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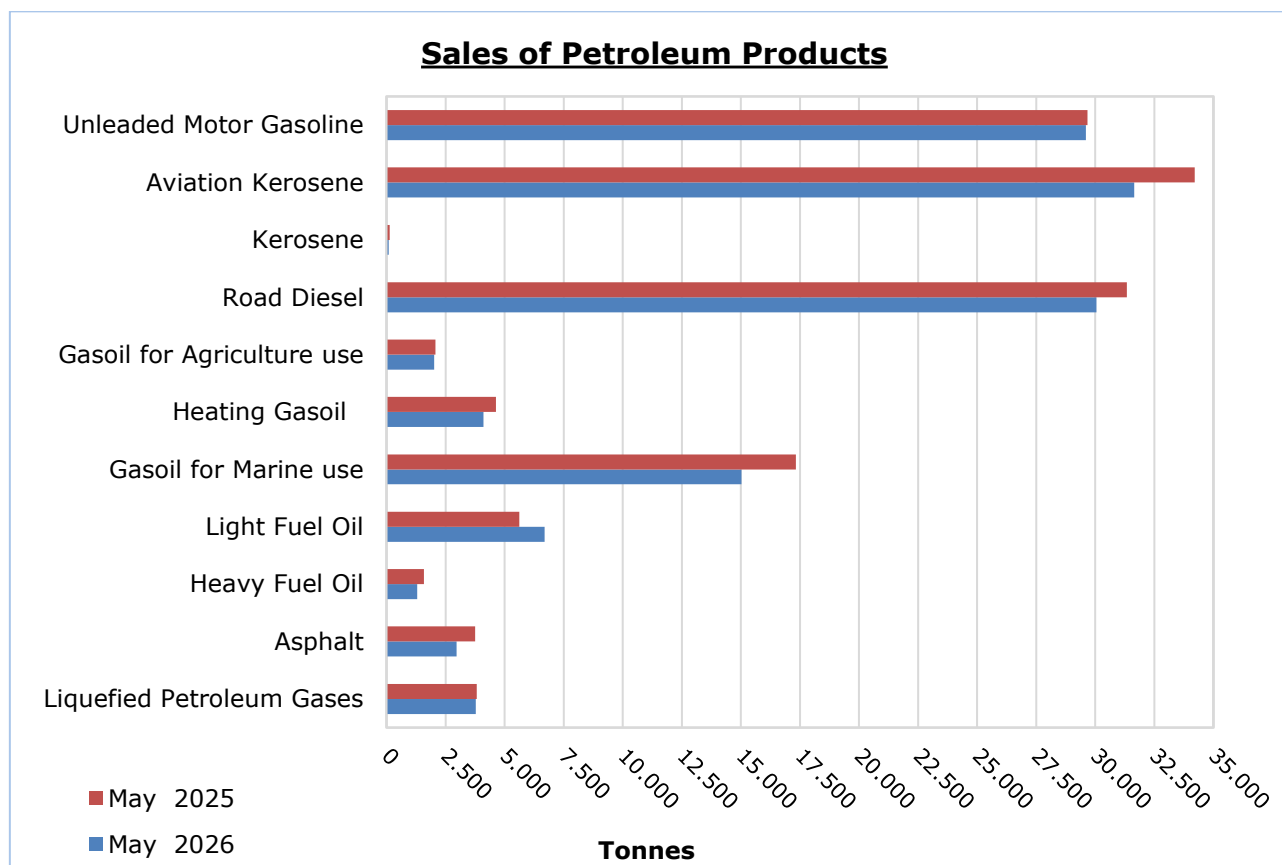
### SALES AND STOCKS OF PETROLEUM PRODUCTS: MAY 2026

#### Annual Change in Sales -5,1%

In May 2026, the total sales of petroleum products amounted to 127.538 tonnes, recording a decrease of 5,1% compared to May 2025. A drop was observed in the provisions of marine gasoil (-13,3%) and aviation kerosene (-7,5%), as well as in the sales of kerosene (-23,6%), asphalt (-20,8%), heavy fuel oil (-18,2%), heating gasoil (-11,5%), road diesel (-4,1%) and motor gasoline (-0,3%). On the contrary, a rise was observed only in the sales of light fuel oil (19,0%). As far as the sales from filling stations are specifically concerned, these have registered a drop of 2,6% to 56.867 tonnes.

The total sales of petroleum products in May 2026 compared to April 2026 recorded an increase of 7,7%. Indicatively, a rise was recorded in the provisions of aviation kerosene (13,2%), as well as in the sales of road diesel (8,8%) and motor gasoline (8,3%) whereas, the provisions of marine gasoil decreased by 8,9%. The total stocks of petroleum products at the end of May 2026 increased by 7,1% compared to the end of the previous month.

During the period January – May 2026, the total sales of petroleum products increased by 3,4% compared to the corresponding period of the previous year.



**Table 1**

Products	Total Sales (tonnes)				Percentage Change (%)	
	May 2026	May 2025	Jan - May 2026	Jan - May 2025	May 2026/2025	Jan - May 2026/2025
Unleaded Motor Gasoline	29.595	29.675	136.906	134.570	-0,3	1,7
Aviation Gasoline	2	2	5	8	0,0	-37,5
Aviation Kerosene	31.648	34.214	110.369	105.858	-7,5	4,3
Kerosene	97	127	6.465	5.921	-23,6	9,2
Road Diesel	30.049	31.337	141.084	141.263	-4,1	-0,1
Gasoil for Agriculture Use	2.023	2.068	9.343	9.880	-2,2	-5,4
Heating Gasoil	4.104	4.636	42.811	41.581	-11,5	3,0
Gasoil for Marine Use	15.028	17.332	81.284	53.712	-13,3	51,3
Light Fuel Oil	6.692	5.624	23.482	40.943	19,0	-42,6
Heavy Fuel Oil	1.296	1.584	5.482	7.828	-18,2	-30,0
Lubricants	261	298	1.474	1.345	-12,4	9,6
Asphalt	2.967	3.745	17.521	14.467	-20,8	21,1
Liquefied Petroleum Gases	3.776	3.819	28.229	27.335	-1,1	3,3
<b>Total</b>	<b>127.538</b>	<b>134.461</b>	<b>604.455</b>	<b>584.711</b>	<b>-5,1</b>	<b>3,4</b>

**Table 2**

Products	Sales from Filling Stations (tonnes)				Percentage Change (%)	
	May 2026	May 2025	Jan - May 2026	Jan - May 2025	May 2026/2025	Jan - May 2026/2025
Unleaded Motor Gasoline	29.316	29.421	135.586	133.518	-0,4	1,5
Kerosene	57	82	4.798	4.356	-30,5	10,1
Road Diesel	23.775	25.025	111.731	112.698	-5,0	-0,9
Gasoil for Agriculture Use	1.382	1.449	6.470	6.691	-4,6	-3,3
Heating Gasoil	2.182	2.257	25.703	24.529	-3,3	4,8
Light Fuel Oil	39	37	207	224	5,4	-7,6
Lubricants	116	117	567	539	-0,9	5,2
<b>Total</b>	<b>56.867</b>	<b>58.388</b>	<b>285.062</b>	<b>282.555</b>	<b>-2,6</b>	<b>0,9</b>

## **METHODOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

### **Scope and Coverage**

The collection of data on Sales and Stocks of Petroleum Products is carried out on a monthly basis.

It concerns the sales of petroleum products from filling stations and the sales to government departments, to the British Bases and the United Nations, to ships and to other customers, as well as the stocks held at the end of each month.

### **Data Collection**

The collection of data is conducted by the Statistical Service on a monthly basis by electronically receiving a purpose-designed questionnaire from each of the petroleum companies.

#### ***For more information:***

CYSTAT Portal, subtheme [Energy](#)

[CYSTAT-DB](#) (Online Database)

[Predefined Tables](#) (Excel)

[Methodological Information](#)

**The Predefined Tables, available in Excel format, include data up to December 2022. Data from January 2023 onwards are available only in the CYSTAT-DB Online Database.**

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