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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 May 2023. 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 on the trade of goods with non-EU countries (extra-EU trade) are compiled mainly from the computerized systems of the customs authority for imports (“Theseas” system) and for exports. The statistics on the trade of goods with EU countries (intra-EU trade) are compiled mainly via the Intrastat system and the data collected via the VAT returns.

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INTRODUCTION

DEVELOPMENTS IN EXTERNAL TRADE FOR MAY 2023

Total imports (covering total imports from third countries and from EU Member States) in January - May 2023 amounted to €5.374,4 mn as compared to €4.470,8 mn in January - May 2022.

Total exports (covering total exports to third countries and to EU Member States) in January - May 2023 were €1.643,9 mn as compared to €1.561,8 mn in January - May 2022.

As a result, the trade deficit was €3.730,5 mn in January - May 2023 as compared to €2.909,0 mn in the corresponding period of 2022.

Total imports in January - May 2023 include the transfer of economic ownership of mobile transport equipment (vessels), with total value of €1.161,4 mn as compared to €481,3 mn in January - May 2022. Total exports in January - May 2023 include the transfer of economic ownership of mobile transport equipment (vessels), with total value of €506,0 mn as compared to €325,5 mn in January - May 2022.

Total imports

Imported goods were €987,9 mn in May 2023 and €1.165,7 mn in May 2022.

a. Total imports by HS section

For May 2023 section V ‘Mineral products’ leads the list with €214,2 mn followed by section XVI ‘Machinery and mechanical appliances, electrical equipment and parts’ with €159,6 mn, section XVII ‘Vehicles, aircraft, vessels and associated transport equipment’ with €115,5 mn, section VI ‘Products of the chemical or allied industries’ with €93,5 mn, section IV ‘Prepared foodstuffs, beverages, spirits and vinegar, tobacco and manufactured tobacco substitutes’ with €91,8 mn, section XV ‘Base metal and articles of base metal’ with €57,6 mn, section II ‘Vegetable products’ with €35,9 mn, section XI ‘Textiles and textile articles’ with €34,5 mn, section I ‘Live animals, animal products’ with €33,3 mn and section VII ‘Plastics and articles thereof; rubber and articles’ with €32,3 mn.

b. Total imports by economic destination

- Consumer goods valued at €300,3 mn or 30,4% in May 2023 and €277,1 mn or 23,8% in the respective month of 2022.
- Intermediate inputs valued at €247,3 mn or 25,0% in May 2023 as against €267,2 mn or 22,9% in May 2022. The manufacturing sector absorbed €150,3 mn in May 2023 as compared to €172,7 mn in May 2022. Raw materials for the construction sector were €52,6 mn in May 2023 and €47,3 mn May 2022.
- Transport equipment with their parts accounted for €174,6 mn in May 2023 as compared to €272,8 mn in May 2022. Ships, boats and floating structures valued at €33,5 mn in May 2023 as compared to €185,5 mn in May 2022. Passenger motor vehicles were €61,1 mn in May 2023 and €37,9 mn in May 2022.
- Fuels and lubricants, including crude petroleum oil, valued at €193,8 mn in May 2023 and €288,4 mn in the corresponding month of 2022.
- Capital goods valued at €71,6 mn in May 2023 and €58,8 mn in May 2022. Capital goods for the manufacturing sector accounted for €17,3 mn in May 2023 as against €9,5 mn in May 2022. Capital goods for the construction and mining sectors valued at €9,3 mn in May 2023 and €5,5 mn in May 2022. The transport, storage and communication sector valued at €11,7 mn in May 2023 and €10,1 mn in May 2022. Capital goods for agriculture accounted for €1,5 mn in May 2023 and for €1,8 mn in May 2022.

c. Total imports by area

- The European Union continued to be the main source of supply of goods to Cyprus in May 2023 with a share of €584,0 mn of total imports. The major suppliers within the Union were Greece with €201,5 mn, Germany with €68,2 mn, Italy with €67,3 mn, Sweden with €52,2 mn, Belgium with €43,4 mn, the Netherlands with €39,8 mn, Spain with €27,2 mn, France with €17,7 mn, Bulgaria with €11,3 mn and Romania with €7,7 mn.
- Imports from all other European countries totaled €64,8 mn in May 2023. The major suppliers were the United Kingdom with €35,0 mn, Ukraine with €10,1 mn and Switzerland with €9,8 mn.
- Imports from the rest of the world in May 2023 amounted to €339,1 mn. The major partner countries were China with €56,4 mn, Israel with €53,9 mn, Algeria with €34,1 mn, Japan with €33,2 mn, Azerbaijan with €25,3 mn, the United States with €22,3 mn, Egypt with €10,5 mn, India with €9,6 mn, Cuba with €5,9 mn, Viet Nam and the United Arab Emirates with €3,5 mn each.

d. Total imports destined for home use by economic destination

Imported goods destined for home use were €816,6 mn in May 2023 and €976,5 mn in May 2022.

- Consumer goods valued at €285,2 mn or 34,9% and €266,8 mn or 27,3% in May 2023 and May 2022, respectively.
- Intermediate inputs valued at €239,5 mn or 29,3% in May 2023 as against €261,1 mn or 26,7% in May 2022. The manufacturing sector absorbed €143,2 mn in May 2023 and €168,2 mn in May 2022.
- Transport equipment with their parts accounted for €167,9 mn in May 2023 as compared with €272,3 mn in May 2022. Ships, boats and floating structures valued at €33,4 mn in May 2023 as compared with €185,6 mn in May 2022. Passenger motor vehicles were €55,0 mn in May 2023 and €39,1 mn in May 2022.
- Fuels and lubricants, including crude petroleum oil, valued at €53,2 mn in May 2023 and €119,3 mn in the corresponding month of 2022.
- Capital goods valued at €70,4 mn in May 2023 and €55,6 mn in May 2022. Capital goods for the manufacturing sector accounted for €17,3 mn in May 2023 as against €8,6 mn in May 2022. Capital goods for the construction and mining sectors valued at €9,3 mn in May 2023 and €5,3 mn in May 2022. The transport, storage and communication sector absorbed €11,4 mn in May 2023 as against €9,6 mn in May 2022. Capital goods for agriculture accounted for €1,3 mn in May 2023 and for €1,8 mn in May 2022.

Total exports

Total exports, including stores and provisions, accounted for €374,5 mn in May 2023 as compared with €435,1 mn in May 2022.

a. Total exports, including stores and provisions, by HS section

For May 2023 section V ‘Mineral products’ leads the list with €157,4 mn followed by section XVII ‘Vehicles, aircraft, vessels and associated transport equipment’ with €57,3 mn, section VI ‘Products of the chemical or allied industries’ with €51,2 mn, section I ‘Live animals, animal products’ with €38,0 mn, section XVI ‘Machinery electrical equipment and parts’ with €14,0 mn, section IV ‘Prepared foodstuffs, beverages, spirits and vinegar, tobacco and manufactured tobacco substitutes’ with €13,0 mn, section II ‘Vegetable products’ with €9,8 mn, section XV ‘Base metal and articles of base metal’ with €8,1 mn, section XVIII ‘Optical, photographic, cinematographic, measuring, checking, precision, medical or surgical instruments, clocks and watches, musical instruments, parts and accessories thereof’ with €5,8 mn and section VII ‘Plastics and articles thereof; rubber and articles’ with €2,9 mn.

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

- Industrial products of domestic produce exported during May 2023 valued at €227,7 mn or 95,0% of the total, compared to €195,6 mn or 93,6% in May 2022.
- Exports of raw agricultural products valued at €11,5 mn or 4,8% in May 2023 and €13,0 mn or 6,2% in the corresponding month of 2022.
- Mineral exports valued at €0,5 mn or 0,2% in May 2023 and €0,4 mn or 0,2% in May 2022.

c. Total exports by area

- Exports to the European Union accounted for €100,5 mn in May 2023. Exports to Greece accounted for €29,8 mn, to Germany for €9,4 mn, to France for €5,0 mn, to Sweden for €4,7 mn, to Romania for €3,9 mn, to Poland for €3,4 mn, to Spain for €2,9 mn, to the Netherlands for €2,7 mn, to Italy for €2,6 mn and to Latvia and Denmark for €2,4 mn each.
- Exports to Near and Middle Eastern countries accounted for €96,0 mn, to north Africa for €51,3 mn, to other European countries for €48,2 mn, to other countries of Oceania and Polar regions for €27,5 mn and to other Asian countries for €14,7 mn for May 2023.
- Stores and provisions to ships and aircraft in May 2023 valued at €31,8 mn, exports to countries and territories not specified amounted to €4,9 mn and exports to high seas amounted to €2,4 mn.

PART A: TOTAL TRADE STATISTICS

Table 1: Foreign Trade of Cyprus, 2022 and January - May 2023

€000's

Period	Imports (c.i.f.)		Exports (f.o.b.)		Stores and provisions (f.o.b.)			Trade Balance	Ratio of exports to imports (%)
	Total	Domestic	Foreign	Total	Domestic	Foreign	Total		
2022									
January	751.169	101.307	121.092	222.399	780	21.330	22.111	-528.770	29,61
February	736.253	152.047	148.828	300.875	653	30.262	30.914	-435.378	40,87
March	978.975	157.025	167.352	324.377	301	30.703	31.004	-654.598	33,13
April	838.640	136.931	142.094	279.026	383	46.658	47.041	-559.614	33,27
May	1.165.742	209.432	225.684	435.116	448	53.063	53.511	-730.626	37,33
June	1.203.969	138.151	155.490	293.641	431	64.360	64.790	-910.328	24,39
July	1.034.171	173.878	251.393	425.272	389	55.406	55.795	-608.899	41,12
August	963.214	119.123	149.078	268.201	521	57.955	58.477	-695.013	27,84
September	869.426	107.206	180.538	287.744	639	54.434	55.073	-581.682	33,10
October	931.164	163.519	253.654	417.173	582	54.887	55.469	-513.991	44,80
November	1.008.768	97.455	247.731	345.186	415	35.946	36.361	-663.582	34,22
December	808.474	102.951	487.088	590.039	409	29.250	29.660	-218.435	72,98
2023									
January	1.721.728	140.075	175.479	315.554	218	26.791	27.009	-1.406.174	18,33
February	768.059	121.982	137.944	259.926	242	22.527	22.770	-508.133	33,84
March	1.004.390	163.352	211.631	374.982	346	22.343	22.689	-629.408	37,33
April	892.292	121.646	197.294	318.940	306	28.820	29.126	-573.352	35,74
May	987.949	240.383	134.126	374.509	618	31.148	31.766	-613.440	37,91

Notes:

1. Because of rounding there may be slight discrepancies between the totals shown and the sum of constituent items.
2. Data on exports include stores and provisions.
3. Total imports for the period January - May 2022 and 2023 include the transfer of economic ownership of mobile transport equipment (vessels), with total value of 481,3 mn Euro and 1.161,4 mn Euro respectively.
4. Total exports for the period January - May 2022 and 2023 include the transfer of economic ownership of mobile transport equipment (vessels), with total value of 325,5 mn Euro and 506,0 mn Euro respectively.
5. Total imports for the period January - May 2022 include the transfer of economic ownership of mobile transport equipment (aircrafts), with total value of 54,5 mn Euro.
6. Total exports for the period January - May 2022 include the transfer of economic ownership of mobile transport equipment (aircrafts), with total value of 38,6 mn Euro.
7. Data for March and April 2023 have been revised.

Table 2: Trade by area and by month, 2022 and 2023

Period	EUROPEAN UNION ¹	OTHER EUROPEAN COUNTRIES/TERITORIES	NORTH AFRICA	OTHER AFRICAN COUNTRIES	NORTH AMERICA	IMPORTS	
						CENTRAL AMERICA AND CARIBBEAN	SOUTH AMERICA
€000's							
2022							
January	503.601	47.636	3.383	1.837	5.505	2.570	11.606
February	456.800	65.034	6.928	29.811	8.675	873	2.496
March	595.852	53.848	14.100	31.819	6.802	1.891	5.628
April	535.429	87.879	11.038	1.299	5.113	4.022	2.461
May	680.480	130.761	6.538	2.801	6.359	5.391	5.731
June	578.944	84.583	10.677	2.532	5.971	9.718	16.409
July	604.105	154.438	4.318	3.260	19.829	7.504	16.993
August	618.037	91.960	6.981	2.798	7.753	4.250	3.612
September	546.046	78.458	10.345	1.217	7.322	7.674	9.576
October	583.863	86.604	9.605	2.502	9.283	5.060	4.329
November	596.057	85.049	12.240	2.326	19.397	3.965	2.194
December	511.556	47.325	9.539	2.046	8.321	2.611	12.037
2023							
January	515.400	998.377	8.168	1.700	13.509	4.713	6.760
February	532.733	56.521	12.291	1.800	11.664	2.461	3.396
March	625.612	74.375	18.007	18.797	10.975	5.624	15.017
April	550.090	68.116	8.666	3.605	6.835	2.168	10.599
May	583.786	64.802	47.729	2.763	23.431	6.655	5.041

1. Trade with the European Union excluding intra-EU countries and territories not specified.

Table 2: Trade by area and by month, 2022 and 2023 - continued

IMPORTS

Period	NEAR AND MIDDLE EASTERN COUNTRIES	OTHER ASIAN COUNTRIES	AUSTRALIA AND NEW ZEALAND	OTHER COUNTRIES OF OCEANIA AND POLAR REGIONS	COUNTRIES NOT SPECIFIED ²	TOTAL
€000's						
2022						
January	58.658	91.111	713	2	24.546	751.169
February	67.044	69.069	882	1.741	26.900	736.253
March	77.120	183.966	1.090	-	6.858	978.975
April	83.436	88.416	987	-	18.562	838.640
May	94.527	190.428	1.544	10.873	30.309	1.165.742
June	105.984	383.615	1.476	1	4.060	1.203.969
July	95.877	119.545	1.391	-	6.840	1.034.171
August	88.166	119.143	1.071	2	19.439	963.214
September	90.578	94.288	695	500	22.727	869.426
October	85.041	124.442	727	-	19.708	931.164
November	82.212	197.889	516	-	6.923	1.008.768
December	77.104	133.545	965	145	3.281	808.474
2023						
January	78.909	88.765	784	-	4.642	1.721.728
February	67.504	73.336	1.108	-	5.244	768.059
March	54.114	99.418	2.214	-	80.236	1.004.390
April	49.086	160.468	1.668	1.676	29.316	892.292
May	87.343	119.597	2.233	1	44.567	987.949

2. Countries and territories not specified refer to both intra and extra-EU trade.

Table 2: Trade by area and by month, 2022 and 2023 - continued

Period	EUROPEAN UNION ¹	OTHER EUROPEAN COUNTRIES/TERITORIES	NORTH AFRICA	OTHER AFRICAN COUNTRIES	NORTH AMERICA	EXPORTS						
						CENTRAL AMERICA AND CARIBBEAN	SOUTH AMERICA					
€000's												
2022												
January	63.583	22.532	6.518	8.727	6.719	4.493	460					
February	62.406	21.615	8.870	106.426	7.945	2.164	262					
March	91.504	62.943	5.300	10.640	12.966	1.719	380					
April	66.990	27.533	25.045	2.316	8.971	1.241	499					
May	100.210	60.597	9.151	34.674	13.465	2.799	254					
June	82.583	24.933	12.332	3.226	8.874	1.879	208					
July	79.035	27.893	19.847	92.806	10.819	1.837	499					
August	53.980	25.109	10.023	30.582	9.582	615	577					
September	98.170	18.481	27.640	14.632	6.574	11.495	357					
October	58.625	13.950	7.780	93.974	7.540	2.368	270					
November	59.340	52.617	10.609	6.337	6.095	9.152	348					
December	65.941	25.702	12.328	34.932	2.336	1.690	207					
2023												
January	56.682	21.760	10.468	66.753	4.006	602	399					
February	55.651	18.041	2.046	60.571	3.257	1.220	395					
March	71.353	72.763	55.751	44.329	5.730	1.256	548					
April	74.948	31.346	20.176	48.394	3.239	656	323					
May	86.749	48.153	51.336	2.939	4.794	485	1.111					

1. Trade with the European Union excluding intra-EU countries and territories not specified and intra-EU stores and provisions.

Table 2: Trade by area and by month, 2022 and 2023 - continued

Period	NEAR AND MIDDLE EASTERN COUNTRIES	OTHER ASIAN COUNTRIES	AUSTRALIA AND NEW ZEALAND	OTHER COUNTRIES OF OCEANIA AND POLAR REGIONS	COUNTRIES NOT SPECIFIED/STORES AND PROVISIONS/ HIGH SEAS ²	EXPORTS
						TOTAL
€000's						
2022						
January	33.108	11.844	1.490	37.508	25.419	222.399
February	37.995	15.702	1.191	137	36.162	300.875
March	72.658	16.463	1.617	13.217	34.970	324.377
April	62.704	11.681	1.252	19.812	50.982	279.026
May	77.661	61.741	1.594	13.492	59.478	435.116
June	53.433	31.846	1.150	185	72.989	293.641
July	87.564	11.733	1.333	29.882	62.026	425.272
August	61.646	9.742	2.331	10	64.004	268.201
September	15.105	25.500	1.847	6.678	61.265	287.744
October	154.077	13.588	1.913	26	63.061	417.173
November	18.760	113.238	2.137	21.600	44.954	345.186
December	25.740	359.316	1.954	22.619	37.276	590.039
2023						
January	16.544	13.330	1.743	92.528	30.741	315.554
February	21.228	48.545	2.231	18.668	28.074	259.926
March	25.775	30.258	2.662	39.018	25.479	374.982
April	36.439	40.643	2.075	24.397	36.305	318.940
May	95.970	14.692	1.721	27.458	39.101	374.509

2. Countries and territories not specified and stores and provisions refer to both intra and extra-EU trade.

Table 3: Trade by country, January - May 2023

Country	Imports (c.i.f.)		Exports (f.o.b.)	
	€000's	%	€000's	%
TOTAL	5.374.416	100,00	1.643.912	100,00
EUROPEAN UNION	2.807.622	52,24	345.382	21,01
AT Austria	25.670	0,48	6.388	0,39
BE Belgium	137.396	2,56	9.331	0,57
BG Bulgaria	51.249	0,95	8.141	0,50
HR Croatia	4.175	0,08	3.140	0,19
CY Cyprus	-	-	-	-
CZ Czechia	30.512	0,57	9.698	0,59
DK Denmark	21.092	0,39	6.561	0,40
EE Estonia	1.923	0,04	1.923	0,12
FI Finland	8.406	0,16	5.320	0,32
FR France	118.665	2,21	21.400	1,30
DE Germany	284.432	5,29	32.886	2,00
GR Greece	1.003.210	18,67	113.543	6,91
HU Hungary	16.523	0,31	1.230	0,07
IE Ireland	35.855	0,67	3.157	0,19
IT Italy	411.584	7,66	14.810	0,90
LV Latvia	1.870	0,03	4.659	0,28
LT Lithuania	5.412	0,10	5.030	0,31
LU Luxembourg	2.252	0,04	4	-
MT Malta	7.401	0,14	5.502	0,33
NL Netherlands	187.034	3,48	23.085	1,40
PL Poland	36.234	0,67	11.145	0,68
PT Portugal	11.399	0,21	3.235	0,20
RO Romania	64.058	1,19	16.379	1,00
SK Slovakia	13.163	0,24	5.653	0,34
SI Slovenia	6.313	0,12	5.542	0,34
ES Spain	239.777	4,46	8.187	0,50
SE Sweden	82.017	1,53	19.433	1,18
OTHER EUROPEAN COUNTRIES/TERRITORIES	1.262.192	23,49	192.062	11,68
AL Albania	605	0,01	2.034	0,12
AD Andorra	3	-	-	-
BY Belarus	42	-	8	-
BA Bosnia and Herzegovina	645	0,01	112	0,01
FO Faroe Islands	-	-	-	-
GI Gibraltar	11	-	1	-
VA Holy See	-	-	-	-
IS Iceland	28	-	513	0,03
XK Kosovo (under UNSCR 1244)	139	-	883	0,05
LI Liechtenstein	-	-	-	-
MD Moldova, Republic of	15.850	0,29	383	0,02
ME Montenegro	651	0,01	168	0,01
MK North Macedonia	440	0,01	635	0,04
NO Norway	14.441	0,27	53.011	3,22

Notes:

1. European Union total excludes intra-EU countries and territories not specified and intra-EU stores and provisions.
2. Countries and territories not specified refer to both intra and extra-EU trade.
3. Stores and provisions refer to both intra and extra-EU trade.
4. Kosovo, as defined by the United Nations Security Council Resolution 1244 of 10 June 1999.

Table 3: Trade by country, January - May 2023 - continued

Country	Imports (c.i.f.)		Exports (f.o.b.)	
	€000's	%	€000's	%
RU Russian Federation	8.377	0,16	19.536	1,19
SM San Marino	122	-	-	-
XS Serbia	15.878	0,30	1.943	0,12
CH Switzerland	38.105	0,71	7.064	0,43
TR Turkey	37.440	0,70	5.560	0,34
UA Ukraine	44.372	0,83	3.379	0,21
GB United Kingdom	1.085.041	20,19	96.833	5,89
NORTH AFRICA	94.860	1,77	139.776	8,50
DZ Algeria	44.634	0,83	618	0,04
XC Ceuta	-	-	2	-
EG Egypt	42.878	0,80	3.668	0,22
LY Libya	-	-	133.469	8,12
XL Melilla	-	-	-	-
MA Morocco	4.546	0,08	907	0,06
TN Tunisia	2.802	0,05	1.112	0,07
EH Western Sahara	-	-	-	-
OTHER AFRICAN COUNTRIES	28.665	0,53	222.987	13,56
AO Angola	-	-	83	0,01
BJ Benin	-	-	81	-
BW Botswana	-	-	672	0,04
IO British Indian Ocean Territory	-	-	-	-
BF Burkina Faso	-	-	-	-
BI Burundi	-	-	-	-
CV Cabo Verde	-	-	-	-
CM Cameroon	257	-	80	-
CF Central African Republic	52	-	85	0,01
TD Chad	-	-	28	-
KM Comoros	-	-	80	-
CG Congo	-	-	50	-
CD Congo, Democratic Republic of	-	-	947	0,06
CI Côte d'Ivoire	1.908	0,04	609	0,04
DJ Djibouti	-	-	403	0,02
GQ Equatorial Guinea	-	-	-	-
ER Eritrea	-	-	-	-
SZ Eswatini	-	-	-	-
ET Ethiopia	-	-	1.158	0,07
GA Gabon	159	-	18	-
GM Gambia	-	-	32	-
GH Ghana	49	-	280	0,02
GN Guinea	15	-	211	0,01
GW Guinea-Bissau	2	-	-	-
KE Kenya	1.438	0,03	521	0,03
LS Lesotho	-	-	-	-
LR Liberia	17.188	0,32	133.969	8,15
MG Madagascar	83	-	16	-
MW Malawi	-	-	6	-

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Country	Imports (c.i.f.)		Exports (f.o.b.)	
	€000's	%	€000's	%
ML Mali	-	-	32	-
MR Mauritania	188	-	7	-
MU Mauritius	679	0,01	239	0,01
MZ Mozambique	43	-	162	0,01
NA Namibia	966	0,02	669	0,04
NE Niger	-	-	686	0,04
NG Nigeria	645	0,01	76.970	4,68
RW Rwanda	-	-	45	-
SH Saint Helena, Ascension and Tristan da Cunha	-	-	-	-
ST Sao Tome and Principe	-	-	-	-
SN Senegal	975	0,02	82	-
SC Seychelles	96	-	145	0,01
SL Sierra Leone	-	-	28	-
SO Somalia	-	-	501	0,03
ZA South Africa	3.687	0,07	938	0,06
SS South Sudan	-	-	458	0,03
SD Sudan	-	-	605	0,04
TZ Tanzania, United Republic of	153	-	799	0,05
TG Togo	-	-	40	-
UG Uganda	77	-	819	0,05
ZM Zambia	-	-	47	-
ZW Zimbabwe	1	-	385	0,02
NORTH AMERICA	66.415	1,24	21.025	1,28
CA Canada	4.092	0,08	3.058	0,19
GL Greenland	200	-	-	-
PM St Pierre and Miquelon	-	-	-	-
US United States	62.123	1,16	17.968	1,09
CENTRAL AMERICA AND CARIBBEAN	21.621	0,40	4.219	0,26
AI Anguilla	-	-	-	-
AG Antigua and Barbuda	-	-	188	0,01
AW Aruba	-	-	40	-
BS Bahamas	-	-	8	-
BB Barbados	-	-	352	0,02
BZ Belize	-	-	433	0,03
BM Bermuda	-	-	4	-
BQ Bonaire, Sint Eustatius and Saba	-	-	-	-
KY Cayman Islands	-	-	-	-
CR Costa Rica	26	-	152	0,01
CU Cuba	16.137	0,30	-	-
CW Curacao	-	-	146	0,01
DM Dominica	23	-	228	0,01
DO Dominican Republic	305	0,01	47	-
SV El Salvador	-	-	105	0,01
GD Grenada	2	-	10	-
GT Guatemala	6	-	27	-
HT Haiti	-	-	38	-

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Country	Imports (c.i.f.)		Exports (f.o.b.)	
	€000's	%	€000's	%
HN Honduras	152	-	-	-
JM Jamaica	-	-	172	0,01
MX Mexico	3.483	0,06	1.341	0,08
MS Montserrat	-	-	-	-
NI Nicaragua	1.421	0,03	-	-
PA Panama	49	-	406	0,02
BL Saint Barthelemy	-	-	-	-
SX Sint Maarten (Dutch part)	-	-	92	0,01
KN St Kitts and Nevis	-	-	83	0,01
LC St Lucia	-	-	13	-
VC St Vincent and the Grenadines	-	-	25	-
TT Trinidad and Tobago	4	-	307	0,02
TC Turks and Caicos Islands	-	-	-	-
VG Virgin Islands, British	-	-	-	-
VI Virgin Islands, United States	12	-	-	-
SOUTH AMERICA	40.814	0,76	2.777	0,17
AR Argentina	29.988	0,56	203	0,01
BO Bolivia, Plurinational State of	-	-	11	-
BR Brazil	4.736	0,09	672	0,04
CL Chile	2.162	0,04	1.548	0,09
CO Colombia	50	-	48	-
EC Ecuador	2.052	0,04	107	0,01
FK Falkland Islands	-	-	-	-
GY Guyana	-	-	-	-
PY Paraguay	397	0,01	14	-
PE Peru	446	0,01	56	-
SR Suriname	4	-	-	-
UY Uruguay	957	0,02	86	0,01
VE Venezuela, Bolivarian Republic of	23	-	33	-
NEAR AND MIDDLE EASTERN COUNTRIES	336.956	6,27	195.956	11,92
AM Armenia	345	0,01	759	0,05
AZ Azerbaijan	31.283	0,58	95	0,01
BH Bahrain	324	0,01	2.125	0,13
GE Georgia	462	0,01	881	0,05
IR Iran, Islamic Republic of	522	0,01	6.014	0,37
IQ Iraq	1	-	3.752	0,23
IL Israel	242.891	4,52	33.660	2,05
JO Jordan	1.068	0,02	3.527	0,21
KW Kuwait	903	0,02	3.601	0,22
LB Lebanon	11.578	0,22	110.750	6,74
PS Occupied Palestinian Territory	14	-	38	-
OM Oman	1.416	0,03	3.596	0,22
QA Qatar	539	0,01	3.328	0,20
SA Saudi Arabia	25.956	0,48	10.646	0,65
SY Syrian Arab Republic	390	0,01	850	0,05
AE United Arab Emirates	19.265	0,36	11.587	0,70

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	€000's	%	€000's	%
YE Yemen	-	-	748	0,05
OTHER ASIAN COUNTRIES	541.583	10,08	147.467	8,97
AF Afghanistan	1	-	670	0,04
BD Bangladesh	3.882	0,07	706	0,04
BT Bhutan	-	-	45	-
BN Brunei Darussalam	-	-	45	-
KH Cambodia	949	0,02	282	0,02
CN China	239.516	4,46	13.097	0,80
HK Hong Kong	7.874	0,15	66.146	4,02
IN India	41.739	0,78	10.699	0,65
ID Indonesia	9.055	0,17	673	0,04
JP Japan	153.596	2,86	647	0,04
KZ Kazakhstan	375	0,01	1.905	0,12
KP Korea, Democratic People's Republic of	-	-	-	-
KR Korea, Republic of	25.636	0,48	4.207	0,26
KG Kyrgyzstan	1	-	6	-
LA Lao People's Democratic Republic	10	-	18	-
MO Macao	121	-	6	-
MY Malaysia	2.988	0,06	3.813	0,23
MV Maldives	-	-	339	0,02
MN Mongolia	1	-	289	0,02
MM Myanmar	288	0,01	495	0,03
NP Nepal	15	-	33	-
PK Pakistan	3.843	0,07	2.175	0,13
PH Philippines	3.151	0,06	580	0,04
SG Singapore	6.642	0,12	24.958	1,52
LK Sri Lanka	978	0,02	449	0,03
TW Taiwan	8.316	0,15	2.423	0,15
TJ Tajikistan	-	-	421	0,03
TH Thailand	11.757	0,22	6.387	0,39
TL Timor-Leste	-	-	30	-
TM Turkmenistan	-	-	-	-
UZ Uzbekistan	31	-	53	-
VN Viet Nam	20.817	0,39	5.871	0,36
AUSTRALIA AND NEW ZEALAND	8.007	0,15	10.432	0,63
AU Australia	3.251	0,06	9.455	0,58
CX Christmas Island	-	-	-	-
CC Cocos Islands(Keeling Islands)	-	-	-	-
CK Cook Islands	-	-	-	-
HM Heard Island and McDonald Islands	-	-	-	-
NZ New Zealand	4.756	0,09	977	0,06
NU Niue	-	-	-	-
NF Norfolk Island	-	-	-	-
TK Tokelau	-	-	-	-
OTHER COUNTRIES OF OCEANIA AND POLAR REGIONS	1.677	0,03	202.070	12,29

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	€000's	%	€000's	%
AS American Samoa	-	-	-	-
AQ Antarctica	-	-	-	-
BV Bouvet Island	-	-	-	-
FJ Fiji	-	-	64	-
PF French Polynesia	-	-	9	-
TF French Southern Territories	-	-	-	-
GU Guam	-	-	-	-
KI Kiribati	-	-	41	-
MH Marshall Islands	1.674	0,03	201.808	12,28
FM Micronesia, Federated States of	-	-	-	-
NR Nauru	-	-	-	-
NC New Caledonia	2	-	21	-
MP Northern Mariana Islands	-	-	-	-
PW Palau	-	-	-	-
PG Papua New Guinea	-	-	53	-
PN Pitcairn	-	-	-	-
WS Samoa	-	-	-	-
SB Solomon Islands	-	-	-	-
GS South Georgia and South Sandwich Islands	-	-	-	-
TO Tonga	-	-	12	-
TV Tuvalu	-	-	-	-
UM United States Minor Outlying Islands	1	-	-	-
VU Vanuatu	-	-	61	-
WF Wallis and Futuna	-	-	-	-
COUNTRIES AND TERRITORIES N/S	164.004	3,05	21.520	1,31
QU Countries and territories not specified	164.004	3,05	21.520	1,31
STORES AND PROVISIONS	-	-	133.360	8,11
QQ Stores and provisions	-	-	133.360	8,11
HIGH SEAS	1	-	4.880	0,30
QP High Seas	1	-	4.880	0,30

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Country	Imports (c.i.f.)				Exports (f.o.b.)				Trade Balance			
	May		January - May		May		January - May		May		January - May	
	2022	2023	2022	2023	2022	2023	2022	2023	2022	2023	2022	2023
TOTAL	1.165.742	987.949	4.470.779	5.374.416	435.116	374.509	1.561.793	1.643.912	-730.626	-613.439	-2.908.986	-3.730.504
EUROPEAN UNION	680.480	583.786	2.772.162	2.807.622	100.210	86.749	384.694	345.382	-580.270	-497.037	-2.387.468	-2.462.240
AT Austria	5.204	4.787	24.531	25.670	1.364	2.274	6.693	6.388	-3.840	-2.513	-17.838	-19.281
BE Belgium	20.824	43.368	101.773	137.396	2.568	2.339	8.000	9.331	-18.256	-41.028	-93.774	-128.064
BG Bulgaria	13.525	11.262	62.474	51.249	4.672	1.288	12.249	8.141	-8.853	-9.975	-50.225	-43.108
HR Croatia	349	1.171	28.550	4.175	694	994	2.385	3.140	346	-177	-26.165	-1.035
CY Cyprus	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
CZ Czechia	4.654	6.720	19.418	30.512	1.935	2.643	11.662	9.698	-2.719	-4.077	-7.756	-20.814
DK Denmark	3.372	4.266	17.849	21.092	1.558	2.354	5.677	6.561	-1.815	-1.912	-12.172	-14.530
EE Estonia	483	371	3.839	1.923	398	575	5.940	1.923	-85	204	2.100	-
FI Finland	1.732	3.156	6.333	8.406	1.089	1.444	4.243	5.320	-643	-1.712	-2.090	-3.086
FR France	19.152	17.746	67.956	118.665	5.426	5.029	18.718	21.400	-13.726	-12.716	-49.239	-97.265
DE Germany	52.790	68.213	255.158	284.432	7.937	9.428	50.954	32.886	-44.852	-58.785	-204.203	-251.547
GR Greece	231.973	201.465	1.034.933	1.003.210	32.999	29.774	129.988	113.543	-198.974	-171.691	-904.944	-889.667
HU Hungary	3.435	3.215	13.168	16.523	358	134	907	1.230	-3.077	-3.081	-12.261	-15.293
IE Ireland	24.124	7.484	88.186	35.855	801	619	2.883	3.157	-23.323	-6.865	-85.303	-32.698
IT Italy	155.989	67.305	495.727	411.584	2.731	2.638	26.945	14.810	-153.258	-64.666	-468.782	-396.773
LV Latvia	609	509	2.479	1.870	197	2.433	1.431	4.659	-412	1.924	-1.047	2.789
LT Lithuania	1.871	970	8.911	5.412	673	1.090	3.834	5.030	-1.199	121	-5.078	-382
LU Luxembourg	306	535	2.278	2.252	1	-	2	4	-305	-535	-2.276	-2.249
MT Malta	493	2.026	32.528	7.401	16.490	1.176	18.792	5.502	15.997	-849	-13.736	-1.899
NL Netherlands	38.308	39.757	168.900	187.034	3.362	2.672	12.582	23.085	-34.946	-37.084	-156.318	-163.949
PL Poland	8.500	7.326	32.857	36.234	2.830	3.362	9.042	11.145	-5.671	-3.964	-23.815	-25.090
PT Portugal	3.567	2.002	10.738	11.399	417	783	2.286	3.235	-3.150	-1.219	-8.452	-8.164
RO Romania	41.136	7.715	72.110	64.058	2.845	3.877	12.923	16.379	-38.291	-3.838	-59.188	-47.679
SK Slovakia	1.618	1.668	11.133	13.163	1.205	713	6.630	5.653	-413	-955	-4.503	-7.510

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Country	Imports (c.i.f.)				Exports (f.o.b.)				Trade Balance			
	May		January - May		May		January - May		May		January - May	
	2022	2023	2022	2023	2022	2023	2022	2023	2022	2023	2022	2023
SI Slovenia	2.789	1.424	11.666	6.313	1.163	1.460	4.225	5.542	-1.626	36	-7.441	-771
ES Spain	33.095	27.150	173.338	239.777	2.254	2.902	8.421	8.187	-30.841	-24.248	-164.917	-231.590
SE Sweden	10.581	52.178	25.326	82.017	4.243	4.746	17.281	19.433	-6.338	-47.432	-8.045	-62.584
OTHER EUROPEAN COUNTRIES/TERRITORIES	130.761	64.802	385.158	1.262.192	60.597	48.153	195.220	192.062	-70.164	-16.649	-189.938	-1.070.129
AL Albania	83	104	272	605	308	831	1.874	2.034	224	728	1.602	1.430
AD Andorra	2	1	15	3	-	-	-	-	-2	-1	-15	-3
BY Belarus	26	-	273	42	-	-	50	8	-26	-	-223	-34
BA Bosnia and Herzegovina	136	150	336	645	8	31	48	112	-128	-119	-288	-533
FO Faroe Islands	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
GI Gibraltar	-	-	3	11	31.285	-	32.448	1	31.285	-	32.445	-10
VA Holy See	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
IS Iceland	-	8	54	28	7	7	523	513	7	-	469	484
XK Kosovo (under UNSCR 1244)	2	21	86	139	73	221	694	883	71	201	609	744
LI Liechtenstein	4	-	45	-	-	-	-	-	-4	-	-45	-
MD Moldova, Republic of	5.139	753	21.119	15.850	106	88	431	383	-5.033	-666	-20.688	-15.468
ME Montenegro	-	-	16	651	20	57	125	168	20	57	110	-484
MK North Macedonia	145	62	839	440	235	356	543	635	90	295	-296	195
NO Norway	8.755	974	23.010	14.441	645	21.580	3.444	53.011	-8.110	20.607	-19.566	38.570
RU Russian Federation	71.544	1.562	130.474	8.377	461	327	35.267	19.536	-71.083	-1.236	-95.208	11.159
SM San Marino	7	36	141	122	-	-	-	-	-7	-36	-141	-122
XS Serbia	2.486	3.204	16.172	15.878	728	398	2.439	1.943	-1.758	-2.806	-13.733	-13.936
CH Switzerland	5.168	9.760	23.215	38.105	1.180	2.406	5.700	7.064	-3.988	-7.354	-17.514	-31.041
TR Turkey	2.248	3.069	41.082	37.440	13	1.197	1.290	5.560	-2.235	-1.873	-39.792	-31.880
UA Ukraine	2.477	10.148	7.086	44.372	-	1.167	3.584	3.379	-2.477	-8.982	-3.502	-40.993
GB United Kingdom	32.539	34.950	120.921	1.085.041	25.529	19.487	106.760	96.833	-7.010	-15.463	-14.161	-988.208

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	May		January - May		May		January - May		May		January - May	
	2022	2023	2022	2023	2022	2023	2022	2023	2022	2023	2022	2023
ER Eritrea	-	-	-	-	-	-	14	-	-	-	14	-
SZ Eswatini	-	-	2	-	22	-	22	-	22	-	20	-
ET Ethiopia	-	-	-	-	-	417	1.977	1.158	-	417	1.977	1.158
GA Gabon	32	127	98	159	-	-	24	18	-32	-127	-73	-141
GM Gambia	-	-	128	-	10	-	10	32	10	-	-118	31
GH Ghana	4	1	51	49	55	30	2.312	280	51	29	2.261	232
GN Guinea	-	-	-	15	33	10	384	211	33	10	384	196
GW Guinea-Bissau	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-2
KE Kenya	421	288	1.560	1.438	109	52	450	521	-312	-235	-1.110	-917
LS Lesotho	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
LR Liberia	-	-	55.447	17.188	31.795	-	45.050	133.969	31.795	-	-10.397	116.781
MG Madagascar	1	-	138	83	-	-	-	16	-1	-	-138	-68
MW Malawi	135	-	135	-	-	-	3	6	-135	-	-132	5
ML Mali	-	-	-	-	-	8	15	32	-	8	15	32
MR Mauritania	-	-	239	188	124	-	302	7	124	-	62	-181
MU Mauritius	-	51	21	679	103	64	307	239	103	13	286	-440
MZ Mozambique	-	-	-	43	84	-	121	162	84	-	121	119
NA Namibia	313	138	872	966	10	390	33	669	-303	252	-840	-298
NE Niger	-	-	1	-	-	215	186	686	-	215	185	686
NG Nigeria	56	283	172	645	10	129	428	76.970	-46	-154	256	76.324
RW Rwanda	-	-	-	-	-	-	25	45	-	-	25	45
SH Saint Helena, Ascension and Tristan da C	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-1	-
ST Sao Tome and Principe	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
SN Senegal	292	346	1.361	975	14	31	45	82	-278	-315	-1.317	-893
SC Seychelles	-	-	261	96	48	50	61.093	145	48	50	60.832	49
SL Sierra Leone	-	-	1	-	257	19	271	28	257	18	270	28
SO Somalia	-	-	-	-	198	103	486	501	198	103	486	501

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		May		January - May		May		January - May		May		January - May	
		2022	2023	2022	2023	2022	2023	2022	2023	2022	2023	2022	2023
ZA	South Africa	1.407	1.291	4.422	3.687	60	281	903	938	-1.347	-1.011	-3.519	-2.750
SS	South Sudan	-	-	-	-	284	62	534	458	284	62	534	458
SD	Sudan	-	-	223	-	217	-	521	605	217	-	298	605
TZ	Tanzania, United Republic of	83	85	229	153	707	13	1.355	799	624	-72	1.126	646
TG	Togo	-	-	-	-	2	4	41.786	40	2	4	41.786	40
UG	Uganda	-	-	-	77	40	47	801	819	40	47	801	742
ZM	Zambia	-	-	-	-	45	10	476	47	45	10	476	47
ZW	Zimbabwe	-	-	-	1	202	165	635	385	202	165	635	384
NORTH AMERICA		6.359	23.431	32.454	66.415	13.465	4.794	50.065	21.025	7.106	-18.638	17.611	-45.390
CA	Canada	427	1.151	2.476	4.092	319	498	1.868	3.058	-108	-653	-608	-1.035
GL	Greenland	-	-	-	200	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-200
PM	St Pierre and Miquelon	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
US	United States	5.932	22.280	29.979	62.123	13.146	4.296	48.197	17.968	7.214	-17.985	18.219	-44.155
CENTRAL AMERICA AND CARIBBEAN		5.391	6.655	14.747	21.621	2.799	485	12.415	4.219	-2.591	-6.169	-2.331	-17.402
AI	Anguilla	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
AG	Antigua and Barbuda	-	-	-	-	34	26	224	188	34	26	224	188
AW	Aruba	-	-	-	-	4	14	60	40	4	14	60	40
BS	Bahamas	-	-	-	-	-	8	7	8	-	8	7	8
BB	Barbados	-	-	-	-	90	12	213	352	90	12	213	352
BZ	Belize	-	-	23	-	-	-	-	433	-	-	-23	433
BM	Bermuda	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	4	-	1	-	4
BQ	Bonaire, Sint Eustatius and Saba	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
KY	Cayman Islands	-	-	1	-	-	-	996	-	-	-	995	-
CR	Costa Rica	2	1	13	26	1	-	5	152	-1	-1	-8	126
CU	Cuba	4.277	5.925	11.271	16.137	-	-	1	-	-4.277	-5.925	-11.270	-16.137

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Country	Imports (c.i.f.)				Exports (f.o.b.)				Trade Balance			
	May		January - May		May		January - May		May		January - May	
	2022	2023	2022	2023	2022	2023	2022	2023	2022	2023	2022	2023
CW Curacao	-	-	-	-	40	45	164	146	40	45	164	146
DM Dominica	-	18	-	23	-	15	45	228	-	-3	45	204
DO Dominican Republic	107	51	266	305	-	-	30	47	-107	-51	-236	-258
SV El Salvador	2	-	3	-	-	-	-	105	-2	-	-3	105
GD Grenada	-	2	-	2	-	-	10	10	-	-2	10	8
GT Guatemala	1	-	2	6	2	27	4	27	1	27	3	22
HT Haiti	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	38	-	-	-2	38
HN Honduras	-	9	30	152	-	-	6	-	-	-9	-24	-152
JM Jamaica	-	-	24	-	12	-	75	172	12	-	51	172
MX Mexico	784	477	2,627	3,483	2,531	61	7,015	1,341	1,746	-417	4,388	-2,142
MS Montserrat	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
NI Nicaragua	119	170	374	1,421	-	-	1	-	-118	-170	-373	-1,421
PA Panama	100	-	101	49	52	224	3,308	406	-48	224	3,207	357
BL Saint Barthelemy	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
SX Sint Maarten (Dutch part)	-	-	-	-	21	20	90	92	21	20	90	92
KN St Kitts and Nevis	-	-	-	-	-	32	49	83	-	32	49	83
LC St Lucia	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	13	-	-	-	13
VC St Vincent and the Grenadines	-	-	-	-	12	-	56	25	12	-	56	25
TT Trinidad and Tobago	-	-	8	4	2	-	48	307	2	-	40	303
TC Turks and Caicos Islands	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
VG Virgin Islands, British	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	-	-	-	5	-
VI Virgin Islands, United States	-	-	-	12	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-12
SOUTH AMERICA	5.731	5.041	27,923	40,814	254	1,111	1,855	2,777	-5,477	-3,930	-26,068	-38,037
AR Argentina	199	2,277	15,599	29,988	19	-	100	203	-181	-2,277	-15,500	-29,785
BO Bolivia, Plurinational State of	-	-	-	-	1	1	3	11	1	1	3	11
BR Brazil	4,201	1,019	7,308	4,736	183	294	637	672	-4,019	-726	-6,671	-4,064
CL Chile	385	497	1,983	2,162	22	749	744	1,548	-363	252	-1,239	-614

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Country	Imports (c.i.f.)				Exports (f.o.b.)				Trade Balance				
	May		January - May		May		January - May		May		January - May		
	2022	2023	2022	2023	2022	2023	2022	2023	2022	2023	2022	2023	
CO	Colombia	107	11	148	50	3	30	18	48	-103	20	-130	-2
EC	Ecuador	477	905	1.698	2.052	1	32	115	107	-476	-873	-1.583	-1.945
FK	Falkland Islands	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
GY	Guyana	-	-	-	-	-	-	22	-	-	-	22	-
PY	Paraguay	96	118	165	397	-	-	15	14	-96	-118	-150	-383
PE	Peru	114	190	532	446	-	1	34	56	-114	-190	-497	-390
SR	Suriname	-	-	-	4	-	-	13	-	-	-	13	-4
UY	Uruguay	152	3	473	957	25	4	154	86	-126	1	-320	-871
VE	Venezuela, Bolivarian Republic of	-	22	17	23	-	-	-	33	-	-22	-17	10
NEAR AND MIDDLE EASTERN COUNTRIES		94.527	87.343	380.785	336.956	77.661	95.970	284.126	195.956	-16.866	8.626	-96.659	-141.000
AM	Armenia	115	66	136	345	113	184	258	759	-1	118	122	414
AZ	Azerbaijan	-	25.345	11.545	31.283	4	34	343	95	4	-25.311	-11.202	-31.188
BH	Bahrain	133	37	263	324	458	278	1.843	2.125	325	241	1.580	1.801
GE	Georgia	30	34	131	462	74	110	265	881	45	76	134	419
IR	Iran, Islamic Republic of	61	153	203	522	2.818	310	4.530	6.014	2.757	157	4.327	5.492
IQ	Iraq	-	-	1	1	745	682	4.434	3.752	745	682	4.433	3.752
IL	Israel	82.565	53.931	305.536	242.891	6.978	5.194	45.533	33.660	-75.587	-48.737	-260.003	-209.231
JO	Jordan	38	225	512	1.068	751	931	4.431	3.527	713	706	3.918	2.459
KW	Kuwait	10	250	644	903	499	1.221	1.742	3.601	489	971	1.097	2.697
LB	Lebanon	2.311	2.542	11.549	11.578	23.418	80.301	136.224	110.750	21.107	77.759	124.675	99.172
PS	Occupied Palestinian Territory	-	-	13	14	-	-	22	38	-	-	9	24
OM	Oman	68	315	157	1.416	519	503	2.762	3.596	451	188	2.606	2.180
QA	Qatar	44	1	301	539	646	604	2.672	3.328	602	603	2.372	2.789
SA	Saudi Arabia	1.159	782	5.779	25.956	2.240	2.316	10.165	10.646	1.081	1.534	4.386	-15.310
SY	Syrian Arab Republic	71	173	333	390	186	13	917	850	115	-160	584	460
AE	United Arab Emirates	7.921	3.490	43.683	19.265	1.603	3.005	31.226	11.587	-6.318	-485	-12.456	-7.678

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Country	Imports (c.i.f.)				Exports (f.o.b.)				Trade Balance			
	May		January - May		May		January - May		May		January - May	
	2022	2023	2022	2023	2022	2023	2022	2023	2022	2023	2022	2023
YE Yemen	-	-	-	-	36.608	283	36.759	748	36.608	283	36.759	748
OTHER ASIAN COUNTRIES	190.428	119.597	622.990	541.583	61.741	14.692	117.431	147.467	-128.687	-104.904	-505.559	-394.116
AF Afghanistan	-	-	1	1	122	-	240	670	122	-	239	669
BD Bangladesh	1.901	1.160	7.533	3.882	378	21	1.374	706	-1.524	-1.139	-6.159	-3.176
BT Bhutan	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	45	-	-	-	45
BN Brunei Darussalam	-	-	-	-	11	13	44	45	11	13	44	45
KH Cambodia	216	95	1.053	949	102	32	335	282	-114	-64	-718	-667
CN China	57.516	56.369	241.858	239.516	2.301	3.436	10.920	13.097	-55.214	-52.932	-230.939	-226.419
HK Hong Kong	3.027	1.815	12.637	7.874	1.574	1.595	5.721	66.146	-1.454	-220	-6.916	58.272
IN India	7.681	9.564	38.385	41.739	3.811	1.844	20.168	10.699	-3.870	-7.720	-18.216	-31.041
ID Indonesia	1.514	2.537	6.789	9.055	207	378	879	673	-1.307	-2.159	-5.910	-8.382
JP Japan	10.541	33.190	47.073	153.596	87	174	562	647	-10.455	-33.016	-46.511	-152.949
KZ Kazakhstan	13	124	4.896	375	106	1.141	535	1.905	93	1.017	-4.361	1.530
KP Korea, Democratic People's Republic of	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
KR Korea, Republic of	80.060	2.948	169.914	25.636	674	788	3.532	4.207	-79.386	-2.161	-166.381	-21.429
KG Kyrgyzstan	-	-	31	1	-	1	1	6	-	1	-30	5
LA Lao People's Democratic Republic	2	1	6	10	-	15	-	18	-2	14	-6	9
MO Macao	1	53	8	121	13	-	35	6	12	-53	27	-116
MY Malaysia	1.139	583	9.610	2.988	657	136	1.991	3.813	-482	-447	-7.619	825
MV Maldives	-	-	51	-	45	114	358	339	45	114	306	339
MN Mongolia	218	-	219	1	44	90	124	289	-174	90	-96	287
MM Myanmar	41	30	181	288	82	254	330	495	41	224	149	207
NP Nepal	4	3	7	15	6	-	59	33	2	-3	52	18
PK Pakistan	1.079	1.182	3.425	3.843	491	353	2.930	2.175	-587	-829	-494	-1.668
PH Philippines	362	680	1.482	3.151	206	181	1.013	580	-155	-499	-469	-2.570
SG Singapore	12.491	712	25.200	6.642	48.366	1.035	52.009	24.958	35.875	323	26.809	18.317
LK Sri Lanka	327	149	1.439	978	35	117	530	449	-292	-32	-909	-530

Table 4: Trade by country, January - May 2023 and 2022 - continued

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Country		Imports (c.i.f.)				Exports (f.o.b.)				Trade Balance			
		May		January - May		May		January - May		May		January - May	
		2022	2023	2022	2023	2022	2023	2022	2023	2022	2023	2022	2023
KI	Kiribati	-	-	-	-	-	-	10	41	-	-	10	41
MH	Marshall Islands	10.872	-	12.612	1.674	13.471	27.435	83.881	201.808	2.600	27.435	71.269	200.134
FM	Micronesia, Federated States of	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
NR	Nauru	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
NC	New Caledonia	-	1	-	2	-	-	30	21	-	-	30	19
MP	Northern Mariana Islands	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
PW	Palau	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
PG	Papua New Guinea	-	-	-	-	-	2	62	53	-	2	62	53
PN	Pitcairn	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
WS	Samoa	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
SB	Solomon Islands	-	-	-	-	-	-	92	-	-	-	92	-
GS	South Georgia and South Sandwich Island	2	-	4	-	-	-	-	-	-2	-	-4	-
TO	Tonga	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12	-	-	-	12
TV	Tuvalu	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
UM	United States Minor Outlying Islands	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-1
VU	Vanuatu	-	-	-	-	10	-	39	61	10	-	39	61
WF	Wallis and Futuna	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
COUNTRIES AND TERRITORIES N/S		30.309	44.566	107.174	164.004	3.641	4.940	16.513	21.520	-26.668	-39.626	-90.661	-142.483
QU	Countries and territories not specified	30.309	44.566	107.174	164.004	3.641	4.940	16.513	21.520	-26.668	-39.626	-90.661	-142.483
STORES AND PROVISIONS		-	-	-	-	53.511	31.766	184.581	133.360	53.511	31.766	184.581	133.360
QQ	Stores and provisions	-	-	-	-	53.511	31.766	184.581	133.360	53.511	31.766	184.581	133.360
HIGH SEAS		-	1	-	1	2.326	2.395	5.917	4.880	2.326	2.394	5.917	4.879
QP	High Seas	-	1	-	1	2.326	2.395	5.917	4.880	2.326	2.394	5.917	4.879

Note: Countries and territories not specified and stores and provisions refer to both intra and extra-EU trade.

Table 5: Trade classified by HS Commodity Section, January - May 2023 and 2022

€000's

HS Section	Imports (c.i.f.)				Exports (f.o.b.)			
	May		January - May		May		January - May	
	2022	2023	2022	2023	2022	2023	2022	2023
TOTAL	1.165.742	987.949	4.470.779	5.374.416	435.116	374.509	1.561.793	1.643.912
I Live animals; animal products	31.164	33.280	115.772	147.180	39.151	37.956	159.810	166.067
II Vegetable products	33.195	35.898	156.578	163.158	10.288	9.785	39.059	38.578
III Animal or vegetable fats and oils and their cleavage products; prepared edible fats; animal or vegetable waxes	5.037	3.888	18.060	18.231	965	478	4.190	4.298
IV Prepared foodstuffs; beverages, spirits and vinegar; tobacco and manufactured tobacco substitutes	91.666	91.763	358.321	416.843	9.832	13.048	45.785	54.613
V Mineral products	315.046	214.204	1.081.729	914.513	142.498	157.350	425.772	407.755
VI Products of the chemical or allied industries	90.840	93.456	427.501	437.475	52.026	51.160	231.704	233.324
VII Plastics and articles thereof; rubber and articles thereof	37.321	32.261	156.185	143.554	3.087	2.912	14.164	13.168
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)	2.406	3.373	12.847	15.179	651	924	2.582	4.349
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	10.513	8.880	42.128	39.380	83	69	399	516
X Pulp of wood or of other fibrous cellulosic material; recovered (waste and scrap) paper or paperboard; paper and paperboard and articles thereof	16.404	13.767	64.436	61.411	1.306	1.244	5.580	4.749
XI Textiles and textile articles	34.611	34.530	147.215	163.552	1.595	2.191	7.560	10.158

Note: The General trade system is applied.

Table 5: Trade classified by HS Commodity Section, January - May 2023 and 2022 - continued

€000's

HS Section	Imports (c.i.f.)				Exports (f.o.b.)				
	May		January - May		May		January - May		
	2022	2023	2022	2023	2022	2023	2022	2023	
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	9.399	8.554	41.459	52.068	919	680	3.375	5.114
XIII	Articles of stone, plaster, cement, asbestos, mica or similar materials; ceramic products; glass and glassware	19.213	17.729	78.944	81.061	85	161	525	726
XIV	Natural or cultured pearls, precious or semi-precious stones, precious metals, metals clad with precious metal, and articles thereof; imitation jewellery;coins	6.309	6.877	27.761	27.804	3.779	2.135	16.233	8.130
XV	Base metal and articles of base metal	49.853	57.627	230.852	247.042	12.165	8.055	49.015	40.935
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	107.905	159.621	480.745	559.350	29.350	14.014	121.419	63.948
XVII	Vehicles, aircraft, vessels and associated transport equipment	257.666	115.529	788.057	1,574.842	113.868	57.315	378.725	522.457
XVIII	Optical, photographic, cinematographic, measuring, checking, precision, medical or surgical instruments and apparatus; clocks and watches; musical instruments; parts and accessories thereof	16.834	21.260	83.388	97.277	5.350	5.835	22.393	26.012
XIX	Arms and ammunition; parts and accessories thereof	578	1.931	2.892	4.223	485	865	2.539	2.655
XX	Miscellaneous manufactured articles	28.269	32.036	121.939	132.299	2.110	2.819	8.735	11.568
XXI	Works of art, collectors' pieces and antiques	66	1.239	2.398	3.131	18	24	107	57
UNCLASSIFIED		1.448	246	31.571	74.845	5.504	5.486	22.123	24.735

Note: The General trade system is applied.

Table 6: Imports by Economic Destination, January - May 2023 and 2022

Economic Destination	2023				2022			
	May		January - May		May		January - May	
	€000's	%	€000's	%	€000's	%	€000's	%
GRAND TOTAL								
CONSUMER GOODS	300.321	30,40	1.339.141	24,92	277.149	23,77	1.182.800	26,46
- Non-durable	203.556	20,60	909.104	16,92	186.031	15,96	784.205	17,54
(i) Food and beverages	119.202	12,07	512.163	9,53	110.857	9,51	429.573	9,61
(ii) Other (incl. tobacco)	84.354	8,54	396.942	7,39	75.174	6,45	354.632	7,93
- Semi-durable	48.221	4,88	218.693	4,07	47.495	4,07	199.455	4,46
- Durable	48.543	4,91	211.343	3,93	43.623	3,74	199.141	4,45
INTERMEDIATE INPUTS	247.347	25,04	1.112.982	20,71	267.157	22,92	1.188.038	26,57
- Agriculture	11.959	1,21	65.745	1,22	15.917	1,37	64.386	1,44
- Construction and mining	52.638	5,33	212.886	3,96	47.298	4,06	203.817	4,56
- Manufacturing	150.288	15,21	693.378	12,90	172.717	14,82	785.440	17,57
- Transport, storage and communication	7.643	0,77	35.674	0,66	7.869	0,68	33.352	0,75
- Other	24.820	2,51	105.300	1,96	23.356	2,00	101.042	2,26
CAPITAL GOODS	71.599	7,25	316.316	5,89	58.793	5,04	268.089	6,00
- Agriculture	1.477	0,15	7.368	0,14	1.777	0,15	9.234	0,21
- Construction and mining	9.331	0,94	38.314	0,71	5.466	0,47	31.674	0,71
- Manufacturing	17.320	1,75	64.848	1,21	9.544	0,82	45.050	1,01
- Transport, storage and communication	11.711	1,19	49.696	0,92	10.146	0,87	44.030	0,98
- Other	31.760	3,21	156.090	2,90	31.859	2,73	138.101	3,09
TRANSPORT EQUIPMENT AND PARTS THEREOF	174.617	17,67	1.682.558	31,31	272.841	23,40	850.978	19,03
- Passenger motor vehicles	61.147	6,19	303.748	5,65	37.856	3,25	178.078	3,98
- Motor vehicles for the transport of goods	5.687	0,58	30.754	0,57	3.944	0,34	19.524	0,44
- Ships, boats and floating structures	33.474	3,39	1.163.771	21,65	185.541	15,92	487.438	10,90
- Public-service type passenger motor vehicles	2.278	0,23	20.417	0,38	65	0,01	687	0,02
- Aircraft, helicopters, balloons and airships	9	-	696	0,01	17.249	1,48	57.330	1,28
- Motorcycles and bicycles	1.985	0,20	5.899	0,11	1.993	0,17	5.088	0,11
- Other transport equipment	2.244	0,23	10.219	0,19	2.140	0,18	7.223	0,16
- Parts for transport equipment	67.794	6,86	147.054	2,74	24.052	2,06	95.610	2,14
FUELS AND LUBRICANTS	193.775	19,61	848.536	15,79	288.389	24,74	949.251	21,23
UNCLASSIFIED	291	0,03	74.883	1,39	1.414	0,12	31.623	0,71

Table 7: Imports destined for home use by Economic Destination, January - May 2023 and 2022

Economic Destination	2023				2022			
	May		January - May		May		January - May	
	€000's	%	€000's	%	€000's	%	€000's	%
GRAND TOTAL	816.559	100,00	4.860.859	100,00	976.489	100,00	3.964.477	100,00
CONSUMER GOODS	285.242	34,93	1.280.604	26,35	266.819	27,32	1.145.894	28,90
- Non-durable	194.109	23,77	875.247	18,01	179.403	18,37	763.850	19,27
(i) Food and beverages	118.281	14,49	508.561	10,46	109.707	11,23	427.204	10,78
(ii) Other (incl. tobacco)	75.828	9,29	366.686	7,54	69.696	7,14	336.646	8,49
- Semi-durable	46.189	5,66	208.598	4,29	46.498	4,76	194.624	4,91
- Durable	44.944	5,50	196.759	4,05	40.919	4,19	187.421	4,73
INTERMEDIATE INPUTS	239.482	29,33	1.078.483	22,19	261.102	26,74	1.153.665	29,10
- Agriculture	11.799	1,45	65.060	1,34	15.829	1,62	63.894	1,61
- Construction and mining	52.136	6,38	210.792	4,34	46.525	4,76	197.776	4,99
- Manufacturing	143.247	17,54	665.039	13,68	168.202	17,23	759.923	19,17
- Transport, storage and communication	7.667	0,94	33.099	0,68	7.624	0,78	32.805	0,83
- Other	24.633	3,02	104.491	2,15	22.922	2,35	99.268	2,50
CAPITAL GOODS	70.434	8,63	308.236	6,34	55.553	5,69	260.305	6,57
- Agriculture	1.318	0,16	7.221	0,15	1.777	0,18	8.810	0,22
- Construction and mining	9.274	1,14	37.794	0,78	5.309	0,54	30.960	0,78
- Manufacturing	17.282	2,12	63.286	1,30	8.649	0,89	43.339	1,09
- Transport, storage and communication	11.368	1,39	48.098	0,99	9.576	0,98	42.555	1,07
- Other	31.192	3,82	151.836	3,12	30.241	3,10	134.641	3,40
TRANSPORT EQUIPMENT AND PARTS THEREOF	167.893	20,56	1.658.251	34,11	272.315	27,89	840.667	21,20
- Passenger motor vehicles	55.017	6,74	282.018	5,80	39.132	4,01	174.256	4,40
- Motor vehicles for the transport of goods	5.589	0,68	30.114	0,62	3.874	0,40	17.965	0,45
- Ships, boats and floating structures	33.416	4,09	1.163.708	23,94	185.597	19,01	487.125	12,29
- Public-service type passenger motor vehicles	2.278	0,28	20.417	0,42	65	0,01	684	0,02
- Aircraft, helicopters, balloons and airships	9	-	696	0,01	17.249	1,77	57.330	1,45
- Motorcycles and bicycles	1.975	0,24	5.861	0,12	1.940	0,20	5.002	0,13
- Other transport equipment	2.181	0,27	9.752	0,20	1.454	0,15	5.752	0,15
- Parts for transport equipment	67.428	8,26	145.685	3,00	23.004	2,36	92.552	2,33
FUELS AND LUBRICANTS	53.213	6,52	460.639	9,48	119.286	12,22	532.424	13,43
UNCLASSIFIED	294	0,04	74.646	1,54	1.414	0,14	31.522	0,80

Note 1: Imports destined for home use correspond to imports for home consumption

Table 8: Exports of domestically produced goods, excluding stores and provisions, by Broad Economic Sector, January - May 2023 and 2022

Economic Sector	2023				2022			
	May		January - May		May		January - May	
	€000's	%	€000's	%	€000's	%	€000's	%
GRAND TOTAL	239.765	100,00	785.708	100,00	208.984	100,00	754.178	100,00
AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS (RAW)	11.520	4,80	46.331	5,90	13.004	6,22	50.814	6,74
Live trees, bulbs, cut flowers	-	-	-	-	-	-	394	0,05
Potatoes	7.892	3,29	25.333	3,22	8.406	4,02	25.318	3,36
Other vegetables fresh, frozen or dried	37	0,02	368	0,05	22	0,01	488	0,06
Citrus fruit	1.447	0,60	9.340	1,19	1.111	0,53	7.433	0,99
Fish (Live, fresh, chilled or frozen)	1.668	0,70	10.290	1,31	3.150	1,51	13.063	1,73
Live animals	475	0,20	809	0,10	138	0,07	3.287	0,44
Plants of a kind used in perfumery, pharmacy, insecticidal, fungicidal, etc.	-	-	1	-	-	-	14	-
Other fruits, fresh, frozen or dried	-	-	63	0,01	154	0,07	486	0,06
All others	1	-	126	0,02	23	0,01	331	0,04
MINERALS	546	0,23	2.495	0,32	364	0,17	1.933	0,26
Bentonite (excl. activated)	538	0,22	2.461	0,31	364	0,17	1.909	0,25
All other	9	-	34	-	-	-	23	-
INDUSTRIAL PRODUCTS OF AGRICULTURAL ORIGIN	43.061	17,96	186.542	23,74	40.082	19,18	167.888	22,26
Meat	464	0,19	2.846	0,36	1.464	0,70	5.761	0,76
Halloumi cheese	34.163	14,25	146.000	18,58	32.788	15,69	131.970	17,50
Cheese (excl. halloumi)	489	0,20	2.284	0,29	313	0,15	1.371	0,18
Honey	17	0,01	35	-	-	-	12	-
Locust beans (incl. seeds)	25	0,01	897	0,11	-	-	2.616	0,35
Fruit preserved	115	0,05	577	0,07	103	0,05	746	0,10
Fruit and vegetable juices	4.327	1,80	18.438	2,35	2.429	1,16	12.719	1,69
Beer	410	0,17	1.096	0,14	331	0,16	934	0,12
Wines	104	0,04	740	0,09	28	0,01	349	0,05
Alcoholic beverages (excl. beer and wines)	175	0,07	254	0,03	-	-	216	0,03
Raw hides and skins	788	0,33	3.267	0,42	547	0,26	1.810	0,24
Milk and cream, not concentrated nor containing added sugar	204	0,09	1.397	0,18	271	0,13	1.318	0,17
Guts, bladders and stomachs of animals	193	0,08	1.153	0,15	459	0,22	1.451	0,19

Table 8: Exports of domestically produced goods, excluding stores and provisions, by Broad Economic Sector, January - May 2023 and 2022 - continued

Economic Sector	2023				2022			
	May		January - May		May		January - May	
	€000's	%	€000's	%	€000's	%	€000's	%
Wheat, meslin, cereal flour and other flours	156	0,07	661	0,08	373	0,18	1.178	0,16
Non-alcoholic beverages containing added sugar or flavoured	1.210	0,50	4.319	0,55	602	0,29	3.164	0,42
Olive oil and its fractions, whether or not refined, not chemically modified	135	0,06	2.057	0,26	76	0,04	1.038	0,14
Fish fillets and other fish meat (fresh or chilled)	47	0,02	146	0,02	30	0,01	470	0,06
All other	38	0,02	374	0,05	266	0,13	767	0,10
INDUSTRIAL PRODUCTS OF MINERAL ORIGIN	126.760	52,87	291.626	37,12	94.484	45,21	260.393	34,53
Salt suitable for human consumption	541	0,23	2.072	0,26	532	0,25	1.978	0,26
Gypsum; Anhydrite; Plasters	732	0,31	3.051	0,39	559	0,27	2.898	0,38
Sulphates of nickel; nickel oxide sinters and other intermediate products of nickel	106	0,04	2.027	0,26	640	0,31	3.797	0,50
Mineral Fuels & Oils	120.312	50,18	262.519	33,41	88.700	42,44	234.436	31,08
All others	5.070	2,11	21.957	2,79	4.053	1,94	17.285	2,29
INDUSTRIAL PRODUCTS OF MANUFACTURING ORIGIN	57.868	24,14	258.672	32,92	61.045	29,21	273.058	36,21
Coffee, roasted	39	0,02	383	0,05	27	0,01	245	0,03
Animal or vegetable fats and oils (excl. olive oil)	338	0,14	2.014	0,26	764	0,37	2.773	0,37
Food preparations based on meat (prepared or preserved meat)	61	0,03	215	0,03	97	0,05	210	0,03
Ice cream and other edible ice	-	-	-	-	2	-	101	0,01
Sugar and Chocolate confectionery	14	0,01	124	0,02	111	0,05	771	0,10
Bread	66	0,03	366	0,05	60	0,03	327	0,04
Biscuits, waffles, wafers and other bakers wares	236	0,10	737	0,09	251	0,12	1.247	0,17
Pharmaceutical products	32.703	13,64	145.367	18,50	34.232	16,38	138.656	18,39
Paints and varnishes	110	0,05	1.085	0,14	218	0,10	785	0,10
Essential oils, perfumery and cosmetics	273	0,11	1.500	0,19	508	0,24	2.224	0,29
Soap, washing preparations	192	0,08	503	0,06	146	0,07	496	0,07
Insecticides	83	0,03	83	0,01	12	0,01	12	-
Tubes, pipes, sheets of plastics	2.281	0,95	9.727	1,24	2.406	1,15	10.351	1,37
Plastic articles for packing goods	398	0,17	2.194	0,28	313	0,15	1.998	0,26

Table 8: Exports of domestically produced goods, excluding stores and provisions, by Broad Economic Sector, January - May 2023 and 2022 - continued

Economic Sector	2023				2022			
	May		January - May		May		January - May	
	€000's	%	€000's	%	€000's	%	€000's	%
Food preparations not elsewhere specified	42	0,02	487	0,06	159	0,08	974	0,13
Builders ware of plastic	24	0,01	147	0,02	61	0,03	193	0,03
Articles of paper or of paperboard	230	0,10	1.443	0,18	286	0,14	1.162	0,15
Printed material	620	0,26	1.162	0,15	149	0,07	686	0,09
Clothing	159	0,07	1.368	0,17	154	0,07	731	0,10
Flours, meats and pellets, of meat offal; Greaves, unfit for human consumption	94	0,04	691	0,09	150	0,07	570	0,08
Footwear	31	0,01	287	0,04	46	0,02	80	0,01
Aluminium doors, windows and frames	99	0,04	285	0,04	19	0,01	395	0,05
Articles of iron and steel	463	0,19	1.446	0,18	141	0,07	580	0,08
Aluminium bars, robs and profiles	305	0,13	965	0,12	226	0,11	1.608	0,21
Construction sets and constructional toys of plastics	290	0,12	697	0,09	15	0,01	295	0,04
Pumps for liquids	46	0,02	75	0,01	5	-	43	0,01
Brooms, brushes, mops etc.	81	0,03	176	0,02	115	0,06	207	0,03
Shotgun cartridges	476	0,20	1.283	0,16	156	0,07	1.355	0,18
Furniture	335	0,14	1.590	0,20	133	0,06	673	0,09
Lighting fixtures and fittings	191	0,08	708	0,09	74	0,04	1.065	0,14
Mattresses and Mattress supports	37	0,02	169	0,02	42	0,02	185	0,02
Jewellery, goldsmiths and silversmiths wares	217	0,09	926	0,12	26	0,01	46	0,01
Machinery for filling, closing, sealing, labelling	14	0,01	457	0,06	16	0,01	1.384	0,18
Refractory cements, mortars, concretes and similar compositions	14	0,01	55	0,01	6	-	40	0,01
Dextrins, starches, glues or adhesives	116	0,05	242	0,03	31	0,01	271	0,04
Records, tapes and other recorded media	1	-	1	-	-	-	15	-
Parts and accessories of motor vehicles	37	0,02	209	0,03	38	0,02	265	0,04
Yachts and other sports and pleasure boats	1.354	0,56	4.939	0,63	771	0,37	2.950	0,39
Animal feeding preparations	430	0,18	1.637	0,21	271	0,13	1.492	0,20
Uncooked or stuffed pasta	12	-	65	0,01	7	-	44	0,01
Waste and Scrap of paper, glass and metal (excl. precious metal)	6.676	2,78	32.661	4,16	10.623	5,08	41.574	5,51
Disc and magnetic tape storage units	-	-	5	-	-	-	11	-

Table 8: Exports of domestically produced goods, excluding stores and provisions, by Broad Economic Sector, January - May 2023 and 2022 - continued

Economic Sector	2023				2022			
	May		January - May		May		January - May	
	€000's	%	€000's	%	€000's	%	€000's	%
Mixes and doughs for the preparation of baker wares	56	0,02	98	0,01	41	0,02	189	0,03
Bulgur Wheat	98	0,04	656	0,08	164	0,08	680	0,09
Mixtures of odoriferous substances of the kind used in the industries	-	-	31	-	-	-	100	0,01
Diagnostic or Laboratory reagents	356	0,15	1.372	0,17	216	0,10	522	0,07
Silver (unwrought, semi-manufactured, powder form)	-	-	-	-	-	-	138	0,02
Gold (unwrought, semi-manufactured, powder form)	861	0,36	3.652	0,46	2.278	1,09	12.252	1,62
Waste and Scrap of precious metal	-	-	18	-	350	0,17	710	0,09
Filtering or purifying machinery for liquids and gases	787	0,33	3.321	0,42	818	0,39	3.367	0,45
Fire extinguishers and parts	2.209	0,92	10.217	1,30	2.045	0,98	8.047	1,07
Dairy machinery	-	-	833	0,11	-	-	1.024	0,14
Telecommunications equipment	1.496	0,62	6.058	0,77	633	0,30	15.057	2,00
Parts of boards, panels, consoles, desks, cabinets for electric control and distribution	-	-	22	-	-	-	5	-
Electronic or non-electr. instruments used in geodesy, topography, surveying,	14	0,01	14	-	-	-	-	-
All others	2.807	1,17	13.905	1,77	1.633	0,78	11.875	1,57
UNCLASSIFIED	9	-	41	0,01	5	-	92	0,01

PART B: EXTRA-EU TRADE STATISTICS

Table 1: Extra-EU trade by country, May 2023

SPECIAL TRADE SYSTEM

Country	Imports (c.i.f.)		Exports (f.o.b.)	
	€000's	%	€000's	%
TOTAL	253.096	100,00	268.169	100,00
OTHER EUROPEAN COUNTRIES/TERRITORIES	65.174	25,75	46.922	17,50
AL Albania	110	0,04	831	0,31
AD Andorra	1	-	-	-
BY Belarus	-	-	-	-
BA Bosnia and Herzegovina	150	0,06	31	0,01
FO Faroe Islands	-	-	-	-
GI Gibraltar	-	-	-	-
VA Holy See	-	-	-	-
IS Iceland	8	-	7	-
XK Kosovo (under UNSCR 1244)	21	0,01	221	0,08
LI Liechtenstein	-	-	-	-
MD Moldova, Republic of	753	0,30	88	0,03
ME Montenegro	-	-	57	0,02
MK North Macedonia	62	0,02	356	0,13
NO Norway	974	0,38	21.580	8,05
RU Russian Federation	1.564	0,62	327	0,12
SM San Marino	36	0,01	-	-
XS Serbia	3.204	1,27	398	0,15
CH Switzerland	8.557	3,38	2.186	0,82
TR Turkey	3.173	1,25	307	0,11
UA Ukraine	9.907	3,91	1.167	0,44
GB United Kingdom	36.654	14,48	19.366	7,22
NORTH AFRICA	12.981	5,13	50.956	19,00
DZ Algeria	1.423	0,56	226	0,08
XC Ceuta	-	-	-	-
EG Egypt	10.501	4,15	874	0,33
LY Libya	-	-	49.658	18,52
XL Melilla	-	-	-	-
MA Morocco	1.025	0,41	39	0,01
TN Tunisia	32	0,01	158	0,06
EH Western Sahara	-	-	-	-
OTHER AFRICAN COUNTRIES	2.764	1,09	2.801	1,04
AO Angola	-	-	4	-
BJ Benin	-	-	48	0,02
BW Botswana	-	-	61	0,02
IO British Indian Ocean Territory	-	-	-	-
BF Burkina Faso	-	-	-	-
BI Burundi	-	-	-	-
CV Cabo Verde	-	-	-	-
CM Cameroon	100	0,04	22	0,01
CF Central African Republic	52	0,02	-	-
TD Chad	-	-	-	-
KM Comoros	-	-	20	0,01
CG Congo	-	-	-	-
CD Congo, Democratic Republic of	-	-	34	0,01
CI Cote d'Ivoire	-	-	168	0,06
DJ Djibouti	-	-	395	0,15

Note: Kosovo, as defined by the United Nations Security Council Resolution 1244 of 10 June 1999.

Table 1: Extra-EU trade by country, May 2023 - continued

SPECIAL TRADE SYSTEM

Country		Imports (c.i.f.)		Exports (f.o.b.)	
		€000's	%	€000's	%
GQ	Equatorial Guinea	-	-	-	-
ER	Eritrea	-	-	-	-
SZ	Eswatini	-	-	-	-
ET	Ethiopia	-	-	417	0,16
GA	Gabon	127	0,05	-	-
GM	Gambia	-	-	-	-
GH	Ghana	1	-	30	0,01
GN	Guinea	-	-	10	-
GW	Guinea-Bissau	-	-	-	-
KE	Kenya	288	0,11	48	0,02
LS	Lesotho	-	-	-	-
LR	Liberia	-	-	-	-
MG	Madagascar	-	-	-	-
MW	Malawi	-	-	-	-
ML	Mali	-	-	8	-
MR	Mauritania	-	-	-	-
MU	Mauritius	51	0,02	51	0,02
MZ	Mozambique	-	-	-	-
NA	Namibia	138	0,05	390	0,15
NE	Niger	-	-	215	0,08
NG	Nigeria	283	0,11	129	0,05
RW	Rwanda	-	-	-	-
SH	Saint Helena, Ascension and Tristan da Cunha	-	-	-	-
ST	Sao Tome and Principe	-	-	-	-
SN	Senegal	346	0,14	1	-
SC	Seychelles	-	-	50	0,02
SL	Sierra Leone	-	-	16	0,01
SO	Somalia	-	-	103	0,04
ZA	South Africa	1.292	0,51	281	0,10
SS	South Sudan	-	-	62	0,02
SD	Sudan	-	-	-	-
TZ	Tanzania, United Republic of	85	0,03	13	-
TG	Togo	-	-	4	-
UG	Uganda	-	-	47	0,02
ZM	Zambia	-	-	10	-
ZW	Zimbabwe	-	-	165	0,06
NORTH AMERICA		23.297	9,20	4.779	1,78
CA	Canada	1.151	0,45	498	0,19
GL	Greenland	-	-	-	-
PM	St Pierre and Miquelon	-	-	-	-
US	United States	22.146	8,75	4.281	1,60
CENTRAL AMERICA AND CARIBBEAN		1.250	0,49	485	0,18
AI	Anguilla	-	-	-	-
AG	Antigua and Barbuda	-	-	26	0,01
AW	Aruba	-	-	14	0,01
BS	Bahamas	-	-	8	-
BB	Barbados	-	-	12	-
BZ	Belize	-	-	-	-
BM	Bermuda	-	-	1	-
BQ	Bonaire, Sint Eustatius and Saba	-	-	-	-

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Table 1: Extra-EU trade by country, May 2023 - continued

SPECIAL TRADE SYSTEM

Country	Imports (c.i.f.)		Exports (f.o.b.)	
	€000's	%	€000's	%
KY Cayman Islands	-	-	-	-
CR Costa Rica	4	-	-	-
CU Cuba	649	0,26	-	-
CW Curacao	-	-	45	0,02
DM Dominica	18	0,01	15	0,01
DO Dominican Republic	53	0,02	-	-
SV El Salvador	-	-	-	-
GD Grenada	2	-	-	-
GT Guatemala	-	-	27	0,01
HT Haiti	-	-	-	-
HN Honduras	12	-	-	-
JM Jamaica	-	-	-	-
MX Mexico	492	0,19	61	0,02
MS Montserrat	-	-	-	-
NI Nicaragua	19	0,01	-	-
PA Panama	-	-	224	0,08
BL Saint Barthelemy	-	-	-	-
SX Sint Maarten (Dutch part)	-	-	20	0,01
KN St Kitts and Nevis	-	-	32	0,01
LC St Lucia	-	-	-	-
VC St Vincent and the Grenadines	-	-	-	-
TT Trinidad and Tobago	-	-	-	-
TC Turks and Caicos Islands	-	-	-	-
VG Virgin Islands, British	-	-	-	-
VI Virgin Islands, United States	-	-	-	-
SOUTH AMERICA	5.042	1,99	1.111	0,41
AR Argentina	2.277	0,90	-	-
BO Bolivia, Plurinational State of	-	-	1	-
BR Brazil	1.019	0,40	294	0,11
CL Chile	492	0,19	749	0,28
CO Colombia	11	-	30	0,01
EC Ecuador	905	0,36	32	0,01
FK Falkland Islands	-	-	-	-
GY Guyana	4	-	-	-
PY Paraguay	119	0,05	-	-
PE Peru	190	0,08	1	-
SR Suriname	-	-	-	-
UY Uruguay	3	-	4	-
VE Venezuela, Bolivarian Republic of	22	0,01	-	-
NEAR AND MIDDLE EASTERN COUNTRIES	27.678	10,94	97.895	36,50
AM Armenia	66	0,03	184	0,07
AZ Azerbaijan	19	0,01	34	0,01
BH Bahrain	37	0,01	248	0,09
GE Georgia	34	0,01	110	0,04
IR Iran, Islamic Republic of	153	0,06	310	0,12
IQ Iraq	-	-	682	0,25
IL Israel	19.885	7,86	9.824	3,66
JO Jordan	225	0,09	930	0,35
KW Kuwait	250	0,10	760	0,28
LB Lebanon	2.468	0,98	79.408	29,61

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Table 1: Extra-EU trade by country, May 2023 - continued

SPECIAL TRADE SYSTEM

Country		Imports (c.i.f.)		Exports (f.o.b.)	
		€000's	%	€000's	%
PS	Occupied Palestinian Territory	-	-	-	-
OM	Oman	315	0,12	463	0,17
QA	Qatar	1	-	308	0,12
SA	Saudi Arabia	694	0,27	2.126	0,79
SY	Syrian Arab Republic	173	0,07	13	-
AE	United Arab Emirates	3.358	1,33	2.211	0,82
YE	Yemen	-	-	283	0,11
OTHER ASIAN COUNTRIES		112.171	44,32	13.607	5,07
AF	Afghanistan	-	-	-	-
BD	Bangladesh	1.073	0,42	21	0,01
BT	Bhutan	-	-	-	-
BN	Brunei Darussalam	-	-	13	-
KH	Cambodia	101	0,04	32	0,01
CN	China	56.228	22,22	3.436	1,28
HK	Hong Kong	1.407	0,56	1.595	0,59
IN	India	9.006	3,56	1.842	0,69
ID	Indonesia	2.558	1,01	378	0,14
JP	Japan	25.802	10,19	149	0,06
KZ	Kazakhstan	124	0,05	1.141	0,43
KP	Korea, Democratic People's Republic of	-	-	-	-
KR	Korea, Republic of	4.013	1,59	788	0,29
KG	Kyrgyzstan	-	-	1	-
LA	Lao People's Democratic Republic	1	-	15	0,01
MO	Macao	53	0,02	-	-
MY	Malaysia	582	0,23	136	0,05
MV	Maldives	-	-	114	0,04
MN	Mongolia	-	-	90	0,03
MM	Myanmar	30	0,01	254	0,09
NP	Nepal	3	-	-	-
PK	Pakistan	1.182	0,47	353	0,13
PH	Philippines	680	0,27	181	0,07
SG	Singapore	722	0,29	1.035	0,39
LK	Sri Lanka	149	0,06	117	0,04
TW	Taiwan	1.915	0,76	362	0,13
TJ	Tajikistan	-	-	53	0,02
TH	Thailand	3.006	1,19	226	0,08
TL	Timor-Leste	-	-	11	-
TM	Turkmenistan	-	-	-	-
UZ	Uzbekistan	-	-	18	0,01
VN	Viet Nam	3.535	1,40	1.246	0,46
AUSTRALIA AND NEW ZEALAND		2.067	0,82	1.721	0,64
AU	Australia	443	0,17	1.720	0,64
CX	Christmas Island	-	-	-	-
CC	Cocos Islands(Keeling Islands)	-	-	-	-
CK	Cook Islands	-	-	-	-
HM	Heard Island and McDonald Islands	-	-	-	-
NZ	New Zealand	1.624	0,64	1	-
NU	Niue	-	-	-	-
NF	Norfolk Island	-	-	-	-
TK	Tokelau	-	-	-	-

Note: Kosovo, as defined by the United Nations Security Council Resolution 1244 of 10 June 1999.

Table 1: Extra-EU trade by country, May 2023 - continued

SPECIAL TRADE SYSTEM

Country	Imports (c.i.f.)		Exports (f.o.b.)	
	€000's	%	€000's	%
OTHER COUNTRIES OF OCEANIA AND POLAR	1	-	27.458	10,24
AS American Samoa	-	-	-	-
AQ Antarctica	-	-	-	-
BV Bouvet Island	-	-	-	-
FJ Fiji	-	-	21	0,01
PF French Polynesia	-	-	-	-
TF French Southern Territories	-	-	-	-
GU Guam	-	-	-	-
KI Kiribati	-	-	-	-
MH Marshall Islands	-	-	27.435	10,23
FM Micronesia, Federared States of	-	-	-	-
NR Nauru	-	-	-	-
NC New Caledonia	1	-	-	-
MP Northern Mariana Islands	-	-	-	-
PW Palau	-	-	-	-
PG Papua New Guinea	-	-	2	-
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	671	0,27	2	-
QW Countries and territories not specified - Third Coun	671	0,27	2	-
STORES AND PROVISIONS	-	-	18.036	6,73
QS Stores and provisions - Third Countries	-	-	18.036	6,73
HIGH SEAS	1	-	2.395	0,89
QP High Seas	1	-	2.395	0,89

Note: Kosovo, as defined by the United Nations Security Council Resolution 1244 of 10 June 1999.

Table 2: Extra-EU trade classified by HS Commodity Section, May 2023

€000's

HS Section	Imports (c.i.f.)	Exports (f.o.b.)
TOTAL	253.096	268.169
I Live animals; animal products	5.665	20.401
II Vegetable products	15.423	2.502
III Animal or vegetable fats and oils and their cleavage products; prepared edible fats; animal or vegetable waxes	1.097	38
IV Prepared foodstuffs; beverages, spirits and vinegar; tobacco and manufactured tobacco substitutes	17.697	5.485
V Mineral products	18.197	144.524
VI Products of the chemical or allied industries	19.681	24.034
VII Plastics and articles thereof; rubber and articles thereof	11.513	1.051
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)	871	75
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	3.030	17
X Pulp of wood or of other fibrous cellulosic material; recovered (waste and scrap) paper or paperboard; paper and paperboard and articles thereof	6.388	366
XI Textiles and textile articles	6.000	816
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	1.614	245
XIII Articles of stone, plaster, cement, asbestos, mica or similar materials; ceramic products; glass and glassware	3.181	100
XIV Natural or cultured pearls, precious or semi-precious stones, precious metals, metals clad with precious metal, and articles thereof; imitation jewellery; coins	4.071	840
XV Base metal and articles of base metal	16.392	3.421
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	37.880	9.310
XVII Vehicles, aircraft, vessels and associated transport equipment	68.442	51.130
XVIII Optical, photographic, cinematographic, measuring, checking, precision, medical or surgical instruments and apparatus; clocks and watches; musical instruments; parts and accessories thereof	4.646	1.396
XIX Arms and ammunition; parts and accessories thereof	92	707
XX Miscellaneous manufactured articles	9.796	1.203
XXI Works of art, collectors' pieces and antiques	1.288	22
UNCLASSIFIED	133	485

Note: The Special trade system is applied.

PART C: INTRA-EU TRADE STATISTICS

Table 1: Summary of trade with EU Countries, by month, 2022 - 2023

€000's

Period	Partner													
	AT	BE	BG	CZ	DE	DK	EE	ES	FI	FR	GR	HR	HU	IE
IMPORTS														
2022														
January	3.909	16.242	9.024	5.240	60.018	4.326	2.275	41.512	1.269	11.722	161.948	163	1.640	1.768
February	4.796	13.686	8.001	2.829	37.836	2.914	448	38.274	1.113	12.361	193.506	456	2.397	24.678
March	5.181	36.427	17.760	3.823	61.746	4.709	356	39.899	1.093	12.345	238.802	27.276	2.821	3.503
April	5.441	14.594	14.163	2.872	42.768	2.529	278	20.558	1.126	12.377	208.703	307	2.876	34.112
May	5.204	20.824	13.525	4.654	52.790	3.372	483	33.095	1.732	19.152	231.973	349	3.435	24.124
June	6.133	15.811	12.216	3.872	56.342	3.779	568	27.840	4.128	13.957	258.537	265	4.036	7.689
July	5.702	17.092	18.664	4.555	42.875	2.987	540	46.233	1.562	14.432	210.961	1.816	2.235	47.385
August	5.316	17.712	12.113	3.731	42.330	3.331	325	28.834	1.597	32.530	214.604	327	2.644	10.100
September	9.638	15.783	28.362	3.803	48.433	3.615	360	20.415	2.336	18.929	233.043	199	3.679	3.542
October	5.221	47.399	8.976	4.864	44.105	5.575	350	22.534	2.253	13.467	238.886	378	2.198	5.257
November	8.495	16.443	11.804	6.470	60.414	5.661	1.185	42.207	10.265	14.870	246.377	162	1.906	4.665
December	9.625	13.732	7.640	4.405	50.824	4.887	207	28.171	1.185	16.765	203.602	680	3.548	5.488
2023														
January	6.144	16.856	10.475	6.947	52.906	3.490	449	37.244	1.532	44.842	181.354	474	4.326	7.836
February	5.113	15.448	7.515	5.286	48.333	5.034	338	80.108	1.262	15.679	186.936	743	3.162	6.542
March	5.034	21.240	9.203	6.152	53.478	4.335	571	65.676	1.358	22.330	229.464	656	2.604	9.014
April	4.591	40.484	12.793	5.408	61.503	3.966	194	29.599	1.099	18.069	203.992	1.132	3.215	4.979
May	4.787	43.368	11.262	6.720	68.213	4.266	371	27.150	3.156	17.746	201.465	1.171	3.215	7.484

Table 1: Summary of trade with EU Countries, by month, 2022 - 2023 - continued

€000's

Period	Partner												TOTAL	
	IT	LT	LU	LV	MT	NL	PL	PT	RO	SE	SI	SK	QV	
IMPORTS														
2022														
January	77.406	913	119	266	30.714	49.401	5.924	1.356	7.246	5.013	1.718	2.472	22.161	525.763
February	65.788	3.760	124	384	240	22.155	4.485	1.973	8.226	3.995	1.727	649	4.609	461.409
March	84.749	682	374	541	757	29.267	6.884	1.756	5.426	2.423	3.755	3.494	3.511	599.363
April	111.796	1.685	1.356	679	325	29.769	7.062	2.085	10.077	3.314	1.678	2.900	2.595	538.024
May	155.989	1.871	306	609	493	38.308	8.500	3.567	41.136	10.581	2.789	1.618	3.849	684.329
June	98.504	1.586	442	552	170	28.977	6.196	1.537	15.607	5.552	2.690	1.958	75	579.019
July	116.591	2.357	327	519	228	36.394	5.963	2.861	10.293	4.779	2.056	4.698	36	604.141
August	127.721	2.790	382	965	45.871	38.571	7.936	2.217	6.707	4.220	2.051	3.113	-	618.037
September	76.824	968	360	819	375	48.044	7.031	2.468	7.405	6.057	1.716	1.842	9.787	555.833
October	113.524	942	241	657	160	39.465	6.615	2.456	8.366	5.551	3.782	642	2.189	586.052
November	70.838	930	452	733	267	59.963	7.562	2.104	10.965	5.716	1.653	3.947	4.767	600.824
December	84.144	989	395	320	1.527	46.995	6.529	2.372	10.396	4.610	1.065	1.457	2.063	513.619
2023														
January	78.455	1.322	222	592	183	31.853	6.949	1.899	10.309	4.928	695	3.119	68	515.468
February	72.029	706	356	322	4.157	30.768	5.340	2.703	25.445	3.616	1.962	3.831	424	533.157
March	98.443	1.334	820	275	558	56.051	8.560	2.453	8.232	15.663	1.236	874	43	625.655
April	95.352	1.079	319	173	478	28.606	8.060	2.342	12.357	5.632	996	3.671	-	550.090
May	67.305	970	535	509	2.026	39.757	7.326	2.002	7.715	52.178	1.424	1.668	241	584.027

Table 1: Summary of trade with EU Countries, by month, 2022 - 2023 - continued

€000's

Period	AT	BE	BG	CZ	DE	DK	Partner		FI	FR	GR	HR	HU	IE
							EE	ES						
EXPORTS														
2022														
January	1.379	713	1.708	2.724	5.685	1.069	2.611	1.903	314	2.562	22.562	647	195	481
February	971	1.069	2.128	2.370	8.201	842	478	1.198	316	3.088	24.930	542	111	308
March	1.451	1.011	2.768	1.721	21.239	864	1.573	1.495	1.454	4.336	26.316	281	176	728
April	1.529	2.640	972	2.911	7.892	1.345	879	1.570	1.071	3.305	23.180	221	67	564
May	1.364	2.568	4.672	1.935	7.937	1.558	398	2.254	1.089	5.426	32.999	694	358	801
June	1.339	2.032	1.415	2.901	4.406	2.421	272	1.395	703	23.030	24.370	352	41	490
July	987	1.865	962	3.924	9.042	1.804	466	1.996	544	3.041	33.344	446	472	413
August	1.046	1.363	2.090	3.065	4.878	1.340	206	942	615	3.913	17.366	236	92	569
September	1.696	18.270	1.989	1.401	19.768	849	587	1.422	593	4.083	23.898	772	398	311
October	970	1.241	1.862	1.801	3.354	695	1.246	1.917	267	3.628	24.668	261	152	501
November	752	993	3.607	1.263	5.563	461	377	1.208	228	4.071	22.050	641	250	224
December	502	1.027	2.900	5.028	2.385	170	343	1.724	511	3.715	21.147	689	207	10.328
2023														
January	399	1.346	2.126	2.222	3.355	594	71	1.218	686	3.641	20.981	855	529	513
February	904	1.955	1.721	1.588	4.367	932	257	825	725	3.078	19.795	428	162	707
March	832	1.635	1.617	1.757	7.976	1.492	343	1.340	1.212	5.921	24.114	443	258	667
April	1.980	2.056	1.389	1.488	7.759	1.189	678	1.903	1.253	3.732	18.879	420	147	650
May	2.274	2.339	1.288	2.643	9.428	2.354	575	2.902	1.444	5.029	29.774	994	134	619

Table 1: Summary of trade with EU Countries, by month, 2022 - 2023 - continued

€000's

Period	Partner														TOTAL
	IT	LT	LU	LV	MT	NL	PL	PT	RO	SE	SI	SK	QR	QV	
EXPORTS															
2022															
January	7.755	473	-	211	529	1.588	1.185	551	2.951	2.016	481	1.290	7.140	-	70.723
February	3.408	804	-	332	725	2.471	997	285	2.322	2.971	646	893	6.401	2	68.810
March	9.903	868	1	356	493	2.231	2.370	488	2.854	3.461	975	2.091	8.869	-	100.373
April	3.148	1.016	-	335	555	2.931	1.660	545	1.952	4.590	960	1.151	18.317	-	85.307
May	2.731	673	1	197	16.490	3.362	2.830	417	2.845	4.243	1.163	1.205	20.403	-	120.614
June	2.669	561	-	282	786	2.858	1.532	665	1.537	4.415	1.391	720	24.580	-	107.163
July	1.974	532	-	464	493	3.143	1.812	719	3.060	4.107	2.792	631	24.375	83	103.493
August	1.393	612	9	499	733	2.999	1.063	876	3.114	2.482	1.675	804	24.357	-	78.337
September	1.839	475	112	233	1.128	8.984	773	559	3.190	2.894	889	1.057	22.705	-	120.874
October	3.347	784	125	420	588	3.795	424	475	2.090	2.620	483	910	21.605	-	80.230
November	4.586	676	44	170	1.608	2.728	826	555	2.196	2.803	317	1.142	16.604	-	75.944
December	3.454	494	-	369	1.012	2.243	781	423	2.769	2.543	629	549	11.829	-	77.769
2023															
January	2.082	1.519	-	502	637	2.120	1.499	585	3.075	3.505	1.241	1.383	11.644	14	68.339
February	2.860	893	-	1.098	817	2.753	1.252	650	2.270	3.025	1.143	1.446	8.588	11	64.249
March	3.160	741	2	286	1.224	2.837	2.829	634	3.780	4.113	1.032	1.109	7.145	25	78.522
April	4.070	786	2	341	1.648	12.704	2.202	583	3.377	4.044	666	1.001	14.322	7	89.277
May	2.638	1.090	-	2.433	1.176	2.672	3.362	783	3.877	4.746	1.460	713	13.730	36	100.515

Notes:

1. QV denotes countries and territories not specified in the framework of intra-Community trade, while QR denotes stores and provisions within the framework of intra-Community trade.

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

Table 2: Intra-EU trade by country, May 2023

Country	Imports (c.i.f.)		Exports (f.o.b.)	
	€000's	%	€000's	%
TOTAL	584.027	100,00	100.515	100,00
EUROPEAN UNION	583.786	99,96	86.749	86,30
AT Austria	4.787	0,82	2.274	2,26
BE Belgium	43.368	7,43	2.339	2,33
BG Bulgaria	11.262	1,93	1.288	1,28
HR Croatia	1.171	0,20	994	0,99
CY Cyprus	-	-	-	-
CZ Czechia	6.720	1,15	2.643	2,63
DK Denmark	4.266	0,73	2.354	2,34
EE Estonia	371	0,06	575	0,57
FI Finland	3.156	0,54	1.444	1,44
FR France	17.746	3,04	5.029	5,00
DE Germany	68.213	11,68	9.428	9,38
GR Greece	201.465	34,50	29.774	29,62
HU Hungary	3.215	0,55	134	0,13
IE Ireland	7.484	1,28	619	0,62
IT Italy	67.305	11,52	2.638	2,62
LV Latvia	509	0,09	2.433	2,42
LT Lithuania	970	0,17	1.090	1,08
LU Luxembourg	535	0,09	-	-
MT Malta	2.026	0,35	1.176	1,17
NL Netherlands	39.757	6,81	2.672	2,66
PL Poland	7.326	1,25	3.362	3,34
PT Portugal	2.002	0,34	783	0,78
RO Romania	7.715	1,32	3.877	3,86
SK Slovakia	1.668	0,29	713	0,71
SI Slovenia	1.424	0,24	1.460	1,45
ES Spain	27.150	4,65	2.902	2,89
SE Sweden	52.178	8,93	4.746	4,72
COUNTRIES AND TERRITORIES N/S	241	0,04	36	0,04
QV Countries and territories not specified - Intra-EU Trade	241	0,04	36	0,04
STORES AND PROVISIONS	-	-	13.730	13,66
QR Stores and provisions - Intra-EU Trade	-	-	13.730	13,66

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

Table 3: Intra-EU trade classified by HS Commodity Section, May 2023

€000's

HS Section	Imports (c.i.f.)	Exports (f.o.b.)
TOTAL	584.027	100.515
I Live animals; animal products	27.615	17.555
II Vegetable products	20.235	7.283
III Animal or vegetable fats and oils and their cleavage products; prepared edible fats; animal or vegetable waxes	2.790	440
IV Prepared foodstuffs; beverages, spirits and vinegar; tobacco and manufactured tobacco substitutes	68.476	4.214
V Mineral products	58.073	17.729
VI Products of the chemical or allied industries	73.117	27.030
VII Plastics and articles thereof; rubber and articles thereof	20.568	1.852
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)	2.503	849
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	5.850	52
X Pulp of wood or of other fibrous cellulosic material; recovered (waste and scrap) paper or paperboard; paper and paperboard and articles thereof	7.344	879
XI Textiles and textile articles	28.381	1.375
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	6.985	435
XIII Articles of stone, plaster, cement, asbestos, mica or similar materials; ceramic products; glass and glassware	14.548	60
XIV Natural or cultured pearls, precious or semi-precious stones, precious metals, metals clad with precious metal, and articles thereof; imitation jewellery; coins	2.795	1.295
XV Base metal and articles of base metal	41.174	4.619
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	121.283	4.678
XVII Vehicles, aircraft, vessels and associated transport equipment	42.780	4.151
XVIII Optical, photographic, cinematographic, measuring, checking, precision, medical or surgical instruments and apparatus; clocks and watches; musical instruments; parts and accessories thereof	15.378	4.327
XIX Arms and ammunition; parts and accessories thereof	1.801	-
XX Miscellaneous manufactured articles	22.202	1.592
XXI Works of art, collectors' pieces and antiques	11	1
UNCLASSIFIED	118	98

APPENDIX

DEFINITIONS OF TERMS USED

Intra-EU imports

Intra-EU imports include:

- (i) Union goods, except goods which are in transit between Member States;
- (ii) non-Union goods formerly placed in the Member State of export under the inward processing customs procedure, which are maintained under the inward processing customs procedure or released for free circulation in the Member State of import.
- (iii) Some goods movements are included in statistics based on specific conditions e.g. aircraft and ships whose economic ownership has been transferred from a person established in another Member State to a person established in Cyprus are included in intra-EU imports statistics.

Intra-EU exports

Intra-EU exports include:

- (i) Union goods, except goods which are in transit between Member States;
- (ii) non-Union goods placed in the Member State of export under the inward processing customs procedure.
- (iii) Some goods movements are included in statistics based on specific conditions e.g. aircraft and ships whose economic ownership has been transferred from a person established in Cyprus to a person established in another Member State are included in intra-EU exports statistics.

Commodity classification

The commodity classification is based on the Harmonised Commodity Description and Coding System (HS) or more simply the Harmonised System or HS (6 digits level) and includes more than 5.000 six-digit codes.

The Harmonised System is a legal instrument and was adopted by the Customs Co-operation Council (now the World Customs Organisation) in June 1983 and the International Convention on the Harmonised System (HS Convention) entered into force on the 1st January 1988. The HS is a nomenclature comprising of headings and sub-headings and their related numerical codes, sections, chapters as well as notes and general rules for its interpretation.

Most detailed results are available by the sub-headings of the Combined Nomenclature (CN), which includes nearly 10.000 eight-digit codes.

The structure of the HS and the CN classifications (for the reference year 2023) is illustrated in the following table:

Nomenclature	Levels of breakdown	Code	Number
Harmonised System (HS)	Section	One digit	21
	Chapter	Two digits	98
	Heading	Four digits	1233
	Sub-Heading	Six digits	5621
Combined Nomenclature (CN)	Sub-Heading	Eight digits	9755

Country classification

The classification of countries is based on the nomenclature of countries and territories, as set out in the Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) 2020/1470. From January 1999, the United Nations ISO alpha-2 coding system is followed, in which each country is identified by a two-letter code.

Partner country

In this publication, **intra-EU exports** and **extra-EU exports** are classified by the Member State and country of final destination of the goods, respectively. The last country to which the goods are specifically directed on their outward movement from the reporting country 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 **extra-EU imports**, 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 involved, is considered as originating in the country in which the last substantial transformation or processing took place. Packing, repacking and sorting are not regarded as manufacturing processes.

For **intra-EU imports**, the trading partner is the Member State of consignment of the goods. This is the Member State from which the goods were dispatched without halt or legal formality in another country apart from any transport reasons. Conversely, if there was such an operation in another country, that country becomes the Member State of consignment.

The United Kingdom is considered as an extra-EU partner country for the EU. Imports from the United Kingdom are recorded by country of consignment until the end of the transitory period (31 December 2020). As of January 2021 onwards, data on trade with the United Kingdom is based on a mixed concept. In application of the Withdrawal Agreement Protocol on Ireland / Northern Ireland, for trade with Northern Ireland the statistical concepts applicable are the same as those for trade between Member States (imports are recorded by country of consignment) while for trade with the United Kingdom (excluding Northern Ireland) the same statistical concepts are applicable as for trade with any other extra-EU partner country (imports are recorded by country of origin). For these reasons data on trade with the United Kingdom are not fully comparable with data on trade with other extra-EU trade partners, and for reference periods before and after the end of 2020.

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 goods entering or leaving the economic territory of Cyprus with the exception of simple transit trade or transhipment of goods. Quasi transit trade is included in general imports and exports statistics. In particular, 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 non-EU country which are received into customs warehouses 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 vessels and aircraft stores and supplies. Vessels and aircraft stores mean the various products for consumption by the crew and passengers. Vessels and aircraft 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 packaging, bottling, cleaning, sorting etc.

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:

External trade statistics publication in PDF format is disseminated each month to the general public free of charge from the CYSTAT portal (theme ‘External Trade’, [Publications](#)).

Additionally, more detailed data are available to the online database [CYSTAT-DB](#).

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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More Statistics on Cyprus

Detailed statistics on Cyprus are available on the Portal of the Statistical Service of Cyprus (CYSTAT):

<https://www.cystat.gov.cy>

The Portal is available in both Greek and English. It includes the latest statistics and time series data categorized in the following themes:

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Data and electronic publications (pdf) are available on the Portal free of charge. Paper publications are obtainable from the central offices of the Statistical Service in Lefkosa and from the Printing Office of the Republic of Cyprus.

European Statistical Data Support (ESDS)

All the information contained on the website of Eurostat (<https://ec.europa.eu/eurostat>) is available free of charge to all users. Among others, 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.

As from January 2005 the Statistical Service of Cyprus (CYSTAT) has set up the Centre of European Statistical Data Support (ESDS) which provides, on behalf of Eurostat, free of charge support on EU data for the following:

- Information on availability of data/ publications
- Verification of data
- Methodological information
- Technical support

Users may contact the ESDS Centre via:

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