mn in September 2007. Capital goods for the construction and mining sectors valued at €6,2mn in September 2008 and €4,7mn in September 2007. The transport, storage and communication sector absorbed €7,5mn as against €5,7mn in September 2007. Capital goods for agriculture accounted for €3,6mn in September 2008 and €1,6mn the respective month of 2007.

Total exports/dispatches

Total exports/dispatches, including stores and provisions, accounted for €88,1mn as compared with €82,5mn in September 2007. Total exports/dispatches of domestically produced goods, including stores and provisions, were €34,8mn in September 2008 whilst total exports/dispatches of foreign goods, including stores and provisions, were €53,3mn.

a. Total exports/dispatches, including stores and provisions, by H.S Section

Section V 'Mineral products' head the list with €25,1mn followed by Section VI 'Products of the chemical or allied industries' with €12,7mn, Section XVI 'Machinery, electrical equipment and parts' with €11,5mn, Section XVIII 'Optical, photographic measuring, medical instruments and apparatus' with €6,3mn and Section XV 'Base metal and articles of base metal' with €5,3mn.

b. Total exports/dispatches of domestically produced goods, excluding stores and provisions, by category

- Industrial products of domestic produce exported during September 2008 valued at €31,9mn and €32,1mn in September 2007.
- Exports/dispatches of raw agricultural products valued at €2,1mn or 6,0% in September 2008 and €1,5mn or 4,5% in the corresponding month of 2007.
- Mineral exports valued at €0,7mn or 2,0% in September 2008 and €0,8mn or 2,3% in September 2007.

c. Total exports/dispatches by area

- Dispatches to the European Union accounted for €39,6mn in September 2008 of the total exports/dispatches. Dispatches to Greece accounted for €17,4mn, to Germany €7,4mn, to the United Kingdom for €6,5mn and to Italy €1,6mn.
- Exports to Near and Middle Eastern countries occupied the second place in importance with €10,1mn for the month in reference.
- Exports to all other European countries followed in importance with €4,2mn.
- Exports to the Asian countries in September 2008 amounted with €3,4mn.
- Exports to the rest of the world accounted for September 2008 accounted to €6,8mn.
- Stores and provisions in September 2008 valued at €24,0mn.

PART A: TOTAL TRADE STATISTICS

Table 1: Foreign Trade of Cyprus, 2003 - 2007 and January - September 2008

Table 1: Foreign Trade of Cyprus, 2003 - 2007 and January - September 2008										
Period	Imports / Arrivals		Exports / Dispatches		Stores and provisions			Trade Balance	Ratio of exports to imports (%)	€000's
	(c.i.f.)		(f.o.b.)		(f.o.b.)					
	Total	Domestic	Foreign	Total	Domestic	Foreign	Total			
2003	3,936,698	367,383	447,278	814,659	15,179	64,045	79,224	-3,122,039		20,69
2004	4,577,861	415,088	521,284	936,368	5,358	67,015	72,373	-3,641,493		20,45
2005	5,069,070	406,880	821,759	1,228,742	714	192,524	193,344	-3,840,326		24,24
2006	5,513,455	446,550	665,208	1,111,758	996	205,362	206,358	-4,401,697		20,16
2007	6,353,445	505,290	577,379	1,082,669	837	168,624	169,463	-5,270,776		17,04
January	456,921	36,099	76,009	112,108	31	8,068	8,099	-344,813		24,54
February	422,045	41,471	34,222	75,693	26	8,526	8,381	-346,352		17,93
March	499,229	49,186	41,613	90,798	48	9,045	9,093	-408,431		18,19
April	530,705	46,311	44,268	90,579	106	11,871	11,977	-440,126		17,07
May	527,912	52,622	49,136	101,757	41	15,413	15,454	-426,155		19,28
June	572,479	49,961	53,343	103,304	48	15,873	15,921	-469,175		18,05
July	556,732	39,067	46,576	85,644	106	18,530	18,530	-471,089		15,38
August	535,905	29,391	46,976	76,368	51	21,176	21,228	-459,537		14,25
September	544,504	34,668	47,783	82,450	200	18,576	18,776	-462,054		15,14
October	600,047	49,488	48,960	98,448	109	18,168	18,277	-501,599		16,41
November	590,177	40,738	47,234	87,972	53	11,489	11,542	-502,204		14,91
December	516,789	36,287	41,258	77,545	21	12,165	12,186	-439,244		15,01
2008										
January	576,274	43,313	44,793	88,106	15	10,930	10,946	-488,168		15,29
February	516,681	49,803	41,943	91,746	19	11,097	11,115	-424,935		17,76
March	610,933	46,791	46,090	92,881	13	13,442	13,455	-518,052		15,20
April	600,568	48,275	46,239	94,514	22	17,621	17,643	-506,054		15,74
May	662,084	57,100	55,664	112,764	37	23,543	23,580	-549,320		17,03
June	623,688	47,440	62,185	109,626	45	28,231	28,276	-514,062		17,58
July	777,951	46,885	62,956	109,841	125	30,083	30,208	-668,110		14,12
August	570,447	27,058	59,414	86,472	89	30,108	30,197	-483,975		15,16
September	662,876	34,811	53,303	88,113	96	23,949	24,045	-574,763		13,29

Notes:

1. Because of rounding there may be slight discrepancies between the totals shown and the sum of constituent items.
2. Data on exports/dispatches include stores and provisions.
3. Data for January, February, March and April 2008 have been changed due to revisions.

IMPORTS / ARRIVALS

¹ Care should be taken when comparing data for May 2004 onwards with pre-May 2004 data due to methodological changes resulting from the accession of Cyprus to the EU.

Table 2: Trade by area and by month, 2007 and 2008 - continued

EXPORTS / DISPATCHES

Period	EUROPEAN UNION	OTHER EUROPEAN COUNTRIES	NORTH AFRICA	OTHER AFRICAN COUNTRIES	NORTH AMERICA	CENTRAL AMERICA AND CARIBBEAN	SOUTH AMERICA
€000's							
2007							
January	82.503	4.116	1.763	1.181	689	50	24
February	43.691	5.512	1.468	1.258	953	75	12
March	53.384	6.501	2.331	2.505	1.329	36	22
April	57.860	6.496	1.223	1.020	612	22	9
May	63.090	3.667	1.729	1.404	665	116	14
June	60.155	4.868	1.881	2.002	919	41	91
July	41.948	3.773	2.204	2.002	900	133	12
August	33.659	2.941	1.924	1.980	774	70	29
September	39.944	5.686	2.495	1.980	733	29	48
October	39.243	4.441	2.240	2.001	552	120	22
November	50.288	4.219	1.618	2.587	490	144	22
December	40.936	3.183	1.232	2.559	432	29	2
2008							
January	56.219	3.663	1.561	984	547	21	10
February	48.931	8.321	1.366	1.924	1.379	87	12
March	52.091	6.177	3.252	1.200	1.495	84	13
April	51.320	3.583	1.687	1.809	720	77	8
May	60.398	5.084	2.292	1.422	471	32	192
June	54.748	4.708	2.702	1.773	323	84	164
July	47.500	6.042	1.793	1.720	472	227	36
August	36.475	2.887	837	961	357	201	14
September	39.562	4.208	2.780	2.218	693	52	4

1 Care should be taken when comparing data for May 2004 onwards with pre-May 2004 data due to methodological changes resulting from the accession of Cyprus to the EU.

EXPORTS / DISPATCHES

Table 2: Trade by area and by month, 2007 and 2008 - continued

Period	NEAR AND MIDDLE EASTERN COUNTRIES	OTHER ASIAN COUNTRIES	AUSTRALIA AND NEW ZEALAND	OTHER COUNTRIES OF OCEANIA AND POLAR REGIONS	COUNTRIES NOT SPECIFIED	TOTAL
€000's						
2007						
January	9.262	3.648	186	2	8.687	112.108
February	10.484	2.951	398	5	8.892	75.693
March	10.598	3.902	263	-	9.929	90.798
April	7.569	2.951	263	-	12.551	90.579
May	11.067	3.665	173	-	16.168	101.757
June	11.145	5.008	523	-	16.667	103.304
July	11.432	3.308	384	-	19.548	85.644
August	10.494	2.573	183	-	21.740	76.368
September	8.589	2.913	359	-	19.671	82.450
October	12.102	17.571	798	-	19.370	98.448
November	10.812	4.427	347	-	13.021	87.972
December	10.846	3.516	456	-	14.354	77.546
2008						
January	10.120	3.057	572	-	11.352	88.106
February	12.009	4.620	394	-	12.702	91.746
March	9.737	4.118	517	-	14.196	92.881
April	12.825	3.423	602	-	18.459	94.514
May	14.334	4.137	285	-	24.117	112.764
June	11.104	4.848	444	-	28.730	109.626
July	15.168	4.456	296	-	32.132	109.841
August	9.942	3.041	574	-	31.183	86.472
September	10.084	3.358	397	31	24.725	88.113

¹ Care should be taken when comparing data for May 2004 onwards with pre-May 2004 data due to methodological changes resulting from the accession of Cyprus to the EU.

Notes: 1. Because of rounding there may be slight discrepancies between the totals shown and the sum of constituent items.

2. European Union consisting of the 27 Member States.

Table 3: Trade by country, January - September 2008

Country		Imports / Arrivals		Exports / Dispatches	
		(c.i.f.)		(f.o.b.)	
		€000's	%	€000's	%
TOTAL		5.601.503	100,00	874.063	100,00
EUROPEAN UNION		3.672.905	65,57	447.244	51,17
AT	Austria	30.917	0,55	3.930	0,45
BE	Belgium	118.565	2,12	12.665	1,45
BG	Bulgaria	61.067	1,09	4.005	0,46
CY	Cyprus	-	-	-	-
CZ	Czech Republic	13.888	0,25	6.508	0,74
DK	Denmark	24.976	0,45	3.434	0,39
EE	Estonia	336	0,01	753	0,09
FI	Finland	17.005	0,30	2.511	0,29
FR	France	215.887	3,85	9.270	1,06
DE	Germany	447.266	7,98	46.495	5,32
GR	Greece	913.537	16,31	158.344	18,12
HU	Hungary	24.834	0,44	1.076	0,12
IE	Ireland	19.494	0,35	7.473	0,85
IT	Italy	591.148	10,55	21.400	2,45
LV	Latvia	640	0,01	502	0,06
LT	Lithuania	1.610	0,03	1.775	0,20
LU	Luxembourg	2.944	0,05	143	0,02
MT	Malta	117.149	2,09	2.846	0,33
NL	Netherlands	218.560	3,90	12.884	1,47
PL	Poland	30.492	0,54	2.101	0,24
PT	Portugal	25.375	0,45	544	0,06
RO	Romania	18.059	0,32	19.010	2,17
SK	Slovakia	7.434	0,13	1.011	0,12
SI	Slovenia	5.621	0,10	711	0,08
ES	Spain	205.469	3,67	20.161	2,31
SE	Sweden	88.827	1,59	7.962	0,91
GB	United Kingdom	471.807	8,42	99.733	11,41
OTHER EUROPEAN COUNTRIES		266.965	4,77	44.673	5,11
AL	Albania	646	0,01	1.524	0,17
AD	Andorra	-	-	-	-
BY	Belarus	9.103	0,16	855	0,10
BA	Bosnia and Herzegovina	61	-	289	0,03
HR	Croatia	7.061	0,13	1.314	0,15
FO	Faroe Islands	-	-	38	-
MK	Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia	859	0,02	2.836	0,32
GI	Gibraltar	-	-	739	0,08
VA	Holy See	-	-	-	-
IS	Iceland	545	0,01	201	0,02
XK	Kosovo	-	-	443	0,05
LI	Liechtenstein	62	-	-	-
MD	Moldova	21.665	0,39	389	0,04
ME	Montenegro	-	-	287	0,03
NO	Norway	34.089	0,61	2.198	0,25

Notes:

1. The General trade system is applied.

2. Dispatches to EU countries include also goods which were initially imported from third countries and placed under customs warehouses.

Table 3: Trade by country, January - September 2008 - continued

Country		Imports / Arrivals		Exports / Dispatches	
		(c.i.f.)		(f.o.b.)	
		€000's	%	€000's	%
RU	Russia	25.338	0,45	14.300	1,64
SM	San Marino	20	-	42	-
XS	Serbia	2.908	0,05	8.551	0,98
CH	Switzerland	59.276	1,06	4.705	0,54
TR	Turkey	16.125	0,29	107	0,01
UA	Ukraine	89.208	1,59	5.855	0,67
NORTH AFRICA		56.718	1,01	18.270	2,09
DZ	Algeria	5.156	0,09	1.696	0,19
XC	Ceuta	-	-	-	-
EG	Egypt	38.027	0,68	10.308	1,18
LY	Lybia	10.241	0,18	4.195	0,48
XL	Melilla	-	-	-	-
MA	Morocco	506	0,01	1.337	0,15
TN	Tunisia	2.788	0,05	733	0,08
OTHER AFRICAN COUNTRIES		10.307	0,18	14.009	1,60
AO	Angola	-	-	16	-
BJ	Benin	-	-	15	-
BW	Botswana	225	-	64	0,01
IO	British Indian Ocean Territory	-	-	-	-
BF	Burkina Faso	-	-	-	-
BI	Burundi	-	-	20	-
CM	Cameroon	172	-	48	0,01
CV	Cape Verde	-	-	1	-
CF	Central African Republic	-	-	6	-
TD	Chad	-	-	-	-
KM	Comoros	-	-	-	-
CG	Congo	-	-	39	-
CD	Congo (Zaire)	69	-	8	-
CI	Cote d' Ivoire	850	0,02	19	-
DJ	Djibouti	-	-	98	0,01
GQ	Equatorial Guinea	7	-	-	-
ER	Eritrea	-	-	24	-
ET	Ethiopia	276	-	2.152	0,25
GA	Gabon	1.116	0,02	-	-
GM	Gambia	-	-	70	0,01
GH	Ghana	81	-	208	0,02
GN	Guinea	-	-	121	0,01
GW	Guinea-Bissau	-	-	-	-
KE	Kenya	547	0,01	632	0,07
LS	Lesotho	-	-	89	0,01
LR	Liberia	-	-	64	0,01
MG	Madagascar	62	-	22	-
MW	Malawi	-	-	57	0,01
ML	Mali	-	-	12	-
MR	Mauritania	103	-	-	-
MU	Mauritius	-	-	454	0,05

Notes:

1. The General trade system is applied.

2. Dispatches to EU countries include also goods which were initially imported from third countries and placed under customs warehouses.

Table 3: Trade by country, January - September 2008 - continued

Country		Imports / Arrivals		Exports / Dispatches	
		(c.i.f.)		(f.o.b.)	
		€000's	%	€000's	%
YT	Mayotte	-	-	54	0,01
MZ	Mozambique	4	-	68	0,01
NA	Namibia	10	-	72	0,01
NE	Niger	-	-	-	-
NG	Nigeria	3	-	1.589	0,18
RW	Rwanda	-	-	40	-
SH	Saint Helena	-	-	-	-
ST	Sao Tome and Principe	-	-	-	-
SN	Senegal	417	0,01	69	0,01
SC	Seychelles	130	-	45	0,01
SL	Sierra Leone	1	-	14	-
SO	Somalia	-	-	64	0,01
ZA	South Africa	4.842	0,09	837	0,10
SD	Sudan	676	0,01	4.725	0,54
SZ	Swaziland	117	-	136	0,02
TZ	Tanzania	591	0,01	930	0,11
TG	Togo	-	-	16	-
UG	Uganda	7	-	397	0,05
ZM	Zambia	-	-	212	0,02
ZW	Zimbabwe	1	-	504	0,06
NORTH AMERICA		109.292	1,95	6.456	0,74
CA	Canada	8.644	0,15	1.268	0,15
GL	Greenland	-	-	-	-
PM	Saint Pierre and Miquelon	-	-	-	-
US	United States	100.648	1,80	5.188	0,59
CENTRAL AMERICA AND CARIBBEAN		21.792	0,39	866	0,10
AI	Anguilla	-	-	-	-
AG	Antigua and Barbuda	2	-	113	0,01
AW	Aruba	-	-	-	-
BS	Bahamas	1	-	17	-
BB	Barbados	-	-	123	0,01
BZ	Belize	-	-	-	-
BM	Bermuda	18	-	-	-
KY	Cayman Islands	-	-	-	-
CR	Costa Rica	13	-	-	-
CU	Cuba	16.403	0,29	-	-
DM	Dominica	1	-	-	-
DO	Dominican Republic	162	-	31	-
SV	El Salvador	17	-	-	-
GD	Grenada	-	-	-	-
GT	Guatemala	1	-	-	-
HT	Haiti	-	-	37	-
HN	Honduras	38	-	-	-
JM	Jamaica	-	-	5	-
MX	Mexico	5.082	0,09	49	0,01
MS	Montserrat	-	-	-	-

Notes:

1. The General trade system is applied.

2. Dispatches to EU countries include also goods which were initially imported from third countries and placed under customs warehouses.

Table 3: Trade by country, January - September 2008 - continued

Country		Imports / Arrivals		Exports / Dispatches	
		(c.i.f.)		(f.o.b.)	
		€000's	%	€000's	%
AN	Netherlands Antilles	-	-	97	0,01
NI	Nicaragua	32	-	-	-
PA	Panama	-	-	166	0,02
KN	St Kitts and Nevis	-	-	-	-
LC	St Lucia	-	-	-	-
VC	St Vincent and the Grenadines	-	-	-	-
TT	Trinidad and Tobago	-	-	92	0,01
TC	Turks and Caicos Islands	-	-	-	-
VG	Virgin Islands (British)	6	-	136	0,02
VI	Virgin Islands (US)	16	-	-	-
SOUTH AMERICA		100.164	1,79	453	0,05
AR	Argentina	28.225	0,50	6	-
BO	Bolivia	-	-	-	-
BR	Brazil	63.723	1,14	19	-
CL	Chile	1.609	0,03	13	-
CO	Colombia	45	-	342	0,04
EC	Ecuador	446	0,01	39	-
FK	Falkland Islands	-	-	-	-
GY	Guyana	-	-	11	-
PY	Paraguay	4.271	0,08	-	-
PE	Peru	723	0,01	-	-
SR	Suriname	2	-	-	-
UY	Uruguay	1.119	0,02	21	-
VE	Venezuela	-	-	4	-
NEAR AND MIDDLE EASTERN COUNTRIES		659.731	11,78	105.323	12,05
AM	Armenia	298	0,01	645	0,07
AZ	Azerbaijan	-	-	181	0,02
BH	Bahrain	133	-	2.952	0,34
GE	Georgia	56.890	1,02	318	0,04
IR	Iran	1.408	0,03	5.713	0,65
IQ	Iraq	-	-	2.916	0,33
IL	Israel	476.838	8,51	9.837	1,13
JO	Jordan	1.598	0,03	11.719	1,34
KW	Kuwait	26.855	0,48	5.697	0,65
LB	Lebanon	17.584	0,31	22.620	2,59
PS	Occupied Palestinian Territory	1	-	-	-
OM	Oman	1.469	0,03	1.681	0,19
QA	Qatar	206	-	2.558	0,29
SA	Saudi Arabia	9.095	0,16	7.100	0,81
SY	Syria	11.351	0,20	14.538	1,66
AE	United Arab Emirates	49.075	0,88	15.650	1,79
YE	Yemen	6.931	0,12	1.199	0,14
OTHER ASIAN COUNTRIES		672.508	12,01	35.058	4,01
AF	Afghanistan	-	-	102	0,01
BD	Bangladesh	876	0,02	284	0,03

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		(c.i.f.)		(f.o.b.)	
		€000's	%	€000's	%
BT	Bhutan	-	-	-	-
BN	Brunei	-	-	88	0,01
KH	Cambodia	52	-	360	0,04
CN	China	288.355	5,15	5.674	0,65
TL	East Timor	-	-	-	-
HK	Hong Kong	16.395	0,29	5.002	0,57
IN	India	36.461	0,65	5.711	0,65
ID	Indonesia	10.311	0,18	151	0,02
JP	Japan	145.155	2,59	380	0,04
KZ	Kazakhstan	4.117	0,07	894	0,10
KP	Korea(North)	7	-	-	-
KR	Korea(South)	43.569	0,78	1.492	0,17
KG	Kyrgyzstan	-	-	1	-
LA	Laos	-	-	-	-
MO	Macao	128	-	18	-
MY	Malaysia	20.101	0,36	2.177	0,25
MV	Maldives	-	-	67	0,01
MN	Mongolia	-	-	303	0,03
MM	Myanmar (Burma)	330	0,01	93	0,01
NP	Nepal	-	-	85	0,01
PK	Pakistan	4.327	0,08	1.872	0,21
PH	Philippines	1.976	0,04	807	0,09
SG	Singapore	20.752	0,37	1.563	0,18
LK	Sri Lanka	1.115	0,02	829	0,09
TW	Taiwan	29.438	0,53	915	0,10
TJ	Tajikistan	-	-	6	-
TH	Thailand	42.740	0,76	1.025	0,12
TM	Turkmenistan	4	-	-	-
UZ	Uzbekistan	-	-	115	0,01
VN	Viet-Nam	6.300	0,11	5.045	0,58
AUSTRALIA AND NEW ZEALAND		19.794	0,35	4.082	0,47
AU	Australia	6.470	0,12	3.493	0,40
CX	Christmas Island	-	-	-	-
CC	Cocos Islands(Keeling Islands)	-	-	-	-
CK	Cook Islands	-	-	-	-
HM	Heard Island and Mc-Donald Islands	-	-	-	-
NZ	New Zealand	13.324	0,24	589	0,07
NU	Niue	-	-	-	-
NF	Norfolk Island	-	-	-	-
TK	Tokelau	-	-	-	-
OTHER COUNTRIES OF OCEANIA AND POLAR REGIONS		3	-	31	-
AS	American Samoa	-	-	-	-
AQ	Antarctica	-	-	-	-
BV	Bouvet Island	-	-	-	-
FJ	Fiji	-	-	-	-

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		(c.i.f.)		(f.o.b.)	
		€000's	%	€000's	%
PF	French Polynesia	-	-	31	-
TF	French Southern Territories	-	-	-	-
GU	Guam	-	-	-	-
KI	Kiribati	-	-	-	-
MH	Marshall Islands	-	-	-	-
FM	Micronesia	-	-	-	-
NR	Nauru	-	-	-	-
NC	New Caledonia	-	-	-	-
MP	Northern Mariana Islands	3	-	-	-
PW	Palau	-	-	-	-
PG	Papua New Guinea	-	-	-	-
PN	Pitcairn	-	-	-	-
WS	Samoa	-	-	-	-
SB	Solomon Islands	-	-	-	-
GS	South Georgia and South Sandwich Islands	-	-	-	-
TO	Tonga	-	-	-	-
TV	Tuvalu	-	-	-	-
UM	United States Minor Outlying Islands	-	-	-	-
VU	Vanuatu	-	-	-	-
WF	Wallis and Futuna	-	-	-	-
COUNTRIES AND TERRITORIES N/S		11.323	0,20	8.132	0,93
QU	Countries and territories not specified	11.323	0,20	8.132	0,93
STORES AND PROVISIONS		-	-	189.465	21,68
QQ	Stores and provisions	-	-	189.465	21,68

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Country	Imports / Arrivals (c.i.f.)				Exports / Dispatches (f.o.b.)				Trade Balance			
	September		January - September		September		January - September		September		January - September	
	2007	2008	2007	2008	2007	2008	2007	2008	2007	2008	2007	2008
TOTAL	544.504	662.876	4.646.431	5.601.503	82.451	88.113	818.702	874.063	-462.053	-574.763	-3.827.729	-4.727.440
EUROPEAN UNION	353.153	417.013	3.161.319	3.672.905	39.944	39.562	476.234	447.244	-313.209	-377.451	-2.685.085	-3.225.661
AT Austria	3.421	3.446	29.018	30.917	420	355	3.945	3.930	-3.001	-3.091	-25.074	-26.986
BE Belgium	10.784	13.426	104.230	118.565	236	313	14.405	12.665	-10.547	-13.113	-89.825	-105.899
BG Bulgaria	4.021	4.763	30.846	61.067	403	303	3.756	4.005	-3.618	-4.460	-27.090	-57.062
CY Cyprus	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
CZ Czech Republic	875	1.930	12.097	13.888	119	492	5.159	6.508	-756	-1.438	-6.939	-7.381
DK Denmark	3.626	3.448	32.182	24.976	404	168	3.581	3.434	-3.222	-3.280	-28.601	-21.542
EE Estonia	55	-	353	336	73	64	1.260	753	18	64	907	417
FI Finland	488	1.985	12.299	17.005	24	32	2.020	2.511	-464	-1.953	-10.280	-14.494
FR France	46.758	21.140	231.435	215.887	686	576	6.358	9.270	-46.072	-20.564	-225.077	-206.617
DE Germany	43.324	53.945	431.926	447.266	5.799	7.383	50.920	46.495	-37.526	-46.562	-381.006	-400.771
GR Greece	97.706	112.870	797.873	913.537	12.556	17.427	170.303	158.344	-85.150	-95.443	-627.571	-755.194
HU Hungary	1.000	3.585	29.462	24.834	1	58	1.340	1.076	-999	-3.526	-28.123	-23.758
IE Ireland	1.362	1.082	18.529	19.494	832	473	14.114	7.473	-530	-608	-4.415	-12.021
IT Italy	40.297	50.544	486.782	591.148	1.812	1.589	23.030	21.400	-38.485	-48.955	-463.753	-569.749
LV Latvia	26	36	332	640	90	133	1.211	502	64	98	879	-138
LT Lithuania	344	180	2.856	1.610	179	306	1.889	1.775	-165	127	-967	165
LU Luxembourg	221	627	2.532	2.944	-	58	166	143	-221	-568	-2.366	-2.801
MT Malta	191	24.797	27.183	117.149	318	299	2.675	2.846	127	-24.498	-24.508	-114.303
NL Netherlands	19.494	21.222	185.011	218.560	1.272	886	11.385	12.884	-18.222	-20.336	-173.626	-205.676
PL Poland	1.834	2.210	18.114	30.492	21	18	2.212	2.101	-1.813	-2.192	-15.902	-28.392
PT Portugal	2.884	2.325	21.196	25.375	78	54	430	544	-2.806	-2.272	-20.767	-24.831
RO Romania	1.076	4.647	11.030	18.059	3.066	1.068	25.088	19.010	1.990	-3.580	14.058	951
SK Slovakia	935	989	7.030	7.434	786	-	4.339	1.011	-149	-989	-2.691	-6.423
SI Slovenia	356	420	3.191	5.621	38	39	1.107	711	-318	-380	-2.084	-4.910
ES Spain	15.838	19.099	159.340	205.469	165	293	3.586	20.161	-15.673	-18.806	-155.754	-185.309
SE Sweden	4.938	17.900	43.346	88.827	369	667	6.333	7.962	-4.570	-17.233	-37.013	-80.865

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Country	Imports / Arrivals (c.i.f.)				Exports / Dispatches (f.o.b.)				Trade Balance			
	September		January - September		September		January - September		September		January - September	
	2007	2008	2007	2008	2007	2008	2007	2008	2007	2008	2007	2008
GB United Kingdom	51.298	50.400	463.124	471.807	10.198	6.508	115.624	99.733	-41.100	-43.892	-347.500	-372.074
OTHER EUROPEAN COUNTRIES	14.767	33.716	142.827	266.965	5.686	4.208	43.561	44.673	-9.081	-29.508	-99.266	-222.291
AL Albania	398	-	1.904	646	280	261	1.585	1.524	-118	261	-319	878
AD Andorra	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
BY Belarus	9	-	163	9.103	43	175	842	855	34	175	679	-8.248
BA Bosnia and Herzegovina	-	16	45	61	69	160	318	289	69	144	273	228
HR Croatia	5.534	236	12.426	7.061	10	3	909	1.314	-5.524	-232	-11.517	-5.747
FO Faroe Islands	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	38	-	-	-	38
MK Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia	95	79	1.371	859	42	881	305	2.836	-53	802	-1.067	1.977
GI Gibraltar	-	-	-	-	502	21	1.637	739	502	21	1.637	739
VA Holy See	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	1	-
IS Iceland	2	2	211	545	23	34	54	201	21	32	-157	-344
XK Kosovo	-	-	-	-	-	9	127	443	-	9	127	443
LI Liechtenstein	-	10	63	62	-	-	-	-	-	-10	-63	-62
MD Moldova	-	398	52	21.665	201	-	616	389	201	-398	565	-21.275
ME Montenegro	-	-	22	-	103	72	103	287	103	72	81	287
NO Norway	630	439	5.051	34.089	63	105	2.098	2.198	-567	-334	-2.953	-31.890
RU Russia	2.568	4.397	31.296	25.338	1.510	1.189	14.995	14.300	-1.058	-3.208	-16.300	-11.038
SM San Marino	-	-	4	20	-	2	6	42	-	2	1	23
XS Serbia	382	273	7.059	2.908	1.063	966	6.495	8.551	682	693	-564	5.643
CH Switzerland	3.965	7.183	44.981	59.276	148	262	5.166	4.705	-3.817	-6.921	-39.815	-54.571
TR Turkey	456	409	8.818	16.125	918	2	1.344	107	462	-407	-7.475	-16.018
UA Ukraine	727	20.274	29.361	89.208	711	65	6.961	5.855	-16	-20.209	-22.400	-83.353
NORTH AFRICA	5.676	5.217	76.980	56.718	2.495	2.780	17.018	18.270	-3.181	-2.437	-59.962	-38.449
DZ Algeria	-	526	3.797	5.156	352	306	1.759	1.696	352	-220	-2.038	-3.460
XC Ceuta	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
EG Egypt	5.576	4.482	62.744	38.027	1.547	680	10.870	10.308	-4.029	-3.801	-51.874	-27.719
LY Lybia	-	20	8.146	10.241	408	1.434	3.447	4.195	408	1.414	-4.699	-6.046

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	September			September			September		
	2007	2008	January - September 2007	2008	2007	2008	2007	2008	2008
XL Melilla	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
MA Morocco	11	44	276	506	93	285	82	241	81
TN Tunisia	89	146	2,017	2,788	95	75	6	-72	-1,432
OTHER AFRICAN COUNTRIES	886	1,295	9,608	10,307	1,980	2,218	1,094	922	5,726
AO Angola	-	-	-	-	31	-	16	31	53
BJ Benin	-	-	-	-	-	-	15	-	15
BW Botswana	-	54	-	225	-	3	64	-	-161
IO British Indian Ocean Territory	-	-	-	-	-	-	4	-	4
BF Burkina Faso	-	-	-	-	2	-	21	2	21
BI Burundi	-	-	-	-	-	-	52	-	52
CM Cameroon	-	34	138	172	17	20	48	16	-100
CV Cape Verde	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-
CF Central African Republic	-	-	-	-	-	-	6	-	11
TD Chad	-	-	-	-	1	-	1	1	1
KM Comoros	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
CG Congo	-	-	48	-	-	22	39	-	-24
CD Congo (Zaire)	-	22	223	69	42	-	42	-22	-181
CI Cote d' Ivoire	93	27	527	850	-	-	19	-93	-501
DJ Djibouti	-	-	-	-	-	6	98	6	26
GQ Equatorial Guinea	-	-	-	7	-	-	-	-	-7
ER Eritrea	-	-	-	-	-	-	24	-	6
ET Ethiopia	57	3	235	276	164	470	2,152	467	1,848
GA Gabon	-	-	481	1,116	-	-	-	-	-481
GM Gambia	-	-	-	-	-	-	70	-	66
GH Ghana	-	-	131	81	19	43	208	43	272
GN Guinea	-	-	-	-	-	9	121	9	47
GW Guinea-Bissau	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
KE Kenya	106	128	870	547	128	90	632	-38	-18
LS Lesotho	-	-	-	-	-	-	89	-	172

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	September		January - September		September		January - September		September		January - September	
	2007	2008	2007	2008	2007	2008	2007	2008	2007	2008	2007	2008
LR Liberia	-	-	-	-	-	-	75	64	-	-	75	64
MG Madagascar	6	-	21	62	3	-	6	22	-4	-	-15	-40
MW Malawi	-	-	-	-	2	-	691	57	2	-	691	57
ML Mali	-	-	12	-	9	-	43	12	9	-	32	12
MR Mauritania	-	97	-	103	3	-	3	-	3	-97	3	-103
MU Mauritius	-	-	16	-	183	154	859	454	183	154	843	454
YT Mayotte	-	-	-	-	5	12	29	54	5	12	29	54
MZ Mozambique	-	-	-	4	221	-	467	68	221	-	467	64
NA Namibia	-	-	328	10	2	-	149	72	1	-	-180	62
NE Niger	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	-	-	-	3	-
NG Nigeria	-	-	6	3	266	256	1,429	1,589	266	256	1,423	1,586
RW Rwanda	-	-	-	-	-	-	11	40	-	-	11	40
SH Saint Helena	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
ST Sao Tome and Principe	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
SN Senegal	15	81	199	417	23	-	228	69	8	-81	30	-349
SC Seychelles	54	74	167	130	23	3	71	45	-31	-71	-96	-85
SL Sierra Leone	-	-	18	1	11	-	16	14	11	-	-2	13
SO Somalia	-	-	-	-	8	-	69	64	8	-	69	64
ZA South Africa	490	774	5,456	4,842	55	103	881	837	-435	-670	-4,575	-4,005
SD Sudan	17	-	17	676	652	749	4,818	4,725	635	749	4,801	4,049
SZ Swaziland	-	-	201	117	-	45	37	136	-	45	-164	19
TZ Tanzania	-	-	321	591	59	215	992	930	59	215	671	340
TG Togo	-	-	-	-	-	-	19	16	-	-	19	16
UG Uganda	47	-	186	7	36	16	341	397	-11	16	155	390
ZM Zambia	-	-	-	-	15	1	91	212	15	1	91	212
ZW Zimbabwe	-	-	6	1	-	-	81	504	-	-	74	502
NORTH AMERICA	6,808	10,502	63,970	109,292	733	693	7,573	6,456	-6,075	-9,810	-56,397	-102,836
CA Canada	752	977	6,767	8,644	120	96	2,226	1,268	-632	-882	-4,542	-7,377
GL Greenland	-	-	-	-	-	-	34	-	-	-	34	-

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	September		January - September		September		January - September		September		January - September	
	2007	2008	2007	2008	2007	2008	2007	2008	2007	2008	2007	2008
PM Saint Pierre and Miquelon	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
US United States	6,056	9,525	57,203	100,648	613	597	5,313	5,188	-5,443	-8,928	-51,889	-95,460
CENTRAL AMERICA AND CARIBBEAN	1,553	3,060	19,798	21,792	28	52	571	866	-1,524	-3,008	-19,227	-20,926
AI Anguilla	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
AG Antigua and Barbuda	-	-	4	2	-	-	12	113	-	-	8	111
AW Aruba	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
BS Bahamas	-	1	1	1	-	-	65	17	-	-1	63	16
BB Barbados	-	-	-	-	-	-	59	123	-	-	59	123
BZ Belize	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
BM Bermuda	-	-	-	18	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-18
KY Cayman Islands	-	-	-	-	-	-	9	-	-	-	9	-
CR Costa Rica	-	2	38	13	-	-	-	-	-	-2	-38	-13
CU Cuba	1,049	2,011	16,259	16,403	-	-	24	-	-1,049	-2,011	-16,236	-16,403
DM Dominica	7	-	54	1	-	-	8	-	-7	-	-46	-1
DO Dominican Republic	7	33	167	162	-	-	18	31	-7	-33	-149	-131
SV El Salvador	-	-	3	17	-	-	-	-	-	-	-3	-17
GD Grenada	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	-	-	-	5	-
GT Guatemala	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-1	-1
HT Haiti	-	-	-	-	-	-	29	37	-	-	29	37
HN Honduras	-	3	45	38	-	-	-	-	-	-3	-45	-38
JM Jamaica	2	-	5	-	-	-	32	5	-2	-	26	5
MX Mexico	487	1,010	3,201	5,082	6	1	35	49	-481	-1,008	-3,165	-5,033
MS Montserrat	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
AN Netherlands Antilles	-	-	-	-	22	23	88	97	22	23	88	97
NI Nicaragua	-	-	16	32	-	-	-	-	-	-	-16	-32
PA Panama	-	-	3	-	-	16	37	166	-	16	35	166
St Kitts and Nevis	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
LC St Lucia	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

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Country	Imports / Arrivals (c.i.f.)				Exports / Dispatches (f.o.b.)				Trade Balance			
	September		January - September		September		January - September		September		January - September	
	2007	2008	2007	2008	2007	2008	2007	2008	2007	2008	2007	2008
VC	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
TT	-	-	-	-	-	-	30	92	-	-	30	92
TC	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
VG	-	-	-	6	-	12	120	136	-	12	120	130
VI	-	-	1	16	-	-	-	-	-	-	-1	-16
SOUTH AMERICA	31.999	14.445	146.845	100.164	49	4	259	453	-31.951	-14.441	-146.586	-99.711
AR	2.511	7.605	20.084	28.225	-	-	-	6	-2.511	-7.605	-20.083	-28.219
BO	-	-	-	-	-	-	29	-	-	-	29	-
BR	29.165	6.504	124.001	63.723	1	-	8	19	-29.164	-6.504	-123.993	-63.705
CL	-	15	1.659	1.609	-	-	7	13	-	-15	-1.652	-1.596
CO	2	2	97	45	-	-	4	342	-2	-2	-93	296
EC	36	110	145	446	16	-	37	39	-20	-110	-108	-407
FK	-	-	-	-	-	-	8	-	-	-	8	-
GY	-	-	-	-	-	-	21	11	-	-	21	11
PY	-	-	-	4.271	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-4.271
PE	176	17	346	723	-	-	-	-	-176	-17	-346	-723
SR	-	-	10	2	31	-	130	-	30	-	120	-2
UY	77	190	471	1.119	-	4	15	21	-77	-186	-457	-1.098
VE	32	-	32	-	-	-	-	4	-32	-	-32	3
NEAR AND MIDDLE EASTERN COUNTRIES	60.480	82.851	406.017	659.731	8.590	10.084	90.641	105.323	-51.890	-72.766	-315.376	-554.408
AM	41	39	133	298	97	-	487	645	56	-39	353	347
AZ	-	-	28	-	12	4	226	181	12	4	199	181
BH	-	26	1.759	133	239	159	2.098	2.952	239	133	340	2.819
GE	-	2.345	9.536	56.890	-	-	293	318	-	-2.345	-9.243	-56.573
IR	32	492	1.250	1.408	497	277	4.107	5.713	465	-214	2.857	4.305
IQ	-	-	28	-	382	302	2.561	2.916	382	302	2.533	2.916
IL	36.440	47.743	291.659	476.838	718	1.592	8.021	9.837	-35.722	-46.151	-283.638	-467.002

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Country	Imports / Arrivals (c.i.f.)				Exports / Dispatches (f.o.b.)				Trade Balance			
	September		January - September		September		January - September		September		January - September	
	2007	2008	2007	2008	2007	2008	2007	2008	2007	2008	2007	2008
JO	267	141	1,876	1,598	611	1,338	8,020	11,719	343	1,198	6,143	10,120
KW	146	15,939	2,873	26,855	515	678	4,695	5,697	369	-15,261	1,822	-21,158
LB	1,008	2,344	12,555	17,584	1,857	2,439	19,506	22,620	849	95	6,952	5,036
PS	-	-	23	1	-	-	73	-	-	-	50	-1
OM	332	133	1,407	1,469	86	55	1,738	1,681	-246	-78	330	212
QA	31	120	194	206	273	304	3,520	2,558	242	184	3,326	2,352
SA	19,188	724	42,476	9,095	648	561	6,839	7,100	-18,541	-163	-35,637	-1,995
SY	766	1,034	6,239	11,351	1,065	1,336	12,867	14,538	299	302	6,628	3,187
AE	2,228	4,841	33,980	49,075	1,497	915	14,018	15,650	-731	-3,926	-19,962	-33,425
YE	-	6,931	-	6,931	92	123	1,572	1,199	92	-6,807	1,572	-5,731
OTHER ASIAN COUNTRIES	67,400	90,608	589,866	672,508	2,914	3,358	30,918	35,058	-64,486	-87,250	-558,947	-637,450
AF	-	-	12	-	-	-	354	102	-	-	342	101
BD	339	201	1,506	876	41	38	502	284	-298	-163	-1,004	-593
BT	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
BN	-	-	-	-	8	-	72	88	8	-	72	88
KH	22	1	137	52	10	-	301	360	-12	-1	164	308
CN	27,712	48,463	255,679	288,355	186	328	5,287	5,674	-27,526	-48,135	-250,392	-282,681
TL	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	1	-
HK	1,872	1,849	15,350	16,395	375	830	4,080	5,002	-1,497	-1,019	-11,270	-11,393
IN	2,758	3,843	25,384	36,461	374	452	3,125	5,711	-2,384	-3,390	-22,258	-30,751
ID	1,071	2,154	9,536	10,311	11	-	116	151	-1,060	-2,154	-9,420	-10,160
JP	18,156	11,838	134,174	145,155	46	29	491	380	-18,110	-11,809	-133,683	-144,775
KZ	-	-	2,175	4,117	18	54	1,271	894	18	54	-905	-3,224
KP	9	3	64	7	-	-	-	-	-9	-3	-64	-7
KR	2,795	7,931	31,835	43,569	106	39	2,102	1,492	-2,689	-7,892	-29,734	-42,077
KG	2	-	2	-	-	1	-	1	-2	1	-2	1
LA	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
MO	35	1	146	128	-	-	-	18	-35	-1	-146	-109
MY	1,477	1,821	16,522	20,101	153	121	1,286	2,177	-1,324	-1,700	-15,236	-17,923

Table 4: Trade by country, January - September 2008 and 2007 - continued

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Country	Imports / Arrivals (c.i.f.)				Exports / Dispatches (f.o.b.)				Trade Balance			
	September		January - September		September		January - September		September		January - September	
	2007	2008	2007	2008	2007	2008	2007	2008	2007	2008	2007	2008
MV Maldives	-	-	-	-	35	7	93	67	35	7	93	67
MN Mongolia	-	-	-	-	5	41	255	303	5	41	255	303
MM Myanmar (Burma)	18	63	243	330	5	-	228	93	-12	-63	-14	-237
NP Nepal	-	-	6	-	135	8	135	85	135	8	130	85
PK Pakistan	507	591	3,951	4,327	387	47	2,839	1,872	-121	-544	-1,113	-2,455
PH Philippines	150	361	1,813	1,976	71	220	612	807	-79	-141	-1,202	-1,168
SG Singapore	2,925	2,420	27,115	20,752	94	100	1,797	1,563	-2,831	-2,320	-25,317	-19,188
LK Sri Lanka	65	96	1,111	1,115	54	40	923	829	-11	-56	-188	-285
TW Taiwan	3,125	3,357	25,812	29,438	98	130	638	915	-3,027	-3,227	-25,174	-28,523
TJ Tajikistan	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6	-	-	-	6
TH Thailand	3,797	4,770	31,794	42,740	296	314	1,149	1,025	-3,501	-4,456	-30,645	-41,715
TM Turkmenistan	-	-	5	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-5	-4
UZ Uzbekistan	-	-	-	-	-	3	70	115	-	3	70	115
VN Viet-Nam	565	846	5,493	6,300	407	556	3,190	5,045	-158	-289	-2,303	-1,255
AUSTRALIA AND NEW ZEALAND	1,275	2,342	16,948	19,794	359	397	2,732	4,082	-916	-1,945	-14,216	-15,712
AU Australia	540	1,078	8,368	6,470	319	334	2,345	3,493	-221	-744	-6,023	-2,977
CX Christmas Island	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
CC Cocos Islands(Keeling Islands)	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-1	-
CK Cook Islands	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
HM Heard Island and Mc-Donald Islands	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
NZ New Zealand	735	1,264	8,579	13,324	41	63	387	589	-695	-1,201	-8,192	-12,735
NU Niue	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
NF Norfolk Island	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
TK Tokelau	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
OTHER COUNTRIES OF OCEANIA AND POLAR REGIONS	-	-	35	3	-	31	8	31	-	31	-27	28
AS American Samoa	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
AQ Antarctica	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

Table 4: Trade by country, January - September 2008 and 2007 - continued

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Country	Imports / Arrivals (c.i.f.)			Exports / Dispatches (f.o.b.)			Trade Balance		
	September	January - September		September	January - September		September	January - September	
		2008	2007		2008	2007		2008	2007
BV Bouvet Island	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
FJ Fiji	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
PF French Polynesia	-	-	-	31	31	-	31	-	31
TF French Southern Territories	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
GU Guam	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
KI Kiribati	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
MH Marshall Islands	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
FM Micronesia	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
NR Nauru	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
NC New Caledonia	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
MP Northern Mariana Islands	-	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	-3
PW Palau	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
PG Papua New Guinea	-	-	34	-	-	-	-	-34	-
PN Pitcairn	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
WS Samoa	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
SB Solomon Islands	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
GS South Georgia and South Sandwich Islands	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
TO Tonga	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
TV Tuvalu	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
UM United States Minor Outlying Islands	-	-	-	-	8	-	-	8	-
VU Vanuatu	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
WF Wallis and Futuna	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
COUNTRIES AND TERRITORIES N/S	508	1.826	12.218	896	6.394	8.132	-1.146	-5.823	-3.191
QU Countries and territories not specified	508	1.826	12.218	896	6.394	8.132	-1.146	-5.823	-3.191
STORES AND PROVISIONS	-	-	-	18.776	24.045	189.465	18.776	24.045	189.465
QQ Stores and provisions	-	-	-	18.776	24.045	189.465	18.776	24.045	189.465

Note: Data are not strictly comparable since data prior to May 2004 of Intra-EU and Extra-EU trade on imports/arrivals were recorded by country of origin of the goods while on exports/dispatches by country of final destination whereas for May 2004 onwards for Intra-EU trade, arrivals are recorded by country of consignment and dispatches by country of dispatch.

Table 5: Trade classified by H.S Commodity Section, January - September 2008 and 2007

		Imports / Arrivals (c.i.f.)				Exports / Dispatches (f.o.b.)				€000's
H.S. Section		September		January - September		September		January - September		
		2007	2008	2007	2008	2007	2008	2007	2008	
	TOTAL	544.504	662.876	4,646.431	5,601.503	82.451	88.113	818.702	874.063	
I	Live animals; animal products	10.248	11.014	102.203	106.734	3.397	4.793	41.283	48.636	
II	Vegetable products	13.024	23.356	135.670	191.490	1.271	3.066	88.013	81.332	
III	Animal or vegetable fats and oils and their cleavage products; prepared edible fats; animal or vegetable waxes	1.205	5.190	15.903	34.355	185	111	1.313	1.607	
IV	Prepared foodstuffs; beverages, spirits and vinegar; tobacco and manufactured tobacco substitutes	38.043	56.139	351.302	406.942	6.472	5.344	62.904	60.218	
V	Mineral products	117.639	145.810	789.809	1,201.496	19.824	25.119	139.900	197.974	
VI	Products of the chemical or allied industries	40.417	45.256	359.095	390.683	14.581	12.710	114.395	128.337	
VII	Plastics and articles thereof; rubber and articles thereof	17.706	19.822	161.335	186.114	871	832	7.938	8.715	
VIII	Raw hides and skins, leather, furskins and articles thereof; saddlery and harness; travel goods; handbags and similar containers; articles of animal gut (other than silk-worm gut)	3.354	4.265	23.427	28.392	302	446	3.166	3.223	
IX	Wood and articles of wood; wood charcoal; cork and articles of cork; manufactures of straw, of esparto or of other plaiting materials; basketware and wickerwork	9.720	9.512	90.132	86.948	123	82	420	533	
X	Pulp of wood or of other fibrous cellulosic material; recovered (waste and scrap) paper or paperboard; paper and paperboard and articles thereof	13.620	14.721	122.441	124.163	1.471	1.346	11.158	9.826	
XI	Textiles and textile articles	41.614	42.434	240.923	257.795	1.526	2.313	11.185	11.146	

Note: The General trade system is applied.

Table 5: Trade classified by H.S Commodity Section, January - September 2008 and 2007 - continued

H.S. Section	Imports / Arrivals (c.i.f.)						Exports / Dispatches (f.o.b.)			
	September		January - September		September		September		January - September	
	2007	2008	2007	2008	2007	2008	2007	2008	2007	2008
XII										
Footwear, headgear, umbrellas, sun umbrellas, walking sticks, seat sticks, whips, riding crops and parts thereof; prepared feathers and articles made therewith; artificial flowers; articles of human hair	9.704	10.912	60.548	65.303	445	375	2.042	2.364		
XIII										
Articles of stone, plaster, cement, asbestos, mica or similar materials; ceramic products; glass and glassware	15.728	14.135	126.907	146.202	179	14	1.146	654		
XIV										
Natural or cultured pearls, precious or semi-precious stones, precious metals, metals clad with precious metal, and articles thereof; imitation jewellery; coins	2.894	6.664	27.760	48.915	297	4.086	3.678	23.737		
XV										
Base metal and articles of base metal	28.531	77.523	369.452	491.453	5.652	5.290	51.658	56.749		
XVI										
Machinery and mechanical appliances; electrical equipment; parts thereof; sound recorders and reproducers, television image and sound recorders and reproducers, and parts and accessories of such articles	84.798	76.648	679.271	795.789	9.629	11.466	114.155	93.293		
XVII										
Vehicles, aircraft, vessels and associated transport equipment	67.003	67.158	695.757	726.657	10.369	1.848	93.949	53.240		
XVIII										
Optical, photographic, cinematographic, measuring, checking, precision, medical or surgical instruments and apparatus; clocks and watches; musical instruments; parts and accessories thereof	8.796	10.618	95.129	100.473	3.694	6.251	51.333	73.247		
XIX										
Arms and ammunition; parts and accessories thereof	507	2.715	17.105	16.447	1.008	1.407	6.771	7.962		
XX										
Miscellaneous manufactured articles	19.618	18.805	180.858	192.204	1.154	1.153	12.253	9.831		
XXI										
Works of art, collectors' pieces and antiques	31.5	49	1.320	1.419	1	1	42	33		
UNCLASSIFIED	20	131	83	1.529	-	60	-	1.407		

Note: The General trade system is applied.

Table 6: Imports/Arrivals by Economic Destination, January - September 2008 and 2007

Economic Destination	2008				2007			
	September		January - September		September		January - September	
	€000's	%	€000's	%	€000's	%	€000's	%
GRAND TOTAL	662.876	100,00	5.601.503	100,00	544.504	100,00	4.646.431	100,00
CONSUMER GOODS	182.726	27,57	1.482.735	26,47	163.118	29,96	1.342.463	28,89
- Non-durable	109.606	16,53	889.338	15,88	93.617	17,19	801.357	17,25
(i) Food and beverages	50.495	7,62	433.569	7,74	41.462	7,61	378.977	8,16
(ii) Other (incl. tobacco)	59.111	8,92	455.769	8,14	52.155	9,58	422.380	9,09
- Semi-durable	46.259	6,98	312.265	5,57	44.361	8,15	286.173	6,16
- Durable	26.861	4,05	281.131	5,02	25.141	4,62	254.933	5,49
INTERMEDIATE INPUTS	213.322	32,18	1.642.142	29,32	131.849	24,21	1.329.961	28,62
- Agriculture	11.492	1,73	76.859	1,37	7.343	1,35	64.429	1,39
- Construction and mining	66.099	9,97	463.541	8,28	29.736	5,46	340.554	7,33
- Manufacturing	112.811	17,02	893.268	15,95	72.744	13,36	729.541	15,70
- Transport, storage and communication	6.160	0,93	53.148	0,95	5.800	1,07	50.812	1,09
- Other	16.760	2,53	155.326	2,77	16.227	2,98	144.626	3,11
CAPITAL GOODS	47.623	7,18	490.897	8,76	39.537	7,26	411.179	8,85
- Agriculture	3.564	0,54	27.420	0,49	1.604	0,29	18.205	0,39
- Construction and mining	6.180	0,93	65.702	1,17	4.691	0,86	46.773	1,01
- Manufacturing	12.138	1,83	125.291	2,24	7.463	1,37	86.005	1,85
- Transport, storage and communication	7.972	1,20	66.796	1,19	5.940	1,09	66.192	1,42
- Other	17.768	2,68	205.688	3,67	19.839	3,64	194.005	4,18
TRANSPORT EQUIPMENT AND PARTS THEREOF	72.847	10,99	788.778	14,08	93.170	17,11	771.590	16,61
- Passenger motor vehicles	50.198	7,57	505.982	9,03	53.364	9,80	542.758	11,68
- Motor vehicles for the transport of goods	5.189	0,78	84.750	1,51	4.247	0,78	67.203	1,45
- Special purpose lorries and vans	1.597	0,24	16.765	0,30	926	0,17	8.874	0,19
- Public-service type passenger motor vehicles	180	0,03	6.834	0,12	447	0,08	2.967	0,06
- Aircraft, helicopters, balloons and airships	36	0,01	11.125	0,20	43	0,01	164	-
- Motorcycles and bicycles	503	0,08	10.780	0,19	943	0,17	6.431	0,14
- Other transport equipment	1.862	0,28	30.973	0,55	2.654	0,49	20.379	0,44
- Parts for transport equipment	13.282	2,00	121.571	2,17	30.547	5,61	122.815	2,64
FUELS AND LUBRICANTS	144.646	21,82	1.186.514	21,18	116.773	21,45	780.242	16,79
UNCLASSIFIED	1.712	0,26	10.437	0,19	55	0,01	10.996	0,24

Table 7: Imports/Arrivals destined for home use by Economic Destination, January - September 2008 and 2007

Economic Destination	2008				2007			
	September		January - September		September		January - September	
	€000's	%	€000's	%	€000's	%	€000's	%
GRAND TOTAL	606.251	100,00	5.199.096	100,00	496.263	100,00	4.329.742	100,00
CONSUMER GOODS	175.673	28,98	1.425.965	27,43	158.158	31,87	1.288.374	29,76
- Non-durable	104.342	17,21	848.911	16,33	90.097	18,16	764.746	17,66
(i) Food and beverages	50.259	8,29	431.658	8,30	41.007	8,26	376.447	8,69
(ii) Other (incl. tobacco)	54.082	8,92	417.253	8,03	49.090	9,89	388.298	8,97
- Semi-durable	45.781	7,55	308.890	5,94	43.892	8,84	282.618	6,53
- Durable	25.550	4,21	268.165	5,16	24.169	4,87	241.010	5,57
INTERMEDIATE INPUTS	208.719	34,43	1.606.003	30,89	130.063	26,21	1.310.587	30,27
- Agriculture	10.116	1,67	68.820	1,32	6.474	1,30	57.052	1,32
- Construction and mining	66.826	11,02	461.347	8,87	29.853	6,02	340.164	7,86
- Manufacturing	109.411	18,05	872.931	16,79	72.368	14,58	724.016	16,72
- Transport, storage and communication	6.097	1,01	53.004	1,02	5.806	1,17	50.346	1,16
- Other	16.269	2,68	149.901	2,88	15.562	3,14	139.010	3,21
CAPITAL GOODS	46.539	7,68	473.793	9,11	37.813	7,62	396.356	9,15
- Agriculture	3.551	0,59	27.399	0,53	1.604	0,32	18.175	0,42
- Construction and mining	6.188	1,02	65.375	1,26	4.668	0,94	46.531	1,07
- Manufacturing	11.947	1,97	122.250	2,35	7.354	1,48	82.678	1,91
- Transport, storage and communication	7.485	1,23	61.940	1,19	5.674	1,14	61.961	1,43
- Other	17.368	2,86	196.828	3,79	18.512	3,73	187.010	4,32
TRANSPORT EQUIPMENT AND PARTS THEREOF	71.212	11,75	707.823	13,61	82.234	16,57	676.142	15,62
- Passenger motor vehicles	48.504	8,00	445.988	8,58	43.698	8,81	458.632	10,59
- Motor vehicles for the transport of goods	5.961	0,98	71.723	1,38	3.845	0,77	60.456	1,40
- Special purpose lorries and vans	1.187	0,20	14.689	0,28	808	0,16	8.324	0,19
- Public-service type passenger motor vehicles	191	0,03	6.371	0,12	449	0,09	3.027	0,07
- Aircraft, helicopters, balloons and airships	36	0,01	11.125	0,21	43	0,01	164	-
- Motorcycles and bicycles	613	0,10	9.447	0,18	536	0,11	5.586	0,13
- Other transport equipment	1.771	0,29	30.691	0,59	2.709	0,55	20.509	0,47
- Parts for transport equipment	12.948	2,14	117.789	2,27	30.147	6,07	119.445	2,76
FUELS AND LUBRICANTS	102.395	16,89	975.075	18,75	87.940	17,72	647.288	14,95
UNCLASSIFIED	1.712	0,28	10.437	0,20	55	0,01	10.996	0,25

Note: Imports/Arrivals destined for home use correspond to imports for home consumption

Table 8: Exports/Dispatches of domestically produced goods, excluding stores and provisions, by Broad Economic Sector, January - September 2008 and 2007

Economic Sector	2008				2007			
	September		January - September		September		January - September	
	€000's	%	€000's	%	€000's	%	€000's	%
GRAND TOTAL	34.714	100,00	401.016	100,00	34.456	100,00	377.905	100,00
AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS (RAW)	2.097	6,04	81.840	20,41	1.545	4,48	92.305	24,43
- Live trees, bulbs, cut flowers	-	-	3	-	-	-	36	0,01
- Potatoes	545	1,57	41.879	10,44	328	0,95	51.897	13,73
- Beetroot	4	0,01	17	-	5	0,01	38	0,01
- Okra	52	0,15	566	0,14	46	0,13	550	0,15
- Other vegetables fresh, frozen or dried	503	1,45	6.365	1,59	453	1,31	6.930	1,83
- Citrus fruit	-	-	24.254	6,05	-	-	23.300	6,17
- Grapes, fresh	2	0,01	447	0,11	3	0,01	198	0,05
- Melons and water melons	4	0,01	79	0,02	5	0,01	113	0,03
- Fish, crustaceans, molluscs (Live, fresh, chilled or frozen)	811	2,34	6.298	1,57	523	1,52	6.925	1,83
- Live animals	54	0,16	616	0,15	26	0,07	1.302	0,34
- All others	120	0,35	1.311	0,33	149	0,43	1.010	0,27
MINERALS	704	2,03	5.553	1,38	781	2,27	9.103	2,41
- Bentonite (excl. activated)	313	0,90	2.894	0,72	482	1,40	6.033	1,60
- All others	391	1,13	2.659	0,66	299	0,87	3.070	0,81
INDUSTRIAL PRODUCTS OF AGRICULTURAL ORIGIN	5.868	16,90	62.878	15,68	4.924	14,29	55.396	14,66
- Meat (excl. meat of quails)	1.559	4,49	10.457	2,61	608	1,77	5.362	1,42
- Halloumi cheese	2.032	5,85	27.862	6,95	1.968	5,71	25.369	6,71
- Cheese (excl. halloumi)	14	0,04	638	0,16	51	0,15	484	0,13
- Honey	-	-	22	0,01	17	0,05	24	0,01
- Locust beans (incl. seeds)	194	0,56	607	0,15	38	0,11	678	0,18
- Jams, fruit jellies, marmalades	7	0,02	22	0,01	29	0,08	56	0,01
- Fruit preserved	15	0,04	710	0,18	97	0,28	528	0,14
- Fruit and vegetable juices	562	1,62	8.935	2,23	914	2,65	9.640	2,55

Table 8: Exports/Dispatches of domestically produced goods, excluding stores and provisions, by Broad Economic Sector, January - September 2008 and 2007 - continued

Economic Sector	2008				2007			
	September		January - September		September		January - September	
	€000's	%	€000's	%	€000's	%	€000's	%
- Beer	42	0,12	1.258	0,31	121	0,35	1.483	0,39
- Wines	239	0,69	2.705	0,67	268	0,78	3.966	1,05
- Alcoholic beverages (excl. beer and wines)	2	0,01	214	0,05	55	0,16	354	0,09
- Raw hides and skins	386	1,11	2.517	0,63	210	0,61	2.303	0,61
- All others	817	2,35	6.931	1,73	545	1,58	5.148	1,36
INDUSTRIAL PRODUCTS OF MINERAL ORIGIN	1.942	5,59	19.585	4,88	1.847	5,36	14.014	3,71
- Activated natural mineral prod. (Bentonite)	328	0,94	3.866	0,96	7	0,02	7	-
- Cathodes of refined copper	1.138	3,28	12.126	3,02	1.529	4,44	11.244	2,98
- All others	476	1,37	3.593	0,90	309	0,90	2.763	0,73
INDUSTRIAL PRODUCTS OF MANUFACTURING ORIGIN	24.073	69,35	230.431	57,46	25.359	73,60	207.043	54,79
- Coffee, roasted	35	0,10	334	0,08	7	0,02	359	0,09
- Animal or vegetable fats and oils	110	0,32	1.605	0,40	185	0,54	1.310	0,35
- Food preparations based on meat	29	0,08	139	0,03	10	0,03	152	0,04
- Sugar and Chocolate confectionery	11	0,03	115	0,03	-	-	96	0,03
- Bread	24	0,07	254	0,06	-	-	277	0,07
- Biscuits, waffles, wafers and other bakers wares	22	0,06	449	0,11	109	0,32	682	0,18
- Cigarettes	-	-	4.397	1,10	682	1,98	5.319	1,41
- Cement	-	-	-	-	173	0,50	1.845	0,49
- Pharmaceutical products	8.254	23,78	84.783	21,14	10.011	29,05	74.859	19,81
- Paints and varnishes	44	0,13	339	0,08	29	0,08	350	0,09
- Essential oils, perfumery and cosmetics	194	0,56	2.109	0,53	477	1,38	2.353	0,62
- Soap, washing preparations	138	0,40	1.110	0,28	111	0,32	1.217	0,32
- Insecticides	-	-	438	0,11	-	-	176	0,05
- Tubes, pipes, sheets of plastics	349	1,01	4.579	1,14	545	1,58	4.863	1,29

Table 8: Exports/Dispatches of domestically produced goods, excluding stores and provisions, by Broad Economic Sector, January - September 2008 and 2007 - continued

Economic Sector	2008				2007			
	September		January - September		September		January - September	
	€000's	%	€000's	%	€000's	%	€000's	%
- Plastic articles for packing goods	71	0,20	851	0,21	113	0,33	1.353	0,36
- Builders ware of plastic	27	0,08	265	0,07	38	0,11	260	0,07
- Articles of paper or of paperboard	369	1,06	4.083	1,02	472	1,37	5.269	1,39
- Printed material	36	0,10	301	0,08	24	0,07	475	0,13
- Clothing	550	1,58	4.281	1,07	615	1,79	5.314	1,41
- Curtains and interior blinds	-	-	14	-	-	-	2	-
- Footwear	116	0,33	435	0,11	44	0,13	463	0,12
- Aluminium doors, windows and frames	3	0,01	267	0,07	2	-	454	0,12
- Articles of iron and steel	180	0,52	1.317	0,33	145	0,42	1.734	0,46
- Aluminium bars, rods and profiles	555	1,60	8.195	2,04	1.235	3,59	11.215	2,97
- Pumps for liquids	136	0,39	1.405	0,35	125	0,36	1.478	0,39
- Refrigerators and freezers	-	-	12	-	31	0,09	31	0,01
- Brooms, brushes, mops etc.	58	0,17	886	0,22	154	0,45	1.666	0,44
- Shotgun cartridges	321	0,92	1.904	0,47	328	0,95	1.948	0,52
- Furniture	277	0,80	2.787	0,69	335	0,97	3.643	0,96
- Lighting fixtures and fittings	3	0,01	284	0,07	38	0,11	723	0,19
- Mattresses	51	0,15	298	0,07	80	0,23	583	0,15
- Jewellery, goldsmiths and silversmiths wares	107	0,31	591	0,15	12	0,03	434	0,11
- Machinery for filling, closing, sealing, labelling	133	0,38	1.683	0,42	-	-	1.645	0,44
- Tiles, flagstones, bricks and other similar articles of cement, of concrete or of	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
- Refractory cements, mortars, concretes and similar compositions	88	0,25	485	0,12	44	0,13	513	0,14
- Building stones (marble, granite and other calcareous stones)	2	0,01	186	0,05	63	0,18	159	0,04
- Builders joinery and carpentry of wood (windows, doors and their frames)	-	-	71	0,02	27	0,08	157	0,04
- Dextrins, starches, glues or adhesives	4	0,01	43	0,01	2	-	77	0,02

Table 8: Exports/Dispatches of domestically produced goods, excluding stores and provisions, by Broad Economic Sector, January - September 2008 and 2007 - continued

Economic Sector	2008				2007			
	September		January - September		September		January - September	
	€000's	%	€000's	%	€000's	%	€000's	%
- Glaziers and grafting putty, painters fillings and other compounds	1	-	94	0,02	9	0,02	91	0,02
- Watering appliances for agricultural or horticultural sectors	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
- Records, tapes and other recorded media	209	0,60	718	0,18	60	0,17	1.230	0,33
- Photosensitive semiconductor devices	6.053	17,44	43.272	10,79	4.601	13,35	31.763	8,40
- Parts and accessories of motor vehicles	5	0,01	567	0,14	2	-	215	0,06
- Yachts and other sports and pleasure boats	123	0,35	1.880	0,47	26	0,07	2.587	0,68
- Animal feeding preparations	117	0,34	1.154	0,29	150	0,44	1.312	0,35
- Sauces and other preparations (incl. tomato ketchup and other tomato sauces,	4	0,01	12	-	5	0,01	29	0,01
- Uncooked or stuffed pasta	63	0,18	719	0,18	53	0,15	427	0,11
- Waste and scrap	3.143	9,05	30.846	7,69	1.984	5,76	21.141	5,59
- Radar apparatus	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	-
- All others	2.058	5,93	19.112	4,77	2.209	6,41	14.708	3,89
UNCLASSIFIED	30	0,09	729	0,18	2	-	41	0,01

PART B: EXTRA-EU TRADE STATISTICS

Table 1: Extra-EU trade by country, September 2008

SPECIAL TRADE SYSTEM

Country	Imports (c.i.f.)		Exports (f.o.b.)	
	€000's	%	€000's	%
TOTAL	204.250	100,00	24.387	100,00
OTHER EUROPEAN COUNTRIES	30.817	15,09	3.433	14,08
AL Albania	-	-	261	1,07
AD Andorra	-	-	-	-
BY Belarus	-	-	175	0,72
BA Bosnia and Herzegovina	16	0,01	160	0,66
HR Croatia	236	0,12	1	-
FO Faroe Islands	-	-	-	-
MK Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia	79	0,04	881	3,61
GI Gibraltar	-	-	21	0,08
VA Holy See	-	-	-	-
IS Iceland	2	-	34	0,14
XK Kosovo	-	-	9	0,04
LI Liechtenstein	10	-	-	-
MD Moldova	398	0,19	-	-
ME Montenegro	-	-	40	0,16
NO Norway	439	0,22	105	0,43
RU Russia	3.758	1,84	1.189	4,88
SM San Marino	-	-	2	0,01
XS Serbia	273	0,13	343	1,41
CH Switzerland	4.836	2,37	146	0,60
TR Turkey	519	0,25	2	0,01
UA Ukraine	20.250	9,91	65	0,27
NORTH AFRICA	5.208	2,55	2.430	9,96
DZ Algeria	526	0,26	261	1,07
XC Ceuta	-	-	-	-
EG Egypt	4.472	2,19	448	1,84
LY Lybia	20	0,01	1.434	5,88
XL Melilla	-	-	-	-
MA Morocco	44	0,02	241	0,99
TN Tunisia	146	0,07	45	0,18
OTHER AFRICAN COUNTRIES	1.302	0,64	2.112	8,66
AO Angola	-	-	-	-
BJ Benin	-	-	-	-
BW Botswana	54	0,03	3	0,01
IO British Indian Ocean Territory	-	-	-	-
BF Burkina Faso	-	-	-	-
BI Burundi	-	-	-	-
CM Cameroon	34	0,02	20	0,08
CV Cape Verde	-	-	-	-
CF Central African Republic	-	-	-	-
TD Chad	-	-	-	-
KM Comoros	-	-	-	-
CG Congo	-	-	22	0,09
CD Congo (Zaire)	22	0,01	-	-
CI Cote d' Ivoire	27	0,01	-	-
DJ Djibouti	-	-	6	0,03
GQ Equatorial Guinea	-	-	-	-
ER Eritrea	-	-	-	-

Table 1: Extra-EU trade by country, September 2008 - continued

SPECIAL TRADE SYSTEM

Country		Imports (c.i.f.)		Exports (f.o.b.)	
		€000's	%	€000's	%
ET	Ethiopia	3	-	470	1,93
GA	Gabon	-	-	-	-
GM	Gambia	-	-	-	-
GH	Ghana	-	-	43	0,18
GN	Guinea	-	-	9	0,04
GW	Guinea-Bissau	-	-	-	-
KE	Kenya	128	0,06	57	0,23
LS	Lesotho	-	-	-	-
LR	Liberia	-	-	-	-
MG	Madagascar	-	-	-	-
MW	Malawi	-	-	-	-
ML	Mali	-	-	-	-
MR	Mauritania	97	0,05	-	-
MU	Mauritius	-	-	107	0,44
YT	Mayotte	-	-	12	0,05
MZ	Mozambique	-	-	-	-
NA	Namibia	-	-	-	-
NE	Niger	-	-	-	-
NG	Nigeria	-	-	256	1,05
RW	Rwanda	-	-	-	-
SH	Saint Helena	-	-	-	-
ST	Sao Tome and Principe	-	-	-	-
SN	Senegal	81	0,04	-	-
SC	Seychelles	74	0,04	3	0,01
SL	Sierra Leone	-	-	-	-
SO	Somalia	-	-	-	-
ZA	South Africa	780	0,38	89	0,37
SD	Sudan	-	-	749	3,07
SZ	Swaziland	-	-	45	0,18
TZ	Tanzania	-	-	204	0,84
TG	Togo	-	-	-	-
UG	Uganda	-	-	16	0,07
ZM	Zambia	-	-	1	-
ZW	Zimbabwe	-	-	-	-
NORTH AMERICA		7.328	3,59	609	2,50
CA	Canada	989	0,48	96	0,39
GL	Greenland	-	-	-	-
PM	Saint Pierre and Miquelon	-	-	-	-
US	United States	6.339	3,10	514	2,11
CENTRAL AMERICA AND CARIBBEAN		1.368	0,67	36	0,15
AI	Anguilla	-	-	-	-
AG	Antigua and Barbuda	-	-	-	-
AW	Aruba	-	-	-	-
BS	Bahamas	1	-	-	-
BB	Barbados	-	-	-	-
BZ	Belize	-	-	-	-
BM	Bermuda	-	-	-	-
KY	Cayman Islands	-	-	-	-
CR	Costa Rica	2	-	-	-
CU	Cuba	317	0,16	-	-
DM	Dominica	-	-	-	-

Table 1: Extra-EU trade by country, September 2008 - continued

SPECIAL TRADE SYSTEM

Country		Imports (c.i.f.)		Exports (f.o.b.)	
		€000's	%	€000's	%
DO	Dominican Republic	10	-	-	-
SV	El Salvador	-	-	-	-
GD	Grenada	-	-	-	-
GT	Guatemala	-	-	-	-
HT	Haiti	-	-	-	-
HN	Honduras	3	-	-	-
JM	Jamaica	-	-	-	-
MX	Mexico	1.036	0,51	1	0,01
MS	Montserrat	-	-	-	-
AN	Netherlands Antilles	-	-	23	0,09
NI	Nicaragua	-	-	-	-
PA	Panama	-	-	-	-
KN	St Kitts and Nevis	-	-	-	-
LC	St Lucia	-	-	-	-
VC	St Vincent and the Grenadines	-	-	-	-
TT	Trinidad and Tobago	-	-	-	-
TC	Turks and Caicos Islands	-	-	-	-
VG	Virgin Islands (British)	-	-	12	0,05
VI	Virgin Islands (US)	-	-	-	-
SOUTH AMERICA		14.388	7,04	4	0,02
AR	Argentina	7.616	3,73	-	-
BO	Bolivia	-	-	-	-
BR	Brazil	6.426	3,15	-	-
CL	Chile	26	0,01	-	-
CO	Colombia	2	-	-	-
EC	Ecuador	110	0,05	-	-
FK	Falkland Islands	-	-	-	-
GY	Guyana	-	-	-	-
PY	Paraguay	-	-	-	-
PE	Peru	17	0,01	-	-
SR	Suriname	-	-	-	-
UY	Uruguay	190	0,09	4	0,01
VE	Venezuela	-	-	-	-
NEAR AND MIDDLE EASTERN COUNTRIES		47.026	23,02	6.575	26,96
AM	Armenia	39	0,02	-	-
AZ	Azerbaijan	-	-	4	0,02
BH	Bahrain	26	0,01	113	0,46
GE	Georgia	2.345	1,15	-	-
IR	Iran	492	0,24	277	1,14
IQ	Iraq	-	-	302	1,24
IL	Israel	32.368	15,85	1.072	4,40
JO	Jordan	292	0,14	1.096	4,49
KW	Kuwait	1.648	0,81	395	1,62
LB	Lebanon	2.345	1,15	1.525	6,25
PS	Occupied Palestinian Territory	-	-	-	-
OM	Oman	133	0,07	55	0,23
QA	Qatar	120	0,06	304	1,25
SA	Saudi Arabia	724	0,35	561	2,30
SY	Syria	1.034	0,51	161	0,66
AE	United Arab Emirates	4.838	2,37	587	2,41
YE	Yemen	624	0,31	123	0,51

Table 1: Extra-EU trade by country, September 2008 - continued

SPECIAL TRADE SYSTEM

Country		Imports (c.i.f.)		Exports (f.o.b.)	
		€000's	%	€000's	%
OTHER ASIAN COUNTRIES		92.959	45,51	3.309	13,57
AF	Afghanistan	-	-	-	-
BD	Bangladesh	201	0,10	38	0,16
BT	Bhutan	-	-	-	-
BN	Brunei	-	-	-	-
KH	Cambodia	1	-	-	-
CN	China	48.102	23,55	328	1,34
TL	East Timor	-	-	-	-
HK	Hong Kong	1.866	0,91	830	3,40
IN	India	3.663	1,79	452	1,86
ID	Indonesia	2.138	1,05	-	-
JP	Japan	13.729	6,72	29	0,12
KZ	Kazakhstan	-	-	54	0,22
KP	Korea(North)	3	-	-	-
KR	Korea(South)	8.500	4,16	39	0,16
KG	Kyrgyzstan	-	-	-	-
LA	Laos	-	-	-	-
MO	Macao	1	-	-	-
MY	Malaysia	1.807	0,88	121	0,49
MV	Maldives	-	-	7	0,03
MN	Mongolia	-	-	41	0,17
MM	Myanmar (Burma)	63	0,03	-	-
NP	Nepal	-	-	8	0,03
PK	Pakistan	602	0,29	47	0,19
PH	Philippines	361	0,18	220	0,90
SG	Singapore	2.624	1,28	100	0,41
LK	Sri Lanka	96	0,05	40	0,16
TW	Taiwan	3.346	1,64	130	0,53
TJ	Tajikistan	-	-	-	-
TH	Thailand	5.016	2,46	269	1,10
TM	Turkmenistan	-	-	-	-
UZ	Uzbekistan	-	-	1	-
VN	Viet-Nam	841	0,41	556	2,28
AUSTRALIA AND NEW ZEALAND		2.157	1,06	397	1,63
AU	Australia	905	0,44	334	1,37
CX	Christmas Island	-	-	-	-
CC	Cocos Islands(Keeling Islands)	-	-	-	-
CK	Cook Islands	-	-	-	-
HM	Heard Island and Mc-Donald Islands	-	-	-	-
NZ	New Zealand	1.251	0,61	63	0,26
NU	Niue	-	-	-	-
NF	Norfolk Island	-	-	-	-
TK	Tokelau	-	-	-	-
OTHER COUNTRIES OF OCEANIA AND POLAR		-	-	31	0,13
AS	American Samoa	-	-	-	-
AQ	Antarctica	-	-	-	-
BV	Bouvet Island	-	-	-	-
FJ	Fiji	-	-	-	-
PF	French Polynesia	-	-	31	0,13
TF	French Southern Territories	-	-	-	-

Table 1: Extra-EU trade by country, September 2008 - continued

SPECIAL TRADE SYSTEM

Country		Imports (c.i.f.)		Exports (f.o.b.)	
		€000's	%	€000's	%
GU	Guam	-	-	-	-
KI	Kiribati	-	-	-	-
MH	Marshall Islands	-	-	-	-
FM	Micronesia	-	-	-	-
NR	Nauru	-	-	-	-
NC	New Caledonia	-	-	-	-
MP	Northern Mariana Islands	-	-	-	-
PW	Palau	-	-	-	-
PG	Papua New Guinea	-	-	-	-
PN	Pitcairn	-	-	-	-
WS	Samoa	-	-	-	-
SB	Solomon Islands	-	-	-	-
GS	South Georgia and South Sandwich Islands	-	-	-	-
TO	Tonga	-	-	-	-
TV	Tuvalu	-	-	-	-
UM	United States Minor Outlying Islands	-	-	-	-
VU	Vanuatu	-	-	-	-
WF	Wallis and Futuna	-	-	-	-
COUNTRIES AND TERRITORIES N/S		1.696	0,83	-	-
QW	Countries and territories not specified	1.696	0,83	-	-
STORES AND PROVISIONS		-	-	5.450	22,35
QS	Stores and provisions	-	-	5.450	22,35

Table 2: Extra-EU trade classified by H.S Commodity Section, September 2008

€000's

H.S. Section		Imports (c.i.f.)	Exports (f.o.b.)
TOTAL		204,250	24,387
I	Live animals; animal products	3,394	2,313
II	Vegetable products	12,639	1,698
III	Animal or vegetable fats and oils and their cleavage products; prepared edible fats; animal or vegetable waxes	2,891	73
IV	Prepared foodstuffs; beverages, spirits and vinegar; tobacco and manufactured tobacco substitutes	16,689	1,035
V	Mineral products	32,602	524
VI	Products of the chemical or allied industries	8,489	7,180
VII	Plastics and articles thereof; rubber and articles thereof	6,563	260
VIII	Raw hides and skins, leather, furskins and articles thereof; saddlery and harness; travel goods; handbags and similar containers; articles of animal gut (other than silk-worm gut)	629	123
IX	Wood and articles of wood; wood charcoal; cork and articles of cork; manufactures of straw, of esparto or of other plaiting materials; basketware and wickerwork	2,891	58
X	Pulp of wood or of other fibrous cellulosic material; recovered (waste and scrap) paper or paperboard; paper and paperboard and articles thereof	3,346	597
XI	Textiles and textile articles	6,091	377
XII	Footwear, headgear, umbrellas, sun umbrellas, walking sticks, seat sticks, whips, riding crops and parts thereof; prepared feathers and articles made therewith; artificial flowers; articles of human hair	2,152	53
XIII	Articles of stone, plaster, cement, asbestos, mica or similar materials; ceramic products; glass and glassware	4,927	9
XIV	Natural or cultured pearls, precious or semi-precious stones, precious metals, metals clad with precious metal, and articles thereof; imitation jewellery; coins	1,436	401
XV	Base metal and articles of base metal	44,706	1,062
XVI	Machinery and mechanical appliances; electrical equipment; parts thereof; sound recorders and reproducers, television image and sound recorders and reproducers, and parts and accessories of such articles	24,722	2,013
XVII	Vehicles, aircraft, vessels and associated transport equipment	17,587	257
XVIII	Optical, photographic, cinematographic, measuring, checking, precision, medical or surgical instruments and apparatus; clocks and watches; musical instruments; parts and accessories thereof	2,962	212
XIX	Arms and ammunition; parts and accessories thereof	1,703	353
XX	Miscellaneous manufactured articles	7,807	339
XXI	Works of art, collectors' pieces and antiques	26	-
UNCLASSIFIED		-	-

Note: The Special trade system is applied.

PART C: INTRA-EU TRADE STATISTICS

Table 2: Intra-EU trade by country, September 2008

Country	Arrivals (c.i.f.)		Dispatches (f.o.b.)	
	€000's	%	€000's	%
TOTAL	417.144	100,00	58.838	100,00
EUROPEAN UNION	417.013	99,97	39.562	67,24
AT Austria	3.446	0,83	355	0,60
BE Belgium	13.426	3,22	313	0,53
BG Bulgaria	4.763	1,14	303	0,51
CY Cyprus	-	-	-	-
CZ Czech Republic	1.930	0,46	492	0,84
DK Denmark	3.448	0,83	168	0,29
EE Estonia	-	-	64	0,11
FI Finland	1.985	0,48	32	0,05
FR France	21.140	5,07	576	0,98
DE Germany	53.945	12,93	7.383	12,55
GR Greece	112.870	27,06	17.427	29,62
HU Hungary	3.585	0,86	58	0,10
IE Ireland	1.082	0,26	473	0,80
IT Italy	50.544	12,12	1.589	2,70
LV Latvia	36	0,01	133	0,23
LT Lithuania	180	0,04	306	0,52
LU Luxembourg	627	0,15	58	0,10
MT Malta	24.797	5,94	299	0,51
NL Netherlands	21.222	5,09	886	1,51
PL Poland	2.210	0,53	18	0,03
PT Portugal	2.325	0,56	54	0,09
RO Romania	4.647	1,11	1.068	1,81
SK Slovakia	989	0,24	-	-
SI Slovenia	420	0,10	39	0,07
ES Spain	19.099	4,58	293	0,50
SE Sweden	17.900	4,29	667	1,13
GB United Kingdom	50.400	12,08	6.508	11,06
COUNTRIES AND TERRITORIES N/S	131	0,03	680	1,16
QV Countries and territories not specified	131	0,03	680	1,16
STORES AND PROVISIONS	-	-	18.595	31,60
QR Stores and provisions	-	-	18.595	31,60

Note: Dispatches to EU countries include also goods which were initially imported from third countries and placed under customs warehouses.

Table 1: Summary of trade with EU Countries, by month, 2007 and 2008 ¹ €000's

Period	Partner														
	AT	BE	BG	CZ	DE	DK	EE	ES	FI	FR	GB	GR	HU	IE	
	ARRIVALS														
2007	January	3.540	10.351	3.175	1.094	35.951	2.968	10	19.234	776	14.744	39.231	76.333	1.148	1.669
	February	3.110	11.637	6.235	1.135	44.374	2.623	53	14.752	752	20.956	50.961	75.577	1.774	2.170
	March	2.599	10.176	4.084	1.509	51.938	2.390	60	19.353	2.518	20.994	48.892	95.388	1.763	1.895
	April	2.628	11.249	1.011	1.181	54.445	10.388	48	18.468	1.090	22.882	51.547	86.402	5.440	1.439
	May	3.670	13.211	3.790	1.445	49.107	2.370	55	18.675	1.527	20.592	68.934	82.840	4.972	2.356
	June	2.932	12.433	4.396	1.785	48.567	3.082	44	15.562	1.876	25.369	51.786	112.710	4.521	2.633
	July	4.073	13.283	1.191	1.868	57.452	1.926	9	18.074	1.635	21.193	50.518	95.046	5.018	2.385
	August	3.045	11.106	2.944	1.208	46.768	2.819	21	19.382	1.637	37.948	49.956	75.870	3.824	2.619
	September	3.421	10.783	4.022	875	43.325	3.626	55	15.837	489	46.758	51.299	97.706	1.001	1.362
	October	3.398	14.774	6.101	1.611	54.351	2.507	68	19.505	5.632	48.950	50.841	110.099	3.036	998
	November	3.132	12.815	4.465	2.008	52.941	2.891	89	28.185	1.058	22.372	53.691	117.289	2.071	2.115
	December	3.284	9.659	3.564	4.735	49.570	2.817	77	16.966	3.679	34.596	48.753	85.545	7.125	2.399
2008	January	3.174	14.273	4.980	2.370	51.452	2.223	27	20.277	710	37.848	47.256	84.072	5.272	1.658
	February	3.488	11.082	6.276	871	40.599	2.413	32	19.340	1.609	22.701	48.351	75.735	1.636	1.356
	March	3.337	10.554	5.266	1.237	47.279	3.586	106	18.333	1.928	20.965	55.907	103.025	2.426	1.675
	April	3.295	13.895	4.611	1.008	49.940	2.782	54	21.968	3.557	19.441	46.332	115.488	1.935	2.992
	May	4.893	13.520	6.681	2.168	56.078	3.438	46	20.886	1.792	33.162	52.577	105.286	1.476	1.669
	June	2.958	14.115	5.857	1.518	45.718	2.448	42	35.397	2.211	20.064	55.264	111.317	1.571	3.045
	July	4.224	15.537	12.859	2.183	58.201	2.305	30	24.443	1.779	21.135	69.985	122.624	3.823	2.714
	August	2.102	12.162	9.773	604	44.054	2.332	-	25.725	1.433	19.432	45.735	83.122	3.111	3.305
	September	3.446	13.426	4.763	1.930	53.945	3.448	-	19.099	1.985	21.140	50.400	112.870	3.585	1.082

¹ Care should be taken when comparing data for May 2004 onwards with pre-May 2004 data due to methodological changes resulting from the accession of Cyprus to the EU.

Table 1: Summary of trade with EU Countries, by month, 2007 and 2008 - continued

€000's

Period	Partner													TOTAL	
	IT	LT	LU	LV	MT	NL	PL	PT	RO	SE	SI	SK	QV		
ARRIVALS															
2007	January	46,940	554	408	75	340	18,637	1,621	1,314	909	5,878	947	612	-	288,456
	February	53,556	301	120	34	282	18,470	2,182	2,425	212	3,474	166	704	68	318,101
	March	49,761	361	167	41	9,346	20,669	1,498	2,278	916	5,778	309	1,119	935	356,727
	April	66,451	460	301	91	651	23,181	1,688	2,064	912	4,998	299	1,059	12	370,411
	May	54,352	167	318	26	839	22,480	2,747	3,383	940	4,210	342	671	80	364,096
	June	61,908	318	379	19	3,947	19,820	2,069	2,390	743	4,893	101	337	829	385,452
	July	57,054	284	340	15	8,323	22,268	1,488	2,349	689	4,917	253	1,370	55	373,078
	August	56,461	67	280	5	3,265	19,994	2,985	2,110	4,600	4,260	419	224	80	353,903
	September	40,297	343	220	26	191	19,493	1,835	2,884	1,076	4,938	355	935	21	353,173
	October	52,341	152	566	10	4,799	25,378	2,929	2,443	1,710	5,618	482	1,290	155	419,747
	November	56,490	478	208	26	200	26,480	2,589	2,134	1,049	5,758	841	388	116	401,877
	December	46,387	234	215	32	3,337	18,412	1,633	2,619	296	6,368	361	1,167	460	354,287
2008	January	40,294	208	134	65	292	19,474	1,727	2,118	555	9,520	1,202	927	258	352,364
	February	73,701	61	305	54	2,323	24,162	1,587	2,996	1,011	3,265	320	985	256	346,516
	March	77,905	246	247	31	3,061	24,366	2,090	2,429	2,778	14,436	524	698	246	404,681
	April	67,778	228	471	11	3,955	22,788	2,510	3,097	966	15,335	666	583	107	405,792
	May	67,181	217	189	81	17,079	22,587	10,070	3,427	876	4,367	715	697	171	431,329
	June	56,345	348	220	113	12,538	22,884	2,164	4,275	694	4,160	524	829	1,355	407,974
	July	94,733	76	587	156	39,090	24,302	3,154	2,204	2,499	4,619	656	1,321	278	515,518
	August	62,669	46	165	93	14,014	36,775	4,980	2,502	4,031	15,225	596	405	3,715	398,105
	September	50,544	180	627	36	24,797	21,222	2,210	2,325	4,647	17,900	420	989	131	417,144

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Table 1: Summary of trade with EU Countries, by month, 2007 and 2008 - continued

€000's

Period	AT	BE	BG	CZ	DE	DK	Partner				FR	GB	GR	HU	IE
							EE	ES	FI	DISPATCHES					
2007															
January	444	689	311	610	5.397	166	104	87	292	993	11.953	50.759	114	1.512	
February	337	651	521	740	4.931	210	261	196	543	379	11.781	11.159	400	1.767	
March	460	736	615	738	5.239	367	101	152	323	571	16.127	15.574	195	1.808	
April	824	2.843	302	868	5.584	352	154	150	320	637	17.484	16.903	135	1.483	
May	456	5.995	308	537	7.520	314	159	333	56	559	14.033	19.926	130	1.963	
June	521	2.847	337	237	5.481	431	155	1.423	193	1.459	15.497	19.678	130	3.241	
July	106	183	641	817	6.648	437	222	598	53	619	10.096	13.633	101	914	
August	376	224	316	494	4.323	900	31	482	215	453	8.456	10.113	135	595	
September	420	236	403	118	5.799	403	73	166	24	687	10.199	12.557	2	832	
October	369	383	470	345	5.114	27	137	1.261	65	665	8.705	13.966	2	783	
November	208	429	803	1.430	5.544	371	68	899	41	413	14.221	17.151	420	287	
December	282	501	456	325	5.001	231	41	220	186	1.143	11.666	13.301	62	352	
2008															
January	526	1.187	378	947	9.722	284	95	370	576	921	13.918	17.998	310	1.288	
February	593	991	275	562	7.285	537	54	236	561	1.139	11.398	14.370	414	547	
March	401	1.031	1.241	388	3.755	340	69	2.561	346	1.603	11.283	19.740	6	640	
April	730	2.469	344	957	3.617	468	154	4.724	210	902	10.839	17.166	237	675	
May	380	5.218	577	435	3.176	430	63	3.920	115	1.021	14.060	19.488	29	1.053	
June	439	914	288	411	3.721	489	174	3.506	142	1.240	9.998	21.324	13	1.805	
July	365	293	294	1.631	4.527	198	67	3.629	354	865	10.288	18.051	5	501	
August	142	250	305	685	3.309	519	13	921	174	1.003	11.442	12.781	3	492	
September	355	313	303	492	7.383	168	64	293	32	576	6.508	17.427	58	473	

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SI Slovenia	420	0,10	39	0,07
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SE Sweden	17.900	4,29	667	1,13
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Table 3: Intra-EU trade classified by H.S Commodity Section, September 2008

€000's

H.S. Section		Arrivals (c.i.f.)	Dispatches (f.o.b.)
TOTAL		417.144	58.838
I	Live animals; animal products	7.742	2.480
II	Vegetable products	10.718	1.367
III	Animal or vegetable fats and oils and their cleavage products; prepared edible fats; animal or vegetable waxes	2.300	38
IV	Prepared foodstuffs; beverages, spirits and vinegar; tobacco and manufactured tobacco substitutes	34.969	1.386
V	Mineral products	76.827	19.237
VI	Products of the chemical or allied industries	36.564	5.510
VII	Plastics and articles thereof; rubber and articles thereof	13.176	567
VIII	Raw hides and skins, leather, furskins and articles thereof; saddlery and harness; travel goods; handbags and similar containers; articles of animal gut (other than silk-worm gut)	3.568	319
IX	Wood and articles of wood; wood charcoal; cork and articles of cork; manufactures of straw, of esparto or of other plaiting materials; basketware and wickerwork	6.496	23
X	Pulp of wood or of other fibrous cellulosic material; recovered (waste and scrap) paper or paperboard; paper and paperboard and articles thereof	11.405	749
XI	Textiles and textile articles	36.426	1.896
XII	Footwear, headgear, umbrellas, sun umbrellas, walking sticks, seat sticks, whips, riding crops and parts thereof; prepared feathers and articles made therewith; artificial flowers; articles of human hair	8.550	138
XIII	Articles of stone, plaster, cement, asbestos, mica or similar materials; ceramic products; glass and glassware	9.195	4
XIV	Natural or cultured pearls, precious or semi-precious stones, precious metals, metals clad with precious metal, and articles thereof; imitation jewellery; coins	2.369	3.267
XV	Base metal and articles of base metal	32.607	4.227
XVI	Machinery and mechanical appliances; electrical equipment; parts thereof; sound recorders and reproducers, television image and sound recorders and reproducers, and parts and accessories of such articles	52.929	9.391
XVII	Vehicles, aircraft, vessels and associated transport equipment	52.146	990
XVIII	Optical, photographic, cinematographic, measuring, checking, precision, medical or surgical instruments and apparatus; clocks and watches; musical instruments; parts and accessories thereof	7.550	5.998
XIX	Arms and ammunition; parts and accessories thereof	508	407
XX	Miscellaneous manufactured articles	10.946	783
XXI	Works of art, collectors' pieces and antiques	22	-
UNCLASSIFIED		131	60

APPENDIX

DEFINITIONS OF TERMS USED

Arrivals

"Arrivals" are analogous to imports.

Arrivals include:

- a) goods in free circulation which enter the statistical territory of Cyprus;
- b) goods which have been placed under the CUSTOMS procedure for inward processing or processing under CUSTOMS control (for processing, transformation or repair) in another Member State and which enter the statistical territory of Cyprus.
- c) Some goods movements are included in statistics based on specific conditions. In particular, aircraft and ships whose ownership has been transferred from a person established in another Member State to a person established in the Cyprus are included in the statistics of arrivals of Cyprus.

Dispatches

"Dispatches" are analogous to exports.

Dispatches include:

- a) goods in free circulation which leave the statistical territory of Cyprus bound for another Member State;
- b) goods which have been placed under the CUSTOMS procedure for inward processing or processing under CUSTOMS control (for processing, transformation or repair) in Cyprus and which are destined for another Member State.
- c) Some goods movements are included in statistics based on specific conditions. In particular, aircraft and ships whose ownership has been transferred from a person established in the Cyprus to a person established in another Member State are included in the statistics on dispatches of Cyprus.

Imports

Imports **under special trade system** include:

a) Goods, which enter the statistical territory of Cyprus from a non-member country and are:

- Placed under the CUSTOMS procedure for release into free circulation (goods intended to be consumed in Cyprus or dispatched to another Member State), either immediately or after a period in a CUSTOMS warehouse or
- Placed under the CUSTOMS procedure for inward processing or processing under CUSTOMS control (usually goods destined to be processed, transformed or repaired for subsequent re-export) either immediately or after a period in a CUSTOMS warehouse.

b) Some movements of goods are included in statistics based on specific conditions. In particular, aircraft and ships whose ownership has been transferred from a person established in a non-member country to a person established in Cyprus are included in import statistics of Cyprus.

Exports

Exports **under special trade system** include:

a) goods that leave the statistical territory of Cyprus bound for a non-member country, having gone through:

- The CUSTOMS export procedure (final export, export following inward processing, etc.); or
- The CUSTOMS outward-processing procedure (usually goods destined to be processed, transformed or repaired for subsequent re-import).

The Harmonized Commodity Description and Coding System (HS)

The Harmonised System is a legal instrument adopted by the Customs Co-operation Council (now the World Customs Organisation) in June 1983 and the International Convention on the Harmonised System (H.S. Convention) entered into force on the 1st January 1988.

According to the H.S. Convention, the HS "means the Nomenclature comprising the headings and the subheadings and their related numerical codes, the Section, Chapter and Subheadings notes and the General Rules for the interpretation of the Harmonised System". The H.S. is designed as a "multipurpose nomenclature", to be used for transportable goods. Both H.S. and C.N. are therefore concerned heavily with the nature or material of the product.

The shape of the H.S. and the C.N. classifications is illustrated in the following table:

<u>Nomenclature</u>	<u>Levels of breakdown</u>	<u>Code</u>	<u>Number</u>
H.S.	Section	One digit	21
	Chapter	Two digits	99
	Heading	Four digits	1221
	Sub-heading	Six digits	5051
C.N.	Sub-heading	Eight digits	9699

Country classification

The classification of countries is the country nomenclature (Geonomenclature) as set annually in the Official Journal of the European Communities. The full list of countries is given in an essentially geographical order in Table 4, Part A, Total trade statistics.

Partner country

For exports and dispatches, the trading partner is the country (or Member State) of final destination of the goods. The last country to which the goods are specifically directed on their outward movement from the State is regarded as their final destination. This is not necessarily the country in which the good will be unshipped or that in which they will be finally consumed.

For imports (extra-EU trade), the trading partner is the country of origin. In general, goods obtained entirely from a given country originate in that country. A product, in the production of which two or more countries were concerned, is considered as originating in the country in which the last transformation or substantial processing took place. Packing repacking, sorting and blending are not regarded as manufacturing processes.

For arrivals (intra-EU trade), the trading partner is the Member State of consignment of the goods.

Trade systems

There are broadly two approaches, closely linked with customs procedures, used for the measurement of international trade in goods: the general trade system and the special trade system.

General trade system

The general trade system is the wider concept and under it the recorded aggregates include all goods entering or leaving the economic territory of Cyprus with the exception of simple transit trade. In particular all goods which are received into customs warehouses are recorded as imports at that stage whether or not they subsequently go into free circulation in Cyprus. Similarly, outgoing goods from customs warehouses are included in the general trade aggregates at the time they leave Cyprus.

Special trade system

The special trade system is a narrower concept. Goods from a foreign country which are received into customs warehouse are not recorded in the special trade aggregates unless they subsequently go into free circulation in Cyprus (or are placed under the customs procedures for inward processing). Similarly, outgoing goods from customs warehouses are not recorded as exports.

Stores and provisions

Stores and provisions denote ships' and aircraft's stores and supplies.

- ships and aircraft's stores' means the various products for consumption by the crew and passengers of vessels or aircraft;
- ships and aircraft's supplies' means the products for the operation of the engines, machines and other equipment on vessels or aircraft, such as fuel, oil and lubricants.

Domestic and foreign goods

Domestic goods are goods originating in the economic territory of Cyprus; if they have been wholly obtained in it or were substantially transformed by processing in it, so that the processing confers domestic origin. Goods originally imported and having undergone only repair or minor operations which leave them essentially unchanged are not defined as domestic. Minor operations include blending, packaging, bottling, cleaning, sorting, husking and selling.

Foreign goods are goods originating in the rest of the world, i.e not included in the economic territory of Cyprus and compensating goods obtained under the outward processing procedure when such processing confers foreign origin.

Sources of additional information

Details at the level of H.S. and C.N. are available on a free basis on the web site: <http://www.mof.gov.cy/cystat>

Enquiries are welcome. More details on intra-EU and extra-EU statistics can also be obtained by phone, fax, post or personal visit to:

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Michalaki Karaoli str.,
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European Statistical Data

- European statistical data are available on the website of Eurostat (<http://epp.eurostat.ec.europa.eu>) free of charge to all users. Amongst other, the website offers access to statistical data contained in Eurostat's databases as well as to the publications of Eurostat in electronic format (pdf).
- Eurostat set up with all Member States a network of support centers. Their mission is to provide help and guidance to Internet users of European statistical data, thus to all users of Eurostat's website.
- The Statistical Service of Cyprus (CYSTAT) has set up the Centre of European Statistical Data Support (ESDS) which provides support for the following:
 - Information on availability of data/ publications
 - Verification of data
 - Methodological information
 - Technical support
- Users may contact the ESDS Centre via:
 - CYSTAT's website (<http://www.mof.gov.cy/cystat>) under the section Services / ESDS where they can fill out the predefined form
 - Email: eustatistics@cystat.mof.gov.cy
 - Telephone: +357-22304584
 - Fax: +357-22661313
- The service is available daily during the working hours of the Cyprus civil service.