



# European Union, Trade in goods with Sierra Leone

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### Key Figures

| Indicator                  | Unit      | Period      | Imports | Exports | Total trade | Balance |
|----------------------------|-----------|-------------|---------|---------|-------------|---------|
| Last year                  | Mio euros | 2023        | 200     | 260     | 460         | 60      |
| Rank as EU partner         |           | 2023        | 123     | 141     | 137         |         |
| Share in EU trade          | %         | 2023        | 0.0     | 0.0     | 0.0         |         |
| Annual growth rate         | %         | 2022 - 2023 | -21.3   | -15.1   |             |         |
| Annual average growth rate | %         | 2019 - 2023 | -7.0    | 12.0    |             |         |

### Imports 2023

### Exports 2023

#### AMA/NAMA product Groups

| Product                         | Value Mio € | % Total | Product                         | Value Mio € | % Total |
|---------------------------------|-------------|---------|---------------------------------|-------------|---------|
| Agricultural products (WTO AoA) | 55          | 27.4    | Agricultural products (WTO AoA) | 61          | 23.6    |
| Fishery products                | 0           | 0.0     | Fishery products                | 0           | 0.2     |
| Industrial products             | 145         | 72.6    | Industrial products             | 198         | 76.2    |
| Total                           | 200         | 100.0   | Total                           | 260         | 100.0   |

#### SITC product Groups

| Product          | Value Mio € | % Total | Product          | Value Mio € | % Total |
|------------------|-------------|---------|------------------|-------------|---------|
| Primary products | 168         | 84.1    | Primary products | 98          | 37.8    |
| Manufactures     | 32          | 15.9    | Manufactures     | 154         | 59.1    |
| Other products   | 0           | 0.0     | Other products   | 2           | 0.7     |
| Other            | 0           | 0.0     | Other            | 7           | 2.5     |

#### Top 5 - HS sections

| Product  | Value Mio € | % Total | Product  | Value Mio € | % Total |
|--|-------------|---------|--|-------------|---------|
| V Mineral products                               | 113         | 56.5    | XVI Machinery and appliances                     | 65          | 24.9    |
| IV Foodstuffs, beverages, tobacco                | 47          | 23.7    | VI Products of the chemical or allied industries | 37          | 14.4    |
| XIV Pearls, precious metals and articles thereof | 27          | 13.8    | V Mineral products                               | 35          | 13.4    |
| III Animal or vegetable fats and oils            | 5           | 2.6     | IV Foodstuffs, beverages, tobacco                | 27          | 10.6    |
| XVII Transport equipment                         | 3           | 1.3     | XVII Transport equipment                         | 18          | 6.9     |

#### Top 5 - SITC sections

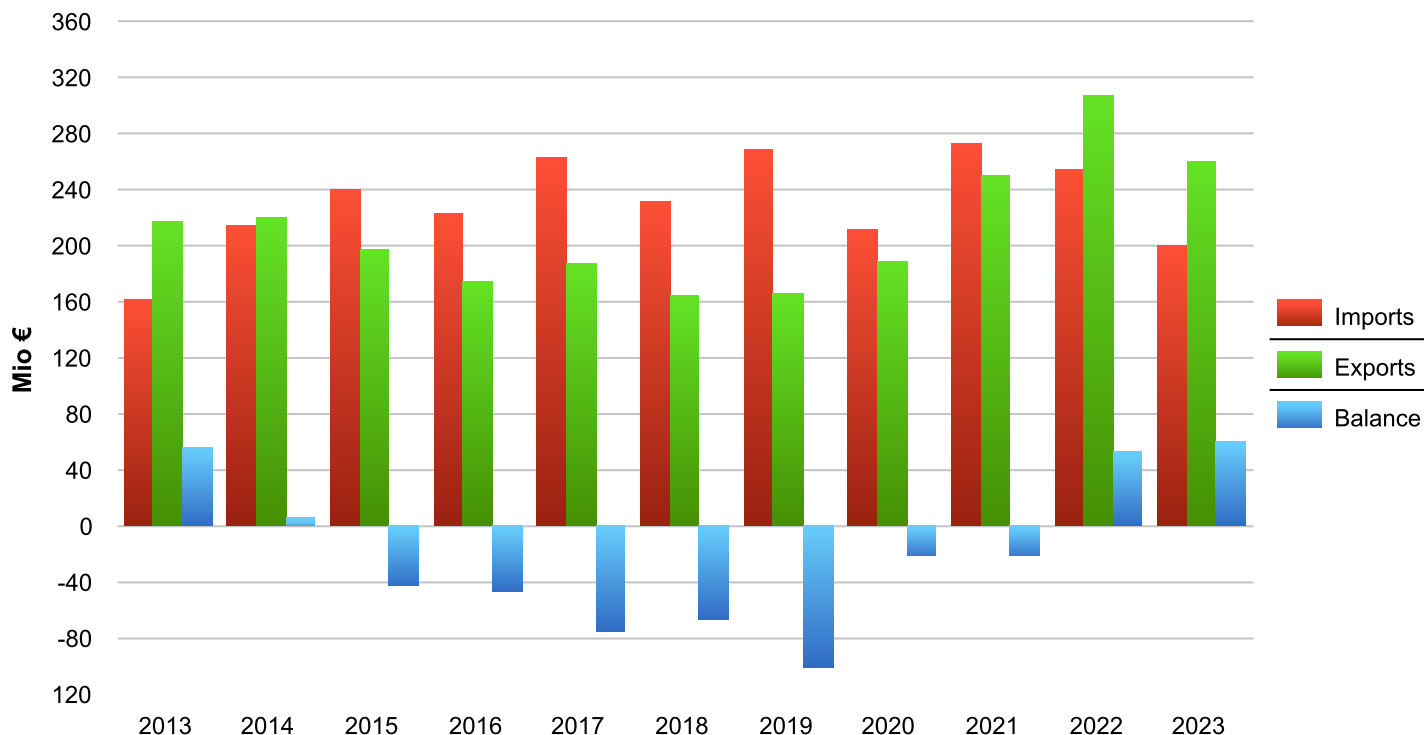
| Product   | Value Mio € | % Total | Product   | Value Mio € | % Total |
|---|-------------|---------|---|-------------|---------|
| 2 Crude materials, inedible, except fuels           | 113         | 56.8    | 7 Machinery and transport equipment               | 83          | 32.0    |
| 0 Food and live animals                             | 49          | 24.6    | 0 Food and live animals                           | 56          | 21.6    |
| 6 Manufactured goods classified chiefly by material | 28          | 14.0    | 5 Chemicals and related prod, n.e.s.              | 39          | 14.9    |
| 4 Animal and vegetable oils, fats and waxes         | 5           | 2.6     | 3 Mineral fuels, lubricants and related materials | 35          | 13.4    |
| 7 Machinery and transport equipment                 | 3           | 1.6     | 8 Miscellaneous manufactured articles             | 16          | 6.2     |

% Total: Share in Total: Total defined as all products

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### 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   | 162         |          | 0.0        | 217         |          | 0.0        | 55          | 379         |
| 2014   | 214         | 32.2     | 0.0        | 219         | 0.9      | 0.0        | 5           | 432         |
| 2015   | 240         | 12.2     | 0.0        | 196         | -10.3    | 0.0        | -43         | 436         |
| 2016   | 222         | -7.5     | 0.0        | 174         | -11.3    | 0.0        | -47         | 396         |
| 2017   | 262         | 18.4     | 0.0        | 186         | 7.0      | 0.0        | -76         | 449         |
| 2018   | 231         | -12.0    | 0.0        | 164         | -12.1    | 0.0        | -67         | 395         |
| 2019   | 267         | 15.8     | 0.0        | 165         | 0.8      | 0.0        | -102        | 433         |
| 2020   | 211         | -21.2    | 0.0        | 189         | 14.2     | 0.0        | -22         | 399         |
| 2021   | 272         | 29.1     | 0.0        | 250         | 32.4     | 0.0        | -22         | 522         |
| 2022   | 254         | -6.6     | 0.0        | 306         | 22.6     | 0.0        | 52          | 560         |
| 2023   | 200         | -21.3    | 0.0        | 260         | -15.1    | 0.0        | 60          | 460         |

% Growth: relative variation between current and previous period

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

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### Trade flows by SITC section 2023

Source Eurostat Comext - Statistical regime 4

|   | Imports     |         |            |          | Exports     |         |            |          |
|---|-------------|---------|------------|----------|-------------|---------|------------|----------|
|   | Value Mio € | % Total | % Extra-EU | % Growth | Value Mio € | % Total | % Extra-EU | % Growth |
| Total   | 200         | 100.0   | 0.0        | -21.3    | 260         | 100.0   | 0.0        | -15.1    |
| 0 Food and live animals                             | 49          | 24.6    | 0.0        | 11.3     | 56          | 21.6    | 0.0        | -7.2     |
| 1 Beverages and tobacco                             | 0           | 0.0     | 0.0        | 1618.0   | 4           | 1.7     | 0.0        | -25.4    |
| 2 Crude materials, inedible, except fuels           | 113         | 56.8    | 0.1        | -30.0    | 2           | 1.0     | 0.0        | 2.6      |
| 3 Mineral fuels, lubricants and related materials   | 0           | 0.0     | 0.0        | 160.0    | 35          | 13.4    | 0.0        | -58.2    |
| 4 Animal and vegetable oils, fats and waxes         | 5           | 2.6     | 0.0        | -36.6    | 0           | 0.1     | 0.0        | 581.1    |
| 5 Chemicals and related prod, n.e.s.                | 0           | 0.1     | 0.0        | -89.6    | 39          | 14.9    | 0.0        | -29.0    |
| 6 Manufactured goods classified chiefly by material | 28          | 14.0    | 0.0        | -22.6    | 16          | 6.1     | 0.0        | 17.0     |
| 7 Machinery and transport equipment                 | 3           | 1.6     | 0.0        | 345.7    | 83          | 32.0    | 0.0        | 21.8     |
| 8 Miscellaneous manufactured articles               | 1           | 0.3     | 0.0        | -55.9    | 16          | 6.2     | 0.0        | 34.3     |
| 9 Commodities and transactions n.c.e.               | 0           | 0.0     | 0.0        | 69.4     | 2           | 0.7     | 0.0        | 191.3    |
| Other   | 0           | 0.0     | n.a.       | n.a.     | 7           | 2.5     | n.a.       | n.a.     |

### Trade flows by SITC product grouping 2023

Source Eurostat Comext - Statistical regime 4

| SITC Rev. 4 Product Groups                                  | Imports     |         |            |          | Exports     |         |            |          |
|---|-------------|---------|------------|----------|-------------|---------|------------|----------|
|   | Value Mio € | % Total | % Extra-EU | % Growth | Value Mio € | % Total | % Extra-EU | % Growth |
| Total   | 200         | 100.0   | 0.0        | -21.3    | 260         | 100.0   | 0.0        | -15.1    |
| Primary products  | 168         | 84.1    | 0.0        | -21.7    | 98          | 37.8    | 0.0        | -35.4    |
| - Agricultural products (Food (incl. Fish) & Raw Materials) | 55          | 27.4    | 0.0        | 3.9      | 63          | 24.3    | 0.0        | -7.7     |
| - - Food  | 55          | 27.3    | 0.0        | 3.8      | 61          | 23.4    | 0.0        | -8.5     |
| - - - of which Fish   | 0           | 0.0     | 0.0        |          | 0           | 0.2     | 0.0        | -54.1    |
| - - - Other food products and live animals                  | 55          | 27.3    | 0.0        | 3.8      | 60          | 23.2    | 0.0        | -7.9     |
| - - Raw materials   | 0           | 0.1     | 0.0        | 41.5     | 2           | 0.9     | 0.0        | 21.6     |
| - Fuels and mining products                                 | 113         | 56.7    | 0.0        | -30.1    | 35          | 13.5    | 0.0        | -58.2    |
| - - Ores and other minerals                                 | 113         | 56.6    | 0.3        | -30.1    | 0           | 0.0     | 0.0        | -89.8    |
| - - Fuels   | 0           | 0.0     | 0.0        | 160.0    | 35          | 13.4    | 0.0        | -58.2    |
| - - - of which Petroleum and petroleum products             | 0           | 0.0     | 0.0        | 160.0    | 35          | 13.4    | 0.0        | -58.2    |
| - - Non ferrous metals                                      | 0           | 0.1     | 0.0        | -9.0     | 0           | 0.1     | 0.0        | 113.5    |
| Manufactures  | 32          | 15.9    | 0.0        | -19.2    | 154         | 59.1    | 0.0        | 3.6      |
| - Iron and steel  | 0           | 0.0     | 0.0        | 263.0    | 0           | 0.2     | 0.0        | -86.4    |
| - Chemicals   | 0           | 0.1     | 0.0        | -89.6    | 39          | 14.9    | 0.0        | -29.0    |
| - - of which Pharmaceuticals                                | 0           | 0.0     | 0.0        | 5.3      | 26          | 10.1    | 0.0        | -33.1    |
| - Other semi-manufactures                                   | 28          | 14.0    | 0.0        | -22.7    | 15          | 5.7     | 0.0        | 50.4     |
| - Machinery and transport equipment                         | 3           | 1.6     | 0.0        | 345.7    | 83          | 32.0    | 0.0        | 21.8     |
| - - Office and telecommunication equipment                  | 0           | 0.1     | 0.0        | 93.3     | 6           | 2.4     | 0.0        | -19.9    |
| - - - Electronic data processing and office equipment       | 0           | 0.1     | 0.0        | 458.1    | 3           | 1.3     | 0.0        | 1.1      |
| - - - Telecommunications equipment                          | 0           | 0.0     | 0.0        | -42.8    | 3           | 1.1     | 0.0        | -34.8    |
| - - - Integrated circuits and electronic components         | 0           | 0.0     | 0.0        | 41.6     | 0           | 0.0     | 0.0        | -42.7    |
| - - Transport equipment                                     | 3           | 1.3     | 0.0        | 12887.5  | 23          | 8.9     | 0.0        | 7.3      |
| - - - of which Automotive products                          | 0           | 0.1     | 0.0        | 2464.9   | 16          | 6.0     | 0.0        | -5.2     |
| - - Other machinery   | 0           | 0.2     | 0.0        | -29.7    | 54          | 20.7    | 0.0        | 38.2     |
| - - - Power generating machinery                            | 0           | 0.0     | 0.0        | 359.9    | 12          | 4.6     | 0.0        | 152.3    |
| - - - Non electrical machinery                              | 0           | 0.1     | 0.0        | -33.4    | 37          | 14.4    | 0.0        | 33.9     |
| - - - Electrical machinery                                  | 0           | 0.1     | 0.0        | -33.9    | 5           | 1.7     | 0.0        | -28.0    |
| - Textiles  | 0           | 0.0     | 0.0        | 501.1    | 0           | 0.1     | 0.0        | -59.4    |
| - Clothing  | 0           | 0.1     | 0.0        | -16.6    | 0           | 0.2     | 0.0        | -25.0    |
| - Other manufactures  | 0           | 0.2     | 0.0        | -64.8    | 16          | 6.0     | 0.0        | 37.8     |
| - - of which Scientific and controlling instruments         | 0           | 0.1     | 0.0        | -79.4    | 3           | 1.3     | 0.0        | 7.6      |
| Other products  | 0           | 0.0     | 0.0        | 69.4     | 2           | 0.7     | 0.0        | 191.3    |
| Other   | 0           | 0.0     | n.a.       | n.a.     | 7           | 2.5     | n.a.       | n.a.     |

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% Total: Share in Total: Total defined as all products

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

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### Trade flows by SITC section 2020 - 2023

Source Eurostat Comext - Statistical regime 4

|   | Imports<br>Value Mio € |      |      |      | Exports<br>Value Mio € |      |      |      |
|---|------------------------|------|------|------|------------------------|------|------|------|
|   | 2020                   | 2021 | 2022 | 2023 | 2020                   | 2021 | 2022 | 2023 |
| Total   | 211                    | 272  | 254  | 200  | 189                    | 250  | 306  | 260  |
| 0 Food and live animals                             | 46                     | 37   | 44   | 49   | 51                     | 64   | 60   | 56   |
| 1 Beverages and tobacco                             | 0                      | 0    | 0    | 0    | 6                      | 7    | 6    | 4    |
| 2 Crude materials, inedible, except fuels           | 134                    | 188  | 162  | 113  | 3                      | 3    | 2    | 2    |
| 3 Mineral fuels, lubricants and related materials   | 0                      | 0    | 0    | 0    | 18                     | 73   | 83   | 35   |
| 4 Animal and vegetable oils, fats and waxes         | 0                      | 4    | 8    | 5    | 0                      | 0    | 0    | 0    |
| 5 Chemicals and related prod, n.e.s.                | 0                      | 2    | 1    | 0    | 36                     | 23   | 54   | 39   |
| 6 Manufactured goods classified chiefly by material | 27                     | 39   | 36   | 28   | 11                     | 9    | 14   | 16   |
| 7 Machinery and transport equipment                 | 0                      | 1    | 1    | 3    | 50                     | 55   | 68   | 83   |
| 8 Miscellaneous manufactured articles               | 0                      | 1    | 1    | 1    | 8                      | 10   | 12   | 16   |
| 9 Commodities and transactions n.c.e.               | 0                      | 0    | 0    | 0    | 1                      | 2    | 1    | 2    |
| Other   | 2                      | 1    | 0    | 0    | 3                      | 4    | 5    | 7    |

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

Source Eurostat Comext - Statistical regime 4

| SITC Rev. 4 Product Groups                                  | Imports<br>Value Mio € |      |      |      | Exports<br>Value Mio € |      |      |      |
|---|------------------------|------|------|------|------------------------|------|------|------|
|   | 2020                   | 2021 | 2022 | 2023 | 2020                   | 2021 | 2022 | 2023 |
| Total   | 211                    | 272  | 254  | 200  | 189                    | 250  | 306  | 260  |
| Primary products  | 180                    | 229  | 215  | 168  | 78                     | 147  | 152  | 98   |
| - Agricultural products (Food (incl. Fish) & Raw Materials) | 47                     | 42   | 53   | 55   | 60                     | 73   | 68   | 63   |
| - - Food  | 47                     | 42   | 53   | 55   | 57                     | 71   | 66   | 61   |
| - - - of which Fish   | 0                      | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0                      | 1    | 1    | 0    |
| - - - Other food products and live animals                  | 47                     | 42   | 53   | 55   | 57                     | 70   | 65   | 60   |
| - - Raw materials   | 0                      | 0    | 0    | 0    | 2                      | 2    | 2    | 2    |
| - Fuels and mining products                                 | 134                    | 188  | 162  | 113  | 19                     | 74   | 84   | 35   |
| - - Ores and other minerals                                 | 134                    | 188  | 162  | 113  | 0                      | 1    | 0    | 0    |
| - - Fuels   | 0                      | 0    | 0    | 0    | 18                     | 73   | 83   | 35   |
| - - - of which Petroleum and petroleum products             | 0                      | 0    | 0    | 0    | 18                     | 73   | 83   | 35   |
| - - Non ferrous metals                                      | 0                      | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0                      | 0    | 0    | 0    |
| Manufactures  | 28                     | 42   | 39   | 32   | 106                    | 96   | 148  | 154  |
| - Iron and steel  | 0                      | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0                      | 0    | 3    | 0    |
| - Chemicals   | 0                      | 2    | 1    | 0    | 36                     | 23   | 54   | 39   |
| - - of which Pharmaceuticals                                | 0                      | 2    | 0    | 0    | 29                     | 15   | 39   | 26   |
| - Other semi-manufactures                                   | 27                     | 38   | 36   | 28   | 10                     | 8    | 10   | 15   |
| - Machinery and transport equipment                         | 0                      | 1    | 1    | 3    | 50                     | 55   | 68   | 83   |
| - - Office and telecommunication equipment                  | 0                      | 0    | 0    | 0    | 9                      | 5    | 8    | 6    |
| - - - Electronic data processing and office equipment       | 0                      | 0    | 0    | 0    | 3                      | 1    | 3    | 3    |
| - - - Telecommunications equipment                          | 0                      | 0    | 0    | 0    | 5                      | 4    | 4    | 3    |
| - - - Integrated circuits and electronic components         | 0                      | 0    | 0    | 0    | 1                      | 0    | 0    | 0    |
| - - Transport equipment                                     | 0                      | 0    | 0    | 3    | 18                     | 23   | 22   | 23   |
| - - - of which Automotive products                          | 0                      | 0    | 0    | 0    | 15                     | 18   | 16   | 16   |
| - - Other machinery   | 0                      | 0    | 1    | 0    | 24                     | 27   | 39   | 54   |
| - - - Power generating machinery                            | 0                      | 0    | 0    | 0    | 1                      | 1    | 5    | 12   |
| - - - Non electrical machinery                              | 0                      | 0    | 0    | 0    | 13                     | 20   | 28   | 37   |
| - - - Electrical machinery                                  | 0                      | 0    | 0    | 0    | 9                      | 6    | 6    | 5    |
| - Textiles  | 0                      | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0                      | 0    | 1    | 0    |
| - Clothing  | 0                      | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0                      | 1    | 1    | 0    |
| - Other manufactures  | 0                      | 0    | 1    | 0    | 8                      | 9    | 11   | 16   |
| - - of which Scientific and controlling instruments         | 0                      | 0    | 1    | 0    | 2                      | 3    | 3    | 3    |
| Other products  | 0                      | 0    | 0    | 0    | 1                      | 2    | 1    | 2    |
| Other   | 2                      | 1    | 0    | 0    | 3                      | 4    | 5    | 7    |

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### Trade flows by HS section 2023

Source Eurostat Comext - Statistical regime 4

| HS Sections                                      | Imports     |         |            |          | Exports     |         |            |          |
|--|-------------|---------|------------|----------|-------------|---------|------------|----------|
|  | Value Mio € | % Total | % Extra-EU | % Growth | Value Mio € | % Total | % Extra-EU | % Growth |
| I Live animals; animal products                  | 0           | 0.0     | 0.0        |          | 16          | 6.0     | 0.0        | -29.1    |
| II Vegetable products                            | 2           | 1.0     | 0.0        | -36.8    | 16          | 6.1     | 0.0        | -6.2     |
| III Animal or vegetable fats and oils            | 5           | 2.6     | 0.0        | -36.6    | 2           | 0.7     | 0.0        | 12.7     |
| IV Foodstuffs, beverages, tobacco                | 47          | 23.7    | 0.1        | 15.1     | 27          | 10.6    | 0.0        | 6.8      |
| V Mineral products                               | 113         | 56.5    | 0.0        | -29.6    | 35          | 13.4    | 0.0        | -58.3    |
| VI Products of the chemical or allied industries | 0           | 0.1     | 0.0        | -90.7    | 37          | 14.4    | 0.0        | -29.9    |
| VII Plastics, rubber and articles thereof        | 0           | 0.0     | 0.0        | -32.0    | 3           | 1.2     | 0.0        | 5.1      |
| VIII Raw hides and skins, and saddlery           | 0           | 0.0     | 0.0        | 87.7     | 0           | 0.1     | 0.0        | 62.2     |
| IX Wood, charcoal and cork and articles thereof  | 0           | 0.2     | 0.0        | 139.3    | 0           | 0.1     | 0.0        | 17.7     |
| X Pulp of wood, paper and paperboard             | 0           | 0.0     | 0.0        | 24.0     | 11          | 4.2     | 0.0        | 83.8     |
| XI Textiles and textile articles                 | 0           | 0.1     | 0.0        | -11.6    | 3           | 1.1     | 0.0        | -3.5     |
| XII Footwear, hats and other headgear            | 0           | 0.0     | 0.0        | 66.7     | 0           | 0.1     | 0.0        | 17.0     |
| XIII Articles of stone, glass and ceramics       | 0           | 0.1     | 0.0        | 236.9    | 3           | 1.1     | 0.0        | 20.6     |
| XIV Pearls, precious metals and articles thereof | 27          | 13.8    | 0.1        | -23.7    | 0           | 0.0     | 0.0        | -75.2    |
| XV Base metals and articles thereof              | 0           | 0.1     | 0.0        | -78.6    | 9           | 3.5     | 0.0        | 17.5     |
| XVI Machinery and appliances                     | 1           | 0.3     | 0.0        | -13.0    | 65          | 24.9    | 0.0        | 31.9     |
| XVII Transport equipment                         | 3           | 1.3     | 0.0        | 3140.9   | 18          | 6.9     | 0.0        | -7.7     |
| XVII Optical and photographic instruments, etc.  | 0           | 0.1     | 0.0        | -79.0    | 4           | 1.6     | 0.0        | 23.3     |
| XIX Arms and ammunition                          |             |         |            |          |             |         |            |          |
| XX Miscellaneous manufactured articles           | 0           | 0.1     | 0.0        | 207.1    | 2           | 0.6     | 0.0        | -4.2     |
| XXI Works of art and antiques                    | 0           | 0.0     | 0.0        | -86.0    | 0           | 0.0     | 0.0        | -100.0   |
| XXII Not classified                              | 0           | 0.0     | 0.0        | -99.3    | 8           | 3.2     | 0.0        | 41.3     |
| <b>AMA / NAMA Product Groups</b>                 |             |         |            |          |             |         |            |          |
| Total  | 200         | 100.0   | 0.0        | -21.3    | 260         | 100.0   | 0.0        | -15.1    |
| Agricultural products (WTO AoA)                  | 55          | 27.4    | 0.0        | 1.8      | 61          | 23.6    | 0.0        | -7.6     |
| Fishery products                                 | 0           | 0.0     | 0.0        |          | 0           | 0.2     | 0.0        | -54.1    |
| Industrial products                              | 145         | 72.6    | 0.0        | -27.5    | 198         | 76.2    | 0.0        | -17.0    |

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### Trade flows by HS section 2020 - 2023

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| HS Sections                                      | Imports     |             |             |             | Exports     |             |             |             |
|--|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|
|  | Value Mio € |             |             |             | Value Mio € |             |             |             |
|  | 2020        | 2021        | 2022        | 2023        | 2020        | 2021        | 2022        | 2023        |
| Total  | 211         | 272         | 254         | 200         | 189         | 250         | 306         | 260         |
| I Live animals; animal products                  | 0           | 0           |             | 0           | 14          | 25          | 22          | 16          |
| II Vegetable products                            | 3           | 1           | 3           | 2           | 17          | 15          | 17          | 16          |
| III Animal or vegetable fats and oils            | 0           | 4           | 8           | 5           | 2           | 2           | 2           | 2           |
| IV Foodstuffs, beverages, tobacco                | 43          | 37          | 41          | 47          | 25          | 29          | 26          | 27          |
| V Mineral products                               | 133         | 187         | 161         | 113         | 20          | 74          | 84          | 35          |
| VI Products of the chemical or allied industries | 0           | 2           | 1           | 0           | 35          | 22          | 53          | 37          |
| VII Plastics, rubber and articles thereof        | 0           | 0           | 0           | 0           | 4           | 4           | 3           | 3           |
| VIII Raw hides and skins, and saddlery           | 0           | 0           | 0           | 0           | 0           | 0           | 0           | 0           |
| IX Wood, charcoal and cork and articles thereof  | 0           | 0           | 0           | 0           | 1           | 0           | 0           | 0           |
| X Pulp of wood, paper and paperboard             | 0           | 0           | 0           | 0           | 4           | 4           | 6           | 11          |
| XI Textiles and textile articles                 | 0           | 0           | 0           | 0           | 3           | 3           | 3           | 3           |
| XII Footwear, hats and other headgear            | 0           | 0           | 0           | 0           | 1           | 0           | 0           | 0           |
| XIII Articles of stone, glass and ceramics       |             | 0           | 0           | 0           | 1           | 2           | 2           | 3           |
| XIV Pearls, precious metals and articles thereof | 27          | 39          | 36          | 27          | 0           | 0           | 0           | 0           |
| XV Base metals and articles thereof              | 1           | 0           | 1           | 0           | 5           | 3           | 8           | 9           |
| XVI Machinery and appliances                     | 0           | 1           | 1           | 1           | 34          | 32          | 49          | 65          |
| XVII Transport equipment                         | 0           | 0           | 0           | 3           | 17          | 21          | 19          | 18          |
| XVIII Optical and photographic instruments, etc. | 0           | 0           | 1           | 0           | 3           | 5           | 3           | 4           |
| XIX Arms and ammunition                          |             |             |             |             |             |             |             |             |
| XX Miscellaneous manufactured articles           | 0           | 0           | 0           | 0           | 1           | 1           | 2           | 2           |
| XXI Works of art and antiques                    | 0           |             | 0           | 0           | 0           |             | 0           | 0           |
| XXII Not classified                              | 2           | 1           | 0           | 0           | 4           | 6           | 6           | 8           |
| <b>AMA / NAMA Product Groups</b>                 | <b>2020</b> | <b>2021</b> | <b>2022</b> | <b>2023</b> | <b>2020</b> | <b>2021</b> | <b>2022</b> | <b>2023</b> |
| Total  | 211         | 272         | 254         | 200         | 189         | 250         | 306         | 260         |
| Agricultural products (WTO AoA)                  | 47          | 42          | 54          | 55          | 58          | 71          | 66          | 61          |
| Fishery products                                 | 0           | 0           |             | 0           | 0           | 1           | 1           | 0           |
| Industrial products                              | 164         | 230         | 200         | 145         | 131         | 178         | 239         | 198         |

## Sierra Leone, Trade with World

### Total Goods: Trade flows and balance

Source IMF

| Period | Imports     |          | Exports     |          | Balance     |          | Total trade |          |
|--------|-------------|----------|-------------|----------|-------------|----------|-------------|----------|
|        | Value Mio € | % Growth | Value Mio € | % Growth | Value Mio € | % Growth | Value Mio € | % Growth |
| 2013   | 1,143       |          | 301         |          | -841        |          | 1,444       |          |
| 2014   | 1,628       | 42.4     | 339         | 12.5     | -1,288      | 53.1     | 1,967       | 36.2     |
| 2015   | 1,680       | 3.2      | 207         | -39.1    | -1,473      | 14.4     | 1,886       | -4.1     |
| 2016   | 1,013       | -39.7    | 695         | 236.7    | -318        | -78.4    | 1,708       | -9.4     |
| 2017   | 1,068       | 5.4      | 243         | -65.1    | -825        | 159.5    | 1,311       | -23.3    |
| 2018   | 963         | -9.8     | 312         | 28.5     | -651        | -21.1    | 1,275       | -2.7     |
| 2019   | 1,049       | 8.9      | 331         | 6.1      | -717        | 10.2     | 1,380       | 8.2      |
| 2020   | 1,118       | 6.6      | 275         | -17.1    | -843        | 17.6     | 1,393       | 0.9      |
| 2021   | 1,541       | 37.9     | 346         | 26.0     | -1,195      | 41.7     | 1,887       | 35.5     |
| 2022   | 1,916       | 24.3     | 456         | 31.8     | -1,460      | 22.1     | 2,372       | 25.7     |
| 2023   | 1,873       | -2.2     | 484         | 6.1      | -1,389      | -4.8     | 2,357       | -0.6     |

### Total Goods: Top trading partners 2023

Source IMF

| Imports              |             |         | Exports           |             |         | Total trade          |             |         |
|----------------------|-------------|---------|-------------------|-------------|---------|----------------------|-------------|---------|
| Partner              | Value Mio € | % World | Partner           | Value Mio € | % World | Partner              | Value Mio € | % World |
| World                | 1,873       | 100.0   | World             | 484         | 100.0   | World                | 2,357       | 100.0   |
| 1 China              | 380         | 20.3    | 1 China           | 196         | 40.6    | 1 China              | 576         | 24.4    |
| 2 EU27               | 286         | 15.2    | 2 North Macedonia | 150         | 31.0    | 2 EU27               | 317         | 13.5    |
| 3 India              | 194         | 10.4    | 3 EU27            | 32          | 6.6     | 3 North Macedonia    | 269         | 11.4    |
| 4 North Macedonia    | 119         | 6.4     | 4 South Korea     | 22          | 4.6     | 4 India              | 201         | 8.5     |
| 5 United Arab Emi... | 105         | 5.6     | 5 Senegal         | 11          | 2.2     | 5 United Arab Emi... | 106         | 4.5     |
| 6 Türkiye            | 99          | 5.3     | 6 United Kingdom  | 7           | 1.5     | 6 Türkiye            | 99          | 4.2     |
| 7 USA                | 89          | 4.7     | 7 India           | 6           | 1.3     | 7 USA                | 89          | 3.8     |
| 8 South Africa       | 74          | 4.0     | 8 Ivory Coast     | 4           | 0.8     | 8 South Africa       | 77          | 3.3     |
| 9 South Korea        | 48          | 2.6     | 9 Ghana           | 4           | 0.7     | 9 South Korea        | 70          | 3.0     |
| 10 Guinea            | 43          | 2.3     | 10 Guinea         | 3           | 0.7     | 10 Guinea            | 46          | 1.9     |
| 2 EU27               | 286         | 15.2    | 3 EU27            | 32          | 6.6     | 2 EU27               | 317         | 13.5    |

World trade: excluding intra-region trade

Top partners: excluding region member states

% Growth: relative variation between current and previous period



## European Union, Trade with World

### Total Goods: Trade flows and balance

Source Eurostat Comext - Statistical regime 4

| Period | Imports     |          | Exports     |          | Balance     |          | Total trade |          |
|--------|-------------|----------|-------------|----------|-------------|----------|-------------|----------|
|        | Value Mio € | % Growth | Value Mio € | % Growth | Value Mio € | % Growth | Value Mio € | % Growth |
| 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        |
| 121 Sierra Leone | 200         | 0.0        | 138 Sierra Leone | 260         | 0.0        | 134 Sierra Leone | 460         | 0.0        |

### Total Goods: Top product sections 2023

Source Eurostat Comext - Statistical regime 4

| Rank                 | Imports                                     |             |            |  | Exports                                     |             |            |  |
|----------------------|---|-------------|------------|--|---|-------------|------------|--|
|                      | Product                                     | Value Mio € | % Extra-EU |  | Product                                     | Value Mio € | % Extra-EU |  |
| <b>HS Sections</b>   |   |             |            |  |   |             |            |  |
| 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        |  |
| <b>SITC Sections</b> |   |             |            |  |   |             |            |  |
| 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        |  |

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

% Growth: relative variation between current and previous period

## Methodological Notes

### HS Sections (Harmonized System)

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

### SITC Sections

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

### SITC (rev 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