

## European Union, Trade in goods with Benin

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### **Key Figures**

Indicator	Unit	Period	Imports	Exports	Total trade	Balance
Last year	Mio euros	2023	49	745	794	696
Rank as EU partner		2023	149	107	123	
Share in EU trade	%	2023	0.0	0.0	0.0	
Annual growth rate	%	2022 - 2023	-20.8	-8.0		
Annual average growth rate	%	2019 - 2023	-1.5	9.0		

### Imports 2023

## Exports 2023

#### **AMA/NAMA** product Groups

Product	Value Mio €	% Total	Product	Value Mio €	% Total
Agricultural products (WTO AoA)	24	48.8	Agricultural products (WTO AoA)	202	27.0
Fishery products	0	0.0	Fishery products	7	0.9
Industrial products	25	51.2	Industrial products	537	72.0
Total	49	100.0	Total	745	100.0

#### **SITC product Groups**

Product	Value Mio €	% Total	Product	Value Mio €	% Total
Primary product	s 27	54.3	Primary products	245	32.9
Manufactures	13	26.3	Manufactures	499	66.9
Other products	0	0.0	Other products	0	0.1
Other	9	19.3	Other	1	0.1

#### Top 5 - HS sections

Product	Value Mio €	% Total	Product	Value Mio €	% Total
II Vegetable products	19	38.7	XVI Machinery and appliances	193	25.9
XXII Not classified	9	19.3	I Live animals; animal products	121	16.2
XVI Machinery and appliances	7	14.2	VI Products of the chemical or allied industries	78	10.5
XI Textiles and textile articles	3	6.5	XI Textiles and textile articles	68	9.1
X Pulp of wood, paper and paperboard	2	4.9	XVII Transport equipment	53	7.1

### Top 5 - SITC sections

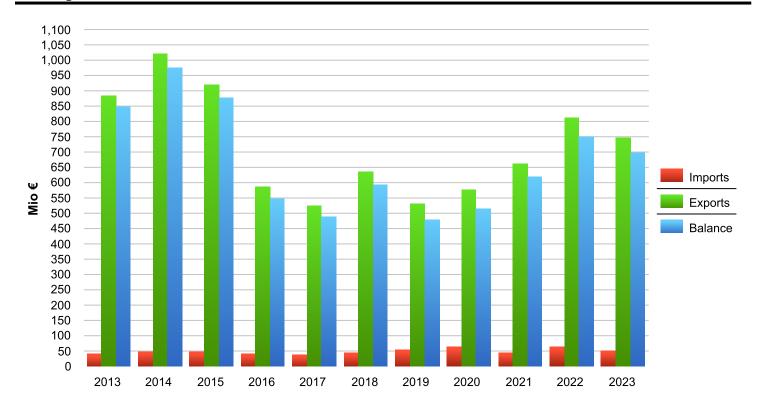
Product	Value Mio €	% Total	Product	Value Mio €	% Total
0 Food and live animals	18	36.2	7 Machinery and transport equipment	254	34.0
10 Other	9	19.3	0 Food and live animals	196	26.3
7 Machinery and transport equipment	9	17.9	Manufactured goods classified chiefly by material	109	14.6
2 Crude materials, inedible, except fuels	8	17.3	5 Chemicals and related prod, n.e.s.	84	11.2
<ol> <li>Manufactured goods classified chiefly by material</li> </ol>	3	6.0	8 Miscellaneous manufactured articles	55	7.4

<sup>%</sup> Total: Share in Total: Total defined as all products



### Total goods: EU Trade flows and balance, annual data 2013 - 2023

Source Eurostat Comext - Statistical regime 4



### Total goods: EU Trade flows and balance

Source	Eurostat	Comext	- Statistical	regime 4

Period		Imports		Exports			Balance	Total trade
	Value Mio €	% Growth	% Extra-EU	Value Mio €	% Growth	% Extra-EU	Value Mio €	Value Mio €
2013	37		0.0	883		0.1	845	920
2014	46	23.0	0.0	1,019	15.5	0.1	973	1,065
2015	45	-2.0	0.0	920	-9.8	0.0	875	965
2016	39	-12.4	0.0	585	-36.4	0.0	546	624
2017	36	-8.7	0.0	521	-10.9	0.0	485	557
2018	42	16.9	0.0	633	21.4	0.0	591	675
2019	52	24.3	0.0	528	-16.5	0.0	476	580
2020	62	18.1	0.0	576	9.0	0.0	514	637
2021	42	-31.1	0.0	661	14.8	0.0	618	703
2022	62	46.1	0.0	810	22.6	0.0	748	872
2023	49	-20.8	0.0	745	-8.0	0.0	696	794

<sup>%</sup> Growth: relative variation between current and previous period

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

### Trade flows by SITC section 2023

Source Eurostat Comext - Statistical regime 4

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		Impo	orts		Exports			
	Value Mio €	% Total	% Extra-EU	% Growth	Value Mio €	% Total	% Extra-EU	% Growth
Total	49	100.0	0.0	-20.8	745	100.0	0.0	-8.0
0 Food and live animals	18	36.2	0.0	18.1	196	26.3	0.1	-2.6
1 Beverages and tobacco	0	0.0	0.0	-89.6	10	1.3	0.0	-1.9
2 Crude materials, inedible, except fuels	8	17.3	0.0	-52.1	30	4.0	0.1	-8.0
3 Mineral fuels, lubricants and related materials	0	0.0	0.0	-23.2	7	1.0	0.0	-71.8
4 Animal and vegetable oils, fats and waxes	0	0.8	0.0	-55.2	0	0.0	0.0	-2.8
5 Chemicals and related prod, n.e.s.	0	0.6	0.0	-47.9	84	11.2	0.0	-8.1
6 Manufactured goods classified chiefly by material	3	6.0	0.0	155.4	109	14.6	0.0	-12.8
7 Machinery and transport equipment	9	17.9	0.0	44.9	254	34.0	0.0	-9.2
8 Miscellaneous manufactured articles	1	1.8	0.0	79.1	55	7.4	0.0	25.2
9 Commodities and transactions n.c.e.	0	0.0	0.0	-57.9	0	0.1	0.0	-51.5
Other	9	19.3	n.a.	n.a.	1	0.1	n.a.	n.a.

### Trade flows by SITC product grouping 2023

Source Eurostat Comext - Statistical regime 4

		Imports					Exports			
SITC Rev. 4 Product Groups	Value Mio €	% Total	% Extra-EU	% Growth	Value Mio €	% Total	% Extra-EU	% Growth		
Total	49	100.0	0.0	-20.8	745	100.0	0.0	-8.0		
Primary products	27	54.3	0.0	-21.0	245	32.9	0.1	-10.0		
- Agricultural products (Food (incl. Fish) & Raw Materials)	25	50.2	0.0	-23.6	235	31.5	0.1	-2.8		
Food	21	42.0	0.0	-26.3	206	27.7	0.1	-2.4		
of which Fish	0	0.0	0.0	-39.2	7	0.9	0.1	-44.2		
Other food products and live animals	21	42.0	0.0	-26.3	199	26.8	0.1	0.2		
Raw materials	4	8.3	0.0	-6.5	29	3.9	0.1	-5.2		
- Fuels and mining products	2	4.1	0.0	35.0	11	1.4	0.0	-66.3		
Ores and other minerals	2	4.1	0.0	35.2	1	0.1	0.0	-65.		
Fuels	0	0.0	0.0	-23.2	7	1.0	0.0	-71.8		
of which Petroleum and petroleum products	0	0.0	0.0	-23.2	7	1.0	0.0	-71.9		
Non ferrous metals	0	0.0	0.0	-100.0	3	0.4	0.0	-30.		
Manufactures	13	26.3	0.0	56.3	499	66.9	0.0	-6.		
Iron and steel	0	0.0	0.0	-50.7	9	1.3	0.0	-2.		
Chemicals	0	0.6	0.0	-47.9	84	11.2	0.0	-8.		
- of which Pharmaceuticals	0	0.1	0.0	92.9	52	7.0	0.0	-7.		
Other semi-manufactures	3	5.9	0.0	166.3	57	7.7	0.0	-23.		
Machinery and transport equipment	9	17.9	0.0	44.9	254	34.0	0.0	-9.		
- Office and telecommunication equipment	0	0.4	0.0	-31.0	33	4.5	0.0	40.		
Electronic data processing and office equipment	0	0.0	0.0	-84.0	22	3.0	0.1	90.		
Telecommunications equipment	0	0.4	0.0	-10.9	10	1.4	0.0	-2.		
Integrated circuits and electronic components	0	0.0	0.0	-93.8	1	0.1	0.0	-51.		
- Transport equipment	2	4.0	0.0	2442.4	62	8.3	0.0	-49.		
of which Automotive products	2	3.6	0.0	2406.7	45	6.1	0.0	-44.		
- Other machinery	7	13.6	0.0	16.7	158	21.2	0.0	18.		
Power generating machinery	0	0.0	0.0	-29.7	7	1.0	0.0	4.		
Non electrical machinery	6	12.8	0.0	270.1	108	14.5	0.0	35.		
Electrical machinery	0	0.8	0.0	-90.3	43	5.7	0.0	-8.		
- Textiles	0	0.0	0.0	-60.9	39	5.3	0.2	9.		
- Clothing	0	0.3	0.0	138.9	1	0.2	0.0	18.		
Other manufactures	1	1.5	0.0	69.3	54	7.2	0.0	25.		
of which Scientific and controlling instruments	0	0.6	0.0	45.5	19	2.6	0.0	139.		
Other products	0	0.0	0.0	-57.9	0	0.1	0.0	-49.		
Other	9	19.3	n.a.	n.a.	1	0.1	n.a.	n.a		

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## Trade flows by SITC section 2020 - 2023

Source Eurostat Comext - Statistical regime 4

		<b>Impor</b> Value M			<b>Exports</b> Value Mio €			
	2020	2021	2022	2023	2020	2021	2022	2023
Total	62	42	62	49	576	661	810	745
0 Food and live animals	9	12	15	18	128	170	201	196
1 Beverages and tobacco	0	0	0	0	7	9	10	10
2 Crude materials, inedible, except fuels	5	12	18	8	21	25	32	30
3 Mineral fuels, lubricants and related materials	0	0	0	0	21	8	25	7
4 Animal and vegetable oils, fats and waxes	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
5 Chemicals and related prod, n.e.s.	0	0	1	0	93	93	91	84
6 Manufactured goods classified chiefly by material	0	2	1	3	75	80	125	109
7 Machinery and transport equipment	1	1	6	9	195	221	279	254
8 Miscellaneous manufactured articles	1	1	0	1	31	50	44	55
9 Commodities and transactions n.c.e.	0	0	0	0	4	4	1	0
Other	45	14	20	9	1	0	1	1

### Trade flows by SITC product grouping 2020 - 2023

		Impor			Exports			
		Value M				Value M		
SITC Rev. 4 Product Groups	2020	2021	2022	2023	2020	2021	2022	2023
Total	62	42	62	49	576	661	810	745
Primary products	14	25	34	27	178	214	273	245
- Agricultural products (Food (incl. Fish) & Raw Materials)	13	21	32	25	156	203	242	235
Food	12	16	28	21	135	180	211	206
of which Fish	0	0	0	0	13	15	12	7
Other food products and live animals	12	16	28	21	123	165	199	199
Raw materials	1	5	4	4	21	23	30	29
Fuels and mining products	1	3	1	2	22	11	31	11
- Ores and other minerals	1	3	1	2	1	1	2	1
Fuels	0	0	0	0	21	8	25	7
of which Petroleum and petroleum products	0	0	0	0	21	8	25	7
Non ferrous metals	0	0	0	0	1	1	4	3
Manufactures	2	4	8	13	393	443	535	499
Iron and steel	0	0	0	0	2	5	10	9
- Chemicals	0	0	1	0	93	93	91	84
of which Pharmaceuticals	0	0	0	0	60	59	57	52
Other semi-manufactures	0	1	1	3	40	45	75	57
- Machinery and transport equipment	1	1	6	9	195	221	279	254
Office and telecommunication equipment	0	1	0	0	34	26	24	33
Electronic data processing and office equipment	0	0	0	0	18	11	12	22
Telecommunications equipment	0	0	0	0	15	14	10	10
Integrated circuits and electronic components	0	0	0	0	1	1	2	1
Transport equipment	0	0	0	2	86	91	122	62
of which Automotive products	0	0	0	2	79	82	81	45
Other machinery	1	0	6	7	75	105	134	158
Power generating machinery	0	0	0	0	3	4	7	7
Non electrical machinery	1	0	2	6	39	63	80	108
Electrical machinery	0	0	4	0	33	37	47	43
- Textiles	0	0	0	0	33	29	36	39
Clothing	0	0	0	0	1	1	1	1
Other manufactures	1	1	0	1	30	49	43	54
- of which Scientific and controlling instruments	0	0	0	0	8	7	8	19
Other products	0	0	0	0	4	4	1	0
Other	45	14	20	9	1	0	1	1

### Trade flows by HS section 2023

Source Eurostat Comext - Statistical regime 4

		Imports				Exp	oorts	
HS Sections	Value Mio €	% Total	% Extra-EU	% Growth	Value Mio €	% Total	% Extra-EU	% Growth
I Live animals; animal products	0	0.1	0.0	-13.6	121	16.2	0.3	-8.0
II Vegetable products	19	38.7	0.0	-25.0	41	5.5	0.1	30.2
III Animal or vegetable fats and oils	0	0.8	0.0	-55.2	1	0.1	0.0	-19.0
IV Foodstuffs, beverages, tobacco	1	3.0	0.0	-21.5	45	6.0	0.0	-9.5
V Mineral products	0	0.1	0.0	79.8	8	1.1	0.0	-76.3
VI Products of the chemical or allied industries	0	0.2	0.0	4.0	78	10.5	0.0	-7.5
VII Plastics, rubber and articles thereof	0	0.4	0.0	-60.5	19	2.5	0.0	-17.2
VIII Raw hides and skins, and saddlery	0	0.0	0.0	-69.8	1	0.1	0.0	13.2
IX Wood, charcoal and cork and articles thereof	1	1.5	0.0	48.5	2	0.2	0.0	126.4
X Pulp of wood, paper and paperboard	2	4.9	0.0	131.1	8	1.1	0.0	29.0
XI Textiles and textile articles	3	6.5	0.0	-15.2	68	9.1	0.1	4.4
XII Footwear, hats and other headgear	0	0.0	0.0	15.5	2	0.2	0.0	75.1
XIII Articles of stone, glass and ceramics	0	0.0	0.0	-97.6	14	1.8	0.0	-40.2
XIV Pearls, precious metals and articles thereof	0	0.6	0.0	-31.1	2	0.2	0.0	-26.0
XV Base metals and articles thereof	2	4.5	0.0	98.8	43	5.8	0.0	-9.4
XVI Machinery and appliances	7	14.2	0.0	16.7	193	25.9	0.0	0.6
XVII Transport equipment	2	3.7	0.0	2262.1	53	7.1	0.0	-40.9
XVII Optical and photographic instruments, etc.	0	0.7	0.0	45.2	25	3.4	0.0	163.5
XIX Arms and ammunition					0	0.0	0.0	
XX Miscellaneous manufactured articles	0	0.3	0.0	566.6	20	2.8	0.0	29.9
XXI Works of art and antiques	0	0.4	0.0	165.8	1	0.1	0.0	7420.8
XXII Not classified	9	19.3	0.1	-52.4	1	0.2	0.0	-43.4
AMA / NAMA Product Groups								
Total	49	100.0	0.0	-20.8	745	100.0	0.0	-8.0
Agricultural products (WTO AoA)	24	48.8	0.0	-24.8	202	27.0	0.0	-0.3
Fishery products	0	0.0	0.0	-9.4	7	0.9	0.0	-45.1
Industrial products	25	51.2	0.0	-16.6	537	72.0	0.0	-9.9

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## Trade flows by HS section 2020 - 2023

Source Eurostat Comext - Statistical regime 4

HS Sections		Impo Value I			<b>Exports</b> Value Mio €			
	2020	2021	2022	2023	2020	2021	2022	2023
Total	62	42	62	49	576	661	810	745
I Live animals; animal products	0	0	0	0	85	114	132	121
II Vegetable products	12	14	25	19	9	14	31	41
III Animal or vegetable fats and oils	0	0	1	0	1	1	1	1
IV Foodstuffs, beverages, tobacco	0	2	2	1	42	53	49	45
V Mineral products	0	0	0	0	23	11	33	8
VI Products of the chemical or allied industries	0	0	0	0	86	85	85	78
VII Plastics, rubber and articles thereof	0	0	0	0	18	22	23	19
VIII Raw hides and skins, and saddlery	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1
IX Wood, charcoal and cork and articles thereof	0	0	1	1	2	1	1	2
X Pulp of wood, paper and paperboard	0	1	1	2	6	8	7	8
XI Textiles and textile articles	1	5	4	3	52	51	65	68
XII Footwear, hats and other headgear	0	0	0	0	1	1	1	2
XIII Articles of stone, glass and ceramics	0	0	0	0	10	16	23	14
XIV Pearls, precious metals and articles thereof	0	1	0	0	1	1	2	2
XV Base metals and articles thereof	0	3	1	2	21	25	48	43
XVI Machinery and appliances	1	1	6	7	112	131	192	193
XVII Transport equipment	0	0	0	2	85	89	90	53
XVIII Optical and photographic instruments, etc.	0	0	0	0	8	8	10	25
XIX Arms and ammunition		0			0			0
XX Miscellaneous manufactured articles	0	0	0	0	11	13	16	20
XXI Works of art and antiques	0	0	0	0	0	12	0	1
XXII Not classified	46	14	20	9	5	5	2	1
AMA / NAMA Product Groups	2020	2021	2022	2023	2020	2021	2022	2023
Total	62	42	62	49	576	661	810	745
Agricultural products (WTO AoA)	13	21	32	24	125	168	202	202
Fishery products	0	0	0	0	13	15	12	7
Industrial products	49	21	30	25	438	478	596	537

## Benin, Trade with World

### **Total Goods: Trade flows and balance**

Source IMF

Period	Imports		Exports		Balance	e	Total tra	de
	Value Mio €	% Growth						
2013	2,277		448		-1,829		2,725	
2014	2,923	28.4	730	63.1	-2,192	19.9	3,653	34.1
2015	2,294	-21.5	563	-22.9	-1,731	-21.0	2,858	-21.8
2016	2,311	0.7	370	-34.3	-1,941	12.1	2,681	-6.2
2017	2,858	23.7	649	75.4	-2,209	13.8	3,507	30.8
2018	2,836	-0.8	811	24.9	-2,025	-8.3	3,647	4.0
2019	2,627	-7.4	762	-6.0	-1,865	-7.9	3,390	-7.1
2020	2,337	-11.0	737	-3.4	-1,601	-14.2	3,074	-9.3
2021	2,696	15.4	867	17.7	-1,829	14.3	3,563	15.9
2022	3,464	28.5	863	-0.5	-2,601	42.2	4,326	21.4
2023	3,611	4.3	974	12.9	-2,637	1.4	4,586	6.0

## **Total Goods: Top trading partners 2023**

Source IMF

	1	Imports				Exports			То	tal trade	
	Partner	Value Mio €	% World		Partner	Value Mio €	% World		Partner	Value Mio €	% World
	World	3,611	100.0		World	974	100.0		World	4,586	100.0
1	EU27	822	22.8	1	Bangladesh	363	37.2	1	EU27	863	18.8
2	India	615	17.0	2	India	150	15.4	2	India	766	16.7
3	China	463	12.8	3	Pakistan	70	7.2	3	China	514	11.2
4	USA	189	5.2	4	Togo	53	5.4	4	Bangladesh	363	7.9
5	Nigeria	186	5.2	5	China	51	5.3	5	Nigeria	201	4.4
6	United Arab Emi	135	3.7	6	United Arab Emi	42	4.3	6	USA	199	4.3
7	Togo	132	3.7	7	EU27	41	4.2	7	Togo	185	4.0
8	Ivory Coast	102	2.8	8	Chad	34	3.5	8	United Arab Emi	177	3.9
9	Malaysia	92	2.6	9	Egypt	25	2.5	9	Ivory Coast	114	2.5
10	Morocco	90	2.5	10	Vietnam	16	1.7	10	Malaysia	106	2.3
1	EU27	822	22.8	7	EU27	41	4.2	1	EU27	863	18.8

World trade: excluding intra-region trade

Top partners: excluding region member states

<sup>%</sup> Growth: relative variation between current and previous period



## **European Union, Trade with World**

#### **Total Goods: Trade flows and balance**

Source Eurostat Comext - Statistical regime 4

Period	Imports	;	Exports		Balance	.	Total trade	
	Value Mio €	% Growth						
2013	1,630,762		1,780,132		149,369		3,410,894	
2014	1,625,384	-0.3	1,796,784	0.9	171,399	14.8	3,422,168	0.3
2015	1,648,095	1.4	1,876,311	4.4	228,216	33.2	3,524,405	3.0
2016	1,602,429	-2.8	1,866,820	-0.5	264,390	15.9	3,469,249	-1.6
2017	1,772,058	10.6	1,994,226	6.8	222,168	-16.0	3,766,284	8.6
2018	1,911,207	7.9	2,058,822	3.2	147,615	-33.6	3,970,028	5.4
2019	1,940,923	1.6	2,132,048	3.6	191,125	29.5	4,072,971	2.6
2020	1,715,369	-11.6	1,932,077	-9.4	216,708	13.4	3,647,446	-10.5
2021	2,123,847	23.8	2,180,613	12.9	56,765	-73.8	4,304,460	18.0
2022	3,006,149	41.5	2,570,037	17.9	-436,111		5,576,186	29.5
2023	2,518,822	-16.2	2,556,755	-0.5	37,933		5,075,576	-9.0

### **Total Goods: Top trading partners 2023**

Source Eurostat Comext - Statistical regime 4

	Imports			Exports	Total trade			
Partner	Value Mio €	% Extra-EU	Partner	Value Mio €	% Extra-EU	Partner	Value Mio € %	% Extra-EU
World	2,518,822	100.0	World	2,556,755	100.0	World	5,075,576	100.0
1 China	515,861	20.5	1 USA	502,326	19.6	1 USA	848,867	16.7
2 USA	346,541	13.8	2 United Kingdom	335,060	13.1	2 China	739,437	14.6
3 United Kingdom	179,985	7.1	3 China	223,576	8.7	3 United Kingdom	515,044	10.1
4 Switzerland	138,511	5.5	4 Switzerland	188,634	7.4	4 Switzerland	327,144	6.4
5 Norway	119,237	4.7	5 Türkiye	111,339	4.4	5 Türkiye	207,007	4.1
6 Türkiye	95,668	3.8	6 Japan	63,988	2.5	6 Norway	180,928	3.6
7 South Korea	73,048	2.9	7 Norway	61,691	2.4	7 Japan	134,455	2.6
8 Japan	70,467	2.8	8 South Korea	57,818	2.3	8 South Korea	130,866	2.6
9 India	65,086	2.6	9 Mexico	53,111	2.1	9 India	113,452	2.2
10 Russia	50,674	2.0	10 Canada	48,663	1.9	10 Russia	89,020	1.8
146 Benin	49	0.0	104 Benin	745	0.0	120 Benin	794	0.0

### **Total Goods: Top product sections 2023**

Source Eurostat Comext - Statistical regime 4

Rank	Imports			Exports		
	Product	Value Mio € %	6 Extra-EU	Product	Value Mio €	% Extra-EU
	HS Sections			HS Sections		
1	XVI Machinery and appliances	624,719	24.8	XVI Machinery and appliances	629,630	24.6
2	V Mineral products	584,177	23.2	VI Products of the chemical or allied in	474,742	18.6
3	VI Products of the chemical or allied in	287,721	11.4	XVII Transport equipment	389,946	15.3
4	XVII Transport equipment	194,218	7.7	V Mineral products	151,839	5.9
5	XV Base metals and articles thereof	150,110	6.0	XV Base metals and articles thereof	139,598	5.5
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	SITC Sections			SITC Sections		
1	7 Machinery and transport equipment	816,096	32.4	7 Machinery and transport equipment	1,026,983	40.2
2	3 Mineral fuels, lubricants and related	551,891	21.9	5 Chemicals and related prod, n.e.s.	522,848	20.5
3	5 Chemicals and related prod, n.e.s.	325,123	12.9	8 Miscellaneous manufactured articles	297,086	11.6
4	8 Miscellaneous manufactured articles	322,027	12.8	6 Manufactured goods classified chiefly	255,361	10.0
5	6 Manufactured goods classified chiefly	240,465	9.5	0 Food and live animals	159,948	6.3

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

<sup>%</sup> Growth: relative variation between current and previous period

## **Methodological Notes**

### **HS Sections (Harmonized System)**

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

### **SITC Sections**

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

## **SITC (rev 4.) Product Groupings**

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

#### **Statistical Regime**

Statistical Regime 4: Total trade including inward and outward processing